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**FINAL  
SOURCE  
QUESTIONNAIRE  
(Round 3, 2006/7)  
AMENDMENT 03  
08.08.06**

	<b>Q#</b>	<b>Topics</b>
<b>Core</b>	<b>A1 –A10</b>	Media; social trust
<b>Core</b>	<b>B1 – B40</b>	Politics, including: political interest, efficacy, trust, electoral and other forms of participation, party allegiance, socio-political orientations
<b>Core</b>	<b>C1 – C36</b>	Subjective well-being, social exclusion; religion; perceived discrimination; national and ethnic identity
<b>Rotating module</b>	<b>D1-D55</b>	Timing of life; the life course; timing of key life events, attitudes to ideal age, youngest age and oldest age of life events, planning for retirement
<b>Rotating module</b>	<b>E1-E55</b>	Personal and social well-being, helping others, feelings in the last week, life satisfaction, satisfaction with work.
<b>Core</b>	<b>F1 – F73</b>	Socio-demographic profile, including: household composition, sex, age, type of area, education & occupation of respondent, partner, parents, union membership, income, marital status
<b>Supplementary</b>	<b>Section G</b>	Human values scale
<b>Supplementary</b>	<b>Section H</b>	Test questions
<b>Interviewer questionnaire</b>	<b>Section I</b>	Interviewer self-completion questions

New questions in the core for Round 3 are marked with ~.

Core questions that have changed since Round 2 are marked with ^.

Some questions that belong to the Timing of Life module are placed in section F. These are marked with \*.

Throughout the questionnaire, annotations are provided to aid translation. These aim to avoid ambiguity by providing definition and clarifications of the concept behind questions, especially where the words themselves are unlikely to have direct equivalents in other languages.

INTERVIEWER ENTER START DATE:   /   /   (dd/mm/yy)

INTERVIEWER ENTER START TIME:     (Use 24 hour clock)

**A1 CARD 1** On an average weekday, how much time, in total, do you spend watching television? Please use this card to answer.

No time at all	00	<b>GO TO A3</b>
Less than ½ hour	01	
½ hour to 1 hour	02	
More than 1 hour, up to 1½ hours	03	
More than 1½ hours, up to 2 hours	04	<b>ASK A2</b>
More than 2 hours, up to 2½ hours	05	
More than 2½ hours, up to 3 hours	06	
More than 3 hours	07	
(Don't know)	88	

**A2 STILL CARD 1** And again on an average weekday, how much of your time watching television is spent watching news or programmes about politics and current affairs<sup>1</sup>? Still use this card.

No time at all	00
Less than ½ hour	01
½ hour to 1 hour	02
More than 1 hour, up to 1½ hours	03
More than 1½ hours, up to 2 hours	04
More than 2 hours, up to 2½ hours	05
More than 2½ hours, up to 3 hours	06
More than 3 hours	07
(Don't know)	88

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<sup>1</sup> About "politics and current affairs": about issues to do with governance and public policy, and with the people connected with these affairs.

**ASK ALL**

**A3 STILL CARD 1** On an average weekday, how much time, in total, do you spend listening to the radio? Use the same card.

No time at all	00	<b>GO TO A5</b>
Less than ½ hour	01	
½ hour to 1 hour	02	
More than 1 hour, up to 1½ hours	03	
More than 1½ hours, up to 2 hours	04	
More than 2 hours, up to 2½ hours	05	<b>ASK A4</b>
More than 2½ hours, up to 3 hours	06	
More than 3 hours	07	
(Don't know)	88	

**A4 STILL CARD 1** And again on an average weekday, how much of your time listening to the radio is spent listening to news or programmes about politics and current affairs? Still use this card.

No time at all	00
Less than ½ hour	01
½ hour to 1 hour	02
More than 1 hour, up to 1½ hours	03
More than 1½ hours, up to 2 hours	04
More than 2 hours, up to 2½ hours	05
More than 2½ hours, up to 3 hours	06
More than 3 hours	07
(Don't know)	88

**ASK ALL**

**A5 STILL CARD 1** On an average weekday, how much time, in total, do you spend reading the newspapers? Use this card again

No time at all	00	<b>GO TO A7</b>
Less than ½ hour	01	
½ hour to 1 hour	02	
More than 1 hour, up to 1½ hours	03	
More than 1½ hours, up to 2 hours	04	
More than 2 hours, up to 2½ hours	05	<b>ASK A6</b>
More than 2½ hours, up to 3 hours	06	
More than 3 hours	07	
(Don't know)	88	

**A6 STILL CARD 1** And how much of this time is spent reading about politics and current affairs? Still use this card.

No time at all	00
Less than ½ hour	01
½ hour to 1 hour	02
More than 1 hour, up to 1½ hours	03
More than 1½ hours, up to 2 hours	04
More than 2 hours, up to 2½ hours	05
More than 2½ hours, up to 3 hours	06
More than 3 hours	07
(Don't know)	88

**ASK ALL**

**A7 CARD 2** Now, using this card, how often do you use the internet, the World Wide Web or e-mail – whether at home or at work – for your personal<sup>2</sup> use?

No access at home or work	00
Never use	01
Less than once a month	02
Once a month	03
Several times a month	04
Once a week	05
Several times a week	06
Every day	07
(Don't know)	88

<sup>2</sup> "Personal use" is private or recreational use that does not have to do with one's work or occupation.



## Now we want to ask a few questions about politics and government

**B1** How interested would you say you are in politics – are you... **READ OUT...**

very interested,	1
quite interested,	2
hardly interested,	3
or, not at all interested?	4
(Don't know)	8

**B2 CARD 6** How often does politics seem so complicated that you can't really understand what is going on? Please use this card.

Never	1
Seldom	2
Occasionally	3
Regularly	4
Frequently	5
(Don't know)	8

**B3 CARD 7** How difficult or easy do you find it to make your mind up<sup>6</sup> about political issues<sup>7</sup>? Please use this card.

Very difficult	1
Difficult	2
Neither difficult nor easy	3
Easy	4
Very easy	5
(Don't know)	8

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<sup>6</sup> Forming an opinion

<sup>7</sup> "Political issues" in this context refer to political debates, policies, controversies etc.

**CARD 8:** Using this card, please tell me on a score of 0-10 how much you personally trust each of the institutions I read out. 0 means you do not trust an institution at all, and 10 means you have complete trust. Firstly...**READ OUT...**

		<i>No trust at all</i>										<i>Complete trust (Don't know)</i>	
<b>B4</b>	... [country]'s parliament?	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	88
<b>B5</b>	... the legal system?	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	88
<b>B6</b>	... the police?	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	88
<b>B7</b>	... politicians?	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	88
<b>B8</b>	...political parties?	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	88
<b>B9</b>	... the European Parliament?	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	88
<b>B10</b>	... the United Nations?	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	88

**B11** Some people don't vote nowadays for one reason or another. Did you vote in the last [country] national<sup>8</sup> election in [month/year]?

Yes	1	<b>ASK B12</b>
No	2	
Not eligible to vote	3	<b>GO TO B13</b>
(Don't know)	8	

<sup>8</sup> This refers to the last election of a country's primary legislative assembly



**IF YES AT B11 (code 1)**

**B12** Which party did you vote for in that election?  
[Country-specific (question and) codes]

	Conservative	01
	Labour	02
	Liberal Democrat	03
	Scottish National Party	04
	Plaid Cymru	05
	Green Party	06
Other ( <b>WRITE IN</b> ) _____		07
	(Refused)	77
	(Don't know)	88

**ASK ALL**

There are different ways of trying to improve things in [country] or help prevent<sup>9</sup> things from going wrong. During the last 12 months, have you done any of the following?  
Have you ... **READ OUT...**

		<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>(Don't Know)</b>
<b>B13</b>	...contacted a politician, government or local government official?	1	2	8
<b>B14</b>	...worked in a political party or action group?	1	2	8
<b>B15</b>	...worked in another organisation or association?	1	2	8
<b>B16</b>	...worn or displayed a campaign badge/sticker?	1	2	8
<b>B17</b>	...signed a petition?	1	2	8
<b>B18</b>	...taken part in a lawful public demonstration?	1	2	8
<b>B19</b>	...boycotted certain products?	1	2	8

<sup>9</sup> "Help prevent things going wrong" in the sense of help prevent serious problems arising.

**ASK ALL**

**B20a** Is there a particular political party you feel closer<sup>10</sup> to than all the other parties?

Yes	1	<b>ASK B20b</b>
No	2	<b>GO TO B21</b>
(Don't know)	8	

**B20b** Which one? [Country-specific codes]

Conservative	01	<b>ASK B20c</b>
Labour	02	
Liberal Democrat	03	
Scottish National Party	04	
Plaid Cymru	05	
Green Party	06	
Other ( <b>WRITE IN</b> ) _____	07	
(Refused)	77	<b>GO TO B21</b>
(Don't know)	88	

**ASK IF PARTY GIVEN AT B20b (codes 01 to 07)**

**B20c** How close do you feel to this party? Do you feel that you are ... **READ OUT...**

very close,	1
quite close,	2
not close,	3
or, not at all close?	4
(Don't know)	8

**ASK ALL**

**B21** Are you a member<sup>11</sup> of any political party?

Yes	1	<b>ASK B22</b>
No	2	<b>GO TO B23</b>
(Don't know)	8	

<sup>10</sup> "Feel closer to": in the sense of the party one most identifies or sympathises with or is most attached to, regardless of how one votes.

<sup>11</sup> Official membership or registration with a party is meant.

**ASK IF YES AT B21 (code 1)**

**B22** Which one? [Country-specific codes]

	Conservative	01
	Labour	02
	Liberal Democrat	03
	Scottish National Party	04
	Plaid Cymru	05
	Green Party	06
Other ( <b>WRITE IN</b> ) _____		07
	(Refused)	77
	(Don't know)	88

**ASK ALL**

**B23 CARD 9:** In politics people sometimes talk of “left” and “right”. Using this card, where would you place yourself on this scale, where 0 means the left and 10 means the right?

<b>Left</b>												<b>Right (Don't know)</b>
00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	88	

**B24 CARD 10** All things considered, how satisfied are you with your life as a whole nowadays? Please answer using this card, where 0 means extremely dissatisfied and 10 means extremely satisfied.

<b>Extremely dissatisfied</b>										<b>Extremely satisfied</b>	<b>(Don't know)</b>
00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	88

**B25 STILL CARD 10:** On the whole how satisfied are you with the present state of the economy in [country]? Still use this card.

<b>Extremely dissatisfied</b>										<b>Extremely satisfied</b>	<b>(Don't know)</b>
00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	88

**B26 STILL CARD 10** Now thinking about the [country] government<sup>12</sup>, how satisfied are you with the way it is doing its job? Still use this card.

**Extremely  
dissatisfied**

**Extremely  
satisfied (Don't  
know)**

00 01 02 03 04 05 06 07 08 09 10 88

**B27 STILL CARD 10** And on the whole, how satisfied are you with the way democracy<sup>13</sup> works in [country]? Still use this card.

**Extremely  
dissatisfied**

**Extremely  
satisfied (Don't  
know)**

00 01 02 03 04 05 06 07 08 09 10 88

**B28 CARD 11** Now, using this card, please say what you think overall about the state of education<sup>14</sup> in [country] nowadays?

**Extremely  
bad**

**Extremely  
good (Don't  
know)**

00 01 02 03 04 05 06 07 08 09 10 88

**B29 STILL CARD 11** Still using this card, please say what you think overall about the state of health services in [country] nowadays?

**Extremely  
bad**

**Extremely  
good (Don't  
know)**

00 01 02 03 04 05 06 07 08 09 10 88

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<sup>12</sup> The people now governing, the present regime.

<sup>13</sup> The democratic system 'in practice' is meant, as opposed to how democracy 'ought' to work.

<sup>14</sup> The "state of education" (see too, "state of health" in B29) covers issues of quality, access and effectiveness/efficiency.

**CARD 12** Using this card, please say to what extent you agree or disagree with each of the following statements. **READ OUT EACH STATEMENT AND CODE IN GRID**

		Agree strongly	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Disagree strongly	(Don't know)
<b>B30</b>	The government should take measures to reduce differences in income levels	1	2	3	4	5	8
<b>B31</b>	Gay men and lesbians should be free to live their own life as they wish <sup>15</sup>	1	2	3	4	5	8
<b>B32</b>	Political parties that wish to overthrow democracy <sup>16</sup> should be banned	1	2	3	4	5	8
<b>B33</b>	Modern science can be relied on to solve our environmental problems	1	2	3	4	5	8

**B34 CARD 13** Now thinking about the European Union, some say European unification<sup>17</sup> should go further. Others say it has already gone too far. Using this card, what number on the scale best describes your position?

Unification has already gone too far	Unification should go further	(Don't know)
00 01 02 03 04 05 06 07 08 09	10	88

**Now some questions about people from other countries coming to live in [country].**

**B35 CARD 14** Now, using this card, to what extent do you think [country] should<sup>18</sup> allow people of the same race or ethnic group as most [country's] people to come and live here<sup>19</sup>?

Allow many to come and live here	1
Allow some	2
Allow a few	3
Allow none	4
(Don't know)	8

<sup>15</sup> Freedom of lifestyle is meant, 'free/entitled to live as gays and lesbians '

<sup>16</sup> "Democracy" in the sense of an entire system or any substantial part of a democratic system: the government, free broadcasting service, the courts, etc.

<sup>17</sup> Unification refers to further integration rather than further enlargement.

<sup>18</sup> "Should" in the sense of 'ought to'; not in the sense of 'must'.

<sup>19</sup> "Here" = country throughout these questions.

**B36 STILL CARD 14** How about people of a different race or ethnic group from most [country] people? Still use this card.

- Allow many to come and live here 1
- Allow some 2
- Allow a few 3
- Allow none 4
- (Don't know) 8

**B37 STILL CARD 14** How about people from the poorer countries outside Europe? Use the same card.

- Allow many to come and live here 1
- Allow some 2
- Allow a few 3
- Allow none 4
- (Don't know) 8

**B38 CARD 15** Would you say it is generally bad or good for [country]'s economy that people come to live here from other countries? Please use this card.

Bad for the economy											Good for the economy	(Don't know)
00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	88	

**B39 CARD 16** And, using this card, would you say that [country]'s cultural life is generally undermined or enriched by people coming to live here from other countries?

Cultural life undermined											Cultural life enriched	(Don't know)
00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	88	

**B40 CARD 17** Is [country] made a worse or a better place to live by people coming to live here from other countries? Please use this card.

Worse place to live											Better place to live	(Don't know)
00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	88	

**And now a few questions about you and your life.**

**C1 CARD 18** Taking all things together, how happy would you say you are? Please use this card.

Extremely unhappy												Extremely happy	(Don't know)
	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09		10	88

**C2 CARD 19** Using this card, how often do you meet socially<sup>20</sup> with friends, relatives or work colleagues?

Never	01
Less than once a month	02
Once a month	03
Several times a month	04
Once a week	05
Several times a week	06
Every day	07
(Don't know)	88

**C3** Do you have anyone with whom you can discuss intimate and personal<sup>21</sup> matters?

Yes	1
No	2
(Don't know)	8

**C4 CARD 20** Compared to other people of your age, how often would you say you take part in social activities<sup>22</sup>? Please use this card.

Much less than most	1
Less than most	2
About the same	3
More than most	4
Much more than most	5
(Don't know)	8

<sup>20</sup> "Meet socially" implies meet by choice rather than for reasons of either work or pure duty.

<sup>21</sup> "Intimate" implies things like sex or family matters, "personal" could include work or occupational issues as well.

<sup>22</sup> Events/encounters with other people, by choice and for enjoyment rather than for reasons of work or duty.

**C5** Have you or a member of your household been the victim of a burglary or assault<sup>23</sup> in the last 5 years?

Yes 1  
 No 2  
 (Don't know) 8

**C6** How safe do you – or would you - feel walking alone in this area<sup>24</sup> after dark? Do – or would – you feel... **READ OUT...**

...very safe, 1  
 safe, 2  
 unsafe, 3  
 or, very unsafe? 4  
 (Don't know) 8

**C7~<sup>25</sup> CARD 21** How often, if at all, do you worry about your home being burgled? Please choose your answer from this card.

All or most of the time	1	<b>ASK C8</b>
Some of the time	2	
Just occasionally	3	
Never	4	<b>GO TO C9</b>
(Don't know)	8	

**ASK IF ANY WORRY AT C7 (CODES 1, 2, 3)**

**C8~** Does this worry about your home being burgled have a...**READ OUT...**

...serious effect on the quality of your life, 1  
 ...some effect, 2  
 or no real effect on the quality of your life? 3  
 (Don't know) 8

**ASK ALL**

**C9~ CARD 21 AGAIN** How often, if at all, do you worry about becoming a victim of violent crime<sup>26</sup>? Please choose your answer from this card.

All or most of the time	1	<b>ASK C10</b>
Some of the time	2	
Just occasionally	3	
Never	4	<b>GO TO C11</b>
(Don't know)	8	

<sup>23</sup> Physical assault

<sup>24</sup> Respondent's local area or neighbourhood.

<sup>25</sup> C7-C14 NEW QUESTIONS. NOW PART OF CORE

<sup>26</sup> "Violent crime" is 'the threat of or actual physical harm'.



**ASK IF ANY WORRY AT C9 (CODES 1, 2, 3)**

**C10~** Does this worry about becoming a victim of violent crime have a...**READ OUT...**

- ...serious effect on the quality of your life, 1
- ...some effect, 2
- or no real effect on the quality of your life? 3
- (Don't know) 8

**ASK ALL**

**I would now like to ask you some questions about terrorism.**

**C11~** Do you think that a terrorist attack somewhere in Europe during the next twelve months is ... **READ OUT...**

- ...very likely, 1
- likely, 2
- not very likely, 3
- or, not at all likely? 4
- (Don't know) 8

**C12~** Do you think that a terrorist attack somewhere in [COUNTRY] during the next twelve months is ... **READ OUT...**

- ...very likely, 1
- likely, 2
- not very likely, 3
- or, not at all likely? 4
- (Don't know) 8

**CARD 22** Using this card, please say how much you agree or disagree with each of these statements.  
**READ OUT EACH STATEMENT AND CODE IN GRID**

	Agree strongly	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Disagree strongly	(Don't know)
<b>C13~</b> If a man is suspected of planning a terrorist attack in [COUNTRY], the police should have the power <sup>27</sup> to keep him in prison until they are satisfied he was not involved.	1	2	3	4	5	8
<b>C14~</b> Torturing a prisoner in a [COUNTRY's] prison is never justified, even if it might provide information that could prevent a terrorist attack.	1	2	3	4	5	8

<sup>27</sup> 'Should have the power' as in 'should have the legal right'.

**The next set of questions are about yourself.**

**C15** How is your health<sup>28</sup> in general? Would you say it is ... **READ OUT...**

- ...very good, 1
- good, 2
- fair, 3
- bad, 4
- or, very bad? 5
- (Don't know) 8

**C16** Are you hampered<sup>29</sup> in your daily activities in any way by any longstanding illness, or disability, infirmity or mental health problem?  
**IF YES**, is that a lot or to some extent?

- Yes a lot 1
- Yes to some extent 2
- No 3
- (Don't know) 8

**C17** Do you consider yourself as belonging to<sup>30</sup> any particular religion or denomination?

Yes	1	<b>ASK C18</b>
No	2	<b>GO TO C19</b>
(Don't know)	8	

<sup>28</sup> Physical and mental health.

<sup>29</sup> "Hampered" = limited, restricted in your daily activities

<sup>30</sup> Identification is meant, not official membership.

**C18** Which one? [Country-specific codes for re-coding into standard ESS coding frame]

Christian – no denomination	01	
Roman Catholic	02	
Greek or Russian Orthodox	03	
Other Eastern Orthodox ( <b>WRITE IN</b> ) _____	04	
Protestant (no further detail)	05	
Church of England / Anglican	06	
Baptist	07	
Methodist	08	
Presbyterian / Church of Scotland	09	<b>GO TO C21</b>
United Reform Church / Congregational	10	
Free Presbyterian	11	
Brethren	12	
Other Protestant ( <b>WRITE IN</b> ) _____	13	
Other Christian ( <b>WRITE IN</b> ) _____	14	
Hindu	15	
Sikh	16	
Buddhist	17	
Other Eastern Religions( <b>WRITE IN</b> ) _____	18	
Jewish	19	
Islam / Muslim	20	
Other non-Christian ( <b>WRITE IN</b> ) _____	21	

**ASK IF NO RELIGION OR DENOMINATION AT C17 (codes 2 or 8 at C17)**

**C19** Have you ever considered yourself as belonging to any particular religion or denomination?

Yes	1	<b>ASK C20</b>
No	2	<b>GO TO C21</b>
(Don't know)	8	

**C20** Which one? [Country-specific codes for re-coding into standard ESS coding frame]

Christian – no denomination	01
Roman Catholic	02
Greek or Russian Orthodox	03
Other Eastern Orthodox ( <b>WRITE IN</b> )_____	04
Protestant (no further detail)	05
Church of England / Anglican	06
Baptist	07
Methodist	08
Presbyterian / Church of Scotland	09
United Reform Church / Congregational	10
Free Presbyterian	11
Brethren	12
Other Protestant ( <b>WRITE IN</b> )_____	13
Other Christian ( <b>WRITE IN</b> )_____	14
Hindu	15
Sikh	16
Buddhist	17
Other Eastern Religions( <b>WRITE IN</b> )_____	18
Jewish	19
Islam / Muslim	20
Other non-Christian ( <b>WRITE IN</b> )_____	21

**ASK ALL**

**C21 CARD 23** Regardless of whether you belong to a particular religion, how religious would you say you are?  
Please use this card.

<b>Not at all religious</b>											<b>Very religious</b>	<b>(Don't know)</b>
00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	88	

**C22 CARD 24** Apart from special occasions such as weddings and funerals, about how often do you attend religious services nowadays? Please use this card.

- Every day 01
- More than once a week 02
- Once a week 03
- At least once a month 04
- Only on special holy days 05
- Less often 06
- Never 07
- (Don't know) 88

**C23 STILL CARD 24** Apart from when you are at religious services, how often, if at all, do you pray? Please use this card.

- Every day 01
- More than once a week 02
- Once a week 03
- At least once a month 04
- Only on special holy days 05
- Less often 06
- Never 07
- (Don't know) 88

**ASK ALL**

**C24** Would you describe yourself as being a member of a group that is discriminated against in this country?

Yes	1	<b>ASK C25</b>
No	2	<b>GO TO C26</b>
(Don't know)	8	

**C25** On what grounds is your group discriminated against?

**PROBE:** 'What other grounds?'

**CODE ALL THAT APPLY**

Colour or race	01
Nationality	02
Religion	03
Language	04
Ethnic group	05
Age	06
Gender	07
Sexuality	08
Disability	09
Other ( <b>WRITE IN</b> ) _____	10
(Don't know)	88

**ASK ALL**

**C26** Are you a citizen of [country]?

Yes	1	<b>GO TO C28</b>
No	2	<b>ASK C27</b>
(Don't know)	8	

**C27** What citizenship do you hold?

**[to be coded into pre-specified ISO 3166-1 (2-character)]**

**WRITE IN** \_\_\_\_\_

(Don't know) 88

**ASK ALL**

**C28** Were you born in [country]?

Yes	1	<b>GO TO C31</b>
No	2	<b>ASK C29</b>
(Don't know)	8	<b>GO TO C31</b>

**C29** In which country were you born?

**[to be coded into pre-specified ISO 3166-1 (2-character)]**

**WRITE IN** \_\_\_\_\_

(Don't know) 88

**C30 CARD 25** How long ago did you first come to live in [country]? Please use this card.

- Within the last year 1
- 1-5 years ago 2
- 6-10 years ago 3
- 11-20 years ago 4
- More than 20 years ago 5
- (Don't know) 8

**ASK ALL**

**[to be coded into ISO 693-2 (3-character)]**  
**C31** What language or languages do you speak most often at home?

**WRITE IN UP TO 2 LANGUAGES** \_\_\_\_\_  
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(Don't know) 888

**C32** Do you belong<sup>31</sup> to a minority ethnic group in [country]?

- Yes 1
- No 2
- (Don't know) 8

**C33** Was your father born in [country]?

Yes	1	<b>GO TO C35</b>
No	2	<b>ASK C34</b>
(Don't know)	8	<b>GO TO C35</b>

**[To be coded into pre-specified ISO 3166-1 (2 character)]**  
**C34** In which country was your father born?

**WRITE IN** \_\_\_\_\_

(Don't know) 88

**ASK ALL**

**C35** Was your mother born in [country]?

Yes	1	<b>GO TO D1</b>
No	2	<b>ASK C36</b>
(Don't know)	8	<b>GO TO D1</b>

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<sup>31</sup> "Belong" refers to attachment or identification.

**[To be coded into pre-specified ISO 3166-1 (2 character)]**

**C36** In which country was your mother born?

**WRITE IN** \_\_\_\_\_

(Don't know) 88



**Now some questions about when you first did different things.**

**D1** Have you ever been in paid employment or a paid apprenticeship of 20 hours or more per week for at least 3 months?

Yes	1	<b>ASK D2</b>
No	2	<b>GO TO D3</b>

**D2** In what year did you first start working in a job like this?

**WRITE IN YEAR**

(Don't know) 8888

**ASK ALL**

**D3** In what year, if ever, did you first leave your parent(s) for 2 months or more to start living separately from them<sup>32</sup> ?

**INTERVIEWER NOTE:**

**Parents includes any legal guardian, such as foster, step and adoptive parents. Living separately means living in separate accomodation, i.e. with a separate entrance. Include students who live separately for 2 months or more even if they return to live with parents occasionally**

**WRITE IN YEAR**

(Don't know) 8888

(Still living in parental home and never left for 2 months) 0000

(Never lived with a parent) 1111

**D4** Have you ever lived with a spouse or partner for three months or more?

Yes	1	<b>ASK D5</b>
No	2	<b>GO TO D6</b>

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<sup>32</sup> "Living separately from them" means 'living independently from parent(s) or guardian(s) in separate accommodation' (ie with a separate entrance)

**D5** In what year did you first live with a spouse or partner for three months or more?

**WRITE IN YEAR**

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(Don't know) 8888

**ASK ALL**

**D6** Are you or have you ever been married?

Yes	1	<b>ASK D7</b>
No	2	<b>GO TO D8</b>

**D7** In what year did you first marry?

**WRITE IN YEAR**

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(Don't know) 8888

**ASK ALL**

**D8** Have you ever given birth to/fathered<sup>33</sup> a child?

Yes	1	<b>ASK D9</b>
No	2	<b>GO TO D15</b>
(Don't know)	8	

**D9** How many children have you ever given birth to/fathered?  
**INTERVIEWER NOTE: Include all children born alive**

**WRITE IN**

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(Don't know) 88

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<sup>33</sup> "Fathered" means 'becoming the biological father of a child'

**D10** In what year was your (first) child born?

**WRITE IN YEAR**

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(Don't know) 8888

**D10a INTERVIEWER REFER TO D9 AND CODE:**

**IF MORE THAN ONE CHILD**  
(D9= 02 OR MORE)

**1 ASK D11**

**IF ONE CHILD**  
(D9=01)

**2 GO TO INTERVIEWER CODE D11a**

**ASK IF INTERVIEWER CODE D10a = 1 (MORE THAN ONE CHILD)**

**D11** In what year was your youngest child born?

**WRITE IN YEAR**

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(Don't know) 8888

**D11a INTERVIEWER REFER TO D10 AND CODE:**

**CHILD BORN 1990 OR EARLIER**  
(D10 = 1990 OR EARLIER)

**1 ASK D12**

**ALL OTHERS**

**2 GO TO D15**

**ASK IF INTERVIEWER CODE D11a = 1 (CHILD BORN 1990 OR EARLIER)**

**D12** How many grandchildren do you have, if any?

**ENTER NUMBER**

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(Don't know) 88

**D12a INTERVIEWER REFER TO D12 AND CODE:**

**HAS 1 OR MORE GRANDCHILDREN**  
(D12 = 01 OR MORE)

**1 ASK D13**

**ALL OTHERS**

**2 GO TO D15**

**ASK IF INTERVIEWER CODE D12a = 1 (HAS 1 OR MORE GRANDCHILDREN)**

**D13** In what year was your first grandchild born?

**WRITE IN YEAR**

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(Don't know) 8888

**D13a INTERVIEWER REFER TO D13 AND CODE:**

**FIRST GRANDCHILD BORN 1990 OR EARLIER**  
(D13 = 1990 OR EARLIER)  
**ALL OTHERS**

<b>1</b>	<b>ASK D14</b>
<b>2</b>	<b>GO TO D15</b>

**ASK IF INTERVIEWER CODE D13a = 1 (FIRST GRANDCHILD BORN 1990 OR EARLIER)**

**D14** Do you have any great grandchildren?

Yes 1  
No 2  
(Don't know) 8

**ASK ALL**

**D15** In what month were you born?

**INTERVIEWER NOTE: Probe Don't Know and Refusals**

**ENTER MONTH**

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(Don't know) 88

(Refusal) 77

**Countries should choose either A, B or C depending on the randomisation procedure being used**

A. FOR FIELDWORK ORGANISATIONS USING PRE-DETERMINED RANDOMISATION METHOD:

**There is no question D16 in this version**

**D16a INTERVIEWER CODE: REFER TO RANDOMISATION OUTCOME AND CODE**

GROUP 1	1	<b>ASK D17a (Questionnaire A)</b>
GROUP 2	2	<b>GO TO D17b (Questionnaire B)</b>

B. FOR FIELDWORK ORGANISATIONS USING DAY OF MONTH RANDOMISATION METHOD:

**D16 INTERVIEWER ENTER DAY OF MONTH OF INTERVIEW (eg 23):**

**ENTER DAY OF MONTH OF INTERVIEW**

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**D16a**

**INTERVIEWER CODE: REFER TO D16 AND CODE**

DAY OF MONTH OF INTERVIEW = ODD	1	<b>ASK D17a (Questionnaire A)</b>
DAY OF MONTH OF INTERVIEW = EVEN	2	<b>GO TO D17b (Questionnaire B)</b>

C. FOR FIELDWORK ORGANISATIONS USING CAPI WITH AUTOMATED RANDOMISATIONS

**There is no question D16 in this version**

**D16a CAPI CODE: RECORD OUTCOME OF RANDOMISATION**

GROUP 1	1	<b>ASK D17a (Questionnaire A)</b>
GROUP 2	2	<b>GO TO D17b (Questionnaire B)</b>

**ASK IF INTERVIEWER CODE D16a= 1**  
**Questionnaire A**

**I am now going to ask you some questions about girls and women while other people answering the survey will be asked about boys and men.**

**D17a** People differ in their ideas about the ages at which girls or women become adults, middle-aged and old. At what age, approximately, would you say girls or women become adults?

**INTERVIEWER NOTE FOR ALL ITEMS ASKING FOR AN AGE:**  
**If respondent states 'it depends' accept answer and do NOT probe**  
**If respondent provides an age range, ask for a specific age within that range**  
**If respondent cannot give specific age, code as don't know**

**WRITE IN AGE**

(Don't know) 888

(It depends) 000

**D18a** And at what age, approximately, would you say women reach middle age?

**WRITE IN AGE**

(Don't know) 888

(It depends) 000

**D19a** And at what age, approximately, would you say women reach old age?

**WRITE IN AGE**

(Don't know) 888

(It depends) 000

**Now some questions about when a woman is considered to be an adult.**

**D20a CARD 26** To be considered an adult how important<sup>34</sup> is it for a woman to have left the parental home? Choose your answer from this card.

- Not at all important 1
- Not important 2
- Neither important nor unimportant 3
- Important 4
- Very important 5
- (Don't know) 8

**D21a STILL CARD 26** To be considered an adult how important is it for a woman to have a full-time job? (Choose your answer from this card)

- Not at all important 1
- Not important 2
- Neither important nor unimportant 3
- Important 4
- Very important 5
- (Don't know) 8

**D22a STILL CARD 26** To be considered an adult how important is it for a woman to have lived with a spouse or partner? (Choose your answer from this card)

- Not at all important 1
- Not important 2
- Neither important nor unimportant 3
- Important 4
- Very important 5
- (Don't know) 8

**D23a STILL CARD 26** And to be considered an adult how important is it for a woman to have become a mother? (Choose your answer from this card)

- Not at all important 1
- Not important 2
- Neither important nor unimportant 3
- Important 4
- Very important 5
- (Don't know) 8

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<sup>34</sup> "Important" in the sense of 'relevant' (D20a-D26a)

**And now some questions about when a woman is considered old.**

**D24a STILL CARD 26** To be considered old how important is it for a woman to be physically frail? Choose your answer from this card

Not at all important	1
Not important	2
Neither important nor unimportant	3
Important	4
Very important	5
(Don't know)	8

**D25a STILL CARD 26** To be considered old how important is it for a woman to be a grandmother? (Choose your answer from this card)

Not at all important	1
Not important	2
Neither important nor unimportant	3
Important	4
Very important	5
(Don't know)	8

**D26a STILL CARD 26** And to be considered old, how important is it for a woman to need the help of others to look after her? (Choose your answer from this card)

Not at all important	1
Not important	2
Neither important nor unimportant	3
Important	4
Very important	5
(Don't know)	8



We are now going to ask you a series of questions about the ideal age for girls or women to do certain things, then about when they are too young and finally about when they are too old to do certain things. In each case please give an approximate age.

**D27a** In your opinion, what is the ideal age<sup>35</sup> for a girl or woman to start living with a partner she is not married to?

**INTERVIEWER NOTE FOR ALL ITEMS ASKING FOR AN AGE:**  
If respondent states 'No ideal age' accept answer and do NOT probe  
If respondent provides an age range, ask for a specific age within that range  
If respondent cannot give specific age, code as don't know

**WRITE IN AGE**

(Don't know) 888  
(No ideal age) 000  
(Should NEVER live with partner not married to) 111

**D28a** In your opinion, what is the ideal age for a girl or woman to get married and live with her husband?

**WRITE IN AGE**

(Don't know) 888  
(No ideal age) 000  
(Should NEVER get married) 111

**D29a** In your opinion, what is the ideal age for a girl or woman to become a mother?

**WRITE IN AGE**

(Don't know) 888  
(No ideal age) 000

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<sup>35</sup> "Ideal age" = 'most appropriate age' (D27a-D30a)

**D30a** In your opinion, what is the ideal age for a woman to retire permanently<sup>36</sup>?

**WRITE IN AGE**

(Don't know)	888
(No ideal age)	000
(Should NEVER retire permanently)	111
(Should NEVER be in paid work)	222

**Sometimes people are considered too young to do or experience certain things...**

**D31a** Before what age would you say a girl or woman is generally too young to leave full-time education?

**INTERVIEWER NOTE FOR ALL ITEMS ASKING FOR AN AGE:**  
**If respondent states 'Never too young' accept answer and do NOT probe**  
**If respondent provides an age range, ask for a specific age within that range**  
**If respondent cannot give specific age, code as don't know**

**WRITE IN AGE**

(Don't know)	888
(Never too young)	000

**D32a** Before what age would you say a woman is generally too young to have sexual intercourse?

**WRITE IN AGE**

(Don't know)	888
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**D33a** Before what age would you say a woman is generally too young to start living with a partner she is not married to?

**WRITE IN AGE**

(Don't know)	888
(Never too young)	000
(Should NEVER live with a partner not married to)	111

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<sup>36</sup> "Retire permanently" = Give up regular paid work

**D34a** Before what age would you say a woman is generally too young to get married and live with her husband?

**WRITE IN AGE**

(Don't know)	888
(Never too young)	000
(Should NEVER get married)	111

**D35a** Before what age would you say a woman is generally too young to become a mother?

**WRITE IN AGE**

(Don't know)	888
(Never too young)	000

**D36a** And before what age would you say a woman is generally too young to retire permanently<sup>37</sup>?

**WRITE IN AGE**

(Don't know)	888
(Never too young)	000
(Should NEVER retire permanently)	111
(Should NEVER be in paid work)	222

**In the same way as people are sometimes considered too young to do certain things, sometimes they are considered to be too old.**

**D37a** After what age would you say a woman is generally too old to still be living with her parents?

**INTERVIEWER NOTE FOR ALL ITEMS ASKING FOR AN AGE:**  
**If respondent states 'Never too old' accept answer and do NOT probe**  
**If respondent provides an age range, ask for a specific age within that range**  
**If respondent cannot give specific age, code as don't know**

**WRITE IN AGE**

(Don't know)	888
(Never too old)	000

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<sup>37</sup> "Retire permanently" = Give up regular paid work

**D38a** After what age would you say a woman is generally too old to consider having any more children<sup>38</sup>?

**WRITE IN AGE**

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(Don't know) 888  
 (Never too old) 000

**D39a** After what age would you say a woman is generally too old to be working 20 hours or more per week?

**WRITE IN AGE**

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(Don't know) 888  
 (Never too old) 000  
 (Should NEVER work) 111

**CARD 27** Using this card, how much do you approve or disapprove if a woman... **READ OUT...**

	Strongly disapprove	Disapprove	Neither approve nor disapprove	Approve	Strongly Approve	(Don't know)
<b>D40a</b> ...chooses never to have children?	1	2	3	4	5	8
<b>D41a</b> ...lives with a partner without being married to him?	1	2	3	4	5	8
<b>D42a</b> ...has a child with a partner she lives with but is not married to?	1	2	3	4	5	8
<b>D43a</b> ...has a full-time job while she has children aged under 3?	1	2	3	4	5	8
<b>D44a</b> ...gets divorced while she has children aged under 12?	1	2	3	4	5	8

<sup>38</sup> 'having any more children' in the sense of either the first or any additional children a woman may have.

**CARD 28** Apart from your own feelings, how do you think most people would react if a woman they knew well did any of the following? Please choose your answer from this card. How would they react if she...**READ OUT...**

		Most people would openly disapprove	Most people would secretly disapprove	Most people would not mind either way	Most people would approve	(Don't know)
<b>D45a</b>	...became a mother before the age of 18?	1	2	3	4	8
<b>D46a</b>	...carried on working after the age of 70?	1	2	3	4	8
<b>D47a</b>	...chose never to have children?	1	2	3	4	8
<b>D48a</b>	...lived with a partner without being married to him?	1	2	3	4	8
<b>D49a</b>	...had a child with a partner she lived with but was not married to?	1	2	3	4	8
<b>D50a</b>	...had a full-time job while she had children aged under 3?	1	2	3	4	8
<b>D51a</b>	...got divorced while she had children under 12?	1	2	3	4	8

**NOW GO TO D52**

**ASK IF INTERVIEWER CODE D16a= 2**  
**Questionnaire B**

**I am now going to ask you some questions about boys and men while other people answering the survey will be asked about girls and women.**

**D17b** People differ in their ideas about the ages at which boys or men become adults, middle-aged and old. At what age, approximately, would you say boys or men become adults?

**INTERVIEWER NOTE FOR ALL ITEMS ASKING FOR AN AGE:**  
**If respondent states 'it depends' accept answer and do NOT probe**  
**If respondent provides an age range, ask for a specific age within that range**  
**If respondent cannot give specific age, code as don't know**

**WRITE IN AGE**

(Don't know) 888

(It depends) 000

**D18b** And at what age, approximately, would you say men reach middle age?

**WRITE IN AGE**

(Don't know) 888

(It depends) 000

**D19b** And at what age, approximately, would you say men reach old age?

**WRITE IN AGE**

(Don't know) 888

(It depends) 000

**Now some questions about when a man is considered to be an adult.**

**D20b CARD 26** To be considered an adult how important<sup>39</sup> is it for a man to have left the parental home? Choose your answer from this card.

Not at all important	1
Not important	2
Neither important nor unimportant	3
Important	4
Very important	5
(Don't know)	8

**D21b STILL CARD 26** To be considered an adult how important is it for a man to have a full-time job? (Choose your answer from this card)

Not at all important	1
Not important	2
Neither important nor unimportant	3
Important	4
Very important	5
(Don't know)	8

**D22b STILL CARD 26** To be considered an adult how important is it for a man to have lived with a spouse or partner? (Choose your answer from this card)

Not at all important	1
Not important	2
Neither important nor unimportant	3
Important	4
Very important	5
(Don't know)	8

**D23b STILL CARD 26** And to be considered an adult how important is it for a man to have become a father? (Choose your answer from this card)

Not at all important	1
Not important	2
Neither important nor unimportant	3
Important	4
Very important	5
(Don't know)	8

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<sup>39</sup> "Important" in the sense of 'relevant' (D20b-D26b)

**And now some questions about when a man is considered old.**

**D24b STILL CARD 26** To be considered old how important is it for a man to be physically frail? Choose your answer from this card

Not at all important	1
Not important	2
Neither important nor unimportant	3
Important	4
Very important	5
(Don't know)	8

**D25b STILL CARD 26** To be considered old how important is it for a man to be a grandfather? (Choose your answer from this card)

Not at all important	1
Not important	2
Neither important nor unimportant	3
Important	4
Very important	5
(Don't know)	8

**D26b STILL CARD 26** And to be considered old, how important is it for a man to need the help of others to look after him? (Choose your answer from this card)

Not at all important	1
Not important	2
Neither important nor unimportant	3
Important	4
Very important	5
(Don't know)	8



We are now going to ask you a series of questions about the ideal age for boys or men to do certain things, then about when they are too young and finally about when they are too old to do certain things. In each case please give an approximate age.

**D27b** In your opinion, what is the ideal age<sup>40</sup> for a boy or man to start living with a partner he is not married to?

**INTERVIEWER NOTE FOR ALL ITEMS ASKING FOR AN AGE:**  
If respondent states 'No ideal age' accept answer and do NOT probe  
If respondent provides an age range, ask for a specific age within that range  
If respondent cannot give specific age, code as don't know

**WRITE IN AGE**

(Don't know) 888  
(No ideal age) 000  
(Should NEVER live with partner not married to) 111

**D28b** In your opinion, what is the ideal age for a boy or man to get married and live with his wife?

**WRITE IN AGE**

(Don't know) 888  
(No ideal age) 000  
(Should NEVER get married) 111

**D29b** In your opinion, what is the ideal age for a boy or man to become a father?

**WRITE IN AGE**

(Don't know) 888  
(No ideal age) 000

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<sup>40</sup> "Ideal age" = 'most appropriate age' (D28b-D31b)

**D30b** In your opinion, what is the ideal age for a man to retire permanently<sup>41</sup>?

**WRITE IN AGE**

(Don't know) 888  
(No ideal age) 000  
(Should NEVER retire permanently) 111  
(Should NEVER be in paid work) 222

**Sometimes people are considered too young to do or experience certain things...**

**D31b** Before what age would you say a boy or man is generally too young to leave full-time education?

**INTERVIEWER NOTE FOR ALL ITEMS ASKING FOR AN AGE:**  
**If respondent states 'Never too young' accept answer and do NOT probe**  
**If respondent provides an age range, ask for a specific age within that range.**  
**If respondent cannot give specific age, code as don't know.**

**WRITE IN AGE**

(Don't know) 888  
(Never too young) 000

**D32b** Before what age would you say a man is generally too young to have sexual intercourse?

**WRITE IN AGE**

(Don't know) 888

**D33b** Before what age would you say a man is generally too young to start living with a partner he is not married to?

**WRITE IN AGE**

(Don't know) 888  
(Never too young) 000  
(Should NEVER live with a partner not married to) 111

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<sup>41</sup> "Retire permanently" = Give up regular paid work

**D34b** Before what age would you say a man is generally too young to get married and live with his wife?

**WRITE IN AGE**

(Don't know) 888  
(Never too young) 000  
(Should NEVER get married) 111

**D35b** Before what age would you say a man is generally too young to become a father?

**WRITE IN AGE**

(Don't know) 888  
(Never too young) 000

**D36b** And before what age would you say a man is generally too young to retire permanently<sup>42</sup>?

**WRITE IN AGE**

(Don't know) 888  
(Never too young) 000  
(Should NEVER retire permanently) 111  
(Should NEVER be in paid work) 222

**In the same way as people are sometimes considered too young to do certain things, sometimes they are considered to be too old.**

**D37b** After what age would you say a man is generally too old to still be living with his parents?

**INTERVIEWER NOTE FOR ALL ITEMS ASKING FOR AN AGE:  
If respondent states 'Never too old' accept answer and do NOT probe  
If respondent provides an age range, ask for a specific age within that range  
If respondent cannot give specific age, code as don't know**

**WRITE IN AGE**

(Don't know) 888  
(Never too old) 000

<sup>42</sup> "Retire permanently" = Give up regular paid work

**D38b** After what age would you say a man is generally too old to consider having any more children<sup>43</sup>?

**WRITE IN AGE**

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(Don't know)            888  
 (Never too old)        000

**D39b** After what age would you say a man is generally too old to be working 20 hours or more per week?

**WRITE IN AGE**

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(Don't know)            888  
 (Never too old)        000  
 (Should NEVER work)    111

**CARD 27** Using this card, how much do you approve or disapprove if a man ... **READ OUT...**

	Strongly disapprove	Disapprove	Neither approve nor disapprove	Approve	Strongly Approve	(Don't know)
<b>D40b</b> ...chooses never to have children?	1	2	3	4	5	8
<b>D41b</b> ...lives with a partner without being married to her?	1	2	3	4	5	8
<b>D42b</b> ...has a child with a partner he lives with but is not married to?	1	2	3	4	5	8
<b>D43b</b> ...has a full-time job while he has children aged under 3?	1	2	3	4	5	8
<b>D44b</b> ...gets divorced while he has children aged under 12?	1	2	3	4	5	8

<sup>43</sup> 'having any more children' in the sense of either the first or any additional children a man may have.

**CARD 28** Apart from your own feelings, how do you think most people would react if a man they knew well did any of the following? Please choose your answer from this card. How would they react if he ...**READ OUT**...

	Most people would openly disapprove	Most people would secretly disapprove	Most people would not mind either way	Most people would approve	(Don't know)
<b>D45b</b> ...became a father before the age of 18?	1	2	3	4	8
<b>D46b</b> ...carried on working after the age of 70?	1	2	3	4	8
<b>D47b</b> ...chose never to have children?	1	2	3	4	8
<b>D48b</b> ...lived with a partner without being married to her?	1	2	3	4	8
<b>D49b</b> ...had a child with a partner he lived with but was not married to?	1	2	3	4	8
<b>D50b</b> ...had a full-time job while he had children aged under 3?	1	2	3	4	8
<b>D51b</b> ...got divorced while he had children under 12?	1	2	3	4	8

**ASK ALL**

**D52 CARD 29** Do you generally plan for your future or do you just take each day as it comes? Please express your opinion on a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 means 'I plan for my future as much as possible' and 10 means 'I just take each day as it comes'.

<b>I plan for my future as much as possible</b>												<b>I just take each day as it comes</b>	<b>(Don't know)</b>
00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	88		

**I would now like to ask you a few questions about your views on retirement.**

**D53 CARD 30** How worried are you, if at all, that your income<sup>44</sup> in old age will not be adequate enough to cover your later years. Please express your opinion on a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 means 'not worried at all' and 10 means 'extremely worried'.

<b>Not worried at all</b>												<b>Extremely worried</b>	<b>(Don't know)</b>
00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	88		

**D54 CARD 31** Choosing your answer from this card, please tell me who you think should be mainly responsible for providing people with an adequate standard of living<sup>45</sup> in their old age? Please express your opinion on a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 means 'mainly the responsibility of the individual' and 10 means 'mainly the responsibility of the government'.

<b>Mainly the responsibility of the individual</b>												<b>Mainly the responsibility of the government</b>	<b>(Don't know)</b>
00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	88		

**D55** Please think about all types of savings such as bank accounts, investments, private and company pensions as well as property. Are you currently saving or have you saved in the past specifically in order to live comfortably in your old age?

Yes	1
No	2
(Don't know)	8

<sup>44</sup> "Income" – income from all sources

<sup>45</sup> "Standard of living" refers to material circumstances.

**Now some questions about things you may have done in the past 12 months.**

**E1 CARD 32** In the past 12 months, how often did you get involved in work for voluntary or charitable organisations? Please use this card.

At least once a week	01
At least once a month	02
At least once every three months	03
At least once every six months	04
Less often	05
Never	06
(Don't know)	88

**E2<sup>46</sup> STILL CARD 32** Not counting anything you do for your family, in your work, or within voluntary organisations, how often, in the past 12 months, did you actively provide help for other people? Please use this card.

At least once a week	01
At least once a month	02
At least once every three months	03
At least once every six months	04
Less often	05
Never	06
(Don't know)	88

**E3 STILL CARD 32** And in the past 12 months, how often did you help with or attend activities organised in your local area<sup>47</sup>?

**INTERVIEWER NOTE: 'activities organised in your local area' should include any the respondent thinks are relevant.**

At least once a week	01
At least once a month	02
At least once every three months	03
At least once every six months	04
Less often	05
Never	06
(Don't know)	88

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<sup>46</sup> This was question E20 in the Round 1 ESS Source questionnaire.

<sup>47</sup> Respondent's local area or neighbourhood

**And now we want to ask you some questions about how you feel about yourself and your life.**

**CARD 33** Using this card, please say how much you agree or disagree with each of the following statements. **READ OUT EACH STATEMENT AND CODE IN GRID**

		Agree strongly	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Disagree strongly	(Don't know)
<b>E4</b>	I'm always optimistic about my future	1	2	3	4	5	8
<b>E5</b>	In general I feel very positive about myself.	1	2	3	4	5	8
<b>E6</b>	At times I feel as if I am a failure	1	2	3	4	5	8
<b>E7</b>	On the whole my life is close to how I would like it to be	1	2	3	4	5	8



**CARD 34** I will now read out a list of the ways you might have felt or behaved during the past week. Using this card, please tell me how much of the time during the past week...**READ OUT...**

		None or almost none of the time	Some of the time	Most of the time	All or almost all of the time	(Don't know)
<b>E8</b>	... you felt depressed?	1	2	3	4	8
<b>E9</b>	... you felt that everything you did was an effort?	1	2	3	4	8
<b>E10</b>	... your sleep was restless?	1	2	3	4	8
<b>E11</b>	... you were happy?	1	2	3	4	8
<b>E12</b>	... you felt lonely?	1	2	3	4	8
<b>E13</b>	... you enjoyed life?	1	2	3	4	8
<b>E14</b>	... you felt sad?	1	2	3	4	8
<b>E15</b>	... you could not get going <sup>48</sup> ?	1	2	3	4	8
	And please tell me how much of the time during the past week...					
<b>E16</b>	... you had a lot of energy?	1	2	3	4	8
<b>E17</b>	... you felt anxious?	1	2	3	4	8
<b>E18</b>	... you felt tired <sup>49</sup> ?	1	2	3	4	8
<b>E19</b>	... you were absorbed <sup>50</sup> in what you were doing?	1	2	3	4	8
<b>E20</b>	... you felt calm and peaceful?	1	2	3	4	8
<b>E21</b>	... you felt bored?	1	2	3	4	8
<b>E22</b>	... you felt really rested when you woke up in the morning?	1	2	3	4	8

<sup>48</sup> "Could not get going" in the sense of 'felt lethargic and lacked motivation'.

<sup>49</sup> "felt tired" in the sense of 'fatigued'.

<sup>50</sup> "absorbed" means 'deeply involved'.

**CARD 35** Using this card, please tell me to what extent you agree or disagree with each of the following statements. **READ OUT EACH STATEMENT AND CODE IN GRID**

		Agree strongly	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Disagree strongly	(Don't know)
<b>E23</b>	I feel I am free to decide for myself how to live my life.	1	2	3	4	5	8
<b>E24</b>	In my daily life, I seldom have time to do the things I really enjoy.	1	2	3	4	5	8
<b>E25</b>	In my daily life I get very little chance to show how capable I am.	1	2	3	4	5	8
<b>E26</b>	I love learning new things.	1	2	3	4	5	8
<b>E27</b>	Most days I feel a sense of accomplishment from what I do.	1	2	3	4	5	8
<b>E28</b>	I like planning and preparing for the future.	1	2	3	4	5	8
<b>E29</b>	When things go wrong in my life, it generally takes me a long time to get back to normal.	1	2	3	4	5	8
<b>E30</b>	My life involves a lot of physical activity.	1	2	3	4	5	8

**E31 CARD 36** How satisfied are you with how your life has turned out so far? Please use this card.

Extremely dissatisfied											Extremely satisfied	(Don't know)
00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	88	

**E32 STILL CARD 36** And how satisfied are you with your present standard of living<sup>51</sup>?

Extremely dissatisfied											Extremely satisfied	(Don't know)
00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	88	

<sup>51</sup> 'Standard of living' refers to material circumstances.

**CARD 37** Using this card, please tell me how much of the time spent with your immediate family is...**READ OUT...**

**INTERVIEWER NOTE: 'immediate family' includes children, parents, siblings and spouse/partner 'Does not apply' means 'no time spent with immediate family' or 'no immediate family'.**

		None of the time					All of the time					(Does not apply)	(Don't know)
<b>E33</b>	...enjoyable?	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	06	05	05	88	
<b>E34</b>	...stressful?	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	06	05	05	88	

**CARD 38** Using this card, please tell me to what extent... **READ OUT...**

		Not at all					A great deal <sup>52</sup>					(Don't know)
<b>E35</b>	... you get a chance to learn new things?	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	06	05	05	88
<b>E36</b>	...you feel that people in your local area <sup>53</sup> help one another?	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	06	05	05	88
<b>E37</b>	... you feel that people treat you with respect?	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	06	05	05	88
<b>E38</b>	... you feel that people treat you unfairly?	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	06	05	05	88
<b>E39</b>	... you feel that you get the recognition <sup>54</sup> you deserve for what you do?	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	06	05	05	88

<sup>52</sup> "A great deal" means 'a large amount' and 'very much'.

<sup>53</sup> Respondent's local area or neighbourhood

<sup>54</sup> "Recognition" refers to 'appreciation' in this context.

**CARD 39** Using this card, please say to what extent you agree or disagree with each of the following statements.

		Agree strongly	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Disagree strongly	(Don't know)
<b>E40</b>	I generally feel that what I do in my life is valuable and worthwhile <sup>55</sup>	1	2	3	4	5	8
<b>E41</b>	If I help someone I expect some help in return	1	2	3	4	5	8
<b>E42</b>	The way things are now, I find it hard to be hopeful about the future of the world	1	2	3	4	5	8
<b>E43</b>	There are people in my life who really care about me	1	2	3	4	5	8
<b>E44</b>	For most people in [COUNTRY] life is getting worse rather than better	1	2	3	4	5	8
<b>E45</b>	I feel close to <sup>56</sup> the people in my local area	1	2	3	4	5	8

**E46 CARD 40** Do you ever feel frustrated by having watched too much television?

Yes, often	1
Yes, sometimes	2
Occasionally	3
No, never	4
Never watch TV	5
(Don't know)	8

**E47** Can I just check, are you currently in paid work of any kind?

Yes	1	<b>ASK E48</b>
No	2	<b>GO TO F1</b>
(Don't know)	8	

<sup>55</sup> "Worthwhile" means 'beneficial to others'.

<sup>56</sup> "Close to" means 'identify with', 'feel attached to'

**ASK IF RESPONDENT IS IN PAID WORK (CODE 1 AT E47). IF NOT IN PAID WORK, GO TO F1.**

**E48 CARD 41** All things considered, how satisfied are you with your present job?  
**INTERVIEWER NOTE: if more than one job, respondent should answer about their main job.**

<b>Extremely dissatisfied</b>											<b>Extremely satisfied</b>	<b>(Don't know)</b>
00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10		88

**E49 STILL CARD 41** How satisfied are you with the balance between the time you spend on your paid work and the time you spend on other aspects of your life?

<b>Extremely Dissatisfied</b>											<b>Extremely satisfied</b>	<b>(Don't know)</b>
00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10		88

**CARD 42** How much of the time do you find your job...**READ OUT...**

		<b>None of the time</b>							<b>All of the time</b>	<b>(Don't know)</b>
<b>E50</b>	...interesting?	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	88	
<b>E51</b>	...stressful?	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	88	

**E52** How likely would you say it is that you will become unemployed in the next 12 months?  
 Would you say it is...**READ...**

...very likely,	1
likely,	2
not very likely,	3
or, not at all likely?	4
(Don't know)	8

**CARD 43** To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statement?

		<b>Agree strongly</b>	<b>Agree</b>	<b>Neither agree nor disagree</b>	<b>Disagree</b>	<b>Disagree strongly</b>	<b>(Don't know)</b>
<b>E53</b>	Considering all my efforts and achievements in my job, I feel I get paid appropriately	1	2	3	4	5	8

**E54 CARD 44** How important is it for you to compare your income with other people's incomes? Please use this card.

**Not at all  
important**

**Very  
important**

**(Don't  
know)**

00

01

02

03

04

05

06

88

**E55 CARD 45** Whose income would you be most likely to compare your own with? Please choose one of the groups on this card.  
**CODE ONE ONLY**

Work colleagues 1

Family members 2

Friends 3

Others 4

Don't compare 5

(Don't know) 8

**Now, I would like to ask you some details about yourself and others in your household.**

**F1** Including yourself, how many people – including children – live here regularly as members of this household?

**WRITE IN NUMBER:**

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(Don't know) 88

**IN GRID, COLLECT DETAILS OF RESPONDENT (F2/F3 ONLY), THEN OTHER HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS (F2 to F4), IN DESCENDING ORDER OF AGE (OLDEST FIRST).**

**FOR EASE, IT MAY BE USEFUL TO ADD THE NAMES OR INITIALS OF EACH HOUSEHOLD MEMBER WHERE INDICATED**

**F2** CODE SEX

**F3** And in what year were you/ was he/she born? (Don't know = 8888)

**F4 CARD 46** Looking at this card, what relationship is he/she to you?

**[This page (questions F1-F4) to face following page (household grid)]**

Descending age order (oldest first) ----->

Person	01 (respondent)	02	03	04	05	06
<b>OPTIONAL: First Name or initial</b>						
<b>F2 Sex</b>						
Male	1	1	1	1	1	1
Female	2	2	2	2	2	2
<b>F3 Year born</b>						
<b>F4 Relationship</b>						
Husband/wife/partner		01	01	01	01	01
Son/daughter (inc. step, adopted, foster, child of partner)		02	02	02	02	02
Parent, parent-in-law, partner's parent, step parent		03	03	03	03	03
Brother/sister (inc. step, adopted, foster)		04	04	04	04	04
Other relative		05	05	05	05	05
Other non-relative		06	06	06	06	06
(Don't know)		88	88	88	88	88

Descending age order (oldest first) ----->

Person	07	08	09	10	11	12
<b>OPTIONAL: First Name or initial</b>						
<b>F2 Sex</b>						
Male	1	1	1	1	1	1
Female	2	2	2	2	2	2
<b>F3 Year born</b>						
<b>F4 Relationship</b>						
Husband/wife/partner	01	01	01	01	01	01
Son/daughter (inc. step, adopted, foster, child of partner)	02	02	02	02	02	02
Parent, parent-in-law, partner's parent, step parent	03	03	03	03	03	03
Brother/sister (inc. step, adopted, foster)	04	04	04	04	04	04
Other relative	05	05	05	05	05	05
Other non-relative	06	06	06	06	06	06
(Don't know)	88	88	88	88	88	88



**F5 CARD 47** Which phrase on this card best describes the area where you live?

- A big city 1
- The suburbs or outskirts of a big city 2
- A town or a small city 3
- A country village 4
- A farm or home in the countryside 5
- (Don't know) 8

**[Country-specific question and codes for coding into ESS Coding Frame]**

**F6 CARD 48** What is the highest level of education you have achieved? Please use this card.

No qualifications	01	<b>GO TO F7</b>
CSE grade 2-5/GCSE grades D-G or equivalent	02	<b>ASK F6a</b>
CSE grade 1/O-level/GCSE grades A-C or equivalent	03	
A-level, AS-level or equivalent	04	
Degree/postgraduate qualification or equivalent	05	
Other ( <b>WRITE IN</b> ) _____	06	
(Don't know)	88	<b>GO TO F7</b>

**F6a CARD 48a** In which one of these fields or subjects is your highest qualification?

**NOTE TO INTERVIEWER:** If respondent's highest qualification is in more than one subject code as 01.

General or no specific field	01
Art – fine or applied	02
Humanities – languages, classics, history, theology, etc	03
Technical & engineering, including architecture and planning, industry, craft, building trades, etc	04
Agriculture & forestry	05
Teacher training or education	06
Science, mathematics, computing, etc	07
Medical, health services, nursing, etc	08
Economics, commerce, business administration, accountancy, etc	09
Social & behavioural studies, public administration, media, culture, sport and leisure studies, etc	10
Law and legal services	11
Personal care services - catering, domestic science, hairdressing, etc	12
Public order and safety – police, army, fire services, etc	13
Transport and telecommunications	14
(Don't know)	88

**ASK ALL**

**F7<sup>57</sup>** About how many years of education have you completed, whether full-time or part-time? Please report these in full-time equivalents and include compulsory years of schooling.

**INTERVIEWER NOTE:** round answer up or down to the nearest whole year.

**WRITE IN:**

(Don't know) 88

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<sup>57</sup> QUESTION WORDING AMENDED FOR ROUND 3.

**F8a CARD 49** Using this card, which of these descriptions applies to what you have been doing for the last 7 days? Select all that apply.

**PROMPT** Which others?

**CODE ALL THAT APPLY**

in <u>paid work</u> (or away temporarily) (employee, self-employed, working for your family business)	01
in <u>education</u> , (not paid for by employer) even if on vacation	02
<u>unemployed</u> and actively looking for a job	03
<u>unemployed</u> , wanting a job but <u>not</u> actively looking for a job	04
permanently <u>sick or disabled</u>	05
<u>retired</u>	06
in <u>community or military service</u> <sup>58</sup>	07
doing <u>housework, looking after children or other persons</u>	08
(other)	09
(Don't know)	88

**F8b INTERVIEWER CODE:**

MORE THAN ONE CODED AT F8a

1	<b>ASK F8c</b>
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ONLY ONE CODED AT F8a

2	<b>GO TO F8d</b>
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**F8c STILL CARD 49** And which of these descriptions best describes your situation (in the last seven days)? Please select only one.

in <u>paid work</u> (or away temporarily) (employee, self-employed, working for your family business)	01
in <u>education</u> , (not paid for by employer) even if on vacation	02
<u>unemployed</u> and actively looking for a job	03
<u>unemployed</u> , wanting a job but <u>not</u> actively looking for a job	04
permanently <u>sick or disabled</u>	05
<u>retired</u>	06
in <u>community or military service</u> <sup>59</sup>	07
doing <u>housework, looking after children or other persons</u>	08
(other)	09
(Don't know)	88

<sup>58</sup> This code does not apply to JOBS in the military but to compulsory military service only.

<sup>59</sup> This code does not apply to JOBS in the military but to compulsory military service only.

**F8d\*<sup>60</sup> INTERVIEWER REFER TO F8a AND CODE:**

**RESPONDENT IS RETIRED AND/OR PERMANENTLY SICK OR DISABLED AT F8a (code 05 or 06 at F8a)**

1	<b>ASK F8e</b>
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**ALL OTHERS**

2	<b>GO TO F8f</b>
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**ASK IF INTERVIEWER CODE F8d = 1 (RESPONDENT IS RETIRED AND/OR PERMANENTLY SICK OR DISABLED)**

**F8e\*** In what year did you retire / become permanently sick or disabled?

**INTERVIEWER NOTE:** if respondent is both retired and permanently sick or disabled, code whichever occurred first.

**WRITE IN YEAR**

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**GO TO F8g**

(Don't know)

8888

(Never had a paid job)

0000

**GO TO**

(Always been sick or disabled)

1111

**F8g**

**ASK IF INTERVIEWER CODE F8d = 2 (REPENDENT NOT RETIRED OR PERMANENTLY SICK OR DISABLED)**

**F8f\* CARD 50** Using this card, can you tell me how worried, if at all, you are that you will not be able to retire at the age you would like to?

**Not worried at all**

**Extremely worried (Don't know)**

00    01    02    03    04    05    06    07    08    09    10    88

**F8g~ INTERVIEWER REFER TO F8a AND CODE:**

**RESPONDENT IN PAID WORK AT F8a (code 01 at F8a).**

1	<b>GO TO F12</b>
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**RESPONDENT NOT IN PAID WORK AT F8a (All NOT coded 01 at F8a).**

2	<b>ASK F9</b>
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<sup>60</sup> F8d-F8f [NEW QUESTIONS PART OF ROUND 3 ROTATING MODULE TIMING OF LIFE]

**F9** Can I just check, did you do any paid work of an hour or more in the last seven days?

Yes	1	<b>GO TO F12</b>
No	2	<b>ASK F10</b>
(Don't know)	8	

**F10** Have you ever had a paid job?

Yes	1	<b>ASK F11</b>
No	2	<b>GO TO F27</b>
(Don't know)	8	

**F11** In what year were you last in a paid job?

**WRITE IN YEAR:**

(Don't know) 8888

**INTERVIEWER:** If Respondent currently in work (code 01 at F8a or code 1 at F9), ask F12 to F25 about current job; if not in paid work but had a job in the past (code 1 at F10), ask F12 to F25 about last job

**F12** In your main job are/were you... **READ OUT...**

...an employee,	1	<b>GO TO F14</b>
self-employed,	2	<b>GO TO F13</b>
or, working for your own family's business?	3	<b>GO TO F14</b>
(Don't know)	8	

**F13** How many employees (if any) do/did you have?

**WRITE IN number of employees:**       **GO TO F15**

(Don't know) 88888

**ASK IF EMPLOYEE OR FAMILY BUSINESS OR DON'T KNOW (codes 1, 3, 8 at F12)**

**F14** Do/did you have a work contract of ... **READ OUT...**

... <u>unlimited</u> duration,	1
or, <u>limited</u> duration,	2
or, do/did you have <u>no contract</u> ?	3
(Don't know)	8

**ASK ALL WORKING/PREVIOUSLY WORKED**

**F15** Including yourself, about how many people are/were employed at the place where you usually work/worked...**READ OUT...**

- ...under 10, 1
- 10 to 24, 2
- 25 to 99, 3
- 100 to 499, 4
- or, 500 or more? 5
- (Don't know) 8

**F16** In your main job, do/did you have any responsibility for supervising<sup>61</sup> the work of other employees?

Yes	1	<b>ASK F17</b>
No	2	<b>GO TO F18</b>
(Don't know)	8	

**F17** How many people are/were you responsible for?

**WRITE IN:**

(Don't know) 88888

**ASK ALL WORKING/PREVIOUSLY WORKED**

**CARD 51** I am going to read out a list of things about your working life. Using this card, please say how much the management at your work allows/allowed you... **READ OUT...**

	I have/ had no influence										I have/had complete control		(Don't know)
	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	88	
<b>F18</b> ...to decide how your own daily work is/was organised?	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	88	
<b>F19</b> ...to influence policy decisions about the activities of the organisation?	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	88	

**F20** What are/were your total 'basic' or contracted hours each week (in your main job), excluding any paid and unpaid overtime?

**WRITE IN HOURS:**

(Don't know) 888

<sup>61</sup> "Supervising": intended in the sense of both monitoring and being responsible for the work of others.

**F21** Regardless of your basic or contracted hours, how many hours do/did you *normally work* a week (in your main job), including any paid or unpaid overtime.

**WRITE IN HOURS:**

(Don't know) 888

**F22** What is/was the name or title of your main job?

**WRITE IN**

\_\_\_\_\_

**F23** In your main job, what kind of work do/did you do most of the time?

**WRITE IN**

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**F24** What training or qualifications are/were needed for the job?

**WRITE IN**

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**F25** What does/did the firm/organisation you work/worked for mainly make or do? **WRITE IN**

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**[if additional country-specific questions are required for national occupation and industry coding systems, add HERE]**

**F26** In the last 10 years have you done any paid work in another country for a period of 6 months or more?

Yes 1

No 2

(Don't know) 8

**ASK ALL**

**F27** Have you ever been unemployed and seeking work for a period of more than three months?

Yes	1	<b>ASK F28</b>
No	2	<b>GO TO F30</b>
(Don't know)	8	

**F28** Have any of these periods lasted for 12 months or more?

Yes	1
No	2
(Don't know)	8

**F29** Have any of these periods been within the past 5 years?

**NOTE TO INTERVIEWER:** these periods refer to the periods of more than 3 months at F27.

Yes	1
No	2
(Don't know)	8

**ASK ALL**

**F30** Are you or have you ever been a member of a trade union or similar organisation? **IF YES**, is that currently or previously?

Yes, currently	1
Yes, previously	2
No	3
(Don't know)	8

**F31 CARD 52** Please consider the income of all household members and any income which may be received by the household as a whole. What is the main source of income in your household? Please use this card.

Wages or salaries	01
Income from self-employment (excluding farming)	02
Income from farming	03
Pensions	04
Unemployment/redundancy benefit	05
Any other social benefits or grants	06
Income from investment, savings, insurance or property	07
Income from other sources	08
(Refused)	77
(Don't know)	88



**F32 CARD 53** Using this card, if you add up the income from all sources, which letter describes your household's total net income<sup>62</sup>? If you don't know the exact figure, please give an estimate. Use the part of the card that you know best: weekly, monthly or annual income.

J	01
R	02
C	03
M	04
F	05
S	06
K	07
P	08
D	09
H	10
U	11
N	12
(Refused)	77
(Don't know)	88

**F33 CARD 54** Which of the descriptions on this card comes closest to how you feel<sup>63</sup> about your household's income nowadays?

Living comfortably on present income	1
Coping on present income	2
Finding it difficult on present income	3
Finding it very difficult on present income	4
(Don't know)	8

**F34 CARD 55** If for some reason you were in serious financial difficulties and had to borrow money to make ends meet<sup>64</sup>, how difficult<sup>65</sup> or easy would that be? Please use this card.

Very difficult	1
Quite difficult	2
Neither easy nor difficult	3
Quite easy	4
Very easy	5
(Don't know)	8

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<sup>62</sup> "Net income" equals income after tax and other compulsory deductions.

<sup>63</sup> "Feel": 'describe', 'view' or 'see'.

<sup>64</sup> "To make ends meet": cover the costs of everything you need to pay.

<sup>65</sup> Easy or difficult in any sense.

**F35 INTERVIEWER CODE:**

RESPONDENT LIVES WITH HUSBAND/WIFE/PARTNER  
(code 01 at F4)

1 **ASK F36**

DOES NOT

2 **GO TO F49**

**[Strongly recommended to be asked as a country specific question as at F6. To be recoded into the ESS coding frame (modified ISCED) below]**

**F36 CARD 56** What is the highest level of education your husband/wife/partner has achieved? Please use this card.

Not completed primary (compulsory) education	00
Primary education or first stage of basic education	01
Lower level secondary education or second stage of basic education	02
Upper secondary education	03
Post-secondary, non tertiary education	04
First stage of tertiary education (not leading directly to an advanced research qualification)	05
Second stage of tertiary education (leading directly to an advanced research qualification)	06
(Don't know)	88

**F37a CARD 57.** Which of the descriptions on this card applies to what he/she has been doing for the last 7 days? Select all that apply.

**PROMPT** Which others?

**CODE ALL THAT APPLY**

in <u>paid work</u> (or away temporarily) (employee, self-employed, working for your family business)	01
in <u>education</u> , (not paid for by employer) even if on vacation	02
<u>unemployed</u> and actively looking for a job	03
<u>unemployed</u> , wanting a job but <u>not</u> actively looking for a job	04
permanently <u>sick or disabled</u>	05
<u>retired</u>	06
in <u>community or military service</u> <sup>66</sup>	07
doing <u>housework, looking after children or other persons</u>	08
(other)	09
(Don't know)	88

<sup>66</sup> This code does not apply to JOBS in the military but to compulsory military service only.

**F37b INTERVIEWER CODE:**

MORE THAN ONE CODED AT F37a  
 ONLY ONE CODED AT F37a

1	<b>ASK F37c</b>
2	<b>GO TO F38</b>

**F37c STILL CARD 57** And which of the descriptions on this card best describes his/her situation (in the last 7 days)? Please select only one.

- in paid work (or away temporarily) (employee, self-employed, working for your family business) 01
- in education, (not paid for by employer) even if on vacation 02
- unemployed and actively looking for a job 03
- unemployed, wanting a job but not actively looking for a job 04
- permanently sick or disabled 05
- retired 06
- in community or military service <sup>67</sup> 07
- doing housework, looking after children or other persons 08
- (other) 09
- (Don't know) 88

**ASK IF NOT IN PAID WORK AT F37a (codes 02-09, 88).  
 THOSE IN PAID WORK (code 01 at F37a), GO TO F39**

**F38** Can I just check, did he/she do any paid work (of an hour or more) in the last 7 days?

Yes	1	<b>ASK F39</b>
No	2	<b>GO TO F49</b>
(Don't know)	8	

**ASK IF PARTNER IN PAID WORK (code 01 at F37a or code 1 at F38)**

**F39** What is the name or title of his/her main job?

**WRITE IN**

\_\_\_\_\_

**F40** In his/her main job, what kind of work does he/she do most of the time? **WRITE IN**

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

<sup>67</sup> This code does not apply to JOBS in the military but to compulsory military service only.

**F41** What training or qualifications are needed for the job?

**WRITE IN**

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**[if additional country-specific questions are required for national occupation and industry coding systems, add HERE]**

**F42** In his/her main job is he/she... **READ OUT...**

...an employee,  
self-employed,  
or working for your family business?  
  
(Don't know)

1	<b>GO TO F44</b>
2	<b>ASK F43</b>
3	<b>GO TO F44</b>
8	

**F43** How many employees (if any) does he/she have?

**WRITE IN NUMBER:**

□ □ □ □ □

(Don't know) 88888

**ASK IF PARTNER IN PAID WORK (code 01 at F37a or code 1 at F38)**

**F44** In his/her main job, does he/she have any responsibility for supervising the work of other employees?

Yes  
No  
  
(Don't know)

1	<b>ASK F45</b>
2	<b>GO TO F46</b>
8	

**F45** How many people is he/she responsible for?

**WRITE IN NUMBER:**

□ □ □ □ □

(Don't know) 88888

**ASK IF PARTNER IN PAID WORK (code 01 at F37a or code 1 at F38)**

**CARD 58** I am going to read out a list of things about your partner's working life. Using this card, please say how much the management at his/her work allows him/her... **READ OUT...**

	He/she has no influence											He/she has complete control	(Don't know)
		00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	88
<b>F46</b> ...to decide how his/her own daily work is organised?		00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	88
<b>F47</b> ...to influence the policy decisions about the activities of the organisation?		00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	88

**F48** How many hours does he/she normally work a week (in his/her main job)? Please include any paid or unpaid overtime.

**WRITE IN HOURS:**

(Don't know) 888

**ASK ALL**

**[Strongly recommended to be asked as a country specific question as at F6. To be recoded into the ESS coding frame (modified ISCED) below]**

**F49 CARD 59** What is the highest level of education your father achieved? Please use this card.

Not completed primary (compulsory) education	00
Primary education or first stage of basic education	01
Lower level secondary education or second stage of basic education	02
Upper secondary education	03
Post-secondary, non tertiary education	04
First stage of tertiary education (not leading directly to an advanced research qualification)	05
Second stage of tertiary education (leading directly to an advanced research qualification)	06
(Don't know)	88

**F50** When you were 14, did your father work as an employee, was he self-employed, or was he not working then?

Employee	1	<b>GO TO F52</b>
Self-employed	2	<b>ASK F51</b>
Not working	3	<b>GO TO F55</b>
(Father dead/absent <sup>68</sup> when respondent was 14)	4	
(Don't know)	8	<b>GO TO F53</b>

**F51** How many employees did he have?

None	1	
1 to 24	2	<b>GO TO F53</b>
25 or more	3	
(Don't know)	8	

**ASK IF FATHER EMPLOYED (code 1 at F50)**

**F52** Did he have any responsibility for supervising the work of other employees?

Yes	1
No	2
(Don't know)	8

**ASK IF FATHER WORKING OR DON'T KNOW (codes 1, 2 or 8 at F50)**

**F53** What was the name or title of his main job?

**WRITE IN**

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<sup>68</sup> "Absent": not living in same household.

**F54 CARD 60** Which of the descriptions<sup>69</sup> on this card best describes the sort of work he did when you were 14?

- Traditional professional occupations**  
*such as:* accountant – solicitor – medical practitioner –  
scientist – civil/mechanical engineer 01
- Modern professional occupations**  
*such as:* teacher – nurse – physiotherapist – social worker –  
welfare officer – artist – musician –  
police officer (sergeant or above) – software designer 02
- Clerical and intermediate occupations**  
*such as:* secretary – personal assistant – clerical worker –  
office clerk – call centre agent<sup>70</sup> – nursing auxiliary – nursery nurse 03
- Senior manager or administrators**  
(usually responsible for planning, organising and co-ordinating  
work and for finance)  
*such as:* finance manager – chief executive 04
- Technical and craft occupations**  
*such as:* motor mechanic – fitter – inspector – plumber – printer –  
tool maker – electrician - farmer – gardener – train driver 05
- Semi-routine manual and service occupations**  
*such as:* postal worker – machine operative – security guard –  
caretaker – farm worker – catering assistant –  
receptionist – sales assistant 06
- Routine manual and service occupations**  
*such as:* HGV<sup>71</sup> driver – van driver – cleaner – porter – packer –  
sewing machinist – messenger – labourer – waiter/waitress –  
bar staff 07
- Middle or junior managers**  
*such as:* office manager – retail manager – bank manager – farm  
manager - restaurant manager – warehouse manager – publican 08
- (Don't know) 88

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<sup>69</sup> Most of the occupations here have not been annotated. If translators are unable to identify the intended occupation, contact [harkness@zuma-mannheim.de](mailto:harkness@zuma-mannheim.de).

<sup>70</sup> A call centre is also known as a telephone shop. It can take many forms: a CATI shop for interviewing, a Customer Service centre with phone operators where customers call with questions and concerns, or a telemarketing centre. An agent is a person who answers (or initiates) live (telephone) communications on behalf of a company or client.

<sup>71</sup> "HGV" = Heavy Goods Vehicle

**ASK ALL**

**[Strongly recommended to be asked as a country specific question as at F6. To be recoded into the ESS coding frame (modified ISCED) below]**

**F55 CARD 61** What is the highest level of education your mother achieved? Please use this card.

Not completed primary (compulsory) education	00
Primary education or first stage of basic education	01
Lower level secondary education or second stage of basic education	02
Upper secondary education	03
Post-secondary, non tertiary education	04
First stage of tertiary education (not leading directly to an advanced research qualification)	05
Second stage of tertiary education (leading directly to an advanced research qualification)	06
(Don't know)	88

**F56** When you were 14, did your mother work as an employee, was she self-employed, or was she not working then?

Employee	1	<b>GO TO F58</b>
Self-employed	2	<b>ASK F57</b>
Not working	3	<b>GO TO F61</b>
(Mother dead/absent <sup>72</sup> when respondent was 14)	4	
(Don't know)	8	<b>GO TO F59</b>

**F57** How many employees did she have?

None	1
1 to 24	2 <b>GO TO F59</b>
25 or more	3
(Don't know)	8

**ASK IF MOTHER EMPLOYED (code 1 at F56)**

**F58** Did she have any responsibility for supervising the work of other employees?

Yes	1
No	2
(Don't know)	8

<sup>72</sup> "Absent": not living in same household.



**ASK IF MOTHER WORKING OR DON'T KNOW (codes 1, 2 or 8 at F56)**

**F59** What was the name or title of her main job?

**WRITE IN**

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**F60 CARD 62** Which of the descriptions on this card best describes the sort of work she did when you were 14?

**Traditional professional occupations**

*such as:* accountant – solicitor – medical practitioner –  
scientist – civil/mechanical engineer 01

**Modern professional occupations**

*such as:* teacher – nurse – physiotherapist – social worker –  
welfare officer – artist – musician –  
police officer (sergeant or above) – software designer 02

**Clerical and intermediate occupations**

*such as:* secretary – personal assistant – clerical worker –  
office clerk – call centre agent<sup>73</sup> – nursing auxiliary – nursery nurse 03

**Senior manager or administrators**

(usually responsible for planning, organising and co-ordinating  
work and for finance)  
*such as:* finance manager – chief executive 04

**Technical and craft occupations**

*such as:* motor mechanic – fitter – inspector – plumber – printer –  
tool maker – electrician - farmer – gardener – train driver 05

**Semi-routine manual and service occupations**

*such as:* postal worker – machine operative – security guard –  
caretaker – farm worker – catering assistant –  
receptionist – sales assistant 06

**Routine manual and service occupations**

*such as:* HGV<sup>74</sup> driver – van driver – cleaner – porter – packer –  
sewing machinist – messenger – labourer – waiter/waitress –  
bar staff 07

**Middle or junior managers**

*such as:* office manager – retail manager – bank manager – farm  
manager - restaurant manager – warehouse manager – publican 08

(Don't know) 88

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<sup>74</sup> "HGV" = Heavy Goods Vehicle

**ASK ALL**

**F61** During the last twelve months, have you taken any course or attended any lecture or conference to improve your knowledge or skills for work?

- Yes 1
- No 2
- (Don't know) 8

Countries should use either version A OR version B of questions F62-F68

**Version A<sup>75</sup>**

**F62 CARD 63** Could I ask about your current legal marital status? Which of the descriptions on this card applies to you?

**INTERVIEWER NOTE: PRIORITY CODE IF NECESSARY**

Married	01	<b>ASK F63</b>
In a civil partnership <sup>76</sup>	02	
Separated (still legally married)	03	<b>GO TO F64</b>
Separated (still in a civil partnership)	04	
Divorced	05	
Widowed	06	
Formerly in a civil partnership, now dissolved	07	
Formerly in a civil partnership, partner died	08	
Never married AND never in a civil partnership	09	
(Refused)	77	
(Don't know)	88	

**F63** Are you currently living with your husband/wife/ civil partner?

Yes	1	<b>GO TO F65</b>
No	2	<b>ASK F64</b>
(Refused)	7	
(Don't know)	8	

**F64** Are you currently living with a partner?

Yes	1	<b>GO TO F67</b>
No	2	<b>ASK F65</b>
(Refused)	7	
(Don't know)	8	

<sup>75</sup> Version A should be used in countries where legal partnerships other than marriage exist.

<sup>76</sup> Insert country specific name of legal partnership i.e. legal recognition of a union between two people other than marriage whether of the opposite or same sex.

**F65 INTERVIEWER REFER TO F62 AND F63 CODE:**

RESPONDENT IN A **CIVIL PARTNERSHIP** (CODE 02 at F62)  
**AND LIVING WITH PARTNER** (CODE 1 at F63)

ALL OTHERS

1	<b>GO TO F68</b>
2	<b>ASK F66</b>

**F66** Can I just check, have you ever lived with a partner without being married to them?

Yes 1  
No 2  
(Refused) 7  
(Don't know) 8

**F67 INTERVIEWER REFER TO F62 AND CODE:**

RESPONDENT DIVORCED OR 'NEVER MARRIED AND  
NEVER IN A **CIVIL PARTNERSHIP**' (F62 = 05 or 09)

ALL OTHERS

1	<b>GO TO F69</b>
2	<b>ASK F68</b>

**F68** May I just check, have you ever been divorced?

Yes 1  
No 2  
(Refused) 7  
(Don't know) 8

**Version B<sup>77</sup>**

**F62 CARD 63** Could I ask about your current legal marital status? Which of the descriptions on this card applies to you?

Married	01	<b>ASK F63</b>
Separated (still legally married)	03	<b>GO TO F64</b>
Divorced	05	
Widowed	06	
Never married	09	
(Refused)	77	
(Don't know)	88	

**F63** Are you currently living with your husband/wife?

Yes	1	<b>GO TO F66</b>
No	2	<b>ASK F64</b>
(Refused)	7	
(Don't know)	8	

**F64** Are you currently living with a partner?

Yes	1	<b>GO TO F67</b>
No	2	<b>ASK F66</b>
(Refused)	7	
(Don't know)	8	

**THERE IS NO QUESTION F65 IN THIS VERSION.**

**F66** Can I just check, have you ever lived with a partner without being married to them?

Yes	1
No	2
(Refused)	7
(Don't know)	8

<sup>77</sup> Version B should be used in countries where legal partnerships other than marriage DO NOT exist

**F67 INTERVIEWER REFER TO F62 AND CODE:**

RESPONDENT DIVORCED OR  
NEVER MARRIED (F62 = 05 or 09)

1	<b>GO TO F69</b>
2	<b>ASK F68</b>

ALL OTHERS

**F68** May I just check, have you ever been divorced?

Yes 1

No 2

(Refused) 7

(Don't know) 8

**ASK ALL**

**F69 INTERVIEWER REFER TO HOUSEHOLD GRID AND CODE:**

RESPONDENT HAS CHILDREN LIVING AT HOME  
(code 02 at F4)

1	<b>GO TO F71</b>
2	<b>ASK F70</b>

DOES NOT

**F70** Have you ever had any children of your own, step-children, adopted children, foster children or a partner's children living in your household?

Yes 1

No 2

(Don't know) 8

**ASK ALL**

**F71~** Is there a fixed-line telephone in (your part of) this accommodation?<sup>78</sup>

**INTERVIEWER NOTE: "your part of" refers to separate 'households' living in the same building, not rooms within a household.**

Yes 1

No 2

(Don't know) 8

**F72~** Do you personally have a mobile telephone?

Yes 1

No 2

(Don't know) 8

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<sup>78</sup> F71-F73. NEW QUESTIONS NOW PART OF CORE

**F73~** Do you ever use the internet to make telephone calls at home?

Yes	1
No	2
(No internet at home)	5
(Don't know)	8

**NOW COMPLETE INTERVIEW END DATE**

INTERVIEWER ENTER END DATE:   /   /   (dd/mm/yy)

INTERVIEWER ENTER END TIME:     (Use 24 hour clock)

**NOTE:**

**SECTION G AND H QUESTIONS TO BE ADMINISTERED NOW**

INTERVIEWER CODE:

FACE-TO-FACE VERSION<sup>79</sup>:  
USE SHOWCARDS AS SPECIFIED

A	1
B	2
C	3

INTERVIEWER CODE:

SELF-COMPLETION VERSION<sup>80</sup>:  
HAND TO RESPONDENT  
AND COLLECT WHEN COMPLETED.

A	1
B	2
C	3

INTERVIEWER THEN ANSWER SECTION I BELOW.  
**THESE QUESTIONS ARE FOR THE INTERVIEWER TO ANSWER**

**QUESTIONS ON THE INTERVIEW AS A WHOLE**

I1 Did the respondent ask for clarification on any questions?

Never	1
Almost never	2
Now and then	3
Often	4
Very often	5
Don't know	8

<sup>79</sup> Delete either face-to-face or self completion mode as appropriate for your country.

<sup>80</sup> Delete either face-to-face or self completion mode as appropriate for your country.

**I2** Did you feel that the respondent was reluctant to answer any questions?

- Never 1
- Almost never 2
- Now and then 3
- Often 4
- Very often 5
- Don't know 8

**I3** Did you feel that the respondent tried to answer the questions to the best of his or her ability?

- Never 1
- Almost never 2
- Now and then 3
- Often 4
- Very often 5
- Don't know 8

**I4** Overall, did you feel that the respondent understood the questions?

- Never 1
- Almost never 2
- Now and then 3
- Often 4
- Very often 5
- Don't know 8

**I5** Was anyone else present, who interfered with the interview?

Yes	1	<b>ASK I6</b>
No	2	<b>GO TO I7</b>

**I6** Who was this? **Code all that apply.**

- Husband/wife/partner 1
- Son/daughter (inc. step, adopted, foster, child of partner) 2
- Parent/parent-in-law/step-parent/partner's parent 3
- Other relative 4
- Other non-relative 5
- Don't know 8



**I7** In which language was the interview conducted?  
[use pre-specified ISO 639-2 codes for all languages that questionnaire is translated into]

[First language that questionnaire translated into] [appropriate ISO 639-2 code]

[Second language questionnaire translated into] [appropriate ISO 639-2 code]

etc

**I8** Interviewer ID. \_\_\_\_\_

**I9** If you have any additional comments on the interview, please write them in the space below.

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**QUESTIONS ON THE SUPPLEMENTARY QUESTIONNAIRE**

**[COUNTRIES USING SELF-COMPLETION INCLUDE QUESTIONS I10-I12  
COUNTRIES USING FACE-TO-FACE INCLUDE QUESTIONS I13-I14]**

**I10** How was the Supplementary Questionnaire administered?

Completed by the respondent with no help from you (self completion)

Completed by the respondent but with some help from you

Face to face interview

1 **GO TO I12**

2 **ASK I11**

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**I11** The Supplementary Questionnaire should have been completed by the respondent (self-completion) without any help from you. Please tell me why you did not do this?

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**GO TO  
END**

**I12** Was the supplementary questionnaire...

- Completed while you were present 1
- Collected by you at a later date 2
- Going to be returned by post 3

**Interviewer Note: no questions I10-I12.**

**I13** How was the supplementary questionnaire administered?

- Face-to-face interview
- Completed by the respondent but with some help from you
- Completed by the respondent with no help from you (self-completion)

1	<b>GO TO END</b>
2	<b>ASK I14</b>
3	

**I14** The Supplementary questionnaire should have been completed by you as a face-to-face interview. Please tell me why you did not do this?

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**THANK YOU FOR TAKING THE TIME TO ANSWER THESE QUESTIONS.**

**END.**