

Generations and Gender Survey Baseline Questionnaire 3.1.0

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Content



About the questionnaire

Short history of the Baseline questionnaire

The new Baseline questionnaire builds on previous versions of the questionnaire and has involved various group, developments and testing phases. This can be summarized in three main phases:

1. Original questionnaire (GGS-I):

The original questionnaire was developed based on the inputs of various people involved in the setting up of the GGP. The main background document was published in 2005. As compared to the previous Family and Fertility (Survey), a number of key innovations were introduced, including: the panel (prospective) dimension, the extension of the age group from 18 to 79 years old, a broader conceptualization of factors influencing fertility and family-related decisions (e.g. health and well-being), and the adoption of the Theory of Planned Behaviour to analyze demographic intentions and behaviour. In addition, the Contextual Database was developed as a key instrument to analyze micro-macro linkages. This original questionnaire was used through the Round 1 (GGS-I) in nearly 20 countries. An overview of the survey instrument and assessment of this first round of data collection can be found in the publications listed below.

- UNECE (2005). Generations and Gender Programme: Survey Instruments. Online: <u>https://www.unece.org/pau/pub/ggp_survey_instru-</u> <u>ments.html</u>
- Vergauwen, J., Wood, J., De Wachter, D., & Neels, K. (2015). Quality of demographic data in GGS Wave 1. *Demographic Research*, *32*, 723-774. <u>https://www.jstor.org/stable/26350130</u>
- Fokkema, T., Kveder, A., Hiekel, N., Emery, T., & Liefbroer, A. C. (2016). Generations and Gender Programme Wave 1 data collection: An overview and assessment of sampling and fieldwork methods, weighting procedures, and cross-sectional representativeness. *Demographic Research*, 34, 499-524. <u>https://www.jstor.org/stable/26332044</u>



2. Intermediate version 2.7:

In 2009, the GGP was awarded a Design Study grant¹ to further develop the GGP as a research infrastructure. During this period, a questionnaire working group (2009-12) was formed to make small amendments to the questionnaire including some of the lessons learnt from the assessment of the Round 1. Some of the key changes introduced include a new social network module, measures of how societal constraints and social policies influence decisions on family formation and retirement and a personality module. An overview of the changes can be found in Caporali (2017). Importantly, this new version was tested online in a small pilot survey in Slovenia. A similar version was also used in **Belarus (2017), Latvia (pilot 2018), and Kazakhstan (2019)**.

• Caporali, A. (2017). Innovations introduced with the new Questionnaire. Online: <u>https://www.ggp-i.org/data/methodology/</u>

3. Development and testing of the new Baseline:

This phase extended from 2017 to 2020 and was partly financed by a grant from the European Commission². It included various steps.

- a. First, the intermediate version (above) was coded in Blaise and tested in the Push-to-Web Three-country Pilot. Results from this Pilot can be found <u>here</u>. During this period, the questionnaire was slightly amended based on discussions with partners involved in the Pilot.
- b. A Questionnaire Task Force (Mills, Lugtig, Gauthier, Bujard) was appointed and met multiple times to reflect on the lessons learnt in the Pilot (including breakoffs, etc.), introduce amendments to the questionnaire to correct some errors, take into account feedback from Users, and introduce some elements of innovations. It also endorsed the idea of making it possible for national teams to include a few country-specific questions which could be added to the core

¹ "Generations and Gender Programme: A European Research Infrastructure on the Causes and Consequences of Demographic Developments", FP7 grant no. 212749 (FP7-INFRASTRUCTURES - Specific Programme "Capacities": Research infrastructures).

² "Generations and Gender Programme: Evaluate, Plan, Initiate". Horizon 2020 Research and Innovation Programme, grant no. 739511 (INFRADEV-02-2016 - Preparatory Phase and support to early phase of ESFRI projects).



questionnaire. The resulting core questionnaire (version 3.0) was then discussed and adopted by the GGP Consortium Board in December 2019.

- c. The adopted questionnaire then entered an extended **period of testing** including internal testing by the GGP central Hub team, testing by Partners, external testing by a survey agency, and consultation with Users. During each of these phases amendments were introduced including to the wording, coding, and filters. During this time, the questionnaire was used in Moldova (2020).
- d. A second Questionnaire Task Force was then appointed in 2019 (Lappegard, Lugtig, Luck, Makay, Gauthier) with a view towards approving the final amendments (step c). However during this time, the Task Force also decided to devote time to the length of the questionnaire especially in view of the fact that several countries were planning to carry the survey online. With a history of Face-to-Face mode of data collection, the average duration (around 52 minutes) had never been the focus of extensive discussion. This was also not the focus of the Push-to-Web Pilot (referred to above). The Task Force was unanimous in that the questionnaire was too long, especially for a web version. This sentiment was also echoed during the GGP Council of Partners meeting of June 2020. The Task Force met multiple times to tackle the issue. This was particularly difficult work in view of the history of the questionnaire (where all sections and subsections had a clear purpose). At the end, the Task Force agreed on a set of cuts which preserved the integrity of the version 3.0 questionnaire, but did introduce cuts in some of the long sections (e.g. Values and Attitudes), and sections which were deemed particularly demanding for the respondents.
- e. The new Baseline questionnaire (version 3.1.0) was then uploaded in the Translation Management Tool (TMT) and pre-tested in various surveys. This led to the identification of a few remaining issues. In pre-tests this new questionnaire was assessed to have an average duration of 35-40 minutes in its web format.



Important remarks

Optional questions

This questionnaire contains optional questions which can be added to the national surveys or left out. The optional questions are highlighted in light grey. Note that the items FER25 and FER26 can either be deleted entirely or shortened by deleting items FER25g and FER25h as well as FER26 (items c, d, g and i). The items FER28, FER29 and WEL02a should only be deleted if they are too sensitive to be asked in the country. Additional optional questions are located in the GEN section. The variable INC04 is also optional.

Filter commands

An if-command introduces a filter which is applied to the question following the filter. For example, if DEM03 = yes (The respondent was born in this country), DEM04a is asked (see p. 3). The command ENDIF ends the if-command that was introduced before the question. It therefore removes the filter from the subsequent questions.

Item non-response

Note that this version of the questionnaire does not display the answer categories *Don't know* and *Refuse* which are included as possible answers in case of the majority of questions.

Green highlights

They refer to external lists (e.g. occupational codes). The Occupation Lists were developed for the Survey of Health, Ageing and Retirement in Europe and in conjunction with the Wage Indicator Survey. These lists are already translated, aligned with ISCO 08 and are available here: <u>https://www.surveycodings.org/occupation-measurement.</u>

Country-specific questions

The new Baseline questionnaire allows national teams to add if they desire a few questions. Ideally these should appear as a "block" of questions together towards the end of the questionnaire.

Blaise code

The questionnaire has been coded using the Blaise software. All codes and syntax below are Blaise-specific.



About the FER section

Note that the section starts with the variation on fertility intention (FER14). In the past, this section used to start with a question about whether or not the respondent was pregnant (FER01). In this new version of the questionnaire, the information about whether or not the respondent is pregnant is instead a response category in FER14. The information on pregnancy from FER14 is used to construct additional variables (FER01a-c). Later in the questionnaire, there are filters based on these constructed variables, e.g.:

(IF (((FER01a = yes)OR(FER01b = yes))OR(FER01c = yes))

This filter implies that the subsequent questions are asked to respondents who are either female, below 50 and pregnant (FER01=yes); male or female of all ages with a pregnant, female partner below 50 (FER01b=yes); or men of all ages with-out a partner or a male partner who are currently expecting a child (FER01c=yes).

A list of further constructed variables can be found in the appendix (p. 94).

Special annotations

At several places in the questionnaire the code "CollectionMember" is used. This refers to the answer the respondent provided in a previous question, for example the name of the partner or the working place.



Baseline Questionnaire

respid (Respondent ID)

Please provide an ID of 9 digits A nine digit number or letters. XX_____

STRING[9]

IF (INTERVIEWER)

intid (Interviewer ID) Interviewer ID STRING

ENDIF

intro (Intro)

This survey is about family, work and everyday life. Our aim is to better understand, for example, what influences people's decision to have children or how they share household chores in couples. The results will be used to advise policy-makers on how to improve issues such as work-life balance, social relationships between generations and gender equality. Your participation is voluntary. If you don't want to answer any of the questions as some of them deal with sensitive topics, you are free to skip these at any point. We will remove all personal identifiers from the data and ensure that your answers are only accessed by authorized and verified researchers for scientific purposes. Agree to proceed

Demographics

DEMINT (Demographics Intro)

SECTION 1/9: About you...Let me begin by asking you a few questions about yourself.

DEM01 (Gender) What is your gender? Male Female

DEM02 (Date of Birth) When were you born? [MM/YYY] MM/YYYY STRING[7]

CHECK: (len(DEM02) = 7) []



DEMO3 (Born in Country) Were you born in this country? Yes No

IF (DEM03 = yes)

DEM04a (Place of Birth) In which region were you born? Drenthe Flevoland Friesland Gelderland Groningen Limburg North Brabant North Holland Overijssel South Holland Utrecht Zeeland

ENDIF IF (DEM03 = no)

DEM04b (Country of Birth)

In which country were you born? *Please type in (the first letters of) the country and then select the country from the list by clicking on it.*

If your country of birth is not listed due to discontinuities in international borders, please select the country in which your location of birth now stands STRING

JOBCODER: CntFile

DEM05 (Date of Immigration)

When did you first move to this country? [MM/YYYY] *If you are unsure of the precise date, please provide your best estimate.* MM/YYYY

STRING[7]

ENDIF



DEM06 (Activity Status)

Which of the items best describes your current employment status? *If* you are evenly split between two or more of these activities, select the one which you feel best describes your current situation. In education or training Employed Self Employed Helping family member in a family farm or business Unemployed Retired In military or civic service Taking care of the home or family On maternity or paternity leave On parental leave or childcare leave Ill or disabled for a long time or permanently Other

DEM07 (Education Level)

What is the highest level of education you have completed? Please select the education level that corresponds most closely to the highest level of education you have completed. Early childhood education Primary education Lower secondary education Upper secondary education Post-secondary non tertiary education Short cycle tertiary education Bachelor or equivalent Master or equivalent Doctoral or equivalent

IF NOT(DEM07 = ISCED0)

DEM08 (Date Education Reached)

When did you reach that level? [MM/YYYY]If you are unsure of the precise date, please provide your best estimate. MM/YYYY STRING[7]

ENDIF

DEMACC (Accommodation Intro)

Now I would like to ask you some questions about your accommodation.



DEM09 (Number of Rooms)

How many rooms do you have? Exclude kitchen, bathrooms, toilets and rooms used exclusively for business, hallways and utility rooms NUMBER [0..30]

DEM10 (Date moved in)

When did you start living in this accommodation? [MM/YYYY]If you are unsure of the precise date, please provide your best estimate. MM/YYYY STRING[7]

DEM11 (Housing Status)

Does your household own or rent this accommodation or does it come rent free?

Owner Tenant or subtenant, paying rent Accommodation is provided rent free Other

DEM12 (Housing Satisfaction)

How satisfied are you with your accommodation? On a scale from 0 to 10 where 0 means 'not at all satisfied' and 10 means 'completely satisfied' and 5 means 'about average', what number best represents your satisfaction with your accommodation? NUMBER [0..10]

DEM13 (Type of dwelling)

In what type of accommodation do you live? Detached house Semi-detached house Attached/Terrace house Apartment building Housing for the elderly Farm Institution Other

DEM14 (Internet connection) Do you have internet at home? Yes No

DEM15 (Internet Use)

On a typical day, about how many hours do you spend using the internet on a computer, tablet, mobile or smartphone or other device, whether for work or personal use? None 1 hour or less



1-2 hours 2-4 hours More than 4 hours Not applicable

DEM16 (Language at home)

What language do you most frequently speak at home? Dutch English Other

IF (intdate - STRTODATE(DEM10, MM/yyyy) < 1460)

DEM17 (Living 3 years ago)

Where did you live three years ago from today? The same address as now Different address, but same town/city/municipality Different city in the same country Different country

DEM18 (Reason for moving) What was the main reason for moving to this address? Better housing Better neighbourhood For family-related reasons For financial related reasons For work related reasons For education related reasons For health related reasons To move in with a partner Other

ENDIF

DEM19 (Intention to move)

Do you intend to move to another **address in country;** within the next 3 years? Definitely not Probably not Unsure Probably yes Definitely yes

DEM20 (Intention to migrate)

Do you intend to move to another country within the next 3 years? Definitely not Probably not Unsure



DEM21 (Respondent has a partner) This survey focuses on families and relationships, including both opposite and same sex partnerships. Do you have a partner at the moment? Yes No

IF (DEM21 = yes)

DEM22a (Place first met current partner)

How did you and your partner meet?
Through work
In education (School, University, College etc.)
At church or equivalent
Online dating
Other online setting
Vacation or business trip
At a bar, nightclub or dance club
Through a social organization, health club, gym or volunteer group
At a private party or social event
Through friends
Through family
Other

DEM22 (Partner Date of Birth)

When was your partner born? [MM/YYYY]If you are unsure of the precise date, please provide your best estimate. MM/YYYY STRING[7]

DEM23 (Sex of Partner) Is your partner... Male Female

DEM24a (Partner Born In Country) Was your partner born in **country**? Yes No

IF (DEM24a = no)

DEM24b (Country of Birth of Partner)

In which country was he/she born? Please type in (the first letters of) the country and then select the country from the list by clicking



on it.

If their country of birth is not listed due to discontinuities in international borders, please select the country in which their location of birth now stands STRING

JOBCODER: CntFile

DEM24e (Date of Immigration of Partner [MONTHS])

When did he/she first move to this country? [MM/YYYY]If you are unsure of the precise date, please provide your best estimate. MM/YYYY STRING[7]

ENDIF

DEM25 (Education Level of Partner)

What is the highest level of education your partner has success fully completed? Please select the education level that corresponds most closely to the highest level of education he/she has com pleted.

Early childhood education Primary education Lower secondary education Upper secondary education Post-secondary non tertiary education Short cycle tertiary education Bachelor or equivalent Master or equivalent Doctoral or equivalent

DEM26 (Employment Status of Partner)

Which of the items best describes your partner's current employment status? If he or she is evenly split between two or more of these activities, select the one which you feel best de scribes his or her current situation. In education or training Employed Self Employed Helping family member in a family farm or business Unemployed Retired In military or civic service Taking care of the home or family On maternity or paternity leave On parental leave or childcare leave Ill or disabled for a long time or permanently Other



DEM27 (Everyday Activities Limitation of Partner) For the past six months at least, to what extent has your partner been limited because of a health problem in activities people usually do? Would you say they have been ... Severely limited *Limited, but not severely* Not limited **DEM28a** (Respondent is Married to Partner) Are you and your partner legally married? Yes No IF (DEM28a = yes)**DEM28b** (Date Married Partner) When did you marry? [MM/YYYY]If you are unsure of the precise date, please provide your best estimate. MM/YYYY STRING[7] ENDIF IF (DEM28a = no)**DEM29a** (Respondent has Registered Partnership)³ Are you and your partner living in a registered partnership? Yes No IF (DEM29a = yes)**DEM29b** (Date Partnership Registered) When did you register your partnership? [MM/YYYY]If you are unsure of the precise date, please provide your best estimate. MM/YYYY STRING[7] **ENDIF ENDIF DEM30a** (Living with Partner) Does your partner live with you in the same household?

³ If registered partnerships do not exist in the country, DE29a and b are not asked and DEM29a is deleted from the filter for DEM28c.



IF (DEM30a = yes)

DEM30b (Date started living with Partner)

When did you and he/she first start living together? [MM/YYYY]If you are unsure of the precise date, please provide your best estimate. MM/YYYY STRING[7]

ENDIF IF (DEM30a = no)

DEM30c (Intention to start cohabiting)

Do you intend to start living with your partner during the next 3 years? Definitely not Probably not Unsure Probably yes Definitely yes

ENDIF

IF ((((DEM30c = unsure)OR(DEM30c = probyes))OR(DEM30c = defyes))AND(DEM28a = no))

DEM30d (Intention to cohabit or marry)

Do you intend to just live together or will you get married straight away? Cohabit only Marry straight away Cohabit at first

ENDIF

ENDIF IF ((DEM28a = no)AND(DEM29a = no))

DEM28c (Intention to marry)

Do you intend to marry your partner during the next 3 years? Definitely not Probably not Unsure Probably yes Definitely yes



IF (DEM30a = no)

DEM31 (Date Relationship Started) When did this relationship start? [MM/YYYY]If you are unsure of the precise date, please provide your best estimate. MM/YYYY STRING[7]

DEM32a (Reason for living apart (most important one)) Are you living apart because you and/or your partner want to or because circumstances prevent you from living together? I want to live apart We both want to live apart Partner wants to live apart We are constrained by circumstances

IF ((*DEM32a* = *me*)*OR*(*DEM32a* = *both*))

DEM32b (Respondent reason for living apart (most important one)) Why do you (Respondent) want to live apart? Please choose the most important reason. For financial reasons To maintain independence Because of children Not yet ready for living together Other

ENDIF IF ((DEM32a = both)OR(DEM32a = partner))

DEM32c (Partner reason for living apart (most important one)) Why does your partner want to live apart? Please choose the most important reason. For financial reasons To maintain independence Because of children Not yet ready for living together Other

ENDIF IF (DEM32a = circumstance)

DEM32d (Circumstances for living apart (most important one)) By which circumstances? Please choose the most important circumstances.

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Work circumstances Financial circumstances Housing circumstances Legal circumstances Family circumstances Other
ENDIF IF (DEM28a = no)
DEM33 (Ever married to current partner) Have you ever been legally married to him/her? Yes No
IF (DEM33 = yes)
DEM33a (Date married current partner when divorced) When did you marry? [MM/YYYY]If you are unsure of the precise date, please provide your best estimate. MM/YYYY STRING[7]
DEM34 (Year Divorced Current Partner) When did you get a divorce? [MM/YYYY]If you are unsure of the precise date, please provide your best estimate. MM/YYYY STRING[7]
ENDIF
ENDIF DEM35 (Time to Current Partner Residence [MINUTES]) How long does it take to get from your home to where he/she is living at present? Please provide an answer in hours and minutes [HH:MM]
STRING[5]
DEM36a (Number of meetings with non-resident partner) How often do you meet with him/her in person? NUMBER [0365]
IF NOT(DEM36a = Refusal)
DEM36au (Time unit of meetings with non-resident partner) times a

GGP
Week Month Year
ENDIF DEM36b (Number of contacts with non-resident partner) How often do you have contact with him/her by phone, mail, email or any other electronic means? NUMBER [0365] Never
IF NOT((DEM36b = never)OR(DEM36b = Refusal))
DEM36bu (Time unit of contacts with non-resident partner) times a Week Month Year
ENDIF ENDIF DEM37 (Relationship Satisfaction) How satisfied are you with your relationship with your partner? On a scale from 0 to 10 where 0 means 'not at all satisfied' and 10 means 'completely satisfied' and 5 means 'about average', what number best represents your satisfaction with your relationship? NUMBER [010]
DEM38 (Couple Disagreements: Intro) Within the last 12 months, how often did you and your partner have disagreement about
DEM38a (Couple Disagreements: Household Chores) household chores? Never Seldom Sometimes Frequently Very Frequently
DEM38b (Couple Disagreements: Money) money? Never Seldom Sometimes Frequently Very Frequently
DEM38c (Couple Disagreements: Leisure Time)



...use of leisure time? Never Seldom Sometimes Frequently Very Frequently **DEM38d** (Couple Disagreements: Relationship with friends) ... relations with friends? Never Seldom Sometimes Frequently Very Frequently **DEM38e** (Couple Disagreements: Relationship with Parents and In Laws) ...relations with parents? Never Seldom Sometimes Frequently Very Frequently Not applicable **DEM38f** (Couple Disagreements: having children) ...having children? Never Seldom Sometimes Frequently Very Frequently Not applicable **DEM38g** (Couple Disagreements: child raising issues) ...child raising issues? Never Seldom Sometimes Frequently Very Frequently Not applicable **DEM39** (Disagreement resolution: Intro) Couples deal with serious disagreements in various ways. When you have a serious disagreement with your partner, how often do *you....* **DEM39a** (Disagreement resolution: giving in)



...avoid discussion by giving in? Never Seldom Sometimes Frequently Very Frequently

DEM39b (Disagreement resolution: discuss calmly) ...discuss your disagreement calmly? Never Seldom Sometimes Frequently Very Frequently

DEM39c (Disagreement resolution: argue and shout) ...argue heatedly or shout? Never

> Seldom Sometimes Frequently Very Frequently

DEM39d (Disagreement resolution: refuse to talk) ...refuse to talk about it? Never Seldom Sometimes Frequently Very Frequently

DEM40 (Considered Break Up)

Even people who get along well with their partners sometimes wonder whether their marriage or partnership will work. Over the past 12 months, have you thought about breaking up your relationship?

Yes No

DEM41 (Respondent has children with partner)

Do you and your partner have children together? Please consider only the children of whom you are the biological mother and father. If you are in a same sex-relationship, please consider children that were born in this relationship of which you are the biological parent. Yes

No



IF (DEM41 = yes)

DEM42 (Number of children with current partner) How many biological children have you had together? NUMBER [0..20]

ENDIF

DEM43 (Respondent has adopted children with current partner) Have you and your partner adopted children together? Yes No

IF (DEM43 = yes)

DEM44 (Number of adopted children with current partner) How many children have you adopted with your partner? NUMBER [0..20]

ENDIF

DEM45 (Rs partner has children of her his own) Has your partner had any children of her/his own? Yes No

IF (DEM45 = yes)

DEM46 (Number of children of Rs partner) How many children has she/he had without you? NUMBER [0..20]

ENDIF

ENDIF

Life Histories

LHIINT (Life History Intro)

SECTION 2/9: About your relationships and children...Now we would like to ask some questions about previous relationships and the children that you might have had. It is really important for us to understand what and when things happened so that we can better understand your story.

LHI01 (Lived with a partner before current one)

Not including any current partnership, have you ever before lived with someone as a couple or have you ever been married? Yes No



LHI02 (Number of Partnerships before current one)

Not including your current relationship, how many partnerships did you have where you lived together? NUMBER [0..20]

LHI03 (Partner name)

To help us keep track, please provide the names of all these previous partners, starting with the first one. You can use pseuclonyms if you prefer and this information will be deleted at the end of the interview.

LOOP I := 1 TO LHI02

LHI02">

LHI03_ (Partner name)

To help us keep track, please provide the names of all these previous partners, starting with the first one. You can use pseudonyms if you prefer and this information will be deleted at the end of the interview. Name of Partner [1]

[I]

ENDLOOP LOOP I := 1 TO LHI02

LHI02">

LHI04a_ (Place first met partner) How did you and CollectionMember meet? Through work In education (School, University, College etc.) At church or equivalent Online dating Other online setting Vacation or business trip At a bar, nightclub or dance club Through a social organization, health club, gym or volunteer group At a private party or social event Through friends Through family Other

[I]

LHI04_ (Date started cohabiting Partner) When did you start living together with CollectionMember? [MM/YYYY]If you are unsure of the precise date, please provide



your best estimate. MM/YYYY *[I]* **LHI05a** (Married to Partner) Were you and **CollectionMember** legally married? Yes No [*I*] *IF* (*LHI05a* [*I*] = *yes*) **LHI05b** (Date married Partner) When did you marry **CollectionMember**? [MM/YYYY]If you are unsure of the precise date, please provide your best estimate. MM/YYYY *[I]* **ENDIF LHI06** (Date Partner Born) When was **CollectionMember** born? [MM/YYYY]If you are unsure of the precise date, please provide your best estimate. MM/YYYY *[I]* **LHI07** (Children with Partner) Have you and **CollectionMember** had children together? Please consider only the children of whom you are both biological parents Yes No [*I*] *IF* (*LHI07_*[*I*] = *yes*) **LHI08** (Number of Children with Partner) How many children have you had together? If this was a same-sex relationship, please consider children that were born in this relationship of which you are the biological parent. NUMBER [0..20] *[*1] **ENDIF LHI09** (Adopted children with Partner) Have you and **CollectionMember** adopted any children? Yes No [*I*] *IF* (*LHI09* [*I*] = yes) **LHI10** (Number of children Adopted w/ Partner)



How many children have you and CollectionMember adopted? If this was a same-sex relationship, please also consider children that were born to your partner during the relationship and adopted by you. NUMBER [020]
[I] ENDIF LHI11_ (Step Children with Partner) When you started living together had CollectionMember already had children of his or her own? Yes No
[<i>I</i>] <i>IF</i> (<i>LHI11_</i> [<i>I</i>] = <i>yes</i>)
LHI12_ (Number of Children Partner had) How many children did CollectionMember have? NUMBER [020]
[1]
ENDIF LHI13_ (How Partnership ended)
How did this partnership end?
Broke up Partner passed away
[1]
LHI14_ (Date Partnership ended) When did that happen? [MM/YYYY]If you are unsure of the precise date, please provide your best estimate. MM/YYYY
[I] IF ((LHI05a_[I] = yes)AND(LHI13_[I] = brokeup))
LHI15a_ (Divorced Partner) Did you and CollectionMember get divorced? Yes No
[I] IF (LHI15a_[I] = yes)
LHI15b_ (Date Divorced Partner) When did you get divorced? [MM/YYYY]If you are unsure of the precise date, please provide your best estimate. MM/YYYY
[I] LHI16_ (Who started divorce with Partner)



Who started the legal process of divorce?

[I] ENDIF

ENDIF LHI17_ (Partner was same sex) Our survey also includes same sex partnerships. Was CollectionMember the same sex as you?

[I] ENDLOOP

ENDIF

LHI18 (Had children outside of cohabitation)

Have you had any children with someone you have never lived with? Yes

No

IF (LHI18 = yes)

LHI19 (Number of Children outside of cohabitation)

How many children have you had with someone you never lived with?

NUMBER [0..10]

ENDIF

LHI20 (Child count verification)

Based on the information you have provided you had 0; biological children, 0; adopted children and 0; stepchildren. Is this correct? A stepchild is a child of a partner or an ex-partner from a relationship they had before you. Yes

No

IF(LHI20 = no)

LHI21

How many biological children have you had in total, including those who do not live with you or have passed away? NUMBER [0..20]

LHI22

How many step children do you have in total? NUMBER [0..20]

LHI23

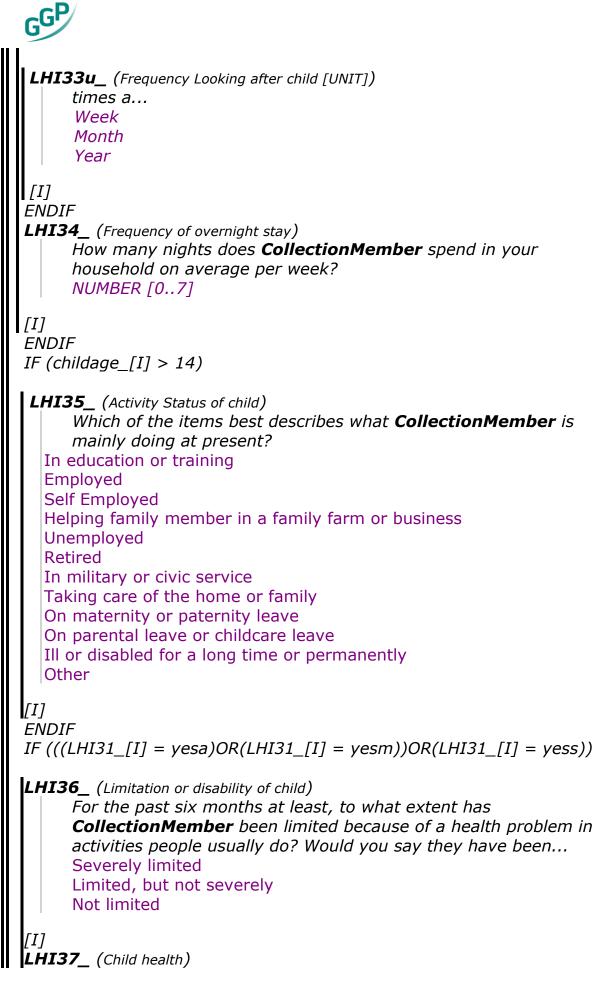
How many adopted children do you have in total? NUMBER [0..20]

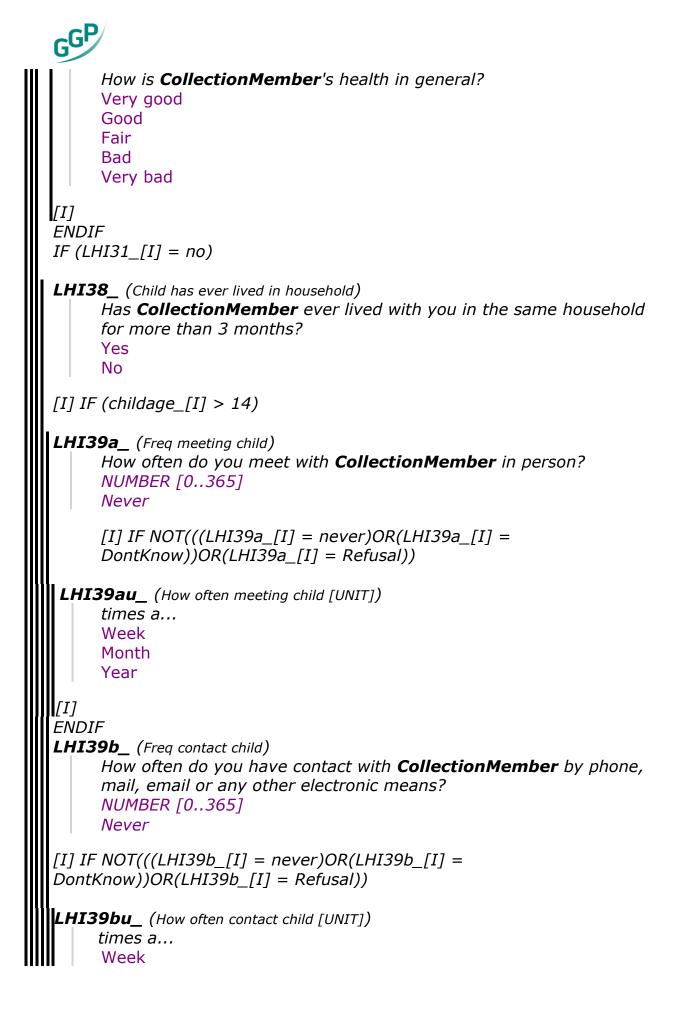


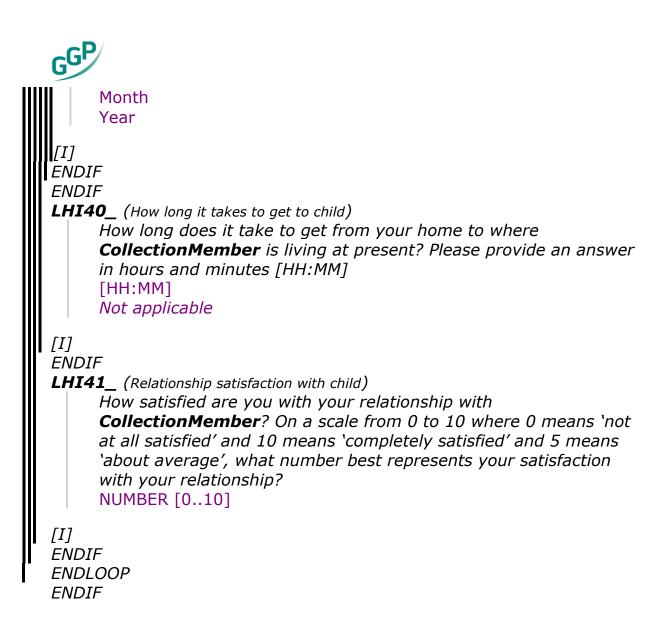
LHI24 (Child name) To help us keep track, please provide the names of all these children, starting with the oldest. You can use pseudonyms if you prefer and this information will be deleted at the end of the interview. Name of Child LOOP I := 1 TO totalchildren totalchildren"> **LHI24** (Child name) To help us keep track, please provide the names of all these children, starting with the oldest. You can use pseudonyms if you prefer and this information will be deleted at the end of the interview. Name of Child [I] *[I]* ENDLOOP LOOP I := 1 TO totalchildren totalchildren"> **LHI25** (Child is alive) Is **CollectionMember** still alive? Yes No *[I]* **LHI26** (Child Type) Please indicate if **CollectionMember** is... Biological child Adopted Child Step child Not applicable [I] **LHI27_** (Parent of Child) Who is the (other) parent of **CollectionMember**? Current partner PARTNER NAME [LHI03 [1]...[8]] Other *[I]* **LHI28** (Sex of child) Is CollectionMember ... Male Female



[I] LHI29_ (Child Date of Birth) When was CollectionMember born? [MM/YYYY]If you are unsure of the precise date, please provide your best estimate. MM/YYYY $[I] IF (LHI25_[I] = no)$ **LHI30** (Child Date of Death) When did CollectionMember pass away? [MM/YYYY]If you are unsure of the precise date, please provide your best estimate. MM/YYYY [I]**ENDIF** $IF (LHI25_[I] = yes)$ **LHI31** (Child living in same household as respondent) Is **CollectionMember** currently living in the same household with you? Yes, always Yes, most of the time Yes, some of the time No, never [I] IF ((NOT(LHI31_[I] = yesa))AND(childage_[I] < 18)) **LHI32**_ (Childs usual residency) Where does the child stay the rest of the time? With biological parent With biological parent and his/her partner With (a) grandparent With other relative(s) *With adoptive parent(s)* With foster parent(s) Boarding school Orphanage In a special youth home Other [I]**LHI33** (Frequency Looking after child) How often do you look after CollectionMember? NUMBER [0..365] Never [*I*] *IF NOT(((LHI33_[I] = never)OR(LHI33_[I] =* DontKnow))OR(LHI33 [I] = Refusal))







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Fertility
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FERINT (Fertility Intro)

SECTION 3/9: About sexual health and fertility... This section includes some sensitive questions. Please remember that your answers will be treated in the strictest confidence.

IF (((((asex = female)AND(age < 50))OR(((asex = male) AND(partnerage < 50))AND(BDEMOGRAPHICS.DEM23 = female)))OR((asex = male)AND(NOT(BDEMOGRAPHICS.DEM23 = female)))OR(((asex = female)AND(BDEMOGRAPHICS.DEM23 = female))AND(partnerage < 50)))

FER14 (Intention to have a child in next 3 years) Do you intend to have a/another child during the next three years? Please take into account only biological children. Definitely not Probably not Unsure GGP

Probably yes Definitely yes Currently expecting a child

IF NOT (FER14 = Currently expecting a child)

FER15 (Intention to have a child at all)

Supposing you do not have a/another child during the next three years, do you intend to have any (more) children at all? Definitely not Probably not Unsure Probably yes Definitely yes

ENDIF IF NOT (FER15 = defno)

FER16a (Total number of children intended)

How many more children - including biological and adoptive children - do you intend to have overall? [Not including existing children]

NUMBER [0..10]

ENDIF

FER25 (Child impact intro)

Even though you might not intend to have a/another child, we would still want your opinion about this possibility. Suppose that during the next 3 years you were to have a/another child. I would like you to tell me what effect you think this would have on various aspects of your life

FER25a (Child Impact: the possibility to do what you want)

the possibility to do what you want Much Better Better Neither Better nor Worse Worse Much Worse Not applicable

FER25b (Child Impact: the amount of money you can spend) the amount of money you can spend Much Better Better Neither Better nor Worse Worse Much Worse



Not applicable

FER25c (Child Impact: the possibility to realize other goals in life) the possibility to realize other goals in life Much Better Better Neither Better nor Worse Worse Much Worse Not applicable **FER25d** (Child Impact: the joy and satisfaction you get from life) the joy and satisfaction you get from life Much Better Better Neither Better nor Worse Worse Much Worse Not applicable **FER25e** (Child Impact: your employment opportunities) your employment opportunities Much Better Better Neither Better nor Worse Worse Much Worse Not applicable **FER25f** (Child Impact: your partner's employment opportunities) your partner employment opportunities Much Better Better Neither Better nor Worse Worse Much Worse Not applicable **FER25g** (Child Impact: security in old age) the care and security you may get in old age Much Better Better Neither Better nor Worse Worse Much Worse Not applicable **FER25h** (Child Impact: closeness with spouse)



the closeness between you and your spouse Much Better Better Neither Better nor Worse Worse Much Worse Not applicable **FER26** (Decision to have child Intro) The next statements are about conditions that might need to be fulfilled before people have a/another child. Regardless if you plan to have a child or not, I would like to ask you whether you believe these conditions will be fulfilled, for you, in the next three years. Not applicable **FER26a** (Decision to have child: Financial) I will be able to financially afford to have a/another child Definitely not Probably not Unsure Probably yes Definitely yes Not applicable **FER26b** (Decision to have child: Housing) I will have access to suitable housing to allow me to have a/another child Definitely not Probably not Unsure Probably yes Definitely yes Not applicable **FER26c** (Decision to have child: Health) I will be healthy enough to have a/another child Definitely not Probably not Unsure Probably yes Definitely yes Not applicable **FER26d** (Decision to have child: Feel Ready) I will feel ready to have a/another child Definitely not Probably not Unsure

G^{GP} Probably yes Definitely yes Not applicable **FER26e** (Decision to have child: Suitable Partner) I will have a suitable partner with whom to have a/another child Definitely not Probably not Unsure Probably yes Definitely yes Not applicable **FER26f** (Decision to have child: Work Family balance) *I* will be able to balance my work and family life if *I* have a/another child Definitely not Probably not Unsure Probably yes Definitely yes Not applicable *IF* (*BDEMOGRAPHICS.DEM01* = *male*) **FER26g** (Decision to have child: Partners Health) My partner will be healthy enough to have a/another child Definitely not Probably not Unsure Probably yes Definitely yes Not applicable ENDIF **FER26h** (Decision to have child: Childcare) *I* will have access to satisfactory childcare if *I* have a child Definitely not Probably not Unsure Probably yes Definitely yes Not applicable **FER26i** (Decision to have child: Leave) I will have access to sufficient parental leave if I have a child Definitely not Probably not



Unsure Probably yes Definitely yes Not applicable

FER27 (Further Children Opinion Intro)

The next statements are about what other people might think about you having a/another child during the next 3 years. Please indicate to what extent you agree or disagree with these staternents.

FER27a (Further Children Opinions: Friends)

Most of my friends think I should have a/another child. Strongly Disagree Disagree Neither Agree nor Disagree Agree Strongly Agree Not applicable

FER27b (Further Children Opinions: Parents)

My parents think I should have a/another child. Strongly Disagree Disagree Neither Agree nor Disagree Agree Strongly Agree Not applicable

IF (*BDEMOGRAPHICS.DEM21* = *yes*)

FER27c (Further Children Opinions: Partner) My partner thinks we should have a/another child. Strongly Disagree Disagree Neither Agree nor Disagree Agree Strongly Agree Not applicable

ENDIF

FER16c (General ideal family size)

Generally speaking, what do you think is the ideal number of children for a family? NUMBER [0..10]

FER16b (Personal ideal family size)

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For you personally, what would be the ideal number of children you would like to have or would have liked to have had? NUMBER [0..10] *IF (((FER15 = probyes)OR(FER15 = defyes))OR(FER15 = unsure))* **FER17** (Child Gender Preference) Would vou prefer your first/next child to be a boy or a girl? Boy Girl It does not matter **ENDIF ENDIF** *IF (((FER01a = yes)OR(FER01b = yes))OR(FER01c = yes))* **FER02** (Pregnancy Expectancy Date) Earlier you mentioned that you or your partner where expecting a child. When is the child expected to be born? [MM/YYYY]If you are unsure of the precise date, please provide your best estimate. MM/YYYY STRING[7] **FER03** (Pregnancy Intended) Just before this pregnancy began, did you yourself intend to have a/another baby at some time? Yes No Didn't mind either way IF NOT(FER03 = no)**FER04** (Pregnancy Timing) Did this pregnancy occur sooner than you wanted, later than you wanted, or at about the right time? Sooner Later About the right time **ENDIF ENDIF** *IF (((((asex = female)AND(age < 50))OR(((asex = male)AND*) (partnerage < 50))AND(BDEMOGRAPHICS.DEM23 = female)))AND(NOT(FER01a = yes)))AND(NOT(FER01b = *yes*)))*AND*(*hasyoungchild* = *yes*)) **FER04b** (Last Pregnancy Intended) When your youngest child was conceived, did you yourself intend

to have a/another baby?



Yes No Didn't mind either way

IF NOT(FER04b = no)

FER04c (Pregnancy Timing)

Did this pregnancy occur sooner than you wanted, later than you wanted, or at about the right time? Sooner Later About the right time

ENDIF

ENDIF

FER04d (Problems conceiving) Was there ever a time when you and a partner were trying to get pregnant but did not conceive within at least 12 months? Yes No

IF ((asex = female)AND(hasyoungchild = yes))

FER04e (Postpartum) Has your menstrual cycle been restored since your last pregnancy? Yes No

ENDIF IF (age < 50)

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IF (((NOT(FER01a = yes))AND(NOT(FER01b = yes)))AND(NOT(FER01c = yes)))

FER05 (Able to have children)
Some people are not physically able to have children. As far as you
know, is it physically possible for you, yourself, to have a/another
baby?
Definitely not
Probably Not
Probably Yes
Definitely Yes
IF ((FER05 = defnot)OR(FER05 = probnot))
FER06 (Sterilized)
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Have you been sterilised or have you had an operation that makes it impossible for you to have a child/ more children?



Yes No

IF NOT(FER06 = yes)

FER07 (Infertility Diagnosis)

Have you been diagnosed with anything that might explain why you might not be able to have (more) children? SET OF endometriosis adhesions blocked tubes polycystic ovary syndrome (PCOS) pelvic inflammatory disease no/irregular ovulation poor sperm count/quality uterine fibroids no cause was found none of the above

END IF

IF (BDEMOGRAPHICS.DEM21 = yes)

FER08 (Partner able to have children)

As far as you know, is it physically possible for your current partner to have a child of his/her own if he/she wanted to? Definitely not Probably Not Probably Yes Definitely Yes

IF ((*FER08* = *defnot*)*OR*(*FER08* = *probnot*))

FER09 (Partner Sterilized)

Has your partner ever been sterilised or had an operation that makes it impossible for him/her to have a child/ more children? Yes No

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ENDIF ENDIF ENDIF IF ((NOT((BDEMOGRAPHICS.DEM01 = male)AND(BDEMOGRAPHICS.DEM23 = male)))AND(NOT((BDEMOGRAPHICS.DEM01 = male)AND(BDEMOGRAPHICS.DEM21 = no))))

FER10a (Trying to get pregnant) Are you or your current partner trying to get pregnant?



Yes No

IF (FER10a = yes)

FER10b (Date started trying to get pregnant)

When did you or your current partner start trying to get pregnant? [MM/YYYY]If you are unsure of the precise date, please provide your best estimate. MM/YYYY STRING[7]

ENDIF

ENDIF

ENDIF

FER11_ (Infertility Treatments)

Have you or your partner ever done any of these things to help you get pregnant? Please select all of the things you have been doing. SET OF Receiving medication

SET OF Receiving medication

Methods for ascertaining timing of ovulation In vitro fertilisation (IVF) or micro-fertilisation (ICSI)

Surgery

Artificial insemination Consulted a physician Other medical treatment

None of the above

IF ((NOT(FER01a = yes))OR(NOT(FER01b = yes)))

FER12_ (Contraception)

Are you or your partner using or doing any of these things to prevent pregnancy at this time? Please name all of the things you use or do. SET OF Condom Pills *Intra uterine device (coil, loop)* Diaphragm/ cervical cap *Foam/cream/jelly/suppository* Injectables (e.g. Depo Provera) Implants (e.g. Norplant) Persona Hormonal emergency contraception afterwards (morning after pill) Withdrawal Safe period method (rhythm) Vaginal ring Female condom None of the above



ENDIF *IF* (*haspartner* = *yes*) **FER29** (Contraception Autonomy) Who usually decides on using contraception? Always Me Usually me Equally me and partner Usually partner Always partner Always or usually someone else Not applicable ENDIF FER13 (Had intercourse in the last 4 weeks) Did you have sexual intercourse in the past 4 weeks? Yes No *IF* (*haspartner* = *yes*) **FER28** (Sexual Autonomy) Can you say no to your partner if you do not want to have sexual intercourse? Yes No Not applicable ENDIF **ENDIF** *IF* (*asex* = *female*) **FER21** (Age of first menstruation) How old were you when your menstruation started? NUMBER [0..50] Not applicable **FER24** (Age starting menopause) How old were you when you started menopause? If you have not started menopause, select not applicable NUMBER [0..79] Not applicable **ENDIF** IF(asex = male)**FER22** (Age of voice breaking)

How old were you when your voice began to deepen?



ENDIF
FER23 (Age of first intercourse)
How old were you when you first had sexual intercourse? If you have not had sexual intercourse, select not applicable
NUMBER [0..50]
Not applicable

Households

HHDINT (HH Grid Intro)

SECTION 4/9: About your household... The next questions are about all other persons who live in your household.

HHD01a (Other Household Members)

Does anybody else live with you [and your partner/children] in this household? Please also consider individuals who are household members only part of the time Yes No

IF (HHD01a = yes) **HHD01b** (Number of Other Household Members) How many other people live in your household [excluding you and your partner/children]? NUMBER [0..20]

ENDIF IF (HHD01a = yes)

HHD02 (Name of HH Member)

Please provide the names of all these people. You can use pseudonyms if you prefer and this information will be deleted at the end of the interview. Name of Other Household Member

LOOP I := 1 TO HHD01b

HHD01b">

HHD02_ (Name of HH Member)

Please provide the names of all these people. You can use pseudonyms if you prefer and this information will be deleted at the end of the interview. Name of Other Household Member [I]



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On parental leave or childcare leave Ill or disabled for a long time or permanently Other

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HHD08_ (Relationship to R of HH Member)

How satisfied are you with your relationship with **CollectionMember**? On a scale from 0 to 10 where 0 means 'not at all satisfied' and 10 means 'completely satisfied' and 5 means 'about average', what number best represents your satisfaction with your relationship? NUMBER [0..10]

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HHD09_ (Disability of HH Member)

For the past six months at least, to what extent has **CollectionMember** been limited because of a health problem in activities people usually do? Would you say they have been... Severely limited Limited, but not severely Not limited

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ENDLOOP ENDIF IF (corespartner = 1)

HHD11 (Household Tasks Intro)

The next questions are about who does what in your household. Please indicate who does the following tasks in your household.

HHD11a (Household Tasks: preparing meals) Preparing daily meals Always Me Usually me Equally me and partner Usually partner Always partner Always or usually someone else

HHD11b (Household Tasks: vacuuming) Vacuum cleaning the house Always Me Usually me Equally me and partner Usually partner Always partner Always or usually someone else



HHD11c (Household Tasks: doing laundry) Doing the laundry Always Me Usually me Equally me and partner Usually partner Always partner Always or usually someone else **HHD11d** (Household Tasks: small repairs) Doing small repairs in and around the house Always Me Usually me Equally me and partner Usually partner Always partner Always or usually someone else **HHD11e** (Household Tasks: finances) Paying bills and keeping financial records Always Me Usually me Equally me and partner Usually partner Always partner Always or usually someone else **HHD11f** (Household Tasks: social) Organising joint social activities Always Me Usually me Equally me and partner Usually partner Always partner Always or usually someone else **HHD12** (Household Tasks Satisfaction) How satisfied are you with the division of household tasks between you and your partner? On a scale from 0 to 10 where 0 means 'not at all satisfied' and 10 means 'completely satisfied' and 5 means 'about average', what number best represents your satisfaction with the division of household tasks? NUMBER [0..10] *IF* (*hasyoungchild* = *yes*)

HHD13 (Childcare Tasks Intro)



The next statements are about various tasks that have to be done when one lives together with children. Please indicate, who in your household does these tasks?

HHD13a (Childcare Tasks: dressing)

Dressing the children or seeing that the children are properly dressed Always Me Usually me Equally me and partner Usually partner Always partner Always or usually someone else Children do it themselves

HHD13b (Childcare Tasks: stay with ill children)

Staying at home with the children when they are ill Always Me Usually me Equally me and partner Usually partner Always partner Always or usually someone else Children do it themselves

HHD13c (Childcare Tasks: playing with children)

Playing with the children and/or taking part in leisure activities with them Always Me Usually me Equally me and partner Usually partner Always partner Always or usually someone else Children do it themselves

IF (*childover6* = *yes*)

HHD13d (Childcare Tasks: homework) Helping the children with homework Always Me Usually me Equally me and partner Usually partner Always partner Always or usually someone else Children do it themselves



HHD13e (Childcare Tasks: putting children to bed) Putting the children to bed Always Me Usually me Equally me and partner Usually partner Always partner Always or usually someone else Children do it themselves

ENDIF

HHD14 (Childcare Tasks Satisfaction)

How satisfied are you with the way childcare tasks are divided between you and your partner? On a scale from 0 to 10 where 0 means 'not at all satisfied' and 10 means 'completely satisfied' and 5 means 'about average', what number best represents your satisfaction with the way childcare tasks are divided? NUMBER [0..10]

ENDIF

HHD15 (Decision Making Intro)

The next questions are about decisions. Who makes decisions about the following issues in your household?

HHD15a (Decision Making: routine purchases)

Routine purchases for the household Always Me Usually me Equally me and partner Usually partner Always partner Always or usually someone else

HHD15b (Decision Making: expensive purchases)

Occasional more expensive purchases for the household Always Me Usually me Equally me and partner Usually partner Always partner Always or usually someone else

HHD15c (Decision Making: time spent working) The time you spend in paid work Always Me Usually me Equally me and partner Usually partner GGP

Always partner Always or usually someone else

HHD15d (Decision Making: time partner spends working)

The time your partner spends in paid work Always Me Usually me Equally me and partner Usually partner Always partner Always or usually someone else

HHD16 (How income is organized)

How do you and your partner organise your household income? Which of the items fits best? I manage all the money and give my partner his/her share My partner manages all the money and gives me my share We pool all the money and each takes out what we need We pool some of the money and keep the rest separate We each keep our own money separate Other

HHD17 (How expenses are organized)

How do you manage your monthly expenses that you have together (e.g. rent, food, etc.)? I pay everything alone My partner pays everything alone We pay both to approximately equal shares We pay both relative to our personal incomes Both of us are paying some of them, but there is no fixed rule

ENDIF

IF (hasyoungchild = yes)

HHD18 (Regular help with childcare)

Over the last 12 months, have you received regular help with childcare from relatives or friends or other people for whom caring for children is not their primary occupation? Yes No

IF (HHD18 = yes)

HHD19_ (Regular help with childcare: People) Which people have provided you with regular help with childcare? Only include people for whom caring for children is not their primary occupation

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	SET OF Partner	
	Son	
	Daughter	
	Step-Son	
	Step-Daughter	
	Mother	
	Father	
	Step-Mother	
	Step-Father	
	Partner's Mother or Step-Mother	
	Partner's Father or Step-Father	
	Grandparents (yours or your partner's)	
	Grandchild	
	Sister	
	Brother	
	Daughter's Partner	
	Son's Partner	
	Partner's Siblings	
	Other Relative	
	Friend, acquaintance, neighbour, or colleague	
	Other person	
	O (Regular help with childcare: Frequency) How frequently did you receive help with childcare? NUMBER [010000]	
IF NO	T((HHD20 = DontKnow)OR(HHD20 = Refusal))	
HHD20u (Regular help with childcare: Frequency [UNIT])		
	hours per	
	Week	
	Month	
	Year	
ENDIF	-	
	1 (Regular help with childcare: Paid)	
	Were any of these individuals paid for their help?	
	Yes	
	No	
ENDIF		
	2 (Regular help with child care (institutional / from whom caring for children is a	
job))		
	Do you get regular help with childcare from a day care centre, a	
	nursery or pre-school, an after school care centre, a self-organised	
	childcare group, a babysitter, or from some other institutional or	
	paid arrangement?	



IF (HHD22 = yes)

HHD23_ (Childcare providers) Please name all the alternatives that are regularly used. SET OF Babysitter Day care centre Nursery or pre-school After-school care-centre Self-organised childcare group Other institutional arrangement

HHD24 (Cost of Childcare) How much does your household usually pay for childcare, if anything? NUMBER [0..9999999]

IF NOT(((HHD24 = 0)OR(HHD24 = DontKnow))OR(HHD24 = Refusal))

HHD24u (Cost of Childcare [UNIT])

per... Week Month Year

ENDIF

ENDIF ENDIF

HHD24a (Regularly pay for housework help)

Does your household regularly pay someone to do housework? Yes

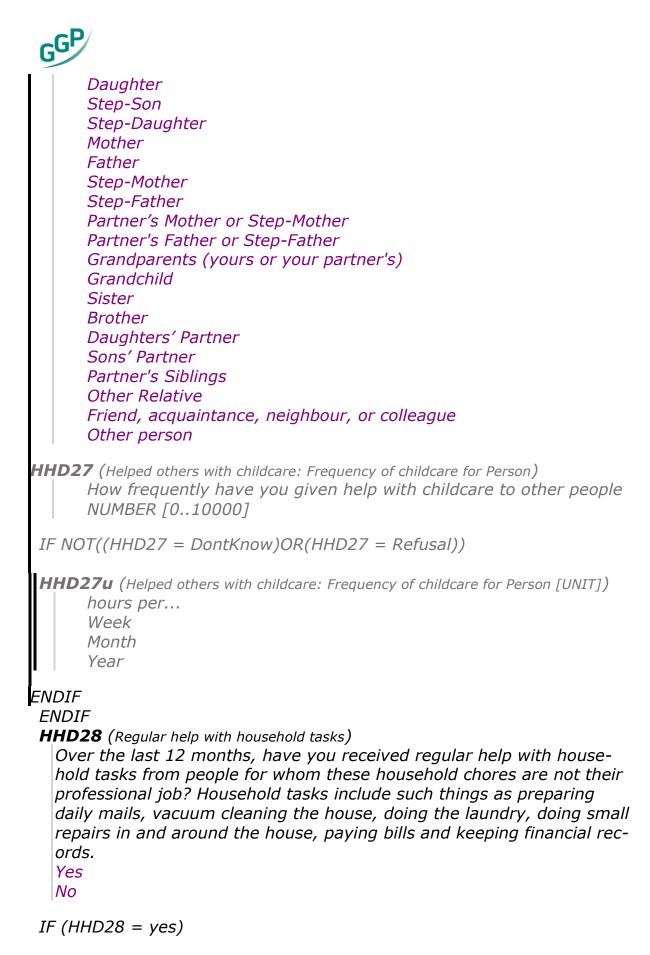
No

HHD25 (Helped others with childcare)

Over the last 12 months, have you given help with childcare to other people? If the provision of childcare is your job, please consider only the help you have given outside your professional activities. Yes No

IF (HHD25 = yes)

HHD26_ (Helped others with childcare) To whom have you given this help? SET OF Partner Son



HHD29_ (Regular help with household tasks)



Which people have provided you with regular help with household tasks? Only include people for whom these household chores are not their professional job. Household tasks include such things as preparing daily mails, vacuum cleaning the house, doing the laundry, doing small repairs in and around the house, paying bills and keeping financial records. SET OF Partner Son Daughter Step-Son Step-Daughter Mother Father Step-Mother Step-Father Partner's Mother or Step-Mother Partner's Father or Step-Father Grandparents (yours or your partner's) Grandchild Sister Brother Daughters' Partner Sons' Partner Partner's Siblings Other Relative Friend, acquaintance, neighbour, or colleague Other person **HHD30** (Regular help with household tasks: Frequency) How frequently did you receive help with household tasks? NUMBER [0..10000] *IF NOT((HHD30 = DontKnow)OR(HHD30 = Refusal))* **HHD30u** (Regular help with household tasks: Frequency [UNIT]) hours per... Week Month Year **ENDIF HHD31** (Regular help with household tasks: Paid) Where any of these individuals paid for their help? Yes No **ENDIF**

HHD35 (Given help with household tasks)



During the last 12 months, have you given regular help with household tasks to people who do not live in your household? If taking care of household tasks is your job, please consider only the help you have given outside your professional activities. Household tasks include such things as preparing daily mails, vacuum cleaning the house, doing the laundry, doing small repairs in and around the house, paying bills and keeping financial records. Yes

No

IF (HHD35 = yes)

HHD36_ (Given help with household tasks: People)

To whom have you given this help? Household tasks include such things as preparing daily mails, vacuum cleaning the house, doing the laundry, doing small repairs in and around the house, paying bills and keeping financial records. SET OF Partner Son Daughter Step-Son Step-Daughter Mother Father Step-Mother Step-Father Partner's Mother or Step-Mother Partner's Father or Step-Father Grandparents (yours or your partner's) Grandchild Sister Brother Daughters' Partner Sons' Partner Partner's Siblings Other Relative Friend, acquaintance, neighbour, or colleague Other person

ENDIF

Generations

GENINT (Generations Intro)

SECTION 5/9: About your background and childhood...We will now ask you some questions about your parents, background and childhood.



IF (mumcores = no)

GEN01 (Biological Mother still alive) Is your biological mother still alive? Yes, still alive No, not alive anymore I do not know whether she is still alive I do not know anything

ENDIF IF (dadcores = no)

GEN02 (Biological Father still alive) Is your biological father still alive? Yes, still alive No, not alive anymore I do not know whether he is still alive I do not know anything

ENDIF

IF ((((mumcores = no)AND(dadcores = no))AND(GEN02 = yes))AND(GEN01 = yes))

GEN03 (Parents live together) Are your father and mother still living together? Yes No

ENDIF IF (GEN03 = yes)

GEN04 (Parents Housing Type)

Which type of housing do your parents live in? living independently in accommodation that specifically meets the needs of the elderly (like a service flat, semi-independent sheltered accommodation) in a home for the elderly in a nursing home in a room of a boarding house

GEN05 (Others living with Parents)

Are there other people living with your parents? Yes No

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IF (GEN05 = yes)

GEN06 (People living with parents)



With whom do they live? SET OF Son Daughter A parent or parents Other Relative Friends

ENDIF

GEN07 (Duration to parents home [MINUTES])

How long does it take to get from your home to where your parents are living at present? Please provide an answer in hours and minutes [HH:MM]

STRING[5]

GEN08 (Intention to live with parents in next 3 years)

Do you intend to start living together with your parents within the next 3 years? Definitely not Probably not Unsure Probably yes Definitely yes

ENDIF IF (mumcores = no)

GEN09 (Date of Mothers Birth)

When was your mother born? [MM/YYYY] If you are unsure of the precise date, please provide your best estimate. MM/YYYY STRING[7]

ENDIF IF (GEN01 = no)

GEN10 (Date of Mothers Death)

When did your mother pass away? [MM/YYYY] If you are unsure of the precise date, please provide your best estimate. MM/YYYY STRING[7]

ENDIF **GEN11** (Is mother born in the country) Was your mother born in **country**? Yes No



GEN12 (Mothers country of birth)

In which country was she born? Please type in (the first letters of) the country and then select the country from the list by clicking on it.

If the country of birth is not listed due to discontinuities in inter national borders, please select the country in which your location of birth now stands.

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IF ((mumcores = no)AND(GEN01 = yes))

GEN13 (Mother lives in [COUNTRY]) Does your mother live in **country**;? Yes No

IF (GEN13 = yes)

GEN14 (Mothers first date of residence in [COUNTRY]) When did she begin living in **country**? [MM/YYYY]If you are unsure of the precise date, please provide your best estimate. MM/YYYY STRING[7]

ENDIF

ENDIF ENDIF

IF ((*GEN01* = yes)*AND*(*mumcores* = *no*))

GEN15a (Freq of meeting with Mother)

How often do you meet with your mother in person? NUMBER [0..365] *Never*

IF NOT(((GEN15a = never)OR(GEN15a = DontKnow))OR(GEN15a = Refusal))

GEN15au (Freq of meeting with Mother [UNIT]) times a... Week Month Year

ENDIF **GEN15b** (Freq of contact with Mother) GGP

How often do you have contact with your mother by phone, mail, email or any other electronic means? NUMBER [0..365] *Never*

IF NOT(((GEN15b = never)OR(GEN15b = DontKnow))OR(GEN15b = Refusal))

GEN15bu (Freq of contact with Mother [UNIT])

times a… Week Month Year

ENDIF

GEN16 (Satisfaction with the relationship with Mother)

How satisfied are you with the relationship with your mother? On a scale from 0 to 10 where 0 means 'not at all satisfied' and 10 means 'completely satisfied' and 5 means 'about average', what number best represents your satisfaction with your relationship with your mother? NUMBER [0..10]

GEN17 (Everyday Activity Limitation of Mother)

For the past six months at least, to what extent has your mother been limited because of a health problem in activities people usually do? Would you say they have been... Severely limited Limited, but not severely Not limited

IF (((GEN03 = no)OR(dadcores = yes))OR(NOT(GEN02 = yes)))

GEN18 (Mothers Housing Type)

Which type of housing does your mother live in? living independently in accommodation that specifically meets the needs of the elderly (like a service flat, semi-independent sheltered accommodation) in a home for the elderly in a nursing home

in a room of a boarding house

GEN19 (Others living with Mother) Are there other people living with your mother? Yes

No

IF (GEN19 = yes)



GEN20 (People living with mother) With whom does she live? SET OF Son Daughter A parent or parents Other Relative Friends

ENDIF

GEN21 (Duration to mothers home [MINUTES])

How long does it take to get from your home to where your mother lives at present? Please provide an answer in hours and minutes [HH:MM]

STRING[5]

GEN22 (Intention to live with mother in next 3 years)

Do you intend to start living together with your mother within the next 3 years? Definitely not Probably not Unsure Probably yes Definitely yes

ENDIF

ENDIF IF (dadcores = no)

GEN23 (Date of Fathers Birth)

When was your father born? [MM/YYYY]If you are unsure of the precise date, please provide your best estimate. MM/YYYY STRING[7]

ENDIF IF (GEN02 = no)

GEN24 (Date of Fathers death)

When did your father pass away? [MM/YYYY]If you are unsure of the precise date, please provide your best estimate. MM/YYYY STRING[7]

ENDIF **GEN25** (Is father born in [COUNTRY]) Was your father born in **country**?



IF (GEN25 = no)

GEN26 (Fathers Country of Birth)

In which country was he born? Please type in (the first letters of) the country and then select the country from the list by clicking on it.

If the country of birth is not listed due to discontinuities in inter national borders, please select the country in which your location of birth now stands. STRING

JOBCODER: Cntfile

IF ((dadcores = no)AND(GEN02 = yes))

GEN27 (Father lives in [Country]) Does your father live in **country**? Yes No

IF (GEN27 = yes)

GEN28 (Fathers first date of residence in [COUNTRY]) When did he begin living in **country**? [MM/YYYY]If you are unsure the precise date, please provide your best estimate. MM/YYYY STRING[7]

ENDIF ENDIF ENDIF

IF ((*GEN02* = yes)*AND*(*dadcores* = *no*))

GEN29a (Freq of meeting with Father) How often do you meet with your father in person? NUMBER [0..365] Never

IF NOT(((GEN29a = never)OR(GEN29a = DontKnow))OR(GEN29a = Refusal))

GEN29au (Time Unit Freq of Meeting wih Father [UNIT]) times a... Week Month Year



ENDIF **GEN29b** (Freq of contact with Father) How often do you have contact with your father by phone, mail, email or any other electronic means? NUMBER [0..365] Never

IF NOT(((GEN29b = never)OR(GEN29b = DontKnow))OR(GEN29b = Refusal))

GEN29bu (Time Unit Freq of contact wih Father [UNIT])

times a... Week Month Year

ENDIF

GEN30 (Satisfaction with the relationship with Father)

How satisfied are you with the relationship with your father? On a scale from 0 to 10 where 0 means 'not at all satisfied' and 10 means 'completely satisfied' and 5 means 'about average', what number best represents your satisfaction with your relationship with your father? NUMBER [0..10]

GEN31 (Everyday Activity Limitation of Father)

For the past six months at least, to what extent has your father been limited because of a health problem in activities people usually do? Would you say they have been... Severely limited Limited, but not severely Not limited

IF (((GEN03 = no)OR(mumcores = yes))OR(NOT(GEN01 = yes)))

GEN33 (Others living with Father) Are there other people living with your father? Yes No

IF (GEN33 = yes)

GEN34 (People living with father) With whom does he live? SET OF Son Daughter A parent or parents



Other Relative Friends

ENDIF

GEN32 (Fathers Housing Type) Which type of housing does your father live in? living independently in accommodation that specifically meets the pro-

in accommodation that specifically meets the needs of the elderly (like a service flat, semi-independent sheltered accommodation) in a home for the elderly in a nursing home

in a room of a boarding house

GEN35 (Duration to fathers home [MINUTES])

How long does it take to get from your home to where your father lives at present? Please provide an answer in hours and minutes [HH:MM]

STRING[5]

GEN36 (Intention to live with father in next 3 years)

Do you intend to start living together with your father within the next 3 years? Definitely not Probably not Unsure Probably yes Definitely yes

ENDIF

ENDIF

GEN37a (Biological parents married)

We are now going to ask you some questions about your family background and childhood. Did your biological parents ever get married? Yes

No

IF (GEN37a = yes)

GEN37 (Date of parents marriage)

When did they get married? [MM/YYYY]If you are unsure of the precise date, please provide your best estimate. MM/YYYY STRING[7]

ENDIF

GEN38a (Biological parents Broke Up) Did your biological parents ever break up?



IF (GEN38a = yes)

GEN38b (Date of parents break up)

When did that first happen? [MM/YYYY] If you are unsure of the precise date, please provide your best estimate. MM/YYYY STRING[7]

ENDIF

GEN39a (Number of Brothers)

How many brothers do you have? Including those who are deceased NUMBER [0..20]

GEN39b (Number of Sisters)

How many sisters do you have? Including those who are deceased NUMBER [0..20]

IF (GEN39aGEN39b > 0)

GEN40 (Birth order of siblings)

How many of your siblings are older than you? Including those who are deceased. If you and your sibling(s) are twins, please enter 0.

NUMBER [0..20]

ENDIF

GEN41a (Year mother's first birth) In which year did your biological mother first give birth? YYYY NUMBER [1900..2030]

GEN41b (Year father's first birth)

In which year did your biological father have his first child YYYY NUMBER [1900..2030]

GEN42 (Lived as a child)

Where did you live for most of your childhood, that is until you were 15? In TOSTRING(acountry) Abroad

IF (*GEN42* = *incountry*)

GEN43 (Region where living during childhood until age 15)



In which region did you live? Drenthe Flevoland Friesland Gelderland Groningen Limburg North Brabant North Holland Overijssel South Holland Utrecht Zeeland

ENDIF

IF (GEN42 = abroad)

GEN44a (Country where living during childhood until age 15)

In which country did you live? Please type in (the first letters of) the country and then select the country from the list by clicking on it.

If the country is not listed due to discontinuities in international borders, please select the country in which the location now stands STRING

JOBCODER: Cntfile

ENDIF IF (GEN42 = incountry)

GEN44b (Lived abroad for more than a year)

Did you ever live abroad for more than three months during your childhood, that is until you were 15?" Yes No

ENDIF

GEN45 (With both biological parents during childhood until age 15) Did you live most of your childhood up to the age of 15 with both of your own biological parents? Yes No

IF (GEN45 = no)

GEN46 (With whom R lived until age 15) With whom did you live for most of your childhood, that is, until you were 15?



with biological mother only with biological father only with biological mother and stepfather with biological father and stepmother with (a) grandparent(s) with (an)other relative(s) with (an) adoptive parent(s) with (a) foster parent(s) in a boarding school in an orphanage in a special youth home other

GEN47 (Quality of relationship between parents until age 15)

How was the relationship between your parents up to the time you were 15 years of age? Taking all things together, on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is really bad and 10 is absolutely perfect, how would you describe the relationship between your parents at that time? This refers to those parents (including stepparents or foster parents) with whom you lived most of the time. NUMBER [0..10]

Not applicable

ENDIF

GEN48 (Fathers Occupation when R was age 15 (see code ISCO)) What was your father occupation when you were 15? Please type in your father's occupation and click on the best description from the list that will appear. STRING Not applicable

JOBCODER: OccFile

GEN49 (Fathers highest education level (see code ISCED)) What is the highest level of education that your father has successfully completed? Early childhood education Primary education Lower secondary education Upper secondary education Post-secondary non tertiary education Short cycle tertiary education Bachelor or equivalent Master or equivalent Doctoral or equivalent

GEN50 (Mothers Occupation when R was age 15 (see code ISCO))



What was your mother occupation when you were 15? Please type in your mother's occupation and click on the best description from the list that will appear. STRING

Not applicable

JOBCODER: OccFile

GEN51 (Mothers highest education level (see code ISCED)) What is the highest level of education that your mother has successfully completed? Early childhood education Primary education Lower secondary education Upper secondary education Post-secondary non tertiary education Short cycle tertiary education Bachelor or equivalent Master or equivalent Doctoral or equivalent

IF ((mumcores = yes)OR(dadcores = yes))

GEN52 (Ever lived separately from parents) Have you ever lived separately from your parents for at least three months? Yes No

ENDIF

IF ((*GEN52* = yes)*OR*((*mumcores* = *no*)*OR*(*dadcores* = *no*)))

GEN52a (Date started living separately from parents)

When did you for the first time start living separately from your parents for at least three months? [MM/YYYY]If you are unsure of the precise date, please provide your best estimate. MM/YYYY STRING[7]

ENDIF IF (((GEN52 = no)OR(mumcores = yes))OR(dadcores = yes))

GEN53 (Intention to start living separately from parents)

Do you intend to start living separately from your parents within the next 3 years? Definitely not Probably not Unsure



ENDIF **GEN54** (Number of Grandparents Alive) How many of your grandparents are alive? NUMBER [0..10]

IF (totalchildren > 0)

GEN55 (Has grandchild) Do you have any grandchildren? Yes No

ENDIF IF (GEN55 = yes)

GEN56 (Number of Grandchildren) How many grandchildren do you have? NUMBER [1..99]

GEN57 (When oldest grandchild was born)

When was your oldest grandchild born? [MM/YYYY]If you are unsure of the precise date, please provide your best estimate. MM/YYYY STRING[7]

ENDIF

GEN58 (Any regular help needed in personal care) Do you need regular help with personal care such as dressing, bathing or showering, eating, getting in or out of bed, using the toilet? Yes

No

IF (GEN58 = yes)

GEN59 (Persons in HH who helped with care)

Over the last 12 months, is there any person who has helped you regularly with personal care, such as dressing, bathing or showering, eating, getting in or out of bed, using the toilet? Yes

No

IF (GEN59 = yes)

GEN60_ (Received other help with care: People) From whom did you receive this assistance?

GGP	
	SET OF Partner Son Daughter Step-Son Step-Daughter Mother Father Father Step-Mother Step-Mother Step-Mother Partner's Mother or Step-Mother Partner's Mother or Step-Mother Partner's Father or Step-Father Grandparents (yours or your partner's) Grandparents (yours or your partner's) Grandchild Sister Brother Daughters' Partner Sons' Partner Partner's Siblings Other Relative Friend, acquaintance, neighbour, or colleague Other person
	1 (Received other help with care: Frequency) How frequently did you receive help with personal care? NUMBER [0365]
IF NO	T((GEN61 = DontKnow)OR(GEN61 = Refusal))
	1u (Received other help with care: Frequency [UNIT]) hours per Week Month Year
	2 (Received other help with care: Person paid for help) Were any of these individuals paid for their help? Yes No
person))	(Regular professional help with personal care (institutional/ from professional Over the last 12 months, have you received regular help with personal care from professional persons from the public sector or from a private organisation? Yes, from a public sector organisation Yes, from a private sector organisation

GGP

Yes, but not sure of organization type No

IF (((GEN63 = yespublic)OR(GEN63 = yesprivate))OR(GEN63 = yesunknown))

GEN64 (Regular professional help with personal care (institutional/ from professional person) Freq)

How frequently do you make use of this help? NUMBER [0..100000] Not applicable

IF NOT(((GEN64 = DontKnow)OR(GEN64 = Refusal))OR(GEN64 = NA))

GEN64u (Regular professional help with personal care (institutional/ from professional person) Freq [UNIT])

times a... Week Month Year Not applicable

ENDIF

GEN65 (Regular professional help with personal care (institutional/ from professional person) Cost)

How much do you usually pay for help with personal care? NUMBER [0..365]

IF NOT(((GEN65 = DontKnow)OR(GEN65 = Refusal))OR(GEN65 = 0))

GEN65u (Regular professional help with personal care (institutional/ from professional person) Cost [UNIT])

per ... Week Month Year

ENDIF ENDIF

ENDIF

GEN66 (Given personal care)

Over the last 12 months, have you given any person inside or outside the household regular help with personal care, such as washing, getting out of bed, or dressing? Yes No



GEN67 (Given personal care) To whom have you given this help? SET OF Partner Son Daughter Step-Son Step-Daughter Mother Father Step-Mother Step-Father Partner's Mother or Step-Mother Partner's Father or Step-Father Grandparents (yours or your partner's) Grandchild Sister Brother Daughters' Partner Sons' Partner Partner's Siblings Other Relative Friend, acquaintance, neighbour, or colleague Other person

ENDIF

GEN68

Please think of the last 12 months. Not counting any shared housing or shared food, have you [or your partner] received any financial or material gift from anyone inside or outside this household amounting to at least \in 250?

Yes No

IF (GEN68 = yes)

GEN69_ (Received Financial Transfer: People)

From whom have you received this support? SET OF Partner Son Daughter Step-Son Step-Daughter Mother Father Step-Mother Step-Father



Partner's Mother or Step-Mother Partner's Father or Step-Father Grandparents (yours or your partner's) Grandchild Sister Brother Daughters' Partner Sons' Partner Partner's Siblings Other Relative Friend, acquaintance, neighbour, or colleague Other person

ENDIF

GEN70 (Any financial transfer to persons inside or outside HH) Over the last 12 months, have you [or your partner] given any goods or money to another person inside or outside this household? Please consider only gifts of a value of at least €250 and do not count shared housing or shared food. Yes No

100

IF (GEN70 = yes)

GEN71 (Given Financial Transfer: People) To whom have you given this support? SET OF Partner Son Daughter Step-Son Step-Daughter Mother Father Step-Mother Step-Father Partner's Mother or Step-Mother Partner's Father or Step-Father Grandparents (yours or your partner's) Grandchild Sister Brother Daughters' Partner Sons' Partner Partner's Siblings Other Relative Friend, acquaintance, neighbour, or colleague Other person





WELINT (Wellbeing Intro)

SECTION 6/9: About your health and wellbeing...We would now like to ask you some questions about your general wellbeing and health status.

WEL01 (Life Satisfaction)

All things considered, how satisfied are you with your life as a whole nowadays? Please note that 0 means 'extremely dissatisfied' and 10 means 'extremely satisfied'. NUMBER [0..10]

WEL02 (Subjective Health) How is your health in general? Very Good Good Fair Bad Very Bad

IF (haspartner = yes)

WEL02a (Healthcare Autonomy)

Who usually makes decisions about health care for yourself? Always Me Usually me Equally me and partner Usually partner Always partner Always or usually someone else Not applicable

ENDIF

WELO3_ (Health Conditions) Has a doctor ever told you that you had any of the following conditions? Please choose all that apply to you. SET OF a heart attack or any other heart problem high blood pressure or hypertension high blood cholesterol a stroke or cerebral vascular disease diabetes or high blood sugar chronic lung disease such as chronic bronchitis or emphysema asthma cancer or malignant tumour, excluding minor skin cancers stomach or duodenal ulcer, peptic ulcer Parkinson disease cataracts



hip fracture other fractures Alzheimer's disease, dementia, or any other serious memory impairment Mood or emotional disorders, including anxiety, or any other psychiatric problem rheumatoid arthritis osteoarthritis, or other rheumatism chronic kidney disease other condition, not yet mentioned None of the above

WEL04 (Everyday Activity Limitation)

For the past six months at least, to what extent have you been limited because of a health problem in activities people usually do? Would you say they have been... Severely limited Limited, but not severely Not limited

IF ((*WEL04* = *severly*)*OR*(*WEL04* = *notseverly*))

WEL05 (Since when limited in ability to carry out activities) How long have you been limited in your ability to carry out normal everyday activities Less than 6 months 6 months to 1 year 1 year to 5 years 5 years to 10 years 10 years or more Since Childhood

ENDIF

WELO6 (Weight (kg))

Approximately how much do you weigh (in kilograms)? NUMBER [25..200]

WEL07 (Height (cm))

Approximately how tall are you (in centimeters)? NUMBER [50..300]

WEL08 (Happiness Scale)

Taking all things together, how happy would you say you are? Please note that 0 means 'extremely unhappy' and 10 means 'extremely hap-py' NUMBER [0..10]

WEL09 (Loneliness: Intro)



The next six statements are about your current experiences. Please indicate for each of them to what extent they have applied to you recently.

WEL09a (Loneliness: People to lean on) There are plenty of people I can rely on when I have problems Yes

More or Less No

WEL09b (Loneliness: General sense of emptiness) I experience a general sense of emptiness Yes More or Less No

WEL09c (Loneliness: Miss having people around) I miss having people around Yes More or Less No

WEL09d (Loneliness: Many people I can trust) There are many people I can trust completely Yes More or Less No

WEL09e (Loneliness: Feel rejected) Often, I feel rejected Yes More or Less No

WEL09f (Loneliness: Enough people I feel close to) There are enough people that I feel close to Yes More or Less No

WEL10_ (Discuss Important Matters)
Who are the people with whom you typically discuss important personal matters?
SET OF Partner
Son
Daughter
Step-Son
Step-Daughter
Mother



Father Step-Mother Step-Father Partner's Mother or Step-Mother Partner's Father or Step-Father Grandparents (yours or your partner's) Grandchild Sister Brother Daughters' Partner Sons' Partner Partner's Siblings Other Relative Friend, acquaintance, neighbour, or colleague Other person

WEL11 (Depression: Intro)

Please indicate how frequently did you experience the following during the previous week.

WEL11a (Depression: Couldn't shake off the blues)

I felt that I could not shake off the blues even with help from my family or friends Never Sometimes Often Most or all of the time

WEL11b (Depression: Felt Depressed)

I felt depressed Never Sometimes Often Most or all of the time

WEL11c (Depression: Felt life was a failure)

I thought my life had been a failure Never Sometimes Often Most or all of the time

WEL11d (Depression: Felt fearful)

I felt fearful Never Sometimes Often Most or all of the time



WEL11e (Depression: Felt sad) I felt sad Never Sometimes Often Most or all of the time

Work

WRKINT (Work Intro)

SECTION 7/9: About your work...Now we would like to ask some questions about your (and your partner's) employment status

IF NOT(((BDEMOGRAPHICS.DEM06 = other)OR(BDEMOGRAPHICS.DEM06 = DontKnow))OR(BDEMOGRAPHICS.DEM06 = Refusal))

WRK01 (Satisfaction with Employment Status)

Early in the interview you mentioned that you are **ComposedName**. How satisfied are you with being **ComposedName**? On a scale from 0 to 10 where 0 means 'not at all satisfied' and 10 means 'completely satisfied' and 5 means 'about average'? NUMBER [0..10]

WRK03 (Date of starting status)

When did this period of **'ComposedName'** begin? [MM/YYYY]If you are unsure of the precise date, please provide your best estimate. MM/YYYY STRING[7]

ENDIF

WRK02 (Employment Status)

Have you been in paid work in the last week? In paid work refers to someone who either: a) worked for pay, profit or family gain for at least one hour in the last week or; b) were not at work during the last week but has a job or business from which they were temporarily absent (i.e. on holiday or some form of leave) In paid work

Not in paid work, but looking for work Not in paid work and not looking for work

IF(WRK02 = 1)

WRK04 (Occupation (ISCO 08))



What is your current occupation? Please type in your current occupation and click on the best description from the list that will appear.

STRING

JOBCODER: OccFile

WRK06 (Full time or Part Time) Is your work full time or part time? Full time Part time

WRK07 (Hours worked per week)

How many hours per week do you normally work in this job or business including overtime? NUMBER [0..200]

WRK08 (Commute Time [MINUTES])

On a normal workday, how long does it take to get from home to your main place of work? Please provide an answer in hours and minutes [HH:MM]

STRING[5]

WRK09 (Fixed start and finish times)

Within your regular or normal pattern of work, is it usual for you to work with fixed starting and finishing times? Yes No

WRK10 (Work from home)

Normally, do you ever do any work at home, including using internet for professional purpose, checking emails, having professional phone calls?

Yes, twice or more per week Yes, less than twice per week No

WRK11 (Works in the evening)

Normally, do you work for at least 2 hours in the evening or at night between 8 p.m. and 5 a.m.? Yes, twice or more per week

Yes, less than twice per week No

IF ((*WRK11* = *yes2plus*)*OR*(*WRK11* = *yes2minus*))

WRK12 (Evening work location) Is this work usually done at home or somewhere else?

At home Somewhere else it varies ENDIF WRK13 (Works weekends) Normally, do you work on Saturdays or Sundays? Yes, twice or more in the last four weeks Yes, less than twice in the last four weeks No IF ((WRK13 = yes2plus)OR(WRK13 = yes2minus)) WRK14 (Weekend work location) Is this work usually done at home or somewhere else? At home Somewhere else it varies ENDIF WRK15 (Work Balance: Intro) How often has each of the following happened to you during the past three months? **WRK15a** (Work balance: too tired to do chores) I have come home from work too tired to do the chores that need to be done Several times a week Several times a month Once or twice a month Never **WRK15b** (Work balance: difficult to fulfil family responsibilities) It has been difficult for me to fulfil my family responsibilities because of the amount of time I spent on my job Several times a week Several times a month Once or twice a month Never **WRK15c** (Work balance: too tired function at work) I have arrived at work too tired to function well because of the household work I had done Several times a week Several times a month Once or twice a month Never

WRK15d (Work balance: hard to concentrate because of family responsibilities)



I have found it difficult to concentrate at work because of my family responsibilities Several times a week Several times a month Once or twice a month Never WRK16a (Might lose job in next 12 months) How likely is it that you will lose your job in the next twelve months? Very Unlikely Unlikely Unsure Likely Very likely WRK16b (Intention to give up work) Do you intend to give up paid work in the next three years? Definitely not Probably not Unsure Probably yes Definitely yes IF NOT(BDEMOGRAPHICS.DEM06 = 3) **WRK17** (Organization Type) Is the business or organisation where you work private, public or mixed? Private Public Mixed **WRK18** (Current contract type) Is your current work contract, if you have any, a permanent contract, a fixed term contract, or a temporary contract? Permanent Fixed term Temporary No written contract **WRK20** (Flexible work arrangements) Does your employer allow regular flexible time arrangements for personal reasons, like for adapting to children's schedules? Yes No WRK21 (Additional job or business)



Do you currently earn money from an additional job or business? Yes

No

IF (WRK21 = yes)

WRK22 (Hours worked per week in additional job or business) How many hours per week do you normally work in your additional job or business including overtime? NUMBER [0..200]

ENDIF ENDIF IF (BDEMOGRAPHICS.DEM06 = 3)

WRK23 (Number of employees) How many paid employees do you have, including family members who work for pay? NUMBER [0..1000000]

ENDIF

ENDIF

IF ((*BDEMOGRAPHICS.DEM06* = 9)*OR*(*BDEMOGRAPHICS.DEM06* = 10))

WRK24 (Opportunity to resume work after leave)

Do you have the opportunity to resume your work after your maternity/parental/childcare leave has ended? Yes

No

WRK25 (Intention to work after leave)

Do you intend to work after your leave has ended? Definitely not Probably not Unsure Probably yes Definitely yes Not applicable

ENDIF IF ((WRK02 = 2)OR(WRK02 = 3))

WRK26 (Job before current activity)

Did you have a job or business directly before your current status? Yes No

IF(WRK26 = yes)



WRK27 (Last Occupation (ISCO 08)) What was your last occupation? Please describe your last occupation and click on the best description from the list that will appear. If you were engaged in two or more jobs or businesses, please consider only the one in which you spent most of your working hours. **STRING** JOBCODER: OccFile WRK28 (Previous employment status) Were you... Employed Self-employed In vocational training Helping family member in a family business or a farm WRK29 (Number of employees supervised) How many employees did you supervise? NUMBER [0..1000000] WRK30 (Reason for stopping work) Why did you stop working in your previous job or business? Please indicate the main reason. Laid off (business closure, redundancy, early retirement, dismissal etc.) Mandatory retirement End of contract/temporary job Sale/closure of own or family business Marriage Child birth/need to look after children *Need to look after old, sick, disabled person(s)* Partner job required move to another place Studying Military or civic service Own illness or disability Wanted to retire or to live off private means Other Reason WRK30a (Date of stopping work) When did you stop working in your previous job or business? [MM/YYYY] MM/YYYY STRING[7] **ENDIF** IF(WRK02 = 3)



WRK31 (Intention to take job or start a business) Do you intend to take a job or start a business within the next three years? Definitely not Probably not Unsure Probably yes Definitely yes ENDIF ENDIF IF (BDEMOGRAPHICS.DEM21 = yes)

WRK32 (Activity Status)

The next questions are about your partner's present work and daily activities. Early in the interview you mentioned that he/she is **ComposedName**. We would now like to ask you some more detailed questions about what he/she does. Has your partner been in paid work during the last week? In paid work refers to someone who either: a) worked for pay, profit or family gain for at least one hour in the last week or; b) were not at work during the last week but has a job or business from which they were temporarily absent (i.e. on holiday or some form of leave) In paid work Not in paid work, but looking for work Not in paid work and not looking for work

IF (WRK32 = 1)

WRK34 (Partners Occupation (ISCO 08))

What is your partner's current occupation? Please type in your partner's current occupation and click on the best description from the list that will appear. STRING

Not applicable

JOBCODER: OccFile

WRK35 (Partners hours worked per week)

How many hours per week does your partner normally work in this job or business including overtime? NUMBER [0..200]

WRK36 (Partners fixed start and finish times)

Within your partner's regular or normal pattern of work, is it usual for your partner to work with fixed starting and finishing times? Yes

No



WRK37 (Partner works from home) Normally, does your partner ever do any work at home, including using internet for professional purpose, checking emails, having professional phone calls? Yes, twice or more per week Yes, less than twice per week No WRK38 (Partner works in the evening) Normally, does your partner work for at least 2 hours in the evening or at night between 8 p.m. and 5 a.m.? Yes, twice or more per week Yes, less than twice per week No *IF ((WRK38 = yes2plus)OR(WRK38 = yes2minus))* WRK39 (Partners evening work location) Is this work usually done at home or somewhere else? At home Somewhere else it varies ENDIF **WRK40** (Partners works weekends) Normally, does your partner work on Saturdays or Sundays? Yes, twice or more in the last four weeks Yes, less than twice in the last four weeks No *IF* ((*WRK40* = *yes2plus*)*OR*(*WRK40* = *yes2minus*)) WRK41 (Partners weekend work location) Is this work usually done at home or somewhere else? At home Somewhere else it varies ENDIF WRK42 (Might lose job in next 12 months) How likely is it that your partner will lose their job in the next twelve months? Very Unlikely Unlikely Unsure Likely Very likely



IF NOT(BDEMOGRAPHICS.DEM26 = 3) **WRk43** (Partners Organization Type) Is the business or organisation where your partner works private, public or mixed? Private Public Mixed WRK44 (Current contract type) Is your partner's current work contract, if any, a permanent contract, a fixed term contract, or a temporary contract? Permanent Fixed term Temporary No written contract **WRK46** (Partner has flexible work arrangements) Does your partner's employer allow regular flexible time arrangements for personal reasons, like for adapting to children schedules? Yes No WRK47 (Partners additional job or business) Does your partner currently earn money from an additional job or business? Yes No IF(WRK47 = yes)WRK48 (Partners hours worked per week in additional job or business) How many hours per week does your partner normally work in an additional job or business including overtime? NUMBER [0..200] **ENDIF** ENDIF IF (BDEMOGRAPHICS.DEM26 = 3) WRK49 (Number of employees) How many paid employees does your partner have, including family members who work for pay? NUMBER [0..1000000] ENDIF



WRK50 (Partners reason for stopping work)

Why did your partner stop working in his or her previous job or business? Please indicate the main reason. Laid off (business closure, redundancy, early retirement, dismissal etc.) Mandatory retirement End of contract/temporary job Sale/closure of own or family business Marriage Child birth/need to look after children Need to look after old, sick, disabled person(s) Partner job required move to another place Studying Military or civic service Own illness or disability Wanted to retire or to live off private means Other Reason Not applicable

ENDIF ENDIF

Income

INCINT (Income Intro)

SECTION 8/9: About your financial situation...The next questions are about the financial situation of your household - about the things your household possesses and can afford as well as the income and transfers your household receives.

INC01 (Value of Property (House and Land))

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Taking into account your own accommodation, any secondary homes,
ownership of other real estate, including ownership of land - how much
would you say they would sell for at today market price?
4,999 \in \text{ or less}
5,000 \text{ to } 9,999 \in
10,000 \text{ to } 19,999 \in
20,000 \text{ to } 49,999 \in
50,000 \text{ to } 249,999 \in
250,000 \text{ to } 499,999 \in
500,000 \notin \text{ or more}
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IF (hasmortgage = yes)



INCO2 (Outstanding Mortgage)

How much does your household still have to pay on any mortgages linked to the property owned mentioned above in total? $4,999 \in \text{ or less}$ $5,000 \text{ to } 9,999 \in$ $10,000 \text{ to } 19,999 \in$ $20,000 \text{ to } 49,999 \in$ $50,000 \text{ to } 99,999 \in$ $100,000 \text{ to } 249,999 \in$ $250,000 \text{ to } 499,999 \in$ $500,000 \notin \text{ or more}$

ENDIF

INCO3 (Can make ends meet)

A household may have different sources of income and more than one household member may contribute to it. Thinking of your households total monthly income, is your household able to make ends meet... With great difficulty With difficulty With some difficulty Fairly easily Easily Very easily

INC13 (Ever received large financial transfer)

Have you [or your partner] ever received a contribution or inherited money, goods, or property worth more than €5,000? Yes No

IF (INC13 = yes)

INC14_ (Received large financial transfer: People) From whom did you [or your partner] receive these gifts or inheritances? SET OF Partner Son Daughter Step-Son Step-Daughter Mother Father Step-Mother Step-Mother Step-Father Partner's Mother or Step-Mother Partner's Father or Step-Father Grandparents (yours or your partner's)



Grandchild Sister Brother Daughter's Partner Son's Partner Partner's Siblings Other Relative Friend, acquaintance, neighbour, or colleague Other person

INC15 (Received large financial transfer [YEAR]) In which year did you last [or your partner] receive such a large gift or inheritance? NUMBER [1900..2030]

ENDIF

INCO4 (HH can afford: Intro)

The next questions are about whether your household can afford to purchase various items, even if they do not want them...

INCO4a (HH can afford: keep house warm)

...keeping your home adequately warm Yes No

INCO4b (HH can afford: weeks holiday)

...paying for a week annual holiday away from home Yes No

INCO4c (HH can afford: replacing furniture)

...replacing any worn out furniture Yes No

INCO4d (HH can afford: new clothes)

...replace worn-out clothes with some new ones Yes No

INCO4e (HH can afford: eating meat)

...afford a meal with meat, chicken or fish or vegetarian equivalent every second day Yes

No

INCO4f (HH can afford: entertaining friends and family)

...having friends or family for a drink or meal at least once a month



INCO4g (HH can afford: unexpected expenses)

...face unexpected expenses Yes

No

INCO4h (HH can afford: access to a car) ...have access to a car/van for personal use Yes No

INCO4i (HH can afford: two pairs of shoes) ...have two pairs of properly fitting shoes Yes No

INCO4j (HH can afford: pocket money)

...spend a small amount of money each week on yourself Yes No

INCO4k (HH can afford: leisure activities)

...have regular leisure activities Yes No

INCO5 (HH couldnt pay: Intro)

Has your household been in arrears at any time during the past 12 months, that is unable to pay as scheduled your mortgage, rent, utility bills and/or hire purchase instalments? Yes

No

INCO8_ (Type of Income)

This list shows different types of income. Please indicate which of these types of income your household has received during the last 12 months

SET OF earnings from your paid work

earnings from your partner's paid work

a retirement pension

a widow or survivor or war benefit

a disability allowance, incapacity or illness benefit

an unemployment benefit or job seeker allowance

a social assistance payment

a study benefits or a scholarship

a maternity leave, parental leave or childcare leave benefit



interest, dividends and profits from other investments payments from other sources

LOOP I := 1 TO 11

IF ((*INC08* [*I*] > 0)*AND*(*INC08* [*I*] < 12)) **INC09** (Frequency of Payment Type of Income) How many times has your household received 'CollectionMember' during the last 12 months? NUMBER [1..100] [1] **INC11_** (Amount of Payment Type of Income (Range)) Please indicate the range of the average amount your household received each time from that payment type. Please consider the net amount after tax 499 € or less 500 to 999 € 1,000 to 1,499 € 1,500 to 1,999 € 2,000 to 2,499 € 2,500 to 2,999 € 3,000 to 4,999 € 5,000 € or more [I]**ENDIF ENDLOOP INCO6** (Total Household Net Income) If you add up the income from all sources received during the last 12 months, what is your household total net income from all members including yourself? Please state the net income, which means after deductions for taxes and social security. 4,999 € or less 5,000 to 9,999 € 10,000 to 19,999 € 20,000 to 39,999 € 40,000 to 59,999 € 60,000 to 79,999 € 80,000 to 99,999 € 100,000 € or more **INC12** (Income in 3 years)

Do you think that your financial situation will get better or worse or will be about the same in three years from now? Much Better Better



Neither Better nor Worse Worse Much Worse

Attitudes

ATTINT (Attitudes Intro)

SECTION 9/9: About your opinions and views...The next part of the survey is about your opinions and views. This is very important as we want to understand your perspective on families and relationships.

ATT01 (General Trust)

Generally speaking, would you say that most people can be trusted or that you need to be very careful in dealing with people? Most people can be trusted Need to be very careful

ATTO2 (Planning Scale)

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'. NUMBER [0..10]

ATTO3 (Values: Intro)

To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements? Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree.

ATTO3a (Values: Marriage Outdated)

Marriage is an out dated institution Strongly Disagree Disagree Neither Agree nor Disagree Agree Strongly Agree

ATT03b (Values: Unmarried Cohabitation)

It is alright for a couple to live together without getting married Strongly Disagree Disagree Neither Agree nor Disagree Agree Strongly Agree

ATT03c (Values: Marriage for life)

Marriage is a lifetime relationship and should never be ended Strongly Disagree Disagree



ATTO3d (Values: Divorce is permissible) It is all right for a couple with an unhappy marriage to get a divorce even if they have children Strongly Disagree Disagree Neither Agree nor Disagree Agree Strongly Agree

ATTO3e (Values: Women need children to be fulfilled) A woman has to have children in order to be fulfilled Strongly Disagree Disagree Neither Agree nor Disagree Agree Strongly Agree

ATTO3f (Values: Single Motherhood)

A woman can have a child as a single parent even if she doesn't want to have a stable relationship with a man Strongly Disagree Disagree Neither Agree nor Disagree Agree Strongly Agree

ATT03g (Values: Child needs a father and mother)

A child needs a home with both a father and a mother to grow up happily Strongly Disagree Disagree Neither Agree nor Disagree Agree Strongly Agree

ATTO3h (Values: Men need children to be fulfilled) A man has to have children in order to be fulfilled Strongly Disagree Disagree Neither Agree nor Disagree Agree Strongly Agree

ATTO3i (Values: Homosexual couple rights)



Homosexual couples should have the same rights as heterosexual couples do Strongly Disagree Disagree Neither Agree nor Disagree Agree Strongly Agree

ATTO3j (Values: Pre-school child suffers if mother works)

A pre-school child is likely to suffer if his/her mother works Strongly Disagree Disagree Neither Agree nor Disagree Agree Strongly Agree

ATTO3k (Values: Working mother can secure warm and secure relationship with child)

A working mother can establish just as warm and secure a relationship with her children as a mother who does not work Strongly Disagree Disagree Neither Agree nor Disagree Agree Strongly Agree

ATT05 (Intergenerational Values: Intro)

The next statements are about whether parents should help their adult children

ATTO5a (Intergenerational Values: Grandparents should provide care) Grandparents should look after their grandchildren if the parents of these grandchildren are unable to do so Strongly Disagree Disagree Neither Agree nor Disagree Agree Strongly Agree

ATTO5b (Intergenerational Values: Parents provide financial help) Parents ought to provide financial help for their adult children when the children are having financial difficulties Strongly Disagree Disagree Neither Agree nor Disagree Agree Strongly Agree



ATTO5c (Intergenerational Values: Parents should adjust to help children) If their adult children were in need, parents should adjust their own lives in order to help them Strongly Disagree Disagree Neither Agree nor Disagree Agree Strongly Agree

ATT06 (Intergenerational Care Values: Intro)

The next statements are about who should take care of an elderly parent. Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree.

ATTO6a (Intergenerational Care Values: Children should care for parents) Children should take responsibility for caring for their parents when parents are in need Strongly Disagree Disagree Neither Agree nor Disagree Agree Strongly Agree

ATTO6b (Intergenerational Care Values: Children should provide financial help for parents)

Children ought to provide financial help for their parents when their parents are having financial difficulties Strongly Disagree Disagree Neither Agree nor Disagree Agree Strongly Agree

ATTO6c (Intergenerational Care Values: Children should coreside with parents in

need)

Children should have their parents to live with them when parents can no longer look after themselves Strongly Disagree Disagree Neither Agree nor Disagree Agree Strongly Agree

ATT07 (Gender Values: Intro)

The next questions are about the roles of men and women

ATT07a (Gender Values: Better Political Leaders) On the whole, who would make better political leaders, men or women?



Men definitely Men slightly Both sexes Equally Women slightly Women definitely

ATT07b (Gender Values: For whom is university most important) For whom is a university education more important, men or women?

Men definitely Men slightly Both sexes Equally Women slightly Women definitely

ATTO7c (Gender Values: For whom is having a job more important) For whom is having a job more important, men or women? Men definitely Men slightly Both sexes Equally Women slightly Women definitely

ATTO7d (Gender Values: For whom is looking after children more important) For whom is looking after the home and children more important, men or women? Men definitely Men slightly Both sexes Equally Women slightly Women definitely

ATT07g (Gender Values: Better at caring for children)

Who are better at caring for small children, men or women? Men definitely Men slightly Both sexes Equally Women slightly Women definitely

ATT11b (Working hours of parents: Mother [Hours])

Consider a family with a mother, father and a two-year old child. How many hours a week should the mother work? NUMBER [0..40] Not at all

ATT11d (Working hours of parents: Father [Hours]) Consider a family with a mother, father and

Consider a family with a mother, father and a two-year old child. How many hours a week should the father work?



ATTO8 (Religious Denomination) Which religious denomination do you adhere to, if any? Protestant Roman Catholic Buddhist Hindu Muslim Jewish Sikh Orthodox (e.g. Greek or Russian) Other Christian Other Religion None

ATT09 (Religious Service Attendance)

How often, if at all, do you attend religious services (apart from weddings, funerals, baptisms, and the like)? NUMBER [0..365] Never Not applicable

IF NOT((((ATT09 = never)OR(ATT09 = DontKnow))OR(ATT09 = Refusal))OR(ATT09 = NA))

ATTO9u (Religious Service Attendance [TIME UNIT]) times a... Week Month

Year

ENDIF

ATT10 (Religiosity)

Regardless of whether you belong to a particular religion, how religious would you say you are? Please express your religiosity on a scale of 0 to 10 where 0 means 'Not at all religious' and 10 means 'Very religious'.

NUMBER [0..10]

IF (mode = f2f)

Report

IF (INTERVIEWER)

REP01 (Others present at interview)



Were there any other people present during any part of this interview? Yes No **REP02** (Respondent influenced) Did any of these people seem to influence any of the answers given by the respondent? A great deal A fair amount A little Not at all *IF (((REP02 = greatdeal)OR(REP02 = some))OR(REP02 = little))* **REP03** (In what way was R influenced) In what way was the respondent influenced? SET OF The person answered the question instead of R R was reluctant to answer Children were asking for the attention of R Other **REP04** (Questions where influenced) Questions where influenced **STRING** ENDIF **REP05** (Willingness to answer questions) All in all, how willing was the respondent to answer the questions? NUMBER [0..10] **REP06** (Quality of information) How would you judge the information the respondent gave? NUMBER [0..10] **ENDIF ENDIF** thanks Many thanks for your participation in the survey, we greatly appreciate your time. If you have any questions about the survey or would like

by emailing [EMAIL ADDRESS]. End interview

further information, you can contact us on [TELEPHONE NUMBER] or



Appendix

List of constructed variables in the GGS 3.0.1.:

These constructed variables are used in the Blaise code. The actual syntax to construct them is not shown here. It is however included in the main Blaise file.

- dobm "Date of Birth (Month)" : month
- doby "Date of Birth (Year)" : year
- p_dobm "Partners Date of Birth (Month)" : month
- p_doby "Partners Date of Birth (Year)" : year
- intdatem "Date of Interview <newline> Month..." / "Month of Interview" : month
- intdatey "Year..." / "Year of Interview" : year
- asex "Gender of the Respondent" : gender
- age "Age of Respondent" : 0..125
- partnerage "Age of Partner" : 0..125
- mumcores "Mother is Coresident" : yesno
- dadcores "Father is Coresident" : yesno
- parentalive "Parent is alive" : yesno
- haspartner "Has partner" : yesno
- corespartner "Coresident Partner" : 0..1
- coreskids "Number of Coresident Children" : 0..30
- haschild "Has children" : yesno
- childover6 "Does respondent have a child over the age of 6 in the household?" / "Child over 6": yesno
- hasyoungchild "Does respondent have a child that is 14 or younger in the household?" / "Child under 14" : yesno
- homeowner "Is a Homeowner" : yesno
- numpartners "Number of partners (excl. current)" : 0..20, DK, RF
- numbiol "Number of biological children" : 0..20, DK, RF
- numstep "Number of step children" : 0..20, DK, RF
- numadopt "Number of adopted children" : 0..20, DK, RF
- totalchildren "Total number of children associated with current partner" : 0..20
- FER01a "Respondent Pregnant" : yesnomaybe, DK, RF
- FER01b "Partner Pregnant" : yesnomaybe, DK, RF
- FER01c "Non-partner Pregnant" : yesnomaybe, DK, RF