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## AUTNES Online Panel Study - Wave 1

**Welcome to this Panel-Study.**

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- Please use the „Weiter“-Button [Forward button] for navigation and not the browser itself.
- Once a question has been answered, you cannot go back to change the answer.
- Single terms are marked as a link with an “info-icon”. You can move the mouse towards these terms to get further information.

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SD1 Are you a citizen of Austria?

yes ..... 1

no ..... 2

[→ END OF INTERVIEW IF SD1 = 2]

SD2 When were you born?

Year: \_\_\_\_\_

Month: \_\_\_\_\_

refused..... 999999

[→END OF INTERVIEW IF RESPONDENT IS YOUNGER THAN TARGET DATE  
(SEPTEMBER 1997)]

SD2b [IF SD2 = 999999]

Please tell me to which of the following age groups you belong

less than 16 years old ..... 1

between 16 and 18 years old..... 2

between 19 and 24 years old ..... 3

between 25 and 39 years old..... 4

between 40 and 54 years old..... 5

between 55 and 64 years old..... 6

65 years old or older..... 7

refused..... 99

[→END OF INTERVIEW IF SD2B = 1 OR 99]

SD3 Are you male or female?

male ..... 1  
female..... 2

SD4 Which region do you live in?

Vorarlberg ..... 1  
Tyrol ..... 2  
Salzburg..... 3  
Upper Austria ..... 4  
Carinthia ..... 5  
Styria ..... 6  
Burgenland..... 7  
Lower Austria ..... 8  
Vienna ..... 9

Q1 Generally speaking, how interested are you in politics?

very interested ..... 1  
fairly interested ..... 2  
a little interested ..... 3  
not at all interested ..... 4  
  
don't know..... 88  
refused ..... 99

Q2 Which issues are most important to you personally in the upcoming national parliamentary election on 29 September 2013?

[MULTIPLE RESPONSES POSSIBLE, MAXIMUM THREE]

- Item 1 job market/employment
- Item 2 European policy
- Item 3 social policy
- Item 4 party behaviour
- Item 5 economic policy
- Item 6 national debt
- Item 7 pension/old-age income security
- Item 8 migration/immigration
- Item 9 housing
- Item 10 family policy
- Item 11 education policy
- Item 12 tax justice
- Item 13 overcoming the financial and Euro crisis
- Item 14 environmental protection
- Item 15 fight against crime
- Item 16 asylum policy

not mentioned ..... 0

mentioned ..... 1

refused..... 99

Q3 There are several parties in Austria, each of which would like to receive your vote. Using the scale of 0 to 10, how likely is it that you would **ever** vote for each of the following parties?

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 SPÖ
- Item 2 ÖVP
- Item 3 FPÖ
- Item 4 The Greens
- Item 5 Team Stronach
- Item 6 BZÖ

very unlikely ..... 0  
to  
very likely ..... 10

haven't heard of party ..... 77  
refused ..... 99

Q4 Assuming you could directly elect the next Chancellor, which of the following persons would you elect as Chancellor?

[RANDOMISE]

Werner Faymann ..... 1  
Michael Spindelegger ..... 2  
Heinz-Christian Strache..... 3  
Josef Bucher..... 4  
Eva Glawischnig ..... 5  
Frank Stronach ..... 6

none of the above ..... 77  
don't know ..... 88  
refused ..... 99

Q5a How much do you like the following politicians?

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

Item 1 Werner Faymann

Item 2 Michael Spindelegger

Item 3 Heinz-Christian Strache

strongly dislike ..... 0

to

strongly like ..... 10

don't know that person ..... 77

refused ..... 99

Q5b And the following politicians?

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

Item 4 Josef Bucher

Item 5 Eva Glawischnig

Item 6 Frank Stronach

strongly dislike ..... 0

to

strongly like ..... 10

don't know that person ..... 77

refused ..... 99



Q6a Now let's turn to specific characteristics of some of the top candidates. Let's begin with **competence**, that is, whether a politician is knowledgeable about dealing with political issues. Do you consider the following politicians to be very, fairly, a little bit or not at all competent?

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 Werner Faymann
- Item 2 Michael Spindelegger
- Item 3 Heinz-Christian Strache

very competent .....	1
fairly competent.....	2
a little bit competent .....	3
not at all competent.....	4
don't know that person .....	77
refused .....	99

Q6b And the following politicians?

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 4 Josef Bucher
- Item 5 Eva Glawischnig
- Item 6 Frank Stronach

very competent .....	1
fairly competent.....	2
a little bit competent .....	3
not at all competent.....	4
don't know that person .....	77
refused .....	99

Q7a Now about honesty, that is, whether a politician is an honest person. Do you consider the following politicians to be very, fairly, a little bit or not at all honest?  
[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 Werner Faymann  
Item 2 Michael Spindelegger  
Item 3 Heinz-Christian Strache

very honest..... 1  
fairly honest ..... 2  
a little bit honest..... 3  
not at all honest ..... 4  
  
don't know that person ..... 77  
refused ..... 99

Q7b And the following politicians?  
[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 4 Josef Bucher  
Item 5 Eva Glawischnig  
Item 6 Frank Stronach

very honest..... 1  
fairly honest ..... 2  
a little bit honest..... 3  
not at all honest ..... 4  
  
don't know that person ..... 77  
refused ..... 99

Q8a And now to the subject of **charisma**, that is, the impression politicians make on the public. What do you think, are the following politicians very, fairly, a little bit or not at all charismatic?

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 Werner Faymann
- Item 2 Michael Spindelegger
- Item 3 Heinz-Christian Strache

very charismatic ..... 1  
fairly charismatic..... 2  
a little bit charismatic ..... 3  
not at all charismatic..... 4

don't know that person ..... 77  
refused ..... 99

Q8b And the following politicians?

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 4 Josef Bucher
- Item 5 Eva Glawischnig
- Item 6 Frank Stronach

very charismatic ..... 1  
fairly charismatic..... 2  
a little bit charismatic ..... 3  
not at all charismatic..... 4

don't know that person ..... 77  
refused ..... 99

Q9a And now the candidates' **assertiveness**, that is, whether a politician can translate his ideas into policy. Do you think the following politicians are very, fairly, a little bit, or not at all assertive?

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 Werner Faymann
- Item 2 Michael Spindelegger
- Item 3 Heinz-Christian Strache

very assertive..... 1  
fairly assertive..... 2  
a little bit assertive ..... 3  
not at all assertive..... 4

don't know that person ..... 77  
refused ..... 99

Q9b And the following politicians?

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 4 Josef Bucher
- Item 5 Eva Glawischnig
- Item 6 Frank Stronach

very assertive..... 1  
fairly assertive..... 2  
a little bit assertive ..... 3  
not at all assertive..... 4

don't know that person ..... 77  
refused ..... 99

Q10 In politics people often talk about "left" and "right". Where would you place yourself on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 means "left" and 10 means "right". You can use the values in between to give a more precise answer.

left ..... 0  
to  
right ..... 10

don't know ..... 88  
refused ..... 99

Q11 Now, I'd like to ask you a few questions about the issue of immigration to Austria.  
[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

Item 1 When you think about immigration, do you feel very, fairly, a little or not at all **confident**?

[INFOBOX: confident seen as hopeful]

Item 2 When you think about immigration, do you feel very, fairly, a little or not at all **worried**?

Item 3 When you think about immigration, do you feel very, fairly, a little or not at all **angry**?

[INFOBOX: regardless of whether the respondent is angry about immigration or the way immigrants are treated in Austria]

very ..... 1  
fairly ..... 2  
a little ..... 3  
not at all ..... 4

don't know ..... 88  
refused ..... 99

Q12 What would you say: How has the living together between Austrians and immigrants live changed over **the past three years**? Has it...

got much better .....	1
got somewhat better .....	2
stayed the same .....	3
got somewhat worse .....	4
got much worse .....	5
don't know .....	88
refused .....	99

Q13 What would you say: How has the economic situation in Austria changed **over the past three years**? Has it...

got much better .....	1
got somewhat better .....	2
stayed the same .....	3
got somewhat worse .....	4
got much worse .....	5
don't know .....	88
refused .....	99

Q14 How would you assess the state of economy in your region compared to other parts of Austria? Is the state of the economy in your region compared to the rest of Austria...

much better .....	1
somewhat better.....	2
about the same .....	3
somewhat worse .....	4
much worse .....	5
don't know .....	88
refused .....	99

Q15 Over the **past 1 to 2 years**, has your personal economic situation ...

got much better .....	1
got somewhat better.....	2
stayed the same .....	3
got somewhat worse .....	4
got much worse .....	5
don't know .....	88
refused .....	99

Q16 Below you will find a series of political statements. Please indicate whether you completely agree, somewhat agree, partly agree, partly disagree, somewhat disagree or completely disagree with each of the statements.

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 Politics should keep out of the economy.
- Item 2 Politics should balance differences between large and small incomes.
- Item 3 Unemployment needs to be fought, even at the expense of high national debt.
- Item 4 In case of equal qualification women should be favoured at a job application.
- Item 5 Same-sex unions should be granted the same rights as marriage between a man and a woman.
- Item 6 Due to many Muslims living in Austria I sometimes feel like a stranger in my own country.
- Item 7 European lifestyle and the lifestyle of Muslims are easily compatible.
- Item 8 Muslims should assimilate in order to have fewer problems.
- Item 9 Over the past few years, Muslims have got more than they deserve from the Austrian State.
- Item 10 It is to a large extent Muslims' own fault that there are tensions between Muslims and non-Muslims from time to time in Austria
- Item 11 If I had a child, I would feel uncomfortable if my son or daughter married a Muslim.
- Item 12 We should be grateful for leaders who tell us exactly what we shall do and how.
- Item 13 The age in which discipline and obedience for authority are some of the most important virtues should be over.
- Item 14 Our society for once has to crack down harder on criminals.
- Item 15 It is important to also protect the rights of criminals.
- Item 16 Our country needs people who oppose traditions and try out different ideas.
- Item 17 This country would flourish if young people paid more attention to traditions and values.



- Item 18 Austria's cultural life is enriched by immigrants.  
 [INFOBOX: This does not mean 'high culture' such as the Opera or the Burgtheater, but the enrichment of all areas of life, language, gastronomy and ways of thinking and living]
- Item 19 Immigration to Austria must be stopped.

completely agree.....	1
somewhat agree.....	2
partly agree/disagree .....	3
somewhat disagree .....	4
completely disagree .....	5
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

- Q17 How certain are you today that you will vote in the national parliamentary elections on the 29<sup>th</sup> of September 2013?

I will definitely not vote .....	0
to	
I will definitely vote .....	10
refused.....	99

Q18 [IF Q17 = 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10]

And which party do you think you will vote for?

SPÖ.....	1
ÖVP.....	2
FPÖ.....	3
BZÖ.....	4
The Greens.....	5
Team Stronach .....	6
KPÖ .....	7
NEOS.....	8
Pirates.....	9
CPÖ (Christian Party of Austria).....	10
other party .....	11
undecided.....	12
I will cast an invalid ballot.....	13
refused.....	99

Q19 [IF Q17 < 4 OR 99]

Assuming you did vote in the election, which party would you most likely vote for?

SPÖ.....	1
ÖVP.....	2
FPÖ.....	3
BZÖ.....	4
The Greens.....	5
Team Stronach .....	6
KPÖ .....	7
NEOS.....	8
Pirates.....	9
CPÖ (Christian Party of Austria).....	10
other party .....	11
I would cast an invalid ballot.....	12
don't know .....	88
refused.....	99

Q20 Do you think that the outcome of the election is still undecided, or is the winner of the election all but certain?

outcome still undecided.....	1
winner all but certain.....	2
don't know .....	88
refused.....	99

Q21a [IF Q20 = 2]

And who do you think will be the winner of the election?

[MULTIPLE RESPONSES POSSIBLE]

SPÖ.....	1
ÖVP.....	2
FPÖ.....	3
BZÖ.....	4
The Greens.....	5
Team Stronach.....	6
KPÖ.....	7
NEOS.....	8
Pirates.....	9
CPÖ (Christian Party of Austria).....	10
other party.....	11
refused.....	99

Q21b [IF Q21a = 11]

And who do you think will be the winner of the election?

\_\_\_\_\_

refused ..... 99

Q22      How often do you inform yourself about the political events in Austria...?

- Item 1      through television
- Item 2      through newspapers
- Item 3      through the radio
- Item 4      through the internet

almost every day.....	1
several times a week.....	2
several times a month .....	3
less frequently.....	4
never.....	5
don't know .....	88
refused.....	99

Q23 [IF Q22, ITEM 2 = 1, 2, 3, 4]

Below you will find a list of different newspapers. On average, on how many days in a regular week do you read the print version of these newspapers?

- Item 1 Kronen Zeitung
- Item 2 Der Standard
- Item 3 Die Presse
- Item 4 Österreich
- Item 5 Kurier
- Item 6 heute
- Item 7 Salzburger Nachrichten
- Item 8 Kleine Zeitung
- Item 9 Oberösterreichische Nachrichten
- Item 10 Tiroler Tageszeitung
- Item 11 Vorarlberger Nachrichten
- Item 12 Wirtschaftsblatt
- Item 13 Neue Kärntner Tageszeitung
- Item 14 Neue Vorarlberger Tageszeitung
- Item 15 Neues Volksblatt
- Item 16 Salzburger Volkszeitung
- Item 17 Wiener Zeitung

1.....	1
2.....	2
3.....	3
4.....	4
5.....	5
6.....	6
7.....	7
less frequently.....	55
never.....	66
don't know .....	88
refused.....	99

Q24 [IF Q22, ITEM 4 = 1, 2, 3, 4]

Below you will find a list of different online-media. On average, on how many days in a regular week do you read these web pages?

- Item 1 orf.at
- Item 2 derstandard.at
- Item 3 krone.at
- Item 4 oe24.at
- Item 5 kurier.at
- Item 6 vol.at
- Item 7 kleinezeitung.at
- Item 8 diepresse.com
- Item 9 tt.com
- Item 10 heute.at
- Item 11 nachrichten.at
- Item 12 salzburg.com
- Item 13 noen.at
- Item 14 news.at
- Item 15 gmx.at
- Item 16 news.google.at

1.....	1
2 .....	2
3 .....	3
4 .....	4
5 .....	5
6 .....	6
7 .....	7
less frequently.....	55
never.....	66
don't know .....	88
refused.....	99

Q25 [IF Q22, ITEM 1 = 1, 2, 3, 4]

Below you will find a list of different television news broadcasts. On average, on how many days in a regular week do you watch these **television news broadcasts**?

- Item 1 Zeit im Bild at 19:30h
- Item 2 ZiB 2 at 22:00h
- Item 3 ZiB 20 at 20:00h
- Item 4 ZiB Magazin at 19:45h
- Item 5 ZiB 24 at midnight
- Item 6 Bundesland Heute at 19:00h
- Item 7 ATV aktuell at 19:20h
- Item 8 ATV aktuell at 20:05h
- Item 9 Puls 4 Austria News [18:30h]
- Item 10 Pro7 Austria News [18:00h]
- Item 11 Sat.1 Austria News [20:00h]
- Item 12 Guten Abend Österreich

1.....	1
2.....	2
3.....	3
4.....	4
5.....	5
6.....	6
7.....	7
less frequently.....	55
never.....	66
don't know .....	88
refused.....	99



Q26 Are you registered on one of the following social networks?

Item 1 Facebook

Item 2 Twitter

Item 3 Xing

Item 4 Google +

Item 5 LinkedIn

yes ..... 1

no ..... 2

don't know ..... 88

refused..... 99

Q27 [IF AT LEAST ONE ITEM OF Q26 = 1]

Are you linked to any Austrian politician or political group [parties, party-affiliated organisations, political NGOs...] through one of these platforms? In other words, are you subscribed to a newsfeed? Have you 'liked' a certain politician, group or related organisation?

yes ..... 1

no ..... 2

don't know ..... 88

refused..... 99

Q28a [IF Q27 = 1]

And whom are you connected to?

[MULTIPLE RESPONSES POSSIBLE]

Heinz-Christian Strache.....	1
Sebastian Kurz.....	2
Heinz Fischer.....	3
Peter Pilz.....	4
Werner Faymann .....	5
Team Stronach .....	6
Die Grünen .....	7
NEOS – Das neue Österreich.....	8
SPÖ .....	9
ÖVP .....	10
Greenpeace Austria.....	11
WWF Österreich.....	12
attac Österreich.....	13
Global 2000 .....	14
Amnesty International Austria.....	15
other.....	16
refused.....	99

Q28b [IF Q28a = 16]

And which one?

\_\_\_\_\_

refused ..... 99

Q29 As in the past years, there will be TV debates between the top candidates of different parties in the ORF before the national parliamentary election. Do you plan on watching one or more of these debates on television? Or will you not watch any of them?

watch one or more ..... 1  
 will not watch any..... 2  
  
 don't know ..... 88  
 refused ..... 99

Q30 To what extent do you agree with the following statements about the televised debates between politicians?

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 Television debates help to decide who to vote for.
- Item 2 I am not interested in television debates by politicians.
- Item 3 Television debates explain the positions of the different parties.
- Item 4 I think debates on television are entertaining.
- Item 5 Television debates are nothing but empty rhetoric.
- Item 6 Television debates help to get to know the top candidates of the parties better.
- Item 7 I do not think that debates on television are a good format.
- Item 8 Debates on television are informative.

completely agree..... 1  
 somewhat agree..... 2  
 partly agree/disagree ..... 3  
 somewhat disagree ..... 4  
 completely disagree ..... 5  
  
 don't know ..... 88  
 refused ..... 99

Q31 What kind of performance are you expecting from politicians in the debates on television?

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 Werner Faymann
- Item 2 Michael Spindelegger
- Item 3 Heinz-Christian Strache
- Item 4 Josef Bucher
- Item 5 Eva Glawischnig
- Item 6 Frank Stronach

a very good performance.....1  
a good performance ..... 2  
a moderate performance..... 3  
a bad performance ..... 4  
a very bad performance..... 5

don't know that person ..... 77  
don't know ..... 88  
refused ..... 99

Q32 In Austria many people feel close to a political party although they sometimes vote for another party. What about you? Generally speaking, do you feel close to a particular party?

yes .....1  
no ..... 2

don't know ..... 88  
refused ..... 99

Q33 [IF Q32 = 2]

Do you generally think of yourself as a little closer to one of the parties than the others?

yes ..... 1  
no ..... 2  
  
don't know ..... 88  
refused ..... 99

Q34 [IF Q32 = 1 OR Q33 = 1]

Which party is that?

SPÖ..... 1  
ÖVP..... 2  
FPÖ..... 3  
BZÖ..... 4  
The Greens ..... 5  
Team Stronach..... 6  
KPÖ..... 7  
NEOS ..... 8  
Pirates ..... 9  
CPÖ (Christian Party of Austria) ..... 10  
other party..... 11  
  
don't know ..... 88  
refused ..... 99

Q35 [IF Q34 < 11]

Do you feel very close, fairly close or not very close to this party?

very close .....	1
fairly close.....	2
not very close.....	3
don't know .....	88
refused .....	99

Q36 If you think of your living arrangements, would you prefer a neighbourhood where no Muslims live?

yes .....	1
no .....	2
don't know .....	88
refused .....	99

SD5      How many people including yourself live in your household?

1.....	1
2.....	2
3.....	3
4.....	4
5.....	5
6.....	6
7.....	7
8.....	8
9.....	9
10.....	10
more than 10.....	11
 don't know.....	 88
refused.....	99

SD6 [IF SD5 > 1]

How many of them are under the age of 18?

0.....	0
1.....	1
2.....	2
3.....	3
4.....	4
5.....	5
6.....	6
7.....	7
8.....	8
9.....	9
10.....	10
more than 10.....	11
don't know.....	88
refused.....	99



SD7      What is the highest level of education that you have achieved?

did not attend school .....	1
did not finish any school .....	2
Primary school or less .....	3
Secondary modern school or general secondary school .....	4
Special school.....	5
Polytechnic school.....	6
Vocational training, vocational school.....	7
Higher vocational school.....	8
General secondary school with matura .....	9
Higher vocational school with matura .....	10
University-related institution .....	11
College .....	12
Bachelor .....	13
Master / graduated engineer / University of Applied Science Degree .....	14
Doctorate / PhD .....	15
other.....	16
 don't know.....	 88
refused .....	99

SD8a Which religion or denomination do you belong to?

Roman-Catholic .....	1
Protestant .....	2
Islam .....	3
Christian Orthodox .....	4
Jewish / Mosaic .....	5
other .....	6
none .....	7
don't know .....	88
refused .....	99

SD8b [IF SD8a = 6]

Which religion or denomination do you belong to?

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SD9a [IF SD8 < 7]

Would you say that you are not at all religious, a little religious, somewhat religious, or very religious?

not at all religious .....	1
a little religious .....	2
somewhat religious .....	3
very religious .....	4
don't know .....	88
refused .....	99

SD9b [IF SD8 = 7, 88, 99]

Even if you do not belong to a particular religion or denomination, would you say that you are not at all religious, a little religious, somewhat religious, or very religious?

not at all religious .....	1
a little religious .....	2
somewhat religious .....	3
very religious .....	4
don't know .....	88
refused .....	99

SD10 Apart from special occasions such as weddings and funerals, how often do you attend a religious service?

daily .....	1
more than once a week .....	2
once a week .....	3
at least once a month .....	4
only on special holidays .....	5
less often .....	6
never .....	7
don't know .....	88
refused .....	99

SD11 Which of the following best describes your current situation?

retired .....	1
employed .....	2
a student at school .....	3
a student at university .....	4
other training .....	5
on leave .....	6
a house wife / house husband .....	7
doing military or alternative civilian service, or voluntary social year... ..	8
unfit for work.....	9
unemployed or seeking for work.....	10
other .....	11
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

SD12 [IF SD11 = 2]

Which of the following best describes your current situation with regard to  
employment?

employed, more than 35h a week.....	1
employed, 15 – 35h a week .....	2
employed, less than 15h a week.....	3
employed by a family member .....	4
in vocational training .....	5
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

SD13 [IF SD12 = 1, 2, 3, 4]

What is your current occupation? [This question refers to your main occupation]

employee .....	1
manual worker .....	2
civil servant with employment guarantee .....	3
civil servant on contract basis .....	4
self-employed without employees .....	5
self-employed with employees .....	6
independent contractor .....	7
farmer.....	8
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

SD14 [IF SD11 = 1, 6, 10]

And what was your last occupation? [This question refers to your main occupation]

employee .....	1
manual worker .....	2
civil servant with employment guarantee .....	3
civil servant on contract basis .....	4
self-employed without employees .....	5
self-employed with employees .....	6
independent contractor .....	7
farmer.....	8
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

SD15 Are you Austrian since birth or have you been naturalised?

since birth.....	1
naturalised .....	2
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

SD16 [IF SD15 = 2]

In which country were you born?

Austria.....	1
Germany.....	2
Turkey .....	3
Serbia.....	4
Croatia .....	5
Bosnia .....	6
Slovenia .....	7
Poland.....	8
Czech Republic.....	9
Russia .....	10
Hungary.....	11
other.....	12
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

SD17 In which country was your mother born?

Austria.....	1
Germany.....	2
Turkey.....	3
Serbia.....	4
Croatia .....	5
Bosnia .....	6
Slovenia .....	7
Poland.....	8
Czech Republic.....	9
Russia .....	10
Hungary.....	11
other.....	12
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

SD18 In which country was your father born?

Austria.....	1
Germany.....	2
Turkey.....	3
Serbia.....	4
Croatia .....	5
Bosnia .....	6
Slovenia .....	7
Poland.....	8
Czech Republic.....	9
Russia .....	10
Hungary.....	11
other.....	12
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

SD19a [IF SD5 > 1]

Do you usually speak a language other than German at home?

yes .....	1
no .....	2
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99



SD19b [IF SD5 = 1]

Do you usually speak a language other than German with your family?

yes ..... 1  
no ..... 2  
  
don't know ..... 88  
refused ..... 99

SD20a [IF SD18a = 1 OR SD18a = 1]

And which language is this or which languages are these?

[MULTIPLE RESPONSES POSSIBLE]

Turkish ..... 1  
Serbian ..... 2  
Croatian ..... 3  
Bosnian ..... 4  
Slovenian ..... 5  
Polish ..... 6  
Czech ..... 7  
Russian ..... 8  
Hungarian ..... 9  
other ..... 10  
  
don't know ..... 88  
refused ..... 99

SD20b [IF SD20a = 10]

And which language is this or which languages are these?

.....  
  
refused ..... 99

SD21 Are you a member of a trade union?

yes ..... 1  
no ..... 2  
  
don't know ..... 88  
refused ..... 99

SD22 How would you assess your current income situation? Would you say that you...

get along very well ..... 1  
get along well ..... 2  
get along with difficulty ..... 3  
get along with great difficulty ..... 4  
  
don't know ..... 88  
refused ..... 99

SD23 What is the monthly net income of your household? Please add up all incomes [including state transfers]?

below 450€ .....	1
450 up to 600€ .....	2
600 up to 750€ .....	3
750 up to 900€ .....	4
900 up to 1.050€ .....	5
1.050 up to 1.200€ .....	6
1.200 up to 1.350€ .....	7
1.350 up to 1.500€ .....	8
1.500 up to 1.650€ .....	9
1.650 up to 1.800€ .....	10
1.800 up to 1.950€ .....	11
1.950 up to 2.100€ .....	12
2.100 up to 2.250€ .....	13
2.250 up to 2.400€ .....	14
2.400 up to 2.700€ .....	15
2.700 up to 3.000€ .....	16
3.000 up to 3.300€ .....	17
3.300 up to 3.600€ .....	18
3.600 up to 3.900€ .....	19
3.900€ and more .....	20
don't know .....	88
refused .....	99

SD24 Which of the following best describes your residential area?

village.....	1
small town .....	2
mid-size town .....	3
centre of a large city .....	4
suburbs of a large city .....	5
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

SD25 And how many years have you approximately lived in this residential area?

_____ years	
refused .....	999

\*\*SD26 What is the postal code of your main residence?

_____	
refused .....	99

\*\*SD27 And what is the name of the municipality?

_____	
refused .....	99

Thank you very much for taking part in this questionnaire.

As you already know, this survey consists of 4 parts. You will receive an invitation for further, considerably shorter questionnaires in the next couple of weeks. We would like to thank you in advance for your cooperation in the first survey period, and we hope you will also participate in the next three questionnaires.

## AUTNES Online Panel Study - Wave 2

**Welcome to this Panel-Study.**

**Please note the following information on how to use this questionnaire:**

- Please use the „Weiter“-Button [Forward button] for navigation and not the browser itself.
- Once a question has been answered, you cannot go back to change the answer.
- Single terms are marked as a link with an “info-icon”. You can move the mouse towards these terms to get further information.

In order to do so, Javascript has to be activated.

- It is possible to change or delete answers with single questions and sub-questions.
- However, please note that you cannot change the answer once you hit the “Weiter“-Button [Forward button].
- To start the questionnaire, please press the “Weiter“- Button [Forward button].

This study is carried out on behalf of the University of Vienna. The survey takes about 15 minutes. Your participation in the study is very important for its success. The interviews and all your information remain anonymous according to data protection standards. It will not be possible to identify you based on your responses.

Q1 How closely are you following the current election campaign? Very closely, fairly closely, not very closely, or not at all closely?

very closely .....	1
fairly closely .....	2
not very closely .....	3
not at all closely .....	4
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q2 Generally speaking, what do you think of the ongoing election campaign? Please think of the election campaign in general and not of any specific parties or politicians. Do you think the election campaign is very, fairly, a little, not at all...

Item 1 fair  
Item 2 aggressive  
Item 3 boring  
Item 4 entertaining

very .....	1
fairly .....	2
a little .....	3
not at all .....	4
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q3 Which issues are most important to you personally in the upcoming national parliamentary election on 29 September 2013?

[MULTIPLE RESPONSES POSSIBLE, MAXIMUM THREE]

- Item 1 job market/employment
- Item 2 European policy
- Item 3 social policy
- Item 4 party behaviour
- Item 5 economic policy
- Item 6 national debt
- Item 7 pension/old-age income security
- Item 8 migration/immigration
- Item 9 housing
- Item 10 family policy
- Item 11 education policy
- Item 12 tax justice
- Item 13 overcoming the financial and Euro crisis
- Item 14 environmental protection
- Item 15 fight against crime
- Item 16 asylum policy

not mentioned ..... 0

mentioned..... 1

refused ..... 99



Q4 There are several parties in Austria, each of which would like to receive your vote. Using the scale of 0 to 10, how likely is it that you would **ever** vote for each of the following parties?

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 SPÖ
- Item 2 ÖVP
- Item 3 FPÖ
- Item 4 The Greens
- Item 5 Team Stronach
- Item 6 BZÖ
- Item 7 NEOS

very unlikely ..... 0

to

very likely ..... 10

haven't heard of party ..... 77

refused ..... 99

Q5 Assuming you could directly elect the next Chancellor, which of the following persons would you elect as Chancellor?

[RANDOMISE]

Werner Faymann ..... 1

Michael Spindelegger ..... 2

Heinz-Christian Strache ..... 3

Josef Bucher ..... 4

Eva Glawischnig ..... 5

Frank Stronach ..... 6

none of the above ..... 77

don't know ..... 88

refused ..... 99

Q6 How much do you like the following politicians?

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

Item 1 Werner Faymann

Item 2 Michael Spindelegger

Item 3 Heinz-Christian Strache

strongly dislike ..... 0

to

strongly like ..... 10

I don't know this person ..... 77

don't know ..... 88

refused ..... 99

Q7 Now let's turn to specific characteristics of some of the top candidates. Let's begin with **competence**, that is, whether a politician is knowledgeable about dealing with political issues. Do you consider the following politicians to be very, fairly, a little bit or not at all competent?

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

Item 1 Werner Faymann

Item 2 Michael Spindelegger

Item 3 Heinz-Christian Strache

very competent ..... 1

fairly competent ..... 2

a little bit competent ..... 3

not at all competent ..... 4

I don't know that person ..... 77

refused ..... 99

Q8 Now about honesty, that is, whether a politician is an honest person. Do you consider the following politicians to be very, fairly, a little bit or not at all honest?  
[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 Werner Faymann
- Item 2 Michael Spindelegger
- Item 3 Heinz-Christian Strache

very honest ..... 1  
 fairly honest ..... 2  
 a little bit honest ..... 3  
 not at all honest ..... 4

don't know that person ..... 77  
 refused ..... 99

Q9 And now to the subject of charisma, that is, the impression politicians make on the public. What do you think, are the following politicians very, fairly, a little bit or not at all charismatic?  
[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 Werner Faymann
- Item 2 Michael Spindelegger
- Item 3 Heinz-Christian Strache

very charismatic ..... 1  
 fairly charismatic ..... 2  
 a little bit charismatic ..... 3  
 not at all charismatic ..... 4

don't know that person ..... 77  
 refused ..... 99

Q10      Finally think about the candidates’ **assertiveness**, that is, whether a politician can translate his ideas into policy. Do you think the following politicians are very, fairly, a little bit, or not at all assertive?

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1      Werner Faymann
- Item 2      Michael Spindelegger
- Item 3      Heinz-Christian Strache

very assertive.....	1
fairly assertive.....	2
a little bit assertive .....	3
not at all assertive.....	4
don't know that person .....	77
refused .....	99

## SPLIT A [SPINDELEGGER VERSUS STRACHE] BEGINNING

Q11a Which of the TV debates between the top candidates broadcast on the ORF did you watch?

- Item 1 Television debate between Heinz-Christian Strache and Eva Glawischnig on Thursday, 29 August 2013, 20:15
- Item 2 Television debate between Josef Bucher and Frank Stronach on Thursday, 29 August 2013, 21:05
- Item 3 Television debate between Michael Spindelegger and Frank Stronach on Tuesday, 3 September 2013, 20:15
- Item 4 Television debate between Werner Faymann and Josef Bucher on Tuesday, 3 September 2013, 21:05
- Item 5 Television debate between Werner Faymann and Frank Stronach on Thursday, 5 September 2013, 20:15
- Item 6 Television debate between Michael Spindelegger and Josef Bucher on Thursday, 5 September 2013, 21:05
- Item 7 Television debate between Werner Faymann and Eva Glawischnig on Monday, 9 September 2013, 20:15
- Item 8 Television debate between Michael Spindelegger and Heinz-Christian Strache on Monday, 9 September 2013, 21:05

not mentioned .....0

mentioned .....1

refused..... 99

Q11b [IF DEBATE ITEM 1 TO ITEM 7 SELECTED AT Q11a]

And how did you watch the TV debates on the ORF?

[MULTIPLE RESPONSES POSSIBLE]

- Item 1 Television debate between Heinz-Christian Strache and Eva Glawischnig on Thursday, 29 August 2013, 20:15
- Item 2 Television debate between Josef Bucher and Frank Stronach on Thursday, 29 August 2013, 21:05
- Item 3 Television debate between Michael Spindelegger and Frank Stronach on Tuesday, 3 September 2013, 20:15
- Item 4 Television debate between Werner Faymann and Josef Bucher on Tuesday, 3 September 2013, 21:05
- Item 5 Television debate between Werner Faymann and Frank Stronach on Thursday, 5 September 2013, 20:15
- Item 6 Television debate between Michael Spindelegger and Josef Bucher on Thursday, 5 September 2013, 21:05
- Item 7 Television debate between Werner Faymann and Eva Glawischnig on Monday, 9 September 2013, 20:15

during the television broadcast on ORF 2

or via the live stream ..... 1

later on the ORF-TVthek ..... 2

extracts in news reports..... 3

extracts online

[in YouTube-videos, links, or something similar]..... 4

somewhere else ..... 5

don't know..... 88

refused ..... 99

Q11c [IF Q11b = 5]

And how did you watch the television debate on ORF?

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don't know..... 88  
refused ..... 99

Q12a1 [IF TELEVISION DEBATE BETWEEN MICHAEL SPINDELEGGER AND HEINZ-CHRISTIAN STRACHE [Q11a, ITEM 8] NOT SELECTED AT Q11a]

Did you watch the TV debate between Michael Spindelegger and Heinz-Christian Strache on Monday, 9 September 2013?

[MULTIPLE RESPONSES POSSIBLE]

yes, during the television broadcast on ORF 2  
or via the live stream..... 1  
yes, later on the ORF-TVthek..... 2  
yes, extracts in news reports ..... 3  
yes, extracts online  
[in YouTube-videos, links, or something similar] ..... 4  
yes, somewhere else..... 5  
  
no, did not see anything of the debate ..... 77  
don't know..... 88  
refused ..... 99

Q12a2 [IF Q12a1 = 5]

And how did you watch the TV debate on the ORF between Michael Spindelegger and Heinz-Christian Strache on Monday, 9 September 2013?

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don't know..... 88  
refused ..... 99

Q12b1 [IF TELEVISION DEBATE BETWEEN MICHAEL SPINDELEGGER AND HEINZ-CHRISTIAN STRACHE [Q11a, ITEM 8] SELECTED AT Q11a]

And how did you watch the TV debate on the ORF between Michael Spindelegger and Heinz-Christian Strache on Monday, 9 September 2013?

[MULTIPLE RESPONSES POSSIBLE]

during the television broadcast on ORF 2	
or via the live stream .....	1
later on the ORF-TVthek .....	2
extracts in news reports.....	3
extracts online	
[in YouTube-videos, links, or something similar].....	4
somewhere else.....	5
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q12b2 [IF Q12b1 = 5]

And how did you watch the TV debate on the ORF between Michael Spindelegger and Heinz-Christian Strache on Monday, 9 September 2013?

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don't know.....	88
refused .....	99



Q13 [IF Q12a1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 OR Q12b1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5]

Regardless of whether you followed the debate on television or online: How much of the debate between Michael Spindelegger and Heinz-Christian Strache on Monday, 9 September 2013, did you watch?

the whole debate.....	1
at least half of the debate.....	2
about half of the debate.....	3
less than half of the debate .....	4
only parts of the debate.....	5
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q14a [IF Q12a1 = 1, 2 OR Q12b1 = 1, 2]

Did you also read online forums and blogs about the debate between Michael Spindelegger and Heinz-Christian Strache?

yes.....	1
no .....	2
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q14b [IF Q12a1 = 3, 4, 77, 88, 99 OR Q12b1 = 3, 4, 88, 99]

Did you read online forums and blogs about the debate between Michael Spindelegger and Heinz-Christian Strache?

yes.....	1
no .....	2
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q15 [IF Q14a = 1 OR Q14b = 1]

And did you personally comment on the TV debate in online forums or blogs?

yes ..... 1  
no ..... 2  
  
don't know ..... 88  
refused ..... 99

Q16 After the TV debate between Michael Spindelegger and Heinz-Christian Strache was broadcast, did you read, hear or watch anything about this debate in newspapers, radio, television or journals?

[MULTIPLE RESPONSES POSSIBLE]

yes, on television ..... 1  
yes, on the radio ..... 2  
yes, in the newspaper [print version] ..... 3  
yes, in an online newspaper or on the internet generally ..... 4  
yes, in journals ..... 5  
no, I did not read, watch or hear of this debate ..... 6  
  
don't know ..... 88  
refused ..... 99

Q17 [IF Q16 = 1]

On which TV programme did you hear about the debate between Michael Spindelegger and Heinz-Christian Strache?

[MULTIPLE RESPONSES POSSIBLE]

- Item 1 Zeit im Bild at 19:30h
- Item 2 ZiB 2 at 22:00h
- Item 3 ZiB 20 at 20:00h
- Item 4 ZiB Magazin at 19:45h
- Item 5 ZIB 24 at midnight
- Item 6 ATV aktuell at 19:20h
- Item 7 ATV aktuell at 20:05h
- Item 8 PULS 4 News at 18:00h on Pro7 [previously "Pro7 Austria News"]
- Item 9 PULS 4 News at 20:00h on Sat1 [previously "Sat1 Austria News"]
- Item 10 Guten Abend Österreich
- Item 11 other

not mentioned ..... 0

mentioned..... 1

don't know..... 88

refused ..... 99

Q18 [IF Q16 = 1]

How would you personally rate the news reports of the TV debate on television? Do you think they were...

very positive.....	1
positive .....	2
neutral .....	3
negative.....	4
very negative .....	5
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q19 [IF Q16 = 3]

In which newspaper [print version] did you read about the TV debate between Michael Spindelegger and Heinz-Christian Strache?

[MULTIPLE RESPONSES POSSIBLE]

- Item 1 Kronen Zeitung
- Item 2 Der Standard
- Item 3 Die Presse
- Item 4 Österreich
- Item 5 Kurier
- Item 6 heute
- Item 7 Salzburger Nachrichten
- Item 8 Kleine Zeitung
- Item 9 Tiroler Tageszeitung
- Item 10 Oberösterreichische Nachrichten
- Item 11 Vorarlberger Nachrichten
- Item 12 Wirtschaftsblatt
- Item 13 Neue Kärntner Tageszeitung
- Item 14 Neue Vorarlberger Tageszeitung
- Item 15 Neues Volksblatt
- Item 16 Salzburger Volkszeitung
- Item 17 Wiener Zeitung
- Item 18 other

not mentioned ..... 0

mentioned ..... 1

don't know ..... 88

refused ..... 99

Q20 [IF Q16 = 3]

How would you personally rate the news reports of the TV debate in the newspapers  
[print version]? Do you think they were...

very positive.....	1
positive .....	2
neutral .....	3
negative.....	4
very negative .....	5
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q21a [IF Q16 = 4]

In which online medium/ in which online newspaper did you read about the TV debate between Michael Spindelegger and Heinz-Christian Strache?

[MULTIPLE RESPONSES POSSIBLE]

- Item 1 orf.at
- Item 2 derstandard.at
- Item 3 krone.at
- Item 4 oe24.at
- Item 5 kurier.at
- Item 6 vol.at
- Item 7 kleinezeitung.at
- Item 8 diepresse.com
- Item 9 tt.com
- Item 10 heute.at
- Item 11 nachrichten.at
- Item 12 salzburg.com
- Item 13 noen.at
- Item 14 news.at
- Item 15 gmx.at
- Item 16 news.google.at
- Item 17 other

not mentioned ..... 0

mentioned ..... 1

don't know ..... 88

refused ..... 99

Q21b [IF Q21, ITEM 17 SELECTED]

In which online medium/ in which online newspaper did you read about the TV debate between Michael Spindelegger and Heinz-Christian Strache?

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don't know..... 88  
refused ..... 99

Q22 [IF Q16 = 4]

How would you personally rate the online news reports of the TV debate? Do you think they were...

very positive..... 1  
positive ..... 2  
neutral ..... 3  
negative..... 4  
very negative ..... 5

don't know..... 88  
refused ..... 99

Q23 [IF IN WAVE 1 AT LEAST ONE ITEM Q26 = 1]

Did you read opinions about the TV debate between Michael Spindelegger and Heinz-Christian Strache on your social network?

yes ..... 1  
no ..... 2

don't know..... 88  
refused ..... 99



Q24 [IF Q23 = 1]

How would you rate the content of these opinions? Do you think they were...

very positive.....	1
positive .....	2
neutral .....	3
negative.....	4
very negative .....	5
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q25 [IF IN WAVE 1 AT LEAST ONE ITEM Q26 = 1]

And did you post a comment on the TV debate on a social network yourself?

yes .....	1
no .....	2
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q26 Did you talk to other people about the TV debate between Michael Spindelegger and Heinz-Christian Strache?

[MULTIPLE RESPONSES POSSIBLE]

yes, with colleagues from work .....	1
yes, with friends .....	2
yes, with my spouse.....	3
yes, with other family members.....	4
no, with none of the people mentioned .....	77
don't know .....	88
refused.....	99

Q27 [IF Q26 = 1, 2, 3, 4 – ACCORDING TO ANSWER]

How many times did you disagree with the person you were talking to about the TV debate between Michael Spindelegger and Heinz-Christian Strache? How many times was this the case with...

- Item 1      colleagues from work
- Item 2      friends
- Item 3      your spouse
- Item 4      your family

always .....	1
often .....	2
sometimes .....	3
rarely .....	4
never .....	5
don't know .....	88
refused.....	99

Q28 [IF Q12a1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 OR Q12b1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 OR Q16 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5]

What do you think was the central topic of the TV debate?

\_\_\_\_\_

don't know .....	88
refused.....	99

Q29 [IF Q12a1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 OR Q12b1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 OR Q16 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5]  
Which issue discussed during the debate – regardless of whether a lot or only little  
time was dedicated to it – was the most important one for you personally?

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don't know ..... 88  
refused..... 99

Q30 [IF Q12a1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 OR Q12b1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 OR Q16 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 AND  
Q28 ≠ 88, 99]

Who do you personally think had the better arguments about [CENTRAL ISSUE]?

Michael Spindelegger ..... 1  
Heinz-Christian Strache ..... 2  
no one was convincing ..... 3  
  
don't know ..... 88  
refused..... 99

Q31 [IF Q12a1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 OR Q12b1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 OR Q16 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 AND  
Q29 ≠ 88, 99]

And who do you personally think had the better arguments about [MOST  
IMPORTANT ISSUE]?

Michael Spindelegger ..... 1  
Heinz-Christian Strache ..... 2  
no one was convincing ..... 3  
  
don't know ..... 88  
refused..... 99

**RANDOMISE QUESTION ORDER OF ITEMS [Q32a, Q32b] AND [Q33a, Q33b]**

Q32a [IF Q12a1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 OR Q12b1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5]

How would you rate the general performance of Michael Spindelegger in this debate?

very good ..... 1  
good..... 2  
partly good/partly bad..... 3  
bad..... 4  
very bad ..... 5

don't know ..... 88  
refused..... 99

Q32b [IF Q12a1 = 77 AND Q16 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5]

Based on what you have seen, read or heard after the TV debate: How would you rate the general performance of Michael Spindelegger in this debate?

very good ..... 1  
good..... 2  
partly good/partly bad..... 3  
bad..... 4  
very bad ..... 5

don't know ..... 88  
refused..... 99

Q33a [IF Q12a1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 OR Q12b1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5]

How would you rate the general performance of Heinz-Christian Strache in this debate?

very good .....	1
good.....	2
partly good/partly bad.....	3
bad.....	4
very bad .....	5
don't know .....	88
refused.....	99

Q33b [IF Q12a1 = 77 AND Q16 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5]

Based on what you have seen, read or heard after the TV debate: How would you rate the general performance of Heinz-Christian Strache in this debate?

very good .....	1
good.....	2
partly good/partly bad.....	3
bad.....	4
very bad .....	5
don't know .....	88
refused.....	99

Q34 [IF Q12a1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 OR Q12b1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 OR Q16 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5]  
Regardless of your personal preference for a party or a candidate, what would you say: Who won the TV debate on Monday, 9 September 2013, on ORF?

Michael Spindelegger .....	1
Heinz-Christian Strache.....	2
no winner ascertained .....	3
don't know .....	88
refused.....	99

#### RANDOMISE QUESTION ORDER OF ITEMS [Q35 AND Q36]

Q35 [IF Q16 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5]  
How would you personally assess the news media reports of Michael Spindelegger's appearance on television?

very good .....	1
good.....	2
partly good/partly bad.....	3
bad.....	4
very bad .....	5
don't know .....	88
refused.....	99

Q36 [IF Q16 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5]

How would you personally assess the news media reports of Heinz-Christian Strache's appearance on television?

very good .....	1
good.....	2
partly good/ partly bad .....	3
bad.....	4
very bad .....	5
don't know .....	88
refused.....	99

Q37 [IF Q16 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5]

Regardless of your personal preference for a party or a candidate, what would you say: Who do you think was presented as the winner of the TV debate on Monday, 9 September 2013, by the media?

Michael Spindelegger .....	1
Heinz-Christian Strache.....	2
no winner identifiable.....	3
don't know .....	88
refused.....	99

**RANDOMISE QUESTION ORDER OF ITEMS [Q38 AND Q39]**

**Q38** [IF Q12a1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 OR Q12b1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5]

What is your personal impression of Michael Spindelegger’s television appearance?  
Please assess their appearance using the following contrasting characteristics. You can use the values in between to give a more precise answer. The middle value corresponds with a neutral answer [‘neither nor’].

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
competent	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	incompetent
sympathetic	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	unsympathetic
boring	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	interesting
intelligent	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	unintelligent
weak	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	powerful
dishonest	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	honest
arrogant	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	modest
relaxed	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	fearful
shy	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	self-confident
fair	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	unfair
cold	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	compassionate
ugly	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	attractive
dynamic	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	sluggish
reassuring	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	threatening
cheerful	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	angry
don't know .....								88
refused.....								99



Q39 [IF Q12a1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 OR Q12b1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5]

What is your personal impression of Heinz-Christian Strache’s television appearance? Please assess their appearance using the following contrasting characteristics. You can use the values in between to give a more precise answer. The middle value corresponds with a neutral answer [‘neither nor’].

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competent	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	incompetent
sympathetic	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	unsympathetic
boring	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	interesting
intelligent	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	unintelligent
weak	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	powerful
dishonest	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	honest
arrogant	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	modest
relaxed	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	fearful
shy	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	self-confident
fair	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	unfair
cold	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	compassionate
ugly	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	attractive
dynamic	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	sluggish
reassuring	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	threatening
cheerful	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	angry
don't know .....								88
refused.....								99

SPLIT A [SPINDELEGGER VERSUS STRACHE] END

## SPLIT B [FAYMANN VERSUS STRACHE] BEGINNING

Q11a Which of the TV debates between the top candidates broadcast on the ORF did you watch?

- Item 1 Television debate between Heinz-Christian Strache and Eva Glawischnig on Thursday, 29 August 2013, 20:15
- Item 2 Television debate between Josef Bucher and Frank Stronach on Thursday, 29 August 2013, 21:05
- Item 3 Television debate between Michael Spindelegger and Frank Stronach on Tuesday, 3 September 2013, 20:15
- Item 4 Television debate between Werner Faymann and Josef Bucher on Tuesday, 3 September 2013, 21:05
- Item 5 Television debate between Werner Faymann and Frank Stronach on Thursday, 5 September 2013, 20:15
- Item 6 Television debate between Michael Spindelegger and Josef Bucher on Thursday, 5 September 2013, 21:05
- Item 7 Television debate between Werner Faymann and Eva Glawischnig on Monday, 9 September 2013, 20:15
- Item 8 Television debate between Michael Spindelegger and Heinz-Christian Strache on Monday, 9 September 2013, 21:05
- Item 9 Television debate between Heinz-Christian Strache and Frank Stronach on Thursday, 12 September 2013, 20:15
- Item 10 Television debate between Eva Glawischnig and Josef Bucher on Thursday, 12 September 2013, 21:05
- Item 11 Television debate between Michael Spindelegger and Eva Glawischnig on Tuesday, 17 September 2013, 20:15
- Item 12 Television debate between Werner Faymann and Heinz-Christian Strache on Tuesday, 17 September 2013, 21:05

not mentioned ..... 0

mentioned ..... 1

refused ..... 99

Q11b [IF DEBATE ITEM 1 TO ITEM 11 SELECTED AT Q11a]

And how did you watch the TV debates on the ORF?

[MULTIPLE RESPONSES POSSIBLE]

- Item 1 Television debate between Heinz-Christian Strache and Eva Glawischnig on Thursday, 29 August 2013, 20:15
- Item 2 Television debate between Josef Bucher and Frank Stronach on Thursday, 29 August 2013, 21:05
- Item 3 Television debate between Michael Spindelegger and Frank Stronach on Tuesday, 3 September 2013, 20:15
- Item 4 Television debate between Werner Faymann and Josef Bucher on Tuesday, 3 September 2013, 21:05
- Item 5 Television debate between Werner Faymann and Frank Stronach on Thursday, 5 September 2013, 20:15
- Item 6 Television debate between Michael Spindelegger and Josef Bucher on Thursday, 5 September 2013, 21:05
- Item 7 Television debate between Werner Faymann and Eva Glawischnig on Monday, 9 September 2013, 20:15
- Item 8 Television debate between Michael Spindelegger and Heinz-Christian Strache on Monday, 9 September 2013, 21:05
- Item 9 Television debate between Heinz-Christian Strache and Frank Stronach on Thursday, 12 September 2013, 20:15
- Item 10 Television debate between Eva Glawischnig and Josef Bucher on Thursday, 12 September 2013, 21:05
- Item 11 Television debate between Michael Spindelegger and Eva Glawischnig on Tuesday, 17 September 2013, 20:15

during the television broadcast on ORF 2	
or via the live stream .....	1
later on the ORF-TVthek .....	2
extracts in news reports.....	3
extracts online	
[in YouTube-videos, links, or similar] .....	4
somewhere else .....	5
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q11c [IF Q11b = 5]

And how did you watch the television debate on ORF?

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don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q12a1 [IF TELEVISION DEBATE BETWEEN WERNER FAYMANN AND HEINZ-CHRISTIAN STRACHE [Q11a, ITEM 12] NOT SELECTED AT Q11a]

Did you watch the TV debate between Werner Faymann and Heinz-Christian Strache on Tuesday, 17 September 2013?

[MULTIPLE RESPONSES POSSIBLE]

yes, during the television broadcast on ORF 2	
or via the live stream.....	1
yes, later on the ORF-TVthek.....	2
yes, extracts in news reports .....	3
yes, extracts online	
[in YouTube-videos, links, or something similar] .....	4
yes, somewhere else.....	5
no, did not see anything of the debate .....	77
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q12a2 [IF Q12a1 = 5]

And how did you watch the TV debate on the ORF between Werner Faymann and Heinz-Christian Strache on Tuesday, 17 September 2013?

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don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q12b1 [IF TELEVISION DEBATE BETWEEN WERNER FAYMANN AND HEINZ-CHRISTIAN STRACHE [Q11a, ITEM 12] SELECTED AT Q11a]

And how did you watch the TV debate on the ORF between Werner Faymann and Heinz-Christian Strache on Tuesday, 17 September 2013

[MULTIPLE RESPONSES POSSIBLE]

during the television broadcast on ORF 2	
or via the live stream .....	1
later on the ORF-TVthek .....	2
extracts in news reports.....	3
extracts online	
[in YouTube-videos, links, or something similar].....	4
somewhere else.....	5
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q12b2 [IF Q12b1 = 5]

And how did you watch the TV debate on the ORF between Werner Faymann and Heinz-Christian Strache on Tuesday, 17 September 2013?

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don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q13 [IF Q12a1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 OR Q12b1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5]

Regardless of whether you followed the debate on television or online: How much of the debate between Werner Faymann and Heinz-Christian Strache on Tuesday, 17 September 2013, did you watch?

the whole debate.....	1
at least half of the debate.....	2
about half of the debate.....	3
less than half of the debate .....	4
only parts of the debate.....	5
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q14a [IF Q12a1 = 1, 2 OR Q12b1 = 1, 2]

Did you also read online forums and blogs about the debate between Werner Faymann and Heinz-Christian Strache?

yes.....	1
no .....	2
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q14b [IF Q12a1 = 3, 4, 77, 88, 99 OR Q12b1 = 3, 4, 88, 99]

Did you read online forums and blogs about the debate between Werner Faymann and Heinz-Christian Strache?

yes.....	1
no .....	2
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q15 [IF Q14a = 1 OR Q14b = 1]

And did you personally comment on the TV debate in online forums or blogs?

yes ..... 1  
no ..... 2  
  
don't know ..... 88  
refused ..... 99

Q16 After the TV debate between Werner Faymann and Heinz-Christian Strache was broadcast, did you read, hear or watch anything about this debate in newspapers, radio, television or journals?

[MULTIPLE RESPONSES POSSIBLE]

yes, on television ..... 1  
yes, on the radio ..... 2  
yes, in the newspaper [print version] ..... 3  
yes, in an online newspaper or on the internet generally ..... 4  
yes, in journals ..... 5  
no, I did not read, watch or hear of this debate ..... 6  
  
don't know ..... 88  
refused ..... 99



Q17 [IF Q16 = 1]

On which TV programme did you hear about the debate between Werner Faymann and Heinz-Christian Strache?

[MULTIPLE RESPONSES POSSIBLE]

- Item 1 Zeit im Bild at 19:30h
- Item 2 ZiB 2 at 22:00h
- Item 3 ZiB 20 at 20:00h
- Item 4 ZiB Magazin at 19:45h
- Item 5 ZIB 24 at midnight
- Item 6 ATV aktuell at 19:20h
- Item 7 ATV aktuell at 20:05h
- Item 8 PULS 4 News at 18:00h on Pro7 [previously „Pro7 Austria News“]
- Item 9 PULS 4 News at 20:00h on Sat1 [previously „Sat1 Austria News“]
- Item 10 Guten Abend Österreich
- Item 11 other

not mentioned ..... 0

mentioned ..... 1

don't know ..... 88

refused ..... 99

Q18 [IF Q16 = 1]

How would you personally rate the media coverage of the TV debate? Do you think it was...

very positive.....	1
positive .....	2
neutral .....	3
negative.....	4
very negative .....	5
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q19 [IF Q16 = 3]

In which newspaper [print version] did you read about the TV debate between Werner Faymann and Heinz-Christian Strache?

[MULTIPLE RESPONSES POSSIBLE]

- Item 1 Kronen Zeitung
- Item 2 Der Standard
- Item 3 Die Presse
- Item 4 Österreich
- Item 5 Kurier
- Item 6 heute
- Item 7 Salzburger Nachrichten
- Item 8 Kleine Zeitung
- Item 9 Tiroler Tageszeitung
- Item 10 Oberösterreichische Nachrichten
- Item 11 Vorarlberger Nachrichten
- Item 12 Wirtschaftsblatt
- Item 13 Neue Kärntner Tageszeitung
- Item 14 Neue Vorarlberger Tageszeitung
- Item 15 Neues Volksblatt
- Item 16 Salzburger Volkszeitung
- Item 17 Wiener Zeitung
- Item 18 other

not mentioned ..... 0

mentioned ..... 1

don't know ..... 88

refused ..... 99

Q20 [IF Q16 = 3]

How would you personally rate the media coverage of the TV debate in the newspapers [print version]? Do you think it was...

very positive.....	1
positive .....	2
neutral .....	3
negative.....	4
very negative .....	5
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q21a [IF Q16 = 4]

In which online medium/ in which online newspaper did you read about the TV debate between Werner Faymann and Heinz-Christian Strache?

[MULTIPLE RESPONSES POSSIBLE]

- Item 1 orf.at
- Item 2 derstandard.at
- Item 3 krone.at
- Item 4 oe24.at
- Item 5 kurier.at
- Item 6 vol.at
- Item 7 kleinezeitung.at
- Item 8 diepresse.com
- Item 9 tt.com
- Item 10 heute.at
- Item 11 nachrichten.at
- Item 12 salzburg.com
- Item 13 noen.at
- Item 14 news.at
- Item 15 gmx.at
- Item 16 news.google.at
- Item 17 other

not mentioned ..... 0

mentioned ..... 1

don't know ..... 88

refused ..... 99

Q21b [IF Q21, ITEM 17 SELECTED]

In which online medium/ in which online newspaper did you read about the TV debate between Werner Faymann and Heinz-Christian Strache?

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don't know..... 88  
refused ..... 99

Q22 [IF Q16 = 4]

How would you personally rate the online media coverage of the TV debate? Do you think it was...

very positive..... 1  
positive ..... 2  
neutral ..... 3  
negative..... 4  
very negative ..... 5

don't know..... 88  
refused ..... 99

Q23 [IF IN WAVE 1 AT LEAST ONE ITEM Q26 = 1]

Did you read opinions about the TV debate between Werner Faymann and Heinz-Christian Strache on your social network?

yes ..... 1  
no ..... 2

don't know..... 88  
refused ..... 99

Q24 [IF Q23 = 1]

How would you rate the content of these opinions? Do you think they were...

very positive.....	1
positive .....	2
neutral .....	3
negative.....	4
very negative .....	5
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q25 [IF IN WAVE 1 AT LEAST ONE ITEM Q26 = 1]

And did you post a comment on the TV debate on a social network yourself?

yes .....	1
no .....	2
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q26 Did you talk to other people about the TV debate between Werner Faymann and Heinz-Christian Strache?

[MULTIPLE RESPONSES POSSIBLE]

yes, with colleagues from work .....	1
yes, with friends .....	2
yes, with my partner .....	3
yes, with other family members.....	4
no, with none of the people mentioned .....	77
don't know .....	88
refused.....	99

Q27 [IF Q26 = 1, 2, 3, 4 – ACCORDING TO ANSWER]

How many times did you disagree with the person you were talking to about the TV debate between Werner Faymann and Heinz-Christian Strache? How many times was this the case with...

- Item 1      colleagues from work
- Item 2      friends
- Item 3      your partner
- Item 4      your family

always .....	1
often .....	2
sometimes .....	3
rarely .....	4
never .....	5
don't know .....	88
refused.....	99

Q28 [IF Q12a1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 OR Q12b1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 OR Q16 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5]

What do you think was the central topic of the TV debate?

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don't know .....	88
refused.....	99



Q29 [IF Q12a1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 OR Q12b1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 OR Q16 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5]  
Which issue discussed during the debate – regardless of whether a lot or only little  
time was dedicated to it – was the most important one for you personally?

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don't know ..... 88  
refused..... 99

Q30 [IF Q12a1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 OR Q12b1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 OR Q16 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 AND  
Q28 ≠ 88, 99]

Who do you personally think had the better arguments about [CENTRAL ISSUE]?

Werner Faymann.....1  
Heinz-Christian Strache ..... 2  
no one was convincing ..... 3  
  
don't know ..... 88  
refused..... 99

Q31 [IF Q12a1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 OR Q12b1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 OR Q16 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 AND  
Q29 ≠ 88, 99]

And who do you personally think had the better arguments about [MOST  
IMPORTANT ISSUE]?

Werner Faymann.....1  
Heinz-Christian Strache ..... 2  
no one was convincing ..... 3  
  
don't know ..... 88  
refused..... 99

**RANDOMISE QUESTION ORDER OF ITEMS [Q32a, Q32b] AND [Q33a, Q33b]**

Q32a [IF Q12a1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 OR Q12b1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5]

How would you rate the general performance of Werner Faymann in this debate?

very good .....	1
good.....	2
partly good/partly bad.....	3
bad.....	4
very bad .....	5
don't know .....	88
refused.....	99

Q32b [IF Q12a1 = 77 AND Q16 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5]

Based on what you have seen, read or heard after the TV debate: How would you rate the general performance of Werner Faymann in this debate?

very good .....	1
good.....	2
partly good/partly bad.....	3
bad.....	4
very bad .....	5
don't know .....	88
refused.....	99

Q33a [IF Q12a1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 OR Q12b1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5]

How would you rate the general performance of Heinz-Christian Strache in this debate?

very good .....	1
good.....	2
partly good/partly bad.....	3
bad.....	4
very bad .....	5
don't know .....	88
refused.....	99

Q33b [IF Q12a1 = 77 AND Q16 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5]

Based on what you have seen, read or heard after the TV debate: How would you rate the general performance of Heinz-Christian Strache in this debate?

very good .....	1
good.....	2
partly good/partly bad.....	3
bad.....	4
very bad .....	5
don't know .....	88
refused.....	99

Q34 [IF Q12a1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 OR Q12b1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 OR Q16 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5]  
Regardless of your personal preference for a party or a candidate, what would you say: Who won the TV debate on Tuesday, 17 September 2013 on ORF?

Werner Faymann .....	1
Heinz-Christian Strache.....	2
no winner ascertained .....	3
don't know .....	88
refused.....	99

#### RANDOMISE QUESTION ORDER OF ITEMS [Q35 AND Q36]

Q35 [IF Q16 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5]  
How would you personally assess the media coverage of Werner Faymann's appearance on television after his debate?

very good .....	1
good.....	2
partly good/ partly bad .....	3
bad.....	4
very bad .....	5
don't know .....	88
refused.....	99

Q36 [IF Q16 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5]

How would you personally assess the media coverage of Heinz-Christian Strache's appearance on television after his debate?

very good .....	1
good.....	2
partly good/ partly bad .....	3
bad.....	4
very bad .....	5
don't know .....	88
refused.....	99

Q37 [IF Q16 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5]

Regardless of your personal preference for a party or a candidate, what would you say: Who do you think was presented as the winner of the TV debate on Tuesday, 17 September 2013, by the media?

Werner Faymann .....	1
Heinz-Christian Strache.....	2
no winner identifiable.....	3
don't know .....	88
refused.....	99

**RANDOMISE QUESTION ORDER OF ITEMS [Q38 AND Q39]**

**Q38** [IF Q12a1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 OR Q12b1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5]

What is your personal impression of Werner Faymann’s television appearance?  
Please assess their appearance using the following contrasting characteristics. You can use the values in between to give a more precise answer. The middle value corresponds with a neutral answer [‘neither nor’].

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
competent	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	incompetent
sympathetic	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	unsympathetic
boring	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	interesting
intelligent	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	unintelligent
weak	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	powerful
dishonest	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	honest
arrogant	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	modest
relaxed	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	fearful
shy	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	self-confident
fair	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	unfair
cold	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	compassionate
ugly	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	attractive
dynamic	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	sluggish
reassuring	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	threatening
cheerful	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	angry
don't know .....								88
refused.....								99

Q39 [IF Q12a1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 OR Q12b1 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5]

What is your personal impression of Werner Faymann’s television appearance?

Please assess their appearance using the following contrasting characteristics. You can use the values in between to give a more precise answer. The middle value corresponds with a neutral answer [‘neither nor’].

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
competent	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	incompetent
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arrogant	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	modest
relaxed	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	fearful
shy	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	self-confident
fair	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	unfair
cold	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	compassionate
ugly	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	attractive
dynamic	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	sluggish
reassuring	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	threatening
cheerful	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	angry

don’t know ..... 88

refused..... 99

SPLIT B [FAYMANN VERSUS STRACHE] END

Q40 How certain are you today that you will vote in the national parliamentary elections on the 29th of September 2013?

I will definitely not vote .....0  
to  
I will definitely vote ..... 10  
  
I have cast my vote by mail ..... 77  
refused ..... 99

Q41 [IF Q40 = 77 (POSTAL VOTERS)]

When did you vote by mail?

today .....1  
yesterday ..... 2  
the day before yesterday..... 3  
during last 7 days..... 4  
during the last 14 days ..... 5  
during the last 21 days .....6  
  
don't know ..... 88  
refused..... 99



Q42 [IF Q40 = 77 (POSTAL VOTERS)]

And which party did you vote for?

SPÖ.....	1
ÖVP.....	2
FPÖ.....	3
BZÖ.....	4
The Greens.....	5
Team Stronach .....	6
KPÖ .....	7
NEOS.....	8
Pirates.....	9
CPÖ (Christian Party of Austria).....	10
other party .....	11
I cast an invalid ballot.....	12
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q43 [IF Q40 = 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10]

And which party do you think you will vote for?

SPÖ.....	1
ÖVP.....	2
FPÖ.....	3
BZÖ.....	4
The Greens.....	5
Team Stronach .....	6
KPÖ .....	7
NEOS.....	8
Pirates.....	9
CPÖ (Christian Party of Austria).....	10
other party .....	11
undecided.....	12
I will cast an invalid ballot.....	13
refused.....	99

Q44 [IF Q40 < 4 OR 88 OR 99]

Assuming you did vote in the elections, which party would you most likely vote for?

SPÖ.....	1
ÖVP.....	2
FPÖ.....	3
BZÖ.....	4
The Greens.....	5
Team Stronach .....	6
KPÖ .....	7
NEOS.....	8
Pirates.....	9
CPÖ (Christian Party of Austria).....	10
other party .....	11
I would cast an invalid ballot.....	12
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q45 Do you think that the outcome of the election is still undecided, or is the winner of the election all but certain?

outcome still undecided.....	1
winner all but certain.....	2
don't know .....	88
refused.....	99

Q46a [IF Q45 = 2]

And who do you think will be the winner of the election?

[MULTIPLE RESPONSES POSSIBLE]

SPÖ.....	1
ÖVP.....	2
FPÖ.....	3
BZÖ.....	4
The Greens.....	5
Team Stronach.....	6
KPÖ.....	7
NEOS.....	8
Pirates.....	9
CPÖ (Christian Party of Austria).....	10
other party.....	11
refused.....	99

Q46b [IF Q46a = 11]

And who do you think will be the winner of the election?

\_\_\_\_\_

refused.....	99
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Q47 How proud are you to be Austrian?

very proud .....	1
proud.....	2
partly proud, partly not so proud .....	3
not very proud.....	4
not at all proud.....	5
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q48 What would you say: How has the living together between Austrians and immigrants changed **over the past three years**? Has it ...

got much better.....	1
got somewhat better.....	2
stayed the same .....	3
got somewhat worse .....	4
got much worse .....	5
don't know .....	88
refused.....	99

Q49 What would you say: How has the economic situation in Austria **over the past twelve months** changed? Has it...

got much better .....	1
got somewhat better.....	2
stayed the same .....	3
got somewhat worse .....	4
got much worse .....	5
don't know .....	88
refused .....	99

Q50 [ONLY FROM SEPTEMBER 11–12, 2013]

Did you watch the Football World Cup qualifying game Austria – Ireland on 10 September 2013?

yes .....	1
no .....	2
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q51 [ONLY FROM SEPTEMBER 11–12, 2013]

[IF Q50 = 1]

How would you evaluate the performance of the Austrian national team in the game against Ireland?

very bad performance .....	1
to	
very good performance .....	5
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

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Now we are going to present you some Chinese characters.  
Please assess whether you like these characters more or less than average Chinese characters.  
Press the spacebar to continue.

Watch out! The Chinese characters are only shown for 250 milliseconds. Therefore an assessment needs to be reached quickly.

Remember your first evaluation until a question mark ("?",) appears. Only then will you be able to rate the Chinese characters.

Please answer spontaneously and intuitively.

To evaluate the ideographs please use the "E" and "I" keys on your keyboard:

- "E" stands for: "I like it less than an average Chinese character."
- "I" stands for: "I like it more than an average Chinese character."

Press the spacebar to continue.



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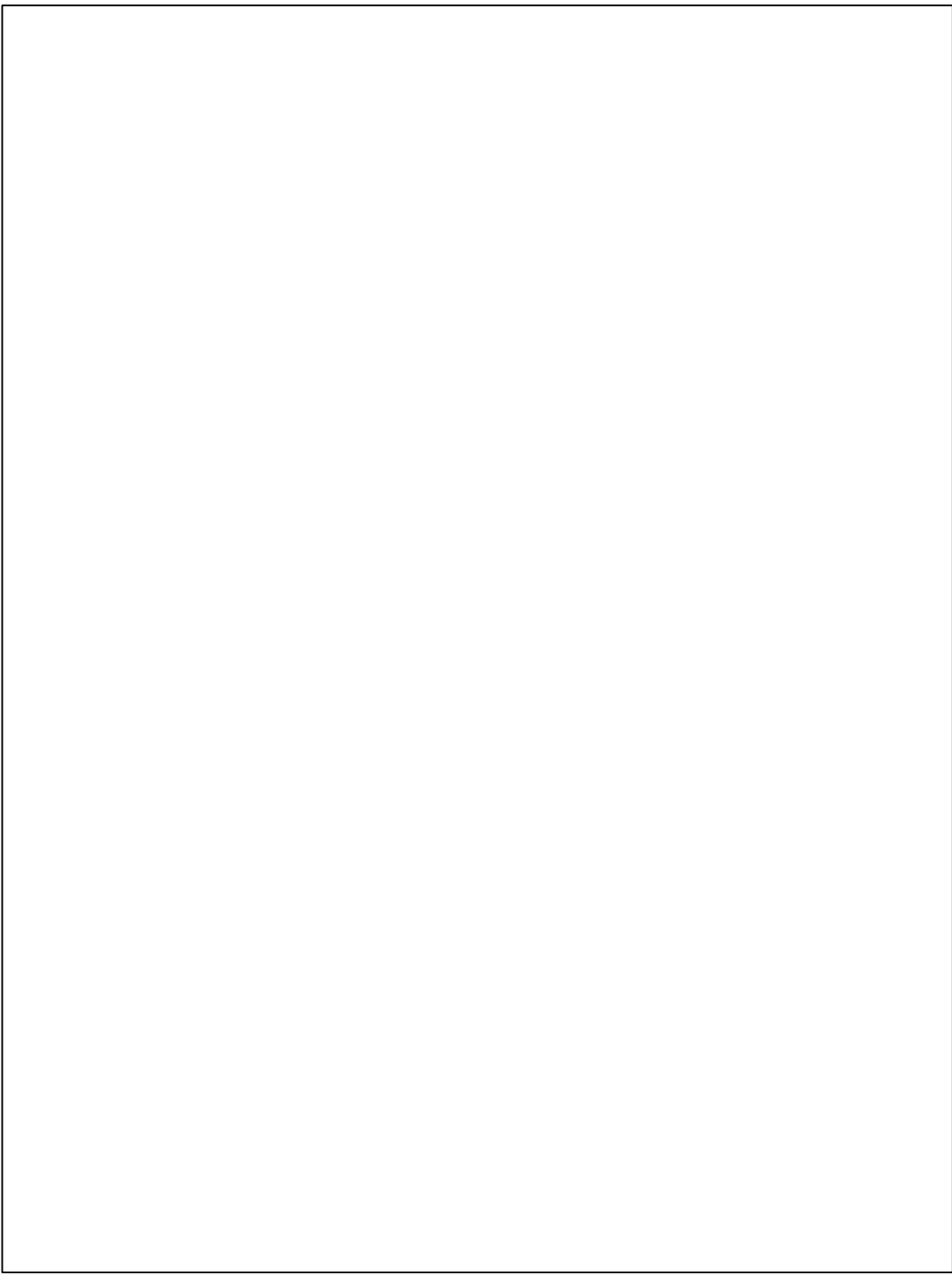
Once again:

- o Press the "E" key for: "I like it more than an average Chinese character"
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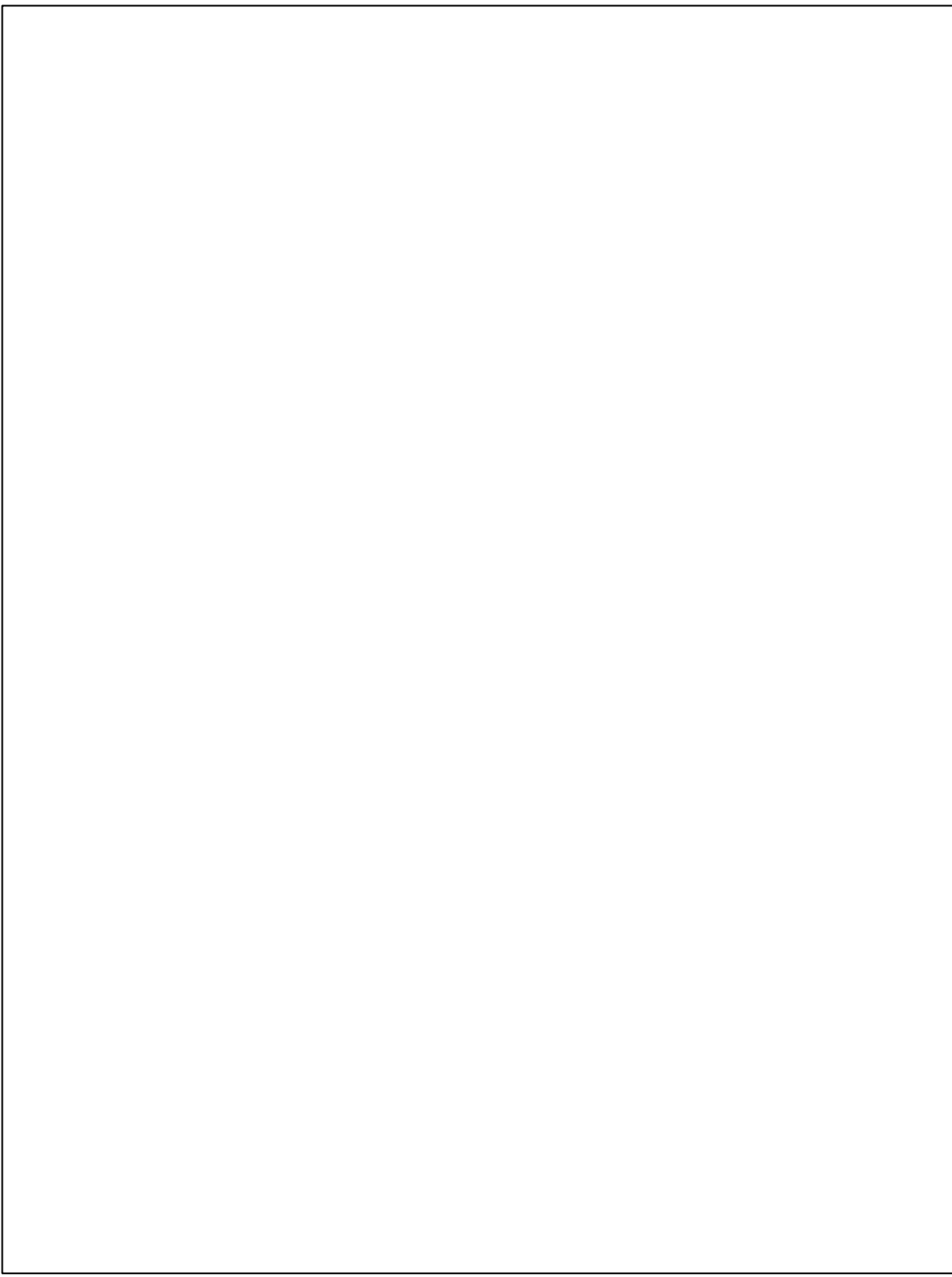
You will start when you press the spacebar. This last part of the survey is going to take approx. 3 minutes.

Press the spacebar to continue.

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Please evaluate whether you like the Chinese character more or less than the average Chinese character.

**Worse than average: "E" key**

**Better than average: "I" key**

Thank you very much for your ongoing support!

The invitation for the third survey will be sent to you before the general election. This third survey will be shorter. We thank you in advance for your cooperation in the third survey wave.



## AUTNES Online Panel Study - Wave 3

**Welcome to this Panel-Study.**

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In order to do so, Javascript has to be activated.

- It is possible to change or delete answers with single questions and sub-questions.
- However, please note that you cannot change the answer once you hit the “Weiter“-Button [Forward button].
- To start the questionnaire, please press the “Weiter“- Button [Forward button].

This study is carried out on behalf of the University of Vienna. The survey takes about 15 minutes. Your participation in the study is very important for its success. The interviews and all your information remain anonymous according to data protection standards. It will not be possible to identify you based on your responses.

Q1      How closely are you following the current election campaign? Very closely, fairly closely, not very closely, or not at all closely?

very closely .....	1
fairly closely .....	2
not very closely .....	3
not at all closely .....	4
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q2      Generally speaking, what do you think of the ongoing election campaign? Please think of the election campaign in general and not of any specific parties or politicians. Do you think the election campaign is very, fairly, a little, not at all...

- Item 1      fair
- Item 2      aggressive
- Item 3      boring
- Item 4      entertaining

very .....	1
fairly .....	2
a little .....	3
not at all .....	4
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q3a Which of the TV debates on the ORF between the top candidates accompanying the national parliamentary elections did you watch? Please think of all TV debates on the ORF between the top candidates, including those that you may have watched before the last survey.

- Item 1 Television debate between Heinz-Christian Strache and Eva Glawischnig on Thursday, 29 August 2013, 20:15
- Item 2 Television debate between Josef Bucher and Frank Stronach on Thursday, 29 August 2013, 21:05
- Item 3 Television debate between Michael Spindelegger and Frank Stronach on Tuesday, 3 September 2013, 20:15
- Item 4 Television debate between Werner Faymann and Josef Bucher on Tuesday, 3 September 2013, 21:05
- Item 5 Television debate between Werner Faymann and Frank Stronach on Thursday, 5 September 2013, 20:15
- Item 6 Television debate between Michael Spindelegger and Josef Bucher on Thursday, 5 September 2013, 21:05
- Item 7 Television debate between Werner Faymann and Eva Glawischnig on Monday, 9 September 2013, 20:15
- Item 8 Television debate between Michael Spindelegger and Heinz-Christian Strache on Monday, 9 September 2013, 21:05
- Item 9 Television debate between Heinz-Christian Strache and Frank Stronach on Thursday, 12 September 2013, 20:15
- Item 10 Television debate between Eva Glawischnig and Josef Bucher on Thursday, 12 September 2013, 21:05
- Item 11 Television debate between Michael Spindelegger and Eva Glawischnig on Tuesday, 17 September 2013, 20:15
- Item 12 Television debate between Werner Faymann and Heinz-Christian Strache on Tuesday, 17 September 2013, 21:05
- Item 13 Television debate between Heinz-Christian Strache and Josef Bucher on Thursday, 19 September 2013, 20:15
- Item 14 Television debate between Eva Glawischnig and Frank Stronach on Thursday, 19 September 2013, 21:05

Item 15 Television debate between Werner Faymann and Michael Spindelegger  
on Tuesday, 24 September 2013, 20:15

not mentioned ..... 0  
mentioned ..... 1  
  
don't know ..... 88  
refused ..... 99

Q3b [IF DEBATE ITEM 1 TO ITEM 15 SELECTED AT Q3a]

And how did you watch the TV debates on the ORF?

[MULTIPLE RESPONSES POSSIBLE]

- Item 1 Television debate between Heinz-Christian Strache and Eva Glawischnig  
on Thursday, 29 August 2013, 20:15
- Item 2 Television debate between Josef Bucher and Frank Stronach on  
Thursday, 29 August 2013, 21:05
- Item 3 Television debate between Michael Spindelegger and Frank Stronach on  
Tuesday, 3 September 2013, 20:15
- Item 4 Television debate between Werner Faymann and Josef Bucher on  
Tuesday, 3 September 2013, 21:05
- Item 5 Television debate between Werner Faymann and Frank Stronach on  
Thursday, 5 September 2013, 20:15
- Item 6 Television debate between Michael Spindelegger and Josef Bucher on  
Thursday, 5 September 2013, 21:05
- Item 7 Television debate between Werner Faymann and Eva Glawischnig on  
Monday, 9 September 2013, 20:15
- Item 8 Television debate between Michael Spindelegger and Heinz-Christian  
Strache on Monday, 9 September 2013, 21:05
- Item 9 Television debate between Heinz-Christian Strache and Frank Stronach  
on Thursday, 12 September 2013, 20:15
- Item 10 Television debate between Eva Glawischnig and Josef Bucher on  
Thursday, 12 September 2013, 21:05

- Item 11     Television debate between Michael Spindelegger and Eva Glawischnig  
on Tuesday, 17 September 2013, 20:15
- Item 12     Television debate between Werner Faymann and Heinz-Christian  
Strache on Tuesday, 17 September 2013, 21:05
- Item 13     Television debate between Heinz-Christian Strache and Josef Bucher on  
Thursday, 19 September 2013, 20:15
- Item 14     Television debate between Eva Glawischnig and Frank Stronach on  
Thursday, 19 September 2013, 21:05
- Item 15     Television debate between Werner Faymann and Michael Spindelegger  
on Tuesday, 24 September 2013, 20:15

during the television broadcast on ORF 2	
or via the live stream.....	1
later on the ORF-TVthek .....	2
extracts in news reports.....	3
extracts online	
[in YouTube-videos, links, or something similar].....	4
somewhere else .....	5
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q3c     [IF AT LEAST ONE ITEM Q3b = 5]

And how did you watch the television debate on ORF?

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don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q4 What other TV programmes about the general election did you watch during the campaign?

- Item 1 Puls 4 "Wahlarena" with Josef Bucher on 19 August 2013
- Item 2 Puls 4 TV-Debate between Werner Faymann and Michael Spindelegger on 26 August 2013
- Item 3 Puls 4 "Wahlarena" with Eva Glawischnig on 2 September 2013
- Item 4 Puls 4 "Wahlarena" with Frank Stronach on 9 September 2013
- Item 5 ORF "Wahlfahrt" with Josef Bucher and Frank Stronach on 11 September 2013
- Item 6 Puls 4 "Wahlarena" with Michael Spindelegger on 15 September 2013
- Item 7 Puls 4 discussion between the opposition parties on 15 September 2013
- Item 8 Puls 4 "Wahlarena" with Heinz-Christian Strache on 16 September 2013
- Item 9 ORF "Wahlfahrt" with Eva Glawischnig and Heinz-Christian Strache on 18 September 2013
- Item 10 ATV "Meine Wahl" with the top candidates on 22 September 2013
- Item 11 Puls 4 "Wahlarena" with Werner Faymann on 23 September 2013
- Item 12 Puls 4 "Wahlarena" with Hans Peter Haselsteiner [NEOS] on 23 September 2013
- Item 13 ORF "Wahlfahrt" with Michael Spindelegger and Werner Faymann on 25 September 2013
- Item 14 ORF final discussion round with the top candidates on 26 September 2013

not mentioned ..... 0

mentioned ..... 1

don't know ..... 88

refused ..... 99

Q5 Which issues are most important to you personally in the upcoming national parliamentary election on 29 September 2013?

[MULTIPLE RESPONSES POSSIBLE, MAXIUM THREE]

Item 1 job market/employment

Item 2 European policy

Item 3 social policy

Item 4 party behaviour

Item 5 economic policy

Item 6 national debt

Item 7 pension/old-age income security

Item 8 migration/immigration

Item 9 housing

Item 10 family policy

Item 11 education policy

Item 12 tax justice

Item 13 overcoming the financial and Euro crisis

Item 14 environmental protection

Item 15 fight against crime

Item 16 asylum policy

not mentioned ..... 0

mentioned ..... 1

refused ..... 99

Q6 What would you say: How has the living together between Austrians and immigrants changed **over the past three years**? Has it ...

got much better.....	1
got somewhat better.....	2
stayed the same .....	3
got somewhat worse .....	4
got much worse .....	5
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q7 What would you say: How has the economic situation in Austria **over the past twelve months** changed? Has it...

got much better .....	1
got somewhat better.....	2
stayed the same .....	3
got somewhat worse .....	4
got much worse .....	5
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99



Q8      There are several parties in Austria, each of which would like to receive your vote.  
Using the scale of 0 to 10, how likely is it that you would ever vote for each of the  
following parties?

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1      SPÖ
- Item 2      ÖVP
- Item 3      FPÖ
- Item 4      The Greens
- Item 5      Team Stronach
- Item 6      BZÖ
- Item 7      NEOS

very unlikely ..... 0

to

very likely ..... 10

haven't heard of party ..... 77

refused ..... 99

Q9 Below you will find some statements that describe people. Do you completely agree, somewhat agree, partly agree, partly disagree, somewhat disagree, or completely disagree with each of the following statements? I...

- Item 1 ... am reserved
- Item 2 ... am generally trusting, believe in the good in people.
- Item 3 ... tend to be lazy
- Item 4 ... am relaxed, handle stress well
- Item 5 ... have few artistic interests
- Item 6 ... am outgoing, sociable
- Item 7 ... tend to find fault with others
- Item 8 ... do a thorough job
- Item 9 ... get nervous easily
- Item 10 ... have an active imagination

completely agree.....	1
somewhat agree.....	2
partly agree/disagree .....	3
somewhat disagree .....	4
completely disagree .....	5
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q10 Assuming you could directly elect the next Chancellor, which of the following persons would you elect as Chancellor?

[RANDOMISE]

Werner Faymann .....	1
Michael Spindelegger .....	2
Heinz-Christian Strache.....	3
Josef Bucher.....	4
Eva Glawischnig .....	5
Frank Stronach .....	6
none of the above .....	77
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q11 How much do you like the following politicians?

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 Werner Faymann  
Item 2 Michael Spindelegger  
Item 3 Heinz-Christian Strache

strongly dislike .....	0
to	
strongly like .....	10
don't know that person.....	77
refused .....	99

Q12 Now let's turn to specific characteristics of some of the top candidates. Let's begin with **competence**, that is, whether a politician is knowledgeable about dealing with political issues. Do you consider the following politicians to be very, fairly, a little bit or not at all competent?

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 Werner Faymann
- Item 2 Michael Spindelegger
- Item 3 Heinz-Christian Strache

very competent .....	1
fairly competent.....	2
a little bit competent.....	3
not at all competent.....	4
don't know that person .....	77
refused .....	99

Q13 Now about **honesty**, that is, whether a politician is an honest person. Do you consider the following politicians to be very, fairly, a little bit or not at all honest?

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 Werner Faymann
- Item 2 Michael Spindelegger
- Item 3 Heinz-Christian Strache

very honest.....	1
fairly honest .....	2
a little bit honest.....	3
not at all honest .....	4
don't know that person .....	77
refused .....	99

Q14 And now to the subject of **charisma**, that is, the impression politicians make on the public. What do you think, are the following politicians very, fairly, a little bit or not at all charismatic?

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 Werner Faymann
- Item 2 Michael Spindelegger
- Item 3 Heinz-Christian Strache

very charismatic ..... 1  
fairly charismatic..... 2  
a little bit charismatic ..... 3  
not at all charismatic..... 4

don't know that person ..... 77  
refused ..... 99

Q15 And now the candidates' **assertiveness**, that is, whether a politician can translate his ideas into policy. Do you think the following politicians are very, fairly, a little bit, or not at all assertive?

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 Werner Faymann
- Item 2 Michael Spindelegger
- Item 3 Heinz-Christian Strache

very assertive..... 1  
fairly assertive..... 2  
a little bit assertive ..... 3  
not at all assertive..... 4

don't know that person ..... 77  
refused ..... 99

Q16 How certain are you today that you will vote in the national parliamentary elections on the 29th of September 2013?

I will definitely not vote .....0  
to  
I will definitely vote ..... 10  
  
I have cast my vote by mail ..... 77  
refused..... 99

Q17 [IF Q16 = 77 (POSTAL VOTERS)]  
When did you vote by mail?

today .....1  
yesterday ..... 2  
the day before yesterday..... 3  
during last 7 days..... 4  
during the last 14 days ..... 5  
during the last 21 days .....6  
  
don't know ..... 88  
refused..... 99

Q18 [IF Q16 = 77 (POSTAL VOTERS)]

And which party did you vote for?

SPÖ.....	1
ÖVP.....	2
FPÖ.....	3
BZÖ.....	4
The Greens.....	5
Team Stronach .....	6
KPÖ .....	7
NEOS.....	8
Pirates.....	9
CPÖ (Christian Party of Austria).....	10
other party .....	11
I cast an invalid ballot.....	12
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q19 [IF Q16 = 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10]

And which party do you think you will vote for?

SPÖ.....	1
ÖVP.....	2
FPÖ.....	3
BZÖ.....	4
The Greens.....	5
Team Stronach .....	6
KPÖ .....	7
NEOS.....	8
Pirates.....	9
CPÖ (Christian Party of Austria).....	10
other party .....	11
undecided.....	12
I will cast invalid ballot.....	13
refused.....	99



Q20 [IF Q16 < 4 OR 88 OR 99]

Assuming you did vote in the election, which party would you most likely vote for?

SPÖ.....	1
ÖVP.....	2
FPÖ.....	3
BZÖ.....	4
The Greens.....	5
Team Stronach .....	6
KPÖ .....	7
NEOS.....	8
Pirates.....	9
CPÖ (Christian Party of Austria).....	10
other party .....	11
I would cast invalid ballot.....	12
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q21 Using a scale from 0 to 10, please indicate to what extent you would prefer a coalition between the following parties regardless of how likely the coalition is. 0 means, I do not prefer this coalition at all and 10 means, I very much prefer this coalition.

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 SPÖ and ÖVP
- Item 2 ÖVP and FPÖ
- Item 3 SPÖ and FPÖ
- Item 4 SPÖ and the Greens
- Item 5 ÖVP and the Greens
- Item 6 SPÖ, ÖVP and the Greens
- Item 7 ÖVP, FPÖ, and Team Stronach
- Item 8 SPÖ, ÖVP, and Team Stronach
- Item 9 ÖVP, the Greens, and Team Stronach
- Item 10 SPÖ, the Greens, and Team Stronach

I do not prefer it at all.....0

to

I very much prefer it ..... 10

don't know..... 88

refused ..... 99

Q22 How likely do you think it is that the following parties will form a coalition after the election?

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 SPÖ and ÖVP
- Item 2 ÖVP and FPÖ
- Item 3 SPÖ and FPÖ
- Item 4 SPÖ and the Greens
- Item 5 ÖVP and the Greens
- Item 6 SPÖ, ÖVP and the Greens
- Item 7 ÖVP, FPÖ, and Team Stronach
- Item 8 SPÖ, ÖVP, and Team Stronach
- Item 9 ÖVP, the Greens, and Team Stronach
- Item 10 SPÖ, the Greens, and Team Stronach

very likely ..... 1  
fairly likely..... 2  
fairly unlikely ..... 3  
very unlikely..... 4  
  
don't know..... 88  
refused ..... 99

Q23 Do you think that the outcome of the election is still undecided, or is the winner of the election all but certain?

outcome still undecided..... 1  
winner all but certain..... 2  
  
don't know ..... 88  
refused..... 99

Q24a [IF Q23 = 2]

And who do you think will be the winner of the election?

[MULTIPLE RESPONSES POSSIBLE]

SPÖ.....	1
ÖVP.....	2
FPÖ.....	3
BZÖ.....	4
The Greens .....	5
Team Stronach .....	6
KPÖ .....	7
NEOS.....	8
Pirates.....	9
CPÖ (Christian Party of Austria) .....	10
other party.....	11
refused .....	99

Q24b [IF Q24a = 11]

And who do you think will be the winner of the election?

\_\_\_\_\_

refused ..... 99

Q25 On the whole, how satisfied are you with the way democracy works in Austria? Very satisfied, fairly satisfied, fairly dissatisfied or very dissatisfied?

very satisfied..... 1  
fairly satisfied..... 2  
fairly dissatisfied..... 3  
very dissatisfied ..... 4  
  
don't know..... 88  
refused ..... 99

Q26 What is the answer for the two questions below?

**Question A:** Is your mother's birthday in January, February, or March?

**Question B:** If you think of your living arrangements, would you prefer a neighbourhood where no Muslims live?

no to both questions or yes to both questions..... 1  
no to exactly one question and yes to exactly one question..... 2  
  
refused ..... 99

[→ FORWARDING TO SINGLE-TARGET IMPLICIT ASSOCIATION TEST [SC-IAT]]

In the next task, you will categorize words or images as fast as you can. This part of the study will take about 5 minutes. The following is a list of category labels and the items that belong to each of those categories.

#### Category

Good  
Bad  
FPÖ

#### Items

Love, Luck, Joy, Fun, Peace  
Pain, Torture, Fear, Hate, Murder  
FPÖ, Die FPÖ, Die Blauen, Die Freiheitlichen

#### Instructions

- Keep fingers on the 'E' and 'I' key to enable rapid response.
- Labels at the top will tell you which items go with each key.
- Go as fast as you can.
- If you go too slowly or make too many mistakes, the test gives no results.
- Avoid distractions and stay focused.

Begin Task.

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If you move away from the task, you may need to click inside the white border to continue.

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Put your middle or index fingers on the **E** and **I** keys of your keyboard. Words representing the categories at the top will appear one-by-one in the middle of the screen. When the item belongs to a category on the left, press the **E** key, when the item belongs to the category on the right, press the **I** key. If you make an error, an **X** will appear – fix the error by hitting the other key.

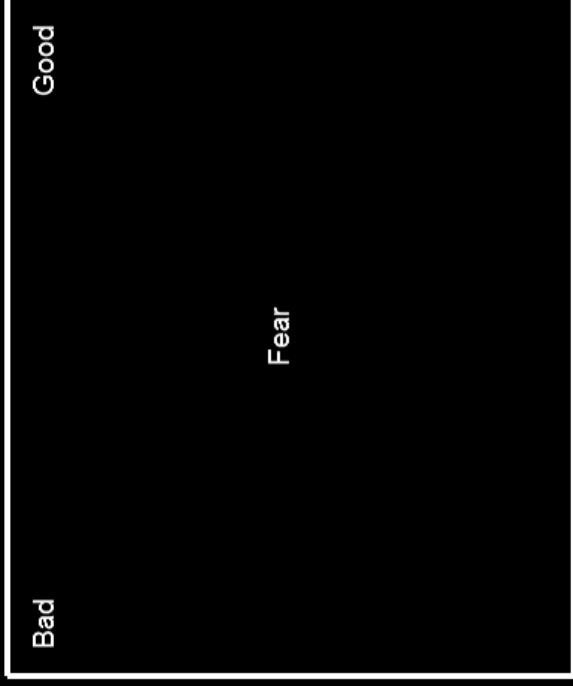
This is a timed sorting task. **GO AS FAST AS YOU CAN** while making as few mistakes as possible. Going too slow or making too many errors will result in an uninterpretable score.

Press the **space bar** to begin.

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Bad

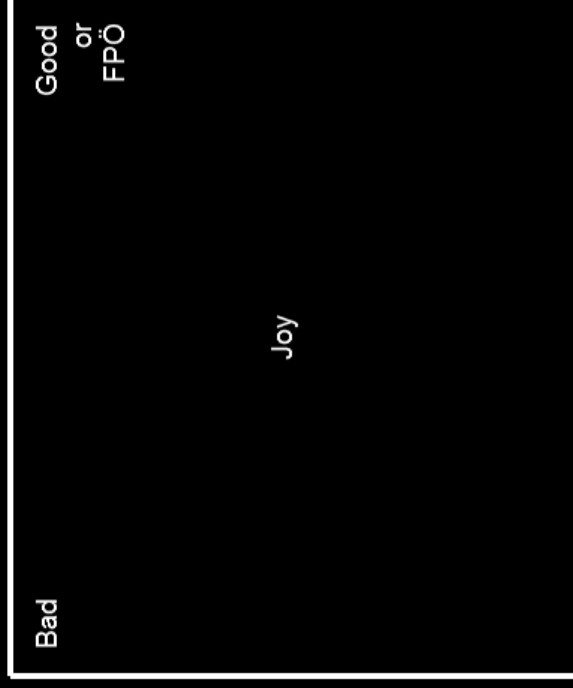
Good  
or  
FPÖ

See above, now there is a third category. Like before, when an item belongs to a category on the left, press the **E** key, when an item belongs to a category on the right, press the **I** key. Items belong to only one category.

This is a timed sorting task. **GO AS FAST AS YOU CAN** while making as few mistakes as possible. Going too slow or making too many errors will result in an uninterpretable score.

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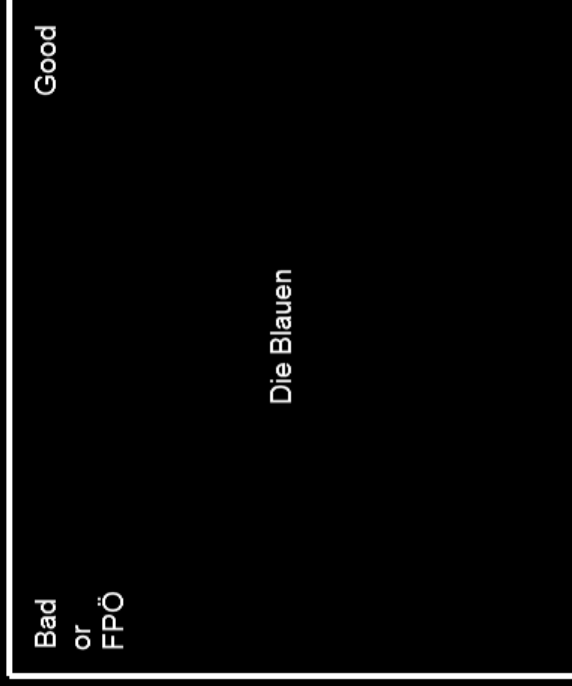
Bad  
or  
FPÖ

Good

See above, the categories have changed. The items for sorting have changed as well. The rules, however, are the same. When the item belongs to a category on the left, press the **E** key; when the item belongs to a category on the right, press the **I** key. Items belong to only one category. **GO AS FAST AS YOU CAN.**

Press the **space bar** to begin.

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## AUTNES Online Panel Study - Wave 4

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Q1a One can have different opinions on various political issues. We will now present to you a series of political statements. Please indicate to what extent you agree with the following statements.

Please also indicate how important these issues are to you. The value 0 means “less important” and the value 10 means “very important”. You can use the values in between to give a more precise answer.

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 Politics should keep out of the economy.
- Item 2 Politics should balance differences between large and small incomes.
- Item 3 Unemployment needs to be fought, even at the expense of high national debt.
- Item 4 In case of equal qualification women should be favoured at a job application.
- Item 5 In a nursery small children are taken care of just as well as they are by their parents or grandparents.
- Item 6 Same-sex unions should be granted the same rights as marriage between a man and a woman.
- Item 7 Criminals need to be punished severely.
- Item 8 After primary school there should be a comprehensive school for all children until the age of 14.
- Item 9 We need to protect the environment, even if life becomes expensive for everyone.
- Item 10 Austria’s cultural life is enriched by immigrants.  
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- Item 11 Austria should take a tough stance on admission of asylum seekers.
- Item 12 Immigration to Austria must be stopped.



completely agree.....	1
somewhat agree.....	2
partly agree/disagree .....	3
somewhat disagree .....	4
completely disagree .....	5
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

[AND]

Q1b And how important is this issue?

less important .....	0
to	
very important.....	10
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q2 During the national parliamentary election on 29 September 2013 many people could not vote or had good reasons why they did not want to vote. What about you?  
Which of the following statements best applies to you?

I did not vote in the national parliamentary election on 29 September...	1
I considered voting, but did not do so this time.....	2
I usually vote but didn't this time .....	3
I am sure I voted in the national election on 29 September .....	4
I cast my vote by mail .....	5
refused .....	99

Q3 [IF Q2 = 4, 5]

Which party did you vote for at the national elections on 29 September?

SPÖ.....	1
ÖVP.....	2
FPÖ.....	3
BZÖ.....	4
The Greens.....	5
Team Stronach.....	6
KPÖ.....	7
NEOS .....	8
Pirates .....	9
CPÖ (Christian Party of Austria) .....	10
other party.....	11
I cast invalid ballot.....	12
refused .....	99

Q4 [IF Q2 = 4 OR 5 AND Q3 <11]

And when did you approximately decide to vote for this particular party?

well before the election.....	1
1 or 2 weeks before the election .....	2
a few days before the election .....	3
on the election day.....	4
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q5 Which issues were most important to you personally in the national parliamentary election on 29 September 2013?

[MULTIPLE RESPONSES POSSIBLE, MAXIMUM THREE]

- Item 1 job market/employment
- Item 2 European policy
- Item 3 social policy
- Item 4 party behaviour
- Item 5 economic policy
- Item 6 national debt
- Item 7 pension/old-age income security
- Item 8 migration/immigration
- Item 9 housing
- Item 10 family policy
- Item 11 education policy
- Item 12 tax justice
- Item 13 overcoming the financial and Euro crisis
- Item 14 environmental protection
- Item 15 fight against crime
- Item 16 asylum policy

not mentioned ..... 0

mentioned ..... 1

refused ..... 99

Q6 How would you assess the state of economy in your region compared to other parts of Austria? Is the state of the economy in your region compared to the rest of Austria...

much better .....	1
somewhat better.....	2
about the same .....	3
somewhat worse .....	4
much worse .....	5
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q7 Over the **past 1 to 2 years**, has your personal economic situation ...

got much better.....	1
got somewhat better.....	2
stayed the same .....	3
got somewhat worse .....	4
got much worse .....	5
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q8 How likely or unlikely is it that you improve your standard of living **in the next ten years**?

very likely .....	1
fairly likely.....	2
fairly unlikely .....	3
very unlikely.....	4
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q9 How likely or unlikely is it that your household's income could be severely reduced in the next twelve months?

very likely .....	1
fairly likely.....	2
fairly unlikely .....	3
very unlikely.....	4
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

Q10 On the whole, how satisfied are you with the way democracy works in Austria? Very satisfied, fairly satisfied, fairly dissatisfied or very dissatisfied?

very satisfied.....	1
fairly satisfied.....	2
fairly dissatisfied.....	3
very dissatisfied .....	4
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

**SPLIT A BEGINNING**

Q11      Below you will see things that some people have done, but others not. Please indicate how many of these things you did in the past 3 years.

- wrote a letter to the editor
- was an active member in a club/society
- changed my main place of residence
- donated money

0 .....	0
1 .....	1
2 .....	2
3 .....	3
4 .....	4
don't know .....	88
refused .....	99

**SPLIT A END**

## SPLIT B BEGINNING

Q11 Below you will see things that some people have done, but others not. Please indicate how many of these things you did in the past 3 years.

- wrote a letter to the editor
- was an active member in a club/society
- voted for FPÖ in the national parliamentary election
- changed my main place of residence
- donated money

0 .....	0
1 .....	1
2 .....	2
3 .....	3
4 .....	4
5 .....	5
don't know .....	88
refused .....	99

## SPLIT B END

This was the last part of this study. The University of Vienna thanks for your support and participation in this research project.

**AUTNES Online Panel Study - Wave 5**

**[European Election Study 2014]**

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Q1 Generally speaking, are you very, fairly, a little or not at all interested in politics?

very interested ..... 1  
fairly interested ..... 2  
a little interested ..... 3  
not at all interested ..... 4  
  
don't know ..... 88

Q2 How satisfied are you with the record of the current federal government (SPÖ-ÖVP coalition) as of today?

very satisfied ..... 1  
fairly satisfied ..... 2  
fairly dissatisfied ..... 3  
very dissatisfied ..... 4  
  
don't know ..... 88

Q3 How often do you inform yourself about the political events in the European Union?

- Item 1 through television
- Item 2 through newspapers
- Item 3 through the radio
- Item 4 through the internet

almost every day.....1  
several times a week..... 2  
several times a month ..... 3  
less frequently..... 4  
never..... 5  
  
don't know..... 88

Q4 On 25 May European elections were held. Did you follow the election campaign very closely, fairly closely, not very closely, or not at all closely?

very closely .....1  
fairly closely ..... 2  
not very closely ..... 3  
not at all closely ..... 4  
  
don't know..... 88

Q5      Generally speaking, what do you think of the ongoing election campaign? Please think of the election campaign in general and not of any specific parties or politicians. Do you think the election campaign is very, fairly, a little, or not at all...

- Item 1      fair
- Item 2      aggressive
- Item 3      boring
- Item 4      entertaining

very .....	1
fairly .....	2
a little .....	3
not at all .....	4
don't know .....	88

Q6 Which issues were most important to you personally in the European parliamentary elections on 25 May 2014?

[MULTIPLE RESPONSES POSSIBLE, MAXIMUM THREE]

- Item 1 job market/employment
- Item 2 European policy
- Item 3 social policy
- Item 4 party behaviour
- Item 5 economic policy
- Item 6 national debt
- Item 7 pension/old-age income security
- Item 8 migration/immigration
- Item 9 housing
- Item 10 family policy
- Item 11 education policy
- Item 12 tax justice
- Item 13 overcoming the financial and Euro crisis
- Item 16 environmental protection
- Item 17 fight against crime
- Item 18 asylum policy

not mentioned ..... 0

mentioned..... 1

Q7 And what do you think: at which level are the following issues currently dealt with?

- Item 1 job market/employment
- Item 2 European policy
- Item 3 social policy
- Item 4 party behaviour
- Item 5 economic policy
- Item 6 national debt
- Item 7 pension/old-age income security
- Item 8 migration/immigration
- Item 9 housing
- Item 10 family policy
- Item 11 education policy
- Item 12 tax justice
- Item 13 overcoming the financial and Euro crisis
- Item 16 environmental protection
- Item 17 fight against crime
- Item 18 asylum policy

at the local/regional level.....	1
at the national level .....	2
at the European level .....	3
don't know.....	88

Q8 How satisfied are you with the political decisions of the EU over the past twelve months?

very satisfied..... 1  
fairly satisfied..... 2  
fairly dissatisfied..... 3  
very dissatisfied ..... 4  
  
don't know..... 88

Q9 Over the past 1 to 2 years has your personal economic situation ...

got much better..... 1  
got somewhat better..... 2  
stayed the same ..... 3  
got somewhat worse ..... 4  
got much worse ..... 5  
  
don't know..... 88

Q10 What would you say: How has the economic situation in Austria over the past twelve months changed? Has it...

got much better..... 1  
got somewhat better..... 2  
stayed the same ..... 3  
got somewhat worse ..... 4  
got much worse ..... 5  
  
don't know..... 88

Q11 In Austria many people feel close to a political party, although they sometimes vote for another party. What about you? Generally speaking, do you feel close to a particular party?

yes ..... 1  
no ..... 2  
  
don't know..... 88

Q12 [IF Q11 = 2]

Do you generally think of yourself as a little closer to one of the parties than the others?

yes ..... 1  
no ..... 2  
  
don't know..... 88

Q13 [IF Q11 = 1 OR Q12 = 1]

Which party is that?

SPÖ..... 1  
ÖVP..... 2  
FPÖ..... 3  
The Greens ..... 4  
Team Stronach..... 5  
NEOS..... 6  
other party ..... 7  
  
don't know..... 88

Q14 [IF Q13 < 7]

Do you feel very close, fairly close or not very close to this party?

very close ..... 1  
fairly close..... 2  
not very close..... 3  
  
don't know..... 88

Q15 During the European parliamentary elections on 25 May 2014, many people could not vote or had good reasons why they did not want to vote. What about you? Which of the following statements best applies to you?

I did not vote in the European parliamentary election..... 1  
I considered voting, but did not do so this time..... 2  
I usually vote but didn't this time ..... 3  
I am sure I voted in the European parliamentary election on 25 May ... 4  
I cast my vote by mail ..... 5



Q16 [IF Q15 < 4]

We would like to know more about your decision not to participate at the European parliamentary elections on 25 May 2014. Please indicate to what extent you agree with the following statements.

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 I did not participate out of protest, as I am dissatisfied with politics.
- Item 2 I did not participate because I have no trust in politics.
- Item 3 I did not participate because I am not interested in politics and elections.
- Item 4 I did not participate because my vote is not significant, does not change anything.
- Item 5 I did not participate because I could not decide which party to vote for.
- Item 6 I did not participate because I was not sufficiently informed.
- Item 7 I did not participate because Austria has no say in the EU anyway.
- Item 8 I did not participate because the European election is not important.

completely agree..... 1  
somewhat agree..... 2  
partly agree/disagree ..... 3  
somewhat disagree ..... 4  
completely disagree ..... 5  
  
don't know..... 88

Q17 [IF Q15 = 4 OR 5]

We would like to know more about your decision to participate at the European parliamentary elections on 25 May 2014. Please indicate to what extent you agree with the following statements?

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 I participated because the positions of the party I voted for were convincing to me.
- Item 2 I participated because I wanted to influence the position of the president of the European Commission with my vote.
- Item 3 I participated because the Austrian candidates of the party I voted for were convincing to me.
- Item 4 I always participate in elections.
- Item 5 I wanted to protest against the political course of the federal government.
- Item 6 I participated since the European Parliament is an important institution.
- Item 7 I wanted to have a say in the course the EU is heading for.
- Item 8 I wanted to prevent a swing to the right.

completely agree.....	1
somewhat agree.....	2
partly agree/disagree .....	3
somewhat disagree .....	4
completely disagree .....	5
don't know.....	88

Q18 [IF Q15 = 4 OR 5]

Which party did you vote for at the European elections on 25 May?

SPÖ.....	1
ÖVP.....	2
FPÖ.....	3
The Greens .....	4
NEOS .....	5
BZÖ.....	6
Europa Anders (KPÖ, Pirates, Wandel und Unabhängige) .....	7
REKOS (List Ewald Stadler) .....	8
EUSTOP .....	9
I cast invalid ballot.....	10

Q19 In your opinion, does the membership in the European Union create more advantages or more disadvantages for Austria? Or does membership have neither advantages nor disadvantages?

more advantages .....	1
more disadvantages .....	2
neither advantages nor disadvantages .....	3
don't know.....	88

Q20 In politics people often talk about "left" and "right". Where would you place yourself on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 means "left" and 10 means "right". You can use the values in between to give a more precise answer.

left ..... 0  
to  
right ..... 10  
  
don't know ..... 88

Q21 How satisfied are you with the outcome of the European election on 25 May 2014?

very satisfied ..... 1  
fairly satisfied ..... 2  
partly satisfied/dissatisfied ..... 3  
fairly dissatisfied ..... 4  
very dissatisfied ..... 5  
  
don't know ..... 88

Q22 In general would you say the Austrian membership in the European Union is a good thing, a bad thing or neither good nor bad?

a good thing ..... 1  
a bad thing ..... 2  
neither good nor bad ..... 3  
  
don't know ..... 88

Q23 Some say that European Integration has already gone too far, others say the European Integration should go further. What is your opinion, using a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 means that European Integration has already gone too far, and 10 means that European Integration should go further?

European Integration has already gone too far .....0  
to  
European Integration should go further..... 10  
  
don't know..... 88

Q24 And where on this scale would you place the following political parties?

- Item 1 The SPÖ
- Item 2 The ÖVP
- Item 3 The FPÖ
- Item 4 The Greens
- Item 5 NEOS

European Integration has already gone too far .....0  
to  
European Integration should go further..... 10  
  
don't know..... 88

Q25 One can have different opinions on various political issues. We will now present to you a series of political statements. Please indicate to what extent you agree with the following statements.

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 Politics should keep out of the economy.
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- Item 3 Unemployment needs to be fought, even at the expense of high national debt.
- Item 4 In case of equal qualification women should be favoured at a job application.
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- Item 6 Same-sex unions should be granted the same rights as marriage between a man and a woman.
- Item 7 Criminals need to be punished severely.
- Item 8 After primary school there should be a comprehensive school for all children until the age of 14.
- Item 9 We need to protect the environment, even if life becomes expensive for everyone.
- Item 10 Austria's cultural life is enriched by immigrants.  
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- Item 11 Austria should take a tough stance on admission of asylum seekers.
- Item 12 Immigration to Austria must be stopped.
- Item 13 I have trust in the Euro.
- Item 14 The Euro will persist as a common currency in the long run.

completely agree.....	1
somewhat agree.....	2
partly agree/disagree .....	3
somewhat disagree .....	4
completely disagree .....	5
don't know.....	88

Q26 Now after the European Election campaign is over, do you feel more informed, less informed or just as informed about

- Item 1 the European Parliament
- Item 2 the Austrian Members of the European Parliament
- Item 3 the substantial issues in European politics.

more informed.....	1
just as informed.....	2
less informed .....	3
don't know.....	88

Q27 There are several parties in Austria, each of which would like to receive your vote. Using the scale of 0 to 10, how likely is it that you would **ever** vote for each of the following parties?

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 SPÖ
- Item 2 ÖVP
- Item 3 FPÖ
- Item 4 The Greens
- Item 5 NEOS
- Item 6 Team Stronach

very unlikely ..... 0  
 to  
 very likely ..... 10

haven't heard of party ..... 77

Q28 In your opinion, to what extent do you agree with the following statement?  
 "In times of crisis Austria should financially support EU member states that suffer from economic and financial distress."

completely agree..... 1  
 somewhat agree..... 2  
 partly agree/disagree ..... 3  
 somewhat disagree ..... 4  
 completely disagree ..... 5

don't know..... 88



Q29 How proud are you to be...

Item 1 European?

Item 2 Austrian?

very proud .....	1
proud.....	2
partly proud/not proud .....	3
not very proud.....	4
not at all proud.....	5
don't know.....	88

Q30 On the whole, how satisfied are you with the way democracy works...

Item 1 in the European Union?

Item 2 in Austria?

very satisfied.....	1
fairly satisfied.....	2
fairly dissatisfied.....	3
very dissatisfied .....	4
don't know.....	88

Q31 [IF IN WAVE 1 AGE [SD2 OR SD2b, RESPECTIVELY] ≤ 40]

During your time at school, did you ...

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

Item 1 talk about politics in class?

Item 2 talk about EU politics in class

Item 3 take part in a project about the European Union?

Item 4 participate in an EU exchange program?

yes ..... 1

no ..... 2

don't know..... 88

Q32 [IF IN WAVE 1 SD7 [HIGHEST LEVEL OF EDUCATION] = 9 [AHS], 10 [BHS],  
11 [HOCHSCHULVERWANDTE LEHRANSTALT], 12 [KOLLEG], 13 [BACHELOR],  
14 [MAGISTER/MASTER/DI/FH] OR 15 [DOCTOR/PHD] ]

Did you study a semester or a year in another EU member state in the context of  
ERASMUS, the exchange programme of the EU?

no, and I do not intend to ..... 1

no, but I intend to ..... 2

no, but in context of another exchange programme..... 3

yes ..... 4

don't know..... 88

Q33      Have you ever lived or worked in another EU member state?

- Item 1      lived in another EU member state.
- Item 2      worked in another EU member state

no, and I do not intend to .....	1
no, but I intend to .....	2
yes .....	3
don't know.....	88

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Now we are going to present you some Chinese characters.  
Please assess whether you like these characters more or less than average Chinese characters.  
Press the spacebar to continue.

Watch out! The Chinese characters are only shown for 250 milliseconds. Therefore an assessment needs to be reached quickly.

Remember your first evaluation until a question mark ("?",) appears. Only then will you be able to rate the Chinese characters.

Please answer spontaneously and intuitively.

To evaluate the ideographs please use the "E" and "I" keys on your keyboard:

- "E" stands for: "I like it less than an average Chinese character."
- "I" stands for: "I like it more than an average Chinese character."

Press the spacebar to continue.

A picture will appear before each ideograph . This picture will indicate that a new Chinese character is going to follow.  
Please do not let these pictures influence your evaluations and do not pay any further attention to them – it is important to only evaluate the Chinese characters.

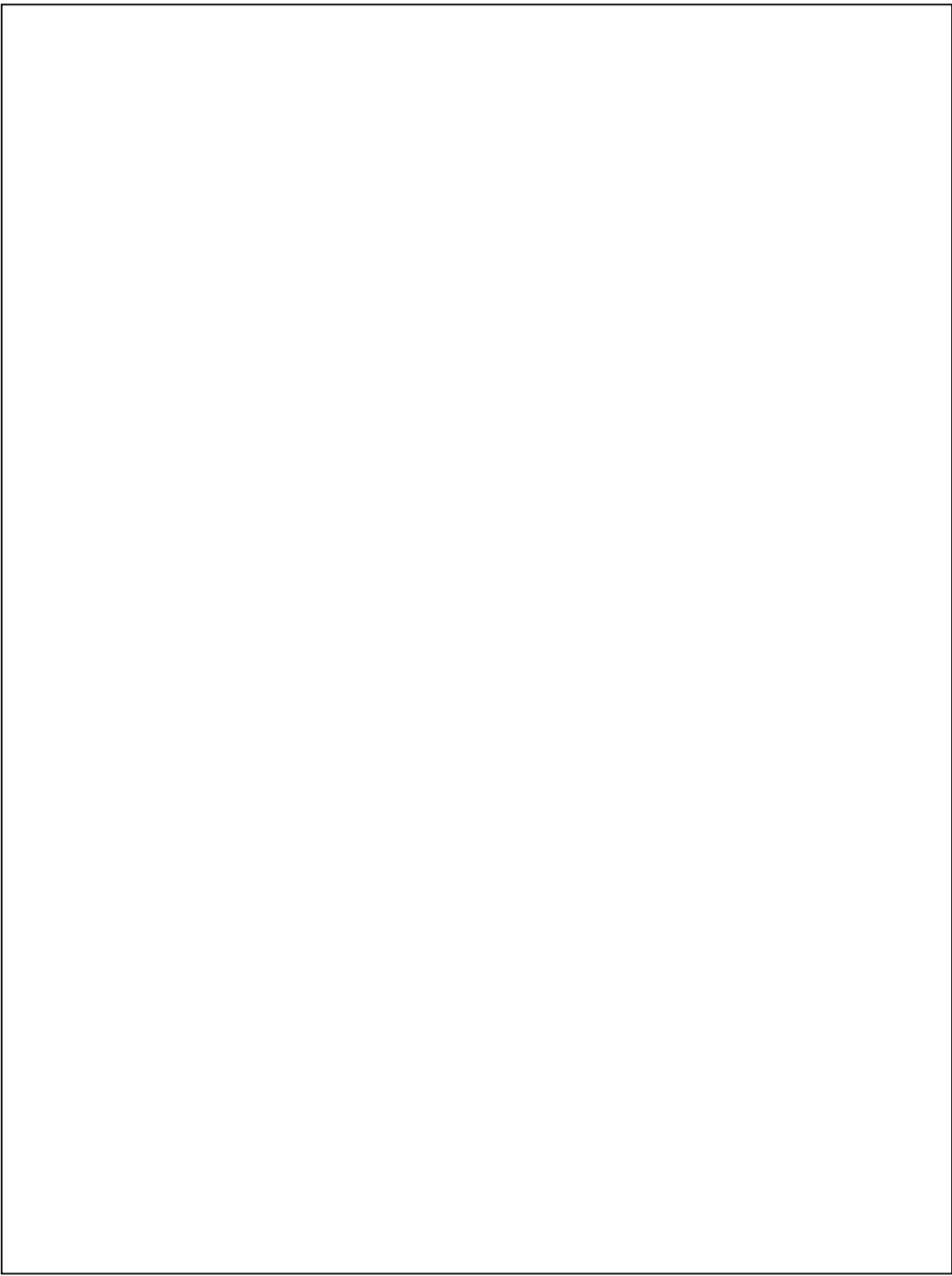
Once again:

- o Press the "E" key for: "I like it more than an average Chinese character"
- o Press the "I" key for: "I like it less than an average Chinese character"

You will start when you press the spacebar. This last part of the survey is going to take approx. 3 minutes.

Press the spacebar to continue.

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Please evaluate whether you like the Chinese character more or less than the average Chinese character.

**Worse than average: "E" key**

**Better than average: "I" key**

Q34 Do you know what the Chinese characters that you have just evaluated mean?

yes ..... 1

no ..... 2

Q35 [IF Q34 = 1]

And what do the characters you remember mean?

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## AUTNES Online Panel Study - Wave 6

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SD1 Which region do you live in?

Vorarlberg .....	1
Tyrol .....	2
Salzburg.....	3
Upper Austria .....	4
Carinthia .....	5
Styria .....	6
Burgenland.....	7
Lower Austria .....	8
Vienna .....	9
refused .....	99

Q1 Generally speaking, how interested are you in politics?

very interested .....	1
fairly interested .....	2
a little interested .....	3
not at all interested .....	4
refused .....	99

Q2 On the whole, how satisfied are you with the way democracy works in Austria? Are you...

very satisfied.....	1
fairly satisfied.....	2
fairly dissatisfied.....	3
very dissatisfied .....	4
refused .....	99

Q3 How satisfied are you currently with the performance of the current federal government (SPÖ-ÖVP coalition)?

very satisfied..... 1  
fairly satisfied..... 2  
fairly dissatisfied..... 3  
very dissatisfied ..... 4  
  
refused ..... 99

Q4 One can have different opinions on various political issues. We will now present to you a series of political statements. Please indicate to what extent you agree with the following statements.

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

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- Item 4 In case of equal qualification women should be favoured at a job application.
- Item 5 In a nursery small children are taken care of just as well as they are by their parents or grandparents.
- Item 6 Same-sex unions should be granted the same rights as marriage between a man and a woman.
- Item 7 Criminals need to be severely punished.
- Item 8 After primary school there should only be a comprehensive school for all children until the age of 14.
- Item 9 We need to protect the environment, even if life becomes expensive for everyone.
- Item 10 Austria's cultural life is enriched by immigrants.  
[INFOBOX: This does not mean 'high culture' such as the Opera or the Burgtheater, but the enrichment of all areas of life, language, gastronomy and ways of thinking and living]



- Item 11    Austria should take a tough stance on admission of asylum seekers.
- Item 12    Immigration to Austria must be stopped.

completely agree .....	1
somewhat agree .....	2
partly agree/disagree .....	3
somewhat disagree .....	4
completely disagree .....	5
refused .....	99

Q5    [IF SD1 = 7]

Many people could not vote or had good reasons why they did not want to vote in the last regional election held in Burgenland in May 2015. How about you, did you vote in the last regional election?

yes .....	1
no .....	2
refused .....	99

Q6 [IF Q5 = 1]

And which party did you vote for?

SPÖ.....	1
ÖVP.....	2
FPÖ.....	3
The Greens .....	5
Bündnis Liste Burgenland .....	6
NEOS .....	8
CPÖ (Christian Party of Austria) .....	10
other party.....	20
I cast an invalid ballot.....	21
refused .....	99

Q7 [IF SD1 = 6]

Many people could not vote or had good reasons why they did not want to vote in the last regional election held in Styria in May 2015. How about you, did you vote in the last regional election?

yes .....	1
no .....	2
refused .....	99

Q8 [IF Q7 = 1]

And which party did you vote for?

SPÖ.....	1
ÖVP.....	2
FPÖ.....	3
The Greens .....	5
Team Stronach.....	6
KPÖ.....	7
NEOS .....	8
Pirate Party .....	9
other party.....	20
I cast an invalid ballot.....	21
refused .....	99

Q9 [IF SD1 = 4]

Many people could not vote or had good reasons why they did not want to vote in the last regional election held in Upper Austria in September 2015. How about you, did you vote in the last regional election?

yes .....	1
no .....	2
refused .....	99

Q10 [IF Q9 = 1]

And which party did you vote for?

SPÖ.....	1
ÖVP.....	2
FPÖ.....	3
The Greens.....	5
KPÖ.....	7
NEOS .....	8
CPÖ (Christian Party of Austria).....	10
other party.....	20
I cast an invalid ballot.....	21
refused .....	99

Q11 [IF SD1 = 9]

Many people could not vote or had good reasons why they did not want to vote in the last regional election held in Vienna in October 2015. How about you, did you vote in the last regional election?

yes .....	1
no .....	2
refused .....	99

Q12 [IF Q11 = 1]

And which party did you vote for?

SPÖ.....	1
ÖVP.....	2
FPÖ.....	3
The Greens .....	5
Wien Anders (ANDAS).....	7
NEOS .....	8
Gemeinsam für Wien (GFW) .....	12
Wir Wollen Wahlfreiheit (WWW) .....	13
Freidemokraten (FREIE) .....	14
other party.....	20
I cast an invalid ballot.....	21
refused .....	99

Q13 What do you think: How has the economic situation in Austria changed in the past twelve months? Has it...

got much better.....	1
got somewhat better.....	2
stayed the same .....	3
got somewhat worse .....	4
got much worse .....	5
refused .....	99

RANDOMLY DISTRIBUTE RESPONDENTS TO ONE OF THE 1A/1B/1C OR 1D  
SECTIONS

SPLIT 1A [VIGNETTE - CONTROL GROUP] BEGINNING

Q14 Imagine you lived in a mid-sized town somewhere in Austria. The mayor of this town **has done a lot** for the community in the past few years. The mayor will run for re-election shortly.

A few weeks before Election Day, a different local politician uncovers that the mayor **favoured enterprises in public procurement decisions, which donated large amounts to his campaign.**

How would you assess the mayor's behaviour?

not at all problematic..... 0  
to  
extremely problematic..... 10  
  
refused ..... 99

Q15 Which party would you vote for in the upcoming election?

the mayor's party ..... 1  
the whistleblower's party ..... 2  
another party ..... 3  
would not vote..... 4  
  
don't know..... 88  
refused ..... 99

SPLIT 1A [VIGNETTE - CONTROL GROUP] ENDING

## SPLIT 1B [VIGNETTE - TREATMENT 1] BEGINNING

Q14 Imagine you lived in a mid-sized town somewhere in Austria. The mayor of this town is a member of the ÖVP and **has done a lot** for the community in the past few years. The mayor will run for re-election shortly.

A few weeks before Election Day, a different local politician of another party uncovers that the mayor **favoured enterprises in public procurement decisions, which donated large amounts to his campaign.**

How would you assess the mayor's behaviour?

not at all problematic ..... 0  
to  
extremely problematic ..... 10  
  
refused ..... 99

Q15 Which party would you vote for in the upcoming election?

the mayor's party ..... 1  
the whistleblower's party ..... 2  
another party ..... 3  
would not vote ..... 4  
  
don't know ..... 88  
refused ..... 99

## SPLIT 1B [VIGNETTE - TREATMENT 1] ENDING

## SPLIT 1C [VIGNETTE - TREATMENT 2] BEGINNING

Q14 Imagine you lived in a mid-sized town somewhere in Austria. The mayor of this town **has done a lot** for the community in the past few years. The mayor will run for re-election shortly.

A few weeks before Election Day, a different local politician of the Green Party uncovers that the mayor **favoured enterprises in public procurement decisions, which donated large amounts to his campaign.**

How would you assess the mayor's behaviour?

not at all problematic.....	0
to	
extremely problematic.....	10
refused .....	99

Q15 Which party would you vote for in the upcoming election?

the mayor's party .....	1
the whistleblower's party .....	2
another party .....	3
would not vote.....	4
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

## SPLIT 1C [VIGNETTE - TREATMENT 2] ENDING



### SPLIT 1D [VIGNETTE - TREATMENT 3] BEGINNING

Q14 Imagine you lived in a mid-sized town somewhere in Austria. The mayor of this town is a member of the ÖVP and **has done a lot** for the community in the past few years. The mayor will run for re-election shortly.

A few weeks before Election Day, a different local politician of the Green Party uncovers that the mayor **favoured enterprises in public procurement decisions, which donated large amounts to his campaign.**

How would you assess the mayor's behaviour?

not at all problematic..... 0  
to  
extremely problematic..... 10  
  
refused ..... 99

Q15 Which party would you vote for in the upcoming election?

the mayor's party ..... 1  
the whistleblower's party ..... 2  
another party ..... 3  
would not vote..... 4  
  
don't know..... 88  
refused ..... 99

### SPLIT 1D [VIGNETTE - TREATMENT 3] ENDING

Q16 Many people talk to others about politics. How about you? Do you talk to other people about politics in Austria? It is unimportant whether you talk to relatives, friends, or colleagues.

no, I do not talk to others about politics . .....1  
yes, I do talk to other about politics . ..... 2  
  
refused ..... 99

SHOW Q17 TO Q21 ON THE SAME SCREEN

---Beginning of screen---

Q17 [IF Q16 = 2]

Below, I will ask you a few questions about the **three** persons, who you most frequently talk to about politics.

Please think about the **first** person, who you talk to about politics. Is this person...

- your partner ..... 1
- a relative ..... 2
- a colleague ..... 3
- a neighbour ..... 4
- a friend ..... 5
- other ..... 6
  
- refused..... 99

Q18 [IF Q16 = 2]

How often do you talk to this person about politics?

- often ..... 1
- sometimes. .... 2
- rarely ..... 3
- never ..... 4
  
- refused ..... 99

Q19 [IF Q16 = 2]

In general, how much does this person know about politics?

a lot..... 1  
average ..... 2  
not a lot..... 3  
  
refused ..... 99

Q20 [IF Q16 = 2]

And how often do you agree with this person, when you talk about politics?

always. .... 1  
often ..... 2  
sometimes ..... 3  
rarely ..... 4  
never ..... 5  
  
refused ..... 99

Q21 [IF Q16 = 2]

What do you think, which party did this person vote for in the last national elections in September 2013?

SPÖ.....	1
ÖVP.....	2
FPÖ.....	3
BZÖ.....	4
Greens.....	5
Team Stronach.....	6
KPÖ.....	7
NEOS .....	8
other party .....	20
cast an invalid ballot.....	21
did not vote.....	22
was not eligible to vote.....	23
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

---End of screen---

SHOW Q22 TO Q26 ON THE SAME SCREEN

---Beginning of screen ---

Q22 [IF Q16 = 2]

Now to the **second** person you talk to about politics, is this person...

- your partner ..... 1
- a relative ..... 2
- a colleague ..... 3
- a neighbour ..... 4
- a friend ..... 5
- other ..... 6
- I do not talk to another person about politics ..... 77

refused..... 99

Q23 [IF Q16 = 2 & Q22 < 77]

How often do you talk to this person about politics?

- often ..... 1
- sometimes. .... 2
- rarely ..... 3
- never ..... 4

refused ..... 99

Q24 [IF Q16 = 2 & Q22 < 77]

In general, how much does this person know about politics?

a lot..... 1  
average ..... 2  
not a lot..... 3  
  
refused ..... 99

Q25 [IF Q16 = 2 & Q22 < 77]

And how often do you agree with this person, when you talk about politics?

always. .... 1  
often ..... 2  
sometimes ..... 3  
rarely..... 4  
never..... 5  
  
refused ..... 99

Q26 [IF Q16 = 2 & Q22 < 77]

What do you think, which party did this person vote for in the last national elections in September 2013?

SPÖ.....	1
ÖVP.....	2
FPÖ.....	3
BZÖ.....	4
Greens.....	5
Team Stronach.....	6
KPÖ.....	7
NEOS .....	8
other party .....	20
cast an invalid ballot.....	21
did not vote.....	22
was not eligible to vote.....	23
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

---End of screen---



SHOW Q27 TO Q31 ON THE SAME SCREEN

---Beginning of screen---

Q27 [IF Q16 = 2 & Q22 < 77]

Now to the third person you talk to about politics, is this person...

your partner ..... 1  
a relative ..... 2  
a colleague ..... 3  
a neighbour ..... 4  
a friend ..... 5  
other ..... 6  
I do not talk to another person about politics ..... 77

refused ..... 99

Q28 [IF Q16 = 2 & Q22 < 77]

How often do you talk to this person about politics?

often ..... 1  
sometimes. .... 2  
rarely ..... 3  
never ..... 4

refused ..... 99

Q29 [IF Q16 = 2 & Q27 < 77]

In general, how much does this person know about politics?

- a lot..... 1
- average ..... 2
- not a lot..... 3
  
- refused ..... 99

Q30 [IF Q16 = 2 & Q27 < 77]

And how often do you agree with this person, when you talk about politics?

- always..... 1
- often..... 2
- sometimes ..... 3
- rarely..... 4
- never..... 5
  
- refused ..... 99

Q31 [IF Q16 = 2 & Q27 < 77]

What do you think, which party did this person vote for in the last national elections in September 2013?

SPÖ.....	1
ÖVP.....	2
FPÖ.....	3
BZÖ.....	4
Greens.....	5
Team Stronach.....	6
KPÖ.....	7
NEOS .....	8
other party .....	20
cast an invalid ballot.....	21
did not vote.....	22
was not eligible to vote.....	23
don't know.....	88
refused .....	99

---End of screen---

Q32 One can have different opinions on various political issues. We will now present to you a series of political statements. Please indicate to what extent you agree with the following statements.

- Item 1 Migrants take away jobs from Austrians.  
Item 2 Migrants, who come to Austria, should be supported

completely agree ..... 1  
somewhat agree ..... 2  
partly agree/disagree ..... 3  
somewhat disagree ..... 4  
completely disagree ..... 5  
  
refused ..... 99

Q33 One can have different opinions on various political issues. We will now present to you a series of political statements. Please indicate to what extent you agree with the following statements.

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 The Austrian government should not financially support refugees.  
Item 2 Refugees, who come to Austria, are persecuted in their home countries.  
Item 3 Asylum seekers should not receive work permission in Austria.  
Item 4 Asylum seekers, whose applications have been approved, should be entitled to bring their families.

completely agree ..... 1  
somewhat agree ..... 2  
partly agree/disagree ..... 3  
somewhat disagree ..... 4  
completely disagree ..... 5  
  
refused ..... 99

Q34 In politics people often talk about "left" and "right". Where would you place yourself on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 means "left" and 10 means "right". You can use the values in between to give a more precise answer.

left ..... 0  
to  
right ..... 10  
  
refused ..... 99

Q35 [IF Q34 ≠ 99]  
You placed yourself at [ANSWER Q34] on this scale from 0 to 10. How certain or uncertain are you about this assessment of your position on this scale. Are you...

very certain ..... 1  
rather certain ..... 2  
rather uncertain ..... 3  
very uncertain ..... 4  
  
refused ..... 99

Q36 All parties in Austria would like to receive your vote. On a scale of 0 to 10, how likely is it that you would **ever** vote for each of the following parties?

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 SPÖ
- Item 2 ÖVP
- Item 3 FPÖ
- Item 4 NEOS
- Item 5 Greens
- Item 6 Team Stronach

very unlikely ..... 0  
to  
very likely ..... 10  
  
haven't heard of party ..... 77  
refused ..... 99

RANDOMLY DISTRIBUTE RESPONDENTS TO ONE OF THE 2A/2B/2C/2D OR 2E SECTIONS

SHOW THE 3 QUESTIONS OF EACH SPLIT ON THE SAME SCREEN

**SPLIT 2A [VIGNETTE - TREATMENT 1] BEGINNING**

Q37 We would now like to ask you to assess the position of two parties that describe themselves as follows:

Partei A: „In Austria, citizens with high income pay too much income tax. Therefore, we stand for lower taxation on gross incomes above 3,000 Euros.“

Partei B: „In Austria, citizens with low income pay too much income tax. Within the budgetary possibilities, we stand for lower taxation on gross incomes below 3,000 Euros.“

Where would you place Party A on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 means „left“ and 10 means “right”.

left.....0  
to  
right..... 10  
  
refused ..... 99

Q38 And where would you place Party B on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 means „left“ and 10 means “right”.

left.....0  
to  
right..... 10  
  
refused ..... 99

Q39    And which of the two parties do you prefer on this topic? Party A or Party B?

Party A ..... 1  
Party B ..... 2  
  
refused ..... 99

**SPLIT 2A [VIGNETTE - TREATMENT 1] ENDING**



## SPLIT 2B [VIGNETTE - TREATMENT 2] BEGINNING

Q37 We would now like to ask you to assess the position of two parties that describe themselves as follows:

Partei A: „In Austria, citizens with high income pay too much income tax. Therefore, we stand for lower taxation on gross incomes above 3,000 Euros.“

Partei B: „In Austria, citizens with low income pay too much income tax. In the long run, we stand for lower taxation on gross incomes below 3,000 Euros.“

Where would you place Party A on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 means „left“ and 10 means “right”.

left.....0  
to  
right..... 10  
  
refused ..... 99

Q38 Where would you place Party A on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 means „left“ and 10 means “right”.

left.....0  
to  
right..... 10  
  
refused ..... 99

Q39    And which of the two parties do you prefer on this topic? Party A or Party B?

Party A .....	1
Party B .....	2
refused .....	99

**SPLIT 2B [VIGNETTE - TREATMENT 2] ENDING**

## SPLIT 2C [VIGNETTE - TREATMENT 3] BEGINNING

Q37 We would now like to ask you to assess the position of two parties that describe themselves as follows:

Partei A: „In Austria, citizens with high income pay too much income tax. Therefore, we stand for lower taxation on gross incomes above 3,000 Euros.“

Partei B: „In Austria, citizens pay too much income tax. Therefore, we advocate a tax reform.“

Where would you place Party A on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 means „left“ and 10 means “right”.

left.....0

to

right..... 10

refused ..... 99

Q38 Where would you place Party A on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 means „left“ and 10 means “right”.

left.....0

to

right..... 10

refused ..... 99

Q39    And which of the two parties do you prefer on this topic? Party A or Party B?

Party A .....	1
Party B .....	2
refused .....	99

**SPLIT 2C [VIGNETTE - TREATMENT 3] ENDING**

## SPLIT 2D [VIGNETTE - TREATMENT 4] BEGINNING

Q37 We would now like to ask you to assess the position of two parties that describe themselves as follows:

Partei A: „In Austria, citizens with high income pay too much income tax. Therefore, we stand for lower taxation on gross incomes above 3,000 Euros.“

Partei B: „In Austria, citizens with low income pay too much income tax. Therefore, we stand for lower taxation on low incomes.“

Where would you place Party A on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 means „left“ and 10 means “right”.

left.....0

to

right..... 10

refused ..... 99

Q38 Where would you place Party A on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 means „left“ and 10 means “right”.

left.....0

to

right..... 10

refused ..... 99

Q39 And which of the two parties do you prefer on this topic? Party A or Party B?

Party A .....	1
Party B .....	2
refused .....	99

SPLIT 2D [VIGNETTE - TREATMENT 4] ENDING

## SPLIT 2E [VIGNETTE - TREATMENT 5] BEGINNING

Q37 We would now like to ask you to assess the position of two parties that describe themselves as follows:

Partei A: „In Austria, citizens with high income pay too much income tax. Therefore, we stand for lower taxation on gross incomes above 3,000 Euros.“

Partei B: „In Austria, citizens with low income pay too much income tax. Therefore, we stand for lower taxation on gross incomes below 3,000 Euros.“

Where would you place Party A on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 means „left“ and 10 means “right”.

left..... 0

to

right..... 10

refused ..... 99

Q38 Where would you place Party A on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 means „left“ and 10 means “right”.

left..... 0

to

right..... 10

refused ..... 99

Q39      And which of the two parties do you prefer on this topic? Party A or Party B?

Party A ..... 1  
Party B ..... 2  
  
refused ..... 99

**SPLIT 2E [VIGNETTE - TREATMENT 5] ENDING**



Q40 In general, how do you see yourself? Do you consider yourself to be...

very prepared to take risks ..... 1  
fairly prepared to take risks..... 2  
somewhat prepared to take risks ..... 3  
not at all prepared to take risks..... 4  
  
refused ..... 99

Q41 Which issues are most important to you personally?

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

[MULTIPLE RESPONSES POSSIBLE, MAXIMUM THREE]

Item 1 job market/employment  
Item 2 European policy  
Item 3 social policy  
Item 4 party behaviour  
Item 5 economic policy  
Item 6 national debt  
Item 7 pension/old-age income security  
Item 8 migration/immigration  
Item 9 housing  
Item 10 family policy  
Item 11 education policy  
Item 12 tax justice  
Item 13 overcoming the financial and Euro crisis  
Item 14 environmental protection  
Item 15 fight against crime  
Item 16 asylum policy  
  
not mentioned ..... 0  
mentioned..... 1  
  
refused ..... 99

Q42 If national elections were held next Sunday, which party would you vote for?

SPÖ.....	1
ÖVP.....	2
FPÖ.....	3
BZÖ.....	4
Greens.....	5
Team Stronach.....	6
KPÖ.....	7
NEOS .....	8
other party.....	20
I would cast an invalid ballot .....	21
I would not vote.....	22
don't know .....	88
refused .....	99

Q43 How proud are you...

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 to be European?
- Item 2 to be Austrian?
- Item 3 [IF SD1 = 7] to be from Burgenland?
- Item 4 [IF SD1 = 6] to be from Styria?
- Item 5 [IF SD1 = 4] to be from Upper Austria?
- Item 6 [IF SD1 = 9] to be Viennese?

very proud .....	1
proud.....	2
partly proud, partly not so proud .....	3
not very proud.....	4
not at all proud.....	5
refused .....	99

Q44 On a scale from 0 to 10, 0 meaning “very unlikely” and 10 meaning “very likely”, how likely or unlikely is it that the following statements apply?

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 The current financial crisis was deliberately initiated by bankers to increase their own profit.
- Item 2 The government and telecommunication companies deliberately conceal evidence that mobile phone radiation is bad for our health.
- Item 3 Politicians hide the true extent of immigration to Austria.
- Item 4 There are secret government programmes to make airplanes spray chemical substances across Austria.
- Item 5 The airplane that crashed in July 2014 in Ukraine was not shot down by pro-Russian separatists, but deliberately by the Ukrainian army.

very unlikely.....0

to

very likely ..... 10

don't know..... 88

refused ..... 99

Q45 We are interested in what you think about politicians in Austria. What do you think?  
[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 How many politicians are honest with voters?  
Item 2 How many politicians try to achieve as many personal advantages as possible from their position?

almost all ..... 1  
most of them ..... 2  
about half ..... 3  
only a few ..... 4  
almost none ..... 5  
  
don't know ..... 88  
refused ..... 99

Q46 Many people are registered with social networks in order to gather information and to get in touch with other people. How about you, are you registered online with a social network such as Facebook or Twitter?

yes ..... 1  
no ..... 2  
  
refused ..... 99

Q47 [IF Q46 = 1]

How often do you do the following things on social networks?

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 Read posts on social networks such as Facebook or Twitter?
- Item 2 Read posts about political issues on social networks such as Facebook or Twitter?
- Item 3 Click the “like“-button, “share“ or “re-tweet“ posts on political issues?
- Item 4 Post messages on political issues on social networks such as Facebook or Twitter?

almost every day.....1  
several times a week..... 2  
several times a month ..... 3  
less frequently ..... 4  
never ..... 5

refused..... 99

Q48 There are several ways of influencing politics or society or to express your own opinion. How often do you take part in the following activities?

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 How often do you **boycott** certain products for political or moral reasons?
- Item 2 How often do you **buy** certain products for political or moral reasons?
- Item 3 How often do you donate money?
- Item 4 How often do you sign a petition or online petition?
- Item 5 How often do you personally contact politicians – also by mail or email?

Very often ..... 1  
often ..... 2  
sometimes ..... 3  
less frequently ..... 4  
never ..... 5  
  
refused ..... 99

Q49 How often do you use the following media to inform yourself about political events in Austria?

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 Television
- Item 2 Newspapers
- Item 3 Radio
- Item 4 The Internet

almost every day ..... 1  
several times a week ..... 2  
several times a month ..... 3  
less frequently ..... 4  
never ..... 5  
  
refused ..... 99

Q50 [IF Q49, ITEM 2 = 1, 2, 3, 4]

Below you will find a list of different newspapers. On average, on how many days in a regular week do you read the **print version** of these papers?

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 Kronen Zeitung
- Item 2 Der Standard
- Item 3 Die Presse
- Item 4 Österreich
- Item 5 Kurier
- Item 6 heute
- Item 7 Kleine Zeitung

1.....	1
2.....	2
3.....	3
4.....	4
5.....	5
6.....	6
7.....	7
less frequently .....	55
never.....	66
refused.....	99

Q51 [IF Q49, ITEM 4 = 1, 2, 3, 4]

Below you will find a list of different online news portals. On average, on how many days in a regular week do you read the **online version** of these papers?

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 orf.at
- Item 2 derstandard.at
- Item 3 krone.at
- Item 4 oe24.at
- Item 5 kleinezeitung.at
- Item 6 diepresse.com

1.....	1
2.....	2
3.....	3
4.....	4
5.....	5
6.....	6
7.....	7
less frequently.....	55
never.....	66
refused.....	99



Q52 [IF Q49, ITEM 1 = 1, 2, 3, 4]

Below, you will find a list of different TV news programs. On average, on how many days in a regular week do you watch these programs?

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

Item 1 Zeit im Bild at 19:30h

Item 2 ZiB 2 at 22:00h

Item 3 Puls 4 News [18:45h]

1.....	1
2.....	2
3.....	3
4.....	4
5.....	5
6.....	6
7.....	7
less frequently.....	55
never.....	66
refused.....	99

Q53 Sometimes, media outlets are accused of being partial. Below you will find a list of different media outlets. If you think about news reporting in these media, what do you think: Do these media favour particular parties or do they not?

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 Kronen Zeitung
- Item 2 Der Standard
- Item 3 Die Presse
- Item 4 Österreich
- Item 5 heute
- Item 6 Zeit im Bild at 19:30h
- Item 7 ZIB 2 at 22:00h

no, no party is favoured in the media reporting.....1

yes, some parties are favoured ..... 2

don't know..... 88

refused ..... 99

Q54 [RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 [IF Q53, ITEM 1 = 2] And which parties are favoured in Kronen Zeitung?
- Item 2 [IF Q53, ITEM 2 = 2] And which parties are favoured in Der Standard?
- Item 3 [IF Q53, ITEM 3 = 2] And which parties are favoured in Die Presse?
- Item 4 [IF Q53, ITEM 4 = 2] And which parties are favoured in Österreich?
- Item 5 [IF Q53, ITEM 5 = 2] And which parties are favoured in heute?
- Item 6 [IF Q53, ITEM 6 = 2] And which parties are favoured in Zeit im Bild at 19:30h?
- Item 7 [IF Q53, ITEM 7 = 2] And which parties are favoured in ZiB 2 at 22:00h?

SPÖ.....	1
ÖVP.....	2
FPÖ.....	3
BZÖ.....	4
Greens.....	5
Team Stronach.....	6
NEOS .....	7
other party .....	77
refused .....	99

Q55 The extent to which people trust the media may vary. On a scale from 0 to 10, 0 meaning “do not at all trust” and 10 meaning “completely trust”, how much do you trust the information reported in [ITEM]?

[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

Item 1 Kronen Zeitung

Item 2 Der Standard

Item 3 Die Presse

Item 4 Österreich

Item 5 heute

Item 6 Zeit im Bild at 19:30h

Item 7 ZfB 2 at 22:00h

I do not at all trust the information ..... 0

to

I completely trust the information ..... 10

don't know..... 88

refused ..... 99


Q56 In general, how much do you agree with the following statements?  
[RANDOMISE ITEMS]

- Item 1 The Austrian media work diligently.
- Item 2 The Austrian media are partial.
- Item 3 One can trust the Austrian media.
- Item 4 One can trust the Austrian parties.
- Item 5 I trust the information provided by Facebook or Twitter more than that provided by newspapers or TV news programmes.
- Item 6 In general, I am well informed about political events in Austria.
- Item 7 I rely on my friends to inform me about the most important events.
- Item 8 I can be well informed, even if I do not actively follow the news.
- Item 9 I do not have to make an effort to follow the news, they reach me anyway.

completely agree.....1  
somewhat agree..... 2  
somewhat disagree ..... 3  
completely disagree ..... 4  
  
refused ..... 99

RANDOMLY DISTRIBUTE RESPONDENTS TO ONE OF THE 3A/3B OR 3C SECTIONS

SPLIT 3A [VIGNETTE - TREATMENT 1 - Priming of Xenophobia] BEGINNING


Immigration is a hotly debated topic in Austria. For example, <b>Austrians</b> disagree about whether immigration is <b>beneficial to Austria</b> or not, and about whether <b>Austria</b> should be open to immigration.
We will now ask you a few questions about immigration.
<div>[Press Button]</div>

Q57 Out of 100 people living in Austria, how many do you think were born outside Austria?

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[ONLY ALLOW NUMBERS BETWEEN 0 AND 100]

don't know..... 88  
refused ..... 99

Q58 In your opinion, has immigration to Austria substantively increased, somewhat increased, stayed the same, somewhat decreased or substantively decreased over the past 12 months?

substantively increased..... 1  
somewhat increased..... 2  
stayed the same ..... 3  
somewhat decreased..... 4  
substantively decreased ..... 5  
  
don't know..... 88  
refused ..... 99

**SPLIT 3A [VIGNETTE - TREATMENT 1] ENDING**

SPLIT 3B [VIGNETTE - TREATMENT 2 - Priming of Partisan Sympathy] BEGINNING


<p>Immigration is a hotly debated topic among political parties. Austria's political parties, particularly the FPÖ and the Greens, disagree about <b>whether immigration is beneficial to Austria or not</b>, and about <b>whether Austria should be open to immigration</b>.</p>
<p>We will now ask you a few questions about immigration.</p>
<p>[Press Button]</p>



Q57      Out of 100 people living in Austria, how many do you think were born outside Austria?

\_\_\_\_\_  
[ONLY ALLOW NUMBERS BETWEEN 0 AND 100]

don't know..... 88  
refused ..... 99

Q58      In your opinion, has immigration to Austria substantively increased, somewhat increased, stayed the same, somewhat decreased or substantively decreased over the past 12 months?

substantively increased..... 1  
somewhat increased..... 2  
stayed the same ..... 3  
somewhat decreased..... 4  
substantively decreased ..... 5  
  
don't know..... 88  
refused ..... 99

**SPLIT 3B [VIGNETTE - TREATMENT 2] ENDING**

**SPLIT 3C [VIGNETTE - TREATMENT 3 RECEIVES NO INTRO SCREEN] BEGINNING**

Q57      Out of 100 people living in Austria, how many do you think were born outside Austria?

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[ONLY ALLOW NUMBERS BETWEEN 0 AND 100]

don't know..... 88  
refused ..... 99

Q58      In your opinion, has immigration to Austria substantively increased, somewhat increased, stayed the same, somewhat decreased or substantively decreased over the past 12 months?

substantively increased.....1  
somewhat increased..... 2  
stayed the same ..... 3  
somewhat decreased..... 4  
substantively decreased ..... 5  
  
don't know..... 88  
refused ..... 99

**SPLIT 3C [VIGNETTE - TREATMENT 3 RECEIVES NO INTRO SCREEN] ENDING**

SD2      What is the highest level of education that you have achieved?

did not attend school .....	1
did not finish any school .....	2
Primary school or less .....	3
Secondary modern school or general secondary school .....	4
Special school .....	5
Polytechnical school .....	6
Vocational training, vocational school .....	7
Higher vocational school .....	8
General secondary school with matura .....	9
Higher vocational school with matura.....	10
University-related institution .....	11
College .....	12
Bachelor .....	13
Magister / Master / graduated engineer / University of Applied Sciences .....	14
Doctorate / PhD .....	15
other .....	16
 refused.....	 99

SD3 Which of the following best describes your current situation, are you...?

retired .....	1
employed .....	2
a student at school .....	3
a student at university .....	4
other training .....	5
on leave .....	6
a house wife / house husband .....	7
doing military or alternative civilian service, or voluntary social year.....	8
unfit for work .....	9
unemployed or seeking for work.....	10
other .....	11
refused.....	99

SD4 [IF SD3 = 2]

Which of the following best describes your current situation with regard to  
employment?

employed, more than 35h weekly .....	1
employed,15 - 35h weekly .....	2
employed, less than 15h weekly.....	3
employed by a family member .....	4
in vocational training .....	5
refused.....	99

SD5      What is the monthly net income of your household? Please add up all incomes  
[including state transfers]?

below 450€ .....	1
450 up to 600€ .....	2
600 up to 750€ .....	3
750 up to 900€ .....	4
900 up to 1.050€ .....	5
1.050 up to 1.200€ .....	6
1.200 up to 1.350€ .....	7
1.350 up to 1.500€ .....	8
1.500 up to 1.650€ .....	9
1.650 up to 1.800€ .....	10
1.800 up to 1.950€ .....	11
1.950 up to 2.100€ .....	12
2.100 up to 2.250€ .....	13
2.250 up to 2.400€ .....	14
2.400 up to 2.700€ .....	15
2.700 up to 3.000€ .....	16
3.000 up to 3.300€ .....	17
3.300 up to 3.600€ .....	18
3.600 up to 3.900€ .....	19
3.900€ and more .....	20
 refused .....	 99

**\*\*SD6** What is the postal code of your main residence?

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refused ..... 99

**\*\*SD7** And what is the name of the municipality?

\_\_\_\_\_

refused ..... 99

[ → FORWARDING TO SINGLE-TARGET IMPLICIT ASSOCIATION TEST [SC-IAT]]

In the next task, you will categorize words as fast as you can. This part of the study will take about 5 minutes. The following is a list of category labels and the items that belong to each of those categories.

#### Category

Competition  
Need  
Migrants

#### Items

economic refugees, social tourists, job competitors, wealth migrants, job rivals  
the needy, the distressed, war refugees, displaced persons, refugee seekers  
Migrants, immigrants

#### Instructions

- Keep fingers on the 'E' and 'I' key to enable rapid response.
- Labels at the top will tell you which items go with each key.
- Go as fast as you can.
- If you go too slowly or make too many mistakes, the test gives no results.
- Avoid distractions and stay focused.

Begin Task.

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### Competition

### Need

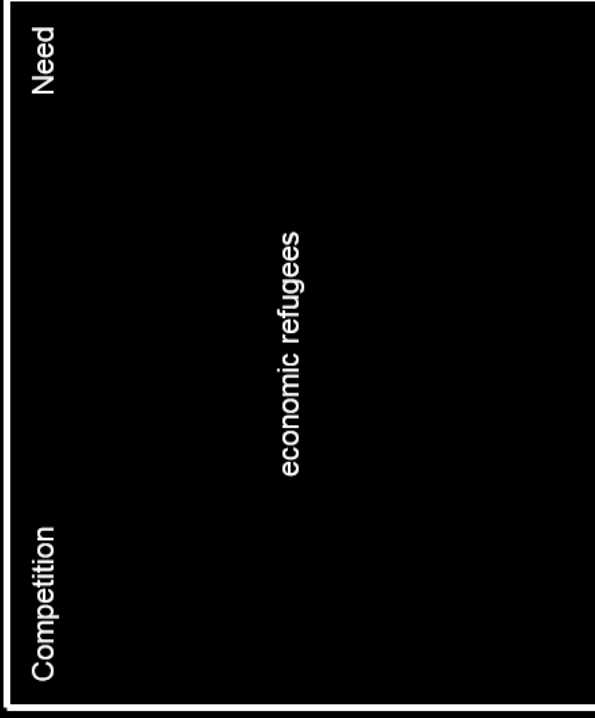
Put your middle or index fingers on the **E** and **I** keys of your keyboard. Words representing the categories at the top will appear one-by-one in the middle of the screen. When the item belongs to a category on the left, press the **E** key, when the item belongs to the category on the right, press the **I** key.

If you make an error, an **X** will appear – fix the error by hitting the other key.

This is a timed sorting task. **GO AS FAST AS YOU CAN** while making as few mistakes as possible. Going too slow or making too many errors will result in an uninterpretable score.

Press the **space bar** to begin.

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Competition

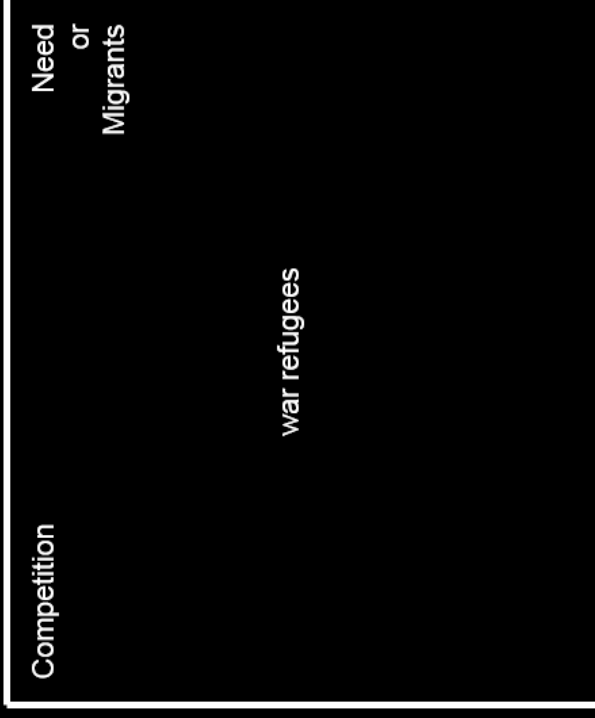
Need  
or  
Migrants

See above, now there is a third category. Like before, when an item belongs to a category on the left, press the **E** key; when an item belongs to a category on the right, press the **I** key. Items belong to only one category.

This is a timed sorting task. **GO AS FAST AS YOU CAN** while making as few mistakes as possible. Going too slow or making too many errors will result in an uninterpretable score.

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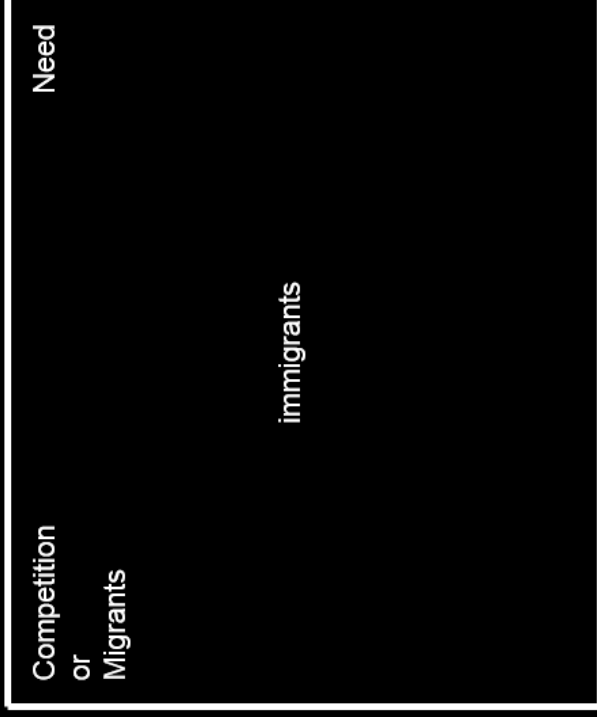
Competition  
or  
Migrants

Need

See above, the categories have changed. The items for sorting have changed as well. The rules, however, are the same. When the item belongs to a category on the left, press the **E** key; when the item belongs to a category on the right, press the **I** key. Items belong to only one category. **GO AS FAST AS YOU CAN.**

Press the **space bar** to begin.

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