

**South Korea  
ISSP 2008 – Religion III  
Study Description**

**ISSP 2008 Study Description Form***Study title:* **2008 KGSS (Korean General Social Survey)***Fieldwork dates:* **2008-06-29 to 2008-08-30***Principal investigators:* **Sang-Wook Kim (Dept of Sociology, Sungkyunkwan Univ)***Sample type:* **Multi-stage area probability sampling***Fieldwork institute:* **Survey Research Center at Sungkyunkwan University, Seoul, Korea***Fieldwork methods:* **Face-to-face interviews***N. of respondents:* **1,508**

<i>Details about issued sample:</i>  Please follow the standards laid down in AAPOR/WAPOR, Standard Definitions: <a href="http://www.aapor.org/uploads/standarddefs_4.pdf">http://www.aapor.org/uploads/standarddefs_4.pdf</a> . The numbers in the parentheses are those used in Tables 2 and 3 of Standard Definitions.	1. Total number of starting or issued names/addresses (gross sample size) *	<b>2,500</b> .....
	2. Interviews (1.0)	<b>1,508</b> .....
	3. Eligible, Non-Interview	
	A. Refusal/Break-off (2.10)	<b>A. 879</b>
	B. Non-Contact (2.20)	<b>B. 85</b>
	C. Other	<b>C. 28</b>
	i. Language Problems (2.33)	.....
	ii. Miscellaneous Other (2.31, 2.32, 2.35)	.....
3. Unknown Eligibility, Non-Interview (3.0)	<b>0</b> .....	
4. Not Eligible		
A. Not a Residence (4.50)	<b>0</b> .....	
B. Vacant Residence (4.60)	<b>0</b> .....	
C. No Eligible Respondent (4.70)	<b>0</b> .....	
D. Other (4.10,4.90)	<b>0</b> .....	

\* When new sample units are added during the field period via a new dwelling units list or other standard updating procedure, these additional issued units are added to the starting number of units to make up the total gross sample size. Also, when substitution is used, the total must include the originally drawn cases plus all substitute cases. See AAPOR/WAPOR Standard Definitions, pp. 9-10 for further clarification.

*Language(s):* **Korean***Weight present:* **No***Weighting procedure:* exact description of the weighting procedure / algorithm*Known systematic properties of sample:* description of biases or other deviations of the sample*Deviations from ISSP questionnaire:* esp. questions omitted, or added, or asked in a different format than the Basic Questionnaire prescribes*Publications:* list of publications using the present data set