

**ZA3771**

**Flash Eurobarometer 132/2**

**(European Union Enlargement)**

**Questionnaire**

**Great Britain**

COMMENT ----> Flash 132/2  
INCLUDE '/u/catidp/begin1'

COMMENT -----  
SET version = 1

COMMENT -----  
INCLUDE '/u/catidp/begin2'  
INCLUDE '/u/catidp/gosms'  
INCLUDE '/u/catidp/datel'

CALLFUNC('setdata',1)

COMMENT Standard British regions

region DUMMYASK  
'Region'  
RESP SP  
'Scotland'/  
'North'/  
'North. West'/  
'Yorks & Humberside'/  
'East Midlands'/  
'West Midlands'/  
'Wales'/  
'East Anglia'/  
'Greater London'/  
'South East'/  
'South West'/  
'Northern Ireland'

INCLUDE 'smsfix'

COMMENT ----- MAIN SCRIPT BEGINS UNDER HERE -----

intro ASK 'Good '+pod+', my name is .....,I'm calling from ICM Research  
the independent market research company.

We are conducting a survey on behalf of the European Commission in the 15  
countries of the European Union which requires us to  
talk to a representative sample of people aged 15 or over throughout the  
country.

IF RESPONDENT SOUNDS LIKE THEY WANT TO REFUSE SAY:@

For the purpose of our research project it is most important that we talk to a  
representative cross section of all

people. Therefore, your views are extremely important to us and the interview  
will only take a few minutes of your  
time.

@Would it be convenient to ask you a few questions now.@"

RESP SP 'OK - CONTINUE'/

'CALL BACK/REFUSED' GO gosms1

DISPLAY ' @@

The European Union is currently composed of fifteen countries. Several other  
countries have applied to join the European Union. The accession of these new  
countries constitutes the enlargement of the European Union. @"

PAUSE

q1 ASK ' @

Q.1. Before this interview, had you already heard of the enlargement of the European Union ? @

RESP SP

'Yes'

'No'

q2 ASK ' ' @

Q.2. Are you, personally, totally in favour, rather in favour, rather opposed or totally opposed to the enlargement of the European Union ?

@ READ OUT@

RESP SP

'Totally in favour'/

'Rather in favour'/

'Rather opposed'/

'Totally opposed'/

'DO NOT READ OUT - [It depends on the countr(y)(ies)]'

DK

q3 ASK ' ' @

Q.3. Could you name three candidate countries that are applying to join the European Union?@

RESP MP 3

'Bulgaria'/

'Czech Republic'/

'Cyprus'/

'Estonia'/

'Hungary'/

'Iceland'/

'Latvia'/

'Lithuania'/

'Malta'/

'Norway'/

'Poland'/

'Romania'/

'Slovakia'/

'Slovenia'/

'Switzerland'/

'Turkey'/

'Other1'/

'Other2'/

'Other3'

NULL

DK

IF q3 = '<Other1>' ) {

q301 ASK ' ' @

Q301. Please specify this other country.@

RESP CODED

NULL

DK

}

IF q3 = '<Other2>' ) {

q302 ASK ' ' @

Q302. Please specify this other country.@

RESP CODED

NULL

DK

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    }
    IF      q3 = '<Other3>' ) {
q3o3 ASK      @
Q3O3. Please specify this other country.@'
RESP CODED
NULL
DK
    }
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q4 ASK      @
Q.4. In fact, 13 countries are applying to join the European Union : Bulgaria,
Czech Republic, Cyprus, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Malta, Poland,
Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia and Turkey.
@As far as the thirteen candidate countries are concerned, with which of the
following proposals do you most agree?
@ REA OUT@'
RESP SP
'These thirteen countries should become members of the European Union as
quickly as possible'/
'These thirteen countries should become members of the European Union, but
not all at the same time'/
'Only some of those countries should become members of the European
Union'/
'None of these countries should become members of the European Union'
DK
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q5 ASK      @
Q.5. According to you, when will the first candidate countries become members
of the European Union?
@ REA OUT@'
RESP SP
'In 2003'/
'In 2004'/
'In 2005'/
'In 2006'/
'After 2006'
DK
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q6 ASK      @
Q.6. Do you think that, for the UK, this enlargement to other states is ...
@ REA OUT@'
RESP SP
'Very important'/
'Rather important'/
'Rather unimportant'/
'Not important at all'
DK
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q7 ASK      @
Q.7. And for you personally, do you think that this enlargement to other
states is ...
@ REA OUT@'
RESP SP
'Very important'/
'Rather important'/
'Rather unimportant'/
'Not important at all'
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DK

FOR q8=

'Enlargement will reduce risks of war and conflicts in Europe'/'

'We have a moral duty to re-unite Europe after the divisions of the Cold War'/'

'Enlargement will mean that the European Union will have a stronger voice on the international scene'/'

'Enlargement will be very expensive for our country'/'

'Enlargement will mean our country will play a less important role in Europe'/'

'It will be more difficult to take decisions in an enlarged European Union'/'

'A larger European Union will inevitably be more remote from citizens'/'

'New countries joining the European Union is, historically and geographically natural and therefore justified'

ROT

q8 ASK @

Q.8. I am going to read out a certain number of proposals. For each one of these, could you tell me if you rather agree or rather disagree?

@ '+iq8+'

RESP SP

'Rather agree'/'

'Rather disagree'

DK

NEXT

FOR q9=

'Enlargement will allow our companies to expand to new markets'/'

'Enlargement will mean that many citizens of the new Member States will settle in the UK'/'

'Enlargement will mean that it will be easier to control illegal immigration'/'

'Opening up borders after the enlargement will make it harder to tackle crime and drug smuggling'/'

'Enlargement will mean that it will be easier to tackle environmental problems all over Europe'/'

'Enlargement will increase unemployment in the UK'/'

'Enlargement will mean that the standard of social welfare in the UK will fall'/'

'With more Member States, the European Union will be culturally richer'

ROT

q9 ASK @

Q.9. Do you rather agree or rather disagree with the following proposals?

@ '+iq9+'

RESP SP

'Rather agree'/'

'Rather disagree'

DK

NEXT

COMMENT ----- STANDARD CLASSIFICATION SECTION -----

disp2 DISPLAY '@@Just a few questions now to help us classify the answers  
you have given...@@'  
PAUSE

COLUMN 455

d2 ASK '@  
D.2. First, Can you tell me your age please?  
@IF RESPONDENT REFUSES TO ANSWER CODE ''0''@'  
RESP NUM  
0/  
15 TO 99  
  
IF ( d2 >= 15 .AND. d2 <= 24 ) { SET age = 1 goto d3 }  
IF ( d2 >= 25 .AND. d2 <= 34 ) { SET age = 2 goto d3 }  
IF ( d2 >= 35 .AND. d2 <= 44 ) { SET age = 3 goto d3 }  
IF ( d2 >= 45 .AND. d2 <= 54 ) { SET age = 4 goto d3 }  
IF ( d2 >= 55 .AND. d2 <= 64 ) { SET age = 5 goto d3 }  
IF ( d2 >= 65 ) { SET age = 6 goto d3 }

age ASK '@Would you mind giving an approximate banding?@  
[READ OUT BANDS]@'  
RESP P  
'15 - 4'/  
'25 - 4'/  
'35 - 4'/  
'45 - 4'/  
'55 - 4'/  
'65+'  
REF

d3 ASK '@  
D.3. At what age did you leave full time education?  
@IF RESPONDENT REFUSES TO ANSWER CODE ''0''  
@IF NEVER HAD A FULL TIME EDUCATION CODE ''1''  
@IF STILL IN FULL TIME EDUCATION CODE ''99''@'  
RESP NUM  
0/  
1/  
3 TO /  
99

d4 ASK '@  
D.4. As far as your current occupation is concerned, would you say you are  
self-employed,  
an employee- (non-manual), a manual worker or would you say that you are  
without a professional activity?@'  
RESP P  
'Self employed'/  
'Employee (non-manual)'/  
'Manual worker'/  
'Without a professional activity'/  
'Refused'

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mjob DEFINE
'Farmer, forester, fisherman'/
'Owner of a shop, craftsman'/
'Professional (lawyer, medical practitioner, accountant, architect,)'//
'Manager of a company'/
'Other self employed' PROMPTOTH/
'Professional (employed doctor, lawyer, accountant, architect)'/
'General management, director or top management'/
'Middle management'/
'Civil servant'/
'Office clerk'/
'Other employee (salesman, nurse, etc)'/
'Other ' PROMPTOTH/
'Supervisor / foreman (team manager, etc)'/
'Manual worker'/
'Unskilled manual worker'/
'Other manual worker' PROMPTOTH/
'Looking after the home'/
'Student (full time)'/
'Retired'/
'Seeking a job'/
'Other not working' PROMPTOTH

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ljob1 DEFINE
'Farmer, forester, fisherman'/
'Owner of a shop, craftsman'/
'Professional (lawyer, medical practitioner, accountant, architect,)'//
'Manager of a company'/
'Other self employed' PROMPTOTH

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ljob2 DEFINE
'Professional (employed doctor, lawyer, accountant, architect)'/
'General management, director or top management'/
'Middle management'/
'Civil servant'/
'Office clerk'/
'Other employee (salesman, nurse, etc)'/
'Other ' PROMPTOTH

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ljob3 DEFINE
'Supervisor / foreman (team manager, etc)'/
'Manual worker'/
'Unskilled manual worker'/
'Other manual worker' PROMPTOTH

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ljob4 DEFINE
'Looking after the home'/
'Student (full time)'/
'Retired'/
'Seeking a job'/
'Other not working' PROMPTOTH

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UNSET djob
djob DUMMIL K ' '
RESP LIST

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ljob1 ljob2/ljob3/ljob4

IF      d4 = 'Self-employed'          ) { SET djob = 1 }
IF      d4 = 'Employee (non-manual)' ) { SET djob = 2 }
IF      d4 = 'Manual worker'          ) { SET djob = 3 }
IF      d4 = 'Without a professional activity' ) { SET djob = 4 }

d4a ASK ' ' @
D.4a. So that it is to say ...?@'
RESP SP
djob IN mjob
DUMMY OTHER (39)

d6 ASK ' ' @
D.6. And the area you live in, would you describe it as ...?
@ READ OUT@'
RESP SP
'Metropolitan'/
'Other Town/urban centre'/
'Rural'

name ASK ' ' @NAME - And finally, your name is...INTERVIEWER TYPE IN NOW, DO
NOT TAKE SERIAL NUMBER@@'
RESP DED

fxname IN IX (20) name

pser PROTECT 'SERIAL NO. IS: '+sernum+ ' - '+keydisp+keyno

thank DISPLAY '@@@@ -THANK AND CLOSE -@@@@
On behalf of ICM, I would like to thank you for the time and help you've
given me today.@@
I am ... and if you have any questions about this research, I can give you a
phone number to contact us on. Would you like it?@@
(IF ASKED) Please contact Neal Smart after 2pm on 01234 760 041@@'
PAUSE

d1 ASK ' ' @
D.1. INTERVIEWER CODE SEX OF RESPONDENT@'
RESP P
'Male
'Female

INCLUDE '/u/catidp/date2'

COMMENT ----- ** THIS LINE SHOULD BE AT THE END OF THE SCRIPT
UNPROTECT pser

SET mpfl = 1

DISPLAY '@INTERVIEWER :@
START TIME WAS = '+dttime1+'@
TIME END IS = '+dttime2+'@@'

conf ASK ' ' @I hereby confirm that this interview has been conducted within
the MRS ' ' of conduct.@'

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RESP = 'Yes'/  
      'No'
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GOTO n
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sorry DISPL - '@@In that case I'm sorry to have disturbed you.@@'  
        PAUSE  
        SIGNAL 5
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fin END
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region      DUMMYASK
      'Region'
      RESP SP
      'Scotland'/'
      'North'/'
      'North West'/'
      'Yorks & Humberside'/'
      'East Midlands'/'
      'West Midlands'/'
      'Wales'/'
      'East Anglia'/'
      'Greater London'/'
      'South East'/'
      'South West'/'
      'Northern Ireland'

      INCLUDE 'smsfix'

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other countries like the United States, Norway, Iceland and the Liechtenstein
concerning entrepreneurial activity.@
      IF RESPONDENT SOUNDS LIKE THEY WANT TO REFUSE SAY:@
For the purpose of our research project it is most important that we talk to a
representative cross section of all
people. Therefore, your views are extremely important to us and the interview
will only take a few minutes of your
time.
@Would it be convenient to ask you a few questions now.@'
      RESP SP 'OK - CONTINUE'/'
      'CALL BACK/REFUSED' GO gosms1

q1  ASK  '      @
Q.1. Suppose you could choose between different kinds of jobs, which one would
you prefer:
@      READ OUT@'
      RESP SP
      'Being an employee'/'
      'Or being self-employed'/'
      'DO NOT READ OUT - (None of these)''
      DK

q2  ASK  '      @
Q.2. Have you started a business recently or are you taking steps to start one
?
@      READ OUT@'

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RESP SP

'It never came to your mind'//

'You are thinking about it'//

'You thought of it or you had already taken steps to start a business but gave up'//

'You are currently taking steps to start a new business'//

'In the last three years, you've started or taken over a business which is still active'//

'You started or took over a business more than three years ago and it's still active'//

'You once started a business, but currently you are no longer an entrepreneur (business has failed, business was sold or the interviewee has retired)'

NULL

DK

FOR iq3=

'It is difficult to start one's own business due to a lack of available financial support'//

'It is difficult to start one's own business due to the complex administrative procedures'//

'I would be ready to pay or to allocate some of my free time to follow courses on how to start and run a business'//

'People who have started their own business and have failed should be given a second chance'//

'I would be less inclined to order goods from someone who has already failed in business'//

'I would never invest money in a business managed by someone who has already failed in the past'//

'One should not start a business if there is a risk it might fail'

q3 ASK ' @

Q.3. Do you strongly agree, agree, disagree or strongly disagree with the following opinion?

@ '+iq3+'?@'

RESP SP

'Strongly agree'//

'Agree'//

'Disagree'//

'Strongly disagree'

DK

NEXT

q4 ASK ' @

Q.4. If you were to set up a business today, which are the two risks you would be most afraid of?

@ READ OUT ... Is it:@'

RESP MP 2 ROT

'The uncertainty of your income'//

'Job insecurity'//

'The risk of losing your property'//

'The need to devote too much energy or time to it'//

'The possibility of suffering a personal failure'//

'The possibility of going bankrupt'

NULL

DK

q5a ASK ' @

Q.5A. Could you tell me the occupation of your father?

@Is he or was he self-employed, employee, civil servant, manual worker or without a professional activity ?@'

RESP SP  
'- self-employed'/  
'- employee'/  
'- civil servant'/  
'- manual worker'/  
'- without a professional activity'  
DK

q5b ASK ' @

Q.5B. Could you tell me the occupation of your mother?

@Is she or was she self-employed, employee, civil servant, manual worker or without a professional activity ?@'

RESP SP  
'- self-employed'/  
'- employee'/  
'- civil servant'/  
'- manual worker'/  
'- without a professional activity'  
DK

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COLUMN 455

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RESP NUM

0/

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[READ OUT BANDS]@'

RESP SP

'15 - 24'/

'25 - 34'/

'35 - 44'/

'45 - 54'/

'55 - 64'/

'65+'

REF

d3 ASK ' @

D.3. At what age did you leave full time education?

@IF RESPONDENT REFUSES TO ANSWER CODE ''0''

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1/

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'Other ' PROMPTOTH

ljob3 DEFINE

'Supervisor / foreman (team manager, etc )'//

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RESP LIST
ljob1/ljob2/ljob3/ljob4

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TIME END IS = '+dtime2+'@@'

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RESP SP 'Yes'/  
      'No'

GOTO fin

sorry DISPLAY '@@In that case I''m sorry to have disturbed you.@@'  
PAUSE  
SIGNAL 5

fin END