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Eurobarometer 79.3

**Country Questionnaire
Malta (English)**

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ASK ITEM 28 ONLY IN TURKEY

ASK ITEM 29 ONLY IN CROATIA

ASK ITEM 30 ONLY IN TURKISH CYPRIOT COMMUNITY

ASK ITEM 31 ONLY IN FORMER YUGOSLAV REPUBLIC OF MACEDONIA

ASK ITEM 32 ONLY IN ICELAND

ASK ITEM 33 ONLY IN MONTENEGRO

ASK ITEM 34 ONLY IN SERBIA

Q1 What is your nationality? Please tell me the country(ies) that applies(y).

(MULTIPLE ANSWERS POSSIBLE)

	(138-173)
Belgium	1,
Denmark	2,
Germany	3,
Greece	4,
Spain	5,
France	6,
Ireland	7,
Italy	8,
Luxembourg	9,
Netherlands	10,
Portugal	11,
United Kingdom (Great Britain, Northern Ireland)	12,
Austria	13,
Sweden	14,
Finland	15,
Republic of Cyprus	16,
Czech Republic	17,
Estonia	18,
Hungary	19,
Latvia	20,
Lithuania	21,
Malta	22,
Poland	23,
Slovakia	24,
Slovenia	25,
Bulgaria	26,
Romania	27,
Other countries	35,
DK	36,

EB79.2 Q1 TREND MODIFIED

IF OTHER or DK in Q1 THEN CLOSE INTERVIEW

A. CORE QUESTIONNAIRE

ASK ALL

QA1 On the whole, are you very satisfied, fairly satisfied, not very satisfied or not at all satisfied with the life you lead?

(ONE ANSWER ONLY)

	(194)
Very satisfied	1
Fairly satisfied	2
Not very satisfied	3
Not at all satisfied	4
DK	5

EB78.1 QA1

QA2 When you get together with friends or relatives, would you say you discuss frequently, occasionally or never about...?

(ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

	(READ OUT)	Frequently	Occasionally	Never	DK
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(195)	1	(ONLY IN EU27 AND HR) National political matters	1	2	3	4
(196)	2	European political matters	1	2	3	4
(197)	3	(ONLY IN EU27, HR) AND CY(tcc) Local political matters	1	2	3	4

EB78.1 QA2 (FILTER MODIFIED IN ITEMS 1 AND 3)

DO NOT ASK QA3a IN CY(tcc) – CY(tcc) GO TO QA3b

QA3a How would you judge the current situation in each of the following domains?

(SHOW CARD WITH SCALE – ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

	(READ OUT)	Very good	Rather good	Rather bad	Very bad	DK
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(198)	1	The situation of the Maltese economy	1	2	3	4	5
(199)	2	The situation of the European economy	1	2	3	4	5
(200)	3	The situation of the economy in the world	1	2	3	4	5
(201)	4	Your personal job situation	1	2	3	4	5
(202)	5	The financial situation of your household	1	2	3	4	5
(203)	6	The employment situation in Malta	1	2	3	4	5

EB78.1 QA3a

ASK QA3b ONLY IN CY(tcc) – OTHERS GO TO QA4a

DO NOT ASK QA4a IN CY(tcc) – CY(tcc) GO TO QA4b

QA4a What are your expectations for the next twelve months: will the next twelve months be better, worse or the same, when it comes to...?

(ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

	READ OUT	Better	Worse	Same	DK
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(210)	1	your life in general	1	2	3	4
(211)	2	the economic situation in Malta	1	2	3	4
(212)	3	the financial situation of your household	1	2	3	4
(213)	4	the employment situation in Malta	1	2	3	4
(214)	5	your personal job situation	1	2	3	4
(215)	6	The economic situation in the EU	1	2	3	4
(216)	7	The economic situation in the world (N)	1	2	3	4

EB78.1 QA4a

ASK QA4b ONLY IN CY(tcc) – OTHERS GO TO QA5a

DO NOT ASK QA5a IN CY(tcc) – CY(tcc) GO TO QA5b

QA5a For each of the following domains, would you say that the situation in Malta is better or less good than the average of the EU countries?

(SHOW CARD WITH SCALE - ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

	(READ-OUT - ROTATE)	Much better	Somewhat better	Some-what less good	Definitely less good	DK
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(224)	1	The situation of the Maltese economy	1	2	3	4	5
(225)	2	The employment situation in Malta	1	2	3	4	5
(226)	3	The cost of living in Malta	1	2	3	4	5
(227)	4	The quality of life in Malta	1	2	3	4	5
(228)	5	The situation of the environment in Malta	1	2	3	4	5
(229)	6	The situation of public finances in Malta	1	2	3	4	5
(230)	7	Prospects for the future in Malta	1	2	3	4	5
(231)	8	The situation of the youth in Malta	1	2	3	4	5

EB77.3 QA6a (FILTER MODIFIED IN ITEMS 5-8)

ASK QA5b ONLY IN CY(tcc) - OTHERS GO TO QA6a

DO NOT ASK QA6a AND QA7a IN CY(tcc) – CY(tcc) GO TO QA6b

QA6a What do you think are the two most important issues facing Malta at the moment?

(SHOW CARD – READ OUT – MAX. 2 ANSWERS)

	(240-255)
Crime	1,
Economic situation	2,
Rising prices\ inflation	3,
Taxation	4,
Unemployment	5,
Terrorism	6,
Housing	7,
Government debt	8,
Immigration	9,
Health and social security	10,
The education system	11,
Pensions	12,
The environment, climate and energy issues	13,
Other (SPONTANEOUS)	14,
None (SPONTANEOUS)	15,
DK	16,

EB78.1 QA5a

QA7a	And personally, what are the two most important issues you are facing at the moment?
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(SHOW CARD – READ OUT – MAX. 2 ANSWERS)

	(256-271)
Crime	1,
The economic situation in Malta	2,
Rising prices\ inflation	3,
Taxation	4,
Unemployment	5,
Terrorism	6,
Housing	7,
The financial situation of your household	8,
Immigration	9,
Health and social security	10,
The education system	11,
The environment, climate and energy issues	12,
Pensions	13,
Other (SPONTANEOUS)	14,
None (SPONTANEOUS)	15,
DK	16,

EB78.1 QA6a

ASK QA6b AND QA7b ONLY IN CY(tcc) – OTHERS GO TO QA8

ASK QA8 ONLY IN EU27 AND HR - CY(tcc) GO TO QA9b - OTHERS GO TO QA9a

QA8 What do you think are the two most important issues facing the EU at the moment?

(SHOW CARD – READ OUT – MAX. 2 ANSWERS)

(305-320)

Crime	1,
Economic situation	2,
Rising prices\ inflation	3,
Taxation	4,
Unemployment	5,
Terrorism	6,
EU's influence in the world	7,
The state of Member States public finances	8,
Immigration	9,
Pensions	10,
The environment	11,
Energy supply	12,
Climate change	13,
Other (SPONTANEOUS)	14,
None (SPONTANEOUS)	15,
DK	16,

EB78.1 QA7 (FILTER MODIFIED)

ASK QA9b AND QA10b ONLY IN CY(tcc) – OTHERS GO TO QA11a

DO NOT ASK QA11a IN CY(tcc) – CY(tcc) GO TO QA11b

QA11a At the present time, would you say that, in general, things are going in the right direction or in the wrong direction, in...?

(ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

	(READ OUT)	Things are going in the right direction	Things are going in the wrong direction	Neither the one nor the other (SPONTANEOUS)	DK
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(325)	1	In Malta	1	2	3	4
(326)	2	The European Union	1	2	3	4

EB78.1 QA10a

ASK QA11b ONLY IN CY(tcc) – OTHERS GO TO QA12

ASK ALL

QA12 I would like to ask you a question about how much trust you have in certain institutions. For each of the following institutions, please tell me if you tend to trust it or tend not to trust it.

(ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

	(READ OUT)	Tend to trust it	Tend not to trust it	DK
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(329)	1	Political parties	1	2	3
(330)	2	(NOT IN CY(tcc)) The Maltese Government	1	2	3
(331)	3	(NOT IN CY(tcc)) The Maltese Parliament	1	2	3
(332)	4	The European Union	1	2	3
(333)	5	The United Nations	1	2	3
(334)	6	Regional or local public authorities	1	2	3

EB78.1 QA11 TREND MODIFIED

QA13 In general, does the EU conjure up for you a very positive, fairly positive, neutral, fairly negative or very negative image?

(ONE ANSWER ONLY)

	(335)
Very positive	1
Fairly positive	2
Neutral	3
Fairly negative	4
Very negative	5
DK	6

EB78.1 QA12

QA14 What does the EU mean to you personally?

(SHOW CARD – READ OUT – ROTATE TOP TO BOTTOM\ BOTTOM TO TOP – MULTIPLE ANSWERS POSSIBLE)

(336-351)

Peace	1,
Economic prosperity	2,
Democracy	3,
Social protection	4,
Freedom to travel, study and work anywhere in the EU	5,
Cultural diversity	6,
Stronger say in the world	7,
Euro	8,
Unemployment	9,
Bureaucracy	10,
Waste of money	11,
Loss of our cultural identity	12,
More crime	13,
Not enough control at external borders	14,
Other (SPONTANEOUS)	15,
DK	16,

EB78.1 QA13

QA15 Please tell me for each of the following words if it describes very well, fairly well, fairly badly or very badly the idea you might have of the EU.

(SHOW CARD WITH SCALE – ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

	(READ OUT)	Describes very well	Describes fairly well	Describes fairly badly	Describes very badly	DK
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(352)	1	Modern	1	2	3	4	5
(353)	2	Democratic	1	2	3	4	5
(354)	3	Protective	1	2	3	4	5
(355)	4	Efficient	1	2	3	4	5
(356)	5	Technocratic	1	2	3	4	5

EB78.1 QA14 (FILTER MODIFIED)

ASK QA16 ONLY IN EU27 AND HR – OTHERS GO TO QA17

QA16 Please tell me to what extent you agree or disagree with each of the following statements.

(SHOW CARD WITH SCALE – ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

	(READ OUT)	Totally agree	Tend to agree	Tend to disagree	Totally disagree	DK
(357)	1 The EU is creating the conditions for more jobs in Europe	1	2	3	4	5
(358)	2 The EU is responsible for austerity in Europe	1	2	3	4	5
(359)	3 The EU makes doing business easier in Europe	1	2	3	4	5
(360)	4 The EU generates too much red tape	1	2	3	4	5
(361)	5 The EU will emerge fairer from the crisis	1	2	3	4	5
(362)	6 The EU is making the financial sector pay its fair share	1	2	3	4	5
(363)	7 The EU makes the cost of living cheaper in Europe	1	2	3	4	5
(364)	8 The EU makes the quality of life better in Europe	1	2	3	4	5
(365)	9 The EU helps tackle global threats and challenges	1	2	3	4	5
(366)	10 The EU helps protect its citizens	1	2	3	4	5
(367)	11 The EU needs a clearer message	1	2	3	4	5

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ASK ALL

QA17 Have you heard of...?

(ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

(READ OUT) Yes No DK

(368)	1	The European Parliament	1	2	3
(369)	2	The European Commission	1	2	3
(370)	3	The Council of the European Union	1	2	3
(371)	4	The European Central Bank	1	2	3
(372)	5	(ONLY EU27 AND HR) The Court of Justice of the European Union	1	2	3

EB78.1 QA15 (FILTER MODIFIED IN ITEM 5)

QA18 For each of the following European bodies, please tell me if you tend to trust it or tend not to trust it.

(ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

(READ OUT) Tend to trust Tend not to trust DK

(373)	1	The European Parliament	1	2	3
(374)	2	The European Commission	1	2	3
(375)	3	The Council of the European Union	1	2	3
(376)	4	The European Central Bank	1	2	3
(377)	5	(ONLY IN EU27 AND HR) The Court of Justice of the European Union	1	2	3

EB78.1 QA16 (FILTER MODIFIED IN ITEM 5)

QA19 For each of the following statements about the EU could you please tell me whether you think it is true or false.

(ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

(READ OUT – ROTATE) True. False. DK

(378)	1	The EU currently consists of 27 Member States	1	2	3
(379)	2	The members of the European Parliament are directly elected by the citizens of each Member State	1	2	3
(380)	3	Switzerland is a member of the EU	1	2	3

EB78.1 QA17

QA20 What is your opinion on each of the following statements? Please tell me for each statement, whether you are for it or against it.

(ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

	(READ OUT – ROTATE)	For	Against	DK
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(381)	1	A European economic and monetary union with one single currency, the euro	1	2	3
(382)	2	(ONLY IN EU27 AND HR) A common foreign policy of the 27 Member States of the EU	1	2	3
(383)	3	Further enlargement of the EU to include other countries in future years	1	2	3
(384)	4	(ONLY IN EU27 AND HR) A common defence and security policy among EU Member States	1	2	3
(385)	5	(ONLY IN EU27 AND HR) European political parties to present their candidate for the post of European Commission President at the next European Parliament elections	1	2	3

EB78.1 QA18 (FILTER MODIFIED IN ITEMS 2, 4, 5)

ASK QA21a AND QA21b ONLY IN EU27 AND HR – CY(tcc) GO TO QA22b – OTHERS GO TO QA22a

QA21a On the whole, are you very satisfied, fairly satisfied, not very satisfied or not at all satisfied with the way democracy works in Malta?

QA21b And how about the way democracy works in the EU?

(SHOW CARD WITH SCALE – ONE ANSWER PER COLUMN)

(READ OUT)	(386) QA21a In Malta	(387) QA21b In the European Union
Very satisfied	1	1
Fairly satisfied	2	2
Not very satisfied	3	3
Not at all satisfied	4	4
DK	5	5

EB78.1 QA19a&b (FILTER MODIFIED)

DO NOT ASK QA22a IN CY(tcc) – CY(tcc) GO TO QA22b

QA22a Please tell me to what extent you agree or disagree with each of the following statements.

(SHOW CARD WITH SCALE – ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

	(READ OUT)	Totally agree	Tend to agree	Tend to disagree	Totally disagree	DK
(388)	1 I understand how the EU works	1	2	3	4	5
(389)	2 (ONLY IN EU27) The interests of Malta are well taken into account in the EU	1	2	3	4	5
(390)	3 My voice counts in the EU	1	2	3	4	5
(391)	4 The EU's voice counts in the world	1	2	3	4	5
(392)	5 Globalisation is an opportunity for economic growth	1	2	3	4	5
(393)	6 Malta alone can cope with the negative effects of globalisation	1	2	3	4	5
(394)	7 (ONLY IN EU27 AND HR) (ONLY TO SPLIT A) The EU helps to protect European citizens from the negative effects of globalisation	1	2	3	4	5
(395)	8 (ONLY IN EU27 AND HR) (ONLY TO SPLIT B) The EU enables European citizens to better benefit from the positive effects of globalisation	1	2	3	4	5
(396)	9 (ONLY IN EU 27 AND HR) Malta could better face the future outside the EU	1	2	3	4	5
(397)	10 (ONLY IN EU 27 AND HR) The EU should develop further into a federation of Nation-States	1	2	3	4	5

EB78.1 QA20a TREND MODIFIED (+FILTER MODIFIED IN ITEMS 7-10)

ASK QA22b ONLY IN CY(tcc) – OTHERS GO TO QA23

ASK ALL

QA23 In your opinion, at the current time, what is the main objective of the building of Europe?

(SHOW CARD – READ OUT – ROTATE – ONE ANSWER ONLY)

	(403-404)
To develop the EU's economy and boost growth	1
To make the EU a major diplomatic player on the international stage	2
To improve the standard of living of all EU citizens	3
To combat global threats (terrorism, climate change)	4
To promote the development of the poorest countries outside the EU	5
To promote democracy and human rights in the world	6
Maintain peace and stability	7
To protect European citizens against the negative effects of globalisation (relocation of industries and jobs, competition from emerging countries for European businesses)	8
Other (SPONTANEOUS)	9
DK	10

EB78.1 QA21 (FILTER MODIFIED)

QA24 And what should be the main objective of the building of Europe?

(SHOW CARD - READ OUT – ROTATE – ONE ANSWER ONLY)

	(405-406)
To develop the EU's economy and boost growth	1
To make the EU a major diplomatic player on the international stage	2
To improve the standard of living of all EU citizens	3
To combat global threats (terrorism, climate change)	4
To promote the development of the poorest countries outside the EU	5
To promote democracy and human rights in the world	6
Maintain peace and stability	7
To protect European citizens against the negative effects of globalisation (relocation of industries and jobs, competition from emerging countries for European businesses)	8
Other answers (SPONTANEOUS)	9
DK	10

EB78.1 QA22 (FILTER MODIFIED)

QA25a In your opinion, what is the current speed of building Europe? Please look at these figures. N°1 is standing still, N°7 is running as fast as possible. Choose the one which best corresponds with your opinion of the current speed of building Europe.

QA25b And which corresponds best to the speed you would like?

(SHOW CARD WITH SCALE)

READ OUT	(407)	(408)
	QA25a CURRENT SPEED	QA25b DESIRED SPEED
1 Standstill	1	1
2	2	2
3	3	3
4	4	4
5	5	5
6	6	6
7 Runs as fast as possible	7	7
DK	8	8

EB77.3 QA24a&b (FILTER MODIFIED)

ASK QA26 ONLY IN EU27 AND HR – OTHERS GO TO QB3b

QA26 Would you say that you are very optimistic, fairly optimistic, fairly pessimistic or very pessimistic about the future of the EU?

(ONE ANSWER ONLY)

	(409)
Very optimistic	1
Fairly optimistic	2
Fairly pessimistic	3
Very pessimistic	4
DK	5

EB78.1 QA23 (FILTER MODIFIED)

ASK QB1 TO QB3a ONLY IN EU27 AND HR – OTHERS GO TO QB3b

To exit the financial and economic crisis and face the world new challenges the EU has defined a strategy called Europe 2020. Europe 2020 puts forward different priorities and objectives. Let's now discuss them.

QB1 For each of the following initiatives, please tell me how important or not you think they are in order for the EU to exit the present financial and economic crisis and prepare for the next decade. Please use a scale from 1 to 10, where '1' means that you think this initiative is "not at all important" and '10' means that it is "very important".

(SHOW CARD WITH SCALE - ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

	(READ OUT)	1 Not at all impo rtant	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10 Very impo rtant	DK
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(430-431)	1	To increase the support for research and development policies and turn inventions into products	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
(432-433)	2	To enhance the quality and appeal of EU's higher education system	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
(434-435)	3	To develop the e-economy by strengthening ultra fast Internet within the EU	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
(436-437)	4	To support an economy that uses less natural resources and emits less greenhouse gas	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
(438-439)	5	To help the EU's industrial base to be more competitive by promoting entrepreneurship and developing new skills	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11

(440-441)	6	To modernise labour markets, with a view to raising employment levels	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
(442-443)	7	To help the poor and socially excluded and enable them to play an active part in society	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11

EB78.1 QB1 (FILTER MODIFIED)

QB2	Thinking about each of the following objectives to be reached by 2020 in the EU, would you say that it is too ambitious, about right or too modest?
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(SHOW CARD WITH SCALE - ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

	(READ OUT)	Too ambitious	About right	Too modest	DK
(444)	1 Three quarters of men and women between 20 and 64 years of age should have a job	1	2	3	4
(445)	2 The share of funds invested in research and development should reach 3% of the wealth produced in the EU each year	1	2	3	4
(446)	3 To reduce EU greenhouse gas emissions by at least 20% by 2020 compared to 1990	1	2	3	4
(447)	4 To increase the share of renewable energy in the EU by 20% by 2020	1	2	3	4
(448)	5 To increase the energy efficiency in the EU by 20% by 2020	1	2	3	4
(449)	6 The number of young people leaving school with no qualifications should fall to 10%	1	2	3	4
(450)	7 At least 40% of the people aged 30 to 34 years should have a higher education degree or diploma	1	2	3	4
(451)	8 The number of Europeans living below the poverty line should be reduced by a quarter by 2020	1	2	3	4

EB78.1 QB2 (FILTER MODIFIED)

QB3a	Having heard about the priorities of the EU, do you think that the EU is going in the right direction or in the wrong direction to exit the crisis and face the world new challenges?
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(ONE ANSWER ONLY)

	(452)
In the right direction	1
In the wrong direction	2
Neither the one or the other (SPONTANEOUS)	3
DK	4

EB78.1 QB3 (FILTER MODIFIED)

ASK QB3b ONLY IN CC AND CY(tcc) – OTHERS GO TO QC1

C. THE EUROPEANS AND THE CRISIS

ASK ALL

QC1 Some analysts say that the impact of the economic crisis on the job market has already reached its peak and things will recover little by little. Others, on the contrary, say that the worst is still to come. Which of the two statements is closer to your opinion?

(READ OUT – ONE ANSWER ONLY)

(474)

The impact of the crisis on jobs has already reached its peak	1
The worst is still to come	2
DK	3

EB78.1 QC1

QC2 Which of the following statements best reflects your household situation?

(SHOW CARD – READ OUT – ONE ANSWER ONLY)

(475)

Your current situation does not allow you to make any plan for the future. You live day by day	1
You know what you will be doing in the next six months	2
You have a long-term perspective of what your household will be during in the next 1 or 2 years	3
Other	4
DK	5

EB78.1 QC2

DO NOT ASK QC3a IN CY(tcc) – CY(tcc) GO TO QC3b

QC3a In your opinion, which of the following is best able to take effective actions against the effects of the financial and economic crisis?

(SHOW CARD – READ OUT – ROTATE – ONE ANSWER ONLY)

(476)

The Maltese Government	1
The European Union	2
The USA	3
The G20	4
The International Monetary Fund (IMF)	5
Other (SPONTANEOUS)	6
None (SPONTANEOUS)	7
DK	8

EB78.1 QC3a

ASK QC3b ONLY IN CY(tcc) – OTHERS GO TO QC4a

DO NOT ASK QC4a IN CY(tcc) – CY(tcc) GO TO QC4b

QC4a For each of the following statements, please tell me whether you totally agree, tend to agree, tend to disagree or totally disagree.

(SHOW CARD WITH SCALE – ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

	(READ OUT)	Totally agree	Tend to agree	Tend to disagree	Totally disagree	DK
(478)	1 Malta needs reforms to face the future	1	2	3	4	5
(479)	2 (ONLY IN EU27 AND HR) EU Member States should work together more in tackling the financial and economic crisis	1	2	3	4	5
(480)	3 (ONLY TO SPLIT A) Measures to reduce the public deficit and debt in Malta cannot be delayed	1	2	3	4	5
(481)	4 (ONLY TO SPLIT B) Measures to reduce the public deficit and debt in Malta are not a priority for now	1	2	3	4	5
(482)	5 The EU has sufficient power and tools to defend the economic interests of Europe in the global economy	1	2	3	4	5
(483)	6 As a consequence of the crisis, you think the EU will be stronger in the long run	1	2	3	4	5
(484)	7 (ONLY IN EU27) As a consequence of the crisis, you feel closer to the citizens in other European countries	1	2	3	4	5
(485)	8 (ONLY IN EU27) As a consequence of the crisis, EU countries will have to work more closely together	1	2	3	4	5

EB78.1 QC4 (FILTER MODIFIED)

ASK QC4b ONLY IN CY(tcc) – OTHERS GO TO QC5a

ASK QC5 AND QC6 ONLY IN EU27 AND HR – OTHERS GO TO QD5a

QC5 A range of measures to tackle the current financial and economic crisis is being discussed in the European institutions. For each, could you tell me whether you think it would be effective or not?

(SHOW CARD WITH SCALE – ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

	(READ OUT – ROTATE)	Very effective	Fairly effective	Not really effective	Not at all effective	DK
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(491)	1	A more important role for the EU in regulating financial services	1	2	3	4	5
(492)	2	A stronger coordination of economic policy among all the EU Member States	1	2	3	4	5
(493)	3	A stronger coordination of economic and financial policies among the countries of the euro area	1	2	3	4	5
(494)	4	The designation of a finance minister for the EU	1	2	3	4	5
(495)	5	EU approval in advance of EU Member States' governments budgets	1	2	3	4	5
(496)	6	A more accountable governance of the Euro	1	2	3	4	5
(497)	7	Fines for EU Member States' governments that spend or borrow too much	1	2	3	4	5
(498)	8	A central supervision of the banking system at EU level (i.e. Banking Union)	1	2	3	4	5

EB78.1 QC6 TREND MODIFIED (+FILTER MODIFIED)

QC6	Thinking about reform global financial markets, please tell me whether you are in favour or opposed to the following measures to be taken by the EU.
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(SHOW CARD WITH SCALE – ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

	(READ OUT – ROTATE)	Strongly in favour	Fairly in favour	Fairly opposed	Strongly opposed	DK
(499)	1 Tougher rules on tax avoidance and tax havens	1	2	3	4	5
(500)	2 The introduction of a tax on profits made by banks	1	2	3	4	5
(501)	3 The introduction of a tax on financial transactions	1	2	3	4	5
(502)	4 The introduction of Eurobonds (European bonds) (INT.: IF NEEDED, PRECISE "COMMON EUROPEAN BORROWING")	1	2	3	4	5
(503)	5 Tighter rules for credit rating agencies	1	2	3	4	5
(504)	6 The regulation of wages in the financial sector (i.e. traders' bonuses)	1	2	3	4	5

EB78.1 QC7 (ITEMS 1-5) + EB76.3 QC6 (ITEM 6) (+FILTER MODIFIED)

D. CITIZENSHIP

ASK QD1 ONLY IN EU27 AND HR – OTHERS GO TO QD5a

QD1 Regarding the "European Union", please tell me what you expect from it.

(OPEN QUESTION – WRITE DOWN – DO NOT PROMPT – MULTIPLE ANSWERS POSSIBLE)

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EB78.1 QD1 (FILTER MODIFIED)

ASK QD2 TO QD3b ONLY IN EU27 – HR GO TO QD4 – OTHERS GO TO QD5a

QD2 For each of the following statements, please tell me to what extent it corresponds or not to your own opinion.

(SHOW CARD WITH SCALE - ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

	(READ OUT)	Yes, definitely	Yes, to some extent	No, not really	No, definitely not	DK
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(566)	1	You feel you are a citizen of the EU	1	2	3	4	5
(567)	2	You know what your rights are as a citizen of the EU	1	2	3	4	5
(568)	3	You would like to know more about your rights as a citizen of the EU	1	2	3	4	5

EB78.1 QD2

ASK QD3a&b IF "WOULD LIKE TO KNOW MORE ABOUT RIGHTS AS A CITIZEN OF THE EU", CODE 1 OR 2 IN QD2.3 – OTHERS GO TO QD4

QD3a About which rights as a citizen of the EU would you like to know more? Firstly?

QD3b And then?

(SHOW CARD – ONE ANSWER PER COLUMN)

(READ OUT – ROTATE)	(569-570)	(571-572)
	QD3a FIRSTLY	QD3b SECONDLY
Voting in elections in another EU country	1	1
Living in another EU country	2	2
Working in another EU country	3	3
Studying in another EU country	4	4
Receiving medical assistance in another EU country	5	5
Buying goods in another EU country	6	6
Buying services in another EU country	7	7
Benefitting from a consular protection of any EU country when you are outside the EU and your own country is not represented there	8	8
Other (SPONTANEOUS)	9	9
None (SPONTANEOUS)	10	10
DK	11	11

EB78.1 QD3a&b

ASK QD4 ONLY IN EU27 AND HR – OTHERS GO TO QD5a

QD4 In the near future, do you see yourself as...?

(SHOW CARD – READ OUT – ONE ANSWER ONLY)

	(573)
(*?Q1FIRST mentioned in Q1) only	1
(*?Q1FIRST mentioned in Q1) and European	2
European and (*?Q1FIRST mentioned in Q1)	3
European only	4
None (SPONTANEOUS)	5
Refusal (SPONTANEOUS)	6
DK	7

EB77.3 QD5

ASK ALL

QD5a Which of the following do you think is the most positive result of the EU? Firstly?

(SHOW CARD – READ OUT – ONE ANSWER ONLY)

(574-575)

Peace among the Member States of the EU	1
The free movement of people, goods and services within the EU	2
The Euro	3
Student exchange programmes such as ERASMUS	4
The common agricultural policy	5
The economic power of the EU	6
The political and diplomatic influence of the EU in the rest of the world	7
The level of social welfare (healthcare, education, pensions) in the EU	8
Other (SPONTANEOUS)	9
None (SPONTANEOUS)	10
DK	11

EB78.1 QD4a (FILTER MODIFIED)

QD5b And then?

(SHOW CARD – READ OUT – MULTIPLE ANSWERS POSSIBLE)

(576-586)

Peace among the Member States of the EU	1,
The free movement of people, goods and services within the EU	2,
The Euro	3,
Student exchange programmes such as ERASMUS	4,
The common agricultural policy	5,
The economic power of the EU	6,
The political and diplomatic influence of the EU in the rest of the world	7,
The level of social welfare (healthcare, education, pensions) in the EU	8,
Other (SPONTANEOUS)	9,
None (SPONTANEOUS)	10,
DK	11,

EB78.1 QD4b (FILTER MODIFIED)

ASK QD6a ONLY IN EU27 – OTHERS GO TO QD6b

QD6a In the last 12 months have you...?

(ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

	(READ OUT)	Yes, on several occasions	Yes, once or twice	No	DK
(587)	1 Visited another EU country	1	2	3	4
(588)	2 Read a book, newspaper or magazine in a language other than your mother tongue	1	2	3	4
(589)	3 Socialised with people from another EU country	1	2	3	4
(590)	4 Watched TV programs in a language other than your mother tongue	1	2	3	4
(591)	5 Used the Internet in order to purchase a product or a service from another EU country	1	2	3	4

EB78.1 QD5 (FILTER MODIFIED)

ASK QD6b ONLY IN HR, CC AND CY(tcc) – EU27 GO TO QD7a

ASK QD7a ONLY IN EU27 – OTHERS GO TO DD7b

QD7a For each of the following achievements of the EU, could you tell me whether you have benefited from it or not.

(ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

	(READ OUT – ROTATE)	Has benefited	Has not benefited	DK
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(597)	1	No\ less border controls when travelling abroad	1	2	3
(598)	2	Improved consumers rights when buying products or services in another EU country	1	2	3
(599)	3	Cheaper calls when using a mobile phone in another EU country	1	2	3
(600)	4	Receiving medical assistance in another EU country	1	2	3
(601)	5	Strengthened rights of air transport passengers in the EU	1	2	3
(602)	6	Working in another EU country	1	2	3
(603)	7	Living in another EU country	1	2	3
(604)	8	Studying in another EU country	1	2	3
(605)	9	Less expensive flights and a wider choice of airlines	1	2	3

EB78.1 QD6

ASK QD7b ONLY IN HR, CC AND CY(tcc) – EU27 GO TO DD8

ASK ALL

QD8 In your opinion, among the following issues, which are those that most create a feeling of community among European Union citizens?

(SHOWCARD - READ OUT – ROTATE – MAX. 3 ANSWERS)

	(612-627)
History	1,
Religion	2,
Values	3,
Geography	4,
Languages	5,
Legislation	6,
Sports	7,
Inventions, science and technology	8,
Economy	9,
Healthcare, education and pensions	10,
Solidarity with poorer regions	11,
Culture	12,
Other (SPONTANEOUS)	13,
None, such a feeling does not exist (SPONTANEOUS)	14,
None (SPONTANEOUS)	15,
DK	16,

EB77.3 QD9 (FILTER MODIFIED)

QD9 In the following list, which are the three most important values for you personally?

(SHOW CARD – READ OUT – MAX. 3 ANSWERS)

	(628-641)
The Rule of Law	1,
Respect for human life	2,
Human rights	3,
Individual freedom	4,
Democracy	5,
Peace	6,
Equality	7,
Solidarity, support for others	8,
Tolerance	9,
Religion	10,
Self-fulfilment	11,
Respect for other cultures	12,
None (SPONTANEOUS)	13,
DK	14,

EB77.3 QE2 (FILTER MODIFIED)

QD10 Which three of the following values best represent the EU?

(SHOW CARD – READ OUT – MAX. 3 ANSWERS)

(642-655)

The Rule of Law	1,
Respect for human life	2,
Human rights	3,
Individual freedom	4,
Democracy	5,
Peace	6,
Equality	7,
Solidarity, support for others	8,
Tolerance	9,
Religion	10,
Self-fulfilment	11,
Respect for other cultures	12,
None (SPONTANEOUS)	13,
DK	14,

EB77.3 QE3 (FILTER MODIFIED)

ASK QD11 ONLY IN EU27 – OTHERS GO TO SOCIO-DEMOGRAPHICS

The Lisbon Treaty came into force in December 2009. It has introduced the "European Citizens' Initiative". The initiative enables one million European Union citizens to call on the European Commission to bring forward an initiative of interest to them in an area of EU competence.

QD11 How likely or not do you think you would make use of this European Citizens' initiative?

(READ OUT – ONE ANSWER ONLY)

(656)

Very likely	1
Fairly likely	2
Not very likely	3
Not at all likely	4
DK	5

EB78.1 QD7

ASK ALL

NO QUESTIONS D4 TO D6

D7 Could you give me the letter which corresponds best to your own current situation?

(SHOW CARD – READ OUT – ONE ANSWER ONLY)

(681-682)

MARRIED OR REMARRIED	
Living without children	1
Living with the children of this marriage	2
Living with the children of a previous marriage	3
Living with the children of this marriage and of a previous marriage	4
SINGLE LIVING WITH A PARTNER	
Living without children	5
Living with the children of this union	6
Living with the children of a previous union	7
Living with the children of this union and of a previous union	8
SINGLE	
Living without children	9
Living with children	10
DIVORCED OR SEPARATED	
Living without children	11
Living with children	12
WIDOW	
Living without children	13
Living with children	14
Other (SPONTANEOUS)	15
Refusal (SPONTANEOUS)	16

EB79.2 D7

D8 How old were you when you stopped full-time education?

(INT.: IF "STILL STUDYING", CODE '00' – IF "NO EDUCATION" CODE '01' – IF "REFUSAL" CODE '98' – IF "DK" CODE '99')

(683-684)

EB79.2 D8

NO QUESTION D9

D10 Gender.

(685)

Male	1
Female	2

EB79.2 D10

D11	How old are you? (686-687)
	<input type="text"/>

EB79.2 D11

NO QUESTIONS D12 TO D14

ASK D15b IF "NOT DOING ANY PAID WORK CURRENTLY", CODES 1 to 4 in D15a

D15a	What is your current occupation?
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D15b	Did you do any paid work in the past? What was your last occupation?
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	(688-689)	(690-691)
	D15a	D15b
	CURRENT OCCUPATION	LAST OCCUPATION
NON-ACTIVE		
Responsible for ordinary shopping and looking after the home, or without any current occupation, not working	1	
Student	2	
Unemployed or temporarily not working	3	
Retired or unable to work through illness	4	
SELF EMPLOYED		
Farmer	5	5
Fisherman	6	6
Professional (lawyer, medical practitioner, accountant, architect, etc.)	7	7
Owner of a shop, craftsmen, other self-employed person	8	8
Business proprietors, owner (full or partner) of a company	9	9
EMPLOYED		
Employed professional (employed doctor, lawyer, accountant, architect)	10	10
General management, director or top management (managing directors, director general, other director)	11	11
Middle management, other management (department head, junior manager, teacher, technician)	12	12
Employed position, working mainly at a desk	13	13
Employed position, not at a desk but travelling (salesmen, driver, etc.)	14	14
Employed position, not at a desk, but in a service job (hospital, restaurant, police, fireman, etc.)	15	15
Supervisor	16	16
Skilled manual worker	17	17
Other (unskilled) manual worker, servant	18	18
Never did any paid work		19

EB79.2 D15a D15b

NO QUESTIONS D16 TO D24

D25 Would you say you live in a...?

(READ OUT)

(692)

Rural area or village	1
Small or middle sized town	2
Large town	3
DK	4

EB79.2 D25

NO QUESTIONS D26 TO D39

D40a Could you tell me how many people aged 15 years or more live in your household, yourself included?

(INT.: READ OUT – WRITE DOWN)

(693-694)

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EB79.2 D40a

D40b Could you tell me how many children less than 10 years old live in your household?

(INT.: READ OUT – WRITE DOWN)

(695-696)

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EB79.2 D40b

D40c Could you tell me how many children aged 10 to 14 years old live in your household?

(INT.: READ OUT – WRITE DOWN)

(697-698)

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EB79.2 D40c

NO QUESTIONS D41 TO D45

D46 Which of the following goods do you have?

(SHOW CARD – READ OUT – MULTIPLE ANSWERS POSSIBLE)

(699-708)

Television	1,
DVD player	2,
Music CD player	3,
Computer	4,
An Internet connection at home	5,
A car	6,
An apartment\ a house which you have finished paying for	7,
An apartment\ a house which you are paying for	8,
None (SPONTANEOUS)	9,
DK	10,

EB79.2 D46

NO QUESTIONS D47 TO D59

D60 During the last twelve months, would you say you had difficulties to pay your bills at the end of the month...?

(SHOW CARD – READ OUT – ONE ANSWER ONLY)

(709)

Most of the time	1
From time to time	2
Almost never\ never	3
Refusal (SPONTANEOUS)	4

EB79.2 D60

D61 On the following scale, step '1' corresponds to "the lowest level in the society"; step '10' corresponds to "the highest level in the society". Could you tell me on which step you would place yourself?

(SHOW CARD - ONE ANSWER ONLY)

	(710-711)
1 The lowest level in the society	1
2	2
3	3
4	4
5	5
6	6
7	7
8	8
9	9
10 The highest level in the society	10
Refusal (SPONTANEOUS)	11

EB79.2 D61

D62 Could you tell me if...?

(SHOW CARD WITH SCALE - ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

(READ OUT)	Everyday	Two or three times a week	About once a week	Two or three times a month	Less often	Never	No Internet access (SPONTANEOUS)

(712)

1	You use the Internet at home, in your home	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
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(713)

2	You use the Internet on your place of work	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
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(714)

3	You use the Internet somewhere else (school, university, cyber-café, etc.)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
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EB79.2 D62

D63	Do you see yourself and your household belonging to...?
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(SHOW CARD – READ OUT – ONE ANSWER ONLY)
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	(715)
The working class of society	1
The middle class of society	2
The higher class of society	3
Other (SPONTANEOUS)	4
None (SPONTANEOUS)	5
Refusal (SPONTANEOUS)	6
DK	7

EB79.2 D63

INTERVIEW PROTOCOL

P1 Date of the interview

(736-737)

(738-739)

DAY

MONTH

EB79.2 P1

P2 Time of the beginning of the interview

(INT.: USE 24 HOUR CLOCK)

(740-741)

(742-743)

HOUR

MINUTES

EB79.2 P2

P3 Number of minutes the interview lasted

(744-746)

MINUTES

EB79.2 P3

P4 Number of persons present during the interview, including interviewer

(747)

Two (interviewer and respondent)
Three
Four
Five or more

1
2
3
4

EB79.2 P4

P5 Respondent cooperation

(748)

Excellent
Fair
Average
Bad

1
2
3
4

EB79.2 P5

P6 Size of locality

(LOCAL CODES)

(749-750)

EB79.2 P6

P7 | Region

(LOCAL CODES)

(751-752)

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EB79.2 P7

P8 | Postal code

(753-760)

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EB79.2 P8

P9 | Sample point number

(761-768)

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EB79.2 P9

P10 | Interviewer number

(769-776)

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EB79.2 P10

P11 | LEAVE BLANK

(777-784)

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EB79.2 P11

NO QUESTION P12

ASK ONLY in LU, BE, ES, FI, EE, LV, MT, TR AND MK

P13 | Language of interview

(785)

Maltese

1

English

2

EB79.2 P13