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**Flash Eurobarometer 427
(Public Opinion in the EU Regions)**

**Country Questionnaire
Ireland (English)**

FL427 - FLASH SURVEY IN NUTS I AND NUTS II REGIONS - 2nd waveIEX

D1 Can I please ask your age?

(WRITE DOWN - IF "REFUSAL" CODE '99')

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D2 Record Gender.

Male	1
Female	2

(OUR REGION) WILL BE REPLACED AUTOMATICALLY BY THE REGION NAME (LIST FOR Q1/Q2)

Interviewer: For the regional breakdown please refer to briefing notes for full county lists.

Q1 How would you judge the current situation in each of the following?

(READ OUT - ONE ANSWER ONLY)

		Very good	Rather good	Rather bad	Very bad	Don't know/ No answer (DO NOT READ OUT)
1	The quality of life in (OUR REGION)	1	2	3	4	5
2	The situation of the economy of (OUR REGION)	1	2	3	4	5

FL356 Q1

(OUR REGION) WILL BE REPLACED AUTOMATICALLY BY THE REGION NAME (LIST FOR Q1/Q2)

Interviewer: For the regional breakdown please refer to briefing notes for full county lists.

Q2 In your opinion, in comparison with today will the next twelve months be better, worse or the same, when it comes to...?

(READ OUT - ONE ANSWER ONLY)

		Better	Worse	Same	Don't know/ No answer (DO NOT READ OUT)
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1	The quality of life in (OUR REGION)	1	2	3	4
2	The situation of the economy of (OUR REGION)	1	2	3	4

FL356 Q2

PROG Q3: ROTATE CODES 1 TO 8

(OUR REGION) WILL BE REPLACED AUTOMATICALLY BY THE REGION NAME (LIST FOR Q3)

Interviewer: For the regional breakdown please refer to briefing notes for full county lists.

Q3 What do you think are the two most important issues facing (OUR REGION) at the moment?

(READ OUT – MAX. 2 ANSWERS)

Immigration	1,
Crime	2,
Economic situation	3,
Unemployment	4,
People and/or business going away from the region	5,
The educational system	6,
The environment	7,
Healthcare system	8,
Other (DO NOT READ OUT)	9,
Don't know/ No answer (DO NOT READ OUT)	10,

FL356 Q3

Q4 I would like to ask you a question about how much trust you have in the European Union. Could you please tell me if you tend to trust it or tend not to trust it?

(ONE ANSWER ONLY)

Tend to trust	1
Tend not to trust	2
Don't know/ No answer (DO NOT READ OUT)	3

FL356 Q4

PROG Q5: ROTATE CODE 1 TO 4

Q5 From the following political representatives, which ones are best placed to explain you how European policies impact your day-to-day life?

(READ OUT - ONE ANSWER ONLY)

Your MEPs (Members of the European Parliament)	1
Members of the European Commission	2
Your Irish political representatives	3
Your regional or local political representatives	4
None of them (DO NOT READ OUT)	5
All together (DO NOT READ OUT)	6
Don't know/ No answer (DO NOT READ OUT)	7

FL356 Q5

D4 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')

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D5a As far as your current occupation is concerned, would you say you are self-employed, an employee, a manual worker or would you say that you are without a professional activity?

(ONE ANSWER ONLY)

Self-employed	1
Employee	2
Manual worker	3
Without a professional activity	4
Refusal (DO NOT READ OUT)	5

ASK D5b IF SELF-EMPLOYED, CODE 1 IN D5a

D5b Would you say you are...?

(READ OUT - ONE ANSWER ONLY)

Farmer, forester, fisherman	1
Owner of shop, craftsman	2
Professional (lawyer, medical practitioner, accountant, architect,...)	3
Manager of a company	4
Other\ Refusal (DO NOT READ OUT)	5

ASK D5c IF EMPLOYEE, CODE 2 IN D5a

D5c Would you say you are...?

(READ OUT – ONE ANSWER ONLY)

Professional (employed doctor, lawyer, accountant, architect, ...)	1
General management, director or top management	2
Middle management	3
Civil servant	4
Office clerk	5
Other employee (salesman, nurse, ...)	6
Other\ Refusal (DO NOT READ OUT)	7

ASK D5d IF MANUAL WORKER, CODE 3 IN D5a

D5d Would you say you are...?

(READ OUT – ONE ANSWER ONLY)

Supervisor\ foreman (team manager, ...)	1
Manual worker	2
Unskilled manual worker	3
Other\ Refusal (DO NOT READ OUT)	4

ASK D5e IF WITHOUT A PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY, CODE 4 IN D5a

D5e Would you say you are...?

(READ OUT – ONE ANSWER ONLY)

Looking after the home	1
Student (full time)	2
Retired	3
Seeking a job	4
Other\ Refusal (DO NOT READ OUT)	5

D12 Which county do you live in?

(READ OUT IF NECESSARY - ONE ANSWER ONLY)

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D13 Would you say you live in a...?

(READ OUT – ONE ANSWER ONLY)

Rural area or village	1
Small or middle sized town	2
Large town	3
DK (DO NOT READ OUT)	4

D18	Have you got a mobile phone?
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(DO NOT READ OUT)

Yes	1
No	2

D20	Have you got a landline phone?
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(DO NOT READ OUT)

Yes	1
No	2

D22	Could you tell me how many people aged 15 years or more live in your household, yourself included?
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(WRITE DOWN - IF "DK" CODE '98' - IF "REFUSAL" CODE '99')

	Number of people aged 15 or more in the household
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