

ZA6652

**Flash Eurobarometer 430
(European Union Citizenship)**

**Country Questionnaire
Malta (English)**

FL430 European Union CitizenshipMTE

D1 How old are you?

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

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D2 Gender.

Male	1
Female	2

EUROPEAN UNION CITIZENSHIP

ASK ALL

Q1 This survey is about European Union citizenship. Are you familiar with the term "citizen of the European Union"?

(READ OUT - ONE ANSWER ONLY)

Yes, and you know what it means	1
Yes, you have heard about it, but you are not sure what it means	2
No, you have never heard the term "citizen of the European Union"	3
DK/NA	4

FL365 Q1

Q2 How well informed do you feel about your rights as a citizen of the European Union?

(READ OUT - ONE ANSWER ONLY)

Very well informed	1
Fairly well informed	2
Not very well informed	3
Not informed at all	4
DK\NA	5

FL365 Q2

Q3: Rotate statements 1 to 3

Q3 For each of the statements which I am going to read out, please state whether you think they are true or false:

(READ OUT – ONE ANSWER ONLY)

		TRUE.	FALSE.	DK/NA
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1	You have to ask to become a citizen of the EU	1	2	3
2	You are both a citizen of the EU and Malta at the same time	1	2	3

3	If you so wish, you can choose not to be a citizen of the EU	1	2	3
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FL365 Q3

Q4: Rotate statements 1 to 5

Q4	In fact, all citizens of the EU Member States are "citizens of the European Union" since 1993. In your opinion, which of the following rights does an EU citizen have?
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(READ OUT - MULTIPLE ANSWERS POSSIBLE)

The right to make a complaint to the European Commission, European Parliament or European Ombudsman	1,
The right to reside in any Member State of the European Union, subject to certain conditions	2,
When residing in another Member State, the right to be treated in the same way as a national of that State	3,
When outside the EU, the right to seek help from the embassy of any other EU Member State, if your country does not have an embassy there	4,
The right to participate in a Citizens' initiative, a request signed by at least 1 million EU citizens inviting the European Commission to propose a new measure	5,
None (SPONTANEOUS)	6,
DK/NA	7,

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Q5	How well informed do you feel about what you can do when your rights as an EU citizen are not respected?
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(READ OUT - ONE ANSWER ONLY)

Very well informed	1
Fairly well informed	2
Not very well informed	3
Not informed at all	4
DK/NA	5

FL365 Q5

Q6	Do you agree or disagree with the following statement: Free movement of people within the EU brings overall benefits to the economy of Malta.
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(READ OUT - ONE ANSWER ONLY)

Strongly agree	1
Tend to agree	2
Tend to disagree	3
Strongly disagree	4

DK/NA

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FL365 Q6

Q7 If you needed help (for example, if you lost your passport) while staying in an EU country where Malta does not have an embassy, would you have the right to seek help at the embassy of another EU Member State instead?

(READ OUT - ONE ANSWER ONLY)

- Yes, you would have the right
- No, you would not have the right
- DK/NA

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Q8 And in this situation, would you prefer to seek help from....

(READ OUT - ONE ANSWER ONLY)

- The authorities of the country where you are staying?
- The embassy of another EU Member State present in the country where you are staying?
- DK/NA

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NEW

Q9: ROTATE STATEMENTS 1 TO 4

Q9: STATEMENT 2 TO BE ASKED ONLY IN: AT, BE, CZ, DK, DE, ES, FR, IT, NL, PL, SK, SE, UK

Q9 For each of the statements which I am going to read out, please tell me if this is true or false:

(READ OUT - ONE ANSWER ONLY)

		TRUE.	FALSE.	DK/NA
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1	A citizen of the EU living in Malta has the right to vote or to stand as a candidate in European Parliament elections	1	2	3
2	A citizen of the EU living in Malta has the right to vote or to stand as a candidate in local council elections	1	2	3
3	A citizen of the EU living in Malta has the right to vote or to stand as a candidate in elections to the national Parliament	1	2	3

4	A citizen of the EU living in Malta has the right to vote or to stand as a candidate in regional elections (by "regional" we mean any sub-national level of government between municipalities and the State)	1	2	3
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FL 364 Q1

Q10: ROTATE STATEMENTS 1 TO 3

Q10 Let's take a situation where a citizen of the EU lives in another EU country than his/her country of origin (i.e. of which he/she is a national).

(READ OUT - ONE ANSWER ONLY)

		Yes	No	DK/NA
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1	Would you consider it justified that this citizen loses his/her right to vote in national elections in the country of which he/she is a national?	1	2	3
2	Would you consider it justified that this citizen acquires the right to vote in national elections in his/her country of residence?	1	2	3
3	Should this citizen have the right to vote and to stand as a candidate in regional elections organised in the country where he/she lives in case regional elections are held there?	1	2	3

FL364 Q2

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')

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
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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 locality 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?
(DO NOT READ OUT)	
Yes	1
No	2

D20	Have you got a landline phone?
(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?
(WRITE DOWN - IF "DK" CODE '98' - IF "REFUSAL" CODE '99')	
	Number of people aged 15 or more in the household