## ZA6694

## Eurobarometer 85.2

Country Questionnaire Ireland

| A | your survey number |
| :--- | :--- |



EB84.3 A

| B | Country |
| :--- | :--- |



## EB84.3 B

| $C$ | our survey number |
| :--- | :--- |

## $\square 1$

EB84.3 C

| D | Interview number |
| :--- | :--- |

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## EB84.3 D

| E | Split ballot |
| :--- | :--- |


| A | 1 |
| :--- | :--- |
| B | 2 |
| EB84.3E |  |

## Q1: CODE 35 CANNOT BE THE ONLY ANSWER OTHERWISE CLOSE THE INTERVIEW

## Q1: CODE 36 IS EXCLUSIVE

Q1: IF CODE 36 THEN CLOSE INTERVIEW
ASK ITEM 29 ONLY IN TURKEY
ASK ITEM 30 ONLY IN TURKISH CYPRIOT COMMUNITY
ASK ITEM 31 ONLY IN FORMER YUGOSLAV REPUBLIC OF MACEDONIA
ASK ITEM 32 ONLY IN MONTENEGRO

## ASK ITEM 33 ONLY IN SERBIA

ASK ITEM 34 ONLY IN ALBANIA

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

## MULTIPLE ANSWERS POSSIBLE

Belgium

| 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, |
| Croatia | 28, |
|  | 29, |
|  | 30, |
|  | 31, |
|  | 32, |
|  | 33, |
|  | 34, |
| Other countries | 35, |
| DK | 36, |

EB84.3 Q1


ASK ALL

D70: CODE "NO ANSWER" IN CODE 5

| D70 | 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)

| Very satisfied |
| :--- |
| Fairly satisfied |


| Not very satisfied |
| :--- |
| Not at all satisfied |
| DK |

DO NOT ASK D71a IN CY(tcc) - CY(tcc) GO TO D71b
D71a: CODE "NO ANSWER" IN CODE 4

| D71a | When you get together with friends or relatives, would you say you discuss frequently, |
| :--- | :--- | occasionally or never about...?

(READ OUT - ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

|  |  | Frequently | Occasional <br> ly | Never | DK |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |


| 1 | National political matters | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2 | European political matters | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 3 | Local political matters | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |

## EB84.3 D71a

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ASK D71b ONLY IN CY(tcc) - OTHERS GO TO QA1a
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EB84.3 D71b

DO NOT ASK QA1a IN CY(tcc) - CY(tcc) GO TO QA1b
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QA1a $\quad$ How would you judge the current situation in each of the following?

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(SHOW SCREEN - READ OUT - ONE ANSWER PER LINE)
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|  |  | Very good | Rather <br> good | Rather bad | Very bad | DK |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |


| 1 | The situation of the Irish <br> economy | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2 | The situation of the <br> European economy | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 3 | Your personal job situation | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 4 | The financial situation of <br> your household | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 5 | The employment situation in <br> Ireland | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 6 | The provision of public <br> services in Ireland | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |

## EB84.3 QA1a MODIFIED (ITEM 6 IS NEW)

ASK QA1b ONLY IN CY(tcc) - OTHERS GO TO QA2a

## QA1b



| 1 |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 2 |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 3 |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 4 |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 5 |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |

## EB84.3 QA1b

## DO NOT ASK QA2a IN CY(tcc) - CY(tcc) GO TO QA2b

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| QA2a | What are your expectations for the next twelve months: will the next twelve months be |
| :--- | :--- | better, worse or the same, when it comes to...?

## (READ OUT - ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

|  |  | BETTER | WORSE | SAME | DK |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |


| 1 | Your life in general | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2 | The economic situation in Ireland | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 3 | The financial situation of your <br> household | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |


| 4 | The employment situation in Ireland | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 5 | Your personal job situation | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 6 | The economic situation in the EU | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |

EB84.3 QA2a MODIFIED - ITEMS 7,8 DELETED

ASK QA2b ONLY IN CY(tcc) - OTHERS GO TO QA3a


QA2b $\square$



| 1 |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 2 |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 3 |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 4 |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 6 |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |

EB84.3 QA2b MODIFIED (ITEM 7 DELETED)

DO NOT ASK QA3a AND QA4a IN CY(tcc) - CY(tcc) GO TO QA3b

QA3: ROTATE ANSWERS 1 TO 13

## QA3: MAX. 2 ANSWERS

## QA3a: CODES 15 AND 16 ARE EXCLUSIVE

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| QA3a | What do you think are the two most important issues facing Ireland at the moment? |
| :--- | :--- |

(SHOW SCREEN - READ OUT - MAX. 2 ANSWERS)

| Crime | 1, |
| :--- | :--- |
| Economic situation | 2, |
| Rising prices $\backslash$ inflation $\backslash$ cost of living | 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, |

## EB84.3 QA3a

## QA4: ROTATE ANSWERS 1 TO 15

## QA4: MAX. 2 ANSWERS

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QA4a: CODES 17 AND 18 ARE EXCLUSIVE
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| QA4a | And personally, what are the two most important issues that you are facing at the moment? |
| :--- | :--- |

(SHOW SCREEN - READ OUT - MAX. 2 ANSWERS)

| Crime | 1, |
| :--- | :--- |
| The economic situation in Ireland | 2, |
| Rising prices $\backslash$ inflation $\backslash$ cost of living | 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, |
| Working conditions | 14, |
| Living conditions | 15, |
| Other (SPONTANEOUS) | 16, |
| None (SPONTANEOUS) | 17, |
| DK | 18, |

EB84.3 QA4a

ASK QA3b AND QA4b ONLY IN CY(tcc) - EU28 GO TO QA5 - OTHERS GO TO QA6a
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## EB84.3 QA4b

ASK QA5 ONLY IN EU28 - CY(tcc) GO TO QA6b - OTHERS GO TO QA6a

## QA5: ROTATE ANSWERS 1 TO 13

QA5: MAX. 2 ANSWERS

## QA5: CODES 15 AND 16 ARE EXCLUSIVE



| QA5 | What do you think are the two most important issues facing the EU at the moment? |
| :--- | :--- |

(SHOW SCREEN - READ OUT - MAX. 2 ANSWERS)

| Crime | 2, |
| :--- | :---: |
| Economic situation | 2, |
| Rising prices $\backslash$ inflation $\backslash$ cost of living | 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, |

EB84.3 QA5

DO NOT ASK QA6a AND QA7a IN EU28 AND CY(tcc) - CY(tcc) GO TO QA6b - EU28 GO TO D73a

QA6a


|  | 1 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
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|  |  |

EB84.3 QA6a

| QA7a |  |
| :--- | :--- |
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|  | $\square$ |
|  | $\square$ |
|  |  |
|  |  |
|  |  |
| 2 |  |

EB84.3 QA7a
ASK QA6b AND QA7b ONLY IN CY(tcc) - OTHERS GO TO D73a

## QA6b

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EB84.3 QA6b
QA7b
$\square$
EB84.3 QA7b
DO NOT ASK D73a IN CY(tcc) - CY(tcc) GO TO D73b
D73a: CODE "NO ANSWER" IN CODE 4


| D73a | $\begin{array}{l}\text { At the present time, would you say that, in general, things are going in the right direction or in } \\ \text { the wrong direction, in...? }\end{array}$ |
| :--- | :--- |

(READ OUT - ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

|  |  | Things are <br> going in <br> the right <br> direction | Things are <br> going in <br> the wrong <br> direction | Neither <br> the one <br> nor the <br> other <br> (SPONTAN <br> EOUS) | DK |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: |


| 1 | Ireland | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2 | The European Union | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |

## EB84.3 D73a

## ASK D73b ONLY IN CY(tcc) - OTHERS GO TO QA8a

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D73b


| 1 |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 2 |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |

EB84.3 D73b

DO NOT ASK QA8a IN CY(tcc) - CY(tcc) GO TO QA8b

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.
(READ OUT - ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

|  |  | Tend to <br> trust | Tend not <br> to trust | DK |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |


| 1 | Justice $\backslash$ the Irish legal system | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2 | The police | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 3 | The army | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 4 | Public administration in Ireland | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 5 | Political parties | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 6 | Regional or local public authorities | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 7 | The Irish Government | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 8 | The Dáil | 1 | 2 | 3 |


| 9 | The European Union | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 10 | The United Nations | 1 | 2 | 3 |

EB84.3 QA8a (ITEMS 6 TO 11) - EB83.3 (ITEMS 1 TO 3)

## NO QA8b

## QA8b



| 1 |  | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 2 |  | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 3 |  | 1 | 2 | 3 |

## EB84.3 QA8b MODIFIED (ITEMS 1 TO 5 HAVE BEEN DELETED)

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ASK ALL
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QA9 $\quad$ In general, does the EU conjure up for you a very positive, fairly positive, neutral, fairly negative or very negative image?
(ONE ANSWER ONLY)

| Very positive |
| :--- |
| Fairly positive |
| Neutral |
| Fairly negative |
| Very negative |
| DK |

1
2 3 4 5 6

EB84.3 QA9
QA10: ROTATE ITEMS 1 TO 13

QA10 $\quad$ Could you please tell me for each of the following, whether the term brings to mind something very positive, fairly positive, fairly negative or very negative?
(SHOW SCREEN - READ OUT - ONE ANSWER PER LINE)


| 1 | Large companies | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |


| 2 | Small and medium-sized <br> companies | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 3 | Free trade | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 4 | Protectionism | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 5 | Globalisation | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 6 | Liberalisation | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 7 | Competition | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 8 | Trade unions | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 9 | Reforms | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 10 | Public service | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 11 | Security | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 12 | Solidarity |  |  | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 13 | Entrepreneurship |  |  |  |  |  |

EB84.3 QA10 (FILTER MODIFIED)

## QA11: ROTATE ANSWERS 1 TO 14

QA11: CODE 16 IS EXCLUSIVE


| QA11 | What does the EU mean to you personally? |
| :--- | :--- |

(SHOW SCREEN - READ OUT - MULTIPLE ANSWERS POSSIBLE)

| 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, |

EB84.3 QA11

QA12 $\quad$ 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.

|  | Describes <br> very well | Describes <br> fairly well | Describes <br> fairly badly | Describes <br> very badly | DK |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: |


| 1 | Modern | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2 | Democratic | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 3 | Protective | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 4 | Efficient | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 5 | Technocratic | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 6 | Forward-looking | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |

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EB81.4 QA12 (ITEM 1 TO 4) - EB79.3 QA15 (ITEM 5)
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## ASK QA13 ONLY IN EU28



QA13 $\quad$ Please tell me to what extent you agree or disagree with each of the following statements.
(SHOW SCREEN - READ OUT - ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

|  |  | Totally <br> agree | Tend to <br> agree | Tend to <br> disagree | Totally <br> disagree | DK |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |


| 1 | The EU is creating the <br> conditions for more jobs in <br> Europe | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2 | The EU makes doing <br> business easier in Europe | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 3 | The EU generates too much <br> red tape | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 4 | The EU needs a clearer <br> message | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |

EB83.3 QA14 (ITEMS 1,3,4,11) - (FILTER MODIFIED FOR ITEMS 1,2,4)

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ASK ALL
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QA14.3: ASK ONLY IN EU28

| QA14 | Have you heard of...? |
| :--- | :--- |

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(READ OUT - ONE ANSWER PER LINE)
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|  |  | YES | NO | DK |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |


| 1 | The European Parliament | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2 | The European Commission | 1 | 2 | 3 |


| 3 | The European Central Bank | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |

EB84.3 QA12

ASK ALL

## QA15.3: ASK ONLY IN EU28

| QA15 | And please tell me if you tend to trust or tend not to trust these European institutions. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |

(READ OUT - ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

|  | TEND TO <br> TRUST | TEND NOT <br> TO TRUST | DK |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |


| 1 | The European Parliament | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2 | The European Commission | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 3 | The European Central Bank | 1 | 2 | 3 |

EB84.3 QA13

ASK ALL

QA16: ROTATE ITEMS 1 TO 3


| QA16 | $\begin{array}{l}\text { For each of the following statements about the EU could you please tell me whether you } \\ \text { think it is true or false. }\end{array}$ |
| :--- | :--- |

(READ OUT - ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

|  |  | True | False | DK |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |


| 1 | The EU currently consists of 28 Member States | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2 | The members of the European Parliament are <br> directly elected by the citizens of each Member <br> State | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 3 | Switzerland is a Member State of the EU | 1 | 2 | 3 |

EB84.3 QA14

## QA17: ROTATE ITEMS 1 TO 9

QA17.2, 4-9: ASK ONLY IN EU28

QA17 $\quad$ What is your opinion on each of the following statements? Please tell me for each statement, whether you are for it or against it.
(READ OUT - ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

|  |  | FOR | AGAINST | DK |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |


| 1 | A European economic and monetary union with one <br> single currency, the euro | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2 | A common foreign policy of the 28 Member States <br> of the EU | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 3 | Further enlargement of the EU to include other <br> countries in future years | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 4 | A common defence and security policy among EU <br> Member States | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 5 | A free trade and investment agreement between <br> the EU and the USA | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 6 | A common European policy on migration | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 7 | A common energy policy among EU Member States | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 8 | A digital single market within the EU | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 9 | The free movement of EU citizens who can live, <br> work, study and do business anywhere in the EU | 1 | 2 | 3 |

## EB84.3 QA15

ASK QA18a/b ONLY IN EU28
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| QA18a | On the whole, are you very satisfied, fairly satisfied, not very satisfied or not at all satisfied <br> with the way democracy works in Ireland? |
| :--- | :--- |


| QA18b | And how about the way democracy works in the EU? |
| :--- | :--- |


| (SHOW SCREEN - READ OUT - ONE ANSWER ONLY) |
| :--- |
| (2287)   <br>  QA18a QA18b <br> Very satisfied In Ireland In the European <br> Union <br> Fairly satisfied   <br> Not very satisfied 2 1 <br> Not at all satisfied 3 2 <br> DK 4 3 |

## QA19a.2, QA19a. 5 AND QA19a.6: ASK ONLY IN EU28

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| QA19a | Please tell me to what extent you agree or disagree with each of the following statements? |
| :--- | :--- |

(SHOW SCREEN - READ OUT - ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

|  |  | Totally <br> agree | Tend to <br> agree | Tend to <br> disagree | Totally <br> disagree | DK |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |


| 1 | I understand how the EU <br> works | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2 | The interests of Ireland are <br> well taken into account in <br> the EU | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 3 | The EU's voice counts in the <br> world | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 4 | Globalisation is an <br> opportunity for economic <br> growth | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 5 | Ireland could better face the <br> future outside the EU | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 6 | More decisions should be <br> taken at EU level | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |

EB84.3 QA18a

ASK QA19b ONLY IN CY(tcc) - EU28 GO TO QA20 - OTHERS GO TO QC1


QA19b


| 1 |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 2 |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 3 |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |

EB84.3 QA18b
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QA20 $\quad$ Would you say that you are very optimistic, fairly optimistic, fairly pessimistic or very pessimistic about the future of the EU?
(ONE ANSWER ONLY)

| Very optimistic | 1 |
| :--- | :--- |
| Fairly optimistic | 2 |
| Fairly pessimistic | 3 |
| Very pessimistic | 4 |
| DK | 5 |

EB84.3 QA19

Now, let's talk about another topic.

ASK QB ONLY IN EU28 - OTHERS GO TO QC1

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

| QB1 | 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?

## (SHOW SCREEN - READ OUT - ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

|  | Too <br> ambitious | About <br> right | Too <br> modest | DK |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |


| 1 | Three quarters of men and women <br> between 20 and 64 years of age should <br> have a job | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2 | The share of funds invested in research <br> and development should reach 3\% of <br> the wealth produced in the EU each <br> year | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 3 | To reduce EU greenhouse gas emissions <br> by at least 20\% by 2020 compared to <br> 1990 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 4 | To increase the share of renewable <br> energy in the EU by 20\% by 2020 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | To increase energy efficiency in the EU <br> by $20 \%$ by 2020 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |


| 6 | The number of young people leaving <br> school with no qualifications should fall <br> to $10 \%$ | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 7 | At least 40\% of the people aged 30 to 34 <br> should have a higher education degree <br> or diploma | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 8 | The number of Europeans living below <br> the poverty line should be reduced by a <br> quarter by 2020 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 9 | To bring industry's contribution to the <br> economy to 20\% of GDP by 2020 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |

EB84.3 QB1
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QB2 $\quad$ Having heard about the objectives 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 new global challenges?
(ONE ANSWER ONLY)

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

EB84.3 QB2

Let's now discuss other topics.

QB3: ROTATE ANSWERS 1 TO 11

## QB3: MAX. 3 ANSWERS

## QB3: CODES 13 AND 14 ARE EXCLUSIVE

| QB3 | In your opinion, which of the following objectives should be given top priority in a European <br> energy union? |
| :--- | :--- |

## (SHOW SCREEN - READ OUT - MAX. 3 ANSWERS)

| Guaranteeing reasonable energy prices for consumers | 1, |
| :--- | :--- |
| Guaranteeing a continuous supply of energy | 2, |
| Guaranteeing EU's independence in the field of energy | 3, |
| Protecting the environment | 4, |
| Connecting energy infrastructures of EU Member States | 5, |
| Fighting global warming | 6, |
| Guaranteeing the competitiveness of EU's industry | 7, |


| Reducing energy consumption |
| :--- |
| Guaranteeing reasonable energy prices for companies |
| Pooling EU Member States negotiating power towards energy providers |
| Developing renewable energy |
| Other (SPONTANEOUS) |
| None (SPONTANEOUS) |
| DK |

## QB4: ROTATE ITEMS 1 AND 2

| QB4 | Please tell me whether each of the following statements evokes a positive or negative feeling |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | for you.

(SHOW SCREEN - READ OUT - ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

|  |  | Very <br> positive | Fairly <br> positive | Fairly <br> negative | Very <br> negative | DK |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |


| 1 | Immigration of people from <br> other EU Member States | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2 | Immigration of people from <br> outside the EU | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |

## EB84.3 QB4

| QB5 | In your opinion, should additional measures be taken to fight irregular immigration of people |
| :--- | :--- | from outside the EU?

## (READ OUT - ONE ANSWER ONLY)

| Yes, preferably at an EU level |
| :--- |
| Yes, preferably at a national level |
| Yes, at both levels (EU and national) (SPONTANEOUS) |
| No, there is no need for additional measures |
| DK |

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## EB84.3 QB5 MODIFIED

| QB6 | For each of the following statements, please tell me if you think that it is a good thing, a bad |
| :--- | :--- | thing or neither a good or a bad thing.


|  |  | A good <br> thing | A bad <br> thing | Neither a <br> good nor a <br> bad thing | DK |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |


| 1 | The right for EU citizens to live in every <br> Member State of the EU | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2 | The right for EU citizens to work in every <br> Member State of the EU | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 3 | The right for EU citizens to live in Ireland | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 4 | The right for EU citizens to work in <br> Ireland | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |

EB84.3 QB6

Let's now talk about another topic.

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ASK ALL
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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)

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

EB84.3 QC1

ASK QC2a ONLY IN EU28 - CY(tcc) GO TO QC2b - OTHERS GO TO QD1a

## QC2a.1: ASK ONLY TO SPLIT A

## QC2a.2: ASK ONLY TO SPLIT B

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| QC2a | $\begin{array}{l}\text { For each of the following statements, please tell me whether you totally agree, tend to agree, } \\ \text { tend to disagree or totally disagree. }\end{array}$ |
| :--- | :--- |

## (SHOW SCREEN - READ OUT - ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

|  | Totally <br> agree | Tend to <br> agree | Tend to <br> disagree | Totally <br> disagree | DK |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |


| 1 | Measures to reduce the <br> public deficit and debt in <br> Ireland cannot be delayed | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2 | Measures to reduce the <br> public deficit and debt in <br> reland are not a priority for <br> now | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 3 | The EU has sufficient power <br> and tools to defend the <br> economic interests of <br> Europe in the global <br> economy | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 4 | The private sector is better <br> placed than the public <br> sector to create new jobs | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 5 | Public money should be <br> used to stimulate private <br> sector investment at EU <br> level | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |

EB84.3 QC2a
ASK QC2b ONLY IN CY(tcc) - EU28 GO TO QC3 - OTHERS GO TO QD1a
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$\square$


| 1 |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 2 |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 3 |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |

## ASK QC3 ONLY IN EU28 - OTHERS GO TO QD3a

QC4: ROTATE ITEMS 1 TO 4

QC3
Thinking about reforming global financial markets, please tell me whether you are in favour or opposed to each of the following measures to be taken by the EU.
(SHOW SCREEN - READ OUT - ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

|  | Strongly in <br> favour | Fairly in <br> favour | Fairly <br> opposed | Strongly <br> opposed | DK |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |


| 1 | The introduction of a tax on <br> financial transactions | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2 | The introduction of <br> Eurobonds (European <br> bonds) (INT IF NEEDED <br> "COMMON EUROPEAN <br> BORROWINGS") | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 3 | The regulation of wages in <br> the financial sector (e.g. <br> traders' bonuses) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 4 | Tougher rules on tax <br> avoidance and tax havens | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |

EB84.3 QC3

Now, let's now talk about another topic.

ASK QD1 AND QD2 ONLY IN EU28 - OTHERS GO TO QD3a

| QD1 | For each of the following statements, please tell me to what extent it corresponds or not to |
| :--- | :--- | your own opinion.

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(SHOW SCREEN - READ OUT - ONE ANSWER PER LINE)
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|  | Yes, <br> definitely | Yes, to <br> some <br> extent | No, not <br> really | No, <br> definitely <br> not | DK |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |


| 1 | You feel you are a citizen of <br> the EU | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2 | You know what your rights <br> are as a citizen of the EU | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 3 | You would like to know <br> more about your rights as a <br> citizen of the EU | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |

QD2 Do you see yourself as...?
(SHOW SCREEN - READ OUT - ONE ANSWER ONLY)

| *?Q1FIRST only |
| :--- |
| *?Q1FIRST and European |
| European and *?Q1FIRST |
| European only |
| None (SPONTANEOUS) |
| Refusal (SPONTANEOUS) |
| DK |

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3 4 5 6 7

EB84.3 QD3
ASK ALL

| QD3a | Which of the following do you think is the most positive result of the EU? Firstly? |
| :--- | :--- |

(SHOW SCREEN - READ OUT - ONE ANSWER ONLY)

| Peace among the Member States of the EU |
| :--- |
| The free movement of people, goods and services within the EU |
| The euro |
| Student exchange programmes such as ERASMUS |
| The Common Agricultural Policy |
| The economic power of the EU |
| The political and diplomatic influence of the EU in the rest of the world |
| The level of social welfare (healthcare, education, pensions) in the EU |
| Other (SPONTANEOUS) |
| None (SPONTANEOUS) |
| DK |

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EB84.3 QD4a

QD3b: ITEM MENTIONED IN QD3a CANNOT BE PROPOSED IN QD3b (except code 9)

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QD3b: IF CODE 10 OR 11 IN QD3a THEN QD3b IS SKIPPED
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## QD3b: MAX. 2 ANSWERS

| QD3b | And then? |
| :--- | :--- |

## (SHOW SCREEN - READ OUT - MAX. 2 ANSWERS)

| Peace among the Member States of the EU |
| :--- |
| The free movement of people, goods and services within the EU |
| The euro |
| Student exchange programmes such as ERASMUS |
| The Common Agricultural Policy |
| The economic power of the EU |
| The political and diplomatic influence of the EU in the rest of the world |
| The level of social welfare (healthcare, education, pensions) in the EU |
| Other (SPONTANEOUS) |
| None (SPONTANEOUS) |
| DK |

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EB84.3 QD4b

ASK QD4 ONLY IN EU28 AND CY(tcc) - OTHERS (CC) GO TO DEMOGRAPHICS
QD4: ROTATE ITEM 1 TO 6

QD4.1, QD4.2 AND QD4.5: ASK ONLY IN EU28


| QD4 | To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements? |
| :--- | :--- |

(SHOW SCREEN - READ OUT - ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

|  |  | Totally <br> agree | Tend to <br> agree | Tend to <br> disagree | Totally <br> disagree | DK |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |


| 1 | The State intervenes too <br> much in our lives | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2 | Immigrants contribute a lot <br> to Ireland | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 3 | People in Ireland have a lot <br> of things in common | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 4 | You understand well what is <br> going on in today's world | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 5 | Ireland should help refugees | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 6 | Overall, regarding your <br> quality of life, it was better <br> before | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |


| 7 | You have confidence in the <br> future | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

EB84.3 QD11 (ITEM 2 DELETED)

## DEMOGRAPHICS

## ASK ALL

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D1: CODE "NO ANSWER" IN CODE 11
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| D1 | $\begin{array}{l}\text { In political matters people talk of "the left" and "the right". How would you place your views } \\ \text { on this scale? }\end{array}$ |
| :--- | :--- |

(SHOW SCREEN) - (INT.: DO NOT PROMPT - IF CONTACT HESITATES, TRY AGAIN)

| 1 <br> Left | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 <br> Righ <br> $t$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |

Refusal (SPONTANEOUS) ..... 11
DK ..... 12
EB84.3 D1
D7: NO ANSWERS TO BE CODED IN CODE 16

| D7 | Which of the following best corresponds to your own current situation? |
| :--- | :--- |

(SHOW SCREEN - READ OUT - ONE ANSWER ONLY)

| MARRIED OR REMARRIED |
| :--- |
| Living without children |
| Living with the children of this marriage |
| Living with the children of a previous marriage |
| Living with the children of this marriage and of a previous marriage |


| Living without children | 11 |
| :--- | :---: |
| Living with children | 12 |
| WIDOW |  |
| Living without children | 13 |
| Living with children | 14 |
|  | 15 |
| Other (SPONTANEOUS) | 16 |
| Refusal (SPONTANEOUS) |  |

## EB84.3 D7

D10: NO ANSWERS NOT ALLOWED

| D10 | Record Gender. |
| :--- | :--- |


| Man | 1 |
| :--- | :--- |
| Woman | 2 |

EB84.3 D10

D11: NO ANSWERS NOT ALLOWED
D11: CANNOT BE SMALLER THAN D8

| D11 | How old are you? |
| :--- | :--- |



EB84.3 D11

D8: NO ANSWERS TO BE CODED 98

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

(INT: MAKE SURE THE RESPONDENT UNDERSTANDS THAT D8 IS ABOUT FULL-TIME
EDUCATION) - (IF "STILL STUDYING", CODE ‘00' - IF "NO EDUCATION" CODE '01' - IF
"REFUSAL" CODE '98' - IF "DK" CODE '99')


EB84.3 D8

ASK D15b IF "NOT DOING ANY PAID WORK CURRENTLY", CODES 1 TO 4 IN D15a
D15a\&b: NO ANSWERS NOT ALLOWED

## D15a\&b: DO NOT SHOW SCREEN

| D15b | Did you do any paid work in the past? What was your last occupation? |
| :--- | :--- |

(2460-2461)

| (DO NOT SHOW SCREEN) | 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 | 1 |
| Student | 2 | 2 |
| Unemployed or temporarily not working | 3 | 3 |
| Retired or unable to work through illness | 4 | 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 | 19 |

## EB84.3 D15a D15b

## (READ OUT)

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

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EB84.3 D25
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D40a: MINIMUM = 01

| D40a | $\begin{array}{l}\text { Could you tell me how many people aged } 15 \text { years or more live in your household, yourself } \\ \text { included? }\end{array}$ |
| :--- | :--- |

## (WRITE DOWN)



EB84.3 D40a

D40b: MINIMUM = 00

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

## (WRITE DOWN)



EB84.3 D40b

D40c: MINIMUM = 00

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

## (WRITE DOWN)



EB84.3 D40c

D46: CODE "NO ANSWER" IN CODE 13

| D46 | Which of the following goods do you have? |
| :--- | :--- |

(SHOW SCREEN - READ OUT - MULTIPLE ANSWERS POSSIBLE)

Television
1,

| DVD player | 2, |
| :--- | :---: |
| Music CD player | 3, |
| Desk computer | 4, |
| Laptop | 5, |
| Tablet | 6, |
| Smartphone | 7, |
| An Internet connection at home | 8, |
| A car | 9, |
| An apartment / a house which you have finished paying for | 10, |
| An apartment / a house which you are paying for | 11, |
| None (SPONTANEOUS) | 12, |
| DK | 13, |

EB84.3 D46

D60: CODE "NO ANSWER" IN CODE 4
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| D60 | During the last twelve months, would you say you had difficulties to pay your bills at the end |
| :--- | :--- | of the month...?

(SHOW SCREEN - READ OUT - ONE ANSWER ONLY)

| Most of the time | 1 |
| :--- | :--- |
| From time to time | 2 |
| Almost never $\backslash$ never | 3 |
| Refusal (SPONTANEOUS) | 4 |

EB84.3 D60
D62.1\&2\&3: "NO ANSWER" NOT ALLOWED
$\square$

| D62 | Could you tell me if...? |
| :--- | :--- |

(SHOW SCREEN - READ OUT - ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

|  |  | Ever y day or almo st ever y day | $\begin{gathered} \text { Two } \\ \text { or } \\ \text { thre } \\ \mathrm{e} \\ \text { time } \\ \text { s a } \\ \text { wee } \\ \mathrm{k} \end{gathered}$ | Abo ut once a wee k | Two or thre e time s a mon th | Less ofte n | Nev er | No Inter net acce ss (SPO NTA NEO US) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |


| 1 | You use the Internet at home, in your home | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2 | You use the Internet in your place of work | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 3 | You use the Internet somewhere else (school, <br> university, cyber-café, etc.) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |

EB84.3 D62

D63: CODE "NO ANSWER" IN CODE 8
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D63 $\quad$ Do you see yourself and your household belonging to...?
(SHOW SCREEN - READ OUT - ONE ANSWER ONLY)

| The working class of society | 1 |
| :--- | :--- |
| The lower middle class of society | 2 |
| The middle class of society | 3 |
| The upper middle class of society | 4 |
| The higher class of society | 5 |
| Other (SPONTANEOUS) | 6 |
| None (SPONTANEOUS) | 7 |
| Refusal (SPONTANEOUS) | 8 |
| DK | 9 |

EB84.3 D63

D72.1\&2: CODE "NO ANSWER" IN CODE 5

D72 $\quad$ Please tell me to what extent you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?
(SHOW SCREEN - READ OUT - ONE ANSWER PER LINE)

|  |  | Totally <br> agree | Tend to <br> agree | Tend to <br> disagree | Totally <br> disagree | DK |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |


| 1 | My voice counts in the EU | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2 | My voice counts in Ireland | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |

EB84.3 D72

## INTERVIEW PROTOCOLE

| P1 | Date of the interview |
| :--- | :--- |


|  |  | DAY |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |


|  | MONTH |
| :--- | :--- |

EB84.3 P1

| P2 | Time of the beginning of the interview |
| :--- | :--- |


| INT.:USE 24 HOUR CLOCK |  |
| :--- | :--- |
|  HOUR $(2549-2550)$ |  |$.$|  |  |
| :--- | :--- |

EB84.3 P2

| P3 | Number of minutes the interview lasted |
| :--- | :--- |

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## EB84.3 P3

P4: NO ANSWERS NOT ALLOWED

| P4 | Number of persons present during the interview, including interviewer |
| :--- | :--- |


| Two (interviewer and respondent) | 1 |
| :--- | :--- |
| Three | 2 |
| Four | 3 |
| Five or more | 4 |

EB84.3 P4
P5: NO ANSWERS NOT ALLOWED

| P5 | Respondent cooperation |
| :--- | :--- |


| Excellent | 1 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Fair | 2 |
| Average | 3 |
| Bad | 4 |

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EB84.3 P5
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| P6 | Size of locality |
| :--- | :--- |

(LOCAL CODES)


EB84.3 P6

| P7 | Region |
| :--- | :--- |

(LOCAL CODES)


EB84.3 P7

| P8 | Postal code |
| :--- | :--- |

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| P9 | Sample point number |
| :--- | :--- |



## EB84.3 P9

| P10 | Interviewer number |
| :--- | :--- |



EB84.3 P10

| P11 | LEAVE BLANK |
| :--- | :--- |



EB84.3 P11
ASK P13 ONLY IN LU, BE, ES, FI, EE, LV, MT ET RS

P13


EB84.3 P13

