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GLES 2013 **Pre- and Post-election** **Cross Section (Cumulation)** ZA5702, Version 4.0.1

Documentation of Questionnaire

The German Longitudinal Election Study (GLES) is a long-term project funded by the German Research Foundation (Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft) which started with the 2009 federal election and is continued with the 2013 federal election. GLES is the largest and most ambitious election study held so far in Germany.

GLES 2013 was directed by five principal investigators: Prof. Dr. Hans Rattinger (University of Mannheim), Prof. Dr. Sigrid Roßteutscher (University of Frankfurt), Prof. Dr. Rüdiger Schmitt-Beck (University of Mannheim), Prof. Dr. Bernhard Weißels (Social Science Research Center Berlin) and Prof. Dr. Christof Wolf (GESIS – Leibniz Institute for the Social Sciences), in close cooperation with the German Society for Electoral Studies (Deutsche Gesellschaft für Wahlforschung).

The following documentation refers to the pre- and post-election Cross Section (ZA5702) of the GLES 2013 and will give you some general information about the dataset.

Bibliographic description of the dataset

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Basic information

Funding Agency	German Research Foundation (Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft)
Data Collector	MARPLAN Media- und Sozialforschungsgesellschaft mbH, Frankfurt am Main
Date of collection	Pre-election: 07/29/2013 – 09/21/2013 Post-election: 09/23/2013 – 12/23/2013
Content	The first component of GLES composes a pre- and a post-election cross-section survey. A total of 3,911 interviews were realized (pre-election 2,003 and post-election 1,908). This documentation is about the pre and post-election cross-section. The cross-sectional data also represents the first wave of a long-term panel in the course of which the same respondents will be surveyed again in the following two federal elections in Germany. In the pre-election Cross-Section 47 percent of the respondents in West Germany and 36 percent in East Germany agreed to participate in the panel. In the post-election Cross Section 67 percent of the respondents in West Germany and 34 percent in East Germany agreed to participate in the panel.

Methodology

Geographic Coverage	Germany (DE)
Universe	The population comprises all persons with German citizenship resident in the Federal Republic of Germany, who had a minimum age of 16 years and lived in private households at the time the survey was being conducted.
Selection Method	Disproportional stratified multistage random sampling based on the ADM-design. All in all, 210 sampling points (Pre-election) and 211 sampling points (Post-election) were drawn in West Germany with the aim to realize 1,400 interviews. 96 sampling points (Pre-election) and 95 sampling points (Post-election) were drawn in East Germany to realize 700 interviews. As a result of

	<p>this procedure, the East German population is overrepresented in the sample. The target person in the household was determined by Kish-Selection-Grid.</p>
Mode of Data Collection	<p>Computer Assisted Personal Interview (CAPI), with an average duration of approximately 66 minutes (Pre-election) and 67 minutes (Post-election) (arithmetic mean).</p>
Field Work	<p>All in all, 306 sampling points were drawn. Interviews were realized in 290 sampling points (Pre-election) and 275 sampling points (Post-election). On average, 6.5 interviews per sampling point (Pre-election) and 5.9 interviews per sampling point (Post-election) were realized.</p> <p>The interviewers were compensated based on the number of completed interviews, the number of documented contacts without any interview, and their travel expenses. At the end of the fieldwork of the pre-election study, the compensation for realized interviews and documented contacts without any interview was raised. In the post-election study, an additional bonus was paid when the interview had been conducted during the first two weeks of the field time.</p> <p>In the pre-election study, all realized interviews were checked via contacting the respondents. As far as possible, the checking should have been done by telephone calls. All interviews, to which the telephone number was not available or contact via telephone was unsuccessful, were contacted by letter. If doubts about the proper realization of the interview could not be cleared up, the respective interviews were deleted from the dataset. 37 interviews were affected by this. Another 17 interviews were deleted due to abnormalities in the dataset. Furthermore, seven interviews of an entire point were not incorporated, because they were not listed in the predefined addresses. Additionally, one interview of an interviewer was not realized at the predefined address, so that this interview was also deleted from the dataset.</p> <p>In the post-election study, in order to confirm that the interview had actually been held, the respondents were contacted by phone. In case a phone number was not available, the respondents received a postal request to confirm the interview. Overall, 26 interviews had to be deleted from the dataset because of negative interview confirmations. Additionally, another six interviews had to be deleted due to abnormalities in the dataset.</p>
Response Rate	<p><u>Pre-election cross section:</u></p> <p>18.4 percent of 7,650 addresses were losses not specific to the sample. Based on the adjusted 6,240 gross addresses, 2,003 interviews were realized successfully (1,303 West, 700 East). Thus, the response rate is 32.1 percent.</p> <p><u>Post-election cross section:</u></p> <p>Of 8,050 drawn addresses, 14.3 percent dropped out because of sample neutral losses. This results in a cleared initial sample of 6,902 addresses. Based on that, 1,908 people were surveyed (1,174 in West and 734 in East Germany) resulting in a response rate of 27.6 percent.</p>
Weights	<p>The pre- and post-election cross section comprises three types of weights: a design weight, a transformation weight, and post-stratification weights.</p> <p>The design weight (w_{ow}) corrects for the oversampling in East Germany.</p> <p>The transformation weight (w_{tran}) transforms the data from a household sample into a personal sample.</p> <p>Both design weight and transformation weight are also available in a combined variable in the dataset (w_{trow}).</p> <p>The post-stratification weights include sociodemographic and regional weights with (and without) transformation weight. Those weights were calculated by using the iterative proportional fitting (IPF). The weights were constructed on</p>

the basis of gender, age (4 groups: 16 to 29, 30 to 45, 45 to 59 and 60 years and older), education (three groups: low, middle, high), BIK-regions (three groups) and East-West (for the weighting, all respondents living in Berlin received the East German weighting factor). Missing cases were replaced with the mode. The dataset includes six sociodemographic and regional weights: Germany as a whole as well as East and West Germany individually. For each of these regions, two weights were included: one with the transformation weight and one without it.

Data access

Usage regulations	Data and documents are released for academic research and teaching: access category A.
Anonymized data	According to German data protection laws, only anonymized data can be made accessible for public download. Based on this, some variables had to be deleted from the publicly available dataset. As a matter of course no information is lost: All variables can be used by interested researchers in a Secure Data Center (SDC) at GESIS (Cologne, Mannheim). Some variables are also available by signing a user contract. If you are interested in those variables please send an e-mail to gles@gesis.org . An overview of those variables can be found on our homepage (www.gesis.org/gles).

Errata

- One respondent (Ifdn = 1755) of the pre-election cross section who answered to have taken part in the Bavarian federal state election (vn133), erroneously did not receive the question concerning the voting decision (vn134aa-bb) and was instead coded to -97 ('not applicable').
- Nine respondents of the post-election cross section (Ifdn = 2099, 2185, 2766, 2963, 3018, 3046, 3055, 3071, 3737), who stated to have cast their vote in the federal election, did erroneously not get the question n238 concerning the point in time of their voting decision (Code -97 'Not applicable').
- Two respondents (Ifdn = 2472, 3566) erroneously received code -97 ('Not applicable') in the rotation variable dvn42.

The most recent errata list is provided by the GESIS Data Catalogue (www.gesis.org/dbk). There you can also find a list of all changes made between the different versions of the dataset.

Further remarks

- One respondent of the pre-election cross section stated in variable v223s (Reason for not voting) to be not eligible to vote in Germany. This case is not in universe and hence, was deleted from the published dataset.
- One interview of the pre-election cross section was deleted from the dataset due to abnormalities concerning the time stamp (temporal proximity to another interview which was conducted by the same interviewer and the simultaneous absence of the respondent's contact details)
- Code 12 ("all, the population") that was used in variable vn36 (debt crisis, main blame) of pre-election cross-section and is based on open nominations was recoded to code 11 ("someone else") in the cumulated dataset.
- Two respondents of the post-election cross section (Ifdn = 2319, 2893) stated that they did vote for the AfD with their first and second vote at the Bavarian federal state election in 2013 (vn134aa-bb). The party did not run for election at the Bavarian federal election in 2013.
- The variable party identification (vn119a/b) has the code 809 ("all parties; all parties equally good") which was only permitted in the post-election cross section.

This cumulated dataset consists of the pre- and post-election cross-section studies of the GLES 2013 (ZA5700 and ZA5701).

A cumulated dataset of the pre- and post-election cross-section study has been provided in a similar way within the GLES 2009 (ZA5302).

You can find further information about the study at GESIS (www.gesis.org/gles) as well as on the project website of GLES <http://www.gles.eu>.

To get an overview of the use of our data, we kindly request users of GLES data to inform us about publications that utilize this data. In case of limited access to your publication (e.g. conference papers), we would highly appreciate if you could send us an electronic (PDF file, gles@gesis.org) or a print copy of your publication.

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Overview over the content question programme:

Variable name(s)			Variable label ¹
Cumulation	Pre-election	Post-election	Cumulation
vn1	q1	q1	Gender
vn2b-c	q2b-c	q2b-c	Month and year of birth, respondent
vn3	q3	q69	Interest in politics
v4	q4	-	Interest, election campaign
v5	q5	-	Interest in the outcome of election
vn6	q6	q158	Satisfaction with democracy
vn7	q7	q88	Political knowledge: first/second vote
v8 n8	q8	q22	Hypothetical vote intention (under 18)
v9aa-b,ba-b n9aa-b,ba-b	q9aa-b,ba-b	q23aa-b,ba-b	Hypothetical vote intention (under 18), first/second vote
v10 n10	q10	q15	Vote intention / Turnout
v11aa-b,ba-b n11aa-b,ba-b	q11aa-b,ba-b	q19aa-b,ba-b	Vote intention/ Voting decision, first/second vote
v12aa-b,ba-b	q12aa-b,ba-b	-	Voting decision, absentee ballot
v222s	q222s	-	Reason for voting decision, absentee ballot
v223s	q223s	-	Reason for not voting
v13	q13	-	Certainty of vote intention
v14s n14s	q14s	q20s	Reason for voting decision
vn15a	q15a	q89a	Political knowledge: 5% threshold
v16a-d	q16a-d	-	Probability of smaller parties entering parliament
vn17	q17	q63	Personal economic situation, current
vn18	q18	q64	Personal economic situation, retrospective
v19 n19	q19	q65	Responsibility for personal economic situation
vn20	q20	q66	Personal economic situation, future
vn21a-h	q21a-h	q30a-h	Scalometer, political parties
vn22a-e n22f-j	q22a-e	q31a-j	Scalometer, political leaders
vn23s	q23s	q3s	Most important problem
vn24s	q24s	q4s	Second most important problem
vn25a-b	q25a-b	q5a-b	Ability to solve the most important problem
vn26a-b	q26a-b	q6a-b	Ability to solve the second most important problem
v27a-b	q27a-b	-	Subjective ambivalence, negative
v28a-b	q28a-b	-	Subjective ambivalence, positive
vn29	q29	q9	General economic situation, current
v30 n30	q30	q10	General economic situation, retrospective
v31 n31	q31	q13	Responsibility for general economic situation
vn32	q32	q14	General economic situation, future
vn33	q33	q67	Regional economic situation, general
vn34	q34	q68	European economic situation, current

¹ As far as the present documentation of questionnaire of pre- and post election cross-section follows the order of cumulation dataset the variable label is mentioned, providing the given variable refers to one single question. If there are more variables that refer to one question, the question title will be mentioned.

Variable name(s)			Variable label ¹
Cumulation	Pre-election	Post-election	Cumulation
vn35	q35	q90	Debt crisis, fear
vn36	q36	q91	Debt crisis, main blame
vn37	q37	q92	Debt crisis, concernment
v38 n38	q38	q93	Debt crisis, government
v39 n39	q39	q94	Debt crisis, Merkel
vn40a-g	q40a-g	q83a-g	Issue battery
v41 n41	q41	q84	Chancellor preference
vn42a-e	q42a-e	q85a-e	Attributes of chancellor candidates, Merkel
vn43a-e	q43a-e	q86a-e	Attributes of chancellor candidates, Steinbrück
vn44	q44	q25	Right to vote, federal election 2009
vn45	q45	q26	Recall last federal election, turnout
vn46aa-b,ba-b	q46aa-b,ba-b	q27aa-b,ba-b	Recall last federal election, first/second vote
vn47a-j	q47a-j	q39a-j	Party contacts during election campaign
vn48a-i	q48a-i	q40a-i	Party contacts: rallies - parties
vn49a-i	q49a-i	q41a-i	Party contacts: e-mails - parties
vn50a-h	q50a-h	q42a-h	Party contacts: e-mails - candidates
vn51a-i	q51a-i	q43a-i	Party contacts: information material - parties
vn52a-h	q52a-h	q44a-h	Party contacts: information material - candidates
vn53a-i	q53a-i	q45a-i	Party contacts: campaign adverts - parties
vn54a-i	q54a-i	q46a-i	Party contacts: posters - parties
vn55a-h	q55a-h	q47a-h	Party contacts: posters - candidates
vn56a-i	q56a-i	q48a-i	Party contacts: election campaign booths - parties
vn57a-i	q57a-i	q49a-i	Party contacts: political broadcasts - parties
vn224a-i	q224a-i	q50a-i	Party contacts: direct contact - parties
vn225a-i	q225a-i	q51a-i	Party contacts: via phone - parties
vn226a-i	q226a-i	q52a-i	Party contacts: social networks - parties
vn58	q58	q53	Direct contact with constituency candidates
vn59a-i	q59a-i	q54a-i	Direct contact with constituency candidates - parties
vn60a-h	q60a-h	q32a-h	Left-right classification of political parties
vn61a-b	q61a-b	q87a-b	Left-right classification of leading candidates
vn62	q62	q33	Left-right self-assessment
vn63a-f	q63a-f	q96a-f	Party positions, socio-economic dimension
vn64a-f	q64a-f	q97a-f	Party positions, libertarian-authoritarian dimension
vn65a-f	q65a-f	q98a-f	Party positions, climate change
v66a-f	q66a-f	-	Position of coalitions, socio-economic dimension
vn67	q67	q99	Own position, socio-economic dimension
vn68	q68	q100	Own position, libertarian-authoritarian dimension
vn69	q69	q101	Own position, climate change
vn70	q70	q102	Saliency, socio-economic dimension
vn71	q71	q104	Saliency, libertarian-authoritarian dimension
vn72	q72	q105	Saliency, climate change
vn73a-f	q73a-f	q106a-f	Attitudes to politics in general

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Cumulation	Pre-election	Post-election	Cumulation
v74 n74	q74	q107	Performance of the federal government
vn75a-c	q75a-c	q108a-c	Performance of the governing parties
vn76a-c	q76a-c	q109a-c	Performance of the opposition parties
vn77a-c	q77a-c	q110a-c	Other forms of participation
vn78a-b	q78a-b	q111a-b	Forms of participation, political party
v79a-f n79a-f	q79a-f	q74a-f	Scalometer, coalitions
v80a-f	q80a-f	-	Perceptions of coalition signals
v81a-b	q81a-b	-	Constituency winner
v82a-e n82a-e	q82a-e	q113a-e	Familiarity with constituency candidates
v83a-e n83a-e	q83a-e	q114a-e	Supported question, constituency candidates I
v84a-e n84a-e	q84a-e	q115a-e	Supported question, constituency candidates II
v85 n85	q85	q116	Election campaign, local constituency candidate, CDU/CSU
vn86	q86	q117	Valuation of the known local constituency candidate, CDU/CSU
v87 n87	q87	q118	Election campaign, local constituency candidate, SPD
vn88	q88	q119	Valuation of the known local constituency candidate, SPD
v89 n89	q89	q120	Election campaign, local constituency candidate, FDP
vn90	q90	q121	Valuation of the known local constituency candidate, FDP
v91 n91	q91	q122	Election campaign, local constituency candidate, DIE LINKE
vn92	q92	q123	Valuation of the known local constituency candidate, DIE LINKE
v93 n93	q93	q124	Election campaign, local constituency candidate, Die Grünen
vn94	q94	q125	Valuation of the known local constituency candidate, Die Grünen
vn95a-e	q95a-e	q126a-e	Representation norm
vn96a-d	q96a-d	q127a-d	Expectations of parliamentary deputies
vn97	q97	q129	Most important source of information
v98a-e n98a-e	q98a-e	q130a-e	Use of TV news programmes
v99 n99	q99	q131	Use of TV news programmes: ARD
v100 n100	q100	q132	Use of TV news programmes: ZDF
v101 n101	q101	q133	Use of TV news programmes: RTL
v102 n102	q102	q134	Use of TV news programmes: Sat.1
v103a-i n103a-i	q103a-i	q135a-i	Use of daily newspapers
v104 n104	q104	q136	Use of daily newspapers: BILD newspaper
v105 n105	q105	q137	Use of daily newspapers: FAZ
v106 n106	q106	q138	Use of daily newspapers: Die Welt

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v107 n107	q107	q139	Use of daily newspapers: SZ
v108 n108	q108	q140	Use of daily newspapers : Frankfurter Rundschau
v109 n109	q109	q141	Use of daily newspapers: taz
v110 n110	q110	q142	Use of daily newspapers: local/regional newspaper if 2 mentioned
v111 n111	q111	q143	Use of daily newspapers: local or regional newspaper
v112 n112	q112	q144	Use of daily newspapers: second, additional local/regional newspaper
v113 n113	q113	q145	Use of daily newspapers: one or more other daily newspapers
vn114	q114	q146	Internet usage, in general
vn115	q115	q147	Internet usage, political information
vn116	q116	q148	Internet usage, election campaign
vn117a-i	q117a-i	q149a-i	Internet usage, political parties
vn118	q118	q150	Internet usage, special information services
vn119a-b	q119a-b	q159a-b	Party identification
vn120	q120	q160	Strength of party identification
vn121	q121	q161	Persistence of party identification
vn122	q122	q162	Form of party identification
v123	q123	-	General trust
vn124a-h	q124a-h	q157a-h	Personality battery
vn125	q125	q77	European Parliament, vote intention
vn126a-b	q126a-b	q78a-b	European Parliament, vote intention, ballot paper
v127	q127	-	State election Bavaria, vote intention
v128 n128	q128	q79	State election Hesse, vote intention Recall state election Hesse, turnout
v129aa-b,ba-b	q129aa-b,ba-b	-	State election Bavaria, first/second vote
v130aa-b,ba-b n130aa-b,ba-b	q130aa-b,ba-b	q81aa-b,ba-b	State election Hesse, first/second vote
v131aa-b,ba-b	q131aa-b,ba-b	-	State election Bavaria, absentee ballot
v132aa-b,ba-b	q132aa-b,ba-b	-	State election Hesse, absentee ballot
vn133	q133	q80	Recall state election Bavaria, turnout
vn134aa-b,ba-b	q134aa-b,ba-b	q82aa-b,ba-b	Recall state election Bavaria, first/second vote
v135 n135	q135	q151	Discussions about politics
v136	q136	-	Network size
v137	q137	-	First discussion partner: relationship (A)
v138	q138	-	First discussion partner: relationship (B)
v139	q139	-	First discussion partner: frequency
v140	q140	-	First discussion partner: knowledge of politics
v141	q141	-	First discussion partner: differences of opinion
v142a-b	q142a-b	-	First discussion partner: voting decision
v143	q143	-	Second discussion partner: relationship (A)
v144	q144	-	Second discussion partner: relationship (B)
v145	q145	-	Second discussion partner: frequency
v146	q146	-	Second discussion partner: knowledge of politics

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v147	q147	-	Second discussion partner: differences of opinion
v148a-b	q148a-b	-	Second discussion partner: voting decision
v149	q149	-	Voter turnout, neighbourhood
vn150	q150	q152	Macrojustice
vn151	q151	q153	Justice, development
vn152	q152	q154	Justice, ego
vn153	q153	q155	Importance of a just society
vn154a-b	q154a-b	q156a-b	Justice political parties
v155a-c	q155a-c	-	Political knowledge, assignment politicians/parties
vn156a-b	q156a-b	q163a-b	Party identification, father
vn157a-b	q157a-b	q164a-b	Party identification, mother
vn158	q158	q165	Household size
vn159a-g	q159a-g	q166a-g	Members of household, age
vn161	q161	q167	Marital status
vn162	q162	q168	Respondent has a partner
vn163	q163	q169	School leaving certificate
v164a-o n164a-r	q164a-o	q170a-r	Vocational/professional training
vn165	q165	q171	Gainful employment
vn166	q166	q172	Previous gainful employment
vn167	q167	q173	Profession
vn168b-e	q168b-e	q174b-e	Occupation
vn169	q169	q175	Temporary/agency work
vn170	q170	q176	Supervisory function
vn171	q171	q177	Employment sector
vn172	q172	q178	Sector of the economy
vn173a-c	q173a-c	q179a-c	Unemployment over the last 10 years
vn174	q174	q180	Fear of losing professional career
vn175	q175	q182	Professional career at risk
vn176	q176	q183	Former profession
vn227b-e	q227b-e	q184b-e	Former occupation
vn177	q177	q185	Former supervisory function
vn178	q178	q186	Former employment sector
vn179	q179	q187	Former sector of the economy
vn180	q180	q188	Partner's school leaving certificate
vn181	q181	q189	Partner's employment
vn182	q182	q190	Partner's former employment
vn183	q183	q191	Partner's main occupation
vn184b-e	q184b-e	q192b-e	Partner's occupation
vn185	q185	q193	Partner's supervisory function
vn186	q186	q194	Partner's employment sector
vn187	q187	q195	Partner's sector of the economy
vn188	q188	q197	Partner's former profession
vn189b-e	q189b-e	q198b-e	Partner's former occupation

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vn190	q190	q199	Partner's former supervisory function
vn191	q191	q200	Partner's former employment sector
vn229	q229	q201	Partner's former sector of the economy
vn192	q192	q204	Subjective perception of class
vn228	q228	q205	Religious denomination
vn193	q193	q206	Church attendance
vn194	q194	q207	Religious views
vn195	q195	q208	German citizenship
vn196	q196	q209	Country of birth
vn197	q197	q210	Country of birth, federal state
vn198	q198	q211	Country of birth, other country
vn199	q199	q212	Age at immigration
vn200	q200	q213	Age at immigration, East Germany
vn201	q201	q214	Age at immigration, West Germany
vn202	q202	q215	Country of birth, parents
vn203	q203	q216	Country of birth, father
vn204	q204	q217	Country of birth, mother
vn205	q205	q218	Country of birth, partner
vn230	q230	q219	Country of birth, partner, other
vn206	q206	q220	Ascertainment migration in 3rd generation
vn207	q207	q221	Immigration father
vn208	q208	q222	Immigration mother
vn209	q209	q223	Language spoken at home
vn210	q210	q224	Language spoken at home, other
vn211	q211	q225	Identification of resettler
vn212	q212	q226	Identification of asylum seekers
vn213a-i	q213a-i	q227	Membership of organisation
vn214	q214	q228	Trade union membership in household
vn215	q215	q229	Net household income
n223s	-	q16s	Reason for not voting (post-election)
n231a-h	-	q7a-h	Public expenditure, policy area
n232	-	q8	Improvement of living standard
n233	-	q11	General economic situation, retrospective (improved a lot or a bit)
n234	-	q12	General economic situation, retrospective (got a lot or a bit worse)
n235	-	q17	Decision non-voting, difficulty
n236	-	q18	Absentee ballot
n237	-	q21	Difficulty of voting decision
n238	-	q24	Time of final voting decision
n239	-	q28	Difference government
n240	-	q29	Difference politics
n241	-	q34	Satisfaction with democracy
n242	-	q35	Party identification
n243	-	q36	Party identification, request

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Cumulation	Pre-election	Post-election	Cumulation
n244a-b	-	q37a-b	Party identification, political party
n245	-	q38	Strength of party identification
n246	-	q55	Persuasion: passive
n247a-f	-	q56a-f	Form of persuasion
n248	-	q57	Persuasion. active
n249	-	q58	Information on parties/candidates: online registration
n250	-	q59	Political knowledge: minister of finance
n251	-	q60	Political knowledge: unemployment rate
n252	-	q61	Political knowledge: second strongest political party at federal election 2013
n253	-	q62	Political knowledge: UN Secretary-General
n254	-	q70	Representation of interests, political parties
n255a-b	-	q71a-b	Representation of interests, which political party
n256	-	q72	Representation of interests, candidates
n257	-	q73	Representation of interests, which candidate
n258	-	q75	Differences election campaign, parties
n259	-	q76	Satisfaction with political parties
n260a-g	-	q95a-g	Representation of interests
n261a-f	-	q103a-f	Salience socio-economic dimension, political parties
n262	-	q112	Attention to election campaign
n263a-h	-	q128a-h	Propensity to Vote, political parties
n264	-	q181	Finding a new employment, respondent
n265	-	q196	Finding a new employment, partner
n266a-d	-	q202a-d	Ownership/property
n267	-	q203	Household income, prospective
n268	-	q231	Residential area
vn218	q218	q233	Assessment of the Interviewer, difficulty of interview participation
vn219	q219	q234	Assessment of the Interviewer, effort
vn220	q220	q235	Assessment of the Interviewer, understanding
vn221	q221	q236	Assessment of the Interviewer, distraction

vn1	Gender
Vw q1	Pre-election Int01
Nw q1	Post-election D01

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw:

[Do not read out, but select without respondent; only ask if in doubt]

Question text:

[Interviewer]

Is the respondent male or female?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Male
- (2) Female

vn2b-c	Month and year of birth, respondent
Vw q2b-c	Pre-election D01.1
Nw q2b-c	Post-election D01.1

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Question text Vw/Nw:

Would you please tell me your date of birth?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

DAY

-
- (1) 1
 - (2) 2
 - (3) 3
 - ...
 - (31) 31

MONTH

-
- (1) January
 - (2) February
 - (3) March
 - (4) April
 - (5) May
 - (6) June
 - (7) July
 - (8) August
 - (9) September
 - (10) October
 - (11) November
 - (12) December

YEAR

-
- (1910) 1910
 - ...
 - (1997) 1997

(-99) no answer

vn3	Interest in politics
Vw q3	Vw Vw087

Nw q69	Nw Nw376
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Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:**Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:**

[display list and leave displayed]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Quite generally, how interested are you in politics: very interested, somewhat interested, in between, not very interested, or, not at all interested?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (1) Very interested
- (2) Somewhat interested
- (3) In between
- (4) Not very interested
- (5) Not at all interested

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

v4	Interest, election campaign
Vw q4	Vw Vw088
Nw -	Nw -

Filtered by question number Vw:**Interviewer instruction Vw:**

[list is still displayed]

Question text Vw:

And how interested are you in particular in this federal election campaign?

Items Vw:**Scale Vw:**

- (1) Very interested
- (2) Somewhat interested
- (3) In between
- (4) Not very interested
- (5) Not at all interested

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

v5	Interest in the outcome of the election
Vw q5	Vw Vw089
Nw -	Nw -

Filtered by question number Vw:**Interviewer instruction Vw:**

[display list]

Question text Vw:

And how important is the outcome of the upcoming federal election to you personally? Very important, somewhat important, in between, not very important, or not important at all?

Items Vw:**Scale Vw:**

- (1) Very important
- (2) Somewhat important
- (3) In between
- (4) Not very important
- (5) Not important at all

- (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn6	Satisfaction with democracy
Vw q6	Vw Vw155
Nw q158	Nw Nw375

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:**Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:**

[display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

On the whole, are you very satisfied, fairly satisfied, neither satisfied nor dissatisfied, not very satisfied, or not at all satisfied with the way democracy works in Germany?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (1) Very satisfied
- (2) Fairly satisfied
- (3) Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied
- (4) Not very satisfied
- (5) Not at all satisfied

- (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn7	Political knowledge: first/second vote
Vw q7	Vw Vw112
Nw q88	Nw Nw095

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:**Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:****Question text Vw/Nw:**

In the federal elections you have two votes, the first vote and the second vote. What do you think: Which vote decides how many seats each party will have in parliament?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (1) The first vote
- (2) The second vote
- (3) Both are equally important

- (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

v8	Hypothetical vote intention (under 18)
n8	
Vw q8	Vw Vw161
Nw q22	Nw Nw322

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

D01.1 > 22.09.1995 (younger than 18 years)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [display list]

Nw: -

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw:

When elections are held a lot of people vote, others do not manage to vote or do not participate in elections for other reasons. Just assuming you were eligible to vote: How likely is it that you would vote in the federal election on 22nd September? Please use this list for your answer.

Nw:

Assuming you had been eligible to vote in the federal election on 22nd September: would you have voted or not?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

Vw:

- (1) Certain to vote
- (2) Likely to vote
- (3) Might vote
- (4) Not likely to vote
- (5) Certain not to vote

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

Nw:

(1) Yes, I would have voted

(2) No, I wouldn't have voted

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

v9aa-b, ba-b	Hypothetical vote intention (under 18), first/second vote
n9aa-b, ba-b	
Vw q9aa-b,ba-b	Vw Vw162
Nw q23aa-b,ba-b	Nw Nw173

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw161 = 1-3, -98, -99 (only respondents who a) state that they would vote or b) answer "Don't know" to the question concerning the hypothetical voting intention or c) don't answer the question concerning the hypothetical voting intention)

Nw: Nw322 = 1,-98,-99 (only respondents who a) state that they would have voted at federal election or b) answer "Don't know" to the question concerning the hypothetical voting intention or c) don't answer the question concerning the hypothetical voting intention)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [display model ballot paper

Note answers on list of parties for interviewer

Respondent is only allowed to mention ONE party per vote]

Nw: [display model ballot paper;
Note answers on list of parties for interviewer
Respondent is only allowed to mention ONE party per vote; if necessary, note open answer]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw:

You would have two votes in the federal election. The first vote is for a candidate in your local constituency, the second vote is for a party. Here is a ballot paper similar to the one you receive for federal elections. How would you mark your ballot? Please just tell me the identification code for your first and second vote.

Nw:

You would have two votes in the federal election. The first vote is for a candidate in your local constituency, the second vote is for a party. Here is a ballot paper similar to the one you receive for federal elections. How would you mark your ballot? Please just tell me the identification code for your first and second vote.

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) First vote
- (B) Second vote

Scale Vw/Nw:

Model ballot paper for respondents:

First vote:

- (01) CDU/CSU (Christlich Demokratische Union/Christlich-Soziale Union)
- (02) SPD (Sozialdemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
- (03) FDP (Freie Demokratische Partei)
- (04) DIE LINKE (DIE LINKE)
- (05) GRÜNE (BÜNDNIS 90/DIE GRÜNEN)
- (06) PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)
- (07) NPD (Nationaldemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
- (08) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
- (09) Other party: _____

Second vote:

- (21) CDU/CSU (Christlich Demokratische Union/Christlich-Soziale Union)
- (22) SPD (Sozialdemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
- (23) FDP (Freie Demokratische Partei)
- (24) DIE LINKE (DIE LINKE)
- (25) GRÜNE (BÜNDNIS 90/DIE GRÜNEN)
- (26) PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)
- (27) NPD (Nationaldemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
- (28) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
- (29) Other party: _____

List of parties for interviewer:

- (1) 1/21 CDU/CSU
- (4) 2/22 SPD
- (5) 3/23 FDP
- (7) 4/24 DIE LINKE
- (6) 5/25 GRÜNE
- (215) 6/26 PIRATEN
- (206) 7/27 NPD
- (322) 8/28 AfD
- (180) Freie Wähler
- (225) REP (DIE REPUBLIKANER)
- (237) Tierschutzpartei (PARTEI MENSCH UMWELT TIERSCHUTZ)
- (209) ödp (Ökologisch-Demokratische Partei)
- (171) FAMILIE (Familien-Partei Deutschlands)
- (226) RRP (Rentnerinnen und Rentner Partei)
- (224) RENTNER (Rentner Partei Deutschland)
- (126) BP (Bayernpartei)
- (214) PBC (Partei Bibeltreuer Christen)
- (134) BüSo (Bürgerrechtsbewegung Solidarität)
- (152) DIE VIOLETTEN
- (801) 9/29 Other party: _____

(-83) I would cast an invalid vote
 (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

v10	Vote intention / Turnout
n10	
Vw q10	Vw Vw001
Nw q15	Nw Nw305

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:
 D01.1 < 22.09.1995 (18 years and older)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [display list]

Nw: [If there is a request regarding absentee ballot, please note that there will follow an extra question. Absentee ballot implies voting (1) in this question.]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw:

When elections are held a lot of people vote, others do not manage to vote or do not participate in elections for other reasons. How likely is it that you will vote in the federal election on 22nd September? Please tell me using this list.

Nw:

In the federal election on 22nd September a lot of people did not manage to vote or did not participate in the election for other reasons. How about you? Did you vote or did you not vote?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

Vw:

- (1) Certain to vote
- (2) Likely to vote
- (3) Might vote
- (4) Not likely to vote
- (5) Certain not to vote
- (6) Have already cast a postal vote

(-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

Nw:

- (1) I did vote
- (2) I did not vote

(-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

v11aa-b, ba-b	Vote intention / Voting decision, first/second vote
n11aa-b, ba-b	
Vw q11aa-b,ba-b	Vw Vw002
Nw q19aa-b,ba-b	Nw Nw031

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw001 = 1-3, -98, -99 (only respondents who a) state that they will vote certainly, likely or might vote or b) answer "Don't know" to the question concerning the hypothetical voting intention or c) don't answer the question concerning the hypothetical voting intention)

Nw: Nw305 = 1 (only respondents who stated that they voted for federal election on 22nd September)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [display model ballot paper;

Note answers on list of parties for interviewer

Respondent is only allowed to mention ONE party per vote]

Nw: [display model ballot paper; Note answers on list of parties for interviewer; Respondent is only allowed to mention ONE party per vote, if necessary, note open answer]

Programming note: Request for „09 other party _____“ has to be: "Which other party did you vote with your first vote?" Request for „29 other party _____“ has to be: "Which other party did you vote with your second vote?"

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw:

You have two votes in the federal election. The first vote is for a candidate in your local constituency, the second vote is for a party. Here is a ballot paper similar to the one you receive for federal elections. How will you mark your ballot? Please just tell me the identification code for your first and second vote.

Nw:

You had two votes in the federal election. The first vote was for a candidate in your local constituency, the second vote was for a party. Here is a ballot paper similar to the one you received for federal elections. How did you mark your ballot? Please just tell me the identification code for your first and second vote.

Items Vw/Nw:

(A) First vote

(B) Second vote

Scale Vw/Nw:

Modell ballot paper for respondents:

First vote:

(01) CDU/CSU (Christlich Demokratische Union/Christlich-Soziale Union)

(02) SPD (Sozialdemokratische Partei Deutschlands)

(03) FDP (Freie Demokratische Partei)

(04) DIE LINKE (DIE LINKE)

(05) GRUENE (BUENDNIS90/DIE GRUENEN)

(06) PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)

(07) NPD (Nationaldemokratische Partei Deutschlands)

(08) AfD (Alternative fuer Deutschland)

(09) Other party: _____

Second vote:

(21) CDU/CSU (Christlich Demokratische Union/Christlich-Soziale Union)

(22) SPD (Sozialdemokratische Partei Deutschlands)

(23) FDP (Freie Demokratische Partei)

(24) DIE LINKE (DIE LINKE)

(25) GRUENE (BUENDNIS90/DIE GRUENEN)

(26) PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)

(27) NPD (Nationaldemokratische Partei Deutschlands)

(28) AfD (Alternative fuer Deutschland)

(29) Other party: _____

List of parties for interviewer:

(1) 1/21 - CDU/CSU

(4) 2/22 - SPD

(5) 3/23 - FDP

(7) 4/24 - DIE LINKE

(6) 5/25 - GRUENE

(215) 6/26 - PIRATEN

(206) 7/27 - NPD

(322) 8/28 - AfD

(180) Freie Waehler
 (225) REP (DIE REPUBLIKANER)
 (237) Tierschutzpartei (PARTEI MENSCH UMWELT TIERSCHUTZ)
 (209) OEDP (Oekologisch-Demokratische Partei)
 (171) FAMILIE (Familien-Partei Deutschlands)
 (226) RRP (Rentnerinnen und Rentner Partei)
 (224) RENTNER (Rentner Partei Deutschland)
 (126) BP (Bayernpartei)
 (214) PBC (Partei Bibeltreuer Christen)
 (134) BueSo (Buergerrechtsbewegung Solidaritaet)
 (152) DIE VIOLETTEN
 (801) 9/29 – Other party: _____

 (-83) I cast an invalid vote
 (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

v12aa-b, ba-b	Voting decision, absentee ballot, first/second vote
Vw q12aa-b, ba-	Vw Vw234
b	
Nw -	Nw -

Filtered by question number Vw:

Vw001 = 6 (only respondents who state that they have already cast a postal vote)

Interviewer instruction Vw:

[display model ballot paper;
 Note answers on list of parties for interviewer
 Respondent is only allowed to mention ONE party per vote]

Question text Vw:

You had two votes in the absentee ballot. The first vote was for a candidate in your local constituency, the second vote was for a party. Here is a ballot paper similar to the one you received for federal elections. How did you mark your ballot? Please just tell me the identification code for your first and second vote.

Items Vw:

(A) First vote
 (B) Second vote

Scale Vw:

Model ballot paper for respondents:

First vote:

(01) CDU/CSU (Christlich Demokratische Union/Christlich-Soziale Union)
 (02) SPD (Sozialdemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
 (03) FDP (Freie Demokratische Partei)
 (04) DIE LINKE (DIE LINKE)
 (05) GRÜNE (BÜNDNIS 90/DIE GRÜNEN)
 (06) PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)
 (07) NPD (Nationaldemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
 (08) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
 (09) Other party: _____

Second vote:

(21) CDU/CSU (Christlich Demokratische Union/Christlich-Soziale Union)
 (22) SPD (Sozialdemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
 (23) FDP (Freie Demokratische Partei)
 (24) DIE LINKE (DIE LINKE)
 (25) GRÜNE (BÜNDNIS 90/DIE GRÜNEN)
 (26) PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)
 (27) NPD (Nationaldemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
 (28) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)

(29) Other party: _____

List of parties for interviewer:

- (1) 1/21 - CDU/CSU
- (4) 2/22 - SPD
- (5) 3/23 - FDP
- (7) 4/24 - DIE LINKE
- (6) 5/25 - GRÜNE
- (215) 6/26 - PIRATEN
- (206) 7/27 - NPD
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- (134) BüSo (Bürgerrechtsbewegung Solidarität)
- (152) DIE VIOLETTEN
- (801) 9/29 – Other party: _____

- (-83) I cast an invalid vote
- (-97) Not applicable
- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

v222s	Reason for voting decision, absentee ballot
Vw q222s	Vw Vw315
Nw -	Nw -

Filtered by question number Vw:

Vw234 = 1-801 (only respondents who mention a party concerning the voting behaviour at absentee ballot)

Interviewer instruction Vw:

[note open answer;
If there are questions: we are talking about the second vote;
Please note only the most important reason;
If respondent mentions multiple reasons, ask him which the utmost important one is.]
Programming note: fill in party, which has been mentioned in Vw234

Question text Vw:

And why did you vote for <second vote according to Vw234>? Please tell me the reason that is most important to you.

Items Vw:

Scale Vw:

<note reason>

- (-97) Not applicable
- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

v223s	Reason for not voting
Vw q223s	Vw Vw316
Nw -	Nw -

Filtered by question number Vw:

Vw001 = 4, 5 (only respondents who state that they will certainly or likely not vote)

Interviewer instruction Vw:

[note open answer]

Question text Vw:

And why will you probably not vote? Please tell me the reason that is most important to you.

Items Vw:

Scale Vw:

<note reason>

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

v13	Certainty of vote intention
Vw q13	Vw Vw008
Nw -	Nw -

Filtered by question number Vw:

Vw002 = 1-801 (only respondents who mention a party concerning the intended voting behaviour)

Interviewer instruction Vw:

[display list;

if there are questions: we are talking about the second vote]

Question text Vw:

How certain are you about the voting decision you just told me: absolutely certain, fairly certain, fairly uncertain or absolutely uncertain?

Items Vw:

Scale Vw:

(1) Absolutely certain

(2) Fairly certain

(3) Fairly uncertain

(4) Absolutely uncertain

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

v14s	Reason for voting decision
n14s	
Vw q14s	Vw Vw350
Nw q20s	Nw Nw515

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw002 = 1-801 in Item B (only respondents who mention a party concerning the intended voting behaviour)

Nw: Nw031 = 1-801 in Item B (only respondents who stated that they voted for a political party with their second vote in federal election 2013)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [note open answer; if there are questions: we are talking about the second vote; Please note only the most important reason; If respondent mentions multiple reasons, ask him which the utmost important one is.]

Programming note: Fill in party mentioned in Vw002

Nw: [note open answer; If there are questions: we are talking about the second vote; Please note only the most important reason; If respondent mentions multiple reasons, ask him which the utmost important one is.]

Programming note: Fill in party mentioned in federal election, second vote.

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw:

And why will you vote for <second vote according to Vw002>? Please tell me the reason that is most important to you.

Nw:

And why did you vote for <second vote according to Nw031>? Please tell me the reason that is most important to you.

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

<note reason>

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn15a	Political knowledge: 5% threshold
Vw q15a	Vw Vw113
Nw q89a	Nw Nw513

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[note open answer]

Coding note: generate two variables: Var1: percent mentioned; Var2: (0) wrong, (1) right

Question text Vw/Nw:

Now I would like to know which percentage of votes does a party definitely need to send representatives to the Bundestag?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

<note answer>

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

v16a-d	Probability of smaller parties entering parliament
Vw q16a-d	Vw Vw046
Nw -	Nw -

Filtered by question number Vw:

Interviewer instruction Vw:

[display list; read out parties]

Question text Vw:

How likely do you think it is for the following parties to be represented in the Bundestag after the federal election? Is it absolutely certain, fairly certain, neither certain nor improbable, fairly uncertain or completely improbable? What about...?

Items Vw:

(A) FDP

(B) DIE LINKE

(C) PIRATEN

(D) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)

Scale Vw:

- (1) Absolutely certain
 - (2) Fairly certain
 - (3) Neither certain nor improbable
 - (4) Fairly uncertain
 - (5) Completely improbable
-

- (-71) Haven't heard
- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

vn17	Personal economic situation, current
Vw q17	Vw Vw030
Nw q63	Nw Nw541

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Now, let us shift attention to your economic situation. How would you evaluate your own current economic situation? Please tell me using this list.

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Very good
 - (2) Good
 - (3) Neither good nor bad
 - (4) Bad
 - (5) Very bad
-

- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

vn18	Personal economic situation, retrospective
Vw q18	Vw Vw029
Nw q64	Nw Nw046

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Has your own economic situation improved considerably, improved somewhat, remained the same, deteriorated somewhat or deteriorated considerably in the last one to two years?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Improved considerably
 - (2) Improved somewhat
 - (3) Remained the same
 - (4) Deteriorated somewhat
 - (5) Deteriorated considerably
-

(-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

v19	Responsibility for personal economic situation
n19	
Vw q19	Vw Vw014
Nw q65	Nw Nw519

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw029 = 1-5 (only respondents who make a statement concerning their personal economic situation (retrospective))

Nw: Nw046 = 1-5 (only respondents who make a statement concerning their personal economic situation (retrospective))

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw:

To what extent do you think that the government's policies are responsible for this development – a great deal, a fair amount, moderately, not very much, or not at all?

Nw:

To what extent do you think that the government's policies in the last four years are responsible for this development - a great deal, a fair amount, moderately, not very much, or not at all?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) A great deal
- (2) A fair amount
- (3) Moderately
- (4) Not very much
- (5) Not at all

 (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn20	Personal economic situation, future
Vw q20	Vw Vw031
Nw q66	Nw Nw048

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

What do you think your own economic situation will be a year from now?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Improved considerably
- (2) Improved somewhat
- (3) Remained the same
- (4) Deteriorated somewhat
- (5) Deteriorated considerably

 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn21a-h	Scalometer, political parties
Vw q21a-h	Vw Vw351
Nw q30a-h	Nw Nw543

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list; read out parties]

Question text Vw/Nw:

What do you think of the different parties in general? Please tell me using this scale. -5 means that you do not think much of the party at all, +5 means that you think a great deal of the party. Use the values in between to express your opinion more precisely. What do you think of the ...?

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) CDU
- (B) CSU
- (C) SPD
- (D) FDP
- (E) DIE LINKE
- (F) GRÜNE
- (G) PIRATEN
- (H) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) -5 I do not think much of the party at all
- (2) -4
- (3) -3
- (4) -2
- (5) -1
- (6) 0
- (7) +1
- (8) +2
- (9) +3
- (10) +4
- (11) +5 I think a great deal of the party

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- (-71) I don't have sufficient knowledge about this party
 - (-98) Don't know
 - (-99) No answer

vn22a-e	Scalometer, political leaders
n22f-j	
Vw q22a-e	Vw Vw352
Nw q31a-j	Nw Nw544

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list; read out politicians]

Question text Vw/Nw:

And what do you think of the political leaders? Please rate them by using the scale from -5 to +5 again. If I come to a political leader you haven't heard of or you feel you do not know enough about, just say so. What do you think of ...?

Items Vw/Nw:

Vw:

- (A) Angela Merkel
- (B) Peer Steinbrück
- (C) Rainer Brüderle
- (D) Gregor Gysi

(E) Jürgen Trittin

Nw:

- (A) Angela Merkel
- (B) Peer Steinbrück
- (C) Rainer Brüderle
- (D) Gregor Gysi
- (E) Jürgen Trittin
- (F) Horst Seehofer
- (G) Sigmar Gabriel
- (H) Philipp Rösler
- (I) Katja Kipping
- (J) Claudia Roth

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) -5 I do not think much of the politician at all
- (2) -4
- (3) -3
- (4) -2
- (5) -1
- (6) 0
- (7) +1
- (8) +2
- (9) +3
- (10) +4
- (11) +5 I think a great deal of the politician

- (-71) I don't know enough about this politician
- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

vn23s	Most important problem
Vw q23s	Vw Vw353
Nw q3s	Nw Nw517

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[note open answer in keywords;

One problem max.!;

If respondent mentions multiple important problems, ask which one of them is the utmost important; if there are doubts, point out that you can name a second problem in the next question. It is important that you only note one problem, because this problem will be filtered in the questionnaire.]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Looking now at the situation in Germany, please name the two most important political problems. In your opinion, what is the most important problem facing Germany today? At first, please specify only the most important one.

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

<most important problem>

- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

vn24s	Second most important problem
Vw q24s	Vw Vw354
Nw q4s	Nw Nw518

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw353 = Most important problem mentioned (only respondents who mention a most important problem)

Nw: Nw517 if mentioned in Nw517 (only respondents who stated a most important problem)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[note open answer in keywords;

One problem max.!.;

If respondent mentions multiple important problems, ask which one of them is the second most important. It is important that you only note one problem, because this problem will be filtered in the questionnaire]

Question text Vw/Nw:

In your opinion, what is the second most important problem facing Germany today?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

<second most important problem>

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn25a-b	Ability to solve the most important problem
Vw q25a-b	Vw Vw361
Nw q5a-b	Nw Nw502

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw353 = Most important problem mentioned (only respondents who mention a most important problem)

Nw: Nw517 if mentioned in Nw517 (only respondents who stated a most important problem)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [display list and leave displayed]

Nw: [display list and leave displayed; if necessary, note open answer]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw:

Which party is best able to handle the problem of <first mentioned most important problem according to Vw353>?

Nw:

Which party is best able to handle the problem of <most important problem>?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

List of parties for respondent:

CDU/CSU

SPD

FDP

DIE LINKE

GRÜNE

PIRATEN

NPD

AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)

Other party: _____

No party

All parties equally good

List of parties for interviewer:

(1) CDU/CSU

- (2) CDU
- (3) CSU
- (4) SPD
- (5) FDP
- (7) DIE LINKE
- (6) GRÜNE
- (215) PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)
- (206) NPD [also DVU]
- (322) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
- (180) Freie Wähler
- (225) REP (DIE REPUBLIKANER)
- (237) Tierschutzpartei
- (209) ÖDP (Ökologisch-Demokratische Partei)
- (171) FAMILIE (Familien-Partei Deutschlands)
- (226) RRP (Rentnerinnen und Rentner Partei)
- (224) RENTNER (Rentner Partei Deutschland)
- (126) BP (Bayernpartei)
- (214) PBC (Partei Bibeltreuer Christen)
- (134) BüSo (Bürgerrechtsbewegung Solidarität)
- (152) DIE VIOLETTEN
- (801) Other party: _____
- (808) No party
- (809) All parties equally good

- (-97) Not applicable
- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

vn26a-b	Ability to solve the second most important problem
Vw q26a-b	Vw Vw362
Nw q6a-b	Nw Nw503

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw354 = Second most important problem mentioned (only respondents who mention a second most important problem)

Nw: Nw518 if mentioned in Nw518 (only respondents who stated a second most important problem)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [List is still displayed]

Nw: [List is still displayed; if necessary note open answer]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw:

Which party is best able to handle the problem of <first mentioned second most important problem according to Vw354>?

Nw:

Which party is best able to handle the problem of <second most important problem>?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

List of parties for respondent:

- CDU/CSU
- SPD
- FDP
- DIE LINKE
- GRÜNE
- PIRATEN
- NPD
- AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
- Other party: _____
- No party
- All parties equally good

List of parties for interviewer:

- (1) CDU/CSU
- (2) CDU
- (3) CSU
- (4) SPD
- (5) FDP
- (7) DIE LINKE
- (6) GRÜNE
- (215) PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)
- (206) NPD [also DVU]
- (322) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
- (180) Freie Wähler
- (225) REP (DIE REPUBLIKANER)
- (237) Tierschutzpartei
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- (224) RENTNER (Rentner Partei Deutschland)
- (126) BP (Bayernpartei)
- (214) PBC (Partei Bibeltreuer Christen)
- (134) BüSo (Bürgerrechtsbewegung Solidarität)
- (152) DIE VIOLETTEN
- (801) Other party: _____
- (808) No party
- (809) All parties equally good

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

v27a-b	Subjective ambivalence, negative
Vw q27a-b	Vw Vw276
Nw -	Nw -

Filtered by question number Vw:

Vw352 (Item A) ≠ -71; Vw352 (Item B) ≠ -71 (only respondents who state that they know the respective politician)

Interviewer instruction Vw:

[Item A: display list

Item B: if Vw352A≠71: List is still displayed; if Vw352A=-71: display list]

Question text Vw:

Some people have only positive or negative feelings towards the leading candidates. Others have both positive and negative feelings. How is that for you? We would now like to ask you to indicate how strong your negative and how strong your positive feelings towards the leading candidates are. How strong are your negative feelings towards . . . ?

Items Vw:

- (A) Angela Merkel
- (B) Peer Steinbrück

Scale Vw:

- (1) Very strong
- (2) Strong
- (3) Moderate
- (4) Not very strong
- (5) No negative feelings at all

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

v28a-b	Subjective ambivalence, positive
Vw q28a-b	Vw Vw278
Nw -	Nw -

Filtered by question number Vw:

Vw352 (Item A) ≠ -71; Vw352 (Item B) ≠ -71 (only respondents who state that they know the respective politician)

Interviewer instruction Vw:

[Item A: display list

Item B: if Vw352A≠71: List is still displayed; if Vw352A=-71: List is displayed]

Question text Vw:

And how strong are your positive feelings towards...?

Items Vw:

- (A) Angela Merkel
- (B) Peer Steinbrück

Scale Vw:

- (1) Very strong
- (2) Strong
- (3) Moderate
- (4) Not very strong
- (5) No positive feelings at all

- (-97) Not applicable
- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

vn29	General economic situation, current
Vw q29	Vw Vw034
Nw q9	Nw Nw051

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Now, let us shift attention to the economic situation. How would you evaluate the current general economic situation in Germany?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Very good
- (2) Good
- (3) Neither good nor bad
- (4) Bad
- (5) Very bad

- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

v30	General economic situation, retrospective
n30	
Vw q30	Vw Vw032
Nw q10	Nw Nw398

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:**Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:****Vw:** [display list]**Nw:** -**Question text Vw/Nw:****Vw:**

And has the general economic situation in Germany improved considerably, improved somewhat, remained the same, deteriorated somewhat or deteriorated considerably in the last one to two years?

Nw:

And has the general economic situation in Germany improved, remained the same or deteriorated in the last one to two years?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:****Vw:**

- (1) Improved considerably
 - (2) Improved somewhat
 - (3) Remained the same
 - (4) Deteriorated somewhat
 - (5) Deteriorated considerably
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(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

Nw:

- (1) Improved
 - (2) Remained the same
 - (3) Deteriorated
-

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

v31	Responsibility for general economic situation
n31	
Vw q31	Vw Vw033
Nw q13	Nw Nw519

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw032 = 1-5 (only respondents who make a statement concerning the general economic situation, (retrospective))

Nw: Nw398 = 1-3 (only respondents who make a statement concerning the general economic situation (retrospective))

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

To what extent do you think that the government's policies are responsible for this development - a great deal, a fair amount, moderately, not very much, or not at all?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:****Vw:**

- (1) A great deal
- (2) A fair amount
- (3) Moderately

- (4) Not very much
 (5) Not at all

- (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn32	General economic situation, future
Vw q32	Vw Vw035
Nw q14	Nw Nw052

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

What do you think the general economic situation in Germany will be a year from now?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Improved considerably
 (2) Improved somewhat
 (3) Remained the same
 (4) Deteriorated somewhat
 (5) Deteriorated considerably

- (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn33	Regional economic situation, current
Vw q33	Vw Vw036
Nw q67	Nw Nw377

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list and leave displayed]

Question text Vw/Nw:

And how is the current economic situation in the region in which you live? Very good, good, neither good nor bad, bad or very bad?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Very good
 (2) Good
 (3) Neither good nor bad
 (4) Bad
 (5) Very bad

- (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn34	European economic situation, current
Vw q34	Vw Vw250
Nw q68	Nw Nw327

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:**Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:**

[list is still displayed]

Question text Vw/Nw:

And what about the current economic situation in Europe? Very good, good, neither good nor bad, bad or very bad?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (1) Very good
- (2) Good
- (3) Neither good nor bad
- (4) Bad
- (5) Very bad

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn35	Debt crisis, fear
Vw q35	Vw Vw251
Nw q90	Nw Nw328

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:**Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:**

[display list]

Question text Vw:

How worried are you about the European debt crisis?

Question text Nw:

Now let's look at the current debt crisis in Europe. How worried are you about the European debt crisis?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (1) Very worried
- (2) Fairly worried
- (3) Moderately worried
- (4) A little worried
- (5) Not worried at all

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn36	Debt crisis, main blame
Vw q36	Vw Vw253
Nw q91	Nw Nw330

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:**Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:**

[display list; read out list; only one response]

Question text Vw/Nw:

What do you think, who is to blame for the European debt crisis?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (1) the banks
- (2) Investors
- (3) Managers/entrepreneurs
- (4) the economy
- (5) the federal government
- (6) German politics (politicians, parties)
- (7) USA
- (8) Heavily indebted countries (like Greece, Ireland)
- (9) European Union
- (10) the Euro
- (11) Somebody else: _____

- (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn37	Debt crisis, concernment
Vw q37	Vw Vw252
Nw q92	Nw Nw329

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:**Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:**

[display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

How much do you think Germany is affected by the European debt crisis – very strongly, strongly, moderately, a little or not at all?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (1) Very strongly
- (2) Strongly
- (3) Moderately
- (4) A little
- (5) Not at all

- (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

v38	Debt crisis, government
n38	
Vw q38	Vw Vw254
Nw q93	Nw Nw506

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:**Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:****Vw:** [display list and leave displayed]**Nw:** [display list and leave displayed if necessary]**Question text Vw/Nw:**

Vw: And how satisfied are you with the way the federal government has tackled the European debt crisis?

Nw: And how satisfied are you with the way the federal government has tackled the European debt crisis in the last four years?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Very satisfied
- (2) Fairly satisfied
- (3) Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied
- (4) Not very satisfied
- (5) Not at all satisfied

- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

v39	Debt crisis, Merkel
n39	
Vw q39	Vw Vw255
Nw q94	Nw Nw378

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw352 (Item A) ≠ -71 (only respondents who state that they know Angela Merkel)

Nw: Nw544 (Item A) ≠ -71 (only respondents who state that they know Angela Merkel)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[List is still displayed]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw: And how satisfied are you with the way the chancellor Angela Merkel has tackled the European debt crisis?

Nw: And how satisfied are you with the way the chancellor Angela Merkel has tackled the European debt crisis in the last four years?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (1) Very satisfied
- (2) Fairly satisfied
- (3) Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied
- (4) Not very satisfied
- (5) Not at all satisfied

- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

vn40a-g	Issue battery
Vw q40a-g	Vw Vw256
Nw q83a-g	Nw Nw336

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:**Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:**

[display list; read out items]

Programming note: Items rotate

Question text Vw:

There are various opinions on different political issues. What do you think of the following statements? Please use the list.

Question text Nw:

Please say to what extent you agree or disagree with the following statements. Do you strongly agree, agree, neither agree nor disagree, disagree, or strongly disagree?

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) Immigrants should be obliged to assimilate into the German culture.
 (B) There should be a statutory quota of women for the supervisory boards of large companies.
 (C) The state should stay out of the economy.
 (D) The government should take measures to reduce differences in income levels.
 (E) Regarding the European debt crisis, Germany should provide financial support for EU member states experiencing financial and economic difficulties.
 (F) Citizens should be able to induce a binding referendum at federal level.
 (G) The power supply should be secured even by the use of nuclear power.

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Strongly agree
 (2) Agree
 (3) Neither agree nor disagree
 (4) Disagree
 (5) Strongly disagree

- (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

v41	Chancellor preference
n41	
Vw q41	Vw Vw020
Nw q84	Nw Nw332

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw352 (Item A) ≠ -71 AND Vw352 (Item B) ≠ -71 (only respondents who state that they know Angela Merkel and Peer Steinbrück)

Nw: Nw544 (Item A) ≠ -71 AND Nw544 (Item B) ≠ -71 (only respondents who state that they know Angela Merkel and Peer Steinbrück)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:**Question text Vw/Nw:**

Vw: Now, I would like to know who you would prefer as chancellor after the federal election: Angela Merkel or Peer Steinbrück?

Nw: Angela Merkel and Peer Steinbrück were the candidates for chancellor of the two large parties. Which of these two would you prefer as chancellor?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (1) Angela Merkel
 (2) Peer Steinbrück
 (3) None of them

- (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn42a-e	Attributes of chancellor candidates, Merkel
Vw q42a-e	Vw Vw019
Nw q85a-e	Nw Nw333

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw352 (Item A) ≠ -71 (only respondents who state that they know Angela Merkel)

Nw: Nw544 (Item A) ≠ -71 (only respondents who state that they know Angela Merkel)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list and leave displayed]

Programming note: Items rotate (for both chancellor candidates identically [q42a-e, q43a-e] --> viz. if for Merkel (B), (D) (A) (E) (C) then identical order for Steinbrück)

Question text Vw/Nw:

And now a little bit more about Angela Merkel. Please tell me to what degree these statements apply to Angela Merkel.

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) She is assertive.
- (B) She is trustworthy.
- (C) She is a likable person.
- (D) She has sensible ideas about how to manage the economic crisis.
- (E) She redisplays the values and political ideas of the CDU/CSU.

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Does not apply at all
- (2) Rather does not apply
- (3) Neither applies nor does not apply
- (4) Rather applies
- (5) Applies completely

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- (-97) Not applicable
 - (-98) Don't know
 - (-99) No answer

vn43a-e	Attributes of chancellor candidates, Steinbrück
Vw q43a-e	Vw Vw355
Nw q86a-e	Nw Nw404

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw352 (Item B) ≠ -71 (only respondents who state that they know Peer Steinbrück)

Nw: Nw544 (Item B) ≠ -71 (only respondents who state that they know Peer Steinbrück)

Interviewer instruction Vw:

[display list (if Vw018 = -71); List is still displayed (if Vw018B dissimilar -71); read out items]

Programming note: Items rotate (for both chancellor candidates identically [q42a-e, q43a-e] --> viz. if for Merkel (B), (D) (A) (E) (C) then identical order for Steinbrück)

Question text Vw/Nw:

Please tell me, by using this scale, to what extent these statements apply to Peer Steinbrück.

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) He is assertive.
- (B) He is trustworthy.
- (C) He is a likable person.
- (D) He has sensible ideas about how to manage the economic crisis.
- (E) He redisplayes the values and political ideas of the SPD.

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Does not apply at all
- (2) Rather does not apply
- (3) Neither applies nor does not apply
- (4) Rather applies
- (5) Applies completely

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- (-97) Not applicable
 - (-98) Don't know
 - (-99) No answer

vn44	Right to vote, federal election 2009
Vw q44	Vw Vw191
Nw q25	Nw Nw523

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

D01.1 <= 27.09.1991 (up to and including born on 9/27/1991)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[if respondent is confused: this question is necessary, because some respondents might not have had German citizenship back then and thus have not been allowed to vote.]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Looking now at something completely different, were you eligible to vote in the federal election on 27th September 2009?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (1) Yes
(2) No

- (-97) Not applicable
(-98) Don't know
(-99) No answer

vn45	Recall last federal election, turnout
Vw q45	Vw Vw289
Nw q26	Nw Nw548

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw191 = 1 (only respondents who state that they had been eligible to vote at the federal election in 2009)

Nw: Nw523 = 1 (only respondents who state that they had been eligible to vote at the federal election in 2009)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:**Question text Vw/Nw:**

Vw: In the last federal election on 27th September 2009 a lot of people did not manage to vote or did not participate in the election for other reasons. How about you? Did you vote or did you not vote?

Nw: Back then, a lot of people did not manage to vote or did not participate in the election for other reasons. How about you? Did you vote or did you not vote?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (1) I did vote
(2) I did not vote

- (-97) Not applicable
(-98) Don't know
(-99) No answer

vn46aa-b, ba-b	Recall last federal election, first/second vote
Vw q46aa-b, ba-b	Vw Vw005
Nw q27aa-b, ba-b	Nw Nw243

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw289 = 1 (only respondents who state that they cast their vote at the last federal election in 2009)

Nw: Nw548 = 1 (only respondents who state that they cast their vote at the last federal election in 2009)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [display model ballot paper; Note answers on list of parties for interviewer; Respondent is only allowed to mention ONE party per vote]

Nw: [display model ballot paper; Note answers on list of parties for interviewer; Respondent is only allowed to mention ONE party per vote; if necessary, note open answer]

Programming note: : Request for „09 other party _____“ has to be: “Which other party did you vote with your first vote?” Request for „29 other party _____“ has to be: “Which other party did you vote with your second vote?”

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw: And do you still remember for which party you voted? Please just tell me the identification code for your first and second vote.

Nw: Do you still remember for which party you voted? Please tell me the code on this ballot paper for your first and second vote.

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) First vote
- (B) Second vote

Scale Vw/Nw:

Model ballot paper for respondents:

First vote:

- (01) CDU/CSU (Christlich Demokratische Union/Christlich-Soziale Union)
- (02) SPD (Sozialdemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
- (03) FDP (Freie Demokratische Partei)
- (04) DIE LINKE (DIE LINKE)
- (05) GRÜNE (BÜNDNIS 90/DIE GRÜNEN)
- (06) PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)
- (07) NPD (Nationaldemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
- (08) Other party: _____

Second vote:

- (21) CDU/CSU (Christlich Demokratische Union/Christlich-Soziale Union)
- (22) SPD (Sozialdemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
- (23) FDP (Freie Demokratische Partei)
- (24) DIE LINKE (DIE LINKE)
- (25) GRÜNE (BÜNDNIS 90/DIE GRÜNEN)
- (26) PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)
- (27) NPD (Nationaldemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
- (28) Other party: _____

List of parties for interviewer:

- (1) CDU/CSU
- (4) SPD
- (5) FDP
- (7) DIE LINKE
- (6) GRÜNE
- (215) PIRATEN
- (206) NPD
- (180) Freie Wähler
- (225) REP (DIE REPUBLIKANER)
- (237) Tierschutzpartei (PARTEI MENSCH UMWELT TIERSCHUTZ)
- (209) ÖDP (Ökologisch-Demokratische Partei)
- (171) FAMILIE (Familien-Partei Deutschlands)
- (226) RRP (Rentnerinnen und Rentner Partei)
- (224) RENTNER (Rentner Partei Deutschland)
- (126) BP (Bayernpartei)
- (214) PBC (Partei Bibeltreuer Christen)
- (134) BüSo (Bürgerrechtsbewegung Solidarität)

(152) DIE VIOLETTEN
 (801) Other party: _____

 (-83) I cast an invalid vote
 (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn47a-j	Party contacts during election campaign
Vw q47a-j	Vw Vw198
Nw q39a-j	Nw Nw382

Filtered by question number:
Vw: Vw198 Only ask Item G from 08/25/2013
Nw: -

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:
Vw: [statements are about candidates and parties]
Nw: [display list; statements are about candidates and parties]

Question text Vw:
 Now let's have a look at the 2013 federal election campaign and the activities of the parties and candidates. Please leave aside all the other elections that have taken place this year.

Question text Nw:
 Now let's have a look at the 2013 federal election campaign and the activities of the parties and candidates. Please leave aside all the other elections that have taken place this year.

Items Vw/Nw:
 (A) Did you go to any of the election meetings or rallies organised by the political parties?
 (B) Did you receive any e-mails or text messages from political parties?
 (C) Did you read any information material produced by political parties, such as campaign flyers, handbills, leaflets or posted material?
 (D) Did you read any campaign adverts placed by political parties in newspapers or magazines?
 (E) Did you see any campaign posters for political parties or candidates?
 (F) Did you go to one or several election campaign booths here locally?
 (G) Did you see any party political broadcasts on television? [ask from 08/25/13]
 (H) Have you had direct contact with a local candidate at an election campaign booth, at an election meeting, on your own doorstep or elsewhere?
 (I) Have you been contacted by phone? [INT.: only calls, no SMS]
 (J) Have you been contacted via social networks on the Internet, such as Facebook?

Scale Vw/Nw:
 (1) Yes
 (2) No

 (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn48a-i	Party contacts: rallies - parties
Vw q48a-i	Vw Vw199
Nw q40a-i	Nw Nw283

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:
Vw: Vw198 = 1 in Item A (only respondents who state that they have been to an election rally during election campaign 2013)
Nw: Nw382 = 1 in Item A (only respondents who state that they have been to an election rally during election campaign 2013)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:
Vw: [Do NOT read out parties, let respondent mention them spontaneously]

Nw: [Do NOT read out parties, let respondent mention them spontaneously]

Programming note: Please use >-99< as default; if a party is mentioned all other items = >0< (not mentioned); but multiple answers are possible --> viz. if respondent mentions another party, mark them as 1 via clicking of interviewer

Question text Vw/Nw:

Which parties organised the election meetings or rallies you attended?

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) CDU/CSU
- (B) SPD
- (C) FDP
- (D) DIE LINKE
- (E) GRÜNE
- (F) PIRATEN
- (G) NPD
- (H) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
- (I) Other party(-ies)

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (0) Not mentioned
- (1) Mentioned

-
- (-97) Not applicable
 - (-98) Don't know
 - (-99) No answer

vn49a-i	Party contacts: e-mails - parties
Vw q49a-i	Vw Vw200
Nw q41a-i	Nw Nw284

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw198 = 1 in Item B (only respondents who state that they have received e-mails or text messages during election campaign 2013)

Nw: Nw382 = 1 in Item B (only respondents who state that they have received e-mails or text messages during election campaign 2013)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [Do NOT read out parties, let respondent mention them spontaneously]

Nw: [Do NOT read out parties, let respondent mention them spontaneously]

Programming note: Please use >-99< as default; if a party is mentioned all other items = >0< (not mentioned); but multiple answers are possible --> viz. if respondent mentions another party, mark them as 1 via clicking of interviewer

Question text Vw/Nw:

From which parties did you receive e-mails or text messages?

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) CDU/CSU
- (B) SPD
- (C) FDP
- (D) DIE LINKE
- (E) GRÜNE
- (F) PIRATEN
- (G) NPD
- (H) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
- (I) Other party(-ies)

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (0) Not mentioned
- (1) Mentioned

 (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn50a-h	Party contacts: e-mails - candidates
Vw q50a-h	Vw Vw356
Nw q42a-h	Nw Nw520

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw200 only ask questions on items that were mentioned in Vw200

Nw: Nw284 only ask questions on items that were stated in Nw284

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw: "personally" means "via the candidate", not "in direct contact with candidate"

Question text Vw/Nw:

Was the e-mail or text message sent by the constituency candidate of the...

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) CDU/CSU personally?
- (B) SPD personally?
- (C) FDP personally?
- (D) DIE LINKE personally?
- (E) GRÜNEN personally?
- (F) PIRATEN personally?
- (G) NPD personally?
- (H) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland) personally?

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Yes
- (2) No

 (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn51a-i	Party contacts: information material - parties
Vw q51a-i	Vw Vw202
Nw q43a-i	Nw Nw286

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw198 = 1 in Item C (only respondents who state that they have read information material during election campaign 2013)

Nw: Nw382 = 1 in Item C (only respondents who state that they have read information material during election campaign 2013)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [Do NOT read out parties, let respondent mention them spontaneously]

Nw: [Do NOT read out parties, let respondent mention them spontaneously]

Programming note: Please use >-99< as default; if a party is mentioned all other items = >0< (not mentioned); but multiple answers are possible --> viz. if respondent mentions another party, mark them as 1 via clicking of interviewer

Question text Vw/Nw:

From which parties did you read information material, such as campaign flyers, leaflets and similar material?

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) CDU/CSU
- (B) SPD

- (C) FDP
- (D) DIE LINKE
- (E) GRÜNE
- (F) PIRATEN
- (G) NPD
- (H) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
- (I) Other party(-ies)

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (0) Not mentioned
- (1) Mentioned

- (-97) Not applicable
- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

vn52a-h	Party contacts: information material - candidates
Vw q52a-h	Vw Vw357
Nw q44a-h	Nw Nw521

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Only ask questions on items which were mentioned in Vw202

Nw: Nw286 only ask questions on items which were stated in Nw286

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

“personally“ means “via the candidate“, not “in direct contact with candidate“

Question text Vw/Nw:

Was the material provided by the constituency candidate of the...

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) CDU/CSU personally?
- (B) SPD personally?
- (C) FDP personally?
- (D) DIE LINKE personally?
- (E) GRÜNEN personally?
- (F) PIRATEN personally?
- (G) NPD personally?
- (H) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland) personally?

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Yes
- (2) No

- (-97) Not applicable
- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

vn53a-i	Party contacts: campaign adverts - parties
Vw q53a-i	Vw Vw205
Nw q45a-i	Nw Nw288

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw198 = 1 in Item D (only respondents who state that they have read advertisements during election campaign 2013)

Nw: Nw382 = 1 in Item D (only respondents who state that they have read advertisements during election campaign 2013)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [Do NOT read out parties, let respondent mention them spontaneously]

Nw: [Do NOT read out parties, let respondent mention them spontaneously]

Programming note: Please use >-99< as default; if a party is mentioned all other items = >0< (not mentioned); but multiple answers are possible --> viz. if respondent mentions another party, mark them as 1 via clicking of interviewer

Question text Vw/Nw:

From which parties did you read campaign adverts in newspapers or magazines?

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) CDU/CSU
- (B) SPD
- (C) FDP
- (D) DIE LINKE
- (E) GRÜNE
- (F) PIRATEN
- (G) NPD
- (H) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
- (I) Other party(-ies)

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (0) Not mentioned
- (1) Mentioned

- (-97) Not applicable
- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

vn54a-i	Party contacts: posters - parties
Vw q54a-i	Vw Vw206
Nw q46a-i	Nw Nw289

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw198 = 1 in Item E (only respondents who state that they have seen election posters during election campaign 2013)

Nw: Nw382 = 1 in Item E (only respondents who state that they have seen election posters during election campaign 2013)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [Do NOT read out parties, let respondent mention them spontaneously]

Nw: [Do NOT read out parties, let respondent mention them spontaneously]

Programming note: Please use >-99< as default; if a party is mentioned all other items = >0< (not mentioned); but multiple answers are possible --> viz. if respondent mentions another party, mark them as 1 via clicking of interviewer

Question text Vw/Nw:

Which party election posters did you see?

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) CDU/CSU
- (B) SPD
- (C) FDP
- (D) DIE LINKE
- (E) GRÜNE
- (F) PIRATEN
- (G) NPD
- (H) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
- (I) Other party(-ies)

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (0) Not mentioned
- (1) Mentioned

(-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn55a-h	Party contacts: posters - candidates
Vw q55a-h	Vw Vw358
Nw q47a-h	Nw Nw522

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Only ask questions on items which were mentioned in Vw206
Nw: Nw289 only ask questions on items which were stated in Nw289

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Question text Vw/Nw:

Did these posters promote the constituency candidate of the <...>?

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) CDU/CSU?
- (B) SPD?
- (C) FDP?
- (D) DIE LINKE?
- (E) GRÜNEN?
- (F) PIRATEN?
- (G) NPD?
- (H) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)?

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Yes
 - (2) No
-

(-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn56a-i	Party contacts: election campaign booths - parties
Vw q56a-i	Vw Vw208
Nw q48a-i	Nw Nw291

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw198 = 1 in Item F (only respondents who state that they have been to election campaign booths during election campaign 2013)
Nw: Nw382 = 1 in Item F (only respondents who state that they have been to election campaign booths during election campaign 2013)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [Do NOT read out parties, let respondent mention them spontaneously]
Nw: [Do NOT read out parties, let respondent mention them spontaneously]

Programming note: Please use >-99< as default; if a party is mentioned all other items = >0< (not mentioned); but multiple answers are possible --> viz. if respondent mentions another party, mark them as 1 via clicking of interviewer

Question text Vw/Nw:

Which party election booths did you visit?

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) CDU/CSU
- (B) SPD
- (C) FDP
- (D) DIE LINKE

- (E) GRÜNE
- (F) PIRATEN
- (G) NPD
- (H) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
- (I) Other party(-ies)

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (0) Not mentioned
- (1) Mentioned

- (-97) Not applicable
- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

vn57a-i	Party contacts: political broadcasts - parties
Vw q57a-i	Vw Vw204
Nw q49a-i	Nw Nw292

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw198 = 1 in Item G (only respondents who state that they have seen party political broadcasts on TV during election campaign 2013)

Nw: Nw382 = 1 in Item G (only respondents who state that they have seen party political broadcasts on TV during election campaign 2013)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [Do NOT read out parties, let respondent mention them spontaneously]

Nw: [Do NOT read out parties, let respondent mention them spontaneously]

Programming note: Please use >-99< as default; if a party is mentioned all other items = >0< (not mentioned); but multiple answers are possible --> viz. if respondent mentions another party, mark them as 1 via clicking of interviewer

Question text Vw/Nw:

From which political parties were the political broadcasts you have seen?

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) CDU/CSU
- (B) SPD
- (C) FDP
- (D) DIE LINKE
- (E) GRÜNE
- (F) PIRATEN
- (G) NPD
- (H) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
- (I) Other party(-ies)

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (0) Not mentioned
- (1) Mentioned

- (-97) Not applicable
- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

vn224a-i	Party contacts: direct contact - parties
Vw q224a-i	Vw Vw317
Nw q50a-i	Nw Nw509

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw198 = 1 in Item H (only respondents who state that they have been approached directly during election campaign 2013)

Nw: Nw382 = 1 in Item H (only respondents who state that they have been approached directly during

election campaign 2013)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [Do NOT read out parties, let respondent mention them spontaneously]

Nw: [Do NOT read out parties, let respondent mention them spontaneously]

Programming note: Please use >-99< as default; if a party is mentioned all other items = >0< (not mentioned); but multiple answers are possible --> viz. if respondent mentions another party, mark them as 1 via clicking of interviewer

Question text Vw/Nw:

Which party did he/she belong to?

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) CDU/CSU
- (B) SPD
- (C) FDP
- (D) DIE LINKE
- (E) GRÜNE
- (F) PIRATEN
- (G) NPD
- (H) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
- (I) Other party(-ies)

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (0) Not mentioned
- (1) Mentioned

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- (-97) Not applicable
 - (-98) Don't know
 - (-99) No answer

vn225a-i	Party contacts: via phone - parties
Vw q225a-i	Vw Vw318
Nw q51a-i	Nw Nw511

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw198 = 1 in Item I (only respondents who state that they have received phone calls during election campaign 2013)

Nw: Nw382 = 1 in Item I (only respondents who state that they have received phone calls during election campaign 2013)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [Do NOT read out parties, let respondent mention them spontaneously]

Nw: [Do NOT read out parties, let respondent mention them spontaneously]

Programming note: Please use >-99< as default; if a party is mentioned all other items = >0< (not mentioned); but multiple answers are possible --> viz. if respondent mentions another party, mark them as 1 via clicking of interviewer

Question text Vw/Nw:

Which parties contacted you by telephone?

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) CDU/CSU
- (B) SPD
- (C) FDP
- (D) DIE LINKE
- (E) GRÜNE
- (F) PIRATEN
- (G) NPD
- (H) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
- (I) Other party(-ies)

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (0) Not mentioned
(1) Mentioned

- (-97) Not applicable
(-98) Don't know
(-99) No answer

vn226a-i	Party contacts: social networks - parties
Vw q226a-i	Vw Vw319
Nw q52a-i	Nw Nw512

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw198 = 1 in Item J (only respondents who state that they have been contacted via social networks on the Internet during election campaign 2013)

Nw: Nw382 = 1 in Item J (only respondents who state that they have been contacted via social networks on the Internet during election campaign 2013)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [Do NOT read out parties, let respondent mention them spontaneously]

Nw: [Do NOT read out parties, let respondent mention them spontaneously]

Programming note: Please use >-99< as default; if a party is mentioned all other items = >0< (not mentioned); but multiple answers are possible --> viz. if respondent mentions another party, mark them as 1 via clicking of interviewer

Question text Vw/Nw:

Which parties contacted you via social networks on the Internet (such as Facebook etc.)?

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) CDU/CSU
(B) SPD
(C) FDP
(D) DIE LINKE
(E) GRÜNE
(F) PIRATEN
(G) NPD
(H) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
(I) Other party(-ies)

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (0) Not mentioned
(1) Mentioned

- (-97) Not applicable
(-98) Don't know
(-99) No answer

vn58	Direct contact with constituency candidates
Vw q58	Vw Vw359
Nw q53	Nw Nw400

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:**Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:****Question text Vw/Nw:**

Did you have direct contact with constituency candidates, e.g. at an election meeting or a house call?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Yes
(2) No
-

- (-98) Don't know
(-99) No answer

vn59a-i	Direct contact with constituency candidate – party
Vw q59a-i	Vw Vw172
Nw q54a-i	Nw Nw386

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw359 = 1 (only respondents who state that they had personal contact to constituency candidates)

Nw: Nw400 = 1 (only respondents who state that they had personal contact to constituency candidates)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [Do NOT read out parties, let respondent mention them spontaneously]

Nw: [Do NOT read out parties, let respondent mention them spontaneously]

Programming note: Please use >-99< as default; if a party is mentioned all other items = >0< (not mentioned); but multiple answers are possible --> viz. if respondent mentions another party, mark them as 1 via clicking of interviewer

Question text Vw/Nw:

Which party did he/she belong to?

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) CDU/CSU
(B) SPD
(C) FDP
(D) DIE LINKE
(E) GRÜNE
(F) PIRATEN
(G) NPD
(H) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
(I) Other party(-ies)

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (0) Not mentioned
(1) Mentioned
-

- (-97) Not applicable
(-98) Don't know
(-99) No answer

vn60a-h	Left-right classification of political parties
Vw q60a-h	Vw Vw038
Nw q32a-h	Nw Nw018

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw351: only ask questions on items which are ≠ -71 (only respondents who state that they know the respective party)

Nw: Nw543: only ask questions on items which are ≠ -71 (only respondents who state that they know the respective party)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [display list and leave displayed; read out parties]

Programming note: if respondent answers „-71“ to item A, don't ask about other items

Nw: [display list and leave displayed; read out parties]

Programming note: only display parties which were known in Nw541

Question text Vw/Nw:

In politics people sometimes talk of left and right. Where would you place the following parties on a scale from 1 to 11 where 1 means the left and 11 means the right?

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) CDU
- (B) CSU
- (C) SPD
- (D) FDP
- (E) DIE LINKE
- (F) GRÜNE
- (G) PIRATEN
- (H) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) 1 Left
- (2) 2
- (3) 3
- (4) 4
- (5) 5
- (6) 6
- (7) 7
- (8) 8
- (9) 9
- (10) 10
- (11) 11 Right

(-71) I don't know these terms

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn61a-b	Left-right classification of leading candidates
Vw q61a-b	Vw Vw360
Nw q87a-b	Nw Nw405

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Only ask Vw038 Item A if Item A in Vw038 ≠ -71 AND Vw352 Item A ≠ -71 (only respondents who state that they know a) the terms and b) Angela Merkel)

Only ask Vw038 Item B if Item A in Vw038 ≠ -71 AND Vw352 Item B ≠ -71 (only respondents who state that they know a) the terms and b) Peer Steinbrück)

Nw: Nw018A: if Nw018 ≠ -71 AND Nw544A ≠ -71 (only respondents who state that they know a) the terms and b) Angela Merkel)

Nw018B: if Nw018 ≠ -71 AND Nw544B ≠ -71 (only respondents who state that they know a) the terms and b) Peer Steinbrück)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [List is still displayed, leave displayed]

Nw: [display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

And when you consider the distinction between left and right in politics again?

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) What about Angela Merkel?
- (B) And what about Peer Steinbrück?

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) 1 Left
- (2) 2

- (3) 3
- (4) 4
- (5) 5
- (6) 6
- (7) 7
- (8) 8
- (9) 9
- (10) 10
- (11) 11 Right

-
- (-97) Not applicable
 - (-98) Don't know
 - (-99) No answer

vn62	Left-right self-assessment
Vw q62	Vw Vw040
Nw q33	Nw Nw019

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw038 Item A ≠ -71 (only respondents who state that they know the terms)

Nw: Nw018 ≠ -71 (only respondents who state that they know the terms)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[List is still displayed]

Question text Vw:

And what about you? How would you describe your own views on a scale from 1 to 11?

Question text Nw:

Where would you place yourself on this scale?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) 1 Left
- (2) 2
- (3) 3
- (4) 4
- (5) 5
- (6) 6
- (7) 7
- (8) 8
- (9) 9
- (10) 10
- (11) 11 Right

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- (-97) Not applicable
 - (-98) Don't know
 - (-99) No answer

vn63a-f	Party positions, socio-economic dimension
Vw q63a-f	Vw Vw370
Nw q96a-f	Nw Nw504

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw351: only ask items if ≠ -71 (only respondents who state that they know the respective party)

Nw: Nw543: only ask items if ≠ -71 (only respondents who state that they know the respective party)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [display list]

Programming note Vw: only ask questions on parties which were known in Vw016

Nw: [display list]

Programming note: only ask questions on parties which were known in Nw543

Question text Vw/Nw:

Now, several political issues. Some people prefer lower taxes, although this results in less social services. Others prefer more social services, although this results in raising taxes. What do you think are the positions of the political parties on this issue? Please use the scale from 1 to 11. What do you think is the political point of view of the ...

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) CDU
- (B) CSU
- (C) SPD
- (D) FDP
- (E) DIE LINKE
- (F) GRÜNE

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) 1 Lower taxes, although this results in less social services
- (2) 2
- (3) 3
- (4) 4
- (5) 5
- (6) 6
- (7) 7
- (8) 8
- (9) 9
- (10) 10
- (11) 11 More social services, although this results in raising taxes

- (-97) Not applicable
- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

vn64a-f	Party positions, libertarian-authoritarian dimension (integration)
Vw q64a-f	Vw Vw371
Nw q97a-f	Nw Nw505

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw351: only ask items if ≠ -71 (only respondents who state that they know the respective party)

Nw: Nw543: only ask items if ≠ -71 (only respondents who state that they know the respective party)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [display list]

Programming note: only ask questions on parties which were known in Vw016

Nw: [display list]

Programming note: only ask questions on parties which were known in Nw543

Question text Vw/Nw:

And what about immigration? Should it be easier or more difficult for foreigners to immigrate? What do you think are the positions of the political parties on this issue? Please use the scale from 1 to 11. What do you think is the political point of view of the ...

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) CDU
- (B) CSU
- (C) SPD
- (D) FDP
- (E) DIE LINKE
- (F) GRÜNE

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) 1 Immigration for foreigners should be easier

- (2) 2
 (3) 3
 (4) 4
 (5) 5
 (6) 6
 (7) 7
 (8) 8
 (9) 9
 (10) 10
 (11) 11 Immigration for foreigners should be more difficult

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn65a-f	Party positions, climate change
Vw q65a-f	Vw Vw372
Nw q98a-f	Nw Nw338

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw351: only ask items if ≠ -71 (only respondents who state that they know the respective party)

Nw: Nw543: only ask items if ≠ -71 (only respondents who state that they know the respective party)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [display list]

Programming note: only ask questions on parties which were known in Vw016

Nw: [display list]

Programming note: only ask questions on parties which were known in Nw543

Question text Vw/Nw:

Some say that the fight against climate change should definitely take precedence, even if it impairs economic growth. Others say that the economic growth should definitely take precedence, even if it impairs the fight against climate change. What do you think is the political point of view of the ...

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) CDU
 (B) CSU
 (C) SPD
 (D) FDP
 (E) DIE LINKE
 (F) GRÜNE

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) 1 Fight against climate change should take precedence, even if it impairs economic growth
 (2) 2
 (3) 3
 (4) 4
 (5) 5
 (6) 6
 (7) 7
 (8) 8
 (9) 9
 (10) 10
 (11) 11 Economic growth should take precedence, even if it impairs the fight against climate change

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

v66a-f	Position of coalitions, socio-economic dimension
Vw q66a-f	Vw Vw288
Nw -	Nw -

Filtered by question number Vw:**Interviewer instruction Vw:**

[display list]

Question text Vw:

What do you think are the views of the following coalitions regarding taxes and social services?

Items Vw:

- (A) Black-Yellow coalition (CDU/CSU and FDP)
- (B) Red-Green coalition (SPD and GRÜNE)
- (C) Grand coalition (CDU/CSU and SPD)
- (D) Black-Green coalition (CDU/CSU and GRÜNE)
- (E) Traffic light-coalition (SPD, FDP and GRÜNE)
- (F) Red-Red-Green coalition (SPD, GRÜNE and DIE LINKE)

Scale Vw:

- (1) 1 Lower taxes, although this results in less social services
- (2) 2
- (3) 3
- (4) 4
- (5) 5
- (6) 6
- (7) 7
- (8) 8
- (9) 9
- (10) 10
- (11) 11 More social services, although this results in raising taxes

- (-97) Not applicable
- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

vn67	Own position, socio-economic dimension
Vw q67	Vw Vw042
Nw q99	Nw Nw525

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:**Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:****Vw:** [display list]**Nw:** [display list and leave displayed]**Question text Vw/Nw:**

And what position do you take on taxes and social services? Please use this scale.

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (1) 1 Lower taxes, although this results in less social services
- (2) 2
- (3) 3
- (4) 4
- (5) 5
- (6) 6
- (7) 7
- (8) 8
- (9) 9
- (10) 10
- (11) 11 More social services, although this results in raising taxes

(-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn68	Own position, libertarian-authoritarian dimension (integration)
Vw q68	Vw Vw044
Nw q100	Nw Nw545

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [display list]

Nw: [display list and leave displayed]

Question text Vw/Nw:

And what position do you take on immigration for foreigners? Please use the scale.

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) 1 Immigration for foreigners should be easier
 (2) 2
 (3) 3
 (4) 4
 (5) 5
 (6) 6
 (7) 7
 (8) 8
 (9) 9
 (10) 10
 (11) 11 Immigration for foreigners should be more difficult
-

(-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn69	Own position, climate change
Vw q69	Vw Vw258
Nw q101	Nw Nw339

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [display list]

Nw: [list is still displayed]

Question text Vw/Nw:

And what position do you take on the fight against climate change and economic growth? Please use this scale.

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) 1 Fight against climate change should take precedence, even if it impairs economic growth
 (2) 2
 (3) 3
 (4) 4
 (5) 5
 (6) 6
 (7) 7
 (8) 8
 (9) 9
 (10) 10
 (11) 11 Economic growth should take precedence, even if it impairs the fight against climate change

 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn70	Saliency, socio-economic dimension
Vw q70	Vw Vw045
Nw q102	Nw Nw407

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:
 [display list and leave displayed]

Question text Vw/Nw:

How important is the topic of taxes and social welfare services to you? Please tell me by using this list from "very important" to "not important at all".

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Very important
- (2) Somewhat important
- (3) In between
- (4) Not very important
- (5) Not important at all

 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn71	Saliency, libertarian-authoritarian dimension
Vw q71	Vw Vw047
Nw q104	Nw Nw150

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [List is still displayed]

Nw: [List is still displayed, leave displayed]

Question text Vw/Nw:

And how important is the topic of immigration of foreigners to you? Please use this list again.

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Very important
- (2) Somewhat important
- (3) In between
- (4) Not very important
- (5) Not important at all

 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn72	Saliency, climate change
Vw q72	Vw Vw259
Nw q105	Nw Nw340

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[List is still displayed]

Question text Vw/Nw:

And how important is the topic of climate change and economic growth to you? Please use this list again.

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (1) Very important
- (2) Somewhat important
- (3) In between
- (4) Not very important
- (5) Not important at all

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn73a-f	Attitudes to politics in general
Vw q73a-f	Vw Vw117
Nw q106a-f	Nw Nw379

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:**Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:****Vw:** [display list]

Programming note: Items rotate

Nw: [display list and read out items]

Programming note: Items rotate

Question text Vw/Nw:

Now, I would like to know your opinion about several general statements about politics. Please say from this card how much you agree or disagree with each of these statements.

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) I often find political issues difficult to understand.
- (B) The political parties are only interested in people's votes, not in what voters think.
- (C) Today's problems are so complex that politicians are no longer able to solve them.
- (D) In a democracy it is the duty of all citizens to vote regularly in elections.
- (E) Socialism is a good idea which has just been poorly implemented in the past.
- (F) The world is so complicated that it's impossible to know how things can carry on.

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Strongly disagree
- (2) Disagree
- (3) Neither agree nor disagree
- (4) Agree
- (5) Strongly agree

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

v74	Performance of the federal government
n74	
Vw q74	Vw Vw290
Nw q107	Nw Nw323

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:**Vw:** [display list]**Nw:** [display list and leave displayed if necessary]**Question text Vw/Nw:**

Vw: As to the present federal government in Berlin - are you more satisfied or less satisfied with the performance of the government of CDU/CSU and FDP in the last four years? Please tell me by using this scale from -5 to + 5. -5 means that you are not at all satisfied with the performance of the government so far, + 5 means that you are completely satisfied with the performance of the government. Use the values in between to express your opinion more precisely.

Nw: Are you more satisfied or less satisfied with the performance of the government of CDU/CSU and FDP in the last four years? Please tell me by using this scale from -5 to + 5. -5 means that you are not at all satisfied with the performance of the government so far, + 5 means that you are completely satisfied with the performance of the government. Use the values in between to express your opinion more precisely.

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (11) +5 Completely satisfied
- (10) +4
- (9) +3
- (8) +2
- (7) +1
- (6) 0
- (5) -1
- (4) -2
- (3) -3
- (2) -4
- (1) -5 Not at all satisfied

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn75a-c	Performance of the governing parties
Vw q75a-c	Vw Vw012
Nw q108a-c	Nw Nw408

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:**Vw:** Vw351 ≠ -71 (only respondents who state that they know the respective party)**Nw:** Nw543 ≠ -71 (only respondents who state that they know the respective party)**Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:****Vw:** [display list]

Programming note: only ask questions on parties which were known in Vw016

Nw: [List is still displayed and leave displayed if necessary]

Programming note: only ask questions on parties which were known in Nw543

Question text Vw/Nw:

And when you consider each of the governing parties separately, could you please tell me how satisfied or dissatisfied you are with their performance over the last four years? Please tell me by using the scale from -5 to +5 again. How satisfied are you with the performance of the...?

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) CDU
- (B) CSU
- (C) FDP

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (11) +5 Completely satisfied
- (10) +4
- (9) +3
- (8) +2

- (7) +1
 (6) 0
 (5) -1
 (4) -2
 (3) -3
 (2) -4
 (1) -5 Not at all satisfied

- (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn76a-c	Performance of the opposition parties
Vw q76a-c	Vw Vw260
Nw q109a-c	Nw Nw409

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw351 ≠ -71 (only respondents who state that they know the respective party)

Nw: Nw543 ≠ -71 (only respondents who state that they know the respective party)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [display list]

Programming note: only ask questions on parties which were known in Vw351

Nw: [List is still displayed]

Programming note: only ask questions on parties which were known in Nw543

Question text Vw/Nw:

And how satisfied are you with the performance of each of the opposition parties over the last four years? Please tell me by using the scale from -5 to +5 again. How satisfied are you with the performance of the...?

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) SPD
 (B) DIE LINKE
 (C) GRÜNE

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (11) +5 Completely satisfied
 (10) +4
 (9) +3
 (8) +2
 (7) +1
 (6) 0
 (5) -1
 (4) -2
 (3) -3
 (2) -4
 (1) -5 Not at all satisfied

- (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn77a-c	Other forms of participation
Vw q77a-c	Vw Vw116
Nw q110a-c	Nw Nw098

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:[read out list]

Programming note: Items rotate

Question text Vw/Nw:

If you think back over the last twelve months, did you do any of the following to exercise political influence and to assert your point of view?

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) Took part in a community action group.
- (B) Took part in a demonstration.
- (C) Supported the election campaign of a political party

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Yes
- (2) No

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- (-98) Don't know
 - (-99) No answer

vn78a-b	Forms of participation – political party
Vw q78a-b	Vw Vw195
Nw q111a-b	Nw Nw178

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw116 = 1 in Item C (only respondents who state that they supported a party in the election campaign)

Nw: Nw098 = 1 in Item C (only respondents who state that they supported a party in the election campaign)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: -

Nw: [if necessary note open answer]

Question text Vw/Nw:

And which party did you support?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

List of parties for interviewer:

- (1) CDU/CSU
- (2) CDU
- (3) CSU
- (4) SPD
- (5) FDP
- (7) DIE LINKE
- (6) GRÜNE
- (215) PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)
- (206) NPD [INT: also DVU]
- (322) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
- (180) Freie Wähler (FW Freie Wähler Bayern e.V.)
- (225) REP (DIE REPUBLIKANER)
- (237) Tierschutzpartei
- (209) ÖDP (Ökologisch-Demokratische Partei)
- (171) FAMILIE (Familien-Partei Deutschlands)
- (226) RRP (Rentnerinnen und Rentner Partei)
- (224) RENTNER (Rentner Partei Deutschland)
- (126) BP (Bayernpartei)
- (214) PBC (Partei Bibeltreuer Christen)
- (134) BüSo (Bürgerrechtsbewegung Solidarität)
- (152) DIE VIOLETTEN
- (801) Other party, namely _____

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- (-97) Not applicable
 - (-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

v79a-f	Scalometer, coalitions
n79a-f	
Vw q79a-f	Vw Vw261
Nw q74a-f	Nw Nw351

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [display list]

Nw: [Display list; read out coalitions]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw: Now I would like to ask a question about the possible composition of the federal government after the next federal election. How desirable are the following possible governing coalitions for you personally, regardless of how likely the respective coalition is in your opinion?

Nw: How desirable are the following possible governing coalitions for you personally, regardless of the outcome of the federal election?

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) Black-yellow coalition (CDU/CSU and FDP)
- (B) Red-green coalition (SPD and GRÜNE)
- (C) Grand coalition (CDU/CSU and SPD)
- (D) Black-green coalition (CDU/CSU and GRÜNE)
- (E) Traffic light coalition (SPD, FDP and GRÜNE)
- (F) Red-red-green coalition (SPD, GRÜNE and DIE LINKE)

Scale Vw/Nw:

(11) +5 Very desirable

(10) +4

(9) +3

(8) +2

(7) +1

(6) 0

(5) -1

(4) -2

(3) -3

(2) -4

(1) -5 Not desirable at all

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

v80a-f	Perception of coalition signals
Vw q80a-f	Vw Vw262
Nw -	Nw -

Filtered by question number Vw:

Interviewer instruction Vw:

Vw: [display list]

Question text Vw:

And now we would like to ask you about the prospects of success for the different coalition possibilities. How likely do you think it is that the following political parties would be willing to join a coalition with each other?

Please use the scale from 1 (very unlikely) to 11 (very likely).

Items Vw:

- (A) Black-yellow coalition (CDU/CSU and FDP)

- (B) Red-green coalition (SPD and GRÜNE)
- (C) Grand coalition (CDU/CSU and SPD)
- (D) Black-green coalition (CDU/CSU and GRÜNE)
- (E) Traffic light coalition (SPD, FDP and GRÜNE)
- (F) Red-red-green coalition (SPD, GRÜNE and DIE LINKE)

Scale Vw:

- (1) 1 Very unlikely
- (2) 2
- (3) 3
- (4) 4
- (5) 5
- (6) 6
- (7) 7
- (8) 8
- (9) 9
- (10) 10
- (11) 11 Very likely

- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

v81a-b	Constituency winner
Vw q81a-b	Vw Vw051
Nw -	Nw -

Filtered by question number Vw:**Interviewer instruction Vw:****Question text Vw:**

Let us shift attention to politics and politicians in your constituency. From which political party do you think the winning candidate in your constituency will be from?

Items Vw:**Scale Vw:**

List of parties for interviewer:

- (1) CDU/CSU
- (2) CDU
- (3) CSU
- (4) SPD
- (5) FDP
- (7) DIE LINKE
- (6) GRÜNE
- (215) PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)
- (206) NPD [INT.: auch DVU]
- (322) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
- (180) Freie Wähler
- (225) REP (DIE REPUBLIKANER)
- (237) Tierschutzpartei
- (209) ÖDP (Ökologisch-Demokratische Partei)
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- (226) RRP (Rentnerinnen und Rentner Partei)
- (224) RENTNER (Rentner Partei Deutschland)
- (126) BP (Bayernpartei)
- (214) PBC (Partei Bibeltreuer Christen)
- (134) BüSo (Bürgerrechtsbewegung Solidarität)
- (152) DIE VIOLETTEN
- (801) Other party, namely _____

- (-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

v82a-e	Familiarity with constituency candidates
n82a-e	
Vw q82a-e	Vw Vw021
Nw q113a-e	Nw Nw342

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[Do not read out the candidates and parties. Let the respondent mention them spontaneously. Shortened names, such as Willi instead of Wilhelm, or names which are not completely correct, such as Angelika instead of Angela or similar, are counted as correct.

If "(2) Correct name, wrong party", note only the party.

Multiple responses are possible.

Make sure that the respondent doesn't know further names before you switch to the next question.

If no name of any candidate is mentioned, then switch to the next question.]

Programming note: Please use >-5< as default; Interviewerscreen with matrix design (A to E and (1) to (5))

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw: Do you know one or several of the local constituency candidates and can you tell me for which party they are running in the federal election on 22nd September 2013? Please tell me the names and the corresponding parties of the candidates.

Nw: Do you know one or several of the local constituency candidates and can you tell me for which party they ran in the federal election on 22nd September 2013? Please tell me the names and the corresponding parties of the candidates.

Items Vw/Nw:

(A) <KAND1> (CDU/CSU) 01

(B) <KAND2> (SPD) 04

(C) <KAND4> (FDP) 05

(D) <KAND5> (DIE LINKE) 07

(E) <KAND3> (GRUENE) 06

Scale Vw/Nw:

(1) Correct name, correct party

(2) Correct name, wrong party; which party: _____

(3) Correct name, no party

(4) Wrong name, but party mentioned

(5) Neither party nor name mentioned

v83a-e	Supported question: constituency candidates I
n83a-e	
Vw q83a-e	Vw Vw263
Nw q114a-e	Nw Nw343

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw021 ≠5 (in at least one Item)

Vw021 Item A only if 4, 5 AND no additional 1, 2, 3

Vw021 Item B only if 4, 5 AND no additional 1, 2, 3

Vw021 Item C only if 4, 5 AND no additional 1, 2, 3

Vw021 Item D only if 4, 5 AND no additional 1, 2, 3

Vw021 Item E only if 4, 5 AND no additional 1, 2, 3

(only respondents who state a wrong name or did not give an answer to the open question concerning the constituency candidates and who did not make any further correct answers)

Nw: Nw342: only ask items if Nw342 = 4, 5 AND no additional 1, 2, 3 (only respondents who state a wrong name or did not give an answer to the open question concerning the constituency candidates and who did not make any further correct answers)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [Read out ONLY the candidate's name; do not read out the parties; only serves to detect if the respondent has assigned the candidate to the correct party; if "(3) wrong party", note the mentioned party]

Nw: [Read out ONLY the candidate's name; do not read out the parties; only serves to detect if the respondent has assigned the candidate to the correct party]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw: In addition to the people you already mentioned there are more people who are running as direct candidates in your local constituency. Do you know one or several of them? Can you also tell me for which parties they are competing?

Nw: In addition to the people you already mentioned there were more people who ran as direct candidates in your local constituency. Do you know one or several of them? Can you also tell me for which parties they were competing?

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) <KAND1> (CDU/CSU) 01
- (B) <KAND2> (SPD) 04
- (C) <KAND4> (FDP) 05
- (D) <KAND5> (DIE LINKE) 07
- (E) <KAND3> (GRÜNE) 06

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) I don't know the candidate
- (2) Correct party
- (3) Wrong party, which _____

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

v84a-e	Supported question: constituency candidates II
n84a-e	
Vw q84a-e	Vw Vw264
Nw q115a-e	Nw Nw344

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw021 if all items in Vw021 = 5 (only respondents who did not give open statements to the question concerning the constituency candidates)

Nw: Nw342: if all items =5 (only respondents who did not give open statements to the question concerning the constituency candidates)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[Do NOT read out the parties in brackets; only serves to detect if the respondent has assigned the candidate to the correct party; if "(3) wrong party", note the mentioned party]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw: Now I will read out to you a list with people who are running as direct candidates in your local constituency. Do you know one or several of them? Can you also tell me for which party they are competing?

Nw: Now I will read out to you a list with people who ran as direct candidates in your local constituency. Do you know one or several of them? Can you also tell me for which party they were competing?

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) <KAND1> (CDU/CSU) 01
- (B) <KAND2> (SPD) 04
- (C) <KAND4> (FDP) 05
- (D) <KAND5> (DIE LINKE) 07
- (E) <KAND3> (GRÜNE) 06

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) I don't know the candidate
 (2) Correct party
 (3) Wrong party, which _____

- (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

v85	Election campaign – local constituency candidate, CDU/CSU
n85	
Vw q85	Vw Vw280
Nw q116	Nw Nw345

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw021A = 1 or Vw263A = 2 or Vw264A = 2 (only respondents who know the constituency candidate of CDU/CSU)

Nw: Nw342A = 1 or Nw343A = 2 or Nw344A = 2 (only respondents who know the constituency candidate of CDU/CSU)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [display list and use it for all inquiries related to election campaign (q85, q87, q89, q91, q93)]

Nw: [Display list and use it for all inquiries related to election campaign;
 Adapt gender, depending on candidate]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw: Now we would like to know how you perceive the election in your local constituency. When you think of the election campaign of [name of CDU or CSU local constituency candidate], do you have the impression that he wants to draw as much attention to himself or to his party? How would you classify the campaign on a scale from 1 to 11, at which 1 means, he directs "as much attention to the person" and 11 means he directs "as much attention to the party".

Nw: Now, we would like to know how you perceive the election campaign in your constituency. When you think of the election campaign of [name of CDU or CSU local constituency candidate], do you have the impression that she/he wants to draw as much attention as possible to herself/himself or to her/his party? Please tell me, using a scale from 1 to 11, how you would classify the election campaign. 1 means, she/he directs "as much attention as possible to the person" and 11 means she/he directs "as much attention as possible to the party".

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) 1 As much attention as possible to herself/himself
 (2) 2
 (3) 3
 (4) 4
 (5) 5
 (6) 6
 (7) 7
 (8) 8
 (9) 9
 (10) 10
 (11) 11 As much attention as possible to her/his party

- (-72) Have not perceived the candidate in the election campaign
 (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn86	Valuation of the known local constituency candidate, CDU/CSU
Vw q86	Vw Vw300

Nw q117	Nw Nw365
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Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw021A = 1 or Vw26A3 = 2 or Vw264A = 2 (only respondents who know the constituency candidate of CDU/CSU)

Nw: Nw342A = 1 or Nw343A = 2 or Nw344A = 2 (only respondents who know the constituency candidate of CDU/CSU)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [display list and use it for all inquiries related to valuation of the local constituency candidate (q86, q88, q90, q92, q94)]

Nw: [Display list and use it for all inquiries related to valuation of the local constituency candidate]

Question text Vw/Nw:

And please tell me if you think a great deal of [name of CDU or CSU local constituency candidate] or if you do not think much of him/her at all. Please refer to the corresponding value on this list.

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

(11) +5 I think a great deal of this person

(10) +4

(9) +3

(8) +2

(7) +1

(6) 0

(5) -1

(4) -2

(3) -3

(2) -4

(1) -5 I do not think much of this person at all

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

v87	Election campaign – local constituency candidate, SPD
n87	
Vw q87	Vw Vw281
Nw q118	Nw Nw346

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw021 = 1 or Vw263B = 2 or Vw264B = 2 (only respondents who know the constituency candidate of SPD)

Nw: Nw342B = 1 or Nw343B = 2 or Nw344B = 2 (only respondents who know the constituency candidate of SPD)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [display list and use it for all inquiries related to election campaign (q85, q87, q89, q91, q93)]

Nw: [display list and use it for all inquiries related to election campaign; adapt gender, depending on candidate]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw: When you think of the election campaign of [name of SPD local constituency candidate], do you have the impression that she/he wants to draw as much attention as possible to herself/himself or to her/his party? Please tell me, using a scale from 1 to 11, how you would classify the election campaign. 1 means, she/he directs "as much attention as possible to the person" and 11 means she/he directs "as much attention as possible to the party".

Nw: When you think of the election campaign of [name of SPD local constituency candidate], do you have the impression that she/he wants to draw as much attention as possible to herself/himself or to her/his party? Please tell me, using a scale from 1 to 11, how you would classify the election campaign. 1 means, she/he directs "as much attention as possible to the person" and 11 means she/he directs "as much attention as possible to the party".

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) 1 As much attention as possible to herself/himself
- (2) 2
- (3) 3
- (4) 4
- (5) 5
- (6) 6
- (7) 7
- (8) 8
- (9) 9
- (10) 10
- (11) 11 As much attention as possible to her/his party

- (-72) Have not perceived the candidate in the election campaign
- (-97) Not applicable
- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

vn88	Valuation of the known local constituency candidate, SPD
Vw q88	Vw Vw301
Nw q119	Nw Nw366

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw021B = 1 or Vw263B = 2 or Vw264B = 2 (only respondents who know the constituency candidate of SPD)

Nw: Nw342B = 1 or Nw343B = 2 or Nw344B = 2 (only respondents who know the constituency candidate of SPD)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [display list and use it for all inquiries related to valuation of the local constituency candidate (q86, q88, q90, q94)]

Nw: [display list and use it for all inquiries related to valuation of the local constituency candidate]

Question text Vw/Nw:

And please tell me if you think a great deal of [name of SPD local constituency candidate] or if you do not think much of him/her at all. Please refer to the corresponding value on this list.

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (11) +5 I think a great deal of this person
- (10) +4
- (9) +3
- (8) +2
- (7) +1
- (6) 0
- (5) -1
- (4) -2
- (3) -3
- (2) -4
- (1) -5 I do not think much of this person at all

(-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

v89	Election campaign – local constituency candidate, FDP
n89	
Vw q89	Vw Vw283
Nw q120	Nw Nw348

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw021C = 1 or Vw263C = 2 or Vw264C = 2 (only respondents who know the constituency candidate of FDP)

Nw: Nw342C = 1 or Nw343C = 2 or Nw344C = 2 (only respondents who know the constituency candidate of FDP)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [display list and use it for all inquiries related to election campaign (q85, q87, q89, q91, q93)]

Nw: [display list and use it for all inquiries related to election campaign; adapt gender, depending on candidate]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw: Now we would like to know how you perceive the election in your local constituency. When you think of the election campaign of [name of FDP local constituency candidate], do you have the impression that he wants to draw as much attention to himself or to his party? How would you classify the campaign on a scale from 1 to 11, at which 1 means, he directs "as much attention to the person" and 11 means he directs "as much attention to the party"?

Nw: When you think of the election campaign of [name of FDP local constituency candidate], do you have the impression that she/he wants to draw as much attention as possible to herself/himself or to her/his party? Please tell me, using a scale from 1 to 11, how you would classify the election campaign. 1 means, she/he directs "as much attention as possible to the person" and 11 means she/he directs "as much attention as possible to the party".

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) 1 As much attention as possible to herself/himself
 (2) 2
 (3) 3
 (4) 4
 (5) 5
 (6) 6
 (7) 7
 (8) 8
 (9) 9
 (10) 10
 (11) 11 As much attention as possible to her/his party

(-72) Have not perceived the candidate in the election campaign
 (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn90	Valuation of the known local constituency candidate, FDP
Vw q90	Vw Vw303
Nw q121	Nw Nw368

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw021C = 1 or Vw263C = 2 or Vw264C = 2 (only respondents who know the constituency candidate of FDP)

Nw: Nw342C = 1 or Nw343C = 2 or Nw344C = 2 (only respondents who know the constituency candidate of FDP)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [display list and use it for all inquiries related to valuation of the local constituency candidate (q86, q88, q90, q94)]

Nw: [display list and use it for all inquiries related to valuation of the local constituency candidate]

Question text Vw/Nw:

And please tell me if you think a great deal of [name of FDP local constituency candidate] or if you do not think much of him/her at all. Please refer to the corresponding value on this list.

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (11) +5 I think a great deal of this person
- (10) +4
- (9) +3
- (8) +2
- (7) +1
- (6) 0
- (5) -1
- (4) -2
- (3) -3
- (2) -4
- (1) -5 I do not think much of this person at all

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

v91	Election campaign – local constituency candidate, DIE LINKE
n91	
Vw q91	Vw Vw284
Nw q122	Nw Nw349

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw021D = 1 or Vw263D = 2 or Vw264D = 2 (only respondents who know the constituency candidate of DIE LINKE)

Nw: Nw342D = 1 or Nw343D = 2 or Nw344D = 2 (only respondents who know the constituency candidate of DIE LINKE)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [display list and use it for all inquiries related to election campaign (q85, q87, q89, q91, q93)]

Nw: [display list and use it for all inquiries related to election campaign; adapt gender, depending on candidate]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw: When you think of the election campaign of [name of DIE LINKE local constituency candidate], do you have the impression that she/he wants to draw as much attention as possible to herself/himself or to her/his party? Please tell me, using a scale from 1 to 11, how you would classify the election campaign. 1 means, she/he directs "as much attention as possible to the person" and 11 means she/he directs "as much attention as possible to the party".

Nw: When you think of the election campaign of [name of DIE LINKE local constituency candidate], do you have the impression that she/he wanted to draw as much attention as possible to herself/himself or to her/his party? Please tell me, using a scale from 1 to 11, how you would classify the election campaign. 1 means, she/he directed "as much attention as possible to the person" and 11 means she/he directed "as much attention as possible to the party".

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (1) 1 As much attention as possible to herself/himself
- (2) 2
- (3) 3
- (4) 4

- (5) 5
 (6) 6
 (7) 7
 (8) 8
 (9) 9
 (10) 10
 (11) 11 As much attention as possible to her/his party

- (-72) Have not perceived the candidate in the election campaign
 (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn92	Valuation of the known local constituency candidate, DIE LINKE
Vw q92	Vw Vw304
Nw q123	Nw Nw369

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw021D = 1 or Vw263D = 2 or Vw264D = 2 in item D (only respondents who know the constituency candidate of DIE LINKE)

Nw: Nw342D = 1 or Nw343D = 2 or Nw344D = 2 (only respondents who know the constituency candidate of DIE LINKE)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [display list and use it for all inquiries related to valuation of the local constituency candidate (q86, q88, q90, q94.)]

Nw: [display list and use it for all inquiries related to valuation of the local constituency candidate]

Question text Vw/Nw:

And please tell me if you think a great deal of [name of DIE LINKE local constituency candidate] or if you do not think much of him/her at all. Please refer to the corresponding value on this list.

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (11) +5 I think a great deal of this person
 (10) +4
 (9) +3
 (8) +2
 (7) +1
 (6) 0
 (5) -1
 (4) -2
 (3) -3
 (2) -4
 (1) -5 I do not think much of this person at all

- (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

v93	Election campaign – local constituency candidate, GRÜNE
n93	
Vw q93	Vw Vw282
Nw q124	Nw Nw347

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw021E = 1 or Vw263E = 2 Vw264E = 2 (only respondents who know the constituency candidate of GRÜNE)

Nw: Nw342E = 1 or Nw343E = 2 or Nw344E = 2 (only respondents who know the constituency candidate of GRÜNE)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [display list and use it for all inquiries related to election campaign (q85, q87, q89, q91, q93)]

Nw: [display list and use it for all inquiries related to election campaign; adapt gender, depending on candidate]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw: Now we would like to know how you perceive the election in your local constituency.

When you think of the election campaign of [name of GRÜNE local constituency candidate], do you have the impression that he wants to draw as much attention to himself or to his party? How would you classify the campaign on a scale from 1 to 11, at which 1 means, he directs "as much attention to the person" and 11 means he directs "as much attention to the party".

Nw: When you think of the election campaign of [name of GRÜNE local constituency candidate], do you have the impression that she/he wanted to draw as much attention as possible to herself/himself or to her/his party? Please tell me, using a scale from 1 to 11, how you would classify the election campaign. 1 means, she/he directed "as much attention as possible to the person" and 11 means she/he directed "as much attention as possible to the party".

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) 1 As much attention as possible to herself/himself
- (2) 2
- (3) 3
- (4) 4
- (5) 5
- (6) 6
- (7) 7
- (8) 8
- (9) 9
- (10) 10
- (11) 11 As much attention as possible to her/his party

(-72) Have not perceived the candidate in the election campaign

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn94	Valuation of the known local constituency candidate, GRÜNE
Vw q94	Vw Vw302
Nw q125	Nw Nw367

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw021E = 1 or Vw263E = 2 Vw264E = 2 (only respondents who know the constituency candidate of GRÜNE)

Nw: Nw342E = 1 or Nw343E = 2 or Nw344E = 2 (only respondents who know the constituency candidate of GRÜNE)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [display list and use it for all inquiries related to valuation of the local constituency candidate (q86, q88, q90, q94)]

Nw: [display list and use it for all inquiries related to valuation of the local constituency candidate]

Question text Vw/Nw:

And please tell me if you think a great deal of [name of GRÜNE local constituency candidate] or if you do not think much of him/her at all. Please refer to the corresponding value on this list.

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (11) +5 I think a great deal of this person

- (10) +4
 (9) +3
 (8) +2
 (7) +1
 (6) 0
 (5) -1
 (4) -2
 (3) -3
 (2) -4
 (1) -5 I do not think much of this person at all

- (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn95a-e	Representation norm, voters
Vw q95a-e	Vw Vw119
Nw q126a-e	Nw Nw360

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

There are different views about who a delegate should represent. Please tell me, using this scale how important the following is to you: the delegate should...

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) represent his/her voters in the local constituency.
 (B) represent all citizens living in the constituency.
 (C) represent all those who voted for her/his party.
 (D) represent a particular group of society.
 (E) represent all citizens living in Germany.

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Very important
 (2) Somewhat important
 (3) In between
 (4) Not very important
 (5) Not important at all

- (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn96a-d	Expectations of parliamentary deputies
Vw q96a-d	Vw Vw120
Nw q127a-d	Nw Nw380

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

There are also different views about what a representative should mainly do for her/his constituency. Please tell me how important the following is to you: the delegate should...

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) Offer help and help individual citizens with specific problems.
 (B) Enforce the political interests of the voters in her/his constituency.
 (C) Ensure the economic prosperity of the constituency.

(D) Be available for to discuss matters in depth with voters.

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Very important
- (2) Somewhat important
- (3) In between
- (4) Not very important
- (5) Not important at all

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn97	Most important source of information
Vw q97	Vw Vw053
Nw q129	Nw Nw526

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw: Of all the ways that you can follow news about politics during the election campaign in Germany, which one would you say you get the most information from, regarding the parties and the federal election campaign - television, newspaper, radio, internet, personal conversations or another source?

Nw: Of all the ways that you could follow news about politics during the election campaign in Germany, which one would you say you got the most information from, regarding the parties and the federal election campaign - television, newspaper, radio, internet, personal conversations or another source?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Television
- (2) Newspaper
- (3) Radio
- (4) Internet
- (5) Personal conversations
- (6) Another source

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

v98a-e	Use of TV news programmes
n98a-e	
Vw q98a-e	Vw Vw054
Nw q130a-e	Nw Nw247

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [display list; read out each TV news programme;

for (A) to (E): also if watched on the Internet;

for (A): also if watched on other channels (such as on regional public-service stations or on the public-service station Phoenix);

for (B): also if watched on other channels (such as 3sat or Phoenix).

Nw: [display list and read out each TV news programme],

[for (A) to (E): also if watched on the Internet;

for (A): also if watched on other channels (such as on regional public-service stations or on the public-service station Phoenix);

for (B): also if watched on other channels (such as 3sat or Phoenix).]

[Programming note: Please set default to >-99<; if a TV news programme or channel is mentioned, set all other items to (2) no -> Multiple response is possible, --> that means, if respondent names other TV news programmes, set them to 1 by clicking of the interviewer]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw: This list contains news programmes broadcast by different television channels. Please tell me which of these news programmes you watch occasionally or regularly.

Nw: This list contains news programmes broadcast by different television channels. Please tell me which of these news programmes you have watched occasionally or regularly during the election campaign of the federal election.

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) Tagesschau/Tagesthemen (ARD)
- (B) heute/heute journal (ZDF)
- (C) RTL Aktuell (RTL)
- (D) Sat.1 Nachrichten (Sat.1)
- (E) News programmes broadcast by other channel (e.g. n-tv, Pro7)

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Yes
- (2) No

- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

v99	Use of TV news programmes: ARD
n99	
Vw q99	Vw Vw064
Nw q131	Nw Nw527

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw054 = 1 in item A (only respondents who state to watch TV news of ARD)

Nw: Nw247 = 1 in Item A (only respondents who state to watch TV news of ARD)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[Including on other channels (such as on regional public-service stations or the public-service station Phoenix) or on the Internet]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw: On how many days per week, on average, do you watch the "Tagesschau" or "Tagesthemen" on "ARD"?

Nw: On how many days per week, on average, did you watch "Tagesschau" or "Tagesthemen" on ARD during the election campaign?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (0) Less than 1 day per week
- (1) 1 day
- (2) 2 days
- (3) 3 days
- (4) 4 days
- (5) 5 days
- (6) 6 days
- (7) 7 days

- (-97) Not applicable
- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

v100	Use of TV news programmes: ZDF
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n100

Vw q100	Vw Vw066
Nw q132	Nw Nw528

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:**Vw:** Vw054 = 1 in item B (only respondents who state to watch TV news of ZDF)**Nw:** Nw247 = 1 in item B (only respondents who state to watch TV news of ZDF)**Interviewer instruction Vw:**

[Including on other channels (such as 3sat or Phoenix) or on the Internet]

Interviewer instruction Nw:

[Including on other channels (such as on regional public-service stations or on the public-service station Phoenix) or on the Internet]

Question text Vw/Nw:**Vw:** And on how many days per week, on average, do you watch "Heute" or "Heute-Journal", the newscasts of "ZDF"?**Nw:** And on how many days per week, on average, did you watch the newscasts "heute" or "heute-Journal" on ZDF during the election campaign?**Items Vw/Nw:****Scale Vw/Nw:**

(0) Less than 1 day per week

(1) 1 day

(2) 2 days

(3) 3 days

(4) 4 days

(5) 5 days

(6) 6 days

(7) 7 days

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

v101**Use of TV news programmes: RTL****n101**

Vw q101	Vw Vw226
Nw q133	Nw Nw252

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:**Vw:** Vw054 = 1 in item C (only respondents who state to watch TV news of RTL)**Nw:** Nw247 = 1 in item C (only respondents who state to watch TV news of RTL)**Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:**

[also if watched on the Internet]

Question text Vw/Nw:**Vw:** And on how many days per week, on average, do you watch "RTL aktuell"?**Nw:** And on how many days per week, on average, did you watch "RTL Aktuell" during the election campaign?**Items Vw/Nw:****Scale Vw/Nw:**

(0) Less than 1 day per week

(1) 1 day

(2) 2 days

(3) 3 days

(4) 4 days

(5) 5 days

- (6) 6 days
(7) 7 days

- (-97) Not applicable
(-98) Don't know
(-99) No answer

v102	Use of TV news programmes: Sat. 1
n102	
Vw q102	Vw Vw229
Nw q134	Nw Nw254

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

- Vw:** Vw054 = 1 in item D (only respondents who state to watch TV news of Sat.1)
Nw: Nw247 = 1 in item D (only respondents who state to watch TV news of Sat. 1)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[also if watched on the Internet]

Question text Vw/Nw:

- Vw:** And on how many days per week, on average, do you watch "Sat.1 Nachrichten"?
Nw: And on how many days per week, on average, did you watch "Sat. 1 Nachrichten" during the election campaign?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (0) Less than 1 day per week
(1) 1 day
(2) 2 days
(3) 3 days
(4) 4 days
(5) 5 days
(6) 6 days
(7) 7 days

- (-97) Not applicable
(-98) Don't know
(-99) No answer

v103a-i	Use of daily newspapers
n103a-i	
Vw q103a-i	Vw Vw179
Nw q135a-i	Nw Nw256

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw:

[display list;
only print version; for (C): if "Welt kompakt" is mentioned spontaneously assign to (C)]

Interviewer instruction Nw:

[display list;
only print version not online; for (C): if "Welt kompakt" is mentioned spontaneously assign to (C)]

Programming note: please set default to >-99<; if a daily newspaper is mentioned, set all others to (2)
no

Question text Vw/Nw:

- Vw:** This list includes various daily newspapers or kinds of daily newspaper. Please tell me which of these newspapers you read occasionally or regularly.

Nw: This list includes various daily newspapers or kinds of daily newspaper. Please tell me which of these newspapers you read occasionally or regularly during election campaign of the federal election.

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) BILD
- (B) Frankfurter Allgemeine Zeitung (FAZ)
- (C) Die Welt
- (D) Süddeutsche Zeitung (SZ)
- (E) Frankfurter Rundschau (FR)
- (F) Die tageszeitung (taz)
- (G) A local or regional newspaper
- (H) A second, additional local or regional newspaper
- (I) One or more other daily newspapers

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Yes
- (2) No

- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

v104	Use of daily newspapers: BILD newspaper
n104	
Vw q104	Vw Vw055
Nw q136	Nw Nw529

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw179 = 1 in item A (only respondents who state to read the BILD newspaper)

Nw: Nw256 = 1 in item A (only respondents who state to read the BILD newspaper)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[only print version, not online]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw: On how many days per week, on average, do you read political reports in the "BILD newspaper"?

Nw: On how many days per week, on average, did you read political reports in the "BILD newspaper" during the election campaign?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (0) Less than 1 day per week
- (1) 1 day
- (2) 2 days
- (3) 3 days
- (4) 4 days
- (5) 5 days
- (6) 6 days
- (7) 7 days

- (-97) Not applicable
- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

v105	Use of daily newspapers: FAZ
n105	
Vw q105	Vw Vw057
Nw q137	Nw Nw530

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw179 = 1 in item B (only respondents who state to read the FAZ newspaper)

Nw: Nw256 = 1 in item B (only respondents who state to read the FAZ newspaper)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[only print version, not online]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw: On how many days per week, on average, do you read political reports in the "Frankfurter Allgemeine Zeitung"?

Nw: On how many days per week, on average, did you read political reports in the "Frankfurter Allgemeine Zeitung" during the election campaign?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (0) Less than 1 day per week
- (1) 1 day
- (2) 2 days
- (3) 3 days
- (4) 4 days
- (5) 5 days
- (6) 6 days
- (7) 7 days

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

v106	Use of daily newspapers: Die Welt
n106	
Vw q106	Vw Vw060
Nw q138	Nw Nw531

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw179 = 1 in item C (only respondents who state to read the "Welt" newspaper)

Nw: Nw256 = 1 in item C (only respondents who state to read the "Welt" newspaper)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[only print version, not online]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw: On how many days per week, on average, do you read political reports in the daily newspaper "Die Welt"?

Nw: On how many days per week, on average, did you read political reports in the daily newspaper "Die Welt" during the election campaign?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (0) Less than 1 day per week
- (1) 1 day
- (2) 2 days
- (3) 3 days
- (4) 4 days
- (5) 5 days
- (6) 6 days
- (7) 7 days

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

v107	Use of daily newspapers: Süddeutsche Zeitung
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n107	
Vw q107	Vw Vw177
Nw q139	Nw Nw532

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw179 = 1 in item D (only respondents who state to read the "Süddeutsche Zeitung" newspaper)

Nw: Nw256 = 1 in item D (only respondents who state to read the "Süddeutsche Zeitung" newspaper)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[only print version, not online]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw: On how many days per week, on average, do you read political reports in the "Süddeutsche Zeitung"?

Nw: On how many days per week, on average, did you read political reports in the "Süddeutsche Zeitung" during the election campaign?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

(0) Less than 1 day per week

(1) 1 day

(2) 2 days

(3) 3 days

(4) 4 days

(5) 5 days

(6) 6 days

(7) 7 days

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

v108	Use of daily newspapers: Frankfurter Rundschau
n108	
Vw q108	Vw Vw061
Nw q140	Nw Nw533

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw179 = 1 in item E (only respondents who state to read the "Frankfurter Rundschau" newspaper)

Nw: Nw256 = 1 in item E (only respondents who state to read the "Frankfurter Rundschau" newspaper)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[only print version, not online]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw: On how many days per week, on average, do you read political reports in the "Frankfurter Rundschau"?

Nw: On how many days per week, on average, did you read political reports in the "Frankfurter Rundschau" during the election campaign?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

(0) Less than 1 day per week

(1) 1 day

(2) 2 days

(3) 3 days

(4) 4 days

(5) 5 days

(6) 6 days

(7) 7 days

(-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

v109	Use of daily newspapers: taz
n109	
Vw q109	Vw Vw211
Nw q141	Nw Nw534

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw179 = 1 in item F (only respondents who state to read the taz newspaper)

Nw: Nw256 = 1 in item F (only respondents who state to read the taz newspaper sometimes or regularly during the election campaign)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[only print version, not online]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw: On how many days per week, on average, do you read political reports in the "taz"?

Nw: On how many days per week, on average, did you read political reports in the "taz" during the election campaign?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (0) Less than 1 day per week
 (1) 1 day
 (2) 2 days
 (3) 3 days
 (4) 4 days
 (5) 5 days
 (6) 6 days
 (7) 7 days

(-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

v110	Use of daily newspapers: 1. local newspaper (2 newspapers mentioned)
n110	
Vw q110	Vw Vw236
Nw q142	Nw Nw535

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw179 = 1 in item G AND Vw179 = 1 in item H (only respondents who state to read two different local daily newspapers)

Nw: Nw256 = 1 in item G AND Nw256 = 1 in item H (only respondents who state to read two different local daily newspapers)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[only print version]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw: On how many days per week, on average, do you read political reports in the first local or regional newspaper you just mentioned?

Nw: On how many days per week, on average, did you read political reports in the first local or regional newspaper you just mentioned during the election campaign?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (0) Less than 1 day per week
 (1) 1 day
 (2) 2 days
 (3) 3 days
 (4) 4 days
 (5) 5 days
 (6) 6 days
 (7) 7 days

-
- (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

v111	Use of daily newspapers: 1. local newspaper
n111	
Vw q111	Vw Vw202
Nw q143	Nw Nw536

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw179 = 1 in item G AND Vw179 = 2, -98, -99 in item H (only respondents who state to read one local daily newspaper)

Nw: Nw256 = 1 in item G AND Nw256 = 2, -98, -99 in item H (only respondents who state to read one local daily newspaper)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[only print version, not online]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw: On how many days per week, on average, do you read reports about politics in Germany in the local or regional newspaper you just mentioned?

Nw: On how many days per week, on average, did you read political reports in the local or regional newspaper you just mentioned during the election campaign?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (0) Less than 1 day per week
 (1) 1 day
 (2) 2 days
 (3) 3 days
 (4) 4 days
 (5) 5 days
 (6) 6 days
 (7) 7 days

-
- (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

v112	Use of daily newspapers: 2. local newspaper
n112	
Vw q112	Vw Vw223
Nw q144	Nw Nw537

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw179 = 1 in item H (only respondents who state to read two different local daily newspapers)

Nw: Nw256=1 in item H (only respondents who state to read two different local daily newspapers)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[only print version, not online]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw: On how many days per week, on average, do you read reports about politics in Germany in the second local or regional newspaper you just mentioned?

Nw: On how many days per week, on average, did you read political reports in the second local or regional newspaper you just mentioned during the election campaign?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (0) Less than 1 day per week
 (1) 1 day
 (2) 2 days
 (3) 3 days
 (4) 4 days
 (5) 5 days
 (6) 6 days
 (7) 7 days

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- (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

v113	Use of daily newspapers: other national daily newspaper
n113	
Vw q113	Vw Vw214
Nw q145	Nw Nw538

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw179 = 1 in item I (only respondents who state to read an additional local daily newspaper)

Nw: Nw256 = 1 in item I (only respondents who state to read an additional local daily newspaper)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[only print version, not online]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw: On how many days per week, on average, do you read reports about politics in Germany in the other daily newspaper you just mentioned?

Nw: On how many days per week, on average, did you read political reports in the other newspaper you just mentioned during the election campaign?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (0) Less than 1 day per week
 (1) 1 day
 (2) 2 days
 (3) 3 days
 (4) 4 days
 (5) 5 days
 (6) 6 days
 (7) 7 days

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- (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn114	Internet usage, in general
Vw q114	Vw Vw305
Nw q146	Nw Nw387

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:**Question text Vw/Nw:**

On how many days per week, on average, do you use the Internet?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (0) Less than 1 day per week
- (1) 1 day
- (2) 2 days
- (3) 3 days
- (4) 4 days
- (5) 5 days
- (6) 6 days
- (7) 7 days

- (8) Never use the Internet
- (9) No Internet access

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- (-98) Don't know
 - (-99) No answer

vn115	Internet usage, political information
Vw q115	Vw Vw306
Nw q147	Nw Nw388

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw305 = 0-7 (only respondents who state to use the Internet)

Nw: Nw387 = 0-7 (only respondents who state to use the Internet)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[are meant news sites like e.g.: Spiegel online or t-online;
in newspapers / magazines: also ePaper editions;
regardless of the device (also App on Smartphone or Tablet-PC)]

Question text Vw/Nw:

On how many days per week, on average, do you use the websites of newspapers, television channels or other providers to inform yourself about political news?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (0) Less than 1 day per week
- (1) 1 day
- (2) 2 days
- (3) 3 days
- (4) 4 days
- (5) 5 days
- (6) 6 days
- (7) 7 days

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- (-97) Not applicable
 - (-98) Don't know
 - (-99) No answer

vn116	Internet usage, election campaign
Vw q116	Vw Vw307
Nw q148	Nw Nw389

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw305 = 0-7 (only respondents who state to use the Internet)
Nw: Nw387 = 0-7 (only respondents who state to use the Internet)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Question text Vw/Nw:

What about websites of political parties and candidates? Did you use these websites during this election campaign?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Yes
 (2) No

- (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn117a-i	Internet usage, political parties
Vw q117a-i	Vw Vw308
Nw q149a-i	Nw Nw390

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw307 = 1 (only respondents who state that they have used the Internet services of parties/candidates)

Nw: Nw389 = 1 (only respondents who state that they have used the Internet services of parties/candidates)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [if name of candidate is mentioned, ask and register the related party]

Nw: [if name of candidate is mentioned, ask and register the related party]

Programming note: set default to >-99<, if respondent mentions something, set all other items to >0<

Question text Vw/Nw:

Which parties did the websites belong to?

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) Website: CDU/CSU
 (B) Website: SPD
 (C) Website: FDP
 (D) Website: DIE LINKE
 (E) Website: GRÜNE
 (F) Website: PIRATEN
 (G) Website: NPĐ
 (H) Website: AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
 (I) Website: other party

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (0) Not mentioned
 (1) Mentioned

- (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn118	Internet usage, special information services
Vw q118	Vw Vw309
Nw q150	Nw Nw539

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw305 = 0-7 (only respondents who state to use the Internet)

Nw: Nw387 = 0-7 (only respondents who state to use the Internet)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[information services on the Internet are meant]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw: And what about special information offerings, such as the "Wahl-o-mat" or "Kandidatenwatch": Did you use any of them during this election campaign?

Nw: And what about special information offerings, such as the "Wahl-o-mat" or "Kandidatenwatch": Did you use any of them during the election campaign?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

(1) Yes

(2) No

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn119a-b	Party identification
Vw q119a-b	Vw Vw121
Nw q159a-b	Nw Nw542

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: -

Nw: [if necessary note open answer]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Now, let's look at the political parties. In Germany, many people lean toward a particular political party for a long time, although occasionally, they vote for another party. How about you, do you lean toward a particular political party? If yes, which party is that?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

List of parties for interviewer:

(1) CDU/CSU

(2) CDU

(3) CSU

(4) SPD

(5) FDP

(7) DIE LINKE

(6) GRÜNE

(215) PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)

(206) NPD [INT.: aalso DVU]

(322) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)

(180) Freie Wähler

(225) REP (DIE REPUBLIKANER)

(237) Tierschutzpartei

(209) ÖDP (Ökologisch-Demokratische Partei)

(171) FAMILIE (Familien-Partei Deutschlands)

(226) RRP (Rentnerinnen und Rentner Partei)

(224) RENTNER (Rentner Partei Deutschland)

(126) BP (Bayernpartei)

(214) PBC (Partei Bibeltreuer Christen)

(134) BüSo (Bürgerrechtsbewegung Solidarität)

(152) DIE VIOLETTEN

(801) Other party, namely _____

(808) No party

(-98) Don't know
(-99) No answer

vn120	Strength of party identification
Vw q120	Vw Vw122
Nw q160	Nw Nw103

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw121 = 1-801 (only respondents who lean toward a particular party)

Nw: Nw542 = 1-801 (only respondents who lean toward a particular party)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

All in all, how strongly or weakly do you lean toward this party: very strongly, fairly strongly, moderately, fairly weakly or very weakly?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Very strongly
- (2) Fairly strongly
- (3) Moderately
- (4) Fairly weakly
- (5) Very weakly

(-97) Not applicable
(-98) Don't know
(-99) No answer

vn121	Persistence party identification
Vw q121	Vw Vw123
Nw q161	Nw Nw104

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw121 = 1-801 (only respondents who lean toward a particular party)

Nw: Nw542 = 1-801 (only respondents who lean toward a particular party)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

And for how long have you thought of yourself as being close to this particular political party?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) As long as I can remember
- (2) For many years
- (3) A few years
- (4) A few months
- (5) A few weeks

(-97) Not applicable
(-98) Don't know
(-99) No answer

vn122	Type of party identification
Vw q122	Vw Vw087
Nw q162	Nw Nw381

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw121 = 1-801 (only respondents who lean toward a particular party)

Nw: Nw542 = 1-801 (only respondents who lean toward a particular party)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list; read out values]

Question text Vw/Nw:

As part of our study we would like to find out what people mean when they say that they lean toward a particular political party or identify more closely with one party rather than with other parties. Please tell me which of these statements best applies to you.

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (1) 1 This party is very important to me. What happens to this party is not a matter of indifference to me.
- (2) 2 The party itself is not all that important to me, but it does have better politicians than the others at the moment.
- (3) 3 I don't feel particularly attached to this party, but in the past I did vote for it frequently.
- (4) 4 The party itself is not all that important to me, but it does have better policies than the others at the moment.

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

v123	General Trust
Vw q123	Vw Vw118
Nw -	Nw -

Filtered by question number Vw:**Interviewer instruction Vw:**

[display list]

Question text Vw:

Quite generally speaking, on balance, would you say that most people can't be trusted or that most people can be trusted? Please use the scale from 1 to 11 to indicate your view. 1 means that most people can't be trusted and 11 means that most people can be trusted. Use the values in between to express your opinion more precisely.

Items Vw:**Scale Vw:**

- (1) 1 Most people can't be trusted
- (2) 2
- (3) 3
- (4) 4
- (5) 5
- (6) 6
- (7) 7
- (8) 8
- (9) 9
- (10) 10
- (11) 11 Most people can be trusted

(-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn124a-h	Personality battery
Vw q124a-h	Vw Vw153
Nw q157a-h	Nw Nw165

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list]

Programming note: separate rotation respectively from A to E and from F to H --> i.e. A to E rotate first, afterwards F to G

Question text Vw/Nw:

Please tell me for each of the following statements, using this scale, to what extent they apply to you.

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) I tend to be somewhat shy and reserved.
- (B) I easily trust other people and see the good in others.
- (C) I perform tasks very thoroughly.
- (D) I have an active imagination and am inventive.
- (E) I easily get nervous and uneasy.
- (F) I make up my own mind about everything.
- (G) I don't find it satisfying to think deeply about things for hours on end.
- (H) I usually make important decisions quickly and confidently.

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Does not apply at all
- (2) Rather does not apply
- (3) Neither applies nor does not apply
- (4) Rather applies
- (5) Applies completely

(-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn125	European Parliament, vote intention
Vw q125	Vw Vw266
Nw q77	Nw Nw324

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

And now we come briefly to the elections to the European Parliament.
 If the election to the European Parliament would be on next Sunday, are you certain to vote, likely to vote, might you vote, not likely to vote, or certain not to vote?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Certain to vote
- (2) Likely to vote
- (3) Might vote
- (4) Not likely to vote
- (5) Certain not to vote

(-86) Not eligible to vote

- (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn126a-b	European Parliament, vote intention, ballot paper
Vw q126a-b	Vw Vw267
Nw q78a-b	Nw Nw325

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Vw266 = 1-3, -98, -99 (only respondents who – concerning the European election – a) state that they will vote definitely, probably or perhaps or b) answer “Don't know” to the question concerning the intention to vote or c) don't answer the question concerning the intention to vote)

Nw: Nw324 = 1-3, -98, -99 (only respondents who – concerning the European election – a) state that they will vote definitely, probably or perhaps or b) answer “Don't know” to the question concerning the intention to vote or c) don't answer the question concerning the intention to vote)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [Display example ballot paper; fill in answers in the interviewer's party list]

Nw: [Display example ballot paper; Fill in answers in the interviewer's party list; Respondent is only allowed to mention one party; if necessary note open answer]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Here is a ballot paper similar to the one you receive for the elections to the European Parliament. How will you mark your ballot? Please just tell me the identification code for your vote.

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

Example ballot paper for respondents:

- (1) CDU/CSU (Christlich Demokratische Union/Christlich-Soziale Union)
- (2) SPD (Sozialdemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
- (3) FDP (Freie Demokratische Partei)
- (4) DIE LINKE (DIE LINKE)
- (5) GRÜNE (BÜNDNIS 90/DIE GRÜNEN)
- (6) PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)
- (7) NPD (Nationaldemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
- (8) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
- (9) Other party, namely _____

List of parties for interviewer:

- (1) 1 CDU/CSU
- (4) 2 SPD
- (5) 3 FDP
- (7) 4 DIE LINKE
- (6) 5 GRÜNE
- (215) 6 PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)
- (206) 7 NPD [INT.: auch DVU]
- (322) 8 AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
- (180) Freie Wähler
- (225) REP (DIE REPUBLIKANER)
- (237) Tierschutzpartei
- (209) ÖDP (Ökologisch-Demokratische Partei)
- (171) FAMILIE (Familien-Partei Deutschlands)
- (226) RRP (Rentnerinnen und Rentner Partei)
- (224) RENTNER (Rentner Partei Deutschland)
- (126) BP (Bayernpartei)
- (214) PBC (Partei Bibeltreuer Christen)
- (134) BüSo (Bürgerrechtsbewegung Solidarität)
- (152) DIE VIOLETTEN
- (801) 9 other party, namely _____

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- (-83) I would cast an invalid vote
 (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

v127	State election Bavaria, vote intention
Vw q127	Vw Vw310
Nw -	Nw -

Filtered by question number Vw:

Ask question up to and including 14.9.13 AND
Federal state = 2 (Bavaria) AND
D01.1 < 14.9.1995 (18 years and older)

Interviewer instruction Vw:

[display list]

Question text Vw:

On 15th September 2013 state election will take place in Bavaria. Please tell me according to this list how likely it is that you will vote in the state election in Bavaria.

Items Vw:

Scale Vw:

- (1) Certain to vote
 - (2) Likely to vote
 - (3) Might vote
 - (4) Not likely to vote
 - (5) Certain not to vote
 - (6) Already voted
-

(-86) Not eligible to vote

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

v128	State election Hesse, vote intention
n128	
Vw q128	Vw Vw312
Nw q79	Nw Nw362

Filtered by question number Vw:

Federal state = 7 (Hesse) AND D01.1 < 23.9.1995 (18 years and older)

Filtered by question number Nw:

Federal state = 7 (Hesse) AND D01.1: up to 22.09.1995 (only respondents who live in Hesse and are 18 years or older)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [display list]

Nw: -

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw: On 22nd September 2013 state election will take place in Hesse. Please tell me according to this list how likely it is that you will vote in the state election in Hesse.

Nw: In the state election on 22nd September a lot of people did not manage to vote or did not participate in the election for other reasons. How about you? Did you vote or did you not vote?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

Vw:

- (1) Certain to vote
- (2) Likely to vote
- (3) Might vote
- (4) Not likely to vote
- (5) Certain not to vote

(6) Already voted

(-86) Not eligible to vote
(-97) Not applicable
(-98) Don't know
(-99) No answer

Nw:

(1) I did vote
(2) I did not vote

(-86) Not eligible to vote
(-97) Not applicable
(-98) Don't know
(-99) No answer

v129aa-b, ba-b	State election Bavaria, first/second vote
Vw q129aa-b, ba-b	Vw Vw269
Nw -	Nw -

Filtered by question number Vw:

Ask question up to and including 14.9.13 AND Federal state = 2 (Bavaria) AND Vw310 = 1-3, -98,-99 (only respondents who – concerning the state election in Bavaria – a) state that they will vote definitely, probably or perhaps or b) answer “Don't know” to the question concerning the voting intention or c) don't answer the question concerning the voting intention)

Interviewer instruction Vw:

[Display example ballot paper;
Fill in answers in the interviewer's party list
Respondent may call only ONE party per vote]

Question text Vw:

You have two votes in the state election in Bavaria. The first vote is for a candidate in your voting district, the second vote is for a candidate in your local constituency. Here is a ballot paper similar to the one you receive for state elections. How will you mark your ballot? Please just tell me the identification code for your first and second vote.

Items Vw:

(A) First vote
(B) Second vote

Scale Vw:

Example ballot paper for respondents

First vote

(01) CSU (Christlich-Soziale Union)
(02) SPD (Sozialdemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
(03) FDP (Freie Demokratische Partei)
(04) DIE LINKE (DIE LINKE)
(05) GRÜNE (BÜNDNIS 90/DIE GRÜNEN)
(06) FW Freie Wähler (FW Freie Wähler Bayern e.V.)
(07) PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)
(08) NPD (Nationaldemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
(09) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
(10) Other party, namely _____

Second vote

(21) CSU (Christlich-Soziale Union)
(22) SPD (Sozialdemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
(23) FDP (Freie Demokratische Partei)
(24) DIE LINKE (DIE LINKE)

- (25) GRÜNE (BÜNDNIS 90/DIE GRÜNEN)
 (26) FW Freie Wähler (FW Freie Wähler Bayern e.V.)
 (27) PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)
 (28) NPD (Nationaldemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
 (29) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
 (30) Other party, namely _____

List of parties for interviewer:

- (3) 1/21 CSU
 (4) 2/22 SPD
 (5) 3/23 FDP
 (7) 4/24 DIE LINKE
 (6) 5/25 GRÜNE
 (180) 6/26 FW Freie Wähler
 (215) 7/27 PIRATEN
 (206) 8/28 NPD
 (322) 9/29 AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
 (225) REP (DIE REPUBLIKANER)
 (237) Tierschutzpartei (PARTEI MENSCH UMWELT TIERSCHUTZ)
 (209) ÖDP (Ökologisch-Demokratische Partei)
 (171) FAMILIE (Familien-Partei Deutschlands)
 (226) RRP (Rentnerinnen und Rentner Partei)
 (224) RENTNER (Rentner Partei Deutschland)
 (126) BP (Bayernpartei)
 (214) PBC (Partei Bibeltreuer Christen)
 (134) BüSo (Bürgerrechtsbewegung Solidarität)
 (152) DIE VIOLETTEN
 (801) 10/30 other party, namely _____

- (-83) I cast an invalid vote
 (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

Note:

After 13th August 2013, the displayed example ballot paper excluded the AfD (Alternative für Deutschland).

v130aa-b, ba-b	State election Hesse, first/second vote
n130aa-b, ba-b	
Vw q130aa-b, ba-b	Vw Vw313
Nw q81aa-b, ba-b	Nw Nw392

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Federal state = 7 (Hesse) AND Vw312 = 1-3, -98, -99 (only respondents who – concerning the state election in Hesse – a) state that they will vote definitely, probably or perhaps or b) answer “Don't know” to the question concerning the voting intention or c) don't answer the question concerning the voting intention)

Nw: Nw362 = 1 (only respondents who stated that they voted at state election in Hesse)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Vw: [Display example ballot paper; Fill in answers in the interviewer's party list; Respondent may call only ONE party per vote]

Nw: [Display example ballot paper, insert answer in party list for interviewer, respondent is only allowed to mention one party per vote]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw: You have two votes in the state election in Hesse. The first vote is for a candidate in your local constituency, the second vote is for a party. Here is a ballot paper similar to the one you receive for state elections. How will you mark your ballot? Please just tell me the identification code for your first and second vote.

Nw: You had two votes in the state election in Hesse. The first vote was for a candidate in your local constituency, the second vote was for a party. Here is a ballot paper similar to the one you received for state elections. How did you mark your ballot? Please just tell me the identification code for your first and second vote.

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) First vote
- (B) Second vote

Scale Vw/Nw:

Vw:

Example ballot paper for respondents:

First vote

- (01) CDU (Christlich-Demokratische Union)
- (02) SPD (Sozialdemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
- (03) FDP (Freie Demokratische Partei)
- (04) DIE LINKE (DIE LINKE)
- (05) GRÜNE (BÜNDNIS 90/DIE GRÜNEN)
- (06) PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)
- (07) NPD (Nationaldemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
- (08) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
- (09) Other party, namely _____

Second vote

- (21) CDU (Christlich-Demokratische Union)
- (22) SPD (Sozialdemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
- (23) FDP (Freie Demokratische Partei)
- (24) DIE LINKE (DIE LINKE)
- (25) GRÜNE (BÜNDNIS 90/DIE GRÜNEN)
- (26) PIRATEN
- (27) NPD (Nationaldemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
- (28) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
- (29) Other party, namely _____

List of parties for interviewer:

- (2) 1/21 CDU
- (4) 2/22 SPD
- (5) 3/23 FDP
- (7) 4/24 DIE LINKE
- (6) 5/25 GRÜNE
- (215) 6/26 PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)
- (206) 7/27 NPD (INT.: auch DVU)
- (322) 8/28 AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
- (180) Freie Wähler
- (225) REP (DIE REPUBLIKANER)
- (237) Tierschutzpartei (PARTEI MENSCH UMWELT TIERSCHUTZ)
- (209) ÖDP (Ökologisch-Demokratische Partei)
- (171) FAMILIE (Familien-Partei Deutschlands)
- (226) RRP (Rentnerinnen und Rentner Partei)
- (224) RENTNER (Rentner Partei Deutschland)
- (126) BP (Bayernpartei)
- (214) PBC (Partei Bibeltreuer Christen)
- (134) BüSo (Bürgerrechtsbewegung Solidarität)
- (152) DIE VIOLETTEN
- (801) 9/29 other party, namely _____

-
- (-83) I cast an invalid vote
 - (-97) Not applicable
 - (-98) Don't know
 - (-99) No answer

Nw:

Example ballot paper for respondents:

First vote:

- 01 CDU (Christlich Demokratische Union)
- 02 SPD (Sozialdemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
- 03 FDP (Freie Demokratische Partei)
- 04 DIE LINKE (DIE LINKE)
- 05 GRÜNE (BÜNDNIS 90/DIE GRÜNEN)
- 06 PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)
- 07 NPD (Nationaldemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
- 08 AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
- 09 Other party, namely _____

Second vote:

- 21 CDU (Christlich Demokratische Union)
- 22 SPD (Sozialdemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
- 23 FDP (Freie Demokratische Partei)
- 24 DIE LINKE (DIE LINKE)
- 25 GRÜNE (BÜNDNIS 90/DIE GRÜNEN)
- 26 PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)
- 27 NPD (Nationaldemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
- 28 AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
- 29 Other party, namely _____

List of parties for interviewer:

- (1) CDU/CSU
- (4) SPD
- (5) FDP
- (7) DIE LINKE
- (6) GRÜNE
- (215) PIRATEN
- (206) NPD
- (322) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
- (180) Freie Wähler
- (225) REP (DIE REPUBLIKANER)
- (237) Tierschutzpartei (PARTEI MENSCH UMWELT TIERSCHUTZ)
- (209) ÖDP (Ökologisch-Demokratische Partei)
- (171) FAMILIE (Familien-Partei Deutschlands)
- (226) RRP (Rentnerinnen und Rentner Partei)
- (224) RENTNER (Rentner Partei Deutschland)
- (126) BP (Bayernpartei)
- (214) PBC (Partei Bibeltreuer Christen)
- (134) BüSo (Bürgerrechtsbewegung Solidarität)
- (152) DIE VIOLETTEN
- (801) Other party, namely _____

-
- (-83) I cast an invalid vote
 - (-97) Not applicable
 - (-98) Don't know
 - (-99) No answer

v131aa-b, ba-b	State election Bavaria, absentee ballot
Vw q131aa-b, ba-b	Vw Vw311
Nw -	Nw -

Filtered by question number Vw:

Federal state = 2 (Bavaria) AND Vw310 = 6 (only respondents who state that they have already cast their vote in the state election in Bavaria)

Interviewer instruction Vw:

[Display example ballot paper; Fill in answers in the interviewer's party list; Respondent may call only ONE party per vote]

Question text Vw:

You had two votes in the absentee ballot. The first vote was for a candidate in your local constituency, the second vote was for a party. Here is a ballot paper similar to the one you received for state elections. How did you mark your ballot? Please just tell me the identification code for your first and second vote.

Items Vw:

Scale Vw:

Example ballot paper for respondents:

First vote

- (01) CSU (Christlich-Soziale Union)
- (02) SPD (Sozialdemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
- (03) FDP (Freie Demokratische Partei)
- (04) DIE LINKE (DIE LINKE)
- (05) GRÜNE (BÜNDNIS 90/DIE GRÜNEN)
- (06) FW Freie Wähler (FW Freie Wähler Bayern e.V.)
- (07) PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)
- (08) NPD (Nationaldemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
- (09) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
- (10) Other party, namely _____

Second vote

- (21) CSU (Christlich-Soziale Union)
- (22) SPD (Sozialdemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
- (23) FDP (Freie Demokratische Partei)
- (24) DIE LINKE (DIE LINKE)
- (25) GRÜNE (BÜNDNIS 90/DIE GRÜNEN)
- (26) FW Freie Wähler (FW Freie Wähler Bayern e.V.)
- (27) PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)
- (28) NPD (Nationaldemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
- (29) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
- (30) Other party, namely _____

List of parties for interviewer:

- (3) 1/21 CSU
- (4) 2/22 SPD
- (5) 3/23 FDP
- (7) 4/24 DIE LINKE
- (6) 5/25 GRÜNE
- (180) 6/26 FW Freie Wähler
- (215) 7/27 PIRATEN
- (206) 8/28 NPD
- (322) 9/29 AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
- (180) Freie Wähler
- (225) REP (DIE REPUBLIKANER)
- (237) Tierschutzpartei (PARTEI MENSCH UMWELT TIERSCHUTZ)
- (209) ÖDP (Ökologisch-Demokratische Partei)
- (171) FAMILIE (Familien-Partei Deutschlands)
- (226) RRP (Rentnerinnen und Rentner Partei)
- (224) RENTNER (Rentner Partei Deutschland)
- (126) BP (Bayernpartei)
- (214) PBC (Partei Bibeltreuer Christen)
- (134) BüSo (Bürgerrechtsbewegung Solidarität)
- (152) DIE VIOLETTEN
- (801) 10/30 other party, namely _____

-
- (-83) I cast an invalid vote
 - (-97) Not applicable
 - (-98) Don't know
 - (-99) No answer

Note:

After 13th August 2013, the displayed example ballot paper excluded the AfD (Alternative für Deutschland).

v132aa-b, ba-b	State election Hesse, absentee ballot
Vw q132aa-b, ba-b	Vw Vw314
Nw -	Nw -

Filtered by question number Vw:

Federal state = 7 (Hesse) AND Vw312 = 6 (only respondents who state that they have already cast their vote in the state election in Hesse)

Interviewer instruction Vw:

[Display example ballot paper; Fill in Answers in the interviewer's party list; Respondent may call only ONE party per vote]

Question text Vw:

You had two votes in the absentee ballot. The first vote was for a candidate in your voting district, the second vote was for a candidate in your constituency. Here is a ballot paper similar to the one you received for state elections. How did you mark your ballot? Please just tell me the identification code for each vote.

Items Vw:**Scale Vw:**

First vote

- (01) CDU (Christlich Demokratische Union)
- (02) SPD (Sozialdemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
- (03) FDP (Freie Demokratische Partei)
- (04) DIE LINKE (DIE LINKE)
- (05) GRÜNE (BÜNDNIS 90/DIE GRÜNEN)
- (06) PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)
- (07) NPD (Nationaldemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
- (08) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
- (09) Other party, namely _____

Second vote

- (21) CDU (Christlich Demokratische Union)
- (22) SPD (Sozialdemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
- (23) FDP (Freie Demokratische Partei)
- (24) DIE LINKE (DIE LINKE)
- (25) GRÜNE (BÜNDNIS 90/DIE GRÜNEN)
- (26) PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)
- (27) NPD (Nationaldemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
- (28) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
- (29) Other party, namely _____

List of parties for interviewer:

- (1) 1/21 CDU
- (4) 2/22 SPD
- (5) 3/23 FDP
- (7) 4/24 DIE LINKE
- (6) 5/25 GRÜNE
- (215) 6/26 PIRATEN
- (206) 7/27 NPD
- (322) 8/28 AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
- (180) Freie Wähler
- (225) REP (DIE REPUBLIKANER)
- (237) Tierschutzpartei (PARTEI MENSCH UMWELT TIERSCHUTZ)
- (209) ÖDP (Ökologisch-Demokratische Partei)
- (171) FAMILIE (Familien-Partei Deutschlands)
- (226) RRP (Rentnerinnen und Rentner Partei)
- (224) RENTNER (Rentner Partei Deutschland)
- (126) BP (Bayernpartei)

(214) PBC (Partei Bibeltreuer Christen)
 (134) BüSo (Bürgerrechtsbewegung Solidarität)
 (152) DIE VIOLETTEN
 (801) 9/29 other party, namely _____

vn133	Recall state election Bavaria, turnout
Vw q133	Vw Vw291
Nw q80	Nw Nw361

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Ask question from 16.9.2013 AND Federal state = 2 (Bavaria)

Nw: Federal state = 2 AND D01.1: up to 15.09.1995 (only respondents who live in Bavaria and are 18 years or older)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:**Question text Vw/Nw:**

In the state election in Bavaria on 15th September a lot of people did not manage to vote or did not participate in the election for other reasons. How about you? Did you vote or did you not vote?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

Vw:

(1) Yes

(2) No

(-86) Not eligible to vote

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

Nw:

(1) I did vote

(2) I did not vote

(-86) Not eligible to vote

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn134aa-b, ba-b	Recall state election Bavaria, first/second vote
Vw q134aa-b, ba-b	Vw Vw268
Nw q82aa-b, ba- b	Nw Nw391

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Vw: Ask question from 16.9.2013 AND Federal state = 2 (Bavaria) AND Vw291 = 1 (only respondents who state that they have already cast their vote in the state election in Bavaria)

Nw: Nw361 = 1 (only respondents who stated that they voted in the state election in Bavaria)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[Display example ballot paper; Fill in answers in the interviewer's party list; Respondent may call only ONE party per vote]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw: Do you still remember for which party you voted? Please tell me the code on this ballot paper for your first and second vote.

Nw: You had two votes in the state election in Bavaria. The first vote was for a candidate in your voting district, the second vote was for a candidate in your local constituency. Here is a ballot paper similar to the one you received for state elections. How did you mark your ballot? Please just tell me the identification code for your first and second vote.

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) First vote
- (B) Second vote

Scale Vw/Nw:

Vw:

Example ballot paper for respondents:

First vote

- (01) CSU (Christlich-Soziale Union)
- (02) SPD (Sozialdemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
- (03) FDP (Freie Demokratische Partei)
- (04) DIE LINKE (DIE LINKE)
- (05) GRÜNE (BÜNDNIS 90/DIE GRÜNEN)
- (06) FW Freie Wähler (FW Freie Wähler Bayern e.V.)
- (07) PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)
- (08) NPD (Nationaldemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
- (10) Other party, namely _____

Second vote

- (21) CSU (Christlich-Soziale Union)
- (22) SPD (Sozialdemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
- (23) FDP (Freie Demokratische Partei)
- (24) DIE LINKE (DIE LINKE)
- (25) GRÜNE (BÜNDNIS 90/DIE GRÜNEN)
- (26) FW Freie Wähler (FW Freie Wähler Bayern e.V.)
- (27) PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)
- (28) NPD (Nationaldemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
- (30) Other party, namely _____

List of parties for interviewer:

- (3) 1/21 CSU
- (4) 2/22 SPD
- (5) 3/23 FDP
- (7) 4/24 DIE LINKE
- (6) 5/25 GRÜNE
- (180) 6/26 FW Freie Wähler
- (215) 7/27 PIRATEN
- (206) 8/28 NPD
- (180) Freie Wähler
- (225) REP (DIE REPUBLIKANER)
- (237) Tierschutzpartei (PARTEI MENSCH UMWELT TIERSCHUTZ)
- (209) ÖDP (Ökologisch-Demokratische Partei)
- (171) FAMILIE (Familien-Partei Deutschlands)
- (226) RRP (Rentnerinnen und Rentner Partei)
- (224) RENTNER (Rentner Partei Deutschland)
- (126) BP (Bayernpartei)
- (214) PBC (Partei Bibeltreuer Christen)
- (134) BüSo (Bürgerrechtsbewegung Solidarität)
- (152) DIE VIOLETTEN
- (801) 10/30 other party, namely _____

-
- (-83) I cast an invalid vote
 - (-97) Not applicable
 - (-98) Don't know
 - (-99) No answer

Nw:

Model ballot paper for respondents:

First vote:

- 01 CSU (Christlich Soziale Union)
- 02 SPD (Sozialdemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
- 03 FDP (Freie Demokratische Partei)
- 04 DIE LINKE (DIE LINKE)
- 05 GRÜNE (BÜNDNIS 90/DIE GRÜNEN)
- 06 FW Freie Wähler
- 07 PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)
- 08 NPD (Nationaldemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
- 10 Other party, namely _____

Second vote:

- 21 CSU (Christlich Soziale Union)
- 22 SPD (Sozialdemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
- 23 FDP (Freie Demokratische Partei)
- 24 DIE LINKE (DIE LINKE)
- 25 GRÜNE (BÜNDNIS 90/DIE GRÜNEN)
- 26 FW Freie Wähler
- 27 PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)
- 28 NPD (Nationaldemokratische Partei Deutschlands)
- 30 Other party, namely _____

List of parties for interviewer:

- (1) CDU/CSU
- (4) SPD
- (5) FDP
- (7) DIE LINKE
- (6) GRÜNE
- (215) PIRATEN
- (206) NPD
- (322) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
- (180) Freie Wähler
- (225) REP (DIE REPUBLIKANER)
- (237) Tierschutzpartei (PARTEI MENSCH UMWELT TIERSCHUTZ)
- (209) ÖDP (Ökologisch-Demokratische Partei)
- (171) FAMILIE (Familien-Partei Deutschlands)
- (226) RRP (Rentnerinnen und Rentner Partei)
- (224) RENTNER (Rentner Partei Deutschland)
- (126) BP (Bayernpartei)
- (214) PBC (Partei Bibeltreuer Christen)
- (134) BüSo (Bürgerrechtsbewegung Solidarität)
- (152) DIE VIOLETTEN
- (801) Other party, namely _____

-
- (-83) I cast an invalid vote
 - (-97) Not applicable
 - (-98) Don't know
 - (-99) No answer

v135	Discussions about politics
n135	
Vw q135	Vw Vw075
Nw q151	Nw Nw546

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Question text Vw/Nw:

Vw: Now we would like to know more about who you have recently talked about political parties or the federal election with. On how many days during the last week did you talk with other people, such as members of your family, friends or work colleagues, about political parties or the federal election?

Nw: On how many days during the last week did you talk with other people, such as members of your family, friends or work colleagues, about political parties and politics?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

Vw:

- (0) Not at all
- (1) 1 day
- (2) 2 days
- (3) 3 days
- (4) 4 days
- (5) 5 days
- (6) 6 days
- (7) 7 days

- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

Nw:

- (0) Not at all
- (1) 1 day
- (2) 2 days
- (3) 3 days
- (4) 4 days
- (5) 5 days
- (6) 6 days
- (7) 7 days

- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

v136	Network size
Vw q136	Vw Vw292
Nw -	Nw -

Filtered by question number Vw:

Vw075 = 1-7 (only respondents who state that they have talked about the federal election)

Interviewer instruction Vw:

Question text Vw:

What would you say, with how many people did you talk?

Items Vw:

Scale Vw:

- (1) 1 person
- (2) 2 people
- (3) 3 people
- (4) 4 people
- (5) 5 people
- (6) 6 people
- ...
- (20) 20 people
- (21) More than 20 people

- (-71) Several people, but exact number unknown
- (-97) Not applicable
- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

v137	First discussion partner: relationship (A)
Vw q137	Vw Vw293
Nw -	Nw -

Filtered by question number Vw:

Vw292 = 1 (only respondents who state to have talked with just one person)

Interviewer instruction Vw:

[display list;in case of multiple responses: Friend has priority over work colleagues and neighbours]

Question text Vw:

What relationship do you have with this person?

Items Vw:**Scale Vw:**

- (1) Spouse/Partner
- (2) Child
- (3) Parent
- (4) Another relative
- (5) Friend
- (6) Colleague/classmate
- (7) Neighbour
- (8) Club mate
- (9) Other person

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

v138	First discussion partner: relationship (B)
Vw q138	Vw Vw294
Nw -	Nw -

Filtered by question number Vw:

Vw292 > 1, -71, -98, -99 (only respondents who a) state to have talked with more than one person or b) answer "Don't know" to the question concerning the number of people or c) don't answer the question concerning the number of people)

Interviewer instruction Vw:

[display list;in case of multiple responses: Friend has priority over work colleagues and neighbours]

Question text Vw:

If you now think of the person amongst these other people you talked most about political parties or the federal election with, what is your relationship to this person?

Items Vw:**Scale Vw:**

- (1) Spouse/Partner
- (2) Child
- (3) Parent
- (4) Another relative
- (5) Friend
- (6) Colleague/classmate
- (7) Neighbour
- (8) Club mate
- (9) Other person

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

v139	First discussion partner: frequency
Vw q139	Vw Vw295
Nw -	Nw -

Filtered by question number Vw:

Vw292 > 0, -71, -98, -99 (only respondents who a) state to have talked with at least one person or b) answer "Don't know" to the question concerning the number of people or c) don't answer the question concerning the number of people)

Interviewer instruction Vw:

Question text Vw:

On how many days during the last week did you talk with this person about political parties and the federal election?

Items Vw:

Scale Vw:

- (0) Not at all
 (1) 1 day
 (2) 2 days
 (3) 3 days
 (4) 4 days
 (5) 5 days
 (6) 6 days
 (7) 7 days

(-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

v140	First discussion partner: knowledge of politics
Vw q140	Vw Vw078
Nw -	Nw -

Filtered by question number Vw:

Vw292 > 0, -71, -98, -99 (only respondents who a) state to have talked with at least one person or b) answer "Don't know" to the question concerning the number of people or c) don't answer the question concerning the number of people)

Interviewer instruction Vw:

Question text Vw:

How much do you think this person knows about politics? A great deal, a fair amount, not so much, or nothing at all?

Items Vw:

Scale Vw:

- (1) A great deal
 (2) A fair amount
 (3) Not so much
 (4) Nothing at all

(-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

v141	First discussion partner: differences of opinion
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Vw q141	Vw Vw079
Nw -	Nw -

Filtered by question number Vw:

Vw292 > 0, -71, -98, -99 (only respondents who a) state to have talked with at least one person or b) answer "Don't know" to the question concerning the number of people or c) don't answer the question concerning the number of people)

Interviewer instruction Vw:**Question text Vw:**

When you talk with this person about political questions, how often would you say you are of different opinion: often, sometimes, rarely or never?

Items Vw:**Scale Vw:**

- (1) Often
- (2) Sometimes
- (3) Rarely
- (4) Never

-
- (-97) Not applicable
 - (-98) Don't know
 - (-99) No answer

v142a-b	First discussion partner: voting decision
Vw q142a-b	Vw Vw277
Nw -	Nw -

Filtered by question number Vw:

Vw292 > 0, -71, -98, -99 (only respondents who a) state to have talked with at least one person or b) answer "Don't know" to the question concerning the number of people or c) don't answer the question concerning the number of people)

Interviewer instruction Vw:**Question text Vw:**

Which party do you think this person will probably vote for in the federal election on 22nd September, or do you think she/he will not go to vote at all?

Items Vw:**Scale Vw:**

List of parties for interviewer:

- (1) CDU/CSU
- (2) CDU
- (3) CSU
- (4) SPD
- (5) FDP
- (7) DIE LINKE
- (6) GRÜNE
- (215) PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)
- (206) NPD [INT.: auch DVU]
- (322) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
- (180) Freie Wähler
- (225) REP (DIE REPUBLIKANER)
- (237) Tierschutzpartei (PARTEI MENSCH UMWELT TIERSCHUTZ)
- (209) ÖDP (Ökologisch-Demokratische Partei)
- (171) FAMILIE (Familien-Partei Deutschlands)
- (226) RRP (Rentnerinnen und Rentner Partei)
- (224) RENTNER (Rentner Partei Deutschland)
- (126) BP (Bayernpartei)

(214) PBC (Partei Bibeltreuer Christen)
 (134) BüSo (Bürgerrechtsbewegung Solidarität)
 (152) DIE VIOLETTEN
 (801) Other party, namely _____

 (-81) Has not decided yet
 (-85) Will not vote
 (-86) Not eligible to vote
 (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

v143	Second discussion partner: relationship (A)
Vw q143	Vw Vw296
Nw -	Nw -

Filtered by question number Vw:

Vw292 = 2 (only respondents who state to have talked with just two people)

Interviewer instruction Vw:

[display list; in case of multiple responses: Friend has priority over work colleagues and neighbours]

Question text Vw:

If you now think of the other person you talked most about political parties and the federal election with, what is your relationship to this person?

Items Vw:

Scale Vw:

- (1) Spouse/Partner
- (2) Child
- (3) Parent
- (4) Another relative
- (5) Friend
- (6) Colleague/classmate
- (7) Neighbour
- (8) Club mate
- (9) Other person

 (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

v144	Second discussion partner: relationship (B)
Vw q144	Vw Vw297
Nw -	Nw -

Filtered by question number Vw:

Vw292 > 2, -71 (only respondents who state to have talked with more than two people)

Interviewer instruction Vw:

[display list; in case of multiple responses: Friend has priority over work colleagues and neighbours]

Question text Vw:

If you now think of the other person you talked most about political parties and the federal election with, what is your relationship to this person?

Items Vw:

Scale Vw:

- (1) Spouse/Partner
- (2) Child

- (3) Parent
- (4) Another relative
- (5) Friend
- (6) Colleague/classmate
- (7) Neighbour
- (8) Club mate
- (9) Other person

-
- (-97) Not applicable
 - (-98) Don't know
 - (-99) No answer

v145	Second discussion partner: frequency
Vw q145	Vw Vw265
Nw -	Nw -

Filtered by question number Vw:

Vw292 > 1, -71 (only respondents who state to have talked with more than one person)

Interviewer instruction Vw:**Question text Vw:**

On how many days during the last week did you talk with this person about political parties and the federal election?

Items Vw:**Scale Vw:**

- (0) Not at all
- (1) 1 day
- (2) 2 days
- (3) 3 days
- (4) 4 days
- (5) 5 days
- (6) 6 days
- (7) 7 days

-
- (-97) Not applicable
 - (-98) Don't know
 - (-99) No answer

v146	Second discussion partner: knowledge of politics
Vw q146	Vw Vw285
Nw -	Nw -

Filtered by question number Vw:

Vw292 > 1, -71 (only respondents who state to have talked with more than one person)

Interviewer instruction Vw:**Question text Vw:**

How much do you think this person knows about politics? A great deal, a fair amount, not so much, or nothing at all?

Items Vw:**Scale Vw:**

- (1) A great deal
- (2) A fair amount
- (3) Not so much
- (4) Nothing at all

(-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

v147	Second discussion partner: differences of opinion
Vw q147	Vw Vw279
Nw -	Nw -

Filtered by question number Vw:

Vw292 > 1, -71 (only respondents who state to have talked with more than one person)

Interviewer instruction Vw:

Question text Vw:

When you talk with this person about political questions, how often would you say you are of different opinion: often, sometimes, rarely or never?

Items Vw:

Scale Vw:

- (1) Often
- (2) Sometimes
- (3) Rarely
- (4) Never

(-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

v148a-b	Second discussion partner: voting decision
Vw q148a-b	Vw Vw086
Nw -	Nw -

Filtered by question number Vw:

Vw292 > 1, -71 (only respondents who state to have talked with more than one person)

Interviewer instruction Vw:

Question text Vw:

Which party do you think this person will probably vote for in the federal election on 22nd September, or do you think she/he will not go to vote at all?

Items Vw:

Scale Vw:

List of parties for interviewer:

- (1) CDU/CSU
- (2) CDU
- (3) CSU
- (4) SPD
- (5) FDP
- (7) DIE LINKE
- (6) GRÜNE
- (215) PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)
- (206) NPD [INT.: auch DVU]
- (322) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
- (180) Freie Wähler
- (225) REP (DIE REPUBLIKANER)
- (237) Tierschutzpartei (PARTEI MENSCH UMWELT TIERSCHUTZ)
- (209) ÖDP (Ökologisch-Demokratische Partei)
- (171) FAMILIE (Familien-Partei Deutschlands)

(226) RRP (Rentnerinnen und Rentner Partei)
 (224) RENTNER (Rentner Partei Deutschland)
 (126) BP (Bayernpartei)
 (214) PBC (Partei Bibeltreuer Christen)
 (134) BüSo (Bürgerrechtsbewegung Solidarität)
 (152) DIE VIOLETTEN
 (801) Other party, namely _____

 (-81) Has not decided yet
 (-85) Will not vote
 (-86) Not eligible to vote
 (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

v149	Voter turnout, neighbourhood
Vw q149	Vw Vw286
Nw -	Nw -

Filtered by question number Vw:

Interviewer instruction Vw:
 [display list]

Question text Vw:

What do you think, how many people from your neighbourhood will vote in the federal election: almost everybody, many, not so many, a few or almost nobody?

Items Vw:

Scale Vw:

- (1) Almost everybody
- (2) Many
- (3) Not so many
- (4) A few
- (5) Almost nobody

 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn150	Macrojustice
Vw q150	Vw Vw270
Nw q152	Nw Nw169

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:
 [display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Let's talk about the state of society in Germany as a whole. How just or unjust would you say things are generally going?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Very just
- (2) Just
- (3) Neither just nor unjust
- (4) Unjust
- (5) Very unjust

 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn151	Justice, development
Vw q151	Vw Vw271
Nw q153	Nw Nw353

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:
 [display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

And how has the society developed in Germany in recent years? Has the society become much more just, a little more just, stayed the same, a little more unjust or much more unjust?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Much more just
- (2) Little more just
- (3) Stayed the same
- (4) Little more unjust
- (5) Much more unjust

 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn152	Justice, ego
Vw q152	Vw Vw272
Nw q154	Nw Nw354

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:
 [display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

In comparison to how other people live here in Germany, do you think that you get a fair share or not? Do you get a lot less than your fair share, a bit less, your fair share, a bit more or a lot more than your fair share?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) A lot less than the fair share
- (2) A bit less than the fair share
- (3) The fair share
- (4) A bit more than the fair share
- (5) A lot more than a fair share

 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn153	Importance of a just society
Vw q153	Vw Vw273
Nw q155	Nw Nw355

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

How important is it to you personally that politics provides a fair distribution of income among people?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (1) Very important
- (2) Somewhat important
- (3) In between
- (4) Not very important
- (5) Not important at all

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn154a-b	Justice political parties
Vw q154a-b	Vw Vw274
Nw q156a-b	Nw Nw356

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:**Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:**

[display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

From your point of view, which political party does the most for a fair distribution of income?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

List of parties for respondent:

CDU/CSU

SPD

FDP

DIE LINKE

GRÜNE

PIRATEN

NPD

AfD

Other party, namely _____

All parties equally good

No party

List of parties for interviewer:

(1) CDU/CSU

(2) CDU

(3) CSU

(4) SPD

(5) FDP

(7) DIE LINKE

(6) GRÜNE

(215) PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)

(206) NPD [INT.: also DVU]

(322) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)

(180) Freie Wähler

(225) REP (DIE REPUBLIKANER)

(237) Tierschutzpartei (PARTEI MENSCH UMWELT TIERSCHUTZ)

(209) ÖDP (Ökologisch-Demokratische Partei)

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(226) RRP (Rentnerinnen und Rentner Partei)

(224) RENTNER (Rentner Partei Deutschland)
 (126) BP (Bayernpartei)
 (214) PBC (Partei Bibeltreuer Christen)
 (134) BüSo (Bürgerrechtsbewegung Solidarität)
 (152) DIE VIOLETTEN
 (801) Other party, namely _____
 (808) No party
 (809) All parties equally good

(-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

v155a-b	Political knowledge: assignment politicians/parties
Vw q155a-c	Vw Vw275
Nw -	Nw -

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[Show pictures from booklet list successively; respondent is required to assign the images to the parties listed below.]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Which party do the following politicians belong to?

Items Vw/Nw:

(A) Picture q155A in booklet list (Peer Steinbrück)
 (B) Picture q155B in booklet list (Rainer Brüderle)
 (C) Picture q155C in booklet list (Katrin Göring-Eckardt)

Scale Vw/Nw:

List of parties for respondent:

CDU
 CSU
 SPD
 FDP
 DIE LINKE
 GRÜNE
 PIRATEN
 AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)

List of parties for interviewer:

(2) CDU
 (3) CSU
 (4) SPD
 (5) FDP
 (7) DIE LINKE
 (6) GRÜNE
 (215) PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)
 (322) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)

(-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn156a-b	Party identification, father
Vw q156a-b	Vw Vw124
Nw q163a-b	Nw Nw540

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list and leave displayed; in case of multiple responses: What do you think? Which of these political parties did he think of himself as close to strongest or longest?]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Now when you think of your father, does he or did he think of himself as close to any political party? If yes, which party is or was that?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

List of parties for respondent:

CDU/CSU
 CDU
 CSU
 SPD
 FDP
 DIE LINKE
 GRÜNE
 PIRATEN
 NPD
 AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
 REP (DIE REPUBLIKANER)
 DBD (Demokratische Bauernpartei Deutschlands)
 DDP (Deutsche Demokratische Partei)
 DNVP (Deutschnationale Volkspartei)
 DVP (Deutsche Volkspartei)
 KPD (Kommunistische Partei Deutschlands)
 LDPD (Liberal-Demokratische Partei Deutschlands)
 NSDAP (Nationalsozialistische Deutsche Arbeiterpartei)
 SED (Sozialistische Einheitspartei Deutschlands)
 ZENTRUM (Deutsche Zentrumspartei)
 Other parties, namely _____

List of parties for interviewer:

(1) CDU/CSU
 (2) CDU
 (3) CSU
 (4) SPD
 (5) FDP
 (7) DIE LINKE
 (6) GRÜNE
 (215) PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)
 (206) NPD [INT.: also DVU]
 (322) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
 (180) Freie Wähler
 (225) REP (DIE REPUBLIKANER)
 (305) DBD (Demokratische Bauernpartei Deutschlands)
 (140) DDP (Deutsche Demokratische Partei)
 (306) DNVP (Deutschnationale Volkspartei)
 (167) DVP (Deutsche Volkspartei)
 (197) KPD (Kommunistische Partei Deutschlands)
 (304) LDPD (Liberal-Demokratische Partei Deutschlands)
 (207) NSDAP (Nationalsozialistische Deutsche Arbeiterpartei)
 (229) SED (Sozialistische Einheitspartei Deutschlands)
 (256) ZENTRUM (Deutsche Zentrumspartei)
 (801) Other parties, namely _____
 (808) No party

 (-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

Vw q157a-b	Vw Vw125
Nw q164a-b	Nw Nw541

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:**Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:**

[List is still displayed; in case of multiple responses: What do you think? Which of these political parties did she think of herself as close to strongest or longest?]

Question text Vw/Nw:

And what about your mother? Does she or did she think of herself as close to any political party? If yes, which party is or was that?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

List of parties for respondent:

CDU/CSU
 CDU
 CSU
 SPD
 FDP
 DIE LINKE
 GRÜNE
 PIRATEN
 NPD
 AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
 REP (DIE REPUBLIKANER)
 DBD (Demokratische Bauernpartei Deutschlands)
 DDP (Deutsche Demokratische Partei)
 DNVP (Deutschnationale Volkspartei)
 DVP (Deutsche Volkspartei)
 KPD (Kommunistische Partei Deutschlands)
 LDPD (Liberal-Demokratische Partei Deutschlands)
 NSDAP (Nationalsozialistische Deutsche Arbeiterpartei)
 SED (Sozialistische Einheitspartei Deutschlands)
 ZENTRUM (Deutsche Zentrumspartei)
 Other parties, namely _____

List of parties for interviewer:

(1) CDU/CSU
 (2) CDU
 (3) CSU
 (4) SPD
 (5) FDP
 (7) DIE LINKE
 (6) GRÜNE
 (215) PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)
 (206) NPD [INT.: also DVU]
 (322) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
 (180) Freie Wähler
 (225) REP (DIE REPUBLIKANER)
 (305) DBD (Demokratische Bauernpartei Deutschlands)
 (140) DDP (Deutsche Demokratische Partei)
 (306) DNVP (Deutschnationale Volkspartei)
 (167) DVP (Deutsche Volkspartei)
 (197) KPD (Kommunistische Partei Deutschlands)
 (304) LDPD (Liberal-Demokratische Partei Deutschlands)
 (207) NSDAP (Nationalsozialistische Deutsche Arbeiterpartei)
 (229) SED (Sozialistische Einheitspartei Deutschlands)
 (256) ZENTRUM (Deutsche Zentrumspartei)
 (801) Other parties, namely _____
 (808) No party

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn158	Household size
Vw q158	Vw T01.1
Nw q165	Nw T01.1

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:**Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:****Question text Vw/Nw:**

Finally, some questions concerning you personally. How many people live in your household permanently, including yourself and all children?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (1) 1 person
- (2) 2 people
- (3) 3 people
- (4) 4 people
- (5) 5 people
- (6) 6 people
- (7) 7 people
- (8) 8 people or more

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn159a-g	Age of household members
Vw q159a-g	Vw D01.3
Nw q166a-g	Nw D01.3

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T01.1 = 2-8 (only respondents who state that the size of their household is 2-8 people)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:**Question text Vw/Nw:**

And how old are the people who live in your household?

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) 2. person: _____
- (B) 3. person: _____
- (C) 4. person: _____
- (D) 5. person: _____
- (E) 6. person: _____
- (F) 7. person: _____
- (G) 8. person: _____

Scale Vw/Nw:

<AGE IN YEARS>

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn161	Marital status
Vw q161	Vw T04.1
Nw q167	Nw T04.1

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:**Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:**

[Let respondent answer spontaneously; ask whether people live together or are separated, e.g. if only mentioned married]

Question text Vw/Nw:

What is your marital status?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (1) Married and living in the same household as husband or wife
- (2) Have a husband or wife but don't live in the same household
- (3) Same-sex union together in the same household
- (4) Same-sex union but not living in the same household
- (5) Never married
- (6) Divorced
- (7) Widowed

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn162	Respondent has a partner
Vw q162	Vw T04.2
Nw q168	Nw T04.2

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T04.1 = 2, 4-7, -98, -99 (only respondents who a) state to be married and to live apart from their partner or b) state to live in a civil partnership apart from their partner or c) state to be single or d) state to be divorced or e) state to be widowed or f) answer "Don't know" to the question concerning the marital status or g) don't answer the question concerning the marital status)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:**Question text Vw/Nw:**

Do you have a partner? And if yes, are you living with him/her in the same household?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (1) Yes, do not live in the same household
- (2) Yes, do live in the same household
- (3) No

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn163	School leaving certificate
Vw q163	Vw T05.1
Nw q169	Nw T05.1

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:**Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:**

[display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

What's your highest level of general education?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (1) 1 Finished school without school leaving certificate
 (2) 2 Lowest formal qualification of Germany's tripartite secondary school system, after 8 or 9 years of schooling ("Hauptschulabschluss", "Volksschulabschluss")
 (3) 3 Intermediary secondary qualification, after 10 years of schooling ("Mittlere Reife", "Realschulabschluss" resp. "Polytechnische Oberschule mit Abschluss 10. Klasse")
 (4) 4 Certificate fulfilling entrance requirements to study at a polytechnical college ("Fachhochschulreife (Abschluss einer Fachoberschule etc.)")
 (5) 5 Higher qualification, entitling holders to study at a university ("Abitur" resp. "Erweiterte Oberschule mit Abschluss 12. Klasse (Hochschulreife)")
 (6) 6 Other school leaving certificate, please enter: _____
 (9) 9 Still at school

 (-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

v164a-o	Vocational and professional training
n164a-r	
Vw q164a-o	Vw T05.4
Nw q170a-r	Nw T05.4

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T05.1 = 1-6, -98, -99 (only respondents who a) state not to be a school student or b) answer "Don't know" to the question concerning the certificate or c) don't answer the question concerning the certificate)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list; multiple response is possible]

Programming note: Multiple response is possible

Question text Vw/Nw:

And what kind of vocational training did you complete? Please name the appropriate letter which corresponds with your vocational training.

Items Vw/Nw:**Vw:**

- (A) D - On-the-job vocational training with final certificate, but not within a traineeship or apprenticeship scheme ("Beruflich-betriebliche Anlernzeit mit Abschlusszeugnis, aber keine Lehre")
 (B) G - Compact vocational training course ("Teilfacharbeiterabschluss", East Germany)
 (C) I - Completed trades/crafts or agricultural traineeship ("Abgeschlossene gewerbliche oder landwirtschaftliche Lehre")
 (D) B - Completed commercial traineeship ("Abgeschlossene kaufmaennische Lehre")
 (E) E - Work placement/internship ("Berufliches Praktikum, Volontariat")
 (F) M - Specialized vocational college certificate ("Berufsfachschulabschluss")
 (G) P - Technical or vocational college certificate ("Fachschulabschluss")
 (H) H - Master (craftsman), technician or equivalent college certificate ("Meister, Technikerabschluss")
 (I) K - Polytechnic degree ("Fachhochschulabschluss")
 (J) N - University degree ("Hochschulabschluss")
 (K) C - Other vocational training certificate, please enter: _____
 (L) F - Still training/studying
 (M) L - No completed vocational training

Nw:

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Scale Vw/Nw:**Vw:**

- (0) Not mentioned
 (1) Mentioned
-

- (-97) Not applicable
- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

Nw:

List for respondents/interviewer:

- (1) D - On-the-job vocational training with final certificate, but not within a traineeship or apprenticeship scheme ("Beruflich-betriebliche Anlernzeit mit Abschlusszeugnis, aber keine Lehre")
- (2) G - Compact vocational training course ("Teilfacharbeiterabschluss", East Germany)
- (3) I - Completed trades/crafts or agricultural traineeship ("Abgeschlossene gewerbliche or landwirtschaftliche Lehre")
- (4) B - Completed commercial traineeship ("Abgeschlossene kaufmännische Lehre")
- (5) E - Work placement/internship ("Berufliches Praktikum, Volontariat")
- (6) M - Specialized vocational college certificate ("Berufsfachschulabschluss")
- (7) A - Vocational academy certificate ("Fachakademie-/Berufsakademieabschluss")
- (8) P - Technical or vocational college certificate ("Fachschulabschluss")
- (9) H - Master (craftsman), technician or equivalent college certificate ("Meister, Technikerabschluss")
- (10) K - Polytechnic degree ("Fachhochschulabschluss")
- (11) N - University degree, Bachelor ("Hochschulabschluss: Bachelor")
- (12) O - University degree, Master („Hochschulabschluss: Master, Diplom, Magister, Staatsexamen“)
- (13) L - Doctoral degree („Promotion“)
- (14) C - Other vocational training certificate, please enter: _____
- (15) F - Still training/studying
- (16) L - No completed vocational training

- (-97) Not applicable
- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

vn165	Gainful employment
Vw q165	Vw T06.6
Nw q171	Nw T06.6

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:**Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:**

[display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Do you currently work in a full-time or part-time job? Which of the descriptions in this list describes your status?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (1) 1 In full-time employment (more than 30 h/week)
- (2) 2 In part-time employment (up to 30 h/week)
- (3) 3 In a traineeship or apprenticeship scheme
- (4) 4 School student
- (5) 5 Studying at a polytechnic or university
- (6) 6 Currently on a retraining course
- (7) 7 Currently unemployed
- (8) 8 Currently on short-time working
- (9) 9 Community service (Bundesfreiwilligendienst, Freiwilliges Soziales Jahr (FSJ), Freiwilliges Ökologisches Jahr (FÖJ))
- (10) 10 Retirement, on a pension (formerly employed)
- (11) 11 On maternity leave, parental leave
- (12) 12 Not in full or part-time employment (Housewife/Househusband)

- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

vn166	Previous gainful employment
Vw q166	Vw T06.7
Nw q172	Nw T06.7

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T06.6 = 4-7, 9-12, -98, -99 (only respondents who a) state not to be employed or b) answer "Don't know" to the question concerning the employment status or c) don't answer the question concerning the employment status)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:**Question text Vw/Nw:**

Have you worked in a full-time or part-time job in the past?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (1) Yes
- (2) No

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn167	Profession
Vw q167	Vw T07.1
Nw q173	Nw T07.1

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T06.6 = 1-3, 8 (only respondents who state to be employed)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list; if someone pursues two jobs: meant is the job, one works mainly]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Next we come to the work you do. Do you belong to the occupational group of...

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

Worker

- (11) Unskilled and semiskilled worker
- (12) Skilled worker and crafter
- (13) Foreman, master, site foreman

Employee

- (21) Foreman and head workman in employment
- (22) Employee with simple duties (e.g. salesperson, clerk, typist)
- (23) Employee under loose supervision carrying out complex tasks independently (e.g. senior clerical staff, bookkeeper, draughtsman)
- (24) Employee carrying out responsible tasks independently or with limited responsibility for others (e.g. researcher, manager, head of department)
- (25) Employee with wide managerial responsibilities and decision-making powers (e.g. head of organisation/association, managing director, executive of large firm or organisation)

Officials /judges / professional soldier

- (31) lower grade of the civil service (up to and including "Oberamtsleiter")
- (32) middle grade of the civil service (from "Assistant" to "Hauptsekretär/Amtsinspektor")
- (33) upper grade of the civil service (from "Inspektor" to "Oberamtsmann/Oberamtsrat")
- (34) higher grade of the civil service, judges ("Regierungsrat" and higher)

Independent professional (e.g. doctor in private practice, lawyer)

- (41) without employees
- (42) 1-9 employees
- (43) 10 employees and more

Self-employed in trade or craft, industry, service sector, etc.

- (51) without employees
- (52) 1-9 employees
- (53) 10 employees and more
- (61) Independent farmer
- (62) Family member assisting in family business
- (63) In vocational training

- (-97) Not applicable
- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

vn168b-e	Occupation
Vw q168b-e	Vw T07.2
Nw q174b-e	Nw T07.2

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T06.6 = 1-3, 8 (only respondents who state to be employed)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[note answer]

Coding note (Vw): Coding according to ISCO88, ISCO08

Question text Vw/Nw:

Which professional activity do you practise in your main job? Does this activity have a special name? [Please specify the precise name of your professional activity, in other words do not name "commercial employee" but "forwarding merchant", not "manual worker" but "machinist". If you are a public employee, please specify your official title, e.g. "police officer", or "senior teacher". If you are an apprentice/trainee, please specify the occupation you are training for.]

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

<Make a note of response>

- (-97) Not applicable
- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

vn169	Temporary/agency work
Vw q169	Vw T09.1
Nw q175	Nw T09.1

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T07.1 = 11-34 (only respondents who state to be employed as worker, employee or official/judge/professional soldier)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

What kind of employment contract is this?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Normal, fixed term
- (2) Normal, permanent
- (3) Temporary/agency, fixed term
- (4) Temporary/agency, permanent

(-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn170	Supervisory function
Vw q170	Vw T07.4
Nw q176	Nw T07.4

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T07.1 = 11-34 (only respondents who state to be employed as worker, employee or official/judge/professional soldier)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Question text Vw/Nw:

Do your professional duties include supervising other employees or telling them what they have to do?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Yes
 (2) No

(-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn171	Employment sector
Vw q171	Vw T07.6
Nw q177	Nw T07.6

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T07.1 = 11-25, 63 (only respondents who state to be employed as worker or employee or who state to be in vocational training)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Which type of company do you work for?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Public sector
 (2) Company owned wholly or partly by the Federal Government, Federal States or local authorities
 (3) Non-profit company
 (4) Private sector company

(-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn172	Sector of the economy
Vw q172	Vw T07.7
Nw q178	Nw T07.7

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T06.6 = 1-3, 8 (only respondents who state to be employed)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

What kind of business/industry are you working in? Please tell me the identification code from this list.

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) 1 - Agriculture, forestry, fishery
- (2) 2 - Energy industry, water sector, mining
- (3) 3 - Manufacturing
- (4) 4 - Construction and real estate
- (5) 5 - Trade
- (6) 6 - Hotel and catering
- (7) 7 - Transport
- (8) 8 - Banking, insurance
- (9) 9 - Information technology, data processing
- (10) 10 - Other commercial services (e.g. legal or business consulting, legal services)
- (11) 11 - Administration
- (12) 12 - Education, research and development
- (13) 13 - Social services (nursing, support, therapy, etc.)
- (14) 14 - Other services

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn173a-c	Unemployment over the last 10 years
Vw q173a-c	Vw T06.9
Nw q179a-c	Nw T06.9

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[If respondent was not unemployed enter "0"; specify in years, months and weeks; if respondent is retired / pensioner: the time before you went into retirement is meant]

Question text Vw/Nw:

How long have you been unemployed altogether over the last 10 years?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

<Note years, months and weeks>

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn174	Fear of job loss
Vw q174	Vw T09.4
Nw q180	Nw T09.4

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T07.1 = 11-34, 63 (only respondents who state to be employed as worker, employee or official/judge/professional soldier or who state to be in vocational training)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[Read out list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Are you worried that you might lose your job or have to change your job in the next two years?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) No
 (2) Yes, I am worried about becoming unemployed
 (3) Yes, I am worried about having to change my job
 (4) Yes, I am worried about both

 (-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn175	Fear of losing professional career
Vw q175	Vw T09.7
Nw q182	Nw T09.7

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T07.1 = 41-62 (only respondents who state to work in an independent profession, self-employed or as an assisting family member)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[read out list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Are you worried that you might lose your present professional career in the next two years or have to change your profession?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) No
 (2) Yes, I am worried that I might lose my present professional career
 (3) Yes, I am worried that I have to change my profession
 (4) Yes, I am worried about both

 (-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn176	Former profession
Vw q176	Vw T08.1
Nw q183	Nw T08.1

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T06.7 = 1 (only respondents who state to have been employed full-time or part-time in the past)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

From this list please tell me what you did in your last job.

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

Worker

- (11) Unskilled and semiskilled worker
 (12) Skilled worker and crafter
 (13) Foreman, master, site foreman

Employee

- (21) Foreman and head workman in employment
- (22) Employee with simple duties (e.g. salesperson, clerk, typist)
- (23) Employee under loose supervision carrying out complex tasks independently (e.g. senior clerical staff, Bookkeeper, draughtsman)
- (24) Employee carrying out responsible tasks independently or with limited responsibility for others (e.g. Researcher, manager, head of department)
- (25) Employee with wide managerial responsibilities and decision-making powers (e.g. head of Organisation/association, managing director, executive of large firm or organisation)

Officials /judges / professional soldier

- (31) Lower grade of the civil service (up to and including "Oberamtsleiter")
- (32) Middle grade of the civil service (from "Assistant" to "Hauptsekretär/Amtsinspektor")
- (33) Upper grade of the civil service (from "Inspektor" to "Oberamtsmann/Oberamtsrat")
- (34) Higher grade of the civil service, judges ("Regierungsrat" and higher)

Independent professional (e.g. doctor in private practice, lawyer)

- (41) Without employees
- (42) 1-9 employees
- (43) 10 employees and more

Self-employed in trade or craft, industry, service sector, etc.

- (51) Without employees
- (52) 1-9 employees
- (53) 10 employees and more

(61) Independent farmer**(62) Family member assisting in family business****(63) In vocational training**-----
(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn227b-e Former occupation

Vw q227b-e Vw T08.2

Nw q184b-e Nw T08.2

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T06.7 = 1 (only respondents who state to have been employed full-time or part-time in the past)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[note answer]

Coding note: Coding according to ISCO88, ISCO08

Question text Vw/Nw:

Which professional activity did you practise in your main job? Does this activity have a special name? [Please specify the precise name of your professional activity, in other words do not name "commercial employee" but "forwarding merchant", not "manual worker" but "machinist". If you are a public employee, please specify your official title, e.g. "police officer", or "senior teacher". If you are an apprentice/trainee, please specify the occupation you are training for.]

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

<Make a note of response>

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn177 Former supervisory functions

Vw q177 Vw T08.4

Nw q185 Nw T08.4

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T08.1 = 11-34 (only respondents who state to have been employed as worker, employee or official/judge/professional soldier)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Question text Vw/Nw:

Did your professional duties include supervising other employees or telling them what they had to do?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Yes
- (2) No

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn178	Former employment sector
Vw q178	Vw T08.6
Nw q186	Nw T08.6

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T08.1 = 11-25, 63 (only respondents who state to have been employed as worker or employee or who state to have been in vocational training in the past)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Which type of company did you work for?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Public sector
- (2) Company owned wholly or partly by the Federal Government, Federal States or local authorities
- (3) Non-profit company
- (4) Private sector company

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn179	Former sector of the economy
Vw q179	Vw T08.7
Nw q187	Nw T08.7

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T06.7 = 1 (only respondents who state to have been employed full-time or part-time in the past)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

What kind of business/industry were you working in?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) 1 - Agriculture, forestry, fishery
- (2) 2 - Energy industry, water sector, mining

- (3) 3 - Manufacturing
- (4) 4 - Construction and real estate
- (5) 5 - Trade
- (6) 6 - Hotel and catering
- (7) 7 - Transport
- (8) 8 - Banking, insurance
- (9) 9 - Information technology, data processing
- (10) 10 - Other commercial services (e.g. legal or business consulting, legal services)
- (11) 11 - Administration
- (12) 12 - Education, research and development
- (13) 13 - Social services (nursing, support, therapy, etc.)
- (14) 14 - Other services

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- (-97) Not applicable
 - (-98) Don't know
 - (-99) No answer

vn180	Partner's school leaving certificate
Vw q180	Vw T10.01
Nw q188	Nw T10.01

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T04.1 = 1, 3 OR T04.2 = 2 (only respondents who state to live together with their (marriage) partner)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

And now, some questions concerning the education and occupation of your spouse/partner, beginning with education. What is the highest level of general education of your spouse/partner?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) 1 - Finished school without school leaving certificate
- (2) 2 - Lowest formal qualification of Germany's tripartite secondary school system, after 8 or 9 years of schooling ("Hauptschulabschluss", "Volksschulabschluss")
- (3) 3 - Intermediary secondary qualification, after 10 years of schooling ("Mittlere Reife", "Realschulabschluss" resp. "Polytechnische Oberschule mit Abschluss 10. Klasse")
- (4) 4 - Certificate fulfilling entrance requirements to study at a polytechnical college ("Fachhochschulreife (Abschluss einer Fachoberschule etc.)")
- (5) 5 - Higher qualification, entitling holders to study at a university ("Abitur" resp. "Erweiterte Oberschule mit Abschluss 12. Klasse (Hochschulreife)")
- (6) 6 - Other school leaving certificate, please enter: _____
- (9) 9 - Still at school

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- (-97) Not applicable
 - (-98) Don't know
 - (-99) No answer

vn181	Partner's employment
Vw q181	Vw T10.6
Nw q189	Nw T10.6

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T04.1 = 1, 3 OR T04.2 = 2 (only respondents who state to live together with their (marriage) partner)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Does your partner currently work in a full-time or part-time job? Which of the descriptions in this list describes his/her status?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

Scale:

- (1) 1 In full-time employment (more than 30 h/week)
- (2) 2 In part-time employment (up to 30 h/week)
- (3) 3 In a traineeship or apprenticeship scheme
- (4) 4 School student
- (5) 5 Studying at a polytechnic or university
- (6) 6 Currently on a retraining course
- (7) 7 Currently unemployed
- (8) 8 Currently on short-time working
- (9) 9 Community service (Bundesfreiwilligendienst, Freiwilliges Soziales Jahr (FSJ), Freiwilliges Ökologisches Jahr (FÖJ))
- (10) 10 Retirement, on a pension (formerly employed)
- (11) 11 On maternity leave, parental leave
- (12) 12 Not in full or part-time employment (Housewife/Househusband)

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn182	Partner's former employment
Vw q182	Vw T10.7
Nw q190	Nw T10.7

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T10.6 = 4-7, 9-12, -98, -99 (only respondents who a) state that their (marriage) partner is not employed at the moment or b) answer "Don't know" to the question concerning the employment status of the (marriage) partner or c) don't answer the question concerning the employment status of the (marriage) partner)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Question text Vw/Nw:

Has your partner worked in a full-time or part-time job in the past?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

(1) Yes

(2) No

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn183	Partner's profession
Vw q183	Vw T11.1
Nw q191	Nw T11.1

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T10.6 = 1-3, 8 (only respondents who state that their (marriage) partner is employed)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list; if someone pursues two jobs: meant is the job, one works mainly]

Question text Vw/Nw:

From this list please tell me what she/he does in her/his job.

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

Worker

- (11) unskilled and semiskilled worker
- (12) skilled worker and crafter
- (13) foreman, master, site foreman

Employee

- (21) Foreman and head workman in employment
- (22) Employee with simple duties (e.g. salesperson, clerk, typist)
- (23) Employee under loose supervision carrying out complex tasks independently (e.g. senior clerical staff, bookkeeper, draughtsman)
- (24) Employee carrying out responsible tasks independently or with limited responsibility for others (e.g. researcher, manager, head of department)
- (25) Employee with wide managerial responsibilities and decision-making powers (e.g. head of organisation/association, managing director, executive of large firm or organisation)

Officials /judges / professional soldier

- (31) lower grade of the civil service (up to and including "Oberamtsleiter")
- (32) middle grade of the civil service (from "Assistant" to "Hauptsekretär/Amtsinspektor")
- (33) upper grade of the civil service (from "Inspektor" to "Oberamtsmann/Oberamtsrat")
- (34) higher grade of the civil service, judges ("Regierungsrat" and higher)

Independent professional (e.g. doctor in private practice, lawyer)

- (41) without employees
- (42) 1-9 employees
- (43) 10 employees and more

Self-employed in trade or craft, industry, service sector, etc.

- (51) without employees
- (52) 1-9 employees
- (53) 10 employees and more

(61) Independent farmer

(62) Family member assisting in family business

(63) In vocational training

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn184b-e	Partner's occupation
Vw q184b-e	Vw T11.2
Nw q192b-e	Nw T11.2

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T10.6 = 1-3, 8 (only respondents who state that their (marriage) partner is employed)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[note answer]

Coding note: Coding according to ISCO88, ISCO08

Question text Vw/Nw:

Which professional activity does your partner practise in her/his main job? Does this activity have a special name? [Please specify the precise name of her/his professional activity, in other words do not name "commercial employee" but "forwarding merchant", not "manual worker" but "machinist". If she/he is a public employee, please specify her/his official title, e.g. "police officer", or "senior teacher". If she/he is an apprentice/trainee, please specify the occupation she/he is training for.]

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

<Make a note of response>

- (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn185	Partner's supervisory function
Vw q185	Vw T11.4
Nw q193	Nw T11.4

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T11.1 = 11-34 (only respondents who state that their (marriage) partner is employed as worker, employee or official/judge/professional soldier)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Question text Vw/Nw:

Did your partner's professional duties include supervising other employees or telling them what they had to do?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Yes
 (2) No

- (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn186	Partner's employment sector
Vw q186	Vw T11.6
Nw q194	Nw T11.6

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T11.1 = 11-25, 63 (only respondents who state that their (marriage) partner is employed as worker or employee or that he/she is in vocational training)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Which type of company does your partner work for?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Public sector
 (2) Company owned wholly or partly by the Federal Government, Federal States or local authorities
 (3) Non-profit company
 (4) Private sector company

- (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn187	Partner's sector of the economy
Vw q187	Vw T11.7
Nw q195	Nw T11.7

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T10.6 = 1-3, 8 (only respondents who state that their (marriage) partner is employed)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

What kind of business/industry is your partner working in? Please tell me the identification code from this list.

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (1) 1 - Agriculture, forestry, fishery
 - (2) 2 - Energy industry, water sector, mining
 - (3) 3 - Manufacturing
 - (4) 4 - Construction and real estate
 - (5) 5 - Trade
 - (6) 6 - Hotel and catering
 - (7) 7 - Transport
 - (8) 8 - Banking, insurance
 - (9) 9 - Information technology, data processing
 - (10) 10 - Other commercial services (e.g. legal or business consulting, legal services)
 - (11) 11 - Administration
 - (12) 12 - Education, research and development
 - (13) 13 - Social services (nursing, support, therapy, etc.)
 - (14) 14 - Other services
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(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn188	Partner's former profession
Vw q188	Vw T12.1
Nw q197	Nw T12.1

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T10.7 = 1 (only respondents who state that their (marriage) partner has been employed full-time or part-time in the past)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

From this list please tell me what she/he did in her/his last job.

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

Worker

- (11) unskilled and semiskilled worker
- (12) skilled worker and crafter
- (13) foreman, master, site foreman

Employee

- (21) Foreman and head workman in employment
- (22) Employee with simple duties (e.g. salesperson, clerk, typist)
- (23) Employee under loose supervision carrying out complex tasks independently (e.g. senior clerical staff, bookkeeper, draughtsman)
- (24) Employee carrying out responsible tasks independently or with limited responsibility for others (e.g. researcher, manager, head of department)
- (25) Employee with wide managerial responsibilities and decision-making powers (e.g. head of organisation/association, managing director, executive of large firm or organisation)

Officials /judges / professional soldier

- (31) lower grade of the civil service (up to and including "Oberamtsleiter")
- (32) middle grade of the civil service (from "Assistant" to "Hauptsekretär/Amtsinspektor")
- (33) upper grade of the civil service (from "Inspektor" to "Oberamtsmann/Oberamtsrat")
- (34) higher grade of the civil service, judges ("Regierungsrat" and higher)

Independent professional (e.g. doctor in private practice, lawyer)

(41) without employees

(42) 1-9 employees

(43) 10 employees and more

Self-employed in trade or craft, industry, service sector, etc.

(51) without employees

(52) 1-9 employees

(53) 10 employees and more

(61) Independent farmer

(62) Family member assisting in family business

(63) In vocational training

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn189b-e	Partner's former occupation
Vw q189b-e	Vw T12.2
Nw q198b-e	Nw T12.2

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T10.7 = 1 (only respondents who state that their (marriage) partner has been employed full-time or part-time in the past)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[note answer]

Coding note (Vw): Coding according to ISCO88, ISCO08

Question text Vw/Nw:

Which professional activity did your partner practise in her/his main job? Does this activity have a special name? [Please specify the precise name of her/his professional activity, in other words do not name "commercial employee" but "forwarding merchant", not "manual worker" but "machinist". If she/he is a public employee, please specify her/his official title, e.g. "police officer", or "senior teacher". If she/he is an apprentice/trainee, please specify the occupation she/he is training for.]

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

<Make a note of response>

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn190	Partner's former supervisory function
Vw q190	Vw T12.4
Nw q199	Nw T12.4

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T12.1 = 11-34 (only respondents who state that their (marriage) partner has been employed as worker, employee or official/judge/professional soldier in the past)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Question text Vw/Nw:

Did your partner's professional duties include supervising other employees or telling them what they had to do?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Yes
- (2) No

- (-97) Not applicable
- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

vn191	Partner's former employment sector
Vw q191	Vw T12.6
Nw q200	Nw T12.6

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T12.1 = 11-25, 63 (only respondents who state that their (marriage) partner has been employed as worker or employee or that he/she has been in vocational training in the past)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Which type of company did your partner work for?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (1) Public sector
- (2) Company owned wholly or partly by the Federal Government, Federal States or local authorities
- (3) Non-profit company
- (4) Private sector company

- (-97) Not applicable
- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

vn229	Partner's former sector of the economy
Vw q229	Vw T12.7
Nw q201	Nw T12.7

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T10.7 = 1 (only respondents who state that their (marriage) partner has been employed full-time or part-time in the past)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

What kind of business/industry was your partner working in?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (1) 1 - Agriculture, forestry, fishery
- (2) 2 - Energy industry, water sector, mining
- (3) 3 - Manufacturing
- (4) 4 - Construction and real estate
- (5) 5 - Trade
- (6) 6 - Hotel and catering
- (7) 7 - Transport
- (8) 8 - Banking, insurance
- (9) 9 - Information technology, data processing
- (10) 10 - Other commercial services (e.g. legal or business consulting, legal services)

- (11) 11 - Administration
 (12) 12 - Education, research and development
 (13) 13 - Social services (nursing, support, therapy, etc.)
 (14) 14 - Other services
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- (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn192	Subjective perception of class
Vw q192	Vw T16.1
Nw q204	Nw T16.1

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

People talk a lot about social classes these days. Which of these classes do you consider yourself a part of? Please tell me the respective identification code from this list.

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) 1 - Lower class
 (2) 2 - Working class
 (3) 3 - Lower middle class
 (4) 4 - Middle class
 (5) 5 - Upper middle class
 (6) 6 - Upper class
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- (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn228	Religious denomination
Vw q228	Vw T17.1
Nw q205	Nw T17.1

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list]

Question text Vw/Nw:

What is your religious denomination? Please tell me using this list.

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) The German Protestant Church (excluding free churches)
 (2) A Protestant Free Church
 (3) The Roman Catholic Church
 (4) Another Christian denomination
 (5) Another non-Christian denomination
 (9) No religion or denomination
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(-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn193	Church attendance
Vw q193	Vw T17.2
Nw q206	Nw T17.2

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list; participation in church service/prayer in a place of worship (church, mosque, synagogue; concerning Muslims outside of Ramadan-time)]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Generally, how frequently do you attend religious services? Please tell me using this list.

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Never
- (2) Once a year
- (3) Several times a year
- (4) Once a month
- (5) Two to three times a month
- (6) Once a week
- (7) More often

(-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn194	Religious views
Vw q194	Vw T17.3
Nw q207	Nw T17.3

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Question text Vw/Nw:

What would you say about yourself, are you not religious at all, not very religious, somewhat religious or very religious?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Not religious at all
- (2) Not very religious
- (3) Somewhat religious
- (4) Very religious

(-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn195	German citizenship
Vw q195	Vw T02.1
Nw q208	Nw T02.1

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Question text Vw/Nw:

Have you been a German citizen since birth?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Yes
- (2) No

- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

vn196	Country of birth
Vw q196	Vw T18.1
Nw q209	Nw T18.1

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[If respondent was born in the former territory of Germany, that means "In a foreign country"]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Were you born on current German territory?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) On current German territory
- (2) In a foreign country

- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

vn197	Country of birth, federal state
Vw q197	Vw T18.12
Nw q210	Nw T18.12

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T18.1 = 1 (only respondents who state that they were born on the current German territory)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[DO NOT read out. Get respondent to choose and assign]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Please tell me in which federal state or on the current territory of which federal state you were born.

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Baden-Württemberg
- (2) Bavaria
- (3) Berlin
- (4) Brandenburg
- (5) Bremen
- (6) Hamburg
- (7) Hesse
- (8) Mecklenburg-Vorpommern
- (9) Lower Saxony
- (10) North Rhine Westphalia
- (11) Rhineland Palatinate
- (12) Saarland
- (13) Saxony

- (14) Saxony Anhalt
 (15) Schleswig-Holstein
 (16) Thuringia

- (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn198	Country of birth, other country
Vw q198	Vw T18.11
Nw q211	Nw T18.11

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T18.1 = 2 (only respondents who state that they were born in a foreign country)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[DO NOT read out. Get respondent to choose and assign]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Please tell me where you were born.

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Former German territories in Eastern Europe (e.g. Silesia, East Prussia)
 (2) Turkey
 (3) Italy
 (4) Poland
 (5) Russian Federation, Former Soviet Union (USSR)
 (6) Greece
 (7) Croatia, Serbia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Former Yugoslavia
 (8) Austria
 (9) Slovak Republic, Czech Republic, Former Czechoslovakia
 (10) Denmark, Sweden, Norway, Finland
 (11) Netherlands
 (12) Belgium
 (13) France
 (14) Switzerland
 (15) USA
 (16) Other country, namely _____

- (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn199	Age at immigration
Vw q199	Vw T18.2
Nw q212	Nw T18.2

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T18.1 = 2 (only respondents who state that they were born in a foreign country)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[Enter year]

Programming note: only entries <= year of birth are possible

Question text Vw/Nw:

Since when do you live on current German territory?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

<enter year>

(-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn200	Age at immigration: East Germany
Vw q200	Vw T18.22
Nw q213	Nw T18.22

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Federal state = 4, 8, 13, 14, 16 AND T18.12 = 1, 2, 5-7, 9-12, 15 (only respondents who live in East Germany and state that they were born in West Germany)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[Enter year]
 Programming note: only entries <= year of birth are possible

Question text Vw/Nw:

Since when do you live in East Germany? Please tell me the year.

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

<enter year>

(-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn201	Age at immigration: West Germany
Vw q201	Vw T18.21
Nw q214	Nw T18.21

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Federal state = 1, 2, 5-7, 9-12, 15 AND T18.12 = 4, 8, 13, 14, 16 (only respondents who live in West Germany and state that they were born in East Germany)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[Enter year]
 Programming note: only entries <= year of birth are possible

Question text Vw/Nw:

Since when do you live in West Germany? Please tell me the year.

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

<enter year>

(-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn202	Country of birth, parents
Vw q202	Vw T23.1
Nw q215	Nw T23.1

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Nw:

[If respondent was born in the former territory of Germany, that means "In a foreign country"]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Were both your parents born on current German territory?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (1) Yes
- (2) No, mother was not born on current German territory
- (3) No, father was not born on current German territory
- (4) No, mother and father were not born on current German territory

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn203	Country of birth, father
Vw q203	Vw T23.2
Nw q216	Nw T23.2

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T23.1 = 3, 4 (only respondents who state that their father or both parents were not born on current Germany territory)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[DO NOT read out. Get respondent to choose and assign]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Please tell me where your father was born.

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (1) Former German territories in Eastern Europe (e.g. Silesia, East Prussia)
- (2) Turkey
- (3) Italy
- (4) Poland
- (5) Russian Federation, Former Soviet Union (USSR)
- (6) Greece
- (7) Croatia, Serbia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Former Yugoslavia
- (8) Austria
- (9) Slovak Republic, Czech Republic, Former Czechoslovakia
- (10) Denmark, Sweden, Norway, Finland
- (11) Netherlands
- (12) Belgium
- (13) France
- (14) Switzerland
- (15) USA
- (16) Other country, namely _____

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn204	Country of birth, mother
Vw q204	Vw T23.3
Nw q217	Nw T23.3

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T23.1 = 2, 4 (only respondents who state that their mother or both parents were not born on current German territory)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[DO NOT read out. Get respondent to choose and assign]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Please tell me where your mother was born.

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Former German territories in Eastern Europe (e.g. Silesia, East Prussia)
- (2) Turkey
- (3) Italy
- (4) Poland
- (5) Russian Federation, Former Soviet Union (USSR)
- (6) Greece
- (7) Croatia, Serbia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Former Yugoslavia
- (8) Austria
- (9) Slovak Republic, Czech Republic, Former Czechoslovakia
- (10) Denmark, Sweden, Norway, Finland
- (11) Netherlands
- (12) Belgium
- (13) France
- (14) Switzerland
- (15) USA
- (16) Other country, namely _____

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn205	Country of birth, partner
Vw q205	Vw T18.3
Nw q218	Nw T18.3

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T04.1 = 1, 3 OR T04.2 = 2 (only respondents who state to live together with their (marriage) partner)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[If partner was born in the former territory of Germany, that means „In a foreign country“]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Would you please tell me where your partner was born?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) On current German territory
- (2) In a foreign country

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn230	Country of birth, partner, other country
Vw q230	Vw T18.31
Nw q219	Nw T18.31

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T18.3 = 2 (only respondents who state that their (marriage) partner was born in a foreign country)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[DO NOT read out. Get respondent to choose and assign]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Please tell me where your partner was born.

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (1) Former German territories in Eastern Europe (e.g. Silesia, East Prussia)
- (2) Turkey
- (3) Italy
- (4) Poland
- (5) Russian Federation, Former Soviet Union (USSR)
- (6) Greece
- (7) Croatia, Serbia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Former Yugoslavia
- (8) Austria
- (9) Slovak Republic, Czech Republic, Former Czechoslovakia
- (10) Denmark, Sweden, Norway, Finland
- (11) Netherlands
- (12) Belgium
- (13) France
- (14) Switzerland
- (15) USA
- (16) Other country, namely _____

-
- (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn206	Ascertainment migration in 3rd generation
Vw q206	Vw T23.11
Nw q220	Nw T23.11

Gefiltert von Fragennummer(n) Vw/Nw:

Vw: T18.1 = 1 OR T23.1 = 1 (only respondents who state a) that they were born on current German territory or b) that their parents were born on current German territory)

Nw: T18.1=1 AND T23.1=1 (only respondents who state a) that they were born on current German territory or b) that their parents were born on current German territory)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[Germany = current German territory, i.e. .if born in former German territories that means "In a foreign country" and therefore (2) „no“]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Were all your grandparents born on current German territory?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (1) Yes
- (2) No

-
- (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn207	Immigration father
Vw q207	Vw T23.7
Nw q221	Nw T23.7

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T23.1 = 3, 4 (only respondents who state that their father or both parents were not born on current Germany territory)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[enter year]

Question text Vw/Nw:

In which year did your father move to Germany?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

(1850) 1850

...

(2013) 2013

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn208	Immigration mother
Vw q208	Vw T23.6
Nw q222	Nw T23.6

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T23.1 = 2, 4 (only respondents who state that their mother or both parents were not born on current German territory)

Interviewer instruction Vw:

[enter year]

Question text Vw/Nw:

In which year did your mother move to Germany?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

(1850) 1850

...

(2013) 2013

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn209	Language spoken in household
Vw q209	Vw T23.4
Nw q223	Nw T23.4

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T23.1 = 2-4 OR T18.1 = 2 OR T18.3 = 2

(only respondents who state a) that their mother or father or both parents were not born on current German territory or b) that they were born in a foreign country or c) that their (marriage) partner was born in a foreign country)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Question text Vw/Nw:

Do you mainly speak German or a different language at home?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) German
- (2) A different language

- (-97) Not applicable
- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

vn210	Language spoken in household, other language
Vw q210	Vw T23.5
Nw q224	Nw T23.5

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T23.4 = 2 (only respondents who state that another language than German is spoken predominantly in their household)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:**Question text Vw/Nw:**

Which language is mainly spoken at home?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (2) Turkish
- (3) Italian
- (4) Polish
- (5) Serbian
- (6) Greek
- (7) Croatian
- (8) Bosnian
- (9) Danish
- (10) Dutch
- (11) French
- (12) Czech
- (13) Vietnamese
- (14) English
- (15) Russian
- (16) Arabic
- (17) Other language, namely _____

- (-97) Not applicable
- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

vn211	Identification of displaced people („Aussiedler“)
Vw q211	Vw T23.8
Nw q225	Nw T23.8

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T18.1 = 2 OR T23.1 = 2-4 (only respondents who state a) that they were born in a foreign country or b) that their mother or father or both parents were not born on current German territory)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:**Question text Vw/Nw:**

Did you, your mother or you father come as displaced or late displaced people („Spätaussiedler“) to Germany?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Yes
(2) No

- (-97) Not applicable
(-98) Don't know
(-99) No answer

vn212	Identification of asylum seekers
Vw q212	Vw T23.9
Nw q226	Nw T23.9

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T18.1 = 2 OR T23.1 = 2-4 (only respondents who state a) that they were born in a foreign country or b) that their mother or father or both parents were not born on current German territory)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:**Question text Vw/Nw:**

Did you, your mother or your father ever made an application for asylum in Germany?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (1) Yes
(2) No

- (-97) Not applicable
(-98) Don't know
(-99) No answer

vn213a-i	Membership of organisations
Vw q213a-i	Vw T19.2
Nw q227	Nw T19.2

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:**Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:**

[display list; for religious/churchly groups: a non-formal membership to a church/religion is meant]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Here is a list of organisations. Are you presently a member of one of them? Please read through this list and tell me the organisations you are a member of. Please also tell me whether you are just a passive member, whether you participate in the activities of the association or organisation and whether you hold an office.

Items Vw/Nw:

- (A) Trade union
(B) Entrepreneurs'/employer association
(C) Professional association
(D) Farmers' or agriculture association
(E) Religious/Church groups
(F) Sports/Hobby club
(G) Environmental groups
(H) Anti-globalisation organisation like e.g. ATTAC
(I) Party, namely _____

Scale Vw:

- (1) Yes, I am member and execute an office
(2) Yes, I am member, don't execute an office but participate actively

- (3) Yes, I am a passive member
 (4) No, I am not a member

- (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

Scale Nw:

- (1) Yes, I am a member and hold an office
 (2) Yes, I am a member, don't hold an office but participate in the activities of the association/organisation
 (3) Yes, I am a passive member
 (4) No, I am not a member

List of parties for interviewer (Item I):

- (1) CDU/CSU
 (2) CDU
 (3) CSU
 (4) SPD
 (5) FDP
 (7) DIE LINKE
 (6) DIE GRÜNEN
 (215) PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)
 (206) NPD [also DVU] (Nationaldemokratische Partei Deutschlands [Deutsche Volksunion])
 (322) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
 (180) FW Freie Wähler (FW Freie Wähler Bayern e.V.)
 (225) REP (DIE REPUBLIKANER)
 (237) Tierschutzpartei (PARTEI MENSCH UMWELT TIERSCHUTZ)
 (209) ödp (Ökologisch-Demokratische Partei)
 (171) FAMILIE (Familien-Partei Deutschlands)
 (226) RRP (Rentnerinnen und Rentner Partei)
 (224) RENTNER (Rentner Partei Deutschland)
 (126) BP (Bayernpartei)
 (214) PBC (Partei Bibeltreuer Christen)
 (134) BüSo (Bürgerrechtsbewegung Solidarität)
 (152) DIE VIOLETTEN
 (801) Other party, namely _____

- (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn214	Trade union membership in household
Vw q214	Vw T20.1
Nw q228	Nw T20.1

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

T01.1 > 1 (only respondents who state that the size of their household is greater than 1)

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:**Question text Vw/Nw:**

And is anyone else in your household a member of a trade union?

Items Vw/Nw:**Scale Vw/Nw:**

- (1) Yes
 (2) No

- (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn215	Net household income
Vw q215	Vw T15.1
Nw q229	NW T15.1

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

[display list; if respondent refuses to answer, point out that all the information given remains anonymous]

Question text Vw/Nw:

Taken all together, would you please indicate what the monthly net income of your household is? By net income, I mean the amount that you have left after taxes and social security. Please select the monthly net income of your household from one of these groups and tell me the group letter.

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) B - Less than 500 euros
- (2) T - 500 to less than 750 euros
- (3) P - 750 to less than 1000 euros
- (4) F - 1000 to less than 1250 euros
- (5) E - 1250 to less than 1500 euros
- (6) H - 1500 to less than 2000 euros
- (7) L - 2000 to less than 2500 euros
- (8) N - 2500 to less than 3000 euros
- (9) R - 3000 to less than 4000 euros
- (10) M - 4000 to less than 5000 euros
- (11) S - 5000 to less than 7500 euros
- (12) A - 7500 to less than 10000 euros
- (13) D - 10000 euros or more

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

n223s	Reason for not voting (post-election)
Vw -	-
Nw q16s	Nw516

Filtered by question number Nw:

Nw305 = 2 (only respondents who stated that they did not vote for federal election on 22nd September)

Interviewer instruction Nw:

[if necessary, note open answer]

Question text Nw:

And why didn't you vote? Please tell me the reason most important to you.

Items Nw:

Scale Nw:

<note reason>

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

n231a-h	Public expenditure, policy areas (list)
Vw -	-

Nw q7a-h	Nw300
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Filtered by question number Nw:

Interviewer instruction Nw:

[display list and read out question]

Question text Nw:

Please say whether public expenditure in each of the following areas should be higher or lower. Remember if you say "higher" it could require a tax increase, and if you say "lower" it could require a reduction in those services.

Items Nw:

- (A) If you are thinking about public expenditure for health, should public expenditure be a lot higher, a little higher, equally high, a little lower or a lot lower than today?
- (B) And what about public expenditure for education?
- (C) And what about public expenditure for unemployment aid?
- (D) And what about public expenditure for Federal Armed Forces?
- (E) And what about public expenditure for pensions?
- (F) And what about public expenditure for a promotion of economy and industry?
- (G) And what about public expenditure for fighting crime?
- (H) And what about public expenditure for social benefits?

Scale Nw:

- (1) A lot higher than today
- (2) A little higher than today
- (3) Equally high
- (4) A little lower than today
- (5) A lot lower than today

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

n232	Improvement of living standard
Vw -	-
Nw q8	Nw301

Filtered by question number Nw:

Interviewer instruction Nw:

Question text Nw:

Over the next ten years or so, how likely or unlikely is it that you will improve your standard of living? Very likely, somewhat likely, somewhat unlikely, or very unlikely?

Items Nw:

Scale Nw:

- (1) Very likely
- (2) Somewhat likely
- (3) Somewhat unlikely
- (4) Very unlikely

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

n233	General economic situation, retrospective (improved a lot or a bit)
Vw -	-
Nw q11	Nw303

Filtered by question number Nw:

Nw398 = 1 (only respondents who stated that the general economic situation in Germany improved in the last twelve month)

Interviewer instruction Nw:

Question text Nw:

Would you say that the economic situation has improved considerably or improved somewhat?

Items Nw:

Scale Nw:

- (1) Improved considerably
- (2) Improved somewhat

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

n234	General economic situation, retrospective (got a lot or a bit worse)
Vw -	-
Nw q12	Nw304

Filtered by question number Nw:

Nw398 = 3 (only respondents who stated that the general economic situation in Germany got worse in the last twelve month)

Interviewer instruction Nw:

Question text Nw:

Would you say that the economic situation has deteriorated considerably or deteriorated somewhat?

Items Nw:

Scale Nw:

- (1) Deteriorated considerably
- (2) Deteriorated somewhat

(-97) Not applicable

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

n235	Decision non-voting, difficulty
Vw -	-
Nw q17	Nw189

Filtered by question number Nw:

Nw305 = 2 (only respondents who stated that they did not vote for federal election on 22nd September)

Interviewer instruction Nw:

Question text Nw:

Was it very difficult, fairly difficult, fairly easy or very easy for you to decide not to vote in this federal election?

Items Nw:

Scale Nw:

- (1) Very difficult
 (2) Fairly difficult
 (3) Fairly easy
 (4) Very easy

-
- (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

n236	Absentee ballot
Vw -	-
Nw q18	Nw500

Filtered by question number Nw:

Nw305 = 1 (only respondents who stated that they did not vote for federal election on 22nd September)

Interviewer instruction Nw:

[If respondent has voted at the polling station prior to 22nd September 2013, treat answer as "by post"]

Question text Nw:

Did you vote by post beforehand or at the polling station on election day?

Items Nw:

Scale Nw:

- (1) By post
 (2) At the polling station

-
- (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

n237	Difficulty of voting decision
Vw -	-
Nw q21	Nw152

Filtered by question number Nw:

Nw031 = 1-801 in Item B (only respondents who stated that they voted for a political party with their second vote in federal election 2013)

Interviewer instruction Nw:

Question text Nw:

Was it very difficult, fairly difficult, fairly easy or very easy for you to decide whom to vote for in this federal election?

Items Nw:

- (1) Very difficult
 (2) Fairly difficult
 (3) Fairly easy
 (4) Very easy

-
- (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

n238	Time of final voting decision
Vw -	-
Nw q24	Nw151

Filtered by question number Nw:

Nw031 = 1-801 (only respondents who stated that they voted (first or second vote) for a political party at federal election 2013)

Interviewer instruction Nw:

[display list]

Question text Nw:

When did you decide how to vote in this federal election? A long time ago, a few months ago, a few weeks or days before the election or on election day?

Items Nw:**Scale Nw:**

- (1) A long time ago
- (2) A few months ago
- (3) A few weeks before the election
- (4) A few days before the election
- (5) On election day

-
- (-97) Not applicable
 - (-98) Don't know
 - (-99) No answer

n239	Difference government
Vw -	-
Nw q28	Nw008

Filtered by question number Nw:**Interviewer instruction Nw:**

[Display list; if there is a request: question is referred to the federal government in Berlin, not provincial government.]

Question text Nw:

Some people say that it makes a big difference who is in power in Berlin. Others say that it doesn't make any difference who is in power. Using the scale on this card, (where one means that it doesn't make any difference who is in power in Berlin and five means that it makes a big difference who is in power), where would you place yourself?

Items Nw:**Scale Nw:**

- (1) 1 It doesn't make any difference who is in power.
- (2) 2
- (3) 3
- (4) 4
- (5) 5 It makes a big difference who is in power.

-
- (-98) Don't know
 - (-99) No answer

n240	Difference politics
Vw -	-
Nw q29	Nw547

Filtered by question number Nw:**Interviewer instruction Nw:**

[display list]

Question text Nw:

Looking now at voting, some people say that it makes no difference in politics who you vote for. Others say that who people vote for can make a big difference to what happens. Using the scale on this card, (where one means that voting won't make any difference to what happens in politics and five means that voting can make a big difference), where would you place yourself?

Items Nw:**Scale Nw:**

- (1) 1 Voting won't make any difference to what happens in politics
- (2) 2
- (3) 3
- (4) 4
- (5) 5 Voting can make a big difference.

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

n241	Satisfaction with democracy
Vw -	-
Nw q34	Nw023

Filtered by question number Nw:**Interviewer instruction Nw:****Question text Nw:**

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

Items Nw:**Scale Nw:**

- (1) Very satisfied
- (2) Fairly satisfied
- (3) Not very satisfied
- (4) Not at all satisfied

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

n242	Party identification
Vw -	-
Nw q35	Nw025

Filtered by question number Nw:**Interviewer instruction Nw:****Question text Nw:**

Do you usually think of yourself as close to any particular party?

Items Nw:**Scale Nw:**

- (1) Yes
(2) No

-
- (-97) Not applicable
(-98) Don't know
(-99) No answer

n243	Party identification, request
Vw -	-
Nw q36	Nw026

Filtered by question number Nw:

Nw025 = 2,-98,-99 (only respondents who a) state that they are not close to a particular party or b) answer "Don't know" to the question concerning party identification or c) don't answer the question concerning party identification)

Interviewer instruction Nw:

Question text Nw:

Do you feel yourself a little closer to one of the political parties than the others?

Items Nw:

Scale Nw:

- (1) Yes
(2) No

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- (-97) Not applicable
(-98) Don't know
(-99) No answer

n244a-b	Party identification, political party
Vw -	-
Nw q37a-b	Nw027

Filtered by question number Nw:

Nw025 = 1 or Nw026 = 1 (only respondents who a) state that they feel close to a political party or b) that they feel a little closer to a political party)

Interviewer instruction Nw:

[if necessary, note open answer]

Question text Nw:

Which party do you feel closest to?

Items Nw:

Scale Nw:

Coding list of parties for interviewer:

- (1) CDU/CSU
(2) CDU
(3) CSU
(4) SPD
(5) FDP
(7) DIE LINKE
(6) GRÜNE
(215) PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)
(206) NPĐ (Nationaldemokratische Partei Deutschland)

(322) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)
 (180) FW Freie Wähler (FW Freie Wähler Bayern e.V.)
 (168) DVU (DEUTSCHE VOLKSUNION)
 (225) REP (DIE REPUBLIKANER)
 (237) Tierschutzpartei (PARTEI MENSCH UMWELT TIERSCHUTZ)
 (209) ÖDP (Ökologisch-Demokratische Partei)
 (171) FAMILIE (Familien-Partei Deutschlands)
 (226) RRP (Rentnerinnen und Rentner Partei)
 (224) RENTNER (Rentner Partei Deutschland)
 (126) BP (Bayernpartei)
 (214) PBC (Partei Bibeltreuer Christen)
 (134) BüSo (Bürgerrechtsbewegung Solidarität)
 (152) DIE VIOLETTEN
 (801) Other party _____

(-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

n245	Strength of party identification
Vw -	-
Nw q38	Nw028

Filtered by question number Nw:

Nw027 = 1-801 (only respondents who feel close to a particular party)

Interviewer instruction Nw:

Question text Nw:

Do you feel very close to this party, somewhat close, or not very close?

Items Nw:

Scale Nw:

(1) Very close
 (2) Somewhat close
 (3) Not very close

(-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

n246	Persuasion: passive
Vw -	-
Nw q55	Nw401

Filtered by question number Nw:

Interviewer instruction Nw:

Question text Nw:

During the campaign, did a friend, family member, neighbour, work colleague or other acquaintance try to persuade you to vote for a particular party or candidate?

Items Nw:

Scale Nw:

- (1) Yes
(2) No

(-98) Don't know
(-99) No answer

n247a-f	Form of persuasion
Vw -	-
Nw q56a-f	Nw315

Filtered by question number Nw:

Nw401 = 1 (only respondents who state that they tried to persuade family, friends or others to vote for a certain party/candidate during election campaign)

Interviewer instruction Nw:

[Display list; multiple responses are possible]

Question text Nw:

Please tell me on which way people tried to persuade you.

Items Nw:

- (A) in person, face to face [Int.: e.g. on the street or at your entry door; not via telephone]
(B) by mail [Int.: flyers, too]
(C) by phone [Int.: call on the landline or mobile phone; NO SMS]
(D) by SMS
(E) by e-mail
(F) through a social network like Facebook or the like

Scale Nw:

- (1) Yes
(2) No

(-97) Not applicable
(-98) Don't know
(-99) No answer

n248	Persuasion: active
Vw -	-
Nw q57	Nw508

Filtered by question number Nw:

Interviewer instruction Nw:

Question text Nw:

And did you try to persuade friends, relatives, neighbours, colleagues or acquaintances on your own to vote for a certain political party or candidate?

Items Nw:

Scale Nw:

- (1) Yes
(2) No

(-98) Don't know
(-99) No answer

n249	Information on parties/candidates, online registration
Vw -	-

Nw q58	Nw402
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Filtered by question number Nw:

Interviewer instruction Nw:

[via SMS, Newsletter, RSS news, Blogs, e-mail, Internet, Twitter, Facebook or the like please mark as „yes“]

Question text Nw:

Prior to or during the campaign, did you use the Internet or your mobile phone to sign up for information or alerts from a party or candidate?

Items Nw:

Scale Nw:

- (1) Yes
- (2) No

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

n250	Political knowledge: minister of finance
Vw -	-
Nw q59	Nw317

Filtered by question number Nw:

Interviewer instruction Nw:

[display list]

Question text Nw:

Which of these people was the Finance Minister before the recent election - Rainer Brüderle, Thomas de Maizière, Wolfgang Schäuble or Dirk Niebel?

Items Nw:

Scale Nw:

- (1) Rainer Brüderle
- (2) Thomas de Maizière
- (3) Wolfgang Schäuble
- (4) Dirk Niebel

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

n251	Political knowledge: unemployment rate
Vw -	-
Nw q60	Nw501

Filtered by question number Nw:

Interviewer instruction Nw:

[display list]

Question text Nw:

What is the current unemployment rate in Germany?

Items Nw:

Scale Nw:

- (1) 4,8%
 (2) 6,8%
 (3) 8,8%
 (4) 10,8%

 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

n252	Political knowledge: second strongest political party at federal election 2013
Vw -	-
Nw q61	Nw514

Filtered by question number Nw:

Interviewer instruction Nw:

[Display list; question refers to federal election 2013]

Question text Nw:

Which party came in second in seats in the federal election - FDP, Die Grünen, SPD or CDU?

Items Nw:

Scale Nw:

- (1) FDP
 (2) GRÜNE
 (3) SPD
 (4) CDU

 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

n253	Political knowledge: UN Secretary-General
Vw -	-
Nw q62	Nw320

Filtered by question number Nw:

Interviewer instruction Nw:

[display list]

Question text Nw:

Who is the current Secretary-General of the United Nations - Kofi Annan, Kurt Waldheim, Ban Ki-moon or Boutros Boutros-Ghali?

Items Nw:

Scale Nw:

- (1) Kofi Annan
 (2) Kurt Waldheim
 (3) Ban Ki-moon
 (4) Boutros Boutros-Ghali

 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

n254	Representation of interests, political parties
Vw -	-
Nw q70	Nw012

Filtered by question number Nw:**Interviewer instruction Nw:****Question text Nw:**

Would you say that any of the parties in Germany represents your views reasonably well?

Items Nw:**Scale Nw:**

- (1) Yes
- (2) No

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

n255a-b	Representation of interests, which political party
Vw -	-
Nw q71a-b	Nw013

Filtered by question number Nw:

Nw012 = 1 (only respondents who state that a political party represents their interests reasonably well)

Interviewer instruction Nw:

[Display list; if necessary note open answer]

Question text Nw:

Which party represents your views best?

Items Nw:**Scale Nw:**

List of political parties for respondent:

CDU/CSU

SPD

FDP

DIE LINKE

GRÜNE

PIRATEN

NPD

AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)

Other party, namely _____

No party

All parties equally good

List precoding for interviewer:

(1) CDU/CSU

(2) CDU

(3) CSU

(4) SPD

(5) FDP

(7) DIE LINKE

(6) GRÜNE

(215) PIRATEN (Piratenpartei Deutschland)

(206) NPD [also DVU] (Nationaldemokratische Partei Deutschlands [Deutsche Volksunion])

(322) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)

(180) FW Freie Wähler (FW Freie Wähler Bayern e.V.)

(225) REP (DIE REPUBLIKANER)

(237) Tierschutzpartei (PARTEI MENSCH UMWELT TIERSCHUTZ)

(209) ÖDP (Ökologisch-Demokratische Partei)

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- (226) RRP (Rentnerinnen und Rentner Partei)
 (224) RENTNER (Rentner Partei Deutschland)
 (126) BP (Bayernpartei)
 (214) PBC (Partei Bibeltreuer Christen)
 (134) BüSo (Bürgerrechtsbewegung Solidarität)
 (152) DIE VIOLETTEN
 (801) Other party, namely _____
 (808) No party
 (809) All parties equally good

- (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

n256	Representation of interests, candidates
Vw -	-
Nw q72	Nw357

Filtered by question number Nw:

Interviewer instruction Nw:

Question text Nw:

And regardless of how you feel about the parties, would you say that any of the top candidates who ran for office in the federal election 2013 represent your views reasonably well?

Items Nw:

Scale Nw:

- (1) Yes
 (2) No

- (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

n257	Representation of interests, which candidate
Vw -	-
Nw q73	Nw403

Filtered by question number Nw:

Nw357 = 1 (only respondents who state that a party leader represents their interests reasonably well)

Interviewer instruction Nw:

[Please do not read out; simply allocate! Please make a note of any names of people mentioned who are not on the list. Only one response possible]

Question text Nw:

Which top candidate represents your views best?

Items Nw:

Scale Nw:

List precoding for interviewer:

- (1) Angela Merkel
 (2) Peer Steinbrück
 (3) Rainer Brüderle
 (4) Juergen Trittin
 (5) Gregor Gysi
 (6) Gerda Hasselfeldt

- (7) Sahra Wagenknecht
 (8) Katrin Goering-Eckardt
 (9) Philipp Rösler
 (10) Katja Kipping
 (11) Bernd Riexinger
 (12) Horst Seehofer
 (13) Sigmar Gabriel
 (14) Guido Westerwelle
 (15) Other, namely _____

- (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

n258	Differences election campaign, parties
Vw -	-
Nw q75	Nw021

Filtered by question number Nw:

Interviewer instruction Nw:

Question text Nw:

During the election campaign, would you say that there were major political differences between the parties, minor differences, or no differences at all?

Items Nw:

Scale Nw:

- (1) Major differences
 (2) Minor differences
 (3) No differences at all

- (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

n259	Satisfaction with political parties
Vw -	-
Nw q76	Nw024

Filtered by question number Nw:

Interviewer instruction Nw:

Question text Nw:

Are you very satisfied, fairly satisfied, not very satisfied or not at all satisfied with the range of political positions and suggested solutions presented by political parties during the election campaign?

Items Nw:

Scale Nw:

- (1) Very satisfied
 (2) Fairly satisfied
 (3) Not very satisfied
 (4) Not at all satisfied

- (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

n260a-g	Representation of interests
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Vw -	-
Nw q95a-g	Nw406

Filtered by question number Nw:**Interviewer instruction Nw:**

[display list]

Question text Nw:

Please take a look at the following list of groups and organisations which many citizens feel represented by.

For each of these groups or organisations, please tell me - regardless of whether you are a member or not - whether you think they represent your interests or are opposed to your interests. Please use this scale for this purpose.

Items Nw:

- (A) Trade unions
- (B) Industry/Employers' confederation or association
- ((C) Farmers' and agricultural associations
- (D) The Roman Catholic Church
- (E) Protestant Church(es)
- (F) Environmental groups
- (G) Groups critical of globalisation (e.g. ATTAC)

Scale Nw:

- (1) The aims of the group/organisation are contrary to my interests
- (2) The aims of the group/organisation are against my interests to some extent
- (3) The aims of the group/organisation neither represent nor don't represent my interests
- (4) The aims of the group/organisation represent my interests to some extent
- (5) The aims of the group/organisation represent my interests

(-71) I do not know this organisation

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

n261a-f	Saliency socio-economic dimension, political parties
Vw -	-
Nw q103a-f	Nw359

Filtered by question number Nw:

Nw543: only ask items if ≠ -71 (only ask parties which are stated as known)

Interviewer instruction Nw:

[List is still displayed, leave displayed]

Programming note: only show parties which were known at Nw543

Question text Nw:

How important was the topic of taxes and social welfare services to the following political parties over the last 12 months?

Items Nw:

- (A) CDU
- (B) CSU
- (C) SPD
- (D) FDP
- (E) DIE LINKE
- (F) GRÜNE

Scale Nw:

- (1) Very important
- (2) Somewhat important
- (3) In between
- (4) Not very important
- (5) Not important at all

- (-97) Not applicable
- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

n262	Attention to election campaign
Vw -	-
Nw q112	Nw022

Filtered by question number Nw:

Interviewer instruction Nw:

Question text Nw:

How much attention did you pay to the federal election campaign? A great deal, quite a bit, a little, or none?

Items Nw:

Scale Nw:

- (1) A great deal
- (2) Quite a bit
- (3) A little
- (4) None

- (-98) Don't know
- (-99) No answer

n263a-h	Propensity to Vote
Vw -	-
Nw q128a-h	Nw510

Filtered by question number Nw:

Nw543: only ask items if ≠ -71 (only ask questions on parties if they were stated as known)

Interviewer instruction Nw:

[display list]

Programming note: only show parties which were known at Nw543

Question text Nw:

There are a number of political parties in Germany. Every party would like to have your vote. Please tell me for each party how likely it is that you will vote for this party.

Items Nw:

- (A) CDU?
- (B) CSU?
- (C) SPD?
- (D) FDP?
- (E) DIE LINKE?
- (F) DIE GRÜNEN?
- (G) PIRATEN?
- (H) AfD (Alternative für Deutschland)?

Scale Nw:

- (11) 11 I would definitely vote for this party
 (10) 10
 (9) 9
 (8) 8
 (7) 7
 (6) 6
 (5) 5
 (4) 4
 (3) 3
 (2) 2
 (1) 1 I would definitely not vote for this party

- (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

n264	Finding a new employment, respondent
Vw -	-
Nw q181	Nw T27

Filtered by question number Nw:

T06.6 = 1-3,8 (only respondents who a) state to work full time, part time or to be an apprentice or b) state to work in reduced hours currently)

Interviewer instruction Nw:

Question text Nw:

If you lost your job, how easy or difficult would it be to find another job in the next twelve months? Very easy, quite easy, quite difficult, or very difficult?

Items Nw:

Scale Nw:

- (1) Very easy
 (2) Quite easy
 (3) Quite difficult
 (4) Very difficult

- (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

n265	Finding a new employment, partner
Vw -	-
Nw q196	Nw395

Filtered by question number Nw:

T10.6 = 1-3, 8 (only respondents who a) state that their (marriage) partner is currently working in full time, part time or in vocational training or b) state that their (marriage) partner is currently working in reduced hours)

Interviewer instruction Nw:

Question text Nw:

If your spouse/partner lost their job, how easy or difficult would it be for them to find another job in the next twelve months? Very easy, quite easy, quite difficult, or very difficult?

Items Nw:

Scale Nw:

- (1) Very easy
 (2) Quite easy
 (3) Quite difficult
 (4) Very difficult

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- (-97) Not applicable
 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

n266a-d	Ownership/property
Vw -	-
Nw q202a-d	Nw T28

Filtered by question number Nw:

Interviewer instruction Nw:
 [display list]

Question text Nw:
 Do you or a member of your household own one or more of the following things?

- Items Nw:**
 (A) Residential property, e.g. house or flat [Int.: beach house, country house and holiday house]
 (B) A corporation, ground or a farm [Int.: estate and common ownership, too]
 (C) Shares or bond issues
 (D) A bank giro account or account book

- Scale Nw:**
 (1) Yes
 (2) No

-
- (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

n267	Household income, prospective
Vw -	-
Nw q203	Nw T26

Filtered by question number Nw:

Interviewer instruction Nw:
 [We mean the sum after discounting taxes and social insurances.]

Question text Nw:
 How likely or unlikely do you think it is that your household's income could be severely reduced in the next twelve months? Absolutely certain, fairly certain, more uncertain or completely improbable?

Items Nw:

- Scale Nw:**
 (1) Absolutely certain
 (2) Fairly certain
 (3) More uncertain
 (4) Completely improbable

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- (98) Don't know
 (99) No answer

n268	Residential area
Vw -	-

Nw q231	Nw549
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Filtered by question number Nw:

Interviewer instruction Nw:

Question text Nw:

[Interviewer]

How would you describe the residential area of the respondent?

Items Nw:

Scale Nw:

- (1) Rural area or village
- (2) Small or medium sized town
- (3) Suburb of a large town or city
- (4) Large town or city

vn218	Assessment of the interviewer: difficulty of interview participation
Vw q218	Vw Int03
Nw q233	Nw Int03

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Question text Vw/Nw:

And how difficult was it to convince the respondent to participate in the interview?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Very difficult
- (2) Fairly difficult
- (3) Fairly easy
- (4) Very easy

(-98) Don't know

(-99) No answer

vn219	Assessment of the interviewer: effort
Vw q219	Vw Int04
Nw q234	Nw Int04

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Question text Vw/Nw:

From your point of view, how often did the respondent endeavour to answer the questions as good as he/she could?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Never
- (2) Almost never
- (3) Sometimes
- (4) Often
- (5) Very often

 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn220	Assessment of the interviewer: understanding
Vw q220	Vw Int05
Nw q235	Nw Int05

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Question text Vw/Nw:

All in all - how often did you have the impression that the respondent has understood the questions?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Never
- (2) Almost never
- (3) Sometimes
- (4) Often
- (5) Very often

 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer

vn221	Assessment of the interviewer: distraction
Vw q221	Vw Int06
Nw q236	Nw Int06

Filtered by question number Vw/Nw:

Interviewer instruction Vw/Nw:

Question text Vw/Nw:

How often did you have the impression that the respondent was distracted during the interview?

Items Vw/Nw:

Scale Vw/Nw:

- (1) Never
- (2) Almost never
- (3) Sometimes
- (4) Often
- (5) Very often

 (-98) Don't know
 (-99) No answer