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**GREAT BRITAIN**

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INTRO

Good %POD%, my name is %INAME% and I am calling from Gallup Poll. We are conducting a short survey on general economic affairs. Could you spare a few minutes to answer some questions?

SEX

INTERVIEWER: ENTER RESPONDENT'S SEX

Male ..... (9)  
Female ..... 1  
2

DOB

May I ask your date of birth? INTERVIEWER - WRITE IN DOB

1 TO 999999 (10-15) \_\_\_\_\_  
Refused ..... (10)  
Don't know ..... Y => 'nope'

AGE

INTERVIEWER - please code actual age

1 TO 99 (16-17) \_\_\_\_\_  
Refused ..... (16)  
Don't know ..... Y = 016 '0'

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Q1

Q.1 If there were a general Election tomorrow, which party would you support?

Conservative .....	(18)			
Labour .....	1	GO	TO	Q3
The Liberal Democrats .....	2	GO	TO	Q3
Nationalists (Welsh/Scottish) .....	3	GO	TO	Q3
Green Party .....	4	GO	TO	Q3
Other party .....	5	GO	TO	Q3
Refused .....	6	GO	TO	Q3
No answer .....	X			
Don't know .....	Y			

Q2

Q.2 Which party would you be most inclined to vote for?

Conservative .....	(19)
Labour .....	1
The Liberal Democrats .....	2
Nationalists (Welsh/Scottish) .....	3
Green Party .....	4
Other party .....	5
Don't know .....	6
	Y

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Q.3 What about your personal situation. How does the financial situation of your household now compare with what it was 12 months ago?

INTERVIEWER - READ OUT TWICE CODE ONE ONLY

	(20)
Got a lot better .....	1
Got a little better .....	2
Stayed the same .....	3
Got a little worse .....	4
Got a lot worse .....	5
Don't know .....	Y

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Q.4 How "safe" do you regard your current job to be? (INTERVIEWER - IF RESPONDENT NOT CURRENTLY IN PAID EMPLOYMENT ASK:) How "safe" do you regard the current job of your household's main wage earner?

(READ OUT TWICE AND CODE ONE ONLY)

	(21)
Perfectly safe job .....	1
Quite a safe job .....	2
Not a very safe job .....	3
Becoming unemployed is not far off .....	4
Unemployed/retired (RESPONDENT AND MAIN WAGE EARNER) .....	5
Don't know .....	Y

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Q5

Q.5 There is much talk nowadays about rising unemployment and the economic crisis/"recession" in Europe and in the rest of the world. In view of this economic crisis which one of the following three strategies in your opinion, should governments adopt?

(INTERVIEWER - READ OUT TWICE AND CODE ONE ONLY)

Governments should leave it entirely to market forces (that is banks, companies' management, trade unions etc.) to overcome this crisis .....	(22)
Governments should not rely solely on market forces but should undertake major efforts of their own to overcome the crisis .....	1
Governments should help to solve the crisis, but only if banks, companies' management, trade unions etc. contribute their share .....	2
None of these DO NOT READ OUT .....	3
Don't know .....	4
	Y

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Q6

Q.6 In order to solve economic problems governments may choose to act independently or with other governments. Within which of the following frameworks do you think governments should be active?

INTERVIEWER - READ OUT TWICE CODE ONE ONLY

	(23)
On their own, within the national framework of each country, because it is more effective if every country solves its own problems .....	1
Together, within the framework of the European Community, because no single country can cope with these problems on its own .....	2
Together, in the framework of the European Community, but in cooperation with the other countries of the "European Economic Area" (Austria, Finland, Norway and Sweden) who want to become members of the European Community .....	3
At all levels/in all three frameworks - DO NOT READ OUT .....	4
Governments should not become at all active in this respect - DO NOT READ OUT .....	5
Don't know .....	Y

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Q7

Q.7 Which of the following courses of action that a government may take, do you personally feel they should follow? Should they ...?

(READ OUT TWICE AND CODE ONE ONLY)

- (24)
- Support, using taxpayers' money, all industries and sectors currently in crisis ..... 1
- Only support, using taxpayers' money, those industries and sectors which are likely to be competitive in the future ..... 2
- Only support, using taxpayers' money, investment in infrastructure projects (transport systems, professional training etc.) that are likely to increase the entire economy's future competitiveness ..... 3
- Governments should not use taxpayers' money for any of these purposes DO NOT READ OUT ... 4
- Don't know ..... Y

Q8

Q.8 To which of the following policies do you feel governments should give the highest priority?

READ OUT TWICE AND CODE ONE ONLY

- (25)
- Supporting the unemployed in order to lessen the hardship they suffer ..... 1
- Re-launching the economy to encourage the creation of new jobs ..... 2
- Both equally important - DO NOT READ OUT .... 3
- Neither - DO NOT READ OUT ..... 4
- Don't know ..... Y

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Q9

Q.9 Given the current economic crisis in Western and Eastern Europe, and the political difficulties in various countries, which of the following courses of action would you say is better for Great Britain?

	(26)
We should withdraw from the European Community and try to solve our problems on our own .....	1
We should stay in the European Community and attack problems together .....	2
Don't know .....	Y

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Q.10 If there were a referendum on whether to agree to the "Maastricht Treaty" (as re-examined at the Edinburgh summit) or not, would you vote for or against?

	(27)
For - agree to Maastricht .....	1
Against - do not agree to Maastricht .....	2
Undecided/don't know - DO NOT READ OUT .....	3

Finally I should like a few details about you and your household just to ensure that we have a representative sample of people

EDUC At what age did you complete your full time education?

(INTERVIEWER - IF STILL STUDYING, CODE AS 00)

0 TO 65 .....	(28-29) _____
Refused .....	(28)
Don't know .....	Y - C128'0'

EMP Are you employed now? If yes, how many hours a week?

- Self-employed ..... (30)
- Full-time (30 hours a week) ..... 1
- Part-time (less than 30 hours a week) ..... 2
- Unemployed ..... 3
- Retired/pensioned ..... 4
- Housewife not otherwise employed ..... 5
- Student ..... 6
- ..... 7

MSTAT Your marital status?

- Married/living as ..... (31)
- Single ..... 1
- Widowed, divorced, separated ..... 2
- ..... 3

OWN Do you or your family, own your own home or do you rent it?

- Own: paid for ..... (32)
- Own: buying mortgage ..... 1
- Rent from council ..... 2
- Rent privately ..... 3
- Hostel, lodging ..... 4
- ..... 5

CARS How many cars does your household have?

- None ..... (33)
- One ..... 1
- Two or more ..... 2
- ..... 3

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OCCUP

Could you tell me the occupation of the chief wage earner in your household? INTERVIEWER PROBE If retired ask if have a private/company pension, job related qualifications, number of people responsible for

LOCAL

Finally, would you say that you live in a ...? (READ OUT AND CODE ONE ONLY)

- Rural area or village ..... (34) 1
- Small or medium sized town ..... 2
- Big town/city ..... 3

NAME

Could I just check your name?

FNAME

.....

(35-69) \_\_\_\_\_

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ADR

And your address

FADR

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Card: 02 (6-7)

(8-77) \_\_\_\_\_

TEL

And finally your telephone number

STEL

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Card: 03 (6-7)

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On behalf of Gallup I would like to thank you very much for your time and help.

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INTERVIEWER : PLEASE CODE THE FOLLOWING:

REGION	Region	
	North .....	(28)
	North East .....	1
	North West .....	2
	East Midlands .....	3
	West Midlands .....	4
	East Anglia .....	5
	Suburbia .....	6
	Rest of South East .....	7
	South West .....	8
	Wales .....	9
	London .....	(29)
	Scotland .....	0
		1
		2

CLASS	Social class	
	A .....	(30)
	B .....	1
	C1 .....	2
	C2 .....	3
	D .....	4
	E .....	5
		6

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