

**Sweden**  
**ISSP 2007 – Leisure Time and Sports**  
**Study Description**

## Study Description Form – Sweden (SE)

Study title:	Swedish: Idrott och fritid I, ISSP 2007. English: Leisure time and Sports I, ISSP 2007.
Fieldwork dates:	February 6, 2007 to April 24, 2007.
Principal Investigators:	Associate Professor Jonas Edlund Professor Stefan Svallfors Department of Sociology Umea University 901 87 Umea Sweden
Sample type:	A representative sample of the Swedish population 18-79 years.
Fieldwork institute:	SIFO
Fieldwork methods:	Separate postal survey with several reminders. Respondents received an introductory letter and a week later a gift (value about USD 3) along with the questionnaire. The gift was free and was not associated with any obligations.
	6/2 Introductory letter about the survey
	13/2 Postal survey + lottery ticket
	20/2 Postal reminder + questionnaire
	6/3 Postal reminder + questionnaire
	28/3 Postal reminder + questionnaire [only to those with unknown telephone numbers]
	28/3-5/4 Reminder by telephone + questionnaire to those wishing a questionnaire [only to those with known telephone numbers]
Sample size (net sample):	1309
Response rate (per cent):	$1309/(2001-58)=67,4$ per cent
Details about issued sample:	AAPOR/WAPOR standard. Download: <a href="http://www.aapor.org/pdfs/standarddefs_3.1.pdf">www.aapor.org/pdfs/standarddefs_3.1.pdf</a>
Total number of starting names (gross sample size):	2001
1.0 Interviews	1309
2.11 Refusals	88
2.20 No contact	482
2.25 Respondent away	11
2.30 Other (reason given by R: time shortage)	64
2.31 Deceased	0
2.32 Physically/mentally unable	16
2.33 Language problems	14
4.70 No eligible respondent	17
Language:	Swedish
Weighted:	No
Known bias in data	No, but see population characteristics for detailed information
Deviations from ISSP questionnaire:	See above section: <b>Notes to ZA about the codebook: ISSP 2007 Sweden</b>
Context of ISSP questionnaire:	Separate survey