USA
ISSP 2010 – Environment III
Questionnaire
NO#. INTERVIEWER: DO YOU WANT TO USE THE ENGLISH OR SPANISH VERSION OF THE QUESTIONNAIRE?

**QUEXLANG**

ENGLISH...........  .............  ..............  ............  ............................ 0
SPANISH...........  .............  ..............  .............  .............  ........................... 1

NO#. INTERVIEWER: GIVE R HANDCARDS.

**HANDCARD**

NO#. INTERVIEWER: SELECT GENDER OF CHOSEN RESPONDENT.

**SEX**

MALE ..  .............  .............  ..............  ............  ............................ 1
FEMALE...........  .............  ..............  .............  .............  ........................... 2

NO#. NORC and the National Science Foundation have done the General Social Survey for more than 30 years to keep a historical record of the concerns, experiences, attitudes and practices of Americans. Your household was randomly selected from addresses across the nation for participation this year. The information collected is used by policy makers, scientific researchers, government officials and students to better understand Americans and better meet their changing needs.

The questions we’ll ask have to do with your opinions [AND KNOWLEDGE] on a variety of important topics like [2008 TOPICS]. Some topics may be sensitive for you, and you can decline to answer any question. Most participants find the survey to be interesting with a chance to talk about things that matter to them. Which questions are asked depends upon your answers to other questions. The interview takes from about 60 to 90 minutes for most people.

(IF NEEDED: We can break up the interview into different sections if that will make it easier for you.)

Your participation is voluntary. However, all information that you provide will be kept in strict confidence. It is important to us to protect your privacy. All participants’ answers are combined, and presented in the form of summary statistics, such as tables and graphs.

Parts of this interview may be recorded for quality control purposes. This will not compromise the strict confidentiality of your responses. May I continue with the recording?

R CONSENTS TO PARTICIPATE IN THE SURVEY ......................  .............  1
R CONSENTS TO PARTICIPATE IN THE SURVEY BUT DOES NOT WANT TO BE RECORDED ... .............  .............  2

**CONSENT**

CROSS-SECTION ONLY:

NO#. Before we begin, I would like to confirm I am at the correct address. Do you live at [PRELOADED ADDRESS]?

ACONFIRM

Yes .......  .............  ..............  ............  ............................ 1
No...........  .............  ..............  .............  .............  ........................... 2

PANEL ONLY:

NO#. Before we begin, I would like to confirm I am interviewing the correct person. Is your name [2006 RESPONDENT NAME] and were you interviewed for the General Social Survey once before on [2006 INTERVIEW DATE]?

RCONFIRM

Yes .......  .............  ..............  ............  ............................ 1
No...........  .............  ..............  .............  .............  ........................... 2
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IF XSEC, ASK:

3. Do you expect the United States to fight in another war within the next ten years?

\[USWAR\]

6. Now I’m going to read several more statements. As I read each one, please tell me whether you strongly agree, agree, disagree, or strongly disagree with it. For example, here is the statement:

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IQ-2 INTERVIEWER: CHECK COVER OF QUEX OR LABEL FOR THIS CASE. IS THIS CASE AN “X” OR “Y” CASE?
X…………………………………………………………(ASK Q. 7A)………………………………………………1
Y…………………………………………………………(GO TO Q. 8A)………………………………………………. 2

7. A. Some people say that because of past discrimination, women should be given preference in hiring and promotion. Others say that such preference in hiring and promotion of women is wrong because it discriminates against men. What about your opinion – are you for or against preferential hiring and promotion of women?

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IF FOR:
Do you favor preference in hiring and promotion strongly or not strongly?

FEJOB2
Strongly .............  .............  ..............  .............  ............................  ............. 1
Not strongly.......  .............  ..............  .............  ............................  ............. 2
NO OPINION ....  .............  ..............  .............  ............................  ............. 8

IF AGAINST:
Do you oppose preference in hiring and promotion strongly or not strongly?

FEJOB3
Strongly .............  .............  ..............  .............  ............................  ............. 1
Not strongly.......  .............  ..............  .............  ............................  ............. 2
NO OPINION ....  .............  ..............  .............  ............................  ............. 8

B. What do you think the chances are these days that a man won’t get a job or promotion while an equally or less qualified woman gets one instead. Is this very likely, somewhat likely, somewhat unlikely, or very unlikely these days?

DISCAFFM
Very likely........  .............  ..............  .............  ............................  ............. 1
Somewhat likely .  .............  ..............  .............  ............................  ............. 2
Somewhat unlikely...........  .............  .............  ............................ . ............ 3
Very likely........  .............  ..............  .............  ............................  ............. 4
NO OPINION ....  .............  ..............  .............  ............................  ............. 8

GO TO Q.9

8. A. Please tell me whether you strongly agree, agree, neither agree nor disagree, or strongly disagree that…

FEHIRE

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DISCAFFW

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Very likely........  .............  ..............  .............  ............................  ............. 4
NO OPINION ....  .............  ..............  .............  ............................  ............. 8
9. As you know, many older people share a home with their grown children. Do you think this is generally a good idea or a bad idea?

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10. Next, I have a few factual questions about yourself. Which of the categories on this card comes closest to the type of place you were living in when you were 16 years old?

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11. In what state or foreign country were you living when you were 16 years old?

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12. When you were 16 years old, were you living in this same (city/town/county)?

**CITYSAME**


13. Were you living with both your own mother and father around the time you were 16? (IF NO: With whom were you living around that time?) *IF RESPONDENT MARRIED OR LEFT HOME BY AGE 16, PROBE FOR BEFORE THAT.*

**FAMILY16**

A. IF NOT LIVING WITH BOTH OWN MOTHER AND FATHER: What happened?

FAMDIF16
ONE OR BOTH PARENTS DIED ............. ............................ ............. 1
PARENTS DIVORCED OR SEPARATED ............. ............................ ............. 2
FATHER ABSENT IN ARMED FORCES ............. ............................ ............. 3
ONE OR BOTH PARENTS IN INSTITUTION ........ ............................ ............. 4
OTHER (SPECIFY) ........................................ ............................ 5
FDIFSPEC
DON’T KNOW ............. ............................ ............. ............. ............. 8

IQ-4 INTERVIEWER: CHECK Q.13 IS A FATHER, STEPFATHER, OR OTHER FATHER SUBSTITUTE SPECIFIED?

YES, FATHER OR SUBSTITUTE IS SPECIFIED (CODES 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, OR 8) (ASK Qs. 14 & 15 FOR THAT PERSON)…………..…………………1

NO FATHER, STEPFATHER, OR OTHER MALE IS SPECIFIED (CODES 5 OR 7) (GO TO IQ-5)……………………………………………..…….. 2

14. What kind of work did your (father/FATHER SUBSTITUTE) usually do while you were growing up? That is, what was his job called?

OCCPA
A. OCCUPATION: ________________________________________________

____________________________________________________________

____________________________________________________________

MAINPA
B. IF NOT ALREADY ANSWERED, ASK: What did he actually do in that job? Tell me, what were some of his main duties?

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____________________________________________________________

INDPA
C. What kind of place did he work for?

INDUSTRY: ________________________________________________

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WHATPA
D. IF NOT ALREADY ANSWERED, ASK: What did they (make/do)?

____________________________________________________________

____________________________________________________________

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Section A – Ballot 2

**PAWRKSLF**

E. IF ALREADY ANSWERED, CODE WITHOUT ASKING: Was he self-employed, or did he work for someone else?

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15. What is the highest grade in elementary school or high school that your (father/FATHER SUBSTITUTE) finished and got credit for? **CODE EXACT GRADE.**

**PAGRADE**

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IF FINISHED 9<sup>TH</sup>-12<sup>TH</sup> GRADE OR DON’T KNOW:

A. Did he ever get a high school diploma or a GED certificate?

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B. Did he ever complete one or more years of college for credit—not including schooling such as business college, technical or vocational school?

**PACOL**

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IF YES TO B:

**PACOLCOM**

[1] How many years did he complete?

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PACOLDEG  [2] Does he have any college degrees?

Yes ........ ........ ........ ........(ASK [3]) ........ ......................... 1
No .......... ........ ........ ........(GO TO IQ-5) ........ ......................... 2
DON’T KNOW .... ........ ........(GO TO IQ-5) ......................... 8

IF YES TO [2]:

PADEGHI  [3] What degree or degrees? CODE HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED

Associate/Junior College ........ ........ ........ ......................... 2
Bachelor’s ........ ........ ........ ......................... 3
Graduate ........ ........ ........ ......................... 4
DON’T KNOW .... ........ ........ ......................... 8

IQ-5 INTERVIEWER: CHECK Q.13 IS A MOTHER, STEPMOTHER, OR OTHER FEMALE SPECIFIED?

YES, MOTHER OR SUBSTITUTE IS SPECIFIED (CODES 1, 2, 3, 5, 7, OR 8) (ASK Qs. 16 & 17 FOR THAT PERSON) .......... ........ 1
NO MOTHER, STEPMOTHER, OR OTHER FEMALE IS SPECIFIED (CODES 4 OR 6) (SKIP TO Q.19) .......... ........ 2

16. What is the highest grade in elementary school or high school that your (mother/MOTHER SUBSTITUTE) finished and got credit for? CODE EXACT GRADE.

MAGRADE

No formal school .... ........ ........(SKIP TO Q.17) ........ ........ ........ 0
1st grade ........ ........ ........ ........(SKIP TO Q.17) ........ ........ 1
2nd grade ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ 2
3rd grade ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ 3
4th grade ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ 4
5th grade ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ 5
6th grade ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ 6
7th grade ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ 7
8th grade ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ 8
9th grade ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ 9
10th grade ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ 10
11th grade ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ 11
12th grade ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ 12
DON’T KNOW .... ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ 8

IF FINISHED 9TH-12TH GRADE OR DON’T KNOW:

A. Did she ever get a high school diploma or a GED certificate?

MADIPLMA

Yes ........ ........ ........ ........(ASK B) ........ ......................... 1
No .......... ........ ........ ........(ASK B) ........ ......................... 2
DON’T KNOW .... ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ ........ 8
B. Did she ever complete one or more years of college for credit—not including schooling such as business college, technical or vocational school?

MACOL

Yes ....... ............. ............. ............. (ASK [1] and [2]) ......................... 1
No........ ............. ............. ............. (GO TO Q.17) ......................... 2
DON’T KNOW .. ............. ............. (GO TO Q.17) ......................... 8

IF YES TO B:

MACOLCOM

[1] How many years did she complete?

1 year.... ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. ......................... 13
2 years .. ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. ......................... 14
3 years .. ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. ......................... 15
4 years .. ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. ......................... 16
5 years .. ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. ......................... 17
6 years .. ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. ......................... 18
7 years .. ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. ......................... 19
8 or more years... ............. ............. ............. ............. ......................... 20
DON’T KNOW .. ............. ............. (ASK [2]) ......................... 98

MACOLDEG

[2] Does she have any college degrees?

Yes ....... ............. ............. ............. (ASK [3]) ......................... 1
No........ ............. ............. ............. (GO TO Q.17) ......................... 2
DON’T KNOW .. ............. ............. (GO TO Q.17) ......................... 8

IF YES TO [2]:

MADEGHI


Associate/Junior College .. ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. .... 2
Bachelor’s ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. .3
Graduate ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. .4
DON’T KNOW .. ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. .8

17. Did your mother ever work for pay for as long as a year while you were growing up?

MAWRKGRW

Yes ....... ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. ......................... 1
No........ ............. ............. ............. (GO TO Q.19) ......................... 2
DON’T KNOW .. ............. ............. (GO TO Q.19) ......................... 8

18. A. What kind of work did your (mother/MOTHER SUBSTITUTE) usually do while you were growing up? That is, what was her job called?

OCCMA

OCCUPATION: ________________________________

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Section A – Ballot 2

MAINMA
B. IF NOT ALREADY ANSWERED, ASK: What did she actually do in that job? Tell me, what were some of her main duties?

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INDMA
C. What kind of place did she work for?

INDUSTRY: __________________________________________________________
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WHATMA
D. IF NOT ALREADY ANSWERED, ASK: What did they (make/do)?

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MAWRKSLF
E. IF ALREADY ANSWERED, CODE WITHOUT ASKING: Was she self-employed, or did she work for someone else?

Self-employed ....  .............  ..............  .............  ............................  ............. 1
Someone else.....  .............  ..............  .............  ............................  ............. 2
DON’T KNOW ..  .............  ..............  .............  ............................  ............. 8

TIMEA1
ASK EVERYONE:

19. How many brothers and sisters did you have? (Count those born alive, but no longer living, as well as those alive now. Also include stepbrothers and stepsisters, and children adopted by your parents.) (Range check at 50, with a limit of 99)

SIBS

NONE...  .............  ..............  .............  ............................  ............. 0
ONE ....  .............  ..............  .............  ............................  ............. 1
TWO ...  .............  ..............  .............  ............................  ............. 2
THREE..  .............  ..............  .............  ............................  ............. 3
FOUR...  .............  ..............  .............  ............................  ............. 4
FIVE....  .............  ..............  .............  ............................  ............. 5
SIX ....  .............  ..............  .............  ............................  ............. 6
SEVEN. ....  .............  ..............  .............  ............................  ............. 7
EIGHT ..  .............  ..............  .............  ............................  ............. 8
NINE...  .............  ..............  .............  ............................  ............. 9
TEN OR MORE (ENTER EXACT NUMBER) ______________________________
DON’T KNOW ..  .............  ..............  .............  ............................  ............. 98

20. Are you currently – married, widowed, divorced, separated, or have you never been married?
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Section A –Ballot 2

MARITAL

Married ............. (ASK A & B) .... ............................ 1
Widowed ............. (ASK A) ............. ............................ 2
Divorced ............. (ASK B) ............. ............................ 3
Separated ............ (ASK B) ............. ............................ 4
Never married .... (GO TO Q.21) .... ............................ 5

ASK ONLY IF CURRENTLY MARRIED OR WIDOWED:

DIVORCE

A. Have you ever been divorced or legally separated?
   Yes ....... ............................ 1
   No ....... ............................ 2

IF CURRENTLY WIDOWED, SKIP TO Q.21; IF CURRENTLY MARRIED, SEPARATED OR
DIVORCED, ASK:

WIDOWED

B. Have you ever been widowed?
   Yes ....... ............................ 1
   No ....... ............................ 2

POSSLQ

C. Which of these statements applies to you? CODE ONE ONLY. [HAND CARD]

   HAND CARD
   A1.2

I am married and living in the same household as my husband or wife 1
I am living as married and my partner and I together live in the same 2
   household.
I have a husband or wife or steady partner, but we don’t live in the 3
   same household.
I don’t have a steady partner. 4
21. From what countries or part of the world did your ancestors come?

ETH1EXP

IF SINGLE COUNTRY IS NAMED, REFER TO NATIONAL CODES BELOW AND ENTER CODE NUMBER BELOW.

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IF MORE THAN ONE COUNTRY IS NAMED, REFER TO THE NATIONAL CODES BELOW, CODE UP TO 3 RESPONSES AND THEN ASK A…

ETH1
FIRST MENTION _____________

ETH2
SECOND MENTION _____________

ETH3
THIRD MENTION _____________

A. IF MORE THAN ONE COUNTRY NAMED: Which one of these countries do you feel closer to?

IF ONE COUNTRY NAMED, REFER TO CODES BELOW AND ENTER CODE NUMBER ON LINE BELOW. IF CAN’T DECIDE ON ONE COUNTRY, ENTER CODE 88.

ETHPICK

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NATIONAL CODES

Africa.................................1
American Indian....................30
Austria...............................2
Belgium..............................36
Canada (French)....................3
Canada (Other).....................4
China.................................5
Czechoslovakia....................6
Denmark............................7
England and Wales...............8
Finland..............................9
France............................10
Germany...........................11
Greece..............................12
Hungary............................13
India...............................31
Ireland..............................14
Italy.................................15
Japan...............................16
Lithuania...........................33

Mexican…………………………17
Netherlands (Dutch/Holland)…..18
Norway................................19
Philippines.........................20
Poland...............................21
Portugal............................32
Puerto Rico.........................22
Romania............................35
Russia (USSR)......................23
Scotland...........................24
Spain.................................25
Sweden............................26
Switzerland.......................27
Yugoslavia.........................34
Other (SPECIFY)..................29

ETHSPEC1,2,3

MORE THAN ONE COUNTRY/CAN’T DECIDE ON ONE..........................88
DON’T KNOW..........................98

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22. Last week were you working full time, part time, going to school, keeping house, or what?

**CIRCLE ONE CODE ONLY. IF MORE THAN ONE RESPONSE, GIVE PREFERENCE TO SMALLEST CODE NUMBER THAT APPLIES.**

**WRKSTAT**

- **HAND CARD A2**
  - Working full time: (ASK A) 1
  - Working part time: (ASK A) 2
  - With a job, but not at work because of temporary illness, vacation, strike: (ASK B) 3
  - Unemployed, laid off, looking for work: (ASK 23) 4
  - Retired: (ASK C) 5
  - In school: (ASK C) 6
  - Keeping house: (ASK C) 7
  - Other (specify and ask C): 8

**WRKSPEC**

**HRS1**

**A. IF WORKING, FULL OR PART TIME:** How many hours did you work last week, at all jobs?

Hours: __________

**NOW GO TO Q.23A**

**HRS2**

**B. IF WITH A JOB, BUT NOT AT WORK:** How many hours a week do you usually work, at all jobs?

Hours: __________

**NOW GO TO Q.23A**

**EVWORK**

**C. IF RETIRED, IN SCHOOL, KEEPING HOUSE, OR OTHER:** Did you ever work for as long as one year?

Yes .......... __________ __________ __________ __________ __________ __________ __________ 1

No........ __________ __________ __________ __________ __________ __________ __________ __________ 2
IQ-5.5 INTERVIEWER:   CHECK Q.22 AND Q.22C. WHAT IS R’s EMPLOYMENT STATUS?

IS NOT WORKING (CODES 5, 6, 7, OR 8) AND Q22C=2…………(GO TO IQ-6 BEFORE Q.24)………………….1
ALL OTHERS…………………………………………………..(GO TO Q.23A)…………………………….2

23. A. What kind of work (do you/did you) normally do? That is, what (is/was) your job called?

OCCSLF  OCCUPATION: __________________________________________

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MAINSLF  B. IF NOT ALREADY ANSWERED, ASK: What (do/did) you actually do in that job? Tell me what (are/were) some of your main duties?

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INDSLF  C. What kind of place (do/did) you work for?

INDUSTRY: __________________________________________

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WHATSLF  D. IF NOT ALREADY ANSWERED, ASK: What (do/did) they (make/do)?

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WRKSLF  E. IF NOT ALREADY ANSWERED, CODE WITHOUT ASKING: (Are/Were) you self-employed or (do/did) you work for someone else?

Self-employed .... ............ ............ ............ .................. .................. 1
Someone else........ ............ ............ ............ .................. .................. 2
SELFEMS  
E1. IF ALREADY ANSWERED, CODE WITHOUT ASKING: (Do/did) you have any employees?  
Yes (ASK Q23E2)............  ..............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 1  
No (GO TO Q23F) ...........  ..............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 2  

NUMEMPS  
E2. How many employees (do/did) you have?  
NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES: ____________  

WRKGOVT  
F. (Are/Were) you employed by the federal, state, or local government or by a private employer (including non-profit organizations)?  
Government.................  ..............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 1  
Private employer ..........  ..............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 2  

IQ-6 INTERVIEWER: CHECK Q.22 WHAT IS R’s EMPLOYMENT STATUS?  
WORKING OR WITH A JOB (CODES 1, 2, OR 3) ...........(ASK Q.24).................................1  
IS NOT WORKING (CODES 4 THROUGH 8) ...........(GO TO Q.25)................................. 2  

24. About how many people work at the location where you work? (HAND CARD TO RESPONDENT) Count part-time as well as full-time employees in all areas, departments, and buildings.  

LOCALNUM  
HAND CARD A3  
1-9..............................................1  
10-49............................................2  
50-99............................................3  
100-499........................................4  
500-999........................................5  
1,000-1,999....................................6  
More than 2,000............................7  
DON’T KNOW...............................8  

25. Now I’d like to ask you about last year. In 2009 how many weeks did you work either full-time or part-time not counting work around the house – include paid vacations and paid sick leave?  
WEEKSWRK  
None or zero (0). ...............(SKIP TO IQ-7) ................................. 0  
Number of weeks ..........(ASK A).................................  

A. When you worked in 2009, was it usually full or part time?  
PARTFULL  
Full-time..............  ..............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 1  
Part-time..............  ..............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 2  
DON’T KNOW..............  ..............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 8
26. A. Thinking about the next 12 months, how likely do you think it is that you will lose your job or be laid off—very likely, fairly likely, not too likely, or not at all likely?

**JOBLOSE**

Very likely
Fairly likely
Not too likely
Not at all likely
DON’T KNOW

B. About how easy would it be for you to find a job with another employer with approximately the same income and right benefits you now have? Would you say very easy, somewhat easy, or not easy at all?

**JOBFIND**

Very easy
Somewhat easy
Not easy at all
DON’T KNOW

27. On the whole, how satisfied are you with the work you do – would you say you are very satisfied, moderately satisfied, a little dissatisfied, or very dissatisfied?

**SATJOB**

Very satisfied
Moderately satisfied
A little dissatisfied
Very dissatisfied
DON’T KNOW
28. Last week was your (wife/husband) working full time, part time, going to school, keeping house, or what?

**SPWRKSTA**

CIRCLE ONE CODE ONLY. IF MORE THAN ONE RESPONSE, GIVE PREFERENCE TO SMALLEST CODE NUMBER THAT APPLIES.

- Working full time…………………………...(ASK A)………………………………….1
- Working part time…………………………(ASK A)………………………………… 2
- With a job, but not at work because of temporary illness, vacation, strike………(ASK B)………………………………… 3
- Unemployed, laid off, looking for work………(GO TO Q.29)………………………………… 4
- Retired…………………………………………(ASK C)………………………………… 5
- In school……………………………………(ASK C)………………………………….. 6
- Keeping house……………………………...(ASK C)………………………………… 7
- OTHER (SPECIFY AND ASK C) ____________________________________________ 8  

**SPHRS1**  
A. IF WORKING, FULL OR PART TIME: How many hours did (s/he) work last week, at all jobs?

Hours: ____________  
NOW GO TO Q.29

**SPHRS2**  
B. IF WITH A JOB, BUT NOT AT WORK: How many hours a week does (s/he) usually work, at all jobs?

Hours: ____________  
NOW GO TO Q.29

**SPEVWORK**  
C. IF RETIRED, IN SCHOOL, KEEPING HOUSE, OR OTHER: Did (s/he) ever work for as long as one year?

- Yes ....... ............. ............. (GO TO Q.29) .... ........................................... 1
- No ............. ............. ............. (SKIP TO Q.30) ........................................... 2
- DON’T KNOW .. ............. ............. (SKIP TO Q.30) ........................................... 8
29. A. What kind of work (does/did) your [SPOUSE] normally do? That is, what (is/was) (his/her) job called?

**OCCSP**

OCCUPATION: ________________________________________________________________
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**MAINSP**

B. IF NOT ALREADY ANSWERED, ASK: What (does/did) [SPOUSE] actually do in that job? Tell me what (are/were) some of (his/her) main duties?
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**INDSP**

C. What kind of place (does/did) [SPOUSE] work for?

INDUSTRY: ________________________________________________________________
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____________________________________________________________________________

**WHATSP**

D. IF NOT ALREADY ANSWERED, ASK: What (do/did) they (make/do)?
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**SPWRKSLF**

E. IF NOT ALREADY ANSWERED, CODE WITHOUT ASKING: (Is/Was) (s/he) self-employed or (does/did) (s/he) work for someone else?

- Self-employed ....  .............  ..............  .............  .....................  ............. 1
- Someone else...  .............  ..............  .............  .....................  ............. 2
- DON’T KNOW ..  .............  ..............  .............  .....................  ............. 8
ASK EVERYONE:

30. At any time during the last ten years, have you been unemployed and looking for work for as long as a month?

UNEMP

Yes ........ ......... ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. ......................... 1
No ........ ......... ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. ......................... 2
DON’T KNOW .... ......... ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. ......................... 8

31. Do you (or your [SPOUSES]) belong to a labor union? CIRCLE ONLY ONE CODE.

UNION

YES, RESPONDENT BELONGS .... ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. ......................... ............. ............. ............. 1
YES, SPOUSE BELONGS .......... ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. ......................... ............. ............. ............. 2
YES, BOTH BELONG ...... ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. ......................... ............. ............. ............. 3
NO, NEITHER RESPONDENT NOR SPOUSE BELONGS ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. ......................... ............. ............. ............. 4

32. We are interested in how people are getting along financially these days.

A. So far as you and your family are concerned, would you say that you are pretty well satisfied with your present financial situation, more or less satisfied, or not satisfied at all?

SATFIN

Pretty well satisfied .......... ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. ......................... ............. ............. ............. 1
More or less satisfied .... ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. ......................... ............. ............. ............. 2
Not satisfied at all .......... ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. ......................... ............. ............. ............. 3
DON’T KNOW .......... ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. ......................... ............. ............. ............. 8

B. During the last few years, has your financial situation been getting better, getting worse, or has it stayed the same?

FINALTER

Getting better .......... ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. ......................... ............. ............. ............. 1
Getting worse ........ ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. ......................... ............. ............. ............. 2
Stayed the same .......... ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. ......................... ............. ............. ............. 3
DON’T KNOW .......... ............. ............. ............. ............. ............. ......................... ............. ............. ............. 8

33. Compared with American families in general, would you say your family income is-far below average, below average, average, above average, or far above average? (PROBE: Just your best guess.)

FINREL A
34. Compared to your parents when they were the age you are now, do you think your own standard of living now is much better, somewhat better, about the same, somewhat worse, or much worse than theirs was?

**PARSOL**

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35. When your children are the age you are now, do you think their standard of living will be much better, somewhat better, about the same, somewhat worse, or much worse than yours is now?

**KIDSSOL**

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36. Please tell me whether you strongly agree, agree, neither agree nor disagree, disagree, or strongly disagree with the following statement:

**GOODLIFE**

The way things are in America, people like me and my family have a good chance of improving our standard of living.

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37. If you were asked to use one of four names for your social class, which would you say you belong in: the lower class, the working class, the middle class, or the upper class?

**CLASS**

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IQ-9.5 INTERVIEWER: CHECK Q.22 AND Q.28. IS R WORKING, OR, IF NOT, DOES SPOUSE WORK?

R IS CURRENTLY WORKING (INCLUDING VACATION, STRIKE, ILL LAST WEEK) (CODES 1, 2, OR 3) ………..(ASK Qs. 37_1 & 37_2 ABOUT R)……………………………………………………1

R IS NOT WORKING, BUT HAS A SPOUSE WHO WORKS (CODES 1, 2, OR 3) ………..(ASK Qs. 37_1 & 37_2 ABOUT SPOUSE)……………………………………………………2

NEITHER R NOR SPOUSE IS WORKING (SKIP TO Q.38)……………………………………………………3

37_1. Do you (does your [SPOUSE] have a supervisor on your (his/her) job to whom you are (s/he) is directly responsible?

WKSUB

38. I am going to name some institutions in this country. As far as the people running these institutions are concerned, would you say you have a great deal of confidence, only some confidence, or hardly any confidence at all in them? READ EACH ITEM, CODE ONE FOR EACH. REPEAT THE QUESTION, OR CATEGORIES, AS NECESSARY.

| HAND CARD A6 | CONBUS | A. Major companies | 1 | 2 | 3 | 8 |
|             | CONCLERG | B. Organized religion | 1 | 2 | 3 | 8 |
|             | CONEDUC | C. Education | 1 | 2 | 3 | 8 |
|             | CONFED | D. Executive branch of the federal government | 1 | 2 | 3 | 8 |
|             | CONLABOR | E. Organized labor | 1 | 2 | 3 | 8 |
|             | CONPRESS | F. Press | 1 | 2 | 3 | 8 |
|             | CONMEDIC | G. Medicine | 1 | 2 | 3 | 8 |
|             | CONTV | H. TV | 1 | 2 | 3 | 8 |
|             | CONJUDGE | I. U.S. Supreme Court | 1 | 2 | 3 | 8 |
|             | CONSCI | J. Scientific community | 1 | 2 | 3 | 8 |
|             | CONLEGIS | K. Congress | 1 | 2 | 3 | 8 |
|             | CONARMY | L. Military | 1 | 2 | 3 | 8 |
|             | CONFINAN | M. Banks and financial institutions | 1 | 2 | 3 | 8 |

39. Do you think the use of marijuana should be made legal, or not?

**GRASS**

Should .......... ................ .......... ................ .......... ................ .......... ................. ............. 1
Should not .......... ................ .......... ................ ................ ................ ................ .......... ............. 2
NO OPINION .... ........ .......... ........ .......... ................ ................ ................ .......... ............. 8

40. Should divorce in this country be easier or more difficult to obtain than it is now?

**DIVLAW**

Easier .......... ................ .......... ................ ................ ................ ................ ................. ............. 1
More difficult .......... ................ ................ ................ ................ ................ ................ ............. 2
STAY AS IT IS (VOLUNTEERED) .......... ................ ................ ................ ................ ................. ............. 3
DON’T KNOW .. .......... ................ ................. ................ ................ ................ ................ ............. 8
41. Some people think that the government in Washington ought to reduce the income differences between the rich and the poor, perhaps by raising the taxes of wealthy families or by giving income assistance to the poor. Others think that the government should not concern itself with reducing this income difference between the rich and the poor.

**EQWLTH**

Here is a card with a scale from 1 to 7. Think of a score of 1 as meaning that the government ought to reduce the income differences between rich and poor, and a score of 7 meaning that the government should not concern itself with reducing income differences. What score between 1 and 7 comes closest to the way you feel? (CIRCLE ONE):

- Government should do something to reduce income differences between rich and poor
- Government should not concern itself with income differences
- DON’T KNOW

42. We hear a lot of talk these days about liberals and conservatives. I’m going to show you a seven-point scale on which the political views that people might hold are arranged from extremely liberal—point 1—to extremely conservative—point 7. Where would you place yourself on this scale?

**POLVIEWS**

- Extremely liberal…………………………….1
- Liberal………………………………………2
- Slightly liberal……………………………3
- Moderate, middle of the road…………….4
- Slightly conservative………………………5
- Conservative……………………………..6
- Extremely conservative……………………7
- DON’T KNOW……………………………8

43. Do you favor or oppose the death penalty for persons convicted of murder?

**CAPPUN**

- Favor ... .......................... .......................... .......................... .......................... .......................... .......................... .......................... 1

44. In general do you think the courts in this area deal too harshly or not harshly enough with criminals?

**COURTS**

- Too harshly .......................... .......................... .......................... .......................... .......................... .......................... .......................... 1
- ABOUT RIGHT (VOLUNTEERED) .......................... .......................... .......................... .......................... .......................... 3
- DON’T KNOW .......................... .......................... .......................... .......................... .......................... .......................... 8
45. Generally speaking, would you say that most people can be trusted or that you can’t be too careful in dealing with people?

**TRUST**

- Most people can be trusted........... .................. ............................ 1
- Can’t be too careful........... .................. ............................ 2
- OTHER, DEPENDS ........ .................. ............................ 3
- DON’T KNOW .. .................. ............................ 8

46. Are there any situations you can imagine in which you would approve of a **policeman** striking an adult male citizen?

**POLHITOK**

- Yes ...... .................. ............................ ............................ 1
- No........ .................. ............................ ............................ 2
- NOT SURE ........ .................. ............................ 8

Would you approve if the citizen… (REPEAT FOR EACH STATEMENT)

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<td>B. Was being questioned as a suspect in a murder case?</td>
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47. If you had to choose, which thing on this list would you pick as the most important for a child to learn to prepare him or her for life? [INTERVIEWER: READ CHOICES]

- 1. To obey.
- 2. To be well-liked or popular.
- 3. To think for himself or herself
- 4. To work hard
- 5. To help others when they need help.

[NUMBER]

CHLDVAL1
CHLDVAL2
B. Which comes next in importance?
CHLDVAL3
C. Which comes third?
CHLDVAL4
D. Which comes fourth?
CHLDVAL5
E. INTERVIEWER: RECORD REMAINING NUMBER.

48. What do you think is the ideal number of children for a family to have?

CHLDIDEL

NONE... 0
ONE  1
TWO  2
THREE  3
FOUR  4
FIVE  5
SIX  6
SEVEN OR MORE  7
AS MANY AS YOU WANT  8
DON’T KNOW  98

49. Do you strongly agree, agree, disagree, or strongly disagree that methods of birth control should be available to teenagers between the ages of 14 and 16 if their parents do not approve?

PILLOK

Strongly agree  1
Agree  2
Disagree  3
Strongly disagree  4
DON’T KNOW  8

50. Do you strongly agree, agree, disagree, or strongly disagree that it is sometimes necessary to discipline a child with a good hard spanking?

SPANKING

Strongly agree  1
Agree  2
Disagree  3
Strongly disagree  4
DON’T KNOW  8
51. When a person has a disease that cannot be cured, do you think doctors should be allowed by law to end the patient’s life by some painless means if the patient and his family request it?

**LETDIE1**

55. Have you seen an X-rated movie in the last year?

**XMOVIE**

Yes ........ ........... ........... ........... ......................... ........... 1
No ........ ........... ........... ........... ......................... ........... 2
DON'T KNOW ........ ........... ........... ......................... ........... 8

56. Which of these statements comes closest to your feelings about pornography laws? READ FIRST THREE CATEGORIES [(1) – (3)] ONLY. CIRCLE ONLY ONE CODE.

**PORNLAW**

(1) There should be laws against the distribution of pornography, whatever the age.................................1

or

(2) There should be laws against the distribution of pornography to persons under 18.................................2

or

(3) There should be no laws forbidding the distribution of pornography.................................3

DON'T KNOW................................. 8
57. Would you use this card and tell me which answer comes closest to how often you do the following things… READ EACH ITEM. CODE ONE FOR EACH.

A. Spend a social evening with relatives?

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B. Spend a social evening with someone who lives in your neighborhood?

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C. Spend a social evening with friends who live outside your neighborhood?

**SOCFREND**

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D. Go to a bar or tavern?

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58. How often do you read the newspaper—every day, a few times a week, once a week, less than once a week, or never?

**NEWS**

- Every day .............  ..............  .............  ........................................  .......... 1
- A few times a week .............  ..............  ........................................  .......... 2
- Once a week .......  ........................................  .......... 3
- Less than once a week.....  ........................................  .......... 4
- Never....  ........................................  .......... 5

59. On the average day, about how many hours do you personally watch television?

**TVHOURS**

NUMBER OF HOURS: __________

60. Would you say that most of the time people try to be helpful, or that they are mostly just looking out for themselves?

**HELPFUL**

- Try to be helpful. .............  ........................................  .......... 1
- Just look out for themselves .............  ........................................  .......... 2
- DEPENDS.............  ........................................  .......... 3
- DON´T KNOW ..  ........................................  .......... 8

61. Do you think most people would try to take advantage of you if they got a chance, or would they try to be fair?

**FAIR**

- Would take advantage of you.............  ........................................  .......... 1
- Would try to be fair.............  ........................................  .......... 2
- DEPENDS.............  ........................................  .......... 3
- DON´T KNOW ..  ........................................  .......... 8
62. Taking things all together, how would you describe your marriage? Would you say that your marriage is very happy, pretty happy, or not too happy?

**HAPMAR**
- Very happy: 1
- Pretty happy: 2
- Not too happy: 3
- Don't know: 8

ASK EVERYONE:

63. Taken all together, how would you say things are these days—would you say that you are very happy, pretty happy, or not too happy?

**HAPPY**
- Very happy: 1
- Pretty happy: 2
- Not too happy: 3

64. IF R IS FEMALE, READ LATINA; IF MALE, READ LATINO. Are you Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino/Latina?

**HISP1**
- Yes: 1
- No: 2

IF YES, ASK A:

A. Which group are you from?

**HISP2**
- Mexican, Mexican American, Chicano/Chicana: 1
- Puerto Rican: 2
- Cuban: 3
- Other: 4
65. What is your race? Indicate one or more races that you consider yourself to be.

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If R has chose two or more races in Q.55, you will need to assign R to one group in order to follow skip patterns on later questions. Use R's first mention for determining race for subsequent questions.

TIMEA3
ASK Q.65.5 IN TERMS OF THE OPPOSITE RACE (BLACKS ARE ASKED ABOUT WHITES AND NON-BLACKS ARE ASKED ABOUT BLACKS):

65.5 Are there any [Whites/(Blacks/African-Americans)] living in this neighborhood now?

**RACLIVE**

Yes .............................................................. ......................................................... ............. 1
No ............................................................................................................................... .......... 2
DON’T KNOW .......................................................... ......................................................... ............. 8

IF PANEL, SKIP TO Q68.

65.6 If your party nominated a (Black/African-American) for President, would you vote for him if he were qualified for the Job?

**RACPRES**

Yes .............................................................. ......................................................... ............. 1
No ............................................................................................................................... .......... 2

QUESTION 66-67 INTENTIONALLY OMITTED.

68. On the average (Blacks/African/Americans) have worse jobs, income, and housing than White people. Do you think these differences are…

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<td>B. Because most (Blacks/African-Americans) have less in-born ability to learn?..........................</td>
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<td>C. Because most (Blacks/African-Americans) don’t have the chance for education that it takes to rise out of poverty?............................................</td>
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<td>D. Because most (Blacks/African-Americans) just don’t have the motivation or will power to pull themselves up out of poverty?........................................</td>
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IF PANEL2008, ASK RACDIF5 AND FOLLOWING SKIP BOX. IF XSEC OR PANEL2006, GO TO 69.

**RACDIF5**

E. Mainly due to differences in upbringing?.......................... | 1   | 2  |          |

[PANEL2008 ONLY]

SKIP BOX
IF ANSWERS TO RACDIF1, RACDIF2, RACDIF3, RACDIF4, and RACDIF5 ARE ALL EITHER ‘No’ or ‘Don’t know’, THEN PROCEED TO NEXT QUESTION.

IF ‘Yes’ IS AN ANSWER TO ANY QUESTION FROM RACDIF1 THROUGH RACDIF5 THEN GO TO 69

68F. What do you think is the cause of these racial differences in jobs, income, and housing?

RACDIFY1

69. Some people say that because of past discrimination, Blacks should be given preference in hiring and promotion. Others say that such preference in hiring and promotion of Blacks is wrong because it discriminates against Whites. What about your opinion – are you for or against preferential hiring and promotion of Blacks?

AFIRM1

For racial preference ....... (ASK Q.69A) .... ......................... ......... 1
Against racial preference.. (ASK Q.69B) .... ......................... ......... 2
DON’T KNOW . .............. (ASK Q.70) ......................... ......... 8
REFUSED........ .............. (ASK Q.70) ......................... ......... 9

IF FAVORS:

AFIRM2

A. Do you favor preferences in hiring and promotion strongly or not strongly?

Strongly favor .... .............. .............. ......................... ............. 1
Not strongly......... .............. .............. ......................... ............. 2
DON’T KNOW .. .............. .............. ......................... ............. 8

IF OPPOSES:

AFIRM3

B. Do you oppose preference in hiring and promotion strongly or not strongly?

Oppose strongly . .............. .............. ......................... ............. 1
Not strongly........ .............. .............. ......................... ............. 2
DON’T KNOW .. .............. .............. ......................... ............. 8

70. Do you agree strongly, agree somewhat, neither agree nor disagree, disagree somewhat, or disagree strongly with the following statement (HAND CARD TO RESPONDENT):

WRKWAYUP

Irish, Italians, Jewish and many other minorities overcame prejudice and worked their way up. Blacks should do the same without special favors.

Agree strongly.... .............. .............. ......................... ............. 1
Agree somewhat. .............. .............. ......................... ............. 2
Neither agree nor disagree .............. .............. ......................... ............. 3
Disagree somewhat .............. .............. ......................... ............. 4
Disagree strongly .................................................. 5
DON'T KNOW .................................................. 8

QUESTION 71 INTENTIONALLY OMITTED.
72. Now I have some questions about different groups in our society. I’m going to show you a seven-point scale on which the characteristics of people in a group can be rated. In the first statement a score of 1 means that you think almost all of the people in that group are “rich.” A score of 7 means that you think almost all of the people in the group are “poor.” A score of 4 means you think that the group is not towards one end or another, and of course you may choose any number in between that comes closest to where you think people in this group stand.

**HAND CARD A15**

*RATING*

**WLTHWHTX**
1. Where would you rate whites in general on this scale?............................

**WLTHBLKX**
2. Blacks?............................................................................................................

**IF PANEL2008:**
3. Hispanics?........................................................................................................

**WLTHHSPS**

B. The second set of characteristics asks if people in the group tend to be hard-working or if they tend to be lazy.

**HAND CARD A15**

*RATING*

**WORKWHTX**
1. Where would you rate whites in general on this scale?............................

**WORKBLKX**
2. Blacks?............................................................................................................

**IF PANEL2008:**
3. Hispanics?........................................................................................................

**WORKHSPS**

C. Do people in these groups tend to be unintelligent or tend to be intelligent?

**HAND CARD A15**

*RATING*

**Unintelligent**
1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7.

**Intelligent**

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INTLWHTX
1. Where would you rate whites in general on this scale? ..............................................................

INTLBLKX
2. Blacks? ......................................................................................................................................

IF PANEL2008:
3. Hispanics? ................................................................................................................................

RATING

73. Now I’m going to ask you about different types of contact with various groups of people. In each situation would you please tell me whether you would be very much in favor of it happening, somewhat in favor, neither in favor nor opposed to it happening, somewhat opposed, or very much opposed to it happening? Living in a neighborhood where half of your neighbors were Whites?

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74. Now I’m going to ask you about another type of contact with various groups of people.

MARWHT A. What about having a close relative marry a white person? Would you be very in favor of it happening, somewhat in favor, neither in favor nor opposed to it happening, somewhat opposed, or very opposed to it happening?

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DON’T KNOW ..  .............  ..............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 8

75. Do you think the number of immigrants to American nowadays should be...

LETINI

Increased a lot………………………………….………………….1
Increased a little…………………………………………… 2
Remain the same as it is………………………………… 3
Reduced a little…………………………………………… 4
Reduce a lot?…………………………………………… 5
CAN’T CHOOSE…………………………………………… 8

QUESTIONS 75-77 INTENTIONALLY OMITTED.

78. How many children have you ever had? Please count all that were born alive at any time (including any you had from a previous marriage).

CHILDs

NONE...  .............  .............  .............. (GO TO Q.80)....  ............................  ............. 0
ONE .....  .............  .............  ..............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 1
TWO ....  .............  .............  ..............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 2
THREE .  .............  .............  ..............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 3
FOUR...  .............  .............  ..............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 4
FIVE....  .............  .............  ..............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 5
SIX ......  .............  .............  ..............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 6
SEVEN.  .............  .............  ..............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 7
EIGHT OR MORE....  .............  .............  ..............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 8

79. How old were you when your first child was born?

AGEKDBRN

Record age: __________

80. Would you be for or against sex education in the public schools?
81. Generally speaking, do you usually think of yourself as a Republican, Democrat, Independent, or what?

**PRIYREF**
- Republican ............. (ASK A) ............. ............................  ............. 1
- Democrat ............  ............. (ASK A) ............. ............................  ............. 2
- Independent ........  ............. (ASK B) ............. ............................  ............. 3
- Other (SPECIFY) .............  ............. (ASK B) ............. ............................  ............. 4
- NO PREFERENCE ..........  ............. (ASK B) ............. ............................  ............. 8

**PRIYSPEC**

**PRIYSTRG**
- Strong ... ............. (GO TO Q.82) ............. ............................  ............. 1
- Not very strong ... ............. (GO TO Q.82) ............. ............................  ............. 2

**PRIYIND**
- Republican .............  .............  .............  .............  .............  ......................  ............. 1
- Democrat ............  .............  .............  .............  .............  ......................  ............. 2
- NEITHER ...........  .............  .............  .............  .............  ......................  ............. 8

FOR Qs 82 THROUGH 87: IF RESPONDNT HAS NOT MADE UP HIS/HER MIND ON AN ISSUE; CODE “DON’T KNOW.” THIS IS AN ACCEPTABLE RESPONSE. DO NOT PROBE.

82. I’d like to talk with you about issues some people tell us are important. Please look at Card 13. Some people think that the government in Washington should do everything possible to improve the standard of living of all poor Americans; they are at Point 1 on this card. Other people think it is not the government’s responsibility, and that each person should take care of himself; they are at Point 5.

Where would you place yourself on this scale, or haven’t you made up your mind on this?

**HELPOOR**

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83. Now look at Card 14. Some people think that the government in Washington is trying to do too many things that should be left to individuals and private businesses. Others disagree and think that the government should do even
more to solve our country’s problems. Still others have opinions somewhere in between. Where would you place yourself on this scale, or haven’t you made up your mind on this?

**HELPNOT**

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84. Now look at Card 15. In general, some people think that it is the responsibility of the government in Washington to see to it that people have help in paying for doctors and hospital bills. Others think these matters are not the responsibility of the federal government and that people should take care of these things themselves.

Where would you place yourself on this scale, or haven’t you made up your mind on this?

HELPSICK

I strongly agree it is the responsibility of the government to help

I agree with both answers

I strongly agree that people should take care of themselves

1 2 3 4 5

84. Now look at Card 16. Some people think that (Blacks/African-Americans) have been discriminated against for so long that the government has a special obligation to help improve their living standards. Others believe that the government should not be giving special treatment to (Blacks/African-Americans).

Where would you place yourself on this scale, or haven’t you made up your mind on this?

HELPBLK

I strongly agree the government is obligated to help Blacks

I agree with both answers

I strongly agree that people should take care of themselves

1 2 3 4 5

8
86. What is the highest grade in elementary school or high school that you finished and got credit for? 
CODE EXACT GRADE.

**RGRADE**

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IF FINISHED 9TH – 12TH GRADE OR DON'T KNOW:

87. A. Did you ever get a high school diploma or a GED certificate?

**RDIPLMA**

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A2. Was that a diploma awarded by your high school at graduation at the end of 12th grade, a GED awarded after you took a test, or something else?

**DIPLMGED**

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B. Did you ever complete one or more years of college for credit—not including schooling such as business college, technical or vocational school?

**RCOL**

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IF YES TO B AND XSEC OR PANEL 2008 [SKIP to [2] IF PANEL 2006]:

[1] How many years did you complete?
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1 year ... .............  .............  .............  .............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 13
2 years .. .............  .............  .............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 14
3 years .. .............  .............  .............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 15
4 years .. .............  .............  .............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 16
5 years .. .............  .............  .............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 17
6 years .. .............  .............  .............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 18
7 years .. .............  .............  .............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 19
8 or more years ... .............  .............  .............  .........................  ............. 20
DON’T KNOW .. ......... (GO TO [2]) ............. ............................  ............. 98

[2] Do you have any college degrees?

RCOLDEG

Yes ......... (ASK [3]) .............  .............  .............  .........................  ............. 1
No......... (IF 2006 PANEL, SKIP TO [5], ELSE, GO TO IQ-12) ............ 2
DON’T KNOW .. (IF 2006 PANEL, SKIP TO [5], ELSE, GO TO IQ-12) ............ 8

IF YES TO [2]:


RDEGHI

Associate/Junior College..  .............  .............  .............  .........................  ............. 2
Bachelor’s .............  .............  .............  .........................  ............. 3
Graduate...............  .............  .............  .........................  ............. 4
DON’T KNOW .. .............  .........................  ............. 8

IF XSEC OR 2008 PANEL, SKIP TO IQ-12

[4] What was your major or field of study when you received your [FILL ANSWER FROM RDEGHI (IF RDEGHI=DK, FILL “HIGHEST COLLEGE”) ] degree?

IF THE RESPONDENT RECEIVED MORE THAN ONE GRADUATE LEVEL DEGREE, ASK ABOUT THE HIGHEST Degree OBTAINED (E.G. ABOUT A Ph.D. RATHER THAN AN M.B.A).

MAJOR1
MAJOR2 [COUNT UP TO 2 MENTIONS]

[5] CODE RESPONDENT’S HIGHEST EDUCATIONAL LEVEL WITHOUT ASKING.

EDUCHECK

HIGH SCHOOL ......... (GO TO [7]) ............. 1
ASSOCIATE/JUNIOR COLLEGE .............  .............  ............. 2
BACHELOR’S... .............  .............  .............  ............. 3
GRADUATE..............  .............  .............  .............  ............. 4
DON’T KNOW .. .............  ......................... (GO TO IQ-12)... ............. 8

[6] What is the name of the college that awarded your [FILL ANSWER FROM RDEGHI (IF RDEGHI=DK, FILL “HIGHEST COLLEGE”) ] degree?

IF ATTENDED MORE THAN ONE COLLEGE AND RECEIVED EQUIVALENT DEGREES FROM MORE THAN ONE COLLEGE (E.G. TWO BACHELOR’S DEGREES FROM DIFFERENT UNIVERSITIES), ASK R: “Please tell me the name of the university that granted the degree most relevant to what you are doing now.” IF R CANNOT CHOOSE, RECORD ALL MENTIONED UNIVERSITIES/COLLEGES.
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COLNAME


COLRATE

Excellent.............  .............  ..............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 1
Very good...........  .............  ..............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 2
Good.....  .............  .............  ..............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 3
Fair ......  .............  .............  ..............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 4
Poor ......  .............  .............  ..............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 5
DON’T KNOW:  .............  .............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 8

[8] In what month and year did you receive your [FILL ANSWER TO A.2]?

WHENHS

MONTH:_____________
YEAR:_______________

IF [6] NOT ANSWERED, GO TO IQ-12

[9] In what month and year did you receive your degree from [FILL ANSWER TO [6] ]?

WHENCOL

MONTH:_____________
YEAR:_______________

IQ-12 INTERVIEWER: CHECK Q.20. IS R MARRIED

Yes ........ ......... ........ (ASK Q.88) ......... ............................ ............. 1
No........ ........ ......... (GO TO Q.89_1) ............................ ............. 2

88. What is the highest grade in elementary school or high school that your (husband/wife) finished and got credit for? CODE EXACT GRADE.

SPGRADE

No formal school .......... (SKIP TO Q.89_1) ........................................... 0
1st grade ............. (SKIP TO Q.89_1) ........................................... 1
2nd grade ............. (SKIP TO Q.89_1) ........................................... 2
3rd grade ........... (SKIP TO Q.89_1) ........................................... 3
4th grade .......... (SKIP TO Q.89_1) ........................................... 4
5th grade ............ (SKIP TO Q.89_1) ........................................... 5
6th grade ............ (SKIP TO Q.89_1) ........................................... 6
7th grade ............... (SKIP TO Q.89_1) ....................................... 7
8th grade ............. (SKIP TO Q.89_1) ........................................... 8
9th grade ............ (ASK Q.89 A&B) ........................................... 9
### IF FINISHED 9TH – 12TH GRADE OR DON'T KNOW:

89. A. Did (s/he) ever get a high school diploma or a GED certificate?

**SPDIPLMA**

| Yes | (ASK B) | ............................ | 1 |
| No | (ASK B) | ............................ | 2 |
| DON'T KNOW | (ASK B) | ............................ | 8 |

B. Did (s/he) ever complete one or more years of college for credit—not including schooling such as business college, technical or vocational school?

**SPCOL**

| Yes | (ASK [1] and [2]) | ............................ | 1 |
| No | (GO TO Q.89_1) | ............................ | 2 |
| DON'T KNOW | (GO TO Q.89_1) | ............................ | 8 |

**IF YES TO B:**

[1] How many years did (s/he) complete?

**SPCOLCOM**

| 1 year | ............................ | 13 |
| 2 years | ............................ | 14 |
| 3 years | ............................ | 15 |
| 4 years | ............................ | 16 |
| 5 years | ............................ | 17 |
| 6 years | ............................ | 18 |
| 7 years | ............................ | 19 |
| 8 or more years | ............................ | 20 |
| DON'T KNOW | (GO TO [2]) | ............................ | 98 |

[2] Does (s/he) have any college degrees?

**SPCOLDEG**

| Yes | (ASK [3]) | ............................ | 1 |
| No | (GO TO Q.89_1) | ............................ | 2 |
| DON'T KNOW | (GO TO Q.89_1) | ............................ | 8 |

**IF YES TO [2]:**


**SPDEGHI**

| Associate/Junior College | ............................ | 2 |
| Bachelor’s | ............................ | 3 |
| Graduate | ............................ | 4 |
| DON'T KNOW | ............................ | 8 |
89C. In our society there are groups which tend to be towards the top and those that are towards the bottom. Here we have a scale that runs from top to bottom. Where would you put yourself on this scale?

**RANK**

1 | TOP
2
3
4
5
6
7
8
9
10 | BOTTOM

[NOTE TO PROGRAMMER: THIS SCALE SHOULD LOOK THE SAME AS THE OTHER SCALES IN THE CORE, AND IN THE ENTIRE QUESTIONNAIRE, WITH RADIO BUTTONS TO THE LEFT OF EACH NUMBER]

89c_1. A In 2008, you remember that Obama ran for President on the Democratic ticket against McCain for the Republicans. Do you remember for sure whether or not you voted in that election?

**VOTE08**

Voted... ................ ................ ............... (ASK [1]) ...................... 1
Did not vote... ................ ................ ............... (ASK [2]) ...................... 2
Ineligible ................ ................ ................ ............... (ASK [2]) ...................... 3
REFUSED TO ANSWER ................ ................ ............... (GO TO Q.87) .......... 4
DON’T KNOW, CAN’T REMEMBER ................ ................ (GO TO Q.87) .......... 8

**IF VOTED:**

[1] Did you vote for Obama or McCain?

**PRES08**

Obama... ................ ................ ................ ............... (GO TO Q.87) .......... 1
McCain... ................ ................ ................ ............... (GO TO Q.87) .......... 2
Other candidate (SPECIFY) ................ ................ ............... (GO TO Q.87) .......... 3

**PRO08SPEC**

DON’T VOTE FOR PRESIDENT ................ ................ (ASK [2]) .......... 5
DON’T KNOW/CAN’T REMEMBER ................ ................ (GO TO Q.87) .......... 8

**IF DID NOT VOTE OR INELIGIBLE:**

[2] Who would you have voted for, for President, if you had voted?

**IF08WHO**

Obama... ................ ................ ................ ............................................. 1
McCain... ................ ................ ................ ............................................. 2
Other ... ................ ................ ................ ............................................. 3
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DON’T KNOW/CAN’T REMEMBER .......................... 8

89_1. A  In 2004, you remember that Kerry ran for President on the Democratic ticket against Bush for the Republicans. Do you remember for sure whether or not you voted in that election?

VOTE04

Voted ........ ................ ................ ................ (ASK [1]) ........ 89 ........ 1
Did not vote ........ ................ ................ ................ (ASK [2]) ........ 2
Ineligible ........ ................ ................ ................ (ASK [2]) ........ 3
REFUSED TO ANSWER ........ ................ ................ (GO TO Q.90) ........ 4
DON’T KNOW, CAN’T REMEMBER ........ ................ (GO TO Q.90) ........ 8

IF VOTED:

[1] Did you vote for Kerry or Bush?

PRES04

Kerry ........ ................ ................ ................ (GO TO Q.90) ........ 1
Bush ........ ................ ................ ................ (GO TO Q.90) ........ 2
Other candidate (SPECIFY) ___________________ (GO TO Q.90) ......... 3

PRO04SPEC

DIDN’T VOTE FOR PRESIDENT ........ ................ (ASK [2]) ........ 5
DON’T KNOW/CAN’T REMEMBER ........ ................ (GO TO Q.90) ........ 8

IF DID NOT VOTE OR INELIGIBLE:

[2] Who would you have voted for, for President, if you had voted?

IF04WHO

Kerry ........ ................ ................ ................ (GO TO Q.90) ........ 1
Bush ........ ................ ................ ................ (GO TO Q.90) ........ 2
Other ........ ................ ................ ................ (GO TO Q.90) ........ 3

DON’T KNOW/CAN’T REMEMBER ........ ................ (GO TO Q.90) ........ 8

90. OMITTED

TIMEA4

A. What is your religious preference? Is it Protestant, Catholic, Jewish, some other religion, or no religion?

RELIG

Protestant ........ ................ ................ (ASK A) ........ 89 ........ 1
Catholic ........ ................ ................ (GO TO Q.92) ........ 2
Jewish ........ ................ ................ (ASK B) ........ 3
None ........ ................ ................ (GO TO Q.93) ........ 4
OTHER (SPECIFY RELIGION AND/OR CHURCH DENOMINATION AND GO TO Q.91_1) ________________________________ 5

91_1 IF YOU HAVE ENTERED “CHRISTIAN” OR SOME OTHER RELIGION THAT YOU THINK MAY BE A CHRISTIAN DENOMINATION OTHER THAN EASTERN ORTHODOX CHURCHES (E.G, GREEK, RUSSIAN, SERBIAN, ARMENIAN ORTHODOX), ENTER 1. IF EASTERN ORTHODOX OR NOT CHRISTIAN, ENTER 2. IF “INTER” OR “NON-DEMONINATIONAL”, ENTER 3.

IVQRELIG

CHRISTIAN ........ ................ ................ (ASK A) ........ 1
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EASTERN ORTHODOX/NOT CHRISTIAN ........ (GO TO Q.92) ........ 2
INTER/NON-DENOMINATIONAL ................. (ASK 91_2) ........ 3

91_2 Would that be a Christian church?

CHRISTCH
Yes .........................(ASK 91_3).........................1
No.................(GO TO Q.92).........................2

91_3 Would you consider that a Protestant church?

PROTCHRH
Yes ......................... .......................1
No ................. .......................2
Not sure ...............(SPECIFY _________________________) 3

PROTSPEC

IF PROTESTANT:
A. What specific denomination is that, if any?

INTERVIEWER: PROBE FOR COMPLETE NAME OF DENOMINATION

TMPDENOM

DENOM

BAPTIST
American Baptist Association ......................... .............. 10
American Baptist Churches in the U.S.A................. 11
National Baptist Convention of America ............... 12
National Baptist Convention, U.S.A., Inc.............. 13
Southern Baptist Convention ......................... 14
Other Baptist Churches
(SPECIFY) ........................................... 15
Baptist, Don’t know which ......................... 18

METHODIST
African Methodist Episcopal Church .................. 20
African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church............. 21
United Methodist Church ................................ 22
Other Methodist Churches
(SPECIFY) ........................................... 23
Methodist, Don’t know which ......................... 28

LUTHERAN
American Lutheran Church ......................... 30
Lutheran Church in America ......................... 31
Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod ................ 32
Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod ............... 33
Other Lutheran Churches
(SPECIFY) ........................................... 34
Evangelical Lutheran Church of America ............ 35

IF R SAYS 35, PROBE: Do you know the name of
your denomination prior to the merger?

Lutheran, Don’t know which ......................... 38

PRESBYTERIAN
Presbyterian Church in the United States ............. 40
United Presbyterian Church in the United States of America 41
Other Presbyterian Churches
(SPECIFY) ........................................... 42
Presbyterian Church (U.S.A) .......... ............. ............. ............................ ............. 43

IF R SAYS 43, PROBE: Do you know the name of
your denomination prior to the merger?

Presbyterian, Don’t know which..... ............. ............. ............................ ............. 48

EPISCOPAL CHURCH ... ............. ............. ............. ............................ ............. 50

OTHER SPECIFY) ................................................................. 60

NO DENOMINATION GIVEN OR NON-DENOMINATIONAL CHURCH ....... ............. 70

RELGSPEC
B. **IF RELIG=3** Do you consider yourself Orthodox, Conservative, Reform or none of these?

**PROBE FOR EXACT DENOMINATION**

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91. Would you call yourself a strong (PREFERENCE NAMED IN Q.91 OR Q.91A OR Q.91AA) or not a very strong (PREFERENCE NAME IN Q.91 OR Q.91A OR Q.91AA)?

**RELITEN**

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92. In what religion were you raised?

**RELIG16**

Protestant................. (ASK A).................. 1
Catholic...................(GO TO Q.94)........... 2
Jewish...................... (ASK B).................. 3
None...................... (GO TO Q.94)........... 4
OTHER (SPECIFY RELIGION AND/OR CHURCH DENOMINATION AND GO TO Q.93_1)______________________________ 5

**93_1 IF YOU HAVE ENTERED “CHRISTIAN” OR SOME OTHER RELIGION THAT YOU THINK MAY BE A CHRISTIAN DENOMINATION OTHER THAN EASTERN ORTHODOX CHURCHES (E.G., GREEK, RUSSIAN, SERBIAN, ARMENIAN ORTHODOX), ENTER 1. IF EASTERN ORTHODOX OR NOT CHRISTIAN, ENTER 2. IF “INTER” OR “NON-DEMONINATIONAL”, ENTER 3.**

**IVQRELG2**

CHRISTIAN ........ (ASK A) .................. 1
EASTERN ORTHODOX/NOT CHRISTIAN ...... (GO TO Q.94) .... 2
INTER/NON-DENOMINATIONAL ........ (ASK 93_2) ........ 3

**93_2 Would that be a Christian church?**

**CHRSTCH2**

Yes ........ (ASK 93_3) .................. 1
No............ (GO TO Q.94) .................. 2

**93_3 Would you consider that a Protestant church?**

**PROTCH2**

Yes ........ .................. .................. .................. 1
No ........ .................. .................. .................. 2
Not sure ........ .................. (SPECIFY _________________________) 3

**IF PROTESTANT:**

A. What specific denomination is that, if any?

(INTEviewer: PROBE FOR COMPLETE NAME OF DENOMINATION)

**TMPDEN16**

**DENOM16**

BAPTIST

American Baptist Association.................. .................. .................. 10
American Baptist Churches in the U.S.A ............ .................. .................. 11
National Baptist Convention of America .................. .................. .................. 12
National Baptist Convention, U.S.A., Inc ....... .................. .................. .................. 13
Southern Baptist Convention .................. .................. .................. .................. 14
Other Baptist Churches
(SPECIFY) .................................................. 15
Baptist, Don’t know which.................. .................. .................. .................. 18

METHODIST

African Methodist Episcopal Church ............ .................. .................. 20
African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church .......... .................. .................. 21
United Methodist Church .................. .................. .................. .................. 22
Other Methodist Churches
(SPECIFY) .................................................. 23
Methodist, Don’t know which.................. .................. .................. .................. 28
LUTHERAN
American Lutheran Church .................................................................30
Lutheran Church in America ...............................................................31
Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod .......................................................32
Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod .................................................33
Other Lutheran Churches
(SPECIFY) ..................................................................................................34
Evangelical Lutheran Church of America ............................................35

IF R SAYS 35, PROBE: Do you know the name of your denomination prior to the merger?
______________________________________________________________38

PRESBYTERIAN
Presbyterian Church in the United States .............................................40
United Presbyterian Church in the United States of America ................41
Other Presbyterian Churches
(SPECIFY) ..................................................................................................42
Presbyterian Church (U.S.A) .................................................................43

IF R SAYS 43, PROBE: Do you know the name of your denomination prior to the merger?
______________________________________________________________48

EPISCOPAL CHURCH ..............................................................................50
OTHER (SPECIFY) ..................................................................................60
NO DENOMINATION GIVEN OR NON-DENOMINATIONAL CHURCH .........70

IF RELIG16=3

PROBE FOR EXACT DENOMINATION

JEW16
Orthodox .................................................................1
Conservative ............................................................2
Reform .................................................................3
None of these ..........................................................4
OTHER (SPECIFY): .............................................................5

93. How often do you attend religious services? USE CATEGORIES AS PROBES IF NECESSARY.

ATTEND
NEVER .................................................................0
LESS THAN ONCE A YEAR .......................................................1
ABOUT ONCE OR TWICE A YEAR ........................................2
SEVERAL TIMES A YEAR .......................................................3
ABOUT ONCE A MONTH .......................................................4
2-3 TIMES A MONTH ............................................................5
NEARLY EVERY WEEK ...........................................................6
EVERY WEEK ...............................................................7
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SEVERAL TIMES A WEEK ........ ........ .................. .................. ............. 8

IS R MARRIED?

Yes ........ ........ ........ (GO TO 94_1) ........ ........ .................. ............. 1
No ........ ........ ........ (GO TO Q.95) ........ ........ .................. ............. 2

94_1. What is your (husband/wife’s) religious preference? Is it Protestant, Catholic, Jewish, some other religion or no religion at all?

SPREL

Protestant ........ ........ (ASK A) ........ .................. ............. ............. 1
Catholic ........ ........ (GO TO Q.95) ........ .................. ............. ............. 2
Jewish .... ........ (ASK B) ........ .................. ............. ............. 3
None ........ ........ (GO TO Q.95) ........ .................. ............. ............. 4
OTHER (SPECIFY RELIGION AND/OR CHURCH DENOMINATION AND GO TO Q.94_2) ______________________ 5

94_2. IF YOU HAVE ENTERED “CHRISTIAN” OR SOME OTHER RELIGION THAT YOU THINK MAY BE A CHRISTIAN DENOMINATION OTHER THAN EASTERN ORTHODOX CHURCHES (E.G., GREEK, RUSSIAN, SERBIAN, ARMENIAN ORTHODOX), ENTER 1. IF EASTERN ORTHODOX OR NOT CHRISTIAN, ENTER 2. IF “INTER” OR “NON-DENOMINATIONAL”, ENTER 3.

IVQRELG3

CHRISTIAN ........ ........ ........ ........ (ASK A) ........ ........ ............. 1
EASTERN ORTHODOX/NOT CHRISTIAN ........ (GO TO Q.95) ........ ............. 2
INTER/NON-DENOMINATIONAL ........ ........ (ASK 93_3) ........ ............. 3

94_3 Would that be a Christian church?

CHRSTCH3

Yes ........ ........ ........ (ASK 93_4) ........ ........ .................. ............. 1
No ........ ........ ........ (GO TO Q.95) ........ .................. ............. 2

94_4 Would you consider that a Protestant church?

PROTCH3

Yes ........ ........ ........ ........ .................. ............. ............. ............. 1
No ........ ........ ........ ........ .................. ............. ............. ............. 2
Not sure ........ ........ ........ (SPECIFY _________________________) 3

IF PROTESTANT:
A. What specific denomination is that, if any?  
(INTERVIEWER: PROBE FOR COMPLETE NAME OF DENOMINATION)

TMPSPDEN

SPDEN

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American Baptist Association ........ ........ .................. ............. ............. 10
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United Methodist Church .................................................. 22
Other Methodist Churches
(SPECIFY) .............................................................................. 23
Methodist, Don’t know which .................................................... 28

LUTHERAN
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OTHER SPECIFY) ........................................................................ 60
NO DENOMINATION GIVEN OR NON-DENOMINATIONAL CHURCH ............. 70

IF (RELIG=3 OR OTHJEW=1 OR OTHJEW=2 OR RELIG16=3 OR OTHJEW16=1 OR OTHJEW16=2) AND SPREL=4 OR DK:

B. Does (s/he) consider (her/himself) Orthodox, Conservative, Reform or none of these?

SPJEW

PROBE FOR EXACT DENomination

Orthodox ................................................................. 1
Conservative .............................................................. 2
Reform ....................................................................... 3
None of these ........................................................... 4
OTHER (SPECIFY): ......................................................... 5

94. Now turning to a different topic: Do you believe there is a life after death?

POSTLIFE

Yes ............................................................. 1
No ............................................................... 2
95. About how often do you pray? USE CATEGORIES AS PROBES IF NECESSARY. DO NOT USE ‘NEVER’ RESPONSE WHEN PROBING.

**PRAY**

- Several times a day ...........  ..............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 1
- Once a day ..........  .............  ..............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 2
- Several times a week .......  .............  ..............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 3
- ONCE A WEEK .............  ..............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 4
- LESS THAN ONCE A WEEK ......  .............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 5
- NEVER .............  .............  ..............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 6

96. Which one of these statements comes closest to describing your feelings about the Bible? **READ FIRST THREE STATEMENTS [(A) – (C)] ONLY. CIRCLE ONLY ONE CODE.**

**BIBLE**

- 1. The Bible is the actual word of God and is to be taken literally, word for word ............................  .............  .............  ..............  .............  ............. 1
- 2. The Bible is the inspired word of God but not everything should be taken literally, word for word......  .............  .............  ..............  .............  ............. 2
- 3. The Bible is an ancient book of fables, legends, history and moral precepts recorded by man...  .............  .............  .............  .............  ............. 3
- 4. OTHER…………………………  .............  .............  .............  .............  ............. 4
- DON’T KNOW……………………....  .............  .............  .............  .............  ............. 8

**ASK IF RELIG = 2**

98_1 We are interested in what American Catholics think about religious matters. Please select the answer from this card that comes closest to your own personal opinion about the following statement: Under certain conditions, the pope is infallible when he speaks on matters of faith and morals.
**POESPKS**

(HAND CARD A22A):

- Certainly true………………….. ............................ 1
- Probably true …………… ............................ 2
- I am uncertain whether this is true or false ...... ............................ 3
- Probably false …………… ............................ 4
- Certainly false………………….. ............................ 5

98_2 Please look at this card and tell me which of the statements comes closest to expressing what you believe about God.

**GOD**

(HAND CARD A23)

- I don’t believe in God……. ............................ 1
- I don’t know whether there is a God and I don’t believe there is any way to find out ............................ 2
- I don’t believe in a personal God, but do believe in a Higher Power of some kind………………….. ............................ 3
- I find myself believing in God some of the time, but not at others …………… ............................ 4
- While I have doubts, I feel that I do believe in God……. ............................ 5
- I know God really exists and I have no doubts about it. ............................ 6

98_3 Did you ever have a religious or spiritual experience that changed your life?

**RELEXP**

- Yes …………… ............................ 1
- No ............................ 2

98_4 Has there ever been a turning point in your life when you had a new and personal commitment to religion?

**RELEXPER**

- Yes …………… ............................ 1
- No ............................ 2

98_5 Would you say you have been ‘born again’ or have had a ‘born again’ experience – that is, a turning point in your life when you committed yourself to Christ?

**REBORN**

- Yes …………… ............................ 1
- No ............................ 2

98_6 To what extent do you consider yourself a religious person? Are you very religious, moderately religious, slightly religious, or not religious at all?

**RELPERSN**

- Very religious………………….. ............................ 1
- Moderately religious …………………….. ............................ 2
- Slightly religious …………………….. ............................ 3
- Not religious at all …………………….. ............................ 4
**98_7** To what extent do you consider yourself a spiritual person? Are you very spiritual, moderately spiritual, slightly spiritual, or not spiritual at all?

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**98_8** How often do you take part in the activities and organizations of a church or place of worship other than attending service?

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**98_9** Have you ever tried to encourage someone to believe in Jesus Christ or accept Jesus Christ as his or her savior?

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**98_10** Please tell me whether you strongly agree, agree, disagree, or strongly disagree with the following statement: I try hard to carry my religious beliefs over into all my other dealings in life?

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**98_11** Please consider the following statements and tell me whether you agree strongly, agree somewhat, disagree somewhat, or disagree strongly with each statement:

a. Those who violate God’s rules must be punished.

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b. Right and wrong are not usually a simple matter of black and white; there are many shades of grey.

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**c. Immoral actions by one person can corrupt society in general.**

**ROTAPPLE**

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**d. Morality is a personal matter and society should not force everyone to follow one standard.**

**PERMORAL**

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**TIMEA5**

**e. Has there ever been a turning point in your life when you became less committed to religion?**

**RELNEG**

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97. **Were you born in this country?**

**BORN**

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98. **Were both your parents born in this country?**

*(IF THE RESPONDENT IS UNCERTAIN OF PARENT, USE SAME PERSONS AS SPECIFIED IN Q.13)*

**PARBORN**

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MOTHER DK, FATHER DK ........       ........       ............................  ............. 7
NEITHER BORN IN U.S. ........       ........       ............................  ............. 8

I. Were all of your four grandparents born in this country?

**GRANIN**

Yes ..........       ........       (GO TO IQ-13)...       ........       ............................  ............. 1
No ..........       ........       (ASK A) ........       ........       ............................  ............. 2
DON’T KNOW .. ........       (GO TO IQ-13)...       ........       ............................  ............. 8

IF NO:

A. How many were born **outside** the United States?

**GRANOUT**

ONE ........ ........ ........ ........ ............................  ............. 1
TWO ........ ........ ........ ........ ............................  ............. 2
THREE ........ ........ ........ ........ ............................  ............. 3
FOUR ........ ........ ........ ........ ............................  ............. 4
DON’T KNOW .. ........ ........ ........ ............................  ............. 8

IF Q97 = NO, REF, DK, SKIP TO Q101C

B. Now we would like to ask you about U.S. citizenship. Are you…

**IF RESPONDENT SAYS S/HE IS “NATURALIZED,” CODE “A U.S. CITIZEN.”**

**USCITZN**

A U.S. Citizen, or ........ ........ ........ ........ ............................  ............. 1
Not a U.S. Citizen? ........ ......... ........ ........ ............................  ............. 2
A U.S. CITIZEN BORN IN PUERTO RICO, THE U.S. VIRGIN ISLANDS, OR THE NORTHERN MARIANAS ISLANDS (IF VOLUNTEERED) .......... 3
BORN OUTSIDE OF THE UNITED STATES TO PARENTS WHO WERE U.S. CITIZENS AT THAT TIME (IF VOLUNTEERED) ............. 4
DON’T KNOW .. ........ ........ ........ ............................  ............. 8
REFUSED ........ ........ ........ ........ ............................  ............. 9

**ALL RESPONSES SKIP TO Q99**

C. Are you…

**FUCITZN**

Currently applying for U.S. citizenship ........ ........ ........ ........ ............................  ............. 1
Planning to apply for U.S. citizenship, or ........ ........ ........ ........ ............................  ............. 2
Not planning to apply for U.S. citizenship? ........ ......... ........ ........ ............................  ............. 3
NOT ELIGIBLE TO BECOME A U.S. CITIZEN (IF VOLUNTEERED) ........ 4
DON’T KNOW .. ........ ........ ........ ............................  ............. 8
REFUSED ........ ........ ........ ........ ............................  ............. 9

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**IQ-13 INTERVIEWER: CHECK ROSTER PAGE HEF-4. IS THIS A ONE-PERSON HOUSEHOLD?**

YES, ONE PERSON HOUSEHOLD ............(ASK Q.100) ........ 1
99. Now I would like you to think about the people who live in this household. Please include any persons who usually live here but are away temporarily – on business, on vacation, or in a general hospital – and include all babies and small children.

Do not include college students who are living away at college, persons stationed away from here in the armed forces, or persons away in institutions.

Is everyone in this household related to you in some way?

\[UNRELAT1\]

Yes ........ ........... (GO TO Q.100) ........ ......................... ............. 1
No .......... ........... (ASK A) ........ ......................... ............. 2

IF NO:
A. How many persons in this household are not related to you in any way?

\[UNRELAT2\]

NUMBER OF PERSONS: __________

100. (Just thinking about your family now – those people in the household who \textbf{are} related to you…) How many persons in the family (including yourself) earned any money last year – 2009 – from any job or employment?

\[EARNRS\]

NUMBER OF PERSONS: __________

A. In which of these groups did your total family income, from all sources, fall last year – 2009 – before taxes, that is. Just tell me the letter.

\[INCOME06\]

\begin{itemize}
\item A. UNDER $1,000.
\item B. $1,000 to $2,999.
\item C. $3,000 to $3,999.
\item D. $4,000 to $4,999.
\item E. $5,000 to $5,999.
\item F. $6,000 to $6,999.
\item G. $7,000 to $7,999.
\item H. $8,000 to $9,999.
\item I. $10,000 to $12,499.
\item J. $12,500 to $14,999.
\item K. $15,000 to $17,499.
\item L. $17,500 to $19,999.
\item M. $20,000 to $22,499.
\item N. $22,500 to $24,999.
\item O. $25,000 to $29,999.
\item P. $30,000 to $34,999.
\item Q. $35,000 to $39,999.
\end{itemize}
IQ-14 INTERVIEWER: CHECK Q.23. WAS ANY OCCUPATION RECORDED?

YES………………………………..(ASK Q.101 ABOUT R’s INCOME)……….1
NO………………………………..(GO TO Q.105.5)……………………...……….2

101. Did you earn any income from (OCCUPATION DESCRIBED IN Q.23) in 2009?

RINCOME1

Yes ...... ........ .... .... (ASK A) ................ ................ ...................... 1
No...... ........ .... .... (GO TO Q.105.5) ................ ................ ...................... 2

IF YES:
A. In which of these groups did your earnings from (OCCUPATION IN Q.23), from all sources for 2009 fall? That is, before taxes or other deductions. Just tell me the letter.

RINCOME06

HAND CARD A25

A. UNDER $1,000 ................ ................ ................ ................ ................ 1
B. $1,000 to $2,999................ ................ ................ ................ ................ 2
C. $3,000 to $3,999................. ................ ................ ................ ................ 3
D. $4,000 to $4,999................ ................ ................ ................ ................ 4
E. $5,000 to $5,999................ ................ ................ ................ ................ 5
F. $6,000 to $6,999................ ................ ................ ................ ................ 6
G. $7,000 to $7,999................ ................ ................ ................ ................ 7
H. $8,000 to $9,999................ ................ ................ ................ ................ 8
I. $10,000 to $12,499................ ................ ................ ................ ................ 9
J. $12,500 to $14,999..... ................ ................ ................ ................ 10
K. $15,000 to $17,499............... ................ ................ ................ ................ 11
L. $17,500 to $19,999............. ................ ................ ................ ................ 12
M. $20,000 to $22,499............. ................ ................ ................ ................ 13
N. $22,500 to $24,999............. ................ ................ ................ ................ 14
O. $25,000 to $29,999............. ................ ................ ................ ................ 15
P. $30,000 to $34,999............. ................ ................ ................ ................ 16
Q. $35,000 to $39,999............. ................ ................ ................ ................ 17
R. $40,000 to $49,999............. ................ ................ ................ ................ 18
S. $50,000 to $59,999............. ................ ................ ................ ................ 19
T. $60,000 to $74,999............. ................ ................ ................ ................ 20
U. $75,000 to $89,999............. ................ ................ ................ ................ 21
V. $90,000 to $109,999............. ................ ................ ................ ................ 22
W. $110,000 to $129,999............. ................ ................ ................ ................ 23
X. $130,000 to $149,999……….. 24
Y. $150,000 or over…………… 25
REFUSED ……………… 26
DON’T KNOW ……………… 98

105.5 Thinking about the time when you were 16 years old, compared with American families in general then, would you say your family income was:

INCOM16
Far below average ……………… 1
Below average ......………. 2
Average ........………. 3
Above average........………. 4
Far above average ........………. 5

106. (Do you/Does your family) own your (home/apartment), pay rent, or what?

DWELOWN
Own or is buying ........………. 1
Pays rent........………. 2
Other (SPECIFY) _________________________________________________ 3

107. What is your date of birth?

BRTHMO MONTH:
BRTHDY DAY:
BRTHYR YEAR:

TIMEA6

ALL PANEL CASES CONTINUE TO HEF5A. CROSS-SECTION CASES SKIP HEF TO QUESTION A120 (OTHLANG).

HEF5A. Please tell me the names of the people who usually live in this household. Let’s start with the person or one of the persons who own or rent this home.

NAME_
FI INFO: IF R GIVES MORE THAN ONE HOUSEHOLDER, CODE FIRST PERSON NAMED.

NAME: ______________ ASSIGN NAME TO ROW A

HEF5_1. INTERVIEWER: IS [PERSON ON ROW A] THE RESPONDENT?

RROWA
YES ........………. 1
NO ........………. 2

USE THIS Q TO DETERMINE TEXT FILLS IN SUBSEQUENT QUESTIONS

HEF5B. (Does/Do) (PERSON IN ROW A/you) have a spouse or unmarried partner who lives in the household?

NAME_2
YES ........………. 1
NO ........………. 2
IF NO: **ASSIGN ‘NONE’ TO ROW B**
IF YES: What is your spouse’s or unmarried partner’s name?

NAME: ______________ **ASSIGN NAME TO ROW B**

HEF5C. Now, who else lives here?

**NAME_3 – NAME_10**

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Section A –Ballot 2

SPOUSE .............  .............  ..............  .............  .............  ............................  ............. 2
PARTNER, FIANCÉ (E), BOYFRIEND, GIRLFRIEND, ETC .............. 3

CHILD OF HEAD
CHILD, NOT SPECIFIED .......................................................... 4
NATURAL/BIOLOGICAL CHILD ................................................... 5
ADOPTED CHILD ................................................................. 6
STEPCHILD ......................................................................... 7
GRANDCHILD, GREAT-GRANDCHILD ...................................... 8
SON-IN-LAW, DAUGHTER-IN-LAW ........................................... 9

PARENT OF HEAD
PARENT ................. ............................................................... 10
PARENT-IN-LAW .................................................................... 11

OTHER RELATIVE OF HEAD
GRANDPARENT, GREAT-GRANDPARENT .................................... 12
UNCLE OR AUNT ................................................................. 13
NIECE OR NEPHEW ............................................................. 14
Cousin .............................................................................. 15
BROTHER, SISTER (FULL, HALF, OR STEP SIBLING) .................... 16
SIBLING-IN-LAW ................................................................. 17
OTHER RELATIVE (GREAT-AUNT, GRANDNIECE, ETC) ............ 18

ROOMMATE, FRIEND, OTHER
ROOMMATE, HOUSEMATE .................................................... 19
FRIEND ............................................................................... 20
CHILD OR NON-RELATIVE .................................................... 21
OTHER NON-RELATIVE (EMPLOYEE, BOARDER) ....................... 22

LOOP END

LOOP BEGIN FOR ROWS A-N (EXCLUDE ROW B). ASSIGN ‘SELF’ (CODE 1) TO ROW B.

HEF8. What is (NAME’s/your) relationship to (PERSON IN ROW B/you)?

RELSP_ – RELSP_14

PARTNER OF SPOUSE/PARTNER ONLY DISPLAY FOR ROW A LOOP ITERATION
SPOUSE ................................................................. 2
PARTNER, FIANCÉ (E), BOYFRIEND, GIRLFRIEND, ETC .......... 3

CHILD OF SPOUSE/PARTNER
CHILD, NOT SPECIFIED ........................................................ 4
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ROOMMATE, HOUSEMATE .................................................... 19
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LOOP END

LOOP BEGIN FOR ROWS A-N

HEF9. CODE SEX, ASK IF NOT OBVIOUS: What is (NAME’s/your) sex, male or female?

SEX_ - SEX_14

MALE ..............  .............  .............  ..............  .............  .............  ..............1
FEMALE ............  .............  .............  ..............  .............  .............  ..............2

HEF10. How old (was/were) (NAME/you) on (his/her/your) last birthday?

AGE_ - AGE_14

AGE: ______________

SKIP HEF11 FOR RESPONDENT

HEF11. IF 13 YRS OR OLDER, ASK: Is NAME now married, widowed, divorced, separated, or has (he/she) never been married?

MSTAT_ - MSTAT_14

MARRIED ..........  .............  .............  ..............  .............  .............  ..............1
WIDOWED ..........  .............  .............  ..............  .............  .............  ..............2
DIVORCED ..........  .............  .............  ..............  .............  .............  ..............3
SEPARATED .........  .............  .............  ..............  .............  .............  ..............4
NEVER MARRIED .........  .............  .............  .............  .............  ..............  ..............5

HEF12. Are any of the people we have listed staying somewhere else right now?

AWAY - AWAY14

FI INFO: “STAYING SOMEWHERE ELSE” MEANS BEING AWAY 4 OR MORE OF THE PREVIOUS 7 NIGHTS.

YES ..............  .............  .............  ..............  .............  .............  ............. 1 ASK HEF13
NO ..............  .............  .............  ..............  .............  .............  ............. 2 GO TO HEF26

HEF13. Who is staying somewhere else right now? CODE ALL THAT APPLY

WHO- WHO14

LIST NAMES AND ASSOCIATED ROW LETTERS

HEF14. ASK FOR EACH PERSON CHECKED IN Q.13: Where is (NAME) staying right now: Is (NAME) staying at another household; is (s/he) traveling; is (s/he) in some institution or dormitory – like at college, or in a hospital or something; or what?

WHERE- WHERE14

IN OTHER HU... .............  .............  .............  ..............  .............  .............  ..............1
TRAVELING ......  .............  .............  .............  .............  .............  .............  ..............2
INSTITUTION .........  .............  .............  .............  .............  .............  .............  ..............3
OTHER/DK ..........  .............  .............  .............  .............  .............  .............  ..............4

LOOP END

HEF15. INTERVIEWER, CODE RACE OF HOUSEHOLD BY OBSERVATION WITHOUT ASKING:
**HHRACE**

WHITE

BLACK/AFRICAN-AMERICAN

AMERICAN INDIAN

ASIATIC, ORIENTAL

OTHER, MIXED, UNABLE TO OBSERVE

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**END OF HEF QUESTIONNAIRE**

IF PANEL2006, SKIP TO INSTRUCTION BEFORE PLUTYPE
IF PANEL2008, SKIP TO A123 (VETYRS1)
IF XSEC, CONTINUE TO OTHLANG

A120. Can you speak a language other than [English/Spanish]?

IF INTERVIEW IS ENGLISH DISPLAY ENGLISH. IF INTERVIEW IS SPANISH DISPLAY SPANISH.

**OTHLANG**

Yes

No

DON’T KNOW

REFUSED

GO TO NEXT SEC

GO TO NEXT SEC

A121. What other language(s) do you speak?

**OTHLANG1, OTHLANG2**

LANGUAGE 1: ______________

LANGUAGE 2: ______________

A122. How well do you speak that language?

**SPKLANG**

Very well

Well

Not well

Poor/Hardly at all

GO TO NEXT SEC

GO TO NEXT SEC

GO TO NEXT SEC

GO TO NEXT SEC

IF XSEC, SKIP TO INSTRUCTION BEFORE PLUTYPE

A123. Have you ever been on active duty for military training or service for two consecutive months or more?

**VETYRS1**

Yes

No

GO TO VETFAM

A124. What was your total time on active duty?
A125. Have any other members of your immediate family—that is your spouse, parents, children, brothers or sisters -- ever served in the armed forces?

**VETFAM**

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**PRIOR TO PLHUTYPE**

A126. Are any other members of your immediate family serving in the armed forces now?

**VETFAMYS**

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**IF 2006 OR 2008 PANEL, ASK PLHUTYPE. IF XSEC, ASK (RES2006, CSHUTYPE, RES2008, CSHUTYP08)**

A127. IS THE RESPONDENT A RESIDENT IN A HOUSEHOLD -- SUCH AS LIVING IN A HOUSE, APARTMENT OR SIMILAR RESIDENCE -- OR DOES THE RESPONDENT LIVE ELSEWHERE SUCH AS LIVING IN AN INSTITUTION LIKE A COLLEGE DORM, MILITARY BARRACK, WORK CAMP, SHELTER, RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER, LONG-TERM MEDICAL CARE FACILITY OR NURSING HOME?

**IF UNSURE, CODE ‘OTHER’ AND FULLY DESCRIBE SITUATION**

**PLHUTYPE**

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**PLTYPESP**

OTHER EXAMPLES OF INSTITUTIONS/GROUP QUARTERS INCLUDE PRISONS AND JAILS, FRATERNITIES AND SORORITIES, REGULAR MOTELS AND HOTELS, GROUP HOMES, MONASTERIES, RESIDENTIAL DRUG TREATMENT CENTERS, AND MENTAL HOSPITALS.

IT DOESN’T MATTER WHERE THE RESPONDENT IS ACTUALLY INTERVIEWED, BUT WHETHER HE/SHE RESIDES IN A HOUSEHOLD AT THE TIME OF THE REINTERVIEW. THUS, THEY COULD BE INTERVIEWED IN A HOTEL WHILE TRAVELING OR IN A HOSPITAL DURING A SHORT-TERM STAY WHILE LIVING IN A HOUSEHOLD AND THEY WILL BE CODED AS ‘LIVING IN HOUSEHOLD.’

1. During March through May 2006, were you living in the United States or were you living outside of the country?

**RES2006**

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IF LIVING IN THE U.S. FOR PART OF THIS PERIOD, CODE AS ‘LIVING IN THE U.S.’

2. During March through May 2006, were you a resident in a household – such as living in a house, apartment or similar residence - or did you live elsewhere such as living in an institution like a college dorm, military barrack, work camp, shelter, residential treatment center, long-term medical care facility or nursing home?

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IF LIVING IN A HOUSEHOLD FOR PART OF THIS PERIOD, CODE AS ‘LIVING IN HOUSEHOLD.’

1. During April through June 2008, were you living in the United States or were you living outside of the country?

RES2008

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IF LIVING IN THE U.S. FOR PART OF THIS PERIOD, CODE AS ‘LIVING IN THE U.S.’

2. During April through June 2008, were you a resident in a household – such as living in a house, apartment or similar residence - or did you live elsewhere such as living in an institution like a college dorm, military barrack, work camp, shelter, residential treatment center, long-term medical care facility or nursing home?

IF UNSURE, CODE ‘OTHER’ AND FULLY DESCRIBE SITUATION

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IF LIVING IN A HOUSEHOLD FOR PART OF THIS PERIOD, CODE AS ‘LIVING IN HOUSEHOLD.’
1. We would like to know something about how people go about guessing words they do not know. On this card are listed some words – you may know some of them, and you may not know quite a few of them.

**HAND CARD A26**

On each line the first word is in capital letters – like BEAST. Then there are five other words. Tell me the number of the word that comes closest to the meaning of the word in capital letters. For example, if the word in capital letters is BEAST, you would say “4” since “animal” comes closer to BEAST than any of the other words.

If you wish, I will read the words to you. These words are difficult for almost everyone – just give me your best guess if you are not sure of the answer.

A. **Space WORDA**
   1. School
   2. Noon
   3. Captain
   4. Room
   5. Board

B. **Broaden WORDB**
   1. Efface
   2. Make level
   3. Elapse
   4. Embroider
   5. Widen

C. **Emanate WORDC**
   1. Populate
   2. Free
   3. Prominent
   4. Rival
   5. Come

D. **Edible WORDD**
   1. Auspicious
   2. Eligible
   3. Fit to eat
4. Sagacious
5. Able to speak

E. Animosity **WORDE**
   1. Hatred
   2. Animation
   3. Disobedience
   4. Diversity
   5. Friendship

HAND CARD A27

F. Pact **WORDF**
   1. Puissance
   2. Remonstrance
   3. Agreement
   4. Skillet
   5. Pressure

G. Cloistered **WORDG**
   1. Miniature
   2. Bunched
   3. Arched
   4. Malady
   5. Secluded

H. Caprice **WORDH**
   1. Value
   2. A star
   3. Grimace
   4. Whim
   5. Inducement

I. Accustom **WORDI**
   1. Disappoint
   2. Customary
   3. Encounter
   4. Get used to
   5. Business

J. Allusion **WORDJ**
   1. Reference
   2. Dream
   3. Eulogy
   4. Illusion
5. Aria

IVQ: DID R ATTEMPT ANY OF THESE QUESTIONS? **WORDTRY**
(CHECK “YES” IF ONE OR MORE OF THE WORDS WERE ATTEMPTED)

Yes
No

IF PANEL 2006 OR PANEL 2008, GO TO NEXT SECTION
IF XSEC BALLOT 2, GO TO SAQMODE1

(ONLY XSEC BALLOTS 1 & 2 GET INTERNET SERIES BELOW)

**COMPUSE:**
Do you personally ever use a computer at home, at work, or at some other location?

Yes 1
No 2

IF COMPUSE NO:

**ALTINT:**
Do you have access to the Internet or World Wide Web in your home through a Internet-enabled mobile device like a smart phone, PDA, or BlackBerry?

Yes 1
No 2

IF COMPUSE OR ALTINT YES:

**EMAILMIN/EMAILHR**
About how many minutes or hours per week do you spend sending and answering electronic mail or e-mail?

___ Minutes
___ Hours

If EMAILMIN and EMAILHR eq 0:

**USEWWW:**
Other that for e-mail, do you ever use the Internet or World Wide Web?

Yes 1
No 2

IF USEWWW YES:

**WWWMIN/WWWHR**
Not counting e-mail, about how many minutes or hours per week do you use the Web? Include time you spend visiting regular web sites and time spent using interactive Internet services like chat rooms, Usenet groups, discussion forums, bulletin board, and the like.

______Minutes
INTERVIEWER: IS THIS CASE BEING COMPLETED IN PERSON OR OVER THE PHONE? SAQMODE1

IN PERSON................................................................. 1
OVER THE PHONE .................................................. 2 GO TO K1

Now we would like you to complete a brief questionnaire on your own.

Remember that all of your answers are completely confidential. They will not be associated with your name in any way, and will be published in summary form only. If there is a question that you don't want to answer, just hit the [F7] key. When you've answered the last question, you'll see a screen that says 'Questionnaire Complete' and you can turn the computer back to me.

Do you have any questions? SAQINTRO

Yes ................................................................. 1
No ................................................................. 2

INTERVIEWER: DOES THE RESPONDENT AGREE TO DO THE SAQ? SAQAGREE

Yes ................................................................. 1
No ................................................................. 2 GO TO NEXT SECTION

Most of the questions you answer will require you to select an answer from a list of answers. Use the mouse to select the button next to the answer that corresponds to your choice, then click on the "Next" button at the bottom of the screen.

Here are two practice questions for you to get used to using the computer.

Summer is my favorite season. SAQINT2

Strongly agree .................................................. 1
Agree ................................................................. 2
Disagree ............................................................. 1
Strongly disagree ................................................ 2
DON'T KNOW .................................................. DK
REFUSED ......................................................... REF

[Practice question 2] SAQINT3

Yes ................................................................. 1
No ................................................................. 2
DON'T KNOW .................................................. DK
REFUSED ......................................................... REF
K1. Have you ever received a ticket or been charged by the police for a traffic violation other than for illegal parking? TICKET

Yes ............................................................................................................... 1
No ............................................................................................................... 2  ►GO TO K3
DON’T KNOW .................................................................................. DK  ►GO TO K3
REFUSED .............................................................................................. REF  ►GO TO K3

K2. Were you ever picked up or charged by the police, for any other reason whether or not you were guilty? ARREST1

Yes ............................................................................................................... 1  ►GO TO K4
No ............................................................................................................... 2  ►GO TO K4
DON’T KNOW .................................................................................. DK  ►GO TO K4
REFUSED .............................................................................................. REF  ►GO TO K4

K3. Were you ever picked up or charged by the police, for any reason whether or not you were guilty? ARREST2

Yes ............................................................................................................... 1
No ............................................................................................................... 2
DON’T KNOW .................................................................................. DK
REFUSED .............................................................................................. REF

K4. Not counting minor traffic offenses, have you ever been convicted of a crime? CONVICTD

Yes ............................................................................................................... 1
No ............................................................................................................... 2
DON’T KNOW .................................................................................. DK
REFUSED .............................................................................................. REF

K5. Have you ever spent any time in prison or jail? LOCKEDUP

Yes ............................................................................................................... 1
No ............................................................................................................... 2
DON’T KNOW .................................................................................. DK
REFUSED .............................................................................................. REF

QUESTIONNAIRE COMPLETED!

THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION. PLEASE RETURN THE COMPUTER TO THE INTERVIEWER.
ENDSAQ2
PLEASE ENTER (PASSWORD) TO CONTINUE WITH THE QUESTIONNAIRE. PASSWRD2

WAS THE SAQ RESPONDENT ADMINISTERED OR INTERVIEWER ADMINISTERED? SELFSAQ2

RESPONDENT ADMINISTERED ................. 1 GO TO NEXT SECTION
INTERVIEWER ADMINISTERED ................. 2 GO TO NEXT SECTION

TIMESTAMP

END OF CORE
XSEC, Ballots 1 and 2 ONLY

1a. Which of these issues is the most important for America today? **TOPPROB**

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1b. Which is the next most important? **TOPROB2**

[NOTE TO PROGRAMMER: EXCLUDE THE RESPONSE TO THE PREVIOUS QUESTION 1a FROM THE CODEFRAME FOR THIS QUESTION—UNLESS THE ANSWER TO 1a WAS ‘CAN’T CHOOSE’; ‘CAN’T CHOOSE’ SHOULD ALWAYS BE INCLUDED AS A RESPONSE TO THIS QUESTION]

**HANDCARD B1**

Health care .................................................................1
Education .................................................................2
Crime........................................................................3
The environment .......................................................4
Immigration...............................................................5
The economy............................................................6
Terrorism....................................................................7
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None of these ...........................................................9
Can’t choose..............................................................98

2a. How much do you agree or disagree with each of these statements?

Private enterprise is the best way to solve America’s economic problems. **PRIVENT**

**HANDCARD B2**

Agree strongly..........................................................1
Agree.........................................................................2
Neither agree nor disagree .......................................3
Disagree.....................................................................4
Disagree strongly....................................................5
Can’t choose..............................................................8
2b. (How much do you agree or disagree with each of these statements?)

It is the responsibility of the government to reduce the differences in income between people with high incomes and those with low incomes. **GOVEQINC**

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3a. Looking at the list on the handcard, please tell me the **one** thing you think should be America’s **highest priority**, the **most** important thing it should do. **POSTMAT1**

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3b. And which one do you think should be America’s next highest priority, the second most important thing it should do? **POSTMAT2**

America should . . .

**HANDCARD B3**

[NOTE TO PROGRAMMER: EXCLUDE THE RESPONSE TO THE PREVIOUS QUESTION 3a FROM THE CODEFRAME FOR THIS QUESTION—UNLESS THE ANSWER TO 3a WAS ‘CAN’T CHOOSE’; ‘CAN’T CHOOSE’ SHOULD ALWAYS BE INCLUDED AS A RESPONSE TO THIS QUESTION]

Maintain order in the nation.................................................................1
Give people more say in government decisions ....................2
Fight rising prices, or .................................................................3
Protect freedom of speech?.........................................................4
Can’t choose..............................................................................8

4a. Generally speaking, would you say that most people can be trusted, or that you can’t be too careful in dealing with people? Please tell me what you think, where 1 means you can’t be too careful and 5 means most people can be trusted. **TRUST5**

**HANDCARD B4**

1 2 3 4 5 8
You can’t be too careful
Most people can be trusted
Can’t choose
4b. Generally speaking, do you think that most people would try to take advantage of you if they got the chance, or would they try to be fair? Please tell me what you think, where 1 means most people would try to take advantage of you and 5 means that most people would try to be fair. **FAIR5**

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5a. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

Most of the time we can trust people in government to do what is right. **GOVDOOK**

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5b. (To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?)

Most politicians are in politics only for what they can get out of it personally. **POLGREED**

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6. Generally speaking, how concerned are you about environmental issues? Please tell me what you think, where 1 means you are not at all concerned and 5 means you are very concerned.

GRNCON

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7a. Here is a list of some different environmental problems. Which problem, if any, do you think is the most important for America as a whole?

ENPRBUS

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7b. Which problem, if any, affects you and your family the most? **ENPRBFAM**

**HANDCARD B8**

- Air pollution ...........................................................................1
- Chemicals and pesticides .......................................................2
- Water shortage ......................................................................3
- Water pollution ......................................................................4
- Nuclear waste .........................................................................5
- Domestic waste disposal ........................................................6
- Climate change .......................................................................7
- Genetically modified foods ....................................................8
- Using up our natural resources ..............................................9
- None of these .........................................................................10
- Can’t choose ...........................................................................98

8a. How much do you feel you know about the causes of these sorts of environmental problems? Please tell me what you think, where 1 indicates you feel you know nothing at all and 5 indicates you feel you know a great deal. **KNWCAUSE**

**HANDCARD B9**

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8b. And how much do you feel you know about solutions to these sorts of environmental problems? Please tell me what you think, where 1 indicates you feel you know nothing at all and 5 indicates you feel you know a great deal. **KNOWSOL**

**HANDCARD B9**

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9a. How much do you agree or disagree with each of these statements?
We believe too often in science, and not enough in feelings and faith. **SCIFATH**

**HANDCARD B10**

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Agree ........................................................................2
Neither agree nor disagree ........................................3
Disagree ...............................................................4
Disagree strongly ......................................................5
Can’t choose ..........................................................8

9b. (How much do you agree or disagree with each of these statements?)
Overall, modern science does more harm than good. **HARMGOOD**

**HANDCARD B10**

Agree strongly .........................................................1
Agree ........................................................................2
Neither agree nor disagree ........................................3
Disagree ...............................................................4
Disagree strongly ......................................................5
Can’t choose ..........................................................8
9c. (How much do you agree or disagree with each of these statements?)
Modern science will solve our environmental problems with little change to our way of life. **SCIGRN**

**HANDCARD B10**

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10a. And how much do you agree or disagree with each of these statements?
We worry too much about the future of the environment and not enough about prices and jobs today. **GRNECON**

**HANDCARD B10**

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10b. (And how much do you agree or disagree with each of these statements?)
Almost everything we do in modern life harms the environment. **HARMSGRN**

**HANDCARD B10**

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Agree..............................................................................2
Neither agree nor disagree .............................................3
Disagree .........................................................................4
Disagree strongly ............................................................5
Can’t choose.....................................................................8

10c. (And how much do you agree or disagree with each of these statements?)
People worry too much about human progress harming the environment. **GRNPROG**

**HANDCARD B10**

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Agree..............................................................................2
Neither agree nor disagree .............................................3
Disagree .........................................................................4
Disagree strongly ............................................................5
Can’t choose.....................................................................8

11a. And please tell me for each of these statements, how much you agree or disagree with it.
In order to protect the environment America needs economic growth. **GRWTHELP**

**HANDCARD B10**

Agree strongly...............................................................1
Agree..............................................................................2
Neither agree nor disagree .............................................3
Disagree .........................................................................4
Disagree strongly ............................................................5
Can’t choose.....................................................................8
11b. (And please tell me for each of these statements, how much you agree or disagree with it.)
Economic growth always harms the environment. **GRWTHARM**

**HANDCARD B10**

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- Agree .................................................................................. 2
- Neither agree nor disagree ............................................... 3
- Disagree ............................................................................. 4
- Disagree strongly .............................................................. 5
- Can’t choose ...................................................................... 8

11c. (And please tell me for each of these statements, how much you agree or disagree with it.)
The earth simply cannot continue to support population growth at its present rate. **POPGRWTH**

**HANDCARD B10**

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- Agree .................................................................................. 2
- Neither agree nor disagree ............................................... 3
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12a. How willing would you be to pay much higher prices in order to protect the environment? **GRNPRICE**

**HANDCARD B11**

- Very willing ........................................................................ 1
- Fairly willing ....................................................................... 2
- Neither willing nor unwilling ............................................ 3
- Fairly unwilling .................................................................. 4
- Very unwilling ..................................................................... 5
- Can’t choose ...................................................................... 8
12b. And how willing would you be to pay much higher taxes in order to protect the environment? GRN\textsc{taxes}

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Fairly willing..............................................................................2
Neither willing nor unwilling..................................................3
Fairly unwilling........................................................................4
Very unwilling.........................................................................5
Can’t choose...........................................................................8

12c. And how willing would you be to accept cuts in your standard of living in order to protect the environment? GRN\textsc{sol}

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Very willing ...........................................................................1
Fairly willing..............................................................................2
Neither willing nor unwilling..................................................3
Fairly unwilling........................................................................4
Very unwilling.........................................................................5
Can’t choose...........................................................................8

13a. How much do you agree or disagree with each of these statements?

It is just too difficult for someone like me to do much about the environment. TOOD\textsc{ifme}

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Agree strongly..........................................................................1
Agree.........................................................................................2
Neither agree nor disagree......................................................3
Disagree .....................................................................................4
Disagree strongly .....................................................................5
Can’t choose...........................................................................8
13b. (How much do you agree or disagree with each of these statements?)
I do what is right for the environment, even when it costs more money or takes more time.

IHLPGRN

HANDCARD B12

Agree strongly.................................................................1
Agree................................................................................2
Neither agree nor disagree ..............................................3
Disagree ..........................................................................4
Disagree strongly ............................................................5
Can’t choose......................................................................8

13c. (How much do you agree or disagree with each of these statements?)
There are more important things to do in life than protect the environment. IMPGRN

HANDCARD B12

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Agree................................................................................2
Neither agree nor disagree ..............................................3
Disagree ..........................................................................4
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Can’t choose......................................................................8
13d. (How much do you agree or disagree with each of these statements?)
There is no point in doing what I can for the environment unless others do the same.

OTHSSAME

**HANDCARD B12**

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Agree...............................................................................2
Neither agree nor disagree .............................................3
Disagree .........................................................................4
Disagree strongly ..........................................................5
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13e. (How much do you agree or disagree with each of these statements?)
Many of the claims about environmental threats are exaggerated. **GRNEXAGG**

**HANDCARD B12**

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Agree...............................................................................2
Neither agree nor disagree .............................................3
Disagree .........................................................................4
Disagree strongly ..........................................................5
Can’t choose .....................................................................8
13f. (How much do you agree or disagree with each of these statements?)
I find it hard to know whether the way I live is helpful or harmful to the environment.

HELPHARM

**HANDCARD B12**

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13g. (How much do you agree or disagree with each of these statements?)
Environmental problems have a direct effect on my everyday life.

GRNEFFME

**HANDCARD B12**

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14a. In general, do you think that air pollution caused by cars is . . .

CARSGEN

**HANDCARD B13**

Extremely dangerous for the environment......................1
Very dangerous .....................................................................2
Somewhat dangerous ..........................................................3
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14b. In general, do you think that air pollution caused by industry is . . . INDUSGEN

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14c. And do you think that pesticides and chemicals used in farming are . . . CHEMGEN

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14d. And do you think that pollution of America’s rivers, lakes and streams is . . . WATERGEN

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14e. In general, do you think that a rise in the world’s temperature caused by climate change is . . .

**TEMPGEN1**

**HANDCARD B13**

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Somewhat dangerous .......................................................3
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14f. And do you think that modifying the genes of certain crops is . . .

**GENEGEN**

**HANDCARD B13**

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14g. And do you think that nuclear power stations are . . .

**NUKEGEN**

**HANDCARD B13**

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Somewhat dangerous .......................................................3
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Can’t choose......................................................................8
15a. If you had to choose, which one of the following would be closest to your views? **PUBDECID**

**HANDCARD B14**

Government should let *ordinary people* decide for themselves how to protect the environment, even if it means they don’t always do the right thing..........1
Government should pass laws to make *ordinary people* protect the environment, even if it interferes with people’s rights to make their own decisions ....................2
Can’t choose...........................................................................8

15b. And which one of the following would be closest to your views? **BUSDECI**

**HANDCARD B15**

Government should let *businesses* decide for themselves how to protect the environment, even if it means they don’t always do the right thing............1
Government should pass laws to make *businesses* protect the environment, even if it interferes with businesses’ rights to make their own decisions ..........2
Can’t choose...........................................................................8

16. Some countries are doing more to protect the world environment than other countries are. In general, do you think that America is doing . . . **USDOENUF**

More than enough .................................................................1
About the right amount, or.....................................................2
Too little? ................................................................................3
Can’t choose...........................................................................8
17a. Which of these approaches do you think would be the best way of getting business and industry in America to protect the environment? BUSGRN

HANDCARD B16

Heavy fines for businesses that damage the environment .....1
Use the tax system to reward businesses that protect the environment .........................................................2
More information and education for businesses about the advantages of protecting the environment ........3
Can’t choose...........................................................................8

17b. Which of these approaches do you think would be the best way of getting people and their families in America to protect the environment? PEOPGRN

HANDCARD B17

Heavy fines for people who damage the environment ..................................................................................1
Use the tax system to reward people who protect the environment ..............................................................2
More information and education for people about the advantages of protecting the environment ........3
Can’t choose...........................................................................8
18. To which of the following should America give priority in order to meet its future energy needs? **ENERGY**

**HANDCARD B18**

- Coal, oil and natural gas.........................................................1
- Nuclear power ........................................................................2
- Solar, wind or water power ....................................................3
- Fuels made from crops...........................................................4
- Fuels made from waste ..........................................................5
- None of them..........................................................................6
- Can’t choose...........................................................................8

19a. How much do you agree or disagree with each of these statements?
For environmental problems, there should be international agreements that America and other countries should be made to follow. **GRNINTL**

**HANDCARD B19**

- Agree strongly........................................................................1
- Agree......................................................................................2
- Neither agree nor disagree .....................................................3
- Disagree .................................................................................4
- Disagree strongly ...................................................................5
- Can’t choose...........................................................................8
19b. (How much do you agree or disagree with each of these statements?)
Poorer countries should be expected to make less effort than richer countries to protect the environment. **LDCGRN**

**HANDCARD B19**

Agree strongly ................................................................. 1
Agree ............................................................................. 2
Neither agree nor disagree .............................................. 3
Disagree ................................................................. 4
Disagree strongly ......................................................... 5
Can’t choose ................................................................. 8

19c. (How much do you agree or disagree with each of these statements?)
Economic progress in America will slow down unless we look after the environment better. **ECONGRN**

**HANDCARD B19**

Agree strongly ................................................................. 1
Agree ............................................................................. 2
Neither agree nor disagree .............................................. 3
Disagree ................................................................. 4
Disagree strongly ......................................................... 5
Can’t choose ................................................................. 8

20a. How often do you make a special effort to sort glass or cans or plastic or newspapers and so on for recycling? **RECYCLE**

**HANDCARD B20**

Always ................................................................. 1
Often ............................................................................. 2
Sometimes ................................................................. 3
Never ............................................................................. 4
(RECYCLING NOT AVAILABLE WHERE I LIVE) ....... 5
20b. How often do you make a special effort to buy fruit and vegetables grown without pesticides or chemicals? **CHEMFREE**

**HANDCARD B20**

- Always .................................................................1
- Often .................................................................2
- Sometimes .........................................................3
- Never .................................................................4
- (NOT AVAILABLE WHERE I LIVE) .........................5

20c. And how often do you cut back on driving a car for environmental reasons? **DRIVLESS**

**HANDCARD B20**

- Always .................................................................1
- Often .................................................................2
- Sometimes .........................................................3
- Never .................................................................4
- (I DO NOT HAVE OR CANNOT DRIVE A CAR) ...........5

20d. How often do you reduce the energy or fuel you use at home for environmental reasons? **REDCEHME**

**HANDCARD B20**

- Always .................................................................1
- Often .................................................................2
- Sometimes .........................................................3
- Never .................................................................4
20c. And how often do you choose to save or re-use water for environmental reasons? **H2OLESS**

**HANDCARD B20**

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20f. And how often do you avoid buying certain products for environmental reasons? **NOBUYGRN**

**HANDCARD B20**

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21. Are you a member of any group whose main aim is to preserve or protect the environment? **GRNGROUP**

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22a. In the last **five years**, have you signed a petition about an environmental issue? **GRNSIGN**

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22b. In the last **five years**, have you given money to an environmental group? **GRNMONEY**

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22c. In the last **five years**, have you taken part in a protest or demonstration about an environmental issue? **GRNDEMO**

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