Japan

ISSP Background Variable Documentation

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Users of the international ISSP data file should have all relevant information to understand the construction of the ISSP background variables. Thus, the ISSP has decided to provide a documentation of its background variables and to regularly update this documentation (decisions of the ISSP General Meetings in 2005 and 2006). The information collected with this document will be published with the ISSP data files. Furthermore, it will help to discuss and decide on streamlining the ISSP background variables.

The Demographics Method Group asks you to provide information on all your ISSP background variables. The document at hand serves to collect and structure this information from ISSP members in a template.

Please note that, due to changes in the ISSP Background Variables, there are different versions of documentation templates to use, related to the respective ISSP study under consideration. The template at hand serves to document your national **ISSP 2011 and 2012** surveys.

The document consists of three sections: Section 1 of this documentation refers to basic elements: source description, information on filters and routing, and construction information. In section 2, as an example, we present the relevant information for the variable UNION (Trade union membership) from Germany. Section 3 finally offers the documentation template for all ISSP background variables valid from the ISSP module 2010 forward.

If you have any questions on the documentation, please do not hesitate to contact us:

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1. Basic Elements

For each of the variables listed in section 3 below, please give the following information as applicable.

❖ **Source description**

- Please give the **question no./position/name(s)** used in your field questionnaire and report additional information sources, for example, if interviewer observation was used instead of asking questions to respondents. If your ISSP is run with a larger survey and the background variable is taken from this survey, then refer to that (those) source question(s). Please make a **note** from which survey the question(s)/variable(s) come(s) (see below).

- Please give the text of the **original question(s)** exactly as used in your field questionnaire and **in your national language**.

  - Please include all **response categories** of the original field questionnaire.

- ▪ Please give **interviewer instructions** if necessary to understand the generation of response codes.

- Please **translate original questions, response categories and interviewer instructions** into English.

- Please provide **notes** if needed. Notes can address both possible translation issues (**translation note**) and country specific particularities of question background, of variable generation or of the meaning of individual response categories (**note**).

- ❖ **Filter Variables and Conditions:** If any variables cover only part of the sample, please list the conditions (questions/variables and categories/codes) used to define the *excluded cases*. In other words, report the conditions which lead to a 'not applicable' code in the variable following the filter.

- ❖ **Construction/Recoding**

- Please report how the codes of the ISSP target variable were derived from your source data.

- Please use a table of correspondence with source and target codes (see the example in section 2 and tables in section 3).

- If construction of ISSP target codes involves more than simple 1-1 relationships between source and target codes, please use roughly Boolean syntax as shown in the example 2 below. Command syntax of common statistics programs is also welcome. Just put the syntax used into the "Optional: Recoding Syntax" box if you consider that it will increase comprehensibility and transparency.

- Please always (also for country specific variables) report how the ISSP missing values (not applicable-NAP, no answer-NA, don't know-DK) were filled.

- ❖ **Complementary information (see last page)**

- Please provide the part(s) of your country questionnaire that relate(s) to the background variables reported in this template. If these variables are already covered by your country's field questionnaire delivered with your national ISSP data file, then just tick the box on the last page of this document. (PDF or MS Word format preferred.)

- Please also supply frequency tables with absolute and relative frequencies, missing values *included*, for **all** *source* variables. *Source variables* are the country-specific variables **before** recodes into ISSP standard variables are done. (MS Word or simple ASCII file preferred.)

- If your country derives ISCO88 codes from a national occupation coding scheme, please supply a correspondence list of national codes and ISCO88 codes. (MS Word or simple ASCII file preferred.)

2. Example

The German example for the variable UNION is constructed from two variables referring to two questions in the German field questionnaire.

UNION – Trade union membership

	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text	#1 Darf ich Sie fragen, ob Sie derzeit Mitglied in einer Gewerkschaft sind?	#1 May I ask you whether you are currently a member of a trade union?
Codes/ Categories	1. Ja, bin Mitglied	1. Yes, I am member
	2. Nein, bin kein Mitglied	2. No, I am not member
	9. Keine Angabe*	9. No answer*
	0. Nein, Befragter will Frage nicht beantworten*	0. Respondent refuses to answer*
Question no. and text	#2 Waren Sie früher einmal Mitglied in einer Gewerkschaft?	#2 Were you once a member of a trade union?
Codes/ Categories	1. Ja	1. Yes
	2. Nein	2. No
	8. Weiß nicht	8. Don't know
	9. Keine Angabe*	9. No answer*
Note	Falls Befragter aktuell kein Gewerkschaftsmitglied ist; „nein" in #1	If respondent not currently union member; no in #1
Interviewer Instructions	—	
Translation Note	—	
Note	Current and former union membership taken from ALLBUS 2010 Answer categories marked by an asterisk are not read aloud.	

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

Former membership (#2) not asked if respondent currently member (#1=1)

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/ Construction Rules	**➔UNION**
If (#1=1)	1. Yes, currently
If (#2=1)	2. Yes, previously but not currently
If (#1=2 and #2=2)	3. No, never

If (#1=0)	7. Refused
Else	9. No answer

3. Variable List

In the following you will find forms to ease documentation of the points described in section 1 above.

Some Hints to Fill in the Forms

- Please fill in the forms on the screen and return the file to <isspservice@gesis.org> – please do *not* return a printout using paper and pencil!

- In general, please feel free to be flexible in using the forms. If necessary adopt them to your reporting needs. In particular:

  - Please insert as many additional fields as needed, e.g. add lines if your country variable has more categories than the template provides.

  - Please skip fields not needed, e.g. skip 'note' lines if no note is required.

  - If individual response categories require separate notes, insert as many additional lines as necessary *below* the respective category.

  - If your field questionnaire has more than one language version, please replicate the complete 'National Language - English Translation/Note' block as often as needed.

- The question numbers should refer to the numbers of your original field questionnaire.

- For variables with continuous data (AGE, WRKHRS…), please list the lowest and the highest valid codes empirically found in your country's data and the various non-response codes, e.g. NAP (not applicable), DK (don't know); if additional non-response codes occur in your data, such as 'refused', please add.

- If source variables are relevant for *several* ISSP target variables, please copy the information for the source variables each time to offer a complete documentation of the individual ISSP target variable.

Please name the **ISSP module** which the documentation refers to (e.g., "*Health and Health Care / ISSP2011*"):

"Family and Changing Gender Roles/ISSP2012"

Please name your **country**:

Japan

SEX - Sex of respondent

	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text	F1: Anata no seibetsu o okotae kudasai.	F1: Sex / Please circle the appropriate figure.
Codes/ Categories	1. Otoko	1. Male
	2. On'na	2. Female
	—	
Interviewer Instruction	—	
Translation Note	—	
Note	Respondent's sex can be known also from the sampling frame.	

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes (in translation)	**➔ SEX**
SEX=question F1	1. Male
	2. Female
Not used	9. No answer

BIRTH – Year of birth

This question can be asked as an alternative to asking about AGE. If BIRTH is not asked directly, it must be computed by DATEYR 'year of interview' minus AGE 'age of respondent'.

	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text		
Codes/ Categories		
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note	Respondent's year of birth can be known from the sampling frame.	

Construction/Recoding: (list lowest, highest, and 'missing' codes only, replace terms in [square brackets] with real numbers)

	Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	**➔BIRTH**
Construction		
Codes	1908	[MIN BIRTH]
	1995	[HIGH BIRTH]
		9999. No answer

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

AGE - Age of respondent

This question can be asked as an alternative to asking about BIRTH. If AGE is not asked directly, it must be computed by DATEYR 'year of interview' minus BIRTH 'year of birth'.

	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text	F2: Anata no seinen o okotae kudasai. Bangō ni maru o tsukete, umare doshi o kinyū shite kudasai.	F2: Year of Birth / Circle the appropriate figure and indicate your year of birth.
Codes/ Categories	1. Meiji	1. Meiji
	2. Taishō	2. Taisho
	3. Shōwa	3. Showa
Interviewer Instruction	4. Heisei	4. Heisei
Translation Note	F2G:Era (1 Meiji, 2 Taisho, 3 Showa ,4 Heisei) F2N:Year Meiji 1-45 = 1868-1912, Taisho 1-15 = 1912-1926, Showa 1-64 = 1926-1989 Heisei 1-24 =1989-2012	
Note	Respondent's birth year can be known from the sampling frame.	

Construction/Recoding: (list lowest, highest, and 'missing' codes only, replace terms in [square brackets] with real numbers)

	Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	**➜AGE**
Construction	if F2G = 1 then AGE = 145 - F2N if F2G = 2 then AGE = 101- F2N if F2G = 3 then AGE = 87 - F2N if F2G = 4 then AGE = 24 – F2N	
Codes	16 years old	[MIN AGE]
	104 years old	[HIGH AGE]
	- not used -	999. No answer

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

EDUCYRS - Education I: years of schooling

	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text	F3: Anata wa shōgakkō ni nyūgaku shite kara, koremade zenbu de nan nenkan gakkō ni kayoi masita (kayotte imasu) ka? Tadashi yobikō, senshū gakkō, kakushu gakkō no zaigaku kikan wa fukumi masen.	F3: How many years of education did you receive from the time you entered elementary school to the time you graduated or left your final place of education ? Do not include any time spent at "cram schools", higher vocational schools or schools in the miscellaneous category.
Codes/ Categories	(99.) Mukaitō	(99.) No answer
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

Question F3: ask all

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	**➔ EDUCYRS**
If F3=0	0. No formal schooling, no years at school
If F3=1	1. One year
	…
- not used -	98. Don't know
if F3= 99 (NA) then EDUCYRS = 99	99. No answer

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

nat_DEGR - Country-specific highest completed degree of education

	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text	F4: Anata ga saigo ni sotsugyō sareta gakkō o, tsugi no naka kara hitotsu dake erande maru o tsukete kudasai. Zaigakuchū no kata wa, genzai kayotte iru gakkō o okotae kudasai.	F4: Please indicate the last school you attended or the school you are currently attending. Circle one figure only.
Codes/ Categories	1. Sotsugyō: chūgakkō	1. Graduated from junior high school
	2. Sotsugyō: kōtō gakkō	2. Graduated from high school
	3. Sotsugyō: kōtō senmon gakkō, tanki daigaku	3. Graduated from technical college, junior collage
	4. Sotsugyō: daigaku	4. Graduated from university
	5. Sotsugyō: daigakuin	5. Graduated from postgraduate school
	6. Zaigakuchū: kōtō gakkō, kōtō senmon gakkō (1-3 nen)	6. Attending high school, technical college (1st-3rd year)
	7. Zaigakuchū: kōtō senmon gakkō (4,5 nen), tanki daigaku, daigaku	7. Attending technical college (4th-5th year), junior college, university
	8. Zaigakuchū: daigakuin	8. Attending postgraduate school
	9. Sono ta (gutaiteki ni ___)	9. Others (Please specify)
	(10.) Mukaitō	(10.) No answer
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

Question F4: ask all

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	➔ **JP_DEGR**
If F4=1 then JP_DEGR=1	1. Junior high completed
If F4=2 then JP_DEGR=2	2. High school completed
If F4=3 then JP_DEGR=3	3. Junior College completed
If F4=4,5 then JP_DEGR=4	4. Finished University or Graduate
If F4=6 then JP_DEGR=5	5. Still at High school
If F4=7 then JP_DEGR=6	6. Still at Junior college or University
If F4=8 then JP_DEGR=7	7. Still at graduate school
If F4=9 then JP_DEGR=8	8.Others
If F4=10 then JP_DEGR=99	99. No answer

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

DEGREE – R: Education II: categories

	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text	F3:See F3 F4: Anata ga saigo ni sotsugyō sareta gakkō o, tsugi no naka kara hitotsu dake erande maru o tsukete kudasai. Zaigakuchū no kata wa, genzai kayotte iru gakkō o okotae kudasai.	F3:See F3 F4: Please indicate the last school you attended or the school you are currently attending. Circle one figure only.
Codes/ Categories	1. Sotsugyō: chūgakkō	1. Graduated from junior high school
	2. Sotsugyō: kōtō gakkō	2. Graduated from high school
	3. Sotsugyō: kōtō senmon gakkō, tanki daigaku	3. Graduated from technical college, junior collage
	4. Sotsugyō: daigaku	4. Graduated from university
	5. Sotsugyō: daigakuin	5. Graduated from postgraduate school
	6. Zaigakuchū: kōtō gakkō, kōtō senmon gakkō (1-3 nen)	6. Attending high school , technical college (1st-3rd year)
	7. Zaigakuchū: kōtō senmon gakkō (4,5 nen), tanki daigaku, daigaku	7. Attending technical college (4th-5th year) , junior college , university
	8. Zaigakuchū: daigakuin	8. Attending postgraduate school
	9. Sono ta (gutaiteki ni ___)	9. Others (Please specify)
	(10.) Mukaitō	(10.) No answer
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

Question F3 & F4: ask all

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	**➔DEGREE**
If F3=0 then DEGREE=0	0. No formal education
-not used-	1. Primary school
If F4=1,6 then DEGREE=2	2. Lower secondary (secondary completed does not allow entry to university: obligatory school)
If F4=2,7 then DEGREE=3	3. Upper secondary (programs that allow entry to university)
If F4=3 then DEGREE=4	4. Post secondary, non-tertiary (other upper secondary programs toward labour market or technical formation)
If F4=4,8 then DEGREE=5	5. Lower level tertiary, first stage (also technical schools at a tertiary level)
If F4=5 then DEGREE=6	6. Upper level tertiary (Master, Dr.)
If F4=9,10 then DEGREE=9	9. No answer

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

WORK – Currently, formerly, or never in paid work

	National Language	English Translation
Question no. and text	F5: Anata ha, shūnyū o eru tame, 1 shūkan ni 1 jikan ijou shigoto o shite imasu ka? Tugi no nakakara hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai.	F5: Are you currently working for pay, for at least one hour per week? Circle one figure only.
Codes/ Categories	1.Genzai, shigoto o shite iru	1. Currently in paid work.
	2. Izen ha shigoto o shiteita ga, genzai ha shite inai.	2.Currently not in paid work, paid work in the past
	3. Koremade shigoto o shita koto ga nai.	3.Never had paid work
	(4.) Mukaitō	(4.) No answer
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

Question F5: ask all

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	➔WORK
if F5=1 then WORK=1	1. Currently in paid work
if F5=2 then WORK=2	2. Currently not in paid work, paid work in the past
if F5=3 then WORK=3	3. Never had a paid work
if F5=4 then WORK=9	9. No answer

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

WRKHRS – Hours worked weekly

	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text	F6: Anata wa, jikangai mo fukumete, fudan 1 shūkan ni nan jikan kurai shigoto o shite imasu ka? 2tsu ijou, shigoto o omochi no baai wa, subete no roudou jikan o gassan shite okotae kudasai. Mata, byouiki, ikuji kyushoku, kyuka, sutoraiki nadode ichijitekini shigoto o shiteinai kata wa, fudan no joukyou nit suite okotae kudasai.	F6: How many hours, on average, do you usually work for pay in a normal week, including overtime? If you have more than one job, count the total number of working hours that you do. If you temporarily are not working because of temporary illness/parental leave/vacation/strike etc., please refer to your normal work situation.
Codes/ Categories	(000.) Higaitō	(000.) NAP
	(999.) Mukaitō	(999.) No answer
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F6:To be answered by those who are currently in paid work(code 1 in F5)

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	**➔WRKHRS**
If F6=1 then WRKHRS=1	1. One hour
…	…
if F6≧96 then WRKHRS= 96	96. 96 hours and more
-not used-	98. Don't know
if F6=999 then WRKHRS= 99	99. No answer
if F6=000 then WRKHRS= 00	00. NAP (Code 2 or 3 in WORK)

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

EMPREL – Employment relationship

	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text	F7: Anata no shigoto ha, tsugi no yōni wakeru to dore ni atari masu ka? Atehamaru bangō ni hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai.	F7: Are/were you an employee, self-employed, or working for your own family business? Circle one figure only.
Codes/ Categories	1. Tsutomete iru, koyou sareteiru.	1. An Employee
	2. Jibun de shōbai o shitari, kaisha nado o keiei shiteiru (Jūgyōin nashi).	2. Self-employed without employees
	3. Jibun de shōbai o shitari, kaisha nado o keiei shiteiru (Jūgyōin ari). →Jūgyōin ha, anata o nozoite nan nin desu ka?	3. Self-employed with employees → How many employees do/did you have, not counting yourself?
	4. Jibun no ie no shōbai ya shigoto o tetsudatte iru.	4. Working for own family's business
	(5.) Mukaitō	(5.) No answer
	(6.) Higaitō	(6.) NAP
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F7:To be answered by those who are "currently in paid work" or "currently not in paid work, paid work in the past" (code 1 or 2 in F5)

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	**➜EMPREL**
If F7=1 then EMPREL=1	1. Employee
If F7=2 then EMPREL=2	2. Self-employed without employees
If F7=3 then EMPREL=3	3. Self-employed with employees
If F7=4 then EMPREL=4	4. Working for own family's business
If F7=5 then EMPREL=9	9. No answer
If F7=6 then EMPREL=0	0. NAP (Code 3 in WORK)

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

NEMPLOY - Self employed: how many employees

	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text	F7: Anata no shigoto ha, tsugi no yōni wakeru to dore ni atari masu ka? Atehamaru bangō ni hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai.	F7: Are/were you an employee, self-employed, or working for your own family business? Circle one figure only.
Codes/ Categories	1. Tsutomete iru, koyou sareteiru.	1. An Employee
	2. Jibun de shōbai o shitari, kaisha nado o keiei shiteiru (Jūgyōin nashi).	2. Self-employed without employees
	3. Jibun de shōbai o shitari, kaisha nado o keiei shiteiru (Jūgyōin ari). →Jūgyōin ha, anata o nozoite nan nin desu ka?	3. Self-employed with employees → How many employees do/did you have, not counting yourself?
	4. Jibun no ie no shōbai ya shigoto o tetsudatte iru.	4. Working for own family's business
	(5.) Mukaitō	(5.) No answer
	(6.) Higaitō	(6.) NAP
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F7:To be answered by those who are "currently in paid work" or "currently not in paid work, paid work in the past" (code 1 or 2 in F5)
F7NEMPLO:To be answered by those who are self-employed with employees (code 3 in F7)

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	**➔NEMPLOY**
If F7NEMPLO=1 THEN NEMPLOY=1	1. 1 employee
	…
if F7NEMPLO≧9995 then NEMPLOY= 9995	9995. 9995 employees or more
if F7NEMPLO=999999 then NEMPLOY= 9999	9999. No answer
if F7NEMPLO＝000000 then NEMPLOY= 0000	0000. NAP (Code 1, 2, 4, 0 in EMPREL)

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

WRKSUP - Supervise other employees

	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text	F9: Anata ha jūgyōin o kanri, kantoku suru tachiba ni arimasu ka?	F9: Do/did you supervise other employees?
Codes/ Categories	1. Hokano jūgyōin o kanri, kantoku suru tachiba ni aru. →kanri kantoku shiteiru jūgyōinsū ha nan nin desu ka?	1. Yes, I do supervise other employees. →How many other employees do/did you supervise?
	2. hokano jūgyōin o kanri, kantoku suru tachiba ni nai	2. No, I do not supervise other employees.
	(3.) Mukaitō	(3.) No Answer
	(4.) Higaitō	(4.) NAP
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F9:To be answered by those who are "currently in paid work" or "currently not in paid work, paid work in the past" (code 1 or 2 in F5)

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	**→WRKSUP**
If F9=1 then WRKSUP=1	1. Yes
If F9=2 then WRKSUP=2	2. No
If F9=3 then WRKSUP=9	9. No answer
If F9=4 then WRKSUP=0	0. NAP (Code 3 in WORK)

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

NSUP – Number of other employees supervised

	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text	F9: Anata ha hokano jūgyōin o kanri, kantoku suru tachiba ni arimasu ka?	F9: Do/did you supervise other employees?
Codes/ Categories	1. Hokano jūgyōin o kanri, kantoku suru tachiba ni aru. →kanri kantoku shiteiru jūgyōinsū ha nan nin desu ka?	1. Yes, I do supervise other employees. →How many other employees do/did you supervise?
	2.hokano jūgyōin o kanri, kantoku suru tachiba ni nai	2. No, I do not supervise other employees.
	(3.) Mukaitō	(3.) No Answer
	(4.) Higaitō	(4.) NAP
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F9:To be answered by those who are "currently in paid work" or "currently not in paid work, paid work in the past" (code 1 or 2 in F5)
F9WRKSUP:To be answered by those who supervise other employees (code 2 in F9)

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	**➔NSUP**
If F9WRKSUP=1 then NSUP=1	1. 1 employee
	…
if F9WRKSUP≧9995 then NSUP= 9995	9995. 9995 employees or more
if F9WRKSUP =999999 then NSUP= 9999	9999. No answer
if F9WRKSUP＝000000 then NSUP= 0000	0000. NAP. (Code 2, 0 in WRKSUP)

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

TYPORG1 – Type of organisation, for-profit/non-profit

	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text	F10: Anata ga hataraiteiru soshiki ha, tsugi no yōni wakeru to, dochirani atari masu ka?	F10: Do/did you work for a for-profit organisation or for a non-profit organisation?
Codes/ Categories	1. Eirimokuteki no soshiki	1. For-profit organisation
	2. Hieirimokuteki no soshiki	2. Non-profit organisation?
	(3.) Mukaitō	(3.) No answer
	(4.) Higaitō	(4.) NAP
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F10:To be answered by those who are "currently in paid work" or "currently not in paid work, paid work in the past" (code 1 or 2 in F5)

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	**➜TYPORG1**
If F10=1 then TYPORG1 =1	1. For-profit organisation
If F10=2 then TYPORG1 =2	2. Non-profit organisation
-not used-	8. Don't know
If F10=3 then TYPORG1 =9	9. No answer
If F10=4 then TYPORG1 =0	0. NAP (Code 3 in WORK)

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

TYPORG2 – Type of organisation, public/private

	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text	F11: Anataga hataraiteiru soshiki ha, tsugi no yōni wakeru to, dochirani atari masu ka?	F11: Do/did you work for a public or a private employer?
Codes/ Categories	1. kankōchō nado no kōteki kikan	1. Public employer
	2. minkan no kigyō nado, kōteki kikan igai no soshiki	2. Private employer
	(3.) Mukaitō	(3.) No answer
	(4.) Higaitō	(4.) NAP
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F11:To be answered by those who are "currently in paid work" or "currently not in paid work, paid work in the past" (code 1 or 2 in F5)

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	**➔TYPORG2**
If F11=1 then TYPORG2 =1	1. Public employer
If F11=2 then TYPORG2 =2	2. Private employer
-not used-	8. Don't know
If F11=3 then TYPORG2 =9	9. No answer
If F11=4 then TYPORG2 =0	0. NAP (Code 3 in WORK)

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

ISCO88 - Occupation ISCO 1988

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	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text	F12: Dewa anata gojishin ga omo ni shite irassharu shigoto no naiyō o gutaiteki ni gokinyū kudasai. (Tatoeba, basu no untenshu, takuhaibin no haitatsu, biru no kensetsugenba de sagyō, jidōsha no shūri, shiyakusho de soumujimu, chūgakkō no kokugo kyōshi, insatsu kiki no eigyō hanbai, sūpā no reji, konpyūtā no puroguramā to iuyouni gutaitekina shigoto no naiyou o gokinyu kudasai.)	F12: Please give details about the main type of work you are engaged in. (e.g. bus driver, delivery worker, working at a construction site, car mechanic, working at a general affairs section in a municipal office, a Japanese teacher at junior high school, a salesperson of printing equipment, working at a cashier desk of a supermarket, computer programmer)
Codes/ Categories deviating from ISCO88 / ISCO88-COM		
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note		
Use of ISCO	ISCO88 (ILO)	☒
	ISCO88-COM (EU variant)	☐
	Other ISCO88 variant	☐→please specify

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F12: To be answered by those who are "currently in paid work" or "currently not in paid work, paid work in the past" (code 1 or 2 in F5)

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/ Construction Rules	→ ISCO88
	0110. (ISCO88 unit codes)
	…
	9333. (ISCO88 unit codes)
	9998. Don't know; inadequately described
	9999. No answer
	0000. NAP (Code 3 in WORK)

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

MAINSTAT – Main status

	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text	F14: Anata no genzai no jōkyō wa, tsugi no yōni wakeru to, doreni atari masu ka? Mottomo atehamaru bangō ni hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai. Nao, byouki, ikujikyushoku, kyuka, sutoraiki nadode, ichijiteki ni shigoto o shiteinai katawa, fudan no joukyou ni tsuite okotae kudasai.	F14: Which of the following best describes your current situation? Circle one figure only. If you temporarily are not working because of temporary illness/parental leave/vacation/strike etc., please refer to your normal work situation.
Codes/ Categories	1. Shigoto o shiteiru (kazoku jūgyōsha o fukumi masu)	1. In paid work(including working for your own family's business)
	2. Shigoto o shite orazu, kyūshokuchū dearu	2. Unemployed and looking for a job
	3. Seito, gakusei (yobikō, senshūgakkō, kakushu gakkō o fukumi masu)	3. In education
	4. Kenshusei,minarai	4. Apprentice or trainee
	5. Shintaijō no jijō de hatarakenai	5. Permanently sick or disabled
	6. Taishoku (intai) shita	6. Retired
	7. Omoni kaji o shiteiru	7. Doing housework,
	8. Sono ta (gutaitekini ___)	8. Other
	(9.) Mukaitō	(9.) No answer
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F14:ask all

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	**➔MAINSTAT**
If F14=1 then MAINSTAT=1	1. In paid work
If F14=2 then MAINSTAT=2	2. Unemployed and looking for a job
If F14=3 then MAINSTAT=3	3. In education
If F14=4 then MAINSTAT=4	4. Apprentice or trainee
If F14=5 then MAINSTAT=5	5. Permanently sick or disabled
If F14=6 then MAINSTAT=6	6. Retired
If F14=7 then MAINSTAT=7	7. Domestic work
-not used-	8. In compulsory military service or community service
If F14=8 then MAINSTAT=9	9. Other
If F14=9 then MAINSTAT=99	99. No answer

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

PARTLIV – Living in steady partnership

	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text	F15: Anata ni ha genzai, haigūsha mataha pātonā ga imasuka? Mata, iru kata ha sono aite to issho ni seikatsu shite imasu ka? Atehamaru bangō ni hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai.	F15: Do you have a spouse or a steady partner and, if yes, do you share the same household? Circle one figure only.
Codes/ Categories	1. Haigūsha mataha pātonā ga ite, issho ni seikatsu shiteiru	1.Yes, I have a spouse/partner and we share the same household
	2. Haigūsha mataha pātonā ga iruga, issho ni seikatsu shiteinai	2. Yes, I have a spouse/partner, but we don't share the same household
	3. Haigūsha mataha pātonā ha inai	3. No, I don't have a spouse/partner
	(4.) Mukaitō	(4.) No answer
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F15:ask all

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	**➜PARTLIV**
If F15=1 then PARTLIV=1	1. Yes, have partner; live in same household
If F15=2 then PARTLIV=2	2. Yes, have partner; don't live in same household
If F15=3 then PARTLIV=3	3. No partner
-not used-	7. Refused
If F15=4 then PARTLIV=9	9. No answer

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

SPWORK – Spouse, partner: currently, formerly or never in paid work

	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text	F19: Anata no haigūsha mataha pātonā ha, shūnyū o eru tame, 1 shūkan ni 1 jikan ijō shigoto o shite imasu ka? Tsugi no naka kara hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai.	F19: Are you currently working for pay, for at least one hour per week? Circle one figure only.
Codes/ Categories	1.Genzai, shigoto o shite iru	1. Currently in paid work.
	2. Izen ha shigoto o shiteita ga, genzai ha shite inai.	2.Currently not in paid work, paid work in the past
	3. Koremade shigoto o shita koto ga nai.	3. Never had paid work
	(4.) Mukaitō	(4.) No answer
	(5.) Higaitō	(5.) NAP
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F19:To be answered by those who have a spouse/partner (code 1 or 2 in F15)

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	**➜SPWORK**
If F19=1 then SPWORK=1	1. Currently in paid work
If F19=2 then SPWORK=2	2. Currently not in paid work, paid work in the past
If F19=3 then SPWORK=3	3. Never had paid work
If F19=4 then SPWORK=9	9. No answer
If F19=5 then SPWORK=0	0. NAP (Code 3 in PARTLIV)

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

SPWRKHRS – Spouse, partner: hours worked weekly

	National Language	English Translation
Question no. and text	F20: Anata no haigūsha mataha pātonā ha, jikangai mo fukumete, fudan 1 shūkan ni nan jikan kurai shigoto o shite imasu ka? 2tsu ijou, shigoto o omochi no baai wa, subete no roudou jikan o gassan shite okotae kudasai. Mata, byouiki, ikuji kyushoku, kyuka, sutoraiki nadode ichijitekini shigoto o shiteinai kata wa, fudan no joukyou nit suite okotae kudasai.	F20: How many hours, on average, does your spouse/partner usually work for pay in a normal week, including overtime? If you have more than one job, count the total number of working hours that you do. If you temporarily are not working because of temporary illness/parental leave/vacation/strike etc., please refer to your normal work situation.
Codes/ Categories	(000.) Higaitō (999.) Mukaitō	(000.) NAP (999.) No answer
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F20:To be answered by those whose spouse/partner is currently in paid work (code 1 in F19)

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	➔SPWRKHRS
If F20=1 then SPWRKHRS=1	1. 1 hour
	…
if F20≧96 then SPWRKHRS= 96	96. 96 hours or more
-not used-	98. Don't know
if F20=999 then SPWRKHRS= 99	99. No answer
if F20=000 then SPWRKHRS= 00	00. NAP (Code 2 or 3 in SPWORK)

Optional: Recoding Syntax

SPEMPREL – Spouse, partner: employment relationship

	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text	F21: Anata no haigūsha mataha pātonā no shigoto ha, tsugi no yōni wakeru to dore ni atari masu ka? Atehamaru bangō ni hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai.	F21: Is/was your spouse/partner an employee, self-employed, or working for your own family business? Circle one figure only.
Codes/ Categories	1. Tutomete iru, koyō sareteiru.	1. An Employee
	2. Jibun de shōbai o shitari, kaisha nado o keiei shiteiru (Jūgyōin nashi).	2. Self-employed without employees
	3. Jibun de shōbai o shitari, kaisha nado o keiei shiteiru (Jūgyōin ari).	3. Self-employed with employees
	4. Jibun no ie no shōbai ya shigoto o tetsudatte iru.	4. Working for own family's business
	(5.) Mukaitō	(5.) No answer
	(6.) Higaitō	(6.) NAP
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F21:To be answered by those whose spouse/partner are "currently in paid work" or "currently not in paid work, paid work in the past" (code 1 or 2 in F19)

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	**➔SPEMPREL**
If F21=1 then SPEMPREL=1	1. Employee
If F21=2 then SPEMPREL=2	2. Self-employed without employees
If F21=3 then SPEMPREL=3	3. Self-employed with employees
If F21=4 then SPEMPREL=4	4. Working for own family's business
If F21=5 then SPEMPREL=9	9. No answer
If F21=6 then SPEMPREL=0	0. NAP (Code 3 in SPWORK)

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

SPWRKSUP – Spouse, partner: supervise other employees

	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text	F22: Anata no haigūsha mataha pātonā ha, hokano Jūgyōin o kanri, kantoku suru tachiba ni ari masu ka?	F22: Does/did your spouse/partner supervise other employees?
Codes/ Categories	1. Hokano Jūgyōin o kanri, kantoku suru tachiba ni aru.	1. Yes, he/she supervises(ed) other employees.
	2. Hokano Jūgyōin o kanri, kantoku suru tachiba ni nai	2. No, he/she does (did) not supervise other employees.
	(3.) Mukaitō	(3.) No Answer
	(4.) Higaitō	(4.) NAP
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F22:To be answered by those whose spouse/partner are "currently in paid work" or "currently not in paid work, paid work in the past" (code 1 or 2 in F19)

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	**➔SPWRKSUP**
If F22=1 then SPWRKSUP=1	1. Yes
If F22=2 then SPWRKSUP=2	2. No
If F22=3 then SPWRKSUP=9	9. No answer
If F22=4 then SPWRKSUP=0	0. NAP (Code 3 in SPWORK)

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

SPISCO88 – Spouse, partner: occupation ISCO 1988

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	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text	F23: Deha anata no haigūsha mataha pātonā ga omo ni shite irassharu shigoto no naiyō o gutaitekini gokinyū kudasai. (Tatoeba, basu no untenshu, takuhaibin no haitatsu, biru no kensetsugenba de sagyō, jidōsha no shūri, shiyakusho de soumujimu, chūgakkō no kokugo kyōshi, insatsu kiki no eigyō hanbai, sūpā no reji, konpyūtā no puroguramā to iuyouni, gutaitekina shigoto no naiyou o gokinyu kudasai.)	F23: Please give details about the main type of work your spouse/partner is engaged in. (e.g. bus driver, delivery worker, working at a construction site, car mechanic, working at a general affairs section in a municipal office, a Japanese teacher at junior high school, a salesperson of printing equipment, works at a cashier desk of a supermarket, computer programmer)
Codes/ Categories deviating from ISCO88 / ISCO88-COM		
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note		
Use of ISCO	ISCO88 (ILO) ⊠	
	ISCO88-COM (EU variant) ☐	

	Other ISCO88 variant	□→please specify
		_____

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F23:To be answered by those whose spouse/partner is "currently in paid work" or "currently not in paid work, paid work in the past" (code 1 or 2 in F19)

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/ Construction Rules	➜ SPISCO88
ISCO88=F23	0110. (ISCO88 unit codes)
	…
	9333. (ISCO88 unit codes)
	9998. Don't know; inadequately described
	9999. No answer
	0000. NAP (Code 3 in SPWORK)

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

SPMAINST – Spouse, partner: main status

	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text	F24: Anata no haigūsha mataha pātonā no genzai no jōkyō ha, tsugino yōni wakeru to, doreni atari masu ka? mottomo atehamaru bangō ni hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai. Nao, haigusha matawa patona ga byouiki, ikuji kyushoku, kyuka, sutoraiki nadode ichijitekini shigoto o shiteinai kata wa, fudan no joukyou nit suite okotae kudasai.	F24: Which of the following best describes your spouse's/partner's current situation? Circle one figure only. If your spouse/partner temporarily is not working because of temporary illness/parental leave/vacation/strike etc., please refer to your normal work situation.
Codes/ Categories	1. Shigoto o shiteiru (kazoku jūgyōsha o fukumi masu)	1. In paid work(including working for your own family's business)
	2. Shigoto o shite orazu, kyūshokuchū dearu	2. Unemployed and looking for a job
	3. Seito, gakusei (yobikō, senshūgakkō, kakushu gakkō o fukumi masu)	3. In education
	4. Kenshūsei, minarai	4. Apprentice or trainee
	5. Shintaijō no jijō de hatarakenai	5. Permanently sick or disabled
	6. Taishoku (intai) shita	6. Retired
	7. Omoni kaji o shiteiru	7. Doing housework,
	8. Sono ta (gutaitekini ___)	8. Other
	(9.) Mukaitō	(9.) No answer
	(10.) Higaitō	(10.) NAP
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F24:To be answered by those who have a spouse/partner (code 1 or 2 in F19)

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	**➔SPMAINST**
If F24=1 then SPMAINSTAT=1	1. In paid work
If F24=2 then SPMAINSTAT=2	2. Unemployed and looking for a job
If F24=3 then SPMAINSTAT=3	3. In education
If F24=4 then SPMAINSTAT=4	4. Apprentice or trainee
If F24=5 then SPMAINSTAT=5	5. Permanently sick or disabled
If F24=6 then SPMAINSTAT=6	6. Retired
If F24=7 then SPMAINSTAT=7	7. Domestic work
-not used-	8. In compulsory military service or community service
If F24=8 then SPMAINSTAT=9	9. Other
If F24=9 then SPMAINSTAT=99	99. No answer
If F24=10 then SPMAINSTAT=00	00. NAP (Code 3 in PARTLIV)

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

UNION – Trade union membership

	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text	F13: Anata ha rōdō kumiai ni Haitte imasu ka? Tsugi no naka kara hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai.	F13: Are you a member of a trade union or similar organisation? Circle one figure only.
Codes/ Categories	1. Haitte iru	1. Currently a member
	2. Izen wa haitte ita ga, ima wa haitte inai	2. Previously a member
	3. Ichido mo haitta koto wa nai	3. Have never been a member
	(4.) Mukaitō	(4.) No answer
	(5.) Higaitō	(5.) NAP (code 3 in F5)
Interviewer Instructions		
Translation Note		
Note		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F13: To be answered by those who are "currently in paid work" or "currently not in paid work, paid work in the past" (code 1 or 2 in F5)

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	➔**UNION**
If F13=1 then UNION=1	1. Yes, currently
If F13=2 then UNION=2	2. Yes, previously but not currently
If F13=3, 5 then UNION=3	3. No, never
-not used-	7. Refused
If F13=4 then UNION=9	9. No answer

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

nat_RELIG – Country-specific religious affiliation

	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text	F25: Anata ni wa, fudan shinkō shite iru shūkyō ga ari masu ka? Atehamaru bangō ni hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai. Tadashi, kankonsōsai no toki dake no shūkyō de naku, akumade, anata gojishin ga, fudan shinkō shite iru shūkyō o okotae kudasai.	F25: Do you follow any religion? Circle one figure only. Indicate the religion you profess, irrespective of ceremonial occasions, such as weddings or funerals.
Codes/ Categories	1. Bukkyō	1. Buddhism
	2. Shintō	2. Shintoism
	3. Kirisuto kyō	3. Christianity
	4. Sono ta no shūkyō (gutaiteki ni ___)	4. Other Religion (please specify)
	5. Shinkō shite iru shūkyō wa nai	5. No religion
	(6.) Mukaitō	(6.) No answer
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F25:ask all

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	**➔ JP_RELIG**
If F25=5 then JP_RELIG=0	0. No religion
If F25=3 then JP_RELIG=4	4. Other Christian
If F25=1 then JP_RELIG=7	7. Buddhist
If F25=2 then JP_RELIG=9	9. Other Asian Religions
If F25=4 then JP_RELIG=10	10. Other Religions
-not used-	990. NAP other countries
-not used-	997. Refused
If F25=6 then JP_RELIG=999	999. No answer

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

RELIGGRP- Groups of religious affiliations

	National Language	English Translation
Question no. and text	F25: Anata ni wa, fudan shinkō shite iru shūkyō ga ari masu ka? Atehamaru bangō ni hitotsu dake maru o tukete kudasai. Tadashi, kankonsōsai no toki dake no shūkyō de naku, akumade, anata gojishin ga, fudan shinkō shite iru shūkyō o okotae kudasai.	F25: Do you follow any religion? Circle one figure only. Indicate the religion you profess, irrespective of ceremonial occasions, such as weddings or funerals.
Codes/ Categories	1. Bukkyō	1. Buddhism
	2. Shintō	2. Shintoism
	3. Kirisuto kyō	3. Christianity
	4. Sono ta no shūkyō (gutaiteki ni ___)	4. Other Religion (please specify)
	5. Shinkō shite iru shūkyō wa nai	5. No religion
	(6.) Mukaitō	(6.) No answer
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F25:ask all

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	➔ RELIGGRP
F25=5 then RELIGGRP = 0	0.No religion
	1. Catholic
	2. Protestant
	3. Orthodox
F25=3 then RELIGGRP = 4	4. Other Christian
	5. Jewish
	6. Islamic
F25=1 then RELIGGRP = 7	7. Buddhist
	8. Hindu
F25=2 then RELIGGRP = 9	9. Other Asian religions
F25=4 then RELIGGRP = 10	10. Other religions
-not used-	97. Refused
-not used-	98. Information insufficient
F25=6 then RELIGGRP = 99	99. No answer

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

ATTEND – Attendance of religious services

	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text	F26: Anata wa tera, jinja, kyōkai nado no sanpai ya reihai ni, dono teido odekake ni natte imasu ka? Tsugi no naka kara hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai. Tadashi, kankonsōsai de iku no wa nozoki masu.	F26: How often do you attend a place of worship or prayer? Circle one figure only. Exclude ceremonial occasions, such as wedding or funerals.
Codes/ Categories	1. Shū ni sū kai mataha sore ijō	1. Several times a week or more often
	2. Shū ni 1 kai	2. Once a week
	3. Tsuki ni 2, 3 kai	3. Two or three times a month
	4. Tsuki ni 1 kai	4. Once a month
	5. Nen ni sū kai	5. Several times a year
	6. Nen ni 1 kai	6. Once a year
	7. Nen ni 1 kai yori sukunai	7. Less frequently than once a year
	8. Mattaku itte inai	8. Never
	(9.) Mukaitō	(9.) No answer
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F26:ask all

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	**➔ ATTEND**
ATTEND = question F26	1. Several times a week or more often
	2. Once a week
	3. 2 or 3 times a month
	4. Once a month
	5. Several times a year
	6. Once a year
	7. Less frequently than once a year
	8. Never
- not used -	97. Refused
- not used -	98. Don't know
if F28=9 then ATTEND = 99	99. No answer

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

TOPBOT - Top-Bottom self-placement

	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text	F27: Karini genzai no nihon no shakai o, shita no zu no yōni 1 (ichiban shita) kara 10 (ichiban ue) made no sō ni waketa to suru to, anata wa dono atari ni iru to omoi masu ka? Atehamaru bangō ni hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai.	F27: If current Japanese society were divided into 10 strata (1 being the lowest, and 10 being the highest), to which stratum do you think you belong? Circle one figure only.
Codes/ Categories	1. Shita	1. lowest
	2.	2.
	3.	3.
	4.	4.
	5.	5.
	6.	6.
	7.	7.
	8.	8.
	9.	9.
	10. Ue	10. highest
	(11.) Mukaitō	(11.) No answer
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F27:ask all

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	**➔ TOPBOT**
TOPBOT = question F27	1. Lowest, Bottom
	2.
	3.
	4.
	5.
	6.
	7.
	8.
	9.
	10. Highest, Top
-not used-	98. Don't know
if F27 = 11 then TOPBOT = 99	99. No answer

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

VOTE_LE - Did respondent vote in last general election?

	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text	F28: Anata wa, kyonen 7 gatsu no sangīnsenkyo de, tōhyō ni iki mashita ka?	F28: Did you vote in the last Japanese House of Councillors election in July 2010?
Codes/ Categories	1. Itta	1.Yes,
	2. Ikanakatta	2.No
	3. Senkyoken ga nakatta	3. Not eligible to vote
	(4.) Mukaitō	(4.) No answer
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F28:ask all

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	**→ VOTE_LE**
If F28=3 then VOTE_LE=0	0. Not eligible to vote at last election
If F28=1 then VOTE_LE=1	1. Yes
If F28=2 then VOTE_LE=2	2. No
-not used-	7. Refused
If F28=4 then VOTE_LE=9	9. No answer

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

nat_PRTY - Country specific party voted for in last general election

	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text	F29: Soredewa, sono sangīnsenkyo de Hirei daihyō wa dono seitō (dono seitō no kōhosha) ni tōhyō sare mashita ka? Tsugi no naka kara hitotsu dake maru o tsukete Kudasai.	F29: Which party did you vote for in the last Japanese House of Councillors election, under the proportional representation system? Circle one figure only.
Codes/ Categories	1. Minshu tō	1. The Democratic Party of Japan
	2. Jimin tō	2. Liberal Democratic Party
	3. Kōmei tō	3. New Komeito
	4. Min'nano tō	4. Your Party
	5. Kyōsan tō	5. Japanese Communist Party
	6. Shamin tō	6. Social Democratic Party of Japan
	7. Tachiagare Nippon	7. The Sunrise Party of Japan
	8. Kokumin shintō	8. People's New Party
	9. Shinto kaikaku	9. New Renaissance Party
	10. Sono ta no seitō	10. Other Party
	(11.) Mukaitō	(11.) No answer
	(12.) Higaitō	(12.) NAP
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note	Note that codes are not the same as those indicated in the Standard Setup 2011	

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F29: To be answered by those who chose 1 in F25

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	**➔ nat_PRTY**
F29= JP_PRTY	…
-not used-	96. Invalid ballot
-not used-	97. Refused
If F29=11 then JP_PRTY =99	99. No answer
If F29=12(F28=2,3) then JP_PRTY =00	0. NAP (0, 2, 7 in VOTE_LE)

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

PARTY_LR - Party voted for in last general election: left-right scale

	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text	F29: Soredewa, sono sangīnsenkyo de Hirei daihyō wa dono seitō (dono seitō no kōhosha) ni tōhyō sare mashita ka? Tsugi no naka kara hitotsu dake maru o tsukete Kudasai.	F29: Which party did you vote for in the last Japanese House of Councillors election, under the proportional representation system? Circle one figure only.
Codes/ Categories	1. Minshu tō	1. The Democratic Party of Japan
	2. Jimin tō	2. Liberal Democratic Party
	3. Kōmei tō	3. New Komeito
	4. Min'nano tō	4. Your Party
	5. Kyōsan tō	5. Japanese Communist Party
	6. Shamin tō	6. Social Democratic Party of Japan
	7. Tachiagare Nippon	7. The Sunrise Party of Japan
	8. Kokumin shintō	8. People's New Party
	9. Shinto kaikaku	9. New Renaissance Party
	10. Sono ta no seitō	10. Other Party
	(11.) Mukaitō	(11.) No answer
	(12.) Higaitō	(12.) NAP
Interviewer Instructions		
Translation Note		
Note	Note that codes are not the same as those indicated in the Standard Setup 2011	

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F29: To be answered by those who chose 1 in F25

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	**➔ PARTY_LR**
If F29=5 then PARTY_LR=1	1. Far left (communist, etc.)
If F29=6 then PARTY_LR=2	2. Left / centre left
If F29=1,3,4 then PARTY_LR=3	3. Centre / liberal
If F29=2,7,8,9 then PARTY_LR=4	4. Right / conservative
-not used-	5. Far right (fascist, etc.)
If F29=10 then PARTY_LR=6	6. Other
-not used-	7. No party affiliation
-not used-	96. Invalid ballot
-not used-	97. Refused
-not used-	98. Insufficient information to code into scheme
If F29=11 then PARTY_LR=99	99. No answer
If F29=12 then PARTY_LR=00	0. NAP (0, 2, 7 in VOTE_LE)

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

nat_ETHN – Country-specific: origin country / ethnic group / ethnic identity / family origin

	National Language	English Translation
Question no. and text		
Codes/ Categories		
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note	Variable derived from the Basic Resident Register: foreign residents may be included depending on cities/wards/towns/villages etc. (from 2012)	

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

Variable derived from the Basic Resident Register: foreign residents may be included depending on cities/wards/towns/villages etc.(from 2012)

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→nat_ETHN
	1.Japanese
	2.Other
	97. Refused
	99. No answer

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

HOMPOP - How many persons in household

	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text	F30: Anata gojishin mo fukumete, isshoni seikatu shiteiru kata ha nan nin desu ka? Goukei ninzu:	F30: Including yourself, how many people usually live in your household? Total:
Codes/ Categories	(99.) Mukaitō	(99.) No answer
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F30:ask all

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	➔ **HOMPOP**
-not used-	00. Not a private household
If F30TOTAL=1 then HOMPOP=1	01. One person (only respondent)
	…
If F30TOTAL=99 then HOMPOP=99	99. No answer

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

HHCHILDR - How many children in household

	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text	F30: Anata gojishin mo fukumete, isshoni seikatu shiteiru kata ha nan nin desu ka? 6 sai ijou 17 sai ika :	F30: Including yourself, how many people usually live in your household? 6 years to 17 years of age:
Codes/ Categories	(99.) Mukaitō	(99.) No answer
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F30:ask all

Construction/Recoding: (list lowest, highest, and 'missing' codes only, replace terms in [square brackets] with real numbers.)

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	**➜ HHCHILDR**
If F30CHILD=0 then HHCHILDR=0	00. No children
If F30CHILD=1 then HHCHILDR=1	01. One child
	…
	96. NAP (Code 0 in HOMPOP)
If F30CHILD=99 then HHCHILDR=99	99. No answer

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

HHTODD - How many toddlers in household

	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text	F30: Anata gojishin mo fukumete, isshoni seikatu shiteiru kata ha nan nin desu ka? 5 sai ika:	F30: Including yourself, how many people usually live in your household? Up to the age of 5 years:
Codes/ Categories	(99.) Mukaitō	(99.) No answer
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F30:ask all

Construction/Recoding: (list lowest, highest, and 'missing' codes only, replace terms in [square brackets] with real numbers.)

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	**➔ HHTODD**
If F30TODD=0 then HH TODD=0	00. No toddlers
If F30TODD =1 then HH TODD=1	01. One toddler
	…
	96. NAP (Code 0 in HOMPOP)
If F30CHILD=99 then HHCHILDR=99	99: No answer

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

nat_RINC – Country-specific: personal income

	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text	F32: Dewa, anata gojishin no kyonen 1 nenkan no shūnyū wa zeikomi de ikura deshita ka? Rinji shūnyū, fukushūnyū o fukumete, atehamaru bangō ni hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai.	F32: What amount of did you earn last year, inclusive of tax, and including any casual and part-time income? Circle one figure only.
Codes/ Categories	1. 100 man en miman	1. Less than 1 million yen
	2. 100-200 man en miman	2. 1 million - less than 2 million yen
	3. 200-300 man en miman	3. 2 million - less than 3 million yen
	4. 300-400 man en miman	4. 3 million - less than 4 million yen
	5. 400-500 man en miman	5. 4 million - less than 5 million yen
	6. 500-600 man en miman	6. 5 million - less than 6 million yen
	7. 600-700 man en miman	7. 6 million - less than 7 million yen
	8. 700-800 man en miman	8. 7 million - less than 8 million yen
	9. 800-900 man en miman	9. 8 million - less than 9 million yen
	10. 900-1,000 man en miman	10. 9 million - less than 10 million yen
	11. 1,000-1,200 man en miman	11. 10 million - less than 12 million yen
	12. 1,200-1,500 man en miman	12. 12 million - less than 15 million yen
	13. 1,500 man en ijō	13. 15 million yen or more
	14. Shūnyū nashi	14. No income
	(15.) Mukaitō	(15.) No answer
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note	Name of the currency: yen	

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F32:ask all

Construction/Recoding: (If the income information is collected by asking for income classes or brackets, please code class midpoints in local currency and report classes offered to respondents. If asking for individual amounts, list lowest, highest, and 'missing' codes only)

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	**➜JP_RINC**
if F32 = 1	500 (0.5 million yen)
if F32 = 2	1500 (1.5 million yen)
if F32 = 3	2500 (2.5 million yen)
if F32 = 4	3500 (3.5 million yen)
if F32 = 5	4500 (4.5 million yen)
if F32 = 6	5500 (5.5 million yen)
if F32 = 7	6500 (6.5 million yen)
if F32 = 8	7500 (7.5 million yen)
if F32 = 9	8500 (8.5 million yen)
if F32 = 10	9500 (9.5 million yen)
if F32 = 11	11000 (11 million yen)
if F32 = 12	13500 (13.5 million yen)

if F32 = 13	20000 (20 million yen)
if F32 = 14 (no income)	0. No own income,
- not used-	99999990. NAP, all other countries
- not used -	99999997. Refused
- not used -	99999998. Don't know
if F32 = 15	99999999. No Answer

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

nat_INC – Country-specific: household income

	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text	F31: Anata no gokatei no kyonen 1 nenkan no shūnyū wa zeikomi de ikura deshita ka? Rinji shūnyū, fukushūnyū, gokazoku no shūnyū o fukumete, atehamaru bangō ni hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai.	F31: How much income did your household earn last year, inclusive of tax, and including any casual and part-time income? Circle one figure only.
Codes/ Categories	1. 200 man en miman	1. Less than 2 million yen
	2. 200-300 man en miman	2. 2 million - less than 3 million yen
	3. 300-400 man en miman	3. 3 million - less than 4 million yen
	4. 400-500 man en miman	4. 4 million - less than 5 million yen
	5. 500-600 man en miman	5. 5 million - less than 6 million yen
	6. 600-700 man en miman	6. 6 million - less than 7 million yen
	7. 700-800 man en miman	7. 7 million - less than 8 million yen
	8. 800-900 man en miman	8. 8 million - less than 9 million yen
	9. 900-1,000 man en miman	9. 9 million - less than 10 million yen
	10. 1,000-1,200 man en miman	10. 10 million - less than 12 million yen
	11. 1,200-1,500 man en miman	11. 12 million - less than 15 million yen
	12. 1,500 man en ijō	12. 15 million yen or more
	(13.) Mukaitō	(13.) No Answer
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note	Name of the currency:yen	

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F31:To be answered by those whose HOMPOP≧2   (F27TOTAL≧2) If HOMPOP＜2, then JP_RINC =JP_INC

Construction/Recoding: (If the income information is collected by asking for income classes or brackets, please code class midpoints in local currency and report classes offered to respondents. If asking for individual amounts, list lowest, highest, and 'missing' codes only)

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	**➔nat_INC**
if F31 = 1	1000 (1 million yen)
if F31 = 2	2500 (2.5 million yen)
if F31 = 3	3500 (3.5 million yen)
if F31 = 4	4500 (4.5 million yen)
if F31 = 5	5500 (5.5 million yen)
if F31 = 6	6500 (6.5 million yen)
if F31 = 7	7500 (7.5 million yen)
if F31 = 8	8500 (8.5 million yen)
if F31 = 9	9500 (9.5 million yen)
if F31 = 10	11000 (11 million yen)
if F31 = 11	13500 (13.5 million yen)
if F31 = 12	20000 (20 million yen)

- not used -	0. No income
- not used-	99999990. NAP, all other countries
- not used -	99999997. Refused
- not used -	99999998. Don't know
if F31 = 13	99999999. No Answer

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

MARITAL – Legal partnership status

	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text	F33: Anata wa kekkon shite imasu ka? Atehamaru bangō ni hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai.	F33: What is your current legal marital status? Circle one figure only.
Codes/ Categories	1. Kekkon shiteiru	1. Married
	2. Kekkon shiteiru ga, bekkyochū dearu	2. Separated from spouse/civil partner (still legally married/still legally in a civil partnership)
	3. Kekkon shitaga, ribetu shita	3. Divorced from spouse/legally separated from civil partner
	4. Kekkon shitaga, haigūsha ga shibō shita	4. Widowed/civil partner died
	5. Kekkon shita koto wa nai	5. Never married/never in a civil partnership
	(6.) Mukaitō	(6.) No answer
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note		

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	**➜ Marital**
If F33=1 then MARITAL=1	1. Married
-not used-	2. Civil partnership
If F33=2 then MARITAL=3	3. Separated from spouse/civil partner (still legally married/still legally in a civil partnership)
If F33=3 then MARITAL=4	4. Divorced from spouse/legally separated from civil partner
If F33=4 then MARITAL=5	5. Widowed/civil partner died
If F33=5 then MARITAL=6	6. Never married/never in a civil partnership
-not used-	7. Refused
If F33=6 then MARITAL=9	9. No answer

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

F33:ask all

URBRURAL – Place of living: urban - rural

	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text	F34: Anata ga genzai osumai ni natte iru no wa don'na tokoro desu ka? Atehamaru bangō ni hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai.	F34: What kind of community do you currently live in? Circle one figure only.
Codes/ Categories	1. Daitoshi	1. Large city
	2. Daitoshi no kōgai matawa kinkō	2. Suburbs or outskirts of a large city
	3. Chihō no chūshō toshi	3. Regional city
	4. Chihō no chōson	4. Regional town/village
	5. Jinka ga mabarana nōson gyoson	5. House in rural area
	(6.) Mukaitō	(6.) No answer
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F34:ask all

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	➔ **URBRURAL**
If F34 = 1 then URBRURAL = 1	1. A big city
If F34 = 2 then URBRURAL = 2	2. The suburbs or outskirts of a big city
If F34 = 3 then URBRURAL = 3	3. A town or a small city
If F34 = 4 then URBRURAL = 4	4. A country village
If F34 = 5 then URBRURAL = 5	5. A farm or home in the country
if F34 = 6 then URBRURAL = 9	9. No answer

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

nat_REG – Country specific: region

	National Language	**English Translation**
Question no. and text		
Codes/ Categories	1. Hokkaido	1. Hokkaido
	2. Tohoku	2. Tohoku
	3. Kanto	3. Kanto
	4. Koshin'etsu	4. Koshin'etsu
	5. Tokai,Hokuriku	5. Tokai,Hokuriku
	6. Kinki	6. Kinki
	7. Chugoku	7. Chugoku
	8. Shikoku	8. Shikoku
	9. Kyushu	9. Kyushu
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note	Variable derived from the Basic Resident Register	

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

Variable derived from the Basic Resident Register

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	**➔ nat_REG**
	1.Hokkaido
	2.Tohoku
	3.Kanto
	4.Koshin'etsu
	5.Tokai,Hokuriku
	6.Kinki
	7.Chugoku
	8.Shikoku
	9.Kyushu
-not used-	9999. No Answer

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

SUBSCASE – Case substitution flag

	National Language	English Translation
Question no. and text		
Codes/ Categories		
Interviewer Instruction		
Translation Note		
Note	No substitution in this survey	

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	➔ SUBSCASE
All data = 0	0. NAP, no substitution in this survey
	1. Case from original sample
	2. Case substituted

Optional: **Recoding Syntax**

WEIGHT – Weighting factor

Please report on whether you calculate any weighting variables. If you adjust for non-response bias, please enter the variable(s) on which the sample's distribution(s) is (are) adjusted to the population distribution(s). Please, also report if you apply any kind of rescaling.

Design weight to adjust for unequal selection probabilities	No	[○]
	Yes	[ ]
Weight to adjust for non-response bias	No	[○]
	Yes	[ ] → please specify variables used for calculation of weight
Are the final weights rescaled to net sample size (thus weighted sample size=unweighted sample size)?	No	[○] → please specify target population represented by sum of all case weights
	Yes	[ ]
Note		

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	➜ WEIGHT
	1. No weighting

MODE – Administrative mode of data-collection

Note	

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→ Mode
	10. F2f/PAPI, no visuals
	11. F2f/PAPI, visuals
	12. F2f/PAPI, respondent reading questionnaire
	13. F2f/PAPI, interpreter or translator – no visuals
	14. F2f/PAPI, interpreter or translator – visuals
	20. CAPI, no visuals
	21. CAPI, visuals
	22. CAPI, respondent reading questionnaire (paper or on monitor)
	23. CAPI, interpreter or translator – no visuals
	24. CAPI, interpreter or translator – visuals
	30. SC, arrives with interviewer, interviewer attending
All data=31	31. SC, arrives with interviewer, drops-off, picks up later
	32. SC, arrives with interviewer, drops off, mailed back by R
	33. SC, mailed to, completed by R and hold for pick up
	34. SC, mailed to, mailed back by R
	40. CASI, self-completion, computer-assisted

4. Country Questionnaire

Please provide the part(s) of your country questionnaire that relate(s) to the background variables reported in this template. If these variables are already covered by your country's field questionnaire delivered with your national ISSP data file, then just tick on the last page of this document. (PDF or MS Word format preferred.)

[○] Already included in field questionnaire provided with the country data file.

[ ] Attached file: XXXXX.XXX

5. Frequency Distributions of Source Variables

Please supply frequency distributions with absolute and relative frequencies, missing values *included*, for **all** *source* variables. *Source variables* are the country-specific variables **before** recodes into ISSP standard variables are done. (MS Word or simple ASCII file preferred.)

Attached file: YYYYYY.YYY.

6. Correspondence list ISCO88<->national occupation codes

If your country derives ISCO88 codes from a national occupation coding scheme, please supply a correspondence list of national codes and ISCO88 codes. (MS Word or simple ASCII file preferred.)

[○] ISCO88 is used to code responses directly.

[ ] Conversion of national coding scheme to ISCO88. Attached file: ZZZZZZ.ZZZ.