Bulgaria
ISSP 2012 – Family and Changing
Gender Roles IV
Study Description

Fieldwork dates:

ISSP'2010-2012 Study Description Form

Study title: 'official' title of the study/survey in your country

Международна програма за социални изследвания

(Three ISSP modules were conducted together -

Environment'2010, Health'2011 and Gender and family'2012) start and end dates of field-work, please use format yyyy-mm-dd

2011.08.16 - 2011.09.20

Principal name and institution

investigators: Agency for Social Analyses (ASA)

Sample type: description of the sampling procedure

Three stage random sampling with starting point and random route

was used to conduct the survey.

The first stage of the sampling procedure was based on the list of electoral sections from the General Election 2009. Electoral sections cover the whole territory of the country and respectively provide access to the whole Bulgarian population aged 18 and over. Selection of units was based on the procedure of systematic random selection. In each of the 100 selected cluster/units, one address was drawn at random, which was an exact address and starting point.

The second step was to stand on the street at the starting address facing towards the end of the street. It was chosen the right side of the street and the walking-direction was towards the end of the street. In this direction the third door had to be found. Only dwelling units were chosen.

The last step was to select the respondent on the basis of the ,last birthday' approach for respondents who were 18 of age and over.

Fieldwork institute: institute which conducted the survey

ESI Center did the field work

Fieldwork methods: mode of interview

PAPI face-to-face

N. of respondents: number of respondents in the final ISSP file: 1003

Details about issued sample:

Please follow the standards laid down in AAPOR/WAPOR, Standard Definitions: http://www.aapor.org/uploads/standarddefs-4.pdf. The numbers in the parentheses are those used in Tables 2 and 3 of Standard Definitions.

1. Total number of starting or issued names/addresses (gross sample size) *	2275
2. Interviews (1.0)	1003
3. Eligible, Non-Interview	
A. Refusal/Break-off (2.10)	522
B. Non-Contact (2.20)	463
C. Other	
i. Language Problems (2.33)	18
ii. Miscellaneous Other (2.31, 2.32, 2.35)	9
3. Unknown Eligibility, Non-Interview (3.0)	•••••
4. Not Eligible	
A. Not a Residence (4.50)	62
B. Vacant Residence (4.60)	198
C. No Eligible Respondent (4.70)	•••••
D. Other (4.10,4.90)	

^{*} When new sample units are added during the field period via a new dwelling units list or other standard updating procedure, these additional issued units are added to the starting number of units to make up the total gross sample size. Also, when substitution is used, the total must include the originally drawn cases plus all substitute cases. See AAPOR/WAPOR Standard Definitions, pp. 9-10 for further clarification.

Language(s): language or languages of the field instrument

Bulgarian

Weight present: yes or no, whether a weighting factor exists in the data-set

Yes

Weighting procedure: exact description of the weighting procedure / algorithm

One weighting variable have been computed - W

1) W - weight variable [W] accounts for sex, settlement and age-groups. There are twenty coefficients in W - 4 groups (male and female for towns and villages) multiplied by five age groups (18-24 years, 25-34 years, 35-44 years, 45-54 years,

55-64 years, 65-84 years, 85 years and over).

In the Table below are presented statistical data, data in the sample and coefficient

in the file, calculated regarding the formula:

asu=100*age+10*d1+nsm

1. age – age groups (18-24 years, 25-34 years, 35-44 years, 45-54 years, 55-64 years, 65-84 years, 85 years and over)

2. d1 (1-male 2-female)

3. urban – type of settlement (1- towns, 2- villages)

(See the weigting coeficient in the attachment)

Known systematic description of biases or other deviations of the sample

properties of sample: NO deviations

Deviations from ISSP esp. questions omitted, or added, or asked in a different format than

questionnaire: the Basic Questionnaire prescribes

NO deviations

Bulgarian The Bulgarian questionnaire has the following structure:

Questionnaire structure A1 – A42 - ISSP Module Environment'2010

B1 – B30 - ISSP Module *Health'2011*

C1 – C15 – BG additional questions on Health R1 – R34 - ISSP Module *Gender and Family'2012* L1 – L13, D34 - Bulgarian General Social Survey

D1 - D33 - ISSP Socio demography T3 - T4 - ISSP setlements info

Publications: list of publications using the present data set