

Ask the questions exactly as they are worded.  
Do NOT read out the answers, unless indicated.

- 115a) Do you approve or disapprove of the Government's record to date? 1 Approve  
2 Disapprove  
3 Don't know
- b) Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with Mrs Thatcher as Prime Minister? 4 Satisfied  
5 Dissatisfied  
6 Don't know
- c) Do you think Mr Foot is or is not proving a good leader of the Labour Party? 7 Is  
8 Is not  
9 Don't know
- d) Do you think Mr Steel is or is not proving a good leader of the Liberal Party? 0 Is  
X Is not  
V Don't know
116. If there were a General Election tomorrow, which party would you support? (Mark 1st column below)
117. If "Don't know": Which party would you be most inclined to vote for? (Mark in 2nd column below)

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Conservative	1	1
Labour	2	2
Liberal	3	3
Nationalist	4	4
Ecology Party	5	5
Social Democratic	6	6
Other	7	7
None	9	9
Don't know	0	0

ASK ALL:

118. If an election were to take place tomorrow, and the following candidates were standing in your constituency, how would you vote? Would you: (Read out first 4 options only, codes 1,2,1,4 for alternate contacts)
- 1 Vote for the Conservative Party
  - 2 Vote for the Labour Party
  - 3 Vote for the Alliance between the Social Democrats and the Liberals
  - 4 Vote for other party
  - 5 Would not vote
  - 6 It depends
  - V Don't know
157. So far, as you are concerned, do you think that 1983 will be better or worse than 1982?
- 1 Better
  - 2 Worse
  - 3 Same
  - 0 Don't know
158. Looking ahead to next year, 1983, do you think strikes and industrial disputes in this country will increase, decrease, or remain the same?
- 1 Increase
  - 2 Decrease
  - 3 Remain the same
  - 0 Don't know
159. Looking ahead to next year, 1983, do you think it will be a peaceful year more or less free of international disputes, a troubled year with much international discord, or remain the same?
- 1 Peaceful year
  - 2 Troubled year
  - 3 Remain the same
  - 0 Don't know

160. Here is a sort of scale. (Show CARD A)  
Would you, with the help of this card, tell me how you assess the chances of a world-war breaking out in the next 10 years?

- World war certain within the next 10 years	V	100
	X	90
	0	80
	1	70
	2	60
	3	50
	4	40
	5	30
	6	20
	7	10
- No danger of war in next 10 years	8	0
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161. How do you think the general economic situation in this country has changed over the last 12 months? (Read out)

- 1 Got a lot better
- 2 Got a little better
- 3 Stayed the same
- 4 Got a little worse
- 5 Got a lot worse
- 0 Don't know

162. How does the financial situation of your household now compare with what it was 12 months ago? (Read out)

- 1 Got a lot better
- 2 Got a little better
- 3 Stayed the same
- 4 Got a little worse
- 5 Got a lot worse
- 0 Don't know

163. Where you live now, do you have reasons to complain about the following things: a great deal, a fair amount, not very much or not at all? If you have no reason to complain, please don't hesitate to say so.

	A great deal	A fair amount	Not very much	Not at all	Don't know
a) The purity of the drinking water	1	2	3	4	0
b) The noise	1	2	3	4	0
c) Air pollution	1	2	3	4	0
d) Lack of access to open space and countryside	1	2	3	4	0
e) Loss of good farmland	1	2	3	4	0
f) Damage done to landscape	1	2	3	4	0

169. Now, about this country as a whole. I would like to find out how worried or concerned you are about a number of problems I am going to mention: a great deal, a fair amount, not very much, or not at all?

	A great deal	A fair amount	Not very much	Not at all	Don't know
g) Pollution of waters of rivers and lakes	1	2	3	4	0
7) Damage caused to sea life and beaches by spillage or discharge by oil tankers	1	2	3	4	0
i) Air pollution	1	2	3	4	0
j) Disposal of industrial chemical waste	1	2	3	4	0
;) Disposal of nuclear waste	1	2	3	4	0
;) Pollution coming from outside this country, such as acid rain from another country's polluted air, damage to beaches and fisheries due to foreign oil tankers wrecked off shore or discharging oil, water polluted by industrial waste brought in by rivers from other countries	1	2	3	4	0

Finally, more generally, how concerned or worried are you about the following: a great deal, a fair amount, not very much, or not at all?

	A great deal	A fair amount	Not very much	Not at all	Don't know
) The extinction in the world of some plants and animal species	1	2	3	4	0
) The depletion of world forest resources	1	2	3	4	0
) The possible atmospheric damages affecting the world's weather brought about by the gas (carbon dioxide) emitted from burning coal and oil products	1	2	3	4	0

78. Sometimes measures that are designed to protect the environment cause industries to spend more money and therefore raise their prices. Which do you think is more important: protecting the environment, or keeping prices down?

- 1 More important to protect the environment
- 2 More important to keep prices down
- 3 Not sure
- 0 Don't know

79. Here are two statements which people sometimes make when discussing the environment and economic growth. (Show CARD B)

Statement A: Protection of the environment should be given priority, even at the risk of holding back economic growth

Statement B: Economic growth should be given priority, even if the environment suffers to some extent

Which of these statements comes closest to your own point of view?

- 1 Statement A
- 2 Statement B
- 3 Other answer (volunteered)
- 0 Don't know

180. Which of these best describes where you live? (Show CARD C)

- 1 Farm house or cottage in the country
- 2 Detached house
- 3 Semi-detached house
- 4 Terraced house
- 5 Maisonette
- 6 Flat in a block of up to 10 apartments
- 7 Flat in a block of 11-50 apartments
- 8 Flat in a block of over 50 apartments
- 9 Other (describe)

232. On the whole, are you very satisfied, fairly satisfied, not very satisfied or not at all satisfied with the life you lead?

- 1 Very satisfied
- 2 Fairly satisfied
- 3 Not very satisfied
- 4 Not at all satisfied
- 0 Don't know

233. On the whole, are you very satisfied, fairly satisfied, not very satisfied or not at all satisfied with the way democracy works in Britain?

- 1 Very satisfied
- 2 Fairly satisfied
- 3 Not very satisfied
- 4 Not at all satisfied
- 0 Don't know

234. There is a lot of talk these days about what this country's goals should be for the next ten or fifteen years. On this card are listed some of the goals that different people say should be given top priority (Show CARD D). Would you please say which one of them you yourself consider most important in the long run? (ONE answer only)

235. And what would be your second choice?

	Q234 1st	Q235 2nd
Maintaining order in the nation	1	1
Giving the people more say in important government decisions	2	2
Fighting rising prices	3	3
Protecting freedom of speech	4	4
Don't know	0	0

236. (Show CARD E) On this card are three basic kinds of attitudes vis-a-vis the society we live in. Please choose the one which best describes your own opinion. (ONE ANSWER ONLY)

- 1 The entire way our society is organised must be radically changed by revolutionary action
- 2 Our society must be gradually improved by reforms
- 3 Our present society must be valiantly defended against all subversive forces
- 0 Don't know

237. How much effect do you think that political decisions made by other countries have on our life in Britain these days?

- 1 A lot
- 2 A fair amount
- 3 Very little
- 4 Not at all
- 0 Don't know

238. In the future, do you think that the effect of other countries' decisions on our lives will increase, decrease or remain the same?

- 1 Increase
- 2 Decrease
- 3 About same
- 0 Don't know

239. When you get together with your friends would you say you discuss political matters frequently, occasionally or never?
- 1 Frequently
  - 2 Occasionally
  - 3 Never
  - 0 Don't know.
240. Have you in recent times read or heard anything about the Assembly of the European Community that is to say the European Parliament?  
If YES: Has what you read or heard given you a generally favourable or unfavourable impression of the European Parliament?
- Yes:
- 1 Generally favourable impression
  - 2 Generally unfavourable impression
  - 3 Neither favourable, nor unfavourable (spontaneous)
  - 4 Can't say
  - 5 No, has not heard or seen anything about the European Parliament
  - 0 Don't know

If codes 1-4 in Q240: Others skip to Q242

241. Can you tell me when you last read or heard something about the European Parliament?
- 1 A few days ago
  - 2 A few weeks ago
  - 3 A few months ago
  - 4 A few years ago
  - 5 Don't know
  - 0 Not asked
242. When you, yourself hold a strong opinion, do you ever find yourself persuading your friends, relatives or fellow workers to share your views? If so, does this happen often, from time to time or rarely?
- 1 Often
  - 2 From time to time
  - 3 Rarely
  - 4 Never
  - 0 Don't know
243. In general, are you for or against efforts being made to unify Western Europe?
- 1 For - very much
  - 2 For - to some extent
  - 3 Against - to some extent
  - 4 Against - very much
  - 0 Don't know
244. Do you believe we would do better in the fight against unemployment in Britain by acting on our own or by acting together with the other countries of the European Community?
- 1 On our own
  - 2 By acting together
  - 0 Don't know
245. Are you, personally, prepared or not to make some personal sacrifice, for example, paying a little more taxes, to help another country in the European Community experiencing economic difficulties?
- 1 Yes, prepared to
  - 2 No, not prepared
  - 0 Don't know
246. Taking everything into consideration, would you say that Britain has benefited more than, or benefited less than, other countries of the Common Market by its membership of the European Community since 1973?
- 1 More
  - 2 Less
  - 3 Neither (volunteered)
  - 0 Don't know

247. In your opinion, over the last 12 months, has the understanding between the countries of the European Community (Common Market) in general increased, decreased or stayed about the same?
- 1 Increased in general
  - 2 Decreased in general
  - 3 Stayed the same
  - 0 Don't know
248. Generally speaking, do you think that Britain's membership of the European Community (Common Market) is: (Read out)
- 1 A good thing
  - 2 A bad thing
  - 3 Neither good nor bad
  - 0 Don't know
249. If you were to be told tomorrow that the European Community (Common Market) had been scrapped, would you be very sorry about it, indifferent or relieved?
- 1 Very sorry
  - 2 Indifferent
  - 3 Relieved
  - 0 Don't know
250. In political matters, people talk of "the left" and "the right". How would you place your views on this scale? (Show CARD F. Do NOT prompt. The 10 boxes of the card are numbered, ring choice. If contact hesitates, ask him to try again)

LEFT	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	RIGHT
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	X	
	R Don't know										

251. Do you consider yourself to be close to any particular party? If so, do you feel yourself to be very close to this party, fairly close or merely a sympathiser?
- 1 Very close
  - 2 Fairly close
  - 3 Merely a sympathiser
  - 4 Close to no particular party
  - 0 Don't know
252. Independently of whether you go to church or not, would you say you are: (Read out)
- 1 A religious person
  - 2 Not a religious person
  - 3 A convinced atheist
  - 0 Don't know
253. Taking all things together, how would you say things are these days - would you say you're very happy, fairly happy, or not too happy these days?
- 1 Very happy
  - 2 Fairly happy
  - 3 Not too happy
  - 0 Don't know
254. Do you have TV at home? If YES, are you able to receive directly on your TV set channels from other countries, or only British channels?
- 1 Can receive foreign TV directly
  - 2 Can only receive British TV channels
  - 3 No TV at home
255. Have you ever watched, at home or anywhere else (including while abroad), foreign TV channels? And if so, about how often?
- 1 Never
  - 2 Several times a year
  - 3 Several times a month
  - 4 Several times a week
  - 5 More often

256. With the development in the next few years of satellite TV, you may be able to get reception on your own TV set, as well as the programmes you get now from British transmitters, a European TV channel whose programmes (news, entertainment, sport, education, etc.) will be made by several European countries working together, including our own. How much does this idea interest you?
- 1 A lot
  - 2 Somewhat
  - 3 A little bit
  - 4 Not at all
  - 0 Don't know
257. On the European TV channel we have just talked about, all countries will get the same picture. But there is a problem about the sound. As far as you are concerned, must the sound be in your own language, or are there other languages that you could listen to?
- 1 Must be in my language
  - 2 Could listen in some other languages
  - 0 Don't know
258. If a TV programme needed translation into English there are different ways of doing it. Which of these do you prefer? (Read out)
- 1 Complete translation of the sound into English like a foreign film dubbed
  - 2 Subtitles printed in English keeping the sound in the original
  - 0 Don't know
259. Still talking about the sound, it will soon be possible to have an extra part added to your TV set, for a small price, with a button to press so that you have the choice between listening in your own language or in the original language. To what extent would you be interested by this possibility?
- 1 Very interested
  - 2 Interested a bit
  - 3 Not interested at all
  - 0 Don't know

260. Are you: (Read out)
- 1 Single
  - 2 Married
  - 3 Living as married
  - 4 Divorced
  - 5 Separated
  - 6 Widowed
261. How old were you when you finished your full-time education?
- 1 Up to 14 years
  - 2 15 years
  - 3 16 "
  - 4 17 "
  - 5 18 "
  - 6 19 "
  - 7 20 "
  - 8 21 "
  - 9 22 years or older
  - X Still studying

66. Sex:
- 1 Man
  - 2 Woman
57. Can you tell me your date of birth please? (Write in date of birth AND age.)
- Born: \_\_\_\_\_  
Age: \_\_\_\_\_
59. How many persons live in your home, including yourself, all adults and children?
- Write in number: \_\_\_\_\_

70. How many children living at home:
- (a) between 8 and 15? \_\_\_\_\_
- (b) under 8 years? \_\_\_\_\_
72. We would like to analyse the survey results according to the income of persons interviewed.
- SHOW INCOME CARD: Here is a scale of incomes and we would like to know in what group your family is, counting all wages, salaries, pensions and any other income that comes in.
- Just give me the number of the group your household falls into before tax and other deductions.
- 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 X Y

I hereby attest that this is a true record of an interview, made strictly in accordance with your requirements, with a person who is a stranger to me. This form was completed entirely at the time of interview.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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273. Occupation of self: (Write in AND code)
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- Self employed:
- 1 Farmers, fishermen (skippers)
  - 2 Professional - lawyers, accountants, etc.
  - 3 Business - owners of shops, craftsmen, proprietors
- Employed:
- 4 Manual worker
  - 5 White collar - office worker
  - 6 Executive, top management, director
- Not employed:
- 7 Retired
  - 8 Housewife, not otherwise employed
  - 9 Student, military service
  - 0 Unemployed

274. If self-employed or employed: Others go to Q.275  
 How many people are working where you work .....? (Organisation, company, shop, factory, etc.)
- 1 Less than 5
  - 2 5 - 49
  - 3 50 - 499
  - 4 500 and over

275. Are you the head of the household?
- 1 Yes - go to Q.278
  - 2 No - ask Q.276

276. Occupation of head of household: (Write in AND code)
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- Self employed:
- 1 Farmers, fishermen (skippers)
  - 2 Professional - lawyers, accountants, etc.
  - 3 Business - owners of shops, craftsmen, proprietors
- Employed:
- 4 Manual worker
  - 5 White collar - office worker
  - 6 Executive, top management, director
- Not employed:
- 7 Retired
  - 8 Housewife, not otherwise employed
  - 9 Student, military service
  - 0 Unemployed

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1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8
9	0	X	Y

278. Would you say you live in a: (Read out)
- 1 Rural area or village
  - 2 Small or middle size town
  - 3 Big town
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| 1                   | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5                   | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 9                   | 0 | X | Y |

Name and address of contact - please PRINT

Mr/ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mrs/ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Miss: \_\_\_\_\_  
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