

EUROBAROMETER 60.1

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BASIC ENGLISH QUESTIONNAIRE

EUROPEAN OPINION RESEARCH GROUP

Note: The basic questionnaire is provided only as a guide to the survey questions. Please see the SPSS data definitions and document statements or the codebook for changes in coding schemes and for country specific answer categories (political parties, income, regions etc.).

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		2	<input type="checkbox"/>	B		

Q.1. What is your nationality? Please tell me the country(ies) that applies(y).
(MULTIPLE ANSWERS POSSIBLE)

Belgium	1,	<div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 100%; height: 100%;"></div>	—> Q.2
Denmark	2,		
Germany	3,		
Greece	4,		
Spain	5,		
France	6,		
Ireland	7,		
Italy	8,		
Luxembourg	9,		
Netherlands	10,		
Portugal	11,		
United Kingdom (Great Britain, Northern Ireland)	12,		
Austria	13,		
Sweden	14,		
Finland	15,		
Other countries	16,	<div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 100%; height: 100%;"></div>	—> Close interview
DK	17,		

EB60.0 - Q.1. - TREND

Q.2. When you get together with friends, would you say you discuss political matters frequently, occasionally, or never?

- Frequently 1
- Occasionally 2
- Never 3
- DK..... 4

EB59.1 - Q.2. - TREND

Q.3. When you hold a strong opinion, do you ever find yourself persuading your friends, relatives or fellow workers to share your views? Does this happen...? (READ OUT)

- often..... 1
- from time to time 2
- rarely..... 3
- never..... 4
- DK..... 5

EB59.1 - Q.3. - TREND

Q. 4. On the whole, are you very satisfied, fairly satisfied, not very satisfied or not at all satisfied with the life you lead? (READ OUT)

- Very satisfied 1
- Fairly satisfied..... 2
- Not very satisfied 3
- Not at all satisfied 4
- DK..... 5

EB58.1. - Q. 4. - TREND

Q. 5. What are your expectations for the year to come: will 2004 be better, worse or the same, when it comes to...?

	READ OUT	BETTER	WORSE	SAME	DK
1	your life in general	1	2	3	4
2	the economic situation in (OUR COUNTRY)	1	2	3	4
3	the financial situation of your household	1	2	3	4
4	the employment situation in (OUR COUNTRY)	1	2	3	4
5	your personal job situation	1	2	3	4

EB58.1 - Q. 5. - TREND

Q.6. I would like to ask you a question about how much trust you have in certain institutions. For each of the following institutions, please tell me if you tend to trust it or tend not to trust it?

	READ OUT	TEND TO TRUST	TEND NOT TO TRUST	DK
1	The press	1	2	3
2	Radio	1	2	3
3	Television	1	2	3
4	Justice/the (NATIONALITY) legal system	1	2	3
5	The police	1	2	3
6	The army	1	2	3
7	The religious institutions	1	2	3
8	Trade unions	1	2	3
9	Political parties	1	2	3
10	Big companies	1	2	3
11	The (NATIONALITY) government	1	2	3
12	The (NATIONALITY) Parliament (USE PROPER NAME FOR LOWER HOUSE - FR: "ASSEMBLEE NATIONALE", GE: "BUNDESTAG", UK: "HOUSE OF COMMONS")	1	2	3
13	The European Union	1	2	3
14	The United Nations	1	2	3
15	Charitable or voluntary organisations	1	2	3

EB59.1 - Q.4. - TREND

Let's continue with some questions on the European Union.

- Q.7. Generally speaking, do you think that (OUR COUNTRY)'s membership of the European Union is...?
- a good thing 1
 - a bad thing 2
 - neither good nor bad 3
 - DK 4

EB59.1 - Q.9. - TREND

- Q.8. Taking everything into consideration, would you say that (OUR COUNTRY) has on balance benefited or not from being a member of the European Union?
- Benefited 1
 - Not benefited 2
 - DK 3

EB59.1 - Q.10. - TREND

- Q.9. In general, does the European Union conjure up for you a very positive, fairly positive, neutral, fairly negative or very negative image?
- Very positive 1
 - Fairly positive 2
 - Neutral 3
 - Fairly negative 4
 - Very negative 5
 - DK 6

EB59.1 - Q.11. - TREND

Q.10. What does the European Union mean to you personally? (SHOW CARD - READ OUT - MULTIPLE ANSWERS POSSIBLE - ROTATE TOP TO BOTTOM/BOTTOM TO TOP)

Peace.....	1,
Economic prosperity	2,
Social protection	3,
Freedom to travel, study and work anywhere in the European Union.....	4,
Cultural diversity	5,
Stronger say in the world	6,
Euro	7,
Unemployment.....	8,
Bureaucracy.....	9,
Waste of money	10,
Loss of our cultural identity	11,
More crime.....	12,
Not enough control at external frontiers	13,
Other (SPONTANEOUS).....	14,
DK.....	15,

EB59.1 - Q.13. - TREND

Q.11. Does the European Union give you personally the feeling of...? (SHOW CARD - READ OUT - MULTIPLE ANSWERS POSSIBLE)

enthusiasm	1,
hope.....	2,
trust.....	3,
indifference	4,
anxiety	5,
mistrust	6,
rejecting it	7,
DK.....	8,

EB57.1 - Q.30. - TREND

- Q.12. a) In your opinion, what is the current speed of building Europe? Please look at these figures (SHOW CARD WITH SCALE). N°1 is standing still, N°7 is running as fast as possible. Choose the one which best corresponds with your opinion of the current speed of building Europe?
- b) And which corresponds best to the speed you would like? (SHOW SAME CARD)

READ OUT		Q. 12. a.	Q. 12. b.
		CURRENT SPEED	DESIRED SPEED
1	standstill	1	1
2		2	2
3		3	3
4		4	4
5		5	5
6		6	6
7	runs as fast as possible	7	7
8	DK	8	8

EB58.1 - Q. 17. a. & 17. b.- TREND

- Q.13. Are you, yourself, for or against the development towards a European political union? (M)
- For..... 1
- Against..... 2
- DK..... 3

EB32 - Q.42. – TREND MODIFIED

- Q.14. If you were told tomorrow that the European Union had been scrapped, would you be very sorry about it, indifferent or very relieved?
- Very sorry..... 1
- Indifferent..... 2
- Very relieved..... 3
- DK..... 4

EB57.1 - Q.17. - TREND

Q.15. Using this scale, how much do you feel you know about the European Union, its policies, its institutions? (SHOW CARD WITH SCALE)

KNOW NOTHING AT ALL								KNOW A GREAT DEAL		DK
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11

EB58.1 - Q. 9. - TREND

Q.16. When you are looking for information about the European Union, its policies, its institutions, which of the following sources do you use? Which else? (SHOW CARD - READ OUT - MULTIPLE ANSWERS POSSIBLE)

- Meetings 1,
- Discussions with relatives, friends, colleagues 2,
- Daily newspapers..... 3,
- Other newspapers, magazines 4,
- Television..... 5,
- Radio 6,
- The Internet 7,
- Books, brochures, information leaflets 8,
- CD-Rom 9,
- European Union information on notice boards in libraries, town halls,
railway stations, post offices 10,
- European Union information offices, Euro-info Centers, Euro-info Points,
Euro-libraries, etc..... 11,
- National or regional government information offices 12,
- Trade unions or professional associations 13,
- Other organisations (consumer organisations, etc.)..... 14,
- A member of European Parliament or a member of (NATIONAL PARLIAMENT) 15,
- Other (SPONTANEOUS) 16,
- Never look for such information, not interested (SPONTANEOUS) 17, GO TO Q.18.
- DK 18,

EB58.1 - Q. 10. - TREND

DO NOT ASK THOSE WHO ANSWERED "NEVER LOOK FOR SUCH INFORMATION, NOT INTERESTED", CODE 17 IN Q.16.

- Q.17. In general, how would you prefer to get information about the European Union? How else? (SHOW CARD - READ OUT - MULTIPLE ANSWERS POSSIBLE)
- A short leaflet, that just gives an overview 1,
 - A more detailed brochure 2,
 - A book giving you a complete description 3,
 - A video tape 4,
 - On the Internet 5,
 - A CD-Rom 6,
 - A computer terminal allowing you to consult databases 7,
 - From the television 8,
 - From the radio 9,
 - From daily newspapers 10,
 - From other newspapers, magazines 11,
 - From posters 12,
 - I do not want information about the European Union (SPONTANEOUS) 13,
 - None of these ways (SPONTANEOUS) 14,
 - DK 15,

EB58.1 - Q. 11. - TREND

ASK ALL

- Q.18. Generally speaking, do you think that the (NATIONALITY) media talk too much, about the right amount or too little about the European Union?
- Too much 1
 - About the right amount 2
 - Too little 3
 - DK 4

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- Q.19. And do you think that the (NATIONALITY) media present the European Union too positively, objectively or too negatively?
- Too positively 1
 - Objectively 2
 - Too negatively 3
 - DK 4

EB60.1 - NEW

Q.20. Have you heard of...?

	READ OUT	YES	NO	DK
1	the European Parliament	1	2	3
2	the European Commission	1	2	3
3	the Council of Ministers of the European Union	1	2	3
4	the Court of Justice of the European Union	1	2	3
5	the European Ombudsman	1	2	3
6	the European Central Bank	1	2	3
7	the European Court of Auditors	1	2	3
8	the Committee of the Regions of the European Union	1	2	3
9	the Economic and Social Committee of the European Union	1	2	3

EB59.1 - Q.15. - TREND MODIFIED

Q.21. And for each of the following European bodies, do you think it plays an important role or not in the life of the European Union?

	READ OUT	IMPORTANT	NOT IMPORTANT	DK
1	The European Parliament	1	2	3
2	The European Commission	1	2	3
3	The Council of Ministers of the European Union	1	2	3
4	The Court of Justice of the European Union	1	2	3
5	The European Ombudsman	1	2	3
6	The European Central Bank	1	2	3
7	The European Court of Auditors	1	2	3
8	The Committee of the Regions of the European Union	1	2	3
9	The Economic and Social Committee of the European Union	1	2	3

EB59.1 - Q.16. - TREND MODIFIED

Q.22. And, for each of them, please tell me if you tend to trust it or tend not to trust it?

	READ OUT	TEND TO TRUST	TEND NOT TO TRUST	DK
1	The European Parliament	1	2	3
2	The European Commission	1	2	3
3	The Council of Ministers of the European Union	1	2	3
4	The Court of Justice of the European Union	1	2	3
5	The European Ombudsman	1	2	3
6	The European Central Bank	1	2	3
7	The European Court of Auditors	1	2	3
8	The Committee of the Regions of the European Union	1	2	3
9	The Economic and Social Committee of the European Union	1	2	3

EB59.1 - Q.17. - TREND MODIFIED

- Q.23. a) On the whole, are you very satisfied, fairly satisfied, not very satisfied or not at all satisfied with the way democracy works in (OUR COUNTRY)? (SHOW CARD WITH SCALE)
- b) And how about the way democracy works in the European Union? (SHOW SAME CARD)

	READ OUT	VERY SATISFIED	FAIRLY SATISFIED	NOT VERY SATISFIED	NOT AT ALL SATISFIED	DK
Q. 23.a	In (OUR COUNTRY)	1	2	3	4	5
Q. 23.b	In the European Union	1	2	3	4	5

EB58.1 - Q. 22. a. & b. - TREND

ASK Q.24. AND Q.25. ONLY IN ITALY

Q.24. In the European Union, each member state, in turn, becomes the President of the Council of Ministers for six months. Right now, it's the turn of Italy. Have you recently read in the newspapers or heard on the radio or television anything about the Italian presidency?

- Yes 1
- No 2
- DK 3

EB59.1 - Q. 18. - TREND

- Q.25. Whether you have heard about it or not, do you think it is important or not that Italy is President of the Council of Ministers of the European Union at this time? Would you say it is...? (READ OUT)
- | | |
|----------------------------|---|
| very important | 1 |
| important | 2 |
| not very important | 3 |
| not at all important | 4 |
| DK | 5 |

EB59.1 - Q. 19. - TREND

ASK ALL

- Q.26. What do you think are the two most important issues facing (OUR COUNTRY) at the moment? (SHOW CARD - READ OUT - MAX. 2 ANSWERS POSSIBLE)
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|---------------------------------|-----|
| Crime | 1, |
| Public transport..... | 2, |
| Economic situation..... | 3, |
| Rising prices/inflation..... | 4, |
| Taxation | 5, |
| Unemployment..... | 6, |
| Terrorism | 7, |
| Defence/Foreign affairs..... | 8, |
| Housing..... | 9, |
| Immigration | 10, |
| Health care system | 11, |
| The educational system | 12, |
| Pensions | 13, |
| Protecting the environment..... | 14, |
| Other (SPONTANEOUS)..... | 15, |
| DK..... | 16, |

EB59.1 - Q.5. - TREND

Q.27. And for each of the following issues in (OUR COUNTRY), do you think that the European Union plays a positive role, a negative role or neither positive nor negative role?

	READ OUT	POSITIVE ROLE	NEGATIVE ROLE	NEITHER POSITIVE NOR NEGATIVE ROLE	DK
1	Fighting crime	1	2	3	4
2	Public transport	1	2	3	4
3	The economic situation	1	2	3	4
4	Rising prices/inflation	1	2	3	4
5	Taxation	1	2	3	4
6	Fighting unemployment	1	2	3	4
7	Fighting terrorism	1	2	3	4
8	Defence	1	2	3	4
9	Foreign affairs	1	2	3	4
10	Housing	1	2	3	4
11	Immigration	1	2	3	4
12	Health care system	1	2	3	4
13	The educational system	1	2	3	4
14	Pensions	1	2	3	4
15	Protecting the environment	1	2	3	4

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- Q.28. a) For each of the following areas, do you think that decisions should be made by the (NATIONALITY) government, or made jointly within the European Union?

	READ OUT - ROTATE	(NATIONALITY) GOVERNMENT	JOINTLY WITHIN EUROPEAN UNION	DK
1	Defence	1	2	3
2	Protection of the environment	1	2	3
3	Currency	1	2	3
4	Humanitarian aid	1	2	3
5	Health and social welfare	1	2	3
6	Basic rules for broadcasting and press	1	2	3
7	Fight against poverty/social exclusion	1	2	3
8	The fight against unemployment	1	2	3
9	Agriculture and fishing policy	1	2	3
10	The support to regions which are experiencing economic difficulties	1	2	3
11	Education	1	2	3
12	Scientific and technological research	1	2	3
13	Information about the European Union, its policies and institutions	1	2	3
14	Foreign policy towards countries outside the European Union	1	2	3
15	Cultural policy	1	2	3

EB58.1 - Q. 25. a. - TREND

Q.28. b) And, for each of the following?

	READ OUT - ROTATE	(NATIONALITY) GOVERNMENT	JOINTLY WITHIN EUROPEAN UNION	DK
1	Immigration policy	1	2	3
2	Rules for political asylum	1	2	3
3	The fight against organised crime	1	2	3
4	Police	1	2	3
5	Justice	1	2	3
6	Accepting refugees	1	2	3
7	Juvenile crime prevention	1	2	3
8	Urban crime prevention	1	2	3
9	The fight against drugs	1	2	3
10	The fight against the trade in, and exploitation of, human beings	1	2	3
11	The fight against international terrorism	1	2	3
12	Tackling the challenges of an ageing population	1	2	3

EB58.1 - Q. 25. b. - TREND

Q.29.

What is your opinion on each of the following statements?
Please tell me for each statement, whether you are for it or against it.

	READ OUT – ROTATE	FOR	AGAINST	DK
1	A European Monetary Union with one single currency, the euro	1	2	3
2	One common foreign policy among the member states of the European Union, towards other countries	1	2	3
3	A common defence and security policy among European Union member states	1	2	3
4	The enlargement of the European Union to include new countries	1	2	3
5	The European Union being responsible for matters that cannot be effectively handled by national, regional and local governments	1	2	3
6	The resignation of the President of the European Commission and the European Commissioners if they do not have the support of a majority in the European Parliament	1	2	3
7	Teaching school children about the way European Union institutions work	1	2	3
8	The fact that the European Commission is composed of commissioners coming from each of the member states (N)	1	2	3

EB59.1 - Q.23. - TREND MODIFIED

Q.30. I am going to read out a list of actions that the European Union could undertake. For each one, please tell me, if in your opinion, it should be a priority, or not?

	READ OUT	PRIORITY	NOT A PRIORITY	DK
1	Welcoming new member countries	1	2	3
2	Getting closer to European citizens, for example by giving them more information about the European Union, its policies and its institutions	1	2	3
3	Successfully implementing the single European currency, the euro	1	2	3
4	Fighting poverty and social exclusion	1	2	3
5	Protecting the environment	1	2	3
6	Guaranteeing the quality of food products	1	2	3
7	Protecting consumers and guaranteeing the quality of other products	1	2	3
8	Fighting unemployment	1	2	3
9	Reforming the institutions of the European Union and the way they work	1	2	3
10	Fighting organised crime and drug trafficking	1	2	3
11	Asserting the political and diplomatic importance of the European Union around the world	1	2	3
12	Maintaining peace and security in Europe	1	2	3
13	Guaranteeing the rights of the individual and respect for the principles of democracy in Europe	1	2	3
14	Fighting terrorism	1	2	3
15	Fighting illegal immigration	1	2	3

EB58.1 - Q. 27. - TREND

Q.31. For each of the following areas, do you think action taken by the European Union is, or would be very effective, fairly effective, not very effective or not at all effective? (SHOW CARD WITH SCALE)

	READ OUT	VERY EFFECTIVE	FAIRLY EFFECTIVE	NOT VERY EFFECTIVE	NOT AT ALL EFFECTIVE	DK
1	Welcoming new member countries	1	2	3	4	5
2	Getting closer to European citizens, for example by giving them more information about the European Union, its policies and its institutions	1	2	3	4	5
3	Successfully implementing the single European currency, the euro	1	2	3	4	5
4	Fighting poverty and social exclusion	1	2	3	4	5
5	Protecting the environment	1	2	3	4	5
6	Guaranteeing the quality of food products	1	2	3	4	5
7	Protecting consumers and guaranteeing the quality of other products	1	2	3	4	5
8	Fighting unemployment	1	2	3	4	5
9	Reforming the institutions of the European Union and the way they work	1	2	3	4	5
10	Fighting organised crime and drug trafficking	1	2	3	4	5
11	Asserting the political and diplomatic importance of the European Union around the world	1	2	3	4	5
12	Maintaining peace and security in Europe	1	2	3	4	5
13	Guaranteeing the rights of the individual and respect for the principles of democracy in Europe	1	2	3	4	5
14	Fighting terrorism	1	2	3	4	5
15	Fighting illegal immigration	1	2	3	4	5

EB58.1 - Q. 28. - TREND

Q.32. The European Union already has a Common Security and Foreign Policy and a European Security and Defence Policy. There is now a debate about how much further these should be developed. Do you tend to agree or tend to disagree with each of the following statements?

	READ OUT - ROTATE	TEND TO AGREE	TEND TO DISAGREE	DK
1	The European Union should have a rapid military reaction force that can be sent quickly to trouble spots when an international crisis occurs	1	2	3
2	When an international crisis occurs, European Union member states should agree a common position	1	2	3
3	The European Union should have its own Foreign Minister, who can be the spokesperson for a common European Union position	1	2	3
4	The European Union should have its own seat on the United Nations Security Council	1	2	3
5	Member states which have opted for neutrality should have a say in European Union foreign policy	1	2	3
6	Countries which will join the European Union in 2004 as a result of enlargement should already have a say in European Union foreign policy	1	2	3
7	European Union foreign policy should be independent of United States foreign policy	1	2	3
8	The European Union should guarantee Human Rights in each member state, even if this is contrary to the wishes of some member states	1	2	3
9	The European Union should work to guarantee Human Rights around the world, even if this is contrary to the wishes of some other countries	1	2	3
10	The European Union should have a common immigration policy towards people from outside the European Union	1	2	3
11	The European Union should have a common asylum policy towards asylum seekers	1	2	3

EB59.1 - Q.24. - TREND

Q.33. In your opinion, should decisions concerning European defence policy be taken by national government, by NATO or by the European Union? (ONE ANSWER ONLY)

National governments	1
NATO	2
The European Union.....	3
Other (SPONTANEOUS).....	4
DK	5

EB58.1 - Q. 30. - TREND

Q.34. Which of these three options do you prefer for the immediate future of the European Union?
(SHOW CARD - READ OUT - ONE ANSWER ONLY)

- The European Union should be enlarged to include all the countries wishing to join..... 1
- The European Union should be enlarged to include only some of the countries
wishing to join 2
- The European Union should not be enlarged to any additional countries 3
- None of these (SPONTANEOUS)..... 4
- DK..... 5

EB59.1 - Q.46. - TREND

Let's move on to another topic: citizenship and feeling of belonging.

- Q.35. Which three of the following are the most important to you?
(SHOW CARD - READ OUT - MAX. THREE ANSWERS POSSIBLE)
- The family 1,
 - A partner 2,
 - Friendship 3,
 - Work 4,
 - Education/studies..... 5,
 - Spare time/holidays 6,
 - The arts/culture 7,
 - Sport 8,
 - Religion 9,
 - Politics 10,
 - Health 11,
 - Sexuality 12,
 - Money 13,
 - Other (SPONTANEOUS) 14,
 - DK..... 15,

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- Q.36. a) And in the following list, which are three most important values for you personally?
(SHOW CARD - MAX. 3 ANSWERS POSSIBLE)
- b) And which three of them best represent...most?
- 1) (OUR COUNTRY) (SHOW SAME CARD - MAX. 3 ANSWERS POSSIBLE)
 - 2) the European Union (SHOW SAME CARD - MAX. 3 ANSWERS POSSIBLE)
 - 3) the United States of America (SHOW SAME CARD - MAX. 3 ANSWERS POSSIBLE)
 - 4) the Arab world (SHOW SAME CARD - MAX. 3 ANSWERS POSSIBLE)

	READ	Q.36.a.	Q.36.b.			
		FOR YOU PERSONALLY	1. (OUR COUNTRY)	2. THE EUROPEAN UNION	3. THE UNITED STATES	4. THE ARAB WORLD
1	The Rule of Law	1,	1,	1,	1,	1,
2	Respect for human life	2,	2,	2,	2,	2,
3	Human rights	3,	3,	3,	3,	3,
4	Individual freedom	4,	4,	4,	4,	4,
5	Democracy	5,	5,	5,	5,	5,
6	Peace	6,	6,	6,	6,	6,
7	Equality	7,	7,	7,	7,	7,
8	Solidarity, support for others	8,	8,	8,	8,	8,
9	Tolerance	9,	9,	9,	9,	9,
10	Religion	10,	10,	10,	10,	10,
11	Self-fulfilment	11,	11,	11,	11,	11,
12	Respect for other cultures	12,	12,	12,	12,	12,
13	None of these (SPONTANEOUS)	13,	13,	13,	13,	13,
14	DK	14,	14,	14,	14,	14,

EB60.1 - NEW

Q.37. For each of the following statements, please tell me if you totally agree, tend to agree, tend to disagree or totally disagree? (SHOW CARD WITH SCALE)

	READ OUT	TOTALLY AGREE	TEND TO AGREE	TEND TO DISAGREE	TOTALLY DISAGREE	DK
1	The State intervenes too much in our lives	1	2	3	4	5
2	We need more equality and justice even if this means less freedom for the individual	1	2	3	4	5
3	Nowadays there is too much tolerance. Criminals should be punished more severely	1	2	3	4	5
4	Criminals need help and understanding	1	2	3	4	5
5	Citizens should participate more actively in politics in (OUR COUNTRY)	1	2	3	4	5
6	Immigrants contribute a lot to (OUR COUNTRY)	1	2	3	4	5
7	Immigrants are a threat to our way of life	1	2	3	4	5
8	<p><u>SPLIT BALLOT A</u> Economic growth must be a priority for (OUR COUNTRY), even if it affects the environment</p> <p><u>SPLIT BALLOT B</u> Protecting the environment should be a priority for (OUR COUNTRY), even if it affects the economic growth</p>	1	2	3	4	5
9	Free competition is the best guarantee for economic prosperity	1	2	3	4	5

EB60.1 - NEW

Q.38. From the following list, which are the three you would be most likely to involve yourself in?
(READ OUT - SHOW CARD - MAX. THREE ANSWERS POSSIBLE)

- Sport 1,
- Music 2,
- Arts and culture..... 3,
- Club/association membership 4,
- Protection of the environment 5,
- Politics 6,
- Trade unions 7,
- Religion 8,
- Helping others (elderly people, people with disabilities, children, neighbours, etc.)..... 9,
- Preserving traditions/customs 10,
- Life long learning..... 11,
- Others (SPONTANEOUS) 12,
- None of these (SPONTANEOUS)..... 13,
- DK..... 14,

EB60.1 - NEW

IF CODE 1 TO 11 IN Q.38., OTHERS GO TO Q.40.

Q.39. How would you personally involve yourself in these activities? (READ OUT - MULTIPLE ANSWERS POSSIBLE)

- Give up some of your spare time 1,
- Give up some money 2,
- Other (SPONTANEOUS) 3,
- DK..... 4,

EB60.1 - NEW

ASK ALL

Q.40. Would you be willing to learn one or more additional foreign language(s)?
(IF YES) What would be your main motivations for doing so?
(SHOW CARD - READ OUT - MULTIPLE ANSWERS POSSIBLE)

- No, I don't want to learn another language 1,
- Yes, to use on holidays abroad..... 2,
- Yes, to use at work (including travelling abroad on business) 3,
- Yes, to be able to study in another country 4,
- Yes, to be able to work in another country 5,
- Yes, to get a better job in (OUR COUNTRY) 6,
- Yes, for personal satisfaction 7,
- Yes, to get closer to my cultural origins 8,
- Yes, to meet people from other countries 9,
- Yes, to be able to understand people from other cultures..... 10,
- Yes, to know a language that is widely spoken around the world 11,
- Yes, to be able to use the Internet 12,
- Other (SPONTANEOUS) 13,
- DK..... 14,

EB54.2 LANGUAGES - Q.7 - TREND MODIFIED

Q.41. To what extent do the following topics interest you? Would you say you are very interested, fairly interested, not very interested or not at all interested in...? (SHOW CARD WITH SCALE)

READ OUT		VERY INTERESTED	FAIRLY INTERESTED	NOT VERY INTERESTED	NOT AT ALL INTERESTED	DK
1	Politics and economics in (OUR COUNTRY)	1	2	3	4	5
2	Politics and economics in other countries of the European Union	1	2	3	4	5
3	Politics and economics in the rest of the world	1	2	3	4	5
4	Arts and culture in (OUR COUNTRY)	1	2	3	4	5
5	Arts and culture in other countries of the European Union	1	2	3	4	5
6	Arts and culture in the rest of the world	1	2	3	4	5
7	Music (singers / bands, hit parades, concerts, etc.) in (OUR COUNTRY)	1	2	3	4	5
8	Music (singers / bands, hit parades, concerts, etc.) in other countries of the European Union	1	2	3	4	5
9	Music (singers / bands, hit parades, concerts, etc) in the rest of the world	1	2	3	4	5
10	Sport in (OUR COUNTRY)	1	2	3	4	5
11	Sport in other countries of the European Union	1	2	3	4	5
12	Sport in the rest of the world	1	2	3	4	5
13	Lifestyles in (OUR COUNTRY)	1	2	3	4	5
14	Lifestyles in other countries of the European Union	1	2	3	4	5
15	Lifestyles in the rest of the world	1	2	3	4	5

EB60.1 - NEW

Q.42. To which of the following countries/regions do you feel the greatest affinity?
(SHOW CARD - READ OUT - MULTIPLE ANSWERS POSSIBLE)

Belgium	1,
Finland	2,
United Kingdom	3,
Luxembourg	4,
Sweden	5,
Germany	6,
France	7,
Ireland	8,
The Netherlands	9,
Spain	10,
Denmark	11,
Greece	12,
Italy	13,
Portugal	14,
Austria	15,
Estonia	16,
Lithuania	17,
Latvia	18,
Malta	19,
Poland	20,
Czech Republic	21,
Slovakia	22,
Slovenia	23,
Hungary	24,
Cyprus	25,
Bulgaria	26,
Romania	27,
Turkey	28,
Switzerland	29,
Norway	30,
United-States	31,
Canada	32,
Latin America	33,
North Africa	34,
Rest of Africa/Sub-Saharan Africa	35,
The Middle East	36,
Former Soviet Union	37,
Asia	38,
None of these (SPONTANEOUS)	39,
Others (SPONTANEOUS)	40,
DK	41,

EB60.1 - NEW

- Q.43. In the near future, do you see yourself as...? (SHOW CARD - READ OUT - ONE ANSWER ONLY)
- (NATIONALITY) only 1
 - (NATIONALITY) and European..... 2
 - European and (NATIONALITY)..... 3
 - European only..... 4
 - DK..... 5

EB59.1 - Q.12. - TREND

- Q.44. Would you say you are very proud, fairly proud, not very proud, not at all proud to be (NATIONALITY AS SPECIFIED IN QUESTION 1 OF QUESTIONNAIRE)? (ONE ANSWER ONLY)
- Very proud 1
 - Fairly proud 2
 - Not very proud 3
 - Not at all proud..... 4
 - DK..... 5

EB57.1 - Q.28. - TREND

- Q.45. And would you say you are very proud, fairly proud, not very proud, not at all proud to be European? (ONE ANSWER ONLY)
- Very proud 1
 - Fairly proud 2
 - Not very proud 3
 - Not at all proud..... 4
 - DK..... 5

EB57.1 - Q.29. - TREND

Q.46. People may feel different degrees of attachment to their town or village, to their region, to their country or to Europe. Please tell me how attached you feel to...

- a) your city/town/village? (SHOW CARD WITH SCALE)
- b) your region? (SHOW SAME CARD)
- c) (OUR COUNTRY)? (SHOW SAME CARD)
- d) Europe? (SHOW SAME CARD)

	READ OUT	VERY ATTACHED	FAIRLY ATTACHED	NOT VERY ATTACHED	NOT AT ALL ATTACHED	DK
a	your city/town/village	1	2	3	4	5
b	your region	1	2	3	4	5
c	(OUR COUNTRY)	1	2	3	4	5
d	Europe (M)	1	2	3	4	5

EB58.1 - Q. 31. - TREND MODIFIED

Q.47. In your opinion, would you say that the United States tend to play a positive role, a negative role or neither a positive nor a negative role regarding...?

	READ OUT	POSITIVE	NEGATIVE	NEITHER POSITIVE NOR NEGATIVE	DK
1	peace in the world	1	2	3	4
2	the fight against terrorism	1	2	3	4
3	growth of the world economy	1	2	3	4
4	the fight against poverty in the world	1	2	3	4
5	protection of the environment	1	2	3	4

EB59.1 - Q.27. - TREND

Q.48. And in your opinion, does the European Union tend to play a positive role, a negative role or neither positive nor negative role regarding...?

	READ OUT	POSITIVE	NEGATIVE	NEITHER POSITIVE NOR NEGATIVE	DK
1	peace in the world	1	2	3	4
2	the fight against terrorism	1	2	3	4
3	The growth of the world economy	1	2	3	4
4	the fight against poverty in the world	1	2	3	4
5	The protection of the environment	1	2	3	4

EB60.1 - NEW

Q.49. Do you think that the European Union should or should not have a Constitution?

Should..... 1
 Should not..... 2
 DK..... 3

EB59.1 - Q.30. - TREND

Q.50. Which, if any, of the following statements comes closest to your own opinion? The President of the European Commission should be...? (SHOW CARD - READ OUT - ONE ANSWER ONLY)

solely nominated by the Heads of State or Heads of Government of the European Union 1
 solely elected by the European Parliament 2
 chosen both by the European Parliament as well as Heads
 of State or Heads of Government 3
 directly elected by the citizens of the European Union..... 4
 other (SPONTANEOUS)..... 5
 DK..... 6

EB59.1 - Q.34. - TREND

Q.51. The European Council is composed of Heads of State or Heads of Government of member states and the President of the Commission. The presidency of the European Council is taken by each country in turn, for a period of six months. Do you think that...? (READ OUT - ONE ANSWER ONLY)

- the six-month period should be retained because it gives each member state a chance to hold the Presidency of the European Union on a regular basis 1
- the period of the Presidency should be extended because six months is too short to achieve significant results 2
- DK..... 3

EB59.1 - Q.35. - TREND

Q.52. Currently, each member state has the right of veto in certain areas. In the future, should a right of veto...?

- be retained in order to preserve essential national interests 1
- be limited to a very few essential areas 2
- be given up for all decisions in order to make the European Union more efficient 3
- DK..... 4

EB59.1 - Q.36. - TREND

Now let's turn to another topic: fraud.

Q.53. Have you ever heard, read or seen anything about...? (SHOW CARD)

	READ OUT	YES	NO	DK
1	Fraud in (OUR COUNTRY)	1	2	3
2	Fraud in the other countries of the European Union	1	2	3
3	Fraud in the countries which are candidates to join the European Union	1	2	3
4	Fraud elsewhere in the world	1	2	3
5	Tax evasion in (OUR COUNTRY)	1	2	3
6	Tax evasion in the other countries of the European Union	1	2	3
7	Tax evasion in the countries which are candidates to join the European Union	1	2	3
8	Tax evasion elsewhere in the world	1	2	3
9	Money laundering in (OUR COUNTRY)	1	2	3
10	Money laundering in the other countries of the European Union	1	2	3
11	Money laundering in the countries which are candidates to join the European Union	1	2	3
12	Money laundering elsewhere in the world	1	2	3
13	Counterfeiting of goods in (OUR COUNTRY)	1	2	3
14	Counterfeiting of goods in the other countries of the European Union	1	2	3
15	Counterfeiting of goods in the countries which are candidates to join the European Union	1	2	3
16	Counterfeiting of goods elsewhere in the world	1	2	3

EB60.1 - NEW

Q.54. From the following list of problems, which worry you most?
(SHOW CARD - READ OUT - MULTIPLE ANSWERS POSSIBLE)

Counterfeiting of goods.....	1,
Hacking, pirated software, illegal data trading	2,
Commercial fraud (cheating on prices, weights, goods, etc.).....	3,
Fraud relating to the quality of food and agricultural products	4,
Defrauding the State (tax evasion, VAT fraud, etc.).....	5,
Defrauding the European Union and its budget (customs fraud, VAT fraud, misappropriation of aids and grants, etc.)	6,
Money laundering	7,
IN NON EURO-ZONE COUNTRIES (DK, UK, S)	
Circulation of fake bank-notes and coins in (NATIONAL CURRENCY).....	8,
TO ALL	
Circulation of fake bank-notes and coins in euro	9,
Work in the black economy (not declared for tax).....	10,
Smuggling.....	11,
Corruption	12,
Wrongdoings in (NATIONALITY) national and local government and institutions.....	13,
Wrongdoings in European Union institutions	14,
Other problems (SPONTANEOUS)	15,
None (SPONTANEOUS)	16,
DK.....	17,

EB60.1 - NEW

Q.55. We are going to talk about the topic of defrauding the European Union and its budget. Do you think the medias inform you fairly well or fairly badly about...? (SHOW CARD)

	READ OUT	FAIRLY WELL	FAIRLY BADLY	DK
1	Defrauding the European Union and its budget in (OUR COUNTRY)	1	2	3
2	This type of fraud in the other countries of the European Union	1	2	3
3	This type of fraud in the countries which are candidates to join the European Union	1	2	3
4	The fight in (OUR COUNTRY) against the European Union and its budget being defrauded	1	2	3
5	The fight in the other European countries against the European Union and its budget being defrauded	1	2	3
6	The fight waged by the European Union against the European union and its budget being defrauded	1	2	3
7	Co-operation between (OUR COUNTRY) and the other European countries in fighting this type of fraud	1	2	3
8	Co-operation between (OUR COUNTRY) and European Union institutions in fighting this type of fraud	1	2	3
9	The importance the European Union attaches to fighting this type of fraud	1	2	3

EB60.1 - NEW

Q.56. Who do you trust most to fight effectively in (OUR COUNTRY) against the European union and its budget being defrauded? (SHOW CARD - READ OUT - ONE ANSWER ONLY)

The police force (police, gendarmerie in FR - INT.: ADAPT ACCORDING TO THE COUNTRY)..	1
Customs services.....	2
The taxation authorities (INT.: ADAPT ACCORDING TO THE COUNTRY).....	3
The courts, the legal system	4
The European Union.....	5
The (NATIONALITY) Government	6
Local or regional Government.....	7
Other public bodies	8
Private auditing firms	9
The media.....	10
Other (SPONTANEOUS).....	11
Nobody (SPONTANEOUS).....	12
DK.....	13

EB60.1 - NEW

Q.57. For each of the following statements about defrauding the European Union and its budget, could you please tell me if you tend to agree or tend to disagree? (SHOW CARD - READ OUT)

	READ OUT	TEND TO AGREE	TEND TO DISAGREE	DK
1	This fraud happens very rarely	1	2	3
2	This fraud is harmful to the (NATIONALITY) economy	1	2	3
3	This fraud is harmful to the (NATIONALS) who are honest	1	2	3
4	This fraud is usually more widespread in the other countries of the European Union than in (OUR COUNTRY)	1	2	3
5	This fraud is usually more widespread in the countries which are candidates to join the European Union than in (OUR COUNTRY)	1	2	3
6	The fight against this fraud should be a priority in (OUR COUNTRY)	1	2	3
7	The fight against this fraud should be a priority everywhere in the European Union	1	2	3
8	The (NATIONALITY) government is fighting effectively against this fraud	1	2	3
9	The European Union institutions are fighting effectively against this fraud	1	2	3
10	(OUR COUNTRY) should co-operate more with anti-fraud services of the European Union institutions	1	2	3
11	(OUR COUNTRY) should co-operate more with anti-fraud services of the other European countries	1	2	3
12	Some other countries should be more co-operative with (NATIONALITY) anti-fraud services	1	2	3
13	The European Union should coordinate national investigations of defrauding the European Union and its budget	1	2	3
14	The European Union should inform us more about the fight against this type of fraud	1	2	3
15	The European Union should inform us more about successes in its fight against this type of fraud	1	2	3

EB60.0 - NEW

Q.58. In general, how would you prefer to get information about how the European Union fights against fraud? (SHOW CARD - READ OUT - MULTIPLE ANSWERS POSSIBLE)

- A leaflet, that just gives an overview 1,
- A more detailed brochure..... 2,
- A book giving you a complete description 3,
- A video tape 4,
- On the Internet 5,
- A CD-rom 6,
- From the television..... 7,
- From the radio..... 8,
- From daily newspapers..... 9,
- From other newspapers, magazines..... 10,
- I do not want such information (SPONTANEOUS) 11,
- None of these ways (SPONTANEOUS)..... 12,
- DK..... 13,

EB60.1 - NEW

Let's end with a few questions on the European Parliament.

Q.59. Supposing a (APPROPRIATE REFERENCE TO NATIONAL ELECTIONS/GENERAL ELECTIONS - FR: "PRESIDENTIAL ELECTIONS") were being held tomorrow, can you tell me on a scale of 1 to 10 how likely it is that you would vote in that election? Please place yourself at a point on this scale where "1" indicates that you would definitely not vote, "10" indicates that you would definitely vote and the remaining numbers indicates something in between these two positions. (READ OUT - SHOW CARD WITH SCALE)

1 (WOULD DEFINITELY NOT VOTE)										10 (WOULD DEFINITELY VOTE)	DK
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	

EB59.1 - Q.38. - TREND

Q.60. And, supposing there was a European Parliament election being held tomorrow, can you tell me on a scale of 1 to 10 how likely it is that you would vote in that election? Please place yourself at a point on this scale where "1" indicates that you would definitely not vote, "10" indicates that you would definitely vote and the remaining numbers indicates something in between these two positions. (READ OUT - SHOW SAME CARD WITH SCALE AS IN Q.59.)

1 (WOULD DEFINITELY NOT VOTE)										10 (WOULD DEFINITELY VOTE)	DK
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	

EB59.1 - Q.39. - TREND

Q.61. Since the last European Parliament elections, have you seen or heard anything about or had any contacts with a member of the European Parliament in any of the following ways? (SHOW CARD - READ OUT - MULTIPLE ANSWERS POSSIBLE)

- Yes, I have read about members of the European Parliament in newspapers or magazines 1,
- Yes, I have seen members of the European Parliament on television..... 2,
- Yes, I have heard members of the European Parliament on the radio 3,
- Yes, I have read about members of the European parliament on the Internet..... 4,
- Yes, I have received leaflet(s), newsletter(s) or letter(s) from (a) member(s) of the European Parliament 5,
- Yes, I have seen members of the European parliament at (a) pubic meeting(s) 6,
- No, I have not seen or heard anything about or had any contacts with a member of the European Parliament 7,
- Other (SPONTANEOUS)..... 8,
- DK..... 9,

EB59.1 - Q.40. - TREND

Q.62. Would you personally be interested in seeing or hearing more about members of the European Parliament in any of the ways we have just talked about?
(SHOW CARD - READ OUT - MULTIPLE ANSWERS POSSIBLE)

- Yes, I would be interested in reading about members of the European Parliament in newspapers or magazines 1,
- Yes, I would be interested in seeing members of the European Parliament on television 2,
- Yes, I would be interested in hearing members of the European Parliament on the radio 3,
- Yes, I would be interested in reading, seeing or hearing about members of the European Parliament on the Internet 4,
- Yes, I would be interested in receiving leaflet(s), newsletter(s) or letter(s) from (a) member(s) of the European Parliament..... 5,
- Yes, I would be interested in seeing members of the European Parliament at (a) public meeting(s) 6,
- No, I would not be interested 7,
- Other (SPONTANEOUS)..... 8,
- DK..... 9,

EB59.1 - Q.41. - TREND

Q.63. Please consider each of the following and tell me how much its activities, decisions and so on affect people like yourself. In each case, do they have a great effect, some effect or no effect?
(SHOW CARD WITH SCALE)

	READ OUT	GREAT EFFECT	SOME EFFECT	NO EFFECT	DK
1	The (NATIONAL) government	1	2	3	4
2	The (LOWER HOUSE OF NATIONAL PARLIAMENT - UK: "HOUSE OF COMMONS")	1	2	3	4
3	The European Union as a whole	1	2	3	4
4	The European Parliament in particular	1	2	3	4
5	Regional (or local) government in (OUR COUNTRY) (THE MOST IMPORTANT LEVEL OF SUB-NATIONAL GOVERNMENT)	1	2	3	4

EB59.1 - Q.42. - TREND

Q.64. For each of the following statements, please tell me whether you totally agree, tend to agree, tend to disagree or totally disagree?

	READ OUT	TOTALLY AGREE	TEND TO AGREE	TEND TO DISAGREE	TOTALLY DISAGREE	DK
1	The members of the European Parliament are good at protecting your interests	1	2	3	4	5
2	The European Parliament has more power than the (LOWER HOUSE OF NATIONAL PARLIAMENT - UK: "HOUSE OF COMMONS")	1	2	3	4	5
3	European Parliament elections are really important	1	2	3	4	5

EB59.1 - Q.43. - TREND

Q.65. Do you think the next European Parliament election campaign should mainly focus on...? (SHOW CARD - READ OUT - MULTIPLE ANSWERS POSSIBLE)

- issues specific to (OUR COUNTRY).....1,
- agriculture2,
- environment3,
- the fight against crime.....4,
- employment5,
- immigration6,
- education7,
- common defence policy8,
- foreign policy.....9,
- enlargement of the European Union10,
- the reform of European Union institutions.....11,
- the activities of the European Parliament.....12,
- rights as a European Union citizen13,
- DK.....14,

EB59.1 - Q.44. - TREND

Q.66. Would you be more likely to vote in the European (Parliament) elections if...?

	READ OUT	YES	NO	DK
1	public transports was free on election day	1	2	3
2	polling stations were set up in supermarkets	1	2	3
3	it were possible to vote on the Internet	1	2	3
4	it were possible to vote at your workplace	1	2	3
5	local, regional or national elections were organised on the same day as the European elections	1	2	3
6	European elections took place on the same day throughout the European Union	1	2	3
7	(DO NOT ASK IN B, I, IRL AND UK) there were regional lists of candidates	1	2	3
8	citizens from other member states were candidates on the ballot paper	1	2	3
9	(ASK ONLY IN DENMARK, SPAIN, FRANCE, IRELAND, LUXEMBOURG, SWEDEN AND UNITED KINGDOM) you had more time to put your name on the Electoral Register	1	2	3

EB59.1 - Q.45. - TREND

DEMOGRAPHICS

D.1. In political matters people talk of "the left" and "the right".
How would you place your views on this scale? (SHOW CARD)
(INT.: DO NOT PROMPT - IF CONTACT HESITATES, TRY AGAIN)

LEFT									RIGHT
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

Refusal..... 11
DK..... 12

EB60.0 - D.1. - DEMO TREND

NO QUESTIONS D.2. TO D.6.

D.7. Could you give me the letter which corresponds best to your own current situation?
(SHOW CARD - READ OUT - ONE ANSWER ONLY)

Married..... 1
Remarried 2
Unmarried, currently living with partner..... 3
Unmarried, having never lived with a partner..... 4
Unmarried, having previously lived with a partner, but now on my own..... 5
Divorced..... 6
Separated 7
Widowed..... 8
Other (SPONTANEOUS)..... 9
Refusal (SPONTANEOUS)..... 10

EB60.0 - D.7. - DEMO TREND

D.8. How old were you when you stopped full-time education? (INT.:IF "STILL STUDYING", CODE '00')

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EB60.0 - D.8. - DEMO TREND

NO QUESTION D.9.

D.10. Gender.

Male..... 1
Female..... 2

EB60.0 - D.10. - DEMO TREND

D.11. How old are you?

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EB60.0 - D.11. - DEMO TREND

NO QUESTION D.12. TO D.14.

D.15. a) What is your current occupation?

IF NOT DOING ANY PAID WORK CURRENTLY – CODES 1 TO 4 IN D. 15. a.

b) Did you do any paid work in the past? What was your last occupation?

	D.15.a. CURRENT OCCUPATION	D.15.b. LAST OCCUPATION
NON-ACTIVE		
Responsible for ordinary shopping and looking after the home, or without any current occupation, not working	1	
Student	2	
Unemployed or temporarily not working	3	
Retired or unable to work through illness	4	
SELF EMPLOYED		
Farmer	5	1
Fisherman	6	2
Professional (lawyer, medical practitioner, accountant, architect, etc.)	7	3
Owner of a shop, craftsmen, other self-employed person	8	4
Business proprietors, owner (full or partner) of a company	9	5
EMPLOYED		
Employed professional (employed doctor, lawyer, accountant, architect)	10	6
General management, director or top management (managing directors, director general, other director)	11	7
Middle management, other management (department head, junior manager, teacher, technician)	12	8
Employed position, working mainly at a desk	13	9
Employed position, not at a desk but travelling (salesmen, driver, etc.)	14	10
Employed position, not at a desk, but in a service job (hospital, restaurant, police, fireman, etc.)	15	11
Supervisor	16	12
Skilled manual worker	17	13
Other (unskilled) manual worker, servant	18	14
NEVER DID ANY PAID WORK		15

EB60.0 - D.15. - DEMO TREND

NO QUESTIONS D.16. TO D.18.

D.19. Are you in your household, the person who contributes most to the household income?
(READ OUT)

- Yes 1
 No..... 2
 Both equally 3
 DK..... 4

EB60.0 - D.19. - DEMO TREND

NO QUESTION D.20.

IF "NO", CODE 2 IN D.19.

D.21. a) What is the current occupation of the person who contributes most to the household income?

IF "NOT DOING ANY PAID WORK CURRENTLY", CODE 1 TO 4 IN D.21.a.

b) Did he/she do any paid work in the past? What was his/her last occupation?

	D.21.a.	D.21.b.	
	CURRENT OCCUPATION	LAST OCCUPATION	
NON-ACTIVE	1		
Responsible for ordinary shopping and looking after the home, or without any current occupation, not working			
Student		2	
Unemployed or temporarily not working		3	
Retired or unable to work through illness		4	
SELF EMPLOYED	5	1	
Farmer			
Fisherman		6	2
Professional (lawyer, medical practitioner, accountant, architect, etc.)		7	3
Owner of a shop, craftsmen, other self-employed person		8	4
Business proprietors, owner (full or partner) of a company		9	5
EMPLOYED	10	6	
Employed professional (employed doctor, lawyer, accountant, architect)			
General management, director or top management (managing directors, director general, other director)		11	7
Middle management, other management (department head, junior manager, teacher, technician)		12	8
Employed position, working mainly at a desk		13	9
Employed position, not at a desk but travelling (salesmen, driver, etc.)		14	10
Employed position, not at a desk, but in a service job (hospital, restaurant, police, fireman, etc.)		15	11
Supervisor		16	12
Skilled manual worker		17	13
Other (unskilled) manual worker, servant	18	14	
NEVER DID ANY PAID WORK		15	

EB60.0 - D.21. a. & b. - DEMO TREND

NO QUESTIONS D.22. TO D.24.

D.25. Would you say you live in a...? (READ OUT)

rural area or village	1
small or middle sized town	2
large town	3
DK.....	4

EB60.0 - D.25. - DEMO TREND

NO QUESTIONS D.26. TO D.28.

D.29. We also need some information about the income of this household to be able to analyse the survey results for different types of households. Here is a list of income groups. (SHOW CARD) Please count the total wages and salaries PER MONTH of all members of this household; all pensions and social insurance benefits; child allowances and any other income like rents, etc...Of course, your answer as all other replies in this interview will be treated confidentially and referring back to you or your household will be impossible. Please give me the letter of the income group your household falls into BEFORE tax and other deductions.

B	1
T.....	2
P	3
F.....	4
E	5
H.....	6
L.....	7
N.....	8
R.....	9
M.....	10
S	11
K	12
Refusal.....	13
DK.....	14

EB60.0 - D.29. - DEMO TREND

INTERVIEW PROTOCOLE

P.1. - DATE OF INTERVIEW	DAY		MONTH	

P.2. - TIME OF THE BEGINNING OF THE INTERVIEW	HOUR		MINUTES	
(INT.:USE 24 HOUR CLOCK)				

P.3. - NUMBER OF MINUTES THE INTERVIEW LASTED	MINUTES			

- P.4. Number of persons present during the interview, including interviewer.
- Two (interviewer and respondent)..... 1
- Three 2
- Four 3
- Five or more..... 4

- P.5. Respondent cooperation
- Excellent 1
- Fair..... 2
- Average 3
- Bad 4

P.6. Size of locality (LOCAL CODES)

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P.7. Region (LOCAL CODES)

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P.8. Postal code

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P.9. Sample point number

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P.10. Interviewer number

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P.11. Weighting factor

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P.12. a) Fixed telephone available in the household?
Yes 1
No..... 2

b) Mobile telephone available in the household?
Yes 1
No..... 2

ASK ONLY IN LUXEMBOURG, BELGIUM AND FINLAND

P.13. Language of interview

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Technical Specifications
Standard Eurobarometer 60.1
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1. INTRODUCTION

Between 1st October 2003 and 7th November 2003, the European Opinion Research Group, a consortium of Market and Public Opinion Research agencies, made out of INRA and GfK Worldwide, carried out wave 60.1 of the Standard Eurobarometer, on request of the European Commission, Directorate-General Press and Communication, Public Opinion Analysis Unit.

The following topics are covered in this wave:

- ✓ Standard (Q.1 – Q.34)
- ✓ Citizenship and sense of belonging (Q.35 – Q.52)
- ✓ Fraud(Q.53 – Q.58)
- ✓ European Parliament (Q.59 – Q.66)

Standard Eurobarometer surveys cover the population of the respective nationalities of the European Union member states, aged 15 years and over, resident in each of the member states. The basic sample design applied in all member states is a multi-stage, random (probability) one. In each EU country, a number of sampling points is drawn with probability proportional to population size (for a total coverage of the country) and to population density.

For doing so, points are drawn systematically from each of the 'administrative regional units', after stratification by individual unit and type of area. Hence, they represent the whole territory of member states according to EUROSTAT NUTS 2 (or equivalent) and according to the distribution of resident population of the respective EU nationalities in terms of metropolitan, urban and rural areas. In each of the selected sampling points, a starting address is drawn at random. Further addresses are selected as every Nth address by standard random route procedures, from the initial address. In each household, respondent is drawn at random. All interviews are face-to-face in the respondent's home and in the appropriate national language.

2. COUNTRIES, NATIONAL INSTITUTES, FIELDWORK PERIOD, NET SAMPLE SIZE AND EXTRAPOLATION FIGURES

COUNTRY	INSTITUTE	START - END FIELDWORK	NET SAMPLE SIZE	EU POPULATION AGED 15+ (x 000)
Belgium	INRA BELGIUM	07/10 - 07/11	1022	8,458
Denmark	GfK DANMARK	09/10 - 05/11	1000	4,355
Germany (East)	INRA DEUTSCHLAND	04/10 - 24/10	1023	13,164
Germany (West)	INRA DEUTSCHLAND	04/10 - 24/10	1016	56,319
Greece	MARKET ANALYSIS	06/10 - 02/11	1001	8,899
Spain	INRA ESPAÑA	06/10 - 01/11	1000	34,239
France	CSA-TMO	09/10 - 27/10	1015	47,936
Ireland	LANSDOWNE Market Research	01/10 - 30/10	1014	3,004
Italy	INRA Demoskopea	01/10 - 28/10	1008	49,531
Luxembourg	ILReS	03/10 - 07/11	587	357
The Netherlands	INTOMART	07/10 - 04/11	1006	13,010
Austria	SPECTRA	03/10 - 29/10	1010	6,770
Portugal	METRIS	03/10 - 28/10	1000	8,620
Finland	MDC MARKETING RESEARCH	09/10 - 05/11	1018	4,245
Sweden	GfK SVERIGE	01/10 - 03/11	1000	7,252
Great Britain	MARTIN HAMBLIN LTD	01/10 - 05/11	1055	46,370
Northern Ireland	ULSTER MARKETING SURVEYS	07/10 - 28/10	307	1,314
	Total Number of Interviews		16082	313,843

3. COMPARISON BETWEEN SAMPLE AND UNIVERSE, AND WEIGHTING

For each Standard Eurobarometer survey, a comparison between sample and universe is carried out, per country. The universe description is derived from EUROSTAT population data.

There are 19 sample areas: one for each country of the European Union, in addition Germany is divided into East and West, and United Kingdom into Great Britain and Northern Ireland, one for Norway and one for Iceland.

Each sample area contains a number of interviews, this number may be somewhat above or below that aimed at. The target is 1,000 per sample area, except for Northern Ireland, 300, and Luxembourg and Iceland, 600.

WEIGHTS DELIVERED WITH THE EUROBAROMETER DATA SET:

There are 16 different weights used in the Eurobarometer survey.

W.1	WEIGHT RESULT FROM TARGET (also WEIGHTP or <u>WSAMPLE</u>)
W.2	DROPPED
W.3	WEIGHT SPECIAL GERMANY (also WEIGHTGER)
W.4	WEIGHT SPECIAL UNITED KINGDOM (also WEIGHT1)
W.5	WEIGHT EURO 6 (also WEIGHT6)
W.6	WEIGHT EURO 9 (also WEIGHT9)
W.7	WEIGHT EURO 10 (also WEIGHT2)
W.8	WEIGHT EURO 12 – Former EAST GERMANY (also WEIGHT3M)
W.9	WEIGHT EUROPE 12 (also WEIGHT3P)
W.10	WEIGHT EURO +3 (also WEIGHTNEW)
W.11	WEIGHT EUROPE 15 (also WEIGHT15 or <u>WEURO</u>)
W.12	WEIGHT NORWAY (also WEIGHTNOR)
W.13	WEIGHT TOTAL (also WEIGHT15P or <u>WCPLUS</u>)
W.14	WEIGHT STANDARD SIZE – GERMANY AND UNITED KINGDOM EXTRAPOLATED (also WEIGHTC or <u>WNATION</u>)
W.15 ¹	WEIGHT EURO 11 (without Greece)
W.16 ²	WEIGHT EURO 12 (with Greece)

For each EU member state, a national weighting procedure, using marginal (RIM) and intercellular weighting (Iterative Proportional Fitting - IPF), is carried out, based on this universe description. As such, in all countries, minimum gender, age, region NUTS 2 are introduced in the iteration procedure (W.1).

An additional factor (extrapolation) is added, to bring former East and West Germany together in one entity (W.3). Former East Germany counts for 20.8% and former West Germany counts for 79.2%.

¹ From Eurobarometer 59.2 onwards, this weight is not used anymore.

² Ibidem.

The same principle is used to bring Northern Ireland together with Great Britain, to form the United Kingdom (W.4). Here Northern Ireland counts for 2.5% and Great Britain, for 97.5%.

For the sake of analysis, historical weights were created, bringing countries together, contained in historical entities such as Europe of the 6, 9, 10, and 12. (W.5 from to W.10). Countries not inserted in these weights are set to 0.

In order to make a European 15 weight, the data are extrapolated using population figures for each sample area (15 members = 17 sample areas) (W.11).

Standard Eurobarometer surveys may include data from Norway. A special weight is created only for Norway (W.12).

For international weighting, INRA applies the official population figures as provided by EUROSTAT in the Regional Statistical Yearbook (data for 1997). Total population figures for input in this post-weighting procedure are listed above. The result is WEIGHT TOTAL (W.13)

W.14 extrapolates the new and old Länder to their respective proportion in the whole of Germany, (former East Germany (20.8%), former West Germany (79.2%) and does the same for Great Britain (97.5%) and Northern Ireland (2.5%). The other countries are left untouched.

From Eurobarometer 49 onwards, a new weight (W.15) was created to separate the 11 countries that accepted to introduce the euro, as of 01/01/1999.

From Eurobarometer 54 onwards, a new weight (W.16) was created to add Greece into the group of countries that accepted to introduce the euro. For an analysis of these 12 countries, use W.16.

From Eurobarometer 59.2 onwards, W.15 or W.16 are not used anymore. To compare results of euro-zone 12 (11), pre-in 3 (4) and EU15 use W.11.

PRECISION OF WEIGHTS:

Each weight is expressed in 10,000. This means that a person with weight equal to 1 will have the weight 10,000, a person with weight equal to 1.534 will have the weight 15,340. In other words, we use 4 decimal point digits. Hence, you need to divide by 10,000 to have the number of people interviewed contained in the data set.

WEIGHTED RESULTS

	W1	W3	W4	W5	W6	W7	W8	W9	W10	W11	W14
BE	1022	1022	1022	276	334	357	364	377	0	438	1022
DK	1000	1000	1000	0	168	180	184	190	0	221	1000
WG	1016	1609	1016	1825	2208	2365	2411	2497	0	2899	1609
GE	2039	2035	2039	1825	2208	2365	2411	3085	0	3581	2035
EG	1023	426	1023	0	0	0	0	588	0	682	426
GR	1001	1001	1001	0	0	368	375	389	0	451	1001
SP	1000	1000	1000	0	0	0	1443	1494	0	1735	1000
FR	1015	1015	1015	1552	1877	2011	2050	2123	0	2465	1015
IR	1014	1014	1014	0	118	126	128	133	0	154	1014
IT	1008	1008	1008	1592	1926	2063	2104	2179	0	2529	1008
LU	587	587	587	11	13	14	15	15	0	18	587
NL	1006	1006	1006	417	505	541	551	571	0	663	1006
AU	1010	1010	1010	0	0	0	0	0	1123	346	1010
PO	1000	1000	1000	0	0	0	363	376	0	437	1000
FI	1018	1018	1018	0	0	0	0	0	710	219	1018
SW	1000	1000	1000	0	0	0	0	0	1191	367	1000
NI	307	307	33	0	52	56	57	59	0	68	33
GB	1055	1055	1337	0	1888	2022	2061	2135	0	2478	1337
UK	1362	1362	1370	0	1940	2077	2118	2194	0	2547	1370
EU15	16082	16078	16090	5672	9089	10103	12107	13127	3024	16171	16086

DATAKIT, VARIABLES and FILE DESCRIPTIONS:

B. EUROBAROMETER 60.1

VARIABLE NAMES ARE LABELLED AS FOLLOWS:

Q.1 - Q.66 (Q for 'question'): all substantive questions on different topics.

D.1 - D.29 (D for 'demographics'): socio-demographic and socio-political descriptive questions.

P.1 - P.13 (P for 'protocol'): protocol variables.

W.1- W.14 (W For 'weight'): all weighting variables.

For country identification, use the variable 'COUNTRY'

All country specific variables, in variable sets 'D.' and 'P.', are questions (i.e. D.29, P.6, and P.7) that differ per country. They are ranked by country using a country abbreviation (i.e. _BEL).

C.1 - C.14 (C for 'constructed'): all constructed variables, as long as basic variables are available.

COUNTRY ABBREVIATIONS:

Belgium	BEL
Denmark	DEN
Germany (East)	EGE
Germany (East & West)	GER
Germany (West)	WGE
Greece	GRE
Spain	SPA
France	FRA
Ireland	IRL
Italy	ITA
Luxembourg	LUX
The Netherlands	NET
Austria	AUS
Portugal	POR
Finland	FIN
Sweden	SWE
Great Britain	GB
Northern Ireland	NIR
United Kingdom	UK

4. RESULTS

Eurobarometer surveys results are reported in the form of tables, datafiles and analyses. Analyses are made available through - DG PRESS - Public Opinion Analysis Unit of the European Commission, rue de la Loi 200, B-1049 Brussels. Results are published on the Internet server of the European Commission:

http://europa.eu.int/comm/public_opinion/

All Eurobarometer datafiles are stored at the Zentral Archiv (Universität Köln, Bachemer Strasse, 40, D-50869 Köln-Lindenthal), available through the CESSDA Database: <http://www.nsd.uib.no/cessda/europe.html>

They are accessible to all institutes which are members of the European Consortium for Political Research (Essex), the Inter-University Consortium for Political and Social Research (Michigan) and all those interested in social science research.

5. EMBARGO PROVISIONS

👉 IMPORTANT: PUBLICATION OF THESE DATA IS SUBJECT TO CONDITIONS

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This publication can happen shortly after fieldwork, or be delayed or postponed significantly. If you want to know whether a topic is available, please contact E.O.R.G. or the EC – DG PRESS – Public Opinion Analysis Unit. In principle, tables of contents of each Eurobarometer are revised and updated once a year when the data are available, all publications should make a reference to:

- The name 'Eurobarometer' plus the wave number, e.g. '*Eurobarometer 60.1*'
- The title of the topic/study (see above), e.g. '*Fraud*'
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