

Sri Lanka

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SRI LANKA

(SOCIAL INDICATOR-CENTRE FOR POLICY ALTERNATIVE, 105, 5TH LANE, COLOMBO 3)

SEX - Sex of respondent

	National Language 1 <i>Sinhala</i>	National Language 2 <i>Tamil</i>	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	D1 ස්ත්‍රී/පුරුෂ භාවය	D1 பால்நிலை	D1 Sex
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	D1.1 පුරුෂ	1. ஆண்	1. Male
	D1.2 ස්ත්‍රී	2. பெண்	2. Female
	D1.9 පිළිතුරු නැත	3. பதில் இல்லை	9. No answer, refused
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>	None		None
<i>Translation Note</i>		None	
<i>Note</i>		None	

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes (in translation)	→ SEX
1. Male	1. Male
2. Female	2. Female
9. No answer, refused	9. No answer, refused

AGE - Age of respondent

	National Language 1 <i>Sinhala</i>	National Language 2 <i>Tamil</i>	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	D2. වයස: _____	D2 வயது: _____	D2. Age: _____
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	99. පිළිතුරු නැත	99. பதில் இல்லை	99. No answer, refused

{Based on Documentation for ISSP background variables, ver 2006-09 ZA/ZUMA-GESIS}

	None	None	None
	None	None	None
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>	Fill the age according to the respondent. Minimum 18 yrs and max 70 yrs.	Fill the age according to the respondent. Minimum 18 yrs and max 70 yrs.	Fill the age according to the respondent. Minimum 18 yrs and max 70 yrs.
<i>Translation Note</i>		None	
<i>Note</i>		None	

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

Write/fill age. Minimum 18 yrs and max 70 yrs.

Construction/Recoding: Minimum 18 yrs and max 68 yrs.

	Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→AGE
<i>Construction</i>	Age: _____	Age: _____
<i>Codes</i>		[lowest 18]
		[highest 70]
		99. No answer, refused

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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MARITAL - R: Marital status

	National Language 1 <i>Sinhala</i>	National Language 2 <i>Tamil</i>	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	D3. විවාහක/ අවිවාහක:	D3 திருமணமானவர்/திருமணமாகாதவர்	D3 MARITAL
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. විවාහක	1. திருமணமானவர்	1 Married
	2. වැන්දඹු	2. கணவன்/மனைவியை இழந்தவர்	2 Widowed
	3. දික්කසාද වූ	3. விவாகரத்துப் பெற்றவர்	3 Divorced
	4. විවාහක නමුත් වෙන වෙනම ජීවත් වන	4. திருமணமானவர் ஆனால் பிரிந்து வாழ்பவர்	4 Separated (married but separated / not living with legal spouse)
	5. නිකඩ	5. திருமணமாகாதவர்	5 Single, never married
	99 පිළිතුරක් නොමැත	99. பதில் இல்லை	99 No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>			
<i>Translation Note</i>			
<i>Note</i>			

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→ Marital
IF 1. Married, living with legal spouse=goto COHAB	1. Married, living with legal spouse
IF 2. Widowed=goto WRKST	2. Widowed
IF.3. Divorced=goto WRKST	3. Divorced
IF 4. Separated (married but separated / not living with legal spouse) =goto WRKST	4. Separated (married but separated / not living with legal spouse)
IF 5. Single, never married==goto WRKST	5. Single, never married
IF 9. No answer, refused=goto WRKST	9. No answer, refused

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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COHAB – R: Steady life-partner

	National Language 1 <i>Sinhala</i>	National Language 2 <i>Tamil</i>	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	D4.එකට ජීවත් වීම	D4 ஒன்றாக வாழ்பவர் (ஆயின்)	D4 COHAB
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. ඔව්	1 ஆம்	1 Yes
	2. නැත	2 இல்லை	2 No
	3. පිළිතුරක් නොමැත	3 பதில் இல்லை	3 No answer
	0. NAV	0 NAV	0 NAV
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>			
<i>Translation Note</i>			
<i>Note</i>			

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

Minimum 18 yrs and max 68 yrs.

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→COHAB
D4.1. Yes	1. Yes
D4.2. No	2. No
D4.9. No answer, refused	9. No answer, refused
0. NAP (living together with spouse - Code 1 in MARITAL, no partner)	0. NAP (living together with spouse - Code 1 in MARITAL, no partner)

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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WRKST - Current employment status, main source of living

	National Language 1 <i>Sinhala</i>	National Language 2 <i>Tamil</i>	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	D5 රැකියාව	D5 தொழில்	D5 WRKST
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1 පූර්ණ කාලීන රැකියාවක නියුතුය	1 முழு நேர தொழிலில் உள்ள	5.1. Employed - full time (Specify:
	2 අර්ධ කාලීන රැකියාවක නියුතුය	2 பகுதி நேர தொழிலில் உள்ள	5.2. Employed - part time (Specify:)]
	3 අර්ධ කාලීන මට්ටමට වඩා අඩු රැකියාවක්/තාවකාලිකව රැකියාවක් නොකරයි	3 பகுதி நேர தொழிலிலும் குறைந்த தொழில்/ தற்காலிகமாக தொழில் செய்யாதவர்	5.3. Employed - less than part time / temporarily out of work
	4 පවුලේ සාමාජිකයකුට උදව් කරයි	4 குடும்ப உறுப்பினருக்கு உதவி செய்பவர்	5.4. Helping family member
	5 රැකියාවක් නොමැත	5 தொழிலற்றவர்	5.5. Unemployed
	6 පාසල් ශිෂ්‍ය හෝ කාර්මික පුහුණු	6 பாடசாலை மாணவர் அல்லது வாழ்க்கைத்தொழில் பயிற்சியில்	5.6. Student / in school / in vocational training
	7 විශ්‍රාමික	7 ஓய்வு பெற்றவர்	5.7. Retired
	8 ගෘහණිය	8 இல்லத்தரசி	5.8. Housewife / home duties
	9 ස්ඵීර ලෙස ආබාධිත	9 நிரந்தர ஊனம்	5.9. Permanently disabled
	10 ශ්‍රම හමුදාවේ නොමැති අනෙක්	10 உழைப்புப் படையில் இல்லாத ஏனையோர்	5.10. Others not in labour force
	99. පිළිතුරක් නොමැත	99. பதில் இல்லை	99. No answer
	99997. හෙළි නොකරයි	99997. பதில் தர மறுத்தல்	99997. Refused
	99998. නොදනී	99998. தெரியாது	99998. Don't know, inadequately described
	00000. කිසිදිනක රැකියාවක් කර නොමැත	00000. ஓர் நாளேனும் தொழில் பார்த்ததில்லை	00000. INAP (never had a job)
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>			
<i>Translation Note</i>			
<i>Note</i>			

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

If answer 5.1=enter **Occupation Classification Code**, go to SL_DEGREE
 If answer 5.2=enter **Occupation Classification Code**, go to SL_DEGREE

NEWLY CREATED VARIABLE: If 5.1 or 5.2 is not applicable/skipped and any other 5.X is chosen, it is indicated by newly created variable ["111111"]= 111111-Not Qualified and Skipped the Q] in the

SPSS dataset.

The occupation Classification Codes that have been found in Sri Lanka for this survey are:

0-Never Had a Job
100-Armed forces
1110-Legislators
1120-Senior government official
1210-Directors and chief executives
1222-Prod.+oper.managers:manufacturing
1225-Prod.+oper.managers:hotels rest
1229-Prod.+oper.dep. managers nec
1232-Personnel+industrial rel.dep.managers
1235-Supply+distribution dep.managers
1238-Other department managers nec
1317-General managers of business services
2131-Computing systems designers+analysts
2220-Life science+health professionals
2221-Medical doctors
2224-Pharmacists
2330-Primary+pre-primary educ.teacher
2350-Other teaching profess,nec
2359-Extra-systemic. teacher
2421-Lawyers
2432-Librarians+rel.information prof
2446-Social work professionals
2460-Religious professionals
3000-Technicians and related prof
3118-Draughtspersons
3122-Computer equipment operators
3221-Medical assistants
3241-Traditional medicine practitioners
3412-Insurance representatives
3415-Technical+commercial sales represent
3417-Appraisers,valuers+auctioneers
3419-Finance+sales ass.professionals nec
3420-Business services agents+trade broker
3450-Police inspectors and detectives
3475-Athletes,sportspersons+rel.prof
4000-Office worker,clerks
4100-Office clerks
4133-Transport clerks
4211-Cashiers and ticket clerks
5160-Protective services workers
5162-Police officers
5163-Prison guards
5169-Protective services workers nec
5220-Shop salespersons and demonstrators
6111-Field crop and vegetable growers
6152-Inland+coastal waters fishery worker
6200-Subsistence agricultural+fishery worker
7110-Miners,shotfirers,stone cutters+carvers
7122-Bricklayers and stonemasons
7124-Carpenters and joiners
7140-Painters,building cleaners+rel worker
7212-Welders and flamecutters
7223-Machine-tool setters+setter-operators
7231-Motor vehicle mechanics and fitters
7245-Electrical line installers,repairers
7313-Jewellery and precious-metal workers
7330-Handicraft in wood,textile a.s.
7332-Handicraft in textile,leather+rel
7430-Textilea,garment+rel.trades workers
7433-Tailors,dressmakers+hatters
7436-Sewers, embroiderers+rel.workers
7442-Shoemakers+rel.workers

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<p>8000-Plant+machine operators 8139-Glass,ceramics+rel.plant operators nec 8260-Textile+leather-products machine oper 8277-Tea,coffee+cocoa-processing-m.oper 8320-Motor-vehicle drivers 8322-Car, taxi and van drivers 9000-Elementary occ.+unskilled workers 9100-Sales+services elementary occupation 9111-Street food vendors 9112-Street vendors, non-food products 9132-Helpers+cleaners in offices, hotels 9200-Agricultural,fishery+rel. labourers 9211-Mining and quarrying labourers 9312-Construction+maintenance labourers 9996-Not classifiable;inadeq described 111111-Not Qualified and Skipped the Q</p> <p>If answer 5.3= go to SL_DEGREE If answer 5.4= go to SL_DEGREE If answer 5.5= go to WRKTYPE and then goto SL_DEGREE If answer 5.6= go to SL_DEGREE If answer 5.7= go to WRKTYPE and then goto SL_DEGREE If answer 5.8= go to WRKTYPE and then goto SL_DEGREE If answer 5.9= go to SL_DEGREE If answer 5.10= go to WRKTYPE and then goto SL_DEGREE</p>

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→WRKST
D5.1. Employed - full time (Specify: _____) =enter Occupation Code, go to SL_DEGREE	1. Empl. full time
D 5.2. Employed - part time (Specify: _____) =enter Occupation Code, go to SL_DEGREE	2. Empl. part time
D 5.3. Employed - less than part time / temporarily out of work = go to SL_DEGREE	3. Empl. < part time / temp. out of work
D 5.4. Helping family member= go to SL_DEGREE	4. Helping family member
D 5.5. Unemployed = go to WRKTYPE and then goto SL_DEGREE	5. Unemployed
D 5.6. Student / in school / in vocational training= go to SL_DEGREE	6. Student / in school / in vocat. Training
D 5.7. Retired=go to WRKTYPE and then goto SL_DEGREE	7. Retired
D 5.8. Housewife / home duties= go to WRKTYPE and then goto SL_DEGREE	8. Housewife / home duties
D 5.9. Permanently disabled= go to SL_DEGREE	9. Permanently disabled
D 5.10. Others not in labour force= go to WRKTYPE and then goto SL_DEGREE	10. Others not in labour force

99997. Refused	97. Refused
99998. Don't know, inadequately described	98. Don't know
99999. No answer	99. No answer
00000. INAP (never had a job)	0. NAV

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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SL_DEGREE – R: Education II: categories

	National Language 1 <i>Sinhala</i>	National Language 2 <i>Tamil</i>	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	D7 අධ්‍යාපනය	D7 கல்வி	D7 DEGREE
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1 ලිවීමට කියවීමට නොහැක.	01. எழுதப்படிக்கத் தெரியாது	1 Cannot read/write
	97. ලිවීමට කියවීමට හැකිවුවත් විධිමත් අධ්‍යාපනයක් නොමැත	97. எழுதப்படிக்கத் தெரியும் ஆனால் முறையான கல்வி இல்லை	97 Can read/write but no formal education
	2. 5 වසර දක්වා	02. தரம் 5 வரை	2.Upto grade 5
	3. 6-9 දක්වා	03. தரம் 6-9 வரை	3.Grades 6-9
	4 සාමාන්‍ය පෙළ දක්වා	04. சாதாரண தரம் வரை	4.Upto O/Ls
	5 සාමාන්‍ය පෙළ	05. சாதாரண தரம்	5.O/L's completed
	6 උසස් පෙළ දක්වා	06. உயர் தரம் வரை	6.Upto A/Ls
	7 උසස් පෙළ	07. உயர் தரம்	7.A/L's completed
	8 වෘත්තීය පුහුණු	08. வாழ்க்கைத் தொழில் பயிற்சி பெற்றவர்	8.Vocational training
	7. තාක්ෂණික පුහුණු	09. தொழில்நுட்பப் பயிற்சி பெற்றவர்	9.Technical training
	8. වෘත්තික	10. உயர் தொழில் தகைமை	10.Professional
	9. උපාධි අපේක්ෂක	11. பட்டப்படிப்பு மாணவர்	11.Undergrad
	12 උපාධිධාරී සහ ඉන් ඉහළට	12. பட்டதாரி அல்லது அதற்கு மேல்	12.Graduate & Above
	98. නොදනී	98. தெரியாது	98. Don't know
	99. පිළිතුරක් නොමැත	99. பதில் இல்லை	99. No answer, refused
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<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>			

Translation		
Note		
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Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

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Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→DEGREE
97. Can read/write but no formal education D7.1 Cannot read/write D7.2.Upto grade 5	0. No formal qualification 1. Lowest formal qualification attainable
D7.3.Grades 6-9 D7.4.Upto O/Ls D7.5.O/L's completed D7.6.Upto A/Ls	2. Qualifications which are above the lowest qualification, but below the usual entry requirement for universities (intermediary secondary completed)
D7.7.A/L's completed	3. (Usual) Entry requirement for universities (higher secondary completed: the German Abitur, the French Bac, English A-level, etc.)
D7.8.Vocational training D7.9.Technical training D7.10.Professional D7.11.Undergrad	4. Qualifications which are above the higher secondary level, but below a full university degree
D7.12 Graduate & Above	5. University degree completed
99. No answer, refused	9. No answer

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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WRKTYPE - R: Working for private sector, public sector or self-employed

	National Language 1 <i>Sinhala</i>	National Language 2 <i>Tamil</i>	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	D6 මම අන්තිම වරට රැකියාවක් කරනම් එය	D6 நீங்கள் இறுதியாக தொழில் பார்த்தீர்களாயின் அது	D6 WRKTYPE Most recent job (if R has no current job)
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1 රජයේ රැකියාවක්	1 அரசு தொழில்	1 Works for government
	2 රාජ්‍ය සංස්ථාවක්/අර්ධ රාජ්‍ය සංස්ථාවක් හෝ ආයතනයක්	2 அரசு கூட்டுத்தாபனம்	2 Works for publicly owned firm
	3 පුද්ගලික අංශය	3 தனியார் தொழில்	3 Private firm/Others
	4 රජයේ හෝ පොදු සමාගමක රැකියාවක් නොකරයි/ස්වයං-රැකියාවක් නොකරයි	4 அரசு தொழிலோ தனியார் தொழிலோ மற்றும் சுய தொழிலோ அல்ல	4 Not in govt service/not in self employment

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	5 ස්වයං රැකියාවක්	5 சுய தொழில்	5 Self Employment
	00000. කිසිදිනක රැකියාවක් කර නොමැත	00000. ஒரு நாளும் வேலை செய்ததில்லை	0. INAP (Never had a job)
	99. පිළිතුරක් නොමැත	99. பதில் இல்லை	99. No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>			
<i>Translation Note</i>			
<i>Note</i>			

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

IF Works for government =goto SL_DEGREE
 IF Works for publicly owned firm=goto SL_DEGREE
 IF Private firm/Others =goto SL_DEGREE
 IF Self employed =goto SL_DEGREE
 IF No answer =goto SL_DEGREE
 IF INAP (Never had a job) =goto SL_DEGREE

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→WRKTYPE
D6.1. Works for government =goto SL_DEGREE	1. Works for government
D6.2. Works for publicly owned firm=goto SL_DEGREE	2. Works for publicly owned firm
D6.3. Private firm/Others =goto SL_DEGREE	3. Private firm, others (does not work for government or publicly owned firm, and not self employed)
D6.4 Not in govt service/not in self employment=goto SL_DEGREE	4 Not in govt service/not in self employment
D6.5. Self employed =goto SL_DEGREE	5. Self employed
99. No answer =goto SL_DEGREE	9. NA, DK
0. INAP (Never had a job) =goto SL_DEGREE	0. NAP, NAV (Never had a job)

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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SL_INCOME – Family income

	National Language 1 <i>Sinhala</i>	National Language 2 <i>Tamil</i>	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	D11 නිවසේ සම්පූර්ණ මාසික ආදායම	D11 குடும்பத்தின் மொத்த மாதாந்த வருமானம்.	11 nat_INC Monthly Household Income (SL Rs)
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	රු 5,000 ට අඩු	ரூ. 5000 குறைவு	a) 5000
	රු 5,001 - රු 10,000	ரூ. 5001-ரூ.10,000	b) 10000
	රු 10,001 - රු 15,000	ரூ. 10,001-ரூ. 15,000	c) 15000

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	රු 15,001 - රු 20,000	රු. 15,001-රු. 20,000	d) 20000
	රු 20,001 - රු 25,000	රු. 20,001-රු. 25,000	e) 25000
	රු 25,001 හෝ ඊට වැඩි	රු. 25,001 වැඩි මෙය	f) 30000
Interviewer Instruction			
Translation Note			
Note			

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

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Construction/Recoding: (If asking for income classes, report classes offered to respondents. If asking for individual amounts, list lowest, highest, and ‘missing’ codes only, replace terms in *[square brackets]* with real numbers.)

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→INCOME
g) 5000	Less than Rs 5,000
h) 10000	Rs 5,001 - Rs 10,000
i)15000	Rs 10,001 - Rs 15,000
j) 20000	Rs 15,001 - Rs 20,000
k) 25000	Rs 20,001 - Rs 25,000
l)30000	Rs 25,001 or more
999997. Refused	999997. Refused
999998. Don't know	999998. Don't know
999999. NA	999999. NA
000000. No income	000000. No income

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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SL_RELIG - R: Religious denomination

	National Language 1 <i>Sinhala</i>	National Language 2 <i>Tamil</i>	English Translation
Question no. and text	D8 ආගම	D8 சமயம்	D8 RELIGION
Codes/ Categories	1 බෞද්ධ 2 හින්දු	1. பௌத்தம் 2. இந்துசமயம்	1. Buddhist 2 Hindu

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	3. කතෝලික - රෝමානු කතෝලික	3. රோමන් கத்தோலிக்கம்	3 Roman Catholic
	4 සත්‍යලබ්ධික (Orthodox)	4. ඉතදොක්ස් (Orthodox)	4 Orthodox
	ක්‍රිස්තියානි	කි‍්‍රිස්තව්‍ය	CHRISTIAN
	5 ක්‍රිස්තියානි ප්‍රොටෙස්ටන්ට් සභාව	5. කි‍්‍රිස්තව්‍ය (පුරුදුස්තාන්ත)	5 Protestant
	6 ඇන්ගලිකන් සභාව	6. අන්කිලිකන් திருச்சபை	6 Anglican
	7 බැප්ටිස්ත සභාව	7. පබ්‍රිස්ත තிருச்சபை	7 Baptist
	8 ලූතරන් සභාව	8. ලූතරීන් திருச்சபை	8 Lutheran
	9 මෙතෝදිස්ත සභාව	9. මෙතදිස්ත திருச்சபை	9 Methodist
	10 පෙන්තකෝස්ත සභාව	10. පෙන්තකෝස්ත திருச்சபை	10 Pentacostal
	11 ඇසම්බලි මල් ගොඵ් සභාව	11. අසම්පිලි ஒப் கோட்	11 Assembly of God
	12 ජෙහොවාන්ගේ සාක්‍ෂිකාරයෝ	12. ஜேஹோவாவின் சாட்சிகள்	12 Jehovah's Witnesses
	13 සෙවන්තඩේ ඇඩ්වෙන්ටිස්ට් සභාව	13. செவந்த்டே அட்வென்டிஸ்ட்	13 The Seventh Day Adventists
	14 ලන්දේසි රෙපරමාදු සභාව	14. டச் ரிபோம்	14 Dutch Reformed Church
	15 චර්ච් මල් සඳුන් ඉන්ඩියා (සී එස් අයි සභාව)	15. தென் இந்திய திருச்சபை (சி.எஸ்.ஐ. திருச்சபை)	15 Church of South India
	16 මොර්මෝන්		16 Mormon
	17 වෙනත් ක්‍රිස්තියානි සභා _____	16. மோர்மோன் 17. வேறு கிறிஸ்தவ திருச்சபைகள்	17 Other Chrisitan Denominations_____
	ඉස්ලාම්	இஸ்லாம்	ISLAM
	18 සුනි	18. சுன்னி	18 Sunni
	19 ෂියා	19. ஷியா	19 Shia
	20 කරීජ්	20. க ா ர் ஜ ர்	20 Kariji
	21 මුතාසිල්	21. முதாசில்	21 Muthasil
	22 ඉස්මායිල්	22. இஸ்மயில்	22 Ismail
	23 වෙනත් ඉස්ලාම් _____ _____	23. வேறு இஸ்லாம் பிரிவுகள் _____ _____ _____	23 Islam Other_____

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	24 සත්‍ය ශ්‍රී සායි බාබා	24. சத்ய ஸ்ரீ சாய் பாபா	24 Satya Sree Sai Babha
	25 බහායි දහම/ඇදහීම	25. பாய்	25 Bahai Faith
	26 යුදෙව්	26. யூதர்	26 Jewish
	27. ආගමක් තිබුණේ නැත	27. சமயம் இரக்கவில்லை	27. No Religion
	99998. නොදැනී	99998. தெரியாது	99998. DK
	28. වෙනත් _____	28. வேறு	28. Other _____
Interviewer Instruction			
Translation Note			
Note			

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

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Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→ RELIG
0. No religion	0. No religion
100. Roman Catholic	100. Roman Catholic
200. Protestant	200. Protestant
210. Episcopalian, Anglican, Church of England, Church of Ireland	210. Episcopalian, Anglican, Church of England, Church of Ireland
220. Baptists	220. Baptists
250. Lutheran	250. Lutheran
260. Methodist	260. Methodist
270. Pentecostal	270. Pentecostal
282. Jehovas Witnesses	282. Jehovas Witnesses
292. Mormon	292. Mormon
294. Assemblies of God	294. Assemblies of God
295. Seventh Day Adventists	295. Seventh Day Adventists
390. Orthodox (no specific religion mentioned)	390. Orthodox (no specific religion mentioned)
400. Other Christian Religions	400. Other Christian Religions
500. Jewish	500. Jewish
610. Kharijis	610. Kharijis
620. Mu'tazilism	620. Mu'tazilism
630. Sunni	630. Sunni
640. Shi'ism	640. Shi'ism
650. Isma'ilis	650. Isma'ilis
660. Other Muslim Religions	660. Other Muslim Religions
700. Buddhism	700. Buddhism
800. Hinduism	800. Hinduism
900. Other Asian Religions	900. Other Asian Religions
960. Other Religions	960. Other Religions
998. Don't know	998. Don't know

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→ RELIG
999. No answer	999. No answer

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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URBRURAL - Urban - Rural

	National Language 1 <i>Sinhala</i>	National Language 2 <i>Tamil</i>	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	D12 ග්‍රාමීය / නාගරීක	D12 கிராமம்/ நகரம்	D12 URBAN/RURAL
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. විශාල නගරයකි	1. பெரிய நகரம்	1. Urban, a big city
	2. විශාල නගරයට නදසන්නය/විශාල නගරයට යාබද උප-නගරයකි	2. பெரிய நகரத்திற்கு அருகாமையில்/ பெரிய நகரத்திற்கு அருகாமையில் அமைந்த உப நகரம்	2. Suburbs or outskirts of a big city
	3. කුඩා නගරය/වවුම	3. சிறு நகரம்/ டவுன்	3. Town or a small city
	4. ගමකි	4. கிராமம்	4. Country village
	5. ඉතා ග්‍රාමීය / පිටිසර පලාතකි	5. பின்தங்கிய கிராமம்	5. Farm or home in the country
	9. පිළිතුරක් නොමැත	99. பதில் இல்லை	9. No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>			
<i>Translation Note</i>			
<i>Note</i>			

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

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Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→ URBRURAL
1. Urban, a big city	1. Urban, a big city
2. Suburbs or outskirts of a big city	2. Suburbs or outskirts of a big city
3. Town or a small city	3. Town or a small city
4. Country village	4. Country village
5. Farm or home in the country	5. Farm or home in the country
9. No answer	9. No answer
0. Not available	0. Not available

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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Optional ISSP Background Variable

SL_ETHNIC - Origin country / ethnic group / ethnic identity / family origin

	National Language 1	National Language 2	English Translation

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	<i>Sinhala</i>	<i>Tamil</i>	
<i>Question no. and text</i>	D9 ජන වර්ගය	D9 இனம்	D9 SL_ETHNIC
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. සිංහල (102)	1. சிங்களம் (100)	1. Sinhalese (102)
	2. දෙමළ (45)	2. தமிழ் (45)	2. Tamil (45)
	3. උඩරට දෙමළ (45)	3. மலையகத் தமிழர் (45)	3. Up Country Tamil (45)
	4. මුස්ලිම් (6)	4. முஸ்லிம் (6)	4. Muslim (6)
	5. බර්ගර් (101)	5. பறங்கியர் (101)	5. Burgher (101)
	6. වෙනත් _____ (98)	6. வேறு:(98)	6. Other/Mixed origin _____ (98)
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>			
<i>Translation Note</i>			
<i>Note</i>			

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

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Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→SL_ETHNIC
	D9.1 Sinhalese (102)
	D9.2 Tamil (45)
	D9.3 Up Country Tamil (45)
	D9.4 Muslim (6)
	D9.5 Burgher (101)
	D9.6 Other/Mixed origin _____ (98)

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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SL_ILANG – Vernacular/Mother tongue/first language of the Respondent

	National Language 1 <i>Sinhala</i>	National Language 2 <i>Tamil</i>	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	D10 මුල් භාෂාව	D10 முதல் மொழி	D10 FIRSTLANGUAGE First Language (Mother Tongue)
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. සිංහල	1. சிங்களம்	1. Sinhala
	2. දෙමළ	2. தமிழ்	2. Tamil
	3. ඉංග්‍රීසි	3. ஆங்கிலம்	3. English

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	4. වෙනත් _____	4. வேறு:	4. Other _____
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>			
<i>Translation Note</i>			
<i>Note</i>			

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

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Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→ SE_LLANG
	D10 1. Sinhala
	2. Tamil
	3. English
	4. Other _____

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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