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# ISSP Background Variable Documentation

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

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

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

The document consists of three sections: Section 1 of this documentation refers to basic elements: source description, information on filters and routing, and construction information. In section 2, as an example, we present the relevant information for the variable UNION (Trade union membership) from Germany. Section 3 finally offers the documentation template for all ISSP background variables valid for the ISSP modules 2011 and 2012.

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

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## 1. Basic Elements

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

### ❖ Source description

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

- Please give **interviewer instructions** if necessary to understand the generation of response codes.
- Please **translate original questions, response categories and interviewer instructions** into English.
- Please provide **notes** if needed. Notes can address both possible translation issues (**translation note**) and country specific particularities of question background, of variable generation or of the meaning of individual response categories (**note**).
- ❖ **Filter Variables and Conditions:** If any variables cover only part of the sample, please list the conditions (questions/variables and categories/codes) used to define the *excluded cases*. In other words, report the conditions which lead to a ‘not applicable’ code in the variable following the filter.
- ❖ **Construction/Recoding**
  - Please report how the codes of the ISSP target variable were derived from your source data.
  - Please use a table of correspondence with source and target codes (see the example in section 2 and tables in section 3).
  - If construction of ISSP target codes involves more than simple 1-1 relationships between source and target codes, please use roughly Boolean syntax as shown in the example 2 below. Command syntax of common statistics programs is also welcome. Just put the syntax used into the “Optional: Recoding Syntax” box if you consider that it will increase comprehensibility and transparency.
  - Please always (also for country specific variables) report how the ISSP missing values (not applicable-NAP, no answer-NA, don’t know-DK) were filled.
- ❖ **Complementary information (see last page)**
  - Please provide the part(s) of your country questionnaire that relate(s) to the background variables reported in this template. If these variables are already covered by your country’s field questionnaire delivered with your national ISSP data file, then just tick the box on the last page of this document. (PDF or MS Word format preferred.)
  - Please also supply frequency tables with absolute and relative frequencies, missing values *included*, for **all source** variables. *Source variables* are the country-specific variables **before** recodes into ISSP standard variables are done. (MS Word or simple ASCII file preferred.)
  - If your country derives ISCO88 codes from a national occupation coding scheme, please supply a correspondence list of national codes and ISCO88 codes. (MS Word or simple ASCII file preferred.)

## 2. Example

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

### UNION – Trade union membership

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

### Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

Former membership (#2) not asked if respondent currently member (#1=1)
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### Construction/Recoding:

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

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

### 3. Variable List

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

#### Some Hints to Fill in the Forms

- Please fill in the forms on the screen and return the file to <isspservice@gesis.org> – please do *not* return a printout using paper and pencil!
- In general, please feel free to be flexible in using the forms. If necessary adopt them to your reporting needs. In particular:
  - Please insert as many additional fields as needed, e.g. add lines if your country variable has more categories than the template provides.
  - Please skip fields not needed, e.g. skip ‘note’ lines if no note is required.
  - If individual response categories require separate notes, insert as many additional lines as necessary *below* the respective category.
  - If your field questionnaire has more than one language version, please replicate the complete ‘National Language - English Translation/Note’ block as often as needed.
- The question numbers should refer to the numbers of your original field questionnaire.
- For variables with continuous data (AGE, WRKHRS...), please list the lowest and the highest valid codes empirically found in your country’s data and the various non-response codes, e.g. NAP (not applicable), DK (don’t know); if additional non-response codes occur in your data, such as ‘refused’, please add.
- If source variables are relevant for *several* ISSP target variables, please copy the information for the source variables each time to offer a complete documentation of the individual ISSP target variable.

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

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Please name your **country**:

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**SEX - Sex of respondent**

	<b>National Language</b>	<b>English Translation</b>
<i>Question no. and text</i>	32. Indicar sexo de la persona entrevistada	32. Mark sex of the interviewee
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Varón	1. Male
	2. Mujer	2. Female
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

**Construction/Recoding:**

<b>Country Variable Codes (in translation)</b>	<b>→ SEX</b>
1. Varón	1. Male
2. Mujer	2. Female
	9. No answer

**BIRTH – Year of birth**

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

	<b>National Language</b>	<b>English Translation</b>
<i>Question no. and text</i>	33. ¿Cuál es su año de nacimiento?	33. What year were you born?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	Año _____	Year _____
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

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

	<b>Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules</b>	<b>→BIRTH</b>
<i>Construction</i>		
<i>Codes</i>	1995	1995 [MIN BIRTH]
	1920	1920 [HIGH BIRTH]
		9999. No answer

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**

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**AGE - Age of respondent**

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

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	34. O sea, ¿cuántos años tiene a su último cumpleaños? _____	34. That is, how old are you (last birthday) _____
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	... años	... years old.
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

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

	Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→AGE
<i>Construction</i>		
<i>Codes</i>	18	18 [MIN AGE]
	92	92 [HIGH AGE]
		999. No answer

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**

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**EDUCYRS - Education I: years of schooling**

	<b>National Language</b>	<b>English Translation</b>
<i>Question no. and text</i>	44. ¿Cuántos años de educación formal completos tiene usted?	45. How many complete years have you been in formal education?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	... años	... years
	0 No tuvo escolaridad	0 No formal schooling
	-8. No sabe, No contesta	98. Don't know, No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>	Please note that "tertiary" education is always a problem in our surveys. So, we required tertiary education <i>after secondary education was completed, and that those studies should require at least two-three years of education.</i>	

**Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:**

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<b>Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules</b>	<b>→ EDUCYRS</b>
0 No tuvo escolaridad	0. No formal schooling, no years at school
1. Un año	1. One year
....	...
-8. No sabe, No contesta	98. Don't know
-8. No sabe, No contesta	99. No answer

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**

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**nat\_DEGR - Country-specific highest completed degree of education**

	<b>National Language</b>	<b>English Translation</b>
<i>Question no. and text</i>	45. ¿Cuál fue el nivel más alto de estudios que usted pudo alcanzar?	45. What is the highest level of education that you have attained?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1 No concurrió a la escuela 2 Primario Incompleto 3 Primario Completo 4 Secundario incompleto 5 Secundario completo 6 Terciario incompleto -post secundario 7 Terciario completo –post secundario 8 Universitario incompleto 9 Universitario completo 10 Posgrado completo	1 No formal schooling 2 Primary school (incomplete) 3 Primary school (complete) 4 Secondary (incomplete) 5 Secondary (complete) 6 Tertiary (post secondary, incomplete) 7 Tertiary (post secondary, complete) 8 University (incomplete) 9 University (complete) 10 Postgraduate (complete)
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

**Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:**

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**Construction/Recoding:**

<b>Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules</b>	<b>→ nat_DEGR</b>
1 No concurrió a la escuela 2 Primario Incompleto 3 Primario Completo 4 Secundario incompleto 5 Secundario completo 6 Terciario incompleto -post secundario 7 Terciario completo –post secundario 8 Universitario incompleto 9 Universitario completo 10 Posgrado completo	1 No formal schooling 2 Primary school (incomplete) 3 Primary school (complete) 4 Secondary (incomplete) 5 Secondary (complete) 6 Tertiary (post secondary, incomplete) 7 Tertiary (post secondary, complete) 8 University (incomplete) 9 University (complete) 10 Postgraduate (complete)
	99. No answer

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**

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**DEGREE – R: Education II: categories**

	<b>National Language</b>	<b>English Translation</b>
<i>Question no. and text</i>	46. ¿Cuál fue el nivel más alto de estudios que usted pudo alcanzar?	46. What is the highest level of education you have attained?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1,2 No concurrió a la escuela 3, 4 5, 6, 8 7, 9 10 98-99 No sabe, No contesta	0 No formal schooling 1 Primary school 3. Upper secondary 5 Lower level tertiary 6 Upper level tertiary 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:**

<b>Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules</b>	<b>→DEGREE</b>
1 No formal schooling	0. No formal education
2 Incomplete primary school 3 Complete primary school	1. Primary school
	2. Lower secondary (secondary completed does not allow entry to university: obligatory school)
4 Secondary incomplete 5 Secondary complete 6 Tertiary incomplete (post secondary) 8 Universitary incomplete	3. Upper secondary (programs that allow entry to university)
	4. Post secondary, non-tertiary (other upper secondary programs toward labour market or technical formation)
7 Tertiary complete (post secondary) 9 Universitary complete	5. Lower level tertiary, first stage (also technical schools at a tertiary level)
10 Posgraduate complete	6. Upper level tertiary (Master, Dr.)
	9. No answer

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**

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**WORK – Currently, formerly, or never in paid work**

	<b>National Language</b>	<b>English Translation</b>
<i>Question no. and text</i>	46. Con respecto a su ocupación ¿está trabajando por un ingreso, trabajó alguna vez por un ingreso o nunca tuvo un trabajo pago?	46. Are you currently working for pay, did you work for pay in the past, or have you never been in paid work?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1 Estoy trabajando por un ingreso	1 I am currently in paid work
	2 No estoy trabajando ahora por un ingreso, pero sí trabajé por un ingreso en el pasado	2. I am not working for an income but I did work for an income in the past.
	3 Estoy trabajando pero no por un ingreso (trabajadores familiares; no incluir contraprestación por plan ni voluntariado)	4 I am working but not for an income (family workers; do not include work for government's social programs nor benefits fr volunteer work)
	4 Nunca trabajé por un ingreso	4 I have never had paid work
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>	Si tiene un trabajo, pero no trabajó por enfermedad temporal, vacaciones, huelga, va respuesta 1 Si no está trabajando, pero trabajó, preguntar entonces por el cual se jubiló o el último que tuvo	If respondent has a job but did not work because of temporary illness, vacations, strike, it should be marked code 1 If respondent is not working but worked in the past, ask about the work on which he/she retired o the last one he/she had
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>	Nobody answered Code 3 in our survey.	

**Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:**

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**Construction/Recoding:**

<b>Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules</b>	<b>→WORK</b>
1 Estoy trabajando por un ingreso	1. Currently in paid work
2 No estoy trabajando ahora por un ingreso, pero sí trabajé por un ingreso en el pasado	2. Currently not in paid work, paid work in the past
5 Nunca trabajé por un ingreso	3. Never had a paid work
	9. No answer

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**

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**WRKHRS – Hours worked weekly**

	<b>National Language</b>	<b>English Translation</b>
<i>Question no. and text</i>	47. ¿Cuántas horas en promedio trabaja (o trabajó) usted por semana en todos sus trabajos? Incluya las horas extras que realiza con regularidad.	47. How many hours, on average, do you usually work (or worked) for pay in a normal week, including overtime?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1 Una hora	1 One hour
	....	....
	96 96 horas o más	96 96 hours or more
	98 No sabe	98 Don't know
	99 No contesta	99 No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

**Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:**

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<b>Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules</b>	<b>→WRKHRS</b>
1. Una hora	1. One hour
...	...
96. 96 horas y más	96. 96 hours and more
-8. No sabe / No contesta	98. Don't know
-8. No sabe / No contesta	99. No answer
0. NAP (Code 4 in Q46)	00. NAP (Code 2 or 3 in WORK)

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**

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**EMPREL – Employment relationship**

	<b>National Language</b>	<b>English Translation</b>
<i>Question no. and text</i>	48. Usted es (era) ...?	48. Are/were you an employee, self-employed, or working for your own family's business?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Trabajador en relación de dependencia	1. An employee
	2. Trabajador en actividad económica familiar, con remuneración fija	2. Working for your own family's business (with fixed pay)
	3. Trabajador en actividad económica familiar, sin remuneración fija	3. Working for your own family's business (with no fixed pay)
	4. Trabajador independiente, cuenta propia, patrón o socio	4. Self-employed
	8. No sabe / No contesta	8. Don't know / No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

**Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:**

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<b>Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules</b>	<b>→EMPREL</b>
Q48 = 1	1. Employee
Q48 = 4 and Q53 = 0	2. Self-employed without employees
Q48 = 4 and Q53 > 0	3. Self-employed with employees
Q48 = 2, 3	4. Working for own family's business
Q48 = 8	9. No answer
Q48 = 0	0. NAP (Code 3 in WORK)

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**

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**NEMPLOY - Self employed: how many employees**

	<b>National Language</b>	<b>English Translation</b>
<i>Question no. and text</i>	53. Sin contarlo a usted, ¿cuántas personas trabajan (trabajaban) en la empresa o actividad?	54. How many employees do/did you have, not counting yourself?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	Número de empleados .....	Number of employees .....
	0. Sin empleados	0. No employees
	-8. No sabe / No contesta	-8. Don't know / No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

**Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:**

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<b>Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules</b>	<b>→NEMPLOY</b>
1. 1 empleado	1. 1 employee
....	...
9995. 9995 empleados o más	9995. 9995 employees or more
-8. No sabe / No contesta	9999. No answer
0000. No se aplica (sin empleados)	0000. NAP (Code 1, 2, 4, 0 in EMPREL)

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**

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**WRKSUP - Supervise other employees**

	<b>National Language</b>	<b>English Translation</b>
<i>Question no. and text</i>	49. ¿Forma (formaba) parte de su trabajo supervisar el trabajo de otros o decirles qué hacer?	49. (As part of your job) Do/did you supervise other employees (or did you tell them what to be done)?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1 Sí	1 Yes
	2 No	2 No
	8 NS/NC	8 DK/NA
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

**Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:**

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**Construction/Recoding:**

<b>Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules</b>	<b>→WRKSUP</b>
1. Sí	1. Yes
2. No	2. No
8. No contesta	9. No answer
0. NAP (Code 4 in Q48)	0. NAP (Code 3 in WORK)

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**

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**NSUP – Number of other employees supervised**

	<b>National Language</b>	<b>English Translation</b>
<i>Question no. and text</i>	50. ¿A cuántas personas supervisa (supervisaba) usted, o que directamente le respondían a usted, incluyendo trabajadores no pagados?	50. How many other employees do/did you supervise? (Include unpaid workers).
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	Número de Personas supervisadas ... 1. 1 empleado ... 9995. 9995 empleados o más -8 NS/NC 0. NAP (Code 4 Q48, Code2 Q49)	Number of other employees supervised 1. 1 employee ... 9995. 9995 employees or more 9999 No answer 0000 NAP (Code 2, 0 in WRKSUP)
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

**Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:**

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**Construction/Recoding:**

<b>Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules</b>	<b>→NSUP</b>
1. 1 empleado	1. 1 employee
...	...
9995. 9995 empleados o más	9995. 9995 employees or more
-8. No sabe / No contesta	9999. No answer
0. NAP (Code 4 Q48, Code2 Q49)	0000. NAP. (Code 2, 0 in WRKSUP)

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**

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

	<b>National Language</b>	<b>English Translation</b>
<i>Question no. and text</i>	51. ¿La organización para la que trabaja (trabajó) es (era) una...?	51. The organization you work (worked) for is a ...?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1 Organización con fines de lucro	1 For-profit organization
	2 Organización sin fines de lucro	2 Non-profit organization
	3. Servicio doméstico	8 Don't know
	8 No sabe / No contesta 0 No se aplica	9 No answer 0 NAP
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>	Domestic helpers or cleaners (our Code 3) must be considered "For non-profit organization".	

**Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:**

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**Construction/Recoding:**

<b>Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules</b>	<b>→TYPORG1</b>
1 Organización con fines de lucro	1. For-profit organisation
2 Organización sin fines de lucro	2. Non-profit organisation
2. Servicio doméstico	2. Non-profit organisation
8. No sabe	8. Don't know
8. No contesta	9. No answer
0. NAP (Code 4 in Q48)	0. NAP (Code 3 in WORK)

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**

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**TYPORG2 – Type of organisation, public/private**

	<b>National Language</b>	<b>English Translation</b>
<i>Question no. and text</i>	52. ¿El trabajo es (era) del ...?	52. Your work is (was) for ...?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1 Sector Público	1 Public sector
	2 Sector Privado	2 Private sector
	8 No sabe / No contesta	8 Don't know
	8 No sabe / No contesta 0 NAP (Code 4 in Q48)	9 No answer 0 NAP (Code 3 in <i>Work</i> )
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

**Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:**

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**Construction/Recoding:**

<b>Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules</b>	<b>→TYPORG2</b>
1 Sector Público	1. Public employer
2 Sector Privado	2. Private employer
8 No sabe / No contesta	8. Don't know
8 No sabe / No contesta	9. No answer
0 NAP (Code 4 in Q48)	0. NAP (Code 3 in WORK)

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**

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### ISCO88 - Occupation ISCO 1988

Please give the text of the source question(s) on the respondent's occupation used in your field questionnaire. If ISCO88-codes are not coded directly from the responses, but derived from a country-specific occupation coding scheme, please provide a table of correspondence between country-specific and ISCO88 codes *attached as a separate file*. Please report which kind of ISCO code you apply. The most common ones are the code developed by the International Labour Organisation (ILO) and the variant developed for the European Union (EU), ISCO-COM. If you apply another variant such as ISCO88-CIS developed by the Statistical Committee of the Commonwealth of Independent States, then please specify.

Please do **not** enter **standard** ISCO88 codes here. But please report if your country **adds** or **changes** codes compared to ISCO88, if any.

Occupations should be coded on the 4-digit level of ISCO88. Occupational area 0 (Armed Forces occupations) needs some special attention. Since the ISCO variable is numeric, the 4-digit code 0110 will usually appear as 110 in the data file. It is therefore suggested that the only valid 3-digit code in the data file is 110 (Armed Forces).

In some special cases information concerning the occupation may be insufficient for 4-digit coding. Instead of coding these cases as [9998] "inadequately described" use 3-digit coding. In those very special cases where 3-digit coding is applied, fill in a zero for the missing digit. Example: code 131 is coded as 1310.

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	54a. ¿Cuál es su trabajo principal actual, o su trabajo principal cuando trabaja antes? (Para jubilados, referirse a la ocupación en que se jubiló. Para desocupados, preguntar por el último trabajo que tuvo). 54b. ¿Qué hace (hacía) en este trabajo, cuáles son (eran) sus principales tareas? 54c. ¿En qué tipo de empresa, servicio o actividad trabaja (trabajaba) usted?	54a. What is/was your occupation – i.e., what is/was the name or title of your main job? 54b. In your main job, what kind of activities do/did you do most of the time? 54c. What does/did the firm/organisation you work/worked for mainly make or do – i.e., what kind of production/ function is/was performed at your workplace?
<i>Codes/ Categories deviating from</i>		
<i>Interviewer</i>		
<i>Translation</i>		
<i>Note</i>		
<i>Use of ISCO</i>	ISCO88 (ILO)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	ISCO88-COM (EU variant)	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Other ISCO88 variant	<input type="checkbox"/> → please specify

#### Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

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**Construction/Recoding:**

Country Variable Codes/ Construction Rules	→ ISCO88
0110. (ISCO88 unit codes)	0110. (ISCO88 unit codes)
...	...
9333. (ISCO88 unit codes)	9333. (ISCO88 unit codes)
9998. No sabe	9998. Don't know; inadequately described
9999. No contesta	9999. No answer
0000. NAP (Code 4 in Q46)	0000. NAP (Code 3 in WORK)

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**

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**MAINSTAT – Main status**

	<b>National Language</b>	<b>English Translation</b>
<i>Question no. and text</i>	55. ¿Cuál de las siguientes alternativas describe mejor su situación actual?	55. Which of the following best describes your current situation?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1 Trabajando tiempo completo	1 In paid work [full-time]
	2 Trabajando medio tiempo	1. In paid work [part-time]
	3 Trabajando menos de medio tiempo o trabajos esporádicos	1. In paid work [less than part-time]
	4 Desocupado, despedido, buscó trabajo en últimos dos meses	2 Unemployed and looking for a job
	5 Desocupado, despedido, no buscó trabajo en últimos dos meses	2. Unemployed, not looking for a job
	6 Jubilado / a	6 Retired
	7 Pensionado / a	5 Pensioner
	8 Aprendiz, pasante	4 Apprentice or trainee
	9 Estudiando	3 In education
	10 Haciendo tareas del hogar	7 Domestic work
	11 Viviendo con una enfermedad o discapacidad permanente	5 Permanently sick or disabled
	12 Haciendo servicio comunitario, cobrando un plan asistencial	12 Doing community service, having government subsidies
		8 In compulsory military service or community service
	13 Otra (especificar)	13 Other (specify)
	99 Sin especificar	99 No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

**Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:**

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**Construction/Recoding:**

<b>Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules</b>	<b>→MAINSTAT</b>
1 Trabajando tiempo completo 2 Trabajando medio tiempo 3 Trabajando menos de medio tiempo o trabajos esporádicos	1. In paid work
4 Desocupado, despedido, buscó trabajo en últimos dos meses	2. Unemployed and looking for a job
9 Estudiando	3. In education
8 Aprendiz, pasante	4. Apprentice or trainee
11 Viviendo con una enfermedad o discapacidad permanente	5. Permanently sick or disabled
6 Jubilado / a ; 7 Pensionado / a	6. Retired
10 Haciendo tareas del hogar	7. Domestic work
	8. In compulsory military service or community service

5 Desocupado, despedido, no buscó trabajo en últimos dos meses	9. Other
99. No contesta	99. No answer

***Optional: Recoding Syntax***

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**PARTLIV – Living in steady partnership**

	<b>National Language</b>	<b>English Translation</b>
<i>Question no. and text</i>	56. Actualmente, ¿vive usted en pareja? Y si lo hace, ¿comparten el mismo hogar?	56. Do you have a spouse or a steady partner and if yes, do you share the same household?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Sí, tengo pareja estable y compartimos el mismo hogar	1. Yes, I have a spouse/partner and we share the same household
	2. Sí, tengo pareja estable pero no compartimos el mismo hogar	2. Yes, I have a spouse/partner, but we don't share the same household
	3. No, no tengo pareja estable	3. No, I don't have a spouse/partner
	8. No contesta	8. Refused
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

**Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:**

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**Construction/Recoding:**

<b>Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules</b>	<b>→PARTLIV</b>
1. Sí, tengo pareja estable y compartimos el mismo hogar	1. Yes, have partner; live in same household
2. Sí, tengo pareja estable pero no compartimos el mismo hogar	2. Yes, have partner; don't live in same household
3. No, no tengo pareja estable	3. No partner
8. No contesta	7. Refused
	9. No answer

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**

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

	<b>National Language</b>	<b>English Translation</b>
<i>Question no. and text</i>	60. Con respecto al trabajo, ¿está su cónyuge/pareja trabajando por un ingreso, trabajó alguna vez por un ingreso o nunca tuvo un trabajo pago?	60. Is your spouse/partner currently working for pay, did he/she work for pay in the past, or has he/she never been in paid work?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1 Está trabajando por un ingreso	1 He/she is currently in paid work
	2 No está trabajando ahora por un ingreso, pero sí trabajó por un ingreso en el pasado	2 He/she is currently not in paid work but he/she had paid work in the past
	3 Está trabajando pero no por un ingreso	3. He/she is working, but it is not a paid work
	4 Nunca trabajó por un ingreso	3 He/she has never had paid work
	9 No sabe / no contesta	5 Don't know, no answer
	0 No se aplica (Q56=3)	0 NAP
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

**Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:**

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**Construction/Recoding:**

<b>Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules</b>	<b>→SPWORK</b>
Q60 = 1	1. Currently in paid work
Q60 = 2	2. Currently not in paid work, paid work in the past
Q60 = 4 (also 3)	3. Never had paid work
Q60 = 9	9. No answer
Q62 = 0; Q56=3	0. NAP (Code 3 in PARTLIV)

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**

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**SPWRKHRS – Spouse, partner: hours worked weekly**

	<b>National Language</b>	<b>English Translation</b>
<i>Question no. and text</i>	61. ¿Cuántas horas en promedio trabaja (o trabajó) su cónyuge o pareja por semana en todos sus trabajos? Incluya las horas extras que realiza (o realizaba) con regularidad.	61. How many hours, on average, does your spouse/partner usually work for pay in a normal week, including overtime?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. 1 hora	1. 1 hour
	...	....
	96. 96 horas o más	96. 96 hours or more
	-8. No sabe	98. Don't know
	0. NAP (Code 4 in Q60); Q56=3	00. NAP (Code 0, 2 or 3 in SPWORK)
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

**Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:**

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**Construction/Recoding:**

<b>Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules</b>	<b>→SPWRKHRS</b>
1. 1 hora	1. 1 hour
...	...
96. 96 horas o más	96. 96 hours or more
-8. No sabe	98. Don't know
-8. No consta	99. No answer
0. NAP (Code 4 in Q60); Q56 = 3	00. NAP (Code 2 or 3 in SPWORK)

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**

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**SPEMPREL – Spouse, partner: employment relationship**

	<b>National Language</b>	<b>English Translation</b>
<i>Question no. and text</i>	62. ¿Su cónyuge / pareja es (era) ...?	62. Is/was your spouse/partner an employee, self-employed, or working for his/her own family's business?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Trabajador en relación de dependencia	1. Employee
	2. Trabajador en actividad económica familiar, con remuneración fija	2. Paid family worker
	3. Trabajador en actividad económica familiar, sin remuneración fija	3. Unpaid family worker
	4. Trabajador independiente, cuenta propia, patrón o socio	4. Self-employed, employer or partner
	8. No sabe / No contesta	9. No answer
	0. NAP (Code 4 in Q60); Q56=3	0. NAP (Code 0 or 3 in SPWORK)
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

**Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:**

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**Construction/Recoding:**

<b>Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules</b>	<b>→SPEMPREL</b>
Q62 = 1	1. Employee
Q62 = 4	2. Self-employed without employees
Q62 = 4	3. Self-employed with employees
Q62 = 2, 3	4. Working for own family's business
Q62 = 8	9. No answer
Q62 = 0; Q56=3	0. NAP (Code 3 in SPWORK)

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**

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**SPWRKSUP – Spouse, partner: supervise other employees**

	<b>National Language</b>	<b>English Translation</b>
<i>Question no. and text</i>	63. ¿Forma (formaba) parte de ese empleo supervisar el trabajo de otros o decirles qué hacer?	63. Does (did) your spouse/partner supervise other employees?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1 Sí	1 Yes
	2 No	2 No
	8 No sabe / No contesta	8 Don't know 9 No answer
	0 NAP (Code 4 in Q60); Q56=3	0 NAP (Code 0 or 3 in SPWORK)
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

**Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:**

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**Construction/Recoding:**

<b>Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules</b>	<b>→SPWRKSUP</b>
Q63 = 1	1. Yes
Q63 = 2	2. No
Q63 = 8	9. No answer
Q63 = 0 (NAP: Code 4 in Q60); Q56=3	0. NAP (Code 3 in SPWORK)

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**

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### SPISCO88 – Spouse, partner: occupation ISCO 1988

Please give the text of the source question(s) on the spouse's occupation used in your field questionnaire. If ISCO88-codes are not coded directly from the responses, but derived from a country-specific occupation coding scheme, please provide a table of correspondence between country-specific and ISCO88 codes *attached as a separate file*. Please report which kind of ISCO code you apply. The most common ones are the code developed by the International Labour Organisation (ILO) and the variant developed for the European Union (EU), ISCO-COM. If you apply another variant such as ISCO88-CIS developed by the Statistical Committee of the Commonwealth of Independent States, then please specify.

Please do **not** enter **standard** ISCO88 codes here. But please report if your country **adds** or **changes** codes compared to ISCO88, if any.

Occupations should be coded on the 4-digit level of ISCO88. Occupational area 0 (Armed Forces occupations) needs some special attention. Since the ISCO variable is numeric, the 4-digit code 0110 will usually appear as 110 in the data file. It is therefore suggested that the only valid 3-digit code in the data file is 110 (Armed Forces).

In some special cases information concerning the occupation may be insufficient for 4-digit coding. Instead of coding these cases as [9998] "inadequately described" use 3-digit coding. In those very special cases where 3-digit coding is applied, fill in a zero for the missing digit. Example: code 131 is coded as 1310.

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	66a. ¿Cuál es el trabajo principal actual de su cónyuge/pareja, o su trabajo principal cuando trabaja antes? 66b. ¿Qué hace (hacía) en este trabajo, cuáles son (eran) sus principales tareas? 66c. ¿En qué tipo de empresa, servicio o actividad trabaja (trabajaba) su cónyuge/pareja?	66a. What is/was your spouse's/partner's occupation – i.e., what is/was the name or title of his/her main job? 66b. In his/her main job, what kind of activities does/did he/she do most of the time? 66c. What does/did the firm/organisation he/she work/worked for mainly make or do – i.e., what kind of production/function is/was performed at his/her workplace?
<i>Codes/ Categories deviating from ISCO88 / ISCO88-COM</i>	0110. (ISCO88 unit codes)	0110. (ISCO88 unit codes)
	.....	.....
	9333. (ISCO88 unit codes)	9333. (ISCO88 unit codes)
	9998. No sabe	9998. Don't know; inadequately described
	9999. No contesta 0000. NAP (Code 4 in Q60); Q56=3	9999. No answer 0000. NAP (Code 3 in SPWORK)
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation</i>		

<i>Note</i>	
<i>Note</i>	
<i>Use of ISCO</i>	ISCO88 (ILO) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ISCO88-COM (EU variant) <input type="checkbox"/> Other ISCO88 variant <input type="checkbox"/> → please specify _____

**Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:**

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**Construction/Recoding:**

Country Variable Codes/ Construction Rules	→ SPISCO88
0110. (ISCO88 unit codes)	0110. (ISCO88 unit codes)
...	...
9333. (ISCO88 unit codes)	9333. (ISCO88 unit codes)
9998. No sabe	9998. Don't know; inadequately described
9999. No contesta	9999. No answer
0000. NAP (Code 4 in Q60); Q56=3	0000. NAP (Code 3 in SPWORK)

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**

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**SPMAINST – Spouse, partner: main status**

	<b>National Language</b>	<b>English Translation</b>
<i>Question no. and text</i>	67. ¿Cuál de las siguientes alternativas describe mejor la situación actual de su cónyuge o pareja?	67. Which of the following best describes your spouse's/partner's current situation?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1 Trabajando tiempo completo	1 Working full time
	2 Trabajando medio tiempo	2 Working part time
	3 Trabajando menos de medio tiempo o trabajos esporádicos	3 Working less than part time or occasional work
	4 Desocupado, despedido, buscó trabajo en últimos dos meses	4 Unemployed, fired, looked for a job the last two months
	5 Desocupado, despedido, no buscó trabajo en últimos dos meses	5 Unemployed, fired, did not look for a job the last two months
	6 Jubilado / a	6 Retired
	7 Pensionado / a	7 Pensioner
	8 Aprendiz, pasante	8 Apprentice or trainee
	9 Estudiando	9 Student / in school
	10 Haciendo tareas del hogar	10 Home duties
	11 Viviendo con una enfermedad o discapacidad permanente	11 Permanently sick or disabled
	12 Haciendo servicio comunitario, cobrando un plan asistencial	12 Doing community service, having government subsidies
	13 Otra (especificar)	13 Other (specify)
	99 Sin especificar	99 No answer
	NAP (Code 4 in Q60); Q56=3	0 NAP (Code 3 in PARTLIV)
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

**Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:**

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**Construction/Recoding:**

<b>Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules</b>	<b>→SPMAINST</b>
Q67 = 1, 2, 3	1. In paid work
Q67 = 4, 5	2. Unemployed and looking for a job
Q67 = 9	3. In education
Q67 = 8	4. Apprentice or trainee
Q67 = 11	5. Permanently sick or disabled
Q67 = 6, 7	6. Retired
Q67 = 10	7. Domestic work
Q67 = "close" to 12	8. In compulsory military service or community service
Q67 = 13	9. Other
Q67 = 99	99. No answer
Q67 = 0; Q56=3	00. NAP (Code 3 in PARTLIV)

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**



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**UNION – Trade union membership**

	<b>National Language</b>	<b>English Translation</b>
<i>Question no. and text</i>	73. ¿Está o estuvo usted afiliado/a a alguna organización sindical o asociación profesional?	73. Are you or have you ever been a member of a trade union or similar organisation? If yes: is that currently or only previously?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1 Sí, lo estoy actualmente	1 Yes, currently
	2 Sí, pero en el pasado, actualmente no	2 Yes, previously but not currently
	3 No, nunca	3 No, never
	9 No contesta	9 No answer
<i>Interviewer Instructions</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

**Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:**

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**Construction/Recoding:**

<b>Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules</b>	<b>→UNION</b>
1 Sí, lo estoy actualmente	1. Yes, currently
2 Sí, pero en el pasado, actualmente no	2. Yes, previously but not currently
3 No, nunca	3. No, never
7 No contesta	7. Refused
9 No contesta	9. No answer

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**

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**nat\_RELIG – Country-specific religious affiliation**

	<b>National Language</b>	<b>English Translation</b>
<i>Question no. and text</i>	74. ¿Cuál es su religión actual?	74. Do you belong to a religion and, if yes, which religion do you belong to?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	0. Ninguna	0. None
	1. Católica	1. Catholic
	2. Otra (especificar)	2. Other (specify)
	98. No sabe / No contesta	98. DK / NA
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>	Especificar con detalle en el caso de los <b>cristianos no católicos</b> a qué iglesia o doctrina pertenecen	Specify in detail in the case of non catholic Christians to which church or denomination they belong to
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

**Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:**

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**Construction/Recoding:**

<b>Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules</b>	<b>→ nat_RELIG</b>
0. Ninguna	0. No religion
1. Católica Apostólica Romana	1. Roman Catholic
2. Protestante	2. Protestant
3. Ortodoxa	3. Orthodox
4. Otras Cristianas	4. Other Christians
5. Judía	5. Jewish
6. Budista	6. Buddhist
7. Otras	7. Other
9. No contesta	997. Refused
	999. No answer

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**

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**RELIGGRP- Groups of religious affiliations**

	<b>National Language</b>	<b>English Translation</b>
<i>Question no. and text</i>	74. ¿Cuál es su religión actual?	74. Do you belong to a religion and, if yes, which religion do you belong to?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	0. Ninguna	0. No religion
	1. Católica Apostólica Romana	1. Roman Catholic
	2. Protestante	2. Protestant
	3. Ortodoxa	3. Orthodox
	4. Otras Cristianas	4. Other Christians
	5. Judía	5. Jewish
	6. Budista	6. Buddhist
	7. Otras	7. Other
	9. No contesta	99. No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

**Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:**

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**Construction/Recoding:**

<b>Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules</b>	<b>→ RELIGGRP</b>
0. Ninguna	0.No religion
1. Católica Apostólica Romana	1. Catholic
2. Protestante	2. Protestant
Adventista (= Protestante) Cristiana Bautista (= Protestante) Cristiana Evangélica (= Protestante) Evangelistas – sin especificar (= Protestante) Evangélica Pentecostal (= Protestante)	Adventist (= Protestant) Christian Bautist (= Protestant) Evangelist Christians (= Protestant) Evangelist-no specification (= Protes.) Pentecostal Evangelists (= Protestant)
3. Ortodoxa	3. Orthodox
Ortodoxa Cristiana Armenia Ortodoxa Griega	Armenian Christian Orthodox Greek Orthodox
4. Otras Cristianas	4. Other Christian
5. Judía	5. Jewish
	6. Islamic
6. Budista	7. Buddhist
	8. Hindu
	9. Other Asian religions
7. Otras	10. Other religions
9. No contesta	97. Refused
9. No contesta	98. Information insufficient
9. No contesta	99. No answer

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**

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**ATTEND – Attendance of religious services**

	<b>National Language</b>	<b>English Translation</b>
<i>Question no. and text</i>	0. NAP (No religión)	
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Varias veces a la semana	1. Several times a week or more often
	2. Una vez a la semana	2. Once a week
	3. Dos o tres veces al mes	3. 2 or 3 times a month
	4. Una vez al mes	4. Once a month
	5. Varias veces al año	5. Several times a year
	6. Una vez al año	6. Once a year
	7. Menos de una vez al año	7. Less frequently than once a year
	8. Nunca	8. Never
	9. No sabe / No contesta	07. Refused
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>	If person had no religion, attendance of religious services was not asked.	

**Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:**

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**Construction/Recoding:**

<b>Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules</b>	<b>→ ATTEND</b>
0. NAP (No religión)	
1. Varias veces a la semana	1. Several times a week or more often
2. Una vez a la semana	2. Once a week
3. Dos o tres veces al mes	3. 2 or 3 times a month
4. Una vez al mes	4. Once a month
5. Varias veces al año	5. Several times a year
6. Una vez al año	6. Once a year
7. Menos de una vez al año	7. Less frequently than once a year
8. Nunca	8. Never
9. No sabe / No contesta	97. Refused
9. No sabe / No contesta	98. Don't know
9. No sabe / No contesta	99. No answer

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**

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**TOPBOT - Top-Bottom self-placement**

	<b>National Language</b>	<b>English Translation</b>
<i>Question no. and text</i>	69. En nuestra sociedad hay grupos que tienden a estar en lo más alto y grupos que tienden a estar en lo más bajo. Usando la siguiente escala que va desde lo más alto hacia lo más bajo, ¿dónde se ubicaría usted ?	69. In our society, there are groups which tend to be towards the top and groups which tend to be towards the bottom. Below is a scale that runs from the top to the bottom. Where would you put yourself on this scale?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	10. Lo más alto 9. 8. 7. 6. 5. 4. 3. 2. 1. Lo más bajo	10. Highest 9. 8. 7. 6. 5. 4. 3. 2. 1. Lowest
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

**Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:**

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**Construction/Recoding:**

<b>Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules</b>	<b>→ TOPBOT</b>
1. Lo más bajo	1. Lowest, Bottom
2.	2.
3.	3.
4.	4.
5.	5.
6.	6.
7.	7.
8.	8.
9.	9.
10. Lo más alto	10. Highest, Top
98. No sabe, No contesta	98. Don't know
98. No sabe, No contesta	99. No answer

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**

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**VOTE\_LE - Did respondent vote in last general election?**

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>		
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>		
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>	<i>Given that we have mandatory voting, we directly asked for whom they voted.</i>	

**Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:**

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**Construction/Recoding:**

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→ VOTE_LE
0. No votó	0. Not eligible to vote at last election
1. Sí votó	1. Yes
2. No votó	2. No
7. No contesta	7. Refused
9. No contesta	9. No answer

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**

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**nat\_PRTY** - Country specific party voted for in last general election

	<b>National Language</b>	<b>English Translation</b>
<i>Question no. and text</i>	75. ¿Recuerda por quién votó en las elecciones presidenciales de 2011?	75. [Thinking back to the last general election (in October 2011)] Which party did you vote for?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Cristina Kirchner (Frente para la Victoria) 2. Hermes Binner (Frente Amplio Progresista) 3. Ricardo Alfonsín (Unión para el Desarrollo Social) 4. Alberto Rodríguez Saá (Compromiso Federal) 5. Eduardo Duhalde (Frente Popular) 6. Jorge Altamira (Frente de Izquierda) 7. Elisa Carrió (Coalición Cívica) 10. En blanco 11. Anuló el voto 12. No pudo votar 13. No quiso votar 14. Extranjero/a 15. No tenía edad para votar 16. Mayor de 70 años, exento obligación de votar 98. No recuerda / No sabe 99. No contesta	1. Cristina Kirchner (Front for Victory) 2. Hermes Binner (Broad Progressive Front) 3. Ricardo Alfonsín (Union for Social Development) 4. Alberto Rodríguez Saá (Federal Commitment) 5. Eduardo Duhalde (Popular Front) 6. Jorge Altamira (Left Front) 7. Elisa Carrió (Civic Coalition) 10. Blank ballot 11. Invalid ballot (on purpose) 12. Could not vote 13. Did not want to vote 14. Foreigner 15. No age for voting 16. 70 years or more, not obliged to vote 98. Don't know; don't remember 99. No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

**Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:**

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**Construction/Recoding:**

<b>Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules</b>	<b>→ nat_PRTY</b>
1. Cristina Kirchner (Frente para la Victoria) 2. Hermes Binner (Frente Amplio Progresista) 3. Ricardo Alfonsín (Unión para el Desarrollo Social) 4. Alberto Rodríguez Saá (Compromiso Federal) 5. Eduardo Duhalde (Frente Popular) 6. Jorge Altamira (Frente de Izquierda) 7. Elisa Carrió (Coalición Cívica)	1. Cristina Kirchner (Front for Victory) 2. Hermes Binner (Broad Progressive Front) 3. Ricardo Alfonsín (Union for Social Development) 4. Alberto Rodríguez Saá (Federal Commitment) 5. Eduardo Duhalde (Popular Front) 6. Jorge Altamira (Left Front) 7. Elisa Carrió (Civic Coalition)
10. Blank vote; 11 Invalid ballot (on purpose)	96. Invalid ballot
97. No answer	97. Refused

99. No answer	99. No answer
0. NAP (Codes 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 in Q75)	0. NAP (0, 2, 7 in VOTE_LE)

***Optional: Recoding Syntax***

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**PARTY\_LR** - Party voted for in last general election: left-right scale

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	75. ¿Recuerda por quién votó en las elecciones presidenciales de 2011?	75. [Thinking back to the last general election (in October 2011)] Which party did you vote for?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>		
<i>Interviewer Instructions</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

**Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:**

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**Construction/Recoding:**

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→ PARTY_LR
6. Jorge Altamira (Frente de Izquierda)	1. Far left (communist, etc.)
1. Cristina Kirchner (Frente para la Victoria) 2. Hermes Binner (Frente Amplio Progresista) 3. Ricardo Alfonsín (Unión para el Desarrollo Social) 7. Elisa Carrió (Coalición Cívica)	2. Left / centre left
4. Alberto Rodríguez Saá (Compromiso Federal) 5. Eduardo Duhalde (Frente Popular)	3. Centre / liberal
	4. Right / conservative
	5. Far right (fascist, etc.)
	6. Other
	7. No party affiliation
	96. Invalid ballot
	97. Refused
98. No answer	98. Insufficient information to code into scheme
99. No answer	99. No answer
0. NAP (Codes 10 to 16 in Q75)	0. NAP (0, 2, 7 in VOTE_LE)

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**

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**nat\_ETHN** – Country-specific: origin country / ethnic group / ethnic identity / family origin

	<b>National Language</b>	<b>English Translation</b>
<i>Question no. and text</i>	¿En donde nació ...? a) Usted; b) Su padre; c) Su abuelo paterno; d) Su abuela paterna; e) Su madre; f) Su abuelo materno; g) Su abuela materna	a) Where were you born; b) Your father; c) Your paternal grandfather; d) Your paternal grandmother; e) Your mother; f) Your maternal grandfather; g) Your maternal grandmother.
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	En Argentina y en esta ciudad / pueblo	In Argentina and in this city or town
	En Argentina, pero no en esta ciudad / pueblo sino en ...	In Argentina, but not in this city or town (Specify place)
	En otro país (especificar país)	In other country (specify country)
	No sabe, no contesta	Don't know, No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

**Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:**

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**Construction/Recoding:**

<b>Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules</b>	<b>→nat_ETHN</b>
1. Argentine family background - migration	1. <i>Argentine family background – migration:</i> 4 or 3 Argentine grandparents; 2 Argentine grandparents and 2 don't know.
2. Italian-Spanish and other European family background – migration	2. <i>Italian-Spanish and other European family background – migration:</i> 4 or 3 European grandparents; 2 European grandparents and 2 Argentine grandparents; 2 European grandparents and 2 don't know.
3. Latinamerican family background - migration	3. <i>Latinamerican family background – migration:</i> 4 or 3 Latinamerican grandparents; 2 Latinamerican grandparents and 2 Argentinian grandparentes; 2 Latinamerican grandparents and 2 don't know.
8. Other national family background - migration	8. <i>Other national family background –</i>

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→nat ETHN
	<i>migration:</i> All other combinations.
97. Refused	97. Refused
99. No answer	99. No answer

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**

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**HOMPOP - How many persons in household**

	<b>National Language</b>	<b>English Translation</b>
<i>Question no. and text</i>	76a. Sobre la cantidad de personas que viven su hogar (incluidas las que están temporalmente fuera del mismo), ¿Cuántas son...?	76a. Including yourself, how many people – including children – usually live in your household?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	a) Adultos de 18 años y más _____	a) Adults of 18 years and older: _____
	b) Niños entre 6 y 17 años _____	b) Children between [school age] -17 years of age
	c) Niños hasta 5 años _____	c) Children up to the age of [school age – 1] years
	d) Total de personas en el Hogar	d) This makes a total of how many people?
	-8. No sabe / No contesta	
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

**Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:**

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<b>Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules</b>	<b>→ HOMPOP</b>
0. No es un hogar privado	00. Not a private household
1. Una persona (solo respondente)	01. One person (only respondent)
...	...
99. No contesta	99. No answer

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**

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### HHCHILDR - How many children in household

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	76a. Sobre la cantidad de personas que viven su hogar (incluidas las que están temporalmente fuera del mismo), ¿Cuántas son entre 6 y 17 años?	76a. Including yourself, how many people – including children – usually live in your household? How many children between [school age]-17 years of age?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	0. Ningún chico/a	0. No children
	1.Un chico/a	1. One child
	...	...
	96. Nap (Código 0 en Homepop)	96. NAP (Code 0 in Homepop)
	99. No contesta	99. No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

#### Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

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

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→ HHCHILDR
0. Ningún/a chico/a	00. No children
1.Un/a chico/a	01. One child
...	...
96. Nap (Código 0 en Homepop)	96. NAP (Code 0 in HOMPOP)
99. No contesta	99. No answer

#### Optional: Recoding Syntax

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**HHTODD - How many toddlers in household**

	<b>National Language</b>	<b>English Translation</b>
<i>Question no. and text</i>	76a. Sobre la cantidad de personas que viven su hogar (incluidas las que están temporalmente fuera del mismo), ¿Cuántos/a chicos/as hasta 5 años son?	76a. Including yourself, how many people – including children – usually live in your household? How many children up to the age of [school age – 1] years are?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	0. No hay chicos/as muy pequeños/as	00. No toddlers
	1. Un/a chico/a muy pequeño/a	01. One toddler
	....	...
	96. Nap (Código 0 en Homepop)	96. NAP (Code 0 in HOMPOP)
	99. No contesta	99: No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

**Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:**

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

<b>Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules</b>	<b>→ HHTODD</b>
0. No hay chicos/as muy pequeños/as	00. No toddlers
1. Un/a chico/a muy pequeño/a	01. One toddler
....	...
96. Nap (Código 0 en Homepop)	96. NAP (Code 0 in HOMPOP)
99. No contesta	99: No answer

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**

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## nat\_RINC – Country-specific: personal income

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	77. Quisiera pedirle que me indique ahora sus ingresos <i>mensuales</i> netos o de bolsillo, luego de todas las deducciones. Trate de indicar una suma global de sus ingresos de bolsillo. (Por favor: incluir ticket canasta, comisiones, propinas, jubilaciones o pensiones, cuotas alimentarias, rentas o alquileres, intereses bancarios o cualquier otro ingreso).	77. I would like to ask you about your net, out of pocket <i>monthly</i> personal income, after all deductions. Try to offer a global sum of your incomes. (Please: Include lunch tickets, commissions, tips, retirement income, alimonies, rents, financial interests, etc.)
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	Ingresos totales de bolsillo: _____	Out of pocket income
	0. No tiene ingresos	0. No income
	-8. No sabe / No contesta	999990 NAP (all other countries) 999997 Refused 999998 Don't know 999999 No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>	<p>1) Please enter name of the currency: pesos argentinos (Argentinian pesos)</p> <p>2) The final income variable is a “mixed” of the specific answers to this question plus de midpoint of the next question, when the specific income was not informed.</p> <p>3) In Argentina people usually have no clear idea of their “gross” income”. So, we asked for the “net” income. It is also customary to talk about “monthly” income.</p>	

**Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:**

Next question not asked for those who answered “no income” in the above question.

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

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→nat_RINC
77a. ¿Podría decirme en cuál de estos segmentos de ingresos se encuentra su ingreso mensual neto por todo concepto? <i>Indique sólo la letra correspondiente.</i>	77a. If it is not specified any income above, ask: Could you tell me in which of these income ranges might be placed your monthly income..?
A) Menos de \$ 600	Less than \$ 600
B) Entre \$ 600 y menos de \$ 1000	Between \$ 600 and less than \$ 1000
C) Entre \$ 1000 y menos de \$ 1500	Between \$ 1000 and less than \$ 1500
D) Entre \$ 1500 y menos de \$ 2000	Between \$ 1500 and less than \$ 2000
E) Entre \$ 2000 y menos de \$ 2500	Between \$ 2000 and less than \$ 2500
F) Entre \$ 2500 y menos de \$ 3000	Between \$ 2500 and less than \$ 3000
G) Entre \$ 3000 y menos de \$ 3500	Between \$ 3000 and less than \$ 3500

H) Entre \$ 3500 y menos de \$ 4500	Between \$ 3500 and less than \$ 4500
I) Entre \$ 4500 y menos de \$ 6000	Between \$ 4500 and less than \$ 6000
J) \$ 6000 o más	6000 and more
0. NAP ("no income")	000000. No income
	999997. Refused
P) No recuerda / No sabe	999998. Don't know
P) No recuerda / No sabe	999999. No answer

***Optional: Recoding Syntax***

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**nat\_INC – Country-specific: household income**

	<b>National Language</b>	<b>English Translation</b>
<i>Question no. and text</i>	78. Quisiera que me indique ahora los ingresos mensuales netos, por todo concepto, del conjunto de su hogar:	78. I would like that you tell me now about the amount of your net family monthly income (all items included):
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	Ingresos familiares netos: _____	Net family income _____
	0. No tiene ingresos	0. No income
	-8. No sabe / No contesta	999990 NAP (all other countries) 999997 Refused 999998 Don't know 999999 No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>	<b>Please enter name of the currency: Argentinian pesos</b>	

**Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:**

Next question not asked for those who answered “no income” in the above question.

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

<b>Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules</b>	<b>→nat_INC</b>
78a ¿Podría decirme en cuál de estos segmentos de ingresos se encuentra el ingreso neto mensual de su hogar por todo concepto? <i>Indique sólo la letra correspondiente.</i>	78a Could you tell me in which of these income ranges might be placed your net monthly family income (all items included)..?
A) Menos de \$ 1500	B) Less than \$ 1500
C) Entre \$ 1500 y menos de \$ 2500	D) Between \$ 1500 and less of \$ 2500
E) Entre \$ 2500 y menos de \$ 3500	F) Between \$ 2500 and less of \$ 3500
G) Entre \$ 3500 y menos de \$ 4500	H) Between \$ 3500 and less of \$ 4500
J) Entre \$ 4500 y menos de \$ 6500	J) Between \$ 4500 and less of \$ 6500
K) Entre \$ 6500 y menos de \$ 8500	L) Between \$ 6500 and less of \$ 8500
M) Entre \$ 8500 y menos de \$ 10000	N) Between \$ 8500 and less of \$ 10000
O) Entre \$ 10000 y menos de \$ 12000	P) Between \$ 10000 and less of \$ 12000
Q) Entre \$ 12000 y menos de \$ 15000	R) Between \$ 12000 and less of \$ 15000
S) \$ 15000 o más	T) \$ 15000 or more
0. NAP (“no income”)	000000. No income
	999997. Refused
P) No recuerda / No sabe	999998. Don't know
P) No recuerda / No sabe	999999. No answer

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**

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**MARITAL – Legal partnership status**

	<b>National Language</b>	<b>English Translation</b>
<i>Question no. and text</i>	Con respecto a su estado civil ¿es usted ...?	What is your current legal marital status?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1.Casado/a en primeras nupcias	Married (first)
	2.Casado/a en segundas o más nupcias	Married (second or more)
	3.Unido/a en unión civil	Civil partership
	4.Viudo/a	Widowed
	5.Divorciado/a	Divorced
	6.Separado/a (todavía casado/a o unido/a legalmente	Separated (still legally married)
	7.Soltero/a; nunca se casó	Single; never married
	8.No contesta	No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

**Construction/Recoding:**

<b>Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules</b>	<b>→ Marital</b>
1.Casado/a en primeras o más nupcias	1. Married
2.Unido/a en unión civil	2. Civil partnership
3.Separado/a (todavía casado/a o unido/a legalmente	3. Separated from spouse/civil partner (still legally married/still legally in a civil partnership)
4.Divorciado/a	4. Divorced from spouse/legally separated from civil partner
5.Viudo/a	5. Widowed/civil partner died
6.Soltero/a; nunca se casó	6. Never married/never in a civil partnership
7. No contesta	7. Refused
9. No contesta	9. No answer

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**

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**URBRURAL – Place of living: urban - rural**

	<b>National Language</b>	<b>English Translation</b>
<i>Question no. and text</i>	¿Usted diría que vive en ..?	Do you live in ..?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Una gran ciudad	1.A big city
	2. La periferia de una gran ciudad	2.The suburbs or outskirts of a big city
	3. Un pueblo o una pequeña ciudad	3.A town or a small city
	4. Un pueblo rural	4.A country village
	5.Una casa aislada en el campo	5.A farm or home in the country
	8. No sabe / No contesta	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:**

<b>Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules</b>	<b>→ URBRURAL</b>
1. Una gran ciudad	1. A big city
2. La periferia de una gran ciudad	2. The suburbs or outskirts of a big city
3. Un pueblo o una pequeña ciudad	3. A town or a small city
4. Un pueblo rural	4. A country village
5.Una casa aislada en el campo	5. A farm or home in the country
9. No sabe / No contesta	9. No answer

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**

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**nat\_REG – Country specific: region**

	<b>National Language</b>	<b>English Translation</b>
<i>Question no. and text</i>		
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1.Area Metropolitana de Buenos Aires	1. Buenos Aires Metropolitan Area
	2.Región Pampeana	2. Pampeana Region
	3.Región de Cuyo	3. Cuyo Region
	4.Región Noroeste	4. Northwest
	5. Región Noreste	5. Northeast
	6. Región Patagónica	6. Patagonia Region
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>	This was not a question. It was constructed following Census Region.	

**Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:**

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**Construction/Recoding:**

<b>Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules</b>	<b>→ nat_REG</b>
1.Area Metropolitana de Buenos Aires	1. Buenos Aires Metropolitan Area
2.Región Pampeana	2. Pampeana Region
3.Región de Cuyo	3. Cuyo Region
4.Región Noroeste	4. Northwest
5. Región Noreste	5. Northeast
6. Región Patagónica	6. Patagonia Region

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**

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**SUBSCASE – Case substitution flag**

	<b>National Language</b>	<b>English Translation</b>
<i>Question no. and text</i>		
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>		
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>	<i>The sampling procedure for case selection was based on a list of around 20 random places (possible addresses for interviews) marked in a “route sheet”, in order to obtain around 5 interviews. Under this procedure, it is not possible to distinguish “original” cases and “substituted” cases. We will write more about this in the sampling and fieldwork description.</i>	

**Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:**

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**Construction/Recoding:**

<b>Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules</b>	<b>→ SUBSCASE</b>
	0. NAP, no substitution in this survey
	1. Case from original sample
	2. Case substituted

**Optional: Recoding Syntax**

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**WEIGHT – Weighting factor**

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

<i>Design weight to adjust for unequal selection probabilities</i>	No Yes	[ ] [ X ]
<i>Weight to adjust for non-response bias</i>	No Yes	[ ] [ X ] → 1) Sex, 2) Population or city size, 3) Educational level.
<i>Are the final weights rescaled to net sample size (thus weighted sample size=unweighted sample size)?</i>	No Yes	[ ] → please specify target population represented by sum of all case weights [ X ]
<i>Note</i>	The weights were obtained by a crosstab of sex, population or city size (three groups: 1) Buenos Aires Metropolitan Area, 2) Large and middle-large cities, 3) Middle, smaller cities and rural places), and three educational levels (1) up to complete primary, 2) secondary and incomplete tertiary, 3) complete tertiary and undergraduate and graduate university studies.	

**Construction/Recoding:**

<b>Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules</b>	<b>→ WEIGHT</b>
Sex, Population size, and Educational Level (see above)	1.

**MODE – Administrative mode of data-collection**

<i>Note</i>	
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**Construction/Recoding:**

<b>Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules</b>	<b>→ Mode</b>
	10. F2f/PAPI, no visuals
	11. F2f/PAPI, visuals
It was a face to face survey, where a blank questionnaire was offered to the interviewees. Most of them did not accept this offer, so the interviewer was required to read the questions side-by-side with the interviewee, in order to "put pressure" on him/her to read the questions, at the same time that the interviewer was loudly reading them.	12. F2f/PAPI, respondent reading questionnaire
	13. F2f/PAPI, interpreter or translator – no visuals
	14. F2f/PAPI, interpreter or translator – visuals
	20. CAPI, no visuals
	21. CAPI, visuals
	22. CAPI, respondent reading questionnaire (paper or on monitor)
	23. CAPI, interpreter or translator – no visuals
	24. CAPI, interpreter or translator – visuals
	30. SC, arrives with interviewer, interviewer attending
	31. SC, arrives with interviewer, drops-off, picks up later
	32. SC, arrives with interviewer, drops off, mailed back by R
	33. SC, mailed to, completed by R and hold for pick up
	34. SC, mailed to, mailed back by R
	40. CASI, self-completion, computer-assisted



#### **4. Country Questionnaire**

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

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

Attached file: I will attach the whole questionnaire. Most of the background variables are reported in the data base.

#### **5. Frequency Distributions of Source Variables**

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

Attached file: YYYYYYY.YYY.

#### **6. Correspondence list ISCO88<->national occupation codes**

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

ISCO88 is used to code responses directly.

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