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SHOW CARDS

CARD N1

for question N1

Extremely
unhappy.

Extremely
happy.

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

CARD N2

for question N2

Does not
describe.

Describes.

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

CARD N4

for question N4

Never.

Always.

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

CARD N7

for question N7

Everything
in life is
determined
by fate.

People
shape their
fate
themselves.

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

CARD N8

for question N8

Not
satisfied at
all.

Completely
satisfied.

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

CARD N11

for question N11

Not at all
likely.

Very
likely.

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

CARD J1

for question J1

- 1 Retired and **not** working.
- 2 Student and **not** working.
- 3 Housewife and **not** working.
- 4 Unemployed.
- 5 Working either part-time or full time (even if retired or a student), including seasonal work.
- 6 Self-employed (even if retired or a student), including seasonal work.
- 7 Disabled and unable to work.
- 8 Other.

CARD J6

for question J6

- 1 Run my own business / Self-employed without employees, including working on a land plot.
- 2 Run my own business / Self-employed with employees, including working on a land plot.
- 3 Employee in a small local family business / household production.
- 4 Employee in a medium-size or big local private organization, company, or enterprise.
- 5 Employee in a state organization, company, or enterprise.
- 6 Employee in a foreign / international organization, company, enterprise, or joint venture.
- 7 Employee in a local or international non-governmental / non-profit organization.

CARD J7

for question J7

| | |
|------|----------------|
| 9960 | Before 1960 |
| 9960 | 1960 – 1969 |
| 9970 | 1970 – 1979 |
| 9980 | 1980 – 1989 |
| 9990 | 1990 – 1999 |
| 9000 | 2000 – present |

CARD J8

for question J8

- 1 Agriculture, hunting, and forestry.
- 2 Fishing.
- 3 Mining and quarrying.
- 4 Manufacturing.
- 5 Electricity, gas, and/or water supply.
- 6 Construction.
- 7 Wholesale and retail trade; Repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles, and personal and household goods.
- 8 Hotels, restaurants, cafes.
- 9 Transport, storage, communication.
- 10 Financial intermediation / Banking.
- 11 Real estate, property- and renting-related activities.
- 12 Government, public administration, and defense.
- 13 Education.
- 14 Healthcare and social work.
- 15 Civil society / NGO.
- 16 Mass media.

CARD J9

for question J9

Very
dissatisfied

Somewhat
dissatisfied

[In the
middle]

Somewhat
satisfied

Very
satisfied

1

2

3

4

5

CARD J10

for question J10

Completely
disagree

1

Somewhat
disagree

2

Somewhat
agree

3

Completely
agree

4

CARD J11

for question J11¹

- 1 More than USD 1200.
- 2 USD 801 – 1200.
- 3 USD 401 – 800.
- 4 USD 251 – 400.
- 5 USD 101 – 250.
- 6 USD 51 – 100.
- 7 Up to USD 50.

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CARD J19

for question J19

- 1 Age.
- 2 Appearance.
- 3 Connections.
- 4 Education.
- 5 Hard work.
- 6 Luck.
- 7 Talent.
- 8 Professional abilities, work experience.
- 9 Doing favors for the 'right' people.

CARD P1

for question P1

- 5 Politics is definitely going in the right direction.
- 4 Politics is going mainly in the right direction.
- 3 Politics does not change at all.
- 2 Politics is going mainly in the wrong direction.
- 1 Politics is definitely going in the wrong direction.

CARD P2

for question P2

| | | | | |
|-------------|--------------|-----------------|------------|-----------|
| Very poorly | Quite poorly | [In the middle] | Quite well | Very well |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |

CARD P3

for question P3

Completely
disagree

Somewhat
disagree

Neutral

Somewhat
agree

Completely
agree

1

2

3

4

5

CARD P4

for question P4

Fully
distrust

Somewhat
distrust

Neither
trust nor
distrust

Somewhat
trust

Fully trust

1

2

3

4

5

CARD P7

for questions P7 and P8

Never.

Always.

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

CARD P11

for question P11

Statement 1:

**People are like children;
the government should
take care of them like a
parent.**

Statement 2:

**Government is like an
employee; the people should
be the bosses who control
the government.**

CARD P12

for question P12

Competition is good. It stimulates people to work hard and develop new ideas.

Competition is harmful, it brings out the worst in people.

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

CARD P13

for question P13

Private
ownership of
business and
industry
should be
increased

Government
ownership of
business and
industry
should be
increased

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

CARD P14

for question P14

Statement 1:

**The court system in
/country/ favors some
citizens over others.**

Statement 2:

**The court system in
/country/ treats all citizens
equally, rather than
favoring some over others.**

CARD P15

for question P15

Statement 1:

People should participate in protest actions against the government, as this shows the government that the people are in charge.

Statement 2:

People should not participate in protest actions against the government, as it threatens stability in our country.

CARD P19

for question P19

Not
important
at all

Extremely
important

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

CARD P20

for question P20

Not at all
likely

Very likely

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

CARD P22

for question P22

- 1 Democracy is preferable to any other kind of government.
- 2 In some circumstances, a non-democratic government can be preferable.
- 3 For someone like me, it doesn't matter what kind of government we have.

CARD P23

for questions P23 and P24

| | | | | |
|----------------------------|-----------------------|--|-------------------|------------------|
| Don't support at all | Rather not support | Equally support and don't support | Rather support | Fully support |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |

CARD ST1

for question ST1

- 1 Admiration.
- 2 Respect.
- 3 Sympathy.
- 4 Indifference.
- 5 Antipathy, irritation.
- 6 Fear.
- 7 Disgust, hatred.

CARD ST2

for question ST2

- 1 Definitely yes.
- 2 Probably yes.
- 3 Probably no.
- 4 Definitely no.

CARD ST3

for questions ST3_1 through ST3_4

| | | | |
|---------------------|-----------------|--------------|------------------|
| Completely disagree | Mostly disagree | Mostly agree | Completely agree |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |

CARD ST4_A

for question ST4

- 1 It was a political crime, these acts of repression cannot be justified.
- 2 These repressions were politically necessary, they were justified taking into consideration the historical circumstances.

CARD ST4_B

for question ST4

- 2 These repressions were politically necessary, they were justified taking into consideration the historical circumstances.
- 1 It was a political crime, these acts of repression cannot be justified.

CARD D3

for question D3

- 1 No basic knowledge.
- 2 Beginner.
- 3 Intermediate.
- 4 Advanced.

CARD D6

for question D6

- 1 Receive / send e-mails.
- 2 Use social networking sites (e.g. Odnoklassniki, Facebook, My Space, etc.).
- 3 Use Skype (for instant messaging and for calls).
- 4 Use instant messenger other than Skype (Google talk, ICQ, MSN, etc.).
- 5 Engage in forum discussions.
- 6 Write a blog / read others' blogs.
- 7 Search for information (Google, Wiki, etc.)
- 8 Shop.
- 9 Read / listen to / watch the news **apart** from social networking sites.
- 10 Download / Listen to / Watch music / videos / movies.
- 11 Play online games.
- 12 Visit dating websites.
- 13 Other.

CARD D8

for question D8

| | | | | |
|-------------------|----------|----------------------|----------|-------------------|
| Worsened a lot | Worsened | Remained the same | Improved | Improved a lot |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |

CARD D11

for question D11

- 1 Not at all important.
- 2 Not very important.
- 3 Rather important.
- 4 Very important.

CARD D12

for question D12

- 1 Every day.
- 2 More than once a week.
- 3 Once a week.
- 4 At least once a month.
- 5 Only on special holidays.
- 6 Less often.
- 7 Never.

CARD D14

for question D14

Not at all
religious.

Very
religious.

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

CARD AR1

for question ARDA1

- 1 Never or almost never.
- 2 A few times each year.
- 3 A few times each month.
- 4 A few times each week.
- 5 Every day.

CARD AR2

for questions ARDA2 and ARDA3

- 1 Strongly object.
- 2 Somewhat object.
- 3 Object a little.
- 4 Not object at all.

CARD AR4

for question ARDA4

- 1 Strongly disagree.
- 2 Disagree.
- 3 Undecided.
- 4 Agree.
- 5 Strongly agree.

CARD AR5

for question ARDA5

- 1 Not at all.
- 2 Not very well.
- 3 Undecided.
- 4 Somewhat well.
- 5 Very well.

CARD A2

for question A2 (Table A1)

- 2 Spouse.
- 3 Son / Daughter.
- 4 Mother / Father / Mother-in-law /Father-in-law.
- 5 Sister / Brother.
- 6 Grandfather / Grandmother.
- 7 Son-in-law / Daughter-in-law.
- 8 Grandchild.
- 9 Other person related² to the head of household.
- 10 Other person not related³ to the head of
household.

² By “related,” we mean that this person is a relative of the head of household.

³ By “not related,” we mean that this person is not a relative of the head of household.

CARD A4

for question A4 (Table A1)

- 1 1900 – 1909.
- 2 1910 – 1919.
- 3 1920 – 1929.
- 4 1930 – 1939.
- 5 1940 – 1949.
- 6 1950 – 1959.
- 7 1960 – 1969.
- 8 1970 – 1979.
- 9 1980 – 1989.
- 10 1990 – 1999.
- 11 2000 – 2009.
- 12 2010 – present.

CARD A5

for question A5

- 1 In this settlement, where the interview is now conducted.
- 2 In another settlement, but in the same region of the country.
- 3 In a settlement in another region of the country.
- 4 Outside the country, but inside the Former Soviet Union.
- 5 Outside the Former Soviet Union.

CARD A6

for question A6

- 1 No primary education.
- 2 Primary education (either complete or incomplete).
- 3 Incomplete secondary education.
- 4 Completed secondary education.
- 5 Secondary technical education.
- 6 Incomplete higher education.
- 7 Completed higher education (BA, MA, or Specialist degree).
- 8 Post-graduate degree.

CARD A8

for question A8

1. Never married.
2. Married: official state marriage only, no religious ceremony.
3. Married: religious ceremony only, not registered with state.
4. Married: both religious ceremony and state marriage.
5. Cohabiting without civil or religious marriage.
6. Divorced.
7. Separated.
8. Widow / Widower.

CARD C1

for question C1

- 1 Money is not enough for food.
- 2 Money is enough for food only, but not for clothes.
- 3 Money is enough for food and clothes, but not enough for expensive durables like a refrigerator or washing machine.
- 4 We can afford to buy some expensive durables like a refrigerator or washing machine.
- 5 We can afford to buy anything we need.

CARD C2

for question C2c

- 1 Before 1960.
- 2 1960 – 1969.
- 3 1970 – 1979.
- 4 1980 – 1989.
- 5 1990 – 1999.
- 6 2000 – 2009.
- 7 2010 – present.

CARD C4

for question C4

- 1 Every day.
- 2 Every week.
- 3 Every month.
- 4 Less often.
- 5 Never.

CARD C5

for question C5

- Bread, pasta.
- Butter, milk.
- Poultry / Chicken meat.
- Beef
- Pork
- Fish
- Fruit
- Vegetables, except potatoes.
- Potatoes.
- Sweets and chocolate.

CARD C6

for question C6

| | |
|----|--|
| 1. | Money from family members, relatives, or friends living elsewhere in this country. |
| 2. | Money from family members, relatives, or friends living in another country. |
| 3. | Cash sales from agricultural products. |
| 4. | Aggregated earned income of all household members, <u>except</u> sales of agricultural products. |
| 5. | Pensions and government benefits. |
| 6. | Income from renting of property, vehicles, or appliances. |
| 7. | Income from sale of property, vehicles, or appliances. |
| 8. | Interest and earnings on deposits and securities. |
| 9. | Other sources of income. |

CARD C7

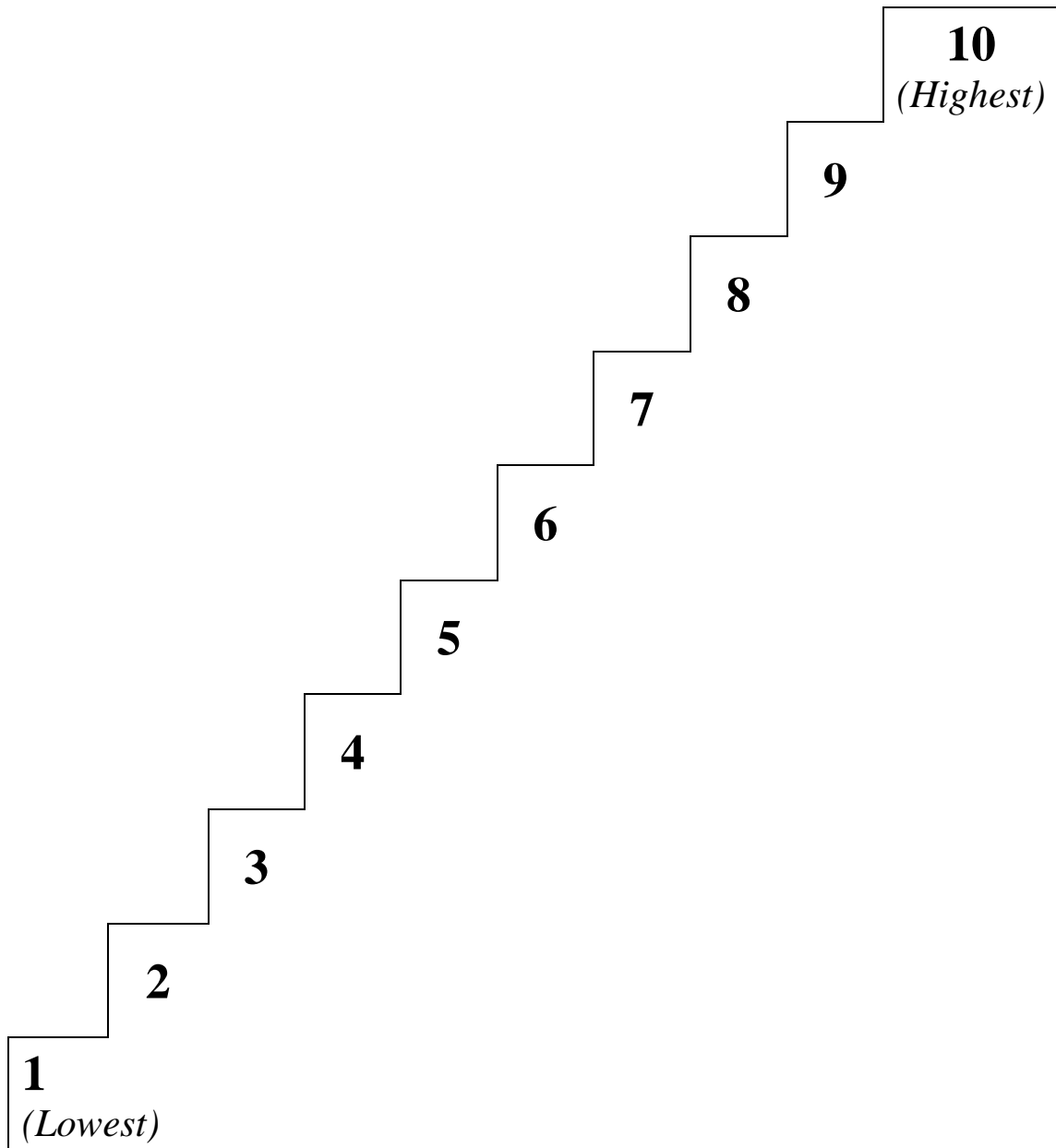
*for questions C7 and C8*⁴

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CARD C11

for questions C11 and C12



CARD E1a⁵

for question E1

Life has been hard in recent years for the people of Marani village in Samtredia district. Residents of the village have complained about high levels of unemployment and poverty because of the poor health of residents. Scientists say this is due to polluted water from a nearby chemical plant.

“Our people have suffered greatly and many children are very sick,” said resident Alex Turashvili, whose wife recently became ill. “The government should provide more medical care to help us.” Alex Turashvili says if the government provided more humanitarian assistance, it would help his village.

⁵ The Show Card to be used in Georgia only.

CARD E1b⁶

for question E1

Life has been hard in recent years for the people of Myasnikian village in Akhalkalaki district. Residents of the village have complained about high levels of unemployment and poverty because of the poor health of residents. Scientists say this is due to polluted water from a nearby chemical plant.

“Our people have suffered greatly and many children are very sick,” said resident Anastas Tigranian, whose wife recently became ill. “The government should provide more medical care to help us.” Anastas Tigranian says if the government provided more humanitarian assistance, it would help his village.

⁶ The Show Card to be used in Georgia only.

CARD E1c⁷

for question E1

Life has been hard in recent years for the people of Kirmizkendi village in Marneuli district. Residents of the village have complained about high levels of unemployment and poverty because of the poor health of residents. Scientists say this is due to polluted water from a nearby chemical plant.

“Our people have suffered greatly and many children are very sick,” said resident Ahmet Talibov, whose wife recently became ill. “The government should provide more medical care to help us.” Ahmet Talibov says if the government provided more humanitarian assistance, it would help his village.

⁷ The Show Card to be used in Georgia only.

CARD E1d⁸

for question E1

Life has been hard in recent years for the people of Marani village in Samtredia district. Residents of the village have complained about high levels of unemployment and poverty since a nearby factory closed down recently.

“We are struggling since our factory closed down,” said resident Alex Turashvili, whose son is unemployed. “The government should guarantee opportunities for our young people in the civil administration so that they can help us.” Alex Turashvili says that if more people from his village were working in the municipal administration like the police and schools they could help the village.

⁸ The Show Card to be used in Georgia only.

CARD E1e⁹

for question E1

Life has been hard in recent years for the people of Myasnikian village in Akhalkalaki district. Residents of the village have complained about high levels of unemployment and poverty since a nearby factory closed down recently.

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CARD E1f¹⁰

for question E1

Life has been hard in recent years for the people of Kirmizkendi village in Marneuli district. Residents of the village have complained about high levels of unemployment and poverty since a nearby factory closed down recently.

“We are struggling since our factory closed down,” said resident Ahmet Talibov, whose son is unemployed. “The government should guarantee opportunities for our young people in the civil administration so that they can help us.” Ahmet Talibov says that if more people from his village were working in the municipal administration like the police and schools they could help the village.

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CARD E2¹¹

for question E2

- 1 Strongly disagree.
- 2 Rather disagree.
- 3 Neither agree nor disagree.
- 4 Rather agree.
- 5 Strongly agree.

¹¹ The Show Card to be used in Georgia only.

CARD E3¹²

for question E3

- 1 Deceitful.
- 2 Generous.
- 3 Hardworking.
- 4 Lazy.
- 5 Selfish.
- 6 Trustworthy.

¹² The Show Card to be used in Georgia only.