



## DATA INITIATIVE 2008

**[INTERVIEWER!]** COPY THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION FROM THE COVER SHEET OF THE QUESTIONNAIRE.]

<b>Household identification number</b> [HHIDNUM] [TO BE FILLED BY INTERVIEWER]	_     _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _     _ _
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**T1. Date of interview:** [INTDATE] |\_|\_|\_|\_|\_| | |\_|\_|\_|\_|  
Day Month

**T2. Time interview started:** [INTTIME] |\_|\_|\_|\_|\_| | |\_|\_|\_|\_|  
Hour Minute

**[INTERVIEWER!]** USE 24-HOUR CLOCK.]

### HEALTH [RB3]

We will now ask you a variety of questions about different aspects of your life. We will start by asking you questions about your health.

**H1. Overall, how would you rate your health? Would you describe it as ... [READ OUT] [HLTHRAT]**

- Very good,* 5
- Good,* 4
- Fair,* 3
- Poor,* 2
- or Very poor?* 1
- (Don't know)* 98
- (Refuse to answer)* 99

**H2. What do you usually do when you have a small cold?** [SMLLCD]

**[INTERVIEWER! DO NOT READ OUT THE OPTIONS. CORRESPOND THE RESPONDENT'S ANSWERS TO THE OPTIONS PROVIDED. ACCEPT ONE ANSWER.]**

<i>Do nothing: it will go away,</i>	1
<i>Drink hot tea / Use folk remedy,</i>	2
<i>Go to pharmacy / Take medication,</i>	3
<i>Visit a doctor,</i>	4
<i>or Other.</i>	5
<i>(Don't know)</i>	98
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	99

**H3. During the past 12 months, did you need medical care due to an illness, an accident, or a chronic health problem?** [MEDCARE]

<i>Yes</i>	1	
<i>No</i>	2	<b>→ GO TO H9</b>
<i>(Don't know)</i>	98	
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	99	

**H4. For your most recent illness, accident or chronic health problem, did you visit a health facility or did you consult with a medical professional?** [MEDVIST]

<i>Yes</i>	1	
<i>No</i>	2	<b>→ GO TO H8</b>
<i>(Don't know)</i>	98	
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	99	

**H5. Did you visit a ...** [READ OUT] [MEDINST]

<i>Hospital,</i>	1
<i>Outpatient facility: polyclinic, clinic, ambulatory,<sup>1</sup></i>	2
<i>or Private doctor?</i>	3
<i>(Other)</i>	4
<i>(Don't know)</i>	98
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	99

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<sup>1</sup> These correspond to local institutions that do not have direct Western equivalents.

**H6. [SHOW CARD H6] Using this CARD, please tell me how satisfied were you with the medical care that you received the last time you visited a doctor, hospital, or medical clinic during the past 12 months? [MEDSATN]**

Completely unsatisfied	More unsatisfied than satisfied	Equally satisfied and unsatisfied	More satisfied than unsatisfied	Completely satisfied	(Don't know)	(Refuse to answer)
<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	98	99

**H7. [SHOW CARD H7] Using this CARD, please tell me which payment methods did you use the last time you visited a doctor, hospital, or medical clinic during the past 12 months? [MEDPAYT]**

**[INTERVIEWER! ACCEPT ALL ANSWERS.]**

*Treatment was free of charge* [MEDFREE]

*Paid money – official fees* [MEDOFFC]

*Paid money – unofficial fees* [MEDUNOF]

*Health insurance paid* [MEDINSU]

*or Other* [MEDOTHR]

*(Don't know)*

*(Refuse to answer)*

A	
B	
C	→ GO TO
D	<b>H9</b>
E	
Y	
Z	

**H8. Why did you not visit a health facility, or consult with a medical professional? Please tell me the most important reason. [HLTHNOR]**

**[INTERVIEWER! DO NOT READ OUT THE OPTIONS. CORRESPOND THE RESPONDENT'S ANSWER TO THE OPTIONS PROVIDED. ACCEPT ONLY ONE ANSWER.]**

*Doctor or health facility was too far away,* 1

*I do not trust medical personnel,* 2

*I did not have money to pay,* 3

*I did not have time,* 4

*I employed a folk remedy,* 5

*or Other.* 6

*(Don't know)* 98

*(Refuse to answer)* 99

**H9. How long in hours and minutes does it take you to get from your home to the nearest clinic or hospital using the transportation accessible to you? [HOSPTMH]**

**[INTERVIEWER! WRITE DOWN HOURS AND/OR MINUTES.]**

|\_|\_| HOURS |\_|\_| MINUTES

(Don't know) 98  
(Refuse to answer) 99

**H10. Sometimes people visit a doctor even when they don't feel ill, or are injured, but they only want to check their health. Speaking about you, do you usually go for preventive<sup>2</sup> medical check-ups at least once a year? [CHKSREG]**

Yes	1	→ GO TO H12
No	2	
(Don't know)	98	→ GO TO H12
(Refuse to answer)	99	

**H11. What is the main reason for that? Please tell me only one reason, which is the most important for you. [CHKSRSN]**

**[INTERVIEWER! DO NOT READ OUT THE OPTIONS. CORRESPOND THE RESPONDENT'S ANSWER TO THE OPTIONS PROVIDED. ACCEPT ONE ANSWER.]**

*Medical facility is too far away,* 1  
*I do not trust medical personnel,* 2  
*I do not have money to pay,* 3  
*I do not have time,* 4  
*I do not think it is necessary / makes any sense,* 5  
*or Other.* 6  
 (Don't know) 98  
 (Refuse to answer) 99

**H12. On average, how many cigarettes do you smoke per day? [CIGAVGD]**

**[INTERVIEWER! WRITE DOWN THE NUMBER OF CIGARETTES SMOKED PER DAY.]**

|\_|\_| NUMBER → IF MORE THAN '0', GO TO H14.

*Less than one cigarette per day (occasional smoker),* 97  
 (Don't know) 98  
 (Refuse to answer) 99

<sup>2</sup> To be translated as *profilakticheskyy*.

**H13. [SHOW CARD H13] Using this CARD, which of the following best describes your situation? [SMKSTAT]**

- |   |    |
|---|----|
| <i>I never smoked,</i>                                    | 1  |
| <i>I used to smoke, but quit less than a year ago,</i>    | 2  |
| <i>or I used to smoke, but quit more than a year ago.</i> | 3  |
| <i>(Don't know)</i>                                       | 98 |
| <i>(Refuse to answer)</i>                                 | 99 |

**H14. [SHOW CARD H14] Currently there are a number of health challenges facing /country/. Using this CARD, please tell me, in your opinion, which is the health issue that is in greatest need of immediate attention in /country/ today? [HLTHISS]**

**[INTERVIEWER! ACCEPT ONLY ONE ANSWER.]**

- |  |    |
|--|----|
| <i>Quality of medical care,</i>  | 1  |
| <i>HIV/AIDS,</i>   | 2  |
| <i>Tuberculosis,</i>   | 3  |
| <i>Diabetes,</i>   | 4  |
| <i>Heart disease,</i>  | 5  |
| <i>Illnesses caused by environmental pollution (air, water, etc.),</i> | 6  |
| <i>Cancer,</i>   | 7  |
| <i>Care for pregnant women and infants,</i>                            | 8  |
| <i>Availability of affordable medicines,</i>                           | 9  |
| <i>Availability of medical insurance,</i>                              | 10 |
| <i>Obesity /People being very overweight,</i>                          | 11 |
| <i>or Other.</i>   | 12 |
| <i>(Don't know)</i>  | 98 |
| <i>(Refuse to answer)</i>  | 99 |

**Thank you for telling me about your health situation. Now we will move on to talk about issues related to your relationships with friends and family.**

## SOCIAL NETWORKS [RB1]

**N1. For each of the following statements, please tell me whether it describes your feelings, more or less describes your feelings, or does not describe your feelings.**

**[INTERVIEWER! READ THE STATEMENTS FROM THE TABLE BELOW LINE BY LINE. ACCEPT ONE ANSWER IN EACH ROW.]**

		<i>Describes</i>	<i>More or less describes</i>	<i>Doesn't describe</i>	<i>(Don't know)</i>	<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>
1.	There are plenty of people I can rely on when I have problems. [FEELRLY]	1	2	3	98	99
2.	I experience a general sense of emptiness. [FEELEMP]	1	2	3	98	99
3.	There are many people I can trust completely. [FEELTRU]	1	2	3	98	99
4.	There are enough people I feel close to. [FEELCLS]	1	2	3	98	99
5.	I miss having people around. [FEELMSS]	1	2	3	98	99
6.	I often feel rejected. [FEELREJ]	1	2	3	98	99

**N2. Approximately how many of your relatives, excluding your household members, live in the same city or village as you? [NUMRELS]**

\_\_\_\_|\_\_\_\_|\_\_\_\_| NUMBER

*(Don't know)*      998  
*(Refuse to answer)*      999

**N3. How many close friends do you have? By close friends, I mean people who are not your relatives, but who you feel at ease with, can talk to about what is on your mind, or call on for help? [NUMCFRD]**

\_\_\_\_|\_\_\_\_|\_\_\_\_|NUMBER      → IF '0', GO TO QUESTION N6.

*(Don't know)*      998  
*(Refuse to answer)*      999      → GO TO N6

**N4. How many of your close friends live in the same city or village as you? [NUMFRDS]**

\_\_\_\_|\_\_\_\_|\_\_\_\_|NUMBER      → IF '0', GO TO QUESTION N5b.

*(Don't know)*      998  
*(Refuse to answer)*      999      → GO TO N5b

**N5a. Usually, how often do you see your close friends living in your city or village? Do see them ...** [READ OUT] [REGFRDS]

<i>Every day or a few times a week,</i>	1
<i>Once a week,</i>	2
<i>2 or 3 times a month,</i>	3
<i>Once in a month,</i>	4
<i>or Less often?</i>	5
[DO NOT READ] <i>(Never)</i>	6
<i>(Don't know)</i>	98
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	99

**N5b. Usually, how often do you see your close friends not living in your city or village? Do you see them ...** [READ OUT] [REGFRDE]

<i>Once a month or more frequently,</i>	1
<i>Once every 2-6 months,</i>	2
<i>Once every 7-12 months,</i>	3
<i>Once every 1-3 years,</i>	4
<i>or Less often?</i>	5
[DO NOT READ] <i>(Never)</i>	6
<i>(Not applicable – no such friends)</i>	97
<i>(Don't know)</i>	98
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	99

**N6. Do you have a family member or close relative who works for the local government?** [FAMLGOV]

<i>Yes</i>	1
<i>No</i>	2
<i>(Don't know)</i>	98
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	99

**N7. Do you have a family member or close relative who works for the local police force?** [FAMPLPOL]

<i>Yes</i>	1
<i>No</i>	2
<i>(Don't know)</i>	98
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	99

**N8. Do you have a family member or close relative who works for the national government in the capital of the country?** [FAMNGOV]

<i>Yes</i>	1
<i>No</i>	2
<i>(Don't know)</i>	98
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	99

**N9. Do you have a family member or close relative who works for a big international organization or company? [FAMIORG]**

*Yes* 1  
*No* 2  
*(Don't know)* 98  
*(Refuse to answer)* 99

**N10. Do you have any relatives and/or friends living abroad? [FAMFRAB]**

*Yes* 1  
*No* 2  
*(Don't know)* 98  
*(Refuse to answer)* 99

**N11. [SHOW CARD N11] Using this CARD, where '1' means "No control at all" and '10' means "Complete control," please tell me how much control you feel you have over your economic situation? [ECONCTR]**

**[INTERVIEWER! WRITE THE NUMBER FROM THE SHOW CARD.]**

\_\_\_\_|\_\_\_\_| CODE

*(Don't know)* 98  
*(Refuse to answer)* 99

**N12. In case you need to borrow money to cover your usual expenses for two weeks, could you borrow it from someone<sup>3</sup> outside your household? [BRRWABL]**

*Yes* 1  
*No* 2  
*(Don't know)* 98  
*(Refuse to answer)* 99

**N13. If you were ill, are there people besides those in this household, who would help look after you without expecting any compensation? [ILLHELP]**

*Yes* 1  
*No* 2  
*(Don't know)* 98  
*(Refuse to answer)* 99

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<sup>3</sup> We have to make it absolutely clear during the translation that we ask about a private person, NOT a bank or any kind of financial institution.



**N14. I will now read out list of different changes, either positive or negative, that may have occurred in your life. In respect to each of them, please tell me whether this change has been positive, negative or there has been no change during the last 12 months?**

**[INTERVIEWER! READ OUT THE CHANGES FROM THE TABLE BELOW LINE BY LINE. ACCEPT ONE ANSWER IN EACH ROW.]**

		<b>Positive Change</b>	<b>Negative Change</b>	<b>No Change</b>	<i>(Don't know)</i>	<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>
1.	Change in the level of your personal income. [LFCPINC]	1	2	3	98	99
2.	Change of your employment status. [LFCEMPL]	1	2	3	98	99
3.	Change of your health. [LFCHLTH]	1	2	3	98	99
4.	Change of the health of your household members. [LFCHHHL]	1	2	3	98	99
5.	Change in your relationship with family members or friends. [LFCFFRL]	1	2	3	98	99
6.	Change in the level of your formal education. [LFCEDUC]	1	2	3	98	99
7.	Change in your living arrangements. [LFCCLIVE]	1	2	3	98	99
8.	Change in the amount of childcare work you do. [LFCCHLD]	1	2	3	98	99
9.	Change in your relationship with law enforcement or courts. [LFCCLAWC]	1	2	3	98	99
10.	Marriage or divorce. [LFCMRRY]	1	2	3	98	99
11.	Death of a loved one. [LFCDEAD]	1	2	3	98	99

**N15. [SHOW CARD N15] Which of these changes had the greatest impact on your life? [LFCIMPT]**

**[INTERVIEWER! ACCEPT ONLY ONE ANSWER.]**

- Change in the level of your personal income,* 1
- Change of your employment status,* 2
- Change of your health,* 3
- Change of the health of your household members,* 4
- Change in your relationship with family members or friends,* 5
- Change in the level of your formal education,* 6
- Change in your living arrangements,* 7
- Change in the amount of childcare work you do,* 8
- Change in your relationship with law enforcement or courts,* 9
- Marriage or divorce,* 10
- or Death of a loved one.* 11

<i>(None)</i>	97	
<i>(Don't know)</i>	98	→ GO
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	99	TO JI

**[INTERVIEWER! ASK THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS (N16 THROUGH N22) ONLY ABOUT THE CHANGE NAMED BY THE RESPONDENT IN QUESTION N15.]**

**N16. [SHOW CARD N16] Using a scale from 1 to 5, where '1' means "Very little impact" and '5' means "Very big impact", to what extent has this change impacted on your life? [LFCSCAL]**

Very little impact	Less than medium impact	Medium impact	More than medium impact	Very big impact	<i>(Don't know)</i>	<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>
<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	98	99

**N17. Speaking of the change of the greatest impact, is it still affecting your life? [LCAFFC]**

- Yes* 1
- No* 2
- (Don't know)* 98
- (Refuse to answer)* 99

**N18. As a result of this change, is your [READ OUT LINE BY LINE FROM TABLE N18] much better, somewhat better, the same, somewhat worse, or much worse, than before the change?**

**[INTERVIEWER! ACCEPT ONE ANSWER IN EACH ROW.]**

<b>TABLE N18</b>		<b>Much better</b>	<b>Some what better</b>	<b>The same</b>	<b>Some what worse</b>	<b>Much worse</b>	<i>(Don't know)</i>	<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>
1.	Financial situation. [LCRFINS]	1	2	3	4	5	98	99
2.	Employment status. [LCREMPLE]	1	2	3	4	5	98	99
3.	Physical health. [LCRPHYS]	1	2	3	4	5	98	99
4.	Mental well-being. [LCRMENT]	1	2	3	4	5	98	99
5.	Personal safety and security. [LCRSAFE]	1	2	3	4	5	98	99

**N19. Now I want to know about who have helped you during this change. Did you get any help from:**

**[INTERVIEWER! READ OUT LINE BY LINE. CIRCLE ONE ANSWER IN EACH ROW.]**

		<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>	<i>(Not applicable)</i>	<i>(Don't know)</i>	<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>
1.	Your family? [LCRFAMY]	1	2	97	98	99
2.	Your relatives? [LCRRELA]	1	2	97	98	99
3.	Your close friends? [LCRCFRD]	1	2	97	98	99
4.	Your co-workers? [LCRWORK]	1	2	97	98	99
5.	Your neighbors? [LCRNGBR]	1	2	97	98	99
6.	Professional people like a doctor, or a lawyer? [LCRPROF]	1	2	97	98	99
7.	Local government? [LCRLGOV]	1	2	97	98	99
8.	An educational institution? [LCREDUC]	1	2	97	98	99
9.	A social services or health organization? [LCRORG]	1	2	97	98	99
10.	A law or justice organization? [LCRLAWJ]	1	2	97	98	99
11.	A religious organization? [LCRRELG]	1	2	97	98	99
12.	A non-governmental organization? [LCRNGOS]	1	2	97	98	99

**N20. [SHOW CARD N20] Which of these provided you with the greatest help?**  
 [LCRIMPT]

**[INTERVIEWER! WRITE DOWN THE CODE FROM THE SHOW CARD. ACCEPT ONLY ONE ANSWER.]**

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(Don't know) 98  
 (Refuse to answer) 99

**N21. [SHOW CARD N21] Using this CARD please tell me, what kind of help did you get from this source?** [LCRTYPE]

**[INTERVIEWER! ACCEPT UP TO FIVE ANSWERS.]**

- Emotional or moral support (including spiritual support, prayer or 'being there')* [SUPPEMO] A
- Financial support (excluding material goods)* [SUPPFIN] B
- Material goods or gifts (e.g., food, clothes, furniture)* [SUPPMAT] C
- Transportation or running errands* [SUPPTRA] D
- Help with household work, home maintenance or child care* [SUPPHHW] E
- Help with personal care or health care needs* [SUPPNEE] F
- Professional services or expertise* [SUPPPRO] G
- Information or informal advice (excluding professional expertise)* [SUPPINF] H
- Referral, networking or help making new contacts* [SUPPREF] I
- Teaching, coaching or training* [SUPPNET] J
- Support for political action* [SUPPPOL] K
- or Other* [SUPPOTH] L
- (Don't know)* [SUPPDK] Y
- (Refuse to answer)* [SUPPREF] Z

**N22. Are you still receiving help from this source?** [HELPNOW]

Yes 1  
 No 2  
 (Don't know) 98  
 (Refuse to answer) 99

## CORE QUESTIONS

Thank you for your answers to those questions. I will now ask you several questions about your activities.

### Section J. EMPLOYMENT and ECONOMIC SITUATION

**J1. What time do you usually get up on a normal weekday?** [GETUPTM]

**[INTERVIEWER! WRITE DOWN. USE 24-HOUR CLOCK.]**

\_\_\_\_|\_\_\_\_| HOURS |\_\_\_\_|\_\_\_\_| MINUTES

(Don't know) 98  
(Refuse to answer) 99

**J2. Do you have a job? This job may be part-time or full-time, you may be officially employed, informally employed, or self-employed, but it brings you monetary income.** [HAVEJOB]

Yes	1	
No	2	→ GO TO J6
(Don't know)	98	
(Refuse to answer)	99	→ GO TO J9

**J3. [SHOW CARD J3] Speaking about your primary place of employment only, which of the following best describes your status and the type of workplace?** [WORKTYP]

**[INTERVIEWER! ACCEPT ONLY ONE ANSWER. REMEMBER: "primary" IS SELF-DEFINED.]**

<i>Run my own business / Self-employed without employees, including working on a land plot,</i>	1
<i>Run my own business / Self-employed with employees, including working on a land plot,</i>	2
<i>Employee in a small local<sup>4</sup> family business / household production,</i>	3
<i>Employee in a medium-size or big local<sup>5</sup> private organization, company, or enterprise,</i>	4
<i>Employee in a state organization, company, or enterprise,</i>	5
<i>Employee in a foreign / international organization, company, enterprise, or joint venture,</i>	6
<i>Employee in a local or international non-governmental / non-profit organization,</i>	7
<i>or Other.</i>	8
(Don't know)	98
(Refuse to answer)	99

<sup>4</sup> "Local" means national in the sense this business has both national origin and national spread/significance.

<sup>5</sup> "Local" means national in the sense this business has both national origin and national spread/significance.

**J4. Speaking about your primary place of employment, from which year have you been employed at this workplace? [WORKYRS]**

**[INTERVIEWER! WRITE DOWN THE FOUR-DIGIT YEAR.]**

|\_|\_|\_| YEAR

(Don't know) 9998  
(Refuse to answer) 9999

**J5. [SHOW CARD J5] Still speaking about your primary place of employment only, which of the following best describes the sector you work for? [WORKSEC]**

**[INTERVIEWER! ACCEPT ONLY ONE ANSWER.]**

- |  |    |
|--|----|
| <i>Agriculture, Hunting and Forestry,</i>  | 1  |
| <i>Fishing,</i>  | 2  |
| <i>Mining and Quarrying,</i>   | 3  |
| <i>Manufacturing,</i>  | 4  |
| <i>Electricity, gas, and/or water supply,</i>  | 5  |
| <i>Construction,</i>   | 6  |
| <i>Wholesale and Retail Trade; Repair of Motor Vehicles,<br/>Motorcycles and Personal and Household Goods,</i> | 7  |
| <i>Hotels, Restaurants, Cafes,</i>   | 8  |
| <i>Transport, Storage and Communication,</i>   | 9  |
| <i>Financial Intermediation / Banking,</i>   | 10 |
| <i>Real Estate, Property and Renting Related Activities,</i>   | 11 |
| <i>Government, Public Administration and Defense,</i>  | 12 |
| <i>Education,</i>  | 13 |
| <i>Healthcare and Social Work,</i>   | 14 |
| <i>Civil society / NGO,</i>  | 15 |
| <i>or Other.</i>   | 16 |
| <i>(Don't know)</i>  | 98 |
| <i>(Refuse to answer)</i>  | 99 |

**[INTERVIEWER! QUESTIONS J6 THROUGH J8 ARE FOR THOSE RESPONDENTS WHO SAID THEY DO NOT CURRENTLY WORK (ANSWERED "No" TO QUESTION J2).]**

**J6. [SHOW CARD J6] Which of the following best describes your situation?**  
 [UNEMTYP]

**[INTERVIEWER! ACCEPT ONLY ONE ANSWER.]**

- Unemployed and looking for a job,* 1
- Unemployed and interested in a job, but currently NOT looking for a job,* 2
- Unemployed and not interested in looking for a job (if not a housewife),* 3
- Student,* 4
- Housewife,* 5
- Retired and looking for a job,* 6
- Retired and interested in a job, but currently NOT looking for one,* 7
- Retired and NOT interested in looking for a job,* 8
- Disabled,* 9
- or Other.* 10
- (Don't know)* 98
- (Refuse to answer)* 99

→ GO TO J9

**J7. From which year have you not had a job?** [UNEMYRS]

**[INTERVIEWER! WRITE DOWN THE FOUR-DIGIT YEAR.]**

\_\_\_\_|\_\_\_\_|\_\_\_\_|\_\_\_\_| YEAR

- Never had a job,* 9997
- (Don't know)* 9998
- (Refuse to answer)* 9999

**J8. From the time you have not had a job, have you engaged in any informal, temporary, or seasonal labor for payment in cash?** [INFWRKE]

- Yes* 1
- No* 2
- (Don't know)* 98
- (Refuse to answer)* 99

**INTERVIEWER!**  
 THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS SHOULD BE ASKED TO ALL RESPONDENTS.

**J9.** [SHOW CARD J9] Speaking about your personal monetary income last month, after all taxes are paid, which of the following groups do you belong to<sup>6</sup>?  
[PERSINC]

<i>More than USD 1200,</i>	1
<i>USD 801 – 1200,</i>	2
<i>USD 401 – 800,</i>	3
<i>USD 251 – 400,</i>	4
<i>USD 101 – 250,</i>	5
<i>USD 51- 100,</i>	6
<i>Up to USD 50.</i>	7
<i>(0)</i>	8
<i>(Don't know)</i>	98
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	99

**J10.** [SHOW CARD J9] Please tell me, what was your personal spending last month<sup>7</sup>?  
[PERSEXP]

<i>More than USD 1200,</i>	1
<i>USD 801 – 1200,</i>	2
<i>USD 401 – 800,</i>	3
<i>USD 251 – 400,</i>	4
<i>USD 101 – 250,</i>	5
<i>USD 51- 100,</i>	6
<i>or Up to USD 50.</i>	7
<i>(0)</i>	8
<i>(Don't know)</i>	98
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	99

**J11.** How many times have you taken loans, debt or credit including instant credit, of more than 100 USD<sup>8</sup> in the last 12 months? [LOANNUM]

**[INTERVIEWER! WRITE DOWN THE NUMBER.]**

\_\_\_\_|\_\_\_\_| TIMES → IF '0', GO TO QUESTION EU1.

<i>(Don't know)</i>	98	→ GO TO
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	99	<b>EU1</b>

<sup>6</sup> Card should be in local currencies

<sup>7</sup> Card should be in local currencies

<sup>8</sup> 100 USD should be transferred into local currencies.



**J12. [SHOW CARD J12] For the largest loan you have taken in the last 12 months, what was the money primarily used for? [LOANUSE]**

**[INTERVIEWER! ACCEPT ONE ANSWER.]**

<i>Business expenses / investments,</i>	1
<i>Pay for education,</i>	2
<i>Purchase / build / renovate a house,</i>	3
<i>Pay for medical care,</i>	4
<i>Purchase durable goods<sup>9</sup>,</i>	5
<i>Repay previously taken loans / credits,</i>	6
<i>Pay for utilities,</i>	7
<i>Buy food,</i>	8
<i>Pay for special events (wedding, funeral),</i>	9
<i>Informal payments, bribes,</i>	10
<i>Everyday expenses,</i>	11
<i>Travel / Vacation,</i>	12
<i>or Other.</i>	13
<i>(Don't know)</i>	98
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	99

**J13. [SHOW CARD J13] Still speaking about the largest loan, credit or debt you have taken in the last 12 months, from which of the following sources was it taken?**

**[LOANSRC]**

**[INTERVIEWER! ACCEPT ONE ANSWER.]**

<i>Private person with interest,</i>	1
<i>Private person without interest,</i>	2
<i>Bank, or other credit organization with interest,</i>	3
<i>Other organization with interest,</i>	4
<i>Other organization without interest,</i>	5
<i>or Other.</i>	6
<i>(Don't know)</i>	98
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	99

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<sup>9</sup> Durable goods refers to household or personal use items intended to last more than 5 years and costing over 100 USD. These are things such as refrigerators and washing machines. NOTE: all of the languages have such a phrase as it is used extensively by the IMF. Check economic statistics yearbook.

## EU NEIGHBORHOOD POLICY [RB2]

**[INTERVIEWER!]** If the HOUSEHOLD ID NUMBER ENDS WITH 1, 2 OR 3, USE THE QUESTIONNAIRE TYPE 1.

If the HOUSEHOLD ID NUMBER ENDS WITH 4, 5, OR 6, USE THE QUESTIONNAIRE TYPE 2.

If the HOUSEHOLD ID NUMBER ENDS WITH 7, 8, 9 OR 0, USE THE QUESTIONNAIRE TYPE 3.]

Now I will ask you several questions about the /country/ and the rest of the world.

**[INTERVIEWER!]** CIRCLE THE CODE CORRESPONDING TO THE TYPE OF THE QUESTIONNAIRE.]

Questionnaire Type:            **1**            **2**            **3**            [EUEXCOD]

[Questionnaire type 1]

[INTERVIEWER! ASK QUESTIONS EU1\_T1 THROUGH EU3\_T1 ONLY THOSE RESPONDENTS WHOSE HOUSEHOLD ID NUMBER ENDS WITH 1, 2, OR 3.]

**EU1\_T1.** Sometimes it is said that “These days, /country’s/ culture is increasingly threatened by Western cultural influences”. To what extent to you agree or disagree with this statement? Do you ... [READ OUT] [EUEXPQ1]

*Strongly agree,* 1

*Somewhat agree,* 2

*Neither agree, nor disagree,* 3

*Somewhat disagree,* 4

*or Strongly disagree?* 5

*(Don’t know)* 98

*(Refuse to answer)* 99

**EU2\_T1.** And to what extent you agree or disagree with the statement: “Younger members of our society have too little respect for /country’s/ traditions”? Do you ... [READ OUT] [EUEXPQ2]

*Strongly agree,* 1

*Somewhat agree,* 2

*Neither agree, nor disagree,* 3

*Somewhat disagree,* 4

*or Strongly disagree?* 5

*(Don’t know)* 98

*(Refuse to answer)* 99

**EU3\_T1.** And to what extent you agree or disagree with the statement: “Our way of life needs to be protected against Western influences”? Do you ... [READ OUT] [EUEXPQ3]

*Strongly agree,* 1

*Somewhat agree,* 2

*Neither agree, nor disagree,* 3

*Somewhat disagree,* 4

*or Strongly disagree?* 5

*(Don’t know)* 98

*(Refuse to answer)* 99

[INTERVIEWER! GO TO QUESTION EU4 (PAGE 25).]

[Questionnaire type 2]

[INTERVIEWER! ASK QUESTIONS EU1\_T2 THROUGH EU3\_T2 ONLY THOSE RESPONDENTS WHOSE HOUSEHOLD ID NUMBER ENDS WITH 4, 5, OR 6.]

EU1\_T2. Sometimes it is said that “These days, /country’s/ culture is increasingly threatened by Russian cultural influences”. To what extent to you agree or disagree with this statement? Do you ... [READ OUT] [EUEXPQ1]

- Strongly agree,* 1
- Somewhat agree,* 2
- Neither agree, nor disagree,* 3
- Somewhat disagree,* 4
- or Strongly disagree?* 5
- (Don’t know)* 98
- (Refuse to answer)* 99

EU2\_T2. And to what extent you agree or disagree with the statement: “Younger members of our society have too little respect for /country’s/ traditions”? Do you ... [READ OUT] [EUEXPQ2]

- Strongly agree,* 1
- Somewhat agree,* 2
- Neither agree, nor disagree,* 3
- Somewhat disagree,* 4
- or Strongly disagree?* 5
- (Don’t know)* 98
- (Refuse to answer)* 99

EU3\_T2. And to what extent you agree or disagree with the statement: “Our way of life needs to be protected against Russian influences”? Do you ... [READ OUT] [EUEXPQ3]

- Strongly agree,* 1
- Somewhat agree,* 2
- Neither agree, nor disagree,* 3
- Somewhat disagree,* 4
- or Strongly disagree?* 5
- (Don’t know)* 98
- (Refuse to answer)* 99

[INTERVIEWER! GO TO QUESTION EU4 (PAGE 25).]

[Questionnaire type 3]

[INTERVIEWER! ASK QUESTIONS EU1\_T3 THROUGH EU3\_T3 ONLY THOSE RESPONDENTS WHOSE HOUSEHOLD ID NUMBER ENDS WITH 7, 8, 9, OR 0.]

EU1\_T3. In a typical week, how often do you read a newspaper? Do you read a newspaper ... [READ OUT] [EUEXPQ1]

- |                              |    |
|------------------------------|----|
| <i>Every day,</i>            | 1  |
| <i>Several times a week,</i> | 2  |
| <i>Hardly ever,</i>          | 3  |
| <i>or Never?</i>             | 4  |
| <i>(Don't know)</i>          | 98 |
| <i>(Refuse to answer)</i>    | 99 |

EU2\_T3. Do you discuss the current events reported in the news with your friends or family members? If “yes”, do you discuss them sometimes or often? [EUEXPQ2]

- |                           |    |
|---------------------------|----|
| <i>No,</i>                | 1  |
| <i>Yes, sometimes,</i>    | 2  |
| <i>or Yes, often.</i>     | 3  |
| <i>(Don't know)</i>       | 98 |
| <i>(Refuse to answer)</i> | 99 |

EU3\_T3. Over the past year, did you travel outside your locality<sup>10</sup> to other parts of the country? If “yes”, how often did it happen? [EUEXPQ3]

[INTERVIEWER! DO NOT READ OUT. CORRESPOND THE ANSWER]

- |                                     |    |
|-------------------------------------|----|
| <i>No,</i>                          | 1  |
| <i>Yes, once or twice,</i>          | 2  |
| <i>or Yes, three times or more.</i> | 3  |
| <i>(Don't know)</i>                 | 98 |
| <i>(Refuse to answer)</i>           | 99 |

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<sup>10</sup> To be translated as “marz” in Armenia and “rayon” in Azerbaijan and Georgia.

**INTERVIEWER!**

THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS SHOULD BE ASKED TO ALL RESPONDENTS.

**EU4. Thinking about you and your family, do you think the growing trade and business ties of /country/ with other countries around the world have a good effect, bad effect, or no effect on you and your family? [GLOBEFF]**

- Good effect,* 1
- Bad effect,* 2
- or No effect.* 3
- (Don't know)* 98
- (Refuse to answer)* 99

**EU5. For each of the groups mentioned below, please state whether you think this group has benefited economically, experienced no difference or has been hurt economically from /country/ being engaged in trade and business ties with other countries?**

**[INTERVIEWER! READ OUT LOUD FROM THE TABLE BELOW. CIRCLE ONE ANSWER IN EACH ROW.]**

		<b>Benefited</b>	<b>No difference</b>	<b>Hurt</b>	<i>(Don't know)</i>	<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>
1.	People living outside the capital. [GLOBRUR]	1	2	3	98	99
2.	People living in the capital city. [GLOBCAP]	1	2	3	98	99
3.	People working in agriculture. [GLOBAGW]	1	2	3	98	99
4.	People working in manufacturing. [GLOBMFG]	1	2	3	98	99
5.	The educated people in the country. [GLOBEDU]	1	2	3	98	99
6.	The less educated people in the country. [GLOBUNE]	1	2	3	98	99
7.	People working for the government. [GLOBGOV]	1	2	3	98	99

**EU6. Now thinking about /country/ as a whole: In your view, are growing trade and business ties with other countries very good, somewhat good, somewhat bad or very bad for /country/? [GLOBRAT]**

- Very good,* 1
- Somewhat good,* 2
- Somewhat bad,* 3
- or Very bad.* 4
- (Don't know)* 98
- (Refuse to answer)* 99

**EU7. In recent years there has been a debate on whether /country/ should limit trade relations with Russia. Do you think that limiting trade with Russia is ... [READ OUT] [RUSSLIM]**

- Very good,* 1
- Somewhat good,* 2
- Somewhat bad,* 3
- or Very bad?* 4
- [DO NOT READ] (No difference)* 5
- (Don't know)* 98
- (Refuse to answer)* 99

**EU8. Do you think that Russian companies should be allowed or prohibited to purchase businesses in /country/? [RUSSBUY]**

- Prohibited* 1
- Allowed* 2
- (Don't know)* 98
- (Refuse to answer)* 99

**EU9. There are different issues that affect people's lives in all countries. I will read out a list of issues. In respect to each of them please tell me whether at this moment in time, it is not a concern, somewhat of a concern, or a big concern for you.**

**[INTERVIEWER! READ OUT LOUD LINE BY LINE. ACCEPT ONLY ONE ANSWER IN EACH ROW.]**

		Not a concern	Somewhat of a concern	Big concern	Not applicable	(Don't know)	(Refuse to answer)
1.	I will have to reduce my spending on leisure activities: vacations, concerts, eating out, etc. [CERNLES]	1	2	3		98	99
2.	I will have to reduce my daily spending on basic expenditures: food, clothes, medicine, etc. [CERNEXP]	1	2	3		98	99
3.	I will lose my job. [CERNJOB]	1	2	3	97	98	99
4.	I will not have enough money to sustain me comfortably when I am old. [CERNOLD]	1	2	3	97	98	99
5.	I will have to rely more on financial support from the government. [CERNGOV]	1	2	3	97	98	99
6.	I will have to rely more on financial support from family members. [CERNFAM]	1	2	3	97	98	99
7.	I will be forced to sell my home, car, or dacha in the near future. [CERNSEL]	1	2	3	97	98	99

**EU10. [SHOW CARD EU10] If you had to choose only one, which of the issues from the list would you say is the biggest concern for you at this point in time? [BIGCER1]**

**[INTERVIEWER! CIRCLE CODE CORRESPONDING TO THE RESPONDENT'S ANSWER IN COLUMN EU10. ACCEPT ONLY ONE ANSWER]**

**EU11. [SHOW CARD EU10] If you had to choose a second, which of the issues from the list would you say is the *second* biggest concern for you at this point in time? [BIGCER2]**

**[INTERVIEWER! CIRCLE CODE CORRESPONDING TO THE RESPONDENT'S ANSWER IN COLUMN EU11. ACCEPT ONLY ONE ANSWER.]**

	EU10	EU11
<i>I will have to reduce my spending on leisure activities: vacations, concerts, eating out, etc.,</i>	1	1
<i>I will have to reduce my daily spending on basic expenditures: food, clothes, medicine, etc.,</i>	2	2
<i>I will lose my job,</i>	3	3
<i>I will not have enough money to sustain me comfortably when I am old,</i>	4	4
<i>I will have to rely more on financial support from the government,</i>	5	5
<i>I will have to rely more on financial support from family members,</i>	6	6
<i>I will be forced to sell my home, car, or dacha in the near future,</i>	7	7
<i>or Not applicable.</i>		97
<i>(Don't know)</i>	98	98
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	99	99



## CORE QUESTIONS

Thank you for your answers. We will now ask you some questions about current events.

### Section P. POLITICAL VIEWS

Politics occur on different levels. People talk about international politics, national politics or local politics.

**P1. How interested would you say you are in international politics – are you ...**  
[READ OUT] [INTLPOL]

<i>Very interested,</i>	1
<i>Quite interested,</i>	2
<i>Hardly interested,</i>	3
<i>or Not at all interested?</i>	4
<i>(Don't know)</i>	98
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	99

**P2. How interested would you say you are in national politics – are you ...** [READ OUT]  
[NATLPOL]

<i>Very interested,</i>	1
<i>Quite interested,</i>	2
<i>Hardly interested,</i>	3
<i>or Not at all interested?</i>	4
<i>(Don't know)</i>	98
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	99

**P3. And how interested would you say you are in local politics – are you ...** [READ  
OUT] [LOCLPOL]

<i>Very interested,</i>	1
<i>Quite interested,</i>	2
<i>Hardly interested,</i>	3
<i>or Not at all interested?</i>	4
<i>(Don't know)</i>	98
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	99

**P4.** [SHOW CARD P4] There are different opinions regarding which direction the national politics in /country/ are going in. Which of the following would you personally agree with? [POLDIRN]

[INTERVIEWER! ACCEPT ONE ANSWER.]

- Politics is definitely going in the right direction,* 1
- Politics is going mainly in the right direction,* 2
- Politics does not change at all,* 3
- Politics is going mainly in the wrong direction,* 4
- or Politics is definitely going in the wrong direction?* 5
- (Don't know)* 98
- (Refuse to answer)* 99

**P5.** [SHOW CARD P5] It is said that every vote counts. How strongly do you agree with this statement in terms of current politics in /country/? Please rank your answer on a scale of 1 to 5, with '1' being "Completely disagree" and '5' being "Completely agree". [VOTECNT]

Completely disagree	Somewhat disagree	Equally agree and disagree	Somewhat agree	Completely agree	<i>(Don't know)</i>	<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>
<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	98	99

**P6a.** [SHOW CARD P6] Using this CARD, what do you think are the most important issues facing /country/ at the moment? Please tell the most important first. [ISSUIMP]

**[INTERVIEWER!]** CIRCLE CODE CORRESPONDING TO THE RESPONDENT'S ANSWER IN COLUMN P6A. ONLY ONE ANSWER.]

**P6b.** [SHOW CARD P6] And using the same CARD, tell me the second most important. [ISSUIM2]

**[INTERVIEWER!]** CIRCLE CODE CORRESPONDING TO THE RESPONDENT'S ANSWER IN COLUMN P6B. ONLY ONE ANSWER.]

	P6A	P6B
<i>Corruption,</i>	1	1
<i>NATO membership,</i>	2	2
<i>Pensions,</i>	3	3
<i>Relations with Russia,</i>	4	4
<i>Property rights,</i>	5	5
<i>Fairness of elections,</i>	6	6
<i>Jobs,</i>	7	7
<i>Court system,</i>	8	8
<i>Freedom of speech / Human rights,</i>	9	9
<i>Poverty,</i>	10	10
<i>Territorial integrity,</i>	11	11
<i>Rising prices / Inflation,</i>	12	12
<i>Affordable healthcare,</i>	13	13
<i>Wages,</i>	14	14
<i>or Other.</i>	15	15
<i>(Not applicable/ nothing else important)</i>		97
<i>(Don't know)</i>	98	98
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	99	99

**P7.** [SHOW CARD P7 I will read out a list of social institutions and political unions. Please, assess your trust toward each of them on a 5-point scale, where ‘1’ means “fully distrust,” and ‘5’ means “fully trust.” First, please tell me how much you trust the Army of /country/?

**[INTERVIEWER! READ OUT THE STATEMENTS LINE BY LINE. ACCEPT ONE ANSWER IN EACH ROW.]**

**[INTERVIEWER! ROTATE THE SOCIAL INSTITUTIONS. IN COLUMN R, CIRCLE THE CODE CORRESPONDING TO THE SOCIAL INSTITUTION YOU START WITH.]**

**TABLE P7**

		Fully distrust	Some-what distrust	Neither trust nor distrust	Some-what trust	Fully trust	(Don't know)	(Refuse to answer)
<b>R</b>								
1.	Army [TRUARMY]	1	2	3	4	5	98	99
2.	Banks [TRUBANK]	1	2	3	4	5	98	99
3.	Educational system [TRUEDUC]	1	2	3	4	5	98	99
4.	Healthcare system [TRUHLTH]	1	2	3	4	5	98	99
5.	Legal system [TRULEGL]	1	2	3	4	5	98	99
6.	NGOs [TRUNGOS]	1	2	3	4	5	98	99
7.	Parliament [TRUPARL]	1	2	3	4	5	98	99
8.	Executive government (Prime minister and ministers) [TRUEXEC]	1	2	3	4	5	98	99
9.	President [TRUPRES]	1	2	3	4	5	98	99
10.	Police [TRUAPOLI]	1	2	3	4	5	98	99
11.	Media [TRUMEDI]	1	2	3	4	5	98	99
12.	Religious institutions you belong to [TURELI]	1	2	3	4	5	98	99
13.	Ombudsman [TRUOMBD]	1	2	3	4	5	98	99
14.	European Union [TRUSTEU]	1	2	3	4	5	98	99
15.	or United Nations [TRUSTUN]	1	2	3	4	5	98	99

**There has been much debate about the European Union. I will now ask you some questions about the European Union.**

**P8. [SHOW CARD P8] Using this CARD, where ‘1’ means “Nothing at all” and ‘10’ means “A great deal,” please tell me how much do you feel you know about the European Union, its institutions? [EUKNOWL]**

**[INTERVIEWER! WRITE THE NUMBER FROM THE SHOW CARD.]**

|\_|\_| NUMBER

*(Don't know)* 98

*(Refuse to answer)* 99

**P9. There is now a debate about how much European Union’s Security and Defense Policies should develop. Do you tend to agree or do you tend to disagree with each of the following statements?**

**[INTERVIEWER! READ OUT THE STATEMENTS LINE BY LINE. ACCEPT ONE ANSWER IN EACH ROW.]**

**[INTERVIEWER! ROTATE THE STATEMENTS. IN COLUMN R, CIRCLE THE CODE CORRESPONDING TO THE STATEMENT YOU START WITH.]**

R		Tend to agree	Tend to disagree	<i>(Don't know)</i>	<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>
1.	The European Union should have a rapid military reaction force that can be sent quickly to trouble spots where an international crisis occurs. [EURPMIL]	1	2	98	99
2.	When an international crisis occurs, European Union members states should agree a common position. [EUCONFL]	1	2	98	99
3.	The European Union should have its own Foreign Minister, who can be a spokesperson for a common European Union position. [EUFOMIN]	1	2	98	99
4.	The European Union should have its own seat on the United Nations Security Council. [EUUNSEC]	1	2	98	99
5.	European Union foreign policy should be independent of United States foreign policy. [EUNOUSF]	1	2	98	99
6.	The European Union should work to guarantee Human Rights around the world, even if this is contrary to the wishes of some other countries. [EURHRWW]	1	2	98	99

**P10. For each of the following issues in /country/, do you think that the European Union plays a positive role or a negative role.**

**[INTERVIEWER! READ OUT LOUD LINE BY LINE. ACCEPT ONE ANSWER IN EACH ROW.]**

		Positive role	Negative role	(Don't know)	(Refuse to answer)
1.	<b>Fighting crime</b> [EURCRIM]	1	2	98	99
2.	<b>Economic situation</b> [EURECON]	1	2	98	99
3.	<b>Rising prices / Inflation</b> [EURINFL]	1	2	98	99
4.	<b>Taxation</b> [EURTAXA]	1	2	98	99
5.	<b>Fighting unemployment</b> [EURUNEM]	1	2	98	99
6.	<b>Fighting terrorism</b> [EURTERR]	1	2	98	99
7.	<b>Defense</b> [EURDEFN]	1	2	98	99
8.	<b>Foreign affairs</b> [EURFAFF]	1	2	98	99
9.	<b>Housing</b> [EURHOUS]	1	2	98	99
10.	<b>Healthcare system</b> [EURHLTH]	1	2	98	99
11.	<b>Education system</b> [EUREDUC]	1	2	98	99
12.	<b>Pensions</b> [EURPENS]	1	2	98	99
13.	<b>Protecting the environment</b> [EURENVI]	1	2	98	99

**P11. Have you or any member of your household been in a situation during the last 12 months when you/they had to pay a bribe in order to get a service or to obtain preferential treatment or consideration?** [BRIBEPY]

*Yes* 1

*No* 2

*(Don't know)* 98

*(Refuse to answer)* 99

**P12. In /country/ today, do you think or not that people like yourself have the right to openly say what they think? [FREESPK]**

*Yes* 1

*No* 2

*(Don't know)* 3

*(Refuse to answer)* 4

**P13. Under the present system of government in /country/, do you completely agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or completely disagree that people like yourself are treated fairly by the government? [FAIRTRT]**

*Completely agree,* 1

*Somewhat agree,* 2

*Somewhat disagree,* 3

*or Completely disagree.* 4

*(Don't know)* 98

*(Refuse to answer)* 99

**P14. [SHOW CARD P14] Please tell me, which of the following statements do you agree with? [GOVTROL]**

**[INTERVIEWER! AFTER THE RESPONDENT CHOOSES THE STATEMENT, ASK: "Do you agree with this statement or do you agree with this statement very strongly?" ACCEPT ONLY ONE ANSWER.]**

<b>Statement 1: People are like children; the government should take care of them like a parent.</b>		<b>Statement 2: Government is like an employee; the people should be the bosses who control the government.</b>	
<i>Agree very strongly with Statement 1</i>	<i>Agree with Statement 1</i>	<i>Agree with Statement 2</i>	<i>Agree very strongly with Statement 2</i>
1	2	3	4
<i>[DO NOT READ] Agree with neither</i>		5	
<i>(Don't know)</i>		98	
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>		99	

**P15. [SHOW CARD P15] Which of the following statements do you agree with?  
[PROTEST]**

**[INTERVIEWER! AFTER THE RESPONDENT CHOOSES THE STATEMENT, ASK: “Do you agree with this statement, or do you agree with this statement very strongly?” ACCEPT ONLY ONE ANSWER.]**

<b>Statement 1: People should participate in protest actions against the government as this shows the government that people are in charge.</b>		<b>Statement 2: People should not participate in protest actions against the government as it threatens stability in our country.</b>	
<i>Agree very strongly with Statement 1</i>	<i>Agree with Statement 1</i>	<i>Agree with Statement 2</i>	<i>Agree very strongly with Statement 2</i>
1	2	3	4
<i>[DO NOT READ] Agree with neither</i>		5	
<i>(Don't know)</i>		98	
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>		99	

**P16. Did you vote in the last national /type of election/ election<sup>11</sup>? [VOTLELE]**

<i>Yes</i>	1	→ GO TO P18
<i>No</i>	2	
<i>(Don't know)</i>	98	→ GO TO P18
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	99	

**P17. Why did you not vote? [REANVOT]**

**[INTERVIEWER! DO NOT READ THE OPTIONS OUT LOUD. CORRESPOND THE RESPONDENT'S ANSWER TO THE OPTIONS PROVIDED. ACCEPT UP TO TWO ANSWERS.]**

- I was not interested in politics* [NOVOTIN] A
- It was useless* [NOVOTUS] B
- I did not like any of the current politicians* [NOVOTLI] C
- As an act of protest* [NOVOTPR] D
- I did not believe that elections would be fair* [NOVOTFA] E
- I was away from the city / village* [NOVOTAW] F
- I was not of legal voting age* [NOVOTAG] G
- I did not have a voter registration card* [NOVOTCA] H
- I did not have citizenship* [NOVOTCI] I
- or Other* [NOVOTOT] J
- (Don't know)* [NOVOTDK] Y
- (Refuse to answer)* [NOVOTRE] Z

<sup>11</sup> Make sure to mention the last national election either parliamentary or presidential.



**P18. Do you believe that the voting during the last elections was actually kept secret, and nobody was able to find out whom a person voted for? [VOTSECR]**

<i>Yes</i>	1
<i>No</i>	2
<i>(Don't know)</i>	98
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	99

**P19. Would you say that the most recent /type of election/ election was conducted ... [READ OUT] [ELECRAT]**

<i>Completely fairly,</i>	1
<i>To some extent fairly,</i>	2
<i>or Not at all fairly?</i>	3
<i>(Don't know)</i>	98
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	99

**P20. [SHOW CARD P20] Using a scale of 1 to 5, where '1' means no support and '5' means your full support, to what extent would you support /country's/ membership in NATO? [NATOSUP]**

<i>Don't support at all</i>	<i>Somewhat not support</i>	<i>Equally support and don't support</i>	<i>Somewhat support</i>	<i>Fully support</i>	<i>(Don't know)</i>	<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>
<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	98	99

**P21. [SHOW CARD P21] Please tell me, which of the following statements do you agree with? [INCEQUA]**

**[INTERVIEWER! AFTER THE RESPONDENT CHOOSES THE STATEMENT, ASK: "Do you agree with this statement, or do you agree with this statement very strongly?" ACCEPT ONLY ONE ANSWER.]**

<b>Statement 1: Income should be equal for all citizens who work.</b>		<b>Statement 2: There should be large income differences to make sure that who works most gets the highest income.</b>	
<i>Agree very strongly with Statement 1,</i>	<i>Agree with Statement 1</i>	<i>Agree with Statement 2</i>	<i>Agree very strongly with Statement 2</i>
1	2	3	4
<i>[DO NOT READ] Agree with neither</i>		5	
<i>(Don't know)</i>		98	
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>		99	

**P22. Could you please tell me, how effectively, in your opinion, the below mentioned entities/people function to secure personal safety and civic rights? Please rank answers on a 5-point scale, where ‘1’ means “Very ineffectively” and ‘5’ means “Very effectively.”** [EFFSPOL — EFFSNGO]

**[INTERVIEWER! READ OUT THE GROUPS/PEOPLE LINE BY LINE. ROTATE AND MARK IN THE R COLUMN WHICH STATEMENT YOU START WITH. ACCEPT ONE ANSWER IN EACH ROW.]**

R		Very ineffective	Ineffective	More or less effective	Effective	Very effective	(Don't know)	(Refuse to answer)
1	Police [EFFSPOL]	1	2	3	4	5	98	99
2	Prosecutor's Office [EFFSPRO]	1	2	3	4	5	98	99
3	Ombudsmen [EFFSOMB]	1	2	3	4	5	98	99
4	Neighbors [EFFSNEI]	1	2	3	4	5	98	99
5	Friends [EFFSFRI]	1	2	3	4	5	98	99
6	Relatives [EFFSREL]	1	2	3	4	5	98	99
7	Criminal leaders [EFFSCRI]	1	2	3	4	5	98	99
8	Media [EFFSMED]	1	2	3	4	5	98	99
9	NGO [EFFSNGO]	1	2	3	4	5	98	99

### TEST: CORE QUESTIONS

**P23. How interested would you say you are in your country's foreign policy? Are you ...** [READ OUT] [INTERFP]

- Very interested,* 1
- Quite interested,* 2
- Hardly interested,* 3
- or Not at all interested?* 4
- (Don't know)* 98
- (Refuse to answer)* 99

**P24. How interested would you say you are in your country's domestic policy? Are you ...** [READ OUT] [INTERDP]

- Very interested,* 1
- Quite interested,* 2
- Hardly interested,* 3
- or Not at all interested?* 4
- (Don't know)* 98
- (Refuse to answer)* 99

**P24. How interested would you say you are in your country's policy that happens on the regional, municipal or village level? Are you ... [READ OUT] [INTERLP]**

<i>Very interested,</i>	1
<i>Quite interested,</i>	2
<i>Hardly interested,</i>	3
<i>or Not at all interested?</i>	4
<i>(Don't know)</i>	98
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	99

## WAR [RB]

**O1. Do you agree or disagree with the opinion that the recent war between Russia and Georgia could have been avoided? [GERUAVO]**

<i>Yes, could have been avoided,</i>	1
<i>No, could not have been avoided</i>	2
<i>(I have not heard about this war)</i>	97 → GO TO D1
<i>(Don't know)</i>	98
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	99

**O2. Do you agree or disagree with the opinion that the recent war between Russia and Georgia was in the interest of the Russian government? [GERURUI]**

<i>Yes, the war was in the interest of the Russian government</i>	1
<i>No, the war was not in the interest of the Russian government</i>	2
<i>(Don't know)</i>	98
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	99

**O3. Do you agree or disagree with the opinion that the recent war between Russia and Georgia was in the interest of the Georgian government? [GERUGEI]**

<i>Yes, the war was in the interest of the Georgian government</i>	1
<i>No, the war was not in the interest of the Georgian government</i>	2
<i>(Don't know)</i>	98
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	99

O4. **Do you agree or disagree with the opinion that the recent war between Russia and Georgia was in the interest of the governments of Western European countries?** [GERUEUI]

*Yes, the war was in the interest of the governments of Western European countries,* 1

*No, the war was not in the interest of the governments of Western European countries,* 2

*(Don't know)* 98

*(Refuse to answer)* 99

O5. **Do you agree or disagree with the opinion that the recent war between Russia and Georgia was in the interest of the US government?** [GERUUSI]

*Yes, the war was in the interest of the US government,* 1

*No, the war was not in the interest of the US government,* 2

*(Don't know)* 98

*(Refuse to answer)* 99

O6. [SHOW CARD P7] **Using this CARD, please tell me to what extent did you trust the information of the /country's/ TV channels about the war between Russia and Georgia?** [GERUTVT]

Fully distrust	Partially distrust	Equally trust and distrust	Partially trust	Fully trust	<i>(Don't know)</i>	<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>
1	2	3	4	5	98	99

## CORE QUESTIONS

### Section D. RESPONDENT'S CHARACTERISTICS

Now, I am going to ask you some information about yourself.

- D1. There are a number of ethnic groups living in /country/. Which ethnic group do you consider yourself a part of? [ETHNICI]**

**[INTERVIEWER! DO NOT READ OUT THE OPTIONS. ACCEPT ONLY ONE ANSWER.]**

<i>Armenian,</i> <sup>12</sup>	1
<i>Azerbaijani,</i> <sup>13</sup>	2
<i>Georgian,</i>	3
<i>Other Caucasian ethnicity (Abkhaz, Lezgin, Ossetian, Talysh, etc.),</i>	4
<i>Russian,</i>	5
<i>or Other ethnicity.</i>	6
<i>(Don't know)</i>	98
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	99

- D2. Which language did you mainly speak at home when you were a child? [NATLANG]**

**[INTERVIEWER! DO NOT READ OUT THE OPTIONS. ACCEPT ONLY ONE ANSWER.]**

<i>Armenian,</i>	1
<i>Azerbaijani,</i>	2
<i>Georgian,</i>	3
<i>Russian,</i>	5
<i>or Other language.</i>	6
<i>(Don't know)</i>	98
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	99

- D3. Starting with elementary school and counting up to the highest level of education you achieved to date, how many years of study have you completed? [FORMEDU]**

**[INTERVIEWER! WRITE DOWN THE NUMBER OF YEARS.]**

\_\_\_\_|\_\_\_\_| YEARS

<i>(Don't know)</i>	98
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	99

<sup>12</sup> Not present in Azerbaijan for all questions

<sup>13</sup> Not present in Armenia for all questions

**D4. During your studies, did you ever use connections to get grades you desired?<sup>14</sup>**  
 [GRADCON]

Yes 1  
 No 2  
 (Don't know) 98  
 (Refuse to answer) 99

**D5. During your studies, did you ever pay bribes or present gifts to teachers and/or university professors to get grades you desired?<sup>15</sup>** [GRADBRB]

Yes 1  
 No 2  
 (Don't know) 98  
 (Refuse to answer) 99

**D6. [SHOW CARD D6] Using this CARD, please tell me, which of these levels best describes your ability in the following:**

**[INTERVIEWER! READ OUT LOUD LINE BY LINE FROM TABLE D6. ACCEPT ONE ANSWER PER ROW.]**

**TABLE D6**

		No basic knowledge	Beginner	Intermediate	Advanced	(Don't know)	(Refuse to answer)
1.	Russian [KNOWRUS]	1	2	3	4	98	99
2.	English [KNOWENG]	1	2	3	4	98	99
3.	Other foreign language (except Russian or English) [KNOWOTH]	1	2	3	4	98	99
4.	Computer (Microsoft Office programs, <i>excluding</i> games) [COMPABL]	1	2	3	4	98	99

<sup>14</sup> Test question. Not necessarily to be repeated

<sup>15</sup> Test question. Not necessarily to be repeated

D7. [SHOW CARD D7] Which of the following best describes your experience with the Internet? [WEBEXPR]

- I personally access the Internet regularly to find information,* 1
- I know how to use the Internet but don't use it regularly to get information,* 2
- I have accessed the Internet before but rarely use it to get information,* 3
- I have never accessed the Internet, but I ask friends or family members to access it for me to get information,* 4
- or I have never used the Internet and I don't ask anybody to find out information from the Internet for me.* 5
- (Don't know)* 98
- (Refuse to answer)* 99

D8. What religion or denomination, if any, do you consider yourself as belonging to? [RELGION]

[INTERVIEWER! DO NOT READ OUT OPTIONS. CORRESPOND THE RESPONDENT'S ANSWER TO THE OPTIONS PROVIDED. ACCEPT ONLY ONE ANSWER.]

- Armenian Apostolic Church,* 1
- Roman Catholic Church,* 2
- Georgian, Russian or Greek Orthodox Church,* 3
- Baptist Church,* 4
- Other Protestant Church,* 5
- Other Christian Church (Jehovah's Witness, Mormons, etc.),* 6
- Islam,* 7
- Judaism,* 8
- Other,* 9
- or None.* 97
- (Don't know)* 98
- (Refuse to answer)* 99

→ GO TO D11

**D9. [SHOW CARD D9] Apart from special occasions such as weddings and funerals, about how often do you attend religious services nowadays? Please use this CARD. [RELSERV]**

- |                                  |    |
|----------------------------------|----|
| <i>Every day,</i>                | 1  |
| <i>More than once a week,</i>    | 2  |
| <i>Once a week,</i>              | 3  |
| <i>At least once a month,</i>    | 4  |
| <i>Only on special holidays,</i> | 5  |
| <i>Less often,</i>               | 6  |
| <i>or Never.</i>                 | 7  |
| <i>(Don't know)</i>              | 98 |
| <i>(Refuse to answer)</i>        | 99 |

**D10. How often do you fast when required by your religious traditions? Do you... [READ OUT] [RELFAST]**

- |   |    |
|---|----|
| <i>Always fast,</i>                             | 1  |
| <i>Often fast,</i>                              | 2  |
| <i>Sometimes fast,</i>                          | 3  |
| <i>Rarely fast,</i>                             | 4  |
| <i>or Never fast?</i>                           | 5  |
| <i>(Fasting is not required in my religion)</i> | 97 |
| <i>(Don't know)</i>                             | 98 |
| <i>(Refuse to answer)</i>                       | 99 |

**D11. Please tell me, which country are you a citizen of? [CITIZCO]**

**[INTERVIEWER! DO NOT READ OUT THE OPTIONS. ACCEPT UP TO TWO ANSWERS.]**

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| <i>Armenia</i> [AMCITIZ]   | A |
| <i>Azerbaijan</i> [AZCITIZ]  | B |
| <i>Georgia</i> [GECITIZ]   | C |
| <i>Russia</i> [RUCITIZ]  | D |
| <i>Other country of the Former Soviet Union, excluding Armenia, Azerbaijan, Georgia and Russia</i> [FSCITIZ] | E |
| <i>Other country, excluding any country of the Former Soviet Union</i> [OCCITIZ]                             | F |
| <i>or I do not have any citizenship.</i>   | X |
| <i>(Don't know)</i>  | Y |
| <i>(Refuse to answer)</i>  | Z |



**D12. In the near future, do you see yourself as... [READ OUT] [FUTCITZ]**

- /Nationality/ only,* 1
- /Nationality/ and European,* 2
- or European only?* 3
- (Don't know)* 98
- (Refuse to answer)* 99

**[INTERVIEWER! THE FOLLOWING QUESTION SHOULD BE ASKED IN ALL SETTLEMENTS EXCEPT CAPITAL.]**

**D13. How many times did you travel to /capital of country/ within the last 6 months? [CAPTRIP]**

**[INTERVIEWER! WRITE THE NUMBER.]**

|\_|\_|\_| NUMBER

- (Don't know)* 98
- (Refuse to answer)* 99

**INTERVIEWER!**

THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS SHOULD BE ASKED TO ALL RESPONDENTS.

**D14. How many times have you been outside /country/in the last five years? [FORTRIP]**

**[INTERVIEWER! WRITE THE NUMBER. IF THE RESPONDENT HAS BEEN OUT OF THE COUNTRY BUT DOESN'T REMEMBER HOW MANY TIMES, ASK THEM TO MAKE THEIR BEST GUESS. DO NOT WRITE '0' OR 'DON'T KNOW']**

|\_|\_|\_| NUMBER

- (Don't know)* 98
- (Refuse to answer)* 99

**D15. If you had a chance, would you leave /country/ for a certain period of time to live somewhere else? [MIGSHRT]**

- Yes* 1
- No* 2
- (Don't know)* 98
- (Refuse to answer)* 99

**D16. If you had a chance, would you leave /country/ forever to live somewhere else? [EMIGRAT]**

- Yes* 1
- No* 2
- (Don't know)* 98
- (Refuse to answer)* 99

Thank you for all your answers. We are now done with all the personal questions we have. At this point, I have some questions that it may be helpful for a family member knowledgeable about all members of the household to join the interview.

## CORE QUESTIONS

### Section A. HOUSEHOLD PASSPORT

**[INTERVIEWER! WRITE ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS A1 THROUGH A11 IN TABLE A1. WHILE FILLING THIS TABLE, LET THE RESPONDENT ASK FOR A HELP OF OTHER HOUSEHOLD MEMBER(S), IF NEEDED.]**

**A1. Now I would like to ask you about all members of your household living here, including yourself. I am only interested in your household members' characteristics, and I won't ask you their names. Let me start with the head of your household.**

**[INTERVIEWER! HEAD OF THE HOUSEHOLD IS PRE-CODED IN THE FIRST ROW IN COLUMN A2 OF TABLE A1 → GO TO QUESTION A3.]**

**A2. [SHOW CARD A2] What is next household member's relationship to the head of household? [HHHEADR]**

**[INTERVIEWER! WRITE DOWN THE CORRESPONDING CODE FROM THE SHOW CARD IN THE NEXT BLANK ROW IN COLUMN A2 OF TABLE A1. USE CODE '98' FOR "DON'T KNOW" AND CODE '99' FOR "REFUSE TO ANSWER."]**

**A3. What sex is this person? [HHMSEXS]**

**[INTERVIEWER! USE CODE '1' FOR "MALE" AND CODE '2' FOR "FEMALE." WRITE DOWN THE CODE IN THE RESPECTIVE ROW IN COLUMN A3 OF TABLE A1.]**

**A4. In what year was this member of the household born? [HHMDOBS]**

**[INTERVIEWER! WRITE DOWN THE FOUR-DIGIT YEAR IN COLUMN A4 OF TABLE A1.]**

**[INTERVIEWER! DO NOT ACCEPT NON-RESPONSE. IF THE RESPONDENT CANNOT REMEMBER THE EXACT YEAR OF BIRTH, PROBE AGAIN. IF THE RESPONDENT STILL CAN NOT REMEMBER THE YEAR OF BIRTH OF THE MEMBER OF HOUSEHOLD, ASK: "In which decade was this person born?" AND [SHOW CARD A4]. WRITE DOWN THE FOUR-DIGIT CODE FOR DECADE FROM THE SHOW CARD IN COLUMN A4 OF TABLE A1.]**

**A5. [SHOW CARD A5] Where was this member of the family born? [HHMPLOB]**

**[INTERVIEWER!]** WRITE DOWN THE CORRESPONDING CODE FROM THE SHOW CARD IN COLUMN A5 OF **TABLE A1**. USE CODE '98' FOR "DON'T KNOW" AND CODE '99' FOR "REFUSE TO ANSWER."

**A6. [SHOW CARD A6] What is the highest level of education this household member has completed? [HHMEDUC]**

**[INTERVIEWER!]** WRITE DOWN THE CORRESPONDING CODE FROM THE SHOW CARD IN COLUMN A6 OF **TABLE A1**. USE CODE '98' FOR "DON'T KNOW" AND CODE '99' FOR "REFUSE TO ANSWER."

**[INTERVIEWER!]** ASK QUESTION **A7** ONLY ABOUT HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS WHO WERE BORN BEFORE 1995.]

**A7. Is this member of the household currently employed at least part of the time? This employment may be part-time or full-time, official, informal, or self-employment, but it brings monetary income. [HHMEMPL]**

**[INTERVIEWER!]** WRITE DOWN THE CODE CORRESPONDING TO THE RESPONDENTS' ANSWER IN COLUMN A7 OF **TABLE A1**. USE CODE '1' FOR "YES," '2' FOR "NO," '98' FOR "DON'T KNOW" AND CODE '99' FOR "REFUSE TO ANSWER."

**[INTERVIEWER!]** ASK QUESTION **A8** ONLY ABOUT HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS WHO WERE BORN BETWEEN 1993.]

**A8. [SHOW CARD A8] What is this household member's present marital status? [HHMMARR]**

**[INTERVIEWER!]** WRITE DOWN THE CORRESPONDING CODE FROM THE SHOW CARD IN COLUMN A8 OF **TABLE A1**. USE CODE '98' FOR "DON'T KNOW" AND CODE '99' FOR "REFUSE TO ANSWER."

**[INTERVIEWER!]** ASK QUESTION **A9** ONLY ABOUT HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS WHO ANSWERED '2', '3', '4', '6', '7' OR '8' TO QUESTION **A8**. IF NO SUCH MEMBER → GO TO **A11**.]

**A9. How old was this household member when s/he got married [for the first time]? [HHMMAGE]**

**[INTERVIEWER!]** WRITE DOWN THE AGE IN COLUMN A9 OF **TABLE A1**. USE CODE '98' FOR "DON'T KNOW" AND CODE '99' FOR "REFUSE TO ANSWER."

**[INTERVIEWER!]** ASK QUESTION **A10** ONLY ABOUT HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS WHO ANSWERED '2', '3', '4', OR '5' TO QUESTION **A8**. IF NO SUCH MEMBER → GO TO **A11**.]

**A10. Does the spouse of this member of the household also presently live in this household? [HHMSPID]**

**[INTERVIEWER!]** WRITE ANSWER IN COLUMN A10 OF **TABLE A1**. USE CODE '98' FOR "*DON'T KNOW*" AND CODE '99' FOR "*REFUSE TO ANSWER.*"

**A11.** **[INTERVIEWER!]** WRITE CODE '1' IN COLUMN A11 OF **TABLE A1** IF YOU ARE INTERVIEWING THIS HOUSEHOLD MEMBER NOW. WRITE CODE '0' OTHERWISE.] [A12]

**Now I would like you to tell me about the next household member.**

**[INTERVIEWER!]** IF THERE IS ANOTHER HOUSEHOLD MEMBER → ASK QUESTIONS **A1** THROUGH **A11** ABOUT THIS HOUSEHOLD MEMBER.]

**[INTERVIEWER!]** IF THERE ARE NO OTHER HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS → MAKE SURE THAT THE NUMBER OF THE HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS RECORDED IN **TABLE A1** IS THE SAME AS THE NUMBER RECORDED IN QUESTION **V9** ON PAGE 2 OF THE COVER SHEET. THEN → GO TO QUESTION **C1**.]

**TABLE A1**

<b>No.</b>	<b>Relationship to the head of household</b> Show CARD A2	<b>Sex</b> <i>1 Male</i> <i>2 Female</i>	<b>Year of birth</b>	<b>Place of birth</b> Show CARD A5	<b>Education</b> Show CARD A6	<i>Only if the HH member born before 1995</i> <b>Employed?</b> <i>1 Yes</i> <i>2 No</i>	<i>Only if the HH member born before 1993</i> <b>Marital status</b> Show CARD A8	<b>Age at [first] marriage</b>	<i>Spouse</i> <i>1 Yes</i> <i>2 No</i>	<b>Respondent</b>
<b>AN1</b>	<b>A2</b>	<b>A3</b>	<b>A4</b>	<b>A5</b>	<b>A6</b>	<b>A7</b>	<b>A8</b>	<b>A9</b>	<b>A10</b>	<b>A11</b>
1.	<b>1</b>		□□□□□					□□□		
2.			□□□□□					□□□		
3.			□□□□□					□□□		
4.			□□□□□					□□□		
5.			□□□□□					□□□		
6.			□□□□□					□□□		
7.			□□□□□					□□□		
8.			□□□□□					□□□		
9.			□□□□□					□□□		
10.			□□□□□					□□□		
11.			□□□□□					□□□		
12.			□□□□□					□□□		
13.			□□□□□					□□□		

## Section C. HOUSEHOLD ECONOMIC CONDITIONS AND BEHAVIOR

Households in all countries have different living and economic conditions. Now, I would like to ask you for some information about the living and economic conditions of your household.

**C1. Speaking about this dwelling, where your household lives, do you...** [READ OUT] [DWELOWN]

<i>Own it,</i>	1
<i>Rent it,</i>	2
<i>Live free of charge with the permission of the owner of this dwelling,<sup>16</sup></i>	3
<i>Or the dwelling is owned by state / by a company?</i>	4
<i>(Don't know)</i>	98
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	99

**C2. Is this dwelling connected to the following public utilities?** [WATRACC, ELECACC, GASPACC, TRSHACC, SEWGACC]

**[INTERVIEWER!]** READ OUT LOUD LINE BY LINE EACH SERVICE FROM **TABLE C2** AND WRITE THE CODE CORRESPONDING TO THE RESPONDENT'S ANSWER IN COLUMN C2 OF THIS TABLE. USE CODE '98' FOR "DON'T KNOW" AND CODE '99' FOR "REFUSE TO ANSWER."

**[INTERVIEWER!]** IF THE HOUSEHOLD DOES NOT HAVE ANY OF THESE SERVICES (CODE "2" IN EACH ROW OF COLUMN C2) → GO TO QUESTION **C5**.]

**[INTERVIEWER!]** ASK QUESTION **C3** ONLY ABOUT THOSE SERVICES WHICH THE HOUSEHOLD SAID THEY WERE CONNECTED TO (CODE '1' IN COLUMN C2).]

**C3. [SHOW CARD C3] Please tell me, on average, how consistently does this dwelling have access to each of these services?** [WATRFQR, ELECFRQ, GASPFQR, TRSHFRQ]

**[INTERVIEWER!]** READ OUT LOUD ALL THE SERVICES THE DWELLING IS CONNECTED TO, EXCEPT PUBLIC SEWAGE SYSTEM, AND WRITE DOWN THE CODE CORRESPONDING TO THE RESPONDENT'S ANSWER IN COLUMN C3 OF **TABLE C2**. USE CODE '98' FOR "DON'T KNOW" AND CODE '99' FOR "REFUSE TO ANSWER."

**[INTERVIEWER!]** IF THE HOUSEHOLD IS CONNECTED TO NO. '2' OR NO. '3' IN COLUMN C2 OF **TABLE C2** → ASK QUESTION **C4** ABOUT THE SERVICES THE HOUSEHOLD IS CONNECTED TO. IF THE HOUSEHOLD IS NOT CONNECTED TO EITHER NO. '2' OR NO. '3' → GO TO QUESTION **C5**.]

<sup>16</sup> The owner cannot be a household member.

**C4. Speaking about the last 6 months, have you been disconnected from /service/ because you owed money? [ELECDBT, GASPDBT]**

**[INTERVIEWER! WRITE DOWN THE CODE CORRESPONDING TO THE RESPONDENT’S ANSWER IN COLUMN C4 OF TABLE C2. USE CODE ‘98’ FOR “DON’T KNOW” AND CODE ‘99’ FOR “REFUSE TO ANSWER.”]**

<b>TABLE C2</b>		<b>Connected?</b>	<b>Consistency of access:</b>	<b>Disconnected?</b>
		<i>Yes 1</i> <i>No 2</i>		<i>Yes 1</i> <i>No 2</i>
		<b>C2</b>	<b>C3</b>	<b>C4</b>
1.	Pipeline tap water			
2.	Electricity from the public grid			
3.	Pipeline gas			
4.	Trash removal			
5.	or Public sewage system			

**C5. [SHOW CARD C5] Which of the following statements best describes the present economic situation of your household? [ECONSIT]**

- Money is not enough for food,* 1
- Money is enough for food only, but not for clothes,* 2
- Money is enough for food and clothes, but not enough for expensive durables like a refrigerator or washing machine,* 3
- We can afford to buy some expensive durables like refrigerator or washing machine,* 4
- or We can afford to buy anything we want.* 5
- (Don't know)* 98
- (Refuse to answer)* 99

**C6.** Now I will read you a series of household items. Please note that we are only interested in items that your household owns and that are in normal working order. Please tell me whether your household owns /item/ or not. [OWNCOTV, OWNDVDP, OWNWASH, OWNFRDG, OWNNAIRC, OWNCARS, OWNCELL, OWNCOMP, WEBHOME]

**[INTERVIEWER! READ OUT LOUD LINE BY LINE EACH ITEM FROM TABLE C6 BELOW AND WRITE ANSWER IN EACH ROW; IN CASE WHERE THE HOUSEHOLD OWNS THIS ITEM (CODE '1' IN COLUMN "OWN?"), ASK: "How many of these items does your household own?" AND WRITE DOWN THE NUMBER IN THE RESPECTIVE CELL. USE CODE '98' FOR "DON'T KNOW" AND CODE '99' FOR "REFUSE TO ANSWER."** [NUMCOTV, NUMDVDP, NUMWASH, NUMFRDG, NUMNAIRC, NUMCARS, NUMCELL, NUMCOMP]

THEN ASK: "please tell me the year the latest model was purchased," [YRPCOTV, YRPDVDP, YRPWASH, YRPFRDG, YRPAIRC, YRPCARS, YRPCCELL, YRPCOMP, YRWEBHO] AND WRITE DOWN THE FOUR-DIGIT YEAR IN THE RESPECTIVE CELL. USE CODE '9997' FOR "NOT PURCHASED" (e.g., a gift), CODE '9998' FOR "DON'T KNOW," AND CODE '9999' FOR "REFUSE TO ANSWER."]

**[INTERVIEWER! DO NOT ASK FOR THE NUMBER OF INTERNET ACCESS. IN CASE WHERE THE HOUSEHOLD HAS IT (CODE '1' IN COLUMN "OWN?"), ASK: "since which year is it available in your household?" AND WRITE DOWN THE FOUR-DIGIT YEAR IN THE RESPECTIVE CELL. USE CODE '9998' FOR "DON'T KNOW" AND CODE '9999' FOR "REFUSE TO ANSWER."]**

<b>TABLE C6</b>		<b>Own?</b> Yes 1 No 2	<b>IF "YES":</b> <b>How many?</b>	<b>Year the latest model was purchased:</b>
1.	<b>Color television</b> [4]		____ ____	____ ____ ____ ____
2.	<b>DVD player</b> [5]		____ ____	____ ____ ____ ____
3.	<b>Automatic washing machine</b> [8]		____ ____	____ ____ ____ ____
4.	<b>Refrigerator</b> [11]		____ ____	____ ____ ____ ____
5.	<b>Air conditioner</b> [9]		____ ____	____ ____ ____ ____
6.	<b>Car</b> [N]		____ ____	____ ____ ____ ____
7.	<b>Cell phone</b> [2]		____ ____	____ ____ ____ ____
8.	<b>Personal computer</b> [3]	IF 'NO' →GO to <b>C7</b>	____ ____	____ ____ ____ ____
			<b>Year since which available:</b>	
9.	<b>Internet access from your home computer.</b> [N]		____ ____ ____ ____	



**C7. Many households experience budget difficulties. Please tell me, in the course of a typical month, does your household have to limit consumption or use of the following due to budget difficulties?**

**[INTERVIEWER! READ OUT LOUD LINE BY LINE. WRITE CODE CORRESPONDING TO RESPONDENT'S ANSWER IN EACH ROW OF TABLE C7. USE CODE '97' FOR "NOT APPLICABLE", CODE '98' FOR "DON'T KNOW" AND CODE '99' FOR "REFUSE TO ANSWER."]**

<b>TABLE C7</b>		<i>Yes 1</i>	<i>No 2</i>
1.	Bread, pasta [LIMBRED]		
2.	Butter, milk [LIMMILK]		
3.	Meat [LIMMEAT]		
4.	Fruit, vegetables, EXCEPT potato [LIMVEGS]		
5.	Potato [LIMPOTA]		
6.	Electricity [LIMELEC]		
7.	Gas [LIMGASS]		
8.	or Transportation [LIMTRAN]		

**C8. Does your household currently have any savings? [SAVINGS]**

*Yes* 1

*No* 2

*(Don't know)* 98

*(Refuse to answer)* 99

**C9. Does your household currently have any debts? [DEBTSHH]**

*Yes* 1

*No* 2

*(Don't know)* 98

*(Refuse to answer)* 99

**C10. [SHOW CARD C10] Many households obtain income from several sources. Using this CARD, please rank all sources of your household’s income in the last 12 months. Please think about the income of all members of your household. Which was your household’s the largest source of income? Which was your household’s second largest source of income and so on?**

**[INTERVIEWER! WRITE DOWN THE RANKING OF THE INCOME SOURCES. USE CODE ‘1’ FOR THE LARGEST SOURCE OF INCOME, CODE ‘2’ FOR THE SECOND LARGEST SOURCE OF INCOME AND SO ON. WRITE ‘88’ FOR ALL SOURCES NOT MENTIONED BY THE RESPONDENT. CIRCLED ‘Y’ IF RESPONDENT DOESN’T KNOW AND ‘Z’ IF RESPONDENT REFUSES TO ANSWER]**

**TABLE C10**

		RANK:	Y	Z
A	Money from relatives/friends living elsewhere in this country [INCRAAB]			
B	Money from relatives/friends living in another country [INCRARM]			
C	Cash sales of agricultural products [INCRAAG]			
D	Aggregated earned income (salary) of all household members, <u>except</u> sales of agricultural products [INCRA\$\$]			
E	Pensions and government benefits [INCRAGO]			
F	Income from renting of property, vehicles or appliances [INCRARE]			
G	Income from sale of property, vehicles or appliances [INCRASA]			
H	Interest or earnings on deposits or securities [INCRA%%]			
I	Other sources of income [INCRAOT]			

**[INTERVIEWER! ASK QUESTION C11 ONLY OF THOSE RESPONDENTS WHO MENTIONED OPTION ‘A’: “Money from relatives/friends living elsewhere in this country” IN THE PREVIOUS QUESTION.]**

**C11. [SHOW CARD C11] Speaking about the last 12 months, which of the following best describes average frequency of receiving money from this person / these persons living elsewhere in the country? [IREMFRQ]**

- |   |    |
|---|----|
| <i>At least once a month,</i>               | 1  |
| <i>Approximately every 2-3 months,</i>      | 2  |
| <i>Approximately every 4-6 months,</i>      | 3  |
| <i>Less frequently than every 6 months,</i> | 4  |
| <i>or Irregularly / Difficult to say.</i>   | 5  |
| <i>(Don't know)</i>                         | 98 |
| <i>(Refuse to answer)</i>                   | 99 |

**[INTERVIEWER! ASK QUESTION C12 ONLY OF THOSE RESPONDENTS WHO MENTIONED OPTION 'B': "Money from relatives/friends living elsewhere in another country" IN QUESTION C10.]**

**C12. [SHOW CARD C11] Speaking about the last 12 months, which of the following best describes average frequency of receiving money from this person / these persons living in another country? [AREMFRQ]**

- |   |    |
|---|----|
| <i>At least once a month,</i>               | 1  |
| <i>Approximately every 2-3 months,</i>      | 2  |
| <i>Approximately every 4-6 months,</i>      | 3  |
| <i>Less frequently than every 6 months,</i> | 4  |
| <i>or Irregularly / Difficult to say.</i>   | 5  |
| <i>(Don't know)</i>                         | 98 |
| <i>(Refuse to answer)</i>                   | 99 |

**INTERVIEWER!**

THE FOLLOWING QUESTION SHOULD BE ASKED TO ALL RESPONDENTS.

**C13. In the last 12 months, has your household... [READ OUT.] [FINAN12]**

- |   |    |
|---|----|
| <i>Saved money,</i>                         | 1  |
| <i>Just got by,</i>                         | 2  |
| <i>Spent some savings,</i>                  | 3  |
| <i>Borrowed money,</i>                      | 4  |
| <i>or Spent savings AND borrowed money?</i> | 5  |
| <i>(Don't know)</i>                         | 98 |
| <i>(Refuse to answer)</i>                   | 99 |

**C14. [SHOW CARD J9] Household income is a sum of monetary income of all household members. Speaking about monetary income of all your household members last month, which of the following groups does your household belong to<sup>17</sup>? [MONYTOT]**

- |                            |    |
|----------------------------|----|
| <i>More than USD 1200,</i> | 1  |
| <i>USD 801 – 1200,</i>     | 2  |
| <i>USD 401 – 800,</i>      | 3  |
| <i>USD 251 – 400,</i>      | 4  |
| <i>USD 101 – 250,</i>      | 5  |
| <i>USD 51- 100,</i>        | 6  |
| <i>or Up to USD 50.</i>    | 7  |
| <i>(Don't know)</i>        | 98 |
| <i>(Refuse to answer)</i>  | 99 |

**C15. [SHOW CARD J9] Using this CARD, please tell me what was your household's monthly spending last month? [SPENDMO]**

- |                            |    |
|----------------------------|----|
| <i>More than USD 1200,</i> | 1  |
| <i>USD 801 – 1200,</i>     | 2  |
| <i>USD 401 – 800,</i>      | 3  |
| <i>USD 251 – 400,</i>      | 4  |
| <i>USD 101 – 250,</i>      | 5  |
| <i>USD 51- 100,</i>        | 6  |
| <i>or Up to USD 50.</i>    | 7  |
| <i>(Don't know)</i>        | 98 |
| <i>(Refuse to answer)</i>  | 99 |

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<sup>17</sup>Card should be in local currencies

**C16. What is the approximate percentage of your household's monthly monetary income that is spent on food? Do you spend... [READ OUT] [FOOD\$MO]**

- 25% or less,* 1
- 26% to 50%,* 2
- 51% to 75%,* 3
- or 76% to 100%?* 4
- (Don't know)* 98
- (Refuse to answer)* 99

**C17. In the past 6 months, how often has your household borrowed any money to buy food? Have you borrowed money... [READ OUT] [FOODDBT]**

- Every month,* 1
- Every other month,* 2
- Less frequently,* 3
- or Never?* 4
- (Don't know)* 98
- (Refuse to answer)* 99

**C18. What is the approximate percentage of your household's monthly monetary income that is spent on utilities? Do you spend... [READ OUT] [PCTUTIL]**

- 25% or less,* 1
- 26% to 50%,* 2
- 51% to 75%,* 3
- or 76% to 100%?* 4
- (Don't know)* 98
- (Refuse to answer)* 99

**C19. In the past 6 months, how often has your household borrowed any money to pay for utilities? Have you borrowed money... [READ OUT] [UTILDBT]**

- Every month,* 1
- Every other month,* 2
- Less frequently,* 3
- or Never?* 4
- (Don't know)* 98
- (Refuse to answer)* 99

**C20. Excluding income from sales of property or vehicles, compared to 2006, was your household's income in 2007... [READ OUT] [CYRRLPR]**

<i>Higher than in 2006,</i>	1
<i>About the same as in 2006,</i>	2
<i>or Lower than in 2006.</i>	3
<i>(Don't know)</i>	98
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	99

**C21. Compared to 2007, excluding income from sales of property or vehicles, do you believe your household's income in 2008 will be... [READ OUT] [NYRRLPR]**

<i>Higher than in 2007,</i>	1
<i>About the same as in 2007,</i>	2
<i>or Lower than in 2007?</i>	3
<i>(Don't know)</i>	98
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	99

**C22. [SHOW CARD C22] Using this CARD, let's imagine there is a 10-step ladder reflecting the economic standing of all households in /country/ today. The first rung of this ladder corresponds to the lowest possible economic position in society, while the 10<sup>th</sup> rung corresponds to the highest possible position. Which rung of this ladder do you think your household stands on currently? [CURRUNG]**

**[INTERVIEWER! WRITE THE NUMBER FROM THE SHOW CARD.]**

\_\_\_\_|\_\_\_\_| RUNG

<i>(Don't know)</i>	98
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	99

**C23. [SHOW CARD C22] And again using this CARD, which rung of this ladder do you think your household will be standing on 5 years from now? [FUTRUNG]**

**[INTERVIEWER! WRITE THE NUMBER FROM THE SHOW CARD.]**

\_\_\_\_|\_\_\_\_| RUNG

<i>(Don't know)</i>	98
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	99

**C24. Relative to most of the households around you, would you describe the current economic condition of your household as ... [READ OUT] [RELCOND]**

- Very good,* 1
- Good,* 2
- Fair,* 3
- Poor,* 4
- or Very poor?* 5
- (Don't know)* 98
- (Refuse to answer)* 99

**C25. What is the minimal monthly income that would enable your household live a "normal" life? [MININCN]**

**[INTERVIEWER! WRITE DOWN THE AMOUNT IN LOCAL CURRENCY.]**

- ||||||| AMOUNT  
*(Don't know)* 98  
*(Refuse to answer)* 99

**C26. Do you think your children will be financially better off than you are or worse off, when they are your age? [CHLDFIN]**

- Better of,* 1
- Worse off* 2
- [DON'T READ] *(The same)* 3
- (Not applicable – No children)* 97
- (Don't know)* 98
- (Refuse to answer)* 99

**THANK YOU.**

**T3 Time the interview finished: [TIMEFIN] || |**  
 Hour Minute

**[INTERVIEWER! USE 24-HOUR CLOCK.]**

**Please be informed that according to the existing practice of conducting this kind of surveys, certain part of the interviews are to be checked by our company a few weeks after the date of the interview. We can not know in advance which interview will be checked, this may not be you, but in case if another representative of our research center happens to check about the fact that we had this interview today, please do not be surprised.**

**[INTERVIEWER! ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS IMMEDIATELY AFTER FINISHING THE INTERVIEW.]**

## INTERVIEWER ASSESSMENT FORM

**W1. Overall, would you say that the respondent's attitude toward the interview was:**  
[CIRCLE ALL THAT MATCH] [RESPATT]

*Interested, involved* [RESPINT] A

*Friendly* [RESPFRN] B

*Impatient* [RESPIMP] C

*Worried, nervous* [RESPWOR] D

*or Hostile* [RESPHOS] E

**W2. How often did the respondent ask for clarification on the questions?** [FRQCLAR]

*Never,* 1

*Just for a few questions (less than ten),* 2

*For some questions, but not that many (approximately  
between 10 and 20),* 3

*For a substantial number of questions, but less than half  
the interview,* 4

*or Throughout most of the interview, or through the  
entire interview.* 5

**W3. How often was the respondent distracted during the interview?** [FRQDIST]

*Never,* 1

*Just for a few questions (less than ten),* 2

*For some questions, but not that many (approximately  
between 10 and 20),* 3

*For a substantial number of questions, but less than half  
the interview,* 4

*or Throughout most of the interview, or through the  
entire interview.* 5

**W4. How often did you feel that the respondent lacked knowledge about the questions  
you asked?** [CIRCLE ONE ANSWER] [FRQKNOW]

*Never,* 1

*Just for a few questions (less than ten),* 2

*For some questions, but not that many (approximately  
between 10 and 20),* 3

*For a substantial number of questions, but less than half  
the interview,* 4

*or Throughout most of the interview, or through the  
entire interview.* 5



**W5. In the space below, please list number(s) of question(s) that were particularly difficult for the respondent to understand: [DIFQUES]**

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**W6. How often did you feel the respondent was reluctant to answer the questions? [FRQLCT]**

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| <i>Never,</i>   | 1 |
| <i>Just for a few questions (less than ten),</i>                                | 2 |
| <i>For some questions, but not that many (approximately between 10 and 20),</i> | 3 |
| <i>For a substantial number of questions, but less than half the interview,</i> | 4 |
| <i>or Throughout most of the interview, or through the entire interview.</i>    | 5 |

**W7. Did the respondent appear to you: [RESPSIN]**

- |                                 |   |
|---------------------------------|---|
| <i>Completely honest,</i>       | 1 |
| <i>Mostly honest,</i>           | 2 |
| <i>Mostly Dishonest,</i>        | 3 |
| <i>or Completely Dishonest.</i> | 4 |

**W8. Would you say that the respondent's behavior during the interview was mostly: [RESPCOM]**

- |                     |   |
|---------------------|---|
| <i>Comfortable,</i> | 1 |
| <i>Neutral,</i>     | 2 |
| <i>or Nervous.</i>  | 3 |

**W9. On a scale of 1 to 5, how would you rate the respondent's level of intelligence? [RESPINL]**

- |                                |   |
|--------------------------------|---|
| <i>Not intelligent at all,</i> | 1 |
| <i>Not very intelligent,</i>   | 2 |
| <i>Average,</i>                | 3 |
| <i>Intelligent,</i>            | 4 |
| <i>or Very intelligent.</i>    | 5 |

**W10. On a scale of 1 to 5, please rate how attractive you found the respondent? [RESATTR]**

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| <i>Very unattractive,</i>                      | 1 |
| <i>Unattractive,</i>                           | 2 |
| <i>Neither attractive, nor not attractive,</i> | 3 |
| <i>Attractive,</i>                             | 4 |
| <i>or Very attractive.</i>                     | 5 |