

MEMBERS OF HOUSEHOLD

Christian name
for reference only

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QUESTIONNAIRE ON HOUSEHOLD RESOURCES
&
STANDARDS OF LIVING IN THE UNITED KINGDOM
1967-68

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- I Housing and Living Facilities
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Date(s) of interview(s)
or contactsMarch 28th 1965
April 30th 1965

Length of interview(s)

Wife and Daughter - 3 hours -
Husband/paragourner 2 hours

Total actual interviewing time

5 hours

Form of introduction

"My name is X. I'm from Essex/London University. We're preparing a report (writing a book) about standards of living in Britain today and how families manage. We think it's important for the Government and everyone else to know what the facts really are. We're hoping to talk to about 3,000 families throughout the country and I'd be very grateful if you could help us by answering some questions. All our information is, of course, strictly confidential."

SUMMARY : COMPLETE AFTER INTERVIEW

		10	3. Which sections were answered in whole or in part by which persons on the household?		Write Section 1, 2, 3, etc.	5. Number of other households at address		21
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SECTION I HOUSING AND LIVING FACILITIES

I'd like to start by asking a few questions about your house/flat

1(a) How many rooms are there - I mean for the sole use of the household?

number of living and dining-rooms (excluding bed-sitter) 0 1 2 3

number of kitchens 0 1 2 3

Is the kitchen large enough to eat in? Yes No *one only*

*number of bedrooms (including bed-sitter)

*total number of living and dining and bedrooms (including kitchen if large enough to eat in)

(b) How many of these rooms are usually heated during the evenings in winter (whether by coal, gas or electric, paraffin stove or central heating)?

DK

2. Would you and your family like to have more rooms or fewer rooms in the home?

X* more than one room extra
Y an extra bedroom
CODE 0 an extra living room
ONE 1 number of rooms about right
ONLY 2 one room fewer
3 two or more rooms fewer
4 DK

3. Is electricity laid on? yes, power points and lighting
yes, lighting only
No
DK

4. Has the household the sole or shared use of the following INDOOR facilities?

(a) A flush W.C.* X yes, sole use
Y yes, shared
0 none
PROMPT
CODE ALL (b) A sink or washbasin 1 yes, sole use
THAT and cold water tap 2 yes, shared
APPLY 3 none
(c) A fixed bath or shower 4 yes, sole use
5 yes, shared
6 none
(d) A gas or electric cooker 7 yes, sole use
8 yes, shared
9 none

5. Does the household have the sole use or shared use of a garden or yard?

X sole use garden } ASK Q. 5(a)
Y sole use yard }
CODE ONE ONLY 0 shared garden }
1 shared yard } SKIP TO Q.6.
2 neither garden nor yard }

(a) Is it - too small for the household to sit in the sun (e.g. smaller than 10 feet x 10 feet)

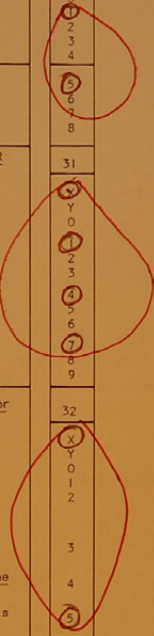
CODE - at least big enough for the household to sit in the sun, but not equal in size to a tennis court
ONE
ONLY - substantial in size (e.g. equal in size to a tennis court or bigger)

6. One or two other questions about living here. Do you find the air in this neighbourhood clean or is it dirty, smoky or foul-smelling?

always dirty, smoky, foul-smelling
sometimes dirty, smoky or foul-smelling
not dirty, smoky or foul-smelling
DK

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Pleasant good air - but hospital opposite has a boiler chimney which gives off a most objectionable smoke like fumes - fairly regularly. 20th Nov

7. Does the house/flat have any structural defects?

rising damp, damp walls or ceilings } 1 Yes ASK Q.7(a)
 loose brick-work/plaster } 2 no } SKIP TO
 roof which leaks in heavy rain } 3 DK } Q. 8.
 badly-fitting windows or doors } 4
 which do not open or close } 5
 broken floorboards, stairs } 6
 other ----- } 6

PROMPT ALL THAT APPLY

(a) Do you feel any of these are a danger to your health or of anyone in the household?

Yes } 1
 No } 2
 DK } 3

8. Would you say you (and the family) have a serious housing problem?

Yes } ASK Q.8(a)
 No } SKIP TO Q.8(b)
 DK }

(a) What sort of problem is the worst?

1 overcrowding }
 2 inadequate basic facilities } SKIP TO Q.9
 3 damp accommodation }
 4 other structural defects }
 5 need to move elsewhere }
 6 other (specify) }

CODE ONE ONLY

(b) Have you ever had a serious housing problem (since you were 21)?

Yes } ASK 8(c)
 No } SKIP TO Q.9.
 DK }

(c) What sort of problem was the worst?

X overcrowding
 Y inadequate basic facilities
 0 damp accommodation
 1 other structural defects
 2 need to move elsewhere
 3 other (specify) *stand*

(d) How long did it last?

recomm during war
 under 2 years } 4
 2 and less than 5 years } 5
 5 and less than 9 years } 6
 10 or more } 7

9. Which of the following items do you have in the household?

X television
 Y record player
 0 radio
 1 refrigerator
 2 washing machine
 3 vacuum cleaner
 4 telephone
 *5 central heating
 6 enough upholstered arm-chairs, easy chairs or settees for every member of family plus one visitor
 7 carpet covering all or nearly all floor in main sitting room
 8 DK one or more items (specify)

PROMPT CODE ALL THAT APPLY

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*staying conditions not easy - makes
 now appreciate difficulties often have
 about 18 wks.*

10. Now I would like to ask some questions about each person living here at present: I mean someone living here for more than a month, or someone here less than that but expected to stay longer than a month.

(a) First of all, can you tell me how many persons aged 15 and over there are? 3 Total persons in household 3

- And how many children under 15? 0

(b) And now can you tell me who they all are?
DESCRIBE RELATIONSHIP TO INFORMANT IN EACH COLUMN
(e.g. husband, son or other relationships between members)
LIST NAMES AND AGES ON BACK FLAP FOR REFERENCE

related to informant
not related to informant
male
female

(c) Was he/she here last night or was he/she away - staying with a relative or because of work, for example? Yes, here SKIP TO 0.10a Not here ASK Q.10(d)

(d) Why not? * CODE REASON

(e) How old are you (is he/she last birthday)? * code age-group

(f) Are you (is he/she) married or unmarried?
X unmarried
Y married, present last night } SKIP TO Q.11
0 married, away last night } ASK Q.
1 married, separated - no court order } 10(g)
2 married, separated - court order } ASK Q.
3 divorced } 10(h)
4 widowed } ASK Q.10(i)

(g) How long is it since your husband/wife was at home?
OR (h) How long is it since you were living together as man and wife? years if 1 or more less than 1 year, more than 3 months
(i) How long is it since you were widowed? 3 months or less

* CODE HOUSEHOLD TYPE (THREE DIGITS)

11. Is there anyone staying with you who doesn't usually live here or who will be living here for less than a month altogether - a visitor, say?

yes ASK Q.11(a)
no SKIP TO Q.12

(a) What is his relationship to you?
(b) Sex?
(c) Age? CODE AGE-GROUP
(d) How long has he/she lived here?
(e) How much longer do you expect him to stay?
(f) What is his/her reason for staying/living here? * CODE REASON

12. You have told me who lives here. Can I just check whether

(a) Any of the adults living here have any dependent children who are away at present? yes, dependent child } ASK Q. 12(c) yes, adult

(b) Any adult member is away at present - in hospital, at college or on holiday, for example? no, neither child nor adult } SKIP TO 0.15 DK

(c) What is his relationship to you?
(d) Sex?
(e) Age? CODE AGE-GROUP
(f) How long has he been away?
(g) How much longer do you expect him to be away? (in weeks)
(h) Why is he/she away at present? * CODE REASON
(i) IF CHILD. Does any adult in the household help to pay for his/her keep? Who?
(j) About how much a week does he pay?

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Daughter included in household, as seemed very much the daughter-in-the-house - has been kept away nursing - but now has slipped down and is at home (3rd) awaiting operation - will return for post op convalescence at home - before going as student to a medical (missionary) college - incidentally - she arrived exact point in great detail - she has cause of interview being strong!

CURRENT MONETARY INCOME

General

This section asks questions in turn of the employed, the self-employed and then everyone, including those who are not employed. Our object is to obtain reliable estimates of income, before and after tax, for each income unit in the household, both for "last week" and "the last 12 months".

Income Unit

This is any person aged 15 or over, or if in full-time education any person aged 19 or over, together with wife or husband (if she or he has one) and children under 15 (or aged 16-18 if in full-time education), if any. According to this definition a man, wife, and children aged under 15 count as one income unit, but a middle-aged widow and a son who is a university student, or an elderly widow and a single daughter of 40, count as two income units. A household consisting of man and wife with three single children who are all over 15 years of age and who are at work counts as four income units.

Allocating Income

Usually amounts of income can be entered in the appropriate column, according to the person receiving it. Do not enter any income twice. Do not, for example, enter a particular amount both for the wife and the husband. Nor need you split up any amount part of which is payable for a dependent wife or child. Thus, do not attempt to divide up the total of family allowances; enter the total in the wife's column. And enter an amount for sickness benefit, say, even if it includes sums for the wife and children, in the husband's column (if indeed it is he who receives it).

Gross and Net

In the first question you carefully ask for the last pay net of deductions and go on in the second question to establish what these deductions are. The answers to both questions effectively give gross and net earnings for the last period for which pay was received and you can build up further information in the questions that follow. You should be conscious of this distinction throughout the section. It will not always be possible to get information both for income after tax and income before tax. Remember that if you cannot get an answer for one you may be able to get it for the other. Make a note whenever you can. We can calculate in the office.

Last 12 months

Though you start by finding what was the last amount of pay received it is very important also to find what was the average pay during the previous 12 months and gradually build up the total income received by the income unit and the household in those months. You have already filled in a work-record and this will help you to answer several of the questions in the section.

QUESTION 1 Last earnings

Remember to check earnings for each member of the household, even those of a wife who had a job for only a few weeks in the year, a young son who works only on Saturdays, and a retired man with a part-time job. Second or subsidiary earnings are dealt with in Q. 14. Note that each digit is ruled off from the next. Insert "0" in any column which does not apply. Please note also that we have allowed wider columns on these income pages so that you have enough room to write in figures. But note that you will have to indicate which member of the household received any income if you are obliged to use a fifth or sixth column.

QUESTION 2 Deductions

Don't forget that a total is better than nothing. If the informant is uncertain say, "I believe it is on your pay slip" and encourage him or her to check. We have asked you to put a tick if in fact you are shown a slip or the informant reads off the amounts. As before, the small boxes on the left are for you to identify the member of the household: "Inf." "2nd" "3rd", etc.

National Insurance contributions

A male employee ordinarily pays 15s. 8d. and a female employee 13s. 2d. per week, although note that a married woman can elect to pay only 7d. per week to cover industrial injuries benefits. Boys under 18 pay 10s. 1d. and girls 8s. 8d. per week. Persons over 18 who are contracted out of the graduated pension scheme pay a higher flat rate insurance contribution of 18s. 1d. (men), 14s. 8d. (women).

Graduated pension contributions

The employee contributes 4½ per cent of each pound of gross weekly earnings between the ninth and the eighteenth, i.e. approximately 11½d. for each of these pounds, plus ½ per cent for each pound between the 19th and the 30th, i.e. rather more than 1d. for each of these pounds. In fact a man with gross weekly earnings of £9 pays nothing, one with £13 pays 4s. 0d., one with £21 pays 9s. 0d., and one with £30, 9s. 9d. About one person in every five, however, is contracted out of the graduated pension scheme, but such persons nonetheless pay ½ per cent on each pound of gross earnings between the ninth and the 30th, or a maximum of 2s. 1d.

QUESTION 3 Highest and lowest

Check the number of weeks worked by turning up the work record. Some people's earnings will have varied only in one or two weeks of the year and it will not be difficult for you to establish an average in (b). Remember Q. 3(b) is very important. Other people's earnings may have varied widely, either because of changes of job or variations in overtime. Do not include variations due to holidays or sickness. If it is difficult to arrive at an average write in the box or in the margins, e.g. 10 weeks @ £15 10s., six weeks @ £18 15s. and 23 weeks @ £24 11s. We will work out the rest. Do not include weeks of holiday or sickness, which are explored later.

QUESTION 4 Bonuses

If a commission or bonus has been included in Q. 3 do not now amend the answer to that question. If the information is given for the first time write the amount in the box and also strike out "Before" or "After" Tax as appropriate.

Quest 2

3rd member

Did not seem to know

answers - man rather

obscure - could not

obtain but pay slip

had in verification of

Hospital Admin -

But she ~~was~~ is

entitled to £65 per month

gross - actually receives

£88 per month -

included in deductions is

money for her residence in

hospital -

Householder:

Has been ill since August last - is now back at work - but he found it ~~hard~~ hard to concentrate; - although he tried hard, turning up receipts & so on - the finding of very precise figures bothered him - Esp. tax problems or anything to do with the affairs of the dentist's partnership - all of which is handled by an accountant - *

QUESTION 8

Obtain an estimate of total cost by the normal transport used. Some people who drive cars will offer their estimate of real cost but in such cases write in as indicated the average weekly mileage to and from work (not during work). In other instances assume 6d. per mile for all small cars (i.e. under 12 h.p.) and 8d. per mile for larger vehicles.

5 miles @ 6d. = 2s. 6d.	5 miles @ 8d. = 3s. 4d.
10 miles @ 6d. = 5s. 0d.	10 miles @ 8d. = 6s. 8d.
50 miles @ 6d. = 25s. 0d.	50 miles @ 8d. = 33s. 4d.
100 miles @ 6d. = 50s. 0d.	100 miles @ 8d. = 66s. 8d.

QUESTION 9 Holiday pay

Be careful not to include pay received simultaneously with holiday pay for any week of work. Remember that many wage earners only receive the basic wage during holidays, which is usually much lower than average earnings.

QUESTION 10 Sick pay

There are several practices. (1) Some employers (e.g. public services) automatically deduct national insurance sickness benefit for the worker and his dependants from pay during sickness (or sometimes expect him to report what sickness benefit he receives so that it may be deducted from later amounts of sick pay or even from the first weeks of earnings after recovery from sickness). (2) Others (mainly smaller private firms) deduct only the sickness benefit for the worker, ignoring what he may get for his dependants. (3) Still others deduct nothing for any sickness benefit for which a worker may be eligible. In the last two cases it might seem that the worker will be better off in sickness than at work. This is true for some, particularly salaried earners, but remember that if any employer pays anything to a wage-earner in sickness rarely does it exceed the basic wage. His average earnings may be much higher. (4) When the level of sick pay is small no deductions may be made for any sickness benefit.

Changes in sick pay after the first weeks

In rare instances of persons who have been sick more than a few weeks the rate of sick pay will have changed. If the average is difficult to estimate write in the amounts thus: 4 weeks @ £10, 4 @ £5 10s., etc. After deductions of tax, etc. Note if only the amount of pay before deductions is known.

QUESTION 11 Income of self-employed

The income of the self-employed is sometimes difficult to ascertain. Four alternative methods of questioning that have been found to be helpful in previous research are listed. Our first aim is to find the figure for annual income before tax. Thus Q. 11 A(iv) is the crucial one and if you can get the answer to this do not press unduly for the answers to the preceding questions, but they are helpful in establishing that (iv) is in fact the figure you want. The alternative aim (if you cannot achieve the first) is to seek the amount obtained from the business, either Method B — net profit including money taken out for own use, or Method C, the sums actually taken out for personal use. Method D should only be tried if all else fails, and frankly, is not of much help. An accurate figure for income is important and you should if necessary take time to establish it. Method D "Turnover" = total receipts from sale of goods and services, less any discount allowed.

⊗ All Tax is done by the accountant - it is done on the basis of the partnership - the accountant works out the probable demand for the year - the partnership then buys Tax Reserve certificates monthly; such act as reserve for the demand - Householder simply does not know the answer to this question.

QUESTION 12 Income tax

The informant will often know the approximate amount because profits or income from business fall under Schedule D. But we ask 12b to check that the informant is not including tax which is allowed for in other questions. For example, elsewhere we establish net income from dividends, but if here the informant adds £100, say, to the figure for tax to take account of tax on dividends deducted at source, we risk deducting the £100 twice by deducting it here as well. You should be warned that for this and other reasons the net income of the self-employed tends to be underestimated.

Weekly National Insurance contribution

Self-employed men pay 21s. per week. Self-employed women pay 17s. 3d. per week. Boys and girls under 18 pay 11s. 10d. and 10s. 1d. respectively.

QUESTION 13 Fluctuation in Income

The self-employed will often have an income that fluctuates throughout the year — especially those on low incomes. For example, the scrap dealer or stall-holder may not do as well in the winter as he does in the summer. The professional architect and the free-lance photographer may be paid at very irregular intervals. We are particularly interested in fluctuations which may produce hardship for a household which is usually prosperous. But remember that though income may fluctuate (e.g. in winter, for a shop-keeper or free-lance interviewer the same amounts per month may be drawn out of the bank or spent. Living standards are not necessarily affected.

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24. Is this house/flat rented or owned (i.e. by the householder)?

- X Owner occupied: fully owned } ASK Q.25
 Y paying mortgage }
 0 Rented: from local council } SKIP TO Q.26
 1 privately - furnished }
 2 privately - unfurnished }
 3 privately - with farm, business premises }
 4 Rent free: because of present or previous employment } SKIP
 5 for reasons other than employment } TO Q.28
 6 DK SKIP TO Q.29

25. IF HOUSEHOLDER IS OWNER OCCUPIER

(a) Does the dwelling include business as well as private accommodation? Does Not Apply SKIP TO Q.26
 yes ASK Q.25(a)(i)
 no SKIP TO Q.25(b)

- (a)(i) How many rooms are used for business? number _____
 (b) How much ground rent, feu duty (Scotland) chief rent, do you pay? amount £ _____
 (c) How much did you pay last year in rates? amount £ 79.17 inc
 (d) How much in water rates (if not included in (c))? amount £ _____
 (e) Do you get a reduction under the rates rebate scheme? yes _____
 IF YES How much is it per year no _____
 DK _____
 (f) Have you already deducted this figure from the amount you have just given me for rates? yes _____
 no _____
 (g) When did you buy this house? 1983

MORTGAGE PAYERS ONLY £ s d
 (h) What is the total monthly payment? OFFICE total
 * How much of this is interest? 969 USE annual
 ONLY housing cost

And how much capital repayments? OFFICE
 Other, if any (e.g. insurance premium on building) SPECIFY Life Ins for Mortgage USE
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ASK ALL (i.e. FULLY OWNING AND PAYING MORTGAGE)
 (i) How much do you estimate your house (and garden) to be worth at present? SHOW FLASHCARD NO.3 * range code

WRITE IN YOUR ESTIMATE informant's estimate £ 1500
 IF DIFFERENT interviewer's estimate £ _____ OFFICE
 AND NOTE REASON _____ USE
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Do you pay an insurance premium on the house or flat (not contents)
 annual premium £ 512.6 insured value of house in hundreds of pounds

(j) Has your employer helped you with a loan or grant in purchasing your house? yes _____
 IF YES grant: How much? _____
 loan: At what interest rate? _____

(k) How much have you spent in the last 12 months for alterations, decorations or repairs to your home (not business, and including paint and tools for work by self)? Total £ 100

DESCRIBE ITEMS IF NECESSARY AND COSTS
bed in spare room 120
2 Bg - floor - paid about
other decorations by self

(l) Are you applying for a mortgage under the Government's new option mortgage scheme? yes _____
 no } SKIP TO Q.30
 DK }

X Has Mortgage Life Assurance for next year 105 - 18.9 per year.

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INTERVIEWER'S NOTE:
 "It's a mortgage - Assurance: in a sense nothing off capital - but when it's paid up the mortgagee inherits the policy"
 105 18 9
 24 43 5
 529 13

VI. HEALTH AND DISABILITY

I would like to ask a few questions about the health of yourself and the other members of the household.

1. How would you describe the health of each person living here? Generally, is it good for your (his/her) age, fair or poor?

2. Is anyone in the family ill or unwell today? * yes ASK Q.2(a) no DK SKIP TO Q.3

(a) Are you (is he/she) off work? ASK Q.2(a)(i) 5 off work? } ASK Q.2(a)(i) 6 off school? } 7 neither off work nor off school } SKIP 8 Does Not Apply (e.g. housewife, small child) } Q.2(b)

(i) How many weeks? less than one number *

(b) Are you (is he/she) confined to bed or to the house? yes ASK Q.2(b)(i) no SKIP TO Q.2(c)

(i) For how many weeks continuously? less than one number *

(c) Are you (is he/she) seeing a doctor regularly? yes no DK

(d) What is the illness? WRITE IN ANSWER

3a Slipped disc: operation due soon -

3. Do you (does he/she) suffer from any condition which prevents you (him/her) from doing things which an ordinary person of the same age might expect to do? SHOW FLASHCARD NO.6. For example, do you have trouble with

- PROMPT X your chest or lungs? ASK Q.3(a)
- Y your back or spine? ASK Q.3(b)
- AND 0 your joints? ASK Q.3(c)
- CODE * 1 your nerves? ASK Q.3(d)
- 2 your sight? ASK Q.3(e)
- ALL 3 your hearing? ASK Q.3(f)
- 4 your speech? ASK Q.3(f)
- THAT 5 fits or blackouts?
- 6 diabetes?
- APPLY 7 a mental handicap (apart from nerves)? SKIP TO Q.4
- 8 anything else important (SPECIFY) *Thyroid*
- 9 DK *see below*

(a) For example, do you become breathless or have any pain or fits of coughing when you hurry? yes no

(b) For example, do you have any difficulty in moving freely and fully and using your hands? yes no

(c) (i) Are you affected, for example - by depression or weeping so that you can't face your work or mix with other people? PROMPT AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY

(ii) Are you seeing a doctor about it or having treatment for it? yes no

IF NO Do you think you should see the doctor about it? yes no

(d) For example, can you read ordinary print in a newspaper (even with glasses)? yes no

(e) Do you have difficulty hearing ordinary conversation? yes no but observed *

(f) Do you have difficulty joining in ordinary conversation with people outside the family? yes no

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3. in off work, but not ill, waiting for specialist

⊗ has had an operation to remove most of her thyroid gland; and now has to take thyroid extract pills daily for rest of life.

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FOR ALL

9. Have you stayed overnight with relatives or friends (on holiday or otherwise) in the last year, either without paying or not paying the full cost? Or has anyone taken you on holiday or lent you a house or a cottage of their own in which to stay?

yes, relatives } ASK Q.9(a)
 yes, friends }
 no }
 DK } SKIP TO Q.10

(a) How many nights altogether in the year? WRITE IN NUMBER

IF STAYING 30 NIGHTS OR MORE

(b) How much a week do you think you saved compared with what you would have spent if you had stopped at home or had to pay the cost of the holiday yourself?

Does Not Apply
 nothing
 DK
 APPROXIMATE SAVINGS IN SHILLINGS PER WEEK

10. Has anyone stayed overnight with you in the last 12 months, either without paying or not paying full costs? Or have you taken anyone on holiday or lent them a place of your own in which to stay?

yes, relatives } ASK Q.10(a)
 yes, friends }
 no }
 DK } SKIP TO NEXT SECTION

(a) How many nights altogether in the year? WRITE IN NUMBER

IF STAYING 30 NIGHTS OR MORE

(b) How much a week more do you think this cost compared with what you would have usually spent (allowing for anything they may have paid you)?

Does Not Apply
 nothing
 DK
 APPROXIMATE ADDITIONAL COST IN SHILLINGS PER WK

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x. Daughter here included; although was a less a member of the household, interviewed as she does not contribute to household Expenses - (has offered but parents will not accept)

FOR ALL CODE ALL

7. Now could I ask a few questions about food? (a) Do you have a cooked breakfast most days? I mean four or more days a week - things like bacon and egg (not porridge or toast)? *

yes
no
DK
Does Not Apply

(b) During the last two weeks was there a day when you ate no cooked meal at all (I mean from getting up to going to bed)? *

yes
no
DK
Does Not Apply

(c) Do you have fresh meat most days, I mean four or more days a week (not sausages, bacon or balled ham) - either here or in your meals out? CHECK ANSWER ESPECIALLY CAREFULLY FOR HOUSEWIFE

yes
no
DK
Does Not Apply

ASK HOUSEWIFE ONLY CODE HOUSEHOLD ONLY

8. (a) Do you normally have a Sunday Joint (i.e. 3 weeks out of 4)?

yes
no
DK

(b) How many pints do you usually take for the family (everyone in the household) in a whole week, including any extra at weekends and fresh milk bought from a shop? *

no. of pints in week

OFFICE USE ONLY

(c) And do you buy tinned or powdered milk as well?

yes
no
DK

ASK HOUSEWIFE ONLY CODE HOUSEHOLD ONLY

9. (a) Do you ever buy second-hand clothing from a shop or a stall, for yourself or others in the household?

CODE often
ONE sometimes
ONLY never
DK

(b) Do you buy any of your clothing or shoes through clubs or clothing cheques? *

yes ASK Q.9(c)
no } SKIP TO Q.10
DK }

(c) About how much do you spend on clothing clubs per week? WRITE IN AMOUNT IN SHILLINGS

(d) Do you ever miss payments or pay less than the full amount? regularly
no
DK

ASK HOUSEWIFE ONLY CODE HOUSEWIFE ONLY

10. Have you had a new winter coat in the last 3 years (i.e. 3 winters)? Does Not Apply SKIP TO Q.11

yes
no
DK

FOR ALL CODE ALL HOUSEHOLD

11. Has everyone got adequate footwear for fine weather AND if it rains?

yes
no
DK
Does Not Apply

FOR ALL

12. Can you tell me whether you

X - smoke? * IF YES, ASK Q.12(a)
Y - buy a daily newspaper
* 0 - regularly do the football pools (in season)? TO
* 1 - regularly have a flutter on the horses or dogs? Q.13
2 - none of these
3 - DK
4 - Does Not Apply

(a) How many cigarettes/ozs of tobacco a week? *

_____ cigs/ozs 2 3oz p.wk cigs/ozs OFFICE
_____ cigs/ozs _____ cigs/ozs USE

ASK HOUSEWIFE ONLY CODE HOUSEHOLD ONLY

13. About how much did you (and your family) spend altogether last Christmas - I mean extra to the usual housekeeping - on presents, food, entertainment, everything? *

Estimate in £'s

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Handwritten note: Not as much as formerly. asked Mrs. said we do not now have puddings - and friends call up it for coffee not so numerous as when husband was ill - daughter's friends also have now & day very very little - only share in for emergency.

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QUESTION 23 Poor now

Stress genuinely and try to avoid facetiousness at this point. Question 23 (a) explores what the informant understands by feeling "poor". If the word "poor" seems inappropriate use the alternative "very hard up".

QUESTION 24 Poverty

Stress the word "poverty". Do not explain what you think it means if you are asked. Seek from the informant his definition and write it in the box as clearly as you can.

QUESTION 25 Voting

Ask for those old enough to have voted in the last election (March 1965). We are not concerned who they voted for (although they will probably say) but would like to know if they are sufficiently involved to vote at all. Be careful to reassure people that this is confidential and as far as you are concerned non-voting is blameless—many people consider that voting is legally compulsory or morally obligatory and so voting figures are over-estimated. Try to get a clear recollection by fixing the incident (time of day, who they went with) if necessary. Stress National, not local elections.

QUESTION 26 Action on poverty

We are interested in what the informant thinks can be done. Give as full an answer as possible.

Please write in any additional notes.

26. Bot.

No good to create jobs for quiet people with not a lot of
resources to take — Some are feckless, n
with the poor material they have.

It's the rejection by society that seems to me so hard
to accept — I can't understand this — can't comprehend it.

There ought to be a place for people — (in society, understood)
9A

INTERVIEWER PLEASE CODE ALL THAT APPLY AFTER INTERVIEW

- (a) Household in which there is a child, one of whose parents is not resident
- (b) Household consisting of woman and adult dependants
- (c) Household in which there are five or more dependent children
- (d) Household containing an adult who has been unemployed for eight weeks (consecutively or in last 12 months)
- (e) Household containing an adult under 65 years of age who has been ill or injured for eight weeks (consecutively or in last 12 months)
- (f) Household containing a disabled adult under 65
 - (a) disabled
 - (b) borderline disabled
- (g) Household containing a disabled or handicapped child (including child ill or injured for eight weeks or more)
- (h) Household containing a person aged 65 or over who has been bedfast or ill for eight weeks or more or who is otherwise severely incapacitated
- (i) Household in which there are
 - (a) earners, none earning £12 a week or more
 - (b) adult male earners (aged 21 to 64) earning less than £14 a week
- (j) Household in which there are persons who are
 - (a) non-white
 - (b) born in Eire

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COMPOSITION OF HOUSEHOLD: CODES (Q. 10, p. 3)	
One generation	
Man alone: aged 60 or over	101
Man alone: aged under 60	102
Woman alone: aged 60 or over	103
Woman alone: aged under 60	104
Husband and wife: both aged 60 or over	105
Husband and wife: at least one aged under 60	106
Husband and wife: both under 60	107
Man and woman: otherwise related	108
Man and woman: unrelated	109
Two or more men only: related	110
Two or more men only: unrelated	111
Two or more women only: related	112
Two or more women only: unrelated	113
Other (SPECIFY)	114
Two generation	
Man, wife: + 1 child under 15	201
Man, wife: + 2 children both under 15	202
Man, wife: + 3 children all under 15	203
Man, wife: + 4 or more children all under 15	204
Man, wife: + children, at least 1 under 15 and at least 1 over 15, none married	205
Man, wife: + children all aged 15-24, none married	206
Man, wife: + children all over 15, at least 1 aged 25 or over, none married	207
Man and one child under 15	208
Man and two children both under 15	209
Man and three or more children under 15	210
Man and children at least one under and one over 15, none married	211
Man and children all aged 15-24, none married	212
Man and children all over 15 at least one 25 or over, none married	213
Woman: and one child under 15	214
Woman: and two children both under 15	215
Woman: and three or more children under 15	216
Woman: and children, at least one under and one over 15, none married	217
Woman: and children, all aged 15-24, none married	218
Woman: and children all over 15, at least one 25 or over, none married	219
Man: and widowed or separated son	220
Man: and widowed or separated daughter	221
Woman: and widowed or separated son	222
Woman: and widowed or separated daughter	223
Otherwise two generations: all related	224
Otherwise two generations: at least one person not related to any other	225
Other (SPECIFY)	226
Three generation	
Man, son and d-in-law, grandchildren: all under 15	301
Man, son and d-in-law, grandchildren: at least one under 15 and one over 15	302
Man, daughter & son-in-law, grandchildren: all under 15	303
Man, daughter and son-in-law, grandchildren: at least one under 15 and one over 15	304
Woman, son and d-in-law, grandchildren: all under 15	305
Woman, son and d-in-law, grandchildren: at least one under 15, one over 15	306
Woman, daughter and son-in-law, grandchildren: all under 15	307
Woman, daughter and son-in-law, grandchildren: at least one under 15, one over 15	308
Married couple, married child and child-in-law, grandchildren under 15	309
Otherwise 3-generations:	
—all persons related, at least one child under 15	310
—at least one child under 15	311
—all persons related	312
—unrelated	313
Other (SPECIFY)	314
Four generation	401
DESCRIBE COMPOSITION BELOW	