

MEMBERS OF HOUSEHOLD

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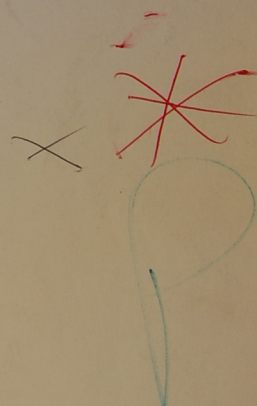
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QUESTIONNAIRE ON HOUSEHOLD RESOURCES
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STANDARDS OF LIVING IN THE UNITED KINGDOM
1967-68

- I Housing and Living Facilities
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- IV Current Monetary Income
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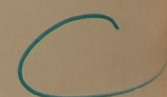


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Date(s) of interview(s) 27. 11. 68Length of interview(s) 1 hr 1/4 hr
(51) 2 hrs

or contacts

2. 12. 68Total actual interviewing time 2 1/4

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

1. Interview carried out at first call at second call at third or later call	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
	X Y 0		Informant		13
2. Information for household — — complete skip to Q. 3 incomplete—answer 2a	11	2nd member	14	6. Household living on ground basement floor 1st floor 2nd floor 3rd floor 4th floor 5th or above Specify	22
	X Y		3rd		
(a) Sections incomplete	1	CODE ALL THAT APPLY AS LISTED IN Q'AIRE (Some Sections may be listed twice)	16	Answer 6a { (a) Is there a lift in the building? Yes No	6
	2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9		4th		
(b) Reasons if incomplete — — ill/disabled does not know information unwilling to give information other (specify)	12	5th	18	7. Is there an internal or external flight of at least 4 steps or stairs to the dwelling entrance?	23
	X Y 0 1		6th		
Other (specify)	1	4. Semi or detached house or bungalow Ter. h'se or bungalow Self-con. flat in block Self-con. flat in house Self-con. flat attached to shop/business Room(s): furnished Other (specify)	20	Yes No	8 9
			Type of Accomm.		

SECTION 1 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

number of kitchens 0 1

Is the kitchen large enough to eat in? Yes No 2

*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
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?

PROMPT CODE ALL THAT APPLY

(a) A flush W.C.* X yes, sole use
Y yes, shared
0 none

(b) A sink or washbasin and cold water tap 1 yes, sole use
2 yes, shared
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?

CODE ONE ONLY

X sole use garden } ASK Q. 5(a)
Y sole use yard }
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 ONE ONLY

- at least big enough for the household to sit in the sun, but not equal in size to a tennis court

- 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
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Kitchen is living room.

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(priv. in single room)
(they find it very cramped if relatives come to stay)

(Household has tiny bathroom; other flat on landing has none - it's very old, poor property - etc.)

low-lying - in valley at foot of steep hill.

7. Does the house/flat have any structural defects?		34
PROMPT	rising damp, damp walls or ceilings	1 Yes ASK Q.7(a)
	loose brick-work/plaster	2 no } SKIP TO Q. 8.
	roof which leaks in heavy rain	3 DK }
	badly-fitting windows or doors	4
	which do not open or close	5
	broken floorboards, stairs	6
other	<u>some subsidence of property</u>	6
(a) Do you feel any of these are a danger to your health or of anyone in the household?		1
Yes		2
No		3
DK		
8. Would you say you (and the family) have a serious housing problem?		35
Yes ASK Q.8(a)		X
No } SKIP TO Q.8(b)		Y
DK }		0
CODE ONE ONLY	(a) What sort of problem is the worst?	1 overcrowding
	2 inadequate basic facilities	2 } SKIP TO Q.9
	3 damp accommodation	3
	4 other structural defects	4
	5 need to move elsewhere	5
	6 other (specify)	6
(b) Have you ever had a serious housing problem (since you were 21)?		7
Yes ASK 8(c)		8
No } SKIP TO Q.9.		9
DK }		
(c) What sort of problem was the worst?		36
X overcrowding		X
Y inadequate basic facilities		Y
0 damp accommodation		0
1 other structural defects		1
2 need to move elsewhere		2
3 other (specify)		3
(d) How long did it last?		4
under 2 years		5
2 and less than 5 years		6
5 and less than 9 years		7
10 or more		
9. Which of the following items do you have in the household?		37
PROMPT CODE ALL THAT APPLY	X television	X
	Y record player	Y
	0 radio	0
	1 refrigerator	1
	2 washing machine	2
	3 vacuum cleaner	3
	4 telephone	4
	*5 central heating	5
	6 enough upholstered arm-chairs, easy chairs or settees for every member of family plus one visitor	6
	7 carpet covering all or nearly all floor in main sitting room	7
	8 DK one or more items (specify)	8

Not sure if area is scheduled for dev't. in. Not in redevelopment zone.

started married life 6 years ago in single room when I came out of army. This is husband's second marriage, wife's first.

The "sitting room" furniture is of good quality, space has been well used along walls of kitchen for equipment. There is a bridge and a dog. The decor is bright & clean and the general impression is of warmth, comfort & cheerfulness.

SECTION 11 EMPLOYMENT

1. Can you tell me who in the household was at work last week, for any number of hours, however few?
 attended paid employment, or self employed *
 not attending paid employment } SKIP TO Q.6
 DK

2. Just the one job, or more than one? I mean did you do any spare-time or regular paid work? *
 one job
 two or more jobs

3. Is the work carried out here in the house or flat? *
 yes, main/only occupation
 yes, secondary occupation(s) only
 no

4. What was the usual hour at which you started and finished work each day last week? *
 X worked from before 8 am to 6 pm (or earlier)
 CODE ONE Y before 8 am and finished after 6 pm
 ONLY ON 0 8 am (or after) to 6 pm (or earlier)
 BASIS OF 1 8 am (or after) and finished after 6 pm
 ANSWER 2 after 6 pm to 8 am (or earlier)
 3 no usual hour of starting and/or finishing

5. Can you tell me the total number of hours you worked last week (counting all jobs for which you received pay)? Insert number*
 IF WORKED LESS THAN 30 HOURS ASK Q.5(a) DK
 IF WORKED 30 HOURS OR MORE SKIP TO Q.7 S

(a) When did you last work 30 hours or more in a week?
 X less than 6 months ago
 Y 6 months and less than 1 year ago
 0 1 and less than 3 years
 1 3 and less than 10 years
 2 10 or more years
 3 never
 4 DK

(b) Would you work more hours if such a job were available?
 5 yes, unconditionally
 6 yes, with reservations
 7 no, would not wish to
 8 no, could not do so
 9 DK
 CODE ONE ONLY
 ON BASIS OF ANSWER

6. IF NOT AT WORK LAST WEEK OR WORKING LESS THAN 30 HOURS
 Why weren't you at work last week?
 OR Why weren't you at work full-time? X housewife
 Y retired

PROMPT * 2 unemployed
 3 sick or injured
 4 disabled or handicapped
 5 paid holiday
 6 unpaid holiday
 7 not working because: school holidays
 8 ; caring for someone ill
 9 ; deputising for housewife

CODE ONE ONLY
 X other (specify) _____
 Y DK

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(Husband came out of Army: 1960)
 wife's hrs:
 Winter: 9 - 5.30 Mon - Thurs.
 Summer 9 - 6 9 - 7 Fri. - 9 - 8 Fri.

QUESTION 9

Exclude Bank Holidays in counting up holiday entitlement. List number of weeks to nearest week. Do not insert " $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

QUESTION 10 Occupation

See instructions above for Q. 7(b). Start by recording member of household in left-hand box (informant, 2nd, 3rd, etc.) and then carefully note occupation and industry or business. The office will code in the right-hand columns on the basis of your information. Avoid all vague terms, e.g. "engineer". If you find the answer too general or difficult to understand always ask "What do you do?" and write in the answer. In many households there will be only one or two persons who have been at work in the past twelve months. If necessary you can use all the space in the box just for one or two persons, providing it is clear to which person(s) the information applies.

*wife
attends to
Swiftable
chairs
round men
work
also receptionist*

QUESTION 11 Change of Job

Note that sub-questions (a) - (d) apply only to persons changing their jobs less than five years previously.

11(c). IRU, etc., means Industrial Rehabilitation Unit or any other Government training centre.

QUESTION 12 Training Course

Our object is to check on men taking a re-training or training course, whether or not they changed their job. Some men may have taken a course and gone back to their former job or employers. Others may be unemployed and yet have taken such a course.

QUESTION 13 Fall in Earnings

You may be asked what you mean by "big" fall. Accept whatever the informant thinks is big. Put the information in the box, including the approximate earnings previously as well as the subsequent earnings and code the extent of the fall in the right-hand columns.

QUESTION 14 Best job

If you are asked "What do you mean by 'best'?" you should say "It is up to you to decide" (adding, but only if necessary, "whether it's best because of the money, the people, the job in itself or anything else"). of course there will be people who give a mixture of reasons. Code the one they treat as most important. If they are undecided code DK.

QUESTION 15

A few persons — e.g. students — may have worked for part of the last year, or may work every Saturday and still be in full-time education. We will be asking about them later. Code them as still in full-time education.

QUESTION 15(a) Years of full-time education

The question is worded so that if someone has missed a year's schooling because of illness, say, between the ages of 5 and 14, he can adjust his answer accordingly. You can check (or aid other informants trying to reach an answer) by deducting five years from the leaving age and then asking if the result allows for any absence because of hospitalisation, war evacuation, military service, or any other reason. Note that full-time education can be provided in hospital. Only deduct a year if ALL of it was spent out of school. When writing in leaving age and number of years education remember again to insert each digit.

QUESTION 16 Manual Workers

If you are in doubt from what you have been told about a man's job whether it is manual ask, "How do you do your work? Is it mostly heavy work, or operating a machine or mostly with your hands?" If he indicates any of these ask Q. 16. If still in doubt ask the question and write a note.

*And was ~
Stable boy
till
18
Went into
Royal
artillery
to be
with
horses.*

QUESTION 17(a) Husband's occupation

Follow same procedure as above under Question 10. It will be even more necessary to probe for the exact type of job. Encourage the woman to tell you what her husband did, since the answer is most important for us in classifying occupational status.

OCCUPATIONAL FACILITIES AND FRINGE BENEFITS

General

Our intention is to invite anyone who has been working full-time to tell us about working conditions and fringe benefits. This will include anyone currently sick or unemployed who has been in full-time work in the last 12 months.

NORMALLY QUESTIONS SHOULD NOT BE ASKED ON SOMEONE ELSE'S BEHALF: THEY SHOULD BE ADDRESSED TO THE PERSON IN OR RECENTLY IN A PARTICULAR EMPLOYMENT.

But if two brothers, or husband and wife, work in the same factory or if otherwise the informant has good reason for knowing the employment conditions, then the interviewer may exercise discretion.

QUESTION 1 Outdoors

In determining whether **mainly** outdoors, you should find whether proportion of working time spent outdoors exceeds 50 per cent. Those working outdoors but under cover (e.g. some dock labourers and railway porters) should be counted as outdoors. Where conditions have changed, the question should be applied to the **most recent** conditions (e.g. last week at work).

QUESTION 2 Facilities

We are interested only in facilities provided by the employer. **Disregard** provisions and facilities which may happen to be available but which are not provided by the employer (e.g. garage hand who uses W.C. and washing facilities in neighbouring shop, or printer's apprentice who nips into local café for tea). For someone currently sick or unemployed the questions apply to the last job he held during the previous 12 months.

Facilities for washing Note that there must be hot water, soap and towel if "yes" is to be coded. Include liquid soap and paper towels in definition if necessary.

QUESTIONS 2 and 3 Writing in questions which do not apply

Working conditions vary widely and it is impossible to devise questions which fit them all. If you are satisfied that the answer yes or no to a particular question is meaningless or inappropriate **DO NOT CODE** alongside the item but write in underneath how many of the 8 or 10 items do not apply.

QUESTION 3 Sufficient Heating

The test is whether the informant feels cold at his work more often than the occasional instance of there being a heating breakdown or a really big freeze.

Facilities for washing Note that there must be hot water, soap, towel and mirror if "yes" is to be coded. You may count liquid soap as "soap" and paper towels and even a hand drying machine as equivalent to a towel if necessary.

Place for lunch Eating at bench or desk does not count.

Place to keep clothes e.g. cupboard, locker, wardrobe, hook in small room, etc. The wording should make clear that we are interested **both** in a place where clothes can be kept and one where they will be reasonably safe.

*Inf. works on
stone floor -
feet get cold in
& legs want
socks in summer.*

QUESTION 10 Personal use

Includes transport to and from work.

QUESTION 10a Normal repairs

Excludes repairs caused by negligence of informant or family. **Make and type** — e.g. Vauxhall Cresta, Saloon or Morris 15 cwt. van. The description should be enough for us to look up its second-hand value as a check on the value.

QUESTION 10d Driver

This is a polite way of ascertaining whether the car is chauffeur-driven. Thus Code X includes self, family, friends and other employees driving for pleasure and not because they are paid to drive the respondent around.

QUESTION 11 Other benefits

Read the prompts slowly: they are carefully drafted to cover the perks of both senior and junior staff. **The goods** may vary from free or subsidised coal given to miners to discounts on goods bought or free vegetables, seeds or seedlings. Don't hesitate to pursue it further according to occupations of informants. **Transport** may be free leisure travel given to railway or bus employees or paid holidays given to senior executives. Note this section is supplementary to the use of a vehicle in Q. 10. **Medical expenses** may be premiums to insurance agencies for private medical care or the direct payment of doctors' bills. **Education** can range from free tennis lessons or typing lessons to payment of public school fees. **Shares in the company** can be given free or below market value.

ENCOURAGE THE INFORMANT to add items under the various headings together and give time for this to be done. We are interested to know what it would cost to buy these things privately even though the employee might not have chosen to do so (e.g. the employee might have used the Health Service if his employer did not pay for him to have private medical care).

"How much a year are these things worth altogether?"

The point here is that some kinds of entries will be money saved, say, on goods and services which the informant would have had to pay for, whereas other entries will involve things he would never have afforded or thought about. Our aim is to discover what equivalent in extra income would be needed if he did the same things but had to bear the full cost himself.

QUESTION 13 Satisfaction with job

The questions are laid out in a form which equally encourage positive or negative answers. You may shorten the question to "Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with —" providing the informant seems to be genuinely weighing the alternatives.

Facilities at work means facilities as asked under Q. 3 earlier.

*Inf. Hunt
used
concerns more much
this year.*

*Inf. works
a lot
on her
own.*

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? good for age
fair for age
poor for age
DK

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) 5 off work? *
6 off school? } ASK Q.2(a)(1)
7 neither off work nor off school SKIP
8 Does Not Apply (e.g. housewife, TO
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)(1)
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

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) *wife is bronchitic & slightly overweight*

PROMPT Y your back or spine? ASK Q.3(b) *husband has spinal arthritis; when a collar when bad must radiate feet*

AND * 1 your nerves? ASK Q.3(c)

CODE 2 your sight? ASK Q.3(d)

ALL 3 your hearing? ASK Q.3(e)

4 your speech? ASK Q.3(f)

THAT 5 fits or blackouts?

6 diabetes?

APPLY 7 a mental handicap (apart from nerves)? *long at home TO SKIP Q.4*

8 anything else important (SPECIFY)

9 DK

X none of these

(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?
- by getting in a rage with other people?
- by being unable to concentrate?
- by sleeping badly?
- none of these

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 *
no

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

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VIII INCOME IN KIND

FOR ALL
1. Now I'd like to ask about any help you give or receive from your family and friends.

Do you see any of your family or a relative who doesn't live here most days in the week or at least once a week? I mean, for example, your mother, your husband's mother, a married sister or brother, son or daughter? I'm thinking especially of any of your own family or in-laws living near. *

WRITE IN RELATIVES SEEN

daily or almost every day	at least once a week
	1) wife's aunt
	2) - sister
	(all husband's relatives in south)
	Husband also sees ①-②

CODE seen one or more relatives most or all days in week
ONE seen one or more relatives at least weekly
ONLY no relatives or none seen weekly

DK

2. Do you regularly help anyone - a friend, a neighbour or someone in the family (PROMPT RELATIVES IN Q.1) - by doing things for them for example *

- PROMPT AND
CODE ALL THAT
APPLY -
MENTIONING
AGAIN THE
RELATIVES IN
Q.1
- minding children and taking them out?
 - preparing meals for a child or someone in the family, a friend or an old person?
 - shopping?
 - helping to arrange money matters?
 - laundry or washing?
 - cleaning?
 - looking after/dressing them?
 - driving to work, school or elsewhere?
 - gardening?
 - anything else? (SPECIFY)

family help given only for emergency - stock cousins in Oct. address covering in Oct.

CODE yes, helps relative
ALL THAT yes, helps friend/neighbor
APPLY no, help not given
DK

IF ANY HELP GIVEN About how many hours a week altogether would you say you spend doing (all) these things? WRITE IN TOTAL* HOURS

3. Does anyone - a friend, a neighbour or someone in the family (PROMPT RELATIVES IN Q.1) - help you or anyone living with you by doing things for you, for example *

- PROMPT AND
CODE ALL THAT
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AGAIN THE
RELATIVES
IN Q.1
- minding children and taking them out?
 - preparing meals for you (your husband, children)?
 - shopping?
 - helping to arrange money matters?
 - laundry or washing?
 - cleaning?
 - looking after you (your husband, children)?
 - driving you (husband, children) to work, school or elsewhere?
 - gardening?
 - anything else? (SPECIFY)

again help only when needed

CODE yes, a relative helps
ALL THAT yes, a friend/neighbor helps
APPLY no, ~~one~~ one helps
DK

IF ANY PERSON RECEIVES ANY HELP About how many hours a week altogether would you say they spent doing (all) those things? WRITE IN TOTAL *

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QUESTION 9 Staying overnight

The question concentrates on holidays and stays which are directly or indirectly paid for or subsidised by relatives and friends. It may be difficult to obtain an estimate of saving. We have in mind not only the instance of holiday but also an elderly person or a child staying with a member of the family for a lengthy period of the year during a time of loneliness or financial difficulty. Note that space allows only 8 columns on this page. In the unlikely event of interviewing in a household with 9 or 10 persons write in the details for the 9th and 10th persons lower on the page.

QUESTION 9 (b) Saving

Note that there are two alternatives in the question. The saving from staying in a relative's or a friend's home should be estimated in terms of the comparable cost of living at home. The saving from being taken on holiday should be estimated in terms of the cost of going on holiday on one's own.

QUESTION 10 Visitors

This question reverses Q. 9 but estimates of cost should be written into the column allocated for the housewife.

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 boiled 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 ONE ONLY
CODE TWO ONLY
CODE THREE ONLY
CODE FOUR ONLY
CODE FIVE ONLY
CODE SIX ONLY
CODE SEVEN ONLY
CODE EIGHT ONLY
CODE NINE ONLY
CODE TEN ONLY
CODE ELEVEN ONLY
CODE TWELVE ONLY
CODE THIRTEEN ONLY
CODE FOURTEEN ONLY
CODE FIFTEEN ONLY
CODE SIXTEEN ONLY
CODE SEVENTEEN ONLY
CODE EIGHTEEN ONLY
CODE NINETEEN ONLY
CODE TWENTY ONLY

often
sometimes
never
DK

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

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

(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
not often
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

SKIP TO Q.13

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

140 cigs/ozs cigs/ozs OFFICE USE
cigs/ozs cigs/ozs

ASK HOUSEWIFE 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

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7	8	9	10
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6 7 8 9	6 7 8 9	6 7 8 9	6 7 8 9	6 7 8 9	6 7 8 9	6 7 8 9	6 7 8 9	6 7 8 9	6 7 8 9

Is very well dressed well-groomed.

ASK CHIEF WAGE EARNER/H.O.H. CODE C.W.E./H.O.H. ONLY

23. * Do you think you could GENUINELY say you are poor now? —

PROMPT AND CODE ONE ONLY

(a) Do you feel poor at any of these times or in any of these situations?

FOR CHIEF WAGE EARNER/H.O.H. CODE C.W.E./H.O.H. ONLY

24. (a) There's been a lot of talk about poverty. Do you think there's such a thing as REAL poverty these days? *

(b) What would you describe as poverty?

WRITE IN ANSWER —
Not the poverty I knew - I worked when I was 6 years old - but old age pensioners are poor today.

(c) Would you say that if people are in poverty its mainly

ASK CHIEF WAGE EARNER AND HOUSEWIFE ABOUT ALL AGED 23 AND OVER

ASK CHIEF WAGE EARNER/H.O.H. CODE C.W.E./H.O.H. ONLY

26. If there is poverty what do you think can be done about it?

WRITE IN ANSWER —
make people work who're on public assistance, take it from family allowances give it to the old people.

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7	8	9	10
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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.

This interesting couple live in a short back street of poor tenement property, possibly destined for demolition, facing a short Georgian terrace in much better condition and running off a busy main road, near library, and not far from park.

They are tremendously devoted, go everywhere together and are very involved in the social life of their Forces club, about 1/2 a mile away.

They seem to spend as they go, dress well, live reasonably well and enjoy life, though neither is particularly fit. Mft. has had a chest check up for her bronchitis at hospital during the year - nothing found. The husband goes to out-patients for heart treatment when the ortho. his gets too bad & is on tablets when a chest lamp & collar to wear S.O.S.

There is a great warmth about this household which spills over not just the comfortable surroundings which have transformed the poor property. They speak well of their neighbours & were very co-operative.

The interview suddenly got very "charged" discussing poverty & both suddenly became racist and anti-children's allowances as if all their own personal anxieties had blown up and to be discharged: it was a quite strange phenomenon in an otherwise evening experience.

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