

MEMBERS OF HOUSEHOLD

Christian name
for reference only

Age last birthday


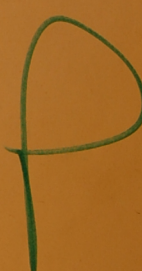
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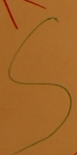

QUESTIONNAIRE ON HOUSEHOLD RESOURCES
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STANDARDS OF LIVING IN THE UNITED KINGDOM
1967-68

- I Housing and Living Facilities
- II Employment
- III Occupational Facilities and Fringe Benefits
- IV Current Monetary Income
- V Assets and Savings
- VI Health and Disability
- VII Social Services
- VIII Private Income in Kind
- IX Style of Living





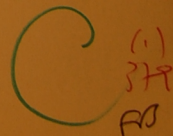
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Name of Interviewer Yvonne Adams

SERIAL NUMBER

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Date(s) of interview(s) 25.11.68 Summary of App made.
26.11.68 Part 2.
28.11.68 Interview Completed.

Length of interview(s) 20 mins.
2 Hrs 30 mins.
1 Hour.

Total actual interviewing time 3 Hrs 35 mins.

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? Informant	Write Section 1, 2, 3, etc.	5. Number of other households at address → None	21
	X Y 0		13 13 14		0
2. Information for household — — complete skip to Q. 3 incomplete—answer 2a (a) Sections Housing incomplete Employment Occupational Income Assets Health Inc. in kind Style of living (b) Reasons if incomplete — — ill/disabled does not know information unwilling to give information other (specify)	11	CODE THAT ALL THAT APPLY AS LISTED IN Q'AIRE (Some Sections may be listed twice)	1st member	6. Household living on Answer 6a { ground basement floor 1st floor 2nd floor 3rd floor 4th floor 5th or above Specify (a) Is there a lift in the building? Yes No	22
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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? —

- X Does Not Apply SKIP TO Q.24
 Y all the time } ASK Q.23(a)
 0 sometimes }
 1 never } SKIP TO Q.24
 2 DK }

(a) Do you feel poor at any of these times or in any of these situations?
 PROMPT AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY
 3 at weekends
 4 mid-week
 5 at Christmas
 6 with some of your friends
 7 with some of your relatives
 8 with some of the people round here
 9 other (SPECIFY)

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? *

- Does Not Apply SKIP TO Q.25
 yes
 no
 DK

(b) What would you describe as poverty?
 WRITE IN ANSWER
 When my father's lens was at the
 the weather was bad - you had
 to sell things to meet them - I used all
 your wireless I'd you know.

(c) Would you say that if people are in poverty its mainly
 X - their own fault?
 Y - the Government's fault?
 0 - the fault of their education?
 1 - the fault of industry not providing the right jobs?
 2 - anything else? (SPECIFY)
 3 - a combination of (some of) these?
 4 - none of these?
 5 DK

ASK CHIEF WAGE EARNER AND HOUSEWIFE ABOUT ALL AGED 23 AND OVER
 25. Do you mind telling me if you voted in the last General Election (I don't mean who you voted for, just whether you voted)? *
 CODE ALL AGED 23 & OVER
 yes, voted
 no
 DK
 DNA

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?
 nothing
 DK

WRITE IN ANSWER
 It must boil down to
 families - either the man
 of the house won't work or
 is out of work - if the man
 of the house works there is
 no poverty, nowadays -
 it just boils down to
 laziness.

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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.

When I was at school there were girls wearing boys' boots - that was more the poverty line I think. Don used to worry about how the dad was out of work - he used to have lots of penicillin & drugs over employment - you don't get that now with national insurance.

ASK CHIEF WAGE EARNER/H/O...
23. (a) Do you feel poor at all...
PROMPT AND...
CODE ALL THAT...
APPLY
ASK CHIEF WAGE EARNER/H/O...
24. (a) There's been a...
poverty. Do you th...
thing as REAL poverty?
25) What would you desc...
WRITE IN ANSWER...
When I...
the need...
to sell the...
your wife...
ASK CHIEF WAGE EARNER/H/O...
25. (a) Would you say the...
X - the...
Y - the...
0 - the...
PROMPT...
AND CODE 1 - the...
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3 - a con...
4 - none...
5 OK
ASK CHIEF WAGE EARNER AN...
25. (a) In your mind telling...
General Election (I...
not whether you voted?)
ASK CHIEF WAGE EARNER/H/O...
26. Is there is poverty...
can be done about it?
WRITE IN ANSWER...
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is out of...
of the low...
is poverty...
or just...
logness,

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	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
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	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 DESCRIBE COMPOSITION BELOW 401