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



I	Housing	and	Living	Facilities
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II Employment

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IV Current Monetary Income

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VI Health and Disability

VII Social Services

VIII Private Income in Kind

IX Style of Living

A Survey carried out from the University of Essex and the University of London (L.S.E.)

Queries should be addressed to: Miss Sheila Benson Skepper House 13 Endsleigh Street London WCI



Completed Completed

Total actual interviewing time 2 hs. 35 min.

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 2. Information for household — complete skip to Q. 3 incomplete—answer 2a incomplete Employment Occupational Incomplete Employment Occupational Incomplete Employment Occupational Incomplete Soc. Services Income 4 Income 5 Income 5 Income 6						
2. Information for household	at first call at second call	X	in whole or in part by which persons on the household?	Section 1, 2, 3, etc.	at address —	0
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persons aged 15 and over there are? - And how many children under 15?		50	la la							
(b) And now can you tell me who they all are?		109	beech	Ja	20	de	200			
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(d) How long has he/she lived here?	6	Villa	rever	site.	_					
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(b) Any adult member is away at present no, neither child SKIP TO nor adult Q.I3	0									
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(e) Age? CODE AGE-GROUP	44	-								
f) How long has he been away? g) How much longer do you expect										
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h) why is he/she away at present? **CODE REASON* II) IF CHILD. Does any adult in										
the household help to pay for										
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	SECTION II 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
2.	Just the one job, or more than one? I mean did you do any spare- time or regular paid work? * one job
	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? *
	CODE ONE Y 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 0.5(a) Insert number* OK DK
(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
	0 1 and less than 3 years 3 and less than 10 years 2 10 or more years 3 never 4 DK
(P)	Mould you work more hours if such a job were available? 5 yes, with reservations 5 yes, with reservations 7 no, would not wish to 8 no, could not do so 0 bk
• OR	IF NOT AT WORK LAST WEEK OR WORKING LESS THAN 30 HOURS Why weren't you at work last week? Why weren't you at work full-time? O student I pre-school or school child SKIP TO NEXT SECTION
	PROMPT 3 sick or injured Solve or injured disabled or handicapped paid holiday unpaid holiday not working because: school holidays a caring for someone ill g : deputising for house- vife
	3rd= Lectures - not too much work available in this

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Exclude Bank Holidays in counting up holiday entitlement. List number works to nearest week. Do not insert "1".

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.

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.

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10. Has anyone stayed overnight with you either without paying or not paying taken anyone on holiday or lont them a place of your own in which to stay?	in the last 12 months, full costs? Or have you yes, relatives yes, friends ASK Q.10(a) no DK SKIP TO NEXT SECTION
(a) How many nights altogether in the year 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)?	WRITE IN NUMBER WRITE IN AMOUNT IN COLUMN FOR HOUSEWIFE ONLY Does Not Apply nothing O APPROXIMATE ADDITIONAL COST IN SHILLINGS PER WK

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QUESTION 19 Housekeeping and board

The question refers to ALL INCOME RECIPIENTS including pensioners, as well as earners, who contribute to the housekeeping expenses. Be careful that you probe for everyone in the house, including adolescent earners. Sometimes the actual sum available for housekeeping will be quite different from that suggested by the total income of the household. The husband or teenagers may retain quite large sums not only for their own use but because the pattern of responsibility in one household for expenditure may be different from that in another household which has the same composition. Housekeeping can be a touchy point if both husband and wife are present, and it is perhaps best dealt with by interviewing one of them on their own (the housewife preferably) and, if possible, checking later with the other (the husband). If both husband and wife are present avoid expressing any surprise or criticism if you think the housekeeping is small. Also avoid indicating any opinion on the question of whether wage-earners should pay bills. Try to imply that all arrangements are equally possible. We have listed the common ones, but there will be others. REMEMBER TO CODE EACH INCOME RECIPIENT.

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QUESTION 19 (b) Money back

This can be daily fares, insurances or clubs paid, dinner money, or simply "spending money". Some teenagers hand over their wages but get clothing bought. Usually this question will apply to teenagers, but some husbands may get money from the housekeeping for their cigarettes and beer mid-week.

QUESTION 19 (c) Payment of housekeeping bills

Often the husband will pay some larger bills, but alternatively he may pay housekeeping but expect to "help out" if a heavy bill comes in. We realise that an estimate may be rough but try to get an average contribution. Teenage children may buy food as "treats" for the household from the money they retain. Again try for an average.

QUESTION 20 Long-term saving

We are not interested in asking here whether the informant has savings (that was asked in Section V). Nor are we interested here in asking for short-term saving. Instead the question explores whether at the present time the informant manages to put aside savings for a long-term objective.

QUESTION 21 Ten years ago

To give us some idea of fluctuating fortunes we ask what things were like ten years ago. Some persons aged 35 or over will have been at home in their parents' households ten years ago and therefore we have to find what was the composition of the household. In any case, we require an estimate of the total money flowing into the household, and the number of adults and children that were supported at that time. Give the informant time to recollect. And check that income includes pensions, family allowances, etc. Fortunately, the informant will already have some idea of what you are after from the detailed questions asked earlier.

ASK CHIEF WAGE EARNER/H.O.H.
23. ** Do you think you could GENUINELY say you are poor now? — X Does CODE C.W.E./H.O.H. ONLY X Does Not Apply SKIP TO Q.24 Y all the time Sometimes ASK Q.23(a)
I never DK } SKIP TO Q.24 PROMPT AND CODE ONE ONLY (a) Do you feel poor at any of these times or in any of these situations?

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By with some of your relatives

By with some of the people round here.

Other (SPECIFY) FOR CHIEF WAGE EARNER/H.O.H.

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

CODE C.W.E./H.O.H. ONLY Does Not Apply SKIP TO yes yes no DK (b) What would you describe as poverty? WRITE IN ANSWER -Insufficiency of this world's necessities (c) Would you say that if people are in poverty its mainly X - their own fault?
Y - the Covernment's fault?
PROMPT 1 - the fault of their education?
AND CODE 2 - anything else? (SPECIFY) 3 - a combination of (some of) these?
4 - none of those?
5 DK ASK CHIEF WACE 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 03 yes, voted no DK ASK CHIEF WAGE EARNER/H.O.H.
26. If there is poverty what do you think can be done about it? CODE C.W.E./H.O.H. ONLY nothing DK WRITE IN ANSWER more equitable destrubution of wealth

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INTERVIEWER PLEASE CODE ALL THAT APPLY AFTER INTERVIEW

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(a)	Household in which there is a child, one of whose parents is not resident	Х
(b)	Household consisting of woman and adult dependants	Y
(c)	Household in which there are five or more dependent children	0
(d)	Household containing an adult who has been unemployed for eight weeks (consecutively or in last $12 \ \text{months}$)	0
(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)	2
(f)	Household containing a disabled adult under 65 (a) disabled	3
	(b) borderline disabled	4
(g)	Household containing a disabled or handicapped child (including child ill or injured for eight weeks or more)	5
(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	е
(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	7 8
(j)	Household in which there are persons who are	6
	(a) non-white	X

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One generation Man alone: aged under 60 Woman alone: aged under 60 Woman alone: aged of 60 or over Woman alone: aged 50 or over Woman alone: aged under 60 Husband and wife: both aged 60 or over Husband and wife: both aged 60 or over Husband and wife: both under 60 Man and woman: unrelated Two or more men only: related Two or more men only: unrelated Two or more women only: unrelated Other (SPECIFY) Two generation Man, wife: + 1 child under 15 Man, wife: + 2 children all under 15 Man, wife: + 4 or more children all under 15 Man, wife: + children, at least 1 under 15 and at least I over 15, none married Man, wife: + children all over 15, at least 1 aged 25 or over, none married Man and one child under 15	101 102 103 104 105 106 106 107 108 109 110 111 112 201 202 203 204 205 206 207 208	Man: and widowed or separated daughter Woman: and widowed or separated son Woman: and widowed or separated son Woman: and widowed or separated daughter Otherwise two generations: all related Otherwise two generations: at least one person not related to any other Other (SPECIFY) Three generation Man, son and d-in-law, grandchildren: all lunder 15 Man, son and d-in-law, grandchildren: at least one under 15 and one over 15 Man daughter & son-in-law, grandchildren: at least one under 15 and one over 15 Woman, son and d-in-law, grandchildren: at least one under 15, one over 15 Woman, son and d-in-law, grandchildren: at least one under 15, one over 15 Woman, daughter and son-in-law, grandchildren: all under 15 Woman daughter and son-in-law, grandchildren: all under 15 Woman daughter and son-in-law, grandchildren: all least one under 15, one over 15 Woman, daughter and son-in-law, grandchildren: at least one under 15, one over 15 Woman daughter and son-in-law, grandchildren: at least one under 15, one over 15 Woman daughter and son-in-law, grandchildren: at least one related thild and child-in-law, grandchildren: at least one child under 15 Woman daughter and son-in-law, grandchildren: at least one child under 15 Woman daughter and son-in-law, grandchildren: at least one child under 15	222 222 222 222 222 222 220 303 303 304 305 307 307 308 307 308 307 307 307 307 307 307 307 307 307 307
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(b) born in Eire