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

	I	Housing and Living Facilities
	II	Employment
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	IV	Current Monetary Income
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A Survey carried out from the University of Essex
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ASK CHIEF WAGE EARNER/H.O.H.

23. ✱ Do you think you could GENUINELY say you are poor now? ─

PROMPT AND CODE ONE ONLY

CODE C.W.E./H.O.H. ONLY

- X Does Not Apply SKIP TO Q.24
- Y all the time } ASK Q.23(a)
- 0 sometimes }
- I 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)

Inft	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7	8	9	10
71	71	71	71	71	71	71	71	71	71
X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
0	(0)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I
2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
6	(6)	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7
8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8
9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9

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? ✱

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Does Not Apply SKIP TO Q.25

- yes
- no
- DK

(b) What would you describe as poverty?

─ WRITE IN ANSWER ─

Sickness and being hard up.

Inft	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7	8	9	10
72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72
X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Y	(Y)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
I	I	I	I	I	II	I	I	I	I

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

PROMPT AND CODE ONE ONLY

- X - their own fault?
- Y - the Government's fault?
- 0 - the fault of their education?
- I - 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

Inft	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7	8	9	10
73	73	73	73	73	73	73	73	73	73
X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I
2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
5	(5)	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5

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

Inft	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7	8	9	10
74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74
(X)	(X)	(X)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I

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 ─

D.K

Inft	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7	8	9	10
75	75	75	75	75	75	75	75	75	75
X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Y	(Y)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
	76								
	77								
	(9)								
78	77	77	77						
(X)	(Y)	(0)	(0)						