

Christian name  
for reference only

Age last birthday

Inft.	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
ISABEL	PHILIP	COLIN							
65-66	65-66	65-66	65-66	65-66	65-66				
80	64	32							

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

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|------|---|
| 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                             |

A Survey carried out from the University of Essex  
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Name of Interviewer. Mrs E. Davies.

SERIAL  
NUMBER

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Date(s) of interview(s) 23.5.68.  
or contacts

Length of interview(s) 2 HRS. 40 mins.

Total actual interviewing time 2 hrs 40 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 <input checked="" type="radio"/> X Y 0	3. Which sections were answered in whole or in part by which persons on the household? Informant	Write Section 1, 2, 3, etc. 13 <del>14</del> 14 15 16 17 18 19 20	5. Number of other households at address → None	21 0
2. Information for household — — complete skip to Q. 3 incomplete—answer 2a	11 <del>11</del>	2nd member	<del>13</del> 14 15 16 17 18 19 20	6. Household living on ground basement floor 1st floor 2nd floor 3rd floor 4th floor 5th or above Specify	22 <input checked="" type="radio"/> X Y 1 2 3 4 5
(a) Sections Housing incomplete Employment Occupational Income Assets Health Soc. Services Inc. in kind Style of living	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	CODE ALL THAT APPLY AS LISTED IN Q'AIRES (Some Sections may be listed twice)	3rd 4th 5th 6th	Answer 6a (a) Is there a lift in the building? Yes No	6 7
(b) Reasons if incomplete — — ill/disabled does not know information unwilling to give information other (specify)	12 X Y 0 1	Other (specify)	18 19 20	7. Is there an internal or external flight of at least 4 steps or stairs to the dwelling entrance?	23 8 9
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)	Type of Accomm. X Y 0 1 2 3 4			Yes No	

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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

PROMPT AND CODE Y all the time } ASK Q.23(a)  
ONE ONLY 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 3 at weekends  
4 mid-week  
5 at Christmas  
6 with some of your friends  
CODE ALL THAT 7 with some of your relatives  
APPLY 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

Some families are poor because money is squandered on gambling etc.

(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?  
PROMPT AND CODE 1 - the fault of industry not providing the right jobs?  
ONE ONLY 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

If people won't help themselves nothing can be done.

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## 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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Y

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## COMPOSITION OF HOUSEHOLD: CODES (Q. 10, p. 3)

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