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
II	Employment
III	Occupational Facilities and Fringe Benefi
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 and the University of London (L.S.E.)

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Name of Interviewer. Althougast: SERIAL NUMBER 9 H H 2 3 3 H. 0 1

Date(s) of interview(s) 26-1-69 Length of interview(s) 24 hours

Total actual interviewing time 2 4 hours

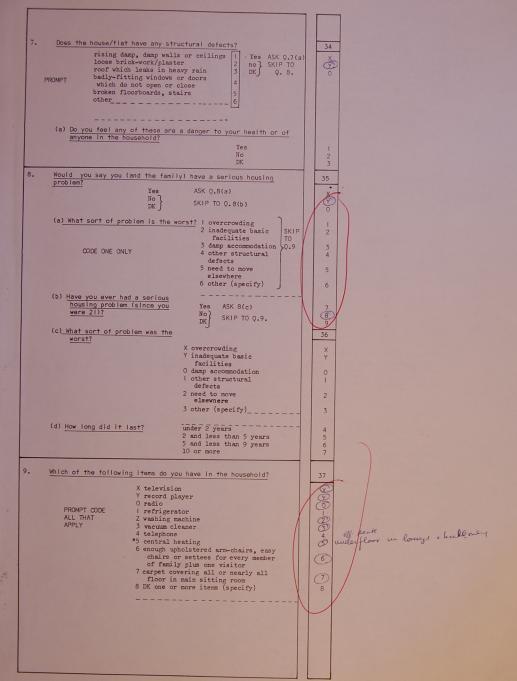
Form of introduction

or contacts

"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

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Interview carried out at first call	10 (X-)	Which sections were answered in whole or in part by which	Write Section 1, 2, 3, etc.	5. Number of other households	21	
at second call	Y	persons on the household?	13	at address		
at third or later call	0	Informant	1-(2) 9	None	0	
-	- 11		14	6. Household living on	22	
2. Information for household	11	2nd member	1-29	ground	(X)	
_ complete skip to Q. 3 incomplete—answer 2a	X		15	basement floor 1st floor	Y	
(a) Sections Housing	1	CODE 3rd	2	2nd floor 3rd floor	$\frac{2}{3}$	
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Inc. in kind Style of living	8 9	5th	(3)	building? Yes	6 7	
(b) Reasons if incomplete_	12		18			
ill/disabled	х	6th	(0)	7. Is there an internal or external	23	
does not know information	Y		19	flight of at least 4 steps or		
unwilling to give information	0	Other (specify)	(1)	stairs to the dwelling entrance?		
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		or bungalow	X	No	9	
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		Type of Self-con. flat in house	1			
		Accomm. Self-con. flat attached to shop/business	2			
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ast 12 months? - I mean for sickness, unemployment and so on, but		37	37	37	37	37	37	37	37	37	3
Iso paid and unpaid holidays. " WRITE IN TOTAL NUMBER OF WEEKS ROMPT ACCORDING TO REPLY: unemployment		0	0								
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taking up or resuming full-time study	100	X Y	X Y	X Y	X Y	X Y	X Y				Y
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In which you worked less than 30 hours?		0:1	0,0		Li		L i	1	4	1	L
(c) Have you ever had a spell off work continuously for as long as		58	58	58	58	58	58	58			
8 weeks or more because of PROMPT sickness yes		X	×	X	X	X	X	X	X	Y	1
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DISABILITY Would you say that the work you were doing was yes ASK Q.8(e)		3	3 4	3 4	3 4	3 4	3 4	3 4	3 4	4	1
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(e) How was that? WRITE ANSWER BELOW				1						1	

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

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 birgelf

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.

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QUESTION 8

Obtain an estimate of total cost by the normal transport used. Some people who drive cars will offer their estimate of real cost but in such cases write in as indicated the average weekly mileage to and from work (not during work). In other instances assume 6d, per mile for all small cars (i.e. under 12 h.p.) and 8d, per mile for larger vehicles.

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QUESTION 9 Holiday pay

Be careful not to include pay received simultaneously with holiday pay for any week of work. Remember that many wage earners only receive the basic wage during holidays, which is usually much lower than average earnings.

QUESTION 10 Sick pay

There are several practices. (1) Some employers (e.g. public services) automatically deduct national insurance sickness benefit for the worker and his dependants from pay during sickness (or sometimes expect him to report what sickness benefit he receives so that it may be deducted from later amounts of sick pay or even from the first weeks of earnings after recovery from sickness). (2) Others (mainly smaller private firms) deduct only the sickness benefit for the worker, ignoring what he may get for his dependants. (3) Still others deduct nothing for any sickness benefit for which a worker may be eligible. In the last two cases it might seem that the worker will be better off in sickness than at work. This is true for some, particularly salaried earners, but remember that if any employer pays anything to a wage-earner in sickness rarely does it exceed the basic wage. His average earnings may be much higher. (4) When the level of sick pay is small no deductions may be made for any sickness benefit. Changes in sick pay after the first weeks

In rare instances of persons who have been sick more than a few weeks

In rare instances of persons who have been sick more than a few weeks the rate of sick pay will have changed. If the average is difficult to estimate write in the amounts thus: 4 weeks @ £10, 4 @ £5 10s., etc. After deductions of tax, etc. Note if only the amount of pay before deductions is known.

QUESTION 11 Income of self-employed

The income of the self-employed is sometimes difficult to ascertain. Four alternative methods of questioning that have been found to be helpful in previous research are listed. Our first aim is to find the figure for annual income before tax. Thus Q. 11 A(iv) is the crucial one and if you can get the answer to this do not press unduly for the answers to the preceding questions, but they are helpful in establishing that (iv) is in fact the figure you want. The alternative aim (if you cannot achieve the first) is to seek the amount obtained from the business, either Method B—net profit including money taken out for own use, or Method C, the sums actually taken out for personal use. Method D should only be tried if all else fails, and frankly, is not of much help. An accurate figure for income is important and you should if necessary take time to establish it. Method D "Turnover" = total receipts from sale of goods and services, less any discount allowed.

General

General

This section aims to discover the major exchanges of services and gifts between the household and relatives or friends living elsewhere. One major problem is that people ordinarily take for granted the exchanges between themselves and their closest relatives. When being asked questions about "help" and "gifts" a housewife may not think of her mother, or her husband's mother, who lives nearby. A grandfather may not think of his daily activity of seeing a grandchild home from school. The first question is designed to help overcome this problem. You should remember that most households in the UK have frequent contact with a relative (either of a wife or a husband or of both) living elsewhere in the locality. Remember that independently of his wife a husband may see someone in his family (eg: his mother or a brother at work) every day. It will be very unusual if you make no entry in the box alonside Q. 1, so probe for likely relatives (eg: parents in the case of young and middle-aged people, brothers and sisters in the case of unmarried people, sons and daughters in the case of the elderly). In the remaining questions the contacts with such relatives are a likely indication of a flow of services or small gifts. Note that earning members of the housewife. the housewife

QUESTION 1 Relatives seen frequently

The question is designed to establish the existence of the relatives who have the most frequent contact with members of the household. Note that you ask "any of your family or a relative". The alternative wording will help to avoid information about really close relatives — eg: parents and children — who are thought of as "family" or even as members of a common household rather than as "relatives". By "most" days in the week is meant at least four of the seven days.

QUESTION 2 Help given

The unspoken assumption in the question is that these must be unpaid services. Prompt the items in the list carefully, emphasising those which are appropriate to the age or social situation of different members of the household. Make direct reference to the relatives listed in Q. 1. For example: "You say you see your mother every day, Do you do any of these things for her? And what about your sister?" Note that you prompt also for help given to friends and neighbours.

Hours

If two or three different services are undertaken, add together the informant's estimates of the time taken. Since the services are unpaid you should not expect informants to be able to give more than an approximate estimate of the time taken (that is, the time spent in the performance of the job, not interruptions for tea and conversations, etc).

QUESTION 3 Help received

The question reverses Q. 2 and proceed as in that question. Check in whatever way seems appropriate to establish the unpaid services being performed for members of the household. Again the question should be repeated for relatives seen frequently, "You've told me you see your mother every day. Does she do any of these things for you?" Two separate people might do the cleaning, for example. Add the hours together.

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FOR ALL 7. Now could I ask a few questions about food? (a) Do you have a		35	35	35	75	35	35	35	35
cooked breakfast most days? I mean four or more days a week - things like bacon and egg no DK		(X)	(X) - O -	WY O-	(X)	X Y O	X Y O	X Y O	XYOI
(b) During the last two weeks was there a day when you are no cooked meal at all (I mean no from getting up to going to bod)? **. DK		3 4 5	2 3 4 5	2 3 4 5	2 3 4 5	2 3 4 5	2 3 4 5	2 3 4 5	2 3 4
(c) Do you have fresh meet most days, I mean four or more days a week (not sausages, no DK abacon or boiled ham) - either here or in your parals out? CHECK ANSWER ESPECIALLY CAREFULLY FOR HOUSEWIFE HOUSEWIFE		8 9	6 7 8 9	6789	8 9	6 7 8 9	6 7 8 9	6 7 8 9	5 6 7 8 9
ASK HOUSEWIFE ONLY 8. (a) Do you normally have a Sunday joint (i.e. 3 weeks out of 4)? OK	50 (X) Y								
(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? *	53-54								
(c) And do you buy tinned or powdered milk as well? yes no DK	55 X Y								
ASK HOUSEWIFE ONLY 9. (a) Do you ever buy second-hand clothing from a shop or a stall, for yourself or ONLY often others in the household? ONLY never DK	56 X Y								
(b) Do you buy any of your clothing or shoes through clubs or clothing chaques? Weed bido - wit not at present BK Q.9(c) no DK SKIP TO Q.10	2 3 4 57-58								
(c) About how much do you spend on clothing WRITE IN AMOUNT IN Clubs per week? SHILLINGS									
(d) Do you ever miss payments or pay less than regularly not often no NK	59 X Y 0								
ASK HOUSEWIFE ONLY CODE HOUSEWIFE ONLY		35	36	36	36	36	36	36	36
10. Have you had a new winter coat in the last 3 years (i.e. 3 winters)? Does Not Apply SKIPTO Q.II yes no DK		-0 (XX)	X Y O I	X Y 0	X Y O I	X Y O	X Y O	X Y O I	XYOI
FOR ALL 11. Has everyone got adequate footwear for yes fine weather AND if it rains? no DK		3 4	② 3 4	② 3 4	② 3 4	2 3 4	2 3 4	2 3 4	2 3 4
Does Not Apply FOR ALL		37	5	5 37	5 37	5	5 37	37	5
12. Can you tell me whether you X - smoke? * IF YES, ASK Q.12(a)		0	(2)	×	x	×	×	x	×
Y - buy a daily newspaper * O - regularly do the football pools (in season)? * 1 - regularly have a flutter on the horses or dogs? (0.13 2 none of these 5 DK		Y 0 1 2 3	8909~~	Ŷ 0 1 2 3	Ŷ O - 1	Y 0 1 2 3	Y 0 1 2 3	Y 0 1 2 3	Y 0 1 2 3
4 Does Not Apply (a) How many cigarettes/ozs of tobacco a week? *	60-61	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
01 80 cigs/oze 02 //+0 cigs/oze OFFICE USE	05								
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,	62-64								
tood, entertainment, everything? " Estimate in £'s	000								
Of she spent about \$50 - but they									
agreed on 180 er a possible Total	36								

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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 0 sometimes ASK 0.23(a) ONE ONLY 1 never 3 SKIP TO 0.24
(a) Do you feel poor at any of these times 3 at weekends or in any of these situations? 4 mid-week
PROMPI AND 6 with some of your friends
APPLY 8 with some of the poople 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 those days? * yes
no
(b) What would you describe as poverty?
WRITE IN ANSWER
Having nothing (P) Hewing no
Micone - no source - nobody tohelp
you. (1) Just seems to me to
be having nothing
(c) Would you say that if people are in poverty its mainly
X - their own fault? Y - the Government ^T s fault?
PROMPT I - the fault of industry not providing the right jobs?
AND CODE 2 - anything else? (SPECIFY) ONE ONLY
<pre>5 - a combination of (some of) these? 4 - none of these?</pre>
4 - none of those? 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)? * 23 & OVER
yes, voted
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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? DK
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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	X	
(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 months)	1	
(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	6	
(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	
		68	
(j)	Household in which there are persons who are	X	

COMPOSITION OF I	HOLD: CODES (Q. 10, p. 3)		
One generation Man alone: aged 60 or over Man alone: aged gunder 60 Woman alone: aged under 60 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: otherwise related Man and woman: unrelated Two or more men only: related Two or more women only: unrelated Two or more women only: unrelated	Man, daughter and son-in-law, one under 15 and one over 1 Woman, son and d-in-law, grar Woman, son and d-in-law, grar under 15, one over 15 Woman, daughter and son-in- under 15 Woman, daughter and son-in- least one under 15, one over	ated son	222 222 222 222 222 223 300 300 300 300

(b) born in Eire