

BRITISH ELECTION STUDY 2005 POST-ELECTION WAVE

DRAFT DOCUMENTATION OF THE BLAISE QUESTIONNAIRE

Notes:

1. This is a documentation of the Blaise program. Not all variables that appear here are on the SPSS file.. Similarly, not all derived variables that will be derived on the SPSS file are mentioned here.
2. Unless otherwise specified, 'Don't Know' is code 9 for single column questions, code 99 for two column questions, and so on.
3. Unless otherwise specified, 'Refusal/Not answered' is code 8 for single column questions, code 98 for two column questions, and so on.
4. Sections in brackets and italics were textfilled as appropriate on the interviewers' computers.
5. Routeing instructions appear above the questions. A routeing instruction should be considered to stay in force until the next routeing instruction.
6. '(NOT ON SCREEN)' means that the question did not appear on the interviewers' screens.

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Background and intro

[Serial]
Serial Number.
RANGE: 1 ... 9999997

[Point] (**NOT ON SCREEN**)
Sample point
Range: 1 ... 997

[Version] (**NOT ON SCREEN**)
Open Question (Maximum of 5 characters)

ASK ALL

[FirstQ]
INTERVIEWER: You are in the questionnaire for serial number (*serial number*)
This is an interview with a (*respondent previously interviewed on the pre-wave / new respondent*).
YOU SHOULD HAVE A (*WHITE OR BLUE / CREAM*) ARF.
- To update admin details press <Ctrl + Enter>
Press 1 and <Enter> to continue.

1

[StartDat]
Date interview with this respondent was started.
Press <Enter> to confirm date.
Date

[STime] (**NOT ON SCREEN**)
Time interview started
Time

[IntDate] (**NOT ON SCREEN**)
Saved start date
Date

[STime] (**NOT ON SCREEN**)
Time at start of BlockA block
Range: 0 ... 1440

[QVersion] (**NOT ON SCREEN**)
Version
Range: 1 ... 97

[Issue_Num] (**NOT ON SCREEN**)
Issue Number
Range: 0 ... 7

[STime] (**NOT ON SCREEN**)
INTERVIEW START TIME
Time

[ETime] (**NOT ON SCREEN**)
INTERVIEW END TIME
Time

[IntLen] **(NOT ON SCREEN)**
Interview length (mins)
Range: 0 ... 9997

[IntLen1]
Interviewer: The computer thinks that this interview has taken
(*interview length*) minutes (Started at (*start time*) and finished at
(*end time*)).
Please enter length of interview in minutes.
Range: 1 ... 300

[SIntLen] **(NOT ON SCREEN)**
Computer Interview Length
Range: 1 ... 997

[Country] **(NOT ON SCREEN)**
WILL BE COMPUTED IN FINAL PROGRAM. ASKED IN PILOT VERSION ONLY:
England, Scotland or Wales?
1 England
2 Scotland
3 Wales

[XYVer] **(NOT ON SCREEN)**
Version X/Y for filtering - replaces OddEven
Range: 1 ... 7

[XYComp] **(NOT ON SCREEN)**
XYVer computed - marker
1 Yes
2 No

[AdrField]
INTERVIEWER: PLEASE ENTER THE FIRST TEN CHARACTERS OF THE FIRST LINE OF
THE ADDRESS TAKEN FROM A.R.F. ADDRESS LABEL FOR THE FIRST HOUSEHOLD AT
THIS ADDRESS.
MAKE SURE TO TYPE IT EXACTLY AS IT IS PRINTED.
OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 10 CHARACTERS)

[ElecOutc]
PLEASE CODE ELECTION OUTCOME
1 LABOUR MAJORITY
2 CONSERVATIVE MAJORITY
3 UNCERTAIN OUTCOME/ HUNG PARLIAMENT/ OTHER OUTCOME

[Westmins] **(NOT ON SCREEN - SUPPLIED WITH SAMPLE)**
OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 4 CHARACTERS)

[Westmin1] **(NOT ON SCREEN - SUPPLIED WITH SAMPLE)**
OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 45 CHARACTERS)

[Ward2001] **(NOT ON SCREEN - SUPPLIED WITH SAMPLE)**
OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 6 CHARACTERS)

[WardName] **(NOT ON SCREEN - SUPPLIED WITH SAMPLE)**
OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 45 CHARACTERS)

[Ward2004] **(NOT ON SCREEN - SUPPLIED WITH SAMPLE)**
OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 6 CHARACTERS)

[SCountry] (NOT ON SCREEN - SUPPLIED WITH SAMPLE)
1 England
2 Scotland
3 Wales

[Marginal] (NOT ON SCREEN - SUPPLIED WITH SAMPLE)
RANGE: 0 ... 1

[Gor] (NOT ON SCREEN - SUPPLIED WITH SAMPLE)
OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 25 CHARACTERS)

[Per] (NOT ON SCREEN - SUPPLIED WITH SAMPLE)
OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 25 CHARACTERS)

[WelshSp] (NOT ON SCREEN - SUPPLIED WITH SAMPLE)
RANGE: 0 ... 100

[DPS_CONS] (NOT ON SCREEN - SUPPLIED WITH SAMPLE)
RANGE: 0 ... 99997

[DPS_WARD] (NOT ON SCREEN - SUPPLIED WITH SAMPLE)
RANGE: 0 ... 99997

[SELWT] (NOT ON SCREEN - SUPPLIED WITH SAMPLE)
RANGE: 0 ... 100

[MOI] (NOT ON SCREEN - SUPPLIED WITH SAMPLE)
RANGE: 0 ... 997

[Topup] (NOT ON SCREEN)
WILL BE COMPUTED IN FINAL PROGRAM.
1 TopUp respondent
2 Recontact

[TopupS] (NOT ON SCREEN)
WILL BE COMPUTED IN FINAL PROGRAM. FROM SAMPLE FILE
1 TopUp respondent
2 Recontact

Issues in the election

ASK ALL

[bq1]

CARD A1

Let's talk for a few minutes about politics **in general**. How much interest do you generally have in what is going on in politics? (Please take your answers from this card)

- 1 A great deal
- 2 Quite a lot
- 3 Some
- 4 Not very much
- 5 None at all

[bq2a]

Now, I'd like to ask you a few questions about the issues and problems facing Britain today. As far as you're concerned, what is the **single most important issue** facing the country at the present time?

CODE ONE FROM LIST OF ANSWER OPTIONS.

DO NOT PROMPT

IF SEVERAL ANSWERS ARE GIVEN, CODE FIRST MENTIONED.

- 1 Asylum seekers
- 2 Britain's membership of the European Monetary Union (the Euro)
- 3 Britain's relations with the European Union
- 4 Law and order
- 5 Education
- 6 Environment
- 7 National Health Service
- 8 Inflation, Prices generally
- 9 Public transport
- 10 Taxation
- 11 State of the economy
- 12 Unemployment
- 13 My standard of living
- 14 Price of petrol
- 15 War in Iraq
- 16 War against terrorism
- 17 Other (WRITE IN)
- 18 Immigration/People coming to Britain
- 88 There are no important issues

IF 'other' AT Bq2

[OthSpec1]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

IF NOT DK, REFUSAL OR 'there are no important issues' AT Bq2a

[bq2b]

Which party is best able to handle this issue?

- 0 None/No party closest
- 1 Labour
- 2 Conservatives
- 3 Liberal Democrats
- 4 Scottish National Party (SNP)
- 5 Plaid Cymru
- 6 Green Party
- 7 United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP)
- 8 British National Party (BNP)
- 9 Other (WRITE IN)

IF 'other' AT Bq2b

[OthSpec2]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

Open Question (Maximum of 60 characters)

ASK ALL

[bQ3Rand]¹ (NOT ON SCREEN)

Random number for Q3

Range: 1 ... 20

[bQ3Comp] (NOT ON SCREEN)

Q3rand computed - marker

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

[bq3a01] - [bq3a20]

CARD A2 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM IN Bq3: How well do you think the present government has handled each of the following issues?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM IN Bq3: (How well do you think the present government has handled this issue:)

Crime in Britain

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Very well
- 2 Fairly well
- 3 Neither well nor badly
- 4 Fairly badly
- 5 Very badly

¹ The value of this variable determines the order in which Bq3 and Bq4 are asked as follows:

bq3Rand → question order ↓	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
First question	a	c	f	f	c	e	d	b	b	f
Second question	c	d	d	c	a	b	a	c	d	a
Third question	d	a	b	e	e	d	b	d	c	c
Fourth question	b	f	a	d	b	f	f	e	f	e
Fifth question	f	b	c	a	f	c	c	f	a	b
Sixth question	e	e	e	b	d	a	e	a	e	d

bq3Rand → question order ↓	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
First question	b	c	d	d	c	a	e	a	c	a
Second question	e	f	f	b	e	d	f	b	a	e
Third question	a	d	c	a	b	f	c	c	d	d
Fourth question	f	b	a	f	f	e	a	d	b	c
Fifth question	c	a	b	e	a	c	d	f	f	f
Sixth question	d	e	e	c	d	b	b	e	e	b

[bq3b01] - [bq3b20]

CARD A2 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM IN Bq3: How well do you think the present government has handled each of the following issues?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM IN Bq3: (How well do you think the present government has handled this issue:)

The number of asylum-seekers coming to Britain
(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Very well
- 2 Fairly well
- 3 Neither well nor badly
- 4 Fairly badly
- 5 Very badly

[bq3c01] - [bq3c20]

CARD A2 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM IN Bq3: How well do you think the present government has handled each of the following issues?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM IN Bq3: (How well do you think the present government has handled this issue:)

The National Health Service
(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Very well
- 2 Fairly well
- 3 Neither well nor badly
- 4 Fairly badly
- 5 Very badly

[bq3d01] - [bq3d20]

CARD A2 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM IN Bq3: How well do you think the present government has handled each of the following issues?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM IN Bq3: (How well do you think the present government has handled this issue:)

The risk of terrorism in Britain
(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Very well
- 2 Fairly well
- 3 Neither well nor badly
- 4 Fairly badly
- 5 Very badly

[bq3e01] - [bq3e20]

CARD A2 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM IN Bq3: How well do you think the present government has handled each of the following issues?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM IN Bq3: (How well do you think the present government has handled this issue:)

The economy in general
(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Very well
- 2 Fairly well
- 3 Neither well nor badly
- 4 Fairly badly
- 5 Very badly

[bq3f01] - [bq3f20]

CARD A2 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM IN Bq3: How well do you think the present government has handled each of the following issues?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM IN Bq3: (How well do you think the present government has handled this issue:)

The level of taxation

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Very well
- 2 Fairly well
- 3 Neither well nor badly
- 4 Fairly badly
- 5 Very badly

[bq4a01] - [bq4a20]

CARD A2 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM IN Bq4: How well do you think a **Conservative government** would handle each of the following issues?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM IN Bq4: (How well do you think a Conservative government would handle this issue:)

Crime in Britain

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Very well
- 2 Fairly well
- 3 Neither well nor badly
- 4 Fairly badly
- 5 Very badly

[bq4b01] - [bq4b20]

CARD A2 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM IN Bq4: How well do you think a **Conservative government** would handle each of the following issues?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM IN Bq4: (How well do you think a Conservative government would handle this issue:)

The number of asylum-seekers coming to Britain

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Very well
- 2 Fairly well
- 3 Neither well nor badly
- 4 Fairly badly
- 5 Very badly

[bq4c01] - [bq4c20]

CARD A2 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM IN Bq4: How well do you think a **Conservative government** would handle each of the following issues?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM IN Bq4: (How well do you think a Conservative government would handle this issue:)

The National Health Service

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Very well
- 2 Fairly well
- 3 Neither well nor badly
- 4 Fairly badly
- 5 Very badly

[bq4d01] - [bq4d20]

CARD A2 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM IN Bq4: How well do you think a **Conservative government** would handle each of the following issues?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM IN Bq4: (How well do you think a Conservative government would handle this issue:)

The risk of terrorism in Britain

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Very well
- 2 Fairly well
- 3 Neither well nor badly
- 4 Fairly badly
- 5 Very badly

[bq4e01] - [bq4e20]

CARD A2 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM IN Bq4: How well do you think a **Conservative government** would handle each of the following issues?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM IN Bq4: (How well do you think a Conservative government would handle this issue:)

The economy in general

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Very well
- 2 Fairly well
- 3 Neither well nor badly
- 4 Fairly badly
- 5 Very badly

[bq4f01] - [bq4f20]

CARD A2 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM IN Bq4: How well do you think a **Conservative government** would handle each of the following issues?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM IN Bq4: (How well do you think a Conservative government would handle this issue:)

The level of taxation

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Very well
- 2 Fairly well
- 3 Neither well nor badly
- 4 Fairly badly
- 5 Very badly

[bq5_1] - [bq5_8]

CARD A3

Which, if any, of the following words describe your feelings about the country's general economic situation?

(Please take your answers from this card.)

PROBE: Any others?

CODE ALL THAT APPLY

Multicoded (Maximum of 8 codes)

- 1 Angry
- 2 Happy
- 3 Disgusted
- 4 Hopeful
- 5 Uneasy
- 6 Confident
- 7 Afraid
- 8 Proud
- 9 (None of these)

[bq6_1] - [bq6_8]

CARD A3 AGAIN

Which, if any, of the following words describe your feelings about the National Health Service?

(Please take your answers from this card.)

PROBE: Any others?

CODE ALL THAT APPLY

Multicoded (Maximum of 8 codes)

- 1 Angry
- 2 Happy
- 3 Disgusted
- 4 Hopeful
- 5 Uneasy
- 6 Confident
- 7 Afraid
- 8 Proud
- 9 (None of these)

[bq7_1] - [bq7_8]

CARD A3 AGAIN

And, which of them describe your feelings about the risk of terrorism in Britain?

(Please take your answers from this card.)

PROBE: Any others?

CODE ALL THAT APPLY

Multicoded (Maximum of 8 codes)

- 1 Angry
- 2 Happy
- 3 Disgusted
- 4 Hopeful
- 5 Uneasy
- 6 Confident
- 7 Afraid
- 8 Proud
- 9 (None of these)

[bq8_1] - [bq8_8]

CARD A3 AGAIN

And, which of them describe your feelings about the number of asylum-seekers coming to Britain?

(Please take your answers from this card.)

PROBE: Any others?

CODE ALL THAT APPLY

Multicoded (Maximum of 8 codes)

- 1 Angry
- 2 Happy
- 3 Disgusted
- 4 Hopeful
- 5 Uneasy
- 6 Confident
- 7 Afraid
- 8 Proud
- 9 (None of these)

Party identification (version 1)

ASK ALL IN RANDOM HALF OF SAMPLE (XYVer = 1)

[bq9aX]

Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as Labour, Conservative, Liberal Democrat, (*Scottish National/Plaid Cymru*) or what?

- 0 None/No
- 1 Labour
- 2 Conservatives
- 3 Liberal Democrats
- 4 Scottish National Party (SNP)
- 5 Plaid Cymru
- 6 Green Party
- 7 United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP)
- 8 British National Party (BNP)
- 9 Other (WRITE IN)

IF 'other' AT [Bq9ax]

[OthSpec3]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

IF 'none/no', DK OR REFUSAL AT [bq9aX]

[bq9bX]

Do you generally think of yourself as a little closer to one of the parties than the others?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

IF 'yes' AT [Bq9bX]

[bq9cX]

Which party is that?

- 0 None/No
- 1 Labour
- 2 Conservatives
- 3 Liberal Democrats
- 4 Scottish National Party (SNP)
- 5 Plaid Cymru
- 6 Green Party
- 7 United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP)
- 8 British National Party (BNP)
- 9 Other (WRITE IN)

IF 'other' AT [Bq9cX]

[OthSpec4]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

IF PARTY GIVEN AT [Bq9ax] OR AT [Bq9cX]

[bq9dX]

Would you call yourself very strong (*party*), fairly strong or not very strong?

- 1 Very strong
- 2 Fairly strong
- 3 Not very strong

Party identification (version 2)

ASK ALL IN RANDOM HALF OF SAMPLE (XYVer = 2)

[bq63aY]

Some people think of themselves as usually being a supporter of one political party rather than another. Do you usually think of yourself as being a supporter of one particular party or not?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

IF 'yes' AT [bq63aY]

[bq63bY]

Which party is that?

INTERVIEWER: DO NOT PROMPT

- 1 Labour
- 2 Conservatives
- 3 Liberal Democrats
- 4 Scottish National Party (SNP)
- 5 Plaid Cymru
- 6 Green Party
- 7 United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP)
- 8 British National Party (BNP)
- 9 Other (WRITE IN)

IF 'other' AT [bq63bY]

[OthSpec5]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

Voting

ASK ALL

[bq10]

How interested were you in the general election that was held on May 5th this year... READ OUT ...

- 1 ... very interested,
- 2 somewhat interested,
- 3 not very interested,
- 4 or, not at all interested?

[bq11]

As far as you know, is your name on the electoral register, that is, the official list of people entitled to vote, either at this address or somewhere else?

FOR 'DON'T KNOW': USE Ctrl+K

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

[bq12a]

Talking with people about the general election on May 5th, we have found that a lot of people didn't manage to vote. How about you, did you manage to vote in the general election?

- 1 Yes, voted
- 2 No

IF 'yes' AT [Bq12a]

[bq12b]

Which party did you vote for in the general election?

DO NOT PROMPT

- 1 Labour
- 2 Conservatives
- 3 Liberal Democrats
- 4 Scottish National Party (SNP)
- 5 Plaid Cymru
- 6 Green Party
- 7 United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP)
- 8 British National Party (BNP)
- 9 Other (WRITE IN)

IF 'other' AT [bq12b]

[OthSpec6]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

IF 'yes' AT [Bq12a]

[bq12c]

CARD B1

How long ago did you decide that you would definitely vote the way you did?

(Please take your answer from this card.)

- 1 A long time ago
- 2 Some time last year
- 3 Some time this year
- 4 During the election campaign

IF PARTY GIVEN AT [bq12a]

[bq12d]

CARD B2

People give different reasons for why they vote for one party rather than another. Which of the following best describes your reasons? (Please take your answer from this card.)

- 1 The party had the best policies
- 2 The party had the best leader
- 3 I really preferred another party but it stood no chance of winning in my constituency
- 4 (I voted tactically (VOLUNTEERED))
- 5 Other (WRITE IN)

IF 'other' AT [bq12d]

[OthSpec7]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

IF 'I really preferred another party but it stood no chance of winning in my constituency' OR 'I voted tactically' at [bq12d]

[bq12e]

Which party did you really prefer?

- 1 Labour
- 2 Conservatives
- 3 Liberal Democrats
- 4 Scottish National Party (SNP)
- 5 Plaid Cymru
- 6 Green Party
- 7 United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP)
- 8 British National Party (BNP)
- 9 Other (WRITE IN)

IF 'other' AT [bq12e]

[OthSpec8]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

IF 'yes' AT [Bq12a]

[bq13]

There are different ways in which people can cast their votes in general elections - in person, by post or by proxy, that is, getting someone else to vote on their behalf. How did you cast your vote in the general election on May 5th?

- 1 In person
- 2 By post
- 3 By proxy

IF 'in person' AT [bq13]

[bq14a1] - [bq14a7]

CARD B3

Here are some reasons why people choose to vote **in person**. Please indicate the reason or reasons that apply to you. Please take your answers from this card.

PROBE: Any others?

CODE ALL THAT APPLY

Multicoded (Maximum of 7 codes)

- 1 I didn't know I could vote any other way
- 2 I always vote in person
- 3 I enjoy the experience of voting in person
- 4 Voting in person prevents fraud or abuse
- 5 I wanted to vote by post but didn't get round to organising it
- 6 I wanted to vote by post but didn't know how to do it
- 7 Other (WRITE IN)
- 8 (None of these)

IF 'other' AT [bq14a]

[OthSpec9]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

IF 'in person' AT [bq13]

[bq14b]

CARD B4

How convenient was voting in person at a polling station?

Please take your answer from this card.

- 1 Very convenient
- 2 Fairly convenient
- 3 Neither convenient nor inconvenient
- 4 Fairly inconvenient
- 5 Very inconvenient

[bq14c]

CARD B5

When you voted in person, how satisfied or dissatisfied were you with the guidance and assistance provided by the staff in the polling station?

Please take your answer from this card.

- 1 Very satisfied
- 2 Fairly satisfied
- 3 Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied
- 4 Fairly dissatisfied
- 5 Very dissatisfied

[bq14d]

CARD B6

When it comes to voting being safe from fraud or abuse, how safe would you say that voting in person is?

Please take your answer from this card.

- 1 Very safe
- 2 Fairly safe
- 3 Neither safe nor unsafe
- 4 Fairly unsafe
- 5 Very unsafe

[bq14e]

CARD B7

How effective do you think that voting in person is in keeping your vote secret?

Please take your answer from this card.

- 1 Very effective
- 2 Fairly effective
- 3 Neither effective nor ineffective
- 4 Fairly ineffective
- 5 Very ineffective

IF 'by post' AT [bq13]

[bq14f01] - [bq14f11]

CARD B8

Here are some reasons why people choose to vote **by post**. Please indicate the reason or reasons that apply to you. Please take your answers from this card.

PROBE: Any others?

CODE ALL THAT APPLY

Multicoded (Maximum of 11 codes)

- 1 I have difficulty getting to the polling station for health reasons
- 2 I have trouble getting transport to the polling station
- 3 I am often on holiday on polling day
- 4 I am often away on business on polling day
- 5 It is more convenient to vote by post than in person
- 6 I have difficulty finding the time to vote on polling day
- 7 A party or candidate encouraged me to vote by post
- 8 A trade union or other group encouraged me to vote by post
- 9 I have voted by post in the past and liked doing so
- 10 I don't live at the address where I'm on the electoral register
- 11 Other (WRITE IN)
- 12 (None of these)

IF 'other' AT [bq14f]

[OthSpec10]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

IF 'by post' AT [bq13]

[bq14g]

CARD B9

How satisfied or dissatisfied were you with the process of applying for a postal vote?

Please take your answer from this card.

- 1 Very satisfied
- 2 Fairly satisfied
- 3 Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied
- 4 Fairly dissatisfied
- 5 Very dissatisfied

[bq14h]

CARD B9 AGAIN

How satisfied or dissatisfied were you with the instructions and advice given about how to complete a postal vote?

(Please take your answer from this card.)

- 1 Very satisfied
- 2 Fairly satisfied
- 3 Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied
- 4 Fairly dissatisfied
- 5 Very dissatisfied

[bq14i]

CARD B10

When it comes to voting being safe from fraud or abuse, how safe would you say that voting by post is?

Please take your answer from this card.

- 1 Very safe
- 2 Fairly safe
- 3 Neither safe nor unsafe
- 4 Fairly unsafe
- 5 Very unsafe

[bq14j]

CARD B11

How effective do you think that voting by post is in keeping your vote secret?

Please take your answer from this card.

- 1 Very effective
- 2 Fairly effective
- 3 Neither effective nor ineffective
- 4 Fairly ineffective
- 5 Very ineffective

ASK ALL

[bq15]

Since you have been eligible to vote in general elections, have you voted in...READ OUT...

- 1 ...all general elections,
- 2 most of them,
- 3 some of them,
- 4 not very many of them,
- 5 or, none at all?

Rating of party leaders

ASK ALL

[bq16Rand]² (**NOT ON SCREEN**)

Random number for Q16

Range: 1 ... 6

[bq16Comp] (**NOT ON SCREEN**)

Q16rand computed - marker

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

[bq16a1] - [bq16a6]

CARD C1 (*AGAIN*)

IF FIRST ITEM IN bq16: Now, some questions about the party leaders. Using a scale that runs from 0 to 10, where 0 means a very incompetent leader and 10 means a very competent leader, how would you describe Tony Blair?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM IN bq16: (And how would you describe ...) ... Tony Blair?

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 0 A very incompetent leader
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 A very competent leader

² The value of this variable determines the order in which bq16 is asked as follows:

BQ16Rand → Question order ↓	1	2	3	4	5	6
First question	a	a	b	b	c	c
Second question	b	c	a	c	a	b
Third question	c	b	c	a	b	a

[bq16b1] - [bq16b6]

CARD C1 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM IN bq16: Now, some questions about the party leaders. Using a scale that runs from 0 to 10, where 0 means a very incompetent leader and 10 means a very competent leader, how would you describe Michael Howard?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM IN bq16: (And how would you describe ...) ... Michael Howard?

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 0 A very incompetent leader
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 A very competent leader

[bq16c1] - [bq16c6]

CARD C1 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM IN bq16: Now, some questions about the party leaders. Using a scale that runs from 0 to 10, where 0 means a very incompetent leader and 10 means a very competent leader, how would you describe Charles Kennedy?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM IN bq16: (And how would you describe ...) ... Charles Kennedy?

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 0 A very incompetent leader
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 A very competent leader

[bQ17Rand]³ (NOT ON SCREEN)

Random number for Q17

Range: 1 ... 6

³ The value of this variable determines the order in which bq17 is asked as follows:

BQ17Rand → Question order ↓	1	2	3	4	5	6
First question	a	a	b	b	c	c
Second question	b	c	a	c	a	b
Third question	c	b	c	a	b	a

[bq17Comp] (NOT ON SCREEN)
Q17rand computed - marker

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

[bq17a1] - [bq17a6]
CARD C2 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM IN bq17: Now, please use the 0 to 10 scale to indicate the extent to which the different leaders respond to voters' concerns. How would you describe Tony Blair?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM IN bq17: (And how would you describe ...)... Tony Blair?
(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 0 Does not respond at all to voters' concerns
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 Responds fully to voters' concerns

[bq17b1] - [bq17b6]
CARD C2 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM IN bq17: Now, please use the 0 to 10 scale to indicate the extent to which the different leaders respond to voters' concerns. How would you describe Michael Howard?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM IN bq17: (And how would you describe ...)... Michael Howard?
(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 0 Does not respond at all to voters' concerns
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 Responds fully to voters' concerns

[bq17c1] - [bq17c6]

CARD C2 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM IN bq17: Now, please use the 0 to 10 scale to indicate the extent to which the different leaders respond to voters' concerns. How would you describe Charles Kennedy?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM IN bq17: (And how would you describe ...)... Charles Kennedy?

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 0 Does not respond at all to voters' concerns
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 Responds fully to voters' concerns

[bQ18Rand]⁴ (NOT ON SCREEN)

Random number for Q18

Range: 1 ... 6

[bQ18Comp] (NOT ON SCREEN)

Q18rand computed - marker

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

[bq18a1] - [bq18a6]

CARD C3 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM IN bq18: Now, please use the 0 to 10 scale to indicate how much trust you have for each of the party leaders, where 0 means no trust and 10 means a great deal of trust. How much do you trust Tony Blair?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM IN bq18: (And how much do you trust ...)... Tony Blair?
(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 0 No trust
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 A great deal of trust

⁴ The value of this variable determines the order in which bq18 is asked as follows:

BQ18Rand → Question order ↓	1	2	3	4	5	6
First question	a	a	b	b	c	c
Second question	b	c	a	c	a	b
Third question	c	b	c	a	b	a

[bq18b1] - [bq18b6]

CARD C3 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM IN bq18: Now, please use the 0 to 10 scale to indicate how much trust you have for each of the party leaders, where 0 means no trust and 10 means a great deal of trust. How much do you trust Michael Howard?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM IN bq18: (And how much do you trust ...)... Michael Howard?

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 0 No trust
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 A great deal of trust

[bq18c1] - [bq18c6]

CARD C3 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM IN bq18: Now, please use the 0 to 10 scale to indicate how much trust you have for each of the party leaders, where 0 means no trust and 10 means a great deal of trust. How much do you trust Charles Kennedy?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM IN bq18: (And how much do you trust ...)... Charles Kennedy?

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 0 No trust
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 A great deal of trust

[bQ19Rand]⁵ (NOT ON SCREEN)

Random number for bQ19

Range: 1 ... 6

⁵ The value of this variable determines the order in which bq19a-c is asked as follows:

BQ19Rand → Question order ↓	1	2	3	4	5	6
First question	a	a	b	b	c	c
Second question	b	c	a	c	a	b
Third question	c	b	c	a	b	a

[bQ19Comp] (NOT ON SCREEN)
bQ19rand computed - marker

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

[bq19a1] - [bq19a6]
CARD C4 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM IN bq19: Now, let's think more generally about the party leaders. Using a scale that runs from 0 to 10, where 0 means strongly dislike and 10 means strongly like, how do you feel about Tony Blair?
IF NOT FIRST ITEM IN bq19: (And how do you feel about ...) Tony Blair?
(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 0 Strongly dislike
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 Strongly like

[bq19b1] - [bq19b6]
CARD C4 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM IN bq19: Now, let's think more generally about the party leaders. Using a scale that runs from 0 to 10, where 0 means strongly dislike and 10 means strongly like, how do you feel about Michael Howard?
IF NOT FIRST ITEM IN bq19: (And how do you feel about ...) Michael Howard?
(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 0 Strongly dislike
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 Strongly like

[bq19c1] - [bq19c6]

CARD C4 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM IN bq19: Now, let's think more generally about the party leaders. Using a scale that runs from 0 to 10, where 0 means strongly dislike and 10 means strongly like, how do you feel about Charles Kennedy?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM IN bq19: (And how do you feel about ...) Charles Kennedy?

(Please take your answers from this card.)

0 Strongly dislike
1 one
2 two
3 three
4 four
5 five
6 six
7 seven
8 eight
9 nine
10 Strongly like

[bq19d]

CARD C4 AGAIN

And how do you feel about Gordon Brown?

(Please take your answers from this card.)

0 Strongly dislike
1 one
2 two
3 three
4 four
5 five
6 six
7 seven
8 eight
9 nine
10 Strongly like

ASK ALL IN SCOTLAND

[bq19e]

CARD C4 AGAIN

(And how do you feel about ...)

... Alex Salmond?

(Please take your answers from this card.)

0 Strongly dislike
1 one
2 two
3 three
4 four
5 five
6 six
7 seven
8 eight
9 nine
10 Strongly like

ASK ALL IN WALES

[bq19f]

CARD C4 AGAIN

(And how do you feel about ...)

... Elfyn Llwyd?

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 0 Strongly dislike
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 Strongly like

Trust in British institutions

ASK ALL

[bq20Rand]⁶ (**NOT ON SCREEN**)

Random number for bq20

Range: 1 ... 2

[bq20Comp] (**NOT ON SCREEN**)

BQ20rand computed - marker

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

[bq20a]

CARD C5

Now, thinking about British political institutions like Parliament, please use the 0 to 10 scale to indicate how much trust you have for each of the following, where 0 means no trust and 10 means a great deal of trust.

Firstly, how much do you trust the present government?

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 0 No trust
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 A great deal of trust

[bq20b1] - [bq20b2]

CARD C5 (*AGAIN*)

And, how much do you trust the Parliament at Westminster?

- 0 No trust
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 A great deal of trust

⁶ The value of this variable determines the order in which bq20b-c is asked as follows:

BQ20Rand → Question order ↓	1	2
First question	b	c
Second question	c	b

[bq20c1] - [bq20c2]

CARD C5 (AGAIN)

And how much do you trust British politicians generally?

- 0 No trust
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 A great deal of trust

[bq20d]

CARD C5 AGAIN

And how much do you trust the Police?

- 0 No trust
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 A great deal of trust

Ratings of the political parties

ASK ALL

[bQ21Rand] ⁷ (NOT ON SCREEN)

Random number for bQ21

Range: 1 ... 6

[bQ21Comp] (NOT ON SCREEN)

bQ19rand computed - marker

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

[bq21a1] - [bq21a6]

CARD C6 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM IN bq21: On a scale that runs from 0 to 10, where 0 means strongly dislike and 10 means strongly like, how do you feel about the Labour Party?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM IN bq21: (And how do you feel about ...)...the Labour Party?

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 0 Strongly dislike
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 Strongly like

⁷ The value of this variable determines the order in which bq21a-c is asked as follows:

BQ21Rand → Question order ↓	1	2	3	4	5	6
First question	a	a	b	b	c	c
Second question	b	c	a	c	a	b
Third question	c	b	c	a	b	a

[bq21b1] - [bq21b6]

CARD C6 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM IN bq21: On a scale that runs from 0 to 10, where 0 means strongly dislike and 10 means strongly like, how do you feel about the Conservative Party?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM IN bq21: (And how do you feel about ...)the Conservative Party?

(Please take your answers from this card.)

0 Strongly dislike
1 one
2 two
3 three
4 four
5 five
6 six
7 seven
8 eight
9 nine
10 Strongly like

[bq21c1] - [bq21c6]

IF FIRST ITEM IN bq21: On a scale that runs from 0 to 10, where 0 means strongly dislike and 10 means strongly like, how do you feel about the Liberal Democrats?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM IN bq21: (And how do you feel about ...)...the Liberal Democrats?

(Please take your answers from this card.)

0 Strongly dislike
1 one
2 two
3 three
4 four
5 five
6 six
7 seven
8 eight
9 nine
10 Strongly like

[bq21d]

CARD C6 (AGAIN)

(And how do you feel about ...)...the Green Party?

(Please take your answers from this card.)

0 Strongly dislike
1 one
2 two
3 three
4 four
5 five
6 six
7 seven
8 eight
9 nine
10 Strongly like

ASK ALL IN ENGLAND

[bq21e]

CARD C6 AGAIN

(And how do you feel about ...) ...the United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP)?

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 0 Strongly dislike
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 Strongly like

ASK ALL IN SCOTLAND

[bq21f]

CARD C6 AGAIN

(And how do you feel about ...)

...the Scottish National Party?

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 0 Strongly dislike
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 Strongly like

ASK ALL IN WALES

[bq21g]

CARD C6 AGAIN

(And how do you feel about ...)

...Plaid Cymru?

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 0 Strongly dislike
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 Strongly like

Social and political attitudes

ASK ALL

[bQ22Rand] ⁸ (NOT ON SCREEN)

Random number for Q22

Range: 1 ... 20

[bQ22Comp] (NOT ON SCREEN)

AQ22rand computed - marker

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

[bq22a01] - [bq22a20]

CARD D1 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT BQ22: Please tell me how far you agree or disagree with each of the following statements:

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT BQ22: (And how much do you agree or disagree with this statement:)

The Government generally treats people like me fairly.

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Agree
- 3 Neither agree nor disagree
- 4 Disagree
- 5 Strongly disagree

⁸ The value of this variable determines the order in which bq22a-g is asked as follows:

Bq22Rand → Question order ↓	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
First question	c	b	e	a	e	c	c	d	e	a
Second question	g	f	d	e	g	b	d	g	d	e
Third question	d	a	f	g	d	d	f	f	g	d
Fourth question	b	d	g	b	f	f	a	c	b	b
Fifth question	a	e	a	c	a	e	g	a	a	g
Sixth question	e	c	c	f	b	a	b	e	f	c
Seventh question	f	g	b	d	c	g	e	b	c	f

Bq22Rand → Question order ↓	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
First question	f	a	f	g	b	g	f	c	f	g
Second question	d	e	e	d	f	c	e	f	d	e
Third question	b	c	d	a	e	e	b	e	e	b
Fourth question	g	b	b	f	a	b	d	a	b	f
Fifth question	a	d	a	c	d	f	a	b	a	a
Sixth question	e	g	c	e	g	d	g	g	g	c
Seventh question	c	f	g	b	c	a	c	d	c	d

[bq22b01] - [bq22b20]

CARD D1 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT BQ22: Please tell me how far you agree or disagree with each of the following statements:

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT BQ22: (And how much do you agree or disagree with this statement:)

There is often a big gap between what people like me expect out of life and what we actually get.

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Agree
- 3 Neither agree nor disagree
- 4 Disagree
- 5 Strongly disagree

[bq22c01] - [bq22c20]

CARD D1 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT BQ22: Please tell me how far you agree or disagree with each of the following statements:

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT BQ22: (And how much do you agree or disagree with this statement:)

Being active in politics is a good way to get benefits for me and my family.

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Agree
- 3 Neither agree nor disagree
- 4 Disagree
- 5 Strongly disagree

[bq22d01] - [bq22d20]

CARD D1 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT BQ22: Please tell me how far you agree or disagree with each of the following statements:

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT BQ22: (And how much do you agree or disagree with this statement:)

It takes too much time and effort to be active in politics and public affairs.

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Agree
- 3 Neither agree nor disagree
- 4 Disagree
- 5 Strongly disagree

[bq22e01] - [bq22e20]

CARD D1 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT BQ22: Please tell me how far you agree or disagree with each of the following statements:

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT BQ22: (And how much do you agree or disagree with this statement:)

Being active in politics is a good way to get benefits for groups that people care about, like pensioners or the disabled.

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Agree
- 3 Neither agree nor disagree
- 4 Disagree
- 5 Strongly disagree

[bq22f01] - [bq22f20]

CARD D1 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT BQ22: Please tell me how far you agree or disagree with each of the following statements:

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT BQ22: (And how much do you agree or disagree with this statement:)

It is every citizen's duty to vote in an election.

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Agree
- 3 Neither agree nor disagree
- 4 Disagree
- 5 Strongly disagree

[bq22g01] - [bq22g20]

CARD D1 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT BQ22: Please tell me how far you agree or disagree with each of the following statements:

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT BQ22: (And how much do you agree or disagree with this statement:)

Most of my family and friends think that voting is a waste of time.

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Agree
- 3 Neither agree nor disagree
- 4 Disagree
- 5 Strongly disagree

[bq22h]

CARD D1 AGAIN

(And how much do you agree or disagree with this statement:)

My member of parliament tries hard to look after the interests of people who live in my constituency.

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Agree
- 3 Neither agree nor disagree
- 4 Disagree
- 5 Strongly disagree

Economic evaluations

ASK ALL

[bq23]

CARD D2

Now a few questions about economic conditions. How does the **financial situation of your household** now compare with what it was **12 months ago**?
(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Got a lot worse
- 2 Got a little worse
- 3 Stayed the same
- 4 Got a little better
- 5 Got a lot better

[bq24]

CARD D2 AGAIN

How do you think the **general economic situation in this country** has changed over the **last 12 months**?
(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Got a lot worse
- 2 Got a little worse
- 3 Stayed the same
- 4 Got a little better
- 5 Got a lot better

[bq25]

CARD D3

How do you think the **financial situation of your household** will change over the **next 12 months**?
(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Get a lot worse
- 2 Get a little worse
- 3 Stay the same
- 4 Get a little better
- 5 Get a lot better

[bq26]

CARD D3 AGAIN

How do you think the **general economic situation in this country** will develop over the **next 12 months**?
(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Get a lot worse
- 2 Get a little worse
- 3 Stay the same
- 4 Get a little better
- 5 Get a lot better

[bq27]

If Britain were in economic difficulties, which party do you think would be able to handle the situation best - Labour or the Conservatives?

- 1 Labour
- 2 Conservatives
- 3 (Neither (VOLUNTEERED))
- 4 (Liberal Democrats (VOLUNTEERED))

[bq28]

How much do you think the government's policies influence the overall performance of the **British economy** ... READ OUT ...

- 1 ... a great deal,
- 2 a fair amount,
- 3 not very much,
- 4 or, not at all?

[bq29]

How much do you think the government's policies influence **the financial situation of your household** ... READ OUT ...

- 1 .. a great deal,
- 2 a fair amount,
- 3 not very much,
- 4 or, not at all?

[bq30_1] - [bq30_8]

CARD D4

And, might we just ask which, if any, of the following words describe your feelings about the **financial situation of your household**? Please take your answers from this card.

PROBE: Any others?

CODE ALL THAT APPLY

Multicoded (Maximum of 8 codes)

- 1 Angry
- 2 Happy
- 3 Disgusted
- 4 Hopeful
- 5 Uneasy
- 6 Confident
- 7 Afraid
- 8 Proud
- 9 (None of these)

Contact with authorities/NHS/MP

ASK ALL

[bq31a]

During the last 12 months, did you or a family member seek assistance from the authorities over a crime committed in your home, in your neighbourhood, or at work?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

IF 'yes' AT [bq31a]

[bq31b]

CARD E1

How satisfied were you with this assistance? Please take your answers from this card.

- 1 Very satisfied
- 2 Fairly satisfied
- 3 A little dissatisfied
- 4 Very dissatisfied

ASK ALL

[bq32a]

During the last 12 months, did you or a family member seek or receive NHS medical treatment - that is, from a general practitioner or a dentist, or as a hospital patient?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

IF 'yes' AT [bq32a]

[bq32b]

CARD E1 (AGAIN)

In general, how satisfied were you with this medical treatment? Please take your answers from this card.

IF ASKED: Please think in general about all NHS treatment that you and your family have had in the last 12 months.

- 1 Very satisfied
- 2 Fairly satisfied
- 3 A little dissatisfied
- 4 Very dissatisfied
- 5 (It varied too much to say)

TOPUP RESPONDENTS: ASK ALL

[bq33a]

During the last 3 or 4 years, did you or someone you know well seek personal assistance from your local member of parliament?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

IF 'yes' AT [bq33a]

[bq33b]

CARD E2

Was the assistance the MP provided satisfactory or unsatisfactory? Please take your answers from this card.

INTERVIEWER: IF 'COULDN'T SAY': CODE DON'T KNOW (CTRL+K)

- 1 Very satisfactory
- 2 Fairly satisfactory
- 3 Neither satisfactory nor unsatisfactory
- 4 A little unsatisfactory
- 5 Very unsatisfactory

Views on change in the country

ASK ALL

[bQ34Ran1] ⁹ (NOT ON SCREEN)

Random number for bQ34a-c

Range: 1 ... 6

[bQ34Com1] (NOT ON SCREEN)

bQ34ran1 computed - marker

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

[bq34a1] - [bq34a6]

CARD E3 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT BQ34: Let's talk for a few minutes about how things have been developing in Britain in the last few years. How would you describe the crime situation in Britain these days?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT BQ34: And how would you describe the crime situation in Britain these days?

(Please take your answer from this card)

- 1 A lot better
- 2 A little better
- 3 The same
- 4 A little worse
- 5 A lot worse

[bq34b1] - [bq34b6]

CARD E3 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT BQ34: Let's talk for a few minutes about how things have been developing in Britain in the last few years. How would you describe the number of asylum-seekers coming to Britain these days?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT BQ34: And how would you describe the number of asylum-seekers coming to Britain these days?

(Please take your answer from this card)

- 1 A lot better
- 2 A little better
- 3 The same
- 4 A little worse
- 5 A lot worse

⁹ The value of this variable determines the order in which bq34a-c are asked as follows:

BQ34Ran1 → Question order ↓	1	2	3	4	5	6
First question	a	a	b	b	c	c
Second question	b	c	a	c	a	b
Third question	c	b	c	a	b	a

[bq34c1] - [bq34c6]
CARD E3 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT BQ34: Let's talk for a few minutes about how things have been developing in Britain in the last few years. How would you describe the National Health Service these days?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT BQ34: And how would you describe the National Health Service these days?

(Please take your answer from this card)

- 1 A lot better
- 2 A little better
- 3 The same
- 4 A little worse
- 5 A lot worse

ASK ALL

[bq34Ran2] ¹⁰ (NOT ON SCREEN)

Random number for bq34d-e

Range: 1 ... 2

[bq34Com2] (NOT ON SCREEN)

BQ34ran2 computed - marker

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

[bq34d1] - [bq34d2]

CARD E4 (AGAIN)

And how would you describe the risk of terrorism in Britain these days?

(Please take your answer from this card)

- 1 Much less
- 2 Somewhat less
- 3 The same
- 4 Somewhat greater
- 5 Much greater

[bq34e1] - [bq34e2]

CARD E4 (AGAIN)

And how would you describe the level of taxation these days?

(Please take your answer from this card)

- 1 Much less
- 2 Somewhat less
- 3 The same
- 4 Somewhat greater
- 5 Much greater

¹⁰ The value of this variable determines the order in which bq34d and bq34e are asked as follows:

BQ34Ran2 → Question order ↓	1	2
First question	d	e
Second question	e	d

Europe

ASK ALL

[bq35]

CARD E5

Thinking of the Euro, which of the following statements on this card would come closest to your own view?

(Please take your answers from this card.)

IF ASKED: THE EURO = SINGLE EUROPEAN CURRENCY

- 1 Definitely join as soon as possible
- 2 Join if and when the economic conditions are right
- 3 Stay out for at least the next four or five years
- 4 Rule out joining on principle

[bq36]

CARD E6

Overall, do you approve or disapprove of Britain's membership in the European Union? Please take your answers from this card.

- 1 Strongly approve
- 2 Approve
- 3 Neither approve nor disapprove
- 4 Disapprove
- 5 Strongly disapprove

[bq37]

There will be a referendum next year on the new European Union constitution. Will you vote 'Yes' or 'No' on the question, 'Should the United Kingdom approve the treaty establishing a constitution for the European Union?'

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 3 Undecided
- 4 Will not vote

Own/party positions on tax/spend

ASK ALL

[bQ38Rand] ¹¹ (NOT ON SCREEN)

Random number for Q38

Range: 1 ... 24

[bQ38Comp] (NOT ON SCREEN)

Q38rand computed - marker

1 Yes

2 No

[bq38a01] - [bq38a24]

CARD E7 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT BQ38: Now, another issue. Using the 0 to 10 scale on this card, where the end marked 0 means that government should **cut taxes and spend much less on health and social services**, and the end marked 10 means that government should **raise taxes a lot and spend much more on health and social services**, where would you place yourself on this scale?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT BQ38: (And where would you place ...)

...yourself

(on this scale?)

(Please take your answers from this card.)

0 Government should cut taxes a lot and spend much less on health and social services

1 one

2 two

3 three

4 four

5 five

6 six

7 seven

8 eight

9 nine

10 Government should increase taxes a lot and spend much more on health and social services

¹¹ The value of this variable determines the order in which bq38a-d are asked as follows:

Bq38Rand → Question order ↓	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
First question	a	a	a	a	a	a	b	b	b	b	b	b
Second question	b	b	c	c	d	d	a	a	c	c	d	d
Third question	c	d	b	d	b	c	c	d	a	d	a	c
Fourth question	d	c	d	b	c	b	d	c	d	a	c	a

Bq38Rand → Question order ↓	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
First question	c	c	c	c	c	c	d	d	d	d	d	d
Second question	a	a	b	b	d	d	a	a	b	b	c	c
Third question	b	d	a	d	a	b	b	c	a	c	a	b
Fourth question	d	b	d	a	b	a	c	b	c	a	b	a

[bq38b01] - [bq38b24]

CARD E7 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT BQ38: Now, another issue. Using the 0 to 10 scale on this card, where the end marked 0 means that government should **cut taxes and spend much less on health and social services**, and the end marked 10 means that government should **raise taxes a lot and spend much more on health and social services**, where would you place the Labour party on this scale?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT BQ38: (And where would you place ...)

...the Labour party

(on this scale?)

(Please take your answers from this card.)

0 Government should cut taxes a lot and spend much less on health and social services

1 one

2 two

3 three

4 four

5 five

6 six

7 seven

8 eight

9 nine

10 Government should increase taxes a lot and spend much more on health and social services

[bq38c01] - [bq38c24]

CARD E7 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT BQ38: Now, another issue. Using the 0 to 10 scale on this card, where the end marked 0 means that government should **cut taxes and spend much less on health and social services**, and the end marked 10 means that government should **raise taxes a lot and spend much more on health and social services**, where would you place the Conservative party on this scale?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT BQ38: (And where would you place ...)

... the Conservative party

(on this scale?)

(Please take your answers from this card.)

0 Government should cut taxes a lot and spend much less on health and social services

1 one

2 two

3 three

4 four

5 five

6 six

7 seven

8 eight

9 nine

10 Government should increase taxes a lot and spend much more on health and social services

[bq38d01] - [bq38d24]

CARD E7 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT BQ38: Now, another issue. Using the 0 to 10 scale on this card, where the end marked 0 means that government should **cut taxes and spend much less on health and social services**, and the end marked 10 means that government should **raise taxes a lot and spend much more on health and social services**, where would you place the Liberal Democrats on this scale?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT BQ38: (And where would you place ...)

... the Liberal Democrats

(on this scale?)

(Please take your answers from this card.)

0 Government should cut taxes a lot and spend much less on health and social services

1 one

2 two

3 three

4 four

5 five

6 six

7 seven

8 eight

9 nine

10 Government should increase taxes a lot and spend much more on health and social services

ASK ALL IN SCOTLAND

[bq38e]

CARD E7 AGAIN

(And where would you place ...)

...the Scottish National Party (SNP)

(on this scale?)

(Please take your answers from this card.)

0 Government should cut taxes a lot and spend much less on health and social services

1 one

2 two

3 three

4 four

5 five

6 six

7 seven

8 eight

9 nine

10 Government should increase taxes a lot and spend much more on health and social services

ASK ALL IN WALES

[bq38f]

CARD E7 AGAIN

(And where would you place ...)

...Plaid Cymru

(on this scale?)?

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 0 Government should cut taxes a lot and spend much less on health and social services
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 Government should increase taxes a lot and spend much more on health and social services

Own/party left-right positions

ASK ALL ¹² (NOT ON SCREEN)

[bQ39Rand]

Random number for Q39

Range: 1 ... 24

[bQ39Comp] (NOT ON SCREEN)

Q20rand computed - marker

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

[bq39a01] - [bq39a24]

CARD E8 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT Bq39: In politics, people sometimes talk about parties and politicians as being on the **left** or **right**. Using the 0 to 10 scale on this card, where the end marked 0 means **left** and the end marked 10 means **right**, where would you place yourself on this scale?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT Bq39: (And where would you place ...)

...yourself

(on this scale?)

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 0 Left
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 Right

¹² The value of this variable determines the order in which bq39a-d are asked as follows:

BQ39Rand → Question order ↓	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
First question	a	a	a	a	a	a	b	b	b	b	b	b
Second question	b	b	c	c	d	d	a	a	c	c	d	d
Third question	c	d	b	d	b	c	c	d	a	d	a	c
Fourth question	d	c	d	b	c	b	d	c	d	a	c	a

BQ39Rand → Question order ↓	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
First question	c	c	c	c	c	c	d	d	d	d	d	d
Second question	a	a	b	b	d	d	a	a	b	b	c	c
Third question	b	d	a	d	a	b	b	c	a	c	a	b
Fourth question	d	b	d	a	b	a	c	b	c	a	b	a

[bq39b01] - [bq39b24]

CARD E8 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT Bq39: In politics, people sometimes talk about parties and politicians as being on the **left** or **right**. Using the 0 to 10 scale on this card, where the end marked 0 means **left** and the end marked 10 means **right**, where would you place the Labour Party on this scale?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT Bq39: (And where would you place ...)

...the Labour Party

(on this scale?)

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 0 Left
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 Right

[bq39c01] - [bq39c24]

CARD E8 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT Bq39: In politics, people sometimes talk about parties and politicians as being on the **left** or **right**. Using the 0 to 10 scale on this card, where the end marked 0 means **left** and the end marked 10 means **right**, where would you place the Conservative Party on this scale?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT Bq39: (And where would you place ...)

... the Conservative Party

(on this scale?)

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 0 Left
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 Right

[bq39d01] - [bq39d24]

CARD E8 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT Bq39: In politics, people sometimes talk about parties and politicians as being on the **left** or **right**. Using the 0 to 10 scale on this card, where the end marked 0 means **left** and the end marked 10 means **right**, where would you place the Liberal Democrats on this scale?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT Bq39: (And where would you place ...)

... the Liberal Democrats

(on this scale?)

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 0 Left
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 Right

ASK ALL IN SCOTLAND

[bq39e]

CARD E8 AGAIN

(And where would you place ...)

... the Scottish National Party (SNP)

(on this scale)?

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 0 Left
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 Right

ASK ALL IN WALES

[bq39f]

CARD E8 AGAIN

(And where would you place ...)

... Plaid Cymru

(on this scale)?

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 0 Left
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 Right

Own/party positions on civil liberties

ASK ALL ¹³ (NOT ON SCREEN)

[bQ40Rand]

Random number for Q40

Range: 1 ... 24

[bQ40Comp]

Q40rand computed - marker

1 Yes

2 No

[bq40a01] - [bq40a24]

CARD F1 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM IN Bq40: Some people think that **reducing crime** is more important than **protecting the rights of people accused** of committing crimes. Other people think that protecting the rights of accused people is more important than reducing crime. On the 0-10 scale, where would you place yourself on this scale?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM IN Bq40: (And where would you place ...)

...yourself

(on this scale?)

(Please take your answers from this card.)

0 Reducing crime more important

1 one

2 two

3 three

4 four

5 five

6 six

7 seven

8 eight

9 nine

10 Rights of accused more important

¹³ The value of this variable determines the order in which bq39a-d are asked as follows:

BQ40Rand → Question order ↓	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
First question	a	a	a	a	a	a	b	b	b	b	b	b
Second question	b	b	c	c	d	d	a	a	c	c	d	d
Third question	c	d	b	d	b	c	c	d	a	d	a	c
Fourth question	d	c	d	b	c	b	d	c	d	a	c	a

BQ40Rand → Question order ↓	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
First question	c	c	c	c	c	c	d	d	d	d	d	d
Second question	a	a	b	b	d	d	a	a	b	b	c	c
Third question	b	d	a	d	a	b	b	c	a	c	a	b
Fourth question	d	b	d	a	b	a	c	b	c	a	b	a

[bq40b01] - [bq40b24]

CARD F1 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM IN Bq40: Some people think that **reducing crime** is more important than **protecting the rights of people accused** of committing crimes. Other people think that protecting the rights of accused people is more important than reducing crime. On the 0-10 scale, where would you place the Labour party on this scale?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM IN Bq40: (And where would you place ...)

... the Labour party

(on this scale?)

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 0 Reducing crime more important
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 Rights of accused more important

[bq40c01] - [bq40c24]

CARD F1 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM IN Bq40: Some people think that **reducing crime** is more important than **protecting the rights of people accused** of committing crimes. Other people think that protecting the rights of accused people is more important than reducing crime. On the 0-10 scale, where would you place the Conservative party on this scale?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM IN Bq40: (And where would you place ...)

... the Conservative party

(on this scale?)

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 0 Reducing crime more important
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 Rights of accused more important

[bq40d01] - [bq40d24]

CARD F1 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM IN Bq40: Some people think that **reducing crime** is more important than **protecting the rights of people accused** of committing crimes. Other people think that protecting the rights of accused people is more important than reducing crime. On the 0-10 scale, where would you place the Liberal Democrats on this scale?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM IN Bq40: (And where would you place ...)

... the Liberal Democrats

(on this scale?)

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 0 Reducing crime more important
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 Rights of accused more important

Attitudes to Iraq war and war on terrorism

ASK ALL

[bq41]

CARD F2

Now, another issue. Using a scale from 0 to 10 where 0 means a complete failure and 10 means a complete success, how would you rate the war in Iraq?

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 0 A complete failure
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 A complete success

[bq42]

Please tell me whether you strongly approve, approve, disapprove, or strongly disapprove of **Britain's involvement** in Iraq.

- 1 Strongly approve
- 2 Approve
- 3 Disapprove
- 4 Strongly disapprove

[bq43]

CARD F3

Using the scale from 0 to 10, where 0 means very unlikely and 10 means very likely, how likely is it that the war against terrorism will be won in the next few years?

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 0 Very unlikely
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 Very likely

Recall vote

TOPUP RESPONDENTS: ASK ALL

[bq44]

Thinking back to the general election in 2001, do you remember which party you voted for then - or perhaps you didn't vote?

IF 'YES': Which party was that?

INTERVIEWER: DO NOT PROMPT

- 0 Did not vote
- 1 Labour
- 2 Conservative
- 3 Liberal Democrat
- 4 Scottish National Party
- 5 Plaid Cymru
- 6 Green Party
- 7 United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP)
- 8 British National Party (BNP)
- 9 Other (WRITE IN)
- 96 Not eligible/too young to vote

[OthSpe11]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

TOPUP RESPONDENTS: ASK ALL IN SCOTLAND

[bq45a]

Thinking back to the election for the Scottish Parliament in May 2003, there were two ballot papers. The first, which was green, was for an individual Member of the Scottish Parliament - or MSP - for your constituency. The second, which was peach, was for a party list for your region. Thinking of your 'first' vote for an individual MSP for your constituency, which party's candidate did you vote for - or perhaps you didn't vote in that election?

IF 'YES': Which party was that?

INTERVIEWER: DO NOT PROMPT

- 0 Did not vote
- 1 Labour
- 2 Conservative
- 3 Liberal Democrat
- 4 Scottish National Party
- 5 Scottish Socialist Party
- 6 Green Party
- 7 United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP)
- 8 British National Party (BNP)
- 9 Other (WRITE IN)
- 96 Not eligible/too young to vote

IF 'other' AT [bq45a]

[OthSpe12]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

IF 'did not vote', 'other' OR PARTY GIVEN AT [bq45a]

[bq45b]

IF PARTY GIVEN OR 'other' AT Bq45a: Now thinking of your 'second' vote, for a party list for your region, which party did you vote for?

IF 'did not vote' AT Bq45a: Can I check, thinking of your 'second' vote, for a party list for your region, which party did you vote for?

INTERVIEWER: DO NOT PROMPT

- 0 Did not vote
- 1 Labour
- 2 Conservative
- 3 Liberal Democrat
- 4 Scottish National Party
- 5 Scottish Socialist Party
- 6 Green Party
- 7 United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP)
- 8 British National Party (BNP)
- 9 Other (WRITE IN)
- 96 Not eligible/too young to vote

IF 'other' AT [bq45b]

[OthSpel3]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

TOPUP RESPONDENTS: ASK ALL IN WALES

[bq46a]

Thinking back to the election for the Welsh Assembly in May 2003, there were two ballot papers. The first, which was mauve or peach, was for an individual Member of the Welsh Assembly - or AM - for your constituency. The second, which was white, was for a party list for your region.

Thinking of your 'first' vote for an individual AM for your constituency, which party's candidate did you vote for - or perhaps you didn't vote in that election?

IF 'YES': Which party was that?

INTERVIEWER: DO NOT PROMPT

- 0 Did not vote
- 1 Labour
- 2 Conservative
- 3 Liberal Democrat
- 5 Plaid Cymru
- 6 Green Party
- 7 United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP)
- 8 British National Party (BNP)
- 9 Other (WRITE IN)
- 96 Not eligible/too young to vote

IF 'other' AT [bq46a]

[OthSpel4]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

IF 'did not vote', 'other' OR PARTY GIVEN AT [bq46a]

[bq46b]

IF PARTY GIVEN OR 'other' AT Bq46a: Now thinking of your 'second' vote, for a party list for your region, which party did you vote for?

IF 'did not vote' AT Bq46a: Can I check thinking of your 'second' vote, for a party list for your region, which party did you vote for?

INTERVIEWER: DO NOT PROMPT

- 0 Did not vote
- 1 Labour
- 2 Conservative
- 3 Liberal Democrat
- 5 Plaid Cymru
- 6 Green Party
- 7 United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP)
- 8 British National Party (BNP)
- 9 Other (WRITE IN)
- 96 Not eligible/too young to vote

IF 'other' AT [bq46b]

[OthSpel5]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

TOPUP RESPONDENTS: ASK ALL

[bq47]

Thinking back to the election for the European Parliament in June 2004, do you remember which party you voted for, or perhaps you didn't vote in that election?

IF 'YES': Which party was that?

INTERVIEWER: DO NOT PROMPT

- 0 Did not vote
- 1 Labour
- 2 Conservatives
- 3 Liberal Democrats
- 4 Scottish National Party (SNP)
- 5 Plaid Cymru
- 6 Green Party
- 7 United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP)
- 8 British National Party (BNP)
- 9 Other (WRITE IN)
- 96 Not eligible/too young to vote

IF 'other' AT [bq47]

[OthSpel6]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

ASK ALL IN ENGLAND

[bq48a]

Let's talk for a moment about the **local election** that was held in some parts of the country on May 5th this year. We have found that a lot of people didn't manage to vote. How about you - did you manage to vote in the local election, or wasn't there one in this area?

- 1 Yes, voted
- 2 No, did not manage to vote
- 3 There wasn't a local election in this area

IF 'yes' AT Bq48a

[bq48b]

Which party did you vote for in the local election on 5th of May?

DO NOT PROMPT

- 1 Labour
- 2 Conservatives
- 3 Liberal Democrats
- 4 Scottish National Party (SNP)
- 5 Plaid Cymru
- 6 Green Party
- 7 United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP)
- 8 British National Party (BNP)
- 9 Independent candidate
- 10 Other (WRITE IN)

IF 'other' AT [bq48b]

[OthSpe17]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

Involvement in politics and community affairs

ASK ALL

[bq49Rand] ¹⁴ (NOT ON SCREEN)

Random number for Q49

Range: 1 ... 20

[bq49Comp] (NOT ON SCREEN)

bQ49rand computed - marker

- 1 Yes
2 No

[bq49a01] - [bq49a20]

CARD F3 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT Bq49: Now a few questions about how active you are in politics and community affairs. Let's think about the next few years. Using a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 means very unlikely and 10 means very likely, how likely is it that you will vote in the next election for the European Parliament?

¹⁴ The value of this variable determines the order in which bq49 is asked as follows:

BQ49Rand → question order ↓	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
First question	i	e	j	d	i	g	e	e	h	a
Second question	j	j	b	e	g	c	g	f	e	i
Third question	b	g	k	i	a	d	b	k	g	j
Fourth question	a	c	f	c	e	a	i	d	d	e
Fifth question	h	h	g	k	d	i	j	b	k	h
Sixth question	c	f	i	g	j	e	a	g	f	c
Seventh question	d	b	e	b	k	f	f	c	j	b
Eighth question	e	i	d	j	b	h	c	h	a	d
Ninth question	k	d	h	a	h	j	d	i	c	g
Tenth question	f	k	c	h	f	k	k	a	b	k
Eleventh question	g	a	a	f	c	b	h	j	i	f

BQ49Rand → question order ↓	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
First question	f	e	b	k	e	g	g	e	f	a
Second question	g	d	f	d	g	h	i	c	k	c
Third question	j	k	j	b	j	b	d	h	d	e
Fourth question	h	f	i	h	c	i	c	b	i	j
Fifth question	i	c	d	i	b	j	f	f	h	b
Sixth question	c	b	g	c	h	f	b	d	a	d
Seventh question	d	h	k	f	i	d	h	j	b	g
Eighth question	a	j	h	g	a	e	a	a	g	k
Ninth question	b	a	e	j	d	k	j	g	j	f
Tenth question	k	g	a	a	f	a	k	i	e	i
Eleventh question	e	i	c	e	k	c	e	k	c	h

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT Bq49: And, how likely is it that you will vote in the next election for the European Parliament?
(Please take your answers from this card)

- 0 Very unlikely
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 Very likely

[bq49b01] - [bq49b20]
CARD F3 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT Bq49: Now a few questions about how active you are in politics and community affairs. Let's think about the next few years. Using a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 means very unlikely and 10 means very likely, how likely is it that you will vote in the European Union constitutional referendum which will be held in the next year or so?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT Bq49: And, how likely is it that you will vote in the European Union constitutional referendum which will be held in the next year or so?

(Please take your answers from this card)

- 0 Very unlikely
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 Very likely

[bq49c01] - [bq49c20]
CARD F3 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT Bq49: Now a few questions about how active you are in politics and community affairs. Let's think about the next few years. Using a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 means very unlikely and 10 means very likely, how likely is it that you will vote in the next local government election?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT Bq49: And, how likely is it that you will vote in the next local government election?

(Please take your answers from this card)

- 0 Very unlikely
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 Very likely

[bq49d01] - [bq49d20]

CARD F3 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT Bq49: Now a few questions about how active you are in politics and community affairs. Let's think about the next few years. Using a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 means very unlikely and 10 means very likely, how likely is it that you will work actively with a group of people to address a public issue or solve a problem?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT Bq49: And, how likely is it that you will work actively with a group of people to address a public issue or solve a problem?

(Please take your answers from this card)

- 0 Very unlikely
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 Very likely

[bq49e01] - [bq49e20]

CARD F3 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT Bq49: Now a few questions about how active you are in politics and community affairs. Let's think about the next few years. Using a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 means very unlikely and 10 means very likely, how likely is it that you will participate in a protest, like a rally or a demonstration, to show your concern about a public issue or problem?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT Bq49: And, how likely is it that you will participate in a protest, like a rally or a demonstration, to show your concern about a public issue or problem?

(Please take your answers from this card)

- 0 Very unlikely
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 Very likely

[bq49f01] - [bq49f20]

CARD F3 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT Bq49: Now a few questions about how active you are in politics and community affairs. Let's think about the next few years. Using a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 means very unlikely and 10 means very likely, how likely is it that you will be active in a voluntary organisation, like a community association, a charity group or a sports club?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT Bq49: And, how likely is it that you will be active in a voluntary organisation, like a community association, a charity group or a sports club?

(Please take your answers from this card)

- 0 Very unlikely
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 Very likely

[bq49g01] - [bq49g20]

CARD F3 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT Bq49: Now a few questions about how active you are in politics and community affairs. Let's think about the next few years. Using a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 means very unlikely and 10 means very likely, how likely is it that you will give money to a political party?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT Bq49: And, how likely is it that you will give money to a political party?

(Please take your answers from this card)

- 0 Very unlikely
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 Very likely

[bq49h01] - [bq49h20]

CARD F3 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT Bq49: Now a few questions about how active you are in politics and community affairs. Let's think about the next few years. Using a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 means very unlikely and 10 means very likely, how likely is it that you will try to convince someone else which party to vote for?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT Bq49: And, how likely is it that you will try to convince someone else which party to vote for?

(Please take your answers from this card)

- 0 Very unlikely
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 Very likely

[bq49i01] - [bq49i20]

CARD F3 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT Bq49: Now a few questions about how active you are in politics and community affairs. Let's think about the next few years. Using a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 means very unlikely and 10 means very likely, how likely is it that you will work for a party or a candidate in an election campaign?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT Bq49: And, how likely is it that you will work for a party or a candidate in an election campaign?

(Please take your answers from this card)

- 0 Very unlikely
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 Very likely

[bq49j01] - [bq49j20]

CARD F3 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT Bq49: Now a few questions about how active you are in politics and community affairs. Let's think about the next few years. Using a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 means very unlikely and 10 means very likely, how likely is it that you will discuss politics with family or friends?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT Bq49: And, how likely is it that you will discuss politics with family or friends?

(Please take your answers from this card)

- 0 Very unlikely
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 Very likely

[bq49k01] - [bq49k20]

CARD F3 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT Bq49: Now a few questions about how active you are in politics and community affairs. Let's think about the next few years. Using a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 means very unlikely and 10 means very likely, how likely is it that you will join a boycott, that is, refuse to buy a particular product or to shop at a particular store?

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT Bq49: And, how likely is it that you will join a boycott, that is, refuse to buy a particular product or to shop at a particular store?

(Please take your answers from this card)

- 0 Very unlikely
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 Very likely

[bq50]

Over the past few years, has anyone **asked you** to get involved in politics or community affairs?

- 1 Yes - I have been asked
- 2 No - I have not been asked

[bq51]

Over the past few years, have you **volunteered** to get involved in politics or community affairs?

- 1 Yes - I have volunteered
- 2 No - I have not volunteered

[bq52]

CARD F4

Again, over the past few years, how active have you been in a voluntary organisation, like a local community association, a charity, or a sports club?

- 1 Very active
- 2 Somewhat active
- 3 A little active
- 4 Not at all active/Not involved

Persuaded to vote

ASK ALL

[bq53a1] - [bq53a4]

CARD F5

Did anyone, for example, a friend, a member of your family, or someone at work, try to convince you which party to vote for in the recent general election? Please take your answers from this card.

PROBE: Any others?

CODE ALL THAT APPLY

Multicoded (Maximum of 4 codes)

- 1 Friend(s)
- 2 Family member(s)
- 3 Someone at work
- 4 Other person(s)
- 5 No one tried to convince me

IF MORE THAN ONE ANSWER AT [bq53]

[bq53b]

CARD F5 AGAIN

Which of them, do you think, was most important in trying to convince you how to vote in the recent general election?

- 1 Friend
- 2 Family member
- 3 Someone at work
- 4 Other person
- 5 None/no one

Party membership

ASK ALL

[bq54a]

Are you a member of a political party?

INTERVIEWER:

INCLUDE PEOPLE WHO HAVE TEMPORARILY NOT PAID SUBSCRIPTIONS BUT INTEND TO.

LABOUR PARTY - INCLUDE RESPONDENTS WHO, AS TRADE UNION MEMBERS, HAVE PAID A REDUCED FEE FOR LABOUR PARTY MEMBERSHIP

1 Yes, member

2 No

IF 'yes' AT Bq54a

[bq54b]

Which one?

DO NOT PROMPT

INTERVIEWER:

INCLUDE PEOPLE WHO HAVE TEMPORARILY NOT PAID SUBSCRIPTIONS BUT INTEND TO.

LABOUR PARTY - INCLUDE RESPONDENTS WHO, AS TRADE UNION MEMBERS, HAVE PAID A REDUCED FEE FOR LABOUR PARTY MEMBERSHIP

1 Labour

2 Conservatives

3 Liberal Democrats

4 Scottish National Party (SNP)

5 Plaid Cymru

6 Green Party

7 United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP)

8 British National Party (BNP)

9 Other (WRITE IN)

IF 'other' AT [bq54b]

[OthSpel8]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

IF 'yes' AT Bq54a

[bq54c]

Did you work actively for the party during the campaign?

1 Yes, worked actively

2 No

Self-rated class and social trust

ASK ALL

[bq55]

Do you ever think of yourself as belonging to any particular class?

IF YES: Which class is that?

DO NOT PROMPT

- 1 Yes, middle class
- 2 Yes, working class
- 3 Yes, other (WRITE IN)
- 4 No

IF 'Yes, other' AT [bq55]

[OthSpe19]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

ASK ALL

[bq56]

CARD G1

Now, I'd like to ask you about another topic. On balance, would you say that most people can't be trusted or that most people can be trusted?

Please use the 0 to 10 scale to indicate your view.

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 0 Most people can't be trusted
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 Most people can be trusted

[bq57]

CARD G2

Do you think that most people you come into contact with would try to take advantage of you if they got the chance or would they try to be fair? Please use the 0 to 10 scale again, where 0 means would try to take advantage and 10 means would try to be fair.

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 0 Try to take advantage
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 Try to be fair

National identity

ASK ALL IN ENGLAND

[bq58a]

CARD G3

Which, if any, of the following best describes how you see yourself?

Please take your answers from this card.

- 1 English not British
- 2 More English than British
- 3 Equally English and British
- 4 More British than English
- 5 British not English
- 6 None of these
- 7 Other (WRITE IN)

IF 'other' AT [bq58a]

[OthSpe20]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

ASK ALL IN SCOTLAND

[bq58b]

CARD G4

Which, if any, of the following best describes how you see yourself?

Please take your answers from this card.

- 1 Scottish not British
- 2 More Scottish than British
- 3 Equally Scottish and British
- 4 More British than Scottish
- 5 British not Scottish
- 6 None of these
- 7 Other (WRITE IN)

IF 'other' at [bq58b]

[OthSpe21]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

ASK ALL IN WALES

[bq58c]

CARD G5

Which, if any, of the following best describes how you see yourself?

Please take your answers from this card.

- 1 Welsh not British
- 2 More Welsh than British
- 3 Equally Welsh and British
- 4 More British than Welsh
- 5 British not Welsh
- 6 None of these
- 7 Other (WRITE IN)

IF 'other' AT [bq58c]

[OthSpe22]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

Attitudes to voting and politics

ASK ALL

[bQ59Rand] ¹⁵ (NOT ON SCREEN)

Random number for Q59

Range: 1 ... 20

[bQ59Comp] (NOT ON SCREEN)

Q59rand computed - marker

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

[bq59a01] - [bq59a20]

CARD G6 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT BQ59: Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each of the following statements:

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT BQ59: (And how much do you agree or disagree with this statement:)

I feel a sense of satisfaction when I vote.

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Agree
- 3 Neither agree nor disagree
- 4 Disagree
- 5 Strongly disagree

¹⁵ The value of this variable determines the order in which Bq59 are asked as follows:

Bq59Rand → Question order ↓	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
First question	c	b	e	a	e	c	c	d	e	a
Second question	g	f	d	e	g	b	d	g	d	e
Third question	d	a	f	g	d	d	f	f	g	d
Fourth question	b	d	g	b	f	f	a	c	b	b
Fifth question	a	e	a	c	a	e	g	a	a	g
Sixth question	e	c	c	f	b	a	b	e	f	c
Seventh question	f	g	b	d	c	g	e	b	c	f

Bq59Rand → Question order ↓	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
First question	f	a	f	g	b	g	f	c	f	g
Second question	d	e	e	d	f	c	e	f	d	e
Third question	b	c	d	a	e	e	b	e	e	b
Fourth question	g	b	b	f	a	b	d	a	b	f
Fifth question	a	d	a	c	d	f	a	b	a	a
Sixth question	e	g	c	e	g	d	g	g	g	c
Seventh question	c	f	g	b	c	a	c	d	c	d

[bq59b01] - [bq59b20]

CARD G6 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT BQ59: Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each of the following statements:

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT BQ59: (And how much do you agree or disagree with this statement:)

People are so busy that they don't have time to vote.

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Agree
- 3 Neither agree nor disagree
- 4 Disagree
- 5 Strongly disagree

[bq59c01] - [bq59c20]

CARD G6 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT BQ59: Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each of the following statements:

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT BQ59: (And how much do you agree or disagree with this statement:)

Most people around here usually vote in general elections.

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Agree
- 3 Neither agree nor disagree
- 4 Disagree
- 5 Strongly disagree

[bq59d01] - [bq59d20]

CARD G6 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT BQ59: Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each of the following statements:

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT BQ59: (And how much do you agree or disagree with this statement:)

When people like me vote, they can really change the way that Britain is governed.

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Agree
- 3 Neither agree nor disagree
- 4 Disagree
- 5 Strongly disagree

[bq59e01] - [bq59e20]

CARD G6 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT BQ59: Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each of the following statements:

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT BQ59: (And how much do you agree or disagree with this statement:)

Democracy only works properly if most people vote.

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Agree
- 3 Neither agree nor disagree
- 4 Disagree
- 5 Strongly disagree

[bq59f01] - [bq59f20]

CARD G6 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT BQ59: Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each of the following statements:

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT BQ59: (And how much do you agree or disagree with this statement:)

I would feel very guilty if I didn't vote in a general election.

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Agree
- 3 Neither agree nor disagree
- 4 Disagree
- 5 Strongly disagree

[bq59g01] - [bq59g20]

CARD G6 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT BQ59: Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each of the following statements:

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT BQ59: (And how much do you agree or disagree with this statement:)

I would be **seriously** neglecting my duty as a citizen if I didn't vote.

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Agree
- 3 Neither agree nor disagree
- 4 Disagree
- 5 Strongly disagree

[bq60]

CARD G7

On a scale of 0 to 10 how much attention do you generally pay to politics?

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 0 Pay no attention
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 Pay a great deal of attention

[bq61]

CARD G8

On a scale from 0 to 10 where 10 means a great deal of influence and 0 means no influence, how much influence do **you** have on politics and public affairs?

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 0 No influence
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine
- 10 A great deal of influence

Beliefs and values

TOPUP RESPONDENTS: ASK ALL
 [bQ62Rand] ¹⁶ (NOT ON SCREEN)
 Random number for bQ62
 Range: 1 ... 20

[bQ62Comp] (NOT ON SCREEN)
 Q62rand computed - marker

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

[bq62a01] - [bq62a20]
 CARD G9 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT [bq62]: Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with each of the following statements:

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT [bq62]: (Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with this statement)

Big international companies are a threat to democratic government in Britain.

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Agree
- 3 Neither agree nor disagree
- 4 Disagree
- 5 Strongly disagree

¹⁶ The value of this variable determines the order in which Bq62 are asked as follows:

BQ62Rand → question order ↓	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
First question	a	d	b	f	f	d	f	b	h	d
Second question	b	b	g	d	e	e	d	d	f	i
Third question	g	c	c	a	i	f	c	c	d	g
Fourth question	i	a	i	c	g	c	h	e	a	c
Fifth question	f	e	a	h	b	i	g	f	b	e
Sixth question	e	g	h	b	h	h	a	i	g	b
Seventh question	h	i	e	i	c	g	e	h	e	a
Eighth question	c	f	f	g	a	b	b	g	c	f
Ninth question	d	h	d	e	d	a	i	a	i	h

BQ62Rand→ question order ↓	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
First question	b	i	h	h	i	a	c	g	b	e
Second question	a	e	b	a	e	e	d	i	h	i
Third question	g	c	a	b	f	h	b	b	a	g
Fourth question	h	g	i	c	g	d	i	a	e	d
Fifth question	e	b	c	g	d	c	a	h	d	f
Sixth question	i	f	g	i	a	i	h	e	g	h
Seventh question	f	a	d	e	c	b	f	d	i	c
Eighth question	d	d	e	d	b	f	e	c	f	a
Ninth question	c	h	f	f	h	g	g	f	c	b

[bq62b01] - [bq62b20]

CARD G9 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT [bq62]: Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with each of the following statements:

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT [bq62]: (Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with this statement)

Immigrants make Britain more open to new ideas and cultures.

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Agree
- 3 Neither agree nor disagree
- 4 Disagree
- 5 Strongly disagree

[bq62c01] - [bq62c20]

CARD G9 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT [bq62]: Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with each of the following statements:

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT [bq62]: (Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with this statement)

The European Union seriously threatens British sovereignty.

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Agree
- 3 Neither agree nor disagree
- 4 Disagree
- 5 Strongly disagree

[bq62d01] - [bq62d20]

CARD G9 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT [bq62]: Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with each of the following statements:

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT [bq62]: (Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with this statement)

No matter what, I would **never** break a promise that I make to someone else.

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Agree
- 3 Neither agree nor disagree
- 4 Disagree
- 5 Strongly disagree

[bq62e01] - [bq62e20]

CARD G9 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT [bq62]: Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with each of the following statements:

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT [bq62]: (Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with this statement)

Even when their personal safety is **seriously threatened**, people must be willing to help others.

(Please take your answers from this card.)

INTERVIEWER: IF RESPONDENT NEEDS CLARIFICATION, SAY 'LIKE BEING A GOOD SAMARITAN'

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Agree
- 3 Neither agree nor disagree
- 4 Disagree
- 5 Strongly disagree

[bq62f01] - [bq62f20]

CARD G9 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT [bq62]: Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with each of the following statements:

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT [bq62]: (Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with this statement)

These days, people cannot rely on Government to protect them from criminals.

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Agree
- 3 Neither agree nor disagree
- 4 Disagree
- 5 Strongly disagree

[bq62g01] - [bq62g20]

CARD G9 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT [bq62]: Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with each of the following statements:

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT [bq62]: (Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with this statement)

Immigrants take jobs away from people who were born in Britain.

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Agree
- 3 Neither agree nor disagree
- 4 Disagree
- 5 Strongly disagree

[bq62h01] - [bq62h20]

CARD G9 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT [bq62]: Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with each of the following statements:

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT [bq62]: (Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with this statement)

People should take more responsibility to provide for themselves.

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Agree
- 3 Neither agree nor disagree
- 4 Disagree
- 5 Strongly disagree

[bq62i01] - [bq62i20]

CARD G9 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT [bq62]: Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with each of the following statements:

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT [bq62]: (Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with this statement)

Competition brings out the worst in people.

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Agree
- 3 Neither agree nor disagree
- 4 Disagree
- 5 Strongly disagree

Party identification (version 2)

ASK ALL IN RANDOM HALF OF SAMPLE (XYVer=2)

[bq9aY]

Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as Labour, Conservative, Liberal Democrat, (*Scottish National/Plaid Cymru*) or what?

- 0 None/No
- 1 Labour
- 2 Conservatives
- 3 Liberal Democrats
- 4 Scottish National Party (SNP)
- 5 Plaid Cymru
- 6 Green Party
- 7 United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP)
- 8 British National Party (BNP)
- 9 Other (WRITE IN)

IF 'other' AT bq9aY

[OthSpe23]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

IF 'none/no', DK OR REFUSAL AT [bq9aY]

[bq9bY]

Do you generally think of yourself as a little closer to one of the parties than the others?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

IF 'yes' AT [bq9bY]

[bq9cY]

Which party is that?

- 0 None/No
- 1 Labour
- 2 Conservatives
- 3 Liberal Democrats
- 4 Scottish National Party (SNP)
- 5 Plaid Cymru
- 6 Green Party
- 7 United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP)
- 8 British National Party (BNP)
- 9 Other (WRITE IN)

IF 'other' at [bq9cY]

[OthSpe24]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

IF PARTY GIVEN AT [bq9aY] or AT [bq9cY]

[bq9dY]

Would you call yourself very strong (*party*), fairly strong or not very strong?

- 1 Very strong
- 2 Fairly strong
- 3 Not very strong

Party identification (version 1)

ASK ALL IN RANDOM HALF OF SAMPLE (XYVer=1)

[bq63aX]

Some people think of themselves as usually being a supporter of one political party rather than another. Do you usually think of yourself as being a supporter of one particular party or not?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

IF 'yes' AT [bq63aX]

[bq63bX]

Which party is that?

INTERVIEWER: DO NOT PROMPT

- 1 Labour
- 2 Conservatives
- 3 Liberal Democrats
- 4 Scottish National Party (SNP)
- 5 Plaid Cymru
- 6 Green Party
- 7 United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP)
- 8 British National Party (BNP)
- 9 Other (WRITE IN)

IF 'other' AT [bq63aX]

[OthSpe25]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

Political knowledge

ASK ALL

[bq64a]

Please tell me if you think that the following statements are **true** or **false**. If you don't know, just say so and we will skip to the next one. Remember - true, false, or don't know.

Polling stations close at 10.00pm on election day.

FOR 'DON'T KNOW', USE CTRL + K

- 1 True
- 2 False

[bQ64Rand] ¹⁷ (NOT ON SCREEN)

Random number for Q64

Range: 1 ... 20

[bQ64Comp] (NOT ON SCREEN)

Q64rand computed - marker

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

[bq64b01] - [bq64b20]

(Please tell me if you think this statement is **true** or **false**. If you don't know, just say so and we will skip to the next one. Remember - true, false, or don't know.)

The Liberal Democrats favour a system of proportional representation for Westminster elections.

FOR DON'T KNOW, USE CTRL+K.

- 1 True
- 2 False

¹⁷ The value of this variable determines the order in which Bq64b-h are asked as follows:

BQ64Rand→ question order ↓	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
First question	c	b	e	h	e	c	c	d	e	h
Second question	g	f	d	e	g	b	d	g	d	e
Third question	d	h	f	g	d	d	f	f	g	d
Fourth question	b	d	g	b	f	f	h	c	b	b
Fifth question	h	e	h	c	h	e	g	h	h	g
Sixth question	e	c	c	f	b	h	b	e	f	c
Seventh question	f	g	b	d	c	g	e	b	c	f

BQ64Rand→ question order ↓	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
First question	f	h	f	g	b	g	f	c	f	g
Second question	d	e	e	d	f	c	e	f	d	e
Third question	b	c	d	h	e	e	b	e	e	b
Fourth question	g	b	b	f	h	b	d	h	b	f
Fifth question	h	d	h	c	d	f	h	b	h	h
Sixth question	e	g	c	e	g	d	g	g	g	c
Seventh question	c	f	g	b	c	h	c	d	c	d

[bq64c01] - [bq64c20]

(Please tell me if you think this statement **true** or **false**. If you don't know, just say so and we will skip to the next one. Remember - true, false, or don't know.)

The minimum voting age is 16.

FOR DON'T KNOW, USE CTRL+K.

- 1 True
- 2 False

[bq64d01] - [bq64d20]

(Please tell me if you think this statement **true** or **false**. If you don't know, just say so and we will skip to the next one. Remember - true, false, or don't know.)

The standard rate of income tax payable is 26p in the pound.

FOR DON'T KNOW, USE CTRL+K.

- 1 True
- 2 False

[bq64e01] - [bq64e20]

(Please tell me if you think this statement **true** or **false**. If you don't know, just say so and we will skip to the next one. Remember - true, false, or don't know.)

The Chancellor of the Exchequer is responsible for setting interest rates in the UK.

FOR DON'T KNOW, USE CTRL+K.

- 1 True
- 2 False

[bq64f01] - [bq64f20]

(Please tell me if you think this statement **true** or **false**. If you don't know, just say so and we will skip to the next one. Remember - true, false, or don't know.)

Labour wants university students to pay a fee of up to £3,000 each year for their education.

FOR DON'T KNOW, USE CTRL+K.

- 1 True
- 2 False

[bq64g01] - [bq64g20]

(Please tell me if you think this statement **true** or **false**. If you don't know, just say so and we will skip to the next one. Remember - true, false, or don't know.)

The Conservative Party favours imposing strict limits on the number of asylum-seekers who can enter Britain each year.

FOR DON'T KNOW, USE CTRL+K.

- 1 True
- 2 False

[bq64h01] - [bq64h20]

(Please tell me if you think this statement **true** or **false**. If you don't know, just say so and we will skip to the next one. Remember - true, false, or don't know.)

Any registered voter can obtain a postal vote if they want one - by ringing their local council and asking for a postal vote.

FOR DON'T KNOW, USE CTRL+K.

- 1 True
- 2 False

Attitudes to democracy / risk taking

ASK ALL

[bq65]

CARD H1

On the whole, are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the way that democracy works in this country?

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Very satisfied
- 2 Fairly satisfied
- 3 A little dissatisfied
- 4 Very dissatisfied

[bq66]

CARD H1 AGAIN

Thinking about your life as a whole, are you satisfied or dissatisfied with your life in general?

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Very satisfied
- 2 Fairly satisfied
- 3 A little dissatisfied
- 4 Very dissatisfied

[bq67]

CARD H2

Generally speaking, how willing are you to take risks?

(Please take your answer from this card.)

- 1 Very willing
- 2 Somewhat willing
- 3 Somewhat unwilling
- 4 Very unwilling

Media use and party contact

ASK ALL

[bq68a]

Do you regularly read one or more daily morning newspapers?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

IF 'yes' AT [bq68a]

[bq68b]

Which daily morning newspaper do you read **most often**?

- 1 Aberdeen Press and Journal
- 2 Daily Mail/Scottish Daily Mail
- 3 Daily Star/Daily Star of Scotland
- 4 Daily Telegraph
- 5 Express
- 6 Financial Times
- 7 Guardian
- 8 Independent
- 9 Mirror/Scottish Mirror/Daily Record
- 10 The Glasgow Herald
- 11 The Scotsman
- 12 The Sun
- 13 The Times
- 14 None most often
- 15 Other (WRITE IN)

IF 'other' AT [bq68b]

[OthSpe26]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

ASK ALL

[bq69a]

Did a canvasser from any party call at your home to talk with you during the election campaign?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

IF 'yes' AT [bq69a]

[bq69b1] - [bq69b9]

Which party or parties did they represent?

PROBE: Any others?

CODE ALL THAT APPLY

Multicoded (Maximum of 9 codes)

- 1 Labour
- 2 Conservative
- 3 Liberal Democrat
- 4 Scottish National Party
- 5 Plaid Cymru
- 6 Green Party
- 7 United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP)
- 8 British National Party (BNP)
- 9 Other (WRITE IN)

IF 'other' AT [bq69b]

[OthSpe27]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

ASK ALL

[bq70a]

Did anyone from a political party telephone you during the election campaign to ask you how you might vote?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

IF 'yes' AT [bq70a]

[bq70b1] - [bq70b9]

Which party or parties did they represent?

PROBE: Any others?

CODE ALL THAT APPLY

Multicoded (Maximum of 9 codes)

- 1 Labour
- 2 Conservative
- 3 Liberal Democrat
- 4 Scottish National Party
- 5 Plaid Cymru
- 6 Green Party
- 7 United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP)
- 8 British National Party (BNP)
- 9 Other (WRITE IN)

IF 'other' AT [bq70b]

[OthSpe28]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

ASK ALL

[bq71a]

Did any political party contact you on election day itself to see whether you had voted or intended to vote?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

IF 'yes' AT [bq71a]

[bq71b1] - [bq71b9]

Which party or parties did they represent?

PROBE: Any others?

CODE ALL THAT APPLY

Multicoded (Maximum of 9 codes)

- 1 Labour
- 2 Conservative
- 3 Liberal Democrat
- 4 Scottish National Party
- 5 Plaid Cymru
- 6 Green Party
- 7 United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP)
- 8 British National Party (BNP)
- 9 Other (WRITE IN)

IF 'other' AT [bq71b]

[OthSpe29]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

ASK ALL

[bq72a]

Did you see any of the Party Election Broadcasts that were shown on television during the election campaign?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

IF 'yes' AT [bq72a]

[bq72b1] - [bq72b9]

Which parties' Election Broadcasts did you see?

PROBE: Any others?

CODE ALL THAT APPLY

Multicoded (Maximum of 9 codes)

- 1 Labour
- 2 Conservative
- 3 Liberal Democrat
- 4 Scottish National Party
- 5 Plaid Cymru
- 6 Green Party
- 7 United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP)
- 8 British National Party (BNP)
- 9 Other (WRITE IN)

IF 'other' AT [bq72b]

[OthSpe30]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

ASK ALL

[bq73]

How much did you use the internet to get information about the recent general election ... READ OUT ...

- 1 ... a great deal,
- 2 a fair amount,
- 3 not very much,
- 4 or, not at all?

Views on election campaign

ASK ALL

[bQ74Rand] ¹⁸ (NOT ON SCREEN)

Random number for Q74

Range: 1 ... 20

[bQ74Comp] (NOT ON SCREEN)

Q74rand computed - marker

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

[bq74a01] - [bq74a20]

CARD H3 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT [bq74]: Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with each of the following statements:

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT [bq74]: (Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with this statement:)

The election campaign gave me enough information to make a good choice between the parties.

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Agree
- 3 Neither agree nor disagree
- 4 Disagree
- 5 Strongly disagree

¹⁸ The value of this variable determines the order in which Bq74 are asked as follows:

BQ74Rand → question order ↓	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
First question	d	c	a	d	a	c	b	c	e	b
Second question	b	b	b	b	d	e	c	d	b	e
Third question	e	e	e	e	c	d	e	a	d	c
Fourth question	a	d	d	c	e	b	a	e	c	a
Fifth question	c	a	c	a	b	a	d	b	a	d

BQ74Rand → question order ↓	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
First question	b	a	e	b	b	e	b	a	d	c	e
Second question	e	b	a	a	a	d	c	d	b	b	c
Third question	c	c	c	e	d	c	d	e	c	a	d
Fourth question	a	d	b	c	e	b	a	c	a	d	b
Fifth question	d	e	d	d	c	a	e	b	e	e	a

[bq74b01] - [bq74b20]

CARD H3 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT [bq74]: Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with each of the following statements:

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT [bq74]: (Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with this statement:)

During the election campaign, the parties spent too much time criticising each other.

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Agree
- 3 Neither agree nor disagree
- 4 Disagree
- 5 Strongly disagree

[bq74c01] - [bq74c20]

CARD H3 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT [bq74]: Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with each of the following statements:

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT [bq74]: (Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with this statement:)

The media coverage of the election campaign made it difficult for me to learn what the parties stood for.

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Agree
- 3 Neither agree nor disagree
- 4 Disagree
- 5 Strongly disagree

[bq74d01] - [bq74d20]

CARD H3 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT [bq74]: Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with each of the following statements:

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT [bq74]: (Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with this statement:)

During the election campaign, the parties did not talk about any of the issues that matter to me.

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Agree
- 3 Neither agree nor disagree
- 4 Disagree
- 5 Strongly disagree

[bq74e01] - [bq74e20]

CARD H3 (AGAIN)

IF FIRST ITEM AT [bq74]: Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with each of the following statements:

IF NOT FIRST ITEM AT [bq74]: (Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with this statement:)

The parties' election broadcasts helped me to understand what the parties stood for.

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Agree
- 3 Neither agree nor disagree
- 4 Disagree
- 5 Strongly disagree

Reasons for voting / not voting

IF 'no' AT [Bq12a]

[bq75a1] - [bq75a7]

CARD H4

People have different reasons for not voting in general elections. Which of the statements on this card comes closest to your reason(s) for not voting in the general election that was held on May 5th?

PROBE: Any others?

CODE ALL THAT APPLY

Multicoded (Maximum of 7 codes)

- 1 I really intended to vote but circumstances on the day prevented me
- 2 I'm just not interested in politics
- 3 There was no point in voting because it was obvious who would win the election
- 4 The party I used to support no longer stands for what I believe in
- 5 There was no point in voting because all the parties are the same
- 6 You can't trust politicians to keep their promises
- 7 Other (WRITE IN)
- 8 (None of these)

IF 'other' AT [bq75a]

[OthSpe31]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

IF 'yes' AT [Bq12a]

[bq75b1] - [bq75b9]

CARD H5

People have many different reasons for voting in general elections. Which of the statements on this card comes closest to your reason(s) for voting in the general election that was held on May 5th?

PROBE: Any others?

CODE ALL THAT APPLY

Multicoded (Maximum of 9 codes)

- 1 I wanted to have a say in who wins the election
- 2 I wanted to support the candidate I preferred
- 3 It is my duty to vote
- 4 I wanted to support the party I preferred
- 5 I always vote
- 6 I wanted to vote against a party I didn't like
- 7 It is my right to vote
- 8 I wanted to send a message to the government
- 9 Other (WRITE IN)
- 10 (None of these)

IF 'other' AT [bq75b]

[OthSpe32]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

Classification

ASK ALL

[bq76]

INTERVIEWER TO OBSERVE AND RECORD: GENDER OF RESPONDENT

- 1 Male
- 2 Female

[bq77]

Now, a few questions about yourself and your background. What was your age last birthday?

INTERVIEWER: ENTER AGE IN YEARS

FOR 97+, CODE 97

Range: 18 ... 97

[bq78]

CARD J1

Can I just check, which of these applies to you at present?

Please choose the first on the list that applies

- 1 Married
- 2 Living with a partner
- 3 Separated (after being married)
- 4 Divorced
- 5 Widowed
- 6 Single (never married)

TOPUP RESPONDENTS: ASK ALL

[bq79a]

Does your household own or rent this accommodation?

INTERVIEWER: 'OWN' INCLUDES ON A MORTGAGE

- 1 Own
- 2 Rent
- 3 Neither

IF 'own' AT [bq79a]

[bq79b]

Do you own your home outright or on a mortgage?

- 1 Own the leasehold/freehold outright
- 2 Buying leasehold/freehold on a mortgage

IF 'rent' AT [bq79a]

[bq79c]

Who do you rent from?

- 1 Local authority
- 2 New Town Development Corporation
- 3 Housing Association
- 4 Property company
- 5 Employer
- 6 Other organisation
- 7 Relative
- 8 Other individual
- 9 Housing Trust
- 10 Rent free, squatting
- 11 Shared ownership (e.g. part rent, part buy)
- 97 Other (WRITE IN)

IF 'other' AT [bq79c]

[OthSpe33]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

TOPUP RESPONDENTS: ASK ALL

[bq80a]

Are you **now** a member of a trade union or staff association?

INTERVIEWER: IF NECESSARY, PROBE FOR WHICH ONE

INTERVIEWER: CODE FIRST TO APPLY

- 1 Yes, trade union
- 2 Yes, staff association
- 3 No

IF 'no' or DK at [bq80a]

[bq80b]

Have you **ever** been a member of a trade union or staff association?

INTERVIEWER: CODE FIRST TO APPLY

- 1 Yes, trade union
- 2 Yes, staff association
- 3 No

ASK ALL

[bq81]

At what age did you finish full-time education?

- 1 15 or younger
- 2 16
- 3 17
- 4 18
- 5 19 or older
- 6 Still at school in full-time education
- 7 Still at university in full-time education

TOPUP RESPONDENTS: ASK ALL

[bq82a]

Do you have any educational or work-related qualifications?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

IF 'yes' at [bq82a]

[bq82b]

CARD J2

Taking your answers from this card, which is the **highest** qualification you have?

Please just give me the number next to it.

IF QUALIFICATION IS NOT IN LIST, PROBE FOR EQUIVALENT IF POSSIBLE.

- 1 Postgraduate degree
- 2 First degree
- 3 Univ/poly diploma
- 4 Teaching qualification
- 5 Nursing qualification
- 6 HNC/HND, City&Guilds level 4, NVQ/SVQ 4/5
- 7 A level and equiv
- 8 Scottish Higher and equiv
- 9 ONC/OND, City&Guilds level 3, NVQ/SVQ 3
- 10 GCSE A*-C, CSE grade 1, O level grade A-C
- 11 Scottish Standard grades, Ordinary bands
- 12 GCSE D-G, CSE grades 2-5, O level D-E
- 13 City&Guilds level 2, NVQ/SVQ 2 and equiv
- 14 City&Guilds level 1, NVQ/SVQ 1 and equiv
- 15 Clerical and commercial qualifications
- 16 Recognised trade apprenticeship
- 17 Youth training certificate, skill seekers
- 18 Other technical, professional or higher qualification (WRITE IN)

IF 'other' at [bq82b]

[OthSpe34]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

TOPUP RESPONDENTS: ASK ALL

[bq83a]

Do you regard yourself as belonging to any particular religion?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

IF 'yes' at [bq83a]

[bq83b]

CARD J3

Which denomination or religion?

(Please take your answers from this card.)

- 1 Church of England/Anglican/Episcopal
- 2 Roman Catholic
- 3 Presbyterian/Church of Scotland
- 4 Methodist
- 5 Baptist
- 6 United Reformed Church
- 7 Free Presbyterian
- 8 Brethren
- 9 Jewish
- 10 Hindu
- 11 Muslim/Islam
- 12 Sikh
- 13 Buddhist
- 14 Other (WRITE IN)

IF 'other' at [bq83b]

[OthSpe35]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

TOPUP RESPONDENTS: ASK ALL

[bq84]

CARD J4 ¹⁹

Which of the letters on this card represents the total income of your household from all sources before tax - including benefits, saving and so on? Please just tell me the letter.

- 1 Q
- 2 T
- 3 O
- 4 K
- 5 L
- 6 B
- 7 Z
- 8 M
- 9 F
- 10 J
- 11 D
- 12 H
- 13 P

[bq85]

CARD J5

Which of these is the main source of income for you (and your partner) at present?

- 1 Earnings from employment (own or spouse / partner's)
- 2 Occupational pension(s) - from previous employer(s)
- 3 Private pension(s)
- 4 State retirement or widow's pension(s)
- 5 Jobseeker's Allowance/ Unemployment benefit
- 6 Pension Credit/ Minimum Income Guarantee/ Income Support for pensioners
- 7 Invalidity, sickness or disabled pension or benefit(s)
- 8 Other state benefit or tax credit (WRITE IN)
- 9 Interest from savings or investments
- 10 Student grant, bursary or loans
- 11 Dependent on parents/other relatives
- 12 Other main source (WRITE IN)

¹⁹ The showcard looks like this:

Weekly income from all sources before tax		Annual income from all sources before tax
Less than £96	Q	Less than £5,000
£97 - £192	T	£5,001 - £10,000
£193 - £288	O	£10,001 - £15,000
£289 - £384	K	£15,001 - £20,000
£385 - £480	L	£20,001 - £25,000
£481 - £577	B	£25,001 - £30,000
£578 - £673	Z	£30,001 - £35,000
£674 - £769	M	£35,001 - £40,000
£770 - £865	F	£40,001 - £45,000
£866 - £961	J	£45,001 - £50,000
£962 - £1,153	D	£50,001 - £60,000
£1,154 - £1,346	H	£60,001 - £70,000
£1,347 or more	P	£70,001 or more

IF 'other state benefit or tax credit' at [bq85]

[OthSpe36]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

IF 'other main source' at [bq85]

[OthSpe37]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

TOPUP RESPONDENTS: ASK ALL

[bq86a]

How many people are there in your household? Please include both adults and children.

Range: 1 ... 97

IF MORE THAN ONE AT [bq86a]

[bq86b]

How many of those are under 18?

Range: 0 ... 97

ASK ALL

[bq87]

CARD J6

Which of the descriptions on this card **best** applies to you?

- 1 In paid work
- 2 In full-time education
- 3 Unemployed for six months or more
- 4 Unemployed for less than six months
- 5 Permanently sick or disabled
- 6 Retired
- 7 Looking after the home
- 8 Doing something else (WRITE IN)

IF 'other' at [bq87]

[OthSpe38]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

TOPUP RESPONDENTS: ASK ALL

[bq88a] ²⁰

CARD J7

From this card please tell me which best describes the sort of work you do. (If you are not working now, please tell me what you did in your last job).

- 1 Professional or higher technical work
- 2 Manager or senior administrator
- 3 Clerical
- 4 Sales or services
- 5 Small business owner
- 6 Foreman or supervisor of other workers
- 7 Skilled manual work
- 8 Semi-skilled or unskilled manual work
- 9 Other (WRITE IN)
- 10 Never worked

IF 'other' at [bq88a]

[OthSpe39]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

²⁰ The showcard looks like this:

1. Professional or higher technical work
Work that requires at least degree-level qualifications, for example, doctor, accountant, schoolteacher, university lecturer, social worker, systems analyst
2. Manager or senior administrator
Eg, company director, finance manager, personnel manager, senior sales manager, senior local government officer
3. Clerical
Eg, clerk, secretary
4. Sales or services
Eg, commercial traveller, shop assistant, nursery nurse, care assistant, paramedic
5. Small business owner
Eg, shop owner, small builder, restaurant owner
6. Foreman or supervisor of other workers
Eg, building site foreman, supervisor of cleaning workers
7. Skilled manual work
Eg, plumber, electrician, fitter, train driver, cook, hairdresser
8. Semi-skilled or unskilled manual work
Eg, machine operator, assembler, postman, waitress, cleaner, labourer, driver, bar-worker, call-centre worker
9. Other (PLEASE SAY WHAT)
10. Never worked

TOPUP RESPONDENTS: IF 'married' OR 'living with a partner' AT [bq78]
[bq88b]

CARD J7 AGAIN

From the same card, please tell me which best describes the sort of work your (*husband/wife/partner*) does (or did in (*his/her*) last job).

- 1 Professional or higher technical work
- 2 Manager or senior administrator
- 3 Clerical
- 4 Sales or services
- 5 Small business owner
- 6 Foreman or supervisor of other workers
- 7 Skilled manual work
- 8 Semi-skilled or unskilled manual work
- 9 Other (WRITE IN)
- 10 Never worked

IF 'other' at [bq88b]

[OthSpe40]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

TOPUP RESPONDENTS: IF NOT 'never worked' AT [bq88b]

[bq89a]

CARD J8

From this card please tell me which type of organisation **you** work(ed) for.

- 1 Private sector firm or company
- 2 Nationalised industry or public corporation
- 3 Other public sector employer
- 4 Charity/ voluntary sector
- 5 Other (WRITE IN)

IF 'other' at [bq89a]

[OthSpe41]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

TOPUP RESPONDENTS IF 'married' or 'living with a partner' AT [bq78] AND NOT 'never worked' AT [bq88b]

[bq89b]

CARD J8 AGAIN

From the same card, please tell me which type of organisation your (*husband/wife/partner*) works(ed) for.

- 1 Private sector firm or company
- 2 Nationalised industry or public corporation
- 3 Other public sector employer
- 4 Charity/ voluntary sector
- 5 Other (WRITE IN)

IF 'other' at [bq89b]

[OthSpe42]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

RECONTACT RESPONDENTS: ASK ALL

TOPUP RESPONDENTS: IF NOT 'never worked' AT [bq88a]

[bq90]

RECONTACT RESPONDENT IN PAID WORK: I am now going to ask you about the main job you were doing last week. If you have never had a job, just tell me now and we can skip to the next section.

Do you work as an employee or are you self-employed?

RECONTACT RESPONDENT NOT IN PAID WORK: I am now going to ask you about the main job you were doing last week, or if you were not working last week, your last main job. If you have never had a job, just tell me now and we can skip to the next section.

Did you work as an employee or were you self-employed?

TOPUP RESPONDENT IN PAID WORK: I am now going to ask you about the main job you were doing last week.

Do you work as an employee or are you self-employed?

TOPUP RESPONDENT NOT IN PAID WORK: I am now going to ask you about the main job you were doing last week, or if you were not working last week, your last main job.

Did you work as an employee or were you self-employed?

- 1 Employee
- 2 Self-employed
- 3 (Never had a job)

IF EVER HAD A JOB

[bq91]

What (is/was) your job title?

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 200 CHARACTERS)

[bq92]

What kind of work (do/did) you do in that job?

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 200 CHARACTERS)

[bq93]

In your job, (do/did) you have any formal responsibility for supervising the work of other (*employees/people*)?

DO NOT INCLUDE PEOPLE WHO ONLY SUPERVISE:

- CHILDREN (E.G. TEACHERS)
- ANIMALS
- SECURITY OR BUILDINGS, E.G. CARETAKERS, SECURITY GUARDS

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

[bq94]

What (is/was) the main business activity at the place where you (*work/worked*)?

PROBE FOR MANUFACTURING, RETAIL, SERVICES ETC AND FOR PRODUCTS/SERVICES SUPPLIED. PLEASE ENSURE YOU RECORD WHAT IS MANUFACTURED OR RETAILED.

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 200 CHARACTERS)

IF SELF-EMPLOYED AT [bq90]

[bq95]

Not counting members of your family, how many people (*do/did*) you employ?

- 1 0
- 2 1 - 24
- 3 25 or more

IF EMPLOYEE /DON'T KNOW AT [bq90]

[bq96]

Including yourself, approximately how many people (are/were) employed at the place you (work/worked)?

- 1 Under 10
- 2 10 - 24
- 3 25-49
- 4 50-99
- 5 100-199
- 6 200-499
- 7 500 or more

IF EVER HAD A JOB

[bq97]

How many hours a week (do/did) you usually work in your main job including overtime?

Range: 0 ... 168

ASK ALL

[bq98]

Do you have any long-term illness, health problem or disability which limits your daily activity or the work you can do?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

RECONTACT RESPONDENT: IF 'married' or 'living as married' AT [bq78]

TOPUP RESPONDENT: IF 'married' or 'living as married' AT [bq78] AND NOT 'never worked' AT [bq88b]

[bq99]

Is your (husband/wife/partner) currently working?

IF NO: Has (he/she) ever worked?

- 1 Currently working
- 2 Has worked in the past (but not currently working)
- 3 Has never worked

IF SPOUSE/PARTNER HAS EVER WORKED

[bq100]

(Does/Did) your (husband/wife/partner) work as an employee or (is/was) (he/she) self-employed?

- 1 Employee
- 2 Self-employed

[bq101]

What (is/was) (his/her) job title?

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 200 CHARACTERS)

[bq102]

What kind of work (does/did) (he/she) do in that job?

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 200 CHARACTERS)

[bq103]

In (his/her) job, (does/did) (he/she) have any formal responsibility for supervising the work of other (employees/people)?

DO NOT INCLUDE PEOPLE WHO ONLY SUPERVISE:

- CHILDREN (E.G. TEACHERS)
- ANIMALS
- SECURITY OR BUILDINGS, E.G. CARETAKERS, SECURITY GUARDS

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

[bq104]

What (*is/was*) the main business activity at the place where (*he/she*) (*works/worked*)?

PROBE FOR MANUFACTURING, RETAIL, SERVICES ETC AND FOR PRODUCTS/SERVICES SUPPLIED. PLEASE ENSURE YOU RECORD WHAT IS MANUFACTURED OR RETAILED. OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 200 CHARACTERS)

IF SELF-EMPLOYED AT [bq100]

[bq105]

Not counting members of your family, how many people (*does/did*) (*he/she*) employ?

- 1 0
- 2 1 - 24
- 3 25 or more

IF EMPLOYEE / DON'T KNOW AT [bq100]

[bq106]

Including your (*husband/wife/partner*), approximately how many people (*are/were*) employed at the place (*he/she*) (*works/worked*)?

- 1 Under 10
- 2 10 - 24
- 3 25-49
- 4 50-99
- 5 100-199
- 6 200-499
- 7 500 or more

IF SPOUSE/PARTNER HAS EVER WORKED

[bq107]

How many hours a week (*does/did*) (*he/she*) usually work in (*his/her*) main job including overtime?

Range: 0 ... 168

TOPUP RESPONDENTS: ASK ALL

[bq108]

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To which of these groups do you consider you belong?

- 1 White British
- 2 Any other white background (WRITE IN)
- 3 White and Black Caribbean
- 4 White and Black African
- 5 White and Asian
- 6 Any other mixed background (WRITE IN)
- 7 Indian
- 8 Pakistani
- 9 Bangladeshi
- 10 Any other Asian background (WRITE IN)
- 11 Black Caribbean
- 12 Black African
- 13 Any other Black background (WRITE IN)
- 14 Chinese
- 15 Other ethnic group (WRITE IN)

IF 'any other white background' at [bq108]

[OthSpe43]

WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN

OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

IF 'any other mixed background' at [bq108]
[OthSpe44]
WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN
OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

IF 'any other Asian background' at [bq108]
[OthSpe45]
WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN
OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

IF 'any other Black background' at [bq108]
[OthSpe46]
WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN
OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

IF 'other ethnic background' at [bq108]
[OthSpe47]
WRITE IN OTHER ANSWER GIVEN
OPEN QUESTION (MAXIMUM OF 60 CHARACTERS)

ASK ALL

[bq109a]
Is there a telephone in (your part of) this accommodation?
1 Yes
2 No

IF 'yes' AT [bq109a]

[bq109b]
A few interviews on any survey are checked by my office to make sure that people are satisfied with the way the interview was carried out. In case my office needs to contact you, it would be helpful if we could have your telephone number.

ADD IF NECESSARY: Your 'phone number will **not** be passed to anyone outside the study team without your consent.

IF NUMBER GIVEN, WRITE ON THE ARF

IF MORE THAN ONE NUMBER, ASK WHICH WOULD BE MOST CONVENIENT FOR RECONTACT

1 Number given
2 Number refused/not given

ASK ALL

[bq109c]
(*And, may we have your mobile phone number as well? IF NO MOBILE:*) Is there another phone number where you could (also) be reached?

IF NUMBER GIVEN, WRITE ON THE ARF
1 Number given
2 Number refused/not given (*/no mobile or second phone*)

[bq110]

Do you have access to email and the internet?

1 Yes
2 No

[bq111a]

This is the end of the interview. We are grateful for your help with this very important project. Later on we are going to be doing a shorter follow-up study in about a year's time and may wish to contact you again. Would this be all right?

ADD IF NECESSARY: Before any interviewer calls, we would write to you again, and you will, of course, be free to choose whether take part or not at that point.

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

IF 'yes' AT [bq110] AND 'yes' AT [bq111a]

[bq111b]

The follow-up study may take the form of an internet study. Could you give us an e-mail address that we could use to contact you for this?

IF GIVEN, WRITE IT ON THE ARF, NOT HERE.

- 1 Email address given
- 2 Email address refused/not given

Interviewer observation of respondent

[Bq116]

INTERVIEWER CODE: RESPONDENT'S COOPERATION WAS:

- 1 Very good
- 2 Good
- 3 Fair
- 4 Poor
- 5 Very poor

[Bq117]

INTERVIEWER CODE: RESPONDENT'S GENERAL LEVEL OF INFORMATION ABOUT POLITICS AND PUBLIC AFFAIRS SEEMED:

- 1 Very high
- 2 Fairly high
- 3 Moderate
- 4 Fairly low
- 5 Very low

[Bq118]

INTERVIEWER CODE: HOW GREAT WAS THE RESPONDENT'S INTEREST IN THE INTERVIEW?

- 1 Very high
- 2 Fairly high
- 3 Moderate
- 4 Fairly low
- 5 Very low