

MEMBERS OF HOUSEHOLD

Christian name
for reference only

Age last birthday

Infant	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
Lucy	Stanley	Ann							
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QUESTIONNAIRE ON HOUSEHOLD RESOURCES
&
STANDARDS OF LIVING IN THE UNITED KINGDOM
1967-68

See
MINORITY
GROUPS
see note 3/10

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- I Housing and Living Facilities
II Employment
III Occupational Facilities and Fringe Benefits
IV Current Monetary Income
V Assets and Savings
VI Health and Disability
VII Social Services
VIII Private Income in Kind
IX Style of Living

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

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Name of Interviewer **ANDREA CORDANI**SERIAL
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Date(s) of interview(s) **6th JULY 1968**

Length of interview(s)

2½ hrs

or contacts

Total actual interviewing time

2½ hrs

Form of introduction

"My name is X. I'm from Essex/London University. We're preparing a report (writing a book) about standards of living in Britain today and how families manage. We think it's important for the Government and everyone else to know what the facts really are. We're hoping to talk to about 3,000 families throughout the country and I'd be very grateful if you could help us by answering some questions. All our information is, of course, strictly confidential."

SUMMARY : COMPLETE AFTER INTERVIEW

1. Interview carried out at first call at second call at third or later call	10 <input checked="" type="radio"/> X 0	3. Which sections were answered in whole or in part by which persons on the household? Informant	Write Section 1, 2, 3, etc. 13 1-9 (2)	5. Number of other households at address → None	21 0
2. Information for household — — complete skip to Q. 3 incomplete—answer 2a	11 <input checked="" type="radio"/> X Y	2nd member	14 1-9 (2)	6. Household living on ground basement floor 1st floor 2nd floor 3rd floor 4th floor 5th or above Specify	22 <input checked="" type="radio"/> X Y 2 3 4 5
(a) Sections incomplete Housing Employment Occupational Income Assets Health Soc. Services Inc. in kind Style of living	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	3rd	15 1-9 (2)	Answer 6a { (a) Is there a lift in the building? Yes No	6 7
CODE ALL THAT APPLY	4 5 6 7 8 9	4th	16 0		
(b) Reasons if incomplete — — ill/disabled does not know information unwilling to give information other (specify)	12 X Y O 1	5th	17 3		
		6th	18 0	7. Is there an internal or external flight of at least 4 steps or stairs to the dwelling entrance?	23 8 9
		Other (specify)	19 7		
		4. Semi or detached house or bungalow Ter. h'se or bungalow Self-con. flat in block Self-con. flat in house Self-con. flat attached to shop/business Room(s): furnished Other (specify)	20 <input checked="" type="radio"/> X Y 0 1 2 3 4		
		Type of Accomm.			

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SECTION 1 HOUSING AND LIVING FACILITIES

I'd like to start by asking a few questions about your house/flat

1(a) How many rooms are there - I mean for the sole use of the household?

number of living and dining-rooms (excluding bed-sitter) 02

number of kitchens 01

Is the kitchen large enough to eat in? Yes 1
No 0

*number of bedrooms (including bed-sitter)

*total number of living and dining and bedrooms (including kitchen if large enough to eat in)

(b) How many of these rooms are usually heated during the evenings in winter (whether by coal, gas or electric, paraffin stove or central heating)?

DK

2. Would you and your family like to have more rooms or fewer rooms in the home?

CODE ONE ONLY
X* more than one room extra
Y an extra bedroom
0 an extra living room
1 number of rooms about right
2 one room fewer
3 two or more rooms fewer
4 DK

3. Is electricity laid on? yes, power points and lighting
yes, lighting only
No
DK

4. Has the household the sole or shared use of the following INDOOR facilities?

PROMPT CODE ALL THAT APPLY
(a) A flush W.C.* X yes, sole use
Y yes, shared
0 none
(b) A sink or washbasin and cold water tap 1 yes, sole use
2 yes, shared
3 none
(c) A fixed bath or shower 4 yes, sole use
5 yes, shared
6 none
(d) A gas or electric cooker 7 yes, sole use
8 yes, shared
9 none

5. Does the household have the sole use or shared use of a garden or yard?

CODE ONE ONLY
X sole use garden } ASK Q. 5(a)
Y sole use yard
0 shared garden
1 shared yard } SKIP TO Q.6.
2 neither garden nor yard

(a) Is it - too small for the household to sit in the sun (e.g. smaller than 10 feet x 10 feet)

CODE ONE ONLY
- at least big enough for the household to sit in the sun, but not equal in size to a tennis court
- substantial in size (e.g. equal in size to a tennis court or bigger)

6. One or two other questions about living here. Do you find the air in this neighbourhood clean or is it dirty, smoky or foul-smelling?

always dirty, smoky, foul-smelling
sometimes dirty, smoky or foul-smelling
not dirty, smoky or foul-smelling
DK

24 25

03

26 27

05

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but would like them to be bigger

QUESTION 9

Exclude Bank Holidays in counting up holiday entitlement. List number of weeks to nearest week. Do not insert " $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

QUESTION 10 Occupation

See instructions above for Q. 7(b). Start by recording member of household in left-hand box (informant, 2nd, 3rd, etc.) and then carefully note occupation and industry or business. The office will code in the right-hand columns on the basis of your information. Avoid all vague terms, e.g. "engineer". If you find the answer too general or difficult to understand always ask "What do you do?" and write in the answer. In many households there will be only one or two persons who have been at work in the past twelve months. If necessary you can use all the space in the box just for one or two persons, providing it is clear to which person(s) the information applies.

QUESTION 11 Change of Job

Note that sub-questions (a) - (d) apply only to persons changing their jobs less than five years previously.

11(c). IRU, etc., means Industrial Rehabilitation Unit or any other Government training centre.

QUESTION 12 Training Course

Our object is to check on men taking a re-training or training course, whether or not they changed their job. Some men may have taken a course and gone back to their former job or employers. Others may be unemployed and yet have taken such a course.

QUESTION 13 Fall in Earnings

You may be asked what you mean by "big" fall. Accept whatever the informant thinks is big. Put the information in the box, including the approximate earnings previously as well as the subsequent earnings and code the extent of the fall in the right-hand columns.

*but our big
his working life
there was not
much variation*

*I take it
this means
earnings
in come
home how
are worse off
when 2nd was
at work*

9a

QUESTION 14 Best job

If you are asked "What do you mean by 'best'?" you should say "It is up to you to decide" (adding, but only if necessary, "whether it's best because of the money, the people, the job in itself or anything else"). of course there will be people who give a mixture of reasons. Code the one they treat as most important. If they are undecided code DK.

QUESTION 15

A few persons — e.g. students — may have worked for part of the last year, or may work every Saturday and still be in full-time education. We will be asking about them later. Code them as still in full-time education.

QUESTION 15(a) Years of full-time education

The question is worded so that if someone has missed a year's schooling because of illness, say, between the ages of 5 and 14, he can adjust his answer accordingly. You can check (or aid other informants trying to reach an answer) by deducting five years from the leaving age and then asking if the result allows for any absence because of hospitalisation, war evacuation, military service, or any other reason. Note that full-time education can be provided in hospital. Only deduct a year if ALL of it was spent out of school. When writing in leaving age and number of years education remember again to insert each digit.

QUESTION 16 Manual Workers

If you are in doubt from what you have been told about a man's job whether it is manual ask, "How do you do your work? Is it mostly heavy work, or operating a machine or mostly with your hands?" If he indicates any of these ask Q. 16. If still in doubt ask the question and write a note.

QUESTION 17(a) Husband's occupation

Follow same procedure as above under Question 10. It will be even more necessary to probe for the exact type of job. Encourage the woman to tell you what her husband did, since the answer is most important for us in classifying occupational status.

*2 wks had
time off
for illness
and for
helping on
the farm
- very rarely
at school*

* ⑥ = at least $\frac{1}{2}$ but not all time

FOR THE SELF-EMPLOYED ONLY

14. Do you work indoors or outdoors? mainly outdoors
mainly indoors
about as much indoors as outdoors

15. Roughly for how much of your working time do you stand or walk about? very little
some but less than $\frac{1}{2}$ of working time
* at least $\frac{1}{2}$ but less than $\frac{1}{2}$ working time
all or nearly all the time
DK

16. Do you have provision for a private pension through your employment? yes ASK Q.16(a)
no SKIP TO Q.17
DK

(a) How much, or what proportion of your normal earnings, do you pay?

WRITE IN AMOUNT (OR %) PER WEEK/MONTH

OFFICE USE ONLY

(b) What proportion of your final earnings (i.e. before retirement) do you expect to receive in pension (not counting the State pension) and in a lump sum?

WRITE IN AMOUNT PER WK/YR AND LUMP SUM IF KNOWN

OFFICE USE ONLY

17. Have you made private provision for cash benefits in sickness? yes ASK Q.17(a)
no SKIP TO Q.18
DK

(a) How much do you expect to receive for the first month of sickness?

WRITE IN AMOUNT (OR %) AND DURATION IF KNOWN

OFFICE USE ONLY

18. Does your business include a car or vehicle which you or a member of the family are able to use sometimes for personal purposes? yes ASK Q.18(a)
no SKIP TO Q.19
DK

(a) Does your business pay for road tax
insurance
petrol
normal repairs
none of above

CODE ALL THAT APPLY

(b) What is the vehicle's

(i) approximate current value (ii) make and type (iii) year (iv) m.p.g.

19. Because of your business are you able to buy anything more cheaply - I mean goods and services for yourself and your family. For example - travel other than for work
medical expenses (or insurance)
educational expenses for children
educational expenses for self
other (SPECIFY)

(a) IF ANY RECORDED Roughly how much a year are these worth to you altogether? I mean how much more would you have had to spend if you had bought everything outside your business? WRITE IN APPROX ANNUAL AMT IN £'s

20. Is your home and business in the same premises? yes ASK Q.20(a)
no SKIP TO NEXT SECTION

(a) Are you able to offset against tax any of your (family's) accommodation, lighting or heating, telephone charges, etc? yes ASK Q.20(b)
no SKIP TO NEXT SECTION
DK

(b) Roughly how much a year would you say this helped you?

WRITE AMOUNT IN £'s

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Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
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X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
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Benefits.

This was very difficult to assess as I had no inflamation of the nervous system - unrequently his memory is not good (wife vague about it, daughter too young to really know.)

He either receives 04 + 06 or 05 + 06 and has done so throughout the yr. So total no. of weeks I managed gradually to ascertain 06 - 52 wks 04 - 16 wks 05 - 36 wks.

But he cannot remember when he received either sickness or unemployment, so it is difficult to establish what previous rates were, especially since his total benefit is nearly always the same amount within

QUESTION 14 Second job

This will have been established in the earlier section on Employment. Repeat the question because earnings from subsidiary occupations tend to be forgotten. For example, painters and decorators may have done one remunerative weekend job for a few weeks several months earlier in the year. A gardener may have done some intensive paid work for various local people in the evenings and weekends of the summer months. Or a university lecturer may have had a remunerative consultancy or a series of well-paid broadcasts at some point in the year. Remember that extra earnings from a source other than usual employment may not be thought of as a second job. You should probe for all kinds of additional earnings, depending on the nature of the usual employment.

QUESTION 15

This is laid out as concisely as possible on one page and you are asked to ring 01, 02, 03, etc., as appropriate and then to enter the rates per week and amounts below, carefully writing in the code "01" (i.e. Family Allowances) "02" (i.e. Retirement Pension) and so on so that we are clearly aware of the allowances to which the amounts refer.

Amounts will sometimes be joint - e.g. retirement pension for man and wife - or will be for several members of the household - e.g. sickness benefit for man and wife and children. In these instances the amount should be entered (if necessary, after the interview) in one column only, under that member of household receiving the payment. Wherever possible encourage informants (especially when elderly) to show you the allowance or pension book.

CODE 01 Family Allowances

	First child	Second	Third	Fourth & subsequent
up to April 1968	nil	8s.	10s.	15s.
after April 1968	nil	15s.	17s.	17s.

counting children under 15 or up to 19 if still in full-time education or college or an apprentice on low wages.

CODE 02 Retirement Pension

Note that the actual amounts vary widely. Increased pensions are paid if retirement is deferred. There are now in addition small graduated state pensions (averaging about 3s.) and pensions may be reduced because of earnings or a deficient contribution record. Note that some of these points also apply to other benefits. Pensions and supplementary benefits can be combined in a single payment. You will be prompting for supplementary benefit and wherever possible we should like you to list the amount separately (as well as the fact that it is being received). But whenever the rate given to you exceeds the standard rate below you should check the reason.

Single person (husband)	£4 10s. 0d.
Wife's income	£2 16s. 0d.
1st dependent child	£1 5s. 0d.
2nd dependent child	17s. 0d.

CODE 03 Standard Widow's Pension

Note: not the widow's allowance which is paid for the first 26 weeks after widowhood.

Widow or widowed mother	£4 10s. 0d.
1st dependent child	£2 2s. 6d.
2nd child	£1 14s. 6d.
3rd and subsequent child	£1 12s. 6d.

Depending on the circumstances of the death of the husband (armed service and so on) widows' pensions may differ in size. Note that family allowances are received in addition to dependent children's allowances.

Widow's Allowance: Widow £6 7s., children as for widow's pension

CODE 04 and 05 Sickness Benefit and Unemployment Benefit

Sickness benefit is often paid for periods other than a week. Find what was the last payment and for how many days (excluding Sundays). A payment for 6 days, excluding Sunday, makes up a "week's" benefit. Note that an earnings-related supplement may be paid in addition to the flat rate benefits listed below. Moreover, these benefit rates depend on the contribution record.

Single person	£4 10s. 0d.
Married woman	£2 16s. 0d.
1st dependent child	£1 5s. 0d.
Each subsequent child	17s. 0d.

CODE 06 Supplementary Benefit

The former "national assistance". Rent is sometimes paid direct to the landlord by the Supplementary Benefits Commission. There is a check later that the amount is known and counted as income.

CODE 07 Industrial Injury Benefit

£5 7s. 0d. (with additions for dependants) is payable for the first 26 weeks after injury after which the injured person goes before a Board to have his injury assessed for an individual disablement pension.

CODES 08 and 09 Industrial and Disablement Pensions

The 100 per cent rate is £7 12s. 0d. (with additions for dependants). CODE 09: Note that these are war pensions, not service pensions included under occupational pensions later in Q. 19.

CODE 10 Maternity Allowance

The standard rate of maternity allowance is £4 a week. It is paid to women who have been paying full national insurance contributions. It begins 11 weeks before the expected confinement and ends after the sixth week following it.

CODE 11 Maternity Grant

This grant is £22 either for home or hospital confinement.

CODE 14 Single Grant

This is officially described as an exceptional needs grant. The Ministry of Social Security has replaced the former National Assistance Board and you may need to explain "a grant from the Assistance". Probe carefully for this for all income units who are not employed, whether or not they receive supplementary benefit. A large number of people obtain single grants, e.g. for spectacles or dentures, even though they are not normally eligible to receive supplementary benefit. Note also that since you are asking about a period of 12 months there will be instances of people now in work who obtained a grant at an earlier point in the year.

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gets paid
fortnightly.
he is receiving
it at present
though.

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hour with
them trying
to work
this out
but it was
impossible.

gift is the owner - it is in her name. House was fully owned but they re-mortgaged it for £500 in Jan. this yr (68) to live.

QUESTION 25(a) Private and business accommodation

Count as "business" accommodation any accommodation which counts for purposes of offsetting tax. This may include a study room for some teachers, for example.

QUESTION 25(e) Rate rebate or reduction

Note that many councils pay rebates twice a year.

QUESTION 25(h) Mortgage

The informant may know the total sum paid in the previous year but not the division of the sum between interest and repayments of principal. Yet it is essential for us to find how much of the payment represents capital repayments and how much interest payments, because otherwise we cannot work out housing costs which are comparable with costs incurred by households paying rent. In many instances a monthly or annual payment slip will show the two amounts and the informant should be encouraged to look this up. Note that if the informant still cannot give you the answer we have provided certain questions on the right-hand side of the page which will allow us to make a reliable estimate. You should note certain details in the

- (a) source of loan or mortgage;
- (b) term of repayment;
- (c) number of years paid;
- (d) amount of loan.

Please make special note if the repayment of a mortgage is covered by an endowment policy and note the amount and frequency of the premium. As elsewhere put a tick in the small box or make a note if you are fortunate enough to be shown documents.

QUESTION 25(i) Value of house/flat

Ask for an estimate and only show Flashcard No. 3 if the informant hesitates in giving an answer and you judge that it would be appropriate. Always insert the code number as given on the Flashcard, even if you also obtain an exact estimate.

QUESTION 25(l) Government's Mortgage Scheme

Note that, broadly, this is advantageous only to a householder with relatively low income who does not expect to pay tax at the standard rate in the foreseeable future.

Code household only

24. Is this house/flat rented or owned (i.e. by the householder)?

- X Owner occupied: fully owned } ASK Q.25
 Y paying mortgage }
 0 Rented: from local council }
 1 privately - furnished } SKIP TO Q.26
 2 privately - unfurnished }
 3 privately - with farm, business premises }
 4 Rent free: because of present or previous employment } SKIP
 5 for reasons other than employment } TO Q.29
 6 DK SKIP TO Q.29

25. IF HOUSEHOLDER IS OWNER OCCUPIER

(a) Does the dwelling include business as well as private accommodation? Does Not Apply SKIP TO Q.26
 yes ASK Q.25(a)(1)
 no SKIP TO Q.25(b)

(a)(1) How many rooms are used for business? number 1

(b) How much ground rent, feu duty (Scotland) chief rent, do you pay? amount £ 0

(c) How much did you pay last year in rates? amount £ 48

(d) How much in water rates (if not included in (c))? amount £ 10-16

(e) Do you get a reduction under the rates rebate scheme? yes
 no
 DK

F YES How much is it per year

(f) Have you already deducted this figure from the amount you have just given me for rates? yes
 no

(g) When did you buy this house? 19 38

MORTGAGE PAYERS ONLY

(h) What is the total monthly payment? 4-5 d OFFICE total
 USE annual
 ONLY housing cost

* How much of this is interest?

And how much capital repayments? OFFICE
 USE
 on building) SPECIFY ONLY

Other, if any (e.g. insurance premium

on building) SPECIFY ONLY

ASK ALL (i.e. FULLY OWNING AND PAYING MORTGAGE)

(i) How much do you estimate your house (and garden) to be worth at present? SHOW FLASHCARD NO.3 * range
 code

WRITE IN YOUR ESTIMATE informant's estimate £ 3,250
 IF DIFFERENT interviewer's estimate £ 4,000 OFFICE
 AND NOTE REASON USE
 ONLY

Do you pay an insurance premium on the house or flat (not contents)?

annual premium £ 7-17 insured value of house in hundreds
 of pounds

(j) Has your employer helped you with a loan or grant in purchasing your house? yes
 no

IF YES grant: How much? loan: At what interest rate?

(k) How much have you spent in the last 12 months for alterations, decorations or repairs to your home (not business, and including paint and tools for work by self)? Total £ 2

DESCRIBE ITEMS IF NECESSARY AND COSTS

(l) Are you applying for a mortgage under the Government's new option mortgage scheme? yes
 no } SKIP TO Q.30
 DK }
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IF TOTAL CANNOT BE DIVIDED

ASK:

Source of loan Brother of 2 no

Term of repayment indefinite

Number of years paid under 1 yr. (since Tan's)

Amount of loan £500 @ 6% interest

TICK IF DOCUMENTS SEEN

IF AMOUNTS FOR BUSINESS/FARM AND HOME CANNOT BE SEPARATED

NOTE HERE:

estimated value of house/business (building)

insured value of house/business (contents)

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V SAVINGS AND ASSETS

QUESTION 1 Personal

This excludes a business bank account which is covered by Q. 4. Avoid double-counting the same bank balance or assets when questioning husband and wife.

QUESTION 2 Savings

Note that you should proceed by prompting all items to see how many are appropriate, then try to establish a total and then establish totals for each item only as a check or if necessary. Care should be taken to avoid double-counting. If the informant is hesitant or confused repeat the question to make sure he or she knows what kind of savings you are referring to and THEN show Flashcard No. 4 to get the total. Then try to obtain an absolute total rather than a range. For example, you could ask: "Would you say the figure was at the top end or the lower end of that range — nearer X or nearer Y?"

QUESTION 2(c) Interest

Try to establish the amounts the informant receives in the form he receives it — that is, before tax is deducted or after it has been deducted at source. In difficult instances you need not waste time converting a "before tax" total into "after tax" so long as you make plain what it is. We will do that work in the office.

QUESTION 3 Value of stocks and shares

This question of the value of stocks and shares is crucial and every encouragement should be used to obtain an answer. Some informants simply will not know. Remember that brokers sometimes send an annual valuation. If there is considerable uncertainty, tactfully suggest or imply that it would be very helpful to know and take any opportunity to see the valuation or to leave a note (and s.a.e.) so that a more reliable estimate can be made and either you can pick it up at a second call or ask for it to be sent on.

QUESTION 3(b) Interest

Proceed as in Q. 2c above. Mostly amounts will be received after tax has been deducted.

QUESTION 4

This is to cover any type of business which is owned in part or in whole by the informant. Being a director does not necessarily mean ownership. The answer to this question should not duplicate the answer to the previous question. Shares come under Q. 3. This is to cover such things as shops, professional practices and small businesses of every kind except limited companies. In all cases make sure that money in the business, bank account and stocks are borne in mind when the valuation is made. When the business (e.g. shop or farm) is run from the owner occupier's dwelling, the value of the dwelling will often have been included in the answer to this question (i.e. Q. 25 in Section V). UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES MUST THE DWELLING BE COUNTED TWICE. The valuation should be on the assumption that the informant had to sell but was in no great hurry. A year or even more could be taken to find a purchaser. The valuation should NOT be made on the basis of: "What would you take for your business?" — that is, when the informant has to be persuaded to sell. NOTE that vehicles should be included in the valuation of a business — say of a haulage contractor, a cab owner or even a building contractor or window cleaner.

QUESTION 5 Other property

Remember that some people use two houses. Others have houses which they rent off to others. This last is not uncommon among elderly people who may be very poor themselves. A "boat" may include anything from a luxury yacht to a small rowing boat.

*3rd
didn't
know about
interest or
certificates*

*45
8
4
360*

QUESTION 6a Cars, Vans

Note that in Section II you will have noted any car owned by the business or firm and whether it is also used privately. Do not count this car here also but find out whether there is a second car—e.g. wife's. **If informant unable to value a vehicle note instead its make, type and year of manufacture to enable us to look up its value.**

QUESTION 6c Debts on vehicles

Note that the question does not apply only to payments which are overdue but to the total sum still owing. You will usually have difficulty in excluding interest from the amount owed. If the amount owed is estimated at less than £50 record the sum and do not take up time making sure that the interest is deducted. But if the amount owed including the interest element is £50 or more ask for the details listed under (c). We will then make an estimate in the office.

QUESTION 7 Life Insurance

If there is more than one policy add up the payments and, if necessary, note any difference in frequency or years of payment. Note that our main object is to establish the equivalent current value in cash of policies they hold. The majority of households will hold policies of little current value and you will see that if they pay less than 10s. a week we do not ask for any details.

QUESTION 8 Value of saleable assets

Please note that we do not envisage that goods in everyday use—beds, blankets, basic furniture, crockery, clothes—need to be valued. We are interested only in items of value that could be sold without serious detriment to the household and its daily life if some ready cash was badly needed. Jewellery, furs, stamp collections, works of art, antiques, and collections of books, might be sold and we need to obtain an approximate estimate of their total current worth. Naturally enough we cannot expect precise valuations and you will find the minimum value of £25 for an article (or a group of articles—e.g. a number of pieces of jewellery) helpful in avoiding protracted discussion of the value of articles used every day in the home.

QUESTION 9 Other assets

Rarely will there be any kind of asset not covered by our other questions. But by asking this general question you may be given information that belongs in the answer to another question. The informant may have misunderstood a question. But be careful not to include an item here which is already covered elsewhere.

QUESTIONS 10 & 11 General assets sold and windfalls

It may be difficult for you to secure an estimate of money raised or spent on "ordinary living expenses" but you will find that our object is fairly clear and once you understand it you can probe for an estimate. We do not want information about sums of money invested in new assets, in replacing old assets (e.g. property, including houses and cars) and in savings, but only information about sums of money spent in the ordinary way on housekeeping, food, clothing, and entertainment. An estimate is better than nothing. Note that we are not asking you to waste time checking small amounts of less than £25.

QUESTION 10 Assets sold in last 12 months

Some people, especially the elderly, will have sold some of their assets in the last 12 months to bolster a low income. This can be an important contribution to their standard of living. **Savings**—Note that each item should be prompted carefully, especially to persons who have already told you they have sizeable amounts in savings, stocks and shares, etc. Note that we are not interested in this question in total sums which amount to less than £25 in the 12 months. Nor are we interested in amounts that may have been saved from income and spent in the same year (e.g. savings for Christmas or a holiday).

Partial use of sales or savings for living expenses—In some cases property might have been sold, say, and part of the money spent but part of it saved. Try to get a total estimate only of the sum spent on ordinary living expenses.

*INF has
Spokiers
1) 10 yrs
2) 15 "
3) 16 "
4) 17 "
5) 16 "
6) 15 "*

VI HEALTH AND DISABILITY

QUESTION 1 Health

Do not probe for the names of disabling illnesses or conditions, unless the informant happens to mention them.

QUESTION 2 Unwell today

Note that the emphasis is on "today" and that you are instructed to complete the questionnaire as if all questions applied to the date when you first made contact with the household. This means that if you have postponed an interview because of illness you should ask all the questions about the day you first called.

QUESTION 2a Off work

Check with the work record (page 8) where weeks off work will have been established. But here the information is needed as the basis for general questions about current illness and disability.

QUESTION 2a (i) & b (i) Number of weeks

If more than a year write "52". If the informant cannot be sure of the exact number and there is uncertainty whether it is less or more than eight weeks seek confirmation of the exact period from the individual concerned at a second call if necessary.

QUESTION 2c Regularly

That is, at least once a month for the past three months in connection with the present illness or disability.

QUESTION 3 Condition affecting activity

This question is designed to prepare the ground for the all-important Q. 7. You are **not** asked to trace every conceivable disability or condition from which people may suffer. Many of them, anyway, will not know diagnostic terms even if you ask them. Instead, you ask about conditions which restrict activity, show Flashcard No. 6 (which is nearly the same list as prompted verbally) and code any part of the body or faculty with which "trouble" is reported. You do **not** explore all possible effects but only a few examples of effects in which we are particularly interested. Remember you are only trying to find out about certain conditions, not every condition.

Nerves

Pay particular attention to the need to prompt for any trouble with "nerves".

Reading ordinary print

Note that your code "No" only if a person cannot read print in a newspaper. Do not code "No" if a person merely has difficulty. For someone who cannot read interpret the question as "seeing" print in newspaper. We are interested at this point in sight not literacy.

Hearing

Note that if an informant does not admit difficulty with hearing but it is observed, you can code accordingly.

*i.e. no
illness than
usual ←*

4. FOR THOSE WITH ANY LONG-TERM ILLNESS (8 WEEKS OR MORE - Q.2(a)&(b)) AND ANY CONDITION (Q.3)

Do you attend - a special training or occupational treatment centre?
 - a special school?
 - a disabled person's club?
 - any other club, school or centre because of your health?
 - no club, school or centre?
 Does Not Apply SKIP TO Q.6

5. FOR THOSE AGED 15-64 WITH ANY LONG-TERM ILLNESS OR CONDITION

(a) When did you first become sick or have any condition? *

INF 1964 2nd 1966 Does Not Apply SKIP TO Q.6
 WRITE IN NUMBER OF YEARS AGO

(b) What was your occupation then? Was it the last occupation you had (which you have already told me about (p.7) or a previous one?
 never had paid employment (SKIP condition started in last job held TO Q.6)
 condition started in previous job? ASK Q.5(c)

(c) What was that previous job? WRITE IN OCCUPATION AND EMPLOYER'S (OWN) BUSINESS
 INF Shop work (self)
 02

6. ASK ALL. Is there anyone living here who is *

X - usually confined to bed or needs help to get out of bed and sit in a chair?
 Y - not confined to bed but cannot walk unaided a few yards outdoors without help?
 0 - neither of these
 I DK

7. ASK OF ALL EXCEPT CHILDREN UNDER 10

* Do you or would you have any difficulty for find it troublesome, exhausting or worrying? Does Not Apply SKIP TO Q.9
 CODE 0 = no difficulty
 CODE 1 = has/would have difficulty
 CODE 2 = cannot do task

(a) washing down (whether in bath or not)?
 (b) removing a jug, say, from an overhead shelf?
 (c) tying a good knot in string?
 (d) cutting toenails?

NOW CONTINUE FOR ALL EXCEPT CHILDREN UNDER 10 AND THE BEDFAST

Does Not Apply SKIP TO Q.8

(e) running to catch a bus?
 (f) going up and downstairs?
 (g) going shopping AND carrying a full basket of shopping in each hand?
 AND NOW CONTINUE FOR ALL EXCEPT CHILDREN UNDER 16 AND THE BEDFAST

Does Not Apply SKIP TO Q.8

(h) doing heavy housework, like washing floors and cleaning windows?
 (i) preparing a hot meal?

Don't Know for any or all of these

8. Are there any other periods of the year when you might give different answers to these questions (i.e. in Q.7) about ordinary activities? *

yes ASK Q.8(a)
 no SKIP TO Q.9
 DK

(a) In those periods would you find any of the activities
 - much more difficult?
 - more difficult?
 - easier?
 - much easier?

9. ASK ALL CODED 1 or 2 FOR ANY ITEM IN Q.7

Would you say you vary from week to week or day to day in having difficulty with any of these activities?
 yes
 no
 DK
 DNA

10. FOR HOUSEWIFE ONLY

Do you feel tired - all the time?
 - sometimes?
 - rarely or never?

DK
 DNA

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VII SOCIAL SERVICES *if no dependent children*
SKIP TO Q.12

FOR CHILDREN UNDER 5 (i.e. TO MOTHER OR PERSON CARING FOR CHILD)
 Not under 5, DHA SKIP TO Q.4

1. Do you get welfare milk * for him/her - at the cheaper rate
 - free
 or not at all?
 DK

2. ASK MOTHER OF CHILD UNDER 5 CODE (EACH) MOTHER ONLY
 Have you visited the child welfare clinic in the last year and obtained anything there for the children?
 X Does Not Apply
 Y Visited and obtained goods } SKIP TO Q.3
 0 Visited but not obtained goods }
 1 DK }
 2 Goods obtained but not visited }
 3 Neither visited nor goods obtained } Q.2(a)

(a) Have you ever visited the clinic?
 yes
 no
 DK

3. ASK MOTHER OF CHILD UNDER 5 CODE (EACH) MOTHER
 Did you have your last baby in hospital or at home?
 Does Not Apply } SKIP TO Q.9
 Home }
 DK } Q.4
 Hospital } ASK Q.3(a)

(a) Was it on the National Health? *
 yes
 no
 DK

4. ASK PARENTS OF CHILDREN AT SCHOOL CODE EACH CHILD
 What school does your child attend?
 WRITE IN NAME * CODE TYPE FROM LIST OPPOSITE
3rd Halsesowen G.S.
 * CODE WHETHER BUILT PRE-1940 BUILT 1940 OR LATER

5. ASK PARENTS OF CHILDREN AT SCHOOL CODE EACH CHILD
 Does he/she normally take meals at school? *
 yes, always or nearly always } ASK Q.5
 yes, but sometimes at home }
 or elsewhere } (a)
 no ASK Q.5(b)
 DK SKIP TO Q.6

(a) Does he/she pay for the meals or get them free?
 pays } SKIP TO Q.6
 free }
 DK } Q.6

(b) What does he/she normally do?
 PROMPT
 has meals at home
 has meals with relative
 takes sandwiches
 buys meals out
 Anything else? other (SPECIFY)

(c) Why doesn't he/she have meals at school? * No facilities at school?
 Cheaper at home?
 Child doesn't like type of food?
 Not enough to eat?
 Anything else? (SPECIFY)

6. ASK PARENT OF CHILDREN AT SCHOOL CODE EACH CHILD
 Does he/she have free milk at school?
 yes
 no
 DK

7. ASK PARENT OF CHILDREN AT SCHOOL *none = 0*
 Did he/she miss any days off school last term for any reason besides sickness* such as - going out with someone in the family?
 - helping at home?
 - having no dry shoes or a raincoat to put on?
 - anything else? (SPECIFY)
 DK

8. ASK PARENT OF CHILDREN AT SCHOOL CODE EACH CHILD
 Does he/she go to a boarding school?
 yes ASK Q.8(a)
 no } SKIP TO Q.9
 DK }

(a) Who pays the fees?
 local Education Dept.
 paid privately
 other SPECIFY

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QUESTION 9

Uniform grants are available to poorer children in State schools on a means test basis. The grant can be in kind: a parent may be given a voucher or a letter to take to a special shop. NOTE that the question is addressed ONLY to ONE OF THE PARENTS OF THE CHILD OR CHILDREN. Very uncommonly there will be two sets of parents and children in the household. ONE parent of the second family should also be asked the question. ONLY complete the column alongside Qs. 10a and 10b for the parent in question. If the parent says the grant was made by the Supplementary Benefits Commission check whether you have already included the amount in Q. 15 (code 14) of the Income Section. If not, include the amount here. Remember to code parent only.

QUESTION 10 Costs of going to school

We are interested not only in fees paid to private or "public" schools but in some kinds of cost met by parents of children in State schools. Fees include payments for music lessons. School outings — We are interested only in payments for outings or school holidays organised by the school or a school club which the child went on.

QUESTION 11

Educational maintenance allowances are provided by local authorities for poorer children attending school between the ages of 15 and 18 on a means test basis. We ask parents of 14-year-olds whether they have heard about them to find whether this is taken into account in the decision to leave school. We are also interested in applications which were refused or which were made and the child did not in the end continue at school after the minimum leaving age.

QUESTION 12 Type of college

Teacher training college	...	...	...	1
College of Education	...	...	...	2
Technical college	...	...	...	3
University	...	...	...	4
College or School of Commerce	...	...	...	5
Art college	...	...	...	6
Domestic Science college	...	...	...	7
Evening Institute	...	...	...	8
Secretarial college	...	...	...	9
Other: SPECIFY	...	...	...	0

As with "school" the informant may not know the type and the interviewer may be able to code on the basis of the name supplied. Or he should check on the basis of that name. Part time DAY study means attendance during normal working hours when the student or pupil works for a salary or wage, however small, or, if he has no job, attendance during the morning or afternoon.

QUESTION 12 (d) & 12 (g) Fees and cash from others

Code source of help but if the amount has been included in the Income section earlier (i.e. Q. 20 of that section) make a note, drawing our attention to the fact.

✓
I coded 'none' because it doesn't amount to £s - but note that there is a 12s p.a. compulsory games subscription, which is a large sum for this family to pay out. Also, 300 had one school trip this yr. which cost 13/6.

£1-1-6 per A.

9. ASK PARENT WITH CHILD(REN) AT SCHOOL CODE EACH CHILD
Does the school have a uniform? X yes ASK Q.9(a)
Y no } SKIP TO Q.10
0 DK }
1 Does Not Apply SKIP TO Q.11
2 yes ASK Q.9(b) CODE INFOR-
3 no SKIP TO Q.10 MANT ONLY

(a) Do you know that uniform grants
can be obtained for some secondary
school children? *

(b) Have you had one during the
last 12 months? CODE INFORMANT ONLY
4 yes, local ed. dept. ASK
5 yes, BDC or other Q.9(c)
6 no

(c) For how much? WRITE IN AMT TO NEAREST £
FOR RECIPIENT ONLY

10. ASK PARENT WITH CHILD(REN) AT SCHOOL WRITE IN AMT FOR EACH CHILD
Does it cost you anything to have your children at school? *

- in fees you pay to the school? WRITE IN AMT IN £'s PER YEAR

- in materials for classes (e.g. cooking, carpentry, books) per
year? AMT IN £'s

- school holidays/outings (per year)? AMT IN £'s

- more than 5s. per week (per child) in bus or train fares?
SHILLINGS PER WEEK
none of these
DK

11. ASK PARENT OF CHILD(REN) AGED 14-18
(WHETHER CHILDREN AT SCHOOL OR NOT)
Have you heard of educational maintenance
allowances? *

(a) IF CHILD(REN) AGED 15-18
Did you apply for a maintenance
allowance for him/her and were you
successful?
1 yes, successful } ASK Q.
2 yes, unsuccessful } 11(b)
3 yes, unsuccessful } 11(b)
4 no
5 DNA (AGED 14) SKIP TO Q.12
6 yes ASK Q.11(c)
7 no SKIP TO Q.12

(b) Are you (or the child) currently
receiving an allowance?

(c) How much a year does it amount to? WRITE IN AMT IN £'s

12. ASK ABOUT ALL AGED 16-25
Does he/she still go to school,
university or technical college, or
is he/she still taking any other kind
of educational course?
(a) Is this? *S = still at
Secondary
School*

(b) Which college/course? CODE TYPE * FROM
LIST OPPOSITE

(c) How much a year does he/she obtain
in any grant? WRITE IN AMT IN £'s

(d) Are any fees paid (in addition) by
X - him/herself or his/her parents?
Y - someone else in the household? } ASK
0 - a relative living elsewhere? } Q.12
1 - someone else (SPECIFY) (e)
2 DK }
3 none of these } SKIP TO Q.12(f)

(e) How much in the last 12 months? * WRITE IN AMT IN £'s

(f) Does he/she get any help privately - I mean full keep or an
allowance for example from X - you (parents)? } ASK
Y - someone else in household } Q.12
0 - a relative living elsewhere? } (g)
1 - someone else (SPECIFY)
2 DK } SKIP TO Q.13
3 none }

(g) How much altogether in the last 12 months? * WRITE IN AMT IN £'s

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QUESTION 19 Housekeeping and board

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

QUESTION 19 (b) Money back

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

QUESTION 19 (c) Payment of housekeeping bills

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

QUESTION 20 Long-term saving

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

QUESTION 21 Ten years ago

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

(mortgage)

better off
10 yrs ago

check with SB.

* 2.

Difficult to assess
since self-employed then.
Roughly, got £5,000 a yr.
but this fluctuated
tremendously from week to week
because of the nature of the
business (timber)
Figure shown is
the minimum
wkly income

13. ASK ALL. Have you spent any period in a hospital or nursing Home overnight during the last 12 months?

CODE ALL IN HOUSEHOLD

(a) Was it on the National Health? ☒ NHS ☐ private

(b) How many nights altogether? WRITE IN NUMBER

(c) What was its name? 2nd Corbett Hosp (Stourbridge) USE ONLY: HOSPITAL TYPE

14. ASK ALL. Have you been ill in bed* at home for even a day during the last year? ☒ yes, ill or bedfast at present ☒ yes, ill previously ☐ no ☐ DK SKIP TO Q.15

CODE ALL IN HOUSEHOLD

(a) How many days altogether (i.e. in bed)? WRITE IN NUMBER OF DAYS

(b) When you were (last) ill in bed, were you visited by a doctor or a district nurse? ☒ yes, doctor ☐ yes, nurse ☐ no ☐ DK

CODE ALL THAT APPLY

15. ASK ALL. (a) How many times did a doctor visit you during the last 12 months? * CODE ALL number: home (b) How many times did you visit a doctor during the last 12 months - I mean in a surgery - not in a hospital or out-patients? * number: surgery IF ANY VISITS (c) Were these visits on the National Health? ☒ NHS ☐ paid * ☐ NHS and paid

16. ASK ALL. Have you obtained a pair of spectacles on the National Health or privately in the last year? ☒ yes, NHS lenses and frames ☒ yes, NHS lenses OR frames ☐ yes, private ☐ no ☐ DK SKIP TO Q.17

(a) Did you pay anything for them? ☐ yes ☒ no

17. ASK ALL. Do you possess a National Health Service or a private hearing aid? CODE ALL yes, NHS ☐ yes, private ☐ no ☐ DK

18. ASK ALL. WRITE IN NO. OF VISITS FOR EACH PERSON. During the last 12 months have you - visited a doctor at a hospital? IF YES How many times? * PROMPT - visited a dentist? IF YES How many times? * ASK Q.18(a) AND WRITE IN NUMBER - been visited by a district nurse? IF YES How many times? OF VISITS - been visited by a council home help? * IF YES How many times? ASK Q.18(b) IF ANY - been visited by someone from the welfare, such as a welfare officer, or a children's officer? * IF YES How many times? - been visited by anyone else from the NHS or the welfare (SPECIFY) IF YES How many times? none of these

(a) IF DENTIST VISITED Did you have to pay? * ☐ yes ☒ no ☐ DK

(b) IF VISITS BY HOME HELP Did you pay anything? * ☐ yes ☒ no ☐ DK

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IX STYLE OF LIVING

Finally, I'd like to ask a few questions about the kind of things you do in your leisure-time and in managing at home.

FOR ALL

1. Apart from staying with family or friends in their homes have you had a holiday away from home in the last 12 months? *

yes ASK Q.1(a)
no) SKIP TO Q.2
DK)

(a) For how long?

less than a week
one week (7 nights)
more than 1 week, less than 3 weeks
3 weeks and less than 5 wks
5 weeks or more

FOR ALL AGED 15 AND OVER

CODE ALL AGED 15 AND OVER

2. I've been asking about seeing relatives. Have you been out in the last 4 weeks to friends or other members of the family for a meal or snack? *

yes
no
DK
Does Not Apply

FOR ALL AGED 15 AND OVER

CODE ALL AGED 15 AND OVER

3. Or have any of your family or friends come here for a meal or snack during the last four weeks?

yes, relative *
yes, friend *
no
DK
Does Not Apply

ASK PARENT OF CHILDREN AGED 3-14

CODE CHILDREN AGED 3-14

4. What about your child(ren)? Has he/she had a friend to play (or to tea) here in the house during the last four weeks?

yes
no
DK
Does Not Apply SKIP TO Q.5

FOR ALL

5. Have you had an afternoon or evening out in the last fortnight for your entertainment, something that cost money? * For example, have you been to

PROMPT AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY
X a cinema or theatre?
Y a football match or other sports meeting?
0 a pub or club mainly for having drinks?
1 a social club (old people's, youth, sports, working men's, church social)?
2 dancing?
3 bingo?
4 other (SPECIFY)

ASK Q.5(a)

5 none of these ASK Q. 5(b)

6 DK

7 under 3 years old or others, Does Not Apply SKIP TO Q.6

(a) So how many afternoons or evenings out have you had in the last fortnight?

CODE NUMBER SKIP TO Q.6

(b) Why haven't you had an evening out?

X no desire to
Y not enough money
0 cannot leave children (or other)
1 ill
2 full social life in other ways
3 other (SPECIFY) *no time (studying hard)*
4 DK

CODE ONE ONLY

FOR ALL

6. Have you been to church (or Sunday School)

X - during the last four weeks?
Y - not during the last four weeks but during the last year
0 - not in the last year
1 DK
2 Does Not Apply

ASK Q.6(a)

(a) Which denomination do you belong to?

Church of England
Roman Catholic
Non-conformists (Baptists, Methodists, Wesleyans, etc)
"Sectarians" (Plymouth Brethren, Salvation Army, Jehovah's Witnesses)
other (SPECIFY) *Latter Day Saints*

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FOR ALL CODE ALL IN HOUSEHOLD

14. Have you ever been short of fuel during the last year through lack of money? I mean have you had to go without a fire on a cold day, or go to bed early to keep warm or light the fire late because of lack of coal? yes
no
DK
DNA

ASK PARENT OF CHILD AGED 3-14 CODE ALL CHILDREN 3-14

15. What about your son's/daughter's last birthday? Did he/she have a party with friends (not just brothers and sisters)? * Does Not Apply SKIP TO 0.16
yes
no
DK

ASK PARENT OF CHILD AGED 3-14

16. How much altogether does he/she get in pocket money per week, i.e. only from persons living in the household? nothing
WRITE IN EST.
AMT. IN SHILLINGS

ASK HOUSEWIFE AND CHIEF WAGE EARNER/HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD

17. (a) You hear of people talking about social class. If you were asked what social class you belong to, what would you say? * PROMPT BY REPEATING THE QUESTION AND SAY 'It's what you say; everyone has their own view. What would be the name of the class you belong to or are nearest to?' * WRITE IN ANSWER

1st Middle
2nd Middle

(b) What decides what class you're in? * Does Not Apply SKIP TO 0.19

Is it mainly Y - job?
0 - education?
1 - the family you're born into?
2 - your way of life?
3 - money?
4 - other (SPECIFY)
5 DK

PROMPT AND CODE ONE ONLY

(c) I have a card which has some names of classes written on it. Could you please look and say which of these you belong to? X upper middle
Y middle
0 lower middle
1 upper working
2 working
3 poor
4 DK
5 none

SHOW FLASHCARD NO.7 *

(d) Some people think it goes by what your father's job was. Could you tell me your father's main job in life? And the employer's (or own) business? WRITE IN ANSWER. IF UNSPECIFIC ASK What did he do?

1st Painter/Decorator (self-employed)
2nd Farmer

ASK HOUSEWIFE AND CHIEF WAGE EARNER/H.O.H. CODE H/WIFE AND C.W.E. ONLY

18. (a) How well off do you feel these days on your income? For example, compared with the rest of your family (I mean the relatives who don't live here) would you say you are X better off?
Y about the same?
0 worse off?
1 DK

PROMPT AND CODE ONE ONLY

(b) Compared with other people round here of your age would you say you are 2 better off?
3 about the same?
4 worse off?
5 DK

(c) Compared with the average in the country would you say you are X better off?
Y about the same?
0 worse off?
1 DK

(d) On the whole is your situation getting better or worse? Are you 2 better off than ever?
3 worse off than ever?
4 have known better and worse times?
5 about the same as ever?
6 DK

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48	48	48	48	48	48	48	48	48	48
X Y 0 1	X Y 0 1	X Y 0 1	X Y 0 1	X Y 0 1	X Y 0 1	X Y 0 1	X Y 0 1	X Y 0 1	X Y 0 1

ASK HOUSEWIFE AND INCOME RECIPIENT

19. How do you arrange the payment of housekeeping (and board-money)? Here are some of the ways we've come across. Can you tell me how you arrange things? Does he/she * CODE ALL INCOME RECIPIENTS

PROMPT X - give a fixed amount for housekeeping (or board)?
FOR ALL Y - give an amount which varies depending on earnings?
INCOME 0 - give entire wage (earnings), receiving back money for
RECIPIENTS fares, pocket money, etc?
AND 1 - give entire wage (earnings) after first taking out
CODE fares, pocket money, etc?
ONE 2 - pay earnings (wage) into a joint bank account?
ONLY 3 - have no fixed arrangement?
4 - any other arrangement. (SPECIFY) _____

5 DK
6 Does Not Apply } SKIP TO Q. 20
9 9100 nothing

(a) And how much for housekeeping (board) would you say he/she gives on average per week? WRITE IN AMOUNT (IN DONOR'S COLUMN)

(b) May I just check? About how much on average does he/she receive back through the week out of the housekeeping (for meals out, or entertainment or payment of clubs, insurances, etc.)? * nothing WRITE IN EST. AMOUNT (IN DONOR'S COLUMN)

(c) And roughly how much on average per week would you say he/she pays from the money he/she keeps for household bills (I mean for electricity, gas, coal, rent, rates, H.P., TV, curtains, bedlinen)? * nothing WRITE IN EST. AMOUNT (IN DONOR'S COLUMN)

ASK HOUSEWIFE CODE EACH INCOME RECIPIENT

20. Do you (and your husband) manage to save, not just for holidays or Christmas or for buying things, but for a rainy day, or retirement, say? * yes
no
DK
Does Not Apply

ASK CHIEF WAGE EARNER OR HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD CODE C.W.E. OR H.O.H ONLY

21. Does Not Apply SKIP TO Q. 22
(a) Do you think you were as well off, say, ten years ago - that is, in 1957/58? yes
no
DK

(b) Can you just tell me who were the members of your family (household) then? * WRITE IN NOS. ADULTS

WRITE IN NOS. CHILDREN (11-14)

WRITE IN NOS. CHILDREN (Q-10)

(c) And roughly how much was the total family (household) income to support you - including any pensions, family allowances, wife's earnings, everything? * estimated weekly income of household in 1957/58

ASK CHIEF WAGE EARNER OR HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD (OF ANY AGE) CODE C.W.E. OR H.O.H ONLY

22. Do you find it specially difficult to manage on your income? Does Not Apply SKIP TO Q. 23
yes
no
DK

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	INTERVIEWER: CODE 05, 06, etc. IF 5th, 6th MEMBERS OF HOUSEHOLD	
48	48	48	48	48	48
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2	2	2	2	2	2
3	3	3	3	3	3
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1011					
53-56	53-56	53-56	53-56	53-56	53-56
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0004					
57-60	57-60	57-60	57-60	57-60	57-60
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0100					
61	61	61	61	61	61
X	X	X	X	X	X
Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
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09700					
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Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
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1	1	1	1	1	1

usually it was much more.

QUESTION 23 Poor now

Stress genuinely and try to avoid facetiousness at this point. Question 23 (a) explores what the informant understands by feeling "poor". If the word "poor" seems inappropriate use the alternative "very hard up".

QUESTION 24 Poverty

Stress the word "poverty". Do not explain what you think it means if you are asked. Seek from the informant his definition and write it in the box as clearly as you can.

QUESTION 25 Voting

Ask for those old enough to have voted in the last election (March 1965). We are not concerned who they voted for (although they will probably say) but would like to know if they are sufficiently involved to vote at all. Be careful to reassure people that this is confidential and as far as you are concerned non-voting is blameless—many people consider that voting is legally compulsory or morally obligatory and so voting figures are over-estimated. Try to get a clear recollection by fixing the incident (time of day, who they went with) if necessary. Stress **National**, not local elections.

QUESTION 26 Action on poverty

We are interested in what the informant thinks can be done. Give as full an answer as possible.

Please write in any additional notes.

2nd genuinely thought that he and his family were poor, but thought that 'poverty' (except for O.A.P.s and the disabled etc) was largely one's own fault in not being able to manage. He was convinced that with careful house-keeping (which his wife was adept at) one could manage on govt. benefits. He was also confident that if he died his family would get enough to live on. Even so, he regretted having to have benefits (for his family's sake) and was trying to get work, though without much chance of doing so. Altogether, a very warm and close family, anxious to maintain standards of 'decency' and 'respectability' despite declining income. Chief future hope was the only daughter getting on and perhaps helping out.

ASK CHIEF WAGE EARNER/H.O.H.

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

23. * Do you think you could GENUINELY say you are poor now? —

X Does Not Apply SKIP TO Q.24

PROMPT AND CODE ONE ONLY

Y all the time } ASK Q.23(a)
0 sometimes }
1 never } SKIP TO Q.24
2 DK }

(a) Do you feel poor at any of these times or in any of these situations?

3 at weekends
4 mid-week
5 at Christmas

PROMPT AND

6 with some of your friends
7 with some of your relatives
8 with some of the people round here
9 other (SPECIFY)

CODE ALL THAT

APPLY

FOR CHIEF WAGE EARNER/H.O.H.

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

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

Does Not Apply SKIP TO Q.25
yes
no
DK

(b) What would you describe as poverty?

WRITE IN ANSWER

old age pensioners

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

X - their own fault?
Y - The Government's fault?
0 - the fault of their education?
1 - The fault of industry not providing the right jobs?
2 - anything else? (SPECIFY)
3 - a combination of (some of) these?
4 - none of these?
5 DK

ASK CHIEF WAGE EARNER AND HOUSEWIFE ABOUT ALL AGED 23 AND OVER

25. Do you mind telling me if you voted in the last General Election (I don't mean who you voted for, just whether you voted)? *

CODE ALL AGED 23 & OVER

yes, voted
no
DK
DNA

ASK CHIEF WAGE EARNER/H.O.H.

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

26. If there is poverty what do you think can be done about it?

nothing
DK

WRITE IN ANSWER

own fault - so linen them up - educate them so that they know what they are entitled to.

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INTERVIEWER PLEASE CODE ALL THAT APPLY AFTER INTERVIEW

- (a) Household in which there is a child, one of whose parents is not resident
- (b) Household consisting of woman and adult dependants
- (c) Household in which there are five or more dependent children
- (d) Household containing an adult who has been unemployed for eight weeks (consecutively or in last 12 months)
- (e) Household containing an adult under 65 years of age who has been ill or injured for eight weeks (consecutively or in last 12 months)
- (f) Household containing a disabled adult under 65
(a) disabled
(b) borderline disabled
- (g) Household containing a disabled or handicapped child (including child ill or injured for eight weeks or more)
- (h) Household containing a person aged 65 or over who has been bedfast or ill for eight weeks or more or who is otherwise severely incapacitated
- (i) Household in which there are
(a) earners, none earning £12 a week or more
(b) adult male earners (aged 21 to 64) earning less than £14 a week
- (j) Household in which there are persons who are
(a) non-white
(b) born in Eire

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X
Y
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1
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68
X
Y

2 ADULTS

AGH.

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

One generation			
Man alone: aged 60 or over	101	Man: and widowed or separated daughter	221
Man alone: aged under 60	102	Woman: and widowed or separated son	222
Woman alone: aged 60 or over	103	Woman: and widowed or separated daughter	223
Woman alone: aged under 60	104	Otherwise two generations: all related	224
Husband and wife: both aged 60 or over	105	Otherwise two generations: at least one person not related to any other	225
Husband and wife: at least one aged under 60	106	Other (SPECIFY)	226
Husband and wife: both under 60	107	Three generation	
Man and woman: otherwise related	108	Man, son and d-in-law, grandchildren: all under 15	301
Man and woman: unrelated	109	Man, son and d-in-law, grandchildren: at least one under 15 and one over 15	302
Two or more men only: related	110	Man, daughter & son-in-law, grandchildren: all under 15	303
Two or more men only: unrelated	111	Man, daughter and son-in-law, grandchildren: at least one under 15 and one over 15	304
Two or more women only: related	112	Woman, son and d-in-law, grandchildren: all under 15	305
Two or more women only: unrelated	113	Woman, son and d-in-law, grandchildren: at least one under 15, one over 15	306
Other (SPECIFY)	114	Woman, daughter and son-in-law, grandchildren: all under 15	307
Two generation		Woman, daughter and son-in-law, grandchildren: at least one under 15, one over 15	308
Man, wife: + 1 child under 15	201	Married couple, married child and child-in-law, grandchildren under 15	309
Man, wife: + 2 children both under 15	202	Otherwise 3-generations:	
Man, wife: + 3 children all under 15	203	—all persons related, at least one child under 15	310
Man, wife: + 4 or more children all under 15	204	—at least one child under 15	311
Man, wife: + children, at least 1 under 15 and at least 1 over 15, none married	205	—all persons related	312
Man, wife: + children all aged 15-24, none married	206	—unrelated	313
Man, wife: + children all over 15, at least 1 aged 25 or over, none married	207	Other (SPECIFY)	314
Man and one child under 15	208	Four generation	
Man and two children both under 15	209	DESCRIBE COMPOSITION BELOW	
Man and three or more children under 15	210		401
Man and children at least one under and one over 15, none married	211		
Man and children all aged 15-24, none married	212		
Man and children all over 15 at least one 25 or over, none married	213		
Woman: and one child under 15	214		
Woman: and two children both under 15	215		
Woman: and three or more children under 15	216		
Woman: and children, at least one under and one over 15, none married	217		
Woman: and children, all aged 15-24, none married	218		
Woman: and children all over 15, at least one 25 or over, none married	219		
Man: and widowed or separated son	220		