

Japan

SEX - Sex of respondent

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F1: Anata no seibetsu o okotae kudasai.	F1: Sex / Please circle the appropriate figure.
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Otoko	1. Male
	2. On'na	2. Female
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<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>	—	
<i>Translation Note</i>	—	
<i>Note</i>	Respondent's sex can be known also from the sampling frame.	

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes (in translation)	→ SEX
If F1=1 then SEX=1	1. Male
If F1=2 then SEX=2	2. Female
Not used	9. No answer

BIRTH – Year of birth

This question can be asked as an alternative to asking about AGE. If BIRTH is not asked directly, it must be computed by DATEYR ‘year of interview’ minus AGE ‘age of respondent’.

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F2: Anata no seinen o okotae kudasai. Bangō ni maru o tsukete, umare doshi o kinyū shite kudasai.	F2: Year of Birth / Circle the appropriate figure and indicate your year of birth.
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Meiji	1. Meiji
	2. Taishō	2. Taisho
	3. Shōwa	3. Showa
	4. Heisei	4. Heisei
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>	F2G: Era (1 Meiji, 2 Taisho, 3 Showa ,4 Heisei) F2N: Year Meiji 1-45 = 1868-1912, Taisho 1-15 = 1912-1926, Showa 1-64 = 1926-1989 Heisei 1-27 =1989-2015	
	Respondent's birth year can be known from the sampling frame.	

Construction/Recoding: (list lowest, highest, and ‘missing’ codes only, replace terms in [square brackets] with real numbers)

	Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	➔BIRTH
<i>Construction</i>		
<i>Codes</i>	1920	[MIN BIRTH]
	1999	[HIGH BIRTH]
		9999. No answer

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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AGE - Age of respondent

This question can be asked as an alternative to asking about BIRTH. If AGE is not asked directly, it must be computed by DATEYR ‘year of interview’ minus BIRTH ‘year of birth’.

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F2: Anata no seinen o okotae kudasai. Bangō ni maru o tsukete, umare doshi o kinyū shite kudasai.	F2: Year of Birth / Circle the appropriate figure and indicate your year of birth.
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Meiji	1. Meiji
	2. Taishō	2. Taisho
	3. Shōwa	3. Showa
	4. Heisei	4. Heisei
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>	F2G: Era (1 Meiji, 2 Taisho, 3 Showa ,4 Heisei) F2N: Year Meiji 1-45 = 1868-1912, Taisho 1-15 = 1912-1926, Showa 1-64 = 1926-1989 Heisei 1-27 =1989-2015	
<i>Note</i>	Respondent's birth year can be known from the sampling frame.	

Construction/Recoding: (list lowest, highest, and ‘missing’ codes only, replace terms in [square brackets] with real numbers)

	Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→AGE
<i>Construction</i>	If F2G = 1 then AGE = 148 - F2N If F2G = 2 then AGE = 104 - F2N If F2G = 3 then AGE = 90 - F2N If F2G = 4 then AGE = 27 - F2N	
<i>Codes</i>	16 years old	[MIN AGE]
	95 years old	[HIGH AGE]
	- not used -	999. No answer

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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EDUCYRS - Education I: years of schooling

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F3: Anata wa shōgakkō ni nyūgaku shite kara, koremade awasete nan nenkan gakkō ni kayoi mashita ka? Tadashi, yobikō, senshū gakkō, kakushu gakkō no zaigaku kikan wa fukumi masen.	F3: How many years of education did you receive from the time you entered elementary school to the time you graduated or left your final place of education ? Do not include any time spent at “cram schools”, higher vocational schools or schools in the miscellaneous category.
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	(99.) Mukaitō	(99.) No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F3: ask all

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	➔ EDUCYRS
If F3=0	0. No formal schooling, no years at school
If F3=1	1. One year
	...
- not used -	98. Don't know
If F3= 99 (NA) then EDUCYRS = 99	99. No answer

Optional: Recoding Syntax

nat_DEGR - Country-specific highest completed degree of education

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F4: Anata ga saigo ni sotsugyō saretā gakkō o, tsugi no naka kara hitotsu dake erande maru o tsukete kudasai. Zaigakuchū no kata wa, genzai kayotte iru gakkō o okotae kudasai.	F4: Please indicate the last school you attended or the school you are currently attending. Circle one figure only.
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Sotsugyō: chūgakkō (Kyūsē syōgakkō, kōtō syōgakkō)	1. Graduated from junior high school
	2. Sotsugyō: kōtō gakkō (Kyūsē tyū gakkō, jōgakkō)	2. Graduated from high school
	3. Sotsugyō: kōtō senmon gakkō, tanki daigaku (Kyūsē kōtō gakkō)	3. Graduated from technical college, junior college
	4. Sotsugyō: daigaku	4. Graduated from university
	5. Sotsugyō: daigakuin	5. Graduated from postgraduate school
	6. Zaigakuchū: kōtō gakkō, kōtō senmon gakkō (1-3 nen sei)	6. Attending high school, technical college (1 st -3 rd year)
	7. Zaigakuchū: kōtō senmon gakkō (4,5 nen sei), tanki daigaku, daigaku	7. Attending technical college (4 th -5 th year), junior college, university
	8. Zaigakuchū: daigakuin	8. Attending postgraduate school
	9. Sono ta (gutaiteki ni ____)	9. Others (Please specify)
	(10.) Mukaitō	(10.) No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F4: ask all

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→ nat_DEGR
If F4=1 then JP_DEGR=1	1. Junior high school completed
If F4=6 then JP_DEGR=2	2. Still at high school
If F4=2 then JP_DEGR=3	3. High school completed
If F4=7 then JP_DEGR=4	4. Still at junior college or university
If F4=3 then JP_DEGR=5	5. Junior college completed
If F4=8 then JP_DEGR=6	6. Still at graduate school
If F4=4,5 then JP_DEGR=7	7. Finished university or graduate
If F4=9 then JP_DEGR=95	95. Others
If F4=10 then JP_DEGR=99	99. No answer

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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DEGREE – R: Education II: categories

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F3: See F3 F4: Anata ga saigo ni sotsugyō saretā gakkō o, tsugi no naka kara hitotsu dake erande maru o tsukete kudasai. Zaigakuchū no kata wa, genzai kayotte iru gakkō o okotae kudasai.	F3: See F3 F4: Please indicate the last school you attended or the school you are currently attending. Circle one figure only.
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Sotsugyō: chūgakkō (Kyūsē syōgakkō, kōtō syōgakkō)	1. Graduated from junior high school
	2. Sotsugyō: kōtō gakkō (Kyūsē tyū gakkō, jogakkō)	2. Graduated from high school
	3. Sotsugyō: kōtō senmon gakkō, tanki daigaku (Kyūsē kōtō gakkō)	3. Graduated from technical college, junior college
	4. Sotsugyō: daigaku	4. Graduated from university
	5. Sotsugyō: daigakuin	5. Graduated from postgraduate school
	6. Zaigakuchū: kōtō gakkō, kōtō senmon gakkō (1-3 nen sei)	6. Attending high school, technical college (1 st -3 rd year)
	7. Zaigakuchū: kōtō senmon gakkō (4,5 nen sei), tanki daigaku, daigaku	7. Attending technical college (4 th -5 th year), junior college, university
	8. Zaigakuchū: daigakuin	8. Attending postgraduate school
	9. Sono ta (gutaiteki ni ____)	9. Others (Please specify)
	(10.) Mukaitō	(10.) No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F3 & F4: ask all

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→DEGREE
If F3=0 then DEGREE=0	0. No formal education
-not used-	1. Primary school
If F4=1,6 then DEGREE=2	2. Lower secondary (secondary completed does not allow entry to university: obligatory school)
If F4=2,7 then DEGREE=3	3. Upper secondary (programs that allow entry to university)
If F4=3 then DEGREE=4	4. Post secondary, non-tertiary (other upper secondary programs toward labour market or technical formation)
If F4=4,8 then DEGREE=5	5. Lower level tertiary, first stage (also technical schools at a tertiary level)
If F4=5 then DEGREE=6	6. Upper level tertiary (Master, Dr.)
If F4=9,10 then DEGREE=9	9. No answer

Optional: Recoding Syntax

WORK – Currently, formerly, or never in paid work

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F5: Anata wa, shūnyū o eru tame, 1 shūkan ni 1 jikan ijō shigoto o shite imasu ka? Tsugi no naka kara hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai.	F5: Are you currently working for pay, for at least one hour per week? Circle one figure only.
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Genzai, shigoto o shite iru	1. Currently in paid work
	2. Izen ha shigoto o shite ita ga, genzai wa shite inai	2. Currently not in paid work, paid work in the past
	3. Koremade shigoto o shita koto ga nai.	3. Never had paid work
	(4.) Mukaitō	(4.) No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F5: ask all

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→WORK
If F5=1 then WORK=1	1. Currently in paid work
If F5=2 then WORK=2	2. Currently not in paid work, paid work in the past
If F5=3 then WORK=3	3. Never had a paid work
If F5=4 then WORK=9	9. No answer

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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WRKHRS – Hours worked weekly

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F6: Anata wa jikangai mo fukumete, fudan 1 shūkan ni nan jikan kurai shigoto o shite imasu ka? Futatsu ijō, shigoto o omochi no bāi wa, subete no rōdō jikan o gassan shite okotae kudasai. Mata, byōki, ikuji kyūshoku, kyūka, sutoraiiki nado de ichijiteki ni shigoto o shite inai kata wa, fudan no jōkyō ni tsuite okotae kudasai.	F6: How many hours, on average, do you usually work for pay in a normal week, including overtime? If you have more than one job, count the total number of working hours that you do. If you temporarily are not working because of temporary illness/parental leave/vacation/strike etc., please refer to your normal work situation.
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	(000.) Higaitō	(000.) NAP
	(999.) Mukaitō	(999.) No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F6: To be answered by those who are currently in paid work (code 1 in F5)

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→WRKHRS
If F6=1 then WRKHRS=1	01. One hour
...	...
If $F6 \geq 96$ then WRKHRS= 96	96. 96 hours and more
-not used-	98. Don't know
If F6=999 then WRKHRS= 99	99. No answer
If F6=000 then WRKHRS= 00	00. NAP (Code 2 or 3 in WORK)

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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EMPREL – Employment relationship

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F7: Anata no shigoto wa, tsugi no yōni wakeru to dore ni atari masu ka? Atehamaru bangō ni hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai.	F7: Are/were you an employee, self-employed, or working for your own family business? Circle one figure only.
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Tsutomete iru, koyō sarete iru	1. An Employee
	2. Jibun de shōbai o shitari, kaisha nado o keiei shite iru (Jūgyōin nashi)	2. Self-employed without employees
	3. Jibun de shōbai o shitari, kaisha nado o keiei shite iru (Jūgyōin ari) → Jūgyōin sū wa, anata o nozoite nan nin desu ka?	3. Self-employed with employees → How many employees do/did you have, not counting yourself?
	4. Jibun no ie no shōbai ya shigoto o tetsudatte iru	4. Working for own family's business
	(5.) Mukaitō	(5.) No answer
	(6.) Higaitō	(6.) NAP
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F7: To be answered by those who are “currently in paid work” or “currently not in paid work, paid work in the past” (code 1 or 2 in F5)

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→EMPREL
If F7=1 then EMPREL=1	1. Employee
If F7=2 then EMPREL=2	2. Self-employed without employees
If F7=3 then EMPREL=3	3. Self-employed with employees
If F7=4 then EMPREL=4	4. Working for own family's business
If F7=5 then EMPREL=9	9. No answer
If F7=6 then EMPREL=0	0. NAP (Code 3 in WORK)

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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NEMPLOY - Self employed: how many employees

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F7: Anata no shigoto wa, tsugi no yōni wakeru to dore ni atari masu ka? Atehamaru bangō ni hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai.	F7: Are/were you an employee, self-employed, or working for your own family business? Circle one figure only.
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Tsutomete iru, koyō sarete iru	1. An Employee
	2. Jibun de shōbai o shitari, kaisha nado o keiei shite iru (Jūgyōin nashi)	2. Self-employed without employees
	3. Jibun de shōbai o shitari, kaisha nado o keiei shite iru (Jūgyōin ari) → Jūgyōin sū wa, anata o nozoite nan nin desu ka?	3. Self-employed with employees → How many employees do/did you have, not counting yourself?
	4. Jibun no ie no shōbai ya shigoto o tetsudatte iru	4. Working for own family's business
	(5.) Mukaitō	(5.) No answer
	(6.) Higaitō	(6.) NAP
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F7: To be answered by those who are “currently in paid work” or “currently not in paid work, paid work in the past” (code 1 or 2 in F5)
 SF7NEM: To be answered by those who are self-employed with employees (code 3 in F7)

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→NEMPLOY
If SF7NEM =1 THEN NEMPLOY=1	0001. 1 employee
	...
If SF7NEM ≥ 9995 then NEMPLOY= 9995	9995. 9995 employees or more
If SF7NEM =999999 then NEMPLOY= 9999	9999. No answer
If SF7NEM=000000 then NEMPLOY= 0	0000. NAP (Code 1, 2, 4, 0 in EMPREL)

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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WRKSUP - Supervise other employees

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F9: Anata wa, hokano jūgyōin o kanri, kantoku suru tachiba ni arimasu ka?	F9: Do/did you supervise other employees?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Hokano jūgyōin o kanri, kantoku suru tachiba ni aru →Kanri kantoku shite iru jūgyōin sū wa nan nin desu ka?	1. Yes, I do supervise other employees →How many other employees do/did you supervise?
	2. Hokano jūgyōin o kanri, kantoku suru tachiba ni nai	2. No, I do not supervise other employees
	(3.) Mukaitō	(3.) No Answer
	(4.) Higaitō	(4.) NAP
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F9: To be answered by those who are “currently in paid work” or “currently not in paid work, paid work in the past” (code 1 or 2 in F5)

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→WRKSUP
If F9=1 then WRKSUP=1	1. Yes
If F9=2 then WRKSUP=2	2. No
If F9=3 then WRKSUP=9	9. No answer
If F9=4 then WRKSUP=0	0. NAP (Code 3 in WORK)

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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NSUP – Number of other employees supervised

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F9: Anata wa, hokano jūgyōin o kanri, kantoku suru tachiba ni arimasu ka?	F9: Do/did you supervise other employees?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Hokano jūgyōin o kanri, kantoku suru tachiba ni aru →Kanri kantoku shite iru jūgyōin sū wa nan nin desu ka?	1. Yes, I do supervise other employees. →How many other employees do/did you supervise?
	2.Hokano jūgyōin o kanri, kantoku suru tachiba ni nai	2. No, I do not supervise other employees
	(3.) Mukaitō	(3.) No Answer
	(4.) Higaitō	(4.) NAP
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F9: To be answered by those who are “currently in paid work” or “currently not in paid work, paid work in the past” (code 1 or 2 in F5)

SF9WRK: To be answered by those who supervise other employees (code 1 in F9)

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→NSUP
If SF9WRK =1 then NSUP=1	0001. 1 employee
	...
If SF9WRK ≥9995 then NSUP= 9995	9995. 9995 employees or more
If SF9WRK =999999 then NSUP= 9999	9999. No answer
If SF9WRK =000000 then NSUP= 0000	0000. NAP. (Code 2, 0 in WRKSUP)

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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TYPORG1 – Type of organisation, for-profit/non-profit

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F10: Anata ga hataraitte iru soshiki wa, tsugi no yōni wakeru to, dochira ni atari masu ka?	F10: Do/did you work for a for-profit organisation or for a non-profit organisation?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Eiri mokuteki no soshiki	1. For-profit organisation
	2. Hieiri mokuteki no soshiki	2. Non-profit organisation?
	(3.) Mukaitō	(3.) No answer
	(4.) Higaitō	(4.) NAP
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F10: To be answered by those who are “currently in paid work” or “currently not in paid work, paid work in the past” (code 1 or 2 in F5)

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	➔TYPORG1
If F10=1 then TYPORG1 =1	1. For-profit organisation
If F10=2 then TYPORG1 =2	2. Non-profit organisation
-not used-	8. Don't know
If F10=3 then TYPORG1 =9	9. No answer
If F10=4 then TYPORG1 =0	0. NAP (Code 3 in WORK)

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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TYPORG2 – Type of organisation, public/private

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F11: Anata ga hataraitte iru soshiki wa, tsugi no yōni wakeru to, dochira ni atari masu ka?	F11: Do/did you work for a public or a private employer?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Kankōchō nado no kōteki kikan	1. Public employer
	2. Minkan no kigyō nado, kōteki kikan igai no soshiki	2. Private employer
	(3.) Mukaitō	(3.) No answer
	(4.) Higaitō	(4.) NAP
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F11: To be answered by those who are “currently in paid work” or “currently not in paid work, paid work in the past” (code 1 or 2 in F5)

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	➔TYPORG2
If F11=1 then TYPORG2 =1	1. Public employer
If F11=2 then TYPORG2 =2	2. Private employer
-not used-	8. Don't know
If F11=3 then TYPORG2 =9	9. No answer
If F11=4 then TYPORG2 =0	0. NAP (Code 3 in WORK)

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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ISCO08 - Occupation ISCO 2008

Please give the text of the source question(s) on the respondent's occupation used in your field questionnaire. If ISCO08-codes are not coded directly from the responses, but derived from a country-specific occupation coding scheme, please provide a table of correspondence between country-specific and ISCO08 codes *attached as a separate file*. Also when you derive ISCO08 from another ISCO scheme, such as ISCO88, ISCO-COM (a variant developed for the European Union (EU)), or ISCO88-CIS developed by the Statistical Committee of the Commonwealth of Independent States, please document the source code and provide a correspondence list.

Please do **not** enter **standard** ISCO08 codes here, but report any deviations. **However, please note that country-specific codes, which are not part of the ISCO coding scheme cannot be accepted!**

Occupations should be coded on the 4-digit level of ISCO08. Occupational area 0 (Armed Forces occupations) needs some special attention. Since the ISCO variable is numeric, 4-digit codes starting with zero, such as 0110 will usually appear as 110 in the data file. It is therefore suggested that the only valid 3-digit codes in the data file are those armed forces occupations 110, 210 and 310.

In some special cases information concerning the occupation may be insufficient for 4-digit coding. Instead of coding these cases as [9998] "inadequately described" use 3-digit coding. In those very special cases where 3-digit coding is applied, fill in a zero for the missing digit. Example: code 131 is coded as 1310.

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F12: Dewa, anata gojishin ga omo ni shite irassharu shigoto no naiyō o gutaiteki ni gokinyū kudasai. (Tatoeba, basu no untenshu, takuhaibin no haitatsu, biru no kensetsu genba de sagyō, jidōsha no shūri, shiyakusho de sōmu jimu, chūgakkō no kokugo kyōshi, insatsu kiki no eigyō hanbai, sūpā no reji, ginkō de no madoguchi gyōmu, konpyūtā no puroguramā to iu yōni gutaitekina shigoto no naiyō o gokinyū kudasai.)	F12: Please give details about the main type of work you are engaged in. (e.g. bus driver, delivery worker, working at a construction site, car mechanic, working at a general affairs section in a municipal office, a Japanese teacher at junior high school, a salesperson of printing equipment, working at a cashier desk of a supermarket, counter operations for a bank, computer programmer)
<i>Codes/ Categories deviating from ISCO08</i>		
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		
<i>Use of ISCO</i>	ISCO08 (ILO)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

	Please specify any other source code _____
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Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F12: To be answered by those who are “currently in paid work” or “currently not in paid work, paid work in the past” (code 1 or 2 in F5)
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Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/ Construction Rules	➔ ISCO08
	0110. (ISCO08 unit codes)
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	9629. (ISCO08 unit codes)
	9998. Don't know; inadequately described
	9999. No answer
	0000. NAP (Code 3 in WORK)

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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MAINSTAT – Main status

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F14: Anata no genzai no jōkyō wa, tsugi no yōni wakeru to, dore ni atari masu ka? Mottomo atehamaru bangō ni hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai. Nao, byōki, ikujikyūshoku, kyūka, sutoraiiki nado de, ichijiteki ni shigoto o shiteinai kata wa, fudan no jōkyō ni tsuite okotae kudasai.	F14: Which of the following best describes your current situation? Circle one figure only. If you temporarily are not working because of temporary illness/parental leave/vacation/strike etc., please refer to your normal work situation.
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Shigoto o shite iru (kazoku jūgyōsha o fukumi masu)	1. In paid work (including working for your own family's business)
	2. Shigoto o shite orazu, kyūshoku chū de aru	2. Unemployed and looking for a job
	3. Seito, gakusei (yobikō, senshūgakkō, kakushu gakkō no seito o fukumi masu)	3. In education
	4. Kenshū sei, minarai	4. Apprentice or trainee
	5. Shintaijō no jijō de hatarakenai	5. Permanently sick or disabled
	6. Taishoku (intai) shita	6. Retired
	7. Omo ni kaji o shite iru	7. Doing housework
	8. Sono ta (gutaiteki ni ____)	8. Other
	(9.) Mukaitō	(9.) No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F14: ask all

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	➔MAINSTAT
If F14=1 then MAINSTAT=1	1. In paid work
If F14=2 then MAINSTAT=2	2. Unemployed and looking for a job
If F14=3 then MAINSTAT=3	3. In education
If F14=4 then MAINSTAT=4	4. Apprentice or trainee
If F14=5 then MAINSTAT=5	5. Permanently sick or disabled
If F14=6 then MAINSTAT=6	6. Retired
If F14=7 then MAINSTAT=7	7. Domestic work
-not used-	8. In compulsory military service or community service
If F14=8 then MAINSTAT=9	9. Other
If F14=9 then MAINSTAT=99	99. No answer

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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PARTLIV – Living in steady partnership

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F15: Anata ni wa genzai, haigūsha (mata wa pātonā) ga imasu ka? Mata, iru kata wa, sono aite to issho ni seikatsu shite imasu ka? Atehamaru bangō ni hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai.	F15: Do you have a spouse or a steady partner and, if yes, do you share the same household? Circle one figure only.
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Haigūsha (pātonā) ga ite, issho ni seikatsu shite iru	1. Yes, I have a spouse/partner and we share the same household
	2. Haigūsha (pātonā) ga iru ga, issho ni seikatsu shite inai	2. Yes, I have a spouse/partner, but we don't share the same household
	3. Haigūsha (pātonā) ha inai	3. No, I don't have a spouse/partner
	(4.) Mukaitō	(4.) No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F15: ask all

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→PARTLIV
If F15=1 then PARTLIV=1	1. Yes, have partner; live in same household
If F15=2 then PARTLIV=2	2. Yes, have partner; don't live in same household
If F15=3 then PARTLIV=3	3. No partner
-not used-	7. Refused
If F15=4 then PARTLIV=9	9. No answer

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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SPWORK – Spouse, partner: currently, formerly or never in paid work

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F16: Anata no haigūsha (mata wa pātonā) wa, shūnyū o eru tame, 1 shūkan ni 1 jikan ijō shigoto o shite imasu ka? Tsugi no naka kara hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai.	F16: Is your spouse/partner currently working for pay, for at least one hour per week? Circle one figure only.
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Genzai shigoto o shite iru	1. He/She is currently in paid work
	2. Izen wa shigoto o shite ita ga, genzai wa shite inai	2. He/She is currently not in paid work, but he/she had paid work in the past
	3. Koremade shigoto o shita koto ga nai.	3. He/She has never had paid work
	(4.) Mukaitō	(4.) No answer
	(5.) Higaitō	(5.) NAP
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F16: To be answered by those who have a spouse/partner (code 1 or 2 in F15)

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→SPWORK
If F16=1 then SPWORK=1	1. Currently in paid work
If F16=2 then SPWORK=2	2. Currently not in paid work, paid work in the past
If F16=3 then SPWORK=3	3. Never had paid work
If F16=4 then SPWORK=9	9. No answer
If F16=5 then SPWORK=0	0. NAP (Code 3 in PARTLIV)

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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SPWRKHRS – Spouse, partner: hours worked weekly

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F17: Anata no haigūsha (mata wa pātonā) wa, jikan gai mo fukumete, fudan 1 shūkan ni nan jikan kurai shigoto o shite imasu ka? Futatsu ijō, shigoto o omochi no bāi wa, subete no rōdō jikan o gassan shite okotae kudasai. Mata, byōki, ikuji kyūshoku, kyūka, sutoraiiki nado de ichijiteki ni shigoto o shite inai kata wa, fudan no jōkyō ni tsuite okotae kudasai.	F17: How many hours, on average, does your spouse/partner usually work for pay in a normal week, including overtime? If he/she has more than one job, count the total number of working hours that you do. If he/she temporarily is not working because of temporary illness/parental leave/vacation/strike etc., please refer to your normal work situation.
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	(000.) Higaitō	(000.) NAP
	(999.) Mukaitō	(999.) No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F17: To be answered by those whose spouse/partner is currently in paid work (code 1 in F16)

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→SPWRKHRS
If F17=1 then SPWRKHRS=1	1. 1 hour
	...
If F17 ≥ 96 then SPWRKHRS= 96	96. 96 hours or more
-not used-	98. Don't know
If F17=999 then SPWRKHRS= 99	99. No answer
If F17=000 then SPWRKHRS= 00	00. NAP (Code 0,2 or 3 in SPWORK)

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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SPEMPREL – Spouse, partner: employment relationship

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F18: Anata no haigūsha (mata wa pātonā) no shigoto wa, tsugi no yōni wakeru to, dore ni atari masu ka? Atehamaru bangō ni hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai.	F18: Is/was your spouse/partner an employee, self-employed, or working for your own family business? Circle one figure only.
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Tsutomete iru, koyō sarete iru	1. An Employee
	2. Jibun de shōbai o shitari, kaisha nado o keiei shite iru (Jūgyōin nashi)	2. Self-employed without employees
	3. Jibun de shōbai o shitari, kaisha nado o keiei shite iru (Jūgyōin ari)	3. Self-employed with employees
	4. Jibun no ie no shōbai ya shigoto o tetsudatte iru	4. Working for own family's business
	(5.) Mukaitō	(5.) No answer
	(6.) Higaitō	(6.) NAP
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F18: To be answered by those whose spouse/partner are “currently in paid work” or “currently not in paid work, paid work in the past” (code 1 or 2 in F16)

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→SPEMPREL
If F18=1 then SPEMPREL=1	1. Employee
If F18=2 then SPEMPREL=2	2. Self-employed without employees
If F18=3 then SPEMPREL=3	3. Self-employed with employees
If F18=4 then SPEMPREL=4	4. Working for own family's business
If F18=5 then SPEMPREL=9	9. No answer
If F18=6 then SPEMPREL=0	0. NAP (Code 0,3 in SPWORK)

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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SPWRKSUP – Spouse, partner: supervise other employees

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F19: Anata no haigūsha (mata wa pātonā) wa, hokano Jūgyōin o kanri, kantoku suru tachiba ni ari masu ka?	F19: Does/did your spouse/partner supervise other employees?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Hokano Jūgyōin o kanri, kantoku suru tachiba ni aru	1. Yes, he/she supervises(ed) other employees
	2. Hokano Jūgyōin o kanri, kantoku suru tachiba ni nai	2. No, he/she does (did) not supervise other employees
	(3.) Mukaitō	(3.) No Answer
	(4.) Higaitō	(4.) NAP
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F19: To be answered by those whose spouse/partner are “currently in paid work” or “currently not in paid work, paid work in the past” (code 1 or 2 in F16)

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	➔SPWRKSUP
If F19=1 then SPWRKSUP=1	1. Yes
If F19=2 then SPWRKSUP=2	2. No
If F19=3 then SPWRKSUP=9	9. No answer
If F19=4 then SPWRKSUP=0	0. NAP (Code 0,3 in SPWORK)

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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SPISCO08 – Spouse, partner: occupation ISCO 2008

Please give the text of the source question(s) on the respondent's spouse occupation used in your field questionnaire. If ISCO08-codes are not coded directly from the responses, but derived from a country-specific occupation coding scheme, please provide a table of correspondence between country-specific and ISCO08 codes *attached as a separate file*. Also when you derive ISCO08 from another ISCO scheme, such as ISCO88, ISCO-COM (a variant developed for the European Union (EU)), or ISCO88-CIS developed by the Statistical Committee of the Commonwealth of Independent States, please document the source code and provide a correspondence list.

Please do **not** enter **standard** ISCO08 codes here, but report any deviations. **However, please note that country-specific codes, which are not part of the ISCO coding scheme cannot be accepted!**

Occupations should be coded on the 4-digit level of ISCO08. Occupational area 0 (Armed Forces occupations) needs some special attention. Since the ISCO variable is numeric, 4-digit codes starting with zero, such as 0110 will usually appear as 110 in the data file. It is therefore suggested that the only valid 3-digit codes in the data file are those armed forces occupations 110, 210 and 310.

In some special cases information concerning the occupation may be insufficient for 4-digit coding. Instead of coding these cases as [9998] “inadequately described” use 3-digit coding. In those very special cases where 3-digit coding is applied, fill in a zero for the missing digit. Example: code 131 is coded as 1310.

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F20: Dewa, anata no haigūsha (mata wa pātonā) ga omo ni shite irassharu shigoto no naiyō o gutaiteki ni gokinyū kudasai. (Tatoeba, basu no untenshu, takuhaibin no haitatsu, biru no kensetsu genba de sagyō, jidōsha no shūri, shiyakusho de sōmu jimu, chūgakkō no kokugo kyōshi, insatsu kiki no eigyō hanbai, sūpā no reji, ginkō de no madoguchi gyōmu, konpyūtā no puroguramā to iu yōni, gutaiteki na shigoto no naiyō o gokinyū kudasai.)	F20: Please give details about the main type of work your spouse/partner is engaged in. (e.g. bus driver, delivery worker, working at a construction site, car mechanic, working at a general affairs section in a municipal office, a Japanese teacher at junior high school, a salesperson of printing equipment, works at a cashier desk of a supermarket, counter operations for a bank, computer programmer)
<i>Codes/ Categories deviating from ISCO08</i>		
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

<i>Use of ISCO</i>	ISCO08 (ILO) <input type="checkbox"/>
	Please specify any other source code _____

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F2: To be answered by those whose spouse/partner is “currently in paid work” or “currently not in paid work, paid work in the past” (code 1 or 2 in F16)

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/ Construction Rules	➔ SPISCO08
	0110. (ISCO08 unit codes)
	...
	9629. (ISCO08 unit codes)
	9998. Don't know; inadequately described
	9999. No answer
	0000. NAP (Code 0,3 in SPWORK)

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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SPMAINST – Spouse, partner: main status

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F21: Anata no haigūsha (mata wa pātonā) no genzai no jōkyō wa, tsugi no yōni wakeru to, dore ni atari masu ka? Mottomo atehamaru bangō ni hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai. Nao, haigūsha (mata wa pātonā) ga byōki, ikuji kyūshoku, kyūka, sutoraiiki nado de ichijiteki ni shigoto o shite inai bāi wa, fudan no jōkyō ni tsuite okotae kudasai.	F21: Which of the following best describes your spouse's/partner's current situation? Circle one figure only. If your spouse/partner temporarily is not working because of temporary illness/parental leave/vacation/strike etc., please refer to his/her normal work situation.
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Shigoto o shite iru (kazoku jūgyōsha o fukumi masu)	1. In paid work (including working for your own family's business)
	2. Shigoto o shite orazu, kyūshokuchū de aru	2. Unemployed and looking for a job
	3. Seito, gakusei (yobikō, senshū gakkō, kakushu gakkō no seito o fukumi masu)	3. In education
	4. Kenshūsei, minarai	4. Apprentice or trainee
	5. Shintaijō no jijō de hatarake nai	5. Permanently sick or disabled
	6. Taishoku (intai) shita	6. Retired
	7. Omo ni kaji o shite iru	7. Doing housework
	8. Sono ta (gutaiteki ni ____)	8. Other
	(9.) Mukaitō	(9.) No answer
	(10.) Higaitō	(10.) NAP
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F21: To be answered by those who have a spouse/partner (code 1 or 2 in F15)

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→SPMAINST
If F21=1 then SPMAINSTAT=1	1. In paid work
If F21=2 then SPMAINSTAT=2	2. Unemployed and looking for a job
If F21=3 then SPMAINSTAT=3	3. In education
If F21=4 then SPMAINSTAT=4	4. Apprentice or trainee
If F21=5 then SPMAINSTAT=5	5. Permanently sick or disabled
If F21=6 then SPMAINSTAT=6	6. Retired
If F21=7 then SPMAINSTAT=7	7. Domestic work
-not used-	8. In compulsory military service or community service
If F21=8 then SPMAINSTAT=9	9. Other
If F21=9 then SPMAINSTAT=99	99. No answer
If F21=10 then SPMAINSTAT=00	00. NAP (Code 3 in PARTLIV)

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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UNION – Trade union membership

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F13: Anata wa rōdō kumiai ni haitte imasu ka? Tsugi no naka kara hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai.	F13: Are you a member of a trade union or similar organisation? Circle one figure only.
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Haitte iru	1. Currently a member
	2. Izen wa haitte ita ga, ima wa haitte inai	2. Previously a member
	3. Ichido mo haitta koto wa nai	3. Have never been a member
	(4.) Mukaitō	(4.) No answer
	(5.) Higaitō	(5.) NAP (code 3 in F5)
<i>Interviewer Instructions</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F13: To be answered by those who are “currently in paid work” or “currently not in paid work, paid work in the past” (code 1 or 2 in F5)

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→UNION
If F13=1 then UNION=1	1. Yes, currently
If F13=2 then UNION=2	2. Yes, previously but not currently
If F13=3, 5 then UNION=3	3. No, never
-not used-	7. Refused
If F13=4 then UNION=9	9. No answer

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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nat_RELIG – Country-specific religious affiliation

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F22: Anata ni wa, fudan shinkō shite iru shūkyō ga ari masu ka? Atehamaru bangō ni hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai. Tadashi, kankonsōsai no toki dake no shūkyō de naku, akumade, anata gojishin ga, fudan shinkō shite iru shūkyō o okotae kudasai.	F22: Do you follow any religion? Circle one figure only. Indicate the religion you profess, irrespective of ceremonial occasions, such as weddings or funerals.
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Bukkyō	1. Buddhism
	2. Shintō	2. Shintoism
	3. Kirisuto kyō	3. Christianity
	4. Sono ta no shūkyō (gutaiteki ni ____)	4. Other Religion (please specify)
	5. Shinkō shite iru shūkyō wa nai	5. No religion
	(6.) Mukaitō	(6.) No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F22: ask all

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→ nat_RELIG
If F22=5 then JP_RELIG=0	0. No religion
If F22=3 then JP_RELIG=4	4. Other Christian
If F22=1 then JP_RELIG=7	7. Buddhist
If F22=2 then JP_RELIG=11	11. Shintoism
If F22=4 then JP_RELIG=10	10. Other Religions
-not used-	990. NAP other countries
-not used-	997. Refused
If F22=6 then JP_RELIG=999	999. No answer

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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RELIGGRP- Groups of religious affiliations

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F22: Anata ni wa, fudan shinkō shite iru shūkyō ga ari masu ka? Atehamaru bangō ni hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai. Tadashi, kankonsōsai no toki dake no shūkyō de naku, akumade, anata gojishin ga, fudan shinkō shite iru shūkyō o okotae kudasai.	F22: Do you follow any religion? Circle one figure only. Indicate the religion you profess, irrespective of ceremonial occasions, such as weddings or funerals.
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Bukkyō	1. Buddhism
	2. Shintō	2. Shintoism
	3. Kirisuto kyō	3. Christianity
	4. Sono ta no shūkyō (gutaiteki ni ____)	4. Other Religion (please specify)
	5. Shinkō shite iru shūkyō wa nai	5. No religion
	(6.) Mukaitō	(6.) No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F22: ask all

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→ RELIGGRP
F22=5 then RELIGGRP = 0	0.No religion
	1. Catholic
	2. Protestant
	3. Orthodox
F22=3 then RELIGGRP = 4	4. Other Christian
	5. Jewish
	6. Islamic
F22=1 then RELIGGRP = 7	7. Buddhist
	8. Hindu
F22=2 then RELIGGRP = 9	9. Other Asian religions
F22=4 then RELIGGRP = 10	10. Other religions
-not used-	97. Refused
-not used-	98. Information insufficient
F22=6 then RELIGGRP = 99	99. No answer

Optional: Recoding Syntax

ATTEND – Attendance of religious services

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F23: Anata wa tera, jinja, kyōkai nado no sanpai ya reihai ni, dono teido odekake ni natte imasu ka? Tsugi no naka kara hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai. Tadashi, kankonsōsai de iku no wa nozoki masu.	F23: How often do you attend a place of worship or prayer? Circle one figure only. Exclude ceremonial occasions, such as wedding or funerals.
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Shū ni sū kai mata wa sore ijō	1. Several times a week or more often
	2. Shū ni 1 kai	2. Once a week
	3. Tsuki ni 2, 3 kai	3. Two or three times a month
	4. Tsuki ni 1 kai	4. Once a month
	5. Nen ni sū kai	5. Several times a year
	6. Nen ni 1 kai	6. Once a year
	7. Nen ni 1 kai yori sukunai	7. Less frequently than once a year
	8. Mattaku itte inai	8. Never
	(9.) Mukaitō	(9.) No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F23: ask all

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→ ATTEND
ATTEND = question F23	1. Several times a week or more often
	2. Once a week
	3. 2 or 3 times a month
	4. Once a month
	5. Several times a year
	6. Once a year
	7. Less frequently than once a year
	8. Never
- not used -	97. Refused
- not used -	98. Don't know
If F23=9 then ATTEND = 99	99. No answer

Optional: Recoding Syntax

TOPBOT - Top-Bottom self-placement

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F24: Kari ni genzai no nihon no shakai o, shita no zu no yōni 1 (ichiban shita) kara 10 (ichiban ue) made no sō ni waketa to suru to, anata wa dono atari ni iru to omoi masu ka? Atehamaru bangō ni hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai.	F24: If current Japanese society were divided into 10 strata (1 being the lowest, and 10 being the highest), to which stratum do you think you belong? Circle one figure only.
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Shita	1. lowest
	2.	2.
	3.	3.
	4.	4.
	5.	5.
	6.	6.
	7.	7.
	8.	8.
	9.	9.
	10. Ue	10. highest
	(11.) Mukaitō	(11.) No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F24: ask all

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	➔ TOPBOT
TOPBOT = question F24	1. Lowest, Bottom, 01
	2.
	3.
	4.
	5.
	6.
	7.
	8.
	9.
	10. Highest, Top, 10
-not used-	98. Don't know
If F24 = 11 then TOPBOT = 99	99. No answer

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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VOTE_LE - Did respondent vote in last general election?

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F25: Anata wa, 2014 nen 12 gatsu no syūgin senkyo de, tōhyō ni iki mashita ka?	F25: Did you vote in the last Japanese House of Representatives election in December 2014?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Itta	1. Yes
	2. Ika nakatta	2. No
	3. Senkyoken ga nakatta	3. Not eligible to vote
	(4.) Mukaitō	(4.) No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F25: ask all

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→ VOTE_LE
If F25=3 then VOTE_LE=0	0. Not eligible to vote at last election
If F25=1 then VOTE_LE=1	1. Yes
If F25=2 then VOTE_LE=2	2. No
-not used-	7. Refused
If F25=4 then VOTE_LE=9	9. No answer

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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nat_PRTY - Country specific party voted for in last general election

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F26: Soredewa sono syūgin senkyo de, Hirei daihyō dewa dono seitō ni tōhyō shimashita ka? Tsugi no naka kara hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai.	F26: Which party did you vote for in the last Japanese House of Representatives election, under the proportional representation system? Circle one figure only.
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Jimin tō	1. Liberal Democratic Party
	2. Minshu tō	2. The Democratic Party of Japan
	3. Ishin no tō	3. Japan Innovation Party
	4. Kōmei tō	4. Komeito
	5. Jisedai no tō	5. The Party for Future Generations
	6. Kyōsan tō	6. Japanese Communist Party
	7. Seikatsu no tō	7. The People's Life Party
	8. Shamin tō	8. Social Democratic Party
	9. Shintō kaikaku	9. New Renaissance Party
	10. Kōfuku jitsugen tō	10. The Happiness Realization Party
	11. Shijiseitō nashi to iu namae no seiji dantai	11. Shijiseitō nashi
	12. Sono ta no seitō	12. Other Party
	(13.) Mukaitō	(13.) No answer
	(14.) Higaitō	(14.) NAP
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F26: To be answered by those who chose 1 in F25

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	➔ nat_PRTY
F26= JP_PRTY	...
-not used-	96. Invalid ballot
-not used-	97. Refused
If F26=13 then JP_PRTY =99	99. No answer
If F26=14(F25=2,3) then JP_PRTY =00	0. NAP (0, 2, 7 in VOTE_LE)
-not used-	990. NAP, other countries

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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PARTY_LR - Party voted for in last general election: left-right scale

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F26: Soredewa, sono syūgin senkyo de, Hirei daihyō dewa dono seitō ni tōhyō shimashita ka? Tsugi no naka kara hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai.	F26: Which party did you vote for in the last Japanese House of Representatives election, under the proportional representation system? Circle one figure only.
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Jimin tō	1. Liberal Democratic Party
	2. Minshu tō	2. The Democratic Party of Japan
	3. Ishin no tō	3. Japan Innovation Party
	4. Kōmei tō	4. Komeito
	5. Jisedai no tō	5. The Party for Future Generations
	6. Kyōsan tō	6. Japanese Communist Party
	7. Seikatsu no tō	7. The People's Life Party
	8. Shamin tō	8. Social Democratic Party
	9. Shintō kaikaku	9. New Renaissance Party
	10. Kōfuku jitsugen tō	10. The Happiness Realization Party
	11. Shijiseitō nashi to iu namae no seiji dantai	11. Shijiseitō nashi
	12. Sono ta no seitō	12. Other Party
	(13.) Mukaitō	(13.) No answer
	(14.) Higaitō	(14.) NAP
<i>Interviewer Instructions</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F26: To be answered by those who chose 1 in F25

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	➔ PARTY_LR
If F26=6 then PARTY_LR=1	1. Far left (communist, etc.)
If F26=8 then PARTY_LR=2	2. Left / centre left
If F26=2,4,7 then PARTY_LR=3	3. Centre / liberal
If F26=1,3,5 then PARTY_LR=4	4. Right / conservative
-not used-	5. Far right (fascist, etc.)
If F26=9,10,11,12 then PARTY_LR=6	6. Other
-not used-	96. Invalid ballot
-not used-	97. Refused
-not used-	98. Insufficient information to code into scheme
If F26=13 then PARTY_LR=99	99. No answer
If F26=14 then PARTY_LR=00	0. NAP (0, 2, 7 in VOTE_LE)

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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nat_ETHN1 – Country-specific: ethnic group 1

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F27: Anata wa Nihon kokuseki o omochi desu ka?	F27: Are you a citizen of Japan?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Hai	1. Yes
	2. Iie	2. No
	(3.) Mukaitō	(3.) No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F27: ask all

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→ ETHN1
If F27=1 then ETHN1=1	1. Japan, Japanese
If F27=2 then ETHN1=2	2. Other
-not used-	97. Refused
-not used-	98. Don't know
If F27=3 then ETHN1=99	99. No answer
-not used-	00 NAP, other countries

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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nat_ETHN2 – Country-specific: ethnic group 2

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F28: Soredewa kokuseki dewa naku minzoku de kangaeru to, anata wa nihon minzoku desu ka? Soretomo betsu no minzoku desu ka? Atehamaru bangō ni hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai.	F28: Indicate which of the following ethnic group you consider yourself to belong to. Circle one figure only.
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Nihon minzoku	1. Japan, Japanese
	2. Betsu no minzoku (gutaiteki ni ____)	2. Other (please specify)
	3. Wakara nai	3. I don't know
	(4.) Mukaitō	(4.) No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F28: ask all

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→nat_ETHN2
If F28=1 then ETHN2=1	1. Japan, Japanese
If F28=2 then ETHN2=2	2. Other
-not used-	97. Refused
If F28=3 then ETHN2=98	98. Don't know
If F28=4 then ETHN2=99	99. No answer
-not used-	00. NAP, other countries

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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HOMPOP - How many persons in household

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F29: Anata gojishin mo fukumete, issho ni seikatsu shite iru kata ha nan nin desu ka? Gōkei ninzū:	F29: Including yourself, how many people usually live in your household? Total:
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	(99.) Mukaitō	(99.) No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F29: ask all

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→ HOMPOP
-not used-	00. Not a private household
If F29TOTAL=1 then HOMPOP=1	01. One person (only respondent)
	...
If F29TOTAL=99 then HOMPOP=99	99. No answer

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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HHCHILDR - How many children in household

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F29: Anata gojishin mo fukumete, issho ni seikatsu shite iru kata wa nan nin desu ka? 6 sai ijō 17 sai ika :	F29: Including yourself, how many people usually live in your household? 6 years to 17 years of age:
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	(99.) Mukaitō	(99.) No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F29: ask all

Construction/Recoding: (list lowest, highest, and ‘missing’ codes only, replace terms in [square brackets] with real numbers.)

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→ HHCHILDR
If F29CHILD=0 then HHCHILDR=0	00. No children
If F29CHILD=1 then HHCHILDR=1	01. One child
	...
	96. NAP (Code 0 in HOMPOP)
If F29CHILD=99 then HHCHILDR=99	99. No answer

Optional: Recoding Syntax

HHTODD - How many toddlers in household

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F29: Anata gojishin mo fukumete, issho ni seikatsu shite iru kata wa nan nin desu ka? 5 sai ika:	F29: Including yourself, how many people usually live in your household? Up to the age of 5 years:
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	(99.) Mukaitō	(99.) No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F29: ask all

Construction/Recoding: (list lowest, highest, and ‘missing’ codes only, replace terms in [square brackets] with real numbers.)

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→ HHTODD
If F29TODD=0 then HH TODD=0	00. No toddlers
If F29TODD =1 then HH TODD=1	01. One toddler
	...
	96. NAP (Code 0 in HOMPOP)
If F29TODD=99 then HHTODD=99	99: No answer

Optional: Recoding Syntax

nat_RINC – Country-specific: personal income

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F32: Dewa, Anata gojishin no kyonen 1 nenkan no shūnyū wa zeikomi de ikura deshita ka? Rinji shūnyū, fuku shūnyū o fukumete, atehamaru bangō ni hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai.	F32: How much income did you earn last year, inclusive of tax, and including any casual and part-time income? Circle one figure only.
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. 100 man en miman	1. Less than 1 million yen
	2. 100-200 man en miman	2. 1 million - less than 2 million yen
	3. 200-300 man en miman	3. 2 million - less than 3 million yen
	4. 300-400 man en miman	4. 3 million - less than 4 million yen
	5. 400-500 man en miman	5. 4 million - less than 5 million yen
	6. 500-600 man en miman	6. 5 million - less than 6 million yen
	7. 600-700 man en miman	7. 6 million - less than 7 million yen
	8. 700-800 man en miman	8. 7 million - less than 8 million yen
	9. 800-900 man en miman	9. 8 million - less than 9 million yen
	10. 900-1,000 man en miman	10. 9 million - less than 10 million yen
	11. 1,000-1,200 man en miman	11. 10 million - less than 12 million yen
	12. 1,200-1,500 man en miman	12. 12 million - less than 15 million yen
	13. 1,500 man en ijō	13. 15 million yen or more
	14. Shūnyū nashi	14. No income
	(15.) Mukaitō	(15.) No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>	Please enter name of the currency: yen	

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F32: ask all

Construction/Recoding: (If the income information is collected by asking for income classes or brackets, please code class midpoints in local currency and report classes offered to respondents. If asking for individual amounts, list lowest, highest, and ‘missing’ codes only)

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→nat_RINC
If F32 = 1	500000 (0.5 million yen)
If F32 = 2	1500000 (1.5 million yen)
If F32 = 3	2500000 (2.5 million yen)
If F32 = 4	3500000 (3.5 million yen)
If F32 = 5	4500000 (4.5 million yen)
If F32 = 6	5500000 (5.5 million yen)
If F32 = 7	6500000 (6.5 million yen)
If F32 = 8	7500000 (7.5 million yen)
If F32 = 9	8500000 (8.5 million yen)
If F32 = 10	9500000 (9.5 million yen)
If F32 = 11	11000000 (11 million yen)
If F32 = 12	13500000 (13.5 million yen)

If F32 = 13	20000000 (20 million yen)
If F32 = 14 (no income)	0. No own income,
- not used-	99999990. NAP, all other countries
- not used -	99999997. Refused
- not used -	99999998. Don't know
If F32 = 15	99999999. No Answer

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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nat_INC – Country-specific: household income

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F31: Anata no gokatei no kyonen 1 nenkan no shūnyū wa zeikomi de ikura deshita ka? Rinji shūnyū, fuku shūnyū, issho ni seikatsu site iru kata no syūnyū o fukumete, atehamaru bangō ni hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai.	F31: How much income did your household earn last year, inclusive of tax, and including any casual and part-time income? Circle one figure only.
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. 200 man en miman	1. Less than 2 million yen
	2. 200-300 man en miman	2. 2 million - less than 3 million yen
	3. 300-400 man en miman	3. 3 million - less than 4 million yen
	4. 400-500 man en miman	4. 4 million - less than 5 million yen
	5. 500-600 man en miman	5. 5 million - less than 6 million yen
	6. 600-700 man en miman	6. 6 million - less than 7 million yen
	7. 700-800 man en miman	7. 7 million - less than 8 million yen
	8. 800-900 man en miman	8. 8 million - less than 9 million yen
	9. 900-1,000 man en miman	9. 9 million - less than 10 million yen
	10. 1,000-1,200 man en miman	10. 10 million - less than 12 million yen
	11. 1,200-1,500 man en miman	11. 12 million - less than 15 million yen
	12. 1,500 man en ijō	12. 15 million yen or more
	(13.) Mukaitō	(13.) No Answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>	Please enter name of the currency: yen	

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F31: To be answered by those whose $HOMPOP \geq 2$ ($F29TOTAL \geq 2$)
If $HOMPOP < 2$, then $JP_RINC = JP_INC$

Construction/Recoding: (If the income information is collected by asking for income classes or brackets, please code class midpoints in local currency and report classes offered to respondents. If asking for individual amounts, list lowest, highest, and ‘missing’ codes only)

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→nat_INC
If F31 = 1	1000000 (1 million yen)
If F31 = 2	2500000 (2.5 million yen)
If F31 = 3	3500000 (3.5 million yen)
If F31 = 4	4500000 (4.5 million yen)
If F31 = 5	5500000 (5.5 million yen)
If F31 = 6	6500000 (6.5 million yen)
If F31 = 7	7500000 (7.5 million yen)
If F31 = 8	8500000 (8.5 million yen)
If F31 = 9	9500000 (9.5 million yen)
If F31 = 10	11000000 (11 million yen)
If F31 = 11	13500000 (13.5 million yen)
If F31 = 12	20000000 (20 million yen)

- not used -	0. No income
- not used-	99999990. NAP, all other countries
- not used -	99999997. Refused
- not used -	99999998. Don't know
If F31 = 13	99999999. No Answer

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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MARITAL – Legal partnership status

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F33: Anata wa kekkon shite imasu ka? Atehamaru bangō ni hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai.	F33: What is your current legal marital status? Circle one figure only.
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Kekkōn shite iru	1. Married
	2. Kekkōn shite iru ga, bekkyō chū de aru	2. Separated from spouse/civil partner (still legally married/still legally in a civil partnership)
	3. Kekkōn shita ga, ribetsu shita	3. Divorced from spouse/legally separated from civil partner
	4. Kekkōn shita ga, haigūsha ga shibō shita	4. Widowed/civil partner died
	5. Kekkōn shita koto wa nai	5. Never married/never in a civil partnership
	(6.) Mukaitō	(6.) No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	➔ Marital
If F33=1 then MARITAL=1	1. Married
-not used-	2. Civil partnership
If F33=2 then MARITAL=3	3. Separated from spouse/civil partner (still legally married/still legally in a civil partnership)
If F33=3 then MARITAL=4	4. Divorced from spouse/legally separated from civil partner
If F33=4 then MARITAL=5	5. Widowed/civil partner died
If F33=5 then MARITAL=6	6. Never married/never in a civil partnership
-not used-	7. Refused
If F33=6 then MARITAL=9	9. No answer

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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F_BORN – Father's country of birth

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F34: Anata no chichioya ga umareta no wa, dono kuni desu ka? Atehamaru bangō ni hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai. * Nihon igai no bāi wa, gutaiteki ni kinyū shite kudasai.	F34: In which country was your father born?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Nihon	1. Japan
	2. Nihon igai no kuni (gutaiteki ni ____)	2. Other country (please specify)
	3. Wakara nai	3. I don't know
	(4.) Mukaitō	(4.) No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F34: ask all

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→F_BORN
If F34=1 then F_BORN=392	392. Japan
If F34=2 and specific country written, then F_BORN=country code	Country code
If F34=2 and no specific country written, then F_BORN=998	998. Don't know
If F34=3 then F_BORN=998	998. Don't know
-not used-	997. Refused
If F34=4 then F_BORN=999	999. No answer

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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M_BORN – Mother's country of birth

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F35: Soredewa, Anata no hahaoya ga umareta no wa, dono kuni desuka? Atehamaru bangō ni hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai. * Nihon igai no bāi wa, gutaiteki ni kinyū shite kudasai.	F35: In which country was your mother born?
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Nihon	1. Japan
	2. Nihon igai no kuni (gutaiteki ni ____)	2. Other country (please specify)
	3. Wakara nai	3. I don't know
	(4.)Mukaitō	(4.) No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F35: ask all

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→M_BORN
If F35=1 then M_BORN=392	392. Japan
If F35=2 and specific country written, then M_BORN=country code	Country code
If F35=2 and no specific country written, then M_BORN=998	998. Don't know
If F35=3 then M_BORN=998	998. Don't know
-not used-	997. Refused
If F35=4 then M_BORN=999	999. No answer

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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URBRURAL – Place of living: urban - rural

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>	F36: Anata ga genzai osumai ni natte iru no wa don'na tokoro desu ka? Atehamaru bangō ni hitotsu dake maru o tsukete kudasai.	F36: What kind of community do you currently live in? Circle one figure only.
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Daitoshi	1. Large city
	2. Daitoshi no kōgai mata wa kinkō	2. Suburbs or outskirts of a large city
	3. Chihō no chūshō toshi	3. Regional city
	4. Chihō no chōson	4. Regional town/village
	5. Jinka ga mabara na nōsan gyoson	5. House in rural area
	(6.) Mukaitō	(6.) No answer
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

F36: ask all

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→ URBRURAL
If F36 = 1 then URBRURAL = 1	1. A big city
If F36 = 2 then URBRURAL = 2	2. The suburbs or outskirts of a big city
If F36 = 3 then URBRURAL = 3	3. A town or a small city
If F36 = 4 then URBRURAL = 4	4. A country village
If F36 = 5 then URBRURAL = 5	5. A farm or home in the country
If F36 = 6 then URBRURAL = 9	9. No answer

Optional: Recoding Syntax

nat_REG – Country specific: region

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>		
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>	1. Hokkaidō	1. Hokkaidō
	2. Tōhoku	2. Tōhoku
	3. Kantō	3. Kantō
	4. Kōshin'etsu	4. Kōshin'etsu
	5. Tōkai,Hokuriku	5. Tōkai,Hokuriku
	6. Kinki	6. Kinki
	7. Chūgoku	7. Chūgoku
	8. Shikoku	8. Shikoku
	9. Kyūshū	9. Kyūshū
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>	Variable derived from the Basic Resident Register	

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

Variable derived from the Basic Resident Register

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	➔ nat_REG
	1. Hokkaidō
	2. Tōhoku
	3. Kantō
	4. Kōshin'etsu
	5. Tōkai,Hokuriku
	6. Kinki
	7. Chūgoku
	8. Shikoku
	9. Kyūshū
-not used-	9999. No Answer
-not used-	0. NAP other countries

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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SUBSCASE – Case substitution flag

	National Language	English Translation
<i>Question no. and text</i>		
<i>Codes/ Categories</i>		
<i>Interviewer Instruction</i>		
<i>Translation Note</i>		
<i>Note</i>		

Filter Variable(s) and Conditions:

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Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	➔ SUBSCASE
	0. NAP, no substitution in this survey
	1. Case from original sample
	2. Case substituted

Optional: Recoding Syntax

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WEIGHT – Weighting factor

Please report on whether you calculate any weighting variables. If you adjust for non-response bias, please enter the variable(s) on which the sample's distribution(s) is (are) adjusted to the population distribution(s). Please, also report if you apply any kind of rescaling.

<i>Design weight to adjust for unequal selection probabilities</i>	No	[<input type="radio"/>]
	Yes	[]
<i>Weight to adjust for non-response bias</i>	No	[<input type="radio"/>]
	Yes	[] → please specify variables used for calculation of weight _____
<i>Are the final weights rescaled to net sample size (thus weighted sample size=unweighted sample size)?</i>	No	[] → please specify target population represented by sum of all case weights _____
	Yes	[]
<i>Note</i>		

Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	→ WEIGHT
	1. No weighting

MODE – Administrative mode of data-collection

<i>Note</i>	
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Construction/Recoding:

Country Variable Codes/Construction Rules	➔ Mode
	10. F2f/PAPI, no visuals
	11. F2f/PAPI, visuals
	12. F2f/PAPI, respondent reading questionnaire
	13. F2f/PAPI, interpreter or translator – no visuals
	14. F2f/PAPI, interpreter or translator – visuals
	20. CAPI, no visuals
	21. CAPI, visuals
	22. CAPI, respondent reading questionnaire (paper or on monitor)
	23. CAPI, interpreter or translator – no visuals
	24. CAPI, interpreter or translator – visuals
	30. SC, arrives with interviewer, interviewer attending
All 31	31. SC, arrives with interviewer, drops-off, picks up later
	32. SC, arrives with interviewer, drops off, mailed back by R
	33. SC, mailed to, completed by R and hold for pick up
	34. SC, mailed to, mailed back by R
	40. CASI, self-completion, computer-assisted
	41. Self-completion, web questionnaire
	52. CAPI, phone
	60. CATI, computer assisted telephone interview

The Japanese survey was conducted by using the “drop-off /pick-up” method. The questionnaires were handed to the respondents either on October 24 or 25, and were asked to fill them in within a week. Then the filled in questionnaires were picked up from October 26 to November 1.

Since there is no information regarding exactly on what day the respondents filled in the questionnaire, the codes were unified as ‘November 1’, the date of the final pick up.