

International Social Science Survey / Australia

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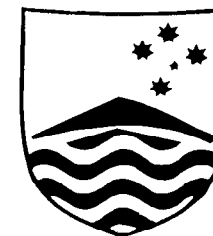
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How to fill out this questionnaire

>> In this survey we are interested in your own opinions -- about politics, social issues, your family and other things that affect our way of life in Australia.

>> To answer most questions you need only **circle a number**. For example:

Do you think the government in Canberra is doing a good job or a poor job?

A very good job 1

A fairly good job 2

A poor job 3

A very poor job 4

If you think they
are doing a fairly
good job, circle "2"

>> Please read each question carefully. Remember there are no right or wrong answers - we just want to know your **own** personal opinion.

>> Enjoy the questionnaire. And thank you very much for helping!

International questions

>> These questions are being asked by the International Social Survey Programme in 22 nations throughout the world. They are important and we think you will find them interesting.

1. How close -- how emotionally attached -- do you feel to ...

a. Your neighbourhood?

Very close 1
Close 2
Not very close 3
Not close at all 4
(can't choose)

b. Your town or city -- how close do you feel?

Very close 1
Close 2
Not very close 3
Not close at all 4
(can't choose)

c. Your state -- how close?

Very close 1
Close 2
Not very close 3
Not close at all 4
(can't choose)

d. Australia -- how close, how emotionally attached to Australia?

Very close 1
Close 2
Not very close 3
Not close at all 4
(can't choose)

e. The South Pacific region?

Very close 1
Close 2
Not very close 3
Not close at all 4
(can't choose)

2. If you could improve your work or living conditions, how willing or unwilling would you be to ...

a. Move to another neighbourhood?

Very willing 1
Willing 2
Neither willing nor unwilling 3
Fairly unwilling 4
Very unwilling 5
(can't choose)

b. Move to another town or city in your state -- if you could improve your work or living conditions, how willing or unwilling would you be to move?

Very willing1
Willing.....2
Neither willing nor unwilling3
Fairly unwilling4
Very unwilling5
(can't choose)

c. Move to another state -- willing?

Very willing1
Willing.....2
Neither willing nor unwilling3
Fairly unwilling4
Very unwilling5
(can't choose)

d. Move outside Australia?

Very willing1
Willing.....2
Neither willing nor unwilling3
Fairly unwilling4
Very unwilling5
(can't choose)

e. Move outside the South Pacific region?

Very willing1
Willing.....2
Neither willing nor unwilling3
Fairly unwilling4
Very unwilling5
(can't choose)

3. Which of these comes closer to your own view? (Choose one only)

It is essential that Australia remains one country.....1
OR Parts of Australia should be allowed to become fully separate
countries if they choose to2
(can't choose)

4. Some people say the following things are important for being truly Australian. Others say they are not important. How important do you think each of the following is...

| | IMPORTANCE | | | |
|--|------------|--------|----------|------------|
| | Very | Fairly | Not very | Not at all |
| a. Being born in Australia?..... | Very | Fairly | Not very | Not at all |
| b. Having Australian citizenship?..... | Very | Fairly | Not very | Not at all |
| c. Having lived in Australia most of one's life?..... | Very | Fairly | Not very | Not at all |
| d. Being able to speak English, is that important for being truly Australian?..... | Very | Fairly | Not very | Not at all |
| e. And being a Christian? | Very | Fairly | Not very | Not at all |
| f. Respecting Australia's political institutions and laws?..... | Very | Fairly | Not very | Not at all |
| g. Feeling Australian?..... | Very | Fairly | Not very | Not at all |

5. How much do you agree or disagree with the following statements ...

Yes!! -- Strongly agree
Yes -- Agree
?? -- Neither agree nor disagree
No -- Disagree
No!! -- Strongly disagree
- -- (can't choose)

- a. I would rather be a citizen of Australia than of any other country in the world..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!! -
- b. There are some things about Australia today that make me feel ashamed of Australia..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!! -
- c. The world would be a better place if people from other countries were more like Australians..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!! -
- d. Generally speaking, Australia is a much better country than most other countries..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!! -
- e. People should support their country even if the country is in the wrong..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!! -
- f. When my country does well in international sports it makes me proud to be Australian..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!! -

6. How proud are you of Australia in each of the following ...

Proud!! -- Very proud
Proud -- Proud
Not -- Not very proud
Not!! -- Not proud at all
- -- (can't choose)

- a. Proud of the way democracy works?..... Proud!! Proud Not Not!! -
- b. Its political influence in the world?..... Proud!! Proud Not Not!! -
- c. Australia's economic achievements?..... Proud!! Proud Not Not!! -
- d. Its social security system?..... Proud!! Proud Not Not!! -
- e. Proud of Australia's scientific and technological achievements?..... Proud!! Proud Not Not!! -
- f. Its achievements in sports?..... Proud!! Proud Not Not!! -
- g. Its achievements in the arts and literature?..... Proud!! Proud Not Not!! -
- h. Australia's armed forces?..... Proud!! Proud Not Not!! -
- i. Its history?..... Proud!! Proud Not Not!! -
- j. Its fair and equal treatment of all groups in society?..... Proud!! Proud Not Not!! -

7. Now we would like to ask a few questions about relations between Australia and other countries. How much do you agree or disagree with the following statements ...

- a. Australia should limit the import of foreign products in order to protect its national economy..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!! -
- b. For certain problems, like environmental pollution, international bodies should have the right to enforce solutions Yes!! Yes ?? No No!! -
- c. Australian schools should make much more effort to teach foreign languages properly..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!! -
- d. Australia should follow its own interests, even if this leads to conflicts with other nations..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!! -
- e. Foreigners should not be allowed to buy land in Australia..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!! -
- f. Australian television should give preferential treatment to Australian films and programmes Yes!! Yes ?? No No!! -

8. Now we would like to ask a few questions about minorities in Australia. How much do you agree or disagree with the following statements ...

- a. It is impossible for people who do not share Australian customs and traditions to become fully Australian..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!! -
- b. Ethnic minorities should be given government assistance to preserve their customs and traditions .. Yes!! Yes ?? No No!! -

9. Some people say that it is better for a country if different racial and ethnic groups maintain their distinct customs and traditions. Others say that it is better if these groups adapt and blend into the larger society. Which of these views comes closer to your own? (Choose one only.)

- It is better for society if groups maintain their distinct traditions and customs.....1
- OR It is better if groups adapt and blend into the larger society.....2
- (can't choose)

10. There are different opinions about immigrants from other countries living in Australia. (By "immigrants" we mean people who come to settle in Australia.) How much do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements ...

- a. Immigrants increase crime rates Yes!! Yes ?? No No!! -
- b. Immigrants are generally good for Australia's economy?..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!! -
- c. Immigrants take jobs away from people who were born in Australia Yes!! Yes ?? No No!! -
- d. Immigrants make Australia more open to new ideas and cultures Yes!! Yes ?? No No!! -

11. Do you think the number of immigrants to Australia nowadays should be ...

- Increased a lot.....1
- Increased a little.....2
- Remain the same as it is.....3
- Reduced a little.....4
- Reduced a lot.....5
- (can't choose)

12. How much do you agree or disagree that refugees who have suffered political repression in their home country should be allowed to stay in Australia?

- Strongly agree1
- Agree.....2
- Neither agree nor disagree3
- Disagree.....4
- Strongly disagree.....5
- (can't choose)

13. Where did you spend most of your childhood (until age 16)?

- In this town or city1
- In a different town or city in this state2
- In a different state in Australia3
- Outside Australia4

14. How long have you lived in the town or city where you live now?.....

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|--|--|

years

Less than 1 year 98

15. About how long altogether have you lived in other countries?

- Never lived in other countries1
- Less than one year in all.....2
- One to 4 years in all3
- Five years or longer4

16. What languages do you speak at home?
And what other languages do you speak well?
(Circle all that apply)

- English.....
- Italian.....
- Greek.....
- Serbian.....
- Croatian.....
- German.....
- Cantonese or Mandarin.....
- Vietnamese.....
- Arabic.....
- Other: (Please write).....

AT HOME

SPEAK WELL

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- 02
- 03
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- 06
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- 08
- 09

- 01
- 02
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- 08
- 09

17a. Are you a citizen of Australia?..... Yes No

b. At the time of your birth were both, one, or neither of your parents citizens of Australia?

- Both were citizens of Australia.....1
- Only father was a citizen of Australia.....2
- Only mother was a citizen of Australia.....3
- Neither parent was a citizen of Australia.....4

18. Did you ever **miss out** on a job because of ...

| | MISS OUT? | | | | |
|---|-----------|-----|----|----|------|
| a. Your ethnic origins -- the country you or your ancestors came from, or your race?..... | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |
| b. Your gender -- being a man or a woman?..... | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |
| c. Because you are a smoker or a non-smoker?..... | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |
| d. Miss out on a job because you are heterosexual (straight) or homosexual (gay)?..... | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |

19. Did you ever **get** a job because of ...

| | GET A JOB? | | | | |
|--|------------|-----|----|----|------|
| a. Your ethnic origins?..... | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |
| b. Your gender?..... | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |
| c. Because you are a smoker or a non-smoker?..... | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |
| d. Get a job because you are heterosexual (straight) or homosexual (gay)?..... | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |

20. Compared to equally educated, experienced and diligent Australian-born ...

| | | | | | |
|--|----------|--------|------|-------|---------|
| a. Are migrants' job opportunities | Better!! | Better | Same | Worse | Worse!! |
| b. Are migrants' promotion prospects..... | Better!! | Better | Same | Worse | Worse!! |
| c. And migrants' income opportunities..... | Better!! | Better | Same | Worse | Worse!! |

21. Compared to men who are equally educated, experienced, and diligent...

| | | | | | |
|---|----------|--------|------|-------|---------|
| a. Are women's job opportunities..... | Better!! | Better | Same | Worse | Worse!! |
| b. Are women's promotion prospects | Better!! | Better | Same | Worse | Worse!! |
| c. And women's income opportunities | Better!! | Better | Same | Worse | Worse!! |

22. Compared to straight men who are equally educated, experienced, and diligent...

| | | | | | |
|---|----------|--------|------|-------|---------|
| a. Are homosexuals' job opportunities..... | Better!! | Better | Same | Worse | Worse!! |
| b. Are homosexuals' promotion prospects | Better!! | Better | Same | Worse | Worse!! |
| c. And homosexuals' income opportunities ... | Better!! | Better | Same | Worse | Worse!! |

23. Compared to smokers who are equally educated, experienced, and diligent...

| | | | | | |
|---|----------|--------|------|-------|---------|
| a. Are non-smokers' job opportunities..... | Better!! | Better | Same | Worse | Worse!! |
| b. Are non-smokers' promotion prospects | Better!! | Better | Same | Worse | Worse!! |
| c. And non-smokers' income opportunities ... | Better!! | Better | Same | Worse | Worse!! |

24. If a native-born Australian and a migrant both applied for a job, which would **you** hire if you had the choice?

- Definitely the Australian 1
Probably the Australian 2
Both would have an equal chance..... 3
Probably the migrant 4
Definitely the migrant 5

25. If a migrant and someone born in Australia both apply for a job, the Australian should be given preferential treatment.....

Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

26. If two equally qualified people apply for a job, who should get it ...

| | Hetero- sexual!! | Hetero- sexual | Equal | Homo- sexual | Homo- sexual!! |
|---|---------------------|-------------------|-------|-----------------|-------------------|
| a. A heterosexual man or a homosexual?.... | | | | | |
| b. A woman or a man?..... | Woman!! | Woman | Equal | Man | Man!! |
| c. A migrant or an Australian-born person?..... | Migrant!! | Migrant | Equal | Aussie | Aussie!! |
| d. A smoker or a non-smoker?..... | Smoker!! | Smoker | Equal | Non-smoker | Non-smoker!! |

27. In hiring and promotions, should preferential treatment be given to ...

| | | | | | |
|--|-------|-----|----|----|------|
| a. Australian-born people? | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |
| b. Women -- preferential treatment?..... | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |
| c. Heterosexuals?..... | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |
| d. Non-smokers?..... | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |

28a. If a close relative of yours was going to marry an Vietnamese migrant, would you feel uneasy?.....

| | | | | | |
|---|-------|-----|----|----|------|
| b. Uneasy about a British migrant?..... | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |
| c. Uneasy if they wanted to marry a smoker?..... | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |
| d. Uneasy if a close relative wanted to live in a homosexual relationship?..... | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |

29. If the government passed laws to **increase opportunities** in business and industry for ...

| | YOUR FAMILY'S INCOME | | | | |
|---|----------------------|----|------|------|--------|
| a. Women -- would your family's income go up or go down?..... | Up!! | Up | Same | Down | Down!! |
| b. Migrants -- would your family's income go | Up!! | Up | Same | Down | Down!! |
| c. Non-smokers -- would your family's income go up or go down?..... | Up!! | Up | Same | Down | Down!! |
| d. Homosexuals (gays) -- would your family's income go up or down?..... | Up!! | Up | Same | Down | Down!! |

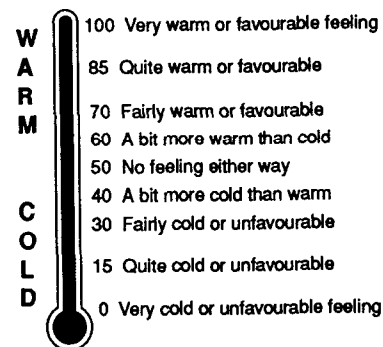
30. If the government passed laws giving **preferential treatment** when applying for jobs and promotions to ...

| | | | | | |
|---|------|----|------|------|--------|
| a. Australian-born people -- would your family's income go up or down?..... | Up!! | Up | Same | Down | Down!! |
| b. Women -- would preferential treatment for women make your family's income go | Up!! | Up | Same | Down | Down!! |
| c. Non-smokers -- would your family income go.. | Up!! | Up | Same | Down | Down!! |
| d. Heterosexuals (straights) | Up!! | Up | Same | Down | Down!! |

Now a different kind of question ...

You probably feel favourable about some people or groups and unfavourable about others. Please show your feelings with this 'feeling thermometer'-- use any number from 0 to 100 for a rating. 100 is the highest, for people you feel very warm or favourable about, and 0 is the lowest, for people you feel very strongly against. If you are neutral, neither for nor against, give a rating of 50.

>> If you have no opinion, or never heard of someone, just leave their space blank.



1. First, some Australian politicians. How do you feel about...

PLEASE WRITE A NUMBER IN THE BOX

- a. Paul Keating?
- b. John Howard?
- c. Peter Costello?
- d. Carmen Lawrence?
- e. Tim Fischer -- how do you feel about him?
- f. Alexander Downer?
- g. Cheryl Kernot?
- h. Bob Hawke?
- i. John Hewson -- how do you feel about him?
- j. Kim Beazley?
- k. Simon Crean?
- l. Andrew Peacock?

2. Next, how would you rate ...

- a. The Liberal Party?
- b. The Labor Party?
- c. The National (Country) Party?
- d. The Australian Democrats?

3. Still using the thermometer, how would you rate ...

- a. The Greens?
- b. The federal parliament in Canberra?
- c. Australian big business?
- d. Multinational corporations?
- e. Trade unions?
- f. Business associations?
- g. Political parties?

4. How about ...

- a. "God Save The Queen"?
- b. "Waltzing Matilda"?
- c. "Advance Australia Fair"?
- d. Sydney's Gay and Lesbian Mardi Gras?
- e. Consumer groups?
- f. Local community groups?
- g. Environmental groups?

5. Still using the thermometer, how would you rate ...

- a. Italian migrants?
- b. British migrants?
- c. Migrants from Greece?
- d. Vietnamese migrants?
- e. Lebanese migrants?
- f. Chinese migrants?
- g. Migrants from India?

6. What about ...

- a. People who smoke 3 or 4 cigarettes a day?
- b. Heavy-smokers?
- c. People who smoke in restaurants?
- d. Environmentalists -- how would you rate them?
- e. Aborigines?

7. Still using the thermometer, how would you rate ...

- a. Homosexuals (gays)?
- b. Heroin addicts?

8. How about ...

- a. Feminists?
- b. Australians?
- c. Poor people?
- d. Middle income people?
- e. Prosperous people?
- f. The Queen?
- g. Britain?
- h. An Australian republic?
- i. Stiffer sentences for people who break the law?
- j. The death penalty for people convicted of murder?

9. Still using the thermometer, how would you rate ...

- a. Equal opportunities for everyone to get ahead in life according to their efforts and abilities?
- b. Equal outcomes, so everyone gets the same income and standard of living, regardless of their abilities or how hard they work?
- c. How would you rate **applied** social research that tries to discover how to deal with problems like poverty, crime, and drug addiction?
- d. **Basic** social research that helps understand the causes of poverty, crime, and drug addiction?
- e. Mothers with babies keeping house full-time?
- f. Part-time jobs for mothers with babies?
- g. Full-time jobs for mothers with babies?

10. And how do you feel about ...

- a. Your standard of living?
- b. Your job?
- c. Your life as a whole?

Religion

1. Which comes **closest** to what you believe about God? (Please give only one answer).

- I know God really exists and I have no doubts about it 1
- While I have doubts, I feel that I do believe in God 2
- I find myself believing in God some of the time, but not at other times 3
- I don't believe in a personal God, but I do believe in a higher power 4
- I don't know whether there is a God and I don't believe there is any way to find out 5
- I don't believe in God 6

2a. Do you believe in life after death? Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

b. And do you believe in heaven? Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

c. Hell? Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

d. And do you believe in the devil? Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

3. In what religion were you raised? And now?

| | RAISED | NOW |
|----------------------------|--------|-----|
| Catholic | 01 | 01 |
| Anglican (C of E) | 03 | 03 |
| Greek Orthodox | 04 | 04 |
| Presbyterian | 06 | 06 |
| Uniting Church | 07 | 07 |
| Baptist | 09 | 09 |
| Lutheran | 10 | 10 |
| No religion | 21 | 21 |
| Other (Please write) | | |

4. How often did you attend religious services when you were growing up? And now?

| | GROWING UP | NOW |
|-----------------------------|------------|-----|
| Never | 1 | 1 |
| Less than once a year | 2 | 2 |
| About once a year | 3 | 3 |
| Several times a year | 4 | 4 |
| About once a month | 5 | 5 |
| 2 or 3 times a month | 6 | 6 |
| Nearly every week | 7 | 7 |
| Every week | 8 | 8 |
| Nearly every day | 9 | 9 |

5. When you were growing up how often did your parents attend religious services?

| | FATHER | MOTHER |
|-----------------------------|--------|--------|
| Never | 1 | 1 |
| Less than once a year | 2 | 2 |
| About once a year | 3 | 3 |
| Several times a year | 4 | 4 |
| About once a month | 5 | 5 |
| Nearly every week | 7 | 7 |
| Every week | 8 | 8 |
| Nearly every day | 9 | 9 |

Education

1a. First, how much schooling did your mother have?
And your father?

None.....
Only a few years of primary school.....
Finished primary (about 6 years).....
Left school about age 14 or 15.....
A little more than that.....
Finished secondary school (6th form).....
Some further study beyond that.....
University or CAE graduate (BA).....
Higher degree (MA, PhD).....

MOTHER

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FATHER

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b. What sort of school did they mostly attend?

Government (state) school.....
Catholic school.....
Other church related school.....
Private non-denominational school.....

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4

2a. What is the highest grade or year of school **you** have completed?

No formal schooling00
Primary Grade 101
Grade 202
Grade 303
Grade 404
Grade 505
Grade 606
Secondary..... Year 7 (Form 1)07
Year 8 (Form 2)08
Year 9 (Form 3)09
Year 10 (Form 4)10
Year 11 (Form 5)11
Year 12 (Form 6)12

b. What sort of school did you mostly attend?

Government (state) school.....
Catholic school.....
Other church related school.....
Private non-denominational school.....

PRIMARY

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4

SECONDARY

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4

3. How old were you when you first left school?

>> We mean left **full-time** schooling at primary or secondary school

WRITE AGE age

I'm still at school 88

4. Since leaving school have you completed...

CIRCLE ALL THAT APPLY

An apprenticeship, vocational qualification, or basic certificate
(after year 9 or 10 in school)1
An undergraduate Diploma (after year 12)2
A Bachelor Degree at university or CAE3
A higher degree (MA, PhD) or post-graduate diploma4

5a. When you were 14, did you enjoy school?

Very much Some what Not much Not at all

b. If you had stayed on at school to year 12 (Sixth form), do you think you would have enjoyed it? (If you did stay on did you actually enjoy it?)

Very much Some what Not much Not at all

c. And what if you went on to university do you think you would have enjoyed that?

Very much Some what Not much Not at all

6a. How did you do The best student in your year
at school? Far above average
Well above average
Somewhat above average.....
A little above average.....
Just barely above average.....
Average
Just barely below average.....
Somewhat below average.....

SCHOOL

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UNIVERSITY

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b. And what if you went on to university -- just your best guess

7. What is your **highest** qualification? (Either completed or doing now)

a. Qualification Name (For example: trade certificate, diploma in science, B.A.)

Name:

b. Name of Institution (For example: Sydney Technical College, University of W.A.)

Institution:

c. Field of Study (For example: plumbing, computing, geography.)

Field:

d. Is that a trade qualification? Yes No

e. In what year did you begin that course?.....Began: 1 9

f. In what year did you obtain the qualification?.....Finished: 1 9

Still working toward the qualification 97

No qualification..... 98

8a. When you were growing up, how often did your parents help you with your **homework**? Talk to you about your **schooling**? Talk about your **plans** for the future?

HOMEWORK

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SCHOOL

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FUTURE PLANS

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Never.....
Once or twice a year
About once a month.....
About once a week.....
Several times a week.....
Almost every day.....

Other kinds of education

1. Besides your formal education, have you taken other courses since you left school - such as courses at work, courses from Neighbourhood Houses, from adult education centres, private teachers, or whatever -- ones that lasted **at least 8 hours**...

- 1 -- School, university or TAFE
- 2 -- Adult Education Centre, Neighbourhood House or WEA
- 3 -- Business college
- 4 -- "In house", at your workplace
- 5 -- Private teacher or private, profit-making firm
- 6 -- Union or professional association
- 7 -- Charity or volunteer organization e.g. church, hospital, museum
- 8 -- Government department

a. First, craft, cookery, or music courses -- did you do any...

No, none..... NONE
 Yes, courses given by.....
 When were they?
 (Write the year).....

1st course

| | | | |
|----|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 19 | | | |

2nd course

| | | | |
|----|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 19 | | | |

3rd course

| | | | |
|----|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 19 | | | |

b. Health courses?

No, none..... NONE
 Yes, courses given by.....
 When were they?
 (Write the year).....

1st course

| | | | |
|----|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 19 | | | |

2nd course

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|----|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 19 | | | |

3rd course

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|----|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 19 | | | |

c. Computer courses?

No, none..... NONE
 Yes, courses given by.....
 When were they?
 (Write the year).....

1st course

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|----|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 19 | | | |

2nd course

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|----|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 19 | | | |

3rd course

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|----|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 19 | | | |

d. Personal development courses, such as grooming, assertiveness?

No, none..... NONE
 Yes, courses given by.....
 When were they?
 (Write the year).....

1st course

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|----|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 19 | | | |

2nd course

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|----|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
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3rd course

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| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 19 | | | |

e. Adult basic literacy or numeracy courses, or courses to learn English as a second language?

No, none..... NONE
 Yes, courses given by.....
 When were they?
 (Write the year).....

1st course

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|----|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 19 | | | |

2nd course

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|----|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 19 | | | |

3rd course

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|----|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 19 | | | |

- 1 -- School, university or TAFE
- 2 -- Adult Education Centre, Neighbourhood House or WEA
- 3 -- Business college
- 4 -- "In house", at your workplace
- 5 -- Private teacher or private, profit-making firm
- 6 -- Union or professional association
- 7 -- Charity or volunteer organization e.g. church, hospital, museum
- 8 -- Government department

f. Foreign languages courses?

No, none..... NONE
 Yes, courses given by.....
 When were they?
 (Write the year).....

1st course

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|----|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 19 | | | |

2nd course

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|----|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 19 | | | |

3rd course

| | | | |
|----|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 19 | | | |

g. A Higher School Certificate course for early school leavers?

No, none..... NONE
 Yes, courses given by.....
 When were they?
 (Write the year).....

1st course

| | | | |
|----|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 19 | | | |

2nd course

| | | | |
|----|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 19 | | | |

3rd course

| | | | |
|----|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 19 | | | |

h. Courses on philosophy, religion, science, politics or the arts?

No, none..... NONE
 Yes, courses given by.....
 When were they?
 (Write the year).....

1st course

| | | | |
|----|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 19 | | | |

2nd course

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|----|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 19 | | | |

3rd course

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|----|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 19 | | | |

i. On the job training (do not include courses you've already mentioned)?

No, none..... NONE
 Yes, courses given by.....
 When were they?
 (Write the year).....

1st course

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|----|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 19 | | | |

2nd course

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|----|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 19 | | | |

3rd course

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|----|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 19 | | | |

j. Other job training or professional development?

No, none..... NONE
 Yes, courses given by.....
 When were they?
 (Write the year).....

1st course

| | | | |
|----|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 19 | | | |

2nd course

| | | | |
|----|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 19 | | | |

3rd course

| | | | |
|----|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 19 | | | |

k. Any other course at all?

No, none..... NONE
 Yes, courses given by.....
 When were they?
 (Write the year).....

1st course

| | | | |
|----|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 19 | | | |

2nd course

| | | | |
|----|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 19 | | | |

3rd course

| | | | |
|----|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 19 | | | |

Education and pay

1. Nowadays in Australia someone who left school when they were 15, after finishing year nine, earns about \$22,000 a year when they are 30 or 35 years old. Now please think of those who spent longer at school, about how much they **ought** to earn ...

>> We are not asking how much they actually do earn, but how much you think they **ought** to earn.
>> We mean a typical person, someone who is just about as hard working and as smart as others with this much schooling.

- a. How much do you think a 30 year old man who finished year 9 and then did a two year training course at a college of technical and further education (TAFE) should earn?\$ **thousand** per year
- b. And how about a 30 year old who finished secondary school?\$ **thousand** per year
- c. And someone who did a 3 or 4 year university course?\$ **thousand** per year
- d. How about someone who finished a university course and then went on another 3 years to complete a Ph.D. degree -- how much should they earn?\$ **thousand** per year

2a. How much do you think a secretary who finished year 12 should earn when she is around 30 -- a typical secretary?\$ **thousand** per year

- b. And a secretary with the same qualifications who also took a computer course in desk-top publishing before she started working. She studied **full time for 3 months**. With those skills she can easily make booklets, order forms, and instruction manuals, which is a big help to the company. How much should she earn?\$ **thousand** per year
- c. And what if a company gave one of its secretaries 3 months of **paid leave** to take the desk-top publishing course. How much should she earn?\$ **thousand** per year

- 3a. How much should a junior manager earn when he is about 30?\$ **thousand** per year
- b. What about a junior manager with same qualifications who also did a **2 year evening course** in marketing, which helps him do his job better?\$ **thousand** per year
- c. And how about a junior manager who did the same course part time during the day, on **paid leave**?\$ **thousand** per year

Courtship and marriage

- 1a. How old were you when you first began to date?
10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29
30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40 41 42 43 44 45+ Not yet₉₇ Never₉₈

- b. When you first fell in love?
10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29
30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40 41 42 43 44 45+ Not yet₉₇ Never₉₈

- c. And how old were you when you first had sexual intercourse
- | | |
|-------------------------|----------------------|
| Age..... | <input type="text"/> |
| When I got married..... | 96 |
| Not yet..... | 97 |
| Never..... | 98 |

- d. How old when you first moved out of your parents' home for a year or more?
10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29
30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40 41 42 43 44 45+ Not yet₉₇ Never₉₈

- e. And how old when you first lived together with someone in a de facto relationship?
10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29
30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40 41 42 43 44 45+ Not yet₉₇ Never₉₈

- f. Altogether how many people have you had sexual intercourse with in the last five years? >> Don't forget your husband or wife!

Men..... None₉₉ Number

Women..... None₉₉ Number

2. Do you yourself think it is wrong if ...

- 1 -- Absolutely wrong
2 -- Almost always wrong
3 -- Mostly wrong
4 -- Sometimes wrong, sometimes right
5 -- Mostly right
6 -- Almost always right
7 -- Absolutely right

- | | Absolutely wrong | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | Absolutely right |
|---|------------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|------------------|
| a. A man and a woman who are in love have sexual intercourse before marriage? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | | |
| b. And what if they are not in love but do feel great attraction for each other? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | | |
| c. And if they are just casual acquaintances? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | | |
| d. What do you think about sexual intercourse between two men? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | | |
| e. How about between two women? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | | |

- 3a. Are you... Now married.....1
Never married.....2
Widowed.....3
Divorced.....4
Separated.....5

b. Are you now de facto/living together?..... Yes No

c. When did each marriage

begin?.....

>> If none, write NA

d. How did each marriage end?.....

e. When did it end?.....

f. Had you been living together before you married?

- No, never.....1
 Yes, for a few months.....2
 Yes, for about a year.....3
 Yes, for two years or more.....4

g. Before you got married, was your husband or wife.....

| FIRST MARRIAGE | | SECOND MARRIAGE | |
|----------------|------|-----------------|------|
| Month | Year | Month | Year |
| Not ended | | Not ended | |
| Death | | Death | |
| Divorce | | Divorce | |
| Separation | | Separation | |
| Month | Year | Month | Year |
| Divorced | | Divorced | |
| Widowed | | Widowed | |
| Single | | Single | |

4. Who else lives in this house with you...

a. Husband or wife or de facto..... No Yes

b. Children.....

| UNDER 6 YEARS | | | | | AGE 6 TO 17 | | | | | 18 OR OLDER | | | | |
|---------------|---|---|---|----|-------------|---|---|---|----|-------------|---|---|---|----|
| 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4+ | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4+ | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4+ |

c. Your parents, or parents-in-law, or other adults..... 0 1 2 3 4 5+

5. How many children have you ever had?

- a. Children born to you..... 0 1 2 3 4 5 6+
 b. Step-children who lived with you for a year or more..... 0 1 2 3 4 5 6+
 c. Other step-children who visited regularly..... 0 1 2 3 4 5 6+

6. About each child born to you...

| | FIRST CHILD | | SECOND CHILD | | THIRD CHILD | | FOURTH CHILD | |
|-----------------|-------------|------|--------------|------|-------------|------|--------------|------|
| Sex..... | Boy | Girl | Boy | Girl | Boy | Girl | Boy | Girl |
| Month born..... | month | | month | | month | | month | |
| Year born..... | year | | year | | year | | year | |

Your grown children

1. Now some questions about your children **aged 17 or older**...

>> If you have more than three, tell us about the two oldest and one of the others, the one whose name comes first in alphabetical order.

a. Please write their first name, so there is no confusion.....

b. Is this a boy or a girl?.....

c. When was he or she born?.....

d. How much schooling did each get?..

- Some primary school or less.....1
 Finished primary (year 6).....2
 Left school about age 14 or 15.....3
 A little more than that.....4
 Secondary school (6th form).....5
 Some further study beyond that.....6
 University or CAE graduate (BA).....7
 Higher degree (MA, PhD).....8

e. How old was he or she when they first married?.....

f. Has he or she ever been divorced? How old were they then?.....

g. How old was he or she when their first child was born?.....

h. Smoked regularly at age 25?.....

i. What kind of work does he or she do now? What is their occupation?
 >> PLEASE DESCRIBE FULLY, USING TWO WORDS OR MORE (even though there is not much space!)

j. What are some of his or her main duties?

k. What political party does he or she usually support? (Your best guess)

- Liberal Party.....
 Australian Labor Party.....
 National (Country) Party.....

| | OLDEST | SECOND | THIRD |
|---|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| a. Please write their first name, so there is no confusion..... | | | |
| b. Is this a boy or a girl?..... | Boy Girl | Boy Girl | Boy Girl |
| c. When was he or she born?..... | 1 9 year | 1 9 year | 1 9 year |
| d. How much schooling did each get?.. | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 |
| e. How old was he or she when they first married?..... | Not yet or age | Not yet or age | Not yet or age |
| f. Has he or she ever been divorced? How old were they then?..... | No or age | No or age | No or age |
| g. How old was he or she when their first child was born?..... | No child or age | No child or age | No child or age |
| h. Smoked regularly at age 25?..... | Yes No | Yes No | Yes No |
| i. What kind of work does he or she do now? What is their occupation? >> PLEASE DESCRIBE FULLY, USING TWO WORDS OR MORE (even though there is not much space!) | | | |
| j. What are some of his or her main duties? | | | |
| k. What political party does he or she usually support? (Your best guess) | Liberal Labor National | Liberal Labor National | Liberal Labor National |

2. We would very much like to send your grown children a questionnaire like this. If that is OK with you, could you please write in their addresses?

>> It would be a big help if you could do this -- we can learn a lot about Australian families by talking to the whole family!

>> Please write clearly in **BLOCK LETTERS**

OLDEST CHILD

Name

Number & Street

Town

State: NSW Qld SA Tas Vic WA ACT NT

Postcode:

SECOND CHILD

Name

Number & Street

Town

State: NSW Qld SA Tas Vic WA ACT NT

Postcode:

THIRD CHILD

Name

Number & Street

Town

State: NSW Qld SA Tas Vic WA ACT NT

Postcode:

Your husband or wife or de facto

>> If you are widowed, divorced, or separated, please answer these questions for your previous husband or wife.

>> If you have **never** married, please skip this one page of questions.

1a. How old is your husband or wife (or de facto)? age

b. How much schooling did he or she get?

A few years of primary school, or less 1
 Finished primary (about year 6) 2
 Left school about age 14 or 15 3
 A little more than that 4
 Finished secondary school (6th form) 5
 Some further study, beyond that 6
 University (or CAE) graduate (BA) 7
 Higher degree (MA, PhD) or post-grad diploma 8

c. How old when he or she finished their full-time education? age

d. What kind of work does your husband or wife do? (What is the occupation called?)

>> If not now working, describe his or her **last regular job**

>> PLEASE DESCRIBE FULLY, USING 2 WORDS OR MORE

Occupation

e. What are his or her main duties?

Duties

f. What kind of business or industry was that in? What did they do or make at the place where he or she worked?

>> DESCRIBE FULLY, USING TWO WORDS OR MORE (e.g. dairy farming, footwear manufacturing, Commonwealth Government)

Kind of industry

g. Is he or she a trade union member? No Yes

h. Generally speaking, in federal politics does your husband or wife think of himself or herself as...

Liberal Party 1
 Labor Party 2
 National (Country) Party 3
 Other (Specify) 4

Work

1. Nowadays, about how many hours do you usually work for pay in an average week?
And, how many hours of volunteer or charity work?
And your husband or wife?

| | YOU | HUSBAND OR WIFE |
|--|----------------------|----------------------|
| None (not working) | 00 | 00 |
| or | <input type="text"/> | <input type="text"/> |
| NUMBER OF HOURS OF PAID WORK | hours | hours |
| | <input type="text"/> | <input type="text"/> |
| HOURS OF CHARITY WORK | hours | hours |
| | <input type="text"/> | <input type="text"/> |
| 2. Last week what were you doing? (Please circle the first answer that applies). | | |
| Working full-time for pay | Full | Full |
| Working part-time for pay | Part | Part |
| With a job but not at work due to temporary illness, holidays, or strike | Hols | Hols |
| Unemployed, laid off, looking for work | Unemp | Unemp |
| Retired | Retired | Retired |
| At school or university | Uni | Uni |
| Keeping house | Home | Home |
| 3. During the last 12 months, how many weeks were you... | | |
| a. Working for pay (including paid vacation and paid sick leave)? | | |
| All year (52 weeks) | 52 | 52 |
| None (not working) | 00 | 00 |
| or | <input type="text"/> | <input type="text"/> |
| PLEASE WRITE NUMBER OF WEEKS | weeks | weeks |
| b. Unemployed and looking for work? | | |
| None, in the last 12 months | 00 | 00 |
| or | <input type="text"/> | <input type="text"/> |
| PLEASE WRITE NUMBER OF WEEKS | weeks | weeks |
| 4a. Roughly how many <u>years</u> have you worked for pay (for most of the year), either full-time or part-time, since you finished your full-time education? | | |
| None (Never worked for pay) | 00 | 00 |
| Worked every year up to now | 95 | 95 |
| Worked every year to retirement at age 65 | 96 | 96 |
| | <input type="text"/> | <input type="text"/> |
| NUMBER OF YEARS | years | years |
| b. For how many of those years, if any, did you work part-time for most of the year? | | |
| None | 00 | 00 |
| | <input type="text"/> | <input type="text"/> |
| NUMBER OF YEARS PART-TIME | years | years |

Your most recent job

1a. What kind of work do you do? (What is your occupation called?)
 >> If you don't work for pay now, please describe your LAST REGULAR JOB.

>> DESCRIBE FULLY using two words or more (for example: Accounts clerk, Fast food cook, Floor tiler, Extruding machine operator)

>> INCLUDE AWARD OR GOVERNMENT DESIGNATION, if possible.

Occupation _____

b. What are your main tasks? (for example: recording accounts, frying fish and chips, fixing cork tiles, operating plastic extruding machine)

Duties _____

c. How long have you been doing this kind of work?

Less than one year..... **98**

PLEASE WRITE NUMBER OF YEARS.....

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

 years

d. What kind of industry, business, or service is that in? What do they do or make at the place where you work?

>> DESCRIBE FULLY, using two words or more (e.g. dairy farming, footwear manufacturing, Commonwealth Government).

Kind of Industry _____

2a. Do you have a supervisor to whom you are directly responsible?

No.....1
Yes.....2

b. Does *that* person have a supervisor?..... Yes No

3. Is your job... **PLEASE CIRCLE A NUMBER**

High prestige..... 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 Low prestige

Gets much respect
from others 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 Gets little respect

| Well regarded by the public..... | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | Not regarded highly by others |
|----------------------------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---------------------------------------|
|----------------------------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---------------------------------------|

Greatly esteemed 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 Gets no respect

4. How much do you usually earn from that job each week? And how much did you earn from your main job a year ago?

>> If you have your own business or farm, please give income after deducting expenses
>> Do not deduct tax, superannuation, or health insurance
>> If not working now, say how much you used to earn

| | PAY NOW | A YEAR AGO |
|--|------------|---------------|
| None..... | 01 | 01 |
| \$1 to \$58 per week (\$1 to \$3,000 per year)..... | 02 | 02 |
| \$58 to \$96 per week (\$3,001 to \$5,000 per year)..... | 03 | 03 |
| \$96 to \$192 per week (\$5,001 to \$10,000 per year)..... | 04 | 04 |
| \$192 to \$288 per week (\$10,001 to \$15,000 per year)..... | 05 | 05 |
| \$288 to \$385 per week (\$15,001 to \$20,000 per year)..... | 06 | 06 |
| \$385 to \$481 per week (\$20,001 to \$25,000 per year)..... | 07 | 07 |
| \$481 to \$577 per week (\$25,001 to \$30,000 per year)..... | 08 | 08 |
| \$577 to \$673 per week (\$30,001 to \$35,000 per year)..... | 09 | 09 |
| \$673 to \$769 per week (\$35,001 to \$40,000 per year)..... | 10 | 10 |
| \$769 to \$865 per week (\$40,001 to \$45,000 per year)..... | 11 | 11 |
| \$865 to \$962 per week (\$45,001 to \$50,000 per year)..... | 12 | 12 |
| \$962 to \$1,154 per week (\$50,001 to \$60,000 per year)..... | 13 | 13 |
| \$1,154 to \$1,346 per week (\$60,001 to \$70,000 per year)..... | 14 | 14 |
| \$1,346 to \$1,538 per week (\$70,001 to \$80,000 per year)..... | 15 | 15 |
| \$1,538 to \$1,731 per week (\$80,001 to \$90,000 per year)..... | 16 | 16 |
| \$1,731 to \$1,923 per week (\$90,001 to \$100,000 per year)..... | 17 | 17 |
| \$1,923 to \$2,885 per week (\$100,001 to \$150,000 per year)..... | 18 | 18 |
| \$2,885 to \$4,808 per week (\$150,001 to \$250,000 per year)..... | 19 | 19 |
| More than \$4,808 per week (More than \$250,000 per year)..... | 20 | 20 |

6a. Do you work for a private company, or what?

- Working for a private company or business.....1
Federal, State or local government employee.....2
Self-employed; in partnership; conducting own business.....3
Other (Specify:).....4

b. Can you tell me **very roughly** what the value of your share of the business is -- what you would get if you sold it and paid off all your debts?

PLEASE WRITE IN THE VALUE \$

- c. Is your business.....
Not big enough to support a family.....1
Just big enough to support one family.....2
Two or three times that size.....3
Even bigger than that.....4

7. About how many other people usually work for the company as full-time paid employees **not** counting yourself?

| | | | | | | | | | |
|-------|-----|-----|------|------|------|------|------|----|-----|
| None, | 1 | 2 | 3 | 5 | 10 | 15 | 25 | 50 | 100 |
| 200 | 500 | 750 | 1000 | 2000 | 5000 | More | 9000 | | |

8a. Here is a list of different types of work. Which type is your job? And which type was your first job -- the first job you had after you finished your full time education? And your husband or wife's job?

>> If not working now, please tell us about the last job

- Higher professional (examples: doctor, electrical engineer, university scientist, secondary school teacher, lawyer, clergy).....
Higher administrator (examples: banker, executive in big business, high government official, union official).....
Technical and lower professional (examples: nurse, artist, primary school teacher, lab technician).....
Clerical (examples: secretary, clerk, office manager, civil servant, bookkeeper).....
Sales (examples: sales manager, shop owner, shop assistant, insurance agent).....
Service (examples: restaurant owner, policeman, waitress, barber, janitor).....
Skilled worker (examples: foreman, motor mechanic, printer, seamstress, electrician).....
Semi-skilled worker (examples: bus driver, cannery worker, carpenter, metal worker, baker).....
Unskilled worker (examples: labourer, porter, unskilled factory worker).....
Farm (examples: farmer, farm labourer, jackeroo)....
(Does not apply; no job).....

| JOB NOW | FIRST JOB | HUSBAND OR WIFE |
|------------|--------------|--------------------|
| 01 | 01 | 01 |
| 02 | 02 | 02 |
| 03 | 03 | 03 |
| 04 | 04 | 04 |
| 05 | 05 | 05 |
| 06 | 06 | 06 |
| 07 | 07 | 07 |
| 08 | 08 | 08 |
| 09 | 09 | 09 |
| 10 | 10 | 10 |
| - | - | - |
| Employee | Employee | Employee |
| State | State | State |
| C'wealth | C'wealth | C'wealth |
| Self-empl | Self-empl | Self-empl |
| No | No | No |
| Yes | Yes | Yes |
| No | No | No |
| Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Top | Top | Top |
| Upper | Upper | Upper |
| Middle | Middle | Middle |
| Lower | Lower | Lower |
| Supervisor | Supervisor | Supervisor |

Questions for people who are working now

>> If you are not working now, please skip the questions in this box and go to page 30

1. Now we would like to ask about the decisions **you** took part in at work in the last twelve months. First, decisions about money...

a. Please think about the decision last year that involved the **largest** amount of money. How much say did you have in that decision?

CIRCLE ALL THAT APPLY

I had no part in decisions about money.....1

I provided information.....2

I made recommendations or gave advice.....3

I and several others made the final decision together.....4

I made the final decision myself.....5

b. About how much money was involved in this decision -- the largest decision you took part in last year?

None

OR Approximate amount ... \$

c. About how much money can you, **yourself** ordinarily spend at work without getting approval from higher up? (Include the cost of supplies, equipment or services you can order.)

None

OR Approximate amount ... \$

d. And now decisions about **hiring**. Please think about the most **important** hiring decision you took part in last year. How much say did you have in that decision?

CIRCLE ALL THAT APPLY

I had no part in decisions about hiring.....1

I provided information.....2

I made recommendations or gave advice.....3

I and several others made the final decision together.....4

I made the final decision myself.....5

e. What was the salary of the person who was hired?

None

OR Approximate salary \$

>> Now we need to know how much it matters to your company if you do your job well, compared to doing just an **ordinary** month's work...

2a. Suppose you did **really well** on your job -- did a wonderful month's work, something only the very best workers could even dream of doing -- how much would it matter to your company?

Not at all, Only a little, Some, A good deal, A great deal, Enormously,

b. And about how much **money** would the company gain (if any) from your good work?

About \$

Nothing, no money; not applicable.....0000000

Questions for people who are working now

c. Now suppose you worked **really badly** for a month, made some very silly mistakes, and generally did a terrible job. How much would it matter to your company?

Not at all, Only a little, Some, A good deal, A great deal, Enormously,

d. And how much money would the company have lost, from your bad work?

About \$

Nothing, no money; not applicable.....0000000

3. Is this true of your job, or not ...

TRUE?

a. Is your job secure?..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

b. Is your job valuable to **society as a whole**?..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

c. Is your job dangerous?..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

d. Are your working conditions dirty and unpleasant?..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

e. Does it require special talents and abilities that most people do not have?..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

f. Is your job complex and difficult?..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

g. Does it help other people?..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

h. Does it require a lot of thinking?..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

i. And does it require good sense and sound judgment?..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

j. Does your job make the world a better place?..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

k. Does your job require being good at supervising others?..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

l. Do you have to plan other people's work?..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

m. Is your future in this company secure?..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

n. Do you think your company will still be in business 5 years from now?..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

o. Is your job important to the nation?..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

p. Do you bear a lot of responsibility?..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

q. Do other people depend on you doing your job well?..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

4. And is this true of your job ...

a. I care a great deal about how well I do my job..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

b. Doing my job well is important to me..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

c. I have a lot of freedom to decide **what** I do at work..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

d. I have a lot of freedom to decide **how** I do my own work... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

e. It is basically my own responsibility to decide how my job gets done..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

f. I have a lot of say about what happens on my job..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

Questions for people who are working now

5a. Some companies are very concerned with how much money they make and others, like schools and hospitals, are not really concerned with profits at all. How about your company?

- Concerned **only** with making money1
 Very concerned with money2
 Fairly concerned3
 Not very concerned4
 Not concerned at all5

b. How long have you been working in this company? years

c. Is your future in this company secure? Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

7. Is your job **permanent** with some legal protection against being fired or made redundant?

- Legally permanent; difficult or impossible to lose my job1
 Practically secure; hard to lose my job2
 Not secure; could be fired or made redundant at any time3

8. Some jobs require a lot of training, skill, and experience to do well but others do not. How about your job? Of course, it varies from person to person, but **in general**...

a. How much **schooling** or **university** would someone usually need to do your job really well -- well enough to teach someone else how to do it?

- None: No schooling at all01
 School: Year 9 (third form), or less09
 Year 10 (fourth form)10
 Year 11 (fifth form)11
 Year 12 (sixth form), or more12
 University: 1 year of university13
 2 years of university14
 3 years15
 4 years16
 5 years17
 6 years of university18

b. How about apprenticeships, courses at business college, job training, adult education courses, or any other **special training** -- how much special training is needed in your job?

>> We mean full time. If part time, please say how much full time study it would come to.

None00
 or
 Please write years OR months OR weeks OR days

c. Finally, besides all of those, how much **practical experience** would one generally need to do your job really well?

None00
 or
 Please write years OR months OR weeks OR days

Questions for people who are working now

9. Now, some questions about whether you are paid fairly. We are asking about what is **morally** right -- not about what you do earn nor what you would like to earn -- but what you feel you deserve, what you ought in fairness earn given your skills and the like...

HOW FAIR?

- a. First, is your pay fair considering your **skills and qualifications** -- or is it too low or too high? Low!! Low Fair High High!!
- b. Fair for the complexity of your tasks? Low!! Low Fair High High!!
- c. For the responsibility you bear? Low!! Low Fair High High!!
- d. Fair for your education and training -- or is it too low or too high? Low!! Low Fair High High!!
- e. Fair for how dangerous your job is? Low!! Low Fair High High!!
- f. For how dirty and unpleasant the working conditions are? Low!! Low Fair High High!!
- g. Fair for how well you do your job? Low!! Low Fair High High!!
- h. Fair for your energy and diligence -- or is it too low or too high? Low!! Low Fair High High!!
- i. For how hard you work? Low!! Low Fair High High!!
- j. Fair in terms of your experience on the job? Low!! Low Fair High High!!
- k. **All in all**, how fair is your pay? Low!! Low Fair High High!!

10a. For your job, if you were paid \$10,000 a year (working full-time) -- would that be unfairly low, just about fair, or unfairly high?

HOW FAIR?

- Low!! Low Fair High High!!
- b. And if you were paid \$15,000 a year (working full-time) -- would it be unfairly low, fair, or unfairly high? Low!! Low Fair High High!!
- c. Would \$20,000 a year be fair? Low!! Low Fair High High!!
- d. How about \$25,000? Low!! Low Fair High High!!
- e. Would \$30,000 a year be unfairly low, fair, or unfairly high? Low!! Low Fair High High!!
- f. How about \$40,000? Low!! Low Fair High High!!
- g. Would \$60,000 a year be unfairly low, fair, or unfairly high? Low!! Low Fair High High!!
- h. If you were paid \$100,000 a year? Low!! Low Fair High High!!
- i. And \$250,000 a year? Low!! Low Fair High High!!

For people who are working or looking for work

>> If you are not working now or looking for work, please skip the questions in this box.

1a. For how many years have you worked for a **government owned** firm?

None.....00
WRITE NUMBER OF YEARS.....
years

b. And for how many years have you worked for a **private** company or business, or working for your family's farm or business?

None.....00
WRITE NUMBER OF YEARS.....
years

2a. These days, how hard is it to find a job doing the kind of work you usually do in private businesses? And how about finding a job in government employment?

| PRIVATE BUSINESS | GOVERNMENT EMPLOYMENT | |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|---|
| Very easy | Very easy | 1 |
| Fairly easy | Fairly easy | 2 |
| Not easy but not hard | Not easy but not hard | 3 |
| Fairly hard | Fairly hard | 4 |
| Very hard | Very hard | 5 |

b. Suppose you were offered a job doing the kind of work you usually do, one working for a government enterprise and one for a private company. Which would you choose, if both paid the same...

- Definitely the government job.....1
Probably the government job.....2
Hard to say, not much difference.....3
Probably the private job.....4
Definitely the private job.....5

c. How much more would the other have to pay you to get you to change your mind?

- Pay 10 percent more.....1
Pay 25 percent more.....2
Pay 50 percent more.....3
Pay **twice** as much.....4
Pay three times as much, or more.....5

3. About setting up your own business...

a. Would you like to set up your own business, if you could?..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

b. Do you think you will **actually** set up your own business sometime in the next 5 years?..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

Your own business

1a. Have you **ever** had your own business, farm, or independent professional practice -- that is, have you ever been self-employed, or in a partnership, or conducting your own business?

No, Never (CIRCLE "1", THEN PLEASE SKIP THIS ONE PAGE).....1
Yes.....2

>> We would like to know about each one, beginning with your first business. If you have had more than three businesses, please tell us about the first two and about the last one.

b. When did you start it?.....

c. Did you have a partner or was it yours alone?.....

d. How many full time employees did you have at first?.....

e. And how many full time employees at the end of your second year?.....

f. What kind of business was it? DESCRIBE IT FULLY, USING TWO WORDS OR MORE

g. What were your main duties?

h. How long did you have that business?.....

i. What happened at the end?.....

j. If you sold out, about how much did you get for it, after paying back its debts?.....

| FIRST BUSINESS | SECOND BUSINESS | LAST BUSINESS |
|---|---|---|
| 1 9 <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> year | 1 9 <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> year | 1 9 <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> year |
| Mine alone With spouse Other partner | Mine alone With spouse Other partner | Mine alone With spouse Other partner |
| None <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> or <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> | None <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> or <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> | None <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> or <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> |
| None <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> or <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> (No 2nd year) | None <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> or <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> (No 2nd year) | None <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> or <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> (No 2nd year) |
| | | |
| Years <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> Months <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> | Years <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> Months <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> | Years <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> Months <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> |
| Still own it Failed Sold it | Still own it Failed Sold it | Still own it Failed Sold it |
| \$ <input type="text"/> (not sold) | \$ <input type="text"/> (not sold) | \$ <input type="text"/> (not sold) |

Usual income

1. What is the gross income (including pensions and allowances) that you and your husband or wife usually receive each week from all sources?

>> **Count all income, including:**

Wages, salary, overtime, business or farm income; pay from all jobs.

Interest & dividends; rent received.

Family allowance; student allowance; trust funds.

Age pension, veteran's pensions, superannuation.

Unemployment, worker's compensation, sickness benefits, permanent disability.

>> **If you have your own business or farm, give income after deducting expenses**

>> **Do not deduct tax, superannuation, or health insurance.**

| | YOU | SPOUSE |
|--|-----|--------|
| None..... | 01 | 01 |
| \$1 to \$58 per week (\$1 to \$3,000 per year)..... | 02 | 02 |
| \$58 to \$96 per week (\$3,001 to \$5,000 per year)..... | 03 | 03 |
| \$96 to \$192 per week (\$5,001 to \$10,000 per year)..... | 04 | 04 |
| \$192 to \$288 per week (\$10,001 to \$15,000 per year)..... | 05 | 05 |
| \$288 to \$385 per week (\$15,001 to \$20,000 per year)..... | 06 | 06 |
| \$385 to \$481 per week (\$20,001 to \$25,000 per year)..... | 07 | 07 |
| \$481 to \$577 per week (\$25,001 to \$30,000 per year)..... | 08 | 08 |
| \$577 to \$673 per week (\$30,001 to \$35,000 per year)..... | 09 | 09 |
| \$673 to \$769 per week (\$35,001 to \$40,000 per year)..... | 10 | 10 |
| \$769 to \$865 per week (\$40,001 to \$45,000 per year)..... | 11 | 11 |
| \$865 to \$962 per week (\$45,001 to \$50,000 per year)..... | 12 | 12 |
| \$962 to \$1,154 per week (\$50,001 to \$60,000 per year)..... | 13 | 13 |
| \$1,154 to \$1,346 per week (\$60,001 to \$70,000 per year)..... | 14 | 14 |
| \$1,346 to \$1,538 per week (\$70,001 to \$80,000 per year)..... | 15 | 15 |
| \$1,538 to \$1,731 per week (\$80,001 to \$90,000 per year)..... | 16 | 16 |
| \$1,731 to \$1,923 per week (\$90,001 to \$100,000 per year)..... | 17 | 17 |
| \$1,923 to \$2,885 per week (\$100,001 to \$150,000 per year)..... | 18 | 18 |
| \$2,885 to \$4,808 per week (\$150,001 to \$250,000 per year)..... | 19 | 19 |
| More than \$4,808 per week (More than \$250,000 per year)..... | 20 | 20 |

2. Value of property, business, and savings for retirement...

>> *It may be hard to say what things are worth; your best guess will do.*

a. Approximate value of your house, car, savings, investments, etc. .

None, \$100,000 \$250,000 \$500,000 \$750,000 \$1,000,000+

b. Approximate value of your business or farm.

None, \$100,000 \$250,000 \$500,000 \$750,000 \$1,000,000+

c. Value of your superannuation, and your husband or wife's super, taken as a lump sum.

None, \$100,000 \$250,000 \$500,000 \$750,000 \$1,000,000+

Living conditions

1a. Did you have a washing machine eight or ten years ago, around 1985? And now?

IN 1985

Yes No

NOW

Yes No

b. A refrigerator?

Yes No

Yes No

c. A microwave oven?

Yes No

Yes No

d. A dishwasher?

Yes No

Yes No

e. A colour television -- did you have one eight or ten years ago, around 1985?

Yes No

Yes No

f. A record player or high-fi?

Yes No

Yes No

g. A video recorder (VCR)?

Yes No

Yes No

h. A telephone -- eight or ten years ago, around 1985? And now?

Yes No

Yes No

i. A car?

Yes No

Yes No

j. A second car?

Yes No

Yes No

k. Do you own any shares in the company you work for?

Yes No

Yes No

l. Any shares in other companies, or share market funds?

Yes No

Yes No

m. A holiday cottage in the country, or by the sea?

Yes No

Yes No

n. Did you take a holiday **abroad** for a week or more in 1985, as best you remember? And in the last 12 months?

Yes No

Yes No

o. Take a holiday away from home somewhere else in Australia for a week or more in 1985? And in the last 12 months?

Yes No

Yes No

p. Did you own your house in 1985? And now?

Own
Buying
Rent

Own
Buying
Rent

1
2
3

2a. For you and your family, is Australia now a better country to live in than it was 7 or 8 years ago?

Much better, Somewhat better, The same, Somewhat worse, Much worse,

b. Did you and your family's income and standard of living get better or worse in the last 7 or 8 years?

Much better, Somewhat better, The same, Somewhat worse, Much worse,

c. Now about the future... do you think that Australia will become a better country for you and your family to live in during the next 3 years?

Much better, Somewhat better, The same, Somewhat worse, Much worse,

d. Will your and your family's income and standard of living get better or worse in the next 3 years?

Much better, Somewhat better, The same, Somewhat worse, Much worse,

3. Do you think the kind of economic system Australia had between 1945 and 1985 or so -- with most businesses private but some owned by the government, strong trade unions, and high tariff protection for manufacturing -- brought you and your family...

- Only benefits.....1
- More benefits than harm.....2
- As much benefit as harm.....3
- More harm than benefits.....4
- Only harm.....5

4a. Remembering **your past hopes and expectations** about your financial situation, have you and your family done better or worse than you expected...

Compared to what I expected
LAST YEAR, IN 1994
about my financial situation:

1995 is turning out **much better**
1995 is turning out **better**
1995 is out turning **as I expected**
1995 turning out **worse**
1995 is turning out **much worse**
(I can't remember what I thought then) -

Compared to what I expected
5 YEARS AGO, IN 1990
about my financial situation:

1995 is turning out **much better**
1995 is turning out **better**
1995 is out turning **as I expected**
1995 turning out **worse**
1995 is turning out **much worse**
(I can't remember what I thought then) -

b. Now about the economic situation in **Australia as a whole**. Compared to what you expected in the past, is Australia's present economic situation ...

Compared to what I expected
LAST YEAR, IN 1994
about the Australian economy as a whole:

1995 is turning out **much better**
1995 is turning out **better**
1995 is out turning **as I expected**
1995 turning out **worse**
1995 is turning out **much worse**
(I can't remember what I thought then) -

Compared to what I expected
5 YEARS AGO, IN 1990
about the Australian economy as a whole:

1995 is turning out **much better**
1995 is turning out **better**
1995 is out turning **as I expected**
1995 turning out **worse**
1995 is turning out **much worse**
(I can't remember what I thought then) -

5. Thinking about your education, work, income and standard of living, are you and your family near the **top** of society, near the **bottom**, or somewhere in between...

| | EDUCATION | WORK | INCOME |
|-------------|-----------|------|--------|
| Top..... | 10 | 10 | 10 |
| | 09 | 09 | 09 |
| | 08 | 08 | 08 |
| | 07 | 07 | 07 |
| | 06 | 06 | 06 |
| | 05 | 05 | 05 |
| | 04 | 04 | 04 |
| | 03 | 03 | 03 |
| | 02 | 02 | 02 |
| Bottom..... | 01 | 01 | 01 |

How do you feel about your life?

- 1 -- Delighted
- 2 -- Very pleased
- 3 -- Pleased
- 4 -- Mostly satisfied
- 5 -- Mixed feelings
- 6 -- Mostly dissatisfied
- 7 -- Unhappy
- 8 -- Terrible

- 1a. How do you feel about your **life as a whole**?
- b. Your hobbies, garden, sports and such?
- c. Your standard of living -- the things you have, like housing, washer, clothes, stereo, car and so on?
- d. Your income and financial situation?.....
- e. And your job -- how satisfied are you with your work?
- f. Your sense of purpose and meaning in life?
- g. How do you feel about your marriage? (Leave blank if not married)
- h. Your children? (Leave blank if you have none)

| | DELIGHTED | TERRIBLE |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|
| 1a. How do you feel about your life as a whole ? | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 |
| b. Your hobbies, garden, sports and such? | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 |
| c. Your standard of living -- the things you have, like housing, washer, clothes, stereo, car and so on? | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 |
| d. Your income and financial situation?..... | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 |
| e. And your job -- how satisfied are you with your work? | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 |
| f. Your sense of purpose and meaning in life? | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 |
| g. How do you feel about your marriage? (Leave blank if not married) | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 |
| h. Your children? (Leave blank if you have none) | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 |

2. Now about your job...

>> Housewives should tell about their housework
>> Retirees about their last job.

- a. Are you satisfied with the importance of your work and the feeling of accomplishment it gives you?.....
- b. The chance to help others?.....
- c. How interesting your work is?.....
- d. The chance to use your skills and abilities?.....
- e. Your fringe benefits -- superannuation, car, housing, and such?
- f. The people you meet?
- g. The value of your job to society as a whole?
- h. The prestige of your job?.....
- i. The security & predictability of your future?.....
- j. How satisfied are you with how interesting your work is, and the enjoyment you get from it?.....
- k. The respect you get from others?.....
- l. Satisfied with your pay?
- m. **In all**, how satisfied are you with your work?

| | DELIGHTED | TERRIBLE |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|
| a. Are you satisfied with the importance of your work and the feeling of accomplishment it gives you?..... | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 |
| b. The chance to help others?..... | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 |
| c. How interesting your work is?..... | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 |
| d. The chance to use your skills and abilities?..... | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 |
| e. Your fringe benefits -- superannuation, car, housing, and such? | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 |
| f. The people you meet? | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 |
| g. The value of your job to society as a whole? | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 |
| h. The prestige of your job?..... | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 |
| i. The security & predictability of your future?..... | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 |
| j. How satisfied are you with how interesting your work is, and the enjoyment you get from it?..... | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 |
| k. The respect you get from others?..... | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 |
| l. Satisfied with your pay? | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 |
| m. In all , how satisfied are you with your work? | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 |

3. Now to sum things up: all in all, how do you feel about your **life as a whole**?

| | |
|-----------------|-----------------|
| 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 |
|-----------------|-----------------|

Drugs

1. How much do you think people risk harming themselves -- physically or in other ways -- if they...

a. Take heroin daily? No risk Slight risk Moderate risk Great risk of harm

b. Take heroin occasionally?... No risk Slight risk Moderate risk Great risk of harm

2. Most of us worry about things that might go wrong. How worried are you about ...

a. Drug addicts stealing to get money to buy drugs Extremely Very Fairly Not very Not worried

b. Drug addicts hanging around on the streets? Extremely Very Fairly Not very Not worried

3a. Have you or your family been the victim of a theft or burglary you think was committed by a drug addict? Yes No

b. Have you been hassled or verbally abused by a drug addict? Yes No

4a. Have you ever tried marijuana or other illegal drugs like heroin or amphetamines? Never In the past Still use

b. Have you ever been drunk?

Never_{ooo} Not in the last year_{ooo} Times last year: number

5. Would you support..

a. The personal use of heroin being legal? Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

b. Increased penalties for the personal use of heroin? Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

c. Increased penalties for the sale or supply of heroin? Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

d. Heroin available to addicts in treatment, but only at specific clinics? Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

e. Heroin available to any addict with a doctor's prescription? Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

6. Here are some things a drug treatment program might do. How good or bad is each ...

a. Getting addicts to stop using heroin by taking medication regularly, to stop the craving? 1 2 3 4 5

b. Stop addicts from selling drugs to support their own drug habits? 1 2 3 4 5

c. Reducing the risk that addicts will get AIDS, by getting them to use clean needles? 1 2 3 4 5

d. Stopping addicts from stealing to support their drug habits? 1 2 3 4 5

7a. What do you think about **present** policies for dealing with heroin use--

- Laws against heroin use, but the police don't enforce them very strictly.
- Addicts are sometimes sent to jail and sometimes to treatment.

Do you ... Strongly support Support Mixed feelings Oppose Strongly oppose

b. What about **even stricter** policies about heroin use...

- Strict enforcement of laws against heroin.
- Police actively seek out addicts and send them all to jail.

Do you ... Strongly support Support Mixed feelings Oppose Strongly oppose

c. What about treating heroin like we treat alcohol?

- Allow adults to buy heroin if they want, but not allow young people to buy it.

Do you ... Strongly support Support Mixed feelings Oppose Strongly oppose

d. Now we would like to ask about different kinds of treatment programs that try to deal with heroin addicts. First, there are programs where heroin addicts...

- Visit a medical clinic regularly for counselling and take a drug called methadone every day that stops them craving heroin.
- The aim is to get addicts to lead a normal, healthy life -- to have a regular job, support their family, not break the law, and
- Eventually to get them to stop using heroin.

Do you ... Strongly support Support Mixed feelings Oppose Strongly oppose

e. In another kind of program, addicts...

- Visit a medical clinic regularly for counselling, and they can take a drug to stop heroin craving if they want, but
- **Can also choose to get a safe, legal injection of HEROIN, as often as three times a day to keep them in the program.**
- The aim is to get addicts to lead a normal, healthy life -- to have a regular job, support their family, not break the law, and
- Eventually to get them to stop using heroin.

Do you ... Strongly support Support Mixed feelings Oppose Strongly oppose

f. Yet another kind of program also has addicts...

- Visit a medical clinic regularly for counselling, and take a drug to stop heroin craving if they want, but
- **The program does NOT try to get addicts to give up heroin.**
- Instead its aim is to get them to lead a normal, healthy life with a regular job, support their family, and not break the law.

Do you ... Strongly support Support Mixed feelings Oppose Strongly oppose

g. There are also programs where addicts go and live **for a year or two** in a treatment house...

- Closely supervised by drug counsellors. There are absolutely no drugs.
- The aim is to get addicts to stop using heroin, and to
- Get addicts to lead a normal, healthy life again.

Do you ... Strongly support Support Mixed feelings Oppose Strongly oppose

8a. In Australia, about what percentage of people would you say use heroin?
 >> Just your best guess..... 1% 5% 10% 20% 40% 60% 80+%

b. How many heroin users would you say are trustworthy?..... 1% 5% 10% 20% 40% 60% 80+%

c. How effective do you think medical treatment for addiction is now -- about what percent of heroin addicts can be cured (that is stop using)?..... 1% 5% 10% 20% 40% 60% 80+%

d. And if they can't be cured entirely, how many can be helped to lead a normal healthy life, with a regular job, support their family, and not steal or sell drugs?..... 1% 5% 10% 20% 40% 60% 80+%

9. The ACT government is thinking about running a trial to provide heroin to addicts to see if this is as good as or better than current treatment programs. It would

- run for two years
- measure effects on crime, health, AIDS risk, social problems and drug use
- be limited to about 100 Canberra heroin addicts
- only allow heroin to be injected at special clinics under medical supervision, no take-away heroin
- have strict security

Do you think a program like this would....

| | TRUE? | | | |
|---|-------|-----|----|----|
| a. Increase the number of people using heroin?..... | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No |
| b. Get addicts to stop using heroin eventually?..... | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No |
| c. Increase incentives for addicts to give up heroin?..... | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No |
| d. Make it safer for addicts to use heroin, even if they can't quit?..... | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No |
| e. Improve a heroin addicts' general health and well-being?..... | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No |
| f. Reduce the chance of addicts getting AIDS by sharing needles?..... | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No |
| g. Reduce the chance of AIDS spreading into the community at large?..... | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No |
| h. Set a bad example for youth?..... | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No |

i. Now that you have thought about some of the potential benefits and potential problems of a heroin trial in the ACT, is your reaction to it ...

- Very favourable.....1
- Fairly favourable.....2
- Neither favourable nor unfavourable.....3
- Unfavourable.....4
- Very unfavourable.....5

j. Would you like to see such a trial in your city?..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

Parties, voting and elections

1a. Generally speaking, in **federal** politics do you usually think of yourself as:

- Liberal.....1
- Labor.....2
- National (Country) Party.....3
- Australian Democrat.....4
- Other (Please specify).....

b. How strongly do you feel about that?..... Very Strongly, Fairly Strongly, Not Very Strongly,

2a. Are you enrolled to vote? Enrolled at this address.....1
 Enrolled at another address.....2
 Not enrolled.....3
 Don't know.....

3. If a federal election were held **tomorrow** for the House of Representatives, which party would you vote for?

- Liberal.....1
- Labor.....2
- National (Country) Party.....3
- Australian Democrat.....4
- Other (Please specify).....
- Informal/Would not vote.....8

4. Now please think of the last federal election, in March 1993, when the Liberals were led by Dr Hewson and Labor by Mr Keating ...

a. Did you actually vote in that election?..... Yes No

b. Which party did you vote for in the House of Representatives in the 1993 election? And which party did you vote for in the Senate?

>> If you did not vote, who would you have voted for?

| | HOUSE OF REPS | SENATE | |
|-------------------------------|---------------|----------|---|
| Liberal..... | Liberal | Liberal | 1 |
| Labor..... | Labor | Labor | 2 |
| National (Country) Party..... | National | National | 3 |
| Australian Democrat..... | Democrat | Democrat | 4 |
| Greens..... | Greens | Greens | 5 |
| Other (Please specify)..... | | | |
| Informal..... | Informal | Informal | 8 |

5. Finally, please think about the last election in your **state** or territory ...

a. Did you actually vote in that state election?..... Yes No

b. Which party did you vote for? Liberal.....1
 Labor.....2
 National (Country) Party.....3
 Australian Democrat.....4
 Other (Please specify).....
 Informal.....8

Political issues

1. Would you like to see more or less government spending on the environment?

Much more₁ More₂ Same₃ Less₄ Much less₅

2. How important do you feel the Queen and Royal Family are to Australia?

Very₁ Fairly₂ Not very₃ Not at all₄

3a. Would you say the government is pretty much run by a few big interests looking out for themselves, or that it is run for the benefit of all the people?

Entirely for the big interests.....1
Mostly for the big interests2
Mostly for the benefit of all3
Entirely for the benefit of all.....4

b. In general, do you feel that people in government are only interested in looking after themselves, or do you feel they can be trusted to do the right thing?

Only looking after themselves1
Mostly looking after themselves2
Mostly doing the right thing3
Always doing the right thing.....4

4. Do you agree or disagree ...

a. Australia should keep the Queen of England as head of state Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

a. Much stronger measures should be taken to protect the environment against pollution..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

b. Multi-national corporations have too much power in Australia Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

c. We should spend more to improve conditions for Aborigines Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

d. There should be stronger government control over the activities of multi-national companies..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

e. In general, multi-national companies do a good job for Australia Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

5. There has been some talk about privatisation -- about selling government owned industries to the private sector. Should the government...

a. Sell the airlines, Qantas and Australian Airlines?..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

b. Sell the railways to private industry? Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

c. Sell Telecom to private industry -- should the government do that?..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

d. Sell Australia Post to private industry? Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

e. Sell the Commonwealth Bank?..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

International questions: private business and government enterprises

>> These questions are being asked in several different nations, including some formerly communist ones, such as Hungary and Poland. They are very important questions and we think you will find them interesting.

1. Now about your own experiences, and your family's, with **private businesses**. Do private businesses usually offer you...

All -- Almost always
Most -- Mostly
Half -- About half
Few -- Seldom
No -- Almost never

| | PRIVATE BUSINESSES | | | | |
|---|--------------------|------|------|-----|----|
| a. A variety of goods, a wide choice? | All | Most | Half | Few | No |
| b. Lots of alternatives at different prices? | All | Most | Half | Few | No |
| c. Do private businesses usually do high quality work? | All | Most | Half | Few | No |
| d. Provide you with good service? | All | Most | Half | Few | No |
| e. A choice of companies, so if you don't like one you can get what you want from another? | All | Most | Half | Few | No |
| f. Private businesses get things done quickly?..... | All | Most | Half | Few | No |
| g. In your own experience, and your family's, do private businesses have reasonable prices? | All | Most | Half | Few | No |
| h. Give you good value for money? | All | Most | Half | Few | No |
| i. All in all do they do well? | All | Most | Half | Few | No |

2. How about your experiences with **government enterprises** -- that is companies owned and run by the government -- do they usually offer you...

| | GOVERNMENT ENTERPRISES | | | | |
|---|------------------------|------|------|-----|----|
| a. A variety of goods, a wide choice? | All | Most | Half | Few | No |
| b. Lots of alternatives at different prices? | All | Most | Half | Few | No |
| c. Do government companies usually do high quality work? | All | Most | Half | Few | No |
| d. Provide you with good service? | All | Most | Half | Few | No |
| e. A choice of companies, so if you don't like one you can get what you want from another? | All | Most | Half | Few | No |
| f. Government companies get things done quickly? | All | Most | Half | Few | No |
| g. In your own experience, and your family's do government enterprises have reasonable prices?..... | All | Most | Half | Few | No |
| h. Give you good value for money? | All | Most | Half | Few | No |
| i. All in all do they do well? | All | Most | Half | Few | No |

3. Government and private enterprises both have their good points and bad points. Which do you think is...

Govt!! -- Government much more
Govt -- Government somewhat more
= -- Same
Private -- Private somewhat more
Private!! -- Private much more

- a. More efficient, more productive?..... Govt!! Govt = Private Private!!
b. More flexible, responds quickly to new opportunities and new conditions?..... Govt!! Govt = Private Private!!
c. More profitable?..... Govt!! Govt = Private Private!!
d. If someone does **really well** at their job, does this matter more to a government enterprise or a private company?..... Govt!! Govt = Private Private!!
e. Where does good work bring higher pay?..... Govt!! Govt = Private Private!!
f. Good work lead to a promotion?..... Govt!! Govt = Private Private!!
g. Where do workers have more influence on management?..... Govt!! Govt = Private Private!!
h. The company's success depends more on good management?..... Govt!! Govt = Private Private!!

4. Please compare working in government enterprises with working in similar jobs in private businesses. First **private business** -- what are the good and the bad aspects of working in the private sector...

All -- Almost always
Most -- Mostly
Half -- About half
Few -- Seldom
No -- Almost never

- PRIVATE BUSINESSES**
- a. Do jobs in private business offer high pay?..... All Most Half Few No
b. A secure, predictable future?..... All Most Half Few No
c. Does private employment offer good fringe benefits -- superannuation, car, housing, and such?..... All Most Half Few No
d. Work which is important and gives a feeling of accomplishment?..... All Most Half Few No
e. Interesting work -- in the private sector?..... All Most Half Few No
f. Jobs which use your skills and abilities?..... All Most Half Few No
g. **All in all**, would you say jobs in private business are good jobs?..... All Most Half Few No

5. Next, how do jobs in **government enterprises** -- companies owned and run by the government -- compare. What are the good and the bad aspects of working in government enterprises ...

GOVERNMENT ENTERPRISES

- a. Do government jobs offer high pay?..... All Most Half Few No
b. A secure, predictable future?..... All Most Half Few No
c. Does government employment offer good fringe benefits -- superannuation, car, housing, and such? .. All Most Half Few No
d. Work which is important and gives a feeling of accomplishment?..... All Most Half Few No
e. Interesting work?..... All Most Half Few No
f. Jobs which use your skills and abilities?..... All Most Half Few No
g. **All in all**, would you say government jobs are good jobs?..... All Most Half Few No

6. To keep prices low, should the government subsidize the production of...

Yes!! -- Yes, definitely
Yes -- Yes, probably
?? -- Mixed feelings; yes and no
No -- No, probably not
No!! -- No, definitely not

SUBSIDIZE?

- a. Electricity?..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!
b. Subsidize basic foods?..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!
c. Subsidize construction of houses and flats?..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!
d. Subsidize doctors and hospitals to keep charges low?..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!
e. Subsidize banks and insurance companies?..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

7. Should there be limits on imports of cheap goods from abroad in order to protect Australian jobs and industry -- even though it means higher prices...

High -- Yes, high tariffs and strict quotas
Moderate -- Moderate tariffs and quotas
Small -- Small tariffs only
None -- No tariffs, free trade

TARIFFS & QUOTAS

- a. Limits on importing cheap food to protect Australian farmers?..... High Moderate Small None
b. Clothing and shoes -- protect Australian industry?.. High Moderate Small None
c. To protect Australian automobile manufacturers?... High Moderate Small None
d. Protect heavy industry, like steel and coal mining?.. High Moderate Small None

8. How large should tariffs on imported goods be in order to protect Australian jobs and industry -- remembering that higher tariffs also mean higher prices...

None -- No tariffs at all
10% -- Increase cost by 10%
25% -- Increase cost by 25%
50% -- Increase cost by *half*
100% -- Tariffs should *double* the cost of imports

- a. Agriculture -- how much tariff on imports? None 10% 25% 50% 100%
b. Clothing and shoes -- how much protection?..... None 10% 25% 50% 100%
c. Protection for automobile manufacturers? None 10% 25% 50% 100%
d. Protection for heavy industry, like steel and coal mining?..... None 10% 25% 50% 100%

9. Here are some things the government might do for the economy. Are you in favour or against...

- | | AGREE? | | | | |
|---|--------|-----|----|----|------|
| | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |
| a. Subsidize agriculture to protect farm jobs..... | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |
| b. Guarantee minimum prices for agricultural products..... | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |
| c. Support for declining industries to protect jobs..... | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |
| d. Government financing of projects to create new jobs | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |
| e. Subsidize money-losing companies to preserve jobs..... | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |
| f. Government loans to help unemployed people set up small businesses..... | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |
| g. Provide job training for the unemployed..... | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |
| h. Provide job training programs for young people | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |
| i. Increase taxes in order to finance new jobs | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |
| j. The government paying part of the cost of creating new jobs in private companies | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |

10. Should the government regulate prices or should they be set by the free market...

Govt!! -- Prices entirely controlled by the government
Govt -- Mostly controlled by the government
= -- Half and half
Free -- Mostly free market
Free!! -- Prices entirely set by the free market

- a. The price of electricity? Govt!! Govt = Free Free!!
b. The price of basic foods?..... Govt!! Govt = Free Free!!
c. Rents for houses and flats?..... Govt!! Govt = Free Free!!
d. Doctor's fees and hospital charges?..... Govt!! Govt = Free Free!!
e. Banking and insurance charges?..... Govt!! Govt = Free Free!!

11a. Should the government set a *minimum wage* -- the lowest wage employers are allowed to pay?

- Yes, definitely.....1
Yes, probably2
Mixed feelings; yes and no.....3
No, probably not.....4
No, definitely not5

b. How much should the minimum wage be, if there is one?

No minimum wage

or

About \$, dollars per year

12. Some people think that economic issues should be settled in nationwide negotiations between government, trade unions and employers. Others think decisions are best made locally by those directly involved. Would you say that...

- | | AGREE? | | | | |
|---|--------|-----|----|----|------|
| | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |
| a. Wages and salaries should be set nationally in negotiations between the federal government in Canberra, national trade union confederations like the ACTU, and nationwide employer groups like the Business Council of Australia?..... | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |
| b. <i>All</i> important economic decisions should be made jointly by the federal government, nationwide trade union and nationwide employers' groups?..... | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |
| c. Wages should be negotiated in each individual company, rather than for the industry as a whole?..... | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |
| d. Employers should have the right to negotiate earnings with each individual worker?..... | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |

13. How much tax do you think families *should* pay -- how much would be fair and just -- including income tax, sales tax, and all other taxes together. The family has a husband, wife, and two young children...

- a. First, a family which earns \$20,000 a year -- about how much tax, if any?\$ thousand
b. How much should a family that earns \$40,000 a year pay in tax?\$ thousand
c. A family that earns \$80,000 a year?\$ thousand
d. What about a family that earns \$160,000 a year?\$ thousand

14. How about you and *your* family...

- a. About how much tax do you think you should pay?\$ thousand
b. And about how much tax do you and your family *actually pay* -- just your best guess?\$ thousand

Trade unions

1a. In general, how good a job would you say the trade unions are doing for the country as a whole?

- Excellent 1
 Very good 2
 Fairly good 3
 Not very good 4
 No good at all 5
 Terrible 6

b. When you hear of a strike, are your sympathies generally for or against the strikers?

- Almost always for them 1
 Usually for them 2
 Half and half 3
 Usually against them 4
 Almost always against them 5

c. Do you think that trade unions in this country have too much power or too little power?

- Far too much power 1
 Too much power 2
 About the right amount of power 3
 Too little power 4
 Far too little power 5

d. Have you ever belonged to a trade union?

No, never, Not now but I used to belong, Yes belong now,

2. Do you agree or disagree...

- a. Political strikes should be banned Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!
 b. If a strike is harming the national interest, the government should declare it illegal. Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!
 c. Strikes in essential industries should be banned Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

3. Different people look for different things in a job. How important would you say each of these is to you...

- | | HOW IMPORTANT? | | | | |
|--|----------------|------|------|--------|-----|
| | Most!! | Most | Very | Fairly | Not |
| a. A job that provides high pay -- how important is that? | | | | | |
| b. A job that offers a secure, predictable future? ... | | | | | |
| c. Good fringe benefits -- superannuation, car, housing, and such? | | | | | |
| d. Work which is interesting? | | | | | |
| e. Work which uses your skills and abilities? | | | | | |
| f. Work which is important and gives a feeling of accomplishment? | | | | | |
| g. A job that people respect, that gives prestige? ... | | | | | |
| h. Work that makes the world a better place? | | | | | |

Government ownership

15. Should these be owned entirely by the government, entirely by private enterprise, or something in-between...

- | | | |
|-----------|----|---|
| Govt!! | -- | Entirely government owned |
| Govt | -- | Mostly government, but with some private firms |
| = | -- | Half government, half private |
| Private | -- | Mostly private firms, but some government enterprises |
| Private!! | -- | Entirely private |

OWNERSHIP

- | | | | | | |
|--|--------|------|---|---------|-----------|
| a. Electric power? | Govt!! | Govt | = | Private | Private!! |
| b. The steel industry? | Govt!! | Govt | = | Private | Private!! |
| c. Banking and insurance? | Govt!! | Govt | = | Private | Private!! |
| d. Local bus systems -- should they be owned entirely by the government, or by private enterprise, or something in-between? .. | Govt!! | Govt | = | Private | Private!! |
| e. Shops and stores? | Govt!! | Govt | = | Private | Private!! |
| f. Farms? | Govt!! | Govt | = | Private | Private!! |
| g. The automobile industry? | Govt!! | Govt | = | Private | Private!! |
| h. Foreign trade -- owned by the government or by private enterprise? | Govt!! | Govt | = | Private | Private!! |
| i. Hospitals? | Govt!! | Govt | = | Private | Private!! |
| j. Should doctors and dentists be part of government clinics or work in private practices? | Govt!! | Govt | = | Private | Private!! |
| k. Newspapers -- should they be owned by the government or by private enterprise? | Govt!! | Govt | = | Private | Private!! |
| l. Television? | Govt!! | Govt | = | Private | Private!! |
| m. Schools -- should they be entirely government, entirely private, or something in-between? | Govt!! | Govt | = | Private | Private!! |
| n. Orchestras, concert halls, and museums? .. | Govt!! | Govt | = | Private | Private!! |
| o. Universities -- should they be owned by the government or should they be private? | Govt!! | Govt | = | Private | Private!! |
| p. Day-care centres for children? | Govt!! | Govt | = | Private | Private!! |
| q. Old age homes? | Govt!! | Govt | = | Private | Private!! |

Regulation of business

16. What part should the government play in running companies in these industries...

| | |
|-----------|---|
| ALL | -- Government should control ALL, running everything on a day-to-day basis |
| IMPORTANT | -- Government should set IMPORTANT policies, but not run things day-to-day |
| SOME | -- Government should only set SOME general guidelines for labour relations, competition, consumer protection and such |
| NONE | -- Government should do NOTHING, leaving all decisions to the free market |

| | GOVERNMENT REGULATION | | | |
|---|-----------------------|-----------|------|------|
| | All | Important | Some | None |
| a. Electric power? | All | Important | Some | None |
| b. The steel industry? | All | Important | Some | None |
| c. Banking and insurance? | All | Important | Some | None |
| d. Local bus systems -- what part should the government play in running them? | All | Important | Some | None |
| e. Shops and stores? | All | Important | Some | None |
| f. In running farms? | All | Important | Some | None |
| g. The automobile industry? | All | Important | Some | None |
| h. What part should the government play in running foreign trade? | All | Important | Some | None |
| i. In running hospitals? | All | Important | Some | None |
| j. The government's role in regulating the work of doctors and dentists? | All | Important | Some | None |
| k. Newspapers -- what part should the government play? | All | Important | Some | None |
| l. The government's role in television? | All | Important | Some | None |
| m. Schools -- what part should the government play in running schools? | All | Important | Some | None |
| n. Orchestras, concert halls, and museums -- how much government control should there be? | All | Important | Some | None |
| o. In running universities? | All | Important | Some | None |
| p. Day-care centres for children? | All | Important | Some | None |
| q. Old age homes? | All | Important | Some | None |

Differences in pay

1. Some people say money is necessary for motivation -- that the prospect of higher pay leads people to work hard. Others disagree. Would you say that...

| | |
|-------|-------------------------------|
| Yes!! | -- Strongly agree |
| Yes | -- Agree |
| ?? | -- Neither agree nor disagree |
| No | -- Disagree |
| No!! | -- Strongly disagree |

- a. Workers would get slack if the diligent and the lazy got equal pay Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!
- b. If everyone was paid the same, no one would bother to work hard Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!
- c. Many people work hard because they expect it to lead to higher pay Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

2. How about getting people to study and learn new skills...

- a. Workers would not bother to get skills and qualifications unless they were paid extra for having them. Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!
- b. No one would study for years to become a lawyer or doctor unless they expected to earn a lot more than ordinary workers Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!
- c. Unless education leads to better paying jobs, few students would stay on in school for long Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

3. How about getting people to do responsible and demanding jobs...

- a. People would not want to take extra responsibility at work unless they were paid extra for it Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!
- b. High pay is necessary to get people to do responsible and demanding jobs Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!
- c. The prospect of high pay encourages people to take on complex and difficult work Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!
- d. Nobody would want the hassle of supervising others unless they were paid extra for it Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

4. Now dirty and dangerous jobs, would you say that...

- a. Higher pay is necessary to get people to do dirty and dangerous jobs Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!
- b. Higher pay is necessary to get people to do dirty and unpleasant jobs in slaughterhouses, fish canneries, rubbish tips, and such Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

5. All in all, would you say that...

- a. Large differences in income are necessary for Australia's prosperity..... Yes!! Yes ?? No Not!!
- b. Allowing business to make good profits is the best way to improve everyone's standard of living..... Yes!! Yes ?? No Not!!
- c. For Australia's economy to grow, it is necessary to let energetic entrepreneurs earn a lot..... Yes!! Yes ?? No Not!!
- d. For future prosperity, it is necessary to pay high salaries to those who do the best work..... Yes!! Yes ?? No Not!!
- e. Inequality in income is necessary for economic progress..... Yes!! Yes ?? No Not!!

6. In all countries, there are differences or even conflicts between different social groups. In your opinion, in Australia how much conflict is there between...

| | HOW MUCH CONFLICT? | | | |
|--|--------------------|--------|----------|------|
| | Strong!! | Strong | Not Very | None |
| a. Poor people and rich people? | Strong!! | Strong | Not Very | None |
| b. The working class and the middle class? | Strong!! | Strong | Not Very | None |
| c. People at the top of society and those at the bottom? | Strong!! | Strong | Not Very | None |
| d. Management and workers? | Strong!! | Strong | Not Very | None |
| e. Those who govern -- those in power in the government -- and those who are governed? | Strong!! | Strong | Not Very | None |
| f. Immigrants and native-born Australians? | Strong!! | Strong | Not Very | None |
| g. Smokers and non-smokers? | Strong!! | Strong | Not Very | None |
| h. Homosexuals (gays) and heterosexuals (straights)? | Strong!! | Strong | Not Very | None |

7. In our society there are groups which tend to be towards the top and groups which tend to be toward the bottom. Below is a scale which runs from top to bottom. Where would you put yourself on this scale? And where would you put your spouse? And your parents?

| | YOURSELF | SPOUSE | PARENTS |
|--------------|----------|--------|---------|
| Top | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| | 5 | 5 | 5 |
| | 6 | 6 | 6 |
| | 7 | 7 | 7 |
| | 8 | 8 | 8 |
| | 9 | 9 | 9 |
| Bottom | 10 | 10 | 10 |

8. In deciding how much people ought to earn, how important should each of these things be, in your opinion ...

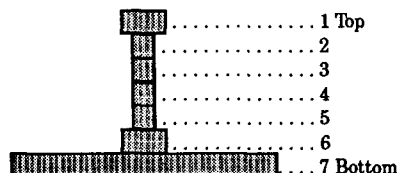
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|--------|----|----------------------|
| Top | -- | Essential |
| Very | -- | Very important |
| Fairly | -- | Fairly important |
| Not | -- | Not very important |
| Not!! | -- | Not important at all |

| | HOW IMPORTANT IN DECIDING PAY? | | | | |
|--|--------------------------------|------|--------|-----|-------|
| | Top | Very | Fairly | Not | Not!! |
| a. How much responsibility goes with the job -- how important do you think that ought to be in deciding pay? | Top | Very | Fairly | Not | Not!! |
| b. The number of years spent in education and training? | Top | Very | Fairly | Not | Not!! |
| c. Whether the job requires supervising others? | Top | Very | Fairly | Not | Not!! |
| d. What is needed to support a family? | Top | Very | Fairly | Not | Not!! |
| e. Whether the person has children to support -- how important should that be in deciding pay? | Top | Very | Fairly | Not | Not!! |
| f. How well he or she does the job -- how important? .. | Top | Very | Fairly | Not | Not!! |
| g. How hard he or she works at the job -- how important should that be in deciding pay? | Top | Very | Fairly | Not | Not!! |
| h. How energetic and diligent the worker is? | Top | Very | Fairly | Not | Not!! |
| i. Responsibility for big decisions about money? | Top | Very | Fairly | Not | Not!! |
| j. How complex and difficult the job is? | Top | Very | Fairly | Not | Not!! |
| k. Responsibility for hiring and promotion -- how important should that be in deciding pay? | Top | Very | Fairly | Not | Not!! |
| l. How dangerous the job is? | Top | Very | Fairly | Not | Not!! |
| m. How dirty and unpleasant the working conditions are? | Top | Very | Fairly | Not | Not!! |
| n. What other workers in the firm get for the job -- how important should that be in deciding pay? | Top | Very | Fairly | Not | Not!! |
| o. What workers in other industries get for similar work? | Top | Very | Fairly | Not | Not!! |
| p. What workers in that job get in New Zealand? | Top | Very | Fairly | Not | Not!! |
| q. What workers in that job get in Western Europe? ... | Top | Very | Fairly | Not | Not!! |
| 9. In deciding how much people earn, how important should it be ... | | | | | |
| a. That the worker is a native born Australian, rather than a migrant? | Top | Very | Fairly | Not | Not!! |
| b. That the worker is a man, rather than a woman? ... | Top | Very | Fairly | Not | Not!! |
| c. That the worker is a non-smoker? | Top | Very | Fairly | Not | Not!! |
| d. That the worker is heterosexual, rather than homosexual (gay)? | Top | Very | Fairly | Not | Not!! |

These five diagrams show different kinds of society. Please read the descriptions and look at the diagrams and decide which you think best describes Australia today...

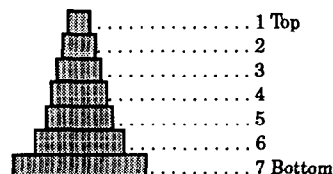
Type A

A small elite at the top, very few people in the middle and the great mass of people at the bottom



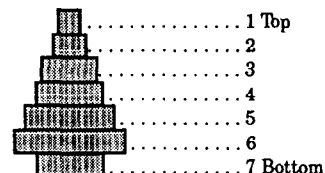
Type B

A society like a pyramid, with a small elite at the top, more people in the middle, and most at the bottom



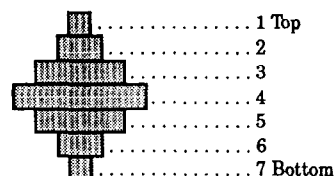
Type C

A pyramid except that just a few people are at the very bottom



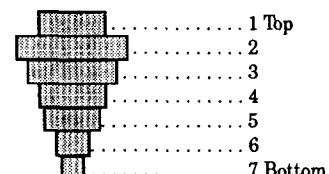
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A society with most people in the middle



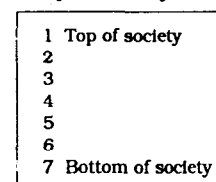
Type E

Many people near the top and only a few near the bottom



- 10a. First, what type of society is Australia today -- which diagram comes closest?..... Type A Type B Type C Type D Type E
- b. And what do you think Australia was like 10 years ago, around 1985 when Bob Hawke was prime minister -- your best guess?..... Type A Type B Type C Type D Type E
- c. And what do you think Australia was like 40 years ago, in the 1950s -- just your best guess?..... Type A Type B Type C Type D Type E
- d. What do you think Australia will be like 30 years from now, in the future -- just your best guess?..... Type A Type B Type C Type D Type E
- e. What do you think Australia ought to be like -- which would you prefer?..... Type A Type B Type C Type D Type E

11. Now about where you and other people fit in. Please look at the diagram you think best describes Australia today, the one you chose first...



- a. Where would you say you and your family actually are -- at the top, somewhere in the middle, or toward the bottom?.....
- b. Where would you say you and your family were 10 years ago, around 1985 when Bob Hawke was prime minister?.....
- c. And 5 years from now, in the future?
- d. Where would you say an unskilled worker in a factory fits in?.....
- e. The chairman of a large national corporation?
- f. A farm labourer?.....
- g. And where would a doctor in general practice fit in?
- h. Where do your parents fit in?
- i. And your husband or wife's parents?
- >> Write "NA" if not married
- j. Where would your closest friend fit in?.....
- k. The person you work with most closely in your job -- where would they fit in?.....
- >> Or in your last job, if you no longer work
- l. Your supervisor at work?

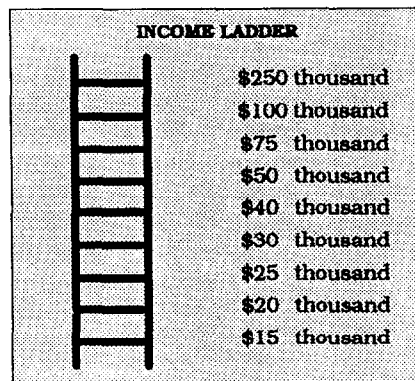
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| a. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| b. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| c. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| d. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| e. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| f. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| g. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| h. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| i. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| j. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| k. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| l. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |

12. We would like to know what you think people in these jobs **actually** earn...

>> Please choose how much you think they **usually** earn each year, before taxes.

>> Many people are not exactly sure about this, but your best guess will be close enough.

>> This is very important, but it may be difficult. So please try.



**ACTUALLY EARN
EACH YEAR**

- a. First, **about** how much do you think a skilled worker in a factory earns?\$ thousand
- b. A doctor in general practice?\$ thousand
- c. A shop assistant in a department store -- about how much do they earn?\$ thousand
- d. The chairman of a large national corporation?.....\$ thousand
- e. A lawyer -- about how much do they actually earn, just your best guess?.....\$ thousand
- f. The owner of a small shop?\$ thousand
- g. A farm labourer -- about how much do they earn?.....\$ thousand
- h. The owner-manager of a large factory?.....\$ thousand
- i. A judge in the High Court of Australia -- about how much do they actually earn?\$ thousand
- j. An unskilled worker in a factory?.....\$ thousand
- k. A cabinet minister in the federal government?\$ thousand
- l. And someone who works in **your** usual occupation?\$ thousand

13. Next, what do you think people in these jobs **ought** to be paid -- how much do you think they should earn each year before taxes, regardless of what they actually get...

**OUGHT TO EARN
EACH YEAR**

- a. First, about how much do you think a skilled worker in a factory ought to earn?.....\$ thousand
- b. A doctor in general practice?\$ thousand
- c. A shop assistant in a department store -- how much **should** they earn?\$ thousand
- d. The chairman of a large national corporation?.....\$ thousand
- e. A lawyer -- about how much **should** they earn?\$ thousand
- f. The owner of a small shop?\$ thousand
- g. A farm labourer?\$ thousand
- h. The owner-manager of a large factory?.....\$ thousand
- i. A judge in the High Court of Australia?.....\$ thousand
- j. An unskilled worker in a factory -- how much **ought** they earn?.....\$ thousand
- k. A cabinet minister in the federal government?\$ thousand
- l. And someone who works in **your** usual occupation?\$ thousand
- m. The director of a big government enterprise of national importance, such as Telecom, the railways, or Qantas?.....\$ thousand
- n. A secretary -- what ought they earn?\$ thousand
- o. The managing director of a government bank, like the Commonwealth Bank?\$ thousand
- p. The managing director of a big private bank, like Westpac or the ANZ bank?\$ thousand
- q. A bank clerk?.....\$ thousand

14. And how much do you think people in these jobs **ought** to be paid...

- a. The director of a large, government-owned factory, like the government aircraft factory or an electricity generating plant?.....\$ thousand
- b. A skilled worker in a government owned factory -- how much ought they be paid?.....\$ thousand
- c. A skilled worker in a privately owned factory?.....\$ thousand
- d. The owner-manager of a small factory, with 5 or 10 workers?.....\$ thousand
- e. A city bus driver -- how much should they be paid?.....\$ thousand
- f. A university professor?.....\$ thousand
- g. A farmer -- for example, a wheat farmer with his own land and equipment?.....\$ thousand
- h. The owner of a stall selling vegetables or fruit -- how much should they earn?.....\$ thousand
- i. The owner-manager of a small factory that imports electronic parts and makes computers from them?.....\$ thousand

15. Do you agree or disagree...

Yes!! -- Strongly agree
Yes -- Agree
?? -- Neither agree nor disagree
No -- Disagree
No!! -- Strongly disagree

- a. Differences in income in Australia are too large Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!
- b. It is the responsibility of the government to reduce the differences in income between people with high incomes and those with low incomes..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!
- c. There is too much of a difference between rich and poor in this country..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!
- d. Income and wealth should be redistributed toward ordinary working people Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!
- e. One of the most important aims in this country over the next ten years should be to reduce differences between rich and poor Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

16a. For most people, is Australia now a better country to live in than it was 7 or 8 years ago?

Much better, Somewhat better, The same, Somewhat worse, Much worse,

b. Have most Australians' income and standard of living gotten better or worse in the last 7 or 8 years?

Much better, Somewhat better, The same, Somewhat worse, Much worse,

c. Now about the future... do you think that Australia will become a better country for most people to live in during the next 3 years?

Much better, Somewhat better, The same, Somewhat worse, Much worse,

d. Will most Australians' income and standard of living get better or worse in the next 3 years?

Much better, Somewhat better, The same, Somewhat worse, Much worse,

17. Do you think the kind of economic system Australia had between 1945 and 1985 or so -- with most businesses owned by private enterprise, some owned by the government, strong trade unions, and high tariff protection for manufacturing -- brought to the majority of Australian people...

Only benefits.....1
More benefits than harm.....2
As much benefit as harm.....3
More harm than benefits.....4
Only harm.....5

18. In describing who you are, how important are ...

YES!! -- The most important single thing
Yes!! -- Extremely important
Yes -- Fairly important
No -- Not very important
No!! -- Not important at all

- a. Your character and personality -- how important in describing who you are?..... YES!! Yes!! Yes No No!!
- b. Being Australian -- how important?..... YES!! Yes!! Yes No No!!
- c. Your religion -- how important?..... YES!! Yes!! Yes No No!!
- d. Your gender -- that you are a man, or a woman?..... YES!! Yes!! Yes No No!!
- e. Your political party?..... YES!! Yes!! Yes No No!!
- f. Your education -- how important?..... YES!! Yes!! Yes No No!!
- g. The country you or your ancestors come from -- how important?..... YES!! Yes!! Yes No No!!
- h. Your job or occupation?..... YES!! Yes!! Yes No No!!
- i. Your family's income?..... YES!! Yes!! Yes No No!!
- j. Your social class -- how important?..... YES!! Yes!! Yes No No!!
- k. Being heterosexual (straight) or homosexual (gay)? YES!! Yes!! Yes No No!!
- l. Being a smoker or a non-smoker?..... YES!! Yes!! Yes No No!!

You and your family

Now some factual questions...

1a. What is your sex? Male, Female,

b. When were you born? Please write: / /
day month year

2a. Where were you born? And where did you live when you were 14 years old? And where now? >> Please circle a number in each box.

| | YOU BORN | AGE 14 | NOW | |
|-------------------------------|----------|---------|-----|-----|
| New South Wales..... | NSW | NSW | NSW | 001 |
| Queensland..... | QLD | QLD | QLD | 002 |
| South Australia..... | SA | SA | SA | 003 |
| Tasmania..... | TAS | TAS | TAS | 004 |
| Victoria..... | VIC | VIC | VIC | 005 |
| Western Australia..... | WA | WA | WA | 006 |
| Northern Territory..... | NT | NT | NT | 012 |
| ACT..... | ACT | ACT | ACT | 013 |
| England, Scotland, Wales..... | Britain | Britain | | 991 |
| Italy..... | Italy | Italy | | 992 |
| Greece..... | Greece | Greece | | 993 |
| New Zealand..... | NZ | NZ | | 994 |
| OTHER (Please say where) | | | | |

b. In what size city or town is that?

| | YOU BORN | AGE 14 | NOW |
|--|----------|--------|-----|
| A farm, property..... | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| A village (under 1,000 people)..... | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| A country town (up to 20,000)..... | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| A middle-sized city (up to 100,000)..... | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| A city (up to 500,000)..... | 5 | 5 | 5 |
| A metropolitan area (over 500,000)..... | 6 | 6 | 6 |

3a. What is the name of the town you lived in when you were 14?

>> If it was a rural area, please give the nearest town

Please write:

b. What postcode is that?

c. In what year did you migrate to Australia?

Born in Australia 99

Please write year:
year

4a. Where was your father born? And your mother?

Australia.....
England, Scotland, Wales.....
Italy.....
Greece.....
New Zealand.....

OTHER (Please say where)

FATHER

Australia.....
Britain.....
Italy.....
Greece.....
NZ.....

MOTHER

Australia.....
Britain.....
Italy.....
Greece.....
NZ.....

990
991
992
993
994

b. Did your parents migrate to Australia?

Stayed overseas, never settled here.....

Never

Never

9999

Migrated to Australia in (WRITE YEAR)

year

year

c. When was your father born? And your mother?

>> Just your best guess

year

year

d. Is your father still alive?

And your mother?.....

Alive
Dead

Alive
Dead

1
2

5a. Were you living with both your own mother and father around the time you were 14?

Both own mother and father..... 1

Father and stepmother..... 2

Mother and stepfather..... 3

Father only -- no mother or stepmother..... 4

Mother only -- no father or stepfather..... 5

Other (Specify)..... 6

b. (If you were not living with both parents) What happened?

Parents never married..... 1

One or both parents died..... 2

Parents separated or divorced..... 3

6. Did your mother and father get divorced? No..... 1

Yes..... 2

a. How old were you then?
age

b. How old when your mother remarried? or Not yet
age 99

7a. Did your mother work for pay for as long as a year when you were very young -- before you started school?

Yes, she worked full-time..... 1

Yes, she worked part-time..... 2

No..... 3

b. Did she work for pay after you started school and before you were about age 10?

Yes, she worked full-time..... 1

Yes, she worked part-time..... 2

No..... 3

c. When you were between 10 and 14?

Yes, she worked full-time..... 1

Yes, she worked part-time..... 2

No..... 3

8a. When you were 14 years old, what kind of work did your father do; what was his occupation?

>> DESCRIBE FULLY, USING TWO WORDS OR MORE (Do not use initials or abbreviations e.g. builder's labourer, not bld. lab.).

>> WHERE POSSIBLE, INCLUDE AWARD OR GOVERNMENT DESIGNATION.

Father's Occupation _____

b. What were some of your father's main duties? Please write in a description of his duties.

Duties _____

c. What kind of business or industry was that in? What did they do or make at the place where he worked?

>> DESCRIBE FULLY, USING TWO WORDS OR MORE (e.g. dairy farming, footwear manufacturing, Commonwealth Government)

Kind of industry _____

d. In that job, did your father supervise anyone who was directly responsible to him?

No.....1
Yes.....2

e. If so, did any of those persons supervise anyone else?

No.....1
Yes.....2

f. Was your father a ...
Top Manager.....1
Upper Manager.....2
Middle Manager.....3
Lower Manager.....4
Supervisor.....5

9a. Did your father work for a private company, or what?

Employee of a private company or business.....1
Federal, State or local government employee.....2
Self-employed; in partnership; conducting own business.....3
Other (Specify: _____).....4

b. Can you say **very roughly** what a business like that would be worth **now** if you sold it and paid off its debts?

Please write..... About \$ [] [] , [] [] [] , [] [] []

10. About how many other people usually worked for the company as full-time paid employees, not counting your father?

>> Count two half-time workers as equal to one full-time

None, 1 2 3 5 10 15 25 50 100
200 500 750 1000 2000 5000 More,000

11a. About how many books were there around the house then?
And about how many books are there around your house now?

None.....
One or two.....
Around 10.....
Around 20.....
Around 50.....
Around 100.....
Around 200.....
Around 500.....
1,000 or more.....

| THEN | NOW |
|------|-----|
| 1 | 1 |
| 2 | 2 |
| 3 | 3 |
| 4 | 4 |
| 5 | 5 |
| 6 | 6 |
| 7 | 7 |
| 8 | 8 |
| 9 | 9 |

b. When you were 14, did your family have a telephone?..... No Yes

c. And did they have a refrigerator?..... No Yes

d. Did they have a car when you were 14?.... No, One, Two or more,
>> Do not include trucks used mainly for business

e. Did they own their home or what?..... Rent.....1
Own (no mortgage).....2
Buying.....3
Other (What? _____).....4

f. Altogether, how many bedrooms were there? . None, One, Two, Three, More,

g. And how many bathrooms and ensuites?..... None, One, Two, Three, More,

h. Did you have your own bedroom..... No Yes

12. Did your **father** have any particular preference for one of the parties when you were young, say about 14 years old? And your **mother**?

Liberal -- includes National and United Australia

Party (U.A.P).....
Labor.....
National Country Party -- includes Progressive Party....
Australian Democrat.....
Democratic Labor Party (D.L.P).....

Other party (Please specify)
No preference for any party
Don't know, not sure.....

| FATHER | MOTHER | |
|----------|----------|----|
| Liberal | Liberal | 01 |
| Labor | Labor | 02 |
| National | National | 03 |
| Democrat | Democrat | 04 |
| DLP | DLP | 05 |
| None | None | 00 |
| Not sure | Not sure | 99 |

13. Was your father a union member then? No Yes

14. Thinking about your life style, the way your family lives, and your work and friends, are you mostly middle class or working class? And when you were growing up -- were your parents middle class or working class then?

| ME | MY PARENTS | |
|-----------------|-----------------|---|
| Middle class!! | Middle class!! | 1 |
| Middle class | Middle class | 2 |
| Half & half | Half & half | 3 |
| Working class | Working class | 4 |
| Working class!! | Working class!! | 5 |

15a. If your father is still under 75 and living in Australia, we would very much like to send him a questionnaire like this next year. If that is OK with you, could you please write in his address?

>> It would be a big help if you could do this -- we can learn much more about Australian families by talking to the whole family!

>> Please write clearly in **BLOCK LETTERS**.

FATHER

Name

Number & Street

Town

State: NSW Qld SA Tas Vic WA ACT NT

Postcode:

b. And if your mother is still under 75 and lives in Australia, could we send her a questionnaire next year?

>> If she lives at the same address as your father, just write her name and "SAME", please

MOTHER

Name

Number & Street

Town

State: NSW Qld SA Tas Vic WA ACT NT

Postcode:

Brothers and sisters

1. How many brothers and sisters do you have? ☐ Brothers ☐ Sisters

>> If you have more than three, tell us about the two oldest and one of the others, the one whose name comes first in alphabetical order.

| | OLDEST | SECOND | THIRD | |
|---|--|--|--|--------|
| a. Please write their first name, so there is no confusion | <input type="text"/> | <input type="text"/> | <input type="text"/> | |
| b. Is this a brother or a sister? | Brother Sister | Brother Sister | Brother Sister | 1 2 |
| c. When was he or she born? | <input type="text"/> year | <input type="text"/> year | <input type="text"/> year | |
| d. How much schooling did each get?.. | | | | |
| Some primary school or less | 1 | 1 | 1 | |
| Finished primary (year 6) | 2 | 2 | 2 | |
| Left school about age 14 or 15 | 3 | 3 | 3 | |
| A little more than that | 4 | 4 | 4 | |
| Secondary school (6th form) | 5 | 5 | 5 | |
| Some further study beyond that | 6 | 6 | 6 | |
| University or CAE graduate (BA) | 7 | 7 | 7 | |
| Higher degree (MA, PhD) | 8 | 8 | 8 | |
| e. How old was he or she when they first married? | Not yet or <input type="text"/> age | Not yet or <input type="text"/> age | Not yet or <input type="text"/> age | 00 |
| f. Has he or she ever been divorced? How old were they then? | No or <input type="text"/> age | No or <input type="text"/> age | No or <input type="text"/> age | 00 |
| g. How old was he or she when their first child was born? | No child or <input type="text"/> age | No child or <input type="text"/> age | No child or <input type="text"/> age | 00 |
| h. Smoked regularly at age 25? | Yes No | Yes No | Yes No | 1 2 |
| i. What kind of work does he or she do now? What is their occupation? >> PLEASE DESCRIBE FULLY, USING TWO WORDS OR MORE (even though there is not much space!) | | | | |
| j. What are some of his or her main duties? | | | | |
| k. What political party does he or she usually support? (Your best guess) | | | | |
| Liberal Party | Liberal | Liberal | Liberal | 1 |
| Australian Labor Party | Labor | Labor | Labor | 2 |
| National (Country) Party | National | National | National | 3 |

2. We would very much like to send your brothers and sisters a questionnaire like this next year. If that is OK with you, could you please write in their addresses?

>> It would be a big help if you could do this -- we can learn a lot about Australian families by talking to the whole family!

>> Please write clearly in **BLOCK LETTERS**

OLDEST BROTHER OR SISTER

Name

Number & Street

Town

State: NSW Qld SA Tas Vic WA ACT NT

Postcode:

SECOND BROTHER OR SISTER

Name

Number & Street

Town

State: NSW Qld SA Tas Vic WA ACT NT

Postcode:

THIRD BROTHER OR SISTER -- the one you just told us about on the last page

Name

Number & Street

Town

State: NSW Qld SA Tas Vic WA ACT NT

Postcode:

Your grandfathers

1. Now we would like to ask a few questions about your grandfathers -- your grandfather on your father's side and also your grandfather on your mother's side.

a. **About** how much education did each grandfather get? (Just your best guess)

- None.....
 Only a few years of primary school.....
 Finished primary (year 6).....
 Left school when he was about 14 or 15.....
 A little more than that.....
 Finished secondary school (6th form).....
 University.....

b. Where was he living when he was 40?

- Australia.....
 England, Scotland or Wales.....
 Other (Please write in).....

c. What kind of work did he do then -- what was his occupation when he was about 40?

>> Please describe fully, using two words or more (even though there is not much room!). If a farmer, say what kind.

d. What were his main duties?

e. Did he have his own farm or business?

No, he worked for someone else.....

Yes.....

f. Did he have people working for him (not counting family)? About how many?

g. How large was his farm or business?

Just enough for a single family.....

Two or three times that size.....

Even larger.....

h. How old is he (or how old when he died)?

i. Is he still alive?

Yes.....

No (How long ago did he die?).....

j. How many sons and daughters did he have?

>> Your aunts and uncles (also count your dad or mum)

>> Count only those who survived to adulthood

| FATHER'S FATHER | MOTHER'S FATHER |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1 | 1 |
| 2 | 2 |
| 3 | 3 |
| 4 | 4 |
| 5 | 5 |
| 6 | 6 |
| 7 | 7 |
| Australia Britain | Australia Britain |
| | |
| | |
| | |
| No Yes | No Yes |
| None or | None or |
| number | number |
| Single 2 or 3 Larger | Single 2 or 3 Larger |
| | |
| | |
| Alive or | Alive or |
| years | years |
| number | number |

Public institutions

1. Now some questions about this country and the people and organizations in it. How much confidence do you have in...

- 1 -- A very great deal
2 -- A great deal
3 -- Some
4 -- Only a little
5 -- Hardly any
6 -- None at all

| | CONFIDENCE | | | | | |
|---|-----------------|---|---|---|---|------|
| | Very great deal | | | | | None |
| a. First, banks and financial institutions. How much confidence do you have in them?..... | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| b. The federal government in Canberra -- how much confidence do you feel in the government? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| c. The police? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| d. Private schools? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| e. Australian political parties? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| f. The public service? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| g. Universities? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| h. How much confidence do you have in the Press? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| i. Major Australian companies? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| j. Trade unions? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| k. State (government) schools? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| l. Small business? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| m. The Australian constitution? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| n. The federal parliament? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| o. The education system -- how much confidence? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| 2a. The Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Commission? .. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| b. The reconciliation process between Aboriginal and other Australians? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| c. Aboriginal land rights? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| d. The social security system? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| e. Australian immigration policy? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| f. How much confidence do you have in the media? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| g. The Australian political system? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| h. The Reserve Bank? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| i. The prices and incomes Accord? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| j. The legal system? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| k. Prospects for change in Australia? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| l. Australia's future as a nation? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |

Politics and participation

1. How much interest do you generally have in what's going on in politics?

- A good deal1
Some.....2
Not much.....3
None4

2. In talking to people about elections, we often find that a lot of people did not want to vote because they weren't interested, they were sick, or they just didn't have the time. How about you -- would you have voted in the last federal election if voting had **not** been compulsory?

- Definitely.....1
Probably.....2
It's 50-50 -- I might or might not have3
Probably not.....4
Definitely not.....5

- 0 -- No, never
1 -- Once
2 -- Twice
3 -- Three times
4 -- Four or more times

3a. During the last federal election campaign in 1993, when Mr Keating ran against Dr Hewson, did you talk to any people and try to show them why they should vote for one of the parties or candidates?.....

| | NEVER | | | | FOUR+ | | | |
|--|-------|---|---|---|-------|---|---|---|
| | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |

b. Did you go to any political meetings, rallies, fundraising dinners, or things like that?

| | | | | | |
|--|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
|--|---|---|---|---|---|

c. Did you do any work for one of the parties or candidates -- for example, making a speech, putting up posters, or working in a candidate's office?.....

| | | | | | |
|--|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
|--|---|---|---|---|---|

4. At any time, have you worked or cooperated with others in this community to try to solve some of the community's problems?

| | | | | | |
|--|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
|--|---|---|---|---|---|

5. Have you ever contacted any of the following about some need or problem concerning the **community as a whole**...

a. A **federal** member of parliament or other federal government official?

| | | | | | |
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| | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
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b. A **state** member of parliament or other state government official?

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| | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
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c. Your local councillor or some other local government official?

| | | | | | |
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| | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
|--|---|---|---|---|---|

6a. Have you ever had any contact with the police?

| | | | | | |
|--|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
|--|---|---|---|---|---|

b. Have you ever been a defendant in a court case?

| | | | | | |
|--|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
|--|---|---|---|---|---|

c. Have you ever been the "injured party" in a court case?

| | | | | | |
|--|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
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The political system

1a. How important do you feel the Queen and Royal Family are to Australia?

- Very important1
Fairly important2
Not very important3
Not important at all4

b. Do you think Australia should retain the Queen of England as Head of State or become a republic?

- Definitely retain the Queen1
Probably retain the Queen2
Probably become a republic3
Definitely become a republic4

c. If Australia did become a republic, how would you prefer the Head of State to be chosen?

- Chosen by the cabinet (the government ministers)1
Chosen by the full parliament2
Chosen by the voters3

2a. Do you feel that it is more important that governments work fast and efficiently or that there are checks on governmental power?

- Much more important that governments are efficient1
More important that governments are efficient2
More important that there are checks on government power3
Much more important that there are checks4

b. Do you believe that governments should be left to get on with their work, or do you feel that there should be checks and balances?

- They should be left to get on with their work1
They should mainly be left to get on with their work2
There should be some checks3
There should be many checks4

c. Do you think it is better that there are checks on the power of governments even if it means they are often very slow in getting things done?

- Yes, definitely1
Yes, probably2
No, probably not3
No, definitely not4

3. Would you prefer Australia to be a country where people mainly go about their business as individuals or would you prefer to have a country where people get together with others in groups to achieve their goals in life? And how do you prefer to go about your own life?

- Strongly prefer individual action
Prefer individual action
Prefer group action
Strongly prefer group action

| FOR AUSTRALIA |
|---------------|
| 1 |
| 2 |
| 3 |
| 4 |

| FOR YOURSELF |
|--------------|
| 1 |
| 2 |
| 3 |
| 4 |

4. Please show whether you agree or disagree with these statements by circling the word that comes closest to your own opinion...

- Yes!! -- if you strongly agree
Yes -- if you agree
?? -- if you neither agree nor disagree
No -- if you disagree
No!! -- if you strongly disagree

a. Our system of government should include many checks and balances to stop any one group or individual having too much power

Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

b. Perhaps the single most important safeguard in our society is that we are all subject to the rule of law

Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

c. Public officials should always have to work within the law

Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

d. Our society needs to have very strong laws to stop the people in government abusing their power

Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

e. It is vital that ordinary citizens participate in all decisions that affect them personally

Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

f. It is vital that ordinary citizens participate in all decisions that affect their community

Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

g. It is vital that ordinary citizens participate in decisions even if they may not be directly affected by them

Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

h. As long as a person's rights are not being abused they can be said to be free

Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

i. If I am free right now that means I am truly free

Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

j. People are only free if all their rights and freedoms are protected by the law

Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

k. If it is possible for someone to abuse my basic human rights, then I cannot be said to be free in any sense at all

Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

l. Someone cannot be said to be free if they are dependent for their well-being on the goodwill of another person

Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

m. Freedom does not happen by luck, but only by protections provided by our society

Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

5. How good do you think the following groups are for society?

- a. Consumer groups?..... Very good Fairly good Not very good Not good at all
b. Local community groups?..... Very good Fairly good Not very good Not good at all
c. Environmental groups?..... Very good Fairly good Not very good Not good at all
d. Trade unions?..... Very good Fairly good Not very good Not good at all
e. Business associations?..... Very good Fairly good Not very good Not good at all
f. Political parties?..... Very good Fairly good Not very good Not good at all

Immigrants and citizenship

Consider the following situation. Hans van Deth is a 30 year old Dutch man who came to Australia in 1987 on a six month visitor's visa to stay with his cousin. While he was here he found that he liked Australia very much. During that time, a friend of his cousin offered him a job in his small business, which Hans accepted. When the visa ran out Hans did not return to the Netherlands. He moved into his own flat and began to build up a social life. He knew that he should do something about his illegal status as an unlawful overstayer, but he just didn't get around to it. He became involved with an Australian woman whom he now lives with. He's never been in any trouble with the law, has a good work record and is well accepted by his neighbours. He speaks good English.

1. Do you think that this situation is something that governments should be doing something about?

Definitely yes, Probably yes, Probably no, Definitely no,

2. Suppose Hans's case came to the attention of the authorities. Some people would say that someone like Hans should be allowed to stay in Australia; others would want to see him deported. What do you think should be done? Do you think he should be...

Definitely allowed to stay in Australia1
Probably allowed to stay2
Probably deported3
Definitely deported -- sent back to the Netherlands4

3. If the authorities did decide to deport Hans, do you think he should be given preferential entry to return to Australia, allowed to apply for entry in the normal way without being given any special consideration, or should he be black listed and never allowed back into the country?

Preferential re-entry1
Allowed to apply, but not given special consideration2
Never allowed back3

4. If the authorities decided to let Hans stay in Australia, do you think he should be given some kind of penalty or should he be given full rights without any penalty?

Definitely given some kind of penalty1
Probably given some kind of penalty2
Probably given full rights with no penalty3
Definitely given full rights with no penalty4

5. If you had to decide on one of the following options for Hans, which would you choose?

Allow him to stay with no penalty1
Allow him to stay but with a penalty2
Deport him and give him preferential re-entry3
Deport him and give him no preferential treatment4
Deport him and never allow him back5

1 -- Definitely allowed to stay in Australia
2 -- Probably allowed to stay
3 -- Probably deported
4 -- Definitely deported

- 6a. What if the person in question was Lebanese -- should he be allowed to stay in Australia or deported? 1 2 3 4
b. What if he was Vietnamese? 1 2 3 4
c. And what if he was British? 1 2 3 4
d. What if he hasn't been working but has been using a false name to draw unemployment benefits? 1 2 3 4
e. What if Hans has young children, born in Australia -- should Hans be allowed to stay or deported then? 1 2 3 4
f. What about the children themselves -- should they be allowed to stay or deported? 1 2 3 4

7. In general, do you think that people like Hans should have access to welfare benefits if they need them just like other Australians or do you think that they should not be entitled to receive welfare benefits? What about the children of people like Hans?

Definitely should have access to welfare benefits
Probably should have access to welfare benefits
Probably should not have access to welfare benefits
Definitely should not have access to welfare benefits

| HANS | CHILDREN |
|------|----------|
| 1 | 1 |
| 2 | 2 |
| 3 | 3 |
| 4 | 4 |

1 -- Very uneasy
2 -- Fairly uneasy
3 -- A little uneasy
4 -- Not uneasy
5 -- Not at all uneasy

- 8a. Suppose one of your neighbours left and an Aboriginal family was planning to move in. Would you feel uneasy? 1 2 3 4 5
b. What if a family of migrants from India was planning to move in -- would you feel uneasy? 1 2 3 4 5
c. A family from Greece -- uneasy? 1 2 3 4 5
d. A Lebanese family? 1 2 3 4 5
e. A Vietnamese family? 1 2 3 4 5
f. A British family? -- would you feel uneasy? 1 2 3 4 5
- 9a. And what if a close relative were planning to marry an Aborigine? 1 2 3 4 5
b. Marry a migrant from India? 1 2 3 4 5
c. And a migrant from Greece? 1 2 3 4 5
d. A Lebanese migrant -- would you feel uneasy? 1 2 3 4 5
e. A Vietnamese migrant? 1 2 3 4 5
f. Marry a British migrant? 1 2 3 4 5

The media

1. What do you think the role of the media is? Do you think the media's role is...

- a. To make money, to be a profitable business? Yes!! Yes ?? No Noll
 b. To entertain? Yes!! Yes ?? No Noll
 c. To act as a check on government? Yes!! Yes ?? No Noll
 d. To inform the public? Yes!! Yes ?? No Noll
 e. To let governments know what the people are thinking? .. Yes!! Yes ?? No Noll
 f. To expose people and organizations who rip others off? Yes!! Yes ?? No Noll
 g. Is the media an essential democratic institution? Yes!! Yes ?? No Noll

2. How well do you think the media actually performs these roles in Australia today...

- 1 -- Very well
 2 -- Fairly well
 3 -- Not very well
 4 -- Not at all well

- a. How well do you think the media performs in making money? 1 2 3 4
 b. How well does it perform in entertaining? 1 2 3 4
 c. Acting as a check on government? 1 2 3 4
 d. In informing the public? 1 2 3 4
 e. In letting governments know what the people are thinking? 1 2 3 4
 f. In exposing people and organizations who rip others off? 1 2 3 4
 g. How well does the media perform as a democratic institution? 1 2 3 4

3. How well do you think **newspapers** perform in...

- a. Making money? 1 2 3 4
 b. Entertaining? 1 2 3 4
 c. Acting as a check on government? 1 2 3 4
 d. Informing the public? 1 2 3 4
 e. Letting governments know what the people are thinking? 1 2 3 4
 f. Exposing people and organizations who rip others off? 1 2 3 4
 g. How well do newspapers perform as a democratic institution? 1 2 3 4

4. How well do you think **radio** performs in...

- a. Making money? 1 2 3 4
 b. Entertaining? 1 2 3 4
 c. Acting as a check on government? 1 2 3 4
 d. Informing the public? 1 2 3 4
 e. Letting governments know what the people are thinking? 1 2 3 4
 f. Exposing people and organizations who rip others off? 1 2 3 4
 g. How well does radio perform as a democratic institution? 1 2 3 4

5. How well do you think **television** performs in...

- a. Making money? 1 2 3 4
 b. Entertaining? 1 2 3 4
 c. Acting as a check on government? 1 2 3 4
 d. Informing the public? 1 2 3 4
 e. Letting governments know what the people are thinking? 1 2 3 4
 f. Exposing people and organizations who rip others off? 1 2 3 4
 g. How well does television perform as a democratic institution? 1 2 3 4

6. Do you think newspapers have got better or worse in the last ten years? How about radio? And television? And what about the media overall?

| | NEWSPAPERS | RADIO | TELEVISION | OVERALL |
|----------------------------|------------|-------|------------|---------|
| Much better..... | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Better..... | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Stayed about the same | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| Worse..... | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| Much worse..... | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 |

7. Which do you rely most on for information about news and current affairs?

Newspapers₁ Radio₂ Television₃

8. When you watch television do you mainly watch the ABC or a commercial channel?

Nearly always the ABC Usually the ABC About the same amount of each Usually commercial Nearly always commercial

9. How often do you read newspapers? Listen to the radio? Watch television?

| | NEWSPAPERS | RADIO | TELEVISION |
|---------------------|------------|-------|------------|
| Very often..... | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Fairly often..... | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Not very often..... | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| Not at all..... | 4 | 4 | 4 |

10. How much do you respect the following media organizations?

- a. News Limited, owned by Rupert Murdoch? Lots!! Lots Not Not!!
 b. John Fairfax, owned mainly by Conrad Black? Lots!! Lots Not Not!!
 c. Consolidated Press, owned by Kerry Packer? Lots!! Lots Not Not!!
 d. The Australian Broadcasting Corporation, owned by the government -- how much do you respect the ABC? ... Lots!! Lots Not Not!!

11. Do you think the ABC is biased towards any particular political party? And what about the major commercial television channels, the Seven, Nine and Ten Networks?

| | ABC | SEVEN | NINE | TEN |
|---------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Pro-Labor | Labor | Labor | Labor | Labor |
| Mainly neutral..... | Neutral | Neutral | Neutral | Neutral |
| Pro-Coalition | Coalition | Coalition | Coalition | Coalition |

National Parks and the environment

How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statements...

- 1a. The greatest value of National Parks and nature reserves is in recreation activities such as bushwalking, camping or just taking photographs..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!
- b. Jobs are the most important thing in deciding how best to use our natural resources such as mineral deposits and forests Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!
- c. Development should be allowed to proceed where environmental damage from activities such as mining is possible but very unlikely Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!
- d. It is very important to have places where native wildlife and plants are preserved, even if I never go there to actually see them..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!
- e. In deciding how to use Australia's natural resources, it is more important to consider the needs of future generations than our own..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!
- f. In deciding how to use our natural resources such as mineral deposits and forests, the most important thing is the financial benefits for Australia Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!
- g. National Parks should be preserved for their sheer natural beauty..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!
- h. National Parks should be preserved for the pleasure they give to so many holiday-makers Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!
- i. I cherish nature and preserve it as one of the most precious things in life Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!
- j. The great value of National Parks is the opportunities they provide for people to enjoy nature..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

2. How often have you visited a National Park?

Very often, Fairly often, Not very often, Never,

- 1 -- Yes
2 -- No, but I have considered it
3 -- No and I haven't considered it
4 -- I would never consider it

3. Are you a member of any group whose main aim is to preserve or protect the environment?..... 1 2 3 4

4. In the last 5 years have you...

- a. Signed a petition about an environmental issue?..... 1 2 3 4
- b. Given money to an environmental group?..... 1 2 3 4
- c. Taken part in a protest or demonstration about an environmental issue?..... 1 2 3 4

5. Do you agree or disagree...

AGREE?

- a. It is quite possible to have both a prosperous economy and a healthy environment..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!
- b. Australians will increasingly have to make hard choices between economic growth and protection of the environment..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!
- c. It is just too difficult for someone like me to do much about the environment Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!
- d. I do what is right for the environment, even when it costs more money or takes more time Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!
- e. In order to protect the environment, Australia needs economic growth..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!
- f. Economic growth always harms the environment..... Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

6. How likely would you be to vote for...

HOW LIKELY?

- a. A political party that was more concerned about economic development than about environmental protection?..... Very Fairly Not Not!!
- b. A party that gave equal emphasis to economic and environmental issues?..... Very Fairly Not Not!!
- c. A party that was more concerned about environmental protection than about economic development?..... Very Fairly Not Not!!
- d. A party that put environmental protection above all other concerns?..... Very Fairly Not Not!!

7a. Have you seen, heard or read anything about ecologically sustainable development?

- Yes, definitely.....1
Yes, I think I have.....2
Not that I recall.....3
Definitely not.....4

b. Do you feel that you understand what ecologically sustainable development means?

- Yes, definitely.....1
Yes, I think I do.....2
I'm not really sure.....3
Definitely not.....4

8a. How willing would you be to pay higher prices in order to protect the environment?..... Very Fairly ?? Not Not!!

b. And how willing would you be to pay higher taxes in order to protect the environment?..... Very Fairly ?? Not Not!!

c. And how willing would you be to accept cuts in your standard of living in order to protect the environment?..... Very Fairly ?? Not Not!!

9. Which of these statements is closer to your opinion?

- We must sacrifice economic growth in order to preserve and protect the environment.....1
We must be prepared to sacrifice environmental quality for economic growth.....2

The legal system

Now some questions about our legal system and the people and organizations in it.

| | TRUST? | | | | | |
|--|--------|---|---|---|------------|---|
| | Very | | | | Not at all | |
| 1. First, how much do you trust ... | | | | | | |
| a. Lawyers? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| b. Judges? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| c. The police? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| d. Juries -- how much do you trust them? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| e. Engineers? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| f. Doctors? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| g. Journalists? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| h. How much do you trust the High Court? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| i. The Family Court? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| j. The legal system? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |

| | FAIR? | | | | | |
|--|-------|---|---|---|------------|---|
| | Very | | | | Not at all | |
| 2. How would you rate the fairness of... | | | | | | |
| a. Lawyers? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| b. Judges? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| c. The police? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| d. Juries -- how fair are they? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| e. Engineers? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| f. Doctors? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| g. Journalists? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| h. How fair is the High Court? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| i. The Family Court? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| j. The legal system? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |

| | ETHICAL? | | | | | |
|--|----------|---|---|---|------------|---|
| | Very | | | | Not at all | |
| 3. How ethical do you think they are ... | | | | | | |
| a. Lawyers? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| b. Judges? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| c. The police? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| d. Juries -- how ethical are they? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| e. Engineers? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| f. Doctors? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| g. Journalists? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| h. How ethical is the High Court? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| i. The Family Court? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| j. The legal system? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |

| | ADJUST TO CHANGE? | | | | | |
|---|-------------------|---|---|---|------------|---|
| | Very | | | | Not at all | |
| 4. Do you think they adjust to change easily ... | | | | | | |
| a. Lawyers? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| b. Judges? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| c. The police? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| d. Juries -- how easily do they adjust to change? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| e. Engineers? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| f. Doctors? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| g. Journalists? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| h. How easily does the High Court adjust to change? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| i. The Family Court? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| j. The legal system? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |

| | INEFFICIENT? | | | | | |
|--|--------------|---|---|---|------------|---|
| | Very | | | | Not at all | |
| 5. How inefficient do you think they are ... | | | | | | |
| a. Lawyers? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| b. Judges? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| c. The police? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| d. Juries -- how inefficient? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| e. Engineers? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| f. Doctors? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| g. Journalists? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| h. How inefficient is the High Court? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| i. The Family Court? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| j. The legal system? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |

| | ACCOUNTABLE TO THE PUBLIC? | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------|---|---|---|------------|---|
| | Very | | | | Not at all | |
| 6. And do you think they are accountable to the public ... | | | | | | |
| a. Lawyers? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| b. Judges? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| c. The police? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| d. Juries -- accountable to the public? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| e. Engineers? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| f. Doctors? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| g. Journalists? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| h. How to the public is the High Court? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| i. The Family Court? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| j. The legal system? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |

The workplace

1. There has been a lot of talk recently about making work conditions more flexible to help workers with family and other responsibilities organize and manage their lives more easily. This would involve employers agreeing to allow people to work longer hours some of the time and then being able to work shorter hours or take time off on other occasions when they needed to.

a. What about you -- do you think workers should have the right to work flexible hours if they want to? Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

b. Do you think workers should have the right to work shorter hours if they want to? Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

2a. Would you choose to work flexible hours if it were allowed? Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

b. Would you choose to work shorter hours if it were allowed? Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

3a. Do you think workers should have the right to paid leave to care for a sick family member (a child, or spouse or parent)? Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

b. Do you think workers should have the right to unpaid parental leave when their children are born? Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

c. Do you think workers should have the right to paid parental leave when their children are born? Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

d. Do you think women should have the right to parental leave? Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

e. Do you think men should have the right to parental leave? Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

4a. Would you take paid leave to care for a sick family member (a child, or spouse or parent) if it were allowed? Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

b. Would you take unpaid parental leave if it were allowed? Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

c. Would you take paid parental leave if it were allowed? Yes!! Yes ?? No No!!

5. How long do you think people should be allowed to take unpaid parental leave for? And how long do you think they should be allowed to take paid parental leave for? How long should women be allowed to take? And men?

| | UNPAID | PAID | WOMEN | MEN |
|--------------------------------|--------|------|-------|-----|
| It should not be allowed | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Two weeks | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| One month | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| Two months | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| Three months | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 |
| Six months | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 |
| Nine months | 7 | 7 | 7 | 7 |
| One year | 8 | 8 | 8 | 8 |
| More than one year | 9 | 9 | 9 | 9 |

6. How do you feel about people who...

- 1 -- Very positive
- 2 -- Fairly positive
- 3 -- Neither positive nor negative
- 4 -- Fairly negative
- 5 -- Very negative

a. Take paid parental leave? 1 2 3 4 5

b. Take unpaid parental leave? 1 2 3 4 5

c. Take paid leave to care for a sick family member? 1 2 3 4 5

7. As far as you know, which of the following are allowed at your workplace at present (if you are not currently working, please think of your most recent job, or your spouse's job)...

- 1 -- Definitely allowed
- 2 -- I think it's allowed
- 3 -- Not sure
- 4 -- I think it's not allowed
- 5 -- Definitely not allowed

a. Unpaid parental leave -- is that currently allowed at your workplace? 1 2 3 4 5

b. Paid parental leave -- is that allowed? 1 2 3 4 5

c. Leave to care for a sick family member? 1 2 3 4 5

8. Now think of a **child** under 3 years old. How suitable do you think each of these would be for childcare during the day...

| | | | | | |
|--|--------|------|----------|-----|-------|
| a. Mother | Best!! | Very | Somewhat | Not | Not!! |
| b. Father | Best!! | Very | Somewhat | Not | Not!! |
| c. A grandmother, aunt, or cousin? | Best!! | Very | Somewhat | Not | Not!! |
| d. A private day care centre? | Best!! | Very | Somewhat | Not | Not!! |
| e. A government day care centre? | Best!! | Very | Somewhat | Not | Not!! |

9. Do you smoke?

No, never smoked 1
Ex-smoker 2
Occasional smoker 3
Regular smoker 4
Heavy smoker 5

YOU

1
2
3
4
5

YOUR SPOUSE

1
2
3
4
5

10. Do you drink?

Never drank 1
Used to drink but no longer 2
Occasionally 3
Regular drinker 4
Heavy drinker 5

YOU

1
2
3
4
5

YOUR SPOUSE

1
2
3
4
5

Pensions and Retirement

1. Should government pay benefits.....

a. To workers who lost their job through *no fault of their own*?

| HOW MUCH A YEAR | | | | | |
|-----------------|---------|---------|----------|----------|-----------|
| None | \$3,000 | \$6,000 | \$12,000 | \$18,000 | \$24,000+ |

b. To people who *quit their job* because they did not like it, and can't find another one?

| | | | | | |
|------|---------|---------|----------|----------|-----------|
| None | \$3,000 | \$6,000 | \$12,000 | \$18,000 | \$24,000+ |
|------|---------|---------|----------|----------|-----------|

c. To healthy people who have never had a steady job?

| | | | | | |
|------|---------|---------|----------|----------|-----------|
| None | \$3,000 | \$6,000 | \$12,000 | \$18,000 | \$24,000+ |
|------|---------|---------|----------|----------|-----------|

d. To someone who is physically handicapped and unable to work?

| | | | | | |
|------|---------|---------|----------|----------|-----------|
| None | \$3,000 | \$6,000 | \$12,000 | \$18,000 | \$24,000+ |
|------|---------|---------|----------|----------|-----------|

e. A child allowance for any family with two young children, where the father works and the mother stays home to care for the children?

| | | | | | |
|------|---------|---------|----------|----------|-----------|
| None | \$3,000 | \$6,000 | \$12,000 | \$18,000 | \$24,000+ |
|------|---------|---------|----------|----------|-----------|

f. To single mothers who stay home to care for their children?

| | | | | | |
|------|---------|---------|----------|----------|-----------|
| None | \$3,000 | \$6,000 | \$12,000 | \$18,000 | \$24,000+ |
|------|---------|---------|----------|----------|-----------|

2. After someone loses their job, for *how long* should the government pay unemployment benefits?

| | |
|--|---|
| No benefits at all | 1 |
| For 6 months | 2 |
| For a year | 3 |
| For 2 years | 4 |
| For 5 years | 5 |
| For as long as they are unemployed | 6 |

3. What do you think of these government policies for providing *income for retired people*...

a. No government old age pension, people save for themselves

| BEST TERRIBLE | | | | | | |
|------------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |

b. A government old age pension paid from taxes, given *only to poor people*

| | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|

c. A government old age pension paid from taxes, given *only to families who contributed* by working and paying taxes for at least 10 years

| | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|

d. A government old age pension paid from taxes, given to *everyone* over 65

| | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|

4a. If there is a government pension paid from taxes, how large should it be?

>> For comparison, the average wage of people who are still working is about \$24,000 a year.

| | |
|---|---|
| No government pension at all | 1 |
| 25 percent of the average wage -- about \$6,000 a year | 2 |
| Half the average wage -- about \$12,000 a year | 3 |
| 75 percent of the average wage -- about \$18,000 a year | 4 |
| An average wage -- about \$24,000 a year | 5 |
| Half again the average wage -- about \$36,000 a year | 6 |

b. Aside from a government pension, do you think it is a good idea for people to join a superannuation scheme during their working years -- a scheme that regularly takes about 10 percent out of their pay and saves it for retirement?

| | |
|--|---|
| No, not a good idea | 1 |
| People should join only if they want to | 2 |
| People should be required by law to join a superannuation scheme | 3 |

5. How much should employers, workers, and government contribute to superannuation...

| | | | | | |
|-----------------------------|-----|------|------|------|------|
| a. Government | All | Most | Half | Some | None |
| b. Employers | All | Most | Half | Some | None |
| c. Workers themselves | All | Most | Half | Some | None |

6. Should superannuation benefits be...

| | AGREE? | | | | |
|--|--------|-----|----|----|-------|
| a. The <i>same for all</i> , regardless of how much they paid in? | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | Not!! |
| b. Bigger for people who worked and paid in most of their life, and smaller for those who worked only a few years? | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | Not!! |

7. And should superannuation benefits be...

| | | | | | |
|---|-------|-----|----|----|-------|
| a. Bigger for people who had high incomes when they worked, and smaller for the poorly paid? | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | Not!! |
| b. All in all, should benefits depend on how much people paid in to superannuation throughout their working life? | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | Not!! |
| c. Should there be a <i>ceiling</i> on benefits, a maximum that anyone can get regardless of how much they contributed? | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | Not!! |

8a. Should superannuation schemes be run by the government, private companies, or what?

| | |
|--|---|
| Government should run them itself | 1 |
| Private companies -- like banks and insurance companies -- should run them under strict government supervision | 2 |
| Private companies should run them under broad government guidelines | 3 |
| Private companies should run them entirely on their own | 4 |

b. Are you a member of a superannuation scheme yourself?

c. Is your husband or wife a member of one?

9. How suitable do you think each of these is for taking care of an elderly widow or widower who can no longer take care of themselves...

| | HOW SUITABLE? | | | | |
|--|---------------|------|----------|-----|-------|
| a. A daughter -- how suitable? | Best!! | Very | Somewhat | Not | Not!! |
| b. A son - how suitable? | Best!! | Very | Somewhat | Not | Not!! |
| c. Some other relative? | Best!! | Very | Somewhat | Not | Not!! |
| d. A neighbour, friend, or former work-mate? | Best!! | Very | Somewhat | Not | Not!! |
| e. A private old-age home? | Best!! | Very | Somewhat | Not | Not!! |
| f. A government old-age home? | Best!! | Very | Somewhat | Not | Not!! |

Bits and pieces

>> A few bits that we didn't fit in elsewhere...

1. If you were asked to use one of four names for your social class, which would you say you belong in?

Lower class, Working class, Middle class, Upper class,

2. In general, would you say newspapers are ...

| | | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|-------|-----|----|----|------|
| a. Exciting to read | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |
| b. Hard to understand | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |
| c. Accurate | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |
| d. Fun to read | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |
| e. Detailed | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |
| f. Informative | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |
| g. Easy to understand | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |
| h. Believable and trustworthy | Yes!! | Yes | ?? | No | No!! |

3. In the last week, on which days did you read ... (>>Please circle all that apply)

| | | | | | | | | |
|---|-----|----|-----|----|-----|-----|-----|----|
| a. Sydney Morning Herald OR Melbourne Age | Mon | Tu | Wed | Th | Fri | Sat | Sun | NO |
| b. Daily Telegraph Mirror OR Melbourne Herald Sun | Mon | Tu | Wed | Th | Fri | Sat | Sun | NO |
| c. The Australian | Mon | Tu | Wed | Th | Fri | Sat | Sun | NO |
| d. Other daily newspaper (Please specify: _____) | Mon | Tu | Wed | Th | Fri | Sat | Sun | NO |

4a. How long have you lived at this address?.....Born here, OR years

b. Do you expect to move house sometime in the next few years -- just your best guess?

| | |
|--|---|
| Definitely not move; I plan to stay here permanently | 1 |
| Probably not move house | 2 |
| Will probably move in the next year or two | 3 |
| Will probably move in 3 to 5 years | 4 |
| Will probably move at some later date | 5 |

c. We would very much like to get in touch with you again in a year or two. If that is OK, could you please give us the address of a relative or friend who will know your new address in case you have moved by then?

RELATIVE OR FRIEND WHO WILL KNOW NEW ADDRESS IF YOU MOVE

Name

Number & Street

Town

State: NSW Qld SA Tas Vic WA ACT NT

Postcode:

Are things getting better or worse?

1. Next, about how people are getting along financially these days. Would you say that **you and your family** are better off financially or worse off...

| | | |
|--------------|----|----------------------------------|
| Better now!! | -- | Much better off now |
| Better | -- | Better off now |
| Same | -- | The same now |
| Worse | -- | Somewhat worse off now |
| Worse now!! | -- | Much worse off now |
| - | -- | (Uncertain, don't know, depends) |

YOU AND YOUR FAMILY

| | | | | | | |
|--|--------------|--------|------|-------|-------------|---|
| a. Than you were this time last year? | Better now!! | Better | Same | Worse | Worse now!! | - |
| b. Than you were three years ago? | Better now!! | Better | Same | Worse | Worse now!! | - |
| c. Than you were five years ago -- are you better off financially now? .. | Better now!! | Better | Same | Worse | Worse now!! | - |
| d. Than you were 8 to 10 years ago? | Better now!! | Better | Same | Worse | Worse now!! | - |

2. Looking ahead, do you expect you and your family to be better off financially or worse off in the **future** ...

| | | |
|---------------|----|----------------------------------|
| Better then!! | -- | Much better off then than now |
| Better | -- | Better off then |
| Same | -- | The same as now |
| Worse | -- | Somewhat worse off than now |
| Worse then!! | -- | Much worse off then than now |
| - | -- | (Uncertain, don't know, depends) |

YOU AND YOUR FAMILY

| | | | | | | |
|--|---------------|--------|------|-------|--------------|---|
| a. This time next year -- better or worse off then? | Better then!! | Better | Same | Worse | Worse then!! | - |
| b. In three years' time -- you and your family better off financially then than you are now? | Better then!! | Better | Same | Worse | Worse then!! | - |
| c. In five years' time? | Better then!! | Better | Same | Worse | Worse then!! | - |
| d. In 8 to 10 years' time? | Better then!! | Better | Same | Worse | Worse then!! | - |

3. Thinking of economic conditions in **Australia as a whole**. Do you think that people are now better off financially or worse off than in the past?

AUSTRALIA AS A WHOLE

| | | | | | | |
|--|--------------|--------|------|-------|-------------|---|
| a. Compared to this time last year? | Better now!! | Better | Same | Worse | Worse now!! | - |
| b. Three years ago? | Better now!! | Better | Same | Worse | Worse now!! | - |
| c. Five years ago -- Australia better off financially? | Better now!! | Better | Same | Worse | Worse now!! | - |
| d. About 8 to 10 years ago? | Better now!! | Better | Same | Worse | Worse now!! | - |

4. Looking ahead, at the **Australian economy** as a whole, what do you think is more likely? That we will have good times in the future or some bad times, or what?

Good!! -- Continuous good times
 Good -- Good times, but some doubts about it
 ?? -- Some good times, some bad; half & half
 Bad -- Bad times, but some doubts about it
 Bad!! -- Continuous bad times
 - -- (Uncertain, don't know, depends)

- a. This time next year
- b. In three years' time -- good times for the Australian economy as a whole?
- c. In five years' time?
- d. In 8 to 10 years' time?

| AUSTRALIA AS A WHOLE | | | | | |
|----------------------|------|----|-----|-------|---|
| Good!! | Good | ?? | Bad | Bad!! | - |
| Good!! | Good | ?? | Bad | Bad!! | - |
| Good!! | Good | ?? | Bad | Bad!! | - |
| Good!! | Good | ?? | Bad | Bad!! | - |

Surveys

1. In the last 2 years, how often have you been **asked to take part** in ...

a. The census, or other surveys by the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS)? Never 1 2 3 4 5 or more

b. Did you answer them? No 1 2 3 4 All

c. Asked to take part in academic surveys -- like this one -- from universities? Never 1 2 3 4 5 or more

d. Did you answer the academic surveys?... No 1 2 3 4 All

e. Asked to take part in opinion polls about politics and public affairs in the last 2 years? Never 1 2 3 4 5 or more

f. Did you answer them? No 1 2 3 4 All

g. Asked to take part in marketing surveys about what you buy? Never 1 2 3 4 5 or more

h. And did you answer them? No 1 2 3 4 All

2. Including all the surveys you have just told us about, how often have you been **asked to take part** in surveys in the past 2 years ...

a. Surveys done by telephone? Never 1 2 3 4 5 or more

b. Did you answer them? No 1 2 3 4 All

c. Asked to take part in surveys done face to face by an interviewer at your home? Never 1 2 3 4 5 or more

d. Did you answer them? No 1 2 3 4 All

e. Asked to complete a mail survey -- like this one? Never 1 2 3 4 5 or more

f. Did you answer them? No 1 2 3 4 All

3a. How much did you enjoy filling out the questionnaire?

I enjoyed it very much 1
 I enjoyed it a fair bit 2
 I only enjoyed it a little 3

b. Would you like us to send you a report summing up the results of the survey?

Yes 1
 No, thanks 2

c. Would it be OK if we sent you another (shorter!) questionnaire next year?

Yes 1
 No, thanks 2

4. Is there anything you would like to add?

Thank you very much for filling out the questionnaire!!

>> We know that it was a long questionnaire and that there have been some hard questions. But they were important and we really appreciate your dedication in seeing it through to the end.

>> Please put it in the return envelope and mail it back to us at the Australian National University. Your co-operation has been a great help. Thanks again!

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