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V1

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V2

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V5

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82602	GHA-Ghana

V6

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82602	GHA-Ghana

V7

	Value
Label	Country_Sample_Year
Type	Numeric
Format	F6
Measurement	Scale
82602	GHA_2018

V1A_GHA

	Value
Label	What is your religion, if any?
0	None
1	Christian religion
2	Islamic religion
3	Traditional or ethnic religion
4	Agnostic (Do not know if there is a God)
5	Atheist (Do not believe in a God)
6	Refused [DNR]
9	Don't know [DNR]

Kommentar [NKD1]: This is a country specific question introduced to enable us pose question about having had "born again" experience (i.e. V45) to only those who are Christians.

V8

	Value
Label	How happy or unhappy would you say you are, on the whole are:
1	Very happy
2	Fairly happy
3	Not very happy
4	Not at all happy
9	Don't know [DNR]

V10

	Value
Label	How satisfied are you with your relationships with family members?
1	Completely satisfied
2	Very satisfied
3	Fairly satisfied
4	Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied
5	Fairly dissatisfied
6	Very dissatisfied
7	Completely dissatisfied
9	Don't know [DNR]

V11

	Value
Label	Do you think it is wrong or not wrong if a married person has sexual relations with someone other than his or her husband or wife, is it:
1	Always wrong
2	Almost always wrong
3	Wrong only sometimes
4	Not wrong at all
9	Don't know [DNR]

V12

	Value
Label	And what about sexual relations between two adults of the same sex, is it:
1	Always wrong
2	Almost always wrong
3	Wrong only sometimes
4	Not wrong at all
9	Don't know [DNR]

V13

	Value
Label	Do you personally think it is wrong or not wrong for a woman to have an abortion if the family has a very low income and cannot afford any more children?
1	Always wrong
2	Almost always wrong
3	Wrong only sometimes
4	Not wrong at all
9	Don't know [DNR]

V14

	Value
Label	Do you agree or disagree with the following statement? A husband's job is to earn money; a wife's job is to look after the home and family.
1	Strongly agree
2	Agree
3	Neither agree nor disagree
4	Disagree
5	Strongly disagree
9	Don't know [DNR]

V15A

	Value
Label	How much confidence do you have in: Parliament
1	Complete confidence
2	A great deal of confidence
3	Some confidence
4	Very little confidence
5	No confidence at all
9	Don't know [DNR]

V15B

	Value
Label	How much confidence do you have in: Business and industry
1	Complete confidence
2	A great deal of confidence
3	Some confidence
4	Very little confidence
5	No confidence at all
9	Don't know [DNR]

V15C

	Value
Label	How much confidence do you have in: Churches and religious organizations
1	Complete confidence
2	A great deal of confidence
3	Some confidence
4	Very little confidence
5	No confidence at all
9	Don't know [DNR]

V15D

	Value
Label	How much confidence do you have in: Courts and the legal system
1	Complete confidence
2	A great deal of confidence
3	Some confidence
4	Very little confidence
5	No confidence at all
9	Don't know [DNR]

V15E

	Value
Label	How much confidence do you have in: Schools and the educational system
1	Complete confidence
2	A great deal of confidence
3	Some confidence
4	Very little confidence
5	No confidence at all
9	Don't know [DNR]

V16

	Value
Label	How much do you agree or disagree with the following statement? Religious leaders should not try to influence how people vote in elections.
1	Strongly agree
2	Agree
3	Neither agree nor disagree
4	Disagree
5	Strongly disagree
9	Don't know [DNR]

V17A

	Value
Label	Agree or disagree: We trust too much in science and not enough in religious faith
1	Strongly agree
2	Agree
3	Neither agree nor disagree
4	Disagree
5	Strongly disagree
9	Don't know [DNR]

V17B

	Value
Label	Agree or disagree: Looking around the world, religions bring more conflict than peace
1	Strongly agree
2	Agree
3	Neither agree nor disagree
4	Disagree
5	Strongly disagree
9	Don't know [DNR]

V17C

	Value
Label	Agree or disagree: People with very strong religious beliefs are often too intolerant of others
1	Strongly agree
2	Agree
3	Neither agree nor disagree
4	Disagree
5	Strongly disagree
9	Don't know [DNR]

V18

	Value
Label	Do you think that churches, mosques and religious organizations in this country have too much power or too little power?
1	Far too much power
2	Too much power
3	About the right amount of power
4	Too little power
5	Far too little power
9	Don't know [DNR]

V19

	Value
Label	People have different religions and different religious views. Would you accept a person from a different religion or with a very different religious view from yours marrying a relative of yours?
1	Definitely accept
2	Probably accept
3	Probably not accept
4	Definitely not accept
9	Don't know [DNR]

V20A

	Value
Label	Religious extremists: Hold public meetings to express their views?
1	Definitely
2	Probably
3	Probably not
4	Definitely not
9	Don't know [DNR]

V20B

	Value
Label	Religious extremists: Publish their views on the Internet or social media?
1	Definitely
2	Probably
3	Probably not
4	Definitely not
9	Don't know [DNR]

V21

	Value
Label	Please indicate which statement below comes closest to expressing what you believe about God.
1	I don't believe in God.
2	I don't know whether there is a God and I don't believe there is any way to find out.
3	I don't believe in a personal God, but I do believe in a Higher Power of some kind.
4	I find myself believing in God some of the time, but not at others.
5	While I have doubts, I feel that I do believe in God.
6	I know God really exists and I have no doubts about it.
9	Don't know [DNR]

V22

	Value
Label	Which of the these best describe your beliefs about God?
1	I don't believe in God now and I never have
2	I don't believe in God now, but I used to
3	I believe in God now, but I didn't used to
4	I believe in God now and I always have
9	Don't know [DNR]

V23A

	Value
Label	Believe in: Life after death
1	Yes, definitely
2	Yes, probably
3	No, probably not
4	No, definitely not
9	Don't know [DNR]

V23B

	Value
Label	Believe in: Heaven
1	Yes, definitely
2	Yes, probably
3	No, probably not
4	No, definitely not
9	Don't know [DNR]

V23C

	Value
Label	Believe in: Hell
1	Yes, definitely
2	Yes, probably
3	No, probably not
4	No, definitely not
9	Don't know [DNR]

V23D

	Value
Label	Believe in: Religious miracles
1	Yes, definitely
2	Yes, probably
3	No, probably not
4	No, definitely not
9	Don't know [DNR]

V23E

	Value
Label	Believe in: The supernatural powers of deceased ancestors
1	Yes, definitely
2	Yes, probably
3	No, probably not
4	No, definitely not
9	Don't know [DNR]

V24A

	Value
Label	Agree or disagree: There is a God who concerns Himself with every human being personally.
1	Strongly agree
2	Agree
3	Neither agree nor disagree
4	Disagree
5	Strongly disagree
9	Don't know [DNR]

V24B

	Value
Label	Agree or disagree: There is little that people can do to change the course of their lives.
1	Strongly agree
2	Agree
3	Neither agree nor disagree
4	Disagree
5	Strongly disagree
9	Don't know [DNR]

V24C

	Value
Label	Agree or disagree: To me, life is meaningful only because God exists.
1	Strongly agree
2	Agree
3	Neither agree nor disagree
4	Disagree
5	Strongly disagree
9	Don't know [DNR]

V24D

	Value
Label	Agree or disagree: In my opinion, life does not serve any purpose.
1	Strongly agree
2	Agree
3	Neither agree nor disagree
4	Disagree
5	Strongly disagree
9	Don't know [DNR]

V24E

	Value
Label	Agree or disagree: Life is only meaningful if you provide the meaning yourself.
1	Strongly agree
2	Agree
3	Neither agree nor disagree
4	Disagree
5	Strongly disagree
9	Don't know [DNR]

V24F

	Value
Label	Agree or disagree: I have my own way of connecting with God without churches or religious services.
1	Strongly agree
2	Agree
3	Neither agree nor disagree
4	Disagree
5	Strongly disagree
9	Don't know [DNR]

V25

	Value
Label	In your opinion, does your religion treat men and women equally, treat men better than women, or treat women better than men?
1	I don't belong to or follow any religion
2	Treats men and women equally
3	Treats men better than women
4	Treats women better than men
9	Don't know [DNR]

V26

	Value
Label	Mother's religious preference when you were a child?
0	None
1	Christian only (No specific sub-group mentioned)
2	Roman Catholic
3	Anglican
4	Methodist
5	Presbyterian
6	Baptist
7	Seventh-day Adventist
8	Jehovah's Witness
9	Latter Day Saint (i.e. Mormon)
10	Evangelical Presbyterian
11	Pentecostal or Charismatic
12	Independent (e.g. "African Independent Church")
13	Muslim only (No specific sub-group mentioned)
14	Sunni Muslim

15	Ismaeli
16	Tijaniya Brotherhood
17	Shia
18	Traditional religion
19	Agnostic (Do not know if there is a God)
20	Atheist (Do not believe in a God)
95	Other
999	Don't know [DNR]

V27

	Value
Label	Father's religious preference when you were a child?
0	None
1	Christian only (No specific sub-group mentioned)
2	Roman Catholic
3	Anglican
4	Methodist
5	Presbyterian
6	Baptist
7	Seventh-day Adventist
8	Jehovah's Witness
9	Latter Day Saint (i.e. Mormon)
10	Evangelical Presbyterian
11	Pentecostal or Charismatic
12	Independent (e.g. "African Independent Church")
13	Muslim only (No specific sub-group mentioned)
14	Sunni Muslim
15	Ismaeli
16	Tijaniya Brotherhood
17	Shia
18	Traditional religion
19	Agnostic (Do not know if there is a God)
20	Atheist (Do not believe in a God)
95	Other
999	Don't know [DNR]

V28

	Value
Label	What religion, if any, were you raised in?
0	None
1	Christian only (No specific sub-group mentioned)
2	Roman Catholic
3	Anglican
4	Methodist
5	Presbyterian
6	Baptist

7	Seventh-day Adventist
8	Jehovah's Witness
9	Latter Day Saint (i.e. Mormon)
10	Evangelical Presbyterian
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13	Muslim only (No specific sub-group mentioned)
14	Sunni Muslim
15	Ismaeli
16	Tijaniya Brotherhood
17	Shia
18	Traditional religion
19	Agnostic (Do not know if there is a God)
20	Atheist (Do not believe in a God)
95	Other
999	Don't know [DNR]

V29

	Value
Label	How often did your mother attend religious services?
1	Never
2	Less than once a year
3	About once or twice a year
4	Several times a year
5	About once a month
6	Two to three times a month
7	Nearly every week
8	Every week
9	Several times a week
10	No mother/mother not present
99	Don't know/Can't remember [DNR]

V30

	Value
Label	When you were a child, how often did your father attend religious services?
1	Never
2	Less than once a year
3	About once or twice a year
4	Several times a year
5	About once a month
6	Two to three times a month
7	Nearly every week
8	Every week
9	Several times a week
10	No father/father not present
99	Don't know/Can't remember [DNR]

V31

	Value
Label	And what about when you were around 11 or 12 years old, how often did you attend religious services then?
1	Never
2	Less than once a year
3	About once or twice a year
4	Several times a year
5	About once a month
6	Two to three times a month
7	Nearly every week
8	Every week
9	Several times a week
99	Don't know/Can't remember [DNR]

V32

	Value
Label	About how often do you pray?
1	Never
2	Less than once a year
3	About once or twice a year
4	Several times a year
5	About once a month
6	Two to three times a month
7	Nearly every week
8	Every week
9	Several times a week
10	Once a day
11	Several times a day

V33

	Value
Label	How often do you take part in the activities or organizations of a church, mosque or place of worship other than attending services?
1	Never
2	Less than once a year
3	About once or twice a year
4	Several times a year
5	About once a month
6	Two to three times a month
7	Nearly every week
8	Every week
9	Several times a week

V34

	Value
Label	Have you read or listened to the reading of any holy scripture such as the Bible, Koran, or other religious scripture, not counting any reading that happened during a worship service?
1	Yes
2	No

V35

	Value
Label	For religious reasons do you have in your home a shrine, altar, or a religious object on display such as a crucifix or graffiti of a celebrated religious person?
1	Yes
2	No

V36

	Value
Label	How often do you visit a holy place for religious reasons such as going to a shrine, temple, church or mosque?
1	Never
2	Less than once a year
3	About once or twice a year
4	Several times a year
5	About once a month or more

V37

	Value
Label	Would you describe yourself as:
1	Extremely religious
2	Very religious
3	Somewhat religious
4	Neither religious nor non-religious
5	Somewhat non-religious
6	Very non-religious
7	Extremely non-religious
9	Don't know [DNR]

V38

	Value
Label	What best describes you:
1	I follow a religion and consider myself to be a spiritual person interested in the sacred or the supernatural.
2	I follow a religion, but don't consider myself to be a spiritual person interested in the sacred or the supernatural.
3	I don't follow a religion, but consider myself to be a spiritual person interested in the sacred or the supernatural.
4	I don't follow a religion and don't consider myself to be a spiritual person interested in the sacred or the supernatural
9	Don't know [DNR]

V39A

	Value
Label	Agree or disagree that practicing a religion helps people to: Make friends?
1	Strongly agree
2	Agree
3	Neither agree nor disagree
4	Disagree
5	Strongly disagree
9	Don't know [DNR]

V39B

	Value
Label	Agree or disagree that practicing a religion helps people to: Gain comfort in times of trouble or sorrow?
1	Strongly agree
2	Agree
3	Neither agree nor disagree
4	Disagree
5	Strongly disagree
9	Don't know [DNR]

V40

	Value
Label	Agree or disagree: Religions are usually a barrier to equality between women and men.
1	Strongly agree
2	Agree
3	Neither agree nor disagree
4	Disagree
5	Strongly disagree
9	Don't know [DNR]

V41A

	Value
Label	Agree or disagree: Governments should not interfere with the attempts of any religion to spread its faith.
1	Strongly agree
2	Agree
3	Neither agree nor disagree
4	Disagree
5	Strongly disagree
9	Don't know [DNR]

V41B

	Value
Label	Agree or disagree: All things considered, people belonging to different religions cannot get along with each other when living close together.
1	Strongly agree
2	Agree
3	Neither agree nor disagree
4	Disagree
5	Strongly disagree
9	Don't know [DNR]

V42A

	Value
Label	Agree or disagree: In Ghana, religion represents the past and not the future.
1	Strongly agree
2	Agree
3	Neither agree nor disagree
4	Disagree
5	Strongly disagree
9	Don't know [DNR]

V42B

	Value
Label	Agree or disagree: In Ghana, religion is just as relevant to life today as it was in the past.
1	Strongly agree
2	Agree
3	Neither agree nor disagree
4	Disagree
5	Strongly disagree
9	Don't know [DNR]

V43A

	Value
Label	Personal attitude towards: Christians
1	Very positive
2	Somewhat positive
3	Neither positive nor negative
4	Somewhat negative
5	Very negative
9	Don't know [DNR]

V43B

	Value
Label	Personal attitude towards: Muslims
1	Very positive
2	Somewhat positive
3	Neither positive nor negative
4	Somewhat negative
5	Very negative
9	Don't know [DNR]

V43C

	Value
Label	Personal attitude towards: Hindus
1	Very positive
2	Somewhat positive
3	Neither positive nor negative
4	Somewhat negative
5	Very negative
9	Don't know [DNR]

V43D

	Value
Label	Personal attitude towards: Buddhists
1	Very positive
2	Somewhat positive
3	Neither positive nor negative
4	Somewhat negative
5	Very negative
9	Don't know [DNR]

V43E

	Value
Label	Personal attitude towards: Jews
1	Very positive
2	Somewhat positive
3	Neither positive nor negative
4	Somewhat negative
5	Very negative
9	Don't know [DNR]

V43F

	Value
Label	Personal attitude towards: Atheists or non-believers
1	Very positive
2	Somewhat positive
3	Neither positive nor negative
4	Somewhat negative
5	Very negative
9	Don't know [DNR]

V43G

	Value
Label	Personal attitude towards: Traditional Religion
1	Very positive
2	Somewhat positive
3	Neither positive nor negative
4	Somewhat negative
5	Very negative
9	Don't know [DNR]

V44

	Value
Label	In general, would you say your health is.
1	Excellent
2	Very good
3	Good
4	Fair
5	Poor
9	Don't know [DNR]

V45

	Value
Label	Would you say that you have been "born again" or have had a "born again" experience? That is, a turning point in your life when you committed yourself to Christ?
1	Yes
2	No
7	n/a

V46

	Value
Label	Which of these statements comes closest to describing your feelings about the Bible?
1	The Bible is the actual word of God and it is to be taken literally, word for word
2	The Bible is the inspired word of God but not everything should be taken literally, word for word
3	The Bible is an ancient book of fables, legends, history, and moral precepts recorded by man
4	This does not apply to me
9	Don't know [DNR]

V47

	Value
Label	Has there ever been a turning point in your life when you made a new and personal commitment to religion?
1	Yes
2	No

V48A

	Value
Label	Good luck charms sometimes do bring good luck
1	Definitely True
2	Probably True
3	Probably False
4	Definitely False
9	Don't know [DNR]

V48B

	Value
Label	Some fortune tellers really can fore-tell the future
1	Definitely True
2	Probably True
3	Probably False
4	Definitely False
9	Don't know [DNR]

V48C

	Value
Label	Some faith healers do have God-given healing powers
1	Definitely True
2	Probably True
3	Probably False
4	Definitely False
9	Don't know [DNR]

V48D

	Value
Label	A person's star sign at birth, or horoscope, can affect the course of their future
1	Definitely True
2	Probably True
3	Probably False
4	Definitely False
9	Don't know [DNR]

V49

	Value
Label	Suppose a law was passed, which conflicted with your religious principles and teachings. Would you:
1	Definitely follow the law
2	Probably follow the law
3	Probably follow your religious principles
4	Definitely follow your religious principles
5	I have no religious principles
9	Don't know [DNR]

V50A

	Value
Label	Do you consider those belonging to Christians as threatening or not threatening?
1	Very threatening
2	Somewhat threatening
3	Not very threatening
4	Not at all threatening
9	Don't know [DNR]

V50B

	Value
Label	Do you consider those belonging to Muslims as threatening or not threatening?
1	Very threatening
2	Somewhat threatening
3	Not very threatening
4	Not at all threatening
9	Don't know [DNR]

V50C

	Value
Label	Do you consider those belonging to Hindus as threatening or not threatening?
1	Very threatening
2	Somewhat threatening
3	Not very threatening
4	Not at all threatening
9	Don't know [DNR]

V50D

	Value
Label	Do you consider those belonging to Buddhists as threatening or not threatening?
1	Very threatening
2	Somewhat threatening
3	Not very threatening
4	Not at all threatening
9	Don't know [DNR]

V50E

	Value
Label	Do you consider those belonging to Jews as threatening or not threatening?
1	Very threatening
2	Somewhat threatening
3	Not very threatening
4	Not at all threatening
9	Don't know [DNR]

V50F

	Value
Label	Do you consider those belonging to Non-believers as threatening or not threatening?
1	Very threatening
2	Somewhat threatening
3	Not very threatening
4	Not at all threatening
9	Don't know [DNR]

V50G_GHA

	Value
Label	Do you consider those belonging to Traditional religion as threatening or not threatening?
1	Very threatening
2	Somewhat threatening
3	Not very threatening
4	Not at all threatening
9	Don't know [DNR]

V51

	Value
Label	Generally speaking, would you say that people can be trusted or that you can't be too careful in dealing with people?
1	People can almost always be trusted
2	People can usually be trusted
3	You usually can't be too careful in dealing with people
4	You almost always can't be too careful in dealing with people
9	Don't know [DNR]

V52

	Value
Label	Reincarnation – being reborn in this world again and again?
1	Yes, definitely
2	Yes, probably
3	No, probably not
4	No, definitely not
9	Don't know [DNR]

V53

	Value
Label	<none>
1	Yes, definitely
2	Yes, probably
3	No, probably not
4	No, definitely not
9	Don't know [DNR]

Kommentar [NKD2]: This question about believe in Nirvana was not asked because it does not fit the country context.

V54

	Value
Label	Agree or disagree: A country's laws should not be based on any religion.
1	Strongly agree
2	Agree
3	Neither agree nor disagree
4	Disagree
5	Strongly disagree
9	Don't know [DNR]

SEX

	Value
Label	SEX
1	Male
2	Female

BIRTH

	Value
Label	AGE
998	Refused
999	Don't know

EDUCYRS

	Value
Label	How many years (full-time equivalent) have you been in formal education?
0	I have no formal schooling

NAT_DEGR

	Value
Label	What is the highest level of education that you have attained?
0	No formal schooling
1	Informal schooling only (including Koranic schooling)
2	Some primary schooling
3	Primary school completed
4	Intermediate school or Some secondary school / high school
5	Secondary school / high school completed
6	Post-secondary qualifications, other than university e.g. a diploma or degree from a polytechnic or college
7	Some university
8	University completed
9	Post-graduate
99	Don't know [DNR]

WORK

	Value
Label	Are you currently working for pay, did you work for pay in the past, or have you never been in paid work?
1	I am currently in paid work
2	I am currently not in paid work but I had paid work in the past
3	I have never had paid work

EMPREL

	Value
Label	Are/were you an employee, self-employed, or working for your own family's business?
1	An employee
2	Self-employed without employees
3	Self-employed with 1 to 9 employees
4	Self-employed with 10 employees or more
5	Working for your own family's business
7	Not applicable

WRKSUP

	Value
Label	Do/did you supervise other employees?
1	Yes
2	No
7	Not applicable

TYPORG1

	Value
Label	Do/did you work for a for-profit organisation or for a non-profit organisation?
1	I work/ed for a for-profit organisation
2	I work/ed for a non-profit organisation
7	Not applicable

TYPORG2

	Value
Label	Do/did you work for a public or a private employer?
1	Public employer
2	Private employer
7	Not applicable

MAINSTAT

	Value
Label	Which of the following best describes your current situation?
1	In paid work (as an employee, self-employed, or working for your own family's business)
2	Unemployed and looking for a job
3	In education (not paid for by employer), in school/student/pupil even if on vacation
4	Apprentice or trainee

5	Permanently sick or disabled
6	Retired
7	Doing housework, looking after the home, children or other persons
8	In compulsory military service or community service
9	Other

PARTLIV

	Value
Label	Do you have a spouse or a steady partner and, if yes, do you share the same household?
1	Yes, I have a spouse/partner and we share the same household
2	Yes, I have a spouse/partner but we don't share the same household
3	No, I don't have a spouse/partner

SPWORK

	Value
Label	Is your spouse/partner currently working for pay, did he/she work for pay in the past, or has he/she never been in paid work?
1	He/she is currently in paid work
2	He/she is currently not in paid work but he/she had paid work in the past
3	He/she has never had paid work
7	Not applicable

SPEMPREL

	Value
Label	Is/was your spouse/partner an employee, self-employed, or working for his/her own family's business?
1	An employee
2	Self-employed without employees
3	Self-employed with employees
4	Working for his/her own family's business
7	Not applicable

SPWRKSUP

	Value
Label	Does/did your spouse/partner supervise other employees?
1	Yes
2	No
7	Not applicable

SPMAINST

	Value
Label	Which of the following best describes your spouse's/partner's current situation?
1	In paid work (as an employee, self-employed, or working for his/her own family's business)
2	Unemployed and looking for a job
3	In education (not paid for by employer), in school/student/pupil even if on vacation
4	Apprentice or trainee

5	Permanently sick or disabled
6	Retired
7	Doing housework, looking after the home, children or other persons
8	In compulsory military service or community service
9	Other
77	Not applicable

UNION

	Value
Label	Are you or have you ever been a member of a trade union or similar organisation? If yes: is that currently or only previously?
1	Yes, currently
2	Yes, previously but not currently
3	No, never
7	Not applicable

NAT_RELIG

	Value
Label	Do you belong to a religion and, if yes, which religion do you belong to?
0	No religion
1	Catholic
3	Orthodox
5	Jewish
7	Buddhist
8	Hindu
9	Other Asian religions (specify)
10	Other religions (specify)
11	Traditional / ethnic religion
21	Protestant - Anglican
22	Protestant - Methodist
23	Protestant - Presbyterian
24	Protestant - Baptist
25	Protestant - Evangelical
26	Protestant - Pentecostal
27	Protestant - Lutheran
28	Protestant - Church of Christ
29	Protestant – African Independent Church
41	Other Christians - Jehovah's Witness
42	Other Christians - Seventh Day Adventist
43	Other Christians - Mormon
44	Other Christians - Christian only (respondents only says "Christian") identifying a specific sub-group)
61	Islamic - Sunni
62	Islamic - Ismaeli
63	Islamic - Mouridiya Brotherhood
64	Islamic - Tijaniya Brotherhood
65	Islamic - Qadiriya Brotherhood
66	Islamic - Shia
67	Islamic - Muslim only (i.e., respondents only says "Muslim")

98	Refused [DNR]
99	Don't know [Do not read]

ATTEND

	Value
Label	Apart from such special occasions as weddings, funerals, etc., how often do you attend religious services?
1	Several times a week or more often
2	Once a week
3	2 or 3 times a month
4	Once a month
5	Several times a year
6	Once a year
7	Less frequently than once a year
8	Never

TOPBOT

	Value
Label	Where would you put yourself on this scale?
1	1 - Bottom
2	2
3	3
4	4
5	5
6	6
7	7
8	8
9	9
10	10 - Top

VOTE_LE

	Value
Label	Some people don't vote nowadays for one reason or another. Did you vote in the last national election in December 2016?
0	I was not eligible to vote in the last election
1	Yes, I did vote
2	No, I did not vote

NAT_PRTY

	Value
Label	Thinking back to the last general election in December 2016. Which party did you vote for?
1	Convention People's Party (CPP)
2	National Democratic Congress (NDC)
3	New Patriotic Party (NPP)
4	People's National Convention (PNC)
5	Progressive People's Party (PPP)
8	National Democratic Party (NDP)
9	Independent candidate
10	Other [Specify]:

11	Did not vote
12	Refused to answer [Do not read]
13	Don't know [Do not read]
77	Not applicable

NAT_ETHN_1

	Value
Label	Please indicate which of the following group or groups you consider yourself to belong to.
1	Akan
2	Ewe/Anlo
3	Ga/Adangbe
4	Dagomba
5	Gurma
6	Guang
7	Grusi
8	Mande
9	Refused to answer
10	Don't know
11	Other
100	WAALA
101	TALENG
102	NANKANA
103	MAMPRUSI
104	KUSASE
105	KONMOMBA
106	HAUSA
107	GRUSI
108	GONJA
109	DAGARTI
110	DAGAABA
111	CHAKOSI
112	BUSANGA

NAT_ETHN_2

	Value
Label	Please indicate which of the following group or groups you consider yourself to belong to.
1	Akan
2	Ewe/Anlo
3	Ga/Adangbe
4	Dagomba
5	Gurma
6	Guang
7	Grusi
8	Mande
9	Refused to answer
10	Don't know
11	Other
105	KONKOMBA
998	No further response

NAT_1***

	Value
Label	If you live in a single household
1	Yes
2	No

MARITAL

	Value
Label	What is your current legal marital status?
1	Married
2	[*****]
3	Separated from my spouse/civil partner (but still legally married/still legally in a civil partnership)
4	Divorced from spouse/legally separated from my civil partner
5	Widowed/my civil partner died
6	I have never been married/never been in a civil partnership
7	Co-habitation

Kommentar [NKD3]: Civil partnership is not relevant to the Ghanaian context so it wasn't included in options.

BORN_1

	Value
Label	In which country was your father born?
1	Ghana
2	Togo
3	Nigeria
4	Niger
5	Burkina Faso
6	Liberia
7	Cote d' Ivoire
8	Mali
9	Benin
10	Denmark

BORN_2

	Value
Label	In which country was your mother born?
1	Ghana
2	Togo
3	Nigeria
4	Niger
5	Burkina Faso
6	Liberia
7	Cote d' Ivoire
8	Mali
9	Benin
10	Denmark

URBRURAL

	Value
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Label	Would you describe the place where you live as...
1	A big city
2	The suburbs or outskirts of a big city
3	A small city or town
4	A country village
5	A farm or home in the country

V56

	Value
Label	What are the reasons why these persons did not respond to the survey: First Person
1	Selected respondent who could not be traced
2	Personal refusal at selected address
3	Proxy refusal (on behalf of selected respondent)
4	Other refusal at selected address
5	No contact at selected address
6	No contact with selected person
7	Selected respondent too sick/incapacitated to participate
8	Selected respondent had inadequate understanding of language of survey
9	Selected respondent away during survey period
10	Other type of unproductive reaction (please specify)
11	Full productive interview
12	Partial productive interview (50% of the module or more)
77	Not applicable

V57

	Value
Label	What are the reasons why these persons did not respond to the survey: Second Person
1	Selected respondent who could not be traced
2	Personal refusal at selected address
3	Proxy refusal (on behalf of selected respondent)
4	Other refusal at selected address
5	No contact at selected address
6	No contact with selected person
7	Selected respondent too sick/incapacitated to participate
8	Selected respondent had inadequate understanding of language of survey
9	Selected respondent away during survey period
10	Other type of unproductive reaction (please specify)
11	Full productive interview
12	Partial productive interview (50% of the module or more)
77	Not applicable

V58

	Value
Label	What are the reasons why these persons did not respond to the survey: Third Person
1	Selected respondent who could not be traced
2	Personal refusal at selected address
3	Proxy refusal (on behalf of selected respondent)
4	Other refusal at selected address
5	No contact at selected address
6	No contact with selected person
7	Selected respondent too sick/incapacitated to participate
8	Selected respondent had inadequate understanding of language of survey
9	Selected respondent away during survey period
10	Other type of unproductive reaction (please specify)
11	Full productive interview
12	Partial productive interview (50% of the module or more)
77	Not applicable

V59

	Value
Label	What are the reasons why these persons did not respond to the survey: Fourth Person
1	Selected respondent who could not be traced
2	Personal refusal at selected address
3	Proxy refusal (on behalf of selected respondent)
4	Other refusal at selected address
5	No contact at selected address
6	No contact with selected person
7	Selected respondent too sick/incapacitated to participate
8	Selected respondent had inadequate understanding of language of survey
9	Selected respondent away during survey period
10	Other type of unproductive reaction (please specify)
11	Full productive interview
12	Partial productive interview (50% of the module or more)
77	Not applicable

V60

	Value
Label	What are the reasons why these persons did not respond to the survey: Fifth Person
1	Selected respondent who could not be traced
2	Personal refusal at selected address
3	Proxy refusal (on behalf of selected respondent)
4	Other refusal at selected address
5	No contact at selected address
6	No contact with selected person
7	Selected respondent too sick/incapacitated to participate
8	Selected respondent had inadequate understanding of language of survey
9	Selected respondent away during survey period
10	Other type of unproductive reaction (please specify)
11	Full productive interview
12	Partial productive interview (50% of the module or more)
77	Not applicable

V62

	Value
Label	What are the reasons why these persons did not respond to the survey: Sixth Person
1	Selected respondent who could not be traced
2	Personal refusal at selected address
3	Proxy refusal (on behalf of selected respondent)
4	Other refusal at selected address
5	No contact at selected address
6	No contact with selected person
7	Selected respondent too sick/incapacitated to participate
8	Selected respondent had inadequate understanding of language of survey
9	Selected respondent away during survey period
10	Other type of unproductive reaction (please specify)
11	Full productive interview
12	Partial productive interview (50% of the module or more)
77	Not applicable

V63

	Value
Label	What are the reasons why these persons did not respond to the survey: Seventh Person
1	Selected respondent who could not be traced
2	Personal refusal at selected address
3	Proxy refusal (on behalf of selected respondent)
4	Other refusal at selected address
5	No contact at selected address
6	No contact with selected person
7	Selected respondent too sick/incapacitated to participate
8	Selected respondent had inadequate understanding of language of survey
9	Selected respondent away during survey period
10	Other type of unproductive reaction (please specify)
11	Full productive interview
12	Partial productive interview (50% of the module or more)
77	Not applicable

V64

	Value
Label	BACKCHK. Household Back checked?
1	No
2	Yes