

Sweden
ISSP 2006 – Role of Government IV
Study Description

Study Description Form – Sweden (SE)

- Study title:* Swedish: Åsikter om politik och den offentliga sektorn, ISSP 2006.
English: Role of Government IV, ISSP 2006.
- Fieldwork dates:* February 7, 2006 to April 28, 2006.
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- Sample type:* A representative sample of the Swedish population 17-79 years.
- Fieldwork institute:* SIFO
- Fieldwork methods:* Separate postal survey with several reminders.
Respondents received an introductory letter and a week later a gift (value about USD 3) along with the questionnaire. The gift was free and was not associated with any obligations.
- 7/2 Introductory letter about the survey
 - 14/2 Postal survey + lottery ticket
 - 21/2 Postal reminder + questionnaire
 - 7/3 Postal reminder + questionnaire
 - 30/3 Postal reminder + questionnaire [only to those with unknown telephone numbers]
 - 29/3-6/4 Reminder by telephone + questionnaire to those wishing a questionnaire [only to those with known telephone numbers]
- Sample size (net sample):* 1194
- Details about issued sample:* AAPOR/WAPOR standard. Download: www.aapor.org/pdfs/standarddefs_3.1.pdf

Total number of starting names (gross sample size):	2000
1.0 Interviews	1194
2.11 Refusals	208
2.20 No contact	486
2.25 Respondent away	5
2.30 Other (reason given by R: time shortage)	52
2.32 Physically/mentally unable	13
2.33 Language problems	14
4.70 No eligible respondent	28

<i>Language:</i>	Swedish
<i>Weighted:</i>	No
<i>Known bias in data:</i>	No, but see population characteristics for detailed information
<i>Deviations from ISSP questionnaire:</i>	Module specific questions = No deviations Background variables Deviations = ETHNIC VARIABLE VALUE ETHNIC = parents citizenship at the time of the birth of the respondent. VALUE LABELS ETHNIC = 82 'SE:Both Swedish citizen' 82.1 'SE:One non-Swedish,One Swedish' 82.2 'SE:Both non-Swedish'
<i>Context of ISSP questionnaire:</i>	Separate survey