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**EUROPEAN INTEGRATION SURVEY  
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TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION**

The EUROPEAN INTEGRATION SURVEY was carried by INRA(Europe) and its members between March and June 1992. Within the European Community the survey was based on the regular Eurobarometer surveys carried out by INRA(Europe). Its sample is formed of people, aged 15 years and over. The basic sample design applied in all EC-Member States is a multi-stage, random (probability) one. In each EC country, a number of sampling points was drawn with probability proportional to population size (for a total coverage of the country) and to population density. For doing so, the points were drawn systematically from all "administrative regional units", after stratification by individual unit and type of area. In each of these points, a starting address was drawn, at random. Further addresses were selected by standard random route procedures. In each household, the respondent was drawn, at random. All interviews were face-to-face in people's home and in the appropriate national language.

For the EFTA - countries and the Baltics (except Norway with an ad Hoc sample) all questions were asked in INRA's international omnibus survey (INRABUS). A similar sampling procedure was applied. All surveys are representative for the national target population.

COUNTRIES	INSTITUTES	Nº INTERVIEWS	FIELDWORKDATES	POPULAT.15+ (x 000)
<b>EUROPEAN COMMUNITY:</b>				
Belgium	MARKETING UNIT	1036	23/03 - 04/04	7 994.4
Denmark	GFK DANMARK	1000	20/03 - 06/04	4 160.4
Germany(East)	SAMPLE INSTITUT	1112	21/03 - 03/04	13 607.0
Germany(West)	SAMPLE INSTITUT	1065	23/03 - 05/04	51 708.0
Greece	KEME	1000	23/03 - 06/04	7 825.6
Spain	ICP/RESEARCH	1000	18/03 - 07/04	29 427.2
France	TMO Consultants	1005	18/03 - 05/04	43 318.5
Ireland	LANSDOWNE Market Research	1001	21/03 - 11/04	2 583.0
Italy	PRAGMA	1046	24/03 - 10/04	45 902.8
Luxemburg	ILRES	496	18/03 - 15/04	302.6
The Netherlands	NIPO	1002	21/03 - 03/04	11 603.6
Portugal	NORMA	1000	24/03 - 10/04	7 718.7
Great Britain	MAI Intern. Market Res.	1016	18/03 - 10/04	44 562.0
Northern Ireland	ULSTER MARKETING SERVICES	303	19/03 - 05/04	1159.1
<b>EFTA:</b>				
Norway	Nielsen Norge	1000	31/03 - 10/04	3 432.0
Sweden	TEMPO AB	469	25/05 - 05/06	7 808.0
Finland	Suomen Gallup OY	1009	27/05 - 15/06	4 017.0
Austria	Spectra	1054	03/06 - 22/06	6 044.0
Switzerland	AES	1000	06/05 - 20/05	5 144.0
<b>BALTICS:</b>				
Estonia	EMOR	1000	05/06 - 11/06	1 264.0
Latvia	Lasoppec	1080	08/06 - 03/06	2 160.0
Lithuania	Survey Research Center	1164	01/06 - 16/06	2 812.0

For each country a comparison between the sample and the universe was carried out. The Universe description was derived from EUROSTAT population data or other CENSUS data available. For all countries a national weighting procedure, using marginal and intercellular weighting, was carried out based on this Universe description. As such in all countries, minimum sex, age, region and (for EC and EFTA) size of locality were introduced in the iteration procedure. For international weighting (i.e. average totals), INRA (EUROPE) applies the official population figures as published by EUROSTAT (Regional Statistics Yearbook of 1988) or other CENSUS data (EFTA- and Baltic countries). The total population figures for input in this post-weighting procedure are listed above.

The results are reported in the form of tables. Per question a table of results is given with the full question text (English and French) on top; the results are expressed 1) as a percentage on total base and 2) as a percentage on the number of "valid" responses (i.e. "Don't Know" and "No Answer" excluded).

Coordination, dataprocessing and data analysis by INRA(EUROPE) - European Coordination Office, Brussels.

Readers are reminded that survey results are estimations, the accuracy of which, everything being equal, rests upon the sample size and upon the observed percentage. With samples of about 1.000 interviews, the real percentages vary within the following confidence limits :

Observed percentages	10% or 90%	20% or 80%	30% or 70%	40% or 60%	50%
Confidence limits	± 1.9%	± 2.5%	± 2.7%	± 3.0%	± 3.1%

**QUESTIONNAIRE EUROPEAN INTEGRATION SURVEY (French)**

Q2 (23)

Tout compte fait, comment vous sentez-vous informé sur la Communauté Européenne ? (LIRE),

- Très bien,
- Assez bien,
- Assez mal,
- Très mal,
- NSP;

Q3 (24)

D'une façon générale, êtes-vous pour ou contre les efforts qui sont faits pour unifier l'Europe Occidentale ? Etes-vous ... ? (LIRE),

- Très pour,
- Plutôt pour,
- Plutôt contre,
- Très contre,
- NSP;

Q4 (25)

D'une façon générale, pensez-vous que le fait pour (NOTRE PAYS) de faire partie de la Communauté Européenne pourrait être ... ? (LIRE) !

- Une bonne chose,
- Une mauvaise chose,
- Une chose ni bonne, ni mauvaise,
- NSP;

Q5 (26)

Tout bien considéré, estimez-vous que (NOTRE PAYS) pourrait bénéficier ou non de son appartenance à la Communauté Européenne ?!

- Bénéficier,
- Pas bénéficier,
- NSP;

Q6 (27)

Si l'on annonçait demain que la Communauté Européenne est abandonnée, éprouveriez-vous de grands regrets, de l'indifférence (cela vous serait égal) ou un vif soulagement ?,

- De grands regrets,
- De l'indifférence,
- Un vif soulagement,
- NSP;

Q7 (33)

Dans un avenir proche, vous voyez-vous ... ? (LIRE - UNE SEULE RÉPONSE),

- (NATIONALITÉ) uniquement,
- (NATIONALITÉ) et européen,
- Européen et (NATIONALITÉ),
- Européen uniquement,
- NSP;

Q8 (65)

Pour (NATIONALITE), seriez-vous favorable ou défavorable à ce que, dans un proche avenir, il fasse partie de la Communauté Européenne ?!

- FAVORABLE;
- DÉFAVORABLE;
- NSP;

Q.9 (70)

- a) Des personnes venant d'Europe de l'Est souhaitent travailler ici.
- b) D'autres encore souffrent de violations des Droits de l'Homme dans leur pays et demandent l'asile politique.  
A propos de chacune de ces catégories d'immigration, que pensez-vous  
que l'on devrait faire chez nous. (MONTRER CARTE);

**IMMIGRES DES PAYS DE L'EUROPE DE L'EST  
DEMANDEURS D'ASILE POLITIQUE**

Les accueillir sans restrictions;  
Les accueillir, mais avec des restrictions;  
Ne pas les accueillir;  
NSP;

Q10 (74)

Beaucoup de personnes se préoccupent de la protection de l'environnement et de la lutte contre la pollution. A votre avis,  
est-ce ... ? (LIRE),

Un problème immédiat et urgent,  
Davantage un problème pour l'avenir,  
Pas réellement un problème,  
NSP;

Q.11 (79)

Maintenant, pour (NOTRE PAYS), dans son ensemble. Etes-vous très inquiet, assez inquiet, peu inquiet ou pas du tout  
inquiet au sujet des problèmes suivants ? (MONTRER CARTE);

TRÈS INQUIET;  
ASSEZ INQUIET;  
PEU INQUIET;  
PAS DU TOUT INQUIET;  
NSP;

La pollution des rivières et des lacs;  
La pollution des mers et des côtes;  
Les dommages causés aux animaux, aux plantes et au milieu naturel;  
La pollution de l'air;  
Les pollutions d'origine agricole (insecticides, désherbants, lisier, ...);  
Les déchets industriels;  
Les risques possibles, pour l'environnement, du développement des biotechnologies  
L'utilisation des animaux à des fins expérimentales;  
La chasse;  
Les risques liés à l'utilisation du nucléaire;  
La pratique de sports motorisés dans la nature comme le hors-bord, le moto-cross, le trial, les véhicules tout  
terrain, le scooter des mers ou des neiges, ...;  
Les dégâts occasionnés par le tourisme;  
La croissance des villes;

**QUESTIONNAIRE EUROPEAN INTEGRATION SURVEY (English)**

Q2 (23)

All things considered, how well informed do you feel you are about the European Community ? (READ OUT),

Very well,  
Quite well,  
Not very well,  
Not at all well,  
DK\;

Q3 (24)

In general, are you for or against efforts being made to unify Western Europe ? Are you ... ? (READ OUT),

For - very much,  
For - to some extent,  
Against - to some extent,  
Against - very much,  
DK

Q4 (25)

Generally speaking, do you think that (OUR COUNTRY'S) membership of the European Community WOULD BE ... ? (READ OUT)

A good thing,  
A bad thing,  
Neither good nor bad,  
DK

Q5 (26)

Taking everything into consideration, would you say that (OUR COUNTRY)  
COULD on balance benefit or not from being a member of the European Community ?

COULD benefit,  
COULD not benefit,  
DK

Q6 (27)

If you were told tomorrow that the European Community had been scrapped, would you be very sorry about it, indifferent or very relieved ?,

Very sorry,  
Indifferent,  
Very relieved,  
DK

Q7 (33)

In the near future do you see yourself as ? (READ OUT - ONE ANSWER ONLY),

(NATIONALITY) only,  
(NATIONALITY) and European,  
European and (NATIONALITY),  
European only,  
DK\;

Q8 (65)

For [NATIONALITY], are you in favour or not of them becoming part of the European Community, in the near future ?

IN FAVOUR;  
NOT IN FAVOUR;  
DK;

Q9 (70)

Some people coming from Eastern Europe wish to work in the West. Yet others, suffering from human rights violations in their country are seeking political asylum.

For each of these types of immigration, what do you think should be done here? ? (SHOW CARD)

**IMMIGRANTS FROM EASTERN EUROPE  
THOSE SEEKING POLITICAL ASYLUM**

- Accept them without restrictions;
- Accept them but with restrictions;
- Not accept them;
- DK;

Q10 (74)

Many people are concerned about protecting the environment and fighting pollution. In your opinion, is this ... ? (READ OUT),

- An immediate and urgent problem,
- More a problem for the future,
- Not really a problem,
- DK;

Q11 (79)

Now, thinking about (OUR COUNTRY), are you very worried, somewhat worried, not very worried or not at all worried about the following problems ?  
(SHOW CARD);

**VERY WORRIED;  
SOMEWHAT WORRIED;  
NOT VERY WORRIED;  
NOT AT ALL WORRIED;  
DK;**

- Pollution in rivers and lakes;
- Pollution of the sea and coasts;
- Damage to animals, plants and habitats;
- Air pollution;
- Agricultural pollution (insecticides, herbicides, slurry ...);
- Industrial waste;
- The possible risks to the environment of the development of biotechnology;
- The use of animals for experiments;
- Hunting and shooting;
- The risks related to the use of nuclear energy;
- Motor sports in the natural environment such as motor boats, motorbike, scrambling, all-terrain vehicles, jet skis, snow-scooter;
- The damage caused by tourism;
- The expansion of cities;



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## COUNTRIES

Austria.....	2	1
Switzerland.....	2	
Norway.....	3	
Finland.....	4	
Sweden.....	5	
Estonia.....	6	
Latvia.....	7	
Lithuania.....	8	

Q.1. All things considered, how well informed do you feel you are about the European Community ? (READ OUT)

Very well.....	3	1
Quite well.....	2	
Not very well.....	3	
Not at all well.....	4	
DK.....	5	

Q.2. In general, are you for or against efforts being made to unify Western Europe ? Are you ... ? (READ OUT)

For - very much.....	4	1
For - to some extent.....	2	
Against - to some extent.....	3	
Against - very much.....	4	
DK.....	5	

Q.3. Generally speaking, do you think that (OUR COUNTRY'S) membership of the European Community <sup>WOULD BE</sup> ... ? (READ OUT)

A good thing.....	5	1
A bad thing.....	2	
Neither good nor bad.....	3	
DK.....	4	

Q.4. Taking everything into consideration, would you say that (OUR COUNTRY) <sup>COULD</sup> has on balance benefited or not from being a member of the European Community ?

Could benefit.....	6	1
Could not benefit.....	2	
DK.....	3	

Q.5. If you were told tomorrow that the European Community had been scrapped, would you be very sorry about it, indifferent or very relieved ?

Very sorry.....	7	1
Indifferent.....	2	
Very relieved.....	3	
DK.....	4	

Q.6. In the near future do you see yourself as ? (READ OUT - ONE ANSWER ONLY)

(NATIONALITY) only.....	8	1
(NATIONALITY) and European.....	2	
European and (NATIONALITY).....	3	
European only.....	4	
DK.....	5	

(ASK ALL)

Q.7. For each of the following countries , are you in favour or not of them becoming part of the European Community, in the near future ?

READ OUT	In favour	Not in favour	DK
Austria	9 1	2	3
Sweden	10 1	2	3
Finland	11 1	2	3
Switzerland	12 1	2	3
Estonia	13 1	2	3
Latvia	14 1	2	3
Lithuania	15 1	2	3

Q.8. a) Some people coming from Eastern Europe wish to work in the West.

b) Yet others, suffering from human rights violations in their country are seeking political asylum.

For each of these types of immigration, what do you think should be done here in the European Community ?  
(SHOW CARD \*\*)

	a) IMMIGRANTS FROM EASTERN EUROPE	b) THOSE SEEKING POLITICAL ASYLUM
Accept them without restrictions	16 1	17 1
Accept them but with restrictions	2	2
Not accept them	3	3
DK	4	4

Q.9. Many people are concerned about protecting the environment and fighting pollution. In your opinion, is this ... ? (READ OUT)

An immediate and urgent problem..... 18 1  
More a problem for the future..... 2  
Not really a problem..... 3  
DK..... 4

Q.10. Now, thinking about (OUR COUNTRY), are you very worried, somewhat worried, not very worried or not at all worried about the following problems ? (SHOW CARD \*\*)

READ OUT	Very worried	Somewhat worried	Not very worried	Not at all worried	DK
Pollution in rivers and Lakes	19 1	2	3	4	5
Pollution of the sea and coasts	20 1	2	3	4	5
Damage to animals, plants and habitats	21 1	2	3	4	5
Air pollution	22 1	2	3	4	5
Agricultural pollution (insecticides, herbicides, slurry ...)	23 1	2	3	4	5
Industrial waste	24 1	2	3	4	5
The possible risks to the environment of the development of biotechnology	25 1	2	3	4	5
The use of animals for experiments	26 1	2	3	4	5
Hunting and shooting	27 1	2	3	4	5
The risks related to the use of nuclear energy	28 1	2	3	4	5
Motor sports in the natural environment such as motor boats, motorbike scrambling, all-terrain vehicles, jet skis, snow-scooter	29 1	2	3	4	5
The damage caused by tourism	30 1	2	3	4	5
The expansion of cities	31 1	2	3	4	5

COMMON DEMOGRAPHICS

D.1. (SEX)			
Male.....		32	1
Female.....			2
D.2. How many people live in your household, including yourself, all adults and children ?			
one.....		33	1
2.....			2
3.....			3
4.....			4
5.....			5
6.....			6
7.....			7
8.....			8
9 and more.....			9
D.3. Would you say you live in a ... ? (READ OUT)			
Rural area or village.....		34	1
Small or middle size town.....			2
Large town.....			3
DK.....			4

NATIONAL DEMOGRAPHICS

AUS - SIZE OF LOCALITY			
Rural (- 5000 inhabitants).....		35	1
Small/middelsized city.....			2
Big city.....			3
Wien.....			4
AUS - REGIONS			
Vorarlberg.....		36	1
Tirol.....			2
Salzburg.....			3
Oberösterreich.....			4
Steiermark.....			5
Kämlen.....			6
Niederösterreich.....			7
Burgenland.....			8
Wie.....			9
AUS - OCCUPATION			
Skilled manual worker.....		37	1
Other manual worker.....			2
Farmer.....			3
Employed position (higher).....			4
Employed position (lower).....			5
Civil servant (higher).....			6
Civil servant (lower).....			7
General manager.....			8
Business proprietors/owner of company.....			9
Owner of a shop/other self employed.....			10
Professional.....			11
Student.....			12
Retired.....			13
Unemployed.....			14
Housewife.....			15
Without current occupation.....			16
AUS - Age			
15 - 24 years.....		38	1
25 - 34 years.....			2
35 - 44 years.....			3
45 - 54 years.....			4
55 - 64 years.....			5
65 + years.....			6
CH - REGIONS			
Romande.....		39	1
Alpes.....			2
Rest/Alpes.....			3
Italiennne.....			4

CH - OCCUPATION				
Managerial positions/professionals/industrials.....	40	1		
Shopkeepers/craftsmen/selfemployed farmers.....		2		
White collars/employees in private or public sector.....		3		
Blue collars, working in private or public sector.....		4		
Retired.....		5		
Jobless/unemployed.....		6		
Students.....		7		
Housewives.....		8		
CH - Age				
15 - 24 years.....	41	1		
25 - 39 years.....		2		
40 - 54 years.....		3		
55 + years.....		4		
NOR - Age				
15 - 24 years.....	42	1		
25 - 39 years.....		2		
40 - 54 years.....		3		
55 + years.....		4		
SUO - REGION				
Helsinki.....	43	1		
Turku, Tampere.....		2		
Muu kaupunki.....		3		
Maaseututaajama.....		4		
Avoim maaseutu.....		5		
SUO - OCCUPATION				
Farmer employers.....	44	1		
Other employer, self employed.....		2		
Person in leading position, executives, officials and upper management.....		3		
Lower level employees.....		4		
Workers.....		5		
Pensioners.....		6		
Students.....		7		
Other.....		8		
SUO - AGE				
15-25.....	45	1		
26-44.....		2		
45-65.....		3		
65+.....		4		
SWE - OCCUPATION				
Profesional/independent.....	46	1		
White collar (civil servant).....		2		
Blue collar (civil servant).....		3		
White collar (private company).....		4		
Blue collar (private company).....		5		
Housewife/houseman.....		6		
Student.....		7		
Retired.....		8		
Other (unemployed ...).....		9		
SWE - AGE				
15 - 24 years.....	47	1		
25 - 34 years.....		2		
35 - 44 years.....		3		
45 - 54 years.....		4		
55 - 64 years.....		5		
65 + years.....		6		
EST - NATIONALITY				
Estonian.....	48	1		
Russian.....		2		
Ukrainian.....		3		
Byelorussian.....		4		
Other nation.....		5		
EST - EDUCATION				
Primary education (less than 7 classes).....	49	1		
7 - 8 classes.....		2		
Incomplete secondary education (9 -10 classes).....		3		
Secondary education.....		4		
Vocational education.....		5		
Incomplete higher education.....		6		
Higher education.....		7		

EST - REGIONS		
Tallinn.....	50	1
Tartu.....		2
Pärnu.....		3
Kohtla - Järve.....		4
Narva.....		5
Sillamäe.....		6
Country centre.....		7
Other town, small town.....		8
Rural centre.....		9
Village.....		10
EST - OCCUPATION		
Worker (industry).....	51	1
Worker (commerce, service).....		2
Employee, office worker.....		3
Specialist (doctor, teacher, engineer, etc ...).....		4
Leader (director, head of department, etc ...).....		5
Private enterpriser, farmer.....		6
Free-lance profession.....		7
EST - Age		
15 - 24 years.....	52	1
25 - 39 years.....		2
40 - 54 years.....		3
55 + years.....		4
LAT - NATIONALITY		
Latvians.....	53	1
Russians.....		2
Other nationalities.....		3
DK.....		4
LAT - EDUCATION		
Below secondary.....	54	1
Secondary.....		2
Higher.....		3
DK.....		4
LAT - RESIDENTIAL AREA		
Riga.....	55	1
Other towns.....		2
Countryside.....		3
DK.....		4
LAT - AGE		
- 25 years.....	56	1
25 to 34 years.....		2
35 to 49 years.....		3
50 to 64 years.....		4
65 + years.....		5
LIT - NATIONALITY		
Lithuanians.....	57	1
Russians.....		2
Poles.....		3
Byelorussians.....		4
Others.....		5
LIT - EDUCATION		
Below secondary.....	58	1
Secondary.....		2
Higher.....		3
LIT - INCOME		
Less than 1000 rubles.....	59	1
1000 - 1999 rubles.....		2
2000 - 2499 rubles.....		3
2500 - 2999 rubles.....		4
3000 - 3999 rubles.....		5
Over 4000 rubles.....		6
LIT - SIZE OF LOCALITY		
Large cities.....	60	1
Centers of regions.....		2
Other towns.....		3
Villages.....		4

LIT - Age

15 - 24 years.....	61	1
25 - 34 years.....		2
35 - 44 years.....		3
45 - 54 years.....		4
55 - 64 years.....		5
65 + years.....		6

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D.3	D.25
Size of locality	P.6
Regions	P.7
Occupation	D.15
Age (grouped)	D.11
Nationality	
Education	E.3 (Norway only)
Residential area	
COUNTRIES	COUNTRIES
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## **S2141**