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<p>112. On the whole, are you very satisfied, fairly satisfied, not very satisfied, or not at all satisfied with the life you lead?</p> <p>1 Very satisfied 2 Fairly satisfied 3 Not very satisfied 4 Not at all satisfied 0 Don't know; no reply</p> <p>113. When you, yourself, hold a strong opinion, do you ever find yourself persuading your friends, relatives or fellow workers to share your views? If so, does this happen often, from time to time, or rarely?</p> <p>1 Often 2 From time to time 3 Rarely 4 Never 0 Don't know</p> <p>114. There is a lot of talk these days about what the aims of Britain should be for the next ten years. (Show CARD A) On this card are listed some of the goals to which different people would give top priority. Would you please say which of these you yourself consider the most important? (One answer only)</p> <p>115. And the next most important? (One answer only)</p> <p>Q114 Q115</p> <p>1 1 Maintenance of law and order 2 2 Giving people more say in government decisions 3 3 Fighting rising prices 4 4 Protecting freedom of expression 0 0 Don't know; no reply</p> <p>116. On the whole, are you very satisfied, fairly satisfied, not very satisfied or not at all satisfied with the way democracy works in Britain?</p> <p>1 Very satisfied 2 Fairly satisfied 3 Not very satisfied 4 Not at all satisfied 0 Don't know</p> <p>117. Show CARD B: On this card are three basic kinds of attitudes vis-a-vis the society we live in. Please choose the one which best describes your own opinion.</p> <p>1 The entire way our society is organised must be radically changed by revolutionary action 2 Our society must be gradually improved by reforms 3 Our present society must be valiantly defended against all subversive forces 0 Don't know</p> <p>118. When you get together with your friends, would you say you discuss political matters frequently, occasionally or never?</p> <p>1 Frequently 2 Occasionally 3 Never 0 Don't know</p>	<p>119. You have probably heard about the European Community (Common Market). Considering your personal knowledge of the questions which the Common Market is concerned with, can you tell me if you agree or disagree with each of the following statements? (Read out and mark an answer for each statement)</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th></th> <th>Agree</th> <th>Disagree</th> <th>Don't know</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>I have no time for this and cannot be interested in everything at once</td> <td>1</td> <td>2</td> <td>0</td> </tr> <tr> <td>The newspapers, radio and television do not say enough about European questions</td> <td>1</td> <td>2</td> <td>0</td> </tr> <tr> <td>The newspapers, radio and television do not deal seriously enough with European questions</td> <td>1</td> <td>2</td> <td>0</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>122. Generally speaking, do you think that Britain's membership of the Common Market is a good thing, a bad thing, or neither good nor bad?</p> <p>1 Good thing 2 Bad thing 3 Neither good nor bad 0 Don't know</p> <p>123. Do you consider yourself a supporter of any particular political party? If so, do you feel yourself to be very involved in this party, fairly involved or merely a sympathiser?</p> <p>1 Very involved 2 Fairly involved 3 Merely a sympathiser 4 No affinities with any party 0 Don't know</p> <p>124. Is this party for or against the development of the European Community into a European political union?</p> <p>1 Completely for 2 To some extent for 3 To some extent against 4 Completely against 0 Don't know</p> <p>125. In June of next year the citizens of countries belonging to the European Community will be asked to vote to elect members of the European Parliament. Everybody will be entitled to vote. Are you, yourself, for or against this particular election?</p> <p>1 Completely for 2 To some extent for 3 To some extent against 4 Completely against 0 Don't know</p> <p>126. Would you say that the fact that you are able to vote for the forthcoming election in the European Parliament gives you a stronger feeling that you are a citizen of Europe than if there was no election?</p> <p>1 Yes, stronger 2 No, not stronger 0 Don't know</p> <p>127. Show CARD C: Which one of these opinions comes closest to your own on the future elections to the European Parliament?</p> <p>1 It is an event with important consequences which is certain to make Europe more politically unified 2 It is an unimportant event because the national governments will not be bound by the votes in the European Parliament 0 Don't know</p>		Agree	Disagree	Don't know	I have no time for this and cannot be interested in everything at once	1	2	0	The newspapers, radio and television do not say enough about European questions	1	2	0	The newspapers, radio and television do not deal seriously enough with European questions	1	2	0
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128. Show CARD D: Which of the following attitudes would you expect a British member of the European Parliament to have?

- 1 He should support things that are good for Europe as a whole, even if they are not always good for Britain at the time
- 2 He should support the interests of Britain all the time whether or not they are good for Europe as a whole
- 0 Don't know

129. How likely is it that you will go and vote? Certainly, probably, probably not or certainly not?

- 1 Will certainly go and vote
- 2 Will probably go and vote
- 3 Will probably not vote
- 4 Will certainly not vote
- 5 Depends (Do NOT suggest this)
- 0 Don't know

130. Which party are you most likely to vote for in the elections to the European Parliament, assuming for the moment that this party will have candidates in the Constituency where you vote? (Show CARD E)

- 1 Conservative
- 2 Labour
- 3 Liberal
- 4 Nationalist
- 5 Other
- 9 None
- 0 Don't know; no reply

132. In practice at these elections some parties may not have a candidate in every Constituency. If the party you have just quoted doesn't have a candidate where you vote, which other party would you be most likely to vote for?

- 1 Conservative
- 2 Labour
- 3 Liberal
- 4 Nationalist
- 5 Other
- 9 None
- 0 Don't know; no reply

134. There are two ways of looking at the more distant future of the European Community: (Show CARD F and read it out)

- Some people think the Community should not only have a directly elected Parliament, but also an actual Government which would have the final say in decisions in some important areas
- Others think that the individual Governments of member countries should have the final say

Which of these two comes nearest to your way of thinking? (Do not pressure, do not suggest, repeat if necessary)

- 1 An actual European Government
- 2 National Government to have the final say
- 3 Other response (spontaneous)(Write in)

0 Don't know

135. It has been suggested that people sought after for crimes committed in one member country of the European Community who have taken refuge in another member country should be automatically handed back to the country who want to put them on trial. Are:

- 1 Completely for
- 2 Somewhat for
- 3 Somewhat against
- 4 Completely against this idea
- 0 Don't know

Now for something different:

136. Taking all things together, how would you say things are these days - would you say you're very happy, fairly happy, or not too happy these days?

- 1 Very happy
- 2 Fairly happy
- 3 Not too happy
- 0 Don't know

137. Would you say that, in this part of the country (i.e. where you live) the opportunities for getting a job are good or bad at the moment? If so, are they very good, quite good, rather bad or very bad?

- 1 Very good
- 2 Quite good
- 3 Rather bad
- 4 Very bad
- 0 Don't know

138. Are you yourself in work at the moment? If YES, how many hours a week do you normally work?

- 1 Not working (ask Q.139)
- 2 Working less than 8 hours a week)
- 3 " 8 to 29 hours a week)
- 4 " 30 to 39 hours a week) skip to
- 5 " 40 to 48 hours a week) Q.140
- 6 " more than 48 hours a week)
- 7 " hours not precise)

139. Have you had a job in the past? If so, was it full time (30 hours or more a week) or part-time (less than 30 hours a week)

- 1 Yes, full-time
- 2 Yes, part-time
- 3 No
- 0 Don't know

140. I want to talk about the last 3 years, that is since Spring 1975. During this time have you ever been unemployed, that is either without a job or wanted to find work but could not get a job?

- 1 Yes, out of work or could not get a job (ask Q.141)
- 2 No, never out of work or looking for a job) skip to
- 0 Don't know) Q.149

141. As of today, have you got a job, have you stopped looking for one, or are you unemployed or looking for a job?

- 1 Have a job)
- 2 No longer looking for a job) skip to Q.145
- 3 Is unemployed or looking for a job)
- 0 Don't know ; ask Q.142

142. Are you urgently looking for work, or can you afford to take a little time about it?

- 1 Looking urgently
- 2 Can take my time
- 0 Don't know

143. Would you take a part-time job (that is up to 30 hours a week maximum)

144. Would you or would you not accept a job at a lower level than your qualifications or experience would entitle you to?

	Part-time	Lower level
Would	1	1
Would not	2	2
Don't know	0	0

145. How long altogether have you been unemployed or looking for a job during these last 3 years?

- 1 Less than 3 months
- 2 3 to less than 6 months
- 3 6 to less than 12 months
- 4 1 year and over
- 0 Don't know

146. During these last 3 years have you been actually registered as unemployed, or are you now registered?

- 1 Registered NOW
- 2 Have been registered, BUT NOT NOW
- 3 Never registered
- 0 Don't know

147. During these three years, did you actually receive unemployment pay or other benefits such as social security because you were out of work (ignore any benefits you might have received for other reasons)?

- 1 Unemployment pay) Ask
- 2 Social security benefits etc.) D.148
- 3 None (skip to Q.149)
- 0 Can't recall, no answer

148. How long did you receive these benefits?

- 1 Less than 3 months
- 2 3 to less than 6 months
- 3 6 to less than 12 months
- 4 1 year and over
- 0 Don't know

ASK ALL:

149. Do you think that in the next 2 years you might be needing a job and not be able to find one? Would you say that this:

- 1 Is very likely
- 2 Could well happen
- 3 Is not very likely
- 4 Won't happen
- 0 Don't know

150. Among the people you know well, family, friends and close acquaintances, is there anyone who has been actually unemployed during the last 3 years (since Spring 1975)?

- 1 Yes, family
- 2 Yes, friends and acquaintances
- 3 No
- 0 Don't know

151. *Show CARD G:* Here are some different kinds of advice that could be given to people who haven't managed to find a job. In your opinion, which are good advice and which are bad? (Get one answer for each item, that is for each line)

	Good advice	Bad advice	Can't say
Learn to do another job	1	1	1
Move to another town	2	2	2
Be less choosy	3	3	3
Try to get a job which pays cash (avoiding tax and insurance)	4	4	4
Stay unemployed rather than take a job that won't satisfy you	5	5	5
If you don't need the money, give up the idea of working	6	6	6

154. *Show CARD H:* What is the worst thing about not being able to find work? And the next one? (Two answers, one per column)

	1st	2nd
Lack of contact with colleagues	1	1
Reduced income, not enough money	2	2
Poor opinion of friends and acquaintances	3	3
Family problems	4	4
Boredom, nothing to do	5	5
Lack of self confidence and self respect	6	6
Worries about the future	7	7
Loss of experience at one's trade or job	8	8
Don't know	0	0

156. Do you personally know people who are registered as unemployed and who are not seriously looking for work, have you heard talk of such people, or haven't you heard of any?

157. Do you personally know anyone who, while not registered as unemployed, would like to work if possible, have you heard of such people, or haven't you heard of any?

	Q.156	Q.157
Know people personally	1	1
Heard of such people, but don't know personally	2	2
None I have heard of	3	3
Don't know	0	0

158. From what you see around about these days, are there many people, or a few, or virtually none:

- who do paid overtime?
- who have a second job?
- who do jobs on the side for cash, thus avoiding tax and insurance on it?

	Paid overtime	Second job	Jobs on the side
Many	1	1	1
A few	2	2	2
Virtually none	3	3	3
Don't know	0	0	0

161. Is it a good thing or a bad thing that ... (one answer for each line)

	Good	Bad	Don't know
People do paid overtime	1	2	0
People have a second job	1	2	0
People do jobs on the side for cash	1	2	0

164. *Show CARD I:* In your opinion, what are the two main reasons there are so many women registered as unemployed?

	1st	2nd
Employers are less reluctant to discharge a woman than a man	1	1
Women have frequently less qualifications than men which limits the kinds of work they can be offered	2	2
Industries which employ mainly women are on the decline so job opportunities are shrinking	3	3
For some women, it is almost as worthwhile to get unemployment benefits as to work	4	4
Other responses (specify)	5	5
Don't know	0	0

166. In your opinion what are the two main reasons there are so many young people registered as unemployed? (*Show CARD J*)

	1st	2nd
Employers prefer to offer jobs to people with some experience	1	1
Young people do not wish to work in the jobs which are open to them	2	2
Employers are reluctant these days to increase their workforce	3	3
Young people come into the employment market for the first time inadequately trained for work	4	4
Other responses (specify)	5	5
Don't know	0	0

Now let us come to other topics

168. We hear often nowadays about situations where hostages are taken. If, in order to stop this it became necessary to risk the lives of hostages already taken, would you agree that this risk should be taken?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 0 Don't know

169. Do you regard yourself as belonging to a religion? If so, which of them?

- 1 Church of England)
- 2 Church of Scotland)
- 3 Free Church; Non-Conformist) Ask
- 4 Roman Catholic) Q.170
- 5 Other)
- 6 None) skip to Q.171
- 0 No reply)

170. Do you go to religious services several times a week, once a week, a few times in the year or never?

- 1 Several times a week
- 2 Once a week
- 3 A few times a year
- 4 Never
- 0 Don't know; no reply

171. In political matters people talk of "the left" and "the right". How would you place your views on this scale? (Show CARD X. Do NOT prompt. The 10 boxes on the card are numbered, ring choice. If contact hesitates, ask him to try again. Mark refusals under 'R')

LEFT

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 RIGHT

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 X(10)

R Refusals

Now continue over page
with all contacts

260. Are you: (Read out)
- 1 Single
 - 2 Married
 - 3 Living as married
 - 4 Divorced
 - 5 Separated
 - 6 Widowed
261. How old were you when you finished your full-time education?
- 1 Up to 14 years
 - 2 15 years
 - 3 16 "
 - 4 17 "
 - 5 18 "
 - 6 19 "
 - 7 20 "
 - 8 21 "
 - 9 22 years or older
 - X Still studying
262. If there were a General Election tomorrow (Say if contact under 18: and you had a vote), which party would you support?
- 1 Conservative
 - 2 Labour
 - 3 Liberal
 - 4 Nationalist
 - 5 Other
 - 9 None
 - 0 Don't know; no reply
- } skip to Q266
264. Apart from the party you have just mentioned, is there another one which you feel rather close to?
- 1 Conservative
 - 2 Labour
 - 3 Liberal
 - 4 Nationalist
 - 5 Other
 - 9 None
 - 0 Don't know; no reply

ASK ALL:

266. Sex:
- 1 Man
 - 2 Woman
267. Can you tell me your date of birth please? (Write in date of birth AND age.)
- Born: _____
- Age: _____
269. How many persons live your home, including yourself, all adults and children?
- Write in number: _____
270. How many children living at home:
- (a) between 8 and 15? _____
- (b) under 8 years? _____

272. We would like to analyse the survey results according to the income of persons interviewed.

Show INCOME CARD: Here is a scale of incomes and we would like to know in what group your family is, counting all wages, salaries, persons and any other income that comes in.

Just give me the number of the group your household falls into before tax and other deductions.

- 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 X Y

I hereby attest that this is a true record of an interview, made strictly in accordance with your requirements, with a person who is a stranger to me. This form was completed entirely at the time of interview.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

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273. Occupation of self: (Write in AND code)

Self employed:

- 1 Farmers, fishermen (skippers)
- 2 Professional - lawyers, accountants, etc.
- 3 Business - owners of shops, craftsmen, proprietors

Employed:

- 4 Manual worker
- 5 White collar - office worker
- 6 Executive, top management, director

Not employed:

- 7 Retired
- 8 Housewife, not otherwise employed
- 9 Student, military service
- 0 Unemployed

274. If self-employed or employed: Others go to Q.275 How many people are working where you work? (Organisation, company, shop, factory, etc.)

- 1 Less than 5
- 2 5 - 49
- 3 50 - 499
- 4 500 and over

275. Are you the head of the household?

- 1 Yes - go to Q.276
- 2 No - ask Q.276

276. Occupation of head of household: (Write in AND code)

Self employed:

- 1 Farmers, fishermen (skippers)
- 2 Professional - lawyers, accountants, etc.
- 3 Business - owners of shops, craftsmen, proprietors

Employed:

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5	6	7	8
9	0	X	Y

278. Would you say you live in a: (Read out)

- 1 Rural area or village
- 2 Small or middle size town
- 3 Big town

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9	0	X	Y

Name and address of contact - please PRINT

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Mrs/ _____
Miss: _____
Address: _____

