

IRELAND — RECORD LAYOUT

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FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
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1	CNTRID	2	0001-0002	Country Identification Code	
				1 Canada (English)	0/ 0
				2 Canada (French)	0/ 0
				3 Switzerland (German)	0/ 0
				4 Switzerland (French)	0/ 0
				5 Germany	0/ 0
				6 USA	0/ 0
				7 Ireland	2423/ 2174380
				8 Netherlands	0/ 0
				9 Poland	0/ 0
				10 Not available	0/ 0
				11 Sweden	0/ 0
				12 Not available	0/ 0
				13 New Zealand	0/ 0
				14 Great Britain	0/ 0
				15 Northern Ireland	0/ 0
				16 Belgium (Flanders)	0/ 0

NOTE: A rule was used to determine the country codes for Canada and Switzerland. For instance, in Switzerland, in order for a record to have a code 4, the language of test (TBLANG) variable must be equal to French (code 2). Conversely if TBLANG is German (code 3) then CNTRID must be 3 (irrespective of the language of background questionnaire (BQLANG) variable). Likewise, if TBLANG was not collected because the respondent refused the test or some other such circumstance then the value in BQLANG will drive the value of CNTRID (i.e. if BQLANG = 2, then CNTRID = 4, if it is equal to 3, then CNTRID = 3).

IALS1 countries include: Canada, Switzerland, Germany, USA, Netherlands, Poland, and Sweden.

IALS2 countries include: New Zealand, Great Britain, Ireland, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).

2	IDNO	9	0003-0011	Record Identification Number	
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NOTE: The record identification number uniquely points to a specific respondent (record) and no duplicates exist within a country. This field allows for the possibility of linking the international file to the individual national files (if available). For instance, Canada has a national file whose identification numbers correspond to the international file.

Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries.

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3	BQLANG	1	0012	Language of Background questionnaire	
				1 English	2423/ 2174380
				2 French	0/ 0
				3 German	0/ 0
				4 Dutch	0/ 0
				5 Polish	0/ 0
				6 Swedish	0/ 0

NOTE: BQLANG is the language of interview for the background questionnaire. TBLANG is the language in which the literacy tasks were completed.

Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
4	GENDER	1	0013	Gender of Respondent	
				1 Male	1077/ 1092200
				2 Female	1346/ 1082180
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
5	AGE	2	0014-0015	NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. Age of Respondent	
				Blank - Question not applicable	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	54/ 49438
				15:99 Years	2369/ 2124942
				NOTE: The age variable should be the age of the respondent as of (Survey Date) rounded to the nearest year.	
				Survey Date = October 1, 1994 for IALS1 October 1, 1995 for IALS2	
				This variable was suppressed for Canada (See AGEINT for Canada).	
6	MARITALS	1	0016	NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. Marital Status of Respondent	
				1 Single	1334/ 1137529
				2 Married (including Common-Law)	925/ 897270
				3 Widowed	58/ 46603
				4 Divorced, Separated, etc.	53/ 45274
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	53/ 47704
7	RTOHH	2	0017-0018	NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. Relationship to the Head of House (HH)	
				Blank - Question not applicable	0/ 0
				0 Head of Household	824/ 773053
				1 Husband/Wife of HH	767/ 590701
				2 Common Law Partner of HH	0/ 0
				3 Son/Daughter of HH	691/ 682826
				4 Son-in-law/Daughter-in-law of HH	7/ 6293
				5 Grandchild of HH	9/ 8526
				6 Father/Mother of HH	3/ 2777
				7 Father-in-law/Mother-in-law of HH	1/ 966
				8 Brother/Sister of HH	18/ 14127
				9 Brother-in-law/Sister-in-law of HH	0/ 0
				10 Lodger/Boarder	0/ 0
				11 Roommate	0/ 0
				12 Other	24/ 23040
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	79/ 72072
				NOTE: This variable was suppressed for Canada.	
				IALS1 applicable to: Canada, Netherlands.	
				IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain, Ireland, Northern Ireland.	

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
8	COMMSIZE	1	0019	Respondent's Community Size, Rural/Urban	
				1 Rural	1064/ 855360
				2 Urban	1359/ 1319020
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: The definition of the rural/urban concept was left to each individual country.

Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries.

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X          BACKGROUND QUESTIONNAIRE                                X
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9	A1	1	0020	Were you born in (country of interview)?	
				1 Yes	2276/ 2044986
				2 No	147/ 129394
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: If A1=1 (Yes) go to A7.

Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries.

10	A2	3	0021-0023	In what Country were you born?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2276/ 2044986
				1 Antilles	0/ 0
				2 Argentina	0/ 0
				3 Australia	0/ 0
				4 Austria	0/ 0
				5 Bahamas	0/ 0
				6 Belgium	0/ 0
				7 Bermuda	0/ 0
				8 Bolivia	0/ 0
				9 Brazil	0/ 0
				10 Bulgaria	0/ 0
				11 Canada	1/ 873
				12 Chile	0/ 0
				13 China	0/ 0
				14 Central and Eastern Europe (unspecified)	0/ 0
				15 Columbia	0/ 0
				16 Costa Rica	0/ 0
				17 Cuba	0/ 0
				18 Czechoslovakia (former)	0/ 0
				19 Denmark	0/ 0
				20 Dominican Republic	0/ 0
				21 Ecuador	0/ 0
				22 Egypt	0/ 0
				23 El Salvador	0/ 0
				24 Great Britain	0/ 0
				25 Great Britain, Wales and Scotland	93/ 82851
				26 Finland	0/ 0
				27 France	2/ 1638
				28 Germany	5/ 4601
				29 Greece	0/ 0
				30 Guam	0/ 0
				31 Guatemala	0/ 0
				32 Haiti	0/ 0
				33 Honduras	0/ 0
				34 Hong Kong	0/ 0
				35 Hungary	0/ 0

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FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
10	A2	3	0021-0023	In what Country were you born?	(CONTINUED)
36				India	0/ 0
37				Indonesia	0/ 0
38				Iran	0/ 0
39				Irak	0/ 0
40				Ireland (unspecified)	0/ 0
41				Northern Ireland	31/ 25902
42				Israel	0/ 0
43				Italy	3/ 2511
44				Jamaica	0/ 0
45				Japan	0/ 0
46				Korea	0/ 0
47				Latin America (unspecified)	0/ 0
48				Luxembourg	0/ 0
49				Mexico	0/ 0
50				Morocco	0/ 0
51				Netherlands	1/ 880
52				New Zealand	0/ 0
53				Nicaragua	0/ 0
54				Nigeria	0/ 0
55				Nordic Countries (other; unspecified)	0/ 0
56				North Africa (unspecified)	0/ 0
57				Norway	0/ 0
58				Pakistan	0/ 0
59				Panama	0/ 0
60				Peru	0/ 0
61				Philippines	0/ 0
62				Poland	0/ 0
63				Portugal	0/ 0
64				Puerto Rico	0/ 0
65				Romania	0/ 0
66				Russia	0/ 0
67				Saudi Arabia	0/ 0
68				Scotland	0/ 0
69				South Africa	0/ 0
70				Spain	2/ 2083
71				Suriman	0/ 0
72				Sweden	0/ 0
73				Switzerland	0/ 0
74				Taiwan	0/ 0
75				Thailand	0/ 0
76				Turkey	0/ 0
77				Ukraine	0/ 0
78				United Arab Emirate	0/ 0
79				United Kingdom (unspecified)	0/ 0
80				United States	2/ 1676
81				Uruguay	0/ 0
82				USSR (former)	0/ 0
83				Venezuala	0/ 0
84				Vietnam	0/ 0
85				Virgin Islands	0/ 0
86				Western Europe (non-E.C.; unspecified)	1/ 885
87				Yugoslavia (former)	0/ 0
88				Other (unspecified)	5/ 4371
89				Asia (unspecified)	0/ 0
998				DK/Refused	0/ 0
999				Not Stated	1/ 1123

NOTE: This variable was suppressed for Canada (See A2RCD for Canada).

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Germany, Sweden.

IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain, Ireland, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
11	A3	4	0024-0027	In what year did you first immigrate to country of survey?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2276/ 2044986
				1900:1998 Year of immigration	120/ 106119
				9997 Citizen of country of survey by birth	23/ 20254
				9998 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9999 Not Stated	4/ 3021

NOTE: If A3=9997 (Citizen by birth) go to A7.

This variable was suppressed for Canada (See A3RCD for Canada).

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Germany, Sweden.

IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain, Ireland.

12	A4	2	0028-0029	In total, how many years have you lived in country of survey?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1:90	0/ 0
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: This variable was suppressed for Canada (See A4RCD for Canada).

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Switzerland, Netherlands, Sweden.

IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
13	A5	2	0030-0031	Before you first immigrated to country of survey, what was the highest level of schooling you had completed?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2306/ 2071671
				0 ISCED 0	15/ 13198
				1 ISCED 1	12/ 11294
				2 ISCED 2	16/ 13922
				3 ISCED 3	18/ 14817
				5 ISCED 5	12/ 10514
				6 ISCED 6	5/ 4066
				7 ISCED 7	3/ 2958
				9 ISCED 9	2/ 2003
				10 No Schooling	34/ 29939
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: A5 defaults to A7. Codes 0 to 9 are the ISCED codes as they appear in the UNESCO ISCED abridged edition document. Codes 10, 98 and 99 have been added per force.

ISCED 0 Education preceding the first level
 ISCED 1 Education at the first level
 ISCED 2 Education at the second level, first stage
 ISCED 3 Education at the second level, second stage
 ISCED 5 Education at the third level, first stage, of the type that leads to an award not equivalent to a first university degree
 ISCED 6 Education at the third level, first stage, of the type that leads to a first university degree or equivalent
 ISCED 7 Education at the third level, second stage, of the type that leads to a postgraduate university degree or equivalent
 ISCED 9 Education not definable by level

This variable was suppressed for Canada (See A5RCD for Canada).

14	A7	2	0032-0033	Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. During your lifetime, how many years of formal education have you completed, beginning with first level, first stage, first grade and not counting repeated years at the same level?	
				0 No schooling	6/ 5646
				1:90 Total years of schooling	2410/ 2163251
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	7/ 5483

NOTE: If 0 (No schooling) go to B1.

Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
15	A8	2	0034-0035	What is the highest level of schooling you have completed?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	62/ 56455
				0 ISCED 0	48/ 41845
				1 ISCED 1	496/ 420698
				2 ISCED 2	718/ 650690
				3 ISCED 3	663/ 606536
				5 ISCED 5	206/ 184499
				6 ISCED 6	115/ 106730
				7 ISCED 7	82/ 76007
				9 ISCED 9	33/ 30920
				10 No Schooling	0/ 0
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: See A5 note for definitions of ISCED levels. If A8=0 or 1 (ISCED 0 or 1) go to A12. If A8=2 (ISCED 2) go to A11.

This variable was suppressed for Canada (See A8RCD for Canada).

16	A9	1	0036	Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. Which of the following best describes your second level program? Was it...	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Academic/college preparatory	0/ 0
				2 Business (commercial) or trade/vocational	0/ 0
				3 Second level, second stage equivalency	0/ 0
				4 Other	0/ 0
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: Question A9 applies to respondents who completed at least ISCED 3 (A8>2), whereas A11 applies to respondents who completed ISCED 2 (A8=2).

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.

IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Belgium (Flanders).

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
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17	A10	2	0037-0038	In what (regional unit or country) did you complete your second level, second stage education?	
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				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Newfoundland	0/ 0
				2 Prince Edward Island	0/ 0
				3 Nova Scotia	0/ 0
				4 New Brunswick	0/ 0
				5 Quebec	0/ 0
				6 Ontario	0/ 0
				7 Manitoba	0/ 0
				8 Saskatchewan	0/ 0
				9 Alberta	0/ 0
				10 British Columbia	0/ 0
				11 Northwest Territories	0/ 0
				12 Yukon	0/ 0
				13 United Kingdom	0/ 0
				14 India	0/ 0
				15 Italy	0/ 0
				16 Portugal	0/ 0
				17 United States	0/ 0
				18 Peoples Republic of China	0/ 0
				19 Poland (unspecified)	0/ 0
				20 Hong Kong	0/ 0
				21 Germany	0/ 0
				22 Netherlands	0/ 0
				23 Central Poland	0/ 0
				24 Central-West Poland	0/ 0
				25 Silesia (Poland)	0/ 0
				26 West Poland	0/ 0
				27 North Poland	0/ 0
				28 North-East Poland	0/ 0
				29 East Poland	0/ 0
				30 South-East Poland	0/ 0
				31 Other (unspecified)	0/ 0
				97 Outside Canada	0/ 0
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: A10 applies only to A8=3-9, 98-99 (Respondents who had completed ISCED 3 or higher, ISCED 9, DK/Refused and not stated). A10 defaults to B1.

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, Poland.

18	A11	1	0039		
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Not applicable to IALS2 countries.
Which of the following best describes your second level program? Was it...

				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Academic/college preparatory	0/ 0
				2 Business (commercial) or trade/vocational	0/ 0
				3 Second level, second stage equivalency	0/ 0
				4 Other	0/ 0
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: Question A11 applies to respondents who completed ISCED 2 (A8=2), whereas A9 applies to respondents who completed ISCED 3 or higher (A8>2).

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, Netherlands, Poland, Germany.

IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Belgium (Flanders).

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
19	A12	2	0040-0041	What was the main reason you stopped your schooling when you did?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1122/ 1026219
				1 Still in school	82/ 83171
				2 Had enough education	147/ 125416
				3 Had to work/financial reasons	354/ 299791
				4 Wanted to work/wanted to learn a trade	354/ 322277
				5 Family reasons	112/ 90421
				6 Did not like school	103/ 97218
				7 Did not do well in school/boredom	14/ 13968
				8 personal illness or disability	28/ 23890
				9 School not available/not accessible	16/ 11163
				10 To join the military	5/ 4480
				11 Other	45/ 39725
				97 Don't know	7/ 5874
				98 Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	34/ 30766

NOTE: This question applies only to respondents that did not complete ISCED 3 (A8<3). Family reasons (Code 5) includes help family business, illness at home, marriage, pregnancy, etc.

This variable was suppressed for Canada (See A12RCD for Canada).

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.

Applicable to all IALS2 countries.

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20 B1L1 2 0042-0043

What language did you first speak as a child - First Mention?

0 Language of Interview	2376/	2135084
1 English	0/	0
2 Irish	32/	25704
3 French	1/	831
4 German	4/	3650
5 Spanish	2/	2083
6 Italian	3/	2488
7 Polish	0/	0
8 Russian	0/	0
9 Ukrainian	0/	0
10 Byelorussian	0/	0
11 Hebrew	0/	0
12 Yugoslav (Serbo-Croatian/Slovak)	0/	0
13 Chinese	0/	0
14 Portuguese	0/	0
15 Dutch	0/	0
16 Punjabi	0/	0
17 Greek	0/	0
18 Arabic	0/	0
19 Vietnamese	0/	0
20 Turkish/Kurdic	0/	0
21 Swiss-German	0/	0
22 Romansch	0/	0
23 Moroccan	0/	0
24 Indonesian	0/	0
25 Romanian	0/	0
26 Iranian	0/	0
27 Swedish	0/	0
28 Finnish	0/	0
29 Persian	0/	0
30 Other (regional dialect)	0/	0
31 Other (unspecified)	5/	4541
97 Don't know	0/	0
98 Refused	0/	0
99 Not Stated	0/	0

NOTE: If B1L1=0 go to B12. Language of interview code is 0.

For Canada, responses other than French or English are coded Other (31).

Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
21	B1L2	2	0044-0045	What language did you first speak as a child - Second Mention?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2402/ 2156119
				0 Undeclared	0/ 0
				1 English	0/ 0
				2 Irish	19/ 16136
				3 French	1/ 873
				4 German	0/ 0
				5 Spanish	1/ 1252
				6 Italian	0/ 0
				7 Polish	0/ 0
				8 Russian	0/ 0
				9 Ukrainian	0/ 0
				10 Byelorussian	0/ 0
				11 Hebrew	0/ 0
				12 Yugoslav (Serbo-Croatian/Slovak)	0/ 0
				13 Chinese	0/ 0
				14 Portuguese	0/ 0
				15 Dutch	0/ 0
				16 Punjabi	0/ 0
				17 Greek	0/ 0
				18 Arabic	0/ 0
				19 Vietnamese	0/ 0
				20 Turkish/Kurdic	0/ 0
				21 Swiss-German	0/ 0
				22 Romansch	0/ 0
				23 Moroccan	0/ 0
				24 Indonesian	0/ 0
				25 Romanian	0/ 0
				26 Iranian	0/ 0
				27 Swedish	0/ 0
				28 Finnish	0/ 0
				29 Persian	0/ 0
				30 Other (regional dialect)	0/ 0
				31 Other (unspecified)	0/ 0
				97 Don't know	0/ 0
				98 Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: If the language spoken in B1L1 matches the language of interview then skip to B12.

For Canada, responses other than French or English are coded Other (31).

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, Switzerland, Germany, USA, Netherlands.

Applicable to all IALS2 countries.

22	B2L1	1	0046	How would you rate your current ability to speak B1L1?	
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				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Cannot speak that language	0/ 0
				2 Poor	0/ 0
				3 Fair	0/ 0
				4 Good	0/ 0
				5 Very Good	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Sweden.

Not applicable to IALS2 countries.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
23	B2L2	1	0047	How would you rate your current ability to speak B1L2?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Cannot speak that language	0/ 0
				2 Poor	0/ 0
				3 Fair	0/ 0
				4 Good	0/ 0
				5 Very Good	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands.	
24	B3L1	1	0048	Not applicable to IALS2 countries. How would you rate your current ability to understand B1L1 when it is spoken to you?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Cannot understand that language	0/ 0
				2 Poor	0/ 0
				3 Fair	0/ 0
				4 Good	0/ 0
				5 Very Good	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands.	
25	B3L2	1	0049	Not applicable to IALS2 countries. How would you rate your current ability to understand B1L2 when it is spoken to you?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Cannot understand that language	0/ 0
				2 Poor	0/ 0
				3 Fair	0/ 0
				4 Good	0/ 0
				5 Very Good	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands.	
26	B4L1	1	0050	Not applicable to IALS2 countries. How would you rate your current reading skills in B1L1?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Cannot read that language	0/ 0
				2 Poor	0/ 0
				3 Fair	0/ 0
				4 Good	0/ 0
				5 Very Good	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Sweden.	
				Not applicable to IALS2 countries.	

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
27	B4L2	1	0051	How would you rate your current reading skills in B1L2?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Cannot read that language	0/ 0
				2 Poor	0/ 0
				3 Fair	0/ 0
				4 Good	0/ 0
				5 Very Good	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland.	
28	B5L1	1	0052	Not applicable to IALS2 countries. How would you rate your current writing skills in B1L1?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Cannot write that language	0/ 0
				2 Poor	0/ 0
				3 Fair	0/ 0
				4 Good	0/ 0
				5 Very Good	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Sweden.	
29	B5L2	1	0053	IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain. How would you rate your current writing skills in B1L2?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Cannot write that language	0/ 0
				2 Poor	0/ 0
				3 Fair	0/ 0
				4 Good	0/ 0
				5 Very Good	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland.	
30	B6	2	0054-0055	Not applicable to IALS2 countries. How old were you when you first started to learn National Official Language(s)?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1:90 Age first learned language	0/ 0
				97 Does not speak National Official Language(s)	0/ 0
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland.	
				IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain.	

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
31	B7L1	2	0056-0057	When you were growing up, what language or languages were usually spoken in your home? First Mention	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 English	0/ 0
				2 French	0/ 0
				3 Italian	0/ 0
				4 Chinese	0/ 0
				5 German	0/ 0
				6 Portuguese	0/ 0
				7 Polish	0/ 0
				8 Ukrainian	0/ 0
				9 Spanish	0/ 0
				10 Dutch	0/ 0
				11 Punjabi	0/ 0
				12 Greek	0/ 0
				13 Other	0/ 0
				97 Don't know	0/ 0
				98 Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: For Canada, responses other than French or English are coded Other (13).

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.

				Not applicable to IALS2 countries.	
32	B7L2	2	0058-0059	When you were growing up, what language or languages were usually spoken in your home? - Second Mention	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 English	0/ 0
				2 French	0/ 0
				3 Italian	0/ 0
				4 Chinese	0/ 0
				5 German	0/ 0
				6 Portuguese	0/ 0
				7 Polish	0/ 0
				8 Ukrainian	0/ 0
				9 Spanish	0/ 0
				10 Dutch	0/ 0
				11 Punjabi	0/ 0
				12 Greek	0/ 0
				13 Other	0/ 0
				97 Don't know	0/ 0
				98 Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: For Canada, responses other than French or English are coded Other (13).

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.

Not applicable to IALS2 countries.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
33	B7L3	2	0060-0061	When you were growing up, what language or languages were usually spoken in your home? - Third Mention	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 English	0/ 0
				2 French	0/ 0
				3 Italian	0/ 0
				4 Chinese	0/ 0
				5 German	0/ 0
				6 Portuguese	0/ 0
				7 Polish	0/ 0
				8 Ukrainian	0/ 0
				9 Spanish	0/ 0
				10 Dutch	0/ 0
				11 Punjabi	0/ 0
				12 Greek	0/ 0
				13 Other	0/ 0
				97 Don't know	0/ 0
				98 Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: For Canada, responses other than French or English are coded Other (13).

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.

Not applicable to IALS2 countries.

34	B7L4	2	0062-0063	When you were growing up, what language or languages were usually spoken in your home? - Fourth Mention	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 English	0/ 0
				2 French	0/ 0
				3 Italian	0/ 0
				4 Chinese	0/ 0
				5 German	0/ 0
				6 Portuguese	0/ 0
				7 Polish	0/ 0
				8 Ukrainian	0/ 0
				9 Spanish	0/ 0
				10 Dutch	0/ 0
				11 Punjabi	0/ 0
				12 Greek	0/ 0
				13 Other	0/ 0
				97 Don't know	0/ 0
				98 Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: For Canada, responses other than French or English are coded Other (13).

IALS1 applicable to: Canada.

Not applicable to IALS2 countries.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
35	B7L5	2	0064-0065	When you were growing up, what language or languages were usually spoken in your home? - Fifth Mention	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 English	0/ 0
				2 French	0/ 0
				3 Italian	0/ 0
				4 Chinese	0/ 0
				5 German	0/ 0
				6 Portuguese	0/ 0
				7 Polish	0/ 0
				8 Ukrainian	0/ 0
				9 Spanish	0/ 0
				10 Dutch	0/ 0
				11 Punjabi	0/ 0
				12 Greek	0/ 0
				13 Other	0/ 0
				97 Don't know	0/ 0
				98 Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: For Canada, responses other than French or English are coded Other (13).

IALS1 applicable to: Canada.

Not applicable to IALS2 countries.

36	B8	2	0066-0067	What language did you first learn to read and write?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 English	0/ 0
				2 French	0/ 0
				3 Italian	0/ 0
				4 Chinese	0/ 0
				5 German	0/ 0
				6 Portuguese	0/ 0
				7 Polish	0/ 0
				8 Ukrainian	0/ 0
				9 Spanish	0/ 0
				10 Dutch	0/ 0
				11 Punjabi	0/ 0
				12 Greek	0/ 0
				13 Other	0/ 0
				97 Don't know	0/ 0
				98 Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: For Canada, responses other than French or English are coded Other (13).

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.

Not applicable to IALS2 countries.

37	B9	1	0068	Have you ever taken a course to learn National Official Language?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Sweden.

Not applicable to IALS2 countries.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
38	B10	1	0069	How well do you understand language of interview when it is spoken to you?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Poorly	0/ 0
				2 Fairly Well	0/ 0
				3 Well	0/ 0
				4 Very Well	0/ 0
				5 Cannot understand language	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.

39	B11	1	0070	How well can you speak language of interview?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Poorly	0/ 0
				2 Fairly Well	0/ 0
				3 Well	0/ 0
				4 Very Well	0/ 0
				5 Cannot understand language	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: B11 defaults to B13.

40	B12	1	0071	Since leaving school, have you ever taken a course to upgrade your reading or writing skills in National Official Language?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				3 Still in School	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.

IALS2 applicable to: Northern Ireland.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
41	B13L1	2	0072-0073	What languages including language of interview do you speak well enough to conduct a conversation? - First mention	
				Blank - Question not applicable	0/ 0
				1 English	2266/ 2037774
				2 Irish	95/ 80486
				3 French	26/ 24543
				4 German	4/ 4187
				5 Spanish	0/ 0
				6 Italian	0/ 0
				7 Polish	0/ 0
				8 Russian	0/ 0
				9 Ukrainian	0/ 0
				10 Byelorussian	0/ 0
				11 Hebrew	0/ 0
				12 Yugoslav (Serbo-Croatian/Slovak)	0/ 0
				13 Chinese	0/ 0
				14 Portuguese	0/ 0
				15 Dutch	0/ 0
				16 Punjabi	0/ 0
				17 Greek	0/ 0
				18 Arabic	0/ 0
				19 Vietnamese	0/ 0
				20 Turkish/Kurdic	0/ 0
				21 Swiss-German	0/ 0
				22 Romansch	0/ 0
				23 Moroccan	0/ 0
				24 Indonesian	0/ 0
				25 Romanian	0/ 0
				26 Iranian	0/ 0
				27 Swedish	0/ 0
				28 Finnish	0/ 0
				29 Persian	0/ 0
				30 Other (regional dialect)	0/ 0
				31 Other (unspecified)	1/ 1028
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	31/ 26361

NOTE: If only one language was reported in B13, then questions B14 to B17 were imputed to that language.

For Canada, responses other than French or English are coded Other (31).

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.

Applicable to all IALS2 countries.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
42	B13L2	2	0074-0075	What languages including language of interview do you speak well enough to conduct a conversation? - Second mention	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1749/ 1561796
				1 English	0/ 0
				2 Irish	525/ 473051
				3 French	107/ 100013
				4 German	25/ 23780
				5 Spanish	8/ 7700
				6 Italian	5/ 4173
				7 Polish	0/ 0
				8 Russian	0/ 0
				9 Ukrainian	0/ 0
				10 Byelorussian	0/ 0
				11 Hebrew	0/ 0
				12 Yugoslav (Serbo-Croatian/Slovak)	0/ 0
				13 Chinese	0/ 0
				14 Portuguese	0/ 0
				15 Dutch	0/ 0
				16 Punjabi	0/ 0
				17 Greek	0/ 0
				18 Arabic	0/ 0
				19 Vietnamese	0/ 0
				20 Turkish/Kurdic	0/ 0
				21 Swiss-German	0/ 0
				22 Romansch	0/ 0
				23 Moroccan	0/ 0
				24 Indonesian	0/ 0
				25 Romanian	0/ 0
				26 Iranian	0/ 0
				27 Swedish	0/ 0
				28 Finnish	0/ 0
				29 Persian	0/ 0
				30 Other (regional dialect)	0/ 0
				31 Other (unspecified)	4/ 3867
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: If only one language was reported in B13, then questions B14 to B17 were imputed to that language.

For Canada, responses other than French or English are coded Other (31).

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.

Applicable to all IALS2 countries.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
43	B13L3	2	0076-0077	What languages including language of interview do you speak well enough to conduct a conversation? - Third mention	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2210/ 1973374
				1 English	0/ 0
				2 Irish	0/ 0
				3 French	147/ 137874
				4 German	41/ 39818
				5 Spanish	16/ 14950
				6 Italian	6/ 5561
				7 Polish	0/ 0
				8 Russian	0/ 0
				9 Ukrainian	0/ 0
				10 Byelorussian	0/ 0
				11 Hebrew	0/ 0
				12 Yugoslav (Serbo-Croatian/Slovak)	0/ 0
				13 Chinese	0/ 0
				14 Portuguese	0/ 0
				15 Dutch	0/ 0
				16 Punjabi	0/ 0
				17 Greek	0/ 0
				18 Arabic	0/ 0
				19 Vietnamese	0/ 0
				20 Turkish/Kurdic	0/ 0
				21 Swiss-German	0/ 0
				22 Romansch	0/ 0
				23 Moroccan	0/ 0
				24 Indonesian	0/ 0
				25 Romanian	0/ 0
				26 Iranian	0/ 0
				27 Swedish	0/ 0
				28 Finnish	0/ 0
				29 Persian	0/ 0
				30 Other (regional dialect)	0/ 0
				31 Other (unspecified)	3/ 2804
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: If only one language was reported in B13, then questions B14 to B17 were imputed to that language.

For Canada, responses other than French or English are coded Other (31).

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.

Applicable to all IALS2 countries.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
44	B13L4	2	0078-0079	What languages including language of interview do you speak well enough to conduct a conversation? - Fourth mention	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2398/ 2150028
				1 English	0/ 0
				2 Irish	0/ 0
				3 French	0/ 0
				4 German	10/ 9776
				5 Spanish	10/ 9419
				6 Italian	1/ 1252
				7 Polish	0/ 0
				8 Russian	0/ 0
				9 Ukrainian	0/ 0
				10 Byelorussian	0/ 0
				11 Hebrew	0/ 0
				12 Yugoslav (Serbo-Croatian/Slovak)	0/ 0
				13 Chinese	0/ 0
				14 Portuguese	0/ 0
				15 Dutch	0/ 0
				16 Punjabi	0/ 0
				17 Greek	0/ 0
				18 Arabic	0/ 0
				19 Vietnamese	0/ 0
				20 Turkish/Kurdic	0/ 0
				21 Swiss-German	0/ 0
				22 Romansch	0/ 0
				23 Moroccan	0/ 0
				24 Indonesian	0/ 0
				25 Romanian	0/ 0
				26 Iranian	0/ 0
				27 Swedish	0/ 0
				28 Finnish	0/ 0
				29 Persian	0/ 0
				30 Other (regional dialect)	0/ 0
				31 Other (unspecified)	4/ 3905
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: If only one language was reported in B13, then questions B14 to B17 were imputed to that language.

For Canada, responses other than French or English are coded Other (31).

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.

IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain, Ireland, Northern Ireland.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
45	B13L5	2	0080-0081	What languages including language of interview do you speak well enough to conduct a conversation? - Fifth mention	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2421/ 2172699
				1 English	0/ 0
				2 Irish	0/ 0
				3 French	0/ 0
				4 German	0/ 0
				5 Spanish	0/ 0
				6 Italian	1/ 873
				7 Polish	0/ 0
				8 Russian	0/ 0
				9 Ukrainian	0/ 0
				10 Byelorussian	0/ 0
				11 Hebrew	0/ 0
				12 Yugoslav (Serbo-Croatian/Slovak)	0/ 0
				13 Chinese	0/ 0
				14 Portuguese	0/ 0
				15 Dutch	0/ 0
				16 Punjabi	0/ 0
				17 Greek	0/ 0
				18 Arabic	0/ 0
				19 Vietnamese	0/ 0
				20 Turkish/Kurdic	0/ 0
				21 Swiss-German	0/ 0
				22 Romansch	0/ 0
				23 Moroccan	0/ 0
				24 Indonesian	0/ 0
				25 Romanian	0/ 0
				26 Iranian	0/ 0
				27 Swedish	0/ 0
				28 Finnish	0/ 0
				29 Persian	0/ 0
				30 Other (regional dialect)	0/ 0
				31 Other (unspecified)	1/ 807
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: If only one language was reported in B13, then questions B14 to B17 were imputed to that language.

For Canada, responses other than French or English are coded Other (31).

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Germany.

IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain, Ireland, Northern Ireland.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
46	B13L6	2	0082-0083	What languages including language of interview do you speak well enough to conduct a conversation? - Sixth mention	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 English	0/ 0
				2 Irish	0/ 0
				3 French	0/ 0
				4 German	0/ 0
				5 Spanish	0/ 0
				6 Italian	0/ 0
				7 Polish	0/ 0
				8 Russian	0/ 0
				9 Ukrainian	0/ 0
				10 Byelorussian	0/ 0
				11 Hebrew	0/ 0
				12 Yugoslav (Serbo-Croatian/Slovak)	0/ 0
				13 Chinese	0/ 0
				14 Portuguese	0/ 0
				15 Dutch	0/ 0
				16 Punjabi	0/ 0
				17 Greek	0/ 0
				18 Arabic	0/ 0
				19 Vietnamese	0/ 0
				20 Turkish/Kurdic	0/ 0
				21 Swiss-German	0/ 0
				22 Romansch	0/ 0
				23 Moroccan	0/ 0
				24 Indonesian	0/ 0
				25 Romanian	0/ 0
				26 Iranian	0/ 0
				27 Swedish	0/ 0
				28 Finnish	0/ 0
				29 Persian	0/ 0
				30 Other (regional dialect)	0/ 0
				31 Other (unspecified)	0/ 0
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: If only one language was reported in B13, then questions B14 to B17 were imputed to that language.

For Canada, responses other than French or English are coded Other (31).

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, Netherlands.

IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain, Northern Ireland.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
47	B14	2	0084-0085	What language do you speak most often at home?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	0/ 0
				1 English	2286/ 2055398
				2 Irish	78/ 66017
				3 French	21/ 19657
				4 German	4/ 4305
				5 Spanish	0/ 0
				6 Italian	2/ 1614
				7 Polish	0/ 0
				8 Russian	0/ 0
				9 Ukrainian	0/ 0
				10 Byelorussian	0/ 0
				11 Hebrew	0/ 0
				12 Yugoslav (Serbo-Croatian/Slovak)	0/ 0
				13 Chinese	0/ 0
				14 Portuguese	0/ 0
				15 Dutch	0/ 0
				16 Punjabi	0/ 0
				17 Greek	0/ 0
				18 Arabic	0/ 0
				19 Vietnamese	0/ 0
				20 Turkish/Kurdic	0/ 0
				21 Swiss-German	0/ 0
				22 Romansch	0/ 0
				23 Moroccan	0/ 0
				24 Indonesian	0/ 0
				25 Romanian	0/ 0
				26 Iranian	0/ 0
				27 Swedish	0/ 0
				28 Finnish	0/ 0
				29 Persian	0/ 0
				30 Other (regional dialect)	0/ 0
				31 Other (unspecified)	1/ 1028
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	31/ 26361

NOTE: If only one language was reported in B13, then questions B14 to B17 were imputed to that language.

For Canada, responses other than French or English are coded Other (31).

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Germany, Poland.

Applicable to all IALS2 countries.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
48	B15	2	0086-0087	What language do you speak most often at work or school?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 English	0/ 0
				2 Irish	0/ 0
				3 French	0/ 0
				4 German	0/ 0
				5 Spanish	0/ 0
				6 Italian	0/ 0
				7 Polish	0/ 0
				8 Russian	0/ 0
				9 Ukrainian	0/ 0
				10 Byelorussian	0/ 0
				11 Hebrew	0/ 0
				12 Yugoslav (Serbo-Croatian/Slovak)	0/ 0
				13 Chinese	0/ 0
				14 Portuguese	0/ 0
				15 Dutch	0/ 0
				16 Punjabi	0/ 0
				17 Greek	0/ 0
				18 Arabic	0/ 0
				19 Vietnamese	0/ 0
				20 Turkish/Kurdic	0/ 0
				21 Swiss-German	0/ 0
				22 Romansch	0/ 0
				23 Moroccan	0/ 0
				24 Indonesian	0/ 0
				25 Romanian	0/ 0
				26 Iranian	0/ 0
				27 Swedish	0/ 0
				28 Finnish	0/ 0
				29 Persian	0/ 0
				30 Other (regional dialect)	0/ 0
				31 Other (unspecified)	0/ 0
				97 Not applicable to respondent	0/ 0
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: If only one language was reported in B13, then questions B14 to B17 were imputed to that language.

For Canada, responses other than French or English are coded Other (31).

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland.

IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
49	B16	2	0088-0089	What language do you speak most often during your leisure activities?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 English	0/ 0
				2 Irish	0/ 0
				3 French	0/ 0
				4 German	0/ 0
				5 Spanish	0/ 0
				6 Italian	0/ 0
				7 Polish	0/ 0
				8 Russian	0/ 0
				9 Ukrainian	0/ 0
				10 Byelorussian	0/ 0
				11 Hebrew	0/ 0
				12 Yugoslav (Serbo-Croatian/Slovak)	0/ 0
				13 Chinese	0/ 0
				14 Portuguese	0/ 0
				15 Dutch	0/ 0
				16 Punjabi	0/ 0
				17 Greek	0/ 0
				18 Arabic	0/ 0
				19 Vietnamese	0/ 0
				20 Turkish/Kurdic	0/ 0
				21 Swiss-German	0/ 0
				22 Romansch	0/ 0
				23 Moroccan	0/ 0
				24 Indonesian	0/ 0
				25 Romanian	0/ 0
				26 Iranian	0/ 0
				27 Swedish	0/ 0
				28 Finnish	0/ 0
				29 Persian	0/ 0
				30 Other (regional dialect)	0/ 0
				31 Other (unspecified)	0/ 0
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: If only one language was reported in B13, then questions B14 to B17 were imputed to that language.

For Canada, responses other than French or English are coded Other (31).

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland.

IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain, Northern Ireland.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
50	B17	2	0090-0091	In which language can you express yourself most easily?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	0/ 0
				1 English	2282/ 2052746
				2 Irish	77/ 64420
				3 French	21/ 19657
				4 German	6/ 5947
				5 Spanish	1/ 831
				6 Italian	2/ 1614
				7 Polish	0/ 0
				8 Russian	0/ 0
				9 Ukrainian	0/ 0
				10 Byelorussian	0/ 0
				11 Hebrew	0/ 0
				12 Yugoslav (Serbo-Croatian/Slovak)	0/ 0
				13 Chinese	0/ 0
				14 Portuguese	0/ 0
				15 Dutch	0/ 0
				16 Punjabi	0/ 0
				17 Greek	0/ 0
				18 Arabic	0/ 0
				19 Vietnamese	0/ 0
				20 Turkish/Kurdic	0/ 0
				21 Swiss-German	0/ 0
				22 Romansch	0/ 0
				23 Moroccan	0/ 0
				24 Indonesian	0/ 0
				25 Romanian	0/ 0
				26 Iranian	0/ 0
				27 Swedish	0/ 0
				28 Finnish	0/ 0
				29 Persian	0/ 0
				30 Other (regional dialect)	0/ 0
				31 Other (unspecified)	1/ 1028
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	33/ 28137

NOTE: If only one language was reported in B13, then questions B14 to B17 were imputed to that language.

For Canada, responses other than French or English are coded Other (31).

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.

Applicable to all IALS2 countries.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
51	B18M1	2	0092-0093	To which ethnic or cultural group did your ancestors belong? - First mention	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 English	0/ 0
				2 French	0/ 0
				3 Italian	0/ 0
				4 Ukrainian	0/ 0
				5 German	0/ 0
				6 Irish	0/ 0
				7 Metis	0/ 0
				8 North American Indian	0/ 0
				9 Chinese	0/ 0
				10 Dutch	0/ 0
				11 Scottish	0/ 0
				12 Jewish	0/ 0
				13 Polish	0/ 0
				14 Portuguese	0/ 0
				15 Inuit	0/ 0
				16 Canadian	0/ 0
				17 White	0/ 0
				18 Black (African American)	0/ 0
				19 Alaskan Native	0/ 0
				20 Pacific Islander	0/ 0
				21 Asian (unspecified)	0/ 0
				22 Spanish or Hispanic	0/ 0
				23 Maori	0/ 0
				96 Other	0/ 0
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: For Canada, responses Other than English (Includes Scottish, Irish, Welsh), French (includes Acadian), and Canadian are coded Other (96).

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.

IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain, Northern Ireland.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
52	B18M2	2	0094-0095	To which ethnic or cultural group did your ancestors belong? - Second mention	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 English	0/ 0
				2 French	0/ 0
				3 Italian	0/ 0
				4 Ukrainian	0/ 0
				5 German	0/ 0
				6 Irish	0/ 0
				7 Metis	0/ 0
				8 North American Indian	0/ 0
				9 Chinese	0/ 0
				10 Dutch	0/ 0
				11 Scottish	0/ 0
				12 Jewish	0/ 0
				13 Polish	0/ 0
				14 Portuguese	0/ 0
				15 Inuit	0/ 0
				16 Canadian	0/ 0
				17 White	0/ 0
				18 Black (African American)	0/ 0
				19 Alaskan Native	0/ 0
				20 Pacific Islander	0/ 0
				21 Asian (unspecified)	0/ 0
				22 Spanish or Hispanic	0/ 0
				23 Maori	0/ 0
				96 Other	0/ 0
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: For Canada, responses Other than English (Includes Scottish, Irish, Welsh), French (includes Acadian), and Canadian are coded Other (96).

IALS1 applicable to: Canada.

IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain, Northern Ireland.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
53	B18M3	2	0096-0097	To which ethnic or cultural group did your ancestors belong? - Third mention	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 English	0/ 0
				2 French	0/ 0
				3 Italian	0/ 0
				4 Ukrainian	0/ 0
				5 German	0/ 0
				6 Irish	0/ 0
				7 Metis	0/ 0
				8 North American Indian	0/ 0
				9 Chinese	0/ 0
				10 Dutch	0/ 0
				11 Scottish	0/ 0
				12 Jewish	0/ 0
				13 Polish	0/ 0
				14 Portuguese	0/ 0
				15 Inuit	0/ 0
				16 Canadian	0/ 0
				17 White	0/ 0
				18 Black (African American)	0/ 0
				19 Alaskan Native	0/ 0
				20 Pacific Islander	0/ 0
				21 Asian (unspecified)	0/ 0
				22 Spanish or Hispanic	0/ 0
				23 Maori	0/ 0
				96 Other	0/ 0
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: For Canada, responses Other than English (Includes Scottish, Irish, Welsh), French (includes Acadian), and Canadian are coded Other (96).

IALS1 applicable to: Canada.

IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
54	B18M4	2	0098-0099	To which ethnic or cultural group did your ancestors belong? - Fourth mention	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 English	0/ 0
				2 French	0/ 0
				3 Italian	0/ 0
				4 Ukrainian	0/ 0
				5 German	0/ 0
				6 Irish	0/ 0
				7 Metis	0/ 0
				8 North American Indian	0/ 0
				9 Chinese	0/ 0
				10 Dutch	0/ 0
				11 Scottish	0/ 0
				12 Jewish	0/ 0
				13 Polish	0/ 0
				14 Portuguese	0/ 0
				15 Inuit	0/ 0
				16 Canadian	0/ 0
				17 White	0/ 0
				18 Black (African American)	0/ 0
				19 Alaskan Native	0/ 0
				20 Pacific Islander	0/ 0
				21 Asian (unspecified)	0/ 0
				22 Spanish or Hispanic	0/ 0
				23 Maori	0/ 0
				96 Other	0/ 0
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: For Canada, responses Other than English (Includes Scottish, Irish, Welsh), French (includes Acadian), and Canadian are coded Other (96).

IALS1 applicable to: Canada.

IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
55	B18M5	2	0100-0101	To which ethnic or cultural group did your ancestors belong? - Fifth mention	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 English	0/ 0
				2 French	0/ 0
				3 Italian	0/ 0
				4 Ukrainian	0/ 0
				5 German	0/ 0
				6 Irish	0/ 0
				7 Metis	0/ 0
				8 North American Indian	0/ 0
				9 Chinese	0/ 0
				10 Dutch	0/ 0
				11 Scottish	0/ 0
				12 Jewish	0/ 0
				13 Polish	0/ 0
				14 Portuguese	0/ 0
				15 Inuit	0/ 0
				16 Canadian	0/ 0
				17 White	0/ 0
				18 Black (African American)	0/ 0
				19 Alaskan Native	0/ 0
				20 Pacific Islander	0/ 0
				21 Asian (unspecified)	0/ 0
				22 Spanish or Hispanic	0/ 0
				23 Maori	0/ 0
				96 Other	0/ 0
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: For Canada, responses Other than English (Includes Scottish, Irish, Welsh), French (includes Acadian), and Canadian are coded Other (96).

IALS1 applicable to: Canada.

IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
56	B18M6	2	0102-0103	To which ethnic or cultural group did your ancestors belong? - Sixth mention	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 English	0/ 0
				2 French	0/ 0
				3 Italian	0/ 0
				4 Ukrainian	0/ 0
				5 German	0/ 0
				6 Irish	0/ 0
				7 Metis	0/ 0
				8 North American Indian	0/ 0
				9 Chinese	0/ 0
				10 Dutch	0/ 0
				11 Scottish	0/ 0
				12 Jewish	0/ 0
				13 Polish	0/ 0
				14 Portuguese	0/ 0
				15 Inuit	0/ 0
				16 Canadian	0/ 0
				17 White	0/ 0
				18 Black (African American)	0/ 0
				19 Alaskan Native	0/ 0
				20 Pacific Islander	0/ 0
				21 Asian (unspecified)	0/ 0
				22 Spanish or Hispanic	0/ 0
				23 Maori	0/ 0
				96 Other	0/ 0
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: For Canada, responses Other than English (Includes Scottish, Irish, Welsh), French (includes Acadian), and Canadian are coded Other (96).

IALS1 applicable to: Canada.

IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain.

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57	C1	1	0104	Can you answer some questions about your mother?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	0/ 0
				1 Yes	2299/ 2061067
				2 No	105/ 96664
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	19/ 16649

NOTE: If C1=2 (No) go to C7.

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Poland.

IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain, Ireland, Northern Ireland.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
58	C2	1	0105	Was your mother born in (country name)?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: If C2=1 or 7 (Yes or Don't know) go to C5.	
				IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Poland, Germany.	
59	C3	1	0106	Did your mother immigrate to (country)?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: If C3=2 (No) go to C5.	
				IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.	
60	C4	1	0107	Was your mother under the age of 16 when she immigrated to (country)?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.	
				Not applicable to IALS2 countries.	
61	C5	2	0108-0109	What was the highest level of schooling that your mother (female guardian) completed?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	106/ 97608
				0 ISCED 0	145/ 126267
				1 ISCED 1	1205/ 1052933
				2 ISCED 2	440/ 401544
				3 ISCED 3	276/ 261344
				5 ISCED 5	49/ 45132
				6 ISCED 6	27/ 25892
				7 ISCED 7	16/ 14408
				9 ISCED 9	8/ 7669
				10 No Schooling	10/ 9546
				97 Don't know	134/ 126107
				98 Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	7/ 5929
				NOTE: See A5 note for definitions of ISCED levels.	
				This variable was suppressed for Canada (See C5RCD for Canada).	
				Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries.	

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS		
62	C6	1	0110	Did/has your mother ever work(ed) at a job or business?		
				Blank - Question not applicable	107/	98428
				1 Yes	1031/	953794
				2 No	1222/	1065594
				7 Don't know	38/	33587
				8 Refused	0/	0
				9 Not Stated	25/	22977

NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.

63	C7	1	0111	IALS2 applicable to: Ireland. Can you answer some questions about your father?		
				Blank - Question not applicable	0/	0
				1 Yes	2255/	2023999
				2 No	145/	130855
				8 DK/Refused	0/	0
				9 Not Stated	23/	19526

NOTE: If C7=2 (No) go to D1.

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Poland.

IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain, Ireland, Northern Ireland.

64	C8	1	0112	Was your father born in (country)?		
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/	2174380
				1 Yes	0/	0
				2 No	0/	0
				7 Don't know	0/	0
				8 Refused	0/	0
				9 Not Stated	0/	0

NOTE: If C8=1 or 7 (Yes or Don't know) go to C11.

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Germany, Poland.

IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand.

65	C9	1	0113	Did your father immigrate to (country)?		
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/	2174380
				1 Yes	0/	0
				2 No	0/	0
				8 DK/Refused	0/	0
				9 Not Stated	0/	0

NOTE: If C9=2 (No) go to C11.

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.

Not applicable to IALS2 countries.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
66	C10	1	0114	Was your father under the age of 16 when he immigrated to (country)?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.

67	C11	2	0115-0116	Not applicable to IALS2 countries. What was the highest level of schooling that your father (male guardian) completed?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	147/ 132321
				0 ISCED 0	151/ 131223
				1 ISCED 1	1280/ 1117384
				2 ISCED 2	357/ 336859
				3 ISCED 3	204/ 189572
				5 ISCED 5	45/ 43137
				6 ISCED 6	62/ 57612
				7 ISCED 7	30/ 26555
				9 ISCED 9	12/ 11564
				10 No Schooling	8/ 7463
				97 Don't know	123/ 117334
				98 Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	4/ 3357

NOTE: See A5 note for definitions of ISCED levels.

This variable was suppressed for Canada (See C11RCD for Canada).

68	ISICF	2	0117-0118	Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. Major Heading International Standard Industrial Classification for the father's employment transposed from alphabetical to numerical sequence - Derived from C12 and C13	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				0 Activities not Adequately Defined	0/ 0
				1 Agriculture, Hunting, Forestry & Fishing	0/ 0
				2 Mining and Quarrying	0/ 0
				3 Manufacturing	0/ 0
				4 Electricity, Gas and Water	0/ 0
				5 Construction	0/ 0
				6 Wholesale and Retail Trade;	0/ 0
				7 Transport, Storage and Communications	0/ 0
				8 Financing, Ins. Real Estate & Bus. Services	0/ 0
				9 Community, Social and Personal Services	0/ 0
				96 Never Worked	0/ 0
				97 Don't know	0/ 0
				98 Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: If ISICF=96 (Never worked) go to D1.

See appendix 1 for additional details on codes.

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.

Not applicable to IALS2 countries.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
69	ISCOF	2	0119-0120	Major Heading International Standard Classification of Occupations for the father's occupation - Derived from C14	

Blank - Question not applicable	2423/	2174380
0 Armed Forces	0/	0
1 Legislators, Senior Officials & Managers	0/	0
2 Professionals	0/	0
3 Technicians and Associate Professionals	0/	0
4 Clerks	0/	0
5 Service workers and Shop & Market Sales Worker	0/	0
6 Skilled Agricultural and Fishery Workers	0/	0
7 Craft and Related Trades Workers	0/	0
8 Plant and Machine Operators and Assemblers	0/	0
9 Elementary Occupations	0/	0
96 Never Worked	0/	0
97 Don't know	0/	0
98 Refused	0/	0
99 Not Stated	0/	0

NOTE: See appendix 1 for additional details on codes.

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Poland.

Not applicable to IALS2 countries.

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70	D1	1	0121	What is your current work situation?	
				1 Employed	1189/ 1099231
				2 Retired	61/ 54057
				3 Unemployed/Looking for work	229/ 226305
				4 Student (including Work Programs)	242/ 246792
				5 Homemaker	596/ 452190
				6 Other	102/ 92521
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	4/ 3284

NOTE: If D1=1 (Employed) go to D4.

71	D2	1	0122	Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. Did you work at a job or business at any time in the past 12 months (regardless of the number of hours per week)?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1195/ 1104540
				1 Yes	250/ 241317
				2 No	951/ 804103
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	27/ 24421

NOTE: If D2=1 (Yes) go to D4.

Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
72	D3	4	0123-0126	When did you last work at a job or business?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1245/ 1150208
				0 Never worked	241/ 215307
				1901:1997 Year last worked	707/ 584938
				9998 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9999 Not Stated	230/ 223927
				NOTE: D3 defaults to D19.	
73	D4	2	0127-0128	Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. How many different employers have you had in the past 12 months?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1106/ 943418
				1:90 Number of different employers	1315/ 1229734
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	2/ 1228
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
74	D5	1	0129	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Did you work mostly full-time, or part-time?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1003/ 849520
				1 Full-time	1129/ 1061321
				2 Part-time	291/ 263539
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: If D5=1 (Full-time) go to D7.	
				National definitions were used for full/part time.	
75	D6	2	0130-0131	Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. Why did you work part-time?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2130/ 1909375
				1 Own illness or disability	4/ 3305
				2 Child care responsibilities	31/ 25316
				3 Other personal or family responsibilities	33/ 25353
				4 Going to school or taking training	58/ 58715
				5 Could only find part-time work	75/ 70774
				6 Did not want to work full-time	49/ 41666
				7 Retired	3/ 2222
				8 Other	31/ 28359
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	9/ 9296
				NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries.	

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
76	ISICR	2	0132-0133	Major Heading International Standard Industrial Classification for the respondent's primary employment transposed from alphabetical to numerical sequence - Derived from D7 and D8	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1036/ 881341
				0 Activities not Adequately Defined	151/ 140171
				1 Agriculture, Hunting, Forestry & Fishing	178/ 162006
				2 Mining and Quarrying	9/ 8859
				3 Manufacturing	211/ 201523
				4 Electricity, Gas and Water	29/ 28308
				5 Construction	107/ 105825
				6 Wholesale and Retail Trade	211/ 198850
				7 Transport, Storage and Communications	68/ 68444
				8 Financing, Insurance, Real Est. & Bus. Service	107/ 97200
				9 Community, Social and Personal Services	316/ 281852
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: See appendix 1 for additional details on codes.	
77	ISCOR	2	0134-0135	Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. Major Heading International Standard Classification of Occupations for the respondent's primary occupation - Derived from D9	
				Blank - Question not applicable	992/ 840008
				0 Armed Forces	6/ 5556
				1 Legislators, Senior Officials and Managers	91/ 85595
				2 Professionals	194/ 174848
				3 Technicians and Associate Professionals	135/ 125218
				4 Clerks	195/ 173352
				5 Service workers and Shop & Market Sales Worker	206/ 192205
				6 Skilled Agricultural and Fishery Workers	134/ 122112
				7 Craft and Related Trades Workers	191/ 190163
				8 Plant and Machine Operators and Assemblers	121/ 117449
				9 Elementary Occupations	158/ 147873
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: See appendix 1 for additional details on codes.	
78	D10	1	0136	Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. In total, how many persons are employed by this business at all locations in (country)?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1024/ 871170
				1 Less than 20	401/ 377196
				2 20-99	170/ 162072
				3 100-199	74/ 69767
				4 200-499	99/ 91949
				5 500 and over	457/ 425957
				7 Don't know	198/ 176270
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
79	D11	1	0137	What was your status at this job? Was it as an...	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Employee (no supervisory)	0/ 0
				2 Employee (some supervisory)	0/ 0
				3 Employee (great supervisory)	0/ 0
				4 Self-employed (no employees)	0/ 0
				5 Self-employed (employees)	0/ 0
				6 Family worker (unpaid)	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).	
80	D12	1	0138	What type of job was this? Was or is this job a...	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Permanent	0/ 0
				2 Temporary	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.	
				IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain, Northern Ireland.	
81	D13	2	0139-0140	How many hours per week did you usually work at this job?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1018/ 865464
				1:96 Hours worked per week	1405/ 1308916
				97 97 Hours or more per week	0/ 0
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	
82	D14	2	0141-0142	During the past 12 months, how many weeks did you work (at ALL jobs including time off for vacation, maternity leave, illness, strike and lockouts)?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1005/ 852952
				1:52 Weeks worked in past 12 months	1418/ 1321428
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: If D14=52 go to E1.	
				Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries.	

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
83	D15	1	0143	During the past 12 months, in the weeks when you were without work, did you want to work?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2043/ 1808713
				1 Yes	154/ 152590
				2 No	177/ 166415
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	49/ 46662

NOTE: If D15=1 (Yes) go to D17.

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.

84	D16	1	0144	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Why did you not want to work?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2047/ 1812725
				1 Own illness or disability	6/ 5141
				2 Child care responsibilities	12/ 10150
				3 Other personal or family responsibilities	20/ 16560
				4 Going to school or taking training	72/ 72991
				5 Retired	1/ 1123
				6 Not interested in working	5/ 4593
				7 Other	42/ 38784
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	218/ 212313

NOTE: D16 defaults to E1.

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.

85	D17	2	0145-0146	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. During the past 12 months for how many weeks were you without work and NOT looking for work?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2261/ 2013887
				0:52 number of weeks in past year	162/ 160493
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: If D17=0 go to E1.

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.

Applicable to all IALS2 countries.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
86	D18	2	0147-0148	What is the main reason why you did not look for work during these weeks?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2374/ 2124514
				1 Own illness or disability	1/ 1006
				2 Child care responsibilities	1/ 1006
				3 Other personal or family responsibilities	5/ 4383
				4 Awaiting recall from a temporary layoff	10/ 9755
				5 Waiting for a job to start	7/ 7183
				6 No skills or experience for available jobs	1/ 1252
				7 Too old to work/Retired	0/ 0
				8 Other	24/ 25282
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: D18 defaults to E1.

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.

87	D19	1	0149	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. During the past 12 months, in the weeks when you were not working at a job or business, did you want to work?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1492/ 1389344
				1 Yes	251/ 232746
				2 No	679/ 551325
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	1/ 966

NOTE: If D19=1 (Yes) go to D21.

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.

88	D20	2	0150-0151	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Why did you not want to work?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1733/ 1613904
				1 Own illness or disability	58/ 51895
				2 Child care responsibilities	90/ 69350
				3 Other personal or family responsibilities	54/ 42050
				4 Going to school or taking training	99/ 99925
				5 Retired	35/ 28958
				6 Not interested in working	28/ 22974
				7 Homemaker	226/ 163423
				8 Other	19/ 15835
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	81/ 66067

NOTE: D20 defaults to F1.

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.

Applicable to all IALS2 countries.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
89	D21	2	0152-0153	During the past 12 months, for how many weeks were you without work and NOT looking for work?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2336/ 2097842
				0:52 Weeks NOT looking for work in past 12 month	86/ 75573
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	1/ 966

NOTE: If D21=0 go to F1.

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.

90	D22	2	0154-0155	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. What is the main reason why you did not look for work during these weeks?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2352/ 2111335
				1 Own illness or disability	7/ 6212
				2 Child care responsibilities	27/ 22945
				3 Other personal or family responsibilities	9/ 7592
				4 Awaiting recall from a temporary layoff	0/ 0
				5 Waiting for a job to start	2/ 1930
				6 No skills or experience for available jobs	7/ 6416
				7 Too old to work/Retired	2/ 1488
				8 Other	17/ 16462
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: D22 defaults to F1.

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.

Applicable to all IALS2 countries.

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91	E1A	1	0156	Read or use as part of main job - Letters or memos?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	969/ 820320
				1 Every day	530/ 485832
				2 A few times a week	157/ 148439
				3 Once a week	116/ 109064
				4 Less than once a week	112/ 101929
				5 Rarely or never	539/ 508797
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0

92	E1B	1	0157	NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. Read or use as part of main job - Reports, articles, magazines or journal?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	970/ 821200
				1 Every day	291/ 265884
				2 A few times a week	206/ 193836
				3 Once a week	210/ 193809
				4 Less than once a week	159/ 147401
				5 Rarely or never	587/ 552252
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
93	E1C	1	0158	Read or use as part of main job - Manuals or reference books, including catalogues?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	971/ 822323
				1 Every day	302/ 282779
				2 A few times a week	190/ 177167
				3 Once a week	154/ 142102
				4 Less than once a week	194/ 178107
				5 Rarely or never	611/ 571017
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	1/ 885
94	E1D	1	0159	NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. Read or use as part of main job - Diagrams or schematics?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	974/ 824341
				1 Every day	191/ 185533
				2 A few times a week	111/ 104291
				3 Once a week	91/ 85724
				4 Less than once a week	143/ 132005
				5 Rarely or never	913/ 842485
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
95	E1E	1	0160	NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. Read or use as part of main job - Bills, invoices, spreadsheets or budget tables?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	971/ 822007
				1 Every day	316/ 292552
				2 A few times a week	168/ 154331
				3 Once a week	151/ 139660
				4 Less than once a week	148/ 133879
				5 Rarely or never	669/ 631951
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
96	E1F	1	0161	NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. Read or use as part of main job - Material written in a language other than the language of interview?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	972/ 822660
				1 Every day	74/ 65672
				2 A few times a week	47/ 43898
				3 Once a week	25/ 23262
				4 Less than once a week	73/ 67932
				5 Rarely or never	1232/ 1150956
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries.	

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
97	E1G	1	0162	Read or use as part of main job - Directions or instructions for medicines, recipes, or other products?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	971/ 822081
				1 Every day	159/ 143398
				2 A few times a week	90/ 80700
				3 Once a week	67/ 62260
				4 Less than once a week	156/ 143740
				5 Rarely or never	980/ 922202
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
98	E2A	1	0163	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Write or fill out as part of main job - Letters or memos?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	977/ 828076
				1 Every day	443/ 408315
				2 A few times a week	138/ 127345
				3 Once a week	124/ 111090
				4 Less than once a week	138/ 127332
				5 Rarely or never	603/ 572223
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
99	E2B	1	0164	NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. Write or fill out as part of main job - Forms or things such as bills, invoices, or budgets?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	976/ 826809
				1 Every day	332/ 306134
				2 A few times a week	166/ 153388
				3 Once a week	141/ 131014
				4 Less than once a week	169/ 153429
				5 Rarely or never	639/ 603606
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
100	E2C	1	0165	NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. Write or fill out as part of main job - Reports or articles?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	975/ 826002
				1 Every day	246/ 228325
				2 A few times a week	132/ 121991
				3 Once a week	148/ 137699
				4 Less than once a week	195/ 177635
				5 Rarely or never	727/ 682729
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries.	

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101	E2D	1	0166	Write or fill out as part of main job - Estimates or technical specifications?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	977/ 827932
				1 Every day	139/ 133547
				2 A few times a week	105/ 100292
				3 Once a week	79/ 74819
				4 Less than once a week	153/ 143158
				5 Rarely or never	970/ 894632
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
102	E3A	1	0167	NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. Use mathematics as part of main job to - measure or estimate the size or weight of objects?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	985/ 835227
				1 Every day	471/ 439454
				2 A few times a week	125/ 118680
				3 Once a week	50/ 48854
				4 Less than once a week	127/ 119429
				5 Rarely or never	665/ 612736
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
103	E3B	1	0168	NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. Use mathematics as part of main job to - Calculate prices, costs or budgets?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	986/ 836275
				1 Every day	431/ 399460
				2 A few times a week	157/ 146206
				3 Once a week	90/ 81341
				4 Less than once a week	154/ 142512
				5 Rarely or never	605/ 568586
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
104	E4	1	0169	NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. How would you rate your reading skills in National Official Language(s) for your main job?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	983/ 833939
				1 Excellent	692/ 646930
				2 Good	584/ 540700
				3 Moderate	110/ 99738
				4 Poor	15/ 13997
				5 No Opinion	39/ 39077
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
105	E5	1	0170	To what extent are your reading skills in National Official Language(s) limiting your job opportunities - for example, advancement or getting another job?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1001/ 850731
				1 Greatly limiting	19/ 16958
				2 Somewhat limiting	57/ 55186
				3 Not at all limiting	1346/ 1251505
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
106	E6	1	0171	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. How would you rate your writing skills in National Official Language(s) for your main job?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	989/ 839414
				1 Excellent	585/ 547181
				2 Good	629/ 581511
				3 Moderate	144/ 134341
				4 Poor	24/ 22236
				5 No Opinion	52/ 49697
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
107	E7	1	0172	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. To what extent are your writing skills in National Official Language(s) limiting your job opportunities - for example, advancement or getting another job?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1006/ 855375
				1 Greatly limiting	13/ 12333
				2 Somewhat limiting	78/ 75067
				3 Not at all limiting	1326/ 1231604
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
108	E8	1	0173	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. How would you rate your mathematical skills for your main job?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	989/ 839474
				1 Excellent	478/ 452177
				2 Good	607/ 560294
				3 Moderate	231/ 212592
				4 Poor	42/ 37599
				5 No Opinion	76/ 72244
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	

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To what extent are your mathematical skills limiting your job opportunities - for example, advancement or getting another job?

Blank - Question not applicable	1003/	852417
1 Greatly limiting	18/	17336
2 Somewhat limiting	83/	77354
3 Not at all limiting	1319/	1227273
8 DK/Refused	0/	0
9 Not Stated	0/	0

NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands Switzerland, Poland, Germany.

Applicable to all IALS2 countries.

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110 F1 1 0175

Did you receive any training or education since August (year)?

Blank	0/	0
1 Yes	679/	638707
2 No	1740/	1532287
8 DK/Refused	0/	0
9 Not Stated	4/	3386

NOTE: Year = 1993 for IALS1
 1994 for IALS2

If F1=2 (No) go to F15.

111 F2 2 0176-0177

Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries.
 In total, how many courses did you take in the past 12 months?

Blank - Question not applicable	1742/	1533774
1:90 Number of courses in past 12 months	640/	600820
98 DK/Refused	0/	0
99 Not Stated	41/	39785

NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.

112 F3M1 3 0178-0180

Applicable to all IALS2 countries.
 Major Field of Study Code - First Course or Program Mentioned

Blank - Question not applicable	1751/	1542264
1:112 MFS Codes from Manual	535/	498725
120:141 MFS Codes from Additional Codes Sheet	137/	133391
150:165 MFS Codes from Major Headings	0/	0
998 DK/Refused	0/	0
999 Not Stated	0/	0

NOTE: Codes 150:165 apply only to Great Britain and Northern Ireland. See appendix 1 for additional details on codes.

This variable was suppressed for Canada (See F3M1RCD for Canada).

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.

Applicable to all IALS2 countries.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
113	F3M2	3	0181-0183	Major Field of Study Code - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2206/ 1978576
				1:112 MFS Codes from Manual	185/ 168395
				120:141 MFS Codes from Additional Codes Sheet	28/ 23548
				150:165 MFS Codes from Major Headings	0/ 0
				998 Don't know/Refused	0/ 0
				999 Not Stated	4/ 3861
				NOTE: Codes 150:165 apply only to Great Britain and Northern Ireland. See appendix 1 for additional details on codes.	
				This variable was suppressed for Canada (See F3M2RCD for Canada).	
				IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	
114	F3M3	3	0184-0186	Major Field of Study Code - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2292/ 2053113
				1:112 MFS Codes from Manual	68/ 62295
				120:141 MFS Codes from Additional Codes Sheet	20/ 17225
				150:165 MFS Codes from Major Headings	0/ 0
				998 Don't know/Refused	0/ 0
				999 Not Stated	43/ 41747
				NOTE: Codes 150:165 apply only to Great Britain and Northern Ireland. See appendix 1 for additional details on codes.	
				This variable was suppressed for Canada (See F3M3RCD for Canada).	
				IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	
115	F4AM1	1	0187	Was this training or education financially supported by - Yourself or your family? - First Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1745/ 1536666
				1 Yes	288/ 263926
				2 No	385/ 369406
				7 Don't know	2/ 1693
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	3/ 2689
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	
116	F4BM1	1	0188	Was this training or education financially supported by - An employer? - First Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1745/ 1536666
				1 Yes	185/ 174487
				2 No	488/ 458845
				7 Don't know	2/ 1693
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	3/ 2689
				NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries.	

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117	F4CM1	1	0189	Was this training or education financially supported by - The government? - First Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1745/ 1536666
				1 Yes	133/ 132379
				2 No	540/ 500953
				7 Don't know	2/ 1693
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	3/ 2689
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
118	F4DM1	1	0190	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Was this training or education financially supported by - A union or professional organization? - First Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1745/ 1536666
				1 Yes	14/ 12948
				2 No	659/ 620384
				7 Don't know	2/ 1693
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	3/ 2689
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
119	F4EM1	1	0191	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Was this training or education financially supported by - Anyone else? - First Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1745/ 1536666
				1 Yes	12/ 11219
				2 No	661/ 622113
				7 Don't know	2/ 1693
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	3/ 2689
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
120	F4FM1	1	0192	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Was this training or education financially supported by - No Fees? - First Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1745/ 1536666
				1 Yes	41/ 38373
				2 No	632/ 594959
				7 Don't know	2/ 1693
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	3/ 2689
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
121	F4AM2	1	0193	Was this training or education financially supported by - Yourself or your family? - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2206/ 1978521
				1 Yes	79/ 67081
				2 No	135/ 125964
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	3/ 2814
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
122	F4BM2	1	0194	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Was this training or education financially supported by - An employer? - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2206/ 1978521
				1 Yes	90/ 85330
				2 No	124/ 107715
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	3/ 2814
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
123	F4CM2	1	0195	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Was this training or education financially supported by - The government? - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2206/ 1978521
				1 Yes	24/ 22260
				2 No	190/ 170785
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	3/ 2814
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
124	F4DM2	1	0196	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Was this training or education financially supported by - A union or professional organization? - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2206/ 1978521
				1 Yes	9/ 8027
				2 No	205/ 185018
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	3/ 2814
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
125	F4EM2	1	0197	Was this training or education financially supported by - Anyone else? - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2206/ 1978521
				1 Yes	6/ 5392
				2 No	208/ 187653
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	3/ 2814
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
126	F4FM2	1	0198	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Was this training or education financially supported by - No Fees? - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2206/ 1978521
				1 Yes	6/ 4956
				2 No	208/ 188089
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	3/ 2814
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
127	F4AM3	1	0199	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Was this training or education financially supported by - Yourself or your family? - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2330/ 2090878
				1 Yes	23/ 19613
				2 No	68/ 62019
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	2/ 1869
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
128	F4BM3	1	0200	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Was this training or education financially supported by - An employer? - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2330/ 2090878
				1 Yes	47/ 44359
				2 No	44/ 37274
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	2/ 1869
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	

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129	F4CM3	1	0201	Was this training or education financially supported by - The government? - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2330/ 2090878
				1 Yes	8/ 7195
				2 No	83/ 74438
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	2/ 1869
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
130	F4DM3	1	0202	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Was this training or education financially supported by - A union or professional organization? - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2330/ 2090878
				1 Yes	3/ 2353
				2 No	88/ 79280
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	2/ 1869
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
131	F4EM3	1	0203	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Was this training or education financially supported by - Anyone else? - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2330/ 2090878
				1 Yes	4/ 3114
				2 No	87/ 78519
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	2/ 1869
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
132	F4FM3	1	0204	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Was this training or education financially supported by - No Fees? - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2330/ 2090878
				1 Yes	6/ 4999
				2 No	85/ 76634
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	2/ 1869
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
133	F5M1	1	0205	Were you taking this training or education towards... - First Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1762/ 1550540
				1 A university degree/ diploma/certificate	101/ 99566
				2 A college diploma/ certificate	61/ 59768
				3 A trade-vocational diploma/certificate	51/ 50355
				4 An apprenticeship certificate	13/ 14012
				5 An elementary or secondary school diploma	77/ 78147
				6 Professional or career upgrading	180/ 165268
				7 Other	178/ 156724
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
134	F5M2	1	0206	NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. Were you taking this training or education towards... - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2179/ 1950584
				1 A university degree/ diploma/certificate	12/ 10820
				2 A college diploma/ certificate	9/ 8154
				3 A trade-vocational diploma/certificate	6/ 5502
				4 An apprenticeship certificate	4/ 4603
				5 An elementary or secondary school diploma	4/ 3824
				6 Professional or career upgrading	100/ 91466
				7 Other	70/ 61782
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	39/ 37646
135	F5M3	1	0207	NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. Were you taking this training or education towards... - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2296/ 2056941
				1 A university degree/ diploma/certificate	4/ 4285
				2 A college diploma/ certificate	0/ 0
				3 A trade-vocational diploma/certificate	0/ 0
				4 An apprenticeship certificate	2/ 2504
				5 An elementary or secondary school diploma	3/ 3017
				6 Professional or career upgrading	48/ 43873
				7 Other	31/ 25663
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	39/ 38097
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
136	F6AM1	1	0208	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Was this training or education given by...- A university or higher education establishment? - First Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1747/ 1538202
				1 Yes	83/ 80046
				2 No	523/ 493146
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	70/ 62986
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	

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137	F6BM1	1	0209	Was this training or education given by...- A further education college? - First Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1747/ 1538202
				1 Yes	103/ 100578
				2 No	503/ 472614
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	70/ 62986
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Germany, Poland.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	
138	F6CM1	1	0210	Was this training or education given by...- A commercial organization? - First Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1747/ 1538202
				1 Yes	74/ 67718
				2 No	532/ 505474
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	70/ 62986
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	
139	F6DM1	1	0211	Was this training or education given by...- A producer or supplier of equipment? - First Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1747/ 1538202
				1 Yes	19/ 16728
				2 No	587/ 556464
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	70/ 62986
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	
140	F6EM1	1	0212	Was this training or education given by...- A non-profit organization? - First Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1747/ 1538202
				1 Yes	40/ 36051
				2 No	566/ 537141
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	70/ 62986
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	

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141	F6FM1	1	0213	Was this training or education given by...- A Parent company? - First Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2387/ 2139022
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	36/ 35358
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.	
142	F6GM1	1	0214	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Was this training or education given by...- Other provider? - First Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1747/ 1538202
				1 Yes	287/ 272071
				2 No	319/ 301121
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	70/ 62986
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
143	F6AM2	1	0215	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Was this training or education given by...- A university or higher education establishment? - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2205/ 1977516
				1 Yes	9/ 7996
				2 No	203/ 183410
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	6/ 5458
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
144	F6BM2	1	0216	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Was this training or education given by...- A further education college? - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2205/ 1977516
				1 Yes	19/ 18568
				2 No	193/ 172839
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	6/ 5458
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	

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145	F6CM2	1	0217	Was this training or education given by...- A commercial organization? - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2205/ 1977516
				1 Yes	27/ 24262
				2 No	185/ 167145
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	6/ 5458
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	
146	F6DM2	1	0218	Was this training or education given by...- A producer or supplier of equipment? - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2205/ 1977516
				1 Yes	12/ 11996
				2 No	200/ 179410
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	6/ 5458
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	
147	F6EM2	1	0219	Was this training or education given by...- A non-profit organization? - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2205/ 1977516
				1 Yes	65/ 57977
				2 No	147/ 133429
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	6/ 5458
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	
148	F6FM2	1	0220	Was this training or education given by...- A Parent company? - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2418/ 2170598
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	5/ 3782
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	

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149	F6GM2	1	0221	Was this training or education given by...- Other provider? - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2205/ 1977516
				1 Yes	80/ 70608
				2 No	132/ 120798
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	6/ 5458
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
150	F6AM3	1	0222	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Was this training or education given by...- A university or higher education establishment? - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2330/ 2090878
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	90/ 80802
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	3/ 2700
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
151	F6BM3	1	0223	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Was this training or education given by...- A further education college? - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2330/ 2090878
				1 Yes	4/ 4363
				2 No	86/ 76439
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	3/ 2700
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Poland, Germany.	
152	F6CM3	1	0224	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Was this training or education given by...- A commercial organization? - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2330/ 2090878
				1 Yes	10/ 10074
				2 No	80/ 70728
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	3/ 2700
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	

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153	F6DM3	1	0225	Was this training or education given by...- A producer or supplier of equipment? - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2330/ 2090878
				1 Yes	4/ 3309
				2 No	86/ 77493
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	3/ 2700
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	
154	F6EM3	1	0226	Was this training or education given by...- A non-profit organization? - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2330/ 2090878
				1 Yes	40/ 35383
				2 No	50/ 45419
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	3/ 2700
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	
155	F6FM3	1	0227	Was this training or education given by...- A Parent company? - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2421/ 2173244
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	2/ 1136
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland,	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	
156	F6GM3	1	0228	Was this training or education given by...- Other provider? - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2330/ 2090878
				1 Yes	32/ 27674
				2 No	58/ 53128
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	3/ 2700
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	

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157	F7M1	2	0229-0230	Where did you take this training or education? - First Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1752/ 1542815
				1 Elementary or High School	121/ 116681
				2 College Campus	106/ 103674
				3 University Campus	82/ 80058
				4 Business or Commercial School	64/ 58906
				5 Work	83/ 77213
				6 Training Centre	53/ 52823
				7 Conference Centre or Hotel	56/ 48487
				8 Home	9/ 8034
				9 Community Centre or Sports Facility	23/ 19222
				10 Elsewhere	74/ 66469
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	
158	F7M2	2	0231-0232	Where did you take this training or education? - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2175/ 1946795
				1 Elementary or High School	19/ 16535
				2 College Campus	19/ 18357
				3 University Campus	11/ 9729
				4 Business or Commercial School	26/ 23352
				5 Work	45/ 41580
				6 Training Centre	11/ 9862
				7 Conference Centre or Hotel	36/ 33001
				8 Home	6/ 5566
				9 Community Centre or Sports Facility	11/ 8993
				10 Elsewhere	28/ 24779
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	36/ 35831
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	
159	F7M3	2	0233-0234	Where did you take this training or education? - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2294/ 2055120
				1 Elementary or High School	7/ 6503
				2 College Campus	5/ 5039
				3 University Campus	1/ 1123
				4 Business or Commercial School	10/ 9246
				5 Work	26/ 23130
				6 Training Centre	1/ 885
				7 Conference Centre or Hotel	16/ 14750
				8 Home	1/ 1006
				9 Community Centre or Sports Facility	7/ 5384
				10 Elsewhere	16/ 14045
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	39/ 38149
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	

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160	F8M1	2	0235-0236	Weeks training lasted - First Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1810/ 1598706
				0 Undeclared	0/ 0
				1:52 Weeks course lasted	600/ 562920
				98 Don't know/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	13/ 12755
				NOTE: The total hours spent on the course or program is equivalent to F8*F9*F10.	
				Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries.	
161	F8M2	2	0237-0238	Weeks training lasted - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2214/ 1983601
				0 Undeclared	0/ 0
				1:52 Weeks course lasted	178/ 159701
				98 Don't know/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	31/ 31078
				NOTE: The total hours spent on the course or program is equivalent to F8*F9*F10.	
				Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries.	
162	F8M3	2	0239-0240	Weeks training lasted - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2315/ 2073861
				0 Undeclared	0/ 0
				1:52 Weeks course lasted	78/ 71203
				98 Don't know/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	30/ 29316
				NOTE: The total hours spent on the course or program is equivalent to F8*F9*F10.	
				IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	
163	F9M1	2	0241-0242	On average, how many days per week was it? - First Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1783/ 1573114
				1: 7 Number of days per week	640/ 601266
				9 Undeclared	0/ 0
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: The total hours spent on the course or program is equivalent to F8*F9*F10.	
				IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	

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164	F9M2	2	0243-0244	On average, how many days per week was it? - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2183/ 1954530
				1: 7 Number of days per week	204/ 184178
				8 Undeclared	0/ 0
				9 Undeclared	0/ 0
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	36/ 35672
				NOTE: The total hours spent on the course or program is equivalent to F8*F9*F10.	
				IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	
165	F9M3	2	0245-0246	On average, how many days per week was it? - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2298/ 2059120
				1: 7 Number of days per week	88/ 78866
				9 Undeclared	0/ 0
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	37/ 36393
				NOTE: The total hours spent on the course or program is equivalent to F8*F9*F10.	
				IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	
166	F10M1	2	0247-0248	On average, how many hours per day was it? - First Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1790/ 1579299
				1:18 Number of hours per day	633/ 595081
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: The total hours spent on the course or program is equivalent to F8*F9*F10.	
				IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	
167	F10M2	2	0249-0250	On average, how many hours per day was it? - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2184/ 1955806
				1:18 Number of hours per day	200/ 180944
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	39/ 37631
				NOTE: The total hours spent on the course or program is equivalent to F8*F9*F10.	
				IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	

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168	F10M3	2	0251-0252	On average, how many hours per day was it? - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2300/ 2061203
				1:18 Number of hours per day	86/ 77155
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	37/ 36022
				NOTE: The total hours spent on the course or program is equivalent to F8*F9*F10.	
				IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	
169	F11M1	1	0253	What as the main reason you took this training or education? Was it for... - First Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1754/ 1545223
				1 Career or job related purposes	498/ 477075
				2 Personal Interest	138/ 118643
				3 Other	33/ 33439
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: If F11M1=1 (Career Job Related) go to F12. If F11M1=2 or 3 (Personal interest or other) go to F13.	
				IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	
170	F11M2	1	0254	What as the main reason you took this training or education? Was it for... - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2188/ 1958568
				1 Career or job related purposes	138/ 127710
				2 Personal Interest	48/ 40438
				3 Other	7/ 6584
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	42/ 41080
				NOTE: If F11M2=1 (Career Job Related) go to F12. If F11M2=2 or 3 (Personal interest or other) go to F13.	
				Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries.	
171	F11M3	1	0255	What as the main reason you took this training or education? Was it for... - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2295/ 2055857
				1 Career or job related purposes	58/ 54097
				2 Personal Interest	16/ 13230
				3 Other	5/ 4458
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	49/ 46737
				NOTE: If F11M1=1 (Career Job Related) go to F12. If F11M1=2 or 3 (Personal interest or other) go to F13.	
				IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	

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172	F12M1	1	0256	To what extent are you using the skills or knowledge acquired in this training or education at work? - First Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1901/ 1677174
				1 To a great extent	250/ 233144
				2 Somewhat	72/ 67261
				3 Very little	22/ 22727
				4 Not at all	46/ 46482
				5 Not Applicable (relevant)	103/ 102129
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	29/ 25463
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	
173	F12M2	1	0257	To what extent are you using the skills or knowledge acquired in this training or education at work? - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2211/ 1979760
				1 To a great extent	92/ 83995
				2 Somewhat	34/ 31980
				3 Very little	5/ 4268
				4 Not at all	11/ 10891
				5 Not Applicable (relevant)	11/ 9749
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	59/ 53738
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	
174	F12M3	1	0258	To what extent are you using the skills or knowledge acquired in this training or education at work? - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2305/ 2065893
				1 To a great extent	51/ 47259
				2 Somewhat	10/ 8643
				3 Very little	1/ 807
				4 Not at all	2/ 2258
				5 Not Applicable (relevant)	2/ 1848
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	52/ 47673
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	

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175	F13AM1	1	0259	Who suggested you take this training or education? - You did - First Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1747/ 1538595
				1 Yes	442/ 413342
				2 No	229/ 217497
				7 Don't know	1/ 1252
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	4/ 3695
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
176	F13BM1	1	0260	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Who suggested you take this training or education? - Your friends or family did - First Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1747/ 1538595
				1 Yes	46/ 46511
				2 No	625/ 584328
				7 Don't know	1/ 1252
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	4/ 3695
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.	
177	F13CM1	1	0261	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Who suggested you take this training or education? - Your employer - First Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1747/ 1538595
				1 Yes	145/ 134697
				2 No	526/ 496142
				7 Don't know	1/ 1252
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	4/ 3695
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
178	F13DM1	1	0262	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Who suggested you take this training or education? - Other employees - First Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1747/ 1538595
				1 Yes	2/ 1887
				2 No	669/ 628952
				7 Don't know	1/ 1252
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	4/ 3695
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	

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179	F13EM1	1	0263	Who suggested you take this training or education? - Part of a collective agreement - First Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1747/ 1538595
				1 Yes	9/ 8971
				2 No	662/ 621868
				7 Don't know	1/ 1252
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	4/ 3695
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
180	F13FM1	1	0264	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Who suggested you take this training or education? - Your union or trade association - First Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1747/ 1538595
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	671/ 630839
				7 Don't know	1/ 1252
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	4/ 3695
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
181	F13GM1	1	0265	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Who suggested you take this training or education? - Legal or professional requirements - First Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1747/ 1538595
				1 Yes	2/ 2258
				2 No	669/ 628581
				7 Don't know	1/ 1252
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	4/ 3695
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
182	F13HM1	1	0266	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Who suggested you take this training or education? - Social services or labour centre - First Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1747/ 1538595
				1 Yes	6/ 5529
				2 No	665/ 625310
				7 Don't know	1/ 1252
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	4/ 3695
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	

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183	F13IM1	1	0267	Who suggested you take this training or education? - Other - First Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1747/ 1538595
				1 Yes	19/ 17644
				2 No	652/ 613195
				7 Don't know	1/ 1252
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	4/ 3695
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
184	F13AM2	1	0268	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Who suggested you take this training or education? - You did - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2205/ 1977516
				1 Yes	112/ 98424
				2 No	101/ 94274
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	5/ 4167
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
185	F13BM2	1	0269	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Who suggested you take this training or education? - Your friends or family did - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2205/ 1977516
				1 Yes	6/ 5156
				2 No	207/ 187542
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	5/ 4167
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.	
186	F13CM2	1	0270	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Who suggested you take this training or education? - Your employer - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2205/ 1977516
				1 Yes	80/ 74910
				2 No	133/ 117788
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	5/ 4167
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	

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187	F13DM2	1	0271	Who suggested you take this training or education? - Other employees - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2205/ 1977516
				1 Yes	2/ 1681
				2 No	211/ 191017
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	5/ 4167
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.	
188	F13EM2	1	0272	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Who suggested you take this training or education? - Part of a collective agreement - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2205/ 1977516
				1 Yes	4/ 4013
				2 No	209/ 188685
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	5/ 4167
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.	
189	F13FM2	1	0273	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Who suggested you take this training or education? - Your union or trade association - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2205/ 1977516
				1 Yes	3/ 3025
				2 No	210/ 189673
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	5/ 4167
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.	
190	F13GM2	1	0274	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Who suggested you take this training or education? - Legal or professional requirements - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2205/ 1977516
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	213/ 192698
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	5/ 4167
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	

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191	F13HM2	1	0275	Who suggested you take this training or education? - Social services or labour centre - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2205/ 1977516
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	213/ 192698
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	5/ 4167
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.	
192	F13IM2	1	0276	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Who suggested you take this training or education? - Other - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2205/ 1977516
				1 Yes	6/ 5491
				2 No	207/ 187207
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	5/ 4167
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.	
193	F13AM3	1	0277	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Who suggested you take this training or education? - You did - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2330/ 2090878
				1 Yes	41/ 35890
				2 No	50/ 45742
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	2/ 1869
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
194	F13BM3	1	0278	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Who suggested you take this training or education? - Your friends or family did - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2330/ 2090878
				1 Yes	1/ 653
				2 No	90/ 80980
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	2/ 1869
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	

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195	F13CM3	1	0279	Who suggested you take this training or education? - Your employer - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2330/ 2090878
				1 Yes	42/ 38638
				2 No	49/ 42995
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	2/ 1869
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
196	F13DM3	1	0280	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Who suggested you take this training or education? - Other employees - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2330/ 2090878
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	91/ 81633
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	2/ 1869
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.	
197	F13EM3	1	0281	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Who suggested you take this training or education? - Part of a collective agreement - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2330/ 2090878
				1 Yes	3/ 2890
				2 No	88/ 78743
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	2/ 1869
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
198	F13FM3	1	0282	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Who suggested you take this training or education? - Your union or trade association - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2330/ 2090878
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	91/ 81633
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	2/ 1869
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	

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199	F13GM3	1	0283	Who suggested you take this training or education? - Legal or professional requirements - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2330/ 2090878
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	91/ 81633
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	2/ 1869
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
200	F13HM3	1	0284	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Who suggested you take this training or education? - Social services or labour centre - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2330/ 2090878
				1 Yes	1/ 807
				2 No	90/ 80826
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	2/ 1869
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
201	F13IM3	1	0285	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Who suggested you take this training or education? - Other - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2330/ 2090878
				1 Yes	3/ 2755
				2 No	88/ 78878
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	2/ 1869
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
202	F14AM1	1	0286	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Was this training or education provided through...- Classroom instructions, seminars or workshops? - First Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1745/ 1536666
				1 Yes	546/ 513577
				2 No	127/ 118944
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	5/ 5193
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	

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203	F14BM1	1	0287	Was this training or education provided through...- Educational Software? - First Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1745/ 1536666
				1 Yes	9/ 7898
				2 No	664/ 624623
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	5/ 5193
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
204	F14CM1	1	0288	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Was this training or education provided through...- Radio or TV broadcasting? - First Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1745/ 1536666
				1 Yes	2/ 1821
				2 No	671/ 630701
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	5/ 5193
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
205	F14DM1	1	0289	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Was this training or education provided through...- Audio/video cassettes, tapes or disks? - First Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1745/ 1536666
				1 Yes	13/ 12730
				2 No	660/ 619792
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	5/ 5193
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
206	F14EM1	1	0290	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Was this training or education provided through...- Reading materials? - First Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1745/ 1536666
				1 Yes	12/ 11148
				2 No	661/ 621374
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	5/ 5193
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	

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207	F14FM1	1	0291	Was this training or education provided through...- On-the-job training? - First Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1745/ 1536666
				1 Yes	62/ 57591
				2 No	611/ 574931
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	5/ 5193
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
208	F14GM1	1	0292	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Was this training or education provided through... - Other methods? - First course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1745/ 1536666
				1 Yes	29/ 27757
				2 No	644/ 604765
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	5/ 5193
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
209	F14AM2	1	0293	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Was this training or education provided through...- Classroom instructions, seminars or workshops? - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2207/ 1979385
				1 Yes	164/ 147851
				2 No	50/ 45369
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	2/ 1775
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
210	F14BM2	1	0294	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Was this training or education provided through...- Educational Software? - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2207/ 1979385
				1 Yes	2/ 1929
				2 No	212/ 191291
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	2/ 1775
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	

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211	F14CM2	1	0295	Was this training or education provided through...- Radio or TV broadcasting? - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2207/ 1979385
				1 Yes	1/ 1014
				2 No	213/ 192206
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	2/ 1775
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
212	F14DM2	1	0296	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Was this training or education provided through...- Audio/video cassettes, tapes or disks? - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2207/ 1979385
				1 Yes	7/ 6251
				2 No	207/ 186969
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	2/ 1775
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
213	F14EM2	1	0297	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Was this training or education provided through...- Reading materials? - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2207/ 1979385
				1 Yes	9/ 8146
				2 No	205/ 185074
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	2/ 1775
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
214	F14FM2	1	0298	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Was this training or education provided through...- On-the-job training? - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2207/ 1979385
				1 Yes	22/ 20070
				2 No	192/ 173149
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	2/ 1775
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	

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215	F14GM2	1	0299	Was this training or education provided through...- Other methods? - Second Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2205/ 1977516
				1 Yes	9/ 7960
				2 No	205/ 185260
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	4/ 3645
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
216	F14AM3	1	0300	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Was this training or education provided through...- Classroom instructions, seminars or workshops? - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2291/ 2052229
				1 Yes	67/ 60104
				2 No	24/ 21529
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	41/ 40519
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
217	F14BM3	1	0301	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Was this training or education provided through...- Educational Software? - Third Course or Program Mentioned"	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2291/ 2052229
				1 Yes	2/ 2175
				2 No	89/ 79458
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	41/ 40519
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
218	F14CM3	1	0302	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Was this training or education provided through...- Radio or TV broadcasting? - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2291/ 2052229
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	91/ 81633
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	41/ 40519
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	

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219	F14DM3	1	0303	Was this training or education provided through...- Audio/video cassettes, tapes or disks? - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2291/ 2052229
				1 Yes	4/ 3544
				2 No	87/ 78089
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	41/ 40519
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
220	F14EM3	1	0304	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Was this training or education provided through...- Reading materials? - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2291/ 2052229
				1 Yes	2/ 1528
				2 No	89/ 80105
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	41/ 40519
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
221	F14FM3	1	0305	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Was this training or education provided through...- On-the-job training? - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2291/ 2052229
				1 Yes	14/ 12756
				2 No	77/ 68877
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	41/ 40519
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
222	F14GM3	1	0306	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Was this training or education provided through...- Other methods? - Third Course or Program Mentioned	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2291/ 2052229
				1 Yes	2/ 1526
				2 No	89/ 80107
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	41/ 40519
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	

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223	F15	1	0307	Since August (Year), was there any training or education that you WANTED to take for career or job-related reasons but did not?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	0/ 0
				1 Yes	408/ 377329
				2 No	2011/ 1793513
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	4/ 3538

NOTE: If F15=2 (No) go to F17.

Year = 1993 for IALS1
1994 for IALS2

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.

224	F16A	1	0308	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. What was the reasons you did not take this training or education? - Too busy/lack of time	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2014/ 1796107
				1 Yes	106/ 100228
				2 No	263/ 240650
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	40/ 37395

NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.

225	F16B	1	0309	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. What was the reasons you did not take this training or education? - Too busy at work	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2014/ 1796107
				1 Yes	42/ 39387
				2 No	327/ 301492
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	40/ 37395

NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.

226	F16C	1	0310	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. What was the reasons you did not take this training or education? - Course not offered	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2014/ 1796107
				1 Yes	66/ 60013
				2 No	303/ 280866
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	40/ 37395

NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.

Applicable to all IALS2 countries.

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227	F16D	1	0311	What was the reasons you did not take this training or education? - Family responsibilities	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2014/ 1796107
				1 Yes	68/ 56749
				2 No	301/ 284129
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	40/ 37395
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	
228	F16E	1	0312	What was the reasons you did not take this training or education? - Too expensive/no money	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2014/ 1796107
				1 Yes	85/ 79879
				2 No	284/ 261000
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	40/ 37395
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	
229	F16F	1	0313	What was the reasons you did not take this training or education? - Lack of qualifications	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2014/ 1796107
				1 Yes	13/ 13023
				2 No	356/ 327855
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	40/ 37395
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	
230	F16G	1	0314	What was the reasons you did not take this training or education? - Lack of employer support	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2014/ 1796107
				1 Yes	10/ 10374
				2 No	359/ 330505
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	40/ 37395
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	

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231	F16H	1	0315	What was the reasons you did not take this training or education? - Course offered at inconvenient time	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2014/ 1796107
				1 Yes	29/ 27041
				2 No	340/ 313838
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	40/ 37395
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	
232	F16I	1	0316	What was the reasons you did not take this training or education? - Language reasons	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2014/ 1796107
				1 Yes	1/ 1252
				2 No	368/ 339627
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	40/ 37395
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	
233	F16J	1	0317	What was the reasons you did not take this training or education? - Health reasons	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2014/ 1796107
				1 Yes	12/ 10917
				2 No	357/ 329961
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	40/ 37395
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	
234	F16K	1	0318	What was the reasons you did not take this training or education? - Other	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2014/ 1796107
				1 Yes	3/ 3077
				2 No	366/ 337802
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	40/ 37395
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	

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235	F17	1	0319	Since August (year), was there any other training that you WANTED to take but did not, such as hobby, recreational, or interest courses?	

Blank - Question not applicable	1/	966
1 Yes	466/	420383
2 No	1951/	1748810
8 DK/Refused	0/	0
9 Not Stated	5/	4221

NOTE: Year = 1993 for IALS1
1994 for IALS2

If F17=2 (No) go to G1.

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.

236	F18A	1	0320	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. What was the reasons you did not take this training or education? - Too busy/lack of time	
Blank - Question not applicable					1956/ 1753031
1 Yes					187/ 172715
2 No					239/ 211514
8 DK/Refused					0/ 0
9 Not Stated					41/ 37120

NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.

237	F18B	1	0321	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. What was the reasons you did not take this training or education? - Too busy at work	
Blank - Question not applicable					1956/ 1753031
1 Yes					41/ 37618
2 No					385/ 346611
8 DK/Refused					0/ 0
9 Not Stated					41/ 37120

NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.

238	F18C	1	0322	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. What was the reasons you did not take this training or education? - Course not offered	
Blank - Question not applicable					1956/ 1753031
1 Yes					44/ 39196
2 No					382/ 345034
8 DK/Refused					0/ 0
9 Not Stated					41/ 37120

NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.

Applicable to all IALS2 countries.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
239	F18D	1	0323	What was the reasons you did not take this training or education? - Family responsibilities	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1956/ 1753031
				1 Yes	80/ 66645
				2 No	346/ 317584
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	41/ 37120
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	
240	F18E	1	0324	What was the reasons you did not take this training or education? - Too expensive/no money	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1956/ 1753031
				1 Yes	72/ 67278
				2 No	354/ 316952
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	41/ 37120
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	
241	F18F	1	0325	What was the reasons you did not take this training or education? - Lack of qualifications	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1956/ 1753031
				1 Yes	3/ 3131
				2 No	423/ 381098
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	41/ 37120
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	
242	F18G	1	0326	What was the reasons you did not take this training or education? - Lack of employer support	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1956/ 1753031
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	426/ 384229
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	41/ 37120
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
243	F18H	1	0327	What was the reasons you did not take this training or education? - Course offered at inconvenient time	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1956/ 1753031
				1 Yes	36/ 31722
				2 No	390/ 352508
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	41/ 37120
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	
244	F18I	1	0328	What was the reasons you did not take this training or education? - Language reasons	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1956/ 1753031
				1 Yes	1/ 869
				2 No	425/ 383360
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	41/ 37120
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	
245	F18J	1	0329	What was the reasons you did not take this training or education? - Health reasons	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1956/ 1753031
				1 Yes	18/ 16513
				2 No	408/ 367716
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	41/ 37120
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	
246	F18K	1	0330	What was the reasons you did not take this training or education? - Other	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1956/ 1753031
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	426/ 384229
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	41/ 37120
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland.	
				Applicable to all IALS2 countries.	

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
				XX	
				X	X
				X SECTION G. READING AND WRITING GENERAL	X
				X	X
				XX	
247	G1A	1	0331	Activities - use a public library	
				1 daily	32/ 32063
				2 weekly	214/ 192938
				3 monthly	400/ 355297
				4 several times per year	282/ 257078
				5 never	1492/ 1334816
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	3/ 2189
248	G1B	1	0332	NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. Activities - attend a movie, play or concert	
				1 daily	3/ 2962
				2 weekly	237/ 232007
				3 monthly	887/ 813662
				4 several times per year	763/ 662126
				5 never	527/ 458736
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	6/ 4887
249	G1C	1	0333	NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. Activities - attend or take part in a sporting event	
				1 daily	90/ 84294
				2 weekly	679/ 643065
				3 monthly	445/ 397950
				4 several times per year	292/ 255934
				5 never	912/ 789193
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	5/ 3942
250	G1D	1	0334	NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. Activities - write letters or anything else that is more than one page in length	
				1 daily	159/ 148644
				2 weekly	452/ 401656
				3 monthly	631/ 552351
				4 several times per year	484/ 430857
				5 never	690/ 635302
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	7/ 5569
251	G1E	1	0335	NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. Activities - participate in volunteer or community organizations	
				1 daily	53/ 48531
				2 weekly	343/ 304969
				3 monthly	319/ 273470
				4 several times per year	324/ 294189
				5 never	1375/ 1245903
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	9/ 7318
				NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries.	

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
252	G1F	1	0336	Activities - reading newspapers or magazines	
				1 daily	1758/ 1582984
				2 weekly	527/ 464833
				3 monthly	47/ 42005
				4 several times per year	10/ 9777
				5 never	74/ 69175
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	7/ 5605
253	G1G	1	0337	NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. Activities - reading books	
				1 daily	796/ 716516
				2 weekly	490/ 436129
				3 monthly	415/ 375287
				4 several times per year	228/ 205620
				5 never	483/ 431551
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	11/ 9277
254	G1H	1	0338	NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. Activities - listening to radio, records, tapes, cassettes or compact discs	
				1 daily	2191/ 1969240
				2 weekly	147/ 132201
				3 monthly	25/ 21603
				4 several times per year	7/ 6239
				5 never	48/ 41154
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	5/ 3942
255	G2	1	0339	NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. Do you ever do any of these activities in a language other than National Official Language(s)?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				0 Subpopulation excluded	0/ 0
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: If G2=2 (No) go to G4.

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IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Sweden.

IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
256	G3A	1	0340	Which of the following activities have you ever done in a language other than National Official Language(s)? - use public library	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				0 Subpopulation excluded	0/ 0
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: Code 0 (Subpopulation excluded) is a special Canadian code needed to account for our Franco-Ontarian sample which got a slightly altered version of this question.	
				IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Sweden.	
257	G3B	1	0341	IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain. Which of the following activities have you ever done in a language other than National Official Language(s)? - attend a movie, play or concert	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				0 Subpopulation excluded	0/ 0
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: Code 0 (Subpopulation excluded) is a special Canadian code needed to account for our Franco-Ontarian sample which got a slightly altered version of this question.	
				IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Sweden.	
258	G3C	1	0342	IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain. Which of the following activities have you ever done in a language other than National Official Language(s)? - attend or take part in a sporting event	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				0 Subpopulation excluded	0/ 0
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: Code 0 (Subpopulation excluded) is a special Canadian code needed to account for our Franco-Ontarian sample which got a slightly altered version of this question.	
				IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Sweden.	
				IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain.	

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
259	G3D	1	0343	Which of the following activities have you ever done in a language other than National Official Language(s)? - write letters or anything else that is more than one page in length	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				0 Subpopulation excluded	0/ 0
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0

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IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Sweden.

260	G3E	1	0344	Which of the following activities have you ever done in a language other than National Official Language(s)? - participate in volunteer or community organizations	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				0 Subpopulation excluded	0/ 0
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0

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IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Sweden.

261	G3F	1	0345	Which of the following activities have you ever done in a language other than National Official Language(s)? - reading newspapers or magazines	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				0 Subpopulation excluded	0/ 0
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: Code 0 (Subpopulation excluded) is a special Canadian code needed to account for our Franco-Ontarian sample which got a slightly altered version of this question.

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Sweden.

IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
262	G3G	1	0346	Which of the following activities have you ever done in a language other than National Official Language(s)? - reading books	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				0 Subpopulation excluded	0/ 0
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: Code 0 (Subpopulation excluded) is a special Canadian code needed to account for our Franco-Ontarian sample which got a slightly altered version of this question.

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Sweden.

263	G3H	1	0347	IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain. Which of the following activities have you ever done in a language other than National Official Language(s)? - listening to radio, records, tapes cassettes or compact discs	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				0 Subpopulation excluded	0/ 0
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: Code 0 (Subpopulation excluded) is a special Canadian code needed to account for our Franco-Ontarian sample which got a slightly altered version of this question.

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Sweden.

264	G4	1	0348	IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain. How much time do you usually spend each day watching television or videos?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	0/ 0
				1 Not on a daily basis	108/ 98663
				2 1 hour or less per day	409/ 360116
				3 1 to 2 hours per day	786/ 698882
				4 more than 2 hours but less than 5	856/ 773844
				5 5 or more hours per day	249/ 230022
				6 Do not have television or videos	11/ 9844
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	4/ 3009

NOTE: If G4=6 (Do not have television or videos) go to G6.

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.

IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain, Ireland, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
265	G5	1	0349	Do you ever watch television or videos in a language other than National Official Language(s)?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				0 Subpopulation excluded	0/ 0
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: Code 0 (Subpopulation excluded) is a special Canadian code needed to account for our Franco-Ontarian sample which got a slightly altered version of this question.	
				IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Sweden.	
				IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain.	
266	G6A	1	0350	Do you currently have in your home? - daily newspaper	
				1 Yes	1923/ 1735074
				2 No	473/ 415150
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	27/ 24156
				NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries.	
267	G6B	1	0351	Do you currently have in your home? - weekly newspaper/magazines	
				1 Yes	2166/ 1940718
				2 No	230/ 209506
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	27/ 24156
				NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries.	
268	G6C	1	0352	Do you currently have in your home? - more than 25 books	
				1 Yes	1768/ 1589072
				2 No	628/ 561151
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	27/ 24156
				NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries.	
269	G6D	1	0353	Do you currently have in your home? - a (multi-volume) encyclopedia	
				1 Yes	1193/ 1059519
				2 No	1203/ 1090704
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	27/ 24156
				NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries.	
270	G6E	1	0354	Do you currently have in your home? - a dictionary	
				1 Yes	2073/ 1861457
				2 No	323/ 288767
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	27/ 24156
				NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries.	

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
271	G7A	1	0355	Which parts of a newspaper do you generally read? - classified ads	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				3 Do not read newspaper	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.	
				IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).	
272	G7B	1	0356	Which parts of a newspaper do you generally read? - other advertisements	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				3 Do not read newspaper	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.	
				IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).	
273	G7C	1	0357	Which parts of a newspaper do you generally read? - national/international news	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				3 Do not read newspaper	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.	
				IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).	
274	G7D	1	0358	Which parts of a newspaper do you generally read? - regional or local news	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				3 Do not read newspaper	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.	
				IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).	

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
275	G7E	1	0359	Which parts of a newspaper do you generally read? - sports	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				3 Do not read newspaper	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.	
				IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).	
276	G7F	1	0360	Which parts of a newspaper do you generally read? - home, fashion, or health	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				3 Do not read newspaper	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.	
				IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).	
277	G7G	1	0361	Which parts of a newspaper do you generally read? - editorial page	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				3 Do not read newspaper	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.	
				IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).	
278	G7H	1	0362	Which parts of a newspaper do you generally read? - financial news or stock listings	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				3 Do not read newspaper	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.	
				IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).	

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
279	G7I	1	0363	Which parts of a newspaper do you generally read? - comics	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				3 Do not read newspaper	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.	
				IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).	
280	G7J	1	0364	Which parts of a newspaper do you generally read? - TV listings	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				3 Do not read newspaper	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.	
				IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).	
281	G7K	1	0365	Which parts of a newspaper do you generally read? - movie or concert listings	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				3 Do not read newspaper	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.	
				IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).	
282	G7L	1	0366	Which parts of a newspaper do you generally read? - book, movie or art reviews	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				3 Do not read newspaper	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.	
				IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).	

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
283	G7M	1	0367	"Which parts of a newspaper do you generally read? - horoscope	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				3 Do not read newspaper	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.	
				IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).	
284	G7N	1	0368	Which parts of a newspaper do you generally read? - advice column	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				3 Do not read newspaper	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.	
				IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain, Northern Ireland.	
285	G7O	1	0369	Which parts of a newspaper do you generally read? - other	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				3 Do not read newspaper	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.	
				IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain, Northern Ireland.	
286	G8	1	0370	Would you say you follow what's going on in current events, government and public affairs ...	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Most of the time	0/ 0
				2 Some of the time	0/ 0
				3 Only now and then	0/ 0
				4 Hardly at all	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Sweden.	
				IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain, Northern Ireland.	

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
287	G9A	1	0371	Getting information about current events, public affairs, and the government. How much information do you get from? - newspapers	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 A lot	0/ 0
				2 Some	0/ 0
				3 Very Little	0/ 0
				4 None	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland.	
288	G9B	1	0372	IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain. Getting information about current events, public affairs, and the government. How much information do you get from? - magazines	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 A lot	0/ 0
				2 Some	0/ 0
				3 Very Little	0/ 0
				4 None	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland.	
289	G9C	1	0373	IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain. Getting information about current events, public affairs, and the government. How much information do you get from? - radio	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 A lot	0/ 0
				2 Some	0/ 0
				3 Very Little	0/ 0
				4 None	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland.	
290	G9D	1	0374	IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain. Getting information about current events, public affairs, and the government. How much information do you get from? - television	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 A lot	0/ 0
				2 Some	0/ 0
				3 Very Little	0/ 0
				4 None	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland.	
				IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain.	

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
291	G9E	1	0375	Getting information about current events, public affairs, and the government. How much information do you get from? - family members, friends or co-workers	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 A lot	0/ 0
				2 Some	0/ 0
				3 Very Little	0/ 0
				4 None	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland.	
				IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain.	
292	G10A	1	0376	How often do need help from others with? - reading newspaper articles	
				1 Often	18/ 16695
				2 Sometimes	58/ 52955
				3 Never	2340/ 2098796
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	7/ 5935
				NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries.	
293	G10B	1	0377	How often do need help from others with? - reading information from government agencies, businesses or other institutions	
				1 Often	55/ 49154
				2 Sometimes	303/ 276769
				3 Never	2057/ 1841577
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	8/ 6880
				NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries.	
294	G10C	1	0378	How often do need help from others with? - filling out forms such as applications or bank deposit slips	
				1 Often	64/ 56029
				2 Sometimes	215/ 200160
				3 Never	2135/ 1910432
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	9/ 7760
				NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries.	
295	G10D	1	0379	How often do need help from others with? - reading instructions such as on medicine bottles	
				1 Often	26/ 24312
				2 Sometimes	90/ 82284
				3 Never	2298/ 2060025
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	9/ 7760
				NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries.	

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
296	G10E	1	0380	How often do need help from others with? - reading instructions on "packaged" goods in stores or supermarkets	
				1 Often	25/ 23051
				2 Sometimes	50/ 44834
				3 Never	2339/ 2098736
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	9/ 7760
297	G10F	1	0381	NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. How often do need help from others with? - doing basic arithmetic, that is, adding, subtracting, multiplying and dividing	
				1 Often	43/ 38266
				2 Sometimes	104/ 91359
				3 Never	2267/ 2036995
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	9/ 7760
298	G10G	1	0382	NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. How often do need help from others with? - writing notes and letters	
				1 Often	24/ 21810
				2 Sometimes	88/ 78864
				3 Never	2300/ 2063912
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	11/ 9794
299	G11	1	0383	NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. How would you rate your reading skills in National Official Language needed in daily life?	
				1 Excellent	1057/ 959926
				2 Good	1070/ 952881
				3 Moderate	236/ 205536
				4 Poor	45/ 41786
				5 No opinion	10/ 9925
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	5/ 4325
300	G12	1	0384	NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. How would you rate your writing skills in National Official Language needed in daily life?	
				1 Excellent	905/ 819348
				2 Good	1130/ 1006040
				3 Moderate	305/ 271400
				4 Poor	64/ 59657
				5 No opinion	12/ 11859
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	7/ 6077
				NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries.	

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
301	G13	1	0385	How would you rate your mathematical skills needed in daily life?	
				1 Excellent	702/ 646408
				2 Good	1099/ 980946
				3 Moderate	477/ 418846
				4 Poor	125/ 109585
				5 No opinion	14/ 13463
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	6/ 5133
302	G14	1	0386	NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. How satisfied are you with your reading and writing skills in National Official Language(s)?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	0/ 0
				1 Very Satisfied	1529/ 1368718
				2 Somewhat satisfied	707/ 636256
				3 Somewhat dissatisfied	121/ 109010
				4 Very dissatisfied	31/ 28091
				5 No opinion	27/ 25808
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	8/ 6497
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Sweden.	
303	G15A	1	0387	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. Did you ever have? - eye/visual trouble of the kind that is not corrected by glasses	
				Blank - Question not applicable	0/ 0
				1 Yes	140/ 126598
				2 No	2276/ 2042328
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	7/ 5454
				NOTE: If Yes go to G16A.	
				IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Germany, Sweden.	
				IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain, Ireland, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).	
304	G15B	1	0388	Did you ever have? - hearing problems	
				Blank - Question not applicable	0/ 0
				1 Yes	71/ 66083
				2 No	2344/ 2101932
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	8/ 6365
				NOTE: If Yes go to G16B.	
				IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Sweden.	
				IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain, Ireland, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).	

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
305	G15C	1	0389	Did you ever have? - a speech disability	
				Blank - Question not applicable	0/ 0
				1 Yes	32/ 30824
				2 No	2383/ 2137190
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	8/ 6365
				NOTE: If Yes go to G16C.	
				IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands.	
				IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain, Ireland, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).	
306	G15D	1	0390	Did you ever have? - a learning disability	
				Blank - Question not applicable	0/ 0
				1 Yes	73/ 68877
				2 No	2341/ 2097987
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	9/ 7516
				NOTE: If Yes go to G16D.	
				IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Germany, Sweden.	
				IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain, Ireland, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).	
307	G15E	1	0391	Did you ever have? - any other disability or health problem of six months or more	
				Blank - Question not applicable	0/ 0
				1 Yes	189/ 170809
				2 No	2227/ 1997820
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	7/ 5751
				NOTE: If Yes go to G16E.	
				IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Sweden.	
				IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain, Ireland, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).	
308	G16A	1	0392	Did you have this problem while you were in primary or secondary school? - eye/visual trouble of the kind that is not corrected by glasses	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2283/ 2047782
				1 Yes	81/ 74963
				2 No	56/ 48588
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	3/ 3048
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Germany.	
				IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain, Ireland, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).	

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
309	G16B	1	0393	Did you have this problem while you were in primary or secondary school? - hearing problems	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2352/ 2108297
				1 Yes	27/ 25294
				2 No	38/ 34727
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	6/ 6061
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands.	
				IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain, Ireland, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).	
310	G16C	1	0394	Did you have this problem while you were in primary or secondary school? - a speech disability	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2391/ 2143556
				1 Yes	26/ 24937
				2 No	3/ 2839
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	3/ 3048
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands.	
				IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain, Ireland, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).	
311	G16D	1	0395	Did you have this problem while you were in primary or secondary school? - a learning disability	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2350/ 2105503
				1 Yes	62/ 59171
				2 No	2/ 1700
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	9/ 8006
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Germany.	
				IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain, Ireland, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).	
312	G16E	1	0396	Did you have this problem while you were in primary or secondary school? - any other disability or health problem of six months or more	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2234/ 2003571
				1 Yes	54/ 51508
				2 No	129/ 113510
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	6/ 5792
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands.	
				IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain, Ireland, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).	

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313	G17A	1	0397

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Do you have this problem now? - eye/visual trouble of the kind that is not corrected by glasses

Blank - Question not applicable	2283/	2047782
0 Administrative difficulty	0/	0
1 Yes	105/	95836
2 No	27/	23872
8 DK/Refused	0/	0
9 Not Stated	8/	6890

NOTE: Code "0" for administrative difficulty is needed by Canada, USA, and Belgium (Flanders) for this question. While the international version of the IALS BQ was correct, an error got past Canada, USA, and Belgium (Flanders) with the flow of this question on its final form.

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Germany.

Applicable to all IALS2 countries.

314	G17B	1	0398
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Do you have this problem now? - hearing problems

Blank - Question not applicable	2352/	2108297
0 Administrative difficulty	0/	0
1 Yes	41/	37368
2 No	15/	14813
8 DK/Refused	0/	0
9 Not Stated	15/	13902

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IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands.

Applicable to all IALS2 countries.

315	G17C	1	0399
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Do you have this problem now? - a speech disability

Blank - Question not applicable	2391/	2143556
0 Administrative difficulty	0/	0
1 Yes	18/	16944
2 No	9/	8890
8 DK/Refused	0/	0
9 Not Stated	5/	4991

NOTE: Code "0" for administrative difficulty is needed by Canada, USA, and Belgium (Flanders) for this question. While the international version of the IALS BQ was correct, an error got past Canada, USA, and Belgium (Flanders) with the flow of this question on its final form.

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands.

Applicable to all IALS2 countries.

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316 G17D 1 0400

Do you have this problem now? - a learning disability

Blank - Question not applicable	2350/	2105503
0 Administrative difficulty	0/	0
1 Yes	47/	43992
2 No	18/	17895
8 DK/Refused	0/	0
9 Not Stated	8/	6990

NOTE: Code "0" for administrative difficulty is needed by Canada, USA, and Belgium (Flanders) for this question. While the international version of the IALS BQ was correct, an error got past Canada, USA, and Belgium (Flanders) with the flow of this question on its final form.

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Germany.

317 G17E 1 0401

Applicable to all IALS2 countries.
Do you have this problem now? - any other disability or health problem of six months or more

Blank - Question not applicable	2234/	2003571
0 Administrative difficulty	0/	0
1 Yes	146/	132857
2 No	27/	23324
8 DK/Refused	0/	0
9 Not Stated	16/	14629

NOTE: Code "0" for administrative difficulty is needed by Canada, USA, and Belgium (Flanders) for this question. While the international version of the IALS BQ was correct, an error got past Canada, USA, and Belgium (Flanders) with the flow of this question on its final form.

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands.

Applicable to all IALS2 countries.

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318 H1 1 0402

Are you the parent or guardian of any children aged 6 to 18 that are presently living with you?

Blank - Question not applicable	2423/	2174380
1 Yes	0/	0
2 No	0/	0
8 DK/Refused	0/	0
9 Not Stated	0/	0

NOTE: If H1=2 (No) go to J1.

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland.

IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
319	H2	2	0403-0404	What is the age of your youngest child between 6 to 18 years of age?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				6:18 Age of youngest child between 6 & 18	0/ 0
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Switzerland.	
320	H3A	1	0405	IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain, Northern Ireland. What is the highest grade of schooling that this child has completed? - level	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Elementary	0/ 0
				2 Secondary	0/ 0
				3 Post-secondary	0/ 0
				4 Trade vocational	0/ 0
				5 No schooling	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.	
321	H3B	2	0406-0407	IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain. What is the highest grade of schooling that this child has completed? - grade/year	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1:25 Highest grade or year completed	0/ 0
				98 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.	
322	H4	1	0408	IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain, Northern Ireland. How often would you say this child reads for pleasure?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				0 Not Applicable (child can't read)	0/ 0
				1 Every day	0/ 0
				2 A few times a week	0/ 0
				3 Several times a month	0/ 0
				4 A few times a month	0/ 0
				5 Once a month or less	0/ 0
				6 Never	0/ 0
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Switzerland.	
				IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain, Northern Ireland.	

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
323	H5A	1	0409	When this child reads, where does he/she get books? - parent buys	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.	
324	H5B	1	0410	IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain, Northern Ireland. When this child reads, where does he/she get books? - parent borrows from a friend	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.	
325	H5C	1	0411	IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain, Northern Ireland. When this child reads, where does he/she get books? - child buys	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.	
326	H5D	1	0412	IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain, Northern Ireland. When this child reads, where does he/she get books? - child borrows from a friend	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.	
327	H5E	1	0413	IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain, Northern Ireland. When this child reads, where does he/she get books? - public library	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.	
				IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain, Northern Ireland.	

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
328	H5F	1	0414	When this child reads, where does he/she get books? - school library	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.	
329	H5G	1	0415	IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain, Northern Ireland. When this child reads, where does he/she get books? - gifts	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.	
330	H5H	1	0416	IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain, Northern Ireland. When this child reads, where does he/she get books? - from brothers/sisters	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.	
331	H5I	1	0417	IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain, Northern Ireland. When this child reads, where does he/she get books? - other	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Yes	0/ 0
				2 No	0/ 0
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.	
332	H6	1	0418	IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain, Northern Ireland. Given this child's age, how satisfied are you with the way he/she reads?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Very satisfied	0/ 0
				2 Somewhat satisfied	0/ 0
				3 Somewhat dissatisfied	0/ 0
				4 Very dissatisfied	0/ 0
				7 No opinion	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.	
				IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain, Northern Ireland.	

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
333	H7A	1	0419	Could you please tell me if each of the following statements are true or false of your household? - there is a variety of books in your home	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 True	0/ 0
				2 False	0/ 0
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland.	
				IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).	
334	H7B	1	0420	Could you please tell me if each of the following statements are true or false of your household? - there is a variety of magazines and other reading material in your home	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 True	0/ 0
				2 False	0/ 0
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland.	
				IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).	
335	H7C	1	0421	Could you please tell me if each of the following statements are true or false of your household? - your children often see you or your spouse reading	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 True	0/ 0
				2 False	0/ 0
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland.	
				IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).	

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336	H7D	1	0422	Could you please tell me if each of the following statements are true or false of your household? - your children learned to read before grade one	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 True	0/ 0
				2 False	0/ 0
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland.	
				IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).	
337	H7E	1	0423	Could you please tell me if each of the following statements are true or false of your household? - your children have a certain amount of time set aside each day for reading at home	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 True	0/ 0
				2 False	0/ 0
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland.	
				IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).	
338	H7F	1	0424	Could you please tell me if each of the following statements are true or false of your household? - your children are limited in the amount of time you allow them to watch TV	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 True	0/ 0
				2 False	0/ 0
				7 Don't know	0/ 0
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland.	
				IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).	

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339	H7G	1	0425

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Could you please tell me if each of the following statements are true or false of your household? - your children often choose the books they read

Blank - Question not applicable	2423/	2174380
1 True	0/	0
2 False	0/	0
7 Don't know	0/	0
8 Refused	0/	0
9 Not Stated	0/	0

NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland.

340	H7H	1	0426
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IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain, Belgium (Flanders).
 Could you please tell me if each of the following statements are true or false of your household? - your children have their own books and place to keep them

Blank - Question not applicable	2423/	2174380
1 True	0/	0
2 False	0/	0
7 Don't know	0/	0
8 Refused	0/	0
9 Not Stated	0/	0

NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland.

341	H8A	1	0427
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IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain, Belgium (Flanders).
 Things which may help parents in helping their children become good readers - reading lists supplied to parents by schools and other educational experts

Blank - Question not applicable	2423/	2174380
1 Very useful	0/	0
2 Somewhat useful	0/	0
3 Not very useful	0/	0
4 Not at all useful	0/	0
8 DK/Refused	0/	0
9 Not Stated	0/	0

NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.

342	H8B	1	0428
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IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain.
 Things which may help parents in helping their children become good readers - materials such as games, activities and books being supplied to parents by schools or other educational experts that would help parents encourage their children to read

Blank - Question not applicable	2423/	2174380
1 Very useful	0/	0
2 Somewhat useful	0/	0
3 Not very useful	0/	0
4 Not at all useful	0/	0
8 DK/Refused	0/	0
9 Not Stated	0/	0

NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.

IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
343	H8C	1	0429	Things which may help parents in helping their children become good readers - a close parent-teacher relationship	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Very useful	0/ 0
				2 Somewhat useful	0/ 0
				3 Not very useful	0/ 0
				4 Not at all useful	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.	
344	H8D	1	0430	IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain. Things which may help parents in helping their children become good readers - schools providing parents with help in understanding assessments of a child's reading abilities	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Very useful	0/ 0
				2 Somewhat useful	0/ 0
				3 Not very useful	0/ 0
				4 Not at all useful	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.	
345	H8E	1	0431	IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain. Things which may help parents in helping their children become good readers - access for children to books, through either public or school libraries	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 Very useful	0/ 0
				2 Somewhat useful	0/ 0
				3 Not very useful	0/ 0
				4 Not at all useful	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0
				NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA.	
				IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain.	
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				X	X
				X SECTION J. HOUSEHOLD INFORMATION	X
				X	X
				XX	
346	J1A	1	0432	Did you receive (year) income from? - Wages, salary or self-employment	
				1 Yes	1645/ 1483174
				2 No	591/ 527012
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	187/ 164194
				NOTE: Year = 1993 for IALS1 1994 for IALS2	
				Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries.	

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
347	J1B	1	0433	Did you receive (year) income from? - Government or State sources (social assistance, unemployment support; excluding pensions)	
				1 Yes	310/ 291769
				2 No	1585/ 1415113
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	528/ 467498
				NOTE: Year = 1993 for IALS1 1994 for IALS2	
348	J1C	1	0434	Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. Did you receive (year) income from? - Government or State pensions (old age, disability)	
				1 Yes	302/ 257672
				2 No	1596/ 1447605
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	525/ 469103
				NOTE: Year = 1993 for IALS1 1994 for IALS2	
349	J1D	1	0435	Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. Did you receive (year) income from? - Interest, dividends, investment, property or private pensions	
				1 Yes	139/ 124684
				2 No	1709/ 1539617
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	575/ 510079
				NOTE: Year = 1993 for IALS1 1994 for IALS2	
350	J1E	1	0436	Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. Did you receive (year) income from? - Other sources (alimony, scholarship, child support)	
				1 Yes	84/ 81940
				2 No	1772/ 1591359
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	567/ 501080
				NOTE: Year = 1993 for IALS1 1994 for IALS2	

Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION
351	J2Q	1	0437

QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS

UNWTD/WEIGHTED

What is the best estimate of your personal income in (year) from all sources, including those just mentioned?

Blank - Question not applicable	0/	0
0 No income	301/	252982
1 Lowest earner quintile	639/	592324
2 Next lowest earner quintile	371/	326567
3 Mid level earner quintile	443/	400842
4 Next to highest earner quintile	262/	241909
5 Highest earner quintile	155/	143079
7 Don't know	234/	200998
8 Refused	0/	0
9 Not Stated	18/	15680

NOTE: Year = 1993 for IALS1
1994 for IALS2

The quintiles are calculated from a sample file (other than the IALS file) which has been weighted or is otherwise representative of the general population and locating the income ranges in which exactly 20% of the population resides. These ranges may not (and in many cases should not) actually divide the IALS sample population into even 20 percent slices. The ranges across countries differ quite widely in both level and currency units.

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Sweden.

352	J3Q	1	0438
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Applicable to all IALS2 countries.
What is the best estimate of your personal income from only wages, salary or self-employment in (year)? - Quintiles

0 No Income	372/	313215
1 Lowest earner quintile	572/	529144
2 Next to lowest earner quintile	346/	308555
3 Mid level earner quintile	423/	381880
4 Next to highest earner quintile	266/	245563
5 Highest earner quintile	162/	150080
7 Don't know	250/	215778
8 Refused	0/	0
9 Not Stated	32/	30166

NOTE: If J2Q=0 (No income), then J3Q=0 (No income).

Year = 1993 for IALS1
1994 for IALS2

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Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
353	J4	1	0439	Including yourself, how many people live in this household?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	0/ 0
				1 1 Person	154/ 139627
				2 2 People	365/ 310497
				3 3 People	458/ 407505
				4 4 People	553/ 508580
				5 5 People	416/ 379089
				6 6 People	227/ 201197
				7 7 or more people	225/ 205308
				8 DK/Refused	2/ 2055
				9 Not Stated	23/ 20522

NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 countries.

IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain, Ireland, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).

354	J5Q	1	0440	What is the best estimate of the total income of all household members (including yourself) from all sources in (year)?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	0/ 0
				0 No income	12/ 10335
				1 Lowest earner quintile	194/ 172445
				2 Next lowest earner quintile	297/ 254181
				3 Mid level earner quintile	423/ 369754
				4 Next to highest earner quintile	416/ 379447
				5 Highest earner quintile	424/ 391783
				7 Don't know	628/ 570678
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	29/ 25758

NOTE: If J4=1, then J5Q=J2Q.

Year = 1993 for IALS1
1994 for IALS2

The quintiles are calculated from a sample file (other than the IALS file) which has been weighted or is otherwise representative of the general population and locating the income ranges in which exactly 20% of the population resides. These ranges may not (and in many cases should not) actually divide the IALS sample population into even 20 percent slices. The ranges across countries differ quite widely in both level and currency units.

Applicable to all IALS1 countries.

IALS2 applicable to: New Zealand, Great Britain, Ireland, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).

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X X
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355	WEIGHT	22	0441-0462	Survey Population Weight	
				NOTE: Weight format 22.14 (Physical decimal present)	
356	REPLIC01	22	0463-0484	Replicate Weight 01	
				NOTE: Weight format 22.14 (Physical decimal present)	
357	REPLIC02	22	0485-0506	Replicate Weight 02	
				NOTE: Weight format 22.14 (Physical decimal present)	

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS
358	REPLIC03	22	0507-0528	Replicate Weight 03
359	REPLIC04	22	0529-0550	NOTE: Weight format 22.14 (Physical decimal present) Replicate Weight 04
360	REPLIC05	22	0551-0572	NOTE: Weight format 22.14 (Physical decimal present) Replicate Weight 05
361	REPLIC06	22	0573-0594	NOTE: Weight format 22.14 (Physical decimal present) Replicate Weight 06
362	REPLIC07	22	0595-0616	NOTE: Weight format 22.14 (Physical decimal present) Replicate Weight 07
363	REPLIC08	22	0617-0638	NOTE: Weight format 22.14 (Physical decimal present) Replicate Weight 08
364	REPLIC09	22	0639-0660	NOTE: Weight format 22.14 (Physical decimal present) Replicate Weight 09
365	REPLIC10	22	0661-0682	NOTE: Weight format 22.14 (Physical decimal present) Replicate Weight 10
366	REPLIC11	22	0683-0704	NOTE: Weight format 22.14 (Physical decimal present) Replicate Weight 11
367	REPLIC12	22	0705-0726	NOTE: Weight format 22.14 (Physical decimal present) Replicate Weight 12
368	REPLIC13	22	0727-0748	NOTE: Weight format 22.14 (Physical decimal present) Replicate Weight 13
369	REPLIC14	22	0749-0770	NOTE: Weight format 22.14 (Physical decimal present) Replicate Weight 14
370	REPLIC15	22	0771-0792	NOTE: Weight format 22.14 (Physical decimal present) Replicate Weight 15
371	REPLIC16	22	0793-0814	NOTE: Weight format 22.14 (Physical decimal present) Replicate Weight 16
372	REPLIC17	22	0815-0836	NOTE: Weight format 22.14 (Physical decimal present) Replicate Weight 17
373	REPLIC18	22	0837-0858	NOTE: Weight format 22.14 (Physical decimal present) Replicate Weight 18
374	REPLIC19	22	0859-0880	NOTE: Weight format 22.14 (Physical decimal present) Replicate Weight 19
375	REPLIC20	22	0881-0902	NOTE: Weight format 22.14 (Physical decimal present) Replicate Weight 20
				NOTE: Weight format 22.14 (Physical decimal present)

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS		
376	REPLIC21	22	0903-0924	Replicate Weight 21		
				NOTE: Weight format 22.14 (Physical decimal present)		
377	REPLIC22	22	0925-0946	Replicate Weight 22		
				NOTE: Weight format 22.14 (Physical decimal present)		
378	REPLIC23	22	0947-0968	Replicate Weight 23		
				NOTE: Weight format 22.14 (Physical decimal present)		
379	REPLIC24	22	0969-0990	Replicate Weight 24		
				NOTE: Weight format 22.14 (Physical decimal present)		
380	REPLIC25	22	0991-1012	Replicate Weight 25		
				NOTE: Weight format 22.14 (Physical decimal present)		
381	REPLIC26	22	1013-1034	Replicate Weight 26		
				NOTE: Weight format 22.14 (Physical decimal present)		
382	REPLIC27	22	1035-1056	Replicate Weight 27		
				NOTE: Weight format 22.14 (Physical decimal present)		
383	REPLIC28	22	1057-1078	Replicate Weight 28		
				NOTE: Weight format 22.14 (Physical decimal present)		
384	REPLIC29	22	1079-1100	Replicate Weight 29		
				NOTE: Weight format 22.14 (Physical decimal present)		
385	REPLIC30	22	1101-1122	Replicate Weight 30		
				NOTE: Weight format 22.14 (Physical decimal present)		
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				X		X
				X SECTION ON LITERACY TASKS		X
				X PLAUSIBLE VALUES AND LEVELS		X
				X		X
				XX		
386	TBLANG	1	1123	Language of Task Booklets		
				1 English	2423/	2174380
				2 French	0/	0
				3 German	0/	0
				4 Dutch	0/	0
				5 Polish	0/	0
				6 Swedish	0/	0
				NOTE: For Canada, this variable may differ from the language of the background questionnaire (BQ). It is conceivable that a respondent answer the BQ in one language and switch to another for the cognitive portion of the assessment.		
				Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries.		
387	PROSE1	8	1124-1131	RP80 1st plausible value for prose scale		
				NOTE: RP80 format 8.4 (Physical decimal present).		
388	PROSE2	8	1132-1139	RP80 2nd plausible value for prose scale		
				NOTE: RP80 format 8.4 (Physical decimal present).		

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS		
389	PROSE3	8	1140-1147	RP80 3rd plausible value for prose scale		
390	PROSE4	8	1148-1155	NOTE: RP80 format 8.4 (Physical decimal present). RP80 4th plausible value for prose scale		
391	PROSE5	8	1156-1163	NOTE: RP80 format 8.4 (Physical decimal present). RP80 5th plausible value for prose scale		
392	DOC1	8	1164-1171	NOTE: RP80 format 8.4 (Physical decimal present). RP80 1st plausible value for document scale		
393	DOC2	8	1172-1179	NOTE: RP80 format 8.4 (Physical decimal present). RP80 2nd plausible value for document scale		
394	DOC3	8	1180-1187	NOTE: RP80 format 8.4 (Physical decimal present). RP80 3rd plausible value for document scale		
395	DOC4	8	1188-1195	NOTE: RP80 format 8.4 (Physical decimal present). RP80 4th plausible value for document scale		
396	DOC5	8	1196-1203	NOTE: RP80 format 8.4 (Physical decimal present). RP80 5th plausible value for document scale		
397	QUANT1	8	1204-1211	NOTE: RP80 format 8.4 (Physical decimal present). RP80 1st plausible value for quantitative scale		
398	QUANT2	8	1212-1219	NOTE: RP80 format 8.4 (Physical decimal present). RP80 2nd plausible value for quantitative scale		
399	QUANT3	8	1220-1227	NOTE: RP80 format 8.4 (Physical decimal present). RP80 3rd plausible value for quantitative scale		
400	QUANT4	8	1228-1235	NOTE: RP80 format 8.4 (Physical decimal present). RP80 4th plausible value for quantitative scale		
401	QUANT5	8	1236-1243	NOTE: RP80 format 8.4 (Physical decimal present). RP80 5th plausible value for quantitative scale		
402	PLEV1	1	1244	NOTE: RP80 format 8.4 (Physical decimal present). Level for 1st plausible value in prose scale		
				1 Level 1	557/	491423
				2 Level 2	738/	647543
				3 Level 3	812/	742544
				4 Level 4	282/	261293
				5 Level 5	34/	31577
403	PLEV2	1	1245	Level for 2nd plausible value in prose scale		
				1 Level 1	565/	494389
				2 Level 2	749/	661841
				3 Level 3	782/	715350
				4 Level 4	289/	267746
				5 Level 5	38/	35054

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
404	PLEV3	1	1246	Level for 3rd plausible value in prose scale	
				1 Level 1	561/ 492870
				2 Level 2	754/ 661649
				3 Level 3	805/ 740823
				4 Level 4	273/ 252133
				5 Level 5	30/ 26905
405	PLEV4	1	1247	Level for 4th plausible value in prose scale	
				1 Level 1	556/ 482525
				2 Level 2	767/ 675113
				3 Level 3	775/ 717271
				4 Level 4	292/ 267723
				5 Level 5	33/ 31747
406	PLEV5	1	1248	Level for 5th plausible value in prose scale	
				1 Level 1	551/ 479983
				2 Level 2	755/ 667284
				3 Level 3	828/ 761904
				4 Level 4	262/ 238918
				5 Level 5	27/ 26292
407	DLEV1	1	1249	Level for 1st plausible value in document scale	
				1 Level 1	636/ 549852
				2 Level 2	778/ 690072
				3 Level 3	745/ 685231
				4 Level 4	231/ 218210
				5 Level 5	33/ 31015
408	DLEV2	1	1250	Level for 2nd plausible value in document scale	
				1 Level 1	618/ 532971
				2 Level 2	810/ 722019
				3 Level 3	726/ 664903
				4 Level 4	234/ 222171
				5 Level 5	35/ 32316
409	DLEV3	1	1251	Level for 3rd plausible value in document scale	
				1 Level 1	646/ 555202
				2 Level 2	781/ 689343
				3 Level 3	751/ 700488
				4 Level 4	208/ 194912
				5 Level 5	37/ 34435
410	DLEV4	1	1252	Level for 4th plausible value in document scale	
				1 Level 1	642/ 554894
				2 Level 2	789/ 693814
				3 Level 3	737/ 683886
				4 Level 4	219/ 207489
				5 Level 5	36/ 34297
411	DLEV5	1	1253	Level for 5th plausible value in document scale	
				1 Level 1	655/ 567573
				2 Level 2	784/ 691089
				3 Level 3	744/ 689329
				4 Level 4	218/ 204843
				5 Level 5	22/ 21546

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
412	QLEV1	1	1254	Level for 1st plausible value in quantitative scale	
				1 Level 1	625/ 540254
				2 Level 2	694/ 616218
				3 Level 3	729/ 666716
				4 Level 4	316/ 296241
				5 Level 5	59/ 54951
413	QLEV2	1	1255	Level for 2nd plausible value in quantitative scale	
				1 Level 1	618/ 535221
				2 Level 2	697/ 615153
				3 Level 3	722/ 660926
				4 Level 4	320/ 302571
				5 Level 5	66/ 60509
414	QLEV3	1	1256	Level for 3rd plausible value in quantitative scale	
				1 Level 1	632/ 544142
				2 Level 2	708/ 623321
				3 Level 3	722/ 667639
				4 Level 4	294/ 276418
				5 Level 5	67/ 62861
415	QLEV4	1	1257	Level for 4th plausible value in quantitative scale	
				1 Level 1	611/ 529089
				2 Level 2	715/ 625990
				3 Level 3	718/ 665033
				4 Level 4	313/ 292126
				5 Level 5	66/ 62142
416	QLEV5	1	1258	Level for 5th plausible value in quantitative scale	
				1 Level 1	625/ 542483
				2 Level 2	730/ 645606
				3 Level 3	713/ 651020
				4 Level 4	303/ 285713
				5 Level 5	52/ 49558
417	XPROSE	1	1259	Prose level	
				1 Level 1	557/ 491423
				2 Level 2	738/ 647543
				3 Level 3	812/ 742544
				4 Level 4/5	316/ 292870
418	XDOC	1	1260	Document level	
				1 Level 1	636/ 549852
				2 Level 2	778/ 690072
				3 Level 3	745/ 685231
				4 Level 4/5	264/ 249225

NOTE: This variable corresponds to the 1st plausible value in the prose scale with levels 4 and 5 collapsed.

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FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
419	XQUANT	1	1261	Quantitative level	

1	Level 1	625/	540254
2	Level 2	694/	616218
3	Level 3	729/	666716
4	Level 4/5	375/	351192

NOTE: This variable corresponds to the 1st plausible value in the quantitative scale with levels 4 and 5 collapsed.

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420	AGEINT	1	1262	Age of Respondent (International groupings)	
	Blank	0/	0		
	1 16 - 25	563/	577975		
	2 26 - 35	533/	479318		
	3 36 - 45	544/	477357		
	4 46 - 55	419/	347413		
	5 56 - 65	310/	242879		
	6 66 or Older	0/	0		
	9 Not Stated	54/	49438		

421	A2RCD	1	1263	NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. Country of birth recoded to continental groupings	
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	Blank - Question not applicable	2276/	2044986
	1 Northern Europe	124/	108752
	2 Western/Eastern/ Southern Europe	14/	12598
	3 North/South/Central America Caribbean	3/	2550
	4 Asia/Africa/Oceania	0/	0
	5 Administrative difficulty	5/	4371
	8 DK/Refused	0/	0
	9 Not Stated	1/	1123

NOTE: Code "5" for administrative difficulty is needed for the responses coded Other(Unspecified) (Code 88) in A2.

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Germany, Sweden.

IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain, Ireland, Northern Ireland, Belgium (Flanders).

422	A3RCD	1	1264	Year of immigration (Grouped)	
	Blank - Question not applicable	2276/	2044986		
	1 Prior to 1949	11/	9202		
	2 1950 - 1964	20/	17708		
	3 1965 - 1979	56/	49498		
	4 1980 - 1995	33/	29710		
	7 Citizen by birth	23/	20254		
	8 DK/Refused	0/	0		
	9 Not Stated	4/	3021		

NOTE: If A3RCD=7 (Citizen by birth) go to A7.

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Germany, Sweden.

IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain, Ireland.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
423	A4RCD	1	1265	Total years lived in country of survey (grouped)	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
				1 1-15 years	0/ 0
				2 16-30 years	0/ 0
				3 31-45 years	0/ 0
				4 46-89 years	0/ 0
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not Stated	0/ 0

NOTE: IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Switzerland, Netherlands, Sweden.

424	A5RCD	1	1266	IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain. Before you first immigrated to country of survey, what was the highest level of schooling you had completed? (Grouped)	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2306/ 2071671
				1 No Schooling	34/ 29939
				2 ISCED 0-2	43/ 38413
				3 ISCED 3	18/ 14817
				4 ISCED 5-7	20/ 17537
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not stated/ISCED 9	2/ 2003

NOTE: A5RCD defaults to A7.

425	A8RCD	1	1267	Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries What is the highest level of schooling you have completed? (Grouped)	
				Blank	62/ 56455
				1 No schooling/ISCED 0	48/ 41845
				2 ISCED 1	496/ 420698
				3 ISCED 2	718/ 650690
				4 ISCED 3	663/ 606536
				5 ISCED 5	206/ 184499
				6 ISCED 6/7	197/ 182737
				8 DK/Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not stated/ISCED 9	33/ 30920

NOTE: If A8RCD=1 or 2 (No schooling/ISCED 0 or ISCED 1) go to A12. If A8RCD=3 (ISCED 2) go to A11.

Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
426	A12RCD	1	1268	What was the main reason you stopped your schooling when you did?	
				Blank - Question not applicable	1116/ 1020573
				1 Still in school	82/ 83171
				2 Wanted to work/Learn a trade/Enough education	501/ 447693
				3 Had to work/Financial reasons	354/ 299791
				4 Family reasons	112/ 90421
				5 Did not like/do well in school/boredom	117/ 111186
				6 School not available/accessible	16/ 11163
				7 Other reasons	91/ 79615
				8 Refused	0/ 0
				9 Not stated	34/ 30766

NOTE: Family reasons (4) includes help family business, illness at home, marriage, pregnancy, etc. Other reasons (7) includes personal illness or disability, join military, don't know, no education and other specify.

For Canada, if A7=0, then A12RCD was imputed to 7 (Other reasons).

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.

427	C5RCD	1	1269	Applicable to all IALS2 countries. What was the highest level of schooling that your mother (female guardian) completed? (Grouped)	
				Blank - Question not applicable	106/ 97608
				1 No schooling/ISCED 0	155/ 135813
				2 ISCED 1	1205/ 1052933
				3 ISCED 2	440/ 401544
				4 ISCED 3	276/ 261344
				5 ISCED 5	49/ 45132
				6 ISCED 6/7	43/ 40300
				8 DK/Refused/ISCED 9	142/ 133776
				9 Not stated	7/ 5929

428	C11RCD	1	1270	NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries. What was the highest level of schooling that your father (male guardian) completed? (Grouped)	
				Blank - Question not applicable	147/ 132321
				1 No schooling/ISCED 0	159/ 138686
				2 ISCED 1	1280/ 1117384
				3 ISCED 2	357/ 336859
				4 ISCED 3	204/ 189572
				5 ISCED 5	45/ 43137
				6 ISCED 6/7	92/ 84166
				8 DK/Refused/ISCED 9	135/ 128898
				9 Not stated	4/ 3357

NOTE: Applicable to all IALS1 and IALS2 countries.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
429	F3M1RCD	2	1271-1272	What were the names (Titles) of these courses or the program associated with these courses? Major field of study code - first course or program mentioned.	

Blank - Question not applicable	1751/	1542264
1 Education, Recreation, Counselling Services	41/	36858
2 Fine and Applied Arts	50/	42327
3 Humanities and Related Fields	42/	39458
4 Social Sciences and Related Fields	58/	53334
5 Commerce, Management, Business Administration	116/	112253
6 Agricultural and Biological Sciences/Technol.	46/	41709
7 Engineering and Applied Sciences	13/	13484
8 Engineer. and Applied Sciences. Technol/Trades	119/	114611
9 Health Professions, Sciences and Technologies	33/	28635
10 Mathematics and Physical Sciences	15/	14035
11 All Other (Not elsewhere classified)	2/	2020
12 No Specialization	0/	0
13 No Postsecondary Qualifications	0/	0
14 Upgrading	110/	108976
15 Personal Development	22/	19801
16 Recreational Activity	5/	4613
98 Don't know/Refused	0/	0
99 Not stated	0/	0

NOTE: See appendix 1 for additional details on codes.

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.

Applicable to all IALS2 countries.

430	F3M2RCD	2	1273-1274	What were the names (Titles) of these courses or the program associated with these courses? Major field of study code - second course or program mentioned.	
Blank - Question not applicable	2206/	1978576			
1 Education, Recreation, Counselling Services	11/	9319			
2 Fine and Applied Arts	20/	17717			
3 Humanities and Related Fields	11/	9616			
4 Social Sciences and Related Fields	22/	19982			
5 Commerce, Management, Business Administration	42/	38138			
6 Agricultural and Biological Sciences/Technol.	11/	9413			
7 Engineering and Applied Sciences	6/	6321			
8 Engineer. and Applied Sciences. Technol/Trades	40/	37910			
9 Health Professions, Sciences and Technologies	16/	14360			
10 Mathematics and Physical Sciences	4/	3739			
11 All Other (Not elsewhere classified)	2/	1879			
12 No Specialization	0/	0			
13 No Postsecondary Qualifications	0/	0			
14 Upgrading	12/	10516			
15 Personal Development	11/	8640			
16 Recreational Activity	5/	4392			
98 Don't know/Refused	0/	0			
99 Not stated	4/	3861			

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IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.

Applicable to all IALS2 countries.

FIELD	ACRONYM	LEN	POSITION	QUESTION AND VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS	UNWTD/WEIGHTED
431	F3M3RCD	2	1275-1276	What were the names (Titles) of these courses or the program associated with these courses? Major field of study code - third course or program mentioned.	
				Blank - Question not applicable	2292/ 2053113
				1 Education,Recreation,Counselling Services	3/ 2741
				2 Fine and Applied Arts	5/ 3977
				3 Humanities and Related Fields	2/ 1774
				4 Social Sciences and Related Fields	10/ 8969
				5 Commerce,Management,Business Administration	24/ 21681
				6 Agricultural and Biological Sciences/Technol.	7/ 6301
				7 Engineering and Applied Sciences	1/ 1252
				8 Engineer. and Applied Sciences. Technol/Trades	10/ 9452
				9 Health Professions, Sciences and Technologies	6/ 6148
				10 Mathematics and Physical Sciences	0/ 0
				11 All Other (Not elsewhere classified)	0/ 0
				12 No Specialization	0/ 0
				13 No Postsecondary Qualifications	0/ 0
				14 Upgrading	8/ 6559
				15 Personal Development	8/ 7281
				16 Recreational Activity	4/ 3385
				98 Don't know/Refused	0/ 0
				99 Not stated	43/ 41747

NOTE: See appendix 1 for additional details on codes.

IALS1 applicable to: Canada, USA, Netherlands, Switzerland, Poland, Germany.

Applicable to all IALS2 countries.

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X		X
X	COUNTRY SPECIFIC VARIABLES	X
X		X
XX		
432	GBR	1 1277
		British region variable

			Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
			1 England	0/ 0
			2 Scotland	0/ 0
			3 Wales	0/ 0
			9 Not stated	0/ 0

NOTE: Not applicable to IALS1 countries.

433	RELIGION	1 1278	IALS2 applicable to: Great Britain. Religion of respondent
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			Blank - Question not applicable	2423/ 2174380
			1 Catholic	0/ 0
			2 Protestant	0/ 0
			3 Other	0/ 0
			8 Refused	0/ 0
			9 Not stated	0/ 0

NOTE: This variable will be publicly available after October, 1998.

Not applicable to IALS1 countries.

IALS2 applicable to: Northern Ireland.