

Appendix C

Background Questionnaire

General Information (including education)		
1.	SeNo	Serial Number
2.	HHNo	Household Number
3.	IntNum	Interviewer Number
4.	J4	How many people live in this household?
5.	Noover16	Including yourself, how many people aged 16 and over live in this household?
6.	Nounder16	How many people aged under 16 live in this household?
7.	Numpers	How many persons aged between 16 and 65 (inclusive) live in this household?
8.	Age	Age of household member on date of interview
9.	Sex	
	Male	1
	Female	2
10.	Marital Status	
	Married	1
	Cohabiting	2
	Single	3
	Widowed	4
	Divorced	5
	Separated	6
11.	RelHoh	relationship to HoH (code)
	Head of household	1
	Wife of hoh	2
	Child of hoh/wife	3
	Parent/grandparent of hoh/wife	4
	Brother/sister of hoh/wife	5
	Nephew/niece of hoh/wife	6
	Grandchild of hoh/wife	7
	Other relation of hoh/wife	8
	Cohabitee	9
	Other	10
12.	Dwelling	
	Is this dwelling owned by you or a member of this household?	
	Household.....	1
	Rented	2
13.	a1	Now I would like to ask you a few questions about your background, your education, the languages you speak and the jobs you may have had in the past 12 months.
	Were you born in Northern Ireland	
	Yes	1
	No	2
14.	a2	Applies if respondent not born in Northern Ireland (a1 = 2)
	In what country were you born?	
	England	1
	Scotland	2
	Wales	3
	Republic of Ireland	4
	Other	5
15.	Othctry	Applies if Country of birth (a2) is Other
	TYPE IN MAIN COUNTRY	
16.	EdAge	How old were you when you finished your continuous full-time education? (STILL IN = 96, NEVER HAD = 97)
17.	a7	Applies if respondent received (or is receiving) a full-time education (EdAge not equal to 97)
	During your lifetime, how many years of formal education have you completed beginning with the first year of primary school and not counting repeated years at the same level?	
	(NEVER HAD AN EDUCATION =0)	
18.	QualCh	Applies if respondent received (or is receiving) a full-time education (EdAge not equal to 97)
	I would now like to ask you about education and work related training. Do you have..	
	(CODE FIRST THAT APPLIES)	
	Any qualifications from school or college, or connected with work or a government scheme..1	
	No qualifications	2
	Don't know	3
19.	QUAL	Applies if QualCh = 1 (respondent has qualifications) or Qualch = 3 (Don't know)
	Show Card A Do you have any of the qualifications shown on this card? Start at the top of the list.	
	(Code up to 3 qualification levels from the list)	
	Higher degree	1
	First degree	2
	Other degree level qualification such as graduate membership of professional institute	3
	Diplomas in Higher Education	4
	HNC/HND, Higher level of BTEC, BEC, SCOTBEC TEC or SCOTEC/SCOTVEC	5
	Teaching qualification	6
	Nursing or other medical qualification not yet mentioned	7
	Other Higher Education qualifications below degree level	8
	RSA Higher Diploma	9
	A-Level or equivalent/Advanced GNVQ	10

RSA Advanced diploma/Advanced certificate	11		
BTEC, BEC, SCOTBEC TEC or SCOTEC/			
SCOTVEC National/ONC/OND	12		
City & Guilds advanced craft.....	13		
Scottish Certificate of 6th Year Studies (Scottish CSYS)			
or equivalent	14		
SCE (Higher) or equivalent	15		
A/S level/certificate of 6th Year Studies (CSYS)			
or equivalent	16		
RSA diploma	17		
City & Guilds craft	18		
BTEC, BEC, SCOTBEC TEC or SCOTVEC First			
diploma or General diploma	19		
O-level/GCSE grades A B C/SCE Standard grades			
1 2 3/SCE Ordinary grades A B C/GSE grade 1 or			
equivalent CSE/GCSE/SCE/Intermediate GNVQ	20		
CSE, GCSE, SCE not yet mentioned	21		
BTEC, BEC, SCOTBEC TEC or SCOTEC /SCOTVEC			
First certificate or general certificate	22		
YT certificate	23		
SCOTVEC national certificate modules	24		
RSA other qualifications (including Stage 1, 11, 111)	25		
City & Guilds other qualification	26		
Any other professional /vocational qualification/foreign			
qualifications	27		
None of these/foundation GNVQ	28		
Don't know	29		
20	Olevel	Applies if respondent has O-level(s) or equivalent (Qual=20)	
	Show Card B		
	Which examinations on this card have you passed?		
	CODE ALL THAT APPLY		
	CSE grade 1	1	
	GCSE - grade A B C	2	
	GCSE - grade D E F G	3	
	GCE O level - obtained before 1975	4	
	GCE O level - obtained 1975 or later - grades A B C	5	
	GCE O level - obtained 1975 or later - grades D E	6	
	SCE Ordinary - obtained before 1973	7	
	SCE Ordinary - obtained 1973 or later - Bands A B C	8	
	SCE Ordinary - obtained 1973 or later - Bands D E	9	
	SCE Standard Grade, level 1-3	10	
	SCE Standard Grade, Level 4-7	11	
21	OLEV1	Applies if Olevel=1 How many subjects at CSE grade 1 did you pass in?	
22	OLEV2	Applies if Olevel=2 How many subjects at GCSE grade A B C did you pass in?	
23	OLEV3	Applies if Olevel=3 How many subjects at GCSE grade D E F G did you pass in?	
24	OLEV4	Applies if Olevel=4 How many subjects at GCE O level (obtained before 1973) did you pass in?	
25	OLEV5	Applies if Olevel=5 How many subjects at GCE O level grade A B C did you pass in?	
26	OLEV6	Applies if Olevel=6 How many subjects at GCE O level grade D E did you pass in?	
27	OLEV7	Applies if Olevel=7 How many subjects at SCE Ordinary (obtained before 1973) did you pass in?	
28	OLEV8	Applies if Olevel=8 How many subjects at SCE Ordinary Band A B C did you pass in?	
29	OLEV9	Applies if Olev=9 How many subjects at SCE Ordinary Bands D E did you pass in?	
30	OLEV10	Applies if Olevel=10 How many subjects at SCE Standard Grades 1-3 did you pass in?	
31	OLEV11	Applies if Olevels=11 How many subjects at SCE Standard Grades 4-7 did you pass in?	
32	NVQ	Applies if QualCh=1 (respondent has qualifications) or Qualch=3 (Don't know)	
	(A new system of national vocational qualifications has recently been introduced called NVQs and, in Scotland, SVQs.) do you have any FULL NVQs or FULL SVQs?		
	Yes	1	
	No	2	
	Don't know	3	
	Never heard of NVQs/SVQs	4	
33	NVQlev	Applies if respondent has fullNVQs or SVQs (NVQ=1)	
	What is your highest level full NVQ/SVQ?		
	level	1	
	level 2	2	
	level 3	3	
	level 4	4	
	level 5	5	
	Don't know	6	
34	SCHOOL	Applies if respondent is still in full-time education (EdAge=96) (Ask or record 'Other' if person aged 20 years or more) Are you still at school or are you in some kind of full-time education?	
	School	1	
	Other full-time education	2	
35	APPREN	Applies if respondent finished full-time education between the ages of 5 and 65 (EdAge=5-65) or never had full-time education (EdAge=97) or in full-time education but not at school (School=2) Are you doing or have you completed, a recognised trade apprenticeship?	
	Yes (completed)	1	
	Yes (still doing)	2	
	No (including apprenticeship begun but discontinued)	3	

36	a12	Applies if the highest education level the respondent finally completed was one of the following (International education levels (ISCED 0, 1, 2) OR respondent in full-time education but not at school (School=2)	42	Othlang1	Applies if respondent's first language not on list above(b1=14)
		ISCED 0 - respondent has no qualifications (QualCh=2), and left school before the age of 11 (EdAge<11).			
		ISCED 1 a) respondent has no qualifications (QualCh=2) and left school between the ages of 11 and 14 (EdAge=11-14) OR b) respondent has no qualifications (QualCh=2) and still in school (EdAge=96).			
		ISCED 2 - a) respondent has one of the following qualifications; RSA diplomas or certificates, BTEC diploma or equivalent, O level or equivalent, CSE, BTEC certificate or diploma, YT certificate or other professional/vocational qualifications (Qual=9, 11, 17, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 25, 27); or has completed recognised trade apprenticeship (QAPPREN=1) OR b) respondent has no qualifications (QualCh=2) and left school at age of 15 or 16 (EdAge=15, 16).			
		What was the main reason you stopped your schooling when you did?			
		Still in school1 Had enough education 2 Had to work/financial reasons3 Wanted to work/wanted to learn a trade4 Family reasons, help family business, illness at home, marriage, pregnancy etc5 Did not like school6 Did not do well in school/boredom7 Personal illness/disability8 School or further education not available/not accessible9 To join the military10 Don't know11 Other - please specify at next question 12	43	LangMore	Applies if respondent's first language not on list above (B1 = 14).
37	Rsnoth	Applies if (a12 = other) What was this reason?	44	INTERVIEWER ANY OTHER LANGUAGES?	
			Yes1 No2		
			45	OthLang2	Applies if respondent has other first languages to record (LangMore=1).
			What was this other language?		
			46	b12	Applies if English was one of first languages spoken. Since leaving school, have you ever taken a course to upgrade your reading or writing skills in English?
			Yes1 No2 Still in school3		
			47	b13	What languages (including English) do you speak well enough to conduct a conversation?
			CODE UP TO SIX LANGUAGES. (14=OTHER) List of languages the same as Q38 b1		
			48	b14 What language do you speak most often at home?	Code one only
			List of languages the same as Q38 b1		
			49	SpkOth	Applies if respondent speaks a language other than those listed at home most often. What is this other language?
Language information			50	B15	What language do you speak most often at work or school? Code one only
			List of languages the same as Q38 b1		
38	b1	What language did you FIRST speak as a child	51	Workoth	Applies if respondent speaks a language other than those listed at work or school most often. What is this other language?
		LIST IS IN ALPHABETICAL ORDER. ACCEPT TWO RESPONSES ONLY IF LANGUAGES WERE SPOKEN EQUALLY. CODE UP TO TWO LANGUAGES. (14=OTHER)	52	What language do you speak most often during leisure activities?	
			Code one only List of languages the same as Q38 b1		
			53	Leisoth	Applies if respondent speaks a language other than those listed during leisure activities most often.
			What is this other language?		
			54	b17 In what language can you express yourself most easily?	Code one only
			List of languages the same as Q38 b1		

EXPSSOTH	Applies if respondent speaks a language other than those listed under expressing yourself more easily. What is this other language?	available to start within 2 weeks (Govaval=2)
Labour Force Information		What was the main reason you did not seek any work in the last 4 weeks (would not be able to start within 2 weeks)? SHOW CARD C
55 Empstat	I would now like to talk to you about your employment status. Did you do any paid work in the 7 days ending last Sunday either as an employee or as self employed?	Student1 Waiting to take up job or business 2 Temporarily sick or injured 3 Long term sick or disabled4 Child care responsibilities5 Other personal or family responsibilities 6 Looking after the family/home 7 Retired from paid work8 Not interested in working9 Other reasons10
Yes1 No2	56 Govsch Applies if respondent did not do any paid work in last week (Empstat=2)	62 d2 Applies if respondent has not worked in last week (Empstat=2) AND not away from job or business (Busaway=2) AND not on government training scheme (Govsch=3).
Were you on a government scheme for employment training? Yes1 No2	57 Busaway Applies if respondent not on a government training scheme (Govsch=2)	Did you work at a job or business at any time in the past 12 months (regardless of the number of hours per week)?
Did you have a job or business that you were away from? Yes1 No2 Waiting to take up new job/business 3	58 Unpaid Applies if respondent not away from job or business (Busaway=2)	63 Everwork Applies if respondent has not worked at any time in the past 12 months (d2=2).
Did you do any unpaid work in that week for any business that you or a relative owns? Yes, a business that you own1 Yes, a business that a relative owns2 No2	59 Lookwk Applies if respondent has not worked in last week (Empstat=2), AND not on government training scheme (Govsch=2), AND not away from job or business (Busaway=2), AND not doing any unpaid work (Unpaid=3).	Have you ever had a paid job, or place on a government training scheme apart from casual or holiday work (or the job that you were waiting to take up)? Yes1 No2
Thinking of the 4 weeks ending last Sunday, were you looking for any kind of paid work or government training scheme at any time in those 4 weeks? Yes1 No2	60 Govaval Applies if respondent is not looking for work (Lookwk=2).	64 d3 Applies if respondent has had a job (Everwork=1)
If a job or a place on a government scheme had been available in the week ending last Sunday would you have been available to start within two weeks? Yes1 No2	61 Econact Applies if respondent not looking for work (Lookwk=2) OR looking for work but not	Which year did you leave your last PAID job or have a business?
		65 d4 Applies if respondent is currently employed (Empstat=1) OR has worked in last 12 months (d2=1)
		How many different employers have you had in the past 12 months?
		66 d5 Applies if respondent is currently employed (Empstat=1) OR has worked in last 12 months (d2=1).
		In your (main) job were you working: Full time 1 Or part time?2
		67 d6 Applies if respondent working part time (d5=2)
		Why did you work part time?
		Own illness or disability1 Child care responsibilities 2

	Other personal or family responsibilities 3		Did you have any managerial duties, or were you supervising any other employees?
	Going to school/taking training4		Manager1
	Could only find a part-time job5		Foreman/supervisor2
	Did not want to work full-time6		Not manager/supervisor3
	Retired7		
	Other – please specify at next question 8		
68	Partoth Applies if 'other' reason for working part time (d6=8)	76	ManyMan Applies if respondent was manager or supervisor (Manage=1, 2)
	What was the reason for working part time?		How many employees did you have supervisory or management responsibility for?
69	Workmost Applies if respondent currently employed (Empstat=1) OR worked in last 12 months (d2=1) OR has ever worked (Everwork=1).		5 or more 1
	I would now like to ask you some questions about your (main) job, (that is the job you worked the most hours for).		Less than 52
70	IndD Applies if respondent currently employed (Empstat=1) OR worked in last 12 months (d2=1) OR has ever worked (Everwork=1).	77	Empno Applies if respondent is an employee (Stat=1)
	What did the firm/organisation you worked for mainly make or do (at the place where you worked)?		How many employees were there at the place where you worked?
	DESCRIBE FULLY – PROBE MANUFACTURING or PROCESSING or DISTRIBUTION ETC. AND MAIN GOODS PRODUCED, MATERIALS USED, WHOLESALE or RETAIL ETC.		1-241
71	IndT Applies if respondent currently employed (Empstat=1) OR worked in last 12 months (d2=1) OR has ever worked (Everwork=1).		25or over2
	ENTER A TITLE FOR THE INDUSTRY	78	d10 Applies if respondent is an employee (Stat=1)
72	OccT Applies if respondent currently employed (Empstat=1) OR worked in last 12 months (d2=1) OR has ever worked (Everwork=1).		In total, about how many persons are employed by this business at all locations in the UK?
	What was your (main) job?		Less than 20 1
	ENTER A JOB TITLE		20 to 99 2
73	OccD Applies if respondent currently employed (Empstat=1) OR worked in last 12 months (d2=1) OR has ever worked (Everwork=1).		100 to 199 3
	What did you mainly do in your job?		200 to 499 4
	CHECK SPECIAL QUALIFICATIONS/TRAINING NEEDED TO DO THE JOB		500 or over 5
74	Stat Applies if respondent currently employed (Empstat=1) OR worked in last 12 months (d2=1) OR has ever worked (Everwork=1).	79	Solo Applies if respondent is self-employed (Stat=2)
	Were you working as an employee or were you self-employed?		ASK OR RECORD
	Employee 1		Were you working on your own or did you have employees?
	Self-employed2		On own/with partner(s) but no employees 1
75	Manage Applies if respondent is an employee (Stat=1)		With employees2
	ASK OR RECORD	80	SENO Applies if respondent is self-employed with employees (Solo=2)
			How many people did you employ at the place where you worked?
			1-241
			25 or over 2
		81	d12 Applies if respondent is employed (Empstat=1) OR has worked in last 12 months (d2=1).
			Leaving aside your own personal intentions and circumstances, was your job:
			A permanent job or work contract of unlimited duration..1
			Or was there some way that it was NOT permanent ..2
		82	d13 Applies if respondent is employed (Empstat=1) OR has worked in last 12 months (d2=1).

<p>How many hours per week do/did you usually work in your (main) job/business – please exclude meal breaks and overtime?</p> <p>97 HOURS OR MORE = 97 DON'T KNOW OR REFUSAL = 99</p>		<p>Too old to work/Retired from paid work 8 Not interested in working 9 Any other reason – please specify at next question 10</p>	
83	<p>d14 Applies if respondent is employed (Empstat=1) OR has worked in last 12 months (d2=1).</p> <p>During the past 12 months, how many weeks did you work (at all jobs including time off for holidays, maternity leave, illness and industrial action)?</p>	89	<p>Othrsn Applies if respondent had 'other' reason for not working (d18=10)</p> <p>What was the reason for not looking for work?</p>
84	<p>d15 Applies if respondent has worked less than 52 weeks in last 12 months (d14<52 weeks) OR respondent has ever had job (Everwork=1).</p> <p>During the past 12 months, in the weeks when you were without work, did you want to work?</p> <p>Yes 1 No 2</p>	90	<p>d19 Applies if respondent is not currently working (Empstat=2) or respondent has never worked (Everwork=2). During the past 12 months when you were not working at a job or business. Did you want to work?</p> <p>Yes 1 No 2</p>
85	<p>d16 Applies if respondent did not want to work (d15=2)</p> <p>May I just check, what was the main reason that you did not want to work?</p> <p>Own illness or disability 1 Childcare responsibilities 2 Other personal or family responsibilities 3 Going to school or taking training 4 Retired from paid work 5 Not interested in working 6 Homemaker 7 Any other reason – please specify at next question 8</p>	91	<p>d20 Applies if d19=2). May I just check what was the main reason why you did not want to work?</p> <p>Own illness or disability 1 child care responsibilities 2 other personal or family responsibilities 3 going to school or taking training 4 retired from paid work 5 not interested in working 6 homemaker 7 any other reason 8 please specify at next question</p>
86	<p>NotOth Applies if respondent had 'other' reason for not working (d16=8)</p> <p>What was the reason for not wanting to work?</p>	92	<p>WANTOTH Applies if respondent stated other reason for not wanting to work (d20=8). What was the other reason you did not want to work?</p>
87	<p>d17 Applies if respondent wanted to work (d15=1).</p> <p>During the last 12 months, for how many weeks were you without work and NOT looking for work?</p>	93	<p>d21 Applies if respondent was not employed (Empstat=2) or had never worked (Everwork=2) but had wanted to work in the last twelve months (d19=1). During the past 12 months, for how many weeks were you without work and not looking for work?</p>
88	<p>d18 Applies if respondent not looking for work during any weeks of last 12 months (d17>0).</p> <p>May I just check, what was the main reason that you did not look for work during these weeks?</p> <p>Own illness or disability 1 Childcare responsibilities 2 Other personal or family responsibilities 3 Waiting for the results of an application for a job/being assessed by an ET training agent 4 Waiting for a job to start 5 Did not have skills or experience for available jobs 6 Going to school or taking training 7</p>	94	<p>d22 Applies if (d21>0). What is the main reason why you did not look for work during these weeks? (same code as d18).</p>
		95	<p>OTHREA Applies if respondent stated other reason for not looking for work at d22 (d22=10). What was the other reason for not looking for work during these weeks?</p>
		<p>Reading and writing at work</p>	
		96	<p>e1a Applies if respondent currently employed (Empstat=1) OR working on government training scheme (Govsch=1) OR away from job/business (Busaway=1) OR worked in last 12 months (d2=1)</p> <p>The following questions refer to the job at which you worked the most hours in the last 12 months.</p> <p>How often (do/did) you read or use information from each of the following as part of your main job?</p>

	Letters or memos? SHOW CARD D		Material written in a language other than English? SHOW CARD D		
	Every day	1	Every day	1	
	A few times a week	2	A few times a week	2	
	Once a week	3	Once a week	3	
	Less than once a week	4	Less than once a week	4	
	Rarely or never	5	Rarely or Never	5	
97	e1b	Applies if respondent currently employed (Empstat=1) OR working on government training scheme (Govsch=1) OR away from job or business (Busaway=1) OR worked in last 12 months (d2=1).	102	e1g	Applies if respondent currently employed (Empstat=1) OR working on government training scheme (Govsch=1) OR away from job or business (Busaway=1) OR worked in last 12 months (d2=1).
	Reports, articles, magazines or journals? SHOW CARD D		Directions or instructions for medicines, recipes, or other products? SHOW CARD D		
	Every day	1	Every day	1	
	A few times a week	2	A few times a week	2	
	Once a week	3	Once a week	3	
	Less than once a week	4	Less than once a week	4	
	Rarely or Never	5	Rarely or Never	5	
98	e1c	Applies if respondent currently employed] (Empstat=1) OR working on government training scheme (Govsch=1) OR away from job or business (Busaway=1) OR worked in last 12 months (d2=1).	103	Comput	Applies if respondent currently employed (Empstat=1) OR working on government training scheme (Govsch=1) OR away from job or business (Busaway=1) OR worked in last 12 months (d2=1).
	Manuals or reference books, including catalogues? SHOW CARD D		Read or use information from computers? SHOW CARD D		
	Every day	1	Every day	1	
	A few times a week	2	A few times a week	2	
	Once a week	3	Once a week	3	
	Less than once a week	4	Less than once a week	4	
	Rarely or Never	5	Rarely or Never	5	
99	e1d	Applies if respondent currently employed (Empstat=1) OR working on government training scheme (Govsch=1) OR away from job or business (Busaway=1) OR worked in last 12 months (d2=1).	104	e2a	Applies if respondent currently employed (Empstat=1) OR working on government training scheme (Govsch=1) OR away from job or business (Busaway=1) OR worked in last 12 months (d2=1).
	Diagrams? SHOW CARD D		How often (do/did) you write or fill out each of the following as part of your main job?		
	Every day	1	Letters or memos? SHOW CARD D		
	A few times a week	2	Every day	1	
	Once a week	3	A few times a week	2	
	Less than once a week	4	Once a week	3	
	Rarely or Never	5	Less than once a week	4	
100	e1e	Applies if respondent currently employed (Empstat=1) OR working on government training scheme (Govsch=1) OR away from job or business (Busaway=1) OR worked in last 12 months (d2=1).		Rarely or Never	5
	Bills, invoices, spreadsheets or budget tables? SHOW CARD D		105	e2b	Applies if respondent currently employed (Empstat=1) OR working on government training scheme (Govsch=1) OR away from job or business (Busaway=1) OR worked in last 12 months (d2=1).
	Every day	1		Forms or things such as bills, invoices or budgets? SHOW CARD D	
	A few times a week	2		Every day	1
	Once a week	3		A few times a week	2
	Less than once a week	4		Once a week	3
	Rarely or Never	5		Less than once a week	4
101	e1f	Applies if respondent currently employed (Empstat=1) OR working on government training scheme (Govsch=1) OR away from job or business (Busaway=1) OR worked in last 12 months (d2=1).		Rarely or Never	5

106	e2c	Applies if respondent currently employed (Empstat=1) OR working on government training scheme (Govsch=1) OR away from job or business (Busaway=1) OR worked in last 12 months (d2=1).	Excellent 1 Good 2 Moderate 3 Poor? 4 No opinion/not applicable (DO NOT PROMPT)t 5
		Reports or articles? SHOW CARD D Every day 1 A few times a week 2 Once a week 3 Less than once a week 4 Rarely or Never 5	
107	e2d	Applies if respondent currently employed (Empstat=1) OR working on government training scheme (Govsch=1) OR away from job or business (Busaway=1) OR worked in last 12 months (d2=1).	111 e5 Applies if respondent currently employed (Empstat=1) OR working on government training scheme (Govsch=1) OR away from job or business (Busaway=1) OR worked in last 12 months (d2=1). To what extent are your reading skills in English limiting your job opportunities – for example, advancement or getting another job? Are they .. Greatly limiting 1 Somewhat limiting 2 Not at all limiting 3
		Estimates or technical specifications? SHOW CARD D Every day 1 A few times a week 2 Once a week 3 Less than once a week 4 Rarely or Never 5	
108	e3a	Applies if respondent currently employed (Empstat=1) OR working on government training scheme (Govsch=1) OR away from job or business (Busaway=1) OR worked in last 12 months (d2=1).	112 e6 Applies if respondent currently employed (Empstat=1) OR working on government training scheme (Govsch=1) OR away from job or business (Busaway=1) OR worked in last 12 months (d2=1). How would you rate your writing skills in English for your main job? Would you say they are... Excellent 1 Good 2 Moderate 3 Poor? 4 No opinion/not applicable (DO NOT PROMPT)t 5
		In your main job, how often do you use arithmetic or mathematics (that is, adding, subtracting, multiplying or dividing) to: Measure or estimate the size or weight of objects? SHOW CARD D Every day 1 A few times a week 2 Once a week 3 Less than once a week 4 Rarely or Never 5	
109	e3b	Applies if respondent currently employed (Empstat=1) OR working on government training scheme (Govsch=1) OR away from job or business (Busaway=1) OR worked in last 12 months (d2=1).	113 e7 Applies if respondent currently employed (Empstat=1) OR working on government training scheme (Govsch=1) OR away from job or business (Busaway=1) OR worked in last 12 months (d2=1). To what extent are your writing skills in English limiting your job opportunities – for example, advancement or getting another job? Are they... Greatly limiting 1 Somewhat limiting 2 Not at all limiting 3
		Calculate prices, costs or budgets? SHOW CARD D Every day 1 A few times a week 2 Once a week 3 Less than once a week 4 Rarely or Never 5	
110	e4	Applies if respondent currently employed (Empstat=1) OR working on government training scheme (Govsch=1) OR away from job or business (Busaway=1) OR worked in last 12 months (d2=1).	114 e8 Applies if respondent currently employed (Empstat=1) OR working on government training scheme (Govsch=1) OR away from job or business (Busaway=1) OR worked in last 12 months (d2=1). How would you rate your mathematical skills for your main job? Would you say they are... Excellent 1 Good 2 Moderate 3 Poor? 4 No opinion/not applicable (DO NOT PROMPT)t 5
		How would you rate your reading skills in English for your main job? Would you say they were	
			115 e9 Applies if respondent currently employed (Empstat=1) OR working on government training scheme (Govsch=1) OR away from job or business (Busaway=1) OR worked in last 12 months (d2=1).

<p>To what extent are your mathematical skills limiting your job opportunities – for example, advancement or getting another job? Are they...</p> <p>Greatly limiting 1 Somewhat limiting 2 Not at all limiting 3</p> <p>116 Inad Since leaving school, how frequently have you encountered situations where your reading or writing skills were inadequate?</p> <p>Never 1 Occasionally 2 Frequently 3</p> <p>117 Help If you required help to improve your reading or writing skills, would you know where to seek assistance?</p> <p>Yes 1 No 2</p> <p>118 Local Is information about courses to upgrade reading and writing skills readily available in your local community?</p> <p>Yes 1 No 2 Don't know 3</p> <p>Adult education and training</p> <p>119 f1 The following questions will deal with any education or training which you may have taken in the past 12 months.</p> <p>During the past 12 months did you receive any training or education including courses, private lessons, correspondence courses, workshops, on-the-job training, apprenticeship training, arts, crafts, recreation courses or any other training or education? SHOW CARD E</p> <p>Yes 1 No 2</p> <p>120 f2 Applies if respondent received any adult education or training in the last 12 months (f1=1).</p> <p>In total, how many courses did you take in the past 12 months?</p> <p>121 f3 Applies if respondent received any adult education or training in last 12 months (f1=1)</p> <p>SHOW CARD F.</p> <p>Here is a list of types of course. Which best describes the first of these courses?</p> <p>NOTE, IF THE RESPONDENT LISTS MANY COURSES THAT ALL BEGIN AT THE SAME TIME, CHECK WHETHER THEY ARE UNITS OF ONE AND ENTER OVERALL COURSE TITLE)</p> <p>Skill training/upgrading related to your profession or occupation 1</p>	<p>Skill training/upgrading not related to your occupation or profession 2</p> <p>Personal development and communication skills (e.g. time management, team leadership, stress management) 3</p> <p>Management/organisation training and development (include Human resource management) 4</p> <p>Computer software training (e.g. Wordperfect, Excel, Pagemaker) 5</p> <p>Health and Safety (e.g. first aid, lifting and handling goods, risk assessment) 6</p> <p>Languages (business and conversational) 7</p> <p>Operation and/or maintenance of equipment 8</p> <p>Quality assurance/control 9</p> <p>Sport and physical fitness 10</p> <p>Other recreational activities (e.g. Bridge or painting)..... 11</p> <p>Preliminary education and training 12</p> <p>None of these 13</p> <p>122 MFS Applies if course taken was skill training or academic subject (f3=1, 2, 12)</p> <p>SHOW CARD G. Which of these subject areas was this training or education?</p> <p>Education, recreational and counselling services 1 Fine and applied arts 2 Humanities and related fields 3 Social sciences and related fields 4 Commerce, management and business administration 5 Agricultural and biological sciences and technologies 6 Engineering and applied sciences 7 Engineering and applied sciences, technologies and trades .. 8 Health professions, sciences and technologies 9 Mathematics and physical sciences 10 No specialisation.. 11 Other.. 12</p> <p>123 f4 Applies if respondent received any adult education or training in last 12 months (f1=1)</p> <p>Now I would like to ask you about the (1st course) Was this training or education financially supported by .. SHOW CARD H – CODE ALL THAT APPLY)</p> <p>An employer, or potential employer 1 Training for Work 2 Other government or local authority organisation 3 Yourself, or family, or relative 4 A union or professional organisation 5 Other (NO PROMPT) 6 No fees (NO PROMPT) 7 Don't know (NO PROMPT) 8</p> <p>124 CMGovt Applies if course is supported by 'Other government or local authority organisation' (f4=3)</p> <p>Which government or local authority organisation supported this course? SPECIFY</p> <p>125 CMOth Applies if course is supported by 'Other' (f4=6)</p> <p>CODED OTHER AT F4 – SPECIFY</p> <p>126 CQuali Applies if respondent received any adult</p>
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	education or training in last 12 months (f1=1)		SCOTVEC National Certificate modules 24
	Was this education or training towards qualifications?		RSA other qualification including Stage 1, 11, 111 25
	Yes 1		City and Guilds other qualification 26
	No 2		Any other professional/vocational qualification/foreign qualifications 27
127	TAPPREN Applies if respondent received any adult education or training in last 12 months (f1=1)	130	f6 Applies if respondent received any adult education or training in last 12 months (f1=1)
	ASK OR RECORD. Was the education or training towards a recognised trade apprenticeship?		Was this training or education given by (SHOW CARD J – CODE ALL THAT APPLY)
	Yes 1		A university (including Open University) or other higher education establishment 1
	No 2		A further education college or other adult education college/centre 2
128	Prfss Applies if respondent's education or training was not towards qualifications (Cquali=2).		A commercial organisation (for example, a private training provider) 3
	Was /Is this education or training towards professional or career upgrading?		A producer or supplier of equipment 4
	Yes 1		A non-profit organisation such as an employer association, voluntary organisation or a trade union 5
	No 2		An employer or a parent company 6
129	WhQual Applies if respondent's education or training was towards qualifications (Cquali=1)	131	CWGovt Applies if respondent's course was given by an 'other government or local authority organisation' (f6=7)
	What qualifications does/did this course lead to?		Please specify which other government or local authority organisation gave this training?
	SHOW CARD I (CODE FIRST THAT APPLIES)		
	Higher degree 1	132	Cwoth Applies if respondent's course was given by 'Other provider' (f6=8)
	First degree 2		CODED OTHER AT f6 SPECIFY
	Other degree level qualification such as graduate membership of professional institute 3	133	f7 Applies if respondent received any adult education or training in last 12 months (f1=1)
	Diplomas in Higher Education 4		Where did this training or education take place?
	HNC/HND, Higher level of BTEC, BEC, SCOTBEC, TEC or SCOTTEC/SCOTVEC 5		(CODE ONE ONLY)
	Teaching qualifications 6		University or other higher education establishment 1
	Nursing or other medical qualifications not yet mentioned 7		Further Education college or other adult education college/centre 2
	Other Higher Education qualifications below degree level 8		Primary or secondary school 3
	RSA higher diploma 9		Business or Commercial school 4
	A-level or equivalent/Advanced GNVQ 10		Work 5
	RSA Advanced diploma/Advanced certificate 11		Training Centre 6
	BTEC, BEC, SCOTBEC TEC or SCOTTEC/SCOTVEC National/ONC/OND 12		Conference Centre or hotel 7
	City and Guilds advanced craft 13		Community Centre or sports facility 8
	Scottish Certificate of 6th Year studies Scottish CSYS or equivalent 14		Home (Open University or other correspondence course) 9
	SCE Higher or equivalent 15		Employment rehabilitation centre/community project 10
	A/S level/Certificate of 6th Year studies CSYS or equivalent 16		Elsewhere 11
	RSA diploma 17	134	f8 Applies if respondent received any adult education or training in last 12 months (f1=1)
	City and Guilds craft 18		For how many weeks did this training or education last? (ENTER 1 IF LESS THAN A WEEK)
	BTEC, BEC, SCOTBEC TEC or SCOTTEC/SCOTVEC First Diploma or General Diploma 19		
	O-level GCSE grades A B C SCE Standard grades 1 2 3/SCE Ordinary grades A B C/CSE grade 1 or equivalent CSE/GCSE/SCE/Intermediate GNVQ 20		
	CSE, GCSE, SCE not yet mentioned 21		
	BTEC, BEC, SCOTBEC TEC or SCOTTEC/SCOTVEC First certificate or General certificate 22		
	YT certificate 23		

135	f9	Applies if respondent received any adult education or training in last 12 months (f1=1)	Reading materials5 On-the-job training6 Other methods (NO PROMPT)7
		On average, how many days per week was it? (ENTER 1 IF LESS THAN A DAY)	
136	f10	Applies if respondent received any adult education or training in last 12 months (f1=1)	141 f3(2) Applies if respondent has taken more than one course in last 12 months (f2>=2)
		On average, how many hours per day was it? (ENTER 1 IF LESS THAN 1 HOUR)	SHOW CARD F. Here is a list of types of courses. Which best describes the 2nd of these courses?
137	f11	Applies if respondent received any adult education or training in last 12 months (f1=1)	142 f3 (3) Applies if respondent has taken more than two courses in last 12 months (f3>=3)
		What was the main reason you took this training or education? Was it for..RUNNING PROMPT	SHOW CARD F. Here is a list of types of courses. Which best describes the 3rd of these courses?
		Career/job related purposes 1 Personal interest?2 Other (NO PROMPT)3	REPEAT QUESTIONS MFS TO f14 FOR UP TO 3 COURSES.
138	f12	Applies if course taken for career/job related purposes (f11=1)	143 f15 In the last 12 months was there any training course or education that you WANTED to take for career or job related reasons but did not?
		To what extent are you using the skills or knowledge acquired in this training at work? (READ CATEGORIES)	Yes1 No2
		To a great extent1 Somewhat2 Very little3 Not at all?4 Not applicable (NO PROMPT)5	144 f16 Applies if respondent wanted to take course for career related purposes but did not (f15=1)
139	f13	Applies if respondent received any adult education or training in the last 12 months (f1=1)	SHOW CARD L. What were the reasons you did not take this training or education? CODE ALL THAT APPLY
		Who suggested you take this training or education? CODE ALL THAT APPLY	Too busy/lack of time1 Too busy at work2 Course not offered3 Family responsibilities4 Too expensive /no money5 Lack of qualifications6 Lack of employer support7 Course offered at inconvenient time8 Language reasons9 Health reasons10 Other11
		You did 1 Your friends or family 2 Your employer3 Other employees4 Part of a collective agreement5 Your union or trade association6 Legal or professional requirement7 Social services or Job centre 8 Other (NO PROMPT) 9 Don't know (NO PROMPT)10	145 f17 In the last 12 months was there any other training course that you WANTED to take but did not, such as hobby, recreational or interest courses?
140	f14	Applies if respondent received any adult education or training in last 12 months (f1=1)	Yes1 No2
		Was this training or education provided through	146 f18 Applies if respondent wanted to take recreational course but did not (f17=1)
		SHOW CARD K –CODE ALL THAT APPLY	SHOW CARD L. What were the reasons you did not take this training or education?
		Classroom instruction, seminars or workshops 1 Educational software2 Radio or TV broadcasting3 Audio/video cassettes, tapes or disks4	CODE ALL THAT APPLY Too busy/lack of time1 Too busy at work2 Course not offered3 Family responsibilities4 Too expensive /no money5 Lack of qualifications6

Lack of employer support	7
Course offered at inconvenient time	8
Language reasons	9
Health reasons	10
Other	11

Reading and writing at home

147 g1a The next few questions deal with reading and writing in your daily life excluding work (or school).

I am going to read you a list of activities. Please tell me if you do each of them daily, weekly, every month, several times a year or never?

How often do you...Use a public library? SHOW CARD M

Daily	1
Weekly	2
Monthly	3
Several times a year	4
Never	5

148 g1b Attend a film, play or concert? SHOW CARD M

Daily	1
Weekly	2
Monthly	3
Several times a year	4
Never	5

149 g1c Attend or take part in a sporting event? SHOW CARD M

Daily	1
Weekly	2
Monthly	3
Several times a year	4
Never	5

150 g1d Write letters or anything else that is more than one page in length? SHOW CARD M

Daily	1
Weekly	2
Monthly	3
Several times a year	4
Never	5

151 g1e Participate in voluntary or community organisations? SHOW CARD M

Daily	1
Weekly	2
Monthly	3
Several times a year	4
Never	5

152 g1f Reading newspapers or magazines? SHOW CARD M

Daily	1
Weekly	2
Monthly	3
Several times a year	4

Never

153 g1g Reading books? SHOW CARD M

Daily	1
Weekly	2
Monthly	3
Several times a year	4
Never	5

154 g1h Listening to radio, records, tapes, cassettes or compact discs? SHOW CARD M

Daily	1
Weekly	2
Monthly	3
Several times a year	4
Never	5

155 PC Use a personal computer? SHOW CARD M

Daily	1
Weekly	2
Monthly	3
Several times a year	4
Never	5

156 g4 How much time do you usually spend each day watching television or videos? SHOW CARD N

Not on a daily basis	1
1 hour or less per day	2
1 to 2 hours per day	3
More than 2 hours but less than 5	4
5 or more hours per day	5
Do not have a television or video	6

157 g6a Which of the following materials do you currently have in your home?

Daily newspaper?

Yes	1
No	2

158 g6b Weekly newspaper/magazines?

Yes	1
No	2

159 g6c More than 25 books?

Yes	1
No	2

160 g6d A (multi-volume) encyclopaedia?

Yes	1
No	2

161 g6e A dictionary?

Yes	1
No	2

162 read news. Do you read a newspaper

	Yes	1		No	2
	No	2			
163	Partnews	Applies if readnews=1			
	I am going to show you a list of different parts of a newspaper. Please tell me which parts you generally read when looking at a newspaper. SHOW CARD O.				
164	g7a	Classified ads			
	Yes	1			
	No	2			
165	g7b	Other advertisements			
	Yes	1			
	No	2			
166	g7c	National/International news			
	Yes	1			
	No	2			
167	g7d	Regional or local news			
	Yes	1			
	No	2			
168	g7e	Sports			
	Yes	1			
	No	2			
169	g7f	Home, fashion or health			
	Yes	1			
	No	2			
170	g7g	Editorial page			
	Yes	1			
	No	2			
171	g7h	Financial news or share listings			
	Yes	1			
	No	2			
172	g7i	Comic			
	Yes	1			
	No	2			
173	g7j	TV listings			
	Yes	1			
	No	2			
174	g7k	Film or concert listings			
	Yes	1			
	No	2			
175	g7l	Book, film or art reviews			
	Yes	1			
	No	2			
176	g7m	Horoscope/stars			
	Yes	1			
	No	2			
177	g7n	Advice column			
	Yes	1			
	No	2			
178	Special	Special interest sections, e.g. education, motor or computer section			
	Yes	1			
	No	2			
179	Personal	Personal finance, money advice			
	Yes	1			
	No	2			
180	g7o	Other			
	Yes	1			
	No	2			
181	Other news	Applies if g7o=1 What is the other part of the newspaper?			
182	G8	Would you say you follow what's going on in current events, government and public affairs..			
	Most of the time	1			
	Some of the time	2			
	Only now and then	3			
	Or hardly at all?	4			
183	g10a	Sometimes people need help from family members or friends to read and write (in English). How often do you need help from others with..Reading newspaper articles?			
	Often	1			
	Sometimes	2			
	Never	3			
184	g10b	reading information from government departments, businesses or other institutions?			
	Often	1			
	Sometimes	2			
	Never	3			
185	g10c	Filling out forms such as applications or bank deposit slips?			
	Often	1			
	Sometimes	2			
	Never	3			
186	g10d	Reading instructions such as on a medicine bottle?			

		Often	1			No	2
		Sometimes	2				
		Never	3				
187	g10e	Reading instructions on 'packaged' goods in shops or supermarkets?					
		Often	1				
		Sometimes	2				
		Never	3				
188	g10f	Doing basic arithmetic, that is, adding, subtracting, multiplying and dividing?					
		Often	1				
		Sometimes	2				
		Never	3				
189	g10g	Writing notes and letters?					
		Often	1				
		Sometimes	2				
		Never	3				
190	g11	How would you rate your reading skills in English needed in daily life? SHOW CARD P.					
		Excellent	1				
		Goodt	2				
		Moderatet	3				
		Poort	4				
		No opinion/not applicable DO NOT PROMPTt	5				
191	g12	How would you rate your writing skills in English needed in daily life? SHOW CARD P					
		Excellent	1				
		Goodt	2				
		Moderatet	3				
		Poort	4				
		No opinion/not applicable DO NOT PROMPTt	5				
192	g13	How would you rate your mathematical skills needed in daily life? SHOW CARD P					
		Excellent	1				
		Goodt	2				
		Moderatet	3				
		Poort	4				
		No opinion/not applicable DO NOT PROMPTt	5				
193	g14	All things considered, how satisfied are you with your reading and writing skills in English? Are you..					
		Excellent	1				
		Goodt	2				
		Moderatet	3				
		Poort	4				
		No opinion/not applicable DO NOT PROMPTt	5				
194	g15a	Did you ever have eye/visual trouble of the kind that is not corrected by glasses?					
		Yes	1				
		No	2				
195	g16a	Applies if respondent ever had eye trouble (g15a=1) Did you have this problem while you were in primary or secondary school?					
		Yes	1				
		No	2				
196	g17a	Applies if respondent ever had eye trouble (g15a=1) Do you have this problem now?					
		Yes	1				
		No	2				
197	g15b	Did you ever have hearing problems?					
		Yes	1				
		No	2				
198	g16b	Applies if respondent ever had hearing problems (g15b=1) Did you have this problem while you were in primary or secondary school?					
		Yes	1				
		No	2				
199	g17b	Applies if respondent ever had hearing problems (g15b=1) Do you have this problem now?					
		Yes	1				
		No	2				
200	g15c	Did you ever have a speech disability?					
		Yes	1				
		No	2				
201	g16c	Applies if respondent ever had a speech disability (g15c=1) Did you have this problem while you were in primary or secondary school?					
		Yes	1				
		No	2				
202	g17c	Applies if respondent ever had a speech disability (g15c=1) Do you have this problem now?					
		Yes	1				
		No	2				
203	g15d	Did you ever have a learning disability?					
		Yes	1				
		No	2				

204	g16d	Applies if the respondent ever had a learning disability (g15d=1)		ASK OR RECORD	
		Did you have this problem while you were in primary or secondary school?		What sex is (name) ?	
		Yes1		Male 1	
		No2		Female 2	
205	g17d	Applies if the respondent ever had a learning disability (g15d=1)		213	h2 Applies if respondent is a parent of any children aged 6 to 15 (h1=1)
		Do you have this problem now?			What was (names)'s age at last birthday?
		Yes1		214	h3b Applies if respondent is a parent of any children aged 6 to 15 (h1=1)
		No2			How many years of school has (name) COMPLETED (not counting repeated years at the same level)?
206	g15e	Did you ever have any other disability or health problem of six months or more?		215	h4 Applies if respondent is a parent of any children aged 6 to 15 (h1=1)
		Yes1			How often would you say (name) reads for pleasure? Would you say..
		No2			Every day 1
207	g16e	Applies if the respondent had any other health problem of six months or more(g15e=1)			A few times a week 2
		Did you have this problem while you were in primary or secondary school?			Several times a month3
		Yes1			A few times a month 4
		No2			Once a month or less? 5
208	g17e	Applies if respondent had any other health problems of six months or more (g15e=1)			Never (NO PROMPT) 6
		Do you have this problem now?			Don't know (NO PROMPT) 7
		Yes1			Not applicable (NO PROMPT) 8
		No2		216	ReadB Applies if respondent is a parent of any children aged 6 to 15 (h1=1)
					When (name) reads, where does he/she get books? CODE ALL THAT APPLY
					Parent buys1
					Parent borrows from friend 2
					Child buys3
					Child borrows from a friend 4
					Public library 5
					School library 6
					Gifts 7
					From brothers/sisters 8
					Other9
					Don't know10
					Does not read 11
				217	h6 Applies if respondent is a parent of any children aged 6 to 15 (h1=1)
					Given (name)'s age, how satisfied are you with the way he/she reads?
					Woud you say that you are..
					Very satisfied 1
					Somewhat satisfied 2
					Somewhat dissatisfied 3
					Very dissatisfied 4
				218	IntSim Applies if respondent is a parent of any children aged 6 to 15 (h1=1)
209	h1	ASK OR RECORD			
		Are you the parent or guardian of any children aged 6 to 15 that are presently living with you?			
		Yes1			
		No2			
210	Nchild	Applies if respondent is a parent of any children aged 6 to 15 (h1=1)			
		ASK OR RECORD			
		How many children aged 6 to 15 are presently living with you?			
211	ChName	Applies if respondent is a parent of any children aged 6 to 15 (h1=1)			
		What is the name of your youngest child. aged 6 to 15?			
212	ChSex	Applies if respondent is a parent of any children aged 6 to 15? (h1=1)			

<p>The next questions will deal with your entire household. Could you please tell me if each of the following statements are true or false of your household?</p>		
219	<p>h7c Applies if respondent is a parent of any children aged 6 to 15 (h1=1)</p> <p>Your children often see you or your partner/spouse reading?</p> <p>True 1</p> <p>False 2</p> <p>Don't know 3</p>	
220	<p>h7d Applies if respondent is a parent of any children aged 6 to 15 (h1=1)</p> <p>Your children learned to read before starting school.</p> <p>True 1</p> <p>False 2</p> <p>Don't know 3</p>	
221	<p>hfe Applies if respondent is a parent of any children aged 6 to 15 (h1=1)</p> <p>Your children have a certain amount of time set aside each day for reading at home.</p> <p>True 1</p> <p>False 2</p> <p>Don't know 3</p>	
222	<p>h7f Applies if respondent is a parent of any children aged 6 to 15 (h1=1)</p> <p>Your children are limited in the amount of time you allow them to watch TV.</p> <p>True 1</p> <p>False 2</p> <p>Don't know 3</p>	
<p>Parental Information</p>		
223	<p>c1 The next few questions are about your mother (female guardian). Can you answer some questions about her?</p> <p>Yes 1</p> <p>No 2</p>	
224	<p>Mfinish Applies if respondent can answer] questions about their mother (c1=1)</p> <p>What age did your mother (female guardian) finish her continuous full-time education? NEVER HAD=97.</p>	
225	<p>c5 Applies if respondent can answer questions about their mother(c1=1)</p> <p>What was the highest level of schooling that your mother (female guardian) completed?</p> <p>No schooling 1</p> <p>Below Primary School 2</p> <p>Completed Primary School (current leaving age 11) 3</p> <p>Secondary School (current leaving age 16, GCSE</p>	<p>or equivalent) 4</p> <p>Upper Secondary School (current leaving age 18,GCE A-level or equivalent) 5</p> <p>Higher/Further Education NOT leading to a degree (e.g. HNC/HND) 6</p> <p>University/College first degree 7</p> <p>Postgraduate University degree 8</p> <p>Education not definable by level 9</p> <p>Don't know 10</p>
226	<p>c7 The next few questions are about your father (male guardian). Can you answer some questions about him?</p> <p>Yes 1</p> <p>No 2</p>	
227	<p>Ffinish Applies if respondent can answer questions about their father (c7=1)</p> <p>What age did your father (male guardian) finish his continuous full-time education? NEVER HAD=97</p>	
228	<p>c11 Applies if respondent can answer questions about their father (c7=1)</p> <p>What was the highest level of schooling that your father (male guardian) completed?</p> <p>No schooling 1</p> <p>Below Primary School 2</p> <p>Completed Primary School (current leaving age 11) 3</p> <p>Secondary School (current leaving age 16, GCSE or equivalent) 4</p> <p>Upper Secondary School (current leaving age 18,GCE A-level or equivalent) 5</p> <p>Higher/Further Education NOT leading to a degree (e.g. HNC/HND) 6</p> <p>University/College first degree 7</p> <p>Postgraduate University degree 8</p> <p>Education not definable by level 9</p> <p>Don't know 10</p>	
<p>Immigration</p>		
229	<p>Ethnic May I just check, to which of these groups do you consider you belong?</p> <p>USE SHOW CARD Q.</p> <p>White 1</p> <p>Black – Caribbean 2</p> <p>Black - African 3</p> <p>Black – neither Caribbean or African 4</p> <p>Indian 5</p> <p>Pakistani 6</p> <p>Bangladeshi 7</p> <p>Chinese 8</p> <p>Other 9</p>	
230	<p>Ethnoth Applies if respondent considers they belong to ethnic group 'Other' (Ethnic=9)</p> <p>Which group (or groups) do you belong to?</p>	

Income

231 Sources Finally I would like to ask a few questions about your income.

232 Srcinc SHOW CARD R

This card shows various possible sources of income. Can you please tell me which kinds of income you receive?

CODE ALL THAT APPLY

- Earnings from employment or self-employment 1
- Pension from former employer 2
- State benefits 3
- Interest from saving etc 4
- Other kinds of regular allowance from outside the household 5
- Other sources e.g. rent 6
- No source of income 7

233 BenList SHOW CARD S. Which, if any, of these benefits are you currently receiving? MARK ALL THAT APPLY.

CODE15=NONE OF THESE BENEFITS.

- Unemployment benefit 1
- Retirement pension (national insurance) or old person's pension 2
- Child benefit 3
- One parent benefit 4
- Widow's pension or allowance (national insurance) 5
- Disability living allowance 6
- Attendance allowance 7
- War disablement pension (and any related allowances) 8
- Family credit 9
- Invalid care allowance 10
- Income support 11
- Social Fund 12
- Incapacity benefit 13
- Severe disablement benefit 14
- None of these 15

234 Igross Applies if respondent has a source of income (Source code 1-6)

Will you please look at this card and tell me which group represents your (weekly/monthly/annual) personal income from all these sources before deductions for income tax, national insurance etc?

If you receive housing benefit please do not include it.

SHOW CARD T AND EXPLAIN ALL SOURCES MENTIONED PREVIOUSLY ON SHOW CARD R - ENTER BAND NUMBER.

- Band 1 (up to £2704 per annum) 1
- Band 2 (£2705 - £5928 per annum) 2
- Band 3 (£5929 - £10400 per annum) 3
- Band 4 (£10401 - £16848 per annum) 4
- Band 5 (£16849 or more per annum) 5
- Refusal 6
- Don't know 7

235 IWage Applies if respondent has income from earnings (Srcinc=1)

Will you please look at this card and tell me which group represents your (weekly/monthly/annual) personal income from only earnings from employment or self employment before deductions for income tax, National Insurance etc?

SHOW CARD U AND EXPLAIN - ENTER BAND NUMBER.

- Band 1 (up to £4628 per annum) 1
- Band 2 (£4629 - £8996 per annum) 2
- Band 3 (£8997 - £13000 per annum) 3
- Band 4 (£13001 - £19188 per annum) 4
- Band 5 (£19189 or more per annum) 5
- Refusal 6
- Don't know 7

236 Hgross Will you please look at this card and tell me which group represents the (weekly/monthly/annual) income of all household members (including yourself) from all sources before deductions for income tax, National Insurance etc.?

If any household member receives housing benefit please do not include it.

SHOW CARD V AND EXPLAIN - ENTER BAND NUMBER.

- Band 1 (up to £4628 per annum) 1
- Band 2 (£4629 - £8996 per annum) 2
- Band 3 (£8997 - £13000 per annum) 3
- Band 4 (£13001 - £19188 per annum) 4
- Band 5 (£19189 or more per annum) 5
- Refusal 6
- Don't know 7

237 Religion Would you tell me to what religious denomination do you belong?

- Yes 1
- Unwilling to answer 2
- No religion 3

238 Denom What is your religious denomination?

- Catholic 1
- Presbyterian 2
- Church of Ireland 3
- Methodist 4
- Baptist 5
- Free Presbyterian 6
- Brethren 7
- Protestant - not specified 8
- Other Protestant 9
- Other Christian 10
- Jewish 11
- Other non-christian 12

239 Timeby INTERVIEWER PLEASE RECORD THE TIME. (IN HOURS AND MINUTES - 24 HOUR CLOCK).

240 Timeq Time taken to administer questionnaire (minutes)

241 StatBQ INTERVIEWER: Please make an assessment of the status of the background questionnaire completed -

contained no more than 5 unanswered questions..1

Partial – more than 5 applicable questions not answered but most of the applicable questions were answered..2

Respondent refused before enough information gathered to qualify as a partial..3