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**Section: Survey Introduction (SI)**

**SI\_INT** Question text in **Bold** font is read to the respondent.  
Text in normal font is not read to the respondent.  
Unless otherwise specified, a flow goes to the next question.  
The options Don't Know (DK) and Refusal (RF) are allowed on every question except for a write-in response like Other Specify.  
The survey introduction, household roster, relationships, demographics, contact names, address information, permission to share and administration are part of the Entry/Exit block. (The survey introduction and the permission to share and administration questions are included in this questionnaire for information.)

**SI\_BEG** Beginning of Section

**SI\_R01** **Hello my name is ... and I am from Statistics Canada. I'm calling about a study we are doing on the ways in which Canadians support one another and participate in society. The study asks about charitable giving, unpaid volunteer activities, and civic participation. Information from the Canada Survey of Giving, Volunteering and Participating will help us better understand these activities, and will be used to develop programs and services to support them.**

**Your answers will be kept strictly confidential and used only for statistical purposes.**

**While participation in this survey is voluntary, your cooperation is important to ensure that the information collected in this survey is as accurate and as comprehensive as possible.**

*Coverage: All respondents*

**SI\_END** End of Section

**Section: Formal Volunteering (FV)**

**FV\_BEG** Beginning of Section

**FV\_Q01** **Now, I'd like to ask you some questions about any activities that you did without pay on behalf of a group or an organization in the past 12 months.**

*Coverage: All respondents*

**FV\_Q02** **In the past 12 months, did you do any of the following activities without pay on behalf of a group or an organization? This includes any unpaid help you provided to schools, religious organizations, sports or community associations: Did you do any...**

**... canvassing?**

1 Yes  
2 No  
DK, RF

*Coverage: All respondents*

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**FV\_Q03** In the past 12 months, did you do any of the following activities without pay on behalf of a group or an organization? This includes any unpaid help you provided to schools, religious organizations, sports or community associations: **Did you do any...**

**... fundraising?**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- DK, RF

Coverage: *All respondents*

**FV\_Q04** In the past 12 months, did you do any of the following activities without pay on behalf of a group or an organization? This includes any unpaid help you provided to schools, religious organizations, sports or community associations: **Did you...**

**... sit as a member of a committee or board?**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- DK, RF

Coverage: *All respondents*

**FV\_Q05** In the past 12 months, did you do any of the following activities without pay on behalf of a group or an organization? This includes any unpaid help you provided to schools, religious organizations, sports or community associations: **Did you do any...**

**... teaching, educating or mentoring?**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- DK, RF

Coverage: *All respondents*

**FV\_Q06** In the past 12 months, did you do any of the following activities without pay on behalf of a group or an organization? This includes any unpaid help you provided to schools, religious organizations, sports or community associations: **Did you...**

**... organize, supervise or coordinate activities or events?**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- DK, RF

Coverage: *All respondents*

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**FV\_Q07**      In the past 12 months, did you do any of the following activities without pay on behalf of a group or an organization? This includes any unpaid help you provided to schools, religious organizations, sports or community associations. Did you do any...

... office work, bookkeeping, administrative duties, or library work?

- 1            Yes
- 2            No
- DK, RF

Coverage:      *All respondents*

**FV\_Q08**      In the past 12 months, did you do any of the following activities without pay on behalf of a group or an organization? This includes any unpaid help you provided to schools, religious organizations, sports or community associations: **Did you...**

... coach, referee or officiate?

- 1            Yes
- 2            No
- DK, RF

Coverage:      *All respondents*

**FV\_Q09**      In the past 12 months, did you do any of the following activities without pay on behalf of a group or an organization? This includes any unpaid help you provided to schools, religious organizations, sports or community associations: **Did you...**

... counsel or provide advice?

- 1            Yes
- 2            No
- DK, RF

Coverage:      *All respondents*

**FV\_Q10**      In the past 12 months, did you do any of the following activities without pay on behalf of a group or an organization? This includes any unpaid help you provided to schools, religious organizations, sports or community associations: **Did you...**

... provide health care or support including companionship?

- 1            Yes
- 2            No
- DK, RF

Coverage:      *All respondents*

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**FV\_Q11** In the past 12 months, did you do any of the following activities without pay on behalf of a group or an organization? This includes any unpaid help you provided to schools, religious organizations, sports or community associations: **Did you...**

**... collect, serve or deliver food or other goods?**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No  
DK, RF

*Coverage: All respondents*

**FV\_Q12** In the past 12 months, did you do any of the following activities without pay on behalf of a group or an organization? This includes any unpaid help you provided to schools, religious organizations, sports or community associations: **Did you do any...**

**... work associated with the maintenance, repair or building of facilities or grounds?**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No  
DK, RF

*Coverage: All respondents*

**FV\_Q13** In the past 12 months, did you do any of the following activities without pay on behalf of a group or an organization? This includes any unpaid help you provided to schools, religious organizations, sports or community associations: **Did you do any...**

**... volunteer driving?**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No  
DK, RF

*Coverage: All respondents*

**FV\_Q14** In the past 12 months, did you do any of the following activities without pay on behalf of a group or an organization? This includes any unpaid help you provided to schools, religious organizations, sports or community associations: **Did you...**

**... provide help through first aid, fire-fighting, or search and rescue?**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No  
DK, RF

*Coverage: All respondents*

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**FV\_Q15** In the past 12 months, did you do any of the following activities without pay on behalf of a group or an organization? This includes any unpaid help you provided to schools, religious organizations, sports or community associations: **Did you...**

**... engage in activities aimed at conservation or protection of the environment or wildlife?**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- DK, RF

Coverage: All respondents

**FV\_Q16** In the past 12 months, did you do any other unpaid activities on behalf of a group or an organization?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No ..... (Go to FV\_ISVOL)
- DK, RF ..... (Go to FV\_ISVOL)

Coverage: All respondents

**FV\_S16** In the past 12 months, did you do any other unpaid activities on behalf of a group or an organization?

\_\_\_\_(80 spaces)

Coverage: Respondents who did other unpaid activities on behalf of a group or an organization

**FV\_ISVOL** If any 'yes' in FV\_Q02 to FV\_Q16 then FV\_ISVOL=1 (Volunteer), else FV\_ISVOL=2 (Non-volunteer screened in), or FV\_ISVOL=3 (Non-volunteer screened out).

Note: Non-volunteers in the 10 provinces had a 50% chance of being randomly screened out at this point of the interview. In the 3 territories this random selection was not performed and all non-volunteers were interviewed.

Coverage: All respondents

**FV\_END** End of Section

**Section: History of Volunteering (HV)**

**HV\_BEG** Beginning of Section

**HV\_C01** If a non-volunteer.....(Go to HV\_Q01)  
Else.....(Go to HV\_END)

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**HV\_Q01**      **Prior to 12 months ago, did you do any activities without pay on behalf of a group or an organization?**

- 1              Yes
- 2              No .....(Go to HV\_END)
- DK, RF .....(Go to HV\_END)

Coverage:      *Non-volunteers*

**HV\_Q02**      **How long ago?**

- 1              1 to less than 3 years ago
- 2              3 to less than 5 years ago
- 3              5 years ago or longer
- DK, RF

Coverage:      *Non-volunteers who volunteered prior to 12 months ago*

**HV\_END**      End of Section

**Section:**      **Volunteer Specifics (VS)**

**VS\_BEG**      Beginning of Section

**VS\_C01**      If a volunteer .....(Go to VS\_Q01)  
                Else .....(Go to VS\_END)

**VS\_Q01**      **In the past 12 months, for how many groups or organizations did you do any unpaid activities?**

\_\_\_\_\_ (2 spaces)      [Min: 1 Max: 20]

DK, RF .....(Go to VS\_END)

Coverage:      *Volunteers*

**VS\_Q02**      **In the past 12 months, how often did you do any unpaid activities?**

- 1              **Daily or almost daily**
- 2              **At least once a week**
- 3              **At least once a month**
- 4              **At least 3 or 4 times**
- 5              **Once or twice**
- DK, RF

Coverage:      *Volunteers*

**VS\_C03**      If volunteered for one group/organization in past 12 months .....(Go to VS\_Q03)  
                Else .....(Go to VS\_Q04)

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- VS\_Q03**      **Now, a few questions about this organization.**
- Default:      (Go to VS\_B04)
- Coverage:      *Volunteers who did unpaid activities for one group or organization*
- VS\_Q04**      **Now, a few questions about (each/three) of these organizations. Starting with the one to which you volunteered the most hours.**
- Coverage:      *Volunteers who did unpaid activities for more than one group or organization*
- VS\_B04**      Execute Volunteer Detail Section (VD). This section is executed once for each organization for which the volunteer did unpaid activities, up to a maximum of 3 times.
- VS\_C05**      If volunteered for more than three organizations .....(Go to VS\_Q05)  
Else.....(Go to VS\_END)
- VS\_Q05**      **In the past 12 months, how many hours did you spend on unpaid activities for all other organizations?**
- \_\_\_\_(4 spaces)      [Min: 1 Max: 4000]  
                  DK, RF
- Coverage:      *Volunteers who did unpaid activities for more than three organizations*
- VS\_END**      End of Section
- Section:**      **Volunteer Details (VD)**
- VD\_BEG**      Beginning of Section
- VD\_Q01**      **What is the name of (this/the next) organization?**
- DK, RF .....(Go to VD\_Q02)
- Note:            The interviewer had access to a look-up table for a list of organizations.
- Coverage:      *Volunteers*
- VD\_C02**      If a non-match in the look-up table .....(Go to VD\_Q02)  
Else.....(Go to VD\_Q04)
- VD\_Q02**      **What does this organization do?**
- \_\_\_\_(80 spaces)
- Coverage:      *Volunteers who did not provide the name of the organization or who gave an organization name which was not in the look-up table*
- VD\_C03**      If organization name and/or activity of organization declared .....(Go to VD\_Q03)  
Else.....(Go to VD\_END)



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**VD\_Q03**      **What type of organization is this?**

- 1            **Charity or non-profit**
- 2            **Business**
- 3            **Government**
- 4            Other  
              DK, RF

*Coverage:*            *Volunteers who did not provide the name of the organization or who gave an organization name which was not in the look-up table but who reported what the organization does*

**VD\_Q04**      **In the past 12 months, how many hours did you spend on unpaid activities for this organization?**

\_\_\_\_(4 spaces)      [Min: 1 Max: 4000]  
DK, RF

*Coverage:*            *Volunteers who gave the name of the organization and/or what the organization does*

**VD\_END**      End of Section

**Section:**      **Main Volunteer Activities (MV)**

**MV\_BEG**      Beginning of Section

**MV\_C01**      If first organization name and/or activity of organization declared (Go to MV\_Q01)  
Else..... (Go to MV\_END)

**MV\_Q01**      **I would now like to ask you some questions about the organization to which you volunteered the most hours.**

*Coverage:*            *Volunteers who gave the name of the first organization and/or what the organization does*

**MV\_Q02**      **On behalf of this organization, in the past 12 months, how many hours did you spend...**

**... (activity reported in FV\_Q02 to FV\_Q16)?**

\_\_\_\_(4 spaces)      [Min: 0 Max: 4000]

- 0000      No hours
- DK, RF

*Coverage:*            *Volunteers who gave the name of the first organization and/or what the organization does*

**MV\_C03**      If there is a discrepancy between the total hours reported in VD\_Q04 and the sum of hours by activity reported in MV\_Q02 (up to 15 times) that is greater than or equal to 75% and greater than or equal to 50 hours..... (Go to MV\_Q03)  
Else..... (Go to MV\_Q04)

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**MV\_Q03**      **We seem to have a discrepancy. Which do you think is more accurate - the total hours reported for this organization or the sum of the activities?**

- 1            The total hours
- 2            The sum of hours by activity  
              DK, RF

*Coverage:*            *Volunteers who gave the name of the first organization and/or what the organization does and who had a discrepancy between VD\_Q04 and the total of MV\_Q02 (up to 15 times) on the questionnaire that was greater than or equal to 75% and greater than or equal to 50 hours*

**MV\_Q04**      **People often volunteer for special events. In the past 12 months, did you spend any hours in addition to what you have already reported for this organization?**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No ..... (Go to MV\_Q06)  
              DK, RF ..... (Go to MV\_Q06)

*Coverage:*            *Volunteers who gave the name of the first organization and/or what the organization does*

**MV\_Q05**      **How many extra hours?**

\_\_\_\_(3 spaces)            [Min: 1 Max: 100]  
DK, RF

*Coverage:*            *Volunteers who gave the name of the first organization and/or what the organization does and also volunteered for a special event for this organization*

**MV\_Q06**      **Now some questions on how you first became a volunteer for this organization.**

**Did you approach the organization yourself?**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No ..... (Go to MV\_Q08)  
              DK, RF ..... (Go to MV\_Q08)

*Coverage:*            *Volunteers who gave the name of the first organization and/or what the organization does*

**MV\_Q07**      **How did you find out about this opportunity?**

- 1            **Responded to a public appeal on TV or radio**
- 2            **Through the Internet**
- 3            **Through a referral from an agency**
- 4            **Responded to an advertisement (e.g., poster, newspaper)**
- 5            Other  
              DK, RF

**Default:**            (Go to MV\_Q10)

*Coverage:*            *Volunteers who gave the name of the first organization and/or what the organization does and who approached the organization themselves*

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**MV\_Q08 Did someone ask you to volunteer?**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No ..... (Go to MV\_Q10)  
DK, RF ..... (Go to MV\_Q10)

Coverage: *Volunteers who gave the name of the first organization and/or what the organization does and who did not approach the organization themselves*

**MV\_Q09 Who asked you to volunteer?**

- 1 **A friend/relative outside the organization**
- 2 **Your boss or employer**
- 3 **Someone in the organization**
- 4 Other  
DK, RF

Coverage: *Volunteers who gave the name of the first organization and/or what the organization does and who were asked to volunteer for this organization*

**MV\_Q10 Were you required to volunteer for this organization?**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No ..... (Go to MV\_Q12)  
DK, RF ..... (Go to MV\_Q12)

Coverage: *Volunteers who gave the name of the first organization and/or what the organization does*

**MV\_Q11 By whom were you required to volunteer for this organization?**

- 1 **Your school**
- 2 **Your employer**
- 3 **The group or organization**
- 4 **Other**  
DK, RF

Coverage: *Volunteers who gave the name of the first organization and/or what the organization does and who were required to volunteer for this organization*

**MV\_Q12 How long have you been a volunteer for this organization?**

- 1 Less than 1 year
- 2 1 to less than 3 years
- 3 3 to less than 5 years
- 4 5 to less than 10 years
- 5 10 years or more  
DK, RF

Coverage: *Volunteers who gave the name of the first organization and/or what the organization does*

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**MV\_Q13**      **In the past 12 months, as a volunteer for this organization, did you receive any payment to cover out-of-pocket expenses?**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No  
              DK, RF

*Coverage:*            *Volunteers who gave the name of the first organization and/or what the organization does*

**MV\_Q14**      **Did you receive monetary compensation for any of your volunteer time, for example, an honorarium or allowance?**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No  
              DK, RF

*Coverage:*            *Volunteers who gave the name of the first organization and/or what the organization does*

**MV\_END**      End of Section

**Section:**      **Reasons for Volunteering (RV)**

**RV\_BEG**      Beginning of Section

**RV\_C01**      If a volunteer who gave the name of the first organization and/or what the organization does .....(Go to RV\_Q01)  
Else .....(Go to RV\_END)

**RV\_Q01**      **People have a number of reasons for volunteering for a group or an organization. One reason may be that they wish to help a cause in which they personally believe.**

*Coverage:*            *Volunteers who gave the name of the first organization and/or what the organization does*

**RV\_Q02**      **Thinking about the reasons why you volunteered in the past 12 months on behalf of this organization, please tell me whether the following reasons were important to you...**

**... you or someone you know has been personally affected by the cause supported by this group or organization.**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No  
              DK, RF

*Coverage:*            *Volunteers who gave the name of the first organization and/or what the organization does*

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**RV\_Q03** Thinking about the reasons why you volunteered in the past 12 months on behalf of this organization, please tell me whether the following reasons were important to you...

**... your friends volunteer.**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No  
DK, RF

*Coverage: Volunteers who gave the name of the first organization and/or what the organization does*

**RV\_Q04** Thinking about the reasons why you volunteered in the past 12 months on behalf of this organization, please tell me whether the following reasons were important to you...

**... to network with or meet people.**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No  
DK, RF

*Coverage: Volunteers who gave the name of the first organization and/or what the organization does*

**RV\_Q05** Thinking about the reasons why you volunteered in the past 12 months on behalf of this organization, please tell me whether the following reasons were important to you...

**... to improve your job opportunities.**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No  
DK, RF

*Coverage: Volunteers who gave the name of the first organization and/or what the organization does*

**RV\_Q06** **Thinking about the reasons why you volunteered in the past 12 months on behalf of this organization, please tell me whether the following reasons were important to you...**

**... to fulfill religious obligations or other beliefs.**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No  
DK, RF

*Coverage: Volunteers who gave the name of the first organization and/or what the organization does*

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**RV\_Q07** Thinking about the reasons why you volunteered in the past 12 months on behalf of this organization, please tell me whether the following reasons were important to you...

**... to explore your own strengths.**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No  
DK, RF

*Coverage: Volunteers who gave the name of the first organization and/or what the organization does*

**RV\_Q08** Thinking about the reasons why you volunteered in the past 12 months on behalf of this organization, please tell me whether the following reasons were important to you...

**... to make a contribution to the community.**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No  
DK, RF

*Coverage: Volunteers who gave the name of the first organization and/or what the organization does*

**RV\_Q09** Thinking about the reasons why you volunteered in the past 12 months on behalf of this organization, please tell me whether the following reasons were important to you...

**... to use your skills and experiences.**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No  
DK, RF

*Coverage: Volunteers who gave the name of the first organization and/or what the organization does*

**RV\_END** End of Section

**Section: Volunteering in General (GV)**

**GV\_BEG** Beginning of Section

**GV\_C01** If a volunteer ..... (Go to GV\_Q01)  
Else .....(Go to GV\_END)

**GV\_Q01** **Now a few questions about volunteering in general.**

*Coverage: Volunteers*

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**GV\_Q02**      **In the past 12 months, have you done any unpaid activities on behalf of a group or an organization...**

**... as part of a group project with members of your immediate family?**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No  
              DK, RF

*Coverage:*        *Volunteers*

**GV\_Q03**      **In the past 12 months, have you done any unpaid activities on behalf of a group or an organization...**

**.... as part of a group project with others, such as friends, neighbours or colleagues?**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No  
              DK, RF

*Coverage:*        *Volunteers*

**GV\_Q04**      **In the past 12 months, did you use the Internet to do any unpaid activities on behalf of a group or an organization?**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No  
              DK, RF

*Coverage:*        *Volunteers*

**GV\_Q05**      **In the past 12 months, did you use the Internet to search for volunteer opportunities?**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No  
              DK, RF

*Coverage:*        *Volunteers*

**GV\_END**      End of Section

**Section:**      **Skills Gained from Volunteering (SK)**

**SK\_BEG**      Beginning of Section

**SK\_C01**      If FV\_ISVOL=1 .....(Go to SK\_Q01)  
                  Else.....(Go to SK\_END)

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**SK\_Q01**      **In the past 12 months, as a volunteer, have you acquired any of the following skills:**

**... fundraising skills?**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No  
              DK, RF

*Coverage:*      *Volunteers*

**SK\_Q02**      **In the past 12 months, as a volunteer, have you acquired any of the following skills:**

**... technical or office skills such as first aid, coaching techniques, computer or bookkeeping?**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No  
              DK, RF

*Coverage:*      *Volunteers*

**SK\_Q03**      **In the past 12 months, as a volunteer, have you acquired any of the following skills:**

**... organizational or managerial skills such as how to organize people or money, to be a leader, to plan or to run an organization?**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No  
              DK, RF

*Coverage:*      *Volunteers*

**SK\_Q04**      **In the past 12 months, as a volunteer, have you acquired any of the following skills:**

**... increased knowledge of such subjects as health, women's or political issues, criminal justice or the environment?**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No  
              DK, RF

*Coverage:*      *Volunteers*



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**SK\_Q05** In the past 12 months, as a volunteer, have you acquired any of the following skills:

**... communication skills such as public speaking, writing, public relations or conducting meetings?**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No  
DK, RF

Coverage: *Volunteers*

**SK\_Q06** In the past 12 months, as a volunteer, have you acquired any of the following skills:

**... interpersonal skills such as understanding people, motivating people, or handling difficult situations with confidence, compassion or patience?**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No  
DK, RF

Coverage: *Volunteers*

**SK\_Q07** In the past 12 months, as a volunteer, have you acquired any of the following skills:

**... some other skill or knowledge?**

- 1 Yes - Specify
- 2 No .....(Go to SK\_Q08)  
DK, RF .....(Go to SK\_Q08)

Coverage: *Volunteers*

**SK\_S07** Some other skill or knowledge

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

\_\_\_\_(80 spaces)

Coverage: *Volunteers who reported some other skill or knowledge*

**SK\_Q08** **Do you think that your volunteer activities ever helped you to get a job or start a business?**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No  
DK, RF

Coverage: *Volunteers*

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**SK\_Q09**      **In the past 12 months, have you worked at a job or business for pay?**

1              Yes  
2              No .....(Go to SK\_END)  
                 DK, RF .....(Go to SK\_END)

Coverage:      *Volunteers*

**SK\_Q10**      **Do you think your volunteer activities have helped your chances of success in your paid job or business?**

1              Yes  
2              No  
                 DK, RF

Coverage:      *Volunteers*

**SK\_END**      End of Section

**Section:**      **Reasons for Not Volunteering more (NV)**

**NV\_BEG**      Beginning of Section

**NV\_C01**      If FV\_ISVOL=1 and SumOrgHours <= 1500 .....(Go to NV\_Q01)  
                 If FV\_ISVOL=1 .....(Go to NV\_END)  
                 If FV\_ISVOL=2 .....(Go to NV\_Q01)  
                 Else .....(Go to NV\_END)

**NV\_Q01**      **There are many factors that may influence one's decision or ability to (volunteer more/volunteer) on behalf of a group or an organization. Please tell me whether any of the following statements are reasons why you did not (volunteer more/volunteer) in the past 12 months.**

Note:              Volunteers were asked why they did not volunteer more while non-volunteers were asked why they did not volunteer.

Coverage:      *All respondents except volunteers who spent more than 1500 hours volunteering*

**NV\_Q02**      Please tell me whether any of the following statements are reasons why you did not (volunteer more/volunteer) in the past 12 months.

**You gave enough time already.**

1              Yes  
2              No  
                 DK, RF

Coverage:      *All respondents except volunteers who spent more than 1500 hours volunteering*

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**NV\_Q03** Please tell me whether any of the following statements are reasons why you did not (volunteer more/volunteer) in the past 12 months.

**You were dissatisfied with a previous volunteering experience.**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No  
DK, RF

*Coverage: All respondents except volunteers who spent more than 1500 hours volunteering*

**NV\_Q04** Please tell me whether any of the following statements are reasons why you did not (volunteer more/volunteer) in the past 12 months.

**Because no one asked you.**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No  
DK, RF

*Coverage: All respondents except volunteers who spent more than 1500 hours volunteering*

**NV\_Q05** Please tell me whether any of the following statements are reasons why you did not (volunteer more/volunteer) in the past 12 months.

**You did not know how to get involved.**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No  
DK, RF

*Coverage: All respondents except volunteers who spent more than 1500 hours volunteering*

**NV\_Q06** Please tell me whether any of the following statements are reasons why you did not (volunteer more/volunteer) in the past 12 months.

**You had health problems or you were physically unable.**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No  
DK, RF

*Coverage: All respondents except volunteers who spent more than 1500 hours volunteering*

**NV\_Q07** Please tell me whether any of the following statements are reasons why you did not (volunteer more/volunteer) in the past 12 months.

**You did not have the time.**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No  
DK, RF

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**NV\_Q08** Please tell me whether any of the following statements are reasons why you did not (volunteer more/volunteer) in the past 12 months.

**Because of the financial cost of volunteering.**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No  
DK, RF

*Coverage: All respondents except volunteers who spent more than 1500 hours volunteering*

**NV\_Q09** Please tell me whether any of the following statements are reasons why you did not (volunteer more/volunteer) in the past 12 months.

**You were unable to make a long-term commitment.**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No  
DK, RF

*Coverage: All respondents except volunteers who spent more than 1500 hours volunteering*

**NV\_Q10** Please tell me whether any of the following statements are reasons why you did not (volunteer more/volunteer) in the past 12 months.

**You preferred to give money instead of time.**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No  
DK, RF

*Coverage: All respondents except volunteers who spent more than 1500 hours volunteering*

**NV\_Q11** Please tell me whether any of the following statements are reasons why you did not (volunteer more/volunteer) in the past 12 months.

**You had no interest.**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No  
DK, RF

*Coverage: All respondents except volunteers who spent more than 1500 hours volunteering*

**NV\_END** End of Section

**Section: Informal Volunteer Activities (IV)**

**IV\_BEG** Beginning of Section

**IV\_Q01** **Now I have some questions about helping people on your own, not on behalf of an organization. Include all friends, neighbours, and relatives. Exclude help given to anyone living in your household.**

*Coverage: All respondents*

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**IV\_Q02**      **In the past 12 months, did you help anyone with work at their home such as cooking, cleaning, gardening, maintenance, painting, shovelling snow, or car repairs?**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No ..... (Go to IV\_Q04)
- DK, RF ..... (Go to IV\_Q04)

Coverage:      *All respondents*

**IV\_Q03**      **How often did you do this?**

- 1            **Daily or almost daily**
- 2            **At least once a week**
- 3            **At least once a month**
- 4            **At least 3 or 4 times**
- 5            **Once or twice**
- DK, RF

Coverage:      *Respondents who helped someone in the past 12 months with work at their home, not on behalf of an organization*

**IV\_Q04**      **In the past 12 months, did you help anyone by doing any shopping, or by driving someone to the store or to an appointment?**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No ..... (Go to IV\_Q06)
- DK, RF ..... (Go to IV\_Q06)

Coverage:      *All respondents*

**IV\_Q05**      **How often did you do this?**

- 1            **Daily or almost daily**
- 2            **At least once a week**
- 3            **At least once a month**
- 4            **At least 3 or 4 times**
- 5            **Once or twice**
- DK, RF

Coverage:      *Respondents who helped someone in the past 12 months by doing shopping, or by driving them to the store or to other appointments, not on behalf of an organization*

**IV\_Q06**      **In the past 12 months, did you help anyone with paperwork tasks such as writing letters, doing taxes, filling out forms, banking, paying bills or finding information?**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No ..... (Go to IV\_Q08)
- DK, RF ..... (Go to IV\_Q08)

Coverage:      *All respondents*

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**IV\_Q07**      **How often did you help anyone with paperwork tasks such as writing letters, doing taxes, filling out forms, banking, paying bills or finding information?**

- 1            **Daily or almost daily**
- 2            **At least once a week**
- 3            **At least once a month**
- 4            **At least 3 or 4 times**
- 5            **Once or twice**
- DK, RF**

*Coverage:*            *Respondents who helped someone in the past 12 months with paperwork tasks, not on behalf of an organization*

**IV\_Q08**      **In the past 12 months, did you provide anyone with health-related or personal care, such as emotional support, counselling, providing advice, visiting the elderly, unpaid babysitting?**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No ..... (Go to IV\_Q10)
- DK, RF ..... (Go to IV\_Q10)

*Coverage:*            *All respondents*

**IV\_Q09**      **How often did you provide anyone with health-related or personal care, such as emotional support, counselling, providing advice, visiting the elderly, unpaid babysitting?**

- 1            **Daily or almost daily**
- 2            **At least once a week**
- 3            **At least once a month**
- 4            **At least 3 or 4 times**
- 5            **Once or twice**
- DK, RF**

*Coverage:*            *Respondents who helped someone in the past 12 months with health-related or personal care, not on behalf of an organization*

**IV\_Q10**      **In the past 12 months, did you help anyone with unpaid teaching, coaching, tutoring, or assisting with reading?**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No ..... (Go to IV\_Q12)
- DK, RF ..... (Go to IV\_Q12)

*Coverage:*            *All respondents*

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**IV\_Q11**      **How often did you help anyone with unpaid teaching, coaching, tutoring, or assisting with reading?**

- 1      **Daily or almost daily**
  - 2      **At least once a week**
  - 3      **At least once a month**
  - 4      **At least 3 or 4 times**
  - 5      **Once or twice**
- DK, RF

*Coverage:*      *Respondents who helped someone in the past 12 months with unpaid teaching, coaching, tutoring or assisting with reading, not on behalf of an organization*

**IV\_Q12**      **In the past 12 months, did you help anyone in any other way - not on behalf of an organization?**

- 1      Yes
  - 2      No ..... (Go to IV\_END)
- DK, RF ..... (Go to IV\_END)

*Coverage:*      *All respondents*

**IV\_Q13**      **How often did you help anyone in any other way - not on behalf of an organization?**

- 1      **Daily or almost daily**
  - 2      **At least once a week**
  - 3      **At least once a month**
  - 4      **At least 3 or 4 times**
  - 5      **Once or twice**
- DK, RF

*Coverage:*      *Respondents who helped in another way in the past 12 months, not on behalf of an organization*

**IV\_END**      End of Section

**Section:**      **Financial Giving to Charitable Organizations (FG)**

**FG\_BEG**      Beginning of Section

**FG\_Q01**      **My next set of questions deal with financial donations that you may have made to a charitable or non-profit organization.**

*Coverage:*      *All respondents*

**FG\_C02**      If married or common-law ..... (Go to FG\_Q02)  
Else ..... (Go to FG\_Q03)

**FG\_Q02**      **This includes any donation that you made personally or jointly with your (spouse/partner).**

*Coverage:*      *Respondents who reported being married or in a common-law union*

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**FG\_Q03**      **In the past 12 months, did you make a charitable donation...**  
**... by responding to a request through the mail?**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No .....(Go to FG\_Q04)
- DK, RF .....(Go to FG\_Q04)

*Coverage:*      *All respondents*

**FG\_B03**      Execute Giving Specifics Section (GS). If the response to GS\_Q07 in the Giving Specifics Section is 'yes' execute the section again, up to a maximum of 7 iterations.

**FG\_Q04**      **In the past 12 months, did you make a charitable donation...**  
**... by paying to attend a charity event? (Do not include any donations already mentioned.)**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No .....(Go to FG\_Q05)
- DK, RF .....(Go to FG\_Q05)

*Coverage:*      *All respondents*

**FG\_B04**      Execute Giving Specifics Section (GS). If the response to GS\_Q07 in the Giving Specifics Section is 'yes' execute the section again, up to a maximum of 7 iterations.

**FG\_Q05**      **In the past 12 months, did you make a charitable donation...**  
**... by donating in the name of someone who has passed away, or 'in memoriam'? (Do not include any donations already mentioned.)**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No .....(Go to FG\_Q06)
- DK, RF .....(Go to FG\_Q06)

*Coverage:*      *All respondents*

**FG\_B05**      Execute Giving Specifics Section (GS). If the response to GS\_Q07 in the Giving Specifics Section is 'yes' execute the section again, up to a maximum of 7 iterations.

**FG\_Q06**      **In the past 12 months, did you make a charitable donation...**  
**... when asked by someone at work? (Do not include any donations already mentioned.)**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No .....(Go to FG\_Q07)
- DK, RF .....(Go to FG\_Q07)

*Coverage:*      *All respondents*



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**FG\_B06**      Execute Giving Specifics Section (GS). If the response to GS\_Q07 in the Giving Specifics Section is 'yes' execute the section again, up to a maximum of 7 iterations.

**FG\_Q07**      **In the past 12 months, did you make a charitable donation...**  
  
**... when asked by someone doing door-to-door canvassing? Do not include any donations already mentioned.**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No .....(Go to FG\_Q08)
- DK, RF .....(Go to FG\_Q08)

*Coverage:*      *All respondents*

**FG\_B07**      Execute Giving Specifics Section (GS). If the response to GS\_Q07 in the Giving Specifics Section is 'yes' execute the section again, up to a maximum of 7 iterations.

**FG\_Q08**      In the past 12 months, did you make a charitable donation...

**... when asked by someone canvassing for a charitable organization at a shopping centre or on the street? (Do not include any donations already mentioned.)**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No .....(Go to FG\_Q09)
- DK, RF .....(Go to FG\_Q09)

*Coverage:*      *All respondents*

**FG\_B08**      Execute Giving Specifics Section (GS). If the response to GS\_Q07 in the Giving Specifics Section is 'yes' execute the section again, up to a maximum of 7 iterations.

**FG\_Q09**      In the past 12 months, did you make a charitable donation...

**... by responding to a telephone request? (Do not include any donations already mentioned.)**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No .....(Go to FG\_Q10)
- DK, RF .....(Go to FG\_Q10)

*Coverage:*      *All respondents*

**FG\_B09**      Execute Giving Specifics Section (GS). If the response to GS\_Q07 in the Giving Specifics Section is 'yes' execute the section again, up to a maximum of 7 iterations.

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**FG\_Q10** In the past 12 months, did you make a charitable donation...  
**... through a collection at a church, synagogue, mosque or other place of  
worship? (Do not include any donations already mentioned.)**

1 Yes  
2 No .....(Go to FG\_Q11)  
DK, RF .....(Go to FG\_Q11)

Coverage: All respondents

**FG\_B10** Execute Giving Specifics Section (GS). If the response to GS\_Q07 in the Giving Specifics Section is 'yes' execute the section again, up to a maximum of 7 iterations.

**FG\_Q11** In the past 12 months, did you make a charitable donation...  
**... by responding to a television or radio request, or a telethon? (Do not  
include any donations already mentioned.)**

1 Yes  
2 No .....(Go to FG\_Q12)  
DK, RF .....(Go to FG\_Q12)

Coverage: All respondents

**FG\_B11** Execute Giving Specifics Section (GS). If the response to GS\_Q07 in the Giving Specifics Section is 'yes' execute the section again, up to a maximum of 7 iterations.

**FG\_Q12** In the past 12 months, did you make a charitable donation...  
**... by approaching a charitable or non-profit organization on your own? (Do  
not include any donations already mentioned.)**

1 Yes  
2 No .....(Go to FG\_Q13)  
DK, RF .....(Go to FG\_Q13)

Coverage: All respondents

**FG\_B12** Execute Giving Specifics Section (GS). If the response to GS\_Q07 in the Giving Specifics Section is 'yes' execute the section again, up to a maximum of 7 iterations.

**FG\_Q13** In the past 12 months, did you make a charitable donation...  
**... by donating any stocks or stock options to a charitable or non-profit  
organization? (Do not include any donations you have already mentioned.)**

1 Yes  
2 No .....(Go to FG\_Q14)  
DK, RF .....(Go to FG\_Q14)

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**FG\_B13**      Execute Giving Specifics Section (GS). If the response to GS\_Q07 in the Giving Specifics Section is 'yes' execute the section again, up to a maximum of 7 iterations.

**FG\_Q14**      **In the past 12 months, did you make a charitable donation...  
... by sponsoring someone in an event such as a walk-a-thon? (Do not include any donations already mentioned.)**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No .....(Go to FG\_Q15)
- DK, RF .....(Go to FG\_Q15)

*Coverage:*      *All respondents*

**FG\_B14**      Execute Giving Specifics Section (GS). If the response to GS\_Q07 in the Giving Specifics Section is 'yes' execute the section again, up to a maximum of 7 iterations.

**FG\_Q15**      **Were there any other methods in which you gave money to a charitable or non-profit organization? Do not include any donations already mentioned.**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No .....(Go to FG\_ISGIV)
- DK, RF .....(Go to FG\_ISGIV)

*Coverage:*      *All respondents*

**FG\_S15**      Were there any other methods in which you gave money to a charitable or non-profit organization? Do not include any donations already mentioned.

\_\_\_\_(80 spaces)

*Coverage:*      *Respondents who had given money through an other method*

**FG\_B15**      Execute Giving Specifics Section (GS). If the response to GS\_Q07 in the Giving Specifics Section is 'yes' execute the section again, up to a maximum of 7 iterations.

**FG\_ISGIV**    If any 'yes' in FG\_Q03 to FG\_Q15 then FG\_ISGIV=1 (Giver), else FG\_ISGIV=2 (Non-giver).

*Coverage:*      *All respondents*

**FG\_END**      End of Section

**Section:**      **Giving Specifics (GS)**

**GS\_BEG**      Beginning of Section

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**GS\_Q01**      **What is the name of the organization (to which you made a donation in response to this method)?**

DK, RF ..... (Go to GS\_Q02)

Note:            The interviewer had access to a look-up table for a list of organizations.

Coverage:      *Givers*

**GS\_C02**      If a non-match in the look-up table ..... (Go to GS\_Q02)  
Else ..... (Go to GS\_C03)

**GS\_Q02**      **What does this organization do?**

\_\_\_\_\_(80 spaces)  
DK, RF

Coverage:      *Givers who did not provide the name of the organization, or who gave an organization name which was not in the look-up table*

**GS\_C03**      If organization name and/or activity of organization declared ..... (Go to GS\_Q03)  
Else ..... (Go to GS\_END)

**GS\_Q03**      **What was the amount of the donation to this organization?**

\_\_\_\_\_(5 spaces)      [Min: 1 Max: 60000]  
DK, RF

Coverage:      *Givers who gave the name of this organization and/or what the organization does*

**GS\_C04**      If married or common-law ..... (Go to GS\_Q04)  
Else ..... (Go to GS\_Q05)

**GS\_Q04**      **Was this donation made by you personally or jointly with your (spouse/partner)?**

- 1            Personally
- 2            Jointly
- DK, RF

Coverage:      *Givers who gave the name of this organization and/or what the organization does and who were married or in a common-law union*

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**GS\_Q05      What was the payment method?**

- 01      Cash or cheque
- 02      Debit card
- 03      Credit card
- 04      Payroll deduction
- 05      Authorized account deduction
- 06      Other method
- DK, RF

*Coverage:*      *Givers who gave the name of this organization and/or what the organization does*

**GS\_C06**      If Cash or cheque or Payroll deduction is not used..... (Go to GS\_Q06)  
Else..... (Go to GS\_Q07)

**GS\_Q06      Was this done over the Internet?**

- 1      Yes
- 2      No
- DK, RF

*Coverage:*      *Givers who gave the name of this organization and/or what the organization does and who did not use cash or cheque or payroll deduction for this donation*

**GS\_Q07      In the past 12 months did you make any other donations...**

**...(by solicitation method reported in FG\_Q03 to FG\_Q15)?**

- 1      Yes
- 2      No .....(Go to GS\_END)
- DK, RF .....(Go to GS\_END)

*Note:*      For each organization reported, this question asked whether the respondent donated to an additional organization in response to the same method of solicitation.

*Coverage:*      *Givers who gave the name of this organization and/or what the organization does*

**GS\_C08**      If number of iterations=7..... (Go to GS\_Q08)  
Else.....(Go to GS\_END)

**GS\_Q08      What was the amount of all other donations that you made...**

**...(by solicitation method reported in FG\_Q03 to FG\_Q15)?**

\_\_\_\_(5 spaces)      [Min: 1 Max: 60000]  
DK, RF

*Coverage:*      *Givers who gave the name of this organization and/or what the organization does and gave more than 7 times by this solicitation method*

**GS\_C09**      If married or common-law..... (Go to GS\_Q09)  
Else.....(Go to GS\_END)

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**GS\_Q09**      **For the most part, were these donations made by you personally or jointly with your (spouse/partner)?**

- 1              Personally
- 2              Jointly
- DK, RF

*Coverage:*              *Givers who were married or in a common-law union who gave the name of this organization and/or what the organization does and gave more than 7 times by this solicitation method*

**GS\_END**              End of Section

**Section:**              **Decisions on Giving (DG)**

**DG\_BEG**              Beginning of Section

**DG\_C01**              If a giver ..... (Go to DG\_Q01)  
Else ..... (Go to DG\_END)

**DG\_Q01**              **Will you or someone else in your household be claiming an income tax credit for the charitable donations made in the past 12 months?**

- 1              Yes
- 2              No
- DK, RF

*Coverage:*              *Givers*

**DG\_Q02**              **Would you contribute more if the government gave you a better tax credit for your donations?**

- 1              Yes
- 2              No
- DK, RF

*Coverage:*              *Givers*

**DG\_Q03**              **Do you decide in advance the total amount of money you will donate to charitable organizations annually?**

- 1              Yes
- 2              No
- DK, RF

*Coverage:*              *Givers*

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**DG\_Q04**      **For the larger donations, do you decide in advance to which organizations you will give or do you make decisions in response to someone asking you?**

- 1            Decide in advance
- 2            Respond to someone asking
- 3            Both  
              DK, RF

*Coverage:*      *Givers*

**DG\_Q05**      **Which of the following statements best describes your pattern of giving to charitable or non-profit organizations?**

- 1            **I always donate to the same organizations**
- 2            **I vary the organizations to which I donate**
- 3            **Both**  
              DK, RF

*Coverage:*      *Givers*

**DG\_Q06**      **Have you included a donation to a charitable or non-profit organization through a bequest in your current will or through another financial planning instrument, such as an insurance product?**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No  
              DK, RF

*Coverage:*      *Givers*

**DG\_END**      End of Section

**Section:**      **Reasons for Giving (RG)**

**RG\_BEG**      Beginning of Section

**RG\_C01**      If a giver ..... (Go to RG\_Q01)  
                  Else ..... (Go to RG\_END)

**RG\_Q01**      **People make financial donations to charitable or non-profit organizations for a number of reasons. In the past 12 months, please tell me whether the following reasons were important to you...**

**You or someone you know has been personally affected by the cause the organization supports.**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No  
              DK, RF

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**RG\_Q02** People make financial donations to charitable or non-profit organizations for a number of reasons. In the past 12 months, please tell me whether the following reasons were important to you...

**The government will give you a credit on your income taxes.**

- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
- DK, RF

*Coverage:* Givers

**RG\_Q03** People make financial donations to charitable or non-profit organizations for a number of reasons. In the past 12 months, please tell me whether the following reasons were important to you...

**To fulfill religious obligations or other beliefs.**

- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
- DK, RF

*Coverage:* Givers

**RG\_Q04** People make financial donations to charitable or non-profit organizations for a number of reasons. In the past 12 months, please tell me whether the following reasons were important to you...

**To help a cause in which you personally believed.**

- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
- DK, RF

*Coverage:* Givers

**RG\_Q05** People make financial donations to charitable or non-profit organizations for a number of reasons. In the past 12 months, please tell me whether the following reasons were important to you...

**You felt compassion towards people in need.**

- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
- DK, RF

*Coverage:* Givers



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**RG\_Q06** People make financial donations to charitable or non-profit organizations for a number of reasons. In the past 12 months, please tell me whether the following reasons were important to you...

**You wanted to make a contribution to the community.**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No  
DK, RF

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**RG\_END** End of Section

**Section: Reasons for Not Giving more (NG)**

**NG\_BEG** Beginning of Section

**NG\_C01** If a giver ..... (Go to NG\_Q01)  
Else ..... (Go to NG\_END)

**NG\_Q01** There are also many factors that limit the amount of money people can or wish to donate. Thinking about the past 12 months, please tell me if any of the following statements are reasons that you did not donate more.

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**NG\_Q02** Thinking about the past 12 months, please tell me if any of the following statements are reasons why you did not donate more.

**You were happy with what you already gave.**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No  
DK, RF

Coverage: Givers

**NG\_Q03** Thinking about the past 12 months, please tell me if any of the following statements are reasons why you did not (make a financial donation/donate more).

**You could not afford to give a larger donation.**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No  
DK, RF

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**NG\_Q04** Thinking about the past 12 months, please tell me if any of the following statements are reasons why you did not (make a financial donation/donate more).

**Because no one asked you.**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No  
DK, RF

Coverage: Givers

**NG\_Q05** Thinking about the past 12 months, please tell me if any of the following statements are reasons why you did not (make a financial donation/donate more).

**You did not know where to make a contribution.**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No  
DK, RF

Coverage: Givers

**NG\_Q06** Thinking about the past 12 months, please tell me if any of the following statements are reasons why you did not (make a financial donation/donate more).

**It was hard to find a cause worth supporting.**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No  
DK, RF

Coverage: Givers

**NG\_Q07** Thinking about the past 12 months, please tell me if any of the following statements are reasons why you did not (make a financial donation/donate more).

**You gave voluntary time instead of money.**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No  
DK, RF

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**NG\_Q08** Thinking about the past 12 months, please tell me if any of the following statements are reasons why you did not (make a financial donation/donate more).

**You felt that you already gave enough money directly to people on your own, instead of through an organization.**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No  
DK, RF

Coverage: *Givers*

**NG\_Q09** Thinking about the past 12 months, please tell me if any of the following statements are reasons why you did not (make a financial donation/donate more).

**You did not think the money would be used efficiently.**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No  
DK, RF

Coverage: *Givers*

**NG\_Q10** Thinking about the past 12 months, please tell me if any of the following statements are reasons why you did not (make a financial donation/donate more).

**You did not like the way in which requests were made for donations.**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No ..... (Go to NG\_Q12)  
DK, RF ..... (Go to NG\_Q12)

Coverage: *Givers*

**NG\_Q11** **What did you not like about the way requests were made? (Mark all that apply.)**

- 1 The time of day requests were made
- 2 The frequency or volume of requests
- 3 The tone in which requests were made (e.g., rude, obnoxious, demanding)
- 4 Multiple requests from one organization
- 5 Other  
DK, RF

Coverage: *Givers who did not like the way in which requests were made for donations*

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**NG\_Q12**      **Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with the following statement.**

**There seem to be so many organizations seeking donations for one cause or another, sometimes I don't feel like giving to any organizations.**

- 1      Agree
- 2      Disagree
- DK, RF

*Coverage:*      *Givers*

**NG\_END**      End of Section

**Section:**      **Other Giving (OG)**

**OG\_BEG**      Beginning of Section

**OG\_Q01**      **Now I have some questions about other ways of making charitable contributions.**

**In the past 12 months, did you give any food to a charitable or non-profit organization such as a food bank?**

- 1      Yes
- 2      No
- DK, RF

*Coverage:*      *All respondents*

**OG\_Q02**      **In the past 12 months, did you give any clothing, toys or household goods to a charitable or non-profit organization such as Neighbourhood Services, the Salvation Army or St. Vincent de Paul?**

- 1      Yes
- 2      No
- DK, RF

*Coverage:*      *All respondents*

**OG\_END**      End of Section

**Section:**      **Youth Experiences and Attitudes (EA)**

**EA\_BEG**      Beginning of Section

**EA\_C01**      If FV\_ISVOL=1 or 2 .....(Go to EA\_Q01)  
Else .....(Go to EA\_END)

**EA\_Q01**      **Now I have a few questions about your experiences when you were in grade school or high school.**

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**EA\_Q02**      **Did you participate in an organized team sport such as a baseball or hockey league?**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No  
              DK, RF

*Coverage:*      *All respondents*

**EA\_Q03**      **Did you belong to a youth group such as guides, scouts, a 4-H club, or a choir?**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No  
              DK, RF

*Coverage:*      *All respondents*

**EA\_Q04**      **When you were in grade school or high school, did you do some kind of volunteer work?**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No  
              DK, RF

*Coverage:*      *All respondents*

**EA\_Q05**      **When you were in grade school or high school, did you personally see someone you admired helping others?**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No  
              DK, RF

*Coverage:*      *All respondents*

**EA\_Q06**      **When you were in grade school or high school, did you go door-to-door to raise money for a cause or organization?**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No  
              DK, RF

*Coverage:*      *All respondents*

**EA\_Q07**      **When you were in grade school or high school, were you active in student government?**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No  
              DK, RF

*Coverage:*      *All respondents*

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**EA\_Q08**      When you were in grade school or high school, **were you active in a religious organization such as a church, synagogue or a mosque?**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No  
              DK, RF

*Coverage:*      *All respondents*

**EA\_Q09**      **Did one or both of your parents do volunteer work in the community?**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No  
              DK, RF

*Coverage:*      *All respondents*

**EA\_END**      End of Section

**Section:**      **Health in General (HG)**

**HG\_BEG**      Beginning of Section

**HG\_Q01**      **In general, would you say that your health is ... ?**

- 1            **Excellent**
- 2            **Very good**
- 3            **Good**
- 4            **Fair**
- 5            **Poor**  
              DK, RF

*Coverage:*      *All respondents*

**HG\_Q02**      **How satisfied are you with your life in general?**

- 1            **Very satisfied**
- 2            **Somewhat satisfied**
- 3            **Somewhat dissatisfied**
- 4            **Very dissatisfied**  
              DK, RF

*Coverage:*      *All respondents*

**HG\_END**      End of Section

**Section:**      **Education (ED)**

**ED\_BEG**      Beginning of Section

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**ED\_Q01**      **Now, some questions about your education.**

**Are you currently attending a school, college or university?**

1            Yes  
2            No .....(Go to ED\_Q03)  
              DK, RF .....(Go to ED\_Q03)

Coverage:      *All respondents*

**ED\_Q02**      **Are you enrolled as a full-time or a part-time student?**

1            Full-time  
2            Part-time  
              DK, RF

Coverage:      *Respondents who were attending school, college or university at the time of the interview*

**ED\_Q03**      **What is the highest grade of elementary or high school you ever completed?**

1            Grade 8 or lower (Quebec: Secondary II or lower) .....(Go to ED\_Q05)  
2            Grade 9 - 10 (Quebec: Secondary III or IV, Newfoundland and Labrador: 1st year of secondary) .....(Go to ED\_Q05)  
3            Grade 11 - 13 (Quebec: Secondary V, Newfoundland and Labrador: 2nd to 4th year of secondary)  
              DK, RF .....(Go to ED\_Q05)

Coverage:      *All respondents*

**ED\_Q04**      **Did you graduate from high school (secondary school)?**

1            Yes  
2            No  
              DK, RF

Coverage:      *Respondents who had completed grade 11-13 or equivalent*

**ED\_Q05**      **Have you received any other education that could be counted towards a degree, certificate or diploma from an educational institution?**

1            Yes  
2            No .....(Go to ED\_END)  
              DK, RF .....(Go to ED\_END)

Coverage:      *All respondents*

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<b>ED_Q06</b>	<b>What is the highest degree, certificate or diploma you have obtained?</b>
01	No post-secondary degree, certificate or diploma
02	Trade certificate or diploma from a vocational school or apprenticeship training
03	Non-university certificate or diploma from a community college, CEGEP, school of nursing, etc.
04	University certificate below bachelor's level
05	Bachelor's degree
06	University degree or certificate above bachelor's degree
	DK, RF
<i>Coverage:</i>	<i>Respondents who had received other education that could be counted towards a degree, certificate or diploma</i>
<b>ED_END</b>	End of Section
<b>Section:</b>	<b>Labour Force (LF)</b>
<b>LF_BEG</b>	Beginning of Section
<b>LF_C01</b>	If aged 15 to 75..... (Go to LF_Q01) Else.....(Go to LF_END)
<b>LF_Q01</b>	<b>The next few questions are about work activities in the last 7 days.</b>
	<b>Last week, did you work at a job or a business? Please include part-time jobs, seasonal work, contract work, self-employment, baby-sitting and any other paid work, regardless of the number of hours worked.</b>
1	Yes..... (Go to LF_Q05)
2	No
3	Permanently unable to work.....(Go to LF_END)
	DK, RF .....(Go to LF_END)
<i>Coverage:</i>	<i>Respondents aged 15 to 75</i>
<b>LF_Q02</b>	<b>Last week, did you have a job or business from which you were absent?</b>
1	Yes..... (Go to LF_Q05)
2	No
	DK, RF .....(Go to LF_END)
<i>Coverage:</i>	<i>Respondents aged 15 to 75 who hadn't worked during the preceding week but were not permanently unable to work</i>
<b>LF_Q03</b>	<b>In the past 4 weeks, did you do anything to find work?</b>
1	Yes
2	No
	DK, RF
<i>Coverage:</i>	<i>Respondents aged 15 to 75 who hadn't worked during the preceding week but were not permanently unable to work and did not have a job or business from which they were absent</i>



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**LF\_Q04      What is the main reason that you are not currently working at a job or business?**

- 01      Own illness or disability
  - 02      Caring for - own children
  - 03      Caring for - elder relatives
  - 04      Pregnancy
  - 05      Other personal or family responsibilities
  - 06      Vacation
  - 07      School or educational leave
  - 08      Retired
  - 09      Believes no work available (in area or suited to skills)
  - 10      Other
- DK, RF

Default:      (Go to LF\_END)

Note:          For male respondents Code 04 "Pregnancy" was not displayed.

Coverage:      *Respondents aged 15 to 75 who hadn't worked during the preceding week but were not permanently unable to work and did not have a job or business from which they were absent*

**LF\_Q05      For whom do you currently work? (For example: name of business, government department or agency, or person)**

\_\_\_\_\_(50 spaces)  
DK, RF

Note:          Respondents who held more than one job were asked to report on the job for which the number of hours worked per week was the greatest.

Coverage:      *Employed respondents aged 15 to 75*

**LF\_Q06      What kind of business, industry or service is this? (For example: cardboard box manufacturing, road maintenance, retail shoe store, secondary school, dairy farm, municipal government)**

\_\_\_\_\_(50 spaces)  
DK, RF

Coverage:      *Employed respondents aged 15 to 75*

**LF\_Q07      What kind of work are you doing in this job or business? (For example: babysitting in own home, factory worker, forestry technician)**

\_\_\_\_\_(50 spaces)  
DK, RF

Coverage:      *Employed respondents aged 15 to 75*

**LF\_Q08      What are your most important activities or duties? (For example: caring for children, stamp press machine operator, forest examiner)**

\_\_\_\_\_(50 spaces)  
DK, RF

Coverage:      *Employed respondents aged 15 to 75*

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**LF\_C09** If last week had a job, but was absent ..... (Go to LF\_Q09)  
Else ..... (Go to LF\_Q10)

**LF\_Q09** **What was the main reason you were absent from work last week?**

- 01 Own illness or disability
- 02 Caring for - own children
- 03 Caring for - elder relatives
- 04 Maternity/Paternity Leave
- 05 Other personal or family responsibilities
- 06 Vacation
- 07 Labour dispute (strike or lockout)
- 08 Temporary layoff due to business conditions
- 09 Seasonal layoff
- 10 Casual job, no work available
- 11 Work schedule (e.g. shift work, etc.)
- 12 Self-employed, no work available
- 13 Seasonal business
- 14 School or educational leave
- 15 Other  
DK, RF

*Coverage:* Respondents aged 15 to 75 who were employed but were absent from work the week prior to interview

**LF\_Q10** **On average, how many hours do you usually work per week at your job or business? If you usually work extra hours, paid or unpaid, please include these hours.**

\_\_\_\_(3 spaces) [Min: 1 Max: 168]  
DK, RF

*Coverage:* Employed respondents aged 15 to 75

**LF\_END** End of Section

**Section:** **Postal Code (PC)**

**PC\_BEG** Beginning of Section

**PC\_C01** If FV\_ISVOL=1 or 2 .....(Go to PC\_Q01)  
Else .....(Go to PC\_END)

**PC\_Q01** **To determine which geographic region you live in, could you tell me your postal code?**

\_\_\_\_(6 spaces)  
DK, RF .....(Go to PC\_Q02)

*Coverage:* All respondents

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**PC\_C02** If PC\_Q01 province = sample file province .....(Go to PC\_END)  
Else.....(Go to PC\_Q02)

**PC\_Q02 Do you live in [sample file province]?**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No .....(Go to PC\_END)
- DK, RF .....(Go to PC\_END)

*Coverage: All respondents who's postal code does not match the sample file's province of residence*

**PC\_C03** If PC\_Q01 = DK/RF .....(Go to PC\_END)

**PC\_Q03 I would like to confirm that I have the correct postal code. Is it [PC\_Q01]?**

- 1 Yes.....(Go to PC\_END)
- 2 No
- DK, RF .....(Go to PC\_END)

*Coverage: All respondents who's postal code does not match the sample file's province of residence*

**PC\_Q04 What is your correct postal code?**

\_\_\_\_(6 spaces)

DK, RF .....(Go to PC\_END)

*Coverage: All respondents who's postal code does not match the sample file's province of residence*

**PC\_C05** PC\_Q04 province = sample file province .....(Go to PC\_END)  
Else.....(Go to PC\_END)

**PC\_END** End of Section

**Section: Socio-demographics (SD)**

**SD\_BEG** Beginning of Section

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- SD\_Q01**      **What, if any, is your religion?**
- 01      No religion (Agnostic, Atheist) .....(Go to SD\_Q03)
  - 02      Catholic - Roman Catholic
  - 03      Catholic - Ukrainian
  - 04      Catholic - Other
  - 05      Protestant - United Church
  - 06      Protestant - Anglican
  - 07      Protestant - Presbyterian
  - 08      Protestant - Lutheran
  - 09      Protestant - Baptist
  - 10      Protestant - Pentecostal
  - 11      Protestant - Other
  - 12      Eastern orthodox
  - 13      Jewish
  - 14      Islam (Muslim)
  - 15      Buddhist
  - 16      Hindu
  - 17      Sikh
  - 18      Jehovah's Witnesses
  - 19      Other ..... (Go to SD\_S01)  
DK, RF

Default:      (Go to SD\_Q02)

Coverage:      *All respondents*

- SD\_S01**      **What, if any, is your religion?**
- \_\_\_\_\_ (80 spaces)

Coverage:      *Respondents who had reported an other religion*

- SD\_Q02**      **In the past 12 months, other than on special occasions (such as weddings, funerals or baptisms), how often have you attended religious services or meetings?**
- 1      **At least once a week**
  - 2      **At least once a month**
  - 3      **At least 3 or 4 times a year**
  - 4      **Only once or twice a year**
  - 5      **Not at all**  
DK, RF

Coverage:      *Respondents who reported a religious affiliation*

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- SD\_Q03**      **In what country were you born?**
- 01      Canada .....(Go to SD\_C07)
  - 02      China (People's Republic of)
  - 03      El Salvador
  - 04      Hong Kong
  - 05      India
  - 06      Iran
  - 07      Lebanon
  - 08      Philippines
  - 09      Poland
  - 10      Portugal
  - 11      South Korea
  - 12      Sri Lanka
  - 13      Taiwan
  - 14      United Kingdom (e.g., England, Scotland, Wales, Northern Ireland)
  - 15      United States
  - 16      Viet Nam
  - 17      Other - Specify.....(Go to SD\_S03)
  - DK, RF .....(Go to SD\_C07)

Default:      (Go to SD\_Q04)

Coverage:      *All respondents*

**SD\_S03**      **In what country were you born?**

\_\_\_\_(80 spaces)

Coverage:      *Respondents who were born in another country*

**SD\_Q04**      **Of what country are you a citizen? (Mark all that apply.)**

- 1      Canada, by naturalization
- 2      Same as country of birth
- 3      Other country
- DK, RF

Coverage:      *Respondents who were not born in Canada*

**SD\_Q05**      **Are you now, or have you ever been a landed immigrant to Canada?**

- 1      Yes
- 2      No .....(Go to SD\_C07)
- DK, RF .....(Go to SD\_C07)

Coverage:      *Respondents who were not born in Canada*

**SD\_Q06**      **In what year did you first immigrate to Canada?**

\_\_\_\_(4 spaces)      [Min: 1870 Max: 2007]  
DK, RF

Coverage:      *Respondents not born in Canada who were or had once been landed immigrants*

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**SD\_C07** If immigrated in 2007 .....(Go to SD\_Q08)  
Else.....(Go to SD\_Q07)

**SD\_Q07** How long have you resided in your community?

- 1 Less than 1 year
  - 2 1 to less than 3 years
  - 3 3 to less than 5 years
  - 4 5 to less than 10 years
  - 5 10 years or more
- DK, RF

*Coverage:* All respondents, excluding those who immigrated in 2007

**SD\_Q08** To which ethnic or cultural group(s) did your ancestors belong? (For example: French, Scottish, Chinese, South Asian, Haitian) (Mark all that apply.)

- 01 Canadian
  - 02 Chinese
  - 03 Dutch (Netherlands)
  - 04 East Indian
  - 05 English
  - 06 French
  - 07 German
  - 08 Inuit/Eskimo
  - 09 Irish
  - 10 Italian
  - 11 Jewish
  - 12 Métis
  - 13 North American Indian
  - 14 Norwegian
  - 15 Filipino
  - 16 Polish
  - 17 Portuguese
  - 18 Russian
  - 19 Ukrainian
  - 20 Scottish
  - 21 Welsh
  - 22 Other - Specify..... (Go to SD\_S08)
- DK, RF

Default: (Go to SD\_Q09)

*Coverage:* All respondents

**SD\_S08** To which ethnic or cultural group(s) did your ancestors belong? (For example: French, Scottish, Chinese, South Asian, Haitian)

\_\_\_\_(80 spaces)

*Coverage:* Respondents who had ancestors belonging to another ethnic or cultural group

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**SD\_Q09**      **What language do you speak most often at home?**

- 1            English
- 2            French
- 3            Other  
              DK, RF

*Coverage:*      *All respondents*

**SD\_Q10**      **What is the language that you first learned at home in childhood and can still understand? (Mark all that apply.)**

- 1            English
- 2            French
- 3            Other  
              DK, RF

*Coverage:*      *All respondents*

**SD\_Q11**      **Are you an Aboriginal person, that is, North American Indian, Métis or Inuit?**

- 1            Yes
- 2            No .....(Go to SD\_END)  
              DK, RF .....(Go to SD\_END)

*Coverage:*      *All respondents*

**SD\_Q12**      **Are you ...? (Mark all that apply.)**

- 1            North American Indian
- 2            Métis
- 3            Inuit (Eskimo)  
              DK, RF

*Coverage:*      *Respondents who are Aboriginal persons*

**SD\_END**      End of Section

**Section:**      **Income (IN)**

**IN\_BEG**      Beginning of Section

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**IN\_Q01**      **Thinking about the total income for all household members, from which of the following sources did your household receive any income in the past 12 months?**

01      **Wages and salaries**  
02      **Income from self-employment**  
03      **Dividends and interest (e.g., on bonds, savings)**  
04      **Employment insurance**  
05      **Workers' compensation**  
06      **Benefits from Canada or Quebec Pension Plan**  
07      **Retirement pensions, superannuation and annuities**  
08      **Old Age Security or Guaranteed Income Supplement**  
09      **Child Tax Benefit**  
10      **Provincial or municipal social assistance or welfare**  
11      **Child support**  
12      **Alimony**  
13      **Other (e.g., rental income, scholarships)**  
DK, RF ..... (Go to IN\_END)

Coverage:      *All respondents*

**IN\_C02**      If more than one source of income is selected in IN\_Q01 .....(Go to IN\_Q02)  
Else.....(Go to IN\_Q03)

**IN\_Q02**      **What was the main source of income?**

01      Wages and salaries  
02      Income from self-employment  
03      Dividends and interest (e.g., on bonds, savings)  
04      Employment insurance  
05      Workers' compensation  
06      Benefits from Canada or Quebec Pension Plan  
07      Retirement pensions, superannuation and annuities  
08      Old Age Security and Guaranteed Income Supplement  
09      Child Tax Benefit  
10      Provincial or municipal social assistance or welfare  
11      Child support  
12      Alimony  
13      Other (e.g., rental income, scholarships)  
DK, RF

Coverage:      *Respondents who reported more than one source of household income*

**IN\_Q03**      **What is your best estimate of the total income, before taxes and deductions, of all household members from all sources in the past 12 months?**

\_\_\_\_(7 spaces)      [Min:    0 Max: 2000000]

Coverage:      *All respondents except those who did not know or refused to provide source of household income*



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**IN\_C03A** If Don't Know or Refusal in IN\_Q03.....(Go to IN\_Q03A)  
If IN\_Q03=0 ..... (Go to IN\_END)  
Else..... (Go to IN\_C04)

**IN\_Q03A** **Can you estimate in which of the following groups your household income falls? Was the total household income less than \$20,000 or \$20,000 or more?**

- 1 Less than \$20,000
- 2 \$20,000 or more ..... (Go to IN\_Q03E)  
DK, RF ..... (Go to IN\_END)

*Coverage: Respondents who did not know or refused to provide an exact estimate of total household income*

**IN\_Q03B** **Was the total household income less than \$10,000 or \$10,000 or more?**

- 1 Less than \$10,000
- 2 \$10,000 or more ..... (Go to IN\_Q03D)  
DK, RF ..... (Go to IN\_C04)

*Coverage: Respondents who did not know or refused to provide an exact estimate of total household income, but said it was less than \$20,000*

**IN\_Q03C** **Was the total household income less than \$5,000 or \$5,000 or more?**

- 1 Less than \$5,000
- 2 \$5,000 or more  
DK, RF

**Default:** (Go to IN\_C04)

*Coverage: Respondents who did not know or refused to provide an exact estimate of total household income, but said it was less than \$10,000*

**IN\_Q03D** **Was the total household income less than \$15,000 or \$15,000 or more?**

- 1 Less than \$15,000
- 2 \$15,000 or more  
DK, RF

**Default:** (Go to IN\_C04)

*Coverage: Respondents who did not know or refused to provide an exact estimate of total household income, but said it was \$10,000 to less than \$20,000*

**IN\_Q03E** **Was the total household income less than \$40,000 or \$40,000 or more?**

- 1 Less than \$40,000
- 2 \$40,000 or more ..... (Go to IN\_Q03G)  
DK, RF ..... (Go to IN\_C04)

*Coverage: Respondents who did not know or refused to provide an exact estimate of total household income, but said it was \$20,000 or more*

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**IN\_Q03F** Was the total household income less than \$30,000 or \$30,000 or more?

- 1 Less than \$30,000
- 2 \$30,000 or more  
DK, RF

Default: (Go to IN\_C04)

Coverage: *Respondents who did not know or refused to provide an exact estimate of total household income, but said it was \$20,000 to less than \$40,000*

**IN\_Q03G** Was the total household income...?

- 01 Less than \$50,000
- 02 \$50,000 to less than \$60,000
- 03 \$60,000 to less than \$80,000
- 04 \$80,000 to less than \$100,000
- 05 \$100,000 to less than \$150,000
- 06 \$150,000 to less than \$200,000
- 07 \$200,000 or more  
DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents who did not know or refused to provide an exact estimate of total household income, but said it was \$40,000 or more*

**IN\_C04** If there is more than 1 person in the household who is 15 or older (Go to IN\_Q04)  
Else ..... (Go to IN\_END)

**IN\_Q04** What is your best estimate of your total personal income, before taxes and deductions, from all sources in the past 12 months?

\_\_\_\_(7 spaces) [Min: 0 Max: 2000000]

Coverage: *Respondents with more than one person aged 15 or older in their household*

**IN\_C04A** If Don't Know or Refusal in IN\_Q04.....(Go to IN\_Q04A)  
Else ..... (Go to IN\_END)

**IN\_Q04A** Can you estimate in which of the following groups your personal income falls? Was your total personal income less than \$20,000 or \$20,000 or more?

- 1 Less than \$20,000
- 2 \$20,000 or more .....(Go to IN\_Q04E)
- DK, RF ..... (Go to IN\_END)

Coverage: *Respondents with more than one person aged 15 or older in their household, who did not know or refused to provide an exact estimate of total personal income*

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**IN\_Q04B      Was your total personal income less than \$10,000 or \$10,000 or more?**

- 1            Less than \$10,000
- 2            \$10,000 or more ..... (Go to IN\_Q04D)
- DK, RF ..... (Go to IN\_END)

Coverage:            *Respondents with more than one person aged 15 or older in their household, who did not know or refused to provide an exact estimate of total personal income, but said it was less than \$20,000*

**IN\_Q04C      Was your total personal income less than \$5,000 or \$5,000 or more?**

- 1            Less than \$5,000
- 2            \$5,000 or more
- DK, RF

Default:            (Go to IN\_END)

Coverage:            *Respondents with more than one person aged 15 or older in their household, who did not know or refused to provide an exact estimate of total personal income, but said it was less than \$10,000*

**IN\_Q04D      Was your total personal income less than \$15,000 or \$15,000 or more?**

- 1            Less than \$15,000
- 2            \$15,000 or more
- DK, RF

Default:            (Go to IN\_END)

Coverage:            *Respondents with more than one person aged 15 or older in their household, who did not know or refused to provide an exact estimate of total personal income, but said it was \$10,000 to less than \$20,000*

**IN\_Q04E      Was your total personal income less than \$40,000 or \$40,000 or more?**

- 1            Less than \$40,000
- 2            \$40,000 or more ..... (Go to IN\_Q04G)
- DK, RF ..... (Go to IN\_END)

Coverage:            *Respondents with more than one person aged 15 or older in their household, who did not know or refused to provide an exact estimate of total personal income, but said it was \$20,000 or more*

**IN\_Q04F      Was your total personal income less than \$30,000 or \$30,000 or more?**

- 1            Less than \$30,000
- 2            \$30,000 or more
- DK, RF

Default:            (Go to IN\_END)

Coverage:            *Respondents with more than one person aged 15 or older in their household, who did not know or refused to provide an exact estimate of total personal income, but said it was \$20,000 or more to less than \$40,000*

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**IN\_Q04G**      Was your total personal income ... ?

- 01      **Less than \$50,000**
  - 02      **\$50,000 to less than \$60,000**
  - 03      **\$60,000 to less than \$80,000**
  - 04      **\$80,000 to less than \$100,000**
  - 05      **\$100,000 to less than \$150,000**
  - 06      **\$150,000 to less than \$200,000**
  - 07      **\$200,000 or more**
- DK, RF

Coverage:      *Respondents with more than one person aged 15 or older in their household, who did not know or refused to provide an exact estimate of total personal income, but said it was \$40,000 or more*

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