

# General Social Survey

## Questionnaire on Education, Work and Retirement. GSS 9-2

Hello, I'm "name of interviewer" from Statistics Canada. We are calling you for a survey on education, work and retirement. All information we collect in this voluntary survey will be kept strictly confidential. Your participation is essential if the survey results are to be accurate.

### SECTION A : EDUCATION SCREEN

**A2. First I would like to ask you some questions about your education.**

**A3. Excluding kindergarten, how many years of elementary and high school education have you successfully completed?**

No schooling . . . . .	<sup>00</sup> 0	D19
One to five years . . . . .	<sup>01</sup> 0	A5
Six . . . . .	<sup>06</sup> 0	A5
Seven . . . . .	<sup>07</sup> 0	A5
Eight . . . . .	<sup>08</sup> 0	A5
Nine . . . . .	<sup>09</sup> 0	A5
Ten . . . . .	<sup>10</sup> 0	
Eleven . . . . .	<sup>11</sup> 0	
Twelve . . . . .	<sup>12</sup> 0	
Thirteen . . . . .	<sup>13</sup> 0	
Don't know . . . . .	<sup>x</sup> 0	
Refused . . . . .	<sup>r</sup> 0	

**A4. Have you graduated from high school?**

Yes . . . . .	<sup>1</sup> 0	A8
No . . . . .	<sup>3</sup> 0	
Don't know . . . . .	<sup>x</sup> 0	A12
Refused . . . . .	<sup>r</sup> 0	A12

**A5. Are you currently working towards elementary or high school graduation?**

- Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0
- No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0 A7
- Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0 A8
- Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0 A8

**A6. Is it an elementary or a high school graduation?**

- Elementary ..... <sup>1</sup> 0
- High school ..... <sup>2</sup> 0
- Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

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**A7. What was the MOST IMPORTANT REASON why you did not continue or finish elementary or high school?**

(Enter one only)

- No main reason ..... <sup>00</sup> 0
- School related reasons
  - Boredom ..... <sup>01</sup> 0
  - Problems with school work . . . <sup>02</sup> 0
  - Teacher problems ..... <sup>03</sup> 0
  - Bad results ..... <sup>04</sup> 0
  - Expelled ..... <sup>05</sup> 0
  - Skipped classes ..... <sup>06</sup> 0
- Personal or family reasons
  - Pregnancy/take care of children ..... <sup>07</sup> 0
  - Marriage ..... <sup>08</sup> 0
  - Lack of time ..... <sup>09</sup> 0
  - Problems at home ..... <sup>10</sup> 0
  - Drug and alcohol problems ..... <sup>11</sup> 0
  - To help at home ..... <sup>12</sup> 0
  - Own illness, disability or accident ..... <sup>13</sup> 0
- Work related reasons
  - Had to work/financial reasons ..... <sup>14</sup> 0
  - Preferred work to school . . . <sup>15</sup> 0
  - Other reasons ..... <sup>16</sup> 0
- (specify)
  - Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0
  - Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**A8. In which province or territory did you attend most of your elementary and high school studies/schooling?**

Newfoundland . . . . .	<sup>10</sup> 0
Prince Edward Island . . . . .	<sup>11</sup> 0
Nova Scotia . . . . .	<sup>12</sup> 0
New Brunswick . . . . .	<sup>13</sup> 0
Quebec . . . . .	<sup>14</sup> 0
Ontario . . . . .	<sup>15</sup> 0
Manitoba . . . . .	<sup>16</sup> 0
Saskatchewan . . . . .	<sup>17</sup> 0
Alberta . . . . .	<sup>18</sup> 0
British Columbia . . . . .	<sup>19</sup> 0
Yukon Territory . . . . .	<sup>20</sup> 0
Northwest Territories . . . . .	<sup>21</sup> 0
Foreign Country . . . . .	<sup>22</sup> 0
China . . . . .	<sup>01</sup> 0
England . . . . .	<sup>02</sup> 0
France . . . . .	<sup>03</sup> 0
Germany . . . . .	<sup>04</sup> 0
Haiti . . . . .	<sup>05</sup> 0
Holland . . . . .	<sup>06</sup> 0
India . . . . .	<sup>07</sup> 0
Ireland . . . . .	<sup>08</sup> 0
Italy . . . . .	<sup>09</sup> 0
Jamaica . . . . .	<sup>10</sup> 0
Philippines . . . . .	<sup>11</sup> 0
Poland . . . . .	<sup>12</sup> 0
Portugal . . . . .	<sup>13</sup> 0
Scotland . . . . .	<sup>14</sup> 0
United States . . . . .	<sup>15</sup> 0
Commonwealth of Soviet States . . . . .	<sup>16</sup> 0
Other . . . . .	<sup>17</sup> 0
(specify)	
Don't know . . . . .	<sup>x</sup> 0
Refused . . . . .	<sup>r</sup> 0

**A9. Which languages were used for teaching your courses, excluding language courses?**

English . . . . .	<sup>1</sup> 0
French . . . . .	<sup>2</sup> 0
Other . . . . .	<sup>3</sup> 0
(specify)	
Don't know . . . . .	<sup>x</sup> 0
Refused . . . . .	<sup>r</sup> 0

If more than one language is declared, go to A10 otherwise go to A11.

**A10. Which was used most often?**

English <sup>1</sup> 0  
French ..... <sup>2</sup> 0  
Other <sup>3</sup> 0  
(specify)  
  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**A11. Have you had any further schooling beyond high school?**

Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0  
No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0 C1  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0 C1  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0 C1

**A12. In which province or territory did you undertake your last educational program, completed or not?**

Newfoundland . . . . .	<sup>10</sup> 0
Prince Edward Island . . . . .	<sup>11</sup> 0
Nova Scotia . . . . .	<sup>12</sup> 0
New Brunswick . . . . .	<sup>13</sup> 0
Quebec . . . . .	<sup>14</sup> 0
Ontario . . . . .	<sup>15</sup> 0
Manitoba . . . . .	<sup>16</sup> 0
Saskatchewan . . . . .	<sup>17</sup> 0
Alberta . . . . .	<sup>18</sup> 0
British Columbia . . . . .	<sup>19</sup> 0
Yukon Territory . . . . .	<sup>20</sup> 0
Northwest Territories . . . . .	<sup>21</sup> 0
Foreign Country . . . . .	<sup>22</sup> 0
China . . . . .	<sup>23</sup> 0
England . . . . .	<sup>02</sup> 0
France . . . . .	<sup>03</sup> 0
Germany . . . . .	<sup>04</sup> 0
Haiti . . . . .	<sup>05</sup> 0
Holland . . . . .	<sup>06</sup> 0
India . . . . .	<sup>07</sup> 0
Ireland . . . . .	<sup>08</sup> 0
Italy . . . . .	<sup>09</sup> 0
Jamaica . . . . .	<sup>10</sup> 0
Philippines . . . . .	<sup>11</sup> 0
Poland . . . . .	<sup>12</sup> 0
Portugal . . . . .	<sup>13</sup> 0
Scotland . . . . .	<sup>14</sup> 0
United States . . . . .	<sup>15</sup> 0
Commonwealth of Soviet States . . . . .	<sup>16</sup> 0
Other . . . . .	<sup>17</sup> 0
(specify)	
Don't know . . . . .	<sup>x</sup> 0
Refused . . . . .	<sup>r</sup> 0

**A13. Which languages WERE/ARE USED for teaching your courses at this level, excluding language courses?**

English ..... <sup>1</sup> 0  
French ..... <sup>2</sup> 0  
Other ..... <sup>3</sup> 0  
(specify)

Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

If more than one language is declared, go to A14 otherwise go to A15

**A14. Which was used most often?**

English <sup>1</sup> 0  
French ..... <sup>2</sup> 0  
Other ..... <sup>3</sup> 0  
(specify)

Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**A15. What is the highest level of education that you have ATTAINED?** (Enter one only and verify whether or not studies have been completed)

- Earned doctorate (e.g. Ph.D., D.Sc., D.Ed.) . . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0 A20
- Some graduate studies at doctorate level . . . . . <sup>2</sup> 0 A16
- Master's degree (e.g. M.A., M.Sc., M.Ed.) . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0 A20
- Some graduate studies at Master's level . . . . . <sup>4</sup> 0 A16
- University certificate or diploma above bachelor level . . . . . <sup>5</sup> 0 A20
- First professional degree in medicine (M.D.), dentistry (D.D.S., D.M.D.), veterinary medicine (D.V.M.), law (L.L.B.), optometry (O.D.) or divinity (M.Div.), or 1-year B.Ed. after a Bachelor's degree . . . . . <sup>6</sup> 0 A20
- Bachelor's degree (e.g. B.A., B.Sc., B.A.Sc., B.Ed.) . . . . . <sup>7</sup> 0 A20
- University certificate or diploma below bachelor level . . . . . <sup>8</sup> 0 A20
- Some university . . . . . <sup>9</sup> 0 A16
- Diploma or certificate from community college, CEGEP or nursing school . . . . . <sup>10</sup> 0 A20
- Some community college, CEGEP or nursing school . . . . . <sup>11</sup> 0 A16
- Diploma or certificate from trade, technical or vocational school, or business college . . . . . <sup>12</sup> 0 A20
- Some trade, technical or vocational school, or business or college . . . . . <sup>13</sup> 0 A16
- Other . . . . . <sup>14</sup> 0  
(specify)
  
- Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0 A20
- Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0 A20

**A15a. Were they partial or completed studies?**

Partial Studies ..... <sup>1</sup> 0  
Completed Studies ..... <sup>2</sup> 0 A20  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0 A20  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0 A20

**A16. Regarding this highest level attained, were you working towards a degree, diploma or certificate?**

Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0  
No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0 A19  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0 A19  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0 A19

**A17. Are you still working towards your degree, diploma or certificate?**

Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0 B1  
No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0 A19  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0 A19



**A18. What was the MOST IMPORTANT REASON why you decided not to continue your studies?**  
(Enter one only)

No main reason . . . . . <sup>00</sup> 0

School related reasons

Boredom . . . . . <sup>01</sup> 0

Problems with school work . . . . . <sup>02</sup> 0

Teacher problems . . . . . <sup>03</sup> 0

Bad results . . . . . <sup>04</sup> 0

Expelled . . . . . <sup>05</sup> 0

Skipped classes . . . . . <sup>06</sup> 0

Personal or family reasons

Pregnancy/take care of children . . . . . <sup>07</sup> 0

Marriage . . . . . <sup>08</sup> 0

Lack of time . . . . . <sup>09</sup> 0

Problems at home . . . . . <sup>10</sup> 0

Drug and alcohol problems . . . . . <sup>11</sup> 0

To help at home . . . . . <sup>12</sup> 0

Own illness, disability or accident . . . . . <sup>13</sup> 0

Work related reasons

Had to work/financial reasons . . . . . <sup>14</sup> 0

Preferred work to school . . . . . <sup>15</sup> 0

Other reasons . . . . . <sup>16</sup> 0  
(specify)

Did not want to obtain any degree, certificate or diploma . . . . . <sup>17</sup> 0

Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0

Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0

**A19. What is the highest degree, diploma or certificate that you have completed?**  
 (Enter one only)

- Earned doctorate (e.g. Ph.D., D.Sc.,  
 D.Ed.) . . . . . <sup>01</sup> 0
- Master's degree (e.g. M.A., M.Sc.,  
 M.Ed.) . . . . . <sup>02</sup> 0
- University certificate or diploma  
 above bachelor level . . . . . <sup>03</sup> 0
- First professional degree  
 in medicine (M.D.), dentistry  
 (D.D.S., D.M.D.), veterinary  
 medicine (D.V.M.), law  
 (Ll.B.), optometry (O.D.) or  
 divinity (M.DIV.), or 1-year  
 B.Ed. after a Bachelor's degree <sup>04</sup> 0
- Bachelor's degree (e.g. B.A.,  
 B.Sc., B.A.Sc., B.Ed.) . . . . . <sup>05</sup> 0
- University certificate or diploma  
 below bachelor level . . . . . <sup>06</sup> 0
- Diploma or certificate from  
 community college, CEGEP or  
 nursing school . . . . . <sup>07</sup> 0
- Diploma or certificate from trade,  
 technical or vocational school,  
 or business college . . . . . <sup>08</sup> 0
- High school diploma . . . . . <sup>09</sup> 0 A22
- Less than high school diploma <sup>10</sup> 0 A22
- Other . . . . . <sup>11</sup> 0  
 (specify)
  
- Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0 A22
- Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0 A22



**A20** What was the major field of study or specialization for your degree, diploma or certificate?

Don't know ..... x 0 A22  
Refused ..... r 0 A22

**A21.** What was your MAIN REASON for choosing this field of study?  
(Enter one reason only)

To prepare for first career . . . 1 0  
To change careers . . . . . 2 0  
To improve career . . . . . 3 0  
To improve earnings . . . . . 4 0  
To improve knowledge . . . . . 5 0  
Because of interest in the  
subject . . . . . 6 0  
Other . . . . . 7 0  
(Specify)  
Don't know . . . . . x 0  
Refused . . . . . r 0

**A22.** Are you now working towards a different degree, diploma or certificate?

Yes . . . . . 1 0 B1  
No . . . . . 3 0 C1  
Don't know . . . . . x 0 C1  
Refused . . . . . r 0 C1



**SECTION B: CURRENT EDUCATION**

**B1. Now, a few questions about the educational program you are currently working on.**

**B2. What degree, diploma or certificate are you working towards?**  
(Enter one only)

- Earned doctorate (e.g. Ph.D, D.Sc.,  
D.Ed.) . . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0
- Master's degree (e.g.  
M.A., M.Sc.,M.Ed.) . . . . . <sup>2</sup> 0
- University certificate or  
diploma above bachelor  
level . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0
- First professional degree  
in medicine (M.D.), dentistry  
(DDS., D.M.D.), veterinary  
medicine (D.V.M.),law  
(L.I.B.), optometry (O.D.)  
or divinity (M.DIV.),or  
1-year B.Ed. after a  
Bachelor's degree . . . . . <sup>4</sup> 0
- Bachelor's degree (e.g. B.A.,  
B.Sc., B.A.Sc., B.Ed.) . . . . . <sup>5</sup> 0
- University certificate or diploma  
below bachelor level . . . . . <sup>6</sup> 0
- Diploma or certificate from  
community college, CEGEP  
or nursing school . . . . . <sup>7</sup> 0
- Diploma or certificate from  
trade, technical or vocational  
school, or business college <sup>8</sup> 0
- Other . . . . . <sup>9</sup> 0  
(specify)
  
- Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0 D1
- Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0 D1

**B3. What is the major field of study or specialization for that degree, diploma or certificate?**

- Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0

**B4. What was your MAIN REASON for choosing this field of study?**  
(Enter one reason only)

- To prepare for first career . . . 1 0
- To change career . . . . . 2 0
- To improve career . . . . . 3 0
- To improve earnings . . . . . 4 0
- To improve knowledge . . . . . 5 0
- Because of interest in the  
subject . . . . . 6 0
- Other . . . . . 7 0  
(Specify)
  
- Don't know . . . . . x 0
- Refused . . . . . r 0

**B5. In what year do you expect to complete this program?**

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- Don't know . . . . . x 0
- Refused . . . . . r 0

If A12 does not equal "blank", go to B9

**B6. In which province or territory are you now studying?**

Newfoundland . . . . .	<sup>10</sup> 0
Prince Edward Island . . . . .	<sup>11</sup> 0
Nova Scotia . . . . .	<sup>12</sup> 0
New Brunswick . . . . .	<sup>13</sup> 0
Quebec . . . . .	<sup>14</sup> 0
Ontario . . . . .	<sup>15</sup> 0
Manitoba . . . . .	<sup>16</sup> 0
Saskatchewan . . . . .	<sup>17</sup> 0
Alberta . . . . .	<sup>18</sup> 0
British Columbia . . . . .	<sup>19</sup> 0
Yukon Territory . . . . .	<sup>20</sup> 0
Northwest Territories . . . . .	<sup>21</sup> 0
Foreign Country . . . . .	<sup>22</sup> 0
China . . . . .	<sup>01</sup> 0
England . . . . .	<sup>02</sup> 0
France . . . . .	<sup>03</sup> 0
Germany . . . . .	<sup>04</sup> 0
Haiti . . . . .	<sup>05</sup> 0
Holland . . . . .	<sup>06</sup> 0
India . . . . .	<sup>07</sup> 0
Ireland . . . . .	<sup>08</sup> 0
Italy . . . . .	<sup>09</sup> 0
Jamaica . . . . .	<sup>10</sup> 0
Philippines . . . . .	<sup>11</sup> 0
Poland . . . . .	<sup>12</sup> 0
Portugal . . . . .	<sup>13</sup> 0
Scotland . . . . .	<sup>14</sup> 0
United States . . . . .	<sup>15</sup> 0
Commonwealth of Soviet States . . . . .	<sup>16</sup> 0
Other . . . . .	<sup>17</sup> 0
(specify)	
Don't know . . . . .	<sup>x</sup> 0
Refused . . . . .	<sup>r</sup> 0

**B7. Which languages are used for teaching your courses in this educational program, excluding language courses?**

English . . . . .	<sup>1</sup> 0
French . . . . .	<sup>2</sup> 0
Other . . . . .	<sup>3</sup> 0
(specify)	
Don't know . . . . .	<sup>x</sup> 0
Refused . . . . .	<sup>r</sup> 0

If more than one language is declared, go to B8, otherwise go to B9.



**B8. Which one are you using most often?**

English ..... <sup>1</sup> 0  
French ..... <sup>2</sup> 0  
Other ..... <sup>3</sup> 0  
(specify)

Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**B9. During the last 12 months did you take AT LEAST ONE course or pursue any work for this program?**

(For example, thesis work)

Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0  
No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0 D1  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0 D1  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0 D1

**B10. Were you mainly a full-time or a part-time student?**

Full-time ..... <sup>1</sup> 0  
Part-time ..... <sup>3</sup> 0  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

Go to D1.

**SECTION C: AFTER EDUCATION**

**C1. Now, a few questions that refer to the time when you completed your...(highest level of education)**

**C2. In what year did you complete your studies?**

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Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**C3. Did you have a job during the 6 months before you completed your studies?  
(Exclude summer jobs)**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0 C5  
Don't know ..... x 0 C5  
Refused ..... r 0 C5

**C4. During that time, on average how many hours per week did you work at that job?**

|\_|\_|\_| (1-100) hour(s)

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**C5. During the 12 months after you completed these studies, was your main activity working at a job or a business, looking for work, going to school, keeping house, retired or something else**  
(Enter one only)

(Note: if respondent indicates a short illness, ask what the usual main activity was)

Working at a job or business? <sup>1</sup> 0 C11  
Looking for work? . . . . . <sup>2</sup> 0  
Going to school . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0  
Keeping house? . . . . . <sup>4</sup> 0  
Retired? . . . . . <sup>5</sup> 0  
Something else:  
Maternity/paternity leave . . . <sup>6</sup> 0  
Long term illness . . . . . <sup>7</sup> 0  
Other . . . . . <sup>8</sup> 0  
(specify)

Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0 C7  
Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0 C7

**C6. Did you have a job or were you self-employed at any time during those 12 months?**

Yes . . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0 C11  
No . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0  
Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0  
Has never worked before . . . <sup>5</sup> 0 D1

**C7. Have you ever had a job since completing your studies?**

Yes . . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0  
No . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0 D1  
Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0 D1  
Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0 D1

**C8. After completing your studies, in what year did you get your first job ?**

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Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0

**C9. For whom did you work at that job?** (Name of business, government department or agency, or person)

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

Go to C12.

**C11. During those 12 months, for whom did you work for at your first job?**  
(Name of business, government department or agency, or person)

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**C12. What kind of business, industry or service was this?**  
(Give full description: e.g. federal government, canning industry, forestry services)

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**C13. What kind of work were you doing?**  
(Give a full description: e.g. office clerk, factory worker, forestry technician)

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**C14. In that work, what were your most important activities or duties?**  
(Give a full description: e.g. filing documents, drying vegetables, forestry examiner)

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**C15. Were you mainly...**

**an employee working for  
someone else?** .....<sup>1</sup> 0  
**self-employed?** .....<sup>2</sup> 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**C16. Were you a union member at work?**

Yes .....<sup>1</sup> 0 C18  
No .....<sup>3</sup> 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**C17. Were you normally covered by a contract or a collective agreement?**

Yes .....<sup>1</sup> 0  
No .....<sup>3</sup> 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**C18. Was this work mostly full-time or part-time?**

Full-time .....<sup>1</sup> 0  
Part-time .....<sup>2</sup> 0  
Other (contract, shared  
job, etc) .....<sup>3</sup> 0  
(specify)  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**C19. How closely was that job related to your education? Was it...**

<b>Closely related?</b>	.....1.0.....
<b>Somewhat related?</b>	.....2 0.....
<b>Not at all related?</b>	.....3 0.....
Don't know .....	.....x 0.....
Refused .....	.....r 0.....



**SECTION D: BEFORE EDUCATION**

**D1. Now a few questions referring to the time when you started the studies for your... (highest level of education)**

**D2. How old were you when you started these studies?**

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Don't know . . . . . x 0 E1  
Refused . . . . . r 0

If D2 is less than 15, go to E1

**D4. During the 12 months before you started these studies, was your main activity working at a job or a business, looking for work, going to school, keeping house, retired or something else? (Enter one only)**

(Note: if respondent indicates a short illness, ask what is the usual main activity)

Working at a job or business <sup>1</sup> 0 D10  
Looking for work . . . . . <sup>2</sup> 0  
Going to school . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0  
Keeping house . . . . . <sup>4</sup> 0  
Retired . . . . . <sup>5</sup> 0  
Something else:  
Maternity/paternity leave . . . <sup>6</sup> 0  
Long term illness . . . . . <sup>7</sup> 0  
Other . . . . . <sup>8</sup> 0  
(specify)  
  
Don't know . . . . . x 0  
Refused . . . . . r 0

**D5. Before starting the program, had you ever held a full-time job for 6 months or more? (Exclude summer jobs)**

Yes . . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0  
No . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0 E1  
Don't know . . . . . x 0 E1  
Refused . . . . . r 0 E1  
Has never worked before . . . <sup>5</sup> 0 E1

**D6. How many months or years of total full-time work experience did you have before you started your program?**

6 months to less than



1 year ..... 1 0  
 1 to less than 3 years ..... 2 0  
 3 to less than 5 years ..... 3 0  
 5 to less than 7 years ..... 4 0  
 7 years or more ..... 5 0  
 Don't know ..... x 0  
 Refused ..... r 0

**D7. Before starting your program, in what year did you stop working at a full-time job that lasted six months or more?**

|\_|\_|\_|

Still working at the same job 0 0 E1  
 Don't know ..... x 0 E1  
 Refused ..... r 0 E1

**D8. For whom did you work at that job?**  
 (Name of business, government department or agency, or person)

Don't know ..... x 0  
 Refused ..... r 0

Go to D12.

**D10. Are you still working at this job?**

Yes ..... 1 0 E1  
 No ..... 3 0  
 Don't know ..... x 0 E1  
 Refused ..... r 0 E1

**D11. For whom did you work the longest time during those 12 months?** (Name of business, government department or agency, or person)

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**D12. What kind of business, industry or service was this?** (Give full description: e.g. federal government, canning industry, forestry services)

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**D13. What kind of work were you doing?**  
(Give a full description: e.g. office clerk, factory worker, forestry technician)

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**D14. In that work, what were your most important activities or duties?**  
(Give a full description: e.g. filing documents, drying vegetables, forestry examiner)

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**D15. Were you mainly...**

**an employee working for  
someone else?** .....<sup>1</sup> 0  
**self-employed?** .....<sup>2</sup> 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**D16. Were you a union member at work?**

Yes .....<sup>1</sup> 0 D18

No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**D17. Were you normally covered by a contract or a collective agreement?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

Go to E1.

**D19. As of the age of 15 years old, with whom did you have your first full-time job?**  
(Name of business, government department or agency, or person)

Has never worked before ... 0 0 E1  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**D20. What kind of business, industry or service was this?**  
(Give full description: e.g. federal government, canning industry, forestry services)

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**D21. What kind of work were you doing?**  
(Give a full description: e.g. office clerk, factory worker, forestry technician)

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**D22. In that work, what were your most important activities or duties?**  
(Give a full description: e.g. filing documents, drying vegetables, forestry examiner)

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**D23. Were you mainly...**

**an employee working  
for someone else?** .....<sup>1</sup> 0  
**self-employed?** .....<sup>2</sup> 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**D24. Were you a union member at work?**

Yes .....<sup>1</sup> 0 E1  
No .....<sup>3</sup> 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**D25. Were you normally covered by a contract or a collective agreement?**

Yes .....<sup>1</sup> 0  
No .....<sup>3</sup> 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0



**SECTION E: FUTURE EDUCATION**

**E1. In the next five years, do you plan to start a new educational or training program?**  
(Include part-time and full-time)

Yes . . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0  
No . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0 G1  
Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0 G1  
Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0 G1

**E2. What was your MAIN REASON for planning to do this?**  
(Enter one reason only)

To prepare for first career . . . <sup>1</sup> 0  
To change career . . . . . <sup>2</sup> 0  
To improve career . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0  
To improve earnings . . . . . <sup>4</sup> 0  
To improve knowledge . . . . . <sup>5</sup> 0  
Because of interest in  
the subject . . . . . <sup>6</sup> 0  
Other . . . . . <sup>7</sup> 0  
(Specify)  
  
Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0

**E3. What is the next degree, diploma or certificate you would like to obtain?**

- Earned doctorate (e.g. Ph.D, D.Sc.,  
D.Ed.) . . . . . <sup>01</sup> 0
- Master's degree (e.g M.A., M.Sc.,  
M.Ed.) . . . . . <sup>02</sup> 0
- University certificate or diploma  
above bachelor level . . . . . <sup>03</sup> 0
- First professional degree in medicine  
(M.D.), dentistry (DDS., D.M.D.),  
veterinary medicine (D.V.M.),  
law (Ll.B.) optometry (O.D.) or  
divinity (M.DIV.),or 1-year B.Ed.  
after a Bachelor's degree . . . <sup>04</sup> 0
- Bachelor's degree (e.g.B.A., B.Sc.,  
B.A.Sc., B.Ed.) . . . . . <sup>05</sup> 0
- University certificate or diploma  
below bachelor level . . . . . <sup>06</sup> 0
- Diploma or certificate  
from community college,  
CEGEP or nursing school . . <sup>07</sup> 0
- Diploma or certificate  
from trade, technical  
or vocational school, or business  
college . . . . . <sup>08</sup> 0
- Elementary/High school  
diploma . . . . . <sup>09</sup> 0 G1
- Other . . . . . <sup>10</sup> 0  
(specify)
  
- Does not want to obtain  
any degree or diploma . . . . <sup>11</sup> 0
- Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0 G1
- Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0 G1

**E4. What would be your major field of study or specialization?**

- Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0





**SECTION G: WORK SCREEN**

**Now some questions about your activities in the last 12 months.**

**G2. During the past 12 months, that is from "month" 1993 to "month" 1994, was your main activity working at a job or business, looking for work, going to school, keeping house, retired or something else?**

(Enter one only) (Note: If sickness or short-term illness is reported, ask for usual major activity)

- Working at a job or business <sup>1</sup> 0 G9
- Looking for work . . . . . <sup>2</sup> 0
- Going to school . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0
- Keeping house . . . . . <sup>4</sup> 0
- Retired . . . . . <sup>5</sup> 0
- Something else
- Maternity/paternity leave . . . <sup>6</sup> 0
- Long term illness . . . . . <sup>7</sup> 0
- Other . . . . . <sup>8</sup> 0
- (specify)
  
- Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0

If C6= "has never worked before", go to G6

**G3. Did you have a job or were you self-employed at any time during these 12 months?**

- Yes . . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0 G9
- No . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0
- Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0

**G4. Last week, did you do any work at a job or business?**

- Yes . . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0 H1
- No . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0
- Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0

**G5. In the last four weeks, did you look for a job?**

- Yes . . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0 J1
- No . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**G6. During last week, was your main activity going to school, keeping house, retired or something else?**

(Enter one only)

(Note: If sickness or short-term illness is reported, ask for usual major activity)

Going to school ..... 3 0 J7  
Keeping house ..... 4 0 J4  
Retired 5 0 G8  
Something else:  
Maternity/paternity leave ..... 6 0  
Long term illness ..... 7 0  
Other 8 0  
(specify)

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

Go to J7.

**G8. Have you ever worked at a job or business?**

Yes ..... 1 0 K1  
No ..... 3 0 J42  
Don't know ..... x 0 J42  
Refused ..... r 0 J42

For question G9, use G2 time frame.

**G9. For how many weeks during these 12 months did you do any work at a job or business?** (time frame: "month" 1993 to "month" 1994)  
(Include vacation, illness, strikes, lock-outs and maternity /paternity leave. The number of weeks worked includes all jobs during this period).

||| weeks

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**G10. Last week, did you do any work at a job or business?**

Yes ..... 1 0 H1  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**G10a Last week, did you have a job to which you expected to return?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0 G11  
Don't know ..... x 0 G11  
Refused ..... r 0 G11

**G10b Why did you not work at this job last week? (Enter one only)**

- Own illness or disability . . . . 1 0
- Vacation . . . . . 2 0
- Maternity/Paternity leave . . . 3 0
- Personal or family  
responsibilities . . . . . 4 0
- Layoff, expects to return (paid  
workers only) . . . . . 5 0
- Labour dispute (strike or  
lockout) . . . . . 6 0
- Bad weather . . . . . 7 0
- Seasonal business (exclude paid  
workers) . . . . . 8 0 G11
- New job to start in future . . . 9 0 G11
- Other . . . . . 0 0 G11  
(specify)
  
- Don't know . . . . . x 0
- Refused . . . . . r 0

**G10c. The next questions ask about the job you had last week and to which you expect to return.**

Go to H1.

**G11. For whom did you last work?**

(Name of business, government department  
or agency, or person)

Enter 1 if same employer as in C9 or C11 or  
0 G13

D8 or Do r D19 (Employer's name)

- Don't know . . . . . x 0
- Refused . . . . . r 0

**G12. What kind of business, industry or service was this?**  
(Give full description: e.g. federal government, canning industry, forestry services)

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**G13. What kind of work were you doing?**  
(Give a full description: e.g. office clerk, factory worker, forestry technician)  
Enter 1 if same kind of work as C13 or D13 or D21 (kind of work)  
0

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**G14. In that work, what were your most important activities or duties?**  
(Give full description: e.g. filing documents, drying vegetables, forestry examiner)  
Enter 1 if same duties as C14 or D14 or  
D22 (duties) ..... 1 0

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**G15. During the past 12 months, that is from "month" 1993 to "month" 1994, for how many weeks did you work at that job or business?**  
(Include vacation, illness, strikes, lock-outs and maternity\paternity leave)

|\_| weeks

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**G16. During those weeks, was the work mostly full-time or part-time?**  
(time frame: "month" 1993 to "month" 1994)

Full-time ..... 1 0  
Part-time ..... 2 0  
Other (contract, shared  
job, etc.) ..... 3 0  
(specify)  
  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**G17. During those weeks were you mainly...**

**An employee working for  
someone else?** 1 0 G19b .....  
**Self-employed?** ..... 2 0 .....  
Don't know ..... x 0 G19b  
Refused ..... r 0 G19b

**G18. During those weeks, did you have any paid employees?**  
(time frame: "month" 1993 to "month" 1994)

Yes 1 0  
No 3 0 G19d  
Don't know ..... x 0 G19b  
Refused ..... r 0 G19b

**G19a. About how many employees did you have?**  
(If range given, enter maximum)

|\_|\_|\_| employees  
  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**G19b. At that job, did you supervise the work of other employees?**  
(time frame: "month" 1993 to "month" 1994)

Yes ..... 1 0  
No 3 0 G19d  
Don't know ..... x 0 G19d  
Refused ..... r 0 G19d

**G19c. How many people did you supervise directly?**

|\_|\_|\_| employees

Don't know ..... x 0

Refused ..... r 0

**G19d. Were you a union member at that job?**  
(time frame: "month" 1993 to "month" 1994)

Yes ..... 1 0 G19f

No ..... 3 0

Don't know ..... x 0

Refused ..... r 0

**G19e. Were you normally covered by a union contract or collective agreement?**

Yes ..... 1 0

No ..... 3 0

Don't know ..... x 0

Refused ..... r 0

**G19f. How closely is your job related to your education? Is it...**

**closely related?** ..... 1 0

**somewhat related?** ..... 2 0

**not related at all?** ..... 3 0

Don't know ..... x 0

Refused ..... r 0

**G20. Last week, was your main activity looking for a job, going to school, keeping house, retired or something else?**

(Enter one only)

(Note: If sickness or short-term illness is reported, ask for usual major activity)

- Looking for a job ..... <sup>2</sup> 0 J1
- Going to school ..... <sup>3</sup> 0 J7
- Keeping house ..... <sup>4</sup> 0 J4
- Retired <sup>5</sup> 0 K1
- Something else:
- Maternity/paternity leave ..... <sup>6</sup> 0
- Long term illness ..... <sup>7</sup> 0
- Other <sup>8</sup> 0

(specify)

Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0

Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

Go to J7.







**SECTION H: EMPLOYED**

**H1. Last week, did you have more than one job?**

- Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0 H4
- No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0
- Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0 H4
- Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0 H4

**H2. How many hours per week do you usually work at your job?**

|\_|\_| hours

- Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0 H8
- Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0 H8

Go to H5

**H4. How many hours per week do you usually work at:**

**a) the job for which you spent  
the most hours**

|\_|\_| hours

**b) other jobs? .....**

|\_|\_| hours

- Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0 H7
- Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0 H7

If total in H2 or H4 is 30 or more hours, go to H7, otherwise continue with H6

**H6. Why do you usually work less than 30 hours per week?**  
(Enter maximum of 3 reasons)

- Own illness or disability . . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0
- Personal or family  
responsibilities . . . . . <sup>2</sup> 0
- Going to school . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0
- Could only find part-time work <sup>4</sup> 0
- Did not want full-time work . . <sup>5</sup> 0
- Full-time work under 30 hours  
per week . . . . . <sup>6</sup> 0
- Other . . . . . <sup>7</sup> 0  
(Specify)
  
- Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0

Read instructions for respondents with more than one job: The following questions relate to the job for which you spent the most hours last week.

**H8. Last week, were you mainly . . .**

- An employee working  
for someone else? . . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0 H11**
- Self-employed? . . . . . <sup>2</sup> 0**
- Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0

**H9. Last week, did you have any paid employees?**

- Yes <sup>1</sup> 0
- No <sup>3</sup> 0 H11
- Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0 H11
- Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0 H11

**H10. About how many employees did you have? (If range given, enter maximum)**

|\_| |\_| |\_| |\_| employees

- Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0

**H11. For whom did you work last week?**

(Name of business, government department or agency, or person)

Enter 1 if same employer as C9 or C11 or D8 or D11 or D19 0<sup>1</sup> H13

(Employer's name)

Don't know ..... x 0

Refused ..... r 0

**H12. What kind of business, industry or service was this?**

(Give full description: e.g. federal government, canning industry, forestry services)

Don't know ..... x 0

Refused ..... r 0

**H13. What kind of work were you doing?**

(Give a full description: e.g. office clerk, factory worker, forestry technician)

Enter 1 if same kind of work as C13 or D13 or D21 ( kind of work)

<sup>1</sup>0

Don't know ..... x 0

Refused ..... r 0

**H14. In that work, what were your most important activities or duties?**  
(Give full description: e.g. filing documents, drying vegetables, forestry examiner)  
Enter 1 if same duties as C14, D14 or  
D22 (duties) ..... <sup>1</sup> 0

Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**H14A. What language do you use most often at work?**  
(Accept multiple responses only if languages are spoken equally)

English ..... <sup>1</sup> 0  
French ..... <sup>2</sup> 0  
Other ..... <sup>3</sup> 0  
(specify)

Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**H15. Which of the following best describes the hours you usually work at your current job?**

**A regular daytime  
schedule or shift?** ..... <sup>1</sup> 0  
**A regular evening  
shift?** ..... <sup>2</sup> 0  
**A regular night shift?** ..... <sup>3</sup> 0  
**A rotating shift?**  
(one that changes periodically from days  
to evenings to /or nights) .. <sup>4</sup> 0  
**A split shift?** (one consisting of two or  
more distinct periods each  
day) ..... <sup>5</sup> 0  
**Other?** <sup>6</sup> 0  
(Specify)

Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**H16. Do you have a flexible schedule that allows you to choose the time you begin and end your work day?**

Yes <sup>1</sup> 0  
No <sup>3</sup> 0  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**H17. Excluding overtime, do you usually work any of your scheduled hours at home?**

Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0  
No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**H18. Do you...  
a) have a compressed work week?**

Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0  
No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**b) do "on call" work?**

Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0  
No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**H19. In what year did you start working for this business/ company?**

|\_|\_|\_|\_|  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**H20. For how many years have you performed the same functions?**

Less than a year ..... <sup>0</sup> 0  
|\_|\_| years  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**H21. During the last 12 months, how many weeks have you worked at your job?**  
(Include vacation, illness, strikes, lock-outs and maternity/paternity leave)

|\_|\_| weeks

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

If respondent is self-employed (H8), go to H24.

**H23. Is your job permanent? That is, a job without a specific end date.**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0 H33  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**H24. Last week, did you supervise the work of other employees?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0 H27  
Don't know ..... x 0 H27  
Refused ..... r 0 H27

**H25. How many people did you supervise directly?**

|\_|\_|\_| employees

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**H26. How much of your working time do you spend supervising others? Would you say...**

**less than 25%?** ..... 1 0  
**between 25% and 50%?** ..... 2 0  
**more than 50% ?** ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0



**H27. Would you describe your job as managerial?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0 H31  
Don't know ..... x 0 H31  
Refused ..... r 0 H31

**H28. Would you describe your work as top, upper, middle or lower management?**

Top ..... 1 0  
Upper ..... 2 0  
Middle ..... 3 0  
Lower ..... 4 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**H29. Do you take part in planning the activities of...**

**the entire business/  
company?** ..... 1 0  
**only a part of it?** ..... 2 0  
not involved in planning ..... 3 0 H31  
Don't know ..... x 0 H31  
Refused ..... r 0 H31

**H30. How much of your working time do you spend on planning the activities of your company? Is it....**

**less than 25%?** ..... 1 0  
**between 25% and 50%?** ..... 2 0  
**more than 50%?** ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**H31. In total, about how many people work in your business/ company at all its locations?**

Less than 20 ..... 1 0  
Between 20 and 99 ..... 2 0  
Between 100 and 249 ..... 3 0  
Between 250 and 499 ..... 4 0  
Between 500 and 999 ..... 5 0  
1,000 or more employees ..... 6 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

Go to H42a

**H33. Would you prefer to have a permanent job?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**H34. Last week, did you supervise the work of other employees?**

Yes 1 0  
No 3 0 H37  
Don't know ..... x 0 H37  
Refused ..... r 0 H37

**H35. How many people did you supervise directly?**

|\_|\_|\_|\_| employees  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**H36. How much of your working time do you spend supervising others? Would you say...**

**less than 25% ?** .....1 0 .....  
**between 25% and 50%?** ..... 2 0 .....  
**more than 50%** .....3 0 .....  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**H37. Would you describe your job as managerial?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0 H41  
Don't know ..... x 0 H41  
Refused ..... r 0 H41

**H38. Would you describe your work as top, upper, middle or lower management?**

Top <sup>1</sup> 0  
Upper <sup>2</sup> 0  
Middle <sup>3</sup> 0  
Lower <sup>4</sup> 0  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**H39. Do you take part in planning the activities of...**

**the entire business/  
company?** <sup>1</sup> 0.....  
**only a part of it?** .....<sup>2</sup> 0.....  
not involved in planning ..... <sup>3</sup> 0 H41  
Don't know ..... <sup>4</sup> 0 H41  
Refused ..... <sup>5</sup> 0 H41

**H40. How much of your working time do you spend on planning activities of your company?  
Is it...**

**less than 25% ?** .....<sup>1</sup> 0.....  
**between 25% and 50%?** ..... <sup>2</sup> 0  
**more than a half?** .....<sup>3</sup> 0.....  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**H41. In total, how many people work in your business/ company at all its locations?**

Less than 20 ..... <sup>1</sup> 0  
Between 20 and 99 ..... <sup>2</sup> 0  
Between 100 and 249 ..... <sup>3</sup> 0  
Between 250 and 499 ..... <sup>4</sup> 0  
Between 500 and 999 ..... <sup>5</sup> 0  
1,000 or more employees .. <sup>6</sup> 0  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**H42a. Are you a union member at work?**

Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0 H43  
No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**H42b. Are you normally covered by a contract or a collective agreement?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**H43. Does your business or company provide you with a...**

**a) Retirement pension plan (in addition to Quebec ..... required of employers)?**

**the Canada Pension Plan or Pension Plan contribution re-**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**b) Medical/surgical benefits beyond those provided by your provincial health care system?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**c) Dental Care Benefits?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**d) Counselling or referral services for personal problems?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**e) Drug benefit plan?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**f) Paid maternity or paternity leave, in addition to the benefits provided by Unemployment Insurance?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0

Refused ..... r 0

**H44. Have any of the following things in your work environment caused you excess worry or stress in the past 12 months...**

**(a) Too many demands or too many hours?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**(b) Risk of accident or injury?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**© Poor interpersonal relations?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**(d) Threat of layoff or job loss?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**(e) Anything else?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
(specify)

No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0



**H45. Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?**

**(a) Your job requires a high level of skill.**

Agree ..... 1 0  
Disagree ..... 2 0

**Is that somewhat or strongly?**

Somewhat ..... 1 0  
Strongly ..... 2 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**(b) There is a lot of freedom to decide how to do your work.**

Agree ..... 1 0  
Disagree ..... 2 0

**Is that somewhat or strongly?**

Somewhat ..... 1 0  
Strongly ..... 2 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**© The people you work with take a personal interest in you.**

Agree ..... 1 0  
Disagree ..... 2 0

**Is that somewhat or strongly?**

Somewhat ..... 1 0  
Strongly ..... 2 0  
Not applicable ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

(d) Your supervisor is very concerned about the welfare of those under (him/her).

Agree ..... 1 0  
Disagree ..... 2 0

Is that somewhat or strongly?

Somewhat ..... 1 0  
Strongly ..... 2 0  
Not applicable ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

H46. Do you use computers such as mainframes, personal computers or word processors in your job?

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0 H48  
Don't know ..... x 0 H48  
Refused ..... r 0 H48

H47. How many hours per week do you normally use this equipment?  
(Include work done at home for job)

|\_|\_| hours

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

H48. In the last five years, how much has your work been affected by the introduction of computers or automated technology? Would you say...

greatly? ..... 1 0 .....  
somewhat? ..... 2 0 .....  
hardly? 3 0 H52  
not at all? ..... 4 0 ..... H52  
Don't know ..... x 0 H52  
Refused ..... r 0 H52



**H49. In the last five years, has the level of skill required to perform your work increased, decreased, or stayed the same as a result of the introduction of computers or automated technology?**

Increased ..... 1 0  
Decreased ..... 2 0  
Stayed the same ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**H50. In the last five years, has the job security increased, decreased, or stayed the same as a result of the introduction of computers or automated technology?**

Increased ..... 1 0  
Decreased ..... 2 0  
Stayed the same ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**H51. Over the last five years, has your work become more interesting, less interesting, or stayed the same as a result of the introduction of computers or automated technology?**

More interesting ..... 1 0  
Less interesting ..... 2 0  
Stayed the same ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**H52. How closely is your job related to your education? Is it ...**

**closely related?** .....1 0.....  
**somewhat related?** ..... 2 0.....  
**not related at all?** .....3 0.....  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**H53. Considering your experience, education and training, do you feel that you are overqualified for your job?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**H54. Do you think it is likely you will lose your job or be laid off in the next year? Would you say it is...**

**Very likely?** .....<sup>1</sup>0.....  
**Somewhat likely?** .....<sup>2</sup>0.....  
**Somewhat unlikely?** .....<sup>3</sup>0 H56.....  
**Very unlikely?** .....<sup>4</sup>0 H56.....  
Don't know ..... x 0 H56  
Refused ..... r 0 H56

**H55. Do you think this will be because of the introduction of computers or automated technology?**

Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0  
No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**H56. Now I will ask you some questions about your work activities during the last five years.**

**H57. Five years ago, that is from "month" 1989 to "month" 1990, was your main activity working at a job or business, looking for work, going to school, keeping house, retired or something else?**

(Enter one only)

(Note: If sickness or short-term illness is reported, ask for usual major activity.)

- Working at a job or business . . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0 H59
- Looking for work . . . . . <sup>2</sup> 0
- Going to school . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0
- Keeping house . . . . . <sup>4</sup> 0
- Retired <sup>5</sup> 0
- Something else:
- Maternity / paternity leave . . . . . <sup>6</sup> 0
- Long term illness . . . . . <sup>7</sup> 0
- Other <sup>8</sup> 0
- (Specify)
  
- Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0

**H58. Did you have a job or were you self-employed at any time during these 12 months?**

- Yes . . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0
- No <sup>3</sup> 0 H65
- Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0 H65
- Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0 H65

**H59. For whom did you work the longest time during that period?**

(time frame: "month" 1989 to "month" 1990) (Name of business, government department or agency, or person)

Enter 1 if same employer as in H11

(Employer's name) . . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0 H61

- Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0

**H60. What kind of business, industry or service was this?**  
(Give full description: e.g. federal government, canning industry, forestry services)

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**H61. What kind of work were you doing?**  
(time frame: "month" 1989 to "month" 1990) (Give a full description: e.g. office clerk, factory worker, forestry technician)  
Enter 1 if same work as in H13  
(kind of work) ..... 1 0

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**H62. In that work, what were your most important activities or duties?**  
(Give full description: e.g. filing documents, drying vegetables, forestry examiner)  
Enter 1 if same duties as  
in H14 (duties) ..... 1 0

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**H63a. At that time, were you mainly...**

**an employee working for  
someone else?** ..... 1 0  
**self-employed?** ..... 2 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**H63b. Were you a union member at work?**  
(time frame: "month" 1989 to "month" 1990)

Yes ..... 1 0 H63d  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**H63c. Were you normally covered by a contract or a collective agreement?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**H63d. Five years ago, did you supervise the work of other employees?**  
(time frame: "month" 1989 to "month" 1990)

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0 H64  
Don't know ..... x 0 H64  
Refused ..... r 0 H64

**H63e. At that time, how many people did you supervise directly?**

|\_|\_|\_|\_| employees  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**H64. How closely was that job related to your education at that time? Was it...**

**closely related?** ..... 1 0  
**somewhat related?** ..... 2 0  
**not related at all?** ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**H65. During the last five years, did you lose a job for any reason?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0 H67  
Don't know ..... x 0 H67  
Refused ..... r 0 H67

**H66. Why did this happen?**

(Enter maximum of 3 reasons)

An employer going out of  
business ..... 1 0  
A plant closing or moving ..... 2 0  
The introduction of new  
technology ..... 3 0  
Reduction of staff ..... 4 0  
Seasonal job ..... 5 0  
Shortage of work ..... 6 0  
Accident, illness or disability 7 0  
Other 8 0  
(Specify)

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**H67. During the last five years, how many different jobs or positions did you have**

**a) with your current employer? By different ..... jobs or positions we mean different duties.**

|\_|\_| jobs

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**b) with other employers?**

|\_|\_| jobs

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**H67c. During the last five years, how many times have you received a promotion from your current business /company?(By promotion we mean obtaining a new position with more responsibilities, with or without a salary increase).**  
(Since started if less than five years ago).

|\_|\_| promotions

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**H68. There were 60 months between "month" 1989 and "month" 1994. In how many of those months were you working at a job or business?**  
(Include vacation, illness, strikes, lock-outs and maternity/paternity leave)

60 months ..... 1 0 H70

|\_|\_| months

Don't know ..... x 0 H70  
Refused ..... r 0 H70

**H69. In how many of the remaining months did you look for work?**

None 1 0

|\_|\_| months

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

The next question is to be asked of people aged 50 and over that did not indicate "Retired" in G2. For those who indicated "Retired" in G2, go to H72. Otherwise, go to H87.

**H71. Have you ever retired from a former employer?**

Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0  
No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0 H87  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0 H87  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0 H87

**H72. In which year did you retire?**

|\_|\_|\_|\_|

Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**H73. Did you retire because your employer had a mandatory retirement policy?**

Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0 H75  
No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**H74. Why did you retire?**

(Enter maximum of 3 reasons)

Your employer offered an early  
retirement incentive ..... <sup>1</sup> 0  
New technology was  
introduced ..... <sup>2</sup> 0  
Your health required it ..... <sup>3</sup> 0  
You were unemployed and  
couldn't find a new job ..... <sup>4</sup> 0  
For any other reason ..... <sup>5</sup> 0  
(Specify)

Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0



**H75. What is the main reason that motivated your return to the labour force after your retirement?**

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**H76. In which year did you start your first job after this retirement?**

|\_|\_|\_|

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**H77. For this job, was the work mostly full-time or part-time?**

Full-time ..... 1 0  
Part-time ..... 2 0  
Other (contract, shared  
job, etc.) ..... 3 0  
(Specify)

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**H78. Were you mainly...**

**An employee working for  
someone else?** ..... 1 0 .....  
**Self-employed?** ..... 2 0 .....  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**H79. Was this job permanent, that is a job without a specific end date?**

Yes ..... 1 0 H81  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0 H81  
Refused ..... r 0 H81

**H80. Was it a contract for a fixed period of time?**

Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0  
No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**H81. For how many months have you performed this job?**

|\_|\_| months

Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**H82. Have you worked at other jobs since your retirement?**

Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0  
No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0 H88  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0 H88  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0 H88

**H83. How many different jobs or positions did you have since you retired? By different jobs or positions we mean different duties with the same employer, or different employers.**

(Including the first job after retirement.)

|\_|\_| jobs

Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**H84. At what age do you plan to take a permanent retirement?**

|\_|\_|\_| years

Don't intend to retire ..... <sup>0</sup> 0  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**H85. Do you think that mandatory retirement is a good idea?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
    **At what age?** |\_|\_|\_|\_|  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

Go to H90

**H87. Now some questions about your retirement plans.**

**H88. At what age do you plan to retire?**

|\_|\_|\_| years  
Don't intend to retire ..... 0 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**H89. Do you think that mandatory retirement is a good idea?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
    **At what age?** |\_|\_|\_|\_|  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

For those who worked at any time during the last five years (H68 >= 1) go to Section L, otherwise go to Section M.



**SECTION J: PERSONS NOT EMPLOYED**

**J1. Were you mainly looking for a full-time or a part-time job?**

Full-time .....<sup>1</sup> 0  
Part-time .....<sup>2</sup> 0  
Either .....<sup>3</sup> 0  
Don't know .....<sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused .....<sup>r</sup> 0

**J2. In your opinion, what are the chances that you will find a job in the next six months? Are they.**

**Very good?** .....<sup>1</sup> 0  
**Good?** .....<sup>2</sup> 0  
**Not good?** .....<sup>3</sup> 0  
**Not very good?** .....<sup>4</sup> 0  
Has already found work .....<sup>5</sup> 0  
Don't know .....<sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused .....<sup>r</sup> 0

Go to J7.

**J4. Are you satisfied or dissatisfied to be keeping house as your main activity?**

Satisfied .....<sup>1</sup> 0 J4a  
Dissatisfied .....<sup>2</sup> 0 J4a  
No opinion .....<sup>x</sup> 0 J5  
Refused .....<sup>r</sup> 0 J5

**J4A. Is that somewhat or very?**

Somewhat .....<sup>1</sup> 0  
Very .....<sup>2</sup> 0  
Don't know .....<sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused .....<sup>r</sup> 0

**J5. Would you like to have a paying job now?**

Yes .....<sup>1</sup> 0  
No .....<sup>3</sup> 0 J7  
Don't know .....<sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused .....<sup>r</sup> 0 J7



**J6. For what reason do you not have a paying job? (Enter maximum of 3 reasons)**

- Jobs are unavailable or hard to find ..... 1 0
- You lack skills or qualifications ..... 2 0
- Own illness or disability ..... 3 0
- Unable to find good child-care ..... 4 0
- You prefer to stay home with children ..... 5 0
- Your spouse wants you to stay home ..... 6 0
- Because of personal or family responsibilities ..... 7 0
- Any other reasons ..... 8 0  
(specify)
  
- Don't know ..... x 0
- Refused ..... r 0

**J7. Now I will ask you some questions about your work activities during the last five years.**

**J8. Five years ago, that is from "month" 1989 to "month" 1990, was your main activity working at a job or business, looking for work, going to school, keeping house, retired or something else?**

(Enter one only)

(Note: If sickness or short-term illness is reported, ask for usual major activity)

Working at a job or business <sup>1</sup> 0 J13  
Looking for work . . . . . <sup>2</sup> 0  
Going to school . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0  
Keeping house . . . . . <sup>4</sup> 0  
Retired . . . . . <sup>5</sup> 0

Something else:

Maternity/ paternity leave . . . . . <sup>6</sup> 0  
Long term illness . . . . . <sup>7</sup> 0  
Other . . . . . <sup>8</sup> 0  
(specify)

Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0

If C6= "has never worked before", go to J24 and then to J41

**J9. Did you have a job or were you self-employed at any time during these twelve months?**  
(time frame: "month" 1989 to "month" 1990)

Yes . . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0 J13  
No . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0  
Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0

**J10. Did you have a job or were you self-employed at any time during the last five years?**

Yes . . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0 J17  
No . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0  
Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0



**J11. Did you look for work in any month during the last five years?**

Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0  
No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0 J24  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0 J24  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0 J24

**J12. There were 60 months between "month" 1989 and "month" 1994. In how many of those months did you look for work?**

|\_| months

Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

Go to J24.

**J13. For whom did you work the longest time during that period?**

(Name of business, government department or agency, or person)  
(time frame: "month" 1989 to "month" 1990)

Enter 1 if same employer as in G11 ..... (Employer's name) ..... <sup>1</sup> 0

J15

Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**J14. What kind of business, industry or service was this?**

(Give full description: e.g. federal government, canning industry, forestry services)

Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**J15. What kind of work were you doing?**

(Give a full description: e.g. office clerk, factory worker, forestry technician)

(time frame: "month" 1989 to "month" 1990)

Enter 1 if same work as in G13

(Kind of work) ..... <sup>1</sup> 0

Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0

Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**J16a. In that work, what were your most important activities or duties?**

(Give full description: e.g. filing documents, drying vegetables, forestry examiner)

Enter 1 if same duties

as in G14 (duties) ..... <sup>1</sup> 0

Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0

Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**J16b. At that time, were you mainly...**

**an employee working**

**for someone else?** ..... <sup>1</sup> 0

**self-employed?** ..... <sup>2</sup> 0

Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0

Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**J16c. Were you a union member at work? (time frame: month" 1989 to "month" 1990)**

Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0 J16e

No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0

Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0

Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**J16d. Were you normally covered by a contract or a collective agreement?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**J16e. Five years ago, did you supervise the work of other employees?**  
(time frame: "month" 1989 to "month" 1990) .

Yes 1 0  
No 3 0 J17  
Don't know ..... x 0 J17  
Refused ..... r 0 J17

**J16f. At that time, how many people did you supervise directly?**

|\_|\_|\_| employees

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**J17. How closely was that job related to your education at that time? Was it...**

**closely related?** 1 0 .....  
**somewhat related?** 2 0 .....  
**not related at all?** 3 0 .....  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**J18. Considering your experience, education and training, do you feel that you have been overqualified for most of your jobs?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**J19. During the last five years, did you lose a job for any reason?**

Yes <sup>1</sup> 0  
No <sup>3</sup> 0 J21  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0 J21  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0 J21

**J20. Why did this happen?**  
(Enter maximum of 3 reasons)

An employer going out of  
business ..... <sup>1</sup> 0  
A plant closing or moving ... <sup>2</sup> 0  
The introduction of new  
technology ..... <sup>3</sup> 0  
Reduction of staff ..... <sup>4</sup> 0  
Seasonal job ..... <sup>5</sup> 0  
Shortage of work ..... <sup>6</sup> 0  
Own illness, disability or  
accident ..... <sup>7</sup> 0  
Other ..... <sup>8</sup> 0  
(specify)  
  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**J21. During the last five years, how many different jobs or positions did you have? (By different jobs or positions we mean different duties with the same employer, or different employers.)**

|\_|\_| jobs  
  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**J22. There were 60 months between "month" 1989 and "month" 1994. In how many of those months were you working at a job or business?**

(Include vacation, illness, strikes, lock-outs and maternity/ paternity leave)  
60 months ..... 0 J24

|\_|\_| months  
  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0 J24  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0 J24

**J23. In how many of the remaining months did you look for work?**

|\_| months

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**J24. Do you intend to work at a job in the future?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

The next question is to be asked of people aged 50 and over that did not indicate "Retired" in G2. For those who indicated "Retired" in G2 go to J26: Otherwise, go to J40.

**J25. Have you ever retired from a former employer?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0 J40  
Don't know ..... x 0 J40  
Refused ..... r 0 J40

**J26. In which year did you retire?**

(if the respondent has retired more than once, indicate the first retirement date).

|\_|\_|\_|

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**J27. Did you retire because your employer had a mandatory retirement policy?**

Yes ..... 1 0 J28a  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**J28. Why did you retire?**

(Enter maximum of 3 reasons)

- Your employer offered an early retirement incentive ..... <sup>1</sup> 0
- New technology was introduced ..... <sup>2</sup> 0
- Your health required it ..... <sup>3</sup> 0
- You were unemployed and couldn't find a new job ..... <sup>x</sup> 0
- For any other reason ..... <sup>r</sup> 0  
(specify)
  
- Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**J28A. Did you work at a job or business at any time after your retirement?**

- Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0
- No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0 J42
- Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0 J42
- Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0 J42

**J29. What is the main reason that motivated your return to the labour force after your retirement?**

- Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**J30. In which year did you start your first job after this retirement?**

|\_|\_|\_|

- Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**J31. For this job, was the work mostly full-time or part-time?**

- Full-time ..... <sup>1</sup> 0
- Part-time ..... <sup>2</sup> 0
- Other (contract, shared  
job, etc.) ..... <sup>3</sup> 0  
(specify)
  
- Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**J32. Were you mainly...**

- an employee working for  
someone else?** ..... <sup>1</sup> 0
- self-employed?** ..... <sup>2</sup> 0
- Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**J33. Was this job permanent? That is, a job without a specific end date.**

- Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0 J35
- No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0
- Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**J34. Was it a contract for a fixed period of time?**

- Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0
- No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0
- Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**J35. For how many months have you performed this job?**

- |\_|\_| months
- Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**J36. Have you worked at other jobs since your retirement?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0 J38  
Don't know ..... x 0 J38  
Refused ..... r 0 J38

**J37. How many different jobs or positions did you have since you retired? By different jobs or positions we mean different duties with the same employer, or different employers.  
(Including the first job after retirement)**

|\_|\_| jobs  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**J38. At what age do you plan to take a permanent retirement?**

|\_|\_|\_| years  
Don't intend to retire ..... 0 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

Go to J43

**J39. Do you think that mandatory retirement is ..... a good idea?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
At what age? |\_|\_|\_|\_|  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**J40. Now some questions about your retirement plans.**



**J41. At what age do you plan to retire?**

|\_|\_| years

Don't intend to retire . . . . . <sup>0</sup> 0

Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0

Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0

**J42 Do you think that mandatory retirement is . . . . . a good idea?**

Yes . . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0

**At what age?** |\_|\_|\_|

No . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0

Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0

Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0

**J43.** For those who worked at any time during the last five years (J21 >= 1) go to Section L, otherwise go to Section M.



**SECTION K: RETIRED**

**K1. The following questions pertain to your activities before and after your retirement.**

**K2. In what year did you retire?**

(If the respondent has retired more than once, indicate the date of the FIRST RETIREMENT).

|\_|\_|\_|

Don't know ..... x 0

Refused ..... r 0

**K3. Just before your retirement, were you working at a job or business?**

Yes <sup>1</sup> 0

No <sup>3</sup> 0 K11

Don't know ..... x 0 K11

Refused ..... r 0 K11

**K4. Was the work mostly full-time or part-time?**

Full-time ..... <sup>1</sup> 0

Part-time ..... <sup>2</sup> 0

Other (contract, shared  
job, etc.) ..... <sup>3</sup> 0

(specify)

Don't know ..... x 0

Refused ..... r 0

**K5. Were you mainly then...**

**an employee working for  
someone else** <sup>1</sup> 0 .....

**self-employed?** <sup>2</sup> 0 .....

Don't know ..... x 0

Refused ..... r 0

**K6. For whom were you working just before you retired?**  
(Name of business, government department or agency, or person)

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**K7. What kind of business, industry or service was this?**  
(Give full description: e.g. federal government, canning industry, forestry services)

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**K8. What kind of work were you doing?**  
(Give a full description: e.g. office clerk, factory worker, forestry technician)

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**K9. In that work, what were your most important activities or duties?**  
(Give full description: e.g. filing documents, drying vegetables, forestry examiner)

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**K10. How closely was that job related to your education at that time? Was it...**

**closely related?** .....<sup>1</sup>0.....  
**somewhat related?** .....<sup>2</sup>0.....  
**Not related at all?** .....<sup>3</sup>0.....  
Don't know .....<sup>x</sup>0  
Refused .....<sup>r</sup>0

**K11. Did you retire because your employer had a mandatory retirement policy?**

Yes .....<sup>1</sup>0 K13  
No .....<sup>3</sup>0  
Don't know .....<sup>x</sup>0  
Refused .....<sup>r</sup>0

**K12. Why did you retire?**  
(Enter maximum of 3 reasons)

Your employer offered an  
early retirement incentive ...<sup>1</sup>0  
New technology was  
introduced .....<sup>2</sup>0  
Your health required it .....<sup>3</sup>0  
You were unemployed and  
could not find a job .....<sup>4</sup>0  
For another reason .....<sup>5</sup>0  
(specify)  
  
Don't know .....<sup>x</sup>0  
Refused .....<sup>r</sup>0

**K13. Do you receive a pension or retirement benefits from any of your former employers?**

Yes .....<sup>1</sup>0  
No .....<sup>3</sup>0 K15  
Don't know .....<sup>x</sup>0 K15  
Refused .....<sup>r</sup>0 K15

**K14. Are these benefits adjusted for changes in the cost of living?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**K15. Compared to the year before you retired, do you now enjoy life more, less or about the same?**

More ..... 1 0  
Less ..... 2 0 K18  
About the same ..... 3 0 K19  
Don't know ..... x 0 K19  
Refused ..... r 0 K19

**K16. What is the main reason that you now enjoy life more? Is it.**

(Enter one only)

**More leisure time?** ..... 1 0  
**More travel?** ..... 2 0  
**More time with family?** ..... 3 0  
**More time for voluntary activities?** ..... 4 0  
**Other ?** ..... 5 0  
(specify)  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

Go to K19.

**K18. What is the main reason that you now enjoy life less? Is it...**

(Enter one only)

**your health?** ..... 1 0  
**a decrease in income?** ..... 2 0  
**less contact with people?** ..... 3 0  
**other** ..... 4 0  
(specify)  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**K19. Do you think mandatory retirement is a good idea?**

- Yes .....<sup>1</sup> 0
- At what age? |\_|\_|\_|\_|
- No .....<sup>3</sup> 0
- Don't know .....<sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused .....<sup>r</sup> 0

**K20. Now I will ask you some questions about your work activities during the last five years.**

**K21. Five years ago, that is from "month" 1989 to "month" 1990, was your main activity working at a job or business, looking for work, going to school, keeping house, retired or something else?**

(Enter one only)

(Note: If sickness or short-term illness is reported, ask for usual major activity)

- Working at a job or business .....<sup>1</sup> 0 K27
- Looking for work .....<sup>2</sup> 0
- Going to school .....<sup>3</sup> 0
- Keeping house .....<sup>4</sup> 0
- Retired .....<sup>5</sup> 0
- Something else
- Maternity/paternity leave ...<sup>6</sup> 0
- Long term illness .....<sup>7</sup> 0
- Other .....<sup>8</sup> 0
- (specify)
- Don't know .....<sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused .....<sup>r</sup> 0

**K22. Did you have a job or were you self-employed at any time during these 12 months?**

- Yes .....<sup>1</sup> 0 K27
- No .....<sup>3</sup> 0
- Don't know .....<sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused .....<sup>r</sup> 0

**K23. During the last five years, did you have a job or were you self-employed at any time?**

- Yes .....<sup>1</sup> 0 K31.
- No .....<sup>3</sup> 0
- Don't know .....<sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused .....<sup>r</sup> 0

If "Retired" in K21, go to K36.

**K24. Did you look for work in any month during these five years?**

Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0  
No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0 M1  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0 M1  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0 M1

**K25. There were 60 months between "month" 1989 and "month" 1994. In how many of those months did you look for work?**

|\_| months

Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

Go to M1.

**K27. For whom did you work the longest time during that period?**

(Name of business, government department or agency, or person)  
(time frame: "month" 1989 to "month" 1990)

Enter 1 if employer is same as in K6  
(employer's name) ..... <sup>1</sup> 0 K29

Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**K28. What kind of business, industry or service was this?**

(Give full description: e.g. federal department, canning industry, forestry services)

Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0



**K29. What kind of work were you doing?**

(Give a full description: e.g. office clerk, factory worker, forestry technician)  
(time frame: "month" 1989 to "month" 1990)

Enter 1 if employer is same as in K8  
(kind of work) ..... 1 0

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**K30a. In that work, what were your most important activities or duties?**

(Give full description: e.g. filing document, drying vegetables, forestry examiner)

Enter 1 if employer is same as in K9  
(duties) ..... 1 0

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**K30b. At that time, were you mainly...**

**an employee working**  
**for someone else?** ..... 1 0  
**self-employed?** ..... 2 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**K30c. Five years ago, did you supervise the work of other employees?**  
(time frame: "month" 1989 to "month" 1990)

Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0  
No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0 K30e  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0 K30e  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0 K30e

**K30d. At that time, how many people did you supervise directly?**

|\_|\_|\_| employees

Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**K30e. Were you a union member at work?** (time frame: "month"1989 to "month" 1990)

Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0 K31  
No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**K30f. Were you normally covered by a contract or a collective agreement?**

Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0  
No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**K31. Other than the job you retired from, did you lose a job between "month" 1989 and "month" 1994 for any reason?**

Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0  
No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0 K33  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0 K33  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0 K33

**K32. Why did this happen?**  
(Enter maximum of 3 reasons)

- An employer going out of business . . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0
- A plant closing or moving . . . . . <sup>2</sup> 0
- The introduction of new technology . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0
- Reduction of staff . . . . . <sup>4</sup> 0
- Seasonal job . . . . . <sup>5</sup> 0
- Shortage of work . . . . . <sup>6</sup> 0
- Own illness, disability or accident . . . . . <sup>7</sup> 0
- Other <sup>8</sup> 0  
(specify)
  
- Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0

**K33. During the last five years, how many different jobs or positions did you have? By different jobs or positions we mean different duties with the same employer, or different employers.**

|\_| jobs

- Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0

**K34. There were 60 months between "month" 1989 and "month" 1994. In how many of those months were you working at a job or business?**  
(Include vacation, illness, strikes, lock-outs and maternity/paternity leave)

60 months . . . . . 0 K37

|\_| months

- Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0 K37
- Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0 K37

**K35. In how many of the remaining months did you look for work?**

None ..... <sup>0</sup> 0

|\_| | months

Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0

Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**K37. Did you work at any time at a job or business after your retirement?**

Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0 K39

No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0

Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0

Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**K38. Did you look for work at any time after your retirement?**

Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0 K41

No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0 K51

Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0 K51

Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0 K51

**K39. What is the MAIN REASON that motivated your return to the labour force after your retirement?**

.....

Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0

Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

Go to K43.

**K41. What is the MAIN REASON you looked for work after you retired?**

Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0

Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

Go to K51.

**K43. In what year did you start your first job after retirement?**

|\_|\_|\_|

Don't know ..... x 0

Refused ..... r 0

**K44. Was the work mostly full-time or part-time?**

Full-time ..... <sup>1</sup> 0

Part-time ..... <sup>2</sup> 0

Other (contract, shared job,  
etc.) ..... <sup>3</sup> 0  
(specify)

Don't know ..... x 0

Refused ..... r 0

**K45. Were you mainly then...  
an employee working for  
someone else ?**

<sup>1</sup> 0 .....

**self-employed?** <sup>2</sup> 0 .....

Don't know ..... x 0

Refused ..... r 0

**K46. Was that job permanent? That is a job without a specific end date.**

Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0 K48

No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0

Don't know ..... x 0

Refused ..... r 0

**K47. Was it a contract for a fixed period of time?**

Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0

No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0

Don't know ..... x 0

Refused ..... r 0

**K48. For how many months have you performed that job?**

|\_|\_| months

Don't know ..... x 0

Refused ..... r 0

**K49. Have you worked at other jobs since your retirement?**

Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0  
No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0 K51  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0 K51  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0 K51

**K50. How many different jobs or positions did you have after your retirement? By different jobs or positions we mean different duties with the same employer, or different employers.**

|\_|\_| jobs

Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

For those who worked at any time during the last five years (K33 >= 1) go to Section L, otherwise go to Section M.

**SECTION L: WORK INTERRUPTIONS**

- L1. The following questions are about work interruptions for persons working full-time or part time or for those who have, at one time, worked full-time or part time.**

Note: Summer jobs and coop programs are not . . . . . to be considered in this section on work interruptions.

- L2. During the last five years, that is since "month" 1989, did you leave your job, or were you ever away from work, for a period of three or more months?**

Yes . . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0  
No . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0 M1  
Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0 M1  
Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0 M1

- L3. During those five years, how many times have you been away from work for a period of three or more months?**

|\_| times

Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0 M1

If the number given in L3 is greater than or equal to 5 then ask the next question, else go to L7.

- L5. Is it because you held a seasonal job?**

Yes . . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0  
No . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0 L7  
Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0 L7  
Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0 L7



**L6. Were there any other work interruptions for three months or longer not related to a seasonal job?**

Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0  
No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0 M1  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0 M1  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0 M1

**L7. I am now going to ask you some questions about each of these work interruptions, STARTING WITH THE MOST RECENT ONE.**

MOST RECENT INTERRUPTION:

**L8. In what year did your most recent work interruption begin?**

|\_|\_|\_|

Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**L9. At that time were you working mostly full-time or part-time?**

Full-time ..... <sup>1</sup> 0  
Part-time ..... <sup>2</sup> 0  
Other (contract, shared  
job, etc) ..... <sup>3</sup> 0  
(specify)  
  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**L10. What were the reasons you were away from work?**  
(Enter maximum of 3 reasons)

- Own illness, disability  
or accident . . . . . <sup>01</sup> 0
- Temporary layoff/End of  
contract . . . . . <sup>02</sup> 0
- Lack of work . . . . . <sup>03</sup> 0
- Business or company closure <sup>04</sup> 0
- Maternity/paternity leave . . . <sup>05</sup> 0
- Child care . . . . . <sup>06</sup> 0
- Care of the elderly . . . . . <sup>07</sup> 0
- Personal or family responsibilities  
(other than child care and  
elder care) . . . . . <sup>08</sup> 0
- Returned to school . . . . . <sup>09</sup> 0
- Retired . . . . . <sup>10</sup> 0 L13
- Other . . . . . <sup>11</sup> 0  
(specify)
- Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0

**L11. For how long were you away from work before you returned to work on a regular basis, either full-time or part-time?**

|\_| months

- Has Not worked since . . . . . <sup>0</sup> 0 L13
- Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0

**L12. When you returned was it to work mostly full-time or part-time?**

- Full-time . . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0
- Part-time . . . . . <sup>2</sup> 0
- Other (contract, shared  
job, etc.) . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0  
(specify)
- Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0 L13
- Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0 L13

**L12a. Was it the same job?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**L12b. When you returned, did your salary decrease, stay the same or increase from what it was before the work interruption?**

Salary decreased ..... 1 0  
Salary stayed the same .... 2 0  
Salary increased ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

If the number given in L3 is greater than 1, go to L15, else go to L14.

**L14. Have you taken any other breaks of three months or longer from regular employment?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0 M1  
Don't know ..... x 0 M1  
Refused ..... r 0 M1

PREVIOUS INTERRUPTION (2):

**L15. In what year did your previous work interruption begin?**

|\_|\_|\_|

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**L16. At that time were you working mostly full-time or part-time?**

- Full-time ..... <sup>1</sup> 0
- Part-time ..... <sup>2</sup> 0
- Other (contract, shared  
job, etc) ..... <sup>3</sup> 0  
(specify)
  
- Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**L17. What were the reasons you were away from work?**

(Enter maximum of 3 reasons)

- Own illness, disability or  
accident ..... <sup>01</sup> 0
- Temporary layoff/End of  
contract ..... <sup>02</sup> 0
- Lack of work ..... <sup>03</sup> 0
- Business or company closure ..... <sup>04</sup> 0
- Maternity/paternity leave ... <sup>05</sup> 0
- Child care ..... <sup>06</sup> 0
- Care of the elderly ..... <sup>07</sup> 0
  
- Personal or family responsibilities  
(other than child care and care  
of the elderly) ..... <sup>08</sup> 0
- Returned to school ..... <sup>09</sup> 0
- Retired ..... <sup>10</sup> 0 L20
- Other ..... <sup>11</sup> 0  
(specify)
  
- Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**L18. For how long were you away from work before you returned to work on a regular basis, either full or part-time?**

|\_| months

- Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**L19. When you returned was it to work mostly full-time or part-time?**

- Full-time ..... <sup>1</sup> 0
- Part-time ..... <sup>2</sup> 0
- Other (contract, shared  
job, etc.) ..... <sup>3</sup> 0  
(specify)
  
- Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0 L20
- Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0 L20

**L19a. Was it the same job?**

- Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0
- No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0
- Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0 L20
- Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0 L20

**L19b. When you returned, did your salary decrease, stay the same or increase from what it was before the work interruption?**

- Salary decreased ..... <sup>1</sup> 0
- Salary stayed the same .... <sup>2</sup> 0
- Salary increased ..... <sup>3</sup> 0
- Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**L20.** If the number given in L3 is greater than 2, go to L22, else go to L21.

**L21. Have you taken any other breaks of three months or longer from regular employment?**

- Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0
- No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0 M1
- Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0 M1
- Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0 M1

PREVIOUS INTERRUPTION (3):

**L22. In what year did your previous work interruption begin?**

|\_|\_|\_|

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**L23. At that time were you working mostly full-time or part-time?**

Full-time ..... 1 0  
Part-time ..... 2 0  
Other.(contract, shared  
job, etc) ..... 3 0  
(specify)

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**L24. What were the reasons you were away from work?**

(Enter maximum of 3 reasons)

Own illness, disability  
or accident ..... 01 0  
Temporary Layoff/End of  
contract ..... 02 0  
Lack of work ..... 03 0  
Business or company closure ..... 04 0  
Maternity leave/paternity  
leave ..... 05 0  
Child care ..... 06 0  
Care of the elderly ..... 07 0

Personal or family responsibilities  
(other than child care and care  
of the elderly) ..... 08 0  
Returned to school ..... 09 0  
Retired ..... 10 0 L27  
Other ..... 11 0  
(specify)

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**L25. For how long were you away from work before you returned to work on a regular basis, either full-time or part-time?**

|\_| months

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**L26. When you returned was it to work mostly full-time or part-time?**

Full-time ..... 1 0  
Part-time ..... 2 0  
Other (contract, shared  
job, etc) ..... 3 0  
(specify)  
Don't know ..... x 0 L27  
Refused ..... r 0 L27

**L26a. Was it the same job?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**L26b. When you returned, did your salary decrease, stay the same or increase from what it was before the work interruption?**

Salary decreased ..... 1 0  
Salary stayed the same .... 2 0  
Salary increased ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**L27.** If the number given in L3 is greater than 3, go to L29, else go to L28.

**L28. Have you taken any other breaks of three months or longer from regular employment?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0 M1  
Don't know ..... x 0 M1  
Refused ..... r 0 M1

PREVIOUS INTERRUPTION (4):

**L29. In what year did your previous work interruption begin?**

|\_|\_|\_|

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**L30. At that time were you working mostly full-time or part-time?**

Full-time ..... 1 0  
Part-time ..... 2 0  
Other (contract, shared  
job, etc.) ..... 3 0  
(specify)  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**L31. What were the reasons you were away from work?**  
(Enter maximum of 3 reasons)

Own illness, disability  
or accident ..... 01 0  
Temporary Layoff/End of  
contract ..... 02 0  
Lack of work ..... 03 0  
Business or company closure ..... 04 0  
Maternity leave/paternity leave ..... 05 0  
Child care ..... 06 0  
Care of the elderly ..... 07 0  
Personal or family responsibilities  
(Other than child care and care  
of the elderly) ..... 08 0  
Returned to school ..... 09 0  
Retired ..... 10 0 M1  
Other ..... 11 0  
(specify)  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0



**L32. For how long were you away from work before you returned to work on a regular basis, either full-time or part-time?**

|\_| months

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**L33. When you returned was it to work mostly full-time or part-time?**

Full-time ..... 1 0  
Part-time ..... 2 0  
Other (contract, shared  
job, etc.) ..... 3 0  
(specify)

Don't know ..... x 0 M1  
Refused ..... r 0 M1

**L33a. Was it the same job?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**L33b. When you returned, did your salary decrease, stay the same or increase from what it was before the work interruption?**

Salary decreased ..... 1 0  
Salary stayed the same .... 2 0  
Salary increased ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**SECTION M: SOCIAL ORIGIN**

**I will now ask you some questions about your parents**

**M1. When you were 15 years old, did you live with your father?**  
(Include adoptive father)

- Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0 M5
- No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0
- Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0 M14
- Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0 M14

**M2. Why was this? Was it because...**

- your father passed away?** <sup>1</sup> 0 .....
- your parents were divorced or separated?** <sup>2</sup> 0 .....
- you or your father were temporarily living away from home?** <sup>3</sup> 0 M4 .....
- Other ..... <sup>4</sup> 0
- (specify)
- Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**M3. During that time, was there a person who acted as a father substitute in your home?**

- Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0 M5
- No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0
- Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0 M14
- Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0 M14

If answer to M2 is "your father passed away" and answer to M3 is "No" then go to M14

**M4. Did you have regular contacts with your natural father?**

- Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0
- No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0 M14
- Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0 M14
- Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0 M14

**M5. When you were 15 years old, was your father's (or father's substitute) main activity working at a job or a business, looking for work, going to school, keeping house, retired or something else?**

(Enter one only)

(Note: If sickness or short-term illness is reported, ask for usual major activity)

- Working at a job or business <sup>1</sup> 0
- Looking for work . . . . . <sup>2</sup> 0 M10
- Going to school . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0 M10
- Keeping house . . . . . <sup>4</sup> 0 M10
- Retired . . . . . <sup>5</sup> 0 M10
- Something else:
- Paternity leave . . . . . <sup>6</sup> 0 M10
- Long term illness . . . . . <sup>7</sup> 0 M10
- Other . . . . . <sup>8</sup> 0 M10  
(specify)
  
- Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0 M10
- Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0 M10

**M6. For whom did he work at that job?**  
(Name of business, government department or agency, or person)

- Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0

**M7. What kind of business, industry or service was this?**  
(Give full description: e.g. federal government, canning industry, forestry services)

- Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0

**M8. What kind of work was he doing?**  
(Give full description: e.g. office clerk, factory worker, forestry technician)

- Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0

**M9. In that work, what were his most important activities or duties?**

(Give full description: e.g. filing documents, drying vegetables, forestry examiner)

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**M10. Does your father (or father's substitute) have a high school diploma?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0 M12  
Refused ..... r 0 M12

**M11. Has your father (or father's substitute) had any schooling beyond high school?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0 M13  
Refused ..... r 0 M13

If M10=1 and M11=3 go to M13

**M12. What is the highest level of education your father (or father's substitute) has attained? (Enter one only and verify whether or not studies have been completed)**

- Earned doctorate (e.g. Ph.D, D.Sc., D.Ed.) . . . . . <sup>01</sup> 0
- Some graduate studies at doctorate level . . . . . <sup>02</sup> 0
- Master's degree (e.g. M.A., M.Sc., M.Ed.) . . . . . <sup>03</sup> 0
- Some graduate studies at Master's level . . . . . <sup>04</sup> 0
- First professional degree in medicine (M.D.), dentistry (DDS., D.M.D.), veterinary medicine (D.V.M.), law (Ll.B.), optometry (O.D.) or divinity (M.DIV.), or 1-year B.Ed. after a Bachelor's degree . . <sup>05</sup> 0
- Bachelor's degree (e.g. B.A., B.Sc., B.A.Sc., B.Ed.) . . . . . <sup>06</sup> 0
- Some university . . . . . <sup>07</sup> 0
- Diploma or certificate from community college, CEGEP or nursing school . <sup>08</sup> 0
- Some community college, CEGEP or nursing school . <sup>09</sup> 0
- Diploma or certificate from trade, technical or vocational school, or business college <sup>10</sup> 0
- Some trade, technical or vocational school, or business college . . . . . <sup>11</sup> 0
- Some secondary/high school <sup>12</sup> 0
- Elementary school completed . . <sup>13</sup> 0
- Some elementary school . . . <sup>14</sup> 0
- No schooling . . . . . <sup>15</sup> 0
- Other . . . . . <sup>16</sup> 0  
(specify)
  
- Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0

**M13. In what country was he born?**  
 Canada . . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0  
**In which province or territory?**

Newfoundland . . . . . <sup>10</sup> 0  
 Prince Edward Island . . . . . <sup>11</sup> 0  
 Nova Scotia . . . . . <sup>12</sup> 0  
 New Brunswick . . . . . <sup>13</sup> 0  
 Quebec . . . . . <sup>14</sup> 0  
 Ontario . . . . . <sup>15</sup> 0  
 Manitoba . . . . . <sup>16</sup> 0  
 Saskatchewan . . . . . <sup>17</sup> 0  
 Alberta . . . . . <sup>18</sup> 0  
 British Columbia . . . . . <sup>19</sup> 0  
 Yukon Territory . . . . . <sup>20</sup> 0  
 Northwest Territories . . . . . <sup>21</sup> 0

Foreign Country . . . . . <sup>2</sup> 0  
 China . . . . . <sup>01</sup> 0  
 England . . . . . <sup>02</sup> 0  
 France . . . . . <sup>03</sup> 0  
 Germany . . . . . <sup>04</sup> 0  
 Haiti . . . . . <sup>05</sup> 0  
 Holland . . . . . <sup>06</sup> 0  
 India . . . . . <sup>07</sup> 0  
 Ireland . . . . . <sup>08</sup> 0  
 Italy . . . . . <sup>09</sup> 0  
 Jamaica . . . . . <sup>10</sup> 0  
 Philippines . . . . . <sup>11</sup> 0  
 Poland . . . . . <sup>12</sup> 0  
 Portugal . . . . . <sup>13</sup> 0  
 Scotland . . . . . <sup>14</sup> 0  
 United States . . . . . <sup>15</sup> 0  
 Commonwealth of Soviet  
 States . . . . . <sup>16</sup> 0  
 Other . . . . . <sup>17</sup> 0  
 (specify)

Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0  
 Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0

**M14. When you were 15 years old, did you live with your mother?**  
 (Include adoptive mother)

Yes . . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0 M18  
 No . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0  
 Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0 M27  
 Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0 M27

**M15. Why was this? Was it because...**

- your mother passed away? <sup>1</sup> 0
- your parents were divorced or separated? <sup>2</sup> 0
- you or your mother were temporarily living away from home? <sup>3</sup> 0 M17
- Other (specify) <sup>4</sup> 0
- Don't know <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused <sup>r</sup> 0

**M16. During that time, was there a person who acted as a mother substitute in your home?**

- Yes <sup>1</sup> 0 M18
- No <sup>3</sup> 0
- Don't know <sup>x</sup> 0 M27
- Refused <sup>r</sup> 0 M27

If answer to M15 is "your mother passed away" and answer to M16 is "No" then go to M27.

**M17. Did you have regular contacts with your natural mother?**

- Yes <sup>1</sup> 0
- No <sup>3</sup> 0 M27
- Don't know <sup>x</sup> 0 M27
- Refused <sup>r</sup> 0 M27

**M18. When you were 15 years old, was your mother's (or mother's substitute) main activity working at a job or a business, looking for work, going to school, keeping house, retired or something else?**

(Enter one only)

(Note: If sickness or short-term illness is . . . . . reported, ask for usual major activity)

- Working at a job or business . . . . .<sup>1</sup> 0
  - Looking for work . . . . .<sup>2</sup> 0 M23
  - Going to school . . . . .<sup>3</sup> 0 M23
  - Keeping house . . . . .<sup>4</sup> 0 M23
  - Retired . . . . .<sup>5</sup> 0 M23
  - Something else:
  - Maternity leave . . . . .<sup>6</sup> 0 M23
  - Long term illness . . . . .<sup>7</sup> 0 M23
  - Other . . . . .<sup>8</sup> 0 M23
- (specify)

Don't know . . . . .<sup>x</sup> 0 M23

Refused . . . . .<sup>r</sup> 0 M23

**M19. For whom did she work at that job?**

(Name of business, government department or agency, or person)

Don't know . . . . .<sup>x</sup> 0

Refused . . . . .<sup>r</sup> 0

**M20. What kind of business, industry was this?** (Give full description: e.g. federal government, canning industry, forestry service)

Don't know . . . . .<sup>x</sup> 0

Refused . . . . .<sup>r</sup> 0



**M21. What kind of work was she doing?**  
(Give full description: e.g. office clerk, factory worker, forestry technician)

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**M22. In that work, what were her most important activities or duties?**  
(Give full description: e.g. filing documents, drying vegetables, forestry examiner)

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**M23. Does your mother (or mother's substitute) have a high school diploma?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0 M25  
Refused ..... r 0 M25

**M24. Has your mother (or mother's substitute) had any schooling beyond high school?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0 M26  
Refused ..... r 0 M26

If M23=1 and M24=3 go to M26

**M25. What is the highest level of education your mother (or mother's substitute) has attained?**  
 (Enter one only and verify whether or Not . . . . . studies have been completed)

- Earned doctorate (e.g. D.Sc.,  
D.Ed.) . . . . . <sup>01</sup> 0
- Some graduate studies at  
doctorate level . . . . . <sup>02</sup> 0
- Master's degree (e.g. M.A., M.Sc.,  
M.Ed.) . . . . . <sup>03</sup> 0
- Some graduate studies at  
Master's level . . . . . <sup>04</sup> 0
- First professional degree  
in medicine (M.D.),dentistry  
(DDS., D.M.D.),veterinary  
medicine (D.V.M.), law  
(L.I.B.), optometry (O.D.) or  
divinity (M.DIV.), or 1-year  
B.Ed. after a  
Bachelor's degree . . . . . <sup>05</sup> 0
- Bachelor's degree (e.g. B.A.,B.Sc.,  
B.A.Sc., B.Ed.) . . . . . <sup>06</sup> 0
- Some university . . . . . <sup>07</sup> 0
- Diploma or certificate  
from community college,  
CEGEP or nursing school . . <sup>08</sup> 0
- Some community college,  
CEGEP or nursing school . <sup>09</sup> 0
- Diploma or certificate from  
trade, technical or vocational  
school, or business college <sup>10</sup> 0
- Some trade, technical or  
vocational school, or  
business college . . . . . <sup>11</sup> 0
- Some secondary/high school <sup>12</sup> 0
- Elementary school completed <sup>13</sup> 0
- Some elementary school . . . <sup>14</sup> 0
- No schooling . . . . . <sup>15</sup> 0
- Other . . . . . <sup>16</sup> 0  
(specify)
  
- Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0

**M26. In what country was she born?**

Canada ..... 0

**In which province or territory?**

Newfoundland ..... <sup>10</sup> 0

Prince Edward Island ..... <sup>11</sup> 0

Nova Scotia ..... <sup>12</sup> 0

New Brunswick ..... <sup>13</sup> 0

Quebec ..... <sup>14</sup> 0

Ontario ..... <sup>15</sup> 0

Manitoba ..... <sup>16</sup> 0

Saskatchewan ..... <sup>17</sup> 0

Alberta ..... <sup>18</sup> 0

British Columbia ..... <sup>19</sup> 0

Yukon Territory ..... <sup>20</sup> 0

Northwest Territories ..... <sup>21</sup> 0

Foreign Country ..... <sup>2</sup> 0

China ..... <sup>01</sup> 0

England ..... <sup>02</sup> 0

France ..... <sup>03</sup> 0

Germany ..... <sup>04</sup> 0

Haiti ..... <sup>05</sup> 0

Holland ..... <sup>06</sup> 0

India ..... <sup>07</sup> 0

Ireland ..... <sup>08</sup> 0

Italy ..... <sup>09</sup> 0

Jamaica ..... <sup>10</sup> 0

Philippines ..... <sup>11</sup> 0

Poland ..... <sup>12</sup> 0

Portugal ..... <sup>13</sup> 0

Scotland ..... <sup>14</sup> 0

United States ..... <sup>15</sup> 0

Commonwealth of Soviet  
States ..... <sup>16</sup> 0

Other ..... <sup>17</sup> 0

(specify)

Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0

Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**M27. How many brothers do you have?**  
(Including step/half-brothers, adopted brothers or brothers that died)

|\_| brothers

Don't know ..... x 0 N1

Refused ..... r 0 N1

**M28. How many sisters do you have?**  
(Including step/ half-sisters, adopted sisters or sisters that died)

|\_| sisters

Don't know ..... x 0 N1

Refused ..... r 0 N1

Compute the number of children in the family (M27+M28+1) and place this number in the following question, unless the sum equals 1; then go to N1.

**M30. Amongst the "X" children of your family, which rank do you hold ?**  
(rank "1" should be given to the eldest)

|\_| rank

Don't know ..... x 0

Refused ..... r 0





**SECTION N: COMPUTER USE AND RELATED MATERIAL**

**N1. Have you ever taken any courses on how to use computers?**

Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0  
No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**N2. Can you do anything on a computer (excluding video games, e.g. Nintendo), for example, word processing or data entry?**

Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0  
No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0 N4  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0 N4  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0 N4

**N3. In the last 12 months, have you done any of the following on a computer?**

**a) Playing games?**

Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0  
No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**b) Word processing?**

Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0  
No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**c) Data entry?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**d) Record keeping?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**e) Data analysis?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**f) Writing computer programs?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**g) Use an on-line dataservice such as ..... COMPUSERVE, INTERNET OR PRODIGY?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**h) Anything else?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
(specify)  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0



**N4. Do you have a personal computer at home (excluding video games like Nintendo)?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0 N7  
Don't know ..... x 0 N7  
Refused ..... r 0 N7

**N5. Do you personally use that computer?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0 N7  
Don't know ..... x 0 N7  
Refused ..... r 0 N7

**N6. How many hours per week do you normally use it?**

[\_|\_] hours

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**N7. In the past 12 months, did you use the following devices, at least once a week, at least once a month, less than once a month or never?**

**a) Automated Banking Machine?**

At least once a week ..... 1 0  
At least once a month ..... 2 0  
Less than a month ..... 3 0  
Never ..... 4 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**b) Video Cassette Recorder?**

At least once a week ..... 1 0  
At least once a month ..... 2 0  
Less than a month ..... 3 0  
Never ..... 4 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

c) **Fax Machine?**

- At least once a week . . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0
- At least once a month . . . . . <sup>2</sup> 0
- Less than a month . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0
- Never . . . . . <sup>4</sup> 0
- Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0

d) **Telephone Answering Machine?**

- At least once a week . . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0
- At least once a month . . . . . <sup>2</sup> 0
- Less than a month . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0
- Never . . . . . <sup>4</sup> 0
- Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0

e) **Photocopier?**

- At least once a week . . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0
- At least once a month . . . . . <sup>2</sup> 0
- Less than a month . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0
- Never . . . . . <sup>4</sup> 0
- Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0

**N8. The next few questions refer to unpaid activities.**

**N9. During the past 7 days, how many hours did you spend doing the following activities?**

a) **Looking after one or more of your own children, or the children of others, WITHOUT PAY?**

(Some examples include: swimming or playing with young children, driving children to sports activities, helping with homework, talking with teens about their problems)

- None <sup>1</sup> 0
- Less than 5 hours . . . . . <sup>2</sup> 0
- 5 to 14 hours . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0
- 15 to 29 hours . . . . . <sup>4</sup> 0
- 30 to 44 hours . . . . . <sup>5</sup> 0
- 45 to 59 hours . . . . . <sup>6</sup> 0
- 60 hours or more . . . . . <sup>7</sup> 0
- Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0

**(b) Doing UNPAID HOUSEWORK, yard work or home maintenance for members of this household, or others ?**

(Some examples include: preparing meals, doing laundry, household planning, shopping and cutting the grass)

None <sup>1</sup> 0  
Less than 5 hours ..... <sup>2</sup> 0  
5 to 14 hours ..... <sup>3</sup> 0  
15 to 29 hours ..... <sup>4</sup> 0  
30 to 44 hours ..... <sup>5</sup> 0  
45 to 59 hours ..... <sup>6</sup> 0  
60 hours or more ..... <sup>7</sup> 0  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**© Providing UNPAID CARE or assistance to one or more seniors ?**

(Some examples include: visiting, talking with seniors on the telephone, helping with shopping, banking, or with taking medication, driving to appointments or other activities)

None <sup>1</sup> 0  
Less than 5 hours ..... <sup>2</sup> 0  
5 to 9 hours ..... <sup>3</sup> 0  
10 or more ..... <sup>4</sup> 0  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**(d) Providing UNPAID CARE or assistance to persons other than children or seniors ?**

(Some examples include: helping with banking, driving to appointments, house-sitting for neighbours)

None ..... <sup>1</sup> 0  
Less than 5 hours ..... <sup>2</sup> 0  
5 to 9 hours ..... <sup>3</sup> 0  
10 or more ..... <sup>4</sup> 0  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**N10. During the past 7 days, how many hours did you spend doing VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES for a non-profit organization, a religious organization, a charity or a community group ?**

(Some examples include: organizing a special event, advocating for a cause, canvassing or fundraising, coaching or teaching, serving on a committee or board of directors)

None . . . . .	<sup>1</sup> 0
Less than 5 hours . . . . .	<sup>2</sup> 0
5 to 9 hours . . . . .	<sup>3</sup> 0
10 or more . . . . .	<sup>4</sup> 0
Don't know . . . . .	<sup>x</sup> 0
Refused . . . . .	<sup>r</sup> 0

**SECTION P: OTHER CLASSIFICATION**

**P1. Now, I'd like to ask you a few general questions.**

**P2. What is your date of birth?**

|\_| |\_| |\_|\_|\_|  
Day Month Year

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**P3. In what country were you born?**

Canada .....	<sup>1</sup> 0
<b>In which province or territory?</b>	
Newfoundland .....	<sup>10</sup> 0
Prince Edward Island .....	<sup>11</sup> 0
Nova Scotia .....	<sup>12</sup> 0
New Brunswick .....	<sup>13</sup> 0
Quebec .....	<sup>14</sup> 0
Ontario .....	<sup>15</sup> 0
Manitoba .....	<sup>16</sup> 0
Saskatchewan .....	<sup>17</sup> 0
Alberta .....	<sup>18</sup> 0
British Columbia .....	<sup>19</sup> 0
Yukon Territory .....	<sup>20</sup> 0
Northwest Territories .....	<sup>21</sup> 0
<b>Foreign Country</b> .....	
China .....	<sup>01</sup> 0
England .....	<sup>02</sup> 0
France .....	<sup>03</sup> 0
Germany .....	<sup>04</sup> 0
Haiti .....	<sup>05</sup> 0
Holland .....	<sup>06</sup> 0
India .....	<sup>07</sup> 0
Ireland .....	<sup>08</sup> 0
Italy .....	<sup>09</sup> 0
Jamaica .....	<sup>10</sup> 0
Philippines .....	<sup>11</sup> 0
Poland .....	<sup>12</sup> 0
Portugal .....	<sup>13</sup> 0
Scotland .....	<sup>14</sup> 0
United States .....	<sup>15</sup> 0
Commonwealth of Soviet States .....	<sup>16</sup> 0
Other .....	<sup>17</sup> 0
(specify)	
Don't know .....	<sup>x</sup> 0 P5
Refused .....	<sup>r</sup> 0 P5

If P3 = one Canadian province, go to P5.

**P4. In what year did you first immigrate to Canada?**

|\_|\_|\_|\_|

- Canadian citizen by birth . . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0
- Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0

**P5. What language did you first speak in childhood?**  
(Accept multiple responses only if languages were used equally.)

**P5A. Do you still understand . . . . . that/those lan-**  
**guage(s)?** . . . . .

	Yes	No
English. . . . . <sup>01</sup> 0		
French. . . . . <sup>02</sup> 0	. . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0 . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0	
Italian. . . . . <sup>03</sup> 0	. . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0 . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0	
Chinese. . . . . <sup>04</sup> 0	. . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0 . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0	
German. . . . . <sup>05</sup> 0	. . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0 . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0	
Portuguese. . . . . <sup>06</sup> 0	. . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0 . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0	
Polish. . . . . <sup>07</sup> 0	. . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0 . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0	
Ukrainian. . . . . <sup>08</sup> 0	. . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0 . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0	
Spanish. . . . . <sup>09</sup> 0	. . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0 . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0	
Dutch. . . . . <sup>10</sup> 0	. . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0 . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0	
Greek. . . . . <sup>11</sup> 0	. . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0 . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0	
Punjabi. . . . . <sup>12</sup> 0	. . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0 . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0	
Arabic. . . . . <sup>13</sup> 0	. . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0 . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0	
Tagalog (Pilipino). . . . . <sup>14</sup> 0	. . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0 . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0	
Hungarian. . . . . <sup>15</sup> 0	. . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0 . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0	
Other. . . . . <sup>16</sup> 0	. . . . . <sup>1</sup> 0 . . . . . <sup>3</sup> 0	

(specify)

- Don't know . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0

**P6. What language do you speak most often at home?**  
 (Accept multiple responses only if languages are spoken equally)

English	01	0
French	02	0
Chinese	03	0
Italian	04	0
Portuguese	05	0
Spanish	06	0
German	07	0
Polish	08	0
Punjabi	09	0
Greek	10	0
Vietnamese	11	0
Arabic	12	0
Cree	13	0
Tagalog (Pilipino)	14	0
Ukrainian	15	0
Other	16	0
(specify)		
Don't know	x	0
Refused	r	0

**P7. What is your religion?**

No religion	00	0	P9
Roman Catholic	01	0	
Ukrainian Catholic	02	0	
United Church	03	0	
Anglican	04	0	
Presbyterian	05	0	
Lutheran	06	0	
Baptist	07	0	
Pentecostal	08	0	
Eastern Orthodox	09	0	
Jewish	10	0	
Islam (Muslim)	11	0	
Hindu	12	0	
Buddhist	13	0	
Sikh	14	0	
Jehovah's Witnesses	15	0	
Other	16	0	
(specify)			
Don't know	x	0	P9
Refused	r	0	P9

**P8. Other than on special occasions, (such as weddings, funerals or baptisms) how often did you attend religious services or meetings in the last 12 months? Was it...**



**at least once a week?**                    1 0                    .....  
**at least once a month?**                2 0                    .....  
**a few times a year?**                    3 0                    .....  
**at least once a year?**                4 0                    .....  
**Not at all?**                                5 0 .....  
 Don't know ..... x 0  
 Refused ..... r 0

**P8b. The next few questions concern your physical condition.**

**P9. Compared to other people your age, how would you describe your state of health? Would you say it is...**

**Excellent?**                                1 0 .....  
**Very good?**                               2 0 .....  
**Good?**                                     3 0 .....  
**Fair?**                                       4 0 .....  
**Poor?**                                      5 0 .....  
 Don't know ..... x 0  
 Refused ..... r 0

**P9a. How tall are you without your shoes on?**

|\_|\_| |\_|\_| or |\_|            |\_|\_|\_|\_|  
 Feet   Inches   metre   Centimetres  
  
 Don't know ..... x 0  
 Refused ..... r 0

**P9B. How much do you weigh?**

|\_|\_|\_| or |\_|\_|\_|  
 Pounds   Kilograms  
  
 Don't know ..... x 0  
 Refused ..... r 0

**P10. Are you limited in the amount or kind of activity you can do at home, at work or at school because of a long-term physical condition or health problem?**  
 (By long-term, we mean more than 6 months)

Yes ..... 1 0  
 No ..... 3 0 P12  
 Don't know ..... x 0 P12  
 Refused ..... r 0 P12

**P11. What is the main condition or health ..... problem that limits you?**

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**P12. During the past twelve months, from which of the following sources, did you personally receive an income?**

**a) From wages, salary or self-employment?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0  
No source of income ..... 5 0

**b) From government, such as Family Allowance, employment Insurance, Social Assistance, Canada or Quebec Pension Plan or Old Age Security?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**c) From interest, dividends, investments?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**d) From private pensions?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**e) From any other sources, such as scholarships, child support payments etc.?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0  
Other ..... 5 0  
(specify)

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0





**P13a-1. Could you give us an estimation of your current wage or salary before deductions from all sources. Is it...**

**P13a-2. Could you give us an estimation of your current wage or salary coming from the job at which you spend the most hours, before deductions from all sources. Is it ...**

		Less than
\$5,000 ? <sup>1</sup> 0		
	Less than \$10,000? <sup>1</sup> 0 or	\$ -
5,000 and more? <sup>2</sup> 0		
Less than 20,000? <sup>1</sup> 0	or	Less than \$-
15,000? <sup>1</sup> 0		
	\$10,000 and more? <sup>2</sup> 0	or \$15,000 and
more? <sup>2</sup> 0 or		
30,000? <sup>1</sup> 0		Less than \$-
	Less than \$40,000? <sup>1</sup> 0	or \$30,000 and
more? <sup>2</sup> 0 \$20,000 and more? <sup>2</sup> 0		
	or	Less than \$-
50,000? <sup>1</sup> 0		
than		\$50,000 to less
<sup>2</sup> 0		\$60,000?
than	\$40,000 and more? <sup>2</sup> 0	\$60,000 to less
<sup>3</sup> 0		\$80,000?
than		\$80,000 to less
<sup>4</sup> 0		\$100,000
more? <sup>5</sup> 0		\$100,000 an
No income or loss . . . . .	<sup>0</sup> 0	
Don't know . . . . .	<sup>x</sup> 0	
Refused . . . . .	<sup>r</sup> 0	

**P14. During the last 12 months, what has been your wage or salary coming from the job at which you spend the most hours, before deductions from all sources?**

\$ | | | | | | | | . | | | |  
 Hourly           <sup>1</sup> 0 P14b  
 Daily           <sup>2</sup> 0 P14b  
 Weekly         <sup>3</sup> 0 P14b  
 Every two weeks . . . . . <sup>4</sup> 0 P14b  
 Twice a month <sup>5</sup> 0 P14b  
 Monthly       <sup>6</sup> 0 P14b  
 Yearly         <sup>7</sup> 0 P14b  
 Other          <sup>8</sup> 0 P14b  
 (specify)  
 No income or loss . . . . . <sup>0</sup> 0 P14b  
 Don't know       . . . . . <sup>x</sup> 0  
 Refused         . . . . . <sup>r</sup> 0

**P14a. Could you give us an estimation of your wage or salary coming from the job at which you spend the most hours, before deductions from all sources. Is it...**

than \$5,000 ? <sup>1</sup> 0		<b>L e s s</b>
	<b>Less than \$10,000? <sup>1</sup>0</b>	<b>or</b>
<b>5,000 and more? <sup>2</sup>0</b>		<b>\$ -</b>
<b>Less than 20,000? <sup>1</sup>0</b>	<b>or</b>	<b>L e s s</b>
<b>than \$15,000? <sup>1</sup>0</b>		
<b>or</b>	<b>\$10,000 and more? <sup>2</sup>0</b>	
<b>and more? <sup>2</sup>0</b>		<b>\$15,000</b>
<b>or</b>		
<b>than \$30,000? <sup>1</sup>0</b>		<b>L e s s</b>
<b>or</b>	<b>Less than \$40,000? <sup>1</sup>0</b>	
<b>30,000 and more? <sup>2</sup>0</b>		<b>\$ -</b>
<b>\$20,000 and more? <sup>2</sup>0</b>		
	<b>or</b>	<b>L e s s</b>
<b>than \$50,000? <sup>1</sup>0</b>		<b>\$50,000</b>
<b>to less than</b>		<b>\$ -</b>
<b>60,000? <sup>2</sup>0</b>		
	<b>\$40,000 and more? <sup>2</sup>0</b>	<b>\$60,000</b>
<b>to less than</b>		<b>\$ -</b>
<b>80,000? <sup>3</sup>0</b>		<b>\$80,000</b>
<b>to less than</b>		<b>\$ -</b>
<b>100,000 <sup>4</sup>0</b>		<b>\$ -</b>
<b>100,000 and more? <sup>5</sup>0</b>		<b>\$ -</b>
No income or loss . . . . .	<sup>0</sup> 0	
Don't know . . . . .	<sup>x</sup> 0	
Refused . . . . .	<sup>r</sup> 0	







**P14c. What is your best estimate of your own personal income before deductions from all sources during the past 12 months? Was your income...**

Same as P13 or P14 ..... <sup>1</sup>0

		Less than
<b>\$5,000 ? <sup>1</sup>0</b>		
	<b>Less than \$10,000? <sup>1</sup>0</b>	
	or	\$ -
<b>5,000 and more? <sup>2</sup>0</b>		
<b>Less than 20,000? <sup>1</sup>0</b>	or	Less than \$-
<b>15,000? <sup>1</sup>0</b>		or
<b>more? <sup>2</sup>0</b>	<b>\$10,000 and more? <sup>2</sup>0</b>	<b>\$15,000 and</b>
<b>or</b>		
<b>30,000? <sup>1</sup>0</b>		Less than \$-
<b>more? <sup>2</sup>0</b>	<b>Less than \$40,000? <sup>1</sup>0</b>	or
<b>\$20,000 and more? <sup>2</sup>0</b>		<b>\$30,000 and</b>
	or	Less than \$-
<b>50,000? <sup>1</sup>0</b>		<b>\$50,000 to less</b>
<b>than</b>		<b>\$60,000?</b>
<b><sup>2</sup>0</b>	<b>\$40,000 and more? <sup>2</sup>0</b>	<b>\$60,000 to less</b>
<b>than</b>		<b>\$80,000?</b>
<b><sup>3</sup>0</b>		<b>\$80,000 to less</b>
<b>than</b>		<b>\$100,000</b>
<b><sup>4</sup>0</b>		<b>\$100,000 an</b>
<b>more? <sup>5</sup>0</b>		
No income or loss ..... <sup>0</sup> 0		
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0		
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0		

If a response was given in K2, H72 or J26 go to P14d, otherwise go to P15.



**P14d. Comparing your financial situation at the time day, would you say that you are now... when you retired with your situation to-**

**better off?** .....1.0 P14e  
**worse off?** .....2.0 P14f  
**about the same?** .....3.0 P15  
Don't know ..... x 0 P15  
Refused ..... r 0 P15

**P14e. Has your financial situation improved...**

**a great deal?** .....1.0  
**somewhat?** .....2.0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

go to P15

**P14f. Has your financial situation worsened...**

**a great deal?** .....1.0  
**somewhat?** .....2.0  
Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

If the respondent is living with his/her spouse or partner continue with P16, otherwise go to P21.

**P16. What is the highest level of education your spouse/partner attained?**

Earned doctorate (e.g. Ph.D, D.Sc., D.Ed.) . . . . .	01	0
Some graduate studies at the doctorate level . . . . .	02	0
Master's degree (e.g. M.A., M.Sc., M.Ed.) . . . . .	03	0
Some graduate studies at the Master's level . . . . .	04	0
First professional degree in medicine (M.D.) dentistry (DDS., D.M.D.), veterinary medicine (D.V.M.), law (Ll.B.), optometry (O.D.) or divinity (M.DIV.), or 1-year B.Ed. after a Bachelor's degree (e.g. B.A.,B.Sc., B.A.Sc., B.Ed.) . . . . .	05	0
Bachelor's degree . . . . .	06	0
Some university . . . . .	07	0
Diploma or certificate from community college, GEGEP or nursing school . . . . .	08	0
Some community college, CEGEP or nursing school . . . . .	09	0
Diploma or certificate from trade, technical or vocational school, or business college . . . . .	10	0
Some trade, technical or vocational school, or business college . . . . .	11	0
High school diploma . . . . .	12	0
Some secondary/high school . . . . .	13	0
Elementary school . . . . .	14	0
Some elementary school . . . . .	15	0
Number of years completed     _		
No schooling . . . . .	16	0
Other . . . . .	17	0
(specify)		
Don't know . . . . .	x	0
Refused . . . . .	r	0

**P17. During the last 12 months, was your spouse's/partner's main activity working at a job or business, looking for work , going to school, keeping house, retired or something else?**

(Note: if sickness or short term illness is reported, ask for spouse's usual major activity)

Working at a job or business . . . . .	1	0	P19
Looking for work . . . . .	2	0	
Going to school . . . . .	3	0	
Keeping house . . . . .	4	0	
Retired . . . . .	5	0	
Something else			
Maternity/paternity leave . . . . .	6	0	
Long term illness . . . . .	7	0	

Other ..... 8 0  
(specify)

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**P18. Did your spouse/partner have a job or was he/she self-employed at any time during the last 12 months?**

Yes ..... 1 0  
No ..... 3 0 P20  
Don't know ..... x 0 P20  
Refused ..... r 0 P20

**P19. During the last 12 months, for how many months or weeks did your spouse/partner do any work at a job or a business?**

(Include vacation, illness, strikes, lock-outs and maternity/ paternity leave)

|\_| months

|\_| weeks

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

In one-person households go to P23.

**P21. Not including yourself, how many other household members received income from any source, during the past 12 months?**

|\_| members

Don't know ..... x 0  
Refused ..... r 0

**P22. What is your best estimate of the total income of all household members from all sources during the past 12 months? Was the total household income...**

Same as in P13 or P14 ..... <sup>1</sup> 0

		<b>L e s s</b>
than \$5,000 ? <sup>1</sup> 0		
	<b>Less than \$10,000? <sup>1</sup> 0</b>	<b>or</b>
		<b>\$ -</b>
5,000 and more? <sup>2</sup> 0		
	<b>or</b>	<b>L e s s</b>
Less than 20,000? <sup>1</sup> 0		
than \$15,000? <sup>1</sup> 0		
or		
	<b>\$10,000 and more? <sup>2</sup> 0</b>	<b>\$15,000</b>
and more? <sup>2</sup> 0		
	<b>or</b>	<b>L e s s</b>
than \$30,000? <sup>1</sup> 0		
or	<b>Less than \$40,000? <sup>1</sup> 0</b>	
		<b>\$-</b>
30,000 and more? <sup>2</sup> 0		
	<b>or</b>	<b>L e s s</b>
\$20,000 and more? <sup>2</sup> 0		
than \$50,000? <sup>1</sup> 0		<b>\$50,000</b>
to less than		
		<b>\$ -</b>
60,000? <sup>2</sup> 0		
	<b>\$40,000 and more? <sup>2</sup> 0</b>	<b>\$60,000</b>
to less than		
		<b>\$ -</b>
80,000? <sup>3</sup> 0		<b>\$80,000</b>
to less than		
		<b>\$ -</b>
100,000 <sup>4</sup> 0		<b>\$ -</b>
100,000 and more? <sup>5</sup> 0		
No income or loss ..... <sup>0</sup> 0		
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0		
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0		





**P23. In what type of dwelling are you now living? Is it a...**

- Single detached house? <sup>1</sup> 0 .....
- Semi-detached or double?  
(side by side) ..... <sup>2</sup> 0
- Garden house, town-house  
or row house? <sup>3</sup> 0 .....
- Duplex? (one above the other) <sup>4</sup> 0
- Low-rise apartment?  
(less than five stories) .... <sup>5</sup> 0
- High-rise apartment?  
(5 or more stories) ..... <sup>6</sup> 0
- Trailer house? <sup>7</sup> 0 .....
- Another type of dwelling? <sup>8</sup> 0 ...  
(specify)
  
- Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**P24. Is this dwelling owned by a member of this household?**

- Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0
- No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0
- Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**P25. What is your postal code (for this residence)?**

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

- Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0
- Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0

**P26. Do you have more than one telephone in your home?**

- Yes ..... <sup>1</sup> 0
- No ..... <sup>3</sup> 0 P32
- Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup> 0 P32
- Refused ..... <sup>r</sup> 0 P32

**P27. Do all the telephones have the same number?**

Yes ..... <sup>1</sup>0 P32  
No ..... <sup>3</sup>0  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup>0 P32  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup>0 P32

**Households with more than one telephone number have a greater chance of being selected by the survey. We ask these questions to adjust for this.**

**P29. How many numbers are there?**

|\_| numbers

Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup>0 P32  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup>0 P32

**P30. Are any of these numbers for business use only?**

Yes ..... <sup>1</sup>0  
No ..... <sup>3</sup>0 P32  
Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup>0 P32  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup>0 P32

**P31. How many are for business use only?**

|\_| Business numbers

Don't know ..... <sup>x</sup>0  
Refused ..... <sup>r</sup>0

**This survey is part of a long-term project to investigate the relationship between education and work. For this reason, we may need to contact your household in a year or more from now. In case you move or change phone numbers, we would like to obtain your complete name and address. This information will be kept strictly confidential and will only be used to maintain contact with you.**

Refused to provide information <sup>1</sup> 0 P39  
Refused to participate in future  
surveys . . . . . <sup>2</sup> 0 P39

**P33. What is your surname?**

**P34. What is your address?**

Street and Number/Lot and Concession

City, Town, Village, Municipality

Province, Territory

**P35. Would you please give me the name, address and telephone number of someone we could contact if you move, such as a friend, relative or neighbour. (I want to emphasize that we will contact this person only if you move and then only to obtain your new address or telephone number).**

Unable to provide contact . . <sup>1</sup> 0 P39

**P36. What is the name of the contact?**

Given Name  
Surname

**P37.** What is the address of the contact?

Street and Number/Lot and Concession

City, Town, Village Municipality

Province, Territory

Postal Code

**P38. What is the telephone number of the contact?**

|\_|\_|\_|-|\_|\_|\_|-|\_|\_|\_|

Thank the respondent and end the interview.