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*Variable:*     **SEQID**            *Position:*     1            *Length:*     5

Record sequence id

*Allowed Min:* 00001

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FREQ	WTD
0	0

*Variable:*     **FAMTYPE**        *Position:*     6            *Length:*     1

Identifying multi-family households, one person households, single family households without unmarried children under the age of 18 and single family households with unmarried children under the age of 18

		FREQ	WTD
1	Single family hhld with unmarried children < 18	14,150	4,018,635
2	Single family household without unmarried children <18	15,222	4,313,183
3	One person households	9,545	2,822,094
4	Multi family households	1,564	531,818
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*       All respondents

*Variable:*     **UNDER18**        *Position:*     7            *Length:*     1

Does the household have members under the age of 18?

		FREQ	WTD
1	No children under the age of 18	26,017	7,569,797
2	Yes, children under the age of 18	14,464	4,115,933
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*       All respondents

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*Variable:*     **PROV**           *Position:*     8           *Length:*     2

Province

		FREQ	WTD
10	Newfoundland	1,462	198,120
11	Prince Edward Island	1,184	51,749
12	Nova Scotia	2,800	366,259
13	New Brunswick	2,514	292,598
24	Québec	8,384	3,037,373
35	Ontario	12,279	4,299,675
46	Manitoba	2,849	433,896
47	Saskatchewan	2,534	395,612
48	Alberta	3,001	1,066,354
59	British Columbia, Yukon	3,474	1,544,094
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*     All respondents

*Variable:*     **EFAMSIZE**   *Position:*     10          *Length:*     2

Economic family size

*Observed Min:* 01           *Observed Max:* 05

		FREQ	WTD
01:99	Person(s)	0	0

*Coverage:*     All respondents

*Variable:*     **URURAL**       *Position:*     12          *Length:*     1

Urban/Rural identifier

		FREQ	WTD
0	Urban	30,014	9,791,379
1	Rural	10,467	1,894,351
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

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*Variable:*      **CMATAB**      *Position:*      13      *Length:*      2

This item indicates the Census Metropolitan Area (CMA) in which the surveyed unit is located. Population figures used to classify this variable were obtained from the 1991 Census and apply to the 1991 population covered by the Labour Force Survey within 1996 Census boundaries to conform with the sample design. Only selected CMAs are coded.

		FREQ	WTD
1	Halifax	612	141,199
2	Québec	592	305,661
3	Montréal	1,682	1,425,509
4	Ottawa (Ontario portion of Ottawa/Hull)	714	325,169
5	Toronto	2,150	1,629,369
6	Kitchener-Waterloo	667	149,203
7	Hamilton	550	250,335
8	St. Catherines-Niagara	577	148,081
9	London	636	170,188
00	Not applicable	27,336	5,171,159
10	Windsor	416	110,209
11	Winnipeg	1,458	287,745
12	Calgary	685	332,744
13	Edmonton	823	350,265
14	Vancouver	1,219	744,230
15	Victoria	364	144,664
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*      All respondents

*Variable:*      **RUNDER18**      *Position:*      15      *Length:*      1

Flag identifying whether the respondent was under the age of 18 or not

		FREQ	WTD
1	Respondent over 17 years of age	40,252	11,618,068
2	Respondent under 18 years of age	229	67,662
		=====	=====
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*Variable:*     **HDFSSTAT**    *Position:*     16            *Length:*        1

Labour force status identifier of head of household

		FREQ	WTD
	Blanks	179	43,074
1	Employed, paid worker	23,324	6,925,057
2	Employed, self employed	1,422	405,270
3	Unemployed	138	37,075
4	Not in the labour force	1,747	509,227
5	Unemployed, future start	40	12,480
6	Not in the Labour Force, able to work	11,985	3,335,215
7	Not in the Labour Force, permanently unable to work	1,646	418,333
9	Out of scope	0	0
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*        All respondents

*Variable:*     **HAGE**            *Position:*     17            *Length:*        1

Age of head of household

		FREQ	WTD
1	< 35 years	8,675	2,590,507
2	35 - 54 years	17,581	5,126,621
3	55 - 64 years	5,406	1,553,580
4	65+ years	8,819	2,415,021
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*        All respondents

*Variable:*     **HSEX**            *Position:*     18            *Length:*        1

		FREQ	WTD
1	Male	30,217	8,613,005
2	Female	10,264	3,072,725
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*        All respondents

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*Variable:*     **HMARSTAT**   *Position:*     19           *Length:*     1

Marital status of head of household

		FREQ	WTD
1	Married	25,615	7,212,182
2	Single never married	6,071	1,940,573
3	Widow or widower	4,285	1,167,770
4	Separated or divorced	4,510	1,365,205
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*     All respondents

*Variable:*     **HEDUCL**     *Position:*     20           *Length:*     1

Education of head of household

		FREQ	WTD
1	Less than high school	13,219	3,370,408
2	High school or college - no university degree	21,728	6,403,016
3	University Degree	5,534	1,912,306
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Variable:*     **Q01A**           *Position:*     21           *Length:*     2

Has anyone in the household ever used computer communications (like electronic banking, E-mail, Internet) from home, work, school or any other location?

		FREQ	WTD
		0	0
01	Yes	14,730	4,452,000
02	No	25,653	7,200,437
97	Don't know	82	28,911
98	Refused	16	4,382
99	Not stated	0	0
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

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*Variable:*      **Q01B**                      *Position:*      23                      *Length:*      2

In a typical month, does anyone in the household use computer communications?

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	11,095	3,429,200
02	No	3,604	1,011,957
96	Valid Skip	25,653	7,200,437
97	Don't know	8	2,567
98	Refused	2	359
99	Not Stated	119	41,211
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*              All answering `yes' to Q01A

*Note:* This question is intended to exclude those households in which someone may have used computer communications a few times (for example, at a friends house), but who can not really be describe as `users' in the normal sense of the word. It is also designed to include those who may not have used them recently (e.g. last month, perhaps because they were unemployed or on vacation from school or work), but who do so under normal circumstances. It is also intended to include people who have only recently started to use them - so the last month may not be typical of previous months, but likely will be typical of future months.

*Variable:*      **Q02A**                      *Position:*      25                      *Length:*      2

Do any of the household members aged 18 and over use computer communications in a typical month?

		FREQ	WTD
		0	0
01	Yes	4,812	1,422,097
02	No	621	151,099
96	Valid Skip	34,987	10,092,440
97	Don't know	2	347
98	Refused	0	0
99	Not Stated	59	19,746
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*              All answering `yes' to Q01B

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*Variable:*     **Q02B**                    *Position:*     27                    *Length:*     2

Do any of the household members aged under 18 use computer communications in a typical month?

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	3,010	834,560
02	No	2,415	736,399
96	Valid Skip	34,987	10,092,440
97	Don't know	8	1,815
98	Refused	0	0
99	Not Stated	61	20,516
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*           All answering `yes` to Q01B

*Variable:*     **Q03A**                    *Position:*     29                    *Length:*     2

In a typical month, do any members of your household (aged 18 and over) use computer communications at home?

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	5,569	1,814,031
02	No	4,880	1,451,390
96	Valid Skip	29,877	8,363,309
97	Don't know	2	1,516
98	Refused	3	2,221
99	Not Stated	150	53,263
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*           Those with positive responses in Q02A

*Variable:*     **Q03B**                    *Position:*     31                    *Length:*     2

In a typical month, do any members of your household (aged 18 and over) use computer communications at work?

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	7,217	2,320,331
02	No	3,217	938,973
96	Valid Skip	29,877	8,363,309
97	Don't know	13	7,023
98	Refused	0	0
99	Not Stated	157	56,094
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*           Those with positive responses in Q02A

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*Variable:*      **Q03C**                      *Position:*      33                      *Length:*      2

In a typical month, do any members of your household (aged 18 and over) use computer communications at school, college or university where they are studying?

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	2,417	725,791
02	No	8,009	2,532,667
96	Valid Skip	29,877	8,363,309
97	Don't know	15	5,072
98	Refused	1	205
99	Not stated	162	58,687
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*              Those with positive responses in Q02A

*Variable:*      **Q03D**                      *Position:*      35                      *Length:*      2

In a typical month, do any members of your household (aged 18 and over) use computer communications at a public library?

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	1,081	352,376
02	No	9,353	2,908,473
96	Valid Skip	29,877	8,363,309
97	Don't know	7	3,180
98	Refused	1	124
99	Not Stated	162	58,268
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*              Those with positive responses in Q02A



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*Variable:*     **Q03E**                    *Position:*     37                    *Length:*     2

In a typical month, do any members of your household (aged 18 and over) use computer communications at a location that we have not yet mentioned?

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	921	271,178
02	No	9,516	2,991,684
96	Valid Skip	29,877	8,363,309
97	Don't know	4	1,176
98	Refused	0	0
99	Not Stated	163	58,382
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*           Those with positive responses in Q02A

*Variable:*     **Q04A**                    *Position:*     39                    *Length:*     2

In a typical month, do any members of your household under the age of 18 use computer communications at home?

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	1,719	519,924
02	No	1,285	311,849
96	Valid Skip	37,402	10,828,839
97	Don't know	0	0
98	Refused	1	746
99	Not Stated	74	24,372
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*           Those with positive responses in Q02B

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*Variable:*     **Q04B**            *Position:*     41            *Length:*     2

In a typical month, do any members of your household under the age of 18 use computer communications at work?

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	179	57,578
02	No	2,825	774,666
96	Valid Skip	37,402	10,828,839
97	Don't know	0	0
98	Refused	0	0
99	Not Stated	75	24,647
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*           Those with positive responses in Q02B

*Variable:*     **Q04C**            *Position:*     43            *Length:*     2

In a typical month, do any members of your household under the age of 18 use computer communications at a school where they are studying?

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	2,027	529,321
02	No	950	289,416
96	Valid Skip	37,402	10,828,839
97	Don't know	23	11,219
98	Refused	0	0
99	Not Stated	79	26,935
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*           Those with positive responses in Q02B

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*Variable:*     **Q04D**                    *Position:*     45                    *Length:*     2

In a typical month, do any members of your household under the age of 18 use computer communications at a public library?

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	449	133,584
02	No	2,543	693,391
96	Valid Skip	37,402	10,828,839
97	Don't know	9	3,813
98	Refused	0	0
99	Not Stated	78	26,103
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*            Those with positive responses in Q02B

*Variable:*     **Q04E**                    *Position:*     47                    *Length:*     2

In a typical month, do any members of your household under the age of 18 use computer communications at a location we have not yet mentioned?

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	311	82,373
02	No	2,688	747,857
96	Valid Skip	37,402	10,828,839
97	Don't know	2	558
98	Refused	0	0
99	Not Stated	78	26,103
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*            Those with positive responses in Q02B

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*Variable:*     **Q05A**            *Position:*     49            *Length:*     2

In a typical month, which member of the household uses computer communications at home the most?

		FREQ	WTD
01	You (the respondent)	2,885	965,817
02	Someone else aged at least 18	2,188	708,329
03	Someone under age 18	638	186,997
96	Valid Skip	34,589	9,760,906
97	Don't know	10	4,322
98	Refused	0	0
99	Not Stated	171	59,359
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*     For <1> and <2>, those answering `yes' to Q02A. For <3>, those answering `yes' to Q02B.

*Variable:*     **Q06**            *Position:*     51            *Length:*     2

How often do members of your household use computer communications at home in a typical month?

		FREQ	WTD
01	At least 7 times per week.	3,485	1,140,260
02	At least 4 times per month.	1,930	628,336
03	1 to 3 times per month.	239	76,112
04	Less than once per month	44	12,834
96	Valid Skip	34,589	9,760,906
97	Don't know	8	2,881
98	Refused	2	406
99	Not Stated	184	63,995
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*     Those answering `yes' to Q03A and/or Q04A

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*Variable:*     **Q07**                    *Position:*     53                    *Length:*     2

What is the total amount of time members of your household spend on computer communications at home in a typical month?

		FREQ	WTD
01	Less than 1 hour.	360	108,466
02	At least 1 hour but less than 5.	958	315,345
03	At least 5 hours but less than 10.	896	285,711
04	At least 10 hours but less than 20	1,117	360,721
05	20 hours or more.	2,350	782,420
96	Valid Skip	34,589	9,760,906
97	Don't know	16	4,736
98	Refused	0	0
99	Not Stated	195	67,425
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*            Those answering `yes' to Q03A and/or Q04A

*Variable:*     **Q08A**                    *Position:*     55                    *Length:*     2

In a typical month, what share (percentage) of the household's total time spent using computer communications at home is for self-employed business? (INTERVIEWER: DON'T READ THE ANSWER CATEGORIES. USE THEM AS A GUIDE IF THE RESPONDENT NEEDS PROMPTING)

		FREQ	WTD
01	None	4,463	1,449,183
02	Less than 10 %	342	104,776
03	At least 10% but less than 25%	196	62,632
04	At least 25% but less than 50%	156	50,366
05	At least 50% but less than 75%	196	60,592
06	At least 75% but less than 90%	122	42,222
07	At least 90% but less than 100%	106	45,074
08	100%	109	41,533
96	Valid Skip	34,589	9,760,906
97	Don't know	7	2,222
98	Refused	0	0
99	Not stated	195	66,225
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*            Those answering `yes' to Q03A and/or Q04A

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Variable:     **Q08B**                    Position:     57                    Length:     2

In a typical month, what share (percentage) of this time (spent using computer communications at home) is for employer related business? (INTERVIEWER: DON'T READ THE ANSWER CATEGORIES. USE THEM AS A GUIDE IF THE RESPONDENT NEEDS PROMPTING)

		FREQ	WTD
01	None	3,809	1,222,195
02	Less than 10 %	606	195,957
03	At least 10% but less than 25%	360	120,344
04	At least 25% but less than 50%	221	77,013
05	At least 50% but less than 75%	256	86,073
06	At least 75% but less than 90%	141	47,573
07	At least 90% but less than 100%	145	54,010
08	100%	138	48,492
96	Valid Skip	34,589	9,760,906
97	Don't know	8	3,039
98	Refused	1	432
99	Not stated	207	69,696
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

Coverage:            Those answering `yes' to Q03A and/or Q04A

Variable:     **Q08C**                    Position:     59                    Length:     2

In a typical month, what share (percentage) of this time (spent using computer communications at home) is for personal (non-business) use? (INTERVIEWER: DON'T READ THE ANSWER CATEGORIES. USE THEM AS A GUIDE IF THE RESPONDENT NEEDS PROMPTING)

		FREQ	WTD
01	None	371	128,361
02	Less than 10 %	436	156,307
03	At least 10% but less than 25%	431	145,272
04	At least 25% but less than 50%	424	132,729
05	At least 50% but less than 75%	561	180,357
06	At least 75% but less than 90%	470	158,336
07	At least 90% but less than 100%	802	251,915
08	100%	2,173	694,867
96	Valid Skip	34,589	9,760,906
97	Don't know	4	2,325
98	Refused	0	0
99	Not stated	220	74,356
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

Coverage:            Those answering `yes' tp Q03A and/or Q04A

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*Variable:*     **Q09A**                    *Position:*     61                    *Length:*     2

In a typical month does any member of your household use a computer at home for E-mail?

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	4,729	1,553,948
02	No	958	299,963
96	Valid Skip	34,589	9,760,906
97	Don't know	6	2,692
98	Refused	0	0
99	Not stated	199	68,221
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*            Those answering `yes' to Q03A and/or Q04A.

*Variable:*     **Q09B**                    *Position:*     63                    *Length:*     2

In a typical month does any member of your household use a computer at home for electronic banking?

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	1,060	366,693
02	No	4,625	1,485,074
96	Valid Skip	34,589	9,760,906
97	Don't know	4	2,593
98	Refused	0	0
99	Not stated	203	70,464
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*            Those answering `yes' to Q03A and/or Q04A.

*Variable:*     **Q09C**                    *Position:*     65                    *Length:*     2

In a typical month does any member of your household use a computer at home to purchase goods and services on the Internet?

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	562	171,326
02	No	4,966	1,639,159
03	Do not have internet at home	159	43,321
96	Valid Skip	34,589	9,760,906
97	Don't know	1	205
98	Refused	0	0
99	Not stated	204	70,813
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*            Those answering `yes' to Q03A and/or Q04A.

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*Variable:*     **Q09D**                    *Position:*     67                    *Length:*     2

In a typical month does any member of your household use a computer at home for general browsing on the Internet?

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	4,834	1,582,730
02	No	698	229,154
96	Valid Skip	34,748	9,804,227
97	Don't know	1	469
98	Refused	0	0
99	Not stated	200	69,151
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*            Those answering `yes' to Q03A and/or Q04A.

*Variable:*     **Q09E**                    *Position:*     69                    *Length:*     2

In a typical month does any member of your household use a computer at home to search for specific information on the Internet?

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	4,830	1,576,941
02	No	696	231,212
96	Valid Skip	34,748	9,804,227
97	Don't know	2	1,363
98	Refused	1	775
99	Not stated	204	71,212
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*            Those answering `yes' to Q03A and/or Q04A.

*Note:* 'Searching for specific information' includes going to known educational, business, government sites, and seeking any other information where the users know in advance what they are looking for. It does not include things like looking for `Jokes' (general browsing ) or playing games (other).



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*Variable:*     **Q09F**                    *Position:*     71                    *Length:*     2

In a typical month does any member of your household use a computer at home to access any other Internet services that have not yet been mentioned ?

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	779	256,478
02	No	4,741	1,550,902
96	Valid Skip	34,748	9,804,227
97	Don't know	6	1,453
98	Refused	0	0
99	Not stated	207	72,671
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*            Those answering `yes' to Q03A and/or Q04A.

*Variable:*     **Q10A**                    *Position:*     73                    *Length:*     2

In a typical month, what share (percentage) of the total time using these facilities at home do members of your household use on E-mail? (INTERVIEWER: DON'T READ THE ANSWER CATEGORIES. USE THEM AS A GUIDE IF THE RESPONDENT NEEDS PROMPTING)

		FREQ	WTD
01	Less than 10 %	1,914	618,012
02	At least 10% but less than 25%	1,160	376,458
03	At least 25% but less than 50%	664	219,040
04	At least 50% but less than 75%	405	135,839
05	At least 75% but less than 90%	183	64,994
06	At least 90% but less than 100%	119	38,117
07	100%	248	87,586
96	Valid Skip	35,547	10,060,869
97	Don't know	15	6,279
98	Refused	0	0
99	Not stated	226	78,536
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*            Those answering `yes' to Q09A

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*Variable:*     **Q10B**                    *Position:*     75                    *Length:*     2

In a typical month, what share (percentage) of the total time using these facilities at home do members of your household do electronic banking? (INTERVIEWER: DON'T READ THE ANSWER CATEGORIES. USE THEM AS A GUIDE IF THE RESPONDENT NEEDS PROMPTING)

		FREQ	WTD
01	Less than 10 %	692	241,818
02	At least 10% but less than 25%	187	68,840
03	At least 25% but less than 50%	53	17,341
04	At least 50% but less than 75%	28	9,824
05	At least 75% but less than 90%	4	1,154
06	At least 90% but less than 100%	5	1,254
07	100%	86	24,117
96	Valid Skip	39,214	11,245,980
97	Don't know	1	154
98	Refused	0	0
99	Not stated	211	75,247
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*            Those answering `yes' to Q09B.

*Variable:*     **Q10C**                    *Position:*     77                    *Length:*     2

In a typical month, what share (percentage) of the total time using these facilities at home do members of your household use to purchase goods and services on the Internet? (INTERVIEWER: DON'T READ THE ANSWER CATEGORIES. USE THEM AS A GUIDE IF THE RESPONDENT NEEDS PROMPTING)

		FREQ	WTD
01	Less than 10 %	492	150,871
02	At least 10% but less than 25%	42	12,470
03	At least 25% but less than 50%	18	5,081
04	At least 50% but less than 75%	4	1,360
05	At least 75% but less than 90%	0	0
06	At least 90% but less than 100%	2	367
07	100%	1	172
96	Valid Skip	39,714	11,443,386
97	Don't know	0	0
98	Refused	0	0
99	Not stated	208	72,023
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*            Those answering `yes' to Q09C

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*Variable:*     **Q10D**                    *Position:*     79                    *Length:*     2

In a typical month, what share (percentage) of the total time using these facilities at home do members of your household use to do general browsing on the Internet? (INTERVIEWER: DON'T READ THE ANSWER CATEGORIES. USE THEM AS A GUIDE IF THE RESPONDENT NEEDS PROMPTING)

		FREQ	WTD
01	Less than 10 %	778	251,242
02	At least 10% but less than 25%	1,003	333,721
03	At least 25% but less than 50%	1,183	390,866
04	At least 50% but less than 75%	942	307,244
05	At least 75% but less than 90%	503	161,426
06	At least 90% but less than 100%	294	93,159
07	100%	83	28,179
96	Valid Skip	35,446	10,033,381
97	Don't know	7	2,345
98	Refused	0	0
99	Not stated	242	84,168
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*            Those answering `yes' to Q09D

*Variable:*     **Q10E**                    *Position:*     81                    *Length:*     2

In a typical month, what share (percentage) of the total time using these facilities at home do members of your household use to search for specific information on the Internet? (INTERVIEWER: DON'T READ THE ANSWER CATEGORIES. USE THEM AS A GUIDE IF THE RESPONDENT NEEDS PROMPTING)

		FREQ	WTD
01	Less than 10 %	1,046	334,711
02	At least 10% but less than 25%	1,281	417,934
03	At least 25% but less than 50%	1,242	399,658
04	At least 50% but less than 75%	718	238,143
05	At least 75% but less than 90%	290	101,504
06	At least 90% but less than 100%	138	47,272
07	100%	65	20,497
96	Valid Skip	35,444	10,035,439
97	Don't know	4	1,119
98	Refused	2	497
99	Not stated	251	88,955
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*            Those answering `yes' to Q09E

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*Variable:*     **Q10F**                    *Position:*     83                    *Length:*     2

In a typical month, what share (percentage) of the total time using these facilities at home do members of your household spend using the Internet for things we have not mentioned? (INTERVIEWER: DON'T READ THE ANSWER CATEGORIES. USE THEM AS A GUIDE IF THE RESPONDENT NEEDS PROMPTING)

		FREQ	WTD
01	Less than 10 %	509	169,503
02	At least 10% but less than 25%	123	42,743
03	At least 25% but less than 50%	69	19,747
04	At least 50% but less than 75%	41	13,061
05	At least 75% but less than 90%	15	3,322
06	At least 90% but less than 100%	5	1,482
07	100%	8	2,915
96	Valid Skip	39,489	11,355,128
97	Don't know	2	832
98	Refused	0	0
99	Not stated	220	76,995
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*     Those answering `yes' to Q09F

*Variable:*     **Q11A**                    *Position:*     85                    *Length:*     2

How would your household's use of computer communications at home in a typical month increase if the cost were much lower? (READ CATEGORIES TO RESPONDENT)

		FREQ	WTD
01	Substantially	806	247,720
02	Noticeably	955	297,407
03	Little or nothing	3,897	1,297,770
96	Valid Skip	34,589	9,760,906
97	Don't know	14	5,549
98	Refused	0	0
99	Not stated	220	76,377
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*     Those answering `yes' to Q03A and/or Q04A.

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*Variable:*     **Q11B**                    *Position:*     87                    *Length:*     2

How would your household's use of computer communications at home in a typical month increase if more and better services were available (e.g. for shopping, banking etc.)? (READ CATEGORIES TO RESPONDENT)

		FREQ	WTD
01	Substantially	723	235,900
02	Noticeably	1,500	496,742
03	Little or nothing	3,429	1,109,109
96	Valid Skip	34,589	9,760,906
97	Don't know	13	2,432
98	Refused	0	0
99	Not stated	227	80,641
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*            Those answering `yes' to Q03A and/or Q04A.

*Note:* Questions Q12 and Q13 are for those who do NOT use computer communications at home, while Q14 is for those who do not typically use it at all.

*Variable:*     **Q11C**                    *Position:*     89                    *Length:*     2

How would your household's use of computer communications at home in a typical month increase if access were easier? (AN EXAMPLE OF EASIER ACCESS COULD BE USING THE TV SCREEN AND REMOTE CONTROL - READ CATEGORIES TO RESPONDENT)

		FREQ	WTD
01	Substantially	815	267,288
02	Noticeably	1,201	390,237
03	Little or nothing	3,636	1,183,602
96	Valid Skip	34,589	9,760,906
97	Don't know	8	2,459
98	Refused	1	435
99	Not stated	231	80,804
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*            Those answering `yes' to Q03A and/or Q04A

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*Variable:*     **Q12A**            *Position:*     91            *Length:*     2

Do you have a computer at home?

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	7,695	2,388,758
02	No	26,833	7,351,840
96	Valid Skip	5,892	1,924,824
97	Don't know	7	1,699
98	Refused	9	2,612
99	Not stated	45	15,997
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*           Those answering `no' to Q01A or Q01B or to both Q03A and Q04A.

*Variable:*     **Q12B**            *Position:*     93            *Length:*     2

Is your home computer capable of accessing the Internet?

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	2,996	909,083
02	No	4,633	1,458,419
96	Valid Skip	32,725	9,276,664
97	Don't know	59	19,105
98	Refused	3	810
99	Not stated	65	21,650
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*           Those answering `yes' to Q12A

*Note:* This question refers to whether the home computer has the speed and memory to access the Internet. It does not refer to whether they have a modem or the necessary software

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*Variable:*     **Q13AP1**        *Position:*     95        *Length:*     2

What are the main reasons why your household does not use your home computer for communication services? (INTERVIEWER: READ THE LIST AND MARK ALL THOSE THAT APPLY)....it costs too much

		FREQ	WTD
		0	0
01	Yes	1,099	326,820
02	No	1,897	582,263
96	Valid Skip	37,358	10,735,083
97	Don't know	0	0
98	Refused	0	0
99	Not Stated	127	41,564
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*        Those answering `yes' to Q12B

*Variable:*     **Q13AP2**        *Position:*     97        *Length:*     2

What are the main reasons why your household does not use your home computer for communication services? (INTERVIEWER: READ THE LIST AND MARK ALL THOSE THAT APPLY)....it is too complex

		FREQ	WTD
		282	87,715
01	Yes	2,714	821,368
02	No	37,358	10,735,083
96	Valid Skip	0	0
97	Don't know	0	0
98	Refused	0	0
99	Not Stated	127	41,564
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*        Those answering `yes' to Q12B

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*Variable:*     **Q13AP3**       *Position:*     99        *Length:*       2

What are the main reasons why your household does not use your home computer for communication services? (INTERVIEWER: READ THE LIST AND MARK ALL THOSE THAT APPLY)....you can use them at work or another location

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	374	117,790
02	No	2,622	791,292
96	Valid Skip	37,358	10,735,083
97	Don't know	0	0
98	Refused	0	0
99	Not Stated	127	41,564
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*       Those answering `yes' to Q12B

*Variable:*     **Q13AP4**       *Position:*     101        *Length:*       2

What are the main reasons why your household does not use your home computer for communication services? (INTERVIEWER: READ THE LIST AND MARK ALL THOSE THAT APPLY)....it does not offer enough useful services

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	225	71,181
02	No	2,771	837,902
96	Valid Skip	37,358	10,735,083
97	Don't know	0	0
98	Refused	0	0
99	Not Stated	127	41,564
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*       Those answering `yes' to Q12B



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*Variable:*     **Q13AP5**        *Position:*     103        *Length:*     2

What are the main reasons why your household does not use your home computer for communication services? (INTERVIEWER: READ THE LIST AND MARK ALL THOSE THAT APPLY)....other reasons

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	1,525	461,627
02	No	1,471	447,456
96	Valid Skip	37,358	10,735,083
97	Don't know	0	0
98	Refused	0	0
99	Not Stated	127	41,564
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*        Those answering `yes' to Q12B

*Variable:*     **Q13BP1**        *Position:*     105        *Length:*     2

What would induce your household to start using computer communication services at home? (INTERVIEWER: READ THE LIST AND MARK ALL THOSE THAT APPLY)...the cost was much lower

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	3,245	1,013,787
02	No	4,399	1,359,746
96	Valid Skip	32,725	9,276,664
97	Don't know	0	0
98	Refused	0	0
99	Not Stated	112	35,533
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*        Those answering `no' to Q12A or Q12B

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*Variable:*     **Q13BP2**        *Position:*     107        *Length:*     2

What would induce your household to start using computer communication services at home?  
 (INTERVIEWER: READ THE LIST AND MARK ALL THOSE THAT APPLY)...they could be easily  
 accessed through the television using a remote control

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	926	301,978
02	No	6,718	2,071,554
96	Valid Skip	32,725	9,276,664
97	Don't know	0	0
98	Refused	0	0
99	Not Stated	112	35,533
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*        Those answering `no' to Q12A or Q12B

*Variable:*     **Q13BP3**        *Position:*     109        *Length:*     2

What would induce your household to start using computer communication services at home?  
 (INTERVIEWER: READ THE LIST AND MARK ALL THOSE THAT APPLY)...more and better  
 services were offered (more shopping, banking etc.)

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	714	230,490
02	No	6,930	2,143,043
96	Valid Skip	32,725	9,276,664
97	Don't know	0	0
98	Refused	0	0
99	Not Stated	112	35,533
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*        Those answering `no' to Q12A or Q12B

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*Variable:*     **Q13BP4**        *Position:*     111        *Length:*        2

What would induce your household to start using computer communication services at home?  
 (INTERVIEWER: READ THE LIST AND MARK ALL THOSE THAT APPLY)...nothing would induce you

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	1,982	624,701
02	No	5,662	1,748,832
96	Valid Skip	32,725	9,276,664
97	Don't know	0	0
98	Refused	0	0
99	Not Stated	112	35,533
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*        Those answering `no' to Q12A or Q12B

*Variable:*     **Q13BP5**        *Position:*     113        *Length:*        2

What would induce your household to start using computer communication services at home?  
 (INTERVIEWER: READ THE LIST AND MARK ALL THOSE THAT APPLY)...other reasons

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	2,309	700,749
02	No	5,335	1,672,783
96	Valid Skip	32,725	9,276,664
97	Don't know	0	0
98	Refused	0	0
99	Not Stated	112	35,533
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*        Those answering `no' to Q12A or Q12B

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*Variable:*     **Q14**                    *Position:*     115            *Length:*     2

Would members of the household use computer communications from a public library or other public place if they were easily and cheaply available at those places?

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	10,206	2,803,211
02	No	24,041	6,854,992
96	Valid Skip	5,892	1,924,824
97	Don't know	232	61,473
98	Refused	4	1,038
99	Not stated	106	40,193
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*     Those answering 'no' to Q01A

*Variable:*     **Q15A**                    *Position:*     117            *Length:*     2

In a typical month, is any of the household members aged 18 and over self- employed?

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	7,321	2,088,073
02	No	32,923	9,510,154
96	Valid Skip	0	0
97	Don't know	0	0
98	Refused	2	823
99	Not stated	235	86,680
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*     All

*Variable:*     **Q15B**                    *Position:*     119            *Length:*     2

In a typical month, is any of the household members aged 18 and over an employee?

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	24,513	7,213,630
02	No	15,729	4,384,014
96	Valid Skip	0	0
97	Don't know	1	725
98	Refused	2	317
99	Not stated	236	87,044
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Coverage:*     All

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*Variable:*     **Q16P1**            *Position:*     121            *Length:*     2

Thinking about your total household income, from which of the following sources did your household receive any income in the past twelve months?(INTERVIEWER: MARK ALL THAT APPLY.)...Wages and salaries

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	19,345	5,569,238
02	No	9,833	2,841,037
96	Valid Skip	0	0
97	Don't know	7	1,214
98	Refused	6	1,646
99	Not Stated	11,290	3,272,595
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Variable:*     **Q16P2**            *Position:*     123            *Length:*     2

Thinking about your total household income, from which of the following sources did your household receive any income in the past twelve months?(INTERVIEWER: MARK ALL THAT APPLY.)...Income from self-employment

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	4,935	1,418,400
02	No	24,243	6,991,875
96	Valid Skip	0	0
97	Don't know	7	1,214
98	Refused	6	1,646
99	Not Stated	11,290	3,272,595
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Variable:*     **Q16P3**            *Position:*     125            *Length:*     2

Thinking about your total household income, from which of the following sources did your household receive any income in the past twelve months?(INTERVIEWER: MARK ALL THAT APPLY.)...Dividends and interest on bonds, savings,stocks,etc

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	4,996	1,544,930
02	No	24,182	6,865,345
96	Valid Skip	0	0
97	Don't know	7	1,214
98	Refused	6	1,646
99	Not Stated	11,290	3,272,595
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

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*Variable:*       **Q16P4**               *Position:*       127               *Length:*        2

Thinking about your total household income, from which of the following sources did your household receive any income in the past twelve months?(INTERVIEWER: MARK ALL THAT APPLY.)...Unemployment Insurance (Employment Insurance)

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	4,540	1,362,860
02	No	24,638	7,047,415
96	Valid Skip	0	0
97	Don't know	7	1,214
98	Refused	6	1,646
99	Not Stated	11,290	3,272,595
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Variable:*       **Q16P5**               *Position:*       129               *Length:*        2

Thinking about your total household income, from which of the following sources did your household receive any income in the past twelve months?(INTERVIEWER: MARK ALL THAT APPLY.)...Workers Compensation

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	672	185,511
02	No	28,506	8,224,764
96	Valid Skip	0	0
97	Don't know	7	1,214
98	Refused	6	1,646
99	Not Stated	11,290	3,272,595
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Variable:*       **Q16P6**               *Position:*       131               *Length:*        2

Thinking about your total household income, from which of the following sources did your household receive any income in the past twelve months?(INTERVIEWER: MARK ALL THAT APPLY.)...Benefits from Canada or Quebec Pension Plan

		FREQ	WTD
		0	0
01	Yes	6,219	1,786,414
02	No	22,959	6,623,860
96	Valid Skip	0	0
97	Don't know	7	1,214
98	Refused	6	1,646
99	Not Stated	11,290	3,272,595
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

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*Variable:*     **Q16P7**            *Position:*     133            *Length:*     2

Thinking about your total household income, from which of the following sources did your household receive any income in the past twelve months?(INTERVIEWER: MARK ALL THAT APPLY.)...Retirement pensions, superannuation and annuities

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	4,774	1,416,950
02	No	24,404	6,993,325
96	Valid Skip	0	0
97	Don't know	7	1,214
98	Refused	6	1,646
99	Not Stated	11,290	3,272,595
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Variable:*     **Q16P8**            *Position:*     135            *Length:*     2

Thinking about your total household income, from which of the following sources did your household receive any income in the past twelve months?(INTERVIEWER: MARK ALL THAT APPLY.)...Old Age Security and Guaranteed Income Supplement

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	5,578	1,595,731
02	No	23,600	6,814,544
96	Valid Skip	0	0
97	Don't know	7	1,214
98	Refused	6	1,646
99	Not Stated	11,290	3,272,595
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Variable:*     **Q16P9**            *Position:*     137            *Length:*     2

Thinking about your total household income, from which of the following sources did your household receive any income in the past twelve months?(INTERVIEWER: MARK ALL THAT APPLY.)...Child Tax Benefit

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	4,686	1,278,141
02	No	24,492	7,132,134
96	Valid Skip	0	0
97	Don't know	7	1,214
98	Refused	6	1,646
99	Not Stated	11,290	3,272,595
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

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*Variable:*     **Q16P10**           *Position:*     139           *Length:*     2

Thinking about your total household income, from which of the following sources did your household receive any income in the past twelve months?(INTERVIEWER: MARK ALL THAT APPLY.)...Provincial or municipal social assistance or welfare

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	2,252	643,747
02	No	26,926	7,766,528
96	Valid Skip	0	0
97	Don't know	7	1,214
98	Refused	6	1,646
99	Not Stated	11,290	3,272,595
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Variable:*     **Q16P11**           *Position:*     141           *Length:*     2

Thinking about your total household income, from which of the following sources did your household receive any income in the past twelve months?(INTERVIEWER: MARK ALL THAT APPLY.)...Child Support

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	571	166,601
02	No	28,607	8,243,674
96	Valid Skip	0	0
97	Don't know	7	1,214
98	Refused	6	1,646
99	Not Stated	11,290	3,272,595
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Variable:*     **Q16P12**           *Position:*     143           *Length:*     2

Thinking about your total household income, from which of the following sources did your household receive any income in the past twelve months?(INTERVIEWER: MARK ALL THAT APPLY.)...Alimony

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	87	26,827
02	No	29,091	8,383,448
96	Valid Skip	0	0
97	Don't know	7	1,214
98	Refused	6	1,646
99	Not Stated	11,290	3,272,595
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730



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*Variable:*     **Q16P13**           *Position:*     145           *Length:*       2

Thinking about your total household income, from which of the following sources did your household receive any income in the past twelve months?(INTERVIEWER: MARK ALL THAT APPLY.)...Other income (e.g., rental,scholarships,other govt income,etc)

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	1,573	438,128
02	No	27,605	7,972,146
96	Valid Skip	0	0
97	Don't know	7	1,214
98	Refused	6	1,646
99	Not Stated	11,290	3,272,595
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Variable:*     **Q16P14**           *Position:*     147           *Length:*       2

Thinking about your total household income, from which of the following sources did your household receive any income in the past twelve months?(INTERVIEWER: MARK ALL THAT APPLY.)...None

		FREQ	WTD
01	Yes	114	37,865
02	No	29,064	8,372,410
96	Valid Skip	0	0
97	Don't know	7	1,214
98	Refused	6	1,646
99	Not Stated	11,290	3,272,595
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

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*Variable:*     **Q17**                    *Position:*     149            *Length:*     2

What was the main source of income for your household?

		FREQ	WTD
		0	0
01	Wages and salaries	8,394	2,342,474
02	Income from self-employment	1,782	508,939
03	Dividends and interest on bonds, savings, stocks, etc	238	84,324
04	Unemployment Insurance (Employment Insurance)	194	42,016
05	Workers Compensation	112	34,774
06	Benefits from Canada or Quebec Pension Plan	1,305	390,085
07	Retirement pensions, superannuation and annuities	2,278	700,008
08	Old Age Security and Guaranteed Income Supplement	1,758	448,124
09	Child Tax Benefit	7	1,701
10	Provincial or municipal social assistance or welfare	778	217,201
11	Child Support	40	13,150
12	Alimony	18	7,326
13	Other income (e.g., rental, scholarships, other govt income, etc)	284	77,268
96	Valid Skip	11,104	3,270,746
97	Don't know	122	34,347
98	Refused	39	12,393
99	Not Stated	12,028	3,500,853
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,730

*Variable:*     **QUART**                    *Position:*     151            *Length:*     1

Income quartiles

		FREQ	WTD
1	Quartile one - <\$19,000	10,649	2,915,725
2	Quartile two - \$19,000 - \$31,999	10,572	2,925,624
3	Quartile three - \$32,000 - \$54, 999	10,116	2,919,068
4	Quartile four - \$55,000	9,144	2,925,313
		=====	=====
		40,481	11,685,731

*Variable:*     **FINWT**                    *Position:*     152            *Length:*     9

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