**CODEBOOK EU-SILC microdata 2010**

Please note that

* Data may be subject to future revision.
* The questions in this module were not asked of all interviewees. See criteria below. There were different criteria for different questions.
* This file is intended to be used in conjunction with the main SILC 2010 data file which contains weights etc. The records of the two files can be linked using the variables Hhld\_no and Pers\_no.

Contents

* There are 11,587 observations and 23 variables on the dataset. This includes 4,727 households and 11,587 interviewed individuals. Descriptions of each variable follow below.

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| **Variable** | **Description** | **Values** |
| Suryear | Survey year | 2010 |
| Hhld\_no | ID number of household. Members of the same household will have the same ID number | ID |
| Pers\_no | ID number of person in household | ID |
| reg\_hse\_fin | Regime of household finances -Variable only applies to households with 2 or more adults aged 16+The question was only asked of the head of household. i.e. person no. 1 | 1 We treat all incomes as common resources2 We treat some incomes as common resources and the rest as private resources3 We treat all incomes as private resources of the person receiving it4 We do not receive any income in the household |
| mgt\_com\_fin | Management of common household financesVariable only applies to households with 2 or more adults aged 16+The question was only asked of the head of household. i.e. person no. 1 | 1 One or more household members2 At least one person inside and at least one person outside the household is involved inmanaging the common household finances3 No person inside the household and at least one person outside the household isinvolved in managing the common household finances4 There are no common household finances |
| p1\_resp | Identification number of person 1 managing the household'sFinancesVariable only applies to households with 2 or more adults aged 16+ | Personal ID of person 1 managing household finances. Personal ID is the hhld\_no. concatenated with the pers\_no |
| P2\_resp | Identification number of person 2 managing the household'sFinancesVariable only applies to households with 2 or more adults aged 16+ | Personal ID of person 2 managing household finances. Personal ID is the hhld\_no. concatenated with the pers\_no |
| sep\_pers\_inc | Proportion of personal income kept separate from the commonhousehold budgetOnly asked of persons aged 16+ living in households with at least 2 persons aged 16+ | 1 All my personal income2 More than half of my personal income3 About half of my personal income4 Less than half of my personal income5 None6 The respondent has no personal income |
| access\_bk\_ac | Access to a bank accountOnly asked of persons aged 16+ living in households with at least 2 persons aged 16+ | 1 Yes2 No |
| dec\_shopping | Decision-making on everyday shoppingOnly asked of persons aged 16+ living in households with at least 2 persons aged 16+ where the person has a partner living in the household | 1 More me2 Balanced3 More my partner |
| dec\_child\_exp | Decision-making on important expenses to make for the child(ren)Only asked of persons aged 16+ living in households with at least 2 persons aged 16+ where the person has a partner living in the household and where at least one child under 16 lives in the household | 1 More me2 Balanced3 More my partner |
| dec\_furn\_dur | Decision-making on expensive purchases of consumer durables andFurnitureOnly asked of persons aged 16+ living in households with at least 2 persons aged 16+ where the person has a partner living in the household | 1 More me2 Balanced3 More my partner4 Never arisen |
| dec\_borrow | Decision-making on borrowing moneyOnly asked of persons aged 16+ living in households with at least 2 persons aged 16+ where the person has a partner living in the household | 1 More me2 Balanced3 More my partner4 Never arisen |
| dec\_use\_save | Decision-making on use of savingsOnly asked of persons aged 16+ living in households with at least 2 persons aged 16+ where the person has a partner living in the household | 1 More me2 Balanced3 More my partner4 We do not have (common) savings5 Never arisen |
| dec\_general | Decision-making – generalOnly asked of persons aged 16+ living in households with at least 2 persons aged 16+ where the person has a partner living in the household | 1 More me2 Balanced3 More my partner |
| dec\_personal | Ability to decide about expenses for your own personalconsumption, your leisure activities and hobbiesOnly asked of persons aged 16+ living in households with at least 2 persons aged 16+ | 1 Yes, always or almost always2 Yes, sometimes3 Never or almost never |
| dec\_child\_need | Ability to decide about purchases for children’s needs (includinggiving them pocket money)Only asked of persons aged 16+ living in a household with at least two persons aged 16+with at least one child below 16 living in the household; siblings (aged 16+) of children below16 who are not the only persons responsible for them (see example below), should beexcluded | 1 Yes, always or almost always2 Yes, sometimes3 Never or almost never |
| length\_cohab | Length of cohabitation of the partnersOnly asked of persons aged 16+ member of a couple | 1=less than 5 years2=more than 5 and up to 10 years3=more than 10 and up to 20 years4=more than 20 and up to 30 years5=more than 30 and up to 40 years6=more than 40 and up to 50 years7=over 50 years |
| time\_commute | Time spent commuting to and from workOnly asked of persons aged 16+ living in households with at least 2 persons aged 16+ | 0= 0 hours1=1 hour2=2 hours3=3 hours4=4 hours5=5 hours6=6 hours7=7 hours8=8 hours9=9 hours10=10 hours11=more than 10 hours |
| time\_leisure | Time spent on leisureOnly asked of persons aged 16+ living in households with at least 2 persons aged 16+ | 1=up to 10 hours2=more than 10 and up to 20 hours3=more than 20 and up to 30 hours4=more than 30 and up to 40 hours5=more than 40 and up to 50 hours6=more than 50 hours |
| house\_work | Time spent on household work, child care and care forother dependantsOnly asked of persons aged 16+ living in households with at least 2 persons aged 16+ | 1=up to 10 hours2=more than 10 and up to 20 hours3=more than 20 and up to 30 hours4=more than 30 and up to 40 hours5=more than 40 and up to 50 hours6=more than 50 hours |
| spent\_on\_self | Money spent per month for own useOnly asked of persons aged 16+ living in households with at least 2 persons aged 16+ | 1=none2=up to €503=more than €50 and up to €1004=more than €100 and up to €1505=more than €150 and up to €2006=more than €200 and up to €3007=more than €300 and up to €4008=more than €400 and up to €5009=more than €500 |
| spent\_for child | Money spent per month for children by the interviewedPersonOnly asked of persons aged 16+ living in households with at least 2 persons aged 16+ with at least one child | 1=none2=up to €503=more than €50 and up to €1004=more than €100 and up to €1505=more than €150 and up to €2006=more than €200 and up to €3007=more than €300 and up to €4008=more than €400 and up to €5009=more than €500 |