# Living in Ireland Survey Codebook 

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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| zpfxid | Person's fixed ID | All | F8 | 101101-69925101 | 99999999 |
| monb | Month of birth | All | F2 | 01-12 | 99 |
| yearb | Year of birth | All | F4 | 1909 (=1909 or earlier) to 2001 | 9999 |
| sex | Sex | All | F1 | Male................................................................. 2 |  |
| whenjoin | Wave person first joined | All | F1 |  |  |
| sampers | Is this a sample person? (Member of Wave 1 Household or child born since 1994 to mother who is a sample person) | All | F1 | Sample person................................... 1 Not a sample person ............. 2 |  |
| W1to2iw | Longitudinal Weight for individuals completing an individual interview in all waves from 1 to 2 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { intw1=(1,2) \& } \\ & \text { intw2 }(1,2) \& \end{aligned}$ | F8.3 |  | -9 |
| W1to3iw | Longitudinal Weight for individuals completing an individual interview in all waves from 1 to 3 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { intw1=(1,2) \& } \\ & \text { intw2(1,2) \& } \\ & \text { intw3(1,2) } \end{aligned}$ | F8.3 |  | -9 |
| W1to4iw | Longitudinal Weight for individuals completing an individual interview in all waves from 1 to 4 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { intw1=(1,2) \& } \\ & \text { intw2(1,2) \& } \\ & \text { intw3(1,2) \& } \\ & \text { intw4(1,2) } \end{aligned}$ | F8.3 |  | -9 |
| W1to5iw | Longitudinal Weight for individuals completing an individual interview in all waves from 1 to 5 | $\begin{array}{\|l} \hline i n t w 1=(1,2) \& \\ \text { intw2(1,2) \& } \\ \text { intw3(1,2) \& } \\ \text { intw4(1,2) \& } \\ \text { intw5(1,2) } \\ \hline \end{array}$ | F8.3 |  | -9 |
| W1to6iw | Longitudinal Weight for individuals completing an individual interview in all waves from 1 to 6 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { intw1=(1,2) \& } \\ & \text { intw2(1,2) \& } \\ & \text { intw3(1,2) \& } \\ & \text { intw4(1,2) \& } \\ & \text { intw5(1,2) \& } \\ & \text { intw6(1,2) } \end{aligned}$ | F8.3 |  | -9 |
| W1to7iw | Longitudinal Weight for individuals completing an individual interview in all waves from 1 to 7 | intw1 $=(1,2) \&$ <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br> intw7(1,2) | F8.3 |  | -9 |
| W1to8iw | Longitudinal Weight for individuals completing an individual interview in all waves from 1 to 8 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { intw1=(1,2) \& } \\ & \text { intw2(1,2) \& } \\ & \text { intw3(1,2) \& } \\ & \text { intw4 }(1,2) \& \\ & \text { intw5(1,2) \& } \\ & \text { intw6(1,2) \& } \\ & \text { intw7 } 1,2) \& \\ & \text { intw8(1,2) } \end{aligned}$ | F8.3 |  | -9 |
| W7to8iw | Longitudinal Weight for individuals completing an individual interview in both waves from 7 and 8 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { intw7(1,2) \& } \\ & \text { intw8(1,2) } \end{aligned}$ | F8.3 |  | -9 |

The following variables are repeated for each wave ( $i=1$ to 8).

| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing code |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| hhreswi | Household interview outcome, Wave i | All Wave i Households | F2 |  | 99 |
| zhsdidi | ID number of household of which this person is a member in Wave i | All household members Wave i | F7 | 10101-6992501 | 9999999 |
| linewi | Line number in Wave i | All household members Wave i | F2 | 01-10 | 99 |
| pernowi | Person number in Wave i | All household members Wave i | F2 | 01-10 | 99 |
| membwi | Household Membership in Wave i | All household members Wave i | F2 | Member (from last wave) .............. 1 Moved in since last wave ........... 2 Born since last wave................ 3 (Moved out this wave)............... 4 Died since last wave............... 5 Member, omitted by mistake from last wave .......................... 6 Member Returning to this HH...... 7 Member traced to this HH........... 8 New member in generated HH.... 9 |  |
| eligwi | Is person eligible for individual interview in Wave i? | All household members Wave i | F2 | Eligible for individual interview ....... 1 Not eligible for individual interview . 2 | 99 |
| intwi | Personal interview outcome, Wave i | $\begin{aligned} & \text { eligwi } \\ & =1 \end{aligned}$ | F2 |  | 99 |

Register File (One register file for each wave)

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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| zhsdid | Household ID number | All | F7 | 10101-6992501 | 9999999 |
| zgens | Generation Identifier to W9 | All | F8 | 00000110 to 71111111 | 99999999 |
| zlineno | Person's Line Number | All | F2 | 01-10 | 99 |
| zperno | Person Number | All | F2 | 01-10 | 99 |
| zpfxid | Person's Fixed ID | All | F8 | 101101-69925101 | 99999999 |
| zhhres | Household Outcome | All | F2 |  | 99 |
| zdateint | Date of Hsd Interview | All | F8 | Date (ddmmyyy) | 99999999 |
| zhsize | Household Size | All | F2 | 01-10 ( $10=10$ or more) | 99 |
| zhrpno | Person \# of Household Reference Person | All | F2 | 01-10 | 99 |
| zintlast | Was this perspon interviewed Last Wave? | All | F1 | Not interviewed last wave............. 0 Yes, interviewed in person ......... 1 Yes, interviewed by proxy......... 2 | 9 |
| monb | Month of Birth | All | F2 | 01-12 | 99 |
| yearb | Year of Birth | All | F4 | 1909 (=1909 or earlier) - 2001 | 9999 |
| sex | Sex | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| zmemb | Household membership | All | F2 | Member (from last wave)............... 1 <br> Moved in since last wave ........... 2 <br> Born since last wave................. 3 <br> (Moved out this wave)............. 4 <br> Died since last wave............... 5 <br> Member, omitted by mistake <br> from last wave.......................... 6 <br> Member Returning to this HH...... 7 <br> Member traced to this H.......... 8 <br> New member in generated HH..... 9 | 99 |
| zwhen | When Moved in/out | $\begin{aligned} & \substack{\text { zmemb }=(3,4, 5,7,8)} \end{aligned}$ | F4 | Date (mmyy) | 9999 |
| zmovto | Where Moved to | zmemb= (4) | F2 | Moved, Private ......................... 1 Moved to collective household..... 2 Moved OAP home ................. 3 Moved other inst................... 4 Moved-other E country ............ 5 Moved, outside EU.................... 6 Moved to an existing sample Hs.. 7 Moved, don't know where.......... 8 Don't know whether moved....... 9 | 99 |


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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| zmedcrd | Is person covered by Medical Card? | $\begin{aligned} & \text { zmemb= } \\ & (1,2,3,6,7,8,9) \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Yes, holder.................................. 1 <br> Yes, dependent of holder ............ 2 <br> No ....................................... 3 | 9 |
| zresid | Residential Status | $\begin{aligned} & \text { zmemb= } \\ & (1,2,3,6,7,8,9) \end{aligned}$ | F1 |  | 9 |
| zwork15 | Works 15+ Hours? | $\begin{aligned} & \text { zmemb= } \\ & (1,2,3,6,7,8,9) \end{aligned}$ | F1 |  | 9 |
| zstatus | Status, if not eligible | $\begin{aligned} & \text { zmemb }= \\ & (1,2,3,6,7,8,9) \\ & \text { and } \\ & \text { zelig=2 } \end{aligned}$ | F2 |  | 99 |
| zelig | Eligible for Indiv. Interview? | $\begin{aligned} & \text { zmemb= } \\ & (1,2,3,6,7,8,9) \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Yes, eligible.................................................... 2 | 9 |
| zoutcome | Outcome of individual interview | zelig=1 | F1 | Interviewed in person................... 1 Interviewed by proxy.................. 2 Refused.................................. 4 Unable - illness etc.................. 5 Temporarily absent.................... 6 Never available..................... 6 | 9 |
| zrel01 | Relationship to person on line 1 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { zmemb= } \\ & (1,2,3,6,7,8,9) \end{aligned}$ | F2 |  | 99 |
| zrel02 | Relationship to person on line 2 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { zmemb= } \\ & (1,2,3,6,7,8,9) \end{aligned}$ | F2 | Same as zrel01 | 99 |
| zrel03 | Relationship to person on line 3 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { zmemb }= \\ & (1,2,3,6,7,8,9) \end{aligned}$ | F2 | Same as zrel01 | 99 |
| zrel04 | Relationship to person on line 4 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { zmemb= } \\ & (1,2,3,6,7,8,9) \end{aligned}$ | F2 | Same as zrel01 | 99 |
| zrel05 | Relationship to person on line 5 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { zmemb= } \\ & (1,2,3,6,7,8,9) \end{aligned}$ | F2 | Same as zrel01 | 99 |
| zrel06 | Relationship to person on line 6 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { zmemb= } \\ & (1,2,3,6,7,8,9) \end{aligned}$ | F2 | Same as zrel01 | 99 |
| zrel07 | Relationship to person on line 7 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { zmemb= } \\ & (1,2,3,6,7,8,9) \end{aligned}$ | F2 | Same as zrel01 | 99 |
| zrel08 | Relationship to person on line 8 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { zmemb= } \\ & (1,2,3,6,7,8,9) \end{aligned}$ | F2 | Same as zrel01 | 99 |
| zrel09 | Relationship to person on line 9 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { zmemb= } \\ & (1,2,3,6,7,8,9) \end{aligned}$ | F2 | Same as zrel01 | 99 |
| zrel10 | Relationship to person on line 10 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { zmemb= } \\ & (1,2,3,6,7,8,9) \end{aligned}$ | F2 | Same as zrel01 | 99 |
| zrelhrp | Relationship to Household Reference Person | $\begin{aligned} & \text { zmemb= } \\ & (1,2,3,6,7,8,9) \end{aligned}$ | F2 | Same as zrel01 | 99 |


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| zspno | Person \# of Spouse | $\begin{aligned} & \text { zmemb= } \\ & (1,2,3,6,7,8,9) \end{aligned}$ | F2 | 01-10 | 99 |
| zmono | Person \# of Mother | $\begin{aligned} & \text { zmemb }= \\ & (1,2,3,6,7,8,9) \end{aligned}$ | F2 | 01-10 | 99 |
| zfano | Person \# of Father | $\begin{aligned} & \text { zmemb }= \\ & (1,2,3,6,7,8,9) \end{aligned}$ | F2 | 01-10 | 99 |
| zrelno | Person \# of Nearest Rel | $\begin{aligned} & \text { zmemb }= \\ & (1,2,3,6,7,8,9) \end{aligned}$ | F2 | 01-10 | 99 |
| znumch | N. children <18 of this person | $\begin{aligned} & \text { zmemb }= \\ & (1,2,3,6,7,8,9) \end{aligned}$ | F2 | 01-10 | 99 |
| NUTS3 | Region (NUTS3) | zhhres=1 | A5 |  | xxxxx |
| Dublin | Household situated in Dublin city? | zhhres=1 | F1 | Outside Dublin City ............................................... 1 In Dublin City.......... | 9 |
| hsdwgtyy | Household Cross-Sectional Weight in year yy (yy=94-01) | zhhres=1 | F8.3 | Weight (grosses to population of private households) | 99999999 |
| indwgty | Individual Cross-Sectional Weight in year yy (yy=94-01) | $\begin{aligned} & \begin{array}{l} \text { zoutcome= } \\ (1,2) \end{array} \end{aligned}$ | F8.3 | Weight (grosses to population age 16+) | 99999999 |

## Household File (Households with Completed Household Interview)

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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ZHSDID | Household ID | All | F7 |  | 999999999 |
| ZGENS | Generation Identifier to W9 | All | F8 |  | 99999999 |
| ZINTNO | Interviewer Number | All | F5 | 2-10508 | 99999 |
| ZDATEH | Date of Interview | All | F8 | Date (ddmmyyy) | 99999999 |
| ZTIME1H | Time interview began | All | F4 | time (hhmm) | 9999 |
| ZTOTALV | Total No. of visits to household | All | F2 | 1-10 (=10 otr more) | 99 |
| zdatelas | Date of last visit to household | All | F8 | Date (ddmmyyyy) | 99999999 |
| HRPNO | Person number of household reference person | All | F2 | 01-10 | 99 |
| HRPLINE | Line number of Household Reference Person on Register | All | F2 | 01-10 | 99 |
| ZVALUE | Interviewer estimate of house value | All | F8.2 | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Amount in } £ \\ 500000=£ 500,000 \text { or more } \end{array}$ | 99999999 |
| ZHSDSIZE | Total household size | All | F2 | 1-10 (=10 or more) | 99 |
| ZELIGRES | No. of eligible respondents | All | F2 | 1-10 | 99 |
| ZINTCOMP | No. of completed interviews | All | F2 | 1-10 | 99 |
| Z2MOVEDO | Number persons moved out since last wave [Waves 2-8 only] | All | F1 | 0-7 | 9 |
| Z2DIED | No. died since last wave [Waves 2-8 only] | All | F1 | 0-7 | 9 |
| Z2MOVEDI | Z2No. moved in since last wave [Waves 2-8 only] | All | F1 | 0-7 | 9 |
| Z2NEW_BO | Z2No. new born since last wave <br> [Waves 2-8 only] | All | F1 | 0-7 | 9 |
| ZSIZELOC | Size of location | All | F2 |  | 99 |


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| Z2H0 | This part of the interview deals with your housing situation here, at your main place of residence. <br> Int. Is the interview taking place at the same address as the interview last year in wave 7 ? <br> [Int: Circle 2 for all Generated Household] [Waves 2-8 only] | All | F1 | Yes .................................................................................. No | ${ }^{9}$ |
| ZH01_1 | Since when have you lived at this address? (Month) | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { All (Wave 1) } \\ & \text { or } \\ & \text { Z2HO=2 } \end{aligned}$ | F2 | 01-12 | 99 |
| ZH01_2 | Since when have you lived at this address? (Year) | $\begin{aligned} & \text { All (Wave 1) } \\ & \text { or } \\ & \text { Z2HO=2 } \end{aligned}$ | F4 | 1909-2001 | 9999 |
| ZH02 | From where did you move to this address? Was it ... | $\begin{aligned} & \text { All (Wave 1) } \\ & \text { or } \\ & \text { Z2H0=2 } \end{aligned}$ | F1 | From another address within the county .................................... 1 From another county in Ireland .... 2 From another country.............. 3 | 9 |
| ZH03 | What was the MAIN reason for your move? Was it ... | $\begin{aligned} & \left\lvert\, \begin{array}{l} \text { All (Wave 1) } \\ \text { or } \\ \text { Z2H0=2 } \end{array}\right. \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Job Related: -you or other household member got a job around here; you wanted to be nearer to your place of work or study. . .1 $\qquad$ <br> Retirement: -you retired to this location.. <br> You found this accommodation more suitable/wanted a new place to live.. $\qquad$ Just personal reasons. 3 4 | 9 |
| ZH04 | What kind of accommodation is this? | All (Wave 1) <br> or ZH01_2 <br> earlier than <br> previous <br> calendar <br> year | F1 | Single-family detached house ....... 1 $\ldots$. Single-family semi-detached or terraced house .................... 2 Apartmentfflat in a building with less than 10 households .......... 3 Apartmentflat in a building with 10 or more households ............ 4 Other accommodation (specify) ... 5 | 9 |
| Z7H05 | Would you say you live in a rural area or village, a small or middle-sized town or a larger town? [Waves 7-8 only] | All | F1 | Rural area or village.................... 1 Small or middlle-sized town......... 2 Larger town or city .................. 3 | 9 |
| ZH05 | How many rooms does the household have the use of, not counting kitchens, bathrooms and toilets. I want you to exclude rooms used solely for business purposes, hallways, landings, cloakrooms or storerooms. [Int. Kitchen-cum-dining room should be counted as one room] | All | F2 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Number rooms } \\ & 1-12 \text { (=12 or more) } \end{aligned}$ | 99 |
| ZH06_1 | Does this dwelling have the following? A separate kitchen (incl kitchen-cumdining) | All | F1 | Yes.......................................... 1 No ...................................... 2 | 9 |
| ZH06_2 | ... A bath or shower | All | F1 | Yes ......................................... 1 No ..................................... 2 | 9 |
| ZH06_3 | ... An indoor flush toilet | All | F1 | Yes ............................................................................................... <br> No | 9 |
| ZH06_4 | ... Hot running water | All | F1 | Yes .......................................... 1 <br> No ...................................... 2 | 9 |
| ZH06_5 | ... Central heating or electric storage heaters | All | F1 | Yes .......................................... 1 No ...................................... 2 | 9 |
| ZH06_6 | $\begin{aligned} & \text {...A place to sit outside (e.g. } \\ & \text { garden,terrace) } \end{aligned}$ | All | F1 | Yes......................................... 1 No .......................................... 2 | 9 |


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| ZH07_1 | Do you have any of the following problems with your accommodation? [Int. Circle 1 or 2 (yes or no) in relation to each item in both columns] Not enough space | All | F1 | Yes............................................................................... No | 9 |
| ZH07_2 | Noise (from neighbours or street) [Waves 1-2 only] | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| Z3H07_4 | Noise from neighbours [Waves 3-8 only] | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| Z3H07_5 | ... Other street noise - traffic, business, factories etc. [Waves 3-8 only] | All | F1 | Yes............................................................................... No...... | 9 |
| ZH07_3 | ... Too dark/not enough light | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZH07_4 | ... Lack of adequate heating | All | F1 | Yes................................................................................... | 9 |
| ZH07_5 | ... Leaking roof | All | F1 | Yes............................................................................. | 9 |
| ZH07_6 | ... Damp walls, floors etc. | All | F1 | Yes............................................................................ | 9 |
| ZH07_7 | ... Rot in window frames or floors | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZH07_8 | ...Pollution or dirt from industry or traffic | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZH07_9 | ... Vandalism or crime in the area | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZH08_1 | How common would you say that each of the things listed on this card is in your neighbourhood? For each item listed please say whether or not you think it is very common; fairly common; not very common; or not at all common. [Int. Show Card HA and circle 1,2,3 or 4 on each line] <br> ... Graffiti on walls or buildings | All | F1 | Very common............................... 1 <br> Fairly common................... 3 <br> Not very common ................ 3 <br> Not at all common............. 4 | 9 |
| ZH08_2 | ... Teenagers hanging around on the streets | All | F1 | (As for ZH08_1) | 9 |
| ZH08_3 | ... Rubbish and litter lying about | All | F1 | As for ZH 08 _1) | 9 |
| ZH08_4 | ... Homes and gardens in bad condition | All | F1 | As for ZH 08 _1) | 9 |
| ZH08_5 | ... Vandalism and deliberate damage to property | All | F1 | As for ZH08_1) | 9 |
| ZH08_6 | ... People being drunk in public | All | F1 | As for ZH08_1) | 9 |
| ZH09 | Compared with the rest of Ireland how much crime would you say is in your area? | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZH10 | Thinking about people in your area who would want to have a paid job, would you say that of those who want to be in paid work: | All | F1 | Almost all are at work............... 1 Most are at work................. 2 About half are at work.......... 3 Less than half are at work ..... 4 Almost none are at work ....... 5 | 9 |


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| ZH11 | Does your household own this dwelling or are you a tenant or sub-tenant? If you own, or are purchasing, please say whether the purchase was through a local authority or with a private mortgage (or no mortgage). | All | F1 | Owner (or purchasing) - not Local Authority .......................... 1 Owner (or purchasing) - Local Authority ............................. 2 Accommodation Provided rent-free3 Tenant/subtenant ......................... 4 | 9 |
| ZH12 | Do you still have any outstanding loan or mortgages on the accommodation including any repayments under a tenant purchase scheme as well as loans for repairs, renovations or extensions? | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{ZH} 11 \\ & =(1,2) \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Yes ........................................................................................ <br> No...... | 9 |
| ZH13_1 | When did you take out loan/mortgage? (Month) <br> [Wave 1 only] | ZH12=1 | F2 | Year: 1909-2001 | 99 |
| ZH13_2 | When did you take out loan/mortgage? (Year) <br> [Wave 1 only] | ZH12=1 | F4 | Month: 01-12 | 9999 |
| ZH14 | What was total amount of mortgage/loan? [Wave 1 only] | ZH12=1 | F8.2 | Amount in $£$ $500000=£ 500,000$ or more | 99999999 |
| ZH15 | Term of mortgage? [Wave 1 only] | ZH12=1 | F2 | Term in years | 99 |
| ZH16 | Are any of these loans/mortgages linked to an endowment policy? [Int. Check this is an endowment policy, not regular mortgage protection] | ZH12=1 | F1 | Yes ....................................................................................... No...... | 9 |
| ZH17 | What are your monthly repayments on this (these) loan(s)/mortgage(s)? | ZH12=1 | F8.2 | Amount in £ $2000=£ 2,000$ per more | 99999999 |
| Z2H14_1 | In respect of this (these) loan(s) could you tell me (a) when did you take it out; (b) what was the total amount of the initial loan; and (c) over how many years was it to be paid back <br> (i.e. the term of the loan) <br> [Waves 2-8 only] <br> Year Loan 1 | ZH12=1 | F4 | yyyy | 9999 |
| Z2H14_2 | Amount of Loan 1 [Waves 2-8 only] | ZH12=1 | F8.2 | Amount in $£(500000=£ 500,000$ or more) | 99999999 |
| Z2H14_3 | Term of Loan 1 [Waves 2-8 only] | ZH12=1 | F2 | Term in years | 99 |
| Z2H14_4 | Year Loan 2 [Waves 2-8 only] | ZH12=1 | F4 | yyyy | 9999 |
| Z2H14_5 | Amount of Loan 2 [Waves 2-8 only] | ZH12=1 | F8.2 | Amount in £ (500000=£500,000 or more) | 99999999 |
| Z2H14_6 | Term of Loan 2 [Waves 2-8 only] | ZH12=1 | F2 | Term in years | 99 |
| Z2H14_7 | Year Loan 3 [Waves 2-8 only] | ZH12=1 | F4 | yyyy | 9999 |
| Z2H14_8 | Amount of Loan 3 [Waves 2-8 only] | ZH12=1 | F8.2 | Amount in $£(500000=£ 500,000$ or more | 99999999 |
| Z2H14_9 | Term of Loan 3 [Waves 2-8 only] | ZH12=1 | F2 | Term in years | 99 |
| Z2H15A | Are any of these loans/mortgages CURRENTLY on a fixed rate? <br> [Waves 2-8 only] | ZH12=1 | F1 | Yes ........................................................................................ <br> No...... | 9 |
| Z2H15B | When did you fix? [Waves 2-8 only] | $\mathrm{Z} 2 \mathrm{H} 15 \mathrm{~A}=1$ | F4 | Date (mmyy) | 9999 |
| Z2H15C | At what rate did you fix? [Waves 2-8 only] | $\mathrm{Z} 2 \mathrm{H} 15 \mathrm{~A}=1$ | F8.2 | Per cent (interest rate) | 99999999 |
| ZH18 | By 'total housing costs' we mean the repayments on loans or mortgages [if relevant] as well as property tax, the cost of repairs, heating and other household charges. To what extent are these housing costs a financial burden to you? Are they ... | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{ZH} 11 \\ & =(1,2) \end{aligned}$ | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZH19 | What price do you think you would be able to get for your house if you were to sell it now? [Int. Price for residential house only. If farmer, record figure only for the house and not the farm in total. If self-employed record only the value of residential property] | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{ZH} 11 \\ & =(1,2) \end{aligned}$ | F8.2 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Amount in } £ \\ & 500000=£ 500,000 \text { or over } \end{aligned}$ | 99999999 |
| ZH20 | Is anyone in the household currently receiving any housing allowances, mortgage supplements or other Social Welfare payments to cover any sort of housing costs? | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{ZH} 11 \\ & =(1,2) \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Yes ........................................................................................... No...... | 9 |


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| ZH21 | Is the accommodation rented from ... | ZH11=4 | F1 | The local authority......... 1 A private landlord........ 2 Your own employer or the employer of another household member..... 3 | 9 |
| ZH22 | What is the total monthly rent, including any charges you have to pay as part of your rent, such as heat, water, electricity, gas etc.? Please include any amount recovered from rent supplement , and any rent supplement paid directly to the landlord. | ZH11=4 | F8.2 | Amount in £ $2000=£ 2000$ or more | 99999999 |
| ZH23_1 | Over and above this payment [at H.20] do you have to pay for any of the following? [Int. Circle 1 or 2 on each line] <br> ... Repairs or maintenance charges | ZH11=4 | F1 | Yes ............................. 1 No .......................... 2 | 9 |
| ZH23_2 | ... Heating | ZH11=4 | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes ................................................................ } \\ & \text { No ........ } \end{aligned}$ | 9 |
| ZH23_3 | ... Other electricity or gas | ZH11=4 | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZH23_4 | ... Water | ZH11=4 | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZH23_5 | ... Sewage removal | ZH11=4 | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes .................................. } 1 \\ & \text { No ...................... } 2 \end{aligned}$ | 9 |
| ZH23_6 | ... Rubbish collection | ZH11=4 | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZH23_7 | ... Other charges | ZH11=4 | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes ........................................................................................... } \\ & \text { No } \end{aligned}$ | 9 |
| ZH24 | By 'total housing costs' we mean rent, repairs, any charges for electricity, water, heat etc. To what extent do these housing costs represent a financial burden to you? Would you say they are | ZH11=4 | F1 | a heavy burden............. 1 somewhat of a burden.... 2 no burden at all ........... 3 | 9 |
| ZH25 | Does anyone living in the household currently receive any rent allowance or other payment to cover housing costs? Please include any payments made directly to the landlord. | ZH11=4 | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes ................................................................... } \\ & \text { No ........ } \end{aligned}$ | 9 |
| ZH26 | How much does the household receive each month in these payments? | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{ZH2O}=1 \text { or } \\ & \mathrm{ZH} 25=1 \end{aligned}$ | F8.2 | Amount per month in $£$ 2000=£2,000 or more | 99999999 |
| ZH27_1 | Thinking back over [previous calendar year], for how many months, if any, was anyone in the household receiving a housing allowance, rent/mortgage supplement or subsidy from Social Welfare or the Health Boards to cover housing costs and how much was received each month? <br> (Amount) | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{ZH} 20=1 \text { or } \\ & \mathrm{ZH} 25=1 \end{aligned}$ | F8.2 | Amount per month in $£$ $2000=£ 2,000$ or more | 99999999 |
| ZH27_2 | Thinking back over [previous calendar year, for how many months, if any, was anyone in the household receiving a housing allowance, rent/mortgage supplement or subsidy from Social Welfare or the Health Boards to cover housing costs and how much was received each month? <br> (Number of months) | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{ZH2O}=1 \text { or } \\ & \mathrm{ZH} 25=1 \end{aligned}$ | F2 | Number of months | 99 |


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|  | Here is a list of things which a person might have or be able to do. [Int. Show Card HB] <br> P- [Wave 4 only: First, could you tell me which ones you believe are necessities, that is things that every household (or person) should be able to have and that nobody should have to do without?] <br> P- Could you tell me which of the things listed you have or can avail of? <br> (c) Of the things which you don't have, which would you like to have but must do without because of a lack of money? |  |  |  |  |
| Z4H26N01 | Refrigerator necessity? [Wave 4 only] | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZH28_1 | Has refrigerator? | All | F1 | Yes .................................................. 2 No ............ | 9 |
| ZH28_2 | Would like but cannot afford refrigerator? | All | F1 | Yes ..................................... 1 No ..................... 2 | 9 |
| Z4H26N02 | Washing machine necessity? [Wave 4 only] | All | F1 | Yes ............................................................ | 9 |
| ZH28_3 | Has washing machine? | All | F1 | Yes ..................................... 1 No ..................... 2 | 9 |
| ZH28_4 | Would like but cannot afford washing machine? | All | F1 | Yes ............................................................ | 9 |
| Z4H26N03 | Telephone necessity? [Wave 4 only] | All | F1 | Yes ................................................... 2 | 9 |
| ZH28_5 | Has telephone? [Waves 1-6] Has telephone, (whether fixed or mobile)? [Waves7-8] | All | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes ................................. } 1 \\ & \text { No .......................... } 2 \end{aligned}$ | 9 |
| ZH28_6 | Would like but cannot afford telephone? | All | F1 | Yes .................................................. 2 No ............. | 9 |
| Z4H26N04 | Colour TV necessity? [Wave 4 only] | All | F1 | Yes ..................................... 1 No .................... 2 | 9 |
| ZH28_7 | Has colour television? | All | F1 | Yes ...................................... 1 | 9 |
| ZH28_8 | Would like but cannot afford colour television? | All | F1 | Yes ................................................... 2 No ........... | 9 |
| Z4H26N05 | Car/van necessity? [Wave 4 only] | All | F1 | Yes .................................................. 2 No ............ | 9 |
| ZH28_9 | Has car? [Waves 1-6] Has private car or van (NOT a company car) [Waves 7-8] | All | F1 | Yes ...................................... 1 No ...................... 2 | 9 |
| ZH28_10 | Would like but cannot afford car? | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| Z4H26N06 | Video recorder necessity? [Wave 4 only] | All | F1 | Yes ..................................... 1 No ..................... 2 | 9 |
| ZH28_11 | Has video recorder? | All | F1 | Yes ............................................................ | 9 |
| ZH28_12 | Would like but cannot afford video recorder? | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| Z4H26N07 | Microwave necessity? [Wave 4 only] | All | F1 | Yes .................................................. 2 | 9 |
| ZH28_13 | Has microwave? | All | F1 | Yes ................................................... 2 | 9 |
| ZH28_14 | Would like but cannot afford microwave? | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| Z4H26N08 | Deep freeze necessity? [Wave 4 only] | All | F1 | Yes .................................. 1 No ...................... 2 | 9 |
| ZH28_15 | Has deep freeze? | All | F1 | Yes .................................................. 2 | 9 |
| ZH28_16 | Would like but cannot afford deep freeze? | All | F1 | Yes ........................................................ 2 | 9 |
| Z4H26N09 | Dishwasher necessity? [Wave 4 only] | All | F1 | Yes .................................................. 2 No ............ | 9 |
| ZH28_17 | Has dishwasher? | All | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes ............................................ } 1 \\ & \text { No ......................... } 2 \end{aligned}$ | 9 |
| ZH28_18 | Would like but cannot afford dishwasher? | All | F1 | Yes ................................................... 2 | 9 |


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| Z4H26N10 | Paying for a week's annual holiday away from home (not staying with relatives) a necessity? [Wave 4 only] | All | F1 | Yes .................................................. 2 | 9 |
| ZH28_19 | Does pay for a week's annual holiday away from home (not staying with relatives)? | All | F1 | Yes ................................. 1 No ......................... 2 | 9 |
| ZH28_20 | Would like but cannot afford weeks holiday? | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| Z4H26N11 | Dry damp free dwelling necessity? [Wave 4 only] | All | F1 | Yes ................................................. 2 No .............. | 9 |
| ZH28_21 | Has dry damp-free dwelling? | All | F1 | Yes ................................................ 2 No .............. | 9 |
| ZH28_22 | Would like but cannot afford dry damp-free dwelling? | All | F1 | Yes ........................................ 1 No 2 | 9 |
| Z4H26N12 | Adequate heating necessity? [Wave 4 only] | All | F1 | Yes ................................................ 2 No .............. | 9 |
| ZH28_23 | Has adequate heating? | All | F1 | Yes ................................................ 2 No 2 | 9 |
| ZH28_24 | Would like but cannot afford adequate heating? | All | F1 | Yes ................................................ 2 No 2 | 9 |
| Z4H26N13 | Central heating necessity? [Wave 4 only] | All | F1 | Yes ................................................. 2 No ............ | 9 |
| ZH28_25 | Has central heating? | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZH28_26 | Would like but cannot afford central heating? | All | F1 | Yes ...................................... 1 No 2 | 9 |
| Z4H26N14 | An indoor toilet in the dwelling which is not shared with other households a necessity? [Wave 4 only] | All | F1 | Yes .................................................. 2 No $2 . . . . . . . . . . . . ~$ | 9 |
| ZH28_27 | Has an indoor toilet in the dwelling which is not shared with other households? | All | F1 | Yes ................................................... 2 No $2 . . . . . . . . . . . ~$ | 9 |
| ZH28_28 | Would like but cannot afford indoor toilet (not shared)? | All | F1 | Yes ................................................ 2 | 9 |
| Z4H26N15 | Bath or shower which is not shared with other households necessity? [Wave 4 only] | All | F1 | Yes ....................................... 1 No 2 | 9 |
| ZH28_29 | Has bath or shower (not shared)? | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZH28_30 | Would like but cannot afford bath or shower (not shared)? | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| Z4H26N16 | A meal with meat, chicken or fish every second day if you wanted it a necessity? [Wave 4 only] | All | F1 | Yes .................................................. 2 No ............. | 9 |
| ZH28_31 | Has meal with meat, chicken or fish every second day if wanted it | All | F1 | Yes .................................................. 2 No 2 | 9 |
| ZH28_32 | Would like but cannot afford meal every second day if wanted it | All | F1 | Yes ................................................... 2 No ............. | 9 |
| Z4H26N17 | Warm waterproof overcoat necessity? [Wave 4 only] | All | F1 | Yes ........................................ 1 No 2 | 9 |
| ZH28_33 | Has warm waterproof overcoat? | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZH28_34 | Would like but cannot afford warm waterproof overcoat? | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| Z4H26N18 | Two pairs strong shoes a necessity? [Wave 4 only] | All | F1 | Yes ...................................... 1 No 2 | 9 |
| ZH28_35 | Has two pair strong shoes? | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZH28_36 | Would like but cannot afford two pairs strong shoes? | All | F1 | Yes ................................................ 2 No ............. | 9 |
| Z4H26N19 | To be able to save some of one's income regularly a necessity? [Wave 4 only] | All | F1 | Yes ................................................ 2 | 9 |
| ZH28_37 | Able to save? | All | F1 | Yes .................................................. 2 No $1 . . . . . . . . . . . . ~$ | 9 |
| ZH28_38 | Would like but cannot afford to be able to save? | All | F1 | Yes .................................................. 2 No 2 | 9 |
| Z4H26N20 | A daily newspaper a necessity? [Wave 4 only] | All | F1 | Yes ................................................... 2 No ............. | 9 |
| ZH28_39 | Has daily newspaper? | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZH28_40 | Would like but cannot afford daily newspaper? | All | F1 | Yes .................................................................... No | 9 |


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| Z4H26N21 | A roast joint of meat or its equivalent once a week a necessity? [Wave 4 only] | All | F1 | Yes .................................................. 2 No .............. | 9 |
| ZH28_41 | Has roast meat joint once a week? | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZH28_42 | Would like but cannot afford roast meat joint? | All | F1 | Yes ....................................... 1 No 2 | 9 |
| Z4H26N22 | A hobby or leisure activity a necessity? [Wave 4 only] | All | F1 | Yes ................................................. 2 No ............. | 9 |
| ZH28_43 | Has hobby or leisure activity? | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZH28_44 | Would like but cannot afford hobby or leisure activity? | All | F1 | Yes .................................................. 2 No 2 | 9 |
| Z4H26N23 | New, not second-hand, clothes a necessity? [Wave 4 only] | All | F1 | Yes ................................................. 2 | 9 |
| ZH28_45 | Has new, not secondhand, clothes? | All | F1 | Yes ................................................... 2 No ............. | 9 |
| ZH28_46 | Would like but cannot afford new,not secondhand, clothes? | All | F1 | Yes ................................................ 2 No .............. | 9 |
| Z4H26N24 | Presents for friends or family once a year a necessity? [Wave 4 only] | All | F1 | Yes ................................................. 2 No ............. | 9 |
| ZH28_47 | Has presents for friends once a year? | All | F1 | Yes .................................................. 2 No $2 . . . . . . . . . . . ~$ | 9 |
| ZH28_48 | Would like but cannot afford presents for friends once a year | All | F1 | Yes ....................................... 1 No 2 | 9 |
| Z4H26N25 | A second home / a holiday home a necessity? [Wave 4 only] | All | F1 | Yes .................................................................. No | 9 |
| ZH28_49 | Has second home? | All | F1 | Yes ................................... 1 No ....................... 2 | 9 |
| ZH28_50 | Would like but cannot afford second home? | All | F1 | Yes ..................................................... 2 No $1 . . . . . . . . . . ~$ | 9 |
| Z4H26N26 | Able to replace any worn out furniture a necessity? [Wave 4 only] | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZH28_51 | Able to replace worn out furniture? | All | F1 | Yes ................................................. 2 | 9 |
| ZH28_52 | Would like but cannot afford to be able to replace worn furniture | All | F1 | Yes ................................................. 2 | 9 |
| Z4H26N27 | Having friends or family for a drink or meal at least once a month a necessity? [Wave 4 only] | All | F1 | Yes .................................................. 2 No 2 | 9 |
| ZH28_53 | Has friends for drink/meal once a month? | All | F1 | Yes ................................................... 2 No ............. | 9 |
| ZH28_54 | Would like but cannot afford friends for drink/meal once a month | All | F1 | Yes ................................................... 2 No .............. | 9 |
| Z4H26N28 | Home Computer a necessity? [Wave 4 only] | All | F1 | Yes .................................................... 2 | 9 |
| Z3H26_55 | Has home computer? [Waves 3-8 only] | All | F1 | Yes ................................................... 2 No ............. | 9 |
| Z3H26_56 | Would like but cannot afford home computer? [Waves 3-8 only] | All | F1 | Yes .................................................. 2 No ............. | 9 |
| Z7H26A | Do you have a company car or van available for use? <br> [Waves 7-8 only] | All | F1 | Yes .............................. 1 No / NA (does not work).. 2 | 9 |


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| ZH29 | Do you or anyone in your household currently have to repay debts from hire purchases or any other loans, apart from any mortgage or loan connected with the house and apart from outstanding credit card debts? | All | F1 | Yes.................................................. 2 | 9 |
| ZH30 | To what extent is the repayment of such debts and the interest involved a financial burden on your household? Would you say it is ... | ZH29=1 | F1 | A heavy burden.............. 1 Somewhat of a burden.... 2 Not a problem ............... 3 | 9 |
| ZH31 | Thinking now of your household's total income, from all sources and from all household members, would you say that your household is able to make ends meet? | All | F1 | With great difficulty .......... 1 With difficulty.............. 2 With some difficulty........ 3 Fairly easily.................. 4 Easily .......................... 5 Very easily ................. 6 | 9 |
| ZH32_1 | Has your household been in arrears at any time in the last 12 months, that is, unable to pay as scheduled, any of the following? ... Rent | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZH32_2 | ... Mortgage | All | F1 | Yes.................................................. 2 No................. 3 Not applicable ........... 3 | 9 |
| ZH32_3 | ... Utility bills (electricity, water, gas etc.) | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZH32_4 | ... Hire purchase instalments or credit card debts or other loan repayments | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZH32_5 | ... Hospital or medical bills | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZH33 | Has the household had to go into debt at any time in the last 12 months to meet ordinary living expenses such as food, Christmas, back-to-school expenses, rent or mortgage payments? | All | F1 | Yes................................................................. No..... | 9 |
| Z2H33 | Interviewer: Check on the household register. Is there ... <br> [Waves 2-8 only] | All | F1 | one or more children under 12 years in the household .. 1 no child under 12 years in the household $\qquad$ 2 | 9 |
| Z2H34 | Apart from the time they spend in school, are any of the children in this household looked after on a REGULAR basis by someone other than their parent or guardian, whether here at home or outside such as at a crèche, a playschool or a child-minder? [Waves 2-8 only] | Z2H33=1 | F1 | Yes................................................................ | 9 |
| Z2H35 | Does your household have to pay for any of the children to be looked after on a regular basis? <br> [Waves 2-8 only] | Z2H34=1 | F1 | Yes................................................................... No..... | 9 |
| Z2h36_1w | Approximately how much per week does the household pay to have this child (or these children) looked after? <br> [Waves 2-8 only] | Z2H35=1 | F8 | Amount per week in £ $500=£ 500$ or more | 99999999 |


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| ZH34_1 | Which of the following sources of income does the household receive? Please consider the income of all household members, not just your own income. ...Wages and Salaries | All | F1 | Yes................................................................. | 9 |
| ZH34_2 | ... Income from self-employment? | All | F1 | Yes...................................................................... No..... | 9 |
| ZH34_3 | ... Income from Agriculture? | All | F1 | Yes........................................................... 2 | 9 |
| ZH34_4 | ... Income from Private Pensions? | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZH34_5 | ... Income from Social Welfare? [Wave 1 only] | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| Z2H38_5 | ... Income from UB/UA? [Waves 2-8 only] | All | F1 | Yes............................................................ | 9 |
| Z2H38_6 | ... Income from other Social Welfare [Waves 2-8 only] | All | F1 | Yes................................................. 2 | 9 |
| ZH34_6 | ... Income from Investments/savigs? | All | F1 | Yes........................................................................ No..... | 9 |
| ZH34_7 | ... Income from Children s Allowance? | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZH34_8 | ... Income from other source? | All | F1 | Yes............................................................. | 9 |
| ZH34_9 | And of these sources of income which is the largest source of income at present? | All | F2 | Wages or Salaries ............ 1 Income from $\quad$ Self-Employment......... 2 Income from Farming...... 3 Private Pensions ........... 4 Unemployment Benefit or Assistance [Wave 2-8] . 5 Other Social Welfare Payments [Wave 2-8]... 6 Income from Investments, Savings or Property ..... 7 Children's Allowance (Child Benefit).................... 8 Other Sources ............. 9 Social Welfare [Wave 1 only] ............ 10 | 99 |
| ZH35_1w | If you added up all income sources in this household, what would be the household's total net income per week (or month)? Include income from all sources, including Social Welfare and also include the income of all household members. By net income I mean, after tax and PRSI have been deducted. [Int. If respondent says s/he can't give an exact figure probe as much as you can for an estimate or average figure]. | All | F8 | Amount per week in £ $2000=£ 2,000$ or more | 99999999 |
| ZH36 | I know its difficult to give an exact figure but perhaps you could give an approximate figure from the following ranges. [Int. Show Card HC and circle one only]. <br> Total household net WEEKLY income from all sources is approximately ... | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZH35_1w } \\ & = \\ & 99999999 \end{aligned}$ | F2 |  | 99 |
| ZHINCG | Gross Current Weekly Household Income from all Sources (Constructed from income components collected on household and individual questionnaires) | All | F8 | Amount in £ per week <br> $2000=£ 2,000$ or more |  |
| ZHINCN | Net Current Weekly Household Income from all Sources (Constructed from income components collected on household and individual questionnaires) | All | F8 | Amount in £ per week $2000=£ 2,000$ or more |  |


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| ZH37 | Description <br> When you consider your household's usual <br> income on the one hand and its expenses on <br> the other would you say that there is usually <br> some money left which household members <br> can save? | All | F1 | Yes........................... <br> No (or very little)........... |  |
|  | In your opinion, what would be the very lowest <br> net weekly income that your household would <br> have to have in order to make ends meet, <br> given the present circumstances and <br> composition of your household? |  | F8.2 | Amount per week in £ |  |


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| ZNONCNOV | Any non-cash benefit received nov 1993 [Wave 1 only] | ZH40=1 | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZCASHDEC | Any cash payment received (all SW) dec 1993 [Wave 1 only] | ZH40=1 | F1 | Yes................................................... 2 No............ | 9 |
| ZNONCDEC | Any non-cash benefit received dec 1993 [Wave 1 only] | ZH40=1 | F1 | Yes................................................................. No..... | 9 |
| ZH42 | What was the average/normal amount of cash payment received each week? [Wave 1 only] | ZH40=1 | F8.2 | Amount per week in £ | 99999999 |
| ZH43_1 | Thinking now only about the non-cash benefits, could you tell me whether or not anyone in the household received any of the following benefits from the Social Welfare or through the Health Boards in [previous calendar year]? <br> ...EC Butter vouchers [Waves 1-4 only] | ZH40=1 | F1 | Yes................................................................. | 9 |
| Z5h43CG2 | Did anyone in the household receive Butter Vouchers during [previous calendar year]? [Waves 5-8 only] | All | F1 | Yes................................................................. No..... | 9 |
| ZH43_2 | l'd like to get some idea of whether or not you or ANYONE else in the household currently receives any secondary cash benefits from Social Welfare or the Health Boards or received any such benefit at any time throughout 2000. The sort of secondary cash benefit which I'm thinking about includes the fuel allowance or smokeless fuel allowance. Do you, or anyone else in the household, currently receive a fuel or smokeless fuel allowance? <br> ... Fuel Allowance [Waves 1-8] | All <br> [Wave 1, $\mathrm{ZH} 40=1]$ | F1 | Yes.............................................................. 2 | 9 |
| ZH43_3 | ... Smokeless Fuel Allowance [Waves 1-8] | All [Wave 1, ZH40=1] | F1 | Yes............................................................... No..... | 9 |
| ZH43_4 | Now I would like to ask if you or ANYONE in your household currently receives [Waves 2-8 only] any of the non-cash benefits listed on this card, and whether you received them at any time in [previous calendar year]. [lnt. Show Card HD] <br> ... Free Electricity LY [Waves 1-8] | All <br> [Wave 1, $\mathrm{ZH} 40=1]$ | F1 | Yes............................................................... | 9 |
| ZH43_5 | ... Natural Gas Allowance LY [Waves 1-8] | All <br> [Wave 1, $\mathrm{ZH} 40=1]$ | F1 | Yes.................................................................. No..... | 9 |
| ZH43_6 | ... Bottled Gas Allowance LY [Waves 1-8] | All <br> [Wave 1, $\mathrm{ZH} 40=1]$ | F1 | Yes............................................................... No..... | 9 |
| ZH43_7 | ... T V Licence LY [Waves 1-8] |  | F1 | Yes................................................................ No..... | 9 |
| ZH43_8 | ... Phone Rental LY [Waves 1-8] | All <br> [Wave 1, ZH40=1] | F1 | Yes.................................................................. No..... | 9 |
| ZH43_9 | ... Free Transport LY [Waves 1-8] | All [Wave 1, ZH40=1] | F1 | Yes............................................................... No..... | 9 |
| ZH43_10 | ... Death Grant LY [Waves 1-8] | All <br> [Wave 1, <br> ZH40=1] | F1 | Yes............................................................... No..... | 9 |
| ZH43_11 | ... Other non-cash benefit LY [Wave 1 only] | ZH40=1 | F1 | Yes................................................................... No..... | 9 |


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| Z2H43A_1 | ... Fuel Allow current [Waves 2-8 only] | All | F1 | Yes................................................................................................ | 9 |
| Z2H43A_3 | ... Smkless Fuel A. current [Waves 2-8 only] | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| Z2H43A_5 | ... Free Electricity current [Waves 2-8 only] | All | F1 | Yes............................................................. | 9 |
| Z2H43A_7 | ... Free Nat Gas current [Waves 2-8 only] | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| Z2H43A_9 | ... Free Bottled Gas current [Waves 2-8 only] | All | F1 | Yes............................................................... | 9 |
| Z2H43A11 | ... Free TV Licence current [Waves 2-8 only] | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| Z2H43A13 | ... Free Phone Rental current [Waves 2-8 only] | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| Z2H43A15 | ... Free Transport current [Waves 2-8 only] | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| Z2H43A17 | ... Death Grant current year [Waves 2-8 only] | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| Z2H43A19 | ... Butter Vouchers current [Waves 2-8 only] | All | F1 | Yes.................................................................. No..... | 9 |
| Z5H43CA3 | No. Months Free Electricity LY [Waves 5-8 only] | ZH43_4=1 | F2 | number months 01-12 | 99 |
| Z5H43CB3 | No. Months Free Natural Gas LY[Waves 5-8 only] | ZH43_5=1 | F2 | number months 01-12 | 99 |
| Z5H43CC3 | No. Months Free Bottled Gas LY [Waves 5-8 only] | ZH43_6=1 | F2 | number months 01-12 | 99 |
| Z5H43CD3 | No. Months Free TV License LY [Waves 5-8 only] | ZH43_7=1 | F2 | number months 01-12 | 99 |
| Z5H43CE3 | No. Months Free Phone Rental LY [Waves 5-8 only] | ZH43_8=1 | F2 | number months 01-12 | 99 |
| Z5H43CF3 | No. Months Free Transport LY [Waves 5-8 only] | ZH43_9=1 | F2 | number months 01-12 | 99 |
| Z5H43CG3 | No. Months Butter Vouchers LY [Waves 5-8 only] | Z5h43CG2 =1 | F2 | number months 01-12 | 99 |
| ZH44 | During [previous calendar year] did you or any other member of your household inherit any property or capital or receive a gift or lottery win worth IR£1,500 or more? | All | F1 | Yes................................................................... No..... | 9 |
| ZH45 | Was the amount ... [Waves 1-4, 6-8] | ZH44=1 | F1 | Under $£ 8,000 \ldots \ldots . . . . . . . . . . . . . .1$ $£ 8,000$ to $£ 40,000$............ 2 Over $£ 40,000 \ldots \ldots . . . . . . . . . .$. | 9 |
| Z5H45 | Was the amount ... [Wave 5, different categories] | ZH44=1 | F1 | Under $£ 7,000 \ldots \ldots \ldots . . . . . . . . . . .1$ $£ 7,000$ to $£ 35,000$............ 3 Over $£ 35,000 \ldots . . . . . . . . .$. | 9 |
| ZH46_1 | Would you say that any of the following results in a significant saving (of say IR£1,000 or more each year) in your household's expenditure ... <br> ... Consuming food you produce on your own farm or garden | All | F1 | Yes................................................................ | 9 |
| ZH46_2 | ... Consuming goods from your business (other than farming) | All | F1 | Yes................................................................................. | 9 |
| ZH46_3 | ... Saving money by carrying out any form of home production, repairs, maintenance, all forms of DIY etc. | All | F1 | Yes................................................................... No..... | 9 |


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| ZH47 | Did you or any member of your household receive any income from renting out property, for example renting out a room, a flat, a house; or renting out a farm etc. during [previous calendar year]? | All | F1 | Yes................................................... 2 | ${ }^{9}$ |
| ZH48 | After deducting any costs which you may have incurred on the rented land or property, such as mortgage repayments, repairs, maintenance and insurance, about how much rental income would the household have received, before tax, during [previous calendar year]? | ZH47=1 | F8.2 | Amount in $£$ Special codes: Expenses exceed rent ......... 1 Don't know...................... 9 50000 .......... £50,000 or more | 99999999 |
| ZH49 | I know it's difficult to give an exact figure but could you tell me which of the categories on this card corresponds most closely to the amount of rental income received, before tax, during [previous calendar year]. [Waves 1-4, 6-9] | ZH48=9 | F1 |  | 9 |
| Z5H49 | I know it's difficult to give an exact figure but could you tell me which of the categories on this card corresponds most closely to the amount of rental income received, before tax, during [previous calendar year]. <br> [Wave 5, new categories] | ZH48=9 | F1 |  | 9 |
| Z5H50 | As regards buying household durable items such as new furniture, a washing machine, a television set or a car, would you say that now is a favourable time to make such a purchase; neither a favourable nor an unfavourable time; or is it an unfavourable time to make such a purchase? | All | F1 | Yes............................................................................... No..... | 9 |
| Z5H50B | Did you or anyone in your household receive an Exceptional Needs Payment from the Community Welfare Officer at the Health Centre to purchase household items such as a cooker or washing machine in [previous calendar year]? <br> [Waves 5-8 only] | All | F1 | Yes............................................................................. No..... | 9 |
| Z2H50B | Do any of the children in the household who are attending secondary school have a regular job which would earn them more than IR£10 per week? [Wave 2 only] | All | F1 | Yes................................... 1 No............................... 2 | 9 |
| Z3H50B | Do any of the children in the household (that is anyone who is less than 16 years of age) have a regular source of income which would earn them more than IR£10 per week? Please do not include any work done for other household members. [Waves 3-8 only] | All | F1 | Yes.................................. 1 No............................. 2 | 9 |
| Z6H50D_1 | Does anyone in the household currently receive the following payments ... <br> FIS (Family Income Supplement) <br> [Waves 6-8 only] | All | F1 | Yes.................................. 1 No.............................. 2 | 9 |
| Z6H50D_2 | Person number of person receiving FIS [Waves 6-8 only] | Z6H50D_1 $=1$ | F2 | 01-10 | 99 |
| Z6H50D_3 | ... SWA (Supplementary Welfare Allowance) [Waves 6-8 only] | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| Z6H50D_4 | Person number of person receiving SWA [Waves 6-8 only] | Z6H50D_3 $=1$ | F2 | 01-10 | 99 |


| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
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| Z4H51A | [INTERVIEWER: Check ... Are there any individuals in this household who: <br> P- Are not eligible for individual interview (i.e., too young) AND <br> (b) Are on: State training course; or at work; or doing apprenticeship; or unemployed; or 'other'? | All | F1 | Yes........................................................................ No...... | 9 |
| ZH51A | Person number of first person at Z4H51A | Z4H51A=1 | F2 | 01-10 | 99 |
| ZH51B | Could you tell me at what stage [Name] left school? | Z4H51A=1 | F1 | No school beyond primary.... 1 Primary cert. or equivalent.... 2 Some secondary (no exams) 3 Junior cert or equivalent....... 4 Leaving cert or equiv . $\qquad$ | 9 |
| ZH51C | Does $\qquad$ receive any Social Welfare payments of any sort? | Z4H51A=1 | F1 | Yes........................................................................ | 9 |
| ZH51D | Which ones [Type of payment]? | ZH51C = 1 | F1 | Unemployment Assistance... 1 Unemployment Benefit........ 2 Disability Allowance.......... 3 Lone Parent Allowance...... 4 | 9 |
| ZH51E | How much does (s)he receive per week? | ZH51C =1 | F8.2 | Amount in £ | 99999999 |
| ZH51F | Does (s)he receive any other income from employment, paid apprenticeship or training course (e.g. a FÁS course), or anything like that? | Z4H51A=1 | F1 | Yes............................................................................ No..... | 9 |
| ZH51G | About how much does $\qquad$ receive each week after all deductions for tax and PRSI? | ZH51F=1 | F8.2 | Amount in £ | 99999999 |
| ZH51H | [If respondent doesn't know] Would you say it is ... | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{ZH} 51 \mathrm{~g}= \\ & 99999999 \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Iess than IR£25 per week..... 1 IR£25 to under IR£50 per week.................... 2 IR£50 to under IR£75 per week ......................... 3 IR£75 to under R£100 per week. 4IR£100 or more per week................. 5 | 9 |
| Z4H52A | [INTERVIEWER: Check .. Is there a SECOND child in this household who: <br> $P$ - Is not eligible for individual interview (i.e., too young) AND <br> (b) Is on: State training course; or at work; or doing apprenticeship; or unemployed; or 'other' ? | Z4H51A=1 | F1 | Yes......................................................................... No..... | 9 |
| ZH52A | Person number of first person at Z4H51A | Z4H52A=1 | F2 | 01-10 | 99 |
| ZH52B | Could you tell me at what stage [Name] left school? | Z4H52A=1 | F1 | No school beyond primary.... 1 Primary cert. or equivalent.... 2 Some secondary (no exams) 3 Junior cert or equivalent....... 4 Leaving cert or equiv ............ 5 | 9 |
| ZH52C | Does $\qquad$ receive any Social Welfare payments of any sort? | Z4H52A=1 | F1 | Yes............................................................................... No..... | 9 |
| ZH52D | Which ones [Type of payment]? | ZH52C=1 | F1 | Unemployment Assistance... 1 <br> Unemployment Benefit......... 2 <br> Disability Allowance............. 3 <br> Lone Parent Allowance ........ 4 | 9 |
| ZH52E | How much does (s)he receive per week? | ZH52C=1 | F8.2 | Amount in £ | 99999999 |
| ZH52F | Does (s)he receive any other income from employment, paid apprenticeship or training course (e.g. a FÁS course), or anything like that? | Z4H52A=1 | F1 | Yes......................................................................... No...... | 9 |
| ZH52G | About how much does $\qquad$ receive each week after all deductions for tax and PRSI? | ZH52F=1 | F8.2 | Amount in £ | 99999999 |
| ZH52H | [If respondent doesn't know] Would you say it is | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZH52G= } \\ & 99999999 \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Iess than IR£25 per week..... 1 IR£25 to under IR£50 per week...................... 2 IR£50 to under IR£75 per week........................ 3 IR£75 to under R£100 per week. 4IR£100 or more per week................. 5 | 9 |


| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
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| ZH53 | Time Household Questionnaire completed | All | F4 | Time (HHMM) | 9999 |
| ZH54_1 | Person number of household member who <br> provided most information for this <br> questionnaire | All | F2 | $01-10$ | 99 |
| ZH54_2 | Person number of member who contributed <br> $\ldots$ | All | F2 | $01-10$ | 99 |
| ZH54_3 | Person number of third member who <br> contributed | All | F2 | $01-10$ | 99 |
| hsdwgtyy | Household Cross-Sectional Weight in year <br> yy (yy=94-01) | All | F8.3 | Weight (grosses to population <br> of private households) | 99999999 |

## Individual File

| Variable | Description | Bas <br> e | Format | Codes | Missing code |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: |
| ZHSDID | Household ID <br> (area,hsd,gen2,gen3,gen4,gen5,gen6,gen7) | All | F10 | $101111111-$ | 9999999999 |
| ZPERNO | Person Number | All | F2 | $01-10$ | 99 |
| ZSPLIT | Household Split Code | All | F2 | $01-12$ | 99 |
| ZGENS | Generation Identifier to W9 | All | F8 |  | 99999999 |
| ZLINENO | Line No. on Register | All | F2 | $01-10$ | 99 |
| ZPFXID | Persons Fixed ID | All | F8 |  | 99999999 |
| yearb | Year of birth | All | F4 | $1909(=1909$ <br> or earlier - <br> 2001 | 9999 |
|  |  |  |  | 01 to 12 |  |
| monb | Month of birth | All | F2 | 99 |  |
| ZINTNO | Interviewer Number | All | F5 | 01 to 10589 | 99999 |
| ZDATE | Date of interview | All | F8 | ddmmyyyy | 99999999 |
| ZTIME | Time interview began | All | F4 | $0000-2400$ | 9999 |

Current Main Job (15+ Hours)

| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ZA1 | I'd like to start by collecting some details on what you do, what your main activities are and so on. <br> I'd like to start with your present work and daily activities. Are you at present working in a job or business for at least 15 hours a week? <br> INTERVIEWER NOTE: A JOB OR BUSINESS IS DEFINED AS: ANY PAID EMPLOYMENT (IN FAMILY BUSINESS OR OTHERWISE); PAID APPRENTICESHIP; TEMP. STATE EMPLOYMENT SCHEMES (WORK SCHEMES SUCH AS COMMUNITY EMPLOYMENT SCHEME); STUDENT SUMMER EMPLOYMENT SCHEMES; SELFEMPLOYMENT; FARMING; UNPAID FAMILY WORKER/RELATIVE ASSISTING ON A FARM OR IN ANOTHER FAMILY BUSINESS. <br> CONSIDER HOURS WORKED IN ALL JOBS (IF MORE THAN ONE). IF TOTAL IS 15 HOURS OR MORE PER WEEK A. 3 ONWARDS SHOULD RELATE TO THE MAIN JOB OR BUSINESS I.E. THE ONE WHICH ACCOUNTS FOR THE MOST HOURS | All | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes } \ldots .1 \rightarrow \text { ZA3 } \\ & \text { No } \ldots . .2 \rightarrow \text { ZA2 } \end{aligned}$ | 9 |
| ZA2 | Even if you are not working at present do you have a job or business which normally involves at least 15 hours of work each week from which you are temporarily absent? This could be for any reason, such as sickness, injury, maternity leave, bad weather, lay-off, strike, holidays or whatever | ZA1=2 | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes } \ldots 1 \rightarrow \text { ZA3 } \\ & \text { No } \ldots . .2 \rightarrow \text { Go to B. } 1 \end{aligned}$ | 9 |
| ZA3 | Would you describe your job or business as... Interviewer Note: Apprentices must be 'serving their time', 'getting their papers' at the end of apprenticeship etc. Check this is $s 0$. <br> Temporary State Employment Schemes include: <br> P- Community Employment Scheme <br> 2. Job Start Scheme <br> 3. Linked Work Experience (for young people, private sector) <br> 4. Teamwork <br> 5. Part Time Job Scheme/Part Time Integration | ZA1=1 or ZA2=1 | F2 | Paid Employment in Family <br> Business/Farm...................... 1 <br> Other Paid Employment.............. 2 <br> Paid Apprenticeship ............... 3 <br> Temp. State Employment Scheme <br> (Community Employment Scheme etc) 4 <br> Student Summer Emp. Scheme... 5 <br> Non-Agricultural Self-Employment. 6 <br> Farming..................................... 7 <br> Unpaid Family Worker/Relative <br> Assisting.................................. 8 | 99 |


| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
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| Z2A4 | [Int. Circle 1 or 2 as appropriate] [Variable not available Wave 1] | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{ZA1}=1 \\ & \mathrm{or} \\ & \mathrm{ZA} 2=1 \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Respondent is being interviewed for the FIRST time. $\qquad$ .1 <br> Respondent was interviewed before $\qquad$ | 9 |
| Z2A5 | When did you begin work with your present employer (or in your present business)? Please specify the month and year. [Variable not available in Wave 1] | Z2A4=2 | F4 | mmyy | 9999 |
| ZA4 | When did you begin work with your present employer (or in your present business)? Please specify the month and year | Z2A4=1 | F4 | mmyy | 9999 |
| ZA5 | From the options listed on this card could you tell me which was the MAIN way in which you found the main job you do at the moment. | ```Z2A4=1 or Z2A5 in current or previous calendar year``` | F1 | By applying to employer directly or being 'head-hunted' by employer1 Answering or inserting ads in newspapers. <br> FÁS/Labour Exchange/Employment Office <br> Through family, friends or contacts 4 Started Own Business/Joined Family Business (or farm).................... 5 <br> Private Employment Agency ......... 6 <br> Other (please specify).................... 7 | 9 |
| ZA6 | Were you unemployed (i.e., actively looking for a job, not on home duties) immediately before you began this work? | $\begin{aligned} & \text { as for } \\ & \text { ZA5 } \end{aligned}$ | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes ... } 1 \\ & \text { No ..... } 2 \end{aligned}$ | 9 |
| ZA7 | For how long had you been continuously unemployed immediately before this work? | ZA6=1 | F4 | [number of weeks continuously unemployed before the job began] | 9999 |
| ZA8 | Have you worked before or is this your first job or business? [Int. Note that "First Job" refers to first employer, even if there have been job changes with the same employer] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { as for } \\ & \text { ZA5 } \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Worked Before.................................... 1 First job or business .............. 2 | 9 |
| ZA9 | When did you stop working in your previous job or business? Please specify the month and year. | ZA8=1 | F4 | mmyy | 9999 |
| ZA10 | Of the reasons listed on this card which best describes your MAIN reason for stopping your previous job or business? | ZA8=1 | F2 | Obtained better/more suitable job.. 1 <br> Obliged to stop by employer due to business closure; redundancy; <br> early retirement; dismissal, etc. . 2 <br> End of contract/temporary job <br> Sale/closure of own or family business or farm....................... 4 <br> Marriage.. $\qquad$ <br> Child birth/need to look after children <br> Looking after old/sick/or disabled person(s)................................. 7 <br> Partner's job required us to move to another place........................... 8 <br> Study.. <br> My own illness/disability. .10 <br> Wanted to retire or live off private means. $\qquad$ <br> Other (specify) $\qquad$ 11 | 99 |
| ZA11 | If you compare your present job or business with your previous one, is your present job, all in all... | ZA8=1 | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZA12_1 | What is your present occupation? Please give an exact description of the work done. [Int. If farmer, record acreage farmed; if manager or supervisor record number supervised; where relevant, record rank or grade (e.g. in army, Gardaí, civil service etc.)] | $\begin{aligned} & Z A 1=1 \\ & \text { or } \\ & Z A 2=1 \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Irish Social Class Codes <br> Higher professional/managerial........... 1 <br> Lower professional/magerial ............. 2 <br> Other non-manual......................... 3 <br> Skilled manual ........................... 4 <br> Semi-skilled manual....................... 5 <br> Unskilled manual ........................ 7 <br> Unknown (never worked)................ 7 | 9 |


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| ZA12_3 | (As ZA12_1) | $\begin{aligned} & Z A 1=1 \\ & \text { Or } \\ & Z A 2=1 \end{aligned}$ | F2 |  | 99 |
| ZA12_3b | (As ZA12_1) | ZA1=1 or ZA2=1 | F2 | ISCO 88 (Com) 2-digit codes (see appendix 3) | 99 |
| ZA13 | What is the main activity of the business or organisation where you work. [lint. Record as fully as possible the activity of the company or firm where the respondent works. Remember that the respondent's occupation was recorded in the previous question. The current question refers to the activity of the company or firm in which he/she works.] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { SA1 }=1 \\ & \text { Or } \\ & Z A 2=1 \end{aligned}$ | F2 | Based on NACE Rev. 1 <br> Agriculture, forestry, fishing................... 1 <br> Mining and quarrying....................... 2 <br> Manufacturing........................... 3 <br> Electricity, gas and water supply.......... 4 <br> Construction ................................. 5 <br> Wholesale,retail, repair................... 6 <br> Hotels and restaurants.................. 7 <br> Transports, storage \& communication... 8 <br> Financial intermediation...................... 9 <br> Real estate, renting\& business activities10 <br> Public administration and defence....... 11 <br> Education................................. 12 <br> Heath and Social Work .................... 13 <br> Other services............................. 14 | 99 |
| ZA14 | Have you had any formal training or education that has given you the skills which are needed for your present type of work? <br> [Wave 1 only, but see Z2A22] | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{ZA1}=1 \\ & \text { or } \\ & Z A 2=1 \end{aligned}$ | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes ... } 1 \\ & \text { No .... } 2 \end{aligned}$ | 9 |
| ZA15 | How much has this training or education contributed to your present work? Would you say that it has contributed ... <br> [Wave 1 only, but see Z2A23] | ZA14=1 | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZA16 | Do you feel that you have skills or qualifications to do a more demanding job than the one you now have? | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{ZA1}=1 \\ & \mathrm{v} \text { Or } \\ & \mathrm{ZA} 2=1 \end{aligned}$ | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes ... } 1 \\ & \text { No ..... } 2 \end{aligned}$ | 9 |
| ZA17 | Apart from English do you use any other languages in your work? <br> [Waves 1-6 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{ZA1}=1 \\ & \mathrm{or} \\ & \mathrm{ZA} 2=1 \end{aligned}$ | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { Yes ... } 1 \\ & \text { No ..... } 2 \end{aligned}$ | 9 |
| ZA18_1 | First other language in work | Za17=1 | F2 | See Appendix 1, Language Codes | 99 |
| ZA18_2 | Second other language used in work | Za17=1 | F2 | See Appendix 1, Language Codes | 99 |
| ZA18_3 | Third other language used in work | Za17=1 | F2 | See Appendix 1, Language Codes | 99 |
| ZA19 | Do you work in the Private Sector or the Public Sector? | ZA1=1 or ZA2=1 | F1 | Private Sector (incl. Farming) ...... 1 <br> Public Sector (incl. Semi-States) .. 2 | 9 |
| Z2A20B | Which part of the Public Sector do you work in? Is it the ... <br> [Waves 2-8 only] | ZA19=2 | F1 | Civil Service, Local Authorities, <br> Health Boards $\qquad$ <br> Other Public Service <br> (Gardaí, army, teachers etc.)..... 2 <br> NON-COMMERCIAL Semi-States. 3 <br> COMMERCIAL Semi-States ......... 4 | 9 |
| Z2A20C | Do you pay the full/standard rate of PRSI or do you pay the modified/reduced rate which is applicable to some parts of the Public Sector? [Waves 2-8 only] | ZA19=2 | F1 | Full/Standard Rate ......................... 1 <br> Modified/Reduced Rate ................................................... <br> Don't Know...... | 9 |
| ZA20 | How many regular paid employees are there in the branch or outlet of the business or organisation you work in? [Int. If the organisation has more than one geographical branch, employee numbers should relate only to the local outlet, local office, branch etc. where the respondent works rather than to the full enterprise in all locations] | $\begin{aligned} & Z A 1=1 \\ & \text { or } \\ & Z A 2=1 \end{aligned}$ | F2 | None ........................................... 1  <br> P-T 2 <br> P-T 3 <br> P-T 4 <br> P-T 5 <br> P-T 6 <br> P-T 7 <br> 500 or more ................................. 8  | 99 |


| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
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| ZA21 | Do you supervise or manage any personnel in <br> your job? <br> [Wave 1 only, but see Z2A45] | ZA1=1 <br> or <br> ZA2=1 | F1 | Yes $\ldots 1$ <br> No $\ldots . .2$ | 9 |
| ZA22 | Do you have any say in deciding on the pay or <br> promotion of the people you supervise or manage? <br> [Wave 1 only, but see Z2A46] | ZA21=1 | F1 | Yes $\ldots 1$ <br> No $\ldots . .2$ | 9 |

## SELF-EMPLOYED AND UNPAID FAMILY WORKERS

| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Z2A22 | Have you had any formal training or education that has given you skills which are needed for your present type of work? <br> [Waves 2-8 only, but see ZA14] | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{ZA3}= \\ & (6,7,8) \end{aligned}$ | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes ... } 1 \\ & \text { No ..... } 2 \end{aligned}$ | 9 |
| Z2A23 | How much has this training or education contributed to your present work? <br> Would you say that it has contributed ... [Waves 2-8 only, but see ZA15] | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{Z2A22} \\ & =1 \end{aligned}$ | F1 |  | 9 |
| Z2A24 | Are you currently receiving any pension arising from previous employment with a past employer or do you have any pension entitlement arising from employment with a past employer which you will receive at some time in the future? [Waves 2-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{ZA3}= \\ & (6,7,8) \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Currently receive ......................... 1 Will receive in future ............... 2 No, don't and won't receive ....... 3 | 9 |
| Z2A25D | Do you at present contribute to any type of pension scheme? I'm referring to all pension schemes of whatever type? | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{ZA3=} \\ & (6,7,8) \end{aligned}$ | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes ... } 1 \\ & \text { No ..... } 2 \end{aligned}$ | 9 |
| Z2A25E_1 | How much do you contribute per year, month etc? (amount) <br> [Waves 2-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Z2A25D } \\ & =1 \end{aligned}$ | F8. 2 | Amount contributed in £ | 99999999 |
| Z2A25E_2 | How much do you contribute per year, month etc? (period) <br> [Waves 2-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Z2A25D } \\ & =1 \end{aligned}$ | F2 |  | 99 |
| Z2A27B | How many hours per week do you normally work in your main job or business? <br> [Waves 2-8 only, but see ZA23F] | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{ZA}= \\ & (6,7,8) \end{aligned}$ | F6.2 | Hours per week | 999999 |

## APPRENTICES \& EMPLOYMENT SCHEMES

| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Z2A28 | Do you have any pension entitlement arising from employment with your present or any past employer? In other words, are you currently receiving, or do you expect to receive at some date in the future, a pension arising from employment with your present or any past employer? | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZA3= } \\ & (3,4,5) \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Currently receive ............................... 2 <br> Will receive in future ............... 3 <br> No, don't and won't receive ....... 3 | 9 |
| Z2A29 | Do you contribute at present to any type of pension scheme? <br> [Waves 2-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{ZA3}= \\ & (3,4,5) \end{aligned}$ | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes ... } 1 \\ & \text { No ..... } 2 \end{aligned}$ | 9 |
| Z2A30_1 | How much do you contribute per year, month etc? (amount) <br> [Waves 2-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{Z} 2 \mathrm{~A} 29= \\ & 1 \end{aligned}$ | F8.2 | Amount contributed in £ | 99999999 |
| Z2A30_2 | How much do you contribute per year, month etc? (period) <br> [Waves 2-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{Z} 2 \mathrm{~A} 29= \\ & 1 \end{aligned}$ | F2 | (As for Z2A25E_2) | 99 |
| Z2A31 | How are you paid for this apprenticeship or employment scheme? Do you receive a regular wage from your employer; a grant or training allowance from FÁS or other training agency, Social Welfare etc; or a combination of both? [Waves 2-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZA3= } \\ & (3,4,5) \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Regular wage from employer only . 1 Grant/training allowance from FÁS, Social Welfare etc. $\qquad$ Both $\qquad$ | 9 |

EMPLOYEES

| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Z2A32 | Have you had any formal training or education that has given you skills which are needed for your present type of work? <br> [Waves 2-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZA3= } \\ & (1,2) \end{aligned}$ | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes ... } 1 \\ & \text { No ..... } 2 \end{aligned}$ | 9 |
| Z2A33 | How much has this training or education contributed to your present work? Would you say that it has contributed [Waves 2-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{Z2A32} \\ & =1 \end{aligned}$ | F1 |  | 9 |
| Z2A34 | What type of employment contract do you have in your main job? Which of the following best describes your situation ... <br> [Waves 2-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{ZA} 3= \\ & (1,2) \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Permanent employment............... 1 Fixed term/short-term contract ..... 2 Casual work with no contract ....... 3 Some other working arrangement. 4 | ${ }^{9}$ |
| Z2A35_1 | What is the total length of this contract (including time already spent as well as time still to run)? [Int. Record length of contract in weeks OR months OR years] <br> Length of contract in weeks <br> [Waves 2-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Z2A34= } \\ & 2 \end{aligned}$ | F4 | number of weeks | 9999 |
| Z2A35_2 | What is the total length of this contract (including time already spent as well as time still to run)? [Int. Record length of contract in weeks OR months OR years] <br> Length of contract in months <br> [Waves 2-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Z2A34= } \\ & 2 \end{aligned}$ | F4 | number of months | 9999 |
| Z2A35_3 | What is the total length of this contract (including time already spent as well as time still to run)? [Int. Record length of contract in weeks OR months OR years] <br> Length of contract in years <br> [Waves 2-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Z2A34= } \\ & 2 \end{aligned}$ | F4 | number of years | 9999 |
| Z2A36 | Are you a member of a JOB-RELATED or OCCUPATIONAL PENSION SCHEME? I am referring here to any sort of job-related scheme. However, I am excluding the state Old Age Pension and purely personal or private pension schemes? [Waves 2-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZA3= } \\ & (1,2) \end{aligned}$ | F1 | $\begin{array}{\|l\|} \hline \text { Yes ... } 1 \\ \text { No ..... } 2 \end{array}$ | 9 |
| Z3A37 | Is there any amount deducted automatically from your wages or salary by your employer for this pension? <br> [Waves 3-8 only] | $\underset{=1}{Z_{1}^{2} A 36}$ | F1 | $\begin{array}{\|l\|l\|} \hline \text { Yo ... } 1 \\ \text { No .... } 2 \end{array}$ | 9 |
| Z3A38_1 | How much is deducted automatically by your employer from your wages or salary at source? Please include any additional voluntary contributions that are deducted from your salary. (Amount) <br> [Waves 3-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Z3A37 } \\ & =1 \end{aligned}$ | F8.2 | Amount in £ | 99999999 |
| Z3A38_2 | How much is deducted automatically by your employer from your wages or salary at source? Please include any additional voluntary contributions that are deducted from your salary. (Period) <br> [Waves 3-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{Z3A} 37 \\ & =1 \end{aligned}$ | F2 |  | 99 |
| Z3A39 | Do you make any DIRECT contribution to this JOBRELATED pension, i.e., other than any deduction from your wages or salary by the employer? [Waves 3-8 only] | $\underset{=1}{\mathrm{Z2A} 36}$ | F1 | $\begin{array}{\|l} \text { Yes ... } 1 \\ \text { No .... } 2 \end{array}$ | 9 |
| Z3A40_1 | How much do you contribute directly each week, month, year, etc.? (Amount) [Waves 3-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{Z3A} 39 \\ & =1 \end{aligned}$ | F8.2 | Amount in £ | 99999999 |
| Z3A40_2 | How much do you contribute directly each week, month, year, etc.? <br> (Period) <br> [Waves 3-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{Z3A} 9 \\ & =1 \end{aligned}$ | F2 |  | 99 |

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| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Z3A41 | Does your employer make any contribution to this pension? | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Z3A39 } \\ & =1 \end{aligned}$ | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes ... } 1 \\ & \text { No ..... } 2 \end{aligned}$ | 9 |
| Z2A42 | Do you have any pension entitlement arising from employment with a past employer, in other words, are you currently receiving or do you expect to receive at some date in the future a pension arising from employment with some past employer? [Waves 2-8 only] |  | F1 | Currently receive .......................... 1 Will receive in future .............. 2 No, don't and won't receive 3 | 9 |
| Z2A43 | Do you contribute at present to a PERSONAL or PRIVATE pension scheme? By this I mean a pension scheme fully arranged and paid for by yourself, from which you expect to receive a regular pension (not just a lump sum) in the future. Capita-accumulating life insurance, which simply pays back a lump-sum on maturity, is not included here. [Waves 2-8 only] |  | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes ... } 1 \\ & \text { No ..... } 2 \end{aligned}$ | 9 |
| Z2A44_1 | How much do you contribute per week (or month, year etc.) to this PRIVATE pension scheme? <br> (Amount) <br> [Waves 2-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Z2A43 } \\ & =1 \end{aligned}$ | F8.2 | Amount in £ | 99999999 |
| Z2A44_2 | How much do you contribute per week (or month, year etc.) to this PRIVATE pension scheme? <br> (Period) <br> [Waves 2-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Z2A43 } \\ & =1 \end{aligned}$ | F2 |  | 99 |
| Z2A45 | Do you supervise or manage any personnel in your job? <br> [Waves 2-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{ZA}= \\ & (1,2) \end{aligned}$ | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes ... } 1 \\ & \text { No ..... } 2 \end{aligned}$ | 9 |
| Z2A46 | Do you have any say in deciding on the pay or promotion of the people you supervise or manage? [Waves 2-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZA3= } \\ & (1,2) \end{aligned}$ | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes ... } 1 \\ & \text { No ..... } 2 \end{aligned}$ | 9 |

EMPLOYEES AND APPRENTICES/TRAINING SCHEME PARTICIPANTS

| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ZA40_1 | Does your employer offer free or subsidised services or benefits to employees in any of the following areas? If yes, do you personally benefit from these services or schemes? [Int. If the employer offers the benefit make sure to circle whether or not the respondent personally benefits.] Crèche/Child Minding Facilities - offered? | $\begin{array}{\|l\|} \hline \mathrm{ZA}= \\ (1,2,3,4,5) \end{array}$ | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes ... } 1 \\ & \text { No ..... } 2 \end{aligned}$ | 9 |
| ZA40_2 | Crèche/Child Minding Facilities - Resp. benefits? | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{ZA} 40 \_1 \\ & =1 \end{aligned}$ | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { Yes ... } 1 \\ & \text { No ..... } 2 \end{aligned}$ | 9 |
| ZA40_3 | Health Care or Medical Insurance - offered? | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{ZA} 3= \\ & (1,2,3,4,5) \end{aligned}$ | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes ... } 1 \\ & \text { No ..... } 2 \end{aligned}$ | 9 |
| ZA40_4 | Health Care or Medical Insurance - Resp. benefits? | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZA40_3 } \\ & =1 \end{aligned}$ | F1 | $\begin{array}{\|l} \hline \text { Yes ... } 1 \\ \text { No ..... } 2 \end{array}$ | 9 |
| ZA40_5 | Education and Training offered? | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{ZA} 3= \\ & (1,2,3,4,5) \end{aligned}$ | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes ... } 1 \\ & \text { No ..... } 2 \end{aligned}$ | 9 |
| ZA40_6 | Education and Training- Respondent benefits? | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZA40_5 } \\ & =1 \end{aligned}$ | F1 | $\begin{array}{\|l} \hline \text { Yes ... } 1 \\ \text { No ..... } 2 \end{array}$ | 9 |
| ZA40_7 | Sports \& Leisure/Holiday Centre offered? | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{ZA} 3= \\ & (1,2,3,4,5) \end{aligned}$ | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes ... } 1 \\ & \text { No ..... } 2 \end{aligned}$ | 9 |
| ZA40_8 | Sports \& Leisure/Holiday Centre- Resp. benefits? | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZA40_7 } \\ & =1 \end{aligned}$ | F1 | $\begin{array}{\|l} \hline \text { Yes ... } 1 \\ \text { No ..... } 2 \end{array}$ | 9 |
| ZA40_9 | Free or Subsidised Housing/Reduced Mortgage offered? | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{ZA} 3= \\ & (1,2,3,4,5) \end{aligned}$ | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes ... } 1 \\ & \text { No ..... } 2 \end{aligned}$ | 9 |
| ZA40_10 | Free or Subsidised Housing/Reduced MortgageRespondent benefits? | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZA40_9 } \\ & =1 \end{aligned}$ | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { Yes ... } 1 \\ & \text { No ..... } 2 \end{aligned}$ | 9 |
| Z2A48 | How many hours of paid work do you normally do each week in your main job or business, including usual paid over-time if any? $[10049]$ [Int. This refers to the number of hours worked in those weeks in which the respondent works] <br> [Waves 2-8 only, but see ZA23F] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZA3 }= \\ & (1,2,3,4,5) \end{aligned}$ | F6.2 | Hours worked per week | 999999 |

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| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
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| ZA23A | Do you normally work 5 or more FULL days EACH week? | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{ZA} 1=1 \\ & \mathrm{or} \\ & \mathrm{ZA} 2=1 \end{aligned}$ | F1 | $\begin{array}{\|l} \text { Yes ... } 1 \\ \text { No ..... } 2 \end{array}$ | 9 |
| ZA23B | How many days do you normally work each week? Is it 5 or 6 or 7 ? | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZA23A } \\ & =1 \end{aligned}$ | F6.2 | Days per week (5-7) | 999999 |
| ZA23C | Do you work each week; on a week on/week off basis; on a month on/month off basis or any similar type of irregular basis? | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZA23A } \\ & =2 \end{aligned}$ | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZA23D | In the weeks when you work, on how many days do you work? | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZA23A } \\ & =2 \end{aligned}$ | F6.2 | (days worked, 1-7) | 999999 |
| ZA23E | On the days when you work do you usually work a full day or part of the day (for example, mornings or afternoons only)? | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZA23A } \\ & =2 \end{aligned}$ | F1 | a full day..................................... 1 part of the day (e.g., mornings/afternoons)................................. 3 | 9 |
| ZA23F | Usual hours per week (constructed) | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZA23A } \\ & =(1,2,3,4,4, \\ & 5.6,7,8) \end{aligned}$ | F6.2 | (Hours per week) | 999999 |
| Z2A54 | Interviewer: Normal hours worked are |  | F1 | 30 hours or more................................. 1 Less than 30 hours............... 2 | 9 |
| ZA24 | Which of the reasons on this card is your MAIN reason for working less than full-time? <br> [Show Card C and circle ONE only] |  | F2 |  | 99 |

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| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ZA25 | On what date were you last paid a wage or salary? | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{ZA} 3= \\ & (1,2,3,4,5) \end{aligned}$ | F8 | (date: ddmmyyyy) | 99999999 |
| PIWageg1 | Current gross weekly wage in main job Constructed variable. (Also includes amounts for those working under 15 hours per week) | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZA3= } \\ & (1,2,3) \end{aligned}$ | F8 | Amount in £ $2000=£ 2,000$ or more | 99999999 |
| Piwagen1 | Current Net weekly wage in main job (Net=Gross minusTax and PRSI) Constructed variable (Also includes amounts for those working under 15 hours per week) | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZA3= } \\ & (1,2,3) \end{aligned}$ | F8 | Amount in £ $2000=£ 2,000$ or more | 99999999 |
| PISCHG1 | Current gross employment scheme allowance (Also includes amounts for those working under 15 hours per week) | $2 \mathrm{ZA3}=(4,$ | F8 | Amount in $£$ $2000=£ 2,000$ or more | 99999999 |
| PISCHN1 | Current Net Employment Scheme allowance (Also includes amounts for those working under 15 hours per week) | $2 \mathrm{ZA} 3=(4,$ | F8 | Amount in £ $2000=£ 2,000$ or more | 99999999 |


| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
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| ZA41_1 | Now l'd like to get some idea of how satisfied you are with your present job or business in terms of earnings, job security, number of hours worked, the type of work you do etc. Using a scale of 1 to 6 please indicate your degree of satisfaction in a number of areas related to your work. A ' 1 ' indicates that you are Not Satisfied At All and a ' 6 ' indicates that you are Fully Satisfied. So if I could begin with how satisfied you are with your ... Earnings-How would you score this on a scale of 1-6. | $Z \mathrm{ZA} 1=1$ | F1 | Scale <br> Not at all satisfied to. .1 <br> ..$\qquad$ | 9 |
| ZA41_2 | Job Security | ZA2=1 | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZA41 3 | The type of work you do |  | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZA41_4 | Number of hours worked |  | F1 | ully satisfied..... | 9 |
| ZA41_5 | Working Times (i.e. day time, night time, shifts etc). |  | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZA41_6 | Working conditions/environment |  | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZA41_7 | Distance to job/Commuting |  | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZA42 | Please think back over the last four working weeks, not including holiday weeks. How many days, if any, were you absent from work because of illness or other reasons (except holidays) over the last four weeks. | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{ZA} 1=1 \\ & \mathrm{or} \\ & \mathrm{ZA} 2=1 \end{aligned}$ | F2 | Number of days | 99 |
| ZA43 | In addition to your main work, have you worked at any additional job or business or in farming at any time during the last 4 weeks? | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{ZA} 1=1 \\ & \text { or } \\ & \mathrm{ZA}=1 \end{aligned}$ | F1 | $\begin{array}{\|l} \hline \text { Yes ... } 1 \\ \text { No .... } 2 \end{array}$ | 9 |
| Z4A70A | Would you describe this additional job or business as ... <br> [Waves 4-8 only] | ZA43=1 | F2 |  | 99 |
| Z4A70B | When did you start this job or business? [Waves 4-8 only] | ZA43=1 | F4 | Date: mmyy | 9999 |
| ZA44_1 | What kind of work is this? Please give an exact description of the work done. <br> [Int. If part-time farmer record the type and acreage farmed; if manager or supervisor record number supervised] | ZA43=1 | F1 | Irish Social Class Codes <br> Higher professional/managerial........... 1 <br> Lower professional/magerial............. 2 <br> Other non-manual....................... 3 <br> Skilled manual.............................. 4 <br> Semi-skilled manual.................. 5 <br> Unskilled manual.......................... 6 <br> Unknown (never worked) ................ 7 | 9 |
| ZA44_3 | What kind of work is this? Please give an exact description of the work done. <br> IInt. If part-time farmer record the type and acreage farmed; if manager or supenvisor record number supervised] | ZA43=1 | F2 |  | 99 |
| ZA44_3b | (As ZA44_1) | ZA43=1 | F2 | ISCO 88 (Com) 2-digit codes (see appendix 3) | 99 |

## All CURRENTLY AT WORK (Continued)

| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
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| ZA45_1 | What is the main activity of the business or <br> organisation of this additional work. <br> [Int. Record as fully as possible the activity of the <br> company or firm where the respondent works.] | ZA43=1 <br> (Codes as for ZA13) | F2 |  |  |

RESPONDENTS NOT AT WORK OR WHO ARE WORKING LESS THAN 15 HOURS PER WEEK

| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ZB1 | What is your main activity? Are you ... | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{ZA} 1=2 \\ & \text { and } \\ & \mathrm{ZA} 2=2 \end{aligned}$ | F2 | In education or private training ...... 1 Paid Apprenticeship, less than 15 hours pw......................... 2 Temporary State Employment Scheme (Community Employment Scheme etc.)....................... 3 State-sponsored Training scheme (mostly FÁS) ....................... 4 Unemployed (incl. first job seekers) ................ 6 Retired ........................ Home duties/Caring for Child/Elderly etc. .......................................... 7 Remedial Training/Sheltered Workshop................................ 8 Working less than 15 hrs per wk, but considers work as main activity... 9 Other (specify) ........................ 10 | 99 |
| ZB2 | What kind of education or private training is this? | ZB1=1 | F2 | Third level or Equivalent ............. 1 <br> Leaving Cert./Matric. or Equiv. ..... 2 <br> Junior Cert. or Equivalent........... 3 <br> Primary............................ 4 <br> Vocational Preparation \& Training <br> (VPT)/ Post Leaving Cert. (PLC). 5 <br> Other Training............................. 6 <br> Language Course .................... 8 <br> Other Adult Education ................ 8 <br> Special School ......................... 9 | 99 |
| ZB3 | For how long have you been unemployed? Since | ZB1=5 | F8 | Date (ddmmyyyy) | 99999999 |
| ZB4 | Which State agency is mainly involved in organising this training or employment scheme? | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{ZB1} \\ & =(3,4,8) \end{aligned}$ | F2 |  | 9 |
| ZB6 | Please describe as fully as possible the nature of this training/apprenticeship/ Temporary State Employment Scheme. Give exact title of scheme, if known. | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { ZB1 } \\ & =(3,4,8) \\ & \text { or } \\ & \text { ZB2= } \\ & (5,6,7,8) \end{aligned}$ | F2 | See Appendix 2: Training and Employment Scheme Codes | 99 |
| ZB7 | What is the TOTAL length of this training/apprenticeship/ Temporary State Employment Scheme? | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZB1 } \\ & =(3,4,8) \\ & \text { or } \\ & \text { ZB2= } \\ & (5,6,7,8) \end{aligned}$ | F4 | duration in weeks | 9999 |
| ZB8 | When did you begin this training/apprenticeship/ Temporary State Employment Scheme? | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZB1 } \\ & =(3,4,8) \\ & \text { or } \\ & \text { ZB2= } \\ & (5,6,7,8) \end{aligned}$ | F4 | Date (mmyy) | 9999 |
| ZB9 | Currently receiving an allowance? | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{ZB1} \\ & =(3,4,8) \\ & \text { or } \\ & \text { ZB2= } \\ & (5,6,7,8) \end{aligned}$ | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes ... } 1 \\ & \text { No ..... } 2 \end{aligned}$ | 9 |
| ZB10 | Under which scheme? | ZB9=1 | F2 | See Appendix 2: Training and Employment Scheme Codes | 99 |
| PITRALG | Gross Weekly training allowance | ZB9=1 | F8.2 | Amount in £ $2000=£ 2,000$ or more | 99999999 |
| PITRALN | Net Weekly training allowance | ZB9=1 | F8.2 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Amount in } £ \\ & 2000=£ 2,000 \text { or more } \end{aligned}$ | 99999999 |


| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ZB13 | Have you done any work in a job or business during the past 7 days even if only for an hour or two? Please answer "Yes" if, during the last 7 days you have had a job or business where you normally work but from which you were temporarily absent for some reason, such as illness, injury, maternity leave, lay-off, labour dispute, holiday or whatever. [Int. Remember that by definition the job in question must have been less than 15 hours per week] | ZA1=2 and ZA2=2 | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes ... } 1 \\ & \text { No ..... } 2 \end{aligned}$ | 9 |
| ZB14 | Are you at present seeking either full-time or parttime work, whether as an employee or selfemployed? | ZB13=2 | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { Yes ... } 1 \\ & \text { No ..... } 2 \end{aligned}$ | 9 |
| ZB15 | What is your MAIN reason for not seeking work? [Int. Show Card E and circle one only] | ZB15=2 | F2 | Study, education, training etc. ...... 1 Housework/Caring for children or other persons ........................ 2 Retirement......................... 3 Personal illness or disability....... 4 Believe no suitable work available. 5 Have already found work but not yet started............................... 6 Awaiting outcome of applications/interviews ................. 7 Other reasons (specify) ............. 8 | 99 |
| Z2B15 | If a suitable job were available now, would you be able to start within the next two weeks? <br> [Waves 2-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{ZB14=1} \\ & \text { or } \\ & \text { ZB14 }= \\ & (5,6,7) \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes ... } 1 \\ & \text { No ..... } 2 \end{aligned}$ | 9 |

NATURE OF WORK DONE IN LAST 7 DAYS BY THOSE WORKING <15 HOURS PW

| Variable | Description | Base | Format\| | Codes | Missing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ZC1 | What kind of work have you done during the past 7 days. Was it: | ZB13=1 | F2 | Paid Employment in Family Business/Farm..................... 1 Other Paid Employment............. 2 Paid Apprenticeship ................ 3 Temp. State Employment Scheme (Community Employment Scheme etc) 4 Student Summer Emp. Scheme... 5 Non-Agricultural Self-Employment. 6 Farming..................................... 7 Unpaid Family Worker/Relative Assisting.................................. 8 | 99 |
| ZC2_1 | Please describe the type of work done [Int. If farmer, record acreage; if manager or supervisor, record number supervised] | ZB13=1 | F3 |  | 999 |
| ZC2_3 | Please describe the type of work done [Int. If farmer, record acreage; if manager or supervisor, record number supervised] | ZB13=1 | F2 | $\mid$ ISCO 88 (Com) 1-digit Codes <br> Armed forces ............................... 0 <br> Managers, senior officials, legislators...... 1 <br> Professionals............................. 2 <br> Technicians \& associated professionals... 3 <br> Clerks ......................................... 4 <br> Service, shop and sales workers........... 6 <br> Skilled agricultural/fishery workers.......... 6 <br> Skilled craftltrades workers ................. 7 <br> Plant/machine operators/assemblers...... 8 <br> Elementary occupations ..................... 9 | 99 |
| ZC2_3b |  | ZB13=1 | F2 | ISCO 88 (Com) 2-digit Codes (see appendix 3) | 99 |


| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ZC3 | What is the main activity of the business or organisation where you work. [Int. Record as fully as possible the activity of the company or firm where the respondent works. Remember that the respondent's occupation was recorded in the previous question. The current question refers to the activity of the company or firm in which he/she works.] | ZB13=1 | F2 |  | 99 |
| ZC4 | Normal hours worked per week [Wave 1 only] | ZB13=1 | F6.2 | Hours per week | 999999 |
| Z2C4 | Would you describe this as being fairly regular work or is it just something which you did in the last week or so? <br> [Waves 2-8 only] | ZB13=1 | F1 | Regular ........................................... 1 Only in last week or so............. 2 | 9 |
| Z2C5 | How many hours a week do you normally work in that job or business. (Please give the total hours per week if you work at more than one job or business at present). <br> Waves 2-8 only] | Z2C4=1 | F6.2 | hours per week | 999999 |
| Z2C6 | How many days per week do you normally work in that job or business? <br> Waves 2-8 only] | Z2C4=1 | F6.2 | days per week | 999999 |
| Z2C7 | When did you start this job or business? Waves 2-8 only] | Z2C4=1 | F4 | Date (mmyy) | 9999 |
| ZC5 | What is your MAIN reason for working less than full-time? [Show Card F and circle ONE only] | ZB13=1 | F1 | In education or training ................ 1 Housework / Caring for Children ..... or other persons.................... 2 Personal illness or disability ........ 3 I want a full-time job but can't find one............................. 4 Do not want to work more hours... 5 ..I don't consider this to be part-time work............................................ 6 Other reasons (specify) ............. 7 | 9 |
| ZC6 | On what date were you last paid a wage or salary? [Note: Gross and Net Wage included in PIWageg and PIWagen, respectively] | ZB13=1 | F8 | Date (ddmmyyy) | 99999999 |
|  | [Note: Gross and Net Wage/allowance included in PIWageg and PIWagen/PISCHG1 and PISCHN1 respectively) |  |  |  |  |

STEPS TAKEN TO FIND WORK BY THOSE WHOSE MAIN ACTIVITY IS NOT WORK

| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ZD1 | Are you seeking other work either to replace or in addition to your present work? | ZB13=1 | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes ... } 1 \\ & \text { No .... } 2 \end{aligned}$ | 9 |
| Z3D2 | Since when have you been seeking such work? [Waves 3-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZB13= } \\ & \text { or } \\ & \text { ZD1 } \end{aligned}$ | F8 | Date: (ddmmyyyy) | 99999999 |
| ZD2 | If you could find a suitable job, how many hours per week would you prefer to work in this new job? | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZB13= } \\ & \text { or } \\ & \text { ZD1=1 } \end{aligned}$ | F6.2 | hours per week | 999999 |
| ZD3 | What weekly take-home pay would you EXPECT in this job working [hours from ZD2] hours per week? [Waves 1 and 2 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZB13= } \\ & \text { or } \\ & \text { ZD1=1 } \end{aligned}$ | F8.2 | Amount in £ | 99999999 |
| ZD4 | What is the MINIMUM weekly take-home pay you would have to earn to take a job working __ [hours from ZD2] hours per week? | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZB13= } \\ & \text { or } \\ & \text { ZD1=1 } \end{aligned}$ | F8.3 | Amount in £ | 99999999 |
| ZD5 | What gross pay do you think you would have to earn to end up with this minimum take-home pay? [Waves 1 and 2 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZB1 }= \\ & \text { or } \\ & \text { ZD1=1 } \end{aligned}$ | F8.4 | Amount in £ | 99999999 |
| ZD6 | Are you currently covered by a Medical card? <br> [Waves 1 and 2 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZB1 }= \\ & \text { or } \\ & \text { ZD1=1 } \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Yes ..................................................................................... No...... | 9 |
| ZD7 | You say that $£$ $\qquad$ [amount from ZD4] would be the minimum weekly take-home pay you would accept for a job working $\qquad$ [hours from ZD2] hours per week. If you were able to keep your medical card on taking up a job would this minimum figure change? [Waves 1 and 2 only] | ZD6=1 | F1 | Yes ............................................ 1 <br> No.................................... 2 | 9 |
| ZD8 | What would be the minimum weekly takehome pay you would accept for a job working $\qquad$ [hours from ZD2] hours per week if you were able to keep your medical card? <br> [Waves 1 and 2 only] | ZD7=1 | F8.2 | Amount in £ | 99999999 |
| ZD9 | How good or bad do you think your chances are of finding the kind of job you are looking for within the next 12 months? | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZB13= } \\ & \text { or } \\ & \text { ZD1= } \end{aligned}$ | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZD10 | If you could find a suitable job now could you start within the next 2 weeks? | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZB13= } \\ & \text { or } \\ & \text { ZD1=1 } \end{aligned}$ | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes ........................................................................................ } \\ & \text { No....... } \end{aligned}$ | 9 |
| ZD11 | Are you registered as looking for work at a public employment office or Labour Exchange or FÁS centre? | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZB1 }= \\ & \text { or } \\ & \text { ZD1=1 } \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Yes ..................................................................................... 1 No...... | 9 |
| Z2D12_1 | In the past four weeks, have you taken any of the following steps to find work? ... <br> Contacted a Public Employment Office, Labour Exchange or FAS centre <br> [Waves 2-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZB13= } \\ & \text { or } \\ & \text { ZD1= } \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Yes ............................................ 1 <br> No.................................... 2 | 9 |
| Z2D12_2 | ... Applied directly to an employer [Waves 2-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZB13= } \\ & \text { or } \\ & \text { ZD1=1 } \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Yes .......................................... 1 <br> No......................................... | 9 |
| Z2D12_3 | ... Studied or replied to advertisements [Waves 2-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZB1 }= \\ & \text { or } \\ & \text { ZD1=1 } \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Yes ..................................................................................... No...... | 9 |
| Z2D12_4 | ... Contacted a private employment agency [Waves 2-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZB1 }= \\ & \text { or } \\ & \text { ZD1=1 } \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Yes ..................................................................................... 1 No...... | 9 |
| Z2D12_5 | ... Asked friends or contacts [Waves 2-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZB13= } \\ & \text { or } \\ & \text { ZD1 } \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Yes ....................................................................................... 1 No...... | 9 |
| Z2D12_6 | ... Taken steps to start your own business or farm [Waves 2-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZB13= } \\ & \text { or } \\ & \text { ZD1=1 } \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Yes ........................................................................................ No...... | 9 |


| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ZD12 | Wave 1: Have you taken any steps during the past four week to find work? <br> Waves 2-8: Int. Circle as appropriate: YES to ANY of the six items above ... 1 <br> NO to ALL of the six items above ..... 2 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZB13= } \\ & \text { or } \\ & \text { ZD1=1 } \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Yes ....................................................................................... 1 No...... | 9 |
| Z2D14 | What is the MAIN reason you have not taken any steps to find work in the past four weeks? [Waves 2-8 only] | ZD12=2 | F1 | I believe no suitable work is available ................................ 1 I have already found work, to start in the future................... 2 I am awaiting the outcome of job application(s)/interview(s) ........... 3 Other (please specify) ................ 4 | 9 |
| ZD13 | Have you received any job offer during the last four weeks? | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZB13= } \\ & \text { or } \\ & \text { ZD1=1 } \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Yes ....................................................................................... 2 No...... | 9 |
| ZD14 | Have you accepted one? | ZD13=1 | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZD15 | When do you expect to start? | ZD14=1 | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZD16 | From the options listed on this card could you tell me what is your MAIN reason for not accepting the most recent job offer? [Int. Show Card G and circle ONE only] | ZD14=2 | F2 | Rate of pay............................... 1 Temporary/insecure job............. 2 Type of work....................... 3 Number of working hours......... 4 Working times(night /shifts etc).... 5 Working conditions/ work environment ...................... 6 Distance to job/commuting........ 7 Could not start job at required time 8 Would lose secondary benefits from Social Welfare (medical card etc)................... 9 In general, better off on Soc. Welfare payments plus secondary benefits............... 10 Other reasons (please specify).... 11 | 99 |

Section E: LAST JOB OR BUSINESS OF THOSE WHOSE MAIN ACTIVITY IS NOT WORK

| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ZE1 | Have you EVER at any time in the past, worked in a job or business for at least 15 hrs per week? | ZA1=2 and ZA2=2 | F1 | Yes ........................................................................................ <br> No...... | 9 |
| ZE2 | When did you STOP working in your last such job or business? Please tell me the month and year. | ZE1=1 | F4 | Date: (mmyy) | 9999 |
| Z2E3 | When did you BEGIN working in that job or business? Please tell me the month and year. [Waves 2-8 only] | ZE1=1 | F4 | Date: (mmyy) | 9999 |
| Z2E4 | $\begin{aligned} & {[\text { [Int. Tick as appropriate ...] }} \\ & {[\text { Waves 2-8 only] }} \\ & \text { Code } 1 \text { (first interview) applies to all cases in Wave 1) } \end{aligned}$ | ZE1=1 | F1 | Respondent is being interviewed for the FIRST time (see Register) .... 1 Respondent interviewed before and: <br> Job ended during current or last calendar year ........................... 2 Job ended earlier than current or last calendar year $\qquad$ | 9 |
| ZE3 | Was your last job or business ... | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Z2E4= } \\ & (1,2) \end{aligned}$ | F2 | Paid Employment in Family Business/Farm. Other Paid Employment. $\qquad$ Paid Apprenticeship $\qquad$ Temp. State Employment Scheme (Community Employment Scheme etc) 4 Student Summer Emp. Scheme... 5 Non-Agricultural Self-Employment. 6 Farming.. $\qquad$ Unpaid Family Worker/Relative Assisting. $\qquad$ | 99 |
| ZE4_1 | What was your occupation in your last job or business? Please describe the type of work done [Int. if farmer, record acreage; if manager or supervisor, record number supervised] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Z2E4= } \\ & (1,2) \end{aligned}$ | F3 | Irish Social Class Codes (Codes as for ZA12_1) | 999 |
| ZE4_3 | (As ZE4_1) | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Z2E4= } \\ & (1,2) \end{aligned}$ | F2 | $\text { ISCO } 88 \text { (Com) 1-digit Codes }$ (Codes as for ZA12_3) | 99 |
| ZE4_3b | (As ZE4_1) | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Z2E4= } \\ & (1,2) \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | F2 | ISCO 88 (Com) 2-digit Codes (See Appendix 3) | 99 |
| ZE5 | What was the main activity of the business or organisation where you worked. [Int. Record as fully as possible the activity of the company or firm where the respondent worked.] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Z2E4= } \\ & (1,2) \end{aligned}$ | F2 | Based on NACE Rev. 1 (Codes as for ZA13) | 99 |
| ZE6 | Did the business or organisation you worked in belong to the private or the public sector? | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Z2E4= } \\ & (1,2) \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Private Sector (incl. Farming) ...... 1 <br> Public Sector (incl. Semi-States) .. 2 | 9 |
| ZE7 | How many regular paid employees were there in the branch or outlet of the business or organisation where you worked? [Int. If the organisation had more than one geographical branch, employee numbers should relate only to the local outlet, local office, branch etc. where the respondent worked rather than to the full enterprise in all locations] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Z2E4= } \\ & (1,2) \end{aligned}$ | F2 | Pone........................................... 1 <br> P-T <br> P-T <br> P-T <br> P-T <br> P-T <br> P-T <br> P-T <br> 500 or more................................ 8 | 99 |
| ZE8 | Did you supervise or manage any personnel in the last job you held? | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Z2E4= } \\ & (1,2) \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Yes ........................................................................................ <br> No...... | 9 |
| ZE9 | Did you have any say in the pay or promotion of the personnel you managed or supervised? | ZE8=1 | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZE10 | Did you work full-time or part-time? | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Z2E4= } \\ & (1,2) \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Full-time ............................................................................ <br> Part-time....... | 9 |


| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ZE11 | From the reasons listed on this card, what was the MAIN reason you had for stopping work in your last job or business? [Int. Show Card H and circle ONE only] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Z2E4= } \\ & (1,2) \end{aligned}$ | F2 |  | 99 |
| Z2E14 | Are you currently receiving, or will you receive at some time in the future, a pension from that last job or a pension from any previous job as an employee? <br> [Waves 2-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & Z A 1=2 \\ & \text { and } \\ & Z A 2=2 \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Yes, currently receive.................... 1 Yes, will receive in the future................................................................. No...... | 9 |
| Z2E18 | Do you contribute at present to any type of pension scheme? <br> Waves 2-8 only] | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{ZA1}=2 \\ \text { and } \\ \mathrm{ZA} 2=2 \end{gathered}$ | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes ............................................................................................... } \\ & \text { No...... } \end{aligned}$ | 9 |
| Z2E19_1 | How much do you contribute per week (or per month, etc.) to any pension scheme or schemes? <br> (Amount) <br> [Waves 2-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{Z2E} 18= \\ & 1 \end{aligned}$ | F8.2 | Amount in £ | 99999999 |
| Z2E19_2 | How much do you contribute per week (or per month, etc.) to any pension scheme or schemes? <br> (Period) <br> [Waves 2-8 only] |  | F2 |  | 99 |

SECTION F: ALL RESPONDENTS - DAILY ACTIVITY

| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ZF1_1 | Persons 1 present or within hearing distance of the interview: [lnt. Please circle all that apply.] | All | F1 | None other than respondent and <br> interviewer ......................... 1 <br> Respondent's spouse/partner ...... 2 <br> Other adults ......................... 3 <br> Children (under 16 yrs) ............ 4 | 9 |
| ZF1_2 | Persons 2 present or within hearing distance of the interview: [Int. Please circle all that apply.] | All | F1 | (As ZF1_1) | 9 |
| ZF1_3 | Persons 3 present or within hearing distance of the interview: [Int. Please circle all that apply.] | All | F1 | (As ZF1_1) | 9 |
| ZF2 | Apart from a job or business, your daily activities may include other tasks such as looking after children. Do your present daily activities include looking after children (whether your own or someone else's) without pay? | All | F1 | Yes ........................................................................................ No...... | 9 |
| ZF3 | For about how many hours per day? [Wave 1] | ZF2=1 | F6.2 |  | 999999 |
| Z2F3 | Roughly how many hours per week would you spend looking after children? [Waves 2-8] | ZF2=1 | F6.2 | Number of hours per week | 999999 |


| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ZF4 | Do your daily activities include looking after someone else, without pay. I'm thinking here of someone who needs special help because of old age, illness or disability. This person could be living in your own household or elsewhere. | All | F1 | Yes .......................................................................................... No...... | 9 |
| ZF5 | For about how many hours per day? [Wave 1] | ZF4=1 | F1 | (As for ZF3) | 9 |
| ZF6 | Does this person (or these persons) you look after live in this household or elsewhere? <br> [Int. If more than 1 person is cared for both answers could apply]. | ZF4=1 | F1 | Lives in Respondent's H'hold ...................... 2 Lives elsewhere ............................................................. Both ........ | 9 |
| Z2F6 | Roughly how many hours per week would you spend looking after them? [Waves 2-8] | ZF4=1 | F6.2 | Hours per week | 999999 |
| Z2F7 | Interviewer Check ZF2 and ZF4: Respondent looks after children or other persons? | All | F1 | Yes ................................................................. 2 No, does not ............. | 9 |
| ZF7 | Do these tasks - that is, looking after children or other persons in need of special attention prevent you from undertaking either the amount or kind of paid work which you would otherwise do? | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{ZF} 2=1 \\ & \text { or } \\ & \mathrm{ZF} 4=1 \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Yes ......................................................................................... No...... | 9 |
| ZF8 | Are you a member of any club or organisation such as a sports or entertainment club; a neighbourhood group; a political party etc? | All | F1 | Yes ............................................................................................. <br> No...... | 9 |
| ZF9 | How often do you talk to any of your neighbours? | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZF10 | I would like to ask you how often you meet people, whether here in your home or elsewhere. How often would you meet friends or relatives who are not living in your household? | All | F1 | (As for ZF9) | 9 |
| ZF11 | During the last week, have you spoken to anyone who is not a member of your household, even if only on the 'phone? | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZF10 } \\ & =(4,5) \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Yes ............................................................................................ <br> No...... | 9 |
| ZF12 | Did you have an afternoon or evening out in the last fortnight, for your entertainment, something that cost money? | All | F1 | Yes ............................................................................................ <br> No...... | 9 |
| ZF13 | From the reasons listed on this card what is the MAIN reason you haven't had an afternoon or evening out in the last fortnight? [Int. Show Card I and circle ONE only] | ZF12=2 | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZF14 | If there were a General Election tomorrow would you vote in it? | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZF15 | If YES ask: Which party would you vote for? [Int. If respondent says "Don't Know" prompt with: In general, which party would you feel closest to?] <br> If NO ask: In general, which party do you feel closest to? | All | F2 |  | 99 |
| ZF16_1 | In general, how much confidence would you say you have in the following. For each, please tell me whether or not you would have a great deal of confidence; quite a lot of confidence; not very much confidence; or no confidence at all. [Int. Show Card J and circle 1,2,3 or 4 on each line] -Confidence in Church | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZF16_2 | -Confidence in Legal System | All | F1 | (As for ZF16_1) | 9 |
| ZF16_3 | -Confidence in Police | All | F1 | (As for ZF16_1) | 9 |
| ZF16_4 | -Confidence in Dail | All | F1 | (As for ZF16_1) | 9 |
| ZF16_5 | -Confidence in Civil Service | All | F1 | (As for ZF16_1) | 9 |
| ZF16_6 | -Confidence in Trade Unions | All | F1 | (As for ZF16_1) | 9 |

SECTION F: (Continued)

| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ZF17 | Apart from weddings, funerals and christenings about how often do you attend religious services? | All | F1 | More than once a week............... 1 At least once a week.............. 2 At least once a month .............. 3 At least twice a year............. 4 At least once a year................ 5 Less than once a year........... 6 Never or practically never......... 7 | 9 |
| ZF18 | During the last two weeks was there ever a day when you did not have a substantial meal at all (1) mean from getting up to going to bed) due to a lack of money? | All | F1 | Yes ........................................... 1 No............................. 2 | 9 |
| ZF19 | Have you ever had to go without heating during the last year through lack of money? I mean, have you had to go without a fire on a cold day, or go to bed early to keep warm or light the fire late because of a lack of coal/fuel? | All | F1 | Yes ............................................ 1 No........................... 2 | 9 |
| ZG1 | Were you in any education or training, including FAS courses and any part-time or short courses, at any time in 1993? [Wave 1 only] | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZG2 | Is this education or training on-going or has it finished? [Wave 1 only] | ZG1=1 | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes ......................................................................................... } \\ & \text { No....... } \end{aligned}$ | 9 |
| ZG3 | What kind of education or training is (was) this? [Wave 1 only] | ZG1=1 | F2 | Third level or equivalent................ 1 VPT or Post Leaving Cert (PLC).... 2 Leaving CertMantric or equivalent.. 3 Junior Cert or equivalent.......... 4 Primary............................. 5 State-s.sonsored training course... 6 Other training or apprenticeship lasting 1 year or more............ 7 Other training or apprenticeship lasting less than 1 year............. 8 Language course.................. 10 Other adult education or training. 11 | 99 |
| ZG4 | Did you receive any allowance on a State training scheme at any time throughout [previous calendar year]? [Wave 1] <br> Do/did you receive any STATE training allowance (e.g. a FÁS allowance) on this course? [Waves 2-8] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Wave } 1 \\ & Z G 3=4 \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Yes .......................................... 1 No.................................... 2 | 9 |
| ZG5 | What is/was the gross amount of this allowance per week? | ZG4=1 | F8.2 | Gross amount in £ 2000=£2,000 or more | 99999999 |
| ZG6 | And what is/was the net amount of this allowance per week? | ZG4=1 | F8. 2 | Gross amount in £ $2000=£ 2,000$ or more | 99999999 |
| ZG7 | For how many weeks throughout [previous calendar year] did you receive this allowance? | ZG4=1 | F2 | Number weeks received | 99 |
| ZG8 | Please describe as fully as possible the nature of this training. [Wave 1 only] | $\left\{\begin{array}{l} \text { ZG3 }= \\ (6-10) \end{array}\right.$ | F2 |  | 99 |
| ZG10 | When did you begin this training? [Wave 1 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZG3 = } \\ & (6-10) \end{aligned}$ | F4 | Date (mmyy) | 9999 |


| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ZG11 | Was the course paid for or organised by your employer? [Wave 1 only] | $\begin{array}{\|l} \hline \text { ZG3 = } \\ (6-10) \\ \hline \end{array}$ | F1 | Yes ....................................................................................................... No...... | 9 |
| ZG12 | Is (was) this an attendance course or a correspondence course? If an attendance course, is (was) it full-time or part-time? [Wave 1 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZG3 = } \\ & (6-10) \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Full-time attendance........................... 1 <br> Part-time attendance................ 3 <br> Correspondence course ........... 3 | 9 |
| ZG13_1 | What is (was) the total length of the training? <br> - If less than 2 weeks, duration in days [Wave 1 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZG3 = } \\ & (6-10) \end{aligned}$ | F2 | (number days) | 99 |
| ZG13_2 | - If 2-9 weeks, duration in weeks [Wave 1 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZG3 = } \\ & (6-10) \end{aligned}$ | F2 | (number weeks) | 99 |
| ZG13_3 | - If longer, duration in months [Wave 1 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZG3 = } \\ & (6-10) \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | F2 | (number months) | 99 |
| ZG14 | Was improving your skills or job prospects one of the reasons you took this course? [Wave 1 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZG3 = } \\ & (6-10) \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Yes ...................................................................................... 1 No....... | 9 |
| ZG15 | How useful do you feel this course is (was) for that purpose? [Wave 1 only] | ZG14=1 | F1 |  | 9 |
| Z2G1 | Have you at any time since January [previous calendar year] attended any course in general-level or higher education. I'm talking here about mainstream education at national, secondary or third level through the schools or university system [Waves 2-8] | All | F1 | Yes ........................................................................................ 1 No....... | 9 |
| Z2G2 | What level of education was/is this? [INT: Circle ALL that apply] <br> -Level of education [Waves 2-8] | Z2G1=1 | F2 |  | 99 |
| Z5G2_2 | - Level of education 2 (if more than one)[Waves 5-8] | Z2G1=1 | F2 | (As for Z2G2) | 99 |
| Z5G2_3 | - Level of education 3 (if more than 2)[Waves 5-8] | Z2G1=1 | F2 | (As for Z2G2) | 99 |
| Z4G2A_1 | What is the total length of the course from start to finish? Please answer in relation to any course or training CURRENTLY being attended, otherwise in relation to the one MOST RECENTLY FINISHED (if more than one course has been attended). - If less than 2 weeks, Duration-days [Waves 4-8] | Z2G1=1 | F2 | (number weeks) | 99 |
| Z4G2A_2 | - If 2-9 weeks, Duration-weeks [Waves 4-8] | Z2G1=1 | F2 | (number weeks) | 99 |
| Z4G2A_3 | - If longer, Duration-months [Waves 4-8] | Z2G1=1 | F2 | (number months) | 99 |
| Z4G2B | Is/was this a full-time attendance course, a parttime attendance course or a correspondence course? [Waves 4-8] | Z2G1=1 | F1 | Full-time attendance........................ 1 <br> Part-time attendance................ 2 <br> Correspondence course ............ 3 | 9 |
| Z2G3A_1 | What are the starting and finishing dates of the course? <br> - Starting date [Waves 2-8] | Z2G1=1 | F4 | (mmyy) | 9999 |
| Z2G3A_2 | What are the starting and finishing dates of the course? <br> Finishing date Waves 2-8] | Z2G1=1 | F4 | (mmyy) | 9999 |
| Z2G3B | Are you still on this course, did you complete the course, or did you leave before completion? [Waves 2-8] | Z2G1=1 | F1 | Still on the course......................... 1 Completed the course .............. 2 Left before completing the course. 3 | 9 |


| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Z2G5 | Were you involved in ANY kind of VOCATIONAL TRAINING OR INSTRUCTION at any time since January [previous calendar year]? The sort of training I'm thinking of would include, an apprenticeship; a StateSponsored training course (for example a FÁS course); a commercial course or some vocational training at a technical college; formal, structured on-the-job training (either with or without release to a training centre); training in a sheltered workshop etc. Include nurses training, Garda training etc. [Waves 2-8 only] | All | F1 | Yes ......................................................................................... 1 No....... | 9 |
| Z2G6 | What kind of vocational training was this? [Waves 2-8 only] | Z2G5=1 | F1 | An apprenticeship <br> A State-sponsored training course <br> (FÁS, etc.)................................. 2 <br> A commercial course/technical college course. $\qquad$ <br> On-the-job training with release to a training centre/college.......... 4 <br> On-the-job training with NO release to a training centre/college.......... 5 <br> Training in a sheltered workshop etc. | 9 |
| Z5G6_2 | -Kind of training_2 (if more than 1) [Waves 5-8 only] | Z2G5=1 | F1 | (As for Z2G6) | 9 |
| Z5G6_3 | -Kind of training_3 (if more than 2) [Waves 5-8 only] | Z2G5=1 | F1 | (As for Z2G6) | 9 |
| Z4G6A | Does this training lead to a degree, diploma, or national certificate? [Waves 4-8 only] |  | F1 |  | 9 |
| Z2G8_1 | What is the total length of the course or training from start to finish? Please answer in relation to any course or training CURRENTLY being attended, otherwise in relation to the one MOST RECENTLY FINISHED (if more than one course has been attended). <br> If less than 2 weeks,duration in days[Waves 2-8 only] | Z2G5=1 | F2 | number of days | 99 |
| Z2G8_2 | If 2-9 weeks, duration in weeks[Waves 2-8 only] | Z2G5=1 | F2 | number of weeks | 99 |
| Z2G8_3 | If longer, duration in months [Waves 2-8 only] | Z2G5=1 | F2 | number of months | 99 |
| Z2G9_1 | What are the starting and finishing dates of the course? <br> - Starting in [Waves 2-8 only] | Z2G5=1 | F4 | date (mmyy) | 9999 |
| Z2G9_2 | - Finishing in [Waves 2-8 only] | Z2G5=1 | F4 | date (mmyy) | 9999 |
| Z2G10 | Is/was the course paid for or organised by your employer? <br> [Waves 2-8 only] | Z2G5=1 | F1 |  | 9 |
| Z2G15 | Which State agency is/was mainly involved in organising this training? [Waves 2-8 only] | Z2G5=1 | F1 |  | 9 |
| Z2G16 | Is/was this a full-time attendance course, a parttime attendance course or a correspondence course [Waves 2-8 only] | Z2G5=1 | F1 | Full-time attendance....................... 1 <br> Part-time attendance................ 2 <br> Correspondence course ............ 3 | 9 |
| Z2G17 | How many hours per week? [Waves 2-8 only] | Z2G16=2 | F6.2 | (Hours attended per week) | 999999 |
| Z2G18 | Are you still on this course, did you complete the course, or did you leave before completion? [Waves 2-8 only] | Z2G5=1 | F1 | Still on the course......................... 1 <br> Completed the course .............. 2 <br> Left before completing the course. 3 | 9 |
| Z2G19 | Was improving your skills or job prospects one of the reasons you took this course? [Waves 2-8 only] | Z2G5=1 | F1 | Yes .......................................................................................... No...... | 9 |
| Z2G20 | How useful do you feel this course has been for that purpose? [Waves 2-8 only] | Z2G19=1 | F1 |  | 9 |


| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
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| Z2G21_1 | Have you at any time since January 2000 attended a language course or any other form of adult education course? (First code) [Waves 2-8 only] | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| Z2G21_2 | (As Z2G21_1: Second code) [Waves 2-8 only] | All | F1 | (As for Z2G21_1) | 9 |
| ZG16_1 | Now l'd like to ask about any changes in your activity that may have taken place since the beginning of [previous calendar year] i.e., from January $1^{\text {st }}$ [previous calendar year] to the present. <br> Here is a list of categories which could be used to describe your main activity in each month. <br> [Int. Note that main activity is job or business ONLY i working at least 15 hours per week] <br> January, previous calendar year | All | F2 |  | 99 |
| ZG16_2 | Febuary, previous calendar year | All | F2 | (As ZG16_1) | 99 |
| ZG16_3 | March, previous calendar year | All | F2 | (As ZG16_1) | 99 |
| ZG16_4 | April, previous calendar year | All | F2 | (As ZG16_1) | 99 |
| ZG16_5 | May, previous calendar year | All | F2 | (As ZG16_1) | 99 |
| ZG16_6 | June, previous calendar year | All | F2 | (As ZG16_1) | 99 |
| ZG16_7 | July, previous calendar year | All | F2 | (As ZG16_1) | 99 |
| ZG16_8 | August, previous calendar year | All | F2 | (As ZG16_1) | 99 |
| ZG16_9 | September, previous calendar year | All | F2 | (As ZG16_1) | 99 |
| ZG16_10 | October, previous calendar year | All | F2 | (As ZG16_1) | 99 |
| ZG16_11 | November, previous calendar year | All | F2 | (As ZG16_1) | 99 |
| ZG16_12 | December, previous calendar year | All | F2 | (As ZG16_1) | 99 |
| ZG16_13 | January, current year | All | F2 | (As ZG16_1) | 99 |
| ZG16_14 | Febuary, current year | All | F2 | (As ZG16_1) | 99 |
| ZG16_15 | March, current year | All | F2 | (As ZG16_1) | 99 |
| ZG16_16 | April, current year | All | F2 | (As ZG16_1) | 99 |
| ZG16_17 | May, current year | All | F2 | (As ZG16_1) | 99 |
| ZG16_18 | June, current year | All | F2 | (As ZG16_1) | 99 |
| ZG16_19 | July, current year | All | F2 | (As ZG16_1) | 99 |
| ZG16_20 | August, current year | All | F2 | (As ZG16_1) | 99 |
| ZG16_21 | September, current year | All | F2 | (As ZG16_1) | 99 |
| ZG16_22 | October, current year | All | F2 | (As ZG16_1) | 99 |
| ZG16_23 | November, current year | All | F2 | (As ZG16_1) | 99 |
| ZG16_24 | December, current year | All | F2 | (As ZG16_1) | 99 |
| ZG17 | [INTERVIEWER: Ask if 'Job or Business' Codes (1 to 7) do not occur in any month in [previous calendar year Did you undertake any paid work, either on a self employed basis (including farming) or as an employee, at any time during [previous calendar year]. Please include all paid work even if it was on a temporary or casual basis? | Not any code 1-7 ZG16-1 to ZG16_12 | F1 | Yes ........................................................................................ 1 No....... | 9 |
| ZG18 | [INTERVIEWER: Ask if 'Job or Business' Codes (1 to 7 ) do not occur in any month in [current year]] <br> Did you undertake any paid work, either on a self employed basis (including farming) or as an employee, at any time during [current calendar year]? Please include all paid work even if it was on a temporary or casual basis? | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Not any } \\ & \text { code 1-7 } \\ & \text { ZG16-13 } \\ & \text { to } \\ & \text { ZG16_24 } \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Yes ........................................................................................ 1 No....... | 9 |


| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ZJ1 | Thinking back over all of 2000 was there any period or periods when you were working as an employee (including any Temporary State Employment schemes, such as Community Employment Scheme) or as a paid apprentice? I'm thinking here of regular paid work or paid apprenticeship. Don't include earnings from a secondary or casual job. | All | F1 | Yes ....................................................................................... 2 | 9 |
| ZJ2_w | Gross pay per week (constructed; average over all main jobs in case of people changing jobs) | ZJ1=1 | F8 | Amount in £ per week 2000 = £2000 or more | 99999999 |
| ZJ3_w | Net pay per week (constructed; average over all main jobs in case of people changing jobs) | ZJ1=1 | F8 | Amount in £ per week $2000=£ 2000$ or more | 99999999 |
| ZJ2weeks | Number of weeks in previous calendar year for which this income was received (Constructed) | ZJ1=1 | F2 | Number of weeks | 99 |
| ZJ5 | How many hours (incl. meal breaks) did you usually work per week in this job? | ZJ1=1 | F6.2 |  | 999999 |
| ZJ6_1 | You said that your usual net wage or salary in this job after all deductions was $\qquad$ [Int. See zJ.3]. Did you receive any of the following extra payments between January and December of 2000? If you did, could you tell me the total net amount you received. <br> An extra week's or month's salary at the end of the year | ZJ1=1 | F1 | Yes ...................................................................................... 2 No....... | 9 |
| ZJ6_2 | Extra Salary amount |  | F8 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Amount in } £ \\ & 10000=£ 10,000 \text { or more } \end{aligned}$ | 99999999 |
| ZJ6_3 | Any extra holiday bonus not included in figures given above | ZJ1=1 | F1 | Yes ............................................................................................ No...... | 9 |
| ZJ6_4 | Extra holiday amt |  | F8 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Amount in } £ \\ & 10000=£ 10,000 \text { or more } \end{aligned}$ | 99999999 |
| ZJ6_5 | Profit sharing, bonus schemes etc. | ZJ1=1 | F1 | Yes ....................................................................................... No...... | 9 |
| ZJ6_6 | Profit/share/bonus amt |  | F8 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Amount in } £ \\ & 10000=£ 10,000 \text { or more } \end{aligned}$ | 99999999 |
| ZJ6_7 | Company shares | ZJ1=1 | F1 | Yes ........................................................................................ <br> No...... | 9 |
| ZJ6_8 | Company shares amt |  | F8 | Amount in £ $10000=£ 10,000$ or more | 99999999 |
| ZJ6_9 | Other lump sum payments | ZJ1=1 | F1 | Yes .......................................................................................... <br> No...... | 9 |
| ZJ6_10 | Other lump sum amt |  | F8 | Amount in £ $10000=£ 10,000$ or more | 99999999 |
| ZJ6_11 | Other payments | ZJ1=1 | F1 | Yes .......................................................................................... <br> No...... | 9 |
| ZJ6_12 | Other extra pmt amt |  | F8 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Amount in } £ \\ & 10000=£ 10,000 \text { or more } \end{aligned}$ | 99999999 |
| ZJ7 | Did you receive any extra payments for overtime work or commissions or tips in this job? | ZJ1=1 | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZJ8 | Are these payments in addition to the figures on usual earnings that you have just given me, or are they already included in those figures? | ZJ7=1 | F1 | Additional to normal earnings ...... 1 <br> Already included in normal earnings | 9 |
| ZJ9_1t | Amount of additional earnings (Constructed) | Zj8=1 | F8 | Amount in $£$ in previous calendar year $20000=£ 20000$ or more | 99999999 |

NON-AGRICULTURAL SELF-EMPLOYMENT INCOME

| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ZJ17 | Did you receive any income from self-employment (outside of agriculture) at any time in [previous or current calendar year]? | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZJ18 | Apart from yourself, were there any other household members involved in this business? | ZJ17=1 | F1 | Yes .......................................................................................... No...... | 9 |
| ZJ19_1 | Who can provide the most accurate information on this business, yourself or another household member? | ZJ18=1 | F1 | Myself ......................................... 1 Other household member .......... 2 | 9 |
| ZJ19_2 | Person Number of household member provising information on profit/loss | ZJ19_1=2 | F2 | Person number 01-10 | 99 |
| PISEMPG | Profit or loss amount (constructed variable) Gross | ZJ19_1=1 | F8.2 | Amount in £ per week $2000=£ 2,000$ or more | 99999999 |
| PISEMPN | Profit or loss amount (constructed variable) Net | ZJ19_1=1 | F8. 2 | ```Amount in £ per week (Note: negative amounts indicate a net loss) \(2000=£ 2,000\) or more``` | 99999999 |
| ZJ27A | What do you estimate your business or professional practice (or your share in it) would raise if it had to be sold? (Include any vehicles owned by the business) | ZJ19_1=1 | F8.2 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Amount in } £ \\ & 500000=£ 500,000 \text { or more } \end{aligned}$ | 99999999 |
| ZJ27B | Does this include the value of the accommodation occupied by the household? | ZJ19_1=1 | F1 | Yes ........................................................................................... No...... | 9 |

Income from Farming

| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ZJ28 | Did you derive any income from farming at any time during 1993? [Wave 1 only] | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| Z2J32A | Did you own or operate a farm at any time during [previous calendar year] or [current calendar year]? [Waves 2-8 only] | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| Z2J32B | Apart from yourself, were there any other household members involved in running this business? [Waves 2-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Z2J32A = } \\ & (1,2,3) \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Yes ........................................................................................ No..... | 9 |
| Z2J32C | Person number of other household member [Waves 2-8 only] | Z2J32B=1 | F2 | Person number 01-10 | 99 |
| Z4J32C_2 | Person number of $2^{\text {nd }}$ other household member [Waves 4-8 only] | Z2J32B=1 | F2 | Person number 01-10 | 99 |
| Z4J32C_3 | Person number of $3^{\text {rd }}$ other household member [Waves 4-8 only] | Z2J32B=1 | F2 | Person number 01-10 | 99 |
| Z2J32D | Who can provide the most accurate information on this farm, yourself or another household member? [Waves 2-8 only] | Z2J32B=1 | F1 | Myself ........................................... 1 Other household member ......... 2 | 9 |
| Z2J32E | Person number of other household member who provides information [Waves 2-8 only] | Z2J32D=2 | F2 | Person number 01-10 | 99 |
| PIFARMG | Gross weekly farm income (constructed) | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{Z2J32D=1} \\ & \begin{array}{l} \text { Zj28=1, } \\ \text { wave 1) } \end{array} \end{aligned}$ | F8 | Amount in £ $2000=£ 2,000$ or more | 99999999 |
| PIFARMN | Net weekly farm income (constructed) | $\begin{aligned} & \begin{array}{l} \text { Z2J32D=1 } \\ (\text { Zj28 }=1, \\ \text { wave 1) } \end{array} \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | F8 | Amount in £ $2000=£ 2,000$ or more | 99999999 |

Income from Secondary of Casual Job

| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ZJ29 | Between January and December of [previous calendar year] did you receive any income not yet covered, from a secondary job or from any casual work? | All | F1 | Yes ........................................................................................... <br> No...... | 9 |
| ZJ30 | Was this a regular source of income, (i.e. received during 6 months or more) in 2000 or just some extra money now and again? |  | F1 | Regular source ............................................................. <br> Now and again...... | 9 |
| ZJ31 | Did you have to pay PRSI (Social Insurance) on these earnings? |  | F1 | Yes ................................................................................................... No...... | 9 |
| ZJ32w | Average amount per week in previous calendar year. (Constructed variable; total amount averaged over 52 weeks) |  | F8.2 | Average per week in £ $500=£ 500$ or more | 99999999 |

Income from Social Welfare

| Variable | Description | Base |  | Codes | Missing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ZJ33 | Now l'd like to get information on Social Welfare payments. [Int. Show Card M] Looking at this card could you tell me whether or not you currently receive any of these Social Welfare payments and whether or not you received them at any time between January and December 2000. | All | F1 | Current year only.......................... 1 <br> Last year only .................... 2 <br> Both years.......................... 3 <br> No social welfare received......... 4 | 9 |
| ZJ34_1 | Scheme Number 1:Current | ZJ33=(1,3) | F2 |  | 99 |
| ZJ34_3 | Scheme Number 2:Current | ZJ33=(1,3) | F2 | (As for ZJ34_1) | 99 |
| ZJ34_5 | Scheme Number 3:Current | ZJ33=(1,3) | F2 | (As for ZJ34_1) | 99 |
| Z3sch4c | Scheme Number 4:Current [Waves 3-8 only] | ZJ33=(1,3) | F2 | (As for ZJ34_1) | 99 |
| ZJ35_1 | Scheme Number 1:LY | ZJ33=(2,3) | F2 | (As for ZJ34_1) | 99 |
| ZJ35_4 | Scheme Number 2:LY | ZJ33=(2,3) | F2 | (As for ZJ34_1) | 99 |
| ZJ35_7 | Scheme Number 3:LY | ZJ33=(2,3) | F2 | (As for ZJ34_1) | 99 |
| Z3schl4 | Scheme Number 4: Last Year [Waves 3-8 only] | ZJ33=(2,3) | F2 | (As for ZJ34_1) | 99 |
| PITSW | Net weekly total social welfare payments, current (constructed) | ZJ33=(1,3) | F8 | Amount in £ per week | 99999999 |
| PITSWLY | Net weekly total social welfare payments, previous calendar year (constructed) | ZJ33=(2,3) | F8 | Average amount in £ per week last year | 99999999 |
|  | Thinking back from January [previous calendar year] to the present day, could you tell me in which months you were in receipt of ANY of the different types of Social Welfare or Supplementary Welfare payments, including Family Income Supplement, which we have just discussed. So, were you in receipt of ANY of these payments in January [previous calendar year], and February, and March... |  |  |  |  |
| ZJ36_1 | Received Social Welfare in Jan [PREVOIUS CALENDAR YEAR]? | All | F1 | Yes ........................................... 1 <br> No...................................... 2 | 9 |
| ZJ36_2 | Received Social Welfare in Feb [PREVOIUS CALENDAR YEAR]? | All | F1 | Yes ........................................... 1 No...................................... 2 | 9 |
| ZJ36_3 | Received Social Welfare in Mar [PREVOIUS CALENDAR YEAR]? | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZJ36_4 | Received Social Welfare in Apr [PREVOIUS CALENDAR YEAR]? | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZJ36_5 | Received Social Welfare in May [PREVOIUS CALENDAR YEAR]? | All | F1 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes .................................................................................................. } \\ & \text { No...... } \end{aligned}$ | 9 |


| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ZJ36_6 | Received Social Welfare in Jun [PREVOIUS CALENDAR YEAR]? | All | F1 | Yes ......................................................................................................... | 9 |
| ZJ36_7 | Received Social Welfare in Jul [PREVOIUS CALENDAR YEAR]? | All | F1 | Yes ....................................................................................... | 9 |
| ZJ36_8 | Received Social Welfare in Aug [PREVOIUS CALENDAR YEAR]? | All | F1 | Yes ....................................................................................... No....... | 9 |
| ZJ36_9 | Received Social Welfare in Sep [PREVOIUS CALENDAR YEAR]? | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZJ36_10 | Received Social Welfare in Oct [PREVOIUS CALENDAR YEAR]? | All | F1 | Yes ...................................................................................... | 9 |
| ZJ36_11 | Received Social Welfare in Nov [PREVOIUS CALENDAR YEAR]? | All | F1 | Yes .................................................................................... | 9 |
| ZJ36_12 | Received Social Welfare in Dec [PREVOIUS CALENDAR YEAR]? | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZJ36_13 | Received Social Welfare in Jan [CURRENT CALENDAR YEAR]? | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZJ36_14 | Received Social Welfare in Feb [CURRENT CALENDAR YEAR]? | All | F1 | Yes .................................................................................... | 9 |
| ZJ36_15 | Received Social Welfare in Mar [CURRENT CALENDAR YEAR]? | All | F1 | Yes ...................................................................................... 1 No...... | 9 |
| ZJ36_16 | Received Social Welfare in Apr [CURRENT CALENDAR YEAR]? | All | F1 | Yes ....................................................................................... | 9 |
| ZJ36_17 | Received Social Welfare in May [CURRENT CALENDAR YEAR]? | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZJ36_18 | Received Social Welfare in Jun [CURRENT CALENDAR YEAR]? | All | F1 | Yes ......................................................................................... | 9 |
| ZJ36_19 | Received Social Welfare in Jul [CURRENT CALENDAR YEAR]? | All | F1 | Yes .................................................................................. | 9 |
| ZJ36_20 | Received Social Welfare in Aug [CURRENT CALENDAR YEAR]? | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZJ36_21 | Received Social Welfare in Sep [CURRENT CALENDAR YEAR]? | All | F1 | Yes ......................................................................................... | 9 |
| ZJ36_22 | Received Social Welfare in Oct [CURRENT CALENDAR YEAR]? | All | F1 | Yes ........................................................................................ | 9 |
| ZJ36_23 | Received Social Welfare in Nov [CURRENT CALENDAR YEAR]? | All | F1 | Yes ..................................................................................... | 9 |
| ZJ36_24 | Received Social Welfare in Dec [CURRENT CALENDAR YEAR]? | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZJ37 | Are you CURRENTLY receiving Children's Allowance (Child Benefit)? | All |  | Yes ...................................................................................... |  |
| PICB | Weekly amount of Child Benefit (constructed) | ZJ37=1 | F8 | Amount in £ per week | 99999999 |
| ZJ40 | Did you receive Children's Allowance (Child Benefit) at any time in 2000? | All | F1 | Yes .............................................................................................. No...... | 9 |
| PICB_LY | Average Weekly Child Benefit in previous calendar year (constructed) | ZJ40=1 | F8 | Average amount in £ per week | 99999999 |

## Income from Interest, Divdends or Rents

| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ZJ45 | Did you receive, or have credited to your account, any interest or dividends from the Bank, Building Society, Post Office, Credit Union, Savings Bank or other sources including any national savings, government loans, stocks and shares etc. during the course of [previous calendar year]? | All | F1 | Yes ................................................................................... 2 | 9 |
| ZJ50 | Throughout [previous calendar year] did you receive any income from the renting of land or property, for example renting out a house, a flat or some land? |  | F1 |  | 9 |
| piid | Weekly net income from interest, dividends or renting of land or property. | All | F8 | Amount in £ per week | 99999999 |


| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Now I would like to ask about occupational or private pensions. I am referring here to any sort of job-related, private or personal pension scheme. However, I am excluding the state Old Age Pension and state Disability or Invalidity Pensions. <br> Could you tell me if you are currently receiving any income from the following types of pension and whether or not you received it during the course of [previous calendar year]. |  |  |  |  |
| ZJ60A_1 | Retirement pension from your own or your spouse's former employment in the Civil Service or other Irish State employment (e.g. local Authorities, Health Boards, Irish Army etc.) - Last Year? [Wave 1] <br> Retirement or long-term disability pension from your own or your spouse's former employment in the Civil Service or other Irish State employment (e.g. local Authorities, Health Boards, Irish Army etc.) - Last Year? [Waves 2-8] | All | F1 | Yes, received last year .............................................................. 2 | 9 |
| ZJ60A_5 | Retirement pension from your own or your spouse's former employment in the Civil Service or other Irish State employment (e.g. local Authorities, Health Boards, Irish Army etc.) current? [Wave 1] <br> Retirement or long-term disability pension from your own or your spouse's former employment in the Civil Service or other Irish State employment (e.g. local Authorities, Health Boards, Irish Army etc.) -current? [Waves 2-8] | All | F1 | Yes, receive currently ................... 1 No.................................... 2 | 9 |
| ZJ60B_1 | Retirement pension from your own or your spouse's former employment in a semi-state or private company in Ireland? -Last Year [Wave 1 only] <br> Retirement or long-term disability pension from your own or your spouse's former employment in a semi-state or private company in Ireland? -Last Year [Waves 2-8 only] | All | F1 | Yes, received last year ............................................................. 2 | 9 |
| ZJ60B_5 | Retirement pension from your own or your spouse's former employment in a semi-state or private company in Ireland? - current [Wave 1 only] <br> Retirement or long-term disability pension from your own or your spouse's former employment in a semi-state or private company in Ireland? current [Waves 2-8 only] | All | F1 | Yes, receive currently ................... 1 No.................................... 2 | 9 |
| ZJ60C_1 | State, military or private/personal pension from abroad (incl. GB \& NI) - Last Year? | All | F1 | Yes, received last year ..................................................................... No..... | 9 |
| ZJ60C_5 | State, military or private/personal pension from abroad (incl. GB \& NI) - current? | All | F1 | Yes, receive currently ....................................................................... <br> No...... | 9 |
| Z7J45C_1 | A private or personal pension, that is, one that was fully arranged and paid for by you (or your spouse) in Ireland, NOT an occupational pension - Last year [Waves 7-8 only] | All | F1 | Yes, received last year ................................................................. <br> No...... | 9 |
| Z7J45C_5 | A private or personal pension, that is, one that was fully arranged and paid for by you (or your spouse) in Ireland, NOT an occupational pension - current [Waves 7-8 only] | All | F1 | Yes, receive currently ................................................................. 1 | 9 |
| pip | Current weekly net income from all non-social welfare pensions | All | F8 | Amount in £ per week | 99999999 |

Income from Other Sources

| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ZJ42 | Did you receive any form of education grant (either fees or maintenance) during [previous calendar year] or are you currently receiving any form of education grant? |  | F1 | Not received in either year ............ 1 ONLY in [previous calendar year]. 2 ONLY in [current calendar year] .3 In BOTH years ............................. 4 | 9 |
| ZJ60D_1 | Could you tell me if you are currently receiving income from the following sources, or received any such income during the course of [previous calendar year]? <br> Annuities, Covenants or Trusts - Last year? | All | F1 | Yes ............................................................................................. No..... | 9 |
| ZJ60D_5 | Annuities, Covenants or Trusts - current? | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZJ60E_1 | Sick pay from employer (not Dept. of Social Community \& Family Affairs) - last year? | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZJ60E_5 | Sick pay from employer (not Dept. of Social Community \& Family Affairs) - Current? | All | F1 | Yes ........................................................................................ | 9 |
| ZJ60F_1 | Trade Union Sick/Strike Pay -Lasy Year? | All | F1 | Yes ........................................................................................ | 9 |
| ZJ60F_5 | Trade Union Sick/Strike Pay - current? | All | F1 | Yes ..................................................................................... | 9 |
| ZJ60G_1 | Other receipts (not from Dept. of Social Community \& Family Affairs or Health Boards) e.g. private income continuance, sickness insurance etc -Last Year? | All | F1 | $\|$Yes ....................................................................................... <br> No....... | 9 |
| ZJ60G_5 | Other receipts (not from Dept. of Social Community \& Family Affairs or Health Boards) e.g. private income continuance, sickness insurance etc - current? | All | F1 | Yes .......................................................................................... No...... | 9 |
| ZJ60H_1 | Financial assistance from charities e.g. St. Vincent de Paul Last Year? | All | F1 | Yes ............................................................................................... <br> No..... | 9 |
| ZJ60H_5 | Financial assistance from charities e.g. St. Vincent de Paul - Current? | All | F1 | Yes .................................................................................. 1 | 9 |
| ZJ60I_1 | Regular allowance from relatives, friends or other persons outside the household Last Year? | All | F1 | Yes ........................................................................................... No...... | 9 |
| ZJ60I_5 | Regular allowance from relatives, friends or other persons outside the household - current? | All | F1 | Yes ...................................................................................... | 9 |
| ZJ61 | From whom did you receive this allowance or financial support? Was it from ... | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZJ60I_1=1 } \\ & \text { or } \\ & \text { ZJ60I_5=1 } \end{aligned}$ |  |  | 9 |
| piotg | Gross current income from other sources (constructed) | All | F8 | Amount in £ per week $2000=£ 2000$ or more | 99999999 |
| piotn | Net current income from other sources (constructed) | All | F8 | Amount in £ per week $2000=£ 2000$ or more | 99999999 |
| PIGross | Persons total gross weekly income from all sources (constructed variable) | All | F8 | Amount in £ per week | 99999999 |
| PINet | Persons total net weekly income from all sources (constructed variable: Net=Gross Minus (Income Tax+PRSI)) | All | F8 | Amount in £ per week | 99999999 |

Lump Sums Received Last Year [Note: lump sum receipts not treated as income]

| Variable | Description | Base | Format Codes |  | Missing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ZJ52 | Did you receive any lump sum payment at any time in [previous calendar year]. The sort of thing I'm thinking about would include an inheritance, a lottery win or other prize or from the sale of land or property? |  | F1 | Yes .......................................... 1 No..................................... 2 |  |
| ZJ53 | How large was this lump sum? |  | F8. 2 | Total Amount in $£$ $100000=£ 100,000$ or more | 99999999 |
| Z2J64 | I would like you to consider, in general, all the savings you have (both in your own name and jointly with other household members) in the Bank, Building Society, Post Office, Credit Union, Savings Bank or in Savings Certificates, Savings Bonds or Prize Bonds. How does your TOTAL balance in all these savings today compare with what it was 12 months ago? Would you say, in general, that it ... [Waves 2-8 only] | All | F1 | Increased a Lot........................... 1 Increased a Litte................ 2 Remained the Same................ 3 Fell a Little............................. 4 Fell a Lot .......................... 5 |  |


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| ZM39 | Are you covered by a Medical Card, either in your own name or through someone else's card? | All | F1 | Yes, in own name.......................... 1 <br> Yes, dependant......................... 2 <br> No, not covered................... 3 | 9 |
| ZK1 | Are you (also) medically insured (through VHI, BUPA or any other health insurance company) either in your own name or through another family member? | All | F1 | Yes, in own name..................................................................... 3 | 9 |
| ZK2 | Do you pay the subscription to this insurance directly to the insurance company or is it fully deducted from your wages or salary, or does your employer pay it in full as a perk? | ZK1=1 | F1 | Pay directly................................... 1 <br> Fully deducted from wages .......... 2 <br> Paid in full by employer............. 3 | 9 |
| ZK3 | How much do you pay for this insurance per month? Please include the contributions for all family members covered by the insurance. | $\mathrm{ZK} 1=(1,2)$ | F8.2 | Amount per month in £ | 99999999 |
| ZL1 | In general, how good would you say your health is? Would you say it is: |  | F1 |  | 9 |
| Z2L2 | Do you have any chronic, physical or mental health problem, illness or disability? [Waves 2-8 only] |  | F1 | Yes ........................................................................................... No..... | 9 |
| ZL2 | Are you hampered in your daily activities by any chronic physical, or mental health problem, illness or disability? [Wave 1 only] Are you hampered in your daily activities by this physical or mental health problem, illness or disability? [Waves 2-8] | Wave 1-All <br> Waves <br> 2-8: <br> Z2L2=1 | F1 | Yes, severely .................................... 1 Yes, to some extent 2 No .................................................. 3 | 9 |
| ZL3_1 | What is the nature of this illness or disability? Please describe as fully as possible. [Waves 3-8 only] | Z2L2=1 | F2 | Infectious and parasitic diseases 01 <br> Neoplasms (cancers). $\qquad$ <br> Endocrine disease (goitre, glands, <br> diabetes, etc. $\qquad$ <br> Diseases of the blood (anaemia, haemophilia) $\qquad$ <br> Mental disorders $\qquad$ <br> Diseases of the nervous system <br> (Parkinson's disease, etc.)........ 06 <br> Diseases of the circulatory system (heart disease, varicose veins, varicose ulcers, blood pressure, etc.) $\qquad$ <br> Diseases of the respiratory system (bronchitis, asthma) $\qquad$ <br> Diseases of the digestive system. 09 <br> Diseases of the genito-urinary $\qquad$ <br> Diseases of the skin (boils, etc.) .. 11 <br> Diseases of the musculoskeletal system (arthritis, etc.)............... 12 <br> Congenital anomalies ................. 13 <br> Accidents or their consequences. 14 <br> Headaches, pains - cause not specified $\qquad$ <br> Bad nerves - cause not specified. 16 <br> Bad back - cause not specified.... 17 <br> Other illness/disability (deafness, insomnia, etc.). $\qquad$ <br> Depression (code added Wave 3)............... 19 <br> Physical handicap/physical disability - cause not specified (code added wave 4) ............... 20 <br> Mental handicap / mental retardation / slow learner - cause not specified (code added wave 4) $\qquad$ | 99 |
| ZL3_2 | Nature of second disability or infirmity. [Waves 38 only] | Z2L2=1 | F2 | As for ZL3_1 | 99 |
| ZL3_3 | Nature of third disability or infirmity. [Waves 3-8 only] | Z2L2=1 | F2 | As for ZL3_1 | 99 |


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| Z2L3B | Since when have you had this illness? [Waves 2-8 only] | Z2L2=1 | F4 | Date (mmyy) | 9999 |
| Z2L4 | Interviewer. Is the respondent ...[Waves 2-8 only] | Z2L2=1 | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZL4_1 | Please think about the last two weeks ending yesterday. During the last 2 weeks, did you have to cut down on any of the things which you normally do about the house, at work or in your free time due to -Illness or injury? [Waves 2-8 only] | All | F1 | Yes ......................................................................................... 1 No....... | 9 |
| ZL4_2 | - Emotional or mental health problems [Waves 2-8 only] | All | F1 | Yes ............................................................................................ <br> No..... | 9 |
| ZL5 | Were you admitted to hospital as an inpatient during the last 12 months? [Int: If respondent is female say ...] Please exclude any hospitalisation due to child birth but include hospitalisation due to difficulties with pregnancy. [Wave 1 only] Have you been admitted to a hospital as an inpatient during the past 12 months? Please exclude any nights spent in hospital due to the illness of other people, for example to accompany a child. [Waves 2-8 only] | All | F1 | Yes ........................................................................................ 1 No....... | 9 |
| ZL6 | About how many nights did you spend in hospital during the last 12 months? | ZL5=1 | F3 | number of nights | 999 |
| Z2L7B | Were any of these nights spent in hospital for the BIRTH of a child? [Waves 2-8 only] | ZL6=1 | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZL7 | About how many times have you been to see a doctor, dentist or optician over the last 12 months? I'm talking about visits on your own behalf rather than with children or on someone else's behalf. Please include any time you went to the hospital as an outpatient as well as home visits by the doctor.[Wave 1 only] | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| Z2L8A | During the last 12 months, about how many times have you consulted with each of the following either here in your own home or in their surgery or offices? Please include only consultations made on your own behalf and exclude those made on behalf of children or other persons ... <br> - Your family doctor, GP (including home visits by the doctor) [Waves 2-8 only] | All | F3 | number of times | 999 |
| Z2L8B | - A medical specialist (including visits as an out patient but excluding consultations during hospitalisation) [Waves 2-8 only] |  | F3 | number of times | 999 |
| Z2L8C | - A dentist [Waves 2-8 only] | All | F3 | number of times | 999 |
| Z2L8D | - An optician [Waves 2-8 only] | All | F3 | number of times | 999 |
| Z5L13 | Do you smoke daily, occasionally or never? [Waves 5-8 only] | All | F1 | Daily............................................. 1 <br> Occasionally .......................... 2 <br> Never ............................... 3 | 9 |
| Z5L14 | Have you ever smoked? Was it ... Waves 5-8 only] | Z5L13=3 | F1 | (As for Z5L13) | 9 |
| Z5L15 | How many cigarettes do/did you smoke on average each day? [Waves 5-8 only] | Z5L13=1 <br> Z5L14=1 | F2 | Number smoked 0-97 | 99 |
| Z5L16 | How many cigars do/did you smoke on average each day? [Waves 5-8 only] | As Z5L15 | F2 | Number smoked 0-97 | 99 |
| Z5L17 | How many pipes, if any? [Waves 5-8 only] | As Z5L15 | F2 | Number smoked 0-97 | 99 |
| Z5L18_1 | What is your height without shoes? -feet Waves 5-8 only] |  | F2 | Number feet | 99 |
| Z5L18_2 | -inches Waves 5-8 only] |  | F2 | Number inches | 99 |
| Z5L19_1 | How much do you weigh without clothes and shoes? [Pregnant women should be asked what their weight was before pregnancy.] -stones [Waves 5-8 only] |  | F2 | Number stone | 99 |
| Z5L19_2 | -Weight-lbs [Waves 5-8 only] |  | F2 | Number pounds | 99 |

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| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ZM9 | Sex of respondent | All | F1 | Male................................................ 1 Female............................. 2 | 9 |
| ZM8 | What is your present citizenship? If you hold dual citizenship, please specify both. | All | F1 | Irish only............................................................................. | 9 |
| ZM8_1 | Citizenship (first) | ZM8=2 | F4 | Irish................................................... 1 Other EU Country................... 3 Other Non-EU Country ............ 3 | 9999 |
| ZM8_2 | Citizenship (second) | ZM8=2 | F4 |  | 9999 |
| Z2M4 | [Int. Circle as appropriate] [Waves 2-8 only] |  | F1 | Respondent is being interviewed for the FIRST time .................... 1 Respondent was interviewed before........................................ 2 | 9 |
| Z2M5_1 | Have there been any changes in your marital status during [current or previous calenday year]? If yes, please specify the month and year your present status began. [Waves $2-8$ only] | Z2M4=2 | F1 | Yes, change in current year .......... 1 Yes, change in previous calendar year ............................................... 3 | 9 |
| Z2M5_2 | -Month of change . [Waves 2-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \left\|\begin{array}{l} \text { Z2M5_1 } \\ (1,2) \end{array}\right\|=\mid \end{aligned}$ | F2 | Month 01-12 | 99 |
| Z2M6_1 | Could you tell me your present marital status and since when have you held this status? [Waves 2-8 only] | Z2M4=2 | F1 |  | 9 |
| Z2M6_2 | -Since- year . [Waves 2-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{Z2M} 4=(1, \\ & 2,3,4) \end{aligned}$ | F3 | Year (two digits) | 999 |
| Z2M7 | Are you currently living with your husband/wife? [Waves 2-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Z2M6_1 } \\ & =1 \end{aligned}$ | F1 |  | 9 |
| Z2M8 | Are you currently living with another partner? [Waves 2-8 only] | Z2M7=2 | F1 | Yes ...................................................................................... 12 No....... | 9 |
| Z2M9 | Are you currently living with a partner? [Waves 28 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Z2M6_1 } \\ & =(2,3,4,5) \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Yes ........................................................................................... No...... | 9 |

Biographical Information-respondents interviewed for the first time

| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ZM2 | Were you born in Ireland? | Wave 1All <br> Wave 2-8: <br> Z2M4=2 | F1 | Yes ............................................................................................. No..... | 9 |
| ZM3 | Since when have you lived in county $\qquad$ [Present county of residence)? | ZM2=1 | F3 | Year (two digit) <br> Since birth $\qquad$ | 999 |
| ZM4 | Which county did you live in before coming to county $\qquad$ [Int. current county of residence]? If you lived abroad, please tell me which country you lived in. | ZM3 > 1 | F4 | Another county in Ireland ....................... 2 Other EU Country...................... 3 Other Non-EU Country ........... 3 | 9999 |
| ZM5 | In which country were you born? | ZM2=2 | F4 | Ireland............................................. 1 Other EU Country................... 2 Other Non-EU Country ............. 3 | 9999 |
| ZM6 | In which year did you come to live in Ireland? | ZM2=2 | F3 | Year (two-digit) | 999 |
| Z2N5B | In which year did you come to live in county [Int. current county of residence]? [Waves 2-8 only] | ZM2=2 | F3 | Year (two-digit) | 999 |
| ZM7 | What was your last country of residence before coming to live in Ireland? | ZM2=2 | F4 | (As for ZM5) | 9999 |
| ZM10 | Have you had any other children (including adoptive children) apart from those still living in the household? [Wave 1 only] | ZM9=2 | F1 | Yes ................................................................................................. No....... | 9 |
| ZM11_1 | What was the year of birth for each of these children (i.e. those not living in this household)? -Year of birth-child 1 [Wave 1 only] | ZM10=1 | F2 | Year (two-digit) | 99 |
| ZM11_2 | -Year of birth-child 2 [Wave 1 only] | ZM10=1 | F2 | Year (two-digit) | 99 |
| ZM11_3 | -Year of birth-child 3 [Wave 1 only] | ZM10=1 | F2 | Year (two-digit) | 99 |
| ZM11_4 | -Year of birth-child 4 [Wave 1 only] | ZM10=1 | F2 | Year (two-digit) | 99 |
| ZM11_5 | -Year of birth-child 5 [Wave 1 only] | ZM10=1 | F2 | Year (two-digit) | 99 |
| ZM11_6 | -Year of birth-child 6 [Wave 1 only] | ZM10=1 | F2 | Year (two-digit) | 99 |
| ZM11_7 | -Year of birth-child 7 [Wave 1 only] | ZM10=1 | F2 | Year (two-digit) | 99 |
| ZM11_8 | -Year of birth-child 8 [Wave 1 only] | ZM10=1 | F2 | Year (two-digit) | 99 |
| ZM11_9 | -Year of birth-child 9 [Wave 1 only] | ZM10=1 | F2 | Year (two-digit) | 99 |


| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ZM12_1 | Could you tell me your present marital status and since when have you held this status? | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Wave 1All\| } \\ & \text { Wave 2-8: } \\ & \text { Z2M4 }=2 \end{aligned}$ | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZM12_2 | Since- year | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{ZM12} \mathrm{\_1=} \\ & (1,2,3,4) \end{aligned}$ | F3 | Year (two digits) | 999 |
| ZM13 | Are you currently living with your husband/wife? | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ZM12_1 }=1 \\ & 1 \end{aligned}$ | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZM14 | Are you currently living with another partner? | ZM13=2 | F1 | Yes ........................................................................................ | 9 |
| ZM15 | Are you currently living with a partner? | $\begin{aligned} & \left\lvert\, \begin{array}{l} \text { ZM12_1 }= \\ (2,3,4,5) \end{array}\right. \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | F1 | Yes ........................................................................................... No...... | 9 |
| ZM16 | How old were you when you began your first, regular job or business? I don't mean any casual work you may have done from time to time when you were young. I'm referring to your first, regular job? | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Wave 1All } \\ & \text { Wave 2-8: } \\ & \text { Z2M4=2 } \end{aligned}$ | F2 | Age in years <br> Never worked $\qquad$ | 99 |
| ZM17 | Before that job were you ever unemployed for 1 month or more? | ZM16 > 1 | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZM18 | Thinking back over the last five years could you tell me whether or not you have ever been unemployed (i.e., actively looking for work) during that time? | $\begin{array}{\|l\|} \hline \text { Wave 1All } \\ \text { Wave 2-8: } \\ \text { Z2M4=2 } \end{array}$ | F1 | Yes ........................................................................................ No...... | 9 |
| ZM19 | How many times have you been unemployed during the last five years? | ZM18=1 | F2 | Number times | 99 |
| ZM20 | Has any of these periods of unemployment lasted for 12 months or more? | ZM18=1 | F1 | Yes ...................................................................................... No...... | 9 |
| ZM21 | What is the longest single period of unemployment you have experienced during the last five years? | ZM20=1 | F2 | number months | 99 |
| ZM22 | Are you currently in full-time education? | $\begin{array}{\|l\|} \hline \text { Wave 1All } \\ \text { Wave 2-8: } \\ \text { Z2M4=2 } \\ \hline \end{array}$ | F1 | Yes .......................................................................................... No...... | 9 |
| ZM23 | What are you studying for? | ZM22=1 | F2 |  | 99 |
| ZM24 | Which of the following categories best describes the highest level of education you have completed? | $\begin{array}{\|l\|} \hline \text { Wave 1All } \\ \text { Wave 2-4: } \\ \text { Z2M4 }=2 ; \\ \text { Wave 5-8 } \\ \text { All } \end{array}$ | F2 |  | 99 |
| ZM25A | How old were you when you completed this stage of education? | Wave 1All <br> Wave 2-4: <br> Z2M4=2; <br> Wave 5-8 <br> All | F2 | Age in years | 99 |
| ZM25B | Was this when you left full-time education for the first time? | $\begin{array}{\|l\|} \hline \text { Wave 1All } \\ \text { Wave 2-4: } \\ \text { Z2M4=2; } \\ \text { Wave 5-8 } \\ \text { All } \\ \hline \end{array}$ | F1 | Yes ............................................................................................ No..... | 9 |
| ZM25C | At what age did you leave full-time education for the first time? | ZM25B=2 | F2 | Age in years | 99 |


| Variable | Description | Base | Format | Codes | Missing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ZM26A | Apart from this education have you EVER at any stage in your lifetime completed any form of vocational training such as an apprenticeship; a FAS course; a commercial course; a technical course; a formal, structured job-related training course; nursing training; Garda training etc. | Wave 1All <br> Wave 2-4: <br> Z2M4=2; <br> Wave 5-8 <br> All | F1 | Yes ........................................................................................ 1 No....... | 9 |
| ZM26B_1 | Which of the following courses did you complete? [Int. Circle all that apply] | ZM26A=1 | F1 | An apprenticeship of less than 1 years duration. $\qquad$ <br> An apprenticeship of one year or longer duration....................... 2 <br> A State-sponsored training scheme (mostly FAS) $\qquad$ <br> Other vocational training of 1 year or longer in: <br> -a commercial, technical or similar college. $\qquad$ -on the job training with no release to training centre/college.......... 5 on the job training with P-T release to training centre/college ............ 6 <br> Other vocational training ............... 7 | 9 |
| ZM26B_2 | - Which courses (second)? | ZM26A=1 | F1 | (As for ZM26B_1) | 9 |
| ZM26B_3 | - Which courses (third)? | ZM26A=1 | F1 | (As for ZM26B_1) | 9 |
| Z606A | Did this training lead to a . . [Wave 6-8 only] | ZM26A=1 | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZM26C | How old were you when you completed this course (or the most recent of these courses)? | ZM26A=1 | F2 | Age in years | 99 |
| ZM28_1 | You said that you are $\qquad$ years of age [from date of birth] That means that it has been $\qquad$ years since you were 10 years of age. Approximately how many of those years have you spent in each of the following categories? <br> - In full-time education or training incl State-sponsored training courses (e.g. FÁS) | $\begin{array}{\|l\|} \hline \text { Wave 1All } \\ \text { Wave 2-8: } \\ \text { Z2M4 }=2 \end{array}$ | F2 | Number years | 99 |
| ZM28_2 | - In employment, self-employment or farming (incl. unpaid family worker ,Temp. State Employment / CE ) | $\begin{aligned} & \text { (As } \\ & \text { ZM28_1) } \end{aligned}$ | F2 | Number years | 99 |
| ZM28_3 | - Unemployed (seeking work) including time spent looking for your first regular job | $\begin{aligned} & \text { (As } \\ & \text { ZM28_1) } \end{aligned}$ | F2 | Number years | 99 |
| ZM28_4 | - III/disabled | $\begin{aligned} & \text { (As } \\ & \text { ZM28_1) } \end{aligned}$ | F2 | Number years | 99 |
| ZM28_5 | - On home duties | $\begin{array}{\|l} \hline \text { (As } \\ \text { ZM28_1) } \\ \hline \end{array}$ | F2 | Number years | 99 |
| ZM28_6 | - Retired | $\begin{aligned} & \text { (As } \\ & \text { ZM28_1) } \end{aligned}$ | F2 | Number years | 99 |
| Z2N28_7 | - Other [Waves 2-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { (As } \\ & \text { ZM28_1) } \end{aligned}$ | F2 | Number years | 99 |
| ZM28_7 | - Total Years (should add to current age minus 10) | $\begin{aligned} & \text { (As } \\ & \text { ZM28_1) } \end{aligned}$ | F3 | Number years | 999 |
| ZM29 | In general, how satisfied are you with the education and training you received (are receiving)? Using a scale of 1 to 6 could you tell me how satisfied you are? A ' 1 ' means you are not satisfied at all while a ' 6 ' means that you are fully satisfied. [Wave 1] How satisfied are you with your present situation in the following areas of your life? Using a scale of 1 to 6 could you indicate your level of satisfaction with each of the following areas. A ' 1 ' indicates that you are not satisfied at all while a '6' means that you are fully satisfied. <br> - The education and training you received (are receiving) [Waves 2-8] | Wave 1All <br> Wave 2-4: <br> Z2M4=2; <br> Wave 5-8 <br> All | F1 |  | 9 |


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| ZM30 | Who was the main breadwinner in your family when you were growing up? | $\begin{array}{\|l\|} \hline \text { Wave 1All } \\ \text { Wave 2-4: } \\ \text { Z2M4 }=2 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZM31_1s | What was the principal job which he/she had when you were growing up? If he/she was mostly unemployed or on some other form of State payments (e.g. pension, sickness benefit etc.) please state this but also tell me about any paid occupation he/she was engaged in. [Int. if farmer record acreage and type.] <br> - Irish social class code of breadwinner main job | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Wave 1All } \\ & \text { Wave 2-4: } \\ & \text { Z2M4=2 } \end{aligned}$ | F3 |  | 999 |
| ZM31_3 | -ISCO codes of breadwinner main job | $\begin{array}{\|l\|} \hline \text { Wave 1All } \\ \text { Wave 2-4:\| } \\ \text { Z2M4 }=2 \end{array}$ | F2 | ISCO 88 (Com) 1-digit Codes Armed forces................................ 0 Managers, senior officials, legislators...... 1 Professionals............................. 2 Technicians \& associated professionals... 3 Clerks .......................................... 4 Service, shop and sales workers.......... 5 Skilled agricultural/fishery workers......... 6 Skilled crafttrades workers ................. 7 Plant/machine operators/assemblers...... 8 Elementary occupations .................... 9 | 99 |
| ZM31_3b | -ISCO codes of breadwinner job (2 digits) | $\begin{array}{\|l\|} \hline \text { Wave 1All\| } \\ \text { Wave 2-4: } \\ 72 \mathrm{M} 4=2 \end{array}$ | F2 | ISCO 88 (Com) 1-digit Codes (See Appendix 3) | 99 |
| Z3P3 | Thinking back over the period when you were growing up, would you describe him/her as mostly being, in general ... <br> [Wave 3-8 only] | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Wave 1All\| } \\ & \text { Wave 2-4: } \\ & \text { Z2M4=2 } \end{aligned}$ | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZM32 | Did the firm or organisation (including self-employed) in which he/she worked employ more or less than 25 persons? | Wave 1All <br> Wave 2-4: <br> Z2M4=2 | F1 | LESS than 25 employed................. 1 25 or more employed............... 2 | 9 |
| ZM33 | Still thinking back to when you were growing up, how would you say that your family was able to manage financially, compared to other families at that time? Were you able to make ends meet .. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Wave 1All\| } \\ & \text { Wave 2-4: } \\ & \text { Z2M4=2 } \end{aligned}$ | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZM34_1 | Could you tell me the highest level of education that your father and mother attained? <br> - Level of education of father | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Wave 1All } \\ & \text { Wave 2-4: } \\ & \text { Z2M4=2 } \end{aligned}$ | F2 | No educ beyond primary.............. 1 Primary cert. or equivalent. ......... 2 Some second level................ 3 Group cert. or equivalent ............ 4 Inter. cert. or equivalent ........... 5 Leaving cert./Matriculation or equiv. 6 Certificate/Diploma..................... 7 Primary degree or equiv from Univ/RTC................................. 8 Higher degree or equiv. from univ/RTC................................... 9 | 99 |
| ZM34_2 | Level of education of mother | $\begin{array}{\|l\|} \hline \text { Wave 1All\| } \\ \text { Wave 2-4: } \\ \text { Z2M4 }=2 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | F2 | (As for ZM34_1) | 99 |


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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ZM35_1 | The following 12 statements may possibly describe the way you have been feeling over the last few weeks. For each statement I would like you to circle the number beneath the answer which best suits the way you have been feeling recently. HAVE YOU RECENTLY ... <br> - Been able to concentrate on whatever you're doing | All | F1 | More so than usual.............................. 1 Same as usual ............................. 3 Less than usual ......................... 4 | 9 |
| ZM35_2 | Lost much sleep over worry ? | All | F1 | Not at all...................................... 1 <br> No more than usual.................. 2 <br> Rather more than usual ............... 3 <br> Much more than usual............ 4 | 9 |
| ZM35_3 | Felt that you were playing a useful part in things ? | All | F1 | More so than usual............................. 12 Same as usual ......................... 3 Less than usual .......................... 4 Much less than usual............ 4 | 9 |
| ZM35_4 | Felt capable of making decisions about things? | All | F1 | More so than usual............................. 12 Same as usual .................................................... 4 Less than usual | 9 |
| ZM35_5 | Felt constantly under strain ? | All | F1 | Not at all.......................................... 1 <br> No more than usual................ 2 <br> Rather more than usual .............. 3 <br> Much more than usual............. 4 | 9 |
| ZM35_6 | Felt that you couldn't overcome your difficulties? | All | F1 | Not at all...................................... 1 <br> No more than usual.................. 2 <br> Rather more than usual .............. 3 <br> Much more than usual ............. 4 | 9 |
| ZM35_7 | Been able to enjoy your normal day-to-day activities ? | All | F1 | More so than usual....................... 1 <br> Same as usual ......................... 2 <br> Less than usual ..................... 3 <br> Much less than usual............... 4 | 9 |
| ZM35_8 | Been able to face up to your problems ? | All | F1 | More so than usual............................. 12 Same as usual ......................... 3 Less than usual ......................... 4 Much less than usual............. | 9 |
| ZM35_9 | Been feeling unhappy or depressed? | All | F1 | Not at all........................................... 1 No more than usual................ 3 Rather more than usual .............. 3 Much more than usual............. 4 | 9 |
| ZM35_10 | Been losing confidence in yourself ? | All | F1 | Not at all........................................ 1 <br> No more than usual................. 2 <br> Rather more than usual .............. 3 <br> Much more than usual............ 4 | 9 |
| ZM35_11 | Been thinking of yourself as a worthless person? | All | F1 | Not at all........................................... 1 No more than usual................. 3 Rather more than usual .............. 3 Much more than usual............. 4 | 9 |
| ZM35_12 | Been feeling reasonably happy, all things considered ? | All | F1 | More so than usual............................. 1 Same as usual ........................ 3 Less than usual .......................... 4 Much less than usual............. 4 | 9 |
| ZM36_1 | Here is a list of seven statements on the way people feel about things. Could you tell me whether or not you strongly agree; agree; disagree; or strongly disagree with each of the statements. <br> I can do just about anything I set my mind to. | All | F1 |  | 9 |
| ZM36_2 | I have little control over the things that happen to me | All | F1 | (As for ZM36_1) | 9 |
| ZM36_3 | What happens to me in the future depends on me | All | F1 | (As for ZM36_1) | 9 |
| ZM36_4 | I often feel helpless in dealing with the problems of life | All | F1 | (As for ZM36_1) | 9 |
| ZM36_5 | Sometimes I feel that I am being pushed around in life | All | F1 | (As for ZM36_1) | 9 |
| ZM36_6 | There is a lot I can do to change my life if I want to | All | F1 | (As for ZM36_1) | 9 |
| ZM36_7 | There is really no way that I can solve some of my problems | All | F1 | (As for ZM36_1) | 9 |

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\hline Variable \& Description \& Base \& Format \& Codes \& Missing <br>
\hline ZM37_1 \& How satisfied are you with your present situation in the following areas of your life? Using a scale of 1 to 6 could you indicate your level of satisfaction with each of the following areas. A '1' indicates that you are not satisfied at all while a ' 6 ' means that you are fully satisfied. Your work or main daily activity. \& All \& F1 \&  \& 9 <br>
\hline ZM37_2 \& Your financial situation. \& All \& F1 \& (As for ZM37_1) \& 9 <br>
\hline ZM37_3 \& Your housing situation. \& All \& F1 \& (As for ZM37_1) \& 9 <br>
\hline ZM37_4 \& The amount of leisure time you have. \& All \& F1 \& (As for ZM37_1) \& 9 <br>
\hline ZM38 \& Time Interview Completed (24 Hour Clock) \& All \& F4 \& Time (hhmm) \& 9999 <br>
\hline ZX1 \& Mode of Interview \& All \& F1 \&  \& 9 <br>
\hline ZX2 \& Person Number of person providing information by proxy \& $\mathrm{ZX1}=2$ \& F2 \& Person number 01-10 \& 99 <br>
\hline ZX6 \& Was the questionnaire verified with the subject? \& ZX1=2 \& F1 \& Yes ...............................................................................................
No...... \& 9 <br>

\hline ZX7A \& How was questionnaire verified? (first method) \& ZX6=1 \& F1 \& | Through a subsequent visit with subject. $\qquad$ |
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| Questionnaire left behind for inspection by subject. |
| By `phone call with subject.................. 3 |
| Subject present during most or all of interview. $\qquad$ | \& 9 <br>

\hline ZX7B \& How was questionnaire verified? ( $2^{\text {nd }}$ method) \& ZX6=1 \& F1 \& (As for ZX7A) \& 9 <br>
\hline indwgtyy \& Individual Cross-Sectional Weight in year yy ( $\mathrm{yy}=94-01$ ) \& All \& F8.3 \& Weight (grosses to population age \& 99999999 <br>
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Irish ..... 01
French ..... 02
German ..... 03
Spanish ..... 04
Italian ..... 05
Dutch ..... 06
Portuguese ..... 07
Danish ..... 08
Modern Greek ..... 09
Russian ..... 10
Japanese ..... 11
Training Schemes
Alternance/Return to Work ..... 1
Community Training Workshop (mostly 16-19) ..... 2
Community Training Programmes (CYT/CR/LTI) ..... 3
Enterprise Training ..... 4
Job Training Scheme/Traineeship Programme ..... 5
Pilot Scheme for 18/19 year olds ..... 6
Skills Foundation ..... 7
Traveller Training Workshop .....  8
Specific Skills Training ..... 9
Youthreach/ Unspecified FAS course ..... 10
OTHERS:11
Non-certified work-related skill training course
Certified work-related skill training (RTC/equiv.) ..... 12
Other evening class/adult education etc ..... 13
Sheltered Workshops ..... 14
CERT Course ..... 15
Teagasc course ..... 16
Counselling course ..... 17
VTOS ..... 18
Post Leaving Cert. (PLC) ..... 19
Employment Schemes:
Private Sector Apprentice ..... 20
FAS Apprentice ..... 21
Community Employment/SES. ..... 22
Enterprise Incentive/ Employment Subsidy ..... 23
School Leavers Initiative ..... 24
Linked Work Experience ..... 26
FÁS Pre-Apprenticeship ..... 27
Enterprise Allowance ..... 28
Back to Education Allowance
Second Level Certificate Course (while continuing to
receive social welfare) ..... 30
Third Level Allowance ..... 31

Armed forces
Legislators and senior officials
Corporate managers (1)
General managers (2)
Physical, mathematical and engineering science professionals
Life science and health professionals
Teaching professionals
Other professionals";
Physical and engineering science associate professionals
Life science and health associate professionals
Teaching associate professionals
Other associate professionals";
Office clerks
Customer services clerks";
Personal and protective services workers
Models, salespersons and demonstrators";
Market-oriented skilled agricultural and fishery workers
Subsistence agricultural and fishery workers
Extraction and building trades workers
Metal, machinery and related trades workers
Precision, handicraft, printing and related trades workers
Other craft and related trades workers
Stationary-plant and related operators
Machine operators and assemblers
Drivers and mobile-plant operators
Sales and services elementary occupations
Agricultural, fishery and related labourers
Labourers in mining, construction, manufacturing and transport";

