

JGSS Cumulative Data 2000-2018: Codes and Frequency Tables

Aggregation Policy

JGSS Cumulative Data 2000-2018 is tabulated in percentages of the distribution by survey year. "-" indicates a year in which the variable was not surveyed, and "0.0" indicates a case in which there was no respondent as a result of the survey (or there were a very small number of respondents hence rounded to zero).

If you would like to know the distribution in numbers rather than percentages, please multiply the overall sample size (n) by the percentage to get a rough estimate. If you want to know the exact frequencies in numbers, please refer to the JGSS homepage (<http://jgss.daishodai.ac.jp>).

Number of respondents by survey year

Survey year	2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018	
Face to face Interview	2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916	
Self-Administ rated	Form A	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	2060	2507	2332	2079	744	1916
	Form B			1706	2130		2160	2496	2335				

Variables that need attention

JGSS is repeated cross-sectional survey, but even if the question items are the same as in foregoing survey years, subtle changes may have been made. For instance, the wording for response choices may be slightly different.

In the JGSS Cumulative Data 2000-2018, the same variable names and the latest wording for choices are used, but slight differences depending on the survey year could influence interpretation of the results of data analysis. Therefore, variables that differ slightly from year to year are marked with an asterisk (*) at the end of the "variable label" in the SPSS data.

When using these variables for analysis, check the the notes shown below the frequency tables if each of the variables marked by (*).

1. CUMIDUSE Cumulative ID number

The frequency table for this variable is omitted.

2. RYEAR Year of Response

The frequency table for this variable is omitted.

3. IDUSE ID Number for users

The frequency table for this variable is omitted.

4. DRAN Supplement Sample

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Original sample	95.6	94.6	94.1	89.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1	First supplement	3.9	4.7	5.2	8.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Second supplement	0.5	0.6	0.5	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Third supplement	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Fourth supplement	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Fifth supplement	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	2893	2790	2953	3663	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

5. FORM Form of Self-administrated Questionnaire

The frequency table for this variable is omitted.

6. DATEB Self-administered Questionnaire Collecting Date

The frequency table for this variable is omitted.

7. MONTHB Self-administered Questionnaire Collecting Date: Month

The frequency table for this variable is omitted.

8. DAYB Self-administered Questionnaire Collecting Date: Date

The frequency table for this variable is omitted.

9. PROC Survey Process

Which did you proceed first, an interview or a self-administered questionnaire?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Interview was first	73.9	75.8	76.0	92.4	83.4	84.0	85.8	83.6	85.0	89.8	84.7	86.1
2	Self-administered was first	22.7	19.9	23.1	5.9	14.0	15.4	12.7	14.9	13.2	9.3	14.8	13.6
9	No answer	3.4	4.3	0.9	1.7	2.5	0.6	1.5	1.5	1.8	0.9	0.5	0.3
	n	2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

10. DATE Date of Interview *

The frequency table for this variable is omitted.

* Variable labels in Japanese for this question differ depending on the survey year

2005 Variable label changed: "Survey Date" → "Date of Interview"

11. MONTH Date of Interview: Month *

The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

*Variable labels in Japanese for this question differ depending on the survey year.

2005 Variable label changed: "Survey Date: Month" → "Date of Interview: Month"

12. DAY Date of Interview: Day *

The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

*Variable labels in Japanese for this question differ depending on the survey year.

2005 Variable label changed: "Survey Date: Date" → "Date of Interview: Day"

13. DURATION Duration of Interview

The frequency table for this variable is omitted.

14. XXTODAY Date of Filling in Form B *

The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

*Variable labels in Japanese for this question differ depending on the survey year.

2008 Variable label changed: "Filling date for Form B" → "Filling date for Self-administered Questionnaire"

15. COOP Respondent Cooperation

Was the respondent cooperative?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very cooperative	54.0	49.6	52.3	51.8	56.1	60.2	60.1	62.9	63.7	65.8	68.3	67.1
2	Rather cooperative	34.6	36.0	37.2	35.8	33.8	32.9	33.3	30.6	30.1	28.9	26.9	28.3
3	Rather uncooperative	9.3	10.3	9.0	10.1	8.7	6.2	5.9	6.1	5.4	4.6	4.8	4.3
4	Not cooperative at all	0.4	1.1	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.0	0.2
9	No answer	1.7	3.1	0.9	1.6	0.9	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.5	0.4	0.0	0.0
	n	2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

16. USTAND Respondent Understanding

Did the respondent understand these questions well?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very well	54.0	50.9	53.1	52.1	58.9	63.0	61.4	62.6	63.2	63.0	65.7	64.7
2	Relatively well	37.4	39.5	40.1	39.9	35.8	33.6	35.2	34.0	33.1	33.9	32.3	33.1
3	Had a little difficulty	6.1	5.9	5.4	5.9	3.7	2.9	2.9	3.1	2.8	2.5	2.0	2.0
4	Didn't understand at all	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.2
9	No answer	2.2	3.4	1.2	1.8	1.1	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.7	0.5	0.0	0.0
	n	2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

17. AREA Type of Residential Area

What is the residential area of the respondent?

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Area where a number of factories are located	-	-	-	2.4	0.7	0.8	1.0	1.7	1.2	3.2	0.0	1.9
2	Area where a number of stores and offices are located	-	-	-	10.6	11.7	10.5	11.2	10.9	10.8	10.3	7.7	9.9
3	Old residential area from the pre-war period	-	-	-	25.4	24.2	28.9	28.5	31.0	30.6	29.1	32.3	27.8
4	New residential area after the war	-	-	-	37.4	36.7	40.6	37.6	39.7	38.1	40.0	46.4	39.8
5	Farming/fishing village	-	-	-	22.1	22.9	16.8	18.7	15.9	17.2	16.4	12.8	20.5
6	Other	-	-	-	0.7	1.9	1.8	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
9	No answer	-	-	-	1.4	1.7	0.6	1.0	0.8	2.2	1.1	0.9	0.1
n		-	-	-	3663	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

18. NAMEPLAT Nameplate

The presence of the house name plate (including the nameplate on the mailbox)?

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	76.7
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.0
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1916

19. INTERCOM Type of intercom

The type of the intercom

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Video intercom	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41.6
2	Voice intercom	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.6
3	No intercom (door chime only)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.2
4	No intercom (no door chime)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.2
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1916

20. SEXA Sex

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Male	45.6	46.0	46.3	43.4	45.5	46.7	47.1	46.0	46.0	45.8	44.4	48.3
2	Female	54.4	54.0	53.7	56.6	54.5	53.3	52.9	54.0	54.0	54.2	55.6	51.7
n		2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

21. AGEB AGE*

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
Actual number	20-29	13.6	11.9	11.6	10.4	11.0	10.2	9.7	9.5	9.2	10.6	9.1	8.3
	30-39	14.4	14.1	14.5	14.9	14.4	16.5	16.4	15.6	16.1	15.0	15.3	12.4
	40-49	17.1	16.5	17.0	15.0	15.0	15.1	16.2	17.4	16.8	16.4	19.5	18.2
	50-59	21.9	22.0	22.1	19.2	19.8	20.5	19.9	17.6	16.6	17.7	14.7	16.8
	60-69	18.5	18.2	18.8	21.9	21.3	19.9	19.7	21.5	21.2	19.4	17.9	19.6
	70-79	11.5	13.0	12.4	14.6	14.0	13.8	13.9	13.7	15.1	14.6	16.9	17.5
	80-89	3.0	4.3	3.7	3.9	4.5	3.9	4.1	4.8	5.0	6.3	6.6	7.2
n		2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

*In 2000, this question asked the respondent's age as of June 25. From 2001 through 2006, this question asked the respondent's age as of September 1. In 2008, this question asked the respondent's age as of August 31. In 2010, this question asked the respondent's age as of December 31 2009. From 2012, this question asked the respondent's age as of December.

22. DOBYEAR Date of Birth: Year (Christian Era)

The frequency table for this variable is omitted.

23. BLOCK Regional Block

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Hokkaido or Tohoku	13.7	13.0	13.2	13.8	14.2	12.1	13.3	13.2	12.9	14.1	12.6	14.3
2	Kanto	28.2	28.4	27.5	27.1	26.9	29.6	28.2	28.9	29.8	29.2	28.0	29.2
3	Chubu	20.0	19.9	21.5	19.8	23.1	21.2	21.4	21.1	20.3	19.6	21.1	18.6
4	Kinki	15.8	16.1	15.6	14.6	13.8	14.9	14.9	15.0	15.2	15.3	16.0	15.9
5	Cyugoku or Shikoku	11.1	11.0	10.1	11.4	10.2	10.3	10.1	9.9	10.5	9.8	10.2	9.8
6	Kyusyu	11.3	11.6	12.2	13.3	11.9	11.9	12.0	12.0	11.2	12.0	12.1	12.2
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24. PREF Prefecture Name

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Hokkaido	4.9	5.1	5.2	4.4	5.4	4.8	4.9	4.8	4.6	5.6	4.4	5.0
2	Aomori	1.2	1.0	1.0	1.2	1.1	1.3	1.5	1.3	1.6	1.3	2.2	1.9
3	Iwate	1.2	1.1	1.4	1.4	1.2	1.1	1.0	0.8	1.1	1.5	1.1	1.1
4	Miyagi	2.2	1.9	1.7	2.2	1.8	2.0	2.6	2.3	1.8	2.5	1.7	2.9
5	Akita	1.3	1.3	1.1	1.3	2.1	0.7	0.9	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.4
6	Yamagata	1.3	1.1	1.0	1.3	1.6	1.3	1.1	1.5	1.1	1.3	0.9	0.5
7	Fukushima	1.5	1.5	1.7	1.8	1.0	0.8	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.0	1.2	1.6
8	Ibaraki	2.4	2.3	2.5	2.3	2.4	2.8	2.4	1.9	2.3	2.9	2.7	3.3
9	Tochigi	1.6	2.0	1.8	1.9	2.7	1.8	2.2	2.0	1.9	1.8	1.7	1.1
10	Gunma	1.9	1.8	1.5	1.7	1.4	1.3	1.6	2.0	1.8	2.3	2.4	2.7
11	Saitama	4.9	4.7	4.4	4.0	3.7	5.4	5.1	5.1	5.3	4.9	3.6	4.3
12	Chiba	4.6	4.3	4.2	4.2	5.0	4.2	4.5	4.9	4.6	4.4	2.6	5.0
13	Tokyo	7.3	7.6	7.4	7.4	7.1	8.4	6.7	7.4	7.8	7.8	8.2	7.4
14	Kanagawa	5.5	5.6	5.7	5.5	4.6	5.8	5.8	5.7	6.2	5.1	6.7	5.3
15	Niigata	2.2	2.5	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.2	2.8	2.3	2.2	2.6	2.2	2.6
16	Toyama	0.9	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.6	1.1	1.3	1.2	1.0	1.3	1.0
17	Ishikawa	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.2	1.4	0.7	1.0	0.7	1.1	0.8	1.1	0.6
18	Fukui	0.9	0.8	0.9	0.9	1.7	1.2	1.0	0.8	0.9	0.9	1.6	1.2
19	Yamanashi	0.5	0.8	1.0	1.2	1.9	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.6	0.7	0.0	1.4
20	Nagano	1.8	1.9	2.2	2.1	1.6	1.7	1.8	2.0	1.9	2.0	2.4	1.6
21	Gifu	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.7	2.6	2.0	1.8	1.7	1.9	1.6	2.2	1.1
22	Shizuoka	3.7	3.5	3.3	2.5	3.4	3.8	3.7	3.6	3.4	3.3	3.5	3.1
23	Aichi	5.1	4.8	5.6	4.9	4.8	5.8	5.5	6.2	5.6	5.6	4.8	5.3
24	Mie	2.0	1.5	1.8	1.7	2.0	1.6	1.8	1.6	1.5	1.2	2.0	0.7
25	Shiga	1.2	1.5	1.3	1.3	1.9	0.8	1.3	1.2	1.1	1.3	1.7	0.9
26	Kyoto	2.3	1.9	2.1	1.9	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	1.9	1.4	2.0	1.8
27	Osaka	5.6	6.1	5.6	5.5	4.5	6.3	5.8	6.1	6.5	6.5	6.2	6.3
28	Hyogo	4.7	4.7	5.1	3.7	3.3	3.9	3.8	3.6	3.6	4.3	3.2	5.2
29	Nara	1.0	0.7	0.9	1.3	1.1	0.6	1.2	1.1	1.3	1.2	0.8	1.0
30	Wakayama	1.1	1.2	0.6	0.9	0.8	1.2	0.6	1.0	0.9	0.5	2.0	0.6
31	Tottori	0.2	0.4	0.8	0.5	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.7	0.4	0.0	0.4
32	Shimane	0.7	0.9	0.7	0.9	0.5	0.5	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.8	1.5	0.9
33	Okayama	1.8	2.0	1.7	1.4	1.8	2.0	1.9	2.0	1.9	1.5	2.4	1.7
34	Hiroshima	2.9	2.4	2.2	2.7	2.2	2.2	2.0	1.9	2.4	2.5	2.0	2.5
35	Yamaguchi	1.6	1.4	1.4	1.6	1.4	1.6	1.7	1.5	1.9	1.5	0.7	1.6
36	Tokushima	0.7	0.9	0.6	0.6	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.4	1.1	0.5
37	Kagawa	1.4	1.2	0.8	1.4	1.4	0.6	0.9	1.0	0.8	1.1	0.9	0.8
38	Ehime	1.0	1.2	1.3	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.9	1.0	1.1	0.9	1.1
39	Kochi	0.8	0.7	0.5	1.1	0.5	0.9	0.9	1.0	0.7	0.5	0.7	0.4
40	Fukuoka	3.7	3.0	3.8	4.2	3.3	3.8	4.3	4.0	3.2	3.9	3.1	3.5
41	Saga	0.8	0.8	0.7	1.1	0.9	0.8	0.4	0.7	0.7	0.7	1.5	0.8
42	Nagasaki	0.9	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.2	1.5	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.1	1.1
43	Kumamoto	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.0	1.3	0.9	1.6	1.2	1.4	2.4	1.8
44	Oita	1.1	1.4	1.0	1.4	1.5	1.3	1.5	1.0	1.1	1.3	0.8	1.0
45	Miyazaki	1.2	0.5	1.3	1.2	1.5	0.9	0.9	1.1	1.2	0.9	1.1	1.1
46	Kagoshima	1.4	1.8	1.7	1.5	1.2	1.6	1.5	1.6	1.4	1.6	1.2	1.0
47	Okinawa	0.7	1.2	0.9	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.0	0.8	1.2	1.1	0.9	1.8
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25. SIZE Size of Municipality*

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Largest cities	18.5	18.2	18.0	18.2	18.3	21.0	21.3	23.2	23.2	24.1	23.4	23.4
2	Cities with population of 200000 or more	-	-	-	-	-	26.2	24.3	24.2	24.0	23.8	25.0	24.1
3	Cities with population of less than 200000	-	-	-	-	-	41.1	42.2	41.5	42.1	41.7	42.1	42.2
4	Town and villages	25.2	23.8	24.2	24.5	18.5	11.8	12.2	11.1	10.6	10.3	9.5	10.3
10	Other cities	56.3	58.1	57.7	57.3	63.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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* "Large city" indicates the cabinet-order designated city at the time of each survey.

Codes for this question differ between the single year data and cumulative data.

2000 Large cities= 13 large cities: Sapporo, Sendai, Chiba, Tokyo metropolitan area, Yokohama, Kawasaki, Nagoya, Kyoto, Osaka, Kobe, Hiroshima, Kitakyushu, and Fukuoka

2003 Large cities= 14 large cities: 13 large cities plus Saitama city

2005 Large cities= 15 large cities: 14 large cities plus Shizuoka city

2006 Large cities= 16 large cities: 15 large cities plus Sakai city

Codes changed: "1 large cities, 2 towns and villages, 3 other cities" → "1 large cities, 2 cities with a population of 200,000 or more, 3 cities with a population of less than 200,000, 4 towns and villages

2008 Large cities= 18 large cities: 16 large cities plus Niigata City and Hamamatsu City

2010 Large cities= 19 large cities: 18 large cities plus Okayama City

2012 Large cities= 20 large cities: 19 large cities plus Sagami-hara Shi

2015 Large cities= 21 large cities: 20 large cities plus Kumamoto City

2000-2015 Codes integrated: "1 large cities, 2 cities with a population of 200,000 or more, 3 cities with a population of less than 200,000, 4 towns and villages, 10 other cities.

2000-2018 Codes integrated: Same as 2000-2015.

26. SIZE2K Size of Municipality (as of 2000)*

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Largest cities	18.5	18.2	18.0	17.9	16.9	18.8	17.8	18.8	18.2	-	-	-
2	Other cities	56.3	57.9	57.8	57.1	59.9	59.3	58.9	55.8	62.1	-	-	-
3	Town and village	25.2	23.9	24.2	25.0	23.3	21.9	23.3	25.4	19.7	-	-	-
	n	2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	-	-	-

* This variable was made out based on municipalities at the time of 2000 National Census.

Single year datasets up to 2005 do not include this variable. In the cumulative dataset, this variable have been made out for years from 2000 to 2005, but not for 2015 and years after.

27. SIZEHMT Size of Hometown

Which one of the following best describes the area you currently live? Choose one that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	A big city	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.7	4.3	4.4	4.5	4.7	5.7
2	The suburbs or outskirts of a big city	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.9	16.9	15.6	16.8	14.2	13.4
3	A town or a small city	-	-	-	-	-	-	43.8	43.6	43.7	44.3	41.8	47.5
4	A country village	-	-	-	-	-	-	31.2	31.1	32.0	30.6	37.6	29.9
5	A farm or home in the country	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.2	3.9	4.1	3.7	1.6	3.5
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

28. TP8DWEL Type of Residence

In which of following do you live?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Own house	75.3	75.2	75.1	76.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Own condominium (apartment)	5.4	5.6	4.8	4.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rented house owned by a private company	3.1	3.1	3.3	2.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Rented apartment house owned by a private company	8.8	8.8	8.8	9.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Company house or house for government employees	0.2	0.5	0.9	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Company apartment or apartment for government employees	1.3	1.8	2.2	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Rented public house of a public corporation	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Rented public apartment of a public corporation	5.2	4.6	3.7	4.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	Other	0.5	0.3	0.7	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	2893	2790	2953	3663	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "2 Housing complex (apartment, condominium) in 31. TPHOUSE.

29. AUTOLOCK Automatically Lockable Entrance

Does the entrance of the Housing complex lock automatically?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.1	24.7	24.2	32.2
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	74.1	72.2	72.6	62.5
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	3.1	3.2	5.3
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1031	425	124	357
8	Not applicable												

30. OWNHOUSE Type of Residence: Owned

In which of following do you live?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Own house	-	-	-	-	82.0	80.3	81.0	81.8	79.4	81.7	83.6	84.2
2	Rented apartment house owned by private company	-	-	-	-	11.7	12.7	13.1	13.8	14.5	14.6	12.9	12.5
3	Company apartment house or apartment house for government employees	-	-	-	-	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.6	2.2	2.0	1.7	1.1
4	Rented public apartment of a public corporation	-	-	-	-	4.0	4.7	3.5	2.6	3.3	1.5	1.5	1.9
5	Other	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.2
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.1
	n	-	-	-	-	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

31. TPHOUSE Type of Residence: Detached*

What is the type of the respondent's house?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Detached house	-	-	-	-	80.7	79.1	78.6	80.9	77.1	78.9	82.9	81.4
2	Housing complex (apartment, condominium, etc.)	-	-	-	-	19.0	20.7	21.2	19.0	22.1	20.4	16.7	18.6
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.8	0.7	0.4	0.0
	n	-	-	-	-	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

* This question was asked in self-administered questionnaire until 2010. But from 2012, it was recorded by interviewer at the last section of face-to-face interview.

32. SZDWEL Size of Residence (m2)

What is the size of your residence? State the entire floor area of the house itself. Tell the number of tatami or tsubo, or square meters. (If the house is also used as a business place, include the business floor area, too. For apartment houses and condominiums, state the area you live in.)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	Less than 50 m ²	11.9	10.7	12.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	For 50-60 m ²	5.6	5.5	4.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	For 60-70 m ²	5.6	6.1	6.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	For 70-80 m ²	4.7	4.7	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	For 80-90 m ²	5.7	5.2	5.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	For 90-100 m ²	8.6	10.0	8.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	For 100~150 m ²	28.4	27.0	26.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	For 150~200 m ²	17.4	17.5	16.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	For 200~250 m ²	5.4	4.6	5.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	For 250~300 m ²	1.9	2.2	2.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	300 m ² or more	3.0	3.6	4.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99999	No answer	1.7	2.9	3.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	2893	2790	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

33. XJOB1WK Work Status*

Did you have a paying job last week, or did you plan to work last week? Choose from below.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I worked last week	64.2	60.0	60.4	57.5	60.6	60.8	62.0	59.8	60.4	61.2	61.3	60.5
2	I was going to work last week, but did not work due to illness or days off	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.7	1.0	1.0	1.3	1.6	1.5	0.8	1.1	2.5
3	I did not work	35.0	39.1	38.7	41.8	38.4	38.2	36.7	38.5	38.0	38.0	37.6	37.1
	n	2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

8 Not applicable

* The wording for the choice in this question differs depending on the survey year.

2005 The Wording for the choice changed: "I was going to work, but did not work" → "I was going to work last week, but did not work"

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "I worked last week", "I was going to work last week, but did not work due to illness or days off" in 33. XJOB1WK.

34. XJOB1WK Work Days per Week

How many days did you do the job last week?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018	
Actual number	None	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
	1 day	0.7	1.1	1.2	1.4	0.6	0.9	1.2	1.7	2.1	1.2	1.5	1.5	
	2 days	3.0	2.3	2.5	2.8	2.6	2.5	3.3	2.9	3.2	3.4	3.4	2.8	
	3 days	5.6	5.3	5.2	6.2	5.9	5.2	5.7	6.0	6.5	6.4	6.3	6.6	
	4 days	10.2	7.8	8.2	10.4	7.2	9.6	9.0	9.4	9.3	7.9	6.5	9.0	
	5 days	44.7	43.8	45.6	41.7	46.2	49.5	47.8	51.2	51.4	53.9	53.7	55.1	
	6 Days	27.9	30.9	29.1	27.4	28.6	24.4	25.2	22.7	20.6	20.9	23.3	19.9	
	7 Days	7.4	8.4	7.6	9.4	7.6	6.4	6.6	5.9	5.3	5.0	3.2	4.6	
99	No answer	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.7	1.3	1.4	1.3	0.3	1.6	1.2	2.2	0.6	
		n	1881	1698	1809	2132	1247	2630	2671	3076	2893	1289	464	1206
88	Not applicable													

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "I worked last week", "I was going to work last week, but did not work due to illness or days off" in 33. XJOB1WK.

35. XJOBHWK Work Hours per Week

How many total hours did you work last week, including overtime? If you have two or more jobs, please provide two answers: the hours for your main job and the hours for all other side-jobs.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018	
Actual number	0 hour	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
	1-9 hour(s)	3.4	4.1	4.0	4.2	3.6	3.7	4.0	4.1	4.7	3.1	4.1	4.6	
	10-19 hours	6.9	6.3	6.7	8.1	6.1	6.6	7.0	8.6	7.9	8.7	6.9	7.7	
	20-29 hours	9.7	9.2	9.0	11.2	10.3	11.6	10.0	12.6	10.9	11.5	10.8	10.8	
	30-39 hours	15.9	12.8	13.9	14.3	13.0	13.0	13.0	12.9	12.9	13.8	12.3	13.3	
	40-49 hours	39.6	43.8	40.2	38.9	42.7	36.5	37.6	37.2	37.8	36.4	41.6	41.6	
	50-59 hours	12.5	12.4	13.0	11.3	12.2	15.3	14.9	13.4	13.1	15.1	15.3	13.3	
	60-69 hours	7.9	6.4	7.1	6.4	6.6	7.3	7.3	6.5	7.0	5.8	5.2	4.8	
	70-79 hours	2.3	2.9	3.0	3.3	3.0	3.0	3.1	2.0	2.1	3.3	1.7	2.2	
	More than 80 hours	1.2	1.2	2.0	1.4	1.0	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.1	1.1	1.2	
999	No answer	0.7	0.8	1.0	0.9	1.6	1.4	1.4	1.2	2.0	1.3	1.1	0.6	
		n	1881	1698	1809	2132	1247	2630	2671	3076	2893	1289	464	1206
888	Not applicable													

36. XOTHWK Overtime Work Hours per Week*

How many hours do you work overtime?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	None	55.4	58.5	54.8	59.8	61.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1-9 hour(s)	17.4	17.4	17.0	14.7	17.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	10-19 hours	10.6	9.2	9.4	9.2	9.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	20-29 hours	1.6	1.6	2.4	2.0	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	30-39 hours	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	More than 40 hours	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
999	No answer	14.4	12.8	15.5	13.7	10.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	1881	1698	1809	2132	1247	-	-	-	-	-	-
888	Not applicable												

* Not asked since 2006.

37-44. Days at Work *

What day(s) of the week do you usually work? Even if you work for just a few hours, that day should be included. (All those that apply should be circled.)

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
DOWKMON	Days at Work: Mon	-	-	-	73.0	73.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DOWKTUE	Days at Work: Tue	-	-	-	74.1	73.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DOWKWED	Days at Work: Wed	-	-	-	74.1	72.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DOWKTHU	Days at Work: Thu	-	-	-	74.0	73.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DOWKFRI	Days at Work: Fri	-	-	-	75.7	74.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DOWKSAT	Days at Work: Sat	-	-	-	37.3	38.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DOWKSUN	Days at Work: Sun	-	-	-	14.4	13.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DOWKVAR	Days at Work: Changes Every Week	-	-	-	19.1	18.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	2132	1247	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

* In the cumulative dataset, DOWNOMK (Nothing marked) being included in 2003 is recoded as "9 No answer."
2005 The variable for "Nothing marked" was not made out.

45. FQWKOFF Number of Consecutive Holidays per Year

How many times did you have four consecutive days-off in the last one year?

<u>Code</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Once	-	-	-	12.2	14.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Twice	-	-	-	17.1	19.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Three times	-	-	-	15.8	16.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Four or more times	-	-	-	23.6	20.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	None	-	-	-	30.8	28.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.5	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	2132	1247	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable											

46. XJOBREG Whether Has Contracted Work Hours

Are your working hours per week set by regulation or contract?

<u>Code</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Working hours are set	-	-	-	-	47.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Not set	-	-	-	-	51.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2630	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable											

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "Working hours are set" in 46. XJOBREG.

47. XJOBREGH Contracted Work Hours Per Week

If so, please answer the total set hours.

<u>Code</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
Actual number	1-9 hour(s)	-	-	-	-	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
	10-19 hours	-	-	-	-	3.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
	20-29 hours	-	-	-	-	10.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
	30-39 hours	-	-	-	-	16.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
	40-49 hours	-	-	-	-	62.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
	50-59 hours	-	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
	60-69 hours	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
	70-79 hours	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
	More than 80 hours	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
999	No answer	-	-	-	-	2.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	1252	-	-	-	-	-	-
888	Not applicable											

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "I worked last week", "I was going to work last week, but did not work due to illness or days off" in 33. XJOB1WK.

48. XJBSCH Scheduled Work Hours per Week

Normally, how long are you supposed to work per week? Please answer your scheduled work hours set by regulation or contract. If you are self-employed, please answer approximate work hours you set.

Code		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
Actual number	0 hour	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	1-9 hour(s)	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.6	2.5	3.4	2.8	3.0	3.6
	10-19 hours	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.3	7.6	7.4	7.0	6.3	6.9
	20-29 hours	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.4	11.3	10.2	11.1	9.9	10.3
	30-39 hours	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.5	14.5	14.8	15.1	14.9	17.5
	40-49 hours	-	-	-	-	-	-	49.7	49.7	50.4	52.0	55.8	50.9
	50-59 hours	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.0	5.5	4.1	4.4	3.9	4.1
	60-69 hours	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	3.0	3.2	1.9	1.5	2.1
	70-79 hours	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	0.7	1.3	1.2	0.4	1.3
	More than 80 hours	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.0	0.5
999	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.0	4.6	4.8	4.1	4.3	2.8
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2671	3076	2893	1289	464	1206
888	Not applicable												

49. DOCNTRCT Contract Period

What is the contract period of your current job?

code		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	There is no set contract period.	48.7	45.3	48.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	The contract states a limited term of employment.	10.3	11.2	12.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	There is no contract or agreement made with my employer.	23.2	23.3	21.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Don't know	1.6	1.6	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not applicable. (Self-employed, etc.)	15.9	18.3	16.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.3	0.3	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	1881	1698	1809	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "The contract states a limited term of employment" in 49. DOCNTRCT.

50. SZCNTRCT Length of Contract Period

How long is your contract period?

Code		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
Actual number	One month	1.0	0.5	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2 to 4 months	13.5	8.4	11.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	5 to 6 months	21.2	15.3	21.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	7 to 12 months	45.6	55.3	48.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1 to 3 year (s)	5.2	7.9	6.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	3 to 5 years	7.8	4.7	1.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	5 to 10 years	1.6	2.1	1.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	10 to 20 years	1.6	1.1	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	20 to 40 years	0.5	0.0	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9999	No answer	2.1	4.7	5.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	193	190	219	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8888	Not applicable												

51. SZCNTYR Length of Contract Period: Year

The frequency table for this variable is omitted.

52. SZCNTMO Length of Contract Period: Month

The frequency table for this variable is omitted.

53. TP12JOB Employment Status⁷

Which one of the following categories best describes your job?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Executive of a company or a corporation	4.5	6.7	6.7	6.5	7.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Regular employee with no managerial post	32.7	31.7	31.2	28.0	31.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Regular employee - Group leader, Foreman	3.3	3.9	4.1	3.3	4.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Regular employee - Sub-section Head	5.2	4.7	4.0	3.8	5.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Regular employee - Section Head, Manager	5.4	4.1	4.2	4.5	4.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Regular employee - Department Head, General Manager	2.4	4.2	2.1	1.6	2.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Regular employee - Other managerial post	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Regular employee - managerial status unknown	1.7	1.9	2.4	3.9	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	Temporary worker, Daily worker, Part-time temporary worker	20.7	20.3	21.8	23.1	21.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	Dispatched worker from temporary personnel agency	1.0	0.9	1.7	1.9	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	Self-employed	13.0	13.0	13.3	14.8	14.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
12	Family worker	6.3	5.4	4.5	5.5	6.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
13	Doing piecework at home	1.0	0.8	1.0	0.9	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14	Don't know	0.2	0.2	0.3	2.1	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	2.6	2.2	2.7	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	1881	1698	1809	2132	1247	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

88 Not applicable

*In 2005, the choice "7. Regular employee - Other managerial post" was added.

From 2006 to 2010, the respondents' employment status was asked in two questions: TPJOB (work arrangement) and TPJOBP (job title).

In 2012, the respondents' employment status was asked in three questions; TPJB (employment status), TPJBS (work arrangement) and TPJOBP (job title).

Codes for this question differ between the single-year data and cumulative data.

2000 Choices : "1. Executive of a company or a corporation", "2. Regular employee with no managerial post", "3. Regular employee - Group leader, Foreman", "4. Regular employee - Sub-section Head", "5. Regular employee - Section Head, Manager", "6. Regular employee - Department Head, General Manager", "7. Regular employee - managerial status unknown", "8. Temporary worker, Daily worker, Part-time temporary worker", "9. Dispatched worker from temporary personnel agency", "10. Self-employed", "11. Family worker", "12. Doing piecework at home", "13. Don't know".

2005 Choices added: "7. Regular employee - Other managerial post". The following choices 7-13 were moved down to 8-14.

2000-2010/2012 Same code integration as 2005.

2000-2015 Same code integration as 2005.

2000-2018 Same code integration as 2005.

54. TPJOB Work Arrangement

Which one of the following categories best describes your job?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Executive of a company or a corporation	-	-	-	-	-	7.1	6.2	5.8	-	-	-	-
2	Regular employee	-	-	-	-	-	50.2	52.0	49.3	-	-	-	-
3	Temporary worker	-	-	-	-	-	21.7	23.1	26.0	-	-	-	-
4	Dispatched worker from temporary personnel agency	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	2.1	2.1	-	-	-	-
5	Self-employed	-	-	-	-	-	13.7	11.8	11.9	-	-	-	-
6	Family worker	-	-	-	-	-	4.9	4.6	4.6	-	-	-	-
7	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.1	0.1	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.1	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2630	2671	3076	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "2. Regular employee" in 54. TPJOB.

55. TPJB Employment Relationship

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Employee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	78.3	80.2	81.5	78.7
2	Executive of a company or a corporation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.0	4.7	3.9	5.0
3	Self-employed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.1	11.9	9.9	12.2
4	Family worker	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.9	2.9	4.3	3.5
5	Doing piecework at home	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	0.2	0.2	0.7
6	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.0
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2893	1289	464	1206

8 Not applicable

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Employee" in 55. TPJB.

56. TPJBS Employment Status

Which of the following best describes your employment status?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Regular employee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	61.7	60.0	59.5	61.1
2	Part-time temporary worker	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.0	28.7	27.5	29.1
3	Dispatched worker from temporary personnel agency	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	3.1	2.9	2.0
4	Contract employee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.1	5.7	6.3	5.2
5	Non-regular employee (Shokutaku)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.3	2.4	2.9	2.4
6	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.2
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.1	0.8	0.0
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2265	1034	378	949
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "2. Regular employee" in 54. TPJOB.

57. TPJOB Job Title

Which of the following posts are you now appointed?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	No managerial post	-	-	-	-	-	63.5	62.2	64.3	62.4	62.4	62.2	65.2
2	Group leader, Foreman	-	-	-	-	-	7.0	8.4	8.8	7.5	8.9	9.8	8.8
3	Sub-section Head (or equivalent position) - kakaricho	-	-	-	-	-	11.1	11.1	9.6	10.2	12.6	11.1	12.8
4	Section Head, Manager (or equivalent position) - kacho	-	-	-	-	-	10.8	11.4	10.3	10.6	7.7	8.4	9.3
5	Department Head, General Manager (or equivalent position) - bucho	-	-	-	-	-	5.4	4.8	4.6	4.6	4.8	6.7	3.3
6	Other managerial post	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.9	1.1	0.5	0.2	0.0	0.0
7	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.3
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	0.8	0.8	4.0	3.4	1.8	0.3
	n	-	-	-	-	-	1320	1389	1517	1397	620	225	580
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "4. Dispatched worker from temporary personnel agency" in 54. TPJOB.

58. TPJBDP Dispatch of General Workers

Are you registered at a temporary personnel agency?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	80.4	75.4	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.6	23.1	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	1.5	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	56	65	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "3. Self-employed" in 54. TPJOB.

59. TPJBSE Having Employees

Do you hire employees (including part-time temporary workers) other than your family members?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.9	24.5	30.1	31.2	28.3	30.6
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	71.2	72.8	67.8	68.2	69.6	69.4
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	2.7	2.1	0.6	2.2	0.0
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	316	367	379	154	46	147
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. I worked last week", "2. I was going to work last week, but did not work due to illness or days off" in 33. XJOB1WK.

60. XXWPL Industry

What kind of business is your workplace (establishment such as factory, office, store or hospital) engaged in? Please give details (e.g., selling vegetables, manufacturing automobiles, operating an inn, operating a branch of a bank, etc.).

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
10	Agriculture	5.5	3.9	4.6	6.2	5.3	3.9	4.8	3.7	3.5	1.8	3.2	3.8
20	Forestry	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1
30	Fishing	1.0	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.6	0.3	0.2	0.5	0.2	0.2
40	Mining	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1
50	Construction	7.9	10.0	8.5	6.4	7.6	8.6	6.7	8.4	6.6	8.0	7.1	7.3
60	Manufacturing	22.3	21.6	20.6	21.6	18.1	19.9	20.2	18.1	19.3	19.8	18.1	20.6
70	Electricity, gas, heat and water supply	0.6	0.5	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.7	0.9	0.6	0.7	0.2	0.6	0.5
80	Logistics and Transportation	4.7	4.5	5.2	4.5	4.4	4.1	5.1	5.1	4.8	6.0	5.2	5.9
91	Wholesale trade	3.7	2.6	3.4	3.2	3.2	4.6	3.6	2.8	2.5	2.6	1.9	1.5
92	Retail trade	13.7	14.7	11.9	12.3	14.7	12.1	12.1	13.4	13.7	12.5	12.5	12.7
93	Food industry	3.8	4.1	4.2	4.0	4.2	4.0	4.2	4.2	4.2	3.3	3.9	2.2
100	Finance and insurance	2.8	3.1	3.4	2.9	2.3	3.5	2.4	3.1	3.1	3.0	2.4	2.3
110	Real estates	1.4	1.0	1.6	1.2	0.7	1.2	1.4	1.2	1.1	1.6	1.7	1.6
120	Newspapers, broadcasting, publishing, advertising and movie industry	1.0	0.8	0.8	0.7	1.1	1.0	1.0	0.9	0.7	0.3	0.9	0.8
130	Information and communication service industry	1.9	2.4	2.1	2.4	2.4	2.8	2.8	3.3	2.7	2.9	3.4	3.6
140	Medical and social welfare services	7.3	6.7	8.8	8.6	9.0	9.8	11.0	11.6	12.5	12.3	15.5	15.6
150	Education and research services	3.5	4.3	3.7	3.2	4.1	4.1	4.6	4.6	4.1	4.3	6.0	3.6
160	Legal and accounting services	0.6	0.5	0.7	0.5	1.4	0.4	1.0	0.6	0.8	0.5	2.4	0.7
170	Others services industry	13.4	14.9	14.3	16.2	16.4	14.9	12.6	13.9	14.3	14.1	10.8	12.0
180	Government	3.6	3.3	3.9	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.7	3.5	4.6	6.1	3.7	4.7
190	Other industries not elsewhere classified	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.6	0.2	0.2	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
999	No answer	0.8	0.6	0.9	0.9	0.6	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.8	0.2	0.4	0.1
	n	1881	1698	1809	2132	1247	2630	2671	3076	2893	1288	464	1206
998	Not applicable												

61. XXWPLE Industry (ISIC)*

What kind of business is your workplace (establishment such as factory, office, store or hospital) engaged in? Please give details (e.g., selling vegetables, manufacturing automobiles, operating an inn, operating a branch of a bank, etc.).

Below shows aggregate frequency distribution by tabulation category.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
	Agriculture, hunting and forestry	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Fishing	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Mining and quarrying	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Manufacturing	-	-	-	-	-	20.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Electricity, gas and water supply	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Construction	-	-	-	-	-	8.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Wholesale and retail trade	-	-	-	-	-	17.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Hotels and restaurants	-	-	-	-	-	4.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Transport, storage and communications	-	-	-	-	-	5.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Financial intermediation	-	-	-	-	-	4.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Real estate, renting and business activities	-	-	-	-	-	9.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Public administration and defence	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Education	-	-	-	-	-	4.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Health and social work	-	-	-	-	-	10.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Other community, social and personal service activities	-	-	-	-	-	6.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Private households with employed persons	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Extra-territorial organizations and bodies	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
999	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	1308	-	-	-	-	-	-
888	Not applicable												

* For the respondents of self-administered questionnaire B in 2006, the variable was made out using ISIC revision 3 classification.

62. XXJOB Occupation

What kind of job do you usually do? Please give details (e.g., elementary school teacher, cram-school teacher, farmer, bus driver, automobile mechanic, supermarket cashier, accounting clerk at a bank, computer programmer, clerical staff member for a sales department, on-the-road sales person of cosmetics, etc.).

The occupation Codes were classified and tabulated for convenience. For details of the classification categories, see Resources III, Occupation Code.

Code	2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Professionals	13.9	14.4	14.6	12.7	15.2	16.5	15.7	15.7	17.0	16.5	19.8	17.2
Managers	2.6	2.3	3.3	2.7	2.6	2.9	2.8	3.0	3.2	5.3	5.4	3.0
General office	26.2	22.1	25.2	25.5	24.2	26.3	24.4	26.0	25.7	25.9	22.8	23.7
Sales	13.3	18.7	14.4	14.0	17.6	13.9	15.2	15.1	15.0	14.6	13.4	14.8
Skilled	14.7	15.6	15.8	16.1	16.4	15.9	13.7	15.1	13.4	14.4	12.3	13.8
Semiskilled	13.0	12.8	12.4	12.6	10.1	11.4	12.9	11.5	12.4	11.3	12.5	11.6
Unskilled	8.0	6.9	7.4	8.3	6.0	7.4	8.1	7.9	8.3	8.8	8.8	10.9
Agricultural and forestry	6.3	4.7	4.9	6.8	6.1	4.5	5.5	3.9	3.8	2.6	3.9	4.1
Other industries not elsewhere classified	1.5	1.6	1.3	0.6	1.5	1.0	1.4	1.3	0.8	0.2	0.9	0.9
999 No answer	0.5	0.9	0.6	0.7	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.6	0.3	0.5	0.2	0.0
n	1881	1698	1809	2132	1247	2630	2671	3076	2893	1289	464	1206
998 Not applicable												

63. XXJOBE Occupation (ISCO)*

What kind of job do you usually do? Please give details (e.g., elementary school teacher, cram-school teacher, farmer, bus driver, automobile mechanic, supermarket cashier, accounting clerk at a bank, computer programmer, clerical staff member for a sales department, on-the-road sales person, etc.).

Code	2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Legislators, senior officials and managers	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	4.0	4.8	5.5	-	-	-
Professionals	-	-	-	-	-	9.6	8.9	9.4	11.8	-	-	-
Technicians and associate professionals	-	-	-	-	-	13.9	13.5	11.7	12.6	-	-	-
Clerks	-	-	-	-	-	21.9	20.9	21.4	22.1	-	-	-
Service workers and shop and market sales workers	-	-	-	-	-	15.5	16.2	16.1	17.6	-	-	-
Skilled agricultural and fishery workers	-	-	-	-	-	4.3	4.7	4.3	3.6	-	-	-
Craft and related trades workers	-	-	-	-	-	11.9	11.5	11.8	7.1	-	-	-
Plant and machine operators and assemblers	-	-	-	-	-	11.2	12.1	9.9	12.7	-	-	-
Elementary occupations	-	-	-	-	-	8.3	7.6	9.6	6.3	-	-	-
Armed forces	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.1	0.3	0.3	-	-	-
99999 No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.5	0.7	0.3	-	-	-
n	-	-	-	-	-	1308	1361	1506	1459	-	-	-
88888 Not applicable												

* This variable was made out based on ISCO-88 classification, for the respondents of self-administered questionnaire B from 2006 to 2012.

64. XXJE08 Occupational Classification (ISCO08)

What kind of job do you usually do? Please give details (e.g., elementary school teacher, cram-school teacher, farmer, bus driver, automobile mechanic, supermarket cashier, accounting clerk at a bank, computer programmer, clerical staff member for a sales department, on-the-road sales person, etc.).

Below is the aggregate frequency distribution by Major group.

Code	2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Managers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.9	5.0	2.8
Professionals	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.5	10.8	11.4
Technicians and associate professionals	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.9	16.8	13.7
Clerical support workers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.6	20.3	19.4
Service and sales workers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.9	17.2	19.8
Skilled agricultural, forestry and fishery workers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	2.4	4.0
Craft and related trades workers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.3	8.4	9.7
Plant and machine operators, and assemblers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.1	10.1	11.6
Elementary occupations	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.8	8.8	7.6
Armed forces occupations	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0
99999 No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	0.2	0.0
n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1289	464	1206
88888 Not applicable												

65. SZSTAF A Establishment Size

How many people work at your workplace (establishment, such as factory, office, store or hospital)? Please make sure to include family workers, non-regular employees and yourself. For an independent establishment, ask the size of the entire company.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1	6.4	6.4	6.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	2-4	18.9	18.2	18.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	5-9	10.8	11.9	12.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	10-29	20.8	21.1	19.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	30-99	21.1	20.4	18.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	100-299	10.4	10.3	11.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	300-499	3.1	2.5	3.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	500-999	2.2	3.1	2.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	1,000-1,999	1.9	1.2	1.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	2,000-9,999	1.6	1.6	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	10,000 or over	0.6	0.9	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
12	Don't know	1.7	1.6	2.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	0.2	0.7	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	1881	1698	1809	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

66. SZWNSTF Percentage of Female in Establishment

What is the percentage of female employees at your workplace (establishment, such as factory, office, store or hospital)?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	0%	9.3	10.1	9.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	1- 10%	19.3	17.7	17.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	11 - 20%	7.2	8.1	7.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	21 - 30%	7.1	8.1	9.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	31 - 40%	7.7	6.4	6.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	41 - 50%	11.8	11.7	10.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	51 - 60%	6.6	7.1	6.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	61 - 70%	6.3	6.5	7.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	71 - 80%	6.0	6.0	6.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	81 - 90%	6.3	6.1	5.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	91 - 100%	10.2	8.7	8.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
12	Don't know	1.5	2.4	2.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	0.9	1.1	1.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	1881	1698	1809	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

67. TP4WPLA Category of Establishment*

Which category below does your workplace belong to?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018	
1	Government agency	9.0	7.7	8.1	9.3	9.9	8.2	8.7	8.6	9.5	10.0	10.1	8.6	
2	Independent establishment (No branch offices, factories or stores exist.)	48.8	49.8	48.3	47.9	49.3	44.8	44.5	44.0	41.7	39.7	42.0	41.5	
3	Branch establishment (Headquarters or main store exists in another place.)	27.8	25.0	27.0	27.0	25.1	26.9	29.4	30.0	30.5	33.0	31.5	31.4	
4	Headquarters or main establishment (Branch offices, factories or stores exist in other places.)	11.7	14.8	13.7	12.9	13.9	15.3	13.7	14.7	14.4	15.0	14.2	15.6	
5	Don't know	2.7	2.2	2.5	2.6	1.4	1.9	2.2	1.5	2.0	1.3	0.9	2.3	
9	No answer	0.1	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.5	2.8	1.4	1.2	1.8	1.0	1.3	0.6	
		n	1881	1698	1809	2132	1247	2630	2671	3076	2893	1289	464	1206
8	Not applicable													

*The wording for this question in Japanese differs depending on the survey year.

Following question was asked to respondents who answered “3. Branch establishment (Headquarters or main store exists in another place.)”, “4. Headquarters or main establishment (Branch offices, factories or stores exist in other places.)” in 67. TP4WPLA.

68. XXWPHQ Industry of Headquarters/Main Establishment

What kind of business is the headquarters/main establishment engaged in? Please give details.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
10	Agriculture	0.3	0.1	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
30	Fishing	0.1	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
40	Mining	0.0	0.0	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
50	Construction	5.4	5.3	5.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
60	Manufacturing	26.6	30.8	27.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
70	Electricity, gas, heat and water supply	1.3	0.9	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
80	Logistics and Transportation	7.1	7.1	8.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
91	Wholesale trade	7.3	5.0	5.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
92	Retail trade	17.6	17.2	16.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
93	Food industry	3.2	3.1	3.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
100	Finance and insurance	7.0	6.5	6.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
110	Real estates	1.3	0.6	2.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
120	Newspapers, broadcasting, publishing, advertising and movie industry	2.2	1.0	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
130	Information and communication service industry	3.1	3.3	2.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
140	Medical and social welfare services	1.6	4.0	3.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
150	Education and research services	0.1	0.6	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
160	Legal and accounting services	0.0	0.1	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
170	Others services industry	12.5	12.0	13.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
180	Government	0.5	0.6	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
999	No answer	2.7	1.6	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	744	675	736	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
998	Not applicable												

69. SZTTLSTA Corporation Size*

How many people work in the entire corporation or organization where you work? Please answer the entire number of people in the corporation or organization. Also, please make sure to include all the working people such as family workers, non-regular employees, and yourself.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1	5.5	6.2	6.0	6.1	5.6	4.7	4.9	5.0	5.2	5.1	4.7	4.3
2	2-4	15.5	15.5	15.6	17.7	18.8	15.4	14.5	13.3	12.4	10.4	11.2	12.4
3	5-9	8.1	8.7	8.6	7.6	10.3	8.9	8.0	7.9	7.8	7.6	8.4	8.5
4	10-29	12.2	12.7	10.5	13.2	13.5	14.0	13.3	14.1	12.1	11.8	9.1	12.6
5	30-99	11.9	12.7	10.4	12.0	10.4	11.9	12.9	13.0	13.5	12.4	12.9	12.7
6	100-299	8.4	8.1	9.6	9.0	8.5	9.4	10.7	9.9	10.0	10.0	10.3	10.0
7	300-499	4.2	3.3	4.4	3.4	2.7	4.1	3.8	4.4	5.2	4.7	4.5	5.1
8	500-999	3.9	4.2	4.1	3.8	4.7	4.6	4.4	4.1	4.3	4.9	5.0	5.1
9	1,000-1,999	2.6	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.7	2.7	4.1	4.0	4.0	5.7	4.7	4.4
10	2,000-9,999	5.9	4.5	5.1	4.8	4.1	5.9	4.6	5.1	5.8	6.3	7.1	4.6
11	10,000 or over	3.7	4.7	4.5	2.6	4.1	4.2	4.6	4.6	4.6	5.4	5.2	7.2
12	Government agency	9.2	7.9	8.3	9.4	9.9	8.2	8.7	8.6	9.5	10.0	10.1	8.6
13	Don't know	7.4	7.3	8.4	6.0	3.4	5.1	4.9	5.3	5.0	5.5	6.5	4.5
99	No answer	1.5	0.5	0.7	0.7	0.3	1.0	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.2	0.2	0.2
	n	1830	1651	1755	2128	1247	2630	2671	3076	2893	1289	464	1206

88 Not applicable

* The wording and the choices for this question differs depending on the survey year.

The target ranges of this variable differ according to the survey year.

The contents of this variable differ between the single-year data and cumulative data.

2000 Target range: Respondents whose workplace were Government agencies or independent office (classified under TP4WPLA) were excluded.

2003 Target range changed: Respondents whose workplace was Independent office were included (government agencies remain excluded).

2005 Choice added: “12. Government agency” was added. The choice 12 in the previous survey years was moved down to 13.

Target range changed: Respondents whose workplace were Government agencies were included.

2000-2010/2012 Codes integrated: When merging the single-year data, for survey years 2000-2002, the information from SZSTAF A (Establishment Size) was used to determine whether respondents' workplace were independent establishment. Hence the codes for this variable in the cumulative data differ from those in the single year data.

Codes changed: “5. Don't know” and “9 No answer” in TP4WPLA (Category of Establishment) in 2000-2002 were recoded as “88. Not applicable.” “9 No answer” in TP4WPLA (Category of Establishment) in 2003 was recoded as “88. Not applicable”.

2000-2015 Codes integrated: Same as 2000-2010/2012

Variable label changed: “Corporation Size” → “Corporation Size merged”

2000-2018 Codes integrated: Same as 2000-2015

Following question was asked to respondents who answered “3. Branch establishment (Headquarters or main store exists in another place.)”, “4. Headquarters or main establishment (Branch offices, factories or stores exist in other places.)” in 67. TP4WPLA.

70. SZTTLSTA_00 Corporation Size_2000'

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	2-4	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	5-9	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	10-29	5.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	30-99	9.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	100-299	15.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	300-499	8.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	500-999	8.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	1,000-1,999	5.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	2,000-9,999	14.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	10,000 or over	9.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
12	Don't know	17.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	3.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		744	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

88 Not applicable

* It is a new variable made out for the cumulative data 2000-2010. The values are same as those in 2000 dataset.

2000 Target range: Excluding the case of government agency and independent office.

Following question was asked to respondents who answered “3. Branch establishment (Headquarters or main store exists in another place.)”, “4. Headquarters or main establishment (Branch offices, factories or stores exist in other places.)” in 67. TP4WPLA.

71. SZTTLSTA_01 Corporation Size_2001'

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	2-4	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	5-9	-	1.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	10-29	-	6.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	30-99	-	13.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	100-299	-	13.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	300-499	-	6.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	500-999	-	8.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	1,000-1,999	-	9.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	2,000-9,999	-	10.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	10,000 or over	-	11.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
12	Don't know	-	17.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	1.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	675	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

88 Not applicable

* It is a new variable created for the cumulative dataset 2000-2010. The variable values are same as 2001 dataset.

2001 same as 2000.

Following question was asked to respondents who answered “3. Branch establishment (Headquarters or main store exists in another place.)” and “4. Headquarters or main establishment (Branch offices, factories or stores exist in other places.)” in 67. TP4WPLA.

72. SZTTLSTA_02 Corporation Size_2002'

code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	2-4	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	5-9	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	10-29	-	-	5.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	30-99	-	-	9.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	100-299	-	-	16.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	300-499	-	-	8.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	500-999	-	-	8.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	1,000-1,999	-	-	8.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	2,000-9,999	-	-	12.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	10,000 or over	-	-	10.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
12	Don't know	-	-	18.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	736	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

88 Not applicable

* It is a new variable created for the cumulative dataset 2000-2010. The variable values are same as 2002.

2002 same as 2000.

Following question was asked to respondents who answered “3. Branch establishment (Headquarters or main store exists in another place.)”, “4. Headquarters or main establishment (Branch offices, factories or stores exist in other places.)” in 67. TP4WPLA.

73. SZTTLSTA_03 Corporation Size_2003*

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1	-	-	-	6.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	2-4	-	-	-	19.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	5-9	-	-	-	8.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	10-29	-	-	-	14.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	30-99	-	-	-	13.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	100-299	-	-	-	10.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	300-499	-	-	-	3.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	500-999	-	-	-	4.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	1,000-1,999	-	-	-	4.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	2,000-9,999	-	-	-	5.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	10,000 or over	-	-	-	2.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
12	Don't know	-	-	-	6.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	1929	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

88 Not applicable

* It is a new variable created for the cumulative data 2000-2010. The variable values are same as 2003.

2003 Target range changed: Government agencies are excluded.

Following question was asked to respondents who answered “1. I worked last week”, “2. I was going to work last week, but did not work due to illness or days off” in 33. XJOB1WK

74. SZTTLSTA_05 Corporation Size_2005*

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1	-	-	-	-	5.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	2-4	-	-	-	-	18.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	5-9	-	-	-	-	10.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	10-29	-	-	-	-	13.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	30-99	-	-	-	-	10.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	100-299	-	-	-	-	8.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	300-499	-	-	-	-	2.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	500-999	-	-	-	-	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	1,000-1,999	-	-	-	-	3.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	2,000-9,999	-	-	-	-	4.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	10,000 or over	-	-	-	-	4.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
12	Government agency	-	-	-	-	9.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
13	Don't know	-	-	-	-	3.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	1247	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

88 Not applicable

* It is a new variable created for the cumulative data 2000-2010. The variable values are same as 2005.

2005 Target range: Government agencies are included.

Choices added : "12. Government agency" was added. The following choice "12 Government agency" are moved down to 13.

75. SZTTLSTA_06 Corporation Size_2006*

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1	-	-	-	-	-	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	2-4	-	-	-	-	-	15.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	5-9	-	-	-	-	-	8.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	10-29	-	-	-	-	-	14.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	30-99	-	-	-	-	-	11.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	100-299	-	-	-	-	-	9.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	300-499	-	-	-	-	-	4.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	500-999	-	-	-	-	-	4.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	1,000-1,999	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	2,000-9,999	-	-	-	-	-	5.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	10,000 or over	-	-	-	-	-	4.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
12	Government agency	-	-	-	-	-	8.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
13	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	5.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	2630	-	-	-	-	-	-

88 Not applicable

*It is a new variable created for the cumulative data 2000-2010. The variable values are same as 2006.

76. SZTTLSTA_08 Corporation Size_2008⁷

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.9	-	-	-	-	-
2	2-4	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.5	-	-	-	-	-
3	5-9	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.0	-	-	-	-	-
4	10-29	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.3	-	-	-	-	-
5	30-99	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.9	-	-	-	-	-
6	100-299	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.7	-	-	-	-	-
7	300-499	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	-	-	-	-	-
8	500-999	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.4	-	-	-	-	-
9	1,000-1,999	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.1	-	-	-	-	-
10	2,000-9,999	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.6	-	-	-	-	-
11	10,000 or over	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.6	-	-	-	-	-
12	Government agency	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.7	-	-	-	-	-
13	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.9	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2671	-	-	-	-	-

88 Not applicable

* It is a new variable created for the cumulative data 2000-2010. The variable values are same as 2008.

2008 Same as 2006.

77. SZTTLSTA_10 Corporation Size_2010⁷

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.0	-	-	-	-
2	2-4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.3	-	-	-	-
3	5-9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.9	-	-	-	-
4	10-29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.1	-	-	-	-
5	30-99	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.0	-	-	-	-
6	100-299	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.9	-	-	-	-
7	300-499	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.4	-	-	-	-
8	500-999	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.1	-	-	-	-
9	1,000-1,999	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.0	-	-	-	-
10	2,000-9,999	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.1	-	-	-	-
11	10,000 or over	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.6	-	-	-	-
12	Government agency	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.6	-	-	-	-
13	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.3	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3076	-	-	-	-

88 Not applicable

* It is a new variable created for the cumulative data 2000-2010. The variable values are same as 2010.

2010 Same as 2006.

78. SZTTLSTA_12 Corporation Size_2012⁷

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.2	-	-	-
2	2-4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.4	-	-	-
3	5-9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.8	-	-	-
4	10-29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.1	-	-	-
5	30-99	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.5	-	-	-
6	100-299	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.0	-	-	-
7	300-499	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.2	-	-	-
8	500-999	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.3	-	-	-
9	1,000-1,999	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.0	-	-	-
10	2,000-9,999	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.8	-	-	-
11	10,000 or over	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.6	-	-	-
12	Government agency	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.5	-	-	-
13	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.0	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2893	-	-	-

88 Not applicable

* It is a new variable created for the cumulative data 2000-2012. The variable values are same as 2012.

2012 Same as 2006.

79. SZTTLSTA_15 Corporation Size_2015⁷

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.1	-	-
2	2-4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.4	-	-
3	5-9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.6	-	-
4	10-29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.8	-	-
5	30-99	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.4	-	-
6	100-299	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.0	-	-
7	300-499	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.7	-	-
8	500-999	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.9	-	-
9	1,000-1,999	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.7	-	-
10	2,000-9,999	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.3	-	-
11	10,000 or over	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.4	-	-
12	Government agency	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.0	-	-
13	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.5	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1289	-	-

88 Not applicable

* It is a new variable created for the cumulative data 2000-2015. The variable values are same as 2015.

2015 Same as 2006.

80. SZTTLSTA_17 Corporation Size_2017⁷

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.7	-
2	2-4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.2	-
3	5-9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.4	-
4	10-29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.1	-
5	30-99	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.9	-
6	100-299	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.3	-
7	300-499	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.5	-
8	500-999	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.0	-
9	1,000-1,999	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.7	-
10	2,000-9,999	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.1	-
11	10,000 or over	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.2	-
12	Government agency	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.1	-
13	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.5	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	464	-

88 Not applicable

* It is a new variable created for the cumulative data 2000-2018. The variable values are same as 2015.

2015 Same as 2006.

81. SZTTLSTA_18 Corporation Size_2018⁷

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.3
2	2-4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.4
3	5-9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.5
4	10-29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.6
5	30-99	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.7
6	100-299	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.0
7	300-499	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.1
8	500-999	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.1
9	1,000-1,999	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.4
10	2,000-9,999	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.6
11	10,000 or over	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.2
12	Government agency	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.6
13	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.5
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1206

88 Not applicable

* It is a new variable created for the cumulative data 2000-2018. The variable values are same as 2015.

2015 Same as 2006.

82. XJOBYR Years at Work*

How many years have you been working for the corporation or organization you currently work at? If you are self-employed, give the number of years self-employed.

Code		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
Actual number	For less than 1 year	7.7	6.7	6.5	7.3	7.9	8.0	7.2	5.3	5.8	6.7	7.8	5.6
	For 1-4 years	23.2	23.2	25.0	24.1	21.7	23.4	24.7	26.0	23.4	25.2	25.4	23.8
	For 5-9 years	17.1	16.7	15.9	16.7	15.3	16.8	17.4	18.9	18.8	19.4	14.9	17.3
	For 10-19 years	21.7	20.8	20.5	21.4	21.0	21.0	20.1	20.7	22.0	21.2	24.8	23.5
	For 20-29 years	15.2	15.1	15.6	12.0	14.2	12.9	13.3	12.9	13.3	12.8	14.7	14.0
	For more than 30 years	14.5	16.3	15.7	18.0	18.6	17.5	16.7	15.5	16.2	14.4	12.5	15.7
999	No answer	0.6	1.1	0.9	0.5	1.3	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.0	0.2
	n	1881	1698	1809	2132	1247	2630	2671	3076	2893	1289	464	1206

888 Not applicable

*The wording for this question in Japanese differs depending on the survey year.

83. JOINUNI Joining Labor Union*

Do you belong to a labor union? Choose from below.

Code		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	I am a member of a labor union at my workplace.	18.6	18.9	16.4	16.9	16.4	16.0	17.2	17.8	20.3	20.1	23.5	20.9
2	I am a member of a labor union outside of my workplace.	2.6	2.9	1.5	1.4	1.4	2.1	1.8	2.4	1.2	1.8	1.5	2.1
3	I am not a member of any labor union.	73.3	73.3	79.9	80.0	77.3	79.4	78.4	77.7	75.9	74.9	72.0	74.3
4	Don't know	-	-	1.6	1.3	-	2.2	1.9	1.7	2.1	2.6	1.1	2.6
9	No answer	5.5	4.9	0.5	0.4	4.9	0.3	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.5	1.9	0.2
	n	1881	1698	1809	2132	1247	2630	2671	3076	2893	1289	464	1206

8 Not applicable

* The choice "Don't know" differs depending on the survey year.

2002 Choices added: "4 Don't know"

2005 Choices removed: "4 Don't know"

2006 Choices added: "4 Don't know"

84. DOUNION Labor Union at the Work Place*

Is there any labor union at the place you work?

Code		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Yes	29.5	28.3	-	-	28.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	57.1	58.7	-	-	66.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Don't know	6.2	6.0	-	-	5.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	7.3	7.0	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	1881	1698	-	-	1247	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

* The wording for the choice in this question differs depending on the survey year.

2005 The wording for the choice in this question changed: "1. Yes, there is a labor union → Yes", "2. No, there is no labor union. → No".

85. XTRG1YR Received Training

Have you received training of any kind that seemed to be useful for your job in the past year?

Code		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Yes	35.0	33.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	65.0	65.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.1	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	1881	1698	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Yes" in 85. XTRG1YR.

86. WHPAYTRG Coverage of Training Cost

Who paid the education or training fee? If you received training more than once, answer for the majority of them

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Mainly, the employer paid for it.	72.2	74.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Mainly, I paid for it.	13.2	14.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Mainly, it was covered by public funds, such as government money.	10.9	8.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Other	3.2	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.5	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	658	576	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

87. SZTRGA Period of Training

How long was the total period of such training? If you received training more than once, please estimate the total duration.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Less than 1 week	64.1	64.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	About 2 weeks	12.6	15.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	About 3 weeks	3.6	3.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	About 1 month	5.2	5.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	More than 1 month, up to 3 months (Including 3 months)	4.9	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	More than 3 months, up to 6 months (Including 6 months)	3.6	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	More than 6 months	5.8	4.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.2	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	658	576	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

88. DOBOSS Having a Supervisor

Do you have a supervisor on the job to whom you are directly responsible at your job?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	77.0	76.4	76.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	22.3	23.1	22.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Don't know	0.5	0.2	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.2	0.2	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	1881	1698	1809	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Yes" in 88. DOBOSS.

89. BSDOBOSS Supervising Your Supervisor

Does that person have a supervisor on the job to whom he/she is directly responsible at the job?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	76.4	76.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	21.7	22.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Don't know	1.2	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.6	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	1449	1297	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

90. DOSTAFF Supervising Anyone

In your job, do you supervise anyone who is directly responsible to you?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	36.8	37.5	35.5	39.3	37.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	62.3	62.2	63.5	60.2	61.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Don't know	0.5	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.5	0.2	0.6	0.3	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	1881	1698	1809	2132	1247	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Yes" in 90. DOSTAFF.

91. STFDOSTF Supervising Anyone Whom You Supervise

Do any of those persons supervise anyone else?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	42.3	47.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	56.4	52.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Don't know	0.7	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.6	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		692	636	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

92. OP4UNEMP Possibility of Losing Your Job *

Thinking about the next 12 months, how likely do you think it is that you will lose your job or be laid off?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very likely	3.6	4.0	3.6	4.5	1.7	4.6	2.6	3.2	3.0	2.6	2.2	2.3
2	Fairly likely	11.3	14.3	15.6	13.2	11.2	11.2	11.7	12.4	11.2	10.2	9.3	7.0
3	Not too likely	27.4	26.7	27.4	25.8	28.6	30.2	30.0	33.4	30.2	29.8	33.6	29.4
4	Not at all likely	46.7	41.1	44.4	48.4	50.2	32.0	49.6	45.7	51.1	53.6	53.0	58.0
5	Don't know	10.0	11.0	8.8	8.0	8.0	19.0	6.0	5.3	4.3	3.6	1.9	3.2
9	No answer	0.9	2.9	0.2	0.1	0.2	3.0	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.0
n		1881	1698	1809	2132	1247	1320	2671	3076	2893	1289	464	1206
8	Not applicable												

* In 2006, this question was asked in self-administered questionnaire A. In other survey years, the question was asked in face-to-face interview.

93. OP3NEWJB Degree of Ease of Finding the Similar Job *

If you lose your current job, about how easy would it be for you to find a new job with another employer with approximately the same income and fringe benefits you now have?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very easy	4.9	4.1	4.8	5.5	4.5	3.0	5.2	4.6	4.8	6.8	5.0	8.1
2	Somewhat easy	18.9	16.3	19.0	14.6	20.6	14.1	20.6	16.8	19.1	24.3	25.4	26.4
3	Not easy at all	66.5	70.6	66.5	71.2	66.5	64.5	67.2	72.2	70.0	63.1	64.2	59.4
4	Don't know	9.5	8.8	9.3	8.4	8.0	15.6	6.7	6.2	5.9	5.5	5.2	6.1
9	No answer	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.1	0.4	2.9	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.0
n		1881	1698	1809	2132	1247	1320	2671	3076	2893	1289	464	1206
8	Not applicable												

* In 2006, this question was asked in self-administered questionnaire A. In other survey years, the question was asked in face-to-face interview.

94. ST5JOB Satisfaction with Your Job*

On the whole, how satisfied are you with the (main) job you have?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Satisfied	20.1	22.0	20.6	24.5	26.7	26.4	26.1	26.4	30.0	29.3	26.9	31.0
2	Somewhat satisfied	42.5	42.5	43.8	38.7	39.1	38.7	39.6	40.0	40.8	41.1	46.3	44.3
3	Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	25.1	22.0	23.7	23.9	23.2	23.2	24.1	23.4	21.1	22.2	21.1	17.2
4	Somewhat dissatisfied	8.8	10.4	9.1	9.1	7.9	8.3	7.1	7.4	5.8	5.4	4.1	5.9
5	Dissatisfied	3.0	2.8	2.2	3.3	2.7	3.1	2.9	2.7	2.3	1.9	1.5	1.6
6	Don't know	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
9	No answer	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.0
n		1881	1698	1809	2132	1247	2630	2671	3076	2893	1289	464	1206
8	Not applicable												

*The wording for this question in Japanese differs depending on the survey year.

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "4. Mainly engaged in housework" in 110. TP5UNEMP.

95. ST5HSWK Satisfaction with Doing Housework

If you were to consider that your housekeeping work was "your occupation," how satisfied are you with your present housekeeping work?

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Satisfied	22.3	23.4	22.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat satisfied	40.5	38.8	40.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	29.3	27.5	27.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Somewhat dissatisfied	5.4	7.0	6.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Dissatisfied	1.7	2.6	1.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Don't know	0.2	0.2	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.7	0.5	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	588	657	663	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

96. WLKEEPJA Intention to Keep Working in Present Workplace

Are you considering quitting your current job (your business)?

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	
1	I am considering quitting in the near future.	7.1	6.2	6.4	7.2	7.1	8.7	7.7	6.9	7.6	8.6	7.8	9.7	
2	I am not considering quitting (now).	39.1	36.5	37.4	35.4	43.0	45.8	41.1	42.9	41.4	42.6	42.9	43.9	
3	I am not considering quitting at all.	49.9	53.7	51.6	53.6	45.7	29.3	48.4	47.6	48.7	46.8	47.0	45.0	
4	Don't know	3.7	3.4	4.5	3.6	3.8	13.4	2.6	2.5	2.3	1.9	2.4	1.4	
9	No answer	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.5	2.7	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	
		n	1881	1698	1809	2132	1247	1320	2671	3076	2893	1289	464	1206
8	Not applicable													

* In 2006, this question was asked in self-administered questionnaire A. In other survey years, the question was asked in face-to-face interview.

97. WLSTOPWK Intention to Keep Working

If you were to get enough money to live as comfortably as you would like for the rest of your life, would you continue to work or would you stop working?

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Continue to work	66.0	63.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Stop working	22.6	25.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Don't know	11.2	11.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.3	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	1881	1698	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

98. SZINCOMX Respondent Annual Income: Main Job *

(Only for respondents who are working) How much did you earn only from your main job last year?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	None	2.6	1.6	1.5	1.7	1.8	1.8	0.8	0.1	0.7	1.2	0.4	0.8
2	Less than 700,000 yen	7.7	8.3	8.0	8.9	8.5	6.5	8.6	8.8	9.2	7.7	7.1	7.2
3	700,000 yen - 1 million yen	8.2	8.9	9.2	9.3	8.6	7.9	7.7	8.6	8.5	7.8	6.9	8.1
4	1 million yen - 1.3 million yen	5.6	4.3	6.0	6.9	5.9	5.4	5.2	6.4	7.0	7.8	8.0	4.8
5	1.3 million yen - 1.5 million yen	3.1	2.2	3.3	3.4	2.6	3.5	3.2	3.7	3.9	5.0	2.6	5.2
6	1.5 million yen - 2.5 million yen	9.0	9.1	11.2	10.3	9.7	10.8	11.2	10.4	11.6	11.1	11.0	12.9
7	2.5 million yen - 3.5 million yen	12.7	12.4	10.7	11.3	10.1	11.1	11.8	11.3	11.3	10.6	12.3	12.8
8	3.5 million yen - 4.5 million yen	10.9	10.1	9.6	9.2	8.6	9.2	8.3	9.2	9.7	11.0	9.7	10.3
9	4.5 million yen - 5.5 million yen	7.5	7.2	7.8	6.8	7.5	7.2	7.6	6.7	6.6	7.2	6.7	7.1
10	5.5 million yen - 6.5 million yen	5.2	5.5	5.7	6.1	5.0	5.2	4.6	5.2	5.9	5.7	5.6	6.3
11	6.5 million yen - 7.5 million yen	4.0	4.5	5.0	3.8	4.3	3.7	3.1	3.5	3.9	3.7	5.0	3.2
12	7.5 million yen - 8.5 million yen	4.0	4.1	3.2	3.0	3.3	4.0	2.8	2.7	2.4	2.6	2.8	3.2
13	8.5 million yen - 10 million yen	3.4	3.6	3.0	3.3	3.3	2.5	2.8	2.0	2.2	2.2	1.5	2.3
14	10 million yen - 12 million yen	2.2	2.1	2.2	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.8	1.3	1.0	0.5	1.7	1.7
15	12 million yen - 14 million yen	0.5	0.6	0.9	0.7	0.6	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.6	0.4	0.4
16	14 million yen - 16 million yen	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.3	0.0	0.2
17	16 million yen - 18.5 million yen	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.0
18	18.5 million yen - 23 million yen	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1
19	23 million yen or over	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.6	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.2
20	Don't want to state the income	7.8	8.6	7.4	8.4	13.0	12.7	12.6	11.2	10.1	9.7	13.1	10.6
21	Don't know	4.1	4.5	4.1	4.7	4.9	3.2	2.5	2.1	1.7	1.6	1.1	1.7
99	No answer	0.4	0.8	0.2	0.1	0.2	2.9	4.0	5.7	3.1	2.9	3.9	0.8
	n	1881	1698	1809	2132	1247	2630	2671	3076	2893	1289	464	1206

88 Not applicable

* Variable labels, question format and the wording for this question differ depending on the survey year.

Codes for this question differ between the single year data and cumulative data.

2006 Wording for the question changed: "last year" → "last one year"

2005 Variable label changed: "respondent annual income" → "respondent annual income: main job"

Choices added: Code "23. Don't work" in 2006 corresponds to "88 Not applicable" up through 2005.

2000-2010/2012 Codes integrated: "23. Don't work" included in the survey years from 2006 was recoded as "88. Not applicable."

2000-2015 Codes integrated: Same as 2000-2010/2012

2000-2018 Codes integrated: Same as 2000-2010

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "19. 23 million yen or over" in 98. SZINCOMX.

99. SZHINCX Annual income of the respondent: 23 million yen or over(Please give details).

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	23 million yen	33.3	16.7	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	30 million yen	33.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	35 million yen	0.0	16.7	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	130 million yen	0.0	16.7	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
999999	No answer	33.3	50.0	100.0	100.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	3	6	2	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

888888 Not applicable

100. SZINCOMA Respondent Annual Income: Overall

How much did you earn last year? Include income from sources other than your jobs.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	None	-	-	-	-	-	11.6	8.9	9.1	8.9	8.9	7.0	7.5
2	Less than 700,000 yen	-	-	-	-	-	7.2	8.3	8.5	9.7	7.7	7.9	6.6
3	700,000 yen - 1 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	8.4	8.7	9.5	8.7	9.4	8.7	9.8
4	1 million yen - 1.3 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	5.5	6.4	6.2	7.6	7.8	8.5	5.9
5	1.3 million yen - 1.5 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	3.9	4.1	4.1	4.1	5.1	4.3	5.7
6	1.5 million yen - 2.5 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	11.1	11.8	12.0	12.6	13.2	12.6	14.2
7	2.5 million yen - 3.5 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	10.8	10.9	11.5	11.1	10.6	11.2	12.5
8	3.5 million yen - 4.5 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	6.8	7.0	7.2	7.2	8.5	7.9	7.7
9	4.5 million yen - 5.5 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	5.2	5.5	4.9	4.9	5.1	4.8	5.2
10	5.5 million yen - 6.5 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	3.2	3.6	4.0	3.7	4.0	4.6
11	6.5 million yen - 7.5 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	2.1	2.4	2.6	2.5	3.4	2.3
12	7.5 million yen - 8.5 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	2.0	1.9	1.8	1.7	1.7	2.2
13	8.5 million yen - 10 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	2.0	1.3	1.5	1.5	0.9	1.6
14	10 million yen - 12 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	1.2	0.8	0.8	0.5	1.1	1.1
15	12 million yen - 14 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3
16	14 million yen - 16 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2
17	16 million yen - 18.5 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0
18	18.5 million yen - 23 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.1
19	23 million yen or over	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.2
20	Don't want to state the income	-	-	-	-	-	10.6	11.4	10.0	8.7	8.6	12.0	9.9
21	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	3.9	2.4	2.6	2.1	1.9	2.0	2.1
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	3.2	3.7	3.0	2.3	1.2	0.2
	n	-	-	-	-	-	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

101. TP5PAY Mode of Wage Payment

How is your main income determined? Choose one from below.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Hourly wage	17.0	14.4	18.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Daily wage	6.8	6.5	6.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Weekly wage	0.1	0.2	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Monthly wage	54.3	56.2	54.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Yearly wage	3.2	5.1	4.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Other payment form	10.2	8.6	9.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Don't know	6.3	6.7	5.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	2.1	2.2	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	1881	1698	1809	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Hourly wage" in 101. TP5PAY.

102. SZPAYHRX Hourly Wage

Please state how it is paid and the approximate amount of payment (before taxes and other deductions). Do not include payment for overtime work.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	Less than 700 yen	14.1	10.6	9.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	700-800 yen	45.5	42.4	43.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	800-900yen	15.4	18.4	16.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	900-1,000yen	10.3	11.8	10.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1,000-2,000 yen	10.0	9.4	13.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2,000-3,000 yen	0.3	1.2	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	3,000 yen and over	0.3	1.2	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
999999	No answer	4.1	4.9	4.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	319	245	326	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
888888	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "2. Daily wage" in 101. TP5PAY.

103. SZPAYDYX Daily Wage

Please state how it is paid and the approximate amount of payment (before taxes and other deductions). Do not include payment for overtime work.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	5,000 yen	2.3	5.4	6.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	5,000-6,000 yen	13.3	8.1	7.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	6,000-7,000 yen	9.4	11.7	11.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	7,000-8,000 yen	10.2	9.0	8.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	8,000-9,000 yen	12.5	9.9	12.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	9,000-10,000 yen	6.3	8.1	5.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	10,000 yen and over	39.8	42.3	39.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9999999	No answer	6.3	5.4	8.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	128	111	113	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8888888	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "3. Weekly Wage" in 101. TP5PAY.

104. SZPAYWKX Weekly Wage

Please state how it is paid and the approximate amount of payment (before taxes and other deductions). Do not include payment for overtime work.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	10,000 yen	0.0	50.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	15,000 yen	0.0	25.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	18,500 yen	0.0	25.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	25,000 yen	100	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	45,000 yen	0.0	0.0	33.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	50,000 yen	0.0	0.0	33.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	70,000 yen	0.0	0.0	33.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9999999	No answer	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	1	4	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8888888	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "4. Monthly Wage" in 101. TP5PAY.

105. SZPAYMOX Monthly Wage

Please state how it is paid and the approximate amount of payment (before taxes and other deductions). Do not include payment for overtime work.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	Less than 100,000 Yen	4.9	5.6	5.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	100,000 – 200,000 Yen	18.5	17.3	18.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	200,000 – 300,000 Yen	26.4	26.6	24.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	300,000 – 400,000 Yen	20.3	17.7	18.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	400,000 – 500,000 Yen	11.1	11.2	11.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	500,000 – 600,000 Yen	6.2	7.4	6.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	600,000 – 700,000 Yen	2.9	2.8	2.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	700,000 – 800,000 Yen	1.5	1.0	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	800,000 – 900,000 Yen	0.7	0.9	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	900,000 – 1,000,000 Yen	0.4	0.3	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	More than 1,000,000 Yen	0.7	1.5	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9999999	No answer	6.5	7.5	9.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	1021	954	992	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8888888	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "5. Yearly Wage" in 101. TP5PAY.

106. SZPAYRX Yearly Wage

Please state how it is paid and the approximate amount of payment (before taxes and other deductions). Do not include payment for overtime work.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	Less than 1 million yen	3.3	4.6	10.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1 - 2 million yen	4.9	6.9	3.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2 - 3 million yen	0.0	2.3	7.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	3 - 4 million yen	11.5	10.3	10.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	4 - 5 million yen	4.9	10.3	8.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	5 - 6 million yen	14.8	14.9	6.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	6 - 7 million yen	13.1	9.2	7.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	7 - 8 million yen	9.8	3.4	5.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	8 - 9 million yen	6.6	3.4	3.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	9 - 10 million yen	1.6	5.7	7.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	More than 10 million yen	23.0	24.1	21.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
999999999	No answer	6.6	4.6	8.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	61	87	80	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
888888888	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. I worked last week", "2. I was going to work last week, but did not work due to illness or days off" in 33. XJOB1WK.

107. XSJB1WK Secondary Job*

Did you engage in any work in the last week other than what you stated, or did you plan to do such work? Only answer regarding paying jobs.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	2.7	3.7	3.9	3.4	3.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	97.1	96.2	95.9	96.3	96.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	1881	1698	1809	2132	1247	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. I worked last week", "2. I was going to work last week, but did not work due to illness or days off" in 33. XJOB1WK.

108. SZSJBHWK Working Hours of Secondary Job*

How many total hours did you work last week, including overtime? If you have two or more jobs, please provide two answers: the hours for your main job and the hours for all other side-jobs.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	0 hour	0.0	3.2	0.0	4.2	2.2	97.3	97.2	98.1	97.4	98.1	97.2	97.9
	1 - 9 hour(s)	48.0	41.9	53.5	56.9	44.4	0.8	0.9	0.7	1.0	0.5	1.1	1.0
	10-19 hours	20.0	27.4	25.4	15.3	28.9	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.8
	20-29 hours	18.0	11.3	8.5	9.7	22.2	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.4	0.4	0.9	0.2
	30-39 hours	2.0	9.7	2.8	8.3	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0
	40-49 hours	4.0	1.6	7.0	4.2	2.2	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.1
	More than 50 hours	4.0	3.2	1.4	1.4	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0
999	No answer	4.0	1.6	1.4	0.0	0.0	0.8	0.7	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.0	0.0
	n	50	62	71	72	45	2630	2671	3076	2893	1289	464	1206
888	Not applicable												

* The question format for this question differ depending on the survey year.

Up through 2005 this question was asked to respondents who answered "1 Yes" in XSJB1WK. From 2006 this question was asked to respondents who answered "1 I worked last week" or "2 I was going to work last week, but did not work" in XJOB1WK.

Codes for this question differ between the single year data and cumulative data.

2000-2010/2012 Codes integrated: "0. 0 hour" included in the survey years from 2006 was recod as "888. Not applicable."

2000-2015 "0. 0 hour" was not recoded as "888. Not applicable".

2000-2018 Same as 2000-2015.

109. DOLOOKJB Searching New Job Now

Are you looking for a job now?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	8.0	7.0	5.9	7.8	7.0	7.9	7.1	6.2	5.1	7.6
2	No	-	-	91.3	92.0	92.0	91.5	92.6	91.6	91.1	93.3	94.1	92.4
9	No answer	-	-	0.7	1.0	2.1	0.7	0.4	0.5	1.8	0.6	0.8	0.0
	n	-	-	2953	3663	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

110. TP5UNEMP Reason for Not Working*

Which category below did you belong to during the last week?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Unemployed	5.7	4.9	6.5	4.8	3.6	4.1	4.5	5.0	4.5	2.9	2.1	3.9
2	Retired/Not working due to old age	23.4	21.0	22.7	23.3	26.8	25.2	23.5	26.8	29.4	31.1	30.7	39.2
3	Student	0.1	0.1	2.0	2.0	1.8	2.3	2.5	3.5	2.9	2.0	2.5	2.3
4	Mainly engaged in housework	59.5	61.7	58.0	55.1	59.0	56.5	53.1	51.6	52.3	55.4	59.6	48.7
5	Unable to work due to a physical/psychological problem	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.7	6.2	5.1	4.7	3.2	4.8
6	Other	8.6	9.6	9.1	8.4	6.7	8.0	5.3	3.0	1.4	2.2	1.4	0.8
7	Don't know	0.5	0.5	0.9	0.3	0.4	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
9	No answer	2.3	2.3	0.9	6.3	1.7	3.7	4.3	3.9	4.3	1.6	0.4	0.3
	n	989	1064	1144	1531	776	1624	1549	1927	1774	790	280	710

8 Not applicable

* Choices for this question differ depending on the survey year.

Codes for this question differ between the single year data and the cumulative data.

The target range is different between on and prior to 2001 and on and after 2002. Up through 2001, students were excluded (classified under XNOWORK) but on and after 2002 non-working students are included.

2000 Target range: This question was asked to respondents who answered "3. I did not work" in XJOB1WK(Work Status last week), excluding students.

2002 Target range changed: Those who are not currently working, regardless of whether they are students or not.

2008 Choices added: "5. Unable to work due to a metal or physical problem" was added. The choices 5-6 in the previous survey years were moved down to 6-7.

2010 The wording for the choice changed: "5 physical" → "5 metal or physical".

2012 The wording for the choice changed: "2 Retired" → "2 Retired/Not working due to old age"

2000-2010/2012 Code integrated: same as 2010.

2000-2015 Code integrated: same as 2010.

2000-2018 Code integrated: same as 2010.

111. WLWANTJB Hope for Having Job*

Do you wish to have a paying job in the future?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	29.7	27.9	30.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	68.5	69.3	68.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	1.8	2.8	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	1026	1107	1144	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

* The target range is different between 2000, 2001 and 2002. In 2000 and 2001, the question was asked to all respondents including students regardless of whether they had a job or not. However, in 2002, the question was not asked to students who had jobs.

2000 Target range: Respondents who do not have paying jobs, or students.

2002 Target range changed: The respondents who do not have paying jobs.

112. XNUMCOWK Number of Companies You Worked for*

How many corporations or organizations have you worked for as a full-time employee? If you are a full-time employee now, please include that.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	None	12.9	12.0	17.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.2	7.8	7.8
2	1	40.9	42.5	40.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	40.9	41.5	39.9
3	2	23.8	22.3	21.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.9	27.2	24.5
4	3	11.9	13.2	11.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.5	12.2	14.3
5	4	3.8	4.4	3.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.9	4.4	5.8
6	5	1.7	2.6	2.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	2.0	3.4
7	6 or more	1.6	1.7	2.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.3	1.5	2.2
8	Don't know	0.7	0.9	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0
99	No answer	2.7	0.3	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	3.4	2.0
	n	2848	2744	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	744	1916

88 Not applicable

* The target range differs between 2000-2001 and 2002. Up through 2001, respondents who are in schools are excluded (classified under XNOWORK). From 2002, this question was asked to all respondents, including those who are students.

2000 Target range: Excluding those who answered "3 I am a student" in XNOWORK (Non-Working Period after Graduation).

2002 Target range changed: All respondents

113. XNOWORK Non-Working Period after Graduation

Was there any period you weren't employed after graduating from school? If you are not working now, please include the current period. Count family business as a job.

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	There were periods when I was not working.	61.1	61.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	There was no period when I was not working.	37.3	36.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	I am a student.	1.3	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.3	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. There were periods when I was not working" in 113. XNOWORK.

114. SZNOWORK Years of Non-Working Period

How many years in total?

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Less than one year	17.9	15.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	For 1-3 years	13.3	13.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	For 3-5 years	8.9	8.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	For 5-10 years	15.9	15.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	More than 10 years	36.5	38.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Don't know	2.0	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	5.5	8.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		1769	1723	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

115. DOFINDJB Searching Job Now

Are you looking for a job now?

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Yes	11.2	9.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	86.9	87.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	1.9	2.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		1026	1107	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

116. SZFINDJB The Length of Searching Job

How long did you look for a job?

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	I have never looked for a job.	54.8	54.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Less than one year	24.3	23.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	For 1-3 years	6.4	5.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	For 3-5 years	1.6	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	For 5-10 years	1.3	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	More than 10 years	0.9	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Don't know	3.6	3.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	7.1	9.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		1769	1723	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

117-129. Income Source*

What are your sources of financial support? Choose all items that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
INCSELF	Income Source: Respondent Income	-	-	60.9	57.7	61.1	61.0	62.4	61.6	62.6	62.7	63.6	63.1
INCSP	Income Source: Spouse Income	-	-	42.9	42.8	42.3	42.9	43.5	43.1	42.3	41.3	42.9	43.1
INCPAR	Income Source: Parents Income	-	-	9.5	9.9	10.3	11.1	10.6	11.3	10.6	12.0	10.1	9.8
INCFAM	Income Source: Other Family Income	-	-	10.3	10.4	8.3	13.5	11.5	12.3	10.9	10.8	9.7	8.0
INCPEN	Income Source: Pension	-	-	32.5	37.0	37.2	36.5	36.9	40.2	39.9	38.9	38.3	39.7
INCUEB	Income Source: Unemployment Benefits	-	-	1.0	1.0	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.9	0.5	0.4	0.1	0.3
INCSAVE	Income Source: Savings	-	-	7.5	7.8	10.5	4.5	5.6	6.6	6.7	6.9	5.8	7.2
INCSOC	Income Source: Social Welfare Benefits	-	-	1.1	1.3	0.9	0.9	1.3	1.1	1.5	1.4	0.8	1.2
INCIRR	Income Source: Occasional Work	-	-	1.6	1.3	1.1	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4
INCOTHER	Income Source: Others	-	-	2.6	2.0	2.9	2.4	2.0	0.6	0.6	0.2	0.9	0.4
INCNOKN	Income Source: DK	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.2
INCRENT	Income Source: Rent Income	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	2.5	2.8	2.6	2.9
INCINVST	Income Source: Income from Investment Management	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	1.6	1.3
n		-	-	2953	3663	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

* Choices for this question differ depending on the survey year.

2010 INCRENT(rent income) was added based on the content of "10 Others."

2012 Choices added: "10 Rent income" was added, and the choices 10-11 in the previous survey years were moved down to 11-12.

2015 Choices added: "11 Income from investment management" was added, and the choices 11-12 in the previous survey years were moved down to 12-

13.

2000-2015 INCNOMK (Nothing marked) that was included in 2000-2003 was recoded as "9 No answer" from 2005.

2000-2018 Same as 2000-2015.

130. INCMAIN Main Income Source*

Which is your main source of income?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Your own income	-	-	36.9	32.0	36.9	36.0	35.9	32.9	35.6	35.7	36.0	37.4
2	Spouse or partner's income	-	-	27.5	28.1	27.3	25.9	26.3	26.3	24.8	25.7	23.8	23.5
3	Parents' income	-	-	4.9	5.8	6.0	6.7	6.6	6.8	6.3	6.7	6.3	5.7
4	Income from family members other than your spouse or parents	-	-	5.2	4.6	3.5	4.8	3.7	4.4	4.2	3.4	3.2	2.3
5	Pension	-	-	21.0	24.8	22.4	22.6	22.8	24.3	24.2	24.6	26.9	28.1
6	Unemployment benefits	-	-	0.6	0.6	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1
7	Savings	-	-	1.1	1.0	1.1	0.6	1.2	1.0	0.9	0.9	0.7	0.9
8	Social welfare benefits	-	-	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.4
9	Occasional work	-	-	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1
10	Other (Please specify)	-	-	0.7	0.4	0.9	0.7	0.6	0.2	0.9	0.0	0.4	0.1
11	Don't know	-	-	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.5	0.7	0.5	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.4
12	Rent income	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.4	0.9	1.1	0.8
13	Income from investment management	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.3	0.1
99	No answer	-	-	1.2	1.7	0.9	1.5	1.2	2.5	1.7	0.9	0.5	0.1
n		-	-	2953	3663	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

* Choices for this question differ depending on the survey year.

2010 INCRENT (rent income) was added based on the content of "10 Others."

Choices added: "10 Rent income" was added, and the choices 10-11 in the previous survey years were moved down to 11-12.

2015 Choices added: "11 Income from investment management" was added, and the choices 11-12 in the previous survey years were moved down to 12-

13.

2000-2015 Codes integrated: "1. Your own income, 2. Spouse or partner's income, 3. Parents' income, 4. Income from family members other than your spouse or parents, 5. Pension, 6. Unemployment benefits, 7. Saving, 8. Social welfare benefit, 9. Occasional work, 10. Other, 11. Don't know, 12. Rent income, 13. Income from investment management."

2000-2018 Same as 2000-2015

131-140. Income Source (Not currently working)*

What is your main source of financial support? Choose all items that apply.

Code													
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
INPEN	Income Source: Pension	56.8	56.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
INUEB	Income Source: Unemployment Benefits	2.2	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
INSAVING	Income Source: Savings	10.3	7.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
INPOUSE	Income Source: Spouse Income	31.5	34.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
INPARENT	Income Source: Parents Income	6.2	6.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
INFAMILY	Income Source: Other Family Income	13.7	13.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
INSOCSEC	Income Source: Social Welfare Benefits	1.0	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
INIRREG	Income Source: Occasional Work	1.9	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
INOTHER	Income Source: Others	3.0	4.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
INNOKNOW	Income Source: DK	0.2	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	1026	1107	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

*In the cumulative dataset 2000-2010, the INNOMARK (Nothing marked) included in 2000 and 2001 was recoded to "9 No answer".
The variable labels for this question differ between the single year data and cumulative data.

2000-2010 Variable label changed: "Income source: Pension" → "Income source: Pension (not working)".
2000-2015 Variable label changed: Same as 2000-2010.
2000-2018 Same as 2000-2010.

141. XWORK Ever Had Job*

Have you ever had any paying job?

code														
1	Yes	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	
1	Yes	89.8	88.1	85.6	-	92.0	92.2	92.3	92.2	94.6	95.6	95.7	95.9	
2	No	8.5	10.1	13.5	-	7.1	7.8	7.0	6.7	5.2	4.4	4.3	4.1	
9	No answer	1.7	1.9	1.0	-	0.9	0.0	0.8	1.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	
		n	989	1064	1144	-	776	1624	1549	1927	1774	790	280	710

8 Not applicable

* The target range and the wording for the choices for this question differ depending on the survey year.
Up through 2001, students are excluded (classified under XNOWORK), but on and after 2002, non-working students are included in the target range.
This question was not asked in 2003.

2000 Target range: The respondents who answered "3 I did not work" and not a student" in XJOB1WK (Work Status last week),
2002 Target range changed: The respondents who were not working at the time of the survey, whether they were students or not

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "Yes" in 141. XWORK

142. XWORK1Y Keep working 1 Year*

Did you keep that job for more than one year?

Code													
1	Yes	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Yes	97.2	97.3	95.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	2.8	2.5	4.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.0	0.2	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	888	937	979	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

* The target range differ up through 2001 and 2002. Up through 2001, students are excluded but on 2002 non-working students are included in the target range.
2000 Target range : Those who are not currently working but have paying job in the past.(Excluding the student)
2002 Target range changed: Those who are not currently working but have paying job in the past. (Including the student)

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "Yes" in 141. XWORK.

143. WHNSTPWK Time of Quitting the Last Job *

When did you quit your last paying job?

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
Actual number	Before 1945	2.1	1.1	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	During 1946-1959	3.4	2.5	2.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	During 1960-1969	4.5	5.6	4.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	During 1970-1979	6.7	6.9	7.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	During 1980-1984	8.7	8.7	5.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	During 1985-1989	12.4	12.1	10.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	During 1990-1994	18.4	14.6	17.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	In 1995	5.7	3.9	3.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	In 1996	2.9	6.8	4.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	In 1997	5.6	3.4	4.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	In 1998	7.1	5.0	6.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	In 1999	6.0	6.5	6.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	In 2000	7.0	5.0	6.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	In 2001	-	7.5	6.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	In 2002	-	-	9.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99999	No answer	9.6	10.4	3.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	863	912	937	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

88888 Not applicable

* The target range differ up through 2001 and 2002. Up through 2001, students are excluded, but on 2002, non-working students are included in the target range.

2000 Target range: This question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Yes" on XWORK (Ever had job) and also answered "1 Yes" in XWORK1Y (Keep working 1 Year).

2002 Target range changed: The target range of "Student" was changed in XWORK (Ever Had Job), including the non-working student.

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "Yes" in 141. XWORK

144. AGESTPWK Age of Quitting the Last Job

How old were you when you quit your last main job?

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
Actual number	15-19 years old	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	0.9	0.6	0.7	0.5	0.7	0.9
	20-29 years old	-	-	-	-	-	18.4	16.0	17.3	15.1	16.8	14.9	12.3
	30-39 years old	-	-	-	-	-	8.8	9.9	8.9	9.5	9.4	9.7	9.3
	40-49 years old	-	-	-	-	-	7.0	7.1	6.9	7.1	7.0	4.9	6.9
	50-59 years old	-	-	-	-	-	18.9	20.9	17.2	16.5	17.9	17.5	17.0
	60-69 years old	-	-	-	-	-	34.3	33.8	34.4	35.4	36.7	37.3	39.8
	70-79 years old	-	-	-	-	-	6.1	6.4	7.8	8.2	9.1	9.3	10.9
	80-89 years old	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.3	0.5	1.1	1.1	0.0	1.5
999	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	5.7	4.7	6.4	6.4	1.5	5.6	1.5
	n	-	-	-	-	-	1497	1429	1777	1679	755	268	681

888 Not applicable

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "Yes" in 141. XWORK.

145. XXSTPJB Main Reason of Quitting the Last Job*

What was the main reason why you quit your last main job?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I reached the mandatory retirement age.	28.6	28.7	29.2	-	35.3	-	-	-	30.3	30.6	32.8	34.8
2	I retired early, by choice.	2.3	2.5	3.3	-	3.2	-	-	-	3.8	3.6	3.0	3.2
3	I retired early, not by choice.	0.5	0.7	0.6	-	0.1	-	-	-	0.2	0.9	0.4	0.4
4	I became permanently disabled.	17.5	16.2	13.7	-	10.5	-	-	-	14.0	12.7	13.1	14.7
5	My workplace shut down.	4.4	4.2	3.7	-	2.5	-	-	-	4.0	4.4	6.3	5.6
6	I was dismissed.	2.3	1.6	1.7	-	1.1	-	-	-	1.4	1.1	0.7	1.5
7	My term of employment or contract ended.	2.7	2.6	2.3	-	1.7	-	-	-	4.3	5.6	7.8	4.3
8	I was not satisfied with the work or working conditions.	2.7	3.2	3.9	-	2.2	-	-	-	3.7	2.4	2.2	4.1
9	I wanted to open a new business or change my job.	0.6	0.5	1.1	-	0.7	-	-	-	0.5	0.3	0.7	0.3
10	I had to provide nursing care to a family member.	5.2	3.2	4.8	-	3.6	-	-	-	4.8	7.2	6.3	6.3
11	I married.	15.5	16.3	15.6	-	16.4	-	-	-	9.7	11.8	10.8	9.4
12	I could not combine my job with raising children.	7.6	10.0	6.2	-	7.4	-	-	-	8.5	9.1	9.0	8.1
13	Other	8.5	8.4	12.2	-	6.3	-	-	-	8.6	8.9	5.2	6.8
14	Don't know	0.9	0.9	1.0	-	0.6	-	-	-	0.3	0.1	0.4	0.3
99	No answer	0.7	0.9	0.6	-	8.3	-	-	-	5.8	1.5	1.1	0.3
	n	863	912	937	-	714	-	-	-	1679	755	268	681

88 Not applicable

*The target range and the wording for the choices in this question differs depending on survey year.

The target range differ up through 2001, 2002 and on and after 2005. See the survey questionnaire of each year for details.

2000 Target range: This question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Yes" on XWORK (Ever had job) and also answered "1. Yes" in XWORK1Y (Keep working 1 year). Those who are not currently working, but have continuously paid job for at least one year in the past (Excluding the student).

2002 Target range changed: The target range was changed on "Student", including the non-working student.

The wording for the choice changed: "4. I became permanently disabled" → "4. I could not work due to health reasons".

2005 Target range changed: The respondents who answered "1. Yes" in XWORK (Ever had job) are included. (Due to the deletion of XWORK1Y (Keep working 1 Year), the requirement of at least one year of paying job has also been removed. In the dataset of 2005, 2012, 2015, 2017 and 2018, any case of previous work experience is included in the target range regardless of duration.)

146. TP12LSTJ Employment Status of the Last Job*

Which one of the categories best describes your last job?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Executive of a company or a corporation	2.5	3.7	3.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Regular employee with no managerial post	46.9	46.3	47.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Regular employee - Group leader, Foreman	2.4	3.7	2.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Regular employee - Sub-section Head	2.7	1.9	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Regular employee - Section Head, Manager	3.0	3.3	3.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Regular employee - Department Head, General Manager	3.4	3.4	4.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Regular employee - managerial status unknown	1.9	3.1	3.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Temporary worker • Daily worker, part-time temporary worker	19.1	17.9	20.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	Dispatched worker from temporary personnel agency	1.0	1.3	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	Self-employed	8.0	7.1	8.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	Family worker	5.6	4.4	2.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
12	Doing piecework at home	2.4	1.2	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
13	Don't know	0.3	0.7	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	0.7	2.1	1.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	863	912	937	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

88 Not applicable

* The target ranges differ between 2000-2001 and 2002. Up through 2001, students are excluded whereas in 2002 non-working students are included.

2000 Target range: This question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Yes" in XWORK (Ever had job) and also answered "1. Yes" in XWORK1Y (Keep working 1 Year) (Those who are not currently working, but have continuously paid job for at least one year in the past, excluding students.)

2002 Target range changed: Non-working students are included according to the change of the target range of XWORK (Ever had job).

147. TPLSTJB Employment Relationship of the Last Job

Which of the following best describes your last employment status?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Employee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	80.7	84.5	88.8	81.8
2	Executive of a company or a corporation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	2.3	3.4	4.6
3	Self-employed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.4	8.9	3.7	9.1
4	Family worker	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	2.9	3.0	3.7
5	Doing piecework at home	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	0.7	1.1	0.6
6	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.3	0.8	0.0	0.0
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1679	755	268	681
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "Employee" in 147. TPLSTJB

148. TPLSTJBS Employment Status of the Last Job

Which of the following best describes your last employment status?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Regular employee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	58.8	57.8	57.1	55.5
2	Part-time temporary worker	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.7	34.2	37.4	35.0
3	Dispatched worker from temporary personnel agency	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	1.6	2.9	2.7
4	Contract employee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	3.1	1.7	3.2
5	Non-regular employee (Shokutaku)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	2.8	0.8	2.7
6	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.3	0.0	0.9
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.0
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1355	638	238	557
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "Regular employee" in 147. TPLSTJBS

149. TPLSTJBP Job Title of the Last Job

Which of the following posts were you appointed?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	No managerial post	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	66.5	64.2	74.3	63.4
2	Group leader, Foreman	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.0	5.4	3.7	8.4
3	Sub-section Head (or equivalent position) - kakaricho	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.8	7.3	3.7	8.1
4	Section Head, Manager (or equivalent position) - kacho	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.8	10.6	11.8	10.7
5	Department Head, General Manager (or equivalent position) - bucho	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.0	5.4	2.9	9.1
6	Other managerial post	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	0.8	1.5	0.3
7	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.5	0.0	0.0
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.8	5.7	2.2	0.0
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	797	369	136	309
8	Not applicable												

150. XXLSTWPL Industry of the Last Job *

What kind of business was your last workplace (establishment, such as factory, office, store or hospital) engaged in? Please give details (e.g., selling vegetables, manufacturing automobiles, operating an inn, operating a branch of a bank, etc.).

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
10	Agriculture	6.4	5.2	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20	Forestry	0.3	0.3	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
30	Fishing	0.8	0.0	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
40	Mining	0.2	0.3	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
50	Construction	5.1	8.8	6.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
60	Manufacturing	32.6	26.5	27.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
70	Electricity, gas, heat and water supply	0.7	0.4	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
80	Logistics and Transportation	4.5	4.6	4.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
91	Wholesale trade	3.5	3.5	3.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
92	Retail trade	11.7	11.2	9.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
93	Food industry	2.4	3.3	3.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
100	Finance and insurance	5.3	5.5	5.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
110	Real estates	0.8	0.4	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
120	Newspapers, broadcasting, publishing, advertising and movie industry	0.6	0.9	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
130	Information and communication service industry	2.4	2.4	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
140	Medical and social welfare services	5.6	4.7	6.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
150	Education and research services	3.5	4.2	4.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
160	Legal and accounting services	0.5	0.1	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
170	Others services industry	9.2	12.7	10.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
180	Government	2.8	3.6	4.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
190	Other industries not elsewhere classified	0.7	1.1	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
999	No answer	0.5	0.2	1.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	863	912	937	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

998 Not applicable

*The target range differ between 2000-2001 and 2002. Students are excluded in 2000 and 2001, whereas non-working students are included in 2002.

2000 Target range: This question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Yes" in XWORK (Ever Had Job) and also answered "1. Yes" in XWORK1Y (Keep working 1 year). Those who are not currently working but have continuously paid job for at least one year in the past, excluding the students.

2002 Target range changed: non-working student are included according to the change of the target range of XWORK (Ever Had Job).

151. XXLSTJB Occupation of the Last Job *

What kind of job did you do at your last workplace? Please give details (e.g., elementary-school teacher, cram-school teacher, farmer, bus driver, automobile mechanic, cashier at a supermarket, accounting clerk at a bank, computer programmer, clerical staff member for a sales department, on-the-road sales person, etc.).

The occupation Codes are shown as categories. For details of the classification categories, see Resources III, Occupation Code.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
	Professionals	8.5	9.8	10.7	-	-	-	-	-	10.4	10.5	12.7	12.5
	Managers	3.8	3.5	5.2	-	-	-	-	-	5.9	2.5	5.2	5.6
	General office	30.9	32.1	26.8	-	-	-	-	-	25.1	26.6	25.7	24.2
	Sales	10.1	12.4	12.7	-	-	-	-	-	14.8	17.4	11.9	17.3
	Skilled	14.8	11.4	11.4	-	-	-	-	-	12.1	15.5	7.8	11.5
	Semi-skilled	15.4	14.8	16.1	-	-	-	-	-	14.2	13.8	20.1	12.0
	Unskilled	7.4	8.4	9.0	-	-	-	-	-	7.6	9.9	13.8	7.9
	Agricultural and forestry	7.1	5.7	5.0	-	-	-	-	-	3.2	2.6	2.2	3.2
	Other industries not elsewhere classified	1.6	1.2	2.1	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	0.1	0.0	1.6
999	No answer	0.3	0.7	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	5.1	1.1	0.4	4.1
	n	863	912	937	-	-	-	-	-	1679	755	268	681

998 Not applicable

* The target range differ among on and prior to 2001 and 2002, and also after 2012. See the survey questionnaire of each year for details.

2000 Target range: This question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Yes" in XWORK (Ever had job) and also answered "1. Yes" in XWORK1Y (those who are not currently working but have had continuously paid jobs for at least one year in the past, excluding the students).

2002 Target range changed: The target range of "Student" in XWORK (Ever had job) was changed to include non-working students.

2012 Target range changed: This question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Yes" in XWORK (Ever had job). Regardless of the duration, the respondents with any kinds of working experience on paying jobs are included.

152. XXLSTJBE Occupation of the Last Job (ISCO)*

What kind of job did you usually do? Please give details (e.g., elementary school teacher, cram-school teacher, farmer, bus driver, automobile mechanic, supermarket cashier, accounting clerk at a bank, computer programmer, clerical staff member for a sales department, on-the-road sales person of cosmetics, etc.).

Aggregate frequency distribution by Major Groups.

Code	2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Legislators, senior officials and managers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.4	-	-	-
Professionals	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.7	-	-	-
Technicians and associate professionals	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.9	-	-	-
Clerks	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.8	-	-	-
Service workers and shop and market sales workers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.7	-	-	-
Skilled agricultural and fishery workers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	-	-	-
Craft and related trades workers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.1	-	-	-
Plant and machine operators and assemblers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.3	-	-	-
Elementary occupations	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.2	-	-	-
Armed forces	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-
99999 不明、No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.3	-	-	-
n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	837	-	-	-

88888 Not applicable

* This variables was made out based on ISCO-88 classification, only for the respondents of self-administered questionnaire B.

153. XXLJE08 Classification of the Last Occupation (ISCO08)

What kind of job did you usually do? Please give details (e.g., elementary school teacher, cram-school teacher, farmer, bus driver, automobile mechanic, supermarket cashier, accounting clerk at a bank, computer programmer, clerical staff member for a sales department, on-the-road sales person of cosmetics, etc.).

Aggregate frequency distribution by Major Groups.

Code	2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Managers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	6.0	5.6
Professionals	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.1	6.3	7.5
Technicians and associate professionals	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.1	8.6	9.4
Clerical support workers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.5	21.3	22.3
Service and sales workers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.8	20.9	19.2
Skilled agricultural, forestry and fishery workers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	2.2	2.8
Craft and related trades workers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.1	10.1	8.5
Plant and machine operators, and assemblers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.4	12.3	11.3
Elementary occupations	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.0	11.9	9.3
Armed forces occupations	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99999 No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	0.4	4.1
n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	755	268	681

88888 Not applicable

154. SZSTFLSA Corporation Size of the Last Job*

How many people worked in the entire corporation or organization where you engaged in your last job? Please make sure to include family workers, non-regular employees, and yourself.

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	1	3.4	2.7	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	2-4	11.4	11.7	12.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	5-9	7.8	10.3	7.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	10-29	15.9	14.5	15.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	30-99	16.7	17.1	17.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	100-299	9.5	10.3	10.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	300-499	3.0	3.5	3.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	500-999	3.0	2.6	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	1,000-1,999	4.8	3.0	4.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	2,000-9,999	5.7	5.4	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	10,000 or over	6.3	4.4	3.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
12	Government agency	6.0	6.8	6.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
13	Don't know	6.6	7.0	6.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	0.1	0.7	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		863	912	937	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

88 Not applicable

* The target range differ between 2000-2001 and 2002. In 2000-2001, students are excluded, but in 2002 non-working students are included.

2000 Target range: This question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Yes" in XWORK (Ever had job) and also answered "1. Yes" in XWORK1Y (Keep working 1 year). Those who are not currently working, but have continuously had paid jobs for at least one year in the past, excluding students.

2002 Target range changed: According to the change of target range of XWORK (Ever had job), non-working students are included.

155. SZSTFLS Corporation Size of the Last Job (6 groups)

How many people worked in the entire corporation or organization where you worked? Please answer the entire number of people in the corporation or organization. Also, please make sure to include all the working people such as family workers, non-regular employees, and yourself.

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	One	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	3.7	2.2	4.4
2	Small company (2-29 employees)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.5	32.3	33.2	32.6
3	Medium-sized company (30-299 employees)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.8	21.5	27.2	24.5
4	Large company (300-999 employees)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.7	8.9	8.6	8.5
5	Major company (1000 or more employees)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.6	17.6	14.9	17.3
6	Government agency	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.2	10.2	9.7	7.8
7	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	4.8	3.4	4.6
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.0	1.1	0.7	0.3
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1679	755	268	681

8 Not applicable

156. SZINLST Annual Income from the Last Job^{*}

What was your annual income (per year) from your last paying job? Please state the amount before taxes and other deductions.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	None	0.2	0.3	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Less than 700,000 yen	16.6	13.6	12.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	700,000 yen -1 million yen	9.5	10.3	10.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	1 million yen -1.3 million yen	6.1	5.6	6.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	1.3 million yen - 1.5 million yen	3.5	5.8	3.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	1.5 million yen - 2.5 million yen	11.2	11.1	13.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	2.5 million yen -3.5 million yen	10.3	9.2	9.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	3.5 million yen - 4.5 million yen	5.8	6.3	6.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	4.5 million yen - 5.5 million yen	5.0	3.6	4.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	5.5 million yen - 6.5 million yen	2.2	2.5	3.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	6.5 million yen - 7.5 million yen	1.9	1.9	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
12	7.5 million yen -8.5 million yen	1.6	1.8	1.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
13	8.5 million yen - 10 million yen	2.3	2.1	2.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14	10 million yen - 12 million yen	1.6	1.4	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15	12 million yen - 14 million yen	0.7	0.2	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
16	14 million yen - 16 million yen	0.3	0.2	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
17	16 million yen - 18.5 million yen	0.0	0.0	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
18	18.5 million yen - 23 million yen	0.1	0.3	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
19	23 million yen or over	0.0	0.1	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20	Don't want to state the income	5.2	5.8	3.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
21	Don't know	15.4	17.0	15.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	0.3	0.9	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	863	912	937	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

88 Not applicable

* The target range differ between 2000-2001 and 2002. In 2000-2001, students are excluded, but in 2002 non-working students are included.

2000 Target range: This question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Yes" in XWORK (Ever had job) and also answered "1. Yes" in XWORK1Y (Keep working 1 Year). Those who are not currently working, but have continuously had paid jobs for at least one year in the past, excluding students.

2002 Target range changed: According to the change of target range of XWORK (Ever Had Job), non-working students are included.

156. Following question was asked to respondents who answered "19. 23 million yen or over" in SZINLST.

157. SZHILST Annual Income from the Last Job: More Than 23 Million^{*}

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
<u>Actual number</u>													
999999	No answer	-	100.0	100.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

888888 Not applicable

* The target ranges differ up through 2002.

In 2001, the target range includes the respondents who answered "1. Yes" in XWORK (Ever had job) and also answered "1. Yes" in XWORK1Y (who are not currently working, but have continuously had paid job for at least one year in the past, excluding students). In 2002, due to the change of the target range of XWORK, non-working students are included.

158. TP12FSTJ Employment Status of the First Job*

Which one of the categories best describes your first job?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Executive of a company or a corporation	0.4	0.7	0.8	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Regular employee with no managerial post	74.6	73.2	74.5	-	77.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Regular employee - Group leader, Foreman	0.6	0.9	0.8	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Regular employee - Sub-section Head	0.4	1.0	0.6	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Regular employee - Section Head, Manager	0.4	0.7	0.6	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Regular employee - Department Head, General Manager	0.1	0.6	0.5	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Regular employee -Other managerial post	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Regular employee - managerial status unknown	1.5	2.5	2.5	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	Temporary worker • Daily worker, part-time temporary worke	7.9	6.5	6.9	-	7.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	Dispatched worker from temporary personnel agency	0.4	0.5	0.3	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	Self-employed	4.5	3.9	3.9	-	3.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
12	Family worker	6.6	5.4	4.8	-	7.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
13	Doing piecework at home	0.4	0.3	0.2	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14	Don't know	1.0	0.9	0.9	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	1.1	2.9	2.7	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	2783	2593	2693	-	1908	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

88 Not applicable

*The choice "7. Regular employee – Other managerial post" was added in 2005.

Codes for this question differ between single year data and cumulative data.

The target range in this question differs depending on survey year. In 2000, all repondents are included, whereas 2001 and years after, those who answered that they had never had a job in the previous question (XGETJOB) have been excluded.

2000 Target range: All repondents

The wording for choices : "1 Executive of a company or a corporation, 2 Regular employee with no managerial post, 3 Regular employee - Group leader, Foreman, 4 Regular employee - Sub-section Head, 5 Regular employee - Section Head, Manager, 6 Regular employee - Department Head, General Manager, 7 Regular employee - managerial status unknown, 8 Temporary worker (daily worker, part-time temporary worke, doing piecework at home) , 9 Dispatched worker from temporary personnel agency, 10 Self-employed, 11 Family worker, 12 Doing piecework at home, 13 I have never had any job., 14 Don't know"

2001 Target range changed: The respondents who answered "3. Never worked after finishing school" in XGETJOB (Time of Getting the First Job) are excluded.

Choices removed: "13 I have never had any job"

2005 Choice added: "7. Regular employee -Other managerial post", and the following choices 7-13 are moved down to 8-14.

2000-2010/2012 Codes integrated: "1 Executive of a company or a corporation, 2 Regular employee with no managerial post, 3 Regular employee - Group leader, Foreman, 4 Regular employee - Sub-section Head, 5 Regular employee - Section Head, Manager, 6 Regular employee - Department Head, General Manager, 7 Regular employee -Other managerial post, 8 Regular employee - managerial status unknown, 9 Temporary worker • Daily worker, part-time temporary worke, 10 Dispatched worker from temporary personnel agency, 11 Self-employed, 12 Family worker, 13 Doing piecework at home, 14 Don't know"

Data recoded: "13 I have never had any job" to "88. Not applicable" in 2000. And recoded "13 Don't know" to "14 Don't know" in 2001 and 2002

2000-2015 Codes integrated: Same as 2000-2010

2000-2018 Codes integrated: Same as 2000-2010

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Yes (within three months) ", "2. Started more than three months after finishing school " in 167. XGETJOB.

159. TPFSTJB Work Arrangement of First Job

Which one of the categories best describes your first job?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Executive of a company or a corporation	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.2	0.1	-	-	-	-
2	Regular employee	-	-	-	-	-	82.2	83.9	84.2	-	-	-	-
3	Temporary worker	-	-	-	-	-	7.6	8.0	7.1	-	-	-	-
4	Dispatched worker from temporary personnel agency	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.4	0.4	-	-	-	-
5	Self-employed	-	-	-	-	-	3.6	2.4	2.2	-	-	-	-
6	Family worker	-	-	-	-	-	5.4	4.3	5.0	-	-	-	-
7	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.3	0.2	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	0.4	0.8	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	4023	4012	4735	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Yes (within three months)"; "2. Started more than three months after finishing school" in 167. XGETJOB.

160. TP1STJB Employment Relationship of the First Job

Which one of the categories best describes your first job?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Employee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	92.3	94.2	94.5	93.0
2	Executive of a company or a corporation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.1
3	Self-employed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.3	2.2	1.1	2.1
4	Family worker	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.7	3.4	4.3	4.3
5	Doing piece work at home	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2
6	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.2
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.1
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4460	2013	725	1875
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Employee" in 160. TP1STJB.

161. TP1STJBS Employment Status of the First Job

Which of the following best describes your employment status?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Regular employee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	89.9	88.1	89.3	88.4
2	Part-time temporary worker	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.4	8.7	7.6	8.4
3	Dispatched worker from temporary personnel agency	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.5
4	Contract employee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	1.8	1.9	1.8
5	Non-regular employee (Shokutaku)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.2
6	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	0.4	0.6	0.7
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	0.4	0.1	0.0
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4117	1896	685	1744
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Regular employee" in 160. TP1STJB.

162. TPFSTJBP Job Title of the First Job

Which of the following post were you appointed?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	No managerial post	-	-	-	-	-	94.5	94.0	95.4	91.0	93.5	94.1	98.1
2	Group leader, Foreman	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.7	0.4
3	Sub-section Head (or equivalent position) - kakaricho	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.6	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.7	0.5
4	Section Head, Manager (or equivalent position) - kacho	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.4	0.2	0.5	0.5
5	Department Head, General Manager (or equivalent position) - bucho	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1
6	Other managerial post	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0
7	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.8	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.1
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	4.1	3.5	3.5	7.6	5.3	3.9	0.5
	n	-	-	-	-	-	3305	3365	3988	3702	1670	612	1542
8	Not applicable												

163. XXFSTWP Industry of the First Job

What kind of business was your first workplace (establishment, such as factory, office, store or hospital) engaged in? Please give details (e.g., selling vegetables, manufacturing automobiles, operating an inn, operating a branch of a bank, etc.).

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
10	Agriculture	6.5	4.9	4.0	-	5.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20	Forestry	0.3	0.3	0.5	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
30	Fishing	0.8	0.3	0.3	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
40	Mining	0.3	0.4	0.4	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
50	Construction	5.2	6.7	6.4	-	6.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
60	Manufacturing	30.8	29.6	30.5	-	28.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
70	Electricity, gas, heat and water supply	0.8	0.6	0.7	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
80	Logistics and Transportation	4.0	3.9	3.5	-	3.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
91	Wholesale trade	4.5	4.5	4.3	-	4.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
92	Retail trade	11.6	12.3	11.4	-	12.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
93	Food industry	2.3	1.8	2.6	-	2.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
100	Finance and insurance	4.2	4.7	4.9	-	4.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
110	Real estate	0.4	0.3	0.4	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
120	Newspapers, broadcasting, publishing, advertising and movie industry	1.0	0.9	1.1	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
130	Information and communication service industry	2.1	2.4	2.2	-	2.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
140	Medical and social welfare services	5.5	5.2	6.4	-	6.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
150	Educational and research services	3.9	4.2	4.2	-	4.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
160	Legal and accounting services	0.4	0.5	0.3	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
170	Others services industry	8.7	9.8	9.3	-	9.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
180	Government	4.0	4.6	4.6	-	4.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
190	Other industries not elsewhere classified	0.5	0.6	0.0	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
987	Military services	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
999	No answer	2.3	1.2	2.2	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	2783	2593	2693	-	1908	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
998	Not applicable												

164. XXFSTJB Occupation of the First Job

What kind of job did you do at your first workplace? Please give details. (e.g., elementary-school teacher, cram-school teacher, farmer, bus driver, automobile mechanic, supermarket cashier, accounting clerk at a bank, computer programmer, clerical staff member for a sales department, on-the-road salesperson of cosmetics, etc.).

The occupation codes are classified and tabulated as below. For details of the classification categories, see III Resources, Occupation Code.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
	Professionals	12.7	13.0	13.7	-	13.6	13.8	14.9	14.5	15.3	16.0	17.0	16.2
	Managers	0.2	0.0	0.1	-	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.2
	General office	33.2	32.9	33.1	-	30.4	32.9	29.7	31.2	29.8	32.2	30.8	28.7
	Sales	10.4	11.5	13.5	-	15.7	14.2	16.6	16.5	16.0	16.6	17.0	17.7
	Skilled	14.2	14.3	14.6	-	15.2	15.3	14.2	14.1	15.1	14.8	13.4	16.7
	Semiskilled	13.8	14.7	13.8	-	12.6	11.5	12.3	11.9	12.3	12.3	14.3	11.9
	Unskilled	4.6	5.4	4.0	-	3.3	4.2	4.3	3.2	4.2	3.8	3.9	3.2
	Agricultural and forestry	7.1	5.4	4.6	-	5.9	5.2	4.2	4.4	4.0	2.7	2.6	3.5
	Other industries not elsewhere classified	1.6	1.7	1.6	-	2.2	1.8	2.6	3.2	2.4	0.2	0.6	1.3
999	No answer	2.2	1.1	1.0	-	0.9	1.1	1.1	0.9	0.7	1.3	0.6	0.6
	n	2783	2593	2693	-	1908	4023	4012	4735	4460	2012	725	1876
998	Not applicable												

165. XXFSTJBE Occupation of the First Job (ISCO)*

What kind of job did you do at your first workplace? Please give details. (e.g., elementary-school teacher, cram-school teacher, farmer, bus driver, automobile mechanic, supermarket cashier, accounting clerk at a bank, computer programmer, clerical staff member for a sales department, on-the-road salesperson, etc.).

Aggregate frequency distribution by Major groups

Code	2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Legislators, senior officials and managers	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Professionals	-	-	-	-	-	8.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Technicians and associate professionals	-	-	-	-	-	13.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Clearks	-	-	-	-	-	29.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Service workers and shop and market sales workers	-	-	-	-	-	13.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
Skilled agricultural and fishery workers	-	-	-	-	-	5.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Craft and related trades workers	-	-	-	-	-	10.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
Plant and machine operators and assemblers	-	-	-	-	-	12.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Elementary occupations	-	-	-	-	-	4.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Armed forces	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
99999 No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
n	-	-	-	-	-	2015	-	-	-	-	-	-

88888 Not applicable

* This variable was made out based on ISCO-88 classification, only for the respondents for self-administered questionnaire B in 2006.

166. SZSTFFST Corporation Size of the First Job*

How many people worked in the entire corporation or organization where you worked? Please answer the entire number of people in the corporation or organization. Also, please make sure to include all the working people such as family workers, non-regular employees, and yourself.

Code	2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1 1	1.4	1.4	1.0	-	0.8	0.6	1.1	0.4	0.9	0.8	0.4	0.8
2 2-4	11.3	11.0	10.0	-	13.6	10.5	9.1	9.3	9.4	7.0	6.3	8.4
3 5-9	7.8	8.6	9.8	-	8.6	7.5	7.2	7.0	6.3	6.8	6.8	7.8
4 10-29	13.0	14.1	12.7	-	11.1	12.6	11.7	11.7	11.3	9.9	12.3	11.7
5 30-99	15.6	14.4	14.2	-	12.6	12.7	13.7	13.2	13.2	14.0	13.4	13.9
6 100-299	11.2	11.3	12.2	-	10.9	11.7	10.5	12.1	12.6	11.3	14.1	10.2
7 300-499	4.6	4.5	5.5	-	3.9	4.6	5.6	5.5	5.4	4.5	4.8	5.6
8 500-999	4.3	4.8	4.9	-	4.8	5.0	5.1	5.7	4.9	5.6	4.7	5.9
9 1,000-1,999	5.1	5.0	5.4	-	4.8	6.1	7.2	6.1	7.1	7.6	6.5	6.9
10 2,000-9,999	6.9	6.2	6.7	-	6.7	7.1	7.3	6.8	6.9	7.5	6.2	7.6
11 10,000 or over	4.9	5.1	4.8	-	5.4	5.0	5.4	5.7	5.7	6.5	7.3	6.5
12 Government agency	5.6	5.8	6.0	-	9.0	8.4	8.0	8.6	8.5	10.0	10.2	7.8
13 Don't know	6.6	7.2	6.2	-	6.9	6.9	7.4	7.4	7.3	7.5	6.8	6.6
99 No answer	1.6	0.7	0.7	-	0.8	1.2	0.6	0.7	0.5	1.1	0.3	0.4
n	2783	2593	2693	-	1908	4023	4012	4735	4460	2013	725	1875

88 Not applicable

* The wording for this question differs depending on the survey year. This question was not asked in 2003

2000 The wording for the question: "How many people worked in the entire corporation or organization where you engaged in your first job? Please make sure to include family workers, non-regular employees, and yourself."

2006 The wording for the question changed: "How many people worked in the entire corporation or organization where you worked? Please answer the entire number of people in the corporation or organization. Also, please make sure to include all the working people such as family workers, non-regular employees, and yourself."

167. XGETJOB Time of Getting the First Job

Did you start working immediately after finishing school?

Code	2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1 Yes(within three months)	-	81.1	78.0	-	81.8	83.5	85.1	85.8	85.2	85.5	84.7	87.1
2 Started more than threemonths after finishing school	-	11.9	13.2	-	12.5	11.1	10.0	8.9	10.1	11.3	12.8	10.8
3 Never worked after finishing school	-	5.1	5.6	-	3.1	3.4	3.2	3.3	2.7	2.3	2.6	2.1
9 No answer	-	2.0	3.3	-	2.6	2.0	1.7	2.0	2.0	1.0	0.0	0.1
n	-	2790	2953	-	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Yes (within three months)"; "2. Started more than threemonths after finishing school" in 167. XGETJOB.

168. HOWJOB Way of Finding the First Job

How did you find the job? Choose one major factor from among the following:

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Through my school's (career guidance) introduction	-	44.7	45.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Through the public employment security office's introduction	-	2.9	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Through a private job placement office's introduction	-	0.5	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	By registering at a temporary employment agency	-	0.1	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Through classified ads or job-placement magazines	-	6.2	5.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	By applying directly to the company (includes invitation from the company)	-	7.7	8.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Through an introduction by a family member or a relative	-	12.0	12.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Through an introduction by a friend	-	15.6	16.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	By starting a business on my own	-	1.2	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	By joining the family business	-	7.5	6.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	Don't know	-	0.8	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	0.8	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	2593	2693	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

169. SSJB1WK Work Status of Spouse*

Did your spouse have any paying job in the last week? Choose from below.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	He/she worked last week.	62.3	60.3	59.8	60.0	61.4	59.8	61.7	59.4	58.7	59.4	61.4	60.3
2	He/she was going to work last week, but did not work due to illness or days off.	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.7	1.2	0.5	0.5	1.0	0.8	1.0	2.4	1.3
3	He/she did not work.	36.6	38.9	39.6	39.1	37.4	39.7	37.7	39.5	40.4	39.5	36.0	38.3
9	No answer	0.4	0.1	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1
	n	2099	2061	2182	2703	1473	3115	3056	3629	3311	1437	505	1367
8	Not applicable												

* From 2008, the cases of cohabiting were treated as married, and included for the question.

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "3. He/she did not work" in 169. SSJB1WK.

170. SSTPUNEM Reason for Not Working (Spouse)*

Which category below did your spouse belong to during the last week?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Unemployed	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	2.3	1.4	0.9	0.0	0.6
2	Retired	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.6	27.5	34.0	30.5	33.5	32.8
3	Student	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.2
4	Mainly engaged in housework	-	-	-	-	-	-	62.0	60.1	57.0	62.6	58.8	59.7
5	Unable to work due to a physical/psychological problem	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.9	5.9	4.5	4.6	5.5	5.9
6	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.2	2.1	1.3	0.2	1.1	0.8
7	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	1.9	1.8	1.2	1.1	0.0
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	1152	1434	1337	567	182	524
8	Not applicable												

*The wording for the choice in this question differs depending on the survey year.

2010 The wording for the choice changed: "5. Physical" → "5. Mental or physical"

2012 The wording for the choice changed: "2 Retired" → "2 Retired/Not working due to old age"

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. I worked last week", "2. I was going to work last week, but did not work due to illness or days off" in 169. SSJB1WK.

171. SSJBDWK Work Days per Week of Spouse Job *

How many days did your spouse do the job last week?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018	
Actual number	None	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
	One day	0.5	0.8	0.7	0.4	1.0	0.6	0.7	1.0	0.7	0.5	1.6	1.0	
	Two days	1.5	1.4	1.7	3.0	2.0	1.9	2.5	1.5	2.1	1.8	3.4	3.0	
	Three days	5.6	3.5	4.1	4.3	5.9	4.7	5.7	5.2	5.6	6.8	5.3	7.8	
	Four days	6.9	4.6	7.9	5.4	5.5	7.6	7.2	7.3	5.6	6.5	5.6	7.0	
	Five days	42.5	44.3	45.4	47.1	43.8	47.4	47.2	49.9	52.3	53.7	58.1	55.3	
	Six days	33.3	33.9	30.3	28.7	31.0	28.9	27.6	27.5	25.8	22.2	19.3	21.1	
	One week	8.6	10.2	9.0	9.7	9.5	6.9	7.7	6.7	5.6	4.4	4.3	3.6	
99	No answer	1.1	1.4	0.8	1.2	1.3	2.0	1.4	0.8	2.3	4.1	2.5	1.2	
		n	1321	1257	1318	1642	922	1877	1902	2195	1970	868	322	842

88 Not applicable

*Question format and the wording for this question differ depending on the survey year.
From 2008, the cases of cohabiting were treated as married, and included for the question.

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. I worked last week", "2. I was going to work last week, but did not work due to illness or days off" in 169. SSJB1WK.

172. SSJBHRWK Work Hours per Week of Spouse Job *

How many total hours did your spouse work last week, including overtime? If he/she has two or more jobs, please provide two answers: the hours for his/her main job and the hours for all other side-jobs.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018	
Actual number	0 hour	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
	1-9 hour(s)	2.3	2.5	1.6	2.9	2.8	2.0	2.5	2.7	2.2	1.7	5.9	2.7	
	10-19 hours	5.9	3.9	6.2	6.4	6.8	6.6	7.2	6.2	6.4	8.1	7.8	8.2	
	20-29 hours	8.3	9.0	7.8	7.1	7.8	8.9	10.6	10.6	8.6	8.2	7.8	11.6	
	30-39 hours	11.2	8.7	11.3	10.9	8.2	9.6	10.9	8.5	11.4	10.8	8.1	9.7	
	40-49 hours	42.5	42.6	42.3	41.0	42.2	41.7	38.9	42.1	40.7	38.0	35.1	42.0	
	50-59 hours	14.2	15.7	13.6	15.8	15.2	15.3	14.5	13.9	14.1	14.5	19.9	14.1	
	60-69 hours	8.0	8.7	8.5	8.3	8.4	7.1	8.1	9.1	7.4	8.2	6.8	5.6	
	70-79 hours	3.8	3.7	4.2	3.8	4.0	3.8	3.1	3.1	2.9	2.5	2.5	2.3	
	More than 80 hours	1.3	1.9	1.4	1.6	2.0	1.6	1.7	1.5	1.9	2.1	1.2	1.2	
999	No answer	2.6	3.3	3.1	2.2	2.6	3.4	2.5	2.1	4.4	5.9	5.0	2.5	
		n	1321	1257	1318	1642	922	1877	1902	2195	1970	868	322	842

888 Not applicable

* Question format and the wording for this question differ depending on the survey year.
From 2008, the cases of cohabiting were treated as married, and included for the question.

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. I worked last week", "2. I was going to work last week, but did not work due to illness or days off" in 169. SSJB1WK.

173. SSSJBHWK Working Hours of Spouse Secondary Job *

How many total hours did your spouse work last week, including overtime? If he/she has two or more jobs, please provide two answers: the hours for his/her main job and the hours for all other side-jobs.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	0 hour	-	-	-	-	-	96.8	96.8	97.7	95.9	95.0	98.8	99.0
	1-9 hour(s)	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.6	0.1	0.0	0.2
	10-19 hours	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.2	0.3	0.1
	20-29 hours	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.6	0.0
	30-39 hours	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1
	40-49 hours	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
	More than 50 hours	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
999	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	2.3	1.7	0.9	2.6	4.3	0.3	0.5
		n	-	-	-	-	1877	1902	2195	1970	868	322	842

888 Not applicable

* Question format and the wording for this question differ depending on the survey year.
From 2008, the cases of cohabiting were treated as married, and included for the question.

174. SSXJBSCB Scheduled Work Hours per Week (Spouse)

Normally, how long is your spouse supposed to work per week? Please answer his/her scheduled work hours set by regulation or contract. If he/she is self-employed, please answer approximate work hours he/she sets.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	0 hour	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	1-9 hour(s)	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	2.1	2.3	1.4	4.3	2.0
	10-19 hours	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.4	5.3	5.9	6.9	5.9	6.9
	20-29 hours	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.0	9.5	8.0	7.4	8.7	10.9
	30-39 hours	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.4	9.2	12.1	12.0	9.9	9.0
	40-49 hours	-	-	-	-	-	-	50.4	54.7	52.4	52.6	52.5	53.8
	50-59 hours	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.2	6.4	6.0	6.1	6.8	5.2
	60-69 hours	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.4	4.2	3.9	3.5	1.2	2.9
	70-79 hours	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	1.8	1.3	1.6	0.6	1.8
	More than 80 hours	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.0	0.7
999	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.9	6.2	7.6	7.9	9.9	6.8
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	1902	2195	1970	868	322	842
888	Not applicable												

175. S8TP12JB Employment Status of Spouse Job*

Which one of the categories best describes your spouse's job?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Executive of a company or a corporation	6.1	5.6	6.8	5.8	7.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Regular employee with no managerial post	28.2	27.6	28.2	24.5	25.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Regular employee - Group leader, Foreman	4.2	3.7	2.7	3.4	4.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Regular employee - Sub-section Head	5.1	6.7	4.3	5.5	4.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Regular employee - Section Head, Manager	6.7	6.7	7.1	7.2	7.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Regular employee - Department Head, General Manager	3.8	4.2	4.2	3.0	3.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Regular employee -Other managerial post	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Regular employee - managerial status unknown	3.7	5.2	4.2	6.7	2.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	Temporary worker, Daily worker, Part-time temporary worker	16.7	16.5	18.8	17.7	17.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	Dispatched worker from temporary personnel agency	0.5	1.0	0.8	1.0	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	Self-employed	16.6	14.1	14.2	16.3	15.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
12	Family worker	7.1	7.2	6.7	7.7	9.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
13	Doing piece work at home	0.2	0.6	0.7	0.4	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14	Don't know	0.9	0.7	1.1	0.7	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	1321	1257	1318	1642	922	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

88 Not applicable

* The wording for the choices was added in 2005.

Codes for this question differ between the single year data and cumulative data.

2000 The choices: "1 Executive of a company or a corporation; 2 Regular employee with no managerial post, 3 Regular employee - Group leader, Foreman, 4 Regular employee - Sub-section Head, 5 Regular employee - Section Head, Manager; 6 Regular employee - Department Head, General Manager, 7 Regular employee - managerial status unknown, 8 Temporary worker (daily worker, part-time temporary worker doing piecework at home), 9 Dispatched worker from temporary personnel agency, 10 Self-employed, 11 Family worker, 12 Doing piecework at home, 13 I have never had any job, 14 Don't know"

2003 Choice removed: "13 I have never had any job"

2005 Choice added: "7. Regular employee -Other managerial post", and the following choices 7-13 are moved down to 8-14.

2000-2010/2012 Data integrated: "1 Executive of a company or a corporation, 2 Regular employee with no managerial post, 3 Regular employee - Group leader, Foreman, 4 Regular employee - Sub-section Head, 5 Regular employee - Section Head, Manager, 6 Regular employee - Department Head, General Manager, 7 Regular employee -Other managerial post, 8 Regular employee - managerial status unknown, 9 Temporary worker, Daily worker, Part-time temporary worker, 10 Dispatched worker from temporary personnel agency, 11 Self-employed, 12 Family worker, 13 Doing piece work at home, 14 Don't know"

Recoded: "13. I have never had any job" in 2000 → "88 Not applicable"

Recoded: "13. Don't know " in 2001 and 2002 → "14. Don't know"

2000-2015 Codes integrated: Same as 2000-2010

2000-2018 Codes integrated: Same as 2000-2010

176. SSTPJOB Work Arrangement of Spouse Job*

Which one of the categories best describes your spouse's job?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Executive of a company or a corporation	-	-	-	-	-	6.4	6.4	5.9	-	-	-	-
2	Regular employee	-	-	-	-	-	51.4	51.0	54.5	-	-	-	-
3	Temporary worker (daily worker, part-time temporary worker, doing piecework at home)	-	-	-	-	-	18.8	21.3	19.9	-	-	-	-
4	Dispatched worker from temporary personnel agency	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	1.0	0.7	-	-	-	-
5	Self-employed	-	-	-	-	-	14.4	13.6	13.6	-	-	-	-
6	Family worker	-	-	-	-	-	7.7	6.5	5.1	-	-	-	-
7	Executive of a company or a corporation	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.2	0.2	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.1	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	1877	1902	2195	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

* From 2008, the cases of cohabiting were treated as married, and included for the question.

177. SSTPJB Employment Relationship (Spouse)

Which one of the categories best describes your spouse's job?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Employee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	75.5	77.8	77.6	78.0
2	Executive of a company or a corporation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.5	3.9	4.0	3.7
3	Self-employed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.5	13.0	14.6	13.1
4	Family worker	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.0	4.0	3.4	4.9
5	Doing piece work at home	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.0	0.3	0.1
6	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	1.2	0.0	0.1
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1970	868	322	842

8 Not applicable

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Employee" in 177. SSTPJB.

178. SSTPJBS Employment Status (Spouse)

Which of the following best describes your spouse's employment status?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Regular employee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	66.7	66.1	69.6	62.9
2	Part-time temporary worker	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.6	26.4	25.2	30.1
3	Dispatched worker from temporary personnel agency	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	1.0	0.4	1.8
4	Contract employee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.6	3.9	3.6	3.5
5	Non-regular employee (Shokutaku)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	2.2	0.8	1.7
6	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.0
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1488	675	250	657

8 Not applicable

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Employee" in 178. SSTPJBS.

179. SSTPJOBP Job Title of Spouse Job*

Which of the following posts is he/she now appointed?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	No managerial post	-	-	-	-	-	55.3	55.7	53.3	52.3	53.1	43.1	56.7
2	Group leader, Foreman	-	-	-	-	-	8.4	9.0	8.5	7.3	6.1	12.6	8.5
3	Sub-section Head (or equivalent position) - kakaricho	-	-	-	-	-	12.6	11.6	11.2	9.5	13.5	15.5	10.7
4	Section Head, Manager (or equivalent position) - kacho	-	-	-	-	-	12.5	12.0	14.7	12.3	12.8	17.2	11.6
5	Department Head, General Manager (or equivalent position) - bucho	-	-	-	-	-	6.4	6.8	6.4	6.0	5.8	3.4	6.3
6	Other managerial post	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.4	0.2	0.0	0.2
7	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	3.8	3.5	4.5	3.8	6.3	5.6
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	0.7	1.8	7.8	4.7	1.7	0.5
	n	-	-	-	-	-	965	970	1196	993	446	174	413

8 Not applicable

*From 2008, the cases of cohabiting were treated as married, and included for the question.

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "4. Dispatched worker from temporary personnel agency" in 176. SSTPJOB

180. SSTPJBDP Dispatched Workers (Spouse)

Is your spouse registered at a temporary personnel agency?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	63.2	50.0	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	31.6	50.0	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.3	0.0	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	19	16	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "5. Self-employed" in 176. SSTPJOB.

181. SSTPJBESE Having Employees (Spouse)

Does your spouse hire employees (including part-time temporary workers) other than your family members?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	32.2	31.8	33.6	40.7	34.0	36.4
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	67.4	67.2	62.9	57.5	61.7	62.7
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	1.0	3.5	1.8	4.3	0.9
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	258	299	286	113	47	110
8	Not applicable												

182. SSXXHQX Industry of Spouse Job *

What kind of business is your spouse's workplace engaged in? Please give details (e.g., selling vegetables, manufacturing automobiles, operating an inn, operating a branch of a bank, etc.).

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
10	Agriculture	7.3	5.6	5.1	7.8	6.8	5.1	5.2	4.1	3.9	3.1	5.3	3.9
20	Forestry	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.3	0.1
30	Fishing	1.3	0.6	0.5	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.6	0.0	0.1
40	Mining	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
50	Construction	10.5	10.7	11.3	8.5	10.0	9.5	8.9	10.1	8.7	9.4	7.4	8.9
60	Manufacturing	20.5	20.4	22.7	21.9	20.7	20.8	20.0	17.7	17.7	19.7	17.3	19.9
70	Electricity, gas, heat and water supply	0.9	0.8	0.9	1.0	0.7	0.6	1.1	0.9	0.4	0.7	0.6	0.4
80	Logistics and Transportation	4.6	5.0	4.7	4.8	4.3	5.4	5.4	6.0	5.1	4.5	4.3	5.2
91	Wholesale trade	3.8	2.6	3.1	3.8	3.3	3.8	3.0	3.1	2.9	2.8	2.8	1.7
92	Retail trade	15.0	13.4	11.5	11.9	11.6	10.8	12.8	11.8	13.4	12.5	9.9	13.8
93	Food industry	2.9	2.8	4.4	2.9	4.3	3.6	3.0	3.9	3.7	2.9	3.1	2.5
100	Finance and insurance	3.4	3.2	2.5	1.9	2.3	2.6	2.6	2.8	3.1	3.1	1.5	2.1
110	Real estates	1.1	1.3	1.1	1.5	0.4	1.5	1.2	1.5	1.1	1.3	1.5	0.8
120	Newspapers, broadcasting, publishing, advertising and movie industry	0.7	0.6	1.1	0.7	1.0	0.8	0.6	0.8	0.9	0.7	1.2	0.4
130	Information and communication service industry	1.8	2.1	1.7	2.4	2.0	2.2	1.8	3.0	2.6	2.0	3.7	2.4
140	Medical and social welfare services	4.8	6.4	6.7	5.5	9.0	7.6	9.1	9.7	10.2	11.8	10.8	13.4
150	Education and research services	4.0	3.7	3.6	2.9	3.0	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.1	4.2	6.2	10.3
160	Legal and accounting services	0.4	0.6	0.3	0.5	0.9	0.9	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.3	1.2	1.5
170	Others services industry	9.6	12.6	10.8	13.1	12.8	11.9	12.7	13.0	14.5	11.9	11.8	10.4
180	Government	4.5	5.4	5.2	5.9	4.0	5.0	5.0	4.4	5.5	5.6	9.0	0.2
190	Other industries not elsewhere classified	1.4	0.6	0.1	0.9	1.0	0.1	0.7	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
999	No answer	1.1	1.4	2.6	1.6	1.2	2.8	1.1	1.6	1.3	2.9	1.9	1.9
	n	1321	1257	1318	1642	922	1877	1902	2195	1970	864	323	843
998	Not applicable												

998 Not applicable

*The wording for this question differs depending on the survey year.

From 2008, the cases of cohabiting were treated as married, and included for the question

183. SSXXHQXE Industry of Spouse Job (ISIC)*

What kind of business is your spouse's workplace (establishment, such as factory, office, store or hospital) engaged in? Please give details (e.g., selling vegetables, manufacturing automobiles, operating an inn, operating a branch of a bank, etc.).

Aggregate frequency distribution are shown in categories as follows:

Code	2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Agriculture, hunting and forestry	-	-	-	-	-	5.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fishing	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Manufacturing	-	-	-	-	-	21.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Electricity, gas and water supply	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Construction	-	-	-	-	-	9.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles and personal and household goods	-	-	-	-	-	15.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hotels and restaurants	-	-	-	-	-	4.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transport, storage and communications	-	-	-	-	-	5.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
Financial intermediation	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Real estate, renting and business activities	-	-	-	-	-	8.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Public administration and defence	-	-	-	-	-	5.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Education	-	-	-	-	-	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
Health and social work	-	-	-	-	-	7.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other community, social and personal service activities	-	-	-	-	-	6.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Private households with employed persons	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Extra-territorial organizations and bodies	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
999 分類不能、不明、No answer	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
n	-	-	-	-	-	922	-	-	-	-	-	-

888 Not applicable

* This variable was made out only for the respondents of self-administered questionnaire B in 2006 by using ISIC revision 3 classification.

184. SSXXJOB Occupation of Spouse Job*

What kind of job does your spouse usually do? Please give details (e.g., elementary school teacher, cram-school teacher, farmer, bus driver, automobile mechanic, supermarket cashier, accounting clerk at a bank, computer programmer, clerical staff member for a sales department, on-the-road sales person of cosmetics, etc.).

Code	2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Professionals	12.0	12.8	11.8	11.8	13.0	14.5	14.2	15.3	16.9	16.8	21.4	16.4
Managers	3.9	3.8	5.7	3.7	3.0	3.5	3.6	3.6	4.0	3.8	4.3	2.8
General office	22.1	24.0	25.9	24.7	23.2	24.7	23.3	24.0	22.7	21.8	19.5	25.0
Sales	16.4	17.1	13.7	12.3	15.5	14.3	15.2	15.3	16.3	16.4	16.4	14.7
Skilled	14.2	14.8	15.7	17.5	18.2	16.0	15.1	16.2	14.0	18.5	12.7	14.7
Semiskilled	12.9	10.2	12.1	12.7	10.7	11.2	11.8	11.2	11.3	8.7	10.5	11.3
Unskilled	7.0	7.5	5.7	6.6	6.3	6.9	7.4	6.7	8.1	6.6	6.5	8.1
Agricultural and forestry	8.5	5.9	6.0	8.0	7.3	5.7	5.6	4.3	4.5	4.3	5.6	4.4
Other industries not elsewhere classified	1.7	2.4	2.1	1.0	1.2	2.0	2.6	2.0	1.5	0.1	1.5	0.5
999 No answer	1.4	1.5	1.3	1.6	1.5	1.2	0.9	1.4	0.7	3.1	1.5	2.1
n	1321	1257	1318	1642	922	1877	1902	2195	1970	867	323	843

998 Not applicable

*The wording for this question differs depending on the survey year.

From 2008, the cases of cohabiting were treated as married, and included for the question.

185. SSXXJOBE Occupation of Spouse Job (ISCO)*

What kind of job does your spouse usually do? Please give details (e.g., elementary school teacher, cram-school teacher, farmer, bus driver, automobile mechanic, supermarket cashier, accounting clerk at a bank, computer programmer, clerical staff member for a sales department, on-the-road sales person of cosmetics, etc.).

Aggregate frequency distribution by Major group.

Code	2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Legislators, senior officials and managers	-	-	-	-	-	3.4	4.1	6.1	6.6	-	-	-
Professionals	-	-	-	-	-	10.0	10.0	10.3	10.4	-	-	-
Technicians and associate professionals	-	-	-	-	-	13.1	13.5	12.7	13.8	-	-	-
Clerks	-	-	-	-	-	21.9	19.0	19.8	19.1	-	-	-
Service workers and shop and market sales workers	-	-	-	-	-	15.1	14.6	15.4	16.1	-	-	-
Skilled agricultural and fishery workers	-	-	-	-	-	5.3	4.4	4.8	3.9	-	-	-
Craft and related trades workers	-	-	-	-	-	12.6	12.6	12.8	9.7	-	-	-
Plant and machine operators and assemblers	-	-	-	-	-	10.8	12.3	9.8	13.2	-	-	-
Elementary occupations	-	-	-	-	-	6.6	6.5	6.5	6.5	-	-	-
Armed forces	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.0	0.3	0.3	-	-	-
99999 No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	2.8	1.6	0.5	-	-	-
n	-	-	-	-	-	922	967	1089	958	-	-	-

88888 Not applicable

* This variable was made out only for the respondents of self-administered questionnaire B in 2006, 2008, 2010 and 2012 by using ISCO-88 classification. From 2008, the cases of cohabiting were treated as married, and included for the question.

186. SSXXJE08 Classification of Spouse Occupation (ISCO08)

What kind of job does your spouse usually do? Please give details (e.g., elementary school teacher, cram-school teacher, farmer, bus driver, automobile mechanic, supermarket cashier, accounting clerk at a bank, computer programmer, clerical staff member for a sales department, on-the-road sales person of cosmetics, etc.).

Code	2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Managers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.6	4.0	2.6
Professionals	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.9	12.7	9.3
Technicians and associate professionals	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.1	19.8	16.4
Clerical support workers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.2	16.1	20.3
Service and sales workers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.1	19.2	20.0
Skilled agricultural, forestry and fishery workers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.0	5.0	4.2
Craft and related trades workers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.9	9.0	8.1
Plant and machine operators, and assemblers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.2	8.4	11.3
Elementary occupations	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.8	4.0	5.8
Armed forces occupations	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0
99999 No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	1.9	2.1
n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	867	323	843

88888 Not applicable

187. SSSZSTFA Company Size of Spouse Job*

How many people work in the entire corporation or organization where your spouse works? Please answer the entire number of people in the corporation or organization. Also, please make sure to include all the working people such as family workers, non-regular employees, and him/herself.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1	5.4	4.7	5.1	4.8	5.7	5.3	5.1	5.2	5.5	3.8	6.5	4.4
2	2-4	19.1	18.0	18.3	20.5	20.5	17.5	16.1	14.8	13.6	11.2	11.2	13.2
3	5-9	8.7	8.9	10.2	6.2	9.5	7.8	7.9	8.0	8.8	7.4	8.7	7.4
4	10-29	12.3	10.5	12.0	12.9	9.9	10.8	12.0	11.0	11.9	10.1	6.5	11.6
5	30-99	13.2	15.2	12.1	12.5	11.1	10.4	11.4	11.2	10.5	11.8	9.0	9.0
6	100-299	7.0	8.5	7.7	6.6	8.7	7.4	7.5	7.5	6.5	8.4	8.4	8.9
7	300-499	2.8	2.0	2.7	2.0	3.0	2.5	2.6	3.2	3.1	3.2	2.2	3.1
8	500-999	3.0	3.4	2.8	2.8	3.3	2.8	3.8	3.1	3.1	2.6	3.1	3.2
9	1,000-1,999	3.7	3.2	3.4	3.3	2.7	3.3	2.9	4.1	3.8	4.0	3.7	3.9
10	2,000-9,999	4.3	4.5	4.6	4.1	3.3	4.6	4.9	4.5	4.2	5.1	5.3	5.0
11	10,000 or over	4.2	4.0	3.6	3.0	4.2	4.0	4.1	4.2	5.5	4.8	4.3	4.5
12	Government agency	5.7	5.4	5.5	9.0	6.8	8.0	7.5	8.2	8.9	7.6	13.7	8.7
13	Don't know	10.4	11.0	11.5	11.5	10.6	14.8	12.9	14.2	13.9	17.5	16.8	16.5
99	No answer	0.4	0.8	0.5	0.9	0.7	0.8	1.3	1.0	0.8	2.4	0.6	0.6
	n	1321	1257	1318	1642	922	1877	1902	2195	1970	868	322	842

88 Not applicable

* The wording for this question differs depending on the survey year.

From 2008, the cases of cohabiting were treated as married, and included for the question.

2006 Wording for the question changed: "How many people work in the entire corporation or organization where your spouse works? Please make sure to include family workers, non-regular employees, and him/herself." → "How many people work in the entire corporation or organization where your spouse works? Please answer the entire number of people in the corporation or organization. Also, please make sure to include all the working people such as family workers, non-regular employees, and him/herself."

188. SSSZWKYR Years at Work of Spouse Job*

How many years has your spouse been working for the corporation or organization he/she currently works at? If he/she is self-employed, give the number of years self-employed.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	For less than 1 yer	3.4	3.9	3.3	-	-	5.4	4.3	3.0	2.8	3.7	3.7	3.3
	For 1-4 years	16.8	16.5	16.7	-	-	17.7	17.4	17.8	17.7	17.1	15.2	19.1
	For 5-9 years	13.6	13.4	14.6	-	-	14.3	15.9	14.7	17.1	16.6	18.0	14.6
	For 10-19 years	23.8	23.1	23.6	-	-	21.0	21.6	23.4	22.6	22.0	26.7	26.4
	For 20-29 years	18.5	19.1	20.6	-	-	18.1	18.3	19.0	17.6	18.4	18.0	17.5
	More than 30 years	22.1	21.8	20.2	-	-	22.3	21.1	21.2	20.9	19.0	16.8	17.9
999	No answer	1.8	2.2	1.0	-	-	1.2	1.5	1.0	1.3	3.2	1.6	1.2
	n	1321	1257	1318	-	-	1877	1902	2195	1970	868	322	842

888 Not applicable

* The wording for this question differs depending on the survey year.

From 2008, the cases of cohabiting were treated as married, and included for the question.

The wording for this question in Japanese changed from 2006.

189. SSSZINCM Spouse Annual Income: Main Job*

How much did your spouse earn only from his/her main job last year?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	None	1.7	1.5	1.4	1.2	1.6	1.5	1.3	0.1	0.6	1.1	0.3	0.5
2	Less than 700,000 yen	5.8	5.2	5.5	5.9	5.9	4.6	6.8	6.6	6.8	5.4	5.0	7.9
3	700,000 yen -1 million yen	6.7	7.0	8.0	8.1	8.0	7.0	7.1	7.3	6.5	7.2	9.3	9.5
4	1 million yen -1.3 million yen	4.5	2.9	5.3	4.4	3.9	4.3	5.1	4.8	5.7	4.5	5.6	4.3
5	1.3 million yen - 1.5 million yen	2.7	1.5	3.1	2.6	2.1	2.8	3.1	2.9	3.8	3.0	2.2	2.7
6	1.5 million yen - 2.5 million yen	5.3	6.2	5.2	4.9	6.7	7.3	6.6	8.1	7.8	8.7	6.5	8.9
7	2.5 million yen -3.5 million yen	8.9	8.3	9.0	7.8	7.0	8.6	8.5	9.2	9.9	10.3	8.0	10.9
8	3.5 million yen - 4.5 million yen	7.7	9.9	8.9	8.8	7.0	8.3	7.4	8.9	10.0	8.5	6.5	7.9
9	4.5 million yen - 5.5 million yen	6.4	6.7	7.0	7.9	7.5	8.2	7.7	7.4	7.0	8.4	9.9	8.2
10	5.5 million yen - 6.5 million yen	5.8	5.7	4.7	6.5	4.4	5.8	5.1	5.6	6.0	5.9	6.2	6.4
11	6.5 million yen - 7.5 million yen	4.5	4.8	4.6	4.9	4.4	4.3	4.9	4.4	4.1	4.5	4.6	4.2
12	7.5 million yen -8.5 million yen	4.1	3.4	4.4	4.7	3.3	3.0	3.5	3.3	2.4	2.5	3.1	2.7
13	8.5 million yen - 10 million yen	4.3	4.5	3.6	3.5	2.9	3.0	2.8	2.6	2.3	3.6	3.4	2.0
14	10 million yen - 12 million yen	3.0	2.9	3.4	1.8	1.8	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.4	2.3	1.5	1.3
15	12 million yen - 14 million yen	1.1	1.2	0.5	0.7	0.4	0.7	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.4
16	14 million yen - 16 million yen	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.5	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.2
17	16 million yen - 18.5 million yen	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.0	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0
18	18.5 million yen - 23 million yen	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.6	0.4
19	23 million yen or over	0.2	0.1	0.5	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.0	0.0
20	Don't want to state the income	11.1	11.5	9.7	10.2	17.0	14.1	13.7	11.6	11.1	11.6	12.7	12.0
21	Don't know	14.9	15.4	14.0	14.9	14.4	10.6	8.2	8.1	9.5	7.3	9.9	8.7
99	No answer	0.4	0.8	0.2	0.4	0.5	3.6	5.4	6.2	3.9	3.7	4.0	0.9
	n	1321	1257	1318	1642	922	1877	1904	2196	1974	871	323	843

88 Not applicable

* Variable labels and wording for this question differ depending on the survey year.

Codes for this question differ between the single year data and cumulative data.

Code "22. Don't have a spouse" and "23 Don't work" in 2006-2018 correspond to "88 Not applicable" in years up through 2005.

From 2008, the cases of cohabiting were considered as married, and included for the question.

2005 Variable label changed: "Annual Income from Spouse Job" → "Spouse Annual Income: Main Job".

2006 Choices added: "22. Don't have a spouse" and "23. Don't work" were added.

Codes "22. Don't have a spouse" and "23 Don't work" in years from 2006 to 2018 correspond to "88 Not applicable" in years up through 2005.

2000-2010/2012 Codes integrated and recoded: From 2006, "22. Don't have a spouse" and "23. Don't work" are recoded as "88. Not applicable".

2000-2015 Codes integrated and recoded: Same as 2000-2010/2012

2000-2018 Same as 2000-2010

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "19. 23 million yen or over" in 189. SSSZINCM.

190. SSHIINCX Annual Income from Spouse Job: More Than 23 Million

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	23 million yen	0.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	25 million yen	0.0	0.0	16.7	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	30 million yen	0.0	0.0	33.3	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	40 million yen	50.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	45 million yen	0.0	0.0	0.0	50.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	100 million yen	0.0	0.0	16.7	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
999999	No answer	50.0	0.0	33.3	50.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	2	1	6	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
888888	Not applicable												

191. SSSZINCA Spouse Annual Income: Overall *

How much did your spouse earn last year? Include income from sources other than his/her jobs.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	None	-	-	-	-	-	12.8	10.9	10.4	10.7	10.4	6.3	10.2
2	Less than 700,000 yen	-	-	-	-	-	6.0	7.6	7.3	7.9	5.6	6.3	8.0
3	700,000 yen -1 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	7.8	7.5	8.5	7.6	9.9	10.3	10.3
4	1 million yen -1.3 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	4.1	4.9	4.9	5.6	5.0	5.3	6.4
5	1.3 million yen - 1.5 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	3.8	3.3	3.9	3.6	4.4	4.3
6	1.5 million yen - 2.5 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	7.8	7.6	7.9	8.6	9.0	7.7	9.9
7	2.5 million yen -3.5 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	7.9	7.8	8.0	8.6	8.8	9.3	9.7
8	3.5 million yen - 4.5 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	6.1	5.4	6.6	6.9	6.7	5.3	5.6
9	4.5 million yen - 5.5 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	5.5	5.2	4.8	4.7	5.9	6.9	5.5
10	5.5 million yen - 6.5 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	3.3	3.6	3.7	3.8	4.8	4.0
11	6.5 million yen - 7.5 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	3.1	3.1	2.7	2.9	3.0	2.6
12	7.5 million yen -8.5 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	2.1	2.3	1.7	1.7	2.0	1.8
13	8.5 million yen - 10 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	1.8	1.7	1.5	2.2	2.4	1.2
14	10 million yen - 12 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	0.9	1.0	0.9	1.5	1.0	1.0
15	12 million yen - 14 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.5	0.4	0.3
16	14 million yen - 16 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1
17	16 million yen - 18.5 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0
18	18.5 million yen - 23 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.6	0.2
19	23 million yen or over	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.1
20	Don't want to state the income	-	-	-	-	-	10.9	11.4	10.0	9.1	9.6	10.9	10.5
21	None	-	-	-	-	-	9.0	6.8	6.3	7.5	6.8	8.3	7.6
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	6.6	8.8	9.3	7.6	5.6	4.6	0.7
n		-	-	-	-	-	3115	3056	3630	3311	1438	505	1367

88 Not applicable

* From 2008, the cases of cohabiting were treated as married, and included for the question.

Codes for this question differ between the single year data and cumulative data.

2000-2010/2012 Code integrated: " 22. Don't have a spouse" → "88. Not applicable"

2000-2015 Code changed as in 2000-2010/2012.

2000-2018 Same as 2000-2010

192-201 How important are the job-related items shown below to you?

192. IM5SECUR Important Job Conditions: Employment Security

Job security

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	50.5	53.0	49.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	40.1	36.9	41.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	6.1	5.3	6.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	1.3	1.4	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	0.4	0.8	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	I don't know.	1.5	2.2	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.2	0.3	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

193. IM5HIPAY Important Job Conditions: High Income

High income

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	23.3	23.3	21.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	50.4	48.2	51.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	18.7	19.2	20.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	5.2	5.7	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	0.8	1.1	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	I don't know.	1.3	2.0	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.3	0.4	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

194. IM5PROMO Important Job Conditions: Opportunity for Promotion

Good opportunities for promotion

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	7.2	7.9	5.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	25.1	24.3	25.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	38.7	37.2	40.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	20.2	20.6	20.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	5.7	6.0	5.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	I don't know.	2.6	3.5	2.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.5	0.5	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

195. IM5INTRG Important Job Conditions: Interesting Work

An interesting job

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	28.9	30.8	29.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	50.1	47.6	49.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	15.1	14.3	15.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	3.2	3.2	3.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	0.7	0.8	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	I don't know.	1.7	2.7	1.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.3	0.6	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

196. IM5INDEP Important Job Conditions: Autonomy of Work

A job that allows me to work independently

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	9.9	9.8	9.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	31.7	30.7	30.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	41.7	40.6	42.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	11.5	12.8	12.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	1.9	1.7	1.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	I don't know.	2.9	3.5	3.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.4	0.8	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

197. IM5OTHER Important Job Conditions: Serve Others

A job that allows me to help other people

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	16.4	16.7	14.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	49.3	48.1	50.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	25.1	26.0	26.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	5.5	5.1	4.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	1.0	0.9	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	I don't know.	2.3	2.7	2.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.3	0.7	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

198. IM5SOCTY Important Job Conditions: Usefulness for the Society

A job that is useful to society

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	18.5	19.0	17.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	50.5	49.2	52.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	23.2	23.2	22.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	4.0	3.9	4.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	0.9	0.9	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	I don't know.	2.4	2.9	2.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.5	0.9	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

199. IM5FREE Important Job Conditions: Flexible Time

A job with flexible working hours/days

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	11.2	11.2	9.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	35.4	36.2	36.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	35.1	32.6	34.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	13.2	13.9	13.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	2.1	2.2	2.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	I don't know.	2.5	3.0	2.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.6	0.9	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

200. IM5FAMIL Important Job Conditions: Combined with Family Life

To be able to manage the work and family life

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	22.3	23.5	20.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	52.1	49.3	53.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	16.3	17.1	17.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	5.5	5.8	4.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	1.3	1.3	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	I don't know.	2.1	2.3	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.3	0.8	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

201. IM5TRG Important Job Conditions: Training Opportunity

To have the opportunity to receive education/ training

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	12.9	12.8	12.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	43.7	42.8	47.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	27.8	27.7	25.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	9.4	10.5	8.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	2.4	2.4	2.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	I don't know.	3.4	3.3	2.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.4	0.6	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. I worked last week", "2. I was going to work last week, but did not work due to illness or days off" in 33. XJOB1WK.

202. WLWKCND View on Work: Unsatisfied with Working Conditions

If you were unsatisfied with your working conditions such as wages or time, which action would you take, A or B?

A I will strive to improve the conditions within my current company or organization.

B Give up my current company or organization and look for a job or activity with better conditions.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	A	-	-	-	-	40.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat close to A	-	-	-	-	24.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat close to B	-	-	-	-	16.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	B	-	-	-	-	9.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	8.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	1247	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. I worked last week", "2. I was going to work last week, but did not work due to illness or days off" in 33. XJOB1WK.

203. WLWKMNG View on Work: Uneasy about Management

If you felt uneasy about the future management of your company or organization, which action would you take, A or B?

A I will strive to improve the conditions within my current company or organization.

B Give up my current company or organization and look for a more stable job or activity.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	A	-	-	-	-	35.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat close to A	-	-	-	-	23.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat close to B	-	-	-	-	19.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	B	-	-	-	-	12.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	9.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	1247	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

204. OPCNGJB View on Changing Job

Of the following two opinions A and B regarding work, which opinion is closest to your own?

- A It's better to have job experience at various places.
- B It's better to work for a long time at a single place.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	A	-	-	-	-	15.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat close to A	-	-	-	-	15.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat close to B	-	-	-	-	35.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	B	-	-	-	-	30.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	3.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

205. OP5UNION View on Labor Union

What is your opinion of the following statement? "Workers need strong trade unions to protect their interests."

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.6	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35.1	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	47.6	-	-
4	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.5	-	-
5	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

206. OPWSLPW View on Sense of Solidarity at Work: People in Workplace

People in my workplace have a strong sense of solidarity.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	True	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.7	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat true	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.2	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat untrue	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.5	-	-	-	-
4	Untrue	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.2	-	-	-	-
5	I am not employed/ I don't have any co-worker	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45.5	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

207. OPWSLRES View on Sense of Solidarity at Work: Respondent

I feel a strong sense of solidarity with my co-workers.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	True	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.5	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat true	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.8	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat untrue	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.6	-	-	-	-
4	Untrue	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.7	-	-	-	-
5	I am not employed/ I don't have any co-worker	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45.5	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. I worked last week", "2. I was going to work last week, but did not work due to illness or days off" in 33. XJOB1WK.

208. DOCMT Commuting

How long on the average does it take from your residence to your workplace?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Commuting	-	-	-	82.1	80.9	84.2	85.2	85.9	87.0	88.4	87.3	87.7
2	Residence and workplace are the same.	-	-	-	14.0	15.4	12.6	11.9	11.2	10.9	8.8	8.6	10.4
3	Workplace varies depending on the days.	-	-	-	3.8	3.6	3.0	2.7	2.6	1.9	2.4	4.1	1.7
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.3	0.0	0.1
n		-	-	-	2132	1247	2630	2671	3076	2893	1289	464	1206
8	Not applicable	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

209. SZCMTHR Commuting Time: Hours
The frequency table for this variable is omitted.

Code	
Actual number	
88	Not applicable
99	No answer

210. SZCMTMIN Commuting Time: Minutes
The frequency table for this variable is omitted.

Code	
Actual number	
888	Not applicable
999	No answer

211. SZCMTTL Commuting Time: Total
About ___hour(s)___minute(s)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	1-9 minute(s)	-	-	-	17.5	16.2	15.9	13.9	13.2	14.5	12.8	11.9	12.0
	10-19 minutes	-	-	-	29.1	28.7	28.5	29.9	30.1	28.9	28.3	30.9	31.9
	20-29 minutes	-	-	-	14.6	14.9	14.2	14.5	15.3	15.5	15.2	16.3	14.5
	30-39 minutes	-	-	-	12.9	14.1	13.4	15.0	14.5	14.6	15.5	13.8	14.2
	40-49 minutes	-	-	-	9.7	7.6	8.5	8.1	8.4	7.7	9.2	9.1	9.6
	50-59 minutes	-	-	-	2.2	2.3	3.2	2.7	3.5	3.0	2.7	2.7	1.7
	1-1.5 hours	-	-	-	10.6	11.5	12.7	11.9	10.3	12.4	11.9	10.9	12.9
	1-2 hours	-	-	-	2.3	3.3	2.9	3.2	3.8	2.3	3.3	3.7	2.7
	More than 2 hours	-	-	-	1.1	1.4	0.7	0.7	0.9	0.8	0.9	0.7	0.5
9999	No answer	-	-	-	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0
		n	-	-	1750	1009	2214	2277	2643	2517	1140	405	1058
8888	Not applicable												

212. CMTWALK Means of Commuting
What is your means of transportation to your workplace? Choose all that apply.

Code	
0	Not chosen
1	Chosen
8	Not applicable
9	No answer

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
CMTWALK	Means of Commuting: On foot	-	-	-	7.5	8.1	-	-	-	9.3	-	-	-
CMTBCYL	Means of Commuting: Bicycle	-	-	-	16.9	13.5	-	-	-	12.8	-	-	-
CMTMCYL	Means of Commuting: Motorcycle	-	-	-	4.7	4.8	-	-	-	3.5	-	-	-
CMTBUS	Means of Commuting: Bus	-	-	-	5.5	6.5	-	-	-	5.6	-	-	-
CMTTRAIN	Means of Commuting: Train	-	-	-	16.7	18.2	-	-	-	19.9	-	-	-
CMTCAR	Means of Commuting: Car	-	-	-	56.7	58.9	-	-	-	55.7	-	-	-
CMTBOAT	Means of Commuting: Ship/Boat	-	-	-	0.2	0.2	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-
CMTETC	Means of Commuting: Others	-	-	-	0.4	0.1	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1750	1009	-	-	-	2517	-	-	-

* In the cumulative data, CMTNOMK (Nothing marked) in 2003 is recoded to "9 No answer".
2005 The variable for "Nothing Marked" was not made out.

220. SZHSINCM Household Annual Income*

Which one of the following best describes your annual household income last year? Please answer the income before deducting taxes. Include income not only from your jobs, but also from all other sources such as stock shares, pensions, and real estate.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	None	0.3	0.3	1.0	0.5	0.9	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.4
2	Less than 700,000 yen	1.2	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.5
3	700,000 yen -1 million yen	1.2	1.4	1.7	1.6	2.0	1.0	1.2	1.0	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.1
4	1 million yen -1.3 million yen	1.0	1.6	1.8	1.9	2.2	1.2	1.5	1.3	2.3	1.8	1.9	1.3
5	1.3 million yen - 1.5 million yen	0.8	1.4	1.1	2.0	1.2	1.6	1.8	1.7	1.9	1.7	1.7	1.7
6	1.5 million yen - 2.5 million yen	4.4	4.6	5.2	7.2	5.6	5.8	6.1	7.1	8.1	6.9	7.1	7.8
7	2.5 million yen -3.5 million yen	7.7	7.6	8.4	8.2	7.5	8.5	9.9	10.2	10.6	10.1	9.8	10.6
8	3.5 million yen - 4.5 million yen	8.2	7.9	7.9	8.1	7.5	8.6	8.8	9.3	10.3	11.2	8.5	10.3
9	4.5 million yen - 5.5 million yen	7.1	6.2	7.5	6.7	6.1	8.3	8.6	8.8	8.2	7.8	8.7	8.6
10	5.5 million yen - 6.5 million yen	5.3	5.4	6.0	6.0	4.5	6.4	6.8	7.1	7.6	8.1	7.5	6.8
11	6.5 million yen - 7.5 million yen	5.0	4.9	5.6	5.0	4.4	5.6	5.8	5.9	6.0	5.6	5.4	5.1
12	7.5 million yen -8.5 million yen	6.2	5.1	4.5	4.6	3.5	5.4	5.1	5.2	4.9	5.0	5.2	5.4
13	8.5 million yen - 10 million yen	6.7	6.7	5.1	5.2	4.8	5.7	5.4	5.1	5.0	5.6	5.1	4.9
14	10 million yen - 12 million yen	5.9	5.6	4.1	4.0	3.1	3.9	3.6	3.4	3.2	3.1	5.4	4.0
15	12 million yen - 14 million yen	2.9	2.9	2.1	1.6	1.9	2.0	1.8	1.5	1.6	1.9	1.1	2.2
16	14 million yen - 16 million yen	1.8	1.4	1.5	1.3	1.4	1.2	1.1	1.0	0.6	1.4	1.7	1.1
17	16 million yen - 18.5 million yen	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.0	0.7
18	18.5 million yen - 23 million yen	0.9	0.7	0.9	0.5	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.6	0.9	0.5
19	23 million yen or over	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.4	0.6	0.8	0.8	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.3	0.3
20	Don't want to state the income	9.3	11.5	9.7	11.5	15.3	11.9	11.6	10.2	9.2	8.4	11.0	10.0
21	Don't know	22.0	21.5	20.6	19.8	23.6	19.4	17.0	17.6	15.7	16.5	16.1	16.5
99	No answer	0.3	0.9	2.8	1.9	0.7	0.8	1.0	1.2	0.9	1.0	0.3	0.1
n		2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

* Question format and the wording for this question differ depending on the survey year.

2006 Question format changed: Ask about household income as a single question → Ask about household income, the respondents' income, respondents' main job, the spouses' income, and the spouses' main job all together.

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "19. 23 million yen or over" in 220. SZHSINCM.

221. SZHSHINC Household Annual Income: More than 23 Million

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	23 million yen	4.8	7.1	5.9	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	23.8 million yen	0.0	0.0	5.9	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	24 million yen	4.8	0.0	5.9	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	25 million yen	4.8	14.3	5.9	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	26 million yen	9.5	0.0	5.9	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	28 million yen	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	30 million yen	9.5	0.0	35.3	13.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	35 million yen	4.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	40 million yen	0.0	7.1	0.0	6.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	43 million yen	4.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	68 million yen	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	100 million yen	0.0	0.0	5.9	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
999999	No answer	57.1	71.4	29.4	60.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		21	14	17	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
888888	Not applicable												

222. SZEXHOUS Housing Costs in Household Expenses

How much were your housing-related expenses for your family during the last one year? Tell us the approximate amount.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	None	-	-	26.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Less than 100,000 Yen	-	-	6.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	100,000 yen - 300,000 yen	-	-	7.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	300,000 yen - 500,000 yen	-	-	6.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	500,000 yen - 1 million yen	-	-	12.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	1 million yen - 1.5 million yen	-	-	8.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	1.5 million yen - 2 million yen	-	-	3.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	2 million yen - 2.5 million yen	-	-	2.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	2.5 million yen - 3 million yen	-	-	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	3 million yen - 4 million yen	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	4 million yen - 5 million yen	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
12	5 million yen - 6 million yen	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
13	6 million yen or over	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14	I choose not to answer.	-	-	3.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15	Don't know	-	-	16.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "13. 6 million yen or over" in 222. SZEXHOUS.

223. SZEXHIHS Housing Costs in Household Expenses: More Than 6 Million

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	6.5 million yen	-	-	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	7 million yen	-	-	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	8 million yen	-	-	11.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	9 million yen	-	-	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	10 million yen	-	-	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	11 million yen	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	12 million yen	-	-	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	12.5 million yen	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	19 million yen	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	20 million yen	-	-	7.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	25 million yen	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	30 million yen	-	-	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	50 million yen	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
999999	No answer	-	-	41.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	43	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
888888	Not applicable												

224. SZEXED Educational Costs in Household Expenses*

How much were the educational expenses for the children of your family during the last one year? Educational expenses for adult learners should be excluded.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	None	-	-	-	-	-	3.9	-	-	-	-	3.8	2.9
2	Less than 30,000 yen	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	1.5	1.0
3	30,000 yen - 50,000 yen	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-	1.2	1.0
4	50,000 yen - 100,000 yen	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	-	-	-	-	2.3	1.1
5	100,000 yen - 150,000 yen	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	-	-	-	-	1.3	1.4
6	150,000 yen - 200,000 yen	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-	-	2.3	1.7
7	200,000 yen - 300,000 yen	-	-	-	-	-	3.2	-	-	-	-	2.4	2.1
8	300,000 yen - 500,000 yen	-	-	-	-	-	5.8	-	-	-	-	3.2	4.8
9	500,000 yen - 1 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	5.1	-	-	-	-	5.6	4.7
10	1 million yen - 2 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	5.3	-	-	-	-	3.9	4.8
11	2 million yen - 3 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	-	-	-	-	2.6	2.2
12	3 million yen - 4 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	1.2	0.5
13	4 million yen - 5 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.3
14	5 million yen or over	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.2
15	All children finished schoolwork	-	-	-	-	-	61.5	-	-	-	-	42.2	46.2
16	No children	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.6	22.4
17	Don't want to state the expenses	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.3
18	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	-	-	-	-	1.2	1.6
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.6
	n	-	-	-	-	-	3345	-	-	-	-	744	1916

88 Not applicable

*In the single year data, the same variable name is incorporated, but in the cumulative data, the variable name in 2002 was changed from SZEXED to SZEXED since the target ranges are different between 2002 and 2006.

The cumulative data includes only the 2006 single-year data targeting for those who have children.

The variable labels are changed in the cumulative data.

For 2002 single-year data which the question was asked to all the respondents, see SZEXED02 (Educational Costs in Household Expenses (All)).

2017 Wording for the question changed: "Educational expenses for adult learners should be excluded" → "Include rent and allowances sent to children in school, but tuitions for adult learners should be excluded."

Choices added: "No children".

2000-2015 Variable labels changed: Same as 2000-2010/2012.

2000-2018 Codes changed: "16. No children" in 2000-2015 are added, and the following choices 16-17 are moved down to 17-18.

225. SZEXED02 Educational Costs in Household Expenses (All)*

How much were the educational expenses for the children of your family during the last one year? Tell us the approximate amount. Educational expenses for adult learners should be excluded.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	None	-	-	32.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Less than 30,000 yen	-	-	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	30,000 yen - 50,000 yen	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	50,000 yen - 100,000 yen	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	100,000 yen - 150,000 yen	-	-	1.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	150,000 yen - 200,000 yen	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	200,000 yen - 300,000 yen	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	300,000 yen - 500,000 yen	-	-	4.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	500,000 yen - 1 million yen	-	-	5.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	1 million yen - 2 million yen	-	-	4.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	2 million yen - 3 million yen	-	-	2.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
12	3 million yen - 4 million yen	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
13	4 million yen - 5 million yen	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14	5 million yen or over	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15	No children in the household	-	-	27.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
16	Don't want to state the income	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
17	Don't know	-	-	8.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
18	I am a student.	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

*This is a new variable created for the cumulative data 2000-2010.

2002 The values are same as SZEXED in single year datasets.

226. SZEXHIED Educational Costs in Household Expenses: More Than 5 Million

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	6 million yen	-	-	100.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99999	No answer	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
88888	Not applicable												

227. HHSIZE Number of Family Members Living Together Including Respondent *

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	One	7.7	7.7	8.4	8.3	8.5	8.0	8.7	8.2	10.9	9.1	12.2	10.7
	Two	24.6	26.8	24.6	27.0	26.1	26.9	27.2	28.2	28.8	30.0	24.6	29.0
	Three	22.4	21.6	22.0	21.8	23.4	22.7	24.8	24.0	23.4	25.0	25.8	23.4
	Four	21.3	21.7	20.4	20.1	21.5	22.0	20.3	21.1	19.8	19.9	20.2	19.6
	Five	12.5	11.4	12.3	11.0	9.1	10.9	10.0	9.7	9.5	9.2	10.2	9.3
	Six	7.3	7.0	8.1	7.4	7.5	5.6	6.1	5.8	5.0	3.9	4.2	5.3
	Seven	3.0	2.7	2.8	3.1	3.2	2.8	2.2	2.2	1.5	1.8	1.7	1.6
	Eight	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.5	1.0	0.5	0.4	0.6	0.6	0.9	0.6
	Nine	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2
	Ten	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1
	Eleven	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Twelve	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
999	No answer	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1
	n	2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

* This is a new variable created for the cumulative data 2000-2010.

The above table shows the size of households, including respondents, excluding family members not living together.

228. SZFFHERE Number of Family Members Living Together

How many family members, including yourself, live at your residence?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	One	7.7	7.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Two	24.6	26.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Three	22.4	21.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Four	21.3	21.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Five or more	23.9	22.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
999	No answer	0.1	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	2893	2790	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

229. SZFFAWAY Number of Family Members Living Separately

Are there any family members who are temporarily living separately, due to job transfer, school, hospitalization, institutionalization, etc.? If there are any, please state the number of such family members.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	None	86.1	85.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	One	10.3	10.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Two	2.8	3.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Three	0.5	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Four	0.1	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Five or more	0.0	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	0.1	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	2893	2790	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

230. FFRESIDE Living with Family

Are you living with your family?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Living with family	-	-	91.8	91.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Temporarily living away from family	-	-	0.3	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Living alone	-	-	7.7	7.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Others (living with friends etc.)	-	-	0.2	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	2953	3663	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "2. Temporarily living away from family" in 230. FFRESIDE.

231. FFSEPWY Reason for Temporality Leaving Home

Why are you living away from your family?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Job transfer	-	-	80.0	71.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Going to school away from home	-	-	0.0	7.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Hospitalized	-	-	0.0	7.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Living at a nursing home/care center for the elderly, etc.	-	-	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Others/not know	-	-	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Refuse to answer	-	-	10.0	7.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	10.0	7.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	10	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

232. SZFFONLY Number of Family Members Except Respondent *

How many people do you live together with excluding yourself?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	None	-	-	0.0	0.0	8.5	8.0	8.7	8.2	10.9	9.1	12.2	10.7
	One	-	-	24.6	27.2	26.1	26.9	27.2	28.2	28.8	30.0	24.6	29.0
	Two	-	-	21.7	22.1	23.4	22.7	24.8	24.0	23.4	25.0	25.8	23.4
	Three	-	-	23.3	23.2	21.5	22.0	20.3	21.1	19.8	19.9	20.2	19.6
	Four	-	-	15.1	12.9	9.1	10.9	10.0	9.7	9.5	9.2	10.2	9.3
	Five or more	-	-	15.3	14.6	11.4	9.5	9.0	8.7	7.5	6.6	7.0	7.8
999	No answer	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1
n		-	-	2722	3378	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916
888	Not applicable												

*Up through 2003 this question was asked to respondents who have family, and those who are not living with family or are living with their friends etc. were excluded. From 2005 survey, however, the question was asked to all respondents.

2002 Target range: Excluding those who answered "3. Respondent (living alone)" or "4. Other (living with friends, etc.)" in "FFRESIDE."

2005 Target range changed: All

233. SZFFTTL Number of Family Members Including Respondent *

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	One	-	-	0.0	0.0	8.5	-	8.7	8.2	10.9	9.1	12.2	10.7
	Two	-	-	24.6	27.2	26.1	-	27.2	28.2	28.8	30.0	24.6	29.0
	Three	-	-	21.7	22.1	23.4	-	24.8	24.0	23.4	25.0	25.8	23.4
	Four	-	-	23.3	23.2	21.5	-	20.3	21.1	19.8	19.9	20.2	19.6
	Five or more	-	-	30.4	27.5	20.6	-	19.0	18.4	17.0	15.9	17.2	17.1
999	No answer	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1
n		-	-	2722	3378	2023	-	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916
888	Not applicable												

*Up through 2003 this question was asked to respondents who have family, and those who are not living with family or are living with their friends etc. were excluded. From 2005 survey, however, the question was asked to all respondents.

2002 Target range: Excluding those who answered "3 Respondent (living alone)" or "4 Other (living with friends, etc.)" in "FFRESIDE."

2005 Target range changed: All

234. SZFFOUT Number of Family Members Temporarily Leaving Home *

Are there any family members who are temporarily living separately, due to the sorts of reasons given here? For example, it includes "job transfer" and "attending a college away from hometown." If there are any, please state the number of such family members.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	None	-	-	88.1	89.4	86.0	84.5	88.1	89.0	89.6	89.4	95.2	96.6
	One	-	-	9.2	8.6	9.8	11.6	8.7	8.6	7.6	8.5	3.9	2.6
	Two	-	-	2.3	1.6	2.6	2.7	2.3	1.9	2.0	1.6	0.8	0.5
	Three	-	-	0.3	0.2	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.2	0.0	0.2
	Four	-	-	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0
	Five or more	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1
999	No answer	-	-	0.0	0.1	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1
n		-	-	2722	3378	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916
888	Not applicable												

*The variable labels and wording for this question differ depending on the survey year.

Up through 2003, this question was asked to respondents who have family, and those who are not living with family or are living with their friends etc. were excluded. From 2005 survey, however, the question was asked to all respondents.

2002 Target range: Excluding those who answered "3. Respondent (living alone)" or "4. Other (living with friends, etc.)" in "FFRESIDE."

2005 Target range changed: All

2008 Wording for the question changed: "For example, it includes "job transfer" and attending a college away from hometown" was added.

235. FF01MARK Family Member 01: Presence or Absence*

The frequency tables for these variables are omitted.

Code

- 0 Not chosen
- 1 Chosen
- 8 Not applicable

*Up through 2001, this question was asked to all respondents. In 2002 and 2003, however, the question was asked to respondents who have family, and those who are not living with family or are living with their friends etc. were excluded.

2000 Target range: All.

2002 Target range changed: Those who answered "3 Respondent (living alone)" or "4 Other (living with friends, etc.)" in "FFRESIDE" were excluded.

236-342. Following question refers to all members of your family stated above. Please tell us their relationships to you, sex, age, whether they live at home or not, and, for each member who is temporarily living away from home, the reason for their absence.

FF[02-10]MARK Family Member 02-10: Presence or Absence*

The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

Code

- 0 Not chosen
- 1 Chosen
- 8 Not applicable

*Up through 2001, this question was asked to all the respondents. In 2002 and 2003, however, the question was asked to respondents who have family, and those who are not living with family or are living with their friends etc. were excluded.

2000 Target range: All.

2002 Target range changed: Those who answered "3 Respondent (living alone)" or "4 Other (living with friends, etc.)" in "FFRESIDE" were excluded.

FF[01-10]REL Family Member [01-10]: Relationships*

The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

<u>Code</u>		<u>Code</u>		<u>Code</u>	
00	Respondent himself/herself	29	Fifth daughter	60	Grandfather
01	Husband	30	Grandson	61	Grandmother
02	Wife	31	Granddaughter	62	Grandfather-in-law (Grandfather of spouse)
03	Child	32	Spouse of grandchild	63	Grandmother-in-law (Grandfather of spouse)
10	Child (male)	33	Great-grandson (male)	64	Older brother's children
11	Oldest son	34	Great-grandchild (female)	65	Younger brother's children
12	Second son	35	Grandchild	66	Older sister's children
13	Third son	40	Father	67	Younger sister's children
14	Wife of the oldest son	41	Mother	68	Nephew
15	Wife of the second son	42	Father-in-law (Father of spouse)	69	Niece
16	Wife of the third son	43	Mother-in-law (Mother of spouse)	71	Siblings of parents
17	Fourth son	44	Older brother's wife	72	Spouse of parent's brother or sister
18	Wife of the fourth son	45	Younger Brother's wife	73	Uncle
19	Fifth son	46	Older sister's husband	74	Aunt
20	Child (female)	47	Younger sister's husband	75	Children of aunts and uncles
21	Oldest daughter	50	Older brother	76	Great-grandfather
22	Second daughter	51	Younger brother	77	Great-grandmother
23	Third daughter	52	Older sister	80	Parent (male)
24	Husband of the Oldest daughter	53	Younger sister	81	Parent (female)
25	Husband of the Second daughter	54	Older brother of spouse	88	Not applicable
26	Husband of the Third daughter	55	Younger brother of spouse	90	Employee
27	Fourth daughter	56	Older sister of spouse	97	Others in the same relationship
28	Husband of the Fourth daughter	57	Younger sister of spouse	99	No answer

*Up through 2001, the question was asked to all respondents. In 2002 and 2003, however, the question was asked to respondents who have family, and those who are not living with family or are living with their friends etc. were excluded. As for the relationship with family members not living together, please see FFO[01-06]REL.

2000 Target range: All.

2002 Target range changed: Excluding those who answered "3 Respondent (living alone)" or "4. Other (living with friends, etc.)" in "FFRESIDE".

2006 Target range changed: Including those who answered "3 Respondent (living alone)" or "4. Other (living with friends, etc.)", excluding respondents.

FF[01-10]SEX Family Member [01-10]: Sex^{*}

The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

Code

- 1 Male
- 2 Female
- 8 Not applicable
- 9 No answer

* Up through 2001, this question was asked to all respondents. In 2002 and 2003, however, the question was asked to respondents who have family, and those who are not living with family or are living with their friends etc. were excluded. In 2006, the question was asked about sex of family members living together.

2000 Target range: All, including respondents

2002 Target range changed: Excluding those who answered "3 Respondent (living alone)" or "4 Other (living with friends, etc.)" in "FFRESIDE", including respondents.

2006 Target range changed: Including those who answered "3 Respondent (living alone)", "4 Other (living with friends, etc.)", excluding respondents.

FF[01-10]AGE Family Member [01-10]: Age^{*}

The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

Code

Actual number

- 888 Not applicable
- 999 No answer

* Up through 2001, this question was asked to all respondents. In 2002 and 2003, however, the question was asked to respondents who have family, and those who are not living with family or are living with their friends etc. were excluded. In 2006, the question was asked about sex of family members living together.

2000 Target range: All

2002 Target range changed: Excluding those who answered "3 Respondent (living alone)" or "4 Other (living with friends, etc.)" in "FFRESIDE", including respondents.

2006 Target range changed: Including those who answered "3 Respondent (living alone)" or "4 Other (living with friends, etc.)", excluding respondents.

FF[01-10]HERE Family Member [01-10]: Living Together

The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

Code

- 1 Living together
- 2 Not living together
- 8 Not applicable
- 9 No answer

FF[01-10]WHY Family Member [01-10]: Reason for Living Separately

The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

Code

- 1 Job transfer
- 2 Going to school away from home
- 3 Hospitalized
- 4 Living at a nursing home/care center for the elderly, etc.
- 5 Other/ don't know
- 6 Refuse to answer
- 8 Not applicable
- 9 No answer

FF[01-10]HOME Family Member [01-10]: Living at Home^{*}

The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

Code

- 1 At home
- 2 Not at home
- 8 Not applicable
- 9 No answer

* Excluding those who answered "living alone" or "Other (living with friends, etc.)" from the target range.

2002 Target range: Excluding those who answered "3. Respondent (living alone)" or "4. Other (living with friends, etc.)" in "FFRESIDE", including respondents.

FF[01-10]OUT Family Member [01-10]: Reason for Temporality Leaving Home *

The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

Code

- 1 Job transfer
- 2 Going to school away from home
- 3 Hospitalized
- 4 Living at a nursing home/care center for the elderly, etc.
- 5 Other/ don't know
- 6 Refuse to answer
- 8 Not applicable
- 9 No answer

*Excluding those who answered "living alone" or "Other (living with friends, etc.)" from the target range.

2002 Target range: Excluding those who answered "3. Respondent (living alone)" or "4 Other (living with friends, etc.)" in "FFRESIDE", including respondents.

FF[01-10]HEAD Family Member [01-10]: Head of the Household

The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

Code

- 1 Head of the household
- 2 Not head of the household
- 8 Not applicable
- 9 No answer

FF[01-09]MG Family Member[01-09]: Marital Status *

The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

Code

- 1 Currently married
- 2 Divorced
- 3 Widowed
- 4 Never married
- 5 Separated
- 6 Chabiting
- 8 Not applicable
- 9 No answer

*Only asked about the family members living together.

FF[01-09]JOB Family Member[01-09]: Working Now *

The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

Code

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 8 Not applicable
- 9 No answer

*Only asked about the family members living together.

343. FFHEAD Family Member: Head of the Household*

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
0	Respondent himself/herself	-	-	40.2	40.2	47.0	47.7	49.0	47.8	49.3	48.4	48.1	51.1
1	Husband	-	-	35.6	39.9	34.1	34.4	34.1	34.6	33.5	34.0	34.8	32.8
2	Wife	-	-	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
3	Child (unknown sex)	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
10	Son (unknown birth order)	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
11	Oldest son	-	-	3.9	3.6	3.4	2.6	2.1	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.0	1.8
12	Second son	-	-	0.3	0.5	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.0	0.2
13	Third son	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1
14	Wife of the oldest son	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1
15	Wife of the second son	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
16	Wife of the third son	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
17	Fourth son	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
18	Wife of the fourth son	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
19	Fifth son	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
20	Child (female)	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
21	Oldest daughter	-	-	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.2
22	Second daughter	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1
23	Third daughter	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
24	Husband of the Oldest daughter	-	-	0.6	0.7	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.0	0.1	0.2

25	Husband of the Second daughter	-	-	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1
26	Husband of the Third daughter	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1
27	Fourth daughter	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
28	Husband of the fourth daughter	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
29	Fifth daughter	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
30	Grandson	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
31	Granddaughter	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
32	Spouse of grandchild	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
33	Great-grandson	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
34	Great-granddaughter	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
35	Grandchild (unknown sex)	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
40	Father	-	-	10.5	10.4	9.9	9.8	10.3	10.3	10.1	10.8	10.3	9.4
41	Mother	-	-	1.4	1.6	2.0	1.7	1.5	2.1	1.8	1.9	2.3	2.0
42	Father-in-law (Father of spouse)	-	-	1.2	1.3	1.7	1.3	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.8
43	Mother-in-law (Mother of spouse)	-	-	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1
44	Older brother's wife	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
45	Younger Brother's wife	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
46	Older sister's husband	-	-	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
47	Younger sister's husband	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
50	Older brother	-	-	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.5	0.2
51	Younger brother	-	-	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1
52	Older sister	-	-	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.2
53	Younger sister	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
54	Older brother of spouse	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
55	Younger brother of spouse	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
56	Older sister of spouse	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
57	Younger sister of spouse	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
60	Grandfather	-	-	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.4	0.2
61	Grandmother	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1
62	Grandfather-in-law (Grandfather of spouse)	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
63	Grandmother-in-law (Grandmother of spouse)	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
64	Child of older brother	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
65	Child of younger brother	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
66	Child of older sister	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
67	Child of younger sister	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
68	Nephew	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
69	Niece	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
71	Sibling of parent	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
72	Spouse of sibling of parent	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
73	Uncle	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
74	Aunt	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
75	Cousin	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
76	Great-grandfather	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
77	Great-grandmother	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
97	Other	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.1
99	No answer	-	-	4.7	0.4	0.2	0.5	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.1
		n		2722	3378	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

88 Not applicable

* The wording for this question differs depending on the survey year.

Up through 2003 this question was asked to respondents who have family, and those who are not living with family or with their friends etc. are excluded. From 2005 survey, however, the question was asked to all the respondents.

2002 Target range: Excluding those who answered "3. Respondent (living alone)" or "4. Other (living with friends, etc.)" in "FFRESIDE."

2005 Target range changed: All the respondents.

Following are the variables of household members made out from FF[01-10]REL

344.	FFSELF	Number of Family Members: Respondent	code	0	Not chosen	1	Chosen	8	Not applicable
345.	FFHH	Number of Family Members: Husband	code	0	Not chosen	1	Chosen	8	Not applicable
346.	FFWW	Number of Family Members: Wife	code	0	Not chosen	1	Chosen	8	Not applicable
347.	FFCCX	Number of Family Members: Child (unknown sex)	code	real number filled in				88	Not applicable
348.	FFCCMX	Number of Family Members: Son (Unknown Birth Order)	code	real number filled in				88	Not applicable
349.	FFCCM1	Number of Family Members: Oldest Son	code	0	Not chosen	1	Chosen	8	Not applicable
350.	FFCCM2	Number of Family Members: Second Son	code	0	Not chosen	1	Chosen	8	Not applicable
351.	FFCCM3	Number of Family Members: Third Son	code	0	Not chosen	1	Chosen	8	Not applicable
352.	FFCCM1WW	Number of Family Members: Wife of the Oldest Son	code	0	Not chosen	1	Chosen	8	Not applicable
353.	FFCCM2WW	Number of Family Members: Wife of the Second Son	code	0	Not chosen	1	Chosen	8	Not applicable
354.	FFCCM3WW	Number of Family Members: Wife of the Third Son	code	0	Not chosen	1	Chosen	8	Not applicable
355.	FFCCM4	Number of Family Members: Fourth Son	code	0	Not chosen	1	Chosen	8	Not applicable
356.	FFCCM4WW	Number of Family Members: Wife of the Fourth Son	code	0	Not chosen	1	Chosen	8	Not applicable
357.	FFCCM5	Number of Family Members: Fifth Son	code	0	Not chosen	1	Chosen	8	Not applicable
358.	FFCCFX	Number of Family Members: Daughter							

	(Unknown Birth Order)	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
359.	FFCCF1 Number of Family Members: Oldest Daughter	code	0 Not chosen	1 Chosen	8	Not applicable
360.	FFCCF2 Number of Family Members: Second Daughter	code	0 Not chosen	1 Chosen	8	Not applicable
361.	FFCCF3 Number of Family Members: Third Daughter	code	0 Not chosen	1 Chosen	8	Not applicable
362.	FFCCF1HH Number of Family Members: Husband of the Oldest Daughter	code	0 Not chosen	1 Chosen	8	Not applicable
363.	FFCCF2HH Number of Family Members: Husband of the Second Daughter	code	0 Not chosen	1 Chosen	8	Not applicable
364.	FFCCF3HH Number of Family Members: Husband of the Third Daughter	code	0 Not chosen	1 Chosen	8	Not applicable
365.	FFCCF4 Number of Family Members: Fourth Daughter	code	0 Not chosen	1 Chosen	8	Not applicable
366.	FFCCF4HH Number of Family Members: Husband of the Fourth Daughter	code	0 Not chosen	1 Chosen	8	Not applicable
367.	FFCCF5 Number of Family Members: Fifth Daughter	code	0 Not chosen	1 Chosen	8	Not applicable
368.	FFCCGMX Number of Family Members: Grandson	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
369.	FFCCGFX Number of Family Members: Granddaughter	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
370.	FFCCGSPX Number of Family Members: Spouse of Grandchild	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
371.	FFCCGGMX Number of Family Members: Great-grandson	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
372.	FFCCGGFX Number of Family Members: Great-granddaughter	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
373.	FFCCGX Number of Family Members: Grandchild					
	(Unknown Sex)	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
374.	FFPP Number of Family Members: Father	code	0 Not chosen	1 Chosen	8	Not applicable
375.	FFMM Number of Family Members: Mother	code	0 Not chosen	1 Chosen	8	Not applicable
376.	FFPPLAW Number of Family Members: Father-in-law	code	0 Not chosen	1 Chosen	8	Not applicable
377.	FFMMLAW Number of Family Members: Mother-in-law	code	0 Not chosen	1 Chosen	8	Not applicable
378.	FFBREWWX Number of Family Members: Wife of Older Brother	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
379.	FFBRYWWX Number of Family Members: Wife of Younger Brother	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
380.	FFSIEHHX Number of Family Members: Husband of Older Sister	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
381.	FFSIYHHX Number of Family Members: Husband of Younger Sister	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
382.	FFBREX Number of Family Members: Older Brother	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
383.	FFBRYX Number of Family Members: Younger Brother	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
384.	FFSISEX Number of Family Members: Older Sister	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
385.	FFSISYX Number of Family Members: Younger Sister	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
386.	FFSPBREX Number of Family Members: Older Brother of Spouse	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
387.	FFSPBRYX Number of Family Members: Younger Brother of Spouse	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
388.	FFSPSEX Number of Family Members: Older Sister of Spouse	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
389.	FFSPSYX Number of Family Members: Younger Sister of Spouse	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
390.	FFPPGX Number of Family Members: Grandfather	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
391.	FFMMGX Number of Family Members: Grandmother	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
392.	FFSPPPGX Number of Family Members: Grandfather-in-law	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
393.	FFSPMMGX Number of Family Members: Grandmother-in-law	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
394.	FFBRECCX Number of Family Members: Child of Older Brother	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
395.	FFBRYCCX Number of Family Members: Child of Younger Brother	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
396.	FFSIECCX Number of Family Members: Child of Older Sister	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
397.	FFSIYCCX Number of Family Members: Child of Younger Sister	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
398.	FFSBCCMX Number of Family Members: Nephew	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
399.	FFSBCCFX Number of Family Members: Niece	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
400.	FFUNATX Number of Family Members: Sibling of Parent	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
401.	FFUNASPX Number of Family Members: Spouse of Sibling of Parent	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
402.	FFUNX Number of Family Members: Uncle	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
403.	FFATX Number of Family Members: Aunt	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
404.	FFUNACCX Number of Family Members: Cousin	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
405.	FFPPGGX Number of Family Members: Great-grandfather	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
406.	FFMMGGX Number of Family Members: Great-grandmother	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
407.	FFPPNS Number of Family Members: Father of Respondent/Spouse	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
408.	FFMMNS Number of Family Members: Mother of Respondent/Spouse	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
409.	FFSTAFF Number of Family Members: Employee	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable
410.	FFETCX Number of Family Members: Others	code	real number filled in		88	Not applicable

411. SPAGEX Age of Spouse*

Please tell us the age of your spouse.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	20-29 years old	4.8	3.9	4.7	4.0	3.9	3.0	2.9	3.1	3.7	3.8	1.6	2.3
	30-39 years old	14.3	14.2	13.3	14.2	14.0	15.7	14.8	14.8	14.5	14.3	15.6	13.4
	40-49 years old	19.8	20.5	20.0	16.6	17.5	17.4	19.3	18.5	18.2	18.5	22.4	17.8
	50-59 years old	24.8	25.7	25.9	23.8	24.2	24.1	22.9	20.9	19.6	18.5	15.8	19.4
	60-69 years old	23.3	19.6	21.5	23.2	21.9	22.3	23.0	24.7	23.2	23.5	23.6	22.5
	70-79 years old	10.3	13.0	11.6	14.7	15.1	13.8	13.2	13.9	15.5	15.4	15.0	18.1
	80-89 years old	2.2	2.2	1.8	2.7	2.6	2.5	3.1	3.5	4.2	5.1	5.1	5.7
	90 years old	0.0	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3
999	No answer	0.5	0.6	0.9	0.5	0.7	1.2	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.4
	n	2095	2056	2173	2698	1473	3115	3056	3629	3311	1437	505	1367

888 Not applicable

*Up through 2003, the age of respondents' spouse was not asked directly, and extracted from the answers on the age of household members.

In the 2005 survey, the spouses' age as of September 1 was asked directly.

In 2006 the age was extracted from SPAGEZ (only in self-administered questionnaire B) which asked the age of respondents' spouses directly, and from the answers on the age of household members.

From 2008, the cases of cohabiting were treated as married, and included for the question. From 2008, the age of respondents' spouse was asked directly.

412. SPLVTG Living Together with Spouse*

Do you live with your spouse?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Living together	-	-	-	-	98.2	-	98.3	98.3	97.1	98.1	97.2	98.5
2	Not living together (because of work circumstances)	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	1.2	1.1	1.9	1.4	1.2	0.8
3	Not living together (for other reasons)	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	0.5	0.5	1.0	0.6	1.6	0.7
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	n	-	-	-	-	1473	-	3056	3629	3311	1437	505	1367

8 Not applicable

* From 2008, the cases of cohabiting were treated as married, and included for the question.

413. PPLVTG Father: Living with/Alive or Deceased*

Are your father alive? If so, do you live with them?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Living together	-	-	-	-	12.7	12.1	12.8	12.9	12.6	-	-	-
2	Not living together	-	-	-	-	25.1	26.8	27.6	26.7	27.3	-	-	-
3	Deceased	-	-	-	-	61.7	61.2	59.4	60.2	59.8	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	0.5	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.2	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

* The question format differs depending on the survey year.

2005 Question format: Ask if they are living together/ not living together/ deceased.

2006 Question format / the wording for choices changed: First asked whether parents are alive. Only for those who answered parents are alive, then asked a next question, whether respondents live together with the living parent.

2008 Question format changed: Asked only about a respondent's own parent: whether respondents live together/ not living together/ deceased.

414. PPAGE Father: Age*

How old is your father.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	30-39 years old	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.1
	40-49 years old	-	-	-	-	2.2	2.7	1.9	1.8	2.1	3.2	3.6	2.0
	50-59 years old	-	-	-	-	23.9	21.9	18.4	16.9	15.2	15.4	12.5	14.4
	60-69 years old	-	-	-	-	27.9	30.9	32.0	33.5	34.5	31.8	34.5	31.2
	70-79 years old	-	-	-	-	26.1	26.5	26.4	28.1	26.8	28.4	26.6	28.8
	80-89 years old	-	-	-	-	11.0	13.6	14.8	14.1	14.9	14.6	15.5	17.1
	90 years old	-	-	-	-	1.9	2.1	3.1	2.7	2.3	3.2	3.6	4.0
999	No answer	-	-	-	-	7.1	2.4	3.4	2.9	4.1	3.3	3.3	2.3
	n	-	-	-	-	775	1652	1715	1989	1876	876	304	743

888 Not applicable

* The question format differs depending on the survey year.

In 2005, the question asked the age as of September 1.

In 2006, the age at the time of the interview was asked for a father indicated on the questionnaire as "not living together," and totals obtained by adding data on age for father indicated as "living together" in responses to FF[**]REL, FF[**]AGE.

From 2008, the age of living father was asked directly.

415. PPMG Father: Marital Status*

Is your father now married, divorced, widowed, never married, separated, or cohabiting?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Married	-	-	-	-	-	87.4	83.0	86.2	84.6	86.4	85.2	87.1
2	Divorced	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	3.5	3.2	3.9	4.3	5.9	4.2
3	Widowed	-	-	-	-	-	8.0	8.7	7.4	7.6	7.5	7.9	8.3
4	Never married	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
5	Separated	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.0
6	Cohabiting	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.1
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	4.7	3.2	3.8	1.7	0.7	0.3
n		-	-	-	-	-	1652	1715	1989	1876	876	304	743

8 Not applicable

* Question format and the wording for this question differ depending on the survey year.

Question format and codes for this question differ depending on the survey year.

In 2006, the marital status was asked for a father indicated on the questionnaire as "not living together," and totals obtained by adding data on marital status for father indicated as "living together" in responses to FF[**]REL, FF[**]MG.

From 2008, the marital status of living father was asked directly.

From 2008, the choices of "separated" and "cohabiting" have been removed.

2008 Wording for the question changed: "I (person) now married, divorced, widowed, never, married, separated, or cohabiting?" → "What are your father's or mother's marital status?"

Choices changed: "separated" and "cohabiting" were removed.

2017 Choices changed: "separated" and "cohabiting" were added.

416. PPFAM Father: Persons Living Together*

With whom is your father currently living?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	With respondent	-	-	-	-	-	31.1	-	-	-	-	31.3	31.0
1	With married sons	-	-	-	-	-	11.4	-	-	-	-	5.3	5.7
2	With married daughters	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	-	-	-	-	3.0	2.4
3	With unmarried children	-	-	-	-	-	7.6	-	-	-	-	7.9	7.7
4	With spouse only	-	-	-	-	-	33.8	-	-	-	-	39.8	39.4
5	Living alone	-	-	-	-	-	5.8	-	-	-	-	5.3	4.8
6	Living in the institution	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	0.7	2.8
7	Other	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	-	-	-	-	5.9	5.0
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	-	-	-	-	1.0	1.2
n		-	-	-	-	-	1652	-	-	-	-	304	743

8 Not applicable

*The question asks about the persons living together with respondent's father who live separately from respondents. However, the dataset also includes information on the persons living together for father indicated as "living together" in responses to FF[**]REL. Therefore, choices "0. With respondent" was added.

The way of aggregation changed: Information on <fathers living together> was compensated for from "living together" in PPLVT, choice of "0. With respondent" was added.

417. PPJOB Father: Working Now*

Is your father currently working for pay?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	52.5	49.2	48.7	49.0	49.5	48.7	49.0
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	45.5	47.5	49.1	46.6	47.6	49.3	49.5
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	3.3	2.2	4.4	2.9	2.0	1.5
n		-	-	-	-	-	1652	1715	1989	1876	876	304	743

8 Not applicable

* Question format for this question differs depending on the survey year.

In 2006, the job status was asked for father indicated on the questionnaire as "not living together," and totals obtained by adding data on job status for father indicated as "living together" in responses to FF[**]REL, FF[**]JOB.

From 2008, the job status of living father was asked directly.

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "2. Not living together" in 413. PPLVTG.

418. PPDIST Father: Distance to Respondent Home

How far does your father live from you?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Next door, same building, or same street	-	-	-	-	-	4.1	-	-	-	-	5.3	4.1
2	Within 15 minutes' walk	-	-	-	-	-	10.9	-	-	-	-	10.0	9.4
3	Within 30 minutes by car or train, etc.	-	-	-	-	-	28.1	-	-	-	-	26.8	29.6
4	Within 30 minutes to an hour by car or train, etc.	-	-	-	-	-	17.6	-	-	-	-	20.1	20.7
5	Within an hour to 3 hours by car, train, etc.	-	-	-	-	-	17.2	-	-	-	-	21.1	14.6
6	More than 3 hours by car, train, etc.	-	-	-	-	-	17.8	-	-	-	-	13.4	18.5
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	4.2	-	-	-	-	3.3	3.1
n		-	-	-	-	-	1138	-	-	-	-	209	513

8 Not applicable

419. PPCNTA Father: Frequency of Direct Contact

How often do you keep in face-to-face contact with your father?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	-	-	7.0	-	-	-	-	6.7	9.0
2	Several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	9.0	-	-	-	-	8.1	7.2
3	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	13.6	-	-	-	-	13.9	12.1
4	About once a month	-	-	-	-	-	25.1	-	-	-	-	28.7	29.0
5	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	29.5	-	-	-	-	28.2	29.8
6	About once a year	-	-	-	-	-	6.9	-	-	-	-	5.3	5.1
7	Less than once a year	-	-	-	-	-	5.7	-	-	-	-	8.1	6.6
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	-	-	-	-	1.0	1.2
	n	-	-	-	-	-	1138	-	-	-	-	209	513
8	Not applicable												

420. PPCNTB Father: Frequency of Indirect Contact

How often do you keep in any other contact besides face-to-face contact (talking on the phone, writing letters/e-mail, etc.) with your father?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	-	-	-	-	5.7	4.5
2	Several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	12.3	-	-	-	-	12.9	13.8
3	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	19.4	-	-	-	-	19.1	19.3
4	About once a month	-	-	-	-	-	28.6	-	-	-	-	31.1	26.9
5	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	17.5	-	-	-	-	13.9	18.3
6	About once a year	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	-	-	-	-	2.9	3.3
7	Less than once a year	-	-	-	-	-	12.0	-	-	-	-	12.9	12.7
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	3.7	-	-	-	-	1.4	1.2
	n	-	-	-	-	-	1138	-	-	-	-	209	513
8	Not applicable												

421. PPLV4G Father: Living with/Living apart by distance/Alive or Deceased

Are your father and/or mother alive? If so, do you live with them?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Living with together	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.1	-	-
2	Living apart by distance (less than 30 minutes)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.6	-	-
3	Living apart by distance (more than 30 minutes)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.0	-	-
4	Deceased	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	57.9	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

422. PPLIVE Father: Alive or not

Are your (your spouse's) father and/or mother still alive?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Alive	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40.9	38.8
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	59.1	61.2
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	744	1916

423. PPLVT Father: Living with/separately/temporarily leaving home

Is your father living with you?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Living together	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31.3	31.0
2	Not living together	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	67.4	67.6
3	Temporarily not living together	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	1.5
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	304	743
8	Not applicable												

424. PPWHY Father: Reason for Temporarily Leaving Home

What is the primary reason for staying somewhere else?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	For your work	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.0	0.0
2	For your schoolwork	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	9.1
3	For the family member's work	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50.0	45.5
4	For the family member's schoolwork	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0
5	For the family member's hospitalization for a long period	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	18.2
6	For the family member's living at a nursing home/care center for the elderly, etc	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.0	27.3
7	other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	11
8	Not applicable												

425. PPLVT0 Father: Living separately temporarily or permanently

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Living separately	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	68.8	69.0
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31.3	31.0
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	304	743
8	Not applicable												

426. MMLVTG Mother: Living with/Alive or Deceased *

Are your mother alive? If so, do you live with them?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Living together	-	-	-	-	18.7	17.4	18.2	18.9	17.9	-	-	-
2	Not living together	-	-	-	-	34.7	38.5	38.4	37.3	37.8	-	-	-
3	Deceased	-	-	-	-	46.1	44.1	43.2	43.7	44.2	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	0.5	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.2	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

*Question format and the wording for this question differ depending on the survey year.

2005 Question format: The question asks if parents are living together/ not living together/ deceased.

2006 Question format / the wording for choices changed: The question first asks if parents are alive, then asks only if the living parents are living together with respondents or not.

2008 Question format changed: The question asks only about the respondents' own parents, whether parents are living together/ not living together with respondents, or deceased.

427. MIMAGE Mother: Age *

How old is your mother?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	30-39 years old	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	40-49 years old	-	-	-	-	4.3	3.8	3.3	3.1	3.0	3.2	5.1	3.2
	50-59 years old	-	-	-	-	20.9	20.7	18.1	16.9	16.5	17.4	12.8	13.7
	60-69 years old	-	-	-	-	24.6	25.3	26.9	28.3	29.6	26.3	28.0	25.1
	70-79 years old	-	-	-	-	23.1	23.4	23.8	24.0	25.0	25.6	26.8	27.6
	80-89 years old	-	-	-	-	16.8	19.0	19.6	19.6	17.2	18.3	18.4	19.7
	90 years old	-	-	-	-	5.8	6.1	5.5	5.8	6.4	7.0	7.2	9.2
999	No answer	-	-	-	-	4.5	1.7	2.8	2.2	2.4	2.2	1.6	1.5
	n	-	-	-	-	1090	2378	2398	2817	2605	1209	429	1070
888	Not applicable												

*Question format and the wording for this question differ depending on the survey year.

In 2005, the question asked the age as of September 1.

In 2006, the age at the time of the interview was asked for a mother indicated on the questionnaire as "not living together," and totals obtained by adding data on age for mother indicated as "living together" in responses to FF[**]REL, FF[**]AGE.

From 2008, the age of living mother was asked directly.

428. MMMG Mother: Marital Status*

Is your mother now married, divorced, widowed, never married, separated, or cohabiting?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Currently married	-	-	-	-	-	60.7	59.2	60.6	61.1	62.5	60.4	60.0
2	Divorced	-	-	-	-	-	4.3	3.5	3.6	4.3	4.6	8.6	5.8
3	Widowed	-	-	-	-	-	33.8	32.3	31.5	30.6	31.0	30.1	33.9
4	Never-married	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.0
5	Separated	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.0
6	Cohabiting	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	5.0	4.1	3.9	1.6	0.5	0.3
n		-	-	-	-	-	2378	2398	2817	2605	1209	429	1070

8 Not applicable

*Question format and the wording for this question differ depending on the survey year.

In 2006, the marital status was asked for a mother indicated on the questionnaire as "not living together," and totals obtained by adding data on marital status for mother indicated as "living together" in responses to FF[**]REL, FF[**]MG.

From 2008, the choices of "separated" and "cohabiting" have been removed, and the marital status of living mother was asked directly.

2008 The wording for the question changed: "I (person) now married, divorced, widowed, never, married, separated, or cohabiting?" → "What are your father's or mother's marital status?"

Choices changed: From 2008, "separated" and "cohabiting" were removed.

Choices changed: From 2008, "separated" and "cohabiting" were added.

429. MMFAM Mother: Persons Living Together*

With whom is your mother currently living?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	With respondent	-	-	-	-	-	31.2	-	-	-	-	29.6	32.3
1	With married sons	-	-	-	-	-	15.8	-	-	-	-	9.6	9.1
2	With married daughters	-	-	-	-	-	4.9	-	-	-	-	3.5	4.5
3	With unmarried children	-	-	-	-	-	6.8	-	-	-	-	7.2	7.7
4	With spouse only	-	-	-	-	-	23.5	-	-	-	-	28.7	26.5
5	Living alone	-	-	-	-	-	10.3	-	-	-	-	13.1	11.8
6	Living in the institution	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	-	-	-	-	5.6	4.8
7	Other	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-	-	2.3	2.7
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	-	-	-	-	0.5	0.7
n		-	-	-	-	-	2378	-	-	-	-	429	1070

8 Not applicable

*The question was asked for a mother indicated in the questionnaire as "not living together," and totals obtained from the data on the persons living together for mother indicated as "living together" in responses to FF[**]REL, and added choices "0. With respondent".

2017 The way of aggregation changed: Information on a mother who are "living together" in responses to MMLVT was supplemented. The choice of "0. With respondent" was added.

430. MMJOB Mother: Working Now*

Is your mother currently working for pay?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	30.2	28.5	29.4	30.8	30.4	31.9	31.4
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	68.3	68.2	68.0	66.0	67.3	67.4	67.9
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	3.3	2.6	3.3	2.2	0.7	0.7
n		-	-	-	-	-	2378	2398	2817	2605	1209	429	1070

8 Not applicable

*Question format and the wording for this question differ depending on the survey year.

In 2006, the job status was asked for mother indicated on the questionnaire as "not living together," and totals obtained by adding data on job status for mother indicated as "living together" in responses to FF[**]REL, FF[**]JOB.

From 2008, the job status of living mother was asked directly.

426. MMLVTG Following question was asked to respondents who answered "2. Not living together"

431. MMDIST Mother: Distance to Respondent Home

How far does your mother live from you?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Next door, same building, or same street	-	-	-	-	-	4.3	-	-	-	-	4.6	4.6
2	Within 15 minutes' walk	-	-	-	-	-	11.0	-	-	-	-	12.3	9.9
3	Within 30 minutes by car or train, etc.	-	-	-	-	-	30.0	-	-	-	-	28.8	31.9
4	Within 30 minutes to an hour by car or train, etc.	-	-	-	-	-	16.7	-	-	-	-	20.5	20.9
5	Within an hour to 3 hours by car, train, etc.	-	-	-	-	-	18.3	-	-	-	-	20.2	15.3
6	More than 3 hours by car, train, etc.	-	-	-	-	-	17.0	-	-	-	-	12.9	16.3
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	-	-	-	-	0.7	1.1
	n	-	-	-	-	-	1636	-	-	-	-	302	724
8	Not applicable												

432. MMCNTA Mother: Frequency of Direct Contact

How often do you keep in face-to-face contact with your mother?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	-	-	7.8	-	-	-	-	7.0	8.1
2	Several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	9.3	-	-	-	-	12.3	9.0
3	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	14.9	-	-	-	-	14.2	14.6
4	About once a month	-	-	-	-	-	26.4	-	-	-	-	31.8	30.5
5	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	27.3	-	-	-	-	24.5	26.8
6	About once a year	-	-	-	-	-	7.9	-	-	-	-	6.0	6.4
7	Less than once a year	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	-	-	-	-	3.6	4.3
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-	-	0.7	0.3
	n	-	-	-	-	-	1636	-	-	-	-	302	724
8	Not applicable												

433. MMCNTB Mother: Frequency of Indirect Contact

How often do you keep in any other contact besides face-to-face contact (talking on the phone, writing letters/e-mail, etc.) with your mother?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	-	-	5.6	-	-	-	-	10.3	8.3
2	Several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	14.6	-	-	-	-	16.6	16.9
3	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	22.9	-	-	-	-	20.5	20.4
4	About once a month	-	-	-	-	-	27.4	-	-	-	-	27.8	25.7
5	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	13.0	-	-	-	-	11.6	13.0
6	About once a year	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	-	-	-	-	2.3	2.5
7	Less than once a year	-	-	-	-	-	11.4	-	-	-	-	10.3	12.8
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	-	-	-	-	0.7	0.4
	n	-	-	-	-	-	1636	-	-	-	-	302	724
8	Not applicable												

434. MMLV4G Mother: Living with/Living apart by distance/Alive or Deceased

Are your mother alive? If so, do you live with them?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Living with together	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.4	-	-
2	Living apart by distance (less than 30 minutes)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.7	-	-
3	Living apart by distance (more than 30 minutes)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.9	-	-
4	Deceased	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41.8	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

435. MMLIVE Mother: Alive or not

Are your (your spouse's) father and/or mother still alive?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Alive	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	57.7	55.8
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42.3	44.2
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	744	1916

436. MMLVT Mother: Living with/separately/temporarily leaving home

Is your mother living with you?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Living together	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.6	32.3
2	Not living together	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	69.2	66.7
3	Temporarily not living together	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	0.9
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	429	1070
8	Not applicable												

437. MMWHY Mother: Reason for Temporarily Leaving Home

What is the primary reason for staying somewhere else?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	For your work	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.0	0.0
2	For your schoolwork	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	10.0
3	For the family member's work	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0
4	For the family member's schoolwork	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0
5	For the family member's hospitalization for a long period	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.0	10.0
6	For the family member's living at a nursing home/care center for the elderly, etc	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	60.0	80.0
7	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	10
8	Not applicable												

438. MMLVT0 Mother: Living separately temporarily or permanently

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Living separately	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	70.4	67.7
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.6	32.3
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	429	1070
8	Not applicable												

439. CCNUMTTL Total Number of Children *

How many children have you had? Please include those who have left home and are deceased.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018	
Actual number	None	21.6	22.0	20.6	20.0	21.1	21.0	22.1	21.8	22.2	25.3	24.6	22.4	
	One	13.1	14.2	13.6	14.0	14.1	12.8	13.8	13.4	13.6	12.3	14.9	14.1	
	Two	39.5	39.5	41.9	41.6	42.7	42.9	42.0	43.4	43.4	40.6	39.9	41.2	
	Three	20.7	19.2	19.2	19.5	17.9	19.4	18.7	18.3	17.7	19.0	18.8	18.7	
	Four	3.5	3.7	3.3	3.5	3.1	2.9	2.3	2.2	2.4	2.1	1.6	2.9	
	Five and more	1.3	1.3	1.1	1.2	0.9	0.5	1.0	0.8	0.6	0.5	0.1	0.5	
999	No answer	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	
		n	2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916
888	Not applicable													

* Up through 2003 this variable indicated the number of children by birth only. From 2005 survey, it also contained adopted children and children by previous marriage.

2000 Target range: Children by birth only including those who have died (excluding adopted children and stepchildren).

2005 Target range changed: All children including adopted children and stepchildren.

440-595. Now I would like to ask you about each of your children.

CC[01-08]MARK Child [01-08]: Presence or Absence

The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

Code	
0	Not chosen
1	Chosen
8	Not applicable

CC[01-08]BORN Child [01-08]: Year of Birth

The frequency table for these variables are not shown..

Code	
Actual number	
88888	Not applicable
99999	No answer

CC[01-08]EOB Child [01-08]: Japanese Era of Birth⁸

The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

Code

1	Taisho
2	Showa
3	Heisei
8	Not applicable
9	No answer

CC[01-08]YOB Child [01-08]: Year of Birth (by Japanese Era)⁸

The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

Code

Actual number

888	Not applicable
999	No answer

CC[01-11]SEX Child [01-11]: Sex^{*}

The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

Code

1	Male
2	Female
8	Not applicable
9	No answer

* From 2000-2003, this question asks only about respondents' own children. From 2005, the question asks about all living children including adopted children and stepchildren.

2000 Target range: Children = only your own children, including independent children and deaths (excluding adopted children and stepchildren).

2005 Target range changed: All children (including adopted children and stepchildren).

CC[01-08]LIVE Child [01-08]: Alive or Deceased⁸

The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

Code

1	Alive
2	Deceased
3	Unknow
8	Not applicable
9	No answer

CC[01-11]LVTG Child [01-11]: Living with/Alive or Deceased^{8*}

Is the child alive? If so, do you live with the child?

The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

Code

1	Living together
2	Not living together
3	Deceased
8	Not applicable
9	No answer

*Question format and the wording for this question differ depending on the survey year.

2005 Question format changed: The question asked about all children at one time.

2006 Question format and wording for the question changed: The question asks about each child, "Is the person living with you?"

CC[01-11]AGE Child [01-11]: Age⁷

How old is the child?

The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

<u>Code</u>	
Actual number	
888	Not applicable
999	No answer

* This question asked the age of the respondent's own children only until 2002, but from 2005 for all living children including adopted children and stepchildren. The age of all living children was asked directly except for 2006.

2000 Target range: Only respondents' own living children, (excluding adopted children and stepchildren).

2005 Target range changed: All living children including adopted children and stepchildren

2006 The questionnaire in 2006 asked the age of children "not living together," and totals were obtained by adding data for the age of children listed as "living together" in responses to FF[**]REL, FF[**]AGE.

2008 Question format changed: Regardless of whether living together nor not, the age of all living children (including adopted children and stepchildren) was asked.

CC[01-11]MG Child [01-11]: Marital Status⁸

What is the child's marital status?

The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

<u>Code</u>	
1	Divorced
2	Widowed
3	Never-married
4	Separated
5	Cohabiting
6	Divorced
8	Not applicable
9	No answer

*The questionnaire in 2006 asks the marital status of children "not living together," and totals were obtained by adding data for the marital status of children listed as "living together" in responses to FF[**]REL, FF[**]MG.

From 2008, the marital status of all living children was asked directly.

CC[01-11]JOB Child [01-11]: Working Now⁹

Is the child currently working for pay?

The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

<u>Code</u>	
1	Yes
2	No
8	Not applicable
9	No answer

*The questionnaire in 2006 asks the job status of children "not living together," and totals were obtained by adding data for the job status of children listed as "living together" in responses to FF[**]REL, FF[**]JOB.

From 2008, the job status of all living children was asked directly.

CC[01-09]SCH Child [01-09]: School Attendance

Did the child finish his/her schoolwork? Please answer in birth order.

The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

<u>Code</u>	
1	Finished
2	Not yet finished
3	Deceased
8	Not applicable
9	No answer

CC[01-09]DIST Child [01-09]: Distance to Respondent Home

How far does the child live from you?

The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

<u>Code</u>	
1	Next door, same building, or same street
2	Within 15 minutes' walk
3	Within 30 minutes by car or train, etc.
4	Within 30 minutes to an hour by car or train, etc.
5	Within an hour to 3 hours by car, train, etc.
6	More than 3 hours by car, train, etc.
8	Not applicable
9	No answer

CC[01-09]CNTA Child [01-09]: Frequency of Direct Contact

How often do you keep in face-to face contact with the child?

The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

Code

- 1 Almost everyday
- 2 Several times a week
- 3 About once a week
- 4 About once a month
- 5 Several times a year
- 6 About once a year
- 7 Less than once a year
- 8 Not applicable
- 9 No answer

CC[01-09]CNTB Child [01-09]: Frequency of Indirect Contact

How often do you keep in any other contact besides face-to-face contact (talking on the phone, writing letters/e-mail, etc.) with the child?

The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

Code

- 1 Almost everyday
- 2 Several times a week
- 3 About once a week
- 4 About once a month
- 5 Several times a year
- 6 About once a year
- 7 Less than once a year
- 8 Not applicable
- 9 No answer

CC[01-06]LV4G Child [01-06]: Living with/Alive or Deceased

Is the child alive? If so, do you live with the child?

The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

Code

- 1 Living with together
- 2 Living apart by distance (less than 30 minutes)
- 3 Living apart by distance (more than 30 minutes)
- 4 Deceased
- 8 Not applicable
- 9 No answer

596. SZFFOTHR Number of Other Family Members

Up to now you were asked about your spouse, parents, and children. Are you living together with any other people? Those people include your children's spouses, your grandchildren, your brothers and sisters, your spouses' parents. If so, please indicate how many.

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
Actual number	None	-	-	-	-	76.8	-	78.4	79.9	81.3	80.1	83.3	84.1
	One	-	-	-	-	9.6	-	10.2	9.7	9.2	10.4	7.4	8.0
	Two	-	-	-	-	5.9	-	5.7	5.0	4.7	4.5	4.2	4.2
	Three	-	-	-	-	5.1	-	3.6	3.4	3.2	3.3	2.7	2.5
	Four	-	-	-	-	2.2	-	1.7	1.5	1.1	1.1	2.0	0.9
	Five or more	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.3
999	No answer	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1
		n	-	-	-	2023	-	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916
888	Not applicable												

597-630. Please tell us their relationship to you, their sex, and their ages.
 FFH[01-08]REL Other Family Members [01-08]: Relationship
 The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

Code		Code		Code	
00	Respondent himself/herself	29	Fifth daughter	60	Grandfather
01	Husband	30	Grandson	61	Grandmother
02	Wife	31	Granddaughter	62	Grandfather-in-law (Grandfather of spouse)
03	Child (unknown sex)	32	Spouse of grandchild	63	Grandmother-in-law (Grandmother of spouse)
10	Son (unknown birth order)	33	Great-grandson	64	Child of older brother
11	Oldest son	34	Great-granddaughter	65	Child of younger brother
12	Second son	35	Grandchild (unknown sex)	66	Child of older sister
13	Third son	40	Father	67	Child of younger sister
14	Wife of the oldest son	41	Mother	68	Nephew
15	Wife of the second son	42	Father-in-law (Father of spouse)	69	Niece
16	Wife of the third son	43	Mother-in-law (Mother of spouse)	71	Sibling of parent
17	Fourth son	44	Wife of older brother	72	Spouse of sibling of parent
18	Wife of the fourth son	45	Wife of younger brother	73	Uncle
19	Fifth son	46	Husband of older sister	74	Aunt
20	Daughter (unknown birth order)	47	Husband of younger sister	75	Cousin
21	Oldest daughter	50	Older brother	76	Great-grandfather
22	Second daughter	51	Younger brother	77	Great-grandmother
23	Third daughter	52	Older sister	80	Father of respondent/spouse
24	Husband of the oldest daughter	53	Younger sister	81	Mother of respondent/spouse
25	Husband of the second daughter	54	Older brother of spouse	88	Not applicable
26	Husband of the third daughter	55	Younger brother of spouse	97	Other
27	Fourth daughter	56	Older sister of spouse	99	No answer
28	Husband of the fourth daughter	57	Younger sister of spouse		

FFH[01-08]SEX Other Family Members [01-08]: Sex
 The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

Code	
1	Male
2	Female
8	Not applicable
9	No answer

FFH[01-08]AGE Other Family Members [01-08]: Age*
 The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

Code	
Actual number	
888	Not applicable
999	No answer

*In 2005, the question asks the age as of September 1.

631-636. How many brothers and sisters do you have? Please include those who are deceased.

631. XNUMBROE Number of Older Brothers

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018	
Actual number	None	54.5	56.2	55.2	-	52.9	55.8	54.9	56.6	58.5	58.4	60.9	59.4	
	One	29.1	26.8	26.7	-	29.5	28.0	29.1	28.0	26.5	28.5	28.1	27.3	
	Two	10.0	9.5	11.3	-	10.5	9.3	10.4	9.4	9.6	8.6	7.3	8.6	
	Three	3.4	3.8	4.2	-	4.3	3.9	3.2	3.2	3.1	2.4	1.6	2.9	
	Four	1.6	1.3	1.4	-	1.8	1.5	1.2	1.3	1.1	1.4	0.8	1.0	
	Five or more	0.8	1.1	0.9	-	0.7	0.7	0.9	0.9	0.7	0.4	0.7	0.4	
999	No answer	0.5	1.2	0.3	-	0.2	0.9	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.2	0.7	0.4	
		n	2893	2790	2953	-	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916
888	Not applicable													

632. XNUMSISE Number of Older Sisters

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
Actual number	None	52.3	53.8	53.9	-	52.9	56.8	56.2	56.1	56.5	58.3	57.1	60.9
	One	28.6	27.2	28.1	-	29.3	26.7	28.3	28.1	27.8	27.6	28.9	26.4
	Two	10.8	10.6	10.8	-	10.7	10.0	9.5	9.6	9.6	8.7	9.8	8.4
	Three	4.8	4.8	4.0	-	3.9	3.5	3.3	3.5	3.3	3.3	2.3	2.3
	Four	2.0	1.5	1.9	-	2.1	1.6	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.0	0.3	1.0
	Five or more	1.1	0.8	1.0	-	1.0	0.5	0.9	0.6	0.9	0.8	0.9	0.6
999	No answer	0.5	1.2	0.3	-	0.2	0.9	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.2	0.7	0.4
n		2893	2790	2953	-	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916
888	Not applicable												

633. XNUMSELF Number of Respondent-self
The frequency table for this variable is omitted.

634. XNUMBROY Number of Younger Brothers

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
Actual number	None	57.0	54.4	54.8	-	56.5	56.4	59.5	58.5	59.7	60.8	60.2	63.4
	One	28.9	29.0	29.7	-	29.4	30.3	28.4	30.0	28.2	29.0	29.6	27.1
	Two	9.2	10.3	10.1	-	9.7	8.9	8.0	7.9	8.4	7.6	7.7	7.3
	Three	2.9	3.8	3.5	-	2.8	2.3	2.5	2.2	2.2	1.8	1.9	1.4
	Four	0.8	0.8	1.0	-	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.8	0.4	0.0	0.3
	Five or more	0.6	0.5	0.5	-	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.1
999	No answer	0.5	1.2	0.3	-	0.2	0.9	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.2	0.7	0.4
n		2893	2790	2953	-	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916
888	Not applicable												

635. XNUMSISY Number of Younger Sisters

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
Actual number	None	57.4	57.1	58.1	-	57.1	58.1	61.5	60.1	59.9	61.5	61.8	62.6
	One	27.5	28.4	27.4	-	29.4	28.7	26.4	27.8	28.5	28.2	29.3	28.0
	Two	9.9	9.0	10.2	-	9.0	8.1	7.9	8.4	8.2	7.3	6.9	6.3
	Three	3.0	2.6	2.8	-	2.3	2.8	2.6	2.2	2.0	2.0	0.8	2.2
	Four	1.0	1.2	0.8	-	1.4	1.0	0.8	0.6	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.2
	Five or more	0.6	0.4	0.5	-	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.1	0.3
999	No answer	0.5	1.2	0.3	-	0.2	0.9	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.3	0.7	0.4
n		2893	2790	2953	-	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916
888	Not applicable												

636. XNUMSBLG Number of Siblings

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
Actual number	One	5.4	6.4	5.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Two	26.1	24.7	26.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Three	25.9	24.4	24.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Four	12.9	14.3	14.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Five	10.5	10.9	10.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Six	7.4	7.3	7.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Seven	5.2	5.4	4.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Eight	2.8	2.9	3.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Nine	1.8	1.3	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Ten or more	1.5	1.0	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
999	No answer	0.5	1.2	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
n		2893	2790	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

637. PPLLVTG Father-in-law: Living with/Alive or Deceased

In your spouse's father, who are alive now? Is he living with you?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Living together	-	-	-	-	-	4.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Not living together	-	-	-	-	-	27.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Deceased	-	-	-	-	-	68.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	3115	-	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

638. PPLAGE Father-in-law: Age*

How old is your spouse's father?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	40~49 years old	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	0.5	0.4
	50~59 years old	-	-	-	-	-	10.9	-	-	-	-	7.4	6.3
	60~69 years old	-	-	-	-	-	29.8	-	-	-	-	27.1	31.8
	70~79 years old	-	-	-	-	-	29.7	-	-	-	-	36.2	31.4
	80~89 years old	-	-	-	-	-	17.4	-	-	-	-	17.6	20.3
	90 years old 以上	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	-	-	-	-	4.8	4.1
999	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	7.8	-	-	-	-	6.4	5.6
n		-	-	-	-	-	998	-	-	-	-	188	462

888 Not applicable

*In the questionnaire, the question asks about the age of children "not living together". Totals are obtained from the data on the age of children listed as "living together" in responses to FF[**]REL, FF[**]AGE.

2017 Question format changed: the age of living father-in-law was asked directly.

639. PPLMG Father-in-law: Marital Status*

Is your spouse's father now married, divorced, widowed, never married, separated, or cohabiting?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Currently married	-	-	-	-	-	84.5	-	-	-	-	83.0	84.6
2	Divorced	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	4.3	2.2
3	Widowed	-	-	-	-	-	11.1	-	-	-	-	12.2	12.3
4	Never-married	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0
5	Separated	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.2
6	Cohabiting	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.2
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	-	-	-	-	0.5	0.4
n		-	-	-	-	-	998	-	-	-	-	188	462

8 Not applicable

*The marital status was asked for a father-in-law indicated on the questionnaire as "not living together". Totals obtained from the data on marital status for father-in-law indicated as "living together" in responses to FF[**]REL, FF[**]MG.

2017 Question format changed: the marital status of living father-in-law was asked directly.

640. PPLFAM Father-in-law: Persons Living Together*

With whom is your spouse's father currently living?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	With respondent	-	-	-	-	-	13.2	-	-	-	-	8.0	10.0
1	With married sons	-	-	-	-	-	15.4	-	-	-	-	8.0	10.6
2	With married daughters	-	-	-	-	-	4.2	-	-	-	-	5.9	2.2
3	With unmarried children	-	-	-	-	-	9.3	-	-	-	-	10.6	11.0
4	With spouse only	-	-	-	-	-	44.2	-	-	-	-	55.3	51.7
5	Living alone	-	-	-	-	-	4.5	-	-	-	-	7.4	7.6
6	Living in the institution	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	0.0	2.6
7	Other	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	-	-	-	-	3.7	3.9
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	4.7	-	-	-	-	1.1	0.4
n		-	-	-	-	-	998	-	-	-	-	188	462

8 Not applicable

*In the questionnaire, the question asks about the persons living together with a father-in-law who live separately from respondents. In the dataset, totals obtained from the information on the persons living together for father-in-law indicated as "living together" in responses to FF[**]REL. Choice of "0. With respondent" was added.

2017 The way of aggregation changed: The adding data for a father-in-law who are "living together" in responses to PPLVT. Choice of "0. With respondent" was added.

641. PPLJOB Father-in-law: Working Now

Is your spouse's father currently working for pay?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	39.3	-	-	-	-	40.4	40.7
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	56.8	-	-	-	-	56.9	58.9
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	3.9	-	-	-	-	2.7	0.4
		n	-	-	-	-	998	-	-	-	-	188	462

8 Not applicable

*The job status was asked for father-in-law indicated on the questionnaire as "not living together," and totals obtained by adding data on job status for father-in-law indicated as "living together" in responses to FF[**]REL, FF[**]JOB.

2017 Question format changed: the job status of living father-in-law was asked directly.

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "Not living together" in 637. PPLLVTG.

642. PPLDIST Father-in-law: Distance to Respondent Home

How far does your spouse's father live from you?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Next door, same building, or same street	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	-	-	-	-	5.8	3.8
2	Within 15 minutes' walk	-	-	-	-	-	11.1	-	-	-	-	11.0	11.3
3	Within 30 minutes by car or train, etc.	-	-	-	-	-	28.5	-	-	-	-	31.2	29.3
4	Within 30 minutes to an hour by car or train, etc.	-	-	-	-	-	19.2	-	-	-	-	20.2	19.0
5	Within an hour to 3 hours by car, train, etc.	-	-	-	-	-	16.4	-	-	-	-	16.8	17.5
6	More than 3 hours by car, train, etc.	-	-	-	-	-	17.4	-	-	-	-	12.7	17.8
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	4.4	-	-	-	-	2.3	1.2
		n	-	-	-	-	866	-	-	-	-	173	416

8 Not applicable

643. PPLCNTA Father-in-law: Frequency of Direct Contact

How often do you keep in face-to-face contact with your spouse's father?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	-	-	4.5	-	-	-	-	7.5	5.0
2	Several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	6.2	-	-	-	-	5.2	3.8
3	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	11.8	-	-	-	-	8.7	12.3
4	About once a month	-	-	-	-	-	24.1	-	-	-	-	31.8	31.3
5	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	35.6	-	-	-	-	35.8	34.1
6	About once a year	-	-	-	-	-	9.1	-	-	-	-	6.9	9.6
7	Less than once a year	-	-	-	-	-	4.2	-	-	-	-	2.9	3.4
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	4.5	-	-	-	-	1.2	0.5
		n	-	-	-	-	866	-	-	-	-	173	416

8 Not applicable

644. PPLCNTB Father-in-law: Frequency of Indirect Contact

How often do you keep in any other contact besides face-to-face contact (talking on the phone, writing letters/e-mail, etc.) with your spouse's father?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	-	-	-	-	4.0	2.9
2	Several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	8.5	-	-	-	-	4.0	6.3
3	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	15.0	-	-	-	-	11.6	13.9
4	About once a month	-	-	-	-	-	24.7	-	-	-	-	27.7	22.4
5	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	20.3	-	-	-	-	22.0	23.1
6	About once a year	-	-	-	-	-	6.2	-	-	-	-	5.8	7.0
7	Less than once a year	-	-	-	-	-	17.4	-	-	-	-	23.7	23.8
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	5.5	-	-	-	-	1.2	0.7
		n	-	-	-	-	866	-	-	-	-	173	416

8 Not applicable

645. PPLLIVE Father-in-law: Alive or not

Are your spouse's father and/or mother still alive?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Alive	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37.2	33.8
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	62.8	66.2
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	505	1366

8 Not applicable

646. PPLLVT Father-in-law: Living with/separately/temporarily leaving home

Is your spouse's father living with you?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Living together	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.0	10.0
2	Not living together	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	91.5	89.0
3	Temporarily not living together	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	1.1
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	188	462
8	Not applicable												

647. PPLWHY Father-in-law: Reason for Temporarily Leaving Home

What is the primary reason for staying somewhere else?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	For your work	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	0.0
2	For your schoolwork	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0
3	For the family member's work	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	20.0
4	For the family member's schoolwork	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0
5	For the family member's hospitalization for a long period	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0
6	For the family member's living at a nursing home/care center for the elderly, etc	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	60.0
7	other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	20.0
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	5
8	Not applicable												

648. PPLLVT0 Father-in-law: Living separately temporarily or permanently

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Living separately	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	92.0	90.0
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.0	10.0
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	188	462
8	Not applicable												

649. MMLLVTG Mother-in-law: Living with/Alive or Deceased

Is your spouse's mother living with you?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Living together	-	-	-	-	-	8.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Not living together	-	-	-	-	-	42.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Deceased	-	-	-	-	-	49.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	3115	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

650. MMLAGE Mother-in-law: Age*

How old is your spouse's mother?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	30-39 years old	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0
	40-49 years old	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	0.4	0.6
	50-59 years old	-	-	-	-	-	13.1	-	-	-	-	6.7	6.8
	60-69 years old	-	-	-	-	-	25.0	-	-	-	-	29.8	29.6
	70-79 years old	-	-	-	-	-	27.2	-	-	-	-	28.1	26.2
	80-89 years old	-	-	-	-	-	21.0	-	-	-	-	21.8	23.2
	90 years old	-	-	-	-	-	6.3	-	-	-	-	8.8	8.8
999	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	6.9	-	-	-	-	4.6	4.7
		n	-	-	-	-	1572	-	-	-	-	285	702
888	Not applicable												

*The age was asked for a mother-in-law indicated on the questionnaire as "not living together," and totals obtained from data on age for mother-in-law indicated as "living together" in responses to FF[**]REL, FF[**]AGE.

2017 Question format changed: the age of living mother-in-law was asked directly.

651. MMLMG Mother-in-law: Marital Status*

Is your spouse's mother now married, divorced, widowed, never married, separated, or cohabiting?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Currently married	-	-	-	-	-	53.7	-	-	-	-	55.1	55.6
2	Divorced	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	-	-	-	-	3.5	2.3
3	Widowed	-	-	-	-	-	40.4	-	-	-	-	41.4	41.3
4	Never-married	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0
5	Separated	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.1
6	Cohabiting	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.1
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.6
n		-	-	-	-	-	1572	-	-	-	-	285	702

8 Not applicable

*The marital status was asked for a mother-in-law indicated on the questionnaire as "not living together," and totals obtained from the data on marital status for mother-in-law indicated as "living together" in responses to FF[**]REL, FF[**]MG.

2017 Question format changed: the marital status of living father-in-law was asked directly.

652. MMLFAM Mother-in-law: Persons Living Together*

With whom is your spouse's mother currently living?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	With respondent	-	-	-	-	-	15.9	-	-	-	-	11.9	11.8
1	With married sons	-	-	-	-	-	17.1	-	-	-	-	10.5	13.8
2	With married daughters	-	-	-	-	-	6.6	-	-	-	-	5.6	4.7
3	With unmarried children	-	-	-	-	-	7.5	-	-	-	-	8.1	9.0
4	With spouse only	-	-	-	-	-	28.1	-	-	-	-	36.1	34.2
5	Living alone	-	-	-	-	-	14.1	-	-	-	-	18.6	16.0
6	Living in the institution	-	-	-	-	-	3.7	-	-	-	-	5.6	7.8
7	Other	-	-	-	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	2.8	2.4
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	4.7	-	-	-	-	0.7	0.3
n		-	-	-	-	-	1572	-	-	-	-	285	702

8 Not applicable

*The persons living together was asked for a mother-in-law indicated on the questionnaire as "not living together," and totals obtained from the data on the persons living together for mother-in-law indicated as "living together" in responses to FF[**]REL, and added choices "0. With respondent".

2017 The way of aggregation changed: The adding data for a mother-in-law who are "living together" in responses to MMLVLT, and the choices of "0. With respondent" was added.

653. MMLJOB Mother-in-law: Working Now*

Is your spouse's mother currently working for pay?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	20.7	-	-	-	-	23.9	24.4
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	75.0	-	-	-	-	75.8	75.2
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	4.3	-	-	-	-	0.4	0.4
n		-	-	-	-	-	1572	-	-	-	-	285	702

8 Not applicable

*The job status was asked for mother-in-law indicated on the questionnaire as "not living together," and totals obtained from the data on job status for mother-in-law indicated as "living together" in responses to FF[**]REL, FF[**]JOB.

2017 Question format changed: the job status of living mother-in-law was asked directly.

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "Not living together" in 649.MMLLVTG.

654. MMLDIST Mother-in-law: Distance to Respondent Home

How far does your spouse's mother live from you?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Next door, same building, or same street	-	-	-	-	-	3.4	-	-	-	-	5.6	3.7
2	Within 15 minutes' walk	-	-	-	-	-	10.6	-	-	-	-	10.4	10.8
3	Within 30 minutes by car or train, etc.	-	-	-	-	-	29.3	-	-	-	-	33.5	31.3
4	Within 30 minutes to an hour by car or train, etc.	-	-	-	-	-	18.8	-	-	-	-	21.5	19.7
5	Within an hour to 3 hours by car, train, etc.	-	-	-	-	-	15.9	-	-	-	-	14.7	16.3
6	More than 3 hours by car, train, etc.	-	-	-	-	-	16.3	-	-	-	-	13.5	17.4
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	5.7	-	-	-	-	0.8	0.6
n		-	-	-	-	-	1322	-	-	-	-	251	619

8 Not applicable

655. MMLCNTA Mother-in-law: Frequency of Direct Contact

How often do you keep in face-to-face contact with your spouse's mother?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	-	-	4.5	-	-	-	-	7.2	3.9
2	Several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	6.4	-	-	-	-	8.8	4.5
3	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	12.1	-	-	-	-	9.6	12.6
4	About once a month	-	-	-	-	-	24.4	-	-	-	-	28.7	29.6
5	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	33.4	-	-	-	-	32.7	34.4
6	About once a year	-	-	-	-	-	8.9	-	-	-	-	6.8	9.7
7	Less than once a year	-	-	-	-	-	5.1	-	-	-	-	5.6	5.0
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	5.4	-	-	-	-	0.8	0.3
	n	-	-	-	-	-	1322	-	-	-	-	251	619
8	Not applicable												

656. MMLCNTB Mother-in-law: Frequency of Indirect Contact

How often do you keep in any other contact besides face-to-face contact (talking on the phone, writing letters/e-mail, etc.) with your spouse's mother?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	-	-	-	-	5.2	2.6
2	Several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	8.2	-	-	-	-	8.8	8.2
3	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	17.5	-	-	-	-	13.1	14.4
4	About once a month	-	-	-	-	-	23.5	-	-	-	-	26.7	23.1
5	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	20.0	-	-	-	-	19.9	17.9
6	About once a year	-	-	-	-	-	4.8	-	-	-	-	5.2	7.8
7	Less than once a year	-	-	-	-	-	16.4	-	-	-	-	20.3	25.7
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	6.4	-	-	-	-	0.8	0.3
	n	-	-	-	-	-	1322	-	-	-	-	251	619
8	Not applicable												

657. MMLLIVE Mother-in-law: Alive or not

Are your spouse's father and/or mother still alive?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Alive	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	56.4	51.4
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	43.6	48.6
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	505	1366
8	Not applicable												

658. MMLLVT Mother-in-law: Living with/separately/temporarily leaving home

Is your spouse's mother living with you?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Living together	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.9	11.8
2	Not living together	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	86.7	86.6
3	Temporarily not living together	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	1.6
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	285	702
8	Not applicable												

659. MMLWHY Mother-in-law: Reason for Temporarily Leaving Home

What is the primary reason for staying somewhere else?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	For your work	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.0	0.0
2	For your schoolwork	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0
3	For the family member's work	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	9.1
4	For the family member's schoolwork	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0
5	For the family member's hospitalization for a long period	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.0	18.2
6	For the family member's living at a nursing home/care center for the elderly, etc	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.0	72.7
7	other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.0	0.0
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	11
8	Not applicable												

660. MMLLVTO Mother-in-law: Living separately temporarily or permanently

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Living separately	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	88.1	88.2
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.9	11.8
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	285	702
8	Not applicable												

661-666. How many brothers and sisters does your spouse have? Please include those who are deceased.

661. XSSNBROE Number of Spouse Older Brothers *

Number of Spouse Older Brothers

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	None	-	51.2	50.2	-	53.5	55.0	54.4	55.8	55.4	57.6	57.6	59.6
	One	-	26.7	25.9	-	27.2	26.7	28.0	27.9	28.4	26.6	29.6	26.8
	Two	-	9.7	10.6	-	11.5	10.2	10.2	9.2	8.9	9.5	9.7	7.4
	Three	-	4.1	4.6	-	3.6	3.7	3.5	3.2	3.3	3.4	1.4	3.1
	Four	-	1.3	1.7	-	1.8	1.7	1.5	1.3	1.2	0.7	0.5	1.1
	Five or more	-	0.6	1.0	-	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.4	0.3	0.7
999	No answer	-	6.4	6.0	-	1.6	1.9	1.7	1.8	2.1	1.9	0.9	1.4
	n	-	2383	2530	-	1642	3444	3398	4028	3691	1611	575	1516

888 Not applicable

*In Japanese, the wording for this question differs depending on the survey year.

From 2008, the cases of cohabiting were treated as married, and included for the question.

662. XSSNSISE Number of Spouse Older Sisters *

Spouse's older sisters

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	None	-	49.8	49.9	-	52.7	54.5	54.0	55.7	56.1	59.2	59.7	57.8
	One	-	26.4	27.6	-	27.8	26.8	28.5	26.1	28.0	25.1	27.5	27.2
	Two	-	11.3	10.0	-	10.0	10.6	9.3	10.6	8.6	8.6	8.5	8.6
	Three	-	3.9	3.6	-	5.0	3.7	3.9	3.7	3.3	2.9	3.0	3.6
	Four	-	1.7	1.7	-	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.4	1.1	1.4	0.3	0.9
	Five or more	-	0.6	1.2	-	1.2	0.8	0.9	0.6	0.8	1.0	0.2	0.5
999	No answer	-	6.4	6.0	-	1.6	1.9	1.7	1.8	2.1	1.9	0.9	1.4
	n	-	2383	2530	-	1642	3444	3398	4028	3691	1611	575	1516

888 Not applicable

*In Japanese, the wording for this question differs depending on the survey year.

From 2008, the cases of cohabiting were treated as married, and included for the question

663. XSSNSELF Number of Spouse-self

The frequency table for these variables is omitted.

664. XSSNBROY Number of Spouse Younger Brothers *

Spouse's younger brothers

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	None	-	51.4	50.4	-	55.1	55.8	57.7	57.6	58.6	59.0	58.6	59.8
	One	-	29.4	28.0	-	29.5	28.9	29.3	29.1	27.9	27.7	31.1	28.6
	Two	-	8.1	10.9	-	9.0	9.6	8.2	8.3	8.2	8.3	8.0	7.5
	Three	-	3.3	3.3	-	3.2	2.7	2.0	2.3	2.3	2.4	1.4	2.0
	Four	-	0.8	1.1	-	1.1	0.8	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.0	0.5
	Five or more	-	0.7	0.4	-	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.1
999	No answer	-	6.4	6.0	-	1.6	1.9	1.7	1.8	2.1	1.9	0.9	1.4
	n	-	2383	2530	-	1642	3444	3398	4028	3691	1611	575	1516

888 Not applicable

* In Japanese, the wording for this question differs depending on the survey year.

From 2008, the cases of cohabiting were treated as married, and included for the question.

665. XSSNSISY Number of Spouse Younger Sisters *

Spouse's younger sisters

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	None	-	52.1	52.1	-	53.8	56.5	59.0	60.2	59.6	61.0	63.0	61.1
	One	-	26.9	27.2	-	28.9	27.4	27.8	26.6	27.4	27.6	28.7	25.9
	Two	-	10.1	9.5	-	11.1	9.9	8.5	8.1	7.7	7.4	6.1	8.6
	Three	-	3.5	3.8	-	2.7	3.2	1.8	2.2	2.2	1.5	1.2	2.6
	Four	-	0.7	1.1	-	1.4	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.4	0.2	0.3
	Five or more	-	0.4	0.3	-	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.0	0.1
999	No answer	-	6.4	6.0	-	1.6	1.9	1.7	1.9	2.1	1.9	0.9	1.3
n		-	2383	2530	-	1642	3444	3398	4028	3691	1611	575	1516
888	Not applicable												

*In Japanese, the wording for this question differs depending on the survey year.

From 2008, the cases of cohabiting were treated as married, and included for the question.

666. XSSNSBLG Number of Spouse Siblings

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	One	-	5.0	4.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Two	-	21.8	22.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Three	-	23.5	22.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Four	-	14.4	14.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Five	-	12.0	10.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Six	-	7.2	8.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Seven	-	4.9	4.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Eight	-	2.6	3.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Nine	-	1.3	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Ten or more	-	0.9	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
999	No answer	-	6.4	6.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	2383	2530	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
888	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered in 234. SZFFOUT

667-700. Are there any family members who are temporarily living separately, due to the sorts of reasons given here? If there are any, please state the number of such family members.

FFQ[01-07]REL Family Members Temporarily Leaving Home [01-07]: Relationship *

Please tell us their relationship to you.

The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

Code	Code	Code
00 Respondent himself/herself	29 Fifth daughter	60 Grandfather
01 Husband	30 Grandson	61 Grandmother
02 Wife	31 Granddaughter	62 Grandfather-in-law (Grandfather of spouse)
03 Child (unknown sex)	32 Spouse of grandchild	63 Grandmother-in-law (Grandmother of spouse)
10 Son (unknown birth order)	33 Great-grandson	64 Child of older brother
11 Oldest son	34 Great-granddaughter	65 Child of younger brother
12 Second son	35 Grandchild (unknown sex)	66 Child of older sister
13 Third son	40 Father	67 Child of younger sister
14 Wife of the oldest son	41 Mother	68 Nephew
15 Wife of the second son	42 Father-in-law (Father of spouse)	69 Niece
16 Wife of the third son	43 Mother-in-law (Mother of spouse)	71 Sibling of parent
17 Fourth son	44 Wife of older brother	72 Spouse of sibling of parent
18 Wife of the fourth son	45 Wife of younger brother	73 Uncle
19 Fifth son	46 Husband of older sister	74 Aunt
20 Daughter (unknown birth order)	47 Husband of younger sister	75 Cousin
21 Oldest daughter	50 Older brother	76 Great-grandfather
22 Second daughter	51 Younger brother	77 Great-grandmother
23 Third daughter	52 Older sister	80 Father of respondent/spouse
24 Husband of the oldest daughter	53 Younger sister	81 Mother of respondent/spouse
25 Husband of the second daughter	54 Older brother of spouse	88 Not applicable
26 Husband of the third daughter	55 Younger brother of spouse	97 Other
27 Fourth daughter	56 Older sister of spouse	99 No answer
28 Husband of the fourth daughter	57 Younger sister of spouse	

* Question format differs depending on the survey year.

2005 Question format: The question asks about relationship and the reason for temporarily living separately within one question.

2006 Question format changed: Separate questions asked about family member and the reason for temporarily living separately.

FFO[01-07]WHY Family Members Temporarily Leaving Home 01: Reason *

What is the primary reason for staying somewhere else?

The frequency table for these variables are not shown..

Code

- 1 For your work
- 2 For your schoolwork
- 3 For the family members work
- 4 For the family members schoolwork
- 5 For the family members Hospitalization
- 6 For the family members living at a nursing home
- 7 Other
- 8 Not applicable
- 9 No answer

*Question format differs depending on the survey year..

2005 Question format: The question asks about family member and reason for temporarily living separately in one question.

2006 Question format changed: Ask the independent question about family member and temporarily living separately.

701. DOMARRY Marital Status*

Are you married?

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Currently married	72.6	73.9	73.9	73.8	72.8	73.2	72.2	72.5	70.8	69.0	67.9	71.3
2	Divorced or widowed	12.3	11.5	11.8	12.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Divorced	-	-	-	-	3.5	3.8	4.3	4.3	5.5	5.6	5.1	5.2
4	Widowed	-	-	-	-	8.4	7.7	8.0	7.8	8.1	8.3	9.4	7.7
5	Never-married	15.1	14.6	14.3	13.7	15.4	14.9	15.2	15.4	15.4	16.9	17.6	15.7
6	Separated	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1
7	Cohabiting	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.1
9	No answer	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
n		2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

*Choices for this question differ depending on the survey year.

The contents of single-year data and cumulative data are different even if they have the same variable name.

Codes and varilabel labels changed in cumulative data.

For the marital status in the single year dataset, see DOMARRY_01~DOMARRY_12.

2000-2015 Variable labels changed: Same as 2000-2010/2012.

2000-2018 Variable labels changed: Same as 2000-2015.

702. DOMARRY_00 Marital Status_2000*

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Currently married	72.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Divorced or widowed	12.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Never-married	15.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		2893	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

*It is a new variable created for with the cumulative data 2000-2010. The values are same as those in single year dataset of 2000.

2000 Choices: "1.currently married, 2.divorcef or widowed, 3.never-married".

703. DOMARRY_01 Marital Status_2001*

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Currently married	-	73.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Divorced or widowed	-	11.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Never-married	-	14.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	2790	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

* It is a new variable created for with the cumulative data 2000-2010. The values are same as those in single year dataset of 2001.

2001 The choices for this question is same as 2000.

704. DOMARRY_02 Marital Status_2002*

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Currently married	-	-	73.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Divorced or widowed	-	-	11.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Never-married	-	-	14.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

*It is a new variable created with the cumulative data 2000-2010, the values are same as those in single year dataset of 2002.

2002 The choices for this question is same as 2002.

05. DOMARRY_03 Marital Status_2003*

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Currently married	-	-	-	73.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Divorced or widowed	-	-	-	12.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Never-married	-	-	-	13.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	3663	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

*It is a new variable created with the cumulative data 2000-2010. The values are same as those in single year dataset of 2003.
2003 The choices for this question is same as 2003.

706. DOMARRY_05 Marital Status_2005*

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Currently married	-	-	-	-	72.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Divorced	-	-	-	-	3.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Widowed	-	-	-	-	8.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Never-married	-	-	-	-	15.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

*It is a new variable created for the cumulative data 2000-2010. The values are same as those in single year dataset of 2005.
2005 The wording for the choice changed:"1. Currently married, 2. Divorced, 3 windowed, 4. never married".

707. DOMARRY_06 Marital Status_2006*

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Currently married	-	-	-	-	-	73.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Divorced	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Widowed	-	-	-	-	-	7.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Never-married	-	-	-	-	-	14.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Separated	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Cohabiting	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	4254	-	-	-	-	-	-

*It is a new variable created for the cumulative data 2000-2010. The values are same as those in single year dataset of 2006.
2006 The wording for the choice changed:"1. Currently married, 2. Divorced, 3never married, 4.never married, 5. Separated 6.Cohabiting".

708. DOMARRY_08 Marital Status_2008*

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Currently married	-	-	-	-	-	-	72.2	-	-	-	-	-
2	Divorced	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.3	-	-	-	-	-
3	Widowed	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.0	-	-	-	-	-
4	Never-married	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.2	-	-	-	-	-
5	Separated	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-
6	Cohabiting	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	4220	-	-	-	-	-

*It is a new variable created for the cumulative data 2000-2010. The values are same as those in single year dataset of 2008.
2008 Choices are same as 2006.
 Notes for interviewer added: "In the following questions, common-law couples and cohabiting couples will be considered as married."

709. DOMARRY_10 Marital Status_2010*

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Currently married	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	72.5	-	-	-	-
2	Divorced	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.3	-	-	-	-
3	Widowed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.8	-	-	-	-
4	Never-married	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.2	-	-	-	-
5	Separated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-
6	Cohabiting	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5003	-	-	-	-

*It is a new variable created for the cumulative data 2000-2010. The values are same as those in single year dataset of 2010.
2010 Choices are same as 2006.

710. DOMARRY_12 Marital Status_2012*

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Currently married	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	70.8	-	-	-
2	Divorced	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.5	-	-	-
3	Widowed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.1	-	-	-
4	Never-married	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.4	-	-	-
5	Separated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-
6	Cohabiting	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4667	-	-	-

*It is a new variable created for cumulative data 2000-2012. The value is same as that in single year dataset of 2012.
2012 Choices are same as 2006.

711. DOMARRY_15 Marital Status_2015*

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Currently married	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	69.0	-	-
2	Divorced	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.6	-	-
3	Widowed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.3	-	-
4	Never-married	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.9	-	-
5	Separated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-
6	Cohabiting	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

*It is a new variable created for the cumulative data 2000-2015. The value is same as that in single year dataset of 2015.
2015 Choices are exactly same as 2006.

712. DOMARRY_17 Marital Status_2017*

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Currently married	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	67.9	-
2	Divorced	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.1	-
3	Widowed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.4	-
4	Never-married	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.6	-
5	Separated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-
6	Cohabiting	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	744	-

*It is a new variable created for the cumulative data 2000-2018. The value is same as that in single year dataset of 2017.
2017 Choices are same as 2006.

713. DOMARRY_18 Marital Status_2018*

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Currently married	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	71.3
2	Divorced	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.2
3	Widowed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.7
4	Never-married	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.7
5	Separated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1
6	Cohabiting	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1916

*It is a new variable created for the cumulative data 2000-2018. The value is same as that in single year dataset of 2018.
2018 Choices are same as 2006.

Following question was asked to respondents who answered '2. Divorced', '3. widowed', '4. Never-married' in 711. DOMARRY_15.

714. WNTMRY Willingness to Marry or Remarry

What age do you want to marry (or remarry) by?

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	I want to marry (or remarry) by___	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.9	16.7	18.2
2	Age doesn't matter	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.5	28.0	26.6
3	I am not going to marry (or remarry)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	51.4	54.8	54.7
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	0.4	0.4
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	640	239	548
8	Not applicable												

715. WNTMRYAG Willingness to Marry or Remarry: Age

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	20-29 years old	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.6	32.5	24.0
	30-39 years old	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	63.6	55.0	47.0
	40-49 years old	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.3	10.0	25.0
	50-59 years old	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	2.5	2.0
	60-69 years old	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	1.0
	70-79 years old	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	0.0	1.0
999	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	140	40	100
888	Not applicable												

716. MARRYZ Marital Status

Are you married now?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Currently married	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	69.1	-	-
2	Currently not married	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.9	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "2. Divorced or widowed" in 705. DOMARRY_03.

717. DODVWDW Divorced or Widowed

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Divorced	-	-	-	26.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Widowed	-	-	-	72.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	458	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

718. XMARRY Marital Status*

Have you ever got married? If so, how many times have you got married?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I have married.	84.6	85.0	85.4	-	-	84.7	-	-	84.5	82.9	82.4	84.3
2	I have never married.	15.2	14.8	14.1	-	-	15.3	-	-	15.5	17.0	17.6	15.7
3	Don't know	0.1	0.1	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.1	0.1	0.3	-	-	0.0	-	-	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0
	n	2893	2790	2953	-	-	2130	-	-	4667	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

* The wording for this question and the wording for the choices differ depending on the survey year.

In 2006, this question was asked in self-administered questionnaire B. In the other survey years, the question was asked in face-to-face interview.

2000 Choices: "1. I married, 2. I have never married, 3. Don't know".

The question was asked in face-to-face interview.

2006 Wording for the question changed: "How old were you when you first married? (Asked about their marriage experience while asked about their age)

→ Have you ever got married? (Asked their marriage experience directly)

The wording for the choices changed: "1. I have married __ times. 2. I have never married. 3. Don't know" were removed.

The question was asked in self-administered questionnaire

2012 The question was asked in face-to-face interview.

2017/2018 The question was asked in face-to-face interview.

719. AGE1MG Age at First Marriage*

How old were you when you got married? If you have married plural times, please answer for each.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	16-19 years old	2.9	2.9	2.6	-	-	2.6	-	-	2.6	1.9	2.3	2.2
	20-29 years old	85.4	84.6	82.3	-	-	83.3	-	-	79.7	78.9	77.3	77.4
	30-39 years old	10.9	11.4	13.9	-	-	12.8	-	-	15.8	17.8	17.8	17.9
	40-49 years old	0.3	0.6	0.6	-	-	0.7	-	-	0.8	0.9	1.1	1.2
	50-59 years old	0.1	0.0	0.0	-	-	0.0	-	-	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.2
	60-69 years old	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	-	0.0	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1
999	No answer	0.4	0.4	0.6	-	-	0.6	-	-	1.0	0.6	1.5	0.9
	n	2448	2371	2523	-	-	1793	-	-	3938	1723	611	1605
888	Not applicable												

*This question was asked in self-administered questionnaire B in 2006, 2017 and 2018. In the other survey years, the question was asked in face-to-face interview.

720. XDIV Experience of Divorce

Have you ever divorced?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	6.0	5.9	6.8	-	-	-	-	-	9.5	-	-	-
2	No	93.7	93.9	93.0	-	-	-	-	-	90.4	-	-	-
3	Don't know	0.0	0.0	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.3	0.2	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-
		n	2448	2371	2523	-	-	-	-	3942	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Yes" in 720. XDIV.

721. FQXDIV Number of Divorces

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	Once	95.2	97.8	93.6	-	-	-	-	-	92.0	-	-	-
	Twice	4.8	2.2	4.1	-	-	-	-	-	7.5	-	-	-
	Three times	0.0	0.0	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-
99	No answer	0.0	0.0	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-
		n	146	139	172	-	-	-	-	374	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

722. AGE1DIV Age at First Divorce

How old were you when you divorced?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	16-19 years old	0.0	0.7	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-
	20-29 years old	33.6	36.7	31.4	-	-	-	-	-	27.5	-	-	-
	30-39 years old	43.8	30.9	39.0	-	-	-	-	-	37.4	-	-	-
	40-49 years old	15.8	18.0	16.9	-	-	-	-	-	20.9	-	-	-
	50-59 years old	5.5	9.4	6.4	-	-	-	-	-	9.9	-	-	-
	60-69 years old	0.7	1.4	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-
999	No answer	0.7	2.9	3.5	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	-	-	-
		n	146	139	172	-	-	-	-	374	-	-	-
888	Not applicable												

723. XMGA1DV Remarriage After First Divorce

Have you remarried since then?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Remarried	41.1	43.2	40.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Never remarried	58.9	54.7	57.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.0	2.2	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	146	139	172	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

724. AGEMG1DV Age at Remarriage After First Divorce

How old were you when you divorced?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	20-29 years old	28.3	31.7	25.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	30-39 years old	50.0	43.3	41.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	40-49 years old	16.7	16.7	17.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	50-59 years old	3.3	6.7	14.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	60-69 years old	1.7	0.0	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
999	No answer	0.0	1.7	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	60	60	70	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
888	Not applicable												

725. AGE2DIV Age at Second Divorce

How old were you when you divorced?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	20-29 years old	0.0	33.3	12.5	-	-	-	-	-	6.7	-	-	-
	30-39 years old	42.9	0.0	25.0	-	-	-	-	-	46.7	-	-	-
	40-49 years old	14.3	66.7	25.0	-	-	-	-	-	20.0	-	-	-
	50-59 years old	14.3	0.0	25.0	-	-	-	-	-	20.0	-	-	-
	60-69 years old	14.3	0.0	12.5	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-
999	No answer	14.3	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	6.7	-	-	-
		n	7	3	8	-	-	-	-	30	-	-	-
888	Not applicable												

726. XMGA2DV Remarriage After Second Divorce

Have you remarried since then?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Remarried	0.0	33.3	50.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Never remarried	85.7	66.7	50.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	14.3	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	7	3	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

727. AGEMG2DV Age at Remarriage After Second Divorce

How old were you when you divorced?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	20-29 years old	0.0	0.0	25.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	30-39 years old	0.0	100.0	25.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	40-49 years old	0.0	0.0	25.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	50-59 years old	0.0	0.0	25.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
999	No answer	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	0	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
888	Not applicable												

728. AGE3DIV Age at Third Divorce

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	50-59 years old	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50.0	-	-	-
999	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50.0	-	-	-
		n	0	1	4	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
888	Not applicable												

729. XWIDOW Experience of Widowhood

Have you ever been widowed?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	11.0	10.1	10.0	-	-	-	-	-	10.0	-	-	-
2	No	87.8	88.5	88.9	-	-	-	-	-	89.9	-	-	-
3	Don't know	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-
9	No answer	1.2	1.3	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-
		n	2448	2371	2523	-	-	-	-	3942	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Yes" in 729. XWIDOW.

730. FQWDW Number of Widowhood

(If yes) How many times have you been widowed?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	Once	97.0	98.7	96.4	-	-	-	-	-	98.5	-	-	-
	Twice	2.2	0.4	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-
99	No answer	0.7	0.8	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-
		n	270	239	253	-	-	-	-	394	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

731. AGE1WDW Age at First Widowed

How old were you when your spouse died?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	16-19 years old	0.4	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-
	20-29 years old	5.9	9.2	5.1	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	-	-	-
	30-39 years old	11.1	8.0	7.9	-	-	-	-	-	5.8	-	-	-
	40-49 years old	16.3	14.3	15.8	-	-	-	-	-	12.7	-	-	-
	50-59 years old	17.8	20.2	16.6	-	-	-	-	-	19.5	-	-	-
	60-69 years old	23.7	27.7	32.8	-	-	-	-	-	22.3	-	-	-
	70-79 years old	17.4	14.7	17.8	-	-	-	-	-	19.3	-	-	-
	80-89 years old	3.0	2.5	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	4.8	-	-	-
999	No answer	4.4	3.4	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	12.7	-	-	-
		n	270	238	253	-	-	-	-	394	-	-	-
888	Not applicable												

732. XMGA1WD Remarriage After First Widowhood

Have you remarried since then?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Remarried	7.4	3.8	6.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Never remarried	91.5	94.5	93.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	1.1	1.7	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	270	238	253	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

733. AGEMG1WD Age at Remarriage After First Widowhood

How old were you when your spouse died?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	19 years old	5.0	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	20-29 years old	30.0	22.2	18.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	30-39 years old	45.0	33.3	25.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	40-49 years old	0.0	33.3	18.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	50-59 years old	15.0	0.0	18.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	60-69 years old	0.0	11.1	6.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	70-79 years old	5.0	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
999	No answer	0.0	0.0	12.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	20	9	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
888	Not applicable												

734. AGE2WDW Age at Second Widowhood

How old were you when your spouse died?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	40-49 years old	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	16.7	-	-	-
	50-59 years old	0.0	0.0	40.0	-	-	-	-	-	16.7	-	-	-
	60-69 years old	50.0	0.0	20.0	-	-	-	-	-	16.7	-	-	-
	70-79 years old	33.3	100.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	16.7	-	-	-
	80-89 years old	16.7	0.0	20.0	-	-	-	-	-	16.7	-	-	-
999	No answer	0.0	0.0	20.0	-	-	-	-	-	16.7	-	-	-
		n	6	1	5	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	-
888	Not applicable												

735. XMGA2WD Remarriage After Second Widowhood

Have you remarried since then?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Remarried	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Never remarried	100.0	100.0	80.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.0	0.0	20.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	6	1	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

736. AGEMG2WD Age at Remarriage After Second Widowhood

How old were you when your spouse died?

Code	
Actual number	
888	Not applicable
999	No answer

The frequency table for these variables are not shown since there is none applicable.

737-739. Have you ever quitte paying job due to marriage or childbirth?

737. XQTJBMRG Quitting Job due to Marriage or Childbirth: Marriage

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	73.8	-	-	-
1	Chosen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.2	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.0	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3942	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

738. XQTJBBTH Quitting Job due to Marriage or Childbirth: Childbirth

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	80.9	-	-	-
1	Chosen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.1	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.0	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3942	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

739. XQTJBNO Quitting Job due to Marriage or Childbirth: None

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.7	-	-	-
1	Chosen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	61.4	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.0	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3942	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

740. TP5LOC15 Place of Residence at Age 15: Size of Municipality *

Which one of the following best describes that area at that time?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Large city	14.2	14.3	14.5	13.8	12.0	14.2	12.2	12.4	12.1	12.7	12.4	12.6
2	Medium-sized city	18.6	22.5	22.8	22.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Small to medium sized city	-	-	-	-	42.1	39.8	37.6	37.5	38.8	39.6	37.5	39.8
4	Smaller-sized city	24.6	21.4	22.7	25.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Town/village	39.8	39.5	36.3	36.2	45.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Town	-	-	-	-	-	32.0	33.9	34.1	34.9	35.5	37.4	36.8
7	Village	-	-	-	-	-	13.7	16.0	15.9	13.9	12.0	12.8	10.8
8	Overseas	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	2.3	1.9	3.2	1.9	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.0	0.0
n		2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

*Choices for this question differ depending on the survey year.

Under the same variable names, what are referred to in single-year data and cumulative data are slightly different.

Codes for this question differ depending on the single year data and cumulative data..

In the cumulative data, the variable labels were changed.

For the identical variable in single year data, please refer to the variables TP5LOC15_00 to TP5LOC15_12.

2000-2010/2012 Codes integrated: "1. Large city, 2. Medium-sized city, 3. Small to medium sized city, 4. Smaller-sized city, 5. Town/village, 6. Town, 7. Village, 8. Overseas".

Variable label changed: "Place of Residence at Age 15: Size of Municipality" → "Place of Residence at Age 15: Size of Municipality_Integrated"

2000-2015 Codes integrated: Same as 2000-2010/2012

2000-2018 Codes integrated: Same as 2000-2015

741. TP5LOC15_00 Place of Residence at Age 15: Size of Municipality_2000*

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Large city	14.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Medium-sized city	18.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Smaller-sized city	24.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Town/village	39.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Overseas	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		2893	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

*It is a new variable created for the cumulative data 2000-2010.

2000 Choices: "1.Large city, 2.Medium-sized city, 3. Smaller-sized city, 4.Town/village, 5.Overseas"

742. TP5LOC15_01 Place of Residence at Age 15: Size of Municipality_2001*

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Large city	-	14.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Medium-sized city	-	22.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Smaller-sized city	-	21.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Town/village	-	39.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Overseas	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	1.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	2790	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

*It is a new variable created for the cumulative data 2000-2010. The value is same as those in single year dataset of 2011.

2001 The choices are same as those in 2000.

743. TP5LOC15_02 Place of Residence at Age 15: Size of Municipality_2002*

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Large city	-	-	14.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Medium-sized city	-	-	22.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Smaller-sized city	-	-	22.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Town/village	-	-	36.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Overseas	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	3.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

*It is a new variable created for the cumulative data 2000-2010. The values are same as those in single year dataset of 2002.
2002 The choices are same as those in 2000.

744. TP5LOC15_03 Place of Residence at Age 15: Size of Municipality_2003*

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Large city	-	-	-	13.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Medium-sized city	-	-	-	22.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Smaller-sized city	-	-	-	25.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Town/village	-	-	-	36.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Overseas	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	1.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	3663	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

*It is a new variable created for the cumulative data 2000-2010. The values are same as those in single year dataset of 2003.
2003 The choices are same as those in 2000.

745. TP5LOC15_05 Place of Residence at Age 15: Size of Municipality_2005*

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Large city	-	-	-	-	12.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Small to medium sized city	-	-	-	-	42.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Town/village	-	-	-	-	45.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

*It is a new variable created for the cumulative data 2000-2010. The values are same as those in single year dataset of 2005.
2005 The wording for the choice changed: "1.Large city, 2.Small to medium sized city, 3. Town/village" and removed the choices "3. Smaller-sized city, 5.Overseas" were removed.

746. TP5LOC15_06 Place of Residence at Age 15: Size of Municipality_2006*

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Large city	-	-	-	-	-	14.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Small to medium sized city	-	-	-	-	-	39.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Town	-	-	-	-	-	32.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Village	-	-	-	-	-	13.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	4254	-	-	-	-	-	-

*It is a new variable created for the cumulative data 2000-2010. The values are same as those in single year dataset of 2006.
2006 The wording for the choice changed: "1.Large city, 2.Small to medium sized city, 3. Town, 4.Village"

747. TP5LOC15_08 Place of Residence at Age 15: Size of Municipality_2008*

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Large city	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.2	-	-	-	-	-
2	Small to medium sized city	-	-	-	-	-	-	37.6	-	-	-	-	-
3	Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.9	-	-	-	-	-
4	Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.0	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	4220	-	-	-	-	-

*It is a new variable created for the cumulative data 2000-2010. The values are same as those in single year dataset of 2008.
2008 The choices are same as those in 2006.

748. TP5LOC15_10 Place of Residence at Age 15: Size of Municipality_2010*

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Large city	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.4	-	-	-	-
2	Small to medium sized city	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37.5	-	-	-	-
3	Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34.1	-	-	-	-
4	Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.9	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5003	-	-	-	-

*It is a new variable created for the cumulative data 2000-2010. The values are same as those in single year dataset of 2010.
2010 The choices are same as those in 2006.

749. TP5LOC15_12 Place of Residence at Age 15: Size of Municipality_2012*

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Large city	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.1	-	-	-
2	Small to medium sized city	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	38.8	-	-	-
3	Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34.9	-	-	-
4	Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.9	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4667	-	-	-

*It is a new variable created for the cumulative data 2000-2012. The values are same as those in single year dataset of 2012.
2012 The choices are same as those in 2006.

750. TP5LOC15_15 Place of Residence at Age 15: Size of Municipality_2015*

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Large city	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.7	-	-
2	Small to medium sized city	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	39.6	-	-
3	Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35.5	-	-
4	Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.0	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

*It is a new variable created for the cumulative data 2000-2015. The values are same as those in single year dataset of 2015.
2015 The choices are same as those in 2006.

751. TP5LOC15_17 Place of Residence at Age 15: Size of Municipality_2017*

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Large city	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.4	-
2	Small to medium sized city	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37.5	-
3	Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37.4	-
4	Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.8	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	744	-

*It is a new variable created for the cumulative data 2000-2018. The values are same as those in single year dataset of 2017.
2017 The choices are same as those in 2006.

752. TP5LOC15_18 Place of Residence at Age 15: Size of Municipality_2018*

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Large city	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.6
2	Small to medium sized city	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	39.8
3	Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36.8
4	Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.8
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1916

*It is a new variable created for the cumulative data 2000-2018. The values are same as those in single year dataset of 2018.
2018 The choices are same as those in 2006.

753. PREF15 Place of Residence at Age 15: Prefecture*

Where did you live when you were 15 years old? Please state the name of the prefecture.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Hokkaido	5.4	5.6	5.6	4.6	5.8	5.3	5.3	5.4	5.1	5.7	5.0	5.3
2	Aomori	1.5	1.2	1.0	1.4	1.3	1.6	1.7	1.5	2.1	1.7	2.0	2.1
3	Iwate	1.4	1.0	1.8	1.6	1.4	1.2	1.6	1.2	1.5	1.3	1.9	1.6
4	Miyagi	2.4	2.0	2.0	2.4	2.1	2.3	2.4	2.2	1.6	2.6	1.6	2.3
5	Akita	1.6	1.6	1.4	1.5	2.2	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.5	1.7	1.6
6	Yamagata	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.9	1.6	1.4	2.0	1.4	1.4	1.2	0.7
7	Fukushima	2.0	2.5	2.0	2.1	1.1	1.3	2.0	2.0	2.1	1.8	1.3	1.9
8	Ibaraki	2.5	2.2	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.3	1.8	2.1	3.0	2.4	2.7

9	Tochigi	1.3	2.2	1.9	2.0	2.8	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.0	1.2	1.1	
10	Gunma	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.5	1.6	1.6	2.3	2.1	2.3	2.2	2.7	
11	Saitama	3.4	3.1	2.4	3.0	2.4	3.1	3.4	3.6	3.4	3.1	3.5	3.1	
12	Chiba	3.3	2.8	3.3	3.1	3.1	2.8	3.2	3.1	2.8	3.4	2.8	3.3	
13	Tokyo	6.7	6.9	6.9	7.1	6.1	7.3	6.3	6.5	6.8	6.5	5.5	7.4	
14	Kanagawa	3.2	3.4	3.6	3.9	2.9	3.8	3.7	3.5	4.0	3.9	4.3	3.7	
15	Niigata	2.7	3.2	3.0	2.9	2.9	2.5	3.3	2.7	2.8	3.2	3.2	3.2	
16	Toyama	1.0	1.1	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.6	1.1	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.5	1.0	
17	Ishikawa	1.0	0.9	1.2	1.2	1.4	0.8	1.3	0.8	1.2	1.0	1.1	0.7	
18	Fukui	0.9	0.9	0.9	1.1	1.9	1.3	1.2	1.0	1.0	0.5	1.6	1.3	
19	Yamanashi	0.8	0.9	1.1	1.1	2.2	1.0	0.9	1.0	0.7	0.8	0.1	1.3	
20	Nagano	2.3	2.2	2.4	2.5	1.9	2.2	2.0	2.3	2.2	2.4	2.6	2.0	
21	Gifu	2.2	1.8	1.9	1.7	2.6	2.0	1.9	1.7	1.8	1.5	2.7	1.4	
22	Shizuoka	3.8	3.8	3.6	2.4	3.7	3.9	4.0	3.8	3.7	3.1	3.4	3.1	
23	Aichi	4.3	3.5	5.4	4.1	4.3	5.1	5.2	5.4	4.9	5.1	5.0	5.0	
24	Mie	2.2	1.8	1.6	1.9	2.5	1.9	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.9	0.9	
25	Shiga	0.9	1.4	1.2	0.8	1.7	0.7	1.1	0.9	1.1	1.2	0.9	1.3	
26	Kyoto	2.3	1.6	2.4	2.3	2.2	2.1	2.3	1.9	1.9	1.4	2.7	1.7	
27	Osaka	4.2	5.1	5.0	4.8	4.1	5.5	5.5	5.6	5.8	5.7	5.1	5.4	
28	Hyogo	4.0	4.2	4.7	3.1	2.8	3.8	2.8	3.4	3.5	4.0	3.5	4.6	
29	Nara	1.0	0.6	0.9	1.0	0.8	0.6	0.9	0.8	1.1	0.7	0.9	1.2	
30	Wakayama	1.0	1.3	0.7	1.0	1.1	1.2	0.6	1.3	1.2	0.5	1.9	0.7	
31	Tottori	0.4	0.5	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.9	0.5	0.3	0.6	
32	Shimane	1.1	1.0	0.9	1.2	0.9	0.8	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.9	1.7	1.1	
33	Okayama	2.1	2.5	2.0	1.7	1.5	2.0	2.0	2.3	2.1	1.5	2.4	2.2	
34	Hiroshima	2.7	2.7	2.5	2.4	2.2	2.4	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.6	1.7	2.4	
35	Yamaguchi	1.8	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.9	1.7	1.8	1.7	2.0	1.9	0.9	1.8	
36	Tokushima	1.0	1.1	0.8	0.8	1.0	1.0	0.9	1.0	1.0	0.6	0.9	0.5	
37	Kagawa	1.6	1.1	0.9	1.5	1.5	0.6	1.1	1.0	0.8	1.4	0.9	0.6	
38	Ehime	1.2	1.6	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.1	1.3	1.1	1.3	1.4	
39	Kochi	1.1	0.7	0.4	1.1	0.5	0.9	0.9	1.1	1.0	0.6	0.9	0.7	
40	Fukuoka	3.7	3.3	3.6	4.0	3.6	3.8	4.3	3.8	3.1	4.0	2.8	3.6	
41	Saga	1.1	1.1	0.7	1.4	1.3	1.1	0.7	1.0	1.3	1.1	1.1	1.2	
42	Nagasaki	1.2	1.8	2.1	1.7	1.5	1.6	1.9	1.7	1.4	1.6	1.5	1.3	
43	Kumamoto	2.0	2.1	1.6	1.8	1.1	1.5	1.5	1.8	1.6	1.8	2.8	2.1	
44	Oita	1.1	1.7	1.2	1.6	1.9	1.4	1.7	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.1	1.2	
45	Miyazaki	1.2	0.7	1.1	1.2	1.4	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.2	1.1	1.1	
46	Kagoshima	1.9	2.3	2.0	2.0	1.5	2.1	2.0	2.0	1.9	2.5	1.7	1.8	
47	Okinawa	0.8	1.4	1.0	1.2	1.0	1.2	1.0	0.6	1.3	0.9	1.3	1.8	
48	Overseas	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.0	0.5	0.2	
99	No answer	0.8	0.6	0.4	0.7	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	
		n	2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

88 Not applicable

** Target range is different between the single year data and cumulative data .

2000 Target range: Those who lived in Japan, excluding those who lived overseas.

2005 Target range: All

2000-2015 Code added: In case that the answer to TP5LOC15 in single year data of 2000-2003 was "5 Overseas" → "48 Overseas"

2000-2018 Code added: Same as 2000-2015.

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754. REMOTE15 Place of Residence at Age 15: Rural or Not

Was it a farming or fishing village?

Code		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	
1	Yes	47.8	45.5	45.8	46.7	44.9	40.6	39.4	38.9	37.4	36.4	35.3	39.2	
2	No	49.8	52.3	52.9	53.0	54.9	57.7	60.2	60.9	62.2	62.6	59.5	59.8	
9	No answer	2.5	2.2	1.3	0.3	0.2	1.7	0.4	0.2	0.3	1.0	5.1	1.0	
		n	2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

755. CTW20 Place of Residence at Age 20: Experience of Moving*

Is the municipality (city, town, village, or ward) where you were living at the age of 20 the same as where you were at the age of 15?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Same city, town, village or ward	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	67.3	66.4	65.9
2	Different city, town, village or ward in the same prefecture	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.6	10.3	11.7
3	Different prefecture	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.8	23.3	22.3
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.0	0.1
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	744	1916

*2017 Variable label changed: "Place of Residence at Age 20" → "Place of Residence at Age 20: Experience of Moving".

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "3. Different prefecture" in 755. CTW20.

756. PREF20 Place of Residence at Age 20: Prefecture

Please specify the prefecture if it is different from the one where you were when you were 15 years old.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Hokkaido	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	0.6	1.2
2	Aomori	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	2.3	0.7
3	Iwate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	1.2	0.7
4	Miyagi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	0.6	3.3
5	Akita	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.0	0.0
6	Yamagata	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.6	0.5
7	Fukushima	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	1.2	0.5
8	Ibaraki	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	1.7	0.7
9	Tochigi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.6	0.9
10	Gunma	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	0.6	0.2
11	Saitama	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	2.3	4.7
12	Chiba	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.4	1.7	2.8
13	Tokyo	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.9	30.6	29.4
14	Kanagawa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.6	11.6	8.6
15	Niigata	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	0.6	0.9
16	Toyama	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	0.6	0.2
17	Ishikawa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	2.3	0.7
18	Fukui	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.6	0.2
19	Yamanashi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	0.0	0.0
20	Nagano	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	2.3	0.0
21	Gifu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	0.6	0.5
22	Shizuoka	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	0.6	2.1
23	Aichi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.5	8.1	6.5
24	Mie	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	1.2	0.2
25	Shiga	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.6	0.9
26	Kyoto	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.2	5.2	4.4
27	Osaka	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.7	8.1	12.1
28	Hyogo	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	2.9	3.0
29	Nara	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	1.7	0.5
30	Wakayama	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.6	0.2
31	Tottori	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.2
32	Shimane	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.0	0.2
33	Okayama	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	0.0	1.4
34	Hiroshima	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	3.5	1.9
35	Yamaguchi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	1.2	0.7
36	Tokushima	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.6	0.0
37	Kagawa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.0	0.9
38	Ehime	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	0.6	0.0
39	Kochi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0
40	Fukuoka	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.1	2.3	4.4
41	Saga	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.0	0.5
42	Nagasaki	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	0.0	0.5
43	Kumamoto	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	0.0	0.2
44	Oita	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.0	0.2
45	Miyazaki	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.0	0.5
46	Kagoshima	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.6	0.7
47	Okinawa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	0.0	0.0
48	Overseas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	0.0	0.7
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	0.0	0.0
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	475	173	428

88 Not applicable

Following question was asked to respondents who answered “2. Different city, town, village or ward in the same prefecture” and “3. Different prefecture” in 755. CTVW20.

757. TP5LOC20 Place of Residence at Age 20: Community size

Which one of the following best describes the area where you used to live when you were 20 years old?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Large city	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41.1	38.4	39.6
2	Small to medium sized city	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	44.0	40.4	46.9
3	Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.2	16.8	11.7
4	Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	4.0	1.8
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.4	0.0
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	679	250	652
8	Not applicable												

758. PPJBTP15 Employment Status of Father at Age 15'

Which one of the categories best describes your father's job when you were about 15 years old?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Executive of a company or a corporation	3.1	3.4	3.8	3.8	4.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Regular employee with no managerial post	16.8	16.3	16.6	13.8	17.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Regular employee - Group leader, Foreman	2.2	2.0	2.4	2.2	3.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Regular employee - Sub-section Head	3.4	3.1	2.8	2.7	3.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Regular employee - Section Head, Manager	4.6	4.4	4.5	3.9	5.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Regular employee - Department Head, General Manager	3.8	2.5	3.0	3.2	2.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Regular employee - Other managerial post	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Regular employee - managerial status unknown	8.7	10.8	9.1	13.5	7.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	Temporary worker, Daily worker, Part-time temporary worker	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.7	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	Self employed	43.9	42.9	42.8	44.2	40.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	Family worker	0.8	1.9	1.4	0.8	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
12	Doing piecework at home	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
13	He was not working.	1.3	1.5	1.8	1.0	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14	I didnt have a father at the time.	8.6	8.5	8.3	7.7	8.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15	Don't know	1.9	2.0	2.8	2.2	3.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	0.3	0.5	0.2	0.0	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

* Codes for this question differ between single year data and cumulative data..

Choices added in 2005.

2000 The wording for the choices: “1. Executive of a company or a corporation”, “2. Regular employee with no managerial post”, “3. Regular employee - Group leader, Foreman”, “4. Regular employee - Sub-section Head”, “5. Regular employee - Section Head, Manager”, “6. Regular employee - Department Head, General Manager”, “7. Regular employee - managerial status unknown”, “8. Temporary worker, Daily worker, Part-time temporary worker”, “9. Self employed”, “10. Family worker”, “11. Doing piecework at home”, “12. He was not working”, “13. I didnt have a father at the time”, “14. Don't know”.

2005 Choice added: “7. Regular employee - Other managerial post”, and the following choices 7-14 are moved down to 8-15.

2000-2010/2012 Codes integrated: same as 2005.

2000-2015 Codes integrated: same as 2005.

2000-2018 Codes integrated: same as 2005.

759. PPJBTP15 Work Arrangement of Father at Age 15

Which one of the categories best describes your father's job when you were about 15 years old?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Executive of a company or a corporation	-	-	-	-	-	4.0	4.5	4.4	-	-	-	-
2	Regular employee	-	-	-	-	-	45.0	48.0	47.2	-	-	-	-
3	Temporary worker	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	0.9	0.5	-	-	-	-
4	Self-employed	-	-	-	-	-	37.0	35.3	37.0	-	-	-	-
5	Family worker	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	1.1	1.4	-	-	-	-
6	He was not working.	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	1.3	1.6	-	-	-	-
7	I didnt have a father at the time.	-	-	-	-	-	8.4	8.2	7.0	-	-	-	-
8	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	0.5	0.7	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	0.2	0.2	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	4254	4220	5003	-	-	-	-

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "2. Regular employee" in 759. PPJBT15.

760. PPJBT15P Job Title of Father at Age 15

Which of the following post was he appointed?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	No managerial post	-	-	-	-	-	37.5	36.4	37.6	34.2	31.5	29.8	34.0
2	Group leader, Foreman	-	-	-	-	-	6.1	7.7	5.5	5.9	5.9	7.3	6.6
3	Sub-section Head (or equivalent position) - kakaricho	-	-	-	-	-	6.5	8.1	8.2	7.8	8.7	5.6	7.9
4	Section Head, Manager (or equivalent position) - kacho	-	-	-	-	-	13.5	13.1	12.9	12.3	12.7	16.0	12.7
5	Department Head, General Manager (or equivalent position) - bucho	-	-	-	-	-	5.8	5.9	6.4	5.6	7.2	6.1	6.1
6	Other managerial post	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	0.3	0.1	0.3	0.4	0.0	0.1
7	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	27.6	25.8	25.7	27.6	30.6	32.4	32.2
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	2.6	3.6	6.3	2.9	2.9	0.5
	n	-	-	-	-	-	1914	2027	2362	2269	1052	413	992
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Executive of a company or a corporation", "2. Regular employee", "3. Temporary worker", "4. Self-employed", "5. Family worker" in 759. PPJBT15.

761. PPJBXX15 Occupation of Father at Age 15

What kind of job did your father do? Please give details. (e.g., elementary school teacher, cram-school teacher, farmer, bus driver, automobile mechanic, supermarket cashier, accounting clerk at a bank, computer programmer, clerical staff member for a sales department, on-the-road sales person of cosmetics, etc.).

The occupation codes were classified as below. For details of the classification categories, see Resources III, Occupation Code.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
	Professionals	6.4	6.4	5.1	5.7	5.2	6.4	6.9	5.8	6.4	8.2	8.9	8.3
	Managers	5.9	4.1	5.9	5.6	2.8	5.4	4.4	5.1	6.6	4.5	9.9	3.1
	General office	9.9	13.1	13.1	12.3	13.0	14.7	14.3	14.1	13.4	13.9	12.1	13.9
	Sales	9.9	10.8	10.6	10.1	12.4	10.9	11.7	12.7	11.9	12.1	11.1	12.4
	Skilled	14.4	14.0	15.3	14.9	16.0	16.1	15.1	14.6	16.6	23.0	15.4	17.3
	Semiskilled	11.4	9.9	9.9	11.1	10.1	11.7	12.5	12.2	12.8	12.5	13.4	15.3
	Unskilled	4.1	3.9	4.4	3.4	4.8	4.1	5.0	4.2	4.4	1.6	3.5	3.8
	Agricultural and forestry	29.1	28.7	27.3	29.0	25.2	22.1	21.2	22.0	18.1	18.2	15.4	17.0
	Other industries not elsewhere classified	6.3	6.9	5.3	5.4	7.0	6.3	7.0	6.5	7.0	0.5	4.8	4.4
999	No answer	2.5	2.3	3.2	2.6	3.6	2.3	1.9	2.8	2.8	5.5	5.5	4.5
	n	2606	2510	2656	3343	1827	3832	3819	4572	4290	1902	687	1750
998	Not applicable												

762. PPJBXX1E Occupation of Father at Age 15 (ISCO)*

What kind of job did your father do? Please give details. (e.g., elementary school teacher, cram-school teacher, farmer, bus driver, automobile mechanic, supermarket cashier, accounting clerk at a bank, computer programmer, clerical staff member for a sales department, on-the-road sales person, etc.).

Following is the aggregated frequency distribution by Major group of ISCO.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
	Legislators, senior officials and managers	-	-	-	-	-	5.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Professionals	-	-	-	-	-	4.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Technicians and associate professionals	-	-	-	-	-	5.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Clerks	-	-	-	-	-	12.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Service workers and shop and market sales workers	-	-	-	-	-	10.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Skilled agricultural and fishery workers	-	-	-	-	-	22.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Craft and related trades workers	-	-	-	-	-	16.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Plant and machine operators and assemblers	-	-	-	-	-	12.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Elementary occupations	-	-	-	-	-	4.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Armed forces	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
99999	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	5.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	1907	-	-	-	-	-	-
88888	Not applicable												

*In 2006, this variable was made out based on ISCO-88 classification, only for the respondents of self-administered questionnaire B.

763. PPJXXE08 Occupation of Father at Age 15 (ISCO08)

What kind of job did your father do? Please give details. (e.g., elementary school teacher, cram-school teacher, farmer, bus driver, automobile mechanic, supermarket cashier, accounting clerk at a bank, computer programmer, clerical staff member for a sales department, on-the-road sales person of cosmetics, etc.).

Following is the aggregated frequency distribution by Major group of ISCO.

Code	2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Managers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.3	9.2	3.0
Professionals	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.8	6.3	6.3
Technicians and associate professionals	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.4	11.1	11.4
Clerical support workers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.9	9.0	11.9
Service and sales workers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.7	9.5	8.9
Skilled agricultural, forestry and fishery workers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.3	15.3	16.9
Craft and related trades workers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.6	18.5	17.6
Plant and machine operators, and assemblers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.2	12.8	15.3
Elementary occupations	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	2.9	4.3
Armed forces occupations	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0
99999 No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.4	5.5	4.5
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1902	687	1750
88888 Not applicable												

764. PPJBSZ15 Corporation Size of Father at Age 15*

How many people worked in the entire corporation or organization where your father worked? Please make sure to include family workers, non-regular employees, and himself.

Code	2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018	
1 1	16.7	17.2	16.0	13.0	13.8	11.0	11.0	10.9	10.1	9.4	11.2	9.3	
2 Small company (2-29 employees)	38.4	38.1	38.1	44.5	41.1	39.5	39.5	38.1	37.6	38.7	32.0	37.2	
3 Medium-sized company (30-299 employees)	9.6	9.2	10.1	9.9	9.5	11.1	11.1	11.4	12.8	11.4	14.4	11.9	
4 Large company (300 or more employees)	12.5	12.5	12.1	10.9	11.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
5 Government agency	10.1	9.8	9.7	9.9	10.7	11.1	11.9	12.2	11.6	12.0	12.4	11.7	
6 Don't know	9.6	9.8	10.5	9.5	10.5	10.2	10.3	10.7	10.7	11.3	10.0	12.3	
7 Large company (300-999 employees)	-	-	-	-	-	4.1	4.8	4.6	4.3	4.9	7.0	5.2	
8 Major company (1000 or more employees)	-	-	-	-	-	9.6	9.5	8.9	10.6	11.1	12.2	11.8	
9 No answer	3.2	3.4	3.5	2.3	2.7	3.3	2.0	3.0	2.3	1.3	0.7	0.7	
	n	2606	2510	2656	3343	1827	3832	3819	4572	4290	1902	687	1750
8 Not applicable													

* Choices for this question differ depending on the survey year.

Codes for this question differ between the single year data and cumulative data.

2000 Choices: "1. 1, 2. Small company (2-29 employees), 3. Medium-sized company (30-299 employees), 4. Large company (300 or more employees), 5. Government agency, 6. Don't know."

2006 Choices changed: "1. 1, 2. Small company (2-29 employees), 3. Medium-sized company (30-299 employees), 4. Large company (300-999 employees), 5. Large company (1000 or more employees), 6. Government agency, 7. Don't know."

2000-2010/2012 Codes integrated: "1. 1, 2. Small company (2-29 employees), 3. Medium-sized company (30-299 employees), 4. Large company (300-999 employees), 5. Large company (1000 or more employees), 6. Government agency, 7. Don't know."

2000-2015 Codes integrated: "1. 1, 2. Small company (2-29 employees), 3. Medium-sized company (30-299 employees), 4. Large company (300 or more employees), 5. Government agency, 6. Don't know, 7. Large company (300-999 employees), 8. Large company (1000 or more employees), 88. Not applicable, 99. No answer."

2000-2018 Codes integrated: Same as 2000-2015.

765. MMJBTP15 Mother Work at Age 15*

When you were about 15 years old, did your mother have any paying job? If so, what did she do? Please choose from below.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	She was not working.	30.3	31.3	32.1	30.7	29.7	30.8	30.7	30.8	31.3	29.4	31.9	29.5
2	Temporary worker, Daily worker, Part-time temporary worker	11.7	11.5	11.6	11.7	12.4	14.9	16.8	16.1	18.4	22.6	20.2	21.5
3	Regular employee - non-management	7.8	7.4	7.3	6.7	7.9	10.0	9.3	10.2	9.6	9.9	10.1	11.7
4	Regular employee - managerial position	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.3
5	Regular employee - professional (nurse, teacher, etc.)	1.4	1.3	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.5	1.8	1.7	1.9	1.9	2.6	2.0
6	Regular employee - don't know about occupation	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.7	1.1	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.5	1.1	0.8
7	Self-employed/family worker - agriculture	35.6	34.8	35.9	35.5	34.6	31.3	27.8	29.9	26.9	24.3	23.4	23.0
8	Self-employed/family worker - other than agriculture	4.3	5.2	4.0	4.7	4.3	4.0	5.2	3.9	4.2	5.6	3.9	4.5
9	Doing piecework at home	2.5	2.7	2.1	2.6	2.9	2.1	2.7	2.0	2.2	1.8	3.0	2.9
10	Executive of a company or a corporation	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6
11	I didn't have a mother at that time.	3.9	3.1	2.7	3.5	2.3	2.8	2.8	2.4	2.4	2.0	1.6	1.5
12	Don't know	1.1	1.2	1.4	1.0	1.8	1.1	1.3	1.4	1.3	0.9	1.5	1.7
99	No answer	0.4	0.5	0.2	0.2	0.7	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.0	0.1
n		2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

* In Japanese, the wording for the choice "5" and "6" in this question differs depending on the survey year.

766. PPJB15 Employment Relationship of Father at Age 15

Which one of the categories best describes your father's job when you were about 15 years old?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Employee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50.4	52.2	56.2	53.2
2	Executive of a company or a corporation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	3.0	3.4	3.2
3	Self employed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36.3	35.2	31.0	32.5
4	Family worker	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	0.9	0.9	1.4
5	Doing piece work at home	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1
6	He was not working	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	1.1	1.1	1.4
7	I didn't have a father at that time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.8	7.4	6.6	7.3
8	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	0.1	0.8	0.9
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.1
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4667	2079	744	1916

767. PPJBT15S Employment Status of Father at Age 15

Which of the following best describes his employment status?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Regular employee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	96.5	96.9	98.8	97.3
2	Part-time temporary worker	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	1.1	0.0	0.5
3	Dispatched worker from temporary personnel agency	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2
4	Contract employee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	0.5	0.0	0.9
5	Non-regular employee (Shokutaku)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.2
6	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	1.1	0.7	1.0
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	0.2	0.0	0.0
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2351	1086	418	1020
8	Not applicable												

768-771. What is the last school you attended (or are attending now)? Also, answer about your spouse and parents, as far as you know. Consider “dropout” as “graduated.”

768. XXLSTSCH Last School Respondent Attended *

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Ordinary elementary school in the old system	4.1	3.7	3.5	4.5	4.2	3.1	1.4	1.6	1.5	0.6	1.1	0.8
2	Higher elementary school in the old system	7.4	7.1	5.7	5.5	4.0	2.7	2.4	2.3	1.6	0.7	0.7	0.6
3	Junior high school/Girls' high school in the old system	4.1	4.6	4.1	5.1	3.9	3.5	3.1	2.6	2.1	2.3	0.1	0.8
4	Vocational school/Commerce school in the old system	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.0	0.1
5	Normal school in the old system	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
6	Higher school or vocational school in the old system	1.0	1.3	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.0	0.1	0.1
7	University/Graduate school in the old system	0.3	0.6	0.4	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
8	Junior high school	14.2	14.2	15.2	14.6	13.8	12.7	12.7	12.0	12.0	10.6	11.8	11.5
9	High school	41.3	39.0	39.8	39.8	40.4	44.4	43.4	43.2	43.8	49.1	47.4	51.8
10	College of technology	-	-	-	-	-	3.7	3.6	4.9	4.5	0.6	0.4	0.3
11	2-year college	-	-	-	-	-	8.1	9.2	9.6	9.8	9.4	12.0	8.8
12	University	14.7	16.2	16.6	14.5	16.3	17.7	20.3	20.7	21.3	24.1	22.4	22.9
13	Graduate school	0.9	0.7	1.3	1.3	1.6	1.8	1.5	1.5	1.9	1.9	2.8	2.1
14	Don't know	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1
16	4 year college	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.1
20	2-year college/College of technology	10.4	11.0	11.1	12.3	13.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	0.6	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.1	0.9	0.1
	n	2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

* Choices for this question differ depending on the survey year.

Codes for this question differ between the single year data and cumulative data.

2000 The wording for the choices: “1. Ordinary elementary school in the old system”, “2. Higher elementary school in the old system”, “3. Junior high school/Girls' high school in the old system”, “4. Vocational school in the old system”, “5. Normal school in the old system”, “6. Higher school or vocational school in the old system”, “7. University/Graduate school in the old system”, “8. Junior high school”, “9. High school”, “10. 2-year college / College of technology”, “11. University”, “12. Graduate school”, “13. Don't know”.

2005 The wording for the choice changed: “4. Vocational school in the old system” → “4. Vocational school/Commerce school in the old system”

2006 The wording for the choice changed: “10. 2-year college / College of technology” → “10. College of technology” and “11. 2-year college”. The following Choices 11-13 are moved down to 12-14.

2015 Code added: Added code “16. 4 year college” according to the information related to respondents' schooling.

2000-2010/2012 Codes integrated : “1. Ordinary elementary school in the old system”, “2. Ordinary elementary school in the old system”, “3. Junior high school/Girls' high school in the old system”, “4. Vocational school/Commerce school in the old system”, “5. Normal school in the old system”, “6. Higher school or vocational school in the old system”, “7. University/Graduate school in the old system”, “8. Junior high school”, “9. High school”, “10. College of technology”, “11. 2-year college”, “12. University”, “13. Graduate school”, “14. Don't know”, “20. 2-year college / College of technology”.

2000-2015 Code added : “16. 4 year college” added in the data of 2000-2010/2012.

2000-2018 Codes integrated: Same as 2000-2015.

769. SSLSTSCH Last School Spouse Attended *

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Ordinary elementary school in the old system	3.4	2.5	2.9	3.3	3.6	2.4	1.2	1.3	1.2	0.5	0.9	0.7
2	Higher elementary school in the old system	7.0	7.0	4.9	5.2	4.2	2.7	2.5	1.8	1.4	1.0	0.7	0.8
3	Junior high school/Girls' high school in the old system	4.2	4.3	4.2	4.6	3.2	3.0	2.6	2.5	1.8	1.4	0.5	0.9
4	Vocational school/Commerce school in the old system	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.6	0.7	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.0	0.1
5	Normal school in the old system	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1
6	Higher school or vocational school in the old system	0.7	1.1	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.2	0.1	0.2
7	University/Graduate school in the old system	0.6	1.1	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.3	0.0	0.1
8	Junior high school	12.3	11.1	12.7	12.1	10.2	10.9	10.4	10.2	9.6	10.0	9.4	9.2
9	High school	32.9	32.0	31.8	32.1	33.2	36.0	36.5	36.3	34.8	36.8	35.3	39.7
10	College of technology	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	2.8	3.1	3.9	0.6	0.5	0.2
11	2-year college	-	-	-	-	-	5.2	5.9	6.2	6.0	6.3	7.0	7.2
12	University	9.9	11.6	12.2	12.0	13.5	13.1	14.1	15.0	15.7	17.2	19.9	17.4
13	Graduate school	0.7	0.6	0.9	0.8	0.9	1.0	0.9	1.1	1.5	1.3	1.9	1.8
14	Don't know	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.6	1.3	1.0	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.1	0.9
15	Never-married / Divorced / Widowed / Separated	18.5	17.8	17.5	19.1	18.8	19.0	19.5	19.7	21.0	22.5	22.7	20.9
16	4 year college	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.0
20	2-year college/College of technology	6.4	7.5	7.6	7.3	8.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	1.8	2.0	2.5	1.1	1.0	1.0	0.9	0.8	1.0	0.7	0.7	0.1
	n	2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

* The number of choices for this question differ depending on the survey year.

From 2008, the cases of cohabiting were treated as married, and included for the question.

2000 Choices: “1. Ordinary elementary school in the old system, 2. Higher elementary school in the old system, 3. Junior high school/Girls' high school in the old system, 4. Vocational school in the old system, 5. Normal school in the old system, 6. Higher school or vocational school in the old system, 7. University/Graduate school in the old system, 8. Junior high school, 9. High school, 10. 2-year college / College of technology, 11. University, 12. Graduate school, 13. Don't know.”

- 2002 The wording for the choice changed: "1. Ordinary elementary school in the old system" → "1. Ordinary elementary school in the old system"
2005 The wording for the choices changed: "4. Vocational school in the old system" → "4. Vocational school/Commerce school in the old system",
"14. I don't have spouse" → "14. Never-married / Divorced"
2006 The wording for the choices changed: "10. 2-year college / College of technology" → "10. College of technology"
"11. 2-year college". The following choices 11-14 are moved down to 12-15.
2017 Code added: "16. 4 year college" based on the content of the information obtained from other questions related to spouses' schooling.
2000-2010/2012 Codes integrated : "1. Ordinary elementary school in the old system, 2. Ordinary elementary school in the old system, 3. Junior high school/Girls' high school in the old system, 4. Vocational school/Commerce school in the old system, 5. Normal school in the old system, 6. Higher school or vocational school in the old system, 7. University/Graduate school in the old system, 8. Junior high school, 9. High school, 10. College of technology, 11. 2-year college, 12. University, 13. Graduate school, 14. Don't know, 15. Never-married / Divorced, 20. 2-year college / College of technology."
2000-2015 Codes integrated : Same as 2000-2010/12
2000-2018 Codes added: "16. 4 year college" was added to 2000-2015.

770. PPLSTSCH Last School Father Attended *

Code	2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1 Ordinary elementary school in the old system	23.1	20.5	22.2	23.0	22.4	19.6	17.0	17.9	16.6	14.1	15.5	13.7
2 Higher elementary school in the old system	17.5	17.7	15.8	13.5	11.9	11.2	12.2	10.5	9.1	8.8	7.0	7.6
3 Junior high school/Girls' high school in the old system	8.9	9.5	10.0	8.3	8.1	8.3	9.0	8.3	8.2	7.6	5.6	6.2
4 Vocational school/Commerce school in the old system	1.1	1.2	1.7	1.3	1.5	1.4	2.2	1.3	1.2	1.4	0.0	0.8
5 Normal school in the old system	1.1	1.0	0.8	1.1	1.0	0.8	1.0	0.9	0.5	0.4	0.4	1.1
6 Higher school or vocational school in the old system	3.1	3.1	3.8	3.7	2.6	3.0	3.7	3.0	2.7	3.1	3.2	3.0
7 University/Graduate school in the old system	2.7	3.2	3.4	3.0	2.1	3.2	2.6	2.7	2.9	2.5	2.6	2.2
8 Junior high school	7.5	7.8	6.3	6.7	5.9	8.0	7.7	8.4	8.1	7.9	7.7	8.5
9 High school	10.4	10.8	11.8	11.7	13.4	12.6	15.0	16.5	16.5	21.7	20.4	21.7
10 College of technology	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	0.9	0.9	1.3	0.3	0.5	0.1
11 2-year college	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.2
12 University	4.6	4.0	4.6	5.2	4.6	6.1	7.1	7.7	9.2	10.9	11.8	10.8
13 Graduate school	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.8	0.3
14 Don't know	16.7	17.3	14.7	15.8	23.2	20.6	17.4	17.3	19.1	18.0	19.9	23.4
20 2-year college/College of technology	0.7	0.8	0.6	0.7	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99 No answer	2.1	2.8	3.6	5.6	1.9	3.6	3.3	3.7	3.7	2.3	4.0	0.4
n	2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

* Choices for this question differ depending on the survey year.

Codes for this question differ between the single year data and cumulative data.

- 2000 The wording for the choices: "1. Ordinary elementary school in the old system, 2. Higher elementary school in the old system, 3. Junior high school/Girls' high school in the old system, 4. Vocational school in the old system, 5. Normal school in the old system, 6. Higher school or vocational school in the old system, 7. University/Graduate school in the old system, 8. Junior high school, 9. High school, 10. 2-year college / College of technology, 11. University, 12. Graduate school, 13. Don't know."
2002 The wording for the choice changed: "1. Ordinary elementary school in the old system" → "1. Ordinary elementary school in the old system"
2005 The wording for the choice changed: "4. Vocational school in the old system" → "4. Vocational school/Commerce school in the old system"
2006 The wording for the choice changed: "10. 2-year college/ College of technology" → "10. College of technology" and "11. 2-year college". The following choices 11-13 in the previous years were moved down to 12-14.
2000-2010/2012 Codes integrated : "1. Ordinary elementary school in the old system, 2. Ordinary elementary school in the old system, 3. Junior high school/Girls' high school in the old system, 4. Vocational school/Commerce school in the old system, 5. Normal school in the old system, 6. Higher school or vocational school in the old system, 7. University/Graduate school in the old system, 8. Junior high school, 9. High school, 10. College of technology, 11. 2-year college, 12. University, 13. Graduate school, 14. Don't know, 20. 2-year college / College of technology."
2000-2015 Codes integrated : Same as 2000-2010/12
2000-2018 Codes integrated : Same as 2000-2015.

771. MMLSTSCH Last School Mother Attended*

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Ordinary elementary school in the old system	24.4	22.2	24.2	24.6	23.3	20.3	18.1	18.6	16.6	13.9	15.1	13.7
2	Higher elementary school in the old system	17.5	17.4	15.9	14.1	12.4	11.2	11.9	10.2	9.0	9.1	6.5	7.0
3	Junior high school/Girls' high school in the old system	12.5	13.6	14.4	12.5	11.5	12.7	14.5	12.8	12.7	11.8	8.9	10.0
4	Vocational school/Commerce school in the old system	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.6	0.5	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.4
5	Normal school in the old system	0.6	0.5	0.7	0.7	0.5	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.3	0.3	1.0
6	Higher school or vocational school in the old system	1.8	1.8	2.2	1.8	1.7	1.8	2.3	2.1	2.2	1.7	2.0	1.8
7	University/Graduate school in the old system	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.1	0.3
8	Junior high school	7.4	8.5	6.9	7.2	6.1	8.0	8.3	8.9	7.9	8.6	8.5	9.6
9	High school	14.0	13.4	14.1	14.5	15.6	16.7	18.0	20.6	20.5	27.1	25.9	27.4
10	College of technology	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	1.3	0.9	1.4	0.0	0.0	0.0
11	2-year college	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	2.5	2.9	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.9
12	University	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.4	2.0	1.7	2.2	1.9	3.0	3.5	4.8	3.3
13	Graduate school	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0
14	Don't know	15.9	16.0	13.8	15.2	21.7	19.7	16.1	16.1	18.1	16.8	19.0	21.2
16	4 year college	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1
20	2-year college/College of technology	2.0	1.6	2.3	2.3	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	1.7	2.7	3.2	4.9	1.9	3.2	3.1	3.3	3.4	2.4	4.6	0.5
n		2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

* Choices for this question differ depending on the survey year.

Codes for this question differ between the single year data and cumulative data.

2000 The wording for the choice: "1. Ordinary elementary school in the old system", "2. Higher elementary school in the old system", "3. Junior high school/Girls' high school in the old system", "4. Vocational school in the old system", "5. Normal school in the old system", "6. Higher school or vocational school in the old system", "7. University/Graduate school in the old system", "8. Junior high school", "9. High school", "10. 2-year college / College of technology", "11. University", "12. Graduate school", "13. Don't know".

2002 The wording for the choice changed: "1. Ordinary elementary school in the old system" → "1. Ordinary elementary school in the old system"

2005 The wording for the choice changed: "4. Vocational school in the old system" → "4. Vocational school/Commerce school in the old system"

2006 The wording for the choice changed: "10. 2-year college / College of technology" → "10. College of technology" and "11. 2-year college". The following choices 11-13 in the previous years were moved down to 12-14.

2018 Code added: "16. 4 year college" was added based on the information obtained from other questions related to mothers' schooling.

2000-2010/2012 Codes integrated : "1. Ordinary elementary school in the old system, 2. Ordinary elementary school in the old system, 3. Junior high school/Girls' high school in the old system, 4. Vocational school/Commerce school in the old system, 5. Normal school in the old system, 6. Higher school or vocational school in the old system, 7. University/Graduate school in the old system, 8. Junior high school, 9. High school, 10. College of technology, 11. 2-year college, 12. University, 13. Graduate school, 14. Don't know, 20. 2-year college / College of technology."

2000-2018 Codes integrated : Same as 2000-2010/2012.

2000-2018 Codes integrated : "16. 4 year college" was added to 2000-2015.

772. DOLSTSCH Completion of the Last School

Did you graduate from the school you attended last? Did you quit school? Are you still a student?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Graduated	95.5	94.9	94.9	93.8	94.7	95.3	95.7	96.1	95.9	95.3	96.0	96.2
2	Quit	2.9	2.9	3.3	2.9	2.7	2.9	2.7	2.1	2.4	3.5	2.2	2.6
3	Still a student	1.4	1.6	1.6	1.2	1.2	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.3	1.7	1.2
9	No answer	0.2	0.5	0.1	2.1	1.5	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.0
n		2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Graduated" in 772. DOLSTSCH.

773. AGEGRD Age at Graduation from the Last School

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	Less than 12 years old	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-
	12~14 years old	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	-	-	-
	15~17 years old	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.0	-	-	-
	18~20 years old	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	52.1	-	-	-
	21~23 years old	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.5	-	-	-
	24~26 years old	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	-	-	-
	27~29 years old	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-
	More than 30 years old	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-
999	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.7	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4477	-	-	-

888 Not applicable

*This question includes some inappropriate responses judging from respondents' academic record. Yet no data cleaning was conducted for this question.

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "2. Quit" in 772. DOLSTSCH.

774. AGEDRP Age at Dropout from the Last School*

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	12~14 years old	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.1	-	-	-
	15~17 years old	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	54.1	-	-	-
	18~20 years old	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.5	-	-	-
	21~23 years old	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.8	-	-	-
	24~26 years old	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	-	-	-
999	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	111	-	-	-

888 Not applicable

* This question includes some inappropriate responses judging from respondents' academic record. Yet no data cleaning was conducted for this question.

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "3. Still a student" in 772. DOLSTSCH.

775. XGRADE School Year

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	1 st grade	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.0	6.5	7.0	3.8	0.0	0.0
	2 nd grade	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.3	23.4	28.2	38.5	30.8	13.0
	3 rd grade	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.3	31.2	31.0	19.2	53.8	43.5
	4 th grade	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.3	28.6	29.6	30.8	15.4	34.8
	5 th grade	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	2.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	6 th grade	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	2.8	7.7	0.0	4.3
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.5	7.8	1.4	0.0	0.0	4.3
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	57	77	71	26	13	23

88 Not applicable

776. SSDOLSTS Completion of the Last School (Spouse)

Did your spouse graduate from the school he/she attended last? Did he/she quit school? Is he/she still a student?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Graduated	-	-	-	-	-	-	98.1	97.8	97.4	97.6	98.2	98.9
2	Quit	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	1.6	1.9	1.7	0.9	1.1
3	Still a student	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.9	0.1
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	3329	3947	3608	1580	569	1496

8 Not applicable

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Graduated" in 776 SSDOLSTS.

777. SSAGEGRD Age at Graduation from the Last School (Spouse)*

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	Less than 12 years old	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-
	12~14 years old	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	-	-	-
	15~17 years old	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.1	-	-	-
	18~20 years old	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	52.9	-	-	-
	21~23 years old	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.5	-	-	-
	24~26 years old	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	-	-	-
	27~29 years old	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-
	More than 30 years old	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-
999	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.3	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3513	-	-	-

888 Not applicable

* This question includes some inappropriate responses judging from respondents' academic record. Yet no data cleaning was conducted for this question.

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "2. Quit" in 776. SSDOLSTS.

778. SSAGEGRP Age at Dropout from the Last School (Spouse)*

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	12~14 years old	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	-	-	-
	15~17 years old	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42.0	-	-	-
	18~20 years old	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	39.1	-	-	-
	21~23 years old	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.7	-	-	-
	24~26 years old	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	-	-	-
999	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.8	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	69	-	-	-

888 Not applicable

* This question includes some inappropriate responses judging from respondents' academic record. Yet no data cleaning was conducted for this question.

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "3. Still a student" in 776. SSDOLSTS.

779. SSXGRADE School Year (Spouse)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	2 nd grade	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	100.0	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	0.0	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

780-784. Experience in the Vocational Education*

Have you ever gone to any of the following types of schools? Choose all items that apply. Do not include cram schools.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
XSENSHU	Vocational Education: Special School	13.0	13.9	13.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XKAKUSHU	Vocational Education: Miscellaneous School	3.6	4.2	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XOCCUP	Vocational Education: Public Vocational School	2.5	2.1	2.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XNOSCH	Vocational Education: None	80.1	78.1	79.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XNOKNOW	Vocational Education: DK	0.7	1.2	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

*For cumulative data of 2000-2010, XNOMARK (None marked.) in 2000, 2001 and 2002 was recoded to "9 No answer".

785. XSPSCH Have Attended Special School

Have you ever attended a vocational or specialty school? (Do not include vocational schools in the old system or colleges of technology in the new system).

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	18.1	18.0	16.8	16.6	17.0	18.1	17.3
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	81.4	81.5	82.7	82.5	82.0	81.7	82.7
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.9	1.1	0.1	0.1
n		-	-	-	-	-	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

786. PSPSCH Have Attended Special School (Spouse)

Has your spouse ever attended a vocational or specialty school? (Do not include vocational schools in the old system or colleges of technology in the new system).

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.5	10.5	11.4	10.6	9.0	11.1
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	87.4	88.6	86.9	87.5	89.5	88.6
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	0.8	1.7	2.0	1.6	0.3
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	3329	3947	3608	1580	569	1496
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Yes" in 785. XSPSCH 785. XSPSCH .

787. XXSPSTDY Special School: Course or Field

Please tell us what course or field you took in that school (Ask the last vocational or specialty school if the respondent has ever attended multiple schools.)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
21	Technology	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.6	18.5	16.0
22	Agriculture	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	1.5	0.9
23	Medical Care	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.7	23.0	19.9
24	Personal Care and Nutrition	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.9	12.6	13.0
25	Education and Welfare	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.1	3.0	4.5
26	Business	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.3	14.1	15.4
27	Fashion and Home Economics	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.0	20.0	16.6
28	Culture and General Education	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.6	5.9	10.0
29	Other Fields	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.3	1.5	3.3
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	0.0	0.3
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	353	135	331
88	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Yes" in 785. XSPSCH.

788. D0SPSUSC Special School: Completion

Did you finish an upper secondary course in that school?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	78.5	77.0	68.3
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.6	19.3	29.3
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.0	3.7	2.4
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	353	135	331
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Yes" in 785. XSPSCH.

789. WHNSPSCH Special School: When

Did you go to that school before or after _____?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Before	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	0.7	0.9
2	After	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	90.1	93.3	94.9
3	Around the same time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.9	5.2	4.2
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	0.7	0.0
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	353	135	331
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Yes" in 785. XSPSCH.

790. USFLSPS Special School: Usefulness of the Program

How useful is the education you received in that school for your current job? If you do not currently have a job, please provide an answer as to the last primary job for which you got paid.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very useful	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42.8	-	-
2	Somewhat useful	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.7	-	-
3	Not very useful	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.3	-	-
4	Hardly useful	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.7	-	-
5	Never had a job	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	353	-	-
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "9. High school", "12. University", "13. Graduate school", "20. 2-year in 768. XXLSTSCH college/College of technology".

791. XHSSUB Course Learned in High School *

What course did you take in your high school? Please answer a primary one in case you had more than two.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	General course	-	-	68.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	67.0	68.2	65.5
2	Industries-related course	-	-	11.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.5	10.0	10.2
3	Commerce-related course	-	-	10.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.0	12.3	14.0
4	Agriculture-related course	-	-	3.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	1.6	3.1
5	Domestic-economy-related course	-	-	3.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.4	4.6	3.9
6	Other courses	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	2.5	2.6
7	Don't know	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0
8	Didn't go to high school	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	0.8	0.4
99	No answer	-	-	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	0.0	0.3
n		-	-	2032	-	-	-	-	-	-	1770	633	1648
88	Not applicable												

*Target ranges and choices for this question differ between 2002 and 2015-2018.

In 2002, this question was asked to the respondents who answered "High school", "2-year college", "university" or "graduate school". From 2015, it was asked to the respondents who answered "high school", "college of technology", "2-year college", "university" or "graduate school" in XXLSTSCH.

In 2015, "7. Didn't go to high school" was added, and "Don't know" was moved from 7 to 8.

2000-2015 Code changed: Code of "Didn't go to high school" was changed to 8, and "8. Not applicable" and "9. No answer" in 2002 were changed to 88 and 99.
2000-2018 Same as 2000-2015

792. XHSRATE Rate of Students Going on to Higher Schools from High School *

What was the percentage of students who went on to universities or 2-year colleges in your high school?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyone	-	-	13.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.6	17.2	17.3
2	About 70 to 80 percent	-	-	15.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.3	17.5	17.1
3	About half	-	-	17.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.0	14.0	15.0
4	About 20 to 30 percent	-	-	30.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.3	29.1	26.7
5	Almost none	-	-	16.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.8	14.2	18.1
6	Don't know	-	-	5.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.1	7.8	5.8
9	No answer	-	-	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.0	0.2	0.0
	n	-	-	2032	-	-	-	-	-	-	1755	628	1637

8 Not applicable

*Target ranges differ between 2002 and 2015.

In 2002, the question was asked to the respondents who answered High school, 2 year college, University, or Graduate school for XXLSTSCH.

From 2015, the question was asked to the respondents who answered High school, 2 year college, University, or Graduate school for at XXLSTSCH.

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "12. University", "13. Graduate school", "20. 2-year college/College of technology" in 768. XXLSTSCH.

793. XUPUBLIC Type of Attended University

Is ___ that you have attended or are currently attending national, prefectural or municipal, or private?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	National	-	-	15.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.9	17.9	19.0
2	Prefectural or municipal	-	-	15.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.4	6.1	8.0
3	Private	-	-	66.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	69.4	75.7	72.3
4	Don't know	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.4	0.5
9	No answer	-	-	2.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	0.0	0.3
	n	-	-	856	-	-	-	-	-	-	752	280	654

8 Not applicable

794. XUSUB Major Studied in University *

What was your major at school?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Science and engineering	-	-	21.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Social sciences	-	-	27.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Humanities	-	-	15.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Education and teacher training	-	-	11.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Home economics	-	-	8.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Health sciences	-	-	8.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Other	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Don't know	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	Arts	-	-	2.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	3.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	856	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

88 Not applicable

* "9. Arts" was added using the written answers for "Other."

795. XXSCHDPT Course or Field in the Last School

Please tell us the department and the division in which you learned your major field of study in that school.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
101	Course of Mechanical Engineering	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.4	0.6
102	Course of Electrical Engineering	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	0.4	0.2
104	Course of Information Engineering	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.4	0.0
105	Course of Physical Engineering	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.0	0.0
106	Course of Architecture	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.0
120	Course of Engineering	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.0	0.2
201	Course of English Literature	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	2.5	2.4
202	Course of Japanese Literature	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	3.6	1.5
203	Course of Economics	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	0.7	1.4
204	Course of Commerce	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	2.5	0.6
205	Course of Nursing	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	1.4	1.5
206	Course of Social Welfare	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	1.1	0.6
207	Course of Home Economics	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	3.2	3.5
208	Course of Human Life and Science	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	0.7	0.9
209	Course of Food and Nutrition	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	1.8	2.6
210	Course of Fashion Design	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	0.4	0.0
211	Course of Early Childhood Education	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.6	6.4	6.0
212	Course of Music	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	1.1	0.5

213	Course of Design	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	1.1	0.2
220	A course of literature	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	0.0	0.0
221	Human Relations	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.2
225	Course of Secretary	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.2
226	Medical Office Work	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.0
230	A course of engineering	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	0.4	0.3
231	Information Science related	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	1.1	0.8
240	Agriculture related	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.3
241	Biology related	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.0
242	Landscape Gardening	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.4	0.2
250	Dentistry	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.0
251	Medical related	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.5
252	Environment, Hygiene	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.0
254	Animal Care	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.0
260	Physical Education related	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.2
261	Health Science related	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.4	0.3
270	A course of art	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	1.4	0.0
280	Tourism	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.3
290	General course	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	0.0	0.0
301	Department of Literature	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.0	4.6	6.3
302	Department of Foreign Languages	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	1.8	3.1
303	Department of Humanities	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	1.8	1.1
304	Department of Law	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.0	6.8	6.4
305	Department of Politics and Economics	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	1.4	1.5
306	Department of Economics	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.5	8.2	8.7
307	Department of Commerce	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.0	4.3	4.1
308	Department of Business Administration	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	2.9	3.8
309	Department of Sociology	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	0.4	1.4
310	Department of Engineering	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.1	6.4	8.7
311	Department of Science and Engineering	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	1.8	2.4
312	Department of Science	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	1.1	0.9
313	Department of Agriculture	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	2.5	1.4
314	Department of Pharmacy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	2.1	1.7
315	Department of Medicine	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	0.7	0.6
316	Department of Nursing	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	1.1	0.9
317	Department of Social Welfare	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	0.0	1.2
318	Department of Home Economics	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	1.8	1.4
319	Department of Human Life and Science	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	0.4	0.5
320	Department of Pedology	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.3
321	Department of Education	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.7	6.4	3.8
322	Department of Art	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	1.1	1.2
323	Department of Music	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	0.4	0.6
330	Department of Dentistry	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.0	0.0
340	Department of Humanities	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.0
341	Humanities, Human Relations, Psychology, International Culture	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	0.0	1.2
342	International Communication	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	0.0	0.2
343	A department of sociology	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.0
350	A department of industry	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.0
360	Information Science	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	0.0	0.3
370	Medical Technology related	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.4	0.3
380	Sports and Education	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	0.0	1.2
390	General course	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	0.0	0.0
401	Graduate School of Literature	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	0.4	0.3
402	Graduate School of Foreign Languages	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.4	0.0
403	Graduate School of Humanities	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.0
404	Graduate School of Law	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.4	0.3
406	Law School	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.0	0.2
407	Graduate School of Economics	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.0	0.6
409	Graduate School of Business Administration	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.4	0.2
411	Graduate School of Engineering	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	2.9	1.8
412	Graduate School of Science and Engineering	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.7	0.6
413	Graduate School of Science	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	1.4	0.9
414	Graduate School of Agriculture	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	0.7	0.3
415	Graduate School of Pharmacy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.2
416	Graduate School of Medicine	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.0	0.2

417	Graduate School of Nursing	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.2
419	Graduate School of Education	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.4	0.3
420	Graduate School of Art	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.0	0.0
441	Graduate School of Humanities and Sciences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.0
442	Cultural Anthropology	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.0
443	Integrated course	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.0
451	Risk Management	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.0
452	Frontier Sciences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.0
453	Information, Production and Systems	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.0
455	Information Science	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.3
460	Veterinary Medicine	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.0
501	Agricultural college	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.0	0.2
777	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	3.2	2.3
999	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.7	0.0	0.5
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	752	280	655
888	Not applicable												

796. USFLLSTS Usefulness of Education to Job

How useful is the education you received in school for your current job? If you do not currently have a job, please provide an answer as to the last primary job for which you got paid.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very useful	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.1	-	-
2	Somewhat useful	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35.7	-	-
3	Not very useful	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.5	-	-
4	Hardly useful	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.2	-	-
5	Never had a job	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

797. OP5SCHPF Class Rank in the Senior of Junior High School*

When you were in the third year of junior high school, what was your class rank? If you attended school under the old system before WWII, please answer your class rank in the last year of compulsory education.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018	
1	Low	4.5	3.8	4.0	-	-	-	6.6	6.4	7.2	7.5	9.0	7.0	
2	Relatively low	12.2	10.8	12.2	-	-	-	15.7	17.4	15.8	15.4	16.0	17.3	
3	About in the middle	44.9	43.2	43.0	-	-	-	40.1	40.1	40.0	38.0	38.8	39.5	
4	Relatively high	18.0	19.0	19.7	-	-	-	23.3	22.0	22.5	25.9	21.9	22.3	
5	High	14.1	16.1	14.1	-	-	-	13.6	13.3	13.6	12.6	12.5	13.2	
6	Don't want to state my class rank.	2.2	3.6	2.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
7	Don't know	4.0	3.3	3.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
9	No answer	0.1	0.3	0.7	-	-	-	0.6	0.8	0.9	0.6	1.7	0.7	
		n	2893	2790	2953	-	-	-	4220	2507	4667	2079	744	1916

8 Not applicable

* The wording for this question differs depending on the survey year.

The number of choices in this question varies depending on the survey year.

From 2000 through 2002, the question was asked in face-to-face interview. From 2008, however, the question was asked in self-administered questionnaire.

2008 Wording for the question changed: "If you attended school under the old system before WWII, please answer your class rank in the last year of compulsory education" was added.

Wording for choices changed: "6. Don't want to state my class rank" and "7. Don't know" were removed.

2017 Wording for the question changed: "If you attended school under the old system before WWII, please answer your class rank in the last year of compulsory education" was removed.

798-805. How often do you do the following?

798. FQ7FFDNR Frequency of Family Dinner*

Have a family dinner

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	50.8	52.5	51.2	51.8	68.3	65.8	65.7	66.5	65.5	66.8	62.4	66.7
2	Several times a week	24.0	22.1	21.8	21.7	14.4	15.7	15.2	15.8	15.2	15.6	16.3	15.4
3	About once a week	9.9	10.0	11.5	11.9	5.8	6.4	6.2	5.4	5.6	5.6	5.4	4.5
4	About once a month	3.8	3.5	3.1	3.2	1.7	2.6	2.8	2.6	2.4	2.5	2.4	2.7
5	Several times a year	4.1	4.3	3.5	2.7	2.5	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.3	2.5	4.2	3.5
6	About once a year	0.8	1.0	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.2	0.1	0.4
7	Never	5.9	5.9	7.3	7.5	5.9	4.8	5.5	5.3	6.7	6.1	8.1	6.2
9	No answer	0.7	0.7	0.9	0.6	0.6	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.7	1.2	0.5
	n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

8 Not applicable

* Up through 2003 this question asked how often respondents "have a family dinner". In 2005 this asked how often respondents "eat dinner with family". In Japanese, the variable labels and wording for the choices "1" and "7" differ depending on the survey year.

799. FQ7FRSEE Frequency of Meals with Friends*

Dine and/or meet with friends

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	1.0	1.0	0.8	0.6	1.0	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.9	0.4	0.6
2	Several times a week	6.4	5.9	7.2	6.9	5.9	6.5	5.6	5.8	5.6	6.2	6.3	5.1
3	About once a week	12.8	12.4	12.8	14.5	11.9	12.1	12.7	12.7	12.1	12.6	9.8	10.5
4	About once a month	27.5	27.3	31.1	29.4	30.5	29.0	29.2	30.1	29.1	30.0	33.9	30.4
5	Several times a year	32.6	31.5	29.5	28.4	30.4	30.4	31.4	30.3	31.0	31.7	31.9	33.1
6	About once a year	8.5	8.8	8.7	8.1	7.1	7.3	7.7	8.0	8.2	6.3	5.6	7.6
7	Never	10.2	12.3	9.1	11.4	10.9	12.3	11.8	11.7	12.5	11.4	11.4	12.1
9	No answer	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.7	2.2	1.6	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.7	0.7
	n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

8 Not applicable

* In Japanese, the wording for the choices "1" and "7" in this question differ depending on the survey year.

800. FQ7CKDNR Frequency of Preparing Dinner*

Prepare the evening meal

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	45.4	45.4	46.2	49.5	46.5	45.7	47.0	47.3	47.1	46.4	49.5	46.5
2	Several times a week	9.6	9.7	9.0	9.1	9.1	8.3	8.8	10.1	10.8	11.8	10.8	11.8
3	About once a week	5.9	5.3	6.3	6.1	5.0	5.9	6.0	5.6	6.1	6.9	5.6	6.6
4	About once a month	5.3	5.1	5.0	5.0	4.1	4.5	4.7	4.3	4.4	5.1	3.4	4.3
5	Several times a year	8.2	7.8	7.7	7.1	7.3	7.1	7.4	6.6	6.9	6.6	7.5	7.0
6	About once a year	2.6	3.5	2.4	2.2	2.5	2.3	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.4	1.6	1.8
7	Never	22.3	22.2	22.5	20.2	23.8	25.5	23.5	23.7	22.2	21.7	21.2	21.6
9	No answer	0.8	1.0	1.0	0.7	1.7	0.8	0.7	0.4	0.7	0.2	0.4	0.5
	n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

8 Not applicable

* In Japanese, the wording for the choices "1" and "7" in this question differ depending on the survey year.

801. FQ7WASH Frequency of Doing Laundry*

Do the laundry

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	41.3	40.6	41.2	42.2	43.3	40.2	40.8	40.6	39.5	38.5	41.8	41.0
2	Several times a week	14.1	14.6	14.9	17.2	13.8	15.4	16.4	16.5	18.9	20.3	20.7	18.5
3	About once a week	6.8	6.6	7.3	6.6	6.6	6.9	6.5	7.5	7.5	8.7	6.5	8.0
4	About once a month	4.7	4.1	3.9	3.8	3.6	2.8	3.2	3.6	3.2	3.8	2.6	3.8
5	Several times a year	6.0	6.2	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.8	5.8	4.8	5.7	5.4	3.5	5.9
6	About once a year	2.2	2.4	2.1	2.3	1.7	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.6	1.9	1.5
7	Never	24.0	25.1	24.4	21.7	23.6	26.3	24.9	24.7	22.6	21.1	22.2	20.9
9	No answer	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.6	1.8	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.4	0.9	0.4
	n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

8 Not applicable

* In Japanese, the wording for the choices "1" and "7" in this question differ depending on the survey year.

802. FQ7SHOP Frequency of Grocery Shopping*

Shop for groceries (daily goods and foodstuffs)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	24.2	23.4	22.5	21.6	21.1	21.3	21.6	20.7	19.5	18.1	19.4	19.3
2	Several times a week	30.2	30.8	30.7	35.4	34.9	33.1	35.6	36.7	37.1	39.7	41.4	39.1
3	About once a week	17.7	18.8	20.0	20.2	20.2	20.9	20.6	21.2	23.0	22.9	21.0	22.4
4	About once a month	10.2	9.1	8.9	8.5	8.1	9.0	7.8	7.9	7.6	7.5	7.7	6.9
5	Several times a year	6.5	6.1	5.5	4.6	5.4	4.9	5.0	3.7	4.3	3.5	3.9	4.1
6	About once a year	1.2	1.1	1.3	1.2	0.7	0.7	0.5	0.9	0.6	1.0	0.0	0.5
7	Never	9.2	10.4	10.5	7.9	8.1	9.4	8.2	8.3	7.4	6.8	6.2	7.4
9	No answer	0.7	0.3	0.6	0.6	1.6	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.3
	n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

8 Not applicable

* In Japanese, the wording for the choices "1" and "7" in this question differ depending on the survey year.

803. FQ7CLEAN Frequency of Cleaning House*

Clean the house

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	28.3	27.8	26.2	27.4	26.7	27.8	26.1	25.1	24.0	22.8	24.9	22.0
2	Several times a week	21.6	21.8	23.5	25.0	22.9	22.0	22.7	24.2	24.8	27.0	25.3	25.3
3	About once a week	16.8	16.3	16.7	18.2	16.4	17.3	19.3	19.5	20.5	20.2	21.5	24.6
4	About once a month	10.0	9.9	9.8	9.4	10.5	9.2	9.3	9.1	10.0	11.5	11.3	9.8
5	Several times a year	8.7	9.3	8.1	6.4	7.9	9.0	7.9	7.7	8.4	6.7	7.8	7.8
6	About once a year	2.9	3.4	2.7	2.7	2.0	2.1	2.4	2.5	1.8	1.9	1.6	2.1
7	Never	11.4	11.3	12.4	10.5	12.5	12.0	11.7	11.3	10.0	9.6	7.1	8.3
9	No answer	0.3	0.3	0.7	0.4	1.1	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.2	0.5	0.3
	n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

8 Not applicable

* In Japanese, the wording for the choices "1" and "7" in this question differ depending on the survey year.

804. FQ7GARB Frequency of Garbage Disposal*

Take out the garbage

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	10.8	11.8	12.8	11.0	11.5	10.5	10.5	11.6	11.8	12.5
2	Several times a week	-	-	44.5	47.2	44.4	45.6	45.7	46.8	47.6	47.1	46.5	44.8
3	About once a week	-	-	12.4	11.9	11.5	11.4	12.7	12.1	13.2	13.1	12.0	13.2
4	About once a month	-	-	6.1	6.0	5.8	6.0	6.1	5.1	6.1	5.3	7.5	5.5
5	Several times a year	-	-	6.3	5.5	6.4	6.3	5.4	5.9	5.2	4.7	5.0	6.3
6	About once a year	-	-	2.1	1.8	1.5	1.6	1.4	1.6	1.5	1.1	1.2	1.5
7	Never	-	-	17.3	15.7	16.4	17.7	16.9	17.4	15.5	16.8	15.1	15.7
9	No answer	-	-	0.5	0.3	1.0	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.9	0.7
	n	-	-	2953	1957	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

8 Not applicable

* In Japanese, the wording for the choices "1" and "7" in this question differ depending on the survey year.

805. FQ7RPH Frequency of Home Repair

Simple home repairs (Replacing light bulbs, fixing walls and gardens, etc.)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	2.3
2	Several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.4	4.7
3	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.5	6.7
4	About once a month	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.4	20.8
5	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36.0	33.3
6	About once a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.4	10.9
7	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.7	20.5
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	0.9
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	744	1916

806-811. How often does your spouse do the followings?

806. SSFQ7CK Frequency of Preparing Dinner by Spouse*

Prepare the supper

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	44.1	45.1	46.1	-	-	43.4	-	-	-	43.8	41.2	45.4
2	Several times a week	7.2	7.0	5.9	-	-	6.4	-	-	-	7.8	8.1	8.4
3	About once a week	3.9	4.3	4.3	-	-	4.3	-	-	-	5.1	5.5	6.0
4	About once a month	3.6	3.4	3.5	-	-	3.5	-	-	-	3.5	4.4	3.7
5	Several times a year	7.1	7.0	6.1	-	-	7.7	-	-	-	6.3	8.3	8.2
6	About once a year	2.6	2.5	3.5	-	-	3.1	-	-	-	2.2	3.8	2.5
7	Never	30.8	29.8	29.8	-	-	30.7	-	-	-	30.6	27.9	25.0
9	No answer	0.8	0.9	0.8	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	0.8	0.8	0.9
n		2099	2061	2182	-	-	1526	-	-	-	1437	505	1367

8 Not applicable

*In Japanese, the wordings for category "1" and category "7" in this question changed from 2006.

807. SSFQ7WSH Frequency of Doing Laundry by Spouse*

Do the laundry

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	39.9	39.8	41.8	-	-	38.7	-	-	-	37.3	36.4	38.7
2	Several times a week	10.4	11.2	10.0	-	-	11.1	-	-	-	15.0	12.5	15.4
3	About once a week	3.6	3.1	3.1	-	-	4.1	-	-	-	5.8	6.3	5.8
4	About once a month	3.0	2.3	2.9	-	-	3.2	-	-	-	2.8	4.6	4.5
5	Several times a year	5.4	5.5	5.6	-	-	5.6	-	-	-	5.4	6.7	6.1
6	About once a year	2.2	2.5	2.5	-	-	3.5	-	-	-	2.7	3.0	2.6
7	Never	34.7	34.5	33.2	-	-	33.0	-	-	-	30.3	29.7	26.0
9	No answer	0.8	1.1	0.9	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	0.7	0.8	1.1
n		2099	2061	2182	-	-	1526	-	-	-	1437	505	1367

8 Not applicable

*In Japanese, the wordings for category "1" and category "7" in this question changed from 2006.

808. SSFQ7SHP Frequency of Grocery Shopping by Spouse*

Shop for groceries (Daily goods and foodstuffs)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	26.9	26.0	26.5	-	-	22.8	-	-	-	20.5	18.4	23.3
2	Several times a week	22.9	25.3	24.9	-	-	26.8	-	-	-	30.7	33.7	28.7
3	About once a week	15.5	15.5	15.5	-	-	15.5	-	-	-	17.5	16.0	18.8
4	About once a month	7.9	8.6	8.2	-	-	8.8	-	-	-	7.9	8.9	9.5
5	Several times a year	7.8	6.6	7.6	-	-	8.1	-	-	-	6.8	8.7	6.7
6	About once a year	1.5	1.5	1.2	-	-	2.2	-	-	-	1.5	1.6	1.3
7	Never	16.9	15.5	15.0	-	-	14.6	-	-	-	14.4	11.9	10.7
9	No answer	0.7	1.0	1.1	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	0.8	0.8	1.0
n		2099	2061	2182	-	-	1526	-	-	-	1437	505	1367

8 Not applicable

*In Japanese, the wordings for category "1" and category "7" in this question changed from 2006.

809. SSFQ7CLN Frequency of Cleaning House by Spouse

Clean the house

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	27.7	29.8	28.4	-	-	26.4	-	-	-	24.7	21.2	24.2
2	Several times a week	18.4	17.3	18.7	-	-	18.5	-	-	-	20.7	18.0	22.5
3	About once a week	11.6	11.0	11.8	-	-	11.0	-	-	-	15.3	16.8	15.0
4	About once a month	6.2	6.4	6.7	-	-	7.9	-	-	-	7.4	9.1	8.6
5	Several times a year	9.1	10.1	8.9	-	-	9.9	-	-	-	8.2	9.3	10.0
6	About once a year	4.0	4.0	3.8	-	-	5.2	-	-	-	3.1	5.3	3.4
7	Never	22.3	20.5	20.9	-	-	20.2	-	-	-	19.9	19.4	15.3
9	No answer	0.8	0.9	0.8	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	0.7	0.8	1.0
n		2099	2061	2182	-	-	1526	-	-	-	1437	505	1367

8 Not applicable

*In Japanese, the wordings for category "1" and category "7" in this question changed from 2006.

810. SSFQ7GRB Frequency of Garbage Disposal by Spouse*

Take out the garbage

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	19.1	-	-	15.0	-	-	-	15.9	14.5	17.4
2	Several times a week	-	-	32.7	-	-	34.7	-	-	-	35.6	37.6	36.9
3	About once a week	-	-	9.7	-	-	9.4	-	-	-	12.7	13.7	11.0
4	About once a month	-	-	6.1	-	-	6.0	-	-	-	6.6	4.4	7.0
5	Several times a year	-	-	6.4	-	-	8.6	-	-	-	7.0	7.3	7.3
6	About once a year	-	-	2.3	-	-	2.8	-	-	-	1.2	2.2	2.4
7	Never	-	-	22.9	-	-	22.7	-	-	-	20.5	19.8	16.9
9	No answer	-	-	0.8	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	0.6	0.6	1.0
	n	-	-	2182	-	-	1526	-	-	-	1437	505	1367

8 Not applicable

*In Japanese, the wordings for category "1" and category "7" in this question changed from 2006.

811. SSFQ7RPH Frequency of Home Repair by Spouse

Simple home repairs (replacing light bulbs, fixing walls and gardens, etc.)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.6	4.6
2	Several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.3	6.7
3	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.9	7.7
4	About once a month	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.2	20.5
5	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34.7	30.0
6	About once a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.9	11.9
7	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.6	17.5
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	1.1
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	505	1367

8 Not applicable

812. WH3HSWK Housework Sharing

Who handles most of the housework, including cleaning, cooking and laundry at your house?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Mainly, I do.	44.3	45.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Someone else and I divide it equally.	15.7	16.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Mainly, another person/other people does/do it.	39.9	38.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Don't know	0.0	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.1	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	2893	2790	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

813. RR6ACCT Household Budget Management

How do you and your spouse organize your finances? Which of the following comes closest to describing the system that you and your spouse use?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Wife manages all the money except for husband's personal spending money	60.2	60.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	53.7	-	-
2	Husband manages all the money except for wife's personal spending money	2.1	3.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.2	-	-
3	Wife has a house keeping allowance and husband manages the rest of the money	10.5	9.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.7	-	-
4	All income is pooled and each partner takes out what he or she needs	14.0	13.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.9	-	-
5	Some of the money is pooled, but each partner has some separate money as well	6.9	6.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.2	-	-
6	Husband and wife keep finances completely separate	4.7	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.2	-	-
9	No answer	1.8	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-
	n	2099	2061	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1437	-	-

8 Not applicable

814-825 Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

814. Q4WWJBIA View on Wife Working

If a husband has sufficient income, it is better for his wife not to have a job.

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Agree	18.3	17.5	18.3	19.2	18.0	12.5	11.4	14.6	13.7	12.4	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	31.8	33.9	31.7	30.6	32.3	31.0	31.3	30.2	30.3	29.5	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	34.9	31.9	34.6	33.3	35.1	39.7	42.9	37.5	38.6	41.3	-	-
4	Disagree	13.6	14.7	14.1	15.7	12.6	14.5	13.1	16.4	16.0	15.4	-	-
9	No answer	1.3	2.0	1.3	1.2	1.9	2.3	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.4	-	-
	n	2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	2124	2060	5003	4667	2079	-	-
8	Not applicable												

815. Q4WNMGA View on Connection between Women Happiness and Marriage

Without a doubt, a woman's happiness lies in a marriage.

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Agree	17.1	17.2	14.3	15.4	14.5	10.2	10.0	11.0	10.8	9.0	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	46.6	46.4	37.7	38.1	40.6	34.5	35.4	37.3	34.2	32.9	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	24.0	23.6	29.8	29.2	28.0	33.2	35.3	32.1	33.9	36.0	-	-
4	Disagree	10.5	10.7	16.5	15.4	14.3	19.1	16.6	17.6	18.4	19.8	-	-
9	No answer	1.9	2.2	1.8	1.9	2.6	3.1	2.7	2.0	2.7	2.3	-	-
	n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	2060	5003	4667	2079	-	-
8	Not applicable												

816. Q4JBMMFM View on Relationship between Working Mother and Child

A working mother can establish just as warm and secure a relationship with her children as a mother who does not work.

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Agree	35.8	39.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	46.1	44.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	14.4	13.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	1.8	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	1.8	2.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	2893	2790	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

817. Q4MNCOOK View on Housework of Men

Men should cook and look after themselves.

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Agree	41.2	40.9	33.4	36.3	31.9	30.3	30.8	35.5	37.3	34.8	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	47.0	49.0	50.3	47.4	52.0	55.5	56.5	53.4	51.5	53.5	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	8.8	6.9	12.6	12.2	11.6	10.1	9.8	7.6	8.9	8.9	-	-
4	Disagree	1.9	1.9	2.7	3.0	2.9	2.3	1.5	2.4	1.1	1.6	-	-
9	No answer	1.1	1.3	1.0	1.2	1.6	1.8	1.4	1.2	1.1	1.2	-	-
	n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	2060	2507	2332	2079	-	-
8	Not applicable												

818. Q4WWHHX View on Gender Role

A husband's job is to earn money; a wife's job is to look after the home and family.

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Agree	13.6	12.9	14.6	17.2	14.2	11.0	8.9	11.3	11.1	8.8	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	40.3	41.5	38.8	34.3	36.8	37.7	39.0	37.1	35.0	32.6	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	30.5	28.6	30.6	30.2	31.9	33.1	36.0	32.6	33.9	38.0	-	-
4	Disagree	14.1	15.1	14.7	16.8	15.2	16.1	14.7	17.7	18.2	19.0	-	-
9	No answer	1.5	1.9	1.3	1.5	1.8	2.3	1.3	1.4	1.8	1.8	-	-
	n	2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	2124	2060	5003	4667	2079	-	-
8	Not applicable												

819. Q4MNMGA View on Connection between Men Happiness and Marriage

Without a doubt, a man's happiness lies in a marriage.

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Agree	18.1	17.8	14.2	15.2	14.7	9.4	9.8	11.1	11.0	9.4	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	47.8	47.4	40.4	40.9	41.4	36.7	37.9	37.8	36.6	34.3	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	22.5	21.7	28.0	26.9	28.1	32.3	34.1	31.6	32.1	35.8	-	-
4	Disagree	9.2	9.7	14.9	14.8	12.7	17.9	16.2	17.0	17.4	17.6	-	-
9	No answer	2.4	3.4	2.5	2.1	3.2	3.7	2.0	2.4	2.8	2.8	-	-
	n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	2060	5003	4667	2079	-	-
8	Not applicable												

820. Q4JBMCC View on Mother Working Influence on Child

A preschool child is likely to suffer if his/ her mother works.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	13.6	12.5	17.1	19.6	16.4	11.8	10.2	11.6	9.8	9.0	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	37.3	37.9	35.1	34.8	36.8	33.6	32.9	32.5	33.0	29.1	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	34.3	33.0	31.6	28.9	31.6	36.3	40.2	36.1	36.1	40.3	-	-
4	Disagree	12.9	14.2	14.6	14.8	12.5	15.2	14.3	18.0	19.2	19.5	-	-
9	No answer	1.9	2.4	1.6	1.9	2.7	3.1	2.3	1.7	1.9	2.2	-	-
n		2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	2124	2060	2507	2332	2079	-	-

8 Not applicable

821. Q4NOCCMG View on Obligation to Have Children

It is not necessary to have children in a marriage.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	13.0	12.5	13.3	13.7	11.8	10.5	10.0	13.3	11.9	13.5	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	23.4	25.2	23.3	20.5	21.8	23.4	25.4	24.9	21.7	25.3	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	39.7	39.8	39.2	37.5	38.3	41.8	42.8	41.3	40.8	40.6	-	-
4	Disagree	22.2	20.4	22.5	26.8	25.8	21.6	19.9	18.7	23.5	18.8	-	-
9	No answer	1.6	2.0	1.7	1.6	2.3	2.8	1.9	1.7	2.1	1.8	-	-
n		2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	2124	2060	2507	2332	2079	-	-

8 Not applicable

822. Q4WNJB2L View on Women Independence by Having Job

Having a job is the best way for a woman to be an independent person.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	29.1	28.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	49.9	51.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	15.5	15.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	3.7	3.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	1.8	2.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

823. Q4WWHPHH View on Role of Wife to Help Husband

It is more important for a wife to help her husband's career than to have one herself.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	12.4	11.9	13.1	13.8	13.3	9.1	8.3	9.9	10.6	7.4	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	34.9	34.3	33.7	33.9	33.5	32.3	33.9	33.3	32.4	28.0	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	38.4	39.4	36.9	35.1	36.8	41.1	42.2	39.1	39.3	45.6	-	-
4	Disagree	12.1	11.8	14.7	15.1	13.3	14.6	13.5	15.9	15.4	17.1	-	-
9	No answer	2.2	2.7	1.6	2.1	3.1	3.0	2.0	1.9	2.3	2.0	-	-
n		2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	2060	5003	4667	2079	-	-

8 Not applicable

824. Q4MGHAPP View on Connection between Happiness and Marriage

Married people are generally happier than unmarried people.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	16.1	15.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	45.3	45.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	24.1	24.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	11.4	10.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	3.0	3.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

825. Q4DIVOK View on Divorce

A person, who is not satisfied with his/ her spouse, should be able to divorce at any time.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	9.9	9.1	9.5	7.5	5.5	11.4	7.7	8.1	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	30.3	27.5	27.8	25.1	25.5	30.4	24.3	27.5	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	44.8	43.1	42.8	48.2	49.4	41.9	47.6	45.6	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	13.9	19.0	17.8	16.7	18.2	15.2	18.8	17.4	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	1.0	1.3	2.1	2.5	1.5	1.2	1.6	1.4	-	-
n		-	-	2953	3663	2023	2124	2060	2507	4667	2079	-	-

8 Not applicable

826-829. Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

826. Q4CCDVY View on Desirability of Divorce for Children

When a marriage is troubled and unhappy, it is generally better for the children if the couple gets divorced.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	12.5	11.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	32.9	36.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	39.0	37.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	14.0	12.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	1.5	2.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

827. Q4WWDVY View on Desirability of Divorce for Children Wife

When a marriage is troubled and unhappy, it is generally better for the wife if the couple gets divorced.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	23.3	21.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	41.7	43.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	25.1	25.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	7.8	7.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	2.2	2.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

828. Q4HHDVY View on Desirability of Divorce for Husband

When a marriage is troubled and unhappy, it is generally better for the husband if the couple gets divorced.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	20.9	19.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	40.3	41.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	27.7	27.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	8.4	7.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	2.7	3.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

829. Q4MNCKY View on Housework of Men

Men should learn how to cook and look after themselves.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	47.3	48.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	44.0	42.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	5.8	5.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	1.9	2.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	1.0	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

830. APPCCNUM Ideal Number of Children

What do you think is the ideal number of children for a family to have?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	None	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.4	0.2
1	One	0.6	0.8	1.0	1.1	0.8	0.6	0.9	0.5	0.5	0.9	0.9	1.1
2	Two	34.0	35.3	35.5	36.5	40.7	36.3	41.3	39.4	41.7	44.4	48.1	47.8
3	Three	57.7	56.6	57.5	55.4	52.5	55.8	52.8	55.0	52.5	50.8	45.8	46.2
4	Four	5.7	5.3	3.8	5.0	3.4	5.4	3.3	3.2	3.3	2.2	2.4	2.9
5	Five or more	0.8	0.9	1.2	0.7	0.8	0.9	0.8	0.9	0.8	0.5	0.1	0.5
9	No answer	1.0	0.9	0.8	1.0	1.3	0.8	0.7	0.9	0.9	1.0	2.2	1.4
n		2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2130	2060	2507	4667	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "5. Five or more" in 830. APPCCNUM.

831. APPCCNMX Ideal Number of Children: Specify Number More Than 5

Five or more (Please specify)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	Five	47.8	38.5	48.6	38.5	47.1	40.0	47.1	47.8	25.0	60.0	100.0	60.0
	Six	13.0	3.8	20.0	7.7	23.5	20.0	11.8	13.0	11.1	10.0	0.0	30.0
	Seven	8.7	3.8	0.0	15.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	11.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Eight	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.9	0.0	0.0	4.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Nine	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.3	2.8	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Ten	0.0	3.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.9	4.3	5.6	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Eleven	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Twelve	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.8	0.0	0.0	0.0
999	No answer	30.4	50.0	31.4	38.5	23.5	40.0	35.3	26.1	41.7	30.0	0.0	10.0
		n	23	26	35	13	17	20	17	23	36	10	10
888	Not applicable												

832. APPCCSXB Desired Sex of Child

If you were to have only one child, would you prefer a boy or a girl?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018	
1	Boy	41.9	42.8	42.3	43.0	43.6	45.9	43.1	42.1	42.2	44.1	37.9	42.2	
2	Girl	54.3	53.0	54.2	52.6	50.9	47.4	51.6	53.5	53.2	51.3	54.7	53.1	
9	No answer	3.9	4.2	3.5	4.4	5.4	6.8	5.4	4.4	4.6	4.6	7.4	4.7	
		n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	2060	2507	2332	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable													

833. OP4NAME View on Change of Surname at Marriage

What do you think a couple should do with their surname when they get married?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	The wife should take her husband's surname without question.	26.7	28.4	27.1	28.2	-	26.0	-	27.5	-	26.9	-	-
2	It is preferred for a wife to take her husband's surname under current conditions.	26.4	23.5	23.3	25.1	-	30.3	-	25.1	-	25.5	-	-
3	The couple should claim a common surname, however, it is up to them to decide whose name they will keep.	31.4	31.5	33.2	32.6	-	29.9	-	33.1	-	33.3	-	-
4	There is no need for either to change their names.	13.8	14.8	14.5	12.1	-	12.3	-	11.9	-	13.1	-	-
9	No answer	1.7	1.8	2.0	1.9	-	1.5	-	2.4	-	1.2	-	-
		n	2893	2790	2953	1957	-	2130	-	2507	-	2079	-
8	Not applicable												

834. OPCCSNM View on Surname of Children in Dual-surname System

What do you think of treating surname of children if married couples can keep their maiden names?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Use the husbands surname for all children	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	65.7	-	-	-	-
2	Use the wives surname for all children	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	-	-	-	-
3	No need to use the same surname for all children	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.7	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.9	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2507	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

835. ELWNGVNR View on Voting for Female Governor Candidate

If a woman runs for governor, will you vote for her if she is qualified for the job?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	81.9	81.6	-	80.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	6.3	6.7	-	6.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Don't know	11.5	11.0	-	12.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.3	0.8	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	2893	2790	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

836. QWNSUMO View on Attendance of Female Governor at Sumo Ceremony

Do you agree or disagree that it is acceptable for a female governor to enter the sumo ring (traditionally off limits to women) to present the Governor's Award to a sumo wrestler during the awards ceremony?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	45.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Disagree	-	-	-	19.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	34.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

837. OPEMPF View on Empress

Do you agree or disagree that a woman becomes the Empress?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	41.3	-	-	37.0	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	38.7	-	-	40.3	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	12.5	-	-	15.7	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	4.2	-	-	4.6	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	3.2	-	-	2.4	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	2124	-	-	2332	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

838. OPEMPFL View on Female-line Emperor

Do you agree or disagree that a child, who was born between a woman from the Imperial Family and a civilian man, becomes the Emperor (the system allowing Emperors from the female line)?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	31.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	41.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	16.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	6.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	4.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	2124	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

839. OPEMP1C View on Eldest Child being the Emperor

Do you agree or disagree that the first child of the Emperor, regardless of sex, becomes the next Emperor?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	36.2	-	-	31.8	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	37.1	-	-	39.8	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	16.7	-	-	19.2	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	6.3	-	-	6.4	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	3.7	-	-	2.8	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	2124	-	-	2332	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

840. OP2GNR View on Three Generations Living Together

Do you think it is desirable for three generations (older people, their married children, and grandchildren) to share a home?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Desirable	64.9	63.8	61.3	65.0	62.8	66.0	74.3	69.4	68.3	61.8	62.2	59.3
2	Undesirable	33.4	34.3	35.8	32.6	34.5	32.0	24.3	29.4	30.0	36.2	35.6	38.7
9	No answer	1.7	1.9	2.9	2.4	2.7	2.0	1.4	1.2	1.6	2.0	2.2	2.0
n		2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2130	2060	2507	4667	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

841. OP7CMTRA Desire about Grave of Respondent

How do you feel about your own interment? Where would you like to be buried when you die? Please choose only one that best describes the way you feel.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Family grave of my parents	34.9	34.1	-	-	-	-	-	36.7	-	35.9	-	37.2
2	My spouse's family grave	17.7	18.4	-	-	-	-	-	14.8	-	14.6	-	14.2
3	I want to start a family grave which starts with my spouse and myself.	24.1	22.7	-	-	-	-	-	22.5	-	18.9	-	16.9
4	Grave only for my spouse and myself (a locker-style charnel included)	6.0	6.1	-	-	-	-	-	6.3	-	6.8	-	6.2
5	Grave only for myself (a locker-style charnel included)	1.1	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	1.7	-	2.2
6	Communal grave with others	1.8	1.9	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	-	4.6	-	5.0
7	I want my ashes to be scattered over the ocean or mountains.(No conventional grave wanted)	11.8	13.1	-	-	-	-	-	14.0	-	15.8	-	16.0
9	No answer	2.5	2.5	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	-	1.8	-	2.3
	n	2893	2790	-	-	-	-	-	2507	-	2079	-	1916
8	Not applicable												

842-846. Reason not to Have Grave*

What are the reasons for choosing above "6.Communal grave with others" or "7.I want my ashes to be scattered over the ocean or mountains. (No conventional grave wanted)"? Please choose all that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
XCMNONE	Reason not to Have Grave: No One to Look After	8.1	7.9	-	-	-	-	-	11.6	-	-	-	-
XCMCARE	Reason not to Have Grave: Dont Want to Bother Children	21.8	26.0	-	-	-	-	-	28.5	-	-	-	-
XCMNATR	Reason not to Have Grave: Want to Return Nature	50.3	49.0	-	-	-	-	-	45.8	-	-	-	-
XCMSENS	Reason not to Have Grave: No Meaning in Family Grave*	29.2	29.0	-	-	-	-	-	31.1	-	-	-	-
XCMETC	Reason not to Have Grave: Others	10.2	10.0	-	-	-	-	-	4.5	-	-	-	-
	n	394	420	-	-	-	-	-	421	-	-	-	-

*In cumulative data 2000-2010, XCMNOMK (nothing marked) that is included in the surveys of 2000 and 2001 was recoded as "9 No answer".
2010 The variable for "Nothing marked" was not made out.

847. XINHRGRV Inheritance of Family Grave

Are you inheriting the grave of your family?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes, I am.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.2	-	30.9
2	No, but I am supposed to in the future.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.2	-	16.4
3	No, because my sibling or relative is (or is supposed to).	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	44.1	-	42.8
4	I have no family grave (or I don't know where the grave is located).	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.1	-	4.6
5	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	4.1
6	The grave is a permanently held memorial service grave.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	0.0
7	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	0.0
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	-	1.0
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	1916

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Yes, I am." "2. No, but I am supposed to in the future." in 847. XINHRGRV.

848. WLMNGGRV Inheritance of Family Grave: Future Plan

How would you like to manage your family grave in the future?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	My children or relatives inherit the grave at the current location.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	70.7	-	68.3
2	My children or relatives inherit the grave after being moved to the convenient place.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.1	-	8.4
3	The family grave is moved to the communal grave (buried with others) and family members do not manage the grave.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	-	4.1
4	A temple or church hold a service for a departed soul forever in compensation for donation.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.0	-	13.4
5	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	3.4
7	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	0.0
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	-	2.4
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	970	-	913
8	Not applicable												

849-852. For each of the following aspects, would you say that women are getting equal treatments as men in labor markets in Japan now?

849. OP5WJOB Gender Equality: Finding a Job

Finding a job

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.3	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35.0	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37.7	-	-
5	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

850. OP5WINC Gender Equality: Salary

Pay (and/or earnings)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.2	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31.4	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42.0	-	-
5	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.5	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

851. OP5WPROM Gender Equality: Promotion

Promotion

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.3	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.4	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	48.1	-	-
5	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.4	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

852. OP5WJBSC Gender Equality: Job Security

Job security

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.6	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37.0	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	39.7	-	-
5	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.4	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

853-855. To what extent do you feel anxious about the following things?

853. OP4FRPSN Anxiety about Old Age: Live on a Pension

To maintain a standard of living by pension after I and/or my spouse retire and lose income from jobs.

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	I feel very anxious	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	48.7	-	-
2	I feel somewhat anxious	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37.2	-	-
3	I don't feel anxious very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.4	-	-
4	I don't feel anxious at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

854. OP4FRFCR Anxiety about Old Age: Family Caregiving

To be cared by family members or relatives when I get old and physically challenged

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	I feel very anxious	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36.0	-	-
2	I feel somewhat anxious	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	44.5	-	-
3	I don't feel anxious very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.7	-	-
4	I don't feel anxious at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

855. OP4FRCRS Anxiety about Old Age: Long-term Care Services

To use sufficient care plans when I get old and physically challenged

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	I feel very anxious	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	43.6	-	-
2	I feel somewhat anxious	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	43.0	-	-
3	I don't feel anxious very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.3	-	-
4	I don't feel anxious at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

856. Q4SAMESM View on Same Sex Marriage

Do you agree or disagree with the legalization of same-sex marriage?

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.7	17.2
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.5	35.8
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.2	28.5
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.4	16.8
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.3	1.8
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	744	1916

857. DORL Practice Religion

Do you follow a religion?

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Yes	9.5	10.0	9.7	11.8	12.3	11.9	10.2	11.5	9.9	9.2	8.3	9.0
2	Although not practiced, I have a family religion.	25.0	24.9	19.5	20.4	25.1	23.5	28.6	24.5	23.1	21.2	20.4	18.7
3	No	64.6	63.4	70.0	66.4	61.8	63.2	60.1	62.9	65.2	68.6	70.6	71.5
9	No answer	0.9	1.8	0.8	1.4	0.8	1.5	1.0	1.1	1.7	1.0	0.7	0.8
n		2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Yes" in 857. DORL.

858. XXRL Name of the Religion *

Please name the religion.

For the frequency table for this variable, please refer to the following web site: <https://jgss.daishodai.ac.jp/surveys/table/XXRL.html>

859. DO3PIOUS Degree of Faith in the Religion

How would you describe yourself as a religious follower?

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Very devoted	7.1	7.7	8.6	9.8	8.5	7.9	6.9	7.9	6.8	7.4	5.6	8.9
2	Devoted to a certain degree	27.7	26.3	24.8	28.3	26.4	27.7	27.2	24.7	27.1	23.7	30.6	23.9
3	Not very devoted	63.2	62.7	64.0	58.5	59.9	60.3	61.9	61.4	61.8	63.6	59.7	62.0
9	No answer	2.0	3.3	2.6	3.4	5.1	4.0	4.0	6.0	4.2	5.3	4.2	5.2
	n	997	972	876	651	761	1532	1663	1826	1580	638	216	539
8	Not applicable												

860. SSDORL Spouse Practice of Religion

Does your spouse follow a religion?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	9.8	9.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Although not practiced, my spouse has a family religion.	23.7	24.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	No	65.8	65.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.6	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	2099	2061	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Yes" in 860. SSDORL

861. SSXXRL Name of Spouse Religion

Please name the religion.

For the frequency table for this variable, please refer to the following web site: <https://jgss.daishodai.ac.jp/surveys/table/SSXXRL.html>

862. SS3PIOUS Degree of Spouse Faith in Religion

How would you describe your spouse as a religious follower?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very devoted	9.9	10.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Devoted to a certain degree	29.4	27.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Not very devoted	58.0	58.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	2.7	3.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	704	699	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

863. QAFTRDTH Belief in Life after Death

Do you believe there is a life after death?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	18.6	18.6	-	-	-	-	20.7	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	30.4	30.1	-	-	-	-	28.3	-	-	-	-	-
3	Don't know	50.7	50.8	-	-	-	-	49.5	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.3	0.4	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-
		n	2893	2790	-	-	-	2060	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

864. QDDKILLA View on Legalization of Euthanasia

When a person has a fatal disease (that cannot be cured), do you think doctors should be allowed by law to end the patient's life by some painless means if the patient and his/her family request it?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	66.7	68.6	59.4	62.1	61.2	64.6	68.2	68.8	-	-	-	-
2	No	6.9	5.9	7.1	7.6	7.7	7.0	5.1	7.1	-	-	-	-
3	Don't know	26.1	24.7	33.3	30.1	30.7	28.0	26.7	23.9	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.3	0.8	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.1	0.2	-	-	-	-
		n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	4254	2060	2507	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

865. OSUBMOM View on Surrogate Mothers

Do you think that the Japanese government should pass a law to allow childbirth by a surrogate mother? 'Childbirth by a surrogate mother' means childbirth by a woman who is not the wife of the child's father through artificial insemination.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	24.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	27.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Don't know	-	-	-	48.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

866. DOCARD Carry Donor Card*

Do you hold an "Organ Donation Decision Card or Sticker" (include indication of intention to donate on health insurance card) ?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	6.2	5.4	-	-	-	-	-	12.8	-	-	-	-
2	No	93.6	93.9	-	-	-	-	-	86.5	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.2	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-
		n	2893	2790	-	-	-	-	2507	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

*The wording for this question differs depending on the survey year.

2010 Wording for the question changed: "Organ Donation Decision Card " → "Organ Donation Decision Card or Sticker" (include indication of intention to donate on health insurance card)"

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Yes" in 866. DOCARD.

867. DO3SIGN Signature on Donor Card*

Have you signed the card?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes, I have indicated my intention to donate.	49.4	51.0	-	-	-	-	-	41.6	-	-	-	-
2	Yes, I have indicated my intention not to donate.	4.4	4.0	-	-	-	-	-	4.4	-	-	-	-
3	I have a card, but have not signed.	45.0	42.4	-	-	-	-	-	51.9	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	1.1	2.6	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	-	-	-	-
n		180	151	-	-	-	-	-	320	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

* The wording for this question differs depending on the survey year.

2010 Wording for the question changed: "Organ Donation Decision Card" → "have you signed the card?"

868. WLIVORG Willingness of Organ Donation

If a doctor diagnosed you with brain death, would you donate your internal organs such as heart and liver?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes, I would.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.0	-	-	-	-
2	Yes, I probably would.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34.1	-	-	-	-
3	No, I probably wouldn't.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.7	-	-	-	-
4	No, I wouldn't.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.0	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2507	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

869. WLACCORG Acceptance of Organ Donation

If you needed a heart transplant to maintain your life, would you receive the transplant?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes, I would.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.1	-	-	-	-
2	Yes, I probably would.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.2	-	-	-	-
3	No, I probably wouldn't.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	27.8	-	-	-	-
4	No, I wouldn't.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.4	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2507	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

870. OPSCDIN View on Internet Suicide

Some people search for a companion to commit suicide with on the Internet. Can you understand their feelings?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Can understand well	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Can understand to some extent	-	-	-	-	-	9.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Can't understand very well	-	-	-	-	-	21.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Can't understand at all	-	-	-	-	-	67.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	2124	-	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

871. OPSCD View on Suicide

If a person is overwhelmed by troubles and there's nothing he/she can do, do you agree with his/her decision of committing suicide?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	11.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	19.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	63.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	2124	-	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

872. XWNTSCD Experience of Having Suicidal Thoughts

In the past 5 years, have you thought of committing suicide at least once?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	5.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Not in the past 5 years, but have before that	-	-	-	-	-	11.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Never	-	-	-	-	-	82.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2124	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

873. XX8PLPTY Political Support *

Currently, which political party do you support? Choose one that applies.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Liberal Democratic Party	20.5	25.4	23.2	32.3	30.0	28.3	22.4	16.4	15.8	26.8	24.5	26.5
2	Democratic Party of Japan	6.3	4.6	3.4	11.7	12.2	11.2	17.3	18.5	8.1	6.5	-	-
3	New Komeito	3.3	3.0	3.3	3.3	4.4	3.7	3.8	3.3	3.6	3.6	2.2	3.1
4	Japanese Communist Party	1.6	1.9	1.8	2.0	1.9	1.8	1.7	2.2	1.5	2.6	2.0	2.0
5	Social Democratic Party	2.2	1.8	1.3	1.7	1.9	1.5	1.3	0.9	0.7	0.4	0.7	0.5
6	Other Party	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.2
7	There is no particular party I support	61.1	58.7	62.1	40.2	39.9	44.2	45.1	49.0	57.0	47.5	51.6	43.2
8	Don't know	3.2	2.7	3.8	7.5	8.8	8.1	7.6	7.6	8.7	8.6	9.3	13.0
9	Your Party	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	3.1	-	-	-
10	The People's New Party	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.1	-	-	-
11	The Happiness Realization Party	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	0.0	-	-
12	The Sunrise Party of Japan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.1	-	-	-
13	New Party Nippon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-
14	Osaka Restoration Association	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-
15	Okinawa Social Mass Party	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-
16	Party for Future Generations	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-
17	People's Life Party	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-
18	Japan Innovation Party	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	-	-
19	The Democratic Party	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.6	1.5
20	Liberal Party	1.5	1.3	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
21	New Conservative Party	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
22	Nippon Ishin (Japan Innovation Party)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	1.0
23	Liberal Party(since 2016)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.1
24	The Party for Japanese Kokoro	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.0
25	The Constitutional Democratic Party of Japan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.2
26	Party of Hope	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9
27	New Party DAICHI	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1
99	No answer	0.1	0.4	0.2	1.2	0.8	0.9	0.6	0.4	0.6	0.7	1.9	0.7
	n	2893	2790	2953	1706	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

88 Not applicable

* The choices and codes for this question differ depending on the survey year.

The codes for this question differ between single-year data and cumulative data.

Up through 2002 this question was asked in face-to-face interview. From 2003 survey, however, the question was asked in self-administered questionnaire.

2000 Choices: "1. Liberal Democratic Party, 2. Democratic Party of Japan, 3. New Komeito, 4. Liberal Party, 5. Japanese Communist Party, 6. Social Democratic Party, 7. New Conservative Party, 8. Other Party, 9. There is no particular party I support, 10. I don't know"

2003 The wording for the choice changed: "Conservative Party" → "New Conservative Party".

Choice removed: The choice "4. Liberal Party" was removed. However, no change of the number of choices 5 to 10.

2005 Choices removed: "7. New Conservative Party"

2010 Codes added: Following codes were added based on the content of "6. Others."

"9. Minnanoto: Your Party", "10. Kokumin Shinto: The People's New Party", "11. Koufuku jitsugento: The Happiness Realization Party", "12. Tachiagare Nippon: The Sunrise Party of Japan", and "13. Shinto Nippon: New Party Nippon."

2012 Choice added: The choice "6. Minnanoto: Your Party" was added. The number of the choices in the previous survey years 6-8 were moved down to 7-9."

Codes added: Following codes were added based on the content of "7. Others."

10. Kokumin shinto: The People's New Party", "11. Tachiagare Nippon", "12. Osaka Restoration Association" and "13. Okinawa Social Mass Party."

2015 Choices changed: "Your party" was removed. "Party for Future Generations" was added.

Codes added: Following codes were added based on the content of "Others Party."

"11. The Happiness Realization Party", "16. Party for Future Generations", and "17. People's Life Party"

2017 Choices changed: "2. Democratic Party of Japan" → "2. The Democratic Party"

"6. Japan Innovation Party" → "6. Nippon Ishin (Japan Innovation Party)"

"7. Liberal Party" was added.

Code added: "18. The Party for Japanese Kokoro"

2018 Choices changed: "1. Liberal Democratic Party, 2. The Democratic Party, 3. New Komeito, 4. Japanese Communist Party, 5. Social Democratic Party, 6. Nippon Ishin (Japan Innovation Party), 7. Liberal Party, 8. Others, 9. There is no particular party I support, 10. Don't know" → "1. Liberal Democratic Party, 2. The Constitutional Democratic Party of Japan, 3. Party of Hope, 4. The Democratic Party, 5. New Komeito, 6. Japanese Communist Party, 7. Social Democratic Party, 8. Nippon Ishin (Japan Innovation Party), 9. Liberal Party, 10. Others, 11. There is no particular party I support, 12. Don't know"

Code added: "19. New Party DAICHI"

2000-2010 Codes integrated: "1. Liberal Democratic Party, 2. Democratic Party of Japan, 3. New Komeito, 4. Japanese Communist Party, 5. Social Democratic Party, 6. Others, 7. There is no particular party I support, 8. Don't know, 9. Your Party, 10. The People's New Party, 11. The Happiness

Realization Party, 12. The Sunrise Party of Japan, 13. New Party Nippon, 20. Liberal Party, 21. New Conservative Party.”

2000-2012 Codes integrated: “1. Liberal Democratic Party, 2. Democratic Party of Japan, 3. New Komeito, 4. Japanese Communist Party, 5. Social Democratic Party, 6. Others, 7. There is no particular party I support, 8. Don’t know, 9. Your Party, 10. The People’s New Party, 11. The Happiness Realization Party, 12. The Sunrise Party of Japan, 13. New Party Nippon, 14. Osaka Restoration Association, 15. Okinawa Social Mass Party, 20. Liberal Party, 21. New Conservative Party.”

2000-2015 Codes integrated: “1. Liberal Democratic Party, 2. Democratic Party of Japan, 3. New Komeito, 4. Japanese Communist Party, 5. Social Democratic Party, 6. Others, 7. There is no particular party I support, 8. Don’t know, 9. Your Party, 10. The People’s New Party, 11. The Happiness Realization Party, 12. The Sunrise Party of Japan, 13. New Party Nippon, 14. Osaka Restoration Association, 15. Okinawa Social Mass Party, 16. Party for Future Generations, 17. People’s Life Party, 18. Japan Innovation Party, 20. Liberal Party, 21. New Conservative Party.”

2000-2018 Codes integrated: “19. The Democratic Party, 22. Nippon Ishin (Japan Innovation Party), 23. Liberal Party (since 2016), 24. The Party for Japanese Kokoro, 25. The Constitutional Democratic Party of Japan, 26. Party of Hope, 27. New Party DAICHI.” Other codes are same as 2000-2015.

Following question was asked to respondents who answered “7. There is no particular party I support” in 873. XX8PLPTY.

874. XXWHYNO Reason of No Political Support

Why did you select ‘There is no particular party I support.’?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I do not want to support any political parties.	-	-	16.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	I have not found any one that I feel favorable toward.	-	-	65.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Don’t know	-	-	15.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	2.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	1834	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered “7. There is no particular party I support” in 873. XX8PLPTY in 873. XX8PLPTY.

875. XX9PLPFV Favorable Political Party

Is there any political party you usually feel favorable toward? Choose one that applies.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Liberal Democratic Party	5.5	9.5	7.2	12.8	13.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Democratic Party of Japan	5.3	3.5	2.2	9.2	9.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	New Komeito	0.5	0.4	0.2	1.3	1.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Japanese Communist Party	2.0	0.8	1.6	1.9	2.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Social Democratic Party	1.8	1.9	0.7	1.5	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Other Party	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	There is no particular party that I feel favorable toward.	75.2	73.7	82.7	54.6	52.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Don’t know	7.0	6.7	3.8	14.0	15.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20	Liberal Party	1.4	0.6	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
21	New Conservative Party	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	1.1	2.7	0.9	4.5	3.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	1767	1639	1834	685	808	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

88 Not applicable

* Choices for this question differ depending on the survey year.

There is a difference in codes between single-year data and cumulative data.

Up through 2002, the question was asked in face-to-face interview. From 2003, the question was asked in self-administered questionnaire.

2000 Choices: “1. Liberal Democratic Party, 2. Democratic Party of Japan, 3. New Komeito, 4. Liberal Party, 5. Japanese Communist Party, 6. Social Democratic Party, 7. New Conservative Party, 8. Other Party, 9. There is no particular party that I feel favorable toward, 10. I don’t know”.

Face to face interview Questionnaire

2003 The wording for the choice change: “7. Conservative Party” → “7. New Conservative Party”.

Choices removed: “4. Liberal Party” was removed. No change for codes 5 to 10.

The question was asked in Self-administered Questionnaire

2005 Choices removed: “New Conservative Party”.

2000-2010/2012 Codes integrated: “1. Liberal Democratic Party, 2. Democratic Party of Japan, 3. New Komeito, 4. Japanese Communist Party, 5. Social Democratic Party, 6. Other Party, 7. There is no particular party that I feel favorable toward, 8. I don’t know, 20. Liberal Party, 21. New Conservative Party”

2000-2015 Codes integrated: same as 2000-2010/2012

2000-2018 Codes integrated: same as 2000-2010

876-891. Able Political Party*

Which political party do you feel has the ability to take control of political power? Choose all that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
OLDPOK	Able Political Party: Liberal Democratic	39.2	53.7	50.7	52.1	-	52.8	41.9	26.7	24.3	-	-	-
ODPOK	Able Political Party: Democratic	11.2	7.8	5.5	21.0	-	22.1	27.8	23.7	11.8	-	-	-
OKOMEIOK	Able Political Party: New Komeito	3.0	2.5	2.8	3.1	-	3.9	4.4	3.8	4.1	-	-	-
OCOMMPOK	Able Political Party: Communist	1.5	0.9	0.9	1.1	-	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.2	-	-	-
OSDPOK	Able Political Party: Social Democratic	2.1	1.3	1.1	1.1	-	1.0	1.2	0.9	0.7	-	-	-
OOTHEROK	Able Political Party: Other	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	-	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.6	-	-	-
ONOPLPOK	Able Political Party: No Party	27.6	21.3	23.0	7.7	-	14.7	19.6	33.5	39.0	-	-	-
OPLPDONT	Able Political Party: DK	22.8	19.5	20.4	18.9	-	22.9	24.3	23.5	26.4	-	-	-
OMINNAOK	Able Political Party: Minnanoto	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	3.5	-	-	-
OKOKUMOK	Able Political Party: Kokumin Shinto	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.0	-	-	-
OKOUFUOK	Able Political Party: Koufuku Jitsugento	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.0	-	-	-
OTACHIOK	Able Political Party: Tachiagare Nippon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-
OSHINTOK	Able Political Party: Shinto Nippon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
OLPOK	Able Political Party: Liberal	2.7	2.4	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
OHOSHUOK	Able Political Party: Conservative	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
OISHINOK	Able Political Party: Osaka Ishinnokai	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-
	n	2893	2790	2953	1706	-	2124	2060	2507	4667	-	-	-

* Choices for this question differ depending on the survey year.

In 2010 and 2012, the wording for the choice "Conservative Party" was added using the written answers for "Others".

In 2010, following variables were added based on the content of "Others":

Up through 2002, the question was asked in face-to-face interview. From 2003, the question was asked in self-administered questionnaire.

2000 Choices: "Liberal Democratic Party, Democratic Party of Japan, New Komeito, Liberal Party, Japanese Communist Party, Social Democratic Party, Conservative Party, Other, There is no party that can do that, I don't know"

The question was asked in Face to face interview Questionnaire

2003 The wording for the choice changed: "Conservative Party" → "New Conservative Party"

Choices removed: "4. Liberal Party"

The question was asked in Self-administered Questionnaire

2006 Choices removed: "7. New Conservative Party"

From 2006, the variable for "Nothing marked" has not been made out.

2010 Variable added: Following variables were added using the written answers for "Others"; OMINNAOK (Minnanoto: Your Party),

OKOKUMOK(Kokumin shinto: The People's New Party), OKOUFUOK(Koufuku jitsugento: The Happiness Realization Party),

OTACHIAOK(Tachiagare Nippon: The Sunrise Party of Japan), and OSHINTOK(Shinto Nippon: New Party Nippon).

2012 Choices added: Added the choice"6. Minnanoto: Your Party", and the following choices 6-8 are moved down to 7-9.

Variable added: Following variables were added using the written answers for "8 Others"; OKOKUMOK (Kokumin Shinto: The People's New Party), OTACHIAOK(Tachiagare Nippon: The Sunrise Party of Japan), and OSHINTOK(Shinto Nippon: New Party Nippon), and

OISHINOK(Osaka Ishin no Kai: Osaka Restoration Association.)

2000-2010/2012 Up through 2003, OPLPNOMK (Nothing marked) was recoded as "9 No answer."

2000-2015 Same as 2000-2010/2012

2000-2018 Same as 2000-2010

892. DESADMIN Desirable Administration

Which type of government do you prefer in the future? Choose only one.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Government led by Democratic Party of Japan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	-	-	-
2	Government led by Liberal Democratic Party	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.0	-	-	-
3	Coalition government led by Democratic Party of Japan and Liberal Democratic Party	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.2	-	-	-
4	Government under a new political framework with a realignment of national parties	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.6	-	-	-
5	Government under a new political framework with a realignment of political parties including local parties	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.0	-	-	-
6	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.4	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.0	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4667	-	-	-

893-896. You will be now asked questions about your thoughts on politics and policies. Who do you think should be responsible for the following? Choose a number from 1 to 5 for each.

893. OP5SRWFY Responsibility of Livelihood Security for Elderly

Livelihood Security for elderly

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1, Individuals and families	8.8	7.9	7.9	7.0	6.4	4.0	4.3	4.0	5.8	-	4.7	5.9
2	2	15.7	16.5	11.7	10.8	9.0	8.0	7.6	8.7	10.1	-	14.4	12.7
3	3	40.2	42.2	31.4	30.4	27.8	24.2	25.7	27.0	27.1	-	31.3	30.6
4	4	22.8	21.6	25.3	26.2	26.6	30.0	28.4	31.3	27.8	-	27.3	27.4
5	5, Governments	11.7	11.3	22.3	24.7	28.8	32.1	33.0	27.5	27.7	-	20.0	21.1
9	No answer	0.8	0.5	1.5	0.9	1.5	1.7	0.9	1.5	1.5	-	2.3	2.2
	n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	2060	5003	4667	-	744	1916

894. OP5SRMDY Responsibility of Care for Elderly

Medical and nursing care of the elderly

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1, Individuals and families	6.0	5.5	3.8	3.6	3.0	2.5	2.1	2.0	2.7	-	2.6	3.6
2	2	12.0	12.6	8.2	7.4	5.4	4.5	4.7	4.0	6.1	-	9.1	6.9
3	3	40.8	40.8	27.2	27.1	23.7	19.9	18.8	20.5	22.7	-	27.8	28.0
4	4	27.1	28.0	32.5	32.3	32.9	34.3	33.6	37.1	34.6	-	33.7	33.7
5	5, Governments	13.2	12.5	26.8	28.9	33.4	37.2	40.2	35.1	32.4	-	24.3	25.4
9	No answer	0.8	0.5	1.5	0.7	1.6	1.6	0.6	1.4	1.5	-	2.4	2.3
	n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	2060	5003	4667	-	744	1916

8 Not applicable

895. OP5CCED Responsibility of Education

Education expense of children

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1, Individuals and families	-	-	28.0	29.6	22.2	17.3	19.2	16.5	17.4	-	14.1	12.8
2	2	-	-	28.8	27.1	21.4	25.2	23.2	21.9	21.1	-	22.6	19.2
3	3	-	-	27.7	29.3	29.0	30.9	30.7	31.9	30.6	-	28.1	32.3
4	4	-	-	8.1	7.1	12.5	13.9	13.1	16.2	15.4	-	18.1	19.3
5	5, Governments	-	-	5.7	5.9	13.0	10.7	12.4	11.5	13.5	-	14.8	13.5
9	No answer	-	-	1.8	1.1	1.9	2.0	1.4	2.0	2.0	-	2.3	3.0
	n	-	-	2953	1957	2023	2124	2060	5003	4667	-	744	1916

8 Not applicable

896. OP5CCARE Responsibility of Child Care

Raising and taking care of children

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1, Individuals and families	-	-	32.8	33.7	22.1	19.5	18.7	16.2	16.2	-	11.3	12.2
2	2	-	-	28.5	26.1	21.3	24.5	22.5	21.2	20.7	-	18.4	17.7
3	3	-	-	25.2	26.6	29.4	30.2	32.1	31.7	31.1	-	32.0	32.0
4	4	-	-	7.5	7.3	14.1	14.2	14.1	17.7	16.7	-	21.1	21.5
5	5, Governments	-	-	4.3	5.1	11.0	9.7	11.4	11.3	13.3	-	14.8	13.6
9	No answer	-	-	1.7	1.2	2.1	1.9	1.3	1.9	2.1	-	2.4	3.0
	n	-	-	2953	1957	2023	2124	2060	5003	4667	-	744	1916

8 Not applicable

897. Q5GVEQAA View on Government Re-distributional Policy

What is your opinion of the following statement? "It is the responsibility of the government to reduce the differences in income between families with high incomes and those with low incomes."

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	27.7	29.2	22.4	26.5	26.5	31.1	29.0	28.0	23.6	34.3	25.7	24.6
2	Somewhat agree	23.8	24.8	25.6	28.4	28.4	27.4	32.3	30.7	30.1	31.2	32.0	32.5
3	Neither agree nor disagree	36.0	34.1	40.0	34.7	35.5	32.8	32.0	32.4	35.2	28.5	32.9	33.5
4	Somewhat disagree	8.0	6.6	8.2	6.6	6.2	5.6	4.7	6.5	7.7	4.1	6.7	7.0
5	Disagree	3.5	4.1	3.0	3.3	2.1	2.3	1.6	2.0	2.8	1.4	1.7	1.9
9	No answer	1.0	1.3	0.7	0.5	1.1	0.8	0.5	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.9	0.5
	n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

8 Not applicable

898. OP5LGGOZ Scope of Governments Roles

Do you think that the government is doing too many things that should be left to individuals and private businesses? Or, do you think otherwise?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1, The government should do much more	9.1	9.3	-	-	-	-	11.2	-	-	-	-	-
2	2	16.2	15.9	-	-	-	-	17.7	-	-	-	-	-
3	3	26.5	25.8	-	-	-	-	27.0	-	-	-	-	-
4	4	11.2	13.1	-	-	-	-	9.3	-	-	-	-	-
5	5, The government is doing too much	4.8	5.6	-	-	-	-	4.0	-	-	-	-	-
6	Don't know	31.4	29.3	-	-	-	-	30.1	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.8	1.0	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	-
	n	2893	2790	-	-	-	-	2060	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

899. OWELFTAX View on Balance of Welfare and Tax Burden

Statement A and Statement B address the issue of public welfare and the public burden. Which statement is close to your opinion? Please choose a number from 1 to 4.

A Even if the taxes have to be increased, public services such as welfare should be improved.

B Even if the public services such as welfare have to be weakened, the tax burden should be made lighter.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Close to A	-	-	-	22.2	-	-	18.3	18.4	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat close to A	-	-	-	36.3	-	-	49.4	48.4	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat close to B	-	-	-	29.1	-	-	23.2	24.0	-	-	-	-
4	Close to B	-	-	-	8.1	-	-	6.7	6.2	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	4.2	-	-	2.5	3.0	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1706	-	-	2060	2507	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

900-903. Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

900. Q4NOPWR View on Citizens Influence on Politics

People like me don't have any say about what the government does.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	23.6	22.7	-	28.1	-	-	21.7	21.0	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	33.2	35.9	-	34.8	-	-	36.2	36.3	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	28.4	25.6	-	25.4	-	-	27.9	29.5	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	12.3	12.8	-	9.6	-	-	11.2	10.7	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	2.5	3.0	-	2.1	-	-	3.1	2.5	-	-	-	-
	n	2893	2790	-	1706	-	-	2060	2507	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

901. Q4GVC MPL View on Complication of Politics

Politics and government are too complicated for me to understand what is going on.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	26.9	23.1	-	26.8	-	-	20.6	19.8	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	39.5	39.9	-	42.1	-	-	40.5	43.5	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	21.6	23.1	-	22.2	-	-	25.8	24.8	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	9.3	10.5	-	6.3	-	-	10.0	9.6	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	2.7	3.4	-	2.6	-	-	3.2	2.3	-	-	-	-
	n	2893	2790	-	1706	-	-	2060	2507	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

902. Q4VOTE View on Voting Duty

Many people vote at elections, so it doesn't matter if I don't.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	3.8	5.0	-	4.9	-	-	3.9	3.2	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	11.4	12.5	-	12.4	-	-	11.1	10.4	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	28.3	27.8	-	29.3	-	-	29.2	28.5	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	54.6	52.4	-	51.3	-	-	53.8	55.8	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	1.9	2.3	-	2.1	-	-	2.0	2.0	-	-	-	-
	n	2893	2790	-	1706	-	-	2060	2507	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

903. Q4MDIET View on Election Promises

Generally speaking, Diet members no longer consider the people once they are elected.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	45.4	42.3	-	41.4	-	-	40.9	42.7	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	35.4	37.2	-	39.4	-	-	39.1	38.0	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	10.9	11.1	-	12.3	-	-	11.6	11.0	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	6.0	6.5	-	4.6	-	-	5.9	6.1	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	2.3	2.9	-	2.3	-	-	2.5	2.2	-	-	-	-
		n	2893	2790	-	1706	-	-	2060	2507	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

904-911. What do you think of the amount of government spending in the following areas?

904. BD3ENVA Governments Expenditure on Environmental Issue

Environmental issues

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Too much	3.2	4.9	-	4.9	-	4.6	-	6.1	-	-	-	-
2	About right	21.9	24.1	-	27.0	-	26.1	-	31.4	-	-	-	-
3	Too little	44.9	42.1	-	35.9	-	33.6	-	28.3	-	-	-	-
4	Don't know	28.7	27.1	-	31.1	-	33.4	-	32.3	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	1.2	1.8	-	1.2	-	2.3	-	1.9	-	-	-	-
		n	2893	2790	-	1706	-	2124	-	2507	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

905. BD3CRIME Governments Expenditure on Crime Control

Crackdown on crime

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Too much	2.4	2.0	-	3.3	-	2.7	-	3.2	-	-	-	-
2	About right	28.5	24.9	-	18.1	-	23.6	-	32.6	-	-	-	-
3	Too little	36.5	42.4	-	49.1	-	40.8	-	29.2	-	-	-	-
4	Don't know	31.1	29.0	-	28.4	-	30.9	-	33.3	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	1.4	1.6	-	1.1	-	2.0	-	1.6	-	-	-	-
		n	2893	2790	-	1706	-	2124	-	2507	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

906. BD3EDUC Governments Expenditure on Education

Education

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Too much	3.2	3.4	-	3.2	-	2.7	-	5.5	-	-	-	-
2	About right	35.5	36.9	-	31.2	-	29.7	-	29.5	-	-	-	-
3	Too little	34.2	33.9	-	38.3	-	40.9	-	41.8	-	-	-	-
4	Don't know	25.8	24.1	-	25.7	-	24.2	-	21.5	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	1.4	1.8	-	1.6	-	2.4	-	1.7	-	-	-	-
		n	2893	2790	-	1706	-	2124	-	2507	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

907. BD3SAFTY Governments Expenditure on National Safety

National security

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Too much	10.8	8.2	-	9.9	-	9.2	-	10.5	-	-	-	-
2	About right	34.0	35.1	-	29.5	-	30.3	-	36.5	-	-	-	-
3	Too little	21.0	24.3	-	25.8	-	26.9	-	20.6	-	-	-	-
4	Don't know	32.0	29.9	-	33.1	-	30.9	-	30.0	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	2.1	2.6	-	1.6	-	2.7	-	2.4	-	-	-	-
		n	2893	2790	-	1706	-	2124	-	2507	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

908. BD3ODA Governments Expenditure on Foreign Aid

Foreign aid

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Too much	43.2	36.6	-	54.1	-	49.3	-	36.1	-	-	-	-
2	About right	23.3	29.4	-	18.5	-	22.9	-	31.4	-	-	-	-
3	Too little	5.9	6.5	-	3.7	-	2.3	-	4.3	-	-	-	-
4	Don't know	25.9	25.8	-	22.3	-	23.4	-	26.7	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	1.6	1.7	-	1.4	-	2.1	-	1.6	-	-	-	-
	n	2893	2790	-	1706	-	2124	-	2507	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

909. BD3CNSTR Governments Expenditure on Public Works Project

Public works projects such as road construction and river control

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Too much	35.1	40.6	-	37.9	-	34.2	-	32.8	-	-	-	-
2	About right	27.3	25.6	-	25.4	-	27.2	-	28.2	-	-	-	-
3	Too little	11.8	9.4	-	10.1	-	11.3	-	11.7	-	-	-	-
4	Don't know	23.6	22.4	-	24.7	-	24.4	-	24.9	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	2.2	1.9	-	1.9	-	2.9	-	2.4	-	-	-	-
	n	2893	2790	-	1706	-	2124	-	2507	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

910. BD3WFR Governments Expenditure on Social Security

Social security and pensions

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Too much	3.2	3.5	-	3.3	-	2.6	-	2.3	-	-	-	-
2	About right	21.5	23.6	-	18.0	-	15.1	-	17.4	-	-	-	-
3	Too little	56.2	54.7	-	61.3	-	64.1	-	61.9	-	-	-	-
4	Don't know	17.7	16.6	-	16.1	-	16.1	-	17.0	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	1.4	1.6	-	1.3	-	2.1	-	1.5	-	-	-	-
	n	2893	2790	-	1706	-	2124	-	2507	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

911. BD3EMPLY Governments Expenditure on Employment Measures

Employment and unemployment measures

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Too much	2.8	2.7	-	2.0	-	3.4	-	3.0	-	-	-	-
2	About right	19.0	16.5	-	13.5	-	21.6	-	18.4	-	-	-	-
3	Too little	52.2	58.1	-	60.4	-	46.6	-	56.1	-	-	-	-
4	Don't know	24.6	21.3	-	22.9	-	26.4	-	21.0	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	1.4	1.5	-	1.1	-	2.0	-	1.5	-	-	-	-
	n	2893	2790	-	1706	-	2124	-	2507	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

912. OP6TAXHI Income Tax Burden

Do you think the amount of income tax you have to pay is high?

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Too low	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.8	0.4	0.7	0.7	1.1	1.2	-	-	-
2	Somewhat low	0.7	0.5	0.5	0.2	0.6	0.9	1.7	1.2	1.1	-	-	-
3	About right	14.1	14.1	11.8	11.3	12.5	11.7	13.0	17.7	17.9	-	-	-
4	Somewhat high	21.8	21.6	21.2	20.4	27.5	27.8	26.9	25.4	26.2	-	-	-
5	Too high	33.5	35.2	31.4	34.3	31.9	32.6	29.8	25.0	24.4	-	-	-
6	Don't know	12.0	11.4	18.1	15.8	11.9	12.8	14.7	14.7	15.4	-	-	-
7	Pay no tax	17.0	16.2	16.1	16.8	14.6	12.7	12.7	14.2	13.1	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.5	0.7	0.6	0.3	0.5	0.8	0.4	0.7	0.6	-	-	-
	n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	2060	2507	2332	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

913. OP5PENSN Expected Pension You Will Get

How much old age pension do you think you will receive? Do you think it will be much better than those paid now?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Much better	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.2	-	-	-
2	Somewhat better	1.0	0.6	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.8	0.4	0.4	-	-	-
3	About the same	5.5	4.9	4.1	4.5	2.7	3.0	2.8	3.6	2.7	-	-	-
4	Somewhat worse	13.1	11.8	12.5	17.2	15.6	15.2	15.3	14.1	14.0	-	-	-
5	Much worse	51.1	52.5	54.5	50.5	51.4	54.1	54.0	51.1	54.8	-	-	-
6	Don't know	9.0	9.3	7.4	6.5	6.8	6.9	6.2	7.8	6.6	-	-	-
7	On pension now	19.0	18.9	20.4	20.4	22.0	19.6	19.4	22.3	20.5	-	-	-
9	No answer	1.1	1.6	0.6	0.3	0.8	0.9	1.3	0.6	0.8	-	-	-
	n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	2060	2507	2332	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

914. OP5RADCA Political Position (5 Grades)

Where would you place your political views on a 5-point scale?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1, Conservative	7.8	7.4	7.3	7.6	7.7	6.8	6.1	6.1	6.8	-	-	-
2	2	20.2	19.1	20.5	19.4	19.9	18.8	19.7	18.9	19.9	-	-	-
3	3	48.0	50.8	49.7	50.6	49.1	52.1	50.9	51.1	49.9	-	-	-
4	4	17.5	15.3	15.4	16.2	16.0	15.9	17.3	17.3	16.3	-	-	-
5	5, Progressive	3.5	4.0	3.9	3.9	4.5	3.6	3.9	3.6	4.0	-	-	-
9	No answer	3.1	3.4	3.2	2.2	2.8	2.8	2.1	3.0	3.1	-	-	-
	n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

915. OP7RADCZ Political Position (7 Grades)

Where would you place your political views on a 7-point scale?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1, Progressive	-	-	-	3.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	2	-	-	-	6.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	3	-	-	-	17.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	4	-	-	-	36.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	5	-	-	-	17.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	6	-	-	-	10.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	7, Conservative	-	-	-	5.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

916. DOPOLIT Degree of Interest in Politics

Regardless of whether it is the time of an election or not, some people show continuous interests in politics, and others don't. How regularly do you pay attention to the political situation?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost always	-	-	-	19.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	-	35.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	-	-	29.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Hardly ever	-	-	-	14.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

917. OKOIZUM Evaluation on the Cabinet

How do you evaluate the Koizumi Cabinet's performance so far?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Fairly good	-	-	-	2.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Rather good	-	-	-	24.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither good nor bad	-	-	-	45.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Rather bad	-	-	-	19.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Fairly bad	-	-	-	8.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

918. OBUSINS Evaluation of Japanese Business Climate

How do you evaluate Japan's present economic situation?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Fairly good	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Rather good	-	-	-	3.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither good nor bad	-	-	-	16.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Rather bad	-	-	-	48.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Fairly bad	-	-	-	30.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

919. ONATIND View on Balance of Benefits to Society and Individuals

Statement A and Statement B address the issue on individuals and public interest. Which one is closer to your opinion?

A The benefit of the people should be given higher priority over the benefit of an individual.

B The benefit of an individual should be given higher priority over the benefit of the people.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Close to A	-	-	-	20.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat close to A	-	-	-	37.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat close to B	-	-	-	28.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Close to B	-	-	-	9.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	4.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

920-923. We would like to ask several questions regarding politics in general. How do you feel about the following statements? Choose one that best reflects your attitude toward each statement.

920. OPLSELF Image of Politics: Something One Must Actively Work on

Politics is something one must actively work on.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	18.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	41.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	30.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	8.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

921. OPLWATCH Image of Politics: Under the Civil Surveillance

Politics is something to be put under the civil surveillance.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	30.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	40.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	19.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	6.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	2.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

922. OPLCANT Image of Politics: Politics Only Takes Its Course

Politics only takes its course.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	15.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	32.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	27.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	22.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

923. OPLNOREL Image of Politics: Dont Want to Get Involved in

If possible, I don't want to get involved in political matters.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	10.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	30.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	34.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	23.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	1.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

924-934 Political Experience *

Please choose all items you have experienced in the past 5 years in the list below.

Code

- 0 Not chosen
- 1 Chosen
- 8 Not applicable
- 9 No answer

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
X5YVOTE	Political Experience: Voted in Election	-	-	-	91.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
X5YJICHI	Political Experience: Activity in Neighbors Association	-	-	-	36.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
X5YCNTC1	Political Experience: Contacted Influential Local Person	-	-	-	12.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
X5YCNTC2	Political Experience: Contacted Politician/Official	-	-	-	6.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
X5YPETIT	Political Experience: Submitting Petition to Assembly	-	-	-	3.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
X5YPOLMG	Political Experience: Attended Political Meeting	-	-	-	24.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
X5YCMPGN	Political Experience: Assisted Election Campaign	-	-	-	13.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
X5YCITZN	Political Experience: Civic Movement	-	-	-	7.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
X5YSIGN	Political Experience: Signed Petition	-	-	-	25.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
X5YDONAT	Political Experience: Donated Money	-	-	-	27.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
X5YNONE	Political Experience: None	-	-	-	4.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

*In cumulative data 2000-2010, X5YNOMK (Nothing marked) was recoded as "9 No answer."

2000-2015 Same as 2000-2010

2000-2018 Same as 2000-2015

935-940. How often do you do the following?

935. FQ4PLNP Gathering Information on Politics: Newspaper

Read political articles in newspapers

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	46.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	-	23.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	-	-	17.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Hardly ever	-	-	-	12.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

936. FQ4PLTV Gathering Information on Politics: TV

Watch political news on TV

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	64.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	-	21.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	-	-	10.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Hardly ever	-	-	-	3.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

937. FQ4PLMAG Gathering Information on Politics: Magazine

Read political articles in magazines

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	10.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	-	17.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	-	-	22.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Hardly ever	-	-	-	48.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

938. FQ4PLWEB Gathering Information on Politics: Internet

Read political news on the Internet

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	4.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	-	5.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	-	-	5.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Hardly ever	-	-	-	82.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	2.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

939. FQ4PLFAM Gathering Information on Politics: Talking with Family

Talk about politics with my family

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	7.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	-	25.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	-	-	34.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Hardly ever	-	-	-	32.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

940. FQ4PLFRI Gathering Information on Politics: Talking with Friend

Talk about politics with my friends and colleagues

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	4.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	-	19.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	-	-	30.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Hardly ever	-	-	-	44.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

941. OPGVNTM Appropriate Number of Terms for a Governor to Serve

In general, what do you think is an appropriate number of terms for a governor to serve?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1 term (4 years)	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.9	-	-	-	-	-
2	2 terms (8 years)	-	-	-	-	-	-	51.0	-	-	-	-	-
3	3 terms (12 years)	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.6	-	-	-	-	-
4	4 terms (16 years)	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-
5	5 terms (20 years)	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-
6	More than 5 terms	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	-
7	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.3	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2060	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

942. GVNNNAME Governor of Prefecture in Which You Live

Do you know who the governor of your prefecture is?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I know who the governor is.	-	-	-	-	-	-	90.6	-	-	-	-	-
2	I don't know who the governor is.	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.9	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2060	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. I know who the governor is" in 942. GVNNNAME

943. GVNSPRT Support the Governor of Prefecture in Which You Live

Do you support the governor?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I support the governor.	-	-	-	-	-	-	43.0	-	-	-	-	-
2	I don't support the governor.	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.4	-	-	-	-	-
3	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	37.9	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	1867	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

944-950. Do you agree or disagree with the following statements on policy?

944. OPCCMON View on Policy: Child Allowance

Providing child allowance until graduating from junior high school

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.7	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.8	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.8	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.9	-	-	-	-
5	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.2	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2507	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

945. OPHGSCH View on Policy: Elimination of Senior High School Tuition

Free public senior high school tuition/ with equivalent to subsidies to private senior high school students

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28.7	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.8	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.8	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.9	-	-	-	-
5	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.9	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2507	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

946. OPHGWAY View on Policy: Elimination of Highway Tolls

Elimination of highway tolls

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.9	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.5	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.0	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	32.0	-	-	-	-
5	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.5	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2507	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

947. OPCODEM View on Policy: Reduction of CO2 Emission

Reducing 25% of CO2 before 2020 in comparison to the level of CO2 in 1990

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31.6	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37.7	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.2	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.7	-	-	-	-
5	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.8	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2507	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

948. OPMNWG View on Policy: Increasing Minimum Wages

Increasing minimum wages

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45.1	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36.5	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.9	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	-	-	-	-
5	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.7	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2507	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

949. OPSWST View on Policy: Same Wage for Same Task

Same wages for everybody working on a same task in a company (regardless of sex, age, and employment contract)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.6	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.2	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.0	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.0	-	-	-	-
5	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.2	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2507	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

950. OPATDS View on Policy: Abolition of Tax Deduction for Spouse

Abolishing tax deduction for spouse

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.1	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.4	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.0	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	43.6	-	-	-	-
5	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.7	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2507	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

951. OPCNSMTX View on Appropriate Consumption Tax Rate *

What do you think of the appropriate rate of consumption tax?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.5	6.2	-	-	-
2	1-4%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.2	3.9	-	-	-
3	5% (current rate)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	52.9	49.6	-	-	-
4	6-7%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.0	0.0	-	-	-
5	8-9%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.8	0.0	-	-	-
6	10% or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.3	0.0	-	-	-
7	6-9%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	20.1	-	-	-
8	10-14%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	15.6	-	-	-
9	15% and up	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	3.1	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	1.5	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2507	4667	-	-	-

88 Not applicable

* Choices for this question differ depending on the survey year.

2012 Choices changed: "4. 6-7%", "5. 8-9%", "6. 10" and more" → "4. 6-9%", "5. 10-14%", "6. 15% and more".

2000-2015 Codes integrated: "1. 0%, 2. 1~4%, 3. 5%, 4. 6~7%, 5. 8~9%, 6. 10%以上、7. 6~9%、8. 10~14%、9. 15% and more."

2000-2018 Same as 2000-2015

952. OP7CNSTX View on Appropriate Consumption Tax Rate 2015

What do you think of the appropriate rate of consumption tax?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.7	-	-
2	3%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.0	-	-
3	5%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34.2	-	-
4	8%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.2	-	-
5	10%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.3	-	-
6	11~14%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-
7	15% and more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

953. OPMNFST View on Observance of Manifesto

Statement A and Statement B are regarding political behavior. Which statement is close to your opinion? Please choose a number from 1 to 4.

A Political behavior should be based strictly on the manifesto presented for election by the political party belonging to.

B Political behavior should NOT be based strictly on the manifesto presented for election by the political party belonging to. Rather, it should be flexible according to situations.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Close to A	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.6	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat close to A	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.8	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat close to B	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	39.5	-	-	-	-
4	Close to B	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.1	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2507	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

954. Q2TPP View on TPP

Do you agree or disagree that Japan joins the Trans-Pacific Partnership (TPP)?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	48.2	-	-	-
2	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41.6	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.2	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2332	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

955. OPNUCPOL Opinion about Nuclear Power Policy

Which do you think will be the best nuclear-power policy for Japan?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Construct more nuclear reactors	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	2.2	1.9	1.6
2	Resume the operation of the existing nuclear reactors without constructing new ones	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.0	21.4	21.9	22.2
3	Abolish some nuclear reactors while keeping others operating	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.8	21.5	24.3	22.1
4	Abolish all the nuclear reactors in the long run	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	39.6	38.9	36.2	38.2
5	Abolish all the nuclear reactors immediately	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.7	13.2	12.9	12.9
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	2.8	2.8	3.0
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4667	2079	744	1916

956. OP4PENS Public Pension Plan: Balance between Benefits and Burden

What do you think of the relationship between benefits and burdens of public pension plan? Choose one that is close to your opinion.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	To lower benefit levels and reduce burdens	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.8	-	-
2	To lower benefit levels to some extent and keep current burden levels	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31.6	-	-
3	To keep current benefit levels and increase burdens to some extent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.4	-	-
4	To raise benefit levels and increase burdens	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.9	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.2	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

957. OPINCDIF View on Income Inequality

Do you agree that income differences in Japan are becoming larger?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.7	16.3	15.0
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34.2	34.1	34.6
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.1	30.0	31.6
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.9	14.7	15.2
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	2.2	2.6
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	1.3	0.8
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.0	0.1
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	1.5	0.2
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	744	1916

958-959. Do you agree or disagree on the following opinions?

958. Q5POLINT Interested in Politics

I am personally interested in politics.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.8	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.8	-	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37.7	-	-	-
4	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.4	-	-	-
5	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.6	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2332	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

959. Q5CNTSOC Wish to Make Contributions Towards Society

I want to make contributions towards society.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.5	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36.5	-	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	39.9	-	-	-
4	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.8	-	-	-
5	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.4	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2332	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

960. OP10LVL Position in the Society in 10 Level*

If we were to divide the contemporary Japanese society into the following ten strata, which would you say you belong to?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1, Top	0.7	0.7	1.0	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.7	0.5	1.5
2	2	1.8	1.4	1.2	0.8	1.0	1.2	0.9	0.8	1.1	1.3	0.9	1.4
3	3	7.3	6.4	6.2	4.2	5.3	5.8	5.5	4.5	5.3	5.4	5.6	7.2
4	4	9.4	9.7	9.9	8.1	9.9	9.8	8.8	10.0	9.1	9.4	10.3	11.2
5	5	41.1	42.1	41.4	38.8	40.3	36.1	35.8	38.0	36.7	38.8	42.7	40.3
6	6	14.1	14.8	14.7	16.6	13.7	16.1	14.6	15.4	16.0	15.7	12.1	13.5
7	7	10.8	10.9	10.6	12.1	12.0	12.8	15.2	13.6	13.9	11.9	12.5	12.3
8	8	7.8	7.4	8.1	8.8	9.2	9.7	11.4	10.5	10.5	10.4	9.1	7.5
9	9	2.3	2.7	2.5	3.4	3.3	3.1	3.2	3.2	2.8	2.5	2.0	2.5
10	10, Bottom	3.5	2.7	3.2	5.1	3.2	3.1	3.4	2.6	3.3	3.0	3.1	1.8
99	No answer	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.6	1.6	1.9	0.9	1.0	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.9
n		2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

*The wording for this question differs depending on the survey year.

2005 Wording for the question changed: "In our society there are groups of people that tend to be towards the top and those that are towards the bottom. Here we have a scale that runs from top to bottom. Where would you put yourself on this scale?" → "If we were to divide the contemporary Japanese society into the following ten strata, which would you say you belong to?"

961. OP5LEVK Position in the Society in 5 Strata

If we were to divide the contemporary Japanese society into the following five strata, which would you say you belong to?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Upper	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.8	1.0	0.4	1.0
2	Upper middle	9.9	10.3	9.7	9.6	9.5	9.8	10.5	9.6	11.2	13.9	12.0	13.9
3	Middle middle	51.2	47.8	48.3	47.9	43.5	45.0	44.0	44.3	42.8	48.8	50.0	49.2
4	Lower middle	30.3	33.3	32.6	34.2	36.4	34.9	35.9	36.1	35.2	28.4	28.8	27.9
5	Lower	6.8	6.4	7.3	7.0	9.1	8.3	8.0	8.6	9.1	7.1	7.3	7.3
9	No answer	1.1	1.7	1.5	0.9	1.0	1.5	0.9	0.7	0.8	0.9	1.6	0.6
n		2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

962. OP3ECN3A Change in Household Budget Situation

During the last few years, has your financial situation been getting better, worse, or has it stayed the same?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Getting better	6.4	5.5	4.5	4.9	7.7	9.1	8.0	6.3	7.9	-	-	-
2	Getting worse	41.4	46.8	48.5	48.0	44.9	39.4	45.2	47.7	41.9	-	-	-
3	Stayed the same	51.8	47.0	46.8	46.9	47.1	51.2	46.4	45.9	49.7	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.4	0.7	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.1	0.5	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	2124	2060	5003	4667	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

963. OP5FFINX Comparison of Household Income with Others

Compared with Japanese families in general, what would you say about your family income?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Far below average	10.1	10.4	10.3	10.8	11.3	9.9	10.2	11.3	11.2	10.4	7.9	9.0
2	Below average	32.1	31.5	33.7	33.8	33.3	31.5	30.7	31.5	31.7	28.9	28.2	28.2
3	Average	45.1	45.2	43.0	43.7	42.9	44.1	45.0	43.0	41.2	44.9	50.0	45.8
4	Above average	10.3	10.1	10.1	9.6	10.2	12.0	11.7	12.2	13.7	13.9	12.1	14.4
5	Far above average	0.9	1.0	0.9	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.1	1.3	1.1	1.2	1.7
9	No answer	1.3	1.9	2.0	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.1	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.5	0.9
n		2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

964. OPFFIX15 Comparison of Household Income with Others at Age 15

Thinking about the time when you were about 15 years old, compared with Japanese families in general then, what would you say about your family income?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Far below average	11.0	9.7	9.7	9.2	11.0	10.4	9.7	9.3	9.5	9.3	9.0	9.2
2	Below average	26.4	27.9	26.8	28.2	28.0	26.3	26.1	26.1	25.2	24.3	24.6	24.3
3	Average	44.9	44.3	44.0	44.4	43.3	44.9	45.0	44.3	43.4	45.9	43.4	45.3
4	Above average	13.5	12.8	14.7	13.5	13.9	14.2	15.2	16.1	16.9	17.0	18.0	17.8
5	Far above average	2.2	2.6	2.2	2.4	1.9	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.7	1.7	2.0	1.7
9	No answer	2.0	2.6	2.6	2.3	2.0	1.9	1.8	1.7	2.3	1.7	3.0	1.7
n		2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

965. OP5CHNCA Opportunities to Improve Living Standard

In your opinion, how much opportunity would you say there is in the Japanese society to improve the standard of living for you and/or for your family?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Sufficient	2.5	2.3	1.8	2.1	2.6	2.8	2.3	2.2	2.5	-	-	-
2	Somewhat sufficient	14.3	12.2	12.5	12.4	14.2	11.3	12.3	11.3	12.5	-	-	-
3	Neither sufficient nor insufficient	36.8	35.3	34.6	35.0	35.0	38.7	37.0	36.7	33.5	-	-	-
4	Not very sufficient	36.7	39.7	40.1	38.7	37.0	35.2	37.3	38.4	39.0	-	-	-
5	Not sufficient at all	8.1	8.6	9.3	10.4	9.8	10.5	10.3	10.8	11.6	-	-	-
9	No answer	1.7	1.8	1.7	1.4	1.3	1.5	0.8	0.7	0.8	-	-	-
	n	2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	2124	4220	5003	4667	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

966. AXECNSF Anxiety about Your Economic Situation in the Future

Do you feel anxious about your economic situation in the future?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I feel very anxious.	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.3	26.4	24.8	18.8	19.1	16.0
2	I feel somewhat anxious.	-	-	-	-	-	-	46.9	44.7	44.9	38.8	39.5	41.1
3	I have mixed feelings.	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.5	15.5	15.2	21.0	19.9	22.5
4	I don't feel anxious very much.	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.8	11.8	13.2	17.7	17.5	16.7
5	I don't feel anxious at all.	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	1.6	1.8	3.2	3.1	3.5
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.9	0.2
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2060	5003	4667	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

967. XQTEDU Experience of Giving Up Higher Education for Financial Reasons

Have you ever given up on advancing to a higher level of education for economic reasons?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	23.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	74.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2124	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

968. WNTJB Whether Had Idea of Future Occupation

When you were in the 3rd year of junior high school, did you have any idea of your future occupation? If you graduated from school in the old system, answer when you were in the last year of your regularly attended ordinary elementary school or national school.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Had a definite idea	-	-	-	-	-	9.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Had a vague idea	-	-	-	-	-	33.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Had no idea	-	-	-	-	-	50.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Didn't think I would have an occupation	-	-	-	-	-	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2124	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Had a definite idea, 2. Had a vague idea" in 968. WNTJB.

969. WNTJBX Desired Future Occupation

Please write down the specific occupation you most wanted to engage in. (For example, junior high school teacher, professional baseball player, doctor, cosmetologist, designer, truck driver, police officer, nurse, carpenter, farmer, professional soldier, confectioner, architect/engineer, pilot, childcare worker, clerical public servant, etc.)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
501	Researchers in natural science	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
502	Researchers in humanities	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
503	Mechanical, electrical and chemical engineers	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
504	Architectural and civil engineers	-	-	-	-	-	3.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
506	Information technology engineers	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
507	Other engineers and technicians	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
508	Medical doctors (physicians)	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
509	Dentists	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
510	Pharmacists	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
513	Dieticians	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
514	Nurses	-	-	-	-	-	7.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
516	Dental hygienist	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
517	Lawyers, Judges, public prosecutors	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-

519	certified public accountants, accountants	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
520	preschool/kindergarten teachers	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
521	Elementary school teachers	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
522	Junior high school teachers	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
523	High school teachers	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
524	College and university professors	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
525	Teachers for student with disabilities	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
526	education-related workers	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
528	novelists, copywriters (excluding translators)	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
529	editors/reporters of magazine or newspaper	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
530	illustrators, art-related workers	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
531	designers	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
532	photographers	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
533	musicians, music-related workers	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
534	movie-related workers, music producers, TV station editors	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
535	other professional athletes	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
536	animal doctors	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
537	public nursery staffs	-	-	-	-	-	5.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
538	staffs of child consultation center , social workers	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
539	tutors (excluding music tutors)	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
541	business management consultants	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
542	anchormen, anchorwomen (including disk jockeys)	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
543	librarians	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
544	piano tuners	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
546	prime minister, politicians	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
548	business managers, businessmen, chief executive officers	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
549	staffs of the United Nations	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
550	great persons	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
554	clerical workers, secretaries	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
558	medical office workers	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
559	bank clerks, finance-related workers	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
560	post officers	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
563	train station employees, staffs of Japanese Railways	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
564	typists of trading company	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
566	retail shop owners	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
567	farm machine salespersons	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
569	salespersons, salesclerks of department store	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
572	merchants (food business)	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
578	staffs of institution for disabled persons	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
579	beauticians (including hair make artists)	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
580	drycleaners	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
581	chefs, cooks, sushi chef, cuisine researchers	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
584	cabin attendants, flight attendants	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
587	tour conductors	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
588	officers in service industry	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
592	staffs for grooming parlor	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
593	self defense force officials	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
594	police officers	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
598	professional soldiers	-	-	-	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
599	farmers	-	-	-	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
601	ranch workers, stock farmers	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
604	fisherpersons	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
606	train drivers, train engineers	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
607	taxi drivers, truck drivers, long-distance truck drivers	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
608	ship captains, navigation officers, senior sailors	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
609	ship engineers	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
610	airplane pilots	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
612	railway workers	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
613	sailors	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
615	sailors (radio workers)	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
624	stone masons	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-

625	glass artisans	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
630	metalworkers, lathe operators	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
631	ironworkers	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
633	machinists, machine craftsmen	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
635	car mechanics	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
636	train manufacturers	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
639	bicycle shop owners	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
644	bakery shop owners (including bean confectionery)	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
645	food-related workers	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
647	officers in brewing industry	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
651	kimono sewers, dressmakers, pattern makers	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
652	needlecraft persons	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
654	furniture upholsterers	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
661	cartoon-related workers, animators	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
665	jewelry craftsmen	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
677	electric workers, telecommunication workers	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
679	plastering workers	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
684	divers	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
689	occupations not elsewhere classified	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
702	carpenters	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
703	teachers (not further specified)	-	-	-	-	-	6.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
704	craftsmen, manufacturing industry, having marketable skills	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
705	company employees	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
708	civil service employees (excluding government worker)	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
801	engineers (in unknown fields)	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
802	translators	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
803	comic artists	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
804	dress designers (including stylists)	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
805	singers, actors, entertainers, comedians	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
806	professional soccer players	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
807	professional baseball players	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
808	care workers, certified care workers	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
809	music tutors such as piano teachers	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
810	interpreters (excluding English teacheres)	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
811	psychological counselors	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
812	government officers	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
813	confectionery, cake makers, patisseries	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
814	barbers	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
815	astronauts	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
816	machinists	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
901	occupations with income	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
902	large corporation employees	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
903	foreign-affiliated firm employees	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
904	airline employees	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
905	occupations with high salary	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
990	other students	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
991	refused	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
992	forgot/do not remember	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
9999	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	6.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	931	-	-	-	-	-	-

8888 Not applicable

*This question represents occupations that the respondents "wanted to be", so the coding policy for this variable differs from that for other occupational variables such as XXJOB.

970. WNTJBPM Whether Desired Occupation Was Parent Occupation

Was the occupation you most desired to engage in the same as that of your parents'?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	11.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	87.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	931	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

971. XWNTJOB Whether Engaged in Desired Occupation

Have you ever engaged in that occupation?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	29.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	69.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	931	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

972. SZHSASST Total Assets (Respondent and Spouse)

Aggregating the assets that you and your spouse own (including savings, stocks, real estate, and so on), how much do you estimate them to be at the current market price? If you do not have a spouse, please tell us about the estimated value of your personal assets.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Just debts	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.5	-	-
2	Nothing	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.8	-	-
3	Less than 3 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.0	-	-
4	About 5 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.3	-	-
5	About 10 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.9	-	-
6	About 15 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.4	-	-
7	About 20 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.9	-	-
8	About 30 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.6	-	-
9	About 40 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.3	-	-
10	About 50 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	-	-
11	About 60 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-
12	About 80 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-
13	100~200 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	-	-
14	More than 200 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-
15	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.8	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.3	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

973. SZHSDEBT Financial Assistance from Parents or Relatives (Respondent and Spouse)

Have you and your spouse ever been provided any financial assistance and/or alienated land by parents and/or relatives (including inheritance)? If yes, how much do you estimate them to be in total at the current market price? If you do not have a spouse, please tell us about the assistance or gifts you have received.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Nothing	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	47.5	-	-
2	Less than 1 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.5	-	-
3	About 2 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.9	-	-
4	About 2 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.5	-	-
5	About 5 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.7	-	-
6	About 10 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.2	-	-
7	About 20 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	-	-
8	About 30 million yen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.9	-	-
9	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.0	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

974. FQ5NEWSP Frequency of Reading Newspaper

How often do you read the newspaper?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	74.6	76.6	75.1	74.1	73.7	73.3	70.7	68.5	64.5	57.3	53.9	51.6
2	Several times a week	12.1	10.4	11.3	11.8	11.1	11.3	10.5	11.5	10.7	10.1	10.3	9.3
3	About once a week	3.8	2.9	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.7	4.0	4.4	4.3	4.6	4.7	5.4
4	Less than once a week	3.6	3.2	3.9	3.9	5.3	4.2	5.6	5.7	6.4	7.8	7.4	7.8
5	Never	5.7	6.4	6.3	6.7	6.3	7.2	8.9	9.8	13.6	20.0	23.1	25.8
9	No answer	0.2	0.5	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.0	0.5	0.2
n		2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

975-997. Newspaper Subscription
Choose all the newspapers that you often read.

Code

- 0 Not chosen
- 1 Chosen
- 8 Not applicable
- 9 No answer

		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Multiple answers													
NPASAHI	Newspaper Subscription: Asahi	-	-	22.5	20.1	20.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NPSANKEI	Newspaper Subscription: Sankei	-	-	4.4	4.9	3.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NPNIKKEI	Newspaper Subscription: Nihon Keizai	-	-	8.6	8.9	8.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NPMAINI	Newspaper Subscription: Mainichi	-	-	9.3	8.6	7.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NPYOMIUR	Newspaper Subscription: Yomiuri	-	-	27.8	27.8	20.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NPSANSP	Newspaper Subscription: Sankei Sports	-	-	2.6	2.4	1.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NPSPNIP	Newspaper Subscription: Sports Nippon	-	-	4.7	5.5	3.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NPDAYSP	Newspaper Subscription: Daily Sports	-	-	1.6	1.7	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NPNIKSP	Newspaper Subscription: Nikkan Sports	-	-	3.9	4.0	3.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NPHOUCHI	Newspaper Subscription: Hochi	-	-	2.0	2.5	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NPHOKKAI	Newspaper Subscription: Hokkaido	-	-	3.8	2.7	4.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NPTOKYO	Newspaper Subscription: Tokyo	-	-	0.7	1.0	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NPCHUNI	Newspaper Subscription: Chunichi	-	-	8.5	7.6	8.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NPWESTJP	Newspaper Subscription: Nishinippon	-	-	2.1	2.6	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NPJAPAN	Newspaper Subscription: Japan Times	-	-	0.2	0.1	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NPGENDAI	Newspaper Subscription: Nikkan Gendai	-	-	0.4	0.5	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NPFUJI	Newspaper Subscription: Fuji Evening News	-	-	0.8	0.5	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NPAKAHAT	Newspaper Subscription: Akahata	-	-	1.5	1.8	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NPSEIKYO	Newspaper Subscription: Seikyo	-	-	3.5	3.6	3.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NPETC	Newspaper Subscription: Others	-	-	30.8	32.4	32.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NPNONE	Newspaper Subscription: None	-	-	-	-	8.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	2953	1957	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

*Added choices in 2005.

In the cumulative data 2000-2010, NPNOARK (Nothing marked) which are included in the data of 2000-2004 was removed.

2005 Choice added: "I don't often read newspapers."

The variable for "Nothing marked" was not made out.

995. NPETCX1 Newspaper Subscription: First Description of Others

The first description in "Others (Please specify _____)".

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
21	Shizuoka Shimbun	-	-	6.3	3.9	5.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
22	Chugoku Shimbun	-	-	5.6	5.4	4.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
23	Niigata Nippo	-	-	5.5	3.9	3.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
24	Kobe Shimbun	-	-	4.6	2.7	1.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25	Shinano Mainichi Shimbun	-	-	3.6	3.0	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
26	Kahoku Shimpō	-	-	3.7	4.4	4.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
27	Sanyo Shimbun	-	-	3.6	2.5	2.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
28	Kyoto Shimbun	-	-	3.2	2.8	4.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
29	Shimotsuke Shimbun	-	-	3.1	2.8	4.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
30	Minami-Nippon Shimbun	-	-	3.1	3.1	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
31	Kitanippon Shimbun	-	-	2.6	2.0	2.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
32	Kumamoto Nichinichi Shimbun	-	-	2.7	2.8	2.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
33	Miyazaki Nichinichi Shinbun	-	-	2.7	1.4	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
34	Ehime Shimbun	-	-	2.4	1.1	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
35	To-o Nippo	-	-	2.2	1.6	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
36	Akita Sakigake Shimpō	-	-	2.1	2.5	4.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
37	Fukushima Minpo	-	-	2.1	2.5	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
38	Yamanashi Nichinichi Shimbun	-	-	2.0	2.2	2.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
39	Fukui Shimbun	-	-	2.0	1.4	4.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
40	Jomo Shimbun	-	-	1.8	2.2	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
41	Ibaraki Shimbun	-	-	1.8	0.6	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

42	Nihonkai Shimbun	-	-	1.8	1.3	1.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
43	Tokushima Shimbun	-	-	1.8	1.9	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
44	Nagasaki Shimbun	-	-	1.6	1.9	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
45	Hokkoku Shimbun	-	-	1.6	3.0	2.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
46	Saga Shimbun	-	-	1.6	1.6	1.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
47	Yamagata Shimbun	-	-	1.5	2.7	2.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
48	Sanin Chuo Shimpo	-	-	1.5	2.4	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
49	Shikoku Shimbun	-	-	1.5	2.0	2.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
50	Oita-godo Shimbun	-	-	1.5	2.0	3.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
51	Kochi Shimbun	-	-	1.3	2.4	1.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
52	Tokachi Mainichi News	-	-	1.2	0.0	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
53	Iwate Nippo	-	-	1.1	1.9	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
54	Kanagawa Shimbun	-	-	1.1	0.5	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
55	Muroan Mimpo	-	-	1.0	0.5	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
56	Ryukyu Shimpo	-	-	1.0	1.9	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
57	Okinawa Times	-	-	1.0	0.8	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
58	Gifu Shimbun	-	-	0.9	0.9	2.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
59	Fukushima Minyu	-	-	0.7	1.4	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
60	Iwate Nichinichi Shimbun	-	-	0.5	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
61	Chiba Nippo	-	-	0.4	0.9	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
62	Tohkai Shimpo	-	-	0.4	0.2	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
63	Hokuroku Shimbun	-	-	0.2	0.3	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
64	Komei Shimbun	-	-	0.3	0.2	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
65	Nikkei Ryutsu Shimbun	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
66	Shimintimes	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
67	Daily Tohoku Shimbun	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
68	Yukan Daily	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
70	The Japan Agricultural News	-	-	0.7	2.2	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
71	Nikkan Kogyo Shimbun	-	-	0.1	0.2	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
80	Other Sports Newspaper	-	-	0.7	0.6	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
81	Chunichi Sports	-	-	1.9	1.4	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
97	Others/ Unknown	-	-	2.3	9.4	6.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	2.0	0.5	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	911	635	649	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

996. NPETCX2 Newspaper Subscription: Second Description of Others

The second description in "Others (Please specify _____)".

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
21	Shizuoka Shimbun	-	-	2.5	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
22	Chugoku Shimbun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
23	Niigata Nippo	-	-	0.0	0.0	5.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
24	Kobe Shimbun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25	Shinano Mainichi Shimbun	-	-	0.0	4.8	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
26	Kahoku Shimpo	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
27	Sanyo Shimbun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
28	Kyoto Shimbun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
29	Shimotsuke Shimbun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
30	Minami-Nippon Shimbun	-	-	0.0	0.0	5.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
31	Kitanippon Shimbun	-	-	2.5	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
32	Kumamoto Nichinichi Shimbun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
33	Miyazaki Nichinichi Shinbun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
34	Ehime Shimbun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
35	To-o Nippo	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
36	Akita Sakigake Shimpo	-	-	0.0	4.8	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
37	Fukushima Minpo	-	-	0.0	4.8	5.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
38	Yamanashi Nichinichi Shimbun	-	-	0.0	0.0	5.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
39	Fukui Shimbun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
40	Jomo Shimbun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
41	Ibaraki Shimbun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
42	Nihonkai Shimbun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
43	Tokushima Shimbun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
44	Nagasaki Shimbun	-	-	2.5	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
45	Hokkoku Shimbun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
46	Saga Shimbun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
47	Yamagata Shimbun	-	-	0.0	4.8	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
48	Sanin Chuo Shimpo	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

49	Shikoku Shimbun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
50	Oita-godo Shimbun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
51	Kochi Shimbun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
52	Tokachi Mainichi News	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
53	Iwate Nippo	-	-	2.5	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
54	Kanagawa Shimbun	-	-	0.0	0.0	5.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
55	Muroan Mimpo	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
56	Ryukyu Shimpo	-	-	0.0	0.0	5.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
57	Okinawa Times	-	-	0.0	4.8	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
58	Gifu Shimbun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
59	Fukushima Minyu	-	-	2.5	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
60	Iwate Nichinichi Shimbun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
61	Chiba Nippo	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
62	Tohkai Shimpo	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
63	Hokuroku Shimbun	-	-	5.0	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
64	Komei Shimbun	-	-	0.0	0.0	5.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
65	Nikkei Ryutsu Shimbin	-	-	0.0	0.0	5.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
66	Shimintimes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
67	Daily Tohoku Shimbun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
68	Yukan Daily	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
70	The Japan Agricultural News	-	-	17.5	19.0	5.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
71	Nikkan Kogyo Shimbun	-	-	5.0	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
80	Other Sports Newspaper	-	-	2.5	0.0	5.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
81	Chunichi Sports	-	-	0.0	0.0	5.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
97	Others/ Unknown	-	-	12.5	42.9	42.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	45.0	14.3	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	40	21	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

998. FQ5READ Number of Books You Read a Month

How many books do you read a month on average (comics and magazines excluded)?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018	
0	I rarely read books.	50.2	48.2	52.3	52.6	49.7	49.0	48.7	51.9	50.4	52.2	57.7	57.5	
1	About one	27.5	28.4	24.9	26.0	28.0	27.6	27.2	25.6	27.3	26.5	25.1	24.7	
2	About two	10.3	12.1	10.7	10.8	11.4	11.6	11.8	10.8	10.7	10.4	8.1	9.2	
3	About three	5.2	4.7	5.4	4.8	3.9	4.9	5.4	5.2	4.9	4.4	3.6	3.4	
4	Four or more	6.3	5.9	6.4	5.4	6.4	6.3	6.5	6.2	6.1	6.0	5.0	5.0	
9	No answer	0.5	0.6	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.6	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.2	
		n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable													

999. HRTV Hours of Watching TV

In an average day, about how many hours do you personally watch television? Enter 0(zero) if you never watch television.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018	
Actual number	Almost 0	0.7	0.9	0.6	1.1	2.1	1.6	1.6	1.7	2.4	3.0	2.8	3.5	
	About 1 hour	12.6	11.4	10.8	9.7	11.2	13.0	12.2	12.6	12.8	12.8	14.7	13.0	
	About 2 hours	22.3	23.9	22.6	21.9	21.8	21.8	21.4	20.6	20.3	20.2	21.4	21.0	
	About 3 hours	25.6	24.4	25.7	25.5	23.5	25.1	22.8	22.1	21.7	21.3	18.0	21.6	
	About 4 hours	14.4	14.5	13.6	14.0	14.2	14.2	14.5	14.8	13.8	14.6	13.3	14.1	
	About 5 hours	12.0	11.6	14.1	13.8	13.5	11.9	12.4	13.4	13.0	13.0	14.1	12.2	
	About 6 hours	5.2	5.3	4.8	5.1	5.5	4.7	6.6	5.9	6.6	5.8	5.6	5.5	
	About 7 hours	1.8	2.0	1.3	2.0	1.3	1.7	2.5	2.0	2.2	2.3	2.0	1.8	
	About 8 hours	2.2	1.8	2.5	2.8	2.4	2.0	2.3	2.7	2.8	2.5	3.0	2.4	
	About 9 hours	0.5	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.5	
	About 10 hours	1.8	2.1	1.8	2.3	2.5	2.2	1.9	2.0	2.2	2.4	2.6	2.0	
	More than 11 hours	0.6	1.0	0.8	1.1	0.8	0.8	0.7	1.0	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.7	
999	No answer	0.4	0.8	1.0	0.5	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.5	1.1	0.5	
		n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916
888	Not applicable													

1000-1008. Use of Communication Media *

Do you make use of the following? Please choose all that apply

Code

- 0 Not chosen
- 1 Chosen
- 8 Not applicable
- 9 No answer

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
DOEMAILJ	Use of Communication Media: E-Mail for Work	10.2	12.8	13.4	14.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DOEMAILP	Use of Communication Media: E-Mail for Private	16.0	20.4	22.6	25.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DOCOMPJ	Use of Communication Media: PC at Workplace	22.4	23.2	24.1	23.2	28.8	31.0	31.0	33.1	33.7	-	-	-
DOCOMPJ	Use of Communication Media: PC at Home	21.8	28.0	29.0	29.5	36.8	41.9	44.5	47.1	49.8	-	-	-
DONETSB	Use of Communication Media: Internet Shopping/Banking	4.8	7.1	8.1	9.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DONETSTK	Use of Communication Media: Internet Stock Trading	0.8	1.5	0.8	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DOPHS	Use of Communication Media: Cellular Phone	47.0	51.8	56.0	57.7	68.7	72.2	78.0	81.7	81.6	-	-	-
DOFAX	Use of Communication Media: Fax	36.2	39.2	39.7	40.2	37.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DONONEX	Use of Communication Media: None	-	-	-	-	25.1	24.4	19.1	15.8	13.9	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	4220	2507	4667	-	-	-

*Choices for this question differ depending on the survey year.

In the cumulative data, DONONE (Nothing marked) which are included in 2000-2003 was removed.

2000 Choices: "Use of Communication Media: E-Mail for Work, Use of Communication Media: E-Mail for Private, Use of Communication Media: PC at Workplace, Use of Communication Media: PC at Home, Use of Communication Media: Internet Shopping, Use of Communication Media: Internet Stock Trading, Use of Communication Media: Cellular Phone, Use of Communication Media: Fax".

2005 The wording for the choice changed: "PC (at work)" → "PC (at work or school)", "Cellular phone/PHS" → "Cellular phone (including PHS)"
 Choices removed: "Use of Communication Media: E-Mail for Work, Use of Communication Media: E-Mail for Private, Use of Communication Media: Internet Shopping, Use of Communication Media: Internet Stock Trading".
 Choice added: "None".

2006 The variable for "Nothing marked" was not made out.
 Choice removed: "Use of Communication Media: Fax"

1009. DOEMAIL Use of E-Mail

Do you exchange e-mails by PC or Cellular phone (including PHS)?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	PC only	-	-	-	-	5.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Cellular phone only	-	-	-	-	28.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Both	-	-	-	-	21.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Don't exchange e-mails	-	-	-	-	44.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1 Chosen" in 1002. DCOMPJ, 1003. DCOMPP or 1006. DOPHS.
1010-1016. Use of Internet *

Have you ever done any of the following by the Internet using a PC or cellular phone? Choose all that apply.

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
DOINBRS	Use of Internet: Information Search	-	-	-	-	56.1	64.6	65.7	67.7	67.6	-	-	-
DOINSHOP	Use of Internet: Shopping	-	-	-	-	21.6	26.3	30.4	32.1	38.3	-	-	-
DOINBANK	Use of Internet: Banking	-	-	-	-	6.2	7.4	9.8	9.3	11.1	-	-	-
DOINH1P	Use of Internet: Making Website	-	-	-	-	4.6	5.1	4.3 ^{††}	-	-	-	-	-
DOINH2P	Use of Internet: Making Website (Including Blog)	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.3 ^{††}	6.4	6.4	-	-	-
DOINGAME	Use of Internet: Internet Games	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.5	-	-	-
DOINNONE	Use of Internet: None	-	-	-	-	41.5	30.9	30.0	28.2	26.9	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	1510	1600	3406	2108	1965	-	-	-

*Note 1: This figure is a ratio to 1679, the total number of respondents for "Self-administered questionnaire A".

*Note 2: This figure is a ratio to 1727, the total number of respondents for "Self-administered questionnaire B".

* Choices for this question differ depending on the survey year.

In 2008, this question partly differs between Questionnaire A and B: Questionnaire A asks about "DOINH1P (the creation of homepages)," whereas Questionnaire B asks about "DOINH2P (the creation of homepages including blogs)."

2008 Choice differs between Questionnaire A and B: The choice in Questionnaire A is "Making web pages", whereas in Questionnaire B, "Making web pages (including blog)".

2012 Choice added: "5. Internet game" was added, and the following choice 5 is moved down to 6.

1017. FQ6NWSIN Frequency of Reading News Articles on the Internet

How often do you read news articles on the Internet?

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42.9	49.3	51.0
2	Several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.7	10.8	11.7
3	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.1	3.6	3.0
4	Less than once a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.1	3.8	2.2
5	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.1	4.0	3.1
6	I don't use the Internet	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.0	28.0	28.5
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.5	0.3
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	744	1916

1018-1020. How often do you do the following using a cellular phone (including PHS) or a PC?

1018. FQMPTALK Frequency of Speaking on Mobile Phone

Speaking on a cellular phone (including PHS)

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	5 times a day or more	-	-	-	-	-	14.1	13.0	12.0	-	-	-	-
2	3-4 times a day	-	-	-	-	-	10.9	12.5	12.0	-	-	-	-
3	1-2 times a day	-	-	-	-	-	28.8	27.6	28.6	-	-	-	-
4	Several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	26.4	26.7	28.4	-	-	-	-
5	Once a week or less	-	-	-	-	-	10.8	10.9	11.2	-	-	-	-
6	Never	-	-	-	-	-	5.6	5.4	5.5	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	3.8	2.2	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	1600	3406	2108	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1019. FQMPPMAIL Frequency of Sending E-mail by Mobile Phone

Sending e-mail by a cellular phone (including PHS)

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	5 times a day or more	-	-	-	-	-	12.4	12.9	14.6	-	-	-	-
2	3-4 times a day	-	-	-	-	-	12.7	13.8	14.6	-	-	-	-
3	1-2 times a day	-	-	-	-	-	20.0	20.8	20.1	-	-	-	-
4	Several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	16.6	17.9	19.4	-	-	-	-
5	Once a week or less	-	-	-	-	-	9.6	8.3	8.3	-	-	-	-
6	Never	-	-	-	-	-	23.3	20.5	19.6	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	5.4	5.8	3.4	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	1600	3406	2108	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1020. FQPCMAIL Frequency of Sending E-mail by PC

Sending e-mail by a PC

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	5 times a day or more	-	-	-	-	-	6.3	6.2	6.9	-	-	-	-
2	3-4 times a day	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	2.5	2.1	-	-	-	-
3	1-2 times a day	-	-	-	-	-	5.4	4.6	4.4	-	-	-	-
4	Several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	10.4	10.1	9.5	-	-	-	-
5	Once a week or less	-	-	-	-	-	14.3	15.0	15.0	-	-	-	-
6	Never	-	-	-	-	-	51.1	52.0	52.6	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	9.6	9.6	9.5	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	1600	3406	2108	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1021-1023. How often do you do the following using a cellular phone (including PHS) or a PC?

1021. FQMPTALX Frequency of Speaking on Mobile Phone (All Respondents)

Speaking on a cellular phone (including PHS)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	5 times a day or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.1	-	-	-	-
2	3-4 times a day	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.6	-	-	-	-
3	1-2 times a day	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.9	-	-	-	-
4	Several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.1	-	-	-	-
5	Once a week or less	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.6	-	-	-	-
6	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.0	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1022. FQMPMAIX Frequency of Sending E-mail by Mobile Phone (All Respondents)

Sending e-mail by a cellular phone (including PHS)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	5 times a day or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.1	-	-	-	-
2	3-4 times a day	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.2	-	-	-	-
3	1-2 times a day	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.8	-	-	-	-
4	Several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.8	-	-	-	-
5	Once a week or less	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.5	-	-	-	-
6	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	32.9	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1023. FQPCMAIX Frequency of Sending E-mail by PC (All Respondents)

Sending e-mail by a PC

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	5 times a day or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.4	-	-	-	-
2	3-4 times a day	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-
3	1-2 times a day	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.6	-	-	-	-
4	Several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.0	-	-	-	-
5	Once a week or less	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.2	-	-	-	-
6	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	65.9	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.6	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1024-1030. How much satisfaction do you get from the following areas of life? (Circle a number as in the example.)

1024. ST5AREAY Satisfaction with Area of Residence

Area you live in

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1, Satisfied	24.3	23.2	23.4	25.8	30.6	28.5	29.1	30.5	30.8	29.2	25.7	27.1
2	2	28.6	27.9	28.6	28.3	30.8	29.0	30.9	29.1	29.2	31.2	30.8	31.1
3	3	32.5	33.1	33.5	30.9	27.1	30.7	29.7	29.1	29.7	29.5	31.5	30.0
4	4	11.2	11.2	11.0	10.7	7.6	8.2	7.3	7.7	7.3	7.5	8.9	8.7
5	5, Dissatisfied	2.7	3.2	2.8	3.2	3.0	2.4	2.0	2.3	1.9	1.4	2.0	2.0
9	No answer	0.7	1.4	0.7	1.1	0.8	1.1	1.0	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.1
	n	2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

1025. ST5LEISY Satisfaction with Leisure Activities

Your non-work activities

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1, Satisfied	14.6	14.6	14.7	17.5	16.5	18.7	18.3	18.6	19.5	20.3	17.9	18.6
2	2	27.3	26.2	27.4	27.6	27.9	28.6	28.9	28.3	28.1	31.1	30.0	30.8
3	3	37.8	39.6	38.5	36.0	38.0	36.4	36.6	36.1	37.8	35.3	38.6	37.1
4	4	15.7	14.7	14.4	13.8	12.5	11.8	12.1	12.7	10.4	10.2	11.3	10.1
5	5, Dissatisfied	3.7	3.3	4.0	3.9	3.3	3.1	2.9	2.7	2.7	1.9	1.2	2.4
9	No answer	1.0	1.6	1.0	1.1	1.9	1.5	1.1	1.6	1.4	1.2	1.1	1.0
n		2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

1026. ST5LIFEY Satisfaction with Family Life

Your family life

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1, Satisfied	19.8	20.4	18.4	23.1	26.7	27.5	27.9	27.9	28.5	28.4	23.5	25.2
2	2	28.7	26.7	29.6	29.0	29.8	28.9	30.2	29.5	30.2	30.3	32.1	33.9
3	3	39.6	38.9	38.9	35.0	33.4	32.7	31.3	31.6	31.7	30.8	34.0	31.9
4	4	8.5	9.9	9.8	9.3	6.6	7.7	7.5	7.5	6.6	7.8	7.8	6.5
5	5, Dissatisfied	2.4	2.6	2.3	2.5	2.3	2.0	2.3	2.1	1.8	1.5	1.9	1.9
9	No answer	1.0	1.5	1.0	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.0	1.5	1.2	1.2	0.7	0.7
n		2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

1027. ST5ECNY Satisfaction with Household Budget Situation

The current financial situation of your household

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1, Satisfied	9.7	9.0	8.2	9.0	14.2	14.7	13.8	14.2	14.5	15.3	14.7	14.7
2	2	18.8	18.0	18.9	19.1	20.2	21.0	20.8	20.4	22.5	24.3	21.0	23.0
3	3	39.5	39.1	38.3	37.5	37.2	35.8	36.3	35.4	36.0	35.6	37.4	38.1
4	4	22.8	23.1	23.5	23.3	18.4	19.1	19.2	19.8	18.1	16.5	19.9	17.0
5	5, Dissatisfied	8.0	9.0	10.0	10.0	8.9	8.1	8.8	8.8	7.6	7.1	6.6	6.3
9	No answer	1.1	1.7	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.3	1.1	1.3	1.2	1.2	0.5	0.9
n		2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

1028. ST5FRIY Satisfaction with Friendship

Your friendships

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1, Satisfied	22.2	22.3	19.8	23.9	23.9	25.2	23.8	25.5	24.1	24.4	23.4	22.3
2	2	28.5	27.2	30.3	29.9	30.4	29.6	29.7	28.2	29.0	29.9	32.3	30.4
3	3	37.8	38.8	39.7	35.2	36.8	36.1	37.5	37.7	37.5	36.0	36.2	38.4
4	4	8.5	8.1	7.9	7.8	5.0	6.4	6.4	6.0	6.7	6.5	5.9	6.1
5	5, Dissatisfied	1.9	1.8	1.4	2.0	2.5	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.4	2.1	1.6	1.8
9	No answer	1.1	1.7	0.9	1.2	1.4	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.3	1.1	0.7	0.9
n		2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

1029. ST5HLTHY Satisfaction with Health Condition

Your health and physical condition

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1, Satisfied	17.3	17.5	16.9	21.0	18.1	17.8	19.5	18.6	18.0	19.1	17.9	19.3
2	2	26.3	26.8	26.3	27.2	27.4	28.4	27.9	28.1	28.7	28.2	31.2	28.8
3	3	34.7	34.9	35.4	31.6	33.0	35.2	34.9	33.7	34.8	33.8	35.3	34.4
4	4	16.4	14.4	15.5	14.8	14.4	14.3	12.6	13.9	14.0	14.2	10.9	13.8
5	5, Dissatisfied	4.5	5.1	5.4	4.7	6.0	3.3	4.2	4.5	3.6	3.5	4.3	3.1
9	No answer	0.8	1.3	0.4	0.7	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1	0.9	1.2	0.4	0.7
n		2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

1030. ST5SSREL Satisfaction with Relationship with Spouse

Relationship with your spouse

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1, Satisfied	-	-	-	27.1	27.3	27.4	27.2	26.4	25.5	25.8	25.0	25.4
2	2	-	-	-	20.6	20.6	19.8	20.0	20.9	20.4	20.2	21.1	23.3
3	3	-	-	-	19.5	18.8	20.0	19.5	18.8	18.2	17.0	16.7	17.2
4	4	-	-	-	4.1	3.4	3.5	3.7	3.6	3.7	3.9	2.8	3.3
5	5, Dissatisfied	-	-	-	1.8	1.6	1.6	1.4	1.7	2.0	1.5	1.7	1.6
6	I don't have a spouse.	-	-	-	26.2	27.2	26.8	27.6	27.4	29.1	30.8	32.1	28.7
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.8	1.0	0.8	0.6	1.0	1.1	0.7	0.5	0.5
	n	-	-	-	3663	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

1031. FF5HAPPZ Degree of Marital Happiness

Would you say that your marriage is happy or unhappy?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1, Happy	35.6	38.4	39.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	2	30.5	29.2	31.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	3	28.5	27.0	23.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	4	3.0	3.3	2.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	5, Unhappy	1.0	0.6	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	1.4	1.5	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	2099	2061	2182	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1032. OP5HAPPZ Degree of Happiness

Are you happy?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1, Happy	29.1	31.0	29.0	28.1	26.9	30.9	32.1	31.3	34.3	32.6	21.4	24.9
2	2	32.1	30.1	32.1	31.0	36.3	33.9	34.1	33.5	31.9	34.5	35.2	37.0
3	3	32.2	31.5	32.1	33.2	29.3	28.4	26.8	28.2	26.6	26.9	33.9	29.4
4	4	4.5	5.5	5.5	5.9	5.4	5.1	5.0	4.9	5.3	4.6	6.3	5.8
5	5, Unhappy	1.4	1.3	1.1	1.5	1.3	0.9	1.2	0.9	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.3
9	No answer	0.8	0.6	0.2	0.3	0.7	0.7	0.7	1.1	0.7	0.1	1.9	1.6
	n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	2060	2507	2332	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

1033. STALLLF Satisfaction with General Life

All things considered, how satisfied are you with your life as a whole these days?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1, Very satisfied	-	-	-	-	-	10.7	-	-	-	-	9.7	11.6
2	2	-	-	-	-	-	37.9	-	-	-	-	38.2	38.8
3	3	-	-	-	-	-	37.4	-	-	-	-	39.0	36.8
4	4	-	-	-	-	-	11.3	-	-	-	-	11.0	10.9
5	5, Very dissatisfied	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	-	-	-	-	1.9	1.6
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.3
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

1034. OP5HAPPE Degree of Happiness (EASS Scale)

In general, are you happy?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1: Very happy	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.6	18.5	19.3	-	-	-
2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	42.2	40.2	42.5	-	-	-
3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	31.5	32.7	31.4	-	-	-
4	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.5	7.3	5.2	-	-	-
5	5: Very unhappy	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	1.0	1.1	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	0.4	0.5	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	2496	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1035-1036. Have you ever attended any of the following courses out of formal school education?

1035. XLRNJB Have Attended Job-oriented Courses

Job-oriented courses

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Currently attending	3.6	4.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	-	-	-
2	Attended in the past but not at present	37.1	38.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	41.8	-	-	-
3	Never attended	56.7	54.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	55.1	-	-	-
9	No answer	2.7	3.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-
		n	2893	2790	-	-	-	-	-	2332	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1036. XLRNCLTR Have Attended Hobby-oriented Courses

Hobby-oriented courses

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Currently attending	7.3	7.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.6	-	-	-
2	Attended in the past but not at present	27.4	29.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.8	-	-	-
3	Never attended	62.0	59.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	64.1	-	-	-
9	No answer	3.2	4.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-
		n	2893	2790	-	-	-	-	-	2332	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1037. FQ5TRIP Frequency of Trips More Than 2 Days

How often do you go on a trip which takes more than two days (business trips are excluded)?

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Several times a month	0.4	0.6	0.3	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.4	-	-	-
2	About once a month	2.1	2.3	2.2	3.0	2.4	2.2	1.8	2.0	2.0	-	-	-
3	Several times a year	34.3	32.3	31.6	34.1	35.4	31.7	31.5	30.8	31.0	-	-	-
4	About once a year	38.7	39.1	39.8	37.4	34.8	37.7	36.2	36.3	34.7	-	-	-
5	Never	24.1	25.1	25.7	24.8	26.3	27.5	29.7	30.2	31.5	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.3	0.6	0.4	0.1	0.7	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	-	-	-
		n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	4254	4220	2507	4667	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1038-1039. How often do you go on a trip which takes more than 2 days (Business trips are excluded)?

1038. FQDMTRP Frequency of Trip: Domestic

Domestic trip

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Several times a month	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-
2	About once a month	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-
3	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28.9	-	-	-	-
4	About once a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.8	-	-	-	-
5	About once in a few years	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.2	-	-	-	-
6	Several times a month	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.0	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1039. FQOSTRP Frequency of Trip: Overseas

Overseas trip

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Several times a month	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-
2	About once a month	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-
3	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-
4	About once a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.3	-	-	-	-
5	About once in a few years	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.1	-	-	-	-
6	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	73.4	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.8	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1040-1041. How often do you want to go on a trip which takes more than 2 days (Business trips are excluded)?

1040. APDMTRP Preference for Frequency of Trip: Domestic

Domestic trip

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Several times a month	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-	-
2	About once a month	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.8	-	-	-	-
3	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	46.8	-	-	-	-
4	About once a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.0	-	-	-	-
5	About once in a few years	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.3	-	-	-	-
6	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.2	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1041. APOSTRP Preference for Frequency of Trip: Overseas

Overseas trip

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Several times a month	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-
2	About once a month	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-
3	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.6	-	-	-	-
4	About once a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.3	-	-	-	-
5	About once in a few years	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.8	-	-	-	-
6	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36.0	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.4	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1042-1053. Important Purpose of Trip*

What is your priority in a trip which takes more than 2 days (Business trips are excluded)? Choose all that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
IMTRPCUL	Important Purpose of Trip: Exposure to Local Culture	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	49.1	-	-	-	-
IMTRPPPL	Important Purpose of Trip: Contact with Local People	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.1	-	-	-	-
IMTRPREL	Important Purpose of Trip: Deepening Relationship with Family or Friends	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	43.1	-	-	-	-
IMTRPEX	Important Purpose of Trip: Have an Exciting Experience	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.7	-	-	-	-
IMTRPSHP	Important Purpose of Trip: Enjoy Shopping or Local Foods	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	52.6	-	-	-	-
IMTRPSTR	Important Purpose of Trip: Relieve of Stress	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	47.1	-	-	-	-
IMTRPNAT	Important Purpose of Trip: Enjoy Nature	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	54.0	-	-	-	-
IMTRPFRE	Important Purpose of Trip: Do as I please	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.0	-	-	-	-
IMTRPREF	Important Purpose of Trip: Reflect on myself	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.3	-	-	-	-
IMTRPOTH	Important Purpose of Trip: Others	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	-	-	-	-
IMTRPNON	Important Purpose of Trip: None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.4	-	-	-	-
IMTRPHSP	Important Purpose of Trip: Enjoy Hotspring	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-

*IMTRPHSP (hot spring) was added based on the content of "10 Others."

1054-1071. How often do you take part in the following activities?

1054. FQ4SHOGI Frequency of Playing Shogi

Shogi (Japanese chess)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	0.7	1.0	0.9	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	5.1	4.3	3.1	4.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	20.0	20.3	13.9	13.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all/Don't know about the activity	73.5	73.5	81.2	81.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.7	0.9	0.9	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	2893	2790	2953	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1055. FQ4IGO Frequency of Playing Go

Go

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	0.8	0.6	1.2	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	1.9	2.4	1.6	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	10.2	10.6	9.1	8.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all/Don't know about the activity	86.5	85.5	87.4	88.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.6	0.9	0.7	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	2893	2790	2953	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1056. FQ4SHGIG Frequency of Playing Shogi/Go

Shogi and/or Go

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	-	-	-	-	1.5	1.2	1.3	-	0.8	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	-	-	3.1	3.4	2.9	-	3.2	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	-	-	-	10.3	8.2	9.6	-	10.0	-	-	-
4	Not at all/Don't know about the activity	-	-	-	-	83.0	85.8	85.3	-	84.6	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	2.1	1.4	0.9	-	1.4	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	2023	2124	4220	-	2332	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1057. FQ4MAJON Frequency of Playing Mahjong

Mahjong

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	1.0	0.8	0.8	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	6.0	5.6	4.1	5.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	15.7	15.4	11.9	10.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all/Don't know about the activity	76.3	77.1	82.5	82.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	1.0	1.1	0.8	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	2893	2790	2953	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1058. FQ4NBS Frequency of Buying Numbers/Mini-lotto*

"Numbers", "Mini-Lotto", and/ or "Lote6"

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	1.1	2.0	2.0	1.8	-	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	6.3	7.1	4.7	6.7	-	-	-	8.3	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	10.6	10.3	9.4	9.9	-	-	-	9.8	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all/Don't know about the activity	80.4	78.8	83.0	80.7	-	-	-	78.5	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	1.6	1.8	0.8	0.9	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-
	n	2893	2790	2953	1957	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

* The wording for this question differs depending on the survey year.

2010 Wording for the question changed: "Numbers" and or "Mini-Lotto" → "Numbers", "Mini-Lotto" and/or "Lote6"

1059. FQ4LOTTO Frequency of Buying Lottery

Lottery

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	3.1	3.3	-	2.9	4.6	3.8	4.2	2.5	3.9	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	27.0	28.2	-	25.9	24.0	24.6	22.4	25.2	24.2	-	-	-
3	Rarely	22.6	21.8	-	23.4	19.6	20.5	22.1	22.1	20.5	-	-	-
4	Not at all/Don't know about the activity	46.4	45.6	-	47.4	50.3	50.5	50.6	49.5	50.3	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.9	1.1	-	0.4	1.4	0.7	0.7	0.7	1.1	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	-	1957	2023	2124	4220	2496	2332	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

1060. FQ4TOTO Frequency of Buying Soccer Lottery

Soccer Lottery (toto)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	-	0.8	-	0.5	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	2.2	-	1.8	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	7.5	-	6.8	-	-	-	4.5	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all/Don't know about the activity	-	88.4	-	90.2	-	-	-	91.9	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	1.2	-	0.7	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-
n		-	2790	-	1957	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

1061. FQ4HORSE Frequency of Enjoying Horse Racing

Horse racing

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	1.5	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	5.4	5.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	11.9	10.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all/Don't know about the activity	80.0	81.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	1.2	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1062. FQ4PGAM Frequency of Enjoying Government-controlled Gambling

Government-controlled gambling (horseracing bicycle races, motorboat races, etc.)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	-	-	-	1.4	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	-	4.9	-	-	-	2.9	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	-	-	7.8	-	-	-	4.4	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all/Don't know about the activity	-	-	-	85.6	-	-	-	90.6	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	1957	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

1063. FQ4PACHI Frequency of Playing Pachinko

Pachinko and/or Pachislo

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	4.6	3.9	-	3.6	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.1	3.2	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	10.5	10.0	-	9.8	7.8	8.5	8.2	7.9	7.6	-	-	-
3	Rarely	12.9	11.9	-	8.6	7.3	6.9	7.1	6.0	7.5	-	-	-
4	Not at all/Don't know about the activity	70.1	72.4	-	77.8	80.9	81.2	81.4	83.1	81.0	-	-	-
9	No answer	1.8	1.8	-	0.2	1.2	0.6	0.6	0.8	0.7	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	-	1957	2023	2124	4220	2496	2332	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

1064. FQ4KARA Frequency of Enjoying Karaoke

Karaoke

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	4.8	4.5	3.0	3.5	2.8	2.3	2.0	-	2.7	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	30.6	25.4	21.4	22.4	16.2	15.4	14.1	-	14.7	-	-	-
3	Rarely	26.9	26.4	37.7	35.9	34.9	34.8	34.5	-	36.2	-	-	-
4	Not at all/Don't know about the activity	36.5	42.4	36.9	38.0	44.5	46.5	48.6	-	45.5	-	-	-
9	No answer	1.2	1.3	0.8	0.2	1.5	1.0	0.8	-	1.0	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	4220	-	2332	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

1065. FQ4FISH Frequency of Playing Fishing

Fishing

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	4.0	3.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	10.8	9.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	17.3	16.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all/Don't know about the activity	67.0	69.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	1.0	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1066. FQ4JOG Frequency of Playing Sports

Sports activities (e.g., jogging, tennis)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	10.7	10.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	24.4	21.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	22.2	21.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all/Don't know about the activity	42.1	45.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.6	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1067. FQ4DRIVE Frequency of Enjoying Driving

Driving for fun

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	-	-	12.8	14.3	10.4	11.1	11.7	-	11.9	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	36.0	34.6	32.2	34.5	32.5	-	30.7	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	-	32.2	30.3	34.6	32.7	33.2	-	33.5	-	-	-
4	Not at all/Don't know about the activity	-	-	18.2	20.6	21.3	20.9	21.9	-	22.6	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	0.9	0.3	1.5	0.9	0.6	-	1.3	-	-	-
n		-	-	2953	1957	2023	2124	4220	-	2332	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1068. FQ4MOVIE Frequency of Watching Movies*

Watching movies (including home videos, DVD, online, etc.)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	-	-	11.1	12.5	9.8	10.6	12.0	-	14.5	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	37.0	38.4	35.0	37.4	36.6	-	35.1	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	-	28.9	26.6	26.9	26.4	26.5	-	25.7	-	-	-
4	Not at all/Don't know about the activity	-	-	22.0	22.0	26.5	24.6	24.1	-	23.5	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	1.0	0.5	1.7	1.0	0.8	-	1.2	-	-	-
n		-	-	2953	1957	2023	2124	4220	-	2332	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

*The wording for this question differ depending on the survey year.

2012 The wording for the choice changed: "Watching movies (including home videos)" → "Watching movies (including home videos, DVD, online, etc.)"

1069. FQ4MUSIC Frequency of Listening Music

Listening to music (CD, radio, concert, etc.)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	-	-	18.8	19.6	20.3	18.9	21.7	-	21.8	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	32.8	35.9	30.3	33.4	31.6	-	32.3	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	-	25.0	22.2	21.3	22.1	22.2	-	21.3	-	-	-
4	Not at all/Don't know about the activity	-	-	22.2	21.4	26.5	24.5	23.5	-	22.7	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	1.1	0.9	1.7	1.1	0.9	-	1.8	-	-	-
n		-	-	2953	1957	2023	2124	4220	-	2332	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1070. FQ4GAME Frequency of Playing Video Games

Video games (including PC games and portable games)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	-	-	4.4	5.1	5.0	5.9	7.7	7.7	8.7	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	9.3	11.5	9.6	11.8	11.1	10.8	12.9	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	-	19.4	18.4	15.6	16.3	16.4	13.3	15.4	-	-	-
4	Not at all/Don't know about the activity	-	-	65.5	64.3	67.0	64.7	63.3	67.5	60.2	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	1.4	0.7	2.8	1.2	1.4	0.8	2.7	-	-	-
n		-	-	2953	1957	2023	2124	4220	2496	2332	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1071. FQ4GREEN Frequency of Enjoying Gardening

Gardening

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	-	-	21.6	21.6	19.8	18.5	17.8	-	15.0	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	29.7	28.6	27.1	28.2	27.6	-	27.1	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	-	19.5	20.7	18.5	16.9	18.1	-	18.6	-	-	-
4	Not at all/Don't know about the activity	-	-	28.2	28.6	33.2	35.5	36.1	-	38.0	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	1.0	0.5	1.5	0.9	0.5	-	1.3	-	-	-
	n	-	-	2953	1957	2023	2124	4220	-	2332	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

1072. OPCASINO Value on Legalization of Casino

Currently, national diet and some local governments are discussing the legalization of casinos. Do you agree or disagree with such legalization? Choose the description that best represents your feeling.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I don't agree to legalizing casinos in Japan.	-	-	17.3	23.1	-	-	23.6	-	24.5	31.1	-	-
2	I agree to legalizing casinos, if they are limited to certain areas.	-	-	25.3	23.7	-	-	24.8	-	28.9	32.4	-	-
3	I agree to legalizing casinos in Japan.	-	-	7.0	6.6	-	-	5.3	-	6.4	3.2	-	-
4	I cannot decide on either position.	-	-	16.3	16.5	-	-	18.0	-	15.3	14.5	-	-
5	I don't know much about casinos.	-	-	32.9	29.9	-	-	27.7	-	23.2	17.9	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	1.2	0.2	-	-	0.6	-	1.7	0.9	-	-
	n	-	-	2953	1957	-	-	2160	-	2332	2079	-	-

8 Not applicable

1073. WLCASINO Hope to go to Casino in Japan

If a casino is started in Japan, will you go?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Would like to go	-	-	18.2	17.3	-	-	16.4	-	-	-	-	-
2	Don't want to go	-	-	55.0	58.9	-	-	59.8	-	-	-	-	-
3	Don't know	-	-	26.2	23.8	-	-	23.7	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	0.6	0.1	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	2953	1957	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

1074. FQLOT Frequency of Buying Lottery (Times/Year)

How many times did you take part in the following in the past year?

Lottery (regular) (excluding "Numbers" and/or "Mini-Lotto")

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I did not buy any.	-	-	61.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	1 - 2 times	-	-	23.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	3 - 5 times	-	-	10.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	6 - 10 times	-	-	1.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	11 - 20 times	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	21 times or more	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1074. FQLOT Following question was asked to respondents who answered "2. 1-2 times", "3. 3-5 times" "4. 6-10 times" or "6. 21 times or more."

1075. SZLOT Average Cost Spent on Lottery

How much did you spend each time on average?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	Less than 1,000 yen	-	-	1.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1,000 - 5,000 yen	-	-	50.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	5,000 - 10,000 yen	-	-	17.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	10,000 - 20,000 yen	-	-	16.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	20,000 - 30,000 yen	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	30,000 - 40,000 yen	-	-	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	40,000 - 50,000 yen	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	50,000 - 60,000 yen	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	60,000 - 70,000 yen	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	70,000 - 80,000 yen	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9999999	No answer	-	-	10.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	1117	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

8888888 Not applicable

1076. FQTOTO Frequency of Buying Soccer Lottery (Times/Year)

How many times did you take part in the following in the past year?

Soccer Lottery ("toto")

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I did not buy any.	-	-	96.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	1 - 2 times	-	-	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	3 - 5 times	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	6 - 10 times	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	11 - 20 times	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	21 times or more	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1076. FQTOTO Following question was asked to respondents who answered "2. 1-2 times" "3. 3-5 times" "4. 6-10 times" "5. 11-20 times" or "6. 21 times or more."

1077. SZTOTO Average Cost Spent on Soccer Lottery

How much did you spend each time on average?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	Less than 1,000 yen	-	-	39.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1,000 - 5,000 yen	-	-	41.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	5,000 - 10,000 yen	-	-	3.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	10,000 - 20,000 yen	-	-	2.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	20,000 - 30,000 yen	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	30,000 yen or more	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9999999	No answer	-	-	12.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	89	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8888888	Not applicable												

1078. FQRACE Frequency of Betting on Publicly Run Gambling (Times/Year)

If you bet on more than one race in a day, please count it as one.

Government-controlled gambling (horse racing, bicycle races, motorboat races, etc.)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I did not bet	-	-	91.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	90.4	-	-
2	1 - 2 times	-	-	2.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.2	-	-
3	3 - 5 times	-	-	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	-	-
4	6 - 10 times	-	-	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-
5	11 - 20 times	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-
6	21 times or more	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	-	-
n		-	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

1078. FQRACE Following question was asked to respondents who answered "2. 1-2 times" "3. 3-5 times" "4. 6-10 times" "5. 11-20 times" or "6. 21 times or more."

1079. NUMRACE Average Number of Races Betted per Day

On average, how many races did you bet on in a day?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1 - 2 races	-	-	51.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	3 - 5 races	-	-	24.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	6 races or more	-	-	16.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	6.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	237	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1080. SZRACE Average Cost Spent on one Race

On average, how much did you bet on each race?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	Less than 1,000 yen	-	-	11.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1,000 - 5,000 yen	-	-	48.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	5,000 - 10,000 yen	-	-	21.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	10,000 - 20,000 yen	-	-	7.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	20,000 - 30,000 yen	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	30,000 - 40,000 yen	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	40,000 - 50,000 yen	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	50,000 yen and more	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9999999	No answer	-	-	9.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	237	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8888888	Not applicable												

1081. FQPACHI Frequency of Playing Pachinko (Times/Year)

How many times did you take part in the following in the past year?

Pachinko and/or pachislo

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I did not play at all	-	-	83.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	85.9	-	-
2	Several times a year	-	-	6.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.4	-	-
3	Once a month	-	-	3.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	-	-
4	Once a week	-	-	4.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.6	-	-
5	2 - 3 times or more in a week	-	-	1.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-
	n	-	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "2. Several times a year", "3. Once a month", "4. Once a week" or "5. 2-3 times or more in a week" in 1081. FQPACHI.

1082. SZPACHI Maximum Cost Spent on Pachinko

On average, how much was the maximum budget to spend in a day?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	Less than 1,000 yen	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1,000 - 5,000 yen	-	-	12.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	5,000 - 10,000 yen	-	-	18.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	10,000 - 20,000 yen	-	-	37.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	20,000 - 30,000 yen	-	-	14.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	30,000 - 40,000 yen	-	-	9.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	40,000 - 50,000 yen	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	50,000 - 100,000 yen	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	100,000 yen and more	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9999999	No answer	-	-	4.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	476	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8888888	Not applicable												

1083. FQSPORT Frequency of Regularly Practiced Sports

Do you regularly do any exercises or play any sports (walking, swimming, baseball, etc.)?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	More than several times a week	-	-	16.6	18.3	19.0	19.4	21.9	23.8	23.2	22.9	22.3	24.7
2	About once a week	-	-	11.0	11.9	13.3	16.2	15.4	15.0	14.9	15.7	15.6	15.3
3	About once a month	-	-	5.3	5.2	5.9	6.2	6.3	6.3	6.1	6.9	7.0	5.4
4	Several times a year	-	-	5.8	5.7	5.9	6.6	7.2	6.5	7.3	7.3	7.8	8.1
5	Scarcely any exercise	-	-	60.4	58.5	55.6	50.9	48.4	48.0	47.9	46.9	47.0	46.0
9	No answer	-	-	0.9	0.4	0.3	0.7	0.7	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.4
	n	-	-	2953	1957	2023	2124	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. More than several times a week" "2. About once a week" "3. About once a month" "4. Several times a year" in 1083. FQSPORT.

1084. XXSPORT Type of Regularly Practiced Sports

What kind of sports do you play?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
2	Ice skating	-	-	0.0	0.1	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Ice hockey	-	-	0.2	0.1	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Walking	-	-	1.7	2.1	1.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Indiaca	-	-	0.2	0.2	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	Fitness Walking	-	-	30.6	33.0	36.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	Aerobics	-	-	1.9	1.6	2.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
13	Japanese dance	-	-	0.0	0.2	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14	Aikido	-	-	0.3	0.0	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
100	Combative sport	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
103	Karate	-	-	0.2	0.1	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
105	Japanese archery	-	-	0.1	0.1	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
108	Gate ball	-	-	0.8	1.0	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
109	Kendo	-	-	0.0	0.2	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
110	Golf	-	-	7.0	8.4	6.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
111	Ground golf	-	-	0.9	1.6	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
112	Other types of golf	-	-	1.5	1.0	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
113	Weight training	-	-	1.5	0.9	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
200	Surfing	-	-	0.3	0.1	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
201	Cycling	-	-	0.2	1.0	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
202	Soccer	-	-	2.0	1.7	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

203	Strolling	-	-	3.2	1.7	3.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
205	Bicycle riding	-	-	0.3	0.9	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
206	Ballroom dance	-	-	0.3	0.2	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
207	Jazz dance	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
208	Judo	-	-	0.0	0.2	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
211	Jogging	-	-	2.7	2.5	2.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
212	Swimming	-	-	8.1	7.5	6.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
213	Skiing	-	-	1.1	0.2	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
214	Skateboarding	-	-	0.1	0.2	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
215	Snowboarding	-	-	0.2	0.0	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
218	Soft tennis	-	-	0.3	0.2	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
219	Soft volleyball	-	-	0.4	0.5	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
220	Soft ball	-	-	2.0	1.2	1.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
221	Gym or sports club	-	-	1.1	1.2	2.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
222	Water walking	-	-	0.4	0.2	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
300	Tai Chi Chuan	-	-	0.5	0.5	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
301	Gymnastics	-	-	3.2	3.2	3.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
302	Diving	-	-	0.2	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
303	Table tennis	-	-	1.2	1.5	1.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
304	Dance	-	-	1.1	0.5	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
305	Car or motorcycle tour	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
306	Angling	-	-	0.3	0.4	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
307	Tennis	-	-	3.1	3.1	2.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
308	Mountain climbing	-	-	1.6	1.4	1.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
500	Bike riding	-	-	0.1	0.1	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
501	Basketball	-	-	1.3	1.1	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
502	Badminton	-	-	1.6	1.2	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
504	Volleyball	-	-	2.6	3.0	2.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
505	Beach volleyball	-	-	0.3	0.2	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
507	Fishing	-	-	0.0	0.1	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
508	Pool exercise	-	-	0.0	0.2	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
510	Martial arts	-	-	0.2	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
511	Artistic dancing	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
513	Bowling	-	-	0.8	1.1	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
514	Boat riding	-	-	0.0	0.1	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
515	Boxing	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
517	Body boarding	-	-	0.0	0.1	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
519	Marathon	-	-	0.3	0.5	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
520	Mini volleyball	-	-	0.5	0.1	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
521	Folk dance	-	-	0.3	0.2	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
522	Hiking	-	-	0.3	1.0	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
523	Futsal	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
600	Baseball	-	-	3.6	3.0	2.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
601	Tramping	-	-	0.3	0.7	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
603	Yoga	-	-	0.7	0.2	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
605	Rugby	-	-	0.1	0.1	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
607	Running	-	-	0.7	0.5	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
608	Track and field	-	-	0.0	0.1	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
700	Other	-	-	1.3	1.7	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
999	No answer	-	-	4.0	3.1	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	1152	809	893	-	-	-	-	-	-
888	Not applicable											

1085. OP5HLTHZ Health Condition

How would you rate your health condition?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018	
1	1, Good	22.8	22.2	22.4	29.6	26.7	27.5	28.2	31.4	28.5	28.9	29.4	27.8	
2	2	22.5	23.2	24.0	23.2	26.8	25.1	24.7	24.1	26.7	24.6	27.0	27.7	
3	3	32.6	33.0	32.4	28.2	27.5	31.3	32.4	29.2	29.6	32.1	29.2	30.0	
4	4	16.9	16.0	15.9	14.9	13.1	12.9	11.5	11.8	12.7	11.5	10.6	11.1	
5	5, Poor	5.0	5.2	4.8	4.0	5.6	2.9	2.9	3.2	2.4	2.6	2.3	2.4	
9	No answer	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	1.5	1.0	
		n	2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	2124	4220	2507	2332	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable													

1086. OP5HLTHE Health Condition (EASS scale)

How would you rate your health condition?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very good	-	-	-	-	-	15.6	-	-	17.6	-	-	-
2	2	-	-	-	-	-	33.0	-	-	31.2	-	-	-
3	3	-	-	-	-	-	38.6	-	-	37.9	-	-	-
4	4	-	-	-	-	-	10.4	-	-	11.7	-	-	-
5	Very bad	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	1.6	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	0.1	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1087. SS5HLTHZ Spouse Health Condition

How would you rate your spouse's health condition?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1, Good	29.1	30.3	34.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	28.7	27.3	29.2
2	2	28.2	27.3	28.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	28.9	31.5	31.4
3	3	28.1	29.2	24.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.6	29.3	26.3
4	4	9.9	9.2	8.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.5	8.5	9.6
5	5, Poor	4.2	3.3	3.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	2.2	2.2
9	No answer	0.6	0.7	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	1.2	1.3
n		2099	2061	2182	-	-	-	-	-	-	1437	505	1367
8	Not applicable												

1088-1092. Allergy Symptoms on Respondent *

Currently, do you have any of the following symptoms? Choose all that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
HAATOPI	Allergy Symptoms on Respondent: Atopic Dermatitis	-	-	6.0	4.6	4.7	4.8	-	4.1	-	-	-	-
HAKAFUN	Allergy Symptoms on Respondent: Hay Fever	-	-	18.4	18.2	19.3	20.4	-	25.7	-	-	-	-
HAZENSOK	Allergy Symptoms on Respondent: Asthma	-	-	4.8	4.2	3.8	4.6	-	4.5	-	-	-	-
HAFOOD	Allergy Symptoms on Respondent: Food Allergy	-	-	3.7	2.9	3.1	4.1	-	2.9	-	-	-	-
HANONE	Allergy Symptoms on Respondent: None	-	-	71.7	72.3	72.7	70.3	-	66.7	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	2953	1957	2023	2130	-	2496	-	-	-	-

*In the cumulative data 2000-2010, HANOMARK (Nothing marked) having been included in 2000-2003 was recoded as "9 No answer."
2005 The variable for "Nothing marked" was not made out.

1093-1098. Allergy Symptoms on Family Members*

Currently, does anyone in your family living with you have any of the following symptoms? Choose all that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
FAATOPI	Allergy Symptoms on Family Members: Atopic Dermatitis	-	-	13.0	10.1	9.4	10.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
FAKAFUN	Allergy Symptoms on Family Members: Hay Fever	-	-	24.2	22.6	25.0	25.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
FAZENSOK	Allergy Symptoms on Family Members: Asthma	-	-	8.8	7.6	5.8	7.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
FAFOOD	Allergy Symptoms on Family Members: Food Allergy	-	-	4.8	4.0	3.8	4.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
FANONE	Allergy Symptoms on Family Members: None	-	-	48.7	57.5	57.3	54.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
FANOFF	Allergy Symptoms on Family Members: No Family	-	-	12.8	8.1	8.1	8.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	2953	1957	2023	2130	-	-	-	-	-	-

* The wording for the choice in this question differs depending on survey year.

For cumulative data 2000-2010, FANOMARK (Nothing marked) having been included in 2000-2003 was recoded as "9 No answer".

2005 The wording for the choice changed: "I live alone" → "Not living with anyone".
The variable for "Nothing marked" was not made out.

1099. XCARE Family Caregiving Experience

Have you ever looked after any family member who needed nursing care (for one month or longer)?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	No	-	67.3	67.0	-	-	70.6	-	-	-	-	67.1	64.5
2	Currently looking after someone	-	5.1	4.9	-	-	5.8	-	-	-	-	5.9	7.5
3	Have done so in the past	-	27.4	28.0	-	-	23.2	-	-	-	-	25.7	27.5
9	No answer	-	0.2	0.2	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	1.3	0.5
	n	-	2790	2953	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	744	1916

8 Not applicable

1100. SSCARE Spouse Family Caregiving Experience

Has your spouse ever looked after any family member who needed nursing care (for one month or longer)?(Including when you had nursing care from your spouse.)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	No	-	71.7	71.6	-	-	75.2	-	-	-	-	76.0	70.5
2	Currently looking after someone	-	4.3	4.4	-	-	4.7	-	-	-	-	4.8	6.8
3	Have done so in the past	-	22.9	23.2	-	-	19.2	-	-	-	-	17.4	20.6
9	No answer	-	1.2	0.8	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	1.8	2.0
	n	-	2061	2182	-	-	1526	-	-	-	-	505	1367

8 Not applicable

1101. XTRAUM5Y Frequency of Traumatic Events

During the past five years how many traumatic events (such as divorce, unemployment, hospitalization, disabilities, death of someone close to you) have happened to you?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	None	36.7	41.4	39.8	35.8	39.8	39.4	36.4	37.0	36.2	-	-	-
1	Once	28.6	27.7	28.0	29.8	26.7	27.9	28.3	29.2	29.2	-	-	-
2	Twice	18.3	16.7	17.3	17.5	16.9	18.3	19.6	17.4	18.7	-	-	-
3	Three times	9.8	7.6	8.7	9.9	9.1	8.3	8.9	8.6	9.0	-	-	-
4	Four or more times	6.0	6.2	5.7	6.8	7.2	5.7	6.6	7.3	6.5	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.1	0.2	0.5	0.2	0.5	0.4	-	-	-
	n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

1102. DOSMOKE Smoking Habit

Do you smoke?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	31.3	29.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	68.1	69.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.6	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1103. DOSMOKEX Experience of Smoking

Do you smoke?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I am a smoker.	-	-	28.7	25.7	26.4	25.0	24.4	23.6	21.7	19.6	20.6	18.5
2	I used to smoke, but I have stopped smoking.	-	-	17.1	17.9	18.8	19.3	20.4	21.9	22.8	23.0	21.5	23.9
3	I have scarcely/never smoked.	-	-	54.0	56.0	54.7	55.5	55.0	54.4	55.4	57.3	57.3	57.4
9	No answer	-	-	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.7	0.2
n		-	-	2953	1957	2023	2124	2060	5003	2332	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. I am a smoker" in 1103. DOSMOKEX.

1104. XQTSMOKE Try to Quit Smoking

Have you ever tried to give up smoking?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	52.7	49.3	51.2	54.4	52.4	54.1	51.1	51.8	54.3	48.2	52.9	53.4
2	No	46.6	49.5	48.3	45.0	47.0	45.5	47.7	47.7	45.1	51.6	45.8	46.6
9	No answer	0.7	1.2	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.4	1.2	0.5	0.6	0.2	1.3	0.0
n		905	825	847	502	534	532	503	631	505	407	153	354
8	Not applicable												

*Target range is different between 2000-2001 and 2002-2018. Up through 2001, all respondents who have smoked are included (classified under DOSMOKE) but on and after 2002 current quitters of smoking are excluded, and only current smokers are included (classified under DOSMOKEX).

2000 Target range: All respondents who answered "1. Yes" in DOSMOKE (smoking habit)

2002 Target range changed: Only current smokers are included, excluding those who have quit smoking;

1105. DO7DRINK Frequency of Drinking*

How often do you drink alcoholic beverages?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	23.6	22.0	21.9	21.6	21.8	23.7	22.2	21.9	21.5	20.4	20.3	22.8
2	Several times a week	13.8	14.3	12.8	15.0	13.9	12.4	14.0	12.4	14.1	12.9	14.1	12.9
3	About once a week	10.1	10.3	10.0	10.8	10.0	8.3	10.7	10.3	9.9	10.5	8.7	9.9
4	About once a month	9.4	8.7	9.7	8.6	10.9	10.4	9.5	9.3	10.3	9.3	11.0	8.4
5	Several times a year	13.3	12.9	13.4	12.3	12.0	11.5	12.3	13.4	11.6	13.9	13.6	12.7
6	About once a year	4.4	3.3	4.7	4.1	3.7	4.2	3.7	3.9	4.4	3.6	3.0	4.1
7	Never	25.0	28.1	27.3	27.2	27.5	29.2	27.2	28.0	28.0	28.8	28.5	28.2
9	No answer	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.8	0.3	0.5	0.8	0.9
n		2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	2060	2507	2332	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

* In Japanese, the wording for the choice "7" in this question changed from 2006.

1106. FQHSPZLZ Frequency of Going to Hospitals

During the past one year, how frequently did you go to a hospital or a doctor's office (including a dental clinic)? Please answer your own diseases or injuries. Do not include escortings or visitations.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-
2	Several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.6	-	-	-	-	-
3	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.4	-	-	-	-	-
4	About once a month	-	-	-	-	-	-	32.8	-	-	-	-	-
5	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	32.3	-	-	-	-	-
6	About once a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.2	-	-	-	-	-
7	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.0	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	2060	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1107. DORFHSP Refraining from Going to Hospitals

In the past year, did you refrain from going to a hospital or a doctor's office, even though you were ill or injured? Please include a cold and a cavity.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes, I did.	-	-	-	-	-	-	42.5	-	-	-	-	-
2	No, I did not.	-	-	-	-	-	-	48.5	-	-	-	-	-
3	I was neither ill nor injured last year.	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.6	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	2060	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Yes, I did" in 1107. DORFHSP.

1108-1116. Reason for Refraining from Going to Hospitals

Why is it? Please circle all that apply.

- Code
- 0 Not chosen
 - 1 Chosen
 - 8 Not applicable
 - 9 No answer

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
RHPTLNG	Reason for Refraining from Going to Hospitals: Too Long to Go	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.4	-	-	-	-	-
RHPCTM	Reason for Refraining from Going to Hospitals: Cost Too Much	-	-	-	-	-	-	31.8	-	-	-	-	-
RHPNHN	Reason for Refraining from Going to Hospitals: No Hospitals Nearby	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.9	-	-	-	-	-
RHPDKWG	Reason for Refraining from Going to Hospitals: Don't Know Where to Go	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.6	-	-	-	-	-
RHPHNTF	Reason for Refraining from Going to Hospitals: Have No Transportation	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	-
RHPDLSD	Reason for Refraining from Going to Hospitals: Don't Like to See a Doctor	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.3	-	-	-	-	-
RHPNTSD	Reason for Refraining from Going to Hospitals: Have No Time	-	-	-	-	-	-	34.4	-	-	-	-	-
RHPTNNG	Reason for Refraining from Going to Hospitals: Thought That There Is No Need to Go	-	-	-	-	-	-	57.0	-	-	-	-	-
RHPOTHR	Reason for Refraining from Going to Hospitals: Others	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	876	-	-	-	-	-

1117-1120. Health Checkup

Do you receive any of the following health checkups (including comprehensive medical examination) regularly? Choose all that apply.

- Code
- 0 Not chosen
 - 1 Chosen
 - 8 Not applicable
 - 9 No answer

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
HLCWRKSL	Health Checkup at Workplace or School	-	-	-	-	-	-	41.2	-	-	-	-	-
HLCLGV	Health Checkup and Medical Examination Sponcered by Local Government	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.3	-	-	-	-	-
HLCOTHR	Other Forms of Health Checkup Taken Privately	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.7	-	-	-	-	-
HLCNONE	None of the Above	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.0	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	2060	-	-	-	-	-

1121. WRNBLHC Worry about Being Unable to Receive a Health Care When Needed

When it comes to the future of yourself and your family, how much do you worry about being unable to receive a health care when needed?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.0	-	-	-	-	-
2	A little	-	-	-	-	-	-	39.4	-	-	-	-	-
3	Not so much	-	-	-	-	-	-	35.6	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.8	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	2060	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

1122. AXSEMCC Anxiety about the System of Emergency Medical Care in Your Community

Do you feel anxious about the system of emergency medical care in your community?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I feel very anxious.	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.3	-	-	-	-	-
2	I feel somewhat anxious.	-	-	-	-	-	-	27.7	-	-	-	-	-
3	I have mixed feelings.	-	-	-	-	-	-	27.9	-	-	-	-	-
4	I don't feel anxious very much.	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.0	-	-	-	-	-
5	I don't feel anxious at all.	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.0	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	2060	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

1123-1126. Have you ever done or has anyone told you that you have done the following behavior excessively?

1123. ADALC Addiction: Drinking

Drinking

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.7	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	85.5	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5003	-	-	-	-

1124. ADSMOKE Addiction: Smoking

Smoking

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.5	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	84.5	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5003	-	-	-	-

1125. ADGMBL Addiction: Gambling

Gambling

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.8	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	94.1	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5003	-	-	-	-

1126. ADGAME Addiction: Video/Internet Games

Video/Internet games (including cell phone games)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.4	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	93.3	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5003	-	-	-	-

1127. XGMBLLIE Gambling in the Past Year: Lie to Important Persons

Have you ever had to lie to people important to you about how much you gambled in the past year? (Gambling includes pachinko and pachislo)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	94.8	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

1128. XGMBLBET Gambling in the Past Year: Need to Bet More

Have you felt the need to bet more and more money in the past year?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	96.2	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

1129-1132. Is there anyone living together who has done the following behavior excessively?

1129. ADFALC Addiction of Co-residing Family Members: Drinking

Drinking

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.5	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	80.3	-	-	-	-
3	I live alone	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.2	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5003	-	-	-	-

1130. ADFSMOKE Addiction of Co-residing Family Members: Smoking

Smoking

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.6	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	77.1	-	-	-	-
3	I live alone	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.2	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5003	-	-	-	-

1131. ADFGMBL Addiction of Co-residing Family Members: Gambling

Gambling

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.3	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	86.3	-	-	-	-
3	I live alone	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.2	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5003	-	-	-	-

1132. ADFGAME Addiction of Co-residing Family Members: Video/Internet Games

Video/Internet games (including cell phone games)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.2	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	79.3	-	-	-	-
3	I live alone	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.2	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5003	-	-	-	-

1133. OP3UTILS View on Peoples Egoism

Do you think most people would try to take advantage of you if they got a chance?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	26.2	23.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	14.2	14.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Depends	58.7	60.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.9	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1134. OP3TRUST View on Trust in People

Generally speaking, would you say that most people can be trusted?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	21.2	23.2	20.0	21.0	21.0	21.4	19.9	20.0	-	-	-	-
2	No	14.7	14.0	9.6	11.2	11.1	9.2	12.2	10.3	-	-	-	-
3	Depends	63.5	61.6	69.8	67.4	67.2	68.8	67.7	69.3	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.6	1.1	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.2	0.4	-	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	4220	2507	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

1135. OP7GDEVO Estimation of Human Nature

What do you think of human nature? Choose a number from 1 to 7.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1, Human nature is basically evil.	3.1	2.2	2.0	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.4	2.4	2.1	2.5	3.2	2.6
2	2	3.9	3.3	3.2	3.3	3.2	2.9	3.4	3.7	3.5	3.1	4.6	3.5
3	3	9.6	9.8	9.8	8.9	10.3	10.0	9.3	9.9	10.7	11.7	12.6	11.6
4	4	34.0	33.7	34.4	35.1	34.9	34.8	34.5	32.4	35.2	34.5	33.9	34.7
5	5	21.3	20.6	20.9	21.7	22.2	22.9	21.6	23.5	23.4	24.2	24.7	24.5
6	6	16.3	16.7	17.3	17.1	15.9	15.8	16.7	16.2	15.2	16.2	13.3	15.4
7	7, Human nature is basically good.	10.4	11.4	11.3	11.0	9.8	9.5	10.5	10.7	8.1	6.0	5.9	6.9
9	No answer	1.4	2.4	1.1	0.7	1.5	1.9	1.5	1.2	1.9	1.8	1.7	0.8
	n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	4220	2507	4667	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

1136-1150. For questions A through O, how well do you trust them?

1136. TR3CORPZ Trust in Major Companies

Major companies

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much	3.6	3.2	2.7	4.1	4.5	4.4	4.6	6.2	6.6	7.6	5.8	7.6
2	Some	48.1	48.1	47.4	49.6	47.8	53.8	54.0	56.2	55.3	60.4	59.1	59.8
3	Not very much	25.1	22.8	23.8	20.8	24.3	18.8	21.7	16.6	16.6	15.2	16.1	17.3
4	Don't know	22.3	23.7	25.1	24.8	21.6	21.2	18.1	19.6	19.2	15.0	18.1	14.5
9	No answer	0.9	2.1	1.0	0.7	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.4	2.3	1.8	0.8	0.8
	n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	2060	2507	2332	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

1137. TR3RLGPZ Trust in Religious Organizations

Religious organizations

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much	2.5	2.1	3.0	2.8	4.0	3.2	3.1	3.2	2.4	2.0	1.3	1.7
2	Some	10.3	10.9	10.4	13.5	11.3	11.3	10.9	11.4	9.3	10.1	9.9	10.6
3	Not very much	69.3	66.2	63.5	63.1	58.8	61.0	64.2	62.6	65.3	67.6	67.5	67.2
4	Don't know	17.5	19.5	22.5	20.3	24.4	22.9	20.4	21.7	21.4	19.1	20.7	19.8
9	No answer	0.3	1.4	0.7	0.4	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.2	1.6	1.2	0.5	0.7
	n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	2060	2507	2332	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

1138. TR3SCHLZ Trust in Schools

Schools

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much	14.4	14.6	14.5	14.4	12.0	8.3	11.0	15.2	16.4	12.9	11.8	15.0
2	Some	62.1	62.6	63.3	64.6	59.3	65.7	66.7	65.7	62.0	67.1	65.3	65.8
3	Not very much	12.8	10.6	9.3	11.8	14.2	13.1	11.1	8.2	8.7	11.6	12.8	10.9
4	Don't know	10.2	10.7	11.9	8.6	12.8	11.3	10.0	9.6	11.0	7.1	9.5	7.3
9	No answer	0.5	1.5	1.0	0.6	1.8	1.6	1.2	1.4	1.9	1.3	0.5	1.0
	n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	2060	2507	2332	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

1139. TR3BCRAZ Trust in Ministries and Government Agencies

Ministries and government agencies

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much	4.3	3.0	3.9	4.6	3.7	2.4	2.3	3.2	3.6	4.4	5.4	3.8
2	Some	38.8	37.5	40.3	39.1	35.5	38.7	37.3	42.0	40.4	46.5	44.2	45.1
3	Not very much	29.8	31.3	28.1	30.7	34.4	32.8	37.9	29.2	29.8	27.7	25.4	29.3
4	Don't know	26.4	26.5	26.8	25.2	24.3	24.4	20.9	24.1	24.0	19.7	24.2	20.7
9	No answer	0.7	1.6	0.8	0.4	2.2	1.6	1.6	1.5	2.3	1.6	0.8	1.0
	n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	2060	2507	2332	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

1140. TR3UNNZ Trust in Labor Unions

Labor unions

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much	4.1	3.2	2.4	2.6	2.4	2.3	2.8	2.9	2.8	3.6	4.6	3.8
2	Some	36.8	34.8	34.1	32.7	29.8	34.4	37.7	37.9	36.1	46.6	43.5	45.8
3	Not very much	21.9	24.9	23.8	25.0	30.4	26.0	26.9	24.6	24.9	22.1	21.4	22.8
4	Don't know	36.4	35.3	38.5	39.2	34.8	35.5	30.5	33.1	33.8	26.3	29.6	26.8
9	No answer	0.7	1.8	1.1	0.6	2.7	1.9	2.1	1.4	2.4	1.4	0.9	0.9
		n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	2060	2507	2332	2079	1916

8 Not applicable

1141. TR3NWSPZ Trust in Newspapers

Newspapers

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much	24.4	23.0	22.0	22.2	18.3	19.7	18.6	21.7	21.2	16.1	17.6	15.2
2	Some	65.0	65.4	67.0	67.6	67.9	67.6	68.0	66.3	64.3	65.1	66.9	66.5
3	Not very much	4.6	4.0	4.1	4.9	6.5	5.5	6.1	5.9	7.3	11.4	9.7	11.1
4	Don't know	5.7	6.2	6.3	5.0	6.0	5.8	6.1	5.2	6.0	6.1	5.2	6.5
9	No answer	0.4	1.3	0.6	0.4	1.3	1.4	1.3	1.0	1.1	1.3	0.5	0.7
		n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	2060	2507	2332	2079	1916

8 Not applicable

1142. TR3HSPLZ Trust in Hospitals

Hospitals

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much	20.1	23.1	20.0	21.2	23.2	19.3	22.6	26.6	29.6	19.2	23.1	25.9
2	Some	66.0	65.2	66.8	65.9	65.5	69.2	67.4	64.9	61.1	70.1	67.3	64.5
3	Not very much	7.8	5.2	6.5	8.3	4.3	5.0	3.9	3.7	4.2	5.9	5.2	5.1
4	Don't know	5.7	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.2	4.9	4.9	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.6	3.7
9	No answer	0.4	1.5	0.5	0.4	1.7	1.6	1.2	0.9	1.3	1.0	0.7	0.8
		n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	2060	2507	2332	2079	1916

8 Not applicable

1143. TR3TVZ Trust in TV

TV

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much	11.5	12.1	11.6	12.2	11.3	9.1	9.7	10.5	10.2	7.4	7.3	7.7
2	Some	65.4	67.2	67.4	66.8	64.3	67.1	65.3	67.9	64.3	63.6	62.9	61.9
3	Not very much	15.0	12.2	12.2	12.9	15.5	13.2	15.0	14.3	16.9	20.6	21.4	23.1
4	Don't know	7.6	6.9	8.1	7.5	7.4	9.0	8.6	6.0	6.9	7.2	7.9	6.6
9	No answer	0.6	1.6	0.7	0.7	1.5	1.6	1.4	1.2	1.7	1.3	0.5	0.6
		n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	2060	2507	2332	2079	1916

8 Not applicable

1144. TR3SPCAZ Trust in Courts

Courts

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much	19.7	18.2	22.7	20.2	17.0	19.6	18.2	21.1	21.9	18.1	23.8	19.7
2	Some	49.3	51.0	49.3	48.3	51.4	54.1	55.7	57.0	52.2	55.2	52.7	54.1
3	Not very much	7.4	6.8	5.8	6.4	8.1	5.6	6.7	5.1	6.2	8.7	6.0	7.1
4	Don't know	23.1	22.4	21.2	24.2	21.6	19.1	18.2	15.5	18.0	16.7	16.7	18.5
9	No answer	0.5	1.7	1.1	0.9	2.0	1.6	1.3	1.3	1.7	1.3	0.8	0.6
		n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	2060	2507	2332	2079	1916

8 Not applicable

1145. TR3ACDAZ Trust in Scholars

Scholars/Researchers

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018	
1	Very much	15.0	14.3	16.7	14.8	9.4	10.9	16.7	16.4	12.9	9.7	15.9	17.1	
2	Some	49.5	49.9	48.5	48.5	50.0	55.5	53.2	55.0	52.5	56.3	54.7	53.1	
3	Not very much	8.1	8.6	6.4	7.9	12.3	8.2	6.1	7.1	11.9	12.9	8.7	9.6	
4	Don't know	26.9	25.4	27.3	28.1	26.0	23.9	22.5	20.2	20.8	19.7	20.0	19.5	
9	No answer	0.6	1.8	1.1	0.7	2.3	1.6	1.6	1.3	1.8	1.4	0.7	0.7	
		n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	2060	2507	2332	2079	744	1916

8 Not applicable

1146. TR3CGMNZ Trust in Diet Members

Diet members

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018	
1	Very much	1.6	1.8	1.5	1.5	2.1	2.2	1.3	1.4	1.0	1.5	0.9	1.1	
2	Some	27.2	30.0	26.6	27.2	29.2	32.6	28.0	28.8	23.4	24.5	28.5	26.9	
3	Not very much	52.3	47.5	50.3	52.1	46.7	44.5	50.9	52.7	55.3	56.8	52.2	55.3	
4	Don't know	18.7	19.1	21.0	18.7	20.2	19.3	18.6	16.2	18.7	16.1	17.7	16.0	
9	No answer	0.2	1.5	0.6	0.5	1.8	1.4	1.2	1.0	1.6	1.2	0.7	0.6	
		n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	2060	2507	2332	2079	744	1916

8 Not applicable

1147. TR3CITYZ Trust in Members of Municipal Councils

Members of municipal councils

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018	
1	Very much	3.1	2.8	2.5	2.9	3.3	2.6	1.9	2.6	2.4	2.0	2.4	2.1	
2	Some	37.4	37.8	33.9	36.9	33.7	36.1	35.0	37.1	34.9	31.4	34.1	34.4	
3	Not very much	41.1	38.7	42.0	41.4	41.3	40.6	43.0	42.5	41.9	49.1	45.2	46.4	
4	Don't know	17.9	19.1	20.9	18.0	20.0	19.0	18.9	16.6	19.2	16.4	17.5	16.1	
9	No answer	0.4	1.6	0.6	0.7	1.7	1.7	1.2	1.2	1.7	1.2	0.8	1.0	
		n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	2060	2507	2332	2079	744	1916

8 Not applicable

1148. TR3DEFZ Trust in Self-Defense Forces

The Self-Defense Forces

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018	
1	Very much	11.9	11.0	9.2	12.6	10.7	12.4	9.3	13.9	29.5	20.8	24.2	25.0	
2	Some	49.7	47.8	44.1	43.2	47.8	52.1	49.3	54.4	49.2	54.3	50.7	54.5	
3	Not very much	15.0	15.4	17.7	15.9	17.8	13.9	18.7	12.2	6.9	10.0	9.9	6.6	
4	Don't know	22.9	24.2	28.2	27.5	21.7	20.0	21.3	18.3	12.7	13.7	14.7	13.0	
9	No answer	0.4	1.5	0.8	0.7	2.1	1.6	1.4	1.2	1.6	1.2	0.5	0.9	
		n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	2060	2507	2332	2079	744	1916

8 Not applicable

1149. TR3COPZ Trust in Police

The police

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018	
1	Very much	11.5	14.0	11.8	14.2	13.6	12.9	13.6	16.5	19.8	14.5	17.9	19.7	
2	Some	55.8	56.6	56.0	56.1	57.0	60.2	59.2	59.1	56.5	59.6	55.2	60.3	
3	Not very much	20.7	17.1	17.5	18.2	16.0	14.9	15.0	14.1	12.9	16.1	16.4	11.5	
4	Don't know	11.7	11.0	13.9	11.0	11.8	10.5	11.2	9.3	9.4	8.9	9.8	7.8	
9	No answer	0.3	1.4	0.8	0.5	1.6	1.5	1.0	0.9	1.4	0.9	0.7	0.6	
		n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	2060	2507	2332	2079	744	1916

8 Not applicable

1150. TR3FINZ Trust in Financial Institutions

Financial institutions

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018	
1	Very much	6.7	6.8	6.3	8.1	6.8	7.3	9.2	11.6	13.9	13.2	12.6	14.5	
2	Some	50.1	46.8	44.2	45.8	49.3	52.5	53.0	58.2	56.1	59.5	57.8	60.1	
3	Not very much	25.9	27.5	27.4	28.5	25.7	22.6	20.4	15.7	15.3	14.6	15.9	13.6	
4	Don't know	16.9	17.4	21.4	17.2	16.5	16.2	16.2	13.4	13.3	11.6	13.0	11.2	
9	No answer	0.4	1.5	0.6	0.4	1.8	1.4	1.2	1.1	1.4	1.1	0.7	0.7	
		n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	2060	2507	2332	2079	744	1916

8 Not applicable

1151. ACPTFRND Social Acceptance: People are Friendly

People around me are generally friendly to me.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.0	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	66.7	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.9	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2332	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

1152. ACPTLEFT Social Acceptance: Feel Left Out

Sometimes I feel left out from other people.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.3	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	49.8	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	38.0	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2332	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

1153. ACPTRGHT Social Acceptance: Rights are Respected

I feel my rights are respected in the society.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.3	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	49.9	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31.5	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.8	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2332	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

1154. ACPTCONT Social Acceptance: Recognized as Contributing to the Society

I am recognized as a person who contributes to the society.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	39.5	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	39.8	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.8	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2332	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

1155-1164. Are you a member of the following organizations?

1155. MEMPLTGP Membership of Political Associations

Political associations

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	
1	Yes	4.0	4.1	5.4	4.2	3.2	5.1	3.9	2.8	3.3	2.7	1.7	2.3	
2	No	95.2	94.7	93.3	94.3	94.6	93.3	94.7	96.2	94.8	96.3	97.3	97.3	
9	No answer	0.8	1.2	1.3	1.5	2.2	1.6	1.4	1.0	1.9	0.9	0.9	0.4	
		n	2893	2790	2953	1706	2023	2124	4220	5003	2332	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable													

1156. MEMIND Membership of Trade Associations

Trade associations

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	
1	Yes	8.3	7.8	9.7	8.9	9.0	10.2	9.1	7.6	8.2	6.5	6.7	5.7	
2	No	90.8	90.8	88.7	89.2	89.0	87.9	89.4	91.4	89.8	92.5	92.3	94.1	
9	No answer	0.9	1.5	1.6	1.9	2.0	1.9	1.5	1.0	2.1	1.0	0.9	0.3	
		n	2893	2790	2953	1706	2023	2124	4220	5003	2332	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable													

1157. MEMVLNTR Membership of Social Service Groups

Social service groups

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	
1	Yes	7.8	8.2	8.5	8.2	5.8	8.7	9.3	8.4	8.6	8.5	8.5	8.2	
2	No	91.4	90.2	90.0	89.9	92.1	89.6	89.2	90.6	89.5	90.5	90.6	91.3	
9	No answer	0.8	1.6	1.5	1.9	2.1	1.7	1.5	1.0	1.9	1.1	0.9	0.5	
		n	2893	2790	2953	1706	2023	2124	4220	5003	2332	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable													

1158. MEMCIVIL Membership of Citizens Movement

Citizens' movement/Consumers' cooperative groups

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	
1	Yes	2.8	2.6	3.4	3.0	2.0	3.0	2.3	2.2	2.5	1.7	1.9	1.3	
2	No	96.2	95.9	95.0	94.8	95.7	95.2	96.0	96.7	95.4	97.0	96.9	98.3	
9	No answer	1.0	1.5	1.6	2.2	2.4	1.8	1.7	1.1	2.1	1.3	1.2	0.4	
		n	2893	2790	2953	1706	2023	2124	4220	5003	2332	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable													

1159. MEMRL Membership of Religious Groups

Religious groups

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	
1	Yes	6.8	7.1	8.1	8.4	8.1	8.2	8.2	7.2	6.9	6.8	4.6	6.0	
2	No	92.5	91.4	90.3	90.3	89.6	89.7	90.4	91.8	91.3	92.2	94.5	93.5	
9	No answer	0.8	1.5	1.6	1.3	2.4	2.0	1.4	1.0	1.7	1.0	0.9	0.5	
		n	2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	2124	4220	5003	2332	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable													

1160. MEMSPORT Membership of Sports Groups

Sports groups and clubs

<u>Code</u>		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	
1	Yes	15.8	14.5	18.1	17.6	15.3	19.3	18.8	18.9	19.0	17.3	16.4	16.0	
2	No	83.5	84.2	80.3	80.6	82.5	79.1	79.7	79.9	79.2	81.6	82.4	83.5	
9	No answer	0.7	1.4	1.6	1.8	2.2	1.6	1.5	1.2	1.8	1.2	1.2	0.5	
		n	2893	2790	2953	1706	2023	2124	4220	5003	2332	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable													

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Yes" in 1160. MEMSPORT.

1161. XXMEMSP Membership of Sports Groups: Specify Sports Group

Please specify ()

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
7	Walking	0.4	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Indiaca	0.4	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	Aerobics	0.0	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
13	Japanese dance	0.0	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
101	Canoeing	0.2	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
103	Karate	0.0	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
105	Japanese archery	0.2	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
108	Gate ball	3.7	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
109	Kendo	0.0	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
110	Golf	7.9	11.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
111	Ground golf	0.0	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
112	Other types of golf	0.0	1.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
200	Surfing	1.3	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
202	Soccer	1.5	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
206	Ballroom dance	0.0	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
207	Jazz dance	0.0	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
208	Judo	0.0	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
212	Swimming	5.7	3.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
213	Skiing	1.5	2.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
218	Soft tennis	0.0	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
219	Soft volleyball	0.0	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
220	Soft ball	0.0	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
300	Tai Chi Chuan	0.0	1.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
301	Gymnastics	4.2	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
302	Diving	0.7	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
303	Table tennis	0.9	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
304	Dance	2.4	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
305	Car or motorcycle tour	0.0	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
306	Angling	0.0	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
307	Tennis	6.8	6.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
308	Mountain climbing	0.7	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
309	Triathlon	0.0	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
500	Bike riding	0.4	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
501	Basketball	0.4	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
502	Badminton	2.0	2.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
504	Volleyball	7.9	5.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
505	Beach volleyball	0.0	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
510	Martial arts	1.3	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
513	Bowling	0.9	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
515	Boxing	0.0	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
516	Hockey	0.0	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
519	Marathon	1.1	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
600	Baseball	9.4	5.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
601	Tramping	0.0	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
603	Yoga	0.7	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
605	Rugby	0.2	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
608	Track and field	0.2	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
700	Other	14.9	13.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
999	No answer	21.9	17.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	456	404	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
888	Not applicable												

1162. MEMHOBBY Membership of Hobby Groups*

Hobby groups or clubs (chorus, photography, mountain hiking, etc.)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018	
1	Yes	12.7	12.9	16.2	18.0	15.0	16.7	16.6	15.6	15.7	15.2	14.5	13.6	
2	No	82.6	79.7	82.6	80.9	84.3	81.9	81.9	83.4	82.4	83.5	84.5	86.0	
9	No answer	4.7	7.4	1.2	1.2	0.7	1.5	1.4	1.0	1.9	1.3	0.9	0.4	
		n	2893	2790	2953	3663	2023	2124	4220	5003	2332	2079	744	1916

8 Not applicable

*Question format differs depending on the survey year. Up through 2005, it had been a separate question, but after 2006, the question was asked as one of the "Membership" questions.

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Yes" in 1162. MEMHOBBY.

1163. XXMEMHOB Membership of Hobby Groups: Specify Hobby Group*

Please specify ()

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Hiking, mountain climbing	8.7	6.7	5.2	5.8	6.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Walking	1.6	2.5	2.1	2.3	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Nature	1.1	0.8	0.6	0.3	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Travel	1.9	1.4	0.8	1.2	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Gardening	0.8	0.8	1.7	1.7	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Flower arrangement	5.2	3.1	2.9	2.9	3.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Tea ceremony	1.4	2.5	2.3	2.0	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Poetry	5.7	6.4	2.9	2.6	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	Singing, chorus	5.4	9.5	6.9	4.3	8.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	Traditional folk songs, noh play songs	3.0	1.7	2.5	1.4	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	Karaoke	4.1	3.1	2.5	5.2	5.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
12	Music, musical instruments	5.2	7.0	4.8	5.0	7.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
13	Dance	4.9	4.5	4.8	5.0	6.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14	Drama, theater	1.1	1.7	0.4	0.6	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15	English conversation and related activities	1.1	0.8	0.8	0.6	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
16	Novel and other writing	0.3	0.3	0.0	0.8	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
17	Education, child rearing	0.8	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
18	Association	3.5	0.6	3.3	1.5	3.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
19	Handicraft, arts and crafts	5.4	7.8	7.1	7.0	6.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20	Painting	4.6	5.3	4.2	4.0	7.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
21	Photography	3.3	3.6	2.1	2.4	3.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
22	Antiques	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
23	Fishing	2.7	2.5	2.5	1.7	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
24	Golf	1.9	2.2	2.5	5.2	2.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25	Bowling	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
26	Tennis	0.5	0.0	0.8	2.0	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
27	Volleyball	0.3	0.3	0.0	2.1	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
28	Gymnastics	0.3	1.1	1.0	0.8	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
29	Animals	-	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
30	Amateur radio operation	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
31	Computers	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
32	Games	2.4	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
33	Calligraphy, penmanship	3.8	3.9	3.8	2.3	4.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
34	Environmental group	-	0.3	0.0	0.6	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
35	Recreational sports	0.5	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
37	Other foreign language-related activities	-	-	0.4	0.3	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
38	Cooking and related activities	-	-	1.7	2.0	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
39	Sign language	-	-	-	0.5	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
40	Swimming	-	-	-	1.2	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
41	Tai Chi Chuan	-	-	-	0.6	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
42	Table tennis	-	-	-	0.5	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
43	Baseball	-	-	-	1.1	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
44	Marathon/Jogging	-	-	-	0.6	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
45	Yoga	-	-	-	0.8	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
46	Cooperative Society	-	-	-	0.5	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
47	Gate ball	-	-	-	1.1	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
48	Aerobics	-	-	-	0.5	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
70	Other cultural activities	5.7	6.7	2.1	1.8	3.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
71	Other sporting activities	2.4	2.8	5.8	4.6	3.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
72	Others (unknown details)	-	0.0	0.4	3.0	3.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	9.8	7.2	17.3	7.1	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	368	359	479	658	303	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

88 Not applicable

*New codes are added as the survey years progress.

1164. MEMCOOP Membership of Cooperative Society

Cooperative society (co-op)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	20.6	-	-	19.3	18.0	18.2	19.4	20.0	18.2
2	No	-	-	-	78.5	-	-	79.1	81.1	80.0	79.7	79.0	81.4
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	1.6	0.9	1.8	0.9	0.9	0.5
		n	-	-	1957	-	-	4220	5003	2332	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

1165. MEMNBAS Household Affiliation to Neighborhood Association/Self-governing body

Does your household belong to a neighborhood association and/or self-governing body?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	85.2	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.5	-	-	-	-
3	Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.9	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2507	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1166. FQNBAS Frequency of Activities at Neighborhood Association/Self-governing body

How often do you participate in activities associated with the neighborhood association and/or self-governing body?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost every week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	1.5	-	-	-
2	A couple of times per month	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.9	5.3	-	-	-
3	Once a month	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.5	7.8	-	-	-
4	Several times per year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35.5	30.3	-	-	-
5	Once a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.6	16.9	-	-	-
6	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34.3	37.7	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	0.5	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2507	2332	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1167. XVLREG Experience of Regular Volunteer Activity

Have you regularly participated in volunteer activities in the past year?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	8.7	-	12.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	90.9	-	86.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	0.3	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	2953	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Yes" in 1167. XVLREG.

1168. SZVLREG Time of Regular Volunteer Activity (Hours/Month)

On average, how much time did you participate in volunteer activities in a month?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	0-4 Hours	-	-	52.3	-	61.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	5-9 Hours	-	-	17.4	-	11.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	10-19 Hours	-	-	14.0	-	8.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	20-49 Hours	-	-	10.5	-	7.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	50 Hours and more	-	-	3.1	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9999	No answer	-	-	2.7	-	9.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	258	-	257	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8888	Not applicable												

1169. XVLIRREG Experience of Irregular Volunteer Activity

Have you irregularly participated in volunteer activities in the past year (including assistance during accidents or disasters)?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	10.2	-	15.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	89.1	-	83.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	0.6	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	2953	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Yes" in 1169. XVLIRREG.

1170. SZVLIRRG Time of Irregular Volunteer Activity (Hours/Month)

How many days did you participate in volunteer activities in total over the past year? (Count it as a day, even if you spent 30 minutes a day.)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	1- 4 Days	-	-	41.1	-	47.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	5-9 Days	-	-	23.8	-	17.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	10 -19 Days	-	-	18.9	-	17.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	20- 29 Days	-	-	6.6	-	6.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	30 Days and more	-	-	6.3	-	7.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9999	No answer	-	-	3.3	-	4.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	302	-	315	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8888	Not applicable												

1171-1182. Support for Volunteer *

Have you ever given the following assistance to any organizations or groups conducting volunteer activities? Choose all activities that you took part in over the past year.

- Code
 0 Not chosen
 1 Chosen
 9 No answer

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
XVLDONAT	Support for Volunteer: Donation or Fund Raising	-	-	54.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XVLCARD	Support for Volunteer: Using Savings for Voluntary Aid	-	-	14.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XVLSTAMP	Support for Volunteer: Buying Stamps Contribute to Charities	-	-	21.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XVLUSED	Support for Volunteer: Donating Used Clothes or Blankets	-	-	8.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XVLBAZZR	Support for Volunteer: Offering Goods for a Charity Bazaar	-	-	24.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XVLBLOOD	Support for Volunteer: Donating Blood	-	-	9.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XVLETC	Support for Volunteer: Others	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XVLENV	Support for Volunteer: Cleaning the Neighborhood	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XVLWF	Support for Volunteer: Nursing Care or Welfare Service	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XVLCUL	Support for Volunteer: Cultural Service	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XVLLABOR	Support for Volunteer: Labor Contribution	-	-	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XVLTEACH	Support for Volunteer: Teaching or Coaching	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

*XVLENV(Support for Volunteer: Cleaning the Neighborhood) , XVLWF (Support for Volunteer: Nursing Care or Welfare Service), XVLCUL (Support for Volunteer: Cultural Service), XVLLABOR (Support for Volunteer: Labor Contribution) and XVLTEACH (Support for Volunteer: Teaching or Coaching) was added based on the content of "Others."

For cumulative data 2000-2010, XVLNOMK (Nothing marked) was recoded as "9 No answer".

1183. WVLDO Intention to Participate in Volunteer Activity

If the occasion arises, would you like to participate in volunteer activities in the future?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes, I do definitely.	-	-	4.9	-	-	-	-	-	8.5	-	-	-
2	Yes, I do, if possible.	-	-	53.7	-	-	-	-	-	57.5	-	-	-
3	No I Don't.	-	-	39.6	-	-	-	-	-	32.5	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	1.8	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-
	n	-	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	4667	-	-	-

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Yes" in 1167. XVLREG.

1184-1189. Type of Regular Volunteer Activity

What kind of activities were you involved in? Choose all that apply.

Code

- 0 Not chosen
- 1 Chosen
- 8 Not applicable
- 9 No answer

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
XVLRENV	Type of Regular Volunteer Activity: Environmental Protection/Cleaning	-	-	-	-	54.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XVLRWF	Type of Regular Volunteer Activity: Care Giving/Welfare	-	-	-	-	25.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XVLRUCUL	Type of Regular Volunteer Activity: Culture/Arts	-	-	-	-	10.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XVLRCTCH	Type of Regular Volunteer Activity: Education/Technical Guidance	-	-	-	-	21.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XVLRDNT	Type of Regular Volunteer Activity: Soliciting Contributions	-	-	-	-	22.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XVLRROTHR	Type of Regular Volunteer Activity: Others	-	-	-	-	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	257	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Yes" in 1169. XVLIRREG.

1190-1195. Type of Irregular Volunteer Activity

What kind of activities were you involved in? Choose all that apply.

Code

- 0 Not chosen
- 1 Chosen
- 8 Not applicable
- 9 No answer

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
XVLTENV	Type of Irregular Volunteer Activity: Environmental Protection/Cleaning	-	-	-	-	63.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XVLTWF	Type of Irregular Volunteer Activity: Care Giving/Welfare	-	-	-	-	23.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XVLTUCUL	Type of Irregular Volunteer Activity: Culture/Arts	-	-	-	-	12.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XVLTCTCH	Type of Irregular Volunteer Activity: Education/Technical Guidance	-	-	-	-	14.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XVLTDNT	Type of Irregular Volunteer Activity: Soliciting Contributions	-	-	-	-	24.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XVLTROTHR	Type of Irregular Volunteer Activity: Others	-	-	-	-	4.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	315	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1196-1201. Experience of Donation: Regularly

Have you made the following donations in the past year? Choose all that apply.

Code

- 0 Not chosen
- 1 Chosen
- 9 No answer

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
XDNTREG	Experience of Donation: Regularly	-	-	-	-	8.0	-	-	-	5.5	-	-	-
XDNTBOX	Experience of Donation: To Collection Boxes	-	-	-	-	30.6	-	-	-	50.4	-	-	-
XDNTSCH	Experience of Donation: Through Schools/Local Organizations	-	-	-	-	39.1	-	-	-	42.3	-	-	-
XDNTMASS	Experience of Donation: Through Media	-	-	-	-	7.6	-	-	-	12.1	-	-	-
XDNTOTHR	Experience of Donation: Others	-	-	-	-	3.2	-	-	-	3.9	-	-	-
XDNTNONE	Experience of Donation: None	-	-	-	-	32.9	-	-	-	13.5	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	4667	-	-	-

In case one has the experience of making donations in the past year.

1202. SZDNT Amount of Donation

About how much did you donate in total over the past year?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Up to 500 yen	-	-	-	-	27.4	-	-	-	16.5	-	-	-
2	Up to 1,000 yen	-	-	-	-	34.0	-	-	-	27.9	-	-	-
3	Up to 5,000 yen	-	-	-	-	21.9	-	-	-	29.6	-	-	-
4	Up to 10,000 yen	-	-	-	-	8.1	-	-	-	13.5	-	-	-
5	Up to 50,000 yen	-	-	-	-	4.9	-	-	-	8.9	-	-	-
6	Up to 100,000 yen	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	1.6	-	-	-
7	100,001 yen or over	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Up to 200,000 yen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-
9	200,001 yen or over	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	1342	-	-	-	3889	-	-	-

88 Not applicable

* Choices for this question differ depending on the survey year.

2012 Choices changed: "7. 100,001 yen or over" → "7. Up to 200,000 yen" and "8. 200,001 yen or over"

2000-2015 Codes integrated: "1. Up to 500 yen ","2. Up to 1,000 yen ","3. Up to 5,000 yen ","4. Up to 10,000 yen ","5. Up to 50,000 yen ","6. Up to 100,000 yen ","7. 100,001 yen or over ","8. Up to 200,000 yen ","9. 200,001 yen or over."

2000-2018 Same as 2000-2015.

1203-1211. Experience of Volunteer Activities *

Have you participated in the following volunteer activities in the past year? Choose all that apply.º

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
XVLMIPRT	Experience of Volunteer Activities: Improving Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.2	22.5	-	-	-
XVLTENTV	Experience of Volunteer Activities: Protection of the Nature and Environment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.9	15.0	-	-	-
XVLSAFE	Experience of Volunteer Activities: Safety	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.6	10.1	-	-	-
XVLSPTS	Experience of Volunteer Activities: Sports, Culture, Art and Research	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.5	9.6	-	-	-
XVLELD	Experience of Volunteer Activities: Elderly	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.4	8.7	-	-	-
XVLCC	Experience of Volunteer Activities: Children	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.7	8.6	-	-	-
XVLOTHR	Experience of Volunteer Activities: Others	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	1.8	-	-	-
XVLNONE	Experience of Volunteer Activities: None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	53.8	54.4	-	-	-
XVLDISAB	Experience of Volunteer Activities: Disabilities	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	0.6	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2507	2332	-	-	-

*XVLDISAB (activities associated with disabilities) was added based on the content of "7 Others."

1212-1216. Community Activity

Are any of the following volunteer activities conducted in the area where you live? Choose all that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
LACLN	Community Activity: Clean-Up Activities	-	-	-	-	-	61.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
LARCYC	Community Activity: Collection of Recyclables	-	-	-	-	-	52.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
LAPTRL	Community Activity: Watch/Patrols	-	-	-	-	-	35.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
LANONE	Community Activity: None	-	-	-	-	-	6.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
LADK	Community Activity: DK	-	-	-	-	-	15.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	2124	-	-	-	-	-	-

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1 Chosen" in 1212. LACLN, 1213. LARCYC, or 1214. LAPTRL.

1217-1220. Participation in Community Activity

Are you participating in any of such activities? Choose all that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
DOLACLN	Participation in Community Activity: Clean-Up Activities	-	-	-	-	-	55.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
DOLARCYC	Participation in Community Activity: Collection of Recyclables	-	-	-	-	-	38.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
DOLAPTRL	Participation in Community Activity: Watch/Patrols	-	-	-	-	-	12.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
DOLANONE	Participation in Community Activity: None	-	-	-	-	-	29.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	1638	-	-	-	-	-	-

1221. LKLOCAL Love of Currently Living Place

Are you attached to the area where you are currently living?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Attached	-	-	-	41.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat attached	-	-	-	44.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Not very attached	-	-	-	11.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not attached at all	-	-	-	3.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1222. XLIVEYR Years Living in the Same Place

How long have you been living in the same area?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Since I was born	-	-	-	16.8	16.8	16.5	15.6	16.1	16.6	16.6	15.1	17.8
2	For less than a year	-	-	-	1.2	1.7	1.7	2.1	1.7	2.4	1.8	2.6	1.6
3	For 1-3 years	-	-	-	5.4	5.5	6.1	5.9	5.8	5.4	4.6	5.5	4.7
4	For 3-5 years	-	-	-	5.0	4.9	5.2	5.5	5.2	4.4	4.3	4.6	3.2
5	For 5-10 years	-	-	-	8.4	10.8	11.3	11.0	9.6	9.7	8.9	10.2	9.5
6	For 10-20 years	-	-	-	17.2	15.8	16.8	17.7	17.0	17.1	16.8	14.5	15.8
7	For 20-30 years	-	-	-	16.4	16.3	14.9	15.6	15.7	14.3	15.8	15.7	13.2
8	For 30 years or more	-	-	-	29.4	28.2	27.3	26.5	28.9	29.8	29.6	30.8	32.1
99	No answer	-	-	-	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.2	1.6	1.1	2.0
n		-	-	-	1957	2023	4254	4220	5003	4667	2079	744	1916
88	Not applicable												

1223. WLLIVE Wish to Continue Living in the Same Place *

Do you want to live in the same area in the future as well?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes, I do forever.	-	-	-	52.6	55.1	53.2	53.3	54.7	52.8	52.9	48.0	49.8
2	Yes, for the time being.	-	-	-	36.4	32.3	34.8	35.2	34.1	35.7	36.8	40.2	38.6
3	No, I want to move to another area if possible.	-	-	-	9.2	11.5	10.5	10.0	9.9	10.3	9.2	10.2	9.9
4	No, I want to move to another area immediately.	-	-	-	1.4	0.9	1.2	1.2	1.1	0.9	1.1	1.5	1.4
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.4
n		-	-	-	1957	2023	2124	2060	5003	4667	2079	744	1916

8 Not applicable

* The wording for the choice in this question differs depending on the survey year.

2005 The wording for the choices changed: "3. No, I want to move out, if possible" → "No, I want to move to another area if possible."
 "4. No, I want to move out immediately" → "No, I want to move to another area immediately."

1224-1232. Mode of Transportation

Which mode of transportation do you use when you go to work or school, or go out in your daily life? Circle all that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
TRNBIKE	Mode of Transportation: Bicycle	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28.6	-	-
TRNMTRBK	Mode of Transportation: Motorbike	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.1	-	-
TRNTRAIN	Mode of Transportation: Train	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.1	-	-
TRNBUS	Mode of Transportation: Bus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.6	-	-
TRNMCAR	Mode of Transportation: Car (Respondent Drives)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	61.7	-	-
TRNFCAR	Mode of Transportation: Car (Respondent's Family Drives)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.3	-	-
TRNTAXI	Mode of Transportation: Taxi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.2	-	-
TRNOTHER	Mode of Transportation: Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-
TRNWALK	Mode of Transportation: Walk	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

1233. AXCONTCM Anxiety about the Sustainability of the Community

Do you feel anxious about the sustaining of your community?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I feel very anxious	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.4	3.4	4.3
2	I feel somewhat anxious	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.8	22.6	24.1
3	I don't feel anxious very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50.6	51.3	49.3
4	I don't feel anxious at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.1	22.6	22.1
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.1	0.2
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	744	1916

1234-1242. How severe are the following issues in the area of your local residence?

1234. ENHMAGNG Community Issue: Population Aging

Population aging

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.6	-	-
2	Somewhat severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	52.4	-	-
3	Not so severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.9	-	-
4	Not severe at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

1235. ENHMSHOP Community Issue: Inconvenience of Grocery Shopping

Inconvenience of grocery shopping

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.6	-	-
2	Somewhat severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.2	-	-
3	Not so severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45.3	-	-
4	Not severe at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.9	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

1236. ENHMEMP Community Issue: Increase of Abandoned Houses

An increase of abandoned houses

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.5	-	-
2	Somewhat severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	27.8	-	-
3	Not so severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50.1	-	-
4	Not severe at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.7	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

1237. ENHMDCRM Community Issue: Increase of Crime

An increase of crime

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.3	-	-
2	Somewhat severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28.3	-	-
3	Not so severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	55.0	-	-
4	Not severe at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.2	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

1238. ENHMDEPP Community Issue: Population Outflow

Population outflow

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.9	-	-
2	Somewhat severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28.0	-	-
3	Not so severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	49.4	-	-
4	Not severe at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.3	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

1239. ENHMTRNS Community Issue: Inconvenience of Public Transportation

Inconvenience of public transportation

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.4	-	-
2	Somewhat severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.5	-	-
3	Not so severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	43.8	-	-
4	Not severe at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.0	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

1240. ENHMDSLD Community Issue: Increase of Deserted Cultivated Land

An increase of deserted cultivated land

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.7	-	-
2	Somewhat severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.4	-	-
3	Not so severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	44.5	-	-
4	Not severe at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.1	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

1241. ENHMANML Community Issue: Damage Caused by Birds and Animals

Bird and animal (e.g., boars, deers) damage

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.0	-	-
2	Somewhat severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.5	-	-
3	Not so severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42.6	-	-
4	Not severe at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34.7	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

1242. ENHMD Community Issue: Maintenance of forests

Maintenance of forests

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.8	-	-
2	Somewhat severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.8	-	-
3	Not so severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37.6	-	-
4	Not severe at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	38.3	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

1243-1251. How important are the following activities in your later life?

1243. IMOAWORK Important Activity in Old Age: Work

Work

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	-	-	-	-	10.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	-	-	-	-	41.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	-	-	-	-	32.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	-	-	-	-	9.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	-	-	-	-	3.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1244. IMOACOM Important Activity in Old Age: Local Activities/Senior Association

Local activities in a neighborhood or senior association

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	-	-	-	-	5.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	-	-	-	-	41.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	-	-	-	-	40.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	-	-	-	-	8.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	-	-	-	-	3.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1245. IMOACRCL Important Activity in Old Age: Culture/Sports Clubs

Participation in culture or sports clubs

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	-	-	-	-	5.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	-	-	-	-	37.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	-	-	-	-	42.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	-	-	-	-	9.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	-	-	-	-	3.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	1.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1246. IMOAVLTR Important Activity in Old Age: Volunteer/Social Action Groups

Volunteer or social action groups

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	-	-	-	-	2.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	-	-	-	-	33.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	-	-	-	-	50.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	-	-	-	-	7.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	-	-	-	-	3.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1247. IMOALSR Important Activity in Old Age: Entertainment/Leisure Activities

Entertainment or leisure activities

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	-	-	-	-	11.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	-	-	-	-	48.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	-	-	-	-	29.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	-	-	-	-	5.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	2.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1248. IMOALRN Important Activity in Old Age: Reading/Studying/Research

Reading, studying, or research

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	-	-	-	-	8.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	-	-	-	-	45.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	-	-	-	-	35.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	-	-	-	-	5.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	-	-	-	-	2.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1249. IMOAFF Important Activity in Old Age: Time Spent with Family/Relatives

Time spent with family or relatives

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	-	-	-	-	31.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	-	-	-	-	55.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	-	-	-	-	11.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1250. IMOAFRI Important Activity in Old Age: Time Spent with Friends

Time spent with friends

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	-	-	-	-	19.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	-	-	-	-	57.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	-	-	-	-	19.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	-	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1251. IMOAALON Important Activity in Old Age: Time Spent Alone

Time spent alone

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	-	-	-	-	18.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	-	-	-	-	56.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	-	-	-	-	21.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	-	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1252-1261. How important are the relationships with the following in leading a full later life?

1252. IMORSS Important Relationship in Old Age: Spouse

Spouse

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	-	-	-	-	51.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	-	-	-	-	34.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	-	-	-	-	9.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	1.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1253. IMORCC Important Relationship in Old Age: Children

Children

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	-	-	-	-	38.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	-	-	-	-	44.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	-	-	-	-	13.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1254. IMORSIB Important Relationship in Old Age: Siblings

Siblings

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	-	-	-	-	18.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	-	-	-	-	46.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	-	-	-	-	27.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	-	-	-	-	4.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1255. IMORCCG Important Relationship in Old Age: Grandchildren

Grandchildren

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	-	-	-	-	23.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	-	-	-	-	44.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	-	-	-	-	25.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	-	-	-	-	3.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	-	-	-	-	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1256. IMORPAR Important Relationship in Old Age: Parents

Parents

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	-	-	-	-	20.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	-	-	-	-	40.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	-	-	-	-	26.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	-	-	-	-	4.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	-	-	-	-	3.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	4.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1257. IMORFRWK Important Relationship in Old Age: Friends from Work

Work friends, past colleagues

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	-	-	-	-	8.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	-	-	-	-	40.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	-	-	-	-	39.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	-	-	-	-	6.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	-	-	-	-	2.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1258. IMORFRSC Important Relationship in Old Age: Friends from School Days

Friends from school days

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	-	-	-	-	10.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	-	-	-	-	38.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	-	-	-	-	39.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	-	-	-	-	6.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	-	-	-	-	3.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1259. IMORFRCC Important Relationship in Old Age: Friends from Parties/Circles

Friends from participating parties or circles

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	-	-	-	-	5.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	-	-	-	-	33.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	-	-	-	-	45.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	-	-	-	-	9.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	-	-	-	-	4.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1260. IMORCOM Important Relationship in Old Age: Neighbors

Neighbors

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	-	-	-	-	14.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	-	-	-	-	53.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	-	-	-	-	27.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	-	-	-	-	3.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1261. IMORPET Important Relationship in Old Age: Pets

Pets

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	-	-	-	-	9.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	-	-	-	-	24.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	-	-	-	-	39.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	-	-	-	-	13.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	-	-	-	-	11.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	2.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1262. FQ7SEX Frequency of Sexual Intercourse

How often did you have sex during the last 12 months?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Not at all	25.8	25.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Once or twice a year	6.3	7.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	About once a month	11.3	11.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	2-3 times a month	10.4	9.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	About once a week	5.6	4.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	2-3 times a week	1.5	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	More than 3 times a week	0.2	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Don't want to answer	36.0	36.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	2.9	3.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1263. Q4ADLTRY View on Extramarital Sex

What is your opinion about a married person having sexual relations with someone other than the marriage partner?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Always wrong	45.8	46.4	-	-	-	-	46.5	-	-	-	-	-
2	Almost always wrong	41.1	41.4	-	-	-	-	40.0	-	-	-	-	-
3	Wrong only sometimes	10.3	9.1	-	-	-	-	11.4	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not wrong at all	0.8	1.0	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	1.9	2.1	-	-	-	-	1.4	-	-	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1264. Q4PROS19 View on Teenage Prostitution

What is your opinion about teenage prostitution (including teenage escort services)?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	The client is wrong.	13.3	12.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	The teenager is wrong.	2.9	2.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Both are wrong.	81.0	81.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Neither is wrong.	1.6	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	1.2	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1265. Q4HOMSEA View on Homosexuality

What is your opinion about sexual relations between two adults of the same sex?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Always wrong	30.9	30.8	-	-	-	-	31.7	-	-	-	-	-
2	Almost always wrong	26.2	25.7	-	-	-	-	22.9	-	-	-	-	-
3	Wrong only sometimes	32.3	32.9	-	-	-	-	34.7	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not wrong at all	6.6	6.8	-	-	-	-	7.5	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	4.0	3.7	-	-	-	-	3.2	-	-	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1266. OPPORNK View on Effect of Pornography

Do you think pornography leads to breaking down of morals?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	36.3	36.7	-	-	-	-	36.6	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	24.7	24.1	-	-	-	-	24.9	-	-	-	-	-
3	Don't know	37.6	37.8	-	-	-	-	37.7	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	1.4	1.3	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1267. Q3PORNN0 View on Regulation of Pornography

Which one of the following three opinions best describes the way you feel about the regulation of pornography?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	We need laws against the distribution whatever the age.	31.2	31.3	-	-	-	-	28.3	-	-	-	-	-
2	We need laws against the distribution to persons under 18.	58.4	58.5	-	-	-	-	65.6	-	-	-	-	-
3	We need no laws forbidding the distribution.	6.5	6.8	-	-	-	-	3.3	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	3.9	3.4	-	-	-	-	2.8	-	-	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1268. OP3JVLWY View on Revision of Juvenile Law

What do you think of revising the Juveniles Law, which is currently being debated?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Should be revised for harsher punishment	71.6	-	-	74.4	-	-	66.9	-	-	-	-	-
2	Should be revised, but harsher punishment is not desirable	17.4	-	-	13.2	-	-	17.2	-	-	-	-	-
3	Revision is not necessary	1.8	-	-	2.2	-	-	2.9	-	-	-	-	-
4	Should be revised for harsher punishment	8.8	-	-	9.7	-	-	12.7	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.3	-	-	0.5	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-
n		2893	-	-	1957	-	-	2060	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1269. Q2DTHPY View on Death Penalty

Do you agree or disagree with the death penalty?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	59.1	58.4	-	-	-	-	65.9	65.0	65.7	-	-	-
2	Disagree	10.3	11.0	-	-	-	-	6.6	8.7	7.0	-	-	-
3	Don't know	30.2	30.2	-	-	-	-	27.1	26.1	26.4	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.3	0.4	-	-	-	-	0.4	0.2	0.9	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	-	-	-	-	2060	2507	2332	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1270. OP5JUDGE View on Recent Court Deal with Criminals

Do you think the courts have dealt too harshly or not harshly enough with criminals in the past few years?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Too harshly	0.1	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-
2	A little too harshly	0.7	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-
3	About right	9.6	9.1	-	-	-	-	-	15.6	-	-	-	-
4	Should be harsher	37.5	34.8	-	-	-	-	-	35.8	-	-	-	-
5	Should be much harsher	36.4	40.8	-	-	-	-	-	28.8	-	-	-	-
6	Too harshly	15.1	14.6	-	-	-	-	-	18.1	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.6	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-
		n	2893	2790	-	-	-	-	2507	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1271. OPCJSYS View on Japanese Citizen Judge System: System

Would you support the citizen judge system started on May 2009 under which ordinary people are involved in the judgments of serious criminal cases such as murder, arson and abduction?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes, I would.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.4	-	-	-	-
2	Yes, I probably would.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.2	-	-	-	-
3	No, I probably wouldn't.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34.6	-	-	-	-
4	No, I probably wouldn't.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.6	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2507	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1272. OPCJDTH View on Japanese Citizen Judge System: Death penalty

If you were chosen as a citizen judge, would you hesitate to insist the death penalty even for a brutal criminal?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes, I would.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.2	-	-	-	-
2	Yes, I probably would.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.6	-	-	-	-
3	No, I probably wouldn't.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.0	-	-	-	-
4	No, I probably wouldn't.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.7	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2507	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1273. OPAMND9 View on Amending Article 9 of Constitution

Do you think whether it is necessary or not to amend Article 9 of the Constitution that renounces war and prohibits the offensive use of military force?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I think it is necessary.	-	-	-	-	-	33.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	I think it is not necessary.	-	-	-	-	-	62.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	4.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	2124	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1273. OPAMND9 Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. I think it is necessary".

1274. WHYAMND9 Reason for Amending Article 9 of Constitution

What is your primary reason of the necessity of amending Article 9? Choose one that is most close to your opinion.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	To clarify that the Self-Defense Forces should be abolished	-	-	-	-	-	9.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	To engage in overseas military actions along with its allies	-	-	-	-	-	5.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	To contribute to UN-centered military operations	-	-	-	-	-	23.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	To entitle us to having a self-defense force	-	-	-	-	-	58.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	3.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	702	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1275. XBEATEN Experience of Being Victim of Violence

Have you ever been punched or beaten by another person?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	26.5	26.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	73.1	72.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.4	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Yes" in 1275. XBEATEN.

1276. WHENBEAT Time of Violence

Did this happen to you as a child or as an adult?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Child	62.0	59.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Adult	19.5	21.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Both	18.3	18.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.3	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		766	737	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1277. WHOMBEAT Offender of Violence

Who did it to you?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Your own family	35.0	33.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Other(s)	42.6	46.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Both	21.5	18.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.9	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		766	737	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1278. Q5PMSPNK View on Physical Punishment by Parents

What is your opinion of the following statement? "Sometimes physical punishment by a parent is necessary for disciplining children."

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	26.7	20.9	-	-	-	-	24.7	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	38.1	35.3	-	-	-	-	40.5	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	21.3	25.0	-	-	-	-	21.7	-	-	-	-	-
4	Somewhat disagree	6.8	9.9	-	-	-	-	7.7	-	-	-	-	-
5	Disagree	6.7	8.5	-	-	-	-	5.3	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.5	0.5	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	-	-	-	-	2060	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1279. Q5TTSPNK View on Physical Punishment by Teachers

What is your opinion of the following statement? "Sometimes physical punishment by a teacher is necessary for disciplining students."

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	21.1	18.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	36.6	33.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	24.4	26.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Somewhat disagree	8.9	10.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Disagree	8.6	9.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.4	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		2893	2790	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1280. XPBCL Punched or Beaten by Another Person in Your Childhood

Were you punched or beaten by another person in your childhood?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	28.6	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	71.3	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	2060	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1.Yes" in 1280. XPBCL.

1281-1287. Person Who Punched or Beaten You in Your Childhood

Who punched or beaten you? Choose all that apply.

Code

- 0 Not chosen
- 1 Chosen
- 8 Not applicable
- 9 No answer

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
XPBCLPA	Person Who Punched or Beaten You in Your Childhood: Parents	-	-	-	-	-	-	66.0	-	-	-	-	-
XPBCLBS	Person Who Punched or Beaten You in Your Childhood: Siblings	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.5	-	-	-	-	-
XPBCLFM	Person Who Punched or Beaten You in Your Childhood: Other Family Members/Relatives	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.6	-	-	-	-	-
XPBCLTA	Person Who Punched or Beaten You in Your Childhood: Teachers	-	-	-	-	-	-	36.0	-	-	-	-	-
XPBCLFD	Person Who Punched or Beaten You in Your Childhood: Friends	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.6	-	-	-	-	-
XPBCLAQ	Person Who Punched or Beaten You in Your Childhood: Acquaintances	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.4	-	-	-	-	-
XPBCLST	Person Who Punched or Beaten You in Your Childhood: Strangers	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.8	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	589	-	-	-	-	-

1288. XPBAD Punched or Beaten by Another Person in Your Adulthood

Were you punched or beaten by another person in your adulthood?

Code

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 No answer

		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.1	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	89.6	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2060	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Yes" in 1288. XPBAD.

1289-1296. Person Who Punched or Beaten You in Your Adulthood

Who punched or beaten you? Choose all that apply.

Code

- 0 Not chosen
- 1 Chosen
- 8 Not applicable
- 9 No answer

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
XPBADPA	Person Who Punched or Beaten You in Your Adulthood: Parents	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.7	-	-	-	-	-
XPBADSP	Person Who Punched or Beaten You in Your Adulthood: Spouse/Boyfriend or Girlfriend	-	-	-	-	-	-	53.1	-	-	-	-	-
XPBADCC	Person Who Punched or Beaten You in Your Adulthood: Children	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	-	-	-	-	-
XPBADFM	Person Who Punched or Beaten You in Your Adulthood: Other Family Members/Relatives	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	-	-	-	-	-
XPBADSV	Person Who Punched or Beaten You in Your Adulthood: Supervisors on the Job	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.5	-	-	-	-	-
XPBADCW	Person Who Punched or Beaten You in Your Adulthood: Coworkers or Subordinates	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.7	-	-	-	-	-
XPBADFA	Person Who Punched or Beaten You in Your Adulthood: Friends or Acquaintances	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.4	-	-	-	-	-
XPBADST	Person Who Punched or Beaten You in Your Adulthood: Strangers	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.7	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	209	-	-	-	-	-

1297. XSCYP Severely Criticized or Yelled

Have you ever been badly dispraised or yelled at by someone in the past five years?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.4	-	-	26.1	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	78.3	-	-	73.3	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	0.6	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2060	-	-	2079	-	-
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Yes" in 1297. XSCYP.

1298-1305. Person Who Severely Criticized or Yelled

By whom were you dispraised or yelled at? Choose all that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
XSCYPPA	Person Who Severely Criticized or Yelled: Parents	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.6	-	-	13.3	-	-
XSCYPSP	Person Who Severely Criticized or Yelled: Spouse/Boyfriend or Girlfriend	-	-	-	-	-	-	36.7	-	-	29.3	-	-
XSCYPCC	Person Who Severely Criticized or Yelled : Children	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.2	-	-	3.9	-	-
XSCYPFM	Person Who Severely Criticized or Yelled: Other Family Members/Relatives	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.4	-	-	7.7	-	-
XSCYPSV	Person Who Severely Criticized or Yelled: Supervisors on the Job	-	-	-	-	-	-	35.8	-	-	43.4	-	-
XSCYPCW	Person Who Severely Criticized or Yelled: Coworkers or Subordinates	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.7	-	-	12.9	-	-
XSCYPFA	Person Who Severely Criticized or Yelled: Friends or Acquaintances	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.7	-	-	12.4	-	-
XSCYPST	Person Who Severely Criticized or Yelled: Strangers	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.8	-	-	11.3	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	441	-	-	542	-	-

1306. FEARWALK Dangerous Place near Home

Is there any area within 1 km (15-minutes' walk) of your home where you would be afraid to walk alone at night?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	51.0	47.8	53.0	58.3	56.8	65.6	58.8	57.2	53.2	-	-	-
2	No	47.3	49.8	45.8	41.1	41.8	33.6	40.3	42.1	45.6	-	-	-
9	No answer	1.7	2.4	1.3	0.7	1.4	0.8	0.9	0.7	1.2	-	-	-
		n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	4220	5003	4667	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1307. XSTOLN1Y Experience of Being Victim of Sneak-thievery

During the past year, did anyone break into your home?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	3.1	3.8	3.0	3.7	2.7	2.2	1.7	2.2	1.9	-	-	-
2	No	96.6	95.6	96.5	96.1	96.8	97.5	98.2	97.4	97.9	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.3	0.6	0.5	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.1	0.4	0.2	-	-	-
		n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	4220	2507	4667	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1308. XROBBD1Y Experience of Being Victim of Burglary

During the past year, did anyone take something directly from you by using force such as a stickup, mugging, or by threat?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	0.8	1.0	0.6	0.8	0.5	1.6	1.2	1.3	0.9	-	-	-
2	No	98.9	98.9	98.9	99.2	99.0	98.1	98.7	98.5	98.9	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.3	0.1	0.5	0.1	0.5	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.3	-	-	-
		n	2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	4220	2507	4667	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1309-1315. Anticrime Measures *

Are you or a janitor of your residence taking any of the following anticrime measures? Choose all that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
DOACSECC	Anticrime Measures: Contract with Security Company	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
DOACCAM	Anticrime Measures: Install Surveillance Cameras	-	-	-	-	-	5.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
DOACDOG	Anticrime Measures: Keep Watchdog	-	-	-	-	-	14.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
DOACKEY	Anticrime Measures: Install Locking Mechanisms on Doors and Windows	-	-	-	-	-	24.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
DOACOTHR	Anticrime Measures: Others	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
DOACNONE	Anticrime Measures: Nothing in Particular	-	-	-	-	-	57.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
DOACLIT	Anticrime Measures: Install Security Lighting	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	2124	-	-	-	-	-	-

*DOACLIT (Anticrime Measures: Install Security Lighting) was added based on the content of "Anticrime Measures: Others."

1316-1319. What do you think about the following anticrime measures?

1316. OPACCAM View of Anticrime Measures: Street Surveillance Cameras

Installing surveillance cameras for streets

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	37.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	43.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	13.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	3.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	2124	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1317. OPACSEXC View of Anticrime Measures: Disclosure of Sex Offenders Addresses

Disclosing the addresses of sex offenders

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	35.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	40.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	16.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	3.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	3.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	2124	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1318. OPACPTRL View of Anticrime Measures: Neighborhood Watch/Patrols

Neighborhood watch/patrols

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	48.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	43.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	5.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	2124	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1319. OPACINET View of Anticrime Measures: Monitoring of Internet

Monitoring of the content on the Internet

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	29.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	42.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	17.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	4.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	7.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	2124	-	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

1320-1325. Reaction to Shoplifting Child *

Suppose that you see a child (in the 5th or 6th grade of elementary school) you know shoplifting in your neighborhood. What would you do?

Choose all that apply.

Code

- 0 Not chosen
- 1 Chosen
- 8 Not applicable
- 9 No answer

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
SLSELF	Reaction to Shoplifting Child: Speak Directly to the Child	-	-	-	65.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SLFAMILY	Reaction to Shoplifting Child: Tell the Family	-	-	-	17.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SLCLERK	Reaction to Shoplifting Child: Tell the Shopkeeper	-	-	-	26.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SLSCHL	Reaction to Shoplifting Child: Tell the School	-	-	-	3.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SLNODO	Reaction to Shoplifting Child: Do Nothing	-	-	-	13.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SLETC	Reaction to Shoplifting Child: Others	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

*In the cumulative data 2000-2010, SLNOMK (Nothing marked) is recoded as "9 No answer."

2000-2015 Same as 2000-2010.

2000-2018 Same as 2000-2010.

1326. FQCONVI Frequency of Using Convenience Stores in the Neighborhood

Do you go to a convenience store in your neighborhood?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	4.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Several times a week	-	-	-	20.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	About once a week	-	-	-	20.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	About once a month	-	-	-	18.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Several times a year	-	-	-	10.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Hardly	-	-	-	16.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	There are no convenience stores near my house	-	-	-	9.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

1327-1331. In cases when a juvenile commits a heinous crime such as murder, to what degree do you think the following things effect as a cause?

1327. OPJVMNTL Cause of Juvenile Delinquency: Psychological Condition

The psychological condition of the juvenile offender

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Effects in most of the cases	-	-	-	-	48.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Effects in many cases	-	-	-	-	33.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Effects in some cases	-	-	-	-	10.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Effects in few cases	-	-	-	-	2.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	4.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1328. OPJVFF Cause of Juvenile Delinquency: Family Environment

The family environment of the juvenile offender

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Effects in most of the cases	-	-	-	-	49.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Effects in many cases	-	-	-	-	32.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Effects in some cases	-	-	-	-	12.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Effects in few cases	-	-	-	-	2.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	3.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1329. OPJVSCHL Cause of Juvenile Delinquency: School Life

The school life of the juvenile offender

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Effects in most of the cases	-	-	-	-	24.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Effects in many cases	-	-	-	-	34.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Effects in some cases	-	-	-	-	31.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Effects in few cases	-	-	-	-	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	4.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1330. OPJVLAW Cause of Juvenile Delinquency: Legal System

The current legal system such as juvenile law

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Effects in most of the cases	-	-	-	-	17.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Effects in many cases	-	-	-	-	25.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Effects in some cases	-	-	-	-	36.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Effects in few cases	-	-	-	-	14.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	5.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1331. OPJVECN Cause of Juvenile Delinquency: Economic Disparities

The economic disparities in society

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Effects in most of the cases	-	-	-	-	13.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Effects in many cases	-	-	-	-	20.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Effects in some cases	-	-	-	-	45.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Effects in few cases	-	-	-	-	15.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	4.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1332. QFNINCR View on Increasing Foreign Population*

Are you for or against an increase in the number of foreigners in your community?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	For	37.6	35.0	37.1	38.2	30.6	40.7	34.2	33.8	40.3	41.0	36.7	37.7
2	Against	56.0	58.6	56.6	55.0	63.1	51.9	60.7	62.6	54.8	54.0	57.7	59.3
9	No answer	6.4	6.4	6.3	6.8	6.3	7.4	5.0	3.6	4.9	5.0	5.6	3.0
n		2893	2790	2953	1957	2023	2124	4220	2507	4667	2079	744	1916

8 Not applicable

*In Japanese, the wording for this question differ depending on the survey year.

1333-1339. Socializing with Foreigners*

Have you had any of the following contacts with foreigners in Japan? Choose all that apply.

Code	
0	Not chosen
1	Chosen
9	No answer

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
XFNHLL0	Socializing with Foreigners: Greetings	21.2	25.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XFNWORK	Socializing with Foreigners: Work Together	15.2	16.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XFNSTDY	Socializing with Foreigners: Study Together	8.3	9.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XFNACT	Socializing with Foreigners: Community Activities	5.7	7.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XFNMEAL	Socializing with Foreigners: Invitation to Meals	8.9	10.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XFNSTAY	Socializing with Foreigners: Invitation to Overnight Stay	4.5	4.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FFXFNMG	Socializing with Foreigners: Relatives Marriage	4.0	4.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	2893	2790	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

*In the cumulative dataset 2000-2010, up through 2001 XFNNOMK (Nothing marked) was removed.

2000-2015 Same as 2000-2010.

2000-2018 Same as 2000-2010.

1340-1347. Socializing with Foreigners (Experience)*

Do you usually have the following chances to contact with foreigners? Choose all that apply. (Include past experiences.)

Code	
0	Not chosen
1	Chosen
8	Not applicable
9	No answer

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
XFNWORKX	Socializing with Foreigners: Work Together	-	-	15.9	10.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XFNSTDYX	Socializing with Foreigners: Study Together	-	-	9.3	5.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XFNASSOX	Socializing with Foreigners: Friends	-	-	9.3	8.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XFNMGX	Socializing with Foreigners: Relatives Marriage	-	-	5.1	4.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XFNHLL0X	Socializing with Foreigners: Greetings	-	-	12.6	18.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XFNCLUBX	Socializing with Foreigners: International Exchange	-	-	5.4	2.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XFNETCX	Socializing with Foreigners: Community Activities	-	-	5.5	2.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XFNONE	Socializing with Foreigners: None	-	-	-	59.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	2953	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

*The wording for choices differs depending on the survey year.

In the cumulative dataset 2000-2010, XFNNOMKX (Nothing marked) up through 2003 was removed.

2003 The wording for the choices changed: "I shared a workplace. →I share/shared a workplace", "I studied together at school. →I study/studied together at school.", "I am and/or a member of my family is married to a foreigner in Japan. →I am and/or a member of my family is married to a foreigner and live/lives in Japan (lived in Japan).", "I have been/were on greeting terms with a foreigner living nearby. → I have been/were on greeting terms with a foreigner.", "I participated together in group or community activities for international exchange. → I participate/participated together in group activities for international exchange.", "I participated together in other group or community activities. →I participate/participated together in other groups or in community activities."

The choice added: "I do not know any foreigners, and have never had any contact with a foreigner."

2000-2015 Same as 2000-2010.

2000-2018 Same as 2000-2010.

1348. FQ4FNR Frequency of Meeting Foreigners in Neighborhood

Do you often see foreigners in the area where you live?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	-	-	-	13.0	-	11.3	12.8	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	-	30.4	-	29.4	34.0	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	-	-	34.1	-	31.5	34.7	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	22.2	-	27.5	18.4	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.3	-	0.2	0.1	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	1957	-	2124	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1349-1353. How many foreign workers do you think Japan should accept for each of the following occupations?

1349. OPFNWFC Foreign Workers: Factory Workers

Factory workers (food processing, car assembly, sewing, etc.)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Accept many	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.3	-	-
2	Accept some	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	66.8	-	-
3	Accept none	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.8	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

1350. OPFNWCN Foreign Workers: Construction Workers

Construction workers (working at building site, assembling building materials, etc.)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Accept many	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.2	-	-
2	Accept some	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	66.5	-	-
3	Accept none	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.2	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

1351. OPFNWAG Foreign Workers: Agricultural, Forestry, and Fishery Workers

Agricultural, forestry and fishery workers (cultivation/harvesting of vegetables/fruits, dairy operation, etc.)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Accept many	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.2	-	-
2	Accept some	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	64.3	-	-
3	Accept none	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.5	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

1352. OPFNWCR Foreign Workers: Nursing Care Workers

Care workers / nurse

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Accept many	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.0	-	-
2	Accept some	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	57.3	-	-
3	Accept none	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.7	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

1353. OPFNWPR Foreign Workers: High-Skilled Workers

Professionals (scientists, engineers, managers, etc.)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Accept many	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.8	-	-
2	Accept some	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	59.0	-	-
3	Accept none	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.1	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

1354-1371 Effect of Increasing Foreigners*

Which of the following do you expect to see if the number of foreigners increased in your community? Choose all that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
FNLANG	Effect of Increasing Foreigners: Learn Foreign Languages	-	-	-	28.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FNCULT	Effect of Increasing Foreigners: Exposed to Foreign Cultures	-	-	-	38.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FNJCUL	Effect of Increasing Foreigners: Damage Culture	-	-	-	5.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FNUNIQ	Effect of Increasing Foreigners: Lose Homogeneity	-	-	-	5.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FNVARTY	Effect of Increasing Foreigners: Diversify Society	-	-	-	33.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FNLOCAL	Effect of Increasing Foreigners: Damage Community	-	-	-	8.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FNLOPOP	Effect of Increasing Foreigners: Revitalize Areas	-	-	-	7.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FNPREUP	Effect of Increasing Foreigners: Increase Prejudice	-	-	-	3.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FNPREDN	Effect of Increasing Foreigners: Decrease Prejudice	-	-	-	21.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FNPEACE	Effect of Increasing Foreigners: Global Peace	-	-	-	19.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FNINTNL	Effect of Increasing Foreigners: Interest in International	-	-	-	20.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FNSAFE	Effect of Increasing Foreigners: Disturb Public Order	-	-	-	38.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FNWORK	Effect of Increasing Foreigners: Provide Labor Force	-	-	-	11.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FNWKCHN	Effect of Increasing Foreigners: Decrease Job Opportunities	-	-	-	9.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FNTAXUP	Effect of Increasing Foreigners: More Taxes	-	-	-	9.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FNNONE	Effect of Increasing Foreigners: No Effects	-	-	-	6.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FNNOKNOW	Effect of Increasing Foreigners: DK	-	-	-	13.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FNETC	Effect of Increasing Foreigners: Other	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n					1957								

*In the cumulative dataset 2000-2010, FNNOMK(Nothing marked) was recoded as "9 No answer."

2000-2015 Same as 2000-2010.

2000-2018 Same as 2000-2010.

1372-1375. What influence do you think it would have if foreigners increased their population in your community? Please tell us about how much you agree or disagree with each of the following statements.

1372. OP4FNECN Local Impact of Foreigners: Vitalization of Local Economy

It would vitalize local economy

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.9	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37.2	-	-
3	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36.4	-	-
4	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.8	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	-	-
n											2079		

1373. OP4FNEMP Local Impact of Foreigners: Deterioration of Employment Conditions

It would deteriorate employment conditions for local residents

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.9	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.9	-	-
3	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	44.4	-	-
4	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.9	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	-	-
n											2079		

1374. OP4FNCLT Local Impact of Foreigners: Enrichment of Culture

It would enrich local culture

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.4	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41.5	-	-
3	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	32.4	-	-
4	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.2	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

1375. OP4FNSFE Local Impact of Foreigners: Disturbance of Safety and Security

It would disturb public safety and security

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.7	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36.7	-	-
3	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.5	-	-
4	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.5	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

1376-1386. How do you feel about the following countries and regions? For each country and region, please choose one of the numbers. If you don't have any specific feeling to a country or region, choose "0".

1376. FAVFKOR Degree of Affinity with Foreign Countries: Korea

Korea

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	-3 less favorable	-	-	-	-	-	6.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	-2	-	-	-	-	-	5.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	-1	-	-	-	-	-	10.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	0	-	-	-	-	-	42.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	+1	-	-	-	-	-	16.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	+2	-	-	-	-	-	11.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	+3 more favorable	-	-	-	-	-	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	no answer	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	2124	-	-	-	-	-	-
88	Not applicable	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1377. FAVFPRK Degree of Affinity with Foreign Countries: North Korea

North Korea

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	-3 Less favorable	-	-	-	-	-	68.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	-2	-	-	-	-	-	8.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	-1	-	-	-	-	-	4.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	0	-	-	-	-	-	15.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	+1	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	+2	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	+3 More favorable	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	2124	-	-	-	-	-	-
88	Not applicable	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1378. FAVFCHN Degree of Affinity with Foreign Countries: China

China

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	-3 Less favorable	-	-	-	-	-	11.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	-2	-	-	-	-	-	10.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	-1	-	-	-	-	-	15.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	0	-	-	-	-	-	38.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	+1	-	-	-	-	-	13.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	+2	-	-	-	-	-	6.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	+3 More favorable	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	2124	-	-	-	-	-	-
88	Not applicable	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1379. FAVFMNG Degree of Affinity with Foreign Countries: Mongolia

Mongolia

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	-3 Less favorable	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	-2	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	-1	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	0	-	-	-	-	-	62.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	+1	-	-	-	-	-	15.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	+2	-	-	-	-	-	7.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	+3 More favorable	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	3.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	2124	-	-	-	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

1380. FAVFTWN Degree of Affinity with Foreign Countries: Taiwan

Taiwan

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	-3 Less favorable	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	-2	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	-1	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	0	-	-	-	-	-	55.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	+1	-	-	-	-	-	17.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	+2	-	-	-	-	-	12.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	+3 More favorable	-	-	-	-	-	4.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	2124	-	-	-	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

1381. FAVFPHL Degree of Affinity with Foreign Countries: Philippines

The Philippines

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	-3 Less favorable	-	-	-	-	-	3.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	-2	-	-	-	-	-	3.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	-1	-	-	-	-	-	9.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	0	-	-	-	-	-	59.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	+1	-	-	-	-	-	13.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	+2	-	-	-	-	-	5.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	+3 More favorable	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	2124	-	-	-	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

1382. FAVFTHA Degree of Affinity with Foreign Countries: Thailand

Thailand

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	-3 Less favorable	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	-2	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	-1	-	-	-	-	-	4.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	0	-	-	-	-	-	61.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	+1	-	-	-	-	-	15.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	+2	-	-	-	-	-	8.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	+3 More favorable	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	2124	-	-	-	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

1383. FAVFIDN Degree of Affinity with Foreign Countries: Indonesia

Indonesia

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	-3 Less favorable	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	-2	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	-1	-	-	-	-	-	4.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	0	-	-	-	-	-	66.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	+1	-	-	-	-	-	13.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	+2	-	-	-	-	-	6.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	+3 More favorable	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	2124	-	-	-	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

1384. FAVFIND Degree of Affinity with Foreign Countries: India

India

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	-3 Less favorable	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	-2	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	-1	-	-	-	-	-	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	0	-	-	-	-	-	63.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	+1	-	-	-	-	-	14.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	+2	-	-	-	-	-	6.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	+3 More favorable	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	2124	-	-	-	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

1385. FAVFRUS Degree of Affinity with Foreign Countries: Russia

Russia

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	-3 Less favorable	-	-	-	-	-	7.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	-2	-	-	-	-	-	7.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	-1	-	-	-	-	-	14.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	0	-	-	-	-	-	53.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	+1	-	-	-	-	-	9.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	+2	-	-	-	-	-	3.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	+3 More favorable	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	2124	-	-	-	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

1386. FAVFUSA Degree of Affinity with Foreign Countries: USA

USA

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	-3 Less favorable	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	-2	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	-1	-	-	-	-	-	5.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	0	-	-	-	-	-	37.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	+1	-	-	-	-	-	21.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	+2	-	-	-	-	-	19.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	+3 More favorable	-	-	-	-	-	8.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	2124	-	-	-	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

1387-1392. What do you think about aid of the Japanese government to developing countries? Please answer for each item, A through F.

1387. OPADVITL Development Assistance: Assistance is Vital

Japan's aid to developing countries is vital

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	15.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agre	-	-	-	-	-	53.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disatre	-	-	-	-	-	19.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagre	-	-	-	-	-	7.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	3.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2124	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1388. OPADOBL Development Assistance: Assistance is Obligatio

As an economically developed country, Japan has an obligation to help poor countries.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	13.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agre	-	-	-	-	-	53.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disatre	-	-	-	-	-	19.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagre	-	-	-	-	-	9.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	3.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2124	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1389. OPADFIN Development Assistance: Should be Decreased According to Financial Conditions

Japan should decrease its aid when its financial situation worsens.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	47.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agre	-	-	-	-	-	38.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disatre	-	-	-	-	-	8.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagre	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	3.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2124	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1390. OPADEXP Development Assistance: Not Fully Explained to Japanese

Aid programs have not been fully explained to the Japanese people.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	65.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agre	-	-	-	-	-	24.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disatre	-	-	-	-	-	3.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagre	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	3.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2124	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1391. OPADINFO Development Assistance: Not Fully Informed to Recipients

The people receiving aid have not been fully informed of Japan providing the aid.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	55.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agre	-	-	-	-	-	32.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disatre	-	-	-	-	-	5.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagre	-	-	-	-	-	3.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	3.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2124	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1392. OPADDIPL Development Assistance: Should be Controlled According to Diplomacy
Aid should be controlled so as to be diplomatically advantageous.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	28.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	40.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disat	-	-	-	-	-	17.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagre	-	-	-	-	-	9.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	4.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	2124	-	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

1393. XADDONAT Experience of Supporting Developing Countries: Donation
Have you ever donated money or sent goods to developing countries to help them?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	49.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	49.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	2124	-	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

1394. XADVOL Experience of Supporting Developing Countries: Volunteer
Have you ever engaged in work or volunteer activities to help developing countries?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	6.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	92.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	2124	-	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

1395-1398. International Trade

Does the company/organization at which you work shift raw materials, components, or finished products to and from a foreign country? Please circle all that apply

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
INTDIMP	International Trade: Importing from a Foreign Country	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.1	-	-	-	-	-
INTDEXP	International Trade: Exporting to a Foreign Country	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.6	-	-	-	-	-
INTDPRD	International Trade: Producing in a Foreign Country	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.6	-	-	-	-	-
INTDNEX	International Trade: No Exchange with a Foreign Country	-	-	-	-	-	-	73.8	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2671	-	-	-	-	-

1399. ENGTALK English Conversation Proficiency Level

How well can you speak English? Choose one that applies.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I can speak sufficiently for daily life or business.	-	-	0.8	0.7	-	0.8	-	1.1	-	-	-	-
2	I can manage to make myself understood.	-	-	3.0	3.4	-	3.6	-	3.1	-	-	-	-
3	I can ask for directions or order at restaurants.	-	-	8.2	8.2	-	10.5	-	10.3	-	-	-	-
4	I can greet.	-	-	29.9	30.0	-	33.3	-	35.5	-	-	-	-
5	I can hardly speak English.	-	-	57.3	57.4	-	51.5	-	50.0	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	0.7	0.2	-	0.2	-	0.0	-	-	-	-
		n	-	2953	1957	-	2124	-	2507	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

1400. ENGREAD English Reading Comprehension Level

How well can you read English? Choose one that applies.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I can read English books and newspapers without trouble.	-	-	0.9	0.5	-	0.6	-	0.9	-	-	-	-
2	I can manage to read English books and newspapers.	-	-	3.9	4.0	-	4.5	-	3.9	-	-	-	-
3	I can read short sentences in English.	-	-	15.1	15.5	-	18.4	-	19.1	-	-	-	-
4	I can understand easy words.	-	-	35.3	33.2	-	39.2	-	38.8	-	-	-	-
5	I can hardly read English.	-	-	44.1	46.7	-	37.0	-	37.2	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	0.7	0.2	-	0.3	-	0.0	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	2953	1957	-	2124	-	2507	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1401-1409. Use of English*

Do you use English in your everyday life? Choose all that apply.

Code	
0	Not chosen
1	Chosen
8	Not applicable
9	No answer

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
EUNO	Use of English: No Chance	-	-	85.8	86.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
EUTOKI	Use of English: Sometimes in Business	-	-	4.5	6.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
EUYOKU	Use of English: Frequently in Business	-	-	0.9	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
EUFRIEND	Use of English: Socializing with Foreigners	-	-	2.5	3.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
EUFAMILY	Use of English: Communication with Family	-	-	1.0	1.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
EUHOBBY	Use of English: Hobby/Entertainment/Overseas Trips	-	-	7.0	6.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
EUETC	Use of English: Others	-	-	0.2	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
EUCLASS	Use of English: School/Certification	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
EUKIDS	Use of English: Teach Children	-	-	0.1	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	2953	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

* Following variables were added based on the content of "Others":

In 2002, EUCLASS (Use of English: School/Certification) and EUKIDS (Use of English: Teach Children) were added.

In 2003, EUKIDS (Use of English: Teach Children) was added.

In the cumulative dataset 2000-2010, EUNOMARK (Nothing marked) being included up through 2003 was recoded as "9 No answer."

2002 Variables added : EUCLASS (Use of English: School/Certification) and EUKIDS (Use of English: Teach Children) .

2003 Variable added: EUKIDS (Use of English: Teach Children) .

2000-2015 Same as 2000-2010.

2000-2018 Same as 2000-2010.

1410-1417. Use of English*

Have you ever read, listened, or spoken English for the following activities for the past 12 months? Choose all that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
EABUS	Use of English: Work	-	-	-	-	-	14.2	-	10.9	-	-	-	-
EASOC	Use of English: Socializing	-	-	-	-	-	7.4	-	6.1	-	-	-	-
EAART	Use of English: Watching Movies, Listening to Music, Reading Books	-	-	-	-	-	26.8	-	23.1	-	-	-	-
EAINET	Use of English: Internet	-	-	-	-	-	9.7	-	9.9	-	-	-	-
EATRIP	Use of English: Overseas Travel	-	-	-	-	-	9.3	-	7.8	-	-	-	-
EAOTHER	Use of English: Others	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	1.4	-	-	-	-
EAONE	Use of English: Never Used	-	-	-	-	-	55.6	-	60.7	-	-	-	-
EALearn	Use of English: Learning	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	-	2.4	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2124	-	2507	-	-	-	-

*EALearn (Use of English: Learning) was added based on the content of "Others."

The variable labels differ between the single year data and cumulative data 2000-2010.

2006	Variable added : EALearn (Use of English: Learning) .
2000-2015	Variable label changed as in 2000-2010.
2000-2018	Same as 2000-2015.

1418-1427. English Learning *

Have you had the following experiences concerning English? Choose all that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
XECLASS	English Learning: English Conversation School	-	-	7.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XECIRCLE	English Learning: English Conversation Group	-	-	7.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XEMEDIA	English Learning: Programs on TV or Radio	-	-	11.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XESELF	English Learning: Study by Self	-	-	10.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XESHANA1	English Learning: In-house Training in Japan	-	-	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XEOSTRIP	English Learning: Overseas Travel	-	-	17.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XEOSSTDY	English Learning: Studying or Training Abroad	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XEOSJOB	English Learning: Living Abroad	-	-	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XEFRIEND	English Learning: Socializing with Foreigners	-	-	5.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XENONE	English Learning: None	-	-	63.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

*In cumulative dataset, XENOMARK (Nothing marked) is recoded as "9. No answer."

2000-2010	Recoded: XENOMARK (Nothing marked) → "9 No answer".
2000-2015	Same as 2000-2010.
2000-2018	Same as 2000-2010.

1428. XLRNENG Experience Learning English Out of Formal Schools

Have you studied English other than at school? Please include English programs on TV or the radio, English conversation classes and clubs, etc.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes, I am studying now.	-	-	-	2.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Yes, I studied before, but not at present.	-	-	-	18.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	No, I have not.	-	-	-	78.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1429. WLRNENG Desire to Learn English

Are you going to learn English in the future?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes, positively.	-	-	-	2.8	-	3.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Yes, when I have an opportunity.	-	-	-	26.8	-	34.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Yes, but unwillingly.	-	-	-	1.6	-	3.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	No, I am not.	-	-	-	68.6	-	58.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.3	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	1957	-	2124	-	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

Following question was asked to the respondents who answered “1. Yes, positively”, “2. Yes, when I have an opportunity” or “3. Yes, but unwillingly” in 1429. WLRNENG.

1430-1443. Reason to Learn English *

What is the reason for your studying English? Choose all that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
ELGRADE	Reason to Learn English: Graduation/Promotion	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ELGETJOB	Reason to Learn English: Find/Change Job	-	-	-	6.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ELTASK	Reason to Learn English: Useful at Work	-	-	-	16.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ELQUALF	Reason to Learn English: Earn Qualifications	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ELPROMO	Reason to Learn English: Promotion/Advancement	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ELENJOY	Reason to Learn English: Fun	-	-	-	20.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ELWEST	Reason to Learn English: Like USA and UK	-	-	-	9.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ELVISION	Reason to Learn English: Broaden Worldview	-	-	-	54.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ELNEW	Reason to Learn English: Like Learning	-	-	-	13.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ELTRAVL	Reason to Learn English: Overseas Trip	-	-	-	44.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ELCHILD	Reason to Learn English: Education of Children	-	-	-	19.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ELINET	Reason to Learn English: Internet	-	-	-	6.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ELMOVIE	Reason to Learn English: News/Movies	-	-	-	28.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ELETC	Reason to Learn English: Others	-	-	-	5.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	611	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

* In the cumulative datasets, ELNOMK (Nothing marked) is recoded as “9. No answer.”

2000-2010 ELNOMK (Nothing marked) was recoded as “9. No answer.”

2000-2015 Same as 2000-2010.

2000-2018 Same as 2000-2010.

1444. INTFLANG Foreign Language of Interest*

If you learn a foreign language other than English, what language would you be interested in learning? Choose the one foreign language that you would be most interested in.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	German	-	-	-	-	-	6.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	French	-	-	-	-	-	11.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Spanish	-	-	-	-	-	3.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Portuguese	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Italian	-	-	-	-	-	6.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Russian	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Chinese	-	-	-	-	-	27.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Korean	-	-	-	-	-	18.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	Arabic	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	Other	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	I am not interested in learning a foreign language.	-	-	-	-	-	7.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	14.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	2124	-	-	-	-	-	-

88 Not applicable

*Code 11" I am not interested in learning a foreign language" was added based on the content of "Other."

1445. OPEUWK View on Usefulness of English at Work

To what extent do you think improvement in English proficiency is of advantage to your job?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	To a great extent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.5	-	-	-	-
2	To some extent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.6	-	-	-	-
3	A little	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.9	-	-	-	-
4	Haradly	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.2	-	-	-	-
5	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.8	-	-	-	-
6	Currently I don't have a job	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37.3	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2507	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

1446. OPEUSOC View on Usefulness of English for Hobby/Socializing

To what extent do you think improvement in English proficiency is of advantage to your hobby or personal relationships?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	To a great extent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.6	-	-	-	-
2	To some extent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.6	-	-	-	-
3	A little	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.4	-	-	-	-
4	Haradly	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.8	-	-	-	-
5	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.0	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2507	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

1447. OPTTEED View on the Timing to Start English Education

When is the good timing to start English education in school?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Before entering elementary school	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28.8	-	-	-	-
2	First or second year in elementary school	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.5	-	-	-	-
3	Third or fourth year in elementary school	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.2	-	-	-	-
4	Fifth or sixth year in elementary school	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.6	-	-	-	-
5	After entering junior high school	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.2	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2507	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

1448. XEEBJH Experience of English Education before Junior High School

Did you receive English education (including English conversation classes and/or distance learning) before entering a junior high school?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.5	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	86.8	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-
		n		-	-	-	-	-	2507	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1449. DOPET Having Pets at Home

Do you have any pets at home?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	38.2	37.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	61.7	62.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	0.1	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n		2893	2790	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. Yes" in 1449. DOPET.

1450-1458. Having Pets at Home *

What kind(s) of pet(s) are they? Please choose all that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
DODOGE	Type of Pet: Dogs (Outdoor)	45.1	40.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DODOGI	Type of Pet: Dogs (Indoor)	18.7	21.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DOCAT	Type of Pet: Cats	29.0	27.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DOMAMMAL	Type of Pet: Small Mammals	9.4	10.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DOBIRDA	Type of Pet: Birds	10.0	10.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DOFISHA	Type of Pet: Fish	19.3	20.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DOREPTL	Type of Pet: Amphibians/Reptiles	4.8	5.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DOINSECT	Type of Pet: Insects	-	2.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DOOTHER	Type of Pet: Others	0.7	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n		1105	1034	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

*Choice was added in 2001.

In the Cumulative dataset of 2000-2010, DOPNOMK (Nothing marked) up through 2001 was recoded as "9. No answer."

2001 Choice of "Insects" was added.

2000-2015 Same as 2000-2010.

2000-2018 Same as 2000-2010.

1459-1466. What does your pet(s) mean to you?

1459. PT4RELAA Meaning of Pets: Comforting Me

It comforts and relaxes me

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	31.0	33.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	45.9	46.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	17.6	16.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	4.1	3.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	1.4	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n		1105	1034	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1460. PT4WORTH Meaning of Pets: Providing Vigor

It provides vigor to my life

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	15.1	18.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	33.7	30.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	28.0	29.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	20.8	17.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	2.4	4.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	1105	1034	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1461. PT4ALONA Meaning of Pets: Comforting Loneliness

It comforts my loneliness

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	18.8	22.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	38.1	34.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	25.0	27.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	14.9	12.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	3.2	4.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	1105	1034	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1462. PT4REGUA Meaning of Pets: Keeping Regular Schedule

Caring for pet(s) helps me keep regular hours

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	11.9	13.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	32.1	29.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	30.0	30.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	23.3	23.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	2.6	3.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	1105	1034	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1463. PT4NEEDA Meaning of Pets: Feeling Be Needed

It makes me feel I'm needed.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	21.7	19.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	34.7	35.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	24.5	26.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	16.3	15.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	2.8	3.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	1105	1034	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1464. PT4FFCOA Meaning of Pets: Promoting Conversation

It promotes conversations at home.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	21.0	23.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	40.5	40.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	26.4	24.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	9.5	7.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	2.5	4.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	1105	1034	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1465. PT4BEINA Meaning of Pets: Reason For Living

It is my reason for living.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	10.9	10.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	21.3	18.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	29.4	30.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	35.2	35.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	3.3	4.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	1105	1034	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1466. PT4NETWA Meaning of Pets: Expanding Social Network

It expands my social network

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	12.7	13.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	27.6	27.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	33.6	34.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	23.2	20.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	3.0	4.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	1105	1034	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1467. PTCARE Time Spent with Pets

On average, how much time do you spend each day with your pet(s) (including time for caring for them)?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	0 minute	4.1	3.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1~9 minute(s)	8.0	8.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	10~19 minutes	13.1	13.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	20~29 minutes	4.6	4.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	30~39 minutes	15.5	15.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	40~59 minutes	1.4	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1 hour~less than 2 hours	19.5	16.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2 hours~less than 4 hours	11.2	12.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	4 hours~less than 6 hours	6.0	6.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	6 hours~less than 8 hours	2.4	2.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	8 hours~less than 10 hours	2.4	2.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	10hours~less than 12hours	3.0	2.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	12hours~less than 24 hours	4.8	6.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	24 hours	1.4	1.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9999	No answer	2.8	3.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	1105	1034	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8888	Not applicable												

1468. PTHOUR Time Spent with Pets: Hours

The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

Code	
Actual number	
888	Not applicable
999	No answer

1469. PTMIN Time Spent with Pets: Minutes

The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

Code	
Actual number	
888	Not applicable
999	No answer

1470-1475. Having Pets

Do you currently keep dogs, cats, or other kinds of pets at home? Choose all that apply.

Code	
0	Not chosen
1	Chosen
8	Not applicable
9	No answer

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
DOPDOGE	Having Pets: Dogs (Outdoor)	-	-	-	-	-	11.3	-	-	-	-	5.2	5.3
DOPDOGI	Having Pets: Dogs (Indoor)	-	-	-	-	-	11.3	-	-	-	-	11.8	12.1
DOPCATE	Having Pets: Cats (Outdoor)	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	-	-	-	-	1.7	2.1
DOPCATI	Having Pets: Cats (Indoor)	-	-	-	-	-	9.2	-	-	-	-	6.9	8.9
DOPOTHR	Having Pets: Others	-	-	-	-	-	7.7	-	-	-	-	4.8	4.9
DOPNONE	Having Pets: No Pets	-	-	-	-	-	64.4	-	-	-	-	73.8	71.2
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	744	1916

Following questions are asked to the respondents who answered "1.Chosen" in 1470. DOPDOGE, 1471. DOPDOGI, 1472. DOPCATE, 1473. DOPCATI or 1474. DOPOTHR

1476-1481. Pets Taken Care of: Dogs (Outdoor)

Code	
0	Not chosen
1	Chosen
8	Not applicable
9	No answer

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
DOPCDOGE	Pets Taken Care of: Dogs (Outdoor)	-	-	-	-	-	22.6	-	-	-	-	16.6	14.5
DOPCDOGI	Pets Taken Care of: Dogs (Indoor)	-	-	-	-	-	27.3	-	-	-	-	39.9	35.8
DOPCCATE	Pets Taken Care of: Cats (Outdoor)	-	-	-	-	-	4.8	-	-	-	-	5.2	5.1
DOPCCATI	Pets Taken Care of: Cats (Indoor)	-	-	-	-	-	19.2	-	-	-	-	22.8	26.2
DOPCOTHR	Pets Taken Care of: Others	-	-	-	-	-	14.6	-	-	-	-	13.0	12.4
DOPCNONE	Pets Taken Care of: None	-	-	-	-	-	19.3	-	-	-	-	11.9	14.9
	n	-	-	-	-	-	755	-	-	-	-	193	550

1482. DOPMDPAY Medical fees for Pets

How much money do you spend on medical care for your pet(s) monthly on average?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.7	37.5
1	Less than 1,000 yen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.7	4.9
2	1,000~less than 2,000 yen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.0	10.2
3	2,000~less than 3,000 yen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.1	6.9
4	3,000~less than 5,000 yen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.9	9.5
5	5,000~less than 10,000 yen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.3	10.2
6	10,000~less than 20,000 yen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.7	7.3
7	20,000~less than 30,000 yen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	1.1
8	30,000~less than 40,000 yen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	1.1
9	40,000 yen and over	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	0.2
9999	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.4	11.3
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	193	550
8888	Not applicable												

1483. DOPCTHR Time Spent on Taking Care of Pet: Hours

How much time do you spend taking care of your pet(s) daily on average ? (hour(s))

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	59.2	63.6
	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.3	23.0
	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.9	8.7
	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	1.1
	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	0.7
	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.2
	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.2
	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.4
	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.2
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.9	2.0
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	169	461
88	Not applicable												

1484. DOPCMIN Time Spent on Taking Care of Pet: Minutes

How much time do you spend taking care of your pet(s) daily on average ? (minute(s))

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	32.5	29.7
	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	2.2
	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	0.4
	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	0.2
	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.7	7.4
	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.6	15.4
	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.6	4.3
	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.1	6.5
	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.7	27.5
	40	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	3.5
	45	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	0.7
	50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	0.0
	55	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.2
	60	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	0.0
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.9	2.0
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	169	461
88	Not applicable												

1485. XDTHPET Experience of Death of Pets

Have you ever experienced the death of a dog or a cat that you kept?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	57.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	39.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1486-1488. What do you think of the following opinions?

1486. OPPTREG Views on Pets: Need of Stricker Regulation

Pet-keeping should be more strictly regulated.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	41.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	39.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	11.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	disagree	-	-	-	-	-	5.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1487. OPPTCALM Views on Pets: Comfort

Pets comfort and relax me.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	57.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	30.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	disagree	-	-	-	-	-	4.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

1488. OPPTKILL Views on Pets: Euthanasia

Pets suffering from an incurable diseases should be euthanized.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	20.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	26.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	27.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	disagree	-	-	-	-	-	21.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	3.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

1489-1501. How often do you do the following?

1489. FQ4DENKI Frequency of Ecological Behavior: Turn off lights not in use

Always turn off lights or appliances not in use

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	-	-	47.7	-	-	-	52.4	-	54.0	51.2	53.9	51.0
2	Sometimes	-	-	36.8	-	-	-	36.7	-	35.8	36.9	32.4	37.2
3	Rarely	-	-	13.1	-	-	-	9.4	-	8.4	10.1	12.2	9.9
4	Never	-	-	2.2	-	-	-	1.4	-	1.5	1.7	1.3	1.8
9	No answer	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	0.1	-	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.2
		n	-	2953	-	-	-	2060	-	4667	2079	744	1916

8 Not applicable

1490. FQ4WATER Frequency of Ecological Behavior: Save Water

Try to save water

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	-	-	40.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	37.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	-	18.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Never	-	-	2.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

1491. FQ4MEND Frequency of Ecological Behavior: Repair Broken Items

Repair and use broken items

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	-	-	27.1	-	-	-	29.9	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	44.0	-	-	-	46.0	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	-	22.8	-	-	-	19.3	-	-	-	-	-
4	Never	-	-	5.5	-	-	-	4.6	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	2953	-	-	-	2060	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

1492. FQ4RECYC Frequency of Ecological Behavior: Buy Recycled Products

Buy recycled products (e.g., toilet paper, notebooks)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	-	-	24.3	-	-	-	27.8	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	38.8	-	-	-	40.9	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	-	24.7	-	-	-	21.3	-	-	-	-	-
4	Never	-	-	11.5	-	-	-	9.2	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	2953	-	-	-	2060	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1493. FQ4REFIL Frequency of Ecological Behavior: Buy Refillable Products

Buy refillable products (e.g., cleaner, shampoo)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	-	-	45.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	30.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	-	14.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Never	-	-	9.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1494. FQ4NOYAK Frequency of Ecological Behavior: Buy Organic Vegetables

Buy chemical-free or organic vegetables

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	-	-	17.1	-	-	-	23.1	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	34.5	-	-	-	38.4	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	-	32.6	-	-	-	27.8	-	-	-	-	-
4	Never	-	-	14.5	-	-	-	10.0	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	2953	-	-	-	2060	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1495. FQ4BAG Frequency of Ecological Behavior: Bring Shopping Bag

Bring your own shopping bag

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	-	-	12.4	-	-	-	33.3	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	16.4	-	-	-	22.7	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	-	30.0	-	-	-	19.1	-	-	-	-	-
4	Never	-	-	40.5	-	-	-	24.4	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	2953	-	-	-	2060	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1496. FQ4PACK Frequency of Ecological Behavior: Plain Wrapping

Ask for plain wrapping (e.g., book covers, wrapping)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	-	-	19.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	34.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	-	26.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Never	-	-	19.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1497. FQ4USED Frequency of Ecological Behavior: Buy from Recycled Shops

Buy from recycled-goods shops (e.g., used clothes, books, furniture)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	-	-	7.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	23.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	-	33.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Never	-	-	34.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1498. FQ4BUS Frequency of Ecological Behavior: Use Public Transportation

Use public transportation whenever possible

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	-	-	25.0	-	-	-	26.3	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	19.9	-	-	-	20.2	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	-	30.3	-	-	-	30.3	-	-	-	-	-
4	Never	-	-	24.0	-	-	-	22.9	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	2953	-	-	-	2060	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1499. FQ4SORT Frequency of Ecological Behavior: Properly Separate Garbage

Properly separate garbage

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	-	-	77.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	14.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	-	4.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Never	-	-	3.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1500. FQ4TAIHI Frequency of Ecological Behavior: Compost Kitchen Garbage

Compost kitchen garbage

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	-	-	15.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	12.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	-	16.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Never	-	-	54.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1501. FQ4ELC Frequency of Ecological Behavior: Save Electricity

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.6	26.9	28.9	28.2
2	Sometimes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45.3	46.3	42.5	42.7
3	Rarely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.4	21.6	25.4	25.1
4	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	4.2	3.0	3.4
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	1.0	0.3	0.5
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4667	2079	744	1916

1502-1504. Are you satisfied with measures taken for environmental protection by the central government, the local governments and private corporations?

1502. STECONAT Satisfaction with Measures by Central Government

Measures by central government

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Satisfied	-	-	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	•	-	-	7.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	•	-	-	41.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	•	-	-	29.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Dissatisfied	-	-	18.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	2.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1503. STECOLOC Satisfaction with Measures by Local Government

Measures by local governments

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Satisfied	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	•	-	-	10.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	•	-	-	45.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	•	-	-	25.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Dissatisfied	-	-	13.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	1.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1504. STECOCO Satisfaction with Measures by Private Corporations

Measures by private corporations

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Satisfied	-	-	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	•	-	-	7.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	•	-	-	43.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	•	-	-	28.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Dissatisfied	-	-	17.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	2.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1505-1507. To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements

1505. QECOVGE Economic Growth Must Be Prioritized Rather than Global Environment Protection

Economic growth must be prioritized, rather than global environment protection

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.6	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.0	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	45.0	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.0	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	2060	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

1506. QNCVLGE All Right to Have Inconvenient Life for Global Environment

To prevent the deterioration of global environment, it is all right for me to have inconvenient life.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.4	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	54.7	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.1	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.8	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	2060	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

1507. Q4SAVELC View on Saving Electricity Consumption

Do you agree or disagree with the statement that “we should save electric consumption even the living standard would become worse?”

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.5	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41.7	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.0	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.2	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4667	-	-	-

1508. AXFDRAD Anxiety about Food Contamination by Radioactive Substances

How anxious are you about food contamination by radioactive substances?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very anxious	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.4	20.8	18.7	19.7
2	Somewhat anxious	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34.5	31.6	33.2	29.4
3	Not so anxious	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34.9	37.1	38.6	39.0
4	Not anxious at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.3	9.5	9.3	11.3
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	1.0	0.3	0.5
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4667	2079	744	1916

1509. XPBEPCE Purchasing Behavior in the Light of Environmental Protection and Corporate Ethics*

In the past 5 years, did you refrain from purchasing or actively purchasing products from a specific company based on its responsiveness to environmental protection and corporate ethics?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	37.2	18.9	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	62.3	80.5	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	0.5	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	2060	2507	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

1510. XPBPDR Purchasing Behavior Based on Political and Diplomatic Reasons

In the past 5 years, did you refrain from purchasing or actively purchasing products from a specific country due to political and diplomatic reasons?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	35.7	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	63.8	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2060	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1511-1515. Use of Eco-products: Solar Panel*

Do you use any of the following at home? Choose all that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
DOECSLP	Solar panel (Solar energy generation)	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.3	4.0	3.9	7.7	10.9	8.4
DOECMNP	Midnight power (Discount on midnight power from an electric power company)	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.2	13.3	15.9	17.1	20.3	20.5
DOECWC	Ecowill (Gas engine water heating system with home power generation)/ Ecocute (Natural refrigerant heat pump water heater) etc.	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.9	7.7	11.3	14.4	18.8	18.8
DOECLMC	Low-emission car (LP Gas vehicles and hybrid car etc.)	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.2	4.7	7.9	11.5	14.3	14.5
DOECNONE	None of the above	-	-	-	-	-	-	76.3	78.1	71.6	65.8	57.0	59.0
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	4220	2507	4667	2079	744	1916

* The wording for this question differs depending on the survey year.

2010 Wording for the choice changed : Low-emission car (LP Gas vehicles and hybrid car etc.)→Low-emission car (LP Gas vehicles, hybrid car and electrical car etc.)

2012 Wording for the choice changed: : Ecowill (Gas engine water heating system with home power generation)/ Ecocute (High-efficiency water heater employing heatpump technology)→Ecowill (Gas engine water heating system with home power generation) / Ecocute (Natural refrigerant heat pump water heater).

1516. KNOWGMO Knowledge of Genetically Modified Foods

Have you ever heard the words, “genetically modified foods?”

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	85.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	14.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Following question was asked to respondents who answered “1.Yes” in 1516. KNOWGMO.

1517-1524. Please answer the following questions about genetically modified foods.

1517. OPGMSAFE View on Genetically Modified Foods: Safe

Do you agree that genetically modified foods are safe?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	2.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	6.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	33.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	16.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Disagree	-	-	-	-	24.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Don't know	-	-	-	-	16.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	1723	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1518. OPGMUSER View on Genetically Modified Foods: Beneficial to Oneself

Do you agree that genetically modified foods are beneficial to yourself?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	1.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	5.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	29.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	14.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Disagree	-	-	-	-	31.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Don't know	-	-	-	-	16.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	1723	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1519. OPGMUSES View on Genetically Modified Foods: Beneficial to Society

Do you agree that genetically modified foods are beneficial to society?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	3.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	11.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	30.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	13.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Disagree	-	-	-	-	23.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Don't know	-	-	-	-	18.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	1723	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1520. OPGMNTRL View on Genetically Modified Foods: Natural

Do you agree that genetically modified foods are natural?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	2.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	12.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	17.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Disagree	-	-	-	-	56.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Don't know	-	-	-	-	9.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	1723	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1521. OPGMEAT View on Genetically Modified Foods: OK to Eat

Do you agree that it is OK for you to eat genetically modified foods?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	3.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	8.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	21.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	17.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Disagree	-	-	-	-	38.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Don't know	-	-	-	-	11.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	1723	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1522. OPGMSPRD View on Genetically Modified Foods: Widespread Consumption

Do you agree that the widespread consumption of genetically modified foods in society is approved?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	1.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	4.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	24.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	15.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Disagree	-	-	-	-	38.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Don't know	-	-	-	-	14.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	1723	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1523. OPGMWHAT View on Genetically Modified Foods: Kinds

Do you agree that you understand what kinds of genetically modified foods are in existence?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	4.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	17.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	23.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	14.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Disagree	-	-	-	-	17.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Don't know	-	-	-	-	21.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	1723	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1524. OPGMHOW View on Genetically Modified Foods: How to Make

Do you agree that you understand how genetically modified foods are made?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	4.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	14.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	18.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	14.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Disagree	-	-	-	-	22.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Don't know	-	-	-	-	26.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	1723	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1525. KWGMCONC Knowledge of Kinds of Genetically Modified Foods

When you hear "genetically modified foods," do any agricultural products or foods come to your mind?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	66.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Not especially	-	-	-	-	33.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	1723	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to the respondents who answered "1.YES." in 1525. KWGMCONC.

1526. NGMCONC Number of Genetically Modified Foods in Mind

What kinds of agricultural products or foods come to your mind? Write down as many as you like.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	0	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1	-	-	-	-	46.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2	-	-	-	-	32.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	3	-	-	-	-	11.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	4	-	-	-	-	5.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	5	-	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	6	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	7	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	8	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	9	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	10 or more	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	1137	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

1527-1535. Kinds of Genetically Modified Foods in Mind*

What kinds of agricultural products or foods come to your mind? Write down as many as you like.

Code	
0	Not written down
1	Written down
8	Not applicable
9	No answer

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
GMCONC1	Kinds of Genetically Modified Foods in Mind: Soybean (soybean-processed food)	-	-	-	-	71.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
GMCONC2	Kinds of Genetically Modified Foods in Mind: Corn	-	-	-	-	33.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
GMCONC3	Kinds of Genetically Modified Foods in Mind: Potato	-	-	-	-	9.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
GMCONC4	Kinds of Genetically Modified Foods in Mind: Rice	-	-	-	-	7.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
GMCONC5	Kinds of Genetically Modified Foods in Mind: Wheat and Barley	-	-	-	-	5.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
GMCONC6	Kinds of Genetically Modified Foods in Mind: Tomato	-	-	-	-	3.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
GMCONC7	Kinds of Genetically Modified Foods in Mind: Bean and Grain	-	-	-	-	9.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
GMCONC8	Kinds of Genetically Modified Foods in Mind: Vegetable and Fruits	-	-	-	-	8.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
GMCONC9	Kinds of Genetically Modified Foods in Mind: Other than Vegetable and Fruits	-	-	-	-	9.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	1137	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

* Variables GMCONC1~GMCONC9 were made out based on the content of written answers.

1536. DOCAR Car Ownership

Does anyone in your household own a car? Answer "yes" even if the car is not your own. Do not include two-wheeled vehicles

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	86.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	13.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Following question was asked to the respondents who answered "1. Yes" in 1536. DOCAR .

1537-1541. Type of Car

Choose all cars in your household from the following.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Yes												
1	No												
8	Not applicable												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
TPCARSTD	Type of Car: Standard Passenger Car	-	-	-	-	79.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TPCARLG	Type of Car: Large Passenger Car	-	-	-	-	17.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TPCARSM	Type of Car: Light Car/Truck	-	-	-	-	43.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TPCARTK	Type of Car: Standard Truck	-	-	-	-	7.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TPCAROTH	Type of Car: Others	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	1743	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1542-1546. To what degree are the following car expenses a burden on your household finances? Please answer for each of the following.

1542. EXCARGAS Car Expenses: Gasoline

Gasoline expenses

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	A great deal	-	-	-	-	17.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat	-	-	-	-	38.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Little	-	-	-	-	32.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	9.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	1743	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1543. EXCARINS Car Expenses: Insurance/Taxes

Insurance or taxes

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	A great deal	-	-	-	-	23.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat	-	-	-	-	42.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Little	-	-	-	-	23.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	8.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	2.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	1743	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1544. EXCARBUY Car Expenses: Purchase/Loans

Purchase or loan payments

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	A great deal	-	-	-	-	14.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat	-	-	-	-	24.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Little	-	-	-	-	21.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	37.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	3.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	1743	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1545. EXCARFIX Car Expenses: Repair/Maintenance

Repair or maintenance

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	A great deal	-	-	-	-	20.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat	-	-	-	-	40.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Little	-	-	-	-	23.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	12.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	2.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	1743	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1546. EXCARPRK Car Expenses: Parking

Rent for parking space

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	A great deal	-	-	-	-	3.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat	-	-	-	-	9.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Little	-	-	-	-	9.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	17.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	I don't rent a parking lot	-	-	-	-	59.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	1743	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1547. DOCLCNS Having Drivers License

Do you have a driver's license? (Do not include licenses for two-wheeled vehicles.)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I have a license.	-	-	-	-	73.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	I don't have a license	-	-	-	-	25.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Following questions were asked to respondents who answered "1. I have a license" in 1547. DOCLCNS..

1548-1552. How often do you drive a car for any of the following reasons? Please answer for each of the following.

1548. USCARCMT Use of Car: Commute

Your own commute to work or school

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	-	40.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	About three or four days a week	-	-	-	-	3.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	About one or two days a week	-	-	-	-	2.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	About one or two days a month	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Don't drive for that reason	-	-	-	-	46.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	4.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	1495	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1549. USCARTFF Use of Car: Picking up/Dropping off

Picking up/Dropping off family members

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	-	8.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	About three or four days a week	-	-	-	-	7.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	About one or two days a week	-	-	-	-	11.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	About one or two days a month	-	-	-	-	16.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	18.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Don't drive for that reason	-	-	-	-	33.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	4.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	1495	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1550. USCARSHP Use of Car: Shopping

Daily shopping or errands

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	-	22.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	About three or four days a week	-	-	-	-	18.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	About one or two days a week	-	-	-	-	29.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	About one or two days a month	-	-	-	-	11.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	4.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Don't drive for that reason	-	-	-	-	11.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	1495	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1551. USCARWK Use of Car: Transportation at Work
Transportation or conveyance during work

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	-	23.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	About three or four days a week	-	-	-	-	4.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	About one or two days a week	-	-	-	-	5.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	About one or two days a month	-	-	-	-	6.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	3.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Don't drive for that reason	-	-	-	-	52.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	3.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	1495	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1552. USCARLSR Use of Car: Leisure Activities
Leisure activities

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	About three or four days a week	-	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	About one or two days a week	-	-	-	-	14.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	About one or two days a month	-	-	-	-	26.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	31.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Don't drive for that reason	-	-	-	-	21.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	3.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	1495	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1553-1558. What is your opinion on items A-F below regarding private cars? Please answer for each of the following.

1553. OPCARDLF View on Car: Detrimental to Daily Life
Not having a car would be detrimental to our daily life.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	60.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	14.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	7.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	4.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Disagree	-	-	-	-	10.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	1.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1554. OPCARFLD View on Car: Narrowing Activities
Not having a car would narrow our activities.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	64.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	17.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	5.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	3.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Disagree	-	-	-	-	8.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1555. OPCARDRV View on Car: Fun Driving
If we have cars, we can enjoy going for a drive.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	47.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	26.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	12.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	3.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Disagree	-	-	-	-	7.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	2.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1556. OPCARCST View on Car: Costly

Car expenses are too high

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	42.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	31.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	14.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	3.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Disagree	-	-	-	-	4.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	2.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1557. OPCARACC View on Car: Causing Accidents

Cars easily cause accidents

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	27.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	29.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	24.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	7.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Disagree	-	-	-	-	7.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1558. OPCARECO View on Car: Environmental Pollution

I worry about environmental pollution by cars

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	28.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	40.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	19.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	5.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Disagree	-	-	-	-	4.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	1.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1559-1567. When you are going to purchase a refrigerator or a washing machine, how important are the following characteristics for you?

Choose the number that best represents your feeling for each of the items A through I.

1559. IM5PRICE Purchase Criteria: Reasonable Price

Reasonable price

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1, Very important	-	-	41.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	2	-	-	31.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	3	-	-	20.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	4	-	-	3.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	5, Not important at all	-	-	1.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1560. IM5BRAND Purchase Criteria: Manufacturer

Manufacturer

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1, Very important	-	-	20.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	2	-	-	33.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	3	-	-	28.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	4	-	-	10.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	5, Not important at all	-	-	6.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1561. IM5FUNC Purchase Criteria: Various Functions Featured

Various functions featured

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1, Very important	-	-	15.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	2	-	-	28.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	3	-	-	35.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	4	-	-	13.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	5, Not important at all	-	-	6.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1562. IM5DESN Purchase Criteria: Sophisticated Color and Shape

Sophisticated color and shape

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1, Very important	-	-	15.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	2	-	-	29.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	3	-	-	34.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	4	-	-	13.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	5, Not important at all	-	-	6.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1563. IM5LAST Purchase Criteria: Durability

Durability

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1, Very important	-	-	60.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	2	-	-	27.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	3	-	-	8.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	4	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	5, Not important at all	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1564. IM5SAVE Purchase Criteria: Energy and Resource Efficiency

Energy and resource efficiency

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1, Very important	-	-	55.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	2	-	-	28.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	3	-	-	11.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	4	-	-	1.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	5, Not important at all	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1565. IM5RECYC Purchase Criteria: Recyclable

Recyclable

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1, Very important	-	-	29.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	2	-	-	25.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	3	-	-	30.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	4	-	-	8.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	5, Not important at all	-	-	4.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	1.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1566. IM5SERV Purchase Criteria: Sufficient Servicing

Sufficient servicing like repairs and maintenance

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1, Very important	-	-	56.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	2	-	-	25.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	3	-	-	12.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	4	-	-	2.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	5, Not important at all	-	-	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1567. IM5TRADE Purchase Criteria: Value of Trade-in Towards a New Appliance

Value of trade-in towards a new appliance

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	1, Very important	-	-	49.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	2	-	-	23.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	3	-	-	17.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	4	-	-	4.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	5, Not important at all	-	-	4.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1568-1579. When you shop, how often do you do the following?

1568. SFQSTK Buying Habits: Bulk Buying

Buying groceries and daily necessities for several days at a time

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I often do.	-	-	-	29.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	I sometimes do.	-	-	-	33.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	I seldom do.	-	-	-	35.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1569. SFQCHNC Buying Habits: Shop at Convenience

Shopping only at my convenience

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I often do.	-	-	-	14.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	I sometimes do.	-	-	-	42.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	I seldom do.	-	-	-	39.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	3.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1570. SFQIMPLS Buying Habits: Buying on Impulse

Buying goods on impulse

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I often do.	-	-	-	9.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	I sometimes do.	-	-	-	34.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	I seldom do.	-	-	-	54.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	2.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1571. SFQSHOP Buying Habits: Buying Groceries at Specific Shops

Always buying groceries and daily necessities at specific shops

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I often do.	-	-	-	46.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	I sometimes do.	-	-	-	24.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	I seldom do.	-	-	-	27.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1572. SFQQLTY Buying Habits: Buying High Quality Goods

Buying high quality goods irrespective of price

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I often do.	-	-	-	22.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	I sometimes do.	-	-	-	39.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	I seldom do.	-	-	-	36.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1573. SFQSORY Buying Habits: Regretting a Purchase

Regretting a purchase

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I often do.	-	-	-	6.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	I sometimes do.	-	-	-	42.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	I seldom do.	-	-	-	50.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1574. SFQADVTS Buying Habits: Shopping after Consulting Advertisement

Shopping after consulting advertising leaflets inserted in a newspaper, etc.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I often do.	-	-	-	30.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	I sometimes do.	-	-	-	30.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	I seldom do.	-	-	-	38.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1575. SFQSAME Buying Habits: Buying the Same Things Other People Buy

Attracted by other people's belongings, buying the same things

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I often do.	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	I sometimes do.	-	-	-	10.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	I seldom do.	-	-	-	88.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1576. SFQINET Buying Habits: Buying After Investigation on the Internet

Buying goods after making a preliminary investigation on the Internet

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I often do.	-	-	-	2.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	I sometimes do.	-	-	-	8.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	I seldom do.	-	-	-	86.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	1.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1577. SFQELEC Buying Habits: Visiting Several Shops to Buy Appliances

Buying electrical appliances only after visiting several shops

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I often do.	-	-	-	27.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	I sometimes do.	-	-	-	32.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	I seldom do.	-	-	-	38.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1578. SFQDATE Buying Habits: Checking Use-by Date

Buying goods after checking the use-by date or the date of manufacture

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I often do.	-	-	-	63.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	I sometimes do.	-	-	-	19.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	I seldom do.	-	-	-	16.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1579. SFQLOC Buying Habits: Checking Area of Production

Buying perishable foods after checking the area of production

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I often do.	-	-	-	36.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	I sometimes do.	-	-	-	29.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	I seldom do.	-	-	-	32.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1580-1593. How have your shopping habits changed over the last four or five years?

1580. XSCATL Changes in Spending Habits: Mail-order Shopping

Mail-order shopping or TV shopping

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Have come to do very often	-	-	-	14.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Not changed from four or five years ago	-	-	-	24.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Have stopped to do	-	-	-	16.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Have never done to this day	-	-	-	43.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1581. XSBRAND Changes in Spending Habits: Buying Top-brand Articles

Buying top-brand articles

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Have come to do very often	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Not changed from four or five years ago	-	-	-	15.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Have stopped to do	-	-	-	16.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Have never done to this day	-	-	-	65.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1582. XSLRNQL Changes in Spending Habits: Lectures to Obtain License

Participating in a course of lectures to obtain a license (including correspondence courses)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Have come to do very often	-	-	-	4.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Not changed from four or five years ago	-	-	-	11.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Have stopped to do	-	-	-	12.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Have never done to this day	-	-	-	69.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1583. XSCLED Changes in Spending Habits: Lectures Concerning Hobbies

Participating in a course of lectures concerning hobbies or for raising the cultural level (including correspondence courses)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Have come to do very often	-	-	-	4.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Not changed from four or five years ago	-	-	-	14.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Have stopped to do	-	-	-	11.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Have never done to this day	-	-	-	68.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1584. XSREFIL Changes in Spending Habits: Buying Refillable Products

Buying refillable products (e.g., cleaner, shampoo)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Have come to do very often	-	-	-	43.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Not changed from four or five years ago	-	-	-	27.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Have stopped to do	-	-	-	2.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Have never done to this day	-	-	-	26.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1585. XSRECYC Changes in Spending Habits: Buying Recycled Products

Buying recycled products (e.g., toilet paper, notebooks)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Have come to do very often	-	-	-	35.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Not changed from four or five years ago	-	-	-	36.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Have stopped to do	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Have never done to this day	-	-	-	24.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1586. XSRESHOP Changes in Spending Habits: Buying from Recycled-goods Shops

Buying from recycled-goods shops (e.g., used clothes, second-hand books, used furniture)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Have come to do very often	-	-	-	16.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Not changed from four or five years ago	-	-	-	22.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Have stopped to do	-	-	-	4.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Have never done to this day	-	-	-	56.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1587. XSAGCHEM Changes in Spending Habits: Buying Chemical-free Vegetables

Buying chemical-free or organic vegetables

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Have come to do very often	-	-	-	26.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Not changed from four or five years ago	-	-	-	36.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Have stopped to do	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Have never done to this day	-	-	-	33.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1588. XSMEAL Changes in Spending Habits: Having Meals Healthfully

Having meals healthfully

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Have come to do very often	-	-	-	51.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Not changed from four or five years ago	-	-	-	36.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Have stopped to do	-	-	-	1.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Have never done to this day	-	-	-	9.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1589. XSEXER Changes in Spending Habits: Taking Exercise for Health

Taking exercise for health

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Have come to do very often	-	-	-	28.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Not changed from four or five years ago	-	-	-	40.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Have stopped to do	-	-	-	10.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Have never done to this day	-	-	-	21.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Have come to do very often												

1590. XSEATOUT Changes in Spending Habits: Eating Out

Eating out

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Have come to do very often	-	-	-	13.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Not changed from four or five years ago	-	-	-	44.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Have stopped to do	-	-	-	28.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Have never done to this day	-	-	-	13.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1591. XSPRICE Changes in Spending Habits: Placing Priority on Price

Buying goods based primarily on price

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Have come to do very often	-	-	-	31.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Not changed from four or five years ago	-	-	-	47.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Have stopped to do	-	-	-	5.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Have never done to this day	-	-	-	15.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Have come to do very often												

1592. XSQLTY Changes in Spending Habits: Placing Priority on Quality

Buying goods based primarily on quality

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Have come to do very often	-	-	-	32.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Not changed from four or five years ago	-	-	-	49.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Have stopped to do	-	-	-	4.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Have never done to this day	-	-	-	12.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1593. XSJAPAN Changes in Spending Habits: Buying Japanese Products

Buying products made by Japanese manufacturers

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Have come to do very often	-	-	-	26.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Not changed from four or five years ago	-	-	-	57.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Have stopped to do	-	-	-	3.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Have never done to this day	-	-	-	11.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1594. QPRFDF Prefer Domestic Foods to Imported Foods

When you purchase foods, do you prefer domestics to imports?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	31.7	-	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.8	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.9	-	-	-	-	-
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.6	-	-	-	-	-
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-	-	-
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	-	-	-	-	-
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	4220	-	-	-	-	-

1595. PRFJPAPL Preference for Japanese Appliances

When you purchase electric appliances, do you prefer products by Japanese manufacturers?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	27.3	-	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	42.4	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.2	-	-	-	-	-
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.2	-	-	-	-	-
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	-	-	-	-	-
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-	-	-
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1596. Q4DEBT View on Borrowing Money

What do you think of the opinion that "it's OK to borrow some money in order to live well off"?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	15.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	41.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	40.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1597-1600. What do you think about opinions below regarding credit cards?

1597. OPCDUSFL View on Credit Cards: Convenient

Credit cards are convenient

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	32.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	32.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	12.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	21.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1598. OPCDOVER View on Credit Cards: Overuse

I'm concerned about overuse.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	48.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	29.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	9.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	10.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1599. OPCDCRM View on Credit Cards: Criminal Use

I'm concerned about if they are used for crimes.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	60.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	29.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	4.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	4.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1600. OPCDCM View on Credit Cards: Advertisement Regulation

Advertisements of credit cards should be regulated by law.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	31.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	32.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	19.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	15.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1601. NUMCARD Number of Credit Cards Owned

How many credit cards do you own? Please include ones that you don't use.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	None	-	-	-	-	40.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1	One	-	-	-	-	17.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Two	-	-	-	-	17.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Three	-	-	-	-	13.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Four	-	-	-	-	5.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Five	-	-	-	-	3.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Six or more	-	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Following question was asked to the respondents who answered "1. One", "2. Two", "3. Three", "4. Four", "5. Five", or "6. Six or more." in 1601. NUMCARD.

1602-1605. How often do you use credit cards for the following payments?

1602. USCDDAY Use of Credit Cards: Daily Shopping

Daily shopping

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	-	-	-	-	9.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	-	-	23.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	-	-	-	19.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Never	-	-	-	-	46.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	1199	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1603. USCDHIGH Use of Credit Cards: Expensive Items

Expensive items

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	-	-	-	-	15.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	-	-	30.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	-	-	-	16.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Never	-	-	-	-	36.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	1199	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1604. USCDEAT Use of Credit Cards: Eating Out

Eating out

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	-	-	-	-	4.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	-	-	8.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	-	-	-	12.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Never	-	-	-	-	71.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	2.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	1199	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1605. USCDCHRG Use of Credit Cards: Utilities or Communications

Utilities or communication expenses

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	-	-	-	-	10.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	-	-	8.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	-	-	-	8.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Never	-	-	-	-	71.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	1199	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1606-1609. How often do you use the following functions of credit cards?

1606. FNCDONE Use of Function of Credit Cards: Lump-Sum Payments

Purchasing items in full, one payment

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	-	-	-	-	31.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	-	-	25.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	-	-	-	10.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Never	-	-	-	-	31.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	1.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	1199	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1607. FNCDINST Use of Function of Credit Cards: Installment Payments

Purchasing items on installment

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	-	-	-	-	3.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	-	-	17.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	-	-	-	13.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Never	-	-	-	-	63.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	1199	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1608. FNCDREVO Use of Function of Credit Cards: Revolving Repayments

Revolving repayments

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	-	-	-	-	5.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	-	-	7.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	-	-	-	8.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Never	-	-	-	-	76.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	2.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	1199	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1609. FNCDASH Use of Function of Credit Cards: Cashing

Cash advance

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	-	-	-	-	8.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	-	-	9.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	-	-	-	8.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Never	-	-	-	-	71.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	1199	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1610-1613. Nowadays consumer financing has become widespread. You can easily obtain a loan by using automatic loan application machines. What do you think about opinions A-D below regarding consumer financing?

1610. OPCUSFL View on Consumer Financing: Convenient

It's convenient.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	8.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	17.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	16.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	53.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	4.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1611. OPCOVER View on Consumer Financing: Overuse

I'm concerned about overuse.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	64.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	16.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	4.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	11.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	4.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1612. OPCSCRM View on Consumer Financing: Criminal Use

I'm concerned about if it is used for crimes.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	62.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	20.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	8.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	4.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1613. OPCSCM View on Consumer Financing: Advertisement Regulation

Advertisements of consumer financing should be regulated by law.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	48.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	24.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	10.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	12.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1614. NUMCONSF Experience of Using Consumer Financing

Have you ever used consumer financing to borrow money in the past three years?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	None	-	-	-	-	94.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1	Once	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	2-5 times	-	-	-	-	2.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	6-9 times	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Ten times or more	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Following question was asked to the respondents who answered “1. Once”, “2. 2-5 times”, “3. 6-9 times” or “Ten times or more” in 1614. NUMCONS.

1615-1623. Use of Consumer Financing

Code	
0	Not chosen
1	Chosen
8	Not applicable
9	No answer

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
USCSDAY	Use of Consumer Financing: Daily Expenses	-	-	-	-	48.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
USCSMD	Use of Consumer Financing: Medical Expenses	-	-	-	-	7.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
USCSEDU	Use of Consumer Financing: Educational Expenses	-	-	-	-	7.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
USCSBUS	Use of Consumer Financing: Capital for Business	-	-	-	-	8.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
USCSSOC	Use of Consumer Financing: Social Expenses	-	-	-	-	14.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
USCSHOB	Use of Consumer Financing: Hobbies	-	-	-	-	23.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
USCSCLTH	Use of Consumer Financing: Accessories	-	-	-	-	10.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
USCSBANK	Use of Consumer Financing: Payments to Other Financial Institutions	-	-	-	-	19.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
USCSOTHR	Use of Consumer Financing: Others	-	-	-	-	4.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	114	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1624-1638. Meaning of School*

What does your school experience mean to you? Choose all that apply. If you are a student, tell us about the school where you are currently enrolled. If you have already graduated, tell us about the last school you attended.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
MSBASIC	Meaning of School: Obtaining Basic Knowledge	-	-	64.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MSSPEC	Meaning of School: Obtaining Specialized Knowledge	-	-	35.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MSJSKILL	Meaning of School: Obtaining Work Skills	-	-	23.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MSQUALF	Meaning of School: Acquireing Academic Credentials	-	-	36.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MSTALENT	Meaning of School: Cultivating Talent	-	-	15.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MSFRIEND	Meaning of School: Making Friends	-	-	62.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MSTEACHR	Meaning of School: Learning How to Live	-	-	16.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MSFINDJB	Meaning of School: Getting Job	-	-	18.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MSSPOUSE	Meaning of School: Finding Spouse	-	-	4.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MSFRTIME	Meaning of School: Enjoying Free Time	-	-	16.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MSETC	Meaning of School: Others	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MSNONE	Meaning of School: Nothing in Particular	-	-	7.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MSSPORT	Meaning of School: Sports/Extra-curricular Activities	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MSHUMAN	Meaning of School: Human Relationship/Sociability	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MSMENTAL	Meaning of School: Mental Growth	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

*MSSPORT (Sports/Extra-curricular Activities) , MSHUMAN (Human Relationship/Sociability) , MSMENTAL (Mental Growth) were added based on the content of MSETC (Others.)

MSNOMARK (Nothing marked) was recoded as "9. No answer" in the Cumulative dataset of 2000-2010.

2000-2015 Same as 2000-2010.

2000-2018 Same as 2000-2010.

1639-1646. What do you think of the following views on education?

1639. OP4EDABI View on Education: Academic Career is Determined by Ability

A person's academic career is for the most part determined by one's own ability

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	26.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	46.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	15.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	9.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1640. OP4EDPAR View on Education: Academic Career is Determined by Parents Choice

A person's academic career is for the most part determined by one's parents' educational choices

Code		2000	2001	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	7.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	36.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	34.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	21.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1641. OP4EDECN View on Education: Academic Career is Determined by Parents Income

A person's academic career is for the most part determined by one's economic status such as one's parents' income and property.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	10.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	39.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	29.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	19.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1642. OP4EDINC View on Education: Higher Academic Career Leads Higher Income

A person with a superior academic career will obtain a higher income.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	12.7	-	-	11.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	39.2	-	-	46.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	30.7	-	-	23.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	16.1	-	-	16.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	1.3	-	-	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	2953	-	-	4254	-	-	-	-	-	-

1643. OP4EDHI View on Education: Shoud Give Children High Education

It is important to give children as high an education as possible

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	12.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	41.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	31.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	12.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1644. OP4EDUNI View on Education: Attended University Determines Life Course

University graduates' lives may vary considerably, depending on the university from which they graduated.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	18.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	39.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	27.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	13.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1645. OP4EDJOB View on Education: Higher Academic Career Leads to Desired Job

A person with a superior academic career can obtain the job he/she wants.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	9.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	43.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	25.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	20.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	4254	-	-	-	-	-	-

1646. OP4EDMG View on Education: Higher Academic Career Leads to Better Marriage

A person with a superior academic career has better marriage prospects. よりよい結婚ができる

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	3.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	18.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	36.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	40.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	4254	-	-	-	-	-	-

1647-1650. Generally speaking, how important do you think the following are for children?

1647. IMEDLSSN Important Education: Extra-Curricular Activities

Taking lessons after-school

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very Important	-	-	-	-	-	6.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	-	-	-	-	-	28.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat important	-	-	-	-	-	54.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	-	-	-	-	-	8.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	4254	-	-	-	-	-	-

1648. IMEDCRAM Important Education: Cram School or Prep School

Going to cram school or preparatory school

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very Important	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	-	-	-	-	-	17.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat important	-	-	-	-	-	56.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	-	-	-	-	-	22.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	4254	-	-	-	-	-	-

1649. IMEDUNIV Important Education: University

Getting into university

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very Important	-	-	-	-	-	7.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	-	-	-	-	-	26.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat important	-	-	-	-	-	43.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	-	-	-	-	-	21.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	4254	-	-	-	-	-	-

1650. IMEDHRU Important Education: High-Level University

Getting into a relatively high-ranking university

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very Important	-	-	-	-	-	4.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	-	-	-	-	-	18.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat important	-	-	-	-	-	37.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	-	-	-	-	-	38.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	4254	-	-	-	-	-	-

1651. OPEXED Comparison of Educational Expenditures

Compared with Japanese families in general, about how much money have you spent on the education of your first child?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Far below average	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Below average	-	-	-	-	-	12.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Average	-	-	-	-	-	39.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Above average	-	-	-	-	-	15.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Far above average	-	-	-	-	-	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	No children, or haven't yet spent money on education	-	-	-	-	-	24.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	4254	-	-	-	-	-	-

1652. OPEDMND View on Education of Heart

There is an opinion that “from now on school education should place more emphasis on improving education of the heart than on improving academic standards.” What do you think of this opinion?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	31.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	49.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	12.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	5.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1653-1656. Experience of Extra-school Education *

Have you attended a cram school or studied under a private tutor when you were an elementary or junior high school student? Choose all that apply to you if you attended a cram school or were taught by a private tutor for half a year or longer. If you attended a cram school or were taught by a private tutor for less than half a year, or were not involved in either situation, choose ‘4 I have not taken part in extra-curricular academic learning.’

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
XSJUKU	Extra-school Education: Cram School	-	-	26.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XSTUTOR	Extra-school Education: Private Tutor	-	-	8.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XSCORR	Extra-school Education: Correspondence Course	-	-	5.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
XSNONE	Extra-school Education: None	-	-	66.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	2953	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

*XSNOMARK (Nothing marked) was recoded as “9. No answer” in the Cumulative dataset of 2000-2010.

2000-2015 Same as 2000-2010.

2000-2018 Same as 2000-2010.

1657-1658. How did your parents treat you when you were 15 years old? Choose only one item that applies to your father and mother.

1657. PPDCL15 Disciplining at Age 15 from Father

Father

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strict and scolded me unilaterally	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.8	-	-	-	-	-
2	Strict but was responsive to my opinion	-	-	-	-	-	-	49.9	-	-	-	-	-
3	Affectionate and accepted any request from me	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.5	-	-	-	-	-
4	Unconcerned about me	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.8	-	-	-	-	-
5	I did not have a father/mother	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.2	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	4220	-	-	-	-	-

1658. MMDCL15 Disciplining at Age 15 from Mother

Mother

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strict and scolded me unilaterally	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.4	-	-	-	-	-
2	Strict but was responsive to my opinion	-	-	-	-	-	-	52.8	-	-	-	-	-
3	Affectionate and accepted any request from me	-	-	-	-	-	-	32.7	-	-	-	-	-
4	Unconcerned about me	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.7	-	-	-	-	-
5	I did not have a father/mother	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	4220	-	-	-	-	-

1659-1661. There are the following two opinions, A and B, regarding disciplining an approximately 5-year-old child. Where would you place your opinion on the following 1 through 4?

1659. LMTCCBH Views on Limits on the Child Behavior

A Parents should set limits on the child behavior.

B Parents should stay out of the child behavior, and let the child go.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Close to A	-	-	-	-	-	-	42.1	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat close to A	-	-	-	-	-	-	42.3	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat close to B	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.4	-	-	-	-	-
4	Close to B	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2060	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1660. RPSCCFL Views on Responsiveness to the Child Feelings

A Parents should be responsive to the child feelings.

B Parents should not be influenced by the child feelings.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Close to A	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.3	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat close to A	-	-	-	-	-	-	46.9	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat close to B	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.2	-	-	-	-	-
4	Close to B	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.6	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2060	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1661. WNYOCHL Views on Warning the Child Even if the Child Is Not Your Own

A. Adults should warn the child even if the child is not your own.

B. Adults should stay out of the child if the child is not your own.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Close to A	-	-	-	-	-	-	40.6	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat close to A	-	-	-	-	-	-	48.3	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat close to B	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.8	-	-	-	-	-
4	Close to B	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2060	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1662-1667. During the last 10 years, how do you think the following changed in your vicinity?

1662. XS10YCDH Change in the Past 10 Years: Ability of Child Discipline at Home

Ability of child discipline at home

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Increased	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-
2	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	-	-	-	-	-
3	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.9	-	-	-	-	-
4	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.9	-	-	-	-	-
5	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.2	-	-	-	-	-
6	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.0	-	-	-	-	-
7	Decreased	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.3	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2060	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1663. XS10YCDS Change in the Past 10 Years: Ability of Child Discipline at School

Ability of child discipline at school

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Increased	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	-
2	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	-	-	-	-	-
3	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.3	-	-	-	-	-
4	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.0	-	-	-	-	-
5	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.1	-	-	-	-	-
6	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.2	-	-	-	-	-
7	Decreased	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.5	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2060	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1664. XS10YCDC Change in the Past 10 Years: Ability of Child Discipline in Community

Ability of child discipline in community

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Increased	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-
2	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	-
3	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.2	-	-	-	-	-
4	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.8	-	-	-	-	-
5	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.4	-	-	-	-	-
6	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.0	-	-	-	-	-
7	Decreased	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.0	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2060	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1665. XS10YPPP Change in the Past 10 Years: Psychological Presence of Father

Psychological presence of father

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Increased	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	-	-	-	-	-
2	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	-	-	-	-	-
3	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.5	-	-	-	-	-
4	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.6	-	-	-	-	-
5	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.0	-	-	-	-	-
6	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.6	-	-	-	-	-
7	Decreased	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.5	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2060	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1666. XS10YPPM Change in the Past 10 Years: Psychological Presence of Mother

Psychological presence of mother

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Increased	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.1	-	-	-	-	-
2	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.0	-	-	-	-	-
3	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.9	-	-	-	-	-
4	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.0	-	-	-	-	-
5	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.3	-	-	-	-	-
6	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.4	-	-	-	-	-
7	Decreased	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.3	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2060	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1667. XS10YMSC Change in the Past 10 Years: Moral Sense of Child

Moral sense of child

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Increased	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	-	-	-	-	-
2	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	-	-	-	-	-
3	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.3	-	-	-	-	-
4	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.4	-	-	-	-	-
5	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.4	-	-	-	-	-
6	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.4	-	-	-	-	-
7	Decreased	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.3	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2060	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1668. XSBULLY Witnessing of Bullying at School

Has anyone close to you been bullied (attacked by force, threatened, blackmailed, ignored or verbally assaulted) at school?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	25.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	41.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Don't know	-	-	-	32.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1669-1675. If a student killed himself/herself because of being bullied at school, how much do you think each of the followings is to blame?

1669. SUSELF Responsibility of Bullying: Bullied Student

The student himself/herself

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much	-	-	-	13.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	To a certain degree	-	-	-	47.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Not very much	-	-	-	13.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	8.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Don't know	-	-	-	16.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1670. SUBULLY Responsibility of Bullying: Bullying Students

Students who bullied him/her

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much	-	-	-	74.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	To a certain degree	-	-	-	19.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Not very much	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Don't know	-	-	-	5.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1671. SUCMATE Responsibility of Bullying: Other Classmates

Other classmates (schoolmates in the same grade)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much	-	-	-	15.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	To a certain degree	-	-	-	60.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Not very much	-	-	-	12.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Don't know	-	-	-	9.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1672. SUTCHER Responsibility of Bullying: Class Teacher

Class teacher

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much	-	-	-	49.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	To a certain degree	-	-	-	40.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Not very much	-	-	-	3.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Don't know	-	-	-	5.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1673. SUSCHL Responsibility of Bullying: School

School

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much	-	-	-	47.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	To a certain degree	-	-	-	40.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Not very much	-	-	-	4.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Don't know	-	-	-	5.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1674. SUFFSLF Responsibility of Bullying: Guardians of Bullied Student

Guardians (including parents) of the student

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much	-	-	-	34.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	To a certain degree	-	-	-	47.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Not very much	-	-	-	8.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Don't know	-	-	-	6.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1675. SUFFBUL Responsibility of Bullying: Guardians of Bullying Students

Guardians of bullying students

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much	-	-	-	50.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	To a certain degree	-	-	-	39.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Not very much	-	-	-	3.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Don't know	-	-	-	5.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1676. OPCLUBT View on Involvement of Teachers in Club Activities

It is argued whether a teacher of sports club at junior high school should attend the club activities all the time or not. Do you think that the teacher should always attend the activities?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	The teacher should attend all the time.	-	-	-	33.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	The teacher should attend as much as possible.	-	-	-	46.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	The teacher should attend sometimes.	-	-	-	9.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	The teacher does not have to attend the activities.	-	-	-	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Don't know	-	-	-	8.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1957	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1677-1684. Person to Talk with on Mental Health

With drastic changes in society, the issue of mental health has become important. If you were suffering from a large amount of personal worries or stress, and if you were concerned you might have a nervous breakdown, whom do you think you might like to talk with? Choose all that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
WLADFF	Person to Talk with on Mental Health: Family	-	-	-	-	71.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WLADFRI	Person to Talk with on Mental Health: Friends/Acquaintances/Significant Others	-	-	-	-	38.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WLADDDSP	Person to Talk with on Mental Health: Psychiatrists/Psychosomatic Physicians	-	-	-	-	32.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WLADDD	Person to Talk with on Mental Health: Other Doctors	-	-	-	-	8.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WLADPSY	Person to Talk with on Mental Health: Specialists in Psychology	-	-	-	-	13.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WLADRLGN	Person to Talk with on Mental Health: Persons of Religion	-	-	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WLADOTHR	Person to Talk with on Mental Health: Others	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WLADNONE	Person to Talk with on Mental Health: None	-	-	-	-	7.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1685. XCOUNSLR Experience of Having Counseling (Respondent) In the past five years, have you undergone any psychological counseling with a counselor or psychiatrist?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	4.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	95.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Following question was asked to the respondents who answered "2. No" in 1685. XCOUNSLR.

1686. WLCOUNSL Wish to Have Counseling

Have you ever thought that you would like to have a counseling?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Frequently	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	-	-	9.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rarely	-	-	-	-	22.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Never	-	-	-	-	57.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	10.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	1926	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1687. XCOUNSLF Experience of Having Counseling (Family)

In the past five years, have any of your family members living with you undergone any psychological counseling?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	5.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	78.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Not living with anyone	-	-	-	-	8.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	7.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1688. KWOUNSL Knowledge of Counseling

Do you think that you have more knowledge of counseling or psychology than the average person?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Certain degree	-	-	-	-	5.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	A little	-	-	-	-	19.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Little	-	-	-	-	36.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	38.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1689. ZTIME Duration for Interview Part of Form B

Duration for Interview Part of Form B

The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

Code	
888	Not applicable
999	No answer

1690-1701. "I'm going to ask you about the people you often talk to. First, please think of the people with whom you discuss matters important to you or those in whom you confide."

"Write down their names, initials or nicknames in the blanks A through D so that you can identify them afterwards. Write down up to four names. If you cannot think of four, write down as many as you can. If you cannot think of anybody, you do not have to write down anything on the paper."

1690. Z1NUM Number of Confidantes Regarding Troubles: with Details

'How many names (or initials, etc.) did you write down?'

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	None	-	-	-	8.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1	1	-	-	-	20.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	2	-	-	-	23.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	3	-	-	-	19.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	4	-	-	-	27.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to the respondents who answered "4. 4" in 1690. Z1NUM.

1691. Z1ELSE Number of Confidantes Regarding Troubles: without Details

'In addition to the ones you wrote down, how many people did you think of with whom you discuss matters important to you or those in whom you confide?'

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	None	-	-	-	42.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1	-	-	-	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2	-	-	-	12.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	3	-	-	-	6.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	4	-	-	-	6.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	5	-	-	-	3.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	6	-	-	-	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	7	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	8	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	10 or more	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
999	No answer	-	-	-	18.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	467	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
888	Not applicable												

1692-1695. Z1XX[A-D] Presence or Absence of [A-D]

'Which of the Boxes A through D are blanks?'

The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

Code	
0	Not chosen
1	Chosen
8	Not applicable

1696-1622. Z1KNOW[AB-CD] [A-C] and [B-D] Know Each Other

“Do the people written on this worksheet know each other?”

Z1KNOW[AB-CD] ([AB-CD] is the total of every possible pair between A/B/C/D.)

The table below shows the distribution of 4210 cases that fall within the categories of 1, 2, 3 and 9, out of the total cases of 10236 (1706 responses in Form B × 6 pairs between A/B/C/D.)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	They know each other.	-	-	-	74.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	I don't think they know each other.	-	-	-	23.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	I don't know.	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	4210	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	One/Both of them is/are absent.												
8	Not applicable												

1702-1713. “Now, please think of the people with whom you discuss Japanese politics, elections or politicians. You may include people with whom you occasionally talk about the above topics. You can also include the people you have already mentioned in your replies to the earlier questions.”

1702. Z2NUM Number of Partners on Political Topics: with Details

“How many names (including initials) did you write down?”

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	None	-	-	-	26.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1	1	-	-	-	26.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	2	-	-	-	19.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	3	-	-	-	13.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	4	-	-	-	14.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to the respondents who answered “4.4” in 1702. Z2NUM.

1703. Z2ELSE Number of Partners on Political Topics: without Details

“In addition to the ones you wrote down, how many people do you talk about Japanese politics, elections or politicians with?”

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	0	-	-	-	46.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1	-	-	-	3.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2	-	-	-	5.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	3	-	-	-	4.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	4	-	-	-	5.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	5	-	-	-	5.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	6	-	-	-	4.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	10 or more	-	-	-	11.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
999	No answer	-	-	-	14.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	241	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
888	Not applicable												

1704-1707. Z2XX[E-H] Presence or Absence of [E-H]

“Which of the Boxes E through H are blanks?”

The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

Code	
0	Not chosen
1	Chosen
8	Not applicable

1708-1713. Z2KNOW[EF-GH] [E-G] and [F-H] Know Each Other

'Do the people written on this worksheet know each other?'

Z2KNOW[EF-GH] ([EF-GH] is the total of every possible pair between E/F/G/H.)

The table below shows the distribution of 2479 cases that fall within the categories of 1, 2, 3 and 9, out of the total cases of 10236 (1706 responses in Form B × 6 pairs between E/F/G/H.)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	They know each other.	-	-	-	74.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	I don't think they know each other.	-	-	-	23.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	I don't know.	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	One/Both of them is/are absent.	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	2479	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												
9	One/Both of them is/are absent.												

33. Following question was asked to respondents who answered "1. I worked last week" or "2. I was going to work last week, but did not work" in XJOB1WK. 1714-1725. 'Now please think of the people with whom you consult about your job or whom you ask for advice concerning your job. You can also include the people in your replies to the earlier questions. Just as you did in the earlier questions, please fill in Boxes I through L on the worksheet so that you can identify who they are. It is acceptable to use their names, initials or nicknames.'

1714. Z3NUM Number of Confidantes Regarding Work: with Details

'How many names (including initials) did you write down?'

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	0	-	-	-	13.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1	1	-	-	-	18.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	2	-	-	-	22.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	3	-	-	-	19.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	4	-	-	-	26.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	no answer	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	997	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	not applicable												

Following question was asked to the respondents who answered "4. 4." in 1714. Z3NUM .

1715. Z3ELSE Number of Confidantes Regarding Work: without Details

'In addition to the ones you wrote down, how many people do you consult about your job or ask for advice about your job?'

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	0	-	-	-	34.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1	-	-	-	6.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2	-	-	-	13.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	3	-	-	-	7.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	4	-	-	-	7.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	5	-	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	6	-	-	-	3.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	7	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	8	-	-	-	34.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	10or more	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
999	No answer	-	-	-	18.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	467	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
888	Not applicable												

1716-1719. Z3XX[I-L] Presence or Absence of [I-L]

'Which of the Boxes I through L are blanks?'

The frequency table for these variables are not shown.

Code	
0	Not chosen
1	Chosen
8	Not applicable

1720-1725. Z3KNOW[IJ-KL] [E-G] and [F-H] Know Each Other

'Do the people written on this worksheet know each other?'

Z3KNOW[IJ-KL] ([IJ-KL] is the total of every possible pair between I/J/K/L.)

The table below shows the distribution of 2393 cases that fall within the categories of 1, 2, 3 and 9, out of the total cases of 10236 (1706 responses in Form B × 6 pairs between I/J/K/L.)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	They know each other.	-	-	-	71.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	I don't think they know each other.	-	-	-	26.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	I don't know.	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	2393	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	One/Both of them is/are absent												
8	Not applicable												

1726-1731. ZSAME[1-6] Same Person [1-6]

"As shown in this example, draw a line between the boxes representing the same person on your worksheet. Which boxes did you connect with a line? Reply using the letters of the boxes"

The total number of cases where E-L represents the same person is compiled using the information obtained from ZSAME1 to ZSAME6, as shown in the table below. If [E-H] and [I-H] are the same person, this question is skipped and categorized as "Not applicable." For example, 848 out of 1261 respondents who know E answered that "E" represents the same person as anyone in A-D. Therefore, the number of respondents who answered the following question about E is limited to 413. The omitted information can be retrieved by referring to the answers to ZSAME1 to ZSAME6.

E		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
	Anyone in A-D represents the same person	-	-	-	67.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	No same person	-	-	-	32.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1261	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

F		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
	Anyone in A-D represents the same person	-	-	-	52.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	No same person	-	-	-	47.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	810	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

G		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
	Anyone in A-D represents the same person	-	-	-	40.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	No same person	-	-	-	59.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	473	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

H		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
	Anyone in A-D represents the same person	-	-	-	35.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	No same person	-	-	-	64.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	241	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

I		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
	Anyone in A-D represents the same person	-	-	-	20.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Only one of E-H is the same person				7.6								
	Anyone in A-D and anyone in E-H are the same person				36.9								
	No same person	-	-	-	34.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	859	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

J		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
	Anyone in A-D represents the same person	-	-	-	20.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Only one of E-H is the same person				11.2								
	Anyone in A-D and anyone in E-H are the same person				20.2								
	No same person	-	-	-	48.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	679	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

K		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
	Anyone in A-D represents the same person	-	-	-	15.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Only one of E-H is the same person				9.0								
	Anyone in A-D and anyone in E-H are the same person				14.8								
	No same person	-	-	-	60.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	458	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

L		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
	Anyone in A-D represents the same person	-	-	-	15.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Only one of E-H is the same person				8.0								
	Anyone in A-D and anyone in E-H are the same person				11.8								
	No same person	-	-	-	64.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	262	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1732-1831. Following questions are about the people with whom you discuss matters important to you or those in whom you confide (A, B, C, and D). Please refer to your memo on the worksheet when answering the questions.

1732. ZSSA-1831. ZCONOMKD represent the total of A-D.

1732-1775. Relationship to [A-D]

What is your relationship to each of the people you mentioned? Choose all that apply.

Code

0	Not chosen
1	Chosen
8	Not applicable

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
ZSS[A-D]	Relationship to A-D: Spouse	-	-	-	21.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKIN1[A-D]	Relationship to A-D: Parent/Child	-	-	-	23.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKIN2[A-D]	Relationship to A-D: Other Family Member/Relative	-	-	-	15.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZJOBREL[A-D]	Relationship to A-D: Superior/Subordinate at Work	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZJOBCOL[A-D]	Relationship to A-D: Coworker	-	-	-	4.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZJOBETC[A-D]	Relationship to A-D: Other Business Associate	-	-	-	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZTEAM[A-D]	Relationship to A-D: Member of Group I Belong to	-	-	-	2.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZNEIB[A-D]	Relationship to A-D: Neighbor	-	-	-	3.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZFRIE[A-D]	Relationship to A-D: Friend	-	-	-	24.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZRELETC[A-D]	Relationship to A-D: Other	-	-	-	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZRLNOMK[A-D]	Relationship to A-D: No Answer	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	4026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1776-1779. ZSEX[A-D] Sex of [A-D]

Are they male or female?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Male	-	-	-	42.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Female	-	-	-	56.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	4026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1780-1783. ZAGE[A-D] Age of [A-D]

How old are they? Please write down their ages in the boxes below. Approximate ages are acceptable.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	10~19	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	20~29	-	-	-	10.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	30~39	-	-	-	17.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	40~49	-	-	-	16.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	50~59	-	-	-	21.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	60~69	-	-	-	19.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	70~79	-	-	-	11.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	80 and over	-	-	-	2.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
999	No answer	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	4026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
888	Not applicable												

1784-1787. ZKNOWYR[A-D] Number of Years Since Becoming Acquainted with [A-D]

How long have you known them? How many years ago did you get to know them? Approximate number of years is acceptable.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	0~4 years	-	-	-	6.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	5~9 years	-	-	-	8.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	10~19 years	-	-	-	16.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	20~29 years	-	-	-	17.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	30~39 years	-	-	-	21.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	40 years and over	-	-	-	27.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
999	no answer	-	-	-	3.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	4026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
888	not applicable												

1788-1791. ZFQTALK[A-D] Frequency of Conversation with [A-D]

How often do you talk with them (including phone calls and e-mails)?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	41.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Several times a week	-	-	-	20.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	About once a week	-	-	-	16.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	About once a month	-	-	-	15.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Several times a year	-	-	-	6.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	4026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1792-1795. ZLSTSCH[A-D] Last School Attended by [A-D]

What are the last schools they attended (or the schools where they are currently enrolled)? Include the ones from which they did not graduate.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Junior high school	-	-	-	14.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	High school	-	-	-	46.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	2-year college/College of technology	-	-	-	8.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Vocational school	-	-	-	6.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	University/Graduate school	-	-	-	20.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	I Don't know.	-	-	-	4.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Before entering junior high school	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	4026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1796-1799. ZTP7JOB[A-D] Employment Status of [A-D]

Which one of the following best describes their current employment? If he/she is currently in school and is working part-time, choose '6: Student.'

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Self-employed/family worker	-	-	-	14.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Executive of a company or a corporation	-	-	-	4.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Regular employee	-	-	-	25.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Government employee	-	-	-	6.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Temporary employee	-	-	-	14.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Student	-	-	-	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Not working	-	-	-	33.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	I don't know.	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n			4026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

1800-1803. ZJOB[A-D] Occupation of [A-D]

Which one of the following best describes their jobs? You do not have to reply about those who are classified as 'Student' or 'Not working' in the previous question.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Senior management	-	-	-	9.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Middle management	-	-	-	7.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Professional or technical personnel	-	-	-	14.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Clerical work	-	-	-	16.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Sales	-	-	-	10.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Service	-	-	-	12.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Transportation and communication	-	-	-	2.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Protective service	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	Manufacturing and construction	-	-	-	13.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	Agriculture/Forestry/Fishery/Mining	-	-	-	5.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	I don't know.	-	-	-	4.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n			2600	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

1804-1807. ZCLOSE[A-D] Closeness with [A-D]

How close are you with these people?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very close	-	-	-	79.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Close	-	-	-	18.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Not very close	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n			4026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1808-1811. ZPLTALK[A-D] Have Political Conversations with [A-D]

Have you talked about politics, elections, or politicians with these people recently?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I have talked about those matters.	-	-	-	36.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	I have not talked much about those matters.	-	-	-	62.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n			4026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1812-1815. ZVOTE[A-D] Political Party for which [A-D] Votes

Which party do you think they will vote for (or voted for) in the national election? Choose one that applies.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Liberal Democratic Party	-	-	-	30.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Democratic Party of Japan	-	-	-	8.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	New Komeito	-	-	-	3.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Leberal Party	-	-	-	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Japanese Communist Party	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Social Democratic Party	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	New Conservative Party	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	Other party	-	-	-	48.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	I don't know.	-	-	-	4.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	I don't think the person will go to the polls.	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	4026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

1816-1831. Association with [A-D]

Choose all that apply to you and these people.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
	Multiple answers												
ZCOHOB[A-D]	Association with A-D: Common Hobbies	-	-	-	49.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZCOUTG[A-D]	Association with A-D: Going on Outing	-	-	-	73.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZCOMONY[A-D]	Association with A-D: Possibility of Borrowing Money	-	-	-	20.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZCONOMK[A-D]	Association with A-D: No Marking	-	-	-	9.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	4026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1832-1931. Following questions are about the people with whom you discuss Japanese politics, elections, or politicians (E – H.) Please refer to your memo on the worksheet when answering the questions.

1832. ZSSE-1931. ZCONOMKH represent the total of E-H:

What is your relationship to each of the people you mentioned? Choose all that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
	Multiple answers												
ZSS[E-H]	Relationship to E-H: Spouse	-	-	-	6.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKIN1[E-H]	Relationship to E-H: Parent/Child	-	-	-	15.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKIN2[E-H]	Relationship to E-H: Other Family Member/Relative	-	-	-	7.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZJOBREL[E-H]	Relationship to E-H: Superior/Subordinate at Work	-	-	-	7.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZJOBCOL[E-H]	Relationship to E-H: Coworker	-	-	-	11.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZJOBETC[E-H]	Relationship to E-H: Other Business Associate	-	-	-	6.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZTEAM[E-H]	Relationship to E-H: Member of Group I Belong to	-	-	-	5.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZNEIB[E-H]	Relationship to E-H: Neighbor	-	-	-	9.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZFRIE[E-H]	Relationship to E-H: Friend	-	-	-	25.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZRELET[E-H]	Relationship to E-H: Other	-	-	-	3.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZRLNOMK[E-H]	Relationship to E-H: No Answer	-	-	-	2.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1233	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1876-1879. ZSEX[E-H] Sex of [E-H]

Are they male or female?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Male	-	-	-	64.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Female	-	-	-	32.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	3.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1233	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1880-1883. ZAGE[E-H] Age of [E-H]

How old are they? Please write down their ages in the boxes below. Approximate ages are acceptable.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	10~19	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	20~29	-	-	-	7.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	30~39	-	-	-	11.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	40~49	-	-	-	13.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	50~59	-	-	-	26.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	60~69	-	-	-	23.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	70~79	-	-	-	12.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	80 or over	-	-	-	2.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
999	No answer	-	-	-	2.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1233	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
888	Not applicable												

1884-1887. ZKNOWYR[E-H] Number of Years Since Becoming Acquainted with [E-H]

How long have you known them? How many years ago did you get to know them? Approximate number of years is acceptable.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	0~4 years	-	-	-	14.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	5~9 years	-	-	-	9.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	10~19 years	-	-	-	20.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	20~29 years	-	-	-	21.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	30~39 years	-	-	-	16.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	40 years or over	-	-	-	14.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
999	No answer	-	-	-	4.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1233	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
888	Not applicable												

1888-1891. ZFQTALK[E-H] Frequency of Conversation with [E-H]

How often do you talk with them (including phone calls and e-mails)?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	33.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Several times a week	-	-	-	20.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	About once a week	-	-	-	16.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	About once a month	-	-	-	18.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Several times a year	-	-	-	9.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	2.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1233	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1892-1895. ZLSTSCH[E-H] Last School Attended by [E-H]

What are the last schools they attended (or the schools where they are currently enrolled)? Include the ones from which they did not graduate.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Junior high school	-	-	-	11.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	High school	-	-	-	38.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	2-year college/College of technology	-	-	-	5.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Vocational school	-	-	-	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	University/Graduate school	-	-	-	26.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	I don't know.	-	-	-	11.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Before entering junior high school	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1233	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1896-1899. ZTP7JOB[E-H] Employment Status of [E-H]

Which one of the following best describes their current employment? If he/she is currently in school and is working part-time, choose "6. Student."

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Self-employed/family worker	-	-	-	17.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Executive of a company or a corporation	-	-	-	8.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Regular employee	-	-	-	24.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Government employee	-	-	-	7.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Temporary employee	-	-	-	11.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Student	-	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Not working	-	-	-	24.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	I don't know.	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1233	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

1900-1903. ZJOB[E-H] Occupation of E[E-H]

Which one of the following best describes their jobs? You do not have to reply about those who are classified as 'Student' or 'Not working' in the previous question.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Senior management	-	-	-	18.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Middle management	-	-	-	7.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Professional or technical personnel	-	-	-	14.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Clerical work	-	-	-	12.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Sales	-	-	-	9.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Service	-	-	-	9.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Transportation and communication	-	-	-	3.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Protective service	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	Manufacturing and construction	-	-	-	11.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	Agriculture/Forestry/Fishery/Mining	-	-	-	6.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	I don't know	-	-	-	6.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	875	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

1904-1907. ZCLOSE[E-H] Closeness with [E-H]

How close are you with these people?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very close	-	-	-	48.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Close	-	-	-	44.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Not very close	-	-	-	5.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1233	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1908-1911. ZPLTALK[E-H] Have Political Conversations with [E-H]

Have you talked about politics, elections, or politicians with these people recently?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I have talked about those matters.	-	-	-	67.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	I have not talked much about those matters.	-	-	-	30.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1233	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1912-1915. ZVOTE[E-H] Political Party for which [E-H] Votes

Which party do you think they will vote for (or voted for) in the national election? Choose one that applies.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Liberal Democratic Party	-	-	-	38.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Democratic Party of Japan	-	-	-	9.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	New Komeito	-	-	-	6.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Leberal Party	-	-	-	2.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Japanese Communist Party	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Social Democratic Party	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	New Conservative Party	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	I don't know	-	-	-	35.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	I Don't think the person will go to the polls.	-	-	-	2.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	The person is not eligible to vote.	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	2.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1233	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

1916-1931. Association with [E-H]

Choose all that apply to you and these people.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
	Multiple answers												
ZCOHOBB[E-H]	Association with E-H: Common Hobbies	-	-	-	49.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZCOUTG[E-H]	Association with E-H: Going on Outing	-	-	-	61.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZCOMONY[E-H]	Association with E-H: Possibility of Borrowing Money	-	-	-	12.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZCONOMK[E-H]	Association with E-H: No Marking	-	-	-	15.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1233	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1932-2031. The following questions are about the people whom you consult about your job or whom you ask for advice concerning your job (I - L). Please refer to your memo on the worksheet when answering the questions.

The total of I to L is the aggregate from 1932.ZSSI to 2031.ZCONOMKL

1932-1975. Relationship to [I-L]

What is your relationship to each of the people you mentioned? Choose all that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Chosen												
1	Not chosen												
8	Not applicable												
	Multiple answers												
ZSS[I-L]	Relationship to I-L: Spouse	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKIN1[I-L]	Relationship to I-L: Parent/Child	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKIN2[I-L]	Relationship to I-L: Other Family Member/Relative	-	-	-	2.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZJOBREL[I-L]	Relationship to I-L: Superior/Subordinate at Work	-	-	-	31.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZJOBCOL[I-L]	Relationship to I-L: Coworker	-	-	-	28.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZJOBETC[I-L]	Relationship to I-L: Other Business Associate	-	-	-	13.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZTEAM[I-L]	Relationship to I-L: Member of Group I Belong to	-	-	-	5.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZNEIB[I-L]	Relationship to I-L: Neighbor	-	-	-	2.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZFRIE[I-L]	Relationship to I-L: Friend	-	-	-	10.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZRELET[I-L]	Relationship to I-L: Other	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZRLNOMK[I-L]	Relationship to I-L: No Answer	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1075	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1976-1979. ZSEX[I-L] Sex of [I-L]

Are they male or female?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Male	-	-	-	61.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Female	-	-	-	36.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1075	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1980-1983. ZAGE[I-L] Age of [I-L]

Please write down their ages in the boxes below. Approximate ages are acceptable.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	10~19	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	20~29	-	-	-	9.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	30~39	-	-	-	17.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	40~49	-	-	-	24.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	50~59	-	-	-	29.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	60~69	-	-	-	12.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	70~79	-	-	-	3.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	80 or over	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
999	No answer	-	-	-	2.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1075	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
888	Not applicable												

1984-1987. ZKNOWYR[I-L] Number of Years Since Becoming Acquainted with I[I-L]

How long have you known them? How many years ago did you get to know them? Approximate number of years is acceptable.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	0~4 years	-	-	-	35.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	5~9 years	-	-	-	15.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	10~19 years	-	-	-	22.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	20~29 years	-	-	-	13.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	30~39 years	-	-	-	6.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	40 years or over	-	-	-	3.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
999	No answer	-	-	-	2.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1075	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
888	Not applicable												

1988-1991. ZFQTALK[I-L] Frequency of Conversation with I[I-L]

How often do you talk with them (including phone calls and e-mails)?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	39.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Several times a week	-	-	-	26.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	About once a week	-	-	-	13.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	About once a month	-	-	-	14.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Several times a year	-	-	-	4.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	2.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1075	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1992-1995. ZLSTSCH[I-L] Last School Attended by [I-L]

What are the last schools they attended (or the schools where they are currently enrolled)? Include the ones from which they did not graduate.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Junior high school	-	-	-	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	High school	-	-	-	34.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	2-year college/College of technology	-	-	-	6.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Vocational school	-	-	-	6.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	University/Graduate school	-	-	-	29.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	I don't know	-	-	-	15.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Before entering junior high school	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	2.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1075	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

1996-1999. ZTP7JOB[I-L] Employment Status of [I-L]

Which one of the following best describes their current employment? If he/she is currently in school and is working part-time, choose '6: Student.'

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Self-employed/family worker	-	-	-	14.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Executive of a company or a corporation	-	-	-	11.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Regular employee	-	-	-	43.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Government employee	-	-	-	10.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Temporary employee	-	-	-	13.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Student	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Not working	-	-	-	3.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	I don't know	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1075	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

2000-2003. ZJOB[I-L] Occupation of [I-L]

Which one of the following best describes their jobs? You do not have to reply about those who are classified as 'Student' or 'Not working' in the previous question.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Senior management	-	-	-	16.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Middle management	-	-	-	15.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Professional or technical personnel	-	-	-	16.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Clerical work	-	-	-	11.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Sales	-	-	-	7.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Service	-	-	-	12.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Transportation and communication	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Protective service	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	Manufacturing and construction	-	-	-	11.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	Agriculture/Forestry/Fishery/Mining	-	-	-	3.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	I don't know	-	-	-	2.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1012	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

2004-2007. ZCLOSE[I-L] Closeness with [I-L]

How close are you with these people?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very close	-	-	-	27.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Close	-	-	-	57.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Not very close	-	-	-	12.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1075	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2008-2011. ZPLTALK[I-L] Have Political Conversations with [I-L]

Have you talked about politics, elections, or politicians with these people recently?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I have talked about those matters.	-	-	-	18.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	I have not talked much about those matters.	-	-	-	79.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	2.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	1075	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2012-2015. ZVOTE[I-L] Political Party for which [I-L] Votes

Which party do you think they will vote for (or voted for) in the national election? Choose one that applies.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Liberal Democratic Party	-	-	-	20.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Democratic Party of Japan	-	-	-	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
i	New Komeito	-	-	-	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Leberal Party	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Japanese Communist Party	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Social Democratic Party	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	New Conservative Party	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	I don't know	-	-	-	65.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	I don't think the person will go to the polls.	-	-	-	3.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	The person is not eligible to vote.	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	2.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1075	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

2016-2031. Association with [I-L]

Choose all that apply to you and these people.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
ZCOHOBB[I-L]	Association with I-L: Common Hobbies	-	-	-	34.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZCOUTG[I-L]	Association with I-L: Going on Outing	-	-	-	55.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZCOMONY[I-L]	Association with I-L: Possibility of Borrowing Money	-	-	-	3.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZCONOMK[I-L]	Association with I-L: No Marking	-	-	-	27.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1075	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

2032-2103. Do you have any acquaintance who fit descriptions in (A)-(R)? An acquaintance here means some one whom you know enough as to have conversation with. Is the person a male or a female? If you have both male and female acquaintances, please circle both.

Code	
0	Not chosen
1	Chosen
8	Not applicable

2032-2035. Acquainted with Leader of Neighborhood Association

Leader of neighborhood association/ self-governing body

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
ZKJICHIM	Acquainted with Leader of Neighborhood Assoc: Male	-	-	-	43.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKJICHIF	Acquainted with Leader of Neighborhood Assoc: Female	-	-	-	27.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKJICHIN	Acquainted with Leader of Neighborhood Assoc: None	-	-	-	45.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKJICHIX	Acquainted with Leader of Neighborhood Assoc: No Answer	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

2036-2039. Acquainted with Leader of Volunteer Group

Leader of volunteer group/ civic movement group

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
ZKVOLM	Acquainted with Leader of Volunteer Group: Male	-	-	-	13.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKVOLF	Acquainted with Leader of Volunteer Group: Female	-	-	-	15.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKVOLN	Acquainted with Leader of Volunteer Group: None	-	-	-	75.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKVOLX	Acquainted with Leader of Volunteer Group: No Answer	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

2040-2043. Acquainted with Leader of Trade Association

Leader of trade association

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
ZKTRDEM	Acquainted with Leader of Trade Association: Male	-	-	-	13.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKTRDEF	Acquainted with Leader of Trade Association: Female	-	-	-	4.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKTRDEN	Acquainted with Leader of Trade Association: None	-	-	-	82.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKTRDEX	Acquainted with Leader of Trade Association: No Answer	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

2044-2047. Acquainted with Leader of Labor Union

Leader of labor union

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
ZKUNIM	Acquainted with Leader of Labor Union: Male	-	-	-	9.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKUNIF	Acquainted with Leader of Labor Union: Female	-	-	-	3.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKUNIN	Acquainted with Leader of Labor Union: None	-	-	-	86.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKUNIX	Acquainted with Leader of Labor Union: No Answer	-	-	-	2.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

2048-2051. Acquainted with Official in Municipal Government

Section head, general manager or other official in higher rank in a municipal government or a office municipal

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
ZKTOWNM	Acquainted with Official in Municipal Government: Male	-	-	-	21.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKTOWNF	Acquainted with Official in Municipal Government: Female	-	-	-	5.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKTOWNN	Acquainted with Official in Municipal Government: None	-	-	-	75.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKTOWNX	Acquainted with Official in Municipal Government: No Answer	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

2052-2055. Acquainted with Official in Prefectural Govt

Section head, general manager or other official in higher rank in a prefectural government or a prefectural office

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
ZKPREFM	Acquainted with Official in Prefectural Govt: Male	-	-	-	7.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKPREFF	Acquainted with Official in Prefectural Govt: Female	-	-	-	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKPREFN	Acquainted with Official in Prefectural Govt: None	-	-	-	89.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKPREFX	Acquainted with Official in Prefectural Govt: No Answer	-	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

2056-2059. Acquainted with Official in Central Government

Section head, general manager or other official in higher rank in a central government agency (ministry or agency)

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
ZKGVMTM	Acquainted with Official in Central Government: Male	-	-	-	4.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKGVMTF	Acquainted with Official in Central Government: Female	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKGVMTN	Acquainted with Official in Central Government: None	-	-	-	92.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKGVMTX	Acquainted with Official in Central Government: No Answer	-	-	-	2.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

2060-2063. Acquainted with Head of Municipality

Head of a municipality (including mayor of a city or a village chief)

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
ZKMAYRM	Acquainted with Head of Municipality: Male	-	-	-	11.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKMAYRF	Acquainted with Head of Municipality: Female	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKMAYRN	Acquainted with Head of Municipality: None	-	-	-	85.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKMAYRX	Acquainted with Head of Municipality: No Answer	-	-	-	2.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

2064-2067. Acquainted with Member of Local Assembly

Member of local assembly

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
ZKLOCALM	Acquainted with Member of Local Assembly: Male	-	-	-	25.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKLOCALF	Acquainted with Member of Local Assembly: Female	-	-	-	4.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKLOCALN	Acquainted with Member of Local Assembly: None	-	-	-	70.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKLOCALX	Acquainted with Member of Local Assembly: No Answer	-	-	-	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

2068-2071. Acquainted with Member of National Assembly

Member of national assembly

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
ZKDIETM	Acquainted with Member of National Assembly: Male	-	-	-	6.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKDIETF	Acquainted with Member of National Assembly: Female	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKDIETN	Acquainted with Member of National Assembly: None	-	-	-	90.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKDIETX	Acquainted with Member of National Assembly: No Answer	-	-	-	2.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

2072-2075. Acquainted with Supporter for Politician

Manager of support group for a politician (Koenkai) (including secretary of assembly members)

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
ZKSECRM	Acquainted with Supporter for Politician: Male	-	-	-	9.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKSECRF	Acquainted with Supporter for Politician: Female	-	-	-	2.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKSECRN	Acquainted with Supporter for Politician: None	-	-	-	87.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKSECRX	Acquainted with Supporter for Politician: No Answer	-	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

2076-2079. Acquainted with Person Involved in Mass Media: Female

Reporter, director or editor of mass media such as Newspaper and TV

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
ZKMEDIAM	Acquainted with Person Involved in Mass Media: Male	-	-	-	5.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKMEDIAF	Acquainted with Person Involved in Mass Media: Female	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKMEDIAN	Acquainted with Person Involved in Mass Media: None	-	-	-	90.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKMEDIAX	Acquainted with Person Involved in Mass Media: No Answer	-	-	-	2.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

2080-2083. Acquainted with Medical Doctor

Medical doctor

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
ZKDOCM	Acquainted with Medical Doctor: Male	-	-	-	38.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKDOCF	Acquainted with Medical Doctor: Female	-	-	-	6.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKDOCN	Acquainted with Medical Doctor: None	-	-	-	58.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKDOCX	Acquainted with Medical Doctor: No Answer	-	-	-	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

2084-2087. Acquainted with Small Business Owner

Small and medium-sized business owner

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
ZKSMALLM	Acquainted with Small Business Owner: Male	-	-	-	33.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKSMALLF	Acquainted with Small Business Owner: Female	-	-	-	6.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKSMALLN	Acquainted with Small Business Owner: None	-	-	-	61.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKSMALLX	Acquainted with Small Business Owner: No Answer	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

2088-2091. Acquainted with Insurance Salesperson

Insurance salesperson

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
ZKINSM	Acquainted with Insurance Salesperson: Male	-	-	-	10.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKINSF	Acquainted with Insurance Salesperson: Female	-	-	-	26.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKINSN	Acquainted with Insurance Salesperson: None	-	-	-	64.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKINSX	Acquainted with Insurance Salesperson: No Answer	-	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

2092-2095. Acquainted with Bank Clerk

Bank clerk

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
ZKBANKM	Acquainted with Bank Clerk: Male	-	-	-	27.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKBANKF	Acquainted with Bank Clerk: Female	-	-	-	11.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKBANKN	Acquainted with Bank Clerk: None	-	-	-	64.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKBANKX	Acquainted with Bank Clerk: No Answer	-	-	-	1.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

2096-2099. Acquainted with Factory Worker

Factory worker		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Multiple answers													
ZKFCTRYM	Acquainted with Factory Worker: Male	-	-	-	29.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKFCTRYF	Acquainted with Factory Worker: Female	-	-	-	8.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKFCTRYN	Acquainted with Factory Worker: None	-	-	-	65.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKFCTRYX	Acquainted with Factory Worker: No Answer	-	-	-	2.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

2100-2103. Acquainted with System Engineer

Computer programmer or system engineer		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Multiple answers													
ZKCOMP M	Acquainted with System Engineer: Male	-	-	-	20.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKCOMP F	Acquainted with System Engineer: Female	-	-	-	6.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKCOMP N	Acquainted with System Engineer: None	-	-	-	74.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ZKCOMP X	Acquainted with System Engineer: No Answer	-	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	1706	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

2104-2110. How often do you have opportunities to have conversation with following people (including family members or relatives)?

2104. CONVPRE Frequency of Conversation: Preschool Children

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	More than several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.4	-	-	-
2	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.0	-	-	-
3	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.5	-	-	-
4	About once a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.7	-	-	-
5	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34.5	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2332	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2105. CONVELEM Frequency of Conversation: Elementary School Students

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	More than several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.4	-	-	-
2	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.0	-	-	-
3	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.4	-	-	-
4	About once a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.4	-	-	-
5	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35.2	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2332	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2106. CONVHIGH Frequency of Conversation: Jr. High or High School Students

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	More than several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.0	-	-	-
2	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.1	-	-	-
3	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.2	-	-	-
4	About once a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.1	-	-	-
5	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	38.7	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.9	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2332	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2107. CONV20S Frequency of Conversation: People in 20-30s

People in 20-30s

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	More than several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	53.6	-	-	-
2	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.5	-	-	-
3	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.1	-	-	-
4	About once a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	-	-	-
5	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.2	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2332	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2108. CONV40S Frequency of Conversation:

People in 40-50s

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	More than several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	63.1	-	-	-
2	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.8	-	-	-
3	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.3	-	-	-
4	About once a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-
5	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.0	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.3	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2332	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2109. CONV60S Frequency of Conversation: People in 60-70s

People in 60-70s

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	More than several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	56.8	-	-	-
2	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.2	-	-	-
3	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.4	-	-	-
4	About once a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-
5	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.5	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2332	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2110. CONV80S Frequency of Conversation: People in 80s and over

People in 80s and over

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	More than several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.8	-	-	-
2	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.5	-	-	-
3	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.6	-	-	-
4	About once a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.0	-	-	-
5	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.2	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2332	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2111. NUMFRND Number of Close Friends

About how many close friends, excluding family members or relatives, do you have?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.8	-	-	-
2	1~2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.8	-	-	-
3	3~4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.1	-	-	-
4	5~9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.7	-	-	-
5	10~19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.4	-	-	-
6	20 or over	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.5	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2332	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to the respondents who answered “2. 1~2”, “3. 3~4”, “4. 5~9”, “5. 10~19” or “6. 20 or over” in 2111. NUMFRND.

2112-2116. How many of those close friends are in the following?

2112. FRNDSEX Close Friends: Same Sex

Same Sex

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	All of them	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	54.6	-	-	-
2	Some of them	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	39.0	-	-	-
3	None of them	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.1	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2205	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2113. FRNDGEN Close Friends: Same Generation

Same Generation

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	All of them	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	44.9	-	-	-
2	Some of them	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	48.9	-	-	-
3	None of them	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.3	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.9	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2205	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2114. FRNDEDU Close Friends: Similar Educational Level

Similar Educational Level

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	All of them	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	27.1	-	-	-
2	Some of them	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	57.1	-	-	-
3	None of them	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.1	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.7	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2205	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2115. FRNDINC Close Friends: Similar Income Level

Close Friends: Similar Income Level

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	All of them	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.3	-	-	-
2	Some of them	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	59.5	-	-	-
3	None of them	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.3	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.8	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2205	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2116. FRNDFRGN Close Friends: Foreigners

Foreigners

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	All of them	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-
2	Some of them	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.5	-	-	-
3	None of them	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	85.9	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.5	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2205	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2117. Q5SLVPRB Wish to Solve Problems Without Relying on Others

I would like to solve my problems without relying on others.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.7	-	-	-
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	48.5	-	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.0	-	-	-
4	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.0	-	-	-
5	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2332	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2118-2127. Person to Talk about Worries

Do you have anyone in the following people you can share your problems or concerns? Choose all that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
TLKSS	Person to Talk about Worries: Spouse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	60.8	-	-	-
TLKPM	Person to Talk about Worries: Parent(s)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.7	-	-	-
TLKCC	Person to Talk about Worries: Children	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40.1	-	-	-
TLKSIB	Person to Talk about Worries: Siblings, Other Family Members	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42.0	-	-	-
TLKBOSS	Person to Talk about Worries: Superior/Subordinate at Work	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.3	-	-	-
TLKCLLG	Person to Talk about Worries: Colleagues	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.4	-	-	-
TLKWRK	Person to Talk about Worries: Other Work-Related People	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.5	-	-	-
TLKNB	Person to Talk about Worries: Neighbors	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.3	-	-	-
TLKFRI	Person to Talk about Worries: Other Friends, Acquaintances, Boy/Girlfriend	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	52.9	-	-	-
TLKNO	Person to Talk about Worries: None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2332	-	-	-

Following question was asked to the respondents who answered “2. Currently looking after someone” or “3. Have done so in the past“ in 1099. XCARE.

2128-2131. Person Receiving Care from Respondents

Whose care have you done? Choose all that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
XC2SS	Person Receiving Care: Spouse	-	-	-	-	-	20.6	-	-	-	-	5.1	22.9
XC2PM	Person Receiving Care: Respondents Parent	-	-	-	-	-	46.6	-	-	-	-	17.5	51.4
XC2SSPM	Person Receiving Care: Spouses Parent	-	-	-	-	-	34.2	-	-	-	-	10.5	26.4
XC2OTHR	Person Receiving Care: Others	-	-	-	-	-	10.5	-	-	-	-	3.1	6.3
	n	-	-	-	-	-	620	-	-	-	-	744	144

2132-2135. Who do you think should be responsible for the following? Choose a number from 1 to 5 for each ?

2132. OP5SRWFE Responsibility of Livelihood Security for Elderly (EASS scale)

Livelihood of the elderly (cost of living)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Families	-	-	-	-	-	4.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	•	-	-	-	-	-	9.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	•	-	-	-	-	-	27.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	•	-	-	-	-	-	29.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Governments	-	-	-	-	-	28.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2133. OP5SRMDE Responsibility of Care for Elderly (EASS scale)

Medical and nursing care of the elderly

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Families	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	•	-	-	-	-	-	6.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	•	-	-	-	-	-	23.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	•	-	-	-	-	-	33.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Governments	-	-	-	-	-	32.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2134. OP5CCEDE Responsibility of Child Education Costs (EASS scale)

Education expense of children

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Families	-	-	-	-	-	16.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	•	-	-	-	-	-	22.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	•	-	-	-	-	-	32.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	•	-	-	-	-	-	16.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Governments	-	-	-	-	-	10.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2135. OP5CCREE Responsibility of Child Care (EASS scale)

Raising and taking care of children

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Families	-	-	-	-	-	20.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	•	-	-	-	-	-	21.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	•	-	-	-	-	-	30.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	•	-	-	-	-	-	15.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Governments	-	-	-	-	-	9.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2136. APPCCSXE Desired Sex of Child (EASS scale)

If you were to have only one child, would you prefer a boy or a girl?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Boy	-	-	-	-	-	23.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Girl	-	-	-	-	-	29.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	No preference	-	-	-	-	-	47.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2137-2138. To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements? “Married adults should support their parents financially.” Please answer each question.

2137. OPISMM View on Assistance between Generations: From Married Man to His Own Parent

Husband → His own parents

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	7.0	-	-	-	-	5.5	5.8
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	24.9	-	-	-	-	20.6	19.8
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	23.6	-	-	-	-	25.7	27.1
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	30.7	-	-	-	-	30.1	27.3
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	5.2	-	-	-	-	6.9	6.5
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	5.4	-	-	-	-	6.2	9.3
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-	2.6	1.9
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-	-	2.6	2.2
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

2138. OPISMW View on Assistance between Generations: From Married Woman to Her Own Parent

Wife → Her own parents

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	3.4	-	-	-	-	4.2	3.8
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	15.0	-	-	-	-	16.5	14.9
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	21.2	-	-	-	-	23.3	23.4
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	38.7	-	-	-	-	35.1	33.8
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	8.7	-	-	-	-	7.9	8.1
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	7.9	-	-	-	-	7.4	11.2
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	3.0	2.3
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	-	-	-	-	2.7	2.4
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

2139-2140. To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements: “Unmarried adult man aged 18 or more ought to provide financial support for his own parents”? What about the following statements: “Unmarried adult woman aged 18 or more ought to provide financial support for her own parents”? Please answer each question.

2139. OPISUM View on Assistance between Generations: From Unmarried Man to His Own Parent

Unmarried adult man → his own parents

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	4.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	16.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	21.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	34.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	8.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	10.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2140. OPISUW View on Assistance between Generations: From Unmarried Woman to Her Own Parent

Unmarried adult woman → her own parents

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	13.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	20.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	36.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	8.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	10.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	4.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2141-2142. To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements? “Married adults should support their parents financially.”

2141. OPISMSS View on Assistance between Generations: From Married Man to Wives Parent

Husband → Wife’s parents

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	-	-	-	-	3.1	2.7
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	13.0	-	-	-	-	15.1	12.9
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	21.2	-	-	-	-	22.4	23.5
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	40.3	-	-	-	-	37.2	35.7
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	9.6	-	-	-	-	8.9	9.3
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	9.2	-	-	-	-	7.5	10.8
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	2.8	2.9
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-	-	3.0	2.3
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

2142. OPISMWSS View on Assistance between Generations: From Married Woman to Husbands Parent

Wife → Husband’s parents

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	-	-	-	-	2.7	3.2
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	12.8	-	-	-	-	15.1	13.2
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	21.3	-	-	-	-	24.6	24.0
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	39.4	-	-	-	-	35.3	33.7
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	9.2	-	-	-	-	8.9	9.0
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	9.2	-	-	-	-	7.8	11.5
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	2.8	3.0
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	3.6	-	-	-	-	2.8	2.4
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

2143. OPPPCARE Responsibility of Care for Elderly Parent

Which child (and/or his/her family) do you think is most responsible for taking care of old parents? Choose only one which applies.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Eldest son	-	-	-	-	-	15.6	-	-	-	-	12.1	11.5
2	Any son	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	-	-	-	-	1.5	1.1
3	Any daughter	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	0.7	0.7
4	Any son or daughter	-	-	-	-	-	9.7	-	-	-	-	12.4	12.8
5	All children	-	-	-	-	-	63.2	-	-	-	-	61.2	60.8
6	Children are not responsible.	-	-	-	-	-	6.1	-	-	-	-	8.9	10.9
7	Other	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	2.0	1.1
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	1.3	1.0
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

2144-2149. To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

2144. Q7FFAUTH Norms of Family Inheritance: Respect of Fathers Authority*

The authority of father in a family should be respected under any circumstances

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	4.5	3.8	-	-	-	1.7	2.0
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	20.3	18.6	-	-	-	12.9	11.3
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	29.9	36.3	-	-	-	27.7	29.4
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	34.6	29.6	-	-	-	38.8	37.4
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	5.4	5.9	-	-	-	9.0	9.4
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	3.9	4.4	-	-	-	5.8	6.5
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	1.3	-	-	-	2.8	3.5
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	0.1	-	-	-	1.2	0.5
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	2160	-	-	-	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

* Variable labels for this question differ depending on the survey year.

2008 Variable label changed: “Norms of Family Inheritance: Respect of Fathers Authority”→“Views on Respect of Fathers Authority”

2017 Variable label changed: “Views on Respect of Fathers Authority”→“Norms of Family Inheritance: Respect of Fathers Authority”

2145. Q7FFHNR Norms of Family Inheritance: Children Should Be Honor to Their Parent

Children must make efforts to do something that would bring honor to their parents.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	3.2	-	-	-	-	1.6	1.8
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	15.5	-	-	-	-	11.4	10.6
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	25.3	-	-	-	-	19.8	21.7
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	36.4	-	-	-	-	42.3	39.5
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	9.5	-	-	-	-	11.6	12.0
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	7.4	-	-	-	-	8.6	9.9
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-	-	3.6	4.0
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	1.1	0.5
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

2146. Q7FFMAN Norms of Family Inheritance: More Inheritance for Eldest Son

The eldest son should inherit a larger share of the property.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	6.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	13.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	53.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	8.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	12.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	3.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2147. Q7FFCARE Norms of Family Inheritance: More Inheritance for Child who Took Care of Parents

A child who has taken good care of parents should inherit a larger share of the property.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	10.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	29.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	36.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	19.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2148. Q7FFNDMN Norms of Family Inheritance: Requirement of Son

To continue the family line, one must have at least one son

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	5.8	-	-	-	-	3.5	3.1
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	18.5	-	-	-	-	10.8	11.8
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	18.7	-	-	-	-	18.1	18.8
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	42.4	-	-	-	-	47.8	44.4
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	4.5	-	-	-	-	7.0	7.9
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	7.2	-	-	-	-	7.1	9.0
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	-	-	-	-	4.4	4.4
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	1.2	0.6
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

2149. Q7FFGRV Norms of Family Inheritance: Look After Grave

One should take good care of the ancestral grave and pass on the next generation

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	16.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	38.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	24.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	16.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2150-2151. To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

2150. Q7PRMAN Norms of Placing Priority on Family: Precedence of Husbands Family Over Wives

If husband's family and wife's family need help at the same time, a married woman should help husband's family first

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	0.7	0.8
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	8.0	-	-	-	-	3.5	5.1
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	13.8	-	-	-	-	12.5	11.9
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	57.1	-	-	-	-	54.3	52.1
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	8.7	-	-	-	-	12.2	12.9
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	7.9	-	-	-	-	9.3	11.2
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	5.9	5.3
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	1.6	0.6
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

2151. Q7PRFF Norms of Placing Priority on Family: Precedence of Family Over Self

One must put familial well-being and interest before one's own.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	4.5	-	-	-	-	3.4	3.6
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	17.7	-	-	-	-	15.9	14.5
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	29.7	-	-	-	-	30.0	28.6
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	37.8	-	-	-	-	38.7	39.8
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	6.3	-	-	-	-	7.8	8.2
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	-	-	-	-	1.5	3.3
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	1.6	1.5
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	1.2	0.5
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

2152. PMDTH Presence of Parents

You will be now asked questions about relationship between yourself and your parents. Are your parents alive now?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Both of them are alive.	-	-	-	-	-	34.4	-	-	-	-	38.0	36.0
2	Only father is alive.	-	-	-	-	-	3.2	-	-	-	-	3.6	3.4
3	Only mother is alive.	-	-	-	-	-	20.7	-	-	-	-	19.9	20.3
4	Both of them are deceased.	-	-	-	-	-	41.7	-	-	-	-	38.4	40.0
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.3
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to the respondents who answered "1. Both of them are alive ","2. Only my father is alive " or "Only my mother is alive." in 2152. PMDTH.

2153-2154. How frequently did you do each of the following things to your own parent(s) for the last 12 months?

2153. HLPE2PM Financial Assistance between Generations: From Respondent to Parents

Providing financial support

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very frequently	-	-	-	-	-	4.3	-	-	-	-	3.9	4.2
2	Often	-	-	-	-	-	6.9	-	-	-	-	5.0	5.9
3	Sometimes	-	-	-	-	-	19.0	-	-	-	-	20.1	17.2
4	Seldom	-	-	-	-	-	28.7	-	-	-	-	28.8	30.7
5	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	39.5	-	-	-	-	41.3	40.7
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	-	-	-	-	0.9	1.3
		n	-	-	-	-	1241	-	-	-	-	458	1145
8	Not applicable												

2154. HLPP2PM Practical Assistance between Generations: From Respondent to Parents

Taking care of household chores (e.g., cleaning, meal preparation, shopping, running errands, etc.) or health care

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very frequently	-	-	-	-	-	5.8	-	-	-	-	4.1	8.6
2	Often	-	-	-	-	-	9.0	-	-	-	-	9.2	9.9
3	Sometimes	-	-	-	-	-	31.6	-	-	-	-	30.8	29.3
4	Seldom	-	-	-	-	-	24.3	-	-	-	-	25.8	23.1
5	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	27.9	-	-	-	-	29.5	28.0
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	0.7	1.1
		n	-	-	-	-	1241	-	-	-	-	458	1145
8	Not applicable												

2155-2156. How frequently did your parent(s)-in-law do each of the following things to you for the last 12 months?

2155. HLPEFPM Financial Assistance between Generations: From Parents to Respondent

Providing financial support

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very frequently	-	-	-	-	-	5.6	-	-	-	-	5.7	5.8
2	Often	-	-	-	-	-	8.5	-	-	-	-	8.3	9.2
3	Sometimes	-	-	-	-	-	26.8	-	-	-	-	25.8	27.0
4	Seldom	-	-	-	-	-	23.8	-	-	-	-	27.7	25.2
5	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	33.8	-	-	-	-	31.9	31.6
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	0.7	1.2
		n	-	-	-	-	1241	-	-	-	-	458	1145
8	Not applicable												

2156. HLPPFPM Practical Assistance between Generations: From Parents to Respondent

Taking care of household chores (e.g., cleaning, meal preparation, shopping, running errands, etc.) or child care

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very frequently	-	-	-	-	-	13.6	-	-	-	-	14.4	11.1
2	Often	-	-	-	-	-	11.0	-	-	-	-	10.9	12.1
3	Sometimes	-	-	-	-	-	20.3	-	-	-	-	20.7	20.3
4	Seldom	-	-	-	-	-	15.7	-	-	-	-	19.2	19.6
5	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	37.8	-	-	-	-	34.1	35.5
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	0.7	1.4
		n	-	-	-	-	1241	-	-	-	-	458	1145
8	Not applicable												

2157-2158. How would you rate your parents' health condition?

2157. PPHLTH Father: Health Condition (EASS Scale)*

Your father

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very goodl	-	-	-	-	-	9.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	•	-	-	-	-	-	16.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	•	-	-	-	-	-	24.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	•	-	-	-	-	-	10.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Very bad	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Deceased	-	-	-	-	-	35.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	1241	-	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

* 2000-2018 Variable label changed: "Father: Health Condition" → "Father: Health Condition (EASS scale)."

2158. MMHLTH Mother: Health Condition (EASS Scale)*

Your mother

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very good	-	-	-	-	-	10.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	•	-	-	-	-	-	21.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	•	-	-	-	-	-	36.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	•	-	-	-	-	-	18.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Very bad	-	-	-	-	-	6.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Deceased	-	-	-	-	-	5.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	1241	-	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

* 2000-2018 Variable label changed: "Mother: Health Condition" → "Mother: Health Condition (EASS scale)."

2159-2160. How would you rate your parents' health condition?

2159. PPHLTHZ Father: Health Condition

Your father

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very goodl	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.0	14.2
2	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.6	17.9
3	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.0	19.4
4	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.3	9.1
5	Very bad	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	3.7
6	Deceased	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	32.3	34.1
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	1.7
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	458	1145

8 Not applicable

2160. MMHLTHZ Mother: Health Condition

Your mother

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very goodl	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.8	16.9
2	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.2	24.5
3	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.8	27.7
4	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.5	17.7
5	Very bad	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.2	5.6
6	Deceased	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.9	5.8
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	1.9
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	458	1145

8 Not applicable

2161-2167. To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

2161. Q7MGOLD Norms of Marriage: Husband Should Be Older

Husband should be older than wife

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.6
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	5.5	-	-	-	-	4.3	4.0
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	10.7	-	-	-	-	7.4	5.8
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	67.3	-	-	-	-	61.8	63.3
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	3.2	-	-	-	-	6.7	6.0
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	8.5	-	-	-	-	12.6	12.6
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	-	-	-	-	6.0	7.0
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	0.8	0.6
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

2162. Q7MGCC Norms of Marriage: Need to Have Children

It is not necessary to have children in a marriage

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-	-	2.7	4.6
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	9.3	-	-	-	-	13.2	15.0
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	7.9	-	-	-	-	13.3	11.8
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	35.4	-	-	-	-	40.3	39.7
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	22.7	-	-	-	-	19.4	17.7
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	17.1	-	-	-	-	8.2	8.3
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	5.1	-	-	-	-	2.0	2.2
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	0.9	0.7
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

2163. Q7MGMNHP Norms of Marriage: Marriage Is Happy for Men

Married men are generally happier than unmarried men

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	-	-	-	-	1.2	1.5
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	12.6	-	-	-	-	7.4	8.1
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	17.5	-	-	-	-	15.6	14.6
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	58.6	-	-	-	-	65.5	62.7
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	3.4	-	-	-	-	3.8	4.4
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	3.2	-	-	-	-	4.0	5.0
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	1.7	2.9
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	0.8	0.8
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

2164. Q7MGWNHP Norms of Marriage: Marriage Is Happy for Women

Married women are generally happier than unmarried women

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	-	-	-	-	1.1	1.1
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	12.3	-	-	-	-	7.5	8.0
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	17.0	-	-	-	-	15.9	14.0
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	58.8	-	-	-	-	64.2	64.0
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	4.2	-	-	-	-	4.6	3.8
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	-	-	-	-	3.6	5.4
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-	1.7	2.8
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-	1.3	0.9
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

2165. Q7MGCOH Norms of Marriage: Dont Mind Cohabitation

It is all right for a couple to live together without intending to get married.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-	1.7	3.0
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	10.7	-	-	-	-	14.7	16.9
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	13.6	-	-	-	-	21.6	21.5
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	27.4	-	-	-	-	35.1	31.6
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	25.2	-	-	-	-	17.6	16.2
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	17.3	-	-	-	-	7.8	7.7
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	4.3	-	-	-	-	0.8	2.5
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	0.7	0.7
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

2166. Q7MGDVCC Norms of Marriage: Wait to Divorce until Childrens Growing Up

People who want to divorce must wait until children are grown up.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	4.4	-	-	-	-	2.6	2.7
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	14.3	-	-	-	-	11.4	10.2
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	19.3	-	-	-	-	17.3	17.1
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	41.6	-	-	-	-	48.0	47.3
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	10.0	-	-	-	-	11.2	12.0
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	7.9	-	-	-	-	6.6	7.3
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	-	-	-	-	2.3	2.8
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	0.7	0.6
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

2167. Q7MGDVG D Norms of Marriage: Divorce Is Best Solution

Divorce is usually the best solution when a couple can't seem to work out their marriage

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-	2.0	2.1
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	9.5	-	-	-	-	9.5	10.0
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	19.0	-	-	-	-	18.5	21.0
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	46.5	-	-	-	-	52.3	51.3
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	13.1	-	-	-	-	12.4	10.4
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	8.1	-	-	-	-	4.2	3.8
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-	-	0.5	0.8
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	0.5	0.5
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

2168-2171. To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

2168. Q7WWHPHH Norms of Gender: Wife Should Help Husband

It is more important for a wife to help her husband's career than to pursue her own career.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	0.8	0.9
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	12.2	-	-	-	-	5.0	5.8
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	18.5	-	-	-	-	12.8	13.9
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	43.5	-	-	-	-	47.3	46.7
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	11.8	-	-	-	-	17.9	16.9
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	9.5	-	-	-	-	12.0	11.2
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	-	-	-	-	3.6	3.8
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	0.7	0.8
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

2169. Q7WWHHX Norms of Gender: Gender Role*

A husband's job is to earn money; a wife's job is to look after the home and family

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	2.8	-	-	-	0.5	1.2
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	13.1	9.5	-	-	-	6.3	6.4
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	20.5	24.9	-	-	-	13.4	13.3
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	39.2	42.5	-	-	-	45.8	42.8
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	11.7	9.5	-	-	-	15.6	16.1
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	9.6	8.1	-	-	-	12.2	14.5
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	2.5	-	-	-	5.5	5.0
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	0.1	-	-	-	0.5	0.7
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	2160	-	-	-	744	1916

8 Not applicable

* Variable labels for this question differ depending on the survey year.

2008 Variable label changed: "Norms of Gender: Gender Role"→"Views on Gender Role"

2017 Variable label changed: "Views on Gender Role"→"Norms of Gender: Gender Role"

2170. Q7WWMNCK Norms of Gender: Mens Housework

Men ought to do a larger share of household work than they do now.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	4.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	19.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	38.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	29.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	5.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

2171. Q7WWLOFF Norms of Gender: Lay-off Women First

During economic recession, it is all right for women to be laid-off than prior to men.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	7.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	37.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	16.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	22.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	10.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

2172. Q7JBMCC View on Mother Working Influence on Child (EASS Scale)

A preschool child is likely to suffer if his/her mother works

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	1.2
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.0	4.7
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.5	12.7
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	47.7	45.0
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.6	13.8
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.1	15.8
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.6	6.1
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	0.7
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	744	1916

2173. Q7MGECS C Norms of Marriage: The Biggest Benefit is Economic Stability

Economic stability is the biggest benefit of being married.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	1.4
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.8	5.6
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.3	16.0
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	49.3	46.3
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.0	13.3
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.4	12.5
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	4.0
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	0.9
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	744	1916

2174-2176. To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

2174. OPDVCNT Views on Children After Divorce: Contact with Parents

It is better for children to keep contact with parents even after they got divorced.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	12.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	37.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	22.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	22.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2175. OPDVSTEP Views on Children After Divorce: Child of Previous Marriage

One can bring up children-in-law as well as his/her own children

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	5.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	24.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	22.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	31.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	8.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	6.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2176. OPDVSG L Views on Children After Divorce: Single Parent

Children can be brought up properly even by a single parent.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	9.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	45.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	18.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	18.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	5.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2177. FQFFDNRE Frequency of Family Dinner (EASS scale)

How often do you and your family have a supper together? (Family here indicates family members who are currently living together with you.)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	-	-	50.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	24.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	10.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	About once a month	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	About once a year	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Less than once a year	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not living with any family members	-	-	-	-	-	8.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

2178. FQFFLSR Frequency of Leisure Activities with Family

How often do you and your family do leisure activities together? (Family here indicates family members who are currently living together with you.)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-	0.5	0.3
2	Several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	-	-	-	-	1.5	2.1
3	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	9.4	-	-	-	-	6.6	7.4
4	About once a month	-	-	-	-	-	15.9	-	-	-	-	14.8	14.5
5	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	29.2	-	-	-	-	32.9	32.5
6	About once a year	-	-	-	-	-	15.9	-	-	-	-	13.3	15.2
7	Less than once a year	-	-	-	-	-	15.6	-	-	-	-	17.1	15.4
8	Not living with any family members	-	-	-	-	-	8.2	-	-	-	-	10.5	9.2
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	2.8	3.4
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	744	1916
88	Not applicable												

2179-2181. How often does your family make use of the following for supper? If you live alone, please answer about your own condition.

2179. FQFDOUT Frequency of Using Food Industry: Eating Out

Eating Out

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	11.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	About once a month	-	-	-	-	-	30.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	31.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	About once a year	-	-	-	-	-	6.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Less than once a year	-	-	-	-	-	12.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2180. FQFDBOX Frequency of Using Food Industry: Boxed Meals

Boxed Meals

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	3.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	7.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	About once a month	-	-	-	-	-	21.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	27.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	About once a year	-	-	-	-	-	9.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Less than once a year	-	-	-	-	-	27.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2181. FQDFRZN Frequency of Using Food Industry: Delicatessen or Frozen Foods

Delicatessen or Frozen Foods

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	13.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	20.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	About once a month	-	-	-	-	-	22.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	21.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	About once a year	-	-	-	-	-	4.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Less than once a year	-	-	-	-	-	13.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	2130	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to the respondents who answered "1. I have married." in 718. XMARRY.

2182. NUMMARRY Number of Marriage*

Have you ever got married? If so, how many times have you got married?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number 1	1	-	-	-	-	-	94.5	-	-	95.9	96.2	93.6	95.3
2	2	-	-	-	-	-	4.7	-	-	3.8	3.7	5.5	3.8
3	3	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	0.3	0.1	0.5	0.2
4	4	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.3	0.6
	n	-	-	-	-	-	1804	-	-	3942	1723	613	1615

88 Not applicable

*The wording and choices for this question differ depending on the survey year.

This question was asked in self-administered questionnaire B in 2006, 2017 and 2018, in face to face interview in 2012 and 2015.

2183-2185. How old were you when you got married? If you have married plural times, please answer for each?

2183. AGE2MG Age of Marriage: Second Time*

Second Time

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number 20~29	20~29	-	-	-	-	-	31.5	-	-	17.6	13.6	32.4	21.2
30~39	30~39	-	-	-	-	-	37.1	-	-	50.3	42.4	35.1	48.5
40~49	40~49	-	-	-	-	-	22.5	-	-	17.0	27.3	21.6	21.2
50~59	50~59	-	-	-	-	-	7.9	-	-	7.5	9.1	5.4	3.0
60~69	60~69	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	3.1	3.0	2.7	1.5
70~79	70~79	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0
80~89	80~89	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.5
999	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	3.8	4.5	2.7	3.0
	n	-	-	-	-	-	89	-	-	159	66	37	66

888 Not applicable

*This question was asked in self-administered questionnaire B in 2006, in face to face interview in 2012 and 2015, and in self-administered questionnaire in 2017 and 2018.

2184. AGE3MG Age of Marriage: Third Time*

Third Time

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number 20~29	20~29	-	-	-	-	-	20.0	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
30~39	30~39	-	-	-	-	-	20.0	-	-	45.5	0.0	33.3	60.0
40~49	40~49	-	-	-	-	-	60.0	-	-	0.0	0.0	33.3	40.0
50~59	50~59	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	45.5	0.0	0.0	0.0
999	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	9.1	100.0	33.3	0.0
	n	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	11	2	3	5

888 Not applicable

* This question was asked in self-administered questionnaire B in 2006, in face to face interview in 2012 and 2015, and in self-administered questionnaire in 2017 and 2018.

2185. AGE4MG Age of Marriage: Fourth Time*

Fourth Time

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	30~39	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	-	-	-	0.0	-	0.0
	40~49	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	100.0	-	100.0
999	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	0.0	-	0.0
	n	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1

888 Not applicable

* This question was asked in self-administered questionnaire B in 2006, in face to face interview in 2012 and 2015, and in self-administered questionnaire in 2017 and 2018.

2186. DOMARRYZ Marital Status (Self-administered Questionnaire)*

Are you married now?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Currently married	-	-	-	-	-	84.6	-	-	-	-	82.4	84.6
2	Divorced	-	-	-	-	-	5.3	-	-	-	-	6.2	6.2
3	Widowed	-	-	-	-	-	10.1	-	-	-	-	11.4	9.2
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0
	n	-	-	-	-	-	1804	-	-	-	-	613	1615

8 Not applicable

* 2017 Variable label changed : "Marital Status (Form B Only)" → "Marital Status (Self-administered Questionnaire)"

Following question was asked to the respondents who answered "1. Currently married." In 2186. DOMARRYZ.

2187. SS5HLTHE Health Condition of Spouse (EASS scale)

How would you rate your spouse's health condition?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very well	-	-	-	-	-	15.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	•	-	-	-	-	-	36.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	•	-	-	-	-	-	35.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	•	-	-	-	-	-	10.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Very bad	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	1526	-	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

Following question was asked to the respondents who answered "2. Currently looking after someone" or "3. Have done so in the past" in 1100. SSCARE.

2188-2191. Person Receiving Care from Spouse

Whose nursing care has your spouse done? Choose all that apply

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
SSC2R	Person Receiving Care (Spouse): Respondent	-	-	-	-	-	17.5	-	-	-	-	5.3	14.0
SSC2PM	Person Receiving Care (Spouse): Respondents Parent	-	-	-	-	-	33.1	-	-	-	-	38.9	28.0
SSC2SSPM	Person Receiving Care (Spouse): Spouses Parent	-	-	-	-	-	53.0	-	-	-	-	65.5	52.7
SSC2OTHR	Person Receiving Care (Spouse): Others	-	-	-	-	-	6.8	-	-	-	-	6.2	4.3
	n	-	-	-	-	-	366	-	-	-	-	113	93

Following question was asked to the respondents who answered "1. Currently married" in 2186. DOMARRYZ.

2192. SSTRLSTN Emotional Relationship with Spouse: Spouse Listens to Troubles

How true is the following statement to you? "My spouse listens to my problems.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very true	-	-	-	-	-	8.5	-	-	-	-	11.3	10.5
2	Quite true	-	-	-	-	-	36.3	-	-	-	-	31.9	32.9
3	Somewhat true	-	-	-	-	-	27.7	-	-	-	-	30.5	26.7
4	Neither true nor untrue	-	-	-	-	-	14.5	-	-	-	-	13.7	14.0
5	Somewhat untrue	-	-	-	-	-	5.7	-	-	-	-	4.0	5.2
6	Quite untrue	-	-	-	-	-	4.7	-	-	-	-	5.3	4.6
7	Not true at all	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-	-	1.6	2.4
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	1.8	3.6
		n	-	-	-	-	1526	-	-	-	-	505	1367
8	Not applicable												

2193. SSTRSPK Emotional Relationship with Spouse: Respondent Listens to Troubles

How true is the following statement to you? "My spouse talks to me about his/her problems.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very true	-	-	-	-	-	6.1	-	-	-	-	7.3	7.1
2	Quite true	-	-	-	-	-	35.0	-	-	-	-	30.7	30.1
3	Somewhat true	-	-	-	-	-	28.7	-	-	-	-	30.5	30.1
4	Neither true nor untrue	-	-	-	-	-	17.1	-	-	-	-	18.2	17.5
5	Somewhat untrue	-	-	-	-	-	6.2	-	-	-	-	5.3	6.2
6	Quite untrue	-	-	-	-	-	4.7	-	-	-	-	4.2	5.2
7	Not true at all	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	2.0	1.8
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	1.8	2.0
		n	-	-	-	-	1526	-	-	-	-	505	1367
8	Not applicable												

2194-2197. Who primarily decides (or decided) the following familial items? Choose one that applies.

2194. DMCCED Decision-Maker at Home: Education of Children

Education of Children

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Always I	-	-	-	-	-	5.8	-	-	-	-	5.5	5.4
2	Usually I	-	-	-	-	-	22.8	-	-	-	-	20.0	19.8
3	Almost equally between me and spouse	-	-	-	-	-	43.8	-	-	-	-	47.1	43.2
4	Usually my spouse	-	-	-	-	-	16.3	-	-	-	-	14.9	16.4
5	Always my spouse	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	-	-	-	-	2.4	3.1
6	Other family members	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	0.6	0.4
7	Have never decided such a thing	-	-	-	-	-	7.1	-	-	-	-	6.9	8.4
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-	-	2.6	3.2
		n	-	-	-	-	1526	-	-	-	-	505	1367
8	Not applicable												

2195. DMPPSPPT Decision-Maker at Home: Care of Parent

Care of Parent

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Always I	-	-	-	-	-	7.9	-	-	-	-	8.9	8.3
2	Usually I	-	-	-	-	-	18.7	-	-	-	-	17.2	17.6
3	Almost equally between me and spouse	-	-	-	-	-	29.1	-	-	-	-	33.7	31.6
4	Usually my spouse	-	-	-	-	-	9.1	-	-	-	-	8.9	9.7
5	Always my spouse	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-	-	2.8	2.6
6	Other family members	-	-	-	-	-	4.4	-	-	-	-	2.4	2.6
7	Have never decided such a thing	-	-	-	-	-	25.2	-	-	-	-	22.6	24.3
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	3.6	-	-	-	-	3.6	3.2
		n	-	-	-	-	1526	-	-	-	-	505	1367
8	Not applicable												

2196. DMEXP Decision-Maker at Home: Household Budget Management

Household Budget Management

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Always I	-	-	-	-	-	18.2	-	-	-	-	15.0	14.3
2	Usually I	-	-	-	-	-	23.2	-	-	-	-	25.5	23.3
3	Almost equally between me and spouse	-	-	-	-	-	19.5	-	-	-	-	18.0	22.1
4	Usually my spouse	-	-	-	-	-	22.1	-	-	-	-	22.4	22.8
5	Always my spouse	-	-	-	-	-	14.0	-	-	-	-	15.4	14.0
6	Other family members	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	0.4	0.1
7	Have never decided such a thing	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-	1.4	1.2
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-	1.8	2.2
	n	-	-	-	-	-	1526	-	-	-	-	505	1367
8	Not applicable												

2197. DMHIEXP Decision-Maker at Home: Purchase of Expensive Items

Purchase of Expensive Items

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Always I	-	-	-	-	-	4.6	-	-	-	-	4.8	6.4
2	Usually I	-	-	-	-	-	15.9	-	-	-	-	13.1	13.5
3	Almost equally between me and spouse	-	-	-	-	-	56.2	-	-	-	-	57.8	56.5
4	Usually my spouse	-	-	-	-	-	13.6	-	-	-	-	14.7	13.5
5	Always my spouse	-	-	-	-	-	4.7	-	-	-	-	5.7	5.0
6	Other family members	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	0.4	0.1
7	Have never decided such a thing	-	-	-	-	-	3.2	-	-	-	-	1.6	2.7
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-	2.0	2.3
	n	-	-	-	-	-	1526	-	-	-	-	505	1367
8	Not applicable												

2198. PMLDTH Presence of Parent-in-law

Are your parents-in-law alive now?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Both of them are alive.	-	-	-	-	-	27.8	-	-	-	-	33.9	30.4
2	Only father is alive.	-	-	-	-	-	4.4	-	-	-	-	4.6	4.5
3	Only mother is alive.	-	-	-	-	-	25.2	-	-	-	-	24.4	22.4
4	Both of them are deceased.	-	-	-	-	-	42.7	-	-	-	-	36.6	41.4
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	0.6	1.4
	n	-	-	-	-	-	1526	-	-	-	-	505	1367
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to the respondents who answered "1. Both of them are alive", "2. Only father is alive" or "3. Only mother is alive." in 2198. PMLDTH.

2199-2200. How frequently did you do each of the following things to your parent(s)-in-law for the last 12 months?

2199. HLPE2PML Financial Assistance between Generations: From Respondent to Parent-in-law

Financial Assistance

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very frequently	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	-	-	-	-	3.2	1.5
2	Often	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	-	-	-	-	1.9	2.7
3	Sometimes	-	-	-	-	-	14.1	-	-	-	-	9.1	9.6
4	Seldom	-	-	-	-	-	29.4	-	-	-	-	31.9	29.8
5	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	48.8	-	-	-	-	51.7	54.6
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	2.2	1.8
	n	-	-	-	-	-	875	-	-	-	-	317	782
8	Not applicable												

2200. HLPP2PML Practical Assistance between Generations: From Respondent to Parent-in-law

Household chores (e.g., cleaning, meal preparation, shopping, running errands, etc.) or health care

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very frequently	-	-	-	-	-	6.3	-	-	-	-	5.4	4.3
2	Often	-	-	-	-	-	5.7	-	-	-	-	2.5	4.6
3	Sometimes	-	-	-	-	-	18.4	-	-	-	-	19.2	13.3
4	Seldom	-	-	-	-	-	27.5	-	-	-	-	26.8	27.5
5	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	40.1	-	-	-	-	43.8	48.5
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	-	-	-	-	2.2	1.8
	n	-	-	-	-	-	875	-	-	-	-	317	782
8	Not applicable												

2201-2202. How frequently did your own parent(s) do each of the following things to you for the last 12 months?

2201. HLPEFPML Financial Assistance between Generations: From Parent-in-law to Respondent

Financial Assistance

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very frequently	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-	0.9	1.3
2	Often	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	-	-	-	-	4.1	2.6
3	Sometimes	-	-	-	-	-	20.7	-	-	-	-	21.5	19.3
4	Seldom	-	-	-	-	-	27.0	-	-	-	-	30.6	28.4
5	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	45.1	-	-	-	-	41.0	46.7
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-	1.9	1.8
	n	-	-	-	-	-	875	-	-	-	-	317	782
8	Not applicable												

2202. HLPPFPML Financial Assistance between Generations: From Parent-in-law to Respondent

Household chores (e.g., cleaning, meal preparation, shopping, running errands, etc.) or health care

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very frequently	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	-	-	-	-	2.2	2.7
2	Often	-	-	-	-	-	5.9	-	-	-	-	5.0	3.6
3	Sometimes	-	-	-	-	-	17.4	-	-	-	-	20.8	16.8
4	Seldom	-	-	-	-	-	22.3	-	-	-	-	23.0	20.8
5	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	50.5	-	-	-	-	47.0	54.3
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	-	-	-	-	1.9	1.8
	n	-	-	-	-	-	875	-	-	-	-	317	782
8	Not applicable												

2203-2204. How would you rate your parents-in-law's health condition?

2203. PPLHLTH Father-in-law: Health Condition (EASS scale)*

Father-in-law

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very good	-	-	-	-	-	6.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	•	-	-	-	-	-	12.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	•	-	-	-	-	-	21.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	•	-	-	-	-	-	9.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Very bad	-	-	-	-	-	4.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Deceased	-	-	-	-	-	43.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	875	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

* 2000-2018 Variable label changed: "Father-in-law: Health Condition" → "Father-in-law: Health Condition (EASS scale)".

2204. MMLHLTH Mother-in-law: Health Condition (EASS scale)*

Mother-in-law

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very good	-	-	-	-	-	8.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	•	-	-	-	-	-	19.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	•	-	-	-	-	-	37.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	•	-	-	-	-	-	18.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Very bad	-	-	-	-	-	5.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Deceased	-	-	-	-	-	7.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	875	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

* 2000-2018 Variable label changed: "Father-in-law: Health Condition" → "Mother-in-law: Health Condition (EASS scale)"

2205-2206. How would you rate your parents-in-law's health condition?

2205. PPLHLTHZ Father-in-law: Health Condition

Father-in-law

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very good	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.7	13.2
2	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.3	18.0
3	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.4	16.4
4	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.8	9.3
5	Very bad	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	2.6
6	Deceased	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	38.8	39.1
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	1.4
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	317	782
8	Not applicable												

2206. MMLHLTHZ Mother-in-law: Health Condition

Mother-in-law

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very good	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.5	15.7
2	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.7	24.9
3	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.8	25.2
4	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.6	17.6
5	Very bad	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.0	6.3
6	Deceased	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.6	7.8
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	2.4
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	317	782
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to the respondents who answered "1. Currently married" in 2186. DOMARRYZ.

2207. STMGLF Satisfaction with Married Life

Considering all things together, how would you describe your marriage? Would you say that you are very satisfied or dissatisfied with your marriage?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very satisfied	-	-	-	-	-	19.9	-	-	-	-	21.4	24.4
2	•	-	-	-	-	-	40.1	-	-	-	-	44.2	41.0
3	•	-	-	-	-	-	30.7	-	-	-	-	25.7	24.5
4	•	-	-	-	-	-	6.7	-	-	-	-	5.7	6.4
5	Very dissatisfied	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	-	-	-	-	1.4	2.0
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	1.6	1.8
n		-	-	-	-	-	1526	-	-	-	-	505	1367
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to the respondents who answered "1. Currently married" or "3. Widowed." in 2186. DOMARRYZ.

2208. FSTMTSS How Respondent Met Spouse

How did you get to know your current spouse for the first time?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	By arrangement	-	-	-	-	-	25.9	-	-	-	-	12.7	15.4
2	By introduction (except arrangement)	-	-	-	-	-	26.2	-	-	-	-	32.0	29.7
3	By myself	-	-	-	-	-	46.2	-	-	-	-	53.0	52.2
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	-	-	-	-	2.3	2.6
n		-	-	-	-	-	1709	-	-	-	-	575	1515
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to the respondents who answered “1. By arrangement” or “2. By introduction (except arrangement)” in 2208 FSTMTSS.

2209. WHOINTSS Person who Introduced Spouse

Who arranged or introduced the first meeting?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Siblings or cousins	-	-	-	-	-	7.4	-	-	-	-	6.9	6.8
2	Parents or other relatives	-	-	-	-	-	33.4	-	-	-	-	25.5	26.6
3	Friends or classmates	-	-	-	-	-	21.7	-	-	-	-	34.0	30.1
4	Colleagues	-	-	-	-	-	10.5	-	-	-	-	12.0	14.3
5	Neighbors	-	-	-	-	-	14.6	-	-	-	-	10.8	9.5
6	Match-maker or professional match-maker company	-	-	-	-	-	4.6	-	-	-	-	4.6	4.5
7	Other	-	-	-	-	-	4.3	-	-	-	-	3.5	5.4
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	-	-	-	-	2.7	2.8
	n	-	-	-	-	-	891	-	-	-	-	259	687
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to the respondents who answered “3. By myself.” In 2208 FSTMTSS.

2210. WHRMTSS Place where Respondent First Met Spouse

Where did you meet your spouse?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	In neighborhood	-	-	-	-	-	11.9	-	-	-	-	6.9	8.1
2	At school	-	-	-	-	-	13.6	-	-	-	-	16.1	17.2
3	At workplace	-	-	-	-	-	53.0	-	-	-	-	54.4	53.0
4	On other occasions	-	-	-	-	-	19.5	-	-	-	-	20.3	20.6
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-	-	2.3	1.1
	n	-	-	-	-	-	789	-	-	-	-	305	791
8	Not applicable												

2211. XSSRMG First Marriage or Remarriage for Spouse

Was it the first marriage for your spouse?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	First marriage	-	-	-	-	-	94.5	-	-	-	-	92.3	93.8
2	Remarriage	-	-	-	-	-	4.3	-	-	-	-	6.8	5.0
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-	0.9	1.3
	n	-	-	-	-	-	1709	-	-	-	-	575	1515
8	Not applicable												

2212. INFLPMMG Parents Influence on Decision to Marry

To what extent do you think your own parent(s) influenced your decision of the current marriage?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much	-	-	-	-	-	10.9	-	-	-	-	7.5	7.2
2	Fairly much	-	-	-	-	-	22.1	-	-	-	-	19.5	18.7
3	Not too much	-	-	-	-	-	31.7	-	-	-	-	31.0	31.0
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	30.4	-	-	-	-	39.3	39.7
5	Parents not alive at that time	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	-	-	-	-	1.7	1.5
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	1.0	1.8
	n	-	-	-	-	-	1709	-	-	-	-	575	1515
8	Not applicable												

2213. HLPMGPM Assistance from Parent upon Marriage

Have you received any financial assistance from your own parent(s) for things such as house purchase, renting a house, and doing a business since marriage, and how much?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes, very much	-	-	-	-	-	10.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Yes, some	-	-	-	-	-	29.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	No, not at all	-	-	-	-	-	55.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Both had deceased earlier	-	-	-	-	-	3.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	1709	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2214. HLPMPGML Assistance from Parent-in-law upon Marriage

Have you received any financial assistance from your parent(s)-in-law for things such as house purchase, renting a house, and doing a business since marriage, and how much?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes, very much	-	-	-	-	-	10.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Yes, some	-	-	-	-	-	26.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	No, not at all	-	-	-	-	-	59.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Both had deceased earlier	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	1709	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to the respondents who answered "1. I have married." in 718. XMARRY.

2215. XCC18 Presence of Children Aged 18 or Older

Do you have a child who is aged 18 or more?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	69.8	-	-	-	-	62.6	68.0
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	30.1	-	-	-	-	37.2	31.8
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	0.2	0.2
	n	-	-	-	-	-	1804	-	-	-	-	613	1615
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to the respondents who answered "1. Yes" in 2215. XCC18.

2216. CC18CNT Child (18 Years or Older) Having Most Frequent Contact

Which adult child do you have the most frequent contact with, including face-to-face, by telephone, mails, or on the internet? If you think you have the same degree of contact with more than one adult child, please choose the child that you talked to most in recent days.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Eldest son	-	-	-	-	-	33.5	-	-	-	-	31.8	32.1
2	Younger son	-	-	-	-	-	8.6	-	-	-	-	9.6	10.6
3	Eldest daughter	-	-	-	-	-	38.8	-	-	-	-	42.2	39.9
4	Younger daughter	-	-	-	-	-	10.2	-	-	-	-	9.1	9.2
5	Eldest son-in-law	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0
7	Younger son-in-law	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-	-	2.1	1.7
8	Eldest daughter-in-law	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	0.3	0.5
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	6.7	-	-	-	-	4.9	6.0
	n	-	-	-	-	-	1260	-	-	-	-	384	1099
88	Not applicable												

2217. LVTGCC18 Living with Children

For the adult child you just mentioned, does he/she co-reside with you?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	50.6	-	-	-	-	47.7	44.3
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	47.0	-	-	-	-	51.0	53.3
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	-	-	-	-	1.3	2.4
	n	-	-	-	-	-	1260	-	-	-	-	384	1099
8	Not applicable												

2218-2219. How frequently did you do the following things to the adult child you just mentioned in Q72 for the last 12 months?

2218. HLPE2CC Financial Assistance between Generations: From Respondent to Child

Financial Assistance

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very frequently	-	-	-	-	-	8.6	-	-	-	-	6.5	8.8
2	Often	-	-	-	-	-	9.8	-	-	-	-	13.3	8.7
3	Sometimes	-	-	-	-	-	24.2	-	-	-	-	25.0	25.2
4	Seldom	-	-	-	-	-	26.4	-	-	-	-	25.0	24.7
5	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	27.3	-	-	-	-	28.6	29.8
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	3.7	-	-	-	-	1.6	2.8
	n	-	-	-	-	-	1260	-	-	-	-	384	1099
8	Not applicable												

2219. HLPP2CC Practical Assistance between Generations: From Respondent to Child

Taking care of household chores (e.g., cleaning, meal preparation, shopping, running errands, etc.) or child care

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very frequently	-	-	-	-	-	12.0	-	-	-	-	11.2	13.4
2	Often	-	-	-	-	-	13.0	-	-	-	-	13.8	13.0
3	Sometimes	-	-	-	-	-	23.0	-	-	-	-	22.7	23.5
4	Seldom	-	-	-	-	-	18.5	-	-	-	-	19.0	18.4
5	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	29.2	-	-	-	-	31.0	28.5
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	4.3	-	-	-	-	2.3	3.3
	n	-	-	-	-	-	1260	-	-	-	-	384	1099
8	Not applicable												

2220-2221. How frequently did your adult child you mentioned in Q72 do each of the following things to you for the last 12 months?

2220. HLPEFCC Financial Assistance between Generations: From Child to Respondent

Financial Assistance

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very frequently	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	-	-	-	-	2.1	1.6
2	Often	-	-	-	-	-	4.1	-	-	-	-	4.4	4.2
3	Sometimes	-	-	-	-	-	16.1	-	-	-	-	14.1	15.8
4	Seldom	-	-	-	-	-	25.2	-	-	-	-	23.4	22.5
5	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	48.7	-	-	-	-	54.4	53.0
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	3.6	-	-	-	-	1.6	2.8
	n	-	-	-	-	-	1260	-	-	-	-	384	1099
8	Not applicable												

2221. HLPPFCC Practical Assistance between Generations: From Child to Respondent

Taking care of household chores (e.g., cleaning, meal preparation, shopping, running errands, etc.) or child care

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very frequently	-	-	-	-	-	3.7	-	-	-	-	4.2	3.0
2	Often	-	-	-	-	-	7.7	-	-	-	-	8.9	6.5
3	Sometimes	-	-	-	-	-	31.3	-	-	-	-	26.8	27.1
4	Seldom	-	-	-	-	-	23.3	-	-	-	-	23.2	25.2
5	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	30.3	-	-	-	-	35.2	35.4
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	3.7	-	-	-	-	1.8	2.8
	n	-	-	-	-	-	1260	-	-	-	-	384	1099
8	Not applicable												

2222-2224. How often do you do the following?

2222. CLTEXJA Culture Exchange: Japanese Animations

How often do you watch Japanese animation?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Often	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.3	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	-	-	-	-	35.7	-	-	-	-	-
3	Seldom	-	-	-	-	-	-	27.7	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.4	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2223. CLTEXCM Culture Exchange: Chinese Movies

How often do you watch Chinese movies?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Often	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.5	-	-	-	-	-
3	Seldom	-	-	-	-	-	-	27.1	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	57.6	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2224. CLTEXKD Culture Exchange: Korean Dramas

How often do you watch Korean TV drama?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Often	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.0	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sometimes	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.0	-	-	-	-	-
3	Seldom	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.1	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	51.1	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2225. FRTNCN Fortune-telling of Child Name

Did you do fortune-telling of name, when you thought your child's name?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	39.4	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	37.6	-	-	-	-	-
3	I have never had a child	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.8	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2226. AUSDYSP Auspicious Day for Special Occasions

To what extent do you care about auspicious or ominous day for special occasions such as wedding, moving, or funeral ceremony?"

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.9	-	-	-	-	-
2	Fairly much	-	-	-	-	-	-	59.2	-	-	-	-	-
3	Not too much	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.3	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.4	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2227-2234. When you associate with your personal friend, how important is each of the following qualities?

2227. IMPQTHS Important Quality of Friends: Honest

Honest

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.9	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	-	-	-	-	-	-	61.8	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.1	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2228. IMPQTRSP Important Quality of Friends: Responsible

Responsible

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.9	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	-	-	-	-	-	-	58.3	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.5	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.9	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2229. IMPQTITG Important Quality of Friends: Intelligent
Intelligent

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.7	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	-	-	-	-	-	-	47.6	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.3	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.4	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2230. IMPQTCLT Important Quality of Friends: Cultured
Cultured

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.2	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	-	-	-	-	-	-	48.8	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.4	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.2	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2231. IMPQTPWF Important Quality of Friends: Powerful
Powerful

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	-	-	-	-	-	-	31.3	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	-	-	-	-	-	-	39.3	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.5	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2232. IMPQTWLT Important Quality of Friends: Wealthy
Wealthy

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.8	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	-	-	-	-	-	-	37.3	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.6	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2233. IMPQTLYL Important Quality of Friends: Loyal
Loyal

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.0	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	-	-	-	-	-	-	36.6	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	-	-	-	-	-	-	35.0	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.6	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.0	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2234. IMPQTRM Important Quality of Friends: Warm-hearted

Warm-hearted

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very important	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.7	-	-	-	-	-
2	Important	-	-	-	-	-	-	57.0	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neither important nor unimportant	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.3	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not important	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	-	-	-	-	-
5	Not important at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2235-2242. Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

2235. Q7FLWMJ Views on Following the Majority

It is not desirable to oppose an idea which the majority of people accept, even if it is different from one's own.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.0	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	27.5	-	-	-	-	-
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	42.4	-	-	-	-	-
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.8	-	-	-	-	-
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.5	-	-	-	-	-
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2236. Q7EXPCMP Views on Expressing Complaints

One should not express one's complaints about others in order to have good relationship with them.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.5	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.6	-	-	-	-	-
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	34.9	-	-	-	-	-
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.1	-	-	-	-	-
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.2	-	-	-	-	-
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2237. Q7HIRE Views on Hiring Relatives or Friends

When hiring someone at a private company, even if an unacquainted person is more qualified, it would still be better to give the opportunity to relatives or friends.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.4	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.5	-	-	-	-	-
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	37.9	-	-	-	-	-
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.9	-	-	-	-	-
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.9	-	-	-	-	-
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.7	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2238. Q7SMTWN Views on Success of People From the Same Town

I would be honored when people who come from the same town play an important role in society.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.2	-	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.3	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	36.0	-	-	-	-	-
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	31.3	-	-	-	-	-
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	-	-	-	-	-
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	-	-	-	-	-
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2239. Q7SBORD Views on Subordination

A subordinate should obey the superiors' instructions, even if the person cannot agree with them.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.3	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.7	-	-	-	-	-
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	40.0	-	-	-	-	-
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.2	-	-	-	-	-
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.9	-	-	-	-	-
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2240. Q7CPLDR Views on Capable Leaders

If we have capable leaders, it is better to let them decide everything.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.5	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.5	-	-	-	-	-
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	42.0	-	-	-	-	-
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.3	-	-	-	-	-
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.5	-	-	-	-	-
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2241. Q7RSKLF Views on Risks and Chances in Life

A life full of risks and chances is more desirable than an ordinary and stable life.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.3	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.5	-	-	-	-	-
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	41.9	-	-	-	-	-
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.7	-	-	-	-	-
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.2	-	-	-	-	-
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2242. Q7CPINV Views on Capital Investment

With extra money, I would invest in items for high returns even if they are risky.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.1	-	-	-	-	-
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.0	-	-	-	-	-
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.4	-	-	-	-	-
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.5	-	-	-	-	-
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.1	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2243-2245. How close do you feel to the following places?

2243. EMCLTWN Emotional Closeness: Your City/Town of Residence

Your City/Town of Residence

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very close	-	-	-	-	-	-	28.5	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat close	-	-	-	-	-	-	60.2	-	-	-	-	-
3	Not so close	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.6	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all close	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2244. EMCLJPN Emotional Closeness: Japan

Japan

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very close	-	-	-	-	-	-	51.8	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat close	-	-	-	-	-	-	43.4	-	-	-	-	-
3	Not so close	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.2	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all close	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2245. EMCLSA Emotional Closeness: Southeast Asia

Southeast Asia

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very close	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.9	-	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat close	-	-	-	-	-	-	27.7	-	-	-	-	-
3	Not so close	-	-	-	-	-	-	40.9	-	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all close	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.4	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2246-2250. How much do you like the following genres of music?

2246. MSPRFCL Music Genre Preferences: Classical Music

Classical Music

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Like very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.1	-	-	-	-	-
2	Like	-	-	-	-	-	-	35.0	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neutral	-	-	-	-	-	-	46.7	-	-	-	-	-
4	Dislike	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.5	-	-	-	-	-
5	Dislike very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2247. MSPRFRC Music Genre Preferences: Rock Music

Rock Music

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Like very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.4	-	-	-	-	-
2	Like	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.6	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neutral	-	-	-	-	-	-	49.1	-	-	-	-	-
4	Dislike	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.0	-	-	-	-	-
5	Dislike very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.5	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2248. MSPRFJZ Music Genre Preferences: Jazz/Blues

Jazz/Blues

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Like very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.9	-	-	-	-	-
2	Like	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.1	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neutral	-	-	-	-	-	-	52.0	-	-	-	-	-
4	Dislike	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.1	-	-	-	-	-
5	Dislike very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.2	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2249. MSPRFPOP Music Genre Preferences: Popular Music

Popular Music

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Like very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.7	-	-	-	-	-
2	Like	-	-	-	-	-	-	47.8	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neutral	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.6	-	-	-	-	-
4	Dislike	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.1	-	-	-	-	-
5	Dislike very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2250. MSPRFENK Music Genre Preferences: Enka

Enka

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Like very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.5	-	-	-	-	-
2	Like	-	-	-	-	-	-	32.3	-	-	-	-	-
3	Neutral	-	-	-	-	-	-	39.6	-	-	-	-	-
4	Dislike	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.7	-	-	-	-	-
5	Dislike very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.7	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2251. NUMSXENT Number of Acquaintances who Engaged in Sex-related Entertainments

When people go abroad, some of them may engage in sex-related entertainments. Do you know that any of your friends, coworkers, or neighbors had any of these when they went abroad?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes, many of them	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-	-	-
2	Yes, some of them	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.8	-	-	-	-	-
3	Yes, few of them	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.8	-	-	-	-	-
4	None of them	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.0	-	-	-	-	-
5	I don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	47.9	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to the respondents who answered “1. Yes, many of them”, “2. Yes, some of them” or “3. Yes, few of them” in 2251. NUMSXENT.

2252-2257. Place of Sex-related Entertainments: East Asia

If they did, do you happen to know in which countries they had those sex-related entertainments? Please choose all that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
SXENTEA	Place of Sex-related Entertainments: East Asia	-	-	-	-	-	-	31.2	-	-	-	-	-
SXENTSA	Place of Sex-related Entertainments: Southeast Asia	-	-	-	-	-	-	61.2	-	-	-	-	-
SXENTEP	Place of Sex-related Entertainments: Europe	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.5	-	-	-	-	-
SXENTNA	Place of Sex-related Entertainments: North America	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.0	-	-	-	-	-
SXENTOT	Place of Sex-related Entertainments: Others	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-
SXENTDK	Place of Sex-related Entertainments: Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.8	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	621	-	-	-	-	-

2258. FQCNVII Frequency of Conversation About International Issues

How often do you talk about international issues with your families, friends, or other people?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	-	-	-	-	-
2	Several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.2	-	-	-	-	-
3	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.1	-	-	-	-	-
4	About once a month	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.0	-	-	-	-	-
5	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.8	-	-	-	-	-
6	About once a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.1	-	-	-	-	-
7	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.4	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2259-2264. Source of International News: Newspaper

From which of the following sources do you learn international news? Please choose all that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
SRCINNP	Source of International News: Newspaper	-	-	-	-	-	-	68.2	-	-	-	-	-
SRCINRD	Source of International News: Radio	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.6	-	-	-	-	-
SRCINTV	Source of International News: TV	-	-	-	-	-	-	95.4	-	-	-	-	-
SRCININT	Source of International News: Internet	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.1	-	-	-	-	-
SRCINPN	Source of International News: Persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.4	-	-	-	-	-
SRCINOT	Source of International News: Others	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.4	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-

2265-2272. Visiting Foreign Countries

Have you ever been to the following country or region? Please choose all that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
VSTCN	China	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.2	-	-	-	-	-
VSTSK	South Korea	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.0	-	-	-	-	-
VSTTW	Taiwan	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.8	-	-	-	-	-
VSTSA	Southeast Asia	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.2	-	-	-	-	-
VSTEP	Europe	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.7	-	-	-	-	-
VSTNA	North America	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.5	-	-	-	-	-
VSTOT	Others	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.4	-	-	-	-	-
VSTNO	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	42.8	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-

2273-2280. Foreign Acquaintances

Do you have acquaintances from the following country or region? Please choose all that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
FRNAQCN	China	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.5	-	-	-	-	-
FRNAQSK	South Korea	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.4	-	-	-	-	-
FRNAQTW	Taiwan	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.0	-	-	-	-	-
FRNAQSA	Southeast Asia	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.8	-	-	-	-	-
FRNAQEP	Europe	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.3	-	-	-	-	-
FRNAQNA	North America	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.0	-	-	-	-	-
FRNAQOT	Others	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.4	-	-	-	-	-
FRNAQNO	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	67.6	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-

2281-2286. How would you feel about working together with the people who are from the following countries or regions? Can you accept the people who are from each of the following countries or regions?

2281. ACPFWCN Acceptance of Foreign Co-workers: China

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	62.1	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	32.7	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.2	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2282. ACPFWSK Acceptance of Foreign Co-workers: South Korea

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	66.3	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	28.3	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.4	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2283. ACPFWTW Acceptance of Foreign Co-workers: Taiwan

Taiwan

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	68.5	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.9	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.6	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2284. ACPFWSA Acceptance of Foreign Co-workers: Southeast Asia

Southeast Asia

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	65.4	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	28.7	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.0	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2285. ACPFWEP Acceptance of Foreign Co-workers: Europe

Europe

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	70.2	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.1	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.7	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2286. ACPFWNA Acceptance of Foreign Co-workers: North America

North America

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	70.7	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.7	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.6	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2287-2292. How would you feel about having neighbors who are from the following countries or regions? Can you accept the people who are from each of the following countries or regions?

2287. ACPFNBCN Acceptance of Foreign Neighbors: China

China

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	60.3	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	34.7	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.0	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2288. ACPFNBSK Acceptance of Foreign Neighbors: South Korea

South Korea

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	65.4	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.7	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.0	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2289. ACPFNBTW Acceptance of Foreign Neighbors: Taiwan

Taiwan

		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	67.1	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	27.8	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.1	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2290. ACPFNBSA Acceptance of Foreign Neighbors: Southeast Asia

Southeast Asia

		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	63.3	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	31.3	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.3	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2291. ACPFNBEF Acceptance of Foreign Neighbors: Europe

Europe

		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	70.7	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.1	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.2	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2292. ACPFNBSA Acceptance of Foreign Neighbors: North America

North America

		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	71.4	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.6	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.0	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2293-2298. How would you feel about having close relatives who are from the following countries or regions? Can you accept the people who are from each of the following countries or regions?

2293. ACPFRCN Acceptance of Foreign Relatives: China

China

		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	53.1	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	41.3	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.6	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2294. ACPFRSK Acceptance of Foreign Relatives: South Korea

South Korea

		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	56.4	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	38.1	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.4	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2295. ACPFRTW Acceptance of Foreign Relatives: Taiwan

Taiwan

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	58.4	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	36.0	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.6	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2296. ACPFRSA Acceptance of Foreign Relatives: Southeast Asia

Southeast Asia

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	54.6	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	39.6	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.8	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2297. ACPFREPE Acceptance of Foreign Relatives: Europe

Europe

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	64.0	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.5	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.6	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2298. ACPFRNA Acceptance of Foreign Relatives: North America

North America

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	64.8	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.7	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.5	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2299. OPFRNWRK Views on an Increase in Foreign Workers

Would you like foreign workers to increase or decrease in Japan? 日

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Increase greatly	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-	-	-
2	Increase some	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.7	-	-	-	-	-
3	Stay the same	-	-	-	-	-	-	52.4	-	-	-	-	-
4	Decrease some	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.2	-	-	-	-	-
5	Decrease greatly	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.6	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2300. OPFRNBRD Views on an Increase in Foreign Brides

Would you like foreign brides to increase or decrease in Japan?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Increase greatly	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-	-	-
2	Increase some	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.6	-	-	-	-	-
3	Stay the same	-	-	-	-	-	-	59.4	-	-	-	-	-
4	Decrease some	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.6	-	-	-	-	-
5	Decrease greatly	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.1	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2301-2303. Now we would like to ask a few questions about relations between Japan and other countries. How much do you agree or disagree with these statements ?

2301. OPFRNPRD Views on the Restriction of Foreign Products

Japan should limit the import of foreign products in order to protect its national economy.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.1	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.9	-	-	-	-	-
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	45.8	-	-	-	-	-
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.3	-	-	-	-	-
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.2	-	-	-	-	-
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2302. OPNTLINT Views on Following National Interests

Japan should follow its national interests even if these would lead to conflicts with other nations.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	-	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.7	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.4	-	-	-	-	-
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	43.5	-	-	-	-	-
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.8	-	-	-	-	-
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.0	-	-	-	-	-
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2303. OPDMGCLT Views on Damages to Own Culture

Increased exposure to foreign films, music and books is damaging our own culture.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.2	-	-	-	-	-
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	54.6	-	-	-	-	-
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.8	-	-	-	-	-
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.8	-	-	-	-	-
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.0	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2304-2309. Mobility of people, goods, and capital etc. has been increasing among countries/regions. Do you think it is good or bad for the following?

2304. OPGLBECN Views on Globalization: Japanese Economy

Japanese Economy

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very good	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.9	-	-	-	-	-
2	Good	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.0	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat good	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.8	-	-	-	-	-
4	Neither good nor bad	-	-	-	-	-	-	27.9	-	-	-	-	-
5	Somewhat bad	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.8	-	-	-	-	-
6	Bad	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	-	-	-	-	-
7	Very bad	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-	-
8	Can't choose	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.6	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

2305. OPGLBWRK Views on Globalization: Job Opportunity for Workers in Japan

Job Opportunity for Workers in Japan

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very good	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	-	-	-	-	-
2	Good	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.9	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat good	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.3	-	-	-	-	-
4	Neither good nor bad	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.1	-	-	-	-	-
5	Somewhat bad	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.0	-	-	-	-	-
6	Bad	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.3	-	-	-	-	-
7	Very bad	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	-	-	-	-	-
8	Can't choose	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.2	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

2306. OPGLBENV Views on Globalization: Japanese Environment

Japanese Environment

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very good	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-
2	Good	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.0	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat good	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.8	-	-	-	-	-
4	Neither good nor bad	-	-	-	-	-	-	38.9	-	-	-	-	-
5	Somewhat bad	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.6	-	-	-	-	-
6	Bad	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.5	-	-	-	-	-
7	Very bad	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-
8	Can't choose	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.0	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

2307. OPGLBCNS Views on Globalization: Consumers in Japan

Consumers in Japan

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very good	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-	-	-
2	Good	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.7	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat good	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.3	-	-	-	-	-
4	Neither good nor bad	-	-	-	-	-	-	37.1	-	-	-	-	-
5	Somewhat bad	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.9	-	-	-	-	-
6	Bad	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.9	-	-	-	-	-
7	Very bad	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	-
8	Can't choose	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.5	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

2308. OPGLBJBO Views on Globalization: Your Own Job Opportunity or Security

Your Own Job Opportunity or Security

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very good	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	-	-	-	-	-
2	Good	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.2	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat good	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.3	-	-	-	-	-
4	Neither good nor bad	-	-	-	-	-	-	50.3	-	-	-	-	-
5	Somewhat bad	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.2	-	-	-	-	-
6	Bad	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.3	-	-	-	-	-
7	Very bad	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-	-
8	Can't choose	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.0	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

2309. OPGLBLIF Views on Globalization: Your Own Life as a Consumer

Your Own Life as a Consumer

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very good	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-	-	-
2	Good	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.4	-	-	-	-	-
3	Somewhat good	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.5	-	-	-	-	-
4	Neither good nor bad	-	-	-	-	-	-	45.9	-	-	-	-	-
5	Somewhat bad	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.5	-	-	-	-	-
6	Bad	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.0	-	-	-	-	-
7	Very bad	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-	-
8	Can't choose	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.4	-	-	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

2310-2312. How would you assess your abilities in doing following activities?

2310. EANWNP English Ability: Reading English Newspapers

Reading a short article in English newspapers

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very good	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-	-
2	Good	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	-	-	-	-	-
3	Fair	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.6	-	-	-	-	-
4	Poor	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.4	-	-	-	-	-
5	Very poor	-	-	-	-	-	-	63.3	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2311. EACHTT English Ability: Chatting with English Speakers

Chatting with English speakers

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very good	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-
2	Good	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-	-
3	Fair	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.9	-	-	-	-	-
4	Poor	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.2	-	-	-	-	-
5	Very poor	-	-	-	-	-	-	67.8	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2312. EALTTR English Ability: Writing a Letter

Writing a letter in English

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very good	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-	-
2	Good	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	-	-	-	-	-
3	Fair	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.4	-	-	-	-	-
4	Poor	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.2	-	-	-	-	-
5	Very poor	-	-	-	-	-	-	74.1	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2313. XARDCLG Have Attended College or Graduate school in a Foreign Country

Have you ever attended college or graduate school in a foreign country for one or more years?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I have graduated from college or graduate school in a foreign country.	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	-
2	I have attended, but have not graduated from, college or graduate school in a foreign country.	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-
3	I have never attended college or graduate school in a foreign country.	-	-	-	-	-	-	98.7	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2314. XARDEDU Have Received Education or Training in a Foreign Country

Have you ever received education or training in a foreign country for 5 or more days?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.2	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	94.2	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2315. JOBFCAP Type of Main Job: Foreign Capital Company

Do you work for a foreign capital company as your main job?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I work for a foreign capital company.	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-	-
2	I do not work for a foreign capital company.	-	-	-	-	-	-	57.1	-	-	-	-	-
3	Currently, I do not work for pay.	-	-	-	-	-	-	37.0	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.8	-	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2316. JOBNPO Type of Main Job: Non-profit Institution

Do you work for a public or non-profit institution (e.g.hospital, school, municipal government, and NPO) as your main job?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I work for a public or non-profit institution.	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.5	11.1	13.9	-	-	-
2	I do not work for a public or non-profit institution.	-	-	-	-	-	-	47.6	46.4	46.4	-	-	-
3	Currently, I do not work for pay.	-	-	-	-	-	-	37.0	39.7	37.5	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.9	2.8	2.2	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	2496	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2317. SSJBNPO Type of Spouse's Main Job: Non-profit Institution

Does your spouse work for a public or non-profit institution (e.g.hospital, school, municipal government, and NPO) as his/her main job?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	My spouse work for a public or non-profit institution.	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.2	8.1	8.2	-	-	-
2	My spouse does not work for a public or non-profit institution.	-	-	-	-	-	-	34.8	33.1	31.3	-	-	-
3	Currently, my spouse does not work for pay.	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.3	28.7	29.8	-	-	-
4	I don't have spouse.	-	-	-	-	-	-	28.8	27.6	29.1	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	2.5	1.7	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	2496	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2318. NYGRTOT Number of Acquaintance You Exchanged New Year Greetings: Other Than Family Members and Relatives
 During the last New Year celebration, with how many people other than family members or relatives did you exchange holiday greetings through telephone, mails, internet, home visits, or gatherings? Your best estimate is:

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	-	-	-	-	-
2	1~4	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.9	-	-	-	-	-
3	5~9	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.8	-	-	-	-	-
4	10~19	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.5	-	-	-	-	-
5	20~49	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.6	-	-	-	-	-
6	50~99	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.3	-	-	-	-	-
7	100 or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.6	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2319. NYGRTFA Number of Acquaintance You Exchanged New Year Greetings: Family Members and Relatives
 During the last New Year celebration, with how many family members or relatives, excluding those who live with you, did you exchange holiday greetings through telephone, mails, internet, home visits, or gatherings? Your best estimate is:

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-	-	-
2	1~4	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.7	-	-	-	-	-
3	5~9	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.9	-	-	-	-	-
4	10~19	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.2	-	-	-	-	-
5	20~49	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.9	-	-	-	-	-
6	50~99	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.4	-	-	-	-	-
7	100 or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.1	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2320. PINTDOT Number of People You Interact in a Typical Day: Other Than Family Members and Relatives*
 On an ordinary day, with how many people other than family members or relatives do you have contact through telephone, mails, internet, or face-to-face? Your best estimate is:

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	-	5.8	-	-	-
2	1~4	-	-	-	-	-	-	28.2	-	-	-	-	-
3	5~9	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.7	-	18.3	-	-	-
4	10~19	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.8	-	17.2	-	-	-
5	20~49	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.9	-	14.2	-	-	-
6	50~99	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.0	-	4.4	-	-	-
7	100 or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	-	2.3	-	-	-
8	1~2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.7	-	-	-
9	3~4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.3	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	0.9	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	2335	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

*The choices for this question differ depending on the survey year.

2012 Choices changed: "2. 1~4"→"2. 1~2", "3. 5~9"→"3. 3~4". The following choices 3-7 were moved down to 4-8.

2000-2015 Codes combined: "1. 0", "2. 1~4", "3. 5~9", "4. 10~19", "5. 20~49", "6. 50~99", "7. 100 or over", "8. 1~2", "9. 3~4."

2000-2018 Codes combined: same as 2000-2015.

2321. PINTDFA Number of People You Interact in a Typical Day: Family Members and Relatives*

On an ordinary day, with how many family members or relatives, excluding those who live with you, do you have contact through telephone, mails, internet, or face-to-face? Your best estimate is:

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.5	-	29.2	-	-	-
2	1~4	-	-	-	-	-	-	53.0	-	-	-	-	-
3	5~9	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.8	-	10.2	-	-	-
4	10~19	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.4	-	3.0	-	-	-
5	20~49	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	-	1.3	-	-	-
6	50~99	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	0.4	-	-	-
7	100 or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	0.0	-	-	-
8	1~2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	38.4	-	-	-
9	3~4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.2	-	-	-
99	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	1.2	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	2335	-	-	-

88 Not applicable

*The choices for this question differ depending on the survey year.

2012 Coices changed: "2. 1~4"→"2 1~2" "3. 3~4". The following codes 3-7 are moved down to 4-8

Codes changed: 1 "0", 2 "1~2", 3"3~4", 4 "1~4", 5 "5~9", 6 "10~19", 7 "20~49", 8 "50~99", 9 "100 or over"

2000-2015 Codes combined: "1. 0", "2. 1~4", "3. 5~9", "4. 10~19", "5. 20~49", "6. 50~99", "7. 100 or over", "8. 1~2", "9. 3~4"

2000-2018 Codes combined: As in 2000-2015.

2322-2231. Among the people you mentioned in questions Q66-1 to Q66-4, check those occupations in which some of them work from the following.

2322. OCPLGSR Occupation of Acquaintance You Regularly Contact: Legislators, Senior Officials

Legislators, senior officials

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.5	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	78.9	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.7	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

2323. OCPMNGR Occupation of Acquaintance You Regularly Contact: Managers

Managers

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	47.9	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	48.8	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

2324. OCPPRO Occupation of Acquaintance You Regularly Contact: Professionals

Professionals

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	47.5	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	49.0	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

2325. OCPTECH Occupation of Acquaintance You Regularly Contact: Technicians or Associate Professionals

Technicians or associate professionals

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.2	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	69.7	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.1	-	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

2326. OCPCLRC Occupation of Acquaintance You Regularly Contact: Clerical Support Workers

Clerical support workers

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	62.6	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	34.2	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.2	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2327. OCP SALE Occupation of Acquaintance You Regularly Contact: Service or Sales Workers

Service or sales workers

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	63.5	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.2	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2328. OCPAGFF Occupation of Acquaintance You Regularly Contact: Skilled Agricultural, Forestry or Fishery Workers

Skilled agricultural, forestry or fishery workers

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	28.6	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	66.5	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.9	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2329. OCP CRFT Occupation of Acquaintance You Regularly Contact: Craft or Related Trade Workers

Craft or related trade workers

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	41.9	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	53.5	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.6	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2330. OCP MNOP Occupation of Acquaintance You Regularly Contact: Plant or Machine Operators or Assemblers

Plant or machine operators or assemblers

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	35.0	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	60.5	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.5	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2331. OCP ELEM Occupation of Acquaintance You Regularly Contact: Elementary Occupations

Elementary occupations

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	45.2	-	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	50.1	-	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.7	-	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	2160	-	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

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2332. SFHLCND SF12: Subjective Health Condition

In general, would you say your health is:

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Excellent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	-	-	-	-
2	Very good	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.7	-	-	-	-
3	Good	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	52.3	-	-	-	-
4	Fair	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.1	-	-	-	-
5	Poor	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.9	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2333-2334. The following questions are about activities you might do during a typical day. Does your health now limit you in these activities? If so, how much?

2333. SFLMTMA SF12: Limitation in Daily Activities: Moderate ActivitiesSF12

Moderate activitie

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Not applicable	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.9	-	-	-	-
2	Yes, limited a lot	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.2	-	-	-	-
3	No, not limited at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	75.2	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2334. SFLMTSTR SF12: Limitation in Daily Activities: Climbing Stairs

Climbing Stairs

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes, limited a lot	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.1	-	-	-	-
2	Yes, limited a little	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.8	-	-	-	-
3	No, not limited at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	78.4	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2335-2336. During the past 4 weeks, how much of the time have you had any of the following problems with your work or other regular daily activities as a result of your physical health

2335. SFPHUSL SF12: Physical Health Problems: Accomplished Less

Accomplished less

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	All of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	-	-	-	-
2	Most of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.2	-	-	-	-
3	Some of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.5	-	-	-	-
4	A little of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.7	-	-	-	-
5	None of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	55.8	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2336. SFPHCNT SF12: Physical Health Problems: Work Limitation

Did work or other activities less carefully than usual

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	All of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-	-
2	Most of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	-	-	-	-
3	Some of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.9	-	-	-	-
4	A little of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.8	-	-	-	-
5	None of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	53.0	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2237-2339. During the past 4 weeks, how much of the time have you had any of the following problems with your work or other regular daily activities as a result of any emotional problems (such as feeling depressed or anxious)?

2337. SFMNTUSL SF12: Mental Health Problems: Accomplished Less
Accomplished Less

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	All of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-
2	Most of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.4	-	-	-	-
3	Some of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.4	-	-	-	-
4	A little of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.6	-	-	-	-
5	None of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	53.4	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2338. SFMNTCNT Mental Health Problems: Work Limitation
Work Limitation

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	All of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	-	-	-	-
2	Most of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	-	-	-	-
3	Some of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.4	-	-	-	-
4	A little of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.5	-	-	-	-
5	None of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50.2	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2339. SFINTFPN SF12: Interference with Normal Work due to Pain

During the past 4 weeks, how much did pain interfere with your normal work (including both work outside the home and housework)?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	54.8	-	-	-	-
2	A little bit	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.1	-	-	-	-
3	Moderately	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.0	-	-	-	-
4	Quite a bit	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.1	-	-	-	-
5	Extremely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.3	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2340-2342. Following questions are about how you feel and how things have been with you during the past 4 weeks. For each question, please give the one answer that comes closest to the way you have been feeling.

2340. SFMHPEAC SF12: Mental Health: Felt Calm and Peaceful
Have you felt calm and peaceful?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	All of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.3	8.0	8.1	7.4	6.9
2	Most of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	47.3	41.1	44.4	38.7	44.6
3	Some of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	27.8	34.7	32.8	37.2	33.5
4	A little of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.1	11.0	10.6	11.4	10.1
5	None of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.8	4.4	3.7	5.0	4.5
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	0.7	0.5	0.3	0.5
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	4667	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

2341. SFMHENGY SF12: Mental Health: Had a lot of Energy

Did you have a lot of energy?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	All of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.5	5.6	5.7	5.6	5.2
2	Most of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31.9	26.5	27.9	25.3	27.2
3	Some of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36.1	42.1	42.7	41.1	43.2
4	A little of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.0	17.5	17.0	18.4	16.1
5	None of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.5	7.4	6.0	9.0	8.0
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	0.9	0.7	0.5	0.4
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	4667	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

2342. SFMHDP RS SF12: Mental Health: Felt Downhearted and Depressed

Have you felt downhearted and depressed?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	All of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	1.7	1.4	1.9	1.5
2	Most of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.7	6.1	5.5	6.9	6.3
3	Some of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.4	31.5	31.9	30.2	29.8
4	A little of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.9	35.2	36.2	35.1	35.8
5	None of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35.7	24.9	24.4	25.7	26.3
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.3	0.4
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	4667	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

2343. SFINTFSC SF12: Interference with Social Activities due to Health Problems

During the past 4 weeks, how much of the time has your physical health or emotional problems interfered with your social activities (like visiting friends, relatives, etc.)?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	All of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-
2	Most of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-	-
3	Some of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.4	-	-	-	-
4	A little of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.0	-	-	-	-
5	None of the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	66.8	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2344-2345. To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

2344. NOFUTR Hopelessness: No Hope for the Better Future

The future seems to me to be hopeless, and I can't believe that things are changing for the better.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	3.3	2.9	2.8	3.0
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.5	11.1	11.5	11.6	12.2
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	46.7	49.8	44.7	50.7	48.2
4	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.2	21.0	23.9	23.8	23.0
5	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.8	13.8	15.7	10.6	12.6
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	1.1	1.2	0.5	1.0
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	4667	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

2345. NOGOAL Hopelessness: No Hope for Reaching Goals

I feel that it is impossible for me to reach the goals that I would like to strive for.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	2.9	3.3	3.2	3.8
2	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.3	10.3	9.9	10.6	10.0
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50.4	53.3	51.2	54.0	53.3
4	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.0	20.2	21.0	21.5	20.3
5	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.5	12.0	12.9	9.9	11.2
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	1.3	1.7	0.7	1.5
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	4667	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

2346. XCHRDIS Chronic Diseases

Do you have chronic disease or longstanding health problem?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45.6	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	53.9	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to the respondents who answered "1 Yes" in 2347. XCHRDIS.

2347-2366. Chronic Diseases

What are they? Please choose all that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
CRHYTNS	Chronic Diseases: Hypertension	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.6	-	-	-	-
CRDIABT	Chronic Diseases: Diabetes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.5	-	-	-	-
CRHRTDIS	Chronic Diseases: Heart Disease	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.9	-	-	-	-
CRRSPROB	Chronic Diseases: Respiratory Problem	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.4	-	-	-	-
CRHYLPM	Chronic Diseases: Hyperlipemia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.0	-	-	-	-
CRCRBVAS	Chronic Diseases: Cerebralvascular Disease	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.7	-	-	-	-
CRBKPAIN	Chronic Diseases: Back pain/Arthralgia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	44.0	-	-	-	-
CROTHER	Chronic Diseases: Others	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.2	-	-	-	-
CRPRDIS	Chronic Diseases: Prostatic Disease	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-
CRARGDIS	Chronic Diseases: Allergy Disease	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	-	-	-	-
CRCANCR	Chronic Diseases: Malignant Neoplasm (Cancer)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-	-
CRMENIL	Chronic Diseases: Mental Illness	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-	-
CRSENDIS	Chronic Diseases: Sensory Organ Disease	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-	-
CRLPGDIS	Chronic Diseases: Liver/Pancreas/Gallbladder Disease	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-
CRGASDIS	Chronic Diseases: Gastrointestinal Disease	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-	-
CRKIDDIS	Chronic Diseases: Kidney Disease	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	-	-	-	-
CRTHYDIS	Chronic Diseases: Thyroid Disease	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-
CRBONE	Chronic Diseases: Bone Fracture	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-
CRPDPOS	Chronic Diseases: Physical Disability/Postoperative Sequela	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-
CRHEADSS	Chronic Diseases: Headache/Stiff Shoulder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1137	-	-	-	-

* Following variables were added based on the contents of "Others."

CRPRDIS (Prostatic Disease), CRARGDIS (Allergy Disease), CRCANCR (Malignant Neoplasm (Cancer)), CRMENIL (Mental Illness), CRSENDIS (Sensory Organ Disease such as impairment of eyesight or hearing capacity), CRLPGDIS (Liver/Pancreas/Gallbladder Disease), CRGASDIS (Gastrointestinal Disease), CRKIDDIS (Kidney Disease), CRTHYDIS (Thyroid Disease), CRBONE (Bone Fracture), CRPDPOS (Physical Disability/Postoperative Sequela), CRHEADSS (Headache/Stiff Shoulder).

2367. SKITCH Itchy Skin

During the past 4 weeks, how much did itchy skin bother you?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	60.8	-	-	-	-
2	A little	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28.2	-	-	-	-
3	Moderately	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.3	-	-	-	-
4	Very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.2	-	-	-	-
5	Extremely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2368. HEIGHT Height: Centimeter

What is your height?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	120~124 cm	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-
	125~129 cm	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-
	130~134 cm	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-
	135~139 cm	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-
	140~144 cm	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	-	-	-	-
	145~149 cm	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.2	-	-	-	-
	150~154 cm	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.2	-	-	-	-
	155~159 cm	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.7	-	-	-	-
	160~164 cm	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.4	-	-	-	-
	165~169 cm	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.6	-	-	-	-
	170~174 cm	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.1	-	-	-	-
	175~179 cm	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.6	-	-	-	-
	180cm or over	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	-	-	-	-
999	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
888	Not applicable												

2369. BDWEIGHT Body Weight: Kilogram

What is your weight? (If you are currently pregnant, write in the weight before your pregnancy.)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	30~34 kg	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-
	35~39 kg	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-
	40~44 kg	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.7	-	-	-	-
	45~49 kg	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.8	-	-	-	-
	50~54 kg	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.6	-	-	-	-
	55~59 kg	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.8	-	-	-	-
	60~64 kg	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.4	-	-	-	-
	65~69 kg	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.2	-	-	-	-
	70~74 kg	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.1	-	-	-	-
	75~79 kg	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.5	-	-	-	-
	80~84 kg	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	-	-	-	-
	85~89 kg	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-
	90~94 kg	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-
	95~99 kg	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-
	100 kg or over	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-
999	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
888	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to the respondents who answered "1. Yes" in 1103. DOSMOKEX.

2370. FQSMOKE Frequency of Smoking

How often do you smoke?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Daily	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	96.4	-	-	-	-
2	Several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-	-
3	Several times a month	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	549	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to the respondents who answered "1. I am a smoker" or "2. I used to smoke, but I have stopped smoking" in 1103. DOSMOKEX,

2371. SMOKEYR Years of Smoking

For how long have you smoked? If you had smoked before, please enter the length of the smoking period.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
Actual number	1~9 years	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.0	-	-	-	-
	10~19 years	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.7	-	-	-	-
	20~29 years	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.3	-	-	-	-
	30~39 years	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.8	-	-	-	-
	40~49 years	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.6	-	-	-	-
	50~59 years	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.2	-	-	-	-
	60 years and over	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-
999	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	1106	-	-	-	-
888	Not applicable												

2372. DO5DRINK Frequency of Drinking

How often do you drink alcoholic drinks?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Daily	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.2	-	-	-	-
2	Several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.6	-	-	-	-
3	Several times a month	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.5	-	-	-	-
4	Several times a year or less often	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.0	-	-	-	-
5	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.2	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2373. FQEXER Frequency of Physical Activity

How often do you do physical activity for at least 20 minutes that makes you sweat or breath heavier than usual?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Daily	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.9	-	-	-	-
2	Several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.8	-	-	-	-
3	Several times a month	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.1	-	-	-	-
4	Several times a year or less often	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.6	-	-	-	-
5	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	38.1	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2374. XHLTCHK Experience of Health Checkup

During the last three years, did you have any health checkup?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes, regularly	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	65.7	-	-	-	-
2	Yes, but not regularly	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.6	-	-	-	-
3	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.5	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2375. CAREBDS Degree of Caring about Body Shape

How much do you care about your body shape?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.6	-	-	-	-
2	To some extent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.5	-	-	-	-
3	A little	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.0	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	27.4	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to the respondents who answered “1. Very much”, “2. To some extent” or “3. A little” in 2375. CAREBDS.

2376-2380. Reason for Caring about Body Shape

For what reasons, do you care about your body shape? Choose all that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
RCBDEYE	Reason for Caring about Body Shape: Eyes of Others	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.9	-	-	-	-
RCBDFEEL	Reason for Caring about Body Shape: Own Feelings	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	46.7	-	-	-	-
RCBDHLT	Reason for Caring about Body Shape: Health Issues	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	55.3	-	-	-	-
RCBDWR	Reason for Caring about Body Shape: Difficulties with Clothes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28.3	-	-	-	-
RCBDOTH	Reason for Caring about Body Shape: Others	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1807	-	-	-	-

2381-2385. Management of Body Shape

What do you do in order to manage your body shape? Choose all that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
MBDEXE	Management of Body Shape: Exercises	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34.5	-	-	-	-
MBDFD	Management of Body Shape: Meal Control	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	43.6	-	-	-	-
MBDSUPP	Management of Body Shape: Supplement	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.1	-	-	-	-
MBDOETH	Management of Body Shape: Others	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-
MBDNONE	Management of Body Shape: Nothing Special	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.0	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1807	-	-	-	-

2386. OPWGHT View on Current Weight

What do you think about your current weight?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	I would like to lose weight.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.4	-	-	-	-
2	I would like to lose weight a little.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35.4	-	-	-	-
3	I would like to keep my weight as it is now.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35.2	-	-	-	-
4	I would like to gain weight a little.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.6	-	-	-	-
5	I would like to gain weight.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2387. FQ6DCTR Frequency of Going to See a Doctor

During the last 12 months, how often did you go to see a doctor? Please answer your own diseases or injuries. (If you are currently pregnant, write in the situation before your pregnancy.)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Several times a week or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-	-
2	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.7	-	-	-	-
3	About once a month	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28.5	-	-	-	-
4	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35.2	-	-	-	-
5	About once a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.0	-	-	-	-
6	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.1	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2388. XRFDCTR Refraining from Going to See a Doctor

During the last 12 months, did you refrain from going to see a doctor, even though you were ill or injured? Please include a cold and a cavity.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes, I did.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.2	-	-	-	-
2	No, I did not.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	58.9	-	-	-	-
3	I was not ill or injured during the last 12 months.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.5	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to the respondents who answered "1. Yes, I did" in 2388. XRFDCTR

2389-2398. Reason for Refraining from Going to See a Doctor

Why is it? Please choose all that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
RFDRWL	Reason for Refraining from Going to See a Doctor: Long Waiting Time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31.1	-	-	-	-
RFDRCS	Reason for Refraining from Going to See a Doctor: Cost	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34.1	-	-	-	-
RFDRDIS	Reason for Refraining from Going to See a Doctor: Distance	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.5	-	-	-	-
RFDRDK	Reason for Refraining from Going to See a Doctor: Not Knowing the Appropriate Hospital	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.9	-	-	-	-
RFDRTRNS	Reason for Refraining from Going to See a Doctor: Transportation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-
RFDRAVSN	Reason for Refraining from Going to See a Doctor: Aversion to Hospital	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.0	-	-	-	-
RFDRBSY	Reason for Refraining from Going to See a Doctor: No Time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	38.7	-	-	-	-
RFDRSLGT	Reason for Refraining from Going to See a Doctor: No Need	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	52.5	-	-	-	-
RFDRINS	Reason for Refraining from Going to See a Doctor: No Active Health Insurance	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-
RFDROTH	Reason for Refraining from Going to See a Doctor: Others	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	628	-	-	-	-

2399. TPHLINS Type of Health Insurance

What kind of health insurance do you have?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Public health insurance only	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	44.2	-	-	-	-
2	Public health insurance and private insurance	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34.5	-	-	-	-
3	Private health insurance only	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.8	-	-	-	-
4	No health insurance at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-	-
5	Not sure	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.9	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2400. XOMDACU Oriental Medical Treatment: Acupuncture/Moxibustion

Have you ever received the following treatment during the last 12 months?

Acupuncture/Moxibustion

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.8	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	91.7	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2401. XOMDHRB Oriental Medical Treatment: Oriental Herbal Medicine

Oriental Herbal Medicine

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.1	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	87.4	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2402. XOMDMAS Oriental Medical Treatment: Acupressure/Clinical Massage

Acupressure/Clinical Massage

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.4	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	77.8	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2403-2404. How much do you worry about each of the following when it comes to yourself and your family?

2403. FRMDREC Fear of Being Unable to Receive a Health Care When Needed
Unable to Receive a Health Care When Needed

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.1	-	-	-	-
2	A little	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.2	-	-	-	-
3	Not so much	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34.8	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.0	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2404. FRMDPAY Fear of Being Unable to Pay Medical Cost in Serious Cases

Unable to Pay Medical Cost in Serious Cases

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.8	-	-	-	-
2	A little	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34.5	-	-	-	-
3	Not so much	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	27.4	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.5	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2405. LSCON Person Who Listened to Your Concerns

Did anyone listen to your concerns in general when you needed it during the last 12 months?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	68.9	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.3	-	-	-	-
3	I did not have such need.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.4	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to the respondents who answered "1. Yes" in 2405. LSCON.

2406-2412. Person Who Listened to Your Concerns

Who were they? Choose all that apply.

Code		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
LSCONFF	Person Who Listened to Your Concerns: Co-residing Family Members	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	69.1	-	-	-	-
LSCONRL	Person Who Listened to Your Concerns: Other Relatives	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	32.9	-	-	-	-
LSCONCL	Person Who Listened to Your Concerns: Colleagues at Work	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.5	-	-	-	-
LSCONNB	Person Who Listened to Your Concerns: Neighbors	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.4	-	-	-	-
LSCONFR	Person Who Listened to Your Concerns: Friends	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	57.7	-	-	-	-
LSCONPR	Person Who Listened to Your Concerns: Professional Workers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.2	-	-	-	-
LSCONOTH	Person Who Listened to Your Concerns: Others	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1720	-	-	-	-

2413. FNHP Person Who Helped You Financially When Needed

Did anyone help you financially when you needed it during the last 12 months?

Code		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.8	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.2	-	-	-	-
3	I did not have such need.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	55.6	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to the respondents who answered "1. Yes" in 2413. FNHP.

2414-2420. Person Who Helped You Financially

Who were they? Choose all that apply.

Code		<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
FNHPFF	Person Who Helped You Financially: Co-residing family Members	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	59.8	-	-	-	-
FNHPRL	Person Who Helped You Financially: Other Relatives	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45.9	-	-	-	-
FNHPCL	Person Who Helped You Financially: Colleagues at Work	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-	-
FNHPNB	Person Who Helped You Financially: Neighbors	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-
FNHPFR	Person Who Helped You Financially: Friends	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.1	-	-	-	-
FNHPPR	Person Who Helped You Financially: Professional Workers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	-	-	-	-
FNHPOTH	Person Who Helped You Financially: Others	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	669	-	-	-	-

2421. OTHP Person Who Provided You with Other Help

Did anyone provide you with any other help (ex. housework, childcare, nursing care, etc.) when you needed during the last 12 months?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41.5	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.9	-	-	-	-
3	I did not have such need.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	46.2	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

Following questions were asked to the respondents who answered "1. Yes" in 2421. OTHP.

2422-2428. Person Who Provided You with Other Help

Who were they? Choose all that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
8	Not applicable												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
OTHFFF	Person Who Provided You with Other Help: Co-residing Family Members	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	74.1	-	-	-	-
OTHPRL	Person Who Provided You with Other Help: Other Relatives	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37.6	-	-	-	-
OTHPCCL	Person Who Provided You with Other Help: Colleagues at Work	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	-	-	-	-
OTHPNB	Person Who Provided You with Other Help: Neighbors	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.4	-	-	-	-
OTHFFR	Person Who Provided You with Other Help: Friends	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.0	-	-	-	-
OTHPPR	Person Who Provided You with Other Help: Professional Workers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.5	-	-	-	-
OTHPOTH	Person Who Provided You with Other Help: Others	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1036	-	-	-	-

2429. OP4TRUST View on Trust/Distrust in People

Generally speaking, would you say that people can be trusted or that you can't be too careful in dealing with people?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	People can almost always be trusted.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.9	4.0	3.3	1.9	3.0
2	People can usually be trusted.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	57.5	51.2	52.0	48.8	49.6
3	You usually can't be too careful in dealing with people.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.1	37.2	38.1	41.5	40.3
4	You almost always can't be too careful in dealing with people.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.4	6.4	5.9	6.2	6.1
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	1.2	0.7	1.6	1.0
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	4667	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

2430-2434. How severe are the following issues in the area of your local residence?

2430. ENHMAP Environmental Damage: Air Pollution*

Air Pollution

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	6.8	3.8	2.3	2.5
2	Somewhat severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.5	25.6	20.2	18.1	18.0
3	Not so severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	52.0	49.8	57.8	55.5	57.9
4	Not severe at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.7	16.6	17.1	23.1	20.7
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	1.2	1.1	0.9	0.9
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	4667	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

* The wording for this question differs depending on the survey year.

2012 Wording for the question changed: "Please do not limit to pollution due to radioactive substan" was added.

2015 Wording for the question changed: "Please do not limit to pollution due to radioactive substan" was removed.

2431. ENHMWP Environmental Damage: Water Pollution*

Water Pollution

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	6.2	2.9	1.2	2.5
2	Somewhat severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.3	21.9	14.9	13.2	13.3
3	Not so severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	52.5	52.0	61.7	60.5	60.5
4	Not severe at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31.5	18.4	19.5	23.9	22.9
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	1.5	1.1	1.2	0.9
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	4667	2079	744	1916

8 Not applicable

* The wording for this question differs depending on the survey year.

2012 Wording for the question changed: "Please do not limit to pollution due to radioactive substan" was added.

2015 Wording for the question changed: "Please do not limit to pollution due to radioactive substan" was removed.

2432. ENHMNP Environmental Damage: Noise Pollution

Noise Pollution

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.2	-	-	-	-
3	Not so severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50.6	-	-	-	-
4	Not severe at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.0	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

2433. ENHMSUN Environmental Damage: Invasion of Access to Sunlight

Invasion of Access to Sunlight

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-	-
2	Somewhat severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.2	-	-	-	-
3	Not so severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	47.4	-	-	-	-
4	Not severe at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41.3	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

2434. ENHMSP Environmental Damage: Soil Pollution*

Soil Pollution

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.7	2.4	1.3
2	Somewhat severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.3	12.2	10.2
3	Not so severe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	53.3	62.2	60.5
4	Not severe at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.1	22.0	26.6
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	1.3	1.3
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4667	2079	744

* The wording for this question differs depending on the survey year.

2012 Wording for the question changed: "Please do not limit to pollution due to radioactive substan" was added.

2015 Wording for the question changed: "Please do not limit to pollution due to radioactive substan" was removed.

2435-2440. We would like to ask about the area 1km (approximately 15 minutes on foot) around your home. To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements

2435. OPNBEXE Neighborhood Environment: Suitability for Exercise

Suitable for doing exercise such as jogging or walking

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31.1	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	44.5	-	-	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.3	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.2	-	-	-	-
5	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

2436. OPNBFD Neighborhood Environment: Availability of Fresh Fruits and/or Vegetable

A large selection of fresh fruits and/or vegetable is available

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	27.6	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	44.5	-	-	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.5	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.7	-	-	-	-
5	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2437. OPNBPF Neighborhood Environment: Adequate Public Facilities

Adequate public facilities (community center, library, park, etc.) are available.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.2	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37.5	-	-	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.3	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.2	-	-	-	-
5	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.7	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2438. OPNBSAFE Neighborhood Environment: Safety

The neighborhood is safe

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.2	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	52.0	-	-	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.3	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	-	-	-	-
5	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2439. OPNBMTCN Neighborhood Environment: Mutually Concerned for Each Other

The neighbors are mutually concerned for each other

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.9	10.5	11.2	11.7	11.2
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	38.1	38.7	36.2	36.4	36.3
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.3	36.0	37.1	31.6	34.4
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.4	10.7	10.7	12.4	11.6
5	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.6	3.1	4.2	7.8	6.3
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	0.9	0.6	0.1	0.2
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	2332	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

2440. OPNBASS Neighborhood Environment: Willing to Provide Assistance

The neighbors are willing to provide assistance when I am in need

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.7	8.3	8.3	11.4	8.4
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31.3	33.7	33.2	31.6	33.7
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40.0	40.2	41.4	38.2	37.8
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.3	11.8	10.7	10.9	12.7
5	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.0	4.9	5.8	7.9	7.0
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	1.1	0.6	0.0	0.4
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	2332	2079	744	1916
8	Not applicable												

2441-2443. How much do you feel the followings in your daily life?

2441. TMAFFL Time Affluence

Time affluence

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.4	-	-	-	-
2	To some extent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45.9	-	-	-	-
3	Not so much	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.3	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.7	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2442. PCMIND Peace of Mind

Peace of mind

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.7	-	-	-	-
2	To some extent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50.9	-	-	-	-
3	Not so much	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.2	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.5	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2443. LONELY Loneliness

Loneliness

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.7	-	-	-	-
2	To some extent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.7	-	-	-	-
3	Not so much	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	44.9	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.8	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2444-2449. How often do you do the following?

2444. FRLXBATH Frequency of Relaxation: Hot Springs, Public Bath, or Sauna

Hot springs, public bath, or sauna

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-
2	Several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	-	-	-	-
3	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.0	-	-	-	-
4	About once a month	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.2	-	-	-	-
5	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42.2	-	-	-	-
6	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36.1	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2445. FRLXMSSG Frequency of Relaxation: Massage or Reflexology

Massage or reflexology

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-
2	Several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-
3	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-	-
4	About once a month	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.6	-	-	-	-
5	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.8	-	-	-	-
6	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	75.9	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2446. FRLXNATR Frequency of Relaxation: Spending in Nature

Spend in nature (woods, ocean, or river)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	-	-	-	-
2	Several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	-	-	-	-
3	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.1	-	-	-	-
4	About once a month	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.6	-	-	-	-
5	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	43.8	-	-	-	-
6	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37.5	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2447. FRLXPET Frequency of Relaxation: Spending Time with a Pet

Spending time with a pet

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.6	-	-	-	-
2	Several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-	-
3	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	-	-	-	-
4	About once a month	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	-	-	-	-
5	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	-	-	-	-
6	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	68.3	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2448. FRLXEXE Frequency of Relaxation: Exercise

Exercise (yoga, stretch, or pilates)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.5	-	-	-	-
2	Several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.8	-	-	-	-
3	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.1	-	-	-	-
4	About once a month	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.7	-	-	-	-
5	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.1	-	-	-	-
6	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	67.7	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2449. FRLXMSC Frequency of Relaxation: Listening to Music or Sing a Song

Listen to music or sing a song

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost everyday	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.0	-	-	-	-
2	Several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.0	-	-	-	-
3	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.0	-	-	-	-
4	About once a month	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.3	-	-	-	-
5	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.5	-	-	-	-
6	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.5	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2450. ENJYLF Enjoyment of Life

Do you think that you enjoy your life?.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	54.2	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.7	-	-	-	-
3	Cannot choose	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36.9	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2451. XFLUVCC Experience of Vaccination against Influenza

Were you vaccinated against influenza (of any type) during the last 12 months?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	39.1	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	60.7	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2452. FEARNFLU Fear of the New Strain of Influenza

How much were you concerned about the new strain of influenza outbreak among people in 2009?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.5	-	-	-	-
2	A little	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	46.1	-	-	-	-
3	Not so much	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.3	-	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.9	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2453. INFCFLU Infection with Influenza

Have you had influenza since May, 2009?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.0	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	94.6	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2454. FINFCFLU Co-residing Family Members Infection with Influenza

Since May 2009, has anyone living together had influenza?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.2	-	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	66.7	-	-	-	-
3	I live alone.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.4	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.8	-	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2455. CRNDFF Family Members Who Need for Care

Is there anyone among your family members, whether living together or not, who needs care because of a long-term physical or mental illness or disability, or is getting old and weak?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.5	-	24.4	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	74.9	-	75.1	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	0.5	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	2079	-	-
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to the respondents who answered "1. Yes" in 2455. CRNDFF.

2456. CRGIVFF Major Care Giver for the Family Members

Are you the major care giver for at least one of them?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	46.8	-	42.6	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	52.4	-	56.0	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	1.4	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	611	-	507	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2457-2459. Please indicate how strongly you agree or disagree with the following statements.

2457. WAGTARND Fear of Aging: Not Being Able to Get Around on My Own

I worry about not being able to get around on my own as I get older

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	27.8	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45.3	-	-	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.4	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	-	-	-	-
5	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2458. WAOTHMD Fear of Aging: Others Make Decisions for Me

I worry others will have to make decisions for me as I get older

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.7	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34.7	-	-	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37.4	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.5	-	-	-	-
5	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2459. WAFINDPN Fear of Aging: Financial Dependence on Others

Financial dependence on others is one of my greatest fears about old age.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.0	-	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.2	-	-	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36.3	-	-	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.7	-	-	-	-
5	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2496	-	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2460-2461. Which is your favorite color, and which color do you think most represents the current era?

2460. COLFAV Favorite Color

Favorite Color

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Red	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.6	-	-	-
2	Orange	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.1	-	-	-
3	Yellow	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.3	-	-	-
4	Yellow-green	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.7	-	-	-
5	Green	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.4	-	-	-
6	Blue	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.8	-	-	-
7	Violet	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.4	-	-	-
8	Pink	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.7	-	-	-
9	Brown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	-	-	-
10	White	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.8	-	-	-
11	Grey	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	-	-	-
12	Black	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.0	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4667	-	-	-

2461. COLMOD Color Representing Modern Age

Color Representing Modern Age

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Red	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	-	-	-
2	Orange	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	-	-	-
3	Yellow	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	-	-	-
4	Yellow-green	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-
5	Green	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.4	-	-	-
6	Blue	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.2	-	-	-
7	Violet	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.9	-	-	-
8	Pink	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-
9	Brown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.0	-	-	-
10	White	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.2	-	-	-
11	Grey	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50.3	-	-	-
12	Black	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.4	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4667	-	-	-

2462-2466. How often were you engaged in following activities or lessons when you were 10-12 years old?

2462. AC10TUTR Activities at Age 10-12: Cram School

Cram school

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	More than several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.1	-	-	-
2	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.8	-	-	-
3	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	-	-	-
4	About once a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-
5	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	69.2	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.9	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2332	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2463. AC10XTRA Activities at Age 10-12: Extra-Curricular Activities

Extra-curricular activities, such as piano, calligraphy, an abacus, painting, or ballet

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	More than several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.3	-	-	-
2	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31.8	-	-	-
3	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-
4	About once a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-
5	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	49.0	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2332	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2464. AC10COMM Activities at Age 10-12: Community Activity and Sports Associations

Community activity and sports groups, such as swimming, volleyball, kickball, baseball, soccer, or judo

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	More than several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.6	-	-	-
2	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.6	-	-	-
3	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.4	-	-	-
4	About once a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-
5	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	59.7	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.0	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2332	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2465. AC10CLN Activities at Age 10-12: Community Clean-Up and Recycling

Community clean-up and recycling

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	More than several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-
2	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	-	-	-
3	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.9	-	-	-
4	About once a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.0	-	-	-
5	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	55.6	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.6	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2332	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2466. AC10FEST Activities at Age 10-12: Traditional Community Events/Festivals

Community traditional events/festivals

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	More than several times a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-
2	About once a week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-
3	Several times a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	43.8	-	-	-
4	About once a year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	27.8	-	-	-
5	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.1	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2332	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2467-2473. How likely do you think the following types of disaster will occur in your current residential region, in such a scale as to force the residents into the emergency evacuation?

2467. DISQUAKE Possibility of Natural Disaster: Earthquake

Earthquake

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Most Likely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	38.6	28.0	33.6	29.5
2	Likely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.3	24.1	23.1	25.5
3	Less Likely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31.4	40.8	38.8	38.6
4	Unlikely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.8	6.6	3.9	5.8
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	0.5	0.5	0.5
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4667	2079	744	1916

2468. DISTSNM Possibility of Natural Disaster: Tsunami

Tsunami

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Most Likely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.5	7.0	9.4	6.0
2	Likely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.0	5.6	7.9	7.5
3	Less Likely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.6	17.1	16.4	19.9
4	Unlikely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	65.1	69.5	65.5	66.2
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	0.8	0.8	0.4
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4667	2079	744	1916

2469. DISFLOOD Possibility of Natural Disaster: Flood from High Tide and River Overflow

Flood from High Tide and River Overflow

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Most Likely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.5	8.9	10.3	9.5
2	Likely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.1	11.3	15.2	14.7
3	Less Likely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	32.1	31.9	30.1	31.8
4	Unlikely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	43.5	47.1	43.7	43.4
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	0.8	0.7	0.6
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4667	2079	744	1916

2470. DISVOLC Possibility of Natural Disaster: Volcanic Eruption

Volcanic Eruption

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Most Likely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.2	3.0	2.3	3.4
2	Likely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.1	3.9	3.8	4.2
3	Less Likely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.6	17.3	13.8	15.8
4	Unlikely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	75.0	74.9	79.2	76.1
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	0.9	0.9	0.5
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4667	2079	744	1916

2471. DISLAND Possibility of Natural Disaster: Landslide and Avalanche of Sand and Stone

Landslide and Avalanche of Sand and Stone

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Most Likely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.0	4.2	5.9	5.6
2	Likely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.9	6.9	7.5	9.0
3	Less Likely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.5	27.8	21.5	26.4
4	Unlikely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	58.4	60.5	64.1	58.5
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	0.6	0.9	0.5
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4667	2079	744	1916

2472. DISNUC Possibility of Natural Disaster: Accidents of Nuclear Power Plants

Accidents of Nuclear Power Plants

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Most Likely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.4	5.6	4.0	5.4
2	Likely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.3	5.3	5.8	6.0
3	Less Likely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.6	21.9	21.1	20.6
4	Unlikely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	55.7	66.5	68.3	67.3
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	0.6	0.8	0.7
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4667	2079	744	1916

2473. DISTSNOW Possibility of Natural Disaster: Heavy Snow

Heavy Snow

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Most Likely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.9	6.0	7.2
2	Likely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.7	7.0	8.4
3	Less Likely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.2	20.2	22.4
4	Unlikely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	66.5	66.3	61.4
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	0.5	0.6
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	744	1916

2474. AXDIS Anxiety about Natural Disaster

How much are you afraid of any types of disaster will occur in your residential region, in such a scale as to force the residents into the emergency evacuation?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	A great deal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.7	14.2	17.2	13.6
2	Some	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	38.5	35.0	37.0	37.1
3	A little	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.4	40.7	38.3	40.1
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.5	9.7	7.0	8.9
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	0.4	0.5	0.3
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4667	2079	744	1916

2475. OPGOVAQK Evaluation of Government Management Immediately After the Great East Japan Earthquake

How do you evaluate Japanese government's management of the situation immediately after the Great East Japan Earthquake?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Fairly good	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	-	-	-
2	Rather good	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.8	-	-	-
3	Rather bad	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	46.1	-	-	-
4	Fairly bad	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.4	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2332	-	-	-
8	Not applicable	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

2476. OPGOVREC Evaluation of Government Management Toward Recovery From the Great East Japan Earthquake

How do you evaluate Japanese government's management at present toward the recovery from the Great East Japan Earthquake?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Fairly good	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-
2	Rather good	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.0	-	-	-
3	Rather bad	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	51.3	-	-	-
4	Fairly bad	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.0	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2332	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2477-2485. Support Activity for Natural Disaster

During the last 12 months, did you do any of the following activities related to natural disasters? Choose all that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
SUPMONEY	Support Activity for Natural Disaster: Donation or Fund-raising	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	76.6	-	-	-
SUPGOODS	Support Activity for Natural Disaster: Sent Goods	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.0	-	-	-
SUPPURCH	Support Activity for Natural Disaster: Purchased Goods and Services From Suffered Areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.7	-	-	-
SUPINV	Support Activity for Natural Disaster: Invested in Business in Suffered Areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-
SUPBONDS	Support Activity for Natural Disaster: Purchased Reconstruction Bonds	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-
SUPVOLIN	Support Activity for Natural Disaster: Volunteer Activities in Suffered Areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-
SUPVOLOT	Support Activity for Natural Disaster: Volunteer Activities Outside Suffered Areas									2.9			
SUPOTHER	Support Activity for Natural Disaster: Other									0.2			
SUPNO	Support Activity for Natural Disaster: None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.2	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4667	-	-	-

2486-2489. How did the opportunities to have conversations with the following people change after the Great East Japan Earthquake, including phone calls and emails?

2486. CHCOPP Change in Frequency of Conversation After the Great East Japan Earthquake: Father

Father

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Increased	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-
2	Somewhat increased	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.8	-	-	-
3	Did not change	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31.2	-	-	-
4	Somewhat decreased	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-
5	Decreased	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-
6	No father present	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50.5	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.2	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4667	-	-	-

2487. CHCOMM Change in Frequency of Conversation After the Great East Japan Earthquake: Mother

Mother

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Increased	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.2	-	-	-
2	Somewhat increased	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.1	-	-	-
3	Did not change	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40.2	-	-	-
4	Somewhat decreased	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-
5	Decreased	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-
6	No mother present	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36.7	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.6	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4667	-	-	-

2488. CHCOCC Change in Frequency of Conversation After the Great East Japan Earthquake: Children

Children

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Increased	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.2	-	-	-
2	Somewhat increased	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.0	-	-	-
3	Did not change	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45.7	-	-	-
4	Somewhat decreased	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	-	-	-
5	Decreased	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-
6	No children present	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.8	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.5	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4667	-	-	-

2489. CHCOSS Change in Frequency of Conversation After the Great East Japan Earthquake: Spouse or Boy/Girlfriend

Spouse or Boy/Girlfriend

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Increased	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.5	-	-	-
2	Somewhat increased	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.5	-	-	-
3	Did not change	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	46.8	-	-	-
4	Somewhat decreased	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-
5	Decreased	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-
6	No spouse or partner present	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.0	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4667	-	-	-

2490-2510. Influence of Earthquake on Work*

Did the Great East Japan Earthquake have any influence on your work or workplace? Choose all that apply. Choose "14" if you were not employed at that time.

Code	
0	Not chosen
1	Chosen
9	No answer

Multiple answers		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
QKWRKHR	Influence of Earthquake on Work: Work Hours Reduced	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.2	-	-	-
QKWRKRED	Influence of Earthquake on Work: Workload Reduced	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.2	-	-	-
QKHOME	Influence of Earthquake on Work: Being Told to Stay Home	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.7	-	-	-
QKBUSDAY	Influence of Earthquake on Work: Business Days Changed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	-	-	-
QKOVRTM	Influence of Earthquake on Work: Overtime Work Increased	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.7	-	-	-
QKBKNOWN	Influence of Earthquake on Work: Workplace Went Bankrupt	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-
QKBKCLI	Influence of Earthquake on Work: Clients Went Bankrupt	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	-	-	-
QKWGDWN	Influence of Earthquake on Work: Wage Reduced	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	-	-	-
QKFIRED	Influence of Earthquake on Work: Got Laid Off	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-
QKNORENW	Influence of Earthquake on Work: Contract not Renewed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-
QKRETIRE	Influence of Earthquake on Work: Voluntarily Retired	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-
QKOT	Influence of Earthquake on Work: Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-
QKNOINF	Influence of Earthquake on Work: Not Directly/Indirectly Influenced	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34.3	-	-	-
QKUNEMP	Influence of Earthquake on Work: Unemployed at the time	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36.6	-	-	-
QKSPOW	Influence of Earthquake on Work: Saving Power/Power Stoppage	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-
QKSHOG	Influence of Earthquake on Work: Shortage of Goods	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	-	-	-
QKHARR	Influence of Earthquake on Work: Harmful Rumor	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-
QKDECUS	Influence of Earthquake on Work: Decline Customer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-
QKINCB	Influence of Earthquake on Work: Increase Business	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-
QKINCS	Influence of Earthquake on Work: Increase in Sales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-
QKDWE	Influence of Earthquake on Work: Dealing with Earthquake	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4667	-	-	-

* Following variables were added based on the content of "Other":
 "QKSPOW(Saving Power/Power Stoppage) ", "QKSHOG (Shortage of Goods) ", "KHARR (Harmful Rumor) " "QKDECUS (Decline Customer) ", "QKINCB (Increase Business) ", "QKINCS (Increase in Sales) " and "QKDWE (Dealing with Earthquake) ."

2511. OPTAXQK View on Tax Increase for Reconstruction from the Great East Japan Earthquake

Do you agree or disagree with tax increase to secure financial resources needed for the reconstruction from the Great East Japan Earthquake?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	53.9	-	-	-
2	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	43.5	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4667	-	-	-

2512. COMMDIS Community Cooperation at Natural Disaster

To what extent do you agree that people in your residential community are able to collaboratively cope with the situation caused by a natural disaster?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.0	3.8	5.0	3.5
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	27.5	21.1	22.7	22.0
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34.0	39.2	38.8	40.6
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.2	26.5	24.1	25.7
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.9	5.3	5.2	5.0
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	2.7	2.7	2.2
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	0.6	1.1	0.6
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	0.9	0.4	0.3
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4667	2079	744	1916

2513-2521. Are you a member of the following organizations or groups? If so, please indicate whether you are actively involved or not. (A membership includes both online and offline activities.)

2513. PRTPLTGP Active Participation in Political Associations

Political Associations

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes, actively involved	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-
2	Yes, but hardly involved	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.2	-	-	-
3	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	94.2	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

2514. PRTNBAS Active Participation in Residential/Neighborhood Association

Residential/Neighborhood Associations

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes, actively involved	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.5	-	-	-
2	Yes, but hardly involved	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42.4	-	-	-
3	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	38.8	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

2515. PRTVLNTR Active Participation in Social Service Groups or NPOs

Social Service Groups or NPOs

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes, actively involved	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	-	-	-
2	Yes, but hardly involved	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.2	-	-	-
3	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	90.7	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

2516. PRTCIVIL Active Participation in Citizens' Movements/Consumers' Cooperative Group

Citizens' Movements/Consumers' Cooperative Group

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes, actively involved	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	-	-	-
2	Yes, but hardly involved	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.0	-	-	-
3	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	82.7	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-

8 Not applicable

2517. PRTRL Active Participation in Religious Organizations

Religious Organizations

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes, actively involved	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.6	-	-	-
2	Yes, but hardly involved	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.6	-	-	-
3	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	88.4	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2518. PRTALUM Active Participation in Alumni Organizations

Alumni Organizations

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes, actively involved	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.6	-	-	-
2	Yes, but hardly involved	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.5	-	-	-
3	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	54.3	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2519. PRTHOBBY Active Participation in Hobby or Sports Groups

Hobby or Sports Groups

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes, actively involved	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.0	-	-	-
2	Yes, but hardly involved	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.5	-	-	-
3	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	68.1	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2520. PRTUNION Active Participation in Labor Unions

Labor Unions

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes, actively involved	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-
2	Yes, but hardly involved	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.8	-	-	-
3	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	84.6	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.1	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2521. PRTPROF Active Participation in Occupational/Professional/Trade Associations

Occupational/Professional/Trade Associations

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes, actively involved	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	-	-	-
2	Yes, but hardly involved	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.7	-	-	-
3	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	90.0	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2522. PRTMSTAT Organizations Participated Most Actively in the Last 12 Months *

In which of them did you participate most actively in the last 12 months? Choose one that applies.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Political association	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-
2	Residential/neighborhood association	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.0	-	-	-
3	Social service club (Volunteer group/ NPO)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	-	-	-
4	Citizens' movement/ Consumers' cooperative group	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-
5	Religious group	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.9	-	-	-
6	Alumni association	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.1	-	-	-
7	Recreational association (hobby and sports)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.5	-	-	-
8	Labor union	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.2	-	-	-
9	Occupational/ Professional association/ Trade association	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	-	-	-
10	None of them	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35.8	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.4	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

2523. ORGHIERA Hierarchical Relationships Among Members in Organizations Respondent Participated

Of this organization/group, which of the following best describes the relationships among the members? Choose one that applies.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	There are clear authority lines between superiors and subordinates	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.2	-	-	-
2	There are superiors and subordinates, but members rotate in those roles.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.9	-	-	-
3	There are not clear authority lines, and members are mostly equal to each other.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	32.9	-	-	-
4	Members are fundamentally equal to each other.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36.4	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1445	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2524. ORGHOMO Homogeneity Among Members in Organizations Respondent Participated

Are members in this organization/group different from each other in the way they think and do things? Choose one that applies.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Almost all members are similar to each other.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.9	-	-	-
2	There are more members who are similar than those who are different.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	63.7	-	-	-
3	There are more members who are different than those who are similar.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.5	-	-	-
4	Almost all members are different from each other.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.1	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1445	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2525. NOKINST Social Characteristics of Nonkin Contacts Socialize on a Ordinary Day

Among nonkin contacts with whom you frequently socialize, which of the following best describes social characteristics of these people? From your viewpoint, Choose one that applies.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	You have contact more with people who are socially higher than those who are lower.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.1	-	-	-
2	The majority of people with whom you have contact are socially equivalent to you.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	79.4	-	-	-
3	You have contact more with people who are socially lower than those who are higher.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.2	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2526-2535. Do you have any relatives, friends, or acquaintances that fit the following occupational descriptions? An acquaintance is someone whom you know enough to have conversations with.

2526. OCPPROF Occupation of Acquaintance You Regularly Contact: Professor

Professor

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.2	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	81.8	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2527. OCPLAW Occupation of Acquaintance You Regularly Contact: Lawyer

Lawyer

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.8	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	85.8	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2528. OCPNURS Occupation of Acquaintance You Regularly Contact: Nurse

Nurse

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	47.8	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	49.9	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2529. OCPCOMP Occupation of Acquaintance You Regularly Contact: Computer Programmer

Computer Programmer

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.7	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	75.6	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.7	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2530. OCPTTEACH Occupation of Acquaintance You Regularly Contact: Middle School Teacher

Middle School Teacher

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.8	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	72.5	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2531. OCPPERS Occupation of Acquaintance You Regularly Contact: Personnel Manager

Personnel Manager

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.0	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	78.4	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.6	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2532. OCPFARM Occupation of Acquaintance You Regularly Contact: Farmer

Farmer

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	44.6	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	52.8	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2533. OCPHAIR Occupation of Acquaintance You Regularly Contact: Hair Dresser

Hair Dresser

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41.0	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	56.2	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2534. OCPRCPT Occupation of Acquaintance You Regularly Contact: Receptionist

Receptionist

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.4	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	80.2	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.4	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2535. OCPPOLIC Occupation of Acquaintance You Regularly Contact: Policeman

Policeman

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.8	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	75.4	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2536-2537. Do you have following relatives, friends, or acquaintances?

2536. ACQABRD Relatives, Friends, Acquaintance Living Abroad

Relatives, Friends, Acquaintance Living Abroad

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28.1	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	71.4	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2537. ACQFNR Acquaintances of Foreign Origin

Acquaintances of Foreign Origin

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.6	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	78.6	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2538. JBNETNUM Job Search Network: Number of People Helped Getting Current/Last Job

During the process of getting your current/last job, how many people (relatives, friends, or acquaintances) helped you in all kinds of ways, e.g., telling you job opportunities, putting a good word for you, etc. If you do not work for pay at this time, please tell us about your last main paid job.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.4	-	-	-
1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.9	-	-	-
2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.5	-	-	-
3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.7	-	-	-
4	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.9	-	-	-
5	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	-	-	-
6	6 or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.6	-	-	-
7	Never have had a job	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.7	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to the respondents who answered "1. 1", "2. 2", "3. 3", "4. 4", "5. 5" or "6. 6." in 2538. JBNETNUM .

2539. JBNETUSE Job Search Network: Usefulness of Helps Provided to Getting Current/Last Job

Were the kinds of help provided useful to getting/securing your job?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.1	-	-	-
2	Yes, to some extent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40.0	-	-	-
3	Yes, to a great extent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50.4	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1489	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2540. EATNKFQ Frequency of Eating Out with Nonkin Others

How often do you go out to eat or drink with three or more nonkin others?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very often	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.7	-	-	-
2	Often	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.1	-	-	-
3	Sometimes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	53.9	-	-	-
4	Few	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.6	-	-	-
5	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.1	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

Following question was asked to the respondents who answered "1. Very often", "2. Often", "3. Sometimes" or "4. Few" in 2540. EATNKFQ .

2541-2543. Do the following situations occur to these occasions?

2541. EATNKHI Social Drinking/Eating: Someone with High Status Speaks First

Someone with special status often speaks first

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.6	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	72.5	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.9	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1923	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2542. EATNKDOM Social Drinking/Eating: Conversation Dominated by One or Two People

One or two people often dominate the conversation

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.9	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	76.4	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.7	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1923	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2543. EATNKSEA Social Drinking/Eating: Seating Carefully Managed

Seating is often carefully managed even on informal occasions

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.4	-	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	77.6	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.0	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1923	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2544. EATNKNEW Social Drinking/Eating: Frequency of Meeting New Friends at Eating Out

How often do you meet new friends on these occasions?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very often	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-
2	Often	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	-	-	-
3	Sometimes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	32.6	-	-	-
4	Few	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	47.7	-	-	-
5	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.9	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1923	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2545-2549. Please answer the following questions by recalling the most recent instance that occurs to you.

2545. HLPWRRY Person to Ask for Help: Worries and Mental Problems

In dealing with the emotional/psychological problems that occurred to you last time, tell me the one channel from which you sought help first.

Choose one that applies.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Co-residence family	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45.4	-	-	-
2	Other relatives	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.8	-	-	-
3	Work colleagues	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.9	-	-	-
4	Neighbors	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-
5	Friends	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.6	-	-	-
6	Professional workers/institutions (e.g., Counselor, Psychiatrist, etc.)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-
7	Did not seek help to anybody	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.9	-	-	-
8	Never had such a problem	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.9	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

2546. HLPPLTH Person to Ask for Help: Health Problems

In dealing with the health problems that occurred to you last time, tell me the one channel from which you sought help first. Choose one that applies.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Co-residence family	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	64.8	-	-	-
2	Other relatives	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.3	-	-	-
3	Work colleagues	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-
4	Neighbors	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-
5	Friends	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	-	-	-
6	Professional workers/institutions (Doctor, health care professionals etc.)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.2	-	-	-
7	Did not seek help to anybody	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	-	-	-
8	Never had such a problem	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.9	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

2547. H LPCARE Person to Ask for Help: Problems on Housework, Child Care, or Elderly Care

In dealing with problems about household chores, childcare, or elderly care that occurred to you last time, tell me the one channel from which you sought help first. Choose one that applies.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Co-residence family	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	54.2	-	-	-
2	Other relatives	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.3	-	-	-
3	Work colleagues	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-
4	Neighbors	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-
5	Friends	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.9	-	-	-
6	Professional workers/institutions (Childcare person, nurse, etc.)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	-	-	-
7	Did not seek help to anybody	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	-	-	-
8	Never had such a problem	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.4	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

2548. H L PFIN Person to Ask for Help: Financial Problems

In dealing with the financial problems that occurred to you last time, tell me the one channel from which you sought help first. Choose one that applies.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017
1	Co-residence family	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45.7	-	-
2	Other relatives	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.8	-	-
3	Work colleagues	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-
4	Neighbors	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-
5	Friends	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	-	-
6	Professional workers/institutions (at financial institutions, etc.)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	-	-
7	Did not seek help to anybody	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.5	-	-
8	Never had such a problem	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31.8	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-
88	Not applicable											

2549. H L PDIS Person to Ask for Help: At Emergency or Natural Disaster

In dealing with the emergency/disaster that occurred to you last time, tell me the one channel from which you sought help first. Choose one that applies.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Co-residence family	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	47.7	-	-	-
2	Other relatives	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.7	-	-	-
3	Work colleagues	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-
4	Neighbors	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	-	-	-
5	Friends	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-
6	Professional workers/institutions (Police officers, fire-fighters, etc.)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	-	-	-
7	Did not seek help to anybody	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.2	-	-	-
8	Never had such a problem	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.5	-	-	-
99	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
88	Not applicable												

2550-2551. Now we would like to ask about interactions with your neighbors. Please answer the number of neighbors that fits the following statements.

2550. N N B GREET Number of Neighbors: Greeting Terms

Neighbors on greeting terms (i.e., having minimum interaction in daily life)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.5	-	-	-
2	1~2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.7	-	-	-
3	3~4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.5	-	-	-
4	5~9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.4	-	-	-
5	10 or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.0	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2551. NNBFAVOR Number of Neighbors: Asking for a Favor

Neighbors you could ask for a favor when needed (e.g., watering plants, feeding pets, or giving an advice)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	59.5	-	-	-
2	1~2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	27.8	-	-	-
3	3~4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.2	-	-	-
4	5~9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-
5	10 or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2552-2554. To what extent do you have a hard time discussing with the following people/acquaintances if they had different opinions on social issues of public interest?

2552. SOTOLEQ Social Tolerance: Those Who Have Equal Social Status

Those who have equal social status to you

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	A great Deal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.2	-	-	-
2	Some	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	59.1	-	-	-
3	A little	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.2	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2553. SOTOLHI Social Tolerance: Those Who Have Higher Social Status

Those Who Have Higher Social Status

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	A great Deal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.6	-	-	-
2	Some	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	49.6	-	-	-
3	A little	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.9	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.2	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2554. SOTOLLO Social Tolerance: Those Who Have Lower Social Status

Those Who Have Lower Social Status

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	A great Deal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.3	-	-	-
2	Some	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	57.0	-	-	-
3	A little	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.7	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.0	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2555-2558. How often have you participated in group discussions (either formal or informal discussion among 3 or more people) about the following community or local issues during the last 12 months?

2555. MEETENV Community Meeting: Environmental Issues

Environmental Issues (air/water/noise pollution, garbage, sand storm, etc)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	47.3	-	-	-
2	Several times	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42.8	-	-	-
3	About every month	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.3	-	-	-
4	About every week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2556. MEETEDU Community Meeting: Educational Issues

Educational issues (bullying, juvenile misbehavior, education expense, etc)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	52.8	-	-	-
2	Several times	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37.3	-	-	-
3	About every month	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.0	-	-	-
4	About every week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2557. MEETS SAFE Community Meeting: Safety Issues

Safety issues (disaster and crime preventions, etc.)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37.9	-	-	-
2	Several times	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	49.1	-	-	-
3	About every month	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.0	-	-	-
4	About every week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.2	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2558. MEETCONS Community Meeting: Consumer Issues

Consumer issues (food safety, goods quality, fraud, etc.)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	43.8	-	-	-
2	Several times	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42.3	-	-	-
3	About every month	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.3	-	-	-
4	About every week	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.7	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2559-2564. Activities of public interest during the last 12 months

Have you participated in the following activities of public interest during the last 12 months? Choose all that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
VOLCOMM	Volunteer Activity in the Last 12 Months: Improve Community	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.5	-	-	-
VOLSPORT	Volunteer Activity in the Last 12 Months: Sports, Culture, Arts	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.8	-	-	-
VOLVULN	Volunteer Activity in the Last 12 Months: For Socially Vulnerable Groups	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.6	-	-	-
VOLOTH ER	Volunteer Activity in the Last 12 Months: Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-
VOLPOL	Volunteer Activity in the Last 12 Months: Political Issues	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.9	-	-	-
VOLNO	Volunteer Activity in the Last 12 Months: None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	67.7	-	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-

2565-2573. In the last major election that occurred to you, did someone ask you to vote for a specific candidate or to engage in some other type of political activity? Choose all that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
ELCFAM	Being Told to Assist Election Campaign By: Family Members/Relatives	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.1	-	-	-
ELCWORK	Being Told to Assist Election Campaign By: Colleagues	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.7	-	-	-
ELCNB	Being Told to Assist Election Campaign By: Neighbors	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.7	-	-	-
ELCFRI	Being Told to Assist Election Campaign By: Friends	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.6	-	-	-
ELCRELIG	Being Told to Assist Election Campaign By: People at Religious Organizations	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	-	-	-
ELCHOBBY	Being Told to Assist Election Campaign By: People at Hobbies or Sports Club									3.5			
ELCCAMP	Being Told to Assist Election Campaign By: Election Campaign Members									16.7			
ELCOTHER	Being Told to Assist Election Campaign By: Other									1.2			
ELCNO	Being Told to Assist Election Campaign By: None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45.4	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-

2574-2589. How much do you trust the following people?

2574. TR4RELAT Trust in Relatives (EASS scale)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	A great deal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40.3	-	-	-
2	To some extent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	49.6	-	-	-
3	Not very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.2	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2575. TR4FRI Trust in Friends (EASS scale)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	A great deal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.1	-	-	-
2	To some extent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	61.8	-	-	-
3	Not very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.6	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2576. TR4NB Trust in Neighbors (EASS scale)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	A great deal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.1	-	-	-
2	To some extent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	57.3	-	-	-
3	Not very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.8	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.7	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2577. TR4CLG Trust in Colleagues (EASS scale)

Colleagues

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	A great deal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.5	-	-	-
2	To some extent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	51.0	-	-	-
3	Not very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.9	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.7	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.8	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2578. TR4STRNG Trust in Strangers (EASS scale)

Strangers

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	A great deal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	-	-
2	To some extent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.6	-	-	-
3	Not very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50.5	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	32.5	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.9	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2579. TR4PHYS Trust in Physicians (EASS scale)

Physicians

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	A great deal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.8	-	-	-
2	To some extent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	69.6	-	-	-
3	Not very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.2	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2580. TR4BANK Trust in Banking Staff (EASS scale)

Banking Staff

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	A great deal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.1	-	-	-
2	To some extent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	57.2	-	-	-
3	Not very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28.7	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.6	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.4	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2581. TR4EXEC Trust in Company Executives (EASS scale)

Company Executives

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	A great deal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-
2	To some extent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37.3	-	-	-
3	Not very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	43.8	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.2	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.9	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2582. TR4JRNL Trust in Journalists (EASS scale)

Journalists

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	A great deal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-
2	To some extent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.4	-	-	-
3	Not very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50.8	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.4	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.8	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2583. TR4NGO Trust in NGO/NPO Leaders (EASS scale)

NGO/NPO Leaders

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	A great deal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-
2	To some extent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.7	-	-	-
3	Not very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	49.2	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.6	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.9	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2584. TR4TEACH Trust in Teachers (EASS scale)

Teachers

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	A great deal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.3	-	-	-
2	To some extent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	57.3	-	-	-
3	Not very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28.0	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.7	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2585. TR4LOGGV Trust in Local Government Officials (EASS scale)

Local Government Officials

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	A great deal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-
2	To some extent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	46.9	-	-	-
3	Not very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	38.2	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.0	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.9	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2586. TR4CNTGV Trust in Central Government Officials (EASS scale)

Central Government Officials

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	A great deal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	-	-	-
2	To some extent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42.2	-	-	-
3	Not very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40.6	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.1	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.4	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2587. TR4POLIC Trust in Police Officers (EASS scale)

Police Officers

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	A great deal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.9	-	-	-
2	To some extent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	59.2	-	-	-
3	Not very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.4	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.3	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.2	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2588. TR4SDF Trust in Self-Defense Forces Personnel (EASS scale)

Self-Defense Forces Personnel

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	A great deal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.6	-	-	-
2	To some extent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	61.3	-	-	-
3	Not very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.5	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.5	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.0	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2589. TR4JUDGE Trust in Judges (EASS scale)

Judges

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	A great deal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.9	-	-	-
2	To some extent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	62.4	-	-	-
3	Not very much	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.5	-	-	-
4	Not at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.8	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.3	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2590-2596. Do you agree or disagree on the following opinions?

2590. Q7NOPWR View on Citizens Influence on Politics (EASS scale)

People like me don't have any say about what the government does

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.8	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.9	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.0	-	-	-
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.8	-	-	-
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.3	-	-	-
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.3	-	-	-
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2591. Q7GVC MPL View on Complication of Politics (EASS scale)

Politics and government are too complicated for me to understand what is going on

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.9	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.6	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.2	-	-	-
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.5	-	-	-
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.1	-	-	-
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.4	-	-	-
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2592. Q7POLINT Interested in Politics (EASS scale)

I am personally interested in politics

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.0	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.5	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.3	-	-	-
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	32.7	-	-	-
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.5	-	-	-
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	-	-	-
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.2	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2593. Q7CNTSOC Wish to Make Contributions Towards Society (EASS scale)

I want to make contributions towards society

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.8	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.4	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.5	-	-	-
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.0	-	-	-
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.6	-	-	-
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	-	-	-
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2594. Q7NBMTCN Neighborhood Environment: Mutually Concerned for Each Other (EASS scale)

The neighbors are mutually concerned for each other

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.9	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.1	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	32.8	-	-	-
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.6	-	-	-
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.0	-	-	-
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.3	-	-	-
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2595. Q7NBASS Neighborhood Environment: Willing to Provide Assistance

The neighbors are willing to provide assistance when I am in need

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.3	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.7	-	-	-
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	38.8	-	-	-
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.6	-	-	-
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.6	-	-	-
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2596. Q7SLVPRB Wish to Solve Problems Without Relying on Others (EASS scale)

I would like to solve my problems without relying on others

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.1	-	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	32.3	-	-	-
3	Somewhat agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	27.8	-	-	-
4	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.6	-	-	-
5	Somewhat disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.9	-	-	-
6	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-
7	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2597. POWCHGLF Power to Make Important Decisions to Change Life

Do you feel that you have the power to make important decisions to change the course of your life? Please choose an option closest to you.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Mostly unable to change life	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.1	-	-	-
2	Somewhat unable to change life	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31.0	-	-	-
3	Somewhat able to change life	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42.8	-	-	-
4	Mostly able to change life	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.3	-	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2598-2603. Ownership of Financial Instruments

At present, do you own any of the financial products listed below? Choose all that apply.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
FINBOND	Ownership of Financial Instruments: Bonds	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.2	-	-	-
FINFRGN	Ownership of Financial Instruments: Foreign Currency Account	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.1	-	-	-
FININVTR	Ownership of Financial Instruments: Investment Trust	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.2	-	-	-
FINSTOCK	Ownership of Financial Instruments: Publicly Traded Stock	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.1	-	-	-
FINOTHER	Ownership of Financial Instruments: Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-
FINNO	Ownership of Financial Instruments: None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	75.4	-	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2335	-	-	-

2604. USFLSKL Usefulness of Skills to Current Job

How useful are the experiences or skills that you acquired through your previous jobs for your current job?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very useful	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	43.1	43.8	45.1
2	Somewhat useful	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40.0	36.9	38.7
3	Not very useful	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.9	14.0	10.2
4	Hardly useful	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.6	4.1	5.9
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	1.3	0.1
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1289	464	1206
8	Not applicable												

2605. AGERETR Preferred Age of Retirement

Considering the rising trend of the pensionable age and the retirement age, up to what age do you want to keep working for pay? If you are retired, up to what age did you want to keep working for pay?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Before 50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	-	-
2	About 50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.1	-	-
3	About 55	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.7	-	-
4	About 60	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.0	-	-
5	About 65	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35.5	-	-
6	About 70	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.7	-	-
7	About 75	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.9	-	-
8	76 or older	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.2	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

2606. OP7STBSN Willingness to Start Business

If you had the opportunity and resources, would you like to start a new business?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly likely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.2	-	-
2	Likely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.7	-	-
3	Somewhat likely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.3	-	-
4	Equal likely/unlikely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.8	-	-
5	Somewhat unlikely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.1	-	-
6	Unlikely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.0	-	-
7	Strongly unlikely	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.3	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

2607. OVEREDUC Match between Education and Job Descriptions

Do you think that your education matches the requirement of your current job (or your last job if not currently employed)?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes, my education matches the requirement of my job	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	49.6	-	-
2	No, my education is more than the requirement of my job	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.0	-	-
3	No, my education is less than the requirement of my job	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.6	-	-
4	I have never worked	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.1	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

2608. DOUSESGL Match between Job Related Skills and Job Descriptions

Do you think that your skill matches the requirement of your current job (or your last job if not currently employed)?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes, my skill matches the requirement of my job	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	65.8	-	-
2	No, my skill is more than the requirement of my job	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.2	-	-
3	No, my skill is less than the requirement of my job	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.9	-	-
4	I have never worked	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.4	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

2609-2611. Experience of Job Training: At Worksite

Over the past 12 months, have you had any training to improve your job skills, either at the workplace or somewhere else?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
0	Not chosen												
1	Chosen												
9	No answer												
Multiple answers													
XJOBW	Experience of Job Training: At Worksite	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.4	-	-
XJOBOW	Experience of Job Training: Outside Worksite	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.6	-	-
XJOBNO	Experience of Job Training: None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	66.4	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

2612. DOWORK Currently Working for Pay

Are you currently working for pay?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	62.0	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	38.0	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2079	-	-

2613. SZNRWRKR Proportion of Non-regular Employees

What is the percentage of non-regular employees – including dispatched employees, contract employees, part-time employees – in your workplace?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	About 0-10%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	39.4	-	-
2	About 20-40%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.7	-	-
3	About 50%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.2	-	-
4	About 60-80%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.7	-	-
5	About 90-100%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.8	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.3	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1289	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2614. SZFWRKR Proportion of Women among Regular Employees

What is the percentage of female workers in your workplace? Please exclude non-regular employees.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	About 0-10%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36.9	-	-
2	About 20-40%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	27.0	-	-
3	About 50%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.4	-	-
4	About 60-80%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.6	-	-
5	About 90-100%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.3	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.9	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1289	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2615. CLLGFRGN Presence of Foreign Employees

Is there someone from foreign country working in your workplace?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.3	-	-
2	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	75.4	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	-	-
n		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1289	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2616-2621. To what extent do you think the following apply to your company or organization?

2616. OP5CPDCS Evaluation of Workplace: Personnel Policy

My company/organization does not listen to the opinions of most employees who are affected by the decisions on personnel policy

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.1	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.0	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36.9	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.1	-	-
5	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.4	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.5	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1289	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2617. OP5FMCMP Evaluation of Workplace: Decision Making Policy

People from one or several families make all the important decisions.

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.4	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.8	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.9	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.6	-	-
5	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.6	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.6	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1289	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2618. OP5FMMTR Evaluation of Workplace: Willingness to Consider Family Issues

My company/organization is sensible about family matters (e.g. child care and elderly care) in the workload allocation among employees

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.2	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41.6	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.9	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.8	-	-
5	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.1	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.4	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1289	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2619. OP5SENIER Evaluation of Workplace: Seniority- or Results-Based Pay

In my company/organization workers with seniority are better rewarded than those with higher performance

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.9	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.1	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.6	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.2	-	-
5	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.7	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.5	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1289	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2620. OP5MNPWR Evaluation of Workplace: Shortage of Employees

My company/organization is understaffed and everyone is busy at work

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.1	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31.8	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28.2	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.8	-	-
5	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.9	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.1	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1289	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2621. OP5FMMGR Evaluation of Workplace: Working Environment for Female Managers

My company/organization provides a better working environment for female managers

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.8	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.5	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40.7	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.3	-	-
5	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.2	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.6	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1289	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2622-2623. How often do you feel that?

2622. FQ5JBIF Work Interferes with Family Life

The demands of your job interfere with your family life?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Always	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.3	-	-
2	Often	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.2	-	-
3	Sometimes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	32.4	-	-
4	Hardly ever	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35.1	-	-
5	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.7	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1289	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2623. FQ5FLIF Family Life Interferes with Work

The demands of your family life interfere with your job?

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Always	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.9	-	-
2	Often	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.2	-	-
3	Sometimes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.9	-	-
4	Hardly ever	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	49.8	-	-
5	Never	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.6	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1289	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2624-2626. Can you absent from work for more than 7 consecutive days for the following reasons?

2624. HDFMCARE Able to Be Absent from Work for More Than 7 Consecutive Days: Family Care

Family care (e.g., child care, elderly care)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Definitely I can	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.3	-	-
2	Probably I can	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41.5	-	-
3	Probably I can't	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28.8	-	-
4	Definitely I can't	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.5	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1289	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2625. HDHOBBY Able to Be Absent from Work for More Than 7 Consecutive Days: Hobbies and leisure

Hobbies and leisure (such as travel)

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Definitely I can	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.9	-	-
2	Probably I can	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.3	-	-
3	Probably I can't	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.8	-	-
4	Definitely I can't	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.3	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1289	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2626. HDSICK Able to Be Absent from Work for More Than 7 Consecutive Days: Illness

Illness

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Definitely I can	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.1	-	-
2	Probably I can	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	53.3	-	-
3	Probably I can't	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.2	-	-
4	Definitely I can't	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.9	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.4	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1289	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2627-2637. For each of these statements about your (main) job, how much you agree or disagree that it applies to your job.

2627. WRKSECUR Current Job: My Job Is Secure

My job is secure

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Definitely I can	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.8	-	-
2	Probably I can	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37.4	-	-
3	Probably I can't	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.5	-	-
4	Definitely I can't	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.0	-	-
5	Definitely I can	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.0	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1289	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2628. WRKHIPAY Current Job: My Income Is High

My income is high

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Definitely I can	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	-	-
2	Probably I can	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.9	-	-
3	Probably I can't	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.3	-	-
4	Definitely I can't	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.6	-	-
5	Definitely I can	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.7	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1289	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2629. WRKPROMO Current Job: My Promotion Depends on My Effort

My promotion depends on my effort

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Definitely I can	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.2	-	-
2	Probably I can	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.7	-	-
3	Probably I can't	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	27.1	-	-
4	Definitely I can't	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.7	-	-
5	Definitely I can	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.0	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1289	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2630. WRKFREE Current Job: I Can Decide My Time or Days of Work Flexibly

I can decide my time or days of work flexibly

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.0	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.8	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.0	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	27.2	-	-
5	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.2	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1289	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2631. WRKVLM Current Job: I Can Decide How Much I Work

I can decide how much I work

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.7	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.1	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.4	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.2	-	-
5	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.9	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.6	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1289	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2632. WRKRWRD Current Job: I Find My Job Rewarding

I find my job rewarding

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.4	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36.5	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.7	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.2	-	-
5	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.4	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1289	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2633. WRKFAMIL Current Job: My Job Allows Me to Balance Work and Family Life

My job allows me to balance work and family life

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.6	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	44.3	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	32.0	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.3	-	-
5	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1289	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2634. WRKABLT Current Job: I Am Utilizing My Abilities for My Job

I am utilizing my abilities for my job

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.7	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	38.4	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35.2	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.2	-	-
5	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.7	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.7	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1289	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2635. WRKSOCTY Current Job: My Job Is Useful to Society

My job is useful to society

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.4	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	43.1	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.3	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.1	-	-
5	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	-	-
	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1289	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2636. WRKSHARE Current Job: Not Doing My Share of Work Increases Workloads for Colleagues

Not doing my share of work increases workloads for colleagues

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.9	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	39.4	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.5	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.8	-	-
5	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.4	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1289	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2637. WRKPRIDE Current Job: I Am Proud of Working at My Company or Organization

I am proud of working at my company or organization

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Strongly agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.0	-	-
2	Agree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31.0	-	-
3	Neither agree nor disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	38.2	-	-
4	Disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.6	-	-
5	Strongly disagree	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.3	-	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	-	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1289	-	-
8	Not applicable												

2638-2645. To what extent do you think the following statements apply to you?

2638. GRIT_S7 Japanese Grit-S scale (A): I finish whatever I begin

I finish whatever I begin

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.2	-
2	Mostly like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34.2	-
3	Somewhat like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	39.9	-
4	Not much like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.8	-
5	Not like me at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	368	-
8	Not applicable												

2639. GRIT_S4 Japanese Grit-S scale (A): I am a hard worker

I am a hard worker

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.8	-
2	Mostly like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	39.7	-
3	Somewhat like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31.5	-
4	Not much like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.6	-
5	Not like me at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	368	-
8	Not applicable												

2640. GRIT_S6 Japanese Grit-S scale (A): I have difficulty maintaining my focus on projects that take more than a few months to complete

I have difficulty maintaining my focus on projects that take more than a few months to complete

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.0	-
2	Mostly like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.9	-
3	Somewhat like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36.7	-
4	Not much like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.0	-
5	Not like me at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.1	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.4	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	368	-
8	Not applicable												

2641. GRIT_S2 Japanese Grit-S scale (A): Setbacks dont discourage me. I dont give up easily

I dont give up easily

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.6	-
2	Mostly like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.3	-
3	Somewhat like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	39.4	-
4	Not much like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.6	-
5	Not like me at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	368	-
8	Not applicable												

2642. GRIT_S3 Japanese Grit-S scale (A): I have been obsessed with a certain idea or project for a short time but later lost interest

I have been obsessed with a certain idea or project for a short time but later lost interest

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.3	-
2	Mostly like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.0	-
3	Somewhat like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.7	-
4	Not much like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.5	-
5	Not like me at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.4	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	368	-
8	Not applicable												

2643. GRIT_S5 Japanese Grit-S scale (A): I often set a goal but later choose to pursue a different one

I often set a goal but later choose to pursue a different one

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	-
2	Mostly like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.0	-
3	Somewhat like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37.2	-
4	Not much like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.9	-
5	Not like me at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.3	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	368	-
8	Not applicable												

2644. GRIT_S8 Japanese Grit-S scale (A): I am diligent

I am diligent

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.6	-
2	Mostly like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.0	-
3	Somewhat like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41.3	-
4	Not much like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.9	-
5	Not like me at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.3	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	368	-
8	Not applicable												

2645. GRIT_S1 Japanese Grit-S scale (A): New ideas and projects sometimes distract me from previous ones

New ideas and projects sometimes distract me from previous ones

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.6	-
2	Mostly like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.4	-
3	Somewhat like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	48.1	-
4	Not much like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.7	-
5	Not like me at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.2	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	368	-
8	Not applicable												

2646-2653. To what extent do you think the following statements apply to you?

2646. GRITS_1 Japanese Grit-S scale (B): New ideas and projects sometimes distract me from previous ones

New ideas and projects sometimes distract me from previous ones

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.0	-
2	Mostly like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.0	-
3	Somewhat like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	39.6	-
4	Not much like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36.7	-
5	Not like me at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.4	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-
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	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	376	-
8	Not applicable												

2647. GRITS_2 Japanese Grit-S scale (B): Setbacks dont discourage me. I dont give up easily

Setbacks dont discourage me. I dont give up easily

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.1	-
2	Mostly like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.1	-
3	Somewhat like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41.2	-
4	Not much like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.9	-
5	Not like me at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.5	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3	-
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	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	376	-
8	Not applicable												

2648. GRITS_3 Japanese Grit-S scale (B): I have been obsessed with a certain idea or project for a short time but later lost interest

I have been obsessed with a certain idea or project for a short time but later lost interest

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.8	-
2	Mostly like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.0	-
3	Somewhat like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40.4	-
4	Not much like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.6	-
5	Not like me at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.6	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-
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	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	376	-
8	Not applicable												

2649. GRITS_4 Japanese Grit-S scale (B): I am a hard worker

I am a hard worker

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.1	-
2	Mostly like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.1	-
3	Somewhat like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41.8	-
4	Not much like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	27.1	-
5	Not like me at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.3	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-
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	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	376	-
8	Not applicable												

2650. GRITS_5 Japanese Grit-S scale (B): I often set a goal but later choose to pursue a different one

I often set a goal but later choose to pursue a different one

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.9	-
2	Mostly like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.7	-
3	Somewhat like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41.0	-
4	Not much like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	38.8	-
5	Not like me at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.1	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-
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	n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	376	-
8	Not applicable												

2651. GRITS_6 Japanese Grit-S scale (B): I have difficulty maintaining my focus on projects that take more than a few months to complete

I have difficulty maintaining my focus on projects that take more than a few months to complete

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.6	-
2	Mostly like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.7	-
3	Somewhat like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35.1	-
4	Not much like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34.8	-
5	Not like me at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.7	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.1	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	376	-
8	Not applicable												

2652. GRITS_7 Japanese Grit-S scale (B): I finish whatever I begin

I finish whatever I begin

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.0	-
2	Mostly like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.2	-
3	Somewhat like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	49.5	-
4	Not much like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.5	-
5	Not like me at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.3	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	376	-
8	Not applicable												

2653. GRITS_8 Japanese Grit-S scale (B): I am diligent

I am diligent

Code		2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	2006	2008	2010	2012	2015	2017	2018
1	Very much like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.1	-
2	Mostly like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.8	-
3	Somewhat like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41.0	-
4	Not much like me	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31.6	-
5	Not like me at all	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.7	-
9	No answer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.8	-
		n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	376	-
8	Not applicable												

2654. WEIGHT Weight

* Different classification were used between surveys up through 2003 and surveys from 2005. See codebook of each year for further details.
This weighting variable is based on the population in each survey year, and cannot be used to attach weighting across survey years.