

M1 – (START POINT #) ¹⁻³ _ _ _ / **M2** – (ZIP CODE) ⁴⁻⁸ _ _ _ _ _ /PHONE ⁹⁻¹⁸ (_ _ _) _ _ _ - _ _ _ _ _
M3 – (MONTH / DAY OF INTERVIEW) ¹⁹⁻²² _ _ / _ _ / **M4** – (STARTING TIME) ²³⁻²⁶ _ : _ AM/PM

V1-4 ²⁷ / **V2** - 11^{28,29} (COUNTRY CODE FOR USA) / **V3** (QUESTIONNAIRE NUMBER): ^{30,33} _ _ _ _ _

Hello. I am _____ from MORI-USA for the University of Michigan. We are carrying out the U. S. part of a world-wide study of what people value in life. This study will interview samples representing most of the world's people. Your name has been selected at random as part of a representative sample of the American public. I'd like to ask your views on a number of different subjects. Your help will contribute to a better understanding of what people all over the world believe and want out of life.

SHOW CARD A

For each of the following, indicate how important it is in your life. Would you say it is:

		Very important	Rather important	Not very important	Not at all important	DK
v4	³⁴ Family	1	2	3	4	9
v5	³⁵ Friends	1	2	3	4	9
v6	³⁶ Leisure time	1	2	3	4	9
v7	³⁷ Politics	1	2	3	4	9
v8	³⁸ Work	1	2	3	4	9
v9	³⁹ Religion	1	2	3	4	9
v10	⁴⁰ Service to others	1	2	3	4	9

V11. Taking all things together, would you say you are: ⁴¹

[READ OUT]

- 1. Very happy
- 2. Quite happy
- 3. Not very happy
- 4. Not at all happy
- 9 Don't know [DO NOT READ OUT]

V12. All in all, how would you describe your state of health these days? Would you say it is... (READ OUT REVERSING ORDER FOR ALTERNATE CONTACTS) ⁴²

- 1 Very good
- 2 Good
- 3 Fair
- 4 Poor
- 9 Don't know [DO NOT READ OUT]

SHOW CARD B

V13. With which of these two statements do you tend to agree? (CODE ONE ANSWER ONLY)

- A. Regardless of what the qualities and faults of one's parents are, one must always love and respect them
- B. One does not have the duty to respect and love parents who have not earned it by their behavior and attitudes⁴³

- 1 Tend to agree with statement A
- 2 Tend to agree with statement B
- 9 Don't know [DO NOT READ OUT]

SHOW CARD C

V14. Which of the following statements best describes your views about parents' responsibilities to their children? (CODE ONE ONLY) ⁴⁴

- 1 Parents' duty is to do their best for their children even at the expense of their own well-being
- 2 Parents have a life of their own and should not be asked to sacrifice their own well-being for the sake of their children
- 3 Neither [IF VOLUNTEERED]
- 9 Don't know [DO NOT READ OUT]

SHOW CARD D

Here is a list of qualities that children can be encouraged to learn at home. Which, if any, do you consider to be especially important? Please choose up to five. **(CODE FIVE ONLY)**

		Important	Not Mentioned
V15	⁴⁵ Independence	1	2
V16	⁴⁶ Hard work	1	2
V17	⁴⁷ Feeling of responsibility	1	2
V18	⁴⁸ Imagination	1	2
V19	⁴⁹ Tolerance and respect for other people	1	2
V20	⁵⁰ Thrift, saving money and things	1	2
V21	⁵¹ Determination, perseverance	1	2
V22	⁵² Religious faith	1	2
V23	⁵³ Unselfishness	1	2
V24	⁵⁴ Obedience	1	2

V25. Generally speaking, would you say that most people can be trusted or that you need to be very careful in dealing with people?⁵⁵

- 1 Most people can be trusted
- 2 Need to be very careful
- 9 Don't know [DO NOT READ OUT]

V26. Do you think most people would try to take advantage of you if they got a chance, or would they try to be fair?⁵⁶

- 1 Would take advantage
- 2 Would try to be fair
- 9 Don't know [DO NOT READ OUT]

I'm going to ask how of often you do various things. For each activity, would you say you do them every week or nearly every week; once or twice a month; only a few times a year; or not at all?

		Weekly/ nearly every week	Once or twice a month	Only a few times a year	Not at all	DK
V27	⁵⁷ Spend time with parents or other relatives	1	2	3	4	9
V28	⁵⁸ Spend time with friends	1	2	3	4	9
V29	⁵⁹ Spend time socially with colleagues from work or your profession	1	2	3	4	9
V30	⁶⁰ Spend time with people at your church, mosque or synagogue	1	2	3	4	9
V31	⁶¹ Spend time socially with people at sports clubs or voluntary or service organization	1	2	3	4	9

V32 When you get together with your friends, would you say you discuss political matters frequently, occasionally or never?⁶²

- 1 Frequently
- 2 Occasionally
- 3 Never
- 9 Don't know [DO NOT READ OUT]

SHOW CARD E

I am now going to read out some statements about the environment. For each one read out, can you tell me whether you agree strongly, agree, disagree or strongly disagree? **(READ OUT EACH STATEMENT AND CODE AN ANSWER FOR EACH)**

		Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	DK
v33	⁶³ I would give part of my income if I were certain that the money would be used to prevent environmental pollution	1	2	3	4	9
v34	⁶⁴ I would agree to an increase in taxes if the extra money were used to prevent environmental pollution	1	2	3	4	9
v35	⁶⁵ The Government should reduce environmental pollution, but it should not cost me any money	1	2	3	4	9

V36 Here are two statements people sometimes make when discussing the environment and economic growth. Which of them comes closer to your own point of view?⁶⁶

1. Protecting the environment should be given priority, even if it causes slower economic growth and some loss of jobs.
2. Economic growth and creating jobs should be the top priority, even if the environment suffers to some extent
3. Other answer (VOLUNTEERED)
9. DK

V37 For each of the following pairs of statements, please tell me which one comes closest to your own views:⁶⁷

1. Human beings should master nature; OR
2. Humans should coexist with nature.
9. DK

V38⁶⁸

1. To build good human relationships, it is most important to try to understand others' preferences; OR
2. To build good relationships, it is most important to express one's own preferences clearly.
9. DK

SHOW CARD F

Please look carefully at the following list of voluntary organizations and activities and say... which, if any, do you belong to? **(CODE ALL 'YES' ANSWERS AS 1, IF NOT MENTIONED CODE AS 2)**

		BELONG	Not Mentioned
V39	⁶⁹ Social welfare services for elderly, handicapped or deprived people	1	2
V40	⁷⁰ Religious or church organizations	1	2
V41	⁷¹ Education, arts, music or cultural activities	1	2
V42	⁷² Labor unions	1	2
V43	⁷³ Political parties or groups	1	2
V44	⁷⁴ Local community action on issues like poverty, employment, housing, racial equality	1	2
V45	⁷⁵ Third world development or human rights	1	2
V46	⁷⁶ Conservation, the environment, ecology, animal rights	1	2
V47	⁷⁷ Professional associations	1	2
V48	⁷⁸ Youth work (e.g. scouts, guides, youth clubs etc.)	1	2
V49	⁷⁹ Sports or recreation	1	2
V50	⁸⁰ Women's groups	1	2
V51	⁸¹ Peace movement	1	2
V52	⁸² Voluntary organizations concerned with health	1	2
V53	⁸³ Other groups	1	2

B) And for which, if any, are you currently doing unpaid voluntary work? **(CODE ALL 'YES' ANSWERS AS 1; IF NOT MENTIONED CODE AS 2)**

Do voluntary work	Not Mentioned
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V54	⁸⁴ Social welfare services for elderly, handicapped or deprived people	1	2
V55	⁸⁵ Religious or church organizations	1	2
V56	⁸⁶ Education, arts, music or cultural activities	1	2
V57	⁸⁷ Labor unions	1	2
V58	⁸⁸ Political parties or groups	1	2
V59	⁸⁹ Local community action on issues like poverty, employment, housing, racial equality	1	2
V60	⁹⁰ Third world development or human rights	1	2
V61	⁹¹ Conservation, the environment, ecology, animal rights,	1	2
V61b	⁹² Professional associations	1	2
V62	⁹³ Youth work (e.g. scouts, guides, youth clubs etc.)	1	2
V63	⁹⁴ Sports or recreation	1	2
V64	⁹⁵ Women's groups	1	2
V65	⁹⁶ Peace movement	1	
V66	⁹⁷ Voluntary organizations concerned with health	1	2
V67	⁹⁸ Other groups	1	2

SHOW CARD F1

A) Did you give money to any of the following organizations in 1999? (CODE BELOW AS “YES” OR “NO”)

B) Of the areas mentioned, how much would you say you have contributed in 1999? (WRITE IN THE AMOUNT IN THE \$\$\$\$ COLUMN)

		Yes	No	\$\$\$\$
V67a	⁹⁹ culture and arts	1	2	^{100_103}
V67b	¹⁰⁴ sports and recreation	1	2	^{105_108}
V67c	¹⁰⁹ education and research	1	2	^{110_113}
V67d	¹¹⁴ health and social services	1	2	^{115_118}
V67e	¹¹⁹ environment	1	2	^{120_123}
V67f	¹²⁴ political causes	1	2	^{125_128}
V67g	¹²⁹ religious causes	1	2	^{130_133}
V67h	¹³⁴ international relief	1	2	^{135_138}
V67i	¹³⁹ other	1	2	^{140_143}

V67j Compared to 2 years ago, would you say that you contribute less, more, or about the same amount of money now? ¹⁴⁴

1. More / 2. Same / 3. Less / 4. Don't Know / 5. No Answer / 6. Not applicable

SHOW CARD G

On this list are various groups of people. Could you please sort out any that you would not like to have as neighbors? (CODE AN ANSWER FOR EACH)

		MENTIONED	NOT MENTIONED
V68	¹⁴⁵ People with a criminal record	1	2
V69	¹⁴⁶ People of a different race	1	2
V70	¹⁴⁷ Heavy drinkers	1	2
V71	¹⁴⁸ Emotionally unstable people	1	2
V72	¹⁴⁹ Muslims	1	2
V73	¹⁵⁰ Immigrants/foreign workers	1	2
V74	¹⁵¹ People who have AIDS		2
V75	¹⁵² Drug addicts	1	
V76	¹⁵³ Homosexuals	1	2
V77	¹⁵⁴ Jews	1	2

Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

		Agree	Neither	Disagree	DK
V78	¹⁵⁵ When jobs are scarce, men should have more right to a job than women	1	2	3	4

V79	¹⁵⁶ When jobs are scarce, employers should give priority to American people over immigrants	1	2	3	4
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SHOW CARD H

V80. How satisfied are you with the financial situation of your household? If "1" means you are completely dissatisfied on this scale, and "10" means you are completely satisfied, where would you put your satisfaction with your household's financial situation? ^{157_158}

Dissatisfied Satisfied
 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
 DK = 99

SHOW CARD H AGAIN

V81. All things considered, how satisfied are you with your life as a whole these days? Please use this card to help with your answer. ^{159_160}

Dissatisfied Satisfied
 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
 DK = 99

V82. Some people feel they have completely free choice and control over their lives, while other people feel that what they do has no real effect on what happens to them. Please use this scale where 1 means "none at all" and 10 means "a great deal" to indicate how much freedom of choice and control you feel you have over the way your life turns out. ^{161_162}

None at all A great deal
 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
 DK = 99

SHOW CARD I

V83. Which point on this scale most clearly describes how much weight you place on work (including housework and schoolwork), as compared with leisure or recreation? ¹⁶³

1. It's leisure that makes life worth living, not work
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
5. Work is what makes life worth living, not leisure
9. DK

SHOW CARD J

V84. Now I would like to ask you something about the things which would seem to you, personally, most important if you were looking for a job. Here are some of the things many people take into account in relation to their work. Regardless of whether you're actually looking for a job, which one would you, personally, place first if you were looking for a job? ¹⁶⁴

1. A good income so that you do not have any worries about money
2. A safe job with no risk of closing down or unemployment
3. Working with people you like
4. Doing an important job which gives you a feeling of accomplishment
9. DK

V85. And what would be your second choice? ¹⁶⁵

1. A good income so that you do not have any worries about money
2. A safe job with no risk of closing down or unemployment
3. Working with people you like
4. Doing an important job which gives you a feeling of accomplishment
9. DK

SHOW CARD J2

Here are some more aspects of a job that people say are important. Please look at them and tell me which ones you personally think are important in a job? **(CODE ALL MENTIONED)**

		MENTIONED	NOT MENTIONED
V86	¹⁶⁶ Good pay	1	2
V87	¹⁶⁷ Not too much pressure	1	2
V88	¹⁶⁸ Good job security	1	2
V89	¹⁶⁹ A job respected by people in general	1	2
V90	¹⁷⁰ Good hours	1	2
V91	¹⁷¹ An opportunity to use initiative	1	2
V92	¹⁷² Generous holidays	1	2
V93	¹⁷³ A job in which you feel you can achieve something	1	2
V94	¹⁷⁴ A responsible job	1	2
V95	¹⁷⁵ A job that is interesting	1	2
V96	¹⁷⁶ A job that meets one's abilities	1	2

SHOW CARD J3

N2. Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

		Strongly Agree	Agree	Neither agree or disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	DK
V97	¹⁷⁷ To fully develop your talents, you need to have a job	1	2	3	4	5	9
V98	¹⁷⁸ It is humiliating to receive money without having to work for it	1	2	3	4	5	9
V99	¹⁷⁹ People who don't work turn lazy	1	2	3	4	5	9
V100	¹⁸⁰ Work is a duty towards society	1	2	3	4	5	9
V101	¹⁸¹ People should not have to work if they don't want to	1	2	3	4	5	9
V102	¹⁸² Work should always come first, even if it means less spare time	1	2	3	4	5	9

V103. Imagine two secretaries, of the same age, doing practically the same job. One finds out that the other earns considerably more than she does. The better paid secretary, however, is quicker, more efficient and more reliable at her job. In your opinion, is it fair or not fair that one secretary is paid more than the other? ¹⁸³

- 1 Fair
- 2 Not fair
- 9 Don't know [DO NOT READ OUT]

SHOW CARD K

V104. There is a lot of discussion about how business and industry should be managed. Which of these four statements comes closest to your opinion? **(CODE ONE ONLY)** ¹⁸⁴

- 1 The owners should run their business or appoint the managers
- 2 The owners and the employees should participate in the selection of managers
- 3 The government should be the owner and appoint the managers
- 4 The employees should own the business and should elect the managers
- 9 Don't know [DO NOT READ OUT]

V105. People have different ideas about following instructions at work. Some say that one should follow one's superior's instructions even when one does not fully agree with them. Others say that one should follow one's superior's instructions only when one is convinced that they are right. With which of these two opinions do you agree? ¹⁸⁵

- 1 Should follow instructions
- 2 Must be convinced first
- 3 Depends [IF VOLUNTEERED]
- 9 Don't know [DO NOT READ OUT]

V106. Are you currently**(READ OUT AND CODE ONE ONLY)** ¹⁸⁶

- 1 Married
- 2 Living together as married
- 3 Divorced
- 4 Separated
- 5 Widowed
- 6 Single

V107. Have you had any children? (IF YES:) how many? ¹⁸⁷

- 0 No child
- 1 1 child
- 2 2children
- 3 3 children
- 4 4 children
- 5 5 children
- 6 6 children
- 7 7 children
- 8 8 or more children
- 9 No answer

V108. What do you think is the ideal size of the family - how many children, if any? ¹⁸⁸

- 0 None
- 1 1 child
- 2 2 children
- 3 3 children
- 4 4 children
- 5 5 children
- 6 6 children
- 7 7 children
- 8 8 or more children
- 9 DK, no answer

V109. If someone says a child needs a home with both a father and a mother to grow up happily, would you tend to agree or disagree? ¹⁸⁹

- 1 Tend to agree
- 2 Tend to disagree
- 9 Don't know [DO NOT READ OUT]

V110. Do you think that a woman has to have children in order to be fulfilled or is this not necessary? ¹⁹⁰

- 1 Needs children
- 2 Not necessary
- 9 Don't know [DO NOT READ OUT]

V111. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement? (READ OUT): "Marriage is an out-dated institution" ¹⁹¹

- 1 Agree
- 2 Disagree
- 9 Don't know [DO NOT READ OUT]

V112. If a woman wants to have a child as a single parent but she doesn't want to have a stable relationship with a man, do you approve or disapprove? ¹⁹²

- 1 Approve
- 2 Disapprove
- 3 Depends [IF VOLUNTEERED]
- 9 Don't know [DO NOT READ OUT]

For each of the following statements I read out, can you tell me how much you agree with each. Do you agree strongly, agree, disagree, or disagree strongly?

Agree strongly	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	DK
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V113	¹⁹³ One of my main goals in life has been to make my parents proud	1	2	3	4	9
V114	¹⁹⁴ I make a lot of effort to live up to what my friends expect	1	2	3	4	9
V115	¹⁹⁵ A working mother can establish just as warm and secure a relationship with her children as a mother who does not work	1	2	3	4	9
V116	¹⁹⁶ Being a housewife is just as fulfilling as working for pay	1	2	3	4	9
V117	¹⁹⁷ Both the husband and wife should contribute to household income	1	2	3	4	9
V118	¹⁹⁸ On the whole, men make better political leaders than women do	1	2	3	4	9
V119	¹⁹⁹ A university education is more important for a boy than for a girl	1	2	3	4	9

SHOW CARD L

V120. People sometimes talk about what the aims of this country should be for the next ten years. On this card are listed some of the goals which different people would give top priority. Would you please say which one of these you, yourself, consider the most important? (**CODE ONE ANSWER ONLY UNDER "First Choice."**)

V121. And which would be the next most important? (**CODE ONE ANSWER ONLY UNDER "Second Choice."**)

	FIRST CHOICE ²⁰⁰	SECOND CHOICE ²⁰¹
A high level of economic growth	1	1
Making sure this country has strong defense forces	2	2
Seeing that people have more say about how things are done at their jobs and in their communities	3	3
Trying to make our cities and countryside more beautiful	4	4
Don't know (DO NOT READ OUT)	9	9

SHOW CARD M

V122. If you had to choose, which one of the things on this card would you say is most important? (**CODE ONE ANSWER ONLY**)

V123. And which would be the next most important? (**CODE ONE ANSWER ONLY**)

	FIRST CHOICE ²⁰²	SECOND CHOICE ²⁰³
Maintaining order in the nation	1	1
Giving people more say in important government decisions	2	2
Fighting rising prices	3	3
Protecting freedom of speech	4	4
Don't know [DO NOT READ OUT]	9	9

SHOW CARD N

V124. Here is another list. In your opinion, which one of these is most important? (**CODE ONE ANSWER ONLY**)

V125. And what would be the next most important? (**CODE ONE ANSWER ONLY**)

	FIRST CHOICE ²⁰⁴	SECOND CHOICE ²⁰⁵
A stable economy	1	1
Progress toward a less impersonal and more humane society	2	2
Progress toward a society in which ideas count more than money	3	3
The fight against crime	4	4
Don't know [DO NOT READ OUT]	9	9

V126. Of course, we all hope that there will not be another war, but if it were to come to that, would you be willing to fight for your country?²⁰⁶

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know [**DO NOT READ OUT**]

I'm going to read out a list of various changes in our way of life that might take place in the near future. Please tell me for each one, if it were to happen, whether you think it would be a good thing, a bad thing, or don't you mind?

		GOOD	DON'T MIND	BAD
V127	²⁰⁷ Less emphasis on money and material possessions	1	2	3
V128	²⁰⁸ Less importance placed on work in our lives	1	2	3
V129	²⁰⁹ More emphasis on the development of technology	1	2	3
V130	²¹⁰ Greater respect for authority	1	2	3
V131	²¹¹ More emphasis on family life	1	2	3

V132. In the long run, do you think the scientific advances we are making will help or harm mankind?²¹²

- 1 Will help
- 2 Will harm
- 3 Some of each
- 9 Don't know [**DO NOT READ OUT**]

V133. How interested would you say you are in politics?²¹³

- 1 Very interested
- 2 Somewhat interested
- 3 Not very interested
- 4 Not at all interested
- 9 Don't know [**DO NOT READ OUT**]

SHOW CARD O [WHICH LISTS "HAVE DONE," "MIGHT DO," "WOULD NEVER DO"]

Now I'd like you to look at this card. I'm going to read out some different forms of political action that people can take, and I'd like you to tell me, for each one, whether you have actually done any of these things, whether you might do it or would never, under any circumstances, do it.

		HAVE DONE	MIGHT DO	WOULD NEVER DO	DK
V134	²¹⁴ Signing a petition	1	2	3	4
V135	²¹⁵ Joining in boycotts	1	2	3	4
V136	²¹⁶ Attending lawful demonstrations	1	2	3	4
V137	²¹⁷ Joining unofficial strikes	1	2	3	4
V138	²¹⁸ Occupying buildings or factories	1	2	3	4

SHOW CARD P

V139. In political matters, people talk of "the left" and "the right." How would you place your views on this scale, generally speaking?^{219,220}

Left Right
 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
 DK = 99

SHOW CARD Q

V140. On this card are three basic kinds of attitudes concerning the society we live in. Please choose the one which best describes your own opinion. (**CODE ONE ONLY**)²²¹

- 1 The entire way our society is organized must be radically changed by revolutionary action
- 2 Our society must be gradually improved by reforms
- 3 Our present society must be valiantly defended against all subversive forces
- 9 Don't know [**DO NOT READ OUT**]

SHOW CARD R

Now I'd like you to tell me your views on various issues. How would you place your views on this scale? 1 means you agree completely with the statement on the left; 10 means you agree completely with the statement on the right; and if your views fall somewhere in between, you can choose any number in between.^{222,223}

V141

Incomes should be made more equal
 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
 DK=99

We need larger income differences as incentives for individual effort

V142^{224,225}

Private ownership of business and industry should be increased
 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
 DK=99

Government ownership of business and industry should be increased

V143^{226,227}

The government should take more responsibility to ensure that everyone is provided for
 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
 DK=99

People should take more responsibility to provide for themselves

V144^{228,229}

Competition is good. It stimulates people to work hard and develop new ideas
 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
 DK=99

Competition is harmful. It brings out the worst in people

V145^{230,231}

Ideas that have stood the test of time are generally best
 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
 DK=99

New ideas are generally better than old ones

V146. How about people from other countries coming here to work. Which one of the following do you think the government should do?^{232,233}

1. Let anyone come who wants to?
2. Let people come as long as there are jobs available?
3. Place strict limits on the number of foreigners who can come here?
4. Prohibit people coming here from other countries?
9. DK

I am going to name a number of organizations. For each one, could you tell me how much confidence you have in them: is it a great deal of confidence, quite a lot of confidence, not very much confidence or none at all?

		A GREAT DEAL	QUITE A LOT	NOT VERY MUCH	NONE AT ALL	DK
V147	²³⁴ The churches	1	2	3	4	9
V148	²³⁵ The armed forces	1	2	3	4	9
V149	²³⁶ The press	1	2	3	4	9
V150	²³⁷ Television	1	2	3	4	9
V151	²³⁸ Labor unions	1	2	3	4	9

- 1 A lot of respect for individual human rights
- 2 Some respect
- 3 Not much respect
- 4 No respect at all
- 9 Don't know (**DO NOT READ**)

V174. How satisfied are you with the way the people now in national office are handling the country's affairs? Would you say you are very satisfied, fairly satisfied, fairly dissatisfied or very dissatisfied?²⁶⁶

- 1. Very satisfied
- 2. Fairly satisfied
- 3. Fairly dissatisfied
- 4. Very dissatisfied
- 9. DK

V175. Generally speaking, would you say that this country is run by a few big interests looking out for themselves, or that it is run for the benefit of all the people?²⁶⁷

- 1 Run by a few big interests
- 2 Run for all the people
- 9 Don't know [**DO NOT READ OUT**]

V176. Some people favor, and others are against, having this country provide economic aid to poorer countries. Do you think that this country should provide more or less economic aid to poorer countries? Would you say we should give ...²⁶⁸

- 1. A lot more than we do now
- 2. Somewhat more than we do now
- 3. Somewhat less than we do now
- 4. A lot less than we do now
- 9. DK

Some people believe that certain kinds of problems could be better handled by the United Nations than by the various national governments. Others think that these problems should be left entirely to the respective national governments; while others think they would be handled best by the national governments working together with coordination by the United Nations.

I'm going to mention some problems. For each one, would you tell me whether you think that policies in this area should be decided by the national governments, by the United Nations, or by the national governments with UN coordination?

		National Governments	United Nations	National governments, with UN coordination	DK
V177	²⁶⁹ International peacekeeping	1	2	3	9
V178	²⁷⁰ Protection of the environment	1	2	3	9
V179	²⁷¹ Aid to developing countries	1	2	3	9
V180	²⁷² Refugees	1	2	3	9
V181	²⁷³ Human Rights	1	2	3	9

V182. How often, if at all, do you think about the meaning and purpose of life? (**READ OUT IN REVERSE ORDER FOR ALTERNATE CONTACTS**)²⁷⁴

- 1 Often
- 2 Sometimes
- 3 Rarely
- 4 Never
- 9 Don't know [**DO NOT READ OUT**]

SHOW CARD T

V183. Here are two statements which people sometimes make when discussing good and evil. Which one comes closest to your own point of view?²⁷⁵

- A. There are absolutely clear guidelines about what is good and evil. These always apply to everyone, whatever the circumstances.
- B. There can never be absolutely clear guidelines about what is good and evil. What is good and evil depends entirely upon the circumstances at the time.

- 1 Agree with statement A
- 2 Agree with statement B
- 3 Disagree with both [IF VOLUNTEERED]
- 9 Don't know [DO NOT READ OUT]

V184. Do you belong to a religious denomination?
IF YES: Which one? [IF NO: CODE 0]²⁷⁶

RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION	
NO, not a member	0
Roman Catholic	1
Protestant	2
Orthodox (Russian/Greek/etc.)	3
Jews	4
Muslim	5
Hindu	6
Buddhist	7
Other (WRITE IN)	8
No answer	9

SHOW CARD U

V185. Apart from weddings, funerals and christenings, about how often do you attend religious services these days?²⁷⁷

- 1 More than once a week
- 2 Once a week
- 3 Once a month
- 4 Only on special holy days
- 5 Once a year
- 6 Less often
- 7 Never, practically never

V186. Independently of whether you go to church or not, would you say you are...(READ OUT)²⁷⁸

- 1 A religious person
- 2 Not a religious person
- 3 A convinced atheist
- 9 Don't know [DO NOT READ OUT]

Generally speaking, do you think that the churches in your country are giving adequate answers to ... (READ OUT AND CODE ONE ANSWER FOR EACH)²⁷⁹

		YES	NO	DK
V187	²⁸⁰ The moral problems and needs of the individual	1	2	9
V188	²⁸¹ The problems of family life	1	2	9
V189	²⁸² People's spiritual needs	1	2	9
V190	²⁸³ The social problems facing our country today	1	2	9

Which, if any, of the following do you believe in? (READ OUT AND CODE ONE ANSWER FOR EACH)

V204	Claiming government benefits to which you are not entitled ^{298_299}										
	Never Justifiable									Always Justifiable	
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
	DK=99										
V205	Avoiding a fare on public transport ^{300_301}										
	Never Justifiable									Always Justifiable	
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
	DK=99										
V206	Cheating on taxes if you have a chance ^{302_303}										
	Never Justifiable									Always Justifiable	
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
	DK=99										
V207	Someone accepting a bribe in the ^{304_305} course of their duties										
	Never Justifiable									Always Justifiable	
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
	DK=99										
V208	Homosexuality ^{306_307}										
	Never Justifiable									Always Justifiable	
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
	DK=99										
V209	Prostitution ^{308_309}										
	Never Justifiable									Always Justifiable	
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
	DK=99										
V210	Abortion ^{310_311}										
	Never Justifiable									Always Justifiable	
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
	DK=99										
V211	Divorce ^{312_313}										
	Never Justifiable									Always Justifiable	
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
	DK=99										
V212	Euthanasia-- ending the life of the incurably sick ^{314_315}										
	Never Justifiable									Always Justifiable	
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
	DK=99										
V213	Suicide ^{316_317}										
	Never Justifiable									Always Justifiable	
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
	DK=99										

SHOW CARD X

V214. To which of these geographical groups would you say you belong first of all?

V215. And the next?

	FIRST 318	NEXT 319
Locality or town where you live	1	1
State or region of country where you live	2	2
The U.S. as a whole	3	3
North America	4	4
The world as a whole	5	5
Don't know [DO NOT READ OUT]	9	9

V216. How proud are you to be American? ³²⁰

- 1 Very proud
- 2 Quite proud
- 3 Not very proud
- 4 Not at all proud
- 5 **[IF VOLUNTEERED]**: I am not American
- 9 Don't know **[DO NOT READ OUT]**

SHOW CARD X2

V217 How often do you follow politics in the news on television or on the radio or in the daily papers? ³²¹

- 1 Every day
- 2 Several times a week
- 3 Once or twice a week
- 4 Less often
- 5 Never
- 9 DK

SHOW CARD Y

V218. Which of the following best describes you? Just call out one of the letters on this card. ³²²

- 1 [A] Above all, I am an Hispanic American
- 2 [B] Above all, I am a Black American
- 3 [C] Above all, I am a white American
- 4 [D] Above all, I am an Asian American
- 5 [E] I am an American first and a member of some ethnic group second

V219. What language do you normally speak at home? ³²³

1. English
2. Spanish
3. French
4. Chinese
5. Japanese
6. Other (**SPECIFY**) _____

SHOW CARD Z

V220. If there were a national election tomorrow, for which party on this list would you vote? Just call out the number on this card. (**IF DON'T KNOW**): Which party appeals to you most? ^{324_325}

01. Democrat Party
02. Republican Party
03. Reform Party
04. Other (**SPECIFY**) _____.
- 99 DK

V221. And which party would be your second choice? ^{326_327}

01. Democrat Party
02. Republican Party
03. Reform Party
04. Other (**SPECIFY**) _____.
- 99 DK

V222. And is there any party on this list that you would never vote for? ^{328_329}

- 01. Democrat Party
- 02. Republican Party
- 03. Reform Party
- 04. Other (**SPECIFY**) _____.
- 99 DK

Show Card AA

In your opinion, should the United States have closer, or more distant, economic ties with...

		Much Closer	Somewhat closer	A bit more distant	Much more distant	DK
V222A	³³⁰ Western Europe	1	2	3	4	9
V222B	³³¹ Japan	1	2	3	4	9
V222C	³³² Mexico	1	2	3	4	9
V222D	³³³ Canada	1	2	3	4	9
V222E	³³⁴ Eastern Europe	1	2	3	4	9

SHOW CARD BB

Would you favor or oppose having the United States and Canada form one country..... (**STRONGLY OR SLIGHTLY**) ?

		Strongly Favor	Favor	Neither favor nor oppose	Oppose	Strongly oppose	DK
V222F	³³⁵ If it meant that you would enjoy a higher standard of living	1	2	3	4	5	9
V222G	³³⁶ If it means losing this country' s cultural identify	1	2	3	4	5	9
V222H	³³⁷ If it meant that we could deal more effectively with environment issues like acid rain and air pollution	1	2	3	4	5	9
V222I	³³⁸ If it meant that Canada would form 12 new states in the United States	1	2	3	4	5	9
V222J	³³⁹ If it meant slightly lower taxes but fewer government services	1	2	3	4	5	9
V222K	³⁴⁰ If it meant a better quality of life	1	2	3	4	5	9

V222L. All things considered, do you think that we should do away with the border between the United States and Canada? ³⁴¹

Favor 1 / Oppose 2 / D.K. 9

V222M. All things considered, do you think that we should do away with the border between the United States and Canada? ³⁴²

Favor 1 / Oppose 2 / D.K. 9

DEMOGRAPHICS

V223. Sex of respondent: ³⁴³

- 1 Male
- 2 Female

V224. Can you tell me your year of birth, please? 19 ____ ____ [ENTER ONLY THE LAST TWO DIGITS OF THE YEAR: "19" IS ASSUMED] ^{344_345}

V225. This means you are _____ years old. [ALSO A TWO DIGIT VARIABLE]^{346_347}

V226. What is the highest educational level that you have attained? (IF STUDENT, CODE HIGHEST LEVEL HE/SHE EXPECTS TO COMPLETE):³⁴⁸

1. No formal education
2. Incomplete primary school
3. Complete primary school
4. Incomplete secondary school: technical/vocational type
5. Complete secondary school: technical/vocational type
6. Incomplete secondary: university-preparatory type
7. Complete secondary: university-preparatory type
8. Some university-level education, without degree
9. University-level education, with degree
0. DK/NA

V227. At what age did you (or will you) complete your full time education, either at school or at an institution of higher education? Please exclude apprenticeships: [IF STUDENT, CODE AGE AT WHICH HE/SHE EXPECTS TO COMPLETE EDUCATION]

WRITE IN AGE IN YEARS _____ [TWO DIGITS]^{349_350}

V228. Do you live with your parents?³⁵¹

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

V229. Are you employed now or not? (IF YES): About how many hours a week? If more than one job: only for the main job

Has paid employment

³⁵²

Full Time(30 hours a week or more)	1
Part time (less than 30 hours a week)	2
Self employed	3

If no paid employment:

Retired/pensioned	4
Housewife not otherwise employed	5
Student	6
Unemployed	7
Other PLEASE SPECIFY	8

V230. In which profession/occupation do you or did you work? If more than one job, the main job? What is/was your job there? WRITE IN AND CODE V230 BELOW [THIS IS ASKED SIMPLY IN ORDER TO CODE V230 BELOW]^{353_354}

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- 01 Employer/manager of establishment with 10 or more employees
 - 02 Employer/manager of establishment with less than 10 employees
 - 03 Professional worker lawyer, accountant, teacher, etc
 - 04 Supervisory - office worker: supervises others.
 - 05 non-manual - office worker: non-supervisory
 - 06 Foreman and supervisor
 - 07 Skilled manual worker
 - 08 Semi-skilled manual worker
 - 09 Unskilled manual worker
 - 10 Farmer: has own farm
 - 11 Agricultural worker

- 12 Member of armed forces, security personnel
- 13 Never had a job

V231. Are you the chief wage earner in your household? ³⁵⁵

- 1 Yes – **(GO TO V234)**
- 2 No – **(GO TO V232)**

V232. Is the chief wage earner employed now or not? ³⁵⁶

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

V233. In which profession/occupation does he/she work? (or did work) If more than one job, the main job? What is/was his/her job there? WRITE IN AND CODE V233 BELOW ^{357_358}

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- 01 Employer/manager of establishment with 10 or more employees
 - 02 Employer/manager of establishment with less than 10 employees
 - 03 Professional worker lawyer, accountant, teacher, etc.
 - 04 Supervisory non-manual - office worker.
 - 05 non-manual - office worker: non-supervisory
 - 06 Foreman and supervisor
 - 07 Skilled manual worker
 - 08 Semi-skilled manual worker
 - 09 Unskilled manual worker
 - 10 Farmer: has own farm
 - 11 Agricultural worker
 - 12 Member of armed forces, security personnel
 - 13 Never had a job

V234. During the past year, did your family: ³⁵⁹

- 1. Save money
- 2. Just get by
- 3. Spent some savings
- 4. Spent savings and borrowed money
- 9. DK, NA

V235. People sometimes describe themselves as belonging to the working class, the middle class, or the upper or lower class. Would you describe yourself as belonging to the... **(READ OUT):** ³⁶⁰

- 1. Upper class
- 2. Upper middle class
- 3. Lower middle class
- 4. Working class
- 5. Lower class
- 9. Don't know **[DO NOT READ OUT]**

SHOW INCOME CARD CC

V236. Here is a scale of incomes. We would like to know in what group your **household** is, counting all wages, salaries, pensions and other incomes that come in. Just give the letter of the group your **household** falls into, before taxes and other deductions. ^{361_362}

Up to 12,500	12,501 to 20,000	20,001 to 27,500	27,501 to 35,000	35,001 to 42,500	42,501 to 50,000	50,001 to 62,500	62,501 to 75,000	75,001 to 100,000	100,000 or more
C=01	D=02	E=03	F=04	G=05	H=06	I=07	J=08	K=09	L=10

No answer = 99

V237. Do you agree strongly, agree, disagree or disagree strongly with the following statement: "Television is my most important form of entertainment." ³⁶³

- 1. Agree strongly
- 2. Agree
- 3. Disagree
- 4. Disagree Strongly
- 9. DK

V238. Time at the end of the interview: ^{364_367}

V239. Total length of interview Hours _____ Minute _____ ^{368_371}

V240. During the interview the respondent was ³⁷²

- 1 Very interested
- 2 Somewhat interested
- 3 Not very interested

V241. Size of town: ³⁷³

- 1 Under 2,000
- 2 2,000 - 5,000
- 3 5 - 10,000
- 4 10 - 20,000
- 5 20 - 50,000
- 6 50 - 100,000
- 7 100 - 500,000
- 8 500,000 and more

V242. Ethnic group [code by observation]: ³⁷⁴

- 1 Caucasian (White)
- 2 African American (Black)
- 3 South Asian (Indian, Pakistani, etc.)
- 4 East Asian (Chinese, Japanese, etc.)
- 5 Arabic (Central Asian)
- 6 Other (WRITE IN)
- 7 Hispanic (Mexican, Cuban, etc)

V243. Region where the interview was conducted: ^{375_376}

- 01 New England
- 02 Middle Atlantic states
- 03 South Atlantic
- 04 East South Central
- 05 West South Central
- 06 East North Central
- 07 West North Central
- 08 Rocky Mountain states
- 09 Northwest
- 10 California

V244. Language in which interview was conducted ³⁷⁷

- 1. English

V245. Weight variable. (LEAVE A 4-DIGIT VOID SPACE) ^{378_381}

My supervisor may need to contact you for quality control purposes:

may I have your name, please? _____

SHOW CARD A

Very important	Rather important	Not very important	Not at all important
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SHOW CARD B

- A. Regardless of what the qualities and faults of one's parents are, one must always love and respect them
- B. One does not have the duty to respect and love parents who have not earned it by their behavior and attitudes

SHOW CARD C

- 1 Parents' duty is to do their best for their children even at the expense of their own well-being
- 2 Parents have a life of their own and should not be asked to sacrifice their own well-being for the sake of their children

SHOW CARD D

Independence
Hard work
Feeling of responsibility
Imagination
Tolerance and respect for other people
Thrift, saving money and things
Determination, perseverance
Religious faith
Unselfishness
Obedience

SHOW CARD E

Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree
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SHOW CARD F

Social welfare services for elderly, handicapped or deprived people
Religious or church organizations
Education, arts, music or cultural activities
Labor unions
Political parties or groups
Local community action on issues like poverty, employment, housing, racial equality
Third world development or human rights
Conservation, the environment, ecology, animal rights
Professional associations
Youth work (e.g. scouts, guides, youth clubs etc.)
Sports or recreation
Women's groups
Peace movement
Voluntary organizations concerned with health
Other groups

SHOW CARD F1

Culture and arts
Sports and recreation
Education and research
Health and social services
Environment
Political causes
Religious causes
International relief
Other

SHOW CARD G

People with a criminal record
People of a different race
Heavy drinkers
Emotionally unstable people
Muslims
Immigrants/foreign workers
People who have AIDS
Drug addicts
Homosexuals
Jews

SHOW CARD H

Dissatisfied										Satisfied
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	

SHOW CARD I

1. It's leisure that makes life worth living, not work
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
5. Work is what makes life worth living, not leisure

SHOW CARD J

1. A good income so that you do not have any worries about money
2. A safe job with no risk of closing down or unemployment
3. Working with people you like
4. Doing an important job which gives you a feeling of accomplishment

SHOW CARD J2

Good pay
Not too much pressure
Good job security
A job respected by people in general
Good hours
An opportunity to use initiative
Generous holidays
A job in which you feel you can achieve something
A responsible job
A job that is interesting
A job that meets one's abilities

SHOW CARD J3

Strongly Agree	Agree	Neither agree or disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree
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SHOW CARD K

- 1 The owners should run their business or appoint the managers
- 2 The owners and the employees should participate in the selection of managers
- 3 The government should be the owner and appoint the managers
- 4 The employees should own the business and should elect the managers

SHOW CARD L

A high level of economic growth
Making sure this country has strong defense forces
Seeing that people have more say about how things are done at their jobs and in their communities
Trying to make our cities and countryside more beautiful

SHOW CARD M

Maintaining order in the nation
Giving people more say in important government decisions
Fighting rising prices
Protecting freedom of speech

SHOW CARD N

A stable economy
Progress toward a less impersonal and more humane society
Progress toward a society in which ideas count more than money
The fight against crime

SHOW CARD O

HAVE DONE	MIGHT DO	WOULD NEVER DO
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SHOW CARD P

Left												Right
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10			

SHOW CARD Q

- 1 The entire way our society is organized must be radically changed by revolutionary action
- 2 Our society must be gradually improved by reforms
- 3 Our present society must be valiantly defended against all subversive forces

SHOW CARD R

V141

Incomes should be made more equal

We need larger income differences as incentives for individual effort

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

V142

Private ownership of business and industry should be increased					Government ownership of business and industry should be increased				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

V143

The government should take more responsibility to ensure that everyone is provided for					People should take more responsibility to provide for themselves				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

V144

Competition is good. It stimulates people to work hard and develop new ideas				Competition is harmful. It brings out the worst in people					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

V145

Ideas that have stood the test of time are generally best					New ideas are generally better than old ones				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

SHOW CARD T

- A. There are absolutely clear guidelines about what is good and evil. These always apply to everyone, whatever the circumstances.
- B. There can never be absolutely clear guidelines about what is good and evil. What is good and evil depends entirely upon the circumstances at the time.

SHOW CARD U

- 1 More than once a week
- 2 Once a week
- 3 Once a month
- 4 Only on special holydays
- 5 Once a year
- 6 Less often
- 7 Never, practically never

SHOW CARD V

Not at all									Very
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

SHOW CARD E

Strongly Agree	Agree	Neither agree or disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree
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SHOW CARD W

Never Justifiable									Always Justifiable
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

SHOW CARD X

Locality or town where you live
State or region of country where you live
The U.S. as a whole
North America
The world as a whole

SHOW CARD X2

- 1 Every day
- 2 Several times a week
- 3 Once or twice a week
- 4 Less often
- 5 Never

SHOW CARD Y

- A Above all, I am an Hispanic American
- B Above all, I am a Black American
- C Above all, I am a white American
- D Above all, I am an Asian American
- E I am an American first and a member of some ethnic group second

SHOW CARD Z

- 01. Democrat Party
- 02. Republican Party
- 03. Reform Party
- 04. Other

SHOW CARD AA

Much closer	Somewhat closer	Somewhat distant	Much more distant
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SHOW CARD BB

Strongly Favor	Favor	Neither favor nor oppose	Oppose	Strongly oppose
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SHOW CARD CC

Up to 12,500	12,501 to 20,000	20,001 to 27,500	27,501 to 35,000	35,001 to 42,500	42,501 to 50,000	50,001 to 62,500	62,501 to 75,000	75,001 to 100,000	100,000 or more
C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
