A QUESTIONNAIRE ON FAMILY LIFE

Instructions on Entering
- This Questionnaire should be filled out only by women with no spouse (1. Those unmarried 2. Those who divorced or lost their husbands after marriage).
- Some questions are about children irrelevant to those unmarried. Please note that they are for some people answering this questionnaire who have children.
- You are requested to answer all the questions on this questionnaire, though it may take a considerable amount of time.
- The objective of this survey is to do a statistical analysis of the results.
- You will be asked questions about yourself and your household in detail. Please answer all questions honestly.
- You will be asked questions about your household life for the month of September 2006. Please answer them to the best of your memory.
- Please answer all questions in the numbered order. Some questions will only be for specific people. In this case, please follow the instructions.
- Please answer each of the questions by choosing one or more options and marking each of the numbers corresponding to the chosen answer with a circle ○, or otherwise by entering a figure in each frame. If you answer “Other”, mark the number corresponding to this item with a circle ○, and enter your specific answer in the parentheses ( ). If your answer is too long for the parentheses ( ), enter it in the margin.
- To any question with the instructions “(Circle only one answer ○)”, give your answer by choosing only one of the answers and circling it.
- If you cannot answer any question about your family members, answer it after having consulted with him/her.

Please hand your filled-out questionnaire to our representative, who is scheduled to visit you about ( ) o’clock on the ( ) of ( ).

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1. Please answer the following questions about your household.

Q1. How many members are there in your household?
□□ persons
(Enter the number of members in your household, presently living together under the same roof or on the same lot.)

Q2. Concerning each member of your family, enter their personal relationship to you, with regards to sex, age, student and worker status, whether they live together or separately, and marital status. (Please include here your children living separately for reasons such as work, schools, marriages, or being hospitalized.)

A) Personal relationship to you (Specify.)
B) Personal relationship to you (Refer to the code listed below.)
C) Sex
D) Age (as of October 1st, 2006)
E) Student and worker status
   - Preschooler
   - Student in the 1st to 3rd grade of primary school
   - Student in the 4th to 6th grade of primary school
   - Junior-high school student
   - Senior-high school student
   - University or college student
   - Vocational school student
   - Worker
   - Without occupation
   - Other (Specify:  

F) Living together or separately
   - Together
   - Separately

G) Marital Status
   - Single
   - Married

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Personal Relationship Code List
00 Answerer (I)
01 Child (1st)
02 Child (2nd)
03 Child (3rd)
04 Child (4th)
05 Child (5th or subsequent)
06 My parent
07 My grand parent
08 My brother or sister
09 My child’s spouse
10 My grand child
11 Other relative
12 Other
2 Please answer questions about your occupation.

Q1. Do you currently (September 2006) work? (Include all jobs such as full-time and part-time jobs, part-time engagements, self-employment and family business, but exclude student part-time jobs.)
1 In work → (To Q2)
2 In temporary retirement (not presently working, but able to return to the previous workplace)
   ↓
    Add. Q: Why are you in temporary retirement?
    1 On child care leave
    2 On care leave
    3 On sick leave
    4 For other reasons (Specify) → (To Q2)
3 Student → (To Q19 SQ15)
4 Housewife without occupation → (To Q19 SQ15)
5 Unemployed → (To Q19 SQ15)

Q2. Do you have more than one occupation?
1 Yes 2 No

Q3. What is your main occupation at present? Please take a moment to explain exactly what you do, for example, “I make □□□,” “I sell □□□,” “I work as a cashier at the supermarket,” “I drive a truck,” whether you are a self-employed worker, a family worker, a freelance or an employee. (Circle only one answer)
[Specify]

Self-employed/family worker/freelance
1 Agriculture, forestry or fishery (the self-employed)
2 Agriculture, forestry or fishery (family worker)
3 A small commercial, industrial or service business [9 or less employees] (the self-employed)
4 A small commercial, industrial or service business [9 or less employees] (family worker)
5 Freelance professional (medical practitioner, lawyer, writer, religious person, dancing instructor, tea ceremony or flower arrangement teacher, etc.)

Employee
6 Management (on a higher level than a manager in a company or other organization, or a head of section in a public agency)
7 Other professional (hospital doctor, researcher, professor, assistant professor or tutor in university or college, judge, etc.)
8 Technical employee (engineer, technician, programmer, medical nurse, dietitian, etc.)
9 Teacher (in primary, junior-high or senior-high school, special or professional school, kindergarten or day nursery)
10 Clerical employee (general clerk, business employee, bank clerk, etc.)
11 Skilled employee (skilled worker, police, telephone operator, data entry clerk, deliveryman, motorman, artisan, etc.)
12 Sales & service employee (shop employee, sales person, barber or hairdresser, chef, waitress, home helper, etc.)
13 Pay job at home (home worker)
   [If you circle 13, proceed to Section 3. Q1.]

Q4. How many employees does the company or organization in which you are employed have? (Note: Temporary and part-time workers are not included in the number of employees. If you are an official, mark the item “Public agency” with a circle.)
1 1 to 4
2 5 to 9
3 10 to 29
4 30 to 99
5 100 to 499
6 500 to 999
7 1,000 or more
8 Public agency
Q5. Which type of industry does the organization belong to? (If you are dispatched to another company, “the organization” here means the one where you originally worked.)
1  Agriculture & forestry
2  Fishery
3  Mining
4  Construction
5  Manufacturing (including publication and printing)
6  Wholesale & retail (including department stores, supermarkets, restaurants and tea & coffee houses)
7  Finance, insurance and real estate businesses
8  Transportation & communication
9  Utilities
10 Services (including schools, hospitals, hotels, movie theaters, barber and beauty shops, advertisement agents and cleaning companies)
11 Public services
12 Other (Specify )

Q6. Which do you fall into as an employee?
1  Full-timer  2  Part-timer  3  Entrusted employee or other

Add.Q  Are you a temporary worker dispatched by a personnel agency?
1  Yes  2  No

Q7. Are you paid monthly, weekly, daily or hourly wages?
1  Monthly salary → (To (1))  4  Hourly wage → (To (3))
2  Weekly salary → (To (1))  5  Other ( ) → (To Q8)
3  Daily wage → (To (2))

(1) What is the monthly income from your regular work? (Include overtime pay and exclude bonuses, and give the total amount before tax.)
□□□□ thousand yen per month

(2) How much is your daily wage?
□□□□□ yen

(3) How much is your hourly wage?
□□□□□ yen

Q8. How many hours do you work per week in general?
1  Under 15 hours  6  46 to 48 hours
2  15 to 21 hours  7  49 to 54 hours
3  22 to 34 hours  8  55 to 59 hours
4  35 to 42 hours  9  60 to 64 hours
5  43 to 45 hours  10 Over64 hours
Q9. (1) How many hours a week do you get paid for overtime work?

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(2) How many hours of unpaid overtime, so called, "service overtime" do you put in a week?

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Q10. How many days did you actually work in the past year (October 2005 - September 2006)?

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Q11. When was the company or organization in which you work established?

(Note: If you are an official, circle "Public agency").

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Q12. (1) How many days of paid leave do you have in total in a year? (The paid leaves carried over from the previous year should be excluded.)

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(2) How many days of paid leave did you take in total in the fiscal year 2005 (April 1,2005 - March 31,2006)?

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Q13. Is there a "child care leave system" in the company or organization where you work now?

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Add.Q. Has anyone around you taken a child care leave in the company or organization where you work now?

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Q14. Is there a "care leave system" in the company or organization where you work now?
1 Yes, and I can apply for it.  → (To Add.Q)
2 The company has the system, but I can’t apply for it.  → (To Add.Q)
3 The company has the system, but I don’t know if I can apply for it.  → (To Add.Q)
4 The company doesn’t have the system.  → (To Q15)
5 I don’t know if the company has the system.  → (To Q15)

Add.Q Has anyone around you taken a care leave in the company or organization where you work now?
1 Yes  2 No

Q15. Do you have employment insurance?
1 Yes, I have a company’s employment insurance.
2 Yes, I have a seamen’s insurance.
3 No, I have no employment insurance.

Q16. Did you participate, under the direction of the company or organization, in any seminar(s) or course(s) in the past year (October 2005 - September 2006) to learn knowledge and skills related to your work?
1 Yes.  2 No.  → (To Q17)

SQ1 What was the seminar or course? (Circle as many as apply to you.)
1 Seminar(s) or course(s) organized by the company or organization by which you are employed.
2 Seminar(s) or course(s) organized by a local organization (such as a chamber or commerce and industry) or trade association.
3 Seminar(s) or course(s) organized by the related company (including a company from which a machinery was purchased by the company or organization which you belong to).
4 Seminar(s) or course(s) organized by a municipal or prefectural administration.
5 Seminar(s) or course(s) organized by a university, college or professional school.
6 Studying abroad.
7 Other (Specify )

SQ2 How many days did you participate in seminars and courses in total in the past year (October 2005 - September 2006)?
1 Within 1 day  4 11 to 20 days
2 2 to 5 days  5 21 to 30 days
3 6 to 10 days  6 1 month or more

SQ3 Was the seminar or course held within your working hours?
1 Within my working hours  2 Outside my working hours  3 Both within and outside my working hours

Q17. How long would it take someone completely new to the job to learn to perform your work?
1 Anyone could do it today.  5 3 months  9 4-5 years
2 In several days  6 6 months  10 6-9 years
3 1-2 weeks  7 1 year  11 10 years and more
4 1 month  8 2-3 years
Q18. Did you work one year ago (at the end of last September)?
1  Yes.  2  No.  → (To Q19 SQ10)

Q19. Did you work one year ago (at the end of September last year) in the same company or organization where you do now?
1  Yes.  2  No.  → (To Q19 SQ4)

SQ1. Is the number of employees now higher than one year ago in the company or organization where you work now?
(Note: If you are a civil servant or public official, mark the item “Public agency” with a circle.)
1  Higher at least by 30%
2  Higher by 10 to 20%
3  Not changed
4  Lower by 10 to 20%
5  Lower at least by 30%
6  Public agency

SQ2. Were you transferred to another post or office in any of the following ways in the past year (October 2005 - September 2006)?
1  Yes, to another office and as a result, I moved.
2  Yes, to another office but I didn’t move.
3  Yes, to another post in the same office.
4  No.

SQ3. Was there any change in your work in the past year (October 2005 - September 2006)?
1  No.  2  Yes.

   → (To Section3 Q1)
[If you gave the answer "2 No." to Q19, answer the additional questions SQ4 to SQ14 as given below.]

SQ4. Why do you now work at a different company or organization from the one at which you worked one year ago (at the end of last September)?
1. Because I changed my job.
2. Because I was temporarily transferred to the company or organization in which I work now. → (To Section 3 Q1)
3. Because I transferred my domicile. → (To Section 3 Q1)
4. Because I was transferred due to company merger or company split-up. → (To Section 3 Q1)

SQ5. When did you retire from the company or organization in which you worked one year ago (at the end of last September)?
   In the month: □□

SQ6. Why did you retire from the company or organization in which you worked one year ago (at the end of last September)? (Circle as many as apply to you.)
1. Because of personnel reduction, or company dissolution or bankruptcy.
2. Because my work was temporary and unstable there.
3. Because of bad working conditions (income, working hours and so on).
4. Because I was dissatisfied with the content of the work.
5. Because a member of my household found a job, changed his or her job, or was transferred to another office, or because the office in which he or she was working was transferred to another place.
7. Because I was pregnant, had a baby and raised a child.
8. Because I became sick.
9. Because I had to care for a member of my household.
10. Because I found a new job with good conditions, or started my own company.
11. Because I had interpersonal problems at the workplace.
12. Because I was dismissed.
13. Because I wanted to study at a university, college or professional school, or to prepare for studying abroad.
14. Because I reached the mandatory retirement age, or the term of the employment contract expired.
15. Other (Specify )

SQ7. Did you receive the unemployment benefit of an employment insurance, when you quit your job?
1. Yes. → For □□ months
2. No.
3. I had not contracted the employment insurance.

SQ8. How did you make your livelihood without your income, after having quit your job temporarily or permanently. (Circle as many as apply to you.)
1. I could get by with my parent's revenue.
2. I promptly found a new job.
3. I could get by with a retirement allowance or/and insurance benefit for a while.
4. I drew my savings.
5. I made purchases with my credit card or borrowed money.
6. Other (Specify )

SQ9. How do you feel about quitting or changing your job?
1. I think it was favorable for me.
2. I think it was inevitable.
3. I now regret it.
4. Other (Specify )
SQ10. Why did you choose the company or organization in which you work now? (Circle as many as apply to you.)
1  Because they pay well.
2  Because I could take more days off.
3  Because of fewer and more flexible working hours.
4  Because the company or organization was closer to my house or located within a short commuting distance.
5  Because there is little or no chance of getting transferred.
6  Because the company or organization was so profitable with stable management that I have no fear of unemployment there.
7  Because it had a potential of development.
8  Because I could work comfortably there after getting married and having a baby.
9  Because I could learn a skill there.
10 Because I could take advantage of acquired skills.
11 Because I was interested in the content of the work.
12 Other (Specify)

SQ11. How many months have you worked in the past year (October 2005 - September 2006)?
(Include also the companies or organizations in which you worked one year ago and are now working in as well as those in which you were and are working both full time and part time.)
For □□ months

SQ12. How many months have you looked for a job in the past year (October 2005 - September 2006)?
For □□ months 0. I didn’t look for a job in the past year.

SQ13. How many companies and organizations have you worked in the past year (October 2005 - September 2006)?
(Include also the companies or organizations in which you worked one year ago and in which you are now working as well as those in which you were and are working both full time and part time.)
□□

SQ14. When did you enter the company or organization in which you work now?
In the month: □□

→ (To Section3 Q1)
If you gave the answer "3 Student", "4 Housewife without occupation" or "5 Unemployed" to Q1, answer the questions SQ15 to SQ25 as given below.

SQ15.
Were you working one year ago (at the end of last September)?
1 Yes.
2 No. → (To SQ 21)

SQ16.
When did you retire from the company or organization in which you worked one year ago (at the end of last September)?
In the month: □□

SQ17.
Why did you retire from the company or organization in which you worked one year ago (at the end of last September)?
(Circle as many as apply to you.)
1 Because of personnel reduction, or company dissolution or bankruptcy.
2 Because my work was temporary and unstable there.
3 Because working conditions (income, working hours and so on) were bad there.
4 Because I was dissatisfied with the content of the work.
5 Because a member of my household found a job, changed his or her job, or was transferred to another office, or because the office in which he or she was working was transferred to another place.
6 Because I got married.
7 Because I was pregnant, had a baby and raised a child.
8 Because I became sick.
9 Because I had to care for a member of my household.
10 Because I found a new job with good conditions, or started my own company.
11 Because I had some interpersonal problems there.
12 Because I was dismissed.
13 Because I wanted to learn in a university, college or professional school, or to prepare for studying abroad.
14 Because I reached the mandatory retirement age, or the term of the employment contract expired.
15 Other (Specify )

SQ18.
Did you receive the unemployment benefit of an employment insurance, when you quit job?
1 Yes. → For□□ months
2 No.
3 I had not contracted the employment insurance.

SQ19.
How did you get your livelihood without your income, after having quit job temporarily or permanently. (Circle as many as apply to you.)
1 I could go well with my parent's revenue.
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5 Other (Specify )

SQ20.
How do you feel about quitting or changing your job?
1 I think it was favorable for me.
2 I think it was inevitable.
3 I now regret it.
4 Other (Specify )
SQ21.
How many months have you worked in the past year (October 2005 - September 2006)?
For □□ months
1. I didn’t work at all. → (To SQ23)

SQ22.
How many companies and organizations have you worked at in the past year (October 2005 - September 2006)?
(Include also the companies or organizations in which you worked one year ago and do now as well as those in which you did and do both full time and part time.)

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SQ23. Do you plan to work in the future?
1. I want to start working promptly. → (To SQ24)
2. I plan to start working in 2 or 3 years. → (To SQ24)
3. I want to start working sometime in the future. → (To SQ24)
4. I have no idea. → (To Section 3 Q1)

SQ24.
What are you doing now to start working in the future? (Circle as many as apply to you.)
1. I am looking for a job right now.
2. I plan to start looking for a job soon.
3. I am receiving job training.
4. I plan to start receiving job training soon.
5. Nothing specific.

SQ25.
How many months have you looked for a job in the past year (October 2005 - September 2006)?
For □□ months
→ (To Section 3 Q1)
3. Please answer questions about your household finance.

Q1. How much were the annual income that you and any other of your household member(s) obtained in the past year (January 2005 — December 2006), including revenues from assets, social insurance benefits, and remittances from your parents? Please enter the amount of annual income by classifying it into the items (1) to (5) as given below. (If the income corresponding to any of the items was not earned, mark the answer option “0 None” with a circle.)

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Item Description</th>
<th>My annual income</th>
<th>Annual income earned by the household member(s) other than me</th>
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<tr>
<td>(1) Earnings from employment (Annual income before tax for employee)</td>
<td>☐ 0 None</td>
<td>☐ 0 None</td>
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<tr>
<td>(2) Business income (Annual income before tax for the self-employed)</td>
<td>☐ 0 None</td>
<td>☐ 0 None</td>
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<tr>
<td>(3) Revenue from assets (such as interests on deposits and savings, dividends on shares, rents, etc.) (In the past year)</td>
<td>☐ 0 None</td>
<td>☐ 0 None</td>
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<tr>
<td>(4) Social security benefits (Child allowance, unemployment benefit, pension, etc.) (In the past year) (If the social security benefits are paid in to a bank account, the holder of the account will be considered the recipient.)</td>
<td>☐ 0 None</td>
<td>☐ 0 None</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>(5) Other income (such as remittances and pin money from parent(s)) (In the past year)</td>
<td>☐ 0 None</td>
<td>☐ 0 None</td>
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<tr>
<td>Total</td>
<td>☐ 0 None</td>
<td>☐ 0 None</td>
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(If you filled-out the far right column, proceed to the Add.Q as given below.)

Add. Q: Who is (are) the member(s) of your household? (Circle as many as apply to you.)

1. My father
2. My mother
3. My grand parent(s)
4. My brother(s) or/and sister(s)
5. My child(ren)
6. Other (Specify   )
Q2. How much were the totals of taxes (income, resident and other taxes) and social insurance charges (health, public pension, employment and other insurance premiums) that you and any other of your household member(s) paid in the past year (January 2005 — December 2006)? (If none of these taxes and charges was paid, mark the answer option "0 Not paid" with a circle.

A) Taxes and social insurance charges paid by you
   1 Total last year □□□ ten thousand yen 0 Not paid

B) Taxes and social insurance charges paid by other household member(s)
   1 Total last year □□□ ten thousand yen 0 Not paid

Q3. (1) What kind of health insurance do you have? (Circle only one.)
(If you circled 1—4, please answer whether you yourself are the insurer or any other family member is the insurer. When you are dependant on your spouse, please circle "2. family" of the appropriate insurance.)

   1 Company's health insurance (1 I myself 2 Family)
   2 National health insurance. (1 I myself 2 Family)
   3 Seamen's insurance. (1 I myself 2 Family)
   4 Mutual Aid Association's long-term benefit division. (1 I myself 2 Family)
   5 Medical aid → (to (2))
   6 No health insurance → (to (2)).

(2) Which eligibility do you have in the insurance? (Circle only one.)
1 Primary insured
2 Secondary insured
3 Tertiary insured
4 No insurer

Q4. How much was your take-home pay (total pay after deduction of taxes and social insurance contributions) in September of this year? (Bonus and temporary allowance are excluded.)

   Take-home pay in September □□□ ten thousand yen 0 None
Q5. (1) Which is paid by your parent(s) even partly for your household among the following items? (Circle as many as apply to you.)
1. Housing loan repayment
2. House rent or lot rent
3. Living expenses
4. Expenses for child(ren)(cost of education, clothing and other)
5. Other [Specify ]
6. None → (to Q6)

(2) How much is the amount paid a month by your own parents?
☐☐☐ thousand yen a month
Q6. Did you hand your income of September this year to your parent(s)?

1. No → (To Q7)  
2. I handed a part of it → (To SQ1)  
3. I handed all of it → (To SQ2)  
4. I had no income → (To Q7)

SQ1. How much did you hand?
☐☐☐ thousand yen → (To Q7)

SQ2. Did you receive your own living expenses or pocket money?

1. Yes → (To SQ3)  
2. No → (To Q7)

SQ3. How much did you receive?
☐☐☐ thousand yen → (To Q7)

Q7. How much did you spend and save out of your purse (except money handed to your parents) this September? (Including not only cash purchases, but also purchases with the credit loan(s), or those charged to your bank/post office account. If there was no expenditure corresponding to the items below, put “0” for each answer.)

a) Foods (including eating-out/food-dispensing) ☐☐☐ thousand yen
b) Rent(s), home improvement (excluding housing loans) ☐☐☐ thousand yen
c) Utilities (light, fuel, water and sewerage) ☐☐☐ thousand yen
d) Furniture, housekeeping equipments (include bedding) ☐☐☐ thousand yen
e) Clothing, shoes ☐☐☐ thousand yen
f) Healthcare (including nutritious drinks, health foods) ☐☐☐ thousand yen
g) Transportation (including the purchase of an automobile, fuel, or commuter pass) ☐☐☐ thousand yen
h) Communication (Postal fees, telephone, the Internet, etc.) ☐☐☐ thousand yen
i) Education (school fees, private tutoring schools for entrance exams or supplementary lessons, textbooks, reference books, etc.) ☐☐☐ thousand yen
j) Culture and entertainment (including lessons except for those for entrance exams or supplementary tutoring, or durable goods for culture and entertainment) ☐☐☐ thousand yen
k) Social expenses ☐☐☐ thousand yen
l) Pocket money for your family ☐☐☐ thousand yen
m) Other expenses ☐☐☐ thousand yen

(1) Expenses (a-m) ☐☐☐ thousand yen
(2) Savings ☐☐☐ thousand yen
(3) Repayment of loan(s) ☐☐☐ thousand yen

Total((1)-(3)) ☐☐☐ thousand yen
4 Please answer questions about your relationships with your parents.

Q1. How much was the annual income (before tax) that your parent(s) earned in the past year (January 2005 — December 2005)? Total his or her (their) earnings from employment, business income, social security benefit(s), etc., and mark one of the following items corresponding to the total amount of money.

1  Not more than 2.49 million yen
2  2.50 to 4.99 million yen
3  5.00 to 7.49 million yen
4  7.50 to 9.99 million yen
5  10.00 to 12.49 million yen
6  12.50 to 14.99 million yen
7  Not less than 15.00 million yen
8  (I had already lost my parents.)

Q2. Have you received any money from your parent(s) in the past year (October 2005 — September 2006)? If not, please mark “0 None”.

1  As allowance □□□ ten thousand yen 0 None
2  As pocket money □□ ten thousand yen 0 None

Q3. Have you received financial and real assets from your parent(s) during the past year (October 2005 — September 2006)? If you have, please put the current value of the assets in the blank below.

Financial assets Real assets
As gifts before death 1. No, I have not. 1. No, I have not
2. Yes, I have. → the current value of the assets
□□□□ ten thousand yen □□□□ ten thousand yen

As legacies 1. No, I have not. 1. No, I have not.
2. Yes, I have. → the current value of the assets
□□□□ ten thousand yen □□□□ ten thousand yen

Q4. Do you expect to receive financial and real assets from your parent(s) in the future?
1  Yes. 2  No. 3  My parents have passed away..

Q5. Will you provide your parent(s) financial support from now? (Circle only one.)
1  Yes, we do so now.
2  Yes, we plan to do so.
3  No, we don’t do so now and we have no plans to do so.

Q6. Will you take care of your parent(s)? (Housework, nursing care, visitation, etc.) (Circle only one.)
1  Yes, we do so now.
2  Yes, we plan to do so.
3  No, we don’t do so now and we have no plans to do so.
5. Please answer the following questions about your child-raising.

[Q1 is for those who have pre-school-age child(ren)]

Q1.
Do you use any child-care services for your child(ren) which the authorized nursing schools, the unauthorized nursing schools, kindergartens, the babysitter, house keepers, your relatives, your acquaintance etc. provide?
1  Yes.  2  No. → (To Q2.)

Add.Q  Please write down the number of child(ren) who use(s) each service shown below.  If you send your child(ren) to a nursery school or kindergarten, etc., how much did you pay for the fees in September this year?  If you have more than two pre-school-age children, please give us the total sum spent for all of them.

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<tr>
<th>The number of child(ren) who use(s) this service</th>
<th>The fee</th>
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<td>(1) An authorized nursing school (by applying to the government)</td>
<td>□</td>
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<td>(2) An unauthorized nursing school (baby hotel, family day care home, child-care facility attached to the office)</td>
<td>□</td>
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<tr>
<td>(3) Kindergarten</td>
<td>□</td>
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<tr>
<td>(4) Babysitter, housekeeper</td>
<td>□</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>(5) Others (such as being taken care of at home by family members, relatives, or friends who do not live with my family)</td>
<td>□</td>
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<tr>
<td>6)Total</td>
<td>□</td>
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The number of child(ren) who use(s) any of the services shown above

[Q2 is for those who have a child(ren) in or under the third-grade of elementary school.]

Q2.  Do you obtain child tax benefits? (Child tax benefits are for children who are in the third-grade student or lower grades, and is paid to the first and the second child(ren). The amount is 5 thousand yen, and to the third and subsequent child(ren), the amount of 10 thousand yen a month. This was provided in full in February, June and October.)
1  Yes.  2  No.  3  Don’t know.
[To all of you.]

Q3. Do you have a child who was born after April 1, 1988?
1  Yes.  2  No.→ (To Q4)

SQ1. Do you take out child-care allowance? (Circle only one.)
1  All payment  2  Part payment  3  Don’t take out.  4  Don’t know.

SQ2. How much is the payment? □□□□□□□□ yen

[Q4-5 is for those who have child(ren) children aged 15 or under (of middle school age and under).]

Q4. Do you have any persons who can take care of your child(ren) except you?
(Circle as many as apply to you.)
1  My parent(s)
2  My sibling(s)
3  My friend(s)
4  My neighbor(s)
5  The nursing school, the kindergarten, after-school day-care center
6  The babysitter, the house keeper, etc.
7  The father of my child(ren)
8  Others (Specify )
9  I have no persons who can take care of my child(ren).
10  I don’t have to ask any help for my child(ren).

Q5. Do you have any persons to ask about your child care? (Circle as many as apply to you.)
1  My parent(s)
2  My sibling(s)
3  My friend(s)
4  My neighbor(s)
5  The specialist(s) such as doctors, midwife(ves), nursery teacher(s), health nurse(s)
6  The father of my child(ren)
7  Others (Specify )
8  I have no persons to ask about my child care.
9  I don’t have to ask about my child care.
6. Please answer questions about your household’s savings and property.

Savings are classified into "deposits & savings" and "securities".

The "deposits & savings" include:

- Fixed-amount, fixed-term, installment and general savings in post offices;
- fixed-term, fixed-term installment and general deposits in banks and credit associations;
- in-house deposits, gold investment accounts, gold savings accounts, national medium-term bond funds, etc.

The "securities" include:

- Shares (at current values), bonds (at nominal values), stock investment trusts (at current values),
- open-end bond investment trusts (at current values), loan and money trusts (at nominal values), etc.

Q1. What amounts of savings & deposits and securities do you have?

Please answer this question in terms of savings & deposits and securities.

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<th>Savings &amp; deposits</th>
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<td>(1) Do you have savings now?</td>
<td>1. Yes, as my own. ➔ (To (2))</td>
<td>2. No ➔ (To (3))</td>
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<tr>
<td>If you have deposits &amp; savings,</td>
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<td>(2) How much is the amount of deposits &amp; savings?</td>
<td>□□□ 10 ten thousand yen</td>
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<th>Securities</th>
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<td>(3) Do you have securities now?</td>
<td>1. Yes, as my own. ➔ (To (4), (5), (6))</td>
<td>2. No ➔(To Q2)</td>
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<td>(4) How much is the amount of securities?</td>
<td>□□□ 1 ten thousand yen</td>
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<td>(5) Did you purchase any securities in the past year (October 2005 — September 2006)? (The securities which were purchased and then sold are included.)</td>
<td>1. Yes</td>
<td>2. No</td>
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<td>(6) Did you sell any securities in the past year(October 2005 — September 2006)? (The securities which were sold and then purchased again are included.)</td>
<td>1. Yes,</td>
<td>2. No</td>
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Q2.
(1) How much is the goal of savings which you are now going to attain?

| 0 ten thousand yen |

(2) For what purposes do you save money? If you save money for the purpose in the table below, please circle “Yes” for each item. If you don’t, please circle “No” for each item.

(3) In each item you answered, “Yes,” in (2), what amount of money are you going to save?

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<th>(2) The purpose of savings</th>
<th>(3) If you say “Yes,”</th>
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<td>The amount of money you are going to save</td>
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<td>(a) To make a fund for purchase of durable consumer goods.</td>
<td>1. Yes → 2. No</td>
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<td>0 ten thousand yen</td>
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<td>(b) To make a leisure fund.</td>
<td>1. Yes → 2. No</td>
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<td>0 ten thousand yen</td>
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<td>(c) To make a fund for marriage.</td>
<td>1. Yes → 2. No</td>
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<td>0 ten thousand yen</td>
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<td>(d) To provide for the unexpected expenses for sickness, disaster, accident and others.</td>
<td>1. Yes → 2. No</td>
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<td>0 ten thousand yen</td>
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<td>(e) To purchase (or rebuild or replace) house (with lot).</td>
<td>1. Yes → 2. No</td>
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<td>0 ten thousand yen</td>
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<td>(f) To pay the educational expenses for our child(ren).</td>
<td>1. Yes → 2. No</td>
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<td>0 ten thousand yen</td>
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<td>(g) To make a marriage fund for child(ren).</td>
<td>1. Yes → 2. No</td>
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<td>0 ten thousand yen</td>
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<td>(h) To provide for living comfortably in old age.</td>
<td>1. Yes → 2. No</td>
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<td>0 ten thousand yen</td>
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<td>(i) To make a fund for starting and independent business</td>
<td>1. Yes → 2. No</td>
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<td></td>
<td>0 ten thousand yen</td>
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<td>(j) For no special purpose, but I feel free from anxiety with savings.</td>
<td>1. Yes → 2. No</td>
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<td>0 ten thousand yen</td>
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<td>(k) To leave our savings as inheritance.</td>
<td>1. Yes → 2. No</td>
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<td></td>
<td>0 ten thousand yen</td>
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<tr>
<td>(l) For other purposes (Specify )</td>
<td>1. Yes → 2. No</td>
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<td></td>
<td>0 ten thousand yen</td>
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Q3. How much have you paid for the premiums of the insurance as indicated in the table below?
(Note: The insurance include post office life and pension insurance, life insurance, personal pension insurance, installment non-life insurance, injury insurance, educational insurance, etc.)

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Insurance for which you are the contractor. (Mark the chosen item number with a circle, and enter the amount of premium.)</th>
<th>Premium paid in the past year (January 2005 - December 2005)</th>
<th>Total of premiums paid</th>
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<tr>
<td>Type of insurance</td>
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<tr>
<td>1 Single premium type insurance</td>
<td>□□ ten thousand yen</td>
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<tr>
<td>2 Installment premium type insurance</td>
<td>□□□ ten thousand yen</td>
<td>□□□□ ten thousand yen</td>
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<td>3 No insurance contract</td>
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7. Please answer questions about housing

Q1. What kind of a house does your family live in now?
   1 Detached house
   2 Multi-residential house (such as terrace house)
   3 Reinforced-concrete or steel-framed apartment house
   4 Wooden apartment house
   5 Other (Specify )
Q2. What type of ownership is most appropriate to your residence? (If the ownership is set under the name of your family, please regard it as your own ownership.)

1. Owner-occupied house (with ownership of lot) → Please answer a)
2. Owner-occupied condominium (with partial ownership of lot) → Please answer b) (In case it’s condominium, please consider that lot is included)
3. Owner-occupied house and condominium (with rented lot) → Please answer c)
4. Private rented house
5. Public rented house
6. Company house or dormitory (including rented company house)
7. Other (Specify) → (To Q3)

a) Answer the additional questions about the "[A] lot" and "[B] house" in the table below.
b) Answer the additional questions about the "[B] house" in the table below. (In case of condominium, its lot is included.)
c) SQ1. How much is the monthly rent?
   □□□ thousand yen

SQ2. How many rooms (living space) do you have? Include the dining kitchen, which is larger than 3 tatami mats excluding the sink etc.
   Total □□ rooms → (To Q3)

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<th>[B] House</th>
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<td>SQ3. How much do you estimate the current market price (selling price) for the lot?</td>
<td>SQ4. How much do you estimate the current market price (selling price) for the house?</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>About □□□□□ ten thousand yen</td>
<td>About □□□□□ ten thousand yen</td>
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This is for those who purchased the lot and/or house in which you live, underwent remodeling and expansion of it, or changed the name of it/them after October 1, 2005.

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<th>[B] House</th>
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<tr>
<td>SQ5. How large is the area of the lot?</td>
<td>SQ8. How large is the area of the floor? (2 tatamis=1 tsubo=3.3㎡)</td>
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<td>□□□□□ ㎡</td>
<td>□□□□□ ㎡</td>
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<td>SQ6. Who has the ownership of the lot? In case the lot is in the name of two or more persons, please indicate all of the appropriate ones.</td>
<td>SQ9. How many rooms (living space) do you have? Include the dining kitchen, which is larger than 3 tatami mats except the sink etc.</td>
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<tr>
<td>1 I</td>
<td>Total □□ rooms</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2 My parent(s)</td>
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<td>3 Other (Specify)</td>
<td></td>
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<td>4 Don’t know.</td>
<td>SQ10. When was the house built?</td>
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<td>1 Meiji 3 Showa</td>
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<td>2 Taishou 4 Heisei □□(year)</td>
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<td>SQ7. How did you obtain the lot?</td>
<td>SQ11. Who has the ownership of the house? In case the house is in the name of two or more persons, please indicate all of the appropriate ones.</td>
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<td>[If you gave 1 to SQ6]</td>
<td>[If you gave 1 to SQ11]</td>
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<td>SQ7. How did you obtain the lot?</td>
<td>SQ12. How did you obtain the house?</td>
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<tr>
<td>1. I purchased it with all of my money. (including a loan)</td>
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<td>2. I purchased it with the financial support from my parent(s).</td>
<td>2. I purchased it with the financial support from my parent(s).</td>
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<td>3. I purchased it under my parent's joint names.</td>
<td>3. I purchased it under my parent's joint names.</td>
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<td>4. I received it as a donation from my parent(s).</td>
<td>4. I received it as a donation from my parent(s).</td>
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<td>5. I inherited it from my parent(s).</td>
<td>5. I inherited it from my parent(s).</td>
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<td>6. Other (Specify)</td>
<td>6. Other (Specify)</td>
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<tr>
<td>[If you gave 1 to SQ7]</td>
<td>[If you gave 1 to SQ12]</td>
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[To all of you]
Q3. How do you live together with or separately from your parent(s)?
1. I share the same house and livelihood with my parent(s) (single household living together).
2. I share the same house with my parent(s), but not the same livelihood (two household living together).
3. I live in the same lot as my parent(s), but not the same house (two household living together).
4. My parent(s) live(s) in the same town as my family or within 1km from my house (in the neighboring district). → (To Add. Q)
5. My parent(s) live(s) in the same ward as I (living in large city with wards). → (To Add. Q)
6. My parent(s) live(s) in the same municipality as I (living in other cities or counties). → (To Add. Q)
7. My parent(s) live(s) in the Capital or same prefecture as my family. → (To Add. Q)
8. My parent(s) live(s) in a place other than mentioned in the items 1 to 7 above. → (To Add. Q)
9. My parents are all dead. → (To Q6)

Add.Q. Which house does (do) your parent(s) live in? Please answer about both the father and mother separately.

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<th>Father</th>
<th>Mother</th>
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<td>1. Owner-occupied detached-house (with full or partial ownership of lot)</td>
<td>1</td>
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<tr>
<td>2. Owner-occupied detached-house (with rented lot)</td>
<td>2</td>
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<tr>
<td>3. Owner-occupied condominium</td>
<td>3</td>
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<td>4. Rented house, apartment (privately owned)</td>
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<td>5. Rented house, apartment (publicly owned)</td>
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<td>6. Company house or dormitory (including rented company house)</td>
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<td>7. Nursing-care facility or housing for the elderly with paid home care</td>
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<td>8. Other (Specify)</td>
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<td>9. Passed away.</td>
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[If you circle 4 – 8 in Q3, answer Q4.]
Q4. Do you plan to live with your parent(s) in the future?
1. Yes, I have a plan.
2. Yes, I want to live with right now.
3. Yes, I want to live with some day.
4. I have no idea now, but I have thought about it before.
5. I have never thought about it.

[If you circle 1 – 3 in Q3, answer Q5.]
Q5. Do you have a plan to live separately from your parent(s) from now? Or do you want to live separately from your parent(s)?
1. Yes, I have a plan.
2. Yes, I want to live separately right now.
3. Yes, I want to live separately some day.
4. No, I have no plan now, but I have thought about it before.
5. No, I have never thought about it.
Q6. Did you purchase any lot/house to live there yourself or use it as your second house in the past year (October 2005 — September 2006)? (including a newly built house or a lot/house purchased under the joint ownership with your parent(s))
1. I purchased only a lot.
2. I purchased only a house.
3. I purchased both a lot and a house.
4. I purchased a condominium.
5. I didn’t purchase any. → (To Q6)

Add.Q:
How much was the purchase price? (Enter the price for the house or condominium in the item "House", or/and that for the lot in the item "Lot").

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Q7. Do you know that the limited cost and the deduction rate of qualified balance of housing loans for deduction will be lowered gradually after 2005? (Circle only one.)
1. Yes, I know it well.
2. Yes, I know the tax law but don’t know the contents very well.
3. No, I don’t.

[If you gave the answer 1-4 to Q8, please answer Q10. If you don’t, go to Q11.]
Q8. Who gave you the housing fund donation by the changes of housing-related reductions? (Circle as many as apply to you.)
1. My parent(s)  2. My grand parent(s)  3. Other (Specify )  4. None → (To Q9)

Add.Q. How did the changes affect the housing fund donation specifically? (Circle as many as apply to you.)
1. I was donated for the first time.  2. The timing of donation was brought forward.
3. The timing of donation was delayed.  4. The amount of donation was increased.
5. The amount of donation was decreased.  6. Other (Specify )
[To all of you]

Q9 How did the changes of housing-related reductions affect your act for housing acquisition? (Circle as many as apply to you.)
1 The timing of housing acquisition was moved forward.
2 That made me impossible to purchase a house.
3 The timing of housing acquisition was delayed.
4 We lowered the purchase price.
5 Other (Specify )
6 No effects.

Q10 Who will give you the housing fund donation by the changes of housing-related reductions in the future? (Circle as many as apply to you.)
1 My parent(s)  2 My grand parent(s)
3 Other (Specify )
4 None → (To Q11)

Add.Q How will the changes affect the housing fund donation specifically? (Circle as many as apply to you.)
1 We will be donated for the first time.
2 The timing of donation will be brought forward.
3 The timing of donation will be delayed.
4 The amount of donation will be increased.
5 The amount of donation will be decreased.
6 Other (Specify )

[To all of you]

Q11 How will the changes of housing-related reductions affect your act for housing acquisition? (Circle as many as apply to you.)
1 The timing of housing acquisition was moved forward.
2 That made us impossible to purchase a house.
3 The timing of housing acquisition was delayed.
4 We lowered the purchase price.
5 Other (Specify )
6 No effects.

Q12. Did you sell the lot/house in which you lived in or/and your second house in the past year (October 2005 — September 2006)? (A house owned under the joint names with your parent included.)
1 I sold only the lot.
2 I sold only the house.
3 I sold both lot and house.
4 I sold a condominium.
5 I didn’t sell any. → (To Q7)

Add.Q How much was the sale price? (Enter the price for the house or apartment in the item "House", or/and that for the lot in the item "Lot").

House □□□□ ten thousand yen
Lot □□□□ ten thousand yen
Total □□□□ ten thousand yen
Q13. Did you enlarge or rebuild the house in which you lived in or/and your second house in the past year (October 2005 — September 2006)? (A house purchased under the joint names with your parent(s) included.)

1. I enlarged the house. → (To Add. Q)
2. I rebuilt the house. → (To Add. Q)
3. I didn’t do either. → (To Q8)

Add.Q. How much was the cost?
☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ten thousand yen

Q14. Do you own any real estate other than the house you live in or your second house, such as a lot/house to rent to other people (those owned under the joint names with your parent(s) included)?

1. I own only a lot. → (To Add. Q)
2. I own only a house. → (To Add. Q)
3. I own both lot and house. → (To Add. Q)
4. I own a condominium. → (To Add. Q)
5. I don’t own any. → (To Q9)

Add.Q. What is the current market price (as supposed to be sold) of the real estate that you own in total?
☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ten thousand yen

Q15. Did you purchase any lot/house other than the house you live in or your second house in the past year (October 2005 — September 2006)? (including a newly built house or a lot/house purchased under the joint ownership with your parent(s))

1. I purchased only a lot. → (To Add. Q)
2. I purchased only a house. → (To Add. Q)
3. I purchased both lot and house. → (To Add. Q)
4. I purchased a condominium. → (To Add. Q)
5. I didn’t purchase any. → (To Section 8 Q1)

Add.Q. How much was the purchase price?
☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ten thousand yen

Q16. Did you sell any lot/house other than the house you lived in or you used as the second house in the past year (October 2005 — September 2006)? (A house owned under the joint names with your parent(s) included.)

1. I sold only the lot. → (To Add. Q)
2. I sold only the house. → (To Add. Q)
3. I sold both lot and house. → (To Add. Q)
4. I sold a condominium. → (To Add. Q)
5. I didn’t sell any. → (To Section 8 Q1)

Add.Q. How much was the sale price?
☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ten thousand yen
8. Please answer questions about housing loans.

Q1. Are you paying any housing loan of money now?
1 Yes  2 No → (To Section 9 Q1)

SQ1. How much are the total balance due of the housing loan(s) and the amount of loan(s) repaid in the past year (October 2005 — September 2006)?

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<td>□□□ ten thousand yen</td>
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<td>0. I did not repay in the past year.</td>
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SQ2. Have you newly borrowed money in the past year (October 2005 — September 2006)? (Including renewing a loan)
1 Yes  New balance due of the loan(s) □□□ ten thousand yen
2 No

SQ3. Enter data about the housing loan(s) which you have in the table below. Choose code numbers in the code list below, and enter them in the columns “(1) Purpose of borrowing” and “(2) Borrowed from:”.

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<th>2) Borrowed from: (Enter any of the code numbers 11 to 16.)</th>
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Code list:

(1) Purpose of borrowing
   01  To renew a loan.
   02  To purchase a lot of land.
   03  To purchase a house (with lot).
   04  To construct a house.
   05  To extend or rebuild a house.
   06  To purchase a second house.

(2) Borrowed from:
   11  Financial institution such as bank
   12  Housing Loan Corporation or other public loan such as pension loan, asset-formation loan, public corporation loan, municipal corporation loan, etc.
   13  Worker-company loan
   14  My parent(s)
   16  Other

Q2. How do you feel your burden of repayments? (Circle only one.)
   1  It feels light.
   2  It feels slightly heavy.
   3  It feels considerably heavy.
   4  It feels very heavy.
9. Please answer questions about money loans other than housing loans.

Q1. Are you paying any money loan(s) (such as automobile loan, consumer loan, cashing, etc.) other than housing loans?
   1. Yes  2. No → (To Q3)

SQ1. How much is the total balance due of the loan(s) and the amount of loan(s) repaid in the past year (October 2005 — September 2006)?
   Total balance due of the loan(s) □□□□ ten thousand yen
   Amount of loan(s) repaid for the past one year □□□□ ten thousand yen
   0 I did not repay in the past year.

SQ2. Have you newly borrowed money in the past year (October 2005 — September 2006)?
   1 Yes New balance due of the loan(s) □□□□ ten thousand yen
   2 No

SQ3. Enter data about the new loan(s) which you have in the table below.
   Choose code numbers in the code list below, and enter them in the columns
   (1) Purpose of borrowing", "(2) Borrowed from" and "(3) Reason of having borrowed money from the source".
   Enter the most important reason in the column "(3)Reason of having borrowed money from the source".

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<th>2) Borrowed from:(Enter any of the code numbers 21 to 29.)</th>
<th>3) Reason of having borrowed from the source(Enter any of the code numbers 31 to 45.)</th>
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(1) Purpose of borrowing
01  Business fund (Loans for business such as purchase of automobile for business, repay of business debts are included.)
02  To buy an automobile.
03  To buy durable consumer goods such as furniture and consumer electronics.
04  To buy clothing, personal goods, foods, etc..
05  To pay for hobbies, leisure and social expenses.
06  To pay educational expenses.
07  To make a marriage fund.
08  To provide for any unexpected sickness or accident.
09  To supplement household living expenses.
10  To repay debt.
11  For other purposes.

(2) Borrowed from
21  Post office or financial institution such as bank
22  Worker-company loan
23  Bank credit company (JCB, VISA, UC, etc.)
24  Credit selling company (Nippon Shinpan, Jaccs, Life, etc.)
25  Consumer loan company (Akomu, Takefuji, Puromisu, Reiku, etc.)
26  Retailers’ loan company (Marui, Credit Saison, Daiei Finance and other loan or credit companies managed by department stores.)
27  My parent(s)
29  Other

(3) Reason of having borrowed money from the source
31  We could borrow money only from the source.
32  The proceedings was simple there.
33  We could borrow money the fastest from the source.
34  The business hours were longer and night services were provided there.
35  Saturday and Sunday services were provided there.
36  The rate of interest was low there.
37  We were earnestly solicited by an employee in the company or institution.
38  Our friend(s) or acquaintance(s) recommended the source.
39  We had a credit card issued by the source.
40  The repayment seemed to be simple there.
41  The source was in our neighborhood.
42  The source was well known and reliable.
43  We could borrow money easily from the source.
44  We wanted to borrow money from no financial institution.
45  Other reasons

Q2. How do you feel your burden of repayments? (Circle only one.)
1  It feels light.
2  It feels slightly heavy.
3  It feels considerably heavy.
4  It feels very heavy.
[To all of you.]

Q3. Have you ever had a loan application rejected in the past year (October 2005 — September 2006)? (Circle as many as apply to you.)
1 Yes  2 No, but I had the loan amount decreased  3 No

Q4. Have you ever given up a loan because you thought it would be rejected in the past year (October 2005 — September 2006)?
1 Yes  2 No

Q5. Are you going to get a new or additional loan of money in the future?
1 Yes  2 No  3 Don’t know. → (To Section 10)

SQ1. What companies or institutions are you going to choose as the sources from which you borrow money? Choose 3 out of the 9 answers as listed below and enter their numbers in the frames in your preference order.
1st □  2nd □  3rd □
1 Post office (Japan Post Bank) or financial institution such as bank
2 Housing Loan Corporation or other public loan such as pension loan, asset-formation loan, public corporation loan, municipal corporation loan, etc.
3 Worker-company loan
4 Bank credit company (JCB, VISA, UC, etc.)
5 Credit selling company (Nippon Shinpan, Jaccs, Life, etc.)
6 Consumer loan company (Acom, Takefuji, Promise, Lake, etc.)
7 Retailers’ loan company (Marui, Credit Saison, Daiei Finance, and other loan or credit companies managed by department stores)
8 Other (Specify )
9 Don’t know.

SQ2. Why are you going to borrow money from the company or institution? (Circle as many as apply to you.)
1 Because the proceedings are simple there.
2 Because it has more business hours and provides night services.
3 Because it provides Saturday and Sunday services.
4 Because the rate of interest is low there.
5 Because there is no need of mortgage, guarantor or/and any other constraint.
6 Because it keeps customers’ secrets so that we feel free from anxiety.
7 Because the lender’s service improves after a borrower takes out a loan.
8 Because it is well known and reliable.
9 Because of other reasons (Specify )
10. Please answer questions about eating-out and shopping with a credit card.

Q1. Do you have and use any credit card?

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<td>I have, but do not use it. → (To Section 11 Q1)</td>
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<td>3</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>→ (To Section 11 Q1)</td>
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SQ1. How many credit cards do you have by payer's name?

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SQ2. (By payer's name) Is any condition of limitation attached to the use of a credit card? (Circle up to two)

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<td>The amount of payments is limited nearly to 100 thousand yen a month</td>
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<td>4</td>
<td>The amount of repayment a month is limited</td>
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<td>5</td>
<td>Shops and goods &amp; services are limited</td>
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<td>6</td>
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<td>7</td>
<td>No limitation</td>
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SQ3. (In case of credit cards under your name) How much is the amount of outstanding accounts (to be drawn out of a bank deposit) now?

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There is an amount of outstanding accounts, but I don’t know exact amount. 1
No outstanding accounts 2
Don’t know. 3
11. Please answer questions about furniture and consumer electronics.

Q1. How many of the following items do you have now? Enter the number of items that you have. If you don’t have any items below, enter “0”.

1. Dishwasher □
2. Washing machine □
3. Room air-conditioner □
4. Color television □
5. Personal computer □
6. Mobile phone (includes PHS type.) □
7. Automobile □
12. Please answer questions about your behavior in your daily life.

Q1. Please answer the following questions about your daily living schedule:
   How many hours do you spend in total per workday and day off for each of 6 activities listed below?
   (Enter the time in hour and decade of minutes.)
   If you have two or more activities in the same period of time, choose the most important of them.

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<td>2) For work</td>
<td>□□ hours and □ minutes</td>
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<td>3) For schoolwork (studies)</td>
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<td>4) For housekeeping and child care</td>
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<td>5) For hobby, leisure, social interaction, etc</td>
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<td>6) For other activities such as sleeping, meals, taking a bath, etc.</td>
<td>□□ hours and □ minutes</td>
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   Total 24 hour

Q2. How many days off do you have a week? (A day off every two weeks is counted as a half day and entered as 0.5.)
   My days off □□ □□ days × Not in work → (To Q4)

Q3. What day is your day off in a week?
   (A day off every two weeks is included.)

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Q3.
Did you take any trip overnight or longer in the past year (October 2005 — September 2006)? (If you took an overnight train or bus and returned in the next day, it doesn’t mean that you took an overnight trip.)

Domestic
(1) Pleasure trip (including trips for recreation, sports and so on.)
   1 No.  2 Yes.
(2) Trip to your hometown or some kind of visit
   1 No.  2 Yes.
(3) Business trip, training and so on.
   1 No.  2 Yes  3 I have not been in work in the past year.

Overseas
(4) Pleasure trip (including trips for recreation, sports and so on.)
   1 No.  2 Yes.
(5) Trip to your hometown or some kind of visit
   1 No.  2 Yes.
(6) Business trip, training and so on.
   1 No.  2 Yes  3 I have not been in work in the past year.
13. Please answer questions about your self-development.

Q1. Have you taken any classes at schools in the "miscellaneous" category, such as vocational schools, and colleges, or any correspondence courses during the past year (October 2005 — September 2006)? Please don’t count the courses your company sent you to take.

1. Yes, I have.  2. No, I have not. → (To Section14 Q1)

SQ1. What kind of courses have you taken? (Including correspondence courses)
1. "Miscellaneous" school.
2. Occupational training school.
3. High School
4. Professional or special school.
5. Junior college or technical college.
6. University or college (to graduate from it).
7. University or college (to complete some courses, or as auditor or research student).
8. University or college (the department of telecommunication or a broadcasting college).
9. Postgraduate school
10. Other (Specify )

SQ2. Did you graduate from the school in the past year?
1. Yes, I graduated from the school or completed the courses.
2. No, I didn’t graduate from the school nor complete the courses.

SQ3. Please tell us the reasons why you took the courses. (Circle up to two.)
1. To acquire the knowledge and the qualifications that seemed to be useful to develop your current job skills and ability.
2. To acquire the knowledge and the qualifications that seemed to be useful to develop your future job skills and ability.
3. To prepare for going to schools.
4. To acquire some culture
5. To take some advanced courses
6. To acquire your own point of view
7. To improve your ability in art, entertainment, and hobby
8. To maintain your health and develop your physical strength
9. To enrich your life
10. To devote yourself into something
11. To acquire the knowledge and the skills relating to household and daily life
12. To acquire the knowledge and the skills relating to social action (volunteer activities etc.)
13. Other (Specify )

SQ4. Who paid most of the cost?
1. I
2. My company
4. My parent(s)
4. Training and Education Allowance
5. Other public agency as grant-in-aid
6. Others (Specify )

SQ5. How much was the total cost of the courses you or your family (excluding your company or public financial support) paid (the cost for tuition and course materials) in the past year (October 2005 — September 2006)? (Exclude transportation cost)

☐ ☐ ☐ ten thousand yen  0 Zero
14. Please answer questions about your child(ren).

Q1. Please answer questions about your child(ren). Even if you have no child, answer questions. Do you want to have a (or another) child?
   1 Yes, at any cost. → (To SQ3)
   2 Yes, with a condition(s). → (To SQ1)
   3 No. → (To SQ2)

SQ1. What is (are) the condition(s)? (Circle as many as apply to you.)
   The condition is that:
   1 We'll be able to afford to pay our living expenses with a (or another) child.
   2 Our house will be larger.
   3 I'll be able to continue to work after having a (or another) child.
   4 My husband and the other member(s) of my household will help me with housekeeping and child care.
   5 I'll be able to use a social system including day nursery and day nurse.
   6 Other (Specify )

SQ2. Why don't you want to have a (or another) child? (Circle as many as apply to you.)
   1 Because I do not want to get married.
   2 Because I consider my own life as more important.
   3 Because I want to continue to work.
   4 Because I consider my and my husband's lives as more important if I get married.
   5 Because I don't like children.
   6 Because I am anxious about the burden of expenses of child(ren)'s education and bringing up.
   7 Because I think it is not easy to bring up a child to be a full-fledged member of society.
   8 For other reasons (Specify )

SQ3. How many more children do you want to have (further)?
   □ persons

SQ4. Which do you want to have, a boy or a girl?
   1 Boy
   2 Girl

[To all of you]
Q2. What level of education do you want to let your child(ren) receive at least in the future? (Circle only one)
   1 Education in one of the established universities.
   2 Education in an university, whatever it is.
   3 Education in a junior college.
   4 Education in a vocational school.
   5 Education in a senior-high school.
   6 Education as my child(ren) wants (want).

Add. Q. For what reason(s)? (Circle as many as apply to you)
   1 Because it will be favorable for my child(ren)'s career to graduate from such an university.
   2 Because it will be favorable for my child(ren)'s marriage to graduate from such an university.
   3 Because my child(ren) will be highly appreciated in the society, if he or she graduated from such an university.
   4 Because I want to let my child(ren) receive a good education.
   5 Because I suppose that my child(ren) will be able to have good friends there.
   6 Because I have a vague idea of letting my child(ren) receive such an education.
   7 Other (Specify )
Please answer Q3 to Q9, if you have a child (or children) who is (or are) a junior high school student(s) or younger. If not, proceed to Section 15. Q1.

Q3. Please answer Q3 to Q9 about your eldest child among your children that are junior high school students or younger. Does the child attend a public or private school?
1 Public 2 National 3 Private

Q4. Does the child take any private lessons (other than those in a preparatory school)?
(Circle as many as apply.)
1 He or she attends a sporting class or club other than in the school which he or she attends.
2 He or she is a member of a club in the school which he or she attends.
3 He or she takes private lessons in a piano or other music classroom.
4 He or she takes private lessons in a painting, Japanese calligraphy, Japanese abacus or other classroom.
5 Other (Specify )
6 He or she does not take any private lessons. — (To Q6)

Q5. How much do you pay annually for the private lessons which the child have?
☐☐☐ thousand yen a year

Q6. Does the child attend any preparatory school or English conversation school (or have a private tutor)?
(Circle as many as apply.)
1 Yes, on a routine basis. — ☐ times a week.
   At the monthly fee of ☐☐☐ thousand yen
2 Yes, only in the summer or/and winter vacation.
   — At the monthly fee of ☐☐☐ thousand yen
3 No. — (To Q9)

Q7. Why do you let the child attend any preparatory school or English conversation school (or have a private tutor)?
(Circle as many as apply.)
1 Because I expect that he or she will do better at school (or kindergarten).
2 To let him or her receive supplementary lessons, because he or she does not do well at school (or kindergarten).
3 Because I consider that the school (or kindergarten) which he or she attends does not give a satisfactory education.
4 Because I want to let him or her prepare for an examination for admission into a school.
5 Because I feel anxious unless he or she does so.
6 Because other children do so.
7 Because he or she wants to do so.
8 Because he or she has enough time to do so.
9 For other reasons (Specify )

Q8. How do you evaluate the results of having let the child attend a preparatory school or English conversation school?
1 I suppose that he or she has better results than if I should not let him or her do so.
2 I suppose that he or she has no better result than if I should not let him or her do so.

[Answer Q9, if you gave an answer “ 3 No.” to Q6.]

Q9. Are you not going to let the child attend any preparatory school or English conversation school in the future?
1 Yes, when he or she is older. — From what age?
   ☐☐☐ years of age.
2 Yes, I may let him or her do so depending upon his or her school grades.
3 No.
15. Please answer questions about your relationship with your friends.

Q1. How many friends do you keep company with now? Answer this question in reference to how you met.

The term “friend” means here a person with whom you keep personal company (or whom you meet, exchange letters with and talk with by wire), excluding a person with whom you keep company as the members of individual groups.

If you had two or more first chances of company, choose the most important.

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16. Please answer the following questions about how you feel about your life.

Q1. Are you generally satisfied with your life?
1  Very much
2  Quite
3  Moderately
4  A little
5  Not at all

Q2. How is your usual health condition?
1  Very good
2  Good
3  Fair
4  Poor
5  Very bad

Q3. Do you think that your body is younger than other people who are the same age?
1  Younger
2  A little younger
3  Average
4  A little older
5  Older

Q4. Which class do you think your standard of living fall into? (Circle only one.)
1  Upper  2  Upper-middle  3  Middle
4  Lower-middle  5  Bottom

Q5. Are you satisfied with the current income of your family?
1  Quite satisfied.  2  Almost satisfied.
3  A little dissatisfied.  4  Quite dissatisfied.

Q6. Are you satisfied with your family’s current expenses?
1  Dissatisfied spending too much.
2  Almost satisfied.
3  Dissatisfied spending too little.

Q7. Are you satisfied with what your family is spending on?
1  Quite satisfied.  2  Almost satisfied.
3  A little dissatisfied.  4  Quite dissatisfied.

Q8. Do you think you are happy or unhappy?
1  I am very happy.
2  I am rather happy.
3  I am not happy or unhappy.
4  I am a little unhappy.
5  I am very unhappy.
17. Please answer the following questions about marriage.

Q1. Do you want to marry (all marriage is legal)?
1 I intend to marry soon. → (To Q2)
2 I want to marry as soon as I can. → (To SQ1, SQ2)
3 I want to, but not right now. → (To SQ1, SQ2)
4 I don’t necessarily want to. → (To SQ3)
5 I don’t want to marry. → (To SQ3)

SQ1. What is the oldest age at which you want to get married?
   It is □□.

SQ2. Why are you not married now? (Circle up to three.)
1 Because I enjoy work and don’t care about marriage yet.
2 Because I enjoy study and don’t care about marriage yet.
3 Because I am satisfied with my life now and don’t care about marriage yet.
4 I have something I want to do before marriage.
5 I haven’t met a person I want to marry yet.
6 I have a boyfriend, but we are not yet ready for marriage.
7 It is difficult to find a partner who my parents will approve of.
8 Other (Specify: )

SQ3. Why not? (Circle up to three.)
1 Because it will disturb my career.
2 I don’t feel any need to get married because I am satisfied with my life now.
3 Life doesn’t always improve by marriage.
4 I don’t feel any need to get married because I am financially independent.
5 There are few men with whom I can get along as an equal partner.
6 It is better to associate with men outside of a marriage situation.
7 I have no interest in marriage.
8 I’m skeptical about the system of marriage.
9 Other (Specify: )

[To all of you]
Q2. Have you taken any of the following actions toward marriage in the past year (October 2005 – September 2006)? (Circle as many as apply to you)
1 I was formally introduced to a prospective marriage partner by my family or relative.
2 I was formally introduced to a prospective marriage partner by my friend.
3 I asked my friend or relative to introduce me a partner.
4 I joined a marriage introduction club in the past year.
5 I have been in a marriage introduction club for more than a year.
6 I bought a marriage information magazine.
7 I had a talk with my boyfriend about marriage.
8 I got engaged.
9 Other (Specify: )
10 I did nothing.
18. Please answer questions about any changes that occurred in your household in the past year.

Form now on, there are questions irrelevant to those unmarried such as questions about children. Please note that they are for some people answering this questionnaire who have children.

Q1.
Which changes occurred in your household in the past year (October 2005 — September 2006)? (Circle as many as apply to you)

My household size became larger, because of:
1  A birth.
2  My parent(s) moved in with us.
3  A member of my household came home from a long term posting elsewhere for work.
4  Other (My household increased in size for other reasons.)

My household size became smaller, because:
5  A member of my household moved out because he or she was transferred.
6  A member of my household moved out.
7  A member of my household died.
8  Other (My household size became smaller for other reasons.)

My household size was changed, because
9  I divorced or separated to form another household.
10 I (or my household) moved out of my (or my husband's) parents-owned house to form another household.
11 I (or my household) moved into my (or my husband's) parents-owned house to live together with my (or my husband's) parents.
12 There was no change in my household. → (To Q3.)

[Please answer Q2, if you bore a new child in the past year (October 2005 — September 2006). If not, proceed to Q3.]

Q2.
(1) Where does your new child place in the birth order?
1  My first child
2  My second child
3  My third or subsequent child

(2) How much did you pay for your childbirth?
① Total payment to a hospital (including periodical diagnoses):
   About □□□ ten thousand yen
② Total expenses for child care goods:
   About □□□ ten thousand yen
③ Reward for helps after childbirth:
   About □□□ ten thousand yen
④ Other expenses( ):
   About □□□ ten thousand yen

(3) By which did you mainly pay the total expenditure? (Mark only one answer item with a circle.)
1  With my income and savings.
2  Financial assistance from my parent(s).
3  Benefits and congratulatory money paid by health insurance and mutual aid association, or by public grants
4  Congratulatory gift money
5  Loans
6  Other (Specify: )
(4) Did you work before and after childbirth?
1 No. I did not work before nor after childbirth. → (To Q3)
2 I worked before childbirth, but stopped working because of childbirth.
3 I worked before childbirth, and restarted to work (or plan to restart) after childbirth.

(5) Did you get a maternity leave?
1 Yes. → □□ weeks before childbirth.
□□ weeks after childbirth.
2 No.
3 There was and is not such a system.
   [ If you quit your job after childbirth, go to Q3. ]

(6) Did you use a child care leave system or a child care time?
1 Yes. → Form 1 Child care leave → □□ months
   → Form 2 Child care time → □ hours a day
2 No.
3 There was and is not such a system.

[Please answer Q3, if any member of your relatives, regardless of whether they lived together or separately, has died in the past year (October 2005 — September 2006). If not, proceed to Q4.]
Q3.
(1) Who died in your household? (Circle as many as apply to you.)
1 My father  5 My grand parent
2 My mother  6 My child
3 My husband  7 Other (Specify: )
4 My adoptive parent(s)

[Please answer Q4 if your parent(s), regardless of whether they lived together or separately, has died in the past year (October 2005 — September 2006). If not, proceed to Q5.]
Q4.
(1) If two or more of your parents died in the past year (October 2005 - September 2006), choose one of them with whom all the problems of inheritance were solved. (Circle only one.)
1 My father  2 My mother  3 My foster parent

(2) Did that parent need to be cared for till he or she died?
1 Yes
2 No → (To (6))

(3) How long was that parent cared for?
1 For less than 1 month
2 For 1 to 3 months
3 For 4 to 6 months
4 For 7 months to 1 year
5 For 1 to 3 years
6 For more than 3 years

(4) Who mainly cared for that parent? (Circle only one.)
1 I
2 My brother(s) or/and sister(s) (or their spouses)
3 My parent(s)
4 Other relative(s)
5 Home helpers (covered by the Long-Term Care Insurance System)
6 Staff at the nursing homes for the elderly
7 Self-paid housekeepers not covered by the Long-Term Care Insurance System
8 Other (Specify: )
(5) Where was that parent cared for? (Circle only one.)
1  In a hospital
2  In one of the other facilities
3  In my house
4  In his or her own house
5  Other (Specify: )

(6) How was the property left by the deceased parent distributed among his or her children?
1  It was equally distributed.  →  (To Q5)
2  The entire amount was inherited by the eldest child.
3  Most of it was inherited by the eldest child.
4  The entire amount was inherited by a child that is not the eldest.
5  Most of it was inherited by a child that is not the eldest.
6  Other (Specify: )
7  The entire amount was inherited by the single child.
8  None of the children inherited it.  →  (To Q5)

(7) Which has the child (or child’s spouse) who inherited all or most of the property done for that parent?
1  He or she has lived with that parent.
2  He or she has cared that parent.
3  He or she has done the house work.
4  He or she has supported that parent (financially).
5  He or she has succeeded the family business.
6  He or she has not done 1 – 5 above.

[Q5 is asked to all of you.]
Q5. Which events did you have in the past year (October 2005 — September 2006)? (Circle as many as apply to you.)
1  Got a job.
2  Transferred.
3  Changed my workplace or job.
4  Quit a job voluntarily
5  Dismissed or asked to bow out.
6  Insolvency or bankruptcy
7  Entered a university (or postgraduate school) or college, or a professional school.
8  Started to take lessons.
9  Took on a responsible role in a PTA, livelihood cooperative association or other circle or group.
10  Serious sickness requiring an operation or a long-term medical treatment.
11  Mental trouble such as depression.
12  Consumers’ trouble including loan and credit.
13  Accident(s) or disaster.
14  Other special event(s) (Specify )
15  No special event.  →  (To Q8 )
(Please answer Q6, if you suffered any serious sickness that required an operation or long-term medical treatment, or had mental trouble such as depression in the past year (October 2005 — September 2006). If not, proceed to Q7.)

Q6.

(1) Did this sickness or trouble have a significant effect on your way of life? (Circle as many as apply to you.)
   1. I could not continue to work and stopped working.
   2. I was divorced or separated.
   3. I was temporarily absent from school or left school.
   4. I returned to my parents' house (to live with my parents).
   5. I was long hospitalized.
   6. Other (Specify )
   7. It has not changed my way of living.

(2) How was your livelihood and medical treatment expenses paid? (Circle as many as apply to you.)
   1. My own income and savings
   2. My parents' income and savings
   3. Revenue by sale of my assets
   4. Revenue by sale of my parents' assets
   5. Public pension, medical allowance or grant-in-aid
   6. Private insurance benefits or cancel returns
   7. Debts from financial institutions
   8. Debts from my parents and other relatives
   9. Other (Specify )

(3) Whom did you consult during your medical treatment?
   1. Medical or/and welfare specialist(s) such as doctor(s)
   2. Religious person(s)
   3. My parent(s), brother(s) or/and sister(s)
   4. My child(ren)
   5. My friend(s)
   6. Other (Specify )
   7. Nobody

[Please answer Q7 if you were involved in any accident, disaster or consumer trouble in the past year (October 2005 — September 2006). If not, proceed to Q8.]

Q7.

(1) What was the accident, disaster or consumer' trouble? (Circle as many as apply to you.)
   1. Traffic accident
   2. Fire
   3. Labor accident
   4. Theft
   5. Goods damaged
   6. Difficulty in repayment of debt such as credit
   7. Other (Specify )

(2) Did this accident, disaster or trouble have a significant effect on your way of life? (Circle as many as apply to you.)
   1. I could not continue to work and stopped working.
   2. I was divorced or separated.
   3. I was temporarily absent from school or left school.
   4. I returned to my parents' house (to live with my parents).
   5. I lost a part of my property.
   6. I paid a large amount of expenses such as compensation or repayment.
   7. I was mentally depressed.
   8. Other (Specify )
   9. My way of living was little or not changed.

(3) What measures did you take to deal with the accident, disaster or trouble? (Circle as many as apply to you.)
   1. I drew my savings.
   2. I sold a part of my property.
   3. I received financial assistance from my parent(s), brother(s) or/and sister(s).
   4. I borrowed money from my relative(s) or/and friend(s).
   5. I borrowed money from financial institutions.
   6. I borrowed money from a public agency.
   7. I canceled my private insurance(s).
   8. I received private insurance benefit(s).
   9. I demanded the benefits of social insurance such as labor accident insurance.
   10. I consulted public agencies and special institutions.
   11. I consulted other and received help from my parent(s), brother(s) or/and sister(s).
   12. I consulted or/and received help from my friend(s).
   13. I consulted religious person(s).
   14. Other (Specify )
   15. I did not take any measures.
Q8. Did you move house in the past year?
1 Yes.  2 No.

Q9. What event(s) did the other member(s) of your household have in the past year (October 2005 — September 2006)?
(Circle as many as apply.)
1 Got a job.
2 Transferred
3 Changed my workplace or job.
4 Quit a job voluntarily
5 Dismissed or laid off.
6 Insolvency or bankruptcy.
7 Serious sickness requiring an operation or a long-term medical treatment
8 Mental trouble such as depression
9 Consumers' trouble including loan and credit
10 Accident(s) or disaster
11 Entrance examination or entrance into a school or matriculation in a university or college
12 Other special event(s) (Specify )
13 No special event. → (To Section 19)

SQ1. Did this event (events) have a significant effect on your way of life? (Circle as many as apply to you.)
1 It (they) cost me considerably.
2 My household revenue or assets decreased.
3 It was a lot of trouble to take care of this member of my household, (including caring for a sick person).
4 It put a strain on the human relationships within my household.
5 I myself became mentally depressed.
6 I was divorced or separated.
7 Other (Specify )
8 It has not changed my way of living.

SQ2. What measures did you take to deal with such an event (events)? (Circle as many as apply to you.)
1 I drew my savings.
2 I sold a part of my property.
3 I received a financial assistance from my parent(s), brother(s) or/and sister(s).
4 I borrowed money from my relative(s) or/and friend(s).
5 I borrowed money from financial institutions.
6 I borrowed money from a public agency.
7 I canceled my private insurance(s).
8 I received private insurance benefit(s).
9 I demanded the benefits of social insurance such as labor accident insurance.
10 I consulted public agencies and special institutions.
11 I consulted or/and received help from my parent(s), brother(s) or/and sister(s).
12 I consulted or/and received help from my friend(s).
13 I consulted religious person(s).
14 Other (Specify )
15 I did not take any measures.
19. Please answer questions about the way you use the Internet and e-mail.

Q1. Do you use the Internet for yourself? (Circle only one)
   1 I use it only at home (including access through mobile phone)
   2 I use it only at work/school.
   3 I use it both at home (including access through mobile phone) and at work/school.
   4 I use it at another place.
   5 I don’t use it.

Q2. Do you have your own e-mail address? (Circle only one)
   1 I have both my own private account and the one at work/school.
   2 I have my own address at work.
   3 I have my own address at school.
   4 I have my own address for private use.
   5 I do not have my own e-mail address but share it with the other(s).
   6 I do not have my own e-mail address.
20. Please answer questions on your character and personality.

Q1. Have you ever had each of the experiences (1) to (45) as listed below for the past half a year?
   1  Yes  2  No

(1) I sometimes find it hard to make decisions about day to day things or activities. 1  2
(2) I sometimes feel disassociated from feelings, whether happiness or unhappiness. 1  2
(3) I have sometimes felt irritated and anxious. 1  2
(4) I have sometimes felt like dying. 1  2
(5) I have sometimes felt sick in the morning, but better in the evening and at night. 1  2
(6) I have often felt depressed soon after waking up. 1  2
(7) I have sometimes had little appetite and been unable to taste whatever I have eaten. 1  2
(8) I have wanted to do my work so perfectly that people around me won’t consider it unsatisfactory. 1  2
(9) I have liked to keep company with various kinds of people and enjoyed talking with them. 1  2
(10) I have felt it happier to have a peaceful time together with my family members or reliable friends. 1  2
(11) I have sometimes felt so refreshed to have feelings that everything will go well. 1  2
(12) Even if I go to bed very late at night, I have awakened early in the morning and felt refreshed despite such a short sleep. 1  2
(13) I want to actively do something which I could not do before. 1  2
(14) I have had a good appetite and a strong sexual desire. 1  2
(15) I have tended to worry about the future needlessly. 1  2
(16) I have wanted to obey strictly the rules such as the procedure of housekeeping and the places at which things are put. 1  2
(17) I have been anxious unless I am completely ready to go out or start my work. 1  2
(18) I have often felt myself unclean unless I wash my hands. 1  2
(19) I have sometimes minded if people around me might dislike me. 1  2
(20) I have felt like I am being stared at. 1  2
(21) I get nervous in front of people. 1  2
(22) It makes me feel good when I have other people’s attention. 1  2
(23) I feel bad if my acts of consideration for others is not accepted. 1  2
(24) I have felt sick or pressure in the chest to face some disagreeable things. 1  2
(25) I have sometimes had the idea that I was born probably with a special mission. 1  2
(26) I have supposed that nobody can understand my ideals. 1 2
(27) I have felt as if people around me can read my mind. 1 2
(28) I have supposed that people around me talk about me or speak ill of me. 1 2
(29) I have never thought anything immoral. 1 2
(30) Once I begin to drink alcoholic beverages (such as beer and whisky), I find it hard to stop. 1 2
(31) I have often drunk alone. 1 2
(32) I have made it a rule to read editorial articles and columns on newspapers everyday. 1 2
(33) I have felt myself little overworked. 1 2
(34) I have felt much stressed mentally. 1 2
(35) I suffer from a lack of sleep, because the member(s) of my household go(es) to bed at different times. 1 2
(36) I have felt lack of sleep, because I have too much work. 1 2
(37) I have felt uneasy to see that the world around me is getting worse. 1 2
(38) I have feared that domestic violence or juvenile crime may happen to me too. 1 2
(39) I have thought boys and girls will become more and more violent. 1 2
(40) I have thought there are many problems in school education. 1 2
(41) I have been concerned about the decline in academic ability of children. 1 2
(42) I have thought today’s children will have better life than the one that I have had. 1 2
(43) I have sometimes been concerned about my child(ren)’s access to higher education. 1 2
(44) I have thought women will have a better life in the future due to changes in society. 1 2
(45) I have thought men will find life more difficult in the future due to changes in society. 1 2
(46) I have thought gaps of income and property are growing. 1 2
(47) I have thought the elderly with disease and low-income will find life more difficult. 1 2
(48) I have thought the gap in education level is widening, like that children of rich people will go to good schools. 1 2
(49) I have thought the young limited to part-time jobs are increasing. 1 2
(50) I have thought there are more cases that the one raised in disadvantaged home blame privileged people. 1 2
(51) I have been anxious about whether I can have a stable old age. 1 2
(52) I have been worried that the relations among China, Korea and North Korea go well. 1 2
(53) I have been anxious that we are threatened by terrorism in Japan. 1 2
(54) I have thought that war cloud is sneaking up. 1 2
(55) I have been tired of catching up with the changes of politics and legislation. 1 2

Now, your questionnaire is completely filled out. Thank you very much for your patient cooperation.