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# **Criminal Victimization in International Perspective**

Key findings from the 2004-2005 ICVS and EU ICS

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## Appendix 8 The questionnaire

This appendix shows the ICVS questionnaire as was used outside the European Union. The questionnaire is first presented in schematic overview and then in full text. The EU ICS questionnaire had some additional items; they are mentioned here only if they were used in this report. We refer to the consortium's website for the full EU ICS questionnaire in all available languages. See INTERVICT website for older versions of the questionnaire ([www.INTERVICT.nl](http://www.INTERVICT.nl)).

**Table 1 Schematic overview of the ICVS EU ICS questionnaire – conventional crimes**

	5 year victimisation screener	When did it happen – how often last year	Where did it happen	Report to the police	Why not	Satisfied with report	Why not satisfied	Victim support – Support useful	Serious
Screener vehicle ownership and number of them									
Car theft	•	•	•	•					•
Was the stolen car returned? (distinction between joy-riding and serious theft)									
Theft from a car	•	•	•	•			•		•
Car vandalism (this crime was dropped from the questionnaire)									
Motorcycle/moped theft	•	•	•	•					•
Bicycle theft	•	•	•	•					•
Burglary	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Was anything stolen, value									
Was anything damaged, value									
Attempted burglary	•	•	•	•	•		•		•
Robbery	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Number of offenders, offender known									
Weapons used, kind of weapon, actually used									
Was something actually stolen									
Theft of personal property	•	•	•	•	•		•		•
Were you holding or carrying what was stolen (e.g., was it a case of pickpocketing?)									
Sexual offences		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Number of offenders, offender known, who was it									
Weapons used, kind of weapon, actually used									
What actually happened – was it a crime									
Assault & Threat	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Plus an additional screener on domestic incidents									
Number of offenders, offender known, who was it									
What actually happened – was it a crime									

**Table 2** Schematic overview of the items in the ICVS questionnaire – non-conventional crimes – household and respondent information – attitudes and opinions

*Non conventional crimes*

Consumer fraud	One year victimisation Type of fraud, (EU ICS – was it credit card fraud) Report to the police
Street level corruption	One year victimisation Who was the corrupted official Report to the police
Hate crime (EU ICS)	Five year victimisation How often last year
Drugs problems (EU ICS)	Twelve month victimisation

*Attitudes, policing and household information*

Attitudes to crime	How safe do you feel after dark in your area How likely is burglary in the coming year
Policing questions	How good a job does the police in controlling crime Type of sentence for a recidivist burglar – how long prison sentence
Demographic information	Size of town Household size and composition Gender respondent Type of house occupational position Educational level Income level – satisfied with income Marital status Immigrant status religious denomination
Other household information	Anti burglary protection Firearm ownership – type of firearm – reason for having a firearm Going out in the evening

**2004/05 INTERNATIONAL CRIME VICTIMISATION SURVEY CATI-VERSION**

- Q1. Good morning/afternoon/evening. I am an interviewer of the Survey Company.... We are conducting an important survey for the ....about the problem of crime. Information obtained from the study will assist law enforcement agencies to better prevent crime in the future.

The survey is part of a major research project, which is being carried out in many different countries. May I ask you some questions for the survey? The interview won't take much of your time. Your answers will, of course, be treated confidentially and anonymously.

<< INT. IF RESPONDENT IS SUSPICIOUS OR DOUBTFUL: >> If you want to check whether this survey is done in co-operation with.... or if you would like more information, I can give you the phone-number of someone at.....

<< INT. IF RESPONDENT ASKS FOR THAT NUMBER: >> May I call you back in 30 minutes/tomorrow?

- 1 Respondent is willing to co-operate
- 2 Respondent asks for telephone number and wants to make appointment
- 3 Respondent can be called back
- 4 Respondent refuses co-operation (SOFT refusal)
- 5 Respondent refuses co-operation (HARD refusal)

*If answer is equal to code 4 or 5, then end of questionnaire*

*If answer is equal to code 2 or code 3, then make a call-back*

*Else continue with question 5.*

- Q5. In order to determine which person I must interview, I would like to know how many people (persons) there are in your household, including yourself.

- 1 1
- 2 2
- 3 3
- 4 4
- 5 5
- 6 6 or more

*If answer is equal to code 1, then continue with question 16*

Q6. How many people (persons) aged 16 or over are there in your household, including yourself?

- 1 1
- 2 2
- 3 3
- 4 4+

Q7. And how many of them are males aged over 16?

- 1 1
- 2 2
- 3 3
- 4 4+
- 5 0 (zero)

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Q10. According to my instructions, I have to interview the \*03 in your household. Can you please ask him/her whether he/she is willing to come to the phone?

<<INT: IF PERSON NOT AVAILABLE:>> Can you tell me at what time I have the best chance of getting him/her on the phone?

Q15. <<INT: QUESTIONS TO MEMBER OF HOUSEHOLD SELECTED BY COMPUTER IF OTHER THAN FIRST CONTACT.>> Good morning/afternoon/evening. I am an interviewer of the Survey Company.... <<THIS INTRODUCTION CAN BE CHANGED SLIGHTLY TO SUIT NATIONAL NEEDS>>

The survey is part of an international project, which is being done in many European and non-European countries. May I ask you some questions for the survey? The interview won't take much of your time. Your answers will, of course, be treated confidentially and anonymously.

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*If answer is equal to code 4 or 5, then end of questionnaire*

*If answer is equal to code 2 or code 3, then make a call-back*

- Q16. << INT: NOTE DOWN THE SEX OF RESPONDENT WITHOUT ASKING>>
- 1 Male
  - 2 Female
  - 9 Don't know

#### VEHICLE OWNERSHIP

- Q20. I shall start with some questions about crimes involving cars, and so I first need to ask you about car ownership. Over the past five years, which is since 1995, has anyone in your household had a car, van or truck for private use?
- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 9 Don't know

*If answer is equal to code 2, then continue with question 25.*

- Q21. How many vehicles has your household had use of for most of the time?
- 1 One
  - 2 Two
  - 3 Three
  - 4 Four
  - 5 Five or more
  - 9 Don't know

- Q25. Has anyone in your household owned a moped, scooter, motorcycle (or mofa\*) over the past five years? << INT:\* ONLY IF RELEVANT IN YOUR COUNTRY >>
- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 9 Don't know

*If answer is equal to code 2, then continue with question 30.*

Q26. And how many vehicles has your household had use of for most of the time?

- 1 One
- 2 Two
- 3 Three
- 4 Four
- 5 Five or more
- 9 Don't know

Q30. Has anyone in your household owned a bicycle over the past five years?

<< INT: INCLUDE CHILDREN'S BICYCLES >>

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know

*If answer is equal to code 2, then continue with question 32.*

Q31. And how many bicycles has your household had use of for most of the time?

- 1 One
- 2 Two
- 3 Three
- 4 Four
- 5 Five or more
- 9 Don't know

Q32. I now want to ask you about crimes you or your household may have experienced during the past five years, which is since 2000. It is sometimes difficult to remember such incidents so I will read the questions slowly and I would like you to think carefully about them.

#### **VICTIMISATION SCREENERS**

*If question 20 is not equal to code 1, then continue with question 50.*

Q35. Over the past five years have you or other members of your household had any of their cars/vans/trucks stolen? Please take your time to think about it.

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know



- Q40. Apart from this, over the past five years have you or have members of your household been the victim of a theft of a car radio, or something else which was left in your car, or theft of a part of the car, such as a car mirror or wheel?

<< INT: VANDALISM MUST NOT BE REPORTED HERE, BUT UNDER THE NEXT QUESTION; IF THE CAR ITSELF WAS STOLEN AS WELL, THIS SHOULD HAVE BEEN REPORTED BEFORE. OTHER THEFTS FROM THE CAR WHEN IT WAS TAKEN MUST NOT BE REPORTED HERE >>

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know

*If question 25 is not equal to code 1, then continue with question 55*

- Q50. Over the past five years have you or other members of your household had any of their mopeds/scooters/motorcycles/mofa's)\* stolen? <<\*INT: ONLY IF RELEVANT IN COUNTRY>>

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know

*If question 30 is not equal to code 1, then continue with question 60, else continue with question 55*

- Q55. Over the past five years have you or other members of your household had any of their bicycles stolen? << INT. INCLUDE CHILDREN'S BICYCLE >>

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know

- Q60. Over the past five years, did anyone actually get into your home/residence without permission, and steal or try to steal something? I am not including here thefts from garages, sheds or lock-ups.

<<INT. INCLUDE CELLARS, DO NOT COUNT BURGLARIES IN SECOND HOUSES>>

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know

Q65. Apart from this, over the past five years, do you have any evidence that someone tried to get into your home/residence unsuccessfully. For example, damage to locks, doors or windows or scratches around the lock?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know

Q66. Next I want to ask you some questions about what may have happened to you personally. Things that you have mentioned already or which happened to other members of your household must not be mentioned now.

Q70. Over the past five years has anyone stolen something from you by using force or threatening you, or did anybody try to steal something from you by using force or threatening force.

<< INT. PICKPOCKETING MUST BE REPORTED UNDER THE NEXT QUESTION >>

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know

Q75 << INT. READ SLOWLY >> Apart from theft involving force there are many other types of theft of personal property, such as pickpocketing or theft of a purse, wallet, clothing, jewellery, sports equipment, This can happen at one's work, at school, in a pub, on public transport, on the beach, or in the street. Over the past five years have you personally been the victim of any of these thefts?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know

Q76. I would now like to ask you some questions about crimes of violence of which you personally may have been the victim.

Q80. First, a rather personal question. People sometimes grab, touch or assault others for sexual reasons in a really offensive way. This can happen either at home, or elsewhere, for instance in a pub, the street, at school, on public transport, in cinemas, on the beach, or at one's workplace. Over the past five years has anyone done this to you? Please take your time to think about it.

<< INT: INCLUDE DOMESTIC SEXUAL ASSAULTS >>

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know

Q85. Apart from the incidents just covered, have you over the past five years been personally attacked or threatened by someone in a way that really frightened you, either at home or elsewhere, such as in a pub, in the street, at school, on public transport, on the beach, or at your workplace<< INT. INCLUDE DOMESTIC ASSAULTS >>

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know

*If question 85 is equal to code 1, then continue with question 86, Else continue with question 85a*

Nw Q85a. Take your time to consider. An incident of this sort might also have involved your partner, family member or a close friend. So apart from incidents already covered, have you in the past five years been personally attacked or threatened by someone you know in a way that really frightened you?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know

*If no crimes mentioned continue with question 280.*

*Else continue with question 86.*

Q86. Could I now go back to ask you about the crimes you said had happened to you or your household.

#### **THEFT OF CAR – DETAILS**

*If question 35 is not equal to code 1, then continue with question 110. Else continue with question 100.*

Q100. First of all, you mentioned the theft of a car. When did this happen? Was this...

<<INT. READ OUT >><<INT. IF RESPONDENT HAS BEEN VICTIM MORE THAN ONCE, AND AT LEAST ONE TIME IN 2004: TYPE IN 2) LAST YEAR (2004) >>

- 1 This year
- 2 Last year, in 2004
- 3 Before then
- 9 Don't know/can't remember

*If answer is equal to code 2, then continue with question 101.*

*Else continue with question 102.*

Q101. How often did it happen in 2004?

- 1 Once
- 2 Twice
- 3 Three times
- 4 Four times
- 5 Five times or more
- 9 Don't know

Q102. (The last time) did this theft happen at your own home/residence, near your own home/residence, elsewhere in your city or local area, at work, elsewhere in [COUNTRY], or did it happen abroad?

<<INT. IF VICTIM MORE THAN ONCE OVER THE PAST FIVE YEARS, ASK ABOUT THE LAST TIME THIS HAPPENED >>  
<<INT. INCLUDE INCIDENTS THAT TOOK PLACE IN GARAGES, DRIVES ETC AS CODE 1 >>

- 1 At your own home/residence
- 2 Near your own home/residence
- 3 Elsewhere in city or local area
- 4 At work
- 5 Elsewhere in [COUNTRY]
- 6 Abroad
- 9 Don't know

Q103. (The last time this happened) was the car/van ever recovered?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know

Q104. (The last time this happened) did you or anyone else report the incident to the police?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know

- Q105. Taking everything into account, how serious was the incident for you or your household. Was it very serious, fairly serious, or not very serious?
- 1 Very serious
  - 2 Fairly serious
  - 3 Not very serious
  - 9 Don't know

#### THEFT FROM CARS – DETAILS

*If question 40 is not equal to code 1 then continue with question 140.*

- Q110. The theft FROM your car that you mentioned, when did this happen? Was it...

<<INT. READ OUT >> <<INT. IF RESPONDENT HAS BEEN VICTIM MORE THAN ONCE, AND AT LEAST ONE TIME IN 2004: TYPE IN 2) LAST YEAR (2004)

- 1 This year
- 2 Last year, in 2004
- 3 Before then
- 9 Don't know/can't remember

*If answer is equal to code 2 then continue with question 111.*

*Else continue with question 112.*

- Q111. How often did it happen in 2004?
- 1 Once
  - 2 Twice
  - 3 Three times
  - 4 Four times
  - 5 Five times or more
  - 9 Don't know

- Q112. (The last time) did this theft happen at your own home/residence, near your own home/residence, elsewhere in your city or local area, at work, elsewhere in [COUNTRY], or did it happen abroad?

<<INT. IF VICTIM MORE THAN ONCE OVER THE PAST FIVE YEARS, ASK ABOUT THE LAST TIME THIS HAPPENED >><<INT. INCLUDE INCIDENTS THAT TOOK PLACE IN GARAGES, DRIVES ETC AS CODE 1 >>

- 1 At your own home/residence
- 2 Near your own home/residence
- 3 Elsewhere in city or local area
- 4 At work
- 5 Elsewhere in [COUNTRY]
- 6 Abroad
- 9 Don't know

Q113. (The last time this happened) did you or anyone else report that incident to the police?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know

*If answer is equal to code 1 then continue with question 115.*

*Else continue with question 119.*

Q115. On the whole, were you satisfied with the way the police dealt with the matter?

- 1 Yes (satisfied)
- 2 No (dissatisfied)
- 9 Don't know

*If answer is equal to code 1 or code 9, continue with question 119.*

*If answer equal to code 2, continue with question 116.*

Q116. For what reasons were you dissatisfied? You can give more than one reason.

<< INT. MULTIPLE ANSWERS ALLOWED >>

- 1 Didn't do enough
- 2 Were not interested
- 3 Didn't find or apprehend the offender
- 4 Didn't recover my property (goods)
- 5 Didn't keep me properly informed
- 6 Didn't treat me correctly/were impolite
- 7 Were slow to arrive
- 8 Other reasons
- 9 Don't know

Q119. Taking every thing into account, how serious was the incident for you and your household. Was it very serious, fairly serious, or not very serious?

- 1 Very serious
- 2 Fairly serious
- 3 Not very serious
- 9 Don't know

#### THEFT OF MOTORCYCLES – DETAILS

*If question 50 is not equal to code 1 then continue with question 150.*

- Q140. The theft of your moped/scooter/motorcycle/[\*mofa] that you mentioned, when did this happen? Was it...<<INT. READ OUT >><<INT. IF RESPONDENT HAS BEEN A VICTIM MORE THAN ONCE, AND AT LEAST ONE TIME IN 2004, TYPE IN 2) LAST YEAR (2004) >>
- 1 This year
  - 2 Last year, in 2004
  - 3 Before then
  - 9 Don't know/can't remember

*If answer is equal to code 2 then continue with question 141.*

*Else continue with question 142.*

- Q141. How often did it happen in 2004?
- 1 Once
  - 2 Twice
  - 3 Three times
  - 4 Four times
  - 5 Five times or more
  - 9 Don't know

- Q142. (The last time) did this theft happen at your own home/residence, near your own home/residence, elsewhere in your city or local area, at work, elsewhere in [COUNTRY], or did it happen abroad?

<<INT. IF VICTIM MORE THAN ONCE OVER THE PAST FIVE YEARS, ASK ABOUT THE LAST TIME THIS HAPPENED >>

<<INT. INCLUDE INCIDENTS THAT TOOK PLACE IN GARAGES, DRIVES ETC AS CODE 1 >>

- 1 At your own home/residence
- 2 Near your own home/residence
- 3 Elsewhere in city or local area
- 4 At work

- 5 Elsewhere in [COUNTRY]
- 6 Abroad
- 9 Don't know

Q143. (The last time this happened) did you or anyone else report it to the police?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know

Q144. Taking every thing into account, how serious was the incident for you and your household. Was it very serious, fairly serious, or not very serious?

- 1 Very serious
- 2 Fairly serious
- 3 Not very serious
- 9 Don't know

#### **BICYCLE THEFT – DETAILS**

*If question 55 not equal to code 1 than continue with question 160.*

Q150. The bicycle theft you mentioned, when did this happen? Was it....

<<INT. READ OUT >><<INT. IF RESPONDENT HAS BEEN A VICTIM MORE THAN ONCE, AND AT LEAST ONE TIME IN 2004, TYPE 2) LAST YEAR (2004)

- 1 This year
- 2 Last year, in 2004
- 3 Before then
- 9 Don't know/can't remember

*If answer is equal to code 2 then continue with question 151.*

*Eelse continue with question 152.*

Q151. How often did it happen in 2004?

- 1 Once
- 2 Twice
- 3 Three times
- 4 Four times
- 5 Five times or more
- 9 Don't know



Q152. (The last time) did this theft happen at your own home/residence, near your own home/residence, elsewhere in your city or local area, at work, elsewhere in [COUNTRY], or did it happen abroad?

<<INT. IF VICTIM MORE THAN ONCE OVER THE PAST FIVE YEARS, ASK ABOUT THE LAST TIME THIS HAPPENED >>

<<INT. INCLUDE INCIDENTS THAT TOOK PLACE IN GARAGES, DRIVES ETC AS CODE 1 >>

- 1 At your own home/residence
- 2 Near your own home/residence
- 3 Elsewhere in city or local area
- 4 At work
- 5 Elsewhere in [COUNTRY]
- 6 Abroad
- 9 Don't know

Q153. (The last time this happened) did you or anyone else report it to the police?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know

Q154. Taking every thing into account, how serious was the incident for you and your household. Was it very serious, fairly serious, or not very serious?

- 1 Very serious
- 2 Fairly serious
- 3 Not very serious
- 9 Don't know

#### **BURGLARY/HOUSEBREAKING – DETAILS**

*If question 60 is not equal to code 1 then continue with question 180. Else continue with question 160.*

Q160. You said that someone got into your home/residence without permission and stole or tried to steal something in the last five years. When did this happen? Was it..... << INT. READ OUT >>

<<INT. IF RESPONDENT HAS BEEN VICTIM MORE THAN ONCE, AND AT LEAST ONE TIME IN 2004; TYPE IN 2) LAST YEAR (2004)>>

- 1 This year
- 2 Last year, in 2004

- 3 Before then
- 9 Don't know/can't remember

*If answer is equal to code 2 then continue with question 161.*

*Else continue with question 162.*

Q161. How often did it happen in 2004?

- 1 Once
- 2 Twice
- 3 Three times
- 4 Four times
- 5 Five times or more
- 9 Don't know

Q162. (The last time this happened) was anything actually stolen?

<<INT. IF VICTIM MORE THAN ONCE OVER THE PAST FIVE YEARS, ASK ABOUT THE LAST TIME THIS HAPPENED >>

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know

*If answer is equal to code 2 then continue with question 164*

*Else continue with question 163.*

Q163. What do you estimate roughly was the value of the property stolen?

<< INT. WRITE IN COST, EVEN IF ONLY A ROUGH ESTIMATE >> Validation check for abnormal amounts << INT. IF RESPONDENT UNCLEAR, ASK FOR REPLACEMENT VALUE OR REPAIR COSTS>>

Q164. Was there any damage done?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know

*If answer is equal to code 2 then continue with question 166.*

*Else continue with question 165.*

Q165. What do you estimate roughly was the value of the property damaged?

<< INT. WRITE IN COST, EVEN IF ONLY A ROUGH ESTIMATE  
>> Validation check for abnormal amounts<< INT. IF RESPOND-  
ENT UNCLEAR, ASK FOR REPLACEMENT VALUE OR REPAIR  
COSTS>>

Q166. Did you or anyone else report the last burglary/housebreaking to the police?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know

*If answer is equal to code 2 then continue with question 170.*

*Else continue with question 168.*

Q168. On the whole, were you satisfied with the way the police dealt with the matter?

- 1 Yes, satisfied
- 2 No, dissatisfied
- 9 Don't know

*If answer is equal to code 1 or to code 9, then continue with question 172.*

Q169. For what reasons were you dissatisfied? You can give more than one reason.

<<INT. MULTIPLE ANSWERS ALLOWED >>

- 1 Didn't do enough
- 2 Were not interested
- 3 Didn't find or apprehend the offender
- 4 Didn't recover my property (goods)
- 5 Didn't keep me properly informed
- 6 Didn't treat me correctly/were impolite
- 7 Were slow to arrive
- 8 Other reasons
- 9 Don't know

Q170. Why didn't you report it?

<< INT. IF NO CLEAR ANSWER: >> Can you tell me a little more?  
< INT. MULTIPLE ANSWERS ALLOWED >

- 1 Not serious enough/no loss/kid's stuff
- 2 Solved it myself/perpetrator known to me
- 3 Inappropriate for police/police not necessary
- 4 Reported to other authorities instead
- 5 My family resolved it
- 6 No insurance
- 7 Police could do nothing/lack of proof
- 8 Police won't do anything about it
- 9 Fear/dislike of the police/no involvement wanted with police
- 10 Didn't dare (for fear of reprisal)
- 11 Other reasons
- 12 Don't know

Q172. Taking every thing into account, how serious was the incident for you and your household. Was it very serious, fairly serious, or not very serious?

- 1 Very serious
- 2 Fairly serious
- 3 Not very serious
- 9 Don't know

*If code 1 at question 166 continue with question 173. Else continue with question 180.*

Q173. In some countries, agencies have been set up to help victims of crime by giving information, or practical or emotional support. Did you or anyone else in your household have any contact with such a specialised agency after this incident?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know

*If answer is equal to code 2, continue with question 174.*

*Else continue with question 180.*

Q174. Do you feel the services of a SPECIALISED agency to help victims of crime would have been useful for you or anyone else in your household after this incident?

- 1 No, not useful
- 2 Yes useful
- 9 Don't know

**ATTEMPTED BURGLARY/HOUSEBREAKING – DETAILS**

*If question 65 is not equal to code 1 then continue with question 190. Else continue with question 180.*

- Q180. You mentioned an incident when someone tried to get into your home/residence but didn't succeed. When did this happen? Was it... ><INT. READ OUT>> <<INT. IF RESPONDENT HAS BEEN VICTIM MORE THAN ONCE, AND AT LEAST ONE TIME IN 2004: TYPE IN 2) LAST YEAR (2004)>>
- 1 This year
  - 2 Last year, in 2004
  - 3 Before then
  - 9 Don't know/can't remember

*If answer is equal to code 2 then continue with question 181.*

*Else continue with question 182*

- Q181. How often did it happen in 2004?
- 1 Once
  - 2 Twice
  - 3 Three times
  - 4 Four times
  - 5 Five times or more
  - 9 Don't know

- Q182. (The last time this happened) did you or anyone else report the attempted burglary/housebreaking to the police? <<INT. IF VICTIM MORE THAN ONCE OVER THE PAST FIVE YEARS, ASK ABOUT THE LAST TIME THIS HAPPENED >>
- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 9 Don't know

- Q183. Taking everything into account, how serious was the incident for you or your household. Was it very serious, fairly serious, or not very serious?
- 1 Very serious
  - 2 Fairly serious
  - 3 Not very serious
  - 9 Don't know

## ROBBERY – DETAILS

*If question 70 is not equal to code 1 then continue with question 210. Else continue with question 190.*

- Q190. You mentioned an incident when someone stole something from you or tried to steal something from you using force or threatening to use force. When did this happen? Was it...

<<INT. READ OUT >><<INT. IF RESPONDENT HAS BEEN VICTIM MORE THAN ONCE, AND AT LEAST ONE TIME IN 2004: TYPE IN 2) LAST YEAR (2004)>>

- 1 This year
- 2 Last year, in 2004
- 3 Before then
- 9 Don't know/can't remember

*If answer is equal to code 2 then continue with question 191.*

*Else continue with question 192.*

- Q191. How often did it happen in 2004?

- 1 Once
- 2 Twice
- 3 Three times
- 4 Four times
- 5 Five times or more
- 9 Don't know

- Q192. (The last time) did this theft with force happen at your own home/residence, near your own home/residence, elsewhere in your city or local area, at work, elsewhere in [COUNTRY], or did it happen abroad? <<INT. IF VICTIM MORE THAN ONCE OVER THE PAST FIVE YEARS, ASK ABOUT THE LAST TIME THIS HAPPENED >> <<INT. INCLUDE INCIDENTS THAT TOOK PLACE IN GARAGES, DRIVES ETC AS CODE 1 >>

- 1 At your own home/residence
- 2 Near your own home/residence
- 3 Elsewhere in city or local area
- 4 At work
- 5 Elsewhere in [COUNTRY]
- 6 Abroad
- 9 Don't know

- Q193. How many people were involved in committing the offence?
- 1 One
  - 2 Two
  - 3 Three or more
  - 9 Don't know
- Q194. (About the last incident) did you know the offender(s) by name or by sight at the time of the offence?<INT: IF MORE THAN ONE OFFENDER, COUNT AS KNOWN IF AT LEAST ONE KNOWN >
- 1 Did not know offender(s)
  - 2 (At least one) known by sight
  - 3 (At least one) known by name
  - 4 Did not see offender
- Q195. Did (any of) the offender(s) have a knife, a gun, another weapon or something used as a weapon?
- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 9 Don't know

*If answer is equal to code 1 then continue with question 196.*

*Else continue with question 198.*

- Q196. What was it?
- 1 Knife
  - 2 Gun
  - 3 Other weapon/stick
  - 4 Something used as a weapon
  - 9 Don't know

*If answer is equal to code 2, then continue with question 196a.*

*Else continue with question 197.*

- Q196a. Was it a handgun or a long gun?

<<INT. LONG GUNS INCLUDE SHOTGUNS, RIFLES OR MACHINEGUNS>>

- 1 Handgun
- 2 Long gun (rifle, machinegun)
- 3 Don't know

Q197. Was the weapon actually used? <<INT. COUNT WEAPON AS USED: KNIFE/OTHER WEAPON/STICK: THREATENED WITH IT, OR VICTIM IN PHYSICAL CONTACT WITH THE WEAPON -GUN: THREATENED WITH IT OR BULLET FIRED >>

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know

Q198. Did the offender actually steal something from you?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know

Q199. (The last time this happened) did you or anyone else report the robbery to the police?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know

Q201. On the whole, were you satisfied with the way the police dealt with the matter?

- 1 Yes, satisfied
- 2 No, dissatisfied
- 9 Don't know

*If answer is equal to code 1 or to code 9, then continue with question 205.*

*If answer is equal to code 2, then continue with question 202.*

Q202. For what reasons were you dissatisfied? You can give more than one reason.

<<INT. MULTIPLE ANSWERS ALLOWED >>

- 1 Didn't do enough
- 2 Were not interested
- 3 Didn't find or apprehend the offender
- 4 Didn't recover my property (goods)
- 5 Didn't keep me properly informed
- 6 Didn't treat me correctly/were impolite
- 7 Were slow to arrive
- 8 Other reasons
- 9 Don't know



- Q205. Taking every thing into account, how serious was the incident for you. Was it very serious, fairly serious, or not very serious?
- 1 Very serious
  - 2 Fairly serious
  - 3 Not very serious
  - 9 Don't know

*If code 1 at question 199 continue with question 206.*

*Else continue with question 210.*

- Q206. In some countries, agencies have been set up to help victims of crime by giving information, or practical or emotional support. Did you or anyone else in your household have any contact with such a specialised agency after this incident?
- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 9 Don't know

*If answer is equal to code 2, continue with question 207.*

*Else continue with question 210.*

- Q207. Do you feel the services of a SPECIALISED agency to help victims of crime would have been useful for you after this incident?
- 1 No, not useful
  - 2 Yes, useful
  - 9 Don't know

#### **THEFT OF PERSONAL PROPERTY – DETAILS**

*If question 75 is not equal to code 1 continue with question 220.*

*Else continue to question 210.*

- Q210. The theft of personal property that you mentioned, when did this happen, was it...

<<INT. IF RESPONDENT HAS BEEN A VICTIM MORE THAN ONCE, ASK IF THIS HAPPENED AT LEAST ONE TIME IN 2004: TYPE ON 2) LAST YEAR (2004)>>

- 1 This year
- 2 Last year, in 2004
- 3 Before then
- 9 Don't know/can't remember

*If answer is equal to code 2 then continue with question 211.*

*Else continue with question 212.*

- Q211. How often did it happen in 2004?
- 1 Once
  - 2 Twice
  - 3 Three times
  - 4 Four times
  - 5 Five times or more
  - 9 Don't know
- Q212. (The last time) did this theft happen at your own home/residence, near your own home/residence, elsewhere in your city or local area, at work, elsewhere in [COUNTRY], or did it happen abroad?
- <<INT. IF VICTIM MORE THAN ONCE OVER THE PAST FIVE YEARS, ASK ABOUT THE LAST TIME THIS HAPPENED >><<INT. INCLUDE INCIDENTS THAT TOOK PLACE IN GARAGES, DRIVES ETC AS CODE 1 >>
- 1 At your own home/residence
  - 2 Near your own home/residence
  - 3 Elsewhere in city or local area
  - 4 At work
  - 5 Elsewhere in [COUNTRY]
  - 6 Abroad
  - 9 Don't know
- Q213. (The last time this happened) were you holding or carrying what was stolen (e.g., was it a case of pickpocketing?)
- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 9 Don't know
- Q214. (The last time) did you or anyone else report that incident to the police?
- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 9 Don't know
- Q215. Taking everything into account, how serious was the incident for you. Was it very serious, fairly serious, or not very serious?
- 1 Very serious
  - 2 Fairly serious

- 3 Not very serious
- 9 Don't know

### SEXUAL INCIDENTS – DETAILS

*If question 80 is not equal to code 1 then continue with question 250.*

- Q220. You mentioned that you had been a victim of a sexual offence. Could I ask you about this? When did this happen? Was it...  
 <<IN. READ OUT >><<INT. IF RESPONDENT HAS BEEN VICTIM MORE THAN ONCE, AND AT LEAST ONE TIME IN 2004: TYPE IN 2) LAST YEAR (2004)>>
- 1 This year
  - 2 Last year, in 2004
  - 3 Before then
  - 9 Don't know/can't remember

*If answer is equal to code 2 then continue with question 221.*

*Else continue with question 222.*

- Q221. How often did it happen in 2004?
- 1 Once
  - 2 Twice
  - 3 Three times
  - 4 Four times
  - 5 Five times or more
  - 9 Don't know
- Q222. (The last time) did this incident happen at your own home/residence, near your own home/residence, elsewhere in your city or local area, at work, elsewhere in [COUNTRY], or did it happen abroad? <<INT: IF VICTIM MORE THAN ONCE OVER THE PAST FIVE YEARS, ASK ABOUT THE LAST TIME THIS HAPPENED >>
- 1 At your own home/residence
  - 2 Near your own home/residence
  - 3 Elsewhere in city or local area
  - 4 At work
  - 5 Elsewhere in [COUNTRY]
  - 6 Abroad
  - 9 Don't know

- Q223. How many people were involved in committing the offence?
- 1 One
  - 2 Two
  - 3 Three
  - 9 Don't know

- Q224. (About the last incident) did you know the offender(s) by name or by sight at the time of the offence? <<INT. IF MORE THAN ONE OFFENDER, COUNT AS KNOWN IF AT LEAST ONE KNOWN >><<IF KNOWN BY SIGHT AND KNOWN BY NAME: RECORD KNOWN BY NAME>>
- 1 Did not know offender
  - 2 (At least one) known by sight
  - 3 (At least one) known by name
  - 4 Did not see offender
  - 9 Don't know

*If answer is equal to code 3 then continue with question 225.*

*Else continue with question 226.*

- Q225. Were any of them your spouse, ex-spouse, partner, ex-partner, boyfriend, ex-boyfriend, a relative or a close friend, or was it someone you work with? <<INT. MEANS RELATIONSHIP AT TIME OF THE OFFENCES>> <<IF UNCLEAR, PROBE WHETHER EX-SPOUSE, EX-PARTNER, EX-BOYFRIEND AT TIME OF THE OFFENCE >> << MULTIPLE ANSWERS ALLOWED >>
- 1 Spouse, partner, (at the time)
  - 2 Ex-spouse, ex-partner, (at the time)
  - 3 Boyfriend/girlfriend (at the time)
  - 4 Ex-boyfriend/ex-girlfriend (at the time)
  - 5 Relative
  - 6 Close friend
  - 7 Someone she/he works/worked with
  - 8 None of these
  - 9 Refuses to say
  - 99 Don't know

- Q226. Did (any of) the offender(s) have a knife, a gun, another weapon or something used as a weapon?
- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 9 Don't know

*If answer is equal to code 1 then continue with question 227.*

*Else continue with question 229.*

- Q227. What was it?
- 1 Knife
  - 2 Gun
  - 3 Other weapon/stick
  - 4 Something used as a weapon
  - 9 Don't know
- Q228. Was the weapon actually used? <INT. COUNT WEAPON AS USED: – KNIFE/OTHER WEAPON/STICK: THREATENED WITH IT, OR VICTIM IN PHYSICAL CONTACT WITH THE WEAPON – GUN: THREATENED WITH IT OR BULLET FIRED>
- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 9 Don't know
- Q229. Would you describe the incident as a rape (forced intercourse), an attempted rape, an indecent assault or as just behaviour which you found offensive?
- 1 A rape
  - 2 An attempted rape
  - 3 Indecent assault
  - 4 Offensive behaviour
  - 9 Don't know
- Q230. Taking everything into account, how serious was the incident for you? Was it very serious, fairly serious, or not very serious? << INT. IN CASE OF A VERY SERIOUS INCIDENT (EG, A RAPE), START WITH: >> The following question is asked for every sexual incident that people mention...
- 1 Very serious
  - 2 Fairly serious
  - 3 Not very serious
  - 9 Don't know
- Q231. Do you regard the incident as a crime?
- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 9 Don't know
- Q232. Did you or anyone else report that incident to the police?
- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 9 Don't know

*If answer is equal to code 1 then continue with question 234.*

*Else continue with question 250.*

- Q234. On the whole, were you satisfied with the way the police dealt with the matter?
- 1 Yes (satisfied)
  - 2 No (dissatisfied)
  - 9 Don't know

*If answer is equal to code 2, continue with Q235.*

*Else continue with question 239.*

- Q235. For what reasons were you dissatisfied? You can give more than one reason.

<< INT. MULTIPLE ANSWERS ALLOWED >>

- 1 Didn't do enough
- 2 Were not interested
- 3 Didn't find or apprehend the offender
- 4 Didn't keep me properly informed
- 5 Didn't treat me correctly/were impolite
- 6 Were slow to arrive
- 7 Other reasons
- 9 Don't know

- Q238. In some countries, agencies have been set up to help victims of crime by giving information, or practical or emotional support. Did you or anyone else in your household have any contact with such a specialised agency after this incident?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know

*If answer is equal to code 2, continue with question 239.*

*Else continue with question 250.*

- Q239. Do you feel the services of a SPECIALISED agency to help victims of crime would have been useful for you after this incident?

- 1 No, not useful
- 2 Yes useful
- 9 Don't know

### ASSAULTS AND THREATS – DETAILS

*If (question 85 is not equal to code 1 AND question 85a is not equal to code 1) then continue with question 280.*

Q250. The attack or threat that you mentioned, when did this happen?  
Was it...

<<INT. READ OUT >><<INT. IF RESPONDENT HAS BEEN VICTIM MORE THAN ONCE, AND AT LEAST ONE TIME IN 2004: TYPE IN 2) LAST YEAR (2004)>>

- 1 This year
- 2 Last year, in 2004
- 3 Before then
- 9 Don't know/can't remember

*If answer is equal to code 2 then continue with question 251.*

*Else continue with question 252.*

Q251. How often did it happen in 2004?

- 1 Once
- 2 Twice
- 3 Three times
- 4 Four times
- 5 Five times or more
- 9 Don't know

Q252. (The last time) did this incident happen at your own home/residence, near your own home/residence, elsewhere in your city or local area, at work, elsewhere in [COUNTRY], or did it happen abroad? <INT. IF VICTIM MORE THAN ONCE OVER THE PAST FIVE YEARS, ASK ABOUT THE LAST TIME THIS HAPPENED >

- 1 At your own home/residence
- 2 Near your own home/residence
- 3 Else in city or local area
- 4 At work
- 5 Elsewhere in [COUNTRY]
- 6 Abroad
- 9 Don't know

Q253. How many people were involved in committing the offence?

- 1 One
- 2 Two
- 3 Three or more people
- 9 Don't know

- Q254. (About the last incident) did you know the offender(s) by name or by sight at the time of the offence? <<INT. IF MORE THAN ONE OFFENDER, COUNT IF KNOWN IF AT LEAST ONE KNOWN >>

<<IF KNOWN BY SIGHT AND KNOWN BY NAME: RECORD KNOWN BY NAME>>

- 1 Did not know offender
- 2 (At least one) known by sight
- 3 (At least one) known by name
- 4 Did not see offender
- 9 Don't know

*If answer is equal to code 3 then continue with question 255.*

*Else continue with question 256.*

- Q255. Were any of them your spouse, ex-spouse, partner, ex-partner, boyfriend, ex-boyfriend, a relative or a close friend, or someone you work with? <<INT. MEANS RELATIONSHIP AT TIME OF THE OFFENCES>><<IF UNCLEAR, PROBE WHETHER EX-SPOUSE, EX-PARTNER, EX-BOYFRIEND AT TIME OF THE OFFENCE >><< INT. MULTIPLE ANSWERS ALLOWED >>

- 1 Spouse, partner, (at the time)
- 2 Ex-spouse, ex-partner, (at the time)
- 3 Boyfriend/girlfriend (at the time)
- 4 Ex-boyfriend/ex-girlfriend (at the time)
- 5 Relative
- 6 Close friend
- 7 Someone she/he works/worked with
- 8 None of these
- 9 Refuses to say
- 99 Don't know

- Q256. Can you tell me what happened, were you just threatened, or was force actually used?

- 1 Just threatened
- 2 Force used
- 9 Don't know

*If answer is equal to code 1 or code 2 then continue with question 257.*

*Else continue with question 262.*



Q257. Did (any of) the offender(s) have a knife, a gun, another weapon or something used as a weapon?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know

*If answer is equal to code 1 then continue with question 258.*

*Else continue with question 260.*

Q258. What was it?

- 1 Knife
- 2 Gun
- 3 Other weapon/stick
- 4 Something used as a weapon
- 9 Don't know

Q259. Was the weapon actually used? <<INT. COUNT WEAPON AS USED: -KNIFE/OTHER WEAPON/STICK: THREATENED WITH IT, OR VICTIM IN PHYSICAL CONTACT WITH THE WEAPON -GUN: THREATENED WITH IT OR BULLET FIRED >>

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know

Q260. Did you suffer an injury as a result?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know

*If answer is equal to code 2 then continue with question 262.*

*Else continue with question 261.*

Q261. Did you see a doctor or any other medical person as a result?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know

Q262. Did you or anyone else report that last incident to the police?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know

*If answer is equal to code 1 then continue with question 264.*

*Else continue with question 268.*

- Q264. On the whole, were you satisfied with the way the police dealt with the matter?
- 1 Yes (satisfied)
  - 2 No (dissatisfied)
  - 9 Don't know

*If answer is equal to code 1 or to code 9, then continue with question 268.*

*If answer equal to code 2 continue with question 265.*

- Q265. For what reasons were you dissatisfied? You can give more than one reason.

<<INT. MULTIPLE ANSWERS ALLOWED >>

- 1 Didn't do enough
- 2 Were not interested
- 3 Didn't find or apprehend the offender
- 4 Didn't recover my property (goods)
- 5 Didn't keep me properly informed
- 6 Didn't treat me correctly/were impolite
- 7 Were slow to arrive
- 8 Other reasons
- 9 Don't know

- Q268. Taking every thing into account, how serious was the incident for you. Was it very serious, fairly serious, or not very serious?
- 1 Very serious
  - 2 Fairly serious
  - 3 Not very serious
  - 9 Don't know

- Q269. Do you regard the incident as a crime?
- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 9 Don't know

*If answer is equal to code 1 at question 262 continue with question 270.*

*Else continue with question 280.*

Q270. In some countries, agencies have been set up to help victims of crime by giving information, or practical or emotional support. Did you or anyone else in your household have any contact with such a specialised agency after this incident?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know

*If answer is equal to code 2, continue with question 271.*

*Else continue with question 280.*

Q271. Do you feel the services of a SPECIALISED agency to help victims of crime would have been useful for you after this incident?

- 1 No, not useful
- 2 Yes useful
- 9 Don't know

#### CONSUMER FRAUD

Q280. Now changing the subject a little, Last year, in 2004 were you the victim of a consumer fraud. In other words, has someone – when selling something to you, or delivering a service – cheated you in terms of quantity or quality of the goods or services?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know

*If answer is equal to code 1 then continue with question 281.*

*Else continue with question 290.*

Q281. (The last time this happened) how did this fraud take place? Was it to do with...

<INT. IF MORE THAN ONCE IN 2004, ASK ABOUT LAST TIME IN THE YEAR><INT. READ OUT >

- 1 Construction, building or repair work
- 2 Work done by a garage
- 3 A hotel, restaurant or pub
- 4 A shop of some sort
- 5 With shopping on the Internet (EU ICS)
- 5 Or something else 6)
- 9 Don't know

- Q281a. (EU ICS) Was it a credit card fraud?  
1 Yes  
2 No  
9 Don't know
- Q282. (The last time this happened) did you or anyone else report this consumer fraud to the police?  
1 Yes, to the police  
2 No  
9 Don't know

### **CORRUPTION**

- Q290. In some countries, there is a problem of corruption among government or public officials. During 2004, has any government official, for instance a customs officer, a police officer or inspector in your country asked you, or expected you to pay a bribe for his or her services?  
1 Yes  
2 No  
9 Don't know

*If answer is equal to code 1, continue with question 291.*

*Else continue with question 304.*

- Q291. (The last time this happened) what type of official was involved. Was it a government official, a customs officer, a police officer, or some sort of inspector?

<< INT. IF MORE THAN ONCE IN 2004, ASK ABOUT THE LAST TIME >>

- 1 Government official  
2 Customs officers  
3 Police officer  
4 Inspector  
5 Other  
8 Refuses to say  
9 Don't know

- Q291. (EU ICS) (The last time this happened) what type of official was involved. Was it a customs officer, a police officer, a judge, a magistrate, a prosecutor, A court official or some sort of inspector (health, construction, food quality, sanitary control and licensing)? << INT. IF MORE THAN ONCE IN [:YEAR PRIOR TO CURRENT YEAR:], ASK ABOUT THE LAST TIME >>

- 1 Customs officers
- 2 Police officer
- 3 Judge, magistrate
- 4 Prosecutor
- 5 Court personnel
- 6 Inspector (health, construction, food quality, sanitary control and licensing)
- 7 Other
- 8 Refuses to say (spontaneous)
- 9 Don't know

Q292. (The last time) did you or anyone else report this problem of corruption to the police?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know

#### DRUGS

EU 01. Over the last 12 months, how often were you personally in contact with drug related problems in the area where you live? For example seeing people dealing in drugs, taking or using drugs in public spaces, or finding syringes left by drug addicts? Was this often, from time to time, rarely or never?

- 1 Often
- 2 From time to time
- 3 Rarely
- 4 Never
- 5 Don't know

#### HATE CRIME

EU 02. In the past 5 years, did you, or any member of your immediate family fell victim of a crime because, or partly because of your nationality, race or colour, religious belief, or sexual orientation?

- 1 yes
- 2 no
- 9 Don't know (spontaneous)

*If answer is equal to code 1, continue with question 901.*

*Else continue with question 300.*

EU 03. How often did it happen in 2004?

- 1 once
- 2 twice
- 3 three times
- 4 four times
- 5 five times or more
- 9 Don't know

#### ATTITUDES TO CRIME

Q300. Now I would like to ask some questions about your area and about your opinion of crime in your area.

How safe do you feel walking alone in your area after dark? Do you feel very safe, fairly safe, a bit unsafe, or very unsafe?

<< INT. IF RESPONDENT SAYS 'NEVER GOES OUT', STRESS: >>

How would you feel...

- 1 Very safe
- 2 Fairly safe
- 3 Bit unsafe
- 4 Very unsafe
- 5 (DO NOT READ OUT) cannot walk
- 9 Don't know

Q302. What would you say are the chances that over the next twelve months someone will try to break into your home? Do you think this is very likely, likely or not likely?

- 1 Very likely
- 2 Likely
- 3 Not likely
- 9 Don't know

#### POLICING QUESTIONS

Q310. Taking everything into account, how good do you think the police in your area are at controlling crime? Do you think they do a very good job, a fairly good job, a fairly poor job or a very poor job?

- 1 A very good job
- 2 A fairly good job
- 3 A fairly poor job
- 4 A very poor job
- 9 Don't know

Q312. About how many people live in your village, town or city?  
<INT. SEE PAPER LIST FOR GUIDANCE >

- 1 Less than 10,000 inhabitants
- 2 10,001 – 50,000
- 3 50,001 – 100,000
- 4 100,001 – 500,000
- 5 500,001 – 1,000,000
- 6 1,000,001 or more inhabitants
- 9 Don't know

### SENTENCING

Q320. People have different ideas about the sentences, which should be given to offenders. Take for instance the case of a man of 21 years old who is found guilty of burglary/housebreaking for the second time. This time he has taken a colour TV. Which of the following sentences do you consider the most appropriate for such a case? << INT. READ OUT, REPEAT IF NECESSARY >>

- 1 Fine
- 2 Prison
- 3 Community service
- 4 Suspended sentence
- 5 Any other sentence
- 9 <<Don't know >>

*If answer is equal to code 2 then continue with question 321.*

*Else continue with question 330.*

Q321. For how long do you think he should go to prison?

<<INT. "6-12 MONTHS" MEANS: MORE THAN 6 BUT LESS THAN 12 MONTHS >>

- 1 1 month or less
- 2 2 – 6 months
- 3 6 months – 12 months
- 4 1 year
- 5 2 years
- 6 3 years
- 7 4 years
- 8 5 years
- 9 6 – 10 years
- 10 11 – 15 years
- 11 16 – 20 years
- 12 21 – 25 years

- 13 More than 25 years
- 14 Life sentence
- 99 Don't know

**PERSONAL AND HOUSEHOLD INFORMATION**

Q330. To analyse the results of this survey, we want to look at different types of household. To help us can you give me a little information about yourself and your household?

First, could you tell me the year in which you were born?

<<INT. RECORD YEAR 19.. >>

Q331. Is the place you are living in now a flat/apartment/maisonette, a terraced home or a detached or semi-detached house?

- 1 Flat/apartment/maisonette
- 2 A terraced house/row house
- 3 Detached/semi-detached house
- 4 Institution (hospital, house for the elderly)
- 5 Other
- 9 Don't know

*If answer is equal to code 4 then continue with 341.*

*Else continue with 332.*

Q332. In order to help us understand why some homes are more at risk of crime than others, could I ask you a few questions about the security of your home/residence? Is your own home/residence protected by the following:...<INT. ASSURE RESPONDENT. THAT THESE DATA WILL BE TREATED CONFIDENTIALLY AND ANONYMOUSLY >< INT. READ OUT ><INT. MULTIPLE RESPONSES ALLOWED >

- 1 A burglar alarm
- 2 Special door locks
- 3 Special window/door grilles
- 4 A dog that would detect a burglar
- 5 A high fence
- 6 A caretaker or security guard
- 7 A formal neighbourhood watch scheme
- 8 Friendly arrangements with neighbours to watch each other houses
- 9 Not protected by any of these
- 88 << respondent refuses to answer >>
- 99 Don't know



*Continue with question 341.*

- Q341. Do you or anyone else in your household own a handgun, shotgun, rifle, or air rifle?
- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 3 Refuses to say
  - 9 Don't know

*If answer is equal to code 1, then continue with question 342.*

*Else continue with question 344.*

- Q342. Could you tell me which sort of gun or guns you own?

<<INT. CODE ALL GUNS IF MORE THAN ONE MENTIONED >>

<<INT. MUTLIPLRE RESPONSES ALLOWED >>

- 1 Handgun
- 2 Shotgun
- 3 Rifle
- 4 Air rifle
- 5 Other gun
- 6 Refuses to say
- 9 Don't know

- Q343. For what reason do you own the gun (guns)? << INT. MULTIPLE RESPONSE ALLOWED >>

- 1 For hunting
- 2 Target shooting (sports)
- 3 As part of a collection (collector's item)
- 4 For crime prevention/protection
- 5 In armed forces or the police
- 6 Because it has always been in our family/home
- 7 Other answers <<SPECIFY>>
- 8 Refuses to answer
- 9 Don't know

- Q344. How often do you personally go out in the evening for recreational purposes, for instance to go to a pub, restaurant, cinema or to see friends? Is this almost every day, at least once a week, at least one a month or less?

- 1 Almost every day
- 2 At least once a week
- 3 At least once a month
- 4 Less often

- 5 Never
- 9 Don't know

Q350. How would you describe your occupational position. Are you working, keeping house, going to school or college? Or are you retired or disabled, or unemployed but looking for work?

- 1 Working
- 2 Looking for work (unemployed)
- 3 Keeping home (homemaker)
- 4 Retired, disabled
- 5 Going to school/college (student)
- 6 Other
- 9 Don't know

*If answer is equal to code 5 then continue with question 352.*

*Else continue with question 351.*

Q351. How many years of formal school and any higher education did you have?

<<INT. RECORD NUMBER OF YEARS >>

<<INT. COUNT PRIMARY SCHOOL, SECONDARY SCHOOL, COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY COURSES >>

Q352. Could you please tell me whether your household's combined monthly income after deductions for tax etc, is below or above [median income – xxx]?

<INT. TAKE INTO ACCOUNT THE NET INCOME. IE, THE AMOUNT PEOPLE GET IN THEIR PAY CHEQUE >

- 1 Below xxx
- 2 Above xxx
- 9 Don't know/refuses to say

*If answer is equal to code 9 then continue with question 355.*

*If answer is equal to code 2 then continue with question 354.*

*Else continue with question 353.*

Q353. Is it higher or lower than [bottom 25% limit – yyy] a month?

- 1 Higher than yyy
- 2 Lower than yyy
- 9 Don't know

*Continue with question 355.*

Q354. Is it higher or lower than [upper 25% limit – zzz] a month?

- 1 Higher than zzz
- 2 Lower than zzz
- 9 Don't know

Q355. How do you feel about the level of your household income. Are you satisfied with it, fairly satisfied, dissatisfied, or very dissatisfied?

- 1 Satisfied
- 2 Fairly satisfied
- 3 Dissatisfied
- 4 Very dissatisfied
- 9 Don't know

Q356. What is your marital status?

- 1 Single (not married)
- 2 Married
- 3 Living together as a couple (but not married)
- 4 Divorced/separated
- 5 Widowed
- 8 Refuses to say
- 9 Don't know

EU 04. Do you consider yourself or anyone in your family an immigrant in <COUNTRY>.

<< INT. CODE FIRST THAT APPLY – READ OUT >>

- 1 You are an immigrant yourself
- 2 Your parent(s) was/were immigrants
- 3 Someone in the immediate family (spouse, adopted child) is an immigrant
- 4 There are no immigrants in the family
- 8 Refuses to say (spontaneous)
- 9 Don't know

EU 05. Do you consider yourself as belonging to any particular religion or denomination?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 8 Refusal
- 9 Don't know

EU 06. Which one? << INT. DO NOT READ OUT, CODE ONE FROM THE LIST >>

- 1 Christian – no denomination
- 2 Roman Catholic
- 3 Greek or Russian Orthodox
- 4 Other Eastern Orthodox
- 5 Protestant (no further detail)
- 6 Church of England / Anglican
- 7 Baptist
- 8 Methodist
- 9 Presbyterian / Church of Scotland
- 10 United Reformed Church / Congregationa
- 11 Free Presbyterian
- 12 Brethren
- 13 Other Protestant
- 14 Other Christian
- 15 Hindu
- 16 Sikh
- 17 Buddhist
- 18 Other Eastern Religions
- 19 Jewish
- 20 Sunni Muslim
- 21 Shiite Muslim
- 22 Other non-Christian
- 99 Don't know

**END**

Q400. Thank you very much indeed for your co-operation in this survey. We realise that we have been asking you some difficult questions. So if you like I can give you a (free) telephone number to ring to check that we are a reputable survey research company and that we have carried out the survey at the request of.... << INT. NOTE DOWN YOUR SEX >>

- 1 Male
- 2 Female