

Taiwan Social Change Survey

Survey 2009: Round 5, Year 5
Questionnaire II
Religion

Respondent's ID:

Interviewer's name: _____

Area of interview: _____

Institute of Sociology, Academia Sinica

Respondent's ID : _____

Interview started at: month____day____hour____minute____. Please enter using the 24-hour format.

A. Demographics

1. Gender: (1) Male (2) Female

2. When were you born? R.O.C. year_____month_____

3. Where were you born?

_____Province (Municipality)_____County (City)_____Township (Town, City, District)

Zip code

4. Where do you live at present?

_____Province (Municipality)_____County (City)_____Township (Town, City, District)

Zip code

4a. Would you describe the place where you live as...

(01) A big city

(02) The suburbs or outskirts of a big city

(03) A small city or town

(04) A country village

(05) A farm or home in the country

5. How long have you been living in this Township (Town, City, District)? _____years

6. What is your current marital status?

(01) Married (02) Cohabiting (03) Widowed (04) Divorced

(05) Separated (06) Single and never married (07) Other (Please specify) _____

7. What is your father's ethnic background?

(01) Fukienese of Taiwan

(02) Hakka of Taiwan

(03) Mainlander

(04) Aborigine

(05) Other (Please specify) _____

8. What is your mother's ethnic background?

(01) Fukienese of Taiwan

(02) Hakka of Taiwan

(03) Mainlander

(04) Aborigine

(05) Other (Please specify) _____

9. What is your education level?

- (01) None/illiterate (skip to 10)
- (02) Self-study (skip to 10)
- (03) Elementary school
- (04) Junior high school
- (05) Vocational junior high school
- (06) Senior high school (general subjects)
- (07) Senior high school (vocational subjects)
- (08) Vocational senior high school
- (09) Cadet school
- (10) Five-year junior college
- (11) Two-year junior college
- (12) Three-year junior college
- (13) Military/police one-year junior college
- (14) Military/police two-year junior college
- (15) Open junior college
- (16) Open university
- (17) Military/police college
- (18) Institute of technology
- (19) University
- (20) Graduate school (Master's degree)
- (21) Graduate school (doctoral degree)
- (22) Other (Please specify) _____

9a. How many years of formal education have you had (since elementary school)? _____years

10. Do you currently have a job?

- (01) I have a full-time job
- (02) I have a part-time job
- (03) I do irregular jobs (odd jobs)
- (04) I work for a family business
- (05) I am unemployed (skip to 12)
- (06) I am a student or trainee and do not work now (skip to 12)
- (07) I am retired (skip to 12)
- (08) I am a homemaker and do not work now (skip to 12)
- (09) I am aged, physically or mentally handicapped, or sick, and cannot work (skip to 12)
- (10) Other (Please specify) _____

11. And in your current job, what is your main occupation? Please describe fully.

Full name of the company _____ main product or service _____ Industry

Position _____ Detailed job description _____ Position

How many employees (including yourself) are in your workplace? _____ ISCO

《For those who are unmarried, separated, divorced, or widowed and don't have a partner at present, please skip to 14.》

12. Does your spouse (partner) currently have a job?

- (01) He/she has a full-time job
 (02) He/she has a part-time job
 (03) He/she does irregular jobs (odd jobs)
 (04) He/she works for a family business
 (05) He/she is unemployed (Skip to 14)
 (06) He/she is a student or trainee and does not work now (Skip to 14)
 (07) He/she is retired (Skip to 14)
 (08) He/she is a homemaker and does not work now (Skip to 14)
 (09) He/she is elderly, physically or mentally handicapped, or sick, and cannot work (Skip to 14)
 (10) Other (Please specify) _____

13. What is your spouse's (partner's) main occupation at present? Please describe fully.

Full name of the company _____ main product or service _____ Industry

position _____ Detailed job description _____ Position

How many employees (including your spouse/partner) is in the spouse's(partner's) workplace?

_____ ISCO

B. Religious Beliefs

14. Do you worship the gods or ancestors? (1) Yes (2) No

15. What is your religious belief? Please mark the option according to the respondent's answer

I : (010) I have no religious belief

II : Folk religion

- (021) Self-identified (022) One that worships the gods
 (023) Not clearly specified as such (024) Other folk religion (Please specify)_____

III : Buddhism (Please continue with asking about the Buddhist sect)

- (030) Buddha worship
 (031) Jingtuo Zong
 (032) Chan Zong
 (033) Mi Zong
 (034) Dual practicing of Chan and Pure Land
 (035) Dual practicing of exoteric and esoteric teachings in Buddhism
 (036) Other Buddhism (Please specify)_____
 (039) Don't know

IV : (040) Taoism

V : (050) Catholicism

VI : (060) Protestant Christianity, denomination _____

VII : Local religion

- (071) Cihui Tang
 (072) Yiguan Dao
 (073) Haitzedao
 (074) Tindijiao
 (075) Tingdetang
 (076) Xuanyuanjiao
 (077) Liism
 (078) Other local religion (Please specify)_____

VIII : Japanese religion

- (081) Nichiren (Lotus) Orthodox Sect
 (082) Soka Gakkai (Value-creating Society)
 (083) Tenrikyo (Religion of divine wisdom)
 (084) Sukyo Mahikari
 (085) Other Japanese religion (Please specify)_____

IX : Other foreign religion

- (091) Islam
 (092) Tatong Church
 (093) Scientology
 (094) Unification Church
 (095) Other foreign religion (Please specify)_____

X : Polytheism

- (101) Both Buddhism and Taoism
 (102) Three religions (Buddhism, Taoism, and Confucianism) amalgamated into one
 (103) Other (Please specify)_____

X I : (110) Other _____ (others that cannot be categorized or that are hard to describe)

X II : (120) Deceased and don't know parent's religious belief... (This option is only for Q20 & Q21.)

15a. When did you start with this religious belief? _____ (R.O.C. year)

(994) When you were a child or since birth (skip to 17)

15b. Where did you live at that time?

_____ Province (Municipality) _____ County (City) _____ Township (Town, City, District)

Zip code

16. In the past, what was your religious belief or did you have no religious belief? (choose one option only)

- (01) No belief
 (02) Folk religion
 (03) Buddhism
 (04) Taoism
 (05) Yiguan Dao
 (06) Xuanyuanjiao
 (07) Catholicism
 (08) Islam
 (09) Protestant: denomination _____
 (10) The same as now
 (11) Other (Please specify _____)

17. Concerning your religious belief now, did you become a member of this religious faith through a ritual?

- (1) Yes
 (2) No (skip to 20)
 (3) There is no such activity in this organization (skip to 20)

18. What ritual is that?

- (01) Conversion to Buddhism (continue 18a)
 (02) Passing on Triratna: the Buddha, the dharma, and the sangha
 (03) Mind-Seal of the Buddhas
 (04) Ritual to convert to a certain Buddhist sect
 (05) Baptism
 (06) Ceremony to initiate a teacher-student relationship with a master
 (07) Other (Please specify _____)

18a. What is the Buddhist name of the master who converted you? _____

19. When did you attend this ritual? R.O.C. year _____

20. What was your mother's religious preference when you were a child?

(For options, refer to 15. Please write in 120 if parent is deceased and don't know his/her religious belief.)

21. What was your father's religious preference when you were a child?

(For options, refer to 15. Please write in 120 if parent is deceased and don't know his/her religious belief.)

22. What religion, if any, were you raised? (For options, refer to 15.)

23. What is your husband's/wife's religious preference? (For options, refer to 15.)

(Please answer this question only for those who are married or cohabitating; others please skip to 24.)

24. When you were a child, how often did your mother attend religious services?

- | | |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> (01) Never | <input type="checkbox"/> (02) Less than once a year |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (03) About once or twice a year | <input type="checkbox"/> (04) Several times a year |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (05) About once a month | <input type="checkbox"/> (06) 2-3 times a month |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (07) Nearly every week | <input type="checkbox"/> (08) Every week |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (09) Several times a week | <input type="checkbox"/> (10) No mother/mother not present |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (97) Can't say/Can't remember | |

25. When you were a child, how often did your father attend religious services?

- | | |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> (01) Never | <input type="checkbox"/> (02) Less than once a year |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (03) About once or twice a year | <input type="checkbox"/> (04) Several times a year |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (05) About once a month | <input type="checkbox"/> (06) 2-3 times a month |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (07) Nearly every week | <input type="checkbox"/> (08) Every week |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (09) Several times a week | <input type="checkbox"/> (10) No father/father not present |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (97) Can't say/Can't remember | |

26. And what about when you were around 11 or 12, how often did you attend religious services then?

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|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> (01) Never | <input type="checkbox"/> (02) Less than once a year |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (03) About once or twice a year | <input type="checkbox"/> (04) Several times a year |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (05) About once a month | <input type="checkbox"/> (06) 2-3 times a month |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (07) Nearly every week | <input type="checkbox"/> (08) Every week |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (09) Several times a week | <input type="checkbox"/> (97) Can't say/Can't remember |

27. Do you take part in the following religious organizations?

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| (1) Foguangshan (Hsingyun) | <input type="checkbox"/> (01) Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> (02) No |
| (2) Taiwan Zen Buddhist association (Miaotien) | <input type="checkbox"/> (01) Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> (02) No |
| (3) Dharma Drum Mountain (Shengyan) | <input type="checkbox"/> (01) Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> (02) No |
| (4) Chungtai Mountain (Weijue) | <input type="checkbox"/> (01) Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> (02) No |
| (5) Tsu Chi Association (Chengyen) | <input type="checkbox"/> (01) Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> (02) No |
| (6) Falun Kung | <input type="checkbox"/> (01) Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> (02) No |

C. Religious Attitudes

28. Do you believe in the following statements?

	Yes, very much	Yes, somewhat	No, Not really	No, Not at all
(1) There is a supreme god in this universe.	01	02	03	04
(2) After a person passes away, his/her spirit and soul still exist.	01	02	03	04
(3) Spirits who are not offered any worship will wander around.	01	02	03	04
(4) A person can be possessed by demons.	01	02	03	04
(5) To meet someone or be with someone is something that has been predestined in the previous life or several lives before.	01	02	03	04
(6) Marrying the wrong person is a debt from a previous life.	01	02	03	04
(7) Working like a dog for the children is a debt from a previous life.	01	02	03	04
(8) Qigong can help to cure diseases.	01	02	03	04
(9) A person's qi can be strengthened through cultivation.	01	02	03	04
(10) If a person's qi is very strong, nothing can harm him or her.	01	02	03	04
(11) To be healthy physically and psychologically, we have to strike a balance between yin and yang, as well as maintain an adequate blending of the two.	01	02	03	04
(12) An individual is a small magnetic field, and the universe is a big magnetic field. A person is sick because there is no harmony between the two.	01	02	03	04
(13) Science can prove the existence of the spirit and the soul	01	02	03	04

29. Do you agree with the following statements?

	Yes, very much	Yes, somewhat	No, Not really	No, Not at all
(1) If you work hard, you do not necessarily have to rely on the gods.	01	02	03	04
(2) It is good to have children and grandchildren to worship you after your death.	01	02	03	04
(3) If you do something bad or good, it will affect the well-being of your descendents	01	02	03	04
(4) If you do something bad or good, it will affect your destiny in the latter part of your life.	01	02	03	04

30. Please indicate which statement below comes closest to expressing what you believe about God.

- (01) I don't believe in God.
- (02) I don't know whether there is a God, and I don't believe there is any way to find out.
- (03) I don't believe in a personal God, but I do believe in a Higher Power of some kind.
- (04) I find myself believing in God some of the time, but not at others.
- (05) While I have doubts, I feel that I do believe in God.
- (06) I know God really exists and I have no doubts about it.

31. Which best describes your beliefs about God?

- (01) I don't believe in God now, and I never have.
- (02) I don't believe in God now, but I used to.
- (03) I believe in God now, but I didn't used to.
- (04) I believe in God now, and I always have.
- (08) Can't choose

32. Do you believe in

	Yes, Definitely	Yes, Probably	No, Probably	No, Definitely	Can't Choose
a. Life after death	01	02	03	04	08
b. Heaven	01	02	03	04	08
c. Hell	01	02	03	04	08
d. Religious miracles	01	02	03	04	08

e. Reincarnation – being reborn in this world again and again	01	02	03	04	08
f. Nirvana	01	02	03	04	08
g. The supernatural powers of deceased ancestors	01	02	03	04	08

33. Do you agree or disagree with the following...

	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Can't choose
a. There is a God who concerns Himself with every human being personally	01	02	03	04	05	08
b. There is little that people can do to change the course of their lives	01	02	03	04	05	08
c. To me, life is meaningful only because God exists	01	02	03	04	05	08
d. In my opinion, life does not serve any purpose	01	02	03	04	05	08
e. Life is only meaningful if you provide the meaning yourself	01	02	03	04	05	08
f. I have my own way of connecting with God without churches or religious services.	01	02	03	04	05	08

D. Personal Religious Behavior

《If you have no religious belief, skip to 35》

34. Why do you believe in this current religion? (Choose all that apply)

(01) Self-cultivation

(02) To seek peace

(03) To understand the meaning of life

(04) To reduce worries

(05) To bring good luck and avoid evil

(06) To seek consolation

(07) To seek spiritual sustenance

(08) To follow the faith of my parents

(09) Other (please specify) _____

35. How often do you go to a temple, an altar, or a church?

- (01) Every day
- (02) Several times a week
- (03) Once a week
- (04) 2 or 3 times a month
- (05) Once a month
- (06) Several times a year
- (07) Once a year
- (08) Less frequently than once a year
- (09) Never

36. Did you take part in a pilgrimage to the temples last year (From August last year to July this year)?

- (1) Yes
- (2) No

37. About how often do you pray?

- (01) Never
- (02) Less than once a year
- (03) About once or twice a year
- (04) Several times a year
- (05) About once a month
- (06) 2-3 times a month
- (07) Nearly every week
- (08) Every week
- (09) Several times a week
- (10) Once a day
- (11) Several times a day

38. How often do you take part in the activities or organizations of a church or place of worship other than attending services?

- (01) Never
- (02) Less than once a year
- (03) About once or twice a year
- (04) Several times a year
- (05) About once a month
- (06) 2-3 times a month
- (07) Nearly every week
- (08) Every week
- (09) Several times a week

39. For religious reasons, do you have in your home a shrine, an altar, or a religious object on display, such as the Eight Trigrams, Taoist magic incantations, a picture or statue of a god, an evil-avoiding mirror, a leopard, toad, or sabre lion figure or picture, doorgods, a screen wall facing the gate of a house, icons, retabloses, mezuzahs, menorahs, or crucifixes?

(01) Yes (02) No

40. How often do you visit a holy place for religious reasons, such as going to a shrine/temple/church/mosque? Please do not count attending regular religious services at your usual place of worship, if you have one.

 (01) Never (02) Less than once a year (03) About once or twice a year (04) Several times a year (05) About once a month or more

41. Would you describe yourself as ...

 (01) Extremely religious (02) Very religious (03) Somewhat religious (04) Neither religious nor non-religious (05) Somewhat non-religious (06) Very non-religious (07) Extremely non-religious (08) Can't choose

42. What best describes you:

 (01) I follow a religion and consider myself to be a spiritual person interested in the sacred or the supernatural. (02) I follow a religion, but don't consider myself to be a spiritual person interested in the sacred or the supernatural. (03) I don't follow a religion, but consider myself to be a spiritual person interested in the sacred or the supernatural. (04) I don't follow a religion and don't consider myself to be a spiritual person interested in the sacred or the supernatural. (08) Can't choose

43. Which of the following statements comes closest to your own views?

 (01) There is very little truth in any religion. (02) There are basic truths in many religions. (03) There is truth only in one religion. (08) Can't choose

44. Do you agree or disagree that practicing a religion helps people to...

	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Can't choose
a. find inner peace and happiness	01	02	03	04	05	08
b. make friends	01	02	03	04	05	08
c. gain comfort in times of	01	02	03	04	05	08

trouble or sorrow						
d. Meet the right kind of people	01	02	03	04	05	08

45. How much do you agree or disagree with each of the following...

	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Can't choose
a. Religious leaders should not try to influence how people vote in elections...	01	02	03	04	05	08
b. Religious leaders should not try to influence government decisions	01	02	03	04	05	08

46. Please consider the following statements and tell me whether you agree or disagree.

	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Can't choose
a. Overall, modern science does more harm than good.	01	02	03	04	05	08
b. We trust too much in science and not enough in religious faith.	01	02	03	04	05	08
c. Looking around the world, religions bring more conflict than peace.	01	02	03	04	05	08
d. People with very strong religious beliefs are often too intolerant of others.	01	02	03	04	05	08

47. Do you think that churches and religious organizations in Taiwan have too much power or too little power?

- (01) Far too much power
- (02) Too much power
- (03) About the right amount of power
- (04) Too little power
- (05) Far too little power
- (08) Can't choose

48. How much do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Can't choose
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disagree

a. All religious groups in Taiwan should have equal rights.	01	02	03	04	05	08
b. We must respect all religions.	01	02	03	04	05	08

49. People have different religions and different religious views. Would you accept a person from a different religion or with a very different religious view from yours...

	Definitely accept	Probably accept	Probably not accept	Definitely not accept	Can't Choose
a. marrying a relative of yours?	01	02	03	04	08
b. being a candidate of the political party you prefer?	01	02	03	04	08

50. There are some people whose views are considered extreme by the majority. Consider religious extremists, that is, people who believe that their religion is the only true faith and that all other religions should be considered as enemies. Do you think such people should be allowed to...

	Definitely accept	Probably accept	Probably not accept	Definitely not accept	Can't Choose
a. Hold public meetings to express their views?	01	02	03	04	08
b. Publish books expressing their views?	01	02	03	04	08

E. Numerology and Magic

51. Have you or your family members consulted a feng-shui (geomancy) master in the past five years?

(01) Yes (02) No

52. Did you or your family members consult a feng-shui (geomancy) master concerning your present residence?

(01) Yes (02) No

53. Did you or your boss consult a feng-shui (geomancy) master concerning your office?

(01) Yes

(02) No

(03) No office (e.g. students, housewives, vendors)

54. Do you ever have your fortune told on the internet?

- (01) Yes (02) No

55. Have you ever taken the initiative to have your fortune told by someone?

- (01) Yes (02) No (skip to 57)

56. Have you taken the initiative to have your fortune told by someone by using one of the following methods of divination in the last year (from August last year to July this year)? (Choose all that apply)

- (01) Eight characters about one's birth (02) Tzu-wei tou-shu
 (03) Physiognomy and palmistry (04) Feeling one's bones
 (05) Astrology, horoscope (06) Other (Please specify) _____
 (07) None of the above

57. Did you do the following activities last year (From August last year to July this year)?

	Yes	No
(a) Use natural remedies, alternative therapies, hypnotherapy, spiritual practices	01	02
(b) Read spiritual books	01	02
(c) Practice Qi, meditation, or activities to boost your energy or improve the harmony of your magnetic field	01	02
(d) Practice yoga	01	02
(e) Use massage therapies, meridian therapies, or other folk remedies	01	02
(f) Practice Tai chi chuan	01	02

58. When you take part in religious services or activities (either individual or group), have you ever felt or experienced the following? (Choose all that apply)

- (01) Felt God's Presence
 (02) Experienced the existence of a certain power that is stronger than the power of your life
 (03) Felt that the life is full of the power of love
 (04) Felt that your body is full of the power of energy physically and mentally (magnetic field)
 (05) Felt that your body is extremely light and that you can float in the air or are weightless
 (06) Experienced ultimate joy or peace

(07) Experienced that everything in the universe is interconnected

(08) None of the above

59. The following statements are about spiritual development or meditation. To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements indicating your situation?

	Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Don't know
(1) The field of self development should include individual spiritual growth.	01	02	03	04	97
(2) Participating religious organizations is not the only way to connect with God; it can be achieved through individual spiritual development as well.	01	02	03	04	97
(3) As long as one develops his/her potential ability, he/she is capable of connecting with God.	01	02	03	04	97

60. Do you think one's achievement (e.g., success in career, being wealthy) is related to his/her spiritual growth?

(01) No

(02) Yes, a positive correlation

(03) Yes, a negative correlation

(04) It depends

61. During the past 6 months (from January to July 2009), did you buy/read/listen/use the following types of products related to spiritual growth? **(Choose all that apply)**

(01) Bought or read spiritual magazines or books

(02) Watched spiritual TV programs or spiritual movies

(03) Bought or listened to spiritual music or spiritual course materials (CD or DVD)

(04) Bought or used a spiritual crystal or other stone products (for personal or room decoration)

(05) Bought or use spiritual-related essential or natural oils

(06) None of the above

62. During the past 6 months (from January to July 2009), have you done any of the following things for environmental protection or health? **(Choose all that apply)**

(01) Shopped in a store that sells organic products

- (02) Recycled old clothes
- (03) Purchased recycled products (e.g., recycled paper)
- (04) Followed a vegetarian diet for non-religious reasons
- (05) Engaged in other behaviors to save energy and reduce carbon dioxide emissions, Please specify__
- (06) Engaged in organic farming
- (07) None of the above

F. Behaviors concerning charitable organizations

63. Within the past year (from August last year to July this year), have you donated money to temples, monasteries, churches, or religious organizations?

- (01) Yes (02) No (skip to 68)

64. How much money in total have you donated to monasteries, temples, or churches in the past year?
NT\$_____

65. Which religions did you donate to? (Choose all that apply)

- (01) Folk religions (02) Yiguan Dao (03) Buddhism (04) Taoism
 (05) Protestant Christianity (06) Catholicism (07) Islam (08) Xuanyuanjiao
 (09) Tinlijiao (10) Liism (11) Xiajiao (12) Other (Please specify)_____

66. Do you donate money regularly or occasionally? (Choose all that apply)

- (01) I donate money regularly
 (02) I donate money occasionally
 (03) Other (Please specify)_____

67. Why do you donate money to these temples, monasteries, or churches? (Choose all that apply)

- (01) To eliminate disasters and to pray for blessings, as well as to do charitable and pious deeds
 (02) To redeem a vow and show gratitude to the gods
 (03) To make a thanksgiving offering
 (04) To requite an obligation
 (05) To repay society
 (06) To give alms in order to practice my religious belief
 (07) To build or renovate temples
 (08) Because I have used something and it is embarrassing not to give some money
 (09) Other (Please specify)_____

68. Within the past year (from August last year to July this year), have you donated money to any organization other than temples, monasteries, churches, or religious organizations?

- (01) Yes (02) No (Skip to 70)

69. How much money in total did you donate in the past year (from August last year to July this year)?

NT\$ _____

70. Do you do volunteer work now?

(01) Yes (02) No (Skip to 71)

70a. Do you do volunteer work at temples, monasteries, churches, or religious organizations?

(01) Yes (02) No

G. Social Issues

71. Do you think it is wrong or not wrong if a man and a woman have sexual relations before marriage?

(01) Always wrong (02) Almost always wrong
 (03) Wrong only sometimes (04) Not wrong at all (08) Can't choose

72. What about a married person having sexual relations with someone other than his or her husband or wife; is it...

(01) Always wrong (02) Almost always wrong
 (03) Wrong only sometimes (04) Not wrong at all (08) Can't choose

73. And what about sexual relations between two adults of the same sex; is it...

(01) Always wrong (02) Almost always wrong
 (03) Wrong only sometimes (04) Not wrong at all (08) Can't choose

74. Do you personally think it is wrong or not wrong for a woman to have an abortion...

	Always wrong	Almost always wrong	Wrong only sometimes	Not wrong at all	Can't choose
a. if there is a strong chance of serious defect in the baby...	01	02	03	04	08
b. if the family has a very low income and cannot afford any more children...	01	02	03	04	08

75. Do you agree or disagree...

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Can't choose
A husband's job is to earn money; a wife's job is to look after the home and family.	01	02	03	04	05	08

76. Generally speaking, would you say that people can be trusted or that you can't be too careful in dealing with people?

- (01) People can almost always be trusted
 (02) People can usually be trusted
 (03) You usually can't be too careful in dealing with people
 (04) You almost always can't be too careful in dealing with people
 (08) Can't choose

77. How much confidence do you have in ...

	Complete confidence	A great deal of confidence	Some confidence	Very little confidence	No confidence at all	Can't choose
a. The Legislative Yuan	01	02	03	04	05	08
b. Business and industry	01	02	03	04	05	08
c. Churches and religious organizations	01	02	03	04	05	08
d. Courts and the legal system	01	02	03	04	05	08
e. Schools and the educational system	01	02	03	04	05	08

78. We are interested in the extent to which you have moved from one kind of place to another. Which do you think is most like your experience of life?

- (01) I have lived in different countries.
 (02) I have lived in different places in the same country.
 (03) I have lived in different neighborhoods in the same place.
 (04) I have always lived in the same neighborhood.

H. Cultural values

79. Please consider the extent to which the following items are important to you in your current life, and choose from the five options (from "0" to "4") to denote your feelings and assessments.

	Not important					Absolutely important
(1) Are harmonious relationships in the family important to you in your life?	00	01	02	03	04	
(2) Is power important to you in your life?	00	01	02	03	04	
(3) Is the pursuit of advancement and improvement important to you in your life?	00	01	02	03	04	

you in your life?

(4) Is submission and obedience to one's elders and superiors important to you in your life?	00	01	02	03	04
(5) Is tolerating different opinions important to you in your life?	00	01	02	03	04
(6) Is wealth important to you in your life?	00	01	02	03	04
(7) Is democracy important to you in your life?	00	01	02	03	04
(8) Is the raising of children as a guarantee in old age important to you in your life?	00	01	02	03	04
(9) Are intimate friends important to you in your life?	00	01	02	03	04
(10) Is knowledge important to you in your life?	00	01	02	03	04
(11) Is fairness (equality) important to you in your life?	00	01	02	03	04
(12) Is filial piety important to you in your life?	00	01	02	03	04

I. Concepts concerning charitable organizations

80. To what extent do you agree with each of the following statements?

	Yes, very much	Yes, somewhat	No, not really	No, not at all
(1) A person can help others only if he/she has properly taken care of himself/herself first.	01	02	03	04
(2) A person should be considerate of others in every aspect.	01	02	03	04
(3) Doing good will give you a ticket to heaven, but doing a lot of bad things will cause you to end up in hell.	01	02	03	04
(4) The rich should offer financial help to the Poor.	01	02	03	04
(5) Those who do good can have a good life in the next life.	01	02	03	04
(6) One should consider one's capacity before helping others.	01	02	03	04

J. Perceptions and evaluations of different cultures

81. In Taiwan, Mandarin, Taiwanese, and Hakka are the main languages used in everyday life, while the different aboriginal tribes also have their own languages. Currently, there are some views concerning the acquisition and usage of these languages. To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the

following statements?

	Yes, very much	Yes, somewhat	No, not really	No, not at all
(1) We should teach our children their native dialect at home.	01	02	03	04
(2) School teachers should be able to use languages other than Mandarin for lectures in any class (not only in native education).	01	02	03	04
(3) School teachers should be able to use Taiwanese for lectures in any class.	01	02	03	04

82. Which language do you speak with your parents in your family? (or prior to passing away if parent is deceased)

- (01) Mandarin
- (02) Taiwanese
- (03) Hakka
- (04) Aborigine
- (05) Dialect
- (06) Other (Please specify) _____

83. To what extent do you agree with each of the following arguments?

	Yes, very much	Yes, somewhat	No, not really	No, not at all
(1) Since there is more and more interflow among the nations of the world, Taiwan does not necessarily have to insist on its own cultural characteristics.	01	02	03	04
(2) It is more important to learn about the cultures of advanced countries than to learn about traditional Chinese culture.	01	02	03	04
(3) Our next generation does not necessarily have to learn about the history and civilization of China.	01	02	03	04
(4) Taiwan should establish cultural characteristics that differ from those of China.	01	02	03	04
(5) Traditional Chinese culture occupies an important position within Taiwanese culture.	01	02	03	04
(6) We should strive to carry forward traditional Chinese culture.	01	02	03	04
(7) Taiwanese culture is a continuation of traditional Chinese culture.	01	02	03	04

84. Do you think Chinese civilization, with its long-standing culture, is something to be proud of?

- (01) Yes, very much so
 (02) Yes
 (03) No, not really
 (04) No, not at all

85. Do you think Taiwanese civilization is something to be proud of?

- (01) Yes, very much so
 (02) Yes
 (03) No, not really
 (04) No, not at all

86. There are several ways listed below to identify yourself. Which one do you think is the best for you?

- (1) I am Taiwanese.
 (2) I am Chinese.
 (3) I am both Taiwanese and Chinese.
 (4) I am both Chinese and Taiwanese.
 (5) Other (Please specify) _____

87. Regarding the relationship between Taiwan and China, do you think it is better for Taiwan to become independent, to be unified with China, or to remain the same?

- (1) To be unified with China as soon as possible
 (2) To become independent as soon as possible
 (3) To remain the same
 (4) To remain the same , but become independent in the future
 (5) To remain the same , but it depends in the future
 (6) To remain the same forever

88. Over the past 30 years, how many times have you ever visited China (excluding Hong Kong and Macao)? _____

89. Over the past 30 years, have you ever lived in China (excluding Hong Kong and Macao)? If so, for how many years did you live in China? _____

90. There are several ethnic groups in Taiwan, including the Hoklo, the Hakka, Mainlanders, Aborigines, and immigrants. To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements about ethnic groups in Taiwan?

	Strongly agree	Somewhat agree	Somewhat disagree	Strongly disagree
(1). Overall, some ethnic groups are more intelligent than others.	01	02	03	04

(2) Some ethnic groups are more diligent, while other ethnic groups tend to be lazier.	01	02	03	04
(3) In general, most people think ethnic groups in Taiwan include the Hoklo, the Hakka, Mainlanders, Aborigines, and immigrants. Actually, there is a better way to group people in Taiwan.	01	02	03	04
(4) One's ethnic background is decided and cannot be changed after he/she is born.	01	02	03	04

K. Daily life

91. Among those friends that you are in contact with the most, how many of them have the same religious belief as yours? (or, just like you, have no religious belief?)

- (01) Less than 1/10
 (02) About 1/10
 (03) About 1/3
 (04) About 1/2
 (05) Almost all of them

92. Has your daily life, studies, or work been affected because of certain emotions (e.g., feeling nervous, worried, anxious and unable to relax, or depressed, downhearted) in the past two weeks?

- (01) Yes
 (02) No

93. Has your daily life been affected because of any physical discomfort or injury in the past two weeks?

- (01) No
 (02) Yes, slightly
 (03) Yes, quite a bit
 (04) Yes, very much

94. How has your physical health been for the past two weeks?

- (1) Very good
 (2) Good
 (3) Poor
 (4) Very poor

95. Has your daily life been affected because of any injury or illness for more than one month?

- (01) Yes
 (02) No

96. If you were to consider your life in general these days, how happy or unhappy would you say you are, on the whole?

- (01) Very happy
 (02) Fairly happy
 (03) Not very happy
 (04) Not at all happy
 (08) Can't choose

L. Personal and family condition

97. What is your average monthly income (including your salary from full- or part-time jobs, year-end bonus, commission, interest income, income from personal business or investments, government subsidies, rent, pension, etc.)?

- | | |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> (01) No income | <input type="checkbox"/> (02) NT\$10,000 or less |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (03) NT\$10,001 – NT\$20,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> (04) NT\$20,001 – NT\$30,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (05) NT\$30,001 – NT\$40,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> (06) NT\$40,001 – NT\$50,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (07) NT\$50,001 – NT\$60,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> (08) NT\$60,001 – NT\$70,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (09) NT\$70,001 – NT\$80,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> (10) NT\$80,001 – NT\$90,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (11) NT\$90,001 – NT\$100,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> (12) NT\$100,001 – NT\$110,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (13) NT\$110,001 – NT\$120,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> (14) NT\$120,001 – NT\$130,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (15) NT\$130,001 – NT\$140,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> (16) NT\$140,001 – NT\$150,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (17) NT\$150,001 – NT\$160,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> (18) NT\$160,001 – NT\$170,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (19) NT\$170,001 – NT\$180,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> (20) NT\$180,001 – NT\$190,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (21) NT\$190,001 – NT\$200,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> (22) NT\$200,001 – NT\$300,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (23) More than NT\$300,000 | |

《Please skip to 99 for those who are unmarried, divorced, separated, or widowed.》

98. What is your spouse's (or partner's) average monthly income (including the salary from full-or part-time jobs, year-end bonus, commission, interest income, income from personal business or investments, government subsidies, rent, pension, etc.)?

- | | |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> (01) No income | <input type="checkbox"/> (02) NT\$10,000 or less |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (03) NT\$10,001 – NT\$20,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> (04) NT\$20,001 – NT\$30,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (05) NT\$30,001 – NT\$40,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> (06) NT\$40,001 – NT\$50,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (07) NT\$50,001 – NT\$60,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> (08) NT\$60,001 – NT\$70,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (09) NT\$70,001 – NT\$80,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> (10) NT\$80,001 – NT\$90,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (11) NT\$90,001 – NT\$100,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> (12) NT\$100,001 – NT\$110,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (13) NT\$110,001 – NT\$120,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> (14) NT\$120,001 – NT\$130,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (15) NT\$130,001 – NT\$140,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> (16) NT\$140,001 – NT\$150,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (17) NT\$150,001 – NT\$160,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> (18) NT\$160,001 – NT\$170,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (19) NT\$170,001 – NT\$180,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> (20) NT\$180,001 – NT\$190,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (21) NT\$190,001 – NT\$200,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> (22) NT\$200,001 – NT\$300,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (23) More than NT\$300,000 | |

99. What is your average monthly household income (including salary, year-end bonus, commission, interest income, income from personal business or investments, government subsidies, rent, pension, etc.)?

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|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> (01) None |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (02) NT\$10,000 or less |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (03) NT\$10,001 – NT\$20,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (04) NT\$20,001 – NT\$30,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (05) NT\$30,001 – NT\$40,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (06) NT\$40,001 – NT\$50,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (07) NT\$50,001 – NT\$60,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (08) NT\$60,001 – NT\$70,000 |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> (14) NT\$120,001 – NT\$130,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (15) NT\$130,001 – NT\$140,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (16) NT\$140,001 – NT\$150,000 |

- (17) NT\$150,001 – NT\$160,000
- (18) NT\$160,001 – NT\$170,000
- (19) NT\$170,001 – NT\$180,000
- (20) NT\$180,001 – NT\$190,000
- (21) NT\$190,001 – NT\$200,000
- (22) NT\$200,001 – NT\$300,000
- (23) NT\$300,001 – NT\$400,000
- (24) NT\$400,001 – NT\$500,000
- (25) NT\$500,001 – NT\$1,000,000
- (26) More than NT\$1,000,000

100. Have you ever experienced the following situations? If so, when did it happen to you?

	No	Before entering elementary school	During elementary school	During junior high school	During senior high school
(1) Parents were separated or divorced	01	02	03	04	05
(2) Father or mother died	01	02	03	04	05
(3) Father or mother was seriously physically ill or injured	01	02	03	04	05
(4) Father or mother was mentally ill	01	02	03	04	05
(5) Father or mother had drinking problems	01	02	03	04	05
(6) You were seriously physically ill or injured	01	02	03	04	05
(7) Brother or sister died	01	02	03	04	05
(8) Brother or sister was seriously physically ill or injured?	01	02	03	04	05
(9) Your family encountered financial problems	01	02	03	04	05

The interview ended at ___ month ___ day ___ hour ___ minute

Please enter using the 24-hour format.