## First Province Wide Fertility Survey

Respondent		Head of H	ousehold_		
Address:	_District _	LiLin	_Rd/St _	Section _	LaneNo.
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		Ke	cord of C	<u>ans</u>	
Call No	о.	Date and hou	r	Outto	ome of call in detail
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4					
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1. Interview	ad ( )				
1. IIIIeiview	eu ( )				
2. Non-inter	viewed (	)			
REASO					
(1). Mo	oved out (	)			
(2). Re	fused to ac	cept interview (	( )		
(3). Sti	ll not at ho	me after visiting	g three tir	nes ( )	
(4). Ot	her (Specify	y):			
				т.,	r:

Reader:

## A. Household Composition

A1. How many persons actually l	ive here a	and eat togh	nether regularly in this	
household, counting adults an	d childre	n (including	g temporary absentees, but	t
excluding temporary visitors)	?			
Total of the	ese,		_persons eat together.	
A2. Are your husband's parents li	ving here	with you?	Or do you eat together	
regularly?				
Live here and eat together (	)	Live here	e but don't eat together (	)
No ( )		Died (	)	
A3. Are your parents living here	with you?	Or do you	eat together regularly?	
Live here and eat together (	)	Live here	e but don't eat together (	)
No ( )		Died (	)	
A4. Are any of your husband's m	arried bro	others or sis	ters living here with you?	Or do
you eat together regularly?				
Live here and eat together (	)	Live here	e but don't eat together (	)
No ( )		Died (		
A5. Are any of your married brot	hers or si	sters living	here with you? Or do you	eat
together regularly?				
Live here and eat together (	)	Live here	e but don't eat together (	)
No ( )	•	Died (	)	,
A6. Are there any other married of	couples w	ho are your	relatives living with you?	Or do
you eat together regularly?	1	•	•	
Live here and eat together (	)	Live here	e but don't eat together (	)
No ( )	,	Died (	)	,
,		`	,	
В.	Pregnanc	cies and Bir	<u>ths</u>	
B1. We are very interested in lear	ning abou	ut your preg	gnancies and births, would	you
please tell how many live birt	hs you ha	ive had?		
0. None ( )	1.	Yes,	_total	
B2. Have you had any children w	ho have o	died?		
0. None ( )	1.	Yes,	_total	
B3. How many of your children a	re living	now? (Inclu	uding those adopted out, b	ut
excluding those adopted in)				
<b>1</b> ,	1.	Yes,	_total (boy(s),g	irl(s))
B4. Do you have any children wh			• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	
0. None ( )		-	_total (boy(s),g	irl(s))

B5. Please give the dates of birth of each of your children and state whether you have lost any children (Interviewer: Fill out the following table according to the order of live births).

01 .	nve on m	s).							
Order of	Male	Female		Date of B	irth	Died	Stil	l Alive	Remarks
Live Birth			Year.	Month	Day		Male	Female	
Total									
B6. So	me pregr	nancies e	nd in s	till births,	, miscarria	ages, or in	nduced a	bortions.	Have
you ha	d any pre	egnancies	s end ii	n these wa	ays?				
(0)	. No still	births (	)		(1).	Yes,	_total st	ill births	
(0)	. No miso	carriages	( )		(1).	Yes,	_miscar	riages	
(0)	. No indu	iced abor	tions (	( )	(1).	Yes,	_total in	duced abou	rtions
(IF YC	U HAVE	E HAD E	XPER	IENCES	WITH AI	BORTION	1)		
В7. Но	B7. How many children did you have when you had your first induced abortion?								

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(0). No still births ( )	(1). Yes,total still births
(0). No miscarriages ( )	(1). Yes,miscarriages
(0). No induced abortions ( )	(1). Yes,total induced abortions
(IF YOU HAVE HAD EXPERIENCES W	/ITH ABORTION)
B7. How many children did you have who	en you had your first induced abortion?
0. None ( ) 1.	Yes,total (boy(s),girl(s))
B8. Have you had any pregnancies that w	ere carried out in this way since you had
your (last) child?	
0. None ( ) 1.	Yes, $\_\_\_total$ ( $\_\_\_boy(s)$ , $\_\_\_girl(s)$ )
B9. Was your last induced abortion perfor	med at a government hospital, piblic
hospital, private OBG practicioner's c	linic, general practictioner's clinic, midwife
or other?	
0. No ( )	1. Gov't Hospital ( )
2. Private OBG ( )	3. Public Hospital ( )
4. General Practitioner ( )	5. Midwife ( )
6. Other (Specify)	
B10. Are you pregnant now?	
0. No ( ) 1. Yes ( )	2. Uncertain ( )
( SK	IP TO B14 )
(IF YES, OR UNCERTAIN)	
B11. When was the date of your last mens	struation?
Year MonthD	ay

(IF CURRENTLY NOT PREGNAN	Γ)	
B12. Some couples cannot have more	e children because of an operation	of phsycial
reason (ill health). How is it with	you and your husband? Do you th	ink you can
have more children?		
1. Can ( ) 2. Cannot ( )	3. Uncertain ( ) 4. Don't kn	now ( )
(SKIP to B15)		
B13. Have you or your husband had an	B14. Why are you ur	necertain or don'
operation?	know whether o	
Wife had a ligation ( )	have more child	•
Wife had other operation		
resulting in sterility ( )		
Husband had a vasectomy ( )		
Other, (SPECIFY)		
B15. Would you like to have more c	ildren?	
0. No ( )	1. Yes ( )	
(IF YES)	, ,	
,	d you like to have? Of these, how i	many would
·	ow many girls, or would either be a	•
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	s, girls) Either	
B17a. If you were just getting mar		er of children
	d you like to have born when you a	
having children at the age of	•	are un ough
Children		
B17b. Of these, how many would	you like to be hove and how many	girle or would
•	ou like to be boys and now many	giris or would
either be all right?	o ciulo) Eithon	
,	s, girls) Either	1 6 1 .
B18. In general, how many children	·	ii for the
average married couple in Ta	wan?	
Children		
Others (SPECIFY)		<del></del>
C. Attitude toward	and Practice of Family Planning	
C1. Do you think that Taiwan now	has too many people, just enough	people, or not
enough people?		
1. Too many ( )	2. Just enough ( )	
3. Not enough ( )	4. Don't know or never think al	bout it ( )
(IF OTHER THAN LAST ANSWE	R)	

C2. Why do you think this?

C3. Nowadays some married co	ouples to something to keep	o from getting pregnant too
often of having too many cl	hildren (more than they war	nt). Generally speaking,
would you say you approve	e very much, much, not so n	nuch, or not at all?
1. Very much ( )	2. Much ( )	3. Depends ( )
4. Not so much ( )	5. Not at all ( )	
C4. Have you and your husban	d every talked to each other	r about this kind of matter
(ways to keep from getting	pregnant too often or havin	g too many children)?
Would you say you have do	one it frequently, sometimes	s, once in a while, or never?
1. Frequently ( )	2. Sometimes ( )	3. Once in a while ( )
4. Never ( )		
C5. What methods to you know	v that married couples use to	o keep from becoming
pregnant?		
Interviewers: Check it acco	ording to the respondent's se	elf-expression and then give
hints on other methods. If	f the respondent knows ther	n, check them:
Do not know any methods	( )	
Know the following method	ds ( )	1
Methods	Self- Mentioned	Hinted
1. Condom		
2. Foam Tablets		
3. Jelly		
4. Diaphram		
5. Rhythm		
6. Basic temp.		
7. Interrupt C.		
8. Ota Ring		
9. Loop		
10. Tubal Ligation		
11. Vasectomy		
12, Oral Pill		
13. Others		
C6. From what sources did you	come to know wuch a met	hod?
(INTERVIEWER: ASK EACH	OF THE FOLLOWING S	OURCES SEPARATELY)
1. Radio ( )	6. VHENS (	)
2. Newspaper or Magazines (	7. Health Wor	ker ( )
3. Doctor ( )	8. Neighbor (	)
4. Midwives ( )	9. Relatives or	r friends ( )
5. PPHWs ( )	10. Others (	)
!Interviewer: In order to make	the respondent realize the d	ifference between PPHW

nterviewer: In order to make the respondent realize the difference between PPHW, VHEN, and Health Worker, you should explain their work to the respondent.)

## (IF THE RESPONDENT KNOWS ABOUT LOOP, ASK THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS, CHECK IT WITH C5) $\,$

C7. From what sources did you come to know a	bout loop?
1. Radio ( )	6. VHENS ( )
2. Newspaper or Magazines ( )	7. Health Worker ( )
3. Doctor ( )	8. Neighbor ( )
4. Midwives ( )	9. Relatives or friends ( )
5. PPHWs ( )	10. Others ( )
C8. Have you and your husband ever used anyth	ing to keep from getting pregnant too
often or having too many hildren (more than	you want)?
1. No ( ) (Skip to C13)	2. Yes ( )
(IF YES)	
C9. What methods have you used? (Including cu	irrently used methods)
Methods (Specify):	
C10. After which live birth did you first start doi	ing this?
Before first live birth ( )	
After live birth	
C11. How many children did you have when you	u first started to do something to keep
from getting pregnant?	
0. No child ( )	
1 child(ren) ( boys	girls)
C12. Have you done anything to keep from getti	ng pregnant after you had your last
child?	
0. No life birth ( )	
1. Yes ( )	
2. No ( )	
C13. Since you had your last child or since you	were married, have you and your
husband been separated continuously for three	ee months or more when you were not
pregnant and did not see each other at all?	
If yes, altogether how many months did you	not see each other?
0. No ( ) 1. Yes, _	Months
(Interviewer: Check C9. If the respondent is a lo	op acceptor, skip to C27)
C14. Are you and your husband doing anything	now to keep from getting pregnant too
often or having too many children (more than yo	ou want)?

Yes ( )	No ( )
C 15. What are you doing? (Specify)	C18. Do you expect to do something in the future to
	keep from getting pregnant or not?
	1. Yes ( ) 2. No ( )
C16. Are you satisfied with what you	3. Can't have children ( )
are doing or are you not satisfied?	(IF YES)
1. Satisfied ( )	C19. How many more children do you think
2. Not satisfied ( )	you will have before you start doing something
(IF NOT SATISFIED)	to keep from getting pregnant?
C17. Why are you not satisfied?	1(more) children
(Specify)	(more) boys, (more) girls
	2. Right away ( )
	3. Other (Specity)
	(IF NO)
	C20, Why? (Specify reason)
1. Yes ( ) 2. No ( ) 3. C	LREADY KNOW ABOUT THE LOOP
	ere)
C23. Have you heard any good things a	
	at)
C24. Have you heard any bad things ab	oout the loop?
0. No ( ) 1. Yes (Specify what	at)
(Interviewer: Check C22, C23, C2	24 with C5)
C25. Does a method like the loop appear	al to you or not? (Show a loop and flier)
1. Yes ( ) 2. No ( ) 3,. N	Not sure ( )
(IF YES)	
C26. Do you think you would wa	nt to use the loop or not? Would you say
definitely yes, probably yes,	, probaby, or definitely no?
1. Definitely yes ( )	2. Probably yes ( ) 3. Probably no ( )
4 Definitely no ( )	5. Not sure ( ) 6. Can't have children( )

C27. In Taiwan do you think married couples are doing anything to keep from
getting pregnant after having at least as many children as they want? Would you
say many, some, just a few, or no one in Taiwan is doing such things?
1. Many ( ) 2. Some ( ) 3. Just a few ( ) 4. None ( ) 5. Don't know
C28. Do you know if any of your friends, neighbors, or relatives are wearing the Ota
ring? Would you say there are many, some, just a few, or no one among your
friends, neighbors, or relatives wearing such a device?
0. None ( ) 1. Just a few ( )
2. Some (3-4 persons) ( ) 3. Many (more than 5 persons) ( )
4. Don't know ( )
D. Exposure to Mass Media
D1. Can you read Chinese – say, in a newspaper?
1. Yes ( ) 2. No ( )
(IF YES)
D2. Do you usually get a chance to read a newspaper? Would you say every day,
several times a week, once a week, less often, or never?
1. Every day ( ) 2. Several times a week ( )
3. Once a week ( ) 4. Less often ( ) 5. Never ( )
E. <u>Traditional Family Values</u>
E1. Would you expect to live with your children or grandchildren when you are old?
Would you say definitely yes, probably yes, probably no, or definitely no?
1. Definitely yes ( ) 2. Probably yes ( )
3. Probably no ( ) 4. Definitely no ( )

(IF YES) B2. If you would have sufficient means to take care of yourself when you are old, do you still expect to live with your children or grandchildren? Would you say definitely yes, probably yes, probably no, or definitely no? 1. Definitely yes ( ) 2. Probably yes ( ) 3. Probably no ( ) 4. Definitely no ( ) 5. Other answer (Specify):\_\_\_\_\_ F. Wife's Background F1. What is the highest school you have ever attented? Graduated Ungraduated 0. No formal education ) ) ) 1. Tutros or private classes only ) 2. Elementary ( ) ( ) 3. Junior high ) 4. Senior high 5. College and over F2. How many years have you studied in the schools? (Give the number of completed years of each category excluding kindergarten) 0. No formal education Years 1. Tutors or private classes only Years \_\_\_\_Years 2. Elementary Years 3. Junior high 4. Senior high \_\_\_\_Years 5. College and over \_\_\_\_Years F3. When were you born? \_\_\_\_\_Year \_\_\_\_\_Month \_\_\_\_\_Day F4. Are you Fukienese or Hakka?

1. Fukienese ( ) 2. Hakka ( ) 3. Mainlander ( ) 4. Other (Specify):

1. Non conformist ( ) 2. Polytheist ( ) 3. Protestant ( )

\_\_\_\_\_Province \_\_\_\_\_Hsien/City \_\_\_\_\_District/Township

5. Other:\_\_\_\_\_

F5. Where were you born?

4. Catholic (

F6. What is your religious denomination?

)

F7. Wh	en were you married?		Year	Month _		Day	1	
F8. Is th	ne present marriage yo	ur first m	arriage?					
	1. Yes ( )		2. No (	)				
(IF	FNO)							
F9	. When were you first	married?						
	Year	_Month _	Da	y				
F10. Be	esides routin house wo	rk, do yo	u hold any	other job?				
	1. Yes ( )		2. No (	)				
(IF	FYES)							
F1	1. What kind of work	do you do	0?					
F1	2. Is this work done at	home or	somewher	e else?			_	
	1. At Home ( )	(Includin	g your ow	n farm wo	rk)			
	2. Somewhere else	( )						
(IF	SOMEWHERE ELS	E)						
$\mathbf{F}^{1}$	13. Are you doing this	work for	a relative	or for some	eone e	else or	in a far	nily
	business?							
	1. For a relative (	)						
	2. For someone els	se ( )						
	3. A family busine	ss ( )						
		G. Husb	and's Back	ground				
G1. Wh	at is the highest school	ol your hu	sband has	ever attent	ed? (]	Intervi	ewer: C	heck
the l	highest school her hus	band has	ever attend	ded)				
					Grad	uated	Ungra	duated
0.	No formal education				(	)	(	)
1.	Tutors or private class	sses only			(	)	(	)
2.	Elementary				(	)	(	)
3.	Junior high				(	)	(	)
4.	Senior high				(	)	(	)
5.	College and over				(	)	(	)

G2. How many years has your husband studied in the schools?						
(Give the number of completed years of each category excluding kindergarten)						
1. No formal educationYears						
2. Tutors or private classes onlyYears						
3. ElementaryYears						
4. Junior highYears						
5. Senior highYears						
6. College and overYears						
TotalYears						
G3. When ws your husband born?YearMonthDay						
G4. Is he Fukienese or Hakka?						
1. Fukienese ( ) 2. Hakka ( ) 3. Mainlander ( )						
4. Other (Specify):						
G5. Where was he born?						
ProvinceHsien/CityDistrict/Township						
G6. What does your husband usually do for a living?						
Occupation and Position:						
(IF UNEMPLOYED OR IN THE MILITARY SERVICE)						
G7. What did he usually do for a living before he became unemployed or went to						
the military service?						
G8. Does he work for himself, for the family, for a relative, or for someone else?						
Himself ( ) Family ( ) Relative ( ) Someone else ( )						
G9. Have you and your husband ever lived on a farm either before or after marriage?						
1. Yes ( ) 2. Never ( )						
(IF LIVED ON A FARM)						
G10. Was that you, your husband, or both of you?						
1. Wife ( ) 2. Husband ( ) 3. Both ( )						
(IF HUSBAND IS A FULL TIME FARMER)						
G11. Gow much farm land does your family operate? How much of this is owned b						
your family, and how much is rented?						
Type of Land Owned Rented in Total						
Chia Fen Li Chia Fen Li Chia Fen Li						
Paddy field						
Dry field						
Upland						
Orchard						
Forest						
Total						

G12. Do you own any of the	e following: (ASK FOR	EACH ITEM ON THE LIST
AND CHECK ITEMS	OWNED.)	
1. Radio ( )	6. Radio wit	th phonograph ( )
2. Electric iron ( )	7. Newspap	er subscription ( )
3. Electric rice cooker	( ) 8. Running	water inside house ( )
4. Electric fan ( )	9. Private la	vatory ( )
5. Sewing machine (	) 10. Refriger	rator ( )
11. Bicycle ( )	12. Motorcy	vcle ( )
G13. Has your family incom	ne this year been about t	he same as the year before or has
it changed? Would you	ı say that your family in	come increased considerably,
increased somewhat, re	emained about the same	, or decreased considerably?
1. Increased consideral	bly()	
2. Increased somewhat	t ( )	
3. Remained about the	same ( )	
4. Decreased considera	ably ( )	
(IF INCREASED)		
G14. Why did your inc	come increase? Did you	do something to improve your
earnings, and if so, wh	at? For example, did yo	u or your husband or some family
member take additiona	al employment, did you	have an increase in wages?
	Interviewer's Repo	<u>ort</u>
1. Persons other than the re	espondent present during	ginterviewing
(record as to their relatio	onships to the responden	t)
2. Degree of cooperation:	Very good ( )	Good ( )
	Not so good ( )	Not goot at all ( )
3. Reliability of responses:	All reliable ( )	Partly unreliable ( )
, 1	Unreliable ( )	, ,
Remarks:	· · ·	

Upper ( ) Upper i	middle ( )	Middle Middle	( )
Lower middle ( ) Lo	ower ( )		
Other comments:			
7.Description of the responder re-interviewing. (If necessary)			for aid in
	ssary, draw a map)	):	for aid in