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Survey of Living Standard

Number of the questionnaire

Section A.

A1. How many people did your household include (by “household” we mean people who live together and have combined budget)?

Number of people in the household

Tell me please first the name of the head of the household, then the names of other members of the household (do not include gests).

Table 1

		A2	A3	A4	A5	A6
#	Name	Gender 1.male 2.female	Relationship to the head of the household 1.head of the h/h 2.wife/husband 3.son/daughter 4.son in law/daughter in law 5.grandson/ granddaughter 6.mother/father/mother in law/father in law 7.other relatives 8.do not have any relationship with the head of the h/h	Year of the birth	Marital status 1.married 2.never was married 3.widower/ widow 4.divorced, live separate 5.live together	Does any member of your household belong to these groups? 1. handicap 2.pregnant women (from 20 weeks) 3.child of divorced parents 4.child with one parent 5.orfant 6.child of lone mother 7. refugees 8.registered unemployed 9.pensioner
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Table 2

#	A7	A8	#	A9
	Does your child attend school at present? (start from 6 years) 1. yes 2. no	Why he (she) doesn't attend the school at present ? 1. cost 2. work 3. quality 4. transport 5. other		What is your education (from 16 and older)? 1. high and incomplete high 2. secondary special 3. secondary and incomplete secondary 4. elementary and less
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What was the main occupation of each member of your household during the last week? In other words, what did they do the most part of their time, did the member work or he (she) is a pensioner, or unemployed, handicap?

Code	Economic Status
01	Occupied and worked during the last week (worker, employee, military man, minister of religion)
02	Occupied, but was absent during the whole last week (because of vacation, sickness, pregnancy, etc.)
03	Occupied, but temporarily doesn't work
04	Self-employed, include employers
05	Pensioner (who doesn't work)
06	Registered unemployed
07	Unregistered unemployed, who seek a job during the last month
08	Unregistered unemployed, who didn't seek a job during the last month
09	Housewife
10	Unemployed for other reasons (take care of ill people and aged relatives)
11	Handicap (disabled)
12	Student (older 16 years)
13	Child (younger than 16)
14	In the special places (hospitals, jails etc.
15	Other _____

Please fill the Table 3.

Table 3

#	A10
	What is your economic status?
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Table 4

#	A11 Was anybody ill during the last 30 days? 1. yes 2. no	A12 Did you apply for medical consultation during the last 30 days? 1. yes 2. no	A13 Where did you apply? 1. diagnostic center 2. polyclinic 3. hospital 4. other	A14		
				What was the cost of medical consultation?		
				1 Drams	2 Rubles	3 Dollars
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A15. Please, estimate your state of health.

1. very good
2. good
3. normal
4. not very good
5. bad

Housing and Convenience

A16. Indicate the type of your housing.

1. Apartment
2. House
3. Dormitory
4. Railway car
5. Other temporarily house
6. Other _____
(indicate)

A17. Is the member of your household the owner of that housing or it is rented?

1. Property of the member of the household

Rented:

2. from the state
3. private person
4. department
5. other _____
(indicate)

A18. Indicate the size of your dwelling/living space. (m²)

Are you an owner or join owner of the following (choose only one answer)?

		A19
Denomination		Is it the property of your family?
1	Kitchen	1. yes
2	Toilet	2. no
3	Bathroom	3. doesn't have
4	Garage	

What kind of conditions do you have (even if they are no operate now)?

		A20
Denomination		Are in your household? 1.yes 2.no 3.we have, but it is not working now
1	Cold water	
2	Hot water	
3	Electricity	
4	Net gas	
5	Gas in gallons	
6	Central hitting system	
7	Your own hitting system	
8	Telephone	

A21. Please, estimate the conditions of your housing.

1. very good
2. good
3. normal
4. not very good
5. bad

Section B.

Income from Employment (waged/hired labor)

I would like to ask you about the employment and financial situation of your household and also how do you get your earnings.

B1. Was any member of your household hired during the last 30 days (at least 1 hour a week)? Do not include self-employed.

1. yes
2. no

If "no" go to Section C.

For those who were hired: I would like to know, who did work during the last month and the total amount of different jobs. Do not include self-employment

Code	Economic branch
01	Industry
02	Agriculture
03	Construction
04	Transportation
05	Communication
06	Trade and social nutrition
07	Information-calculating service
08	Housing and communal services

- 09 Health and social security
- 10 Education
- 11 Culture
- 12 Art
- 13 Science
- 14 Crediting and public insurance
- 15 State and economic administrative organs

Table 5

		B2	B3	B4	B5	B6
#	Number of jobs	Did you work during the last month? 1. yes 2. no	Economic branch	Did you have a paid vacation? 1.yes 2. no	Net salary	Currency 1.drams 2.roubles 3.dollars
	1 st job					
	2 nd job					
	3 rd job					
	1 st job					
	2 nd job					
	3 rd job					
	1 st job					
	2 nd job					
	3 rd job					
	1 st job					
	2 nd job					
	3 rd job					

B7. Did the member of your household who was hired get another cash payment from the employer during the last month?

- 1. yes
- 2. no

B8. If “yes” who get these cash payments? *Fill the table 6.*

Table 6

#	B8		
	Amount of the cash payments		
	Drams	Rubles	Dollars
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B9. Did the member of your household, who was hired, get any assistance in form of food, goods and services (transportation service, health service and etc.) from the employer during the last month?

Table 7

#	B9		
	Value of that assistance in form of money		
	Drams	Rubles	Dollars
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B10. Is there any case when the member of your household, who was hired, do not get the salary during the last 30 days?

Table 8

#	B10		
	Indebtedness		
	Drams	Rubles	Dollars
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B11. Was the member of your household paid in kind instead of salary?

Table 9

#	B11		
	Estimation of the payment in kind		
	Drams	Rubles	Dollars
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Section C.

Income from Self-employment

C1. Was anybody from your household self-employed during the last 30 days?

1. yes
2. no

Table 10

#	Number of jobs	C2 Did you have this kind of activity? 1. yes 2. no	C3 Economic branch	C4 Employer 1. yes 2. no	C5 Number of employees	C6 Net salary, without taxes	C7 Currency 1.drams 2.roubles 3.dollars	C8 Does your business registered by local authorities? 1. yes 2. no
	1 st job							
	2 nd job							
	3 rd job							
	1 st job							
	2 nd job							
	3 rd job							
	1 st job							
	2 nd job							
	3 rd job							

Section D.

State Benefits

Does your family get any of the following state benefits during the last 30 days?

Table 11

	D1	D2	D3	D4	D5	D6	D7
#	Pensions	Invalid benefit	Family benefit	Lone mother benefit	Unemployment benefit	Scholarship	Other ✓

✓ Indicate what kind of benefit _____

Section E.

Other cash incomes

Would you please, tell us approximate amount of other cash incomes that your household get from other sources during the last 30 days.

Table 12

		Amount of cash incomes	Currency
		1	2
E1	Income from property (house, summer house, land)		1. drams 2. rubles 3. dollars
E2	Income from sold valuable things (car, jewelry)		
E3	Income from the rented property		
E4	Interests, dividend		
E5	Assistance from the relatives, living in Armenia		
E6	Assistance from the relatives, living outside Armenia		
E7	Alimony		
E8	Charity		
E9	Other income		

Section F.

Aid

Do not include the money that you have mentioned in Section E.

F1. Did your family get food, medicine, medical assistance or anything else from the relatives and friends during the last 30 days?

1. yes
2. no

If "yes":

F2. What was the cost of that aid in drams?

1. food _____
2. medicine _____
3. goods _____
4. pay for electricity _____
5. other _____

F3. Did your family get food, medicine, medical assistance or anything else from the humanitarian or other organizations during the last 30 days?

1. yes
2. no

F4. What was the cost of that aid in drams?

1. food _____
2. medicine _____
3. goods _____
4. coupon for electricity _____
5. other _____

Section G.

Savings

G1. Can your household save any income during the last 30 days?

1. yes
2. no

G2. If yes, how much?

Drams _____
Rubles _____
Dollars _____

G3. Does your household have any savings?

1. yes
2. no

G4. What is the total amount of your savings at present?

Drams _____
Rubles _____
Dollars _____

G5. Where do you keep your savings?

1. at home
2. in banks
3. other _____
 indicate

Section H.

General Economic Condition

H1. How much satisfactory is your economic condition?

1. very good
2. good
3. normal
4. not very good
5. bad

H2. How did your economic condition change during the last 90 days?

1. economic condition improved
2. it remains the same
3. it became worse
4. don't know

H3. What do you think will your economic condition change during the next 90 days?

1. it will become better
2. it will remain the same
3. it will worsen
4. don't know

H4. What do you think, what should be your minimal monthly income for your well-being?

Drams _____
Rubles _____
Dollars _____

Section I.

Suburban Plot

I1. Does your household have suburban plot?

1. yes
2. no

If "no", go to the Section J.

I2. If yes, what is the size of the plot?

If you use your suburban plot for the cultivation please fill the Table 13.

I2a. If not, what are the reasons?

Table 13

#	Code	Name of cultivated products	I3	I4	I5
			Total amount of your harvest (kg)	Amount of money that you get from sold culture.	Consumed during the last 30 days.
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Tell us please, did your household produce the food such as eggs, smoked meat, etc during the last 30 days?

1. yes
2. no

If “no” go to the Section J

If “yes” fill Table 14.

Table 14

#	Code	I6	I7	I8
		Total amount of products produced during the last 30 days	What was the total profit from the selling during the last 30 days?	How much did you consume during the last 30 days?
		1	3	4
1	Wine			
2	Canned fruit			
3	Basturma			
4	Sudjukh			
5	Sausage			
6	Eggs			
7	Other			

Section J.

Expenditures During the Last 30 Days

Table 15

#	Name	J1	J2	J3	J4
		Amount	Total cost	Currency 1.drams 2.roubles 3.dollars	Consumed during 30 days?
		1	2	3	4
1	Rice				
2	Cereals				
3	Vermicelli				
4	Bread				
5	Lavash				
6	Other bread products				
7	Milk				
8	Yagurt				
9	Sour cream				
10	Curd(s)				
11	Cheese				
12	Batter				
13	Fats				
14	Oil				
15	Meat				
16	Fish				
17	Apples				
18	Grapes				
19	Peach				
20	Other fruits				
21	Potatoes				
22	Cabbage				
23	Onion				
24	Sugar				
25	Confectionery				
26	Eggs				
27	Coffee, tea				
28	Soft drinks				
29	Alcoholic drinks				
30	Food out of the door				
31	Other				

Table 16

	Name	J5	J6
		Total cost	Currency 1.drams 2.rubles 3.dollars
		2	3
1	Expenditure on clothes and shoos for adults.		
2	Expenditures on clothes and shoos for children.		
3	Expenditures on cloth (include bed-clothes, curtains, etc).		
4	Expenditures on furniture, carpets, cars, musical tooling and electric instruments.		
5	Expenditure on domestic goods (soap, haberdashery, newspapers, medical supplies, adornment, watches, perfumery, cigarettes, matches, flowers, etc).		
6	Expenditures on structural materials, sanitary engineering, domestic instruments.		
7	Expenditures on household goods (crocery, knives, forks, etc)		
8	Expenditures on services (sewing, dry-cleaning, laundry, hairdressing salon, photo, etc)		
9	Expenditures on housing and communal services		
10	Rent		
11	Electricity pay		
12	Phone		
13	Oil		
14	Firewood		
15	Gas balloon		
16	Coal		
17	Other		
18	Expenditures on leisure		
19	Expenditures on the public health.		
20	Dentist		
21	Diagnostic		
22	Sanatoria		
23	Treatment in hospital		
24	On the occasion of pregnancy or child birth		
25	Other services		
26	Expenditures on transportation		
27	Public urban transport		
28	Intercity transport		
29	Air transport		
30	Railway transport		
31	Repairs of cars and other means of transportation		
32	Taxi		
33	Spare parts		
34	Fines		
35	Fuel		
36	Other		
37	Expenditure on education		
38	School		
39	Kindergarten		
40	University		

41	Special school		
42	Private lessons outside of the school		
43	Other		
44	Expenditures on domestic animals		
45	Expenditures connected with land		
46	Expenditures on traveling		
47	Expenditures on legal services, banking service, ritual and other services		
48	Notaries		
49	Legal service		
50	Banking service		
55	Weddings		
52	Funerals		
53	Lease		
54	Insurance		
55	Other		
56	Expenditures on business		

Section K

Migration

Table 17

#	M1	M2	M3			M4	M5	M6	M7
	Is there any absent member in your household? <i>If "yes" put 1 next to his/her number</i>	Where is the absent member of your h/h? 1.Other town in Armenia 2.Other village in Armenia 3.Russia 4.Other CIS countries 5.Other European countries 6.USA and Canada 7.Other	What are the reasons for absentee? 1. to earn money 2. to find more profitable job 3. education 4. marriage 5. other family reasons 6. army 7. other You can choose 3 answers			Does the absent member intend to come back? 1. yes 2. no	Those who present, do you intend to migrate? 1. yes 2. probably yes 3. probably no 4. no	Where do you intend to go? 1.Other town in Armenia 2.Other village in Armenia 3.Russia 4.Other CIS countries 5.Other European countries 6.USA and Canada 7.Other	What are the reasons for your migration? 1. to earn money 2. to find more profitable job 3. education 4. marriage 5. other family reasons 6. army 7. other
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Section L.

System of Family Allowances

L1. Does your family include in a system of family allowances?

- 1. yes
- 2. no

If “no” end of the interview

L2. If yes, what kind of affect has these allowances on your economic status?

- 1. it helps a lot
- 2. it helps a little bit
- 3. it has no affect on our economic status
- 4. don't know

L3. What do you think does this system have shortcomings?

- 1. yes
- 2. no

L4. If “yes”, mention please what kind of shortcomings does this system have?
