

People Security Survey in **HUNGARY**

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QUESTIONNAIRE FOR THE PEOPLE'S BASIC SECURITY SURVEY OF HUNGARY

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ANSWERING IS VOLUNTARY

I. CHARACTERISTICS OF THE FAMILY AND THE HOUSEHOLD

I Family members**1 Please tell me about everybody living in the family.**

Household status		Sex	Year of birth	Marital status	Highest educational level
Given name	Relation to the head of the family				
1.	HEAD OF THE FAMILY				
2.					

0- X-

The answer codes follow on next page in questionnaire

RELATION TO HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD

- 1- Spouse
- 2- Mother, father
- 3- Child
- 4- Sibling of either spouse
- 5- Mother-father in law
- 6- Grand-child
- 7- Grand parents
- 8- Other relative
- 9- Other

MARITAL STATUS

1. Married
2. Co habitation
3. Widow/er
4. Divorced
5. Separated
6. Single (unmarried)

HIGHEST EDUCATIONAL LEVEL

1. less than 8 forms (less than primary)
2. 8 forms
3. industrial apprentice school, skilled worker certificate
4. secondary school
5. college
6. university
7. no schooling

STRUCTURE OF THE HOUSEHOLD (CODE IT ON THE BASIS OF THE TABLE)

1. single
2. couple (married or cohabiting)
3. couple +child/ren
4. single parent
5. grandparent/s and grandchild/ren
6. 3 generation
7. other

2 And now some more questions about all members of the family over 15.

Number of the person from the table 1	Given name	Current employment status (active, unemployed student etc.)	Current or the last profession, job, occupation (entrepreneur, skilled-worker etc.)	Was she/he unemployed in the last 5 years or currently unemployed – no temporary job? (including present unemployment) 2 – YES 1 - NO

0- X-

The answer codes follow on the same page

EMPLOYMENT STATUS:

01. employee
02. member of cooperative
03. has own business, entrepreneur
04. family helping member
05. on child care grant
06. unemployed
07. student
08. homemaker
09. pensioner
10. disabled
11. other dependent member

OCCUPATION

1. entrepreneur (owner)
2. manager , employed
3. professional, employed
4. other nonmanual, employed
5. skilled worker
6. semi-and unskilled worker
7. agricultural worker
8. never had a job
9. other

3 Does any member of the family belong to an ethnic minority?

	Yes	No
The respondent	2	1
Other member of the family	2	1

0- X-

IF 2 in at least one line:

4 What minority does she/he belong to?

CARD I

	YES-2	NO-1	O- X-
1. Croatian	2		
2. German	2	1	
3. Roma	2	1	
4. Romanian	2	1	
5. Serb	2	1	
6. Slovak	2	1	
7. Sloven	2	1	
8. Other please specify:	2	1	

FROM EVERYBODY

5 Is there anybody chronically ill or disabled in the family?

2Yes

1. No – TO Block II

0- X-

IF YES

6 Which of the following conditions describes the chronically ill or disabled member(s) of the family?

	1. member's given name and number from table 1		2. member's given name and number from table 1	
	Yes	No	Yes	No
1. chronically ill	2	1	2	1
2. disabled	2	1	2	1
3. able to work	2	1	2	1
4. needs constant home care	2	1	2	1
5. needs continuous medical care	2	1	2	1
6. Has disability pension or other disability allowance	2	1	2	1

0- X-

7 What is the reason for the chronic illness or the disability?

	1. person given name and number from table 1		2. person given name and number from table 1	
	Yes	No	Yes	No
Work-related injury	2	1	2	1
Other injuries	2	1	2	1
Born sickness	2	1	2	1
Occupational illness	2	1	2	1
Other illness	2	1	2	1
Other please specify:.....	2	1	2	1

0- X-

II Housing conditions

1 Were you born here, in this locality?

1 – here

2- somewhere else

0- X-

2 Where did you live most of your life after the age of 18?

1-in Budapest

2 -in a city or

3- in a village

0- X-

3 How long have you been living here?

Sinceyears

98- since birth

0- X-

4 Is the house/flat in which you are living?

(WAIT – PROMPT)

1. Own (family) property

2. Service flat

3. rented from the local authority

4. rented from others

5. other, please specify: (illegal occupier, etc.).....

0- X-

5 What is the number of rooms (living room, bedroom) in sole use of the family?

.....rooms

0- X-

6 Which of the following facilities are in the house/flat.....?

	Yes	No	O- X-
1. indoor toilet	2	1	
2. bathroom	2	1	
3. permanent hot water	2	1	
4. central heating	2	1	
5. telephone	2	1	

0- X-

7 How do you evaluate your housing conditions in the past, now and in 3 years from now? Please rate on a 5 point scale where 1 means very bad, and 5 means very good housing conditions.

	Very good				Very bad
1 How was it 3 years ago?	5	4	3	2	1
2 How is it now?	5	4	3	2	1
3 How do you think it will be in 3 years from now?	5	4	3	2	1

0- X-

III. PRIVATE BUSINESS/VENTURE/ENTREPRISE

1 Is there anybody in the family having started a private venture/business since 1989?

2 - Yes

1. No – TO QUESTION 12

IF THERE ARE SEVERAL VENTURES IN THE HOUSEHOLD, ALL OF THEM COUNT

2 Is the venture the main occupation of a person or is it a supplementary activity beside of a job?

	Main job	Second job / supplementary
1. person		
2. person		
3. person		

3 What is the current state of the private venture/business (or if there are more than one, the questions relate to the most important one)?

1. doing well,
 2. just getting on,
 3. declining, struggling,
 4. temporarily stopped,
 5. stopped - TO QUESTION 12
- 0- X-

4 What sort of business this is?

1. Individual venture
 2. Deposit partnership, company (In Hungarian BT)
 3. Limited company
 4. Public utility company (In Hungarian KHT)
 5. Other please specify::.....
 6. Unsure
- 0- X-

5 What is the main profile of the business (or the most important family business)?

1. Produce goods
 2. Provide services
 3. Trade, sale
 4. Other please specify::.....
- 0- X-

6 What is the location of this business (or the most important family business)?

1. Fixed location, in a building separate from home and owned by the household
 2. Fixed location separate from home, in a rented building
 3. Home
 4. Street, fixed location (pl. booth, garage)
 5. No fixed location, please specify
- 0- X-

7 At this moment you are the only one who is working in this business?

2. Yes – TO QUESTION 9

1. No – TO q8

0- X-

8 Please tell me who is working currently in this business (or the most important family business) and how many of them?

	How many?
1. Family member(s), not paid	
2. Family member(s), paid	
3. Employees, part-time, part salary	
4. Employees full-time, full salary	
5. State-financed employees (unemployed, public work)	

0- X-

(NO OTHERS: 98)

9 How do you evaluate the current state of this business (or the most important family business): did you have any of the following problems?

	Yes	No	0- X-
1. Demand is unsure, irregular	2	1	
2. No demand or too low	2	1	
3. Income is too low	2	1	
4. Income is irregular	2	1	
5. Wage and wage costs are too high	2	1	
6. Supply of raw material is difficult, unsure	2	1	
7. Adequate workforce is missing	2	1	
8. Other please specify::	2	1	

0- X-

10 Does the head of the company belong to an association which represents employer's interest?

2Yes

1No

0- X-

11 What are the future expectation about the venture?

1. Developing further
2. Keeping up unchanged,
3. Expected to decline, or
4. Giving up

0- X-

EVERYBODY

12 Is there anybody in the family planning to start a new private venture in 12 months?

2Yes

1No

0- X-

IV AGRICULTURE, FARMING

THE FIRST QUESTION RELATES ONLY TO LAND OUTSIDE A COOPERATIVE

1 Does the household have:

	YES	NO	
1 Garden with practically no agricultural production (for pleasure, leisure)	2	1	0-X
2 A household plot -	2	1	
3 Own land, farm	2	1	
4 Rented land, farm (cultivated by hh)	2	1	
5 Own land, rented to, or cultivated by others	2	1	

6 Other, please specify:	2	1	
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0- X-

IF IN THE FAMILY THERE THERE IS ONLY A GARDEN OR HOUSEHOLD PLOT THEN GO TO THE NEXT BLOCK.

2

ONLY IF THEY OWN AND CULTIVATE LAND, QU 1, LINE 3

What is the size of the land you (the household) cultivate owned by your household?

Owned landin HA or acre (specify)

0- X-

3

ONLY IF THEY RENT AND CULTIVATE LAND, QU 1, LINE 4

What is size of the rented land you (the household) cultivate?

Rented land HA or acre (specify)

0- X-

4

IF THERE IS CULTIVATED LAND, RENTED OR OWNED QU 1, LINE 3 AND 4

How much of the production of the household is sold?

1. Sell nothing
2. Sell smaller part of the output
3. Sell larger part of the output

0- X-

5 In order to do the work do you (the household) hire workers?

2 - occasionally

3 - regularly

1. never

2.

0- X-

6 Do you have agricultural machines, irrigating installation or labouring animal for cultivating the land? (multiple answer possible)

	Yes	No
1. have labouring animals (pe. horse, cattle)	2	1
2. have agricultural machines		
3. irrigating installation	2	1

0- X-

THOSE WHO HAVE MACHINES AND IRRIGATION INSTALLATIONS

7 What describes your situation?

- | | | | |
|---|----|-----|-------|
| | No | Yes | 0- X- |
| 1. have enough and good quality machines/installation | 1 | 2 | |

2. have enough machines/installation but bad quality 1 2
 3. not enough machines/installations 1 2

8 What are the family plans for the future?

1. Develop the farm, increase it
 2. Keep it unchanged
 3. Reduce it
 4. Give up farming
 5. Other, please specify:.....
 0- X-

V. INCOME SECURITY, COPING STRATEGIES

1. What was the sum of net income (“brought/came home”) of the family in the last month?
in thousand Fts

0- X-

3. Was this sum sufficient to get along, to cover the basic customary needs? Please rate on a scale of 5 grades where 1 means absolutely not enough and 5 means absolutely enough to cover the needs.

Fully enough				Absolutely not enough
5	4	3	2	1

0- X-

ONLY IF RATING IS 4,3,2,1

3. What would be the monthly sum sufficient to allow a decent way of life in your family?
Fts

0- X-

EVERYBODY
CARD II

4. Here is a ladder representing the income distribution of the country. Those having the lowest income are at the bottom (1), and those having the highest incomes are on the top (5). Please consider where would you situate your family on this ladder 3 years ago, now and in 3 years from now?

	Highest income				Lowest income	0-X-
3 years ago	5	4	3	2	1	
Now	5	4	3	2	1	
3 years from now	5	4	3	2	1	

0- X-

5. Please tell me the monthly income of the family throughout the last year was:

1. Fairly irregular,
 2. Somewhat fluctuating, or
 3. Fairly regular
 0- X-

6.
CARD III.

The cards present income sources. Please select those from which in the last month the members of the family had any income.

After answering the question, please choose among them the first and second most important source.

	Did the family have income from the followings?		If yes, please choose the first and the second most important ones
	Yes	No	
Income from job			
1. Regular wage, earning	2	1	
2. Second job wage, earning	2	1	
3. Occasional income, earning	2	1	
4. Business income (private venture etc.)	2	1	
5. Income from farming, agriculture	2	1	
6. Other work-related income:	2	1	
Other income			
7. Pension	2	1	
8. Child care grant, nursing benefit	2	1	
9. Family allowance (incl. Educational allowance)	2	1	
10. Unemployment benefit, income replacement	2	1	
11. Child protection assistance	2	1	
12. Other regular assistance	2	1	
13. Crisis assistance	2	1	
14. Housing allowance	2	1	
15. Assistance with public utility (pl. public utilities' charges)	2	1	
16. Income from a member of the family	2	1	
17. Other please specify:: (eg. Scholarship, interest)	2	1	

0- X-

8. What was the sum of your net earning or income in the last month?thousand Ft

0001- no own income/earning

0- X-

VI. BASIC SECURITY

1. Did you (the household) have particular financial difficulties in the last year?

2. Yes

1. No – TO QUESTION 3.

0- X-

IF YES

2. What was the difficulty?

.....

0- X-

3. Has the family arrears in payment for any of the following items?**If yes, how many months?**

	Yes	No	How many months?	0- X-
1. Rent,	2	1		
2. Housing credit	2	1		
3. Gas, electricity	2	1		
4. Heating (central, etc.)	2	1		
5. Water, sewage, garbage	2	1		
6. Other overhead costs (telephone etc.)	2	1		

0- X-

4. If you ever had difficulties in making ends meet 3 years ago, did you use any of the following solutions? If yes, then how often?

3 often	2 sometimes	1 never	9 no problem
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1. Try to earn extra money (more work or occasional work)	3	2	1	9
2. Work more in the household (repairing, preserving)	3	2	1	9
3. Sell home-made products	3	2	1	9
4. Buy goods cheap (at sale, price reduction stb.)	3	2	1	9
5. Repair old things instead of buying new ones	3	2	1	9
6. Try to save and cut down on expenditure	3	2	1	9
7. Go to a pawn shop	3	2	1	9
8. Sell family goods, assets	3	2	1	9
9. Borrow money, ask help from family	3	2	1	9
10. Borrow money, ask help from neighbours, friends	3	2	1	9
11. Ask assistance from local authority	3	2	1	9
12. Ask help and assistance from a charity association	3	2	1	9
13. Ask for loans, credits from official places (bank, local authority, electricity, etc.)	3	2	1	9

5. And if you have difficulties now, how often do you use the following solutions: often, sometimes or never?

3 often	2 sometimes	1 never	9 no problem
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	3	2	1	9
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14. Try to earn extra money (more work or occasional work)	3 2 1	9	
15. Work more in the household (repairing, preserving)	3 2 1	9	
16. Sell home-made products	3 2 1	9	
17. Buy goods in cheap places (at sale, price reduction stb.)	3 2 1	9	
18. Repair old things instead of buying new ones	3 2 1	9	
19. Try to save and cut down on expenditure	3 2 1	9	
20. Go to a pawn shop	3 2 1	9	
21. Sell a family goods, assets	3 2 1	9	
22. Borrow money, ask help from family	3 2 1	9	
23. Borrow money, ask help from neighbours, friends	3 2 1	9	
24. Ask assistance from local authority	3 2 1	9	
25. Ask help and assistance from a charity association	3 2 1	9	
26. Ask for loans, credits from official places (bank, local authority, electricity, etc.)			

6. Could you save money in the last year?

- 2 Yes, substantive amount
- 3 Yes, smaller amount
- 1. Could not save

0- X-

7. Do you have any credit or loan that you did not pay back as yet?

- 2 Yes
- 1. No – TO QUESTION 9.

0- X-

IF YES

8. How sure are you to be able to pay back the debt in time?

Please rate on a scale of 5 grades where 1 means unsure, and 5 means quite sure to be able to pay back.

Quite sure				Unsure
5	4	3	2	1

0- X-

9. Do you feel you have adequate health care service?

- 2 Yes
- 1 No

0- X-

10. Did it ever happen 3 years ago that there was not enough money for drugs, visit a doctor, dentist etc.? And nowadays?

	Yes	No	0- X-
3 years ago	2	1	
Now	2	1	

IF IN THE FIRST TABLE (BLOCK I. QU.1) THERE IS A FAMILY MEMBER BORN BETWEEN 1982 AND 1987 (A GRAMMAR SHOOOL AGED CHILD)

11. Now we would like to ask some questions about the children born between 1982 and 1987. What type of school do they attend? (if there are more children, then multiple answer)

	CODES 1-9	Other (in full)	0-X
1 st child given name			
2 nd child given name			
3 rd child given name			

Codes of school types:

1. Primary school
2. Technical secondary school
3. Vocational school
4. Trade school
5. Grammar school/high school

Not studying:

6. working
7. at home
8. other please specify::
9. no child at this age

If not in school:

1. studying further (university, college)
 2. looking for job
 3. stay at home
 4. other please specify::
- 0- X-

12. Do you think the child will finish the school? (

1 no – 2 yes – 3 maybe

1 st child given name	1 2 3	
2 nd child given name	1 2 3	
3 rd child given name	1 2 3	

13. What will the child do after finishing the school? (in which she/he is actually studying)? (codes: 1- study, 2 – search form job, 3 – stay home, 4 – other, please specify:)

	CODES 1-4	Other (in full)	0-X
1 st child given name			
2 nd child given name			
3 rd child given name			

VI EMPLOYMENT SECURITY

ASK THE WHOLE BLOCK ONLY FROM THOSE WHO HAVE SOME EARNING ACTIVITY AS AN EMPLOYEE OR SELF-EMPLOYED (BLOCK 1, QU.2)

1. Which year did you start working?year

0- X-

2. Did you change your workplace in the past 3 years?

2 Yes

1. No – GO TO QUESTION 4

0- X-

3. How many workplaces (jobs) did you have in the past 3 years?workplace

0- X-

4. Since when do you work in your current main job (as self-employed, or employee)?

.....year.....month

0- X-

5. To what extent are you satisfied with your main job/earning activity in terms of the following? Please rate on a scale of 5 point where 1 means very dissatisfied, 5 means very satisfied with the main job/ earning activity in terms of salary? And in terms of?

1. Wage level, income	5	4	3	2	1	0- X
2. Non-wage benefits and entitlements	5	4	3	2	1	
3. Nature of the work	5	4	3	2	1	
4. Extent of autonomy/independence	5	4	3	2	1	
5. Opportunity for further training	5	4	3	2	1	
6. Opportunity for upgrading and promotion	5	4	3	2	1	

6. If you are not fully satisfied with any of the above aspects of your job, would you move to another town or area for a better job?

3-Yes (SKIP TO Q 8)

2 – perhaps

1 – No

7. Why not (Why are you not sure)? (MULTIPLE RESPONSES ALLOWED)

1. Housing, home
2. Like my area
3. My social and economic networks
4. 5. Other (specify)

	Mentioned	not mentioned	
1. Because of the family	2	1	0-X
2. Because of flat, home	2	1	
3. likes the region	2	1	
4. Because of networks,	2	1	

5. other, please specify::.....	2	1	
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8 What economic branch does the company, private venture belongs to where you work as an independent, casual or regular employee?

- 01 Agriculture, forestry, fishing
 - 02 Mining
 - 03 Industry
 - 04 Construction
 - 05 Trade, commerce, repair
 - 06 Financial service (bank, insurance, etc.)
 - 07 Other services (computer, etc.)
 - 08 Public administration
 - 09 Culture, education
 - 10 Health care, welfare
 - 11 Personal services (hairdresser, etc.)
 - 12 Tourism, restauration
 - 13 Other please specify::
- 0- X-

9. Do you have another earning activity or job beside of your main job/earning activity?

- 2 Yes,
 - 1 No
- 0- X-

10. What kind of job/earning activity is it?

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11.What economic sector does the company, private venture belong to where you work?

- 1. State – TO 14
 - 2. Cooperative – TO 14
 - 3. Private – TO 14
 - 4. Non-profit, public
 - 5. Mixed
- 0- X-

IF PRIVATE OR MIXED

12. Is there foreign ownership in it?

- 2 Yes,
 - 1 No -- TO 14
- 0- X-

13. What is the role of the foreign ownership?

- 1. Decisive role
 - 2. Some role
 - 3. No role
- 0- X-

Now please think again about your main job

14. How many hours (in total) did you work last week in your main job? hours

15. In what shift(s) do you work?

N

	Yes	No
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1. morning	2	1
2. afternoon	2	1
3. night	2	1
4. other, please specify:.....	2	1

16. did you work last week at the weekend?

	Yes	No
Saturday	2	1
Sunday	2	1

17. How much time do you spent (normally) with travelling to and from your workplace each day in total?

..... hours.....minutes

99 99- work at home

0- X-

18 At what time do you arrive normally at your workplace (start to work)

..... hour.....minute

19 And ususally at what time do you leave?

..... hour.....minute

VIII. SECURITY OF OCCUPATIONAL SKILL

1. Do you have an occupational skill, a formal training for any profession?

2. Yes

1. No -TO 6

0- X-

2. Where have you received your occupational skill(s) and what are these? (multiple answer possible)

Where have you received your qualification or occupational skill?	Yes	No	Exact specification of the skill /qualification (pl. middle level manager in tourism, etc.)
University, college	2	1	
Higher course after high school graduation (not college)	2	1	
Intermediate course after high school graduation	2	1	
Technical secondary school, vocational school	2	1	
Course at workplace	2	1	
Other please specify::	2	1	

0- X-

3. To what extent do you use this training or skill in your present job? Please answer on a 5 point scale where 1 means that your training or skills are absolutely not used, and 5 means that they are used fully.

Fully				Absolutely not
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0- X-

4. In your opinion is your qualification or skill is roughly adequate for your current job or not?

1. not adequate

2. adequate

0- X-

5. How confident are you that you will be able to use your main skill, qualification at your main workplace in the next 3 years? Please rate on a 5 point scale where 1 means absolutely unsure, and 5 means absolutely sure.

Absolutely sure				Absolutely unsure
5	4	3	2	1

0- X-

6. In your opinion will you need to acquire a new skill in the next 3 years? Please rate on a scale of 5 grades where 1 means very unlikely and 5 means very likely that a new skill will be needed.

7.

Very likely				Very unlikely
5	4	3	2	1

0- X-

THOSE WHO ANSWERED 2, 3, 4, 5 ON above THE FIVE POINT SCALE.
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7. In this case can you participate in a training/retraining:

	YES	NO
1. At your present workplace?		
2. elsewhere?		

0- X-

1-

THOSE WHO ANSWERED 'NO' -1 AT LEAST TO ONE ITEM IN QUESTION 7

8. Why do you think you may not have access to training? (prompted only if no spontaneous answer)

1.

2.

3.

0 X-

	MENTIONS	DOES NOT MENTION
1. Too old		
2. Does not have enough time		
3 Does not have enough money		
4. Racial discrimination (ethnic, etc.)		
5. Other responsibilities (pl. family)		
6. Does not want to participate		
7 Will not be admitted		
8 There is no accessible training		

0-X

9. What would you do if you had to train/retrain in order to keep your job ? (prompted only if no spontaneous answer)

1. Try to participate in a training

2. Accept downgrading

3. Look for another job

4. Give up the job, go on v pension

0- X-

11. Are you able to use a computer?

2. yes

1. no

3 learning it

0- X-

11. Do you have a regular access to a computer?

	Yes	No	0- X-
1. At home	2	1	
2. At the workplace or school	2	1	
3. At friends	2	1	
4. Other - specify	2	1	

IX. LABOUR MARKET SECURITY

1. What do you think the unemployment rate in Hungary is at present?%
0- X-

2. How high do you think is the unemployment rate in your locality?

1. Very high
2. Average
3. Low, not a problem

0- X-

3. In your opinion how the unemployment rate may change in the next 12 months?

1. Will rise
2. Will remain about the same
3. Will fall

0- X-

4. Were you unemployed in the last 12 month at least for one week, searching for a job meanwhile?

2- Yes,

1. No – TO QUESTION 6.

0- X-

5. Were you registered unemployed (being registered in the labour office) in the last 12 month?

2- Yes

1 -No

6. If you got a job, would you be willing to move to another town or area ?

3-Yes

2 Perhaps

1. No (SKIP TO Q8)

7 Why not (Why are you not sure)? (MULTIPLE RESPONSES ALLOWED)

	MENTIONED	NOT MENTIONED	0-X-
1. Because of the family	2	1	
2. Because of flat, home	2	1	
3. likes the region	2	1	
4. Because of networks,	2	1	
5. other, please specify:.....	2	1	

IV. CARD

8. In your opinion who should receive unemployment benefit? (please answer with the help of the cards)

	Yes	No	0-X-
1 All unemployed workers who lost their job	2	1	
2 Unemployed whose family is poor (really need it)	2	1	
8 Who are supported by their family (ERROR IN HUNGARIAN)			

9 Unemployed who are actively looking for job	2	1	
10 Unemployed who accept one month of public work	2	1	
11 Self-employed who became bankrupted	2	1	

0- X-

ASK ONLY THOSE WHO ARE UNEMPLOYED OR WERE UNEMPLOYED IN THE LAST 12 MONTHS (qu4,c2)

9 For how many months are you / were you unemployed altogether?

.....months

10. During your unemployment period did / do you receive any public benefit. If yes, for how long?

	Yes	No	If yes, how many month?
1 Unemployment benefit	2	1	
2 Income replacement	2	1	
3 Public social assistance	2	1	

0- X-

ONLY FROM THOSE WHO DID/DO NOT RECEIVE ANY BENEFIT

11 What was the main reason you did/do not receive (BENEFIT), did you not qualify, did not you ask, or was the labour office (or the local authority) unable to pay?

CODE: 1 – did not qualify

2 – did not ask

3 – office unable to pay

1. Unemployment benefit	1	2	3	0	X
2, Income replacement	1	2	3		
3. Public social assistance	1	2	3		

12 While you were unemployed, did you do any public work?

2 - YES

1. No – TO NEXT BLOCK

0- X-

13 While you were unemployed, did you have to join any public work in order to receive the benefits?

2 - YES

1. No

0- X-

X. WORK SECURITY

ASK QUESTIONS 1 TO 5 FROM ALL THOSE WHO ARE WORKING (ACTIVE)

1. How many people usually work at your present workplace?

.....persons

0- X-

2. During the past 12 month has the number of employees changed at your workplace?

1 - Decreased
2 - Did not change – TO QU 4
3 - Increased

0- X-

3. About how great was the change (increase or decrease)persons

4. How confident are you that you will be able to keep your present main job/earning activity for the next 12 months (if you wanted to). Please evaluate on a 5 point scale where 1 means very unconfident, 5 means fully confident to keep the main job/earning activity.

Fully confident				Very unconfident
5	4	3	2	1

0- X-

5. If you needed it, how easy or difficult do you think it would be to find another earning activity /job which would be satisfactory according to the aspects enumerated below? Please rate on a 5 point scale where 1 means very difficult, 5 means very easy.

	Ver y easy				Ver y diffi cult	0- X-
1 Adequate earning?	5	4	3	2	1	
2 Adequate working conditions?	5	4	3	2	1	
3 Job suitable for skills and qualifications?	5	4	3	2	1	

0- X-

ASK QUESTIONS 6-21 FROM THOSE WHO ARE CURRENTLY EMPLOYED

6. In the past 3 months did it happen that you did not receive all due wages?

2 Yes, how many times:.....

1. No – TO QUESTION 8.

0- X-

7. What was the main reason for not receiving all the wages in the past 3 months?

1. Firm unable to pay
2. Put on an administrative leave by firm
3. Technical breakdown, bad weather conditions (in case of open air jobs)
4. Own illness, injury
5. Family problems (pl. had to care for sick family member)
6. Other, please specify (there was no demand for the products of the company):.....

0- X-

V. CARD

8- Which of the benefits shown on the cards are you entitled to?

(After the answer) And which have you received from your employers in the last 12 months?

	entitled to?		Received	
	Yes	No	Yes	No
1. Transport allowance	2	1	2	1
2. Work cloth	2	1	2	1
3. Full or partial meals cost subsidy	2	1	2	1
4. Housing subsidy	2	1	2	1
5. Assistance with children schooling	2	1	2	1
6. Holiday allowance	2	1	2	1
7. Pension fund (contribution paid by employer)	2	1	2	1
8. Health fund (contribution paid by employer)	2	1	2	1
9. Medical service	2	1	2	1
10. Severance and dismissal pay	2	1	2	1
11. Other please specify::	2	1	2	1

0- X-

9 Do you think your company asks sometimes its employees to become independent self-employed persons?

2. Yes

1. No – TO Q11

0- X-

10 Is this also your case?

2. Yes

1. No

0- X-

12. What type of contract do you have in your main job?

CARD VI

1. No written contract, works regularly
2. works casually, daily agreement
3. temporary contract; less than 3 month
4. fixed term contract (3-11 months)
5. fixed term contract (12 months)
6. fixed term contract (more than 12 months)
7. permanent contract
8. other, please specify:

0- X-

13. If you were to lose your job / earning activity, how much in advance would you expect to learn of this?

.....days.....weeks.....months

999 – would not know about it in advance

0- X-

13. In your opinion how much advance notice of redundancies should employers be required to give to the workers?

....days....weeks.....months

999. no need to give an advance notice

0- X-

1. Does your employer have more offices/location in several towns and villages?

2 Yes

1. No TO Q16

0- X-

15. If you were required to move to another location of the company to a different town or village, would you accept it?

2 Yes

1. No

0- X-

16. How safe do you think is the working environment in your workplace? Please rate on a 5 point scale where 1 means the working environment is very unsafe, 5 means very safe.

Very safe				Very unsafe
5	4	3	2	1

0- X-

17. Is there a work safety regulation in your workplace?

2 Yes

1. No

0- X-

18. Is there a department who is responsible for observing the health and safety regulations in your workplace?

2 Yes

1. No

0- X-

19. Have you been off from work for more than a week in the last 12 months due to the following reasons?

	YES	NO	
1. because of work-related injury	2	1	o-X
2. because of occupational, work-related sickness	2	1	o-X

THOSE FOR WHOM YOU MARKED A 2 IN QUESTION 19.

20. Have you received any financial support during this period (sick-pay, salary, etc.)?

2 Yes

1. No

0- X-

21. Do you know anybody else who has been off from work for the same reasons in the last year? If yes, how many people?

	Yes	No	If yes, how many people you know?
1. Work-related injury	2	1	

2. because of occupational, work-related sickness	2	1	
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0- X-

XI REPRESENTATION SECURITY

QUESTIONS 1 to 4 FROM ALL THOSE WHO ARE WORKING (ACTIVE)

1. Do you belong to a union which represents the workers' interest?

- 2 Yes
1. No
0- X-

2. What is your opinion on trade unions?

1. Rather positive
2. Partly positive , partly negative
3. Rather negative
0- X-

3. In your opinion what percentage of all workers in Hungary belongs to a union?

-%
0- X-

4. In your opinion this percentage is higher, lower or about the same compared to 5 years ago?

1. lower
2. same
3. higher
0- X-

5-13 QUESTIONS only FROM THOSE WHO ARE EMPLOYED (Block II, q 2 – 01, 02, 04)

5. Is there a trade union that represents workers' interest at your workplace?

- 2 Yes - TO Q7
1. No
0- X-

6. Is there an enterprise committee in your workplace?

2. yes
1.no
0- X-

7. How do you asses the relation of your employer to the trade unions?

1. cooperative, supportive of trade unions
2. tolerating them
3. inimical to them
4. banning trade unions
0- X-

8. Is there a signed collective agreement in your workplace?

- 2 Yes
1. No
0- X-

9. Do you trust your employer to look after your interest?

- 2 Yes
- 1 No
- 0- X-

10. Are you able to express grievances and raise personal concern with your employer?

- 2 Yes
- 1 No
- 0- X-
- 1-

11. Do you know about any instances when someone was sexually harrassed in your workplace because she is a women?

- 2 Yes
- 1 No
- 0- X-

ONLY FROM WOMEN

12. During the past 12 months did you experience any sexual harrassment (conflict in Hungarian) at your workplace because you are a woman (verbal abuse, other abuse,)

- 2- Yes
- 1. No – TO NEXT BLOCK
- 0- X-

13. What kind of harrassment (conflict) was this?
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XII OPINIONS ON SOCIAL VALUES

1. Please tell me which of the following opinions do you agree with?

	Yes	No	0-X-
1. There should be an upper limit for a person's income	2	1	
2. There should be a lower level for a person's income, which everybody must reach	2	1	
3. There should be no limit or restriction on a person's income, but there should be policies to improve the situation of the least well off	2	1	
3. Everyone should get the same income	2	1	

3. What do you think of income inequalities 3 years ago were / are they too small, acceptable or too large?

And now?

1- too small, 2- acceptable 3 – too large

	Too small	Acceptable	Too large	0-X-
3 YEARS AGO	1	2	3	
NOW	1	2	3	

CARD VII

3. We compare different groups. In your opinion, should the following types of workers receive higher, lower, or about the same wages/earned income as other workers when both are doing similar work

	Smaller income	Similar income	Higher income	0-X-
1. Women as compared to men	1	2	3	
2. Younger as compared to older workers	1	2	3	
3. Women with children as compared to single women	1	2	3	
4. Romas as compared to non-romas	1	2	3	
5. Guest workers as compared to people born in Hungary	1	2	3	

0- X-

CARD VII AGAIN

4. We compare the same groups again in case of hiring. In your opinion, should the following workers get preference when workers are hired?

	Yes	No	0-X-
1 Women as compared to men	2	1	
2 Younger as compared to older workers	2	1	
3 Women with children as compared to single women	2	1	
4 Romas as compared to non-romas	2	1	
5 Guest workers as compared to people born in Hungary	2	1	

5. In certain circumstances people are dissatisfied with the actions of the government or the local authority. In your opinion what action is acceptable to express dissatisfaction?

	Acceptable	Not acceptable	0- X-
1. Street demonstration	2	1	

2. Collection of signatures / round robin	2	1	
3. Strike	2	1	
4. Civil disobedience	2	1	
5. Request of plebiscite			
6. Vote against the current government at the next election	2	1	
7. Go to a high court or ombudsman			
8. Form or join an organization representing interests	2	1	
9. Do nothing	2	1	

0- X-

CARD VIII

6. Employees sometimes are dissatisfied with some action of the employers. In your opinion how workers can express their dissatisfaction in the following circumstances?

CODES: 1 go to a court 2 turn to a government agency 3 turn to a union
4 take part in a meeting 5 strike 6 do nothing 7. Other specify:

		0-X-
1. Wages not being paid for 3 months		
2. Non-observance of labour safety codes, regulations		
3. Violation of collective agreement		

7-It my happen that people cannot take up a paying job because there is someone in the family who needs constant care. In your opinion to what extent should the government compensate these individuals for the time they put into the following activities?

CODES: 1- Fully compensate 2 - Partly compensate 3 - Not compensate

	CODE 1-7	Other solution: specify	0-X-
1. Take care of children under 5			
2. Take care of elderly relatives			
3. Do voluntary work for community			

8. In your opinion for how long women should get a paid leave for maternity and child care?

.....weeks.....months.....years

999 no need to give a leave

0- X-

9. In your opinion for how long women should get an unpaid leave for maternity and child care?

.....weeks.....months.....years

999. no need to give a leave

0- X-

10. In your opinion should men are entitled to get a paid or unpaid leave for child care?

2Yes

1- no

0- X-

11. Do you feel anxious or worried about the following events or circumstances? Please answer on a 5 point scale where 1 means very anxious, worried, and 5 means not anxious, worried at all.

	5 4 3 2 1	0- X-
1. your job	5 4 3 2 1	

2. family member's job	5 4 3 2 1	
3. adequate income	5 4 3 2 1	
4. regular income	5 4 3 2 1	
5. your health	5 4 3 2 1	
6. (your and your family's) access to health care	5 4 3 2 1	
7. future job of children	5 4 3 2 1	
8. education of children	5 4 3 2 1	
9. savings	5 4 3 2 1	
10. paying back debts (if there is any)	5 4 3 2 1	
11. keep the home	5 4 3 2 1	
12. pay the bills	5 4 3 2 1	
13. future pension, income (in old age)	5 4 3 2 1	
14. access to health care in old age	5 4 3 2 1	

0- X-

12. To what extent should the state be responsible for some problems? Please rate on a scale of 5 grades where 1 means state is not responsible, and 5 means state is fully responsible. To what extent should the state be responsible for?

1. Health care	5 4 3 2 1	
2. Child care under 6	5 4 3 2 1	
3. Primary education	5 4 3 2 1	
4. Secondary education	5 4 3 2 1	
5. Higher education	5 4 3 2 1	
6. Maintenance cost of children	5 4 3 2 1	
7. Adequate pension	5 4 3 2 1	
8. First home for young people	5 4 3 2 1	
9. Availability of jobs	5 4 3 2 1	
10. Adequate living conditions for disabled	5 4 3 2 1	

0- X-

13. To what extent does the state take really responsibility for the same problems? Please rate on a scale of 5 grades where 1 means state is not responsible, and 5 means state is fully responsible. To what extent does the state responsible for?

1. Health care	5 4 3 2 1	
2. Child care under 6	5 4 3 2 1	
3. Primary education	5 4 3 2 1	
4. Secondary education	5 4 3 2 1	
5. Higher education	5 4 3 2 1	
6. Maintenance cost of children	5 4 3 2 1	
7. Decent pension	5 4 3 2 1	
8. First home for young people	5 4 3 2 1	
9. Availability of jobs	5 4 3 2 1	
10. Decent living conditions for disabled	5 4 3 2 1	

0- X-

14. Do you agree with giving money or financial support to?

15. And do you give to ...?

	14.		15.	
	Yes	No	Yes	No
1 homeless people, beggars?				
2- Poor and sick people?				
3- Civil organisations, foundations?				

4- Church?				
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THANKS FOR ANSWERING

DONT ASK, ONY MARK:

Type of the house in which the interviewee lives:

- 01- farm (isolated)
- 02- traditional peasant house
- 03- temporary shelter (shop, etc.)
- 04- flat in a traditional (old) house (with rented flats)
- 05- flat on a modern housing estate, not panel
- 06- flat on a modern housing estate, panel
- 07- villa, several flats
- 08- new terrace housing
- 09- „family” house in a garden, one level
- 10- (new) „family” house, several floors
- 11- other

Type of the area in which the interviewee lives:

- 1 – well-kept urban area
- 2– unordered urban area
- 3 – well-kept rural area
- 4 – unordered rural area
- 5 – poor area (gypsy tenement, etc.)