

Questionnaire No. :

Date _____ Interviewer _____

District _____ Division _____

Village _____

Suggested respondents: Secretary General or President of District Chambers of Commerce, Secretary General or President of District Trade Union Coordination Council, Manager of an NGO business support organisation (like SEEDS), Manager of Industrial Development Board, a Divisional Secretary of a badly affected Division. Traders associations.

1 Information about the respondent

1.1. Organisation the respondent works for. _____

1.2. Position of the respondent. _____

1.3. Sex of respondent

Male	1
Female	2

2. Numbers affected

2.1 Approximately how many people in this district lost **all their sources of income** as a result of the disaster?

2.2 Are these generally the same people whose houses have been damaged or destroyed?

Yes	
No	

2.3 Approximately how many people in this district lost their **main source of income** as a result of the disaster?

2.4 Do **men and women** face a different economic situation because of the loss of income? If so, what are these differences?

3 Economic activities affected

3.1 **Which economic activities** in the district were affected by the disaster? Please include activities **for women as well as men** *(Complete first column)*

3.2 Were these economic activities **mostly individual small businesses or large businesses?** *(Tick second column if small – Small businesses include businesses with up to 20 workers)*

3.3 Could you **rank** these economic activities **in accordance with numbers of women** that lost their source of income? *(Complete third column)*

3.4 Could you **rank** these economic activities **in accordance with numbers of men** that lost their source of income? *(Complete fourth column)*

Activity	Small	Priority for women	Priority for men

- 3.5 What private **productive assets** were lost or damaged? By productive assets, we mean property, materials, and equipment that people used to generate their income. Please be specific so we can understand for which economic activities these losses and damages were suffered. *(Complete first column – please keep questioning to make the answer specific. For example not equipment, but machinery for carpentry. Please make sure all activities in the district are included, including informal activities.)*
- 3.6 Were these losses and damages mostly in individual small businesses or in large businesses? *(Tick third column if small)*

Property/materials/equipment	Small

- 3.7 What **infrastructure, public property, materials, and equipment** were lost or damaged that were **important to the economy** of this district? *(Complete first column)*
- 3.8 Could you **rank** these losses and damages in accordance with how important they are, in terms of how much they are needed **to restart the economy in your district** *(Complete third column)*
- 3.9 *Which of these public infrastructure are the most important for small businesses and producers to be able to start their activities? (Tick the two most important)*

Public infrastructure/materials/equipment	Priority	Small

4 Plans and assistance

- 4.1 In which **economic activities** do you expect people in your district **will not return** to what they did before? *(Complete table)*

Economic activities they will not return to

4.2 **Why would people not return** to their previous economic activities?

(For each of the economic activities people will return to, ask 4.4)

4.3 In which **economic activities** do you expect **people in your district will return** to what they did before? *(Complete first column)*

For each activity given, ask:

4.4 **What kind of assistance** do you think people in this district need to be able go back to *(Complete first column)*

Economic activity they will return to	Assistance

- 4.5 Are there, or do you expect there will be new **temporary** opportunities to earn an income in the District, compared to before the disaster? *(Complete first column)*
- 4.6 Are there, or do you expect there will be new **long lasting** opportunities to earn an income in the District, compared to before the disaster? *(Complete first column)*

Temporary Opportunities	Long-lasting opportunities

(For each of the opportunities ask 4.7)

- 4.7 What kind of assistance do you think the people in this district need to be able to make use of the opportunities for ?

Opportunity	Assistance

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Household Type:

- Host Family
- Displaced - Camp
- Displaced - Friends/family
- Affected but remained at home
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1. Information about the Respondent

1.1. Are you the head of the household?

Yes	1
No	2

if no:

1.2. What is your relationship to the head of the household?

Spouse	1
Child	2
Other (Specify)	3

1.3. Sex of respondent

Male	1
Female	2

1.4. How old are you? Age: _____

2. Household composition

2.1. What is the current composition of your household?

Household composition	Number of people
Boys < 5 years	
Girls < 5 years	
Boys 5-17 years	
Girls 5-17 years	
Men 18 – 65	
Women 18 – 65	
Men Over 65	
Women Over 65	

Host families only:

2.2. How many additional people are living in your household as a result of the Tsunami?
Nb of people: _____

3. Household Assets

3.1. Has your house been affected by the Tsunami? If yes, what is the level of destruction?

Unaffected	1
Partially destroyed	2
Totally destroyed	3

3.2. Could you please tell us whether any property owned by your household that you used to generate an income has been affected, and if yes, the level of damage caused to them?

	Unaffected	Partially damaged	Totally damaged
Buildings (other than own home)			
Crops			
Livestock			
Farming Equipment			
Boats			
Other Fishing Equipment			
Vehicles (Bicycles/Motor Bicycles/cars)			
Stocks (supplies, products)			
Others Specify			

4. Household Income and Future Plans

4.1. What were your household three main sources of income before the Tsunami? What are they now? What do you expect they will be in the next month? Please rank them

[Code below – Do NOT read out 1. for most important – 2 for second – 3 for third most important]

Sector	Main source of income before	Current main source of income	Expected main source of income in the next month
Agriculture			
Fisheries			
Manufacturing			
Hospitality (tourism, restaurant)			
Other services			
Retail trade (shops/petty trade)			
Remittances (foreign)			
Government Welfare			
Private Charity (NGO, UN, religious)			
Others. Please specify			

4.2. How many people are currently earning an income in your household?

No of people _____

4.3. How many people are currently without a job but able and willing to work?

No of people _____

4.4. Are you a member of a Social security scheme?

Yes	1
No	2

4.5. **If yes**, which ones? Do you know how to receive benefits from them?

[Code below – Do NOT read out]

	Member	Know how to receive benefits
PSPS	1	1
EPF	2	2
APPF	3	3
Farmers PS	4	4
Fishermen PS	5	5
Self Employed PS	6	6
Other	7	7

4.6. Was your household receiving any forms of social assistance before the disaster

Yes	1
No	2

4.7. **If yes**, which:

Janasaviya / Samurdhi	1
Triposha	2
Poor Relief	3
Government pension	4
Other	5

5. Respondent's labour market situation and plans for the future

The following questions are about the respondent situation and plans, not the whole household

5.1. Do you plan to work in this area (location) or somewhere else?

[Code below – Do NOT read out]

In this area	1
Somewhere else	2

5.2. What were you doing to earn an income before the disaster? What are you doing now to earn an income? What are you planning to do to earn an income in the future?

[Code below – Do NOT read out]

Sector	Before	Now	Plans for future
Agriculture	1	1	1
Fishing	2	2	2
Manufacturing	3	3	3
Hospitality (tourism, restaurant)	5	5	5
Other services	6	6	6
Retail trade (shops/petty trade)	7	7	7
Others	8	8	8
Unemployed/Not working	9	9	9
Does not know			10

[If no future plans or does not plan to work, go to part 7]

5.3. Do you have the right skills to do the work you are planning to do?

Yes	1
No	2

5.4. Are you planning to be self employed, run a business or be in wage employment?

[Code below – Do NOT read out]

Self employed/in business	1	Go to 6
Wage employment	2	Go to 5.5

[If wage employment]

5.5. Are the businesses that offer this kind of work in this area operational?

Yes	1	Go to part 7
No	2	Go to part 7

6. Resources needed for self-employed/in business

[If self employed / running a business]

6.1. Do you have experience in being self-employed or doing business?

Yes	1
No	2

6.2. Do you have the funds to do this?

Yes	1
No	2

If no:

6.3. How do you plan to get those funds?

[Code below – Do NOT read out]

Get grant	1
Get assistance from family and friends	2
Get a loan	3

6.4. Will you need skilled or unskilled workers for your business?

[Code below – Do NOT read out]

Get unskilled workers	1
Get skilled workers	2
None of the above	3

7. Household Expenditure

7.1. What was your households' monthly expenditure before the disaster?

Rs.	
Less than 5,000	
5,000 to 10,000	
10,000 – 25,000	
25,000 +	

7.2. What percentage of your expenditure did you spent on **food** before the disaster?

Less than 50%	
50 to 75%	
More than 75%	

7.3. What has been your household s total expenditure in the last 7 days?

Rs : _____

7.4. What percentage of your expenditure did you spent on **food** in the last 7 days?

Less than 50%	
50 to 75%	
More than 75%	

8. Household Food Consumption/Food Source

8.1. What is the households main source of food? [Tick multiple categories]

	Before	Current	Predict 1 month ahead
Own Production			
Market Purchases			
Food from friends/family etc			
Food on credit			
Aid			
Hunting Gathering			

8.2. How many full meals is eaten in your household per day? _____

8.3. How many days a week does your household consume the following? _____

	Before	Current
Rice		
Bread/chapatti/roti		
Pulses		
Vegetables		
Fish		
Meat		
Fruits		
Eggs		
Maize		
Potato/Yam		
Sugar/Jaggary		
Curd		
Milk		
Other		

9. Relief

9.1. Has your household received any of the following relief assistance since the tsunami?

- Shelter
- Food
- Medicine
- Clothing
- Bedding
- Cooking utensils
- Cash
- Other (specify) _____

9.2. What are your households 3 most urgent needs?

enter 1 for most urgent, 2 for second most urgent and 3 for third most urgent need

- Shelter
- Food
- Medicine
- Clothes
- Work
- Cash/Credit
- Other (specify) _____

9.3. With the current assistance that you are receiving, what is your best guess for your situation to return to it's previous level?

- Less than 1 month
- 1 - 3 months
- 3 - 6 months
- 6 or more months
- Don't know

9.4. How long do you expect to stay at this location?

applicable only to those who have relocated to camps or to friends/relatives

- Less than 1 month
- 1 - 3 months
- 3 or more months
- Don't know

9.5. Where do you plan to go?

applicable to only those who respond to 8.4 above

- Return Home
- Camp
- Host
- New Location
- Don't know

NASIR 2 SURVEY QUESTIONNAIRE

RECRUITMENT QUESTIONS

Q A. Has your house been affected by the Tsunami?

Q B. Has anyone in your household lost his or her source of income as a result of the tsunami?

[Code questions QA and QB below if “yes” to one of the questions]

	Q A.	Q B.
Yes	1	1
No	2	2

[If “no” answered in QA. and QB please thank the respondent and terminate the interview. Else continue]

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

I. District:

Colombo	1
Galle	2
Hambantota	3
Ampara	4
Batticaloa	5
Trincomalee	6
Mullativu	7
Jaffna	8
Matara	9

II. GN Division :

III. Village / **Town** :

IV. Household Type:

Displaced – Camp	1
Displaced – Friends/family	2
Affected but not displaced	3

V. Type of current shelter: [**Observe and code**]

Own house – not damaged	1
Own house - damaged	2
Solid temporary structure	3
Tent	4
Friend/family house	5
Other	6

MAIN QUESTIONNAIRE

Q1. Household Residence

Q1.1 **Since Tsunami**, what type of housing did you live in immediately before your current residence?
[Single code]

Own house – not damaged	1
Own house - damaged	2
Solid temporary structure	3
Tent	4
Friend/family house	5
Other	6

Q2. Household Composition

Q2.1 What is the current composition of your household, including yourself? **[Read out]**

Household composition	No. of people	
Children below 13 Yrs		[Go to Q3]
Men 14 – 64 Yrs		[Go to Q2.2]
Women 14 – 64Yrs		[Go to Q2.2]
Adults over 65Yrs		[Go to Q3]

ONLY for those with Men or Women 14-64 years:

Q2.2 Of these same men and women between 14 and 64:
[Read out - Important: If none please write “0” in the column and do not leave blank]

	Men	Women	
How many lost their main source of income because of the tsunami but are working now?			[Go to Q3]
How many are currently not working because they have been affected by the tsunami?			[If 1 or higher, go to Q2.3. Else go to Q3 section]

Q2.3 Of those not working because of the tsunami:

	Men	Women
How many are single parents or widows?		

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Q3. Household Income Situation

Q3.1 The following questions refer to your household MAIN source of income. This includes also main source of income not from work, such as Government or private assistance and foreign remittances, loan and borrowing, or selling of property.

Q3.1a What was your **household's MAIN source of income** from work or other? [Single code in column 1]

Q3.1b What is your household's MAIN source of income now? [Single code in column 2]

	Column1 (Q3.1a)	Column 2 (Q3.1b)
Sector	Before	Now
Income from Work		
Agriculture and livestock	1	1
Fisheries	2	2
<u>Manual Labor such as:</u> Construction of buildings,/homes manufacturing garment industry plumbing electrical repair digging	3	3
<u>Private Services & Small Business such as:</u> tourism hotels restaurants handicraft coir house cleaning/cooking/errands small shops/sales of fresh food/misc.goods hair salons petty trade jewelry driving (bus, three wheeler, cab)	4	4
<u>Public Sector/Government Services such as:</u> Teaching Street cleaning/maintenance Driving public buses Police Hospitals Administration, secretarial	5	5
Temporary relief work with NGOs	6	6
Other sector (Specify).....-	7	7
Income not from work including:		
Remittances (foreign) Government welfare/support Pension / Retired allowances Private charity Loans, borrowing Selling belongings (property, jewelry)	8	8

Your answer to the next question will be used strictly for research purposes and your name will not be given to any authorities.

Q3.2 What was the total income (from earnings of all working members of the household and other welfare support received) of your household last month?

Monthly Rs. _____

Q4. Socio-economic situation

Q4.1 Has your household received Rs. 5,000 per month from the Government after the tsunami? If yes, for how many months?

Yes	1	Number of months	
No	2		

Q4.2 Are you receiving the weekly allowance of Rs 375 from the Government after the tsunami, including food coupons or kind?

Yes	1
No	2

Q4.3 Are you receiving other Government assistance, such as Samurdhi?

Yes	1
No	2

Q4.4 Is your household receiving money from private sources? This includes transfers from private charity, foreign remittances and receipts from friends and family.

Yes	1
No	2

[If the respondent is from Northern or Eastern Province, go to Q4.5. Else go to Q5]

FOR NORTHERN AND EASTERN PROVINCES ONLY

Q4.5 Is your household receiving any assistance in food or money from the TRO (Tamil Rehabilitation Organisation)?

Yes	1
No	2

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Q5. Respondent's labour market situation and plans for the future

THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS ARE ABOUT THE RESPONDENT SITUATION AND PLANS, NOT THE WHOLE HOUSEHOLD

Q5.1 Sex of respondent

Male	1
Female	2

Q5.2 How old are you? Age: _____

Q5.3a Are you earning an income now? [single code in column 1]

Q5.3b Are you planning to earn an income in the next six months? [single code in column 2]

	Column 1 (Q5.3a)	Column 2 (Q5.3b)
	Now	Future
Yes	1	1
Not now/ not future	2	2
Don't know if will work or what to do		3

[Go to Q5.5]

[Go to Q5.4]

[Go to Q6 section]

ONLY if NOT working now or in the future (code 2 in Q5.3a or Q5.3b):

Q5.4 What is the main reason for not working? [Single Code]

Permanent disability	1	No assets, no material to work with	7
Family obligations (household, maternity) or lack of spousal / other responsible persons' permission	2	Lack of technical skills	8
Old age	3	Language barrier	9
No need (and no other reason given)	4	No job suitable for my social status	10
Job quality insufficient (poor pay, poor working conditions, other)	5	Private or public support sufficient	11
No work for me to do	6	Other (not willing, student, temporary reasons)	12

Go to Q6 section

ONLY if working now or in future (code 1 in Q5.3a or Q5.3b):

Q5.5 The following questions are about the source of the income you earn. It includes also seasonal activities and tasks such as fish processing, temporary relief work, livestock.

Q5.5a What are you doing for your main income? [Column 1 - Single code]

Q5.5b What are you planning to do for your main income? [Single code in Column 2]

	Column 1 (Q5.5a)	Column 2 (Q5.5b)
Sector	Now	Future
Income from Work		
Agriculture and livestock	1	1
Fisheries	2	2
Manual Labor such as: Construction of buildings,/homes manufacturing garment industry	3	3

plumbing electrical repair digging		
<u>Private Services & Small Business such as:</u> tourism hotels restaurants handicraft coir house cleaning/cooking/errands small shops/sales of fresh food/misc.goods hair salons petty trade jewelry driving (bus, three wheeler, cab)	4	4
<u>Public Sector/Government Services such as:</u> Teaching Street cleaning/maintenance Driving public buses Police Hospitals Administration, secretarial	5	5
Temporary relief work with NGOs	6	6
Other sector (Specify).....-	7	7
<u>Income not from work including:</u> Remittances (foreign) Government welfare/support Pension / Retired allowances Private charity Loans, borrowing Selling belongings (property, jewelry)	8	8

Q5.6 Are you generally satisfied with the TYPE of work you are doing for your main income?
[single code – NOTE: Type of work refers to what the respondent is doing and how, such as working conditions, their supervisor, or work hours.]

Yes	1
No	2
Not Applicable	3

Q5.7a Were you earning an income before the tsunami?

Yes	1	[Go to Q5.7b]
No	2	[Go to Q5.8]

If yes:

Q5.7b How does the amount of your current main INCOME compare to before the tsunami?
[read out – single code in Column 1]

Q5.7c How does the amount of work HOURS compare? [read out – single code in Column 2]

	Column 1 (Q5.7b)	Column 2 (Q5.7c)
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	Income	Work hours
Less	1	1
Same	2	2
More	3	3

Q5.8 Compared to before the tsunami, is the current cost of living for buying typical household foods and goods: **[read out – single code]**

Less	1
Same	2
More	3

Q5.9 Do you have debts for business or other purposes from before the tsunami that you have not repaid?

Yes	1
No	2

[continue]
[Go to Q5.13]

Q5.10 If yes, how do you plan to repay it? **[Read out - Single Code]**

Personal or household earnings, remittances or both	1
Loan (already received)	2
Future loan (not yet applied for)	3
Combination of sources	4
Other	5
Don't know if will repay	6
Will not repay/no need to repay	7

IF CODED "1", "1" OR "1", "3" IN Q5.3

Q5.11 Are you currently or are you planning to be self-employed, run a business or be in wage employment? **[single code]**

Self employed/in business	1	[Go to Q5.12]
Wage employment	2	[Go to Q6 section]
Both	3	[Go to Q5.12]
Don't know	4	[Go to Q6 section]

ONLY IF SELF-EMPLOYED/RUNNING A BUSINESS OR BOTH

Q5.12 Do you have experience in being self-employed or doing business?

Yes	1
No	2

Q5.13 Have you tried to get a business loan since the tsunami?

Yes	1	[Go to Q5.14]
No	2	[Go to Q5.15]

If tried to get a business loan:

Q5.14a From whom did you try to get a loan? [Multiple code]

Q5.14b By whom have you been accepted? [Multiple code]

	Applied (Q5.14a)		Accepted (Q5.14b)	
	Yes	No	Yes	No
A bank or Finance Institution	1	2	1	2
Family or friends	1	2	1	2
NGO micro finance institution	1	2	1	2
Money lender / pawn shop	1	2	1	2
Cooperatives	1	2	1	2
[Go to Q.6 section]			[Go to Q5.14c]	

Q5.14c If not accepted, what is/are the main reason/reasons?

[code 2 in Q5.14b] [Multiple code]

No collateral	1
Previous loan unpaid	2
Not member of lending institutions	3
Other, Specify.....	4

Go to Q6 section

If not applied for a business loan since the tsunami (coded 2 in Q5.13)

Q5.15 Are you planning to apply for a business loan?

Yes	1	[Go to Q6 section]
No	2	[Go to Q5.16]

Q5.16 If not, what is the main reason for not applying? [Single Code]

Have the funds	1	Interest rates too high	7
Expect a grant	2	No collateral	8
Do not want to take the risk	3	Previous loan unpaid	9
Do not know how to get it	4	Not member of lending institutions	10
Have lost the necessary documentation	5	No bank or financial institutions in the neighbourhood	11
Do not know how to fill business plan / papers for application	6	Other Specify.....	12

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Q6. Employment assistance and temporary work

Q6.1a What assistance have you received since the tsunami that has helped you to earn an income? [multiple code in Column 1]

Q6.1b What assistance was MOST helpful for earning an income? [Single code in Column 2]

Q6.1c What assistance is MOST needed within the next six months for you to earn ENOUGH income or to help you find work? [Single code in Column 3]

	Column 1 (Q6.1a)	Column 2 (Q6.1b) 1st mention	Column 3 (Q6.1c) 1st mention
	All assistance received	Most helpful	Most needed in future
Loans	1	1	1
Grants (in kind or cash)	2	2	2
Equipment	3	3	3
Training – formal/vocational education or skill building for new type of work	4	4	4
Training – informal to improve/upgrade existing skills	5	5	5
Employment search assistance	6	6	6
Counselling/Advice	7	7	7
Temporary work	8	8	8
Child care/elderly/sick care assistance or facilities	9	9	9
Transports	10	10	10
Housing – owning a house again	11	11	11
Housing – repair of own house/ living in own house	12	12	12
Family/friend support – housing, income, other household decisions	13	13	13
No support received/nothing helpful/Will not need any support	14	14	14
Not relevant - no income earned/not planning to work	15		15
Other, specify	16	16	16

Q.6.2 Are you willing to share the ownership of a business with others in your community if assistance were available?

Yes	1
No	2

Q6.3 Are you prepared to do paid manual labour on a temporary basis? This manual labour would be appropriate for both sexes.

Yes	1	[Go to Q6.4 and continue]
No	2	[Go to Q6.8]

IF PREPARED to do paid manual labour

Q6.4 How long would you be prepared to do manual labour? [Single Code]

Few weeks (less than a month)	1
1 to 3 months	2
3 to 6 months	3
More than 6 months	4

Q6.5 How much would you need to earn per day to make manual labour worthwhile?
Rs: _____

Q6.6 How would you most prefer to receive payment? **[Read out – single code]**

Wages	1
Food	2
Both	3

Q6.7 Do you have any objections to being paid piece rate? (Paid for completion of a specific task)

Yes	1
No	2

Go to Q7 section

IF NOT prepared to do paid manual labour

Q6.8 Why are you not prepared to do manual labour? **[Main Reason, Single Code]**

Because it is unfit for women	1
Because it is unfit for my caste or my social class	2
Physically not strong enough (but no disability)	3
Physically disabled	4
Do not need to do manual labour to earn an income	5
Other	6

Q7. Information

Q7.1 Do you think you are well informed about the services and entitlements offered to you and your household by the Government and others?

Yes	1
Not very much	2
Not at all	3

Q7.2 What is the **most important** type of information you currently need regarding assistance, services or entitlements for you or your household? **[Do not read out - Single Code]**

	1st mention		1st mention
Loans	1	Child care/elderly/sick care assistance or facilities	9
Grants (in kind or cash)	2	Transports	10
Equipment	3	Housing – owning a house again/living in own house	11
Training – vocational education or skill building for new type of work	4	Housing – repair of own house	12
Training – skill building to improve/upgrade existing skills	5	No need for any support/not relevant	13
Employment search assistance	6	Government programs	14
Counselling/Advice	7	Other, specify	15
Temporary work	8		

THANK and CLOSE the interview.