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 A1

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 A2

Question

Interviewer (ID for individual interviewers)

Type

Numeric

 A3**Question**

Interviewer gender

1	Male
2	Female

 A4_1**Question**

Date of the interview: month (1 - 12)

1	January
2	February
3	March
4	April
5	May
6	June
7	July
8	August
9	September
10	October
11	November
12	December

 A4_2A**Question**

Date of the interview: weekday

1	Sunday
2	Monday

3	Tuesday
4	Wednesday
5	Thursday
6	Friday
7	Saturday

 A4_2B

Question

Date of the interview: day (1 - 31)

Type

Numeric

 A6

Question

Interview language (questionnaire language)

1	Finnish
2	Swedish

 K1

Question

How interested are you in politics?

1	Very interested
2	Somewhat interested
3	Not very interested
4	Not interested at all
5	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K2_1

Question

How much attention did you pay to media coverage of the parliamentary elections from different media outlets?
CARD Television debates and party leader interviews

1	A great deal of attention
2	A fair amount of attention
3	Only a little
4	Paid no attention at all
5	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K2_2

Question

How much attention did you pay to media coverage of the parliamentary elections from different media outlets?
CARD Television news and current affairs programmes

1	A great deal of attention
2	A fair amount of attention
3	Only a little
4	Paid no attention at all
5	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K2_3

Question

How much attention did you pay to media coverage of the parliamentary elections from different media outlets?
CARD Television entertainment programmes featuring politicians

1	A great deal of attention
2	A fair amount of attention
3	Only a little
4	Paid no attention at all
5	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K2_4

Question

How much attention did you pay to media coverage of the parliamentary elections from different media outlets?
CARD Radio programmes

1	A great deal of attention
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2	A fair amount of attention
3	Only a little
4	Paid no attention at all
5	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K2_5

Question

How much attention did you pay to media coverage of the parliamentary elections from different media outlets?
CARD Newspaper articles, columns or letters to the editor

1	A great deal of attention
2	A fair amount of attention
3	Only a little
4	Paid no attention at all
5	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K2_6

Question

How much attention did you pay to media coverage of the parliamentary elections from different media outlets?
CARD Television advertisements

1	A great deal of attention
2	A fair amount of attention
3	Only a little
4	Paid no attention at all
5	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K2_7

Question

How much attention did you pay to media coverage of the parliamentary elections from different media outlets?
CARD Newspaper advertisements

1	A great deal of attention
2	A fair amount of attention

3	Only a little
4	Paid no attention at all
5	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K2_8

Question

How much attention did you pay to media coverage of the parliamentary elections from different media outlets?
CARD Web news covering elections e.g. newspaper websites

1	A great deal of attention
2	A fair amount of attention
3	Only a little
4	Paid no attention at all
5	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K2_9

Question

How much attention did you pay to media coverage of the parliamentary elections from different media outlets?
CARD Websites of the candidates and political parties

1	A great deal of attention
2	A fair amount of attention
3	Only a little
4	Paid no attention at all
5	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K2_10

Question

How much attention did you pay to media coverage of the parliamentary elections from different media outlets?
CARD Blogs

1	A great deal of attention
2	A fair amount of attention
3	Only a little

4	Paid no attention at all
5	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K2_11

Question

How much attention did you pay to media coverage of the parliamentary elections from different media outlets?
CARD Candidate selectors on the Internet

1	A great deal of attention
2	A fair amount of attention
3	Only a little
4	Paid no attention at all
5	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K2_12

Question

How much attention did you pay to media coverage of the parliamentary elections from different media outlets?
CARD Social media, e.g. Facebook, Twitter or Instagram

1	A great deal of attention
2	A fair amount of attention
3	Only a little
4	Paid no attention at all
5	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K2_13

Question

How much attention did you pay to media coverage of the parliamentary elections from different media outlets?
CARD Videos of the candidates or political parties on the Internet, e.g. YouTube

1	A great deal of attention
2	A fair amount of attention
3	Only a little
4	Paid no attention at all

5 Can't say (spontaneous)

 K2_14

Question

How much attention did you pay to media coverage of the parliamentary elections from different media outlets?
CARD News broadcasts on the Internet or social media

1 A great deal of attention
2 A fair amount of attention
3 Only a little
4 Paid no attention at all
5 Can't say (spontaneous)

 K3

Question

How often do you use the Internet?

1 Daily, over 2 hours per day
2 Daily, less than 2 hours per day
3 A few times a week
4 About once a week
5 Less frequently
6 Not at all
7 Can't say (spontaneous)

 K4

Question

Generally, that is, not only during elections, how often do you discuss political and social issues with people?

1 Daily or almost daily
2 Often
3 Sometimes
4 Seldom

5	Never
6	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K5

Question

How stable is your political party identification?

1	Completely stable
2	Fairly stable
3	Not very stable
4	Not at all stable
5	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K6

Question

Which social class would you say you belong to?

1	Working class
2	Lower middle class
3	Middle class
4	Upper middle class
5	Upper class
6	Not to any class
7	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K7

Question

Which of the following alternatives best describes your childhood home?

1	Worker family
2	Lower middle class family
3	Middle class family
4	Upper middle class family

5	Upper class family
6	Farmer family
7	Entrepreneur family
8	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K8

Question

How many different political parties have you voted for in parliamentary elections so far?

1	Have always voted for candidates of one party
2	Have voted for candidates of two or three different parties
3	Have voted for candidates of four or more parties
4	Have never voted
5	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K9_1

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? It is people's own business whether they want to use their right to vote or not

1	Strongly agree
2	Somewhat agree
3	Somewhat disagree
4	Strongly disagree
5	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K9_2

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? Democracy may have its problems but it is better than any other form of government

1	Strongly agree
2	Somewhat agree

3	Somewhat disagree
4	Strongly disagree
5	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K9_3

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? Important national issues should more often be decided by a referendum

1	Strongly agree
2	Somewhat agree
3	Somewhat disagree
4	Strongly disagree
5	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K9_4

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? To support representative democracy, public debates on policy issues should be organised for ordinary people

1	Strongly agree
2	Somewhat agree
3	Somewhat disagree
4	Strongly disagree
5	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K9_5

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? I myself would like to attend public political debates organised for ordinary people

1	Strongly agree
2	Somewhat agree
3	Somewhat disagree

4 Strongly disagree
5 Can't say (spontaneous)

 K9_6

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? I avoid people whose values, attitudes or opinions differ from my own

1 Strongly agree
2 Somewhat agree
3 Somewhat disagree
4 Strongly disagree
5 Can't say (spontaneous)

 K9_7

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? I think voting is a civic duty

1 Strongly agree
2 Somewhat agree
3 Somewhat disagree
4 Strongly disagree
5 Can't say (spontaneous)

 K9_8

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? In my opinion, the current Finnish electoral system works and there is no need to change it

1 Strongly agree
2 Somewhat agree
3 Somewhat disagree
4 Strongly disagree

5 Can't say (spontaneous)

 K9_9

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? If a voter so wished, he/she should be able to vote only for a party in parliamentary elections without having to choose a candidate

1 Strongly agree
2 Somewhat agree
3 Somewhat disagree
4 Strongly disagree
5 Can't say (spontaneous)

 K10_1

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? Elected politicians are the best people to lead Finland

1 Strongly agree
2 Somewhat agree
3 Somewhat disagree
4 Strongly disagree
5 Can't say (spontaneous)

 K10_2

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? In important political questions, citizens must have the final say

1 Strongly agree
2 Somewhat agree
3 Somewhat disagree
4 Strongly disagree
5 Can't say (spontaneous)

 K10_3

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? Citizens must be heard before any important political decisions are made

1	Strongly agree
2	Somewhat agree
3	Somewhat disagree
4	Strongly disagree
5	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K10_4

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? Things would be better in Finland if independent experts made the decisions instead of politicians and citizens

1	Strongly agree
2	Somewhat agree
3	Somewhat disagree
4	Strongly disagree
5	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K10_5

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? It is important that citizens constantly voice their opinions, for instance, by signing petitions and participating in demonstrations

1	Strongly agree
2	Somewhat agree
3	Somewhat disagree
4	Strongly disagree
5	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K10_6

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? Citizens must influence the direction of politics primarily by voting in elections

1 Strongly agree
2 Somewhat agree
3 Somewhat disagree
4 Strongly disagree
5 Can't say (spontaneous)

 K10_7

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? Things would be better in Finland if successful corporate managers made the decisions

1 Strongly agree
2 Somewhat agree
3 Somewhat disagree
4 Strongly disagree
5 Can't say (spontaneous)

 K11_1

Question

Several forms of social engagement are listed below. Which of the following have you done in the last four years, or could do, if you felt very strongly about an issue? CARD Write a letter to the editor

1 Have done over the past four years
2 Have not done but might do
3 Would not do under any circumstances
4 Can't say (spontaneous)

 K11_2

Question

Several forms of social engagement are listed below. Which of the following have you done in the last four years, or could do, if you felt very strongly about an issue? CARD Contact political decision-makers on an issue

1	Have done over the past four years
2	Have not done but might do
3	Would not do under any circumstances
4	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K11_3

Question

Several forms of social engagement are listed below. Which of the following have you done in the last four years, or could do, if you felt very strongly about an issue? CARD Sign a petition

1	Have done over the past four years
2	Have not done but might do
3	Would not do under any circumstances
4	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K11_4

Question

Several forms of social engagement are listed below. Which of the following have you done in the last four years, or could do, if you felt very strongly about an issue? CARD Participate in the activities of a political party

1	Have done over the past four years
2	Have not done but might do
3	Would not do under any circumstances
4	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K11_5

Question

Several forms of social engagement are listed below. Which of the following have you done in the last four years,

or could do, if you felt very strongly about an issue? CARD Participate in the activities of some other voluntary/civic organisation

1	Have done over the past four years
2	Have not done but might do
3	Would not do under any circumstances
4	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K11_6

Question

Several forms of social engagement are listed below. Which of the following have you done in the last four years, or could do, if you felt very strongly about an issue? CARD Try to influence political or social issues through my consumer choices

1	Have done over the past four years
2	Have not done but might do
3	Would not do under any circumstances
4	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K11_7

Question

Several forms of social engagement are listed below. Which of the following have you done in the last four years, or could do, if you felt very strongly about an issue? CARD Join a consumer boycott

1	Have done over the past four years
2	Have not done but might do
3	Would not do under any circumstances
4	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K11_8

Question

Several forms of social engagement are listed below. Which of the following have you done in the last four years, or could do, if you felt very strongly about an issue? CARD Participate in peaceful demonstrations

1	Have done over the past four years
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2	Have not done but might do
3	Would not do under any circumstances
4	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K11_9

Question

Several forms of social engagement are listed below. Which of the following have you done in the last four years, or could do, if you felt very strongly about an issue? CARD Demonstrate civil disobedience by participating in illegal, non-violent activities

1	Have done over the past four years
2	Have not done but might do
3	Would not do under any circumstances
4	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K11_10

Question

Several forms of social engagement are listed below. Which of the following have you done in the last four years, or could do, if you felt very strongly about an issue? CARD Use violence to reach political goals

1	Have done over the past four years
2	Have not done but might do
3	Would not do under any circumstances
4	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K12

Question

Are you a member of any political party?

1	Yes
2	No, but have been previously
3	Have never been a member of any party
4	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K13

Question

In 2012, a state-level citizens' initiative was introduced in Finland. What is your opinion on the following statement? 'The citizens' initiative has promoted the performance of democracy in Finland'

1	Strongly agree
2	Somewhat agree
3	Somewhat disagree
4	Strongly disagree
5	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K14

Question

Have you signed any state-level citizens' initiatives?

1	Have not signed and not going to sign
2	Have not signed, but might sign
3	Have signed 1-2 citizens' initiatives
4	Have signed at least 3 citizens' initiatives
5	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K15

Question

The Internet and social media have created new opportunities to influence things and seek information. How important to yourself do you regard the Internet and social media as channels of civic engagement?

1	Very important
2	Somewhat important
3	Not very important
4	Not at all important
5	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K16_1

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? By voting, ordinary people can influence political decision-making

1 Strongly agree
2 Somewhat agree
3 Somewhat disagree
4 Strongly disagree
5 Can't say (spontaneous)

 K16_2

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? Those elected to Parliament soon lose touch with the problems of ordinary people

1 Strongly agree
2 Somewhat agree
3 Somewhat disagree
4 Strongly disagree
5 Can't say (spontaneous)

 K16_3

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? Politicians are not interested in the opinions of ordinary people

1 Strongly agree
2 Somewhat agree
3 Somewhat disagree
4 Strongly disagree
5 Can't say (spontaneous)

 K16_4

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? I have no say in what the Government and Parliament decide

1 Strongly agree
2 Somewhat agree
3 Somewhat disagree
4 Strongly disagree
5 Can't say (spontaneous)

 K16_5

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? Views of the citizens are taken into account in political decision-making through political parties

1 Strongly agree
2 Somewhat agree
3 Somewhat disagree
4 Strongly disagree
5 Can't say (spontaneous)

 K16_6

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? Political parties are only interested in people's votes, not in their opinions

1 Strongly agree
2 Somewhat agree
3 Somewhat disagree
4 Strongly disagree
5 Can't say (spontaneous)

 K16_7

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? Sometimes politics seems so complicated that I cannot quite understand what is going on

1 Strongly agree
2 Somewhat agree
3 Somewhat disagree
4 Strongly disagree
5 Can't say (spontaneous)

 K16_8

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? It doesn't really matter which parties form the coalition government, policy decisions will be the same

1 Strongly agree
2 Somewhat agree
3 Somewhat disagree
4 Strongly disagree
5 Can't say (spontaneous)

 K16_9

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? Parties should announce clearly during the election campaign which parties they are willing to form a coalition government with

1 Strongly agree
2 Somewhat agree
3 Somewhat disagree
4 Strongly disagree
5 Can't say (spontaneous)

 K16_10

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? Finnish members of parliament are competent in their work

1	Strongly agree
2	Somewhat agree
3	Somewhat disagree
4	Strongly disagree
5	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K16_11

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? Political decision-makers take citizens' views into consideration when making decisions

1	Strongly agree
2	Somewhat agree
3	Somewhat disagree
4	Strongly disagree
5	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K17_1

Question

Here are some proposals about the future direction of Finland. How do you feel about these proposals? Use a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "Very bad", 5 is "Neither good nor bad", and 10 is "Very good" CARD Finland that has more entrepreneurship and market economy

0	A very bad proposition
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4	
5	Neither good nor bad a proposition

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10 A very good proposition

 K17_2

Question

Here are some proposals about the future direction of Finland. How do you feel about these proposals? Use a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "Very bad", 5 is "Neither good nor bad", and 10 is "Very good" CARD Multicultural Finland where foreigners with different religions and lifestyles are tolerated

0 A very bad proposition
1
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3
4
5 Neither good nor bad a proposition
6
7
8
9
10 A very good proposition

 K17_3

Question

Here are some proposals about the future direction of Finland. How do you feel about these proposals? Use a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "Very bad", 5 is "Neither good nor bad", and 10 is "Very good" CARD Finland where Christian values have a greater role

0 A very bad proposition
1
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5 Neither good nor bad a proposition
6
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10 A very good proposition

 K17_4

Question

Here are some proposals about the future direction of Finland. How do you feel about these proposals? Use a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "Very bad", 5 is "Neither good nor bad", and 10 is "Very good" CARD Finland where there are smaller differences in regional development

0 A very bad proposition
1
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4
5 Neither good nor bad a proposition
6
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9
10 A very good proposition

 K17_5

Question

Here are some proposals about the future direction of Finland. How do you feel about these proposals? Use a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "Very bad", 5 is "Neither good nor bad", and 10 is "Very good" CARD Finland where the special status of Swedish-speaking Finns is acknowledged

0	A very bad proposition
1	
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5	Neither good nor bad a proposition
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10	A very good proposition

 K17_6

Question

Here are some proposals about the future direction of Finland. How do you feel about these proposals? Use a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "Very bad", 5 is "Neither good nor bad", and 10 is "Very good" CARD Finland where there is a better equality between men and women

0	A very bad proposition
1	
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4	
5	Neither good nor bad a proposition
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10	A very good proposition

 K17_7

Question

Here are some proposals about the future direction of Finland. How do you feel about these proposals? Use a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "Very bad", 5 is "Neither good nor bad", and 10 is "Very good" CARD Finland that has a smaller public sector

0	A very bad proposition
1	
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4	
5	Neither good nor bad a proposition
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10	A very good proposition

 K17_8

Question

Here are some proposals about the future direction of Finland. How do you feel about these proposals? Use a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "Very bad", 5 is "Neither good nor bad", and 10 is "Very good" CARD Finland where the status of sexual minorities is reinforced

0	A very bad proposition
1	
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5	Neither good nor bad a proposition
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8	

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10 A very good proposition

 K17_9

Question

Here are some proposals about the future direction of Finland. How do you feel about these proposals? Use a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "Very bad", 5 is "Neither good nor bad", and 10 is "Very good" CARD Finland that has a lower taxation level

0 A very bad proposition
1
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5 Neither good nor bad a proposition
6
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10 A very good proposition

 K17_10

Question

Here are some proposals about the future direction of Finland. How do you feel about these proposals? Use a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "Very bad", 5 is "Neither good nor bad", and 10 is "Very good" CARD Finland that has two strong national languages: Finnish and Swedish

0 A very bad proposition
1
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3
4
5 Neither good nor bad a proposition

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8
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10 A very good proposition

 K17_11

Question

Here are some proposals about the future direction of Finland. How do you feel about these proposals? Use a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "Very bad", 5 is "Neither good nor bad", and 10 is "Very good" CARD Finland with more law and order

0 A very bad proposition
1
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4
5 Neither good nor bad a proposition
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10 A very good proposition

 K17_12

Question

Here are some proposals about the future direction of Finland. How do you feel about these proposals? Use a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "Very bad", 5 is "Neither good nor bad", and 10 is "Very good" CARD Finland where the status of traditional nuclear families is reinforced

0 A very bad proposition
1
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5 Neither good nor bad a proposition
6
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10 A very good proposition

 K17_13

Question

Here are some proposals about the future direction of Finland. How do you feel about these proposals? Use a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "Very bad", 5 is "Neither good nor bad", and 10 is "Very good" CARD Finland that has more immigration

0 A very bad proposition
1
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4
5 Neither good nor bad a proposition
6
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10 A very good proposition

 K17_14

Question

Here are some proposals about the future direction of Finland. How do you feel about these proposals? Use a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "Very bad", 5 is "Neither good nor bad", and 10 is "Very good" CARD Finland that has smaller income disparities

0	A very bad proposition
1	
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5	Neither good nor bad a proposition
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10	A very good proposition

 K17_15

Question

Here are some proposals about the future direction of Finland. How do you feel about these proposals? Use a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "Very bad", 5 is "Neither good nor bad", and 10 is "Very good" CARD Finland that is less committed/attached to the European Union

0	A very bad proposition
1	
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5	Neither good nor bad a proposition
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9	
10	A very good proposition

 K17_16

Question

Here are some proposals about the future direction of Finland. How do you feel about these proposals? Use a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "Very bad", 5 is "Neither good nor bad", and 10 is "Very good" CARD Finland where more energy is produced with nuclear power

0	A very bad proposition
1	
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5	Neither good nor bad a proposition
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10	A very good proposition

 K17_17

Question

Here are some proposals about the future direction of Finland. How do you feel about these proposals? Use a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "Very bad", 5 is "Neither good nor bad", and 10 is "Very good" CARD Finland that has fewer municipalities than it has at the moment

0	A very bad proposition
1	
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5	Neither good nor bad a proposition
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10	A very good proposition

 K17_18

Question

Here are some proposals about the future direction of Finland. How do you feel about these proposals? Use a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "Very bad", 5 is "Neither good nor bad", and 10 is "Very good" CARD More eco-friendly Finland, even if it meant low economic growth or no growth at all

0	A very bad proposition
1	
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5	Neither good nor bad a proposition
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10	A very good proposition

 Q1A

Question

Public expenditure. In your opinion, should more, the same amount or less public funds be used on health care than is currently used?

Instructions

The interviewer recites out loud: "If you choose 'more', it can mean increase in taxes, if you choose 'less', it can mean cuts in services.

1	Much more than now
2	Somewhat more than now
3	Same as now
4	Somewhat less than now
5	Much less than now

6	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
7	Can't say (spontaneous)

Q1B

Question

Public expenditure. In your opinion, should more, the same amount or less public funds be used on education than is currently used?

Instructions

The interviewer recites out loud: "If you choose 'more', it can mean increase in taxes, if you choose 'less', it can mean cuts in services."

1	Much more than now
2	Somewhat more than now
3	Same as now
4	Somewhat less than now
5	Much less than now
6	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
7	Can't say (spontaneous)

Q1C

Question

Public expenditure. In your opinion, should more, the same amount or less public funds be used on unemployment benefits and services promoting employment than is currently used?

Instructions

The interviewer recites out loud: "If you choose 'more', it can mean increase in taxes, if you choose 'less', it can mean cuts in services."

1	Much more than now
2	Somewhat more than now
3	Same as now
4	Somewhat less than now
5	Much less than now
6	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
7	Can't say (spontaneous)

 Q1D

Question

Public expenditure. In your opinion, should more, the same amount or less public funds be used on defence than is currently used?

Instructions

The interviewer recites out loud: "If you choose 'more', it can mean increase in taxes, if you choose 'less', it can mean cuts in services.

1	Much more than now
2	Somewhat more than now
3	Same as now
4	Somewhat less than now
5	Much less than now
6	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
7	Can't say (spontaneous)

 Q1E

Question

Public expenditure. In your opinion, should more, the same amount or less public funds be used on old-age pensions than is currently used?

Instructions

The interviewer recites out loud: "If you choose 'more', it can mean increase in taxes, if you choose 'less', it can mean cuts in services.

1	Much more than now
2	Somewhat more than now
3	Same as now
4	Somewhat less than now
5	Much less than now
6	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
7	Can't say (spontaneous)

 Q1F

Question

Public expenditure. In your opinion, should more, the same amount or less public funds be used on support for business and industry than is currently used?

Instructions

The interviewer recites out loud: "If you choose 'more', it can mean increase in taxes, if you choose 'less', it can mean cuts in services.

1	Much more than now
2	Somewhat more than now
3	Same as now
4	Somewhat less than now
5	Much less than now
6	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
7	Can't say (spontaneous)

 Q1G

Question

Public expenditure. In your opinion, should more, the same amount or less public funds be used on the police and law enforcement than is currently used?

Instructions

The interviewer recites out loud: "If you choose 'more', it can mean increase in taxes, if you choose 'less', it can mean cuts in services.

1	Much more than now
2	Somewhat more than now
3	Same as now
4	Somewhat less than now
5	Much less than now
6	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
7	Can't say (spontaneous)

 Q1H

Question

Public expenditure. In your opinion, should more, the same amount or less public funds be used on social security benefits than is currently used?

Instructions

The interviewer recites out loud: "If you choose 'more', it can mean increase in taxes, if you choose 'less', it can mean cuts in services.

1	Much more than now
2	Somewhat more than now
3	Same as now
4	Somewhat less than now
5	Much less than now
6	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
7	Can't say (spontaneous)

 Q2

Question

Over the next ten years, how likely is it that your standard of living will improve?

1	Very likely
2	Somewhat likely
3	Somewhat unlikely
4	Very unlikely
5	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
6	Can't say (spontaneous)

 Q3

Question

Would you say that over the past twelve months, the state of the economy in Finland has gotten better, stayed the same, or gotten worse?

1	Gotten better
2	Stayed the same (go to q21)

3	Gotten worse (go to q3b)
4	Don't want to say (spontaneous) (go to q21)
5	Can't say (spontaneous) (go to q21)

Q3A

Question

Would you say the state of the economy in Finland has gotten much better or somewhat better?

1	Much better (go to q21)
2	Somewhat better (go to q21)
3	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
4	Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

Q3B

Question

Would you say the state of the economy in Finland has gotten much worse or somewhat worse?

4	Somewhat worse
5	Much worse
7	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
8	Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

Q21

Question

How likely or unlikely do you think it is that your household's income could be severely reduced in the next 12 months?

1	Very likely
2	Somewhat likely
3	Somewhat unlikely
4	Very unlikely

5	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
6	Can't say (spontaneous)

 Q4

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statement: The Government should take measures to reduce differences in income levels.

1	Strongly agree
2	Somewhat agree
3	Neither agree nor disagree
4	Somewhat disagree
5	Strongly disagree
6	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
7	Can't say (spontaneous)

 Q16

Question

Do you usually think of yourself as close to any particular party?

1	Yes (go to q16b)
2	No
3	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
4	Can't say (spontaneous)

 Q16A

Question

Do you feel you are a little closer to one of the political parties than the others?

1	Yes (go to q16b)
2	No
3	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
4	Can't say (spontaneous)

SYSMISS

 Q16B

Question

Do you feel you are a little closer to one of the political parties than the others? Which party?

1	National Coalition Party (KOK)
2	Social Democratic Party of Finland (SDP)
3	Finns Party (PS)
4	Centre Party of Finland (KESK)
5	Left Alliance (VAS)
6	Green League (VIHR)
7	Swedish People's Party in Finland (RKP)
8	Christian Democrats (KD)
9	Pirate Party of Finland (PIR)
10	Communist Party of Finland (SKP)
11	Change 2011 (M11)
12	Independence Party (IPU)
13	Workers' Party of Finland (STP)
14	Communist Worker's Party (KTP)
15	For the Poor (KÖY)
97	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
98	Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 Q16C

Question

Do you feel very close to this party, somewhat close, or not very close?

1	Very close
2	Somewhat close
3	Not very close

	7 Don't want to say (spontaneous)
	8 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

Q5LHA

Question

Nowadays many people do not vote in elections for one reason or the other. Did you vote or not in these parliamentary elections?

	1 Didn't vote this time (go to question k18)
	2 Voted in advance (go to question q5lhb)
	3 Voted on the election day (go to question q5lhb)
	4 Don't want to say (spontaneous)
	5 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

K18_1

Question

Here are some reasons for not voting. To what extent did the following reasons influence your decision to not vote in this election? CARD It was difficult for me to find a suitable party

	1 Was an important reason
	2 Affected somewhat
	3 Didn't affect
	4 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

K18_2

Question

Here are some reasons for not voting. To what extent did the following reasons influence your decision to not vote in this election? CARD It was difficult for me to find a suitable candidate

	1 Was an important reason
	2 Affected somewhat

	3 Didn't affect
	4 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K18_3

Question

Here are some reasons for not voting. To what extent did the following reasons influence your decision to not vote in this election? CARD Job or travel prevented me from voting

	1 Was an important reason
	2 Affected somewhat
	3 Didn't affect
	4 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K18_4

Question

Here are some reasons for not voting. To what extent did the following reasons influence your decision to not vote in this election? CARD Could not vote because of illness or disability

	1 Was an important reason
	2 Affected somewhat
	3 Didn't affect
	4 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K18_5

Question

Here are some reasons for not voting. To what extent did the following reasons influence your decision to not vote in this election? CARD I didn't remember to vote

	1 Was an important reason
	2 Affected somewhat
	3 Didn't affect

4 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS

 K18_6

Question

Here are some reasons for not voting. To what extent did the following reasons influence your decision to not vote in this election? CARD I simply couldn't be bothered to vote

1 Was an important reason
2 Affected somewhat
3 Didn't affect
4 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS

 K18_7

Question

Here are some reasons for not voting. To what extent did the following reasons influence your decision to not vote in this election? CARD I didn't see how voting would benefit me in any way

1 Was an important reason
2 Affected somewhat
3 Didn't affect
4 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS

 K18_8

Question

Here are some reasons for not voting. To what extent did the following reasons influence your decision to not vote in this election? CARD I think one vote wouldn't have made a difference to the outcome of the election

1 Was an important reason
2 Affected somewhat
3 Didn't affect
4 Can't say (spontaneous)

SYSMISS	
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 K18_9

Question

Here are some reasons for not voting. To what extent did the following reasons influence your decision to not vote in this election? CARD I distrust politicians and politics in general

	1 Was an important reason
	2 Affected somewhat
	3 Didn't affect
	4 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K18_10

Question

Here are some reasons for not voting. To what extent did the following reasons influence your decision to not vote in this election? CARD I wanted to protest against politics and politicians

	1 Was an important reason
	2 Affected somewhat
	3 Didn't affect
	4 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K18_11

Question

Here are some reasons for not voting. To what extent did the following reasons influence your decision to not vote in this election? CARD I'm not interested in politics and don't care whether I vote or not

	1 Was an important reason
	2 Affected somewhat
	3 Didn't affect
	4 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K18_12

Question

Here are some reasons for not voting. To what extent did the following reasons influence your decision to not vote in this election? CARD I didn't have enough information to support my voting decision

	1 Was an important reason
	2 Affected somewhat
	3 Didn't affect
	4 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K18_13

Question

Here are some reasons for not voting. To what extent did the following reasons influence your decision to not vote in this election? CARD There were no meaningful differences between parties

	1 Was an important reason
	2 Affected somewhat
	3 Didn't affect
	4 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K18_14

Question

Here are some reasons for not voting. To what extent did the following reasons influence your decision to not vote in this election? CARD The party I would have voted for in these elections had different views than myself on important issues

	1 Was an important reason
	2 Affected somewhat
	3 Didn't affect
	4 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K19

Question

How self-evident was it to you that you were not going to vote?

1	It was self-evident that I would not vote
2	Considered voting but not seriously
3	Seriously considered voting
4	Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K20

Question

If you had voted, the candidate of which party would you have voted for?

1	National Coalition Party (KOK) (go to q6a)
2	Finnish Social Democratic Party (SDP) (go to q6a)
3	Finns Party (PS) (go to q6a)
4	Centre Party of Finland (KESK) (go to q6a)
5	Left Alliance (VAS) (go to q6a)
6	Green League (VIHR) (go to q6a)
7	Swedish People's Party in Finland (RKP) (go to q6a)
8	Christian Democrats (KD) (go to q6a)
9	Pirate Party of Finland (PIR) (go to q6a)
10	Communist Party of Finland (SKP) (go to q6a)
11	Change 2011 (M11) (go to q6a)
12	Independence Party (IPU) (go to q6a)
13	Workers' Party of Finland (STP) (go to q6a)
14	Communist Worker's Party (KTP) (go to q6a)
15	For the Poor (KÖY) (go to q6a)
90	None of them (go to q6a)
96	Can't say (go to q6a)

97	Don't want to say (go to q6a)
SYSMISS	

 Q5LHB

Question

The candidate of which party (or political group) did you vote for in these parliamentary elections?

1	National Coalition Party (KOK)
2	Social Democratic Party of Finland (SDP)
3	Finns Party (PS)
4	Centre Party of Finland (KESK)
5	Left Alliance (VAS)
6	Green League (VIHR)
7	Swedish People's Party in Finland (RKP)
8	Christian Democrats (KD)
9	Pirate Party of Finland (PIR)
10	Communist Party of Finland (SKP)
11	Change 2011 (M11)
12	Independence Party (IPU)
13	Workers' Party of Finland (STP)
14	Communist Worker's Party (KTP)
15	For the Poor (KÖY)
16	Other
17	Cast a blank vote
18	Can't say (spontaneous)
19	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K21

Question

Did you consider voting for a candidate of any other party or group?

1	Yes
2	No (go to q6a)
3	Can't say (spontaneous) (go to q6a)
4	Don't want to say (spontaneous) (go to q6a)
	SYSMISS

 K22

Question

Which party or group?

1	National Coalition Party (KOK)
2	Social Democratic Party of Finland (SDP)
3	Finns Party (PS)
4	Centre Party of Finland (KESK)
5	Left Alliance (VAS)
6	Green League (VIHR)
7	Swedish People's Party in Finland (RKP)
8	Christian Democrats (KD)
9	Pirate Party of Finland (PIR)
10	Communist Party of Finland (SKP)
11	Change 2011 (M11)
12	Independence Party (IPU)
13	Workers' Party of Finland (STP)
14	Communist Worker's Party (KTP)
15	For the Poor (KÖY)
16	Other
17	Can't say (spontaneous)
18	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
	SYSMISS

 Q6A**Question**

Did you vote four years ago, in the 2011 parliamentary elections?

1	Yes
2	No (go to q7)
3	No right to vote (go to q7)
4	Don't want to say (spontaneous) (go to q7)
5	Can't say (spontaneous) (go to q7)

 Q6B**Question**

The candidate of which political party or group did you vote for then?

1	National Coalition Party (KOK)
2	Social Democratic Party of Finland (SDP)
3	Finns Party (PS)
4	Centre Party of Finland (KESK)
5	Left Alliance (VAS)
6	Green League (VIHR)
7	Swedish People's Party in Finland (RKP)
8	Christian Democrats (KD)
9	Pirate Party of Finland (PIR)
10	Communist Party of Finland (SKP)
11	Change 2011 (M11)
12	Freedom Party (VP)
13	Independence Party (IPU)
14	Workers' Party of Finland (STP)
15	Communist Worker's Party (KTP)
16	For the Poor (KÖY)
17	Other
18	Cast a blank vote

19	Can't say (spontaneous)
20	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 Q7

Question

Some people say that it doesn't make any difference who is in power. Others say that it makes a big difference who is in power. Using the scale presented, what would you say?

1	It doesn't make any difference who is in power
2	
3	
4	
5	It makes a big difference who is in power
6	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
7	Can't say (spontaneous)

 Q8

Question

Some people say that no matter who people vote for, it won't make any difference to what happens. Others say that who people vote for can make a big difference to what happens. Using the scale presented, what would you say?

1	Who people vote for won't make any difference
2	
3	
4	
5	Who people vote for can make a big difference
6	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
7	Can't say (spontaneous)

Q9A

Question

How do you feel about the following political parties? Answer on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "I don't like the party at all" and 10 is "I like the party very much" CARD National Coalition Party (KOK)

0	Strongly dislike
1	
2	
3	
4	
5	
6	
7	
8	
9	
10	Strongly like
96	Haven't heard of the party
97	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
98	Don't know enough about the party / Don't know where to rate

Q9B

Question

How do you feel about the following political parties? Answer on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "I don't like the party at all" and 10 is "I like the party very much" CARD Finnish Social Democratic Party (SDP)

0	Strongly dislike
1	
2	
3	
4	
5	
6	

7
8
9
10 Strongly like
96 Haven't heard of the party
97 Don't want to say (spontaneous)
98 Don't know enough about the party / Don't know where to rate

 Q9C

Question

How do you feel about the following political parties? Answer on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "I don't like the party at all" and 10 is "I like the party very much" CARD Finns Party (PS)

0 Strongly dislike
1
2
3
4
5
6
7
8
9
10 Strongly like
96 Haven't heard of the party
97 Don't want to say (spontaneous)
98 Don't know enough about the party / Don't know where to rate

 Q9D

Question

How do you feel about the following political parties? Answer on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "I don't like the party at all" and 10 is "I like the party very much" CARD Centre Party of Finland (KESK)

0	Strongly dislike
1	
2	
3	
4	
5	
6	
7	
8	
9	
10	Strongly like
96	Haven't heard of the party
97	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
98	Don't know enough about the party / Don't know where to rate

 Q9E

Question

How do you feel about the following political parties? Answer on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "I don't like the party at all" and 10 is "I like the party very much" CARD Left Alliance (VAS)

0	Strongly dislike
1	
2	
3	
4	
5	
6	

7
8
9
10 Strongly like
96 Haven't heard of the party
97 Don't want to say (spontaneous)
98 Don't know enough about the party / Don't know where to rate

 Q9F

Question

How do you feel about the following political parties? Answer on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "I don't like the party at all" and 10 is "I like the party very much" CARD Green League (VIHR)

0 Strongly dislike
1
2
3
4
5
6
7
8
9
10 Strongly like
96 Haven't heard of the party
97 Don't want to say (spontaneous)
98 Don't know enough about the party / Don't know where to rate

 Q9G

Question

How do you feel about the following political parties? Answer on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "I don't like the party at all" and 10 is "I like the party very much" CARD Swedish People's Party in Finland (RKP)

0	Strongly dislike
1	
2	
3	
4	
5	
6	
7	
8	
9	
10	Strongly like
96	Haven't heard of the party
97	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
98	Don't know enough about the party / Don't know where to rate

 Q9H

Question

How do you feel about the following political parties? Answer on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "I don't like the party at all" and 10 is "I like the party very much" CARD Christian Democrats in Finland (KD)

0	Strongly dislike
1	
2	
3	
4	
5	
6	

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8
9
10 Strongly like
96 Haven't heard of the party
97 Don't want to say (spontaneous)
98 Don't know enough about the party / Don't know where to rate

 Q10A

Question

How do you feel about the following leader's of political parties? Answer on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "I don't like the party leader at all" and 10 is "I like the party leader very much" CARD Alexander Stubb (KOK)

0 Strongly dislike
1
2
3
4
5
6
7
8
9
10 Strongly like
96 Haven't heard of the party leader
97 Don't want to say (spontaneous)
98 Don't know enough about the party leader / Don't know where to rate

Q10B

Question

How do you feel about the following leader's of political parties? Answer on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "I don't like the party leader at all" and 10 is "I like the party leader very much" CARD Antti Rinne (SDP)

0	Strongly dislike
1	
2	
3	
4	
5	
6	
7	
8	
9	
10	Strongly like
96	Haven't heard of the party leader
97	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
98	Don't know enough about the party leader / Don't know where to rate

Q10C

Question

How do you feel about the following leader's of political parties? Answer on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "I don't like the party leader at all" and 10 is "I like the party leader very much" CARD Timo Soini (PS)

0	Strongly dislike
1	
2	
3	
4	
5	
6	

7
8
9
10 Strongly like
96 Haven't heard of the party leader
97 Don't want to say (spontaneous)
98 Don't know enough about the party leader / Don't know where to rate

 Q10D

Question

How do you feel about the following leader's of political parties? Answer on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "I don't like the party leader at all" and 10 is "I like the party leader very much" CARD Juha Sipilä (KESK)

0 Strongly dislike
1
2
3
4
5
6
7
8
9
10 Strongly like
96 Haven't heard of the party leader
97 Don't want to say (spontaneous)
98 Don't know enough about the party leader / Don't know where to rate

 Q10E

Question

How do you feel about the following leader's of political parties? Answer on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "I don't like the party leader at all" and 10 is "I like the party leader very much" CARD Paavo Arhinmäki (VAS)

0	Strongly dislike
1	
2	
3	
4	
5	
6	
7	
8	
9	
10	Strongly like
96	Haven't heard of the party leader
97	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
98	Don't know enough about the party leader / Don't know where to rate

 Q10F

Question

How do you feel about the following leader's of political parties? Answer on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "I don't like the party leader at all" and 10 is "I like the party leader very much" CARD Ville Niinistö (VIHR)

0	Strongly dislike
1	
2	
3	
4	
5	
6	

7
8
9
10 Strongly like
96 Haven't heard of the party leader
97 Don't want to say (spontaneous)
98 Don't know enough about the party leader / Don't know where to rate

 Q10G

Question

How do you feel about the following leader's of political parties? Answer on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "I don't like the party leader at all" and 10 is "I like the party leader very much" CARD Carl Haglund (RKP)

0 Strongly dislike
1
2
3
4
5
6
7
8
9
10 Strongly like
96 Haven't heard of the party leader
97 Don't want to say (spontaneous)
98 Don't know enough about the party leader / Don't know where to rate

 Q10H

Question

How do you feel about the following leader's of political parties? Answer on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "I don't like the party leader at all" and 10 is "I like the party leader very much" CARD Päivi Räsänen (KD)

0 Strongly dislike
1
2
3
4
5
6
7
8
9
10 Strongly like
96 Haven't heard of the party leader
97 Don't want to say (spontaneous)
98 Don't know enough about the party leader / Don't know where to rate

 Q11A

Question

In politics people sometimes talk of left and right. Where would you place the following parties on a scale from 0 to 10 where 0 means the far left and 10 means the far right? CARD National Coalition Party (KOK)

0 Left
1
2
3
4
5
6

7
8
9
10 Right
95 Haven't heard of the left-right scale (spontaneous)
96 Haven't heard of the party (spontaneous)
97 Don't want to say (spontaneous)
98 Don't know where to place the party on the scale (spontaneous)

 Q11B

Question

In politics people sometimes talk of left and right. Where would you place the following parties on a scale from 0 to 10 where 0 means the far left and 10 means the far right? CARD Social Democratic Party (SDP)

0 Left
1
2
3
4
5
6
7
8
9
10 Right
95 Haven't heard of the left-right scale (spontaneous)
96 Haven't heard of the party (spontaneous)
97 Don't want to say (spontaneous)
98 Don't know where to place the party on the scale (spontaneous)
SYSMISS

Q11C

Question

In politics people sometimes talk of left and right. Where would you place the following parties on a scale from 0 to 10 where 0 means the far left and 10 means the far right? CARD Finns Party (PS)

0	Left
1	
2	
3	
4	
5	
6	
7	
8	
9	
10	Right
95	Haven't heard of the left-right scale (spontaneous)
96	Haven't heard of the party (spontaneous)
97	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
98	Don't know where to place the party on the scale (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

Q11D

Question

In politics people sometimes talk of left and right. Where would you place the following parties on a scale from 0 to 10 where 0 means the far left and 10 means the far right? CARD Centre Party of Finland (KESK)

0	Left
1	
2	
3	

4
5
6
7
8
9
10 Right
95 Haven't heard of the left-right scale (spontaneous)
96 Haven't heard of the party (spontaneous)
97 Don't want to say (spontaneous)
98 Don't know where to place the party on the scale (spontaneous)
SYSMISS

 Q11E

Question

In politics people sometimes talk of left and right. Where would you place the following parties on a scale from 0 to 10 where 0 means the far left and 10 means the far right? CARD Left Alliance (VAS)

0 Left
1
2
3
4
5
6
7
8
9
10 Right
95 Haven't heard of the left-right scale (spontaneous)
96 Haven't heard of the party (spontaneous)

97	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
98	Don't know where to place the party on the scale (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 Q11F

Question

In politics people sometimes talk of left and right. Where would you place the following parties on a scale from 0 to 10 where 0 means the far left and 10 means the far right? CARD Green League (VIHR)

0	Left
1	
2	
3	
4	
5	
6	
7	
8	
9	
10	Right
95	Haven't heard of the left-right scale (spontaneous)
96	Haven't heard of the party (spontaneous)
97	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
98	Don't know where to place the party on the scale (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 Q11G

Question

In politics people sometimes talk of left and right. Where would you place the following parties on a scale from 0 to 10 where 0 means the far left and 10 means the far right? CARD Swedish People's Party in Finland (RKP)

0	Left
1	
2	
3	
4	
5	
6	
7	
8	
9	
10	Right
95	Haven't heard of the left-right scale (spontaneous)
96	Haven't heard of the party (spontaneous)
97	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
98	Don't know where to place the party on the scale (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 Q11H

Question

In politics people sometimes talk of left and right. Where would you place the following parties on a scale from 0 to 10 where 0 means the far left and 10 means the far right? CARD Christian Democrats in Finland (KD)

0	Left
1	
2	
3	
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10 Right
95 Haven't heard of the left-right scale (spontaneous)
96 Haven't heard of the party (spontaneous)
97 Don't want to say (spontaneous)
98 Don't know where to place the party on the scale (spontaneous)
SYSMISS

 Q12

Question

Using the same [left-right] scale, where would you place yourself?

0 Left
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10 Right
96 Haven't heard of the left-right scale (spontaneous)
97 Don't want to say (spontaneous)
98 Don't know where to place myself on the scale (spontaneous)

 Q15

Question

How satisfied are you with the way democracy works in Finland?

1	Very satisfied
2	Fairly satisfied
3	Not very satisfied
4	Not at all satisfied
5	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
6	Can't say (spontaneous)

 Q20A

Question

Questions measuring the level of political knowledge. Who of the following was the Finnish Minister of Finance right before the recent parliamentary elections?

1	Krista Kiuru
2	Jan Vapaavuori
3	Paula Risikko
4	Antti Rinne
5	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
6	Can't say (spontaneous)

 Q20B

Question

Questions measuring the level of political knowledge. What was the unemployment rate in Finland in February 2015?

1	8.1%
2	10.1%
3	12.1%
4	14.1%
5	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
6	Can't say (spontaneous)

 Q20C

Question

Questions measuring the level of political knowledge. Which of the following parties has the second largest number of seats in the newly elected Parliament?

1	Social Democratic Party of Finland
2	Finns Party
3	Centre Party of Finland
4	National Coalition Party
5	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
6	Can't say (spontaneous)

 Q20D

Question

Questions measuring the level of political knowledge. Who is the current Secretary-General of the United Nations?

1	Kofi Annan
2	Kurt Waldheim
3	Ban Ki-moon
4	Boutros Boutros-Ghali
5	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
6	Can't say (spontaneous)

 Q20E

Question

Questions measuring the level of political knowledge. What do you think is meant by a parliamentary system of government?

1	Government by the people
2	That Parliament has the confidence of the Government
3	That the Government has the confidence of Parliament

4	That the Government has the confidence of the President
5	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
6	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K23

Question

For your voting choice, which was ultimately the more important, the party or the candidate?

1	The party
2	The candidate
3	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K24_1

Question

To what extent did the following influence your choice of political party in these elections? Performance of the party's representatives in election programmes on television

1	Decisive factor in my choice
2	Quite a lot
3	Somewhat
4	Not at all
5	Can't say (spontaneous)
	SYSMISS

 K24_2

Question

To what extent did the following influence your choice of political party in these elections? The party looks after the interests of the occupational group I belong to

1	Decisive factor in my choice
2	Quite a lot
3	Somewhat
4	Not at all

	5 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K24_3

Question

To what extent did the following influence your choice of political party in these elections? The party has a good leader

	1 Decisive factor in my choice
	2 Quite a lot
	3 Somewhat
	4 Not at all
	5 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K24_4

Question

To what extent did the following influence your choice of political party in these elections? Values of the party

	1 Decisive factor in my choice
	2 Quite a lot
	3 Somewhat
	4 Not at all
	5 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K24_5

Question

To what extent did the following influence your choice of political party in these elections? The party has good policy on many current issues

	1 Decisive factor in my choice
	2 Quite a lot

	3 Somewhat
	4 Not at all
	5 Can't say (spontaneous)
	SYSMISS

 K24_6

Question

To what extent did the following influence your choice of political party in these elections? The party has competent people to conduct Finnish politics

	1 Decisive factor in my choice
	2 Quite a lot
	3 Somewhat
	4 Not at all
	5 Can't say (spontaneous)
	SYSMISS

 K24_7

Question

To what extent did the following influence your choice of political party in these elections? Performance of the party during the past parliamentary term

	1 Decisive factor in my choice
	2 Quite a lot
	3 Somewhat
	4 Not at all
	5 Can't say (spontaneous)
	SYSMISS

 K24_8

Question

To what extent did the following influence your choice of political party in these elections? The party's successful election campaign

1	Decisive factor in my choice
2	Quite a lot
3	Somewhat
4	Not at all
5	Can't say (spontaneous)
	SYSMISS

 K24_9

Question

To what extent did the following influence your choice of political party in these elections? In my opinion, the leader of the party was the best candidate to become prime minister

1	Decisive factor in my choice
2	Quite a lot
3	Somewhat
4	Not at all
5	Can't say (spontaneous)
	SYSMISS

 K24_10

Question

To what extent did the following influence your choice of political party in these elections? Desire to influence which parties will be in the coalition government

1	Decisive factor in my choice
2	Quite a lot
3	Somewhat
4	Not at all
5	Can't say (spontaneous)
	SYSMISS

 K24_11

Question

To what extent did the following influence your choice of political party in these elections? My family member(s) voted for the party

	1 Decisive factor in my choice
	2 Quite a lot
	3 Somewhat
	4 Not at all
	5 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K24_12

Question

To what extent did the following influence your choice of political party in these elections? My friend(s) voted for the party

	1 Decisive factor in my choice
	2 Quite a lot
	3 Somewhat
	4 Not at all
	5 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K24_13

Question

To what extent did the following influence your choice of political party in these elections? Recommendations provided by candidate selector(s)

	1 Decisive factor in my choice
	2 Quite a lot
	3 Somewhat
	4 Not at all
	5 Can't say (spontaneous)

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 K25_1

Question

To what extent did the following influence your choice of candidate in these elections? The candidate's age

	1 Decisive factor in my choice
	2 A lot
	3 Somewhat
	4 Not at all
	5 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K25_2

Question

To what extent did the following influence your choice of candidate in these elections? The candidate's gender

	1 Decisive factor in my choice
	2 A lot
	3 Somewhat
	4 Not at all
	5 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K25_3

Question

To what extent did the following influence your choice of candidate in these elections? The candidate's education

	1 Decisive factor in my choice
	2 A lot
	3 Somewhat
	4 Not at all
	5 Can't say (spontaneous)

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 K25_4

Question

To what extent did the following influence your choice of candidate in these elections? The candidate's place of residence

	1 Decisive factor in my choice
	2 A lot
	3 Somewhat
	4 Not at all
	5 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K25_5

Question

To what extent did the following influence your choice of candidate in these elections? The candidate's prior experience in politics

	1 Decisive factor in my choice
	2 A lot
	3 Somewhat
	4 Not at all
	5 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K25_6

Question

To what extent did the following influence your choice of candidate in these elections? The candidate's reliability

	1 Decisive factor in my choice
	2 A lot
	3 Somewhat

	4 Not at all
	5 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K25_7

Question

To what extent did the following influence your choice of candidate in these elections? The candidate's ability to manage things

	1 Decisive factor in my choice
	2 A lot
	3 Somewhat
	4 Not at all
	5 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K25_8

Question

To what extent did the following influence your choice of candidate in these elections? The candidate's appearance and style

	1 Decisive factor in my choice
	2 A lot
	3 Somewhat
	4 Not at all
	5 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K25_9

Question

To what extent did the following influence your choice of candidate in these elections? The candidate's public speaking and presentation skills

	1 Decisive factor in my choice
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	2 A lot
	3 Somewhat
	4 Not at all
	5 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K25_10

Question

To what extent did the following influence your choice of candidate in these elections? The candidate is a well-known public figure

	1 Decisive factor in my choice
	2 A lot
	3 Somewhat
	4 Not at all
	5 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K25_11

Question

To what extent did the following influence your choice of candidate in these elections? The candidate's views on different issues

	1 Decisive factor in my choice
	2 A lot
	3 Somewhat
	4 Not at all
	5 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K25_12

Question

To what extent did the following influence your choice of candidate in these elections? The candidate's party affiliation

1	Decisive factor in my choice
2	A lot
3	Somewhat
4	Not at all
5	Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K25_13

Question

To what extent did the following influence your choice of candidate in these elections? The candidate's election campaign and election advertising

1	Decisive factor in my choice
2	A lot
3	Somewhat
4	Not at all
5	Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K25_14

Question

To what extent did the following influence your choice of candidate in these elections? The candidate's chances of winning a seat to parliament

1	Decisive factor in my choice
2	A lot
3	Somewhat
4	Not at all
5	Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K25_15

Question

To what extent did the following influence your choice of candidate in these elections? Openness/transparency of the candidate's campaign funding

	1 Decisive factor in my choice
	2 A lot
	3 Somewhat
	4 Not at all
	5 Can't say (spontaneous)
	SYSMISS

 K25_16

Question

To what extent did the following influence your choice of candidate in these elections? The candidate's answers in candidate selectors on the Internet

	1 Decisive factor in my choice
	2 A lot
	3 Somewhat
	4 Not at all
	5 Can't say (spontaneous)
	SYSMISS

 K25_17

Question

To what extent did the following influence your choice of candidate in these elections? Internet or social media presence of the candidate or his/her political party

	1 Decisive factor in my choice
	2 A lot
	3 Somewhat
	4 Not at all
	5 Can't say (spontaneous)

SYSMISS	
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 K25_18

Question

To what extent did the following influence your choice of candidate in these elections? My family member(s) voted for the candidate

	1 Decisive factor in my choice
	2 A lot
	3 Somewhat
	4 Not at all
	5 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K25_19

Question

To what extent did the following influence your choice of candidate in these elections? My friend(s) voted for the candidate

	1 Decisive factor in my choice
	2 A lot
	3 Somewhat
	4 Not at all
	5 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K25_20

Question

To what extent did the following influence your choice of candidate in these elections? Recommendations provided by candidate selector(s)

	1 Decisive factor in my choice
	2 A lot
	3 Somewhat

	4 Not at all
	5 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K26

Question

If your candidate had been running for any of the other parties, would you still have voted for him/her?

	1 Would have voted
	2 Would have voted for him/her if he/she had been a candidate of another suitable party
	3 Wouldn't have voted for him/her as a candidate of any other party
	4 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K27

Question

Did you vote for a candidate who is of the same gender as you?

	1 Yes
	2 No
	3 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K28

Question

What was the age of the candidate you voted for?

	1 Voted for a candidate who is roughly of the same age as me
	2 Voted for a candidate who is much younger than me
	3 Voted for a candidate who is much older than me
	4 Can't say (spontaneous)

SYSMISS

 K29

Question

Did you vote for the same candidate as in the previous parliamentary elections?

1 Yes
2 No
3 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS

 K30

Question

In what way was the candidate you voted for known to you?

1 I knew the candidate personally
2 My friend, acquaintance or relative knew the candidate personally
3 I knew of the candidate's activities from prior media coverage
4 I voted for the candidate on the basis of his/her election campaign
5 I chose the candidate without knowing much about him/her
6 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS

 K31

Question

When did you decide the party whose candidate you voted for?

1 On the day of voting
2 A few days before voting
3 About a week or two before voting

	4 About a month or two before voting
	5 Decision was already clear last year
	6 I always vote for the same party in all parliamentary elections
	7 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K32

Question

When did you decide the candidate you voted for?

	1 On the day of voting
	2 A few days before voting
	3 About a week or two before voting
	4 About a month or two before voting
	5 Decision was clear already last year
	6 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 K33_1

Question

To what extent have the following influenced your political opinions? Childhood home

	1 Very significant
	2 Somewhat significant
	3 Not very significant
	4 Not at all significant
	5 No childhood home (spontaneous)
	6 Can't say (spontaneous)

 K33_2

Question

To what extent have the following influenced your political opinions? School or educational institution

1	Very significant
2	Somewhat significant
3	Not very significant
4	Not at all significant
5	No school or educational institution (spontaneous)
6	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K33_3

Question

To what extent have the following influenced your political opinions? Friends

1	Very significant
2	Somewhat significant
3	Not very significant
4	Not at all significant
5	No friends (spontaneous)
6	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K33_4

Question

To what extent have the following influenced your political opinions? Workplaces

1	Very significant
2	Somewhat significant
3	Not very significant
4	Not at all significant
5	No workplace (spontaneous)
6	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K33_5

Question

To what extent have the following influenced your political opinions? Spouse/partner

1	Very significant
2	Somewhat significant
3	Not very significant
4	Not at all significant
5	No spouse/partner (spontaneous)
6	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K33_6

Question

To what extent have the following influenced your political opinions? Own children

1	Very significant
2	Somewhat significant
3	Not very significant
4	Not at all significant
5	No children (spontaneous)
6	Can't say (spontaneous)

 K34

Question

Do you know which party your mother supported when you were young?

1	Yes
2	No
3	My mother didn't support any party
4	No mother when I was young (spontaneous)

 K34A

Question

Do you know which party your mother supported when you were young? Yes, which party?

1	Finnish Social Democratic Party (SDP)
2	Agrarian League, Centre Party, Centre Party of Finland (ML, KESK)
3	National Coalition Party (KOK)
4	Democratic League of the People of Finland (SKDL)
5	Left Alliance (VAS)
6	Swedish People's Party in Finland (RKP)
7	National Progressive Party, People's Party of Finland, Liberal People's Party (EP, KP, LKP)
8	Finnish Rural Party (SMP)
9	True Finns / Finns Party (PS)
10	Green League (VIHR)
11	Christian League of Finland / Christian Democrats (SKL, KD)
12	Other
13	Don't want to say
	SYSMISS

 K35

Question

Do you know which party your father supported when you were young?

1	Yes
2	No
3	My father didn't support any party
4	No father when I was young (spontaneous)

 K35A

Question

Do you know which party your father supported when you were young? Yes, which party?

1	Finnish Social Democratic Party (SDP)
2	Agrarian League, Centre Party, Centre Party of Finland (ML, KESK)
3	National Coalition Party (KOK)
4	Democratic League of the People of Finland (SKDL)
5	Left Alliance (VAS)
6	Swedish People's Party in Finland (RKP)
7	National Progressive Party, People's Party of Finland, Liberal People's Party (EP, KP, LKP)
8	Finnish Rural Party (SMP)
9	True Finns / Finns Party (PS)
10	Green League (VIHR)
11	Christian League of Finland / Christian Democrats (SKL, KD)
12	Other
13	Don't want to say
	SYSMISS

 K36

Question

Do you think people can be trusted or is it so that you can never be too careful about people?

0	Can't be too careful
1	
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10 Most people can be trusted
96 Can't say (spontaneous)

 K37_1

Question

How much do you trust the following organisations, institutions, and groups. Evaluate each from a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "I don't trust them at all", and 10 is "I trust them completely". CARD The President

0 Don't trust at all
1
2
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9
10 Completely trust

 K37_2

Question

How much do you trust the following organisations, institutions, and groups. Evaluate each from a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "I don't trust them at all", and 10 is "I trust them completely". CARD Political parties

0 Don't trust at all
1
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3
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9
10 Completely trust

 K37_3

Question

How much do you trust the following organisations, institutions, and groups. Evaluate each from a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "I don't trust them at all", and 10 is "I trust them completely". CARD The Parliament

0 Don't trust at all
1
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9
10 Completely trust

 K37_4

Question

How much do you trust the following organisations, institutions, and groups. Evaluate each from a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "I don't trust them at all", and 10 is "I trust them completely". CARD The Government

0 Don't trust at all
1
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9
10 Completely trust

 K37_5

Question

How much do you trust the following organisations, institutions, and groups. Evaluate each from a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "I don't trust them at all", and 10 is "I trust them completely". CARD Politicians

0 Don't trust at all
1
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9
10 Completely trust

 K37_6

Question

How much do you trust the following organisations, institutions, and groups. Evaluate each from a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "I don't trust them at all", and 10 is "I trust them completely". CARD The European Union

0 Don't trust at all
1
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9
10 Completely trust

 K37_7

Question

How much do you trust the following organisations, institutions, and groups. Evaluate each from a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "I don't trust them at all", and 10 is "I trust them completely". CARD The judicial system

0 Don't trust at all
1
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9
10 Completely trust

 K37_8

Question

How much do you trust the following organisations, institutions, and groups. Evaluate each from a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "I don't trust them at all", and 10 is "I trust them completely". CARD Public officials

0 Don't trust at all
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9
10 Completely trust

 K37_9

Question

How much do you trust the following organisations, institutions, and groups. Evaluate each from a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "I don't trust them at all", and 10 is "I trust them completely". CARD The Evangelical Lutheran Church of Finland

0 Don't trust at all
1
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9
10 Completely trust

 K37_10

Question

How much do you trust the following organisations, institutions, and groups. Evaluate each from a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "I don't trust them at all", and 10 is "I trust them completely". CARD The police

0	Don't trust at all
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10	Completely trust

 K37_11

Question

How much do you trust the following organisations, institutions, and groups. Evaluate each from a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "I don't trust them at all", and 10 is "I trust them completely". CARD Trade unions and professional associations

0	Don't trust at all
1	
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10	Completely trust

 K37_12

Question

How much do you trust the following organisations, institutions, and groups. Evaluate each from a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "I don't trust them at all", and 10 is "I trust them completely". CARD The media

0	Don't trust at all
1	
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10	Completely trust

 K37_13

Question

How much do you trust the following organisations, institutions, and groups. Evaluate each from a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "I don't trust them at all", and 10 is "I trust them completely". CARD Banks

0	Don't trust at all
1	
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10	Completely trust

 K37_14

Question

How much do you trust the following organisations, institutions, and groups. Evaluate each from a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "I don't trust them at all", and 10 is "I trust them completely". CARD Major corporations

0	Don't trust at all
1	
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9	
10	Completely trust

 K37_15

Question

How much do you trust the following organisations, institutions, and groups. Evaluate each from a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 is "I don't trust them at all", and 10 is "I trust them completely". CARD Universities and research institutes

0	Don't trust at all
1	
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4	
5	
6	
7	
8	

9
10 Completely trust

 K38

Question

In your opinion, how well did the Government lead by Prime Minister Alexander Stubb at the end of last electoral term perform?

1 Very well
2 Well
3 Neither well nor poorly
4 Poorly
5 Very poorly
6 Don't want to say (spontaneous)
7 Can't say (spontaneous)

 K39

Question

What about the Government lead by Prime Minister Jyrki Katainen before that?

1 Very well
2 Well
3 Neither well nor poorly
4 Poorly
5 Very poorly
6 Don't want to say (spontaneous)
7 Can't say (spontaneous)

 D1

Question

Your year of birth

Type

Numeric

 D2

Question

Your gender

1	Male
2	Female
3	Other (spontaneous)
4	Don't want to say (spontaneous)

 D3

Question

What is the highest level of education or degree you have completed?

1	Primary education
2	Lower secondary education
3	Short vocational training (vocational school or course)
4	College level vocational education (post-secondary)
5	Upper secondary education (general)
6	Polytechnic degree or equivalent
7	University degree
8	Doctoral degree or equivalent
9	No education
10	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
11	Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 D4

Question

Your marital status

1	Married or in a registered partnership
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2	Widowed
3	Divorced or separated
4	Single, never married
5	Cohabiting
6	Other
7	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
8	Can't say (spontaneous)

 D33

Question

How would you describe your health in general?

1	Very good
2	Good
3	Average
4	Poor
5	Very poor
6	Can't say (spontaneous)

 D5

Question

Do you belong to any trade union or professional association and if yes, how actively do you participate in its activities?

1	Don't belong to any (go to d35)
2	I belong, but don't participate in the activities (go to d34)
3	I belong and participate in the activities to some extent (go to d34)
4	I belong and actively participate in the activities (go to d34)
5	Can't say (spontaneous) (go to d34)

 D34

Question

Which of the following central organisations does your trade union or professional association belong to?

1	SAK (Central Organisation of Finnish Trade Unions)
2	STTK (Finnish Confederation of Professionals)
3	AKAVA (Condeferation of Unions for Academic Professionals)
4	MTK (Central Union of Agricultural Producers and Forest Owners)
5	Other
96	Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 D34_1

Question

Which of the following central organisations does your trade union or professional association belong to? Other, which? (Categorised open-ended question)

1	Union of Journalists in Finland (Journalistiliitto)
2	Union of Actors (Suomen Näyttelijäliitto)
3	General unemployment fund (YTK)
4	Federation of Finnish Enterprises (Suomen Yrittäjät)
5	Finnish Real Estate Management Federation (Isännöintiiliitto)
6	Confederation of Finnish Industries (Elinkeinoelämän Keskusliitto)
7	Theatre and Media Employees in Finland (Teatterin, tanssin, elokuvan ja sirkuksen ammattiliitto)
SYSMISS	

 D35

Question

How many other than work- or profession-related associations do you belong to as a paying member?

1	None
2	1-2 associations
3	Three or more associations
4	Can't say (spontaneous)

D10

Question

Which of the following best describes your situation?

1	Working full-time (at least 32 hours a week)
2	Working half-time (15-31 hours a week)
3	Working part-time (under 15 hours a week)
4	Unemployed
5	Student
6	Pensioner/retired on account of age or working years
7	Homemaker
8	Pensioner/retired on account of illness or disability
9	Conscripted for military service or in civilian service
10	On parental leave or child care leave
11	Informal carer
12	Other
13	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
14	Can't say (spontaneous)

D11

Question

What is your current occupation? (open-ended question categorised by using ISCO-08)

Type

Numeric

 D12

Question

The occupational group you feel you mainly belong to?

1	Farmer, agricultural entrepreneur
2	Employer, self-employed, own account worker
3	Higher managerial employee
4	Lower managerial/professional employee
5	Intermediate level employee
6	Worker
7	Pensioner (go to d20)
8	Student (go to d20)
9	Housewife or house husband (go to d20)
10	Unemployed (go to d20)
11	Other (go to d20)

 D13

Question

In which sector do you work?

1	State, municipality or church
2	Private company
3	Company which is largely owned by a municipality or the government
4	So called third sector (e.g. non-profit organisation)
5	Can't say (spontaneous)
	SYSMISS

 D20

Question

What is the average total annual income of your household before tax (= gross income), including taxable social security benefits?

Type

Numeric

 D21A**Question**

How many people live in your household? In total: __ people

Type

Numeric

 D21B**Question**

Out of them, __ are children/young people aged 7-17

Type

Numeric

 D21C**Question**

Out of them, __ are children aged 6 or younger

Type

Numeric

 D22**Question**

Apart from weddings, funerals etc., how often do you go to church?

1	Never
2	Once a year
3	2-11 times a year
4	Once a month
5	Twice a month or more often
6	Once a week or more often
7	Don't want to say (spontaneous)

8 Can't say (spontaneous)

 D23

Question

How religious would you say you are?

1 Not at all religious
2 Not very religious
3 Somewhat religious
4 Very religious
5 Don't want to say (spontaneous)
6 Can't say (spontaneous)

 D24

Question

Do you belong to a church or other religious community?

1 Evangelical Lutheran Church (go to d17)
2 Orthodox Church (go to d17)
3 Roman Catholic Church (go to d17)
4 Other church or religious community (go to question d17)
5 None
6 Don't want to say (spontaneous)
7 Can't say (spontaneous)

 D36

Question

Have you left the Evangelical Lutheran Church in the past five years?

1 Yes
2 No

	3 I have never belonged to the Evangelical Lutheran Church
	4 Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 D37

Question

Mother tongue

	1 Finnish
	2 Swedish
	3 Some other language

 D25

Question

Which language or languages are usually spoken at your home?

	1 Only Finnish
	2 Only Swedish
	3 Finnish and Swedish
	4 Finnish and some other language
	5 Swedish and some other language
	6 Only languages other than Finnish or Swedish
	7 Don't want to say (spontaneous)
	8 Can't say (spontaneous)

 D38

Question

Do you consider yourself a member of an ethnic minority in Finland?

	1 Yes
	2 No
	3 Can't say (spontaneous)

 D39

Question

Your place of residence (categorised open-ended question)

Type

Numeric

 D29

Question

Do you live...

1	In the centre of a large town (over 100,000 inhabitants)
2	In the centre of a smaller town (under 100,000 inhabitants)
3	In a city/town suburb
4	In a municipal centre or other population centre in a rural area
5	In a sparsely populated rural area
6	Don't want to say (spontaneous)
7	Can't say (spontaneous)

 D40

Question

Did you live in your present electoral district at the time of the previous parliamentary elections of 2011?

1	Yes
2	No
3	Can't say (spontaneous)
SYSMISS	

 D30

Question

Electoral district (derived from the municipality variable)

1	Electoral District of Helsinki
2	Electoral District of Uusimaa
3	Electoral District of Varsinais-Suomi
4	Electoral District of Satakunta
5	Electoral District of Häme
6	Electoral District of Pirkanmaa
7	Electoral District of South East Finland
8	Electoral District of Savo-Karelia
9	Electoral District of Vaasa
10	Electoral District of Central Finland
11	Electoral District of Oulu
12	Electoral District of Lapland
	SYSMISS

 D41

Question

Have you been unemployed in the past 12 months?

1	No
2	Yes
3	Can't say (spontaneous)
	SYSMISS

 D41_1

Question

Have you been unemployed in the past 12 months? Yes, for a total of approximately __ months

Type

Numeric

 D42

Question

Do you live...

1	In a rental apartment/house
2	In an apartment/house owned by you or your family
3	In a part-ownership or right-of-occupancy apartment/house
4	Other

 REKRY1

Question

Willingness to respond to the self-administered questionnaire?

1	Willing
2	Not willing

 REKRY2

Question

Did the respondent respond to the self-administered questionnaire?

1	Responded
2	Did not respond

 P1_1

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about current political issues? All in all, the European Union membership has been a good thing for Finland

1	Strongly agree
2	Somewhat agree
3	Somewhat disagree
4	Strongly disagree

5 Can't say
SYSMISS

P1_2

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about current political issues? Finland should reinforce Nordic co-operation

1 Strongly agree
2 Somewhat agree
3 Somewhat disagree
4 Strongly disagree
5 Can't say
SYSMISS

P1_3

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about current political issues? Finland should leave the EU

1 Strongly agree
2 Somewhat agree
3 Somewhat disagree
4 Strongly disagree
5 Can't say
SYSMISS

P1_4

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about current political issues? Finland should be actively involved in developing defence co-operation in the EU

1 Strongly agree
2 Somewhat agree

	3 Somewhat disagree
	4 Strongly disagree
	5 Can't say
	SYSMISS

 P1_5

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about current political issues? Finland's participation in international crisis management operations is a good thing

	1 Strongly agree
	2 Somewhat agree
	3 Somewhat disagree
	4 Strongly disagree
	5 Can't say
	SYSMISS

 P1_6

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about current political issues? If Ukraine's territorial integrity can only be safeguarded by Western military aid, Finland needs to support this aid

	1 Strongly agree
	2 Somewhat agree
	3 Somewhat disagree
	4 Strongly disagree
	5 Can't say
	SYSMISS

 P1_7

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about current political issues? Finland should join NATO

	1 Strongly agree
	2 Somewhat agree
	3 Somewhat disagree
	4 Strongly disagree
	5 Can't say
SYSMISS	

 P1_8

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about current political issues? Russia constitutes a political and security threat to Finland

	1 Strongly agree
	2 Somewhat agree
	3 Somewhat disagree
	4 Strongly disagree
	5 Can't say
SYSMISS	

 P1_9

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about current political issues? The government should primarily look after the welfare of native Finns

	1 Strongly agree
	2 Somewhat agree
	3 Somewhat disagree
	4 Strongly disagree
	5 Can't say
SYSMISS	

 P1_10

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about current political issues? Increasing the duration of compulsory education is a good way to prevent the marginalisation of young people

1 Strongly agree
2 Somewhat agree
3 Somewhat disagree
4 Strongly disagree
5 Can't say
SYSMISS

 P1_11

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about current political issues? Because of tax progression, income taxation in Finland is too harsh, particularly for incomes above the average

1 Strongly agree
2 Somewhat agree
3 Somewhat disagree
4 Strongly disagree
5 Can't say
SYSMISS

 P1_12

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about current political issues? Efforts should be made to keep all of Finland populated, regardless of the costs

1 Strongly agree
2 Somewhat agree
3 Somewhat disagree
4 Strongly disagree
5 Can't say

SYSMISS	
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 P1_13

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about current political issues? Finland is too eager to meet the EU's environment and climate goals

1 Strongly agree
2 Somewhat agree
3 Somewhat disagree
4 Strongly disagree
5 Can't say
SYSMISS

 P1_14

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about current political issues? Wages and terms of employment should be agreed on locally without central organisations

1 Strongly agree
2 Somewhat agree
3 Somewhat disagree
4 Strongly disagree
5 Can't say
SYSMISS

 P1_15

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about current political issues? Same-sex couples' right to marry is a good thing

1 Strongly agree
2 Somewhat agree
3 Somewhat disagree

	4 Strongly disagree
	5 Can't say
SYSMISS	

 P1_16

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about current political issues? Same-sex couples' right to adopt is a good thing

	1 Strongly agree
	2 Somewhat agree
	3 Somewhat disagree
	4 Strongly disagree
	5 Can't say
SYSMISS	

 P1_17

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about current political issues? The centralisation of social and health services into larger responsible units, the so-called SOTE reform, is a good thing

	1 Strongly agree
	2 Somewhat agree
	3 Somewhat disagree
	4 Strongly disagree
	5 Can't say
SYSMISS	

 P1_18

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about current political issues? Cuts to public services are needed to balance the Finnish economy

	1 Strongly agree
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	2 Somewhat agree
	3 Somewhat disagree
	4 Strongly disagree
	5 Can't say
	SYSMISS

 P1_19

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about current political issues? Alcohol legislation in Finland is too strict

	1 Strongly agree
	2 Somewhat agree
	3 Somewhat disagree
	4 Strongly disagree
	5 Can't say
	SYSMISS

 P1_20

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about current political issues? Begging should be forbidden

	1 Strongly agree
	2 Somewhat agree
	3 Somewhat disagree
	4 Strongly disagree
	5 Can't say
	SYSMISS

 P1_21

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about current political issues? Finns must remain longer in the working life than they do now

1 Strongly agree
2 Somewhat agree
3 Somewhat disagree
4 Strongly disagree
5 Can't say
SYSMISS

 P1_22

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about current political issues? Studying Swedish at school should be voluntary

1 Strongly agree
2 Somewhat agree
3 Somewhat disagree
4 Strongly disagree
5 Can't say
SYSMISS

 P1_23

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about current political issues? Finland must maintain compulsory military service

1 Strongly agree
2 Somewhat agree
3 Somewhat disagree
4 Strongly disagree
5 Can't say
SYSMISS

 P2_1

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? Members of parliament would help our country more if they stopped talking and concentrated on taking action

	1 Strongly agree
	2 Somewhat agree
	3 Somewhat disagree
	4 Strongly disagree
	5 Can't say
	SYSMISS

 P2_2

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? What making compromises in politics really means is selling one's principles

	1 Strongly agree
	2 Somewhat agree
	3 Somewhat disagree
	4 Strongly disagree
	5 Can't say
	SYSMISS

 P2_3

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? The Finnish government would function better if it were managed like an enterprise

	1 Strongly agree
	2 Somewhat agree
	3 Somewhat disagree
	4 Strongly disagree
	5 Can't say

SYSMISS	
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 P2_4

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? Political parties ought to be banned in politics

	1 Strongly agree
	2 Somewhat agree
	3 Somewhat disagree
	4 Strongly disagree
	5 Can't say
SYSMISS	

 P2_5

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? There ought to be an upper limit to political campaign expenditure

	1 Strongly agree
	2 Somewhat agree
	3 Somewhat disagree
	4 Strongly disagree
	5 Can't say
SYSMISS	

 P2_6

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? Direct contacts between interest groups and members of parliament ought to be banned

	1 Strongly agree
	2 Somewhat agree
	3 Somewhat disagree

	4 Strongly disagree
	5 Can't say
SYSMIS	

 P2_7

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? What Finland needs are strong leaders who can restore law and order

	1 Strongly agree
	2 Somewhat agree
	3 Somewhat disagree
	4 Strongly disagree
	5 Can't say
SYSMIS	

 P2_8

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? It is important that members of parliament thoroughly discuss and debate issues before decision-making

	1 Strongly agree
	2 Somewhat agree
	3 Somewhat disagree
	4 Strongly disagree
	5 Can't say
SYSMIS	

 P2_9

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? The problem with democracy is that most people do not really know what is best for them

	1 Strongly agree
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	2 Somewhat agree
	3 Somewhat disagree
	4 Strongly disagree
	5 Can't say
	SYSMISS

 P2_10

Question

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? Most people have enough sense to tell whether the government is doing a good job

	1 Strongly agree
	2 Somewhat agree
	3 Somewhat disagree
	4 Strongly disagree
	5 Can't say
	SYSMISS

 P3

Question

Which of the following groups would you say you primarily belong to?

	1 The rural population
	2 The urban population
	3 Both
	4 Neither
	SYSMISS

 P4

Question

Which of the following groups would you say you primarily belong to?

	1 Finns in general
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	2 Finnish-speaking Finns
	3 Swedish-speaking Finns
	4 Other ethnic or linguistic group
	5 None of the above
	SYSMISS

 P5_1

Question

During political campaigns, citizens can receive important information that influence their voting from a variety of sources. How much important information did you get for your voting choice from the following sources? Family members, parents or relatives

	1 A lot
	2 Quite a lot
	3 Not a lot
	4 None at all
	5 Can't say
	SYSMISS

 P5_2

Question

During political campaigns, citizens can receive important information that influence their voting from a variety of sources. How much important information did you get for your voting choice from the following sources? Colleagues or fellow students

	1 A lot
	2 Quite a lot
	3 Not a lot
	4 None at all
	5 Can't say
	SYSMISS

 P5_3

Question

During political campaigns, citizens can receive important information that influence their voting from a variety of sources. How much important information did you get for your voting choice from the following sources? Other friends or acquaintances

1	A lot
2	Quite a lot
3	Not a lot
4	None at all
5	Can't say
	SYSMISS

 P5_4

Question

During political campaigns, citizens can receive important information that influence their voting from a variety of sources. How much important information did you get for your voting choice from the following sources? Newspaper or online paper/magazine

1	A lot
2	Quite a lot
3	Not a lot
4	None at all
5	Can't say
	SYSMISS

 P5_5

Question

During political campaigns, citizens can receive important information that influence their voting from a variety of sources. How much important information did you get for your voting choice from the following sources? Television

1	A lot
2	Quite a lot
3	Not a lot

	4 None at all
	5 Can't say
SYSMISS	

 P5_6

Question

During political campaigns, citizens can receive important information that influence their voting from a variety of sources. How much important information did you get for your voting choice from the following sources? Radio

	1 A lot
	2 Quite a lot
	3 Not a lot
	4 None at all
	5 Can't say
SYSMISS	

 P5_7

Question

During political campaigns, citizens can receive important information that influence their voting from a variety of sources. How much important information did you get for your voting choice from the following sources? Websites of parties or candidates

	1 A lot
	2 Quite a lot
	3 Not a lot
	4 None at all
	5 Can't say
SYSMISS	

 P5_8

Question

During political campaigns, citizens can receive important information that influence their voting from a variety of sources. How much important information did you get for your voting choice from the following sources? Social media

1 A lot
2 Quite a lot
3 Not a lot
4 None at all
5 Can't say
SYSMISS

 P5_9

Question

During political campaigns, citizens can receive important information that influence their voting from a variety of sources. How much important information did you get for your voting choice from the following sources? Websites of the media

1 A lot
2 Quite a lot
3 Not a lot
4 None at all
5 Can't say
SYSMISS

 P5_10

Question

During political campaigns, citizens can receive important information that influence their voting from a variety of sources. How much important information did you get for your voting choice from the following sources? Other websites

1 A lot
2 Quite a lot
3 Not a lot
4 None at all
5 Can't say
SYSMISS

 P5_11

Question

During political campaigns, citizens can receive important information that influence their voting from a variety of sources. How much important information did you get for your voting choice from the following sources?

Candidate selector(s)

1	A lot
2	Quite a lot
3	Not a lot
4	None at all
5	Can't say
	SYSMISS

 Q17

Question

During the campaign, did a party or candidate contact you in person or by any other means?

1	Yes
2	No (go to q18)
3	Don't want to say (go to q18)
4	Can't say (go to q18)
	SYSMISS

 Q17A

Question

Did a party or candidate contact you in person, face-to-face (for example, in the street or at your home)?

1	Yes
2	No
3	Don't want to say
4	Can't say
	SYSMISS

 Q17B

Question

Did a party or candidate contact you by mail (not electronic communication, paper mail only)?

1 Yes
2 No
3 Don't want to say
4 Can't say
SYSMISS

 Q17C

Question

Did a party or candidate contact you by phone?

1 Yes
2 No
3 Don't want to say
4 Can't say
SYSMISS

 Q17D

Question

Did a party or candidate contact you by text message or SMS?

1 Yes
2 No
3 Don't want to say
4 Can't say
SYSMISS

 Q17E

Question

Did a party or candidate contact you by email?

1 Yes
2 No
3 Don't want to say
4 Can't say
SYSMISS

 Q17F

Question

Did a party or candidate contact you on the Internet or through social media?

1 Yes
2 No
3 Don't want to say
4 Can't say
SYSMISS

 Q17G_1

Question

Did any of the parties listed below contact you by any means mentioned above? [The questionnaire contains two possibilities 'yes' and 'no' after the name of each party]. National Coalition Party

1 Yes
2 No
3 Don't want to say
9 Can't say
SYSMISS

 Q17G_2

Question

Did any of the parties listed below contact you by any means mentioned above? [The questionnaire contains two possibilities 'yes' and 'no' after the name of each party]. Social Democratic Party of Finland

1 Yes

2	No
3	Don't want to say
9	Can't say
	SYSMISS

Q17G_3

Question

Did any of the parties listed below contact you by any means mentioned above? [The questionnaire contains two possibilities 'yes' and 'no' after the name of each party]. Finns Party

1	Yes
2	No
3	Don't want to say
9	Can't say
	SYSMISS

Q17G_4

Question

Did any of the parties listed below contact you by any means mentioned above? [The questionnaire contains two possibilities 'yes' and 'no' after the name of each party]. Centre Party of Finland

1	Yes
2	No
3	Don't want to say
9	Can't say
	SYSMISS

Q17G_5

Question

Did any of the parties listed below contact you by any means mentioned above? [The questionnaire contains two possibilities 'yes' and 'no' after the name of each party]. Left Alliance

1	Yes
2	No

	3 Don't want to say
	9 Can't say
SYSMISS	

 Q17G_6

Question

Did any of the parties listed below contact you by any means mentioned above? [The questionnaire contains two possibilities 'yes' and 'no' after the name of each party]. Green League

	1 Yes
	2 No
	3 Don't want to say
	9 Can't say
SYSMISS	

 Q17G_7

Question

Did any of the parties listed below contact you by any means mentioned above? [The questionnaire contains two possibilities 'yes' and 'no' after the name of each party]. Swedish People's Party in Finland

	1 Yes
	2 No
	3 Don't want to say
	9 Can't say
SYSMISS	

 Q17G_8

Question

Did any of the parties listed below contact you by any means mentioned above? [The questionnaire contains two possibilities 'yes' and 'no' after the name of each party]. Christian Democrats

	1 Yes
	2 No
	3 Don't want to say

9 Can't say
SYSMISS

Q17G_9

Question

Did any of the parties listed below contact you by any means mentioned above? [The questionnaire contains two possibilities 'yes' and 'no' after the name of each party]. Pirate Party of Finland

1 Yes
2 No
3 Don't want to say
9 Can't say
SYSMISS

Q17G_10

Question

Did any of the parties listed below contact you by any means mentioned above? [The questionnaire contains two possibilities 'yes' and 'no' after the name of each party]. Communist Party of Finland

1 Yes
2 No
3 Don't want to say
9 Can't say
SYSMISS

Q17G_11

Question

Did any of the parties listed below contact you by any means mentioned above? [The questionnaire contains two possibilities 'yes' and 'no' after the name of each party]. Change 2011

1 Yes
2 No
3 Don't want to say
9 Can't say

SYSMISS

Q17G_12

Question

Did any of the parties listed below contact you by any means mentioned above? [The questionnaire contains two possibilities 'yes' and 'no' after the name of each party]. Independence Party

1 Yes
2 No
3 Don't want to say
9 Can't say
SYSMISS

Q17G_13

Question

Did any of the parties listed below contact you by any means mentioned above? [The questionnaire contains two possibilities 'yes' and 'no' after the name of each party]. Workers' Party of Finland

1 Yes
2 No
3 Don't want to say
9 Can't say
SYSMISS

Q17G_14

Question

Did any of the parties listed below contact you by any means mentioned above? [The questionnaire contains two possibilities 'yes' and 'no' after the name of each party]. Communist Workers' Party

1 Yes
2 No
3 Don't want to say
9 Can't say
SYSMISS

Q17G_15

Question

Did any of the parties listed below contact you by any means mentioned above? [The questionnaire contains two possibilities 'yes' and 'no' after the name of each party]. For the Poor

1	Yes
2	No
3	Don't want to say
9	Can't say
SYSMISS	

Q18

Question

During the campaign, did a friend, family member, neighbour, work colleague or other acquaintance try to persuade you to vote for a particular party or candidate?

1	Yes
2	No (go to q19)
3	Don't want to say (go to q19)
4	Can't say (go to q19)
SYSMISS	

Q18A

Question

Did they try to persuade you in person, face-to-face?

1	Yes
2	No
3	Don't want to say
4	Can't say
SYSMISS	

 Q18B

Question

Did they try to persuade you by mail/letter?

1 Yes
2 No
3 Don't want to say
4 Can't say
SYSMISS

 Q18C

Question

Did they try to persuade you by phone?

1 Yes
2 No
3 Don't want to say
4 Can't say
SYSMISS

 Q18D

Question

Did they try to persuade you by text message?

1 Yes
2 No
3 Don't want to say
4 Can't say
SYSMISS

 Q18E

Question

Did they try to persuade you by email?

1	Yes
2	No
3	Don't want to say
4	Can't say
	SYSMISS

 Q18F

Question

Did they try to persuade you on the Internet or social media?

1	Yes
2	No
3	Don't want to say
4	Can't say
	SYSMISS

 Q19

Question

During the campaign, did you use the Internet or your mobile phone to receive information, newsletters or alerts from a party or candidate?

1	Yes
2	No
3	Don't want to say
4	Can't say
	SYSMISS

 P6

Question

How easy or difficult was it for you to choose the party whose candidate you voted for?

1	Very easy
2	Fairly easy

	3 Fairly difficult
	4 Very difficult
	5 Didn't vote
	6 Can't say
SYSMISS	

 P7

Question

How easy or difficult was it for you to find a suitable candidate?

	1 Very easy
	2 Fairly easy
	3 Fairly difficult
	4 Very difficult
	5 Didn't vote
	6 Can't say
SYSMISS	

 P8_1

Question

The internet, social media and e-mail have opened new avenues for political activity and information seeking. Which of the following things have you done online or in social media in the past four year, or might do in the future? Sign a petition

	1 I have done this in the past four years
	2 I have not done this, but I might do
	3 I would not do this under any circumstances
	9 Can't say
SYSMISS	

 P8_2

Question

The internet, social media and e-mail have opened new avenues for political activity and information seeking.

Which of the following things have you done online or in social media in the past four year, or might do in the future? Contact political decision-makers regarding some important issue

1	I have done this in the past four years
2	I have not done this, but I might do
3	I would not do this under any circumstances
9	Can't say
SYSMISS	

 P8_3

Question

The internet, social media and e-mail have opened new avenues for political activity and information seeking. Which of the following things have you done online or in social media in the past four year, or might do in the future? Participate in conversation/debate e.g. by commenting on the websites of news media, political blogs or social media

1	I have done this in the past four years
2	I have not done this, but I might do
3	I would not do this under any circumstances
9	Can't say
SYSMISS	

 P8_4

Question

The internet, social media and e-mail have opened new avenues for political activity and information seeking. Which of the following things have you done online or in social media in the past four year, or might do in the future? Donate money to a political party or candidate

1	I have done this in the past four years
2	I have not done this, but I might do
3	I would not do this under any circumstances
9	Can't say
SYSMISS	

 P8_5

Question

The internet, social media and e-mail have opened new avenues for political activity and information seeking. Which of the following things have you done online or in social media in the past four year, or might do in the future? Send and receive election-related emails or messages between family, friends and acquaintances on social media

	1 I have done this in the past four years
	2 I have not done this, but I might do
	3 I would not do this under any circumstances
	9 Can't say
SYSMISS	

 P8_6

Question

The internet, social media and e-mail have opened new avenues for political activity and information seeking. Which of the following things have you done online or in social media in the past four year, or might do in the future? Write about elections in your own blog or profile on social media (e.g. Facebook, Twitter or YouTube)

	1 I have done this in the past four years
	2 I have not done this, but I might do
	3 I would not do this under any circumstances
	9 Can't say
SYSMISS	

 P8_7

Question

The internet, social media and e-mail have opened new avenues for political activity and information seeking. Which of the following things have you done online or in social media in the past four year, or might do in the future? Upload or share pictures or videos relating to elections on social media (e.g. Facebook, Instagram or YouTube)

	1 I have done this in the past four years
	2 I have not done this, but I might do
	3 I would not do this under any circumstances

	9 Can't say
SYSMISS	

 P8_8

Question

The internet, social media and e-mail have opened new avenues for political activity and information seeking. Which of the following things have you done online or in social media in the past four year, or might do in the future? Participate in the activities of a political party online and/or social media

	1 I have done this in the past four years
	2 I have not done this, but I might do
	3 I would not do this under any circumstances
	9 Can't say
SYSMISS	

 P8_9

Question

The internet, social media and e-mail have opened new avenues for political activity and information seeking. Which of the following things have you done online or in social media in the past four year, or might do in the future? Participate in the activities of some other association online and/or social media

	1 I have done this in the past four years
	2 I have not done this, but I might do
	3 I would not do this under any circumstances
	9 Can't say
SYSMISS	

 P8_10

Question

The internet, social media and e-mail have opened new avenues for political activity and information seeking. Which of the following things have you done online or in social media in the past four year, or might do in the future? Demonstrate civil disobedience by participating in illegal, non-violent activities online, for example by hacking

	1 I have done this in the past four years
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	2 I have not done this, but I might do
	3 I would not do this under any circumstances
	9 Can't say
	SYSMISS

 P9_1

Question

In what ways are you active in the Internet or in social media? Choose the alternative that best describes your level of activity. Political websites and blogs

	1 I'm not active at all
	2 I mainly read or otherwise use content produced or uploaded to websites by others
	3 I mainly produce content myself, for example by writing or producing material
	9 Can't say
	SYSMISS

 P9_2

Question

In what ways are you active in the Internet or in social media? Choose the alternative that best describes your level of activity. Political conversations on the Internet and web communities on social media, such as Facebook, Twitter and Instagram

	1 I'm not active at all
	2 I mainly read or otherwise use content produced or uploaded to websites by others
	3 I mainly produce content myself, for example by writing or producing material
	9 Can't say
	SYSMISS

 P9_3

Question

In what ways are you active in the Internet or in social media? Choose the alternative that best describes your level of activity. Political videos, for example on YouTube

	1 I'm not active at all
	2 I mainly read or otherwise use content produced or uploaded to websites by others
	3 I mainly produce content myself, for example by writing or producing material
	9 Can't say
SYSMISS	

 P9_4

Question

In what ways are you active in the Internet or in social media? Choose the alternative that best describes your level of activity. Political activist groups on the Internet or social media

	1 I'm not active at all
	2 I mainly read or otherwise use content produced or uploaded to websites by others
	3 I mainly produce content myself, for example by writing or producing material
	9 Can't say
SYSMISS	

 P9_5

Question

In what ways are you active in the Internet or in social media? Choose the alternative that best describes your level of activity. Political campaigns on the Internet or social media

	1 I'm not active at all
	2 I mainly read or otherwise use content produced or uploaded to websites by others

	3 I mainly produce content myself, for example by writing or producing material
	9 Can't say
	SYSMISS

 P9_6

Question

In what ways are you active in the Internet or in social media? Choose the alternative that best describes your level of activity. Political podcasts

	1 I'm not active at all
	2 I mainly read or otherwise use content produced or uploaded to websites by others
	3 I mainly produce content myself, for example by writing or producing material
	9 Can't say
	SYSMISS

 P10

Question

How much time do you spend watching television news or politics-related and current affairs programmes on ordinary weekdays?

	1 None at all
	2 Under 0,5 hours
	3 0,5 hours - 1 hour
	4 Over an hour, but no more than 1,5 hours
	5 Over 2 hours, but no more than 2,5 hours
	6 Over 2,5 hours, but no more than 3 hours
	7 Over 3 hours
	SYSMISS

 P11

Question

If it were possible to have a say through the Internet in issues that the Parliament is handling each week, what would you do?

	1 I would have a say every week or almost every week
	2 I would only have a say when the Parliament handled matters that interest me
	3 I could occasionally have a say, but this is not important to me
	4 I wouldn't have a say because the Members of Parliament must make the decisions
	5 Can't say
SYSMISS	

 P12

Question

Otakantaa.fi is a new online service that aims to strengthen the participation of and interaction between citizens, organisations and authorities. Have you participated in discussions at www.otakantaa.fi?

	1 I haven't participated and I wouldn't do so
	2 I haven't participated, but I might participate
	3 I have participated
SYSMISS	

 P13

Question

Kuntalaisaloite.fi is an online service where the residents of a municipality and other members can propose initiatives, follow the initiatives proposed by others etc. Have you done any of the things mentioned above at www.kuntalaisaloite.fi?

	1 I haven't done any of the things mentioned above and I wouldn't do them
	2 I haven't done any of the things mentioned above, but I might do them

3	I have done things mentioned above
SYSMISS	

 P14_1

Question

How do you think the following are now, compared to the past two years? Are they better, worse or the same?
State of the economy in Finland

1	Better
2	Worse
3	The same
9	Can't say
SYSMISS	

 P14_2

Question

How do you think the following are now, compared to the past two years? Are they better, worse or the same?
Your own or your family's financial situation

1	Better
2	Worse
3	The same
9	Can't say
SYSMISS	

 P14_3

Question

How do you think the following are now, compared to the past two years? Are they better, worse or the same?
Employment situation in Finland

1	Better
2	Worse
3	The same
9	Can't say

SYSMISS	
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 P14_4

Question

How do you think the following are now, compared to the past two years? Are they better, worse or the same?
Your own or your family's employment situation

1 Better	
2 Worse	
3 The same	
9 Can't say	
SYSMISS	

 P15_1

Question

How do you expect the following to be two years from now, compared to the present situation? Are they better, worse or the same as earlier? State of the economy in Finland

1 Better	
2 Worse	
3 The same	
9 Can't say	
SYSMISS	

 P15_2

Question

How do you expect the following to be two years from now, compared to the present situation? Are they better, worse or the same as earlier? Your own or your family's financial situation

1 Better	
2 Worse	
3 The same	
9 Can't say	
SYSMISS	

 P15_3

Question

How do you expect the following to be two years from now, compared to the present situation? Are they better, worse or the same as earlier? Employment situation in Finland

	1 Better
	2 Worse
	3 The same
	9 Can't say
SYSMISS	

 P15_4

Question

How do you expect the following to be two years from now, compared to the present situation? Are they better, worse or the same as earlier? Your own or your family's employment situation

	1 Better
	2 Worse
	3 The same
	9 Can't say
SYSMISS	

 P16

Question

How satisfied or dissatisfied are you with your financial situation?

	1 Very satisfied
	2 Fairly satisfied
	3 Fairly dissatisfied
	4 Very dissatisfied
	5 Can't say
SYSMISS	

 P17

Question

And how satisfied or dissatisfied are you with your life in general?

1	Very satisfied
2	Fairly satisfied
3	Fairly dissatisfied
4	Very dissatisfied
5	Can't say
SYSMISS	

 P18_1

Question

Different views of political decision making exist in the world. Some views are listed below. What is your opinion of them on a scale from 0 to 10? Zero means that citizens should make important political decisions and ten means that politicians elected by the people should make the important decisions. Where would you place yourself on this scale?

0	Citizens
1	
2	
3	
4	
5	
6	
7	
8	
9	
10	Politicians elected by the people
SYSMISS	

 P18_2

Question

Different views of political decision making exist in the world. Some views are listed below. What is your opinion of them on a scale from 0 to 10? Zero means that politicians elected by the people should make important political decisions and ten means that politically impartial experts should make the important decisions. Where would you place yourself on this scale?

0	Politicians elected by the people
1	
2	
3	
4	
5	
6	
7	
8	
9	
10	Politically impartial experts
SYSMISS	

 P18_3

Question

Different views of political decision making exist in the world. Some views are listed below. What is your opinion of them on a scale from 0 to 10? Zero means that politically impartial experts should make important political decisions and ten means that citizens should make the important decisions. Where would you place yourself on this scale?

0	Politically impartial experts
1	
2	
3	
4	
5	
6	

7
8
9
10 Citizens
SYSMISS

Q22A

Question

Do you or any of your family members own a house, apartment or holiday home that remains in family use?

1 Yes
2 No
3 Don't want to say
4 Can't say
SYSMISS

Q22B

Question

Do you or any of your family members own a company, land or property, a farm or livestock?

1 Yes
2 No
3 Don't want to say
4 Can't say
SYSMISS

Q22C

Question

Do you or any of your family members own shares or bonds?

1 Yes
2 No
3 Don't want to say

4 Can't say
SYSMISS

 Q22D

Question

Do you or any of your family members have savings or deposit accounts?

1 Yes
2 No
3 Don't want to say
4 Can't say
SYSMISS

 Q23A

Question

If you were to lose your job, how easy or difficult do you think it would be for you to find a new job in the following 12 months?

1 Very easy
2 Fairly easy
3 Fairly difficult
4 Very difficult
5 Don't want to say
6 Can't say
SYSMISS

 Q23B

Question

If your spouse or cohabiting partner were to lose his/her job, how easy or difficult would it be for him/her to find a new job in the following 12 months?

1 Very easy
2 Fairly easy

	3 Fairly difficult
	4 Very difficult
	5 Don't want to say
	6 Can't say
	7 No spouse or partner
SYSMISS	

 P19_1

Question

Do you or one of your close ones listed below a medical condition, injury, or other health related issue that causes you/them difficulties in daily life? (You can choose more than one option). I myself

	0 Not mentioned
	1 Mentioned
SYSMISS	

 P19_2

Question

Do you or one of your close ones listed below a medical condition, injury, or other health related issue that causes you/them difficulties in daily life? (You can choose more than one option). My spouse/partner

	0 Not mentioned
	1 Mentioned
SYSMISS	

 P19_3

Question

Do you or one of your close ones listed below a medical condition, injury, or other health related issue that causes you/them difficulties in daily life? (You can choose more than one option). My parents and/or the parents of my spouse/partner

	0 Not mentioned
	1 Mentioned
SYSMISS	

 P19_4

Question

Do you or one of your close ones listed below a medical condition, injury, or other health related issue that causes you/them difficulties in daily life? (You can choose more than one option). My children and/or the children of my spouse/partner

	0 Not mentioned
	1 Mentioned
SYSMISS	

 P19_5

Question

Do you or one of your close ones listed below a medical condition, injury, or other health related issue that causes you/them difficulties in daily life? (You can choose more than one option). A close friend or a close colleague of mine

	0 Not mentioned
	1 Mentioned
SYSMISS	

 P19_6

Question

Do you or one of your close ones listed below a medical condition, injury, or other health related issue that causes you/them difficulties in daily life? (You can choose more than one option). None of them

	0 Not mentioned
	1 Mentioned
SYSMISS	

 P20_1

Question

Finally, a questions on how you would describe yourself as a person. On each question, tick off how well the traits describe you. Please consider both traits mentioned. Extroverted, enthusiastic

	1 Disagree strongly
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2 Disagree moderately
3 Disagree a little
4 Neither agree nor disagree
5 Agree a little
6 Agree moderately
7 Agree strongly
SYSMISS

 P20_2

Question

Finally, a questions on how you would describe yourself as a person. On each question, tick off how well the traits describe you. Please consider both traits mentioned. Critical, quarrelsome

1 Disagree strongly
2 Disagree moderately
3 Disagree a little
4 Neither agree nor disagree
5 Agree a little
6 Agree moderately
7 Agree strongly
SYSMISS

 P20_3

Question

Finally, a questions on how you would describe yourself as a person. On each question, tick off how well the traits describe you. Please consider both traits mentioned. Dependable, self-disciplined

1 Disagree strongly
2 Disagree moderately
3 Disagree a little
4 Neither agree nor disagree
5 Agree a little
6 Agree moderately

7 Agree strongly
SYSMISS

 P20_4

Question

Finally, a questions on how you would describe yourself as a person. On each question, tick off how well the traits describe you. Please consider both traits mentioned. Anxious, easily upset

1 Disagree strongly
2 Disagree moderately
3 Disagree a little
4 Neither agree nor disgaree
5 Agree a little
6 Agree moderately
7 Agree strongly
SYSMISS

 P20_5

Question

Finally, a questions on how you would describe yourself as a person. On each question, tick off how well the traits describe you. Please consider both traits mentioned. Open to new experiences, complex

1 Disagree strongly
2 Disagree moderately
3 Disagree a little
4 Neither agree nor disgaree
5 Agree a little
6 Agree moderately
7 Agree strongly
SYSMISS

 P20_6

Question

Finally, a questions on how you would describe yourself as a person. On each question, tick off how well the traits describe you. Please consider both traits mentioned. Reserved, quiet

	1 Disagree strongly
	2 Disagree moderately
	3 Disagree a little
	4 Neither agree nor disagree
	5 Agree a little
	6 Agree moderately
	7 Agree strongly
SYSMISS	

 P20_7

Question

Finally, a questions on how you would describe yourself as a person. On each question, tick off how well the traits describe you. Please consider both traits mentioned. Sympathetic, warm

	1 Disagree strongly
	2 Disagree moderately
	3 Disagree a little
	4 Neither agree nor disagree
	5 Agree a little
	6 Agree moderately
	7 Agree strongly
SYSMISS	

 P20_8

Question

Finally, a questions on how you would describe yourself as a person. On each question, tick off how well the traits describe you. Please consider both traits mentioned. Disorganised, careless

	1 Disagree strongly
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2	Disagree moderately
3	Disagree a little
4	Neither agree nor disagree
5	Agree a little
6	Agree moderately
7	Agree strongly
SYSMISS	

 P20_9

Question

Finally, a questions on how you would describe yourself as a person. On each question, tick off how well the traits describe you. Please consider both traits mentioned. Calm, emotionally stable

1	Disagree strongly
2	Disagree moderately
3	Disagree a little
4	Neither agree nor disagree
5	Agree a little
6	Agree moderately
7	Agree strongly
SYSMISS	

 P20_10

Question

Finally, a questions on how you would describe yourself as a person. On each question, tick off how well the traits describe you. Please consider both traits mentioned. Conventional, uncreative

1	Disagree strongly
2	Disagree moderately
3	Disagree a little
4	Neither agree nor disagree
5	Agree a little
6	Agree moderately

	7 Agree strongly
SYSMISS	

KUNTATIE

Question

Availability of information on the respondent's municipality

	1 Information available
	2 Not known

KUNTARYH

Question

Degree of urbanisation of the municipality of residence

	1 Capital region
	2 Urban municipality
	3 Densely populated municipality
	4 Rural municipality
SYSMISS	

MAAKUNTA

Question

The respondent's region of residence (NUTS3)

	1 Uusimaa
	2 Finland proper (Varsinais-Suomi)
	4 Satakunta
	5 Tavastia proper (Kanta-Häme)
	6 Pirkanmaa
	7 Päijänne Tavastia (Päijät-Häme)
	8 Kymenlaakso
	9 South Karelia (Etelä-Karjala)
	10 Southern Savonia (Etelä-Savo)

11	Northern Savonia (Pohjois-Savo)
12	North Karelia (Pohjois-Karjala)
13	Central Finland (Keski-Suomi)
14	Southern Ostrobothnia (Etelä-Pohjanmaa)
15	Ostrobothnia (Pohjanmaa)
16	Central Ostrobothnia (Keski-Pohjanmaa)
17	Northern Ostrobothnia (Pohjois-Pohjanmaa)
18	Kainuu
19	Lapland (Lappi)
21	Åland Islands (Ahvenanmaa)
SYSMISS	

 IKA

Question

The respondent's age

Type

Numeric

 KOULUTUS

Question

The respondent's education

1	No vocational education
2	Vocational school or course
3	Upper secondary level education
4	Polytechnic / university of applied sciences education
5	University education
SYSMISS	

 AMMATTI**Question**

The respondent's occupational status

1	Worker
2	Farmer, agricultural entrepreneur
3	Entrepreneur, self-employed, own account worker
4	Intermediate level employee
5	Manager / professional employee
6	Student
7	Pensioner/retired
8	Unemployed
	SYSMISS

 PAINO**Question**

Weight variable (party choice, age, constituency)

Type

Numeric