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HOUSEHOLD I.D :

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EU – STATISTICS ON INCOME AND LIVING CONDITIONS

2004

HOUSEHOLD
QUESTIONNAIRE

Athens, 2004

1. FOR THE INTERVIEWER : Please note:

- Time interview began (e.g 18.30)..... |__| . |__|
- Line number of member providing information for the household |__|
- Line number of member who is responsible for the dwelling
If the registration of one responsible member is not possible, note the line number of the two members
- Line number of first responsible person |__|
- Line number of second responsible person |__|
- Line number of member who is managing the household financial
If the registration of a member is not possible, note the persons line number.
- Line number of first member |__|
- Line number of second member |__|

ELEMENTS OF DWELLING

2. Your dwelling type is :

- Detached house..... 1
- Semi-detached or groups of similarly dwellings..... 2
- Apartment or flat in a building with less than 10 dwellings..... 3
- Apartment or flat in a building with 10 dwellings or more..... 4
- Some other kind of accommodation, please specify:..... 5

- *As group of similarly dwellings are defined the dwellings having separate entrance from the street and some times there is lobby in which all the dwellings have access (staircase, corridor, balcony etc.).*
- *The block of flats with two entrances will be considered as two different buildings, if every entrance leads only to some of the flats and not to all.*

3. How many rooms does your household have use of, not counting kitchens, bathrooms and toilets?

(Exclude rooms used only for business purposes. A combined kitchen – living room should be counted as one room)

Number of rooms..... |__|

4. Does this dwelling have the following amenities?

	NAI	OXI
- Bath or shower	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2
- Indoor flushing toilet	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2

5. Do you have any of the following problems with your accommodation?

	NAI	OXI
- Leaking roof, damp walls/floors/foundation, or rot in window frames or floor.....	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2
- Too dark not enough light	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2
- Noise from neighbors or noise from the street (traffic, business, factories etc.)	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2
- Pollution, grime or other environmental problems in area caused by traffic or industry.....	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2
- Crime, violence or vandalism in the area.....	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2

6. Your dwelling tenure status is:

- Tenant or subtenant paying rent at prevailing or market rate
(*Include cases where rent is recovered from housing benefit*)..... 1 → 7a
- Dwelling is rented at a reduced rate (lower price than the market price) 2 → 7b
- Owned 3 → 7c
- Dwelling is provided rent – free (from employer, relative, etc.) 4 → 7d

7. When did you sign the contract for your dwelling if you are tenant and paying rent at prevailing or market rate or reduced rate with lower price than the market price, **when did you purchase your dwelling** if you are the owner, **when did you move to this address** if the dwelling is provided rent-free?

- 7.α For tenants Year → 11
- 7.β For tenants paying rent at lower price than the market price Year → 8
- 7.γ For owners Year → 8
- 7.δ For persons for which the use of the dwelling has been provided rent – free..... Year → 8

OWNERS OR TENANTS PAYING RENT AT LOWER PRICE THAN THE MARKET PRICE OR FOR THOSE FOR WHICH THE USE OF THE DWELLING HAS BEEN PROVIDED RENT - FREE

8. How much would you pay as monthly rent for your dwelling, if you were renting a similar dwelling?

- Monthly imputed rent € → 10
- Do not know → 9

9. If you do not know, could you please provide the approximate range you would be willing to pay?

- Less than 151 € 1
- 151 – 350€ 2
- 351 – 500€ 3
- 501 – 650€ 4
- 651 – 800€ 5
- 801 – 950€ 6
- 951 – 1200€ 7
- 1201 – 1400€ 8
- 1401 – 1600€ 9
- 1601 – 1800€ 10
- 1801 – 2000€ 11
- 2001 – 2500€ 12
- More than 2500€ 13

10. FOR THE INTERVIEWER : Please check from Q.6 if the dwelling is:

- Owned? 1 → 13
- Rented at price lower than the market price? 2 → 11
- The use of the dwelling has been provided rent-free (from the employer, relatives etc.)? 3 → 16

RENTED DWELLING

11. How much are you paying for rent per month for your main dwelling?

- **Gross** monthly amount for rent (*before deducting any amount recovered from housing benefit*) €
- **Net** monthly amount for rent (*after deducting any amount recovered from housing benefit*) €

12. Does the rent that you just provided include payments for some of the following items?

	NAI	OXI
• Water.....	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2
• Electricity.....	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2
• Gas.....	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2
• Liquid or solid fuels (e.g. oil, coke, etc.).....	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2
• Heating, hot running water.....	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2
• Structural premium insurance.....	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2
• Sewage removal.....	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2
• Refuse removal.....	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2
• Other charges (common use expenses, etc.).....	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2
• Regular maintenance and repairs.....	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2

OWNED OR RENTED DWELLING

13. During 2003, did you receive any allowance, subsidy or other payments from public schemes for housing costs? (*Included are military allowances, housing benefit etc.*)

- Yes..... 1 → 14
- No..... 2 → 16

14. What was the monthly amount you received?

Please include any amounts paid directly to the landlord or to the mortgage provider

- Monthly amount €
- Please mention the allowance: _____

15. During 2003, for how many months did you receive this payment?

- Number of months

HOUSING COSTS

16. Do you pay for:

- | | NAI | OXI |
|---|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| • Water..... | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 |
| • Electricity..... | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 |
| • Gas..... | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 |
| • Liquid or solid fuels (e.g. oil, coke, etc.)..... | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 |
| • Heating, hot running water..... | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 |
| • Structural premium insurance..... | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 |
| • Sewage removal..... | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 |
| • Refuse removal..... | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 |
| • Other charges (common use expenses, etc.)..... | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 |
| • Regular maintenance and repairs..... | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 |

16a. To what extent are housing costs a financial burden to you?

Included are interest payments on mortgage (for owners), rent (for tenants), insurance and service charges (sewage removal, refuse removal, regular maintenance, repairs, heating, water, electricity, gas, etc.)

- A heavy burden 1
- Somewhat of a burden..... 2
- Not burden at all 3

NON-MONETARY ITEMS

17. For each item below, please indicate whether or not your household possesses it. It does not matter whether the item is owned, rented or otherwise provided for free use.

If you do not have an item:

- (a) would like to have it but cannot afford it, or
 (b) do not have it for other reasons e.g. you don't want or need it

- | | YES | Cannot afford | Do not want it, for other reasons |
|--|----------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| - Telephone (either fixed line or mobile)..... | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 | <input type="checkbox"/> 3 |
| - Color television..... | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 | <input type="checkbox"/> 3 |
| - Computer..... | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 | <input type="checkbox"/> 3 |
| - Washing machine..... | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 | <input type="checkbox"/> 3 |
| - Private car or private truck..... | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 | <input type="checkbox"/> 3 |

FINANCIAL SITUATION

18. Do you or anyone in your household have to repay debts from hire purchase or loans?

Included are loans for car purchasing, chattels, holidays, childbirth etc.

Are not included any mortgage or loans connected with your dwelling. Included are all credit card transactions. Included are loans for another dwelling of the household.

- Yes 1 → 19
- No 2 → 20

19. To what extent is the repayment of such debts and the interest a financial burden on your household?

- A heavy burden..... 1
- Somewhat of a burden..... 2
- Not burden at all..... 3

20. If you want, can your household afford the following?

- | | YES | NO |
|--|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| - Paying for a week's annual holiday away from home..... | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 |
| - Eating meat, chicken or fish every second day (or vegetarian equivalent).... | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 |
| - Paying irregular but necessary expenses..... | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 |
| - Keeping your home adequately warm..... | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 |

21. Has your household been in arrears at any time in the last 12 months, that is, unable to pay as scheduled any of the followings?

- | | YES | NO | NOT APPLICABLE |
|---|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| - Rent for accommodation or mortgage payments..... | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 | <input type="checkbox"/> 3 |
| - Utility bills, such as for electricity, water or gas..... | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 | <input type="checkbox"/> 3 |
| - Hire purchase installments or other loan payments..... | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 | <input type="checkbox"/> 3 |

22. Thinking of your household's total monthly or weekly income, does your household make ends meet?

- With great difficulty..... 1
- With difficulty..... 2
- With some difficulty..... 3
- Fairly easily..... 4
- Easily..... 5
- Very easily..... 6

22a. According to your opinion, which is the lowest net monthly income you household should have in order to make ends meet?

- Total monthly amount € | _____ |

**INCOME FOR CHILDREN
LESS THAN 16 YEARS OLD**

23. FOR THE INTERVIEWER: Please check registers, if there are any children under 16 years old in the household.

- Yes 1 → 24
 - No 2 → 29

24. During 2003, did any of the children under 16 have an independent source of income?
Please do not include amounts from other members of the household

- Yes 1 → 25
 - No 2 → 29

25. If yes, which was the annual total amount?

Annual total amount..... € | _____ |

26. Is the pre-mentioned amount subject to tax and social insurance contributions?

- Yes, subject to tax or social insurance contributions or both..... 1 → 27
 - No, doesn't subject to tax or social insurance contributions..... 2 → 29
 - Do not know..... 3 → 29

27. Are the tax and social insurance contributions included in the amount of Q.25?

- Only tax is included..... 1
 - Only social insurance contributions are included..... 2
 - Tax and social insurance contributions included..... 3
 - No, neither..... 4

28. Please register the tax amount or the amount of social insurance contributions.

Tax amount..... € | _____ |

Social insurance contributions amount € | _____ |

Do not know the above amounts.....

SOCIAL ASSISTANCE

29. Did you or anyone in your household receive, during 2003, any social assistance payment?

(Included are allowances for poor persons – a lump sum amount for assistance to poor households in mountainous and disadvantageous areas, allowances to children under 16 years old who live in poor households (pre-school and school allowance), allowances to repatriations, refugees, released from prisons, drug-addicts, alcoholics, allowances to long-standing unemployed aged 45-65 and the allowance of social solidarity for pensioners which will be registered for all months received totally. Also included are benefits to households that faced an earthquake, flood etc.

- Yes 1 → 30
- No 2 → 30

30. If yes, which was the annual total amount?

- Annual total amount € | _____ |

- Please register the allowance: _____

RENTAL INCOME

31. During 2003, did you or anyone in your household receive any income from renting property (e.g. renting a building, house, flat, a room or some land)? Included are rents form renting a car, taxi, track, boat **only if the owner has not renting as main job (e.g. a pensioner renting a taxi).**

- Yes 1 → 32
- No 2 → 37

32. If yes, do you know what was the income your household received from renting property after deducting costs, such as interest payments, repairs, maintenance and insurance and other charges during 2003?

Do not deduct tax corresponding to income.

- Yes, amount..... € | _____ | → 34
- No profit as expenses equaled or exceeded rent received..... 1 → 34
- No, don't know..... 2 → 33

33. If you don't know the exact amount, please can you give an approximate range?

- Less than 1.000 € 1
- 1.000€ to under 3.000 € 2
- 3.000€ to under 5.000 € 3
- 5.000€ to under 10.000 € 4
- 10.000€ or more..... 5

34. The pre-mentioned amount subject to tax or social insurance contributions?

In cases of zero profit or loss, taxation is done by inference.

- Yes, subject to tax or social insurance contributions or both..... 1→ 35
- No, doesn't subject to tax or social insurance contributions..... 2→ 37
- Do not know if subject to tax or social insurance contributions..... 3→ 37

35. The registered amounts in Q.32 or Q.33 include tax or and social contributions?

- Only tax is included..... 1
- Only social insurance contributions are included..... 2
- Tax and social insurance contributions are included..... 3
- Tax and social insurance contributions are not included..... 4

36. Please register the amount of tax and social insurance contributions.

In case of no tax, will register in the field 0

- Tax amount..... € | _____ |
- Social insurance contributions amount..... € | _____ |
- Do not know the above amounts.....

FAMILY RELATED ALLOWANCES-BENEFITS

37. During 2003, did you or anyone from your household receive any family allowance or benefit?

- Yes 1 → 38
 - No 2 → 39

38. Please note the gross or net amount, as well as the number of months you received the allowance.

**The allowance for family public servants, the allowance for pregnancy-puerperal and the allowance for parental leave, if register to the particular question, will not be included to the income of employees.*

ALLOWANCE-BENEFIT	If yes: Please register the monthly amount	Number of months	In the pre-mentioned amount are included:					Tax amount or social insurance contributions or both (additional) If subject to tax or to social insurance contributions
			1:Tax	2:Social insurance contributions	3:Both	4:None	5: Do not know	
Lifelong pension for mothers having more than 3 children	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	€ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	€ _____
Allowance for families having 3 children	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	€ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	€ _____
Allowance for families having more than 3 children	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	€ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	€ _____
Family allowance for public servants	YES <input type="checkbox"/> OXI <input type="checkbox"/>	€ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	€ _____
Incapacitated relatives care benefit	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	€ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	€ _____
Pregnancy-puerperal benefit	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	€ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	€ _____
Parental leave allowance	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	€ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	€ _____
Birth grant	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	€ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	€ _____
Marriage benefit (<i>lump sum</i>)	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	€ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	€ _____
Other allowances, please specify: _____	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	€ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	€ _____

**INTRA-HOUSEHOLD TRANSFERS TO/FROM
OTHER HOUSEHOLDS**

39. During 2003, did you or anyone in your household make regular payments to someone in another private household?

(Included support for a student living away from home, support for a spouse or former spouse, children not living with you, an older relative or some other person. Do not include one-off gifts such as for Christmas or birthdays as well as the amounts, which are not strengthening the income of other households).

- Yes..... 1 → 40
- No 2 → 43

40. If yes, which was the annual total amount?

- Annual total amount..... € | _____ |

41. Is the pre-mentioned amount subject to tax?

- Yes..... 1 → 42
- No 2 → 43
- Do not know if subject to tax..... 3 → 43

42. Is the registered amount in Q. 40 including tax?

In this case we refer to tax relief.

- Yes, tax amount (tax relief)..... € | _____ |
- No/do not know the exact tax amount (tax relief).....

43. During 2003, did you or anyone in your household receive regular payments from other private households' members?

(Included are payments from parents, children, relatives etc. Do not include one-off gifts such as for Christmas or birthdays as well as the amounts, which are not strengthening the income of other households).

- Yes..... 1 → 44
- No 2 → 47

44. If yes, which was the annual total amount?

- Annual total amount..... € | _____ |

45. Is the pre-mentioned amount subject to tax?

- Yes 1 → 46
- No..... 2 → 47
- Do not know if subject to tax..... 3 → 47

