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## PRELIMINARY NOTE

The instrument for the telephone survey of the German Survey on Volunteering 2014 was developed by the German Centre of Gerontology. This documentation contains the English version of the questions, the answer categories, the programming instructions and the filter paths (see Table I for the columns structure of the instrument). Questions are documented according to the labels of the variables in the Scientific Use Files (DOI: 10.5156/FWS.2014.M.001). The survey was conducted in six languages: German, Russian, Turkish, Polish, Arabic and English. This document reproduces the English instrument. Question and answers were translated for use in the telephone survey by infas Institute for Applied Social Sciences. Filters, interviewer instructions and all other information were translated at the DZA for documentation purposes. Interviews were conducted by bilingual interviewer.

Table I: Contents of the columns of the survey instrument

| Column                          | Content  |
|---------------------------------|--|
| <b>Nr.</b>                      | Question number/Label of the variable  |
| <b>Type of information</b>      | Programming instruction (Prog.), input filter (Filter), interviewer instruction (Int.), question, text |
| <b>Interview text and notes</b> | Interview or question text plus interviewer instructions   |
| <b>Continue with</b>            | Information on the continuation of the survey or number of following question                          |

On the next page, you can find an overview of the contents of the survey instrument.

Detailed information on the methodological approach can be found in the methodological report and the main report of the German Survey on Volunteering 2014. The Scientific Use File, the short description, the methodological report and further information are available at the Research Data Centre of the German Centre of Gerontology ([www.fdz-dza.de](http://www.fdz-dza.de)).

The following wording of the questions and answers was used in the survey 2014. In contrast, the English version of the survey instrument 1999, 2004 and 2009 is documented

as post-interview translation<sup>1</sup>. Some differences in the English wording of questions between wave 4 and the earlier waves are due to these different translation procedures and do not reflect changes in the instrument. Real changes in the instrument can be reproduced according to the German version<sup>2</sup> of the instrument throughout the waves.

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<sup>1</sup> The documentation is available for download on the website of the FDZ-DZA: [www.fdz-dza.de](http://www.fdz-dza.de) (English: German Survey on Volunteering → FWS-Documentation).

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|---------------|---------------------|--|---------------|
|               |                     | <b>Sociodemographic information</b>  |               |
| <b>w4_101</b> | Filter              | w4_alter (014) (Age)<br>> 13 years<br>≤ 120 years<br><br>OR<br>w4_altersgr (015) (Age group)<br>= 2 (Between 14 and 17 years)<br>= 3 (Between 18 and 20 years)<br>= 4 (Between 21 and 34 years)<br>= 5 (Between 35 and 44 years)<br>= 6 (Between 45 and 54 years)<br>= 7 (Between 55 and 64 years)<br>= 8 (Between 65 and 74 years)<br>= 9 (75 and above)  |               |
|               | Prog.               | Please read out question only if necessary.  |               |
|               | Int                 | <i>Please do not read out the answer options.<br/>Enter gender. If you are unsure, please read out the question..</i>  |               |
|               | Question            | <b>[Please indicate your gender. Are you male or female?]</b>  |               |
|               |                     | 1: Male<br>2: Female<br>9997: Refusal  | w4_102        |
| <b>w4_102</b> | Prog.               | <b>w4_102 = 1, 8:</b> When respondent was born in 1945 or earlier, only two answer categories (In Germany, including former Eastern territories that no longer belong to Germany today/In a different country)<br>w4_alter (014) (Age)<br>≥ 69 years<br>≤ 120 years<br><br>OR<br>w4_altersgr (015) (Age group)<br>= 8 (Between 65 and 74 years)<br>= 9 (75 and above)<br><br><b>w4_102 = 1, 2, 3, 8:</b><br>w4_alter (014) (Age)<br>= 69 years<br><br><b>w4_102 = 2, 3, 8:</b> When respondent was born between 1945 and 1949, three answer categories (In the Soviet Occupation Zone/In the American, British or French Occupation Zone/In a different country)<br>w4_alter (014) (Age)<br>≥ 65 years<br>≤ 69 years<br><br><b>w4_102 = 2, 3, 4, 5, 8:</b><br>w4_alter (014) (Age)<br>= 65 years<br><br><b>w4_102 = 4, 5, 8:</b> When respondent was born between 1949 and 1990, three answer categories (In the German Democratic Republic (GDR)/In the Federal Republic of Germany (FRG)/In a different country)<br>w4_alter (014) (Age)<br>≥ 24 years<br>≤ 64 years |               |

| Nr.            | Type of information | Interview text and notes  | Continue with     |
|----------------|---------------------|---|-------------------|
|                |                     | <p>OR</p> <p>w4_altersgr (015) (Age group)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>= 4 (Between 21 and 34 years)</li> <li>= 5 (Between 35 and 44 years)</li> <li>= 6 (Between 45 and 54 years)</li> <li>= 7 (Between 55 and 64 years)</li> </ul> <p><b>w4_102 = 6, 7, 8:</b> When respondent was born in 1990 or later, three answer categories (In the new Federal States or in Berlin/In the old Federal States/In a different country)</p> <p>w4_alter (014) (Age)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>≤ 24 years</li> </ul> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_altersgr (015) (Age group)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>= 2 (Between 14 and 17 years)</li> <li>= 3 (Between 18 and 20 years)</li> </ul> |                   |
|                | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please read out answer categories.</i>   |                   |
|                | <b>Question</b>     | <b>Where were you born?</b>   |                   |
|                |                     | 1: In Germany, including former Eastern territories that no longer belong to Germany today  | w4_106            |
|                |                     | 2: In the Soviet Occupation Zone  |                   |
|                |                     | 3: In the American, British or French Occupation Zone   |                   |
|                |                     | 4: In the German Democratic Republic (GDR)  |                   |
|                |                     | 5: In the Federal Republic of Germany (FRG)   |                   |
|                |                     | 6: In the new Federal States or in Berlin   |                   |
|                |                     | 7: In the old Federal States  |                   |
|                |                     | 8: In a different country   | w4_103            |
|                |                     | 9997: Refusal   | w4_106            |
|                |                     | 9998: Don't know  |                   |
| <b>w4_103</b>  | <i>Prog.</i>        | Show list of countries.   |                   |
|                | <i>Filter</i>       | w4_102 (Country of birth)   |                   |
|                |                     | = 8 (In a different country)  |                   |
|                | <b>Question</b>     | <b>Please tell me the country of your birth.</b>  |                   |
|                |                     | [Choice from list of countries]   | w4_105            |
|                |                     | 9996: Country not listed.   | w4_104o           |
|                |                     | 9997: Refusal   | w4_106            |
|                |                     | 9998: Don't know  |                   |
| <b>w4_104o</b> | <i>Filter</i>       | w4_103 (Country of birth, list)   |                   |
|                |                     | = 9996 (Country not listed)   |                   |
|                | <b>Question</b>     | <b>And which country is that?</b>   |                   |
|                |                     | Open response.  | w4_105            |
|                |                     | 9997: Refusal   | w4_106            |
|                |                     | 9998: Don't know  |                   |
| <b>w4_105</b>  | <i>Filter</i>       | w4_102 (Country of birth)   |                   |
|                |                     | = 8 (In a different country)  |                   |
|                | <b>Question</b>     | <b>In what year did you move to Germany?</b>  |                   |
|                |                     | [1900 until 2014] year  | w4_106            |
|                |                     | 9997: Refusal   |                   |
|                |                     | 9998: Don't know  |                   |
|                |                     | <b>Household constellation</b>  |                   |
| <b>w4_106</b>  | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please read out if necessary: All persons that live and manage income and costs together belong to a household.</i>  |                   |
|                | <b>Question</b>     | <b>How many people are there in total in your household?<br/>Please remember to include yourself.</b>   |                   |
|                |                     | [1 to 30] persons   | w4_107/<br>w4_111 |
|                |                     | 9997: Refusal   |                   |
|                |                     | 9998: Don't know  |                   |

| Nr.                  | Type of information  | Interview text and notes   | Continue with |          |
|----------------------|----------------------|--|---------------|----------|
| w4_107               | Prog.                | Phrase [Apart from you] only if target person is 14 to 17 years old  |               |          |
|                      | Filter               | w4_106 (Persons in the household)<br>≥ 2 (2 or more persons in the household)  |               |          |
|                      | Int.                 | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>   |               |          |
|                      | Question             | <b>[Apart from you,] Are there people in your household aged under 18?</b>   |               |          |
|                      |                      | 1: Yes   |               | w4_108_1 |
|                      |                      | 2: No  |               | w4_111   |
| 9997: Refusal        |                      |  |               |          |
| 9998: Don't know     |                      |  |               |          |
| w4_108_1 to w4_108_4 | Filter               | w4_107 (Persons under 18 years in the household)<br>= 1 (Yes)  |               |          |
|                      | Prog.                | Check: Number of all household members cannot be higher than the information in w4_106 minus 1;<br>phrase [apart from you] only if target person is 14 to 17 years old   |               |          |
|                      | Question & Items 1-4 | <b>How many children under 3 live in your household? (1)</b>   |               | w4_108_2 |
|                      |                      | <b>How many children from 3 to under 6 live in your household? (2)</b>   |               | w4_108_3 |
|                      |                      | <b>How many children from 6 to under 14 live in your household? (3)</b>  |               | w4_108_4 |
|                      |                      | <b>[Apart from you,] how many people from 14 to under 18 live in your household? (4)</b>   |               | w4_109   |
|                      |                      | [0 to 19] persons  |               | w4_109   |
|                      |                      | 9997: Refusal  |               | w4_111   |
| 9998: Don't know     |                      |  |               |          |
| w4_109               | Filter               | w4_107 (Persons under 18 years in the household)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br><br>AND<br>w4_alter (014) (Age)<br>> 17 years<br>≤ 120 years<br><br>AND<br>w4_108_1 (Number of children under 3 years in the household)<br>≥ 1 Child<br>≤ 19 Children<br><br>OR<br><br>w4_107 (Persons under 18 years in the household)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br><br>AND<br>w4_altersgr (015) (Age group)<br>= 3 (Between 18 and 20 years)<br>= 4 (Between 21 and 34 years)<br>= 5 (Between 35 and 44 years)<br>= 6 (Between 45 and 54 years)<br>= 7 (Between 55 and 64 years)<br>= 8 (Between 65 and 74 years)<br>= 9 (75 and above)<br><br>AND<br>w4_108_1 (Number of children under 3 years in the household)<br>≥ 1 Child<br>≤ 19 Children<br><br>OR |               |          |

| Nr. | Type of information | Interview text and notes   | Continue with |
|-----|---------------------|--|---------------|
|     |                     | <p>w4_107 (Persons under 18 years in the household)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>AND</p> <p>w4_alter (014) (Age)<br/>&gt; 17 years<br/>≤ 120 years</p> <p>AND</p> <p>w4_108_2 (Number of children from 3 to under 6 years in the household)<br/>≥ 1 Child<br/>≤ 19 Children</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_107 (Persons under 18 years in the household)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>AND</p> <p>w4_altersgr (015) (Age group)<br/>= 3 (Between 18 and 20 years)<br/>= 4 (Between 21 and 34 years)<br/>= 5 (Between 35 and 44 years)<br/>= 6 (Between 45 and 54 years)<br/>= 7 (Between 55 and 64 years)<br/>= 8 (Between 65 and 74 years)<br/>= 9 (75 and above) AND</p> <p>w4_108_2 (Number of children from 3 to under 6 years in the household)<br/>≥ 1 Child<br/>≤ 19 Children</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_107 (Persons under 18 years in the household)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>AND</p> <p>w4_alter (014) (Age)<br/>&gt; 17 years<br/>≤ 120 years</p> <p>AND</p> <p>w4_108_3 (Number of children from 6 to under 14 years in the household)<br/>≥ 1 Child<br/>≤ 19 Children</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_107 (Persons under 18 years in the household)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>AND</p> |               |

| Nr. | Type of information | Interview text and notes  | Continue with               |
|-----|---------------------|---|-----------------------------|
|     |                     | <p>w4_altersgr (015) (Age group)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>= 3 (Between 18 and 20 years)</li> <li>= 4 (Between 21 and 34 years)</li> <li>= 5 (Between 35 and 44 years)</li> <li>= 6 (Between 45 and 54 years)</li> <li>= 7 (Between 55 and 64 years)</li> <li>= 8 (Between 65 and 74 years)</li> <li>= 9 (75 and above)</li> </ul> <p>AND</p> <p>w4_108_3 (Number of children from 6 to under 14 years in the household)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>≥ 1 Child</li> <li>≤ 19 Children</li> </ul> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_107 (Persons under 18 years in the household)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>= 1 (Yes)</li> </ul> <p>AND</p> <p>w4_alter (014) (Age)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; 17 years</li> <li>≤ 120 years</li> </ul> <p>AND</p> <p>w4_108_4 (Number of children from 14 to under 18 years in the household)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>≥ 1 Child</li> <li>≤ 19 Children</li> </ul> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_107 (Persons under 18 years in the household)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>= 1 (Yes)</li> </ul> <p>AND</p> <p>w4_altersgr (015) (Age group)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>= 3 (Between 18 and 20 years)</li> <li>= 4 (Between 21 and 34 years)</li> <li>= 5 (Between 35 and 44 years)</li> <li>= 6 (Between 45 and 54 years)</li> <li>= 7 (Between 55 and 64 years)</li> <li>= 8 (Between 65 and 74 years)</li> <li>= 9 (75 and above)</li> </ul> <p>AND</p> <p>w4_108_4 (Persons under 18 years in the household)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>≥ 1 Child</li> <li>≤ 19 Children</li> </ul> |                             |
|     | Prog.               | Alternative wording of the question for one child or more children [in square brackets]. Answer category 2 only if more children.   |                             |
|     | Int.                | <p><i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i></p> <p><i>The target person decides who is seen as own child.</i></p>   |                             |
|     | <b>Question</b>     | <p><b>Is that your own child? [Are these your own children?]</b></p> <p>1: Yes</p> <p>2: Both, children of your own as well as other children</p> <p>3: No</p> <p>9997: Refusal</p> <p>9998: Don't know</p>   | <p>w4_110</p> <p>w4_111</p> |

| Nr.              | Type of information | Interview text and notes   | Continue with  |                   |
|------------------|---------------------|--|--|-------------------|
| w4_110           | Filter              | w4_108_1- w4_108_3 (Number Personen unter 18 in the household)<br>≥ 1 (Child under 3 to under 14 years)<br>AND<br>w4_109 (Own children)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>= 2 (Both)   |  |                   |
|                  | Prog.               | Alternative wording of the question if one or more children [in square brackets]   |  |                   |
|                  | Int.                | <i>Please read out answer categories.</i>  |  |                   |
|                  | Question            |  | <b>Do you yourself care for or look after this child [these children] predominantly?</b> |                   |
|                  |                     |  | 1: Yes, predominantly  | w4_111            |
|                  |                     |  | 2: Partly  |                   |
|                  |                     |  | 3: No, child/children are looked after mainly by others.                                 |                   |
| 9997: Refusal    |                     |  |  |                   |
| 9998: Don't know |                     |  |  |                   |
|                  |                     | <b>Marital status</b>  |  |                   |
| w4_111           | Filter              | w4_alter (014) (Age)<br>> 17 years<br>≤ 120 years<br>OR<br>w4_altersgr (015) (Age group)<br>= 3 (Between 18 and 20 years)<br>= 4 (Between 21 and 34 years)<br>= 5 (Between 35 and 44 years)<br>= 6 (Between 45 and 54 years)<br>= 7 (Between 55 and 64 years)<br>= 8 (Between 65 and 74 years)<br>= 9 (75 and above) |  |                   |
|                  | Int.                | <i>Please enter divorced or widowed if a respondent reports that a registered civil partnership has ended (registration cancelled or partner died).<br/>Please read out answer categories if necessary.</i>  |  |                   |
|                  | Question            |  | <b>What is your marital status?</b>  |                   |
|                  |                     |  | 1: Married/in a registered civil partnership   | w4_113            |
|                  |                     |  | 2: Divorced  | w4_112            |
|                  |                     |  | 3: Widowed   |                   |
|                  |                     |  | 4: Single/unmarried  |                   |
| 9997: Refusal    |                     |  | w4_114   |                   |
| 9998: Don't know |                     |  |  |                   |
| w4_112           | Filter              | w4_110 (Marital status)<br>= 2 (Divorced)<br>= 3 (Widowed)<br>= 4 (Single)   |  |                   |
|                  | Int.                | <i>Please do not read out answer categories</i>  |  |                   |
|                  | Question            |  | <b>Are you currently in a solid partnership?</b>   |                   |
|                  |                     |  | 1: Yes   | w4_113/<br>w4_114 |
|                  |                     |  | 2: No  | w4_114            |
|                  |                     |  | 9997: Refusal  |                   |
| 9998: Don't know |                     |  |  |                   |

| Nr.                               | Type of information | Interview text and notes   | Continue with |                       |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------|--|---------------|-----------------------|
| w4_113                            | Filter              | w4_110 (Marital status)<br>= 1 (Married)<br>AND<br>w4_106 (Persons in the household)<br>≥ 1 (2 or more persons in the household)<br><br>OR<br><br>w4_112 (Solid partnership)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>AND<br>w4_106 (Persons in the household)<br>> 1 (2 or more persons in the household)  |               |                       |
|                                   | Int.                | <i>Please do not read out answer categories</i>  |               |                       |
|                                   | Question            | <b>Do you live with your partner?</b>  |               |                       |
|                                   |                     | 1: Yes   |               | w4_114                |
|                                   |                     | 2: No  |               |                       |
| 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know |                     |  |               |                       |
|                                   |                     | <b>Employment status/Main activity</b>   |               |                       |
| w4_114                            | Prog.               | Wording of the items 4, and 5 is gender specific or neutral ([or]), depending on the information in w4_101 (gender) = 1 (Male), 2 (Female) or 9997 (Refusal)   |               |                       |
|                                   | Int.                | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>If more categories apply: Crucial is the MAIN activity!:</i></li> <li>- <i>A pensioner with extra income is recorded as "Pensioner, retired person"</i></li> <li>- <i>(Full time-)students with a job are recorded as "student"</i></li> <li>- <i>Registered unemployed with a side job are recorded as "Registered unemployed"</i></li> <li>- <i>Employed but also studying while working or in an on-the-job-training are recorded as "Employed"</i></li> <li>- <i>Please read out answer categories.</i></li> </ul> |               |                       |
|                                   | Question            | <b>Are you currently ...</b>   |               |                       |
|                                   |                     | 1: Employed  |               | w4_115                |
|                                   |                     | 2: Registered unemployed   |               | w4_118_1/<br>w4_118_2 |
|                                   |                     | 3: A pupil, an apprentice, a university student  |               | w4_120                |
|                                   |                     | 4: On parental leave/maternity leave   |               | w4_124                |
|                                   |                     | 5: Housewife/house husband   |               | w4_118_1/<br>w4_118_2 |
|                                   |                     | 6: Pensioner/retired person  |               | w4_118_2              |
|                                   |                     | 7: In voluntary military service   |               | w4_124                |
|                                   |                     | 8: In voluntary service  |               | w4_116                |
|                                   |                     | 9: In retraining/further training  |               | w4_118_1/<br>w4_118_2 |
|                                   |                     | 10: Not employed for other reasons   |               | w4_118_2              |
|                                   |                     | 9997: Refusal  |               | w4_124                |
| 9998: Don't know                  |                     |  |               |                       |
| w4_115                            | Filter              | w4_114 (Employment status/main activity)<br>= 1 (Employed)   |               |                       |
|                                   | Int.                | <i>If more categories apply: Crucial is the MAIN activity!:<br/>Please read out answer categories.</i>   |               |                       |
|                                   | Question            | <b>Is it ...</b>   |               |                       |
|                                   |                     | 1: A full-time job   |               | w4_118_1/<br>w4_118_2 |
|                                   |                     | 2: A part-time job   |               |                       |
|                                   |                     | 3: Marginal employment or a Minijob, a so-called 400- or 450-Euro job  |               |                       |
| 9997: Refusal                     |                     |  |               |                       |
| 9998: Don't know                  |                     |  |               |                       |

| Nr.                                  | Type of information | Interview text and notes   | Continue with     |  |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------|--|-------------------|--|
| w4_116                               | Filter              | w4_114 (Employment status/main activity)<br>= 8 (In voluntary service)   |                   |  |
|                                      | Int.                | <i>Read out answer categories if necessary</i>   |                   |  |
|                                      | Question            | <b>Which voluntary service would that be?</b>  |                   |  |
|                                      |                     | 1: Bundesfreiwilligendienst (Federal voluntary service)  | w4_124            |  |
|                                      |                     | 2: Freiwilliges Soziales Jahr (Voluntary social year)  |                   |  |
|                                      |                     | 3: Freiwilliges Ökologisches Jahr (Voluntary ecological year)  |                   |  |
| 4: Other voluntary service           |                     | w4_m_117o  |                   |  |
|                                      | 9997: Refusal       | w4_124   |                   |  |
|                                      | 9998: Don't know    |  |                   |  |
| w4_m_117o                            | Filter              | w4_116 (Type of voluntary service)<br>= 4 (Other)  |                   |  |
|                                      | Question            | <b>And which voluntary service is that?</b>  |                   |  |
|                                      |                     | Open response  | w4_124            |  |
|                                      |                     | 9997: Refusal  |                   |  |
|                                      | 9998: Don't know    |  |                   |  |
| w4_118_1<br>w4_118_2                 | Filter              | w4_114 (Employment status/main activity)<br>= 1 (Employed)<br>= 2 (Registered unemployed)<br>= 5 (Housewife, house husband)<br>= 6 (Retired)<br>= 9 (In retraining/further training)<br>= 10 (Not employed for other reasons)  |                   |  |
|                                      | Prog.               | Number of years cannot be more than age of target person.<br>Test: Sum of both fields > 0.<br>w4_114 (Employed): How long have you been employed without interruption?<br>w4_114 (Retired): Wording is gender specific or neutral ([or]), depending on the information in w4_101 (gender) = 1 (Male), 2 (Female) or 9997 (Refusal) |                   |  |
|                                      | Question            | <b>How long have you been ... [main activity as in w4_114 (1, 2, 5, 6, 9, 10): employed OR registered unemployed OR housewife/house husband OR retired OR in retraining/further training OR not employed for other reasons]?</b>   |                   |  |
|                                      |                     | Since the year [1900 to 2014]<br>OR<br>[1 to 114] years  | w4_119/<br>w4_124 |  |
|                                      |                     | 9996: Less than 1 year   |                   |  |
|                                      |                     | 9997: Refusal  |                   |  |
|                                      |                     | 9998: Don't know   |                   |  |
| w4_119                               | Filter              | w4_114 (Employment status/main activity)<br>= 2 (Registered unemployed )   |                   |  |
|                                      | Int.                | <i>Please read out answer categories</i>   |                   |  |
|                                      | Question            | <b>Do you receive ...</b>  |                   |  |
|                                      |                     | 1: Unemployment benefit 1  | w4_124            |  |
|                                      |                     | 2: Unemployment benefit 2, so-called Hartz IV  |                   |  |
|                                      |                     | 3: Both benefits   |                   |  |
| 4: Neither of the benefits mentioned |                     |  |                   |  |
|                                      | 9997: Refusal       |  |                   |  |
|                                      | 9998: Don't know    |  |                   |  |

| Nr.              | Type of information | Interview text and notes   | Continue with |  |
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|                  |                     | <b>School</b>  |               |  |
| w4_120           | Filter              | w4_114 (Employment status/main activity)<br>= 3 (Pupil, apprentice, university student)  |               |  |
|                  | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please read out answer categories.</i>  |               |  |
|                  | <b>Question</b>     | <b>Are you at a ...?</b>   |               |  |
|                  |                     | 1: Mainstream school   | w4_121        |  |
|                  |                     | 2: University or university of applied sciences/technical college  | w4_124        |  |
|                  |                     | 3: Or are you doing a company-based or vocational training?  |               |  |
| 9997: Refusal    |                     |  |               |  |
| 9998: Don't know |                     |  |               |  |
| w4_121           | Filter              | w4_120 (Type of education)<br>=1 (Mainstream school)   |               |  |
|                  | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please do not read out answer categories. If respondents mention other school types than below, please assign as follows: Special needs school (Sonderschule, Tagesbildungsstätte); Lower secondary school (Werkrealschule, Mittelschule in Bavaria); School type with several educational pathways (Mittelschule/Mittelstufenschule, Erweiterte Realschule/Realschule plus, Oberschule, Regelschule, Regionale Schule, Sekundarschule); Integrated comprehensive school (Stadtteilschule, Gemeinschaftsschule, Gesamtschule); Upper secondary school/grammar school (Fachoberschule); Other type of school (Waldorfschule)</i> |               |  |
|                  | <b>Question</b>     | <b>Which kind of school do you attend?</b>   |               |  |
|                  |                     | 1: Special needs school (Förderschule)   | w4_132        |  |
|                  |                     | 2: Lower secondary school (Hauptschule)  |               |  |
|                  |                     | 3: Intermediate secondary school (Realschule)  |               |  |
|                  |                     | 4: School type with several educational pathways   |               |  |
|                  |                     | 5: Integrated comprehensive school (Integrierte Gesamtschule)  | w4_122        |  |
|                  |                     | 6: Upper secondary school/grammar school (Gymnasium)   |               |  |
|                  |                     | 7: Other type of school  | w4_132        |  |
| 9997: Refusal    |                     |  |               |  |
| 9998: Don't know |                     |  |               |  |
| w4_122           | Filter              | w4_121 (School type)<br>= 5 (Integrated comprehensive school)<br>= 6 (Upper secondary school/grammar school)   |               |  |
|                  | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please do not read out answer categories</i>  |               |  |
|                  | <b>Question</b>     | <b>Are you planning to do A-Levels (Abitur)?</b>   |               |  |
|                  |                     | 1: Yes   | w4_123        |  |
|                  |                     | 2: No  | w4_132        |  |
|                  |                     | 9997: Refusal  |               |  |
| 9998: Don't know |                     |  |               |  |
| w4_123           | Filter              | w4_122 (Planning A-Levels)<br>= 1 (Yes)  |               |  |
|                  | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please do not read out answer categories</i>  |               |  |
|                  | <b>Question</b>     | <b>Are you planning to do that after the 13th or after the 12th class?</b>   |               |  |
|                  |                     | 1: After the 13th class  | w4_132        |  |
|                  |                     | 2: After the 12th class  |               |  |
|                  |                     | 9997: Refusal  |               |  |
| 9998: Don't know |                     |  |               |  |

| Nr.    | Type of information | Interview text and notes   | Continue with |
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|        |                     | <b>Education</b>   |               |
| w4_124 | Filter              | w4_114 (Employment status/main activity)<br>= 1 (Employed)<br>= 2 ((Registered unemployed)<br>= 4 (Maternity/Parental leave)<br>= 5 (Housewife, house husband)<br>= 6 (Retired)<br>= 7 (In voluntary military service)<br>= 8 (In voluntary service)<br>= 9 (In retraining/further training)<br>= 10 (Not employed for other reasons)<br>= 9997 (Refusal)<br>= 9998 (Don't know)<br><br>OR<br>w4_120 (Type of education)<br>= 2 (University/university of applied sciences)<br>= 3 (Company-based or vocational training)<br>= 9997 (Refusal)<br>= 9998 (Don't know) |               |
|        | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Read out answer categories if necessary</i>   |               |
|        | <b>Question</b>     | <b>Were you last in school in Germany or in another country?</b>   |               |
|        |                     | 1: In Germany  | w4_125        |
|        |                     | 2: In another country  | w4_126        |
|        |                     | 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know  | w4_128        |
| w4_125 | Filter              | w4_124 (Country of school)<br>= 1 (Germany)  |               |
|        | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>   |               |
|        | <b>Question</b>     | <b>What is your highest school qualification ?</b>   |               |
|        |                     | 1: Primary or lower secondary school with qualification 8th class  | w4_128        |
|        |                     | 2: GCSE, intermediate secondary school (Realschulabschluss) qualification with qualification 10th class  |               |
|        |                     | 3:Advanced Technical College Entrance Qualification (qualification usually after the 12th or 11th class (if not A-Level)), qualification from vocational schools, specialist college, specialist A-Level   |               |
|        |                     | 4: A-Level (Abitur), Qualification from an extended secondary school (erweiterte Oberschule, EOS), University Entrance Qualification   |               |
|        |                     | 5: Another qualification   |               |
|        |                     | 6: No qualification  |               |
|        | 9997: Refusal       |  |               |
|        | 9998: Don't know    |  |               |
| w4_126 | Filter              | w4_124 (Country of school)<br>= 2 (Another country)  |               |
|        | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please enter maximum values of 20 if school attendance was longer than 20 years.</i>  |               |
|        | <b>Question</b>     | <b>How many years were you at school?</b>  |               |
|        |                     | [1 to 20] years  | w4_127        |
|        |                     | 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know  |               |

| Nr.              | Type of information | Interview text and notes   | Continue with |  |
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| w4_127           | Filter              | w4_124 (Country of school)<br>= 2 (Another country)  |               |  |
|                  | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please read out answer categories.</i>  |               |  |
|                  | <b>Question</b>     | <b>With what qualification did you finish school? Did you ...</b>  |               |  |
|                  |                     | 1: Leave school without a qualification  | w4_128        |  |
|                  |                     | 2: Finish compulsory school with a qualification   |               |  |
|                  |                     | 3: Complete a higher secondary school with a qualification   |               |  |
| 9997: Refusal    |                     |  |               |  |
| 9998: Don't know |                     |  |               |  |
| w4_128           | Filter              | w4_114 (Employment status/main activity)<br>= 1 (Employed)<br>= 2 ((Registered unemployed)<br>= 4 (Maternity/Parental leave)<br>= 5 (Housewife, house husband)<br>= 6 (Retired)<br>= 7 (In voluntary military service)<br>= 8 (In voluntary service)<br>= 9 (In retraining/further training)<br>= 10 (Not employed for other reasons)<br>= 9997 (Refusal)<br>= 9998 (Don't know) |               |  |
|                  | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>   |               |  |
|                  | <b>Question</b>     | <b>Did you complete a vocational training and/or studying at a university?</b>   |               |  |
|                  |                     | 1: Yes, completed one of the two.  | w4_129        |  |
|                  |                     | 2: No, didn't complete training or studies.  | w4_132        |  |
|                  |                     | 9997: Refusal  |               |  |
| 9998: Don't know |                     |  |               |  |
| w4_129           | Filter              | w4_128 (Vocational training/university studies)<br>= 1 (Completed)   |               |  |
|                  | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please read out answer categories.</i>  |               |  |
|                  | <b>Question</b>     | <b>And in which country was that?</b>  |               |  |
|                  |                     | 1: In Germany  | w4_130        |  |
|                  |                     | 2: Abroad  | w4_131        |  |
|                  |                     | 3: Both in Germany and abroad  | w4_130        |  |
| 9997: Refusal    |                     | w4_132   |               |  |
| 9998: Don't know |                     |  |               |  |

| Nr.                      | Type of information | Interview text and notes  | Continue with |
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| w4_130                   | Filter              | w4_128 (Occupational training/university studies)<br>= 1 (Completed)<br>AND<br>w4_129 (Country occupational training/university studies)<br>= 1 (Germany)<br>= 3 (Germany and abroad) |               |
|                          | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please read out answer categories</i>  |               |
|                          | <b>Question</b>     | <b>What is the highest training qualification you have?</b>   | w4_132        |
|                          |                     | 1: Completion of an apprenticeship, i.e. company-based or school-based vocational training  |               |
|                          |                     | 2: Qualification from a technical school (master or technicians school, professional or specialist academy, school of administrative sciences)  |               |
|                          |                     | 3: Civil servant training for low or medium-grade service   |               |
|                          |                     | 4: Civil servant training for higher-grade service  |               |
|                          |                     | 5: College or university qualification such as Bachelor, Master Degree, Diploma, Magister Degree, state examination or civil servant training for higher-grade service                |               |
|                          |                     | 6: Doctorate/PhD, Post-Doctorate (Habilitation)   |               |
| 7: Another qualification |                     |   |               |
| 9997: Refusal            |                     |   |               |
| 9998: Don't know         |                     |   |               |
| w4_131                   | Filter              | w4_128 (Occupational training/university studies)<br>= 1 (Completed)<br>AND<br>w4_129 (Country occupational training/university studies)<br>= 2 (Abroad)                              |               |
|                          | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please read out answer categories</i>  |               |
|                          | <b>Question</b>     | <b>What is the highest training qualification you have?</b>   | w4_132        |
|                          |                     | 1: Qualification from vocational training   |               |
|                          |                     | 2: University or university of applied sciences/technical college   |               |
|                          |                     | 3: Other  |               |
| 9997: Refusal            |                     |   |               |
| 9998: Don't know         |                     |   |               |

| Nr.    | Type of information | Interview text and notes  | Continue with |
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|        |                     | <b>Gainful employment and Professional position</b>   |               |
| w4_132 | Filter              | w4_114 (Employment status/main activity)<br>= 2 (Registered unemployed)<br>= 3 (Pupil, apprentice, university student)<br>= 4 (Maternity/Parental leave)<br>= 5 (Housewife, house husband)<br>= 6 (Retired)<br>= 8 (In voluntary service)<br>= 9 (In retraining/further training)<br>= 10 (Not employed for other reasons)<br>= 9997 (Refusal)<br>= 9998 (Don't know) |               |
|        | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please read out answer categories</i>  |               |
|        | <b>Question</b>     | <b>Are you involved occasionally or regularly in a paid activity to earn money?</b>   |               |
|        |                     | 1: Yes, regularly   | w4_133        |
|        |                     | 2: Yes, occasionally  |               |
|        |                     | 3: No   | w4_135        |
|        |                     | 9997: Refusal   |               |
|        |                     | 9998: Don't know  |               |
| w4_133 | Filter              | w4_132 (Activity to earn money)<br>= 1 (regularly)<br>= 2 (occasionally)  |               |
|        | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please do not read out answer categories</i>   |               |
|        | <b>Question</b>     | <b>Is this marginal employment or a Minijob, a so-called 400- or 450-Euro job?</b>  |               |
|        |                     | 1: Yes  | w4_134        |
|        |                     | 2: No   |               |
|        |                     | 9997: Refusal   |               |
|        |                     | 9998: Don't know  |               |
| w4_134 | Filter              | w4_114 (Employment status/main activity)<br>= 1 (Employed)<br><br>OR<br>w4_132 (Activity to earn money)<br>= 1 (Regularly)<br>= 2 (Occasionally)  |               |
|        | <b>Question</b>     | <b>How many hours on average is your weekly working time? Please include overtime</b>   |               |
|        |                     | [0 to 168] Number of hours per week   | w4_135        |
|        |                     | 9997: Refusal   |               |
|        |                     | 9998 : Don't know   |               |

| Nr.    | Type of information               | Interview text and notes   | Continue with |
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| w4_135 | Filter                            | w4_114 (Employment status/main activity)<br>= 2 (Registered unemployed)<br>= 3 (Pupil, apprentice, university student)<br>= 4 (Maternity/Parental leave)<br>= 5 (Housewife, house husband)<br>= 6 (Retired)<br>= 7 (In voluntary military service)<br>= 8 (In voluntary service)<br>= 9 (In retraining/further training)<br>= 10 (Not employed for other reasons)<br>= 9997 (Refusal)<br>= 9998 (Don't know)<br><br>OR<br><br>w4_120 (Type of education)<br>= 2 (University/university of applied sciences)<br>= 3 (Company-based or vocational training)<br>= 9997 (Refusal)<br>= 9998 (Don't know) |               |
|        | <i>Int.</i>                       | <i>Please do not read out answer categories</i>  |               |
|        | <b>Question</b>                   | <b>Were you gainfully employed in the past?</b>  |               |
|        |                                   | 1: Yes   | w4_136        |
|        |                                   | 2: No  | w4_141        |
|        |                                   | 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know  |               |
| w4_136 | <i>Int.</i>                       | <i>Please read out response categories.</i>  |               |
|        | Filter                            | w4_114 (Employment status/main activity)<br>= 1 (Employed)<br><br>OR<br>w4_135 (Employed in the past)<br>= 1 (Yes)   |               |
|        | <b>Question</b>                   | <b>Please relate the following questions to your current/last paid activity. In which professional position are/were you active?</b>   |               |
|        |                                   | 1: Blue-collar worker  | w4_137        |
|        |                                   | 2: White-collar worker   | w4_138        |
|        |                                   | 3: Civil servant   | w4_139        |
|        |                                   | 4: Independent academic  | w4_140        |
|        |                                   | 5: Self-employed   |               |
|        |                                   | 6: Other   | w4_141        |
|        | 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know |  |               |

| Nr.              | Type of information | Interview text and notes   | Continue with |        |
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| w4_137           | Filter              | w4_114 (Employment status/main activity)<br>= 1 (Employed)<br>AND<br>w4_136 (Professional position)<br>= 1 (Blue-collar worker)<br><br>OR<br><br>w4_135 (Employed in the past)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>AND<br>w4_136 (Professional position)<br>= 1 (Blue-collar worker)   |               |        |
|                  | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please read out answer categories.</i>  |               |        |
|                  | <b>Question</b>     | <b>Are/Were you work as ...?</b>   |               |        |
|                  |                     | 1: Unskilled or semi-skilled worker  |               | w4_141 |
|                  |                     | 2: Skilled worker  |               |        |
|                  |                     | 3: Foreman, brigadier, group leader  |               |        |
|                  |                     | 4: Master, general foreman   |               |        |
| 9997: Refusal    |                     |  |               |        |
| 9998: Don't know |                     |  |               |        |
| w4_138           | Filter              | w4_114 (Employment status/main activity)<br>= 1 (Employed)<br>AND<br>w4_136 (Professional position)<br>= 2 (White-collar worker)<br><br>OR<br><br>w4_135 (Employed in the past)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>AND<br>w4_136 (Professional position)<br>= 2 (White-collar worker) |               |        |
|                  | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please read out answer categories.</i>  |               |        |
|                  | <b>Question</b>     | <b>Do/Did you work as a white collar worker ...?</b>   |               |        |
|                  |                     | 1: With a simple activity, for example salesman  |               | w4_141 |
|                  |                     | 2: With qualified activity, for example clerical assistant, technical drawer   |               |        |
|                  |                     | 3: With highly qualified activity or management function, for example scientific worker, head of department  |               |        |
|                  |                     | 4: With extensive management duties and decision-making powers, e.g director, M.D.   |               |        |
| 9997: Refusal    |                     |  |               |        |
| 9998: Don't know |                     |  |               |        |

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| w4_139           | Filter              | w4_114 (Employment status/main activity)<br>= 1 (Employed)<br>AND<br>w4_136 (Professional position)<br>= 3 (Civil servant)<br><br>OR<br><br>w4_135 (Employed in the past)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>AND<br>w4_136 (Professional position)<br>= 3 (Civil servant)   |   |
|                  |                     | <i>Int.</i>  | <i>Please read out answer categories.</i> |
|                  | Question            | <b>Do/Did you work as ...?</b>   |   |
|                  |                     | 1: Ordinary service  | w4_141                                    |
|                  |                     | 2: Middle grade  |   |
|                  |                     | 3: Higher grade  |   |
|                  |                     | 4: Higher service  |   |
| 9997: Refusal    |                     |  |   |
| 9998: Don't know |                     |  |   |
| w4_140           | Filter              | w4_114 (Employment status/main activity)<br>= 1 (Employed)<br>AND<br>w4_136 (Professional position)<br>= 4 (Independent academic)<br>= 5 (Self-employed)<br><br>OR<br><br>w4_135 (Employed in the past)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>AND<br>w4_136 (Professional position)<br>= 4 (Independent academic)<br>= 5 (Self-employed) |   |
|                  |                     | <i>Int.</i>  | <i>Please read out answer categories.</i> |
|                  | Question            | <b>Do/Did you work as ...?</b>   |   |
|                  |                     | 1: Without employees   | w4_141                                    |
|                  |                     | 2: With 1 to 9 employees   |   |
|                  |                     | 3: With 10 and more employees  |   |
|                  |                     | 9997: Refusal  |   |
| 9998: Don't know |                     |  |   |
|                  |                     | <b>Migration background I</b>  |   |
| w4_141           | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>   |   |
|                  | Question            | <b>Do you have German citizenship?</b>   |   |
|                  |                     | 1: Yes   | w4_142                                    |
|                  |                     | 2: No  | w4_146                                    |
|                  |                     | 9997: Refusal  | w4_146                                    |
| 9998: Don't know | w4_146              |  |   |

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| w4_142  | Filter              | w4_141 (German citizenship)<br>= 1 (Yes)  |                   |
|   | Int.                | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>  |                   |
|   | Question            | <b>Have you had German citizenship since birth?</b>   |                   |
|   |                     | 1: Yes  | w4_144/<br>w4_145 |
|   |                     | 2: No   | w4_143            |
|   |                     | 9997 Refusal<br>9998: Don't know  | w4_146<br>w4_146  |
| w4_143  | Int.                | <i>Please read out answer categories.</i>   |                   |
|   | Filter              | w4_142 (German citizenship since birth)<br>= 2 (No)   |                   |
|   | Question            | <b>How did you acquire German citizenship?</b>  |                   |
|   |                     | 1: By naturalisation  | w4_144/<br>w4_145 |
|   |                     | 2: By recognition as Repatriate (Aussiedler/in)   |                   |
|   |                     | 3: Sonstiges  |                   |
|   |                     | 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know   |                   |
| <b>Military service and volunteer service</b> |                     |   |                   |
| w4_144  | Filter              | w4_101 (Gender)<br>= 1 (Male)<br><br>AND<br>w4_alter (014) (Age)<br>> 17 years<br>< 74 years<br><br>AND<br>w4_141 (German citizenship)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br><br>AND<br>w4_114 (Employment status/main activity)<br>= 1 (Employed)<br>= 2 (Registered unemployed)<br>= 3 (Pupil, apprentice, university student)<br>= 4 (Maternity/Parental leave)<br>= 5 (Housewife, house husband)<br>= 6 (Retired)<br>= 8 (In voluntary service)<br>= 9 (In retraining/further training)<br>= 10 (Not employed for other reasons)<br>= 9997 (Refusal)<br>= 9998 (Don't know)<br><br>OR<br><br>w4_101 (Gender)<br>= 1 (Male)<br><br>AND<br>w4_altersgr (015) (Age group)<br>= 3 (Between 18 and 20 years)<br>= 4 (Between 21 and 34 years)<br>= 5 (Between 35 and 44 years)<br>= 6 (Between 45 and 54 years)<br>= 7 (Between 55 and 64 years) |                   |

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|     |                     | = 8 (Between 65 and 74 years)<br>AND<br>w4_141 (German citizenship)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>AND<br>w4_114 (Employment status/main activity)<br>= 1 (Employed)<br>= 2 (Registered unemployed)<br>= 3 (Pupil, apprentice, university student)<br>= 4 (Maternity/Parental leave)<br>= 5 (Housewife, house husband)<br>= 6 (Retired)<br>= 8 (In voluntary service)<br>= 9 (In retraining/further training)<br>= 10 (Not employed for other reasons)<br>= 9997 (Refusal)<br>= 9998 (Don't know)   |               |
|     | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>If asked: another alternative service is for example a so-called alternative service abroad or working for several years as a helper in the civil defence or disaster prevention (for example in the Technical Relief Organisation or in the voluntary fire brigade) or a development service, a Freiwilliges Soziales Jahr (Voluntary Social Year) or a Freiwilliges Ökologisches Jahr (Voluntary Ecological Year).<br/>           Please do not read out answer categories.</i> |               |
|     | <b>Question</b>     | <b>Did you do compulsory military service, voluntary military service, or civilian/community service or other alternative service?</b><br>1: Yes, compulsory military service<br>2: Yes, voluntary military service<br>3: Yes, civilian/community service<br>4: Yes, other alternative service<br>5: No, none of them<br>9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know   | w4_146        |

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| w4_145 | Filter              | <p>w4_101 (Gender)<br/>= 2 (Female)</p> <p>AND</p> <p>w4_alter (014) (Age)<br/>&gt; 17 years<br/>&lt; 22 years</p> <p>AND</p> <p>w4_141 (German citizenship)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>AND</p> <p>w4_114 (Employment status/main activity)<br/>= 1 (Employed)<br/>= 2 (Registered unemployed)<br/>= 3 (Pupil, apprentice, university student)<br/>= 4 (Maternity/Parental leave)<br/>= 5 (Housewife, house husband)<br/>= 6 (Retired)<br/>= 8 (In voluntary service)<br/>= 9 (In retraining/further training)<br/>= 10 (Not employed for other reasons)<br/>= 9997 (Refusal)<br/>= 9998 (Don't know)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_101 (Gender)<br/>= 2 (Female)</p> <p>AND</p> <p>w4_altersgr (015) (Age group)<br/>= 2 (Between 14 and 17 years)<br/>= 3 (Between 18 and 20 years)</p> <p>AND</p> <p>w4_141 (German citizenship)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>AND</p> <p>w4_114 (Employment status/main activity)<br/>= 1 (Employed)<br/>= 2 (Registered unemployed)<br/>= 3 (Pupil, apprentice, university student)<br/>= 4 (Maternity/Parental leave)<br/>= 5 (Housewife, house husband)<br/>= 6 (Retired)<br/>= 8 (In voluntary service)<br/>= 9 (In retraining/further training)<br/>= 10 (Not employed for other reasons)<br/>= 9997 (Refusal)<br/>= 9998 (Don't know)</p> |               |
|        | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>   |               |
|        | <b>Question</b>     | <p><b>Did you do voluntary military service?</b></p> <p>1: Yes</p> <p>2: No</p> <p>9997: Refusal</p> <p>9998: Don't know</p>   | w4_146        |

| Nr.    | Type of information | Interview text and notes  | Continue with |
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| w4_146 | Filter              | <p>w4_alter (014) (Age)<br/>           &gt; 17 years<br/>           &lt; 120 years</p> <p>AND</p> <p>w4_114 (Employment status/main activity)<br/>           = 1 (Employed)<br/>           = 2 (Registered unemployed)<br/>           = 3 (Pupil, apprentice, university student)<br/>           = 4 (Maternity/Parental leave)<br/>           = 5 (Housewife, house husband)<br/>           = 6 (Retired)<br/>           = 7 (In voluntary military service)<br/>           = 9 (In retraining/further training)<br/>           = 10 (Not employed for other reasons)<br/>           = 9997 (Refusal)<br/>           = 9998 (Don't know)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_altersgr (015) (Age group)<br/>           = 3 (Between 18 and 20 years)<br/>           = 4 (Between 21 and 34 years)<br/>           = 5 (Between 35 and 44 years)<br/>           = 6 (Between 45 and 54 years)<br/>           = 7 (Between 55 and 64 years)<br/>           = 8 (Between 65 and 74 years)<br/>           = 9 (75 and above)</p> <p>AND</p> <p>w4_114 (Employment status/main activity)<br/>           = 1 (Employed)<br/>           = 2 (Registered unemployed)<br/>           = 3 (Pupil, apprentice, university student)<br/>           = 4 (Maternity/Parental leave)<br/>           = 5 (Housewife, house husband)<br/>           = 6 (Retired)<br/>           = 7 (In voluntary military service)<br/>           = 9 (In retraining/further training)<br/>           = 10 (Not employed for other reasons)<br/>           = 9997 (Refusal)<br/>           = 9998 (Don't know)</p> |               |
|        | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>  |               |
|        | <b>Question</b>     | <b>Did you ever do a voluntary service, e. g. a Freiwilliges Soziales Jahr (Voluntary Social Year) or the Bundesfreiwilligendienst (Federal voluntary service)?</b>   |               |
|        |                     | 1: Yes  | w4_147        |
|        |                     | 2: No   | w4_149        |
|        |                     | 9997: Refusal   |               |
|        |                     | 9998: Don't know  |               |

| Nr.                        | Type of information  | Interview text and notes  | Continue with |
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| w4_147                     | Filter               | w4_146 (Voluntary service)<br>= 1 (Yes)   |               |
|                            | Int.                 | <i>Please read out answer categories.</i>   |               |
|                            | Question             | <b>Which voluntary service did you do?</b>  |               |
|                            |                      | 1: Bundesfreiwilligendienst (Federal voluntary service)   | w4_149        |
|                            |                      | 2: Freiwilliges Soziales Jahr (Voluntary social year)   |               |
|                            |                      | 3: Freiwilliges Ökologisches Jahr (Voluntary ecological year)   |               |
| 4: Other voluntary service |                      | w4_148o   |               |
|                            | 9997: Refusal        | w4_149  |               |
|                            | 9998: Don't know     |   |               |
| w4_148o                    | Filter               | w4_147 (Which voluntary service)<br>= 4 (Other)   |               |
|                            | Question             | <b>And which other voluntary service was that?</b>  |               |
|                            |                      | Open response   | w4_149        |
|                            |                      | 9997: Refusal   |               |
|                            | 9998: Don't know     |   |               |
| <b>Social network</b>      |                      |   |               |
| w4_149                     | Int.                 | <i>Please read out answer categories.</i>   |               |
|                            | Question             | <b>To what extent does the following statement apply to you?<br/>There are enough people that I feel very close to.</b>   |               |
|                            |                      | 1: Fully applies  | w4_150        |
|                            |                      | 2: Partially applies  |               |
|                            |                      | 3: Partly   |               |
|                            |                      | 4: Applies less   |               |
|                            |                      | 5: Doesn't apply at all   |               |
|                            | 9997: Refusal        |   |               |
|                            | 9998: Don't know     |   |               |
| w4_150                     | Int.                 | <i>Select answer category 1 even if the person says that she/he can only partially turn to someone.<br/>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>                                     |               |
|                            | Question             | <b>If you need help, e. g. with errands, smaller jobs or looking after children or sick people: are there any people outside your household that you can turn to without paying them?</b> |               |
|                            |                      | 1: Yes  | w4_151_1      |
|                            |                      | 2: No   | w4_152        |
|                            |                      | 9997: Refusal   |               |
|                            | 9998: Don't know     |   |               |
| w4_151_1 to w4_151_4       | Filter               | w4_150 (People need of help)<br>= 1 (Yes)   |               |
|                            | Int.                 | <i>Multiple responses possible.<br/>Please do not read out response categories.</i>   |               |
|                            | Question & Items 1-4 | <b>Who can you turn to then?</b>  |               |
|                            |                      | <b>To relatives (1)</b>   | w4_151_2      |
|                            |                      | <b>To neighbours (2)</b>  | w4_151_3      |
|                            |                      | <b>To friends (3)</b>   | w4_151_4      |
|                            |                      | <b>To acquaintances or others (4)</b>   | w4_152        |
|                            |                      | 1: Yes  |               |
|                            |                      | 2: No   |               |
| 9997: Refusal              |                      |   |               |
| 9998: Don't know           |                      |   |               |

| Nr.                               | Type of information | Interview text and notes  | Continue with         |
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|                                   |                     | <b>Religion</b>   |                       |
| w4_152                            | Int.                | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>  |                       |
|                                   | Question            | <b>Do you belong to a denomination or religious group?</b>  |                       |
|                                   |                     | 1: Yes  | w4_153                |
|                                   |                     | 2: No   | w4_155_a/<br>w4_155_b |
|                                   |                     | 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know   |                       |
| w4_153                            | Filter              | w4_152 (Denomination/religion)<br>= 1 (Yes)   |                       |
|                                   | Int.                | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>  |                       |
|                                   | Question            | <b>Which denomination or religious group is that?</b>   |                       |
|                                   |                     | 1: Roman Catholic Church  | w4_154                |
|                                   |                     | 2: Protestant Church (also Protetstant reformed)  |                       |
|                                   |                     | 3: Protestant Free Church (for example Baptists, Mennonites)  |                       |
|                                   |                     | 4: Islamic religious association (for example sunni, alevie, shiite)  |                       |
|                                   |                     | 5: Judaism  |                       |
|                                   |                     | 6: Christian-Orthodox Church  |                       |
|                                   |                     | 7: New Apostolic Church   |                       |
|                                   |                     | 8: Jehova's Witnesses   |                       |
|                                   |                     | 9: Buddhism   |                       |
|                                   |                     | 10: Hinduism  |                       |
|                                   |                     | 11: Other   |                       |
| 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know |                     |   |                       |
| w4_154                            | Filter              | w4_152 (Denomination/religion)<br>= 1 (Yes)   |                       |
|                                   | Int.                | <i>Please read out answer categories.</i>   |                       |
|                                   | Question            | <b>How closely do you feel connected to this church or religious group?</b>   |                       |
|                                   |                     | 1: Strongly   | w4_155_a/<br>w4_155_b |
|                                   |                     | 2: Average  |                       |
|                                   |                     | 3: Little   |                       |
|                                   |                     | 4: Not at all   |                       |
| 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know |                     |   |                       |
|                                   |                     | <b>Place of residence</b>   |                       |
| w4_155_a<br>w4_155_b              | Prog.               | Checking: sum of both fields > 0<br>Fit in checking: number of years should not be higher than the age of the target person       |                       |
|                                   | Int.                | <i>If less than one year: choose 9996 „Less than 1 year“.<br/>Please fill in only one field.<br/>If since birth: choose 9995.</i> |                       |
|                                   | Question            | <b>How long have you been living at your current residence? Since...</b>  |                       |
|                                   |                     | the year [1900 to 2014]<br>OR<br>[1 to 114] years   | w4_156                |
|                                   |                     | 9995: Since birth   |                       |
|                                   |                     | 9996: Less than 1 year  |                       |
|                                   |                     | 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know   |                       |

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| w4_156                     | <i>Int.</i>                     | <i>Please read out answer categories.</i>   |               |
|                            | <b>Question</b>                 | <b>What would you say: How good is the social cohesion in your neighbourhood?</b>   |               |
|                            |                                 | 1: Very good  | w4_157        |
|                            |                                 | 2: Rather good  |               |
|                            |                                 | 3: Average  |               |
|                            |                                 | 4: Rather poor  |               |
|                            |                                 | 5: Very poor  |               |
|                            |                                 | 9997: Refusal   |               |
| 9998: Don't know           |                                 |   |               |
|                            |                                 | <b>Club membership</b>  |               |
| w4_157                     | <i>Int.</i>                     | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.<br/>If requested, explain: "non-profit" means focused on the common good and not on profit.</i>                  |               |
|                            | <b>Question</b>                 | <b>Are you a member of any non-profit club, association or organisation? Please do not include membership of a church of a religious association in this.</b> |               |
|                            |                                 | 1: Yes  | w4_158_1      |
|                            |                                 | 2: No   |               |
|                            |                                 | 9997: Refusal   |               |
| 9998: Don't know           |                                 |   |               |
|                            |                                 | <b>Political activity</b>   |               |
| w4_158_1<br>to<br>w4_158_4 | <i>Int.</i>                     | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>  |               |
|                            | <b>Question &amp; Items 1-4</b> | <b>There are various ways of being politically active. Which of the following things have you already done? Have you ever ...</b>                             |               |
|                            |                                 | <b>Held a political office or taken another political responsibility (1)</b>  | w4_158_2      |
|                            |                                 | <b>Signed signature collections for political goals, including online petitions (2)</b>   | w4_158_3      |
|                            |                                 | <b>Taken part in a demonstration (3)</b>  | w4_158_4      |
|                            |                                 | <b>Been involved in a citizens' initiative (4)</b>  | w4_159        |
|                            |                                 | 1: Yes  | w4_159        |
|                            |                                 | 2: No   |               |
|                            |                                 | 9997: Refusal   |               |
| 9998: Don't know           |                                 |   |               |

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| w4_159 | Filter              | w4_alter (014) (Age)<br>> 17 years<br>≤ 120 years<br><br>AND<br>w4_141 (German citizenship)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br><br>OR<br>w4_altersgr (015) (Age group)<br>= 3 (Between 18 and 20 years)<br>= 4 (Between 21 and 34 years)<br>= 5 (Between 35 and 44 years)<br>= 6 (Between 45 and 54 years)<br>= 7 (Between 55 and 64 years)<br>= 8 (Between 65 and 74 years)<br>= 9 (75 and above))<br><br>AND<br>w4_141 (German citizenship)<br>= 1 (Yes) |               |
|        | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>  |               |
|        | <b>Question</b>     | <b>Did you take part in the general election (Bundestagswahl) 2013?</b><br>1: Yes<br>2: No<br>3: Not entitled to vote<br>9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know  | w4_201_01     |

| Nr.   | Type of information              | Interview text and notes   | Continue with |
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|   |                                  | <b>Activity in 14 societal areas</b>   |               |
| w4_201_01<br>to<br>w4_201_14  | Int.                             | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>   |               |
|   | Question<br>&<br>Items<br>1–14   | Next I would like to talk about the following:<br>There is a range of ways, of <i>getting involved outside of work and family</i> , for example in a <i>club, an initiative, a project or a self-help group</i> . I will name a few different areas that are possible. Please tell me if you are actively involved in one or more of these areas. If you think of the last 12 months: Have you been actively involved in one or more of these areas. Are you or have you been actively involved somewhere... |               |
|   |                                  | In the area of <u>sport and exercise</u> (1)<br>e. g. in a sports club or in an exercise group?  | w4_201_02     |
|   |                                  | In the area of <u>culture and music</u> (2)<br>e. g. a theatre or music group, a choir, a cultural association or an association for cultural development?   | w4_201_03     |
|   |                                  | In the area of <u>leisure and social interaction</u> (3)<br>e. g. in an allot garden association or a games club?  | w4_201_04     |
|   |                                  | In the <u>social area</u> (4)<br>e. g. in a charity or a different aid organisation, in the neighbourhood help or a self-help group?   | w4_201_05     |
|   |                                  | In the <u>health area</u> (5)<br>e.g. as a helper in healthcare or in visiting services, in an association or a self-help group?   | w4_201_06     |
|   |                                  | In the <u>school or nursery area</u> (6)<br>e. g. in a parents' association, the student board or a development association?   | w4_201_07     |
|   |                                  | In <u>youth work outside school or adult education</u> (7)<br>e. g. looking after children or youth groups or running training programmes?   | w4_201_08     |
|   |                                  | In the area of the <u>environment, nature protection or animal rights</u> (8)<br>e. g. in an according association or project?   | w4_201_09     |
|   |                                  | In the area of <u>politics and political interest groups</u> (9)<br>e. g. in a party, in the local council or town council, in political initiatives or solidarity projects?   | w4_201_10     |
|   |                                  | In the area of <u>professional interest groups outside work</u> (10)<br>e.g. in a trade union, professional association, unemployment initiative?  | w4_201_11     |
|   |                                  | In the <u>church or religious area</u> (11)<br>e. g. in the church, a religious organisation or a religious group?   | w4_201_12     |
|   |                                  | In the area of <u>justice and criminality</u> (12)<br>e. g. as a lay judge or honorary judge, looking after offenders or victims of crime?   | w4_201_13     |
|   |                                  | In the <u>accident or ambulance service</u> or in the <u>voluntary fire brigade</u> (13)   | w4_201_14     |
| In an <u>area not yet mentioned</u> (14)<br>e. g. in citizens' initiatives or working groups on local and traffic development, but also citizens' clubs and others that haven't been mentioned yet? | Transition to volunteering query |  |               |
|   | 1: Yes                           |  |               |
|   | 2: No                            |  |               |
|   | 9997: Refusal                    |  |               |
|   | 9998: Don't know                 |  |               |

| Nr.                                      | Type of information | Interview text and notes   | Continue with                             |
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| <b>Volunteering in 14 societal areas</b> |                     |  |   |
| <b>Transition to volunteering query</b>  | Filter              | <p>w4_201_01 (Active in the area of sport and exercise)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_201_02 (Active in the area of culture and music)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_201_03 (Active in the area of leisure and social interaction)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_201_04 (Active in the social area)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_201_05 (Active in the health area)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_201_06 (Active in the school or nursery area)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_201_07 (Active in youth work outside school or adult education)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_201_08 (Active in the area of the environment, nature protection or animal rights)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_201_09 (Active in the area of politics and political interest groups)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_201_10 (Active in the area of professional interest groups outside work)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_201_11 (Active in the church or religious area)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_201_12 (Active in the area of justice and criminality)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_201_13 (Active in the accident or ambulance service or in the voluntary fire brigade)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_201_14 (Active in an area not yet mentioned)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> |   |
|  | Text                | <p><b>We are interested now in whether you also do voluntary activities in the areas in which you are involved or if you volunteer in associations, initiatives, projects or self-help groups. We are looking at duties and work taken on voluntarily for little or no remuneration.</b></p>   | <p>w4_202_01_1<br/>to<br/>w4_202_14_1</p> |

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| w4_anz_eng                 | Prog.               | [0 to 70] Number of mentioned voluntary activities. This information is a counter which records the total number of a person's voluntary activities. This counter is updated within the w4_200er question block.  |               |
| w4_202_01_1 to w4_202_14_5 | Filter              | w4_201_01 (Active in the area of sport and exercise)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>OR<br>w4_201_02 (Active in the area of culture and music)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>OR<br>w4_201_03 (Active in the area of leisure and social interaction)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>OR<br>w4_201_04 (Active in the social area)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>OR<br>w4_201_05 (Active in the health area)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>OR<br>w4_201_06 (Active in the school or nursery area)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>OR<br>w4_201_07 (Active in youth work outside school or adult education)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>OR<br>w4_201_08 (Active in the area of the environment, nature protection or animal rights)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>OR<br>w4_201_09 (Active in the area of politics and political interest groups)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>OR<br>w4_201_10 (Active in the area of professional interest groups outside work)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>OR<br>w4_201_11 (Active in the church or religious area)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>OR<br>w4_201_12 (Active in the area of justice and criminality)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>OR<br>w4_201_13 (Active in the accident or ambulance service or in the voluntary fire brigade)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>OR<br>w4_201_14 (Active in an area not yet mentioned)<br>= 1 (Yes) |               |



| Nr.  | Type of information | Interview text and notes  | Continue with  |
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|  |                     | <p>w4_202_08 (Volunteering in the area of the environment, nature protection or animal rights)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_202_09 (Volunteering in the area of politics and political interest groups)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_202_10 (Volunteering in the area of professional interest groups outside work)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_202_11 (Volunteering in the church or religious area)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_202_12 (Volunteering in the area of justice and criminality)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed black;"/> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_202_13 (Volunteering in the accident or ambulance service or in the voluntary fire brigade)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_202_14 (Volunteering in an area not yet mentioned)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> |                |
|  | Prog.               | <p>Counter voluntary activities (w4_anz_eng):<br/>If volunteer in one/or several areas: w4_202_01_1 to w4_202_14_5 (Volunteering in one of 14 societal areas) = 1 (Yes)<br/>Then the number of voluntary activities increases by one per voluntary work: w4_anz_eng = w4_anz_eng+1</p> <p>Record the first organisation.</p>  |                |
|  | Int.                | <p><i>Enter designation.</i><br/><i>Enter which kind of group, organisation or institution it is, not the name of the group, organisation or institution.</i></p>   |                |
| <p><b>204 (not in the SUF)</b></p> <p>w4_m_204o_01_1 to w4_m_204o_14_5</p> | Question            | <p><b>What type of group, organisation or institution is it in which you volunteer? Can you please describe it to me briefly?</b></p>   |                |
|  |                     | Open response   | w4_m_204o_01_1 |
|  |                     | 9997: Refusal   |                |
|  | to                  |   |                |
|  | w4_m_204o_14_1      |   |                |

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|     |                     | <p>OR<br/>w4_202_06 (Volunteering in the school or nursery area)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR<br/>w4_202_07 (Volunteering in youth work outside school or adult education)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR<br/>w4_202_08 (Volunteering in the area of the environment, nature protection or animal rights)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR<br/>w4_202_09 (Volunteering in the area of politics and political interest groups)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR<br/>w4_202_10 (Volunteering in the area of professional interest groups outside work)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR<br/>w4_202_11 (Volunteering in the church or religious area)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR<br/>w4_202_12 (Volunteering in the area of justice and criminality)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR<br/>w4_202_13 (Volunteering in the accident or ambulance service or in the voluntary fire brigade)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR<br/>w4_202_14 (Volunteering in an area not yet mentioned)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> |                    |
|     | Prog.               | Record the first voluntary activity.   |                    |
|     | Int.                | <p><i>Enter designation literally.</i></p> <p><i>Please read out if necessary:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>infas guarantees that all the information you provide will be treated with the strictest confidence and will remain anonymous without any connection to names and telephone numbers.</i></li> <li>- <i>No one will find out which persons took part in the survey.</i></li> <li>- <i>infas and the German Centre of Gerontology (Deutsches Zentrum für Altersfragen) strictly comply with the statutory data protection provisions.</i></li> </ul>  |                    |
|     | Question            | <b>And what exactly do you do there? What is your duty or what work do you do there?</b>   |                    |
|     |                     | Open response  | w4_m_205o          |
|     |                     | 9997: Refusal  | _01_1              |
|     |                     | 9998: Don't know   | to                 |
|     |                     |  | w4_m_205o<br>_14_1 |

| Nr.   | Type of information | Interview text and notes   | Continue with |
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| <p><b>205 (not in theSUF)</b></p> <p><b>w4_m_205o_01_1</b><br/>to<br/><b>w4_m_205o_14_5</b></p> | <p>Filter</p>       | <p>w4_202_01 (Volunteering in the area of sport and exercise)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_202_02 (Volunteering in the area of culture and music)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_202_03 (Volunteering in the area of leisure and social interaction)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_202_04 (Volunteering in the social area)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_202_05 (Volunteering in the health area)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_202_06 (Volunteering in the school or nursery area)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_202_07 (Volunteering in youth work outside school or adult education)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_202_08 (Volunteering in the area of the environment, nature protection or animal rights)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_202_09 (Volunteering in the area of politics and political interest groups)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_202_10 (Volunteering in the area of professional interest groups outside work)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_202_11 (Volunteering in the church or religious area)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_202_12 (olunteering in the area of justice and criminality)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_202_13 (Volunteering in the accident or ambulance service or in the voluntary fire brigade)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_202_14 (Volunteering in an area not yet mentioned)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>AND</p> <p>w4_m_204o (1. voluntary activity in area)<br/>= open response (Voluntary activity)</p> |               |
|   | <p>Prog.</p>        | <p>Record the name of the first voluntary activity.</p>  |               |

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|  | <i>Int.</i>         | <p><i>Enter designation literally.<br/>Please read out if necessary:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>infas guarantees that all the information you provide will be treated with the strictest confidence and will remain anonymous without any connection to names and telephone numbers.</i></li> <li>- <i>No one will find out which persons took part in the survey.</i></li> <li>- <i>infas and the German Centre of Gerontology (Deutsches Zentrum für Altersfragen) strictly comply with the statutory data protection provisions.</i></li> </ul>   |   |
|  | <b>Question</b>     | <p><b>Does your activity have a name? If so, what is it?</b></p> <p>Open response</p> <p>9996: Activity has no name</p> <p>9997: Refusal</p> <p>9998: Don't know</p>  | <p>w4_202_01_2<br/>to<br/>w4_202_14_2</p> |
| <p><b>w4_202_01_2 to w4_202_14_2</b></p> | Filter              | <p>w4_202_01 (Volunteering in the area of sport and exercise)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_202_02 (Volunteering in the area of culture and music)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_202_03 (Volunteering in the area of leisure and social interaction)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_202_04 (Volunteering in the social area)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_202_05 (Volunteering in the health area)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_202_06 (Volunteering in the school or nursery area)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_202_07 (Volunteering in youth work outside school or adult education)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_202_08 (Volunteering in the area of the environment, nature protection or animal rights)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_202_09 (Volunteering in the area of politics and political interest groups)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_202_10 (Volunteering in the area of professional interest groups outside work)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_202_11 (Volunteering in the church or religious area)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_202_12 (Volunteering in the area of justice and criminality)<br/>= 1 (Yes)</p> |   |



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|     |                     | OR<br>w4_202_11 (Volunteering in the church or religious area)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>OR<br>w4_202_12 (Volunteering in the area of justice and criminality)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>OR<br>w4_202_13 (Volunteering in the accident or ambulance service<br>or in the voluntary fire brigade)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>OR<br>w4_202_14 (Volunteering in an area not yet mentioned)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>AND<br>w4_anz_eng (Number of voluntary activities)<br>≥ 2 (At least 2 voluntary activities) |  |
|     | Prog.               | Counter voluntary activities (w4_anz_eng):<br>If there is an additional organisation: w4_202_01_2 to<br>w4_202_14_2 (additional organisation/tasks 1) = 1<br>then the number of voluntary activities increases by one per<br>voluntary work: w4_anz_eng = w4_anz_eng+1   |  |
|     | Filter              | Record the second organisation.  |  |
|     | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Ask for and note the designation exactly.<br/>           If requested, explain „Can you please describe it to me briefly?“.<br/>           Enter which kind of group, organisation or institution it is, not the<br/>           name of the group, organisation or institution.</i>   |  |
|     | <b>Question</b>     | <b>What type of group, organisation or institution is it in which<br/>           you volunteer? (Can you please describe it to me briefly?)</b><br>Open response<br>9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know  | w4_m_204o<br>_01_2<br>to<br>w4_m_204o<br>_14_2 |

| Nr.                              | Type of information | Interview text and notes  | Continue with |
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| w4_m_204o_01_2 to w4_m_204o_14_2 | Filter              | w4_202_01 (Volunteering in the area of sport and exercise)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>OR<br>w4_202_02 (Volunteering in the area of culture and music)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>OR<br>w4_202_03 (Volunteering in the area of leisure and social interaction)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>OR<br>w4_202_04 (Volunteering in the social area)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>OR<br>w4_202_05 (Volunteering in the health area)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>OR<br>w4_202_06 (Volunteering in the school or nursery area)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>OR<br>w4_202_07 (Volunteering in youth work outside school or adult education)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>OR<br>w4_202_08 (Volunteering in the area of the environment, nature protection or animal rights)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>OR<br>w4_202_09 (Volunteering in the area of politics and political interest groups)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>OR<br>w4_202_10 (Volunteering in the area of professional interest groups outside work)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>OR<br>w4_202_11 (Volunteering in the church or religious area)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>OR<br>w4_202_12 (Volunteering in the area of justice and criminality)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>OR<br>w4_202_13 (Volunteering in the accident or ambulance service or in the voluntary fire brigade)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>OR<br>w4_202_14 (Volunteering in an area not yet mentioned)<br>= 1 (Yes) |               |



| Nr.                              | Type of information | Interview text and notes  | Continue with   |
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|                                  |                     | OR<br>w4_202_13 (Volunteering in the accident or ambulance service or in the voluntary fire brigade)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>OR<br>w4_202_14 (Volunteering in an area not yet mentioned)<br>= 1 (Yes)   |   |
|                                  | Prog.               | Record the name of the second voluntary activity.   |   |
|                                  | Int.                | <i>Enter designation literally.<br/>Please read out if necessary:</i><br>- <i>infas guarantees that all the information you provide will be treated with the strictest confidence and will remain anonymous without any connection to names and telephone numbers.</i><br>- <i>No one will find out which persons took part in the survey.</i><br>- <i>infas and the German Centre of Gerontology (Deutsches Zentrum für Altersfragen) strictly comply with the statutory data protection provisions.</i> |   |
|                                  | Question            | <b>Does your activity have a name? If so, what is it?</b>   |   |
|                                  |                     | Open response   | w4_202_01_3 to  |
|                                  |                     | 9996: Tätigkeit hat keinen Namen  | w4_202_14_3   |
|                                  |                     | 9997: Refusal   |   |
|                                  |                     | 9998: Don't know  |   |
| w4_202_01_3 to w4_202_14_3       |                     | Additional organisation/tasks 2 (see w4_202_01_1)   | w4_m_203o_01_3 to w4_m_203o_14_3/<br>w4_m_206_01 to w4_m_206_70 |
| w4_m_203o_01_3 to w4_m_203o_14_3 |                     | Record the third organisation (see w4_m_203o_01_1)  | w4_m_204o_01_3 to w4_m_204o_14_3                                |
|                                  | Prog.               | Counter voluntary activities (w4_anz_eng):<br>If there is an additional organisation: w4_202_01_3 to w4_202_14_3 (additional organisation/tasks 2) = 1 then the number of voluntary activities increases by one per voluntary work: w4_anz_eng = w4_anz_eng+1   |   |
| w4_m_204o_01_3 to w4_m_204o_14_3 |                     | Record the third voluntary activity (see w4_m_204o_01_1)  | w4_m_205o_01_3 to w4_m_205o_14_3                                |
| w4_m_205o_01_3 to w4_m_205o_14_3 |                     | Record the name of the third voluntary activity (see w4_m_205o)   | w4_202_01_4 to w4_202_14_4                                      |

| Nr.                                 | Type of information | Interview text and notes   | Continue with  |
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| w4_202_01_4 to<br>w4_202_14_4       |                     | Additional organisation/tasks 3 (see w4_202_01_1)  | w4_m_203o_01_4 to<br>w4_m_203o_14_4/<br>w4_m_206_01<br>to<br>w4_m_206_70 |
| w4_m_203o_01_4 to<br>w4_m_203o_14_4 |                     | Record the fourth organisation (see w4_m_203o_01_1)  | w4_m_204o_01_4 to<br>w4_m_204o_14_4                                      |
|                                     | Prog.               | Counter voluntary activities (w4_anz_eng):<br>If there is an additional organisation: w4_202_01_4 to<br>w4_202_14_4 (additional organisation/tasks 3) = 1<br>then the number of voluntary activities increases by one per<br>voluntary work: w4_anz_eng = w4_anz_eng+1 |  |
| w4_m_204o_01_4 to<br>w4_m_204o_14_4 |                     | Record the fourth voluntary activity (see w4_m_204o_01_1)  | w4_m_205o_01_4 to<br>w4_m_205o_14_4                                      |
| w4_m_205o_01_4 to<br>w4_m_205o_14_4 |                     | Record the name of the fourth voluntary activity (see w4_m_205o)   | w4_202_01_5 to<br>w4_202_14_5  |
| w4_202_01_5 to<br>w4_202_14_5       |                     | Additional organisation/tasks 4 (see w4_202_01_1)  | w4_m_203o_01_5 to<br>w4_m_203o_14_5/<br>w4_m_206_01<br>to<br>w4_m_206_70 |
| w4_m_203o_01_5 to<br>w4_m_203o_14_5 |                     | Record the fifth organisation (see w4_m_203o_01_1)   | w4_m_204o_01_5 to<br>w4_m_204o_14_5                                      |
|                                     | Prog.               | Counter voluntary activities (w4_anz_eng):<br>If there is an additional organisation: w4_202_01_5 to<br>w4_202_14_5 (additional organisation/tasks 4) = 1<br>then the number of voluntary activities increases by one per<br>voluntary work: w4_anz_eng = w4_anz_eng+1 |  |
| w4_m_204o_01_5 to<br>w4_m_204o_14_5 |                     | Record the fifth voluntary activity (see w4_m_204o_01_1)   | w4_m_205o_01_5 to<br>w4_m_205o_14_5                                      |

| Nr.  | Type of information | Interview text and notes  | Continue with              |
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| w4_m_205o_01_5 to w4_m_205o_14_5                 |                     | Record the name of the fifth voluntary activity (see w4_m_205o)   | w4_m_206_01 to w4_m_206_70 |
| 206 not in the SUF<br>w4_m_206_01 to w4_m_206_70 | Filter              | w4_anz_eng (Number of voluntary activities) $\geq 1$ (At least 1 voluntary activity)  |                            |
|  | Prog.               | Fade in voluntary activity from w4_202ff.<br>Alternative wording of the question, depending on the number of voluntary activities, w4_anz_eng (1 voluntary activity) or w4_anz_eng (> 1 several voluntary activities)   |                            |
|  | Question            | <b>You told me that you have taken on the following activity: [fade in voluntary activity].<br/>Just to be sure, I would like to check: Do you do this activity [these activities] on a voluntary basis? What we mean is that the work is done free of charge or for a small allowance.</b>   |                            |
|  |                     | 1: Yes  | w4_m_208                   |
|  |                     | 2: No   | w4_m_207                   |
| 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know                |                     | w4_m_208  |                            |
| 207 not in the SUF<br>w4_m_207                   | Filter              | w4_m_206 (Check of the voluntary activities) = 2 (No)   |                            |
|  | Prog.               | Named voluntary activities are represented with the code T1 to T70 (placeholder for up to five voluntary activities in up to 14 areas).   |                            |
|  | Prog.               | Counter voluntary activities (w4_anz_eng):<br>If one of the mentioned activities isn't a voluntary activity:<br>w4_m_207<br>Then the number of voluntary activities decreases by one:<br>w4_anz_eng = w4_anz_eng - 1<br><br>Counter voluntary activities (w4_anz_eng):<br>If volunteer in one/or several areas: w4_202_01_1 to w4_202_14_5 (Volunteering in one of 14 societal areas) = 1 (Yes)<br>Then the number of voluntary activities increases by one per voluntary work: w4_anz_eng = w4_anz_eng+1 |                            |
|  | Question            | <b>Which of the activities mentioned is not voluntary?</b>  |                            |
| [Fade in voluntary activities]                   |                     | w4_501/<br>w4_m_208   |                            |

| Nr.   | Type of information | Interview text and notes   | Continue with |               |
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| <b>208 not in the SUF</b><br><br><b>w4_m_208</b>                      | Filter              | w4_anz_eng (Number of voluntary activities)<br>≥ 2 (At least 2 voluntary activities)   |               |               |
|   | Prog.               | Fade in list of voluntary activities.  |               |               |
|   | Int.                | <i>If necessary, read out the voluntary activities again.<br/>The formulation in the insertion of the activity may be changed.</i>   |               |               |
|   | Question            | <b>To make sure I haven't recorded anything twice, I would like to check again: Are these activities <u>different</u> duties?</b><br><b>[Fade in list]</b>   |               |               |
|   |                     | 1: Yes   |               | w4_210        |
|   |                     | 2: No  |               | w4_m_209      |
| 9997: Refusal   |                     | w4_210   |               |               |
| 9998: Don't know  |                     |  |               |               |
| <b>209 not in the SUF</b><br><br><b>w4_m_209</b>                      | Filter              | w4_m_208 (Check if the voluntary activities are different)<br>= 2 (No)   |               |               |
|   | Prog.               | Fade in list of voluntary activities.  |               |               |
|   | Prog                | Counter voluntary activities (w4_anz_eng):<br>If one of the mentioned activities isn't a voluntary activity:<br>w4_m_206_01 to w4_m_206_70 (Check voluntary activities) = 2 (No)<br>Then the number of voluntary activities decreases by one:<br>w4_anz_eng = w4_anz_eng - 1 |               |               |
|   | Question            | <b>Which of the activities mentioned have I recorded twice?</b><br><b>[Fade in voluntary activities]</b>   |               | w4_210        |
|   |                     |  |               |               |
| <b>w4_210</b>   | Filter              | w4_anz_eng (Number of voluntary activities)<br>≥ 1 (At least 1 voluntary activity)   |               |               |
|   | Int.                | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>   |               |               |
|   | Question            | <b>Have you taken on any other voluntary activity that we have not yet covered?</b>  |               |               |
|   |                     | 1: Yes   |               | w4_211        |
|   |                     | 2: No  |               | w4_301        |
|   |                     | 9997: Refusal  |               |               |
| 9998: Don't know  |                     |  |               |               |
| <b>w4_211</b>   | Filter              | w4_210 (Additional voluntary activities)<br>= 1 (Yes)  |               |               |
|   | Prog.               | Counter voluntary activities (w4_anz_eng):<br>If there is an additional voluntary activity: w4_210 (Additional voluntary activities) = 1 (Yes)<br>Then the number of voluntary activities increases by one:<br>w4_anz_eng = w4_anz_eng+1                                     |               |               |
|   | Int.                | <i>Enter code for mentioned area.<br/>Please select 9996 "No additional tasks" if no additional tasks are explained.<br/>If necessary, read out areas again.</i>   |               |               |
|   | Question            | <b>And in which of the areas just mentioned, do you carry out this activity?</b>   |               |               |
|   |                     | 1: In the area of sport and exercise   |               | w4_m_212_1 to |
|   |                     | 2: In the area of culture and music  |               | w4_m_212_5    |
|   |                     | 3: In the area of leisure and social interaction   |               |               |
|   |                     | 4: In the social area  |               |               |
|   |                     | 5: In the health area  |               |               |
|   |                     | 6: In the school or nursery area   |               |               |
| 7: In youth work outside school or adult education                    |                     |  |               |               |
| 8: In the area of the environment, nature protection or animal rights |                     |  |               |               |

| Nr.  | Type of information | Interview text and notes   | Continue with |
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|  |                     | 9: In the area of politics and political interest groups<br>10: In the area of professional interest groups outside work<br>11: In the church or religious area<br>12: In the area of justice and criminality<br>13: In the accident or ambulance service or in the voluntary fire brigade<br>14: In an area not yet mentioned<br>9996: No additional tasks<br>9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know   | w4_301        |
| <b>212 not in the SUF</b><br><br><b>w4_m_212_1 to w4_m_212_5</b> | Filter              | w4_210 (Additional voluntary activities)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>AND<br>w4_211 (Area of additional voluntary activities)<br>= 1 (Sport and exercise)<br>= 2 (Culture and music)<br>= 3 (Leisure and social interaction)<br>= 4 (Social area)<br>= 5 (Health area)<br>= 6 (School or nursery area)<br>= 7 (Youth work outside school or adult education)<br>= 8 (Environment, nature protection or animal rights)<br>= 9 (Politics and political interest groups)<br>= 10 (Professional interest groups outside work)<br>= 11 (Church or religious area)<br>= 12 (Justice and criminality)<br>= 13 (Accident or ambulance service or in the voluntary fire brigade)<br>= 14 (Area not yet mentioned)<br>= 9997 (Refusal)<br>= 9998 (Don't know) |               |
|  | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Enter designation.<br/>           Enter which kind of group, organisation or institution it is, not the name of the group, organisation or institution.</i>   |               |
|  | <b>Question</b>     | <b>What type of group, organisation or institution is it in which you volunteer? Can you please describe it to me briefly?</b>   |               |
|  |                     | Open response  | w4_m_213_1    |
|  |                     | 9997: Refusal  | to            |
|  |                     | 9998: Don't know   | w4_m_213_5    |
| <b>213 nicht im SUF</b><br><br><b>w4_m_213_1 to w4_m_213_5</b>   | Filter              | w4_210 (Additional voluntary activities)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>AND<br>w4_211 (Area of additional voluntary activities)<br>= 1 (Sport and exercise)<br>= 2 (Culture and music)<br>= 3 (Leisure and social interaction)<br>= 4 (Social area)<br>= 5 (Health area)<br>= 6 (School or nursery area)<br>= 7 (Youth work outside school or adult education)<br>= 8 (Environment, nature protection or animal rights)<br>= 9 (Politics and political interest groups)   |               |

| Nr.   | Type of information | Interview text and notes   | Continue with                          |
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|   |                     | = 10 (Professional interest groups outside work)<br>= 11 (Church or religious area)<br>= 12 (Justice and criminality)<br>= 13 (Accident or ambulance service or in the voluntary fire brigade)<br>= 14 (Area not yet mentioned)<br>= 9997 (Refusal)<br>= 9998 (Don't know)   |  |
|   | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Enter designation literally.</i><br><i>Please read out if necessary:</i><br>- infas guarantees that all the information you provide will be treated with the strictest confidence and will remain anonymous without any connection to names and telephone numbers.<br>- No one will find out which persons took part in the survey.<br>- infas and the German Centre of Gerontology (Deutsches Zentrum für Altersfragen) strictly comply with the statutory data protection provisions.   |  |
|   | <b>Question</b>     | <b>And what exactly do you do there? What is your duty or what work do you do there?</b>   |  |
|   |                     | Open response  | w4_m_214<br>_1<br>to<br>w4_m_214<br>_5 |
|   |                     | 9997: Refusal  |  |
|   |                     | 9998: Don't know   |  |
| <b>214 not in the SUF</b><br><br>w4_m_214_1 to w4_m_214_5 | Filter              | w4_210 (Additional voluntary activities)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>AND<br>w4_211 (Area of additional voluntary activities)<br>= 1 (Sport and exercise)<br>= 2 (Culture and music)<br>= 3 (Leisure and social interaction)<br>= 4 (Social area)<br>= 5 (Health area)<br>= 6 (School or nursery area)<br>= 7 (Youth work outside school or adult education)<br>= 8 (Environment, nature protection or animal rights)<br>= 9 (Politics and political interest groups)<br>= 10 (Professional interest groups outside work)<br>= 11 (Church or religious area)<br>= 12 (Justice and criminality)<br>= 13 (Accident or ambulance service or in the voluntary fire brigade)<br>= 14 (Area not yet mentioned)<br>= 9997 (Refusal)<br>= 9998 (Don't know) |  |
|   | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Enter designation literally.</i><br><i>Please read out if necessary:</i><br>- infas guarantees that all the information you provide will be treated with the strictest confidence and will remain anonymous without any connection to names and telephone numbers.<br>- No one will find out which persons took part in the survey.<br>- infas and the German Centre of Gerontology (Deutsches Zentrum für Altersfragen) strictly comply with the statutory data protection provisions.   |  |

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|  | Question             | <b>Does your activity have a name? If so, what is it?</b>  |  |
|  |                      | Open response  | w4_210:                                  |
|  |                      | 9996: voluntary activity has not a name  | Up to five passages/<br>w4_301           |
|  |                      | 9997: Refusal  |  |
|  |                      | 9998: Don't know   |  |
| <b>w4_anz_eng</b>                                    | Prog.                | [0 to 70 + five additional from w4_210 ] Number of mentioned voluntary activities. At this point the counter is completed. The variable represents the number of all voluntary activities. |  |
| <b>Volunteering potential</b>                        |                      |  |  |
| <b>w4_301</b>  | Filter               | w4_anz_eng (Number of voluntary activities) $\geq 1$ (At least 1 voluntary activity)   |  |
|  | Int.                 | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>   |  |
|  | Question             | <b>Would you be willing to extend your voluntary work in the future or take on more voluntary activities? What would you say: "Yes, certainly", "Yes, maybe" or "No"?</b>                  |  |
|  |                      | 1: Yes, certainly  | w4_302                                   |
|  |                      | 2: Yes, maybe  |  |
|  |                      | 3: No  |  |
| 9997: Refusal  |                      |  |  |
| 9998: Don't know                                     |                      |  |  |
| <b>Subjective importance of voluntary activities</b> |                      |  |  |
| <b>w4_302</b>  | Filter               | w4_anz_eng (Number of voluntary activities) $\geq 1$ (At least 1 voluntary activity)   |  |
|  | Prog.                | Check: information can't be higher than the age of the target person from w4_alter or w4_altersgr.   |  |
|  | Question             | <b>If you think back: how old were you when you did voluntary work for the first time?</b>   |  |
|  |                      | [1 to 114] years old   | w4_303_1                                 |
|  |                      | 9997: Refusal  | tow4_303_8                               |
| 9998: Don't know                                     |                      |  |  |
| <b>w4_303_1 to w4_303_8</b>                          | Filter               | w4_anz_eng (Number of voluntary activities) $\geq 1$ (At least 1 voluntary activity)   |  |
|  | Prog.                | Rotating items.  |  |
|  | Int.                 | <i>If necessary, read out answer categories.</i>   |  |
|  | Question & Items 1-8 | <b>Please tell me if you fully agree, partially agree, partly, rather not agree or do not agree at all with the following statements about your voluntary work.</b>                        |  |
|  |                      | <b>I would like to influence society at least in a small way. (1)</b>  | Additional items<br>w4_303<br>(rotating) |
|  |                      | <b>I would like to get together with other people. (2)</b>   | Additional items<br>w4_303<br>(rotating) |
|  |                      | <b>I would like to gain esteem and influence in my environment. (3)</b>  | Additional items<br>w4_303<br>(rotating) |

| Nr.              | Type of information | Interview text and notes  | Continue with                            |
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|                  |                     | <b>I would like to advance professionally through my volunteering. (4)</b>  | Additional items<br>w4_303<br>(rotating) |
|                  |                     | <b>I would like to get qualifications that are important in life. (5)</b>   | Additional items<br>w4_303<br>(rotating) |
|                  |                     | <b>I would like to earn a little extra through the work.<br/>Ich will mir durch das Engagement etwas dazuverdienen. (6)</b>                 | Additional items<br>w4_303<br>(rotating) |
|                  |                     | <b>My involvement is fun. (7)</b>   | Additional items<br>w4_303<br>(rotating) |
|                  |                     | <b>I would like to be together with people of other generations. (8)</b>  | Additional items<br>w4_303<br>(rotating) |
|                  |                     | 1: Fully agree  | w4_304                                   |
|                  |                     | 2: Partially Agree  |  |
|                  |                     | 3: Partly   |  |
|                  |                     | 4: Rather not agree   |  |
|                  |                     | 5: Don't agree at all   |  |
|                  |                     | 9996: Doesn't apply   |  |
|                  |                     | 9997: Refusal   |  |
|                  |                     | 9998: Don't know  |  |
|                  |                     | <b>Time frame volunteering overall</b>  |  |
| <b>w4_304</b>    | Filter              | w4_anz_eng (Number of voluntary activities)<br>≥ 1 (At least 1 voluntary activity)  |  |
|                  | Prog.               | Alternative wording of the question, if more than one voluntary activity: „Please now consider all your voluntary activities again.“        |  |
|                  | Question            | <b>Have you been working on a voluntary basis in the last four weeks? [Please now consider again <u>all</u> your voluntary activities.]</b> |  |
|                  |                     | 1: Yes  | w4_305                                   |
|                  |                     | 2: No   |  |
| 9997: Refusal    |                     |   |  |
| 9998: Don't know |                     |   |  |

| Nr.                      | Type of information | Interview text and notes   | Continue with                 |
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| w4_305                   | Filter              | w4_anz_eng (Number of voluntary activities)<br>≥ 1 (At least 1 voluntary activity)   |                               |
|                          | Int.                | <i>Only one response.</i><br><i>If the target says that he/she has been doing the activity for less than 12 months, please read out: Please refer in your answer to the period since when you have been doing this.</i><br><i>Please read out answer categories</i>              |                               |
|                          | Question            | <b>When you think of the last 12 months: How often did you carry out your voluntary activity on average?</b>   |                               |
|                          |                     | 1: Daily   | w4_306_a_1<br>/<br>w4_306_a_2 |
|                          |                     | 2: Several times a week  | w4_306_b_1<br>/<br>w4_306_b_2 |
|                          |                     | 3: Once a week   | w4_306_c_1/<br>w4_306_c_2     |
|                          |                     | 4: Several times a month   | w4_306_d_1<br>/<br>w4_306_d_2 |
|                          |                     | 5: Once a month  |                               |
|                          |                     | 6: More rarely   |                               |
|                          |                     | 9996: Entirely irregular   |                               |
| 9997: Refusal            |                     |  |                               |
| 9998: Don't know         |                     |  |                               |
| w4_306_a_1<br>w4_306_a_2 | Filter              | w4_anz_eng (Number of voluntary activities)<br>≥ 1 (At least 1 voluntary activity)<br>AND<br>w4_305 (Frequency entire volunteering)<br>= 1 (Daily)   |                               |
|                          | Int.                | <i>Please enter what the target person says.</i><br><i>Example 90 minutes: Enter 90 in the field minutes.</i><br><i>Please convert decimal numbers.</i><br><i>Example: 1,5 hours: Enter 1 in the field hours and 30 in the field minutes.</i><br><i>Please fill both fields.</i> |                               |
|                          | Question            | <b>When you think of the last 12 months: How many hours <u>a day</u> did you spend in this time on all your voluntary activity?</b>  |                               |
|                          |                     | [0 to 24] hours a day  | w4_307/<br>w4_401             |
|                          |                     | [0 to 1440] minutes a day  |                               |
| 9997: Refusal            |                     |  |                               |
| 9998: Don't know         |                     |  |                               |

| Nr.                      | Type of information | Interview text and notes   | Continue with     |
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| w4_306_b_1<br>w4_306_b_2 | Filter              | w4_anz_eng (Number of voluntary activities)<br>≥ 1 (At least 1 voluntary activity)<br>AND<br>w4_305 (Frequency entire volunteering)<br>= 2 (Several times a week)<br>= 3 (Once a week)   |                   |
|                          | Int.                | <i>Please enter what the target person says.<br/>Example 90 minutes: Enter 90 in the field minutes.<br/>Please convert decimal numbers.<br/>Example: 1,5 hours: Enter 1 in the field hours and 30 in the field minutes.<br/>Please fill both fields.</i> |                   |
|                          | Question            | <b>When you think of the last 12 months:<br/>How many <u>hours a week</u> did you spend in this time on all your voluntary activity?</b>   |                   |
|                          |                     | [0 to 168] hours a week  | w4_307/<br>w4_401 |
|                          |                     | [0 to 1440] minutes a week   |                   |
|                          |                     | 9997: Refusal  |                   |
|                          |                     | 9998: Don't know   |                   |
| w4_306_c_1<br>w4_306_c_2 | Filter              | w4_anz_eng (Number of voluntary activities)<br>≥ 1 (At least 1 voluntary activity)<br>AND<br>w4_305 (Frequency entire volunteering)<br>= 4 (Several times a month)<br>= 5 (Once a month)   |                   |
|                          | Int.                | <i>Please enter what the target person says.<br/>Example 90 minutes: Enter 90 in the field minutes.<br/>Please convert decimal numbers.<br/>Example: 1,5 hours: Enter 1 in the field hours and 30 in the field minutes.<br/>Please fill both fields.</i> |                   |
|                          | Question            | <b>When you think of the last 12 months:<br/>How many <u>hours a month</u> did you spend in this time on all your voluntary activity?</b>  |                   |
|                          |                     | [0 to 744] hours a month   | w4_307/<br>w4_401 |
|                          |                     | [0 to 1440] minutes a month  |                   |
|                          |                     | 9997: Refusal  |                   |
|                          |                     | 9998: Don't know   |                   |

| Nr.   | Type of information | Interview text and notes   | Continue with   |
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| w4_306_d_1<br>w4_306_d_2                                | Filter              | w4_anz_eng (Number of voluntary activities)<br>≥ 1 (At least 1 voluntary activity)<br>AND<br>w4_305 (Frequency entire volunteering)<br>= 6 (More rarely)<br>= 9996 (Entirely irregular)<br>= 9997 (Refusal)<br>= 9998 (Don't know)   |   |
|   | Int.                | <i>Please enter what the target person says.<br/>Example 90 minutes: Enter 90 in the field minutes.<br/>Please convert decimal numbers.<br/>Example: 1,5 hours: Enter 1 in the field hours and 30 in the field minutes.<br/>Please fill both fields.</i>   |   |
|   | Question            | <b>When you think of the last 12 months:<br/>How many <u>hours</u> did you <u>spend in this time</u> on all your<br/>voluntary activity?</b>   |   |
|   |                     | [0 to 8760] hours a year   | w4_307/<br>w4_401   |
|   |                     | [0 to 1440] minutes a year<br>9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know  |   |
| <b>Selection most time-consuming voluntary activity</b> |                     |  |   |
| w4_307  | Filter              | w4_anz_eng (Number of voluntary activities)<br>≥ 2 (At least 2 voluntary activities)   |   |
|   | Prog.               | Input 9998: Don't know, or 9997: Refusal, select the first mentioned voluntary activity for the following questions.   |   |
|   | Int.                | <i>Please read out listed voluntary activities.<br/>Please have one selected, if there are several voluntary activities that are the same time-consuming or the target person doesn't know. There will be further questions for this voluntary activity.</i>   |   |
|   | Question            | <b>When you think of the last 12 months: On which of these<br/>voluntary activities that you do, did you spend the most<br/>time?</b>  |   |
|   |                     | [Fade in voluntary activities T1 – T70] Responses of most time-consuming voluntary activity<br>9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know   | Transition to further questions for volunteers, from w4_401 |
| Transition to further questions for volunteers          | Filter              | w4_anz_eng (Number of voluntary activities)<br>≥ 1 (At least 1 voluntary activity)   |   |
|   | Prog.               | Number of voluntary activities: at least. 2 voluntary activities >> Our following questions are related exclusively to the following voluntary activity that you have mentioned; fade in voluntary activity from w4_307.<br>Number of voluntary activities: 1 voluntary activity >> In the following we have some questions about this voluntary activity. |   |
|   | Int.                | <i>The formulation in the insertion of the activity may be changed.</i>  |   |
|   | Text                | <b>I would like to talk with you more precisely about this<br/>voluntary activity. Our next questions relate exclusively to<br/>this activity: [fade in voluntary activity]. Below we have a<br/>few more questions on this activity.</b>  | w4_401  |

| Nr.                    | Type of information   | Interview text and notes   | Continue with                               |
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|                        |                       | <b>Geographical reference and target groups</b>  |   |
| w4_401                 | Int.                  | <i>Please read out answer categories.</i>  |   |
|                        | Question              | <b>Which region <u>mainly</u> benefits from this activity? Is it more...</b>   |   |
|                        |                       | 1: The region you live in  | w4_403_01                                   |
|                        |                       | 2: Another region in Germany   |   |
|                        |                       | 3: A region or a country in Europe or  |   |
|                        |                       | 4: A region outside Europe   | w4_402                                      |
| 9997: Refusal          | w4_403_01             |  |   |
| 9998: Don't know       |                       |  |   |
| w4_402                 | Filter                | w4_401 (Region, benefits from this activity)<br>= 4 (Region outside Europe)  |   |
|                        | Question              | <b>Is this a developing country?</b>   |   |
|                        |                       | 1: Yes   | w4_403_01                                   |
|                        |                       | 2: Partly  |   |
|                        |                       | 3: No  |   |
|                        |                       | 9997: Refusal  |   |
| 9998: Don't know       |                       |  |   |
| w4_403_01 to w4_403_10 | Int.                  | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.<br/>If necessary, read out: „Is it aimed at ...”</i>  |   |
|                        | Question & Items 1–10 | <b>I will read you out a few groups of people. Please tell me if your activity is aimed at one or more of these groups of people. Is it aimed at ...</b> |   |
|                        |                       | <b>Especially children and young people (1)</b>  | If „Yes“<br>w4_404; if<br>„No“<br>w4_403_02 |
|                        |                       | <b>Especially families (2)</b>   | w4_403_03                                   |
|                        |                       | <b>Especially older people (3)</b>   | If „Yes“<br>w4_405; if<br>„No“<br>w4_403_04 |
|                        |                       | <b>Especially people with a handicap (4)</b>   | w4_403_05                                   |
|                        |                       | <b>Especially people with an immigrant background (5)</b>  | w4_403_06                                   |
|                        |                       | <b>Especially women (6)</b>  | w4_403_07                                   |
|                        |                       | <b>Especially men (7)</b>  | w4_403_08                                   |
|                        |                       | <b>Especially financially or socially disadvantaged people (8)</b>   | w4_403_09                                   |
|                        |                       | <b>Especially people who need help or care (9)</b>   | w4_403_10                                   |
|                        |                       | <b>Another target group (10)</b>   | w4_407                                      |
|                        |                       | 1: Yes   |   |
|                        |                       | 2: No  |   |
| 9997: Refusal          |                       |  |   |
| 9998: Don't know       |                       |  |   |
| w4_404                 | Filter                | w4_403_01 (Target group: children and young people)<br>= 1 (Yes)   |   |
|                        | Int.                  | <i>Please read out answer categories.</i>  |   |
|                        | Question              | <b>Is it mostly:</b>   |   |
|                        |                       | 1: Small children under 6  | w4_403_02                                   |
|                        |                       | 2: School children from 6 to under 14  |   |
|                        |                       | 3: Young people from 14 upwards  |   |
| 4: Or is the age mixed |                       |  |   |
| 9997: Refusal          |                       |  |   |
| 9998: Don't know       |                       |  |   |

| Nr.  | Type of information | Interview text and notes   | Continue with     |
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| w4_405                                     | Filter              | w4_403_03 (Target group: older people)<br>= 1 (Yes)  |                   |
|  | Int.                | <i>Please read out answer categories. Only one response..</i>  |                   |
|  | Question            | <b>Do these people predominantly belong to the following age groups?</b>   |                   |
|  |                     | 1: Up to 75 years of age   | w4_406            |
|  |                     | 2: Or 75 and above   |                   |
|  |                     | 3: Or is the age mixed   |                   |
| 9997: Refusal                              |                     |  |                   |
| 9998: Don't know                           |                     |  |                   |
| w4_406                                     | Filter              | w4_403_03 (Target group: older people)<br>= 1 (Yes)  |                   |
|  | Int.                | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>   |                   |
|  | Question            | <b>Are these mostly people suffering from dementia?</b>  |                   |
|  |                     | 1: Yes   | w4_403_04         |
|  |                     | 2: No  |                   |
|  |                     | 9997: Refusal  |                   |
| 9998: Don't know                           |                     |  |                   |
| <b>Characteristics of the organisation</b> |                     |  |                   |
| w4_407                                     | Int.                | <i>Please read out answer categories.<br/>Read out the list completely. Only one response possible.<br/>Please read out if necessary: Please indicate what is most likely correct.</i> |                   |
|  | Question            | <b>In which organisational framework do you carry out your activity? Is that...</b>  |                   |
|  |                     | 1: A club  | w4_408/<br>w4_409 |
|  |                     | 2: An association  |                   |
|  |                     | 3: A trade union   |                   |
|  |                     | 4: A party   |                   |
|  |                     | 5: A church or a religious association   |                   |
|  |                     | 6: A neighbourhood help group  |                   |
|  |                     | 7: An initiative or project work   |                   |
|  |                     | 8: A self-organised group  |                   |
|  |                     | 9: A public or municipal institution   |                   |
|  |                     | 10: A private institution  |                   |
|  |                     | 11: A foundation   |                   |
|  |                     | 12: Alone, not in a group, organisation or institution   | w4_413_01         |
| 13: Other                                  |                     |  |                   |
| 9997: Refusal                              |                     |  |                   |
| 9998: Don't know                           |                     |  |                   |

| Nr.    | Type of information | Interview text and notes  | Continue with |                   |
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| w4_408 | Filter              | w4_114 (Employment status/main activity)<br>= 8 (In voluntary service)<br>AND<br>w4_407 (Organisational framework)<br>= 1 (Club)<br>= 2 (Association)<br>= 3 (Trade union)<br>= 4 (Party)<br>= 5 (Church or a religious association)<br>= 6 (Neighbourhood help group)<br>= 7 (Initiative or project work)<br>= 8 (Self-organised group)<br>= 9 (Public or municipal institution)<br>= 10 (Private institution)<br>= 11 (Foundation)  |               |                   |
|        | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>  |               |                   |
|        | <b>Question</b>     | <b>Do you carry out this activity as part of your voluntary service?</b>  |               |                   |
|        |                     | 1: Yes  |               | w4_409/<br>w4_410 |
|        |                     | 2: No   |               |                   |
|        | 9997: Refusal       |   |               |                   |
|        | 9998: Don't know    |   |               |                   |
| w4_409 | Prog.               | Fade in organisation from w4_407.   |               |                   |
|        | Filter              | w4_407 (Organisational framework)<br>= 1 (Club)<br>= 2 (Association)<br>= 4 (Party)<br>= 6 (Neighbourhood help group)<br>= 7 (Initiative or project work)<br>= 8 (Self-organised group)<br>= 9 (Public or municipal institution)<br>= 10 (Private institution)<br>= 11 (Foundation)<br><br>OR<br><br>w4_407 (Organisational framework)<br>= 5 (Church or a religious association )<br>AND<br>w4_153 (Kind of denomination or religious group)<br>= 3 (Protestant Free Church)<br>= 4 (Islamic religious association)<br>= 5 (Judaism)<br>= 6 (Christian-Orthodox Church)<br>= 7 (New Apostolic Church)<br>= 8 (Jehova's Witnesses)<br>= 9 (Buddhism)<br>= 10 (Hinduism)<br>= 11 (Other) |               |                   |

| Nr.           | Type of information | Interview text and notes  | Continue with |
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|               | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>  |               |
|               | <b>Question</b>     | <b>Are there also full-time employees in this [fade in organisational framework] with permanent contracts?</b>  |               |
|               |                     | 1: Yes  | w4_410        |
|               |                     | 2: No   |               |
|               |                     | 9997: Refusal   |               |
|               |                     | 9998: Don't know  |               |
| <b>w4_410</b> | <i>Prog.</i>        | Fade in organisation from w4_407.   |               |
|               | <i>Filter</i>       | w4_407 (Organisational framework)<br>= 1 (Club)<br>= 2 (Association)<br>= 3 (Trade union)<br>= 4 (Party)<br>= 5 (Church or a religious association)<br>= 6 (Neighbourhood help group)<br>= 7 (Initiative or project work)<br>= 8 (Self-organised group)<br>= 9 (Public or municipal institution)<br>= 10 (Private institution)<br>= 11 (Foundation) |               |
|               | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>  |               |
|               | <b>Question</b>     | <b>Is there a person in this [fade in organisational framework] who looks after the volunteers in particular?</b>   |               |
|               |                     | 1: Yes  | w4_411        |
|               |                     | 2: No   |               |
|               |                     | 9997: Refusal   |               |
|               |                     | 9998: Don't know  |               |
| <b>w4_411</b> | <i>Prog.</i>        | Fade in organisation from w4_407.   |               |
|               | <i>Filter</i>       | w4_407 (Organisational framework)<br>= 1 (Club)<br>= 2 (Association)<br>= 3 (Trade union)<br>= 4 (Party)<br>= 5 (Church or a religious association)<br>= 6 (Neighbourhood help group)<br>= 7 (Initiative or project work)<br>= 8 (Self-organised group)<br>= 9 (Public or municipal institution)<br>= 10 (Private institution)<br>= 11 (Foundation) |               |
|               | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please read out answer categories.</i>   |               |
|               | <b>Question</b>     | <b>How would you rate your consultation and decision-making options in this [fade in organisational framework]?</b>   |               |
|               |                     | 1: Very good  | w4_412        |
|               |                     | 2: Rather good  |               |
|               |                     | 3: Partly   |               |
|               |                     | 4: Rather poor  |               |
|               |                     | 5: Very poor  |               |
|               |                     | 9997: Refusal   |               |
|               |                     | 9998: Don't know  |               |

| Nr.                                  | Type of information   | Interview text and notes  | Continue with |
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| w4_412                               | Prog.                 | Fade in organisation from w4_407.   |               |
|                                      | Filter                | w4_407 (Organisational framework)<br>= 1 (Club)<br>= 2 (Association)<br>= 3 (Trade union)<br>= 4 (Party)<br>= 5 (Church or a religious association)<br>= 6 (Neighbourhood help group)<br>= 7 (Initiative or project work)<br>= 8 (Self-organised group)<br>= 9 (Public or municipal institution)<br>= 10 (Private institution)<br>= 11 (Foundation) |               |
|                                      | Int.                  | <i>Please read out answer categories.</i>   |               |
|                                      | Question              | <b>If you think of the people you <u>mainly</u> deal with in this [fade in organisation]: are they <u>mostly</u> people with an immigrant background or not?</b>  |               |
|                                      |                       | 1: Mostly people <u>with</u> an immigrant background  | w4_413_01     |
|                                      |                       | 2: In equal amounts   |               |
|                                      |                       | 3: Mostly people <u>with no</u> immigrant background  |               |
|                                      |                       | 9997: Refusal   |               |
|                                      |                       | 9998: Don't know  |               |
| <b>Outline of voluntary activity</b> |                       |   |               |
| w4_413_01 to w4_413_12               | Prog.                 | <i>Voluntary activity from w4_307 (all three open responses), if number of voluntary activities is at least 1 or fade in w4_m_203o, w4_m_204o, w4_m_205o, if number of voluntary activities is 1.</i>   |               |
|                                      | Int.                  | <i>If necessary, read out categories. Multiple responses possible. The formulation in the insertion of the activity may be changed. If necessary, read out from second passage: „Is it mostly...“</i>   |               |
|                                      | Question & Items 1–12 | <b>What is the <u>main</u> content of your own activity [fade in voluntary activity]: Is it <u>mostly</u>...</b>  |               |
|                                      |                       | <b>Personal assistance (1)</b>  | w4_413_02     |
|                                      |                       | <b>Organising and carrying out aid projects (2)</b>   | w4_413_03     |
|                                      |                       | <b>Organising and carrying out meetings or events (3)</b>   | w4_413_04     |
|                                      |                       | <b>Advice (4)</b>   | w4_413_05     |
|                                      |                       | <b>Educational support or directing a group (5)</b>   | w4_413_06     |
|                                      |                       | <b>Protection of interests and to participate (6)</b>   | w4_413_07     |
|                                      |                       | <b>Information and PR activity (7)</b>  | w4_413_08     |
|                                      |                       | <b>Management or administrative activities (8)</b>  | w4_413_09     |
|                                      |                       | <b>Practical work that has to be done (9)</b>   | w4_413_10     |
|                                      |                       | <b>Networking (10)</b>  | w4_413_11     |
|                                      |                       | <b>Fundraising (11)</b>   | w4_413_12     |
|                                      |                       | <b>Something else (12)</b>  | w4_414        |
|                                      |                       | 1: Yes  | w4_414        |
|                                      | 2: No                 |   |               |
|                                      | 9997: Refusal         |   |               |
|                                      | 9998: Don't know      |   |               |

| Nr.                                  | Type of information  | Interview text and notes  | Continue with |
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| w4_414                               | Int.   | <p>Please do not read out answer categories</p> <p>Please read out if necessary:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- infas guarantees that all the information you provide will be treated with the strictest confidence and will remain anonymous without any connection to names and telephone numbers.</li> <li>- No one will find out which persons took part in the survey.</li> <li>- infas and the German Centre of Gerontology (Deutsches Zentrum für Altersfragen) strictly comply with the statutory data protection provisions.</li> </ul> <p>There is a range of ways to be active on a voluntary basis. This can cause that some questions don't completely correspond to your situation. Please understand that nevertheless it's necessary to ask these questions for reasons of comparability.</p> |               |
|                                      |  | <p><b>Question</b></p> <p><b>Do you have a management or board position?</b></p>  |               |
|                                      | 1: Yes   | w4_415  |               |
|                                      | 2: No  |   |               |
|                                      | 9997: Refusal  |   |               |
|                                      |  | 9998: Don't know  |               |
| <b>Gaining and sharing knowledge</b> |  |   |               |
| w4_415                               | Int.   | <p>Please do not read out answer categories.</p> <p>Please read out if necessary:</p> <p>There is a range of ways to be active on a voluntary basis. This can cause that some questions don't completely correspond to your situation. Please understand that nevertheless it's necessary to ask these questions for reasons of comparability.</p>  |               |
|                                      |  | <p><b>Question</b></p> <p><b>Is specific training or further training required to carry out the activity?</b></p>   |               |
|                                      | 1: Yes   | w4_416_1  |               |
|                                      | 2: No  |   |               |
|                                      | 9997: Refusal  |   |               |
|                                      |  | 9998: Don't know  |               |
| w4_416_1 to w4_416_3                 | Int.   | <p>Please read out if necessary:</p> <p>There is a range of ways to be active on a voluntary basis. This can cause that some questions don't completely correspond to your situation. Please understand that nevertheless it's necessary to ask these questions for reasons of comparability.</p>   |               |
|                                      |  | <p><b>Question &amp; Items 1-3</b></p> <p><b>Have you, in the course of your activity, acquired the following skills or knowledge?</b></p>  |               |
|                                      | <b>Specialist knowledge (1)</b>  | w4_416_2/<br>w4_418   |               |
|                                      | <b>Social skills, e. g. ability to work in a team, to be a good listener (2)</b> | w4_416_3/<br>w4_418   |               |
|                                      | <b>Personal skills, e. g. independence, time management, work techniques (3)</b> | w4_417_1/<br>w4_418   |               |
|                                      | 1: Yes   |   |               |
|                                      | 2: No  |   |               |
|                                      | 9997: Refusal  |   |               |
|                                      |  | 9998: Don't know  |               |

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| w4_417_1<br>to<br>w4_417_3 | Filter                          | w4_416_1 (Acquisition of knowledge: specialist knowledge)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>OR<br>w4_416_2 (Acquisition of knowledge: social skills)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>OR<br>w4_416_3 (Acquisition of knowledge: personal skills)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>[reference to filtering: Only answer categories that match to the respondents situation are mentioned. The item-specific filter are documented in front of the corresponding answer categories.] |                     |
|                            | Prog.                           | Alternative wording of the question in square brackets [areas], if several items are read out.   |                     |
|                            | <b>Question &amp; Items 1-3</b> | <b>Are these skills and knowledge useful in the following area[areas]?</b>   |                     |
|                            | Filter item 1                   | w4_114 (Employment status/main activity)<br>= 3 (Pupil, apprentice, university student)  |                     |
|                            | <b>Item 1</b>                   | <b>In school, training or study (1)</b>  | w4_418              |
|                            | Filter item 2                   | w4_114 (Employment status/main activity)<br>= 2 (Registered unemployed)<br>= 4 (Maternity/Parental leave)<br>= 9 (In retraining/further training)<br>OR<br>w4_114 (Employment status/main activity)<br>= 1 (Employed)<br>AND<br>w4_118 (Duration of employment status)<br>= 9996 (Less than 1 year)  |                     |
|                            | <b>Item 2</b>                   | <b>When getting back into the world of work (2)</b>  | w4_417_3/<br>w4_418 |
|                            | Filter item 3                   | w4_114 (Employment status/main activity)<br>= 1 (Employed)   |                     |
|                            | <b>Item 3</b>                   | <b>In professional activity (3)</b>  | w4_418              |
|                            |                                 | 1: Yes<br>2: No<br>9996: Doesn't apply<br>9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know  |                     |
| w4_418                     | Prog.                           | Number of voluntary activities: at least 1 voluntary activity: fade in voluntary activity from w4_307;<br>Number of voluntary activities: 1 voluntary activity: fade in voluntary activity from w4_m_203o, w4_m_204o, w4_m_205o  |                     |
|                            | <i>Int.</i>                     | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.<br/>The formulation in the insertion of the activity may be changed.</i>  |                     |
|                            | <b>Question</b>                 | <b>Do you use the Internet for your activity [fade in voluntary activity]?</b>   |                     |
|                            |                                 | 1: Yes   | w4_419              |
|                            |                                 | 2: No  | w4_421              |
|                            |                                 | 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know  |                     |

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| w4_419  | Filter              | w4_418 (Use of the Internet for voluntary activity)<br>= 1 (Yes)   |                          |
|   | Int.                | <i>Please do not read out answer categories</i>  |                          |
|   | Question            | <b>Do you use social networks, or are you involved in blogs, in forums or in wikis for this activity?</b>  |                          |
|   |                     | 1: Yes   | w4_420                   |
|   |                     | 2: No  |                          |
| 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know                             |                     |  |                          |
| w4_420  | Filter              | w4_418 (Use of the Internet for voluntary activity)<br>= 1 (Yes)   |                          |
|   | Int.                | <i>Please read out answer categories if necessary.</i>   |                          |
|   | Question            | <b>Does your activity take place exclusively or predominantly or only partially on the Internet?</b>   |                          |
|   |                     | 1: Exclusively   | w4_421                   |
|   |                     | 2: Predominantly   |                          |
|   |                     | 3: Only partially  |                          |
| 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know                             |                     |  |                          |
| w4_421  | Int.                | Please read out answer categories  |                          |
|   | Question            | <b>Have you, in connection with your voluntary activity, ever taken part in courses or seminars for further training?</b>  |                          |
|   |                     | 1: Yes, once   | w4_422/<br>w4_424        |
|   |                     | 2: Yes, several times  |                          |
|   |                     | 3: No<br>9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know   |                          |
|   |                     | <b>Time frame</b>  |                          |
| w4_422  | Filter              | w4_anz_eng (Number of voluntary activities)<br>≥ 2 (At least 2 voluntary activities)   |                          |
|   | Prog.               | Number of voluntary activities: at least 1 voluntary activity: fade in voluntary activity from w4_307;<br>Number of voluntary activities: 1 voluntary activity: fade in voluntary activity from w4_m_203o, w4_m_204o, w4_m_205o  |                          |
|   | Int.                | <i>Please read out answer categories. If the target says that he/she has been doing the activity for less than 12 months, please read out: Please refer in your answer to the period since when you have been doing this.<br/>The formulation in the insertion of the activity may be changed.</i> |                          |
|   | Question            | <b>If you think of the last 12 months: how often did you carry out this activity [fade in voluntary activity]?</b>   |                          |
|   |                     | 1: Daily   | w4_423_a_1<br>w4_423_a_2 |
|   |                     | 2: Several times a week  | w4_423_b_1               |
|   |                     | 3: Once a week   | w4_423_b_2               |
|   |                     | 4: Several times a month   | w4_423_c_1               |
|   |                     | 5: Once a month  | w4_423_c_2               |
|   |                     | 6: More rarely   | w4_423_d_1               |
| 9996: Entirely irregular<br>9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know |                     | w4_423_d_2   |                          |

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| w4_423_a_1<br>w4_423_a_2          | Filter              | w4_422 (Frequency exercise voluntary activity)<br>= 1 (Daily)  |               |
|                                   | Int.                | <i>Please enter what the target person says.<br/>Example 90 minutes: Enter 90 in the field minutes.<br/>Please convert decimal numbers.<br/>Example: 1,5 hours: Enter 1 in the field hours and 30 in the field minutes.<br/>Please fill both fields.</i> |               |
|                                   | Question            | <b>If you think of the last 12 months: how many <u>hours per day</u> have you spent on it in this time?</b>  |               |
|                                   |                     | (0 to 24] hours a day  | w4_424        |
|                                   |                     | [0 to 1440] minutes a day  |               |
| 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know |                     |  |               |
| w4_423_b_1<br>w4_423_b_2          | Filter              | w4_422 (Frequency exercise voluntary activity)<br>= 2 (Several times a week)<br>= 3 (Once a week)  |               |
|                                   | Int.                | <i>Please enter what the target person says.<br/>Example 90 minutes: Enter 90 in the field minutes.<br/>Please convert decimal numbers.<br/>Example: 1,5 hours: Enter 1 in the field hours and 30 in the field minutes.<br/>Please fill both fields.</i> |               |
|                                   | Question            | <b>If you think of the last 12 months: how many <u>hours a week</u> have you spent on it in this time?</b>   |               |
|                                   |                     | [0 to 168] hours a week  | w4_424        |
|                                   |                     | [0 to 1440] minutes a week   |               |
| 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know |                     |  |               |
| w4_423_c_1<br>w4_423_c_2          | Filter              | w4_422 (Frequency exercise voluntary activity)<br>= 4 (Several times a month)<br>= 5 (Once a month)  |               |
|                                   | Int.                | <i>Please enter what the target person says.<br/>Example 90 minutes: Enter 90 in the field minutes.<br/>Please convert decimal numbers.<br/>Example: 1,5 hours: Enter 1 in the field hours and 30 in the field minutes.<br/>Please fill both fields.</i> |               |
|                                   | Question            | <b>If you think of the last 12 months: how many <u>hours per month</u> have you spent on it in this time?</b>  |               |
|                                   |                     | [0 to 744] hours a month   | w4_424        |
|                                   |                     | [0 to 1440] minutes a month  |               |
| 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know |                     |  |               |

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| w4_423_d_1<br>w4_423_d_2          | Filter              | w4_422 (Frequency exercise voluntary activity)<br>= 6 (More rarely)<br>= 9996 (Entirely irregular)<br>= 9997 (Refusal)<br>= 9998 (Don't know)  |               |
|                                   | Int.                | <i>Please enter what the target person says.<br/>Example 90 minutes: Enter 90 in the field minutes.<br/>Please convert decimal numbers.<br/>Example: 1,5 hours: Enter 1 in the field hours and 30 in the field minutes.<br/>Please fill both fields.</i> |               |
|                                   | Question            | <b>If you think of the last 12 months: how many <u>hours</u> have you spent on it <u>in this time</u>?</b>   |               |
|                                   |                     | [0 to 8760] hours a year   | w4_424        |
| [0 to 1440] minutes a year        |                     |  |               |
| 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know |                     |  |               |
| w4_424                            | Int.                | <i>Please do not read out answer categories</i>  |               |
|                                   | Question            | <b>Is your activity time-limited?</b>  |               |
|                                   |                     | 1: Yes   | w4_425        |
|                                   |                     | 2: No  |               |
| 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know |                     |  |               |
| <b>Costs and reimbursement</b>    |                     |  |               |
| w4_425                            | Int.                | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>   |               |
|                                   | Question            | <b>Do you have costs because of your activity, e.g. travel or material costs? Do not include membership fees and donations.</b>  |               |
|                                   |                     | 1: Yes   | w4_426        |
|                                   |                     | 2: No  | w4_428        |
|                                   |                     | 9997: Refusal  |               |
| 9998: Don't know                  |                     |  |               |
| w4_426                            | Filter              | w4_425 (Costs because of voluntary activity)<br>= 1 (Yes)  |               |
|                                   | Int.                | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>   |               |
|                                   | Question            | <b>Is there in principle the option for you to have these expenses refunded?</b>   |               |
|                                   |                     | 1: Yes   | w4_427        |
|                                   |                     | 2: Partly  |               |
|                                   |                     | 3: No  | w4_428        |
| 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know |                     |  |               |
| w4_427                            | Filter              | w4_426 (Possibility of reimbursement:)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>= 2 (Partly)  |               |
|                                   | Int.                | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>   |               |
|                                   | Question            | <b>Do you as a rule make use of a reimbursement of costs?</b>  |               |
|                                   |                     | 1: Yes   | w4_428        |
|                                   |                     | 2: No  |               |
| 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know |                     |  |               |

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|        |                     | <b>Payments and content-related proximity to gainful employment</b>  |                  |
| w4_428 | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>   |                  |
|        | <b>Question</b>     | <b>Regardless of any possible reimbursement: Have you personally in the last 12 months received money for your voluntary activity?</b>   |                  |
|        |                     | 1: Yes   | w4_429           |
|        |                     | 2: No  | w4_433           |
|        |                     | 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know  |                  |
| w4_429 | Filter              | w4_428 (Money for voluntary activity) = 1 (Yes)  |                  |
|        | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>   |                  |
|        | <b>Question</b>     | <b>If you think of the last 12 months: How much money have you received in the last 12 months on average per month: Up to and including 150 Euro or over 150 Euro?</b>                     |                  |
|        |                     | 1: Up to and including 150 Euro  | w4_430           |
|        |                     | 2: Over 150 Euro   | w4_431           |
|        |                     | 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know  | w4_433           |
| w4_430 | Filter              | w4_429 (Money for voluntary activity: limit 150 Euro) = 1 (Up to and including 150 Euro)   |                  |
|        | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>   |                  |
|        | <b>Question</b>     | <b>Can I check? Was it up to and including 50 Euro or over 50 Euro?</b>  |                  |
|        |                     | 1: Up to and including 50 Euro   | w4_433           |
|        |                     | 2: Over 50 Euro<br>9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know   |                  |
| w4_431 | Filter              | w4_429 (Money for voluntary activity: limit 150 Euro) = 2 (Over 150 Euro)  |                  |
|        | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>   |                  |
|        | <b>Question</b>     | <b>Can I check? Was it up to and including 350 Euro or over 350 Euro?</b>  |                  |
|        |                     | 1: Up to and including 350 Euro  | w4_433           |
|        |                     | 2: Over 350 Euro<br>9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know  | w4_432<br>w4_433 |
| w4_432 | Filter              | w4_431 (Money for voluntary activity: limit 350 Euro) = 2 (Over 350 Euro)  |                  |
|        | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>   |                  |
|        | <b>Question</b>     | <b>Was it up to and including 500 Euro or over 500 Euro?</b>   |                  |
|        |                     | 1: Up to and including 500 Euro  | w4_433           |
|        |                     | 2: Over 500 Euro<br>9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know  |                  |
| w4_433 | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>   |                  |
|        | <b>Question</b>     | <b>If you think of the last 12 months: have you received any kind of payments in kind as part of for your activity, e. g. tickets of travel or free private use of rooms or equipment?</b> |                  |
|        |                     | 1: Yes   | w4_434           |
|        |                     | 2: No<br>9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know   |                  |

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| w4_434   | Prog.               | Number of voluntary activities: at least 2 voluntary activities: fade in voluntary activity from w4_307;<br>Number of voluntary activities: 1 voluntary activity: fade in voluntary activity from w4_m_203o, w4_m_204o, w4_m_205o  |  |
|  | Int.                | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.<br/>The formulation in the insertion of the activity may be changed.</i>  |  |
|  | Question            | <b>Were you personally interested in carrying out this activity [fade in voluntary activity] professionally?</b>   |  |
|  |                     | 1: Yes   | w4_435/  |
|  |                     | 2: No  | w4_436   |
| 9997: Refusal  |                     |  |  |
|  | 9998: Don't know    |  |  |
| w4_435   | Filter              | w4_114 (Employment status/main activity)<br>= 1 (Employed)<br>= 2 (Registered unemployed)<br>= 4 (Maternity/Parental leave)<br>= 5 (Housewife, house husband)<br>= 6 (Retired)<br>= 7 (In voluntary military service)<br>= 8 (In voluntary service)<br>= 9 (In retraining/further training)<br>= 10 (Not employed for other reasons)<br><br>AND<br>w4_135 (Employed in the past)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>= 9997 (Refusal)<br>= 9998 (Don't know) |  |
|  |                     | Int.   | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.<br/>Please select „Doesn't apply“ if the target person never was employed.<br/>Please read out if necessary:<br/>-There is a range of ways to be active on a voluntary basis. This can cause that some questions don't completely correspond to your situation. Please understand that nevertheless it's necessary to ask these questions for reasons of comparability.</i> |
|  | Question            | <b>Is this activity, from its content, related to a professional activity, which you carry out or used to carry out previously?</b>  |  |
|  |                     | 1: Yes   | w4_436_1   |
|  |                     | 2: No  | to   |
| 9996: Doesn't apply (e. g. person, who was never employed) |                     | w4_436_5   |  |
|  | 9997: Refusal       |  |  |
|  | 9998: Don't know    |  |  |

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|                            |                                 | <b>Start of voluntary activity</b>   |   |  |
| w4_436_1<br>to<br>w4_436_5 | Prog.                           | Number of voluntary activities: at least 2 voluntary activity: fade in voluntary activity from w4_307;<br>Number of voluntary activities: 1 voluntary activity: fade in voluntary activity from w4_m_203o, w4_m_204o, w4_m_205o<br>Rotating items. |   |  |
|                            | Int.                            | <i>Please read out answer categories.<br/>Please read out if necessary: Does this statement fully apply, does it partially apply, partly, applies less or doesn't apply at all?</i>  |   |  |
|                            | <b>Question &amp; Items 1-5</b> | <b>I will now read you out a few statements on your activity [fade in voluntary activity]. Please tell me in each case to what extent the statements apply to your personal reasons for volunteering.</b>  |   |  |
|                            |                                 |  | <b>My activity makes me feel better. (1)</b>                                    | Additional items<br>w4_436<br>(rotating) |
|                            |                                 |  | <b>My circle of acquaintances share the same interest in this activity. (2)</b> | Additional items<br>w4_436<br>(rotating) |
|                            |                                 |  | <b>People close to me attach great importance to this activity. (3)</b>         | Additional items<br>w4_436<br>(rotating) |
|                            |                                 |  | <b>The activity allows me to learn things through practical experience. (4)</b> | Additional items<br>w4_436<br>(rotating) |
|                            |                                 |  | <b>Through my activity I can find out what my strengths are. (5)</b>            | Additional items<br>w4_436<br>(rotating) |
|                            |                                 |  | 1: Fully applies  | w4_437_a/<br>w4_437_b                    |
|                            |                                 |  | 2: Partially applies  |  |
|                            | 3: Partly                       |  |   |  |
|                            | 4: Applies less                 |  |   |  |
|                            | 5: Doesn't apply at all         |  |   |  |
|                            | 9997: Refusal                   |  |   |  |
|                            | 9998: Don't know                |  |   |  |

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| w4_437_a<br>w4_437_b       | Int.                | Select answer 9996 „Less than 1 year“ if the response is less than 1 year.                      |   |          |
|                            | Question            | <b>How many years have you been doing this activity?</b>  |   |          |
|                            |                     | Since the year [1900 to 2014]<br>OR<br>[1 to 114] years   | w4_438_1  |          |
|                            |                     | 9996: Less than 1 year  |   |          |
|                            |                     | 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know   |   |          |
| w4_438_1<br>to<br>w4_438_9 | Int.                | If necessary, read out categories. Multiple responses possible.                                 |   |          |
|                            | Filter              | Item 6:<br>w4_144 (Military service/volunteer service)<br>= 3 (Yes, civilian/community service) |   |          |
|                            |                     | Item 7:<br>w4_114 (Employment status/main activity)<br>= 8 (In voluntary service)               |   |          |
|                            |                     | OR<br>w4_146 (Voluntary service)<br>= 1 (Yes)   |   |          |
|                            |                     | Item 9:<br>w4_114 (Employment status/main activity)<br>= 1 (Employed)                           |   |          |
|                            |                     | OR<br>w4_135 (Employed in the past)<br>= 1 (Yes)  |   |          |
|                            |                     | Question<br>&<br>Items<br>1–9   | <b>Where did the impetus come from for you to take on this activity? I will read you out a few possibilities. Please tell me in each case if the statement applies or not.<br/>The impetus came from...</b> |          |
|                            |                     |   | <b>Managing persons from the group or organisation, e. g. a club in which you are active (1)</b>  | w4_438_2 |
|                            |                     |   | <b>Family members, friends or acquaintances who were already active there (2)</b>   | w4_438_3 |
|                            |                     |   | <b>An information and contact point (3)</b>   | w4_438_4 |
|                            |                     |   | <b>References from the media or the Internet (4)</b>  | w4_438_5 |
|                            |                     |   | <b>Experiences in the family (5)</b>  | w4_438_6 |
|                            |                     |   | <b>Your activity during civilian service (6)</b>  | w4_438_7 |
|                            |                     |   | <b>Your activity during voluntary service (7)</b>   | w4_438_8 |
|                            |                     |   | <b>Your school, college or training (8)</b>   | w4_438_9 |
| <b>Your employer (9)</b>   | w4_439              |   |   |          |
| 1: Yes, applies            |                     |   |   |          |
| 2: No, does not apply      |                     |   |   |          |
| 9997: Refusal              |                     |   |   |          |
| 9998: Don't know           |                     |   |   |          |

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| w4_439 | <i>Int.</i>                     | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>  |                            |
|        | <b>Question</b>                 | <b>Did the initiative come from you or were you asked if you wanted to take on the duties?</b>  |                            |
|        |                                 | 1: Own initiative   | w4_440                     |
|        |                                 | 2: Has been asked   |                            |
|        |                                 | 9997: Refusal   |                            |
|        |                                 | 9998: Don't know  |                            |
|        |                                 | <b>Regulatory framework</b>   |                            |
| w4_440 | Filter                          | w4_114 (Employment status/main activity)<br>= 1 (Employed)<br><br>AND<br>w4_136 (Professional position)<br>= 1 (Blue-collar worker)<br>= 2 (White-collar worker)<br>= 3 (Civil servant) |                            |
|        | <i>Int.</i>                     | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>  |                            |
|        | <b>Question</b>                 | <b>And now also a question about your employer. Does the latter support you in your voluntary activity, e.g. through working hours or making rooms available?</b>                       |                            |
|        |                                 | 1: Yes  | w4_442_1<br>to<br>w4_442_7 |
|        |                                 | 2: No   | w4_441                     |
|        |                                 | 9996: Doesn't apply   | w4_442_1                   |
|        |                                 | 9997: Refusal   | to<br>w4_442_7             |
|        | 9998: Don't know                | w4_442_7  |                            |
| w4_441 | Filter                          | w4_440 (Support employer)<br>= 2 (No)   |                            |
|        | <i>Int.</i>                     | <i>Please do not read out answer categories</i>   |                            |
|        | <b>Question &amp; Items 1-4</b> | <b>Would you like your employer to support you in your voluntary activity?</b>  |                            |
|        |                                 | 1: Yes  | w4_442_1                   |
|        |                                 | 2: No   | to                         |
|        |                                 | 9997: Refusal   | w4_442_7                   |
|        | 9998: Don't know                |   |                            |

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| w4_442_1<br>to<br>w4_442_7 | Prog.                 | Rotating items.   |   |  |
|                            | Int.                  | Please read out answer categories.  |   |  |
|                            | Question & Items 1-7  | <b>There is a lot of discussion about which measures could be used to promote or support voluntary activity. First to the question, what the <u>organisation</u> themselves could do. If you think of your own activity, in which of the following points would you say: improvements would be important?</b> |   |  |
|                            |                       |   | <b>In the specialist support of the activity (1)</b>  | Additional items<br>w4_442<br>(rotating) |
|                            |                       |   | <b>In the options for further education (2)</b>   | Additional items<br>w4_442<br>(rotating) |
|                            |                       |   | <b>In the recognition of the activity by full-time staff in the organisation (3)</b>            | Additional items<br>w4_442<br>(rotating) |
|                            |                       |   | <b>In the financial remuneration for the work done (4)</b>                                      | Additional items<br>w4_442<br>(rotating) |
|                            |                       |   | <b>With an non-bureaucratic cost reimbursement (5)</b>  | Additional items<br>w4_442<br>(rotating) |
|                            |                       |   | <b>In the recognition of the activity in the form of reports, identity cards or similar (6)</b> | Additional items<br>w4_442<br>(rotating) |
|                            |                       |   | <b>In the provision of suitable rooms and equipment for the project and group work (7)</b>      | Additional items<br>w4_442<br>(rotating) |
|                            |                       | 1: Yes, applies   | w4_443_1<br>to<br>w4_443_7  |  |
|                            | 2: No, does not apply |   |   |  |
|                            | 9997: Refusal         |   |   |  |
|                            | 9998: Don't know      |   |   |  |

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| w4_443_1<br>to<br>w4_443_7 | Prog.                | Rotating items.   |  |                                    |
|                            | Int.                 | <i>Please read out answer categories.</i>                               |  |                                    |
|                            | Question & Items 1-7 |   | <b>ther suggestions for promoting voluntary activity are aimed at the <u>state and the public</u>. Please think of your own activity and your personal situation. In which of the following points would you say: improvements would be important?</b> |                                    |
|                            |                      |   | <b>In the safeguarding through third-party liability and accident insurance (1)</b>  | Additional items w4_443 (rotating) |
|                            |                      |   | <b>In the tax deduction of costs (2)</b>   | Additional items w4_443 (rotating) |
|                            |                      |   | <b>In the tax exemption of expense allowances (3)</b>  | Additional items w4_443 (rotating) |
|                            |                      |   | <b>In the recognition of voluntary activity as a professional internship or as further professional training (4)</b>   | Additional items w4_443 (rotating) |
|                            |                      |   | <b>In the form of public recognition like honouring and similar (5)</b>  | Additional items w4_443 (rotating) |
|                            |                      |   | <b>In better information and advice on opportunities for voluntary activity (6)</b>  | Additional items w4_443 (rotating) |
|                            |                      |   | <b>In the reconciliation with the profession (7)</b>   | Additional items w4_443 (rotating) |
|                            |                      |   | 1: Yes, applies<br>2: No, does not apply<br>9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know  | w4_601                             |
|                            |                      |   |  |                                    |
|                            |                      | <b>Earlier volunteering</b>   |  |                                    |
| w4_501                     | Filter               | w4_anz_eng (Number of voluntary activities) = 0 (No voluntary activity) |  |                                    |
|                            | Int.                 | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>                        |  |                                    |
|                            | Question             |   | <b>Did you volunteer in the past and did voluntary duties or work?</b>   |                                    |
|                            |                      |   | 1: Yes   | w4_502                             |
|                            |                      |   | 2: No  | w4_504_1 to w4_504_8               |
|                            |                      |   | 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know  | w4_505                             |

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| w4_502               | Filter   | w4_501 (Earlier volunteering)<br>= 1 (Yes)   |                                    |                                    |
|                      | Prog.  | Check: information can't be higher than the age of the target person from w4_alter or w4_altersgr.   |                                    |                                    |
|                      | Question   | <b>If you think back: How old were you when you first took on a voluntary activity?</b>  |                                    |                                    |
|                      |  | [1 to 114] years old   | w4_503_1 to w4_503_8               |                                    |
|                      |  | 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know  |                                    |                                    |
|                      |  | <b>Reasons for ending</b>  |                                    |                                    |
| w4_503_1 to w4_503_8 | Filter   | w4_501 (Earlier volunteering)<br>= 1 (Yes)   |                                    |                                    |
|                      | Prog.  | Rotating items.  |                                    |                                    |
|                      | Int.   | <i>If necessary, please read out all categories.</i><br><br><i>Please read out if necessary:</i><br><i>There is a range of possible reasons why a voluntary activity has ended. This can cause that some questions don't completely correspond to your situation. Please understand that nevertheless it's necessary to ask these questions for reasons of comparability.</i><br><i>Multiple responses possible.</i> |                                    |                                    |
|                      | Question & Items 1-8                               | <b>Why did you end your work back then?</b>  |                                    |                                    |
|                      |  | <b>It took up too much time. (1)</b>   |                                    | Additional items w4_503 (rotating) |
|                      |  | <b>For health reasons. (2)</b>   |                                    | Additional items w4_503 (rotating) |
|                      |  | <b>For family reasons. (3)</b>   |                                    | Additional items w4_503 (rotating) |
|                      |  | <b>For professional reasons. (4)</b>   |                                    | Additional items w4_503 (rotating) |
|                      |  | <b>There were problems within the group. (5)</b>   |                                    | Additional items w4_503 (rotating) |
|                      | <b>There was a time limit on the activity. (6)</b> |  | Additional items w4_503 (rotating) |                                    |

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|                             |  | <b>I didn't want to have obligations anymore. (7)</b>   | Additional items<br>w4_503<br>(rotating) |
|                             |  | <b>There was an age limit that I reached. (8)</b>   | Additional items<br>w4_503<br>(rotating) |
|                             |  | 1: Yes, applies   | w4_505                                   |
|                             |  | 2: No, does not apply   |  |
|                             |  | 9997: Refusal   |  |
|                             |  | 9998: Don't know  |  |
|                             |  | <b>Impediments or non-volunteering</b>  |  |
| <b>w4_504_1 to w4_504_8</b> | Filter   | w4_501 (Earlier volunteering)<br>= 2 (No)   |  |
|                             | Prog.  | Rotating items.   |  |
|                             | Int.   | <i>If necessary, read out all answer categories.</i>  |  |
|                             |  | <i>Multiple responses possible.</i>   |  |
|                             | <b>Question &amp; Items 1-8</b>  | <b>There are many reasons why people don't do voluntary activities. I will read out a few reasons. Please tell me in each case if this reason applies to you or not. Is that in your case ...</b> |  |
|                             |  | <b>For reasons of time? (1)</b>   | Additional items<br>w4_504<br>(rotating) |
|                             |  | <b>For health reasons? (2)</b>  | Additional items<br>w4_504<br>(rotating) |
|                             |  | <b>For family reasons? (3)</b>  | Additional items<br>w4_504<br>(rotating) |
|                             |  | <b>For professional reasons? (4)</b>  | Additional items<br>w4_504<br>(rotating) |
|                             |  | <b>Because you don't feel appropriate for it? (5)</b>   | Additional items<br>w4_504<br>(rotating) |
|                             | <b>Because others, e. g. the organisation or group rejected you? (6)</b> | Additional items<br>w4_504<br>(rotating)  |  |
|                             | <b>Because you don't want to take on any commitments? (7)</b>            | Additional items<br>w4_504<br>(rotating)  |  |

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|   |                     | <b>Because you don't know, where you can turn to for it? (8)</b>   | Additional items<br>w4_504<br>(rotating) |
|   |                     | 1: Yes, applies  | w4_505                                   |
|   |                     | 2: No, does not apply  |  |
|   |                     | 9997: Refusal  |  |
|   |                     | 9998: Don't know   |  |
| <b>Potential volunteering in the future</b> |                     |  |  |
| <b>w4_505</b>                               | Filter              | w4_anz_eng (Number of voluntary activities)<br>= 0 (No voluntary activity)   |  |
|   | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>   |  |
|   | <b>Question</b>     | <b>Would you be willing e. g. to volunteer in the future and take on duties on a voluntary basis? Would you say: "Yes, certainly", "Yes, maybe" or "No"?</b> |  |
|   |                     | 1: Yes, certainly  | w4_506                                   |
|   |                     | 2: Yes, maybe  | w4_601                                   |
|   |                     | 3: No  |  |
|   |                     | 9997: Refusal  |  |
|   |                     | 9998: Don't know   |  |
| <b>w4_506</b>                               | Filter              | w4_505 (Willing to volunteer in the future)<br>= 1 (Yes, certainly)  |  |
|   | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>   |  |
|   | <b>Question</b>     | <b>Have you already got specific ideas about which area you would volunteer in?</b>  |  |
|   |                     | 1: Yes   | w4_507_01                                |
|   |                     | 2: No  | w4_601                                   |
|   |                     | 9997: Refusal  |  |
|   |                     | 9998: Don't know   |  |

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| w4_507_01 to w4_507_14   | Filter                           | w4_506 (Specific ideas about area)<br>= 1 (Yes)   |  |
|  | <i>Int.</i>                      | <b>Of which area or which areas are you thinking of there?</b>  |  |
|  | <b>Question &amp; Items 1–14</b> | <b>Of the area of sport and exercise (1)</b>  | w4_507_02  |
|  |                                  | <b>Of the area of culture and music (2)</b>   | w4_507_03  |
|  |                                  | <b>Of the area of leisure and social interaction (3)</b>  | w4_507_04  |
|  |                                  | <b>Of the social area (4)</b>   | w4_507_05  |
|  |                                  | <b>Of the health area (5)</b>   | w4_507_06  |
|  |                                  | <b>Of the school or nursery area (6)</b>  | w4_507_07  |
|  |                                  | <b>Of youth work outside school or adult education (7)</b>  | w4_507_08  |
|  |                                  | <b>Of the area of the environment, nature protection or animal rights (8)</b>   | w4_507_09  |
|  |                                  | <b>Of the area of politics and political interest groups (9)</b>  | w4_507_10  |
|  |                                  | <b>Of the area of professional interest groups outside work (10)</b>  | w4_507_11  |
|  |                                  | <b>Of the church or religious area (11)</b>   | w4_507_12  |
|  |                                  | <b>Of the area of justice and criminality (12)</b>  | w4_507_13  |
|  |                                  | <b>Of the accident or ambulance service or in the voluntary fire brigade (13)</b>   | w4_507_14  |
|  |                                  | <b>Of an area not yet mentioned (14)</b>  | Transition to further questions for all respondents, from w4_601 |
|  | 1: Yes                           |   |  |
|  | 2: No                            |   |  |
|  | 9997: Refusal                    |   |  |
|  | 9998: Don't know                 |   |  |
|  |                                  | <b>Child care</b>   |  |
| Transition to further questions for all respondents, from w4_601 | Prog.                            | Alternative wording of the question for respondents who do not volunteer and respondents who volunteer [in square brackets].  |  |
|  | <b>Text</b>                      | <b>[We talked about your current voluntary activity in detail.] I would now like to ask you about any other duties and work you do privately and without any payment.</b> | w4_601   |
| w4_601   | <i>Int.</i>                      | <i>Please read out answer categories.</i>   |  |
|  | <b>Question</b>                  | <b>Do you care for or look after children, who are not your own, e. g. children of relatives, neighbours, friends or acquaintances?</b>                                   |  |
|  |                                  | 1: Yes, one child   | w4_602_b   |
|  |                                  | 2: Yes, several children  | w4_602_a_1   |
|  |                                  | 3: No   | w4_605   |
|  |                                  | 9997: Refusal   |  |
| 9998: Don't know   |                                  |   |  |

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| w4_602_a_1<br>to<br>w4_602_a_4        | Filter              | w4_601 (Target person cares for children privately)<br>= 2 (Yes, several children)  |                          |
|                                       | Int.                | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>  |                          |
|                                       | Question            | <b>Are those children...?</b>   |                          |
|                                       |                     | <b>Of relatives? (1)</b>  | w4_602_a_2               |
|                                       |                     | <b>Of neighbours? (2)</b>   | w4_602_a_3               |
|                                       |                     | <b>Of friends? (3)</b>  | w4_602_a_4               |
|                                       |                     | <b>Of acquaintances or others? (4)</b>  | w4_603                   |
|                                       |                     | 1: Yes<br>2: No<br>9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know  |                          |
| w4_602_b                              | Filter              | w4_601 (Target person cares for children privately)<br>= 1 (Yes, one child)   |                          |
|                                       | Int.                | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>  |                          |
|                                       | Question            | <b>Is it a child...</b>   |                          |
|                                       |                     | <b>1: Of relatives?</b>   | w4_603                   |
|                                       |                     | <b>2: Of neighbours?</b>  |                          |
|                                       |                     | <b>3: Of friends?</b>   |                          |
| <b>4: Of acquaintances or others?</b> |                     |   |                          |
| 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know     |                     |   |                          |
| w4_603                                | Filter              | w4_601 (Target person cares for children privately)<br>= 1 (Yes, one child)<br>= 2 (Yes, several children)  |                          |
|                                       | Prog.               | Alternative wording of the question in square brackets [these children], if target person cares for several children.   |                          |
|                                       | Int.                | <i>Please read out answer categories.<br/>If the target is being asked: Average frequency over the last 12 months, in the case of several people, value in total. If the target says that he/she has been doing the activity for less than 12 months, please read out: Please refer in your answer to the period since when you have been doing this.</i> |                          |
|                                       | Question            | <b>If you think of the last 12 months: how often on average did you care for or look after this child [these children]?</b>   |                          |
|                                       |                     | 1: Daily  | w4_604_a_1<br>w4_604_a_2 |
|                                       |                     | 2: Several times a week   | w4_604_b_1               |
|                                       |                     | 3: Once a week  | w4_604_b_2               |
|                                       |                     | 4: Several times a month  | w4_604_c_1               |
|                                       |                     | 5: Once a month   | w4_604_c_2               |
|                                       |                     | 6: More rarely<br>9996: Entirely irregular<br>9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know   | w4_604_d_1<br>w4_604_d_2 |

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| w4_604_a_1<br>w4_604_a_2          | Filter              | w4_601 (Target person cares for children privately)<br>= 1 (Yes, one child)<br>= 2 (Yes, several children)<br><br>AND<br>w4_603 (Frequency child care)<br>= 1 (Daily)  |               |
|                                   | Int.                | <i>Please enter what the target person says.<br/>Example 90 minutes: Enter 90 in the field minutes.<br/>Please convert decimal numbers.<br/>Example: 1,5 hours: Enter 1 in the field hours and 30 in the field minutes.<br/>Please fill both fields.</i> |               |
|                                   | Question            | <b>If you think of the last 12 months: how many <u>hours a day</u> have you spent on it in this time?</b>  |               |
|                                   |                     | [0 to 24] hours a day  | w4_605        |
|                                   |                     | [0 to 1440] minutes a day  |               |
| 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know |                     |  |               |
| w4_604_b_1<br>w4_604_b_2          | Filter              | w4_601 (Target person cares for children privately)<br>= 1 (Yes, one child)<br>= 2 (Yes, several children)<br><br>AND<br>w4_603 (Frequency child care)<br>= 2 (Several times a week)<br>= 3 (Once a week)  |               |
|                                   | Int.                | <i>Please enter what the target person says.<br/>Example 90 minutes: Enter 90 in the field minutes.<br/>Please convert decimal numbers.<br/>Example: 1,5 hours: Enter 1 in the field hours and 30 in the field minutes.<br/>Please fill both fields.</i> |               |
|                                   | Question            | <b>If you think of the last 12 months: how many <u>hours a week</u> have you spent on it in this time?</b>   |               |
|                                   |                     | [0 to 168] hours a week  | w4_605        |
|                                   |                     | [0 to 1440] minutes a week   |               |
| 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know |                     |  |               |
| w4_604_c_1<br>w4_604_c_2          | Filter              | w4_601 (Target person cares for children privately)<br>= 1 (Yes, one child)<br>= 2 (Yes, several children)<br><br>AND<br>w4_603 (Frequency child care)<br>= 4 (Several times a month)<br>= 5 (Once a month)  |               |
|                                   | Int.                | <i>Please enter what the target person says.<br/>Example 90 minutes: Enter 90 in the field minutes.<br/>Please convert decimal numbers.<br/>Example: 1,5 hours: Enter 1 in the field hours and 30 in the field minutes.<br/>Please fill both fields.</i> |               |
|                                   | Question            | <b>If you think of the last 12 months: how many <u>hours a month</u> have you spent on it in this time?</b>  |               |
|                                   |                     | [0 to 744] hours a month   | w4_605        |
|                                   |                     | [0 to 1440] minutes a month  |               |
| 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know |                     |  |               |

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| w4_604_d_1<br>w4_604_d_2   | Filter                            | w4_601 (Target person cares for children privately)<br>= 1 (Yes, one child)<br>= 2 (Yes, several children)<br><br>AND<br>w4_603 (Frequency child care)<br>= 6 (More rarely)<br>= 9996 (Entirely irregular)<br>= 9997 (Refusal)<br>= 9998 (Don't know)    |                             |
|                            | Int.                              | <i>Please enter what the target person says.<br/>Example 90 minutes: Enter 90 in the field minutes.<br/>Please convert decimal numbers.<br/>Example: 1,5 hours: Enter 1 in the field hours and 30 in the field minutes.<br/>Please fill both fields.</i> |                             |
|                            | Question                          | <b>If you think of the last 12 months: how many <u>hours</u> have you spent on it <u>in this time</u>?</b>   |                             |
|                            |                                   | [0 to 8760] hours a year   | w4_605                      |
|                            |                                   | [0 to 1440] minutes a year   |                             |
|                            | 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know |  |                             |
|                            |                                   | <b>Nursing care</b>  |                             |
| w4_605                     | Int.                              | <i>Please read out answer categories.</i>  |                             |
|                            | Question                          | <b>Are there any people, who are cared for or looked after by you privately on an unpaid basis due to their poor state of health?</b>  |                             |
|                            |                                   | 1: Yes, one person   | w4_606_1                    |
|                            |                                   | 2: Yes, several persons  |                             |
|                            |                                   | 3: No  | w4_612                      |
|                            |                                   | 9998: Don't know<br>9997: Refusal  |                             |
| w4_606_1<br>to<br>w4_606_3 | Filter                            | w4_605 (Target person cares for persons privately)<br>= 1 (Yes, one person)<br>= 2 (Yes, several persons)  |                             |
|                            | Int.                              | <i>If necessary, read out answer categories.</i>   |                             |
|                            | Question & Items 1 – 3            | <b>Which duties do you take on?</b>  |                             |
|                            |                                   | <b>You help with <u>basic care</u>, for example washing or by helping people to climb stairs or similar. (1)</b>   | w4_606_2                    |
|                            |                                   | <b>You help with <u>household chores</u>, such as changing and washing laundry. (2)</b>  | w4_606_3                    |
|                            |                                   | <b>You <u>look after</u> this person. (3)</b>  | w4_607_a_1<br>/<br>w4_607_b |
|                            |                                   | 1: Yes, applies  |                             |
|                            |                                   | 2: No, does not apply  |                             |
|                            |                                   | 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know  |                             |

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| w4_607_a_1<br>to<br>w4_607_a_4 | Filter                    | w4_605 (Target person cares for persons privately)<br>= 2 (Yes, several persons)  |               |                          |
|                                | Int.                      | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>  |               |                          |
|                                | Question &<br>Items 1 – 4 | Is it...  |               |                          |
|                                |                           | Relatives? (1)  |               | w4_607_a_2               |
|                                |                           | Neighbours? (2)   |               | w4_607_a_3               |
|                                |                           | Friends? (3)  |               | w4_607_a_4               |
|                                |                           | Acquaintances or others? (4)  |               | w4_608                   |
|                                |                           | 1: Yes  |               |                          |
| 2: No                          |                           |   |               |                          |
|                                | 9997: Refusal             |   |               |                          |
|                                | 9998: Don't know          |   |               |                          |
| w4_607_b                       | Filter                    | w4_605 (Target person cares for persons privately)<br>= 1 (Yes, one person)   |               |                          |
|                                | Int.                      | <i>Please read out answer categories.</i>   |               |                          |
|                                | Question                  | Is it...  |               |                          |
|                                |                           | 1: A relative?  |               | w4_608                   |
|                                |                           | 2: A neighbour?   |               |                          |
|                                |                           | 3: A friend?  |               |                          |
|                                |                           | 4: An acquaintance or other?  |               |                          |
|                                | 9997: Refusal             |   |               |                          |
|                                | 9998: Don't know          |   |               |                          |
| w4_608                         | Filter                    | w4_605 (Target person cares for persons privately)<br>= 1 (Yes, one person)<br>= 2 (Yes, several persons)   |               |                          |
|                                | Int.                      | <i>If the target is being asked: Average frequency over the last 12 months, in the case of several people, value in total. If the target says that he/she has been doing the activity for less than 12 months, please read out: Please refer in your answer to the period since when you have been doing this. Please read out answer categories.</i> |               |                          |
|                                | Question                  | If you think of the last 12 months: how often on average did you care for or look after this person [these persons]?  |               |                          |
|                                |                           | 1: Daily  |               | w4_609_a_1<br>w4_609_a_2 |
|                                |                           | 2: Several times a week   |               | w4_609_b_1               |
|                                |                           | 3: Once a week  |               | w4_609_b_2               |
|                                |                           | 4: Several times a month  |               | w4_609_c_1               |
|                                |                           | 5: Once a month   |               | w4_609_c_2               |
|                                |                           | 6: More rarely  |               | w4_609_d_1               |
|                                |                           | 9996: Entirely irregular  |               | w4_609_d_2               |
|                                |                           | 9997: Refusal   |               |                          |
| 9998: Don't know               |                           |   |               |                          |

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| w4_609_a_1<br>w4_609_a_2          | Filter              | w4_605 (Target person cares for persons privately)<br>= 1 (Yes, one person)<br>= 2 (Yes, several persons)<br><br>AND<br>w4_608 (Frequency nursing care)<br>= 1 (Daily)   |               |
|                                   | Int.                | <i>Please enter what the target person says.<br/>Example 90 minutes: Enter 90 in the field minutes.<br/>Please convert decimal numbers.<br/>Example: 1,5 hours: Enter 1 in the field hours and 30 in the field minutes.<br/>Please fill both fields.</i> |               |
|                                   | Question            | <b>When you think of the last 12 months: How many <u>hours a day</u> have you spent on it on average?</b>  |               |
|                                   |                     | [0 to 24] hours a day  | w4_610        |
|                                   |                     | [0 to 1440] minutes a day  |               |
| 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know |                     |  |               |
| w4_609_b_1<br>w4_609_b_2          | Filter              | w4_605 (Target person cares for persons privately)<br>= 1 (Yes, one person)<br>= 2 (Yes, several persons)<br><br>AND<br>w4_608 (Frequency nursing care)<br>= 2 (Several times a week)<br>= 3 (Once a week)   |               |
|                                   | Int.                | <i>Please enter what the target person says.<br/>Example 90 minutes: Enter 90 in the field minutes.<br/>Please convert decimal numbers.<br/>Example: 1,5 hours: Enter 1 in the field hours and 30 in the field minutes.<br/>Please fill both fields.</i> |               |
|                                   | Question            | <b>When you think of the last 12 months: How many <u>hours per week</u> did you spend on this on average?</b>  |               |
|                                   |                     | [0 to 168] hours a week  | w4_610        |
|                                   |                     | [0 to 1440] minutes a week   |               |
| 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know |                     |  |               |
| w4_609_c_1<br>w4_609_c_2          | Filter              | w4_605 (Target person cares for persons privately)<br>= 1 (Yes, one person)<br>= 2 (Yes, several persons)<br><br>AND<br>w4_608 (Frequency nursing care)<br>= 4 (Several times a month)<br>= 5 (Once a month)   |               |
|                                   | Int.                | <i>Please enter what the target person says.<br/>Example 90 minutes: Enter 90 in the field minutes.<br/>Please convert decimal numbers.<br/>Example: 1,5 hours: Enter 1 in the field hours and 30 in the field minutes.<br/>Please fill both fields.</i> |               |
|                                   | Question            | <b>When you think of the last 12 months: How many <u>hours a month</u> have you spent on it on average?</b>  |               |
|                                   |                     | [0 to 744] hours a month   | w4_610        |
|                                   |                     | [0 to 1440] minutes a month  |               |
| 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know |                     |  |               |

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| w4_609_d_1<br>w4_609_d_2 | Filter              | w4_605 (Target person cares for persons privately)<br>= 1 (Yes, one person)<br>= 2 (Yes, several persons)<br><br>AND<br>w4_608 (Frequency nursing care)<br>= 6 (More rarely)<br>= 9996 (Entirely irregular)<br>= 9997 (Refusal)<br>= 9998 (Don't know)   |               |
|                          | Int.                | <i>Please enter what the target person says.<br/>Example 90 minutes: Enter 90 in the field minutes.<br/>Please convert decimal numbers.<br/>Example: 1,5 hours: Enter 1 in the field hours and 30 in the field minutes.<br/>Please fill both fields.</i> |               |
|                          | Question            | <b>When you think of the last 12 months: How many <u>hours</u> have you spent on it <u>in this time</u>?</b>   |               |
|                          |                     | [0 to 8760] hours a year   | w4_610        |
|                          |                     | [0 to 1440] minutes a year<br>9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know  |               |
| w4_610                   | Filter              | w4_106 (Persons in the household)<br>≥ 1 (2 or more persons in the household)<br><br>AND<br>w4_605 (Target person cares for persons privately)<br>= 1 (Yes, one person)<br>= 2 (Yes, several persons)  |               |
|                          | Prog.               | Alternative wording of the question in square brackets [at least one of these people], if target person cares for several persons.   |               |
|                          | Question            | <b>Does this person [at least one of these people] live in your household?</b>   |               |
|                          |                     | 1: Yes   | w4_611        |
|                          |                     | 2: No<br>9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know   | w4_612        |
| w4_611                   | Filter              | w4_610 (Cared person in the household)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br><br>AND<br>w4_605 (Target person cares for persons privately)<br>= 1 (Yes, one person)<br>= 2 (Yes, several persons)  |               |
|                          | Prog.               | Alternative wording of the question in square brackets [these persons], if target person cares for several persons.  |               |
|                          | Int.                | <i>Please read out answer categories</i>   |               |
|                          | Question            | <b>Do you mainly care for or take care by yourself this person [these persons]?</b>  |               |
|                          |                     | 1: Yes, predominantly  | w4_612        |
|                          |                     | 2: Partly<br>3: No, the person is mainly cared for by others<br>9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know  |               |

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| w4_612                            | Filter                 | w4_alter (014) (Age)<br>> 17 years<br>≤ 120 years<br><br>OR<br>w4_altersgr (015) (Age group)<br>= 3 (Between 18 and 20 years)<br>= 4 (Between 21 and 34 years)<br>= 5 (Between 35 and 44 years)<br>= 6 (Between 45 and 54 years)<br>= 7 (Between 55 and 64 years)<br>= 8 (Between 65 and 74 years)<br>= 9 (75 and above) |               |  |
|                                   | Prog.                  | Alternative wording of the question if target person cares for persons privately depending of the response in w4_605: (Yes, one person = 1) > [for this person] or (Yes, several persons = 2) > [for these persons] or if nobody is cared for > [ ].   |               |  |
|                                   | Int.                   | <i>Please do not read out answer categories</i>  |               |  |
|                                   | Question               | <b>Have you taken on the legal guardianship for [for this person or] [for these persons or] [] someone on a voluntary basis?</b>   |               |  |
|                                   |                        | 1: Yes<br>2: No<br>9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know   | w4_613        |  |
|                                   |                        | <b>Instrumental help</b>   |               |  |
| w4_613                            | Int.                   | <i>Please read out answer categories.</i>  |               |  |
|                                   | Question               | <b>Are there other people <u>outside your household</u>, who you help regularly or occasionally privately on an unpaid basis, e. g. with errands or smaller jobs. Please think of the last 12 months.</b>  |               |  |
|                                   |                        | 1: Yes, one person   | w4_614_a      |  |
|                                   |                        | 2: Yes, several persons  | w4_614_b_1    |  |
|                                   |                        | 3: No  | w4_617        |  |
|                                   |                        | 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know  |               |  |
| w4_614_b_1 to w4_614_b_4          | Filter                 | w4_613 (Target person helps persons outside the household) = 2 (Yes, several persons)  |               |  |
|                                   | Int.                   | <i>Please do not read out answer categories</i>  |               |  |
|                                   | Question & Items 1 – 4 | Is it...   |               |  |
|                                   |                        | Relatives? (1)   | w4_614_b_2    |  |
|                                   |                        | Neighbours? (2)  | w4_614_b_3    |  |
|                                   |                        | Friends? (3)   | w4_614_b_4    |  |
|                                   |                        | Acquaintances or others? (4)   | w4_615        |  |
|                                   |                        | 1: Yes   |               |  |
|                                   |                        | 2: No  |               |  |
| 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know |                        |  |               |  |

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| w4_614_a                 | Filter              | w4_613 (Target person helps persons outside the household)<br>= 1 (Yes, one person)  |               |                          |
|                          | Int.                | <i>Please do not read out answer categories</i>  |               |                          |
|                          | Question            | Is it...   |               | w4_615                   |
|                          |                     | 1: A relative?   |               |                          |
|                          |                     | 2: A neighbour?  |               |                          |
|                          |                     | 3: A friend?   |               |                          |
|                          |                     | 4: An acquaintance or other?   |               |                          |
|                          | 9997: Refusal       |  |               |                          |
|                          | 9998: Don't know    |  |               |                          |
| w4_615                   | Filter              | w4_613 (Target person helps persons outside the household)<br>= 1 (Yes, one person)<br>= 2 (Yes, several persons)  |               |                          |
|                          | Int.                | <i>If the target is being asked: Average frequency over the last 12 months, in the case of several people, value in total. If the target says that he/she has been doing the activity for less than 12 months, please read out: Please refer in your answer to the period since when you have been doing this. Please read out answer categories</i> |               |                          |
|                          | Question            | <b>If you think of the last 12 months: how often did you help this person [these people]?</b>  |               |                          |
|                          |                     | 1: Daily   |               | w4_616_a_1<br>w4_616_a_2 |
|                          |                     | 2: Several times a week  |               | w4_616_b_1               |
|                          |                     | 3: Once a week   |               | w4_616_b_2               |
|                          |                     | 4: Several times a month   |               | w4_616_c_1               |
|                          |                     | 5: Once a month  |               | w4_616_c_2               |
|                          |                     | 6: More rarely   |               | w4_616_d_1               |
|                          |                     | 9996: Entirely irregular   |               | w4_616_d_2               |
|                          | 9997: Refusal       |  |               |                          |
|                          | 9998: Don't know    |  |               |                          |
| w4_616_a_1<br>w4_616_a_2 | Filter              | w4_613 (Target person helps persons outside the household)<br>= 1 (Yes, one person)<br>= 2 (Yes, several persons)<br><br>AND<br>w4_615 (Frequency nstrumental help)<br>= 1 (Daily)   |               |                          |
|                          | Int.                | <i>Please enter what the target person says.<br/>Example 90 minutes: Enter 90 in the field minutes.<br/>Please convert decimal numbers.<br/>Example: 1,5 hours: Enter 1 in the field hours and 30 in the field minutes.<br/>Please fill both fields.</i>   |               |                          |
|                          | Question            | <b>When you think of the last 12 months: How many <u>hours a day</u> have you spent on it in on average?</b>   |               | w4_617                   |
|                          |                     | [0 to 24] hours a day  |               |                          |
|                          |                     | [0 to 1440] minutes a day  |               |                          |
| 9997: Refusal            |                     |  |               |                          |
|                          | 9998: Don't know    |  |               |                          |

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| w4_616_b_1<br>w4_616_b_2          | Filter              | w4_613 (Target person helps persons outside the household)<br>= 1 (Yes, one person)<br>= 2 (Yes, several persons)<br><br>AND<br>w4_615 (Frequency instrumental help)<br>= 2 (Several times a week)<br>= 3 (Once a week)   |               |
|                                   | Int.                | <i>Please enter what the target person says.<br/>Example 90 minutes: Enter 90 in the field minutes.<br/>Please convert decimal numbers.<br/>Example: 1,5 hours: Enter 1 in the field hours and 30 in the field minutes.<br/>Please fill both fields.</i>            |               |
|                                   | Question            | <b>When you think of the last 12 months: How many <u>hours per week</u> did you spend on this on average?</b>   |               |
|                                   |                     | [0 to 168] hours a week   | w4_617        |
|                                   |                     | [0 to 1440] minutes a week  |               |
| 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know |                     |   |               |
| w4_616_c_1<br>w4_616_c_2          | Filter              | w4_613 (Target person helps persons outside the household)<br>= 1 (Yes, one person)<br>= 2 (Yes, several persons)<br><br>AND<br>w4_615 (Frequency instrumental help)<br>= 4 (Several times a month)<br>= 5 (Once a month)   |               |
|                                   | Int.                | <i>Please enter what the target person says.<br/>Example 90 minutes: Enter 90 in the field minutes.<br/>Please convert decimal numbers.<br/>Example: 1,5 hours: Enter 1 in the field hours and 30 in the field minutes.<br/>Please fill both fields.</i>            |               |
|                                   | Question            | <b>When you think of the last 12 months: How many <u>hours a month</u> have you spent on it in on average?</b>  |               |
|                                   |                     | [0 to 744] hours a month  | w4_617        |
|                                   |                     | [0 to 1440] minutes a month   |               |
| 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know |                     |   |               |
| w4_616_d_1<br>w4_616_d_2          | Filter              | w4_613 (Target person helps persons outside the household)<br>= 1 (Yes, one person)<br>= 2 (Yes, several persons)<br><br>AND<br>w4_615 (Frequency instrumental help)<br>= 6 (More rarely)<br>= 9996 (Entirely irregular)<br>= 9997 (Refusal)<br>= 9998 (Don't know) |               |
|                                   | Int.                | <i>Please enter what the target person says.<br/>Example 90 minutes: Enter 90 in the field minutes.<br/>Please convert decimal numbers.<br/>Example: 1,5 hours: Enter 1 in the field hours and 30 in the field minutes.<br/>Please fill both fields.</i>            |               |

| Nr.    | Type of information | Interview text and notes  | Continue with              |
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|        | Question            | <b>When you think of the last 12 months: How many <u>hours</u> have you spent on it <u>in this time</u>?</b><br>[0 to 8760] hours a year<br>[0 to 1440] minutes a year<br>9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know   | w4_617                     |
|        |                     | <b>Donation</b>   |                            |
| w4_617 | Int.                | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.<br/>Please read out if necessary: This doesn't mean membership but all donations, also donations for clubs in which one volunteers</i>   |                            |
|        | Question            | <b>We have discussed most questions now. I have couple of additional questions now which I would like to ask you. Some people occasionally or regularly make financial donations for social or charitable purposes. Have you made such donations in the last 12 months?</b><br>1: Yes<br>2: No<br>9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know | w4_618<br>w4_701           |
| w4_618 | Filter              | w4_617 (Donation)<br>= 1 (Yes)  |                            |
|        | Int.                | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>  |                            |
|        | Question            | <b>In the last 12 months, were these in total up to and including 100 Euro or over 100 Euro?</b><br>1: Up to and including 100 Euro<br>2: Over 100 Euro<br>9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know  | w4_701<br>w4_619<br>w4_701 |
| w4_619 | Filter              | w4_618 (Donation: limit 100 Euro)<br>= 2 (Over 100 Euro)  |                            |
|        | Int.                | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>  |                            |
|        | Question            | <b>Were these in total up to and including 500 Euro or over 500 Euro?</b><br>1: Up to and including 500 Euro<br>2: Over 500 Euro<br>9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know   | w4_701<br>w4_620<br>w4_701 |
| w4_620 | Filter              | w4_619 (Donation: limit 500 Euro)<br>= 2 (Over 500 Euro)  |                            |
|        | Int.                | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.</i>  |                            |
|        | Question            | <b>Were these in total up to and including 1,000 Euro or over 1,000 Euro?</b><br>1: Up to and including 1.000 Euro<br>2: Over 1.000 Euro<br>9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know   | w4_701                     |

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|                      |                      | <b>Integration I</b>   |  |                          |
| w4_701               | Int.                 | Please read out answer categories.   |  |                          |
|                      | Question             | <b>How strongly do you feel you belong to the society in Germany?</b>  |  |                          |
|                      |                      | 1: I fully belong  | w4_702   |                          |
|                      |                      | 2: I belong partially  |  |                          |
|                      |                      | 3: Partly  |  |                          |
|                      |                      | 4: I don't belong  |  |                          |
|                      |                      | 5: I don't belong at all   |  |                          |
| 9997: Refusal        |                      |  |  |                          |
| 9998: Don't know     |                      |  |  |                          |
| w4_702               | Int.                 | Please read out answer categories.   |  |                          |
|                      | Question             | <b>If you think of the people in your circle of friends: are they <u>mostly</u> people with an immigrant background or not?</b>                        |  |                          |
|                      |                      | 1: Mostly people <u>with</u> an immigrant background   | w4_703_1   |                          |
|                      |                      | 2: In equal amounts  | w4_704/<br>w4_705/<br>w4_706   |                          |
|                      |                      | 2: Mostly people <u>with no</u> immigrant background   |  |                          |
|                      |                      | 9997: Refusal  |  |                          |
| 9998: Don't know     |                      |  |  |                          |
|                      |                      | <b>Knowledge of language and language usage</b>  |  |                          |
| w4_703_1 to w4_703_4 |                      | 007 (Language of the interview)<br>= 1 (Turkish)<br>= 2 (Russian)<br>= 3 (Polish)<br>= 4 (English)<br>= 5 (Arabic)                                     |  |                          |
|                      | Prog.                | Question only for interviews in a foreign language   |  |                          |
|                      | Int.                 | Please do not read out answer categories.  |  |                          |
|                      | Question & Items 1-4 | Question   | <b>Is your knowledge of German so good that you ...</b>                                      |                          |
|                      |                      |  | <b>To cope with shopping in German shops? (1)</b>  | w4_703_2                 |
|                      |                      |  | <b>Are able to take part in a German conversation? (2)</b>                                   | w4_703_3                 |
|                      |                      |  | <b>Are able to follow German television or radio programmes without any problems? (3)</b>    | w4_703_4                 |
|                      |                      |  | <b>Are able to handle every day matters independently with the relevant authorities? (4)</b> | w4_704/w4_705/<br>w4_706 |
|                      |                      |  | 1: Yes   |                          |
|                      |                      |  | 2: No  |                          |
|                      |                      |  | 9996: Doesn't apply  |                          |
|                      | 9997: Refusal        |  |  |                          |
|                      | 9998: Don't know     |  |  |                          |
| w4_704               | Filter               | w4_anz_eng (Number of voluntary activities)<br>≥ 1 (At least 1 voluntary activity)<br>AND<br>w4_102 (Country of birth)<br>= 8 (In a different country) |  |                          |
|                      | Int.                 | Please read out answer categories.   |  |                          |
|                      | Question             | Question   | <b>Which language do you <u>mainly</u> speak when you carry out your voluntary activity?</b> |                          |
|                      |                      |  | 1: The language of your country or origin  | w4_705/<br>w4_706        |
|                      |                      |  | 2: German  |                          |
|                      |                      |  | 3: Another language  |                          |
|                      |                      |  | 4: Depends on the people and situation   |                          |
| 9997: Refusal        |                      |  |  |                          |
| 9998: Don't know     |                      |  |  |                          |

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|        |                     | <b>Volunteering of parents</b>   |               |
| w4_705 | Filter              | w4_alter (014) (Age)<br>≥ 21 years<br>≤ 120 years<br><br>OR<br>w4_altersgr (015) (Age group)<br>= 4 (Between 21 and 34 years)<br>= 5 (Between 35 and 44 years)<br>= 6 (Between 45 and 54 years)<br>= 7 (Between 55 and 64 years)<br>= 8 (Between 65 and 74 years)<br>= 9 (75 and above)  |               |
|        | Int.                | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.<br/>Please enter code 1 „Yes“ if the respondent says that only one parent was volunteering.<br/>Provided that demands appear, who is meant with parents (e.g. same-sex couple, step-parents or adoptive parents), the target person decides who is parents for herself/himself.</i> |               |
|        | Question            | <b>If you think back to your childhood or youth, were your parents doing voluntary work at that time?</b>  |               |
|        |                     | 1: Yes   | w4_707/       |
|        |                     | 2: No  | w4_712        |
|        |                     | 9997: Refusal  |               |
|        |                     | 9998: Don't know   |               |
| w4_706 | Prog.               | Fade in age from w4_alter (014).   |               |
|        | Filter              | w4_alter (014) (Age)<br>≥ 21 years<br>≤ 120 years<br><br>OR<br>w4_altersgr (015) (Age group)<br>= 4 (Between 21 and 34 years)<br>= 5 (Between 35 and 44 years)<br>= 6 (Between 45 and 54 years)<br>= 7 (Between 55 and 64 years)<br>= 8 (Between 65 and 74 years)<br>= 9 (75 and above)  |               |
|        | Int.                | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.<br/>Please enter code 1 „Yes“ if the respondent says that only one parent was volunteering.<br/>Provided that demands appear, who is meant by parents (e.g. same-sex couple, step-parents or adoptive parents), the target person decides who are parents for herself/himself.</i>  |               |
|        | Question            | <b>Are your parents or were your parents involved in voluntary work in the last [fade in age of target person] years?</b>  |               |
|        |                     | 1: Yes   | w4_707/       |
|        | 2: No               | w4_712   |               |
|        |                     | 9997: Refusal  |               |
|        |                     | 9998: Don't know   |               |

| Nr.       | Type of information | Interview text and notes   | Continue with     |
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|           |                     | <b>Migration background II</b>   |                   |
| w4_707    | Filter              | w4_102 (Country of birth)<br>= 1 (In Germany, including former Eastern territories that no longer belong to Germany today)<br>= 2 (In the Soviet Occupation Zone)<br>= 3 (In the American, British or French Occupation Zone)<br>= 4 (In the German Democratic Republic (GDR))<br>= 5 (In the Federal Republic of Germany (FRG))<br>= 6 (In the new Federal States or in Berlin)<br>= 7 (In the old Federal States)<br>= 9997 (Refusal)<br>= 9998 (Don't know) |                   |
|           | Int.                | <i>Please read out answer categories.<br/>Provided that demands appear, who is meant by parents (e.g. same-sex couple, step-parents or adoptive parents), the target person decides who are parents for herself/himself.</i>   |                   |
|           | Question            | <b>Were both of your parents born in Germany? Here we also mean former eastern territories that no longer belong to Germany today.</b>   |                   |
|           |                     | 1: Yes, both   | w4_712            |
|           |                     | 2: Yes, but only my mother   | w4_710            |
|           |                     | 3: Yes, but only my father   | w4_708            |
|           |                     | 4: No, neither   | w4_708            |
|           | 9997: Refusal       | w4_712   |                   |
|           | 9998: Don't know    |  |                   |
| w4_708    | Prog.               | Fade in list of countries.   |                   |
|           | Filter              | w4_707 (Parents born in Germany)<br>= 3 (Yes, but only my father)<br>= 4 (No, neither)<br><br>OR<br>w4_102 (Country of birth)<br>= 8 (In a different country)  |                   |
|           | Question            | <b>In which country was your mother born?</b>  |                   |
|           |                     | [Choose from list of countries]  | w4_710/<br>w4_712 |
|           |                     | 9996: Country not listed   | w4_m_709o         |
|           | 9997: Refusal       | w4_712   |                   |
|           | 9998: Don't know    |  |                   |
| w4_m_709o | Filter              | w4_708 (Country of birth mother)<br>= 9996 (Country not listed)  |                   |
|           | Question            | <b>And which country is that?</b>  |                   |
|           |                     | Open response  | w4_710/<br>w4_712 |
|           |                     | 9997: Refusal  | w4_712            |
|           | 9998: Don't know    |  |                   |

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| w4_710  | Prog.               | Fade in list of countries.  |               |
|         | Filter              | w4_707 (Parents born in Germany)<br>= 2 (Yes, but only my mother)<br>= 4 (No, neither)<br><br>OR<br>w4_102 (Country of birth)<br>= 8 (In a different country)   |               |
|         | Question            | <b>And in which country was your father born?</b>   |               |
|         |                     | [Choose from list of countries]   | w4_712        |
|         |                     | 9996: Country not listed  | w4_m_711o     |
|         | 9997: Refusal       | w4_713  |               |
|         | 9998: Don't know    |   |               |
| w4_711o | Filter              | w4_708 (Country of birth father)<br>= 9996 (Country not listed)   |               |
|         | Question            | <b>And which country is that?</b>   |               |
|         |                     | Open response   | w4_712        |
|         |                     | 9997: Refusal   | w4_713        |
|         | 9998: Don't know    |   |               |
| w4_712  | Int.                | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.<br/>Please read out if necessary: if target person says that parents are deceased, please ask: Does your mother had the German nationality?<br/>Provided that demands appear, who is meant by mother (e.g. same-sex couple, step-parents or adoptive parents), the target person decides who is mother for herself/himself.</i>    |               |
|         | Question            | <b>Does your mother have the German nationality?</b>  |               |
|         |                     | 1: Yes  | w4_713        |
|         |                     | 2: No   |               |
|         |                     | 9997: Refusal   |               |
|         | 9998: Don't know    |   |               |
| w4_713  | Int.                | <i>Please do not read out answer categories.<br/>Please read out if necessary: if target person says that parents are deceased, please ask: Does your father had the German nationality?<br/>Provided that demands appear, who is meant by parents (e.g. same-sex couple, step-parents or adoptive parents), the target person decides who are parents for herself/himself.</i> |               |
|         | Question            | <b>Does your father have the German nationality?</b>  |               |
|         |                     | 1: Yes  | w4_714        |
|         |                     | 2: No   |               |
|         |                     | 9997: Refusal   |               |
|         | 9998: Don't know    |   |               |

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|                            |                         | <b>Time budget</b>   |                                    |
| w4_714                     | Int.                    | <i>Please read out answer categories.</i>  |                                    |
|                            | Question                | <b>Do you have enough time left for other things after your every day obligations of educational training, work or family ?</b>  |                                    |
|                            |                         | 1: Yes, usually  | w4_715                             |
|                            |                         | 2: Partly  |                                    |
|                            |                         | 3: No, not usually   |                                    |
|                            |                         | 9997: Refusal  |                                    |
| 9998: Don't know           |                         |  |                                    |
|                            |                         | <b>Integration II</b>  |                                    |
| w4_715                     | Int.                    | <i>Please read out answer categories.</i>  |                                    |
|                            | Question                | <b>How much do you agree with the following statement: Most people can be trusted.</b>   |                                    |
|                            |                         | 1: Fully agree   | w4_716_1                           |
|                            |                         | 2: Agree   | to                                 |
|                            |                         | 3: Partly  | w4_716_3                           |
|                            |                         | 4: Don't agree   |                                    |
|                            |                         | 5: Don't agree at all  |                                    |
|                            |                         | 9997: Refusal  |                                    |
| 9998: Don't know           |                         |  |                                    |
|                            |                         | <b>Self-efficacy expectation</b>   |                                    |
| w4_716_1<br>to<br>w4_716_3 | Prog.                   | Rotating items.  |                                    |
|                            | Int.                    | <i>If necessary, read out answer categories for item 1, for item 2 and item 3 only if it is necessary.</i>   |                                    |
|                            | Question & Items 1-3    | <b>The next statements involve your assessment of yourself and your life. I would like to ask you, how would you assess yourself based on the following statements. Please indicate for each statement to what extent it applies to you.</b> |                                    |
|                            |                         | <b>I have no problems realising my intentions and goals. (1)</b>   | Additional items w4_716 (rotating) |
|                            |                         | <b>When I am confronted with something new, I know how to handle it. (2)</b>   | Additional items w4_716 (rotating) |
|                            |                         | <b>If a problem occurs, I can deal with it by myself. (3)</b>  | Additional items w4_716 (rotating) |
|                            |                         | 1: Fully applies   | w4_717                             |
|                            |                         | 2: Partially applies   |                                    |
|                            |                         | 3: Partly  |                                    |
|                            |                         | 4: Applies less  |                                    |
|                            | 5: Doesn't apply at all |  |                                    |
| 9997: Refusal              |                         |  |                                    |
| 9998: Don't know           |                         |  |                                    |

| Nr.              | Type of information | Interview text and notes  | Continue with |
|------------------|---------------------|---|---------------|
|                  |                     | <b>Well-being</b>   |               |
| w4_717           | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please read out answer categories.</i>   |               |
|                  | <b>Question</b>     | <b>How far does the following statement apply to you personally: "I am satisfied with my life"?</b>   |               |
|                  |                     | 1: Fully applies  | w4_718        |
|                  |                     | 2: Partially applies  |               |
|                  |                     | 3: Partly   |               |
|                  |                     | 4: Applies less   |               |
|                  |                     | 5: Doesn't apply at all   |               |
|                  |                     | 9997: Refusal   |               |
| 9998: Don't know |                     |   |               |
|                  |                     | <b>Health</b>   |               |
| w4_718           | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please read out answer categories.</i>   |               |
|                  | <b>Question</b>     | <b>How do you rate your current state of health?</b>  |               |
|                  |                     | 1: Very good  | w4_719        |
|                  |                     | 2: Rather good  |               |
|                  |                     | 3: Average  |               |
|                  |                     | 4: Rather poor  |               |
|                  |                     | 5: Very poor  |               |
|                  |                     | 9997: Refusal   |               |
| 9998: Don't know |                     |   |               |
| w4_719           | <b>Question</b>     | <b>To what extent are you permanently restricted by illness in carrying out your everyday work? Are you severely restricted by your health, somewhat restricted or not restricted or have you no illness?</b> |               |
|                  |                     | 1: Severely restricted  | w4_720_1      |
|                  |                     | 2: Somewhat restricted  | to            |
|                  |                     | 3: Not restricted   | w4_720_6      |
|                  |                     | 4: Have no illness  |               |
|                  |                     | 9997: Refusal   |               |
| 9998: Don't know |                     |   |               |

| Nr.                        | Type of information             | Interview text and notes  | Continue with |  |
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|                            |                                 | <b>Values</b>   |               |  |
| w4_720_1<br>to<br>w4_720_6 | Prog.                           | Rotating items.   |               |  |
|                            | Int.                            | <i>Please read out answer categories. From item 2 if it is necessary.</i> |               |  |
|                            | <b>Question &amp; Items 1–6</b> | <b>How important are the following things to you?</b>                     |               |  |
|                            |                                 | <b>Having power and influence (1)</b>                                     |               | Additional items<br>w4_720<br>(rotating) |
|                            |                                 | <b>Developing your own imagination and creativity (2)</b>                 |               | Additional items<br>w4_720<br>(rotating) |
|                            |                                 | <b>Striving for security (3)</b>  |               | Additional items<br>w4_720<br>(rotating) |
|                            |                                 | <b>Helping socially disadvantaged and marginal groups (4)</b>             |               | Additional items<br>w4_720<br>(rotating) |
|                            |                                 | <b>Respecting law and order (5)</b>                                       |               | Additional items<br>w4_720<br>(rotating) |
|                            |                                 | <b>Enjoying the good things in life to the full (6)</b>                   |               | Additional items<br>w4_720<br>(rotating) |
|                            |                                 | 1: Very important   |               | w4_721                                   |
|                            | 2: Important                    |   |               |  |
| 3: Partly                  |                                 |   |               |  |
| 4: Not important           |                                 |   |               |  |
| 5: Not important at all    |                                 |   |               |  |
| 9997 Refusal               |                                 |   |               |  |
| 9998: Don't know           |                                 |   |               |  |
|                            |                                 | <b>Financial situation</b>  |               |  |
| w4_721                     | Int.                            | <i>Please read out answer categories.</i>                                 |               |  |
|                            | <b>Question</b>                 | <b>How would you rate your current financial situation? As ...</b>        |               |  |
|                            |                                 | 1: Very good  |               | w4_722/<br>w4_m_801                      |
|                            |                                 | 2: Rather good  |               |  |
|                            |                                 | 3: Average  |               |  |
|                            |                                 | 4: Rather poor  |               |  |
|                            |                                 | 5: Very poor  |               |  |
|                            |                                 | 9997: Refusal   |               |  |
| 9998: Don't know           |                                 |   |               |  |

| Nr.    | Type of information | Interview text and notes   | Continue with      |
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| w4_722 | Filter              | w4_alter (014) (Age)<br>> 17 years<br>≤ 120 years<br><br>OR<br>w4_altersgr (015) (Age group)<br>= 3 (Between 18 and 20 years)<br>= 4 (Between 21 and 34 years)<br>= 5 (Between 35 and 44 years)<br>= 6 (Between 45 and 54 years)<br>= 7 (Between 55 and 64 years)<br>= 8 (Between 65 and 74 years)<br>= 9 (75 years and above)   |                    |
|        | Int.                | <i>Please read out if necessary: What we mean is the total from wages, salary, income from self-employment, pension, after tax and social security contributions. Please also include income from public benefits, income from rent or lease, interest income, child benefit and other income. The results of the survey shall be evaluated among other things based on income groups. For this we need the information on your net household income. Your information will of course be treated confidentially and only evaluated anonymously. Data protection is at all times guaranteed.<br/>Please read out answer categories.</i> |                    |
|        | Question            | <b>How high is the total monthly net income of your household? I mean the total from wages, salary, income from self-employment, pension, after tax and social security contributions.</b>   |                    |
|        |                     | 1: Up to and including 2,000 Euro  | w4_723             |
|        |                     | 2: Over 2,000 Euro<br>9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know  | w4_724<br>w4_m_801 |
| w4_723 | Filter              | w4_722 (Net household income: limit 2,000 Euro)<br>= 1 (Up to and including 2,000 Euro)  |                    |
|        | Int.                | <i>If necessary, repeat the question. Please read out answer categories.</i>   |                    |
|        | Question            | <b>Is your monthly net household income ...</b>  |                    |
|        |                     | 1: Up to and including 1,000 Euro  | w4_m_801           |
|        |                     | 2: Over 1,000 Euro<br>9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know  |                    |
| w4_724 | Filter              | w4_722 (Net household income: limit 2,000 Euro)<br>= 2 (Over 2,000 Euro)   |                    |
|        | Int.                | <i>If necessary, repeat the question. Please read out answer categories.</i>   |                    |
|        | Question            | <b>Is your monthly net household income ...</b>  |                    |
|        |                     | 1: Up to and including 3,000 Euro  | w4_m_801           |
|        |                     | 2: Over 3,000 Euro<br>9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know  | w4_725<br>w4_m_801 |

| Nr.      | Type of information | Interview text and notes   | Continue with         |
|----------|---------------------|--|-----------------------|
| w4_725   | Filter              | w4_724 (Net household income: limit 3,000 Euro)<br>= 2 (Over 3,000 Euro)   |                       |
|          | Int.                | <i>If necessary, repeat the question. Please read out answer categories.</i>   |                       |
|          | Question            | <b>Is your monthly net household income ...</b>  |                       |
|          |                     | 1: Up to and including 4,000 Euro  | w4_m_801              |
|          |                     | 2: Over 4,000 Euro   |                       |
|          |                     | 9997: Refusal  |                       |
|          |                     | 9998: Don't know   |                       |
|          |                     | <b>Year of birth</b>   |                       |
| w4_m_801 | Question            | <b>Many thanks for your cooperation. We have nearly come to the end of the interview but we still have a few brief questions for the statistics. In what year were you born?</b>   |                       |
|          |                     | [1900 to 2000] year  | w4_m_802              |
|          |                     | 9997: Refusal  |                       |
|          |                     | 9998: Don't know   |                       |
|          |                     | <b>Number of telephone connections and postcode</b>  |                       |
| w4_m_802 | Int.                | <i>Please read out if necessary.<br/>Please include the telephone numbers with area code for mobile phones – so-called Homezone-numbers –but not mobile phone numbers that starts with 015..., 016..., 017....<br/>In case of query:<br/>The mobile phone can be reached by two telephone numbers.<br/>First with the mobile telephone number starting with 015.., 016.. or 017.. and also with an additional number starting with a landline area code.</i> |                       |
|          | Question            | <b>On how many different landline numbers in total for <u>phone calls</u> can your household be reached? This does not include numbers belonging to a fax machine or computer.</b>   |                       |
|          |                     | [0 to 96] Number   | w4_m_803              |
|          |                     | 9997: Refusal  |                       |
|          |                     | 9998: Don't know   |                       |
| w4_m_803 | Int.                | <i>Please read out if necessary:<br/>„In case of doubt an assessment will be enough.”<br/>It only is about mobile numbers that starts with 015..., 016... or 017....</i>   |                       |
|          | Question            | <b>Please tell me how many <u>active</u> mobile numbers are currently used by you personally, whether privately or professionally.</b>   |                       |
|          |                     | [0 to 96] Number   | w4_m_804/<br>w4_m_805 |
|          |                     | 9997: Refusal  |                       |
|          |                     | 9998: Don't know   |                       |

| Nr.      | Type of information            | Interview text and notes   | Continue with |
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| w4_m_804 | Filter                         | w4_teilstp (001/003) (Subsample mobile phone network or landline)<br>=2 (Mobile phone network)   |               |
|          | Prog.                          | Only sample mobile phone.  |               |
|          | Int.                           | <i>If main place of residence is outside of Germany please ask for the federal state the target predominantly stays.<br/>Please do not read out answer categories.</i> |               |
|          | Question                       | <b>In which Federal State is your main residence?</b>  |               |
|          |                                | 1: Schleswig-Holstein  | w4_m_805      |
|          |                                | 2: Hamburg   |               |
|          |                                | 3: Lower Saxony  |               |
|          |                                | 4: Bremen  |               |
|          |                                | 5: North Rhine-Westphalia  |               |
|          |                                | 6: Hesse   |               |
|          |                                | 7: Rhineland-Palatinate  |               |
|          |                                | 8: Baden-Württemberg   |               |
|          |                                | 9: Bavaria   |               |
|          |                                | 10: Saarland   |               |
|          |                                | 11: Berlin   |               |
|          | 12: Brandenburg                |  |               |
|          | 13: Mecklenburg-West Pomerania |  |               |
|          | 14: Saxony                     |  |               |
|          | 15: Saxony-Anhalt              |  |               |
|          | 16: Thuringia                  |  |               |
|          | 9997: Refusal                  |  |               |
|          | 9998: Don't know               |  |               |

| Nr.      | Type of information | Interview text and notes   | Continue with |
|----------|---------------------|--|---------------|
| w4_m_805 | Int.                | <i>Please read out if necessary:<br/>All data will be evaluated anonymously.<br/>These information conduce to the allocation of the results to particular types of areas.<br/>Your information is of course voluntarily, but important for the success of this study.</i>  |               |
|          | Question            | <b>The living situation of people in Germany varies a lot. The results of the study should therefore also be evaluated based on regions – and of course anonymously. The German Centre of Gerontology (Deutsches Zentrum für Altersfragen) would like to merge some regional data with the interview data now collected. This involves for example information on educational offerings and medical care in the different regions. We need your postal code for this. It is absolutely guaranteed that both infas and the German Centre of Gerontology (Deutsches Zentrum für Altersfragen) strictly comply with data protection provisions. For the purpose of the transmission of this data to the interview data, I would kindly ask you for your agreement. Your agreement is of course voluntary. You can also withdraw it at any time. Do you agree?</b> |               |
|          |                     | 1: Yes   | w4_m_806      |
|          |                     | 2: No  | END           |
|          |                     | 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know  |               |
| w4_m_806 | Filter              | w4_m_805 (Einverständnis: Regionale Daten)<br>= 1 (Yes)  |               |
|          | Question            | <b>Would you please tell me for this purpose what the postal code of your place of residence is?</b>   |               |
|          |                     | [Postal code]  | END           |
|          |                     | 9997: Refusal<br>9998: Don't know  |               |
| ENDE     | Question            | <b>Many thanks for taking part. I thank you for talking to me and hope you have a nice evening [day]!</b>  |               |

**ANNEX – all persons: selection of the target person and language of the interview, non-response**

| Nr.        | Type of information   | Interview text and notes   | Continue with |
|------------|---|--|---------------|
|            |   | <b>Welcoming and selection of the target person, selection of language of the interview &amp; non-response</b>   |               |
| <b>001</b> | Filter  | w4_teilstp (001/003) (Subsample mobile phone network or landline)<br>= 2 (Mobile phone network)  |               |
|            | Int.  | <i>If requested, explain: It is about different topics of everyday life and free time.<br/>If the target person uses the mobile phone/telephone exclusively on business, enter code 10!<br/>If the main user is not on the phone, then hand on the mobile phone or arrange an appointment.<br/>If requested, explain:<br/>„All information will be treated confidentially and evaluated anonymously – in other words with no names or telephone numbers .“<br/>The interview lasts on average 30 minutes– depending on the situation of the target person.<br/>References and explanations on the importance of the study, data protection, client etc. can be found on the help screen.</i> |               |
|            | Text  | <b>Hello,<br/>my name is .... – I am calling from the infas Institute in Bonn.<br/>We are carrying out a representative survey for the German Centre of Gerontology (Deutsches Zentrum für Altersfragen) and the Federal Ministry of Family Affairs, Senior Citizens, Women and Youth (Bundesministerium für Familie, Senioren, Frauen und Jugend). It is about the topic "Activities of citizens in different areas" and what people do in their free time. I would therefore like to speak to the person, who uses the mobile that I reached you on most.</b>  |               |
|            |   | 1: Main user is on the phone, go on  | 002           |
|            |   | 2: Main user is currently not available  | APPOINTMENT   |
|            |   | 3: Hang up immediately   | END           |
|            |   | 4: No understanding possible/contact person/target person doesn't speak enough German  | 007           |
|            |   | 5: Target person already surveyed  | END           |
|            |   | 7: Target person refuses to participate  | 008           |
|            |   | 8: Contact person refuses to hand in to main user  | END           |
|            | 9: Contact person/target person would like to get study information by e-mail or post | Delivery study information   |               |
|            | 10: Target person only uses mobile for work   | Business mobile phone  |               |

| Nr.                                 | Type of information   | Interview text and notes  | Continue with |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|---|---------------|
| 002                                 | Filter                | 001 (User of the called mobile phone)<br>= 1 (Main user is on the phone)  |               |
|                                     | Int.                  | <i>If the target person uses the mobile phone exclusively on business, enter code 4: "Target only uses mobile for work"! If requested, explain:<br/>„All information will be treated confidentially and evaluated anonymously – in other words with no names or telephone numbers.“<br/>References and explanations on the importance of the study, data protection, client etc. can be found on the help screen.<br/>The interview lasts on average 30 minutes– depending on the situation of the target person.</i> |               |
|                                     | Question              | <b>Are you...</b>   |               |
|                                     |                       | 1: At least 14 years or older   | 013           |
|                                     |                       | 2: Younger than 14 years?   | END           |
| 3: Target refuses to participate    |                       | 008   |               |
| 4: Target only uses mobile for work | Business mobile phone |   |               |
| Business mobile phone               | Filter                | 001 (User of the called mobile phone)<br>= 10 (only use mobile for work)<br>OR<br>002 (Age target person)<br>= 4 (only use mobile for work)   | END           |
|                                     | Text                  | <b>In this study unfortunately, we are only surveying people that also use their mobile privately. I hope you have a nice day [good evening]. Many thanks and goodbye.</b>  |               |
|                                     |                       | 1: End  |               |
| 003                                 | Filter                | w4_teilstp (001/003) (Subsample mobile phone network or landline)<br>= 1 (Landline)   |               |
|                                     | Text                  | <b>Hello,<br/>my name is .... – I am calling from the infas Institute in Bonn.<br/>We are carrying out a representative survey for the German centre of Gerontology (Deutsches Zentrum für Altersfragen) and the Federal Ministry of Family Affairs, Senior Citizens, Women and Youth (Bundesministerium für Familie, Senioren, Frauen und Jugend). It is about the topic "Activities of citizens in different areas" and what people do in their free time.</b>  |               |
|                                     |                       | 1: Go on  | 004           |
|                                     |                       | 2: Hang up immediately  | END           |
|                                     |                       | 3: No understanding possible/contact person/target person doesn't speak enough German   | 007           |
| 4: No private household             | END                   |   |               |

| Nr.  | Type of information | Interview text and notes   | Continue with  |
|--|---------------------|--|--|
| 004  | Filter              | 003 (Contact landline)<br>= 1 (Contact target person)  |  |
|  | Int.                | <i>If requested, explain: Because it is a scientific investigation I had to randomly select the respondent. That 's why we asked for the person whose birthday was last. We need this information for statistical purposes.</i><br><i>If requested, explain: It is about different topics of everyday life an free time.</i><br><i>If requested, explain: All information will be treated confidentially and evaluated anonymously – in other words with no names or telephone numbers.</i><br><i>References and explanations on the importance of the study, data protection, client etc. can be found on the help screen (HELP).</i><br><i>The interview lasts on average 20 to 30 minutes– depending on the situation of the target person.</i><br><i>To arrange an appointment select 9996: "Appointment"</i><br><i>If requested, explain: All persons that live and manage income and costs together belong to a household.</i> |  |
|  | Question            | <b>We would like to do a short interview with the person in your household, who is at least 14 years old and who had the most recent birthday.</b><br><b>So that I can determine, please tell me first how many people over 14 years of age, including you, are living in your household ?</b>   |  |
|  |                     | [0 to 30] number of persons  | Farewell<br>Age < 14/<br>interview_<br>target_perso<br>n |
|  |                     | 996: Target person/contact person would like to get study information by e-mail  | Delivery<br>study<br>information                         |
|  |                     | 9995: Target person/contact person refuses<br>9996: Appointment  | 005<br>APPOINTME<br>NT                                   |
| 005  | Filter              | 004 (Number of personen from 14 upwards in the household)<br>= 9995 (Target person/contact person refuses)   |  |
|  | Int..               | <i>Please assign why there is no information about the persons..</i><br><i>ATTENTION: Three short questions for statistics will follow.</i>  |  |
|  | Items<br>1–11       | 1: Contact person refuses: in principle  | Announceme<br>nt question<br>for the<br>statistics       |
|  |                     | 2: Contact person refuses: no time/takes too long  |  |
|  |                     | 3: Contact person refuses: not on the phone  |  |
|  |                     | 4: Contact person refuses: sick  |  |
|  |                     | 5: Contact person refuses: any information   |  |
|  |                     | 6: Contact person refuses: no interest/topic   |  |
|  |                     | 7: Contact person refuses: reasons of data protection/too personally   |  |
|  |                     | 8: Contact person refuses: other reasons   |  |
|  |                     | 9: Already surveyed  |  |
| 10: No understanding possible/contact person/target person doesn't speak enough German | 007                 |  |  |
| 11: No private household   | END                 |  |  |

| Nr.   | Type of information | Interview text and notes   | Continue with |  |
|---|---------------------|--|---------------|--|
| Interview_target_person   | Filter              | 004 (Number of personen from 14 upwards in the household)<br>> 0 persons<br>≤ 95 persons   |               |  |
|   | Prog.               | Alternative wording of the question if one person in the household is 14 years old and above (004 =1) or several persons in the household 14 years old and above (004>1) [with one of the ...]   |               |  |
|   | Question            | <b>I would like to do an interview with that person.<br/>[I would like to do the interview with one of the &lt;&lt; 004 &gt;&gt; persons, who are at least 14 years old, in fact with the one whose birthday was last.]<br/>Would that be possible now? Are you that person?</b> |               |  |
|   |                     | 1: Yes, it is possible, herself/himself (target person on the phone)   | 013           |  |
|   |                     | 2: Yes, it is possible, to telephone with another person   | 006           |  |
|   |                     | 3: Target Person currently not available   | APPOINTMENT   |  |
|   |                     | 4: Target person is available elsewhere (ask for/enter tel.-nr.)   | APPOINTMENT   |  |
|   |                     | 5: Target person can't be interviewed/permanent ill or disabled  | END           |  |
|   |                     | 6: Target person not available during field time   | END           |  |
|   |                     | 7: Target person refuses to participate  | 008           |  |
|   |                     | 8: Already surveyed: note date   | END           |  |
| 9: Contact person refuses access to target person               |                     | Interview_target_person_2  |               |  |
| 10: Target person/contact person refuses any information        | END                 |  |               |  |
| Interview_target_person_2                                       | Filter              | Interview_target_person (Interview with person 14 years and above)<br>= 9 (Contact person refuses access to target person)   |               |  |
|   | Int.                | <i>If requested, explain: We can call you back at a later date if you like.</i>  |               |  |
|   | Question            | <b>In terms of the informative value of our scientific study, it is important that we speak to a randomly selected person, who is at least 14 years old. Therefore we would like to speak directly to this person, whose birthday was last.</b>                                  |               |  |
|   |                     | 1: Contact person pass on telephone to target person   | 006           |  |
|   |                     | 2: Target person is available later on   | APPOINTMENT   |  |
|   |                     | 3: Contact person contact target person  | APPOINTMENT   |  |
|   |                     | 4: Contact person refuses access to target person  | END           |  |
|   |                     | 5: Target person not available during field time   | END           |  |
| 6: Target person can't be interviewed/permanent ill or disabled | END                 |  |               |  |

| Nr. | Type of information | Interview text and notes   | Continue with |
|-----|---------------------|--|---------------|
| 006 | Filter              | Interview_target_person (Contact with target person)<br>=2 (Yes, it is possible, to telephone with another person)<br>OR<br>Interview_target_person_2 (Contact with target person)<br>= 1 (Pass on telephone to target person)   |               |
|     | Int.                | <i>If requested, explain: The interview lasts on average 30 minutes.<br/>References and explanations on the importance of the study, data protection, client etc. can be found on the help screen.</i>   |               |
|     | Question            | <b>Hello, my name is ... from the infas-Institut in Bonn. We are carrying out a representative survey for the German Centre of Gerontology (Deutsches Zentrum für Altersfragen) and the Federal Ministry of Family Affairs, Senior Citizens, Women and Youth (Bundesministerium für Familie, Senioren, Frauen und Jugend). It is about the topic "Activities of citizens in different areas" and what people do in their free time. We need your support in this. As I found out in the preliminary conversation you are the right person for this interview. All information will be treated confidentially and evaluated anonymously – in other words with no names or telephone numbers –. I would therefore like to do an interview with you. Would you be willing to do this?</b> |               |
|     |                     | 1: Yes, start interview now  | 013           |
|     |                     | 2: Yes, is willing to take part in the interview bereit, not immediately   | APPOINTMENT   |
|     |                     | 3: Refuses to participate  | 008           |
| 007 | Filter              | 005 (Reason for refusal)<br>= 10 (Doesn't speak enough German)<br>OR<br>001 (User of the called mobile phone)<br>= 4 (No understanding possible/doesn't speak enough German)<br>OR<br>003 (Contact landline)<br>= 3 (No understanding possible/doesn't speak enough German)  |               |
|     | Int.                | <i>Interviews in Turkish, Russian, Polish, English und Arabic are possible – in that case point out that the call will be repeated. For determining the language you can use the following translations.<br/>English: Do you speak English?<br/>Polish: Mówi pan/pani po polsku?<br/>Russian: Вы говорите по-русски?<br/>Turkish: Türkçe biliyor musunuz?<br/>Arabic: العربية؟ نقاش (hal tatakallamu 'al-'arabi:yya(ta)?)<br/>If this assessment isn't possible, please assess yourself which language the person is speaking and choose the corresponding code.<br/>Please do not interview an underage person.</i>   |               |

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|  | Question  | <b>In which language can we do the interview?</b>   | APPOINTMENT   |   |                     |                     |
|  |   | 1: Turkish  |               |   |                     |                     |
|  |   | 2: Russian  |               |   |                     |                     |
|  |   | 3: Polish   |               |   |                     |                     |
|  |   | 4: English  |               |   |                     |                     |
|  |   | 5: Arabic   |               |   |                     |                     |
|  |   | 6: Another language   | END           |   |                     |                     |
| 008  | Filter  | 001 (User of the called mobile phone)<br>= 7 (Target person refuses to participate)<br>OR<br>002 (Age target person)<br>= 3 (Target refuses to participate)<br>OR<br>Interview_target_person (Contact with target person)<br>= 7 (Target person refuses to participate)<br>OR<br>006 (Asking for an interview with target person)<br>= 3 (Refuses to participate)<br>OR<br>Delivery study information<br>= 4 (Target person asks for delivery of correspondence)<br>OR<br>013 (Start survey)<br>= 3 (No, not given consent) |               |   |                     |                     |
|  |   | <i>Int.</i>   |               | <i>Please exactly assign the reason for refusal to get the supporting arguments. Retrieve in sequence if there are several reasons.<br/>ATTENTION: In case of non-participation three short questions for statistics will follow.</i> |                     |                     |
|  |   | Question  |               | <b>Why would you not like to take part in the survey?</b>   | Response to refusal |                     |
|  |   |   |               | 1: Target person is willing to participate after all  |                     | 013                 |
|  |   |   |               | 2: Target person disagree that we have her/his phone number   |                     | Response to refusal |
|  |   |   |               | 3: Hang up  |                     | END                 |
|  |   |   |               | 4: Target person refuses – in principle   |                     | Response to refusal |
|  |   |   |               | 5: Target person refuses – temporal reasons   |                     |                     |
|  |   |   |               | 6: Target person refuses – not on the phone   |                     |                     |
|  |   |   |               | 7: Target person refuses – ill  |                     |                     |
|  | 8: Target person refuses – too old  |   |               |   |                     |                     |
|  | 10: Target person is not allowed to participate – is forbidden by an other person |   |               |   |                     |                     |
|  | 11: Target person refuses – not interested  |   |               |   |                     |                     |
|  | 12: Target person refuses – because of the topic                                  | 007   |               |   |                     |                     |
|  | 13: Target person refuses – too many surveys                                      |   |               |   |                     |                     |
|  | 14: Target person refuses – concern about data protection                         |   |               |   |                     |                     |
|  | 15: Target person refuses – duration of the interview                             |   |               |   |                     |                     |
|  | 16: Target person refuses – other reasons   |   |               |   |                     |                     |
| 17: Target person refuses, knowledge of German ist not enough for an interview |   |   |               |   |                     |                     |
| 18: Target person refuses any information                                      | END   |   |               |   |                     |                     |

| Nr.                 | Type of information | Interview text and notes  | Continue with |
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| Response to refusal | Filter              | 008 (Reasons non-response)<br>= 2 (Target person disagree that we have her/his phone number)<br>= 4 (Target person refuses – in principle)<br>= 5 (Target person refuses – temporal reasons)<br>= 6 (arget person refuses – not on the phone)<br>= 7 (Target person refuses – ill)<br>= 8 (Target person refuses – too old)<br>= 10 (Target person is not allowed to participate – is forbidden by an other person)<br>= 11 (Target person refuses – not interessted)<br>= 12 (Target person refuses – because of the topic)<br>= 13 (Target person refuses – too many surveys)<br>= 14 (Target person refuses – concern about data protection)<br>= 15 (Target person refuses – duration of the interview)<br>= 16 (Target person refuses – other reasons)   |               |
|                     | Prog. & Text        | <p>Alternative wording of the answers depending on the reason for non-participation (008)</p> <p>008 (Reasons non-response)<br/>           = 2 (Target person disagree that we have her/his phone number)<br/> <b>infas like other social and market research institutes, carries out scientific surveys among the population. These representative surveys by telephone are carried out for research purposes only and they are permitted under law. Telephone numbers for this study have been generated randomly. We do not have either your name or address. The telephone number generated will be used exclusively by infas for this research project and will be deleted after the end of the project.</b></p> <p>008 (Reasons non-response)<br/>           = 6 (Target person refuses – not on the phone)<br/> <b>I can only do the interview for this study with you by phone. But we can agree a later date that suits you better. We can send you more detailed information on the study by e-mail: or by post. Then you can read this at your leisure and decide if you wish to take part. We will ring you back again.</b></p> <p>008 (Reasons non-response)<br/>           = 12 (Target person refuses – because of the topic)<br/> <b>Our study looks at the question, what do people do in their free time, outside work and school? This can vary greatly depending on age and where people live. As a result, since 1999, several thousand men and women throughout Germany have been surveyed on this topic every five years. The Federal Ministry of Family Affairs, Senior Citizens, Women and Youth (Bundesministerium für Familie, Senioren, Frauen und Jugend) needs up to date results to shape policy in a targeted manner and track current developments. To get a full picture for Germany, we survey people of different ages. These include for example school pupils, people employed and those not employed and retired people. In terms of the informative value of our scientific study, it is important that we do an interview with all randomly selected persons. If you don't have time at the moment, then we can call you back at a time that suits you better.<br/>           We can send you more detailed information on the study by e-mail: or by post. Then you can read this at your leisure and decide if you wish to take part. We will ring you back again.</b></p> |               |

| Nr. | Type of information | Interview text and notes  | Continue with |
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|     |                     | <p>008 (Reasons non-response)<br/>= 15 (Target person refuses – duration of the interview)<br/><b>In terms of the informative value of our scientific study, it is important that we do an interview with all randomly selected persons. If you don't have time at the moment, then we can call you back at a time that suits you better.</b></p> <p>008 (Reasons non-response)<br/>= 5 (Target person refuses – temporal reasons)<br/><b>I don't want to disturb you at all. I will call you back at a better time. Just tell me when it suits you better.</b></p> <p>008 (Reasons non-response)<br/>= 7 (Target person refuses – ill)<br/><b>If you are sick at the moment, I do not want to disturb you. I can call you back at later when you feel better.</b></p> <p>008 (Reasons non-response)<br/>= 14 (Target person refuses – concern about data protection)<br/><b>infas guarantees that all your information will be dealt with confidentially and remain anonymous. infas does not have your name or address. All staff at the infas-Institut are bound to secrecy. Use of the information for any purpose other than this research is excluded and participation in the survey is voluntary. There are no disadvantages to not taking part. We guarantee that your information will be evaluated exclusively for scientific purposes. Nobody will know who has taken part.<br/>We can send you more detailed information on the study by e-mail: or by post. Then you can read this at your leisure and decide if you wish to take part. We will ring you back again.</b></p>  |               |
|     |                     | <p>008 (Reasons non-response)<br/>= 4 (Target person refuses – in principle)<br/>= 11 (Target person refuses – not interested)<br/>= 13 (Target person refuses – too many surveys)<br/>= 16 (Target person refuses – other reasons)<br/><b>Our study looks at the question, what do people do in their free time, outside work and school? This can vary greatly depending on age and where people live. As a result, since 1999, several thousand men and women throughout Germany have been surveyed on this topic every five years. The Federal Ministry for Family, Senior Citizens, Women and Youth ( Bundesministerium für Familie, Senioren, Frauen und Jugend ) needs up to date results to shape policy in a targeted manner and track current developments. To get a full picture for Germany, we survey people of different ages. These include for example school pupils, people employed and those not employed and retired people. It is a scientific investigation and we are not trying to sell you anything.<br/>We can send you more detailed information on the study by e-mail: or by post. Then you can read this at your leisure and decide if you wish to take part. We will ring you back again.</b></p> <p>008 (Reasons non-response)<br/>= 8 (Target person refuses – too old)<br/><b>For our study, it is important that all randomly selected people take part. This applies regardless of the situation in which you find yourself today or how old you are. For the scientific study it is also important to find out what the situation of older people in Germany is, as you are a significant part of society.</b></p> |               |

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|                                   |                     | 008 (Reasons non-response)<br>= 10 (Target person is not allowed to participate – is forbidden by an other person)<br><b>In terms of the informative value of our scientific study, it is important that we speak to all randomly selected persons. Therefore we would like to speak directly to this person, whose birthday was last and is at least 14 years old. We can call you back at a later date if you like.</b> |   |        |
|                                   |                     | 1: Target person has a new argument   | Response to refusal                       |        |
|                                   |                     | 2: Target person is willing to participate  | 013                                       |        |
|                                   |                     | 3: Target person refuses, no new argument   | Announcement questions for the statistics |        |
|                                   |                     | 4: Target person asks for delivery of correspondence  | Delivery study information                |        |
| <b>Delivery study information</b> | Filter              | 001 (User of the called mobile phone)<br>= 9 (Contact person/target person would like to get study information by e-mail or post)<br>OR<br>004 (Number of personen from 14 upwards in the household)<br>= 996 (Target person/contact person would like to get study information by e-mail)<br><br>OR<br>Response to refusal<br>= 4 (Target person asks for delivery of correspondence)                                    |   |        |
|                                   | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please clarify if study information should be delivered by e-mail or post.</i>   |   |        |
|                                   | <b>Question</b>     | <b>Clarification of delivery for study information</b>  |   |        |
|                                   |                     | 1: Information send by post   |   | Post   |
|                                   |                     | 2: Information send by e-mail   |   | E-mail |
|                                   |                     | 3: Target person is willing to participate without correspondence   |   | 013    |
| 4: Target person refuses          |                     | 008   |   |        |
| <b>Post</b>                       | Filter              | Delivery study information<br>= 1 (Information send by post)  |   |        |
|                                   | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>On the next page you can find the address form!<br/>Please fill in the complete address of the respondent.<br/>Please read out all information after completion. Pay attention to capitalization and lower case printing!<br/>Check the correctness of names. Have the information spelled.</i>  |   |        |
|                                   | <b>Question</b>     | <b>Transition address form (post)</b>   |   |        |
| 1: Continue with adress tool      |                     |   | Repeated call_ documents                  |        |

| Nr.                                       | Type of information | Interview text and notes  | Continue with |   |
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| E-mail                                    | Filter              | Delivery study information<br>= 2 (Information send by e-mail)  |               |   |
|   | Int.                | <i>On the next page you can find the address form!<br/>Please fill in the e-mail-adress. Please read out all information after completion. Pay attention to capitalization and lower case printing!<br/>Check the correctness of all information. Have the information spelled.</i>   |               |   |
|   | Question            | <b>Transition address form (e-mail)</b><br>1: Continue with adress tool   |               | Repeated call_ documents  |
| Repeated call_ documents                  | Int.                | <i>Please arrange a vague appointment.<br/>- Delivery by e-mail: short-term appointment possible<br/>- Delivery by post: next appointment in five days at the soonest<br/>Perhaps ask the target person about her/his contactability.</i>   |               |   |
|   | Question            | <b>Thank you very much. We will send you the study information shortly. We will then get back to you again.</b><br>1: <i>Arrange a vague appointment</i>  |               | APPOINTMENT/<br>END   |
|   |                     | 2: Wants to continue directly/go on   |               | 013/<br>APPOINTMENT   |
|   |                     | 3: Continue when call is repeated   |               | NT  |
| Announcement questions for the statistics | Filter              | 005 (Reason for refusal)<br>= 1 (Contact person refuses: in principle)<br>= 2 (Contact person refuses: no time/takes too long)<br>= 3 (Contact person refuses: not on the phone)<br>= 4 (Contact person refuses: sick)<br>= 5 (Contact person refuses: any information)<br>= 6 (Contact person refuses: no interest/topic)<br>= 7 (Contact person refuses: reasons of data protection/too personally)<br>= 8 (Contact person refuses: other reasons)<br>= 9 (Already surveyed)<br><br>OR<br>Response to refusal<br>= 3 (Target person refuses, no new argument) |               |   |
|   |                     | Question  |               | <b>It would be very nice of you if at the end you could answer a short question for us for the statistics.</b><br>1: Yes, go on |
|   | Question            | 2: No   | Farewell      |   |
|   |                     | 9997: Contact person refuses to make a statement  |               |   |
| 009                                       | Filter              | Announcement questions for the statistics<br>= 1 (Yes, go on)   |               |   |
|   | Prog.               | <b>Fill in gender of target person</b>  |               |   |
|   |                     | 1: Male   |               | 010   |
|   |                     | 2: Female   |               |   |

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| 010           | Filter              | 009 (Gender)<br>= 1 (Male)<br>= 2 (Female)   |               |
|               | Int.                | <i>If requested, explain: "non-profit" means focused on the common good and not on profit.</i>   |               |
|               | Question            | <b>Are you a member of any non-profit club or organisation?</b>  |               |
|               |                     | 1: Yes   | 011           |
|               |                     | 2: No  |               |
| 9997: Refusal |                     | Farewell   |               |
|               |                     | 9998: Don't know   | 011           |
| 011           | Filter              | 010 (Member)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>= 2 (No)<br>= 9997 (Refusal)<br>= 9998 (Don't know)   |               |
|               | Question            | <b>If you think of the last 12 months: Have you been involved in voluntary work outside your family and professional life. This could be voluntary duties and works for example in associations, initiatives, projects or self-help groups done on an unpaid basis or for a small allowance.</b>   |               |
|               |                     | 1: Yes   | 012           |
|               |                     | 2: No  |               |
|               |                     | 9997: Refusal  | Farewell      |
|               |                     | 9998: Don't know   | 012           |
| 012           | Filter              | 011 (Voluntary work)<br>= 1 (Yes)<br>= 2 (No)<br>= 9998 (Don't know)   |               |
|               | Question            | <b>May I finally ask, how old are you?</b>   |               |
|               |                     | [0 to 120] Age   |               |
|               |                     | 9997: Refusal  | Farewell      |
| Farewell      | Text                | <b>Many thanks for this information. I hope you have a nice day/good evening. Goodbye.</b>   | END           |
| 013           | Filter              | 002 (Age target person)<br>=1 (At least 14 years or older)<br>OR<br>Interview_target_person (Contact with target person)<br>= 1 (Yes, target person on the phone)<br>OR<br>006 (Asking for an interview with target person)<br>= 1(Yes, start interview now)<br>OR<br>008 (Reasons non-response)<br>=1 (Willingness to participate)<br>OR<br>Response to refusal (Response interviewer to reasons of non-response)<br>= 2 (Target person is willing to participate)<br>OR<br>Delivery study information<br>= 3 (Target person is willing to participate without correspondence)<br>OR<br>Repeated call_documents (Announcement further call)<br>= 2 (Wants to continue directly/go on)<br>= 3 (Continue when call is repeated) |               |

| Nr.               | Type of information | Interview text and notes   | Continue with                           |
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|                   | Int.                | <p><i>At the repeated call: Please study the notes of the prior interview and find out which person was chosen for the surveys at the last contact.</i></p> <p><i>Only sample mobile phone: Otherwise interview the person who is at least 14 years old and the main user of the mobile.</i></p> <p><i>Only landline: Otherwise interview the person who is at least 14 years old and whose birthday was last.</i></p> |   |
|                   | Question            | <p><b>Can we start the survey?</b></p> <p><i>Please read out at the repeated call:</i></p> <p><b>Hello Mr/Ms...</b></p> <p><b>In our last telephone conversation, you agreed to take part in the interview.</b></p>  |   |
|                   |                     | 1: Yes, start interview now  | 014 w4_alter                            |
|                   |                     | 2: Target person is willing to participate at a later time   | APPOINTMENT                             |
|                   |                     | 3: No, not given consent   | 008                                     |
| w4_alter (014)    | Question            | <p><b>Before starting with the topic of this study I would like to ask a few questions about you: How old are you?</b></p> <p>[0 to 120] Age</p>   | 016/<br>Farewell<br>Age < 14/<br>w4_101 |
|                   |                     | 9997: Refusal  | w4_altersgr (015)                       |
|                   |                     | 9998: Don't know   |   |
| w4_altersgr (015) | Filter              | <p>w4_alter (014) (Age)</p> <p>= 9997 (Refusal)</p> <p>= 9998 (Don't know)</p>   |   |
|                   | Question            | <p><b>In the context of this study, only people of a particular age group will be interviewed . Are you</b></p>  |   |
|                   |                     | 1: Under 14 years  | 016/<br>Farewell<br>Age < 14            |
|                   |                     | 2: Between 14 and 17   | w4_101                                  |
|                   |                     | 3: Between 18 and 20   |   |
|                   |                     | 4: Between 21 and 34   |   |
|                   |                     | 5: Between 35 and 44   |   |
|                   |                     | 6: Between 45 and 54   |   |
|                   |                     | 7: Between 55 and 64   |   |
|                   |                     | 8: Between 65 and 74   |   |
|                   |                     | 9: Or 75 and above   |   |
|                   |                     | 9997: Refusal  | Farewell                                |
|                   |                     | 9998: Don't know   | Age < 14                                |
| 016               | Filter              | <p>w4_teilstp (001/003) (Subsample mobile phone network or landline)</p> <p>= 1 (Landline)</p> <p>AND</p> <p>w4_alter (014) (Age)</p> <p>&lt; 14 years</p> <p>AND</p> <p>004 (Number of personen from 14 upwards in the household)</p> <p>≥ 1 (more than 1 person from 14 upwards in the household)</p>  |   |

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|                                     |                     | <p>OR</p> <p>w4_teilstp (001/003) (Subsample mobile phone network or landline)<br/>= 1 (landline)</p> <p>AND</p> <p>w4_altersgr (015) (Age group)<br/>= 1 (Under 14 years)</p> <p>AND</p> <p>004 (Number of personen from 14 upwards in the household)<br/>≥ 1 (more than 1 person from 14 upwards in the household)</p>  |                           |
|                                     | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please do not read out the answer options.</i>   |                           |
|                                     | <b>Question</b>     | <b>In the context of this study, only people within a specific age group will be surveyed. Is there anyone living in your household, who is at least 14 years old?</b>  |                           |
|                                     |                     | 1: Yes  | Clarification<br>Age ≥ 14 |
|                                     |                     | 2: No   | Farewell Age<br>< 14      |
|                                     |                     | 9997: Refusal   |                           |
|                                     |                     | 9998: Don't know  |                           |
| <b>Clarification<br/>Age ≥ 14</b>   | Filter              | 016 (Search for target person from 14 upwards in the household)<br>= 1 (Yes)  |                           |
|                                     | <i>Int.</i>         | <i>Please clarify again if there is a person in the household in the required age group from 14 upwards.</i>  |                           |
|                                     | <b>Question</b>     | <b>Again clarification, if in the household is a target person who is at least 14 years</b>   |                           |
|                                     |                     | 1: Continue, return to question 004   | 004                       |
| <b>Farewell<br/>Age<br/>&lt; 14</b> | Filter              | <p>002 (Age target person)<br/>= 2 (Younger than 14 years?)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>004 (Number of personen from 14 upwards in the household)<br/>= 9995 (Target person/contact person refuses)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_altersgr (015) (Age group)<br/>= 9997 (Refusal)<br/>= 9998 (Don't know)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>016 (Search for target person from 14 upwards in the household)<br/>= 2 (No)<br/>= 9997 (Refusal)<br/>= 9998 (Don't know)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_alter (014) (Age)<br/>&lt; 14 years</p> <p>AND</p> <p>004 (Number of personen from 14 upwards in the household)</p> |                           |

| Nr. | Type of information | Interview text and notes  | Continue with |
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|     |                     | <p>= 1</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_altersgr (015) (Age group)<br/>= 9997 (Refusal)<br/>= 9998 (Don't know)</p> <p>AND</p> <p>004 (Number of personen from 14 upwards in the household)<br/>= 1</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_alter (014) (Age)<br/>&lt; 14 years</p> <p>AND</p> <p>004 (Number of personen from 14 upwards in the household)<br/>= 1</p> <p>AND</p> <p>w4_teilstp (001/003) (Subsample mobile phone network or landline)<br/>= 1 (Landline)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>w4_alter (014) (Age)<br/>&lt; 14 years</p> <p>AND</p> <p>w4_teilstp (001/003) (Subsample mobile phone network or landline)<br/>= 2 (Mobile phone network)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>004 (Number of personen from 14 upwards in the household)<br/>= 1</p> |               |
|     |                     | <p>OR</p> <p>004 (Number of personen from 14 upwards in the household)<br/>= 9995 (Target person/contact person refuses)</p>  |               |
|     | <b>Text</b>         | <p><b>For this study, we unfortunately only interview people aged 14 and above. I hope you have a nice day/good evening. Many thanks and goodbye.</b></p>   |               |
|     |                     | 1: End  | END           |