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SLID CODING STRUCTURE: MOTHER TONGUE, COUNTRY OF BIRTH AND ETHNIC BACKGROUND

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Code lists are needed for efficient data manipulation of textual data. For data items with many possible responses, the assignment of codes is done as part of the survey processing. As part of its objective to inform data users, SLID is documenting the code lists for the six variables handled in this manner:

- Industry in which a person's employer does business
- Occupation in which a person is employed
- Country of birth
- Mother tongue (language first spoken which the respondent still understands)
- Ethnic background
- Major field or subject of study (for postsecondary degrees, certificates and diplomas)

SLID has used existing code lists for these variables, that is, lists or classification systems established for other surveys. Codes are assigned to the most detailed level possible. This provides users with the flexibility to group the codes according to their own needs.

This document presents the structure for country of birth, mother tongue and ethnic background. The code lists are provided in two ways: by numerical order of the code and in alphabetical order.

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1. INTRODUCTION

Data items are easy to collect, process and analyze when they are inherently numerical; for example, age, number of weeks employed, total income. Items which are categorical in nature are usually handled by assigning a numerical value to each of the possible responses. For example, for a person's sex, the data file may have a 1 to indicate that the person is a male and a 2 to indicate that the person is a female. These codes are first used when the responses are put into machine-readable form, and subsequent processing and analyses can efficiently use these numerical values.

However, some items have such a large number of possible values that it is inefficient to enter the codes at the time the data are being placed into machine-readable form. In the case of SLID, which uses computer-assisted interviewing (CAI), the interviewer enters the data directly into a computer file at the time of the interview with the respondent. For those entries with many codes, the interviewer would have to stop the collection to consult the code list for the correct code. This would increase respondent burden and would be very error prone, as the interviewer would rush to avoid irritating the respondent. Therefore, the standard practice is for the interviewer to key in the response as stated by the respondent. A subsequent operation during processing assigns the appropriate code to each response.

For SLID, the coding operation is used for six variables:
- Industry in which a person's employer does business
- Occupation in which a person is employed
- Country of birth
- Mother tongue (language first spoken which the respondent still understands)
- Ethnic background

● Major field or subject of study (for post-secondary degrees, certificates and diplomas)

Two decisions were taken regarding the classifications to use for SLID variables:

● Existing code lists, developed for other surveys, would be used. This avoided the need to develop a coding structure. As well, those data users familiar with these variables need not learn a new system, and this approach promotes consistency across data sources.

● Codes would be assigned to their most detailed level. Although the sample sizes in SLID are generally too small to allow any work at the most detailed level, the use of detailed codes allows maximum flexibility when aggregating codes. In all cases, "standard" aggregations of these detailed codes are also provided on SLID data files.

The first two variables are coded to standard classifications:

● Industry is coded to the 1980 Standard Industrial Classification (3 digits). These codes are available by consulting Statistics Canada Catalogue Number 12-501.

● Occupation is coded to the 1980 Standard Occupational Classification (4 digits). These codes are available by consulting Statistics Canada Catalogue Number 12-565.

The remaining four variables are coded to the same code lists as were used by the 1991 Census of Population, and updated for the January 1993 National Census Test. This document presents the structure for three of these: country of birth,

mother tongue, and ethnic background. SLID research paper 95-02 *SLID Coding Structure: Major Field of Study for Postsecondary Graduates* presents the code list for major field of study.

Each code set is presented twice:

- in numerical order – one can quickly determine the meaning of any code;
- in alphabetical order – one can quickly determine the code for any response.

For all English responses, the French equivalent is provided for those users wishing this information. (In addition, as with all SLID Research Papers, a French version of this document is available.)

As with all SLID variables, each of these code lists contains "reserved"codes. As each of these variables is length 3, all have the same reserved codes. Those relevant to this document are:

- 997   Don't Know
- 998   Refusal

2.   COUNTRY OF BIRTH - NUMERICAL ORDER

This information is collected as part of the Preliminary Interview. The question is:

DEMPRE-Q17   IN WHAT COUNTRY WAS [respondent] BORN?

The interviewer can mark a box for the most frequent responses:

- Canada
- United Kingdom
- Italy
- U.S.A.

- Germany
- Poland

If the response is anything else, the interviewer must enter the response. These are subsequently coded using the following codes.

Country of birth Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
027	United Kingdom	Royaume-Uni
028	Italy	Italie
029	U.S.A	États-Unis d'Amérique
030	West Germany	Allemagne de l'Ouest
031	East Germany	Allemagne de l'Est
032	Poland	Pologne
033	Canada	Canada
034	Greenland	Groenland
035	St. Pierre and Miquelon	Saint-Pierre-et-Miquelon
037	Armenia	Arménie
038	Azerbaijan	Azerbaïdjan
039	Byelorussia	Biélorussie
040	Estonia	Estonie
041	Georgia	Géorgie
042	Kazakhstan	Kazakhstan
043	Kirgizia	Kirghize
044	Latvia	Lettonie
045	Lithuania	Lituanie
046	Moldavia	Moldavie
047	Russia	Russie
048	Tadzhikistan	Tadzhikistan
049	Turkmenistan	Turkmenistan

Country of birth Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
050	Ukraine	Ukraine
051	Uzbekistan	Ouzbekistan
052	Croatia	Croatie
053	Serbia	Serbie
054	Slovenia	Slovénie
055	Bosnia-Herzegovina	Bosnie-Herzegovine
151	Bermuda	Bermudes
152	Bahamas	Bahamas
153	Cuba	Cuba
154	Cayman Islands	Îles Caïmans
155	Jamaica	Jamaïque
156	Turks and Caicos Islands	Îles Turques et Caïques
157	Haiti	Haïti
158	Dominican Republic	République Dominicaine
159	Puerto Rico	Porto Rico
160	Virgin Islands USA	Îles Vierges américaines
161	Virgin Islands British	Îles Vierges britanniques
162	Anguilla	Anguille
163	Netherlands Antilles	Antilles néerlandaise
164	Antigua	Antigua
165	St. Christopher-Nevis	Saint-Christophe et Nevis
166	Montserrat	Montserrat
167	Guadeloupe	Guadeloupe
168	Dominica	Dominique
169	Martinique	Martinique

Country of birth Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
170	St. Lucia	Sainte-Lucie
171	St. Vincent/Grenadines	Saint-Vincent-et-Grenadines
172	Barbados	Barbade
173	Grenada	Grenade
174	Trinidad-Tobago	Trinité et Tobago
175	Aruba	Aruba
176	West Indies	Indes de l'Ouest
177	Caribbean n.i.e.	Caraïbe n.i.a.
211	Mexico	Mexique
212	Belize	Bélize
213	Guatemala	Guatemala
214	Honduras	Honduras
215	El Salvador	El Salvador
216	Nicaragua	Nicaragua
217	Costa Rica	Costa Rica
218	Panama	Panama
219	Central America n.i.e.	Amérique Centrale n.i.a.
251	Argentina	Argentine
252	Chile	Chili
253	Falkland Islands	Îles Falklands
254	Uruguay	Uruguay
255	Paraguay	Paraguay
256	Bolivia	Bolivie
257	Brazil	Brésil
258	Peru	Pérou

Country of birth Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
259	Ecuador	Équateur
260	Colombia	Colombie
261	Venezuela	Venezuela
262	Guyana	Guyane
263	Surinam	Surinam
264	French Guiana	Guyane Française
265	South America n.i.e.	Amérique du Sud n.i.a.
311	France	France
312	Monaco	Monaco
313	Switzerland	Suisse
314	Liechtenstein	Liechtenstein
315	Belgium	Belgique
316	Luxembourg	Luxembourg
317	Netherlands	Pays-Bas
318	Austria	Autriche
320	Federal Republic of Germany	Allemagne
331	Czech Republic	République Tchèque
332	Slovakia	Slovaquie
333	Czechoslovakia	Tchécoslovaquie
334	Hungary	Hongrie
335	Romania	Roumanie
336	Bulgaria	Bulgarie
337	USSR	URSS
351	Finland	Finlande
352	Denmark	Danemark

Country of birth Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
353	Iceland	Islande
354	Norway	Norvège
355	Sweden	Suède
356	Republic of Ireland (EIRE)	République d'Irlande (EIRE)
358	Ireland n.i.e.	Irlande n.i.a.
361	Portugal	Portugal
362	Spain	Espagne
363	Gibraltar	Gibraltar
365	Vatican City State	État de la Cité du Vatican
366	San Marino	Saint-Martin
367	Malta	Malte
368	Andorra	Andorre
369	Yugoslavia	Yougoslavie
370	Albania	Albanie
371	Cyprus	Chypre
372	Greece	Grèce
373	Macedonia	Macédoine
374	Europe n.i.e.	Europe n.i.a.
411	Turkey	Turquie
412	Syria	Syrie
413	Lebanon	Liban
414	Israel	Israël
415	Jordan	Jordanie
416	Saudi Arabia	Arabie Saoudite
417	Republic of Yemen	République du Yémen

Country of birth Codes		
Code	English description	French description
418	Oman	Aman
419	United Arab Emirates	Émirats Arabes Unis
420	Qatar	Qatar
421	Bahrain	Bahrein
422	Kuwait	Koweit
423	Iraq	Iraq
424	Iran	Iran
425	Afghanistan	Afghanistan
441	People's Republic of China	Rép. Pop. de Chine
442	Mongolia	Mongolie
443	Macao	Macao
444	Hong Kong	Hong Kong
445	Taiwan	Taïwan
446	North Korea	Corée du Nord
447	South Korea	Corée du Sud
448	Japan	Japon
449	China n.i.e.	Chine n.i.a.
450	Korea n.i.e.	Corée n.i.a.
461	Union of Myanmar	Myanmar
462	Thailand	Thaïlande
463	Laos	Laos
464	Kampuchea	Kampuchea
465	Viet Nam	Viet Nam
466	Malaysia	Malaisie
467	Singapore	Singapour

Country of birth Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
468	Brunei	Brunei
469	Indonesia	Indonesie
470	Philippines	Philippines
481	Pakistan	Pakistan
482	India	Inde
483	Nepal	Népal
484	Bhutan	Bhoutan
485	Bangladesh	Bangladesh
486	Sri Lanka	Sri Lanka
487	Republic of Maldives	Îles Maladives
488	Asia n.i.e.	Asie n.i.a.
521	Morocco	Maroc
522	Western Sahara	Sahara Occidental
523	Algeria	Algérie
524	Tunisia	Tunisie
525	Libya	Libye
526	Egypt	Égypte
527	Sudan	Soudan
530	Chad	Tchad
531	Cameroon	Cameroun
532	Sao Tome & Principe	Sao-Tome-et-Principe
533	Equatorial Guinea	Guinée Équatoriale
534	Gabon	Gabon
535	Congo	Congo
536	Angola	Angola

Country of birth Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
537	Zaire	Zaïre
538	Central African Republic	République centrafricaine
541	Cape Verde Islands	Îles du Cap-Vert
542	Mauritania	Mauritanie
543	Senegal	Sénégal
544	Gambia	Gambie
545	Guinea-Bissau	Guinée-Bissau
546	Guinea	Guinée
547	Sierra Leone	Sierra Léone
548	Liberia	Libéria
549	Ivory Coast	Côte d'Ivoire
550	Ghana	Ghana
551	Togo	Togo
552	Benin	Bénin
553	Nigeria	Nigéria
554	St. Helena and Ascension	Sainte-Helène-et-Ascension
555	Niger	Niger
556	Burkina Faso	Burkina Faso
557	Mali	Mali
561	Namibia	Namibie
562	Botswana	Botswana
563	Republic of South Africa	République d'Afrique du Sud
564	Lesotho	Lesotho
565	Swaziland	Swaziland
571	Zambia	Zambie

Country of birth Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
572	Zimbabwe	Zimbabwe
573	Mozambique	Mozambique
574	Malawi	Malawi
575	Madagascar	Madagascar
576	Reunion	Réunion
577	Mauritius	Île Maurice
578	Seychelles	Seychelles
579	Comoros	Comores
580	Mayotte	Mayotte
581	Tanzania	Tanzanie
582	Burundi	Burundi
583	Rwanda	Rwanda
584	Uganda	Ouganda
585	Kenya	Kenya
586	Ethiopia	Ethiopie
587	Somalia	Somalie
588	Republic of Djibouti	République de Djibouti
589	East Africa n.i.e.	Afrique de l'Est n.i.a.
590	Africa n.i.e.	Afrique n.i.a.
592	Eritrea	Éritrée
601	Guam USA	Guam (É.-U.)
602	Marshall Islands	Îles Marshall
603	US Pacific Trust Territories	Terr. sous la tut. des É.-U. dans le Pacif.
604	Micronesia	Micronésie
606	Papua New Guinea	Papouasie-Nouvelle-Guinée

Country of birth Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
607	Australia	Australie
608	New Zealand	Nouvelle-Zélande
609	New Caledonia	Nouvelle-Calédonie
610	Vanuatu	Vanuatu
611	Solomon Islands	Îles Salomon
612	Nauru	Nauru
613	Kiribati	Kiribati
614	Tuvalu	Tuvalu
615	Fiji	Fidji
616	Wallis & Futuna	Wallis et Futuna
617	Tonga	Tonga
618	Western Samoa	Samoa Occidentales
619	American Samoa	Samoa Américaines
620	Cook Islands	Îles Cook
621	French Polynesia	Polynésie Française
622	Pitcairn Island	Île Pitcairn
623	Republic of Belau	Belau
799	Other	Autres
903	Eastern Europe n.i.e.	Europe de l'Est n.i.a.
904	Western Europe n.i.e.	Europe de l'Ouest n.i.a.
905	Northern Europe n.i.e.	Europe du Nord n.i.a.
906	Southern Europe n.i.a.	Europe du Sud n.i.a.

3. COUNTRY OF BIRTH - ALPHABETICAL ORDER

Country of birth Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
425	Afghanistan	Afghanistan
590	Africa n.i.e.	Afrique n.i.a.
589	East Africa n.i.e.	Afrique de l'Est n.i.a.
370	Albania	Albanie
523	Algeria	Algérie
219	Central America n.i.e.	Amérique Centrale n.i.a.
265	South America n.i.e.	Amérique du Sud n.i.a.
368	Andorra	Andorre
536	Angola	Angola
162	Anguilla	Anguille
164	Antigua	Antigua
251	Argentina	Argentine
037	Armenia	Arménie
175	Aruba	Aruba
488	Asia n.i.e.	Asie n.i.a.
607	Australia	Australie
318	Austria	Autriche
038	Azerbaijan	Azerbaïdjan
152	Bahamas	Bahamas
421	Bahrain	Bahrein
485	Bangladesh	Bangladesh
172	Barbados	Barbade
623	Republic of Belau	Belau

Country of birth Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
315	Belgium	Belgique
212	Belize	Bélize
552	Benin	Bénin
151	Bermuda	Bermudes
484	Bhutan	Bhoutan
256	Bolivia	Bolivie
055	Bosnia-Herzegovina	Bosnie-Herzegovine
562	Botswana	Botswana
257	Brazil	Brésil
468	Brunei	Brunei
336	Bulgaria	Bulgarie
556	Burkina Faso	Burkina Faso
582	Burundi	Burundi
039	Byelorussia	Biélorussie
531	Cameroon	Cameroun
033	Canada	Canada
541	Cape Verde Islands	Îles du Cap-Vert
177	Caribbean n.i.e.	Caraïbe n.i.a.
154	Cayman Islands	Îles Caïmans
538	Central African Republic	République centrafricaine
530	Chad	Tchad
252	Chile	Chili
449	China n.i.e.	Chine n.i.a.
441	People's Republic of China	Rép. Pop. de Chine
260	Colombia	Colombie

Country of birth Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
579	Comoros	Comores
535	Congo	Congo
620	Cook Islands	Îles Cook
217	Costa Rica	Costa Rica
052	Croatia	Croatie
153	Cuba	Cuba
371	Cyprus	Chypre
331	Czech Republic	République Tchèque
333	Czechoslovakia	Tchécoslovaquie
352	Denmark	Danemark
588	Republic of Djibouti	République de Djibouti
168	Dominica	Dominique
158	Dominican Republic	République Dominicaine
259	Ecuador	Équateur
526	Egypt	Égypte
215	El Salvador	El Salvador
533	Equatorial Guinea	Guinée Équatoriale
592	Eritrea	Éritrée
040	Estonia	Estonie
586	Ethiopia	Ethiopie
374	Europe n.i.e.	Europe n.i.a.
903	Eastern Europe n.i.e.	Europe de l'Est n.i.a.
905	Northern Europe n.i.e.	Europe du Nord n.i.a.
906	Southern Europe n.i.a.	Europe du Sud n.i.a.
904	Western Europe n.i.e.	Europe de l'Ouest n.i.a.

Country of birth Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
253	Falkland Islands	Îles Falklands
615	Fiji	Fidji
351	Finland	Finlande
311	France	France
534	Gabon	Gabon
544	Gambia	Gambie
041	Georgia	Géorgie
320	Federal Republic of Germany	Allemagne
031	East Germany	Allemagne de l'Est
030	West Germany	Allemagne de l'Ouest
550	Ghana	Ghana
363	Gibraltar	Gibraltar
372	Greece	Grèce
034	Greenland	Groenland
173	Grenada	Grenade
167	Guadeloupe	Guadeloupe
601	Guam USA	Guam (É.-U.)
213	Guatemala	Guatemala
546	Guinea	Guinée
545	Guinea-Bissau	Guinée-Bissau
262	Guyana	Guyane
264	French Guiana	Guyane Française
157	Haiti	Haïti
214	Honduras	Honduras
444	Hong Kong	Hong Kong

Country of birth Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
334	Hungary	Hongrie
353	Iceland	Islande
482	India	Inde
469	Indonesia	Indonesie
424	Iran	Iran
423	Iraq	Iraq
358	Ireland n.i.e.	Irlande n.i.a.
356	Republic of Ireland (EIRE)	République d'Irlande (EIRE)
414	Israel	Israël
028	Italy	Italie
549	Ivory Coast	Côte d'Ivoire
155	Jamaica	Jamaïque
448	Japan	Japon
415	Jordan	Jordanie
464	Kampuchea	Kampuchea
042	Kazakhstan	Kazakhstan
585	Kenya	Kenya
043	Kirgizia	Kirghize
613	Kiribati	Kiribati
450	Korea n.i.e.	Corée n.i.a.
446	North Korea	Corée du Nord
447	South Korea	Corée du Sud
422	Kuwait	Koweit
463	Laos	Laos
044	Latvia	Lettonie

Country of birth Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
413	Lebanon	Liban
564	Lesotho	Lesotho
548	Liberia	Libéria
525	Libya	Libye
314	Liechtenstein	Liechtenstein
045	Lithuania	Lituanie
316	Luxembourg	Luxembourg
443	Macao	Macao
373	Macedonia	Macédoine
575	Madagascar	Madagascar
574	Malawi	Malawi
466	Malaysia	Malaisie
487	Republic of Maldives	Îles Maladives
557	Mali	Mali
367	Malta	Malte
602	Marshall Islands	Îles Marshall
169	Martinique	Martinique
542	Mauritania	Mauritanie
577	Mauritius	Île Maurice
580	Mayotte	Mayotte
211	Mexico	Mexique
604	Micronesia	Micronésie
046	Moldavia	Moldavie
312	Monaco	Monaco
442	Mongolia	Mongolie

Country of birth Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
166	Montserrat	Montserrat
521	Morocco	Maroc
573	Mozambique	Mozambique
461	Union of Myanmar	Myanmar
561	Namibia	Namibie
612	Nauru	Nauru
483	Nepal	Népal
317	Netherlands	Pays-Bas
163	Netherlands Antilles	Antilles néerlandaise
609	New Caledonia	Nouvelle-Calédonie
608	New Zealand	Nouvelle-Zélande
216	Nicaragua	Nicaragua
555	Niger	Niger
553	Nigeria	Nigéria
354	Norway	Norvège
418	Oman	Aman
799	Other	Autres
481	Pakistan	Pakistan
218	Panama	Panama
606	Papua New Guinea	Papouasie-Nouvelle-Guinée
255	Paraguay	Paraguay
258	Peru	Pérou
470	Philippines	Philippines
622	Pitcairn Island	Île Pitcairn
032	Poland	Pologne

Country of birth Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
621	French Polynesia	Polynésie Française
361	Portugal	Portugal
159	Puerto Rico	Porto Rico
420	Qatar	Qatar
576	Reunion	Réunion
335	Romania	Roumanie
047	Russia	Russie
583	Rwanda	Rwanda
522	Western Sahara	Sahara Occidental
619	American Samoa	Samoa Américaines
618	Western Samoa	Samoa Occidentales
366	San Marino	Saint-Martin
532	Sao Tome & Principe	Sao-Tome-et-Principe
416	Saudi Arabia	Arabie Saoudite
543	Senegal	Sénégal
053	Serbia	Serbie
578	Seychelles	Seychelles
547	Sierra Leone	Sierra Léone
467	Singapore	Singapour
332	Slovakia	Slovaquie
054	Slovenia	Slovénie
611	Solomon Islands	Îles Salomon
587	Somalia	Somalie
563	Republic of South Africa	République d'Afrique du Sud
362	Spain	Espagne

Country of birth Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
486	Sri Lanka	Sri Lanka
165	St. Christopher-Nevis	Saint-Christophe et Nevis
554	St. Helena and Ascension	Sainte-Helène-et-Ascension
170	St. Lucia	Sainte-Lucie
035	St. Pierre and Miquelon	Saint-Pierre-et-Miquelon
171	St. Vincent/Grenadines	Saint-Vincent-et-Grenadines
527	Sudan	Soudan
263	Surinam	Surinam
565	Swaziland	Swaziland
355	Sweden	Suède
313	Switzerland	Suisse
412	Syria	Syrie
048	Tadzhikistan	Tadzhikistan
445	Taiwan	Taïwan
581	Tanzania	Tanzanie
462	Thailand	Thaïlande
551	Togo	Togo
617	Tonga	Tonga
174	Trinidad-Tobago	Trinité et Tobago
524	Tunisia	Tunisie
411	Turkey	Turquie
049	Turkmenistan	Turkmenistan
156	Turks and Caicos Islands	Îles Turques et Caïques
614	Tuvalu	Tuvalu
584	Uganda	Ouganda

Country of birth Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
050	Ukraine	Ukraine
419	United Arab Emirates	Émirats Arabes Unis
027	United Kingdom	Royaume-Uni
603	US Pacific Trust Territories	Terr. sous la tut. des É.-U. dans le Pacif.
029	U.S.A	États-Unis d'Amérique
254	Uruguay	Uruguay
337	USSR	URSS
051	Uzbekistan	Ouzbekistan
610	Vanuatu	Vanuatu
365	Vatican City State	État de la Cité du Vatican
261	Venezuela	Venezuela
465	Viet Nam	Viet Nam
160	Virgin Islands USA	Îles Vierges américaines
161	Virgin Islands British	Îles Vierges britanniques
616	Wallis & Futuna	Wallis et Futuna
176	West Indies	Indes de l'Ouest
417	Republic of Yemen	République du Yémen
369	Yugoslavia	Yougoslavie
537	Zaire	Zaïre
571	Zambia	Zambie
572	Zimbabwe	Zimbabwe

4. COUNTRY OF BIRTH - GROUP CODES

Since the number of responses to most of the detailed codes are too low to be useful, the detailed Country of birth codes are grouped. The detailed codes are still available for those interested in a different grouping.

Country of birth - Groups		
Group Code	**Description**	**Detailed codes**
01	Canada	033
02	United States	029
03	United Kingdom	027, 356, 358
04	Western Europe	030, 031, 311 to 320, 904
05	Eastern Europe	032, 037 to 051, 331 to 337, 903
06	Northern Europe	351 to 355, 905
07	Southern Europe	028, 052 to 055, 361 to 373, 906
08	Europe, n.i.e.	374
09	Middle East	411 to 425
10	Caribbean	151 to 177
11	Mexico and Central America	211 to 219
12	South America	251 to 265
13	Asia	441 to 450, 488
14	Southeast Asia	461 to 470
15	South Asia	481 to 487
16	Africa	521 to 592
17	Australia, New Zealand, Pacific Islands	601 to 623

Country of birth - Groups		
Group Code	**Description**	**Detailed codes**
18	Other, n.i.e.	034, 035, 799

5. MOTHER TONGUE - NUMERICAL ORDER

This information is collected as part of the Preliminary Interview. The question is:

DEMPRE-Q16 WHAT IS THE LANGUAGE THAT [respondent] FIRST LEARNED AT HOME IN CHILDHOOD AND STILL UNDERSTANDS?

Only one response is allowed. The interviewer can mark a box for the most frequent responses:

- English
- French

If the response is anything else, the interviewer must type the response. These are subsequently coded using the following codes.

Mother Tongue Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
001	English	Anglais
002	French	Français
003	Dutch	Néerlandais
004	Flemish	Flamand
005	Frisian	Frison
006	Danish	Danois

Mother Tongue Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
007	Icelandic	Islandais
008	Norwegian	Norvégien
009	Swedish	Suédois
010	Yiddish	Yiddish
011	Alsace	Alsace
012	German	Allemand
013	Luxembourgish	Luxembourgois
014	Faeroese	Faeroese
015	Afrikaans	Afrikaner
016	Germanic languages, n.i.e.	Langues germaniques, n.i.a.
017	Portuguese	Portugais
018	Spanish	Espagnol
019	Romanian	Roumain
020	Italian	Italien
021	Catalan	Catalan
022	Corsican	Corse
023	Friulian	Friulien
024	Ladin	Ladin
025	Occitan	Occitain
026	Sardinian	Sarde
027	Romansch	Romanche
028	Romance languages, n.i.e.	Langues latines, n.i.a.
029	Greek	Grec
030	Armenian	Arménien
031	Gaelic languages	Langues gaéliques

Mother Tongue Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
032	Welsh	Gallois
033	Irish	Irlandais
034	Scottish	Écossais
035	Celtic languages, n.i.e.	Langues celtiques, n.i.a.
036	Latvian (Lettish)	Letton
037	Lithuanian	Lituanien
038	Russian	Russe
039	Byelorussian	Biélorusse
040	Bulgarian	Bulgare
041	Serbo-Croatian	Serbo-croate
042	Croatian	Croate
043	Serbian	Serbe
044	Slovenian	Slovène
045	Czech	Tchèque
046	Macedonian	Macédonien
047	Polish	Polonais
048	Ukrainian	Ukrainien
049	Yugoslavian n.i.e.	Yougoslave n.i.a.
050	Slovak	Slovaque
051	Slavic languages, n.i.e.	Langues slaves, n.i.a.
052	Ossetic	Ossetique
053	Kurdish	Kurde
054	Baluchi	Baloutche
055	Tadzhik	Tadzhique
056	Persian (Farsi)	Persan (farsi)

Mother Tongue Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
057	Punjabi	Pendjabi
058	Lahnda	Lahnde
059	Sindhi	Sindhe
060	Pahari	Paharie
061	Gujarati	Gujarati
062	Marathi	Marathi
063	Konkani	Konkanie
064	Maldivian	Maldivien
065	Sinhalese	Singhalais
066	Rajasthani	Rajasthanie
067	Bihari	Biharie
068	Hindi	Hindi
069	Urdu	Ourdou
070	Assamese	Assamese
071	Bengali	Bengali
072	Oriya	Oriye
073	Bhili	Bhilie
074	Bhojpuri	Bhojpurie
075	Garhwali	Garhwalie
076	Kashmiri	Kashmirie
077	Pashto	Pachto
078	Romany	Romanye
079	Nepali	Népalie
080	Indo-Iranian languages, n.i.e.	Langues indo-iraniennes, n.i.a.
081	Malayalam	Malayalam

Mother Tongue Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
082	Tamil	Tamoul
083	Telugu	Telougou
084	Kannada	Kannade
085	Dravidian languages, n.i.e.	Langues dravidiennes, n.i.a.
086	Japanese	Japonais
087	Korean	Coréen
088	Thai	Thaï
089	Lao	Lao
090	Tai n.i.e.	Taie n.i.a.
091	Chinese	Chinois
092	Sino-Tibetan languages, n.i.e.	Langues sino-tibétaines, n.i.a.
093	Vietnamese	Vietnamien
094	Khmer (Cambodian)	Khmer (cambodgien)
095	Austro-Asiatic languages, n.i.e.	Langues austro-asiatiques, n.i.a.
096	Asiatic languages, n.i.e.	Langues asiatiques, n.i.a.
097	Caucasian languages	Langues caucasiennes
098	Malay-Bahasa	Malais-Bahase
099	Pilipino	Pilipine
100	Tagalog	Tagalog
101	Malayo-Polynesian languages, n.i.e.	Langues malayo-polynésiennes, n.i.a.
102	Arabic	Arabe
103	Hebrew	Hébreu
104	Maltese	Maltais

Mother Tongue Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
105	Semitic languages, n.i.e.	Langues sémitiques, n.i.a.
106	Turkish	Turc
107	Altai-Turkic languages, n.i.e.	Langues altai-turques, n.i.a.
108	Estonian	Estonien
109	Finnish	Finnois
110	Hungarian	Hongrois
111	Finno-Ugric - Other	Finno-ougriennes - Autres
112	Swahili	Swahili
113	Bantu languages, n.i.e.	Langues bantoues, n.i.a.
114	Niger-Congo languages, n.i.e.	Langues nigéro-congolaises, n.i.a.
115	African languages, n.i.e.	Langues africaines, n.i.a.
116	Cree	Cri
117	Ojibway	Ojibwa
118	Blackfoot	Pied-noir
119	Malecite	Malécite
120	Micmac	Micmac
121	Montagnais-Naskapi	Montagnais-naskapi
122	Delaware	Delaware
123	Abenaki	Abénaki
124	Potawatomi	Potéouatami
125	Algonkian	Algonkien
126	Algonquian languages, n.i.e.	Langues algonquiennes, n.i.a.
127	Chipewyan	Chipewyan
128	South Slave	Esclave du Sud

Mother Tongue Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
129	Carrier	Porteur
130	Sarcee	Sarsi
131	Beaver	Castor
132	Tagish	Tagish
133	Sekani	Sékanais
134	Chilcotin	Chilcotin
135	Dogrib	Flanc-de-chien
136	North Slave (Hare)	Esclave du Nord (Peau-de-lièvre)
137	Kutchin-Gwich'in (Loucheux)	Kutchin-gwich'in (loucheux)
138	Kaska-Nahani	Kaska-Nahanie
139	Tahltan	Tahltane
140	Tutchone	Tutchone
141	Athapaskan languages, n.i.e.	Langues athapascanes, n.i.a.
142	Mohawk	Mohawk
143	Cayuga	Cayuga
144	Oneida	Onéida
145	Onondaga	Onondaga
146	Seneca	Sénéca
147	Tuscarora	Tuscarora
148	Iroquoian languages, n.i.e.	Langues iroquoiennes, n.i.a.
149	Bella Coola	Bella Coola
150	Comox	Comox
151	Halkomelem	Halkomelem
152	Lillooet	Lillooet
153	Okanagan	Okanagan

Mother Tongue Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
154	Sechelt	Sechelt
155	Shuswap	Shuswap
156	Squamish	Squamish
157	Thompson	Thompson
158	Salish languages n.i.e.	Langues salishennes n.i.a.
159	Tsimshian	Tsimshian
160	Gitskan	Gitskane
161	Haisla	Haisla
162	Heiltsuk	Heiltsuke
163	Kwakiutl	Kwakwala
164	Nootka	Nootka
165	Wakashan languages n.i.e.	Langues wakashanes n.i.a.
166	Haida	Haïda
167	Dakota	Dakota
168	Tlingit	Tlingit
169	Chillok	Chilloke
170	Kutenai	Kutenai
171	Amerindian languages, n.i.e.	Langues amérindiennes, n.i.a.
172	Inuktitut	Inuktitut
173	Albanian	Albanien
174	Basque	Basque
175	Creole	Créole
176	Haitian	Haïtien
177	Pidgin	Pidgin
178	Creole - Other	Créole - Autres

Mother Tongue Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
179	Belgian	Belge
180	Czechoslovakian	Tchécoslovaque
181	Scandinavian	Scandinave
182	Swiss	Suisse
183	Sign	Gestuel
184	Other	Autres
186	Mandarin	Mandarin
187	Cantonese	Cantonais
300	English and French	Anglais et français
301-310	English and non-official language	Anglais et langue non officielle
311-317	French and non-official language	Français et langue non officielle
318-328	Two unofficial languages	Deux langues non officielles

6.   MOTHER TONGUE - ALPHABETICAL ORDER

Mother Tongue Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
123	Abenaki	Abénaki
115	African languages, n.i.e.	Langues africaines, n.i.a.
015	Afrikaans	Afrikaner
173	Albanian	Albanien
125	Algonkian	Algonkien
126	Algonquian languages, n.i.e.	Langues algonquiennes, n.i.a.

Mother Tongue Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
011	Alsace	Alsace
107	Altai-Turkic languages, n.i.e.	Langues altai-turques, n.i.a.
171	Amerindian languages, n.i.e.	Langues amérindiennes, n.i.a.
102	Arabic	Arabe
030	Armenian	Arménien
096	Asiatic languages, n.i.e.	Langues asiatiques, n.i.a.
070	Assamese	Assamese
141	Athapaskan languages, n.i.e.	Langues athapascanes, n.i.a.
095	Austro-Asiatic languages, n.i.e.	Langues austro-asiatiques, n.i.a.
054	Baluchi	Baloutche
113	Bantu languages, n.i.e.	Langues bantoues, n.i.a.
174	Basque	Basque
131	Beaver	Castor
179	Belgian	Belge
149	Bella Coola	Bella Coola
071	Bengali	Bengali
073	Bhili	Bhilie
074	Bhojpuri	Bhojpurie
067	Bihari	Biharie
118	Blackfoot	Pied-noir
040	Bulgarian	Bulgare
039	Byelorussian	Biélorusse
187	Cantonese	Cantonais
129	Carrier	Porteur

Mother Tongue Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
021	Catalan	Catalan
097	Caucasian languages	Langues caucasiennes
143	Cayuga	Cayuga
035	Celtic languages, n.i.e.	Langues celtiques, n.i.a.
134	Chilcotin	Chilcotin
169	Chillok	Chilloke
091	Chinese	Chinois
127	Chipewyan	Chipewyan
150	Comox	Comox
022	Corsican	Corse
116	Cree	Cri
175	Creole	Créole
178	Creole - Other	Créole - Autres
042	Croatian	Croate
045	Czech	Tchèque
180	Czechoslovakian	Tchécoslovaque
167	Dakota	Dakota
006	Danish	Danois
122	Delaware	Delaware
135	Dogrib	Flanc-de-chien
085	Dravidian languages, n.i.e.	Langues dravidiennes, n.i.a.
003	Dutch	Néerlandais
001	English	Anglais
300	English and French	Anglais et français
301-310	English and non-official language	Anglais et langue non officielle

Mother Tongue Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
108	Estonian	Estonien
014	Faeroese	Faeroese
109	Finnish	Finnois
111	Finno-Ugric - Other	Finno-ougriennes - Autres
004	Flemish	Flamand
002	French	Français
311-317	French and non-official language	Français et langue non officielle
005	Frisian	Frison
023	Friulian	Friulien
031	Gaelic languages	Langues gaéliques
075	Garhwali	Garhwalie
012	German	Allemand
016	Germanic languages, n.i.e.	Langues germaniques, n.i.a.
160	Gitskan	Gitskane
029	Greek	Grec
061	Gujarati	Gujarati
166	Haida	Haïda
161	Haisla	Haisla
176	Haitian	Haïtien
151	Halkomelem	Halkomelem
103	Hebrew	Hébreu
162	Heiltsuk	Heiltsuk
068	Hindi	Hindi
110	Hungarian	Hongrois
007	Icelandic	Islandais

Mother Tongue Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
080	Indo-Iranian languages, n.i.e.	Langues indo-iraniennes, n.i.a.
172	Inuktitut	Inuktitut
033	Irish	Irlandais
148	Iroquoian languages, n.i.e.	Langues iroquoiennes, n.i.a.
020	Italian	Italien
086	Japanese	Japonais
084	Kannada	Kannade
076	Kashmiri	Kashmirie
138	Kaska-Nahani	Kaska-Nahanie
094	Khmer (Cambodian)	Khmer (cambodgien)
063	Konkani	Konkanie
087	Korean	Coréen
053	Kurdish	Kurde
137	Kutchin-Gwich'in (Loucheux)	Kutchin-gwich'in (loucheux)
170	Kutenai	Kutenai
163	Kwakiutl	Kwakwala
024	Ladin	Ladin
058	Lahnda	Lahnde
089	Lao	Lao
036	Latvian (Lettish)	Letton
152	Lillooet	Lillooet
037	Lithuanian	Lituanien
013	Luxembourgish	Luxembourgois
046	Macedonian	Macédonien
098	Malay-Bahasa	Malais-Bahase

Mother Tongue Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
081	Malayalam	Malayalam
101	Malayo-Polynesian languages, n.i.e.	Langues malayo-polynésiennes, n.i.a.
064	Maldivian	Maldivien
119	Malecite	Malécite
104	Maltese	Maltais
186	Mandarin	Mandarin
062	Marathi	Marathi
120	Micmac	Micmac
142	Mohawk	Mohawk
121	Montagnais-Naskapi	Montagnais-naskapi
079	Nepali	Népalie
114	Niger-Congo languages, n.i.e.	Langues nigéro-congolaises, n.i.a.
164	Nootka	Nootka
136	North Slave (Hare)	Esclave du Nord (Peau-de-lièvre)
008	Norwegian	Norvégien
025	Occitan	Occitain
117	Ojibway	Ojibwa
153	Okanagan	Okanagan
144	Oneida	Onéida
145	Onondaga	Onondaga
072	Oriya	Oriye
052	Ossetic	Ossetique
184	Other	Autres

Mother Tongue Codes		
Code	English description	French description
060	Pahari	Paharie
077	Pashto	Pachto
056	Persian (Farsi)	Persan (farsi)
177	Pidgin	Pidgin
099	Pilipino	Pilipine
047	Polish	Polonais
017	Portuguese	Portugais
124	Potawatomi	Potéouatami
057	Punjabi	Pendjabi
066	Rajasthani	Rajasthanie
028	Romance languages, n.i.e.	Langues latines, n.i.a.
019	Romanian	Roumain
027	Romansch	Romanche
078	Romany	Romanye
038	Russian	Russe
158	Salish languages n.i.e.	Langues salishennes n.i.a.
130	Sarcee	Sarsi
026	Sardinian	Sarde
181	Scandinavian	Scandinave
034	Scottish	Écossais
154	Sechelt	Sechelt
133	Sekani	Sékanais
105	Semitic languages, n.i.e.	Langues sémitiques, n.i.a.
146	Seneca	Sénéca
043	Serbian	Serbe

Mother Tongue Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
041	Serbo-Croatian	Serbo-croate
155	Shuswap	Shuswap
183	Sign	Gestuel
059	Sindhi	Sindhe
065	Sinhalese	Singhalais
092	Sino-Tibetan languages, n.i.e.	Langues sino-tibétaines, n.i.a.
051	Slavic languages, n.i.e.	Langues slaves, n.i.a.
050	Slovak	Slovaque
044	Slovenian	Slovène
128	South Slave	Esclave du Sud
018	Spanish	Espagnol
156	Squamish	Squamish
112	Swahili	Swahili
009	Swedish	Suédois
182	Swiss	Suisse
055	Tadzhik	Tadzhique
100	Tagalog	Tagalog
132	Tagish	Tagish
139	Tahltan	Tahltane
090	Tai n.i.e.	Taie n.i.a.
082	Tamil	Tamoul
083	Telugu	Telougou
088	Thai	Thaï
157	Thompson	Thompson
168	Tlingit	Tlingit

Mother Tongue Codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
159	Tsimshian	Tsimshian
106	Turkish	Turc
147	Tuscarora	Tuscarora
140	Tutchone	Tutchone
318-328	Two unofficial languages	Deux langues non officielles
048	Ukrainian	Ukrainien
069	Urdu	Ourdou
093	Vietnamese	Vietnamien
165	Wakashan languages n.i.e.	Langues wakashanes n.i.a.
032	Welsh	Gallois
010	Yiddish	Yiddish
049	Yugoslavian n.i.e.	Yougoslave n.i.a.

7. MOTHER TONGUE - GROUP CODES

Since the number of responses to most of the detailed codes are too low to be useful, the detailed Mother tongue codes are grouped. The detailed codes are still available for those interested in a different grouping.

	Mother tongue - Groups	
Group Code	**Description**	**Detailed codes**
01	English	001
02	French	002
03	Germanic	010 to 014, 016
04	Netherlandic & Belgium	003 to 005, 013, 179
05	Slavic	038 to 051, 180
06	Scandinavian & Baltic	006 to 009, 036, 037, 181
07	Romance	017 to 028
08	Finno-Ugric	108 to 111
09	Greek / Turkish / Semitic	029, 030, 102 to 107
10	Chinese and other Sino-Tibetan	091, 092, 186, 187
11	Austro-asiatic / Asiatic / Malayo- Polynesian	086 to 090, 093 to 101
12	Indo-Iranian & Dravidian	052 to 085
13	North American aboriginal	116 to 172
14	Other, n.i.e.	031 to 035, 112 to 115, 173 to 178, 182 to 184, 300 to 328

8. ETHNIC BACKGROUND - NUMERICAL ORDER

This information is collected as part of the Preliminary Interview. The question is:

DEMPRE-Q20　　　CANADIANS COME FROM MANY ETHNIC,
　　　　　　　　　CULTURAL AND RACIAL BACKGROUNDS. FOR
　　　　　　　　　EXAMPLE, ENGLISH, FRENCH, NORTH AMERICAN
　　　　　　　　　INDIAN, CHINESE, BLACK, FILIPINO OR
　　　　　　　　　LEBANESE. WHAT IS [respondent]'S BACKGROUND?

The respondent may list as many backgrounds as apply. If the response "Indian" is given, the interviewer is instructed to probe whether this is "North American Indian" or "East Indian". If the response "Canadian" is given, the interviewer is instructed to probe for other backgrounds.

The interviewer can mark a box for the most frequent responses:

- English
- French
- German
- Scottish
- Italian
- Irish
- Ukrainian
- Chinese
- Canadian
- Dutch
- Jewish
- Polish
- Black
- Métis
- Inuit/Eskimo
- North American Indian
- East Indian

If the response is anything else, the interviewer must enter the response. Two additional write-in responses can be entered. These are subsequently coded using the following codes.

Ethnic background codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
004	Welsh	Gallois
005	British	Britannique
007	Acadian	Acadien
008	Franco-manitoban	Franco-manitobain
009	Franco-ontarian	Franco-ontarien
010	French canadian	Canadien français
011	Québécois	Québécois
016	Amerindian	Amérindien
017	Canadian	Canadien
019	American	Américain
020	Cuban	Cubain
021	Haitian	Haïtien
022	Jamaican	Jamaïquain
023	Barbadian	Barbadien
024	Puerto rican	Porto-ricain
025	Caribbean n.i.e.	Caraïbien n.i.a.
026	British west indian	Antillais britannique
027	Argentinean	Argentin
028	Brazilian	Brésilien
029	Chilean	Chilien
030	Ecuadorian	Équatorien
031	Mexican	Mexicain
032	Peruvian	Péruvien
033	Colombian	Colombien
034	Salvadoran	Salvadorien

Ethnic background codes		
Code	English description	French description
035	Nicaraguan	Nicaraguayen
036	Guatemalan	Guatémalien
037	Hispanic n.i.e.	Hispanique n.i.a.
038	Central & South american n.i.e.	Centro & Sud Américain n.i.a.
039	African black n.i.e.	Africain noir n.i.a.
040	Afro-american	Américain noir
041	Afro-canadian	Noir canadien
042	Black west indian	Indien de l'ouest noir
043	Black n.i.e.	Noir n.i.a.
045	African n.i.e.	Africain n.i.a.
046	Austrian	Autrichien
047	Belgian	Belge
048	Flemish	Flamand
049	Luxembourger	Luxembourgeois
050	Swiss	Suisse
053	Finnish	Finnois
054	Danish	Danois
055	Icelander	Islandais
056	Norwegian	Norvégien
057	Swede	Suédois
058	Scandinavian n.i.e.	Scandinave n.i.a.
059	Laplander	Lapon
060	Estonian	Estonien
061	Latvian	Letton
062	Lithuanian	Lithuanien

Ethnic background codes		
Code	English description	French description
063	Byelorussian	Biélorusse
064	Czech	Tchèque
065	Czechoslovak	Tchécoslovaque
066	Hungarian	Hongrois
067	Romanian	Roumain
068	Russian	Russe
069	Slovak	Slovaque
072	Albanian	Albanais
073	Bulgarian	Bulgare
074	Croatian	Croate
075	Macedonian	Macédonien
076	Serbian	Serbe
077	Slovene	Slovène
078	Yugoslav	Yougoslave
079	Cypriot	Cypriote
080	Greek	Grecque
082	Sicilian	Sicilien
083	Maltese	Maltais
084	Portuguese	Portugais
085	Spanish	Espagnol
086	Basque	Basque
087	Gypsy	Gitan
088	European n.i.e.	Européen n.i.a.
089	Egyptian	Egyptien
090	Lebanese	Libanais

Ethnic background codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
091	Palestinian	Palestinien
092	Syrian	Syrien
093	Algerian	Algérien
094	Middle East Arab n.i.e.	Arabe du Moyen Orient n.i.a.
095	Armenian	Arménien
096	Iranian	Iranien
097	Israeli	Israélien
098	Turk	Turque
099	Afghan	Afghan
100	Kurd	Kurde
101	West Asian n.i.e.	Asiatique occidental n.i.a.
102	Punjabi	Punjab
103	Sinhalese	Sinhalese
104	Tamil	Tamil
105	Indian (asian)	Indien d'Asie
106	Bangladeshi	Bangladeshais
107	Pakistani	Pakistanais
108	Sri lankan	Sri lankais
109	Japanese	Japonais
110	Korean	Coréen
111	Filipino	Philippin
112	Burmese	Birman
113	Kampuchean	Kampuchéen
114	Laotian	Laotien
115	Thai	Thaïlandais

Ethnic background codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
116	Vietnamese	Vietnamien
117	East Indian n.i.e.	Indien de l'Est n.i.a.
118	Malayan	Malais
119	Tibetan	Tibétain
120	Mongol	Mongol
122	Asian n.i.e.	Asiatique n.i.a.
123	Fiji islander	Fidjien
124	Polynesian	Polynésien
125	Pacific islander n.i.e.	Iles du pacifique n.i.a.
126	Australian/New Zealander	Australien/Néo-zélandais
129	Buddhist	Bouddhiste
130	Hindu	Hindou
131	Sikh	Sikh
132	Muslim	Musulman
133	Doukhobor	Doukhobor
134	Hutterite	Hutterien
135	Mennonite	Mennonite
136	Religious n.i.e.	Religieux n.i.a.
137	White n.i.e.	Blanc n.i.a.
138	Guyanese	Guyanais
139	Settler n.i.e.	Colonisateur n.i.a.
140	Ismaili	Ismailie
141	Serbo-croat	Croate-serbe
142	Iraqi	Irakien
143	Bengali	Bengali

Ethnic background codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
144	Gujarati	Gujarati
145	Indo-chinese	Indochinois
146	Baltic	Baltique
147	Hmong	Hmong
148	Balkan	Balkanique
149	Ethiopian	Éthiopien
150	Ghanian	Ghanéen
151	Somali	Somalien
152	Trinidadian/Tobagonian	Trinidadien/Tobagonien
153	Uruguayan	Uruguayen
154	Creole	Créole
158	Afro-caribbean n.i.e.	Caraïbe noir n.i.a.
159	Indian guyanese	Guyanais indien
160	Moroccan	Marocain
170	South asian n.i.e.	Sud asiatique n.i.a.
171	West asian n.i.e.	Asiatique de l'ouest n.i.a.
172	South east asian n.i.e.	Asiatique du sud-est n.i.a.
173	Indonesian	Indonésien
208	French	Français
209	English	Anglais
210	German	Allemand
211	Scottish	Écossais
212	Italian	Italien
213	Irish	Irlandais
214	Ukrainian	Ukrainien

Ethnic background codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
215	Chinese	Chinois
216	Dutch	Hollandais
217	Jewish	Juif
218	Polish	Polonais
219	Black n.i.e.	Noir n.i.a.
220	North American Indian	Indien de l'Amérique du nord
221	Métis	Métis
222	Inuit	Inuit
223	None	Aucun
226-981	Specific Indian band or First Nation	Bande indienne ou Première Nation - spécifique
235	Member of tribe or band in the United States	Membre d'une tribu ou d'une bande aux États-unis

9. ETHNIC BACKGROUND - ALPHABETICAL ORDER

Ethnic background codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
007	Acadian	Acadien
099	Afghan	Afghan
039	African black n.i.e.	Africain noir n.i.a.
045	African n.i.e.	Africain n.i.a.
040	Afro-american	Américain noir
041	Afro-canadian	Noir canadien

Ethnic background codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
158	Afro-caribbean n.i.e.	Caraïbe noir n.i.a.
072	Albanian	Albanais
093	Algerian	Algérien
019	American	Américain
016	Amerindian	Amérindien
027	Argentinean	Argentin
095	Armenian	Arménien
122	Asian n.i.e.	Asiatique n.i.a.
126	Australian	Australien
046	Austrian	Autrichien
148	Balkan	Balkanique
146	Baltic	Baltique
106	Bangladeshi	Bangladeshais
023	Barbadian	Barbadien
086	Basque	Basque
047	Belgian	Belge
143	Bengali	Bengali
043, 219	Black n.i.e.	Noir n.i.a.
042	Black west indian	Indien de l'ouest noir
028	Brazilian	Brésilien
005	British	Britannique
026	British west indian	Antillais britannique
129	Buddhist	Bouddhiste
073	Bulgarian	Bulgare
112	Burmese	Birman

Ethnic background codes		
Code	English description	French description
063	Byelorussian	Biélorusse
017	Canadian	Canadien
025	Caribbean n.i.e.	Caraïbien n.i.a.
038	Central & South american n.i.e.	Centro & Sud Américain n.i.a.
029	Chilean	Chilien
215	Chinese	Chinois
033	Colombian	Colombien
154	Creole	Créole
074	Croatian	Croate
020	Cuban	Cubain
079	Cypriot	Cypriote
064	Czech	Tchèque
065	Czechoslovak	Tchécoslovaque
054	Danish	Danois
133	Doukhobor	Doukhobor
216	Dutch	Hollandais
117	East Indian n.i.e.	Indien de l'Est n.i.a.
030	Ecuadorian	Équatorien
089	Egyptian	Egyptien
209	English	Anglais
060	Estonian	Estonien
149	Ethiopian	Éthiopien
088	European n.i.e.	Européen n.i.a.
123	Fiji islander	Fidjien
111	Filipino	Philippin

Ethnic background codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
053	Finnish	Finnois
048	Flemish	Flamand
008	Franco-manitoban	Franco-manitobain
009	Franco-ontarian	Franco-ontarien
208	French	Français
010	French canadian	Canadien français
210	German	Allemand
150	Ghanian	Ghanéen
080	Greek	Grecque
036	Guatemalan	Guatémalien
144	Gujarati	Gujarati
138	Guyanese	Guyanais
087	Gypsy	Gitan
021	Haitian	Haïtien
130	Hindu	Hindou
037	Hispanic n.i.e.	Hispanique n.i.a.
147	Hmong	Hmong
066	Hungarian	Hongrois
134	Hutterite	Hutterien
055	Icelander	Islandais
105	Indian (asian)	Indien d'Asie
226-981	Indian band or First Nation - specific	Bande indienne ou Première Nation - spécifique
159	Indian guyanese	Guyanais indien
145	Indo-chinese	Indochinois

Ethnic background codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
173	Indonesian	Indonésien
222	Inuit	Inuit
096	Iranian	Iranien
142	Iraqi	Irakien
213	Irish	Irlandais
140	Ismaili	Ismailie
097	Israeli	Israélien
212	Italian	Italien
022	Jamaican	Jamaïquain
109	Japanese	Japonais
217	Jewish	Juif
113	Kampuchean	Kampuchéen
110	Korean	Coréen
100	Kurd	Kurde
114	Laotian	Laotien
059	Laplander	Lapon
061	Latvian	Letton
090	Lebanese	Libanais
062	Lithuanian	Lithuanien
049	Luxembourger	Luxembourgeois
075	Macedonian	Macédonien
118	Malayan	Malais
083	Maltese	Maltais
235	Member of tribe or band in the United States	Membre d'une tribu ou d'une bande aux États-unis
135	Mennonite	Mennonite

Ethnic background codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
221	Métis	Métis
031	Mexican	Mexicain
094	Middle East Arab n.i.e.	Arabe du Moyen Orient n.i.a.
120	Mongol	Mongol
160	Moroccan	Marocain
132	Muslim	Musulman
126	New Zealander	Néo-zélandais
035	Nicaraguan	Nicaraguayen
223	None	Aucun
220	North American Indian	Indien de l'Amérique du nord
056	Norwegian	Norvégien
125	Pacific islander n.i.e.	Iles du pacifique n.i.a.
107	Pakistani	Pakistanais
091	Palestinian	Palestinien
032	Peruvian	Péruvien
218	Polish	Polonais
124	Polynesian	Polynésien
084	Portuguese	Portugais
024	Puerto rican	Porto-ricain
102	Punjabi	Punjab
011	Québécois	Québécois
136	Religious n.i.e.	Religieux n.i.a.
067	Romanian	Roumain
068	Russian	Russe

Ethnic background codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
034	Salvadoran	Salvadorien
058	Scandinavian n.i.e.	Scandinave n.i.a.
211	Scottish	Écossais
076	Serbian	Serbe
141	Serbo-croat	Croate-serbe
139	Settler n.i.e.	Colonisateur n.i.a.
082	Sicilian	Sicilien
131	Sikh	Sikh
103	Sinhalese	Sinhalese
069	Slovak	Slovaque
077	Slovene	Slovène
151	Somali	Somalien
170	South asian n.i.e.	Sud asiatique n.i.a.
172	South east asian n.i.e.	Asiatique du sud-est n.i.a.
085	Spanish	Espagnol
108	Sri lankan	Sri lankais
057	Swede	Suédois
050	Swiss	Suisse
092	Syrian	Syrien
104	Tamil	Tamil
115	Thai	Thaïlandais
119	Tibetan	Tibétain
152	Trinidadian/Tobagonian	Trinidadien/Tobagonien
098	Turk	Turque
214	Ukrainian	Ukrainien

Ethnic background codes		
Code	**English description**	**French description**
153	Uruguayan	Uruguayen
116	Vietnamese	Vietnamien
004	Welsh	Gallois
171	West asian n.i.e.	Asiatique de l'ouest n.i.a.
101	West Asian n.i.e.	Asiatique occidental n.i.a.
137	White n.i.e.	Blanc n.i.a.
078	Yugoslav	Yougoslave