

## General Social Survey

## PRELIMINARY DATA

## CYCLE 5: FAMILY AND FRIENDS

促

## PRELIMINARY DATA: CYCLE 5

## Background

The General Social Survey was initiated by statistics canada in 1985 in order to reduce gaps in the statistical information system, particularly in relation to socio-economic trends. Many of these gaps cannot be filled through existing data sources because of the range or periodicity of the information required. A similar demand for such data has brought about the introduction of general social surveys in many other countries including Australia, Japan, the Scandinavian nations and the United Kingdom.

The General Social Survey has two principal objectives: first, to gather data on trends in Canadian society over time, and second, to provide information on specific policy issues. To meet these objectives the content of GSS is made up of three components: Core, Classification and Focus.

Core content is intended to obtain information which monitors longterm social trends or measures temporal changes in society related to living conditions or well-being. Each cycle covers a specific Core content area, which will recur on a permanent basis. Classification content consists of variables which provide the means of delineating population groups.

Aussi disponible en français.

Focus content is aimed at meeting the second objective of GSS, namely to provide information touching directly on a specific policy issue or social problem. Focus content, in general, is not expected to be repeated on a permanent basis. Additionally, costs associated with Focus content are recovered from sponsors.

The General Social Survey is a continuing program with a single survey cycle each year. The current status of individual cycles is as follows:
Cycle Status

1

Collected data on health and social supports in September-October 1985. Preliminary data released in June 1986. Public Use Microdata file available January 1987. Publication titled "Health and Social Support, 1985" released in January 1988.

Collected data on time use, language and social mobility in November-December 1986. Preliminary data on language released in January 1989. Preliminary data on time use and social mobility released in March 1989. Public Use Microdata file available December 1989.

Collected data on accidents and crimes in JanuaryFebruary 1988. Preliminary data released in April 1989. Public Use Microdata file released May, 1990. Publication titled "Patterns of Criminal Victimization in Canada" released March, 1990.

Collected data on education and work in JanuaryMarch 1989. Preliminary data released January, 1990. Public Use Microdata file released July, 1990.

Collected data on family and friends in JanuaryMarch 1990. Preliminary data released in this report.

Cycle 6 will be in large part a repeat of the health content first covered in Cycle 1 in 1985. Data will be collected on a monthly basis throughout 1991.

## Cycle 5: Methodology

The majority of the sample for the fifth cycle was selected by random digit dialing and included persons aged 15 years and over distributed throughout the ten provinces of Canada. Exclusions comprised full time residents of institutions. In addition, Cycle 5 included an oversample of the elderly ( 65 years of age and over) that was drawn from the groups that rotated out of the Labour Force Survey (LFS). Interviewers dialed each computer selected telephone number and completed a Selection Control Form (GSS 5-1) for each one. When they contacted a private household, they enumerated all the members of the household on this form, and then randomly selected and interviewed one member aged 15 or older; or 65 and older for the elderly oversample. A.total of thirteen thousand four hundred and ninety-five $(13,495)$ individuals were interviewed and answered the Family and Friends Questionnaire (GSS 5-2), yielding a response rate of approximately $80 \%$.

The survey collected the following types of information: aspects of the respondent's relationship with parents, grandparents, brothers, sisters, children and friends; birth history of their children, type of childcare provided and contact with children living outside the household; fertility intentions; household help and support; marriage and common-law history; satisfaction measures and background socio-economic questions for classification purposes. A copy of the questionnaire is included in the appendix.

## output

The attached tables present the first data to be released from Cycle 5. A Public Use Microdata file will be available in the spring of 1991. A publication presenting data primarily in the form of tables and charts, as well as initial analysis and findings, should be available in the winter of 1991 - 1992.

## contacts

For more information on Cycle 5 please contact:
Josephine Stanic, Project Manager, Cycle 5 (613-951-8644)

For more general information and information related to the General Social Survey contact:

Doug Norris, General Social Survey Project Manager (613-95.1-2572)

FAMILY AND FRIENDS

Selected findings related to marriage and common-law unions:

0

- Those living common-law make up $22 \%$ of all unmarried (never married, divorced, separated or widowed) Canadians aged 18-64 years. However, this proportion varies widely by province, from a high of $33 \%$ in Quebec to a low of $15 \%$ in the Atlantic provinces. Closer to the national average were the Western provinces of Manitoba (21\%), Saskatchewan (20\%), Alberta (22\%) and British Columbia (19\%). In Ontario, the proportion was 16\%. (See Table 1.4)
- Living common-law is often a prelude to marriage among younger Canadians. Some $37 \%$ of currently married people aged 18-29 years and $28 \%$ of those aged $30-39$ years lived in a common-law union with their spouse before marrying. By contrast, commonlaw unions preceded marriage for only $12 \%$ of those aged 40-49 years and $4 \%$ of those aged 50-64 years. (See Table 1.6)

Selected findings related to raising children:
o In 1990, as in 1984, two-thirds of women aged 18-64 years had given birth to children. However, the proportion of younger women having children has decreased: to $30 \%$ for women aged 18-29 years from $35 \%$ in 1984, and to $76 \%$ of women aged $30-39$ years from $80 \%$ six years before. (See Tables 2.1A, 2.1B)

- In 1990, nearly $6 \%$ of men and just over $3 \%$ of women aged 1864 years had raised step-children, up from $4 \%$ for men and 2\% for women in 1984. The higher percentages for men reflect the fact that after divorce women more often have custody of children and are more apt to bring them to a new marriage. (See Tables 2.1A; 2.1B)

Selected findings related to fertility intentions:
o Of Canadians aged 15-44 years, $50 \%$ intend to have a child or have additional children in the future. Another $9 \%$ are uncertain of their future plans. The remaining $40 \%$ indicated they or their spouse/partner do not intend to have children and for more than half of these it was because of sterility or infertility. (See Table 3.1)

- Some $76 \%$ of persons aged 15-44 years with no natural children intend to have children in the future; $48 \%$ of those with one child intend to have another child and only $9 \%$ of those with two or more children have such intentions. (See Table 3.1)

Selected findings related to support systems:

- Among married persons, husbands (62\%) were more likely to turn to their spouse for emotional support than were wives (51\%). Wives (19\%) were more likely to turn to friends than were their husbands (11\%). (See Table 4.1)
- Among unmarried persons, women (46\%) were almost as likely to turn to friends for emotional support as men (49\%). (See Table 4.2)

Selected findings related to second-generation immigrants:

- More than one in three Canadians (37\%) aged 15 years and over have at least one foreign-born parent and $18 \%$ were themselves born outside Canada. (See Tables 5.1, 5.2)
o Older Canadians are more likely to have a foreign-born parent: $50 \%$ of those 75 years and older compared to only $32 \%$ those aged 15-24 years. (See Table 5.3)


## Tables

Table 1.1A Population aged 18-64 by number of marriages, by sex and age group, Canada, 1990

Table 1.1B

Table 1.2A

Table 1.2B

Table 1.3

Table 1.4

Table 1.5

Table 1.6

Table 2.1A

Table 2.1B

Per cent of population aged $18-64$ by number of marriages, by sex and age group, Canada, 1990 and 1984

Population aged 18-64 by number of common-law partnerships, by sex and age group, Canada, 1990

Per cent of population aged $18-64$ by number of common-law partnerships, by sex and age group, Canada, 1990 and 1984

Population aged 18-64 by nature of marital union and marital status, by sex and age group, Canada, 1990

Unmarried population aged 18-64 currently living in a common-law partnership, by province, Canada, 1990

Unmarried population aged 18-64 living common-law by legal marital status, by sex and age group, Canada, 1990

Currently married population aged 18-64 that lived in a common-law partnership with spouse before marriage, by sex and age group, Canada, 1990

Population aged 18-64 who have ever raised natural children, step-children or adopted children by sex and age group, Canada, 1990

Per cent who have ever raised natural children, step-children or adopted children, by sex and age group, Canada, 1990 and 1984

Tables

Table 3.1 Population aged 15-44 by intentions to have children in the future, by age group, then number of natural children, then province, Canada, 1990

Table 4.1 Married population aged 15 and over, by whom they would turn to first for help when feeling down or depressed, by sex and age group, Canada, 1990

Table 4.2 Unmarried population aged 15 and over, by whom they would turn to first for help when feeling down or depressed, by sex and age group, Canada, 1990

Table 5.1 Population aged 15 and over by place of birth, by province, Canada, 1990

Table 5.2 Population aged 15 and over by parents' place of birth, by province, 1990

Table 5.3 Population aged 15 and over by parents' place of birth, by age group, Canada, 1990

Notes for all tables:

1) -- amount too small to be expressed, i.e. sampling variability (coefficient of variation) is greater than $33 \%$
2)     - amount in cell is nil (or zero)
3) figures between 28,000 and 64,000 have a high sampling variation; use with caution
table 1.1A
Population aged 18-64 by number of marriages, by sex and age group, Canada, 1990

| Sex and age group | Total population |  | Never married |  | Ever married |  |  |  |  |  | Not stated |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | Total |  | One |  | Two or more |  | No. | \% |
|  | No. | \% | No. | \% | No. | \% | No. | \% | No. | \% |  |  |
|  | Number in thousands |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Both sexes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All ages | 16,675 | 100 | 4,908 | 29 | 11,713 | 70 | 10,629 | 64 | 1,084 | 7 | 54 | 0 |
| 18-29 | 5,138 | 100 | 3,526 | 69 | 1,606 | 31 | 1,569 | 31 | 37 | 1 | -- | -- |
| 30-39 | 4,485 | 100 | 951 | 21 | 3,518 | 78 | 3,231 | 72 | 287 | 6 | -- | -- |
| 40-49 | 3,465 | 100 | 257 | 7 | 3.187 | 92 | 2,817 | 81 | 370 | 11 | .- | -- |
| 50-64 | 3,587 | 100 | 175 | 5 | 3,402 | 95 | 3,012 | 84 | 390 | 11 | -- | -- |
| Male |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All ages | 8,331 | 100 | 2,779 | 33 | 5,521 | 66 | 4,977 | 60 | 544 | 7 | -- | -- |
| 18-29 | 2,618 | 100 | 1,969 | 75 | 646 | 25 | 632 | 24 | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| 30-39 | 2,222 | 100 | 560 | 25 | 1,652 | 74 | 1,537 | 69 | 115 | 5 | -- | -- |
| 40-49 | 1,725 | 100 | 146 | 8 | 1,565 | 91 | 1,351 | 78 | 214 | 12 | -- | -- |
| 50-64 | 1,767 | 100 | 105 | 6 | 1,657 | 94 | 1,457 | 82 | 200 | 11 | -- | -- |
| Female |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All ages | 8,344 | 100 | 2,129 | 26 | 6,192 | 74 | 5,652 | 68 | 540 | 6 | $\cdots$ | -- |
| 18-29 | 2,521 | 100 | 1,558 | 62 | 960 | 38 | 938 | 37 | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| 30-39 | 2,263 | 100 | 391 | 17 | 1,866 | 82 | 1,694 | 75 | 172 | 8 | - | -- |
| 40-49 | 1,740 | 100 | 111 | 6 | 1,622 | 93 | 1,465 | 84 | 156 | 9 | -- | -- |
| 50-64 | 1,820 | 100 | 70 | 4 | 1,745 | 96 | 1,555 | 85 | 190 | 10 | -- | -- |

TABLE 1.1B
Per cent of population aged 18-64 by number of marriages, by sex and age group, Canada, 1990 and 1984(1)

| Sex and age group | Number of marriages |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total ever married |  | One |  | Two or more |  |
|  | 1990 | 1984 | 1990 | 1984 | 1990 | 1984 |
|  | Per cent |  |  |  |  |  |
| Both sexes |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All ages | 70 | 73 | 64 | 68 | 7 | 5 |
| 18-29 | 31 | 40 | 31 | 39 | 1 | 1 |
| 30-39 | 78 | 87 | 72 | 81 | 6 | 6 |
| 40-49 | 92 | 93 | 81 | 85 | 11 | 8 |
| 50-64 | 95 | 94 | 84 | 86 | 11 | 8 |
| Mate |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All ages | 66 | 71 | 60 | 66 | 7 | 5 |
| 18-29 | 25 | 34 | 24 | 33 | -. | -- |
| 30-39 | 74 | 85 | 69 | 80 | 5 | 5 |
| 40-49 | 91 | 92 | 78 | 84 | 12 | 8 |
| 50-64 | 94 | 93 | 82 | 85 | 11 | 8 |
| Female |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All ages | 74 | 76 | 68 | 71 | 6 | 5 |
| 18-29 | 38 | 45 | 37 | 44 | .- | 1 |
| 30-39 | 82 | 88 | 75 | 82 | 8 | 7 |
| 40-49 | 93 | 93 | 84 | 85 | 9 | 8 |
| 50-64 | 96 | 94 | 85 | 86 | 10 | 8 |

1 Source: Burch, T.K., Family History Survey: Preliminary Findings, Catalogue 99-955, Statistics Canada, 1985. Sorial Survey, 1990
table 1.2A
Population aged 18-64 by number of cormon-law partnerships, by sex and age group, Canada, 1990

table 1.2B
Per cent of population aged 18-64 by number of common-law partnerships, by sex and age group, Canada, 1990 and 1984(1)

| Age group and sex | Number of common-law partnerships |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total ever common-law |  | One |  | Two or more |  | Not stated |  |
|  | 1990 | 1984 | 1990 | 1984 | 1990 | 1984 | 1990 | 1984 |
|  | Per cent |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Both sexes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All ages | 28 | 16 | 21 | 15 | 7 | 2 | -- | -- |
| 18-29 | 33 | 23 | 27 | 22 | 6 | 2 | -- | -- |
| 30-39 | 40 | 21 | 28 | 19 | 13 | 2 | -- | -- |
| 40-49 | 24 | 10 | 17 | 9 | 7 | .- | -. | -. |
| 50-64 | 11 | 6 | 9 | 6 | 2 | -- | -- | -- |
| Mate |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All ages | 28 | 16 | 20 | 14 | 8 | 2 | 1 | -- |
| 18-29 | 27 | 20 | 23 | 18 | 4 | 1 | - | -- |
| 30-39 | 41 | 22 | 28 | 19 | 14 | 3 | -- | -- |
| 40-49 | 26 | 10 | 17 | 9 | 9 | -- | -- | -- |
| 50-64 | 13 | 6 | 10 | 6 | 3 | -- | -- | -- |
| Female |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All ages | 28 | 17 | 22 | 16 | 7 | 1 | -- | -- |
| 18-29 | 38 | 27 | 31 | 25 | 8 | 2 | -. | -- |
| 30-39 | 39 | 21 | 28 | 18 | 12 | 2 | -- | -- |
| 40-49 | 21 | 10 | 17 | 9 | 4 | -- | -- | -- |
| 50-64 | 8 | 6 | 7 | 5 | - | - | -. | -- |

[^0]table 1.3
Population aged $18-64$ by nature of marital union and marital status, by sex and age group, Canada, 1990

table 1.4
Unmarried(1) population aged 18 -64 currently living in a common-law partnership, by province, Canada, 1990

| Province | Total unmarried population |  | Nature of marital union |  |  |  | Not stated |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Common-law |  | Not common-law |  |  |  |
|  | No. | \% | No. | \% | No. | \% | No. | \% |
|  | Number in thousands |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Canada | 7,023 | 100 | 1,551 | 22 | 5,396 | 77 | 76 | 1 |
| Atlantic provinces | 530 | 100 | 79 | 15 | 450 | 85 | -- | -- |
| Newfoundland | 114 | 100 | -- | -. | 104 | 91 | -- | -- |
| Prince Edward Island | -- | -- | -- | .- | -. | .- | - | - |
| Nova Scotia | 230 | 100 | 41 | 18 | 189 | 82 | -- | -- |
| New Brunswick | 161 | 100 | -- | -. | 135 | 84 | - | - |
| Quebec | 2,097 | 100 | 684 | 33 | 1,394 | 66 | -- | - |
| Ontar io | 2.446 | 100 | 391 | 16 | 2,024 | 83 | -- | - |
| Prairie provinces | 1,094 | 100 | 234 | 21 | 842 | 77 | -- | -- |
| Manitoba | 255 | 100 | 53 | 21 | 198 | 78 | -- | .. |
| Saskatchewan | 220 | 100 | 45 | 20 | 175 | 79 | -- | -- |
| Alberta | 619 | 100 | 137 | 22 | 469 | 76 | -- | -- |
| British Columbia | 856 | 100 | 162 | 19 | 687 | 80 | -- | -- |

TABLE 1.5
Unmarried(1) population aged 18-64 living common-law by legal marital status, by sex and age group, Canada, 1990

| Sex and age group | Legal marital status |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Divorced |  |  |  | Separated |  |  |  | Widowed |  |  |  | Never married |  |  |  |
|  | Total |  | Common- ${ }^{\text {aw }}$ |  | Total |  | Common- ${ }^{\text {aw }}$ |  | Total |  | Cormon-law |  | rotal |  | Common- law |  |
|  | No. | \% | No. | \% | No. | \% | No. | \% | No. | \% | No. | \% | No. | \% | No. | \% |
|  | Number in thousands |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Both sexes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All ages | 1,178 | 100 | 433 | 37 | 560 | 100 | 112 | 20 | 301 | 100 | -. | -- | 4,908 | 100 | 977 | 20 |
| 18-29 | 78 | 100 | -- | -- | 84 | 100 | -- | -- | -- | -- | - | - | 3,526 | 100 | 626 | 18 |
| 30.39 | 365 | 100 | 182 | 50 | 179 | 100 | 39 | 22 | -- | -- | $\cdots$ | - | 951 | 100 | 309 | 32 |
| 40-49 | 419 | 100 | 148 | 35 | 170 | 100 | -- | -. | 43 | 100 | -. | -- | 257 | 100 | .- | .- |
| 50-64 | 316 | 100 | 61 | 19 | 128 | 100 | -- | -- | 234 | 100 | - | -- | 175 | 100 | $\cdots$ | -- |
| Male |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All ages | 486 | 100 | 229 | 47 | 260 | 100 | 66 | 25 | 73 | 100 | - | -- | 2,779 | 100 | 482 | 17 |
| 18-29 | -- | -- | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | - | -- | -- | -. | -- | .. | . | - | 1,969 | 100 | 283 | 14 |
| 30-39 | 153 | 100 | 96 | 62 | 75 | 100 | -- | -- | -- | -- | - | - | 560 | 100 | 179 | 32 |
| 40-49 | 171 | 100 | 78 | 46 | 86 | 100 | -- | -- | -- | -- | - | - | 146 | 100 | .- | .. |
| 50-64 | 145 | 100 | -- | -- | 71 | 100 | -- | -- | 61 | 100 | $\cdots$ | -- | 105 | 100 | -- | -- |
| femate |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All ages | 692 | 100 | 205 | 30 | 300 | 100 | 46 | 15 | 228 | 100 | -- | -- | 2,129 | 100 | 495 | 23 |
| 18-29 | 61 | 100 | -- | -- | 56 | 100 | -- | -- | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | - | - | 1,558 | 100 | 343 | 22 |
| 30-39 | 211 | 100 | 86 | 41 | 104 | 100 | -. | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | 391 | 100 | 130 | 33 |
| 40-49 | 248 | 100 | 70 | 28 | 84 | 100 | -- | -- | 34 | 100 | $\cdots$ | -- | 111 | 100 | -. | -- |
| 50-64 | 171 | 100 | -- | -- | 57 | 100 | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | 173 | 100 | -- | -- | 70 | 100 | - | - |

table 1.6
Currently married population aged 18-64 that lived in a common-law partnership with spouse before marriage, by sex and age group, Canada, 1990

table 2. 1 A
Population aged 18-64 who have ever raised natural children, step-children or adopted(1) children by sex and age group, Canada, 1990

1 Not counting step-children who have been legally adopted.
table 2.1B
Per cent who have ever raised natural children, step-children or adopted(1) children, by sex and age group.
Canada, 1990 and $1984(2)$

| Sex and age group | Natural children |  | Step-children |  | Adopted children(1) |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1990 | 1984 | 1990 | 1984 | 1990 | 1984 |
|  | Per cent |  |  |  |  |  |
| Male |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All ages | 59 | 60 | 6 | 4 | 3 | 3 |
| 18-29 | 17 | 22 | 2 | 1 | -- | -- |
| 30-39 | 66 | 75 | 7 | 6 | $\cdots$ | 2 |
| 40-49 | 83 | 84 | 10 | 7 | 5 | 4 |
| 50-64 | 87 | 83 | 6 | 6 | 5 | 5 |
| Female |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All ages | 67 | 68 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 3 |
| 18-29 | 30 | 35 | -- | -- | -- | .- |
| 30-39 | 76 | 80 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 3 |
| 40-49 | 85 | 88 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 5 |
| 50-64 | 90 | 86 | 5 | 2 | 4 | 4 |

[^1]Age group, number of
table 3.1
Population aged $15-44$ by intentions to have children in the future, by age group, then number of natural children, then province, Canada, 1990

| Age group, number of natural chitdren and province | Total population |  | Unable to have children in the future(1) |  | Able to have chitdren in the future |  |  |  |  |  |  | Not stated | Not stated |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | Intentions to have children |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | Total |  | Yes |  | No |  | Don't know |  |  |  |
|  | No. | \% | No. | \% | No. | \% | No. | \% | No. | \% | No. | \% | No. | \% |
|  |  |  |  |  | Number in thousands |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Age groups |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total 15-44 | 12,625 | 100 | 2,941 | 23 | 9,548 | 76 | 6,254 | 50 | 2,128 | 17 | 1,166 | 9 | 136 | 1 |
| 15-24 | 3,838 | 100 | 47 | 1 | 3,786 | 99 | 3,309 | 86 | 214 | 6 | 264 | 7 | .- | $\cdots$ |
| 25-34 | 4,706 | 100 | 802 | 17 | 3,892 | 83 | 2,525 | 54 | 787 | 17 | 580 | 12 | -- | $\cdots$ |
| 35-44 | 4,080 | 100 | 2,092 | 51 | 1,870 | 46 | 420 | 10 | 1,128 | 28 | 323 | 8 | 119 | 3 |
| Number of natural children |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total | 12,625 | 100 | 2,941 | 23 | 9,548 | 76 | 6,254 | 50 | 2,128 | 17 | 1,166 | 9 | 136 | 1 |
| None | 6,619 | 100 | 301 | 5 | 6,289 | 95 | 5,021 | 76 | 692 | 10 | 576 | 9 | .- | -- |
| One | 1.750 | 100 | 356 | 20 | 1,376 | 79 | 847 | 48 | 315 | 18 | 214 | 12 | -- | -- |
| Two | 2,830 | 100 | 1,436 | 51 | 1,349 | 48 | 311 | 11 | 767 | 27 | 270 | 10 | -- | -- |
| Three or more | 1.425 | 100 | 848 | 60 | 534 | 37 | 75 | 5 | 353 | 25 | 106 | 7 | -- | $\cdots$ |
| Province |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Canada | 12,625 | 100 | 2,941 | 23 | 9,548 | 76 | 6,254 | 50 | 2,128 | 17 | 1,166 | 9 | 136 | 1 |
| New foundland | 287 | 100 | 78 | 27 | 206 | 72 | 138 | 48 | 41 | 14 | .. | -- | -- | -- |
| Prince Edward Island | 60 | 100 | -- | -- | 46 | 76 | 32 | 53 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Nova Scotia | 427 | 100 | 103 | 24 | 320 | 75 | 198 | 46 | 78 | 18 | 44 | 10 | -- | -- |
| New Brunswick | 349 | 100 | 97 | 28 | 251 | 72 | 176 | 51 | 52 | 15 | -- | $\cdots$ | -- | - |
| Quebec | 3,245 | 100 | 861 | 27 | 2,352 | 72 | 1,559 | 48 | 556 | 17 | 237 | 7 | -- | -- |
| Ontario | 4,628 | 100 | 950 | 21 | 3,615 | 78 | 2,373 | 51 | 785 | 17 | 457 | 10 | 63 | 1 |
| Manitoba | 503 | 100 | 122 | 24 | 375 | 74 | 229 | 46 | 81 | 16 | 64 | 13 | -. | -- |
| Saskatchewan | 443 | 100 | 116 | 26 | 323 | 73 | 206 | 47 | 75 | 17 | 42 | 9 | -- | -- |
| Alberta | 1,234 | 100 | 276 | 22 | 955 | 77 | 609 | 49 | 206 | 17 | 141 | 11 | -- | -- |
| British Columbia | 1,448 | 100 | 325 | 22 | 1,106 | 76 | 733 | 51 | 247 | 17 | 126 | 9 | -- | -- |

Married(1) population aged 15 and over, by whom they would turn to first for help when feeling down or depressed, by sex and age group, 1990


[^2]2 professional includes clergy, family doctor, psychologist, psychiatrist, marriage counsellor, and other professional counsellor.
Table 4.2
Unmarried(1) population aged 15 and over, by whom they would turn to first for help when feeling down or depressed, by sex and age group, 1990

2 Professional includes clergy, family doctor, psychologist, psychiatrist, marriage counsellor, and other professional counselor.
table 5.1
Population aged 15 and over by place of birth, by province, 1990

| Province | Total population |  | Place of birth |  |  |  | Not stated |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Canadian-born |  | foreign-born |  | No. | \% |
|  | No. | \% | No. | \% | No. | \% |  |  |
|  | Number in thousands |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Canada | 20.526 | 100 | 16,643 | 81 | 3,647 | 18 | 236 | 1 |
| Atlantic provinces | 1,784 | 100 | 1,697 | 95 | 82 | 5 | -- | -- |
| Newfoundl and | 432 | 100 | 420 | 97 | -- | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | -- |
| Prince Edward Island | 99 | 100 | 93 | 94 | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Nova Scotia | 695 | 100 | 651 | 94 | 40 | 6 | -- | -- |
| New Brunswick | 558 | 100 | 532 | 95 | -- | .- | -- | -- |
| Quebec | 5,286 | 100 | 4,803 | 91 | 426 | 8 | -- | -- |
| Ontario | 7,587 | 100 | 5,508 | 73 | 1,991 | 26 | 88 | 1 |
| Prairie provinces | 3,424 | 100 | 2,890 | 84 | 486 | 14 | 49 | 1 |
| Mani toba | 831 | 100 | 721 | 87 | 96 | 12 | -- | -- |
| Saskatchewan | 744 | 100 | 674 | 91 | 58 | 8 | -- | -- |
| Alberta | 1,849 | 100 | 1,495 | 81 | 332 | 18 | -- | -- |
| British Columbia | 2,444 | 100 | 1.747 | 71 | 662 | 27 | -- | -- |

table 5.2
Population aged 15 and over by parents' place of birth, by province, 1990

table 5.3
Population aged 15 and over by parents' place of birth, by age group, Canada, 1990

| Age group | Total population Parents' place of bir |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Both parents Canadian-born |  |  |  |  |  | Parent(s) foreign born |  |  |  |  |  | Not stated |  |
|  | - |  |  |  | Total |  | Mother Canadian-born, father foreign-born |  | Mother foreign-born, father Canadian-born |  | Both parents foreign-born |  | No. | \% |
|  | No. | \% | No. | \% | No. | \% | No. | \% | No. | \% | No. | \% |  |  |
|  | Number in thousands |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All ages | 20,526 | 100 | 12,692 | 62 | 7,666 | 37 | 1,300 | 6 | 821 | 4 | 5,545 | 27 | 168 | 1 |
| 15-24 | 3,838 | 100 | 2,601 | 68 | 1,215 | 32 | 235 | 6 | 143 | 4 | 836 | 22 | -- | -- |
| 25-34 | 4,706 | 100 | 3,276 | 70 | 1,395 | 30 | 232 | 5 | 149 | 3 | 1,014 | 22 | 36 | 1 |
| 35-44 | 4,080 | 100 | 2,651 | 65 | 1,382 | 34 | 234 | 6 | 171 | 4 | 977 | 24 | 47 | 1 |
| 45-54 | 2,768 | 100 | 1,629 | 59 | 1,124 | 41 | 224 | 8 | 123 | 4 | 777 | 28 | -. | -- |
| 55-64 | 2,342 | 100 | 1,182 | 50 | 1,138 | 49 | 188 | 8 | 107 | 5 | 842 | 36 | -- | -- |
| 65-74 | 1,828 | 100 | 881 | 48 | 933 | 51 | 134 | 7 | 82 | 5 | 716 | 39 | -- | -- |
| 75+ | 962 | 100 | 471 | 49 | 480 | 50 | 52 | 5 | 47 | 5 | 381 | 40 | -- | --. |

APPENDIX

## CYCLE FIVE QUESTIONNAIRE PACKAGE

This package briefly describes the content, methodology and sample of the fifth cycle of the General Social Survey (GSS). Copies of the questionnaires used in Cycle 5 are attached as appendices: the Control Form (GSS 5-1) as Appendix A; and the 'Family and Friends Questionnaire' (GSS 5-2) as Appendix B. Another form was used, the GSS 5-1B, but is not presented here as it is nearly identical to the GSS 5-1.

## Content and Questionnaire

The fifth cycle of the General Social Survey collected data from January 22, 1990 to the end of February 1990. The survey collects information on: the availability and frequency of contact with parents, brothers and sisters, children, and friends; children, and their living arrangements; fertility intentions; marriage and common-law history; division of labour in the household; and social support. Three questionnaires were used to conduct the interviews:

QUESTIONNAIRE
GSS 5-1
GSS 5-1B

GSS 5-2

AGE GROUP
All age groups
Age 65 and over
(LFS oversample only)
Age 15 and over

TITLE

Control Form
Control Form

Family and Friends Questionnaire

The GSS 5-1 was completed for each telephone number selected in the sample. It lists all household members and collects basic demographic information, specifically, age, sex, marital status and relation to the head of the family. A respondent, 15 years of age or older, was then randomly selected and a GSS 5-2 was completed for this person. In the case of the elderly oversample, a GSS 5-1B was used to select a respondent from those 65 years and older.

The content of the main questionnaire is listed below:

Section of GSS 5-2
A.
B.
C.
D.
E.
F.
G.
H.
J.
K.
L.
M.

## Content

Parents and grandparents
Brothers and sisters
Children
Fertility intentions
Friends
Household help
Supports
Marriages
Common-law partnerships
Satisfaction
Classification
Contacts for follow-up

## Sample

The sample for Cycle 5 consisted of persons 15 years of age or older from across the ten provinces. The majority of the sample was selected through random digit dialing (RDD).

Each computer generated telephone number in the sample is called and an interviewer completes a control Form. When they contact a private household, all the members of the household are enumerated and then one member 15 years and over is randomly selected and interviewed.

The target sample size for the survey was originally 10,000 individuals 15 years of age and older. In addition, there was an extra sample of approximately 2,000 for the province of Ontario that was funded by the provincial government in order to provide more detailed and reliable data for that province. In total, the sample interviewed using random digit dialing techniques is expected to be about 12,000.

Cycle 5 also includes an oversample of the elderly. The telephone numbers for the elderly sample were drawn from the groups that rotated out of the Labour Force Survey (LFS) in the month of December, and in addition, October and November for the province of Ontario. All households thought to contain at least one individual 65 Years and older were contacted. Household members were enumerated and then a random selection was made of all those aged 65 years and over to determine who should be interviewed. Approximately 2,100 additional telephone interviews are expected from this oversample.

Cycle 5's total sample is expected to be 14,000 interviews.

General Social Survey Control Form

Enquête sociale générale Formule de contrôle

CONFIDENTIEL une fols rempli


Authoniv. Statistics Act
Revised Slatutes of Canede.
1985. Chapter S 19.

Dectaraton exigée en verlu de la
Loi sur ta stalisirque.
Lois revisees du Canada.
1985, chaptre S 19.


RECORD OF CALLS - REGISTRE DES APPELS

| 10 | ${ }^{11}$ |  | $\boldsymbol{1}^{12} \text { Sta }$ |  | $13 \mathrm{Fin}$ |  | $14$ | $15$ | 16 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Day } \\ & \text { Jour } \end{aligned}$ | Month Mois | Hour Heure | Min. Min. | Hour Heure | Min. Min. | Résultat | Nom de lintervieweur |  | Aemarques |
| 26 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 27 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1. | 1 |  |  |  |
| 28 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 29 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1. | 1 |  |  |  |
| 30 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 31 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1. | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 32 | 1. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1. | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 33 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 34 | 1. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 35 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 36 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 37 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 38 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1. | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 39 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 40 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 41 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 42 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 43 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1. | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 44 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 45 | 1 | 1 | 1. | 1 | 1 | 1. | 1 |  |  |  |
| 46 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 47 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 48 | 1 | 1 | 1. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 49 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 50 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 51 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 52 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 53 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 54 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 55 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 56 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 57 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 58 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 59 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 60 | 1. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 61 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 62 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1. | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 63 | 1. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 64 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 65 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 66 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |
| 67 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |

Canada

1:

$\qquad$ Telephone Number

5: $\quad 1 \quad$ Label Idenilfication Number

## Confidentlal when completed

Authority:
Statistics Act.
Revised Statules of Canada. 1985, Chapler St9.

| GENERAL SOCIAL SURVEY |
| :---: |
| FAMILY AND FRIENDS |
| QUESTIONNAIRE |
| AGES 15 YEARS AND OVER |




\begin{tabular}{|c|c|}
\hline \begin{tabular}{l}
A31. Does he live within ... \\
10 km ( 6 miles or 10 minutes by car)? \\
50 km ( 30 miles or \(\mathbf{3 0}\) minutes by car)? \\
100 km ( 60 miles or 1 hour by car)? \\
200 km ( 120 miles or 2 hours by car)? \\
400 km ( 240 miles of 4 hours by car)? \\
1000 km ( 600 miles or 10 hours by car)? \\
Beyond 1000 km and Ilving In Canada or
\end{tabular} \& \begin{tabular}{l}
A36. During the past 12 months, how often did you have contact by letter or telephone with him? Was If ... \\
Dally? \(\qquad\) \\
At least orice a week? ..... \({ }^{5} \mathrm{O}\) \\
Al least once a month? \(\qquad\) \({ }^{6} \mathrm{O}\) \\
Less than once a month?  \\
Not at all? \(\qquad\)
\end{tabular} \\
\hline \begin{tabular}{l}
hours by car)? \\
Outside Canada or United States? \\
Don't know
\end{tabular} \& A37. INTERVIEWER:
GO TO A45 \\
\hline \begin{tabular}{l}
A32. During the past 12 months how often did you see your father? Did you see him ... \\
Dally? \(\qquad\) 10 \\
Al least once a week? ...... 20 \\
At least once a month? .... 30 \\
Less than once a month? .. •O \\
Not at all? ................ s \(\mathrm{O} \rightarrow\) GO TO A34
\end{tabular} \& \begin{tabular}{l}
A38. During the past 12 months, what best describes your father's MAIN activily? Was he malnly ... \\
Working at a job \\
or business? ............. \(3 \mathrm{O} \rightarrow\) GO TO A41 \\
Looking for work? ......... \({ }^{\bullet} \mathrm{O} \rightarrow\) GO TO A40 \\
A student? . . . . . . . . . . . . . . \({ }^{5} \mathrm{O}\) \\
Keepling house? \(\qquad\) \\
Retlied? \(\qquad\) GO TO A40
\end{tabular} \\
\hline \begin{tabular}{l}
A33. Did you usually see hlm ... \\
At your home? \(\qquad\) 6 \\
At his usual place of residence? \({ }^{7}\) \\
Somewhere else? \(\qquad\)

\end{tabular} \&  <br>

\hline | $\qquad$ |
| :--- |
| Equally at both residences $\qquad$ $90$ | \& | A39. Was he studying full-time or part-time? |
| :--- |
| Full-time $\qquad$ 10 |
| Part-time $\qquad$ | <br>


\hline | A34. Do you see your father ... |
| :--- |
| Less often than you would llke? .............. 10 |
| More often than you would like? $\qquad$ GO TO A36 | \& A40. Did your father have a job or was he sellemployed at any time during the past 12 months? <br>


\hline | About the right amount? |
| :--- |
| A35. What prevents you from seeing him more often? |
| (Mark all that apply) |
| Distance .............................. 010 | \& A41. Including vacation, Iliness, strikes, lock-outs and paternity leave, for how many weeks during the past 12 months did he do any work at a job or business?

$\square$ weeks <br>

\hline | Poor relationship with him . . . . . . . . . . . . . | ${ }^{02} \mathrm{O}$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| Shortage of your tume . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | ${ }^{03} \mathrm{O}$ |
| Shorlage of his time . . . . . . . . . . . . . | ${ }^{00} \mathrm{O}$ | \& A42. During those weeks, was his work malnly fuil-time or pari-time? <br>

\hline His health problems ................... ${ }^{06} \mathrm{O}$
Financial reasons ................... ${ }^{00} \mathrm{O}$ \& Ad3. Did he regularly work evening or nighl shifts? <br>
\hline  \& A44. Dld he regularly work on Saturday or Sunday?

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \text { Yes } \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \text {. } \ldots \ldots \text {. } \mathrm{O} \\
& \text { No } \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \text {. }
\end{aligned}
$$ <br>

\hline No particular reason $\qquad$ \& | A45. INTERVIEWER CHECK ITEM: |
| :--- |
| Review A5 and A25. |
| Does either of the respondent's mother or father live in the household (AS $=$ in this household or A25 = Yes)? |
| Yes $\ldots .$. . $\mathrm{O} \longrightarrow$ GO TO A49 |
| No ....... 20 | <br>

\hline
\end{tabular}


$=$. onn $=1$.

| C1. Now some questions about your childien and grandchlldren. | C7. Starting with the oldest, what is the first name and age of each child you have ever raised or (given birth to / fathered). Include those who may have died. |  | Interviewer: Ask questions 8 to $E$ for at most 22 children the 21 oldest and the youngest. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| C2. Have you ever ralsed stepchlldren? By slep-childien we mean children from a former unlon of a spouse or common-law partner. <br> Yes . How many? $\square$ | IDENTIFICATION <br> Name I.D. | A. | B. In what month and year was ... (your lirst (second, ...) child) born? <br> DATE OF BIRTH <br> Month <br> Year |
| No. 2 O | 01. | 2 2 J years |  |
| C3. Have you ever adopled children? (Exclude any stepchildren mentloned in the previous question.) | 02. | $5 \text { 5 } \quad \text { لـ years }$ | $\|\mathrm{B}\|$ |
| Yes . ${ }^{3} \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow$ How many? | 03. | 2 2_J years | $\begin{array}{l\|l\|l\|} \hline & \\ \hline \end{array}$ <br> $\square$ |
| لــــا | 04. | $\begin{array}{l\|l\|l} 5 & \text { years } \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{l\|l\|l\|} \hline & \\ \hline \end{array}$ <br> 1 |
| No $\cdot{ }^{4} \mathrm{O}$ <br> C4. Have you ever (given birth to | 05. | 21 years | $\|3\| \perp$ |
| (fathered) a child of your own? (Do not count stillblaths.) | 06. | 5 5 $\quad$ years | 6 $\square$ |
| Yes . $5 \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow$ How many? | 07. | $\begin{array}{l\|l\|l} 2 & & \text { years } \end{array}$ |   <br> 3  |
| No. ${ }^{6}$ | 08. | \|s._I_ years | 6 |
| C5. INTERVIEWER: | 09. | $\begin{array}{l\|l\|l} 2 & & \text { years } \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{\|l\|l\|l\|} 3 & & \\ \hline \end{array}$ <br> 1 |
| adopled, natural children. Add entries in C2, C3. C4. | 10. | $\begin{array}{\|c\|l\|l}  & \text { years } \\ \hline \end{array}$ | 6\| $\mathrm{BLI}^{\square}$ |
| لـــا | ${ }^{11}$. | 121.1 years | $\|3\| 1$ |
| Total number of children | 12. |  | $\bullet$ ¢ ¢ |
| None ${ }^{0} \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow \mathrm{GO}$ TO OI | 13. | $\|2\| 1 . \mid$ years | $\|3\| \pm$ |
| C6. Do you have any grandchlldren? | 14. |  | 6 |
| Yes . $\mathrm{O} \longrightarrow$ How many? | 15. | 211 vears | $\square \pm$ |
| No . ${ }^{80}$ | 16. | $\begin{array}{\|l\|l} 1 & \text { rears } \end{array}$ | 1 |
|  | 17. | $1: 1$ Juears |  |
|  | 18. | Ls ${ }^{\text {a }}$ - year | $16 \pm$ |
|  | 19. | \| $2 \mid$ ¢ y y ars | $\begin{array}{\|l\|l\|} 3 & \\ \hline \end{array}$ $\square$ |
|  | 20. |  | $\boxed{6}$ |
|  | 21. | $\pm 2 \pm$ yoars | $\begin{array}{\|l\|l\|} \hline 3 & \\ \hline \end{array}$ $\square$ |
|  | 22. | $\begin{array}{\|c\|l\|l}  & 1 & \text { years } \end{array}$ | $\boxed{6}$ |



| CB. INTERVIEWER CHECK ITEM: <br> Review C7, columns $A$ and $E$. <br> Are there any children less than 15 years old luving in household? $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes } \ldots \ldots . .{ }^{\prime} \mathrm{O} \\ & \text { No } \ldots \ldots . .{ }^{2} \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow \text { GO TO C16 } \end{aligned}$ | C15. Who provided this care to ... (your youngest child)? Was it ... |
| :---: | :---: |
| C9. The next questions refer to your children less than 15 years old living in the household. | A sitter or nanny? $\qquad$ |
| C10. During the past 12 months, did any of your children receive childcare on a REGULAR basis? Exclude childcare provided by a family member living In this household. | $1 \perp 1+1+1 \mid$ $\square$ <br> C16. INTERVIEWER CHECK ITEM: |
| C11. Did your child(ren) receive this care so that you or your spouse/partner could ... | C16. INTEAVIEWER CHECK ITEM: <br> Review $C 7$, columns $A$ and $E$. <br> Are there any children less than 15 years old living oulside household? <br> Yes . . . . . . . . . . ${ }^{3} \mathrm{O}$ <br> No |
| Do volunteer work? ...... ${ }^{05} \mathrm{O}$ ${ }^{06} \mathrm{O}$ <br> Provide care to a family <br> member or frlend? ... ${ }^{07} \bigcirc$${ }^{08} \mathrm{O}$ | C17. The next questions are about your (youngest) child llving outside the household. |
|  | C18. Who does . . (this child) live with? <br> Child's mother.father . . . . . . s <br> O <br> A relative . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 6 <br> O <br> Olher $\qquad$ 7 |
| C12. During the past 12 months, did... (your youngest child) receive chlldcare DUTSIDE YOUR HOUSEHOLD on a reguiar basis? <br> Yes $\qquad$ ${ }^{3} \mathrm{O}$ | $1 \perp \perp \perp \perp \perp$ $1 \perp \perp \perp \perp 1+1+1$ |
| No ........ ${ }^{\text {® }} \longrightarrow$ GOTOC14 | C19. Does . . . (this child) Hve within ... <br> 10 km ( 6 miles or 10 minutes by car)? <br> 50 km ( 30 miles or 30 minutes by car)? <br> 100 km ( 60 miles or 1 hour by car)? <br> 200 km ( 120 miles or 2 hours by car)? <br> $400 \mathrm{~km}(240$ miles or 4 hours by car)? <br> 1000 km ( 600 miles or 10 hours by car)? <br> Beyond 1000 km imore than 600 miles or 10 hours by cat 1 ? |
| C13. Did . . . ( your youngest child) go to ... |  |
|  | Ca0. Ouring the past 12 months, how often did you see . . (this child)? Was it ... <br> Daily? <br> At least once a week? <br> At least once a month? <br> Less than once a month? <br> Not at ali? <br> 5 |
| C14. During the past 12 months, did ... (your youngest child) recelve chlldcare IN YOUR HOME on a regular basis? Exclude childcare provided by a family member llving in your household. | C21. Do you see . . . (this child) ... <br> Less often than you would like? $\qquad$ <br> More often than you would like? <br> About the right amount? |

- 9 -



SECTION F: Household help
F1. INTERVIEWER CHECK ITEM: Review GSS 5.1.

| Single person household | $\longrightarrow$ GOTOF7 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Otherwise | 20 |

F.2. The next questlons are about people who helped with the work around your house during the past 12 months. Include only household members.

|  | a) Who helps with meal preparation In your household? <br> (Enter Page-Line Number of each household member - review GSS 5.I. llems 40 and 41) <br> Not applicable 1 no one in household $\qquad$ | b) During the meal <br> Less than 1/4 <br> 010 <br> 06 <br> 10 <br> 16 <br> 97 | pe past 12 paration did <br> Less than $1 / 2$ <br> 02 <br> 07 O <br> 12 O <br> 17 O <br> TO F4 | months. ... do? <br> $1 / 2$ or mote 030 08 O ${ }^{13} \mathrm{O}$ | much of <br> All? <br> 0.0 <br> 09 O <br> 140 <br> 190 | c) Who is PRIMARILY responsible for meal preparation In your household? <br> (Accepl multiple response only it responsibiliy shared equally) <br> $05 \bigcirc$ <br> $10 \bigcirc$ <br> 15 O <br> 20 O <br> 22 O Someone from outside household |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | a) Who helps with meal cleanup in your household? <br> (Enter Page-Line Number of each household member - review GSS 5.1 . llems 40 and 41) <br> Not applicable no one in household . . . . . | b) During the meal <br> Less than 1/4 <br> ${ }^{23} \mathrm{O}$ <br> ${ }^{28} \mathrm{O}$ <br> ${ }^{23} \mathrm{O}$ <br> ${ }^{38} \mathrm{O}$ ${ }^{97} \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow \mathrm{G}$ | e past 12 anup did. <br> Less than $1 / 2$ <br> 240 <br> 29 O <br> ${ }^{36} \mathrm{O}$ <br> 39 <br> TO F5 | onths, o? Was <br> $1 / 2 \mathrm{op}$ more <br> ${ }^{25} \bigcirc$ <br> $30 \bigcirc$ <br> ${ }^{35} \bigcirc$ <br> ${ }^{40} \mathrm{O}$ | much of <br> All? <br> $26 \bigcirc$ <br> 310 <br> ${ }^{36} \mathrm{O}$ <br> ${ }^{41} 0$ | c) Who is PRIMARILY responsible for meal cleanup in your household? <br> (Accept multiple response only if responsibility shared equally) <br> ${ }^{27} \mathrm{O}$ <br> 32 <br> ${ }^{37}$ O <br> 42 <br> ${ }^{44}$ Someone from outside nousehold |
|  | a) Who helps with house cleaning and laundry in your household? <br> (Enter Page-Line Number of each housenold member - revew GSS 5.1. Hems 40 and 41) <br> Not applicable 1 no one in household | b) During the cleaning <br> Less than 1/4 <br> 45 $\qquad$ <br> $50 \bigcirc$ <br> 55 <br> 60 O <br> 97 | e past 12 and laundr <br> Less than 1/2 <br> 46 <br> 510 <br> 56 O <br> 610 <br> 10 F6 | onths, dd ... do <br> $1 / 2$ or more <br> ${ }^{47} \mathrm{O}$ <br> 520 <br> 57 O <br> 620 | nuch of s it ... <br> All? <br> 480 <br> ${ }^{53} \bigcirc$ <br> 58 O <br> 63 O | c) Who is PRIMARILY responsible for house cleaning and laundry in your household? <br> (Accept multirle response only if responsibility shared equally) <br> 49 O <br> 540 <br> 59 O <br> ${ }_{6} 6$ Sorrecre :rom outsce -rusenold |
|  | a) Who helps with house maintenance and outside work such as repalis, painiing. carpentry, lawn mowing. shovelling snow? <br> (Enter Page-Line Number ol each household member - review GSS 5-1. Hems 40 and 41) <br> Not applicable no one in household | b) During the house ... do? Was <br> Less than 1/4 <br> 67 <br> $12 \bigcirc$ <br> 170 <br> $82 \bigcirc$ <br> ${ }^{97} \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow \mathrm{G}$ | he past 12 aintenance <br> Less than t/2 <br> 68 O <br> $i 3 \mathrm{O}$ <br> ${ }^{78} \mathrm{O}$ <br> ${ }^{83}$ ○ <br> ro 77 | onths. nd outs <br> $1 / 2$ or more <br> 69 O <br> $i 4$ O <br> i9 0 <br> 8 | much of ork did <br> All? <br> 700 <br> ${ }^{35} \mathrm{O}$ <br> $80 \bigcirc$ <br> ${ }^{85} \mathrm{O}$ | c) Who is PRIMARILY tesponsible for house maintenance and oulside work in your household? <br> (Accept multic e esponse only " iesponsibility snared equally) <br> 710 <br> $: 6$ <br> ${ }^{81} \bigcirc$ <br> ${ }^{86} \bigcirc$ <br> 88 Someone from outside nousehold |

F7. The next few questlons are about any unpaid help you have given to others or received from others. Include organizations and people who are not patt of yout household, such as family, friends, neighbours, etc.

F8. During the past 12 months, have you done any unpaid housework oulslde your home such as cooking sewing or cleaning?
Yes
10
No . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2 O $\longrightarrow$ GO TO FiO


F10. During the past 12 months, has anyone lrom outslde your househoid helped with unpaid housework such as cooking, sewing of cleaning?
Yes . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 3 O
No ....................... $\rightarrow$ O $\rightarrow$ GO TO FI2


F12. During the past 12 months, have you helped anyone outside your household with house maintenance of outside work such as repairs, painting, carpentry, lawn mowing or shovelling snow?
Yes
50
No
$6 \mathrm{O} \rightarrow$ GOTOFIs


F16. During the past 12 months, have you provided unpald transportation $t 0$ anyone outslde your household, such as driving them to an appolntment or shopping?
Yes
${ }^{1} 0$
No $\ldots . . . . . . . . . . \quad 2 \mathrm{O} \rightarrow$ GO TO Fi8

F17. For which person or organization?
(Mark all that apply:
for each c:rcie matked. ask:)
How often did you provide this help?

|  |  | it least cnce a week | At least once a month | Less tran once a monin |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Son | ${ }^{01} \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow$ | 02 O | ${ }^{03} \mathrm{O}$ | $0^{0} \mathrm{O}$ |
| Daughter | ${ }^{05} \mathrm{O}-$ | 06 | ${ }^{07} \mathrm{O}$ | ${ }^{08} \mathrm{O}$ |
| Parent | ${ }^{09} \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow$ | ${ }^{10} \bigcirc$ | ${ }^{11} 0$ | $12 \bigcirc$ |
| Brother ! sister | ${ }^{13} \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow$ | ${ }^{14} \mathrm{O}$ | ${ }^{15} \mathrm{O}$ | ${ }^{16} \bigcirc$ |
| Other relative | ${ }^{17} \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow$ | 18 O | $19 \bigcirc$ | ${ }^{20}$ |
| Friend I neighbour | ${ }^{21} \mathrm{O} \ldots$ | $22 \bigcirc$ | ${ }^{23} \mathrm{O}$ | ${ }^{24} \mathrm{O}$ |
| Organization : other | ${ }^{25} \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow$ | ${ }^{26} \bigcirc$ | ${ }^{27} \bigcirc$ | ${ }^{28} \mathrm{O}$ |




F20. During the past 12 months, have you provided any unpaid childcare lor anyone outside your household?


F22. During the past 12 months, have you provided any unpaid personal care, such as heip bathing or dressing, to anyone outslde your househoid?


F23. For which person or organization?
(Mark all that apply)

(For each cucte rrarked. ash. How often did you provide this help?
At least
once a week
At leas:
once a monin
${ }^{31} \mathrm{O}$
${ }^{35} \mathrm{O}$
${ }^{39} \mathrm{O}$
${ }^{43} \mathrm{O}$
${ }^{47} \mathrm{O}$
${ }^{51} \mathrm{O}$
${ }^{55} \mathrm{O}$
Less inan
once a month
${ }^{32} \mathrm{O}$
${ }^{36} \mathrm{O}$
${ }^{40} \mathrm{O}$
${ }^{44} \mathrm{O}$
${ }^{48} \mathrm{O}$
52 O
${ }^{56} \mathrm{O}$


- 15 -

F24. During the past 12 months, have you provided financial support to anyone outside your household?

| Yes | - |
| :---: | :---: |
| No | $2 \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow$ GOTO F26 |

F25. For which person or organizatlon? (Mark all that apply)
(For each circle marked, ask:) How often did you provlde this help?

| Son | $01 \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| Daughter | $05 \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow$ |
| Parent | 09 |
| Brother / sister | $13 \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow$ |
| Other reiative | 17 |
| Friend / neighbour | 21 |
| Organization / other | $25 \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow$ |
|  | Specily |

نـ|11


F26. During the past 12 months, has anyone from outside your household provided you with flnancial support?
Yes
${ }^{3} \mathrm{O}$
No
$4 \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow$ GO TO F28

F27. Who provided such help?
(Mark all (hat apply)

| Son | $29 \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| Daughter | ${ }_{3} \mathrm{O}$ |
| Parent | $37 \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow$ |
| Brother : sister | $4 \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow$ |
| Other relanve | $45 \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow$ |
| Friend : neighbour | $49 \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow$ |
| Organization, ather | ${ }_{4}^{53} \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow$ |
|  | Speciry |
| 1 |  |
| L_I_ | 111 |

(For each circle marked, ask:) How often did they provide this help?

| At least <br> once a week | At least <br> once a month | Less than <br> once a montit |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 30 O | 31 O | 32 O |
| 34 O | 35 O | 35 O |
| 38 O | 39 O | 40 O |
| 42 O | 43 O | 44 O |
| 46 O | 47 O | 48 O |
| 50 O | 51 O | 32 O |
| 54 O | $5 s \mathrm{O}$ | 56 O |


|  |  |  | (/l "yes" is marked. ask:) |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | No | Yes | At least once a week | At least once a month | Less than ance a month |
| Meal preparation? | 0.0 | $02 \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow$ | 03 O | 00 | 05 O |
| House cleaning or laundry? . | 06 | $07 \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow$ | 080 | 09 | 100 |
| House malntenance or oulside work? | 110 | $12 \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow$ | 130 | 140 | 150 |
| Transportation for yoursell? . | 160 | $17 \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow$ | 160 | 19 | 20 |
| Grocery shopping? . . . . . | $21 \bigcirc$ | $22 \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow$ | 23 O | 240 | 250 |

F29. During the past 12 months, were you Involved in any other unpaid volunteer work for any organizatlons, such as charitles, teaching, fundralsing, office work?

| Yes |  | $1 \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow$ | How often did you provide this service? |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Al least once a week | At least once a month | Less than once a month |
|  |  | 20 | 3 O | 4 O |

No ....................... ${ }^{5} O$
F30. Because of a long-term physical condition, mental condition or health problem, are you limited In the kind or amount of activity that you can do at home, at work, at school or In other activities such as transportation or leisure?

| Yes | , |
| :---: | :---: |
| No | $7 \mathrm{O} \rightarrow$ GO TO G1 |

F31. During the past 12 months, has anyone provided you with personal care, such as help bathing or dressing?

| Yes | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{O}$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| No | $9 \mathrm{O} \rightarrow$ GO TO G1 |

F32. Who provided such help?

| (Mark all that apply) | (For each circle marked, ask:) |
| :--- | :--- |
|  | Do they llve In this household? |





G1. In the next two questions we would like to ask you who you would turn to for help. Include spouse, relatives. Irlends, social services, clergy, protessional counsellors, etc.


|  | SECTION H: Marrlages | H14. Is this your first marriage? |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Hi. The next questions are about marriages and common-law partnerships. Your answers will help us better measure how lamily relationships are changing. |  |
|  | H2. Have you ever been a partner in a common-law relationship? By this we mean partners llving logether as husband and wife without being legally married. $\begin{array}{lll} \text { Yes } & \ldots & . . \\ { }^{1} & & \\ \text { No } & \ldots . & { }^{2} O \end{array}$ | HI5. INTERVIEWER CHECK ITEM: <br> Review H6. <br> Is the respondent currently separated (H6 = Yes)? <br> $\mathrm{Y}_{\mathrm{H}} \mathrm{F} . . . \mathrm{C}{ }^{7} \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow$ GOTO SH <br>  |
|  | H3. Are you now legally married? $\begin{array}{ll} \text { Yes } \ldots . . . & { }^{\circ} \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow \text { GO то } \\ \text { No } & \ldots . . . \\ { }^{\circ} \mathrm{O} \end{array}$ | HI6. What was the date of your first marrlage? |
|  | Have you ever been legally married? $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes } \ldots . . \text { sO } \longrightarrow \text { GO זO H16 } \\ & \text { No } \ldots \ldots . \\ & \text { OO } \longrightarrow \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow \mathrm{H} 37 \end{aligned}$ | H17. What was your first husband/wife's marital status before entering into that marriage? Was it ... |
|  |  |  |
|  | No ...... ${ }^{8} \mathrm{O}$ | H18. What was hisher date of blith? |
|  | Ar |  |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes } \ldots \ldots . \text { 'O } \\ & \text { No } \ldots \ldots \\ & \text { º } \end{aligned}$ | HIg. INTERVIEWER CHECK ITEM: <br> Review H . <br> Has the respondent ever been a partner in a common. law relauonship ( $\mathrm{H}_{2}=\mathrm{Yes}$ )? |
|  | H7. When did you separate? |  |
|  |  | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Yes } \ldots . . & \text { •O } \\ \text { No } \ldots \ldots & \text { s } \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow \text { GO TO H22 }\end{array}$ |
|  | Month |  |
|  | What was the date of L5 $\mid$ ل $\|6\|-\perp$ | H20. Dld you and your first spouse live common-law before entering into this marrlage? |
|  | What was your spouse's marital status before entering into this marriage? Was It ... <br> Widowed? $\qquad$ ${ }^{7} 0$ <br> Divorced? $\qquad$ ${ }^{\circ} 0$ <br> Single? $\qquad$ ${ }^{9} 0$ | GO |
|  |  | H21. Approximately when did you and your first husband/wife begin to live together? <br> Month Year |
|  |  | H22. Did your first marrlage end in ... |
| HIO. What is your spouse's date of birth? $\underset{\text { Month. }}{L_{\text {Year }}^{L}}$ |  | (Read categories and record month and year) <br> When? <br> Month |
|  | HII. INTERVIEWER CHECK ITEM: <br> Review H2. <br> Has the respondent ever been a partner in a commonlaw relationship ( $\mathrm{H} 2=\mathrm{Yes}$ )? <br> Yes ....... 'O <br> No ...... ${ }^{2} \mathrm{O}$ $\qquad$ GO 10 HI 4 |  |
| H12. Did you and your spouse iive common-law before entering into this marriage? |  | Death of <br> spouse? $\qquad$ ـ $\qquad$ <br> Other $\qquad$ ${ }^{8} \mathrm{O}$ $\qquad$ L |
|  | No ...... ${ }^{\text {© }} \longrightarrow$ GO OH | 3. |
| H13: Approximately when did you and your current spouse begin to Ilve together? <br> Month Year |  | Review H3. <br> is respondent currently married ( $\mathrm{H} 3=\mathrm{Yes}$ )? $\begin{array}{lll} \text { Yes } \ldots . . . & \\ \text { 'O } \\ \text { No } \ldots . . & { }^{2} \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow \text { GO TO H26 } \end{array}$ |
|  |  |  |  |


| H24. Is your current marrlage your second? $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes } \ldots . .{ }^{3} \mathrm{O} \\ & \text { No } \ldots . . . \\ & \text { Q OO TO } \mathrm{H} 27 \end{aligned}$ | h35. INTERVIEWER CHECK ITEM: <br> Review H3. <br> Is respondent currenty married ( $\mathrm{H} 3=$ Yes)? |
| :---: | :---: |
| H25. INTERVIEWER CHECK ITEM: <br> Review H6. <br> is respondent currenty separated (H6 = Yes)? <br> Yes ...... ${ }^{5} \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow \mathrm{GOTO} \mathrm{JI}$ <br> No ...... ${ }^{6} \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow$ GOTO $\mathrm{J}_{3}$ | $\mathrm{No} . . . . .2{ }^{2} \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow \mathrm{GOTO} \mathrm{H} 38$ |
|  | H36. INTERVIEWER CHECK ITEM: <br> Review H6. <br> Is respondent currently separated (H6 = Yes)? <br> Yes ...... ${ }^{3} \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow$ GOTO JI |
| H26. Have you been legaily married a second time? | No ..... ${ }^{\text {4 }} \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow$ GOTO 3 |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yes } \ldots . . \\ & \text { No } \ldots . . \\ & \text { No } \\ & \text { Y } \end{aligned}$ | H37. Do you think you will ever marry? $\text { Yes } . . . . .{ }^{1} \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow \text { GO TO H39 }$ |
| H27. What was the date of your second marrlage? | $\left.\begin{array}{cc} \text { No } \ldots . . . & { }^{8} \mathrm{O} \\ \text { Don't know } & { }^{9} \mathrm{O} \end{array}\right\} \longrightarrow \text { GOTO JI }$ |
|  | Do you think you will ever marry again? |
| H28. What was your second husband/wife's maritai status before entering into that marriage? Was it ... <br> Widowed? $\qquad$ 10 <br> Divorced? $\qquad$ $20$ | $\left.\begin{array}{l} \text { Yes } \ldots \ldots . \\ \begin{array}{l} \text { No } \ldots \ldots \\ \text { Don't know } \end{array}{ }^{8} \mathrm{O} \\ { }^{8} \mathrm{O} \end{array}\right\} \longrightarrow G O \text { TO } \mathrm{JI}$ |
| Dlvorced? <br> Single? | H3g. At what age would you like to get married/remarrled? |
| H29. What was hisher date of birth? | Donit know 980 |
| Month Year | SECTIDN J: Common-law partnerships |
| H30. INTERVIEWER CHECK ITEM: <br> Review H2. <br> Has the respondent ever been a partner in a commonlaw relationship ( $\mathrm{H} 2=\mathrm{Yes}$ )? $\begin{array}{ll} \text { Yes } \ldots . . . & { }^{4} \mathrm{O} \\ \text { No } \ldots . . . & { }^{\text {S }} \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow \text { GO TO H33 } \end{array}$ | J1. INTERVIEWER CHECK ITEM: <br> Review H 2. <br> Has the respondent ever been a partner in a commonlaw relationship (H2 = Yes)? $\begin{array}{lll} \text { Yes } \ldots . . . & { }^{1} \mathrm{O} \\ \mathrm{No} \ldots \ldots . & { }_{2} \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow \mathrm{GO} \text { TO KI } \end{array}$ |
| H31. Did you and your second spouse live common-law betore entering into this marrlage? $\begin{array}{lll} \text { Yes } \ldots . . & 8 \mathrm{O} \\ \text { No } \ldots . . & 7 \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow \text { GO TO } \mathrm{H} 33 \end{array}$ | 32. Are you now living with a common-law pa $\begin{array}{lll} \text { Yes } \ldots \ldots & 3 \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow G O \text { OO } \\ \text { No } & \ldots . . & 4 \mathrm{O} \end{array}$ |
| H32. Approximately when did you and your second husband/wife begin to live together? <br> Monin Year | J3. INTERVIEWER CHECK ITEM: <br> Review H2. <br> Has the respondent ever been a parner in a commonlaw relationship (H2 = Yes)? |
| H33. Did your second marriage end in ... <br> (Read categones and record month and year) <br> When? <br> Monith Year | $\begin{array}{lll} \text { Yes } \ldots . . . & { }^{5} \mathrm{O} \\ \therefore \mathrm{O} & \ldots . . & { }^{6} \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow \mathrm{OO} \mathrm{rOKI} \end{array}$ |
|  | Js. Have you ever been a partner in a common-law relationship that was not followed by marriage? |
|  | $\begin{array}{lll} \text { ves } \ldots . . & : \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow \text { GOTO } \longrightarrow \mathrm{Jg} \\ : \mathrm{O} & \ldots . . & \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow \mathrm{OOTOKI} \end{array}$ |
|  | J5. Approximately when did you and your partner begin to live together? $\qquad$ <br>  $\square$ <br> Monih |
|  | J6. What was your partner's marital stalus betore entering into thls union? Was it ... <br> Widowed? $\qquad$ 10 |
| H34. In total, how many limes have you been legally married? | Separated? $\ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots$ ${ }^{2} 0$  <br> Divorced? $\ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots$ ${ }^{3} 0$  <br> Single? $\ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots$   |



J9. Approximately when did you begin your first common-law relationship that was not followed by marrlage?


Month Year
J10. What was that partner's marltal status before enterling into that union? Was it ...
Widowed? ................. ${ }^{2} O$
Separated? ................ ${ }^{3} \bigcirc$
Divorced? ................. ${ }^{4}$ O
Single? . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . ${ }^{5} \bigcirc$
J11. What was that partner's date of birth?
$\underset{\text { Month }}{L_{\text {Year }}^{L}}$
J12. Did this partnership end by separation or by the death of your partner?
(Record reason, month and year)

|  | When? |
| :---: | :---: |
|  | Month Year |
| Separation : | - لـL |
| Death ol parner | L |

J13. Have you been a partner in any other common-law relatlonships that were not followed by marriage?

Yes ...... ${ }^{8} \mathrm{O}$
No ...... ${ }^{9} \mathrm{O}$

$$
{ }^{9} \mathrm{O}
$$

$\qquad$ GO TO K1
J14. Approximately when did you begin your second common-law relattonship that was not followed by marriage?


Month Year
JIS. What was that partner's marital status before entering into that union? Was it ...
WIdowed? ................. 10
Separated ................ 20
Dlvorced? ................. . ${ }^{3} \bigcirc$
Single? ................... . + -
J16. What was that patiner's date of birth?


Month Year
J17. Did this parnership end by separation or by the death of your partner?
(Record reason. month and year)


J18. In total, how many times have you been a partner In common-law relatlonships that were not followed by marrlage?

11
times

SECTION K: Satisfaction
K1. Now, I am going to ask you to rate certain areas of your life.

K2. Would you describe yourself as ...
Very happy? . . . . . . . . . . . . ' $O$
Somewhat happy? ......... 20
Somewhat unhappy? . . . . . ${ }^{3} \mathrm{O}$
Very unhappy? ............. © 0
No opinion . ................. s O
K3. How would you describe your state of health? Compared to other persons your age. would you say it is ...

Excellent? ................. 60
Good? ..................... : 0
Falr? ........................ 8
Poor? . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 9
Excellent?

K4. Are you satisfied or dissatisfled with ...

| $\cdots$ | is that somewhat or very? |
| :---: | :---: |
| . Somewhat $\quad$ Very |  |

a) Your relationship with yourspouse/partner, or your single status? . . ...........

| Satisfied $\ldots$. | 01 O | 02 O | 030 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Dissatisflied $\ldots$ | 04 O | 05 O | 00 |
| No opinion $\ldots$ | 07 O |  |  |

b) Your relationship with your Immedlate famlly? ........ Satisfied ....

c) The way housework is shared in your home?

| Satisfied $\ldots$. | $15 \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow{ }^{16} \mathrm{O}$ | 170 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Dissatisfied $\ldots$ | $18 \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow 190$ | 200 |

No opinion . . 210
d) Your job or maln activity?.

e) The balance between your
job or main activity and family and home life?

| Satisfied $\ldots .$. | 29 O | 30 O |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Dissatisfied $\ldots$ | 32 O | 33 O |
| No opinion $\ldots$ | 35 O |  |

1) The a mount ol time you have to pursue other interests?

| Satisflied $\ldots .$. | 36 O | $\longrightarrow$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Dissatisflied $\ldots$ | 39 O | 37 O |
| No opinion $\ldots$ | 42 O |  |

9) Your reiationship with your Irlends? .............

| Satisfied | 430 | 40 | 450 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Dissatislied | $46 \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow$ | 470 | 480 |
| No opinion | 49 |  |  |

h) Your current accommodation or housing?

| Salistied | $50 \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow$ | 310 | 320 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Dissatisfied | $\mathrm{S3}^{\longrightarrow} \longrightarrow$ | 50 | 350 |
| No opinion | 360 |  |  |

Why are you dissatisfied with your accommodation or housing?
:Ark ail that apmi:

| Cost of morigage rent |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Property laxes | 59 |
| Tratic in neignoournood | ¢9 |
| Oiner nergnbourncos distakes |  |
| Accommodation ico small | 61 O |
| Accommodation 100 large | 62 |
| Would like to own | 63 |
| Buiding maintenance |  |
| M.antenance costs |  |
| Transportation difficulties |  |
| Oiner | 67 O |

- 22 -






| SECTION AI: Contacts for follow-up |  |
| :---: | :---: |
|  | INTERVIEWER: |
|  | Read and complete the following section lor each person intervewed. |
|  | This survey is part of a longer-term project to Investigate the relationship between the lamlly and other issues such as health. For this reason, we may need to recontact your household in a year or more from now. |
|  | In case you move or change phone numbers, we would tke to obtaln your complete name and address. This information will be kept stictly confldential and will only be used to maintain contact with you. |
|  | Rehused to provide information ... $6 \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow \mathrm{CO}$ TO M8 |
|  | NAME OF RESPONDENT |
|  |  |
|  |  |
|  | ADDRESS OF RESPONDENT |
|  | $\qquad$ |
|  | City, Town. Village. <br>  |
|  | Province/ Terntory $^{\text {. }}$ (......\| |

M4. in addition. we would tike the name, address and phone number of a friend, relatlve or nelghbour whom we could contact to obtain your new address or telephone number in the event that you move. I want to emphasize that we will contact this person only If you move or change your telephone number and then only to obtain your new address or telephone number.
Refused to provide contact . . .... $7 \mathrm{O} \longrightarrow \mathrm{GO}$ TO M8


M8. INTERWIEWER:
Thank respondent and end mrinerview.
M9. INTERVIEWER CHECK ITEN:
What is the sex of the responaent?
Male . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 80
99. COMMENTS
$\qquad$
$\qquad$
$\qquad$
$\qquad$
$\qquad$
a .ann.4. 1
99. COMMENTS
$\qquad$



C

$\longrightarrow$,
$\longrightarrow$
—
C
$\xrightarrow{C}$
$\rightarrow$,
$\longrightarrow$
$\xrightarrow{C}$

C
$\xrightarrow{2}$
L
$\longrightarrow$





-
C.



[^0]:    General Social Survey, 1990

[^1]:    1 Not counting step-children who have been legally adopted.
    2 Source: 8urch, T.K., Family History Survey: Prel iminary findings, Catalogue 99-955, Statistics Canada,
    1985 .
    General Social Survey, 1990

[^2]:    1 Married includes common-law unions.

