Latvia’s Political Survey 2018

Codebook and questionnaire

for integrated raw-date

April, 2020

year, month, date, d13r (YYMMDD)
interviewing year, month, and date

ID

weight
provided by the polltaker, based on region, gender, nationality, and age group.

Socio-demographic parameters

D1. – D10.
please provide brief information about yourself!
(*note: these questions were held at the end of interview*)

d01
Gender

Male	1
Female	2

d02
Age:.....

d02_sh
Age Gropup

18-24	1
25-34	2
35-44	3
45-54	4
55-63	5
64-	6

d02a
Marital status

Married/ Living together	1
Divorced/ Separated	2
Unmarried	3
Widowed	4

d03
How many people live in your household, including yourself :.....

d03a
Do you live with child aged under 18?

Yes	1
No	2
Hard to Say/ No answer	8

d04
What is your education lavel?

No education	1
Primary/ Secondary uncompleted	2
Secondary	3
Professional or vocational secondary	4
Tertiary	5

d05
What is your nationality(lv: tautība)**?**

Latvian	1
Russian	2
Other nationalities	3

d05_sh
What is your nationality(lv: tautība)**?**

Latvian	1
Non-Latvian	2

d05a
In which language you mainly speak with your family?
(only one answer)

Latvian	1
Russian	2
Other language	3

d06
Do you have a LR citizenship?

Yes	1
No	2

d07
In which sector do you work?

Public sector (national or regional)	1
Private sector	2
Not worked	3
Other	4
Don’t know/ No answer	5

d08
What is your occupation?

Manager/director, senior or middle level	1
Specialist or clerk, for non-physical work	2
Laborer, in for physical work	3
Farmer (with own farm)	4
Self-employed	5
Pensioner	6
Student	7
Housewife/husband, or parental leave	8
Unemployed	9

d09_k
What is the average monthly income per member of your family in the last six months (after tax), taking into account all income - salaries, allowances, benefits, pensions, etc.?:
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d09_l
(log of d09_k)

d_pils
Living place

Riga(capital)	1
Other cities	2
Country areas	3

d10
Regions (electoral district)

Riga	1
Vidzeme	2
Kurzeme	3
Zemgale	4
Latgale	5

d10a
Regions (statistical district)

Riga	1	Kurzeme	4
Pierīga	2	Zemgale	5
Vidzeme	3	Latgale	6

political parameters

p02a
hand out card J14
If LR Saeima election will be held tomorrow, for which political party or alliance will you vote?
mark one answer option

Latvia's Russian Union	1
New Conservative Party	2
National Alliance	3
Progressive	4
Harmony – Social Democratic Party	5
Development/ For!	6
Latvia's Regional Alliance	7
New Unity	8
Who Owns the State? KPVLV	9
Green and Farmers Union	10
Other parties	11
Don't know/ No answer	12
I don't participate in elections	13

q01
I will read to you several statements. Please tell me about each of them do you totally agree, rather agree, neither agree nor disagree, rather disagree or totally disagree with the following statement.

		Totally agree	Rather agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Rather disagree	Totally disagree	Don't know/ No answer
q01_01	Large differences in people's incomes are acceptable to properly reward differences in talents and efforts	1	2	3	4	5	8
q01_02	Schools must teach children only in Latvian language	1	2	3	4	5	8
q01_03	Latvian government does not care much about what people like me think	1	2	3	4	5	8
q01_04	The Russian state is a threat to the peace and security of Latvia	1	2	3	4	5	8
q01_05	Immigrants make the cultural life of Latvia is endangered	1	2	3	4	5	8
q01_06	Democracy and a few shortcomings, but it is better than any other formula for governance	1	2	3	4	5	8

q02
How proud are you to be Latvia inhabitant?
Only one answer.

Very proud	1
Quite proud	2
Not very proud	3
Not at all proud	4
No Answer	9

q03
How interested would you say you are in politics?

Very interested	1
Quite interested	2
Hardly interested	3
Not at all interested	4
Don’t Kknow / No Answer	8

q04
Please tell me, to what extent do you trust each of them - do you trust them completely, do you trust them to some extent, do you not trust them at all, do you not trust them at all?

		Completely trust	Rather trust	Rather distrust	Completely distrust	No answer
q04_01	city or county council	1	2	3	4	8
q04_02	Saeima (Parliament)	1	2	3	4	8
q04_03	European Parliament	1	2	3	4	8

q05
In politics, there are concepts such as "left" and "right" forces. How would you rate your affiliation of this scale in general?

Left [0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10] Right, (No answer: 88)

q06
Please evaluate, to what extent should Latvia allow the people from the following countries to move to live here?

		allow many	allow some	allow a few	allow none	no answer/ hard to say
q06_01	from poorer European countries	1	2	3	4	8
q06_02	from poorer the Middle Eastern countries	1	2	3	4	8
q06_03	from poorer African countries	1	2	3	4	8
q06_04	from poorer Asian countries	1	2	3	4	8