Q. CHILD CARE

Q1 CONFIRM WITH RESPONDENT: Are there any children less than 15 years of age living in the household?

Yes ........................................................................1
No ..........................................................................2 ➔ Q19

Q2 We begin with some questions about any child care arrangements your household may have, and the costs involved. Are you able to answer these sorts of questions or should we speak to someone else?

If the person you are interviewing cannot provide the required details about childcare, skip to R1 and leave this part of the form until you can interview the person needed.

If person not available, record name for future reference

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Q4 Looking at SHOWCARD Q4, at any time in the last 12 months have you used, or thought about using, any of these forms of child care so you (or your partner) could undertake paid work?

You only need to answer “yes” or “no”.

(Paid work includes both working for yourself – that is, self-employed in your own business – and working for an employer.)

Yes ........................................................................1
No ..........................................................................2 ➔ Q6a

Q5 Using the scale on SHOWCARD Q5, pick a number between 0 and 10 to indicate how much of a difficulty each of the following have been for you in the last 12 months.

N/A DK

a Finding good quality child care 97 99
b Finding the right person to take care of your child 97 99
c Getting care for the hours you need 97 99
d Finding care for a sick child 97 99
e Finding care during school holidays 97 99
f The cost of child care 97 99
g Juggling multiple child care arrangements 97 99
h Finding care for a difficult or special needs child 97 99
i Finding a place at the child care centre of your choice 97 99
j Finding a child care centre in the right location 97 99
k Finding care your children are happy with 97 99
l Finding care at short notice 97 99

Q6a The next showcard, SHOWCARD Q6a, contains a longer list of child care types. Do you actually use any of these forms of child care while you (and your partner) are undertaking paid work?

Yes ........................................................................1 ➔ Q7
No ..........................................................................2 ➔ Q6b

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Q6b What about child care while you are not undertaking paid work? Looking at SHOWCARD Q6b, and thinking of your usual week, do you use any of these forms of child care while you (or your partner) are not working?

*Prompt: For example, use child care so you can study / exercise / look for work, or use child care for other reasons?*

Yes........................................................................1 → Q13
No..........................................................................2 → Q19

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| Q8 LIST EVERY CHILD AT SCHOOL IN GRID BELOW (ONE CHILD PER COLUMN) |
| a Looking at SHOWCARD Q8, while you (and your partner) are working, who looks after [...] out of school hours during term time?  ASK FOR EACH CHILD AND CIRCLE THE NUMBER CORRESPONDING TO TYPE OF CARE USED (MULTI RESPONSE). |
| b In a usual week, how many hours does [...] spend in that type of care while you (and your partner) are working?  ASK FOR EACH CHILD  If the respondent does not know write in ‘DK’.* |
| c For each type of child care used for your school-age children during the school term, what is the usual total weekly cost after any regular child care benefit you may receive has been deducted?  FOR EACH TYPE OF CHILD CARE USED, ADD THE WEEKLY AMOUNT PAID FOR EACH CHILD & RECORD IN LAST COLUMN. |

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**Child care for school-aged children during school holidays**

**Q9**

COPY ACROSS NAMES OF AT-SCHOOL CHILDREN INTO GRID BELOW (IN SAME ORDER AS Q8), AND ASK:

a **Looking at SHOWCARD Q9, who looks after [...] during school holidays?**

*FOR EACH CHILD CIRCLE THE NUMBER CORRESPONDING TO EACH TYPE OF CARE USED (MULTI RESPONSE).*

b **During school holidays, how many hours per week does [...] usually spend in that type of care?** *If the child stays at carer's overnight, count these hours as well. For example, if the child goes to the grandparents for a week, hours recorded should be 168 (ie 7x24 hrs).*

c **For each type of child care used for your school-aged children during school holidays, what is the usual total weekly cost after any regular child care benefit you may receive has been deducted?**

*FOR EACH TYPE OF CHILD CARE USED, ADD THE WEEKLY AMOUNT PAID FOR EACH CHILD & RECORD IN LAST COLUMN.*

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*If care is free, record "0"*
**Child care for children not yet at school**

Q10 Are there any children in the household not yet at school?

Yes, has children not yet at school ..................... 1 \( \rightarrow \) Q11

No, has no child who is not yet at school ............. 2 \( \rightarrow \) Q12

**Q11** LIST EVERY CHILD WHO IS NOT YET AT SCHOOL IN GRID BELOW (ONE CHILD PER COLUMN)

- **a** Looking at SHOWCARD Q11, while you (and your partner) are working, who looks after [...name of child(ren) not yet at school...]? ASK FOR EACH CHILD AND CIRCLE THE NUMBER CORRESPONDING TO EACH TYPE OF CARE USED (MULTI RESPONSE).

- **b** In a usual week, how many hours does [...name of child not yet at school...] spend in that type of care while you (and your partner) are working? ASK FOR EACH CHILD AND RECORD HOURS IN CARE If the respondent does not know write in ‘DK’.

- **c** For each type of child care used for your children who are not yet at school, what is the usual total weekly cost after any regular child care benefit you may receive has been deducted? FOR EACH TYPE OF CHILD CARE USED, ADD THE WEEKLY AMOUNT PAID FOR EACH CHILD & RECORD IN LAST COLUMN.

**AFTER COMPLETING THE GRID, GO TO Q12 BELOW**

### Care for children who are not yet at school

*Type of care: Usual hours in a week while parents are working: Usual weekly cost*

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**Q12** Now think about child care when you (or your partner) are not at work. Looking at SHOWCARD Q12 and thinking about your usual week, do you use any of these forms of child care for non-work related reasons? We are interested in additional child care that you haven’t yet mentioned.

*Prompt: For example, use child care so you (or your partner) can study / exercise / shop, or use child care for other reasons?*

Yes ................................................................. 1 \( \rightarrow \) Q13

No................................................................. 2 \( \rightarrow \) Q17
Q13 CHECK OR CONFIRM WITH RESPONDENT: AGE OF CHILDREN
Has children from both age groups (i.e., children not yet at school and school-aged children less than 15 years)..................................................1 ➔ Q14
Only has children who are not yet at school.........................................2 ➔ Q16
Only has school-aged children (less than 15 years of age).....................3 ➔ Q14

Non-employment related child care for school-aged children

Q14 LIST EVERY SCHOOL-AGED CHILD IN GRID BELOW (ONE CHILD PER COLUMN)

a Looking at SHOWCARD Q14, in a usual week, what types of care do you use for [...] when you (or your partner) are not working?
ASK FOR EACH CHILD AND CIRCLE THE NUMBER CORRESPONDING TO EACH TYPE OF CARE USED (MULTI RESPONSE).

b In a usual week, how many hours does [...] spend in this type of care while you (or your partner) are not working? ASK FOR EACH CHILD AND RECORD HOURS IN CARE If the respondent does not know write in ‘DK’.

c What is the usual weekly cost of this type of care for your school-aged children after any regular child care benefit you may receive has been deducted?
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Q15 CHECK Q13: Any children not yet at school (Q13=1)?
Yes (Q13= 1)..................................................................................1 ➔ Q16
No (Q13=3) .....................................................................................2 ➔ Q17
Non-employment related child care for children not yet at school

Q16  List every child who is not yet at school in grid below (one child per column)

a  Looking at Showcard Q16, in a usual week, what types of care do you use for [...name of child(ren) not yet at school...] when you (or your partner) are not working?

Ask for each child and circle the number corresponding to each type of care used (multi response).

b  In a usual week, how many hours does [...name of child(ren) not yet at school...] spend in this type of care while you (or your partner) are not working? Ask for each child and record hours in care. If the respondent does not know write in ‘DK’.

c  What is the usual weekly cost of this type of care for these children (who are not yet at school) after any regular child care benefit you may receive has been deducted?

For each type of child care used, add the weekly amount paid for each child & record in last column.

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R1  TIMESTAMP

Record time now                     USE 24 HOUR CLOCK

R2  We now have some questions on housing. How many bedrooms are there [here / in the home in which you live]? Count all bedrooms even if they are not currently used as a bedroom (e.g., a study).

If a bed sit, studio or single room caravan, then the answer should be zero.

Only count those rooms belonging to household members; do not count those belonging to any other household in the same dwelling.

Record whole number

R3  Do you (or any other members of this household) own this home, rent it, or do you live here rent free?

If they do have some equity in the dwelling, then it should be coded as ‘own’.

Own / currently paying off mortgage.............1 ➔ R7
Rent (or pay board) .......................................2
Involved in a rent-buy scheme.......................3
Live here rent free / Life Tenure....................4 ➔ R30

‘Life Tenure’ refers to households or individuals who have a life tenure contract to live in the dwelling but usually do not have any equity in the dwelling.

R4  Who does this household rent from (or pay board to)?

A private landlord or real estate agent............1
Caravan park owner or manager......................2
A Government housing authority....................3
A Community or Co-operative housing group ......4
An employer .............................................5
Someone else (not included above) (specify) ......6

R5a  How much does this household usually pay in rent or board?

Record whole dollars $ ➔ R5b

Don’t know................................................99999 ➔ R6
R5b And what period does that payment cover?

Per Week ............................................................1
Fortnight .......................................................2
4 weeks ........................................................3
Calendar month ............................................4
Quarter .........................................................5
Other (specify) ..............................................6

R6 CHECK R3 (for renters only): Is respondent involved in a rent-buy arrangement?

Yes (R3=3) .............................................................1 \( \Rightarrow \) R7
No (R3=2) ............................................................2 \( \Rightarrow \) R32

Home owners and Rent-buyers only

R7 Do any of the members of this household pay board to another member of the household?

Include here any children who pay board to their parents.

Yes .................................................................1 \( \Rightarrow \) R9
No .................................................................2 \( \Rightarrow \) R9

R8 Which members of this household pay board to another member of the household?

Write in ID numbers of the household members paying board.

R9 Which members of this household are the legal owners of this property?

Write in ID numbers of the household member or members who are the legal owners.

R10 Are there any people who are not members of this household who own a share in this property?

Yes .................................................................1
No .................................................................2 \( \Rightarrow \) R12

R11 What percentage of this property do they own?

% Don't know ..................................................999

R12 In what year did the household purchase (or acquire) your current home?

Enter year

Don't know ..................................................999

R13 What was the total price of your home (including the land value) when you first bought or acquired it?

This will usually be the initial purchase price. If the house wasn’t bought (for example, it was inherited), ask for the value of the home when they first acquired it.

If answer is given in pounds, convert into dollars by doubling it.

Record whole dollars $ _______________________

Don’t know ....................................................9999999

R14 What is the approximate value of your home today? I mean, how much would it bring if you sold it today? Include land, home improvements, and fixtures (such as curtains and light fittings) usually sold with a home. Exclude home contents.

If respondent does not know, probe for an estimate. If range given, write in lowest figure.

Record whole dollars $ _______________________

Don’t know ....................................................9999999

R15 Did you (or other members of this household) take out mortgages or home loans from a bank, (credit union, or some other financial institution) to help pay for your home?

Yes .................................................................1
No .................................................................2 \( \Rightarrow \) R25

R16 How much [was / were] [this loan / these loans] originally for, when you first took [it/them] out?

‘Best guess’ is okay.

Record whole dollars $ _______________________

Don’t know ....................................................9999999

R17 Has the original loan(s) on this property ever been refinanced?

A loan is “refinanced” when a new loan is taken out and is used to pay off the original loan (or loans).

Yes .................................................................1
No .................................................................2 \( \Rightarrow \) R20

R18 In what year was the loan last refinanced?

Enter year

Don’t know ....................................................9999
R19 And what was the new total value of the loan(s) after refinancing?

We are interested in the total loan value, not the amount added to the original loan.

Record whole dollars $  

Don't know.................................................9999999

R20 Has this household paid off [this loan / these loans] completely now?

Yes .................................................................1  ➔ R25

No ..........................................................................2

R21 How much is left to pay on [this loan / these loans]?

'Best guess' is okay.

We are after the total amount of the home loan – even if this covers items other than their home.

If they have an offset account, ask them to calculate the amount still owing by subtracting the positive balance in the offset account from the remaining value of the loan. Record this amount only if it is positive.

Do not include any loans the respondent (or other members of the household) may have borrowed to fund a business, even if the home was used as security.

Record whole dollars $  

Don't know.................................................9999999

R22 How much is the usual repayment on [this loan / these loans]?

If no specific payments are usually made (e.g., line of credit), then record zero dollars and 'no payment required' option.

(a) Record whole dollars $  

Don't know.................................................9999999  ➔ R23

(b) Record frequency of payment amount

Per Week ............................................................1  
Fortnight .......................................................2  
4 weeks ........................................................3  
Calendar month ..............................................4  
Quarter ..........................................................5  
No payment required ....................................6  
Other (specify) .............................................7

R23 And would you say you are paying [this loan / these loans] off ahead of the required schedule, behind schedule or about on schedule?

Ahead of schedule .................................................1  
Behind schedule ....................................................2  
About on schedule ..............................................3  
Not applicable ..............................................................7  
Don't know .............................................................9

R24 In what year do you expect [this loan / these loans] will be fully paid off?

'Best guess' is okay.

Record year

Not applicable ..............................................................9997  
Don't know .............................................................9999

R25 Did you (or any other members of this household) borrow from anyone else, such as a friend, relative, solicitor or community organisation, to help pay for this home?

Yes .................................................................1  
No ..........................................................................2  ➔ R27

R26 How much of [this loan is / these loans are] still owed?

Record whole dollars $  

None..........................................................9999997  ➔ R27

Don't know.................................................9999999

R27 Do you (or any other members of this household) have any other home loans secured against this property? For example, you might have a second mortgage as well as the first one, or you might have a home equity loan.

Do not include any loans the respondent (or other members of the household) may have borrowed to fund a business, even if the home was used as security.

Yes .................................................................1  
No ..........................................................................2  ➔ R32

R28 How much is left to pay on [this loan / these loans] against your property?

Record whole dollars $  

None..........................................................9999997  ➔ R32  
Don't know.............................................................9999999
R29  How much are the usual repayments on [this loan / these loans]?

If no specific payments are usually made (e.g., line of credit), then record zero dollars and ‘no payment required’ option.

(a) Record whole dollars $ 

Don’t know ........................................ 99999 ➔ R32

(b) Record frequency of payment amount

Per Week .................................................... 1
Fortnight .................................................. 2
4 weeks ................................................... 3
Calendar month ...................................... 4
Quarter ..................................................... 5
No payment required ............................... 6
Other (specify) ........................................... 7

NOW SKIP TO R32

(R30 & R31 are for free housing h’hlds only).

Free housing households only

R30  If your household doesn’t own this home and doesn’t rent it, how is your housing provided?

Housing is part of job compensation ................................. 01
Home owned by a relative not living here ............................ 02
Home owned by someone else (not a relative) / household received housing as a gift from owner ........ 03
Sold home but have not moved yet ................................. 04
Public housing .................................................................. 05
Staying with friends or relatives rent-free ......................... 06
Home owned by a trust or company that is owned by a household member or other relative ............ 07
Life Tenure contract ...................................................... 08
Other (specify) ................................................................ 98

R31  And if your household had to pay rent for this property, about how much do you think it would have to pay each week?

We are interested in the respondent’s assessment of what this property would fetch in the private rental market.

Record whole dollars $ 

Don’t know ..................................................... 9999

All households join back in here

R32  Looking at SHOWCARD R32, and not including the home in which you live, do any members of this household own any of these types of properties?

Do not include business or farms (unless the farm is purely residential and is not a business).

MULTI RESP

A second home / holiday house that is not rented out to others .............................................. 1
A second home / holiday house that the household makes use of but is also rented out to others .............................................. 2
Other houses and units (including investment properties) ........................................ 3
Vacant land ........................................................................ 4
Farms ............................................................................... 5
Commercial property ...................................................... 6
Other (please specify) ....................................................... 7

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R33  Excluding the home in which you live, how many properties do members of this household own?

Record number of properties

R34  Was rental income earned from any of these properties during the last 12 months?

Yes ........................................................................ 1
No .......................................................................... 2 ➔ R37

R35  CHECK R33: Does the household own more than one other property?

One ................................................................. 1 ➔ R37
More than one ..................................................... 2 ➔ R36

R36  How many of these properties earned rent during the last 12 months?

Record number of properties

R37  Which members of this household are the legal owners of [this property / these properties]?

Write in ID numbers of the household members who are the legal owners.
R38 What is the approximate value of [this property / these properties]? That is, how much would [it / they] bring if sold today?
If more than one property, add the value of all properties together. Probe for an estimate if D/K. If range given, write in lowest figure.

Record whole dollars $ 

Don't know ................................................. 999999

R39 Are there any persons who are not members of this household who own a share in [this property / these properties]?

Yes ............................................................. 1
No .............................................................. 2

R40 What percentage of [this property / these properties] [is / are] owned by these people who are not members of this household?

% 

Don't know ................................................. 999

R41 Not including any loans you have already mentioned, are there any loans or mortgages on [this property / these properties]?

Yes ............................................................. 1
No .............................................................. 2

R42 What is the total amount of debt that still remains to be paid off (excluding interest payments) on [this property / these properties]?

We are after total debt owing on the [property/properties] – not just that owed by household members.

Record whole dollars $ 

Don't know ................................................. 999999

R43 How much are the usual repayments on [this loan / these loans]?

If no specific payments are usually made (eg line of credit), then record zero dollars and ‘no payment required’ option.

(a) Record whole dollars $ 

Don't know ................................................. 999999

R44 And would you say you are paying [this loan / these loans] off ahead of the required schedule, behind schedule or about on schedule?

Ahead of schedule ................................................. 1
Behind schedule .................................................... 2
About on schedule ................................................. 3
Not applicable .................................................... 7
Don't know ....................................................... 9

R45 Looking at SHOWCARD R45, which of these categories contains the combined income of everyone in this household, before tax and other deductions are taken out, during the last financial year. That is, July 2005 to June 2006. Please include income from all sources, including wages, investments and government pensions and benefits.

Household income

PER YEAR PER WEEK

Negative or Zero Income.................................................. 01
$1 - $9,999..............($1 - $189) ........................ 02
$10,000 - $19,999...........($190 - $379) .................... 03
$20,000 - $29,999...........($380 - $579) .................... 04
$30,000 - $39,999...........($580 - $769) .................... 05
$40,000 - $49,999...........($770 - $959) .................... 06
$50,000 - $59,999...........($960 - $1149) .................... 07
$60,000 - $79,999...........($1150 - $1529) .................. 08
$80,000 - $99,999...........($1530 - $1919) ................ 09
$100,000 - $124,999.........($1920 - $2399) ............... 10
$125,000 - $149,999 .........($2400 - $2879) ............... 11
$150,000 or more ............($2880 or more) ................ 12
Refused ............................................................ 98
Don’t Know ....................................................... 99
Household details

R46 IF THE DWELLING STRUCTURE TYPE IS OBVIOUS, COMPLETE R46 WITHOUT ASKING. OTHERWISE ASK:

(What type of dwelling do you live in? Is it a separate house, a semi-detached house, a flat or home unit, or what?)

Non-private dwellings:
Nursing Homes ....................................................... 01
Others (e.g., boarding house, hostel) .............................. 02

Private dwellings:
Separate house ...................................................... 03
Separate house with attached shop, office, etc............. 04
Semi-detached house / row or terrace house/ townhouse etc:
  with one storey ................................................ 05
  with 2 or more storeys ............................ 06
  attached to a shop, office etc....................... 07
Flat / unit / apartment:
  in a one-storey block .................................... 08
  in a two-storey block................................. 09
  in a three-storey block ................................ 10
  in a four to nine-storey block ..................... 11
  in a 10 or more storey block ....................... 12
  attached to a house (e.g., granny flat) ............ 13
  attached to a shop, office etc..................... 14
Caravan / Tent / Cabin / Houseboat ......................... 15
Other private dwelling (specify) .............................. 98

Interim record:

R47 INTERVIEWER RECORD:

Excluding those people that belong to the respondent’s household, how many other people usually live in this dwelling?

You should have discovered the answer to this question when completing the HF.

If there are no such people, record zero.

If you do not know, or are unsure, ask:

Excluding those people that belong to your household, how many other people usually live in this dwelling? (Record the answer in the box above.)

R48 TIMESTAMP

Record time now (for end of R section) USE 24 HOUR CLOCK

S. OTHER ASSETS

S1 I would now like to ask some questions about shares, managed funds and other investments you or other members of your household may have. Would you be the person in the household best placed to answer these questions?

If correct person not available, leave completion of this section until available. If correct person not willing to participate or unavailable on last visit to household, complete the section with the next most appropriate person.

Yes, respondent ‘best placed’ and happy to answer questions ................................................. 1
No, respondent not ‘best placed’ but other person in household not able / willing to answer ........................................ 2

S2 Record time when speaking to correct person USE 24 HOUR CLOCK

These questions may be difficult to answer, but if you don’t know the exact value of what you own, please just give me your best guess. Again, please remember that everything you say is confidential.

S3 Looking at SHOWCARD S3, do you or others in this household currently own any investments of this kind?

Please don’t include any investments held in superannuation (but include investments held for any children living here).

Showcard S3 lists: Shares; Managed funds; and Property trusts.

Yes ................................................................. 1
No ................................................................. 2

S4a And for all members of the household, what is the total current value of all these types of investments? (We are interested in the value of investments owned by all members of the household combined.)

Record whole dollars $ ................................................. 5

Don’t know ................................................................ 9

S4b Would you be able to say which of the categories on SHOWCARD S4b best approximates the amount that your household has in these types of investments?

Less than $5,000 ................................................. 1
$5,000 to $24,999 .................................................. 2
$25,000 to $99,999 ................................................. 3
$100,000 to $499,999 .............................................. 4
$500,000 or more .................................................. 5
Don’t know .......................................................... 9
Do you or any other member of this household have any trust funds, including family trusts? Please leave out any managed funds or other investments that I have already recorded, but be sure to include any trusts that are in the names of your children, or which your children will benefit from.

Yes ................................................................. 1
No ................................................................. 2

What is the current total value of the money in [this trust / these trusts]?

Record whole dollars $ ...........................................

Don’t know ........................................................ 9999999

Would you be able to say which of the categories on SHOWCARD S6b best approximates the amount that your household has in [this trust / these trusts]?

Less than $5,000................................................... 1
$5,000 to $24,999.................................................. 2
$25,000 to $99,999................................................ 3
$100,000 to $499,999............................................ 4
$500,000 or more ................................................. 5
Don’t know ............................................................. 9

Is this trust money – and I mean the capital value – entirely for the benefit of a member, or members, of this household, including yourself?

Yes ................................................................. 1
No ................................................................. 2

What share of this trust money – that is, what percentage – is for the benefit of a member, or members, of the household, including yourself?

Don’t know ........................................................ 9999

CHECK Q1: Any children aged less than 15 years living in the household?

Yes (Q1=1)........................................................ 1
No (Q1=2)........................................................ 2

Do any of the children aged less than 15 years living in this household have a bank account?

Yes ................................................................. 1
No ................................................................. 2

Altogether, what is the total amount of money in these children’s accounts? (That is, for those children aged less than 15 years.)

Record whole dollars $ ...........................................

Don’t know ........................................................ 9999999

Looking at SHOWCARD S12, do you or others in the household have any other type of financial investments, such as those listed? Please don’t include any investments you have already mentioned and don’t include any investments held in superannuation.

Showcard S12 lists: Government bonds; Corporate bonds; Debentures; Certificates of deposit; Mortgage-backed securities.

Yes ................................................................. 1
No ................................................................. 2

And for all members of the household, what is the total current value of all these types of investments?

Record whole dollars $ ...........................................

Don’t know ........................................................ 9999999

Would you be able to say which of the categories on SHOWCARD S13b best approximates the amount that your household has in these types of investments?

Less than $5,000................................................... 1
$5,000 to $24,999.................................................. 2
$25,000 to $99,999................................................ 3
$100,000 to $499,999............................................ 4
$500,000 or more ................................................. 5
Don’t know ............................................................. 9

Do you or other members of the household own any businesses or farm businesses? Please leave out any property that we have already recorded.

Those living on farms may have already recorded this at R14 or R38.

Yes ................................................................. 1
No ................................................................. 2
Recorded elsewhere ............................................. 3
S15  If you sold [this business (or farm) / these businesses (or farms)], how much would [it / they] be worth? Please include the value of any property, buildings, vehicles, machinery and bank accounts that belong to, or are part of the business.

Get the gross sale value – we ask about debts later.
If more than one business, give option to record businesses separately or together as total.

Business 1  $  ➔ S17
Business 2  $  ➔ S17
Business 3  $  ➔ S17

OR
Total for all businesses  $  ➔ S17

Don't know ................................................. 9999999 ➔ S16

S16  Would you be able to say which of the categories on SHOWCARD S16 best approximates the amount that [this business (or farm) is / these businesses (or farms) are] worth?

Less than $25,000 ................................................. 1
$25,000 to $99,999 ................................................ 2
$100,000 to $499,999 ............................................ 3
$500,000 to $1,999,999 ........................................... 4
$2 million or more .............................................. 5
Don't know .......................................................... 9

S17  What share of [this business (or farm) is / these businesses (or farms) are] owned by a member, or members, of this household?

List businesses in same order as at S15.
That is, Business 1 at S15 must correspond to Business 1 at S17.

Share (%) of business owned by h/h members

Business 1  %
Business 2  %
Business 3  %

OR
Share of all businesses  %

Don't know ................................................. 9999999 ➔ S17

S18  Does your household owe any debt as a result of owning [this business (or farm) / these businesses (or farms)]?

Yes ........................................................................ 1
No ......................................................................... 2 ➔ S20

S19a  How much debt is owed by your household as a result of owning [this business (or farm) / these businesses (or farms)]? Please do not include any debts you have already told me about, and don’t include debt owed by people in other households?

Record whole dollars  $  ➔ S20

Don't know ................................................. 9999999 ➔ S19b

S19b  Would you be able to say which of the categories on SHOWCARD S19b best approximates the amount of business debt owed by this household?

Less than $10,000 ................................................. 1
$10,000 to $49,999 ................................................ 2
$50,000 to $199,999 .............................................. 3
$200,000 to $499,999 ........................................... 4
$500,000 or more .............................................. 5
Don't know .......................................................... 9

S20  Now some questions about vehicles owned by members of this household. Looking at SHOWCARD S20, do any of the members of this household own any of the types of vehicles listed in group one?

Only include leased vehicles if the respondent could sell the vehicle and keep the money.
If they own a business and have a company car this should be recorded under ‘business assets’ at S15.

Yes ........................................................................ 1
No ......................................................................... 2 ➔ S22

S21  How much would you say these vehicles are worth if you sold them today?

We are after the gross sale value, and not the value after any debts have been subtracted.

Record whole dollars  $  ➔ S22

Don't know ................................................. 9999999

S22  (Still looking at SHOWCARD S20), do any of the members of this household own any recreational vehicles such as those listed in group two?

Yes ........................................................................ 1
No ......................................................................... 2 ➔ S24
S23 How much would you say these vehicles are worth if you sold them today?
We are after the gross sale value, and not the value after any debts have been subtracted.

Record whole dollars $  
Don't know.................................................................9999999

S24 (Still looking at SHOWCARD S20), do any of the members of this household own any other vehicles such as those listed in group three?
Take care not to record any vehicles already listed under farms or businesses.

Yes ........................................................................1
No ..........................................................................2  ➔ S26

S25 How much would you say these vehicles are worth if you sold them today?
We are after the gross sale value, and not the value after any debts have been subtracted.

Record whole dollars $  
Don't know.................................................................9999999

S26 Do you or any members of this household have any life insurance policies that you could cash in if you needed to?
If the policy is only payable on death, record as code 2.

Yes ........................................................................1
No ..........................................................................2  ➔ S28

S27a If you decided to cash in [this policy / these policies] today, how much money, if any, would you get?

Record whole dollars $  
Don't know.................................................................9999999  ➔ S28

S27b Would you be able to say which of the categories on SHOWCARD S27b best approximates the amount [this policy / these policies] could be cashed in for?

Less than $5,000.......................................................1
$5,000 to $24,999......................................................2
$25,000 to $99,999...................................................3
$100,000 to $499,999.............................................4
$500,000 or more ..................................................5
Don't know.............................................................9

S28 Other than your home(s) and its general contents, are there any other assets that members of this household own that you think of as particularly valuable? These might include antiques, works of art, cemetery plots, or some other substantial asset. Do not include bank accounts or other financial assets.

Yes ........................................................................1
No ..........................................................................2  ➔ S30
Don't know.............................................................3  ➔ S30

S29a How much in total would you say these other assets are worth? That is, how much could they be sold for if they were sold today? Only include the share owned by members of this household.

Record whole dollars $  ➔ S30

S29b Would you be able to say which of the categories on SHOWCARD S29b best approximates the amount these assets are worth?

Less than $5,000.......................................................1
$5,000 to $24,999......................................................2
$25,000 to $99,999...................................................3
$100,000 to $499,999.............................................4
$500,000 or more ..................................................5
Don't know.............................................................9

S30 SHOWCARD S30 lists a range of common household bills. Does this household have any unpaid bills from this list that are now overdue?

Do not include unpaid credit card bills.
Showcard includes: Electricity or Gas, Water and sewerage, Telephone (excluding mobile phones), Council rates, Rent or Strata fees, Home and contents insurance, Child care, School fees, Pay TV or Internet connections.

Yes ........................................................................1
No ..........................................................................2  ➔ S32

S31 What is the total value of these unpaid overdue household bills?

Record whole dollars $  
Don't know.............................................................9999999
CONFIRM POSTAL ADDRESS:

You may have asked this question when completing the HF. If so, do not re-ask; just skip to S33.

Thank you for all the information you have given us.

Can I just confirm that this is the best postal address for this household, or is there a PO box number or some other preferred postal address?

RECORD RESPONSE REGARDING POSTAL ADDRESS AT HF31

Could I also record the household phone number please?

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<th>Area code</th>
<th>Home</th>
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Does not have a landline telephone ...................... 6
Refused ..................................................................... 9

Could I also record the household phone number please?

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Does not have a landline telephone ...................... 6
Refused ..................................................................... 9

TIMESTAMP

Record time now [ ] : [ ]
USE 24 HOUR CLOCK

Total interview length [ ] minutes

You now need to conduct a PQ interview with all eligible (and willing) members of the household.

Use a Continuing Person Questionnaire (CPQ) for respondents who have previously completed a PQ
OR

a New Person Questionnaire (NPQ) for new respondents (including those who have just turned 15 years).

REMEMBER TO COMPLETE THE INTERVIEWER DECLARATION.