



**APPROVED:**

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*STATISTICS ON INCOME AND LIVING CONDITIONS*  
*EU-SILC*  
*HOUSEHOLD QUESTIONNAIRE*

Consecutive N of the household (DB030)							
District							
Settlement code							
N of cluster within the district							
N of household within the cluster							
Rotation group							
Interviewer code							

Dates of visit:	Contact phone number:	
first: ...../...../ 2017 г.	Contact phone number is given at previous survey	1
second: ...../...../ 2017 г.	Household refuses to give a contact phone number:	2
	Household does not have a phone	3

Leader of survey in the RSO:

.....  
(Name, surname, family)

Signature.....

Interviewer: .....  
(Name, surname, family)

signature.....

**MARCH - MAY 2017**

**1. Household (HH) status**

*DB110*

**I. HH from previous survey:**

Sample or derivative HH observed in 2016.

- 2.1. The HH address is the same as during the previous survey
- 2.2. The whole HH has moved to another address in the country
  - All sample persons aged 16+ r. have moved to another address in the country
- 2.3. The whole HH has moved to a collective household
- 2.4. The HH resides abroad
- 2.5. All HH members have died
- 2.6. There is no person subject of survey in the HH
- 2.7. The access to the HH is impossible
- 2.8. Erased HH
  - HH without sample persons, due to incorporation in a new HH
- 2.9. No information is available on what has happened to the HH

1	>> q. 3
2	>> q. 2 Info for NSI
3	} End of interview
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**II. New survey HH**

- 2.10. Derivative HH, determined during the 2017 survey
- 2.11. New address is added to the sample:
  - new HH to the sample (rotation group 15 )

8	>> q. 2 Info for NSI
9	>> q. 2

**2. Update of the addresses**

*DB120*

The address exists	11
The address cannot be found	21
The address exists, but cannot be accessed	22
Uninhabited dwelling	231
The dwelling is used for business purposes	232

**3. Is the interview with the HH conducted:**

*DB130*

- 3.1. Yes
- 3.2. No, the HH refuses to participate
- 3.3. No, the HH is absent during the survey period
- 3.4. No, impossible contact
- 3.5. Other reasons

11	} End of interview
21	
22	
23	
24	

**4. N of person who has delivered the information**

*HB070*

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**5. Duration of the interview in minutes**

*HB100*

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## DWELLING AND LIVIN CONDITIONS

### Q1. Type of dwelling:

HH010

Detached house	1
Part of house	2
Apartment in building with less than 10 dwellings	3
Apartment in building with more than 10 dwellings	4
Hostel	5
Primitive/mobile dwelling	6
Other	7

### Q2. Number of rooms (bigger than 4 sq. m) used by the HH:

HH030

(without kitchens, toilets, bathrooms and studies)

Number of rooms.....

**(If the number of rooms is 1 to 9 - record the exact number, if there are 10 or more - record 10!)**

### Q2a. Useful dwelling space sq. m

sq. m .....

### Q3. Are there in the dwelling:

	Yes, for sole use	Yes, shared	No
Q3.1. Bathroom with shower or bathtub	1	2	3
Q3.2. Inner toilet with running water	1	2	3

HH081

HH091

### Q3a. Does your HH possesses (or uses) the following household items:

	Yes	No, cannot afford it	No, due to other reasons
Q3a.1. Telephone (incl. mobile)	1	2	3
Q3a.2. Colour TV set	1	2	3
Q3a.3. Computer	1	2	3
Q3a.4. Automatic washing machine	1	2	3
Q3a.5. Car (incl. company car used for private purposes)	1	2	3

HS070

HS080

HS090

HS100

HS110

### Q3b. Which is the main source used for heating?

**(One answer please!)**

Central/local heating	1
Fireplace, stove, air-conditioner, others	2
Portable devices: radiator, electric heater, others	3
Dwelling does not have heating facilities	4

### Q4. Do you have any of the following problems connected to the dwelling:

	Yes	NO
Q4.1. Leaking roof, damp walls, foundations, broken or rotten window frames, doors, floor	1	2
Q4.2. Darkness, insufficient light	1	2
Q4.3. Noise (transport, noisy neighbours)	1	2

HH040

HS160

HS170

### Q5. Can you afford adequate heating of your dwelling?

HH050

Yes	1
No	2

**HD1. Can you afford replacement of old furniture?**

HD080

Yes	1
No, cannot afford it	2
No, due to other reasons	3

**Q6. Do you have any of the following problems, connected to the quarter (village) you are living in?**

- Q6.1. Dirty, depressing environment  
Q6.2. Risk of crimes and vandalism

Yes	No	
1	2	HS180
1	2	HS190

**Co1. Does your household have another dwelling, house, villa outside the place in which he/she lives?**

Yes	1	>>q. Q7
No	2	

**Co2. During the last 12 months did your household visit another dwelling, house, villa?**

Yes, every week	1
Yes, once a month	2
Yes, at least once a year	3
No	4

**Q7. Are you owner, tenant or tenant without a rent?**

HH021

Owner	1	>>q. Q8
Tenant at market prices	2	>>q. Q12
Tenant at a price lower than the market one	3	>>q. Q11a
Tenant without rent	4	>>q. Q16

**OWNERS****Q8. When did you acquire (by endowment, inheritance) the dwelling you are living in?**

HH031

Year.....

**Q9. Do you repay loans to banks or other institutions (without individuals) for the purchase of this dwelling?**

Yes	1	>>q. Q11
No	2	

**Q10. Please indicate the loan conditions:**

Year of granting .....

Total loan amount ..... BGN

Terms ..... Years

Annual interest rate ..... %

Monthly repayment ..... BGN

HH070

HH071

**Q11. How much do you think you would pay as a monthly rent (at market prices) if you were a tenant of this dwelling?**

HH061

BGN ..... &gt;&gt;q. Q18

## TENANTS

**Q11a. If you were a tenant at market prices how much do you think you would pay as a monthly rent?** BGN ..... *HH061*

**Q12. Since when are you a tenant of this dwelling?** Year ..... *HH031*

**Q13. What is the monthly rent you pay for this dwelling?** *HH060*

*(If the expenses on heating, electricity, water supply, telephone, etc. are included in the rent, please indicate the amount paid on rent only)* BGN .....

**Q14. Are the expenses on water supply, electricity, heating, etc. included in the rent ?** *HH070*

Yes 

1
2

 >>q. Q18  
No

**Q15. What is the approximate amount of expenses included in the rent?** *HH070*

MONTHLY amount BGN ..... >>q. Q18

## TENANTS WITHOUT RENT

**Q16. Since which year did you live in this dwelling without rent?** Year ..... *HH031*

**Q17. How much do you think you would pay as a monthly rent (at market prices) if you were a tenant?** *HH061*

BGN .....

## EXPENSES ON DWELLING

(owners, tenants and users without rent)

**Q18. Which of the expenses on the dwelling listed below do you pay and what is the average monthly amount paid?** *HH070*

*(Excluding the expenses included in the monthly rent!)*

- In case part of the expenses are paid several times per year, please indicate 1/12 of the total annual expenditure!
- If a given type of expenditure is not available, please mark 2 and record 0 in the column "Average monthly sum". Otherwise mark 1 and record the average monthly expenditure in column "Average monthly sum")

	Yes	No	Average monthly sum
Q18.1. Electricity (without heating)	1	2	
Q18.2. Cold water	1	2	
Q18.3. Hot water	1	2	
Q18.4. Other expenditure (lift, cleaner, protection, etc.)	1	2	
Q18.5. Current maintenance of the dwelling	1	2	

**Q18a. What was the amount of expenditure on heating in the last heating season?**

HH070

Please indicate 1/5 of the expenditures for the heating season

Average monthly sum .....

BGN

Expenditure is paid by the social services

1

**Q186. Did your household received a social assistance on heating in 2016 and for which heating period?**

HY060

	Yes	No	No of months	Monthly sum
Q186.1 heating period 2015/2016	1	2		72,20
Q186.2 heating period 2016/2017	1	2		72,46

HY063

HY063

**Q19. In 2016 did you pay and what amount did you pay on?**

	Yes	No	Annual sum
Q19.1. Dwelling insurance	1	2	
Q19.2. Tax on property, tax on waste disposal	1	2	

HH070

HY120

**Q19a. How do the expenditure on the dwelling influence the financial situation of your household?** (loan on dwelling, current maintenance, taxes, insurance, repairs)

HS140

Heavy burden	1
Burden to a certain extent	2
Not a burden at all	3

**Q20. During the last 12 months, did your HH face some problems with payment on time of the expenditure on the dwelling you are living in?**

	Yes, once	Yes, 2 times and more	No	Such expenditure is not done
Q20.1. Loan on purchase of the dwelling you are living in	1	2	3	4
Q20.2. Rent on the dwelling	1	2	3	4
Q20.3. Current expenditure on electricity, water supply, etc. (excl. expenditure on telephone)	1	2	3	4

HS011

HS011

HS021

**Q21. During the last 12 months, did you or members of your HH borrow money or take loans from banks and other financial institutions (excluding individuals) on goods and services (purchase of car, furniture, holiday)?**

Yes	1
No	2

>>q. Q23

**Q21a. To what extent the expenditure on loans (mentioned in q. Q21) influences the financial situation of your HH?**

HS150

Heavy burden	1
Burden to a certain extent	2
Not a burden at all	3

**Q22. During the last 12 months did your HH faced some problems with payment on time of expenditure on loans? (Q21)**

HS031

Yes, once	1
Yes, 2 times and more	2
No	3

**Q23. What is the net monthly income of your HH at present?**

(the total sum of income of all HH members received from wages, pensions, social and family benefits, regular transfers from persons outside the HH and from other sources)

BGN .....

**Q24. In general, could your HH afford (if wishes)?**

Q24.1. Each year, one-week holiday out of home, including stay in second home/country house or at friends/relatives

Q24.2. Consumption of meat, chicken or fish (or vegetarian equivalent) each second day

Yes	No
1	2
1	2

HS040

HS050

**Q25. Could your HH meet with own recourses unexpected expenditure up to 300 BGN?**

(urgent repairs of the dwelling, car, replacement of washing machine or refrigerator, sudden illness, etc.)

HS060

Yes	1
No	2

**Q26. Considering the total monthly income of your HH,**

(sum of income from all sources of all HH members)

**how do you "make ends meet" i.e. can you meet everyday expenses?**

HS120

With great difficulty	1
With difficulty	2
With some difficulties	3
Relatively easy	4
Easy	5
Very easy	6

**Q27. In your opinion, what is the minimum monthly net income Needed by your HH in order to "make ends meet"?**

HS130

BGN .....

Please consider the current financial situation of your HH and the usually necessary expenses!

**Q28. Interviewer! Specify whether there are children in the HH aged up to 16 at 31.12.2016 r.**

Yes	1
No	2

>>q. Q29

## SOCIAL AND FAMILY BENEFITS

**Q29. In 2016 did your HH receive any assistance, how long did you receive it? and what was the monthly amount:**

Q29.1. Monthly assistance for **rent of municipal** or state housing

Q29.2. Monthly monetary assistance for **low income**

Q29.3. Lump-sum for **accidental necessities**

*Interviewer! Monthly assistance for rent of municipal housing is granted to:*

- orphans up to 25 years, graduated social vocational education;
- lone people over 70;
- single parents.

Yes	No	Number of months	Monthly amount
1	2		
1	2		
1	2	x	

*HY073*

*HY063*

*HY063*

**Q30. In 2016 did you or anybody in your HH receive any of the following family lump sums:**

Q30.1. Lump sum for pregnancy

Q30.2. Lump sum for childbirth

Q30.2.a of first child

Q30.2.6 of second child

Q30.2.B of third and subsequent child

Q30.3. Lump sum for bringing up a child by a student

Q30.4. Lump sum for bringing up twins

Q30.5. Additional lump sum benefit for children with disabilities

Q30.6 Lump sum for pupils

Q30.7. Lump sum for child adoption

Yes	No	Number of recipients
1	2	
1	2	
1	2	
1	2	
1	2	
1	2	
1	2	
1	2	
1	2	
1	2	

*HY053*

*HY054*

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**Q31. In 2016 did you or anybody in your HH receive any of the following monthly family benefits:**

Q31.1. Monthly benefit for bringing up a child younger than 1 year

Q31.2. Monthly benefit for bringing up a child with disability younger than 2 years

Q31.3. Monthly benefit for bringing up a child up to completion of secondary school (children benefits up to 20 years of age)

**Q31.3.1. for family with one child**

**Q31.3.2. for family with two children**

**Q31.3.3. for family with three children**

**Q31.3.4. for family with four or more children**

Q31.4. Monthly benefit for bringing up child with disability up to completion of secondary school

Yes	No	No of children	Total No of months
1	2		
1	2		
<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>		
<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>		
<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>		
<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>		
1	2		

*HY053*

*HY054*

*HY053*

*HY054*

*Interviewer! In column "Total number of months" the total number of months for all children living in the HH, for who a benefit is received is to be recorded.*



**Q32. In 2016 did you or anybody in your HH receive  
Any of the following benefits for bringing up a child up to 18  
accommodated at foster family or relatives:**

	Yes	No	Number of months	Amount	
Q32.1. Lump sum	1	2	x		<i>HY054</i>
Q32.2. Monthly benefit for bringing up a child accommodated at foster family or relatives	1	2			<i>HY053</i>
Q32.3. Supplements for children with disabilities accommodated in foster family or relatives	1	2		<b>48.75</b>	<i>HY054</i>

**Q33. In 2016 did you or anybody in your HH receive  
benefit for transportation due to the following reasons:**

*HY064*

	Yes	No	Annual amount
Q33.1. Mother of many children	1	2	
Q33.2. Person with disability over 71%	1	2	
Q33.3. Disabled child up to 16 years	1	2	
Q33.4. War disabled	1	2	

**Q34. In 2016 did you or anybody in your HH receive  
any of the following disability benefits:**

*PY133*

	Yes	No	Annual amount
Q34.1. Purchase and repair of supporting devices, appliances and medical products	1	2	
Q34.2. Purchase and/or adaptation of vehicle	1	2	
Q34.3. Dwelling reconstruction	1	2	
Q34.4. Other assistance (personal assistant, etc.)	1	2	

**TRANSFERS BETWEEN HOUSEHOLDS**

Interviewer!

- Questions Q35 and Q37 refer to transfers between households and persons, living at the country territory.
- Questions Q36 and Q38 refer to transfers from abroad.

**Q35. In 2016 did you or anybody in your HH provide  
help in cash to persons outside your HH?**

	Yes	No	Annual amount	
Q35.1. In cash	1	2		<i>HY130</i>
Q35.2. For child support	1	2		<i>HY131</i>

(Gifts for Christmas, birthday or other occasion and produced in kind by the household are not included)

**Q36. In 2016 did you or anybody in your HH provide help in cash to persons living abroad?**

	Yes	No	Annual amount	
Q36.1. In cash	1	2		HY130
Q36.2. For child support	1	2		HY131

**Q37. In 2016 did you or anybody in your HH receive assistance in cash from persons who are not member of your HH?**

	Yes	No	Annual amount	
Q37.1. In cash	1	2		HY080
Q37.2. For child support	1	2		HY081

**Q38. In 2016 r. did you or anybody in your HH receive assistance in cash from persons living abroad?**

	Yes	No	Annual amount	
Q38.1. In cash	1	2		HY080
Q38.2. For child support	1	2		HY081

**HOUSEHOLD'S AGRICULTURAL ACTIVITY IN 2016**

**Q39. Are you or anybody in your HH registered as:**

	Yes	No
Q39.1. Farmer	1	2
Q39.2. Producer of tobacco	1	2

**Q40. Did you or your HH cultivate own or rented land?**

**(incl. kitchen garden if used for agricultural purposes)**

Yes	1	>>q. Q48
No	2	

**Q41. How many decares in total (own and rented land) do you cultivate?**

..... decares

*At what amount approximately would you estimate*

**Q42. The agricultural production of your HH**

**Q43. The agricultural production consumed by your HH**

**Q45. The agricultural production sold by your HH**

**Q47. The agricultural production given free to persons outside your HH**

Annual amount in BGN	
	HY170
	PY050
	HY130

**Q48. In 2016 did you or anybody in your HH give own land in agricultural cooperative or leased to others?**

Yes	1	>>q. Q51
No	2	

**Q49. How many decares did you give? .....** decares

**Q50. What amount of money did you receive? .....** annual amount in BGN

**(if paid in kind give the estimated equivalent in BGN)**

HY040

**Q51. Did you or your HH grow livestock, poultry, bee colonies, etc.?**

Yes	1	>>q. Q61
No	2	

*At what amount approximately would you estimate*

Annual amount in BGN

**Q53. The animals sold by your HH**

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*PY050*

**Q55. The produced by the HH eggs, milk, meat, honey, etc.**

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*HY170*

**Q56. The consumed by the HH eggs, milk, meat, honey, etc.**

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*HY170*

**Q58. The sold by your HH products of animal origin**

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*PY050*

**Q60. The products of animal origin given free to persons outside your HH**

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*HY130*

**Q61. In 2016 what were your household expenses on farming?**

..... annual amount in BGN

1 no expenses

**(Specify the total cost of: sowing, seeds, seedlings, fertilizers, herbicides, transportation, purchase of animal feed, veterinary services, leased land, payment of workers, etc.)**

**Q62. In 2016 did you receive a targeted state grant for farming?**

Yes	1
No	2

**Q63. What was the size of the grant you received?**

..... annual amount in BGN