

Section J: HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS

J-1 **Now I have a few questions about your household. These questions will help us to make sure that the sample of households we've surveyed is really representative of all American households.**

NHSLDMEM Including yourself, how many people normally live in this household? Do not include anyone who is just visiting or children who may be away at college or in the military.

Enter the number

J-1a [If > 1] **YEARS3** Of (this total), how many are adults 65 or older?

Enter the number

J-1a1 [If > 0] **YEARS4** Of the adults 65 or older, how many are 75 or older?

Enter the number

J-1b [If > 1] **YEARS1** Of the (remaining members of this household), how many are infants under the age of 1?

Enter the number

J-1c [If > 1] **YEARS2** Of the (remaining members of this household), how many are children between the ages of 1 and 12?

Enter the number

J-1d [If > 1] **YEARS5** According to the counts so far, there are [NHSLDMEM-YEARS3-YEARS1-YEARS2] (remaining members of this household), all of whom are between of 13 and 64 years old. Is that correct?

Yes 1
No..... 0

J-1d1 [If No] **LFTOVRFU** Interviewer: Determine why the response is No and describe what the actual composition of the household.

J-2 **HBUSINESS** Do you operate a home-based business or service?

Yes 1
No..... 0

J-2a [If Yes] **OTHBUS** Would you please tell me what kind of business or service this is?

J-3 **OTHWOR** Is there any other kind of activity occurring in your home that uses a lot more energy than would normally be used in a home?

Yes 1
No 0

J-3a [If Yes] **OTHACT** Could you please tell me what that activity is?

J-4 **ATHOME** On a typical week day is there someone at home all day?

Yes 1
No 0

J-5 **DRIVECAR** Do you or any other members of your household have the regular use of any cars, trucks, SUVs, or vans?

Yes 1
No 0

J-5a [If Yes] **VEHICLES** How many vehicles does your household have?

Enter the number

J-6 **DRIVEMON** How many people in this household drive on a fairly regular basis? That is, drive at least once a month.

Enter the number

J-7 **HHINTRO** The next few questions are about the householder. That is, one of the people who owns or rents the home/apartment. Are you a householder?

Yes 1
No 0

J-8 **HHSEX** Are you/Is the householder a male or a female?

Male 2
Female 1
Don't know 6
Refused 8

J-9 **HHAGE** How old are you/is the householder?

Enter the age
Don't know 6
Refused 8

J-10 **EMPLOYHH** How would you describe your/the householder's employment status? Would you say

Employed full-time..... 1
Employed part-time, or 2
Not employed? 0
Don't know 6
Refused..... 8

J-11 **SPOUSE** Are you/Is the householder living with a spouse or partner?

Yes..... 1
No..... 0
Don't know 6
Refused..... 8

J-12 **SDESCENT** Are you/Is the householder Hispanic or Latino?

Yes..... 1
No..... 0
Don't know 6
Refused..... 8

J-13 **ORIGIN** Please look at Exhibit J-13. Which describes your/the householder's race? You can select one or more categories.

American Indian or Alaska Native..... 03
Asian 41
Black or African-American 02
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander..... 42
White..... 01
Other (if volunteered) 05
Hispanic (if volunteered) 07
Don't know 96
Refused..... 98

J-14 **MONEYPY** Please look at Exhibit J-14. Please tell me which category best describes the total combined income in the past 12 months of all members of your household living here from all sources – wages, interest, alimony, Social Security, and so forth – before taxes and deductions.

Less than \$5,000..... 01
\$5,000 to \$9,999 02
\$10,000 to \$14,999 03
\$15,000 to \$19,999 04
\$20,000 to \$29,999 05
\$30,000 to \$39,999 06
\$40,000 to \$49,999 07
\$50,000 to \$74,999 08
\$75,000 to \$99,999 09
More than \$100,000..... 10
Don't know 96
Refused..... 97

J-14a [If HHIncome=96 or 97] INC50PLU **Was your household income in the past 12 months under \$50,000?**

Yes, income under \$50,0001
No.....0
Don't know6
Refused.....7

SKIP INSTRUCTIONS

If MONEYPY is less than \$20,000 and NHSLDMEM = 1, GO TO K-1, Else SKIP TO M-1
If MONEYPY is less than \$30,000 and NHSLDMEM = 2, GO TO K-1, Else SKIP TO M-1
If MONEYPY is less than \$30,000 and NHSLDMEM = 3, GO TO K-1, Else SKIP TO M-1
If MONEYPY is less than \$50,000 and NHSLDMEM > 3, GO TO K-1, Else SKIP TO M-1
If MONEYPY is \$50,000 or more, SKIP TO M-1
If INC50PLU= Yes, GO TO K-1, Else SKIP TO M-1