

## Appendix E: Belarus FY 2013 Questionnaire



### **World Bank Country Survey FY13 – Belarus**

The World Bank is interested in gauging the views of clients and partners who are either involved in development in Belarus or who observe activities related to social and economic development. The following survey is meant to give the World Bank's team that works in Belarus, greater insight into how the Bank's work is perceived. This is one tool the World Bank uses to assess the views of its critical stakeholders. With this understanding, the World Bank hopes to develop more effective strategies, outreach and programs that support development in Belarus. The World Bank commissioned an independent firm to oversee the logistics of this effort in Belarus. This ensures anonymity and confidentiality. We hope you'll be candid. To complete the survey, please circle/check the response that most accurately reflects your opinion. **If you prefer not to answer a question, please leave it blank.**

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#### **SECTION A: GENERAL ISSUES FACING BELARUS**

<b>A1. In general would you say that the Belarusian economy is headed in ... ?</b>	
1	The right direction
2	The wrong direction
3	Not sure

**SECTION A: GENERAL ISSUES**

<b>A2. Listed below are a number of development priorities in Belarus.</b>			
<b>Please identify which of the following you consider the most important development priorities in Belarus? (Choose no more than THREE)</b>			
1	Social protection (e.g., pensions, targeted social assistance)	16	Health
2	Transport (e.g., roads, bridges, transportation)	17	Education
3	Public sector governance/ reform (i.e., government effectiveness, public financial management, public expenditure, fiscal system reform)	18	Poverty reduction
4	Global/regional integration	19	Energy and energy efficiency
5	Gender and equality of opportunities	20	Food security
6	Business environment and private sector development	21	Climate change (incl. adaptation, mitigation, disaster management)
7	Foreign direct investment	22	Forestry development
8	Water and sanitation	23	Trade and exports
9	Anti corruption	24	Information and communications technology
10	Job creation/employment	25	Economic growth
11	Agriculture and rural development	26	Law and justice (e.g., judicial system)
12	Financial markets	27	Regulatory framework
13	Urban development	28	Waste management
14	Environmental sustainability and protection	29	Basic infrastructure
15	Competitiveness and diversification	30	Transformation of state-owned enterprises (incl. corporatization and privatization)

## SECTION A: GENERAL ISSUES

<b>A3. Improving people's life is a broad term that encompasses work in many different areas.</b>			
<b>Which THREE areas of development listed below do you believe would contribute most to improving quality of life of people in Belarus? (Choose no more than THREE)</b>			
1	Water and sanitation	16	Anti corruption
2	Forestry development	17	Business environment and private sector development
3	Economic growth	18	Foreign direct investment
4	Climate change (incl. adaptation, mitigation, disaster management)	19	Education
5	Global/regional integration	20	Energy and energy efficiency
6	Gender and equality of opportunities	21	Public sector governance/ reform (i.e., government effectiveness, public financial management, public expenditure, fiscal system reform)
7	Agriculture and rural development	22	Transformation of state-owned enterprises (incl. corporatization and privatization)
8	Urban development	23	Environmental sustainability and protection
9	Regulatory framework	24	Competitiveness and diversification
10	Basic infrastructure	25	Health
11	Social protection (e.g., pensions, targeted social assistance)	26	Food security
12	Law and justice (e.g., judicial system)	27	Job creation/employment
13	Transport (e.g., roads, bridges, transportation)	28	Financial markets
14	Waste management	29	Trade and exports
15	Information and communications technology	30	Poverty reduction

**SECTION A: GENERAL ISSUES**

<b>A4. Economic growth can be driven by a number of factors.</b>			
<b>Which THREE areas below do you believe would contribute most to generating economic growth in Belarus? (Choose no more than THREE)</b>			
1	Energy and energy efficiency	15	Regulatory framework
2	Gender and equality of opportunities	16	Forestry development
3	Transformation of state-owned enterprises (incl. corporatization and privatization)	17	Trade and exports
4	Social protection (e.g., pensions, targeted social assistance)	18	Public sector governance/ reform (i.e., government effectiveness, public financial management, public expenditure, fiscal system reform)
5	Global/regional integration	19	Business environment and private sector development
6	Climate change (incl. adaptation, mitigation, disaster management)	20	Job creation/employment
7	Anti corruption	21	Waste management
8	Competitiveness and diversification	22	Food security
9	Agriculture and rural development	23	Transport (e.g., roads, bridges, transportation)
10	Foreign direct investment	24	Environmental sustainability and protection
11	Urban development	25	Health
12	Water and sanitation	26	Basic infrastructure
13	Education	27	Law and justice (e.g., judicial system)
14	Information and communications technology	28	Financial markets

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## SECTION B: OVERALL ATTITUDES TOWARD THE WORLD BANK

**B1. How familiar are you with the work of the World Bank in Belarus, on a ten point scale?**

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Not familiar at all					Extremely familiar				

**B2. Overall, please rate your impression of the World Bank's effectiveness in Belarus, on a ten point scale?**

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
Not effective at all								Very effective		Don't know

**B3. To what extent do you believe the World Bank's staff is well prepared (e.g., skills and knowledge) to help Belarus solve its most complicated development challenges, on a ten point scale?**

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
To no degree at all								To a very significant degree		Don't know

**B4. When thinking about how the World Bank can have the most impact on development results in Belarus, in which sectoral areas do you believe the World Bank should focus most of its attention and resources in Belarus? (Choose no more than THREE)**

1	Social protection (e.g., pensions, targeted social assistance)	16	Environmental sustainability and protection
2	Public sector governance/ reform (i.e., government effectiveness, public financial management, public expenditure, fiscal system reform)	17	Health
3	Transport (e.g., roads, bridges, transportation)	18	Education
4	Poverty reduction	19	Food security
5	Global/regional integration	20	Climate change (incl. adaptation, mitigation, disaster management)
6	Gender and equality of opportunities	21	Forestry development
7	Waste management	22	Trade and exports
8	Business environment and private sector development	23	Economic growth
9	Agriculture and rural development	24	Law and justice (e.g., judicial system)
10	Foreign direct investment	25	Regulatory framework
11	Water and sanitation	26	Transformation of state-owned enterprises (incl. corporatization and privatization)
12	Energy and energy efficiency	27	Basic infrastructure
13	Job creation/employment	28	Competitiveness and diversification
14	Financial markets	29	Anti corruption
15	Urban development	30	Information and communications technology

## SECTION B: OVERALL ATTITUDES TOWARD THE WORLD BANK

<b>B5. When thinking about the World Bank's role, which activity do you believe is of greatest VALUE and which activity is of second greatest value in Belarus?</b>			
		<b>Greatest Value (Choose only ONE)</b>	<b>Second Greatest Value (Choose only ONE)</b>
1	Financial resources: investment lending	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	Financial resources: policy based lending / budget support to the Government	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	Mobilizing third party financial resources	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	Technical assistance	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	Policy advice	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	Donor coordination	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	Data	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8	Training/capacity building	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9	Studies/analyses	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10	Linkage to non-Bank expertise (i.e., South-South knowledge sharing)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11	Other (please specify): _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

## **B6. Which of the following do you identify as the World Bank's greatest WEAKNESSES in its work in Belarus? (Choose no more than TWO)**

1	Imposing technocratic solutions without regard to political realities
2	Not exploring alternative policy options
3	Too bureaucratic in its operational policies and procedures
4	Staff too inaccessible
5	Arrogant in its approach
6	Not client focused
7	The credibility of its knowledge/data
8	Not willing to honestly criticize policies and reform efforts in the country
9	Too influenced by developed countries
10	Not enough public disclosure of its work
11	World Bank processes too slow and complex
12	Not aligned with country priorities
13	Not aligned with other donors' work
14	Not collaborating enough with non-state actors
15	Not adequately sensitive to political/social realities in Belarus
16	Other (please specify): _____

**SECTION B: OVERALL ATTITUDES TOWARD THE WORLD BANK**

**B7. Which World Bank instruments do you believe are the MOST effective in helping to promote development and reduce poverty in Belarus? (Choose no more than TWO)**

1	Capacity development
2	Policy based lending / budget support to the Government
3	Knowledge products/services (analytical work, studies, surveys, etc.)
4	Investment lending (financing specific projects)
5	Technical assistance (advice, best practice, international experience, etc.)
6	Trust Fund management
7	Other (please specify): _____
8	Don't know

**B8. To what extent do you believe the World Bank SHOULD seek to influence the global development agenda as related to “global public goods” (e.g., climate change, communicable diseases, international financial systems, trade, etc.), on a ten point scale?**

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
To no degree at all									To a very significant degree	Don't know

**B9. In addition to the regular relations with the national government as its main interlocutor, which TWO of the following groups should the World Bank collaborate with more in your country to ensure better development results there? (Choose no more than TWO)**

1	Presidential Administration
2	Local Government
3	Parliament
4	Private sector
5	CSOs
6	Donor community
7	Beneficiaries
8	Academia/think tanks/research institutes
9	Media
10	Other (please specify): _____

## SECTION B: OVERALL ATTITUDES TOWARD THE WORLD BANK

To what extent do you agree with the following statements about the World Bank's work in Belarus, on a ten point scale?												
		Strongly disagree								Strongly agree		Don't know
<b>B10</b>	Overall the World Bank currently plays a relevant role in development in Belarus	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B11</b>	The World Bank's work is aligned with what I consider the development priorities for Belarus	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B12</b>	The World Bank supports programs and strategies that are realistic for Belarus	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B13</b>	The World Bank treats clients and stakeholders in Belarus with respect	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>

To what extent is the World Bank an effective development partner in Belarus, in terms of each of the following?												
		To no degree at all								To a very significant degree		Don't know
<b>B14</b>	Responsiveness	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B15</b>	Flexibility (in terms of the World Bank's products and services)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B16</b>	Flexibility (in terms of changing country circumstances)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B17</b>	Being inclusive	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B18</b>	Openness (sharing data and other information)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B19</b>	Staff accessibility	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B20</b>	Straightforwardness and honesty	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B21</b>	Collaboration with groups outside of the Government (e.g., CSOs, academia, private sector)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B22</b>	Collaboration with the Government	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B23</b>	Collaboration with other donors	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B24</b>	Follow through over time	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>

**SECTION B: OVERALL ATTITUDES TOWARD THE WORLD BANK**

<b>B25. When World Bank assisted reform efforts fail or are slow to take place, which of the following would you attribute this to? (Choose no more than TWO)</b>	
1	The World Bank works too slowly
2	The Government works inefficiently
3	There is not an adequate level of citizen/civil society participation
4	Poor donor coordination
5	The World Bank does not do adequate follow through/follow-up
6	Lack of/inadequate levels of capacity in Government
7	Political pressures and obstacles
8	Reforms are not well thought out in light of country challenges
9	The World Bank is not sensitive enough to political/social realities on the ground
10	Other (please specify): _____

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## SECTION C: WORLD BANK EFFECTIVENESS AND RESULTS

How effective do you believe the World Bank is in terms of the work it does in the following areas of development in Belarus, on a ten point scale?												
		Not effective at all								Very effective	Don't know	
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
C1	Anti corruption	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
C2	Information and communications technology	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
C3	Transport (e.g., roads, bridges, transportation)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
C4	Competitiveness and diversification	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
C5	Law and justice (e.g., judicial system)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
C6	Urban development	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
C7	Environmental sustainability and protection	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
C8	Regulatory framework	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
C9	Basic infrastructure	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
C10	Transformation of state-owned enterprises (incl. corporatization and privatization)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
C11	Poverty reduction	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
C12	Gender and equality of opportunities	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
C13	Business environment and private sector development	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
C14	Foreign direct investment	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
C15	Water and sanitation	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
C16	Trade and exports	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
C17	Economic growth	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
C18	Energy and energy efficiency	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
C19	Forestry development	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
C20	Public sector governance/ reform (i.e., government effectiveness, public financial management, public expenditure, fiscal system reform)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
C21	Job creation/employment	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
C22	Financial markets	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
C23	Waste management	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
C24	Health	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
C25	Agriculture and rural development	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
C26	Global/regional integration	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
C27	Food security	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
C28	Education	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
C29	Social protection (e.g., pensions, targeted social assistance)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
C30	Climate change (incl. adaptation, mitigation, disaster management)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>

**SECTION C: WORLD BANK EFFECTIVENESS AND RESULTS**

<b>C31. To what extent does the World Bank's work help to achieve development results in Belarus, on a ten point scale?</b>											
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>	
To no degree at all									To a very significant degree		Don't know

<b>To what extent do you agree with the following statements about the World Bank in Belarus, on a ten point scale?</b>																					
											<b>Strongly disagree</b>		<b>Strongly agree</b>		<b>Don't know</b>						
<b>C32</b>	The World Bank's financial instruments (i.e., investment lending, Development Policy Loan, Trust Funds, Program 4 Result, etc.) meet the needs of Belarus										1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>C33</b>	The World Bank meets Belarus's needs for knowledge services (e.g., research, analysis, data, technical assistance)										1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>

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**SECTION D: THE WORLD BANK'S KNOWLEDGE WORK AND ACTIVITIES (i.e., ANALYSIS, STUDIES, RESEARCH, DATA, REPORTS, CONFERENCES)**

**D1. How frequently do you consult World Bank knowledge work and activities in the work you do?**

1	Weekly
2	Monthly
3	A few times a year
4	Rarely
5	Never

**D2. When thinking about the development challenges in Belarus, where do you believe it would be most valuable for the World Bank to focus its knowledge work and activities in the next few years? (Choose no more than THREE)**

1	Public sector governance/ reform (i.e., government effectiveness, public financial management, public expenditure, fiscal system reform)	16	Transformation of state-owned enterprises (incl. corporatization and privatization)
2	Gender and equality of opportunities	17	Education
3	Business environment and private sector development	18	Global/regional integration
4	Foreign direct investment	19	Information and communications technology
5	Water and sanitation	20	Transport (e.g., roads, bridges, transportation)
6	Trade and exports	21	Forestry development
7	Energy and energy efficiency	22	Competitiveness and diversification
8	Waste management	23	Job creation/employment
9	Social protection (e.g., pensions, targeted social assistance)	24	Health
10	Climate change (incl. adaptation, mitigation, disaster management)	25	Economic growth
11	Poverty reduction	26	Agriculture and rural development
12	Law and justice (e.g., judicial system)	27	Food security
13	Anti corruption	28	Environmental sustainability and protection
14	Financial markets	29	Regulatory framework
15	Urban development	30	Basic infrastructure

## SECTION D: THE WORLD BANK'S KNOWLEDGE WORK AND ACTIVITIES (i.e., ANALYSIS, STUDIES, RESEARCH, DATA, REPORTS, CONFERENCES)

In Belarus, how effective do you believe the World Bank's knowledge work and activities:													
		Not effective at all										Very effective	Don't know
D3	Enhancing your knowledge and/or skills	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>
D4	Contributing to good policy making	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>
D5	Providing support for program implementation	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>

In Belarus, to what extent do you believe that the World Bank's knowledge work and activities:													
		To no degree at all										To a very significant degree	Don't know
D6	Are timely	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>
D7	Include appropriate level of stakeholder involvement during preparation	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>
D8	Are relevant to Belarus's development priorities	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>
D9	Provide feasible recommendations	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>
D10	Are accessible (well written and easy to understand)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>
D11	Are source of relevant information on global good practices.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>
D12	Are useful in terms of the work you do	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>
D13	Are adequately disseminated	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>
D14	Are appropriately translated	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>
D15	Are adaptable to Belarus's specific development challenges and country circumstances	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>

D16. Overall, how significant a contribution do you believe the World Bank's knowledge work and activities make to development results in your country, on a ten point scale?													
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>		
Not significant at all										Very significant		Don't know	

D17. Overall, how would you rate the technical quality of the World Bank's knowledge work and activities, on a ten point scale?													
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>		
Very low technical quality										Very high technical quality		Don't know	

## SECTION E: WORKING WITH THE WORLD BANK

To what extent do you agree/disagree with the following statements, on a ten point scale?													
		Strongly disagree										Strongly agree	Don't know
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		
<b>E1</b>	The World Bank disburses funds promptly	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>E2</b>	The World Bank effectively monitors and evaluates the projects and programs it supports	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>E3</b>	The World Bank's approvals and reviews are done in a timely fashion	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>E4</b>	The World Bank's "Safeguard Policy" requirements are reasonable	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>E5</b>	The World Bank imposes reasonable conditions on its lending	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>E6</b>	Working with the World Bank increases Belarus's institutional capacity	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>E7</b>	The World Bank ensures consistency and continuity through staff changes	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>E8</b>	The World Bank's teams and visits are well coordinated	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>E9</b>	Where country systems (e.g., procurement, financial management, etc.) are adequate, the World Bank makes appropriate use of them	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>E10</b>	The World Bank provides effective implementation support (i.e., supervision of projects)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>	

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## SECTION F: THE FUTURE ROLE OF THE WORLD BANK IN BELARUS

<b>F1. How significant a role do you believe the World Bank SHOULD play in Belarus's development in the near future, on a ten point scale?</b>										
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
Not a significant role at all									Very significant role	Don't know

<b>F2. Which of the following SHOULD the World Bank do to make itself of greater value in Belarus? (Choose no more than TWO)</b>	
1	Improve the quality of its experts as related to Belarus's specific challenges
2	Improve the competitiveness of its financing compared to markets (e.g., cost, timeliness, and other terms)
3	Reach out more to groups outside of government
4	Reduce the complexity of obtaining World Bank financing
5	Ensure greater selectivity in its work
6	Provide more adequate data/knowledge/statistics/figures on Belarus's economy
7	Offer more innovative financial products
8	Offer more innovative knowledge services
9	Increase availability of Fee-Based services
10	Work faster
11	Other (please specify): _____

## SECTION G: COMMUNICATION AND INFORMATION SHARING

<b>G1. How do you get most of your information about economic and social development issues in Belarus? (Choose no more than TWO)</b>	
1	Local newspapers
2	International newspapers
3	Local radio
4	International radio
5	Local television
6	International television
7	Periodicals
8	Internet
9	Social media (Facebook, Twitter, Youtube)
10	Blogs
11	Mobile phones
12	Other (please specify): _____

<b>G2. How would you prefer to receive information from the World Bank? (Choose no more than TWO)</b>	
1	World Bank website
2	Direct contact with World Bank (i.e., face to face meetings/discussions)
3	e-Newsletters
4	World Bank seminars/workshops/conferences
5	World Bank publications and other written materials
6	Mobile phones
7	Social media (Facebook, Twitter, Youtube)
8	Blogs
9	Other (please specify): _____

<b>G3</b>	Are you aware of the World Bank's Access to Information Policy under which the Bank will now disclose any information in its possession that is not on a list of exceptions?	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>G4</b>	Have you requested information from the World Bank on its activities in the past year? <b>(If YES please go to Question G5; if NO please go to G6)</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>G5</b>	Were you able to obtain this information?	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>G6</b>	Do you have access to the Internet?	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>G7</b>	Do you use/have you used the World Bank website?	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>G8</b>	Is your knowledge of English sufficient to use World Bank resources in English?	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>

## SECTION G: COMMUNICATION AND INFORMATION SHARING

<b>G9. Which do you primarily use? (Please mark only ONE response)</b>	
1	The World Bank's country website (www.worldbank.org.by)
2	The World Bank's main website (www.worldbank.org)

<b>Please rate how much you agree with the following statements, on a ten point scale.</b>													
		<b>Strongly disagree</b>										<b>Strongly agree</b>	<b>Don't know</b>
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		
<b>G10</b>	I use/consult World Bank data more currently than I did a few years ago	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>G11</b>	I find the World Bank websites easy to navigate. <i>(Only answer if you have used a World Bank website)</i>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>G12</b>	I find the information on the World Bank's websites useful. <i>(Only answer if you have used a World Bank website)</i>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>G13</b>	When I need information from the World Bank I know how to find it (e.g., whom to call, where to reach them, etc.)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>G14</b>	The World Bank is responsive to my information requests and inquiries	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>	

**PLEASE NOTE: IN SOME CASES THE SURVEY WILL ASK FOR A SPECIFIC NUMBER OF RESPONSES. PLEASE DO NOT CHOOSE ANY MORE THAN REQUESTED. IF MORE RESPONSES ARE CHOSEN, DATA CANNOT BE INCLUDED IN ANALYSIS.**

**SECTION H: BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

<b>H1. Which of the following best describes your current position? (Please mark only ONE response)</b>	
1	Presidential Administration
2	Office of the Prime Minister, Minister
3	Office of Parliamentarian
4	Employee of a Ministry, State Committee
5	Project Management Unit (PMU) overseeing implementation of project
6	Local Government Office or Staff
7	Bilateral Agency
8	Multilateral Agency
9	Private Sector Organization
10	Financial Sector/ Bank
11	CSO
12	Media (Press, Radio, TV, Web, etc.)
13	Academia/Research Institute/Think Tank
14	Beneficiary of a program
15	Other (please specify): _____

<b>H2. Please identify the primary specialization of your work. (Please mark only ONE response)</b>			
1	Agriculture/ rural development / food security	10	Law and justice / regulatory framework
2	Climate change / disaster management	11	Natural resource management / environmental sustainability
3	Education	12	Private sector development / foreign direct investment
4	Energy	13	Public sector governance / public financial management / anti corruption
5	Financial markets / banking	14	Social protection
6	Economic management	15	Transport
7	Health / communicable/non-communicable diseases	16	Urban development
8	Information and communications technology	17	Other (please specify): _____
9	Water and sanitation		

**SECTION H: BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

**H3. Currently, do you professionally collaborate/work with the World Bank in your country?**

1	Yes
2	No

**H4. Which of the following describes most of your exposure to the World Bank in Belarus? (Choose no more than TWO)**

1	Observer (i.e., follow in media, discuss in informal conversations, etc.)
2	Use World Bank reports/data
3	Engage in World Bank related/sponsored events/activities
4	Collaborate as part of my professional duties
5	Use World Bank website for information, data, research, etc.

**H5. Which best represents your geographic location?**

1	Minsk
2	Oblast city
3	Other (please specify): _____

**Thank you for completing the survey!**