

Appendix F: Kyrgyz Republic FY 2013 Questionnaire



World Bank Country Survey FY13 – Kyrgyz Republic

The World Bank is interested in gauging the views of clients and partners who are either involved in development in the Kyrgyz Republic 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 the Kyrgyz Republic, 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 the Kyrgyz Republic. The World Bank commissioned an independent firm to oversee the logistics of this effort in the Kyrgyz Republic. 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 THE KYRGYZ REPUBLIC

A1. In general would you say that the Kyrgyz economy is headed in ... ?	
1	The right direction
2	The wrong direction
3	Not sure

SECTION A: GENERAL ISSUES

A2. Listed below are a number of development priorities in the Kyrgyz Republic.			
Please identify which of the following you consider the most important development priorities in the Kyrgyz Republic? (Choose no more than THREE)			
1	Social protection (e.g., pensions, targeted social assistance)	17	Education
2	Transport (e.g., roads, bridges, transportation)	18	Poverty reduction
3	Public sector governance/ reform (i.e., government effectiveness, public financial management, public expenditure, fiscal system reform)	19	Energy
4	Global/regional integration	20	Food security
5	Gender	21	Climate change (e.g., mitigation, adaptation)
6	Domestic private sector development	22	Agricultural development
7	Foreign direct investment	23	Trade and exports
8	Water and sanitation	24	Crime and violence
9	Anti-corruption	25	Economic growth
10	Job creation/employment	26	Law and justice (e.g., judicial system)
11	Rural development	27	Regulatory framework
12	Financial markets	28	Communicable/non-communicable diseases
13	Urban development	29	Basic infrastructure
14	Environmental sustainability	30	Natural resource management (e.g., oil, gas, mining)
15	Equality of opportunity (i.e., equity)	31	Disaster management
16	Health	32	Information and communications technology

SECTION A: GENERAL ISSUES

A3. Poverty reduction is a broad term that encompasses work in many different areas.			
Which THREE areas of development listed below do you believe would contribute most to reducing poverty and improving quality of peoples' lives in the Kyrgyz Republic? (Choose no more than THREE)			
1	Water and sanitation	17	Anti corruption
2	Equality of opportunity (i.e., equity)	18	Domestic private sector development
3	Economic growth	19	Foreign direct investment
4	Climate change (e.g., mitigation, adaptation)	20	Education
5	Global/regional integration	21	Energy
6	Gender	22	Public sector governance/ reform (i.e., government effectiveness, public financial management, public expenditure, fiscal system reform)
7	Rural development	23	Natural resource management (e.g., oil, gas, mining)
8	Urban development	24	Environmental sustainability
9	Regulatory framework	25	Disaster management
10	Basic infrastructure	26	Health
11	Social protection (e.g., pensions, targeted social assistance)	27	Agricultural development
12	Law and justice (e.g., judicial system)	28	Job creation/employment
13	Transport (e.g., roads, bridges, transportation)	29	Financial markets
14	Crime and violence	30	Trade and exports
15	Communicable/non-communicable diseases	31	Food security
16	Information and communications technology		

SECTION A: GENERAL ISSUES

A4. Economic growth can be driven by a number of factors.			
Which THREE areas below do you believe would contribute most to generating economic growth in the Kyrgyz Republic? (Choose no more than THREE)			
1	Energy	16	Communicable/non-communicable diseases
2	Gender	17	Trade and exports
3	Equality of opportunity (i.e., equity)	18	Public sector governance/ reform (i.e., government effectiveness, public financial management, public expenditure, fiscal system reform)
4	Social protection (e.g., pensions, targeted social assistance)	19	Domestic private sector development
5	Global/regional integration	20	Job creation/employment
6	Climate change (e.g., mitigation, adaptation)	21	Agricultural development
7	Anti corruption	22	Food security
8	Disaster management	23	Transport (e.g., roads, bridges, transportation)
9	Rural development	24	Natural resource management (e.g., oil, gas, mining)
10	Foreign direct investment	25	Environmental sustainability
11	Urban development	26	Health
12	Water and sanitation	27	Basic infrastructure
13	Education	28	Law and justice (e.g., judicial system)
14	Information and communications technology	29	Crime and violence
15	Regulatory framework	30	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 the Kyrgyz Republic, 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 the Kyrgyz Republic, 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 the Kyrgyz Republic 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 the Kyrgyz Republic, in which sectoral areas do you believe the World Bank should focus most of its attention and resources in the Kyrgyz Republic? (Choose no more than THREE)

1	Social protection (e.g., pensions, targeted social assistance)	17	Equality of opportunity (i.e., equity)
2	Public sector governance/ reform (i.e., government effectiveness, public financial management, public expenditure, fiscal system reform)	18	Health
3	Transport (e.g., roads, bridges, transportation)	19	Education
4	Poverty reduction	20	Food security
5	Global/regional integration	21	Climate change (e.g., mitigation, adaptation)
6	Gender	22	Agricultural development
7	Crime and violence	23	Trade and exports
8	Domestic private sector development	24	Economic growth
9	Rural development	25	Law and justice (e.g., judicial system)
10	Foreign direct investment	26	Regulatory framework
11	Water and sanitation	27	Communicable/non-communicable diseases
12	Energy	28	Basic infrastructure
13	Job creation/employment	29	Natural resource management (e.g., oil, gas, mining)
14	Financial markets	30	Anti corruption
15	Urban development	31	Information and communications technology
16	Environmental sustainability	32	Disaster management

SECTION B: OVERALL ATTITUDES TOWARD THE WORLD BANK

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 the Kyrgyz Republic?

		Greatest Value (Choose only ONE)	Second Greatest Value (Choose only ONE)
1	Financial resources: investment lending (financing specific investment projects)	<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	Convening/facilitating	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11	Linkage to non-Bank expertise (e.g., South-South knowledge sharing, exchange of experience/ knowledge among countries, etc.)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
12	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 the Kyrgyz Republic? (Choose no more than TWO)

1	Staff too inaccessible
2	Not exploring alternative policy options
3	Not adequately sensitive to political/social realities in the Kyrgyz Republic
4	Not enough public disclosure of its work
5	Arrogant in its approach
6	Not aligned with country priorities
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	Imposing technocratic solutions without regard to political realities
11	World Bank processes too slow and complex
12	Too bureaucratic in its operational policies and procedures
13	Not aligned with other donors' work
14	Not collaborating enough with non-state actors
15	Not client focused
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 reducing poverty in the Kyrgyz Republic? (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 investment 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	NGOs
2	Local Government
3	Beneficiaries
4	Private sector
5	Community Based Organizations (CBOs)
6	Donor community
7	Foundations
8	Academia/think tanks/research institutes
9	Parliament
10	Media
11	Faith based organizations
12	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 the Kyrgyz Republic, on a ten point scale?												
		Strongly disagree								Strongly agree		Don't know
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
B10	Overall the World Bank currently plays a relevant role in development in the Kyrgyz Republic	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
B11	The World Bank's work is aligned with what I consider the development priorities for the Kyrgyz Republic	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
B12	The World Bank supports programs and strategies that are realistic for the Kyrgyz Republic	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
B13	The World Bank treats clients and stakeholders in the Kyrgyz Republic 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 the Kyrgyz Republic, in terms of each of the following?												
		To no degree at all								To a very significant degree		Don't know
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
B14	Responsiveness	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
B15	Flexibility (in terms of the World Bank's products and services)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
B16	Flexibility (in terms of changing country circumstances)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
B17	Being inclusive	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
B18	Openness (sharing data and other information)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
B19	Staff accessibility at the Local Country Office in the Kyrgyz Republic	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
B20	Staff accessibility at the Headquarters in Washington	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
B21	Straightforwardness and honesty	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
B22	Collaboration with groups outside of the Government (e.g., NGOs, academia, private sector)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
B23	Collaboration with the Government	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
B24	Collaboration with other donors	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
B25	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

B26. 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)	
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 the Kyrgyz Republic, 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	Crime and violence	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	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	Communicable/non-communicable diseases	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	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>	
C13	Domestic 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	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>	
C19	Disaster management	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	Equality of opportunity (i.e., equity)	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	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 (e.g., mitigation, adaptation)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>	
C31	Agricultural development	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>	
C32	Natural resource management (e.g., oil, gas, mining)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>	

SECTION C: WORLD BANK EFFECTIVENESS AND RESULTS

C33. To what extent does the World Bank's work help to achieve development results in the Kyrgyz Republic, 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

To what extent do you agree with the following statements about the World Bank in the Kyrgyz Republic, on a ten point scale?												
		Strongly disagree					Strongly agree					Don't know
C34	The World Bank's financial instruments (i.e., investment lending, Development Policy Loan, Trust Funds, Program for Results, etc.) meet the needs of the Kyrgyz Republic	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
C35	The World Bank meets the Kyrgyz Republic'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 (e.g., data, analysis, reports, etc.) 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 the Kyrgyz Republic, 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)	17	Crime and violence
2	Gender	18	Education
3	Domestic private sector development	19	Global/regional integration
4	Foreign direct investment	20	Information and communications technology
5	Water and sanitation	21	Transport (e.g., roads, bridges, transportation)
6	Trade and exports	22	Agricultural development
7	Energy	23	Natural resource management (e.g., oil, gas, mining)
8	Disaster management	24	Job creation/employment
9	Social protection (e.g., pensions, targeted social assistance)	25	Health
10	Climate change (e.g., mitigation, adaptation)	26	Economic growth
11	Poverty reduction	27	Rural development
12	Law and justice (e.g., judicial system)	28	Food security
13	Anti corruption	29	Environmental sustainability
14	Financial markets	30	Regulatory framework
15	Equality of opportunity (i.e., equity)	31	Basic infrastructure
16	Urban development	32	Communicable/non-communicable diseases

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

In the Kyrgyz Republic, how effective do you believe the World Bank's knowledge work and activities (i.e., analysis, studies, research, data, reports, conferences):												
		Not effective at all								Very effective		Don't know
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
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 the Kyrgyz Republic, to what extent do you believe that the World Bank's knowledge work and activities (i.e., analysis, studies, research, data, reports, conferences):												
		To no degree at all								To a very significant degree		Don't know
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
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 the Kyrgyz Republic'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 the Kyrgyz Republic'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 (i.e., quality of the content) 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		
E1	The World Bank disburses funds promptly	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>	
E2	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"/>	
E3	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"/>	
E4	The World Bank's "Safeguard Policy" requirements are reasonable	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>	
E5	The World Bank imposes reasonable policy conditions on its lending	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>	
E6	Working with the World Bank increases the Kyrgyz Republic 's institutional capacity	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>	
E7	The World Bank ensures consistency and continuity through staff changes	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>	
E8	The World Bank's teams and visits are well coordinated	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>	
E9	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"/>	
E10	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 THE KYRGYZ REPUBLIC

F1. How significant a role do you believe the World Bank SHOULD play in the Kyrgyz Republic's development in the near future, on a ten point scale?

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

F2. Which of the following SHOULD the World Bank do to make itself of greater value in the Kyrgyz Republic? (Choose no more than TWO)

1	Reduce the complexity of obtaining World Bank financing
2	Improve the competitiveness of its financing compared to markets (e.g., cost, timeliness, and other terms)
3	Improve the quality of its experts as related to the Kyrgyz Republic's specific challenges
4	Reach out more to groups outside of government
5	Ensure greater selectivity in its work
6	Focus primarily on advocacy issues
7	Provide more adequate data/knowledge/statistics/figures on the Kyrgyz Republic's economy
8	Offer more innovative financial products
9	Offer more innovative knowledge services
10	Work faster
11	Other (please specify): _____

SECTION G: COMMUNICATION AND INFORMATION SHARING**G1. How do you get most of your information about economic and social development issues in the Kyrgyz Republic? (Choose no more than TWO)**

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	Instant messaging
13	Other (please specify): _____

G2. How would you prefer to receive information from the World Bank? (Choose no more than TWO)

1	World Bank website
2	Direct contact with World Bank (i.e., face to face meetings/discussions)
3	e-newsletters
4	Instant messaging
5	World Bank seminars/workshops/conferences
6	World Bank Public Information Center
7	World Bank publications and other written materials
8	Mobile phones
9	Social media (Facebook, Twitter, Youtube)
10	Blogs
11	Other (please specify): _____

G3	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?	Yes	No
G4	Have you requested information from the World Bank on its activities in the past year? (If YES please go to Question G5; if NO please go to G6)	Yes	No
G5	Were you able to obtain this information?	Yes	No
G6	Do you have access to the Internet?	Yes	No
G7	Do you use/have you used the World Bank website?	Yes	No

SECTION G: COMMUNICATION AND INFORMATION SHARING

G8. Which do you primarily use? (Please mark only ONE response)	
1	The World Bank's country website (www.worldbank.org/kg)
2	The World Bank's main website (www.worldbank.org)

G9. Which Internet connection do you use primarily when visiting a World Bank website?	
1	High speed
2	Dial-up

G10. Do you use/have you used the World Bank's Public Information Centers (PICs) in the Kyrgyz Republic?	
1	Yes
2	No
3	I don't know what PIC is

Please rate how much you agree 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	10	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
G11	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	10	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
G12	The World Bank's PIC is a valuable source of information related to development in the Kyrgyz Republic. <i>(Only answer if you have used the PIC)</i>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	10	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
G13	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	10	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
G14	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	10	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
G15	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	10	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
G16	The World Bank is responsive to my information requests and inquiries	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	10	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

H1. Which of the following best describes your current position? (Please mark only ONE response)	
1	Office of the President, Prime Minister
2	Office of Minister
3	Office of Parliamentarian
4	Employee of a Ministry, Ministerial Department or Implementation Agency
5	Consultant/Contractor working on World Bank supported Project/Program
6	Project Management Unit (PMU) overseeing implementation of project
7	Local Government Office or Staff
8	Bilateral Agency
9	Multilateral Agency
10	Private Sector Organization
11	Private Foundation
12	Financial Sector/Private Bank
13	NGO
14	Community Based Organization
15	Media (Press, Radio, TV, Web, etc.)
16	Independent Government Institution (i.e., Regulatory Agency, Central Bank/oversight institution)
17	Trade Union
18	Faith-Based Group
19	Academia/Research Institute/Think Tank
20	Judiciary Branch
21	Other (please specify): _____

H2. Please identify the primary specialization of your work. (Please mark only ONE response)			
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	Gender / equality of opportunity	15	Transport
7	Health / communicable/non-communicable diseases	16	Urban development
8	Information and communications technology	17	Water and sanitation
9	Job creation/employment	18	Other (please specify): _____

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 the Kyrgyz Republic? (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.
6	Not directly exposed to the World Bank's work

H5. Which best represents your geographic location?	
1	Bishkek city
2	Oblast centers
3	Other

Thank you for completing the survey!