

# Labour Force Survey Report, 2011

## Annexure 1: LFS2011 Questionnaire

Royal Government of Bhutan Department of Employment Ministry of Labour and Human Resources Thimphu	
<b>Confidentiality;</b>  <i>Data obtained in this survey cannot be used for taxation, investigation or enforcement purposes.</i>	<div style="text-align: center;"><u>Labour Force Survey 2011</u></div> <p>Sir/Madam,</p> <p>The Department of Employment is undertaking Labour Force Survey for the purpose of gathering information on the economic activities of households in Bhutan. Therefore, the Department would like to request all the respondents to extend kind cooperation to the surveyors.</p> <div style="text-align: right; margin-top: 20px;"><b>Director</b></div>
<b>Identification</b>	
Geographic Identification codes	Name of respondent <span style="float: right;">Sl.No.</span> <div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 40px; height: 20px; float: right;"></div>
Dzongkhag _____	Name of Household Head _____
Gewog/Town _____	_____
Size of Chiwog/block _____	<b>Interview Status</b> (Write an appropriate code in the box)
Sl.No.of sampled h'holds _____	<div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 40px; height: 20px; margin-left: 100px;"></div>
<b>Certification</b>  I hereby certify that the information gathered in this questionnaire were obtained/reviewed by me personally and in accordance with instructions.	<div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 40px; height: 20px; margin-left: 100px; margin-top: 10px;"></div>
_____ Name and Signature of Enumerator	_____ Date of Enumeration
_____ Name and Signature of Supervisor	_____ Date received

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A. DEMOGRAPHIC CHARACTERISTICS										B. ECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS (For persons 15 years old and over)									
All Persons										Training									
Serial No. (Enter respondent)	Name of the Household members	Sex 1-M 2-F (Enter code)	Age in completed years	Relationship of HH members to the HH head (Enter code)	Marital Status (Enter code)	Nationality 1-B 2-NB (Enter Dzongkhag code)	Place of birth (Enter Dzongkhag code)	Did ____ move to current location during the last 1 year? 1-Yes 2-No (go to 12)	Previous dzongkhag of residence before moving here (Enter code. If abroad give name of the country)	What was the reason for movement? (Enter code)	Highest education grade completed (Enter code) (If 00, go to Col. 15)	Which year did ____ complete the grade?	Is ____ currently attending School/College? 1-Yes 2-No For age 10-14, go to col. 55	Have/Are ____ attended/attending any training? 1-Yes 2-No (go to Col. 21)	Field of training? (Specify the highest training duration attended)	Duration of training (Enter code)	Level of training (Enter code)	Which year did ____ complete the training? (If undergoing, 9999)	
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<b>Codes for col. 5 (Relationship)</b>	<b>Codes for col. 6 (Marital Status)</b>	<b>Codes for col. 8 (Place of birth)</b>	<b>Codes for col. 10</b>	<b>Dzongkhag</b>	<b>Rural</b>	<b>Urban</b>	<b>Dzongkhag</b>	<b>Rural</b>
1 - Head	1 - Never Married	11 - Chukha	1101	Chukha	1101	1151	Mongar	3201
2 - Spouse	2 - Married	12 - Haa	1201	Haa	1201	1251	Trashigang	3301
3 - Son/daughter	3 - Widowed	13 - Paro	1301	Paro	1301	1351	Yangtse	3401
4 - Brother/sister	4 - Divorced/separated	14 - Thimphu	1401	Thimphu	1401	1451	P/gatshel	3501
5 - Father/mother	5 - Living Together	15 - Punakha	1501	Punakha	1501	1551	S/jongkhar	3601
6 - Other relative	<b>Codes for col. 11 (Reasons for Movement)</b>	16 - Gasa	1601	Gasa	1601	1651	Samtse	4101
7 - Non-relative	1 - Search of work	17 - Wangdue	1701	Wangdue	1701	1751	Sarpang	4201
	2 - Family move	21 - Bumthang	2101	Bumthang	2101	2151	Tsirang	4301
	3 - Study	22 - Trongsa	2201	Trongsa	2201	2251	Dagana	4401
	4 - Resettlement	23 - Zhemgang	2301	Zhemgang	2301	2351	Outside Bhutan	
	5 - Marriage	39 - Outside Bhutan	3101	Lhuntse	3101	3151		
	6 - Transfer	7 - Others						

1. For persons who worked, did not work, had no job/business during the past one week

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**Codes for col.**

**(Nature of em**

1 - Regular pair

2 - Casual paid

3 - Unpaid fam

4 - Unpaid fam

5 - Own-account

6 - Own-account

7-Employer

8-Piece/Contra

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	C. ECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS (For persons 15 years old and over)
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2. For persons who did not work and had no job/business during the past week

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**Codes for col. 34**  
**(additional job)**

- 1 - Want more income
- 2 - Want more hours of work
- 3 - Main job does not match with qualification/training
- 4 - Other

**Codes for col. 40**  
**(Labour status)**

- 1 - Working
- 2 - Unemployed
- 3 - Out of labour force

**Codes for col. 38**  
**(Reasons for long hours)**

- 1 - Wanted more earnings
- 2 - Requirement of the job
- 3 - Exceptional week
- 4 - Other reasons

**Codes for col. 42**  
**(looking for work)**

- 1 - Less than one month
- 2 - One to six months
- 3 - More than six months

**Codes for col.43**  
(Steps taken to find job)

- 1-Registered I RCSC
- 2-Registered DoE
- 3-Approached employer Directly
- 4-Sought Assistance from relatives/friends
- 5-Applied for training
- 6-Want to start own business
- 7-Other steps, please specify

**Codes for col. 44**  
**(Reasons not looking for work)**  
01 - Temporary illness  
02 - Off season  
03 - Believed no work available  
04 - No appropriate work available  
05 - Waiting for result  
06 - Waiting previous work recall  
07 - House/family duties  
08 - Study  
09 - Old or retired  
10 - Too young  
11 - Physically challenged

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D. Child Labour															
For children aged 10-17 years															
Serial No. (Copy from Col. 1)	Work for non family members					Work for family members					For working child				
	During the past week, did ____ do any kind of work for someone who is not a member of this household?	What was ____ main occupation during the past week?  (Specify occupation eg. Baby sitting, collecting firewood, etc.)	If code 1 or 2, since past one week, about how many hours did ____ do this work for someone who is not a member of this household?	During the past year, did ____ do any kind of work for someone who is not a member of this household?	If code 1 or 2, since past one week, about how many hours did ____ do this work for someone who is not a member of this household?	During the past week, did ____ help with household chores such as shopping, collecting firewood, cleaning, fetching water or caring for children?	What was ____ main occupation during the past week?  (Specify occupation eg. Baby sitting, collecting firewood, etc.)	Since past one week, about how many hours did ____ spend doing these chores?	During the past week, did ____ do any family work (on the farm or in a business or selling goods in the street)?	Since past one week, about how many hours did ____ do this work?	What is the main reason for letting the child work?  (Enter code)	If the child stops working, what will happen to household?	In future, what would you prefer the child to do?	At what age did ____ start working?	
															1 - Yes, for pay (cash or kind) 2 - Yes, unpaid 3 - No (go to Col. 60)
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## Codes for col.49

### (Reasons for unemployment)

- 1 - Never worked before (fresh)
- 2 - Waiting previous work recall
- 3 - Voluntarily resigned from earlier job
- 4 - Temporary job ended
- 5 - Job terminated by employer
- 6 - No interest
- 7 - House/family duties
- 8 - Study
- 9 - Old or retired
- 10 - Too young
- 11 - Physically challenged

## Codes for col.67

### (Reasons for letting the child work)

- 1 - To supplement household income
- 2 - To pay outstanding debt under contractual agreement
- 3 - To help in household activities
- 4 - Education/training institutions are too far
- 5 - Cannot afford education
- 6 - Other

## Codes for col.68

- 1 - Household income declines
- 2 - Household cannot afford to live
- 3 - Household activity cannot operate fully
- 4 - Does not affect any way
- 5 - Other

## Codes for col.69

- 1 - Continue working
- 2 - Study
- 3 - Study and work part time
- 4 - Start a new business
- 5 - Look for better jobs
- 6 - Others