

***WORLD
VALUES
SURVEY
2010***

Methodological questionnaire

PLEASE WRITE IN THE NAME OF YOUR COUNTRY:

Hait
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Section 1: the questionnaire

1. Was the WVS questionnaire translated or adapted in any way from the English master questionnaire?

Yes ☒ → **ANSWER Q2**
No ☐ → **GO TO Q3**

IF QUESTIONNAIRE TRANSLATED/ADAPTED

2a. Who carried out the translation of the questionnaire?

A specialist translator ☐

A member of the research team ☒

Other (PLEASE WRITE DETAILS BELOW) ☐

b. Was the translated questionnaire then back-translated into English?

Yes ☒
No ☐

c. Was the translated questionnaire pre-tested?

Yes ☒ → **ANSWER d**
No ☐ → **GO TO e**

d. **IF 'YES'**

How was the questionnaire pre-tested? How many pre-tests were carried out?

PLEASE WRITE IN:

We field tested 210 surveys with people in the metropolitan Port-au-Prince area. The GPS coordinates were randomly selected and enumerators practiced selecting the nth household and choosing an appropriate respondent (according to birthday). None of the pre-testing data was included in the final data. The questionnaire was modified after the pre-tests as several of the translations were difficult for people to understand, since they were worded in an overly complex way.

e. Were there any questions or concepts that caused particular problems when being translated into your language?

Yes ☒ → **ANSWER f**
No ☐ → **GO TO Q3**

IF 'YES'

f. Which questions or concepts caused particular problems?

PLEASE WRITE IN:

V73- the idea of "spoiling" ones self isn't understood by most Haitians
V199- the concept of avoiding public transport fare didn't translate well
V207A- most people are not aware of the concept of euthanasia

g. How were these problems solved?

PLEASE WRITE IN:

V73- we translated the concept as “buy things that you don’t really need”, which made sense to people

V199- this problem was never fully resolved. We do not trust the results of this question and would be open to removing it from the dataset if the WVS leadership thinks we should.

V207A- we translated it as “help someone kill themselves because they have a grave illness that will cause death by itself”

EVERYONE PLEASE ANSWER

3. Did you use other questionnaires to make the WVS questionnaire

the German questionnaire ☐

the French questionnaire ☐

Other (PLEASE WRITE IN BELOW) ☒

We used the French questionnaire to aid in translation, but the entire questionnaire was translated into creole.

4. Have any optional WVS questions and/or items been included?

No ☒

Yes (PLEASE WRITE IN QUESTION AND/OR ITEMNUMBERS BELOW) ☐

I'm wasn't clear which items were optional and not-optional on the English version of the survey, so we just included everything

on the English version (except for two questions that were inadvertently left out when programing the survey).

5. Were country-specific questions, and/or items i. e. neither compulsory nor optional WVS questions, or questions included in the survey?

No country-specific questions included ☒

→ GO TO Q7

Country-specific questions were included ☐

→ ANSWER Q6

IF THERE WERE COUNTRY-SPECIFIC QUESTIONS

6. Were country specific questions included at the end of the questionnaire, just before the demographics?

Yes ☐

→ GO TO Q7

No ☒

→ GO TO Q6a

6a Please indicate the location of the country-specific questions which were not at the end of the questionnaire
WRITE IN BELOW

No additional questions were included. However, at the end of the dataset, you will note that variables are included that reflect administrative district level variables. This includes population density of the third level administrative district, total population, urban vs. rural population, as well as longitude and latitude shape file data relative to the administrative district in which the respondent was sampled.

EVERYONE PLEASE ANSWER

7. Were all questions asked in the prescribed order?

Yes ☐

No ☒

8. Were all core WVS questions included in your questionnaire (by core we mean all items except those that were optional)?

No - some question(s) from WVS questionnaire not included ☐ → **ANSWER Q9**

No - some demographic question(s) not included ☒ → **ANSWER Q9**

Yes - all questions included ☐ → **SECTION 2**

IF ANY CORE WVS QUESTIONS WERE NOT INCLUDED

9. Please write in details of the items and the reasons why they were not included.

WVS question number or description of question:

V241: Can you tell me your year of birth please?

V249: At what age did you (or will you) complete your full time education, either at school or at an institution of higher education?

Reason(s) not included:

The exclusion of these questions was completely accidental. We wanted to ask these two questions either at the beginning of the survey or at the end, so that they were not right next to the other questions that asked for the same information. That way, we could use them to check for fraud more effectively. Unfortunately, they were accidentally left out of the survey program during the final edit. When we discovered the issue, it was too late to fix the problem because fielding was already well underway.

We used alternate strategies to monitor for fraud, to compensate for the accidental exclusion of the questions. First, we recorded the GPS coordinates of enumerators and checked to see if they were doing the surveys in the place where they were supposed to be. Second, we recorded the amount of time spent on each questions and on the entire survey to make sure that enumerators were not finishing suspiciously fast. Third, we periodically checked the data for internal coherence. Lastly, we sent the field supervisor into the field frequently to check on the enumerators.

Section 2: Sampling

10. Was your sample designed to be representative of the entire adult population, i. e. 18 years and older, of your country?

Yes ☒

→ GO TO Q12

No ☐

→ ANSWER Q11

IF NOT DESIGNED TO BE REPRESENTATIVE

11. Which groups were excluded from, under-represented or over-represented in your sample design?

Excluded (PLEASE SPECIFY):

Over-represented: (PLEASE SPECIFY):

Under-represented (PLEASE SPECIFY):

EVERYONE PLEASE ANSWER

12. What was the lower age cut-off for your sample?

Yes - please write in cut-off

No cut-off ☐

13. Was there any upper age cut-off for your sample?

Yes - please write in cut-off

No cut-off ☒

14. What were the different stages in your sampling procedure?

PLEASE WRITE IN:

1. Haiti has 572 administrative districts. According to the original plan, fifty will be randomly selected using PPS methods with the probability based on the population of the administrative district as reported by the national statistics institute in 2012. We decided to collect more data than was originally planned, and thus 72 sites were included.

2. A random GPS coordinate in the administrative district will be generated using an excel spreadsheet. This was a the cluster. Each cluster was supposed to have 28 observations. 20 of the clusters had an inelligable site and thus had 27 observations instead of 28.

3. Every nth house due north was visited and invited to participate until reaching minimum number of households based on the population of the administrative district. The interval was randomly selected from a small set of numbers (ie. Between 3 and 7). Selected households were visited up to four times before the house is labeled a no responder.

15. What was the final number of clusters or sampling points?

No clusters ☐

WRITE IN:

16. What was the sampled unit you got from office sampling?

Address ☐ → **ANSWER Q17**

Household ☒ → **ANSWER Q17**

Named individual ☐ → **GO TO Q18**

Other (PLEASE WRITE IN DETAILS BELOW) ☐ → **ANSWER Q17**

IF NAMED INDIVIDUAL WAS NOT THE SAMPLED UNIT

17. What selection method was used to identify a respondent?
PLEASE SPECIFY:

The adult with the most recent birthday was the primary respondent.

18. Were there any quota-controls on the type of individual selected to take part in the survey (for example, age or sex controls)?

Yes ☐ → **ANSWER Q19**
No ☒ → **GO TO Q20**

IF QUOTA CONTROLS

19. In what way were quota controls used?
PLEASE WRITE IN:

EVERYONE PLEASE ANSWER

20. Was substitution permitted at any stage of your selection process or during fieldwork?

Yes ☒ → **ANSWER Q21**
No ☐ → **GO TO Q22**

IF 'YES'

21. In what way was substitution permitted?
PLEASE WRITE IN:

If the randomly selected GPS point on the list was impassible, the next one on the list was selected.

EVERYONE PLEASE ANSWER

22. Did you use any stratification factors when drawing your sample?

Yes ☐ → **ANSWER Q23**
No ☒ → **GO TO Q24**

IF STRATIFICATION FACTORS USED

23. What stratification factors were used, and at what stage(s) of selection?
PLEASE WRITE IN:

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EVERYONE PLEASE ANSWER

24. All in all, what are the known limitations of your realized sample?

For example: non-response rate; is there differential coverage of particular groups, either because of sample design or response differences?

% response or % non-response: PLEASE WRITE IN:

A key limitation was that the time when we fielded during election season. A group that had a lower response rate were fishermen who lived in coastal villages. There were 112 cases where there were only children home for all four attempts at the survey. Approximately 3/4 of those 112 cases occurred in the households of fishermen.

I report below that 0 addresses were established as empty, demolished or containing no private dwellings. In the rare cases where this occurred, the next nth dwelling was selected. Unfortunately, these cases were not tracked.

I report below that 19 people were "too sick/incapacitated to participate" - of those people, 8 were cognitively impaired due to old age and 11 either had cognitive disabilities or were mute.

The 20 partially productive interviews were not included in the final data set because the respondents exited the survey very early.

The % response rate was 87.39% (1996 or 2284)

The % non-response rate was 12.6% (288)

25. Please fill in the following details about your sample. If some categories do not apply, please complete to the highest level of detail possible and use the 'other' box to give more information.

Total number of <u>starting</u> names/addresses	2284
- addresses which could not be traced at all	0
- addresses established as empty, demolished or containing no private dwellings	unknown
- selected respondent too sick/incapacitated to participate	19
- selected respondent away during survey period	53
- selected respondent had inadequate understanding of language of survey	0
- no contact at selected address	112
- no contact with selected person	0
- refusal at selected address	30
- proxy refusal (on behalf of selected respondent)	0
- personal refusal by selected respondent	74
- other type of unproductive (please write in full details in the box below)	0
- full productive interview	1996
- partial productive interview	20

IF 'OTHER' CATEGORY USED

26. Please specify

Section 3: Fieldwork

27. If interviews were not face-to-face, please specify the way of interviewing:

All interviews were face-to-face.

28. The next group of questions are about interviewers.

If no interviewers were used at any point in the WVS survey, please go to Q32.

IF INTERVIEWERS USED

- a. Were interviewers paid according to performance (for example, according to the number of interviews they obtained)?

Yes ☒

No ☐

- b. Which, if any, of these rules governed how an interviewer approached an address/household?

PLEASE TICK THOSE THAT APPLY

Calls must be made at different times of day ☒

Calls must be made on different days of week ☐

Neither of the above ☐

- c. Were interviewers required to make a certain number of re-calls before they stopped approaching an address or household?

Minimum number of re-calls required - please write in number

No minimum re-call requirement ☐

- d. Were any interviews supervised?

Yes - please write in approximate proportion %

No ☐

- e. Were any interviews back-checked?

Yes - please write in approximate proportion %

No ☒

EVERYONE PLEASE ANSWER

29. Please write in the approximate start and end dates of fieldwork.

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Start date

12	/	11	/	20	1	5		
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End date

22	/	03	/	20	1	6		
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30. Please write in the name of the institute which has done the fieldwork.

Primary Investigators came from University of Michigan and the State University of New York. Enumerators came from Enstiti Travay Sosial ak Syans Sosial (The Institute for Social Work and Social Science).

Section 4: Data

31. Were any measures of coding reliability employed?

Yes ☐ → **ANSWER Q31a**
No ☒

31a. Which one? Please specify

32. Were the data from the questionnaire keyed subsequent to the interview (that is, non-CAPI surveys)?

Yes ☐ → **ANSWER Q33**
No ☒ → **GO TO Q34**

IF DATA KEYED

33. Was keying verified?

Yes - please write in approximate level of verification %
No ☐

EVERYONE PLEASE ANSWER

34. Were any reliability checks made on derived variables?

Yes ☒
No ☐

35. Were data checked/edited to ensure that filter instructions were followed correctly?

Yes ☒
No ☐

36. Were data checked/edited for logic or consistency?

Yes ☒
No ☐

37. Were data checked/edited to ensure they fell within permitted coding ranges?

Yes ☒
No ☐

38. Have you answered 'yes' on any or all of questions 32 to 34 above?

Yes ☒ → **ANSWER Q39**
No ☐ → **GO TO Q40**

IF DATA CHECKED/EDITED

39. Were errors corrected individually or automatically (through, for example, a 'forced' edit)?

Yes - individual correction ☒

Yes - automatic correction ☐

No - not corrected ☐

EVERYONE PLEASE ANSWER

40. Did you add a weight variable?

Yes ☒ → **ANSWER Q.41**

No ☐ → **SECTION 5**

IF WEIGHT VARIABLE ADDED

41. Please describe the weighting or post-stratification strategy used.

PPS sampling weights were included. No other sampling weights have been done.

Section 5: Characteristics of National Population

45. Each WVS member is asked to provide information on known characteristics of its national population, from census or the best available estimates from government surveys or other high-quality data-sources:

- sex distribution of the population
- age distribution of the population
- education (years of schooling) of the population
- other characteristics (PLEASE SPECIFY)

Please specify also the sources which have been used. Please note that the number of characteristics is what is minimal required. You can add as many characteristics as you like, but do not forget to specify them.

In the table below please present the information from census or from other government surveys or other high-quality data (column SOURCE 1) and the proportions obtained in your data, before and after weighting

	Source: Institut Haitien de Statistique et d'Informatique (Gender), CIA factbook (age)	Unweighted data	Weighted data
Gender			
Female	% 50.5	%	
Male	% 49.5	%	
Age Groups			
0-14	% 33.39	%	
15-24	% 21.35	%	
25-54	% 36.24	%	
55-64	% 4.94	%	
65 and older	% 4.09	%	
	%	%	
	%	%	
	%	%	
	%	%	
Years/Schooling Groups	No reliable information available		
	%	%	
	%	%	
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Other characteristics			
Please specify			
	%	%	
	%	%	
	%	%	
	%	%	

THANK YOU VERY MUCH !

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