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Country: 1. Mexico 2. Guatemala 3. El Salvador 4. Honduras 5. Nicaragua 6. Costa Rica 7. Panama 8. Colombia 9. Ecuador 10. Bolivia 11. Peru 12. Paraguay 13. Chile 14. Uruguay 15. Brazil. 21. Dominican Republic 22. Haiti 23. Jamaica 24.Guyana 25. Trinidad	COUNTRY	
IDNUM. Questionnaire number [assigned at the office]	IDNUM	
Stratum: Insert the names of the strata here	STRATUM	
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Provin <mark>ce (or department) :</mark>	XXXPROV	
Canton (or municipality):	XXXMUNICIPALITY	
DISTRICT (or parish, etc.):	XXXDISTRICT	
CENSUS SEGMENT	SEGMENT	
Sector	SEC	
[CLUSTER]: [A cluster cannot be larger than 8 interviews in urban towns, and 12 in rural areas]	Cluster	
UR 1. Urban 2. Rural	UR	
Area Size: 1. National Capital (Metropolitan area) 2. Large City 3. Medium City	SIZE	
Small City 5. Rural Area Questionnaire language: (1) Spanish INSERT OTHER LANGUAGES	XXXIDIOMA [IDIOMAQ]	
Start time:: [Don't enter]		
Date Day : Month: Year: 2006	DATE	
NOTE: IT IS COMPULSORY TO READ THE STATEMENT CONSENT BEFORE STARTING THE INTERVIEW.	OF	

Q1. Sex (note down; do not ask): (1) Male (2) Female						
A4 [COA4]. To begin with, in your opinion, what is the most serious problem the country faces? [DO NOT READ OUT THE RESPONSE OPTIONS; ONLY A SINGLE OPTION]	A4 [

Water, lack of	19	Inflation, high prices	02
Roads in poor condition	18	Politicians	59
Armed conflict	30	Bad government	15
Corruption	13	Environment	10
Credit, lack of	09	Migration	16
Delinquency, crime, violence	05	Narcotrafficking	12
Human rights, violations of	56	Gangs	14
Unemployment	03	Poverty	04
Inequality	58	Popular protests (strikes, road blocks, work stoppages, etc.)	06
Malnutrition	23	Health services, lack of provision	22
Forced displacement	32	Kidnapping	31
External debt	26	Security (lack of)	27
Discrimination	25	Terrorism	33
Drug addiction	11	Land to farm, lack of	07
Economy, problems with, crisis of	01	Transportation, problems of	60
Education, lack of, poor quality	21	Violence	57
Electricity, lack of	24	Housing	55
Demographic explosion	20	Other	70
War against terrorism	17	Doesn't know	88

DEM13. In few words, what does democracy mean for you? [NOTICE: Do not read choices. After the first and second response ask, "does it mean something else?"]. Accept up to three answers. 1⁰ Response 2º Response 3º Response DEM₁₃A DEM13B DEM13C It does not have any meaning Liberty: Liberty (without specifying what type) **Economic Liberty** Liberty of expression Liberty of movement Liberty, lack of Being independent **Economy:** Well being, economic progress, growth Well being, lack of, no economic progress Capitalism Free trade, free business Employment, more opportunities of Employment, lack of Voting: Right to choose leaders Elections, voting Free elections Fraudulent elections **Equality:** Equality (without specifying) Economic equality, or equality of classes Gender equality Equality before the laws Racial or ethnic equality Equality, Lack of, inequality Participation: Limitations of participation Participation (without saying which type) Participation of minorities Power of the people Rule of Law: Human Rights, respect to Disorder, Lack of justice, corruption Justice Obey the law, Less corruption Non-military government Live in peace, without war War, invasions Other answer DK/NA Code (if R gives only one answer, 13B and 13C are DEM13B DEM₁₃A DEM₁₃C coded with 0. If R gives two answers, 13C coded as [If R gives only one answer, mark it and Go to A1] DEM13D **DEM13D**. Of these meanings of democracy you have said, in your opinion which is the most important? [Ask only if gave two or three answers to the

previous question. Write answer code.] 88. DK 99. INAP [One or no answer]

Now, changing the subject...[After each question, repeat "every day", "once or twice a week", "rarely", or "never" to help the respondent]

How frequently do you	Every day	Once or twice a week	Rarely	Never	DK	
A1. Listen to the news on the radio	1	2	3	4	8	A1
A2. Watch the news on TV	1	2	3	4	8	A2
A3. Read the news in newspapers	1	2	3	4	8	A3
A4i. Read the news on the Internet	1	2	3	4	8	A4i

SOCT1 . How would you describe the country's economic situation? Would you say that it is very good, good, neither good nor bad, bad or very bad?	SOCT1
(1) Very good (2) Good (3) Neither good nor bad (fair) (4) Bad (5) Very bad (8) Doesn't know	
SOCT2. Do you think that the country's current economic situation is better than, the same as or worse than it was 12 months ago? (1) Better (2) Same (3) Worse (8) Doesn't know	SOCT2
IDIO1. How would describe your economic situation overall? Would you say that it is very good, good, neither good nor bad, bad or very bad? (1) Very good (2) Good (3) Neither good nor bad (fair) (4) Bad (5) Very bad (8) Doesn't know	IDIO1
IDIO2. Do you think that your economic situation is better than, the same as, or worse than it was 12 months ago? (1) Better (2) Same (3) Worse (8) Doesn't know	IDIO2

Now, moving on to a different topic, sometimes the people and communities have problems that they cannot solve by themselves, and so in order to solve them they request help from a government official or agency.

In order to solve your problems have you ever requested help or cooperation from?	Yes	No	DK/DR	
CP2. A deputy of Congress	1	2	8	CP2
CP4A. Any local authorities (mayor, municipality, prefect)	1	2	8	CP3
CP4. Any ministry, public institution or state agency	1	2	8	CP4

PROT1. Have you ever participated in a public demonstration or protest? Have you done it sometimes, almost never or never? [If he answered "Never" or "DK", Go to CP5]	(1) Sometimes	(2) Almost never	(3) Never	(8) DK	PROT1
PROT2. During last year, did you participate in a public demonstration or protest? Did you do it sometimes, almost never or never?	(1) Sometimes	(2) Almost never	(3) Never	(8) DK	PROT2

Now I am going to ask you a few questions about your community and the problems it faces.	Yes	No	DK/DR	INAP	
CP5. In the past year have you contributed or tried to contribute toward the solution of a problem in your community or in your neighborhood? (1) Yes [continue] (2) No [Go to CP6] (8) DK/DA [Go to CP6]	1	2	8	С	P5
CP5A. Have you donated money or material to help address a problem in your community or in your neighborhood?	1	2	8	9 CP	5A
CP5B. Have you contributed your own work or manual labor?	1	2	8	9 CP :	5B
CP5C. Have you been attending community meetings about some problem or some improvement?	1	2	8	9 CP	5C
CP5D. Have you tried to help organize a new group to resolve a neighborhood problem or to bring about any improvement?	1	2	8	9 CP	5D

Now I am going to read out a list of groups and organizations. Please tell me if you attend their meetings at least once a week, once or twice a month, once or twice a year, or never. [Repeat "once a week," "once or twice a month," once or twice a year," or "never" to help the respondent]

	Once a week	Once or twice a month	Once or twice a year	Never	DK	
CP6. The meetings of any religious organization? You attend them	1	2	3	4	8	CP6
CP7. The meetings of a parents association at school? You attend them	1	2	3	4	8	CP7
CP8 . The meetings of a committee or council for community improvements? You attend them	1	2	3	4	8	CP8
CP9 . The meetings of an association of professionals, traders or farmers? You attend them	1	2	3	4	8	CP9
CP10. The meetings of a labor union? You attend them	1	2	3	4	8	CP10
CP13. The meetings of a political party or movement? You attend them	1	2	3	4	8	CP13

LS3. Changing the subject, in general how satisfied are you with your life? Would you say that you are	LS3	
? (1) Very satisfied (2) Somewhat satisfied (3) Somewhat dis satisfied (4) Very dis satisfied (8) DK		

IT1. Now, speaking of the people from here, would you say that people in this neighborhood are	IT1	
generally very trustworthy, somewhat trustworthy, not very trustworthy or untrustworthy?		
(1) Very trustworthy (2) Somewhat trustworthy (3) not very trustworthy (4) untrustworthy (8) DK		

SHOW CARD #1

L1. (Left-Right Scale) Now, to change the subject.... On this sheet there is a 1-10 scale that goes from left to right. Today, when we speak of political tendencies, we talk of those on the left and those on the right. In other words, some people sympathize more with the left and others with the right. According to the meaning that the terms "left" and "right" have for you, and thinking of your own political tendency, where would you place yourself on this scale? Indicate the box that comes closest to your own position.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	L1	
Left									Right	(DK=88)	

Collect Card # 1

Now let's talk about your municipality		
NP1 . Have you attended a town hall meeting or other meeting convened by the mayor in the past 12 months? (1) Yes (2) No (8) Doesn't know/Doesn't remember	NP1	
NP1B. To what degree do you think municipal officials pay attention to what people ask for in such meetings? (1) Very much (2) Somewhat (3) Not at all (8) DK	NP1B	
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NP2 . Have you sought help from or presented a request to any office, official or councilman of the municipality within the past 12 months? (1) Yes (2) No (8) Doesn't know/Doesn't remember	NP2	
SGL1 . Would you say that the services the municipality is providing are? [Read options] (1) Very good (2) Good (3) Neither good nor poor (fair) (4) Poor (5) Very poor (8) Doesn't know	SGL1	
SGL2 . How have they treated you or your neighbors when you have had dealings with the municipality? Have they treated you very well, well, neither well nor badly, badly or very badly? (1) Very well (2) Well (3) Neither well nor badly (4) Badly (5) Very badly (8) Doesn't know	SGL2	
LGL2. In your opinion, should the municipality be given more money and more responsibility or should the national government assume more responsibility and provide municipal services? (1) More for the municipality (2) National government should assume greater responsibility (3) Nothing should change [do not read] (4) More to the municipality if it provides better services [do not read]	LGL2	
(8) Doesn't know/Doesn't respond		
LGL3 . Would you be willing to pay more taxes to the municipality so that it could provide better services or do you believe that it would not be worth it to do so? (1) Willing to pay more (2) Not worth it (8) Doesn't know	LGL3	
MUNI5. Have you ever participated in drafting the municipality's budget? (1) Yes, has participated (0) Has not participated (8) DK/DR	MUNI5	
MUNI6. How much confidence do you have that the Mayor's office manages funds well? [Read responses] (3) A lot (2) Some (1) Little (0) None (8) DK/DR	MUNI6	
MUNI8. Have you carried out any official dealings or requested any document at the municipality in the past year? (1) Yes [continue] (0) No [Go to MUNI11] (8) DK/DR [Go to MUNI11]	MUNI8	
MUNI9 . How were you treated? [Read responses] (1) Very well (2) Well (3) Neither well nor poorly (4) Poorly (5) Very poorly (8) DK/DR (9) N/A	MUNI9	
MUNI10 . Did they address your problem or request? (1) Yes (0) No (8) DK/DR (9) N/A	MUNI10	
MUNI11. How much influence do you think you have on what the municipality does? Would you say a lot, some, little, or no influence? 1. A lot 2. Some 3. Little 4. None 8. DK/DR	MUN11	

MUNI15. How interested do you think the Mayor is in the people's participation in the work of	MUNI15	
the municipality? [Read the options] (3) Very interested (2) Somewhat interested (1) Little		
interested (0) Not at all interested (8) DK/DR		

DELETE THE JC SERIES FOR COSTA RICA AND PANAMA EXCEPT JC15-JC16 THAT SHOULD APPLY TO ALL THE COUNTRIES.

Now let's change the subject. Some people say that in some circumstances a military take-over through a coup d'état would be justified. In your opinion would a military coup be justified in the following circumstances? [Read the options after each question]:

JC1. When there is high unemployment.	(1) A military take-over would be justified	(2) A military take- over would not be justified	(8) DK	JC1
JC4. When there are many social protests.	(1) It would be justified	(2) It would not be justified	(8) DK	JC4
JC10. When there is a lot of crime.	(1) It would be justified	(2) It would not be justified	(8) DK	JC10
JC12 . When there is high inflation, with excessive price increases.	(1) It would be justified	(2) It would not be justified	(8) DK	JC12
JC13. When there is a lot of corruption.	(1) It would be justified	(2) It would not be justified	(8) DK	JC13

JC15. Do you think that sometimes there can be sufficient grounds for the President to close down the Congress or do you think there can never be a sufficient reason to do so?	(1) Yes	(2) No	(8)	JC15	
JC16. Do you think that sometimes there can be sufficient grounds to dissolve the Supreme Court of Justice, ADAPT THIS TO EACH COUNTRY or do you think that there can never be sufficient grounds to do so?	(1) Yes	(2) No	(8)	JC16	

I am going to read various statements. Taking into account the current situation of the country, I would like you to tell me with which of the following statements do you agree with more? POP1. [Read the options] 1. It is necessary for the progress of the country that our presidents limit the voice and vote of the opposition parties. 2. Our presidents have to permit that the opposition parties enjoy all the liberty to oppose to the president's policies with their voice and vote, even if the opposition parties delay the progress of the country.	POP1
8.DK/DR POP2. [Read the options] 1. The Congress slows down the work of our presidents, and should be ignored. 2. Our presidents cannot ignore the Congress, even when it delays the work of the president. 8. DK/DR	POP2
POP3. [Read the options] 1. Judges frequently hinder the work of our presidents, and they should be ignored. 2. Even when judges sometimes hinder the work of our presidents, their decisions should always be obeyed. 8. DK/DR	POP3
POP4. [Read the options] 1. Our presidents should have the necessary power so that they can act in favor of the national interest. 2. The power of the president should be limited so that they do not endanger our liberties 8. DK/DR	POP4

POP5. [Read the options]	POP5	
1. Our presidents should do what the people want even when the laws prohibit him from doing it.		
2. Our presidents should obey the laws even when the people don't like it.		
8. DK/DR		

VIC1. Have you been a victim of any type of crime in the past 12 months? (1) Yes [continue] (2) No [go to AOJ8] (8) DK [go to AOJ8]	VIC1
VIC2. What kind of crime were you the victim of? [Read the options] (1) Robbery without physical aggression or threat (2) Robbery with physical aggression or threat (3) Physical aggression without robbery (4) Rape or sexual assault (5) Kidnapping (6) Damage to property (7) Home burglary (88) DK (99) N/A (was not a victim)	VIC2
AOJ1. Did you report the incident to any institution?	AOJ1
(1) Yes [Go to AOJ8] (2) Did not report it (8) DK/DR (9) N/A (was not a victim)	
AOJ1B. Why didn't you report the incident? [don't read the options]	AOJ1B
(1) It doesn't serve any purpose	
(2) It is dangerous and for fear of reprisal	
(3) Didn't have any evidence	
(4) It wasn't serious(5) Didn't know where to lodge a report(8) DK(9) Was not a victim	
AOJ8. In order to capture criminals do you think that the authorities should always respect the law or that on occasion they can operate at the margin of the law? (1) They should always respect the law (2) Can act on the margins occasionally (8)DK	AOJ8
AOJ11. Speaking of the place or neighborhood where you live, and thinking of the possibility of falling victim to an assault or a robbery, do you feel very safe, somewhat unsafe or very unsafe? (1) Very safe (2) Somewhat safe (3) Somewhat unsafe (4) Very unsafe (8) DK	AOJ11
AOJ11A. And speaking of the country in general, how much do you think that the level of crime that we have now represents a threat to our future well-being? [Read the options]	AOJ11A
(1) Very much (2) Somewhat (3) Little (4) None (8) NS/NR AOJ12. If you were a victim of a robbery or assault how much faith do you have that the judicial system would punish the guilty party? [Read the options]	AOJ12
(1) A lot (2) Some (3) Little (4) None (8) DK/DR AOJ16A. In your neighborhood have you seen anyone selling drugs in the past year? (1) Yes (2) No (8) DK	AOJ16A
AOJ17. To what extent do you think your neighborhood is affected by gangs? Would you say a great deal, somewhat, little or none? (1) A great deal (2) Somewhat (3) Little (4) None (8) DK	AOJ17

AOJ18. Some people say that the police in this neighborhood (village) protects people from criminals, while others say that it is the police that is involved in crime. What do	AOJ18
you think?	
(1) Police protects (2) Police involved in crime (8) DK	

Regarding the official dealings that you or someone from your family has had with the following institutions at some time, do you feel very satisfied, somewhat satisfied, somewhat dissatisfied or very dissatisfied? (REPEAT THE RESPONSE OPTIONS IN EACH QUESTION)

	Very satisfied	Somewhat satisfied	Somewhat dissatisfied	Very dissatisfied	[Don't read] Didn't have any official dealings	DK/DR		
ST1. The national police	1	2	3	4	9	8	ST1	
ST2 . The courts or justice tribunals	1	2	3	4	9	8	ST2	
ST3. The district attorney's office	1	2	3	4	9	8	ST3	
ST4. The municipality (mayor's office)	1	2	3	4	9	8	ST4	

[Give card "A" to the respondent]

Now we will use a card...This card has a 7 point scale; each point indicates a score that goes from 1, meaning NOT AT ALL, to 7, meaning A LOT. For example, if I asked you to what extent you like watching television, if you don't like watching it at all, you would choose a score of 1, and if, on the contrary, you like watching television a lot, you would indicate the number 7 to me. So, to what extent do you like watching television? Read me the number. [Ensure that the respondent understands correctly].

1	2	3	4	4	5	6	7	8
Not at all	•					•	A lot	Doesn't know

	Note down a number 1-7, or 8 for those who don't know
B1 . To what extent do you think the courts of justice in (country) guarantee a fair trial? (<i>Probe:</i> If you think the courts do not ensure justice at all, choose the number 1; if you think the courts ensure justice a lot, choose the number 7 or choose a point in between the two.)	B1
B2 . To what extent do you respect the political institutions of (country)?	B2
B3 . To what extent do you think that citizens' basic rights are well protected by the political system of (country)?	В3
B4 . To what extent do you feel proud of living under the political system of (country)?	B4
B6 . To what extent do you think that one should support the political system of (country)?	B6
B10A. To what extent do you trust the system of justice?	B10A
B11. To what extent do you trust the Supreme Electoral Tribunal?	B11

	Note down a number 1-7, or 8 for those who don't know
B12 . To what extent do you trust the Armed Forces? [Don't use in Costa Rica, Panama or Haiti]	B12
B13. To what extent do you trust the National Congress?	B13
B14. To what extent do you trust the Central Government?	B14
B15. To what extent do you trust the Public Ministry?	B15
B18 . To what extent do you trust the National Police?	B18
B20. To what extent do you trust the Catholic Church?	B20
B21. To what extent do you trust the political parties?	B21
B31. To what extent do you trust the Supreme Court of Justice?	B31
B32. To what extent do you trust the Mayor's office of your municipality?	B32
B43 . To what extent are you proud of being (nationality corresponding to country)?	B43
B16. To what extent do you trust the State Attorney General?	B16
B17. To what extent do you trust the Public Defender's Office?	B17
B19. To what extent do you trust the Office of the Auditor General?	B19
B33. To what extent do you trust the provincial prefecture?	B33
B37. To what extent do you trust the media?	B37
B40 . To what extent do you trust the indigenous movements?	B40
B42 . To what extent do you trust the Internal Revenue Service?	B42
B50. To what extent do you trust the Constitutional Tribunal?	B50
B46 [b45]. To what extent do you trust the Commission for Civic Vigilance against Corruption?	B46
B47. To what extent do you trust the elections?	B47

Now, using card "A", please answer the following questions

Now, on the same scale, to what extent would you say the current Government (continue with card A: 1-7 point scale)	Note down 1-7, 8 = DK
N1. To what extent would you say the current Government combats poverty?	N1
N3. To what extent would you say the current Government promotes and protects democratic principles?	N3
N9. To what extent would you say the current Government combats government corruption?	N9
N10. To what extent would you say the current Government protects human rights.	N10
N11. To what extent would you say the current Government improves citizen security?	N11
N12. To what extent would you say the current Government combats unemployment?	N12

[Collect card A]

/1 . Speaking in gwork being done by								nat the	M1	
l) Very good (2)	Good (3) Ne	either good n	or bad (fair)) (4) Bad (5) Very	bad (8) DK/DR			
Give card B]: Novam going to read sese statements.										
1	2	3	4	5	6)	7		8	
trongly disagree			S	Strongly agre	ee			Do	oesn't know	
				Note do	wn a n	umber	1-7, or 8	for those	e who don't	know
ING4. Democrac To what extent of			out it is bette	er than any c	ther fo	orm of g	overnmen	nt.	ING4	
PN2. Despite of what extent do y		s, we <mark>countr</mark>	<mark>y</mark> have mar	ny things tha	t unite	us as a	country.	То	PN2	
DEM23. There of disagree?	can be demo	cracy withou	ıt political p	arties. To wh	nat ext	ent do y	ou agree	or	DEM23	
	T CARD B									<u> </u>
PN4. In general the way in which (1) Very satisfied	n democracy	functions in	country?				ied or very		fied with	PN
PN5. In your opidemocratic? (1) Very democr (4) Not at all der	atic (2) S	<mark>ntry</mark> very der Somewhat de 8) DK/DR	•	mewhat der (3) Not ver		-	ery demo	cratic or	not at all	PN
Give the respond ow we are going at you strongly di at people can tak sapprove of peop	to use anoth isapprove ar ce to achieve	er card. The nd 10 means their politica	that you stal al goals and	rongly appro	ve. I a	m going	g to read y	ou a list	of some action	ons
1	2	3 4	5	6	7	8	9	10		88
trongly disappr	ove	l	I			Stroi	 ngly appro	l ove	Doesn't k	now
								1-10), 88	
5. That people pa									E5	
8. That people oblems.							commun	ity	E8	
11 . That people v	vork on elect	oral campai	gns for a po	olitical party of	or cand	lidate.			E 44	

E15. That people participate in the closing or blocking of roads.	E15	
E14. That people trespass on private property.	E14	
E2. That people take control over factories, offices and other buildings.	E2	
E3. That people participate in a group wanting to carry out a violent overthrow of an elected		
government.	E3	
E16. That people take the law into their own hands when the state does not punish		
criminals.	E16	

[Don't collect card "C"]

Now we are going to talk about some actions the State can take. We will continue using a 1-10 scale. Please use card C again. On this scale, 1 means strongly disapprove and 10 means strongly approve.

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 Strongly disapprove Strongly approve	88 Doesn't know		
	1-10, 88		
D32. To what extent do you approve or disapprove of a law prohibiting public protest?	D32		
D33 . To what extent do you approve or disapprove of a law prohibiting the meetings of any group that criticizes the country political system?	D33		
D34 . To what extent do you approve or disapprove of the government censoring television programs?	D34		
D36. To what extent do you approve or disapprove of the government censoring books in bublic school libraries?	D36		
D37. To what extent do you approve or disapprove of the government censoring any media hat criticized it?	D37		

The following questions are to find out your opinion about the different ideas of people who live in country. Please continue using the 10 point scale [card C].

1	2 3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	88
Strongly disapprov						Stra	naly ar	prove	Doesn't know

	1-10, 88
D1 . There are people who speak negatively of the country form of government, not just the incumbent government but the form of government. How strongly do you approve or disapprove of such people's right to vote ? Please read me the number from the scale: [Probe: To what extent?]	D1
D2 . How strongly do you approve or disapprove that such people be allowed to conduct peaceful demonstrations in order to express their views? Please read me the number.	D2
D3. How strongly do you approve or disapprove of such people being permitted to seek public office?	D3
D4 . How strongly do you approve or disapprove of such people going on television to make speeches?	D4

D5. And now, changing the topic and thinking of homosexuals, how strongly do you approve or	D5
disapprove of such people being permitted to seek public office?	

COLLECT CARD "C"

 DEM2. With which of the following statements do you agree with most: (1) For most people it doesn't matter whether a regime is democratic or non-democratic. (2) Democracy is preferable to any other type of government (3) In some circumstances an authoritarian government can be preferable to a democratic one. (8) DK/DR 	DEM2	
DEM11 . Do you think that our country needs a government with an iron fist, or that problems can be resolved with everyone's participation? (1) Iron fist (2) Participation for all (8) Doesn't respond	DEM11	

Others say that although things may not work, electoral democracy, or the popular vote, is always the best. What do you think? [Read] (1) We need a strong leader who does not have to be elected (2) Electoral democracy is the best (8) DK/DR		
PP1 . During elections, some people try to convince others to vote for some party or candidate. How often have you tried to convince others to vote for a party or candidate? [Read the options] (1) Frequently (2) Occasionally (3) Rarely (4) Never (8) DK/DR	PP1	

AUT1. There are people who say that we need a strong leader that does not have to be elected.

TT 1. During elections, some people by to convince others to vote for some party of candidate. How often	'''	1 1
have you tried to convince others to vote for a party or candidate? [Read the options]		
(1) Frequently (2) Occasionally (3) Rarely (4) Never (8) DK/DR		
PP2. There are people who work for some party or candidate during electoral campaigns. Did you work	PP2	
for any candidate or party in the last presidential elections of 2002?		
(1) Yes, worked (2) Did not work (8) DK/DR		
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Please tell me if you consider the following actions as 1) corrupt and liable to be punished; 2) corrupt but justified under the circumstances; 3) not corrupt. DC1. For example: A congressperson accepts a bribe of ten thousand dollars from a company. Do DC1 you think that what the congressperson did is [Read the options]: 1) Corrupt and should be punished 2) Corrupt but justified 3) Not corrupt DK=8 DC10. A mother of several children needs to obtain a birth certificate for one of them. In order not to **DC10** waste time waiting, she pays the municipal official amount and currency of country equivalent to \$5 USD. Do you think that what the woman did is [Read the options]: 1) Corrupt and should be punished 2) Corrupt but justified 3) Not corrupt DK=8 DC13. An unemployed individual is the brother-in-law of an important politician, and the politician uses **DC13** his influence to get his brother-in-law a job. Do you think the politician is [Read the options]: 1) Corrupt and should be punished 2) Corrupt but justified 3) Not corrupt DK=8

	No	Yes	DK	N/A		
Now we want to talk about your personal experience with things						
that happen in life						
EXC2 . Has any police official asked you for bribe during the last	0	1	8		EXC2	
year?						

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	No	Yes	DK	N/A	
EXC6 . During the last year has any public official asked you for a bribe?	0	1	8		EXC6
EXC11. During the last year have you had any official dealings with the municipality? If the answer is No → note down 9 If it is Yes→ ask the following: During the last year, to process any kind of document (like a license, for example), have you had to pay any money above that required by law?	0	1	8	9	EXC11
EXC13. Are you currently employed? If the answer is No → note down 9 If it is Yes→ ask the following: At your workplace, has anyone asked you for an inappropriate payment during the last year?	0	1	8	9	EXC13
EXC14. During the last year, have you had any business in the courts? If the answer is No → note down 9 If it is Yes→ ask the following: Have you had to give a bribe to the courts during the last year?	0	1	8	9	EXC14
EXC15. Have you used the public health services during the last year? If the answer is No → note down 9 If it is Yes→ ask the following: In order to be attended to in a hospital or a clinic during the last year, have you had to give a bribe?	0	1	8	9	EXC15
EXC16. Did you have a child in school during the last year? If the answer is No → note down 9 If it is Yes→ ask the following: Have you had to give a bribe at school during the last year?	0	1	8	9	EXC16
EXC17. Has anyone asked you for a bribe to avoid having the electricity turned off?	0	1	8		EXC17
EXC18. Do you think that the way things are, sometimes giving a bribe is justified?	0	1	8		EXC18
EXC19. Do you think that in our society giving bribes is justified because of the poor public services, or do you think it is not justified?	(0)	(1)	(8)		EXC19

EXC7 . Taking into account your own experience or what you have heard, corruption among	public	EXC7	
officials is [Read] (1) very common, (2) common, (3) uncommon, or (4) very uncommon	n? (8)		
DK/DR	**************************************		

Now we want to know how much information about politics and the country is transmitted to the people Gl1. What is the name of the current president of the United States? [Don't read, George Bush] (1)	GI1	
Correct (2) Incorrect (8) Do not Know (9) No Answer		
GI2 . What is the name of the President of Congress in country? [Don't read, insert name] (1) Correct (2) Incorrect (8) Do not Know (9) No Answer	GI2	
GI3. How many provinces does the country has? [Don't read, insert number of provinces] (1) Correct (2) Incorrect (8) Do not Know (9) No Answer NICARAGUA AND PANAMA ACCEPT WITH OR WITHOUT COMARCAS	GI3	
GI4. How long is the presidential term in country? [Don't read, insert number of years] ((1) Correct (2) Incorrect (8) Do not Know (9) No Answer	GI4	

GI5. What is the name of the president of Brazil? [Don't read, Luiz Inácio Lula da Silva, also accept	GI5	Ī
"Lula"]		
(1) Correct (2) Incorrect (8) Do not Know (9) No Answer		

VB1. Are you registered to vote? [El Salvador, Costa Rica, Panama, Peru: Do you have an Identity Card?] (1) Yes [Continue] (2) No [Go to VB10] (3) Being processed [Go to VB10] (8)	VB1
DK [Go to VB10]	
VB2. Did you vote in the last presidential elections?	
(1) Voted [Continue] (2) Did not vote [Go to VB4] (8) DK [Go to VB6]	
[NB; Write the first tree letters of the country name in the code of this question. For	ECUVB3
example, for Costa Rica, it should be COSVB3]	LCOVDS
XXXVB3 [VB3]. For which candidate did you vote for President in the last presidential elections?	
[DON'T READ THE LIST]	
0. No one (voted but left ballot blank or annulled their vote)	
1. INSERT NAMES AND PARTIES	
2. 3.	
77. Other	
88. DK/DR	
99. N/A (Did not vote)	
[IF VOTED, GO TO VB8] VB4. If you did not vote, why did you not vote in the last presidential	VB4
elections? [Note down only a single response]	
1 Lack of transport	
2 Illness	
3 Lack of interest	
4 Did not like any of the candidates	
5 Doesn't believe in the system	
6 Lack of an identity card	
7 Was not listed in the electoral rolls	
10 Was under the voting age	
11 Arrived late and polling station was closed	
12 Had to work	
13. Physical incapacity or handicap	
14. Other reason	
(88) DK/DR	
(99) N/A (Voted)	
[After this question, go toVB6]	
VB8. [For those who voted] When you voted, which of the following reasons was the more	VB8
important of your vote?	120
(1) The qualities of the candidate	
(2) The political party of the candidate	
(3) The plan of government of the candidate	
(8) DK (9) NA (Didn't vote)	
VB6. Did you vote for a deputy in the last elections?	VB6
	VDO
1. Yes [Continue] 2. No. [Go to VB10] 8. DK [Go to VB10]	VDT
[NB; Write the first tree letters of the country name in the code of this question. For	VB7
example, for Costa Rica, it should be COSVB7]	
XXXVB7. For which party did you vote for deputy in the last elections?	
1. INSERT LIST.	
2. 3.	
77. Other	
88. Doesn't know	
99. N/A (didn't vote)	

VB10. Do you currently identify with a political party?	VB10	1
(1) Yes [Continue] (2) No [Go to POL1] (8) DK [Go to POL1]		
[NB; Write the first tree letters of the country name in the code of this question. For example, for		
Costa Rica, it should be COSVB11]		
XXXVB11. Which political party do you identify with? [Don't read the list]		
1. (WRITE DOWN THE NAMES OF CURRENT POLITICAL PARTIES)		
2.		
3.		
4.		
88. DK		
99. NA		

POL1. How much interest do you have in politics: a lot, some, little or none?					
1) A lot 2) Some 3) Little 4) None 8) DK					
POL2. How often do you discuss politics with other people? (Read the options)	POL2				
1) Daily 2) A few times a week 3) A few times a month 4) Rarely 5) Never 8) DK					

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Now we are going to talk about some attitudes that people have. On a scale from 1 to 7, where 1 means strongly disagree and 7 means strongly agree , to what extent do you agree with the following statements?	Str.	. Agr		Scal	-	disag	jree	DK/ DR		
AA1 . A very effective way of correcting employees' mistakes is to reprimand them in front of other employees. To what extent do you agree with this practice?	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	AA1	
AA2 . The person who contributes most money to the home is the one who should have the final word in household decisions. To what extent do you agree?	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	AA2	
AA3 . At school, children should ask questions only when the teacher allows it. To what extent do you agree?	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	AA3	
AA4 . When children behave badly, the parents are occasionally justified in giving them a spanking. To what extent do you agree?	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	AA4	

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	ver felt discriminate ollowing places?	d or treated in an unjust manner because of your physic	cal appearance or the way you talk ir
DIS2: In go	vernmental offices (courts, ministries, city halls)	DIS2
(1) Yes	(2) No	(8) DK/NA	
DIS3: When you looked for a job in a company or business		DIS3	
(1) Yes	(2) No	(8) DK/NA	
DIS4: In me	etings or social eve	nts	DIS4
(1) Yes	(2) No	(8) DK/NA	
DIS5: In pul	blic places (in the st	reet, market)	DIS5
(1) Yes	(2) No	(8) DK/NA	

And now to end, I am going to ask you a few of ED. What was the last year of education you p	assed?								
Year (primary table below for the code]	, secondary,	universit	:y) =	1	total nur	nber of y	ears [Use t	he	
None	0						ED		-
Primary	1	2	3	4	5	6			
Secondary	7	8	9	10	11	12			
University	13	14	15	16	17	18			
Doesn't know/Doesn't respond	88								
Q2. What is your age in years?y	rears						Q2		1
Q3. What is your religion? [don't read option (1) Catholic (2) Non-Catholic Christian (including the Jehr (3) Other non-Christian (4) Evangelical (5) None (8) Doesn't know or doesn't want to say [Show the list of ranges on Card E] Q10. Into which of the following income range including remittances from abroad and the inc (00) No income (01) Less than \$25 (02) \$26-\$50 (03) \$51-\$100 (04) \$101-\$150 (05) \$151-\$200 (06) \$201-\$300 (07) \$301-\$400 (08) \$401-500 (09) \$501-\$750 (10)\$751-\$1,000 (11)\$1,001-\$1,500 (12)\$1,501-\$2,000 (13) Above \$2,000 (18) DK/DR COLLECT CARD E	ovah Witness	tal mont				ehold fit,	Q10		
Q10A. Does your family receive remittances for "No→ Mark 99, Go to Q10C; If "Yes" → Ask how much: 99. DK/DR							Q10A		
How much per month? (use the above codes Q10B. To what extent does this household de		ttances	from ah	road?			Q10B	1	
(1) A lot (2) Some (3) Little (4) Nothing (8)	•	ittui 1063	ab	Juu:			Q 10D		
Q10C. Do you have close relatives who lived [If answer "Yes", Ask where] (1) Yes, in the United States only (2) Yes, in the United States and in other (3) Yes, in other countries (not in the United) (4) No (8) DK/NA	countries ted States)				Ü		014		
Q14. Do you have any intentions to go to live 1) Yes 2) No 8) DK/DR	or work in an	other co	ountry in	the nex	ct three y	years?	Q14		

Q10D. The salary that you receive and the total family income : [Read the options] 1. Is enough, you can save	Q10D	
Is just enough, you can not save Is not enough, you can not pay your bills		
4. Is not enough, you can not cover your basic needs8. [Don't read] DK/DR		
Q11. What is your civil status? [Don't read options] (1) Single (2) Married (3) Common law marriage (4) Divorced (5) Separated (6) Widowed (8) DK/DR	Q11	
Q12. How many children do you have? (0 = none) DK8	Q12	

[NB; Write the first tree letters of the country name in the code of this question. For example, for Costa Rica, it should be COSETID] XXXETID. Do you consider yourself white, mestizo, indigenous, Afro-country (black), mulatto, or of another race?	ETID
(1) White (2) Mestizo (3) Indigenous (4) Black o Afro-country (5) Mulatto (7) Other (8) DK/DR	
[NB; Write the first tree letters of the country name in the code of this question. For example, for Costa Rica, it should be COSETIDA] XXXETIDA. Do you think your mother is or was white, mestizo, indigenous, black or mulatto? (1) White (2) Mestizo (3) Indigenous (4) Black (5) Mulatto (7) Other (8) DK/DR	ETIDA
[NB; Write the first tree letters of the country name in the code of this question. For example, for Peru, it should be PERLENG1] XXXLENG1. What language have you spoken at home since childhood? (accept more than one option) (1) Spanish (2) Indigenous language [NB; list the name of the most common indigenous languages (4) Other (indigenous) (5) Other foreign language (8) DK/DR	LENG1
NB; Write the first tree letters of the country name in the code of this question. For example, for Peru, it should be PERLENG1A] [Use only in Mexico, Guatemala, and Peru] XXXLENG1A. Was another language spoken in your house when you were a child? Which one? (Accept one option) (1) Spanish (2) Indigenous language [NB: list the name of the most common indigenous	LENG1A
languages] (4) Other (indigenous) (5) Other foreign language (7) None DK/DR [8]	
[To use only in Mexico, Guatemala, and Peru] LENG4. Talking about the language that your parents knew, your parents speak or spoke: (Interviewer: if one of the parents spoke only one language and the other a different one, mark 2.]	LENG4
Only Spanish [1] Spanish and indigenous language [2] Only indigenous language [3] Spanish and foreign language [4] DK/DR [8]	

To end, could you tell me if you have the following in your house: (read out all items]

R1. Television set	(0) No	(1) Yes	R1		
R3. Refrigerator	(0) No	(1) Yes	R3		
R4. Conventional telephone (not cellular)	(0) No		(1) Yes	R4	
R4A. Cellular telephone	(0) No		(1) Yes	R4A	
R5. Vehicle	(0) No (1) One	(0) No (1) One (2) Two		R5	
R6. Washing machine	(0) No		(1) Yes	R6	
R7. Microwave oven	(0) No		(1) Yes	R7	

R8. Motorcycle	(0) No	(1) Yes	R8	
R12. Drinking water	(0) No	(1) Yes	R12	
indoors				
R14. Indoor bathroom	(0) No	(1) Yes	R14	
R15. Computer	(0) No	(1) Yes	R15	

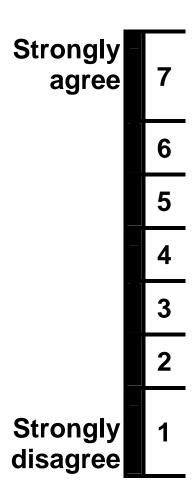
OCUP1. What is your main occupation? [Don't read the options; if R answers that they are not working or unemployed, ask what was their previous occupation (mark appropriate number) and then answer "NO" for the next question (OCUP4)]] 1. Professional, manager 2. Technician 3. Office worker 4. Sales person 5. Farmer 6. Farmhand 7. Artisan 8. Domestic servant 9. Other services 10. Skilled worker 11. Unskilled worker 12. Student [Go to MIG1] 13. Housewife [Go to MIG1] 14. Retired/with independent means [Go to MIG1]	OCUP1
88. DK	
OCUP4. Are you currently working? 1. Yes (Continue to next question) 2. No (skip to DESOC2) 8. DK/NR 9. N/A OCUP1A In this job are you: [Read the options]	OCUP1A
1. A salaried employee of the government or an independent state-owned enterprise? 2. A salaried employee in the private sector? 3. Owner or partner in a business 4. Self-employed 5. Unpaid worker 8. DK 9. N/A	
OCUP1B1 Besides you, how many employees are there in the place where you work? [Read Options] (1) Less than 5 employees (2) Between 5 and 9 employees (3) Between 10 and 19 employees (4) Between 20 and 100 employees (5) More than 100 employees (8) DK (9). N/A	OCUP1B1
OCUP1C. Do you have Medical insurance? 1. Yes 2. No 8. DK/DR 9. N/A	OCUP1C

DESOC2. IF RESPONSE IS "YES" OR WAS UNEMPLOYED =>For how many weeks during the last year were you unemployed?	DESOC2	
weeks (88) DK (99) N/A (Retired/with independent means)		
MIC4. During your shildhood subore did you mainly live? In the country? In a town? Or in a	MICA	
MIG1. During your childhood, where did you mainly live? In the country? In a town? Or in a city?:	MIG1	
1. In the country 2. In a town 3. In a city 8. DK/DR		
MIG2. where were you living 5 years ago? [Read options]	MIG2	
1. In the same municipality [Go to TI] 2. In another municipality in the country [Continue] 3. In another country [Go to TI] 8. DK/DR [Go to TI]		
MIG3. The place where you were living 5 years ago was: [Read options]	MIG4	
(1) A town or city smaller than this one		
(2) A town or city larger than this one(3) A town or city like this one		
(8) DK		
(9) NA (did not migrate)		
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Time interview ended :	TI	
TI. Duration of interview [minutes, see page # 1]		
These are all the questions I have. Thank you very much for your cooperation.		
I swear that this interview was carried out with the person indicated above.		
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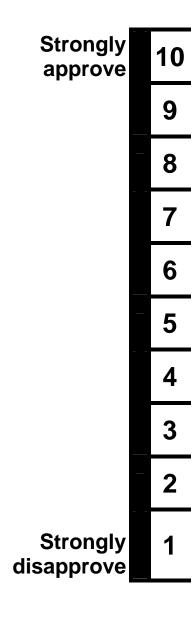
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Card "B"



Card "C"



Card E

- (00) No income
- (01) Less than \$25
 - (02) \$26-\$50
 - (03) \$51-\$100
 - (04) \$101-\$150
 - (05) \$151-\$200
 - (06) \$201-\$300
 - (07) \$301-\$400
 - (08) \$401-500
 - (09) \$501-\$750
 - (10) \$751-\$1,000
 - (88) DK