

# South Africa - Afrobarometer South Africa 2000

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# Overview

## Identification

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### ID NUMBER

zaf-idasa-afb-sa-2000-v1

## Version

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### VERSION DESCRIPTION

v1: Edited, anonymised dataset for public distribution

### PRODUCTION DATE

2002

## Overview

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### ABSTRACT

The Afrobarometer South Africa Survey 2000 was part of Round 1 of the Afrobarometer surveys, and includes data on the attitudes and opinions of the citizens of South Africa. Respondents were asked to rate South African President Mbeki and his administrations' overall performance and to state the most important issue facing the nation. Opinions were gathered on the role of the government in improving the economy, whether corruption existed in local and national government, whether government officials were responsive to problems of the general population, and whether local government officials, the police, the courts, the overall criminal justice system, the South African Defense Force, the media, the Independent Electoral Commission, and the South African Broadcasting Corporation could be trusted. Respondents were polled on their knowledge of government officials, their level of personal involvement in political, governmental, and community affairs, the inclusiveness of the government, and what their reactions would be to executive branch-sponsored government-imposed restrictions or prohibitions on the media, the judicial system, and parliament.

### KIND OF DATA

Sample survey data [ssd]

### UNITS OF ANALYSIS

The units of analysis for the South African Afrobarometer 2000 were individuals and households

## Scope

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### NOTES

The South African Afrobarometer 2000 covered the following topics:

Political opinions on the role of the government in improving the economy, whether corruption existed in local and national government, whether government officials were responsive to problems of the general

population, and whether local government officials, the police, the courts, the overall criminal justice system, the South African Defense Force, the media, the Independent Electoral Commission, and the South African Broadcasting Corporation could be trusted.

Economic questions on the country's and the respondent's economic condition, whether great income disparities are fair, and whether encouraging people to start small businesses would create more jobs.

Societal questions on trust in others, whether it is wise to plan ahead, whether everyone should be responsible for themselves and their own success or failure, what characteristics respondents used to identify themselves, whether it was easy to obtain assistance with securing food, water, schooling, and medical services, and by what methods respondents secured food, water, news, information, and medical services.

Background variables include age, home language, education, current employment status, employment history, family financial situation over the last 12 months, monetary support system, whether a close friend or relative had died from AIDS,

language used in interview, sex, ethnicity, type of physical disability, if any, type of housing, location of interview and respondent's attitude during interview.

## TOPICS

Topic	Vocabulary	URI
consumption/consumer behaviour [1.1]	CESSDA	<a href="http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common">http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common</a>
economic conditions and indicators [1.2]	CESSDA	<a href="http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common">http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common</a>
economic policy [1.3]	CESSDA	<a href="http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common">http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common</a>
employment [3.1]	CESSDA	<a href="http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common">http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common</a>
unemployment [3.5]	CESSDA	<a href="http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common">http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common</a>
conflict, security and peace [4.1]	CESSDA	<a href="http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common">http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common</a>
domestic political issues [4.2]	CESSDA	<a href="http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common">http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common</a>
government, political systems and organisations [4.4]	CESSDA	<a href="http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common">http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common</a>
crime [5.1]	CESSDA	<a href="http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common">http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common</a>
law enforcement [5.2]	CESSDA	<a href="http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common">http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common</a>
specific diseases and medical conditions [8.9]	CESSDA	<a href="http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common">http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common</a>
cultural and national identity [13.3]	CESSDA	<a href="http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common">http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common</a>
social conditions and indicators [13.8]	CESSDA	<a href="http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common">http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common</a>
social change [13.7]	CESSDA	<a href="http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common">http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common</a>
social behaviour and attitudes [13.6]	CESSDA	<a href="http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common">http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common</a>
specific social services: use and provision [15.3]	CESSDA	<a href="http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common">http://www.nesstar.org/rdf/common</a>

## Coverage

### GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE

The South African Afrobarometer Survey 2000 has national coverage.

### GEOGRAPHIC UNIT

The data for the Afrobarometer South Africa 2000 dataset is at country level only.

### UNIVERSE

The survey universe is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

## Producers and Sponsors

### PRIMARY INVESTIGATOR(S)

Name	Affiliation
Institute for Democracy in South Africa	

### FUNDING

Name	Abbreviation	Role
United States Agency for International Development Regional Center for Southern Africa	USAID	
USAID South Africa	USAID SA	

## Metadata Production

**METADATA PRODUCED BY**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Abbreviation</b>	<b>Affiliation</b>	<b>Role</b>
DataFirst		University of Cape Town	Metadata producer

**DATE OF METADATA PRODUCTION**

2011-06-24

**DDI DOCUMENT VERSION**

Version 1.1 (June 2011) This version includes variable descriptions

**DDI DOCUMENT ID**

ddi-zaf-datafirst-afb-2000-v1.1

## **Sampling**

### **Sampling Procedure**

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The survey used a multi-stage, stratified, area cluster probability sample

### **Response Rate**

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The survey had a response rate of approximately 90 percent

## Questionnaires

No content available

## Data Collection

### Data Collection Dates

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<b>Start</b>	<b>End</b>	<b>Cycle</b>
2000-07	2000-08	N/A

### Time Periods

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<b>Start</b>	<b>End</b>	<b>Cycle</b>
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### Data Collection Mode

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Face-to-face [f2f]

## Data Processing

No content available



## Data Appraisal

No content available

## File Description

# Variable List

## Afrobarometer SA 2000

Content	Variables in the Afrobarometer South Africa 2000 dataset include responses to economic questions about the past, present, and future of the country's and the respondent's economic condition, whether great income disparities are fair, and whether encouraging people to start small businesses would create more jobs. Also included are responses to questions on trust that can be placed in others, whether it is wise to plan ahead, responsibility, and characteristics respondents used to identify themselves, and methods respondents used to secure food, water, news, information, and medical services. Background variables in the dataset include age, home language, education, current employment status, employment history, family financial situation over the last 12 months, monetary support system, whether a close friend or relative had died from AIDS, language used in interview, sex, ethnicity, type of physical disability, if any, type of housing, location of interview and respondent's attitude during interview.
Cases	2200
Variable(s)	366
Structure	Type: Keys: ()
Version	Version 01
Producer	Institute for Democracy in South Africa
Missing Data	

## Variables

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V1	casenumb		contin	numeric	
V2	date	date of interview	discrete	character	Date
V3	q1	satisfaction with economic conditions	discrete	numeric	q1. At the moment, are you dissatisfied, neither dissatisfied nor satisfied, or satisfied with economic conditions in South Africa?
V4	q2	evaluation of economic conditions	discrete	numeric	q2. How do economic conditions in South Africa now compare to one year ago?
V5	q3	economic expectations	discrete	numeric	q3. What about in twelve months time? Do you expect economic conditions in South Africa to be worse, the same, or better than they are now?
V6	q4	evaluation of personal economic conditions compared to other south africans	discrete	numeric	q4. Would you say your personal economic conditions are worse, the same, or better than other South Africans?
V7	q4a	overall direction in the country	discrete	numeric	q4a. Would you say that the country is going in the right direction/ going in the wrong direction?
V8	q5a	how do you currently obtain food	discrete	numeric	q5a. Describe how you currently obtain the food you and your family eat each month
V9	q5b	how do you currently obtain food	discrete	numeric	q5b. Describe how you currently obtain the food you and your family eat each month
V10	q5c	how do you obtain food	discrete	numeric	q5c. Describe how you currently obtain the food you and your family eat each month
V11	q5d	how do you obtain food	discrete	numeric	q5d. Describe how you currently obtain the food you and your family eat each month
V12	q6a	what other methods would you use to obtain food	discrete	numeric	q6a. If you could no longer obtain food in this way, what other methods would you be most likely to use?
V13	q6b	what other methods would you use to obtain food	discrete	numeric	q6b. If you could no longer obtain food in this way, what other methods would you be most likely to use?

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V14	q6c	what other methods would you use to obtain food	discrete	numeric	q6c. If you could no longer obtain food in this way, what other methods would you be most likely to use? Is there anything else?
V15	q7a	what safety measures do you have for your home	discrete	numeric	q7a. Describe the things you currently rely on for the safety of your home
V16	q7b	what safety measures do you have for your home	discrete	numeric	q7b. Describe the things you currently rely on for the safety of your home
V17	q7c	what safety measures do you have for your home	discrete	numeric	q7c. Describe the things you currently rely on for the safety of your home
V18	q7d	what safety measures do you have for your home	discrete	numeric	q7d. Describe the things you currently rely on for the safety of your home
V19	q8a	what other methods would you use to protect your home	discrete	numeric	q8a. If you could no longer protect your home in this way, what other methods would you be most likely to use?
V20	q8b	what other methods would you use to protect your home	discrete	numeric	q8b. If you could no longer protect your home in this way, what other methods would you be most likely to use?
V21	q8c	what other methods would you use to protect your home	discrete	numeric	q8c. If you could no longer protect your home in this way, what other methods would you be most likely to use?
V22	q9a	how do currently obtain health care	discrete	numeric	q9a. Describe the things you currently do to obtain health care for yourself or your family
V23	q9b	how do currently obtain health care	discrete	numeric	q9b. Describe the things you currently do to obtain health care for yourself or your family
V24	q9c	how do currently obtain health care	discrete	numeric	q9c. Describe the things you currently do to obtain health care for yourself or your family
V25	q9d	how do currently obtain health care	discrete	numeric	q9d. Describe the things you currently do to obtain health care for yourself or your family
V26	q10a	what other methods do you use to obtain health care	discrete	numeric	q10a. If you could no longer get health care in this way, what other methods would you be most likely to use?
V27	q10b	what other methods do you use to obtain health care	discrete	numeric	q10b. If you could no longer get health care in this way, what other methods would you be most likely to use?
V28	q10c	what other methods do you use to obtain health care	discrete	numeric	q10c. If you could no longer get health care in this way, what other methods would you be most likely to use?
V29	q11a	how do you normally obtain cash income	discrete	numeric	q11a. If you could no longer get health care in this way, what other methods would you be most likely to use?
V30	q11b	how do you normally obtain cash income	discrete	numeric	q11b. If you could no longer get health care in this way, what other methods would you be most likely to use?
V31	q11c	how do you normally obtain cash income	discrete	numeric	q11c. If you could no longer get health care in this way, what other methods would you be most likely to use?
V32	q11d	how do you normally obtain cash income	discrete	numeric	q11d. If you could no longer get health care in this way, what other methods would you be most likely to use?
V33	q12a	what other methods do you use to obtain cash	discrete	numeric	q12a. If you could no longer get a cash income in this way, what other methods would you be most likely to use?
V34	q12b	what other methods do you use to obtain cash	discrete	numeric	q12b. If you could no longer get a cash income in this way, what other methods would you be most likely to use?
V35	q12c	what other methods do you use to obtain cash	discrete	numeric	q12c. If you could no longer get a cash income in this way, what other methods would you be most likely to use?
V36	q13a	how often have you gone without enough food to eat	discrete	numeric	q13a. In the last twelve months, how often have you or your family gone without enough food to eat?
V37	q13b	how often have you felt unsafe from crime in your home	discrete	numeric	q13b. In the last twelve months, how often have you or your family felt unsafe from crime in your home?
V38	q13c	how often have you gone without necessary medical treatment	discrete	numeric	q13c. In the last twelve months, how often have you or your family gone without medicine or medical treatment that you needed?

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V39	q13d	how often have you gone without a cash income	discrete	numeric	q13d. In the last twelve months, how often have you or your family gone without a cash income?
V40	q13e	how often have you gone without enough clean water to drink	discrete	numeric	q13e. In the last twelve months, how often have you or your family gone without enough clean water to drink and cook with?
V41	q13f	how often have you gone without shelter	discrete	numeric	q13f. In the last twelve months, how often have you or your family gone without shelter?
V42	q13g	how often have you gone without electricity in your home	discrete	numeric	q13g. In the last twelve months, how often have you or your family gone without electricity in your home?
V43	q13h	how often did you have insufficient fuel to heat your home and cook your food	discrete	numeric	q13h. In the last twelve months, how often have you or your family gone without enough fuel to heat your home or cook your food?
V44	q14a	physical health reduce amount of work	discrete	numeric	q14a. In the last month, how much of the time has your physical health reduced the amount of work you would normally do inside or outside your home?
V45	q14b	worried/anxious about tiredness felt	discrete	numeric	q14b. In the last month, how much of the time have you been so worried or anxious that you have felt tired, worn out, or exhausted?
V46	q15	is there a nearby school which your kids could attend	discrete	numeric	q15. Is there a school close by where you could afford to send your children?
V47	q16	do you have an electricity hook-up into home	discrete	numeric	q16. Do you have an electricity hook-up into this household?
V48	q17	do you have piped water into home	discrete	numeric	q17. Do you have water piped into your household?
V49	q18a	how often do you attend church group meetings	discrete	numeric	q18a. Over the past year, how often have you attended meetings of a church group (other religious services)?
V50	q18b	attend self-help association	discrete	numeric	q18b. Over the past year, how often have you attended meetings of a local self-help association (such as a stokvel, burial association or neighbourhood watch)?
V51	q18c	attend group concerned with local matters	discrete	numeric	q18c. Over the past year, how often have you attended meetings of a group concerned with local matters such as schools, housing or rates?
V52	q18d	attend local commercial organisation	discrete	numeric	q18d. Over the past year, how often have you attended meetings of a local commercial organisation such as a business group or farmers' association?
V53	q18e	attends group that looks after the community	discrete	numeric	q18e. Over the past year, how often have you attended meetings of a group that does things for the community?
V54	q18f	attend a trade union	discrete	numeric	q18f. Over the past year, how often have you attended meetings of a trade union?
V55	q19	people responsible for well-being vs govt. responsible	discrete	numeric	q18. Please tell me whether you most agree with Statement A or Statement B? STATEMENT A: People should be responsible for their own success and well being. Or: STATEMENT B: Government should bear the main responsibility for ensuring the success and well being of people.
V56	q20	free to earn vs limited income	discrete	numeric	q20. Please tell me whether you most agree with Statement A or Statement B? STATEMENT A: People should be free to earn as much as they can, even if this leads to large differences in income. Or: STATEMENT B: Government should place limits on how much rich people can earn, even if this discourages some people from working hard.

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V57	q21	start own business vs govt. employment	discrete	numeric	q21. Please tell me whether you most agree with Statement A or Statement B? STATEMENT A: The best way to create jobs is to encourage people to start their own large or small businesses. Or: STATEMENT B: The government should help to provide employment for everyone who wants to work.
V58	q22	new business risky vs invest to start business	discrete	numeric	q22. Please tell me whether you most agree with Statement A or Statement B? STATEMENT A: There is no sense in trying to start a new business because it might lose money. Or: STATEMENT B: If a person has a good idea for business, they should invest their own savings or borrow money to try and make it succeed.
V59	q23a	who should take responsibility for schools and clinics	discrete	numeric	q23a. In your opinion, who should take the main responsibility for providing schools and clinics? Is it government, private business, individuals, or some combination of these?
V60	q23b	responsibility for creating jobs	discrete	numeric	q23b. In your opinion, who should take the main responsibility for creating jobs? Is it government, private business, individuals, or some combination of these?
V61	q23c	responsibility for building houses	discrete	numeric	q23c. In your opinion, who should take the main responsibility for building houses? Is it government, private business, individuals, or some combination of these?
V62	q23d	responsibility for reducing crime	discrete	numeric	q23d. In your opinion, who should take the main responsibility for reducing crime? Is it government, private business, individuals, or some combination of these?
V63	q23e	responsibility for buying and selling gold	discrete	numeric	q23e. In your opinion, who should take the main responsibility for buying and selling gold? Is it government, private business, individuals, or some combination of these?
V64	q23f	responsibility to help farmers borrow money	discrete	numeric	q23f. In your opinion, who should take the main responsibility for helping farmers borrow money to improve production of livestock and crops? Is it government, private business, individuals, or some combination of these?
V65	q24	variety of goods at high prices vs shortages at low prices	discrete	numeric	q24. Please tell me whether you most agree with Statement A or Statement B? STATEMENT A: It is better to have a wide variety of goods and many goods in the market, even if prices are high. Or: STATEMENT B: It is better to have low prices, even if there are shortages of goods.
V66	q25	free health care low stds vs pay for better health care	discrete	numeric	q25. Please tell me whether you most agree with Statement A or Statement B? STATEMENT A: It is better to be able to visit clinics and get medicine for free, even if it means we cannot raise health care standards. Or: STATEMENT B: It is better to raise health care standards, even if we have to pay medical fees.
V67	q26	keep govt employees vs retrench govt employees	discrete	numeric	q26. Please tell me whether you most agree with Statement A or Statement B? STATEMENT A: The number of people who work for government should not be reduced, even if paying their salaries is costly to the country. Or: STATEMENT B: The government cannot afford so many public employees and should lay off / retrench some of them.
V68	q27	govt own factories vs privatization	discrete	numeric	q27. Please tell me whether you most agree with Statement A or Statement B? STATEMENT A: The government should retain ownership of its factories, businesses and farms. Or: STATEMENT B: It is better for the government to sell its businesses to private companies and individuals.
V69	q28a	what does democracy mean	discrete	numeric	q28a. What, if anything, do you understand by the word "democracy"? What comes to mind when you hear the word?

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V70	q28b	what does democracy mean	discrete	numeric	q28b. What, if anything, do you understand by the word "democracy"? What comes to mind when you hear the word?
V71	q28c	what does democracy mean	discrete	numeric	q28c. What, if anything, do you understand by the word "democracy"? What comes to mind when you hear the word?
V72	q29	who is the deputy president	discrete	numeric	q29. Can you tell me who presently holds the following offices? Deputy President
V73	q30	who is the minister of finance	discrete	numeric	q30. Can you tell me who presently holds the following offices? The Minister of Finance
V74	q31	member of parliament for this area	discrete	numeric	q31. Can you tell me who presently holds the following offices? Member of Parliament for this area
V75	q32	your local councillor	discrete	numeric	q32. Can you tell me who presently holds the following offices? Your local councillor
V76	q33	have you contacted govt official or political party official	discrete	numeric	q33. In the past year, have you contacted a government or political party official about some important problem or to give them your views? IF YES: Was it Just Once or Twice, A few times or Frequently.
V77	q34a	what type of official did you contact	discrete	numeric	q34a. What type of official was it?
V78	q34b	what type of official did you contact	discrete	numeric	q34b. What type of official was it?
V79	q34c	what type of official did you contact	discrete	numeric	q34c. What type of official was it?
V80	q34d	what type of official did you contact	discrete	numeric	q34d. What type of official was it?
V81	q34e	what type of official did you contact	discrete	numeric	q34e. What type of official was it?
V82	q35a	paid a govt. official to get a job	discrete	numeric	q35a. In the past year, have you or anyone in your family had to pay money to government officials (besides paying rates or taxes), give them a gift, or do them a favour, in order to get the following? IF YES: Was it Just Once or Twice, A few times or Frequently. (a) A Job
V83	q35b	paid govt. official to get a maintenance payment, loan or pension payment	discrete	numeric	q35b. In the past year, have you or anyone in your family had to pay money to government officials (besides paying rates or taxes), give them a gift, or do them a favour, in order to get the following? IF YES: Was it Just Once or Twice, A few times or Frequently. (b) A government maintenance payment, pension payment or loan
V84	q35c	paid govt. official to get water or electricity	discrete	numeric	q35c. In the past year, have you or anyone in your family had to pay money to government officials (besides paying rates or taxes), give them a gift, or do them a favour, in order to get the following? IF YES: Was it Just Once or Twice, A few times or Frequently. (c) Electricity or water
V85	q35d	paid govt. official to get housing or land	discrete	numeric	q35d. In the past year, have you or anyone in your family had to pay money to government officials (besides paying rates or taxes), give them a gift, or do them a favour, in order to get the following? IF YES: Was it Just Once or Twice, A few times or Frequently. (d) Housing or land
V86	q36	contacted any other influential person	discrete	numeric	q36. In the past year, have you contacted any other influential person such as a church or community leader about some important problem or to give them your views? IF YES: Was it? Just Once or Twice, A few times or Frequently.
V87	q37a	what type of influential person did you contact	discrete	numeric	q37a. What type of person was this?
V88	q37b	what type of influential person did you contact	discrete	numeric	q37b. What type of person was this?



ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V89	q37c	what type of influential person did you contact	discrete	numeric	q37c. What type of person was this?
V90	q38	local traditional leader, chief or headman	discrete	numeric	q38. Do you have a local traditional leader, chief or headman?
V91	q39	local chief interest in people	discrete	numeric	q39. How interested do you think your local chief is in what happens to you or hearing what people like you think?
V92	q40	how much of the time can the local chief be trusted	discrete	numeric	q40. How much of the time can you trust your local chief to do what is right?
V93	q41	how many chiefs or traditional leaders are involved in corruption	discrete	numeric	q41. How many chiefs or traditional leaders are involved in corruption?
V94	q42a	how often do you get news from radio	discrete	numeric	q42a. How often do you get news from the following sources? (a) Radio
V95	q42b	how often do you get news from tv	discrete	numeric	q42b. How often do you get news from the following sources? (b) Television
V96	q42c	how often do you get news from newspapers	discrete	numeric	q42c. How often do you get news from the following sources? (c) Newspapers
V97	q43	most people can be trusted vs you must be careful	discrete	numeric	q43. Generally speaking, would you say that most people can be trusted or that you can't be too careful in dealing with people?
V98	q44	discuss political matters with friends	discrete	numeric	q44. When you get together with your friends, would you say you discuss political matters ..... ?
V99	q45	do you follow what is happening in govt and public affairs	discrete	numeric	q45. Would you say you follow what's going on in government and public affairs?
V100	q46a	feel that you have little or no control over life	discrete	numeric	q46a. Do you agree, neither agree nor disagree, or disagree with the following statements? (a) You feel you have little or no control over what happens to your life
V101	q46b	insufficient info about political life and govt actions	discrete	numeric	q46b. Do you agree, neither agree nor disagree, or disagree with the following statements? (b) You think that you do not have enough information about political life and the actions of government
V102	q46c	sometimes political and govt affairs are too complicated to understand	discrete	numeric	q46c. Do you agree, neither agree nor disagree, or disagree with the following statements? (c) Sometimes political and government affairs seem so complicated that you can't really understand what's going on
V103	q46d	have to be careful what you do and say with regard to politics	discrete	numeric	q46d. Do you agree, neither agree nor disagree, or disagree with the following statements? (d) In this country, you must be very careful of what you say and do with regard to politics
V104	q47	way you vote will make a difference vs no difference	discrete	numeric	q47. Please tell me whether you agree more with Statement A or Statement B? STATEMENT A: No matter how you vote, it won't make things any better in the future STATEMENT B: They way you vote could make things better in the future
V105	q48	who is in power makes a difference vs no difference	discrete	numeric	q48. Please tell me whether you agree more with Statement A or Statement B? STATEMENT A: It is important who is in power because it can make a difference to what happens STATEMENT B: It doesn't really matter who is in power, because in the end things go on much the same
V106	q49	freeness and fairness of last national election	discrete	numeric	q49. On the whole, how would you rate the freeness and fairness of the last national election, held in 1999?
V107	q50a	most important problems to be addressed by govt	discrete	numeric	q50a. What are the most important problems facing this country that government should address?
V108	q50b	most important problems to be addressed by govt	discrete	numeric	q50b. What are the most important problems facing this country that government should address?

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V109	q50c	most important problems to be addressed by govt	discrete	numeric	q50c. What are the most important problems facing this country that government should address?
V110	q50d	single most important problem facing south africa	discrete	numeric	q50d. What are the most important problems facing this country that government should address?
V111	q51a	rating of previous system of govt	discrete	numeric	q51a. What grade would you give to: (a) The way the country was governed under apartheid?
V112	q51b	rating of current system of govt	discrete	numeric	q51b. What grade would you give to: (b) Our current system of government with regular elections where everyone can vote and there are at least two political parties?
V113	q51c	rating of future system (future)	discrete	numeric	q51c. What grade would you give to: (c) The political system of this country as you expect it to be in 10 years time?
V114	q52a	anyone can freely say what they think	discrete	numeric	q52a. Some people say that today, under our current system of government, our political and overall life is better than it was under apartheid. Others say things are no better, or even worse. For each of these following matters, would you say things today are worse, about the same, or better? (a) Anyone can freely say what he or she thinks
V115	q52b	can join any political organization they choose	discrete	numeric	q52b. Some people say that today, under our current system of government, our political and overall life is better than it was under apartheid. Others say things are no better, or even worse. For each of these following matters, would you say things today are worse, about the same, or better? (b) People can join any political organisation they choose.
V116	q52c	can live without fear of being arrested if innocent	discrete	numeric	q52c. Some people say that today, under our current system of government, our political and overall life is better than it was under apartheid. Others say things are no better, or even worse. For each of these following matters, would you say things today are worse, about the same, or better? (c) People can live without fear of being arrested by the police if they have not done anything wrong.
V117	q52d	free to choose who to vote for without feeling forced by others	discrete	numeric	q52d. Some people say that today, under our current system of government, our political and overall life is better than it was under apartheid. Others say things are no better, or even worse. For each of these following matters, would you say things today are worse, about the same, or better? (d) Each person can freely choose who to vote for without feeling forced by others
V118	q52e	everybody is treated equally and fairly by govt	discrete	numeric	q52e. Some people say that today, under our current system of government, our political and overall life is better than it was under apartheid. Others say things are no better, or even worse. For each of these following matters, would you say things today are worse, about the same, or better? (e) Everybody is treated equally and fairly by government.
V119	q52f	safe from crime and violence	discrete	numeric	q52f. Some people say that today, under our current system of government, our political and overall life is better than it was under apartheid. Others say things are no better, or even worse. For each of these following matters, would you say things today are worse, about the same, or better? (f) People are safe from crime and violence
V120	q52g	have adequate standard of living	discrete	numeric	q52g. Some people say that today, under our current system of government, our political and overall life is better than it was under apartheid. Others say things are no better, or even worse. For each of these following matters, would you say things today are worse, about the same, or better? (g) People have an adequate standard of living.

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V121	q52h	access to basic necessities	discrete	numeric	q52h. Some people say that today, under our current system of government, our political and overall life is better than it was under apartheid. Others say things are no better, or even worse. For each of these following matters, would you say things today are worse, about the same, or better? (h) People have access to basic necessities (like food and water)
V122	q52i	south africans are equal to each other	discrete	numeric	q52i. Some people say that today, under our current system of government, our political and overall life is better than it was under apartheid. Others say things are no better, or even worse. For each of these following matters, would you say things today are worse, about the same, or better? (i) South Africans are equal to one another
V123	q53	one party to stand for elections and hold office	discrete	numeric	q53. How much would you disapprove, neither disapprove nor approve, or approve of the following alternatives to our current system of government with at least two political parties and regular elections? If only one political party, or candidates from only one party, were allowed to stand for elections and hold office?
V124	q54	decisions to be made by council of elders, traditional leaders, chiefs	discrete	numeric	q54. How much would you disapprove, neither disapprove nor approve, or approve of the following alternatives to our current system of government with at least two political parties and regular elections? If all decisions were made by a council of Elders, Traditional Leaders or Chiefs
V125	q55	army to govern the country	discrete	numeric	q55. How much would you disapprove, neither disapprove nor approve, or approve of the following alternatives to our current system of government with at least two political parties and regular elections? If the army came in to govern the country?
V126	q56	president could decide everything	discrete	numeric	q56. How much would you disapprove, neither disapprove nor approve, or approve of the following alternatives to our current system of government with at least two political parties and regular elections? If parliament and political parties were abolished, so that the President could decide everything?
V127	q57	all decisions made by economic experts rather than by government	discrete	numeric	q57. How much would you disapprove, neither disapprove nor approve, or approve of the following alternatives to our current system of government with at least two political parties and regular elections? If all important decisions about the economy were made by economic experts rather than an elected government or parliament.
V128	q58	country returned to apartheid	discrete	numeric	q58. How much would you disapprove, neither disapprove nor approve, or approve of the following alternatives to our current system of government with at least two political parties and regular elections? If the country returned to the old system we had under apartheid?
V129	q59	govt elected by accepted procedures	discrete	numeric	q59. For each of the following statements, please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree? Our government was elected to power by accepted procedures.
V130	q60	govt exercises power in acceptable way	discrete	numeric	q60. For each of the following statements, please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree? Our government exercises power in an acceptable way
V131	q61	constitution expresses values and aspirations of south african people	discrete	numeric	q61. For each of the following statements, please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree? Our government exercises power in an acceptable way
V132	q62	govt should have the final decision	discrete	numeric	q62. For each of the following statements, please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree? Our government exercises power in an acceptable way

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V133	q63a	how well is govt creating jobs	discrete	numeric	q63a. How well would you say the government is handling the following matters? Would you say very well, fairly well, not very well or not at all well, or haven't you heard enough about this to have an opinion? a) Creating jobs
V134	q63b	how well is govt building houses	discrete	numeric	q63b. How well would you say the government is handling the following matters? Would you say very well, fairly well, not very well or not at all well, or haven't you heard enough about this to have an opinion? b) Building houses
V135	q63c	how well is govt ensuring that prices remain stable	discrete	numeric	q63c. How well would you say the government is handling the following matters? Would you say very well, fairly well, not very well or not at all well, or haven't you heard enough about this to have an opinion? c) Ensuring that prices remain stable
V136	q63d	how well does govt reduce crime	discrete	numeric	q63d. How well would you say the government is handling the following matters? Would you say very well, fairly well, not very well or not at all well, or haven't you heard enough about this to have an opinion? d) Reducing crime
V137	q63e	how well is govt improving health services	discrete	numeric	q63e. How well would you say the government is handling the following matters? Would you say very well, fairly well, not very well or not at all well, or haven't you heard enough about this to have an opinion? e) Improving health services
V138	q63f	how well does govt address the educational needs of all south africans	discrete	numeric	q63f. How well would you say the government is handling the following matters? Would you say very well, fairly well, not very well or not at all well, or haven't you heard enough about this to have an opinion? f) Addressing the educational needs of all South Africans
V139	q63g	how well does govt manage the economy	discrete	numeric	q63g. How well would you say the government is handling the following matters? Would you say very well, fairly well, not very well or not at all well, or haven't you heard enough about this to have an opinion? g) Managing the economy
V140	q63h	how well does govt deliver basic services like water and electricity	discrete	numeric	q63h. How well would you say the government is handling the following matters? Would you say very well, fairly well, not very well or not at all well, or haven't you heard enough about this to have an opinion? h) Delivering basic services like water and electricity
V141	q63i	how well does govt ensure that everyone has sufficient land	discrete	numeric	q63i. How well would you say the government is handling the following matters? Would you say very well, fairly well, not very well or not at all well, or haven't you heard enough about this to have an opinion? i) Making sure everyone has enough land
V142	q63j	affirmative action	discrete	numeric	q63j. How well would you say the government is handling the following matters? Would you say very well, fairly well, not very well or not at all well, or haven't you heard enough about this to have an opinion? j) Managing the economy
V143	q63k	fighting corruption in govt	discrete	numeric	q63k. How well would you say the government is handling the following matters? Would you say very well, fairly well, not very well or not at all well, or haven't you heard enough about this to have an opinion? k) Affirmative Action
V144	q63l	uniting sas into one nation	discrete	numeric	q63l. How well would you say the government is handling the following matters? Would you say very well, fairly well, not very well or not at all well, or haven't you heard enough about this to have an opinion? l) Fighting corruption in government
V145	q63m	narrowing income gap	discrete	numeric	q63m. How well would you say the government is handling the following matters? Would you say very well, fairly well, not very well or not at all well, or haven't you heard enough about this to have an opinion? m) Uniting all South Africans into one nation

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V146	q63n	how well is govt distributing welfare payments to those who are entitled to it	discrete	numeric	q63n. How well would you say the government is handling the following matters? Would you say very well, fairly well, not very well or not at all well, or haven't you heard enough about this to have an opinion? n) Narrowing the income gap between rich and poor
V147	q63o	making reparations to trc victims	discrete	numeric	q63o. How well would you say the government is handling the following matters? Would you say very well, fairly well, not very well or not at all well, or haven't you heard enough about this to have an opinion? o) Distributing welfare payments to those who are entitled to it (such as old age pensions, disability payments, child maintenance grants).
V148	q63p	preventing spread hiv	discrete	numeric	q63p. How well would you say the government is handling the following matters? Would you say very well, fairly well, not very well or not at all well, or haven't you heard enough about this to have an opinion? p) Making reparations to people identified as victims by the Truth and Reconciliation Commission.
V149	q63q	sas response to situation in zimbabwe	discrete	numeric	q63q. How well would you say the government is handling the following matters? Would you say very well, fairly well, not very well or not at all well, or haven't you heard enough about this to have an opinion? q) Preventing the spread of HIV / AIDS
V150	q64	how interested is the president in your well-being	discrete	numeric	q64. How interested do you think President Mbeki is in what happens to you or hearing what people like you think?
V151	q65	how much of the time can you trust the president	discrete	numeric	q65. How much of the time can you trust President Mbeki to do what is right?
V152	q66	what is your opinion of the presidents job performance	discrete	numeric	q66. What about the way President Mbeki has performed his job over the past twelve months?
V153	q67	how many govt officials do you think are involved in corruption	discrete	numeric	q67. How many officials in the government do you think are involved in corruption?
V154	q68	how interested is parliament in your well-being	discrete	numeric	q68. How interested do you think parliament is in what happens to you or hearing what people like you think?
V155	q69	how much of the time can you trust parliament	discrete	numeric	q69. How much of the time can you trust parliament to do what is right?
V156	q70	parliament's job performance	discrete	numeric	q70. What about the way parliament has performed its job over the past twelve months?
V157	q71	how many people in parliament involved in corruption	discrete	numeric	q71. What about corruption? How many people in parliament do you think are involved in corruption?
V158	q72	how many civil servants are involved in corruption	discrete	numeric	q72. How many civil servants, or those who work in government offices and ministries do you think are involved in corruption?
V159	q72a	how interested is provincial govt in your well-being	discrete	numeric	q72a. How interested do you think the _____ government is in what happens to you or hearing what people like you think?
V160	q72b	how much of the time can you trust provincial govt	discrete	numeric	q72b. How much of the time can you trust the _____ government to do what is right?
V161	q72c	premier's job performance	discrete	numeric	q72c. What about the way Premier [READ IN THE NAME OF THE PREMIER]_____ has performed his job over the past twelve months?
V162	q72d	provincial govt job performance	discrete	numeric	q72d. What about the way the _____ government has performed its job over the past twelve months?
V163	q72e	how many people in prov govt are involved in corruption	discrete	numeric	q72e. How many officials in the _____ government do you think are involved in corruption?
V164	q73	how interested is you local councillor in your well-being	discrete	numeric	q73. How interested do you think your local councillor is in what happens to you or hearing what people like you think?

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V165	q74	how much of the time can you trust your local govt	discrete	numeric	q74. How much of the time can you trust your local government to do what is right?
V166	q75	how has your local govt performed its job	discrete	numeric	q75. What about the way your local government has performed its job over the past twelve months?
V167	q76	how many officials in your local govt are involved in corruption	discrete	numeric	q76. What about corruption? How many officials in your local government do you think are involved in corruption?
V168	q76a1	likelihood of police catching and charging those committing serious crime	discrete	numeric	q76a1. What if a person like yourself committed a serious crime? How likely is it that the police would catch and charge them?
V169	q76a2	likelihood of court conviction	discrete	numeric	q76a2. If a person like yourself committed a serious crime and were charged by the police? How likely is it that a court of law would convict them?
V170	q76a3	likelihood of sars penalizing tax evaders	discrete	numeric	q76a3. What about if a person like yourself cheated and did not pay a tax that they owed the government (like a tax on income you get from sources other than a normal salary)? How likely is it that the Receiver of Revenue / South African Revenue Service would find out and penalize them?
V171	q76a4	illegal services: likelihood of council cutting services	discrete	numeric	q76a4. And if a person like yourself were to obtain their services without paying for them (like water and electricity), how likely is that your local council would find out and cut off their services?
V172	q76a5	rates evasion: likelihood of council cutting services	discrete	numeric	q76a5. Finally, what if they did not pay their rates? How likely is it that your local council would attach or repossess their property?
V173	q77a	comparison of current and past govt effectiveness	discrete	numeric	q77a. Is government today more, about the same or less effective in the way it performs its job as under apartheid?
V174	q77b	comparison of current and past govt interest	discrete	numeric	q77b. Is government today more, about the same or less interested in hearing what people like you think as under apartheid?
V175	q77c	comparison of current and past govt corruption	discrete	numeric	q77c. Is government today more, about the same or less corrupt as under apartheid?
V176	q77d	comparison of current and past govt trustworthiness	discrete	numeric	q77d. Is government today more, about the same or less trustworthy as under apartheid?
V177	q77e	able to enforce the law	discrete	numeric	q77e. Is government today more, about the same or less able to enforce the law as under apartheid?
V178	q77e1	life today compared to under apartheid	discrete	numeric	
V179	q78a	how much of the time can you trust the army	discrete	numeric	q78a. How much of the time can you trust the following institution to do what is right? a) South African Defence Force
V180	q78b	how much of the time can you trust the police	discrete	numeric	q78b. How much of the time can you trust the following institution to do what is right? b) South African Police Service
V181	q78c	how much of the time can you trust the courts of law	discrete	numeric	q78c. How much of the time can you trust the following institution to do what is right? c) Courts of law
V182	q78c1	how much of the time can you trust the criminal justice system	discrete	numeric	
V183	q78d	how much of the time can you trust the independent electoral commission	discrete	numeric	q78d. How much of the time can you trust the following institution to do what is right? d) Independent Electoral Commission
V184	q78e	how much of the time can you trust the south african broadcasting corporation	discrete	numeric	q78e. How much of the time can you trust the following institution to do what is right? e) South African Broadcasting Corporation

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V185	q78f	how much of the time can you trust press or newspapers	discrete	numeric	q78f. How much of the time can you trust the following institution to do what is right? f) Press / Newspapers
V186	q79	preference for democratic vs non-democratic govt	discrete	numeric	q79. With which one of these statements are you most in agreement? A, B or C? STATEMENT A: Democracy is preferable to any other kind of government. STATEMENT B: In some circumstances, a non-democratic government can be preferable to democratic government. STATEMENT C: For someone like me, a democratic or non-democratic regime makes no difference.
V187	q80	have you ever heard anything about the gear programme	discrete	numeric	q80. Have you ever heard anything about the government's Growth, Employment and Redistribution Programme (GEAR), or haven't you had a chance to hear or read about this yet?
V188	q81	gear programme's effect on everyday life	discrete	numeric	q81. What effect do you think GEAR has had on the way you live your life? Has it made it worse, had no effect, or made it better, or haven't you heard enough about this to say?
V189	q82	gear has helped vs hurt most people	discrete	numeric	q82. Here are two statements. Please tell me whether you agree more with statement A or B? (A) The Growth, Employment and Redistribution Programme (GEAR) has helped most people; only a minority have suffered. Or: (B) The Growth, Employment and Redistribution Programme (GEAR) has hurt most people and only benefited a minority.
V190	q83	besides being south african, which group do you feel you belong to	discrete	numeric	q83. Besides being South African, which specific group do you feel you belong to first and foremost?
V191	q84a	feel proud to be part of this group	discrete	numeric	q84a. Please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree with these statements a) You feel proud to be _____.
V192	q84b	want children to think of themselves as part of group	discrete	numeric	q84b. Please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree with these statements b) You would want your children to think of themselves as ____.
V193	q84b1	being part of this group is a very important part of how you see yourself	discrete	numeric	
V194	q84c	people belonging to this group are the best	discrete	numeric	q84c. Please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree with these statements c) Of all the groups in this country, _____ people are the best.
V195	q84d	stronger ties to group than to other south africans	discrete	numeric	q84d. Please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree with these statements d) You feel much stronger ties to _____s than to other South Africans.
V196	q84d1	this group is very different from other south africans	discrete	numeric	
V197	q84e	it makes you proud to be called a south african	discrete	numeric	q84e. Please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree with these statements e) It makes you proud to be called a South African.
V198	q84f	children should think of themselves as south african	discrete	numeric	q84f. Please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree with these statements f) You would want your children to think of themselves as South African.
V199	q84f1	being a sa is a very important part of how you see yourself	discrete	numeric	
V200	q84g	regardless of group you belong to, if you are sa, should be treated equally	discrete	numeric	q84g. Please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree with these statements g) All people who were born in this country, regardless of what group they belong to, should be treated as equal citizens of South Africa.

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V201	q84h	desirable to create a united sa out of all the groups	discrete	numeric	q84h. Please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree with these statements h) It is desirable to create one united South African nation out of all the different groups who live in this country.
V202	q84h1	it is possible to create a united sa nation	discrete	numeric	
V203	q85	your groups economic condition compared to others	discrete	numeric	q85. Are ____s' [R's IDENTITY GROUP] economic conditions worse, the same as, or better than other groups in this country?
V204	q86	identity treated unfairly by the govt	discrete	numeric	q86. To what extent are _____ [R's IDENTITY GROUP] people treated unfairly by the government?
V205	q87	govt more or less interested in what your group has to say	discrete	numeric	q87. In general, do you feel that people in government are less interested, or more interested in what _____s think compared to other groups, or is it about the same?
V206	q88	govt represents interests of all south africans or just one group	discrete	numeric	q88. Do you think that the government represents the interests of all South Africans, or of one group only?
V207	q89	which groups interest is mostly represented by govt	discrete	numeric	q89. Which group is that?
V208	q90	which is true for you with regards to the 1999 national elections	discrete	numeric	q90. With regard to the most recent, 1999 national elections, which statement is true for you?
V209	q91a	address problems facing the community with others	discrete	numeric	q81a. For each of these, please tell me whether you have engaged in this activity or not? a) Participate with others to address an important problem affecting the community or nation (other than an election).
V210	q91b	attend election rally	discrete	numeric	q91b. For each of these, please tell me whether you have engaged in this activity or not? b) Attend an election rally
V211	q91c	work for political candidate or party	discrete	numeric	q91c. For each of these, please tell me whether you have engaged in this activity or not? c) Work for a political candidate or party
V212	q91d	write a letter to newspaper	discrete	numeric	q91d. For each of these, please tell me whether you have engaged in this activity or not? d) Work for a political candidate or party
V213	q92a	claimed govt benefits to which you are not entitled	discrete	numeric	q92a. For each of these, please tell me whether you have engaged in this activity or not. a) Claim government benefits to which you are not entitled (like a pension, maintenance, or unemployment payment)
V214	q92b	avoid paying municipal/local rates	discrete	numeric	q92b. For each of these, please tell me whether you have engaged in this activity or not. b) Avoid paying municipal / local rates.
V215	q92c	avoid paying income taxes	discrete	numeric	q92c. For each of these, please tell me whether you have engaged in this activity or not. c) Avoid paying income taxes
V216	q92d	get services without paying	discrete	numeric	q92d. For each of these, please tell me whether you have engaged in this activity or not. d) Get services like electricity or water without paying for them
V217	q93a	attend a demonstration or protest march	discrete	numeric	q93a. For each of these, please tell me whether you have engaged in this activity or not. a) Attend a demonstration or protest march
V218	q93b	boycott rates, services and taxes	discrete	numeric	q93b. For each of these, please tell me whether you have engaged in this activity or not. b) Participate in a boycott of rates, services or taxes
V219	q93c	partake in sit-ins, disruption of government meetings	discrete	numeric	q93c. For each of these, please tell me whether you have engaged in this activity or not. c) Take part in a sit-in, disruption of government meeting or offices



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V220	q93d	use force or violent methods	discrete	numeric	q93d. For each of these, please tell me whether you have engaged in this activity or not. d) Use force or violent methods (such as damaging public property)
V221	q94	support for shutting down media	discrete	numeric	q94. If the government were to take the following actions, would you support it, neither support nor oppose, or oppose it? Shut down newspapers, or radio or television stations that were critical of it
V222	q95a	response to shutting down media	discrete	numeric	q95a. What if anything would you do about it?
V223	q95b	response to shutting down media	discrete	numeric	q95b. What if anything would you do about it?
V224	q95c	response to shutting down media	discrete	numeric	q95c. What if anything would you do about it?
V225	q95d	response to shutting down media	discrete	numeric	q95d. What if anything would you do about it?
V226	q95e	response to shutting down media	discrete	numeric	q95e. What if anything would you do about it?
V227	q96	support for dismissing judges	discrete	numeric	q96. If the government were to take the following actions, would you support it, neither support nor oppose, or oppose it? Dismissed judges who ruled against the government
V228	q97a	response to dismissing judges	discrete	numeric	q97a. What if anything would you do about it?
V229	q97b	response to dismissing judges	discrete	numeric	q97b. What if anything would you do about it?
V230	q97c	response to dismissing judges	discrete	numeric	q97c. What if anything would you do about it?
V231	q97d	response to dismissing judges	discrete	numeric	q97d. What if anything would you do about it?
V232	q97e	response to dismissing judges	discrete	numeric	q97e. What if anything would you do about it?
V233	q98	support for banning political parties	discrete	numeric	q98. If the government were to take the following actions, would you support it, neither support nor oppose, or oppose it? Banned political parties
V234	q99a	response to banning political parties	discrete	numeric	q99a. What if anything would you do about it?
V235	q99b	response to banning political parties	discrete	numeric	q99b. What if anything would you do about it?
V236	q99c	response to banning political parties	discrete	numeric	q99c. What if anything would you do about it?
V237	q99d	response to banning political parties	discrete	numeric	q99d. What if anything would you do about it?
V238	q99e	response to banning political parties	discrete	numeric	q99e. What if anything would you do about it?
V239	q100	support for the suspension of parliament and cancellation of next elections	discrete	numeric	q100. If the government were to take the following actions, would you support it, neither support nor oppose, or oppose it? Suspended the parliament and cancelled the next elections
V240	q101a	response to suspension of parliament	discrete	numeric	q101a. What if anything would you do about it?
V241	q101b	response to suspension of parliament	discrete	numeric	q101b. What if anything would you do about it?
V242	q101c	response to suspension of parliament	discrete	numeric	q101c. What if anything would you do about it?
V243	q101d	response to suspension of parliament	discrete	numeric	q101d. What if anything would you do about it?
V244	q101e	response to suspension of parliament	discrete	numeric	q101e. What if anything would you do about it?

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V245	q101a1	willingness to live under non-elected leader	discrete	numeric	
V246	q102	patience to deal with problems vs solve now	discrete	numeric	q102. Please tell me whether you agree more with Statement A or B? STATEMENT A: It will take years for our system of government to deal with the problems inherited from apartheid. Or: STATEMENT B: Our system of government ought to be able to deal with problems right now regardless of who caused them
V247	q103a	democratic society and majority rule	discrete	numeric	q103a. In order for a society to be called democratic, is each of these a) Majority rule
V248	q103b	democratic society and freedom to criticise the govt	discrete	numeric	q103b. In order for a society to be called democratic, is each of these b) Complete freedom for anyone to criticise the government
V249	q103c	democratic society and regular elections	discrete	numeric	q103c. In order for a society to be called democratic, is each of these c) Regular elections
V250	q103d	democratic society and at least 2 parties competing	discrete	numeric	q103d. In order for a society to be called democratic, is each of these d) At least two political parties competing with each other
V251	q103e	democratic society and basic necessities	discrete	numeric	q103e. In order for a society to be called democratic, is each of these e) Basic necessities like shelter, food and water for everyone
V252	q103f	democratic society and jobs for everyone	discrete	numeric	q103f. In order for a society to be called democratic, is each of these f) Jobs for everyone
V253	q103g	democratic society and equal education	discrete	numeric	q103g. In order for a society to be called democratic, is each of these g) Equality in education
V254	q103h	democratic society and small income gap	discrete	numeric	q103h. In order for a society to be called democratic, is each of these h) A small income gap between rich and poor
V255	q104	need a strong leader vs democracy always best	discrete	numeric	q104. Sometimes democracy does not work. When this happens, some people say that we need a strong leader who does not have to bother with elections. Others say that even when things don't work, democracy is always best. What do you think? STATEMENT A: Need Strong Leader STATEMENT B: Democracy always best
V256	q105	is south africa democratic?	discrete	numeric	q105. On the whole, is the way South Africa is governed
V257	q106	how satisfied are you with democracy in south africa	discrete	numeric	q106. Overall, how satisfied are you with the way democracy works in South Africa?
V258	q107a	most important changes about way country is governed	discrete	numeric	q107a. What are the most important things that need to be changed about the way we govern our country?
V259	q107b	most important changes about way country is governed	discrete	numeric	q107b. What are the most important things that need to be changed about the way we govern our country?
V260	q107c	most important changes about way country is governed	discrete	numeric	q107c. What are the most important things that need to be changed about the way we govern our country?
V261	q107d	most important changes about way country is governed	discrete	numeric	q107d. What are the most important things that need to be changed about the way we govern our country?
V262	q107e	most important changes about way country is governed	discrete	numeric	q107e. What are the most important things that need to be changed about the way we govern our country?
V263	q107f	most important changes about way country is governed	discrete	numeric	q107f. What are the most important things that need to be changed about the way we govern our country?
V264	q108	are you close to any political party	discrete	numeric	q108. Do you usually think of yourself as close to any particular political party?
V265	q109	which party are you close to	discrete	numeric	q109. Which party is that?
V266	q110	how close do you feel to this party	discrete	numeric	q110. Do you feel very close to this party, somewhat close, or not very close?

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V267	q110a1	trc was important for building a united sa nation	discrete	numeric	q110a1. Please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree with these statements. a1) The TRC initiative was important for building a united South African nation.
V268	q110a2	national reconciliation does not require intervention	discrete	numeric	q110a2. Please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree with these statements. a2) National reconciliation is a natural process -it does not require intervention.
V269	q110a3	reconciliation requires that south africans understand one another better	discrete	numeric	q110a3. Please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree with these statements. a3) National reconciliation requires that South Africans understand one another better.
V270	q110a4	national reconciliation requires material compensation for victims	discrete	numeric	q110a4. Please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree with these statements. a4) National reconciliation requires material compensation for victims of apartheid.
V271	q110a5	national reconciliation requires that people forgive one another	discrete	numeric	q110a5. Please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree with these statements. a5) National reconciliation requires that people forgive one another.
V272	q110a6	national reconciliation requires forgetting the past	discrete	numeric	q110a6. Please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree with these statements. a6) National reconciliation requires forgetting the past.
V273	q110a7	national reconciliation requires the healing of memories	discrete	numeric	q110a7. Please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree with these statements. a7) National reconciliation requires the healing of memories.
V274	q110a8	national reconciliation requires amnesty	discrete	numeric	q110a8. Please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree with these statements. a8) It is my responsibility as a citizen to contribute to the process of national reconciliation.
V275	q110a9	it is my responsibility as a citizen to contribute to the process of reconciliation	discrete	numeric	q110a9. Please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree with these statements. a9) National reconciliation requires amnesty as provided by the TRC.
V276	q111	how old were you on your last birthday	discrete	numeric	q111. How old were you at your last birthday or in which year were you born?
V277	q112	what is your home language	discrete	numeric	q112. What language do you speak most at home?
V278	q113	what is the highest grade, std, form completed	discrete	numeric	q113. What was the highest grade, standard or form you completed?
V279	q114	is your job part-time or full-time; looking for work	discrete	numeric	q114. Do you have a job that pays a weekly or monthly cash income? Is it full-time or part-time? And are you looking for a cash job (or looking for another one if you are presently working)
V280	q115	over the last 12 months have you been without a cash job more than a month	discrete	numeric	q115. In the past twelve months, have you been unemployed (that is, without a cash job) at any time for a period of at least one month or more?
V281	q116	for how many months were you unemployed	discrete	numeric	q116. How many months did this amount to?
V282	q117	do you do regular work without cash pay	discrete	numeric	q117. Do you do any regular work without getting paid cash? IF YES What type of job? Is this a part time or full time job?
V283	q118	what is your present or last occupation	discrete	numeric	q118. What is your present occupation or last occupation if unemployed?
V284	q119	type of occupation	discrete	numeric	q119. Would that be
V285	q120	do you know of a close friend or relative who died of aids	discrete	numeric	q120. Do you know a close friend or relative who has died of AIDS?

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V286	q120a1	national govt vote	discrete	numeric	q120a1. If there were elections for national government tomorrow, which political party or organisation would you vote for?
V287	q120a2	local govt vote - party	discrete	numeric	q120a2. Now with regard to the upcoming local government elections, please remember that local organisations other than political parties may stand for office. Please make a cross next to your choice of party or organisation.
V288	q120a3	local govt vote - candidate	discrete	numeric	q120a3. Would you vote for an independent candidate or for somebody affiliated with a political party or local organisation?
V289	q121	suburb	discrete	numeric	q121. Suburb
V290	q122	district/province	discrete	numeric	q122. Town/City
V291	q123b	country	discrete	numeric	q123b. Country
V292	q124a	language interview was conducted in	discrete	numeric	q124a. Which language/s was the interview conducted in?
V293	q124b	language interview was conducted in	discrete	numeric	q124b. Which language/s was the interview conducted in?
V294	q124c	language interview was conducted in	discrete	numeric	q124c. Which language/s was the interview conducted in?
V295	q125	respondents gender	discrete	numeric	q125. Respondent's gender
V296	q126	respondents race	discrete	numeric	q126. Respondent's race
V297	q127	did respondent have missing limbs	discrete	numeric	q127. Did the respondent have any physical disabilities? Missing limbs
V298	q128	was respondent blind, or nearly blind	discrete	numeric	q128. Did the respondent have any physical disabilities? Blind or nearly blind
V299	q129	did respondent cough repeatedly during the interview	discrete	numeric	q129. Did the respondent have any physical disabilities? Cough repeatedly during the interview
V300	q130	what type of shelter does respondent live in	discrete	numeric	q130. In what type of shelter does the respondent live?
V301	q131	did the household have windows	discrete	numeric	q131. Did the household have windows?
V302	q132	did household have glass in windows	discrete	numeric	q132. Did the household have glass in windows?
V303	q133	what was roof made of	discrete	numeric	q133. Was the roof made of?
V304	q134a	other adults present listening during the interview	discrete	numeric	q134a. Were there any other adults immediately present who might be listening during the interview?
V305	q134b	other adults present listening during the interview	discrete	numeric	q134b. Were there any other adults immediately present who might be listening during the interview?
V306	q134c	other adults present listening during the interview	discrete	numeric	q134c. Were there any other adults immediately present who might be listening during the interview?
V307	q135	did respondent consult others to answer questions	discrete	numeric	q135. Did the respondent check with others for information to answer any question?
V308	q136	did anyone influence respondents answers	discrete	numeric	q136. Do you think anyone influenced the respondents' answers during the interview?
V309	q137	what proportion of questions did respondent struggle with	discrete	numeric	q137. What proportion of the questions do you feel the respondent had difficulty answering?
V310	q138	where was interview conducted	discrete	numeric	q138. Was the interview conducted?
V311	q139	what was respondents attitude	discrete	numeric	q139. What was the respondent's attitude toward you during the interview?

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V312	q140	what was respondents attitude	discrete	numeric	q140. What was the respondent's attitude toward you during the interview?
V313	q141	what was respondents attitude during interview	discrete	numeric	q141. What was the respondent's attitude toward you during the interview?
V314	q142	what was respondents attitude during interview	discrete	numeric	q142. What was the respondent's attitude toward you during the interview?
V315	q143	what was respondents attitude during interview	discrete	numeric	q143. What was the respondent's attitude toward you during the interview?
V316	q144	what was respondents attitude during interview	discrete	numeric	q144. What was the respondent's attitude toward you during the interview?
V317	q145	did your presence arouse interest from neighbours	discrete	numeric	q145. Did your presence in the area arouse interest from neighbours?
V318	q146	did your presence arouse suspicion from neighbours	discrete	numeric	q146. Did your presence in the area arouse suspicion from neighbours?
V319	q147	did your presence arouse fear from neighbours	discrete	numeric	q147. Did your presence in the area arouse fear from neighbours?
V320	q148	were you approached by community/party representatives	discrete	numeric	q148. Were you approached by community and, or political party representatives?
V321	q149	did you feel threatened during interview	discrete	numeric	q149. Did you feel threatened during the interview?
V322	q150	were physically threatened during interview	discrete	numeric	q150. Were you physically threatened during the interview?
V323	q151	anything else significant happen during interview	discrete	numeric	q151. Did anything else significant happen during the interview?
V324	q152	interviewer number	discrete	numeric	q152. Interviewer number
V325	q153	q153. interviewer age	discrete	numeric	q153. Interviewer age
V326	q154	do you come from rural or urban area	discrete	numeric	q154. Do you come from a rural or urban area?
V327	q155	interviewers home language	discrete	numeric	q155. Interviewer's Home language
V328	q156	interviewers gender	discrete	numeric	q156. Interviewer's gender
V329	q157	interviewers race	discrete	numeric	q157. Interviewer's race
V330	q158	interviewers highest level of education	discrete	numeric	q158. Interviewers highest level of education
V331	q159	is there a post office in the primary sampling unit	discrete	numeric	q159. Are the following services present in the primary sampling unit / enumerator area (EA)? Post-office
V332	q160	is there a school in the primary sampling unit	discrete	numeric	q160. Are the following services present in the primary sampling unit / enumerator area (EA)? School
V333	q161	is there a police station in the primary sampling unit	discrete	numeric	q161. Are the following services present in the primary sampling unit / enumerator area (EA)? Police station
V334	q162	is there a regular bus or taxi service in the primary sampling unit	discrete	numeric	q162. Are the following services present in the primary sampling unit / enumerator area (EA)? Regular bus or taxi service
V335	q163	is there an electricity grid accessible to most houses	discrete	numeric	q163. Are the following services present in the primary sampling unit / enumerator area (EA)? Electricity grid that most houses could access
V336	q164	is there a piped water system accessible to most houses	discrete	numeric	q164. Are the following services present in the primary sampling unit / enumerator area (EA)? Piped water system that most houses could access
V337	q165	is there a sewage system accessible to most houses	discrete	numeric	q165. Are the following services present in the primary sampling unit / enumerator area (EA)? Sewage system that most houses could access

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V338	q166	is there a railway station	discrete	numeric	q166. Are the following services present in the primary sampling unit / enumerator area (EA)? Railway Station
V339	q167	is there a health clinic	discrete	numeric	q167. Are the following services present in the primary sampling unit / enumerator area (EA)? Health Clinic
V340	q168	are there recreational facilities	discrete	numeric	q168. Are the following services present in the primary sampling unit / enumerator area (EA)? Recreational facilities for eg a sports field
V341	q169	are there any places of worship such as churches, mosques	discrete	numeric	q169. Are the following services present in the primary sampling unit / enumerator area (EA)? Any churches, mosques, temples or other places of worship
V342	q170	are there any townhalls or community buildings	discrete	numeric	q170. Are the following services present in the primary sampling unit / enumerator area (EA)? Any townhalls or community buildings that can be used for meetings
V343	q171	is there a petrol station	discrete	numeric	q171. Are the following services present in the primary sampling unit / enumerator area (EA)? Petrol station
V344	q172	is there a bottle store	discrete	numeric	q172. Are the following services present in the primary sampling unit / enumerator area (EA)? Bottle store
V345	q173	is there a supermarket (food/clothing)	discrete	numeric	q173. Are the following services present in the primary sampling unit / enumerator area (EA)? Supermarket (food and/or clothing)
V346	q174	are there cafes, corner shops	discrete	numeric	q174. Are the following services present in the primary sampling unit / enumerator area (EA)? Cafes/corner shops/Spaza shops
V347	q175	are there any market stalls (selling food/clothing)	discrete	numeric	q175. Are the following services present in the primary sampling unit / enumerator area (EA)? Market stalls (selling food and/or clothing)
V348	q176	were there any police or police vehicles at psu or ea	discrete	numeric	q176. At the PSU / EA did you (or any of your colleagues ) see any policemen or police vehicles?
V349	q177	were there any soldiers or army vehicles	discrete	numeric	q177. At the PSU / EA did you (or any of your colleagues ) see any soldiers or army vehicles?
V350	q178	were there any pavements along roads	discrete	numeric	q178. At the PSU / EA did you (or any of your colleagues ) see any pavements along the roads or streets?
V351	q179	any household yards with crops/vegetables being grown	discrete	numeric	q179. At the PSU / EA did you (or any of your colleagues ) see any gardens or fields attached to households containing evidence of crops/vegetables being grown?
V352	q180	any household yards/fields containing livestock	discrete	numeric	q180. At the PSU / EA did you (or any of your colleagues ) see any yards or fields attached to households containing livestock such as goats, sheep, cows or horses?
V353	q181	any household yards/fields with trees higher than one storey	discrete	numeric	q181. At the PSU / EA did you (or any of your colleagues ) see any yards, gardens or fields attached to households within trees growing in them that were larger than one storey in height?
V354	q182	how many formal houses in psu	discrete	numeric	q182. How many houses within the primary sampling unit are formal houses?
V355	q183	type of area in which interview was conducted in	discrete	numeric	q183. Type of area in which interview was conducted
V356	q184	was the psu clearly sign-posted the last 10km of journey	discrete	numeric	q184. Was the PSU clearly sign posted along the last 10km of your journey?
V357	q185	any stop gives way signs along last 10km of journey	discrete	numeric	q185. Were there any stop/give way signs along the last 10km of your journey?
V358	q186	any traffic lights or robots along last 10km of journey	discrete	numeric	q186. Were there any traffic lights/robots along the last 10km of your journey?
V359	q187	were they in working order	discrete	numeric	q187. If yes above [q186], were all of them in working order?

ID	Name	Label	Type	Format	Question
V360	q188	did you see a water-filled river in last 10km of journey	discrete	numeric	q188. Did you (or any of your colleagues) see a water-filled river during the last 1km of your journey?
V361	q189	did you see a water-filled dam or lake in last 10km of journey	discrete	numeric	q189. Did you (or any of your colleagues) see a water-filled dam or lake during the last 1km of your journey?
V362	q190	how much of the last 10km was graded sand/dirt roads	discrete	numeric	q190. Roughly how much of the last 10km of your journey were spent on these different sorts of roads? Graded sand/dirt roads
V363	q191	how much of the last 10km was ungraded dirt roads	discrete	numeric	q191. Roughly how much of the last 10km of your journey were spent on these different sorts of roads? Ungraded dirt roads
V364	q192	how much of the last 10km was spent off road	discrete	numeric	q192. Roughly how much of the last 10km of your journey were spent on these different sorts of roads? Off road
V365	q193	how much of the last 10km was spent on tarred/concrete	discrete	numeric	q193. Roughly how much of the last 10km of your journey were spent on these different sorts of roads? Tarred or concrete roads
V366	weight		contin	numeric	





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**Overview**

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**date of interview (date)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

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**Description**

Date of interview

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

Date

**satisfaction with economic conditions (q1)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
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Range: 1-99	

**Description**

Satisfaction with economic conditions in South Africa

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q1. At the moment, are you dissatisfied, neither dissatisfied nor satisfied, or satisfied with economic conditions in South Africa?

**Interviewer instructions**

PROBE FOR STRENGTH OF OPINION

**evaluation of economic conditions (q2)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
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## evaluation of economic conditions (q2)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Description

Evaluation of economic conditions in South Africa

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q2. How do economic conditions in South Africa now compare to one year ago?

### Interviewer instructions

READ OUT RESPONSE OPTIONS

## economic expectations (q3)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
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Range: 1-99

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### Description

Expectation of economic conditions in twelve months time

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q3. What about in twelve months time? Do you expect economic conditions in South Africa to be worse, the same, or better than they are now?

### Interviewer instructions

PROBE FOR STRENGTH OF OPINION

## evaluation of personal economic conditions compared to other south africans (q4)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
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### Description

Evaluation of personal economic conditions compared to other South Africans

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q4. Would you say your personal economic conditions are worse, the same, or better than other South Africans?

### Interviewer instructions

PROBE FOR STRENGTH OF OPINION

## overall direction in the country (q4a)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
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### Description

Respondent's opinion of the direction in which the country is headed

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q4a. Would you say that the country is going in the right direction/ going in the wrong direction?

### Interviewer instructions

READ OUT RESPONSE OPTIONS

## how do you currently obtain food (q5a)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
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### Description

Method by which the family obtain food to eat each month

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Pre question

RECORD UP TO FOUR ANSWERS

### Literal question

q5a. Describe how you currently obtain the food you and your family eat each month

### Interviewer instructions

RECORD UP TO FOUR ANSWERS

## how do you currently obtain food (q5b)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
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### Description

Method by which the family obtain food to eat each month

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q5b. Describe how you currently obtain the food you and your family eat each month

**how do you obtain food (q5c)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

**Description**

Method by which the family obtain food to eat each month

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q5c. Describe how you currently obtain the food you and your family eat each month

**how do you obtain food (q5d)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
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Range: 1-99	

**Description**

Method by which the family obtain food to eat each month

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q5d. Describe how you currently obtain the food you and your family eat each month

**what other methods would you use to obtain food (q6a)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
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**Description**

Other methods most likely to be used to obtain food if the methods provided in q5 fails

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q6a. If you could no longer obtain food in this way, what other methods would you be most likely to use?

**Interviewer instructions**

RECORD UP TO THREE ANSWERS

**what other methods would you use to obtain food (q6b)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**what other methods would you use to obtain food (q6b)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

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**Description**

Other methods most likely to be used to obtain food if the methods provided in q5 fails

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q6b. If you could no longer obtain food in this way, what other methods would you be most likely to use?

**what other methods would you use to obtain food (q6c)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

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**Description**

Other methods most likely to be used to obtain food if the methods provided in q5 fails

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q6c. If you could no longer obtain food in this way, what other methods would you be most likely to use? Is there anything else?

**what safety measures do you have for your home (q7a)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

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**Description**

Safety measures for home

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q7a. Describe the things you currently rely on for the safety of your home

**Interviewer instructions**

RECORD UP TO FOUR ANSWERS

**what safety measures do you have for your home (q7b)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
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**Description**

Safety measures for home

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q7b. Describe the things you currently rely on for the safety of your home

**what safety measures do you have for your home (q7c)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

**Description**

Safety measures for home

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q7c. Describe the things you currently rely on for the safety of your home

**what safety measures do you have for your home (q7d)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
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Range: 1-99	

**Description**

Safety measures for home

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q7d. Describe the things you currently rely on for the safety of your home

**what other methods would you use to protect your home (q8a)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

**what other methods would you use to protect your home (q8a)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

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**Description**

Other methods most likely to be used for the safety of home if methods provided in q7 fails

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q8a. If you could no longer protect your home in this way, what other methods would you be most likely to use?

**Interviewer instructions**

RECORD UP TO THREE ANSWERS

**what other methods would you use to protect your home (q8b)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
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 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
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**Description**

Other methods most likely to be used for the safety of home if methods provided in q7 fails

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q8b. If you could no longer protect your home in this way, what other methods would you be most likely to use?

**what other methods would you use to protect your home (q8c)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
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**Description**

Other methods most likely to be used for the safety of home if methods provided in q7 fails

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q8c. If you could no longer protect your home in this way, what other methods would you be most likely to use?

**how do currently obtain health care (q9a)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

**how do currently obtain health care (q9a)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
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**Description**

Methods of obtaining health care for the respondent/ the family

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q9a. Describe the things you currently do to obtain health care for yourself or your family

**Interviewer instructions**

RECORD UP TO FOUR ANSWERS

**how do currently obtain health care (q9b)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
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 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
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**Description**

Methods of obtaining health care for the respondent/ the family

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q9b. Describe the things you currently do to obtain health care for yourself or your family

**how do currently obtain health care (q9c)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
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Valid cases: 2200  
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**Description**

Methods of obtaining health care for the respondent/ the family

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q9c. Describe the things you currently do to obtain health care for yourself or your family

**how do currently obtain health care (q9d)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**



**how do currently obtain health care (q9d)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

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Valid cases: 2200  
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**Description**

Methods of obtaining health care for the respondent/ the family

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q9d. Describe the things you currently do to obtain health care for yourself or your family

**what other methods do you use to obtain health care (q10a)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
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Valid cases: 2200  
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**Description**

Other methods most likely to be used to get health care for the family if methods in q9 fails

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q10a. If you could no longer get health care in this way, what other methods would you be most likely to use?

**Interviewer instructions**

RECORD UP TO THREE ANSWERS

**what other methods do you use to obtain health care (q10b)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
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Valid cases: 2200  
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**Description**

Other methods most likely to be used to get health care for the family if methods in q9 fails

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q10b. If you could no longer get health care in this way, what other methods would you be most likely to use?

**what other methods do you use to obtain health care (q10c)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

## what other methods do you use to obtain health care (q10c)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
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Valid cases: 2200  
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### Description

Other methods most likely to be used to get health care for the family if methods in q9 fails

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q10c. If you could no longer get health care in this way, what other methods would you be most likely to use?

## how do you normally obtain cash income (q11a)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
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### Description

Method normally used to obtain cash income

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q11a. If you could no longer get health care in this way, what other methods would you be most likely to use?

### Interviewer instructions

RECORD UP TO THREE ANSWERS

## how do you normally obtain cash income (q11b)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Method normally used to obtain cash income

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q11b. If you could no longer get health care in this way, what other methods would you be most likely to use?

## how do you normally obtain cash income (q11c)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

## how do you normally obtain cash income (q11c)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Method normally used to obtain cash income

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q11c. If you could no longer get health care in this way, what other methods would you be most likely to use?

## how do you normally obtain cash income (q11d)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
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### Description

Method normally used to obtain cash income

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q11d. If you could no longer get health care in this way, what other methods would you be most likely to use?

## what other methods do you use to obtain cash (q12a)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
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### Description

Other methods most likely to be used to get cash income if methods in q11 fails

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q12a. If you could no longer get a cash income in this way, what other methods would you be most likely to use?

### Interviewer instructions

ACCEPT UP TO THREE ANSWERS

## what other methods do you use to obtain cash (q12b)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

**what other methods do you use to obtain cash (q12b)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Other methods most likely to be used to get cash income if methods in q11 fails

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q12b. If you could no longer get a cash income in this way, what other methods would you be most likely to use?

**what other methods do you use to obtain cash (q12c)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
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 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
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**Description**

Other methods most likely to be used to get cash income if methods in q11 fails

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q12c. If you could no longer get a cash income in this way, what other methods would you be most likely to use?

**how often have you gone without enough food to eat (q13a)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
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**Description**

Frequency of which the family has gone without enough food to eat in the last twelve months

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q13a. In the last twelve months, how often have you or your family gone without enough food to eat?

**how often have you felt unsafe from crime in your home (q13b)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

## how often have you felt unsafe from crime in your home (q13b)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Frequency of which the family felt unsafe from crime at home in the last twelve months

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q13b. In the last twelve months, how often have you or your family felt unsafe from crime in your home?

## how often have you gone without necessary medical treatment (q13c)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Frequency of which the family has gone without medicine or medical treatment that they needed in the last twelve months

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q13c. In the last twelve months, how often have you or your family gone without medicine or medical treatment that you needed?

## how often have you gone without a cash income (q13d)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Frequency of which the family has gone without a cash income in the last twelve months

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q13d. In the last twelve months, how often have you or your family gone without a cash income?

## how often have you gone without enough clean water to drink (q13e)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

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File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Frequency of which the family has gone without enough clean waterto drink and cook with in the last twelve months

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q13e. In the last twelve months, how often have you or your family gone without enough clean water to drink and cook with?

## how often have you gone without shelter (q13f)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Frequency of which the family has gone without shelter in the last twelve months

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q13f. In the last twelve months, how often have you or your family gone without shelter?

## how often have you gone without electricity in your home (q13g)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Frequency of which the family has gone without electricity at home in the last twelve months

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q13g. In the last twelve months, how often have you or your family gone without electricity in your home?

## how often did you have insufficient fuel to heat your home and cook your food (q13h)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Frequency of which the family has gone without enough fuel to heat at home or cook food in the last twelve months

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q13h. In the last twelve months, how often have you or your family gone without enough fuel to heat your home or cook your food?

## physical health reduce amount of work (q14a)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Frequency of which physical health reduced amount of work normally done

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q14a. In the last month, how much of the time has your physical health reduced the amount of work you would normally do inside or outside your home?

## worried/anxious about tiredness felt (q14b)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

How often respondent's anxiety has made them feel tired

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q14b. In the last month, how much of the time have you been so worried or anxious that you have felt tired, worn out, or exhausted?

## is there a nearby school which your kids could attend (q15)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
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### Description

Information about whether there is a school close by where it is affordable to send children

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q15. Is there a school close by where you could afford to send your children?

## do you have an electricity hook-up into home (q16)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
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Range: 1-99	

### Description

Information about whether the household has electricity

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q16. Do you have an electricity hook-up into this household?

## do you have piped water into home (q17)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
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Range: 1-99	

### Description

Information about whether the household has piped water.

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q17. Do you have water piped into your household?

## how often do you attend church group meetings (q18a)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview



## how often do you attend church group meetings (q18a)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
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Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
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### Description

Frequency of attendance of meetings with church group or of other religious services

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q18a. Over the past year, how often have you attended meetings of a church group (other religious services)?

## attend self-help association (q18b)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
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### Description

Frequency of attendance of meetings of a local self-help association.

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q18b. Over the past year, how often have you attended meetings of a local self-help association (such as a stokvel, burial association or neighbourhood watch)?

## attend group concerned with local matters (q18c)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
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### Description

Frequency of attendance of meetings of a group concerned with local matters.

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q18c. Over the past year, how often have you attended meetings of a group concerned with local matters such as schools, housing or rates?

## attend local commercial organisation (q18d)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

**attend local commercial organisation (q18d)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
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 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
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**Description**

Frequency of attendance of meetings of a local commercial organisation

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q18d. Over the past year, how often have you attended meetings of a local commercial organisation such as a business group or farmers' association?

**attends group that looks after the community (q18e)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
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 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
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**Description**

Frequency of attendance of meetings of a group that does things for the community

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q18e. Over the past year, how often have you attended meetings of a group that does things for the community?

**attend a trade union (q18f)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
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**Description**

Frequency of attendance of meetings of a trade union

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q18f. Over the past year, how often have you attended meetings of a trade union?

**people responsible for well-being vs govt. responsible (q19)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

## people responsible for well-being vs govt. responsible (q19)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Opinion about whether people should be responsible for their own success and well being or the government should bear the main responsibility

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q18. Please tell me whether you most agree with Statement A or Statement B?

STATEMENT A: People should be responsible for their own success and well being. Or:

STATEMENT B: Government should bear the main responsibility for ensuring the success and well being of people.

## free to earn vs limited income (q20)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Opinion about whether people should be free to earn as much as they can or that the government should place limits on how much people can earn

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q20. Please tell me whether you most agree with Statement A or Statement B?

STATEMENT A: People should be free to earn as much as they can, even if this leads to large differences in income. Or:

STATEMENT B: Government should place limits on how much rich people can earn, even if this discourages some people from working hard.

## start own business vs govt. employment (q21)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Opinion about whether people should be encouraged to start their own businesses or that the government should help to provide employment

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q21. Please tell me whether you most agree with Statement A or Statement B?

STATEMENT A: The best way to create jobs is to encourage people to start their own large or small businesses. Or:

STATEMENT B: The government should help to provide employment for everyone who wants to work.

## new business risky vs invest to start business (q22)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Opinion about whether there is no sense in starting a new business or that people with good ideas for business should invest to try and make it succeed

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q22. Please tell me whether you most agree with Statement A or Statement B?

STATEMENT A: There is no sense in trying to start a new business because it might lose money. Or:

STATEMENT B: If a person has a good idea for business, they should invest their own savings or borrow money to try and make it succeed.

## who should take responsibility for schools and clinics (q23a)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Opinion about who should take the main responsibility for providing schools and clinics

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q23a. In your opinion, who should take the main responsibility for providing schools and clinics? Is it government, private business, individuals, or some combination of these?

## responsibility for creating jobs (q23b)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Opinion about who should take the main responsibility for creating jobs

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q23b. In your opinion, who should take the main responsibility for creating jobs? Is it government, private business, individuals, or some combination of these?

## responsibility for building houses (q23c)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Opinion about who should take the main responsibility for building houses

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q23c. In your opinion, who should take the main responsibility for building houses? Is it government, private business, individuals, or some combination of these?

## responsibility for reducing crime (q23d)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Opinion about who should take the main responsibility for reducing crime

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q23d. In your opinion, who should take the main responsibility for reducing crime? Is it government, private business, individuals, or some combination of these?

## responsibility for buying and selling gold (q23e)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Opinion about who should take the main responsibility for buying and selling gold

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q23e. In your opinion, who should take the main responsibility for buying and selling gold? Is it government, private business, individuals, or some combination of these?

## responsibility to help farmers borrow money (q23f)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Opinion about who should take the main responsibility for helping farmers borrow money

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q23f. In your opinion, who should take the main responsibility for helping farmers borrow money to improve production of livestock and crops? Is it government, private business, individuals, or some combination of these?

## variety of goods at high prices vs shortages at low prices (q24)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Opinion about whether it is better to have many goods in the market at high prices or few goods at low prices

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q24. Please tell me whether you most agree with Statement A or Statement B?  
 STATEMENT A: It is better to have a wide variety of goods and many goods in the market, even if prices are high. Or:  
 STATEMENT B: It is better to have low prices, even if there are shortages of goods.

## free health care low stds vs pay for better health care (q25)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Opinion about whether it is better to be able to visit clinics and get free medicine even at low health care standards or having high health care standards and paying medical fees

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q25. Please tell me whether you most agree with Statement A or Statement B?  
 STATEMENT A: It is better to be able to visit clinics and get medicine for free, even if it means we cannot raise health care standards. Or:  
 STATEMENT B: It is better to raise health care standards, even if we have to pay medical fees.

## keep govt employees vs retrench govt employees (q26)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Opinion about whether government employees should not be reduced or laying off some of them

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q26. Please tell me whether you most agree with Statement A or Statement B?

STATEMENT A: The number of people who work for government should not be reduced, even if paying their salaries is costly to the country. Or:

STATEMENT B: The government cannot afford so many public employees and should lay off / retrench some of them.

## govt own factories vs privatization (q27)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Opinion about whether the government should retain ownership of its businesses or selling it to privates companies and individuals

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q27. Please tell me whether you most agree with Statement A or Statement B?

STATEMENT A: The government should retain ownership of its factories, businesses and farms. Or:

STATEMENT B: It is better for the government to sell its businesses to private companies and individuals.

## what does democracy mean (q28a)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
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Range: 1-157	

### Description

Definition of the word "democracy" by respondent

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q28a. What, if anything, do you understand by the word "democracy"? What comes to mind when you hear the word?

**what does democracy mean (q28b)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-157	

**Description**

Definition of the word "democracy" by respondent

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q28b. What, if anything, do you understand by the word "democracy"? What comes to mind when you hear the word?

**what does democracy mean (q28c)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-157	

**Description**

Definition of the word "democracy" by respondent

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q28c. What, if anything, do you understand by the word "democracy"? What comes to mind when you hear the word?

**who is the deputy president (q29)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

**Description**

Respondent's knowledge of the political system in the country

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q29. Can you tell me who presently holds the following offices? Deputy President

**who is the minister of finance (q30)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**



## who is the minister of finance (q30)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's knowledge of the political system in the country

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q30. Can you tell me who presently holds the following offices? The Minister of Finance

## member of parliament for this area (q31)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's knowledge of the political system in the country

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q31. Can you tell me who presently holds the following offices? Member of Parliament for this area

## your local councillor (q32)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's knowledge of the political system in the country

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q32. Can you tell me who presently holds the following offices? Your local councillor

## have you contacted govt official or political party official (q33)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

## have you contacted govt official or political party official (q33)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Frequency of contact with a government or political official

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Pre question

No PROCEED TO Q.35

### Literal question

q33. In the past year, have you contacted a government or political party official about some important problem or to give them your views?

IF YES: Was it Just Once or Twice, A few times or Frequently.

## what type of official did you contact (q34a)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Type of official contacted

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Pre question

IF RESPONDENT HAD MADE CONTACT

### Literal question

q34a. What type of official was it?

### Post question

No PROCEED TO Q.35

## what type of official did you contact (q34b)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Type of official contacted

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Pre question

IF RESPONDENT HAD MADE CONTACT

**what type of official did you contact (q34b)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Literal question**

q34b. What type of official was it?

**what type of official did you contact (q34c)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Type of official contacted

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Pre question**

IF RESPONDENT HAD MADE CONTACT

**Literal question**

q34c. What type of official was it?

**what type of official did you contact (q34d)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Type of official contacted

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Pre question**

IF RESPONDENT HAD MADE CONTACT

**Literal question**

q34d. What type of official was it?

**what type of official did you contact (q34e)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Type of official contacted

## what type of official did you contact (q34e)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Pre question

IF RESPONDENT HAD MADE CONTACT

### Literal question

q34e. What type of official was it?

## paid a govt. official to get a job (q35a)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 2200

Format: numeric

Invalid: 0

Width: 8

Decimals: 0

Range: 1-99

### Description

Whether and how often respondent has paid government officials to get a job

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q35a. In the past year, have you or anyone in your family had to pay money to government officials (besides paying rates or taxes), give them a gift, or do them a favour, in order to get the following? IF YES: Was it Just Once or Twice, A few times or Frequently. (a) A Job

## paid govt. official to get a maintenance payment, loan or pension payment (q35b)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 2200

Format: numeric

Invalid: 0

Width: 8

Decimals: 0

Range: 1-99

### Description

Whether and how often respondent has paid government officials to get government maintenance payment, pension payment or loan

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q35b. In the past year, have you or anyone in your family had to pay money to government officials (besides paying rates or taxes), give them a gift, or do them a favour, in order to get the following? IF YES: Was it Just Once or Twice, A few times or Frequently.

(b) A government maintenance payment, pension payment or loan

## paid govt. official to get water or electricity (q35c)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**paid govt. official to get water or electricity (q35c)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

**Description**

Whether and how often respondent has paid government officials to get electricity or water

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q35c. In the past year, have you or anyone in your family had to pay money to government officials (besides paying rates or taxes), give them a gift, or do them a favour, in order to get the following?

IF YES: Was it Just Once or Twice, A few times or Frequently.

(c) Electricity or water

**paid govt. official to get housing or land (q35d)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

**Description**

Whether and how often respondent has paid government officials to get housing or land

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q35d. In the past year, have you or anyone in your family had to pay money to government officials (besides paying rates or taxes), give them a gift, or do them a favour, in order to get the following?

IF YES: Was it Just Once or Twice, A few times or Frequently.

(d) Housing or land

**contacted any other influential person (q36)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

**Description**

Whether and how often respondent has contacted any other influential person

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Pre question**

No PROCEED TO Q.38

**Literal question**

## contacted any other influential person (q36)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

q36. In the past year, have you contacted any other influential person such as a church or community leader about some important problem or to give them your views? IF YES: Was it? Just Once or Twice, A few times or Frequently.

## what type of influential person did you contact (q37a)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Type of influential person contacted

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Pre question

IF RESPONDENT HAD MADE CONTACT

### Literal question

q37a. What type of person was this?

## what type of influential person did you contact (q37b)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Type of influential person contacted

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Pre question

IF RESPONDENT HAD MADE CONTACT

### Literal question

q37b. What type of person was this?

## what type of influential person did you contact (q37c)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Type of influential person contacted

## what type of influential person did you contact (q37c)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Pre question

IF RESPONDENT HAD MADE CONTACT

### Literal question

q37c. What type of person was this?

## local traditional leader, chief or headman (q38)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 2200

Format: numeric

Invalid: 0

Width: 8

Decimals: 0

Range: 1-99

### Description

Traditional leadership

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q38. Do you have a local traditional leader, chief or headman?

## local chief interest in people (q39)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 2200

Format: numeric

Invalid: 0

Width: 8

Decimals: 0

Range: 1-99

### Description

How interested the local chief is in what happens to the society

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q39. How interested do you think your local chief is in what happens to you or hearing what people like you think?

## how much of the time can the local chief be trusted (q40)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 2200

Format: numeric

Invalid: 0

Width: 8

Decimals: 0

Range: 1-99

### Description

Trust in the local chief

## how much of the time can the local chief be trusted (q40)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q40. How much of the time can you trust your local chief to do what is right?

## how many chiefs or traditional leaders are involved in corruption (q41)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Opinion on how many traditional leaders are involved in corruption

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q41. How many chiefs or traditional leaders are involved in corruption?

## how often do you get news from radio (q42a)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Frequency of getting news from a radio

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q42a. How often do you get news from the following sources? (a) Radio

## how often do you get news from tv (q42b)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Frequency of getting news from a television



**how often do you get news from tv (q42b)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q42b. How often do you get news from the following sources? (b) Television

**how often do you get news from newspapers (q42c)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Format: numeric

Width: 8

Decimals: 0

Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200

Invalid: 0

**Description**

Frequency of getting news from a newspaper

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q42c. How often do you get news from the following sources? (c) Newspapers

**most people can be trusted vs you must be careful (q43)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Format: numeric

Width: 8

Decimals: 0

Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200

Invalid: 0

**Description**

Respondent's opinion on trusting people

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q43. Generally speaking, would you say that most people can be trusted or that you can't be too careful in dealing with people?

**discuss political matters with friends (q44)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Format: numeric

Width: 8

Decimals: 0

Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200

Invalid: 0

**Description**

Discussion of political affairs

**Universe**

## discuss political matters with friends (q44)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q44. When you get together with your friends, would you say you discuss political matters ..... ?

## do you follow what is happening in govt and public affairs (q45)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's knowledge of current government and public affairs

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q45. Would you say you follow what's going on in government and public affairs?

## feel that you have little or no control over life (q46a)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Whether respondent agree or disagree that they have little or no control over what happens in their life

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q46a. Do you agree, neither agree nor disagree, or disagree with the following statements? (a) You feel you have little or no control over what happens to your life

## insufficient info about political life and govt actions (q46b)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Whether respondent agree or disagree that they do not have enough information about politics and government actions

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

## insufficient info about political life and govt actions (q46b)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Literal question

q46b. Do you agree, neither agree nor disagree, or disagree with the following statements? (b) You think that you do not have enough information about political life and the actions of government

## sometimes political and govt affairs are too complicated to understand (q46c)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Whether respondent agree or disagree that certain times they can't understand politics and government actions

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q46c. Do you agree, neither agree nor disagree, or disagree with the following statements? (c) Sometimes political and government affairs seem so complicated that you can't really understand what's going on

## have to be careful what you do and say with regard to politics (q46d)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Whether respondent agree or disagree that they need to be careful of what they say with regard to politics

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q46d. Do you agree, neither agree nor disagree, or disagree with the following statements? (d) In this country, you must be very careful of what you say and do with regard to politics

## way you vote will make a difference vs no difference (q47)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

## way you vote will make a difference vs no difference (q47)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Respondent's opinion on whether voting make things better in the future or not

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q47. Please tell me whether you agree more with Statement A or Statement B?

STATEMENT A: No matter how you vote, it won't make things any better in the future

STATEMENT B: They way you vote could make things better in the future

## who is in power makes a difference vs no difference (q48)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 2200

Format: numeric

Invalid: 0

Width: 8

Decimals: 0

Range: 1-99

### Description

Respondent's opinion on whether it is important to be in power or not

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q48. Please tell me whether you agree more with Statement A or Statement B?

STATEMENT A: It is important who is in power because it can make a difference to what happens

STATEMENT B: It doesn't really matter who is in power, because in the end things go on much the same

## freeness and fairness of last national election (q49)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 2200

Format: numeric

Invalid: 0

Width: 8

Decimals: 0

Range: 1-99

### Description

How the respondent rated the freeness and fairness of the last national election

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q49. On the whole, how would you rate the freeness and fairness of the last national election, held in 1999?

## most important problems to be addressed by govt (q50a)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Valid cases: 2200

Format: numeric

Invalid: 0

Width: 8

Decimals: 0

Range: 1-275

**most important problems to be addressed by govt (q50a)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Description**

Important problems facing the country that the government should address

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q50a. What are the most important problems facing this country that government should address?

**most important problems to be addressed by govt (q50b)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Format: numeric

Width: 8

Decimals: 0

Range: 1-275

Valid cases: 2200

Invalid: 0

**Description**

Important problems facing the country that the government should address

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q50b. What are the most important problems facing this country that government should address?

**most important problems to be addressed by govt (q50c)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Format: numeric

Width: 8

Decimals: 0

Range: 1-275

Valid cases: 2200

Invalid: 0

**Description**

Important problems facing the country that the government should address

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q50c. What are the most important problems facing this country that government should address?

**single most important problem facing south africa (q50d)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Format: numeric

Width: 8

Decimals: 0

Range: 1-275

Valid cases: 2200

Invalid: 0

**Description**

Important problems facing the country that the government should address

## single most important problem facing south africa (q50d)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q50d. What are the most important problems facing this country that government should address?

## rating of previous system of govt (q51a)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-10

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's rating of how the country was governed under apartheid on a mark out of 10

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q51a. What grade would you give to: (a) The way the country was governed under apartheid?

## rating of current system of govt (q51b)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-10

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's rating of the current system of government with regular elections on a mark out of 10

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q51b. What grade would you give to: (b) Our current system of government with regular elections where everyone can vote and there are at least two political parties?

## rating of future system (future) (q51c)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0-10

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's rating of the country as they expect in 10 years time on a mark out of 10

### Universe

## rating of future system (future) (q51c)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q51c. What grade would you give to: (c) The political system of this country as you expect it to be in 10 years time?

## anyone can freely say what they think (q52a)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q52a. Some people say that today, under our current system of government, our political and overall life is better than it was under apartheid. Others say things are no better, or even worse. For each of these following matters, would you say things today are worse, about the same, or better? (a) Anyone can freely say what he or she thinks

## can join any political organization they choose (q52b)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q52b. Some people say that today, under our current system of government, our political and overall life is better than it was under apartheid. Others say things are no better, or even worse. For each of these following matters, would you say things today are worse, about the same, or better? (b) People can join any political organisation they choose.

## can live without fear of being arrested if innocent (q52c)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

## can live without fear of being arrested if innocent (q52c)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

q52c. Some people say that today, under our current system of government, our political and overall life is better than it was under apartheid. Others say things are no better, or even worse. For each of these following matters, would you say things today are worse, about the same, or better? (c) People can live without fear of being arrested by the police if they have not done anything wrong.

## free to choose who to vote for without feeling forced by others (q52d)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q52d. Some people say that today, under our current system of government, our political and overall life is better than it was under apartheid. Others say things are no better, or even worse. For each of these following matters, would you say things today are worse, about the same, or better? (d) Each person can freely choose who to vote for without feeling forced by others

## everybody is treated equally and fairly by govt (q52e)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q52e. Some people say that today, under our current system of government, our political and overall life is better than it was under apartheid. Others say things are no better, or even worse. For each of these following matters, would you say things today are worse, about the same, or better? (e) Everybody is treated equally and fairly by government.

## safe from crime and violence (q52f)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
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### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question



## safe from crime and violence (q52f)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

q52f. Some people say that today, under our current system of government, our political and overall life is better than it was under apartheid. Others say things are no better, or even worse. For each of these following matters, would you say things today are worse, about the same, or better? (f) People are safe from crime and violence

## have adequate standard of living (q52g)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q52g. Some people say that today, under our current system of government, our political and overall life is better than it was under apartheid. Others say things are no better, or even worse. For each of these following matters, would you say things today are worse, about the same, or better? (g) People have an adequate standard of living.

## access to basic necessities (q52h)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q52h. Some people say that today, under our current system of government, our political and overall life is better than it was under apartheid. Others say things are no better, or even worse. For each of these following matters, would you say things today are worse, about the same, or better? (h) People have access to basic necessities (like food and water)

## south africans are equal to each other (q52i)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q52i. Some people say that today, under our current system of government, our political and overall life is better than it was under apartheid. Others say things are no better, or even worse. For each of these following matters, would you say things today are worse, about the same, or better? (i) South Africans are equal to one another

## one party to stand for elections and hold office (q53)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Respondent's approval of one political party

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q53. How much would you disapprove, neither disapprove nor approve, or approve of the following alternatives to our current system of government with at least two political parties and regular elections?  
If only one political party, or candidates from only one party, were allowed to stand for elections and hold office?

## decisions to be made by council of elders, traditional leaders, chiefs (q54)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Respondent's approval of all decisions being made by a council of Elders, Traditional Leaders or Chiefs

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q54. How much would you disapprove, neither disapprove nor approve, or approve of the following alternatives to our current system of government with at least two political parties and regular elections?  
If all decisions were made by a council of Elders, Traditional Leaders or Chiefs

## army to govern the country (q55)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Respondent's approval of the army to govern the country

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q55. How much would you disapprove, neither disapprove nor approve, or approve of the following alternatives to our current system of government with at least two political parties and regular elections?  
If the army came in to govern the country?

## president could decide everything (q56)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Respondent's approval of the abolishment of parliament and political parties so that the president could decide everything

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q56. How much would you disapprove, neither disapprove nor approve, or approve of the following alternatives to our current system of government with at least two political parties and regular elections?  
If parliament and political parties were abolished, so that the President could decide everything?

## all decisions made by economic experts rather than by government (q57)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Respondent's approval of economic experts to make economic decisions rather than an elected government

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q57. How much would you disapprove, neither disapprove nor approve, or approve of the following alternatives to our current system of government with at least two political parties and regular elections?  
If all important decisions about the economy were made by economic experts rather than an elected government or parliament.

## country returned to apartheid (q58)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Respondent's approval of the country to go back to the apartheid system

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q58. How much would you disapprove, neither disapprove nor approve, or approve of the following alternatives to our current system of government with at least two political parties and regular elections?  
If the country returned to the old system we had under apartheid?

## govt elected by accepted procedures (q59)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Respondent's approval of whether government was elected to power by acceptable procedures

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q59. For each of the following statements, please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree?  
Our government was elected to power by accepted procedures.

## govt exercises power in acceptable way (q60)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Respondent's opinion on whether government exercises power in an acceptable way

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q60. For each of the following statements, please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree?  
Our government exercises power in an acceptable way

## constitution expresses values and aspirations of south african people (q61)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Respondent's opinion on whether constitution expresses the values and aspirations of the South African people

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q61. For each of the following statements, please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree?  
Our government exercises power in an acceptable way

## govt should have the final decision (q62)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Respondent's opinion on whether government has the right to make decisions that all people have to abide by whether or not they agree with them

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q62. For each of the following statements, please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree?  
Our government exercises power in an acceptable way

## how well is govt creating jobs (q63a)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Respondent's opinion on how well the government is creating jobs

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q63a. How well would you say the government is handling the following matters? Would you say very well, fairly well, not very well or not at all well, or haven't you heard enough about this to have an opinion?  
a) Creating jobs

## how well is govt building houses (q63b)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Respondent's opinion on how well the government is building houses

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q63b. How well would you say the government is handling the following matters? Would you say very well, fairly well, not very well or not at all well, or haven't you heard enough about this to have an opinion?  
b) Building houses

## how well is govt ensuring that prices remain stable (q63c)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Respondent's opinion on how well the government is ensuring that prices remain stable

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q63c. How well would you say the government is handling the following matters? Would you say very well, fairly well, not very well or not at all well, or haven't you heard enough about this to have an opinion?  
c) Ensuring that prices remain stable

## how well does govt reduce crime (q63d)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Respondent's opinion on how well the government is reducing crime

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q63d. How well would you say the government is handling the following matters? Would you say very well, fairly well, not very well or not at all well, or haven't you heard enough about this to have an opinion?  
d) Reducing crime

## how well is govt improving health services (q63e)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Respondent's opinion on how well the government is improving health services

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q63e. How well would you say the government is handling the following matters? Would you say very well, fairly well, not very well or not at all well, or haven't you heard enough about this to have an opinion?  
e) Improving health services

## how well does govt address the educational needs of all south africans (q63f)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's opinion on how well the government is addressing educational needs of all South Africans

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q63f. How well would you say the government is handling the following matters? Would you say very well, fairly well, not very well or not at all well, or haven't you heard enough about this to have an opinion?  
f) Addressing the educational needs of all South Africans

## how well does govt manage the economy (q63g)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's opinion on how well the government is managing the economy

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q63g. How well would you say the government is handling the following matters? Would you say very well, fairly well, not very well or not at all well, or haven't you heard enough about this to have an opinion?  
g) Managing the economy

## how well does govt deliver basic services like water and electricity (q63h)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's opinion on how well the government is delivering basic services like water and electricity

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

## how well does govt deliver basic services like water and electricity (q63h)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

q63h. How well would you say the government is handling the following matters? Would you say very well, fairly well, not very well or not at all well, or haven't you heard enough about this to have an opinion?

h) Delivering basic services like water and electricity

## how well does govt ensure that everyone has sufficient land (q63i)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's opinion on how well the government is making sure that everyone has enough land

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q63i. How well would you say the government is handling the following matters? Would you say very well, fairly well, not very well or not at all well, or haven't you heard enough about this to have an opinion?

i) Making sure everyone has enough land

## affirmative action (q63j)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's opinion on how well the government is handling affirmative action

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q63j. How well would you say the government is handling the following matters? Would you say very well, fairly well, not very well or not at all well, or haven't you heard enough about this to have an opinion?

j) Managing the economy

## fighting corruption in govt (q63k)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
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Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
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### Description



## fighting corruption in govt (q63k)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Respondent's opinion on how well the government is fighting corruption

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q63k. How well would you say the government is handling the following matters? Would you say very well, fairly well, not very well or not at all well, or haven't you heard enough about this to have an opinion?

k) Affirmative Action

## uniting sas into one nation (q63l)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: numeric

Width: 8

Decimals: 0

Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200

Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's opinion on how well the government is unifying all South Africans into one nation

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q63l. How well would you say the government is handling the following matters? Would you say very well, fairly well, not very well or not at all well, or haven't you heard enough about this to have an opinion?

l) Fighting corruption in government

## narrowing income gap (q63m)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete

Format: numeric

Width: 8

Decimals: 0

Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200

Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's opinion on how well the government is narrowing the income gap between rich and poor

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q63m. How well would you say the government is handling the following matters? Would you say very well, fairly well, not very well or not at all well, or haven't you heard enough about this to have an opinion?

m) Uniting all South Africans into one nation

## how well is govt distributing welfare payments to those who are entitled to it (q63n)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

## how well is govt distributing welfare payments to those who are entitled to it (q63n)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
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### Description

Respondent's opinion on how well the government is distributing welfare payments to those who are entitled to it

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q63n. How well would you say the government is handling the following matters? Would you say very well, fairly well, not very well or not at all well, or haven't you heard enough about this to have an opinion?

n) Narrowing the income gap between rich and poor

## making reparations to trc victims (q63o)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's opinion on how well the government is making reparations to TRC victims

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q63o. How well would you say the government is handling the following matters? Would you say very well, fairly well, not very well or not at all well, or haven't you heard enough about this to have an opinion?

o) Distributing welfare payments to those who are entitled to it (such as old age pensions, disability payments, child maintenance grants).

## preventing spread hiv (q63p)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's opinion on how well the government is preventing the spread of HIV/AIDS

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q63p. How well would you say the government is handling the following matters? Would you say very well, fairly well, not very well or not at all well, or haven't you heard enough about this to have an opinion?

p) Making reparations to people identified as victims by the Truth and Reconciliation Commission.

## sas response to situation in zimbabwe (q63q)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
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Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Respondent's opinion on the government's response to the situation in Zimbabwe

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q63q. How well would you say the government is handling the following matters? Would you say very well, fairly well, not very well or not at all well, or haven't you heard enough about this to have an opinion?  
q) Preventing the spread of HIV / AIDS

## how interested is the president in your well-being (q64)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q64. How interested do you think President Mbeki is in what happens to you or hearing what people like you think?

## how much of the time can you trust the president (q65)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Respondent's trust in President Mbeki to do what is right

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q65. How much of the time can you trust President Mbeki to do what is right?

## what is your opinion of the presidents job performance (q66)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

## what is your opinion of the presidents job performance (q66)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
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### Description

Respondent's approval of President Mbeki's performance over the past twelve months

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q66. What about the way President Mbeki has performed his job over the past twelve months?

## how many govt officials do you think are involved in corruption (q67)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's opinion on the number of government officials involved in corruption

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q67. How many officials in the government do you think are involved in corruption?

## how interested is parliament in your well-being (q68)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q68. How interested do you think parliament is in what happens to you or hearing what people like you think?

## how much of the time can you trust parliament (q69)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

## how much of the time can you trust parliament (q69)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's trust in parliament to do what is right

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q69. How much of the time can you trust parliament to do what is right?

## parliament's job performance (q70)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's approval of how parliament has performed over the past twelve months

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q70. What about the way parliament has performed its job over the past twelve months?

## how many people in parliament involved in corruption (q71)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's opinion on the number of people in parliament involved in corruption

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q71. What about corruption? How many people in parliament do you think are involved in corruption?

## how many civil servants are involved in corruption (q72)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

## how many civil servants are involved in corruption (q72)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's opinion on the number of civil servants involved in corruption

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q72. How many civil servants, or those who work in government offices and ministries do you think are involved in corruption?

## how interested is provincial govt in your well-being (q72a)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q72a. How interested do you think the \_\_\_\_\_ government is in what happens to you or hearing what people like you think?

## how much of the time can you trust provincial govt (q72b)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's trust in the local government to do what is right

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q72b. How much of the time can you trust the \_\_\_\_\_ government to do what is right?

## premier's job performance (q72c)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

**premier's job performance (q72c)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Respondent's approval of the premier's performance over the past twelve months

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q72c. What about the way Premier [READ IN THE NAME OF THE PREMIER] \_\_\_\_\_ has performed his job over the past twelve months?

**provincial govt job performance (q72d)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Respondent's approval of government's performance over the past twelve months

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q72d. What about the way the \_\_\_\_\_ government has performed its job over the past twelve months?

**how many people in prov govt are involved in corruption (q72e)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Respondent's opinion on the number of government officials involved in corruption

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q72e. How many officials in the \_\_\_\_\_ government do you think are involved in corruption?

**how interested is you local councillor in your well-being (q73)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

## how interested is you local councillor in your well-being (q73)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q73. How interested do you think your local councillor is in what happens to you or hearing what people like you think?

## how much of the time can you trust your local govt (q74)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's trust in the local government to do what is right

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q74. How much of the time can you trust your local government to do what is right?

## how has your local govt performed its job (q75)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
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### Description

Respondent's approval of how the local government has performed over the past twelve months

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q75. What about the way your local government has performed its job over the past twelve months?

## how many officials in your local govt are involved in corruption (q76)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview



## how many officials in your local govt are involved in corruption (q76)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's opinion on the number of local government officials involved in corruption

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q76. What about corruption? How many officials in your local government do you think are involved in corruption?

## likelihood of police catching and charging those committing serious crime (q76a1)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-5

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's opinion on how likely the police will effectively make people obey the law

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q76a1. What if a person like yourself committed a serious crime? How likely is it that the police would catch and charge them?

## likelihood of court conviction (q76a2)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-5

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's opinion on how likely the court of law will effectively make people obey the law

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q76a2. If a person like yourself committed a serious crime and were charged by the police? How likely is it that a court of law would convict them?

## likelihood of sars penalizing tax evaders (q76a3)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-5	

### Description

Respondent's opinion on how likely the South African Revenue Services will effectively find out and penalize people who cheated on tax

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q76a3. What about if a person like yourself cheated and did not pay a tax that they owed the government (like a tax on income you get from sources other than a normal salary)? How likely is it that the Receiver of Revenue / South African Revenue Service would find out and penalize them?

## illegal services: likelihood of council cutting services (q76a4)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-5	

### Description

Respondent's opinion on how likely the local council will effectively find out and cancel services for people who are not paying for them

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q76a4. And if a person like yourself were to obtain their services without paying for them (like water and electricity), how likely is that your local council would find out and cut off their services?

## rates evasion: likelihood of council cutting services (q76a5)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-5	

### Description

Respondent's opinion on how likely the local council will effectively attach and repossess their property from people not paying rates

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q76a5. Finally, what if they did not pay their rates? How likely is it that your local council would attach or repossess their property?

## comparison of current and past govt effectiveness (q77a)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Respondent's opinion on the effectiveness of the current government in the way it performs its job relative to the government under apartheid

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q77a. Is government today more, about the same or less effective in the way it performs its job as under apartheid?

## comparison of current and past govt interest (q77b)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Respondent's opinion on how the current government is interested to hear what people think relative to the government under apartheid

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q77b. Is government today more, about the same or less interested in hearing what people like you think as under apartheid?

## comparison of current and past govt corruption (q77c)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Respondent's opinion on how corrupt the current government is relative to the government under apartheid

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q77c. Is government today more, about the same or less corrupt as under apartheid?

## comparison of current and past govt trustworthiness (q77d)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Respondent's opinion on how trustworthy the current government is relative to the government under apartheid

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q77d. Is government today more, about the same or less trustworthy as under apartheid?

## able to enforce the law (q77e)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Respondent's opinion on how the current government is able to enforce the law relative to the government under apartheid

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q77e. Is government today more, about the same or less able to enforce the law as under apartheid?

## life today compared to under apartheid (q77e1)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-6	

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

## how much of the time can you trust the army (q78a)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

## how much of the time can you trust the army (q78a)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Description

Respondent's trust in the South African Defence Force

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q78a. How much of the time can you trust the following institution to do what is right?  
a) South African Defence Force

## how much of the time can you trust the police (q78b)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's trust in the South African Police Service

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q78b. How much of the time can you trust the following institution to do what is right?  
b) South African Police Service

## how much of the time can you trust the courts of law (q78c)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's trust in the courts of law

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q78c. How much of the time can you trust the following institution to do what is right?  
c) Courts of law

## how much of the time can you trust the criminal justice system (q78c1)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

## how much of the time can you trust the criminal justice system (q78c1)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

## how much of the time can you trust the independent electoral commission (q78d)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's trust in the Independent Electoral Commission

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q78d. How much of the time can you trust the following institution to do what is right?  
d) Independent Electoral Commission

## how much of the time can you trust the south african broadcasting corporation (q78e)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's trust in the South African Broadcasting Corporation

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q78e. How much of the time can you trust the following institution to do what is right?  
e) South African Broadcasting Corporation

## how much of the time can you trust press or newspapers (q78f)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

## how much of the time can you trust press or newspapers (q78f)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's trust in the press and newspapers

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q78f. How much of the time can you trust the following institution to do what is right?  
f) Press / Newspapers

## preference for democratic vs non-democratic govt (q79)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q79. With which one of these statements are you most in agreement? A, B or C?  
STATEMENT A: Democracy is preferable to any other kind of government.  
STATEMENT B: In some circumstances, a non-democratic government can be preferable to democratic government.  
STATEMENT C: For someone like me, a democratic or non-democratic regime makes no difference.

## have you ever heard anything about the gear programme (q80)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's knowledge of the government's Growth, Employment and Redistribution Programme (GEAR)

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q80. Have you ever heard anything about the government's Growth, Employment and Redistribution Programme (GEAR), or haven't you had a chance to hear or read about this yet?

### Post question

If Yes, PROCEED TO AQ.81  
No, SKIP TO Q.83

## gear programme's effect on everyday life (q81)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Opinion on what effect GEAR has had on the way respondent live in their life

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q81. What effect do you think GEAR has had on the way you live your life? Has it made it worse, had no effect, or made it better, or haven't you heard enough about this to say?

## gear has helped vs hurt most people (q82)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-97	

### Description

Respondent's opinion on whether GEAR has helped most people or only benefited a minority

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q82. Here are two statements. Please tell me whether you agree more with statement A or B?  
 (A) The Growth, Employment and Redistribution Programme (GEAR) has helped most people; only a minority have suffered.  
 Or:  
 (B) The Growth, Employment and Redistribution Programme (GEAR) has hurt most people and only benefited a minority.

## besides being south african, which group do you feel you belong to (q83)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-141	

### Description

Respondent's self classified group

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q83. Besides being South African, which specific group do you feel you belong to first and foremost?

### Interviewer instructions



## besides being south african, which group do you feel you belong to (q83)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

INTERVIEWER INSTRUCTION: READ ANSWER FROM QUESTION 83 OUT TO THE RESPONDENT INTO ALL THE BLANK SPACES AS FROM QUESTION 84 UP TO QUESTION 87. PROBE FOR STRENGTH OF RESPONDENT'S OPINION

## feel proud to be part of this group (q84a)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q84a. Please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree with these statements

a) You feel proud to be \_\_\_\_\_.

### Interviewer instructions

INTERVIEWER INSTRUCTION: READ ANSWER FROM QUESTION 83 OUT TO THE RESPONDENT INTO ALL THE BLANK SPACES AS FROM QUESTION 84 UP TO QUESTION 87. PROBE FOR STRENGTH OF RESPONDENT'S OPINION

## want children to think of themselves as part of group (q84b)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q84b. Please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree with these statements

b) You would want your children to think of themselves as \_\_\_\_\_.

### Interviewer instructions

INTERVIEWER INSTRUCTION: READ ANSWER FROM QUESTION 83 OUT TO THE RESPONDENT INTO ALL THE BLANK SPACES AS FROM QUESTION 84 UP TO QUESTION 87. PROBE FOR STRENGTH OF RESPONDENT'S OPINION

## being part of this group is a very important part of how you see yourself (q84b1)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

## being part of this group is a very important part of how you see yourself (q84b1)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Interviewer instructions

INTERVIEWER INSTRUCTION: READ ANSWER FROM QUESTION 83 OUT TO THE RESPONDENT INTO ALL THE BLANK SPACES AS FROM QUESTION 84 UP TO QUESTION 87. PROBE FOR STRENGTH OF RESPONDENT'S OPINION

## people belonging to this group are the best (q84c)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q84c. Please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree with these statements  
c) Of all the groups in this country, \_\_\_\_\_ people are the best.

### Interviewer instructions

INTERVIEWER INSTRUCTION: READ ANSWER FROM QUESTION 83 OUT TO THE RESPONDENT INTO ALL THE BLANK SPACES AS FROM QUESTION 84 UP TO QUESTION 87. PROBE FOR STRENGTH OF RESPONDENT'S OPINION

## stronger ties to group than to other south africans (q84d)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q84d. Please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree with these statements  
d) You feel much stronger ties to \_\_\_\_\_s than to other South Africans.

### Interviewer instructions

INTERVIEWER INSTRUCTION: READ ANSWER FROM QUESTION 83 OUT TO THE RESPONDENT INTO ALL THE BLANK SPACES AS FROM QUESTION 84 UP TO QUESTION 87. PROBE FOR STRENGTH OF RESPONDENT'S OPINION

**this group is very different from other south africans (q84d1)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Interviewer instructions**

INTERVIEWER INSTRUCTION: READ ANSWER FROM QUESTION 83 OUT TO THE RESPONDENT INTO ALL THE BLANK SPACES AS FROM QUESTION 84 UP TO QUESTION 87. PROBE FOR STRENGTH OF RESPONDENT'S OPINION

**it makes you proud to be called a south african (q84e)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q84e. Please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree with these statements  
e) It makes you proud to be called a South African.

**Interviewer instructions**

INTERVIEWER INSTRUCTION: READ ANSWER FROM QUESTION 83 OUT TO THE RESPONDENT INTO ALL THE BLANK SPACES AS FROM QUESTION 84 UP TO QUESTION 87. PROBE FOR STRENGTH OF RESPONDENT'S OPINION

**children should think of themselves as south african (q84f)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q84f. Please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree with these statements  
f) You would want your children to think of themselves as South African.

**Interviewer instructions**

INTERVIEWER INSTRUCTION: READ ANSWER FROM QUESTION 83 OUT TO THE RESPONDENT INTO ALL THE BLANK SPACES AS FROM QUESTION 84 UP TO QUESTION 87. PROBE FOR STRENGTH OF RESPONDENT'S OPINION

**being a sa is a very important part of how you see yourself (q84f1)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Interviewer instructions**

INTERVIEWER INSTRUCTION: READ ANSWER FROM QUESTION 83 OUT TO THE RESPONDENT INTO ALL THE BLANK SPACES AS FROM QUESTION 84 UP TO QUESTION 87. PROBE FOR STRENGTH OF RESPONDENT'S OPINION

**regardless of group you belong to, if you are sa, should be treated equally (q84g)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q84g. Please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree with these statements  
 g) All people who were born in this country, regardless of what group they belong to, should be treated as equal citizens of South Africa.

**Interviewer instructions**

INTERVIEWER INSTRUCTION: READ ANSWER FROM QUESTION 83 OUT TO THE RESPONDENT INTO ALL THE BLANK SPACES AS FROM QUESTION 84 UP TO QUESTION 87. PROBE FOR STRENGTH OF RESPONDENT'S OPINION

**desirable to create a united sa out of all the groups (q84h)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q84h. Please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree with these statements  
 h) It is desirable to create one united South African nation out of all the different groups who live in this country.

**Interviewer instructions**

INTERVIEWER INSTRUCTION: READ ANSWER FROM QUESTION 83 OUT TO THE RESPONDENT INTO ALL THE BLANK SPACES AS FROM QUESTION 84 UP TO QUESTION 87. PROBE FOR STRENGTH OF RESPONDENT'S OPINION

**it is possible to create a united sa nation (q84h1)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Interviewer instructions**

INTERVIEWER INSTRUCTION: READ ANSWER FROM QUESTION 83 OUT TO THE RESPONDENT INTO ALL THE BLANK SPACES AS FROM QUESTION 84 UP TO QUESTION 87. PROBE FOR STRENGTH OF RESPONDENT'S OPINION

**your groups economic condition compared to others (q85)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

**Description**

Respondent's opinion on whether their groups' economic conditions are worse, the same or better than other groups in the country

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q85. Are \_\_\_\_s' [R's IDENTITY GROUP] economic conditions worse, the same as, or better than other groups in this country?

**Interviewer instructions**

INTERVIEWER INSTRUCTION: READ ANSWER FROM QUESTION 83 OUT TO THE RESPONDENT INTO ALL THE BLANK SPACES AS FROM QUESTION 84 UP TO QUESTION 87. PROBE FOR STRENGTH OF RESPONDENT'S OPINION

**identity treated unfairly by the govt (q86)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

**Description**

Respondent's opinion on the extent to which people in their group are unfairly treated by the government

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q86. To what extent are \_\_\_\_\_ [R's IDENTITY GROUP] people treated unfairly by the government?

**Interviewer instructions**

**identity treated unfairly by the govt (q86)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

INTERVIEWER INSTRUCTION: READ ANSWER FROM QUESTION 83 OUT TO THE RESPONDENT INTO ALL THE BLANK SPACES AS FROM QUESTION 84 UP TO QUESTION 87. PROBE FOR STRENGTH OF RESPONDENT'S OPINION

**govt more or less interested in what your group has to say (q87)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

**Description**

Opinion on how the respondent feels about what people in government think about their group

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q87. In general, do you feel that people in government are less interested, or more interested in what \_\_\_\_\_s think compared to other groups, or is it about the same?

**Interviewer instructions**

INTERVIEWER INSTRUCTION: READ ANSWER FROM QUESTION 83 OUT TO THE RESPONDENT INTO ALL THE BLANK SPACES AS FROM QUESTION 84 UP TO QUESTION 87. PROBE FOR STRENGTH OF RESPONDENT'S OPINION

**govt represents interests of all south africans or just one group (q88)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

**Description**

Respondent's opinion on whether the government represents the interests of all South Africans or of one group only

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q88. Do you think that the government represents the interests of all South Africans, or of one group only?

**Post question**

If All South Africans SKIP TO Q.90

**which groups interest is mostly represented by govt (q89)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

**which groups interest is mostly represented by govt (q89)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-127

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

The group that the respondent feels the government represents their interest

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Pre question**

IF ONE GROUP [see q88 above]

**Literal question**

q89. Which group is that?

**which is true for you with regards to the 1999 national elections (q90)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q90. With regard to the most recent, 1999 national elections, which statement is true for you?

**address problems facing the community with others (q91a)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Number of times respondent has participated with others to address an important problem affecting the community or nation

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q81a. For each of these, please tell me whether you have engaged in this activity or not?

a) Participate with others to address an important problem affecting the community or nation (other than an election).

**attend election rally (q91b)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**attend election rally (q91b)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
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Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

**Description**

Number of times respondent has attended an election rally

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q91b. For each of these, please tell me whether you have engaged in this activity or not?  
b) Attend an election rally

**work for political candidate or party (q91c)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

**Description**

Number of times respondent has worked for a political candidate or party

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q91c. For each of these, please tell me whether you have engaged in this activity or not?  
c) Work for a political candidate or party

**write a letter to newspaper (q91d)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

**Description**

Number of times respondent has written a letter to a newspaper

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q91d. For each of these, please tell me whether you have engaged in this activity or not?  
d) Work for a political candidate or party



## claimed govt benefits to which you are not entitled (q92a)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Number of times respondent has claimed benefits to which they are not entitled

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q92a. For each of these, please tell me whether you have engaged in this activity or not.

a) Claim government benefits to which you are not entitled (like a pension, maintenance, or unemployment payment)

### Interviewer instructions

If yes—read out options 1-3. if no—read out options 4 and 5

## avoid paying municipal/local rates (q92b)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Number of times respondent has avoided paying municipal/local rates

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q92b. For each of these, please tell me whether you have engaged in this activity or not.

b) Avoid paying municipal / local rates.

### Interviewer instructions

If yes-read out options 1-3. if no-read out options 4 and 5

## avoid paying income taxes (q92c)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Number of times respondent has avoided paying incomes taxes

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q92c. For each of these, please tell me whether you have engaged in this activity or not.

c) Avoid paying income taxes

**avoid paying income taxes (q92c)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Interviewer instructions**

If yes-read out options 1-3. if no-read out options 4 and 5

**get services without paying (q92d)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Number of times respondent get services like electricity or water without paying for them

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q92d. For each of these, please tell me whether you have engaged in this activity or not.  
 d) Get services like electricity or water without paying for them

**Interviewer instructions**

If yes-read out options 1-3. if no-read out options 4 and 5

**attend a demonstration or protest march (q93a)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Number of times respondent has attended a demonstration or protest march

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q93a. For each of these, please tell me whether you have engaged in this activity or not.  
 a) Attend a demonstration or protest march

**Interviewer instructions**

If yes—read out options 1-3. if no—read out options 4 and 5

**boycott rates, services and taxes (q93b)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

## boycott rates, services and taxes (q93b)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Description

Number of times respondent has participated in a boycott of rates, services or taxes

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q93b. For each of these, please tell me whether you have engaged in this activity or not.  
b) Participate in a boycott of rates, services or taxes

### Interviewer instructions

If yes-read out options 1-3. if no-read out options 4 and 5

## partake in sit-ins, disruption of government meetings (q93c)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Number of times respondent has taken part in a sit-in, disruption of government meetings or offices

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q93c. For each of these, please tell me whether you have engaged in this activity or not.  
c) Take part in a sit-in, disruption of government meeting or offices

### Interviewer instructions

If yes-read out options 1-3. if no-read out options 4 and 5

## use force or violent methods (q93d)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Number of times respondent has used force or violent methods

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q93d. For each of these, please tell me whether you have engaged in this activity or not.  
d) Use force or violent methods (such as damaging public property)

### Interviewer instructions

If yes-read out options 1-3. if no-read out options 4 and 5

## support for shutting down media (q94)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Respondent's opinion if the government shut down newspapers, or radio stations or newspapers that were critical of it

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q94. If the government were to take the following actions, would you support it, neither support nor oppose, or oppose it? Shut down newspapers, or radio or television stations that were critical of it

## response to shutting down media (q95a)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

What the respondent would do if the government shut down newspapers, or radio stations or newspapers that were critical of it

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q95a. What if anything would you do about it?

## response to shutting down media (q95b)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

What the respondent would do if the government shut down newspapers, or radio stations or newspapers that were critical of it

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q95b. What if anything would you do about it?

## response to shutting down media (q95c)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

What the respondent would do if the government shut down newspapers, or radio stations or newspapers that were critical of it

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q95c. What if anything would you do about it?

## response to shutting down media (q95d)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

What the respondent would do if the government shut down newspapers, or radio stations or newspapers that were critical of it

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q95d. What if anything would you do about it?

## response to shutting down media (q95e)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

What the respondent would do if the government shut down newspapers, or radio stations or newspapers that were critical of it

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q95e. What if anything would you do about it?

## support for dismissing judges (q96)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Respondent's opinion if the government dismissed judges who ruled against the government

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q96. If the government were to take the following actions, would you support it, neither support nor oppose, or oppose it?  
Dismissed judges who ruled against the government

## response to dismissing judges (q97a)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

What the respondent would do if the government dismissed judges who ruled against the government

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q97a. What if anything would you do about it?

## response to dismissing judges (q97b)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

What the respondent would do if the government dismissed judges who ruled against the government

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q97b. What if anything would you do about it?

## response to dismissing judges (q97c)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

**response to dismissing judges (q97c)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

What the respondent would do if the government dismissed judges who ruled against the government

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q97c. What if anything would you do about it?

**response to dismissing judges (q97d)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

What the respondent would do if the government dismissed judges who ruled against the government

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q97d. What if anything would you do about it?

**response to dismissing judges (q97e)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

What the respondent would do if the government dismissed judges who ruled against the government

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q97e. What if anything would you do about it?

**support for banning political parties (q98)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

## support for banning political parties (q98)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's opinion if the government banned political parties

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q98. If the government were to take the following actions, would you support it, neither support nor oppose, or oppose it?  
Banned political parties

## response to banning political parties (q99a)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

What the respondent would do if the government banned political parties

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q99a. What if anything would you do about it?

## response to banning political parties (q99b)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

What the respondent would do if the government banned political parties

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q99b. What if anything would you do about it?

## response to banning political parties (q99c)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview



**response to banning political parties (q99c)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

What the respondent would do if the government banned political parties

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q99c. What if anything would you do about it?

**response to banning political parties (q99d)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

What the respondent would do if the government banned political parties

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q99d. What if anything would you do about it?

**response to banning political parties (q99e)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

What the respondent would do if the government banned political parties

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q99e. What if anything would you do about it?

**support for the suspension of parliament and cancellation of next elections (q100)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

## support for the suspension of parliament and cancellation of next elections (q100)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's opinion if the government suspend parliament and cancel the next elections

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q100. If the government were to take the following actions, would you support it, neither support nor oppose, or oppose it?  
Suspended the parliament and cancelled the next elections

## response to suspension of parliament (q101a)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

What the respondent would do if the government suspend parliament and cancel the next elections

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q101a. What if anything would you do about it?

## response to suspension of parliament (q101b)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

What the respondent would do if the government suspend parliament and cancel the next elections

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q101b. What if anything would you do about it?

## response to suspension of parliament (q101c)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

**response to suspension of parliament (q101c)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

What the respondent would do if the government suspend parliament and cancel the next elections

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q101c. What if anything would you do about it?

**response to suspension of parliament (q101d)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

What the respondent would do if the government suspend parliament and cancel the next elections

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q101d. What if anything would you do about it?

**response to suspension of parliament (q101e)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

What the respondent would do if the government suspend parliament and cancel the next elections

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q101e. What if anything would you do about it?

**willingness to live under non-elected leader (q101a1)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

**willingness to live under non-elected leader (q101a1)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-5

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Respondent's willingness to live under a non-elected government or a leader who impose law and order, and deliver houses and jobs

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**patience to deal with problems vs solve now (q102)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q102. Please tell me whether you agree more with Statement A or B?

STATEMENT A: It will take years for our system of government to deal with the problems inherited from apartheid. Or:

STATEMENT B: Our system of government ought to be able to deal with problems right now regardless of who caused them

**democratic society and majority rule (q103a)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

How the respondent associate democracy with majority rule

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q103a. In order for a society to be called democratic, is each of these

a) Majority rule

**Interviewer instructions**

READ OUT OPTIONS

**democratic society and freedom to criticise the govt (q103b)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

## democratic society and freedom to criticise the govt (q103b)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

How the respondent associate democracy with complete freedom for anyone to criticise the government

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q103b. In order for a society to be called democratic, is each of these  
b) Complete freedom for anyone to criticise the government

## democratic society and regular elections (q103c)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

How the respondent associate democracy with regular elections

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q103c. In order for a society to be called democratic, is each of these  
c) Regular elections

## democratic society and at least 2 parties competing (q103d)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

How respondent associate democracy with at least two political parties competing with each other

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q103d. In order for a society to be called democratic, is each of these  
d) At least two political parties competing with each other

## democratic society and basic necessities (q103e)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

## democratic society and basic necessities (q103e)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

How the respondent associate democracy with necessities like shelter, food and water for everyone

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q103e. In order for a society to be called democratic, is each of these  
e) Basic necessities like shelter, food and water for everyone

## democratic society and jobs for everyone (q103f)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

How the respondent associate democracy with jobs for everyone

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q103f. In order for a society to be called democratic, is each of these  
f) Jobs for everyone

## democratic society and equal education (q103g)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

How the respondent associate democracy with equality in education

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q103g. In order for a society to be called democratic, is each of these  
g) Equality in education

## democratic society and small income gap (q103h)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

How the respondent associate democracy with a small income gap between rich and poor

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q103h. In order for a society to be called democratic, is each of these  
h) A small income gap between rich and poor

## need a strong leader vs democracy always best (q104)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Respondent's opinion on the need of a strong leader who does not bother about elections or democracy

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q104. Sometimes democracy does not work. When this happens, some people say that we need a strong leader who doesnot have to bother with elections. Others say that even when things don't work, democracy is always best. What do you think?  
STATEMENT A: Need Strong Leader  
STATEMENT B: Democracy always best

## is south africa democratic? (q105)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Respondent's opinion on the way South Africa is governed

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q105. On the whole, is the way South Africa is governed

### Interviewer instructions

Read out options

## how satisfied are you with democracy in south africa (q106)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Respondent's satisfaction with the way democracy works in South Africa

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q106. Overall, how satisfied are you with the way democracy works in South Africa?

## most important changes about way country is governed (q107a)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-270	

### Description

Most important things the respondent feels need to change about the way South Africa is governed

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q107a. What are the most important things that need to be changed about the way we govern our country?

## most important changes about way country is governed (q107b)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-270	

### Description

Most important things the respondent feels need to change about the way South Africa is governed

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q107b. What are the most important things that need to be changed about the way we govern our country?

## most important changes about way country is governed (q107c)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview



**most important changes about way country is governed (q107c)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-270

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Most important things the respondent feels need to change about the way South Africa is governed

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q107c. What are the most important things that need to be changed about the way we govern our country?

**most important changes about way country is governed (q107d)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-270

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Most important things the respondent feels need to change about the way South Africa is governed

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q107d. What are the most important things that need to be changed about the way we govern our country?

**most important changes about way country is governed (q107e)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-270

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Most important things the respondent feels need to change about the way South Africa is governed

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q107e. What are the most important things that need to be changed about the way we govern our country?

**most important changes about way country is governed (q107f)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

## most important changes about way country is governed (q107f)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-270

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Most important things the respondent feels need to change about the way South Africa is governed

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q107f. What are the most important things that need to be changed about the way we govern our country?

## are you close to any political party (q108)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Whether the respondent is close to any particular political party

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q108. Do you usually think of yourself as close to any particular political party?

### Post question

No SKIP TO Q111

## which party are you close to (q109)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 10-97

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

The political party that the respondent is close to

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q109. Which party is that?

## how close do you feel to this party (q110)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

**how close do you feel to this party (q110)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Feeling of closeness to the political party mentioned in q109

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q110. Do you feel very close to this party, somewhat close, or not very close?

**trc was important for building a united sa nation (q110a1)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Respondent's opinion on whether the TRC initiative was important for building a united South Africa

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q110a1. Please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree with these statements.

a1) The TRC initiative was important for building a united South African nation.

**national reconciliation does not require intervention (q110a2)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Respondent's opinion on whether national reconciliation is a natural process

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q110a2. Please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree with these statements.

a2) National reconciliation is a natural process -it does not require intervention.

**reconciliation requires that south africans understand one another better (q110a3)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

## reconciliation requires that south africans understand one another better (q110a3)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's opinion on whether national reconciliation requires that South Africans understand one another better

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q110a3. Please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree with these statements.  
a3) National reconciliation requires that South Africans understand one another better.

## national reconciliation requires material compensation for victims (q110a4)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's opinion on whether national reconciliation requires material compensation for victims of apartheid

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q110a4. Please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree with these statements.  
a4) National reconciliation requires material compensation for victims of apartheid.

## national reconciliation requires that people forgive one another (q110a5)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's opinion on whether national reconciliation requires that people forgive one another

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q110a5. Please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree with these statements.  
a5) National reconciliation requires that people forgive one another.

## national reconciliation requires forgetting the past (q110a6)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Respondent's opinion on whether national reconciliation requires that people forget the past

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q110a6. Please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree with these statements.  
a6) National reconciliation requires forgetting the past.

## national reconciliation requires the healing of memories (q110a7)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Respondent's opinion on whether national reconciliation requires the healing of memories

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q110a7. Please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree with these statements.  
a7) National reconciliation requires the healing of memories.

## national reconciliation requires amnesty (q110a8)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Opinion on whether it is the respondent's responsibility as a citizen to contribute to the process of reconciliation

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q110a8. Please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree with these statements.  
a8) It my responsibility as a citizen to contribute to the process of national reconciliation.

## it is my responsibility as a citizen to contribute to the process of reconciliation (q110a9)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-999

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's opinion on whether national reconciliation requires amnesty as provided by the TRC

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q110a9. Please tell me whether you disagree, neither disagree nor agree, or agree with these statements.  
a9) National reconciliation requires amnesty as provided by the TRC.

## how old were you on your last birthday (q111)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 18-999

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Respondent's age at last birthday

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q111. How old were you at your last birthday or in which year were you born?

## what is your home language (q112)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-25

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Language most spoken at home

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q112. What language do you speak most at home?

## what is the highest grade, std, form completed (q113)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

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File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Highest grade, standard or form completed by respondent

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q113. What was the highest grade, standard or form you completed?

## is your job part-time or full-time; looking for work (q114)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Whether respondent has a job, full-time or part-time job and looking for another one if presently working

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q114. Do you have a job that pays a weekly or monthly cash income? Is it full-time or part-time? And are you looking for a cash job (or looking for another one if you are presently working)

## over the last 12 months have you been without a cash job more than a month (q115)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Whether respondent has been unemployed in the last twelve months for a period of at least one month or more

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q115. In the past twelve months, have you been unemployed (that is, without a cash job) at any time for a period of at least one month or more?

### Post question

Yes PROCEED WITH Q.116 1  
No SKIP TO Q117

**for how many months were you unemployed (q116)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

**Description**

Duration of time respondent was unemployed

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q116. How many months did this amount to?

**do you do regular work without cash pay (q117)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

**Description**

Whether respondent do a regular job without being paid cash and the type of job

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q117. Do you do any regular work without getting paid cash? IF YES What type of job? Is this a part time or full time job?

**what is your present or last occupation (q118)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 99-99	

**Description**

Respondent's present or last occupation if unemployed

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q118. What is your present occupation or last occupation if unemployed?

**type of occupation (q119)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**



**type of occupation (q119)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

The type of present or last occupation

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q119. Would that be

**do you know of a close friend or relative who died of aids (q120)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Whether respondent has knowledge of a close friend who has died of AIDS

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q120. Do you know a close friend or relative who has died of AIDS?

**national govt vote (q120a1)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 2-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Political party or organization the respondent would vote for if there are national government elections

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q120a1. If there were elections for national government tomorrow, which political party or organisation would you vote for?

**local govt vote - party (q120a2)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

## local govt vote - party (q120a2)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 2-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Political party or organization the respondent would vote for if there are local government elections

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q120a2. Now with regard to the upcoming local government elections, please remember that local organisations other than political parties may stand for office. Please make a cross next to your choice of party or organisation.

## local govt vote - candidate (q120a3)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Whether respondent would vote for an independent political party or somebody affiliated with a political party

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q120a3. Would you vote for an independent candidate or for somebody affiliated with a political party or local organisation?

## suburb (q121)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-550

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Suburb of interview

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q121. Suburb

## district/province (q122)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

**district/province (q122)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 100-108

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

District/province of interview

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q122. Town/City

**country (q123b)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 6-6

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Country of interview

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q123b. Country

**language interview was conducted in (q124a)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Language in which the interview was conducted

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q124a. Which language/s was the interview conducted in?

**language interview was conducted in (q124b)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

**language interview was conducted in (q124b)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Language in which the interview was contacted

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q124b. Which language/s was the interview conducted in?

**language interview was conducted in (q124c)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Language in which the interview was contacted

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q124c. Which language/s was the interview conducted in?

**respondents gender (q125)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Respondent's gender

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q125. Respondent's gender

**respondents race (q126)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

**respondents race (q126)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-6

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Respondent's race

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q126. Respondent's race

**did respondent have missing limbs (q127)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Whether respondent had any physical disabilities - missing limbs

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q127. Did the respondent have any physical disabilities? Missing limbs

**was respondent blind, or nearly blind (q128)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Whether respondent had any physical disabilities - blind, nearly blind

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q128. Did the respondent have any physical disabilities? Blind or nearly blind

**did respondent cough repeatedly during the interview (q129)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

**did respondent cough repeatedly during the interview (q129)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Whether respondent had any physical disabilities - coughing repeatedly during the interview

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q129. Did the respondent have any physical disabilities? Cough repeatedly during the interview

**what type of shelter does respondent live in (q130)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-10

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Type of shelter the respondent lives in

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q130. In what type of shelter does the respondent live?

**did the household have windows (q131)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Whether the respondent's household did have windows

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q131. Did the household have windows?

**did household have glass in windows (q132)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

**did household have glass in windows (q132)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Whether the respondent's household did have glass in windows

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q132. Did the household have glass in windows?

**what was roof made of (q133)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-8

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Material used for roofing the respondent's house

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q133. Was the roof made of?

**other adults present listening during the interview (q134a)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-5

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Presence of other adults who might have been listening during the interview

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q134a. Were there any other adults immediately present who might be listening during the interview?

**other adults present listening during the interview (q134b)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

**other adults present listening during the interview (q134b)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Presence of other adults who might have been listening during the interview

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q134b. Were there any other adults immediately present who might be listening during the interview?

**other adults present listening during the interview (q134c)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Presence of other adults who might have been listening during the interview

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q134c. Were there any other adults immediately present who might be listening during the interview?

**did respondent consult others to answer questions (q135)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Interviewer observation on whether respondent checked with others for information to answer any question

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q135. Did the respondent check with others for information to answer any question?

**did anyone influence respondents answers (q136)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**



**did anyone influence respondents answers (q136)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Interviewer opinion on whether anyone influenced the respondent's answers during the interview

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q136. Do you think anyone influenced the respondents' answers during the interview?

**what proportion of questions did respondent struggle with (q137)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Interviewer opinion on the proportion of questions the respondent had difficulties

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q137. What proportion of the questions do you feel the respondent had difficulty answering?

**where was interview conducted (q138)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Whether the interview was conducted inside, outside or both

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q138. Was the interview conducted?

**what was respondents attitude (q139)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

**what was respondents attitude (q139)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Respondent's attitude towards the interviewer during the interview

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q139. What was the respondent's attitude toward you during the interview?

**what was respondents attitude (q140)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Respondent's attitude towards the interviewer during the interview

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q140. What was the respondent's attitude toward you during the interview?

**what was respondents attitude during interview (q141)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Respondent's attitude towards the interviewer during the interview

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q141. What was the respondent's attitude toward you during the interview?

**what was respondents attitude during interview (q142)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

**what was respondents attitude during interview (q142)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Respondent's attitude towards the interviewer during the interview

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q142. What was the respondent's attitude toward you during the interview?

**what was respondents attitude during interview (q143)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Respondent's attitude towards the interviewer during the interview

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q143. What was the respondent's attitude toward you during the interview?

**what was respondents attitude during interview (q144)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Respondent's attitude towards the interviewer during the interview

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q144. What was the respondent's attitude toward you during the interview?

**did your presence arouse interest from neighbours (q145)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

**did your presence arouse interest from neighbours (q145)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q145. Did your presence in the area arouse interest from neighbours?

**did your presence arouse suspicion from neighbours (q146)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q146. Did your presence in the area arouse suspicion from neighbours?

**did your presence arouse fear from neighbours (q147)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q147. Did your presence in the area arouse fear from neighbours?

**were you approached by community/party representatives (q148)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q148. Were you approached by community and, or political party representatives?

**did you feel threatened during interview (q149)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q149. Did you feel threatened during the interview?

**were physically threatened during interview (q150)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q150. Were you physically threatened during the interview?

**anything else significant happen during interview (q151)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

**Description**

Anything significant that happened during the interview

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q151. Did anything else significant happen during the interview?

**interviewer number (q152)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-9328	

**interviewer number (q152)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Description**

Interviewer number

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q152. Interviewer number

**q153. interviewer age (q153)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Format: numeric

Width: 8

Decimals: 0

Range: 18-99

Valid cases: 2200

Invalid: 0

**Description**

Interviewer age

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q153. Interviewer age

**do you come from rural or urban area (q154)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Format: numeric

Width: 8

Decimals: 0

Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 2200

Invalid: 0

**Description**

Whether interviewer come from rural or urban

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q154. Do you come from a rural or urban area?

**interviewers home language (q155)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete

Format: numeric

Width: 8

Decimals: 0

Range: 1-25

Valid cases: 2200

Invalid: 0

**Description**

Interviewer's home language

## interviewers home language (q155)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q155. Interviewer's Home language

## interviewers gender (q156)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Interviewer's gender

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q156. Interviewer's gender

## interviewers race (q157)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-6

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Interviewer's race

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q157. Interviewer's race

## interviewers highest level of education (q158)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete  
Format: numeric  
Width: 8  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0

### Description

Interviewer's highest level of education

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**interviewers highest level of education (q158)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Literal question**

q158. Interviewers highest level of education

**is there a post office in the primary sampling unit (q159)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Presence of a post-office in the primary sampling unit

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q159. Are the following services present in the primary sampling unit / enumerator area (EA)? Post-office

**is there a school in the primary sampling unit (q160)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Presence of a school in the primary sampling unit

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q160. Are the following services present in the primary sampling unit / enumerator area (EA)? School

**is there a police station in the primary sampling unit (q161)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Presence of a police station in the primary sampling unit

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q161. Are the following services present in the primary sampling unit / enumerator area (EA)? Police station



## is there a regular bus or taxi service in the primary sampling unit (q162)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Presence of a regular bus or taxi service in the primary sampling unit

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q162. Are the following services present in the primary sampling unit / enumerator area (EA)? Regular bus or taxi service

## is there an electricity grid accessible to most houses (q163)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Presence of an electricity grid that most houses could access in the primary sampling unit

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q163. Are the following services present in the primary sampling unit / enumerator area (EA)? Electricity grid that most houses could access

## is there a piped water system accessible to most houses (q164)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Presence of piped water system that most houses could access in the primary sampling unit

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q164. Are the following services present in the primary sampling unit / enumerator area (EA)? Piped water system that most houses could access

**is there a sewage system accessible to most houses (q165)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

**Description**

Presence of sewage system that most houses could access in the primary sampling unit

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q165. Are the following services present in the primary sampling unit / enumerator area (EA)? Sewage system that most houses could access

**is there a railway station (q166)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

**Description**

Presence of a railway station in the primary sampling unit

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q166. Are the following services present in the primary sampling unit / enumerator area (EA)? Railway Station

**is there a health clinic (q167)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

**Description**

Presence of a health clinic in the primary sampling unit

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q167. Are the following services present in the primary sampling unit / enumerator area (EA)? Health Clinic

**are there recreational facilities (q168)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

**are there recreational facilities (q168)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Presence of recreational facilities for example, a sports field in the primary sampling unit

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q168. Are the following services present in the primary sampling unit / enumerator area (EA)? Recreational facilities for eg a sports field

**are there any places of worship such as churches, mosques (q169)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Presence of churches, mosques, temples or other places of worship in the primary sampling unit

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q169. Are the following services present in the primary sampling unit / enumerator area (EA)? Any churches, mosques, temples or other places of worship

**are there any townhalls or community buildings (q170)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Presence of townhalls or community buildings that can be used for meetings in the primary sampling unit

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q170. Are the following services present in the primary sampling unit / enumerator area (EA)? Any townhalls or community buildings that can be used for meetings

**is there a petrol station (q171)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**is there a petrol station (q171)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

**Description**

Presence of a petrol station in the primary sampling unit

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q171. Are the following services present in the primary sampling unit / enumerator area (EA)? Petrol station

**is there a bottle store (q172)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

**Description**

Presence of a bottle store in the primary sampling unit

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q172. Are the following services present in the primary sampling unit / enumerator area (EA)? Bottle store

**is there a supermarket (food/clothing) (q173)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

**Description**

Presence of a supermarket (food and/or clothing) in the primary sampling unit

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q173. Are the following services present in the primary sampling unit / enumerator area (EA)? Supermarket (food and/or clothing)

**are there cafes, corner shops (q174)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

**are there cafes, corner shops (q174)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Presence of cafes/corner shops/Spaza shops in the primary sampling unit

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q174. Are the following services present in the primary sampling unit / enumerator area (EA)? Cafes/corner shops/Spaza shops

**are there any market stalls (selling food/clothing) (q175)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Presence of market stalls (selling food and/or clothing) in the primary sampling unit

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q175. Are the following services present in the primary sampling unit / enumerator area (EA)? Market stalls (selling food and/or clothing)

**were there any police or police vehicles at psu or ea (q176)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q176. At the PSU / EA did you (or any of your colleagues ) see any policemen or police vehicles?

**were there any soldiers or army vehicles (q177)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

**were there any soldiers or army vehicles (q177)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q177. At the PSU / EA did you (or any of your colleagues ) see any soldiers or army vehicles?

**were there any pavements along roads (q178)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q178. At the PSU / EA did you (or any of your colleagues ) see any pavements along the roads or streets?

**any household yards with crops/vegetables being grown (q179)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q179. At the PSU / EA did you (or any of your colleagues ) see any gardens or fields attached to households containing evidence of crops/vegetables being grown?

**any household yards/fields containing livestock (q180)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

## any household yards/fields containing livestock (q180)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

q180. At the PSU / EA did you (or any of your colleagues ) see any yards or fields attached to households containing livestock such as goats, sheep, cows or horses?

## any household yards/fields with trees higher than one storey (q181)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q181. At the PSU / EA did you (or any of your colleagues ) see any yards, gardens or fields attached to households within trees growing in them that were larger than one storey in height?

## how many formal houses in psu (q182)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Number of formal houses within the primary sampling unit

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q182. How many houses within the primary sampling unit are formal houses?

## type of area in which interview was conducted in (q183)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Type of area in which interview was conducted

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q183. Type of area in which interview was conducted

**was the psu clearly sign-posted the last 10km of journey (q184)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q184. Was the PSU clearly sign posted along the last 10km of your journey?

**any stop gives way signs along last 10km of journey (q185)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q185. Were there any stop/give way signs along the last 10km of your journey?

**any traffic lights or robots along last 10km of journey (q186)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q186. Were there any traffic lights/robots along the last 10km of your journey?

**were they in working order (q187)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older



**were they in working order (q187)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Literal question**

q187. If yes above [q186], were all of them in working order?

**did you see a water-filled river in last 10km of journey (q188)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q188. Did you (or any of your colleagues) see a water-filled river during the last 1km of your journey?

**did you see a water-filled dam or lake in last 10km of journey (q189)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q189. Did you (or any of your colleagues) see a water-filled dam or lake during the last 1km of your journey?

**how much of the last 10km was graded sand/dirt roads (q190)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

**Overview**

Type: Discrete  
 Format: numeric  
 Width: 8  
 Decimals: 0  
 Range: 1-99

Valid cases: 2200  
 Invalid: 0

**Description**

Proportion of graded sand/dirty roads in the last 10km of the journey

**Universe**

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

**Literal question**

q190. Roughly how much of the last 10km of your journey were spent on these different sorts of roads? Graded sand/dirt roads

## how much of the last 10km was ungraded dirt roads (q191)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Proportion of ungraded dirty roads in the last 10km of the journey

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q191. Roughly how much of the last 10km of your journey were spent on these different sorts of roads? Ungraded dirt roads

## how much of the last 10km was spent off road (q192)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Proportion of off road in the last 10km of the journey

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q192. Roughly how much of the last 10km of your journey were spent on these different sorts of roads? Off road

## how much of the last 10km was spent on tarred/concrete (q193)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 2200
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 8	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-99	

### Description

Proportion of tarred or concrete roads in the last 10km of the journey

### Universe

The universe for this question is citizens of South Africa 18 years of age or older

### Literal question

q193. Roughly how much of the last 10km of your journey were spent on these different sorts of roads? Tarred or concrete roads

## (weight)

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

### Overview

**(weight)**

File: Afrobarometer SA 2000

Type: Continuous  
Format: numeric  
Width: 9  
Decimals: 0  
Range: 0.0427000001072884-2.26399993896484

Valid cases: 2200  
Invalid: 0  
Minimum: 0  
Maximum: 2.3  
Mean: 1  
Standard deviation: 0.3

# Documentation

## Questionnaires

### Southern African Barometer Project Democracy Survey I: South Africa

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## Technical documents

### Afrobarometer: Round I Survey of South Africa, July-August 2000

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