

Employment Insurance Coverage Survey 2020

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Variable Name: PUMFID **Length:** 5.0 **Position:** 1
Question Name:
Concept: Sequential Identification Number
Question Text:
Universe: All respondents.
Note:
Source: EICS

Variable Name: SRYR **Length:** 4.0 **Position:** 6
Question Name:
Concept: Survey reference year
Question Text:
Universe: All respondents.
Note:
Source: EICS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
Survey reference year	2020 - 2020	1,040	512,895	100.0
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: REGION **Length:** 1.0 **Position:** 10
Question Name:
Concept: Region
Question Text:
Universe: All respondents
Note:
Source: LFS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
Atlantic region	1	111	26,832	5.2
Quebec	2	193	108,179	21.1
Ontario	3	288	204,614	39.9
Western region	4	448	173,270	33.8
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: EDUC_P **Length:** 1.0 **Position:** 11

Question Name:

Concept: Highest educational attainment

Question Text:

Universe: All respondents.

Note:

Source: EICS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
High school or less	1	207	94,604	18.4
Post secondary, below Bachelor's degree	2	360	162,632	31.7
Post-secondary, Bachelor's or higher degree	3	473	255,659	49.8
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: TYPES **Length:** 1.0 **Position:** 12

Question Name:

Concept: Survey type as determined for the EICS

Question Text: Survey type as determined for the EICS

Universe: All respondents

Note: In a few cases a person could fall into more than one group. The priority sequence is TYPES 5 then TYPES 2 and TYPES 4. Parents of infants can have TYPES=1, 3 or 5. Parents absent from work in reference week will have TYPES=3 even though they have a job. They were treated the same way as other type 3's for the purposes of survey operations because they considered themselves "not working and not looking for work" when responding to questions in the interview. TYPES=4 is composed of full-time workers who have experienced an interruption of work in the three months prior to the reference period.

Source: EICS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
Unemployed during LFS reference week	1	39	23,419	4.6
Not in the labour force during reference week	3	742	347,831	67.8
Parents of infants working in reference week	5	259	141,646	27.6
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: WORKNOW **Length:** 1.0 **Position:** 13

Question Name:

Concept: Respondent currently working at a job or business

Question Text:

Universe: Parents of a child aged 0 to 18 months

Note:

Source: EICS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
Yes	1	386	198,651	38.7
No	2	654	314,244	61.3
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: PARENT **Length:** 1.0 **Position:** 14

Question Name:

Concept: Respondent status - parent or not

Question Text: Respondent status - parent or not

Universe: All respondents

Note: Parents of a child aged 0 to 18 months are represented in the survey, starting in 2000. Some parents are also part of the original population, e.g. unemployed parents, parents not in the labour force who worked in the past two years and parents absent from part-time jobs.

Source: LFS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
Parent of a child 0 to 18 months old	1	1,040	512,895	100.0
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: LSTWRK **Length:** 1.0 **Position:** 15

Question Name:

Concept: Last worked period - grouped

Question Text:

Universe: All respondents

Note: This refers to last month worked before the LFS reference week. Note that persons may have worked between reference week and the week of the survey.

Source: EICS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
Working during reference week	0	259	141,646	27.6
0 to 4 months ago	1	173	76,191	14.9
5 to 12 months ago	2	328	158,340	30.9
13 to 24 months ago	3	147	76,452	14.9
More than 24 months ago	4	87	33,885	6.6
Never worked	5	46	26,381	5.1

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: TENURE_P **Length:** 1.0 **Position:** 16

Question Name:

Concept: Job tenure - grouped

Question Text:

Universe: Paid employees at last or current job

Note: Based on LFS variable TENURE or EICS questions JB_Q25A, JB_Q25B and last work date. "Note stated" in this item results mostly from the inability of some respondents to recall precisely when they started working.

Source: LFS or EICS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
One year or less	1	165	79,184	15.4
More than 1 year to 2 years	2	104	52,302	10.2
More than 2 years to 5 years	3	258	122,967	24.0
More than 5 years to 10 years	4	237	118,808	23.2
More than 10 years	5	86	41,916	8.2
Valid skip	6	131	70,450	13.7
Not stated	9	59	27,269	5.3
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: NAICS6 **Length:** 2.0 **Position:** 17

Question Name:

Concept: Industry groups (6) based on NAICS 2017

Question Text:

Universe: Respondents who ever worked

Note: Based on LFS or collected by the EICS. "Not stated" in this item refers primarily to situations where a code could not be assigned based on the respondent's answer.

Non-abbreviated Answer Categories:

01 Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting & mining, quarrying, and oil and gas extraction & utilities

05 Educational services & health care and social assistance & public administration

Source: LFS or EICS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
Agri/forest/fish/hunt & mining/quarry/oil/gas extract & util	01	23	7,327	1.4
Construction	02	21	11,606	2.3
Manufacturing	03	39	15,963	3.1
Retail trade & accommodation and food services	04	156	60,699	11.8

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
Educ services & health care and social assist & public admin	05	433	192,244	37.5
All others	06	286	183,260	35.7
Valid skip	96	46	26,381	5.1
Not stated	99	36	15,416	3.0
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: NOC6 **Length:** 2.0 **Position:** 19

Question Name:

Concept: Occupation groups (6) NOC 2016

Question Text:

Universe: Respondents who ever worked

Note: Based on LFS or collected by the EICS. "Not stated" in this item refers primarily to situations where a code could not be assigned based on the respondent's answer.

Non-Abbreviated Answer Categories:

03: Natural and applied sciences and related occupations & Health occupations
 04 Occupations in education, law and social, community and government service & Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport
 05 Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations & Natural resources, agriculture and related production occupations & Occupations in manufacturing and utilities

Source: LFS or EICS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
Management occupations	01	59	32,940	6.4
Business, finance and administration occupations	02	216	124,781	24.3
Natural/appl. sci./related occupations & health occupations	03	230	110,781	21.6
Occ in educ/law/soc/comm/gov serv & occ in art/cul/rec/sport	04	198	89,207	17.4
Trades/transp/equip op & nat res/agri & occ in manu and util	05	50	21,292	4.2
Sales and service	06	209	92,710	18.1
Valid skip	96	46	26,381	5.1
Not stated	99	32	14,802	2.9
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: UNIONCA **Length:** 1.0 **Position:** 21

Question Name:

Concept: Union status

Question Text:

Universe: Paid employees at last or current job

Variable Name: FTPT **Length:** 1.0 **Position:** 30

Question Name:

Concept: Full-time or part-time status of last or current job

Question Text:

Universe: Paid employees at last or current job

Note: Based on LFS variable UHRSMAIN. "Not stated" in this variable results mainly from non-response "don't know" in JB_Q95.

Source: LFS or EICS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
Full-time	1	747	374,034	72.9
Part-time	2	148	64,331	12.5
Valid skip	6	131	70,450	13.7
Not stated	9	14	4,080	0.8
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: WRKTYP **Length:** 2.0 **Position:** 31

Question Name:

Concept: Type of work arrangement

Question Text:

Universe: Respondents who ever worked

Note: Based on FTPT and LFS variable PERMTEMP or EICS questions JB_Q105A and JB_Q105B.

Source: LFS or EICS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
Permanent full-time worker	01	678	342,092	66.7
Permanent part-time worker	02	115	50,976	9.9
Not permanent, other	05	94	41,440	8.1
Self-employed	06	82	42,123	8.2
Valid skip	96	46	26,381	5.1
Not stated	99	25	9,883	1.9
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: EIDEDUC **Length:** 1.0 **Position:** 33

Question Name: JB_Q110

Concept: EI premiums deducted at job

Question Text: [Are/Were] Employment Insurance premiums deducted from your wages or salary at that job with [your most recent job]?

- Employment Insurance premiums are deducted at most jobs in Canada where you

are an employee
 - There is no minimum or maximum age for deducting EI premiums.

Universe: Paid employees at last or current job as reported or known at the beginning of the interview

Note: Based on EICS question JB_Q110. The class of worker of some respondents who answered 'No' to this question was changed based on the reason provided for not contributing to Employment Insurance

Source: EICS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
Yes	1	865	419,592	81.8
No	2	29	18,562	3.6
Valid skip	6	127	68,151	13.3
Not stated	9	19	6,591	1.3
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: WEEKSCAT **Length:** 2.0 **Position:** 34

Question Name:

Concept: Weeks worked during the reference year (groups)

Question Text:

Universe: Respondents who ever worked

Note: Based on EICS question WY_Q05. The value "00" may mean that no work was done for a Canadian employer.

Source: EICS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
None	00	116	49,115	9.6
01 to 10 weeks	01	22	10,141	2.0
11 to 25 weeks	02	73	35,825	7.0
26 to 38 weeks	03	113	47,012	9.2
39 to 51 weeks	04	220	106,910	20.8
52 weeks	05	428	227,490	44.4
Valid skip	96	46	26,381	5.1
Not stated	99	22	10,021	2.0
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: FTPT_RY **Length:** 1.0 **Position:** 36

Question Name:

Concept: Full-time/part-time status in reference year

Question Text:

Universe: Respondents who had at least one week of paid employment at last or current job

Note: Based on EICS questions WY_Q05 or WY_Q10. Full-time work is interpreted as 30 hours or more per week. If working at two jobs in a week, hours are added from both

jobs.

Source: EICS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
All weeks full-time	1	668	344,320	67.1
Some weeks full-time and some weeks part-time	2	79	35,651	7.0
All weeks part-time	3	127	55,917	10.9
Valid skip	6	162	75,496	14.7
Not stated	9	4	1,512	0.3
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: CLAIM **Length:** 1.0 **Position:** 37

Question Name:

Concept: Made a claim in the last 2 yrs or since the birth/adoption of child

Question Text:

Universe: All respondents

Note: Based on EICS questions BE_Q05, BE_Q10 and BE_Q30.

Source: EICS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
Yes	1	784	392,399	76.5
No	2	256	120,497	23.5
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: BENEFIT **Length:** 1.0 **Position:** 38

Question Name:

Concept: Received EI or QPIP benefits

Question Text:

Universe: All respondents

Note:

Source: EICS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
Yes, during the reference week	1	488	228,421	44.5
Yes, but not during reference week	3	278	154,900	30.2
No - includes valid skip (never worked)	4	274	129,574	25.3
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: BENWEEKS **Length:** 2.0 **Position:** 39

Variable Name: HOURS **Length:** 4.0 **Position:** 43

Question Name:

Concept: Num. of insurable hours the yr before the respondent stopped working

Question Text:

Universe: Paid employees at last job, worked in last 2 years but not currently working

Note: Based primarily on EICS questions WY_Q10, WY_Q15 and WY_Q20. These questions deal with hours worked for an "average" week in the reference period. When this information was missing, the usual hours worked at the main job was used as a proxy. The job variable provides an estimate of insurable hours worked in the reference year. It was derived for the sole purpose of determining eligibility for EI when no other information was available to assess it.

Source: EICS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
None	0000	4	3,019	0.6
Number of insurable hours in reference year	0120 - 3037	612	292,104	57.0
Valid skip	9996	420	216,906	42.3
Not stated	9999	4	867	0.2
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: INSEMP **Length:** 1.0 **Position:** 47

Question Name:

Concept: Insurable employment in past two years

Question Text:

Universe: Parents of a child aged 0 to 18 months

Note: Based on EICS questions WY_Q05, BE_Q05, and BE_Q20

Source: EICS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
Has no insurable employment in past two years	0	216	103,894	20.3
Has insurable employment in past two years	1	824	409,002	79.7
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: COVERAGE **Length:** 2.0 **Position:** 48

Question Name:

Concept: Taxonomy of Employment Insurance coverage

Question Text:

Universe: Respondents who were not working during the reference week and worked in the past two years or were looking for work

Note: Based on EICS derived variables BENEFIT, RNBENRW, and HOURS. Persons who received benefits are assigned a value of 1, 2, 3 or 4 as appropriate. Then, people who have not worked in the last year are assigned a value of 11 or 12. Respondents who were self-employed in the last year or in a job where Employment Insurance premiums were not deducted from their pay are assigned a value of 10. Respondents who left their job to return to school or for other reasons not deemed valid for the Employment Insurance Act are then identified and assigned a value of 8 or 9. Lastly, when no other information was available to determine eligibility, an estimate of hours worked in the reference week was used (700 hours guarantees eligibility in all regions of the country for paid employees contributing to the program).

Source: EICS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
Received special benefits during reference week	02	477	224,420	43.8
Exhausted benefits (last 12 months)	04	41	19,327	3.8
Eligible & claimed but didn't receive benefits/didn't claim	05	7	2,188	0.4
Did not meet entrance requirements	07	16	6,040	1.2
No recent insurable employment	10	20	10,237	2.0
Has not worked in the last 12 months and could not qualify	11	91	48,949	9.5
Valid skip	96	388	201,734	39.3
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: ELIGIBLE **Length:** 1.0 **Position:** 50

Question Name:

Concept: Employment Insurance eligibility status

Question Text:

Universe: Respondents who were not working during the reference week and worked in the past two years or were looking for work

Note: Based on EICS derived variable COVERAGE.

Source: EICS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
Potentially eligible - Eligible	1	525	245,935	48.0
Potentially eligible - Not eligible	2	16	6,040	1.2
Not potentially eligible	3	111	59,187	11.5
Valid skip	6	388	201,734	39.3
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: MATPAR **Length:** 1.0 **Position:** 51

Question Name:

Concept: Received maternity and/or parental benefits

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Source: EICS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
Spouse/partner claimed or intends to claim	1	295	145,701	28.4
Spouse/partner did not claim or intend to claim	2	628	307,830	60.0
Valid skip	6	116	59,144	11.5
Not stated	9	1	221	0.0
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: BENPLAN **Length:** 1.0 **Position:** 58

Question Name:

Concept: Parental benefits plan or option chosen

Question Text:

Universe: Parents or their spouses who have received or intend to receive QPIP or EI parental benefits for the birth or adoption of their child

Note: Based on questions BE_Q60A and PS_Q35A

Source: EICS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
QPIP Special benefits plan	1	34	17,293	3.4
QPIP Basic benefits plan	2	145	80,179	15.6
EI Standard parental benefits option	3	517	245,865	47.9
EI Extended parental benefits option	4	127	64,282	12.5
Valid skip	6	166	80,792	15.8
Not stated	9	51	24,484	4.8
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: ADDPAYM **Length:** 1.0 **Position:** 59

Question Name:

Concept: Received or expects to receive employer top-ups

Question Text:

Universe: Parents who received or expect to receive parental benefits

Note: Based on EICS questions AP_Q05A and AP_Q05C

Source: EICS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
Received or expect to receive top-ups	1	320	161,228	31.4
Did not receive and does not expect to receive	3	432	218,664	42.6
Valid skip	6	272	128,905	25.1
Not stated	9	16	4,098	0.8
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: APWEEKS **Length:** 1.0 **Position:** 60

Question Name:

Concept: Weeks of additional payments

Question Text:

Universe: Parents who have worked in the past two years and who have received additional payments since the birth of their child

Note: Based on EICS question AP_Q10.

Source: EICS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
0-8 weeks	1	73	37,714	7.4
9-17 weeks	2	111	51,114	10.0
18-49 weeks	3	90	48,541	9.5
50 + weeks	4	33	20,076	3.9
Valid skip	6	720	351,668	68.6
Not stated	9	13	3,783	0.7
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: AF_05 **Length:** 1.0 **Position:** 61

Question Name: AF_Q05

Concept: Relied on parents for most day-to-day financial needs

Question Text: Who is responsible for paying expenses such as groceries, rent or mortgage payments, utilities and taxes for your household?

Is it:

Universe: Respondents who are part of an economic family

Note:

Source: EICS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
You and your spouse/You	1	1,018	503,653	98.2
Someone else	2	22	9,242	1.8
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: MNFUND_P **Length:** 2.0 **Position:** 62

Question Name:

Concept: Main source of funds for household expenses

Question Text:

Universe: All respondents those who rely on their parents

Note:

Source: EICS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
Your wages or self-employment income	01	200	107,153	20.9
Wages or self-employment income of another household member	02	570	270,931	52.8
Your Employment Insurance[or QUIP/BLANK] benefits	03	116	61,153	11.9
EI [or QUIP/BLANK] benefits of another household member	04	33	13,660	2.7
Savings	05	22	11,379	2.2
Canada Child Benefit	06	33	15,079	2.9
Other source	07	42	23,794	4.6
Valid skip	96	22	9,242	1.8
Not stated	99	2	504	0.1
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: JS_05 **Length:** 1.0 **Position:** 64

Question Name: JS_Q05

Concept: Respondent looked for work in the previous week

Question Text: Last week, did you do anything to find work?

This refers to activities such as looking at job ads, placing or answering job ads, contacting employers, or agencies.

The activity could have been done in person, by telephone, on the Internet, or through newspapers.

Universe: Respondents who did not have a job or business last week or were absent from work last week due to business conditions and non-parents who received EI benefits during the reference week

Note:

Source: EICS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
Yes	1	47	32,783	6.4
No	2	249	109,577	21.4
Valid skip	6	744	370,535	72.2
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: LOOKHRS **Length:** 5.1 **Position:** 65

Question Name: JS_Q20

Concept: Hours spent looking for work week

Question Text: Last week, about how many hours did you spend on activities related to looking for work?

Include time spent looking at job ads, making telephone calls, writing letters, filling applications, taking job search seminars, attending interviews, any other activities related to looking for work.

If necessary, enter a decimal value e.g., 12.5.

Number of hours

Universe: Respondents who looked for work

Note:

Source: EICS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
Hours spent looking	000.0 - 030.0	44	30,470	5.9
Valid skip	999.6	993	480,112	93.6
Not stated	999.9	3	2,313	0.5
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: LOOKCOST **Length:** 4.0 **Position:** 70

Question Name: JS_Q25

Concept: Cost of job search activities

Question Text: Last week, about how much did it cost you to look for work?

Include expenses such as resume or CV preparation, employment agencies, parking, bus, taxi, child care, workshop, job coaching, any other expenses related to looking for work.

Rounded to the nearest CAN\$

Universe: Respondents who looked for work

Note:

Source: EICS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
Cost of job search activities	0000 - 0100	42	30,443	5.9
Valid skip	9996	993	480,112	93.6
Not stated	9999	5	2,340	0.5
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: CARE_G **Length:** 1.0 **Position:** 74

Question Name:

Concept: Cost of childcare of the youngest child

Question Text:

Universe: Working parents who took a break since the birth or adoption of their child and who had someone other than themselves or their spouse take care of their child when they

returned to work

Note: Based on EICS question WA_Q130A & WA_Q130B.

Source: EICS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
Less than \$500 per month	1	89	46,486	9.1
\$500 or more per month	2	86	43,499	8.5
Valid skip	6	833	405,365	79.0
Not stated	9	32	17,545	3.4
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: CARETYPE **Length:** 2.0 **Position:** 75

Question Name:

Concept: Type of childcare used/expected

Question Text:

Universe: Parents who have worked in the past, but have not worked for pay since the birth or adoption of their child and who are planning to return to work in less than 18 months or are not sure when they plan to return to work or have already returned to work after a break

Note:

Source: EICS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
Private daycare centre	01	141	71,135	13.9
Government funded daycare centre	02	80	40,588	7.9
Home based daycare or child care	03	103	53,818	10.5
Your child's other parent	04	131	63,948	12.5
You will work from home with your child at home	05	30	16,351	3.2
Care by a friend or relative	06	151	70,370	13.7
Care by a non-relative in your home	07	17	8,965	1.7
Other	08	19	10,261	2.0
Have not decided	09	116	58,585	11.4
Valid skip	96	246	115,506	22.5
Not stated	99	6	3,367	0.7
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: SAMEMP **Length:** 1.0 **Position:** 77

Question Name:

Concept: Returned or plan to return to the same employer

Question Text:

Universe: Parents who have worked in a paid job in the past two years, intend to return to work within the next 18 months or have already returned (after a break)

Variable Name: CHLDCARE **Length:** 1.0 **Position:** 80

Question Name:

Concept: Planned or current child care arrangement

Question Text:

Universe: Parents who have worked in the past, but have not worked for pay since the birth or adoption of their child and who are planning to return to work in less than 18 months or are not sure when they plan to return to work or have already returned to work after a break

Note: Based on EICS questions PR_Q50 or WA_Q125. "Not stated" in this variable results mainly from non-response "don't know" or "refusals". Use WRKAFTER to distinguish between parents who have already returned to work and those who have not.

Source: EICS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
Parent themselves or shared care with spouse	1	161	80,299	15.7
Friend or relative will take care of child	2	151	70,370	13.7
Private babysitter	3	120	62,783	12.2
Public or private daycare centre	4	221	111,723	21.8
Other	5	135	68,846	13.4
Valid skip	6	246	115,506	22.5
Not stated	9	6	3,367	0.7
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: WORKCOND **Length:** 1.0 **Position:** 81

Question Name:

Concept: Working conditions after birth or adoption

Question Text:

Universe: Parents who have worked in a paid job in the past two years, intend to return to work within the next 18 months or have already returned (after a break)

Note: Based on EICS question PR_Q30, PR_Q40, PR_Q45A - PR_Q45E, WA_Q105, WA_Q115 or WA_Q120A - WA_Q120E. Use WRKAFTER to distinguish between parents who have already returned to work and those who have not.

Source: EICS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
Same working conditions	1	544	272,368	53.1
Different working conditions, other	3	157	80,314	15.7
Valid skip	6	270	125,574	24.5
Don't know	7	37	18,835	3.7
Not stated	9	32	15,804	3.1
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: ALLEAVE **Length:** 2.0 **Position:** 82

EICS 2020 - Data Dictionary

Universe: Parents of a child aged 0 to 18 months

Note:

Source: EICS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
Decrease	1	568	289,666	56.5
Increase	2	88	33,589	6.5
Stay the same	3	372	181,778	35.4
Not stated	9	12	7,862	1.5
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: CHGINC **Length:** 2.0 **Position:** 86

Question Name:

Concept: Change in income (per month)

Question Text:

Universe: Parents of a child aged 0 to 18 months

Note: Based on EICS questions CI_Q10A, CI_Q10B and CI_Q10C.

Source: EICS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
Decrease by more than \$2000	01	112	63,014	12.3
Decrease by \$1001-2000	02	144	83,151	16.2
Decrease by \$501-1000	03	126	53,108	10.4
Decrease by \$500 or less	04	87	44,229	8.6
Stayed the same	05	372	181,778	35.4
Increase by \$500 or less	06	36	13,417	2.6
Increase by \$501-1000	07	19	9,762	1.9
Increase by more than \$1000	08	11	3,020	0.6
Not stated	99	133	61,416	12.0
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: EFAMEM_R **Length:** 1.0 **Position:** 88

Question Name:

Concept: Number of employed persons in the economic family

Question Text:

Universe: All respondents

Note:

Source: LFS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
None	0	63	30,282	5.9
One person	1	304	162,748	31.7

EICS 2020 - Data Dictionary

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
Two persons	2	637	301,469	58.8
Three persons or more	3	36	18,397	3.6
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: EFAMSZ_P **Length:** 1.0 **Position:** 89

Question Name:

Concept: Number of persons in the economic family - grouped

Question Text:

Universe: All respondents

Note:

Source: LFS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
Three or fewer people	3	390	209,733	40.9
Four or more people	4	650	303,163	59.1
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

Variable Name: EFAMILY **Length:** 2.0 **Position:** 90

Question Name:

Concept: Type of economic family - grouped

Question Text:

Universe: All respondents

Note:

Source: EICS

<u>Answer Categories</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Weighted Frequency</u>	<u>%</u>
Dual-earner couple	02	637	300,713	58.6
Single-earner couple	03	272	150,106	29.3
Non-earner couple	04	38	16,613	3.2
Lone parent family	05	76	35,629	6.9
Other family	06	17	9,834	1.9
Total		1,040	512,895	100.0

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