

Phone: Psychological Well-Being

GPSY Psychological Well-Being (PWB) Module

For more information on the Psychological Well-Being Module see Appendix K.

OVERVIEW

The purpose of the PWB variables for the 2004 phone administration is purely methodological. In 1993 we found that the PWB phone items had unexpected bimodal distributions and confirmatory factor analyses of these items was not consistent with that of analyses done on mail items in the WLS, MIDUS or NSFH.

In 1993 the PWB items were asked using an unfolding technique, meaning that respondents were first asked whether they agreed or disagreed with each statement and then were asked a follow-up question about whether they (dis)agreed strongly, moderately or slightly. With only the 1993 data we don't know whether the unfolding technique or the phone administration is driving the anomalous results. Our PWB module in 2004 is designed to answer this question because respondents will not be given the unfolding technique, but rather will be asked to choose from the following list of response categories: strongly agree, moderately agree, slightly agree, slightly disagree, moderately disagree, or strongly disagree. This module is being given to an 80% subsample of replicate 3.

Also, in 1993, the first 12 of the individual PWB items were on the phone instrument and the last 6 were part of the mail instrument. In 2004, all 18 individual items are on the telephone instrument, so new phone variables have been created for the last 6. (NOTE: There is also a completely separate set of PWB items on the 2003 mail instrument which are not part of the current methodological study. Researchers wishing to use measures of psychological well-being should use these mail items. The mail PWB items have been given to all replicates, unlike the telephone PWB items, which are given only to replicate 3.)

The following types of variables are included in this module:

- a. Variable for whether the person was included in the PWB sample (n=1)
- b. Constructed variables with the total PWB score for each PWB sub-dimension (n=6)
- c. Constructed variables detailing how many items were answered for each PWB sub-dimension (n=6)
- d. Constructed variable with the total PWB score (n=1)
- e. Constructed variable detailing how many PWB items were answered (n=1)
- f. Individual PWB items (n=18)

BRIEF VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS

GN101RE:	Sample Selection Flag.
GN102REC,GN103REC:	Total Score for Autonomy and Number of Autonomy Questions Answered.
GN104REC,GN105REC:	Total Score for Environmental Mastery

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and Number of Environmental Mastery Questions Answered.

GN106REC,GN107REC: Total Score for Personal Growth and Number of Personal Growth Questions Answered.

GN108REC,GN109REC: Total Score for Positive Relations with Others and Number of Positive Relations Questions Answered.

GN110REC,GN111REC: Total Score for Purpose in Life and Number of Purpose in Life Questions Answered.

GN112REC,GN113REC: Total Score for Self-Acceptance and Number of Self-Acceptance Questions Answered.

GN114REC,GN115REC: Total Score for Psychological Well-Being and Number of Psychological Well-Being Questions Answered.

GN116RE-GN133RE: Individual Questions for the Psychological Well-Being Scale.

gn101re: Sample of 8% for psychological well-being questions.

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 2004 Mode: phone
Source variables: PSYFLAG

		Frequencies		
Value	Label	Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1621	1431	3052
0	RESPONDENT NOT IN PSYFLAG SAMPLE	3124	3596	6720
1	RESPONDENT IS IN PSYFLAG SAMPLE	246	299	545

Note: 80% of replicate 3 only.

gn102rec: Total score for autonomy.

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 2004 Mode: phone
Source variables: GN116RE, GN125RE, GN128RE

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1621	1431	3052
-5	PARTIAL INTERVIEW	9	5	14
-2	Inappropriate INAP (GN101RE!=1 CONSTITUENT Q(S) < 0)	3128	3599	6727
4		1	0	1
5		0	3	3
7		0	1	1
8		1	4	5
9		6	8	14
10		4	7	11
11		14	12	26
12		13	28	41
13		28	33	61
14		32	40	72
15		35	35	70
16		26	38	64
17		36	38	74
18	HIGHEST POSSIBLE	37	44	81

Note: Total score for each of the 6 subdimensions and for psychological well-being over all.

gn103rec: Number of autonomy questions answered.

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 2004 Mode: phone

Source variables: GN101RE, GN116RE, GN125RE, GN128RE

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1621	1431	3052
-5	PARTIAL INTERVIEW	9	5	14
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAPPROPRIATE (R NOT IN SAMPLE)	3124	3596	6720
0		1	0	1
1		1	1	2
2		2	2	4
3		233	291	524

Note: Similar to RN003RED in 1993 survey.

gn104rec: Total score for environmental mastery.

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 2004 Mode: phone
Source variables: GN117RE, GN121RE, GN129RE

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1621	1431	3052
-5	PARTIAL INTERVIEW	9	5	14
-2	Inappropriate INAP (GN101RE!=1 CONSTITUENT Q(S) < 0)	3126	3600	6726
6		0	1	1
8		0	2	2
9		1	3	4
10		1	3	4
11		3	6	9
12		9	11	20
13		18	24	42
14		15	25	40
15		30	31	61
16		42	49	91
17		47	49	96
18	HIGHEST POSSIBLE	69	86	155

Note: Total score for each of the 6 subdimensions and for psychological well-being over all.

gn105rec: Number of environmental mastery questions answered.

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 2004 Mode: phone

Source variables: GN101RE, GN117RE, GN121RE, GN129RE

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1621	1431	3052
-5	PARTIAL INTERVIEW	9	5	14
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAPPROPRIATE (R NOT IN SAMPLE)	3124	3596	6720
0		1	0	1
1		0	1	1
2		1	3	4
3		235	290	525

Note: Similar to RN005RED in 1993 survey.

gn106rec: Total score for personal growth.

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 2004 Mode: phone
Source variables: GN122RE, GN126RE, GN130RE

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1621	1431	3052
-5	PARTIAL INTERVIEW	9	5	14
-2	Inappropriate INAP (GN101RE!=1 CONSTITUENT Q(S) < 0)	3126	3603	6729
5		0	1	1
6		1	0	1
8		1	1	2
9		5	4	9
10		3	1	4
11		10	8	18
12		21	14	35
13		13	40	53
14		20	35	55
15		36	36	72
16		33	32	65
17		41	41	82
18	HIGHEST POSSIBLE	51	74	125

Note: Total score for each of the 6 subdimensions and for psychological well-being over all.

gn107rec: Number of personal growth questions answered.

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 2004 Mode: phone

Source variables: GN101RE, GN122RE, GN126RE, GN130RE

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1621	1431	3052
-5	PARTIAL INTERVIEW	9	5	14
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAPPROPRIATE (R NOT IN SAMPLE)	3124	3596	6720
0		1	1	2
1		1	1	2
2		0	5	5
3		235	287	522

Note: Similar to RN007RED in 1993 survey.

gn108rec: Total score for positive relationships.

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 2004 Mode: phone
Source variables: GN118RE, GN123RE, GN131RE

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1621	1431	3052
-5	PARTIAL INTERVIEW	9	5	14
-2	Inappropriate INAP (GN101RE!=1 CONSTITUENT Q(S) < 0)	3130	3600	6730
4		1	0	1
5		1	0	1
6		2	0	2
7		4	2	6
8		4	5	9
9		9	6	15
10		5	5	10
11		8	5	13
12		15	12	27
13		22	22	44
14		19	19	38
15		30	22	52
16		27	33	60
17		43	57	100
18	HIGHEST POSSIBLE	41	102	143

Note: Total score for each of the 6 subdimensions and for psychological well-being over all.

gn109rec: Number of positive relationships questions answered.

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 2004 Mode: phone

Source variables: GN101RE, GN118RE, GN123RE, GN131RE

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1621	1431	3052
-5	PARTIAL INTERVIEW	9	5	14
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAPPROPRIATE (R NOT IN SAMPLE)	3124	3596	6720
0		1	0	1
1		1	1	2
2		4	3	7
3		231	290	521

Note: Similar to RN009RED in 1993 survey.

gn110rec: Total score for purpose in life.

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 2004 Mode: phone
Source variables: GN119RE, GN124RE, GN132RE

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1621	1431	3052
-5	PARTIAL INTERVIEW	9	5	14
-2	Inappropriate INAP (GN101RE!=1 CONSTITUENT Q(S) < 0)	3131	3600	6731
3		0	1	1
4		0	3	3
5		0	2	2
6		1	2	3
7		2	1	3
8		8	7	15
9		12	15	27
10		4	14	18
11		9	11	20
12		23	24	47
13		31	35	66
14		24	40	64
15		20	26	46
16		29	43	72
17		35	36	71
18	HIGHEST POSSIBLE	32	30	62

Note: Total score for each of the 6 subdimensions and for psychological well-being over all.

gn111rec: Number of purpose in life questions answered.

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 2004 Mode: phone

Source variables: GN101RE, GN119RE, GN124RE, GN132RE

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1621	1431	3052
-5	PARTIAL INTERVIEW	9	5	14
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAPPROPRIATE (R NOT IN SAMPLE)	3124	3596	6720
0		1	1	2
1		1	0	1
2		5	3	8
3		230	290	520

Note: Similar to RN011RED in 1993 survey.

gn112rec: Total score for self-acceptance.

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 2004 Mode: phone
Source variables: GN120RE, GN127RE, GN133RE

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1621	1431	3052
-5	PARTIAL INTERVIEW	9	5	14
-2	Inappropriate INAP (GN101RE!=1 CONSTITUENT Q(S) < 0)	3126	3598	6724
3		0	1	1
6		1	1	2
7		1	1	2
8		0	6	6
9		5	10	15
10		2	7	9
11		11	6	17
12		10	14	24
13		15	25	40
14		23	22	45
15		34	42	76
16		47	59	106
17		44	54	98
18	HIGHEST POSSIBLE	42	44	86

Note: Total score for each of the 6 subdimensions and for psychological well-being over all.

gn113rec: Number of self-acceptance questions answered.

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 2004 Mode: phone

Source variables: GN101RE, GN120RE, GN127RE, GN133RE

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1621	1431	3052
-5	PARTIAL INTERVIEW	9	5	14
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAPPROPRIATE (R NOT IN SAMPLE)	3124	3596	6720
0		2	1	3
2		0	1	1
3		235	292	527

Note: Similar to RN013RED in 1993 survey.

gn114rec: Total score for psychological well-being.

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 2004 Mode: phone

Source variables: GN102REC, GN104REC, GN106REC, GN108REC, GN110REC, GN112REC

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1621	1431	3052
-5	PARTIAL INTERVIEW	9	5	14
-2	Inappropriate INAP (GN101RE!=1 CONSTITUENT Q(S) < 0)	3138	3611	6749
39 - 82		48	56	104
83 - 90		56	66	122
91 - 96		47	71	118
97 - 101		50	59	109
102 - 107		21	26	47
108	HIGHEST POSSIBLE	1	1	2

Note: Total score for each of the 6 subdimensions and for psychological well-being over all.

gn115rec: Total number of psychological well-being questions answered.

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 2004 Mode: phone

Source variables: GN101RE, GN116RE, GN117RE, GN118RE, GN119RE, GN120RE, GN121RE, GN122RE, GN123RE, GN124RE, GN125RE, GN126RE, GN127RE, GN128RE, GN129RE, GN130RE, GN131RE, GN132RE, GN133RE

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1621	1431	3052
-5	PARTIAL INTERVIEW	9	5	14
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAPPROPRIATE (R NOT IN SAMPLE)	3124	3596	6720
0		1	0	1
3		0	1	1
8		1	0	1
15		0	2	2
16		1	1	2
17		11	11	22
18		223	279	502

Note: Similar to RN015RED in 1993 survey.

gn116re: To what extent do you tend to be influenced by people with strong opinions?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 2004 Mode: phone

Source variables: GN101RE, n438s2

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1621	1431	3052
-5	PARTIAL INTERVIEW	9	5	14
-3	REFUSED	1	0	1
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAPPROPRIATE (GN101RE==0)	3124	3596	6720
-1	DON'T KNOW	2	2	4
1	AGREE STRONGLY	10	7	17
2	AGREE MODERATELY	24	37	61
3	AGREE SLIGHTLY	36	58	94
4	DISAGREE SLIGHTLY	35	35	70
5	DISAGREE MODERATELY	44	73	117
6	DISAGREE STRONGLY	85	82	167

gn117re: To what extent do you agree that, in general, you feel you are in charge of the situation in which you live?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 2004 Mode: phone
Source variables: GN101RE, n440

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1621	1431	3052
-5	PARTIAL INTERVIEW	9	5	14
-3	REFUSED	1	0	1
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAPPROPRIATE (GN101RE==0)	3124	3596	6720
-1	DON'T KNOW	1	1	2
1	AGREE STRONGLY	152	171	323
2	AGREE MODERATELY	70	91	161
3	AGREE SLIGHTLY	7	13	20
4	DISAGREE SLIGHTLY	2	3	5
5	DISAGREE MODERATELY	4	9	13
6	DISAGREE STRONGLY	0	6	6

Note: This item is reverse coded when creating scores for the scales. Similar to RN017REC in 1993 survey.

gn118re: To what extent do you agree that maintaining close relationships has been difficult and frustrating for you?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 2004 Mode: phone
Source variables: GN101RE, n440m

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1621	1431	3052
-5	PARTIAL INTERVIEW	9	5	14
-3	REFUSED	1	1	2
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAPPROPRIATE (GN101RE==0)	3124	3596	6720
-1	DON'T KNOW	4	1	5
1	AGREE STRONGLY	10	8	18
2	AGREE MODERATELY	15	19	34
3	AGREE SLIGHTLY	13	11	24
4	DISAGREE SLIGHTLY	32	30	62
5	DISAGREE MODERATELY	43	48	91
6	DISAGREE STRONGLY	119	176	295

Note: Similar to RN018REC in 1993 survey.

gn119re: To what extent do you agree that some people wander aimlessly through life but you are not one of them?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 2004 Mode: phone
Source variables: GN101RE, n440s

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1621	1431	3052
-5	PARTIAL INTERVIEW	9	5	14
-3	REFUSED	1	1	2
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAPPROPRIATE (GN101RE==0)	3124	3596	6720
-1	DON'T KNOW	1	2	3
1	AGREE STRONGLY	145	170	315
2	AGREE MODERATELY	40	54	94
3	AGREE SLIGHTLY	10	10	20
4	DISAGREE SLIGHTLY	6	12	18
5	DISAGREE MODERATELY	9	20	29
6	DISAGREE STRONGLY	25	25	50

Note: This item is reverse coded when creating scores for the scales. Similar to RN019REC in 1993 survey.

gn120re: To what extent do you agree that when you look at the story of your life, you are pleased with how things have turned out?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 2004 Mode: phone
Source variables: GN101RE, n442

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1621	1431	3052
-5	PARTIAL INTERVIEW	9	5	14
-3	REFUSED	1	0	1
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAPPROPRIATE (GN101RE==0)	3124	3596	6720
-1	DON'T KNOW	1	2	3
1	AGREE STRONGLY	115	133	248
2	AGREE MODERATELY	95	112	207
3	AGREE SLIGHTLY	15	11	26
4	DISAGREE SLIGHTLY	3	12	15
5	DISAGREE MODERATELY	5	13	18
6	DISAGREE STRONGLY	2	11	13

Note: This item is reverse coded when creating scores for the scales. Similar to RN020REC in 1993 survey.

gn121re: To what extent do you agree that the demands of everyday life often get you down?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 2004 Mode: phone
Source variables: GN101RE, n442m

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1621	1431	3052
-5	PARTIAL INTERVIEW	9	5	14
-3	REFUSED	1	2	3
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAPPROPRIATE (GN101RE==0)	3124	3596	6720
1	AGREE STRONGLY	4	6	10
2	AGREE MODERATELY	13	23	36
3	AGREE SLIGHTLY	15	24	39
4	DISAGREE SLIGHTLY	22	27	49
5	DISAGREE MODERATELY	53	76	129
6	DISAGREE STRONGLY	129	136	265

Note: Similar to RN021REC in 1993 survey.

gn122re: To what extent do you agree that for you, life has been a continuous process of learning, changing, and growing?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 2004 Mode: phone
Source variables: GN101RE, n442s

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1621	1431	3052
-5	PARTIAL INTERVIEW	9	5	14
-3	REFUSED	1	1	2
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAPPROPRIATE (GN101RE==0)	3124	3596	6720
-1	DON'T KNOW	1	1	2
1	AGREE STRONGLY	145	199	344
2	AGREE MODERATELY	72	70	142
3	AGREE SLIGHTLY	14	17	31
4	DISAGREE SLIGHTLY	1	1	2
5	DISAGREE MODERATELY	2	3	5
6	DISAGREE STRONGLY	1	2	3

Note: This item is reverse coded when creating scores for the scales. Similar to RN022REC in 1993 survey.

gn123re: To what extent do you agree that you have not experienced many warm and trusting relationships with others?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 2004 Mode: phone
Source variables: GN101RE, n488g

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1621	1431	3052
-5	PARTIAL INTERVIEW	9	5	14
-3	REFUSED	1	1	2
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAPPROPRIATE (GN101RE==0)	3124	3596	6720
-1	DON'T KNOW	1	1	2
1	AGREE STRONGLY	16	15	31
2	AGREE MODERATELY	26	18	44
3	AGREE SLIGHTLY	18	9	27
4	DISAGREE SLIGHTLY	13	18	31
5	DISAGREE MODERATELY	54	47	101
6	DISAGREE STRONGLY	108	185	293

Note: Similar to RN023REC in 1993 survey.

gn124re: To what extent do you agree that you live life one day at a time and don't really think about the future?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 2004 Mode: phone
Source variables: GN101RE, n488m

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1621	1431	3052
-5	PARTIAL INTERVIEW	9	5	14
-3	REFUSED	2	1	3
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAPPROPRIATE (GN101RE==0)	3124	3596	6720
-1	DON'T KNOW	3	1	4
1	AGREE STRONGLY	16	27	43
2	AGREE MODERATELY	31	58	89
3	AGREE SLIGHTLY	23	34	57
4	DISAGREE SLIGHTLY	18	36	54
5	DISAGREE MODERATELY	68	73	141
6	DISAGREE STRONGLY	76	64	140

Note: Similar to RN024REC in 1993 survey.

gn125re: To what extent do you agree that you judge yourself by what you think is important, not by what others think is important?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 2004 Mode: phone
Source variables: GN101RE, n490

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1621	1431	3052
-5	PARTIAL INTERVIEW	9	5	14
-3	REFUSED	1	1	2
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAPPROPRIATE (GN101RE==0)	3124	3596	6720
-1	DON'T KNOW	1	0	1
1	AGREE STRONGLY	111	150	261
2	AGREE MODERATELY	81	86	167
3	AGREE SLIGHTLY	12	24	36
4	DISAGREE SLIGHTLY	9	12	21
5	DISAGREE MODERATELY	16	14	30
6	DISAGREE STRONGLY	6	7	13

Note: This item is reverse coded when creating scores for the scales. Similar to RN025REC in 1993 survey.

gn126re: To what extent do you agree that you gave up trying to make big improvements or changes in your life a long time ago?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 2004 Mode: phone
Source variables: GN101RE, n490m

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1621	1431	3052
-5	PARTIAL INTERVIEW	9	5	14
-4	NOT ASCERTAINED	0	1	1
-3	REFUSED	1	2	3
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAPPROPRIATE (GN101RE==0)	3124	3596	6720
-1	DON'T KNOW	1	2	3
1	AGREE STRONGLY	11	22	33
2	AGREE MODERATELY	29	33	62
3	AGREE SLIGHTLY	15	25	40
4	DISAGREE SLIGHTLY	14	25	39
5	DISAGREE MODERATELY	87	80	167
6	DISAGREE STRONGLY	79	104	183

Note: Similar to RN026REC in 1993 survey.

gn127re: To what extent do you agree that you like most aspects of your personality?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 2004 Mode: phone
Source variables: GN101RE, n492f

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1621	1431	3052
-5	PARTIAL INTERVIEW	9	5	14
-3	REFUSED	1	1	2
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAPPROPRIATE (GN101RE==0)	3124	3596	6720
-1	DON'T KNOW	1	0	1
1	AGREE STRONGLY	79	103	182
2	AGREE MODERATELY	119	155	274
3	AGREE SLIGHTLY	22	23	45
4	DISAGREE SLIGHTLY	5	8	13
5	DISAGREE MODERATELY	6	2	8
6	DISAGREE STRONGLY	4	2	6

Note: This item is reverse coded when creating scores for the scales. Similar to RN027REC in 1993 survey.

gn128re: To what extent do you agree that you have confidence in your own opinions even if they are contrary to the general consensus?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 2004 Mode: phone
Source variables: GN101RE, n493a

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1621	1431	3052
-5	PARTIAL INTERVIEW	9	5	14
-3	REFUSED	1	1	2
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAPPROPRIATE (GN101RE==0)	3124	3596	6720
-1	DON'T KNOW	1	0	1
1	AGREE STRONGLY	115	117	232
2	AGREE MODERATELY	97	131	228
3	AGREE SLIGHTLY	17	26	43
4	DISAGREE SLIGHTLY	3	9	12
5	DISAGREE MODERATELY	1	6	7
6	DISAGREE STRONGLY	2	4	6

Note: This item is reverse coded when creating scores for the scales. No comparable 1993 phone item (this item was on mail instrument in 1993).

gn129re: To what extent do you agree that you are quite good at managing the many responsibilities of your daily life?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 2004 Mode: phone
Source variables: GN101RE, n493b

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1621	1431	3052
-5	PARTIAL INTERVIEW	9	5	14
-3	REFUSED	1	1	2
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAPPROPRIATE (GN101RE==0)	3124	3596	6720
-1	DON'T KNOW	0	1	1
1	AGREE STRONGLY	124	181	305
2	AGREE MODERATELY	95	92	187
3	AGREE SLIGHTLY	11	13	24
4	DISAGREE SLIGHTLY	0	4	4
5	DISAGREE MODERATELY	2	0	2
6	DISAGREE STRONGLY	4	2	6

Note: This item is reverse coded when creating scores for the scales. No comparable 1993 phone item (this item was on mail instrument in 1993).

gn130re: To what extent do you agree that you think it is important to have new experiences that challenge how you think about yourself and the world?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 2004 Mode: phone
Source variables: GN101RE, n493c

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1621	1431	3052
-5	PARTIAL INTERVIEW	9	5	14
-3	REFUSED	1	1	2
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAPPROPRIATE (GN101RE==0)	3124	3596	6720
-1	DON'T KNOW	0	2	2
1	AGREE STRONGLY	110	158	268
2	AGREE MODERATELY	82	90	172
3	AGREE SLIGHTLY	25	30	55
4	DISAGREE SLIGHTLY	7	6	13
5	DISAGREE MODERATELY	9	5	14
6	DISAGREE STRONGLY	3	2	5

Note: This item is reverse coded when creating scores for the scales. No comparable 1993 phone item (this item was on mail instrument in 1993).

gn131re: To what extent do you agree that people would describe you as a giving person, willing to share your time with others?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 2004 Mode: phone
Source variables: GN101RE, n493d

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1621	1431	3052
-5	PARTIAL INTERVIEW	9	5	14
-3	REFUSED	1	1	2
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAPPROPRIATE (GN101RE==0)	3124	3596	6720
-1	DON'T KNOW	1	0	1
1	AGREE STRONGLY	92	174	266
2	AGREE MODERATELY	102	99	201
3	AGREE SLIGHTLY	19	16	35
4	DISAGREE SLIGHTLY	12	1	13
5	DISAGREE MODERATELY	8	3	11
6	DISAGREE STRONGLY	2	0	2

Note: This item is reverse coded when creating scores for the scales. No comparable 1993 phone item (this item was on mail instrument in 1993).

gn132re: To what extent do you agree that you sometimes feel as if you have done all there is to do in life?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 2004 Mode: phone
Source variables: GN101RE, n493e

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1621	1431	3052
-5	PARTIAL INTERVIEW	9	5	14
-3	REFUSED	1	1	2
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAPPROPRIATE (GN101RE==0)	3124	3596	6720
-1	DON'T KNOW	2	0	2
1	AGREE STRONGLY	5	7	12
2	AGREE MODERATELY	22	17	39
3	AGREE SLIGHTLY	10	13	23
4	DISAGREE SLIGHTLY	16	25	41
5	DISAGREE MODERATELY	75	81	156
6	DISAGREE STRONGLY	106	150	256

Note: No comparable 1993 phone item (this item was on mail instrument in 1993).

gn133re: To what extent do you agree that in many ways, you feel disappointed about your achievements in life?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 2004 Mode: phone
Source variables: GN101RE, n493f

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1621	1431	3052
-5	PARTIAL INTERVIEW	9	5	14
-3	REFUSED	1	1	2
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAPPROPRIATE (GN101RE==0)	3124	3596	6720
-1	DON'T KNOW	1	0	1
1	AGREE STRONGLY	3	11	14
2	AGREE MODERATELY	14	26	40
3	AGREE SLIGHTLY	19	23	42
4	DISAGREE SLIGHTLY	17	23	40
5	DISAGREE MODERATELY	80	87	167
6	DISAGREE STRONGLY	102	123	225

Note: No comparable 1993 phone item (this item was on mail instrument in 1993)

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