Section A

A1. How true for you is each of the following statements? Answer for each on a scale from 1 to 5, where "1" means it is particularly true for you and "5" means "it doesn't hold true at all for you. (X ONE Box For EACH)

Particula True For				esn't Hold rue At All <u>For Me</u>
My daily life is fulfilling1	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆
I plan to spend a lot of money or plan to purchase expensive	_			_
items in the future	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆
I don't feel uncomfortable borrowing money	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆
I am so occupied with my daily life that I cannot save much money1	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆
Even if I make plans, I end up procrastinating	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆
If there is something that I want, I need to buy it □	2 □	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆
I always plan things before I actually do them □	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆
If I have work that can wait to be done tomorrow,				
I wait until tomorrow to do it1	2 □	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆
I have anxieties about my health	2 □	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆
I have been feeling stressed lately1	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆
I have been feeling depressed lately1	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆
I haven't been sleeping well lately	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆
I have been feeling lonely lately1	2 □	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆
Work is something to live for1	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆
Work is for making money1	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆
I enjoy competing with others1	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆
I have anxieties about my 'life after I am 65 years old'*				
(For those who are already aged 65 or above, 'life in future')	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆
I always keep my promise	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆
I am never late for appointments/deadlines	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆

A2. To what extent do you agree with each of the following statements? Answer on a scale from 1 to 5, where "1" means you agree completely and "5" means you disagree completely. **(X ONE Box For EACH)**

	Complete <u>Agree</u>	ely ←			ompletely <u>Disagree</u>
In general, most people are trustworthy	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆
I feel happy when I do a good deed that I think benefits					
others (such as picking up trash in a park)	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆
Although an economy regulated by market forces widens the					
income gap between the rich and the poor, it makes people					
wealthier in general; so in total, they are better off	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆
It is the government's responsibility to take care of those who car	nnot				
take care of themselves financially	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆
The most important factor for success in life is hard work rather than luck and personal connections	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆

A3. Overall, how happy would you say you are currently? Using a scale from 0 - 10 where "10" is "very happy" and "0" is "very unhappy", how would you rate you current level of happiness? (X ONE Box)

Very Happy	<u> </u>								<u> ∨e</u>	<u>ry Unhappy</u>
10 🗆	9 🗆	8 🗆	7 🗆	6 □	5 🗆	4 🗆	3 □	2 🗆	1 🗆	0 🗆

A4. Suppose that you are to receive money from someone. You can either choose to receive the money **today**, **or 7 days from today**, but the amounts will be different. Compare the amounts and dates below in Option "A" and Option "B", and indicate which option you prefer for each of the nine choices.

Option "A" Receive	or	Option "B" Receive	→	Which ONE d (X ONE Box F	o you prefer? or EACH Row)
today	OI .	7 days from today		Option "A"	Option "B"
¥3,005	•	¥3,014		1□	2□
¥3,003		¥3,297		1□	2□
¥3,008		¥3,037		1□	2□
¥3,000		¥3,000		1□	2□
¥3,005		¥5,951		1□	2□
¥3,009		¥3,068		1□	2□
¥3,001		¥3,119		1□	2□
¥3,002		¥2,996		1□	2□
¥3,008		¥3,011		1□	2□

A5. Now, suppose that you are to receive money from someone and you can choose either to receive the money **90 days from today**, or **97 days from today**, but the amounts will be different. Compare the amounts and dates below in Option "A" and Option "B" and indicate which option you prefer for each of the nine choices.

Option "A" Receive 90	or	Option "B" Receive 97	→	Which ONE of (X ONE Box F	lo you prefer? or EACH Row)
days from today		days from today		Option "A"	Option "B"
¥3,000	•	¥3,118		1□	2□
¥3,006		¥3,000		1□	2□
¥3,000		¥3,009		1□	2□
¥3,007		¥3,301		1□	2□
¥3,006		¥3,035		1□	2□
¥3,002		¥3,005		1□	2□
¥3,007		¥5,955		1□	2□
¥3,001		¥3,001		1□	2□
¥3,007		¥3,066		1□	2□

A6. Assume that you know there is a 50% chance of losing ¥100,000 on a given day. You can take out insurance to cover this amount in case of loss. If an insurance policy is sold as listed below, would you purchase it? You may choose Option "A", to purchase the insurance, or Option "B", not to purchase the insurance. Please indicate which option you prefer for each of the nine insurance prices.

Price of the insurance	Which <u>ONE</u> do you prefer? (X ONE Box For EACH Row)				
rnce of the insurance	Option "A" (purchase the insurance)	Option "B" (NOT purchase the insurance)			
¥1,000	1 🗆	2 🗆			
¥5,000	1 🗆	2 🗆			
¥10,000	1 🗆	2 🗆			
¥15,000	1 🗆	2 🗆			
¥20,000	1 🗆	2 🗆			
¥30,000	1 🗆	2 🗆			
¥40,000	1 🗆	2 🗆			
¥45,000	1 🗆	2 🗆			
¥50,000	1 🗆	2 🗆			

A7.	How high does the chance of rain ha	ive to be before you will bring an umbrella with you when you go out?
	(Write In Number From 0 - 100)	%

A8. Suppose that there is a "speed lottery" with a 50% chance of winning ¥100,000. If you win, you get the prize right away. If you lose, you get nothing. How much would you spend to buy a ticket for this lottery? Choose Option "A" if you would buy it at that price, and choose Option "B" if you would not buy the ticket at that price.

(X ONE Box For EACH Row)

Price of the "speed	Which <u>ONE</u> do you prefer? (X ONE Box For EACH Row)				
lottery" ticket	Option "A" (buy the "speed lottery" ticket)	Option "B" (DO NOT buy the "speed lottery" ticket)			
¥10	1 🗆	2 🗆			
¥2,000	1 🗆	2 🗆			
¥4,000	1 🗆	2 🗆			
¥8,000	1 🗆	2 🗆			
¥15,000	1 🗆	2 🗆			
¥25,000	1 🗆	2 🗆			
¥35,000	1 🗆	2 🗆			
¥50,000	1 🗆	2 🗆			

A9. Please answer concerning your life in the first half of this January (January 1-15, 2023). (X ONE Box For EACH)

	Doesn't ap <u>at all</u>	ply ←		→	Applies exactly
I frequently wash and sanitize my hands	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆
I always wear a mask when I go out	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆
I keep ample distance when I talk to people	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆
I do not take part in dining or drinking parties					
with people other than my family	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆
I do not travel to other prefectures by public transport	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆

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10.	If you were leading the same way of life that you led before the COVID-19 pandemic, what would be the percentage likelihood of you becoming infected in the next 12 months? (Write In #)
	Likelihood of you becoming infected If you led the same way of life that you led before the COVID-19 pandemic
	Next, assuming the case where you led the same way of life that you led before the COVID-19 pandemic while conducting only one out of the following countermeasures 1-5, what would be the percentage likelihood of you becoming infected in the next 12 months in each case? Please answer using a figure from 0 to 100.
	Likelihood of you becoming infected if you conducted just one out of the following countermeasures while leading the same way of life that you led before the COVID-19 pandemic
	I frequently wash and sanitize my hands
11.	Assuming that you had become infected with COVID-19 without showing any symptoms, what would be the percentage likelihood of you transferring the virus to another person apart from your family if you were leading the same way of life that you led before the pandemic? (Write In #)
	Likelihood of you as somebody infected without showing symptoms infecting another person apart from your family Leading the same way of life that you led before the COVID-19 pandemic
	Next, assuming the case where you led the same way of life that you led before the COVID-19 pandemic while conducting only one out of the following countermeasures 1-5, what would be the percentage likelihood of you, as somebody infected without showing symptoms, transferring the virus to another person apart from your family in each case? Please answer using a figure from 0 to 100.
	Likelihood of you becoming infected if you conducted just one out of the following countermeasures while leading the same way of life that you led before the COVID-19 pandemic
	Likelihood of you infecting another person apart from your family I frequently wash and sanitize my hands
	I always wear a mask when I go out

Section B - The following questions are about you and your family. B1. Your gender: ₁ □ Male 2 □ Female R2 Please answer about your marital status. (X ONE Box) 1 □ I have a spouse (husband or wife, excluding spouses through common-law marriages) → (Continue) $_2 \square$ I have a spouse through a common-law marriage \rightarrow (Continue) 3 □ I am not currently married, having divorced or separated → (Continue) 4 □ I am an unattached widow or widower → (Continue) 5 □ I have never married → (Skip to B2-2) $6 \square$ I am currently separated in the process of divorce \rightarrow (Continue) 7 □ I am not married but living with significant other → (Skip to B2-2) B2-1. When did you marry your spouse (including common-law marriage)? (Write In #) <u>Yea</u>r _____years old All respondents should answer the following question. B2-2. Do you have plans to marry, or want to marry in the future? (X ONE Box) 1 □ I already have plans to marry. $_{\text{2}}\;\square\;$ I do not have any plans to marry but would like to. $_{3}$ $_{\square}$ I do not have any plans to marry and do not want to. 4 □ I already have married. If you do not have a spouse (including common-law marriage) currently, please write the answer only in the space provided for your answers. When were you and your spouse (including common-law marriage) born? (Write In Number for Month and **B**3. Year) You, yourself: Month_____Year_ Year __ Your spouse: Month_____ B4. About how many hours per week do you and your spouse (including common-law marriage) usually work including overtime work? If you don't work outside the home, X "don't work". If your spouse doesn't work outside the home, X "doesn't work". (Write In A Number For EACH Row) You _____ hours per week □ Don't work Your spouse hours per week Doesn't work B5. About how many days in a year do you and your spouse (including common-law marriage) work? If you don't work outside the home, X "don't work". If your spouse doesn't work outside the home, X "doesn't work". (Write In Number For EACH Row) □ Don't work ___ days per year Your spouse → _ ____ days per year □ Doesn't work **B6**. To what age do you and your spouse (including common-law marriage) plan to work? If you are already retired, write in your age at the time of retirement. If you haven't worked outside the home, X "haven't worked". If your spouse hasn't worked outside the home, X "hasn't worked". (Write In Number For EACH Row) _____ years old You □ Haven't worked Your spouse years old □ Hasn't worked B7. What is your occupation and what is your spouse (including common-law marriage)'s occupation (Including part-time work)? (X ONE Box For EACH) **Yourself Your Spouse** Office and administrative support 1 🗆 Sales and related occupations.....2 2 🗆 Management, business, and financial operations...... $\hfill\Box$ 3 □ Professional and related occupations4 4 🗆 Service occupations (healthcare support/protective service, or food preparation and serving-related, security guards, etc.)5 5 🗆 Construction, extraction, and maintenance......6 6 □ Farming, fishing, and forestry..... 7 🗆 Housewives/Househusbands8 8 🗆 Student9 9 □ Retired (excluding housewives/househusbands)10 □ 10 🗆 Unemployed (excluding housewives/househusbands)11 □ 11 🗆

If you answered 1 to 7 for yourself and/or your spouse for B9, please continue. Otherwise, skip to B10

12 🗆

Other (Specify): _

B7-1.	What is the ty	pe of employment of you and of your spo	ouse (including common-law m <u>Yourself</u>	arriage)? (X ONE Box) <u>Your Spouse</u>
		private company or organization		1 🗆
		employee		2 🗆
		position		3 🗆
		d yee (in self-employed business)		4 🗆
				5 🗆
B7-2.	What is your status? (X ON	employment status, and what is your IE Box)	spouse (including common-la	aw marriage)'s employmen
	(2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.	,	Yourself	Your Spouse
	Full-time emp	loyee	1 🗆	1 🗆
		loyee		2 🗆
		ime employee		3 🗆
		ork (sent to a company from a temporary		
		specific project for a company, etc.)		4 🗆
		er		5 🗆
	Other:		6 □	6 🗆
B7-3.	For how many	years have you been working for your p	esent employer? And for how	many years has your spous
	(including con	nmon-law marriage) been working for his		
			<u>Yourself</u>	Your Spouse
	Less than a y	ear	1 🗆	1 🗆
	A year to less	than 5 years	2 🗆	2 🗆
	5 years to less	s than 10 years	3 □	3 🗆
		ss than 20 years		4 🗆
		ss than 30 yearsss than 40 years		5 🗆
		ore		6 □ 7 □
	40 years or m	010		, ,
	including the	ny that employs your spouse (including on head office, all branch offices, branch rganization, select "Government employed and its employed by the contract of	stores, sales offices and fac	
	1 to 5 people			1 🗆
		9		2 🗆
	30 to 99 peop	le	3 🗆	3 🗆
	100 to 299 pe	ople	4 □	4 🗆
		ople		5 🗆
		ople		6 🗆
		people		7 🗆
		people employee		8
B7-5.		the following best describes the industrich your spouse works? (X ONE Box)	ry in which you work, and wl <u>Yourself</u>	nich one best describes the
	Agriculture an	d related industries		<u>10ui Spouse</u> 1 □
	Mining		2 □	2 🗆
				3 🗆
	Manufacturing	Jde/Retail trade	4 🗆	4 🗆
	Finance and i	nsurance	5 🗆	5 □ 6 □
		isdiance		7 🗆
	Transportation	n/Telecommunications	8 □	8 🗆
	Utilities		9 □	9 🗆
				10 🗆
				11 □ 12 □
B7-6.	Please select	one statement that applies to your own		
	ептет тпе аррг	icable number. (X ONE Box)	Yourself	Your Spouse
	I'm almost alv	yays commuting to the workplace		1 🗆
		ne teleworking 1 or 2 times a week		2 🗆
		e teleworking 3 or more times a week		3 □
All roo	nondente che	uld answer the following question		
B8.	Approximately	how much was your salary or hourl), and approximately how much was y		
Yo	ou:	Salary per month ¥	0,000 or Wage per l	nour ¥
	our spouse:	Salary per month ¥	- ·	
			,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	

B9.	Approximately homarriage) before the							n-law
	o ,		•		Your	self	Your Spo	use
					1		1 🗆	
	Less than ¥1	,000,000			2		2 🗆	
					3		3 🗆	
					5		4 □ 5 □	
					6		6 □	
					7		7 🗆	
					8		8 🗆	
					9		9 🗆	
	+14,000,000	or more			10		10 🗆	
B10.	Are you or your sp whether you prese please indicate the You	ntly have a jo duration of yo	ob.) (X ONE our search. If	Box For E	ACH Row). If y	ou and you , please wri	spouse are see in a specific	eeking jobs, duration.
	Tou	2 □ Not see		r.Less man	a month z.more	e than a mor	itii (yeai/s _	month/s)
	Your spouse	₁ □ Seeking ₂ □ Not see	-	-1.Less than	a month 2.More	e than a moi	nth (year/s_	month/s)
B11.	How long does it to spouse do/does no					v marriage),	to commute? If	you or your
	You: Your spouse:		noursr noursn					
B12.	How much time do	average amou	nt of time per	day for wee	kdays and wee	kends. (Writ	e ln)	k everyday?
		-			week ends:			
	Your spouse:	week days: _	hours	minutes;	week ends:	hours	minutes	
B13.	Which of the follow Box)	# (of people:				mon-law marria	ge. (X ONE
2 3 4 5 6 7 7	Single You and your p You, your spou You and your f O D Others (Spec	pouse se and your c children (no sp se, and your (se, your child se, your child riend(s)	ouse) (or your spous ren and your	(or your spot	se's) parent(s)			
B15.	How many sons ar boxes. (Write In)	nd daughters o	do you have?	' If you do no	ot have any chil	ldren, please	indicate 0 in t	he following
	\$	Son	child/ren	Dau	ghter	child/ren		
B16.	How many children children you curren			irst child was	born? If you do	not have a	ny children, fill i	n how many
	Son ch	nild/ren	Daughter		child/ren	Either	child	/ren
B17.	Regardless of your	current numb	er of children	, fill in ideal r	umber of childr	en. (Write I ı	n)	
	Son ch	nild/ren	Daughter		child/ren	Either	child	/ren
B18.	How much did you your entire family in			er goods suc	h as housing, c	cars, and exp	pensive electric	products for
	Approxim	ate expense ir	n 2022 for ent	tire family ¥_		0,0	000	
B19.	Did your househo ₁ □ Yes	ld purchase a ₂□	,	ndo) in 2022	? (X ONE Box)			
B20.	How much were the	· ·	•	•			•	•
				-	of eating out).		•	er month er month

B21. How much were the average expenditures of your entire family **per month** in 2022? Exclude durable consumer goods purchased such as housing, cars, expensive electronic products, taxes, insurance premiums, and mortgage interest. Include costs of public utilities and energy bills. **(Write In)**

Approximate monthly expense in 2022 for entire family: ¥______0,000 per month

B22. In 2022 what was the approximate percentage change in your family's total annual expenditures compared with 2021? Select the most appropriate response from the following list. **(X ONE Box)**

Increased by at least 9%	loast	least 5% but less	least 3% but less	least 1% but less	Changed by less than 1% in either direction	Decreased by at least 1% but less than 3%	Decreased by at least 3% but less than 5%	Decreased by at least 5% but less than 7%	Decreased by at least 7% but less than 9%	Decreased by at least 9%
10 □	9 🗆	8 🗆	7 🗆	6 □	5 □	4 🗆	3 □	2 □	1 🗆	0 □

B23. In 2023, what will be the approximate percentage change in your family's total annual expenditures compared with 2022? Select the most appropriate response from the following list. **(X ONE Box)**

Increase by at least 9%	Increase by at least 7% but less than 9%	Increase by at least 5% but less than 7%	Increase by at least 3% but less than 5%	Increase by at least 1% but less than 3%	by less	least 1% but less	by at least 3% but less	by at least 5% but less	by at least 7% but less	Decrease
10 □	۰. ۵	• □		• □			• □	• □		• □

B24. By what percentage do you expect consumer prices will change in 2023, compared with the previous year? (X ONE Box)

Increase by at least 4.5%	Increase by at least 3.5% but less than 4.5%	Increase by at least 2.5% but less than 3.5%	Increase by at least 1.5% but less than 2.5%	Increase by at least 0.5% but less than 1.5%	Change by less than 0.5% in either direction	Decrease by at least 0.5% but less than 1.5%	Decrease by at least 1.5% but less than 2.5%	Decrease by at least 2.5% but less than 3.5%	Decrease by at least 3.5% but less than 4.5%	Decrease by at least 4.5%
10 🗆	9 🗆	8 🗆	7 🗆	6 □	5 🗆	4 🗆	3 □	2 🗆	1 🗆	0 🗆

Approximately how much was the annual earned income before taxes and with bonuses included of your <u>entire</u> <u>household</u> for 2022? (If you are a student, please indicate the income of your parents' entire household.)

(X ONE Box)

1 🗆	Less than ¥1,000,000	2 🗆	¥1,000,000 to less than ¥2,000,000
3 □	¥2,000,000 to less than ¥4,000,000	4 🗆	¥4,000,000 to less than ¥6,000,000
5 🗆	¥6,000,000 to less than ¥8,000,000	6 □	¥8,000,000 to less than ¥10,000,000
7 🗆	¥10,000,000 to less than ¥12,000,000	8 🗆	¥12,000,000 to less than ¥14,000,000
9 🗆	¥14,000,000 to less than ¥16,000,000	10 🗆	¥16,000,000 to less than ¥18,000,000
11 🗆	¥18,000,000 to less than ¥20,000,000	12 🗆	More than ¥20,000,000

B26. In 2022 what was the approximate percentage change in your family's total annual income compared with 2021? Select the most appropriate response from the following list. (If you are a student, please answer for the income of your parents' entire household.) (X ONE Box)

Increased by at least 9%	Increased by at least 7% but less than 9%	least 5% but less	Increased by at least 3% but less than 5%	Increased by at least 1% but less than 3%	Changed by less than 1% in either direction	Decreased by at least 1% but less than 3%	by at least 3% but less than 5%	Decreased by at least 5% but less than 7%	by at least 7% but less than 9%	Decreased by at least 9%
10 □	ο Π	• 	7 🗆	6 🗆	5 \square	4 🗆	2 □	2 □	1 □	ο Π

B27. In 2023 what will be the approximate percentage change in your family's total annual income compared with 2022? Select the most appropriate response from the following list. Please answer your entire household, for you and for your spouse (including common-law marriage). (If you are a student, please answer for the income of your

parents' entire household.) (X ONE Box for EACH Row)

	Increase by at least 9%	Increase by at least 7% but less than 9%	Increase by at least 5% but less than 7%	Increase by at least 3% but less than 5%	by at least 1% but	Change by less than 1% in either direction	by at least 1% but less	by at least 3% but less	Decrease by at least 5% but less than 7%	by at least 7% but less	Decrease by at least 9%
Entire Household	10 🗆	9 🗆	8 🗆	7 🗆	6 🗆	5 🗆	4 🗆	3 🗆	2 🗆	1 🗆	0 🗆
You	10 🗆	9 🗆	8 🗆	7 🗆	6 🗆	5 🗆	4 🗆	3 🗆	2 🗆	1 🗆	0 🗆
Your Spouse	10 🗆	9 🗆	8 🗆	7 🗆	6 □	5 🗆	4 🗆	3 🗆	2 🗆	1 🗆	0 🗆

B28. How likely do you think that the following changes (1)-(11) will occur in the annual rate of inflation in 2023? Please select one applicable answer and circle the appropriate number for each. (X ONE Box for EACH Row)

	Not like		Very likely			
(1)	Increase by at least 4.5%	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆
(2)	Increase by at least 3.5% but less than 4.5%	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 🗆	5 🗆
(3)	Increase by at least 2.5% but less than 3.5%	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 🗆	5 🗆
(4)	Increase by at least 1.5% but less than 2.5%	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆
(5)	Increase by at least 0.5% but less than 1.5%	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆
(6)	Changes by less than 0.5% in either direction	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆
(7)	Decrease by at least 0.5% but less than 1.5%	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆
(8)	Decrease by at least 1.5% but less than 2.5%	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 🗆	5 🗆
(9)	Decrease by at least 2.5% but less than 3.5%	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 🗆	5 🗆
(10)	Decrease by at least 3.5% but less than 4.5%	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 🗆	5 🗆
(11)	Decrease by at least 4.5%	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆

B29. How much do you think that the total expenditure of your entire household in 2023 will change compared to the amount in 2022? Concerning the likelihood of the following changes (1)-(11), please select one and circle the appropriate number for each. (X ONE Box for EACH Row)

	Not likely									
(1)	Increase by at least 9%	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 🗆	5 🗆				
(2)	Increase by at least 7% but less than 9%	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆				
(3)	Increase by at least 5% but less than 7%	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 🗆	5 🗆				
(4)	Increase by at least 3% but less than 5%	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 🗆	5 🗆				
(5)	Increase by at least 1% but less than 3%	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 🗆	5 🗆				
(6)	Changes by less than 1% in either direction	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 🗆	5 🗆				
(7)	Decrease by at least 1% but less than 3%	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 🗆	4 🗆	5 🗆				
(8)	Decrease by at least 3% but less than 5%	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆				
(9)	Decrease by at least 5% but less than 7%	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆				
(10)	Decrease by at least 7% but less than 9%	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆				
(11)	Decrease by at least 9%	1 🗆	2 🗆	3 □	4 🗆	5 🗆				

B30.	What is the nature of your residence?	(X ONE Box)

- Your own house (a single-family house) Government-owned housing 5 🗆 2

 Your own condominium
- Lodgings (Hotels, Motels, etc.) 3 □ Private rented house (a single house or an apartment) Dormitory, Group Quarters, etc.
- 4 □ Supplied house (a company house or an official residence) 8 □ Others
- Approximately how much is the present appraised value of all housing and property owned by your entire B31. household? (If you are a student, please answer about the housing and property owned by your parents' entire household.) (X ONE Box)
 - □ Do not possess housing or properties
 - ² Less than ¥5,000,000
 - 3 □ ¥5,000,000 to less than ¥10,000,000
 - 4 □ ¥10,000,000 to less than ¥15,000,000
 - ₅ □ ¥15,000,000 to less than ¥20,000,000
- 6 □ ¥20,000,000 to less than ¥30,000,000
- 7 □ ¥30,000,000 to less than ¥40,000,000
- 8

 ¥40,000,000 to less than ¥50,000,000
- 9 □ ¥50,000,000 to less than ¥100,000,000
- ₁₀ \square ¥100,000,000 or more

B32.	Approximately how much is the balance of financial asset household? (If you are a student, please indicate the behousehold.) (X ONE Box)		
	2 □ ¥2,500,000 to less than ¥5,000,000 3 □ ¥5,000,000 to less than ¥7,500,000 4 □ ¥7,500,000 to less than ¥10,000,000	6 □ ¥15,000,000 to less than ¥20,000,000 7 □ ¥20.000,000 to less than ¥30,000,000 8 □ ¥30,000,000 to less than ¥50,000,000 9 □ ¥50.000,000 to less than ¥100,000,000 0 □ ¥100,000,000 or more	
B33.	Please indicate which of the following financial assets yo	ou own. (X ALL That Apply)	
	Bank savings (including cooperative banks, Corporate bonds Life insurance Stocks Investment Trusts Foreign currency deposits Futures / Options Japan. Government bonds Government bonds of foreign countries Private individual pensions (from life insurant Company pensions Cash None → (Skip to B34)	credit unions and other associations)	→(Continue)
B33-1.	What percentage of the financial assets of your entire ho (Write In % For Group B only)	busehold are in the following?	
	Group A: Bank savings, Postal savings, cash, Japanese	government bonds	
	Group B: Investment trusts, stocks, futures/options, corp bonds of foreign countries%	porate bonds, foreign currency deposits, gove	ernment
All res	pondents should answer the following question,		
B34.	Do you currently have any debts? Debts here include payments on which you have to pay interest charges. (r installment
	 No debts → (Skip to B35) Yes, have debts 		
B34-1.	If you are paying off housing loan(s), what is the current	balance of your housing loan(s)? (X ONE E	Box)
	₁ □ Less than ¥2,500,000	, , , ,	,
	2 D ¥2,500,000 to less than ¥5,000,000		
	 ¥5,000,000 to less than ¥7,500,000 ¥7,500,000 to less than ¥10,000,000 		
	5 □ ¥10,000,000 to less than ¥15,000,000		
	6 □ ¥15,000,000 to less than ¥20,000,000		
	7 □ ¥20,000,000 to less than ¥30,000,000		
	¥30,000,000 or moreNo housing loans		
B34-2.	Do you have any debts other than housing loan(s), include which you have to pay interest charges? (X ONE Box)	ding car loans and any other installment payr	ments on
	1 □ No loans other than housing loans → (Ski)	o to B35)	
	 2 □ Less than ¥500,000 3 □ ¥500,000 to less than ¥1,000,000 		
	4 □ ¥1,000,000 to less than ¥2,000,000		
	5 □ ¥2,000,000 to less than ¥3,000,000		
	6 □ ¥3,000,000 to less than ¥5,000,000 7 □ ¥5,000,000 to less than ¥7,500,000		
	8 D ¥7,500,000 to less than ¥10,000,000		
	₉ □ ¥10,000,000 or more		
B34-3.	What debts do you currently have? (X ALL That Apply		
	¹ □ Car loan(s) 2 □ Installment payment(s) for consumption	6 □ Borrowing for entertainment expenses 7 □ Borrowing to pay off debts	
	₃ □ Education loan(s)	8 Derrowing for real estate other than you	r residence
	 4 □ Borrowing for living and/or medical expense 5 □ Borrowing for business fund(s) 	9 □ Other	

All respondents should answer the following question.

B35.	Do you use	credit card	ls? If you	do, how	do you us	e them?	(X ALL	That Ap	ply)			
	1 🗆	1 7										
	2 □ 3 □	For payme					000					
	3 □	For revolv			with lift	iesi ciiai	ges					
	5 🗆	I have a c	redit card	or cards	but do no	ot use it o	r them					
	6 🗆	I do not ha	ave a cred	dit card								
B36.	Have you e		ejected fo	r a loan a	pplication	n (excludi	ing hous	ing loans	s)? (X AL I	_ That A	pply)	
	1 □ 2 □	Yes	lid not de	t annrove	d for the t	full amou	nt for wh	nich Lann	olied only	for a rec	duced amour	nt
	3 🗆	Did not ap							oned, orny	101 & 160	ideed airiodi	11
	4 🗆	No, I have	•				ount I ap	plied for				
	5 🗆	I have nev	er attem	pted to bo	rrow mor	ney						
B37.	monthly in	come? (X (ONE Box)				nt payme	ent equiva	lent to yo	our househo	·ld's
		We could						ould pay	by borroy	vina from	a financial	
	2 ⊔	institution		_	ciai asset	3, 110WEV	ei, we c	ould pay	by borrov	villy itoti	a ililariciai	
	3 🗆	We don't l	nave eno	ugh finan	cial asset	s, and we	couldn	t pay eve	en by bori	owing ei	ther	
B38.	On a scale of living is.			ng "Highe	est" and "(0" being '	Lowest"	, please	indicate v	hat you	think your st	andard
	Highes	st 									Lowest	
	10 🗆	9 🗆	8 🗆	7 🗆	6 □	5 🗆	4 🗆	3 □	2 🗆	1 🗆	0 🗆	
												_ 、
B39.		you descri	be your c		_		cellent,		d, good, f Poor	air, or po	or? (X ONE	Box)
	1 🗆		I		□ Good □ Fair	1		5 ⊔	P001			
	2 ⊔	Very good	l	4	⊔ гап							
B40.	disease or	injury? This Yes → Co	s also incl ontinue							linics) be	ecause of a d	chronic
		No → Ski										
B40-1.	On average (Write in)	, how many	times do	you go t	o a hospit	tal or clin	ic as an	out-patie	ent within	a one mo	onth period?	
			times ir	n a month								
B40-2.	About how including m			or out-of-p	ocket me	dical exp	enses p	er outpat	tient visit f	or doctor	r or clinic vis	its,
	¥_											
All res	pondents s	hould ansv	ver the fo	ollowing	<u>question</u>	<u>.</u>						
B41.	During the childbirth. (you bee	n in a hos	spital or c	linic as a	an in-pati	ent overn	ight or lo	nger? This ir	ncludes
	1 🗆	Yes		2	□ No							
B42.	Have you h past year?				luding pre	enatal che	eck, den	tal check	-up, and r	nedical t	reatment) wi	ithin the
	2 3 4 5 6	Health che Health che Medical cl Health che Other I haven't t	eck orgar eck orgar neck-up (eck (Cand	nized by y nized by y other thar cer check	our emplo our schoo n above 1 only)	oyer or la ol -3)		n of your	r employe	r		
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B43.	Do you smo				4		Loren	o chaut	11 to 20 :	siacrotte.	a a day	
		Never smo Hardly smo		NIP TO B4	+				11 to 20 o 21 to 30 o			
	3 □	Occasional	ly smoke						31 to 40 d			
	4 🗆	I smoke ab	out 1 to 5	cigarette		9 □	I smok	ce 41 cig	arettes or	more a	•	
	5 □	I smoke ab	out 6 to 1	0 cigarett	es a dav	10 □	Lused	to smok	e. but I au	ııt		

B43-1	 Would you like to quit smoking? (X ONE Box) Yes, I want to quit smoking I want to reduce the amount of cigarettes I smoke No, I don't want to quit smoking I don't know I don't smoke 	
All re	spondents should answer the following question.	
B44.	Do you exercise? (X ONE Box)	
	 1 □ Almost everyday 2 □ 2-4 times a week 3 □ About once a week 5 □ Rarely 8 □ About once a week 	
B45.	Do you drink alcoholic beverages? (X ONE Box) 1 □ Don't drink at all 2 □ Hardly drink (a few times a month or less) 3 □ Drink sometimes (a few times a week) 4 □ A can of beer (350ml) or its equivalent a day, almost everyday 5 □ 3 cans of beer (350ml x 3) or its equivalent a day, almost everyday 6 □ 5 cans of beer (350ml x 5) or its equivalent a day, almost everyday	
B46.	Do you gamble in lotteries or at casinos or bet on sporting events or horse races? 1	(X ONE Box)
C1.	On what date did you complete this survey?	
	Day:Month: (in 2023)	

If you have children, please answer the following questions.

B47. Tell us about all your children ever born.

Child/ren ever born	a. Birthdate		b-1. Still alive? If not alive fill in the y of death		c-1. Your biological child?	c-2. Your current spouse's (including common-law partner) biological child?	d. Sex	e. Marital status	f. Living together?	g-1. Currently attending school? g-2. If yes, current grade (code (g-2))		
	Year	Month	1: Alive 2: Passed away	Year	1: Yes 2: No	1: Yes 2: No 3: Do not have a spouse	1: Male 2: Female	1: Never married 2: Married 3: Widowed 4: Divorced	1: Yes 2: No	1: Yes 2: No → skip to h.	(code (g-2))	
(example)	1984	12	1		1	1	2	1	1	2		
1 st child												
2 nd child												
3 rd child												
4 th child												
5 th child												
6 th child												
7 th child												
8 th child												

(g-2): 0: Preschool

1: 1st grade (elementary)

2: 2nd grade (elementary)

3: 3rd grade (elementary) 4: 4th grade (elementary)

5: 5th grade (elementary)

6: 6th grade (elementary) 7: 1st grade (junior high)

8: 2nd grade (junior high)

9: 3rd grade (junior high)

10: 1st grade (high school/technical college)

11: 2nd grade (high school/technical college) 12: 3rd grade (high school/technical college)

13: 4th/5th grade (technical college, 2-year college)

14: University or above

(Continuation) Child/ren ever born		enter the code (h) for the		nt, enter the code (i) for	j. Type of elementary, junior high, high school and higher education completed or attended (code (j))					
Som	1: completed 2: expected	(code (h))	1: actual occupation 2: expectation	(code (i))	Elementary school	Junior high school	High school	Technical college, 2-year college	University	
(example)	1	4	1	2	2	2	2	1	0	
1 st child										
2 nd child										
3 rd child										
4 th child										
5 th child										
6 th child										
7 th child										
8 th child										

1: Elementary, junior high school

2: High school

3: Technical college

4: Technical school, 2-year college

5: Bachelor's Degree

6: Master's Degree

7: Doctoral Degree 8: No idea

0: Not working/not expecting to work1: Office and administrative support

- 2: Sales and related occupations
- 3: Managerial occupations (section chief, superior position at government or private company)
- 0: Did not attend
 - 1: Private

2: Public (except national)

- 3: National
- 4: Other (specify)

- 4: Specialist/technical expert (teacher, medical doctor, engineer, writer)
- 5: Service occupations (hairdresser, hall staff, receptionist, taxi driver, security staff)
- 6: Industrial occupations (carpenter, service engineer, production worker)
- 7: Farming, fishing, and forestry
- 8: Housewife/househusband

If you got married (including common-law marriage) within the last one year, please answer the following questions. Otherwise, this is the end of the questionnaire. Thank you for your help with this study.

Please answer if you got married within the last one year (including common-law marriage)

B48.	If you got married within the last one year (including common-law marriage), please indicate your spouse's
	highest level of education (or equivalent) completed. If he/she is still in school, "X" the one he/she is in now. (X ONE
	Box)

ox)	
Your s	spouse
Graduated from elementary/ junior high school	1 🗆
Some High School – no degree	2 🗆
Graduated from High School	3 □
Some College (including Technical College) - no degree	4 🗆
Graduated from College (including Technical College) - Associate's Degree (2 year)	5 🗆
Some university (including old-education-system high school) – no degree	6 □
Graduated from University (including old-education-system high school) - Bachelor's Degree (4 year)	7 🗆
Some post graduate studies - no degree	8 🗆
Graduated from graduate school - Master's Degree - MS, MA, MBA, etc.	9 🗆
Some doctoral studies – no degree	10 🗆
Graduated from graduate school - Doctoral Degree - DVM, Ph.D., DDS, etc	11 🗆

If you answered 6-11 for B48, please continue. Otherwise, skip to B48-2.

B48-1 In case your spouse (including common-law marriage) attended university, what is your spouse's major?
(X ONE Box)

	2 🗆
	3 🗆
International Relations/ Sociology	4 □
Humanities/Literature	5 □
Education	6 □
	7 ⁻
Dentistry	8 □
Pharmacology	9 🗆
Nursing	10 🗆
Health	11 🗆
Science	12 🗆
	13 🗆
Agriculture	14 🗆
Home Economics	15 🗆
Art	16 □
Athletics	17 🗆
Other	18 🗆

	Yo	ur spous	e's r	nother					-					
B/8-3	Please	indicate	the	highest	lovol	of	education	(or	equivalent)	completed	by	vour	enouse	(including

Your spouse's father

B48-3. Please indicate the highest level of education (or equivalent) completed by your spouse (including common-law marriage)'s parents. (X ONE Box For EACH)

<u>Your Spouse's</u> <u>Father</u>	Your Spouse's Mother
Graduated from elementary/ junior high school 1 □	1 🗆
Some High School – no degree 2 \square	2 🗆
Graduated from High School 3	3 □
Some College (including Technical College) - no degree 4	4 🗆
Graduated from College (including Technical College) - Associate's Degree (2 year)	
5 🗆	5 □
Some university (including old-education-system high school) – no degree 6 \square	6 □
Graduated from University (including old-education-system high school) - Bachelor's Deg	ree (4 year)
7 🗆	7 🗆
Some post graduate studies - no degree 8	8 🗆
Graduated from graduate school - Master's Degree - MS, MA, MBA, etc ∘ □	9 🗆
Some doctoral studies – no degree	10 🗆
Graduated from graduate school - Doctoral Degree - DVM, Ph.D., DDS, etc₁₁ □	11 🗆

B48-4.	Please indicate the type of the school your spouse (including common-law marriage) attended. (Write In Number For EACH)										
	Your spouse:	Elementary School	Junior High School								
		High School	University								
	0: Did not attend 1: Private school 2: Public school (except national) 3: National school										
B48-5	In which prefecture were your spouse (including common-law marriage)'s parents born? If born in another country please indicate which country. (Write In For EACH)										
	Your spouse's father:										
	Name of Prefecture in Japan:										
	Name	Name of Country:									
	Your spouse's mother: Name of Prefecture in Japan:										
		Name of Country:									
		Thank you fe	or your help with this study								