

Comparative Study of Electoral Systems

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Description of Sample and Data Collection

I. Country: Ukraine

II. Type of Election (e.g. presidential; parliamentary; legislative): parliamentary

III. Date of Election: 29. 03. 1998

IV. Organization that Conducted the Survey Field Work: SOCIS - Ltd.

V. Investigators Responsible for Data Collection

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VI. Study Design (check one)
 Post-Election Study
 Pre-/Post-Election Panel Study

VII. Dates of Interviewing
Date Post-Election Interviewing Began: _____
Date Post-Election Interviewing Ended: _____

(If Panel Study)
Date Pre-Election Interviewing Began: _____
Date Pre-Election Interviewing Ended: _____

VIII. Mode of interview (check one)

- In person, face-to-face
- Telephone
- Mail or self-completion supplement

IX. Sample Design and Sampling Procedures

1. Eligibility Requirements

- a) age: - 75
- b) citizenship: Yes No
- c) other: _____

2. Persons Excluded From the Sample Frame

- a) Were any regions of the country excluded from the sample frame? Yes No
If yes, explain: _____
- b) Were institutionalized persons excluded from the sample? Yes No
- c) Were military personnel excluded from the sample? Yes No
- d) (If telephone interview) Estimated percentage of households without a phone: %
- e) (If telephone interview) Were unlisted telephone numbers included in the population sampled? Yes No
- f) Other persons excluded from the sample frame: Homelesses,
PRISONERS
- g) Estimated total (a+b+c+d+e+f) percentage of the eligible population excluded from the sample frame: % - We haven't such kind statistics.

3.1 Sampling Method (if Face-to-Face)

- a) Describe how the primary sampling units were selected: See SOCIS OMNIBUS
SURVEY - SAMPLING PROCEDURES
- Were the primary sampling units randomly selected? Yes No
- b) Was there a second stage selection? Yes No
- c) Describe the method by which the second stage sampling units were selected: See SOCIS OMNIBUS
- Were the secondary sampling units randomly selected? Yes No
- d) Was a selection table used to select the respondent within the household?
Yes No
If no, describe: The last stage of the sampling procedure
is selection of the respondents by quota task

e) Under what circumstances was a sample line designated non-sample? (Check all that apply)

All members of household are ineligible

Housing unit is vacant

No answer at housing unit

Other, explain: _____

f) Were non-sample replacement methods used? Yes ___ No

If yes describe: _____

3.2 Sampling Method (if telephone)

a) Describe how the sample was drawn _____

b). Was the sample a random digit dial sample? Yes ___ No ___

listed sample? Yes ___ No ___

dual frame? Yes ___ No ___;

(if dual frame) % list frame: ___; % random-digit dial: ___

c) Was a selection table used to select the respondent within the household?

Yes ___ No ___

If no, describe: _____

d) Criteria for designating a sample line non-sample. (Check all that apply)

All members of household ineligible

Non-residential phone

No answer (if so), after how many calls to number? ___

Non-working number

Other, explain: _____

e) Were non-sample replacement methods used? Yes ___ No ___

If yes describe: _____

3.3 Sampling Method (if mail / self completion)

a) Describe how the sample was drawn _____

b) Was the sample a listed sample? Yes ___ No ___

c) Was a selection table used to select the respondent within the household?

Yes ___ No ___

If no, describe: _____

d) Criteria for designating a sample line non-sample. (Check all that apply)

All members of household ineligible

Housing unit is vacant

Other, explain: _____

e) Were non-sample replacement methods used? Yes No

If yes describe: _____

4. Compliance

a) Pre-Study Strategies: Prior to the study was

a letter sent to respondent? Yes No

payment sent to respondent? Yes No

a token gift sent to respondent? Yes No

any other incentives used? Yes No

If yes, describe: _____

b) During the Field Period

Maximum number of contacts with the household before declaring it non-sample: _____

Maximum number of contacts with the household before declaring it non-interview: _____

Maximum number of days over which a household was contacted: _____

Did interviewers vary the time of day at which they recontacted the household?

Yes No

c) Refusal Conversion

Was an effort made to persuade respondents who were reluctant to be interviewed?

Yes No If "No" (go to Section X)

Were respondents who were reluctant to be interviewed sent a letter persuading them to take part? Yes No

Was payment offered to respondents who were reluctant to take part? Yes No

Were respondents who were reluctant to take part turned over to a more experienced interviewer? Yes No

Maximum number of recontacts used to persuade respondent to be interviewed: _____

Other methods used to persuade respondents reluctant to be interviewed to take part: _____

X. Response Rate (to first wave if a panel study)

a) Total number of sample lines issued: _____

b) Total number of completed interviews: _____

c) Number of refusals: _____

d) Number never contacted (no-contact): _____

- e) Other non-response:¹ _____
- f) Number of lines of non-sample:² _____
- g) Response Rate: $(b/(a-f))*100$: _____

XI. Panel Attrition (Complete only if CSES questionnaire is administered as part of a 2-wave panel study)

- a) Total number of respondents in wave I of the study: _____
- b) Number of wave I respondents re-interviewed in wave containing CSES Module: _____
- c) Percent panel attrition $((a-b)/a)*100$: _____
- d) Panel attrition by age: _____

<u>Age</u>	<u>% Reinterviewed</u>
18-25	_____ %
26-40	_____ %
41-65	_____ %
65 & over	_____ %

- e) Panel attrition by education:

<u>Education</u>	<u>% Reinterviewed</u>
None	_____ %
Incomplete primary	_____ %
Primary completed	_____ %
Incomplete secondary	_____ %
Secondary completed	_____ %
University incomplete	_____ %
University degree	_____ %

XII. Sample Weight

- a) Are the data weighted? Yes ___ No
- If yes:
- b) Are the data weighted to compensate for disproportionate probability of selection at the person or household level? Yes ___ No ___
- c) Are the data weighted to match "known" demographic characteristics of the population? Yes ___ No ___
- d) Are the data weighted to correct for non-response? Yes ___ No ___

¹ These include cases where there were language difficulties, a non-competent respondent, illness, or a respondent who was away from home for the entire field period.

² Non-sample includes: vacant houses, houses where no resident was eligible (e.g. non-citizens or underage residents).

e) Describe the procedure used to construct the sample weight: _____

XIII. Description of interviewers (age, level of education, and years of experience):

Total number of interviewers in this survey - 108; Male - 24, Female - 84;
 Age: 18-25: 27; 26-40: 36; 41+ : 45; Level of education:

Secondary completed - 20; Post-secondary: 13; Incomplete university + univ. degree - 69

Description of interviewer training: Preparing of instruction; conduct
 a instructing for interviewers (briefing) and
 supervisors, who are responsible for survey in
 regions

XIV. Comparison of Sample to Population

years of
 experience:
 >2 years - 62
 2 years+ - 46

Characteristic	Population Estimates ³		Sample Estimates	
			Unweighted	Weighted
<u>Age</u>				
18-25	18-25	14 %	___ %	___ %
26-40	26-39	28 %	___ %	___ %
41-66	40-64	42 %	___ %	___ %
65 and over	65+	16 %	___ %	___ %
<u>Education</u>				
None		7 %	___ %	___ %
Incomplete primary *		___ %	___ %	___ %
Primary completed		15 %	___ %	___ %
Incomplete secondary		15 %	___ %	___ %
Secondary completed		32 %	___ %	___ %
Post-secondary trade / vocational school		19 %	___ %	___ %
Incomplete university		2 %	___ %	___ %
University degree		10 %	___ %	___ %
<u>Gender</u>				
Male		44 %	___ %	___ %
Female		56 %	___ %	___ %

XV. Languages used in the interviews. List:

Ukrainian
Russian

³ From national statistical agency. Provide source.

* - Official Statistics ^{is} absent.