

P.5 - Do you usually think of yourself as close to any particular political party? **[A3004]**

- 1 - Yes
- 2 - No → Skip to P.5c
- 6 - Don't know → Skip to P.5c

P.5a. Which PARTY is that?

	P.5A(1) First party mentioned [A3005_1]	P.5A(2) Second party mentioned (if volunteered) [A3005_2]	P.5A(3) Third party mentioned (if volunteered) [A3005_3]
BLOCO DE ESQUERDA.....	01	01	01
CDS/PP.....	02	02	02
CDU.....	03	03	03
PARTIDO ECOLOGISTA - OS VERDES.....	04	04	04
PARTIDO HUMANISTA.....	05	05	05
PCP.....	06	06	06
PCTP/MRPP.....	07	07	07
POLÍTICA XXI.....	08	08	08
PPD/PSD.....	09	09	09
PPM.....	10	10	10
PS.....	11	11	11
PSR.....	12	12	12
UDP.....	13	13	13
NO MORE PARTIES MENTIONED.....	14	14	14
OTHER. WHICH?	_____	_____	_____
DON'T KNOW.....	96	96	96
NO ANSWER.....	97	97	97

1st INSTRUCTION - INTERVIEWER:
 IF ONLY **ONE PARTY** MENTIONED, SKIP TO **P.5E**;
 IF **ONE OR TWO BLOCKS** MENTIONED, **GO ON**;
 IF **MORE THAN ONE PARTY** MENTIONED, SKIP TO **P.5B**;
 IF **DON'T KNOW** OR **NO ANSWER**, SKIP TO **P.5C**.

P.5aa - Which party in [NAME OF BLOCK] do you feel closest to?

	P.5AA(1) First party mentioned [A3007_1]	P.5AA(2) Second party mentioned (if volunteered) [A3007_2]	P.5AA(3) Third party mentioned (if volunteered) [A3007_3]
PARTIDO ECOLOGISTA - OS VERDES.....	01	01	01
PCP.....	02	02	02
PSR.....	03	03	03
UDP.....	04	04	04
POLÍTICA XXI.....	05	05	05
NONE.....	06	06	06
OTHER. WHICH?	_____	_____	_____
DON'T KNOW.....	96	96	96
NO ANSWER.....	97	97	97

2nd INSTRUCTION - INTERVIEWER:
 IF ONLY **ONE PARTY** MENTIONED, SKIP TO **P.5E**;
 IF **MORE THAN ONE PARTY** MENTIONED, **GO ON**;
 IF **NONE**, **DON'T KNOW** OR **NO ANSWER**, SKIP TO **P.5C**.

P.5b. Which party do you feel closest to? [A3009]

CDS/PP	01
PARTIDO ECOLOGISTA - OS VERDES	02
PARTIDO HUMANISTA	03
PCP	04
PCTP/MRPP	05
POLÍTICA XXI	06
PPD/PSD	07
PPM	08
PS	09
PSR	10
UDP	11
OTHER. WHICH? _____	
NO PARTY IDENTIFIED	98

<p>3rd INSTRUCTION - INTERVIEWER: SKIP TO P.5E</p>

P.5c. Do you feel yourself a little closer to one of the political parties than the others? [A3010]

- 1 - Yes
- 2 - No → Skip to P.6
- 6 - Don't know → Skip to P.6

P.5d. Which party is that? [A3011]

CDS/PP	01
PARTIDO ECOLOGISTA - OS VERDES	02
PARTIDO HUMANISTA	03
PCP	04
PCTP/MRPP	05
POLÍTICA XXI	06
PPD/PSD	07
PPM	08
PS	09
PSR	10
UDP	11
OTHER. WHICH? _____	
NO PARTY IDENTIFIED	98

P.5e. Do you feel very close to this (party/party block), somewhat close, or not very close? [A3012]

- 1 – Very close
- 2 – Somewhat close
- 3 – Not very close
- 6 – Don't know

P.6 - Some people say that political parties in Portugal care what ordinary people think. Others say that political parties in Portugal don't care what ordinary people think. Using the scale on this card, (where ONE means that political parties care a lot about what ordinary people think, and FIVE means that they don't care at all what ordinary people think), where would you place yourself? [A3013]

- 1 Political parties in Portugal care a lot what ordinary people think?
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5 Political parties in Portugal don't care at all what ordinary people think
- 6 Don't know

P.7 - Some people say that political parties are necessary to make our political system work in Portugal. Others think that political parties are not needed in Portugal. Using the scale on this card, (where ONE means that political parties are very necessary to make our political system work, and FIVE means that political parties are not at all needed in Portugal), where would you place yourself? **[A3014]**

- 1 Political parties **ARE VERY NECESSARY** to make our political system work
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5 Political parties **ARE NOT AT ALL NEEDED** in Portugal
- 6 Don't know

P.8 - Do you happen to remember the name of any candidates who ran in your electoral district in the last parliamentary/legislative election? **[A3015]**

- 1 - Yes
- 2 - No → Skip to P.9
- 6 - Don't know → Skip to P.9

P.8a - [if name not volunteered] what were their names?

P.8a_1 - Candidate 1 **[A3016_1]**

P.8a_2 - Candidate 2 **[A3016_2]**

P.8a_3 - Candidate 3 **[A3016_3]**

P.9 - I'd like to know what you think about each of our political parties. After I read the name of a political party, please rate it on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 means you strongly dislike that party and 10 means that you strongly like that party. If I come to a party you haven't heard of or you feel you do not know enough about, just say so. The first party is [BLOCO DE ESQUERDA].

P.9_1 - BLOCO DE ESQUERDA (POLÍTICA XXI, PSR E UDP) '___'___' **[A3020_E]**

P.9_2 - CDS/PP '___'___' **[A3020_C]**

P.9_3 - CDU (PCP/PEV) '___'___' **[A3020_D]**

P.9_4 - PCTP/MRPP '___'___' **[A3020_F]**

P.9_5 - PPD/PSD '___'___' **[A3020_A]**

P.9_6 - PS '___'___' **[A3020_B]**

- 0 Strongly dislike
- 1
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5
- 6
- 7
- 8
- 9
- 10 Strongly likes
- 96 Don't know
- 97 No answer
- 98 Haven't heard of

P10. And now, using the same scale, I'd like to ask you how much you like or dislike some political leaders. Again, if I come to a leader you haven't heard of or you feel you do not know enough about, just say so. The first political leader is [CARLOS CARVALHAS].

P10_1 – CARLOS CARVALHAS '___'___' [A3021_D]

P10_2 – DURÃO BARROSO..... '___'___' [A3021_A]

P10_3 – FERRO RODRIGUES '___'___' [A3021_B]

P10_4 – FRANCISCO LOUÇÃ..... '___'___' [A3021_E]

P10_5 – GARCIA PEREIRA..... '___'___' [A3021_F]

P10_6 – PAULO PORTAS '___'___' [A3021_C]

0 Strongly dislike

- 1
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5
- 6
- 7
- 8
- 9

10 Strongly likes

- 96 Don't know
- 97 Refused to answer
- 98 Haven't heard of

2ND BOX - Now LET'S CHANGE THE SUBJECT AND TALK ABOUT ECONOMICS.

P11 - What do you think about the state of the economy these days in [country]? Would you say that the state of the economy is very good, good, neither good not bad, bad or very bad? [A3022]

- 1 – Very good
- 2 – Good
- 3 – Neither good nor bad
- 4 – Bad
- 5 – Very bad
- 6 – Don't know

P12 - Would you say that over the past twelve months, the state of the economy on Portugal has gotten better, stayed about the same or gotten worse? [A3023]

- 1 – Gotten better
- 2 – Stayed the same → Skip to P13
- 3 – Gotten worse → Skip to Q12b
- 6 - Don't know → Skip to P13

P12a - Would you say much better or somewhat better? [A3024]

- 1 – Much better
- 2 – Somewhat better
- 6 – Don't know

**4TH INSTRUCTION - INTERVIEWER:
SKIP TO THE 3RD BOX.**

P12b - Would you say much worse or somewhat worse? [A3025]

- 1 – Much worse
- 2 – Somewhat worse
- 6 – Don't know

3RD BOX – NOW COMING BACK TO POLITICS AGAIN.

P13 - Some people say that members of Parliament know what ordinary people think. Others say that members of Parliament don't know much about what ordinary people think. Using the scale on this card, (where ONE means that the members of Parliament know well what ordinary people think, and FIVE means that the members of Parliament don't know anything what ordinary people think), where would you place yourself? [A3026]

- 1 Members of Parliament **KNOW WELL** what ordinary people think.
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5 Members of Parliament **DON'T KNOW ANYTHING** what ordinary people think.
- 6 Don't know

P14 - During the past twelve months, have you had any contact with a Member of Parliament in any way? [A3027]

- 1 – Yes
- 2 – No, no contact at all
- 6 – Don't know

P15 - Some people say it makes a difference who is in power. Others say that it doesn't make a difference who is in power. Using the scale on this card, (where ONE means that it makes a big difference who is in power and FIVE means that it doesn't make any difference who is in power), where would you place yourself? [A3028]

- 1 It **MAKES A BIG DIFFERENCE** who is in power.
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5 It **DOESN'T MAKE ANY DIFFERENCE** who is in power.
- 6 Don't know

P16 - Some people say that no matter who people vote for, it won't make any difference to what happens. Others say that who people vote for can make a difference to what happens. Using the scale on this card, (where ONE means that voting won't make any difference to what happens and FIVE means that voting can make a big difference), where would you place yourself? [A3029]

- 1 Who people vote for **WON'T MAKE ANY DIFFERENCE**.
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5 Who people vote for **CAN MAKE A BIG DIFFERENCE**.
- 6 Don't know

P17 - When people are asked to express an opinion, do you believe most people in Portugal usually say what they think about politics or do you believe most people usually hide what they really think about politics? Using the scale on this card, (where ONE means that most people in Portugal usually say what they think about politics, and FIVE means that most people usually hide what they really think), where would you place yourself? [A3030]

- 1 Most people in Portugal usually **SAY WHAT THEY THINK** about politics.
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5 Most people usually **HIDE WHAT THEY REALLY THINK** about politics.
- 6 Don't know

P18 - In politics people sometimes talk of left and right. Where would you place yourself on a scale from 0 to 10 where 0 means the left and 10 means the right?

P18_1 - YOURSELF.....'___'___' [A3031]

Now, using the same scale where would you place [BLOCO DE ESQUERDA]?

P18_2 - BLOCO DE ESQUERDA (POLÍTICA XXI, PSR E UDP) '___'___' [A3032_E]

P18_3 - CDS/PP.....'___'___' [A3032_C]

P18_4 - CDU (PCP/PEV).....'___'___' [A3032_D]

P18_5 - PCTP/MRPP.....'___'___' [A3032_F]

P18_6 - PPD/PSD.....'___'___' [A3032_A]

P18_7 - PS.....'___'___' [A3032_B]

And again, using the same scale where would you place [FRANCISCO LOUÇÃ]?

P18_8 - FRANCISCO LOUÇÃ.....'___'___' [A3035_E]

P18_9 - PAULO PORTAS.....'___'___' [A3035_C]

P18_10 - CARLOS CARVALHAS.....'___'___' [A3035_D]

P18_11 - GARCIA PEREIRA.....'___'___' [A3035_F]

P18_12 - DURÃO BARROSO.....'___'___' [A3035_A]

P18_13 - FERRO RODRIGUES.....'___'___' [A3035_B]

0 LEFT

- 1
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5
- 6
- 7
- 8
- 9

10 RIGHT

- 96 Don't know
- 97 No answer
- 98 Haven't heard of

P19 - Let's talk about things some people do during elections. In the last election, on the 17th March 2002, did you talk to other people to persuade them to vote for a particular party or candidate?

- 1 - Yes
- 2 - No → Skip to P.19b

P19a - [IF YES] How often did you do this? Would you say...

- 1 - Frequently
- 2 - Occasionally
- 3 - Rarely
- 6 - Don't know

P19b - Did you show your support for a particular party or candidate by, for example, attending a meeting, putting up a poster, or in some other way?

- 1 – Yes
- 2 – No → Skip to P20
- 6 – Don't know → Skip to P20

P19c - [IF YES] How often did you do this? Would you say...

- 1 – Frequently
- 2 - Occasionally
- 3 - Rarely
- 6 – Don't know

P20 - During the last election campaign did a candidate or anyone from a political party contact you to persuade you to vote for them?

- 1 – Yes
- 2 – No
- 6 – Don't know

4TH BOX – I'LL NOW ASK YOU SOME QUESTIONS ABOUT YOUR VOTE IN LAST ELECTIONS - IN MARCH 2002. BEFORE, I WOULD LIKE TO REMIND YOU THAT, AS YOU KNOW, VOTING IS A RIGHT EVERYONE HAS, BUT NO ONE IS FORCED TO VOTE IF HE DOESN'T WANT TO OR ISN'T ABLE TO DO IT.

P21 - Did you vote in the last legislative elections? [**A2028**]

- 1 – Yes
- 2 – No → Skip to P23
- 3 – Did not cast a ballot because was not qualified to vote → Skip to P23
- 6 – Don't know → Skip to P23
- 7 – No answer → Skip to P23

P22 - Would you mind telling me which party did you vote for in that election? [**A2029**]

- 1 - BLOCO DE ESQUERDA (POLÍTICA XXI, PSR E UDP)
- 2 - CDS/PP
- 3 - CDU (PCP/PEV)
- 4 - PCTP/MRPP
- 5 - PPD/PSD
- 6 – PS
- 7 – OTHER
- 8 – SPOILED BALLOT
- 0 – NOT APPLICABLE
- 96 – DON'T KNOW
- 97 – NO ANSWER

P23 - What do you think has been the most important issue facing Portugal over the last three years?

5th INSTRUCTION - INTERVIEWER:
IF **DON'T KNOW** OR **NO ANSWER** SKIP TO **P.25**

P24 - And thinking about that issue, how good or bad a job do you think the government has done over the past three years. Has it done a.....

- 1 – Very good job
- 2 – Good job
- 3 – Bad Job
- 4 – Very Bad Job
- 6 – Don' know

P25 - Now thinking about the performance of the government **in general**, how good or bad a job do you think it done over the past three years? Has it done a...

- 1 – Very good job
- 2 – Good job
- 3 – Bad Job
- 4 – Very Bad Job
- 6 – Don' know

P26 – Please tell me how strongly you agree or disagree with the following statement: "Democracy may have problems but it's better than any other form of government". Do you agree strongly, agree, disagree, or disagree strongly with this statement?

- 1 - Agree strongly
- 2 - Agree
- 3 - Disagree
- 4 - Disagree strongly
- 6 – Don't know

5TH BOX – I'LL NOW ASK YOU SOME QUESTION ABOUT YOUR VOTE IN THE 1999 PARLIAMENTARY ELECTIONS.

P27 - Did you vote in the 1999 legislative elections?

- 1 – Yes
- 2 – No → Skip to P30
- 3 – Did not cast a ballot because was not aged enough → Skip to P30
- 4 – Though being aged enough, did not cast a ballot because was not qualified to vote → Skip to P30
- 6 – Don't know → Skip to P30
- 7 – No answer → Skip to P30

P28 - Would you mind telling me which party did you vote for in the election?

- 1 - BLOCO DE ESQUERDA (POLÍTICA XXI, PSR E UDP)
- 2 - CDS/PP
- 3 - CDU (PCP/PEV)
- 4 - PCTP/MRPP
- 5 - PPD/PSD
- 6 - PS
- 7 - OTHER
- 8 – SPOILED BALLOT → Skip to P30
- 96 – DON'T KNOW → Skip to P30
- 97 – NO ANSWER → Skip to P30

P29 - How well did the party you voted for then perform over the past three years? Has it done a...

- 1 - Very good job
- 2 - Good job
- 3 - Bad job
- 4 - Very bad job
- 6 – Don't know

P30 - Would you say that any of the parties in Portugal represents your views reasonably well?

- 1 - Yes
- 2 - No → Skip to P31
- 6 - Don't know → Skip to P31

P30a - Which party represents your views best?

- 1 - BLOCO DE ESQUERDA
- 2 - CDS/PP
- 3 - CDU
- 4 - PARTIDO ECOLOGISTA - OS VERDES
- 5 - PARTIDO HUMANISTA
- 6 - PCP
- 7 - PCTP/MRPP
- 8 - POLÍTICA XXI
- 9 - PPD/PSD
- 10 - PPM
- 11 - PS
- 12 - PSR
- 13 - UDP
- 96 - DON'T KNOW
- 97 - NO ANSWER

6TH BOX – COMING BACK TO THE LAST ELECTIONS, ON MARCH 17TH 2002.

P31 - Regardless of how you feel about the parties, would you say that any of the individual party leaders at the last election represents your views reasonably well?

- 1 - Yes
- 2 - No → Skip to P32
- 6 - Don't know → Skip to P32

P31a - Which party leader represents your views best?

- 1 - CARLOS CARVALHAS
- 2 - DURÃO BARROSO
- 3 - FERRO RODRIGUES
- 4 - FRANCISCO LOUÇÃ
- 5 - GARCIA PEREIRA
- 6 - PAULO PORTAS
- 7 - OTHER
- 96 - DON'T KNOW
- 97 - NO ANSWER

P32 - Thinking about how elections in Portugal work in practice, how well do you think they ensure that the views of MPs accurately reflect the views of voters - very well, quite well, not very well, or not well at all?

- 1 - Very well
- 2 - Quite well
- 3 - Not very well
- 4 - Not well at all
- 6 - Don't know

7TH BOX – I'LL NOW ASK YOU SOME QUESTIONS ABOUT THINGS PEOPLE DO TO EXPRESS THEIR VIEWS ABOUT SOMETHING THE GOVERNMENT SHOULD OR SHOULD NOT BE DOING. OVER THE LAST FIVE YEARS OR SO, HAVE YOU DONE ANY OF THE FOLLOWING THINGS ...

P33a - Contacted a politician or government official either in person, or in writing, or some other way?

- 1 – Yes
- 2 – No
- 6 – Don't know

P33b - Taken part in a protest, march or demonstration?

- 1 – Yes
- 2 – No
- 6 – Don't know

P33c - Worked together with people who shared the same concern

- 1 – Yes
- 2 – No
- 6 – Don't know

P34 - How much respect is there for individual freedom and human rights nowadays in Portugal? Do you feel there is

- 1 - A lot of respect for individual freedom and human rights
- 2 - Some respect
- 3 - Not much respect, or
- 4 - No respect at all
- 6 – Don't know

P35 - How widespread do you think corruption such as bribe taking is amongst politicians in Portugal?

- 1 - Very widespread
- 2 - Quite widespread
- 3 – Not very widespread
- 4 - It hardly happens at all
- 6 – Don't know

8TH BOX – STILL ABOUT THE LAST LEGISLATIVE ELECTIONS, ON MARCH 17TH 2002.

P36 – To what extent were you interested in following the last election campaign? Were you...

- 1 – Very interested
- 2 – Somewhat interested
- 3 – Not very interested
- 4 – Not at all interested
- 6 – Don't know

6TH INSTRUCTION - INTERVIEWER: PLEASE CHECK THE ANSWER TO QUESTION **P.21**:
IF RESPONDENT **CAST A BALLOT** (CODE 1) – **GO ON**;
IF RESPONDENT **DID NOT CAST A BALLOT** (CODES 2 OR 3) – SKIP TO **P.38**;
IF RESPONDENT **DON'T KNOW** OR **NO ANSWER** (CODES 6 OR 7) – SKIP TO **9TH BOX**.

P37 – When did you decide which party you wanted to vote for the legislative elections from March 2002?

- 1 – On election day
- 2 – The day before
- 3 – During the week before elections
- 4 – During the month before elections
- 5 – More than a month before elections
- 6 – Don't know

7TH INSTRUCTION - INTERVIEWER: SKIP TO **9TH BOX**.

P38 – In a previous question you told me that you did not cast a ballot for the 2002 legislative elections. Looking at the list below, would you please tell me the main reason why you did not cast a ballot? The main reason why I did not cast a ballot for last elections was:

- 1 – NONE OF THE POLITICAL OPTIONS SUITED ME
- 2 – I'M FED UP OF POLITICS AND ELECTIONS
- 3 – I'VE NEVER FELT INTERESTED ABOUT POLITICS
- 4 – TO VOTE OR NOT TO VOTE MAKES NO DIFFERENCE
- 5 – I WAS NOT SUFFICIENTLY INFORMED AND THEREFORE I DIDN'T KNOW IN WHICH PARTY TO VOTE
- 6 – I DON'T TRUST ANY POLITICAL PARTY
- 7 – IN ORDER TO SHOW MY DISSATISFACTION
- 8 – EVERYBODY KNEW WHO WAS GOING TO WIN, SO MY VOTE WOULDN'T MAKE ANY DIFFERENCE
- 9 – THERE ARE NO SIGNIFICANT DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE PARTIES WITH MORE PROBABILITY OF CONTROLLING THE GOVERNMENT
- 10 - FOR HEALTH, PROFESSIONAL OR FAMILY REASONS
- 11 – I WAS NOT QUALIFIED TO VOTE
- 12 – OTHER REASON
- 13 – DON'T KNOW
- 14 – NO ANSWER

9TH BOX – I'LL NOW ASK YOU SOME QUESTIONS ABOUT THE LAST LOCAL ELECTIONS, WHICH TOOK PLACE IN DECEMBER 2001.

P39 – Did you cast a ballot in that election?

- 1 – Yes
- 2 – No → Skip to 10th box
- 3 – Did not cast a ballot because was not aged enough → Skip to 10th box
- 4 – Though being aged enough, did not cast a ballot because was not qualified to vote → Skip to 10th box
- 6 – Don't know → Skip to 10th box
- 7 – No answer → Skip to 10th box

P40 – Would you mind telling me which party did you vote for in that election?

- 1 - BLOCO DE ESQUERDA (POLÍTICA XXI, PSR E UDP)
- 2 - CDS/PP
- 3 - CDU-PCP/PEV
- 4 - GRUPO DE CIDADÃOS
- 5 - MPT
- 6 - PCTP/MRPP
- 7 - PPD/PSD
- 8 - PPD/PSD-CDS/PP-PPM
- 9 - PPD/PSD-PPM
- 10 - PPM
- 11 - PS
- 12 - PS-CDU
- 13 - OTHER
- 14 – SPOILED BALLOT
- 97 – NO ANSWER

10TH BOX – CHANGING SUBJECT, WOULD YOU PLEASE TELL ME ...

P41 – How often do you watch news or programmes about politics on TV?

- 1 – Every day
- 2 – Many times a week
- 3 – Once a week
- 4 – Less than once a week
- 5 – Never
- 6 – Don't know

P42 - How often do you read news or programmes about politics on newspapers?

- 1 – Every day
- 2 – Many times a week
- 3 – Once a week
- 4 – Less than once a week
- 5 – Never
- 6 – Don't know

P43 - How often do you listen to news or programmes about politics on the radio?

- 1 – Every day
- 2 – Many times a week
- 3 – Once a week
- 4 – Less than once a week
- 5 – Never
- 6 – Don't know

P44 – During the last election campaign did you read, listen to or watch any polls results in newspapers, on the radio or on TV?

- 1 – Yes
- 2 – No
- 6 – Don't know

P45 – How often did you do it?

- 1 – Frequently
- 2 - Occasionally
- 3 - Rarely
- 6 – Don't know

11TH BOX – LET'S NOW TALK ABOUT TRUST NOT ONLY IN PEOPLE, BUT IN SOME INSTITUTIONS AS WELL.

P.46 – Generally speaking, would you say that most people can be trusted, or that you can't be too careful in dealing with people?

- 1 – Most people can be trusted
- 2 – You can't be too careful
- 6 – Don't know

P.47 – Thinking about your neighbours, generally speaking, would you say they are people in whom you may always trust, frequently, occasionally, rarely or never?

- 1 – Always
- 2 – Frequently
- 3 – Occasionally
- 4 – Rarely
- 5 – Never
- 6 – Don't know
- 7 – No answer

P48 – I would like to ask you some questions about the trust you have in some institutions. How much confidence do you personally have in each one of the following institutions, is it a great deal, quite a lot, not very much or none at all?

- P48_1** - Courts of justice ' _ ' _ ' _ ' _ '
- P48_2** – The Police ' _ ' _ ' _ ' _ '
- P48_3** – The Portuguese Parliament..... ' _ ' _ ' _ ' _ '
- P48_4** – The Church ' _ ' _ ' _ ' _ '
- P48_5** – The Armed Forces..... ' _ ' _ ' _ ' _ '
- P48_6** – The media..... ' _ ' _ ' _ ' _ '
- P48_7** – The Polling Institutes ' _ ' _ ' _ ' _ '
- P48_8** – The Head of State ' _ ' _ ' _ ' _ '
- P48_9** – The Political Parties..... ' _ ' _ ' _ ' _ '
- P48_10** – The Government..... ' _ ' _ ' _ ' _ '
- P48_11** – The European Union ' _ ' _ ' _ ' _ '

- 1 – None at all
- 2 – Not very much
- 3 – Quite a lot
- 4 – A great deal
- 6 – Don't know

12TH BOX – I WOULD LIKE TO ASK YOU SOME QUESTIONS ABOUT YOUR INTEREST IN POLITICS.

P49 - Some people are not interested at all in what politicians think about the various issues. Others are very interested about it. Using the scale on this card, (where ONE means that you are not interested about what politicians think, and FIVE means that you are very interested), where would you place yourself?

- 1 I'm not interested at all in what politicians think about the various issues.
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5 I'm very interested in what politicians think about the various issues.
- 6 Don't know

P50 – How interested would you say you are in politics – are you...

- 1 – Very interested
- 2 – Quite interested
- 3 – Hardly interested
- 4 – or, not at all interested?
- 6 – Don't know

P51 – When you get together with your family or friends, would you say you discuss political matters frequently, occasionally or never?

- 1 – Frequently
- 2 – Occasionally
- 3 – Never
- 6 – Don't know

P52 – How far do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements? Firstly ... **READ OUT**

	Disagree strongly	Disagree	Agree	Agree strongly	Don't know
P52_1 - "Sometimes politics and government seem so complicated that I can't really understand what is going on"	1	2	3	4	6
P52_2 - "I think I can take an active role in a group that is focused on political issues"	1	2	3	4	6
P52_3 - "I understand and judge important political questions very well"	1	2	3	4	6
P52_4 - "Politicians do not care much what people like me think."	1	2	3	4	6
P52_5 - "Politicians are only interested in people's votes but not in their opinions."	1	2	3	4	6

13TH BOX – CHANGING SUBJECT, I WOULD LIKE TO ASK YOU SOME QUESTIONS ABOUT THE WAY THE PORTUGUESE AND THE EUROPEAN POLITICAL SYSTEM WORK.

P53 – Some people say that, nowadays, the decisions taken by the European Union have more impact in our lives than the ones taken by the national government. Others say the opposite. Using the scale on this card, (where ONE means that the decisions taken by the European Union have more impact in our lives, and FIVE means that the decisions taken by the national government have more impact in our lives), where would you place yourself?

- 1 The decisions taken by the European Union have more impact in our lives
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5 The decisions taken by the national government have more impact in our lives.
- 6 Don't know

P54 – Some people say that the national parliament is useless to our political system. Others say it is essential to our political system. Using the scale on this card, (where ONE means that the national parliament is useless to our political system, and FIVE means that the national parliament is essential to our political system), where would you place yourself?

- 1 The national parliament is essential to our political system
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5 The national parliament is useless to our political system.
- 6 Don't know

P55 – I would now like to know your opinion on political parties. Please tell me if you strongly agree, agree, disagree or strongly disagree with each one of the following sentences.

	Disagree strongly	Disagree	Agree	Agree strongly	Don't know
P55_1 - "Political parties are indispensable for people to participate in politics"	1	2	4	5	6
P55_2 - "Political parties serve only to divide people"	1	2	4	5	6
P55_3 - "Without parties there would no be democracy"	1	2	4	5	6
P55_4 - "Parties criticise each other a lot, but they are all the same"	1	2	4	5	6

P56 – Do you happen to remember the name of the Portuguese Prime Minister before António Guterres? [**A2023**]

- 1 - Correct ("CAVACO SILVA")
- 2 – Incorrect
- 6 – Don't know

P57 – And do you happen to remember the Number of EU member-states? [**A2024**]

- 1 - Correct ("15")
- 2 – Incorrect
- 6 – Don't know

P58 – Now I'd like you to tell me your views on various issues. How would you place your views on this scale? 1 means you agree completely with the statement on the left, 10 means you agree completely with the statement on the right, or you can choose any number in between.

P58a

- 1 The state should give more freedom to firms.
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5
- 6
- 7
- 8
- 9
- 10 The state should control firms more effectively.
- 96 = Don't know
- 97 = No answer

P58b

- 1 Private ownership of business and industry should be increased.
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5
- 6
- 7
- 8
- 9
- 10 Government ownership of business and industry should be increased.
- 96 = Don't know
- 97 = No answer

P58c

1 Each individual should be responsible for arranging his or her pension.

- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5
- 6
- 7
- 8
- 9

10 The state should be responsible for everyone's pension.

96 = Don't know

97 = No answer

P58d

1 The health national system should be private.

- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5
- 6
- 7
- 8
- 9

10 The health national system should be controlled by the state.

96 = Don't know

97 = No answer

P58e

1 A couple/woman should never have the right to do an abortion.

- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5
- 6
- 7
- 8
- 9

10 A couple/woman should have the right to do an abortion if they/she didn't want to have children.

96 = Don't know

97 = No answer

P58f

1 In order to face the situation we are living in Portugal, we should stop all the immigrants from coming to live here.

- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5
- 6
- 7
- 8
- 9

10 In order to face the situation we are living in Portugal, we should allow all the immigrants to come and live here.

96 = Don't know

97 = No answer

P58g

1 The Government should reduce environmental pollution but that should not cost me any money.

- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5
- 6
- 7
- 8
- 9

10 I would give a part of my income if I were certain that the money would be used to prevent environmental pollution.

96 = Don't know

97 = No answer

P59 – Let us now talk about the objectives Portugal should achieve in the next 10 years.

P59_1 – If you had to choose, which of these things would you say is the most important?

P59_2 – And what would be the next most important?

	P59_1 1st Priority	P59_2 2nd Priority
1 – Maintaining order in the nation	1	1
2 – Giving people more to say in important government decisions.....	2	2
3 – Fighting rising prices.....	3	3
4 – Protecting freedom of speech	4	4
6 – Don't know.....	6	6
7 – No answer.....	7	7

14TH BOX – I'LL NOW ASK YOUR OPINION ABOUT THE ECONOMIC SITUATION OF YOUR HOUSEHOLD AND OF YOUR COUNTRY .

P60 – Would you say that you (and your family living with you) are better off, worse off financially, or just about the same than you were a year ago?

- 1 – Better off
- 2 – About the same
- 3 – Worse off
- 6 – Don't know
- 7 – No answer

P61 – Now looking ahead – do you think that a year from now you (and your family living with you) will be better off financially, or worse off, or just about the same as now?

- 1 – Will be better off
- 2 – Will be about the same as now
- 3 – Will be worse off
- 6 – Don't know
- 7 – No answer

P62 – Looking ahead again, do you think the Portuguese economy next year will be better, will be worse, or will be about the same as now?

- 1 – Will be better
- 2 – Will be about the same as now
- 3 – Will be worse
- 6 – Don't know
- 7 – No answer

15TH BOX – JUST TO FINISH THIS PART OF THE QUESTIONNAIRE, ONE LAST QUESTION ABOUT FORMS OF POLITICAL PARTICIPATION.

P63 – I'm going to read out some different forms of political action that people can take, and I'd like you to tell me, for each one, whether you have actually *done* any of these things, whether you might do it or would never, under any circumstances, do it.

	Have done	Might do	Would never do	Don't know	No answer
P63_1 – Signing a petition.....	1	2	3	6	7
P63_2 – Writing a letter to a newspaper	1	2	3	6	7
P63_3 – Put up posters and distribute leaflets	1	2	3	6	7
P63_4 – Blocking a road or railtrack.....	1	2	3	6	7
P63_5 – Joining unofficial strikes	1	2	3	6	7
P63_6 – Occupying buildings or factories	1	2	3	6	7
P63_7 – Participating in actions or opinion movements in defence of human rights	1	2	3	6	7

P64 – During the last election campaign (for the 2002 legislative elections), do you think the mass media, such as newspapers, televisions, radios, have supported the *Partido Socialista* – PS more, the *Partido Social Democrata* – PSD, or do you think they have been impartial?

- 1 – Supported the *Partido Socialista* more
- 2 – Supported the *Partido Social Democrata* more
- 3 – Were impartial
- 6 – Don't know
- 7 – No answer

P65 – What about the Polls institutes, during the last elections campaign (for 2002 legislative elections), do you think they have supported the *Partido Socialista* – PS more, have supported more the *Partido Social Democrata* – PSD more, or do you think they have been impartial?

- 1 – Supported the *Partido Socialista* more
- 2 – Supported the *Partido Social Democrata* more
- 3 – Were impartial
- 6 – Don't know
- 7 – No answer

16TH BOX – FINALLY, I'LL ASK YOU SOME PERSONAL QUESTIONS.

D1 – Age of respondent!__'__' [A2001]

D2 – Sex of respondent [A2002]

- 1 – Male
- 2 – Female

D3 - What is the highest level of education you achieved? [A2003]

- 1 – None
- 2 – Incomplete primary
- 3 – Primary completed
- 4 – Incomplete basic level
- 5 – Basic level completed
- 6 – Incomplete secondary
- 7 – Secondary completed
- 8 – Incomplete University undergraduate degree
- 9 - University undergraduate degree completed
- 10 – Incomplete University postgraduate degree
- 11 – University postgraduate degree completed

D4 – Are you currently... [A2004]

- 1 – Married or living together as married
- 2 – Widowed
- 3 – Divorced or separated
- 4 – Single, never married
- 6 – Don't know
- 7 – No answer

D5 – Are you member of a Union? [A2005]

- 1 – Yes
- 2 – No
- 6 – Don't know
- 7 – No answer

D6 – Apart from you, is there someone in your household who is member of a Union? **[A2006]**

- 1 – Apart from me, there is a person in your household who is member of a Union
- 2 - Apart from me, there is no one in your household who is member of a Union
- 6 – Don't know
- 7 – No answer

D7 – Are you a member of a business or employer's association?

- 1 – Yes
- 2 – No
- 6 – Don't know
- 7 – No answer

D8 – Are you a member of a farmer's association?

- 1 – Yes
- 2 – No
- 6 – Don't know
- 7 – No answer

D9 – Are you a member of a professional association?

- 1 – Yes
- 2 – No
- 6 – Don't know
- 7 – No answer

D10 – Let's talk about your employment status. Which of these descriptions **best** describes your situation. **[A2007]**

- 1 – Employed – full time
- 2 – Employed – part time
- 3 – Employed – less than 15 hours
- 4 – Helping family member
- 5 – Unemployed
- 6 – Student, in school, in vocational training
- 7 – Retired
- 8 – Permanently disabled
- 9 – Housewife, home duties → Skip to the 8th instruction
- 10 – Others → Skip to the 8th instruction
- 97 – No answer → Skip to the 8th instruction

D11 - [IF RESPONDENT IS A STUDENT, DO THIS QUESTION ABOUT THE CHIEF WAGE EARNER IN THE HOUSEHOLD] Please tell me what's your main occupation? If you are at the moment retired, unemployed or disabled, please tell me what was your last main occupation. **[A2008]**

D12 - [IF RESPONDENT IS A STUDENT, DO THIS QUESTION ABOUT THE CHIEF WAGE EARNER IN THE HOUSEHOLD] Which of the following situation corresponds to yours? **[A2009]**

- 1 – Work for Government → Skip to the 8th instruction
- 2 – Private Sector (salaried) → Skip to the 8th instruction
- 3 – Mixed → Skip to the 8th instruction
- 4 – Non-profit sector → Skip to the 8th instruction
- 5 – Self employed
- 6 – Don't know → Skip to the 8th instruction
- 7 – No answer → Skip to the 8th instruction

D13 – [IF RESPONDENT IS A STUDENT, DO THIS QUESTION ABOUT THE CHIEF WAGE EARNER IN THE HOUSEHOLD] You told me you are self employed. Which of the following situation corresponds to yours?

- 1 – Self employed without employees
- 2 – Self employed with less than 10 employees
- 3 – Self employed with more than 10 employees
- 95 – Other situation. Which? _____
- 96 – Don't know
- 97 – No answer

8TH INSTRUCTION - INTERVIEWER: PLEASE CHECK THE ANSWER TO QUESTION **D.4:**
IF "**MARRIED OR LIVING TOGETHER AS MARRIED** " (CODE 1), **GO ON.**
IF NOT, SKIP TO D.18.

D14 – And now, another question about employment status. Which of these descriptions **best** describes the situation of your husband/wife/partner.

- 1 – Employed – full time
- 2 – Employed – part time
- 3 – Employed – less than 15 hours
- 4 – Helping family member
- 5 – Unemployed
- 6 – Retired
- 7 – Permanently disabled
- 8 – Student, in school, in vocational training → Skip to D18
- 9 – Housewife, home duties → Skip to D18
- 10 – Others → Skip to D18
- 97 – No answer → Skip to D18

D15 - Please tell me what is the main occupation of your husband/wife/partner? If he/she is at the moment retired, unemployed or disabled, please tell me what was his/her last main occupation. [**A2011**]

D16 - Which of the following situation corresponds to your husband/wife/partner?

- 1 – Work for Government → Skip to D18
- 2 – Private Sector (salaried) → Skip to D18
- 3 – Mixed → Skip to D18
- 4 – "Third sector"/Non-profit sector → Skip to D18
- 5 – Self employed
- 6 – Don't know → Skip to D18
- 7 – No answer → Skip to D18

D17 – You told me your husband/wife/partner is self employed. Which of the following situation corresponds to him/her?

- 1 – Self employed without employees
- 2 – Self employed with less than 10 employees
- 3 – Self employed with more than 10 employees
- 95 – Other situation. Which? _____
- 96 – Don't know
- 97 – No answer

D18 – Would you mind telling me what is your household income? [**A2012**]

- 1 – Less than 300 euro;
- 2 – From 301 to 750 euro;
- 3 – From 751 to 1500 euro;
- 4 – From 1501 to 2500 euro;
- 5 – More than 2500 euro.
- 6 – Don't know
- 7 – No answer

D19 – How many people, including yourself, are currently living in your housing unit (excluding paid employees and person who pay rent for a room)? **[A2013]**

- ' _ ' _ ' _ '
96 – Don't know
97 – No answer

D20 – How many children, under age 18, are currently living in your housing unit? **[A2014]**

- ' _ ' _ ' _ '
96 – Don't know
97 – No answer

17TH BOX – JUST BEFORE FINISHING, I WOULD LIKE TO ASK YOU A FEW QUESTIONS ABOUT YOUR RELIGIOUS IDENTITY

D21 - How religious would you say you are? Would you say you (are) ... **[A2016]**

- 1 – Have no religious beliefs → Skip to D24
2 – Not very religious
3 – Somewhat religious
4 – Very religious
6 – Don't know
7 – No answer

D22 – To which religious denomination do you belong? **[A2017]**

- 1 – Catholic
2 – Other
3 – None → Skip to D24
6 – Don't know → Skip to D24
7 – No answer → Skip to D24

D23 – About how often do you attend religious services these days? **[A2015]**

- 1 – Never
2 – Once a year
3 – Two to eleven times a year
4 – Once a month
5 – Two or more times a month
6 – Once a week or more
96 – Don't know
97 – No answer

D24 – Do you generally speak Portuguese at home? **[A2018]**

- 1 – Yes
2 – No
6 – Don't know

INTERVIEWER: SAY THANKS AND GOODBYE!

INTERVIEWER, please:

D25 - Guess the respondent's race: **[A2020]**

- 0 – Not determined
1 – European
2 – Asian
3 – African
4 – Indian
5 – Other

C1 – Nut II [A2019]

- 1 – North
- 2 – Centre
- 3 – Lisbon and Tagus Valley
- 4 – Alentejo
- 5 – Algarve

C2 – Habitat [A2022]

- 1 – Until 100 inhabitants
- 2 – From 101 to 200 inhabitants
- 3 – From 201 to 500 inhabitants
- 4 – From 501 to 1.000 inhabitants
- 5 – From 1.001 to 2.000 inhabitants
- 6 – From 2.001 to 5.000 inhabitants
- 7 – From 5.001 to 10.000 inhabitants
- 8 – From 10.001 to 20.000 inhabitants
- 9 – From 20.001 to 100.000 inhabitants
- 10 – From 100.001 to 500.000 inhabitants
- 11 – More than 500.001 inhabitants

• CANDIDATE 1:	• CANDIDATE 2:	• CANDIDATE 3:
C3_1_a - Sex: [A3017_1]	C3_2_a - Sex: [A3017_2]	C3_3_a - Sex: [A3017_3]
MALE 1 FEMALE 2	MALE 1 FEMALE 2	MALE 1 FEMALE 2
C3_1_b - Party: [A3018_1]	C3_2_b - Party: [A3018_2]	C3_3_b - Party: [A3018_3]
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C3_4_a – Number of candidates correctly identified [A3019]

- 0 – No candidates correctly identified
- 1 – One candidate correctly identified
- 2 – More than one candidate correctly identified

C3_4_b – Recollection of any candidate from last elections [A2025]

- 1 – At least one candidate correctly identified
- 2 – No candidates correctly identified
- 6 – Don't know

C5 – Respondent Industrial Sector [A2010]CODE ACCORDING TO THE INFORMATION OF **D.11.**

- 1 – Primary sector
- 2 – Secondary Sector
- 3 – Tertiary Sector
- 4 – Other
- 6 – Don't know
- 7 – No answer

C6 – Respondent's husband/wife/partner Industrial Sector
CODE ACCORDING TO THE INFORMATION OF **D.15**.

- 1 – Primary sector
- 2 – Secondary Sector
- 3 – Tertiary Sector
- 4 – Other
- 6 – Don't know
- 7 – No answer