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The Swedish National Election Study 2018: study design

The Swedish National Election Study 2018 was conducted in collaboration between the Department of Political Science, University of Gothenburg and Statistics Sweden (SCB). The Swedish election studies have been conducted at all parliamentary elections, referendums and European Parliament elections since 1956.

For the first time, the study was carried out as completely postal and web mixed mode, but with the same basic design: rolling long-term panels, campaign panel with pre-election and follow-up survey and voter validation. Respondents had the option of completing the survey by filling in a paper questionnaire sent by post or by completing the survey online.

The Swedish National Election study 2018 consisted of three stages: stage A (pre-election survey), stage B (post-election survey) and stage C (separate post-election survey as part of the Comparative Study of Electoral Systems (CSES)). Stages A and B consist of two editions each. The CSES consists of one edition. Respondents to Stage A, the pre-election survey, were given the opportunity to respond to a post-election follow-up survey.

The sample (23,398 persons in total) is representative of the Swedish population aged 18-85 and eligible to vote in the parliamentary election. Swedish citizens living abroad or with a protected identity are not included in the sample. Of the total sample, 15,398 were included in stages A and B. This sample is drawn jointly for both stages and is set up as a rolling two-stage panel. Half of the sample already participated in the 2014 Election Survey and will participate again in the 2018 Election Survey. This incoming panel was added with respondents from the 2014 European Election Survey. The other half of the sample will participate for the first time in 2018 and will be contacted again to participate in the 2022 Election Survey. The stage C sample consists of 8000 people, is drawn separately and not part of the long-term panels.

Fieldwork for stage A, the pre-election survey, started on August 2 and ended on September 13. By September 10, Stage A respondents had received a short follow-up survey. Fieldwork for stage B, the post-election survey, started on the day after election day on September 10 and ended on November 6. The fieldwork for stage C, the CSES-survey, started at the same time as Stage B, on September 10, and was also completed on November 6.

Administrative variables

cun	IP-number Unique to each respondent
etapp	Stage A Pre-election B Post-election C Post-election/CSES
edition	Edition 1 Edition 1 2 Edition 2
etapp_edition	Stage - edition 11 Pre-election – Edition 1 12 Pre-election – Edition 2 21 Post-election – Edition 1 22 Post-election – Edition 2 30 CSES . Missing – non-response
webb	Response method 0 Mail 1 Web . Missing – non-response

Explanations of editions:

The different editions of the study are marked in the codebook as follows:

- a1 = Stage A, pre-election survey edition 1
- a2 = Stage A, pre-election survey edition 2
- b1 = Stage B, post-election survey edition 1
- b2 = Stage B, post-election survey edition 2
- u = follow up survey
- c = CSES-survey

Questionnaire

News and politics

How many days a week do you usually read the following papers, in paper or online?

a1.1
a2.1
b1.1a
b2.1

		6–7 days a week	3–5 days a week	1–2 days a week	More seldom	Never
q1a	Dagens Nyheter	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q1b	Svenska Dagbladet	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q1c	Expressen/GT/Kvällsposten	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q1d	Aftonbladet	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q1e	Other: tidning1_kod tidning2_kod, tidning3_kod	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

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code explanations

How many days a week do you usually watch or listen to the following news programs or news services?

a1.2
a2.2
b1.1b
b2.2

		6–7 days a week	3–5 days a week	1–2 days a week	More seldom	Never
q2a	Rapport/Aktuellt on SVT	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q2b	Ekot News Cast on the radio	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q2c	Nyhetera on TV4	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q2d	Other: program_txt	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

How often do you access social media content on the Internet:

a1:--
a2:--
b1:--
b2.3

q3 ☐ I do not use the internet →

		More than 20 times a day	1-20 times a day	A few times a week	More seldom	Never
q3a	Facebook	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q3b	Instagram	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q3c	Twitter	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q3d	Other: annat_socmedia_txt	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

q4 How much do you trust the election news coverage in the media in general?

a1:--
a2.3
b1.17
b2:--

Very high trust	Somewhat high trust	Neither high nor low trust	Somewhat low trust	Very low trust	No opinion
☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

q5 How interested in politics are you in general?

a1.3
a2.4
b1.2
b2.4
c1.1

Very interested	Somewhat interested	Not very interested	Not interested at all
☐	☐	☐	☐

q6 How much do you trust Swedish politicians in general?

a1.4
a2.5
b1.3
b2.5

Very high trust	Somewhat high trust	Somewhat low trust	Very low trust
☐	☐	☐	☐

q7 How often do political discussions occur in your nearest surroundings – in your family, and among your friends and work colleagues?

a1.5
a2.6
b1:--
b2:--

Very often	Fairly often	Not very often	Not at all
☐	☐	☐	☐

q8 What do you usually do when you are in a group of people and the conversation turns into politics? Which of the following descriptions do you think describes you the best?

a1.6
a2.7
b1:--
b2:--

- ☐ I usually do not bother to listen when people start discussing politics
- ☐ I may well listen, but I never take part in the discussion
- ☐ It happens, but not too often, that I say what I think
- ☐ I usually take part in the discussion and say what I think

q9 How satisfied are you with the way the democracy is functioning in Sweden?

a1:--
a2:--
b1.4
b2:--
c1.26

- Very satisfied Fairly satisfied Not particularly satisfied Not satisfied at all
- ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐

q10 According to your assessment, how good is your knowledge of politics?

a1.7
a2.8
b1.6
b2.7
c3.29

- Very good Quite good Not very good Not good at all
- ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐

Parties and Leaders

Where would you like to place the following parties on the scale below?

a1.8
a2.9
b1.7
b2.8
c1.19

	Strongly dislike		Neither like nor dislike						Strongly like		
	-5	-4	-3	-2	-1	0	+1	+2	+3	+4	+5
q11a Centre Party	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q11b Moderate Party	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q11c Left Party	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q11d The Liberals	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q11e Social Democrats	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q11f Green Party	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q11g Christian Democrats	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q11h Sweden Democrats	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q11i Feminist initiative	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

Where on the same scale would you like to place the following party leaders?: (In the CSES-survey the scale is from 0–10)

a1:--
a2.10
b1.8
b2.9
c1.20

		Strongly dislike		Neither like nor dislike						Strongly like		
		-5	-4	-3	-2	-1	0	+1	+2	+3	+4	+5
q12a	Annie Lööf	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q12b	Ulf Kristersson	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q12c	Jonas Sjöstedt	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q12d	Jan Björklund	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q12e	Stefan Löfven	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q12f	Gustav Fridolin	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q12g	Isabella Lövin	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q12h	Ebba Busch Thor	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q12i	Jimmie Åkesson	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q12j	Gudrun Schyman	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

Below are a number of descriptions that could be used to describe the party leaders. How appropriate do you think that each of them describes Stefan Löfven and Ulf Kristersson?
(We will only ask about the leaders for the Social Democrats and the Moderate Party)

a1:--
a2.11
b1:--
b2:--

		Very appropriate	Fairly appropriate	Not very appropriate	Not appropriate at all
Stefan Löfven:					
q13a	Trustworthy	☐	☐	☐	☐
q13b	Inspiring	☐	☐	☐	☐
q13c	Knowledgeable	☐	☐	☐	☐
q13d	Likeable	☐	☐	☐	☐
q13e	Knows what ordinary people think	☐	☐	☐	☐
q13f	Speaks in a way that ordinary people understand	☐	☐	☐	☐
q13g	Strong leader	☐	☐	☐	☐
Ulf Kristersson:					
q13h	Trustworthy	☐	☐	☐	☐
q13i	Inspiring	☐	☐	☐	☐
q13j	Knowledgeable	☐	☐	☐	☐
q13k	Likeable	☐	☐	☐	☐
q13l	Knows what ordinary people think	☐	☐	☐	☐
q13m	Speaks in a way that ordinary people understand	☐	☐	☐	☐
q13n	Strong leader	☐	☐	☐	☐

Election 2018

- a1.9 **A: Are there any issues that are important to you when it comes to choosing which party to vote for in the parliamentary election on the 9th of September? Which issues? State three issues at most.**
- a2.12 **B: Were there any issues that were important to you when it comes to which party you chose to vote for in the parliamentary election on the 9th of September? Which issues? State three issues at most.**
- b1.9
- b2.10

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viktigfraga2_kod
viktigfraga3_kod

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code explanations

Variables based on the codes for importat issue, see coding scheme:

0 = not mentioned issue
1 = mentioned issue
. = missing
.i = missing - did not vote (according to register)

vf1: Economy, codes 10-23 in coding scheme
vf2: Taxes, 30-42
vf3: Labor market, 50-61
vf3a: Labor market, employment, 51-52
vf4: Public sector/services/municipality/region, 70-78, 610-617, 621, 630-635, 640, 642
vf4a: Public sector, only: cutbacks, privatization, 75, 76, 78
vf5: Healthcare and dental care, 90-105, 110-123
vf5a: Healthcare, 90-111
vf6: Elderly care and pensions, 130-136, 140-146
vf6a: Pensions, 140-146
vf7: Social issues, 1-3, 150-151, 160-167, 170-184, 190-193
vf7a: Social issues, welfare, security, 1-3, 170-184
vf7b: Social issues, 160-167
vf7c: Social issues, only: begging, 184
vf7d: Welfare/health care, 1-3. 90-111, 150-184, 75, 76
vf8: Family policy, 200-211, 250-251
vf9: Education, 220-234
vf10: Culture/leisure/sport, 240-244
vf11: Housing/building issues, 260-271
vf12: Infrastructure, 290-307
vf13: Demographic issues, 6, 310-316, 622, 636, 641
vf14: Agriculture/natural resources issues, 317-326
vf15: Environment/energy, 330-339, 350-355
vf15a: Energy, 350-355
vf15b: Environment, 330-339
vf16: Law & order, 370-385
vf17: System abuse, 390-397, 527
vf18: Democracy/rights 400-426, 455
vf18a: Gender equality, 402, 423
vf19: Integration/immigration, 430-438, 451, 545
vf20: Religion, 452, 453
vf20a: Religion, 450-456
vf21: Media, 460-462
vf22: Business, 490-501
vf23: Governance/politics 4-7, 456, 510-526, 528-554, 618-620, 637-639
vf24: Swedish foreign policy, 560-567
vf25: EU, international issues, 580-598, 660-683
vf25a: EU, 660-683
vf26: Morality/ethics, 690-701
vf26b: Morality/ethics/religion, 690-701, 450-456
vf27: Ideology, 710-732
vf28: Left-right ideology, 75, 76, 711-713, 720, 721, 728, 729, 422
vf29: Peace/international issues/defence, 560-567

q15 How much difference do you think there is, in general, between the parties in the parliament when it comes to their political positions?

a1.10
a2:--
b1.5
b2.6

Very big
difference

☐

Fairly big
difference

☐

Not very big
difference

☐

No difference
at all

☐

q16 A: How important do you think this year's election is? Do you care much about which parties win or lose, or do you not think that it matters?

a1.11
a2.13
b1.10
b2.11

B: How important do you think this year's election was? Did you care much about which parties won or lost, or do you not think that it matters?

- ☐ I care a lot about which parties win or lose
- ☐ I do not really think that it matters very much

q17a Do you intend to vote in this year's parliamentary election?

a1.12a

a2.14a

b1:--

b2:--

☐ Yes, I intend to vote

☐ Yes, I have already voted

☐ No

☐ Not decided/Do not know

☐ Do not want to answer

q17b. a1.12b; a2.14b; b1:--; b2:--

Which party do you intend to vote for/ have you voted for in the parliamentary election?

☐ Left Party (V)

☐ Christian Democrats (KD)

☐ Social Democrats (S)

☐ Green Party (MP)

☐ Centre Party (C)

☐ Sweden Democrats (SD)

☐ The Liberals (L)

☐ Feminist initiative (FI)

☐ Moderate Party (M)

☐ Other party (*State which*):

annparti_ra_b_txt

☐ Blank

☐ Have not decided / Do not know

☐ Do not want to answer

q17c If you were to vote in the parliamentary election , which party would you vote for?

a1.12c

a2.14c

b1:--

b2:--

V S C L M KD MP SD FI

☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ Other party (*State which*):

☐ Blank

☐ Have not decided / Do not know

☐ Do not want to answer

annparti_ra_c_txt

q18a Did you vote in the parliamentary election this year?

a1:--

a2:--

b1.11a

b2.12a

c1.12a

☐ Yes

☐ No

☐ Do not want to answer

q18b a1:--; a2:--; b1.11b; b2.12b; c1.12b

Which party did you vote for?

☐ Left Party (V)

☐ Christian Democrats (KD)

☐ Social Democrats (S)

☐ Green Party (MP)

☐ Centre Party (C)

☐ Sweden Democrats (SD)

☐ The Liberals (L)

☐ Feminist initiative (FI)

☐ Moderate Party (M)

☐ Other party (*State which*):

annparti_pvr_txt

☐ Blank

☐ Do not want to answer

A: Which party or parties do you consider to vote for in the parliamentary election?

a1:--
a2.15
b1.16
b2.--

B: Before this year's parliamentary election, were there any additional party or parties that you considered voting for? Mark all parties you consider voting for.

q19a q19b q19c q19d q19e q19f q19g q19h q19i q19j

V S C L M KD MP SD FI

☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ Other party (state which):

q19k ☐ I consider to vote blank

annparti_over_txt

q19l ☐ I consider to not vote at all

q19o ☐ I did not vote in this year's parliamentary election (Only stage B)

q19m ☐ Do not know

q19n ☐ Do not want to answer

q20 How sure were you of your choice of party in the parliamentary election?

a1:--
a2:--
b1.12
b2.13

Very
sure

☐

Fairly
sure

☐

Neither sure
nor unsure

☐

Fairly
unsure

☐

Very
unsure

☐

Did not vote
in the
parliamentary
election

☐

q21 When did you decide which party you would like to vote for in this year's parliamentary election?

a1:--
a2:--
b1.13
b2.14
c3.15

☐ I decided during the last week before the election day

☐ I decided earlier, during the fall or summer

☐ I knew all along how I were to vote

☐ I did not vote in this year's parliamentary election

q22 Did you vote early in this year's parliamentary election? If you did vote early, did you do it during the last week before the election or did you vote even earlier during the election campaign?

a1:--
a2:--
b1.14
b2.15
c3.16

☐ Yes, I voted early during the last week before the election day

☐ Yes, I voted early even earlier during the election campaign

☐ No, I voted in a polling station on the election day

☐ No, I did not vote in this year's parliamentary election

It is possible to preference vote by putting a cross for one of the candidates on the ballot. Did you use the opportunity to preference vote in the parliamentary election?

a1:--
a2:--
b1.15
b2.16
c3.13

- q23a** ☐ Yes
☐ No
☐ I did not vote in this year's parliamentary election

If you preference voted, do you remember the name of the person that you put a cross for in the parliamentary election?

c3.14

Name:	personval_kod	See coding scheme for code explanations
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How important are the following reasons for your choice of party?

a1.13
a2.16
b1:--
b2.17
b2.18

A1: A, B, C, D, G, I, J
A2: A-O
B1: --
B2: A-P

		Absolutely one of the most important reasons	A fairly important reason	Not a particularly important reason	Not an important reason at all
q24a	The party's policy is beneficial for me personally	☐	☐	☐	☐
q24b	The party has a good leader	☐	☐	☐	☐
q24c	I feel like a supporter of the party	☐	☐	☐	☐
q24d	The party has good policies on many of the issues that have recently been featured in the public debate	☐	☐	☐	☐
q24e	The party has competent representatives who can run the country	☐	☐	☐	☐
q24f	The party has a good political ideology	☐	☐	☐	☐
q24g	I always vote for the party	☐	☐	☐	☐
q24h	The party has good parliamentary candidates in my constituency	☐	☐	☐	☐
q24i	The party has done a good job in politics in recent years	☐	☐	☐	☐
q24j	The party has a good program for the future	☐	☐	☐	☐
q24k	The party is needed to form my favorite government after the election	☐	☐	☐	☐
q24l	The party is a large party and has therefore a better possibility than a smaller party to implement its policies	☐	☐	☐	☐
q24m	The party is a small party that runs the risk of falling below the 4 percent threshold	☐	☐	☐	☐
q24n	People in my nearest surrounding sympathize with the party	☐	☐	☐	☐
q24o	The party is the least bad alternative	☐	☐	☐	☐
q24p	The party has been convincing during the election campaign	☐	☐	☐	☐

Two questions for you who did not vote for any party in the parliamentary election

q25 Which party would you have voted for if you *had* voted in the parliamentary election?

a1:--
a2:--
b1.18
b2.19

V S C L M KD MP SD FI

☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ Other party (State which):

☐ Blank

☐ Do not know

☐ Do not want to answer

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How important were the following reasons to your choice to not vote/vote blank in the parliamentary election?

a1:--
a2:--
b1.19
b2.20

	Absolutely one of the most important reasons	A fairly important reason	Not a particularly important reason	Not an important reason at all
q26a Not interested in politics	☐	☐	☐	☐
q26b Not enough insight in what the parliamentary election is about	☐	☐	☐	☐
q26c Lack trust in politicians	☐	☐	☐	☐
q26d Small differences between the parties	☐	☐	☐	☐
q26e No party represents my views	☐	☐	☐	☐
q26f Do not agree with the party I like the most in important political questions	☐	☐	☐	☐
q26g My vote does not matter	☐	☐	☐	☐
q26h The issue of government was already settled	☐	☐	☐	☐
q26i Busy/away/sick/accident	☐	☐	☐	☐
q26j Lack trust in the vote counting	☐	☐	☐	☐

Election 2014

q27a Did you vote in the 2014 parliamentary election?

a1.14a
a2.17a
b1.20a
b2.21a
c1.17a

- ☐ Yes →
- ☐ No
- ☐ Do not remember
- ☐ Not eligible to vote in 2014

q27b. a1.14b; a2.17b; b1.20b; b2.21b; c1.17b

Which party did you vote for in the 2014 parliamentary election?

- | | |
|--|--|
| ☐ Left Party | ☐ Christian Democrats |
| ☐ Social Democrats | ☐ Green Party |
| ☐ Centre Party | ☐ Sweden Democrats |
| ☐ The Liberals | ☐ Feminist initiative |
| ☐ Moderate Party | |
| ☐ Other party (<i>state which</i>): | |

annparti_2014_txt

- ☐ Blank
- ☐ Do not remember
- ☐ Do not want to answer

If you chose to vote for different parties in the parliamentary elections 2014 and 2018: What made you vote differently in this year's parliamentary election compared to the parliamentary election 2014? State three reasons at most.

a1:--
a2:--
b1.21
b2.22

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partibyte2_kod
partibyte3_kod

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q29 If you chose to vote for different parties in the parliamentary elections 2014 and 2018: Approximately when during the mandate did you choose to change party?

a1:--
a2:--
b1.22
b2:--

- ☐ Directly after the election in 2014
- ☐ During 2015
- ☐ During 2016
- ☐ During 2017
- ☐ During the spring of 2018
- ☐ During the summer of 2018
- ☐ During the election campaign in 2018
- ☐ The days before the election day on the 9th of September
- ☐ Do not remember
-

Municipal- and County Council-/Regional elections 2018

q30a Which party did you vote for in this year's Municipal Council election?

a1:--
a2:--
b1.23a
b2.29a

- ☐ Left Party
☐ Social Democrats
☐ Centre Party
☐ The Liberals
☐ Moderate Party
☐ Christian Democrats
☐ Green Party
☐ Sweden Democrats
☐ Feminist Initiativ
☐ Other party (*state which*):

annparti_pvk_txt

- ☐ Voted blank
☐ Did not vote
☐ Do not want to answer

q30b Which party did you vote for in this year's County Council-/Regional election?

a1:--
a2:--
b1.23b
b2.29b

- ☐ Left Party
☐ Social Democrats
☐ Centre Party
☐ The Liberals
☐ Moderate Party
☐ Christian Democrats
☐ Green Party
☐ Sweden Democrats
☐ Feminist Initiative
☐ Other party (*state which*):

annparti_pvl_txt

- ☐ Voted blank
☐ Did not vote
☐ Do not want to answer

If you chose to vote for different parties in the parliamentary election and the municipal council election: What made you vote for different parties in this year's parliamentary election compared to the municipal council election? *State three reasons at most.*

a1:--
a2:--
b1.24
b2.30

rostdelning1_kod
rostdelning2_kod
rostdelning3_kod

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code explanations

How important were the following reasons for your choice of party in the municipal council election?

a1:--
a2:--
b1.25
b2.31

		Absolutely one of the most important reasons	A fairly important reason	Not a particularly important reason	Not at all an important reason
q32a	The party has good policies on many of the issues that have recently been featured in the public debate in the municipality	☐	☐	☐	☐
q32b	The party has competent candidates who can manage the politics of the municipality	☐	☐	☐	☐
q32c	I always vote for the party in the municipal council election	☐	☐	☐	☐
q32d	The party has good candidates on the ballot in my municipality	☐	☐	☐	☐
q32e	The party has done a good job in municipal politics in recent years	☐	☐	☐	☐
q32f	The party has a good program for the future in my municipality	☐	☐	☐	☐
q32g	People in my nearest surrounding sympathize with the party in the municipal council election	☐	☐	☐	☐
q32h	The party is the least bad alternative in the municipal council election	☐	☐	☐	☐

The parliamentary term 2014–2018

q33 How do you think that the Social Democrats and the Green Party have performed as governing parties since the 2014 election?

a1.15
a2.18
b1:--
b2.37
c1.9

Poorly			Neither well nor poorly					Well		
↓			↓					↓		
-5	-4	-3	-2	-1	0	+1	+2	+3	+4	+5
☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

q34 How do you think that the four Alliance parties, i.e., the Centre Party, The Liberals, the Moderate Party and the Christian Democrats have performed as opposition parties since the 2014 election?

a1.16
a2:--
b1:--
b2:--

Poorly			Neither well nor poorly					Well		
↓			↓					↓		
-5	-4	-3	-2	-1	0	+1	+2	+3	+4	+5
☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

q35 How do you think that the Sweden Democrats has performed as opposition party since the 2014 election?

a1.17
a2:--
b1:--
b2:--

Poorly			Neither well nor poorly					Well		
↓			↓					↓		
-5	-4	-3	-2	-1	0	+1	+2	+3	+4	+5
☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

If you compare with the specific time of the election 2014: What is your opinion on the development of the following areas? Has it become better or worse?

a1.18
a2:--
b1:--
b2:--

	Much worse			Neither better nor worse					Much better		
	↓			↓					↓		
	-5	-4	-3	-2	-1	0	+1	+2	+3	+4	+5
q36a	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q36b	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q36c	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q36d	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q36e	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q36f	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

To what extent do you think that the development since the election in 2014 of the following areas depends on the policies of the government, or on other factors?

a1.19
a2:--
b1:--
b2:--

		Depends entirely on other factors										Depends entirely on the policies of the government											
		↓											↓										
		0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10											
q37a	Employment	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐											
q37b	The Swedish economy	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐											
q37c	Health care	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐											
q37d	School and education	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐											
q37e	Law enforcement	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐											
q37f	Immigration	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐											

q38 To what extent do you think that the government (the Social Democrats and the Green Party) has fulfilled its election promises since the 2014 election?

a1.20
a2:--
b1:--
b2:--

To a very small extent				To neither a large nor small extent				To a very large extent			
↓											
-5	-4	-3	-2	-1	0	+1	+2	+3	+4	+5	
☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	

Before the 2014 election, the Social Democrats gave the following election promises. Do you think that these promises have been fulfilled, partly fulfilled or not fulfilled?

a1.21
a2:--
b1:--
b2:--

		Fulfilled	Partly fulfilled	Not fulfilled	No opinion
q39a	Lowered pension tax	☐	☐	☐	☐
q39b	Compulsory high school for everyone up to 18 years old	☐	☐	☐	☐
q39c	Raised child allowance	☐	☐	☐	☐
q39d	Raised cap in the unemployment benefit	☐	☐	☐	☐
q39e	Revoked RUT-deduction for tutoring	☐	☐	☐	☐
q39f	Raised sickness benefit to 80 percent for the whole sickness period	☐	☐	☐	☐
q39g	One extra month earmarked in parental allowance for each parent	☐	☐	☐	☐
q39h	Compulsory nursery class for six-year-olds	☐	☐	☐	☐

The government

Which party or parties would you prefer to have in the government after this year's election?

a1:--
a2.19
b1:--
b2:--
Mark all parties that you would like to have in the government.

q40a	q40b	q40c	q40d	q40e	q40f	q40g	q40h	q40i	q40j		q40k
V	S	C	L	M	KD	MP	SD	FI	Other party		No opinion
☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	annparti_reg_txt	☐

Who would you prefer as prime minister in the government after the election?

a1:--
a2.20
b1:--
b2:--

Prime minister:	statsmin_kod	See coding scheme for code explanations
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q42 Do you think that the Alliance (C, L, KD, M) or the Red-green (V, S, MP) will get the most votes in the parliamentary election the 9th of September?

a1:--
a2.21
b1:--
b2:--

- ☐ I think that the Alliance will get more votes than the Red-green
- ☐ I think that the Red-green will get more votes than the Alliance
- ☐ Do not know

q43 How large percentage of the votes do you think that the Sweden Democrats will get in this year's parliamentary election?

a1:--
a2.22
b1:--
b2:--

I think that the Sweden Democrats will get percent of the votes

Do you think the following parties will get at least 4 percent in the election, and thus be represented in parliament?

a1:--
a2.23
b1:--
b2:--

	Yes	No
q44a Left Party	☐	☐
q44b Christian Democrats	☐	☐
q44c Green party	☐	☐
q44d The Liberals	☐	☐
q44e Feminist initiative	☐	☐

Partisanship

q45a Many see themselves as a supporter of a specific party. But there are also many who do not have such an attitude to any of the parties. Do you usually consider yourself a supporter of a party?

a1.22a
a2.26a
b1.30a
b2.39a

- ☐ Yes
☐ No
☐ Do not know/undecided

q45b a1.22b; a26b; b1.30b; b2.39b

Which party do you like the best?

- | | |
|---|--|
| ☐ Left Party (V) | ☐ Christian Democrats (KD) |
| ☐ Social democrats (S) | ☐ Green Party (MP) |
| ☐ Centre Party (C) | ☐ Sweden Democrats (SD) |
| ☐ The Liberals (L) | ☐ Feminist initiative (FI) |
| ☐ Moderate Party (M) | ☐ Other party (<i>state which</i>): |

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☐ Do not know

q45C a1.22c; a26c; b1.30c; b2.39c

Some are strongly convinced supporters of their party. Others are not so strongly convinced. Are you one of the strongly convinced supporters of your party?

- ☐ Yes, strongly convinced
☐ No, not strongly convinced

q45d a1.22d; a26d; b1.30d, b2.39d

Still, is there any party that you consider yourself closer to than any of the other parties?

- | | |
|---|--|
| ☐ Left Party | ☐ Christian Democrats |
| ☐ Social Democrats | ☐ Green Party |
| ☐ Centre Party | ☐ Sweden Democrats |
| ☐ The Liberals | ☐ Feminist initiative |
| ☐ Moderate Party | ☐ Other party (<i>state which</i>): |

annparti_pa_d_txt

☐ Do not know

q46 Which party do you like the second best?

a1.23
a2:--
b1.31
b2:--

- | | | | | | | | | |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| V | S | C | L | M | KD | MP | SD | FI |
| ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |

- ☐ Other party (*state which*):
☐ Do not know
☐ No party

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q47 Which party do you like the least?

a1:--
a2.27
b1:--
b2.40

V	S	C	L	M	KD	MP	SD	FI
☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

- ☐ Other party (*state which*):
☐ Do not know
☐ No party

annparti_samst_txt

q48 Is there any party that you would never vote for?

a1:--
a2:--
b1.33
b2:--
c3.25

V	S	C	L	M	KD	MP	SD	FI	
☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

Other party (*State which*):

- ☐ No
☐ Do not know

annparti_aldrig_txt

q49 Are you a member of a political party or any other political organization?

a1.24
a2.28
b1.32
b2.41
c3.24

- ☐ Yes (*state which*):
☐ No

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See coding scheme for
code explanations

q50 Would you consider to take a political assignment for the party you sympathize with?

a1:--
a2:--
b1:--
b2.42

Yes, absolutely	Yes, probably	No, probably not	No, absolutely not	I do not sympathize with any party
☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

The election campaign

Before the election this year:

a1:--
a2:--
b1:--
b2.23

	Yes, several times	Yes, a few times	No
Q51a Did you read any election brochure or similar publications from any party?	☐	☐	☐
Q51b Did you visit any of the parties' websites?	☐	☐	☐
Q51c Did you attend any election meeting or other event organised by a party?	☐	☐	☐
Q51d Did you get a personal visit to your home by any party?	☐	☐	☐
Q51e Where you telephoned by any party?	☐	☐	☐
Q51f Were you in personal contact with any election worker at your workplace?	☐	☐	☐
Q51g Did you see any of the parties' advertisements on TV?	☐	☐	☐
Q51h Did you read any opinion-poll results?	☐	☐	☐
Q51i Did you read any parties' election manifesto?	☐	☐	☐

And before the election this year:

a1:--
a2:--
b1:--
b2.24
c3.28

	Yes, several times	Yes, a few times	No
Q52a Did <u>you try to convince</u> any member of your family, friend or other person to vote for a particular party?	☐	☐	☐
Q52b Did any member of your family or someone else in your immediate surrounding <u>try to convince you</u> to vote for a particular party?	☐	☐	☐

q53a Before the election this year, did you any of the voting advice tests/political compass that different media had on their websites, where you could test which party's point of view you were closest to?

a1:--
a2:--
b1:--
b2.25a

- ☐ No, did no voter advice test
- ☐ Yes, a few
- ☐ Yes, several

q53B. b2.25b

Did the results of the test play any role in how you voted in this year's parliamentary elections?

- ☐ Yes, it made a big difference
- ☐ Yes, it made some difference
- ☐ No, it made no difference

During this year's election campaign, have you followed on the internet someone or something of the following:

a1:--
a2:--
b1:--
b2.26

q54 ☐ I do not use the internet →

	No	Yes, on Facebook	Yes, on Twitter	Yes, on Instagram	Yes, on blog	Yes, in another social media
Some individual politicians	q54aa	q54ab	q54ac	q54ad	q54ae	q54af
Some individual party	q54ba	q54bb	q54bc	q54bd	q54be	q54bf
Some individual journalist	q54ca	q54cb	q54cc	q54cd	q54ce	q54cf
Some individual news service	q54da	q54db	q54dc	q54dd	q54de	q54df

How often have you done the following on the internet in connection with this year's election campaign:

a1:--
a2:--
b1:--
b2.27

	Daily, several times	Daily, some time	5–6 days a week	3–4 days a week	1–2 days a week	More seldom	Never
q55a Discussed politics with friends and acquaintances?	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q55b Received news about politics?	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q55c Received any information from the parties through social media such as Facebook, Twitter or Instagram?	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q55d Seen any advertisements or movie clips from parties?	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q55e Posted response on a post, for example, like or heart?	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q55f Shared political information to friends in your network?	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q55g Written about politics, parties, politicians or the election?	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q55h Commented on political issues or politicians in the comments field?	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

a1:--
a2:--
b1:--
b2.28

Before the election this year, the parties brought up different issues that they thought were important. Could you say which issues the different parties particularly emphasized in this year's election? State three issues at most for each party.

Social Democrats:

tonvikt_s1_kod, tonvikt_s2_kod, tonvikt_s3_kod

The Liberals:

tonvikt_l1_kod, tonvikt_l2_kod, tonvikt_l3_kod

Moderate Party:

tonvikt_m1_kod, tonvikt_m2_kod, tonvikt_m3_kod

Centre Party:

tonvikt_c1_kod, tonvikt_c2_kod, tonvikt_c3_kod

Left Party:

tonvikt_v1_kod, tonvikt_v2_kod, tonvikt_v3_kod

Green Party:

tonvikt_mp1_kod, tonvikt_mp2_kod, tonvikt_mp3_kod

Christian Democrats:

tonvikt_kd1_kod, tonvikt_kd2_kod, tonvikt_kd3_kod

Sweden Democrats:

tonvikt_sd_kod, tonvikt_sd2_kod, tonvikt_sd3_kod

Feminist initiative:

tonvikt_fi1_kod, tonvikt_fi2_kod, tonvikt_fi3_kod

See coding scheme for code explanations
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Party-variables: respondent mentioned any issue which the party emphasized:

0 = Did not mention any issue
1 = Mentioned any issue
. = missing

tonvikt_c
tonvikt_fi
tonvikt_kd
tonvikt_l
tonvikt_m
tonvikt_mp
tonvikt_s
tonvikt_sd
tonvikt_v

Party/issue-variables: respondent mentioned a specific issue which the party emphasized: Categories based on the codes for importat issue, see page 6.

tonvikt_c_vf1-vf29
tonvikt_fi_vf1-vf29
tonvikt_kd_vf1-vf29
tonvikt_l_vf1-vf29
tonvikt_m_vf1-vf29
tonvikt_mp_vf1-vf29
tonvikt_s_vf1-vf29
tonvikt_sd_vf1-vf29
tonvikt_v_vf1-vf29

0 = Did not mention isse
1 = Mentioned issue
. = missing

Values and ideology

In politics people sometimes refer to left and right. Where do you place the parties on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 means left and 10 means right?

a1.25
a2.29
b1.26
b2.32
c1.21

		Left		Neither left nor right						Right		
		0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
q57a	The Liberals (L)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q57b	Social Democrats (S)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q57c	Moderate Party (M)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q57d	Left Party (V)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q57e	Centre Party (C)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q57f	Green Party (MP)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q57g	Christian Democrats (KD)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q57h	Sweden Democrats (SD)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q57i	Feminist initiative (FI)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

q58 Where on the scale do you place yourself?

a1.26
a2.30
b1.27
b2.33
c1.22

0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

On the scale below, we would like you to place the following parties according to your perception of their approach on how many refugees Sweden should accept.

a1:--
a2.33
b1.28
b2:--

		We should be more restrictive on how many refugees we accept into Sweden										We should be more generous on how many refugees we accept into Sweden											
		↓											↓										
		0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10											
q59a	The Liberals (L)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐											
q59b	Social Democrats (S)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐											
q59c	Moderate Party (M)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐											
q59d	Left Party (V)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐											
q59e	Centre Party (C)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐											
q59f	Green Party (MP)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐											
q59g	Christian Democrats (KD)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐											
q59h	Sweden Democrats (SD)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐											
q59i	Feminist initiative (FI)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐											

q60 Where on the scale do you place yourself?

a1:--
a2.34
b1.29
b2:--

0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

What is your opinion on the following statements? Do you agree with the statement or do you disagree?

a1:--
a2:--
b1.37
b2:--

		Entirely agree	Somewhat agree	Somewhat disagree	Entirely disagree
q61a	The leading banks and the industry have too much influence, if the society lack opportunity to control private enterprises.	☐	☐	☐	☐
q61b	It has gone so far with social reforms in this country that the state rather should lower than increase benefits and supports to the citizens in the future	☐	☐	☐	☐

a1.27
a2:--
b1:--
b2.38

We have put together a couple of different opinions you sometimes hear people are having. Some of them are quite critical. Do you agree or disagree with these opinions?

		Entirely agree	Somewhat agree	Somewhat disagree	Entirely disagree
q62a	The parties are only interested in people's votes, not in what they think	☐	☐	☐	☐
q62b	The decision makers in the Parliament do not pay much attention to the thoughts and views of ordinary people	☐	☐	☐	☐
q62c	There is at least one party that always tries to protect my interests	☐	☐	☐	☐
q62d	You can never trust any of the parties to keep their election promises	☐	☐	☐	☐

Political issues

q63 There are varying views about nuclear power as an energy source. What is your opinion? Are you, on the whole in favor, or against nuclear power, or do you not have any definite opinion on the issue?

a1:--
a2.31
b1.36
b2:--

- ☐ On the whole in favor of nuclear power
- ☐ On the whole against nuclear power
- ☐ No definite opinion on the issue

q64 Generally speaking, what is your attitude towards the EU?

a1:--
a2:25
b1.35
b2:--
c3.33

Very positive	Fairly positive	Neither positive nor negative	Fairly negative	Very negative	No opinion
☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

Which is your opinion on the following proposals?

a1.28
a2.24
a2.32
b1.34
b1.38
b2.34
b2.35
c3.31
c3.32

Response alternatives 1. Very good proposal 2. Somewhat good proposal 3. Neither good nor bad proposal 4. Somewhat bad proposal 5. Very bad proposal
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	A1	A2	B1	B2	CSES
q65a Reduce the public sector		24A	34A		
q65b Reduce the defence expenditure	28G	24B	34B		32C
q65c Lower social benefits		24C	34C		
q65d Lower the taxes		24D	34D	34A	31A
q65e Sell off state owned businesses and utilities to private buyers				35A	
q65f Reduce the income differences in society	28A	24E	34E	34B	31B
q65g Increase the proportion of health care services run by private interest	28F	24F	34F	34C	31C
q65h Reduce state control over private business				35B	
q65i Sweden should abolish nuclear power in the long run		32H	38A		
q65j Profiting should not be allowed within tax-financed healthcare, education nor social services	28D	32A	38B	34F	32A
q65k Increase the severity of prison sentences for criminals	28B	24H	34I	34D	31D
q65l Raise the unemployment allowance		32B	38C		32B
q65m Abolish the tax deduction for domestic and domestic-related services		32C	38D	34H	
q65n Reserve a larger share of the parental leave for the fathers		32D	38E		
q65o Introduce a six-hour working day for all gainfully employed		24G	34G		
q65p Introduce mandatory gender quotas high executive positions in the state and municipality				35D	
q65q Raise fuel taxes		32E	38F	34I	32G
q65r Raise the tax on air travels		24M	38H		
q65s Stop the driving of private vehicles in the city center		24O	38J		
q65t Raise the financial support to rural areas		24N	38I		
q65u Raise the pension age		24P	38K		
q65v Introduce grades earlier in schools			38L		
q65w Introduce a universal basic income for all adult citizens			38M		
q65x Make Sweden a republic				35C	
q65y Restrict the right to free abortion			34H		
q65z Prohibit all forms of pornography				35E	
q65aa Legalize cannabis				35F	
q65ab Accept fewer refugees into Sweden	28C	24I	34J	34E	31E
q65ac Introduce a begging ban		24L	38G		32D
q65ad Introduce language test in order to become a Swedish citizen				35G	
q65ae Increase labour immigration to Sweden		32J			
q65af Impose an opportunity for internet voting in public elections	28I				
q65ag Lower the four percent electoral threshold to Parliament	28J				
q65ah Lower the voting age to 16 years	28K				

	A1	A2	B1	B2	CSES
q65ai Increase the feature of candidate voting in public elections	28L				
q65aj Sweden should apply for membership in NATO	28E	32F	38N	34J	32E
q65ak Sweden should leave the EU	28H	24J	34K	34G	
q65al Sweden should adopt the Euro as currency		32G	38O	34K	32F
q65am Sweden should advocate for more free trade in the world		32I	38P		
q65an Reduce Swedish aid to the developing countries		24K	34L		
q65ao Increase financial support to immigrants so they can preserve their own culture					32H
q65ap Finance the construction of high speed trains by loans		24Q			
q65aq Lower the taxes for pensioners to the same level as for the employed		24R			

Future societies

Below is a list with proposals of different kinds of societies some people think we should aim for in the future in Sweden. What do you think about these proposals?

a1.29
a2.39
b1.40
b2:--
c3.34

A1: C, H, J, K, L
A2: A-F, H-L
B1: A-M
B2: --
C3: C, H, K-M

		Very bad proposal		Neither good nor bad proposal		Very good proposal						
		↓		↓		↓						
		0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
q66a	Aim for a society with more private enterprise and market economy	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q66b	Aim for a socialist society	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q66c	Aim for an environmentally friendly society even if it means lowered material standard of living	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q66d	Aim for a society where Christian values plays a greater role	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q66e	Aim for a society with more law and order	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q66f	Aim for a society that protects traditional Swedish values	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q66g	Aim for a society where the position of the family is strengthened	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q66h	Aim for a multicultural society with a great tolerance towards people from other countries with other religions and ways of life	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q66i	Aim for a society with more solidarity and equality	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q66j	Aim for a society with more emphasis on internationalism and less emphasis on borders between peoples and countries	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q66k	Aim for a society where the rights of homo-, bi- and transsexuals are strengthened	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q66l	Aim for a society where power is reallocated from men as a group to women as a group	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q66m	Aim for a society where civic organizations and voluntary actions pay a greater role	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

Parties with good and bad policy

Which parties do you think have a good policy and which parties do you think have a bad policy on the following areas?

a1.30
a2.38
b1.39
b2:--

Party/parties with
a **good** policy

Party/parties with
a **bad** policy

a1.30 a2.38 b1.39		+	Employment	-	
a1.30 a2.38 b1.39		+	The Swedish economy	-	
a1.30 a2.38 b1.39		+	Health care	-	
a1.30 a2.38 b1.39		+	Law and order	-	
a1.30 a2.38 b1.39		+	School and education	-	
a1.30 a2.38 b1.39		+	Refugees and immigration	-	
a2.38 b1.39		+	The environment	-	
a2.38 b1.39		+	Gender equality	-	
a2.38 b1.39		+	Social welfare	-	
a2.38		+	Rural development	-	
a2.38 b1.39		+	Taxes	-	
a2.38		+	Elder care	-	
a1.30		+	National defense	-	
a1.30		+	Foreign and security policy	-	
b1.39		+	Enterprise	-	
b1.39		+	The EU	-	

Variables for good and bad policy:

Employment: **evsyss_c-v**
The Swedish economy: **evek_c-v**
Health care: **evsjuk_c-v**
Law and order: **evlag_c-v**
School and education: **evutb_c-v**
Refugees and immigration: **evflykt_c-v**
The environment: **evmiljo_c-v**
Gender equality: **evjamst_c-v**
Social welfare: **evsoc_c-v**

Rural development: **evgles_c-v**
Taxes: **evskatt_c-v**
Elder care: **evald_c-v**
National defense: **evforsvar_c-v**
Foreign policy: **evutrikes_c-v**
Enterprise: **evforetag_c-v**
The EU: **eveu_c-v**

-1 = Mentions the party, the party has bad policy
0 = Does not mention the party
1 = Mentions the party, the party has good policy
. = Missing

The economy

q68 What is your view on the current economic situation in Sweden?

a1.31
a2.35
b1:--
b2:--
c3.35

Very good	Fairly good	Neither good nor bad	Fairly bad	Very bad
☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

Has the economic situation in Sweden improved, stayed the same or deteriorated, if you compare with the situation 12 months ago?

a1.32
a2.36
b1:--
b2.36
c3.36

A1: A, B
A2: A, B
B2: A-C
C3: A, B

	Improved a lot	Somewhat improved	Neither improved nor deteriorated	Somewhat deteriorated	Deteriorated a lot
q69a The <u>Swedish</u> economy	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q69b Your <u>own</u> economic situation	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q69c The economy in your <u>municipality</u>	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

How do you think that the economic situation in Sweden will change during the coming 12 months? Will it improve, stay the same or deteriorate?

a1.33
a2.37
b1:--
b2:--
c3.37

	Improve a lot	Somewhat improve	Neither improve nor deteriorate	Somewhat deteriorate	Deteriorate a lot
q70a The <u>Swedish</u> economy	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q70b Your <u>own</u> economic situation	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

The Party Representatives

q71 Who has been the Minister of Finance during the electoral period of 2014–2018?

q71_rf

a1.34
a2.40
b1.41
b2.43
c3.38

Magdalena Andersson	Anna Ekström	Mikael Damberg	Peter Hultqvist	Do not know
☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

Here is a list of names of different persons. Could you tell which party each of them belongs to?

a1.35
a2.41
b1.42
b2.44

...rf: 1=correct, 0 =wrong

	V	S	C	L	M	KD	MP	SD	FI	Other party	Do not know
q72a q72a_rf Paula Bieler	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q72b q72b_rf Anders Ygeman	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q72c q72c_rf Elisabeth Svantesson	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q72d q72d_rf Hanif Bali	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q72e q72e_rf Malin Björk	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q72f q72f_rf Michael Arthursson	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q72g q72g_rf Alice Bah Kuhnke	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

Do you know the name of one or more of the persons appearing on the party lists in your Parliamentary constituency for the parliamentary election?

a1.36
a2.42
b1.43
b2.45

q73a ☐ Yes ☐ No

Which persons are they and which party do they belong to?

State both first- and last name and the partisanship of each person

Name 1:

kandkann1_kod
kandkann1_rf_kod. 1=correct,
5=wrong.

Party:

kandkann1_parti_kod

Name 2:

kandkann2_kod
kandkann2_rf_kod. 1=correct,
5=wrong.

Party:

kandkann2_parti_kod

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Swedish Politics

q74 Which political level has the primary responsibility for the healthcare?

q74_rf

a1.37
a2.44
b1.44
b2.46

The state	The County Administrative Boards	The regions/ counties councils	The municipalities	Do not know
☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

q75 Which political level has the primary responsibility for the primary school?

q75_rf

a1.38
a2.44
b1.45
b2.47

The state	The County Administrative Boards	The regions/ counties councils	The municipalities	Do not know
☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

q76 How high is the threshold for the preference vote in the parliamentary election?

q76_rf

a1:--
a2:--
b1:--
b2.48

There is no threshold for the preference vote	4 percent	5 percent	8 percent	Do not know
☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

q77 Below are a number of statements. Could you say which of them are true or false?a1.39
a2.43
b1.46
b2.49

		True statement	False statement	Do not know
q77a_rf q77a	The sickness benefit from Swedish Social Insurance Agency is at the moment 90 percent of the wage/salary from the first day of sick leave	☐	☐	☐
q77b_rf q77b	The Swedish parliament has 349 members	☐	☐	☐
q77c_rf q77c	The interest rate set by the Swedish Central Bank is currently above 4 percent	☐	☐	☐
q77d_rf q77d	Spain is a member of the EU	☐	☐	☐
q77e_rf q77e	During the 2014 –2018 election period, Sweden had a red-green two-party government	☐	☐	☐
q77f_rf q77f	A party must get at least 6 percent of the votes in order to get into the Swedish parliament	☐	☐	☐
q77g_rf q77g	The value of the euro is today greater than 13 kronor/ euro	☐	☐	☐

q78 What was the unemployment rate in Sweden in May 2018?

q78_rf

a1.40
a2.46
b1.47
b2.50

4,2 percent	6,2 percent	8,2 percent	10,2 percent	Do not know
☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

q79 When did Sweden adopt the right to vote in national elections for women?

q79_rf

a1.41
a2.47
b1.48
b2.51

1905	1921	1932	1974	Do not know
☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

q80 Which party or parties currently are part of the ruling majority in the municipality you live in?

a1:--
a2.48
b1:--
b2.52

kommaj_rf

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Do not know

☐

Working life

q81 To which of the groups do you currently belong?

Multiple groups can be marked

a1.42
a2.49
b1.49
b2.53
c1.44

q81a ☐ Gainfully employed (also on sick leave or parental leave)

q81b ☐ Work/training in employment policy measures

q81c ☐ Seeking work/unemployed

q81d ☐ Old age pensioner/retired/agreement pensioner

q81e ☐ Have sickness and activity compensation (former early retirement pension, sickness allowances)

q81f ☐ Student

q81g ☐ Other:

q81_komb SNES18: Combination codes

1. Gainfully employed (also on sick leave or parental leave)
2. Work/training in employment policy measures
3. Seeking work/unemployed
4. Old age pensioner/retired/agreement pensioner
5. Have sickness and activity compensation (former early retirement pension, sickness allowances)
6. Student
7. Other

q81_sing SNES18: Single variable

1. Gainfully employed
2. Gainfully employed pensioner
3. Gainfully employed with sickness-/activity compensation
4. Gainfully employed student
5. Work/training in employment policy measures
6. Seeking work/unemployed
7. Pensioner/agreement pensioner
8. Sickness/activity compensation
9. Student
10. Other

What is your occupation?

If you are not currently working, the question is concerning your former main occupation

a1.43
a2.50
b1.50
b2.54
c1.45

Occupation:

q82 ☐ Have never had an occupation →

q83 Which of the following occupational groups do you belong/belonged to?

a1.44
a2.51
b1.51
b2.55
c3.46

☐ White-collar worker

☐ White-collar worker with a leading organizational function

☐ White-collar worker with an executive function

☐ Blue-collar worker

☐ Blue-collar worker with a leading function

☐ Farmer: no employees

☐ Farmer: one or more employees

☐ Self-employed: no employees

☐ Self-employed: 1-9 employees

☐ Self-employed: 10 or more employees

☐ Other:

q84 Is/was your employment for an indefinite or fixed term?

a1.45
a2.52
b1.52
b2.56
c3.47

Permanently
employment

☐

Time-limited
employment

☐

I am self-
employed

☐

q85 On average, how many hours do/did you work per week?

a1.46
a2.53
b1.53
b2.57
c1.48

Full time

☐

Part time, at least
15 hours a week

☐

Part time, less than
15 hours a week

☐

q86 Do you work/ did you work in the public or private sector?

a1.47
a2.54
b1.54
b2.58
c1.49

State service

☐

Local government
service

☐

Regional government
service

☐

Private sector

☐

Non-profit organization or
foundation

☐

q87 Are you a member of any trade union or organization for entrepreneurs or any other professional organization?

a1.48
a2.55
b1.55
b2.59
c1.51

☐ Yes (*State the entire name*):

☐ No

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Finally, a few questions about yourself

When we put together the results from the election survey, the answers are presented for different groups. Therefore, we need to ask you some final questions.

q88 Are you:

a1.49
a2.56
b1.56
b2.60
c1.52

☐

Female

☐

Male

q89 In which year were you born?

a1.50
a2.57
b1.57
b2.61
c1.53

Year:

Where have you, your father and your mother primarily grown up?

a1.51
a2.58
b1.58
b2.62
c3.54

	q90a	q90b	q90c
	You	Your father	Your mother
Countryside in Sweden	☐	☐	☐
Small town in Sweden	☐	☐	☐
City or larger town in Sweden	☐	☐	☐
Stockholm, Gothenburg or Malmö	☐	☐	☐
Another Nordic country	☐	☐	☐
Another country in Europe	☐	☐	☐
Country outside of Europe	☐	☐	☐

q91 In which type of area do you live?

a1.52
a2.59
b1.59
b2.63
c1.55

- | | |
|--|--------------------------------------|
| ☐ Large city: city centre | ☐ Larger town |
| ☐ Large city: outer area/suburb | ☐ Small town |
| ☐ City: city centre | ☐ Countryside |
| ☐ City: outer area/suburb | |

q92 Do you or someone else in your household, own or rent the property where you currently live?

a1.53
a2.60
b1.60
b2.64
c3.56

Owned property

☐

First hand rental contract

☐

Second hand rental contract

☐

q93 If you were to describe your current home, which of the categories below would you consider as the most appropriate?

a1.54
a2.61
b1.61
b2.65
c1.57

- | | |
|--|--|
| ☐ Working-class home | ☐ Other: <input type="text"/> |
| ☐ Farmer home | |
| ☐ White-collar middle-class home | |
| ☐ White-collar higher middle-class home/academic home | |
| ☐ Entrepreneur home | |

q94 What is your marital status?

a1.55
a2.62
b1.62
b2.66
c1.58

Single	Cohabitant	Married/ Partnership	Widow/ widower
☐	☐	☐	☐

If you were to describe your current home, which of the alternatives below suits you the best?

a1.56
a2.63
b1.63
b2.67
c1.59

q95a ☐ I live alone → Yes No

☐ I live with / regularly share my household with:

One adult	☐	☐	q95ba
Several adults	☐	☐	q95bb
One or several children	☐	☐	q95bc

If you regularly share your household with children, how many and in which ages are they?

		q95da	q95db	q95dc	q95dd
		0-3 years	4-6 years	7-15 years	16-18 years
q95c	Number of children:	aged: ☐	☐	☐	☐

q96 Are you currently studying for a degree or a vocational qualification?

a1.57
a2.64
b1.64
b2.68
c3.60

Yes, full time	Yes, part time	No
☐	☐	☐

q97 Which is your highest level of education?

a1.58
a2.65
b1.65
b2.69
c1.61

- ☐ Not completed primary school (or equivalent school)
 - ☐ Primary school (or corresponding compulsory school)
 - ☐ Studies at upper secondary school, folk high-school, junior secondary school (or equivalent)
 - ☐ Degree from upper secondary school, folk high-school, junior secondary school (or equivalent)
 - ☐ Tertiary education, not college/university
 - ☐ Studies at college/university
 - ☐ Degree from college/university
 - ☐ Studies or degree from postgraduate education
 - ☐ Other education:
-

q98 What is the rough estimate of the combined annual income before taxes of all individuals in your household? (pensions, student grants etc. included).

a1.59
a2.66
b1.66
b2.70
c1.42

- | | | |
|--|--|--|
| ☐ 100 000 or less | ☐ 400 001 – 500 000 | ☐ 800 001 – 900 000 |
| ☐ 100 001 – 200 000 | ☐ 500 001 – 600 000 | ☐ 900 001 – 1 000 000 |
| ☐ 200 001 – 300 000 | ☐ 600 001 – 700 000 | ☐ 1 000 001 – 1 100 000 |
| ☐ 300 001 – 400 000 | ☐ 700 001 – 800 000 | ☐ More than 1 100 000 |

q99 According to your assessment, how likely or unlikely is it that your standard of living will improve over the next ten years?

a1:--
a2.67
b1:--
b2:--

- | | | | |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Very
likely | Fairly
likely | Not very
likely | Not at all
likely |
| ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |

How often have you been doing the following activities during the past 12 months?

a1.60
a2.68
b1.67
b2.71
c3.63

A1: A-C, E, G, H, J
A2: A-J
B1: A-C, E, G-J
B2: A-C, E, G-J
C3: A-C, E, G-J

- | | Never | Some
occasion
during the
past 12
months | Some
occasion
during the
past 6
months | Some
occasion
during the
past 3
months | Some
occasion
during the
past month | Some
occasion
during the
week | Several
times a
week |
|---|--------------------------|---|--|--|--|--|----------------------------|
| q100a Attended worship or religious meeting | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |
| q100b Traded on the stock market | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |
| q100c Discussed politics | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |
| q100d Socialised with friends | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |
| q100e Driven a car | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |
| q100f Eaten meat | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |
| q100g Donated money to a humanitarian organization | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |
| q100h Taken part in a demonstration | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |
| q100i Traveled abroad | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |
| q100j Taken contact with a politician | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |

q101 In order to save your time and to not ask more questions than necessary, we have the opportunity to supplement your answers with data already available at Statistics Sweden (SCB). If you would like to use this opportunity, we will need your consent.

a1.61
a2.69
b1.68
b2.72
c3.64

- ☐ I leave consent to supplement my answers with already available data from SCB.
- ☐ I do not leave any consent to supplement my answers with already available data from SCB.

Thank you for answering the survey!

We, who have been working with the Swedish National Election Survey, would like to thank you for your participation. The survey results contribute to the society as a whole and are continuously published in scientific reports, articles and books.

Please do not forget to mail the survey. Your gift card will arrive by mail soon!

Questions in the follow up questionnaire

The national election 2018

q200 Which party did you vote for in *the parliamentary election* this year?

- u.1
- ☐ Left Party (V)
 - ☐ Social Democrats (S)
 - ☐ Centre Party (C)
 - ☐ The Liberals (L)
 - ☐ Moderate Party (M)
 - ☐ Christian Democrats (KD)
 - ☐ Green Party (MP)
 - ☐ Sweden Democrats (SD)
 - ☐ Feminist Initiative (FI)
 - ☐ Other party (*state which*):
 - ☐ Blank
 - ☐ Did not vote

u_annparti_pvr_txt

q201 It is possible to preference vote by putting a cross ahead of one of the candidates on the ballot. Did you use the opportunity to preference vote in *the parliamentary election*?

- u.2
- ☐ Yes
 - ☐ No
 - ☐ I did not vote in the parliamentary election

If you preference voted, do you remember the name of the person that you put a cross for in *the parliamentary election*?

u.3

Name: u_personval_kod

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q203 When did you decide which party you would like to vote for in this year's parliamentary election?

- u.4
- ☐ I decided during the last week before the election day
 - ☐ I decided earlier, during the fall or summer
 - ☐ I knew all along how I were to vote
 - ☐ I did not vote in this year's parliamentary election

q204 Did you vote early in this year's parliamentary election? If you did vote early, did you do it during the last week before the election or did you vote even earlier during the election campaign?

- u.5
- ☐ Yes, I voted early during the last week before the election day
 - ☐ Yes, I voted early even earlier during the election campaign
 - ☐ No, I voted in a polling station on the election day
 - ☐ No, I did not vote in this year's parliamentary election

q205 How easy or difficult was it for you to choose a party in this year's parliamentary election?

u.6

- | | | | | | |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|---|
| Very
easy | Somewhat
easy | Neither
difficult nor
easy | Somewhat
difficult | Very
difficult | Did not vote in the
parliamentary election |
| ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |

Why did you vote as you did in the 2018 parliamentary election?

u.7

If you did not vote, please tell us why you abstained from voting

u_skalparti1_kod
u_skalparti2_kod
u_skalparti3_kod

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code explanations

Municipal- and County Council-/Regional Elections 2018

q207a Which party did you vote for in this
u.8a year's *Municipal council election*?

- ☐ Left Party
- ☐ Social Democrats
- ☐ Centre Party
- ☐ The Liberals
- ☐ Moderate Party
- ☐ Christian Democrats
- ☐ Green Party
- ☐ Sweden Democrats
- ☐ Feminist Initiative
- ☐ Other party (*state which*):

u_annparti_pvk_txt

- ☐ Blank
- ☐ Did not vote

q207b Which party did you vote for in this year's
u.8b *County/Regional -Council election*?

- ☐ Left Party
- ☐ Social Democrats
- ☐ Centre Party
- ☐ The Liberals
- ☐ Moderate Party
- ☐ Christian Democrats
- ☐ Green Party
- ☐ Sweden Democrats
- ☐ Feminist Initiative
- ☐ Other party (*state which*):

u_annparti_pvl_txt

- ☐ Blank
- ☐ Did not vote

The Election Campaign 2018

q208 Did you see the final party leader debate on TV4 the Thursday before the election day on 9th of September?

u.9

- ☐ Yes, I saw the whole party leader debate
☐ Yes, I saw parts of the party leader debate
☐ No, I did not see the party leader debate

q209 Did you see the final party leader debate on Swedish Television (SVT) on the Friday before the election day on the 9th of September?

u.10

- ☐ Yes, I saw the whole party leader debate
☐ Yes, I saw parts of the party leader debate
☐ No, I did not see the party leader debate

Before the election this year:

u.11

		Yes, several times	Yes, a few times	No
q210a	Did you read any election brochure or similar publications from any party?	☐	☐	☐
q210b	Did you visit any of the parties' homepages on the Internet?	☐	☐	☐
q210c	Did you attend any election meeting or other event organised by a party?	☐	☐	☐
q210d	Did you get a personal visit to your home by any party?	☐	☐	☐
q210e	Were you telephoned by any party?	☐	☐	☐
q210f	Were you in personal contact with any election worker at your workplace?	☐	☐	☐
q210g	Did you see any of the parties' advertisements on TV?	☐	☐	☐
q210h	Did you read any opinion-poll results?	☐	☐	☐
q210i	Did you read any parties' election manifesto?	☐	☐	☐

And before the election this year:

u.12

		Yes, several times	Yes, a few times	No
q211a	Did <u>you try to convince</u> any member of your family, friend or other person to vote for a particular party?	☐	☐	☐
q211b	Did any member of your family or someone else in your immediate surrounding <u>try to convince you</u> to vote for a particular party?	☐	☐	☐
		Yes, several times	Yes, a few times	No
q211c	Did <u>you try to convince</u> any member of your family, friend or other person to vote in the election?	☐	☐	☐
q211d	Did any member of your family or someone else in your immediate surrounding <u>try to convince you</u> to vote in the election?	☐	☐	☐

q212a Before the election this year, did you any of the voting advice tests/political compass that different media had on their websites, where you could test which party's point of view you were closest to?

u.13a

- ☐ No, did no voter advice test
- ☐ Yes, a few ones
- ☐ Yes, several

u.13b

q212b Did the results of the test play any role in how you voted in this year's parliamentary elections?

- ☐ Yes, it made a big difference
- ☐ Yes, it made some difference
- ☐ No, it made no difference

q213 How much do you trust the media coverage of the election, in general?

u.14

- | | | | | | |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Very high trust | Somewhat high trust | Neither high nor low trust | Somewhat low trust | Very low trust | No opinion |
| ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |

u.15 During this year's election campaign, have you followed on the internet someone or something of the following:

q214 ☐ I do not use the internet

	No	Yes, on Facebook	Yes, on Twitter	Yes, on Instagram	Yes, via blog	Yes, in another social media
Any individual politicians	q214aa	q214ab	q214ac	q214ad	q214ae	q214af
Any individual party	q214ba	q214bb	q214bc	q214bd	q214be	q214bf
Any individual journalist	q214ca	q214cb	q214cc	q214cd	q214ce	q214cf
Any individual news service	q214da	q214db	q214dc	q214dd	q214de	q214df

u.16 How often have you done the following on the internet in connection with this year's election campaign:

	Several times/day	Once a day	5-6 days /week	3-4 days / week	1-2 days / week	Less often	Never
q215a Taken part of news about politics?	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q215b Taken part of information from the parties via social media such as Facebook, Twitter or Instagram?	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q215c Taken part of a commercial or movie clips from the parties?	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q215d Responded to a post by for example like or heart?	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q215e Shared political information to friends in your networks?	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q215f Written about politics, parties, politicians or the election?	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q215g Commented on political issues or politicians in the comments field?	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

u.17

When you think of this year's election campaign, how well do the following fit your opinion?

	Very well	Somewhat well	Not very well	Not at all well	No opinion
q216a Interesting and exciting	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q216b Too much party bickering	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q216c Too conflicted and aggressive	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q216d Clear differences between the parties	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q216e Too concentrated on the party leaders	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q216f Factual and informative	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q216g Difficult to understand election debate in the media	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q216h Other:					
	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

u.18

Do you think that media has benefited or disadvantaged one or several of the parties during this year's election campaign?

	Has benefited from the media	Has neither benefited nor been disadvantaged	Has been disadvantaged in the media
q217a Centre Party	☐	☐	☐
q217b Moderate Party	☐	☐	☐
q217c Left Party	☐	☐	☐
q217d The Liberals	☐	☐	☐
q217e Social Democrats	☐	☐	☐
q217f Green Party	☐	☐	☐
q217g Christian Democrats	☐	☐	☐
q217h Sweden Democrats	☐	☐	☐
q217i Feminist Initiative	☐	☐	☐

Finally

q218 How much do you trust the Swedish politicians in general?

Very high trust	Somewhat high trust	Somewhat low trust	Very low trust
☐	☐	☐	☐

q219 It is sometimes thought that the parties are organised from left to right according to political position. If you use the following scale, where on the scale would you place yourself?

u.20

Far to the left	Neither to the left nor to the right						Far to the right			
0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

q220 How do you think that the Social Democrats and the Green Party have performed as governing parties since the 2014 election?

u.21

	Bad					Neither good nor bad						Good
	-5	-4	-3	-2	-1	0	+1	+2	+3	+4	+5	
	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	

And what is your opinion on the following proposals?

u.22

		Very good proposal	Somewhat good proposal	Neither good nor bad proposal	Somewhat bad proposal	Very bad proposal
q221a	Reduce the income differences in society	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q221b	Increase the severity of prison sentences for criminals	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q221c	Accept fewer refugees into Sweden	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q221d	Profiting should not be allowed within tax-financed healthcare, education nor social services	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q221e	Sweden should apply for membership in NATO	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q221f	Reduce the defence expenditures	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q221g	Raise fuel taxes	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q221h	Raise the unemployment allowance	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q221i	Lower the Swedish aid to developing countries	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q221j	Sweden should adopt the Euro as currency	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q221k	Raise flight taxes	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

u.23 Finally, are you satisfied with your party choice in the parliamentary election or do you regret that you voted for the party that you did?

q222a ☐ I am satisfied with my party choice

I am not satisfied with my party choice. I should have voted for:

q222b V S C L M KD MP SD FI ☐ Other party (state which):

- ☐ I should have voted blank
☐ I should not have voted at all
☐ I did not vote in the parliamentary elections

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Questions in the CSES-survey

Society and Politics

The introductory questions of the survey are asked to voters in over 50 countries.

q300 In general, how interested are you in politics?

c.1

Very interested	Somewhat interested	Not very interested	Not interested at all
☐	☐	☐	☐

q301 How closely do you follow politics via TV, Radio, newspaper or internet?

c.2

Very closely	Somewhat closely	Not very closely	Not closely at all
☐	☐	☐	☐

q302 What are your opinion to this following statement?

c.3

	Entirely agree	Somewhat agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Somewhat disagree	Entirely disagree
You comprehend the country's most important political issues	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

And what are your opinion to these following statements?

c.4

	Entirely agree	Somewhat agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Somewhat disagree	Entirely disagree
q303a Most politicians does not care about the people	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q303b Most politicians can be trusted	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q303c The politicians are the biggest problem in Sweden	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q303d There is at least one party that always tries to protect my interests	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q303e To have a strong leader is good for Sweden, even if the leader stretches the rules in order to get things done	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q303f The people and not the politicians should make the most important political decisions	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q303g Most politicians only care about the interests of the rich and powerful	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q303h Poor people should have larger influence	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

What is your opinion to the following statements?

c.5

	Entirely agree	Somewhat agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Somewhat disagree	Entirely disagree
q304a Ethnic minorities should adapt to Sweden's way of life	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q304b Immigrants are generally good for Swedish economy	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q304c Sweden's culture is generally harmed by immigrants	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

Sometimes it is discussed whether certain aspects are important for being truly Swedish.
How important do you think each of the following aspects are to be Swedish?

c.6

	Very important	Somewhat important	Not very important	Not important at all
q305a To have been born in Sweden	☐	☐	☐	☐
q305b To have lived in Sweden for most of one's life	☐	☐	☐	☐
q305c To be able to speak Swedish	☐	☐	☐	☐
q305d To be Christian	☐	☐	☐	☐
q305e To respect Swedish institutions and laws	☐	☐	☐	☐
q305f To feel Swedish	☐	☐	☐	☐
q305g To have Swedish ancestry	☐	☐	☐	☐

q306 How widespread do you think corruption such as bribe taking is among politicians in Sweden?

c.7

Very widespread	Somewhat widespread	Not very widespread	Not widespread at all
☐	☐	☐	☐

q307. Some people think that the government should cut taxes even if it means spending less on social services such as health and education. Other people feel that the government should spend more on social services such as health and education even if it means raising taxes.

c.8

Where would you place yourself on the following scale?

Government should decrease taxes and spend less on services		Government should increase taxes and spend more on services
↓	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10	↓
☐	☐	☐

q308 How do you think that the Social Democrats and the Green Party have performed as governing parties during the 2014–2018 election period?

c.9

Very good	Good	Bad	Very bad
☐	☐	☐	☐

q309a Would you say that any of the parties in Sweden represent your views reasonably well?

c.10a

☐ Yes → ☐ No

c.10b

q309b Which party represents your views best?

- ☐ The Left Party
- ☐ The Social Democrats
- ☐ The Centre Party
- ☐ The Liberals
- ☐ The Conservative Party
- ☐ The Christian Democrats
- ☐ The Green Party
- ☐ The Sweden Democrats
- ☐ Feminist Initiative
- ☐ Other party (State which):

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q310 How do you think that the economic situation in Sweden has change during the past 12 months?

c.11

Improved
a lot

☐

Somewhat
improved

☐

Neither
improved nor
deteriorated

☐

Somewhat
deteriorated

☐

Deteriorated a
lot

☐

The 2018 Election

q311a Did you vote in this year's Parliamentary election?

c.12a

☐ Yes →

☐ No

☐ Do not want to answer

c.12b

q311b. Which party have you voted for in the Parliamentary election?

☐ The Left Party

☐ The Social Democrats

☐ The Centre Party

☐ The Liberals

☐ The Conservative Party

☐ The Christian Democrats

☐ The Green Party

☐ The Sweden Democrats

☐ Feminist Initiative

☐ Other party (*State which*):

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☐ Blank vote

☐ Do not want to answer

q312 It is possible to preference vote by putting a cross ahead of one of the candidates on the ballot. Did you use the opportunity to preference vote in the parliamentary election?

c.13

☐ Yes

☐ No

☐ I did not voted in this year's Parliamentary election

c.14 If you preference voted, do you remember the name of the person that you voted for in the parliamentary election?

Name:

personval_kod

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q313 When did you decide which party you would like to vote for in this year's parliamentary election?

c.15 ☐ I decided during the last week before the election day

☐ I decided earlier, during the fall or summer

☐ I knew all along how I were to vote

☐ I did not vote in this year's parliamentary election

q314 Did you vote early in this year's parliamentary election? If you did vote early, did you do it during the last week before the election or did you vote even earlier during the election campaign?

c.16

- ☐ Yes, I voted early during the last week before the election day
- ☐ Yes, I voted early, even earlier during the election campaign
- ☐ No, I voted in a polling station on the election day
- ☐ No, I did not vote in this year's parliamentary election

The 2014 Election

q315a Did you vote in the 2014 Parliamentary election?

c.17a

- ☐ Yes →
- ☐ No
- ☐ Do not want to answer
- ☐ Not eligible to vote in 2014

c.17b

q315a. Which party did you vote for in the 2014 Parliamentary election?

- | | |
|---|--|
| ☐ The Left Party | ☐ The Christian Democrats |
| ☐ The Social Democrats | ☐ The Green Party |
| ☐ The Centre Party | ☐ The Sweden Democrats |
| ☐ The Liberals | ☐ Feminist Initiative |
| ☐ The Conservative Party | |

☐ Other party (*State which*):

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- ☐ Blank vote
- ☐ Do not remember
- ☐ Do not want to answer

q316. Some people say that no matter who people vote for, it will not make any difference to what happens. Others say that whom people vote for can make a big difference to what happens. Where would you place yourself on the following scale?

c.18

Whom people vote for will not make any difference		Whom people vote for can make a big difference		
↓		↓		
1	2	3	4	5
☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

Parties and Leaders

Where would you like to place the following parties on the scale below?

c.19

	Strongly dislike										Strongly like	
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
q317a The Centre Party	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	
q317b The Conservative Party	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	
q317c The Left Party	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	
q317d The Liberals	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	
q317e The Social Democrats	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	
q317f The Green Party	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	
q317g The Christian Democrats	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	
q317h The Sweden Democrats	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	
q317i Feminist Initiative	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	

If you were to use the same scale for the party leaders, where would you then place:

c.20

	Strongly dislike										Strongly like	
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
q318a Annie Lööf	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	
q318b Ulf Kristersson	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	
q318c Jonas Sjöstedt	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	
q318d Jan Björklund	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	
q318e Stefan Löfven	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	
q318f Gustav Fridolin	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	
q318g Isabella Lövin	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	
q318h Ebba Busch Thor	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	
q318i Jimmie Åkesson	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	
q318j Gudrun Schyman	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	

In politics, people sometimes refer to left and right. Where do you place the parties on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 means left and 10 means right?

c.21

	Left										Right				
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10				
q319a The Liberals	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐				
q319b The Social Democrats	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐				
q319c The Conservative Party	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐				
q319d The Left Party	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐				
q319e The Centre Party	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐				
q319f The Green Party	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐				
q319g The Christian Democrats	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐				
q319h The Sweden Democrats	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐				
q319i Feminist Initiative	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐				

q320 Where do you place yourself on the scale?

c.22

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

Partisanship

q321a Do you think of yourself as close to a particular party?

c.23a ☐ Yes
☐ No

q321b Is there a party that you consider yourself closer to than any of the other parties?

c.23b ☐ Yes
☐ No

q321c Which party do you feel closest to?

c.23c

☐ The Left Party (V)	☐ The Christian Democrats (KD)
☐ The Social Democrats (S)	☐ The Green Party (MP)
☐ The Centre Party (C)	☐ The Sweden Democrats (SD)
☐ The Liberals (L)	☐ Feminist Initiative (FI)
☐ The Conservative Party (M)	☐ Other party (<i>State which</i>):

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q321d And how close do you feel to this party?

c.23d ☐ Very close
☐ Somewhat close
☐ Not very close

q322 Are you a member of a political party or any other political organisation?

c.24 ☐ Yes (*State which*): See coding scheme for code explanations
☐ No

q323 Is there any party that you would never vote for?

c.25 V S C L M KD MP SD FI ☐ Other party (*State which*):
☐ No
☐ Do not know

Elections and Democracy

q324 In general, how satisfied are you with the way the democracy is functioning in Sweden?

c.26

Very satisfied	Somewhat satisfied	Not particularly satisfied	Not satisfied at all
☐	☐	☐	☐

q325 In some countries, people consider the conduction of elections as unfair. In other countries, people consider the conduction of elections as fair. In reference to the recent Parliamentary Swedish election, where would you place yourself on the following scale?

c.27

This year's election was conducted in an <u>unfair</u> way				This year's election was conducted in a <u>fair</u> way
1	2	3	4	5
☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

Before the election this year:

c.28

	Yes, several times	Yes, a few times	No
q326a Did you <u>try to convince</u> any member of your family, friend or other person to vote in the election?	☐	☐	☐
q326b Did any member of your family or someone else in your immediate surrounding <u>try to convince you</u> to vote in the election?	☐	☐	☐

q327 According to your assessment, how good is your knowledge of politics?

c.29

Very good	Somewhat good	Not very good	Not good at all
☐	☐	☐	☐

What is your opinion to these following statements?

c.30

	Entirely agree	Somewhat agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Somewhat disagree	Entirely disagree
q328a You are as informed about politics as most people	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q328b You are sufficiently qualified to participate in politics	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q328c You could do as good as a politician as most other people	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q328d You often feel that you have small influence over what happens to you	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q328e When planning something, you are almost certain that you are able to accomplish it	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

Political Issues

What is your opinion on the following proposals?

c.31

	Very good proposal	Fairly good proposal	Neither good nor bad proposal	Fairly bad proposal	Very bad proposal
q329a Lower the taxes	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q329b Reduce income disparities in society	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q329c More privately-run healthcare services	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q329d Increase the severity of prison sentences for criminals	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q329e Accept fewer refugees into Sweden	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

And what is your opinion on the following proposals?

c.32

	Very good proposal	Somewhat good proposal	Neither good nor bad proposal	Somewhat bad proposal	Very bad proposal
q330a Profiting should not be allowed within tax-financed healthcare, education nor social services	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q330b Raise the unemployment allowance	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q330c Reduce defence expenditures	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q330d Ban begging	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q330e Sweden should apply for membership in NATO	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q330f Sweden should adopt the Euro as currency	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q330g Raise fuel taxes	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q330h Increase financial support to immigrants so they can preserve their own culture	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

q331 In general, what is your attitude to the EU?

c.33	Very positive	Somewhat positive	Neither positive nor negative	Somewhat negative	Very negative	No opinion
	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

Below is a list with proposals of different kinds of societies some people think we should aim for in the future in Sweden. What do you think about these proposals?

c.34

The Economy

q333 What is your view on the current economic situation in Sweden?

c.35	Very good	Somewhat good	Neither good nor bad	Somewhat bad	Very bad
	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

c.36 Has the economic situation in Sweden improved, stayed the same or deteriorated, if you compare with the situation 12 months ago?

c.37 How do you think that the economic situation in Sweden will change during the coming 12 months? Will it improve, stay the same or deteriorate?

c.38 **In your opinion, how has the economic growth, unemployment and inflation changed during the last 12 months?**

	Has increased a lot	Has increased somewhat	Has neither increased nor decreased	Has decreased somewhat	Has decreased a lot
q336a Economic growth in Sweden	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q336b Unemployment	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q336c Inflation	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

q337 **Would you say that income inequalities between rich and average households in Sweden today is larger, smaller or about the same as they were twenty years ago?**

c.39	A lot larger	Somewhat larger	About the same	Somewhat smaller	Much smaller
	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

q338 **What are your opinion to this following statement?**

c.40	Entirely agree	Somewhat agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Somewhat disagree	Entirely disagree
Large incomes to a few contributes to higher economic growth, which benefits society as a whole	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

In Sweden today, some people have better jobs and higher incomes than others do. In your opinion, how important are the following explanations?

c.41	Very important	Somewhat important	Not very important	Not important at all
q339a Some people do not have the opportunity to get a good education	☐	☐	☐	☐
q339b Some people have not worked hard enough	☐	☐	☐	☐
q339c Some people have a higher, innate capacity	☐	☐	☐	☐
q339d Current policies are beneficial to high-income earners	☐	☐	☐	☐
q339e In a globalised economy, some companies pay higher wages to some people	☐	☐	☐	☐

q340 **What is the rough estimate of the combined annual income before taxes of all individuals in your household? (pensions, student grants etc. included).**

c.42	☐ 100 000 or less	☐ 400 001 – 500 000	☐ 800 001 – 900 000
	☐ 100 001 – 200 000	☐ 500 001 – 600 000	☐ 900 001 – 1 000 000
	☐ 200 001 – 300 000	☐ 600 001 – 700 000	☐ 1 000 001 – 1 100 000
	☐ 300 001 – 400 000	☐ 700 001 – 800 000	☐ More than 1 100 000

q341 **In your opinion, how many households in Sweden do you think have a higher income than your own household does?**

c.43	0-20 per cent	20-40 per cent	40-60 per cent	60-80 per cent	80-100 per cent
	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

Working Life

c.44 **Which of the groups do you currently belong to?**

Multiple groups can be marked

- q342a ☐ Gainfully employed (also on sick leave or parental leave)
 q342b ☐ Work/training in employment policy measures
 q342c ☐ Seeking employment/unemployed
 q342d ☐ Old age pensioner/retired/agreement pensioner
 q342e ☐ Have sickness and activity compensation (former early retirement pension, sickness allowances)
 q342f ☐ Student

q342g ☐ Other:

q343 What is your occupation?

If you are not currently working, the question is concerning your former main occupation

c.45

Occupation:

☐ Have never had an occupation →

q344 Which of the following occupational groups do you belong/belonged to?

- c.46 ☐ White-collar worker ☐ Farmer: no employees
☐ White-collar worker with a leading organizational function ☐ Farmer: one or more employees
☐ White-collar worker with an executive function ☐ Self-employed: no employees
☐ Blue-collar worker ☐ Self-employed: 1-9 employees
☐ Blue-collar worker with a leading function ☐ Self-employed: 10 or more employees

☐ Other:

q345 Is/was your employment for an indefinite or fixed term?

c.47

Permanently
employment

☐

Time-limited
employment

☐

I am
self-employed

☐

q346 On average, how many hours do/did you work per week?

c.48

Full
time

☐

Part time,
at least 15 hours
a week

☐

Part time,
less than 15 hours
a week

☐

q347 Do you work/ did you work in the public or private sector?

c.49

State
service

☐

Local
government
service

☐

Regional
government
service

☐

Private
sector

☐

Non-profit
organization or
foundation

☐

q348 How would you estimate the likeliness of becoming unemployed during the following 12 months?

c.50

Very likely	Somewhat likely	Neither likely nor unlikely	Somewhat unlikely	Very unlikely	Not working
☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

q349 Are you a member of any trade union or organisation for entrepreneurs or any other professional organisation?

c.51

☐ Yes (<i>State the entire name</i>):	fackforb_kod	See coding scheme for code explanations
☐ No		

Finally, a few questions about yourself

q350 Are you:

c.52 ☐ Female ☐ Male

q351 In which year are you born?

c.53 Year:

Where have you, your father and your mother primarily grown up?

c.54

	q352a You	q352b Your father	q352c Your mother
On the countryside in Sweden	☐	☐	☐
In a small urban area in Sweden	☐	☐	☐
In a city or larger urban area in Sweden	☐	☐	☐
In Stockholm, Gothenburg or Malmö	☐	☐	☐
In another country in the Nordics	☐	☐	☐
In another country in Europe	☐	☐	☐
In another country outside of Europe	☐	☐	☐

q353 In which type of area do you live?

c.55

☐ Large city: city centre	☐ Large town
☐ Large city: outer area/suburb	☐ Small town
☐ City: city centre	☐ Countryside
☐ City: outer area/suburb	

q354 Do you or someone else in your household, own or rent the property where you currently live?

c.56

Owens property (<i>include co-operative apartment</i>)	First-hand rental contract	Second-hand rental contract or lodger
☐	☐	☐

q355 If you were to describe your current home, which of the categories below would you consider as the most suitable?

c.57

- ☐ Working-class home
☐ Farmer home
☐ White-collar middle-class home
☐ Higher white-collar home/academic home
☐ Entrepreneur home
☐ Other:

q356 What is your marital status?

c.58

Single	Cohabitant	Married/ Partnership	Widow/ Widower
☐	☐	☐	☐

If you were to describe your current home, which of the alternatives below suits you the best?

q357a ☐ I live alone →

Yes No

c.59 ☐ I live with / regularly share my household with:

One adult	☐	☐	q357ba
Several adults	☐	☐	q357bb
One or several children	☐	☐	q357bc

If you regularly share your household with children, how many and in which ages are they?

		q357da 0-3 years	q357db 4-6 years	q357dc 7-15 years	q357dd 16-18 years
q357c	Number of children:	Aged: ☐	☐	☐	☐

q358 Are you currently studying for a degree or a vocational qualification?

c.60

Yes, full time	Yes, part-time	No
☐	☐	☐

q359 Which is your highest level of education?

- c.61 ☐ Not completed primary school (or equivalent school)
☐ Primary school (or corresponding compulsory school)
☐ Studies at upper secondary school, folk high-school, junior secondary school (or equivalent)
☐ Degree from upper secondary school, folk high-school, junior secondary school (or equivalent)
☐ Tertiary education, not college/university
☐ Studies at college/university
☐ Degree from college/university
☐ Studies or degree from postgraduate education
☐ Other (*State which*):
-

q360 Do you have a belief, creed or religious affiliation?

- c.62 ☐ Yes, (*State which*):
☐ No

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See coding scheme for
code explanations

c.63 How often in the last 12 months have you done the following?

	Never	Sometime during the last 12 months	Sometime during the last 6 months	Sometime during the past 3 months	Sometime a month	Sometime a week	Several times a week
q361a Taken part in worship or religious meeting	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q361b Trading with stocks	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q361c Discussing politics	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q361d Driven a car	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q361e Donating money to a humanitarian organization	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q361f Taken part in a demonstration	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q361g Travelled abroad	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
q361h Taken contact with a politician	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

q362 In order to save your time and not ask more questions than necessary, we have the opportunity to supplement your answers with data already available at Statistics Sweden (SCB). If you would like to use this opportunity, we will need your consent.

- c.64 ☐ Yes, I consent to supplement my answers with available data from SCB.
☐ No, I do not consent to supplement my answers with available data from SCB.

Variables of analysis

v7000 SNES18 Party Choice 2018 Riksdag (Validated with register data)

1 Left Party	. Missing – Non-response
2 Social Democrats	.b Missing – Voted blank
3 Centre Party	.h Missing – Skipped entire set of questions
4 The Liberals	.i Missing – Did not vote (according to register)
5 Moderate Party	.r Missing – Did not vote (according to own information)
6 Christian Democrats	.v Missing – Skipped question/do not know/do not remember
7 Green Party	.w Missing – Does not want to answer/refuses to answer
8 Sweden Democrats	
9 Feminist initiative	
10 Other Party	

v7000b SNES18 Party Choice 2018 Riksdag (Not validated with register data)

1 Left Party	. Missing – Non-response
2 Social Democrats	.b Missing – Voted blank
3 Centre Party	.h Missing – Skipped entire set of questions
4 The Liberals	.r Missing – Did not vote (according to own information)
5 Moderate Party	.v Missing – Skipped question/do not know/do not remember
6 Christian Democrats	.w Missing – Does not want to answer/refuses to answer
7 Green Party	
8 Sweden Democrats	
9 Feminist initiative	
10 Other Party	

v7001 SNES18 Party Choice 2018 K Municipality (Validated with register data)

1 Left Party	. Missing – Non-response
2 Social Democrats	.b Missing – Voted blank
3 Centre Party	.h Missing – Skipped entire set of questions
4 The Liberals	.i Missing – Did not vote (according to register)
5 Moderate Party	.r Missing – Did not vote (according to own information)
6 Christian Democrats	.v Missing – Skipped question/do not know/do not remember
7 Green Party	.w Missing – Does not want to answer/refuses to answer
8 Sweden Democrats	
9 Feminist initiative	
10 Other Party	

v7001b SNES18 Party Choice 2018 K Municipality (Not validated with register data)

1 Left Party	. Missing – Non-response
2 Social Democrats	.b Missing – Voted blank
3 Centre Party	.h Missing – Skipped entire set of questions
4 The Liberals	.r Missing – Did not vote (according to own information)
5 Moderate Party	.v Missing – Skipped question/do not know/do not remember
6 Christian Democrats	.w Missing – Does not want to answer/refuses to answer
7 Green Party	
8 Sweden Democrats	
9 Feminist initiative	
10 Other Party	

v7002 SNES18 Party Choice 2018 L County (Validated with register data)

1 Left Party	. Missing – Non-response
2 Social Democrats	.b Missing – Voted blank
3 Centre Party	.h Missing – Skipped entire set of questions
4 The Liberals	.i Missing – Did not vote (according to register)
5 Moderate Party	.r Missing – Did not vote (according to own information)
6 Christian Democrats	.v Missing – Skipped question/do not know/do not remember
7 Green Party	.w Missing – Does not want to answer/refuses to answer
8 Sweden Democrats	
9 Feminist initiative	
10 Other Party	

v7002b SNES18 Party Choice 2018 L County (Not validated with register data)

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|-----------------------|---|
| 1 Left Party | . Missing – Non-response |
| 2 Social Democrats | .b Missing – Voted blank |
| 3 Centre Party | .h Missing – Skipped entire set of questions |
| 4 The Liberals | .r Missing – Did not vote (according to own information) |
| 5 Moderate Party | .v Missing – Skipped question/do not know/do not remember |
| 6 Christian Democrats | .w Missing – Does not want to answer/refuses to answer |
| 7 Green Party | |
| 8 Sweden Democrats | |
| 9 Feminist initiative | |
| 10 Other Party | |

v7005 SNES18 Turnout 2018 Riksdag (Survey data, not validated)

- | | |
|----------------|---|
| 0 Did not vote | . Missing – Non-response |
| 1 Voted | .h Missing – Skipped entire set of questions |
| | .v Missing – Skipped question/do not know/do not remember |
| | .w Missing – Does not want to answer/refuses to answer |

v7006 SNES18 Turnout 2014 Riksdag (Survey data, not validated)

- | | |
|----------------|---|
| 0 Did not vote | . Missing – Non-response |
| 1 Voted | .e Missing – Not applicable |
| | .h Missing – Skipped entire set of questions |
| | .v Missing – Skipped question/do not know/do not remember |

v7007 SNES18 Turnout 2018 Riksdag (Register data)

- | | |
|----------------|-----------|
| 0 Did not vote | . Missing |
| 1 Voted | |

v7007b SNES18 Turnout 2018 Riksdag (Register data and survey data)

- | | |
|----------------|-----------|
| 0 Did not vote | . Missing |
| 1 Voted | |

v7008 SNES18 Turnout 2018 Municipality (Register data)

- | | |
|----------------|-----------|
| 0 Did not vote | . Missing |
| 1 Voted | |

v7009 SNES18 Turnout 2018 County (Register data)

- | | |
|----------------|-----------|
| 0 Did not vote | . Missing |
| 1 Voted | |

v7010 SNES18 Preferential vote 2018 (Validated with register data)

- | | |
|--------------------------------|---|
| 0 Did not cast a personal vote | . Missing – Non-response |
| 1 Did cast a personal vote | .i Missing – Did not vote (according to register) |
| | .v Missing – Skipped question/do not know/do not remember |

v7011 SNES18 Party choice 2018: Time of decision (Validated with register data)

- | | |
|--|---|
| 1 I decided during the last week | . Missing – Non-response |
| 2 I decided earlier during the autumn | .i Missing – Did not vote (according to register) |
| 3 I have known for a long time what I would vote | .r Missing – Did not vote (according to own information) |
| | .v Missing – Skipped question/do not know/do not remember |

v7012 SNES18 Early voting 2018 (Validated with register data)

- | | |
|---|---|
| 1 Yes, I voted early during the last week | . Missing – Non-response |
| 2 Yes, I voted early during the election campaign | .i Missing – Did not vote (according to register) |
| 3 No, I voted at the polls during election day | .r Missing – Did not vote (according to own information) |
| | .v Missing – Skipped question/do not know/do not remember |

v7013 SNES18 Vote-splitting – Riksdag-municipality 2018 (v7000-v7001, validated with register data)

- | | |
|------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| 0 Did not cast a split-ticket vote | . Missing – Non-response |
| 1 Did cast a split-ticket vote | |
-

v7015	SNES18 Vote-splitting – Riksdag-county 2018 (v7000-v7002, validated with register data)	
	0 No	. Missing – Non-response
	1 Yes	
v7017	SNES18 Vote-splitting – Municipality-county 2018 (v7001-v7002, validated with register data)	
	0 No	. Missing – Non-response
	1 Yes	
v7020	SNES18 Party identification: party	
	1 Left Party	. Missing – Non-response
	2 Social Democrats	.v Missing – Skipped question/do not know/do not remember
	3 Centre Party	
	4 The Liberals	
	5 Moderate Party	
	6 Christian Democrats	
	7 Green Party	
	8 Sweden Democrats	
	9 Feminist initiative	
	10 Other Party	
v7021	SNES18 Party identification: strength	
	1 Convinced supporter	. Missing – Non-response
	2 Supporter	
	3 Party preference only	
	4 No party preference	
v7022	SNES18 Vote intention	
	1 Left Party	. Missing – Non-response
	2 Social Democrats	.b Missing – Voted blank
	3 Centre Party	.h Missing – Skipped entire set of questions
	4 The Liberals	.v Missing – Skipped question/do not know/do not remember
	5 Moderate Party	
	6 Christian Democrats	
	7 Green Party	
	8 Sweden Democrats	
	9 Feminist initiative	
	10 Other Party	
v7030	SNES18 Party Choice 2014 Riksdag (Survey data from 2014 and 2018, validated with register data)	
	1 Left Party	. Missing – Non-response
	2 Social Democrats	.b Missing – Voted blank
	3 Centre Party	.i Missing – Did not vote (according to register)
	4 The Liberals	.l Missing – No explanation
	5 Moderate Party	.r Missing – Did not vote (according to own information)
	6 Christian Democrats	.v Missing – Skipped question/do not know/do not remember
	7 Green Party	
	8 Sweden Democrats	
	9 Feminist initiative	
	10 Other Party	
v7031	SNES18 Party Choice 2014 Riksdag (Survey data from 2014, validated with register data)	
	1 Left Party	. Missing – Non-response
	2 Social Democrats	.b Missing – Voted blank
	3 Centre Party	.i Missing – Did not vote (according to register)
	4 The Liberals	.l Missing – No explanation
	5 Moderate Party	.r Missing – Did not vote (according to own information)
	6 Christian Democrats	.v Missing – Skipped question/do not know/do not remember
	7 Green Party	
	8 Sweden Democrats	
	9 Feminist initiative	
	10 Other Party	

v7032 SNES18 Party Choice 2014 R (Survey data from 2018, not validated with register data)

1 Left Party	.
2 Social Democrats	.b Missing – Non-response
3 Centre Party	.e Missing – Not applicable
4 The Liberals	.h Missing – Skipped entire set of questions
5 Moderate Party	.r Missing – Did not vote (according to own information)
6 Christian Democrats	.v Missing – Skipped question/do not know/do not remember
7 Green Party	.w Missing – Does not want to answer/refuses to answer
8 Sweden Democrats	
9 Feminist initiative	
10 Other Party	

v7034 VU18 Constituency: code (Register data)

1 Stockholm municipal constituency	. Missing
2 Stockholm county constituency	
3 Uppsala county constituency	
4 Södermanland county constituency	
5 Östergötland county constituency	
6 Jönköping county constituency	
7 Kronoberg county constituency	
8 Kalmar county constituency	
9 Gotland county constituency	
10 Blekinge county constituency	
11 Malmö municipal constituency	
12 Skåne county western constituency	
13 Skåne county southern constituency	
14 Skåne county northern and eastern constituency	
15 Halland county constituency	
16 Gothenburg municipal constituency	
17 Västra Götaland county western constituency	
18 Västra Götaland county northern constituency	
19 Västra Götaland county southern constituency	
20 Västra Götaland county eastern constituency	
21 Värmland county constituency	
22 Örebro county constituency	
23 Västmanland county constituency	
24 Dalarna county constituency	
25 Gävleborg county constituency	
26 Västernorrland county constituency	
27 Jämtland county constituency	
28 Västerbotten county constituency	
29 Norrbotten county constituency	

v7100 SNES18 Sex (Register data)

1 Man	. Missing
2 Woman	

v7200 SNES18 Age (Register data)

18–84 years	. Missing
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v7201 SNES18 Age: 3-cut (Register data)

1 18–30 years	. Missing
2 31–60 years	
3 61–84 years	

v7202 SNES18 Age: 7-cut (Register data)

1 18–22 years	. Missing
2 23–30 years	
3 31–40 years	
4 41–50 years	
5 51–60 years	
6 61–70 years	
7 71–84 years	

v7300 SNES18 Education: Level. 3-cut (q97)

- | | |
|---|--------------------------|
| 1 Primary and lower secondary school | . Missing – Non-response |
| 2 Upper secondary school/Post-secondary | .a Other |
| 3 University | |

v7301 SNES18 Education: Level. 8-cut (q97)

- | | |
|--|---|
| 1 Incomplete primary or lower secondary education (or equivalent compulsory school) | . Missing – Non-response |
| 2 Degree from primary or lower secondary education (or equivalent compulsory school) | .a Other |
| 3 Studies at upper secondary school/Post-secondary | .v Missing – Skipped question/dnk/do not remember |
| 4 Degree from upper secondary school/Post-secondary | |
| 5 Post-secondary education, not college / university | |
| 6 Studies at college / university | |
| 7 Degree from college / university | |
| 8 Postgraduate education | |

v7302 SNES18 Education: Level. 6-cut (Register data 2018)

- | | |
|--|---|
| 1 Primary and lower secondary education, less than 9 years | . Missing |
| 2 Primary and lower secondary education 9 (10) years | .v Missing – Skipped question/do not know/do not remember |
| 3 Upper secondary education | |
| 4 Post-secondary education, less than 2 years | |
| 5 Post-secondary education, 2 years or longer | |
| 6 Postgraduate education | |

v7303 SNES18 Education: Area. 9-cut (Register data 2018)

- | | |
|---|---|
| 0 General education | . Missing |
| 1 Education science and teacher training | .v Missing – Skipped question/do not know/do not remember |
| 2 Humanities and art | |
| 3 Social sciences | |
| Natural sciences, mathematics and information and Communication | |
| 4 Technologies (ICTs) | |
| 5 Engineering, manufacturing and construction | |
| 6 Agriculture and forestry; veterinary | |
| 7 Health and welfare | |
| 8 Services | |

v7401 SNES18 Income: Earned income. 5-cut (Register data 2018)

- | | |
|--|-----------|
| 1 Low income (0 – 65 300) | . Missing |
| 2 Rather low income (65 400 – 226 900) | |
| 3 Medium income (227 000 – 363 700) | |
| 4 Rather high income (363 800 – 480 000) | |
| 5 High income (480 100 -) | |

v7403 SNES18 Income: Declared income. 5-cut (Register data 2018)

- | | |
|--|-----------|
| 1 Low income (0 – 61 600) | . Missing |
| 2 Rather low income (61 700 – 228 100) | |
| 3 Medium income (228 200 – 365 700) | |
| 4 Rather high income (365 800 – 486 300) | |
| 5 High income (486 400 -) | |

v7405 SNES18 Income: Disposable family income 5-cut (Register data 2018)

- | | |
|--|-----------|
| 1 Low income (0 – 187 100) | . Missing |
| 2 Rather low income (187 200 – 310 500) | |
| 3 Medium income (310 600 – 556 400) | |
| 4 Rather high income (556 500 – 778 400) | |
| 5 High income (778 500 -) | |
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v7500 VU18 Sampling county: code (register 2018)

- | | |
|---------------------------|-----------|
| 1 Stockholm county | . Missing |
| 3 Uppsala county | |
| 4 Södermanland county | |
| 5 Östergötland county | |
| 6 Jönköping county | |
| 7 Kronoberg county | |
| 8 Kalmar county | |
| 9 Gotland county | |
| 10 Blekinge county | |
| 12 Skåne county | |
| 13 Halland county | |
| 14 Västra Götaland county | |
| 17 Värmland county | |
| 18 Örebro county | |
| 19 Västmanland county | |
| 20 Dalarna county | |
| 21 Gävleborg county | |
| 22 Västernorrland county | |
| 23 Jämtland county | |
| 24 Västerbotten county | |
| 25 Norrbotten county | |

v7504 SNES18 NUTS 1

- | | |
|-------------------|-----------|
| 1 East of Sweden | . Missing |
| 2 South of Sweden | |
| 3 North of Sweden | |

v7505 SNES18 NUTS 2

- | | |
|---------------------------|-----------|
| 1 Stockholm | . Missing |
| 2 East Middle Sweden | |
| 3 Småland and the islands | |
| 4 South Sweden | |
| 5 West Sweden | |
| 6 North Middle Sweden | |
| 7 Middle Norrland | |
| 8 Upper Norrland | |

v7506 SNES18 Rural-urban

- | | |
|--------------------------------|-----------|
| 1 Rural area | . Missing |
| 2 Small urban area | |
| 3 Large town or city | |
| 4 Stockholm, Gothenburg, Malmö | |

v7507 SNES18 SKR municipality group: 3-cut

- | | |
|---|-----------|
| 1 Large cities and municipalities near large cities | . Missing |
| 2 Medium-sized towns and municipalities near medium-sized towns | |
| 3 Smaller towns/urban areas and rural municipalities | |

v7508 SNES18 SKR municipality group: 9-cut

- | | |
|--|-----------|
| 1 Large cities | . Missing |
| 2 Commuting municipalities near larger cities | |
| 3 Medium-sized towns | |
| 4 Commuting municipalities near medium-sized towns | |
| 5 Commuting municipalities with a low commuting rate near medium-sized towns | |
| 6 Small towns | |
| 7 Commuting municipalities near small towns | |
| 8 Rural municipalities | |
| 9 Rural municipality with a visitor industry | |

For definitions, see

<https://skr.se/en/skr/tjanster/kommunerochregioner/faktakommunerochregioner/kommungruppsindelning.2051.html>

v7606 SNES18 SSYK 1 (Register data 2018 + survey data)

- 0 Military professions . Missing
- 1 The managerial profession
- 2 Professions with requirements for in-depth university qualifications
- 3 Professions with requirements for university qualifications or equivalent
- 4 Professions in administration and customer service
- 5 Service, care and sales professions
- 6 Professions in mechanical manufacturing and transport, etc.
- 7 Professions in construction and manufacturing
- 8 Professions in mechanical manufacturing and transport, etc.
- 9 Professions with requirements for shorter education or introduction

v7607 SNES18 SSYK 1 (Register data 2018)

- 1 The managerial profession . Missing
- 2 Professions with requirements for in-depth university qualifications
- 3 Professions with requirements for university qualifications or equivalent
- 4 Professions in administration and customer service
- 5 Service, care and sales professions
- 6 Professions in mechanical manufacturing and transport, etc.
- 7 Professions in construction and manufacturing
- 8 Professions in mechanical manufacturing and transport, etc.
- 9 Professions with requirements for shorter education or introduction

v7700 SNES18 Union membership

- 1 LO – The Swedish Trade Union Confederation . Missing – Non-response
- 2 TCO – The Swedish confederation of Professional employees .e Missing – Not applicable
- 3 Saco – The Swedish Confederation of Professional Associations .v Missing – Skipped question/do not know/
- 4 Enterprise Organizations/Employer organization do not remember
- 5 Non-union organization
- 6 Agriculture organization
- 7 Other non-union organization
- 8 Foreign organization
- 9 Other union organization
- 995 Not a member

CODING SCHEME – OPEN CODING

Newspapers

(tidning1_kod, tidning2_kod, tidning3_kod)

001 Metro (regardless of the place of publication)

002 City

003 18 minuter

004 7 dagar Kungsbacka

005 7 dagar Kungälv (new 2004)

006 7 dagar Mölndal (new 2004)

007 7 dagar Nordost (new 2004)

008 7 dagar Partille (new 2004)

009 7 dagar Östra Hisingen (new 2004)

010 Tidningen Ångermanland

011 Extra Östergötland

012 Kungsbacka-Posten

013 Göteborgs Fria Tidning

014 Världen Idag

015 Computer Sweden

016 Dagens ETC

021 Stockholms Fria Tidning

022 Fria Tidningen

202 Arbetarbladet

204 Dagbladet Nya Samhället

205 Dala-Demokraten

206 Folkbladet Östgöten

207 Folket

208 Gotlands Tidningar

209 KarlskogaKuriren

211 Länstidningen (Östersund)

212 Norrländska socialdemokraten

215 Piteå-Tidningen

217 Sydöstran - Sydöstra Sveriges Dagblad

219 Värmlands Folkblad

220 Västerbottens Folkblad

223 Nya Västmanlands Folkblad

224 Örebro-Kuriren

225 Östra tranåssmålämningen
226 Nyheterna (syskontidning till Östra Småland)
238 Söderhamnskuriren (previously Hälsinge-Kuriren; changed 2007)

301 Blekinge-Posten

302 Dalabygden

305 Hallands Nyheter

307 Hudiksvalls Tidning

309 Kalmar Läns Tidning m Nybro Tidning

311 Laholms Tidning

312 Läns-Posten (Örebro)

313 Länstidningen Södertälje

314 Länstidningen Östergötland

316 Nord-Sverige

317 Norra Halland/Nordhalland

318 Norra Skåne

319 Norrtelje Tidning

320 Nynäshamns-Posten

321 Sjuhäradshbygdens Tidning

322 Skaraborgs-Bygden

323 Skånska Dagbladet

324 Smålandsbygdens Tidning

325 Södermanlands Nyheter

326 Sörmlandsbygden

327 Vimmerby Tidning - Kinda-Posten

328 Värmlands-Bygden

329 Västerbygden

330 Västmanlands Nyheter

331 Uddevalla-Posten

332 Växjö-Bladet/Kronobergaren

333 Östersunds-Posten

334 Upplands Nyheter

335 Västerbottningen

337 Gästriklands Tidning

401 Alingsås Tidning med Elfsborgs Läns Tidning

402 Arboga Tidning

403 Bergslags-Posten

405 Bohusläningen

406 Bärglagsbladet med Arboga Tidn.

408 Eskilstuna-Kuriren med Strengnäs Tidning

410 Falu-Kuriren

411 Gefle Dagblad

414 Göteborgs-Posten

415 Hallands-Posten

416 Karlstads-Tidningen

417 Katrineholms-Kuriren

418 Kristianstadsbladet

421 Ljusnan

423 Motala Tidning med Vadstena Tidning

424 Nerikes Allehanda

425 Norran (Norra Västerbotten)

426 Nya Länstidningen/Nya Lidköpingstidningen

427 Provinstidningen Dalsland

428 Skövde Nyheter

430 Smålands-Tidningen/Tranås Tidning/Vetlanda-Posten/Smålands dagblad

433 Sundsvalls Tidning

434 Sydsvenskan – SDS (previously Sydsvenska Dagbladet)

437 Sölvesborgs-Tidningen

439 Trelleborgs Allehanda

440 Upsala Nya Tidning

442 Vestmanlands Läns Tidning

444 Västerbottens-Kuriren

445 Ystads Allehanda

446 Örnsköldsviks Allehanda

501 Barometern/OT

502 Borås Tidning

503 Enköpings-Posten

504 Falköpings Tidning

505 Filipstads Tidning

506 Gotlands Allehanda

507 Haparandabladet

509 Hjo Tidning

510 Mariestads-Tidningen

512 Norrköpings Tidningar

513 Nya Kristinehamns-Posten

514 Nya Wermlandstidningen

516 Smålandsposten

517 Svenska Dagbladet

518 Tranås-Posten

519 Ulricehamns Tidning

520 Västerviks-Tidningen

522 Östgöta Correspondenten

601 Arvika Nyheter

606 Blekinge Läns Tidning/ Karlshamns Allehanda

609 Smålämningen

610 Nordvästra Skånes Tidningar/Landskrona-Posten (NST)

611 Norrbottens-Kuriren

612 Skaraborgs Allehanda (SLA)

613 Skaraborgs Läns Tidning (Skara Tidn.)

615 Västgöta-Bladet

616 Ölandsbladet

619 Kristdemokraten

701 Arbetaren

703 Internationalen

704 Proletären

705 Flammen

801 Avesta Tidning/Avesta-Posten

802 Dalslänningen Bengtsfors-Tidningen

803 Borlänge Tidning

804 Dagen

805 Dagens Nyheter

807 Eesti Päävaleht – Estniska Dagbladet

809 Fagersta-Posten

811 Fryksdals-Bygden/Sunnebygden

812 Helsingborgs Dagblad

814 Härjedalen

817 Jönköpings-Posten

818 Karlskoga Tidning

820 Kungälv-Posten

821 Lidingö Tidning med Lidingö Nyheter

823 Ljusdals-Posten

824 Nya Ludvika Tidning

825 Lysekils Posten med Orust Tjörn

826 Mora tidning

828 Mölndals-Posten

831 Sala Allehanda

834 Strömstads Tidning Norra Bohuslän

836 Säffle-Tidningen Västra Värmland

838 Södra Dalarnas Tidning/Säters Tidning

839 TTELA - Trollhättans Tidning med Lilla Edet-Posten och Elfsborgs Läns Annons-blad (Allehanda)

842 Värnamo Nyheter

846 Kungsbacka Tidning

847 Tempus

852 Dagens Industri

853 Finnveden Fredag

855 StenungsundsPosten

857 Östhammars Nyheter	30 Taxes, general	98 Private healthcare/privatization of healthcare	170 Social issues, general
858 ST tidning	31 Lower taxes	99 Hospital location	171 Poverty (incl. Child poverty)
985 Nyhetstidningen Sesam	32 Higher taxes	100 Specific hospitals	172 Homelessness
990 Finanstidningen	33 Municipal tax	101 Reorganization of healthcare	173 Social segregation/exclusion
	34 County tax	102 Small-scale, smaller units in healthcare	174 Public health/health
891 Foreign newspaper	35 Value-added tax	103 Specific diseases	180 Social gaps (incl. Class differences)
	36 Marginal tax deductions	104 Salaries in healthcare	181 Income differences
993 Not codable newspaper	37 Indirect taxes/excise duties	105 Staff and resource shortages in health care	182 Equalization
	38 Tax deduction issues		183 Equality
996 Non-newspaper news site, e.g. sr.se, cnn.com	39 Austerity tax	110 Psychiatry	184 Begging
998 Mentioned non-morning newspaper (e.g. evening or weekly newspaper and online news sites)	40 Tax-switching policies	111 Mental illness	
	41 Wealth tax	120 Dental care	190 Addiction problems, general
	42 Property tax	121 National dental service (Folktandvården)	191 Alcohol
		122 Private dental care	192 Narcotics/drugs
0 No further answer	50 Labor market, general	123 Dental care fees	193 Gambling
	51 Employment/unemployment		
Important issues/emphasized issue/ reason for party switch	52 Youth unemployment	130 Elderly care, general	200 Family politics, general
(viktigfraga1_kod, viktigfraga2_kod, viktigfraga3_kod, partibyte1_kod, partibyte2_kod, partibyte3_kod and the variables about which issues the parties emphasized)	53 Labor market policy measures	131 Elderly care	201 Child care/daycare
	54 Work environment, stress	132 Nursing home	202 Private child care
	55 Vacation	133 Retirement home	203 Maximum charge
	56 Unemployment insurance	134 Home care	204 Staff shortage in childcare / too large groups of children
	57 Shortening of working hours	135 Transportation service	
	58 Other labor market issues	136 Shortage of capacity	205 Child benefit
891 Social care	59 Payroll tax		206 Parental insurance
2 Welfare	60 Contractual pension / early retirement pension	140 Retirement issues, general (not sick pension 163, contractual or early retirement pension 60)	207 Parental leave
3 Security	61 Labor law	141 Pensions (not politicians' pensions 396)	208 Paternity leave
4 Society		142 Pensions funds	209 Child-care allowance
5 Future (not children and youths 251)	70 Public sector, public service, general	143 ATP funds/general pension	210 Situation of families with children
6 Population pyramid	71 Municipal service	144 Private pensions	211 Waiting day for care of a sick child
7 Community planning, Community building	72 Sanitation in urban areas	145 Pension tax	
	73 Garbage disposal	146 Pensioners, situation of pensioners	220 Education, general
	74 Regional service		221 School (general)
10 Economy, general	75 Cuts in public service	150 Disability issues (not discrimination 404)	222 Compulsory school
11 Sweden's economy	76 Privatization	151 The situation of the mentally handicapped	223 Private / independent schools
12 Financial and monetary policy, interest rates	77 Crisis preparedness/Rescue service		224 Upper secondary school
13 Financial crisis/ economic crisis	78 Profit in welfare	160 Social policy, general	225 Discipline / order in the school
14 Recession		161 Distribution issues	226 Grades in schools
15 Inflation (price increases)	90 Healthcare, general	162 Swedish Social Insurance Agency (Försäkringskassan)	227 School voucher system (skolpeng)
16 Wage level, wage policy (not income levels 181, salaries in healthcare 104, salaries in school 232)	91 Care	163 Health insurance (excluded from social insurance)	228 Staff shortage in school / too large classes
17 Trade policy, free trade, trade balance	92 Outpatient care/health centers	164 Sick pension	229 School governance at central level/ nationalize the education system
18 Personal finance, your own finances	93 Hospital care/specialist care	165 Social reforms	230 Municipal school
19 Budget deficit, national debt, foreign loans	94 Emergency care incl. 112 (Emergency number)	166 Social benefits	231 Teacher
20 Finances of the region/country	95 Care waiting lists	167 Social insurance	232 Salaries in education
21 Finances of the municipality	96 Proximity to care/accessibility		233 College / university / research
22 Economic growth	97 Care fees		234 Situation for students (not student housing 267)
23 Banks			

240 Leisure / sports / culture 241 Grants to associations 242 Culture issues 243 Municipal music school 244 Leisure / sports facilities	250 Youth issues / Children (not crime 376, unemployment 52) (not child welfare, etc. 200) 251 The future and problems of young people and children	306 Traffic 307 The West Link Project 310 City - Countryside 311 (De)centralization, localization policy 312 Urbanization 313 Sparsely populated areas / rural issues 314 Small-scale/local community 315 Service in sparsely populated areas 316 Depopulation, moving out, moving in 317 Nature conservation/protection 318 Predators/wolves 319 Hunting issues 320 Agricultural policy 321 Animal husbandry 322 Food prices 323 Fishing industry 324 Food production 325 Locally produced 326 Animal welfare/animal rights	375 Swedish Prison and Probation Service 376 Youth crime, juvenile violence 377 Riots/violent demonstrations 378 Organized crime 379 Domestic violence, women's integrity 380 Economic crime 381 The surveillance society 382 Damage/vandalization 383 Judicial system 384 Child porn/pedophilia 385 Weapons 390 System abuse 391 Corruption 392 Tax fraud 393 Golden parachutes, high bonuses 394 Political affairs 395 Benefit fraud 396 Politicians' fees/pensions 397 Abuse of power	437 Language test for citizenship 438 Diversity/multiculturalism 450 Religion, general 451 Religious antagonism 452 Religious symbols 453 Holidays, religious/cultural rituals 454 Islam (inc. islamophobia) 455 Free practice of religion 456 Church-state 460 Media, general 461 Commercials 462 Sensational journalism, personal integrity in the media 470 Internet, general 471 File sharing/author protection 472 Personal integrity on the internet 473 Surveillance
260 Housing, general 261 Housing market 262 Rental market 263 Rental costs 264 Housing shortage 265 Housing construction 266 Public housing 267 Student living 268 Housing allowance 269 Living environment 270 Senior housing 271 Housing for young people	280 City building 281 Urban planning - center issues 282 Building plans - construction 283 Parks 290 Infrastructure / communications, general 291 Public transport 292 Railway / train traffic 293 Roads 294 Road maintenance 295 Specific roads / connections 296 Bicycle paths 297 Airports, flights 298 Boat and ferry traffic, ports 299 Private motoring 300 Parking 301 Road tolls 302 Transports 303 Price of petrol 304 Internet infrastructure	400 Discrimination/Equal treatment 401 HBTQ 402 Gender discrimination 403 Ethnic discrimination 404 The disabled 405 Age discrimination 406 Religious discrimination 410 HBTQ-issues (not discrimination 401) 420 Democracy, general 421 Rule of law, Legal impartiality 422 Democratic freedoms and rights 423 Equality between men and women 425 Constitutional law 426 Personal integrity (not on the internet 470, not in the media 462) 430 Integration policy, general 431 Racism, xenophobia 432 Segregation 433 Refugees, asylum issues 434 Immigration, Immigrants 435 Migration policy (Immigration policy) 436 Labor immigration	490 Industry and commerce issues, general 491 Industry and commerce policy 492 Business conditions 493 Government regulations of companies 494 Mention of individual companies 495 Tourism 500 Consumption, general 501 Consumer influence 510 Bureaucracy, general 512 Administrative organization, civil servants 520 Politics (Party politics) 521 Parties (general opinions on parties) 522 Party leader 523 Politicians (general opinions on politicians) 524 Party political cooperation 525 Swedish democrats 526 Trust in parties and politicians 527 The establishment, the elite 528 Parliament (Riksdagen) 540 Monarchy/Republic	
270 Law and order, general 371 Violence 372 Crime 373 Police 374 Penalty and punishment				

550 The government issue, the government
551 Cross-coalition government alternatives
552 Stability and continuity
553 Renewal, the significance of a change of power in itself
554 Strategic voting

560 Swedish foreign and security policy
561 Defense policy/defense expenditure
562 Arms export
563 Aid
564 Neutrality
565 NATO
566 Military operations abroad
567 Military service/professional military

580 International issues, general
581 The issue of peace / international disarmament
582 Economy (international)
583 Terrorism

584 Globalization
585 Russia
586 Middle east
587 North Africa
588 The Israel-Palestine-conflict
589 USA
590 Asia
591 China
592 Iran
593 Afghanistan
594 North Korea
595 Africa
596 The US war on terror
597 European issues (not specifically EU 660)
598 Overpopulation

610 Regional issues
611 Regional politics
612 Regional development
613 Regional business development
614 Communications with other regions
615 Coordination and cooperation within the region
616 The region is too large/unnecessary
617 The division of regions
618 The organization of the region (general)
619 The political organization
620 Administrative organization

621 The distribution of resources and influence between municipalities
622 Dominance of central town

630 Municipal issues
631 Municipal politics
632 Municipal development
633 Business development
634 Communications with other municipalities
635 Coordination and cooperation between region and municipality
636 District issues
637 The organization of the municipality
638 The political organisation
639 The public administration
640 The small municipalities influence/resources
641 Dominance of central town
642 The division of municipalities
650 Other local issues

660 EU – general
661 EU – democracy
662 EU – economy
663 EU – euro cooperation
664 EU – regulations
665 EU – labor market
666 EU – social issues
667 EU – alcohol/narcotics
668 EU – regional politics
669 EU – agricultural issues
670 EU – environmental issues
671 EU – foreign and security policy
672 EU – migration issues
673 EU – asylum policy
674 EU – the opportunity to influence
675 EU – national independence
676 EU – expansion
677 EU – membership fee
678 EU – exit from EU/remain in EU
679 Schengen
680 EU other factual issues
681 Free movement
682 Border controls
683 Distribution of power and responsibilities

690 Morality and ethics
691 Egoism
692 Justice
693 Integrity/Honesty
694 Respect
695 Porn
696 Prostitution
697 Abortion
698 Genetic manipulation
699 Video violence
700 Euthanasia
701 Greed

710 Ideology concepts
711 Socialism
712 Communism, revolution
713 Class struggle
714 Class society
715 Solidarity
716 Liberalism
717 Conservatism, traditions
718 Individualism vs collectivism
719 Neoliberalism
720 Left-wing politics
721 Right-wing politics
722 Green ideas, green ideology
724 Non-green, materialism
725 Freedom of choice/Freedom
726 Feminism
727 Nazism
728 Market economy
729 Capitalism
730 Right-wing extremism
731 Extremism
732 Nationalism/Swedish values

800 Other issues

993 None
994 Does not know, does not want to answer
998 Not applicable/not codable
0 No further answers

Party switch /voting choice reason
(partibyte1_kod, partibyte2_kod, partibyte3_kod)
u_skalparti1_kod, u_skalparti2_kod,
u_skalparti3_kod)

The coding scheme below complements the issue coding for the variables for party switch. For these variables, the codes 520-528 in the important issue coding scheme are not used.

1000 *Obligation, duty, members of a democracy should vote, it is important to express your views as a citizen, general*
1001 Proud to vote, happy to live in a country where you can vote
1002 Right
1003 It is our duty to vote
1004 Habit, tradition
1005 The election is a celebration

1010 *Influence, participate, general*
1011 Participate in democracy, take part and have your say
1012 Election outcome important, affect the outcome of the election
1013 Influence the formation of government, the issue of government, general
1014 In order to create my preferred government
1015 Influence politics, general
1016 Influence who gets elected

1020 *Party identification, respondent identifies with the party, is a supporter of the party*
1021 Habitual voting, respondent usually votes for the party/coalition

1030 *Interest, political interest in general*
1031 Trust/confidence in the party
1032 Dissatisfaction

1040 *Strategic voting, tactics, general*
1041 The party is a large party and therefore better placed than a smaller party to implement its policies
1042 The party is a small party that could risk falling below the 4% parliamentary threshold

1043 Wasted vote. The party is too small to reach the 4% threshold for parliament	1095 The party does not have competent people who can manage the politics of the country	141 Dissatisfaction leader	314 Supporting national
1044 Reduce the risk of extreme parties being represented in parliament	1096 The party has good parliamentary candidates on the ballot in my constituency	142 Dissatisfaction leaders local	321 Opposing
1045 Reduce the influence of the Sweden Democrats/Sweden Democrats	1097 The party has no good parliamentary candidates on the ballot in my constituency	143 Dissatisfaction leaders regional	322 Opposing locally
1046 The party is the least bad alternative	1098 Reference to a single good party member	144 Dissatisfaction leaders national	323 Opposing regionally
1047 The party is the best alternative	1099 Reference to a single bad party member	151 Dissatisfaction party/parties	324 Opposing nationally
1050 Renewal/stability, in general		152 Dissatisfaction party local	330 Spread/distribute votes
1051 Renewal, new parties are needed in power	1100 <i>Influence of the environment, general</i>	153 Dissatisfaction party regional	340 Party not electable/no candidates in other levels. Party/candidate not competent enough on other levels.
1052 Stability and continuity in power are needed	1101 Influence of friends and acquaintances	154 Dissatisfaction party national	
1060 <i>Self-interest, party policy benefits respondent personally</i>	1102 Influence of family	210 Preference/benefits, unspecified	
1070 <i>Party ideology/policy/program/pledges, general. Also applies to coalitions</i>	1103 Influence of work colleagues	211 Issue preference	
1071 The party has a good ideology	1104 Influence of the mass media	212 Issue preference locally	390 Strategy, other (party can do without my vote/risk of wasted vote)
1072 The party has a bad ideology	1105 Influence of the election campaign	213 Issue preference regional	
1073 The party has good policies on many of the issues debated recently		214 Issue preference national	391 Large party with ability to implement policies
1074 The party has poor policies on many of the issues debated recently	1400 Reasons for not voting	221 Preference politics	500 Other
1075 The party has a good program for the future	1500 Other reasons	222 Preference politics local	510 Change/power shift
1076 The party has a poor program for the future	999n Missing codes	223 Preference politics regional	
1077 The party has done well in politics in recent years	9993 None	224 Preference politics national	520 Voting advice applications/election compass
1078 The party has performed poorly in politics in recent years	9994 Do not know / do not want to answer	231 Preference candidate/representative	993 Do not know
1079 The party has been convincing during the election campaign	9998 Not applicable/not codable	232 Preference candidate local	998 Not codable
1080 The party has not been convincing during the election campaign	0 No further reasons	233 Preference candidate regional	999 Did not split ticket vote
1081 The party has kept its election promises	Split ticket voting	234 Preference candidate national	Preferred prime minister
1082 The party has not kept its election promises	(rostdelning1_kod, rostdelning2_kod, rostdelning3_kod)	241 Preference leader	(statsmin_kod)
1083 The party is most in line with my views		242 Preference leader local	Left Party
1090 <i>Personal references, general</i>	110 Protest/dissatisfaction, unspecified	243 Preference leader regional	1001 Jonas Sjöstedt
1091 Party leader(s), general	111 Dissatisfaction on a specific issue	244 Preference leader national	Social democrats
1092 The party has a good party leader	112 Dissatisfaction on a local issue	251 Preference party/parties	2001 Stefan Löfven
1093 The party has a bad party leader	113 Dissatisfaction issue regional	252 Preference party local	2002 Magdalena Andersson
1094 The party has competent people who can manage the politics of the country	114 Dissatisfaction issue national	253 Preference party regional	2003 Margot Wallström
		254 Preference party national	2004 Jan Eliasson
	121 Dissatisfaction with politics	290 Preference, personal (sees personal benefits/considered beneficial for individual/family)	2005 Anders Ygeman
	122 Dissatisfaction with politics locally	291 Preference by level (different issues/policies important at different levels)	2006 Morgan Johansson
	123 Dissatisfaction with politics regionally		2007 Mikael Damberg
	Dissatisfaction with politics nationally	310 Strategy, unspecified	2008 Mona Sahlin
	131 Dissatisfaction candidate/representative	311 Supporting	2009 Göran Persson
	132 Dissatisfaction candidate local	312 Supportive local	2010 Olof Palme
	133 Dissatisfaction candidate regional	313 Supportive regional	
	134 Dissatisfaction candidate national		

Member of party/organization

- Centre Party

3001 Annie Lööf
- The Liberals

4001 Jan Björklund
4002 Birgitta Ohlsson
- Moderate Party

5001 Ulf Kristersson
5002 Fredrik Reinfeldt
5003 Carl Bildt
5004 Tobias Billström
5005 Elisabeth Svantesson
5006 Anders Borg

- Christian Democrats

6001 Ebba Busch Thor
6002 Alf Svensson

- Green Party

7001 Isabella Lövin
7002 Gustav Fridolin
7003 Peter Eriksson
7004 Alice Bah Kuhnke
7005 Birger Schlaug

- Sweden Democrats

8001 Jimmie Åkesson
8002 Mattias Karlsson

- Feminist initiative

9001 Gudrun Schyman
9002 Gita Nabavi

- 1100 Barack Obama

- 9990 Multiple names

9991 Unknown name

9993 No one, do not know, does not matter

9994 Other (e.g. personality traits, pronouns)

9998 Not codable

9999 Not an answer to the question

(partimed)_kod

Parties

- 10 Local parties
- 11 Left party
- 12 Social Democrats
- 13 Centre Party
- 14 The Liberals
- 15 Moderate Party
- 16 Christian Democrats
- 17 Green Party
- 18 Sweden Democrats
- 19 Feminist Initiative
- 20 Other party

Women's political unions

- 21 Svenska kvinnors vänsterförbund
- 22 Socialdemokratiska kvinnoförbund
- 23 Centerkvinnorna
- 24 Folkpartiet liberalerna kvinnoförbund
- 25 Moderat kvinnoförbundet
- 26 Kristdemokratiska kvinnoförbundet
- 29 Other women's union

Political youth unions

- 31 Ung vänster
- 32 Sveriges socialdemokratiska ungdomsförbund
- 33 Centerns ungdomsförbund
- 34 Liberala ungdomsförbundet
- 35 Moderata ungdomsförbundet
- 36 Kristen demokratisk ungdom
- 37 Grön ungdom
- 39 Other youth union

Student organizations

- 41 Vänsterpartistisk ungdomsorganisation
- 42 Socialdemokratisk studentorganisation
- 43 Centerpartistisk studentorganisation
- 44 Folkpartistisk studentorganisation
- 45 Moderata studentorganisation
- 46 KD:s studentorganisation
- 47 Miljöpartistisk studentorganisation
- 49 Other student organization

Other organizations

- 50 Religious organizations
- 60 Sobriety organizations
- 70 Other organizations
- 71 The people's campaign against nuclear power
- 72 Greenpeace
- 75 Local or regional political organizations
- 80 Other political organizations
- 99 Data not available
- 100 Vägvalet
- 101 Sjukvårdspartiet
- 102 OKS
- 103 Svenljunga nya kommunparti
- 104 Folkfronten (fd. NSF)
- 105 Rättvisepartiet socialisterna
- 106 Folkets villa, folkviljan
- 107 Sverigedemokraterna (se kod 808)
- 108 Nydemokraterna
- 109 Pensionärspartiet
- 110 Vår framtid
- 111 Norges kommunistiska parti (NKP)
- 112 Aledemokraterna
- 113 KPML(r) (se kod 193)
- 114 Sveriges pensionärs intresseparti (SPI)
- 115 Socialistiska partiet
- 116 Det nya partiet
- 117 Kalle Anka-partiet
- 118 Musse Pigg-partiet
- 119 Långben-partiet
- 120 Enhet (ny 2002)
- 121 Markbygdspartiet
- 122 Ny Demokrati
- 123 Samlingsregering
- 124 Norrbottenpartiet
- 125 Europeiska Arbetarpartiet (EAP)
- 126 Syndikalisterna (SAC)
- 127 Libertarianer
- 128 Kvinnoartiet
- 129 Internetpartiet (ny 2002)
- 130 Fria folkets parti
- 131 Skånepartiet
- 132 Hörbypartiet
- 133 Ny framtid
- 134 Kinnapartiet
- 135 Stockholmspartiet
- 136 SAFE (Nässjö)

Knowledge of candidates

Candidate codes are in the appendix (Candidate codes 2018) and apply to the following variables: (kandkann1_kod, kandkann2_kod, personval_kod). Below are codes for whether respondent stated a candidate in their constituency or not, and which party the candidate belongs to.

Knowledge of candidates right/wrong

(kandkann1_rf_kod, kandkann2_rf_kod)

- 1 Right
- 5 Wrong

Party codes for the question about knowledge of candidates

(kandkann1_parti_kod, kandkann2_parti_kod)

- 1 Left Party (V)
- 2 Social Democrats (S)
- 3 Centre Party (C)
- 4 The Liberals (L)
- 5 Moderate Party (M)
- 6 Christian Democrats (KD)
- 7 Green Party (MP)
- 8 Sweden Democrats (SD)
- 9 Feminist Initiative (Fi)

137 Sjöbopartiet	182 Strömstads parti	228 Ny ordning	834 Nystart Enköping
138 Soffliggarpartiet	183 Föryngringspartiet	229 Vårdpartiet	835 Roslagens Oberoende
139 Finsk center	184 Åhuspartiet	230 Söderslättspartiet	836 Nya Sotenäspartiet
140 Junilistan	185 Kommunalt alternativ	231 Sigtunapartiet/Samling för nya Sigtuna	837 Tullingeapartiet
141 Sveriges kommunistiska parti (SKP)	186 Burlövs väl	232 Strängnäspartiet	838 Socialradikala Demokraterna
142 Tomas DiLeva parti	187 Bjäre partiet	233 Norrländska Samlingspartiet	839 Rönningepartiet
143 Feministiskt initiativ	188 Osynliga partiet	234 Liberaldemokraterna	
144 Framtidspartiet	189 Demokratisk vänster	236 Folkhemmet	840 Judisk kamp
145 Vägval Vänster	190 Kungsbackaborna	237 Bergspartiet	841 Svedala Demokraterna
146 Vevpartiet	191 Skånes väl	238 Filipstadspartiet	842 Nykvarnspartiet
147 Piratpartiet	192 Staffanstorpspartiet	239 Svenskarnas Parti	843 Bergshamrapartiet
148 Roslagspartiet Österåker	193 Kommunistiska partiet (KP)	240 Nya listan i Vellinge	844 Sorundanet
149 Vrinnevilistan (VL)	194 Kommunpartiet, Härryda	241 Engelholmspartiet	845 Åselepartiet
150 Kommunal Samverkan med Folket i Fokus (KSFF)	195 Kristianstadpartiet	242 Arbetarpartiet	846 Västjämtlands Väl
151 Nackapartiet	196 Bergås bästa		847 Waxholmspartiet
152 Bålstadpartiet	197 Kommunens väl, Ystad	801 Left Party (V)	848 Morapartiet
153 Sollentunapartiet	198 Kommunal samling, Göinge	802 Social Democrats (S)	849 Götenes Framtid
154 Folkets Väl	199 Helsingborgspartiet	803 Centre Party (C)	
155 Laholmspartiet	200 Nordiska rikspartiet	804 The Liberals (L)	
156 Ronnebypartiet	201 Barsebäcksöpparna	805 Moderate Party (M)	850 Ölandspartiet
157 Alvesta alternativet	202 Kommunpartiet vår framtid	806 Kristdemokraterna (KD)	851 Öppna Göteborg
158 Liberala partiet	203 Rätt väg i Gullspång	807 Miljöpartiet (MP)	852 Sportpartiet
159 Göingepartiet	204 Uddevallapartiet	808 Sverigedemokraterna (SD)	853 Drevvikenspartiet
	205 Sotenäspartiet		854 Realistpartiet
160 Barapartiet	206 Lysekilspartiet	809 Perstorps Framtid	855 Utvecklingspartiet i Kungälv
161 Falupartiet	207 Mariestadspartiet	810 Naturdemokraterna	856 Vård för pengarna
162 Österlenpartiet	208 Solidariskt Uddevalla	811 Häriedalspartiet	857 Framtid Öland
163 Knivsta.nu	209 Ö-partiet	812 Djurens Parti	858 Bajenpartiet
164 Mariefredspartiet	210 Aktiv demokrati	813 Direktdemokraterna	
165 Sjukvårdspartiet i Värmland	211 Barnpartiet	815 Österåkerspartiet	860 För nya Lund
166 Mullsjö framtid	212 Storforsbygdens väl	816 Väsby bästa	862 Partiet de Fria
167 Huddingeapartiet	213 Folkfronten (socialister, Lkpg)	818 Torslandapartiet	863 Vårdpartiet Skåne
168 Jongleringspartiet	214 Nationaldemokraterna	819 Fredsdemokraterna	864 Kommunpartiet
169 Välfärdspartiet	215 Guds rikes UFO-parti		865 Hållbart alternativ
170 Dalarnas sjukvårdsparti	216 Lidingöpartiet	821 Hela Sunne	866 Vetlanda framtända
171 Nils Dacke partiet	218 Omsorg för alla	822 Västra initiativet	867 Konsensus För Vadstenas bästa
172 Skolpartiet	219 Bollnäspartiet	823 Landsbygdens framtid	868 Salas bästa
174 Nackallistan	220 Vingåkers Lokalparti	824 Hela Edas Lista	869 Öpartiet
175 Skåne läns sjukvårdsparti	221 Kommunlistan (Storuman)	825 Bygdepertiet	
176 Norrbottens sjukvårdsparti	222 Sjukvårdspartiet VG region	827 Kristna Vårdepartiet	870 Tjörnpartiet
177 Fria Norrland	223 Marks oberoende demokrater	828 Kommunal Samling	871 Malålistan
178 Sverigepartiet	224 PRI	829 Allians för Ragunda	872 Folkets Röst
179 Kirunapartiet	225 Lokala partiet i Heby		873 Norapartiet
180 Kristianstadbyggdens framtid	226 Vox Humana	830 Landsbygdspartiet oberoende	874 Nätverk Timrå
181 Skånes självständighetsparti	227 A2000	831 Boråsvalet	875 Ångfärhepartiet
		832 Markbygdepertiet	876 Blekingepartiet
		833 Nya Ulricehamn	

- 877 Karlskronapartiet
878 Örebropartiet
879 Ändringspartiet
880 Riksdemokraterna
881 Missnöjespartiet
882 Hälsoapartiet
883 Vetenskapliga partiet
884 Trollhättans framtid
885 Borgerlig framtid
886 Satanistiskt initiativ
887 Nordiska motståndsrörelsen
888 Medborgerlig samling
889 Demokraterna
890 Demokratiska partiet "Demokraterna"
891 Alternativ för Sverige
892 Initiativet
893 Oberoende realister
894 Karlstadpartiet Livskvalitet
895 Stenungsundspartiet
896 Hela Vara Kommuns Bästa (HVKB)
897 Nybyggarpartiet
898 Ställ om Sverige (SOS)
899 Bevara Akutsjukhusen
900 Bodenalternativet
901 Malung-Sälenspartiet
902 Fokus Bjärred
903 Sundsvallspartiet
904 Kommunens Bästa
905 Basinkomstpartiet
906 Mitt Göinge
907 Skurupspartiet
908 Framtid i Ale
909 Regionens Framtid
910 Westbopartiet
911 Ljusdalsbygdens parti
912 Samernas Vål
913 Svenska folkhemspartiet
993 No party
994 Foreign party
998 Not codable
0 No answer

- Unions**
(fackforb_kod, c_fackforb_kod)
81 Svenska Pilotföreningen
82 Ledarna (tidigare TCO)
84 Medarbetarförbundet
85 Svenska författarförbundet/ Sveriges författarförbund
86 Säljarnas
87 Brandmännens Riksförbund (added 2010)
88 Kyrkomusikernas riksförbund
89 Svensk lokförarförening
90 Tingvalla Bro fackförening (TBF, added 2014)

100 LO without information about unions

- (also FCO) (Note! Used only if R wrote only LO in response!)

- 198 Svenska Hamnarbetarförbundet
199 Sveriges Arbetares Centralorganisation (SAC), also syndikalisterna, lokala samorganisationer, LS

200 TCO, without information about unions

- (Note! Used only if R wrote only TCO in response!)

300 Saco, without information about unions

- (Note! Used only if R wrote only Saco in response!)

- 400 Entrepreneurial or employer organizations (with or without specification of organization)
402 Företagarna (new 2008)
403 KFO (new 2008)
404 Svenskt näringsliv (new 2008)
405 Biltrafikens Arbetsgivarförbund (new 2008)
406 Fria Företagare (Previously Företagarförbundet)(new 2008)
407 ALMEGA (new 2008)
408 Sveriges Hotell och Restaurangföretagare (new 2008)
409 Svensk Byggingusti (new 2008)
410 SLA-Skogs och lantarbetsgivarförbundet (new 2008)

- 411 Frisörföretagarna (new 2008)
412 Huvudmannaförbundet (new 2009)
413 Trä- och möbelindustriförbundet – TMF (new 2009)
414 Bussarbetsgivarna – BuA (new 2010)
415 Motorbranschens Arbetsgivarförbund – MAF (new 2010)
416 Småföretagarna
417 Svensk Handel
418 Plåtslagarnas riksförbund
419 Målarmästarna
420 Medie- och Informationsarbetsgivarna (MIA) (ny 2010)
421 SVEMEK (Svetsmekaniska arbetsgivarförbundet) (new 2010)
422 Svensk Bensinhandel
499 Foreign employer organization (ny 2008)
500 Non-union organization for self-employed professionals and/or persons with certain advanced vocational training
610 Lantarbetarnas Riksförbund, Jordbrukarungdomens förbund
620 Jordbrukets ekonomiska rörelserörelse, hushållningssällskap.
LO-affiliated unions:
103 Svenska Byggnadsarbetarförbundet
104 Svenska Elektrikerförbundet
106 Fastighetsanställdas förbund
109 Handelsanställdas förbund
110 Hotell och Restaurang Facket
111 Svenska Kommunalarbetarförbundet
113 Svenska Livsmedelsarbetarförbundet
115 Svenska Musikerförbundet
116 Svenska Målarförbundet
117 Svenska Pappersindustriarbetarförbundet
118 GS – facket för skogs-, trä- och grafisk bransch
120 SEKO - Facket för Service och Kommunikation (statsanställda, sjöfolksförbundet)
121 Svenska Transportarbetarförbundet
122 Industrifacket metall

SACO-affiliated unions:

- 301 Agrifack (see 305)
302 Sveriges Arkitekter (Arkitektförbundet (AF))
303 Civilekonomerna, TL
304 DIK-förbundet (Akademiker inom dokumentation, information och kultur)
305 Naturvetarna (Agrifack and Naturvetarförbundet)
306 Jusek (Jurist- och samhällsvetarförbundet)
307 Fysioterapeuterna (previously Legitimerade sjukgymnasters riksförbund)
308 Lärarnas Riksförbund
309 Sveriges Reservofficersförbund (reservofficerarnas centralorganisation)
310 SACO:s Tjänstemannaförbund SRAT
311 Sveriges Skolledarförbund
312 Kyrkans Akademikerförbund
314 Sveriges Farmaceutförbund
316 SACO-förbundet Trafik och Järnväg
317 Sveriges läkarförbund
318 Naturvetarförbundet (see 305)

319 Sveriges Psykologförbund
320 Akademikerförbundet SSR (Sveriges Socionomers Riksförbund)
321 Sveriges Tandläkarförbund
322 Sveriges Universitetslärarförbund (SULF)
323 Sveriges Veterinärförbund
324 Förbundet Sveriges Arbetsterapeuter (FSA)
325 Sjöbefälsförbundet
326 Officersförbundet
327 Sveriges Ingenjörer (includes civilingenjörsförbundet)
328 Svensk flygteknikerförening

776 Independent worker's organization
777 Other non-union organization
778 Independent unemployment insurance fund
800 Danish/Norwegian union/organization

0 No answer
998 Not codable

Ruling majority in your municipality

72 (kommaj_rf)

0 All mentioned parties are wrong
1 One party is correct (regardless of how many mentioned)
2 Several parties are correct, but not all
3 All parties are correct, but not in majority
4 All parties are correct, and in majority
. No answer

Religion

(c_tro_kod)

Christianity
1000 Christian (no denomination given)

Catholic
1101 Roman Catholic
1102 Eastern (Greek Rite) Catholic Churches
1199, Catholic, other

Protestant
1200 Protestant, no denomination given
1201 Adventist

1203 Baptist
1204 Congregational
1205 European Free Church (Anabaptists, Mennonites)
1206 Holiness
1207 Fundamentalist
1208 Lutheran
1209 Methodist
1210 Pentecostal
1211 Presbyterian
1212 Calvinist
1213 Salvation Army/Salvationist
1214 Christian Brethren
1215 Churches of Christ
1216 Reformed Churches
1217 Protestant Church of the Netherlands
1298 Protestant, other
1299 Protestant, other

Anglican
1300 Episcopalian, Anglican, Church of England, Church of Ireland

Independents-Non-Affiliated

1410 Apostolic
1420 United Churches
1499 Independent, other

Non-traditional Protestants
1501 Christian Scientists
1502 Mormons, Church of Latter Day Saints
1503 Unitarian Universalists
1504 Jehovah's Witnesses
1599 Non-traditional Protestant, other

Orthodox
1600 Eastern Orthodox
1699 Orthodox, other [see Election Study notes]
Judaism
2000 Jewish

Islam
3000 Muslim; Mohammedan; Islam (no denomination given)
3100 Sunni

3200 Shi'ism
3210 Isma'ilis
3211 Druze

Buddhism
4000 Buddhist
4100 Theravada
4200 Mahayana

Hinduism and other religions of India

5000 Hindu
5010 Parsiism
5020 Vaishnavism
5030 Shaivism
5040 Shaktism
5500 Jainism
5600 Sikhism

Indigenous religions of East Asia

6100 Confucianism
6200 Taoism
6300 Shinto
6400 New religionsists
6401 I-Kuan-Tao
6500 Traditional folk belief/Nichiren shs

Ethnoreligions/other believer

7100 Pagan, Heathen, Tribal Religionsist, Traditional Religionist, Animism, Shamanism
7110 Ratana, Maori
7200 Spiritism
7500 Bahai
7900 Ethnoreligionist, other
7901 Ethnoreligionist, other

Non-Believers

8100 Agnostic
8200 Atheist
8300 None
9600 Other: not specified