

World Database of Happiness



Correlational Findings on Happiness and POLITICAL BEHAVIOUR Subject Code: P8

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Correlational finding on Happiness and Earlier political behavior

Subject code: P8.1.1

Study BACHM 1978/2

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 Youth in Transition, Vol. VI: Adolescence to Adulthood, Change and Stability in the Lives of Young Men.
 Institute for Social Research, 1970, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, USA
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Population: Public highschool boys followed 8 years from grade 10, USA, 1966-74

Sample:

Non-Response: 2.8% at T1, 17.2% at T2, 21.0% at T3, 28.9% at T4, 28.5% at T5

N: 2213

Correlate

Authors label: Government should end discrimination (1)

Our classification: Earlier political behavior, code P8.1.1

Measurement: A mean composed of three items asking the respondent how strongly he agrees or disagrees that the government should take a role in racial issues.
 Scale: 1.00 = disagree to 4.00 = agree.
 Assessed at T3, T4, T5

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks			
<u>O-HP/g/mq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tau= ns</u>	Government should end discrimination			
		Happiness	T3	T4	T5
		T1	tau = +.03	+.02	+.03
		T2	tau = +.04	+.02	+.05
		T3	tau = +.04	+.04	+.04
		T4	tau = +.03	+.06	-.03
		All tau's not significant			
		T1:1966, T2:1968, T3:1969, T4:1970, T5:1974			

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Population: Public highschool boys followed 8 years from grade 10, USA, 1966-74

Sample:

Non-Response: 2.8% at T1, 17.2% at T2, 21.0% at T3, 28.9% at T4, 28.5% at T5

N: 2213

Correlate

Authors label: Vietnam dissent (2)

Our classification: Earlier political behavior, code P8.1.1

Measurement: A mean of six items, three anti-Vietnam war and three pro-Vietnam war. Scale:
 1.00 = support for U.S. policy in Vietnam to 4.00 =
 disagreement with U.S. policy in Vietnam. Assessed at T3,
 T4 and T5.

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks			
<u>O-HP/g/mq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tau=- p<.s</u>	Vietnam dissent			
		Happiness	T3	T4	T5
		T1	tau = -.13 (001)	-.10 (01)	-.10 (01)
		T2	tau = -.14 (001)	-.13 (001)	-.07 (05)
		T3	tau = -.15 (001)	-.14 (001)	-.09 (05)
		T4	tau = -.13 (001)	-.17 (001)	-.11 (01)
		T1:1966, T2:1968, T3:1969, T4:1970, T5:1974			

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Population: Public highschool boys followed 8 years from grade 10, USA, 1966-74

Sample:

Non-Response: 2.8% at T1, 17.2% at T2, 21.0% at T3, 28.9% at T4, 28.5% at T5

N: 2213

Correlate

Authors label: Prefer more militaryinfluence (2)

Our classification: Earlier political behavior, code P8.1.1

Measurement: A mean of two items concerning military influence and expenditure on the military. Scale: 1.00 = military has far too much influence, or U.S. spends far too much, to 5.00 = military has far too little influence, or U.S. spend far too little. Assessed at T3 and T5

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure

Statistics

Elaboration/Remarks

O-HP/g/mq/v/5/a

tau=+

	Prefer more military influence	
Happiness	T3	T5
T1	tau = +.05 (ns)	+.03 (ns)
T2	tau = +.08 (05)	+.05 (ns)
T3	tau = +.08 (05)	+.02 (ns)
T4	tau = +.08 (05)	+.04 (ns)
T1:1966, T2: 1968, T3:1969, T4:1970, T5:1974		

Correlational finding on Happiness and Later political behavior

Subject code: P8.1.4

Study

BACHM 1978/2

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Institute for Social Research, 1970, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, USA
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Population: Public highschool boys followed 8 years from grade 10, USA, 1966-74

Sample:

Non-Response: 2.8% at T1, 17.2% at T2, 21.0% at T3, 28.9% at T4, 28.5% at T5

N: 2213

Correlate

Authors label: Interest in government (1)

Our classification: Later political behavior, code P8.1.4

Measurement: Simple direct question at T1, T2, T3, T4 and T5: 'Some people think about what's going on in government very often, and others are not that interested. How much of an interest do you take in government and current events?' 1 = no interest at all; 2 = very little interest; 3 = some interest; 4 = a lot of interest; 5 = a very great interest

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure

Statistics

Elaboration/Remarks

O-HP/g/mq/v/5/a

tau=+

Interest in government

	T1	T2	T3	T4	T5
Happiness					
T1	.15(001)	.11(01)	.10(01)	.10(01)	.06(ns)
T2	.08(05)	.14(001)	.14(001)	.13(001)	.10(01)
T3	.09(05)	.11(01)	.12(001)	.13(001)	.11(01)
T4	.08(05)	.10(01)	.09(05)	.13(001)	.09(01)

All tau's positive
T1:1966, T2:1968, T3: 1969, T4:1970, T5:1974

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N: 2213

Correlate

Authors label: Government should end discrimination (2)

Our classification: Later political behavior, code P8.1.4

Measurement: A mean composed of three items asking the respondent how strongly he agrees or disagrees that the government should take a role in racial issues.
 Scale: 1.00 = disagree to 4.00 = agree.
 Assessed at T3, T4, T5

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks			
<u>O-HP/g/mq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tau= ns</u>	Government should end discrimination			
		Happiness	T3	T4	T5
		T1	tau = +.03	+.02	+.03
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		T3	tau = +.04	+.04	+.04
		T4	tau = +.03	+.06	-.03
		All tau's not significant			
		T1:1966, T2:1968, T3:1969, T4:1970, T5:1974			

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N: 2213

Correlate

Authors label: Vietnam dissent (1)

Our classification: Later political behavior, code P8.1.4

Measurement: A mean of six items, three anti-Vietnam war and three pro-Vietnam war. Scale:
 1.00 = support for U.S. policy in Vietnam to 4.00 = disagreement with U.S. policy in Vietnam. Assessed at T3, T4 and T5.

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
<u>O-HP/g/mq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tau=- p<.s</u>	Vietnam dissent
		Happiness T3 T4 T5
		T1 tau = -.13 (001) -.10 (01) -.10 (01)
		T2 tau = -.14 (001) -.13 (001) -.07 (05)
		T3 tau = -.15 (001) -.14 (001) -.09 (05)
		T4 tau = -.13 (001) -.17 (001) -.11 (01)
		T1:1966, T2:1968, T3:1969, T4:1970, T5:1974

Correlational finding on Happiness and Later political behavior

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Sample:

Non-Response: 2.8% at T1, 17.2% at T2, 21.0% at T3, 28.9% at T4, 28.5% at T5

N: 2213

Correlate

Authors label: Prefer more military influence (1)

Our classification: Later political behavior, code P8.1.4

Measurement: A mean of two items concerning military influence and expenditure on the military. Scale: 1.00 = military has far too much influence, or U.S. spends far too much, to 5.00 = military has far too little influence, or U.S. spend far too little. Assessed at T3 and T5

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
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[O-HP/g/mq/v/5/a](#)[tau=+](#)

Happiness	Prefer more military influence	
	T3	T5
T1	tau = +.05 (ns)	+.03 (ns)
T2	tau = +.08 (05)	+.05 (ns)
T3	tau = +.08 (05)	+.02 (ns)
T4	tau = +.08 (05)	+.04 (ns)
T1:1966, T2: 1968, T3:1969, T4:1970, T5:1974		

Correlational finding on Happiness and Current political behavior

Subject code: P8.2

Study

CHAMB 2000

Reported in: Chambers, C.
Americans are Overwhelmingly Happy and Optimistic about the Future of the United States.
Gallup Poll News Service, 13 October 2000, The Gallup Organization, Washington DC, USA
Page in Report: 4

Population: 18+ aged, USA, 2000

Sample: Probability simple random sample

Non-Response:

N: 1052

Correlate

Authors label: Political ideology

Our classification: Current political behavior, code P8.2

Measurement: Political ideology
a: conservative
b: liberal
c: moderate

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
O-HL/g/sq/v/3/c	D%=	% very happy
	a: conservative	48%
	b: liberal	47%
	c: moderate	46%

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study

BACHM 1970

Reported in: Bachman, J.G.; Kahn, R.L.; Mednick, M.; Davidson, T.N.
Youth in Transition. Vol.II: The Impact of Family Background on Intelligence in 10th-Grade Boy.
Institute for Social Research, 1970, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, USA
Page in Report: 243

Population: Public highschool boys followed 3 years from grade 10, USA, 1966-69

Sample:

Non-Response: 2.8% incomplete information in 1966

N: 1799

Correlate

Authors label: Political knowledge (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: 4-item index of open-ended questions on names of politicians.

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure

Statistics

Elaboration/Remarks

O-HP/g/mq/v/5/a

r=+.06 ns

Both variables assessed at T1.

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Population: Public highschool boys followed 8 years from grade 10, USA, 1966-74

Sample:

Non-Response: 2.8% at T1, 17.2% at T2, 21.0% at T3, 28.9% at T4, 28.5% at T5

N: 1628

Correlate

Authors label: Interest in government (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Simple direct question at T1, T2, T3, T4 and T5: 'Some people think about what's going on in government very often, and others are not that interested. How much of an interest do you take in government and current events?' 1 = no interest at all;
2 = very little interest; 3 = some interest; 4 = a lot of interest;
5 = a very great interest

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks					
<u>O-HP/g/mq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tau=+</u>	Interest in government Political concern					
		T1	T2	T3	T4	T5	
		Happiness					
		T1	.15(001)	.11(01)	.10(01)	.10(01)	.06(ns)
		T2	.08(05)	.14(001)	.14(001)	.13(001)	.10(01)
		T3	.09(05)	.11(01)	.12(001)	.13(001)	.11(01)
		T4	.08(05)	.10(01)	.09(05)	.13(001)	.09(01)
		All tau's positive					
		T1:1966, T2:1968, T3: 1969, T4:1970, T5:1974					

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study	CANTR 1965/1
<i>Reported in:</i>	Cantril, H. The Pattern of Human Concern. Rutgers University Press, 1965, New Brunswick, New Jersey, USA Page in Report: 263
<i>Population:</i>	Adults, general public, 14 countries ±1960
<i>Sample:</i>	
<i>Non-Response:</i>	-
<i>N:</i>	18653

Correlate

Authors label: Report of personal hopes concerning political situation (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Content analysis of responses on open-ended question on personal wishes and hopes for the future. Responses rated as concerning freedom and other aspirations having to do with the political situation.

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
C-BW/c/sq/l/11/a	G=+.07 ns	

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern Subject code: P8.2.1

Study CANTR 1965/1

Reported in: Cantril, H.
The Pattern of Human Concern.
Rutgers University Press, 1965, New Brunswick, New Jersey, USA
Page in Report: 263

Population: Adults, general public, 14 countries ±1960

Sample:

Non-Response: -

N: 18653

Correlate

Authors label: Report of personal fears concerning political situation (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Content analysis of responses on open-ended question on personal worries and fears for the future. Responses rated as concerning lack of freedom; political instability; no improvement in present government; etc.

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
C-BW/c/sq/l/11/a	G=+.22 p<. 01	

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study CANTR 1965/1

Reported in: Cantril, H.
The Pattern of Human Concern.
Rutgers University Press, 1965, New Brunswick, New Jersey, USA
Page in Report: 263

Population: Adults, general public, 14 countries ±1960

Sample:

Non-Response: -

N: 18653

Correlate

Authors label: Report of national hopes concerning political situation (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Content analysis of responses open- ended question on wishes and hopes for the future of one's country. Responses rated as concerning honest, efficient, balanced, democratic or representative, socialistic government; freedom; law and order; national unity; political stability, internal peace and order; etc.

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
C-BW/c/sq/l/11/a	G=-.05 ns	U-shaped curve: moderately happy people being least concerned with politics.

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Population: Adults, general public, 14 countries ±1960

Sample:

Non-Response: -

N: 18653

Correlate

Authors label: Report of national fears concerning political situation (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Content analysis of responses on open-ended question on fears and worries for the future of one's country. Responses rated as concerning dishonest government; inefficient government; communism; no democracy or representative government; fear country will become socialistic; lack or loss of freedom; lack of law and order; disunity among people of the nation; political instability, chaos, civil war; high or increased taxes; etc.

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
C-BW/c/sq/l/11/a	G=-.04 p<.01	U-shaped curve: moderately happy people being least concerned with politics.

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

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Study

CANTR 1965/1

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Rutgers University Press, 1965, New Brunswick, New Jersey, USA
Page in Report: 263

Population: Adults, general public, 14 countries ±1960

Sample:

Non-Response: -

N: 18653

Correlate

Authors label: Report of personal hopes concerning social situation (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Content analysis of responses on open- ended question on personal wishes and hopes for the future. Responses rated as concerning social justice; future generation; social security; etc.

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>C-BW/c/sq/l/11/a</u>	<u>G=+.06</u> <u>p<. 05</u>	

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern Subject code: P8.2.1

Study CANTR 1965/1

Reported in: Cantril, H.
The Pattern of Human Concern.
Rutgers University Press, 1965, New Brunswick, New Jersey, USA
Page in Report: 263

Population: Adults, general public, 14 countries ±1960

Sample:

Non-Response: -

N: 18653

Correlate

Authors label: Report of personal fears concerning social situation (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Content analysis of responses on open- ended question on personal worries and fears for the future. Responses rated as concerning social injustice; future generations; no social security; etc.

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>C-BW/c/sq/l/11/a</u>	<u>G=+.27</u> <u>p<. 01</u>	

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

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Study CANTR 1965/1

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Rutgers University Press, 1965, New Brunswick, New Jersey, USA
Page in Report: 263

Population: Adults, general public, 14 countries \pm 1960

Sample:

Non-Response: -

N: 18653

Correlate

Authors label: Report of national hopes concerning social situation (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Content analysis of responses on open- ended question on wishes and hopes for the future of one's country. Responses rated as concerning social justice; eliminate discrimination, prejudice or exploitation; education; improved labor conditions; control of labor; social security; housing; agrarian reform; public health; limited population growth; sense of social and political responsibility and awareness; morality, ethical standards, religion; etc.

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
C-BW/c/sq/l/11/a	G=+.17 p<. 01	

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

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Population: Adults, general public, 14 countries \pm 1960

*Sample:**Non-Response:* -*N:* 18653

Correlate

Authors label: Report of national fears concerning social situation (1)*Our classification:* Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Content analysis of responses on open- ended question on fears and worries for the future of one's country. Responses rated as concerning social injustice; continued discrimination, prejudice or exploitation; inadequate educational facilities and schooling; poor and un- fair working conditions; abuses by la- bor; unlimited population growth; no sense of social and political responsi- bility or awareness; lack of morality, ethical standards, religion; too much mechanization and standardization, ma- terialism, conformity, etc.

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
C-BW/c/sq/l/11/a	G=+.11 p<. 01	

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Rutgers University Press, 1965, New Brunswick, New Jersey, USA
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Population: Adults, general public, 14 countries ±1960*Sample:**Non-Response:* -*N:* 18653

Correlate

Authors label: Report of personal hopes concerning in-ternational situat. (1)*Our classification:* Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Content analysis of responses on open- ended question on personal wishes and hopes for the future. Responses rated as concerning peace; a better world; etc.

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>C-BW/c/sq/l/11/a</u>	<u>G=+.44</u> <u>p<. 05</u>	

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Sample:

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Correlate

Authors label: Report of personal fears concerning in-ternational situat. (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Content analysis of responses on open- ended question on personal worries and fears for the future. Responses rated as concerning war; militarism and arma- ments; misuse of nuclear energy; threat, aggression, domination by a communist power, etc.

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>C-BW/c/sq/l/11/a</u>	<u>G=+.47</u> <u>p<. 01</u>	

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Authors label: Report of national hopes concerning in-ternational situat. (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Content analysis of responses on open- ended question on wishes and hopes for the future of one's country. Responses rated as concerning peace; disarmament, limitation of armaments, control or banning of nuclear weapons; lessening of cold war; better relations with communist bloc; friendly relations with all countries; better world; maintain neutrality; help other nations; increased foreign trade or exports; etc.

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
C-BW/c/sq/l/11/a	G=+.47 p<. 01	

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study CANTR 1965/1

Reported in: Cantril, H.
The Pattern of Human Concern.
Rutgers University Press, 1965, New Brunswick, New Jersey, USA
Page in Report: 263

Population: Adults, general public, 14 countries ±1960

Sample:

Non-Response: -

N: 18653

Correlate

Authors label: Report of national fears concerning in-ternational situat. (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Content analysis of responses on open- ended question on fears and worries for the future of one's country. Responses rated as concerning war; continued ar- mament, no control oor banning of nu- clear weapons; no lessening of cold war; isolation from other nations; in- ability to maintain neutrality, etc.

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
C-BW/c/sq/l/11/a	G=+.29 p<. 01	

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern Subject code: P8.2.1

Study CANTR 1965/1

Reported in: Cantril, H.
The Pattern of Human Concern.
Rutgers University Press, 1965, New Brunswick, New Jersey, USA
Page in Report: 263

Population: Adults, general public, 14 countries ±1960

Sample:

Non-Response: -

N: 18653

Correlate

Authors label: Report of national hopes concerning economic situation (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Content analysis of responses on open- ended question on wishes and hopes for the future of one's country. Responses rated as concerning improved or decent standard of living; technological advances, greater productivity; economic stability; employment; etc.

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
C-BW/c/sq/l/11/a	G=-.10 p<.05	

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study CANTR 1965/1

Reported in: Cantril, H.
The Pattern of Human Concern.
Rutgers University Press, 1965, New Brunswick, New Jersey, USA
Page in Report: 263

Population: Adults, general public, 14 countries ±1960

Sample:

Non-Response: -

N: 18653

Correlate

Authors label: Report of national fears concerning economic situation (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Content analysis of responses on open- ended question on fears and worries for the future of one's country. Responses rated as concerning no improvement in or inadequate standard of living; no technological advance, economic backwardness, low productivity, failure to preserve present standard of living, economic instability; unemployment; etc.

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
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[C-BW/c/sq/l/11/a](#)[G=-.08 p<.01](#)

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study CANTR 1965/1

Reported in: Cantril, H.
The Pattern of Human Concern.
Rutgers University Press, 1965, New Brunswick, New Jersey, USA
Page in Report: 263

Population: Adults, general public, 14 countries ±1960

Sample:

Non-Response: -

N: 18653

Correlate

Authors label: Report of national hopes concerning independent status (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Content analysis of responses on open- ended question on wishes and hopes for the future of one's country. Responses rated as concerning military strength; maintain or attain the position of a world power; enhancement of status and importance of the nation; exert ideological or moral leadership; national independence; etc.

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
C-BW/c/sq/l/11/a	G=+.26 p<. 01	

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study CANTR 1965/1

Reported in: Cantril, H.
The Pattern of Human Concern.
Rutgers University Press, 1965, New Brunswick, New Jersey, USA
Page in Report: 263

Population: Adults, general public, 14 countries ±1960

Sample:

Non-Response: -

N: 18653

Correlate

Authors label: Report of national fears concerning independent status (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Content analysis of responses on open- ended question on fears and worries for the future of one's country. Responses rated as concerning not to maintain or attain the position of a world power; lose or have no status or importance; failure to exert ideological or moral leadership; lack or loss of national independence; threat, aggression, domination by a communistic power of any foreign power, etc.

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
C-BW/c/sq/l/11/a	G=+.11 p<. 01	

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study SYMON 1937

Reported in: Symonds, P.M.
Happiness as Related to Problems and Interests.
Journal of Educational Psychology, 1937, Vol. 28, 290 - 294
Page in Report: 292

Population: High school pupils and college students, USA, 193?

Sample:

Non-Response: -

N: 1651

Correlate

Authors label: Being interested in civic interests (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Closed question

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
A-CP/g/sq/v/7/a	SNR= + p<. s	College students only: L-shaped curve: stronger among unhappier students
A-CP/g/sq/v/7/a	DM=+ p<.s	College students only: L-shaped curve: stronger among unhappier students

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study SYMON 1937

Reported in: Symonds, P.M.
Happiness as Related to Problems and Interests.
Journal of Educational Psychology, 1937, Vol. 28, 290 - 294
Page in Report: 292

Population: High school pupils and college students, USA, 193?

Sample:

Non-Response: -

N: 1651

Correlate

Authors label: Having problems withcivic interests (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Closed question

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
A-CP/g/sq/v/7/a	SNR= +	Graduate students only: L-shaped curve: significant positive relationship among happier students only

[A-CP/g/sq/v/7/a](#)[DM=+](#)

Graduate students only: L-shaped curve:
significant positive relationship among happier
students only

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study

TIMME 1997/1

Reported in: Timmermans, D.

Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.

Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands
Page in Report:

Population: 18+ aged, general public, France, 1990

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1002

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

- 1 Not at all interested
- 2 Not very interested
- 3 Somewhat interested
- 4 Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks		
A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a	DM=+	1	M=1.08	Mt=6.1
		2	M=1.37	Mt=6.4
		3	M=1.41	Mt=6.4
		4	M=2.00	Mt=7.0
O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a	DM=+	1	M=3.15	Mt=7.2
		2	M=3.19	Mt=7.3
		3	M=3.15	Mt=7.2
		4	M=3.25	Mt=7.5

<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=6.73	Mt=6.4
		2	M=6.83	Mt=6.5
		3	M=6.79	Mt=6.4
		4	M=6.89	Mt=6.5
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.02 ns</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.02 ns</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.11</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.09</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.01 ns</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.01 ns</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=-.04</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income		
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>Beta=-.02</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income		
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.07</u> <u>p<.001</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income		

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study

TIMME 1997/10

Reported in: Timmermans, D.
Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.
Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands
Page in Report:

Population: 18+ aged, general public, N. Ireland, 1990

Sample: Non-probability accidental sample

Non-Response:

N: 304

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

- 1 Not at all interested
- 2 Not very interested
- 3 Somewhat interested
- 4 Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>		
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=3.30	Mt=7.7
		2	M=3.35	Mt=7.8
		3	M=3.24	Mt=7.5
		4	M=3.15	Mt=7.2
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.86	Mt=7.6
		2	M=7.91	Mt=7.7
		3	M=8.03	Mt=7.8
		4	M=7.44	Mt=7.2
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=1.28	Mt=6.3
		2	M=1.55	Mt=6.6
		3	M=2.11	Mt=7.1
		4	M=2.48	Mt=7.5
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=6.57	Mt=6.2
		2	M=6.96	Mt=6.6
		3	M=7.30	Mt=7.0
		4	M=7.52	Mt=7.2
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M= .17	Mt=5.2
		2	M=1.02	Mt=6.0
		3	M=1.57	Mt=6.6
		4	M=1.96	Mt=7.0
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=2.87	Mt=6.2
		2	M=2.99	Mt=6.6
		3	M=3.04	Mt=6.8
		4	M=3.11	Mt=7.0
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=-.07 ns</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.22</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.11</u> <u>p<.001</u>			

<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.14</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=-.02 ns</u>	
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.19</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.17</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=-.04 ns</u>	
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.09</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.10</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.00 ns</u>	
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.14</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=+.14</u> <u>p<.001</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.19</u> <u>p<.001</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.11</u> <u>p<.001</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=-.00</u> <u>ns</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>Beta=-.02</u> <u>ns</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.17</u> <u>p<.01</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study TIMME 1997/11

Reported in: Timmermans, D.
Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.
Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands
Page in Report:

Population: 18+ aged, general public, USA, 1990

Sample:

*Non-Response:**N:* 1839**Correlate***Authors label:* Political concern (1)*Our classification:* Political concern, code P8.2.1*Measurement:* Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

- 1 Not at all interested
- 2 Not very interested
- 3 Somewhat interested
- 4 Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>		
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=3.19	Mt=7.3
		2	M=3.24	Mt=7.5
		3	M=3.28	Mt=7.6
		4	M=3.42	Mt=8.1
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.26	Mt=7.0
		2	M=7.69	Mt=7.4
		3	M=7.82	Mt=7.6
		4	M=7.82	Mt=7.6
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=1.59	Mt=6.6
		2	M=2.09	Mt=7.1
		3	M=2.41	Mt=7.4
		4	M=2.45	Mt=7.4
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=1.16	Mt=6.2
		2	M=1.57	Mt=6.6
		3	M=1.89	Mt=6.9
		4	M=1.99	Mt=7.0
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=3.19	Mt=7.3
		2	M=3.24	Mt=7.5
		3	M=3.28	Mt=7.6
		4	M=3.42	Mt=8.1

<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.34	Mt=7.0
		2	M=7.54	Mt=7.3
		3	M=7.46	Mt=7.2
		4	M=7.53	Mt=7.3
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=3.25	Mt=7.5
		2	M=3.27	Mt=7.6
		3	M=3.29	Mt=7.6
		4	M=3.31	Mt=7.7
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=1.16	Mt=6.2
		2	M=1.57	Mt=6.6
		3	M=1.89	Mt=6.9
		4	M=1.99	Mt=7.0
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.34	Mt=7.0
		2	M=7.54	Mt=7.3
		3	M=7.46	Mt=7.2
		4	M=7.53	Mt=7.3
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=1.59	Mt=6.6
		2	M=2.09	Mt=7.1
		3	M=2.41	Mt=7.4
		4	M=2.45	Mt=7.4
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.26	Mt=7.0
		2	M=7.69	Mt=7.4
		3	M=7.82	Mt=7.6
		4	M=7.82	Mt=7.6
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=3.25	Mt=7.5
		2	M=3.27	Mt=7.6
		3	M=3.29	Mt=7.6
		4	M=3.31	Mt=7.7
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.09</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.13</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.09</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.09</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.13</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.02 ns</u>			

<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.14</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.03 ns</u>	
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.09</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.14</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.02 ns</u>	
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.03 ns</u>	
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.09</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.04</u> <u>p<.05</u>	
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.01 ns</u>	
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.11</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.06</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.10</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.11</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.04</u> <u>p<.05</u>	
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.01 ns</u>	
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.09</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.10</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.06</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.06</u> <u>p<.01</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.11</u> <u>p<.001</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=+.05</u> <u>p<.05</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa	Beta=+.01	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income ns
O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a	Beta=-.01	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income ns
A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a	Beta=+.12	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income p<.001
O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a	Beta=-.01	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income ns
A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a	Beta=+.12	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income p<.001
O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa	Beta=+.01	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income ns
A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a	Beta=+.11	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income p<.001
O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa	Beta=+.05	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income p<.05
O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a	Beta=+.06	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income p<.01

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study

TIMME 1997/12

Reported in: Timmermans, D.

Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.

Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands

Page in Report:

Population: 18+ aged, general public, Canada, 1990

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1730

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

- 1 Not at all interested
- 2 Not very interested
- 3 Somewhat interested
- 4 Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>		
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.77	Mt=7.5
		2	M=7.88	Mt=7.6
		3	M=7.94	Mt=7.7
		4	M=7.88	Mt=7.6
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=1.99	Mt=7.0
		2	M=2.31	Mt=7.3
		3	M=2.38	Mt=7.4
		4	M=2.44	Mt=7.4
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=3.23	Mt=7.4
		2	M=3.11	Mt=7.0
		3	M=2.98	Mt=6.6
		4	M=2.94	Mt=6.5
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.07</u> <u>p<.01</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.02 ns</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=-.12</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=-.00 ns</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=-.10</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.05</u> <u>p<.01</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>Beta=-.13</u> <u>p<.001</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income		
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=-.02</u> <u>ns</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income		
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.03</u> <u>ns</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income		

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study TIMME 1997/13

Reported in: Timmermans, D.

Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.

Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands

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Population: 18+ aged, general public, Japan, 1990*Sample:**Non-Response:**N:* 1011

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)*Our classification:* Political concern, code P8.2.1*Measurement:* Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

- 1 Not at all interested
- 2 Not very interested
- 3 Somewhat interested
- 4 Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks		
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=</u>	1	M=-.08	Mt=4.9
		2	M=.20	Mt=5.2
		3	M=.53	Mt=5.5
		4	M=.69	Mt=5.7
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=2.96	Mt=6.5
		2	M=2.97	Mt=6.6
		3	M=3.02	Mt=6.7
		4	M=3.09	Mt=7.0
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=1.05	Mt=6.1
		2	M=1.20	Mt=6.2
		3	M=1.37	Mt=6.4
		4	M=1.66	Mt=6.7

<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.23	Mt=6.9
		2	M=7.32	Mt=7.0
		3	M=7.34	Mt=7.0
		4	M=7.15	Mt=6.8
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=5.86	Mt=5.4
		2	M=6.41	Mt=6.0
		3	M=6.57	Mt=6.2
		4	M=6.87	Mt=6.5
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=2.85	Mt=6.2
		2	M=2.97	Mt=6.6
		3	M=3.00	Mt=6.7
		4	M=3.09	Mt=7.0
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.10</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.07</u> <u>p<.01</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.00 ns</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.09</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.06</u> <u>p<.01</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.13</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.10</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.04</u> <u>p<.05</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.06</u> <u>p<.01</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.08</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=-.00 ns</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.08</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=-.03</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age,		
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.05</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age,		

<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.09</u> <u>p<.001</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=+.10</u> <u>p<.001</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.12</u> <u>p<.001</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.04</u> <u>ns</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern
Subject code: P8.2.1

Study	TIMME 1997/14
Reported in:	Timmermans, D. Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991. Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands Page in Report:
Population:	18+ aged, general public, Mexico, 1990
Sample:	
Non-Response:	
N:	1531

Correlate

Authors label:	Political concern (1)
Our classification:	Political concern, code P8.2.1
Measurement:	Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?" 1 Not at all interested 2 Not very interested 3 Somewhat interested 4 Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1 M=2.82 Mt=6.1 2 M=2.96 Mt=6.5 3 M=2.97 Mt=6.6 4 M=3.20 Mt=7.3

<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M= .90	Mt=5.9
		2	M=1.49	Mt=6.5
		3	M=1.49	Mt=6.5
		4	M=2.11	Mt=7.1

<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.17	Mt=6.9
		2	M=7.50	Mt=7.2
		3	M=7.47	Mt=7.2
		4	M=7.71	Mt=7.5

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a r=+.11
p<.001

A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a r=+.15
p<.001

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa r=+.06
p<.05

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa tc=+.04
p<.05

A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a tc=+.11
p<.001

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a tb=+.09
p<.001

A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a Beta=+.14 β controlled for sex, age, and household income
p<.001

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a Beta=+.09 β controlled for sex, age, and household income
p<.001

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa Beta=+.06 β controlled for sex, age, and household income
p<.05

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study **TIMME 1997/15**

Reported in: Timmermans, D.

Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.

Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands

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Population: 18+ aged, general public, South Africa, 1990

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 2736

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

- 1 Not at all interested
- 2 Not very interested
- 3 Somewhat interested
- 4 Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks		
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=6.04	Mt=5.6
		2	M=6.03	Mt=5.6
		3	M=6.42	Mt=6.0
		4	M=6.29	Mt=5.9
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M= .45	Mt=5.5
		2	M= .87	Mt=5.9
		3	M=1.63	Mt=6.6
		4	M=1.65	Mt=6.6
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=2.77	Mt=5.9
		2	M=2.77	Mt=5.9
		3	M=2.90	Mt=6.3
		4	M=2.82	Mt=6.1
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.18</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.04 ns</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.04 ns</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.04</u> <u>p<.05</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.15</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.03 ns</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.11</u> <u>p<.001</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income		
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=-.03</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income		

[O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a](#)[Beta=-.02](#)
[ns](#) β controlled for sex, age, and household income

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study

TIMME 1997/16

Reported in: Timmermans, D.

Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.

Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands

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Population: 18+ aged, general public, Hungary, 1990*Sample:**Non-Response:*

N: 999

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)*Our classification:* Political concern, code P8.2.1*Measurement:* Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

- 1 Not at all interested
- 2 Not very interested
- 3 Somewhat interested
- 4 Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure

*Statistics**Elaboration/Remarks*[A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a](#)[DM=+](#)

1	M= .25	Mt=5.2
2	M= .83	Mt=5.8
3	M=1.09	Mt=6.1
4	M=1.27	Mt=6.3

[O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa](#)[DM=+](#)

1	M=5.57	Mt=5.1
2	M=6.23	Mt=5.8
3	M=6.10	Mt=5.7
4	M=6.15	Mt=5.7

<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=2.54	Mt=5.1
		2	M=2.75	Mt=5.8
		3	M=2.77	Mt=5.9
		4	M=2.78	Mt=5.9

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a r=+.10
p<.01

A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a r=+.19
p<.001

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa r=+.07
p<.05

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa tc=+.05
p<.05

A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a tc=+.15
p<.001

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a tb=+.08
p<.01

A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a Beta=+.13 ß controlled for sex, age, and household income
p<.001

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa Beta=+.02 ß controlled for sex, age, and household income
ns

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a Beta=+.05 ß controlled for sex, age, and household income
ns

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study **TIMME 1997/17**

Reported in: Timmermans, D.
 Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.
 Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands
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Population: 18+ aged, general public, Portugal, 1990

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1185

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

- 1 Not at all interested
- 2 Not very interested
- 3 Somewhat interested
- 4 Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>		
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=1.09	Mt=6.1
		2	M=1.37	Mt=6.4
		3	M=1.61	Mt=6.4
		4	M=1.59	Mt=6.6
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=2.81	Mt=6.0
		2	M=2.79	Mt=6.0
		3	M=2.89	Mt=6.3
		4	M=2.97	Mt=6.6
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.11	Mt=6.8
		2	M=6.99	Mt=6.7
		3	M=7.05	Mt=6.7
		4	M=7.33	Mt=7.0
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.11</u> <u>p<.05</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.00 ns</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.07 ns</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.10</u> <u>p<.01</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.05 ns</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=-.02 ns</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.02</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income		
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.06</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income		
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=-.02</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income		

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study TIMME 1997/18

Reported in: Timmermans, D.

Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.

Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands

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Population: 18+ aged, general public, Norway, 1990*Sample:**Non-Response:**N:* 1239

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)*Our classification:* Political concern, code P8.2.1*Measurement:* Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

1 Not at all interested

2 Not very interested

3 Somewhat interested

4 Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks		
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=1.62	Mt=6.6
		2	M=2.25	Mt=7.2
		3	M=2.36	Mt=7.4
		4	M=2.60	Mt=7.6
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=3.25	Mt=7.5
		2	M=3.27	Mt=7.6
		3	M=3.29	Mt=7.6
		4	M=3.31	Mt=7.7
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.34	Mt=7.0
		2	M=7.54	Mt=7.3
		3	M=7.46	Mt=7.2
		4	M=7.53	Mt=7.3

<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.55	Mt=7.3
		2	M=7.95	Mt=7.7
		3	M=7.65	Mt=7.4
		4	M=7.47	Mt=7.2

<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=3.27	Mt=7.6
		2	M=3.23	Mt=7.4
		3	M=3.23	Mt=7.4
		4	M=3.18	Mt=7.3

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a r=+.03 ns

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa r=+.02 ns

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa r=-.06
p<.05

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a r=-.03 ns

A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a r=+.10
p<.001

A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a tc=+.08
p<.001

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa tc=-.06
p<.01

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a tb=+.04
p<.05

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a tb=-.04 ns

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa tc=+.01 ns

A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a Beta=+.08
p<.05

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa Beta=-.06 ns β controlled for sex, age, and household income

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a Beta=-.01 ns β controlled for sex, age, and household income

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a Beta=-.05 ns β controlled for sex, age, and household income

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa Beta=+.01 ns β controlled for sex, age, and household income

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern
Subject code: P8.2.1

Study

TIMME 1997/19

Reported in: Timmermans, D.
Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.
Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands
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Population: 18+ aged, general public, Sweden, 1990

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1047

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"
1 Not at all interested
2 Not very interested
3 Somewhat interested
4 Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks		
O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a	DM=+	1	M=3.36	Mt=7.9
		2	M=3.37	Mt=7.9
		3	M=3.37	Mt=7.9
		4	M=3.34	Mt=7.8
A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a	DM=+	1	M=2.75	Mt=7.8
		2	M=2.85	Mt=7.9
		3	M=2.98	Mt=8.0
		4	M=2.97	Mt=8.0
A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a	DM=+	1	M= .17	Mt=5.2
		2	M=1.02	Mt=6.0
		3	M=1.57	Mt=6.6
		4	M=1.96	Mt=7.0
O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a	DM=+	1	M=2.87	Mt=6.2
		2	M=2.99	Mt=6.6
		3	M=3.04	Mt=6.8
		4	M=3.11	Mt=7.0

<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=8.11	Mt=7.9
		2	M=8.09	Mt=7.9
		3	M=7.85	Mt=7.6
		4	M=7.79	Mt=7.5

<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=6.57	Mt=6.2
		2	M=6.96	Mt=6.6
		3	M=7.30	Mt=7.0
		4	M=7.52	Mt=7.2

A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a r=+.04 ns

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a r=+.11
p<.001

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a r=-.01 ns

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa r=-.08
p<.05

A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a r=+.22
p<.001

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa r=+.14
p<.001

A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a tc=+.04
p<.05

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a tb=-.01 ns

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa tc=-.07
p<.01

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a tb=+.10
p<.001

A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a tc=+.17
p<.001

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa tc=+.09
p<.001

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa Beta=-.08 ß controlled for sex, age, and household income
p<.05

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a Beta=-.00 ß controlled for sex, age, and household income
ns

A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a Beta=+.00 ß controlled for sex, age, and household income
ns

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a Beta=+.11 ß controlled for sex, age, and household income
p<.001

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa	Beta=+.14 p<.001	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a	Beta=+.19 p<.001	β controlled for sex, age, and household income

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study TIMME 1997/2

Reported in: Timmermans, D.
Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.
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Population: 18+ aged, general public, Britain, 1990

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1484

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

1	Not at all interested
2	Not very interested
3	Somewhat interested
4	Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks		
O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a	DM=+	1	M=3.25	Mt=7.5
		2	M=3.27	Mt=7.6
		3	M=3.29	Mt=7.6
		4	M=3.31	Mt=7.7
A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a	DM=+	1	M=1.16	Mt=6.2
		2	M=1.57	Mt=6.6
		3	M=1.89	Mt=6.9
		4	M=1.99	Mt=7.0

<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.34	Mt=7.0
		2	M=7.54	Mt=7.3
		3	M=7.46	Mt=7.2
		4	M=7.53	Mt=7.3
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.34	Mt=7.0
		2	M=7.54	Mt=7.3
		3	M=7.46	Mt=7.2
		4	M=7.53	Mt=7.3
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=3.25	Mt=7.5
		2	M=3.27	Mt=7.6
		3	M=3.29	Mt=7.6
		4	M=3.31	Mt=7.7
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=1.16	Mt=6.2
		2	M=1.57	Mt=6.6
		3	M=1.89	Mt=6.9
		4	M=1.99	Mt=7.0
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.14</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.03 ns</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.02 ns</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.02 ns</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.03 ns</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.14</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.01 ns</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.11</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.04</u> <u>p<.05</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.11</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.04</u> <u>p<.05</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.01 ns</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.12</u> <u>p<.001</u>	β controlled for sex, age,		
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=+.01</u> <u>ns</u>	β controlled for sex, age,		

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a	Beta=-.01	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income ns
A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a	Beta=+.12	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income p<.001
O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a	Beta=-.01	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income ns
O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa	Beta=+.01	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income ns

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study TIMME 1997/21

Reported in: Timmermans, D.
Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.
Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands
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Population: 18+ aged, general public, Iceland 1990

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 702

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

- 1 Not at all interested
- 2 Not very interested
- 3 Somewhat interested
- 4 Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>		
O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a	DM=+	1	M=3.33	Mt=7.8
		2	M=3.35	Mt=7.8
		3	M=3.43	Mt=8.1
		4	M=3.40	Mt=8.0

<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=8.10	Mt=7.9
		2	M=8.02	Mt=7.8
		3	M=8.05	Mt=7.8
		4	M=7.83	Mt=7.6

<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=2.13	Mt=7.1
		2	M=2.53	Mt=7.5
		3	M=2.62	Mt=7.6
		4	M=2.70	Mt=7.7

A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a r=+.08
p<.05

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa r=-.03 ns

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a r=+.06 ns

A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a tc=+.07
p<.05

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa tc=-.02 ns

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a tb=+.05 ns

A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a Beta=+.09 β controlled for sex and age
p<.05

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa Beta=-.02 β controlled for sex and age
ns

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a Beta=+.07 β controlled for sex and age
ns

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study **TIMME 1997/22**

Reported in: Timmermans, D.
 Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.
 Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands
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Population: 18+ aged, general public, Argentina, 1990

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1002

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

- 1 Not at all interested
- 2 Not very interested
- 3 Somewhat interested
- 4 Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>		
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=1.00	Mt=6.0
		2	M=1.54	Mt=6.5
		3	M=1.39	Mt=6.4
		4	M=1.48	Mt=6.5
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=3.06	Mt=6.9
		2	M=3.13	Mt=7.1
		3	M=3.05	Mt=6.8
		4	M=2.97	Mt=6.6
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.27	Mt=7.0
		2	M=7.30	Mt=7.0
		3	M=7.21	Mt=6.9
		4	M=7.08	Mt=6.8
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=-.02 ns</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=-.02 ns</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.09</u> <u>p<.01</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=-.02 ns</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.08</u> <u>p<.01</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=-.03 ns</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.06</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income		
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=-.04</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income		
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>Beta=-.03</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income		

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study TIMME 1997/23

Reported in: Timmermans, D.

Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.

Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands

Page in Report:

Population: 18+ aged, general public, Finland, 1990*Sample:**Non-Response:**N:* 588

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)*Our classification:* Political concern, code P8.2.1*Measurement:* Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

- 1 Not at all interested
- 2 Not very interested
- 3 Somewhat interested
- 4 Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>		
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=1.16	Mt=6.2
		2	M=1.57	Mt=6.6
		3	M=1.89	Mt=6.9
		4	M=1.99	Mt=7.0
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=1.14	Mt=6.1
		2	M=1.41	Mt=6.4
		3	M= .94	Mt=5.9
		4	M=1.38	Mt=6.4
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.34	Mt=7.0
		2	M=7.54	Mt=7.3
		3	M=7.46	Mt=7.2
		4	M=7.53	Mt=7.3

<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=3.25	Mt=7.5
		2	M=3.27	Mt=7.6
		3	M=3.29	Mt=7.6
		4	M=3.31	Mt=7.7
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=2.99	Mt=6.6
		2	M=3.17	Mt=7.2
		3	M=3.04	Mt=6.8
		4	M=3.11	Mt=7.0
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.48	Mt=7.2
		2	M=7.94	Mt=7.7
		3	M=7.54	Mt=7.3
		4	M=7.66	Mt=7.4
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=-.02 ns</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.03 ns</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.01 ns</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=-.02 ns</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.02 ns</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.14</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.04</u> <u>p<.05</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=-.03 ns</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.01 ns</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.11</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=-.01 ns</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=-.02 ns</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>Beta=-.01</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income		
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=+.01</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income		
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=-.01</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income		
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.12</u> <u>p<.001</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income		
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.03</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income		

[A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a](#)[Beta=-.03](#)[ns](#)

ß controlled for sex, age, and household income

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study

TIMME 1997/24

Reported in: Timmermans, D.

Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.

Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands

Page in Report:

Population: 18+ aged, general public, South Korea, 1990*Sample:**Non-Response:**N:* 1251

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)*Our classification:* Political concern, code P8.2.1*Measurement:* Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

- 1 Not at all interested
- 2 Not very interested
- 3 Somewhat interested
- 4 Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks		
O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a	DM=+	1	M=2.60	Mt=5.3
		2	M=2.85	Mt=6.2
		3	M=2.91	Mt=6.4
		4	M=2.78	Mt=6.0
O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa	DM=+	1	M=5.70	Mt=5.2
		2	M=6.76	Mt=6.4
		3	M=6.84	Mt=6.5
		4	M=6.34	Mt=5.9
O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa	r=+.01 ns			
O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a	r=+.02 ns			

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa	tc=-.02 ns	
O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a	tb=+.01 ns	
O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a	Beta=+.02 ns	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa	Beta=0 ns	β controlled for sex, age, and household income

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study

TIMME 1997/25

Reported in: Timmermans, D.
Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.
Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands
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Population: 18+ aged, general public, Poland, 1990

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 938

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

1	Not at all interested
2	Not very interested
3	Somewhat interested
4	Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>		
O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa	DM=+	1	M=6.69	Mt=6.3
		2	M=6.56	Mt=6.2
		3	M=6.71	Mt=6.3
		4	M=6.56	Mt=6.2

<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=1.01	Mt=6.0
		2	M=1.43	Mt=6.4
		3	M=1.68	Mt=6.7
		4	M=1.47	Mt=6.5
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=2.90	Mt=6.3
		2	M=2.96	Mt=6.5
		3	M=3.00	Mt=6.7
		4	M=2.99	Mt=6.6
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.06 ns</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=-.01 ns</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.10</u> <u>p<.05</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.07</u> <u>p<.05</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=-.01 ns</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.04 ns</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.09</u> <u>p<.05</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income		
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=-.02</u> <u>ns</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income		
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.04</u> <u>ns</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income		

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study TIMME 1997/26

Reported in: Timmermans, D.
Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.
Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands
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Population: 18+ aged, general public, Switzerland, 1990

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1400

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

- 1 Not at all interested
- 2 Not very interested
- 3 Somewhat interested
- 4 Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>		
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.34	Mt=7.0
		2	M=7.54	Mt=7.3
		3	M=7.46	Mt=7.2
		4	M=7.53	Mt=7.3
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=3.19	Mt=7.3
		2	M=3.24	Mt=7.5
		3	M=3.28	Mt=7.6
		4	M=3.42	Mt=8.1
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.34	Mt=7.0
		2	M=7.54	Mt=7.3
		3	M=7.46	Mt=7.2
		4	M=7.53	Mt=7.3
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.26	Mt=7.0
		2	M=7.69	Mt=7.4
		3	M=7.82	Mt=7.6
		4	M=7.82	Mt=7.6
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=3.26	Mt=7.5
		2	M=3.31	Mt=7.7
		3	M=3.27	Mt=7.6
		4	M=3.33	Mt=7.8
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=3.25	Mt=7.5
		2	M=3.27	Mt=7.6
		3	M=3.29	Mt=7.6
		4	M=3.31	Mt=7.7
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=3.25	Mt=7.5
		2	M=3.27	Mt=7.6
		3	M=3.29	Mt=7.6
		4	M=3.31	Mt=7.7

<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=8.39	Mt=8.2
		2	M=8.22	Mt=8.0
		3	M=8.35	Mt=8.2
		4	M=8.54	Mt=8.4
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.09</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.02 ns</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.09</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.03 ns</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.03 ns</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.02 ns</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.03 ns</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.05</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.06</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.01 ns</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.04</u> <u>p<.05</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.01 ns</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.09</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.04</u> <u>p<.05</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.02 ns</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.04</u> <u>p<.05</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=+.05</u> <u>p<.05</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income		
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.06</u> <u>p<.01</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income		
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>Beta=-.01</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income		
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=+.01</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income		

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa	Beta=+.04	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income ns
O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa	Beta=+.01	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income ns
O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a	Beta=-.01	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income ns
O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a	Beta=+.04	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income ns

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study TIMME 1997/28

Reported in: Timmermans, D.
Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.
Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands
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Population: 18+ aged, general public, Brazil 1990

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1782

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

- 1 Not at all interested
- 2 Not very interested
- 3 Somewhat interested
- 4 Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>		
A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a	DM=+	1	M= .17	Mt=5.2
		2	M=1.02	Mt=6.0
		3	M=1.57	Mt=6.6
		4	M=1.96	Mt=7.0

<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=1.09	Mt=6.1
		2	M=1.22	Mt=6.2
		3	M=1.19	Mt=6.2
		4	M=1.39	Mt=6.4
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=6.57	Mt=6.2
		2	M=6.96	Mt=6.6
		3	M=7.30	Mt=7.0
		4	M=7.52	Mt=7.2
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=2.87	Mt=6.2
		2	M=2.99	Mt=6.6
		3	M=3.04	Mt=6.8
		4	M=3.11	Mt=7.0
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=2.92	Mt=6.4
		2	M=2.86	Mt=6.2
		3	M=2.95	Mt=6.5
		4	M=3.03	Mt=6.8
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.47	Mt=7.2
		2	M=7.43	Mt=7.1
		3	M=7.12	Mt=6.8
		4	M=7.36	Mt=7.1
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.04 ns</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.14</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.22</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.11</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=-.04 ns</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.05 ns</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.04</u> <u>p<.05</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=-.06</u> <u>p<.01</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.03 ns</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.17</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.09</u> <u>p<.001</u>			

<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.10</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.19</u> <u>p<.001</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.11</u> <u>p<.001</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=+.14</u> <u>p<.001</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.02</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.03</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=-.04</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study

TIMME 1997/29

Reported in: Timmermans, D.
Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.
Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands
Page in Report:

Population: 18+ aged general public, Nigeria, 1990

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1001

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

1	Not at all interested
2	Not very interested
3	Somewhat interested
4	Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>		
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=2.84	Mt=6.1
		2	M=2.80	Mt=6.0
		3	M=3.09	Mt=7.0
		4	M=3.13	Mt=7.1
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=6.10	Mt=5.7
		2	M=6.28	Mt=5.9
		3	M=7.13	Mt=6.8
		4	M=6.56	Mt=6.2
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=1.20	Mt=6.2
		2	M=1.89	Mt=6.9
		3	M=1.77	Mt=6.8
		4	M=1.64	Mt=6.6
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.11</u> <u>p<.05</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.09</u> <u>p<.05</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.10</u> <u>p<.05</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.08</u> <u>p<.05</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.08</u> <u>p<.05</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.10</u> <u>p<.01</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=+.06</u> <u>ns</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income		
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.08</u> <u>ns</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income		
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.10</u> <u>p<.05</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income		

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern
Subject code: P8.2.1

Study TIMME 1997/3

Reported in: Timmermans, D.

Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.

Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands

Page in Report:

Population: 18+ aged, general public, West Germany, 1990

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 2201

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

1 Not at all interested

2 Not very interested

3 Somewhat interested

4 Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>		
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=6.57	Mt=6.2
		2	M=6.96	Mt=6.6
		3	M=7.30	Mt=7.0
		4	M=7.52	Mt=7.2
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=2.87	Mt=6.2
		2	M=2.99	Mt=6.6
		3	M=3.04	Mt=6.8
		4	M=3.11	Mt=7.0
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=2.87	Mt=6.2
		2	M=2.99	Mt=6.6
		3	M=3.04	Mt=6.8
		4	M=3.11	Mt=7.0
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M= .17	Mt=5.2
		2	M=1.02	Mt=6.0
		3	M=1.57	Mt=6.6
		4	M=1.96	Mt=7.0

<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=6.57	Mt=6.2
		2	M=6.96	Mt=6.6
		3	M=7.30	Mt=7.0
		4	M=7.52	Mt=7.2
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M= .17	Mt=5.2
		2	M=1.02	Mt=6.0
		3	M=1.57	Mt=6.6
		4	M=1.96	Mt=7.0
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.14</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.11</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.22</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.14</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.22</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.11</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.17</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.10</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.09</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.17</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.09</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.10</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=+.14</u> <u>p<.001</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income		
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.11</u> <u>p<.001</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income		
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.19</u> <u>p<.001</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income		

A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a	Beta=+.19 p<.001	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a	Beta=+.11 p<.001	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa	Beta=+.14 p<.001	β controlled for sex, age, and household income

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study TIMME 1997/30

Reported in: Timmermans, D.
Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.
Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands
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Population: 18+ aged, general public, Chile1990

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1500

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

1	Not at all interested
2	Not very interested
3	Somewhat interested
4	Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks		
O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a	DM=+	1	M=2.97	Mt=6.6
		2	M=3.07	Mt=6.9
		3	M=3.09	Mt=7.0
		4	M=3.08	Mt=6.9

<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M= .92	Mt=5.9
		2	M= .91	Mt=5.9
		3	M=1.27	Mt=6.3
		4	M=1.11	Mt=6.1

<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.66	Mt=7.4
		2	M=7.34	Mt=7.0
		3	M=7.56	Mt=7.3
		4	M=7.51	Mt=7.2

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a r=+.06
p<.05

A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a r=+.06
p<.05

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa r=-.02 ns

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa tc=-.05
p<.05

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a tb=+.04
p<.05

A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a tc=+.04
p<.05

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa Beta=-.03 β controlled for sex, age, and household income
ns

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a Beta=+.02 β controlled for sex, age, and household income
ns

A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a Beta=+.02 β controlled for sex, age, and household income
ns

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study **TIMME 1997/32**

Reported in: Timmermans, D.
Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.
Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands
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Population: 18+ aged general public, India, 1990

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 2500

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

- 1 Not at all interested
- 2 Not very interested
- 3 Somewhat interested
- 4 Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>		
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=2.68	Mt=5.6
		2	M=2.89	Mt=6.3
		3	M=2.91	Mt=6.4
		4	M=2.83	Mt=6.1
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=6.03	Mt=5.6
		2	M=6.19	Mt=5.8
		3	M=6.47	Mt=6.1
		4	M=6.90	Mt=6.6
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=1.16	Mt=6.2
		2	M=1.57	Mt=6.6
		3	M=1.89	Mt=6.9
		4	M=1.99	Mt=7.0
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=1.59	Mt=6.6
		2	M=2.09	Mt=7.1
		3	M=2.41	Mt=7.4
		4	M=2.45	Mt=7.4
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=3.19	Mt=7.3
		2	M=3.24	Mt=7.5
		3	M=3.28	Mt=7.6
		4	M=3.42	Mt=8.1
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.26	Mt=7.0
		2	M=7.69	Mt=7.4
		3	M=7.82	Mt=7.6
		4	M=7.82	Mt=7.6

<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=3.25	Mt=7.5
		2	M=3.27	Mt=7.6
		3	M=3.29	Mt=7.6
		4	M=3.31	Mt=7.7
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=</u>	1	M=-.07	Mt=4.9
		2	M=.15	Mt=5.2
		3	M=1.09	Mt=6.1
		4	M=.73	Mt=5.7
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.34	Mt=7.0
		2	M=7.54	Mt=7.3
		3	M=7.46	Mt=7.2
		4	M=7.53	Mt=7.3
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=3.25	Mt=7.5
		2	M=3.27	Mt=7.6
		3	M=3.29	Mt=7.6
		4	M=3.31	Mt=7.7
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.34	Mt=7.0
		2	M=7.54	Mt=7.3
		3	M=7.46	Mt=7.2
		4	M=7.53	Mt=7.3
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=1.16	Mt=6.2
		2	M=1.57	Mt=6.6
		3	M=1.89	Mt=6.9
		4	M=1.99	Mt=7.0
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.14</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.02 ns</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.09</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.13</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.09</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.10</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.03 ns</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.10</u> <u>p<.001</u>			

<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.22</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.02 ns</u>	
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.03 ns</u>	
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.14</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.06</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.09</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.10</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.01 ns</u>	
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.11</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.04</u> <u>p<.05</u>	
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.01 ns</u>	
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.11</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.04</u> <u>p<.05</u>	
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.09</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.18</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.08</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.12</u> <u>p<.001</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=+.01</u> <u>ns</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.12</u> <u>p<.001</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.11</u> <u>p<.001</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=+.05</u> <u>p<.05</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a	Beta=+.06 p<.01	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a	Beta=+.08 p<.001	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a	Beta=-.01 ns	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a	Beta=+.20 p<.001	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa	Beta=+.10 p<.001	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a	Beta=-.01 ns	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa	Beta=+.01 ns	β controlled for sex, age, and household income

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study

TIMME 1997/33

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Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.
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Population: 18+ aged, general public, Czechoslovakia, 1990

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1396

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

1	Not at all interested
2	Not very interested
3	Somewhat interested
4	Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>	
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	Empty category
		2	Empty category
		3	M= .87 Mt=5.9
		4	M= .70 Mt=5.7
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	Empty category
		2	Empty category
		3	M=6.43 Mt=6.0
		4	M=6.22 Mt=5.8
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	Empty category
		2	Empty category
		3	M=2.65 Mt=5.5
		4	M=2.69 Mt=5.6
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=-.05 ns</u>		
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=-.05 ns</u>		
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.03 ns</u>		
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=-.06</u> <u>p<.05</u>		
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=-.06</u> <u>p<.05</u>		
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.03 ns</u>		
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=-.04</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income	
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>Beta=-.04</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income	
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.02</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income	

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study TIMME 1997/34

Reported in: Timmermans, D.
Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.
Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands
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Population: 18+ aged, general public, East Germany, 1990

*Sample:**Non-Response:**N:* 1336

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)*Our classification:* Political concern, code P8.2.1*Measurement:* Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

- 1 Not at all interested
- 2 Not very interested
- 3 Somewhat interested
- 4 Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>		
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=1.13	Mt=6.1
		2	M=.58	Mt=5.6
		3	M=1.28	Mt=6.3
		4	M=1.43	Mt=6.4
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=3.02	Mt=6.7
		2	M=2.85	Mt=6.2
		3	M=2.98	Mt=6.6
		4	M=2.96	Mt=6.5
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=6.98	Mt=6.6
		2	M=6.47	Mt=6.1
		3	M=6.74	Mt=6.4
		4	M=6.75	Mt=6.4
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.02 ns</u>			
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.02 ns</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.11</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.07</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.02 ns</u>			
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.02 ns</u>			

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa	Beta=+.01	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income ns
O-HL/c/sq/v/4/a	Beta=-.00	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income ns
A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a	Beta=+.07	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income p<.05

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study TIMME 1997/35

Reported in: Timmermans, D.
Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.
Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands
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Population: 18+ aged, general public, Slovenia, 1990

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1035

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

1	Not at all interested
2	Not very interested
3	Somewhat interested
4	Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks		
O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa	DM=+	1	M=4.80	Mt=4.2
		2	M=4.76	Mt=4.2
		3	M=5.14	Mt=4.6
		4	M=5.17	Mt=4.6

<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=2.07	Mt=3.6
		2	M=2.20	Mt=4.0
		3	M=2.43	Mt=4.8
		4	M=2.33	Mt=4.4

<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M= .83	Mt=5.8
		2	M=1.45	Mt=6.4
		3	M=1.78	Mt=6.8
		4	M=1.87	Mt=6.9

A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a r=+.20
p<.001

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa r=+.06
p<.05

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a r=+.11
p<.001

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a tb=+.08
p<.01

A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a tc=+.15
p<.001

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa tc=+.05
p<.05

A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a Beta=+.17 β controlled for sex, age, and household income
p<.001

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a Beta=+.07 β controlled for sex, age, and household income
p<.05

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa Beta=+.02 β controlled for sex, age, and household income
ns

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study **TIMME 1997/36**

Reported in: Timmermans, D.
Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.
Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands
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Population: 18+ aged, general public, Bulgaria, 1990

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1034

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

- 1 Not at all interested
- 2 Not very interested
- 3 Somewhat interested
- 4 Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>		
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=2.07	Mt=3.6
		2	M=2.20	Mt=4.0
		3	M=2.43	Mt=4.8
		4	M=2.33	Mt=4.4
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=4.80	Mt=4.2
		2	M=4.76	Mt=4.2
		3	M=5.14	Mt=4.6
		4	M=5.17	Mt=4.6
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.06</u> <u>p<.05</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.11</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.05</u> <u>p<.05</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.08</u> <u>p<.01</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=+.02</u> <u>ns</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income		
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.07</u> <u>p<.05</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income		

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern
Subject code: P8.2.1

Study TIMME 1997/37

Reported in: Timmermans, D.

Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.

Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands

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Population: 18+ aged, general public, Romania, 1990

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1103

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

1 Not at all interested

2 Not very interested

3 Somewhat interested

4 Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>		
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=2.48	Mt=4.9
		2	M=2.69	Mt=5.6
		3	M=2.74	Mt=5.8
		4	M=2.69	Mt=5.6
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=5.61	Mt=5.1
		2	M=6.04	Mt=5.6
		3	M=6.01	Mt=5.6
		4	M=5.65	Mt=5.2
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M= .44	Mt=5.4
		2	M= .84	Mt=5.8
		3	M= .74	Mt=5.7
		4	M=1.15	Mt=6.2
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.08</u>			
	<u>p<.01</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.13</u>			
	<u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.04 ns</u>			

<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.06</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.05</u> <u>p<.05</u>	
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.13</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.03</u> <u>ns</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=+.00</u> <u>ns</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.09</u> <u>p<.01</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study

TIMME 1997/39

Reported in: Timmermans, D.
Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.
Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands
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Population: 18+aged, general public, China, 1990

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1000

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"
1 Not at all interested
2 Not very interested
3 Somewhat interested
4 Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
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<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=2.57	Mt=5.2
		2	M=2.64	Mt=5.5
		3	M=3.01	Mt=6.7
		4	M=3.20	Mt=7.3

<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/b</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=6.76	Mt=6.4
		2	M=6.80	Mt=6.4
		3	M=7.02	Mt=6.7
		4	M=7.49	Mt=7.2

<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M= .50	Mt=5.5
		2	M= .91	Mt=5.9
		3	M=1.45	Mt=6.5
		4	M=1.68	Mt=6.7

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a r=+.27
p<.001

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/b r=+.11
p<.001

A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a r=+.16
p<.001

A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a tc=+.14
p<.001

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/b tc=+.11
p<.001

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a tb=+.24
p<.001

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/b Beta=+.14 β controlled for sex, age, and household income
p<.001

A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a Beta=+.16 β controlled for sex, age, and household income
p<.001

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a Beta=+.28 β controlled for sex, age, and household income
p<.001

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study TIMME 1997/4

Reported in: Timmermans, D.
 Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.
 Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands
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Population: 18+ aged, general public, Italy, 1990

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 2010

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

- 1 Not at all interested
- 2 Not very interested
- 3 Somewhat interested
- 4 Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>		
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=1.05	Mt=6.1
		2	M=1.20	Mt=6.2
		3	M=1.37	Mt=6.4
		4	M=1.66	Mt=6.7
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=2.96	Mt=6.5
		2	M=2.97	Mt=6.6
		3	M=3.02	Mt=6.7
		4	M=3.09	Mt=7.0
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.23	Mt=6.9
		2	M=7.32	Mt=7.0
		3	M=7.34	Mt=7.0
		4	M=7.15	Mt=6.8
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.09</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.00 ns</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.06</u> <u>p<.01</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=-.00 ns</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.04</u> <u>p<.05</u>			

<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.08</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=-.03</u> <u>ns</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.04</u> <u>ns</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.05</u> <u>ns</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study TIMME 1997/42

Reported in: Timmermans, D.
Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.
Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands
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Population: 18+ aged, general public, Austria, 1990

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1460

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

- 1 Not at all interested
- 2 Not very interested
- 3 Somewhat interested
- 4 Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>		
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=3.16	Mt=7.2
		2	M=3.16	Mt=7.2
		3	M=3.20	Mt=7.3
		4	M=3.30	Mt=7.7

<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=5.87	Mt=5.4
		2	M=6.64	Mt=6.3
		3	M=6.59	Mt=6.2
		4	M=7.07	Mt=6.7
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=1.39	Mt=6.4
		2	M=1.65	Mt=6.7
		3	M=1.81	Mt=6.8
		4	M=2.37	Mt=7.4
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.15</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.10</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.07</u> <u>p<.05</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.05</u> <u>p<.05</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.12</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.08</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=+.08</u> <u>p<.01</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income		
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.12</u> <u>p<.001</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income		
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.04</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income		

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study	TIMME 1997/44
<i>Reported in:</i>	Timmermans, D. Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991. Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands Page in Report:
<i>Population:</i>	18+ aged general public, Turkey, 1990
<i>Sample:</i>	
<i>Non-Response:</i>	
<i>N:</i>	1030

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

- 1 Not at all interested
- 2 Not very interested
- 3 Somewhat interested
- 4 Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks		
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=1.16	Mt=6.2
		2	M=1.57	Mt=6.6
		3	M=1.89	Mt=6.9
		4	M=1.99	Mt=7.0
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=3.25	Mt=7.5
		2	M=3.27	Mt=7.6
		3	M=3.29	Mt=7.6
		4	M=3.31	Mt=7.7
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.34	Mt=7.0
		2	M=7.54	Mt=7.3
		3	M=7.46	Mt=7.2
		4	M=7.53	Mt=7.3
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M= .59	Mt=5.6
		2	M= .45	Mt=5.5
		3	M= .68	Mt=5.7
		4	M= .75	Mt=5.7
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=3.17	Mt=7.2
		2	M=3.09	Mt=7.0
		3	M=3.04	Mt=6.8
		4	M=2.95	Mt=6.5
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=6.52	Mt=6.1
		2	M=6.26	Mt=5.8
		3	M=6.46	Mt=6.1
		4	M=6.25	Mt=5.8
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.02 ns</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.04 ns</u>			

<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.14</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=-.09</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=-.02 ns</u>	
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.03 ns</u>	
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.11</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.04</u> <u>p<.05</u>	
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.01 ns</u>	
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=-.09</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=-.02 ns</u>	
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.03 ns</u>	
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=-.03</u> <u>ns</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>Beta=-.08</u> <u>p<.05</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>Beta=-.01</u> <u>ns</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.12</u> <u>p<.001</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=+.01</u> <u>ns</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>Beta=-.01</u> <u>ns</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study TIMME 1997/46

Reported in: Timmermans, D.
Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.
Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands
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Population: 18+ aged, general public, Lithuania, 1990

Sample:

*Non-Response:**N:* 1000**Correlate***Authors label:* Political concern (1)*Our classification:* Political concern, code P8.2.1*Measurement:* Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

- 1 Not at all interested
- 2 Not very interested
- 3 Somewhat interested
- 4 Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>		
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=5.63	Mt=5.1
		2	M=5.80	Mt=5.3
		3	M=6.08	Mt=5.6
		4	M=6.19	Mt=5.8
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M= .18	Mt=5.2
		2	M= .33	Mt=5.3
		3	M= .65	Mt=5.7
		4	M= .87	Mt=5.9
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=2.47	Mt=4.9
		2	M=2.55	Mt=5.2
		3	M=2.52	Mt=5.1
		4	M=2.55	Mt=5.2
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.01 ns</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.06</u> <u>p<.05</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.11</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.08</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.00 ns</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.05</u> <u>p<.05</u>			

A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a	Beta=-.03	β controlled for sex, age, and household income ns
O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a	Beta=+.01	β controlled for sex, age, and household income ns
O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa	Beta=+.06	β controlled for sex, age, and household income ns

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study TIMME 1997/47

Reported in: Timmermans, D.

Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.

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Population: 18+ aged, general public, Latvia, 1990

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 903

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

- 1 Not at all interested
- 2 Not very interested
- 3 Somewhat interested
- 4 Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks		
O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a	DM=+	1	M=2.31	Mt=4.4
		2	M=2.49	Mt=5.0
		3	M=2.55	Mt=5.2
		4	M=2.52	Mt=5.1

<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M= .55	Mt=5.6
		2	M= .51	Mt=5.5
		3	M= .87	Mt=5.9
		4	M=1.30	Mt=6.3

<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=5.84	Mt=5.4
		2	M=5.41	Mt=4.9
		3	M=5.72	Mt=5.2
		4	M=5.80	Mt=5.3

A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a r=+.15
p<.001

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa r=+.04 ns

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a r=+.03 ns

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a tb=+.01 ns

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa tc=+.04 ns

A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a tc=+.13
p<.001

A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a Beta=+.14 ß controlled for sex, age, and household income
p<.001

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a Beta=+.04 ß controlled for sex, age, and household income
ns

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa Beta=+.03 ß controlled for sex, age, and household income
ns

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study **TIMME 1997/48**

Reported in: Timmermans, D.
 Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.
 Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands
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Population: 18+ aged, general public, Estonia, 1990

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1008

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

- 1 Not at all interested
- 2 Not very interested
- 3 Somewhat interested
- 4 Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>		
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M= .34	Mt=5.3
		2	M= .62	Mt=5.6
		3	M= .90	Mt=5.9
		4	M= .90	Mt=5.9
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=2.55	Mt=5.2
		2	M=2.57	Mt=5.2
		3	M=2.62	Mt=5.4
		4	M=2.51	Mt=5.0
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=5.60	Mt=5.1
		2	M=5.99	Mt=5.5
		3	M=6.04	Mt=5.6
		4	M=6.08	Mt=5.6
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.00 ns</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.09</u> <u>p<.01</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.04 ns</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.07</u> <u>p<.01</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.03 ns</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=-.00 ns</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.02</u> <u>ns</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income		
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.07</u> <u>p<.05</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income		
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=+.06</u> <u>ns</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income		

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study TIMME 1997/5

Reported in: Timmermans, D.

Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.

Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands

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Population: 18+ aged, general public, The Netherlands, 1990*Sample:**Non-Response:**N:* 1017

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)*Our classification:* Political concern, code P8.2.1*Measurement:* Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

- 1 Not at all interested
- 2 Not very interested
- 3 Somewhat interested
- 4 Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>		
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.69	Mt=7.4
		2	M=8.03	Mt=7.8
		3	M=7.85	Mt=7.6
		4	M=7.78	Mt=7.5
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=3.41	Mt=8.0
		2	M=3.48	Mt=8.3
		3	M=3.36	Mt=7.9
		4	M=3.38	Mt=7.9
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=1.30	Mt=6.3
		2	M=2.07	Mt=7.1
		3	M=1.90	Mt=6.9
		4	M=2.00	Mt=7.0
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=-.04 ns</u>			

<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.11</u> <u>p<.05</u>	
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.01 ns</u>	
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=-.05 ns</u>	
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.07</u> <u>p<.05</u>	
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=-.02 ns</u>	
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=-.01</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.06</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>Beta=-.06</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study

TIMME 1997/50

Reported in: Timmermans, D.
Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.
Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands
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Population: 18+ aged, general public, Russia, 1990

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1961

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

- 1 Not at all interested
- 2 Not very interested
- 3 Somewhat interested
- 4 Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>		
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=</u>	1	M=-.14	Mt=4.9
		2	M=.18	Mt=5.2
		3	M=.39	Mt=5.4
		4	M=.65	Mt=5.7
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=2.32	Mt=4.4
		2	M=2.51	Mt=5.0
		3	M=2.53	Mt=5.1
		4	M=2.73	Mt=5.8
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=4.96	Mt=4.4
		2	M=5.22	Mt=4.7
		3	M=5.43	Mt=4.9
		4	M=5.93	Mt=5.5
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.10</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.12</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.10</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.09</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.10</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.09</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.10</u> <u>p<.001</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income		
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.07</u> <u>p<.01</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income		
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=+.09</u> <u>p<.001</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income		

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern
Subject code: P8.2.1

Study TIMME 1997/6

Reported in: Timmermans, D.

Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.

Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands

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Population: 18+ aged, general public, Denmark, 1990

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1030

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

1 Not at all interested

2 Not very interested

3 Somewhat interested

4 Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>		
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=1.56	Mt=6.6
		2	M=2.05	Mt=7.0
		3	M=1.99	Mt=7.0
		4	M=1.86	Mt=6.9
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=3.23	Mt=7.4
		2	M=3.44	Mt=8.1
		3	M=3.34	Mt=7.8
		4	M=3.37	Mt=7.9
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.59	Mt=7.3
		2	M=8.33	Mt=8.1
		3	M=8.13	Mt=7.9
		4	M=8.44	Mt=8.3
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.02 ns</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.03 ns</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.08</u> <u>p<.01</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=-.00 ns</u>			

<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.05</u> <u>p<.05</u>	
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=-.01 ns</u>	
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=+.08</u> <u>p<.05</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.01</u> <u>ns</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.01</u> <u>ns</u>	β controlled for sex, age, and household income

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study TIMME 1997/7

Reported in: Timmermans, D.
Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.
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Population: 18+ aged, general public, Belgium, 1990

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 2792

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

1	Not at all interested
2	Not very interested
3	Somewhat interested
4	Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
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<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=1.41	Mt=6.4
		2	M=1.38	Mt=6.4
		3	M=1.68	Mt=6.7
		4	M=1.77	Mt=6.8
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=3.32	Mt=7.7
		2	M=3.31	Mt=7.7
		3	M=3.33	Mt=7.8
		4	M=3.27	Mt=7.6
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.64	Mt=7.4
		2	M=7.61	Mt=7.3
		3	M=7.61	Mt=7.3
		4	M=7.49	Mt=7.2
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=1.41	Mt=6.4
		2	M=1.38	Mt=6.4
		3	M=1.68	Mt=6.7
		4	M=1.77	Mt=6.8
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.64	Mt=7.4
		2	M=7.61	Mt=7.3
		3	M=7.61	Mt=7.3
		4	M=7.49	Mt=7.2
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=3.32	Mt=7.7
		2	M=3.31	Mt=7.7
		3	M=3.33	Mt=7.8
		4	M=3.27	Mt=7.6
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.06</u>			
	<u>p<.01</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.06</u>			
	<u>p<.01</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=-.01 ns</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=-.02 ns</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=-.01 ns</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=-.02 ns</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=-.01 ns</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=-.02 ns</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.05</u>			
	<u>p<.001</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.05</u>			
	<u>p<.001</u>			

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a	tb=-.01 ns	
O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa	tc=-.02 ns	
O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a	Beta=-.05 ns	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income
A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a	Beta=+.05 p<.05	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income
O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa	Beta=-.04 ns	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income
A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a	Beta=+.05 p<.05	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income
O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa	Beta=-.04 ns	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income
O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a	Beta=-.05 ns	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study

TIMME 1997/8

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Population: 18+ aged, general public, Spain, 1990

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 4147

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

1	Not at all interested
2	Not very interested
3	Somewhat interested
4	Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>		
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M= .50	Mt=5.5
		2	M= .79	Mt=5.8
		3	M=1.01	Mt=6.0
		4	M=1.17	Mt=6.2
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=3.01	Mt=6.7
		2	M=3.07	Mt=6.9
		3	M=3.06	Mt=6.9
		4	M=3.14	Mt=7.1
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.12	Mt=6.8
		2	M=7.11	Mt=6.8
		3	M=7.16	Mt=6.8
		4	M=7.21	Mt=6.9
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M= .50	Mt=5.5
		2	M= .79	Mt=5.8
		3	M=1.01	Mt=6.0
		4	M=1.17	Mt=6.2
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.12	Mt=6.8
		2	M=7.11	Mt=6.8
		3	M=7.16	Mt=6.8
		4	M=7.21	Mt=6.9
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=3.01	Mt=6.7
		2	M=3.07	Mt=6.9
		3	M=3.06	Mt=6.9
		4	M=3.14	Mt=7.1
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.13</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.01 ns</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.05</u> <u>p<.05</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.13</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.01 ns</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.05</u> <u>p<.05</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=-.01 ns</u>			

<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.04</u> <u>p<.05</u>	
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.10</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.10</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=-.01 ns</u>	
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.04</u> <u>p<.05</u>	
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.03</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=-.03</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.08</u> <u>p<.01</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=-.03</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.03</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.08</u> <u>p<.01</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study

TIMME 1997/9

Reported in: Timmermans, D.

Correlates of Happiness in 42 Nations: Analysis of the World Values Study 1990 - 1991.

Working paper, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Department of Sociology, February 1997, Netherlands

Page in Report:

Population: 18+ aged, general public, Ireland, 1990

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1000

Correlate

Authors label: Political concern (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Single question: "How interested would you say you are in politics?"

- 1 Not at all interested
- 2 Not very interested
- 3 Somewhat interested
- 4 Very interested

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>		
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=1.16	Mt=6.2
		2	M=1.57	Mt=6.6
		3	M=1.89	Mt=6.9
		4	M=1.99	Mt=7.0
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=3.25	Mt=7.5
		2	M=3.27	Mt=7.6
		3	M=3.29	Mt=7.6
		4	M=3.31	Mt=7.7
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.34	Mt=7.0
		2	M=7.54	Mt=7.3
		3	M=7.46	Mt=7.2
		4	M=7.53	Mt=7.3
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=1.65	Mt=6.7
		2	M=1.90	Mt=6.9
		3	M=2.42	Mt=7.4
		4	M=2.19	Mt=7.2
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=1.65	Mt=6.7
		2	M=1.90	Mt=6.9
		3	M=2.42	Mt=7.4
		4	M=2.19	Mt=7.2
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=3.25	Mt=7.5
		2	M=3.27	Mt=7.6
		3	M=3.29	Mt=7.6
		4	M=3.31	Mt=7.7
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.34	Mt=7.0
		2	M=7.54	Mt=7.3
		3	M=7.46	Mt=7.2
		4	M=7.53	Mt=7.3

<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.75	Mt=7.5
		2	M=7.75	Mt=7.5
		3	M=8.13	Mt=7.9
		4	M=7.89	Mt=7.7
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=1.16	Mt=6.2
		2	M=1.57	Mt=6.6
		3	M=1.89	Mt=6.9
		4	M=1.99	Mt=7.0
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=3.33	Mt=7.8
		2	M=3.33	Mt=7.8
		3	M=3.42	Mt=8.1
		4	M=3.35	Mt=7.8
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=7.75	Mt=7.5
		2	M=7.75	Mt=7.5
		3	M=8.13	Mt=7.9
		4	M=7.89	Mt=7.7
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1	M=3.33	Mt=7.8
		2	M=3.33	Mt=7.8
		3	M=3.42	Mt=8.1
		4	M=3.35	Mt=7.8
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.02 ns</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.03 ns</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.14</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.13</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.13</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.04 ns</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.06 ns</u>			
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>r=+.14</u> <u>p<.001</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.03 ns</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.02 ns</u>			
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=+.04 ns</u>			
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>r=+.06 ns</u>			

<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.04</u> <u>p<.05</u>	
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.03 ns</u>	
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.01 ns</u>	
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.11</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.05</u> <u>p<.05</u>	
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.10</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.03 ns</u>	
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.10</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.05</u> <u>p<.05</u>	
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>tc=+.01 ns</u>	
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=+.04</u> <u>p<.05</u>	
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>tc=+.11</u> <u>p<.001</u>	
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>Beta=-.01</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=+.01</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.12</u> <u>p<.001</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>Beta=-.01</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.12</u> <u>p<.001</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=+.01</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.07</u> <u>p<.05</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.04</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>Beta=+.02</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for sex, age, and household income

A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a	Beta=+.07 p<.05	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a	Beta=+.04 ns	β controlled for sex, age, and household income
O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa	Beta=+.02 ns	β controlled for sex, age, and household income

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study	WESSM 1956
<i>Reported in:</i>	Wessman, A.E. A Psychological Inquiry into Satisfaction and Happiness. Unpublished Doctoral Dissertation, Princeton University, 1956, USA Page in Report: 213
<i>Population:</i>	21+ aged, general public, non-institutionalized, USA, 1946
<i>Sample:</i>	
<i>Non-Response:</i>	-
<i>N:</i>	2377

Correlate

<i>Authors label:</i>	Most important worry politics, world and national conditions (1)
<i>Our classification:</i>	Political concern, code P8.2.1
<i>Measurement:</i>	Open-ended question on most important worry: other worries vs worry mentioned

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
O-HL/g/sq/v/3/c	G=+.31 p<. 01	Computed for those who have worries only (N = 2040)

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political concern

Subject code: P8.2.1

Study	ZUMA 1989
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Reported in: Zentrum für Umfrageforschung Mannheim (ZUMA)
Wohlfahrtsurveys 1978,1980,1984,1988.
Unpublished data-set. Especially prepared for the World Database of Happiness.
Page in Report:

Population: 18+ aged, general public, West-Germany, 1978-88

Sample:

Non-Response: ?

N: 2100

Correlate

Authors label: Political interest (1)

Our classification: Political concern, code P8.2.1

Measurement: Question : 'How strong is your concern with politics ?'
1 not at all
2 little
3 so-so
4 strong
5 very strong

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>				
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/4/b</u>	<u>SNR=</u>	eta	G	r	β	
		1978	+.06	+.09	+.05	+.05
		1980				
		1984	+.07	+.09	+.06	+.04
		1988	+.07	+.05	+.05	+.04
		β 's controlled for age, gender, perceived class and marital status.				
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/11/ba</u>	<u>SNR=</u>	eta	G	r	β	
		1978	-.06	-.04	-.05	+.03
		1980				
		1984	-.07	-.01	-.02	+.06
		1988	-.08	-.05	-.08	+.05
		β 's controlled for age, gender, perceived class and marital status.				

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political participation
Subject code: P8.2.2

Study

BARNE 1979/1

Reported in: Barnes, S.H.; Farah, B.G.; Heunks, F.
Personal Dissatisfaction.

Barnes, S.H.;Kaase, M.;Eds.: "Political Action: Mass Participation in Five Western Democracies", Sage,
1979, Beverly Hills, USA, 381 - 407. ISBN 0 8039 0957 78 ISBN:0 8039 0957 78

Page in Report: 393

Population: 16 + aged, general public, The Netherlands, 1974

Sample: Probability stratified sample

Non-Response: 34%

N: 1201

Correlate

Authors label: Type of political actors (1)

Our classification: Political participation, code P8.2.2

Measurement: Type of political actors:

- a: Inactives
- b: Conformists
- c: Reformists
- d: Activists
- e: Protesters

This typology is based on two Guttman scales of the:

- 1) Conventional Political Participation Scale(none activities,read newspaper, discuss politics, work in community, work in political party, convince friends, attain political rally) and
- 2) the Protest Potential Scale (none activities, signing petition, attending lawful demonstrations,joining boycotts, refusing to pay rent or tax, occupying buildings, blocking traffic, joining wildcat strikes)

Measured Values: N% a: 17,9 b: 11,1 c: 19,8 d: 19,3 e: 31,9 Total N: 1144

Remarks: See Barnes, Kaase: p.153-157

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure

Statistics

Elaboration/Remarks

O-SLW/c/sq/n/11/ka

DM=-

- a: Mt=7,8
- b: Mt=8,0
- c: Mt=7,8
- d: Mt=7,4
- e: Mt=7,6

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political participation

Subject code: P8.2.2

Study **BARNE 1979/1**

Reported in: Barnes, S.H.; Farah, B.G.; Heunks, F.
Personal Dissatisfaction.

Barnes, S.H.;Kaase, M.;Eds.: "Political Action: Mass Participation in Five Western Democracies", Sage, 1979, Beverly Hills, USA, 381 - 407. ISBN 0 8039 0957 78 ISBN:0 8039 0957 78

Page in Report: 390

Population: 16 + aged, general public, The Netherlands, 1974

Sample: Probability stratified sample

Non-Response: 34%

N: 1201

Correlate

Authors label: Protest Potential (1)

Our classification: Political participation, code P8.2.2

Measurement: Approval and activity in 7 political protest behaviors.(each range 0-7)

- * signing petitions
- * joining in boycotts
- * attending lawful demonstrations
- * refusing to pay rent or taxes
- * joining in wildcat strikes
- * occupying buildings
- * blocking traffic

The Protest Potential Scale was made from a combination of 2 questions:

A:In each case the response categories were:1)strongly approve,(2) approve
3)disapprove and (4)strongly disapprove

B:For each of the 7 activities mentioned above, respondents were asked whether they
(1) had done (2) would do, (3) might do
or(4) would never do such a thing

Remarks: See Barnes, Kaase, 1979:
Chapter 3 and p. 540-555

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
O-SLW/c/sq/n/11/ka	r=-.12	ns

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political participation

Subject code: P8.2.2

Study

BARNE 1979/2

Reported in: Barnes, S.H.; Farah, B.G.; Heunks, F.
Personal Dissatisfaction.

Barnes, S.H.;Kaase, M.;Eds.: "Political Action: Mass Participation in Five Western Democracies", Sage,
1979, Beverly Hills, USA, 381 - 407. ISBN 0 8039 0957 78
Page in Report: 390

Population: 16 + aged, general public, Great Britain, 1973

Sample: Probability stratified sample

Non-Response: 23 %

N: 1483

Correlate

Authors label: Protest Potential (1)

Our classification: Political participation, code P8.2.2

Measurement: Approval and activity in 7 political protest behaviors.(each range 0-7)

- * signing petitions
- * joining in boycotts
- * attending lawful demonstrations
- * refusing to pay rent or taxes
- * joining in wildcat strikes
- * occupying buildings
- * blocking traffic

The Protest Potential Scale was made from a combination of 2 questions:

A: In each case the response-categories were: (1)strongly approve (2) approve (3) disapprove and (4) strongly disapprove

B: For each of the 7 activities mentioned above, respondents were asked wether they (1) had done (2) would do, (3) might do or(4) would never do such a thing

Remarks: See Barnes, Kaase, 1979
Chapter 3 and p. 540-555

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure

Statistics

Elaboration/Remarks

[O-SLW/c/sq/n/11/ka](#)[r=-.08](#)

ns

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political participation

Subject code: P8.2.2

Study **BARNE 1979/2**

Reported in: Barnes, S.H.; Farah, B.G.; Heunks, F.
Personal Dissatisfaction.

Barnes, S.H.;Kaase, M.;Eds.: "Political Action: Mass Participation in Five Western Democracies", Sage, 1979, Beverly Hills, USA, 381 - 407. ISBN 0 8039 0957 78
Page in Report: 393

Population: 16 + aged, general public, Great Britain, 1973

Sample: Probability stratified sample

Non-Response: 23 %

N: 1483

Correlate

Authors label: Type of political actors (1)

Our classification: Political participation, code P8.2.2

Measurement: Type of political actors:

- a: Inactives
- b: Conformists
- c: Reformists
- d: Activists
- e: Protesters

This typology is based on two Guttman scales of the:

- 1) Conventional Political Participation Scale(none activities,read newspaper, discuss politics, work in community, work in political party, convince friends, attain political rally) and
- 2) the Protest Potential Scale (none activities, signing petition, attending lawful demonstrations,joining boycotts, refusing to pay rent or tax, occupying buildings, blocking traffic, joining wildcat strikes)

Measured Values: N% a: 30.1 b: 15.4 c: 21.9 d: 10.2 e: 22.4 Total N: 1389

Remarks: See Barnes, Kaase, 1979: p. 153-157

Observed Relation with Happiness

*Happiness
Measure**Statistics**Elaboration/Remarks*O-SLW/c/sq/n/11/kaDM=-

a: Mt=7.4
 b: Mt=7.7
 c: Mt=7.4
 d: Mt=6.8
 e: Mt=7.2

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political participation

Subject code: P8.2.2

Study**BARNE 1979/3**

Reported in: Barnes, S.H.; Farah, B.G.; Heunks, F.
 Personal Dissatisfaction.
 Barnes, S.H.;Kaase, M.;Eds.: "Political Action: Mass Participation in Five Western Democracies", Sage,
 1979, Beverly Hills, USA, 381 - 407 ISBN:0 8039 0957 78
 Page in Report: 390

Population: 16+ aged, general public, USA, 1974

Sample: Probability stratified sample

Non-Response: 29%

N: 1719

Correlate

Authors label: Protest Potential (1)

Our classification: Political participation, code P8.2.2

Measurement: Approval and activity in 7 political protest behaviors.(each range 0-7)
 * signing petitions
 * joining in boycotts
 * attending lawful demonstrations
 * refusing to pay rent or taxes
 * joining in wildcat strikes
 * occupying buildings
 * blocking traffic
 The Protest Potential Scale was made from a combination of 2 questions:
 A: In each case the response categories were: (1)strongly approve (2) approve (3) disapprove and (4) strongly disapprove
 B: For each of the 7 activities mentioned above, respondents were asked whether they (1) had done (2) would do, (3) might do or(4) would never do such a thing

Remarks: See Barnes, Kaase, 1979:
Chapter 3 and p. 540-555

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
O-SLW/c/sq/n/11/ka	r=-.09	ns

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political participation

Subject code: P8.2.2

Study BARNE 1979/3

Reported in: Barnes, S.H.; Farah, B.G.; Heunks, F.
Personal Dissatisfaction.
Barnes, S.H.;Kaase, M.;Eds.: "Political Action: Mass Participation in Five Western Democracies", Sage,
1979, Beverly Hills, USA, 381 - 407 ISBN:0 8039 0957 78
Page in Report: 393

Population: 16+ aged, general public, USA, 1974

Sample: Probability stratified sample

Non-Response: 29%

N: 1719

Correlate

Authors label: Type of political actors (1)

Our classification: Political participation, code P8.2.2

Measurement: Type of political actors:
a: Inactives
b: Conformists
c: Reformists
d: Activists
e: Protesters
This typology is based on two Guttman scales of the:
1) the Conventional Political Participation Scale(none activities,read newspaper, discuss politics, work in community, work in political party, convince friends, attain political rally) and
2) the Protest Potential Scale (none activities, signing petition, attending lawful demonstrations,joining boycotts, refusing to pay rent or tax, occupying buildings, blocking traffic, joining wildcat strikes)

Measured Values: N% a: 12,3 b: 17,5 c: 36,0 d: 14,4 e: 19,8 N total =1613

Remarks: See Barnes, Kaase, 1979 p.153-157

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/11/ka</u>	<u>DM=-</u>	a: Mt=7.6 b: Mt=7.5 c: Mt=7.5 d: Mt=7.1 e: Mt=7.3

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political participation

Subject code: P8.2.2

Study BARNE 1979/4

Reported in: Barnes, S.H.; Farah, B.G.; Heunks, F.
 Personal Dissatisfaction.
 Barnes, S.H.;Kaase, M.;Eds.: "Political Action: Mass Participation in Five Western Democracies", Sage, 1979, Beverly Hills, USA, 381 - 407 ISBN:0 8039 0957 78
 Page in Report: 390

Population: 16+ aged, general public, Germany, 1974

Sample: Probability stratified sample

Non-Response: 28

N: 2307

Correlate

Authors label: Protest Potential (1)

Our classification: Political participation, code P8.2.2

Measurement: Approval and activity in 7 political protest behaviors.(each range 0-7)

- * signing petitions
- * joining in boycotts
- * attending lawful demonstrations
- * refusing to pay rent or taxes
- * joining in wildcat strikes
- * occupying buildings
- * blocking traffic

The Protest Potential Scale was made from a combination of 2 questions:

A: In each case the response categories were: (1)strongly approve (2) approve (3) disapprove and (4) strongly

disapprove

B: For each of the 7 activities mentioned above, respondents were asked whether they (1) had done (2) would do, (3) might do or (4) would never do such a thing

Remarks: See Barnes, Kaase, 1979: Chapter 3 and p. 540-555

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
O-SLW/c/sq/n/11/ka	r=.02	ns

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political participation

Subject code: P8.2.2

Study BARNE 1979/4

Reported in: Barnes, S.H.; Farah, B.G.; Heunks, F. Personal Dissatisfaction.
Barnes, S.H.; Kaase, M.; Eds.: "Political Action: Mass Participation in Five Western Democracies", Sage, 1979, Beverly Hills, USA, 381 - 407 ISBN:0 8039 0957 78
Page in Report: 393

Population: 16+ aged, general public, Germany, 1974

Sample: Probability stratified sample

Non-Response: 28

N: 2307

Correlate

Authors label: Type of political actors (1)

Our classification: Political participation, code P8.2.2

Measurement: Type of political actors:

- a: Inactives
- b: Conformists
- c: Reformists
- d: Activists
- e: Protesters

This typology is based on two Guttman scales of the:

- 1) the Conventional Political Participation Scale (none activities, read newspaper, discuss politics, work in community, work in political party, convince friends, attain political rally) and
- 2) the Protest Potential Scale (none activities, signing petition, attending lawful demonstrations, joining boycotts, refusing to pay rent or tax, occupying buildings, blocking traffic, joining wildcat strikes)

Measured Values: N% a: 26.6 b: 13.5 c: 24.6 d: 8.0 e: 27.3 Total N: 2207

Remarks: See Barnes, Kaase, 1979: p.153-157

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
O-SLW/c/sq/n/11/ka	DM=-	a: Mt=6,9 b: Mt=7,2 c: Mt=7,3 d: Mt=6,9 e: Mt=7,1

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political participation

Subject code: P8.2.2

Study BARNE 1979/5

Reported in: Barnes, S.H.; Farah, B.G.; Heunks, F.
 Personal Dissatisfaction.
 Barnes, S.H.; Kaase, M.; Eds.: "Political Action: Mass Participation in Five Western Democracies", Sage, 1979, Beverly Hills, USA, 381 - 407 ISBN:0 8039 0957 78
 Page in Report: 390

Population: 16+ aged, general public, Austria, 1974

Sample: Probability stratified sample

Non-Response: 36%

N: 1584

Correlate

Authors label: Protest Potential (1)

Our classification: Political participation, code P8.2.2

Measurement: Approval and activity in 7 political protest behaviors.(each range 0-7)

- * signing petitions
- * joining in boycotts
- * attending lawful demonstrations
- * refusing to pay rent or taxes
- * joining in wildcat strikes
- * occupying buildings
- * blocking traffic

The Protest Potential Scale was made from a combination of 2 questions:

A: In each case the response categories were: (1)strongly approve (2) approve (3) disapprove and (4) strongly disapprove

B: For each of the 7 activities mentioned above, respondents were asked whether they (1) had done (2) would do, (3) might do or(4) would never do such a thing

Remarks: See Barnes, Kaase, 1979 p.: 540-555

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
O-SLW/c/sq/n/11/ka	r=.02	ns

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political participation

Subject code: P8.2.2

Study BARNE 1979/5

Reported in: Barnes, S.H.; Farah, B.G.; Heunks, F. Personal Dissatisfaction.
Barnes, S.H.;Kaase, M.;Eds.: "Political Action: Mass Participation in Five Western Democracies", Sage, 1979, Beverly Hills, USA, 381 - 407 ISBN:0 8039 0957 78
Page in Report: 393

Population: 16+ aged, general public, Austria, 1974

Sample: Probability stratified sample

Non-Response: 36%

N: 1584

Correlate

Authors label: Type of Political Actors (1)*Our classification:* Political participation, code P8.2.2*Measurement:* Type of political actors:

- a: Inactives
- b: Conformists
- c: Reformists
- d: Activists
- e: Protesters

This typology is based on two Guttman scales of the:

- 1) the Conventional Political Participation Scale (none activities, read newspaper, discuss politics, work in community, work in political party, convince friends, attain political rally) and
- 2) the Protest Potential Scale (none activities, signing petition, attending lawful demonstrations, joining boycotts, refusing to pay rent or tax, occupying buildings, blocking traffic, joining wildcat strikes)

Measured Values: N% a: 34,9 b: 19,2 c: 20,9 d: 5,9 e: 19,1 Total N: 1265*Remarks:* See Barnes, Kaase, 1979 p.: 153-157

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
O-SLW/c/sq/n/11/ka	DM=-	a: Mt= 7,1 b: Mt= 7,3 c: Mt= 7,2 d: Mt= 7,3 e: Mt= 7,4

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political participation

Subject code: P8.2.2

Study BECKE 1987

Reported in: Becker, J.W.; Ester, P.
 Rampbewustzijn in Nederland. (Beliefs about Coming Disasters in the Netherlands).
 Sociale Wetenschappen, 1987, Vol. 30, 179 - 206 ISSN:0037 8097
 Page in Report: 201

Population: 18-70 aged, general public, the Netherlands, 1986

Sample:

Non-Response: 28%

N: 2016

Correlate

Authors label: Political participation (1)

Our classification: Political participation, code P8.2.2

Measurement: 3 item index of:

1. membership of a political party or trade union
2. being active in political parties or trade unions
3. participation in worldwide, national or regional demonstrations.

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
O-SLL/c/sq/v/5/d	Beta= ns	β controlled for sex, age, educational level, occupational level, income, social-economic category (allowance yes/no), political ineffectivity and neuroticism.

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political participation

Subject code: P8.2.2

Study BRINK 1986A

Reported in: Brinkerhoff, M.B.; Jacob, J.
 Quality of Life in an Alternative Lifestyle: The Smallholding Movement.
 Social Indicators Research, 1986, Vol. 18, 153 - 173 ISSN p 0303 8300; ISSN e 1573 0921 DOI:10.1007/BF00317546
 Page in Report: 164

Population: 'Back to the land' mini-farmers, West USA and Canada, 198?

Sample: Non-probability purposive sample

Non-Response: 44 %

N: 510

Correlate

Authors label: local politics (1)

Our classification: Political participation, code P8.2.2

Measurement: Questions on involvement in 'local politics
Full items not reported

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a	r=+.07 p<.05	

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political participation Subject code: P8.2.2

Study BRUNI 2006

Reported in: Bruni, L.; Stanca, L.
Watching alone: Relational Goods, Television and Happiness.
Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization. 2006, Vol. 6775, 506 - 528. ISSN 0167 2681 DOI:
10.1016/j.jebo.2005.12.005
Page in Report: 7-16

Population: Adults, 80 counties, 1990-2004

Sample: Mixed samples

Non-Response:

N: 259947

Correlate

Authors label: Voluntary activities

Our classification: Political participation, code P8.2.2

Measurement: Kind of voluntary organizations actively involved in:
a: church, religious
b: sports, recreation
c: arts, music, educational
d: labor union
e: political party
f: environmental
g: professional
h: charity

0: no
1: yes

Measured Values: Range 0-1 a: M= 0,13, SD=0,33 b: M= 0.10, SD=0.30 c: M= 0.07, SD=0.25 d: M= 0.04, SD=0.19 e: M= 0.04, SD=0.19 f: M= 0.03, SD=0.17 g: M= 0.04, SD=0.20 h: M= 0.06, SD=0.23

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/a</u>	<u>B=+1,4</u> <u>p<.05</u>	Church B: 1,41, t: 6,03
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/a</u>	<u>B=+.95</u> <u>p<.05</u>	Sports B: 0,95, t: 4,21
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/a</u>	<u>B=+1,4</u> <u>p<.05</u>	Arts B: 1,43, t: 5,69
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/a</u>	<u>B=+.16 ns</u>	Labor union B: 1,41, t: 6,03
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/a</u>	<u>B=+.14 ns</u>	Politics B: 0,95, t: 4,21
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/a</u>	<u>B=+.65 ns</u>	Environment B: 0,65, t: 1,61
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/a</u>	<u>B=+.35 ns</u>	Professional B: 0,35, t: 1,13
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/a</u>	<u>B=+1,8</u> <u>p<.05</u>	Charity B: 1,78, t: 6,13 B's controlled for: - member of any voluntary organization - active in any voluntary organization - income - self rated health - perceived freedom - unemployed - married - education - age - gender - religion perceived as important - trust in people - honesty (cheating on tax justifiable or not) - individual country dummies - time dummies for survey waves B's estimated individually in separate equations (model a) Not different when estimated jointly (models c and d) B is points greater happiness on range 10-100 of people who participate in that kind of organization

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political participation
Subject code: P8.2.2

Study

ZUMA 1989

Reported in: Zentrum für Umfrageforschung Mannheim (ZUMA)
Wohlfahrtsurveys 1978, 1980, 1984, 1988.
Unpublished data-set. Especially prepared for the World Database of Happiness.
Page in Report:

Population: 18+ aged, general public, West-Germany, 1978-88

Sample:

Non-Response: ?

N: 2100

Correlate

Authors label: Political participation (1)

Our classification: Political participation, code P8.2.2

Measurement: 4 item index:
Are you member of (yes/no):
-political party
-civil organisation
or did you ever speak on :
-civil meetings
-political meetings

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks				
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/11/ba</u>	<u>SNR=</u>	eta	G	r	ß	
		1978				
		1980	+ .06	- .01	+ .01	+ .06
		1984				
		1988				
		ß's controlled for age, gender, perceived class and marital status.				
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/4/b</u>	<u>SNR=</u>	eta	G	r	ß	
		1978				
		1980	+ .05	+ .04	+ .03	+ .04
		1984				
		1988				
		ß controlled for age, gender, perceived class and marital status.				

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political participation

Subject code: P8.2.2

Study ZUMA 1989

Reported in: Zentrum fur Umfrageforschung Mannheim (ZUMA)
Wohlfahrtsurveys 1978,1980,1984,1988.
Unpublished data-set. Especially prepared for the World Database of Happiness.
Page in Report:

Population: 18+ aged, general public, West-Germany, 1978-88

Sample:

Non-Response: ?

N: 2100

Correlate

Authors label: Satisfaction with public security (1)

Our classification: Political participation, code P8.2.2

Measurement: Question: 'How satisfied are you with public security?'
Rated on an 11 point scale ranging from 0 to 10.

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks				
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/4/b</u>	<u>SNR=</u>	eta	G	r	ß	
		1978	+.11	+.11	+.09	+.09
		1980				
		1984	-.09	-.02	-.00	+.10
		1988	-.10	-.02	-.03	+.11
		ß's controlled for age, gender, perceived class and marital status.				

Correlational finding on Happiness and Political participation

Subject code: P8.2.2

Study ZUMA 1989

Reported in: Zentrum fur Umfrageforschung Mannheim (ZUMA)
Wohlfahrtsurveys 1978,1980,1984,1988.
Unpublished data-set. Especially prepared for the World Database of Happiness.
Page in Report:

Population: 18+ aged, general public, West-Germany, 1978-88

Sample:

Non-Response: ?

N: 2100

Correlate

Authors label: Satisfaction with leisure time (2)

Our classification: Political participation, code P8.2.2

Measurement: Question: ' How satisfied are with your leisure time?'
Rated on an 11 point scale ranging from 0 to 10.

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks				
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/11/ba</u>	<u>SNR=</u>	eta	G	r	β	
		1978	+.14	+.09	+.12	+.13
		1980				
		1984	+.11	+.02	+.05	+.10
		1988	+.09	+.02	+.02	+.10
		β 's controlled for age, gender, perceived class and marital status.				

Correlational finding on Happiness and . membership of political organizations

Subject code: P8.2.2.2

Study BIRK 1991

Reported in: Birk, F.; Palme, I.
Die politische Situation in Wien Anfang 1991. (The Political Situation in Vienna Early 1991).
IFES Study 90371, 1991, Research Report Institut für Empirische Sozialforschung, Vienna, Austria
Page in Report: E-27/1

Population: 19+ aged, general public, Vienna, Austria, 1991

Sample:

Non-Response: ?

N: 2500

Correlate

Authors label: Party membership (1)

Our classification: . membership of political organizations, code P8.2.2.2

Measurement: Comparison with non-members who prefer the same party

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-SLL/c/sq/n/5/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	Social democrats - members M = 3.2 - all supporters M = 3.1 Conservatives - members M = 3.3 - all supporters M = 3.2

Correlational finding on Happiness and . voting Subject code: P8.2.2.3

Study BIRK 1991

Reported in: Birk, F.; Palme, I.
 Die politische Situation in Wien Anfang 1991. (The Political Situation in Vienna Early 1991).
 IFES Study 90371, 1991, Research Report Institut für Empirische Sozialforschung, Vienna, Austria
 Page in Report: E-27/1

Population: 19+ aged, general public, Vienna, Austria, 1991

Sample:

Non-Response: ?

N: 2500

Correlate

Authors label: Voting intention (1)

Our classification: . voting, code P8.2.2.3

Measurement:

a. Social Democrats	(SPO)
b. Conservatives	(OVP)
c. Liberals	(FPO)
d. Ecologists	(Grüne)
e. Non-voters	
f. Undecided	

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-SLL/c/sq/n/5/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	a. M = 3.1 b. M = 3.2 c. M = 3.1 d. M = 3.0 e. M = 2.9 f. M = 3.0

Correlational finding on Happiness and . voting

Subject code: P8.2.2.3

Study SIGEL 1981

Reported in: Sigelman, L.
 Is Ignorance Bliss? A Reconsideration of the Folk Wisdom.
 Human Relations, 1981, Vol. 34, 965 - 974. ISSN 0018 7267
 Page in Report: 971

Population: 18+ aged, general public, non-institutionalized, USA, 1974-76

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 2650

Correlate

Authors label: Political participation (1)

Our classification: . voting, code P8.2.2.3

Measurement: 0 Did not vote in the most recent
 presidential election
 1 Did vote

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/3/aa</u>	<u>Beta=+.04</u> <u>ns</u>	ß controlled for: age, gender, race, education, family income, marital status, church attendance and health condition. ß hardly decreases when intelligence (IQ) is also controlled.

Correlational finding on Happiness and . voting

Subject code: P8.2.2.3

Study WHITE 1979

Reported in: White, L.K.
Sex Differentials in the Effect of Remarriage on Global Happiness.
Journal of Marriage and the Family, 1979, Vol. 41, 869 -876. ISSN 0022 2445
Page in Report: 874

Population: Adult, general public, married and divorced, Nebraska, USA, 1977

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1085

Correlate

Authors label: Voted in last two years (1)

Our classification: . voting, code P8.2.2.3

Measurement: Whether or not voted in the last two years.
0 Not voted
1 Voted

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
O-HL/c/sq/v/3/ad	<u>r=</u>	1:first marriage men r = -.01 (ns) 2:first marriage women r = +.10 (05) 3:remarriage men r = -.14 (ns) 4:remarriage women r = +.34 (05)

Correlational finding on Happiness and Current political (party) preference

Subject code: P8.3

Study BIRK 1991

Reported in: Birk, F.; Palme, I.
Die politische Situation in Wien Anfang 1991. (The Political Situation in Vienna Early 1991).
IFES Study 90371, 1991, Research Report Institut für Empirische Sozialforschung, Vienna, Austria
Page in Report: E-27/1

Population: 19+ aged, general public, Vienna, Austria, 1991

Sample:

Non-Response: ?

N: 2500

Correlate

Authors label: Party preference (1)

Our classification: Current political (party) preference, code P8.3

Measurement:

- a. Social democrats (SPO)
- b. Conservatives (OVP)
- c. Liberals (FPO)
- d. Ecologists (Grüne)
- e. no preference

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
O-SLL/c/sq/n/5/a	DM=	a. M = 3.1 b. M = 3.2 c. M = 3.2 d. M = 3.1 e. M = 3.0

Correlational finding on Happiness and Current political (party) preference

Subject code: P8.3

Study CANTR 1971

Reported in: Cantril, A.H.; Roll, C.W.
 Hopes and Fears of the American People.
 Universe Books, 1971, New York, USA ISBN 0 87663 159 6
 Page in Report: 66

Population: 21+ aged, general public, non-institutionalized, USA, 1964-71

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1588

Correlate

Authors label: Political affiliation. (1)

Our classification: Current political (party) preference, code P8.3

Measurement: Independent / Democrat / Republican

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks	
<u>C-BW/c/sq/l/11/a</u>	<u>DMt=+</u>	Independent	:Ms = 6.9 (1964) 6.4 (1971)
		Democrat	:Ms = 6.7 (1964) 6.5 (1971)
		Republican	:Ms = 7.2 (1964) 6.8 (1971)

Correlational finding on Happiness and Current political (party) preference

Subject code: P8.3

Study CARRO 2005

Reported in: Carrol, J.
Americans' Personal Satisfaction.
Gallup Polls News Service, 4 January 2005, Gallup Organization, Washington DC, USA <http://www.gallup.com/>
Page in Report: 3

Population: 18+ aged, USA, 2004

Sample: Probability multi-stage cluster sample

Non-Response:

N: 1000

Correlate

Authors label: Party identification

Our classification: Current political (party) preference, code P8.3

Measurement: a: Republican
b: Independent
c: Democrat

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
<u>O-HL/g/sq/v/3/d</u>	<u>D%=</u>	% very happy a: 64 b: 43 c: 43

Correlational finding on Happiness and Current political (party) preference

Subject code: P8.3

Study CHAMB 2000

Reported in: Chambers, C.
Americans are Overwhelmingly Happy and Optimistic about the Future of the United States.
Gallup Poll News Service, 13 October 2000, The Gallup Organization, Washington DC, USA
Page in Report: 4

Population: 18+ aged, USA, 2000

Sample: Probability simple random sample

Non-Response:

N: 1052

Correlate

Authors label: Party preference

Our classification: Current political (party) preference, code P8.3

Measurement: Registered as voter of
a: Republicans
b: Democrats
c: Independants

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-HL/g/sq/v/3/c</u>	<u>D%=+</u>	% very happy
		a: Republicans 53%
		b: Democrats 45%
		c: Independants 44%
		All 49%

Correlational finding on Happiness and Current political (party) preference Subject code: P8.3

Study CUMMI 2003C

Reported in: Cummins, R.A.; Eckersley, R.; Lo, S.; Okerstrom, E.; et al
The Wellbeing of Australians-The Effects of Work Australian Unity Wellbeing Index, Survey 7, Report 7.
The Wellbeing of Australians.The Effects of Work.
Ausralian Centre on Centre on Life, 2003, Melbourne, Australia. <http://www.deakin.edu.au/research/acqol/index.htm>
Page in Report: 130

Population: 18+aged, Australia, 2003

Sample: Probability area sample

Non-Response: 85%*N:* 1993

Correlate

Authors label: Political party*Our classification:* Current political (party) preference, code P8.3

Measurement: Single question:
 If a federal election were held next Saturday, how would you vote?
 a: Liberal
 b: National
 c: Labor
 d: Green
 e: Democrat
 f: Other

Measured Values: N= a: 715, b: 41, c: 457, d: 203, e: 36, f: 71

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-SLW/u/sq/n/11/ca</u>	<u>DMt=</u>	a: Mt = 8,03, SD = 1,56 b: Mt = 8.34, SD = 1,41 c: Mt = 7,74, SD = 1,65 d: Mt = 7,76, SD = 1,62 e: Mt = 7,72, SD = 1,41 f: Mt = 7,72, SD = 1,85
<u>O-SLW/u/sq/n/11/ca</u>	<u>BMCT=</u>	c

Correlational finding on Happiness and Current political (party) preference

Subject code: P8.3

Study

CUMMI 2003C

Reported in: Cummins, R.A.; Eckersley, R.; Lo, S.; Okerstrom, E.; et al
 The Wellbeing of Australians-The Effects of Work Australian Unity Wellbeing Index, Survey 7, Report 7.
 The Wellbeing of Australians.The Effects of Work.
 Ausralian Centre on Centre on Life, 2003, Melbourne, Australia. <http://www.deakin.edu.au/research/acqol/index.htm>
 Page in Report: 132+133

Population: 18+aged, Australia, 2003*Sample:* Probability area sample

Non-Response: 85%*N:* 1993

Correlate

Authors label: Political Support*Our classification:* Current political (party) preference, code P8.3*Measurement:* Single question:
On a scale from 0 to 10, how strong is your support for that party?*Remarks:* Question preceded by a question on party preference.

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
O-SLW/u/sq/n/11/ca	r=+.02 p<.002	All
O-SLW/u/sq/n/11/ca	r=+.06 p<.120	males
O-SLW/u/sq/n/11/ca	r=+.11 p<.003	females

Correlational finding on Happiness and Current political (party) preference

Subject code: P8.3

Study **GEHMA 1992A/2**

Reported in: Gehmacher, E.
Coping, Happiness and Ideology. Some Suggestions for the Application of Happiness Research in Politological Research.
Paper Presented at the International Conference "Towards the Good Society: Applying the Social Sciences", 1992, Rotterdam, Netherlands
Page in Report: 13*Population:* Adults, general public, Austria, 1992*Sample:**Non-Response:* ?*N:* 1553

Correlate

Authors label: Party affiliation (1)

Our classification: Current political (party) preference, code P8.3

Measurement: Voting intention at the next parliamentary election
(no/yes)
a. SPO (Social democrats)
b. VP (Conservatives)
c. FP (Liberals)
d. Grune (Ecologicals)

Remarks: β 's controled for sex, age, education, work status and home ownership.

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
O-SLW/c/sq/v/5/d	Beta=+.06	Social Democrats
O-SLW/c/sq/v/5/d	Beta=+.04	Conservatives
O-SLW/c/sq/v/5/d	Beta=+.04	Liberals
O-SLW/c/sq/v/5/d	Beta=-.08	Ecologicals

Correlational finding on Happiness and Current political (party) preference Subject code: P8.3

Study NAPIE 2008-1

Reported in: Napier, J.L; Jost, J.T.
Why are Conservatives happier than Liberals?
Psychological Science, 2008, Vol. 19, 565-572. ISSN 0956 7976
Page in Report: 566, 567

Population: Voters, before and after presidential election, USA, 2000

Sample: Probability simple random sample

Non-Response: not reported

N: 1142

Correlate

Authors label: Political orientation

Our classification: Current political (party) preference, code P8.3

Measurement: Mean of responses on 2 questions:
 a: ideology: (liberal vs conservative)
 b: party affiliation (Democrats vs Republican).
 Each rated on a 7-point numerical scale: 1 strong liberal/Democrat to 7 strong conservative/Republican.

Assessed at T1

Error Estimates: Inter item correlation: $r=.46$; $p>.001$

Remarks: Scores adjusted for non response, within-household selection, poststratification of age and education, and attrition from T1 to T2.

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
<u>O-SL?/?/sq/v/3/a</u>		T1 political orientation, by T2 happiness
<u>O-SL?/?/sq/v/3/a</u>	<u>B=+.25</u> <u>p<.001</u>	no control
<u>O-SL?/?/sq/v/3/a</u>	<u>B=+.15</u> <u>p<.05</u>	B controlled for: - Income - Education - Sex - Age - Marital status - Employment status - Church attendance - Need of recognition
<u>O-SL?/?/sq/v/3/a</u>	<u>B=+.09 ns</u>	B additionally controlled for: - Rationalization of inequality B mean point happiness (1-10) more or less per point (1-7) political preference

Correlational finding on Happiness and Current political (party) preference
 Subject code: P8.3

Study NAPIE 2008-3

Reported in: Napier, J.L.; Jost, J.T.
 Why are Conservatives happier than Liberals?
 Psychological Science, 2008, Vol. 19, 565-572. ISSN 0956 7976
 Page in Report: 569

Population: 18+n aged, 10 western nations, 1995-98,

Sample: Probability multi-stage cluster sample

Non-Response: not reported

N: 9051

Correlate

Authors label: Right-wing orientation

Our classification: Current political (party) preference, code P8.3

Measurement: Self-report on one question ideological self-placement
 1: left-wing
 .
 .
 10 right-wing

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-Sum/*/mq*/10/a</u>	<u>B=+.07</u> <u>p<.001</u>	B's controlled for: - Nation level variables - Socio-demographic variables
<u>O-Sum/*/mq*/10/a</u>	<u>B=+.06</u> <u>p<.01</u>	B additionally controlled for: (model 2) - Meritocratic beliefs
<u>O-Sum/*/mq*/10/a</u>	<u>B=+.07</u> <u>p<.001</u>	B additionally controlled for: - Interaction Right-wing orientation X development of the nation (measured with HDI)
<u>O-Sum/*/mq*/10/a</u>	<u>B=+.06</u> <u>p<.01</u>	B additionally controlled for: - Interaction Meritocratic beliefs X HDI
<u>O-Sum/*/mq*/10/a</u>		B mean point happiness (1-10) more or less per point (1-10) Right-wing orientation

Correlational finding on Happiness and Current political (party) preference
 Subject code: P8.3

Study

NAPIE 2008-4

Reported in: Napier, J.L.; Jost, J.T.
 Why are Conservatives happier than Liberals?
 Psychological Science, 2008, Vol. 19, 565-572. ISSN 0956 7976
 Page in Report: 570

Population: Voters, USA, 1974 - 2004

Sample: Probability multi-stage cluster sample

Non-Response: not reported

N: 2536

Correlate

Authors label: Political conservatism

Our classification: Current political (party) preference, code P8.3

Measurement: Self-report on single question.
 Rated on a 7-point numerical scale: 1 (strong liberal) to 7
 (strong conservative)

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
O-HL/c/sq/v/3/aa	B=+.06 p<.05	B controlled for : - Year-level country variables - unemployment - inflation - Republican president - income inequality (Gini) - Individual variables - marital status - education - sexe - income - employment - age, age squared - subjective health
O-HL/c/sq/v/3/aa	B=-.01 ns	Interaction with Republican President
O-HL/c/sq/v/3/aa	B=+1.5 p<.001	Interaction with income inequality

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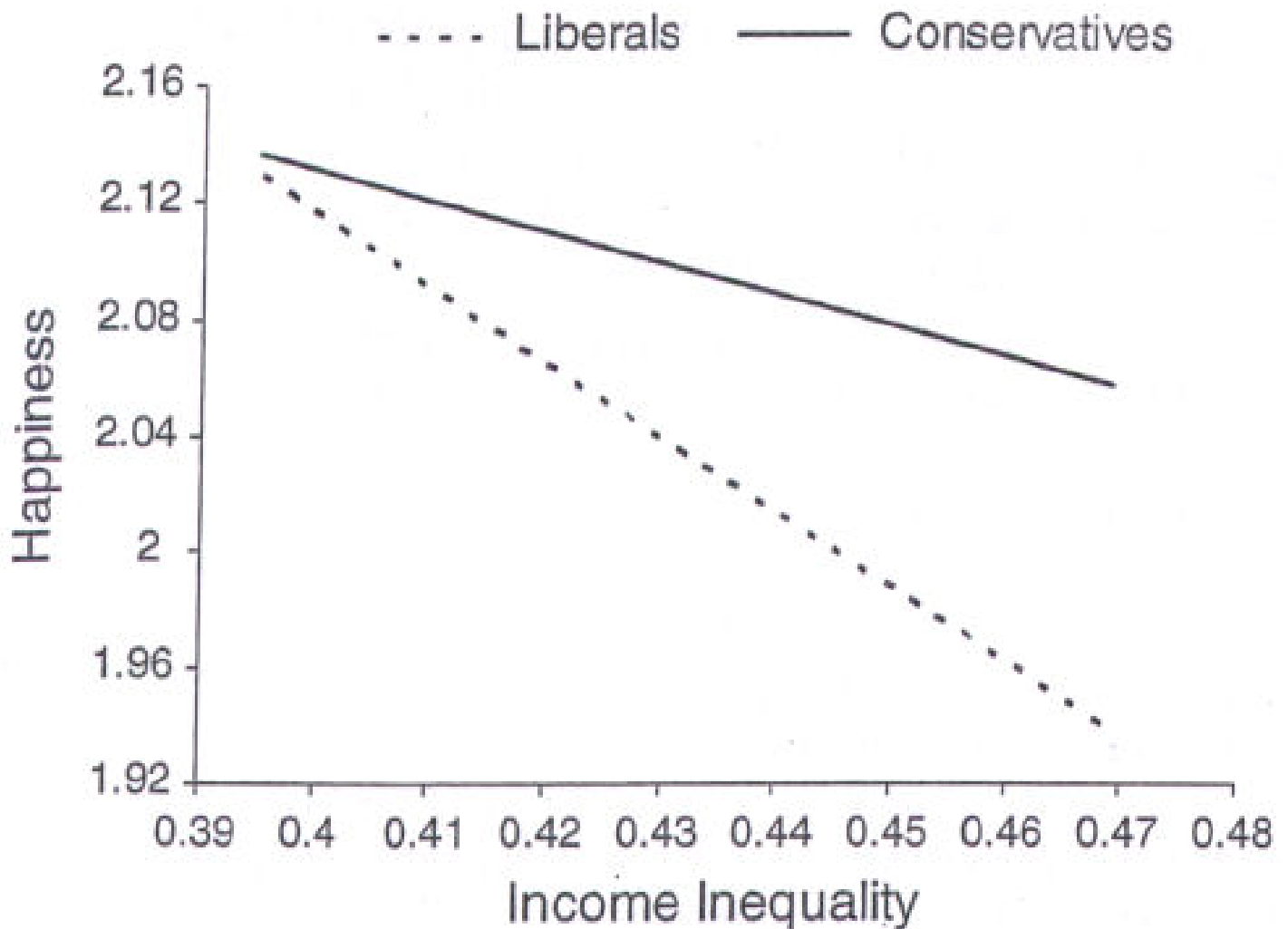


Fig. 1. The relation between political orientation and self-reported happiness as a function of the Gini index, 1974 through 2004 (Study 3).

Correlational finding on Happiness and Current political (party) preference
 Subject code: P8.3

Study

NIPO 1949

Reported in: NIPO (Dutch Institute Public Opinion)
 Wat de Mensen Gelukkig Maakt. (The Things that Make People Happy).
 De Publieke Opinie, 1949, Vol. 3, 3 - 4
 Page in Report: 4

Population: Adults, general public, The Netherlands, 1948

Sample:

Non-Response: 7%

N: 500

Correlate

Authors label: Political affiliation. (1)

Our classification: Current political (party) preference, code P8.3

Measurement: 1. Communists
 2. Social-Democratics
 3. Religious centre parties (Catholics and Protestants)
 4. Conservatives.

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-HP/u/sq/v/3/a</u>	<u>D%=+</u>	Communists : 13% happy, 52% pretty happy, 22% unhappy. Social Democrats : 37% happy, 51% pretty happy, 4% unhappy. Center (Catholics) : 43% happy, 43% pretty happy, 6% unhappy. Center (Protestants): 50% happy, 40% pretty happy, 3% unhappy. Conservatives : 52% happy, 41% pretty happy, 5% unhappy.

Correlational finding on Happiness and Current political (party) preference

Subject code: P8.3

Study SAAD 2004A

Reported in: Saad, L.
 A Nation of Happy People. Most are Happy and Satisfied with Their Lives.
 Gallup Poll News Services, 5 January 2004, Gallup Organization, Washington DC, USA
 Page in Report:

Population: 18+ aged USA, 2003

Sample: Probability simple random sample

Non-Response: 0*N:* 1011

Correlate

Authors label: Political Party ID*Our classification:* Current political (party) preference, code P8.3

Measurement: a. Republican
 b. Independent
 c. Democrat

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>			
<u>O-HL/g/sq/v/3/d</u>	<u>D%=</u>		Republican	Independent	Democrat
		Very Happy	62%	49%	50%
		Fairly Happy	35%	47%	41%
		Not Happy	3%	4%	76%
		% very happy			
		December 2003	62	49	50
		December 2002	59	42	46
		December 2001	42	33	37
		October 2000	53	44	45
		March 1996	52	46	50

Correlational finding on Happiness and Current political (party) preference

Subject code: P8.3

Study STAPE 1988/1

Reported in: Stapel, J.
 De Gelukkige Nederlanders. (The Happy Dutchman).
 Unpublished Paper, N.I.P.O.(Gallup Affiliate), 1988, Amsterdam, Netherlands
 Page in Report: 8

Population: 18+ aged, The Netherlands, 1988*Sample:* Probability systematic sample*Non-Response:**N:* 952

Correlate

Authors label: Political preference (1)

Our classification: Current political (party) preference, code P8.3

Measurement: Voted last election for:
 a: PvdA (Social Democrats)
 b: CDA (Cristian Democrats)
 c: D'66 (Liberals)
 d: VVD (Conservatives)

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
<u>M-FH/u/sq/v/3/a</u>	<u>G=+.24</u> <u>p<. 01</u>	% happy -Social Democrats 85% -Cristian Democrats 90% -Liberals 87% Conservatives 93%

Correlational finding on Happiness and Current political (party) preference Subject code: P8.3

Study TAYLO 2006

Reported in: Taylor, P.; Funk, C.; Craighill, P.
 Are We Happy Yet?
 PEW Research Center, A Social Trends Report, 2006, Washington DC, USA <http://pewresearch.org/assets/social/pdf/AreWeHappy/Yet.pdf>
 Page in Report: 5

Population: Adults, general public, USA, 2005

Sample: Probability simple random sample

Non-Response:

N: 3014

Correlate

Authors label: Political Party Affiliation

Our classification: Current political (party) preference, code P8.3

Measurement: a. Republicans
 b. Democrats
 c. Liberals

Observed Relation with Happiness

*Happiness Measure**Statistics**Elaboration/Remarks*O-HL/c/sq/v/3/caD%= p<.05

% Very Happy

a. Republicans	45%
b. Democrats	30%
c. Independent	29%

The Republican/Democratic difference appears in all income categories: e.g. poor Republicans are happier than poor Democrats.
The Republican/Democrat difference exists also among conservatives: conservative Republicans being happier than conservative Democrats.

Correlational finding on Happiness and Preference for: Left vs right wing

Subject code: P8.3.1

Study**BJORN 2008B**

Reported in: Bjornskov, C.; Dreher, A.; Fischer, J.A.
Cross-Country Determinants of Life Satisfaction: Exploring Different Determinants across Groups in Society.
Social Choice and Welfare, 2008, Vol. 30, 119 - 173
Page in Report: 131,137, 153

Population: 18+ aged, 70 nations, 1997-2000

Sample: Mixed samples

Non-Response:

N: 87748

Correlate

Authors label: conservative ideology

Our classification: Preference for: Left vs right wing, code P8.3.1

Measurement: 0: no conservative ideology
1: conservative ideology

Observed Relation with Happiness*Happiness Measure**Statistics**Elaboration/Remarks*

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aaBeta=+.14
p<.01

Individual happiness (not average) by having conservative ideology.

Beta controlled for other individual level variables:

- religion
- confidence in parliament
- trust most people
- income
- age
- gender
- education
- marital status
- children
- selfemployed
- housewife
- retired
- student
- unemployed
- service attendance (church etc.)
- belief in superior being

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aaBeta=+.15
p<.01

Beta additionally controlled for aggregated variables at country level:

- infant mortality
- years of independence
- share of catholics
- share of protestants
- bicameral system
- openness to trade
- investment price level
- postcommunist
- Asia
- Latin America
- Africa
- Middle East and North Africa

Correlational finding on Happiness and Preference for: Left vs right wing

Subject code: P8.3.1

Study

FESSE 1985

Reported in: Fessel, W.D.
Soziologische und Psychologische Ursachen des Wertwandel Phänomens. (Sociological and Psychological Determinants of Value Change).
Research Report, Institut für Empirische Sozialforschung, IFES, 1985, Vienna, Austria
Page in Report: 112

Population: 14+ aged, general public, Austria, 1985

Sample:

Non-Response: ?

N: 1027

Correlate

Authors label: Left-right (1)

Our classification: Preference for: Left vs right wing, code P8.3.1

Measurement: 2. left
4.
6.
8.
10. right

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>A-AOL/g/sq/v/3/d</u>	<u>G=-.03 ns</u>	
<u>A-AOL/g/sq/v/3/d</u>	<u>tc=-.02 ns</u>	% often happy 2. 48 4. 36 6. 52 8. 48 10. 44

Correlational finding on Happiness and Preference for: Left vs right wing Subject code: P8.3.1

Study **NAPIE 2008-1**

Reported in: Napier, J.L; Jost, J.T.
Why are Conservatives happier than Liberals?
Psychological Science, 2008, Vol. 19, 565-572. ISSN 0956 7976
Page in Report: 566, 567

Population: Voters, before and after presidential election, USA, 2000

Sample: Probability simple random sample

Non-Response: not reported

N: 1142

Correlate

Authors label: Political orientation

Our classification: Preference for: Left vs right wing, code P8.3.1

Measurement: Mean of responses on 2 questions:
 a: ideology: (liberal vs conservative)
 b: party affiliation (Democrats vs Republican).
 Each rated on a 7-point numerical scale: 1 strong liberal/Democrat to 7 strong conservative/Republican.

Assessed at T1

Error Estimates: Inter item correlation: $r=.46$; $p>.001$

Remarks: Scores adjusted for non response, within-household selection, poststratification of age and education, and attrition from T1 to T2.

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
<u>O-SL?/?/sq/v/3/a</u>		T1 political orientation, by T2 happiness
<u>O-SL?/?/sq/v/3/a</u>	<u>B=+.25</u> <u>p<.001</u>	no control
<u>O-SL?/?/sq/v/3/a</u>	<u>B=+.15</u> <u>p<.05</u>	B controlled for: - Income - Education - Sex - Age - Marital status - Employment status - Church attendance - Need of recognition
<u>O-SL?/?/sq/v/3/a</u>	<u>B=+.09 ns</u>	B additionally controlled for: - Rationalization of inequality B mean point happiness (1-10) more or less per point (1-7) political preference

Correlational finding on Happiness and Preference for: Left vs right wing Subject code: P8.3.1

Study NAPIE 2008-2

Reported in: Napier, J.L; Jost, J.T,
 Why are Conservatives happier than Liberals?
 Psychological Science, 2008, Vol. 19, 565-572. ISSN 0956 7976
 Page in Report:

Population: Voters, USA, 1995*Sample:* Probability simple random sample*Non-Response:* not reported*N:* 1176

Correlate

Authors label: Right-wing orientation*Our classification:* Preference for: Left vs right wing, code P8.3.1*Measurement:* Self-report on one item about ideological placement
Rated on a 10-point numerical scale from 1(left-wing) to 10
(right-wing)

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-Sum/*/mq/*/10/a</u>	<u>B=+.07</u> <u>p<.001</u>	No controls
<u>O-Sum/*/mq/*/10/a</u>	<u>B=+.04</u> <u>p<.10</u>	B's controlled for: - Socio-demographic variables - Meritocratic beliefs
<u>O-Sum/*/mq/*/10/a</u>		B mean point happiness (1-10) more or less per point (1-10) Right-wing orientation

Correlational finding on Happiness and Preference for: Left vs right wing Subject code: P8.3.1

Study SCHUL 1985B

Reported in: Schulz, W.; Költringer, R.; Norden, G.; Tüchler, H.
Lebensqualität in Österreich. (Quality-of-Life in Austria).
Research paper nr 10/1, Institut für Soziologie, University of Vienna, 1985, Austria
Page in Report: 48,T32*Population:* Adults, non-institutionalized, Austria, 1984*Sample:**Non-Response:* ?*N:* 1776

Correlate

Authors label: Self perceived political orientation (1)

Our classification: Preference for: Left vs right wing, code P8.3.1

Measurement: Direct question on self perceived right or left wing political orientation, rated on a 5-point scale ranging from 1="explicitly right wing" to 5="explicitly left wing".

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
O-Sum/c/mq/v/5/a	r=-.01	
O-Sum/c/mq/v/5/a	r=-.01	

Correlational finding on Happiness and Preference for: Left vs right wing
Subject code: P8.3.1

Study STAPE 1987

Reported in: Stapel, J.
Cross-Sectional Age Differences and Longitudinal Change on the Bradburn Affect Balance Scale.
Unpublished Paper, N.I.P.O.(Gallup Affiliate), 1987, Amsterdam, Netherlands
Page in Report: 9

Population: 18+ aged, general public, non-institutionalized, The Netherlands, 1987

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 825

Correlate

Authors label: Right-wing political preference (1)

Our classification: Preference for: Left vs right wing, code P8.3.1

Measurement: PvdA, CDA and VVD

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
M-FH/u/sq/v/3/a	G=+.38 p<.01	

M-FH/u/sq/v/3/a

G=+.38

p<.01

Correlational finding on Happiness and Preference for: Left vs right wing
Subject code: P8.3.1

Study	STAPE 1988/1
Reported in:	Stapel, J. De Gelukkige Nederlanders. (The Happy Dutchman). Unpublished Paper, N.I.P.O.(Gallup Affiliate), 1988, Amsterdam, Netherlands Page in Report: 9
Population:	18+ aged, The Netherlands, 1988
Sample:	Probability systematic sample
Non-Response:	
N:	952

Correlate

Authors label:	Self-rated political preference (1)
Our classification:	Preference for: Left vs right wing, code P8.3.1
Measurement:	Self rating of political preference: 1 left 2 middle 3 right.

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
<u>M-FH/u/sq/v/3/a</u>	<u>G=+.08</u> <u>p<.05</u>	% happy -extremely left 74% -left 88% -left of the middle 83% -middle 88% -right of the middle 89% -right 78% -extremely right 89%

Correlational finding on Happiness and Preference for: Left vs right wing
Subject code: P8.3.1

Study	STAPE 1988/2
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Reported in: Stapel, J.
De Gelukkige Nederlanders. (The Happy Dutchman).
Unpublished Paper, N.I.P.O.(Gallup Affiliate), 1988, Amsterdam, Netherlands
Page in Report: 11

Population: 18+ aged, general public, non-institutionalized, The Netherlands, 1981

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 833

Correlate

Authors label: Self-characterized political preference (1)

Our classification: Preference for: Left vs right wing, code P8.3.1

Measurement: Direct question on political preference, rated as left, middle or right.

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>M-FH/u/sq/v/3/a</u>	<u>G=+.07</u> <u>p<.05</u>	

Correlational finding on Happiness and Preference for: Left vs right wing
Subject code: P8.3.1

Study STAPE 1988/3

Reported in: Stapel J.
De Gelukkige Nederlanders. (The Happy Dutchman).
Unpublished Paper, N.I.P.O.(Gallup Affiliate), 1988, Amsterdam, Netherlands
Page in Report: 11

Population: 18+ aged, general public, non-institutionalized, The Netherlands, 1979

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1748

Correlate

Authors label: Self-characterized political preference (1)

Our classification: Preference for: Left vs right wing, code P8.3.1

Measurement: Direct question on political preference, rated as left, middle and right.

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>M-FH/u/sq/v/3/a</u>	<u>G=+.09</u> <u>p<.05</u>	

Correlational finding on Happiness and Preference for: Center vs extremes
Subject code: P8.3.2

Study LERNE 1958

Reported in: Lerner, D.
The Passing of Traditional Society Modernizing the Middle East.
The Free Press, 1958, New York, USA
Page in Report: 368

Population: Adult, general public, Middle East (Egypt, Iran, Jordan, Lebanon, Syria and Turkey), 1950

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1600

Correlate

Authors label: Political extremism (1)

Our classification: Preference for: Center vs extremes, code P8.3.2

Measurement: 1. Apolitical
2. Moderate right
3. Middle right
4. Extreme right
(left wing extremism not considered)

Remarks: Data Iran only.

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
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<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>D%=</u>	Apolitical	61% happy
		Moderate right	56%
		Middle right	57%
		Extreme right	29%

Correlational finding on Happiness and Preference for: Center vs extremes

Subject code: P8.3.2

Study STAPE 1988/1

Reported in: Stapel, J.
De Gelukkige Nederlanders. (The Happy Dutchman).
Unpublished Paper, N.I.P.O.(Gallup Affiliate), 1988, Amsterdam, Netherlands
Page in Report: 9

Population: 18+ aged, The Netherlands, 1988

Sample: Probability systematic sample

Non-Response:

N: 952

Correlate

Authors label: Self-rated political preference (1)

Our classification: Preference for: Center vs extremes, code P8.3.2

Measurement: Self rating of political preference:
1 left
2 middle
3 right.

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks	
<u>M-FH/u/sq/v/3/a</u>	<u>G=+.08</u> <u>p<. 05</u>	% happy	
		-extremely left	74%
		-left	88%
		-left of the middle	83%
		-middle	88%
		-right of the middle	89%
		-right	78%
		-extremely right	89%

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to basic political issues

Subject code: P8.4

Study

BJORN 2008B

Reported in: Bjornskov, C.; Dreher, A.; Fischer, J.A.
 Cross-Country Determinants of Life Satisfaction: Exploring Different Determinants across Groups in Society.
 Social Choice and Welfare, 2008, Vol. 30, 119 - 173
 Page in Report: 132,137, 153

Population: 18+ aged, 70 nations, 1997-2000

Sample: Mixed samples

Non-Response:

N: 87748

Correlate

Authors label: confidence in parliament

Our classification: Attitudes to basic political issues, code P8.4

Measurement: 0: no confidence in parliament
 1: confidence in parliament

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa	Beta=+.05 ns	Individual happiness (not average) by having confidence in parliament. Beta controlled for other individual level variables: - religion - conservative ideology - trust most people - income - age - gender - education - marital status - children - selfemployed - housewife - retired - student - unemployed - service attendance (church etc.) - belief in superior being

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aaBeta=+.10
p<.01

Beta additionally controlled for aggregated variables at country level:

- infant mortality
- years of independence
- share of catholics
- share of protestants
- bicameral system
- openness to trade
- investment price level
- postcommunist
- Asia
- Latin America
- Africa
- Middle East and North Africa

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to basic political issues

Subject code: P8.4

Study

DICKO 2002

Reported in: Dickow, H.; Moller, V.
South Africa's Rainbow People: National Pride and Optimism: A Trend Study.
Social Indicators Research, 2002, Vol. 59, 175 - 202 ISSN 0303 8300
Page in Report: 193-194

Population: 16+ aged, South Africa, 1999

Sample: Probability multi-stage cluster sample

Non-Response:

N: 2219

Correlate

Authors label: Acceptance of the rainbow

Our classification: Attitudes to basic political issues, code P8.4

Measurement: Acceptance of the rainbow as political symbol of unity among the diverse people of South-Africa

- a. "Supporters" (I believe that God has offered to all South-Africans, black and white, a new covenant for a peaceful life in a common nation)
- b. "Opponents" (For me, the covenant is a religious matter only and should not be used in politics)
- c. "Non-believers" (For me, it has no meaning at all)

Measured Values: 1. 48%, 2. 24%, 3. 28%

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>D%=</u>	% happy: - Supporters: 64 - Opponennts: 60 - Non-believers: 54
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>D%= p<.05</u>	Whites only (N=533) - Supporters: 81 (All Whites 75% happy)
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>D%= p<.01</u>	White "Afrikaners" only (N=384) - Supporters 81 (All White Afrikaanders 74)
<u>O-SLW/u/sq/v/5/d</u>	<u>D%=</u>	% satisfied: - Supporters: 57 - Opponennts: 50 - Non-believers: 49
<u>O-SLW/u/sq/v/5/d</u>	<u>D%= p<.01</u>	Whites only (N=533) - Supporters: 86 (All Whites 81)
<u>O-SLW/u/sq/v/5/d</u>	<u>D%=</u> <u>p<.0001</u>	White "Afrikaners" only (N=384) - Supporters 88 (All White Afrikaanders 81)

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to basic political issues

Subject code: P8.4

Study	DICKO 2002
<i>Reported in:</i>	Dickow, H.; Moller, V. South Africa's Rainbow People: National Pride and Optimism: A Trend Study. Social Indicators Research, 2002, Vol. 59, 175 - 202 ISSN 0303 8300 Page in Report: 189
<i>Population:</i>	16+ aged, South Africa, 1999
<i>Sample:</i>	Probability multi-stage cluster sample
<i>Non-Response:</i>	
	N: 2219

Correlate

<i>Authors label:</i>	Significance of the rainbow
<i>Our classification:</i>	Attitudes to basic political issues, code P8.4

Measurement: Agreement with statements:

- The rainbow as symbol of reconciliation and unity is an ideal for South Africans.
- The rainbow is a political symbol for nation building.
- The rainbow is a religious symbol and should not be used in politics.
- The rainbow has divided rather than united South Africans.
- The rainbow message is no longer relevant.
- Don't know.

Measured Values: 1. 35%, 2. 25%, 3. 17%, 4. 7%, 5. 4%, 6. 13%

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>D%=+</u>	% happy: - Reconciliation & unity: 58 - Political symbol: 68 - Religious symbol: 66 - Irrelevant: 51 - Divisive: 46 - Don't know: 54
<u>O-SLW/u/sq/v/5/d</u>	<u>D%=+</u>	% satisfied: - Reconciliation & unity: 52 - Political symbol: 56 - Religious symbol: 51 - Irrelevant: 51 - Divisive: 40 - Don't know: 58

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to basic political issues

Subject code: P8.4

Study DICKO 2002

Reported in: Dickow, H.; Moller, V.
 South Africa's Rainbow People: National Pride and Optimism: A Trend Study.
 Social Indicators Research, 2002, Vol. 59, 175 - 202 ISSN 0303 8300
 Page in Report: 190

Population: 16+ aged, South Africa, 1999

Sample: Probability multi-stage cluster sample

Non-Response:

N: 2219

Correlate

Authors label: Sources of national pride

Our classification: Attitudes to basic political issues, code P8.4

Measurement: Which one of the following has made you particularly proud of South Africa since 1994?:
 a. The RDP (Reconstruction and Development Programme); b. macro-economic policy: Gear (Growth, Employment and Redistribution); c. sporting achievements like the World Cup etc.; d. the South African flag/anthem; e. the Rainbow Nation - reconciliation and unity; f. TRC - the Truth and Reconciliation Commission; g. Constitution and Bill of Rights; h. world acceptance/world recognition ; i. The African Renaissance; j. none of the above, don't know.

Measured Values: a. 30%, b. 3%, c. 19%, d. 6%, e. 11%, f. 10%, g. 7%, h. 6%, i. 2%, j. 7%

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>D%=</u>	% happy: - Rainbow: 62 - RDP: 59 - Sport: 70 - Cannot name source of pride: 48
<u>O-SLW/u/sq/v/5/d</u>	<u>D%=</u>	% satisfied: - Rainbow: 54% - RDP: 45% - Sport: 67% - Cannot name source of pride: 57%

Correlational finding on Happiness and Social inequality: more vs less differences
 Subject code: P8.4.1

Study LEISU 1980/1

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center
 Survey of Values in 13 Countries.
 Table book for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values. The Leisure Development Center, Tokyo.
 Page in Report: 41/5

Population: 18+ aged, general public, Australia, 1979

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1104

Correlate

Authors label: Acceptance of social inequality (1)

Our classification: Social inequality: more vs less differences, code P8.4.1

Measurement: "Here are two options in the existing conditions of our country. Which one do you agree with?"

1. Too much liberalism here has been producing increasingly wide differences in people's economic and social life. People should live more equally.
2. There is too much of equality principle. People should be given more credit to choose their own economical and social life according to their abilities.

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>G=+.09</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>G=+.12</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tc=+.01 ns</u>	1. wants less inequality 36 2. wants more inequality 33
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>tc=+.05</u> <u>p<.01</u>	% Very happy: 1. wants less inequality 44 2. wants more inequality 47

Correlational finding on Happiness and Social inequality: more vs less differences

Subject code: P8.4.1

Study LEISU 1980/10

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center
Survey of Values in 13 Countries.
Tablebook for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values. The Leisure Development Center, Tokyo
Page in Report: 563/7

Population: 18+ aged, general public, urban areas, South Korea, 1972

Sample:

*Non-Response:**N:* 997

Correlate

Authors label: Acceptance of social inequality (1)*Our classification:* Social inequality: more vs less differences, code P8.4.1*Measurement:* "Here are two options in the existing conditions of our country. Which one do you agree with?"

1. Too much liberalism here has been producing increasingly wide differences in people's economic and social life. People should live more equally.
2. There is too much of equality principle. People should be given more credit to choose their own economical and social life according to their abilities.

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>G=+.16</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>G=+.12</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>tc=+.06</u> <u>p<.01</u>	% Very happy: 1. wants less inequality 5 2. wants more inequality 5
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tc=+.09</u> <u>p<.01</u>	1. wants less inequality 2 2. wants more inequality 2

Correlational finding on Happiness and Social inequality: more vs less differences
 Subject code: P8.4.1

Study

LEISU 1980/11

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center,
 Survey of Values in 13 Countries.
 Table book for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values. The Leisure Development Center,
 Tokyo
 Page in Report: 621/5

Population: 18+ aged, general public, United Kingdom, 1972

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 987

Correlate

Authors label: Acceptance of social inequality (1)

Our classification: Social inequality: more vs less differences, code P8.4.1

Measurement: "Here are two options in the existing conditions of our country. Which one do you agree with?"

1. Too much liberalism here has been producing increasingly wide differences in people's economic and social life. People should live more equally.
2. There is too much of equality principle. People should be given more credit to choose their own economical and social life according to their abilities.

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>G=+.08</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>G=+.10</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>tc=+.04 ns</u>	% Very happy: 1. wants less inequality 47 2. wants more inequality 51
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tc=+.05</u> <u>p<.01</u>	1. wants less inequality 41 2. wants more inequality 45

Correlational finding on Happiness and Social inequality: more vs less differences
Subject code: P8.4.1

Study LEISU 1980/12

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center
 Survey of Values in 13 Countries.
 Table book for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values. The Leisure Development Center,
 Tokyo
 Page in Report: 679/83

Population: 18+ aged, general public, USA, 1979

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1127

Correlate

Authors label: Acceptance of social inequality (1)

Our classification: Social inequality: more vs less differences, code P8.4.1

Measurement: "Here are two options in the existing conditions of our country. Which one do you agree with?"

1. Too much liberalism here has been producing increasingly wide differences in people's economic and social life. People should live more equally.
2. There is too much of equality principle. People should be given more credit to choose their own economical and social life according to their abilities.

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>G=+.15</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>G=+.05</u> <u>p<.05</u>	
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>tc=+.08</u> <u>p<.01</u>	% Very happy: 1. wants less inequality 37 2. wants more inequality 43
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tc=+.03 ns</u>	1. wants less inequality 37 2. wants more inequality 37

Correlational finding on Happiness and Social inequality: more vs less differences
 Subject code: P8.4.1

Study

LEISU 1980/13

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center
Survey of Values in 13 Countries.
Table book for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values. The Leisure Development Center,
Tokyo
Page in Report: 373/41

Population: 18+ aged, general public, West Germany, 1979

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1020

Correlate

Authors label: Acceptance of social inequality (1)

Our classification: Social inequality: more vs less differences, code P8.4.1

Measurement: "Here are two options in the existing conditions of our country. Which one do you agree with?"

1. Too much liberalism here has been producing increasingly wide differences in people's economic and social life. People should live more equally.
2. There is too much of equality principle. People should be given more credit to choose their own economical and social life according to their abilities.

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>G=-.06</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>G=+.05</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tc=+.03 ns</u>	1. wants less inequality 18 2. wants more inequality 17
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>tc=-.03 ns</u>	% Very happy: 1. wants less inequality 13 2. wants more inequality 10

Correlational finding on Happiness and Social inequality: more vs less differences

Subject code: P8.4.1

Study LEISU 1980/2

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center
Survey of Values in 13 Countries.
Table book for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values. The Leisure Development Center,
Tokyo
Page in Report: 99/103

Population: Adult, general public, metropolitan areas Brazil, 1979

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1000

Correlate

Authors label: Acceptance of social inequality (1)

Our classification: Social inequality: more vs less differences, code P8.4.1

Measurement: "Here are two options in the existing conditions of our country. Which one do you agree with?"

1. Too much liberalism here has been producing increasingly wide differences in people's economic and social life. People should live more equally.
2. There is too much of equality principle. People should be given more credit to choose their own economical and social life according to their abilities.

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>G=+.21</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>G=+.11</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tc=+.06</u> <u>p<.01</u>	1. wants less inequality 36 2. wants more inequality 42
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>tc=+.10</u> <u>p<.01</u>	% Very happy: 1. wants less inequality 39 2. wants more inequality 48

Correlational finding on Happiness and Social inequality: more vs less differences

Subject code: P8.4.1

Study LEISU 1980/3

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center.
Survey of Values in 13 Countries.
Table book for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values, The Leisure Development Center, Tokyo
Page in Report: 157/161

Population: 18+ aged, general public, Canada, 1979

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1012

Correlate

Authors label: Acceptance of social inequality (1)

Our classification: Social inequality: more vs less differences, code P8.4.1

Measurement: "Here are two options in the existing conditions of our country. Which one do you agree with?"

1. Too much liberalism here has been producing increasingly wide differences in people's economic and social life. People should live more equally.
2. There is too much of equality principle. People should be given more credit to choose their own economical and social life according to their abilities.

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>G=+.16</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>G=+.14</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>tc=+.08</u> <u>p<.01</u>	% Very happy: 1. wants less inequality 35 2. wants more inequality 42

O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/atc=+.09

1. wants less inequality 29

p<.01

2. wants more inequality 37

Correlational finding on Happiness and Social inequality: more vs less differences

Subject code: P8.4.1

Study

LEISU 1980/4

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center
Survey of Values in 13 Countries.
Tablebook for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values. The Leisure Development Center,
Tokyo
Page in Report: 215/9

Population: 18+ aged, general public, France, 1979

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1000

Correlate

Authors label: Acceptance of social inequality (1)

Our classification: Social inequality: more vs less differences, code P8.4.1

Measurement: "Here are two options in the existing conditions of our country. Which one do you agree with?"

1. Too much liberalism here has been producing increasingly wide differences in people's economic and social life. People should live more equally.
2. There is too much of equality principle. People should be given more credit to choose their own economical and social life according to their abilities.

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure

Statistics

Elaboration/Remarks

O-HL/c/sq/v/5/eG=+.18p<.01O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/aG=+.14p<.01

O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/atc=+.08

1. wants less inequality 15

p<.01

2. wants more inequality 13

O-HL/c/sq/v/5/etc=+.10

% Very happy:

p<.01

1. wants less inequality 15

2. wants more inequality 16

Correlational finding on Happiness and Social inequality: more vs less differences

Subject code: P8.4.1

Study

LEISU 1980/5

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center
Survey of Values in 13 Countries.

Table book for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values. The Leisure Development Center,
Tokyo.

Page in Report: 273/7

Population: 18+ aged, general public, India, 1979

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1000

Correlate

Authors label: Acceptance of social inequality (1)

Our classification: Social inequality: more vs less differences, code P8.4.1

Measurement: "Here are two options in the existing conditions of our country. Which one do you agree with?"

1. Too much liberalism here has been producing increasingly wide differences in people's economic and social life. People should live more equally.
2. There is too much of equality principle. People should be given more credit to choose their own economical and social life according to their abilities.

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure

Statistics

Elaboration/Remarks

O-HL/c/sq/v/5/eG=+.02 ns

O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/aG=+.06p<.01O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/atc=+.03 ns

1. wants less inequality 13
2. wants more inequality 10

O-HL/c/sq/v/5/etc=+.01 ns

- % Very happy:
1. wants less inequality 14
 2. wants more inequality 13

Correlational finding on Happiness and Social inequality: more vs less differences

Subject code: P8.4.1

Study

LEISU 1980/6

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center
Survey of Values in 13 Countries.
Tablebook for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values. The Leisure Development Center,
Tokyo
Page in Report: 331/5

Population: 18+ aged, general public, Italy, 1979

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1042

Correlate

Authors label: Acceptance of social inequality (1)

Our classification: Social inequality: more vs less differences, code P8.4.1

Measurement: "Here are two options in the existing conditions of our country. Which one do you agree with?"

1. Too much liberalism here has been producing increasingly wide differences in people's economic and social life. People should live more equally.
2. There is too much of equality principle. People should be given more credit to choose their own economical and social life according to their abilities.

Observed Relation with Happiness

*Happiness
Measure*

Statistics

Elaboration/Remarks

O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/aG=+.06p<.01O-HL/c/sq/v/5/eG=+.03 nsO-SLu/c/sq/v/5/atc=+.03 ns

1. wants less inequality 8
2. wants more inequality 10

O-HL/c/sq/v/5/etc=+.02 ns

- % Very happy:
1. wants less inequality 8
 2. wants more inequality 13

Correlational finding on Happiness and Social inequality: more vs less differences

Subject code: P8.4.1

Study

LEISU 1980/7

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center
Survey of Values in 13 Countries.

Tablebook for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values. The Leisure Development Center,
Tokyo

Page in Report: 389/93

Population: 18+ aged, general public, Japan, 1979

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1574

Correlate

Authors label: Acceptance of social inequality (1)

Our classification: Social inequality: more vs less differences, code P8.4.1

Measurement: "Here are two options in the existing conditions of our country. Which one do you agree with?"

1. Too much liberalism here has been producing increasingly wide differences in people's economic and social life. People should live more equally.
2. There is too much of equality principle. People should be given more credit to choose their own economical and social life according to their abilities.

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>G=+.12</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>G=+.14</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>tc=+.06</u> <u>p<.01</u>	% Very happy: 1. wants less inequality 12 2. wants more inequality 13
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tc=+.07</u>	1. wants less inequality 4 2. wants more inequality 6

Correlational finding on Happiness and Social inequality: more vs less differences
Subject code: P8.4.1

Study LEISU 1980/8

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center
Survey of Values in 13 Countries.
Table book for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values. The Leisure Development Center,
Tokyo
Page in Report: 447/51

Population: 18+ aged, general public, Phillippines, 1979

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 996

Correlate

Authors label: Acceptance of social inequality (1)

Our classification: Social inequality: more vs less differences, code P8.4.1

Measurement: "Here are two options in the existing conditions of our country. Which one do you agree with?"

1. Too much liberalism here has been producing increasingly wide differences in people's economic and social life. People should live more equally.
2. There is too much of equality principle. People should be given more credit to choose their own economical and social life according to their abilities.

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>G=-.04</u> <u>p<.05</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>G=+.00 ns</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tc=+.00 ns</u>	1. wants less inequality 19 2. wants more inequality 18
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>tc=-.02 ns</u>	% Very happy: 1. wants less inequality 16 2. wants more inequality 19

Correlational finding on Happiness and Social inequality: more vs less differences

Subject code: P8.4.1

Study

LEISU 1980/9

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center
Survey of Values in 13 Countries.
Tablebook for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values. The Leisure Development Center,
Tokyo
Page in Report: 505/9

Population: 18+ aged, general public, Singapore, 1979

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1006

Correlate

Authors label: Acceptance of social inequality (1)

Our classification: Social inequality: more vs less differences, code P8.4.1

Measurement: "Here are two options in the existing conditions of our country. Which one do you agree with?"

1. Too much liberalism here has been producing increasingly wide differences in people's economic and social life. People should live more equally.
2. There is too much of equality principle. People should be given more credit to choose their own economical and social life according to their abilities.

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>G=-.18</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>G=-.19</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tc=-.10</u> <u>p<.01</u>	1. wants less inequality 24 2. wants more inequality 36
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>tc=-.11</u> <u>p<.01</u>	% Very happy: 1. wants less inequality 27 2. wants more inequality 39

Correlational finding on Happiness and Social inequality: more vs less differences
Subject code: P8.4.1

Study NAPIE 2008-2

Reported in: Napier, J.L; Jost, J.T,
Why are Conservatives happier than Liberals?
Psychological Science, 2008, Vol. 19, 565-572. ISSN 0956 7976
Page in Report: 569

Population: Voters, USA, 1995

Sample: Probability simple random sample

Non-Response: not reported

N: 1176

Correlate

Authors label: Meritocratic beliefs

Our classification: Social inequality: more vs less differences, code P8.4.1

Measurement: Self-report on single question, rated on a 10-point numerical scale from:
 1: Hard work doesn't generally bring success - it's more a matter of luck
 .
 .
 10 In the long run, hard work usually brings a better life

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-Sum/*mq*/10/a</u>	<u>B=+.07</u> <u>p<.001</u>	B's controlled for: - Right-wing orientation - Socio-demographic variables
<u>O-Sum/*mq*/10/a</u>		B mean point happiness (1-10) more or less per point (1-10) meritocratic beliefs

Correlational finding on Happiness and Social inequality: more vs less differences Subject code: P8.4.1

Study

NAPIE 2008-3

Reported in: Napier, J.L.; Jost, J.T.
 Why are Conservatives happier than Liberals?
 Psychological Science, 2008, Vol. 19, 565-572. ISSN 0956 7976
 Page in Report: 569

Population: 18+n aged, 10 western nations, 1995-98,

Sample: Probability multi-stage cluster sample

Non-Response: not reported

N: 9051

Correlate

Authors label: Meritocratic beliefs

Our classification: Social inequality: more vs less differences, code P8.4.1

Measurement: Self-report on one question on endorsement of meritocracy
 1: hard work doesn't generally bring success - it's more a matter of luck
 .
 .
 10: in the long run, hard work usually brings a better life

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-Sum*/mq*/10/a</u>	<u>B=+.07</u> <u>p<.001</u>	B's controlled for: - Nation level variables - Socio-demographic variables - Right wing-orientation
<u>O-Sum*/mq*/10/a</u>	<u>B=+.07</u> <u>p<.001</u>	B additionally controlled for: - Meritocratic beliefs X development of the nation (measured with HDI)
<u>O-Sum*/mq*/10/a</u>		B mean point happiness (1-10) more or less per point (1-10) meritocratic beliefs

Correlational finding on Happiness and Social reform: radical reform vs consolidation Subject code: P8.4.2

Study DOBSO 1985

Reported in: Dobson, C.D.
 Attitudes and Perceptions.
 Powers, E.A.;et al,;Eds.: "Late Life Transitions", Kluwer, 1985, Dordrecht, Netherlands, 123 - 136. ISBN 0 8983 8137 1
 Page in Report: 135

Population: 50+ aged males, fulltime employed at T1, followed ten years, Iowa, USA, 1964-74

Sample: Non-probability purposive-quota sample

Non-Response: T1 refusals: 8% T1-T2 drop-out: 29%, of which 20% deceased

N: 1870

Correlate

Authors label: Approval for political interventions (1)

Our classification: Social reform: radical reform vs consolidation, code P8.4.2

Measurement: 3 item index of questions about proper role of government in eareas of income, housing and health care (Cutler 1973). Assessed at T2 (1974).

a. for everybody

b. for the aged

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>M-CO/h/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=-.10</u> <u>p<.001</u>	T1 Correlated with happiness at T1 (1964) and T2 (1974)
<u>M-CO/h/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=-.14</u> <u>p<.001</u>	T2
<u>M-CO/h/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=-.10</u> <u>p<.001</u>	T1
<u>M-CO/h/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>r=-.16</u> <u>p<.001</u>	T2

Correlational finding on Happiness and Social reform: radical reform vs consolidation Subject code: P8.4.2

Study HARDI 1985

Reported in: Harding, S.D.
Values and the Nature of Psychological Well-Being
Abrams, M.; Gerard, D.; Timms, N.; Eds.: " Values and Social Change in Britain", Macmillan, 1985, London, UK, 227 - 252. ISBN 0 333 38676 0
Page in Report: 233

Population: 18+ aged, general public, Britain, 1983

Sample:

Non-Response: ?

N: 1231

Correlate

Authors label: Reform orientation (1)

Our classification: Social reform: radical reform vs consolidation, code P8.4.2

Measurement: Single direct question; society needs: 1 Defence
2 Reform
3 Change

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>		
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>G=-.14</u> <u>p<.001</u>	change reform defence	31% 38% 42%	very happy
<u>A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	change reform defence	M = 0.5 1.5 1.7	Mt ' = 5.5 6.5 6.7
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	change reform defence	M = 7.2 7.7 7.9	Mt ' = 6.9 7.4 7.7
<u>O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a</u>	<u>tb=-.09</u> <u>p<.01</u>			

Correlational finding on Happiness and Social reform: radical reform vs consolidation Subject code: P8.4.2

Study LEISU 1980/1

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center
Survey of Values in 13 Countries.
Table book for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values. The Leisure Development Center,
Tokyo.
Page in Report: 41/5

Population: 18+ aged, general public, Australia, 1979

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1104

Correlate

Authors label: Acceptance of social order (1)

Our classification: Social reform: radical reform vs consolidation, code P8.4.2

Measurement: Single direct question: "Which of the following three statements best summarises your own view of our society?"

1. Completely reject the existing law, our present system of government and our society, the only solution is complete social change (radical).
2. See many shortcomings in our present system, believe in a gradual improvement within the existing system of government (moderate).
3. Accept overall the existing law, our present system of government and our society (conservative).

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>	
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>G=+.12</u> <u>p<.01</u>		
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>G=+.18</u> <u>p<.01</u>		
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tb=+.08</u> <u>p<.01</u>	1. radical	27
		2. moderate	35
		3. conservative	40
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>tc=-.05</u> <u>p<.01</u>	% Very happy:	
		1. radical	36
		2. moderate	47
		3. conservative	48

Correlational finding on Happiness and Social reform: radical reform vs consolidation

Subject code: P8.4.2

Study LEISU 1980/10

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center
Survey of Values in 13 Countries.
Tablebook for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values. The Leisure Development Center, Tokyo
Page in Report: 563/7

Population: 18+ aged, general public, urban areas, South Korea, 1972

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 997

Correlate

Authors label: Acceptance of social order (1)

Our classification: Social reform: radical reform vs consolidation, code P8.4.2

Measurement: Single direct question: "Which of the following three statements best summarises your own view of our society?"

1. Completely reject the existing law, our present system of government and our society, the only solution is complete social change (radical).
2. See many shortcomings in our present system, believe in a gradual improvement within the existing system of government (moderate).
3. Accept overall the existing law, our present system of government and our society (conservative).

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>G=+.20</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>G=+.14</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>tc=+.06</u> <u>p<.01</u>	% Very happy: 1. radical 4 2. moderate 5 3. conservative 9
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tb=+.09</u> <u>p<.01</u>	1. radical 1 2. moderate 2 3. conservative 3

Correlational finding on Happiness and Social reform: radical reform vs consolidation
Subject code: P8.4.2

Study LEISU 1980/11

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center,
Survey of Values in 13 Countries.
Table book for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values. The Leisure Development Center,
Tokyo
Page in Report: 621/5

Population: 18+ aged, general public, United Kingdom, 1972

*Sample:**Non-Response:**N:* 987

Correlate

Authors label: Acceptance of social order (1)*Our classification:* Social reform: radical reform vs consolidation, code P8.4.2

Measurement: Single direct question: "Which of the following three statements best summarises your own view of our society?"

1. Completely reject the existing law, our present system of government and our society, the only solution is complete social change (radical).
2. See many shortcomings in our present system, believe in a gradual improvement within the existing system of government (moderate).
3. Accept overall the existing law, our present system of government and our society (conservative).

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>G=+.03 ns</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>G=+.09</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tb=+.04</u> <u>p<.05</u>	1. radical 40 2. moderate 41 3. conservative 48
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>tc=+.02 ns</u>	% Very happy: 1. radical 47 2. moderate 47 3. conservative 50

Correlational finding on Happiness and Social reform: radical reform vs consolidation
Subject code: P8.4.2

Study LEISU 1980/12

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center
Survey of Values in 13 Countries.
Table book for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values. The Leisure Development Center,
Tokyo
Page in Report: 679/83

Population: 18+ aged, general public, USA, 1979

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1127

Correlate

Authors label: Acceptance of social order (1)

Our classification: Social reform: radical reform vs consolidation, code P8.4.2

Measurement: Single direct question: "Which of the following three statements best summarises your own view of our society?"

1. Completely reject the existing law, our present system of government and our society, the only solution is complete social change (radical).
2. See many shortcomings in our present system, believe in a gradual improvement within the existing system of government (moderate).
3. Accept overall the existing law, our present system of government and our society (conservative).

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>G=+.13</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>G=+.14</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>tc=+.05</u> <u>p<.01</u>	% Very happy: 1. radical 35 2. moderate 42 3. conservative 46
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tb=+.05</u> <u>p<.01</u>	1. radical 33 2. moderate 37 3. conservative 43

Correlational finding on Happiness and Social reform: radical reform vs consolidation

Subject code: P8.4.2

Study LEISU 1980/13

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center
Survey of Values in 13 Countries.
Table book for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values. The Leisure Development Center,
Tokyo
Page in Report: 737/41

Population: 18+ aged, general public, West Germany, 1979

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1020

Correlate

Authors label: Acceptance of social order (1)

Our classification: Social reform: radical reform vs consolidation, code P8.4.2

Measurement: Single direct question: "Which of the following three statements best summarises your own view of our society?"

1. Completely reject the existing law, our present system of government and our society, the only solution is complete social change (radical).
2. See many shortcomings in our present system, believe in a gradual improvement within the existing system of government (moderate).
3. Accept overall the existing law, our present system of government and our society (conservative).

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>G=+.02 ns</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>G=+.07</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tb=+.03</u> <u>p<.01</u>	1. radical 19 2. moderate 16 3. conservative 17

O-HL/c/sq/v/5/etc=+.01 ns

% Very happy:

- | | |
|-----------------|----|
| 1. radical | 8 |
| 2. moderate | 12 |
| 3. conservative | 12 |

Correlational finding on Happiness and Social reform: radical reform vs consolidation

Subject code: P8.4.2

Study

LEISU 1980/2

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center
Survey of Values in 13 Countries.
Table book for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values. The Leisure Development Center,
Tokyo
Page in Report: 99/103

Population: Adult, general public, metropolitan areas Brazil, 1979

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1000

Correlate

Authors label: Acceptance of social order (1)

Our classification: Social reform: radical reform vs consolidation, code P8.4.2

Measurement: Single direct question: "Which of the following three statements best summarises your own view of our society?"

1. Completely reject the existing law, our present system of government and our society, the only solution is complete social change (radical).
2. See many shortcomings in our present system, believe in a gradual improvement within the existing system of government (moderate).
3. Accept overall the existing law, our present system of government and our society (conservative).

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure

Statistics

Elaboration/Remarks

O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e

G=+.27
p<.01

O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/aG=+.23p<.01O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/atb=+.13p<.01

- | | |
|-----------------|----|
| 1. radical | 26 |
| 2. moderate | 36 |
| 3. conservative | 50 |

O-HL/c/sq/v/5/etc=+.15p<.01

- | | |
|-----------------|----|
| % Very happy: | |
| 1. radical | 29 |
| 2. moderate | 39 |
| 3. conservative | 57 |

Correlational finding on Happiness and Social reform: radical reform vs consolidation

Subject code: P8.4.2

Study

LEISU 1980/3

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center.
Survey of Values in 13 Countries.

Table book for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values, The Leisure Development Center,
Tokyo

Page in Report: 157/161

Population: 18+ aged, general public, Canada, 1979

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1012

Correlate

Authors label: Acceptance of social order (1)

Our classification: Social reform: radical reform vs consolidation, code P8.4.2

Measurement: Single direct question: "Which of the following three statements best summarises your own view of our society?"

1. Completely reject the existing law, our present system of government and our society, the only solution is complete social change (radical).
2. See many shortcomings in our present system, believe in a gradual improvement within the existing system of government (moderate).
3. Accept overall the existing law, our present system of government and our society (conservative).

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>G=+.13</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>G=+.15</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tc=+.04</u> <u>p<.05</u>	1. radical 27 2. moderate 34 3. conservative 38
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>tc=+.05</u> <u>p<.01</u>	% Very happy: 1. radical 28 2. moderate 39 3. conservative 44

Correlational finding on Happiness and Social reform: radical reform vs consolidation
Subject code: P8.4.2

Study

LEISU 1980/4

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center
Survey of Values in 13 Countries.
Tablebook for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values. The Leisure Development Center,
Tokyo
Page in Report: 215/93

Population: 18+ aged, general public, France, 1979

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1000

Correlate

Authors label: Acceptance of social order (1)

Our classification: Social reform: radical reform vs consolidation, code P8.4.2

Measurement: Single direct question: "Which of the following three statements best summarises your own view of our society?"

1. Completely reject the existing law, our present system of government and our society, the only solution is complete social change (radical).
2. See many shortcomings in our present system, believe in a gradual improvement within the existing system of government (moderate).
3. Accept overall the existing law, our present system of government and our society (conservative).

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>G=+.11</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>G=-.20</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tb=-.10</u> <u>p<.01</u>	1. radical 13 2. moderate 13 3. conservative 20
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>tc=+.05</u> <u>p<.01</u>	% Very happy: 1. radical 17 2. moderate 15 3. conservative 16

Correlational finding on Happiness and Social reform: radical reform vs consolidation

Subject code: P8.4.2

Study

LEISU 1980/5

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center
Survey of Values in 13 Countries.
Table book for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values. The Leisure Development Center, Tokyo.
Page in Report: 273/7

Population: 18+ aged, general public, India, 1979

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1000

Correlate

Authors label: Acceptance of social order (1)

Our classification: Social reform: radical reform vs consolidation, code P8.4.2

Measurement: Single direct question: "Which of the following three statements best summarises your own view of our society?"

1. Completely reject the existing law, our present system of government and our society, the only solution is complete social change (radical).
2. See many shortcomings in our present system, believe in a gradual improvement within the existing system of government (moderate).
3. Accept overall the existing law, our present system of government and our society (conservative).

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>	
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>G=+.20</u> <u>p<.01</u>		
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>G=+.18</u> <u>p<.01</u>		
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tb=+.10</u> <u>p<.01</u>	1. radical	11
		2. moderate	12
		3. conservative	17
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>tc=+.11</u> <u>p<.01</u>	% Very happy:	
		1. radical	12
		2. moderate	16
		3. conservative	13

Correlational finding on Happiness and Social reform: radical reform vs consolidation
Subject code: P8.4.2

Study LEISU 1980/6

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center
Survey of Values in 13 Countries.
Tablebook for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values. The Leisure Development Center, Tokyo
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Population: 18+ aged, general public, Italy, 1979

*Sample:**Non-Response:**N:* 1042

Correlate

Authors label: Acceptance of social order (1)*Our classification:* Social reform: radical reform vs consolidation, code P8.4.2

Measurement: Single direct question: "Which of the following three statements best summarises your own view of our society?"

1. Completely reject the existing law, our present system of government and our society, the only solution is complete social change (radical).
2. See many shortcomings in our present system, believe in a gradual improvement within the existing system of government (moderate).
3. Accept overall the existing law, our present system of government and our society (conservative).

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>G=+.17</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>G=+.19</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>tc=+.08</u> <u>p<.01</u>	% Very happy: 1. radical 7 2. moderate 11 3. conservative 11
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tb=+.07</u> <u>p<.01</u>	1. radical 6 2. moderate 9 3. conservative 11

Correlational finding on Happiness and Social reform: radical reform vs consolidation
Subject code: P8.4.2

Study LEISU 1980/7

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center
Survey of Values in 13 Countries.
Tablebook for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values. The Leisure Development Center,
Tokyo
Page in Report: 389/93

Population: 18+ aged, general public, Japan, 1979

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1574

Correlate

Authors label: Acceptance of social order (1)

Our classification: Social reform: radical reform vs consolidation, code P8.4.2

Measurement: Single direct question: "Which of the following three statements best summarises your own view of our society?"

1. Completely reject the existing law, our present system of government and our society, the only solution is complete social change (radical).
2. See many shortcomings in our present system, believe in a gradual improvement within the existing system of government (moderate).
3. Accept overall the existing law, our present system of government and our society (conservative).

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>G=+.19</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>G=+.22</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tb=+.05</u> <u>p<.01</u>	1. radical 4 2. moderate 4 3. conservative 10
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>tc=+.05</u> <u>p<.01</u>	% Very happy: 1. radical 14 2. moderate 12 3. conservative 15

Correlational finding on Happiness and Social reform: radical reform vs consolidation

Subject code: P8.4.2

Study LEISU 1980/8

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center
Survey of Values in 13 Countries.
Table book for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values. The Leisure Development Center,
Tokyo
Page in Report: 447/51

Population: 18+ aged, general public, Phillippines, 1979

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 996

Correlate

Authors label: Acceptance of social order (1)

Our classification: Social reform: radical reform vs consolidation, code P8.4.2

Measurement: Single direct question: "Which of the following three statements best summarises your own view of our society?"

1. Completely reject the existing law, our present system of government and our society, the only solution is complete social change (radical).
2. See many shortcomings in our present system, believe in a gradual improvement within the existing system of government (moderate).
3. Accept overall the existing law, our present system of government and our society (conservative).

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>G=+.05</u> <u>p<.05</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>G=+.08</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tb=+.04 ns</u>	1. radical 28 2. moderate 19 3. conservative 17

O-HL/c/sq/v/5/etc=+.02 ns

% Very happy:

- | | |
|-----------------|----|
| 1. radical | 23 |
| 2. moderate | 20 |
| 3. conservative | 10 |

Correlational finding on Happiness and Social reform: radical reform vs consolidation

Subject code: P8.4.2

Study

LEISU 1980/9

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center
Survey of Values in 13 Countries.
Tablebook for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values. The Leisure Development Center,
Tokyo
Page in Report: 505/9

Population: 18+ aged, general public, Singapore, 1979

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1006

Correlate

Authors label: Acceptance of social order (1)

Our classification: Social reform: radical reform vs consolidation, code P8.4.2

Measurement: Single direct question: "Which of the following three statements best summarises your own view of our society?"

1. Completely reject the existing law, our present system of government and our society, the only solution is complete social change (radical).
2. See many shortcomings in our present system, believe in a gradual improvement within the existing system of government (moderate).
3. Accept overall the existing law, our present system of government and our society (conservative).

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure

Statistics

Elaboration/Remarks

O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/aG=-.10p<.01

O-HL/c/sq/v/5/eG=-.11p<.01O-HL/c/sq/v/5/etc=-.04p<.05

% Very happy:

1. radical 18

2. moderate 30

3. conservative 36

O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/atb=-.04p<.05

1. radical 27

2. moderate 26

3. conservative 32

Correlational finding on Happiness and Configuration of orientations to inequality and social reform

Subject code: P8.4.3

Study

LEISU 1980/1

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center

Survey of Values in 13 Countries.

Table book for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values. The Leisure Development Center, Tokyo.

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Population: 18+ aged, general public, Australia, 1979*Sample:**Non-Response:**N:* 1104

Correlate

Authors label: Political conservatism (1)*Our classification:* Configuration of orientations to inequality and social reform, code P8.4.3*Measurement:* Configuration of responses on two direct questions:- Acceptance of present social order
(vs radical rejection). See N 1.1.3- Acceptance of social inequality
(wants more inequality rather than
less). See N 1.1.4.

1. rejects order/wants less inequality

2. rejects order/wants more inequality

3. moderate / wants less inequality

4. moderate / wants more inequality

5. accepts order /wants less inequality

6. accepts order /wants more inequality

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>G=+.10</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>G=+.10</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>tc=+.05</u> <u>p<.01</u>	% Very happy: 1. 46 2. 47 3. 48 4. 46 5. 42 6. 31 All 46
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tc=+.05</u> <u>p<.01</u>	1. 24 2. 32 3. 36 4. 33 5. 49 6. 34 All 35

Correlational finding on Happiness and Configuration of orientations to inequality and social reform

Subject code: P8.4.3

Study LEISU 1980/10

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center
Survey of Values in 13 Countries.
Tablebook for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values. The Leisure Development Center,
Tokyo
Page in Report: 563/7

Population: 18+ aged, general public, urban areas, South Korea, 1972

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 997

Correlate

Authors label: Political conservatism (1)

Our classification: Configuration of orientations to inequality and social reform, code P8.4.3

Measurement: Configuration of responses on two direct questions:

- Acceptance of present social order (vs radical rejection). See N 1.1.3
- Acceptance of social inequality (wants more inequality rather than less). See N 1.1.4.

1. rejects order/wants less inequality
2. rejects order/wants more inequality
3. moderate / wants less inequality
4. moderate / wants more inequality
5. accepts order /wants less inequality
6. accepts order /wants more inequality

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>G=+.18</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>G=+.12</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>tc=+.06</u> <u>p<.01</u>	% Very happy: 1. 4 2. 6 3. 5 4. 5 5. 13 6. 6 All 5
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tc=+.10</u> <u>p<.01</u>	1. 1 2. 0 3. 2 4. 3 5. 4 6. 0 All 2

Correlational finding on Happiness and Configuration of orientations to inequality and social reform

Subject code: P8.4.3

Study LEISU 1980/11

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center,
Survey of Values in 13 Countries.
Table book for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values. The Leisure Development Center,
Tokyo
Page in Report: 621/5

Population: 18+ aged, general public, United Kingdom, 1972

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 987

Correlate

Authors label: Political conservatism (1)

Our classification: Configuration of orientations to inequality and social reform, code P8.4.3

Measurement: Configuration of responses on two direct questions:

- Acceptance of present social order
(vs radical rejection). See N 1.1.3
- Acceptance of social inequality
(wants more inequality rather than
less). See N 1.1.4.

1. rejects order/wants less inequality
2. rejects order/wants more inequality
3. moderate / wants less inequality
4. moderate / wants more inequality
5. accepts order /wants less inequality
6. accepts order /wants more inequality

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>G=+.04</u> <u>p<.05</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>G=+.11</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tC=+.06</u> <u>p<.01</u>	1. 35 2. 50 3. 41 4. 44 5. 51 6. 44 All 42

O-HL/c/sq/v/5/etc=+.02 ns

% Very happy:

1. 42
 2. 60
 3. 48
 4. 48
 5. 49
 6. 48
 All 47

Correlational finding on Happiness and Configuration of orientations to inequality and social reform

Subject code: P8.4.3

Study LEISU 1980/12

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center
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 Tokyo
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Population: 18+ aged, general public, USA, 1979

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1127

Correlate

Authors label: Political conservatism (1)

Our classification: Configuration of orientations to inequality and social reform, code P8.4.3

Measurement: Configuration of responses on two direct questions:

- Acceptance of present social order
 (vs radical rejection). See N 1.1.3
- Acceptance of social inequality
 (wants more inequality rather than
 less). See N 1.1.4.

1. rejects order/wants less inequality
2. rejects order/wants more inequality
3. moderate / wants less inequality
4. moderate / wants more inequality
5. accepts order /wants less inequality
6. accepts order /wants more inequality

Observed Relation with Happiness

*Happiness
 Measure*

Statistics

Elaboration/Remarks

O-HL/c/sq/v/5/eG=+.05p<.01O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/aG=+.07p<.01O-HL/c/sq/v/5/etc=+.03 ns

% Very happy:

1. 25

2. 45

3. 38

4. 42

5. 42

6. 48

All 42

O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/atc=+.04 ns

1. 32

2. 37

3. 37

4. 35

5. 34

6. 45

All 37

Correlational finding on Happiness and Configuration of orientations to inequality and social reform

Subject code: P8.4.3

Study

LEISU 1980/13

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center
Survey of Values in 13 Countries.

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Tokyo

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Population: 18+ aged, general public, West Germany, 1979

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1020

Correlate

Authors label: Political conservatism (1)

Our classification: Configuration of orientations to inequality and social reform, code P8.4.3

Measurement: Configuration of responses on two direct questions:

- Acceptance of present social order (vs radical rejection). See N 1.1.3
- Acceptance of social inequality (wants more inequality rather than less). See N 1.1.4.

1. rejects order/wants less inequality
2. rejects order/wants more inequality
3. moderate / wants less inequality
4. moderate / wants more inequality
5. accepts order /wants less inequality
6. accepts order /wants more inequality

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>G=-.01 ns</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>G=+.03 ns</u>	
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>tc=-.01 ns</u>	% Very happy: 1. 13 2. 0 3. 13 4. 11 5. 13 6. 13 All 12
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tc=+.01 ns</u>	1. 27 2. 0 3. 17 4. 16 5. 18 6. 18 All 17

Correlational finding on Happiness and Configuration of orientations to inequality and social reform

Subject code: P8.4.3

Study LEISU 1980/2

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center
Survey of Values in 13 Countries.
Table book for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values. The Leisure Development Center, Tokyo
Page in Report: 99/103

Population: Adult, general public, metropolitan areas Brazil, 1979

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1000

Correlate

Authors label: Political conservatism (1)

Our classification: Configuration of orientations to inequality and social reform, code P8.4.3

Measurement: Configuration of responses on two direct questions:

- Acceptance of present social order (vs radical rejection). See N 1.1.3
- Acceptance of social inequality (wants more inequality rather than less). See N 1.1.4.

1. rejects order/wants less inequality
2. rejects order/wants more inequality
3. moderate / wants less inequality
4. moderate / wants more inequality
5. accepts order /wants less inequality
6. accepts order /wants more inequality

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>G=+.25</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>G=+.19</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tc=+.12</u> <u>p<.01</u>	1. 22 2. 48 3. 37 4. 37 5. 52 6. 54 All 30
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>tc=+.15</u> <u>p<.01</u>	% Very happy: 1. 23 2. 54 3. 38 4. 46 5. 62 6. 50 All 40

Correlational finding on Happiness and Configuration of orientations to inequality and social reform

Subject code: P8.4.3

Study LEISU 1980/3

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center.
Survey of Values in 13 Countries.
Table book for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values, The Leisure Development Center, Tokyo
Page in Report: 157/161

Population: 18+ aged, general public, Canada, 1979

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1012

Correlate

Authors label: Political conservatism (1)

Our classification: Configuration of orientations to inequality and social reform, code P8.4.3

Measurement: Configuration of responses on two direct questions:

- Acceptance of present social order (vs radical rejection). See N 1.1.3
- Acceptance of social inequality (wants more inequality rather than less). See N 1.1.4.

1. rejects order/wants less inequality
2. rejects order/wants more inequality
3. moderate / wants less inequality
4. moderate / wants more inequality
5. accepts order /wants less inequality
6. accepts order /wants more inequality

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a	G=+.08 p<.01	
O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e	G=+.13 p<.01	

O-HL/c/sq/v/5/etc=+.07p<.01

% Very happy:

1. 47
 2. 38
 3. 41
 4. 35
 5. 27
 6. 30
 All 39

O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/atc=+.04p<.05

1. 45
 2. 28
 3. 37
 4. 28
 5. 18
 6. 33
 All 34

Correlational finding on Happiness and Configuration of orientations to inequality and social reform

Subject code: P8.4.3

Study

LEISU 1980/4

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center
 Survey of Values in 13 Countries.

Tablebook for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values. The Leisure Development Center,
 Tokyo

Page in Report: 215/9

Population: 18+ aged, general public, France, 1979

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1000

Correlate

Authors label: Political conservatism (1)

Our classification: Configuration of orientations to inequality and social reform, code P8.4.3

Measurement: Configuration of responses on two direct questions:

- Acceptance of present social order (vs radical rejection). See N 1.1.3
- Acceptance of social inequality (wants more inequality rather than less). See N 1.1.4.

1. rejects order/wants less inequality
2. rejects order/wants more inequality
3. moderate / wants less inequality
4. moderate / wants more inequality
5. accepts order /wants less inequality
6. accepts order /wants more inequality

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>G=+.11</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>G=+.16</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tc=+.08</u> <u>p<.01</u>	1. 13 2. 12 3. 16 4. 12 5. 13 6. 24 All 14
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>tc=+.06</u> <u>p<.01</u>	% Very happy: 1. 16 2. 18 3. 17 4. 16 5. 6 6. 22 All 10

Correlational finding on Happiness and Configuration of orientations to inequality and social reform

Subject code: P8.4.3

Study LEISU 1980/5

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center
Survey of Values in 13 Countries.
Table book for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values. The Leisure Development Center,
Tokyo.
Page in Report: 273/7

Population: 18+ aged, general public, India, 1979

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1000

Correlate

Authors label: Political conservatism (1)

Our classification: Configuration of orientations to inequality and social reform, code P8.4.3

Measurement: Configuration of responses on two direct questions:

- Acceptance of present social order
(vs radical rejection). See N 1.1.3
- Acceptance of social inequality
(wants more inequality rather than
less). See N 1.1.4.

1. rejects order/wants less inequality
2. rejects order/wants more inequality
3. moderate / wants less inequality
4. moderate / wants more inequality
5. accepts order /wants less inequality
6. accepts order /wants more inequality

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>G=+.15</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>G=+.12</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tc=+.08</u> <u>p<.01</u>	1. 12 2. 9 3. 13 4. 11 5. 22 6. 11 All 12

O-HL/c/sq/v/5/etc=+.10p<.01

% Very happy:

1. 11
2. 13
3. 17
4. 14
5. 18
6. 8
- All 14

Correlational finding on Happiness and Configuration of orientations to inequality and social reform

Subject code: P8.4.3

Study

LEISU 1980/6

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center
Survey of Values in 13 Countries.
Tablebook for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values. The Leisure Development Center,
Tokyo
Page in Report: 331/5

Population: 18+ aged, general public, Italy, 1979

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1042

Correlate

Authors label: Political conservatism (1)

Our classification: Configuration of orientations to inequality and social reform, code P8.4.3

Measurement: Configuration of responses on two direct questions:

- Acceptance of present social order
(vs radical rejection). See N 1.1.3
- Acceptance of social inequality
(wants more inequality rather than
less). See N 1.1.4.

1. rejects order/wants less inequality
2. rejects order/wants more inequality
3. moderate / wants less inequality
4. moderate / wants more inequality
5. accepts order /wants less inequality
6. accepts order /wants more inequality

Observed Relation with Happiness

*Happiness
Measure*

Statistics

Elaboration/Remarks

<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>G=+.19</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>G=+.16</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>tc=+.09</u> <u>p<.01</u>	% Very happy: 1. 6 2. 10 3. 10 4. 12 5. 3 6. 18 All 10
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tc=+.11</u> <u>p<.01</u>	1. 4 2. 12 3. 9 4. 10 5. 10 6. 9 All 9

Correlational finding on Happiness and Configuration of orientations to inequality and social reform

Subject code: P8.4.3

Study

LEISU 1980/7

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center
Survey of Values in 13 Countries.
Tablebook for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values. The Leisure Development Center,
Tokyo
Page in Report: 389/93

Population: 18+ aged, general public, Japan, 1979

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1574

Correlate

Authors label: Political conservatism (1)

Our classification: Configuration of orientations to inequality and social reform, code P8.4.3

Measurement: Configuration of responses on two direct questions:

- Acceptance of present social order
(vs radical rejection). See N 1.1.3
- Acceptance of social inequality
(wants more inequality rather than less). See N 1.1.4.

1. rejects order/wants less inequality
2. rejects order/wants more inequality
3. moderate / wants less inequality
4. moderate / wants more inequality
5. accepts order /wants less inequality
6. accepts order /wants more inequality

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>G=+.13</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>G=+.11</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>tc=+.05</u> <u>p<.01</u>	% Very happy: 1. 14 2. 18 3. 11 4. 13 5. 13 6. 17 All 12
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tc=+.05</u> <u>p<.01</u>	1. 4 2. 6 3. 4 4. 5 5. 7 6. 14 All 5

Correlational finding on Happiness and Configuration of orientations to inequality and social reform

Subject code: P8.4.3

Study LEISU 1980/8

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center
Survey of Values in 13 Countries.
Table book for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values. The Leisure Development Center,
Tokyo
Page in Report: 447/51

Population: 18+ aged, general public, Phillippines, 1979

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 996

Correlate

Authors label: Political conservatism (1)

Our classification: Configuration of orientations to inequality and social reform, code P8.4.3

Measurement: Configuration of responses on two direct questions:

- Acceptance of present social order
(vs radical rejection). See N 1.1.3
- Acceptance of social inequality
(wants more inequality rather than
less). See N 1.1.4.

1. rejects order/wants less inequality
2. rejects order/wants more inequality
3. moderate / wants less inequality
4. moderate / wants more inequality
5. accepts order /wants less inequality
6. accepts order /wants more inequality

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>G=-.03 ns</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>G=-.07</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tc=-.04</u> <u>p<.05</u>	1. 24 2. 32 3. 17 4. 20 5. 20 6. 15 All 18

O-HL/c/sq/v/5/etc=-.02 ns

% Very happy:

1. 18
2. 27
3. 19
4. 21
5. 14
6. 18
- All 18

Correlational finding on Happiness and Configuration of orientations to inequality and social reform

Subject code: P8.4.3

Study

LEISU 1980/9

Reported in: The Leisure Development Center
Survey of Values in 13 Countries.
Tablebook for the 1980 International Conference on Human Values. The Leisure Development Center,
Tokyo
Page in Report: 505/9

Population: 18+ aged, general public, Singapore, 1979

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 1006

Correlate

Authors label: Political conservatism (1)

Our classification: Configuration of orientations to inequality and social reform, code P8.4.3

Measurement: Configuration of responses on two direct questions:

- Acceptance of present social order
(vs radical rejection). See N 1.1.3
- Acceptance of social inequality
(wants more inequality rather than
less). See N 1.1.4.

1. rejects order/wants less inequality
2. rejects order/wants more inequality
3. moderate / wants less inequality
4. moderate / wants more inequality
5. accepts order /wants less inequality
6. accepts order /wants more inequality

Observed Relation with Happiness

*Happiness
Measure*

Statistics

Elaboration/Remarks

<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>G=+.12</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>G=+.14</u> <u>p<.01</u>	
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>tc=+.07</u> <u>p<.01</u>	% Very happy: 1. 25 2. 11 3. 23 4. 36 5. 30 6. 42 All 32
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tc=+.06</u> <u>p<.01</u>	1. 25 2. 33 3. 18 4. 33 5. 28 6. 37 All 28

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to specific political issues

Subject code: P8.5

Study

BACHM 1977

Reported in: Bachman, J. G.; O'Malley, P. M.; Johnston, J.
Youth in Transition, Vol. VI: Adolescence to Adulthood, Change and Stability in the Lives of Young Men.
Institute for Social Research, 1970, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, USA
Page in Report:

Population: Public highschool boys followed 8 years from grade 10, USA, 1966-74

Sample:

Non-Response: 2.8% at T1, 17.2% at T2, 21.0% at T3, 28.9% at T4, 28.5% at T5

N: 1628

Correlate

Authors label: Vietnam dissent (1)

Our classification: Attitudes to specific political issues, code P8.5

Measurement: A mean of six items, three anti-Vietnam war and three pro-Vietnam war. Scale: 1.00 = support for U.S. policy in Vietnam to 4.00 = disagreement with U.S. policy in Vietnam. Assessed at T3, T4 and T5.

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
<u>O-HP/g/mq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tau=- p<.s</u>	Vietnam dissent
		Happiness T3 T4 T5
		T1 tau = -.13 (001) -.10 (01) -.10 (01)
		T2 tau = -.14 (001) -.13 (001) -.07 (05)
		T3 tau = -.15 (001) -.14 (001) -.09 (05)
		T4 tau = -.13 (001) -.17 (001) -.11 (01)
		T1:1966, T2:1968, T3:1969, T4:1970, T5:1974

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to specific political issues

Subject code: P8.5

Study BACHM 1977

Reported in: Bachman, J. G.; O'Malley, P. M.; Johnston, J.
Youth in Transition, Vol. VI: Adolescence to Adulthood, Change and Stability in the Lives of Young Men.
Institute for Social Research, 1970, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, USA
Page in Report:

Population: Public highschool boys followed 8 years from grade 10, USA, 1966-74

Sample:

Non-Response: 2.8% at T1, 17.2% at T2, 21.0% at T3, 28.9% at T4, 28.5% at T5

N: 1628

Correlate

Authors label: Prefer more military influence (1)

Our classification: Attitudes to specific political issues, code P8.5

Measurement: A mean of two items concerning military influence and expenditure on the military. Scale: 1.00 = military has far too much influence, or U.S. spends far too much, to 5.00 = military has far too little influence, or U.S. spends far too little. Assessed at T3 and T5

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
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[O-HP/g/mq/v/5/a](#)[tau=+](#)

Happiness	Prefer more military influence	
	T3	T5
T1	tau = +.05 (ns)	+.03 (ns)
T2	tau = +.08 (05)	+.05 (ns)
T3	tau = +.08 (05)	+.02 (ns)
T4	tau = +.08 (05)	+.04 (ns)
T1:1966, T2:1968, T3:1969, T4:1970, T5:1974		

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to specific political issues

Subject code: P8.5

Study

CHAMB 2000

Reported in: Chambers, C.
Americans are Overwhelmingly Happy and Optimistic about the Future of the United States.
Gallup Poll News Service, 13 October 2000, The Gallup Organization, Washington DC, USA
Page in Report: 4

Population: 18+ aged, USA, 2000

Sample: Probability simple random sample

Non-Response:

N: 1052

Correlate

Authors label: Attitude towards President Clinton

Our classification: Attitudes to specific political issues, code P8.5

Measurement: 1: disapprove
2: approve

Remarks: Clinton was president of the USA from January 1993 until January 2001

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure

Statistics

Elaboration/Remarks

[O-HL/g/sq/v/3/c](#)[D%=+](#)

% very happy
1: disapprove of Clinton 50%
2: approve of Clinton 45%

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to specific political issues

Subject code: P8.5

Study

EUROP 1997

Reported in: European Commission
Eurobarometer Report 47, Public Opinion of the European Union.
European Union, 1997, Brussels, Belgium http://europa.eu.int/comm/public_opinion/archives/eb/eb47/eb47_en.htm
Page in Report: B3

Population: 15+ aged, EU member states, 1997

Sample: Probability multi-stage cluster sample

Non-Response:

N: 15900

Correlate

Authors label: Acceptance of EU membership

Our classification: Attitudes to specific political issues, code P8.5

Measurement: 1: a bad thing
2: neither good nor bad
3: a good thing

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
O-SLL/u/sq/v/4/b	DM=+	1: A bad thing M= 2,85 CI95= 2,82-2,88 2: Neither M= 2,86 CI95= 2,84-2,88 3: A good thing M= 3,02 CI95= 3,00-3,04
O-SLL/u/sq/v/4/b	BMCT=+ p<.05	1,2<3

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to specific political issues

Subject code: P8.5

Study

EUROP 1998

Reported in: European Commission
Eurobarometer Report 49, Public Opinion of the European Union.
European Union, 1998, Brussels, Belgium http://europa.eu.int/comm/public_opinion/archives/eb/eb49/eb49_en.htm
Page in Report: B.59

Population: 15+ aged, EU member states, 1998

Sample: Probability multi-stage cluster sample

*Non-Response:**N:* 16165**Correlate***Authors label:* Acceptance of EU membership*Our classification:* Attitudes to specific political issues, code P8.5

Measurement: 1: A bad thing
 2: Neither good nor bad
 3: A good thing

Measured Values: 1: 51%, 2: 28%, 3: 12%**Observed Relation with Happiness**

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
O-SLL/u/sq/v/4/b	DM=+	1: A bad thing M=2,82 CI95 = 2,78-2,86 2: Good nor bad M=2,85 CI95 = 2,83-2,87 3: A good thing M=3,02 CI95 = 3,01-3,04
O-SLL/u/sq/v/4/b	BMCT=+ p<.05	3>1,2

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to specific political issues
Subject code: P8.5
Study**EUROP 1999**

Reported in: European Commission
 Eurobarometer Report 52, Public Opinion of the European Union
 Commission of the European Community, 1999, Brussels, Belgium http://europa.eu.int/comm/public_opinion/archives/eb/eb52/eb52_en.htm
 Page in Report: B2

Population: + 15 aged, EU member states, 1999*Sample:* Probability multi-stage cluster sample*Non-Response:**N:* 15900**Correlate***Authors label:* Acceptance of EU membership*Our classification:* Attitudes to specific political issues, code P8.5

Measurement: 1: a bad thing
2: neither good nor bad
3: a good thing

Measured Values: 1: 51%, 2: 27%, 3: 12%

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
O-SLL/u/sq/v/4/b	<u>DM= ns</u>	1: a bad thing M = 2,61 CI95: 2,47-2,75 2: good nor bad M = 2,70 CI95: 2,58-2,82 3: a good thing M = 2,81 CI95: 2,70-2,91

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to specific political issues

Subject code: P8.5

Study EUROP 2000

Reported in: European Commission
Eurobarometer Report 53, Public Opinion in the European Union
European Union, 2000, Brussels, Belgium http://europa.eu.int/comm/public_opinion/archives/eb/eb53/eb53_en.htm
Page in Report: B.2

Population: 15+ aged, EU member states 2000

Sample: Probability multi-stage cluster sample

Non-Response:

N: 16078

Correlate

Authors label: Acceptance of EU membership

Our classification: Attitudes to specific political issues, code P8.5

Measurement: 1:A bad thing
2:Neither good nor bad
3:A good thing

Measured Values: 1: 49%, 2: 28%, 3: 14%

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
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<u>O-SLL/u/sq/v/4/b</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1:A bad thing	M= 2,77	CI95:2,73-2,80
		2:Neither good nor bad	M= 2,81	CI95:2,79-2,83
		3:A good thing	M= 2,99	CI95:2,98-3,00
<u>O-SLL/u/sq/v/4/b</u>	<u>BMCT=+</u> <u>p<.05</u>	3>1,2		

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to specific political issues

Subject code: P8.5

Study EUROP 2001

Reported in: European Commission
Eurobarometer Report 54, Public Opinion in the European Union
European Union, 2001, Brussels, Belgium http://europa.eu.int/comm/public_opinion/archives/eb/eb54/eb54_en.htm
Page in Report: B.2

Population: 15+ aged, EU member states 2000

Sample: Probability multi-stage cluster sample

Non-Response:

N: 15900

Correlate

Authors label: Acceptance of EU membership

Our classification: Attitudes to specific political issues, code P8.5

Measurement: 1:A bad thing
2:Neither good nor bad
3:A good thing

Measured Values: 1: 50%, 2: 27%, 3: 14%

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks	
<u>O-SLL/u/sq/v/4/b</u>	<u>DM=+</u>	1:A bad thing	M=2,93 CI95:2,90-2,96
		2:Neither good nor bad	M=2,95 CI95:2,93-2,97
		3:A good thing	M=3,09 CI95:3,08-3,10
<u>O-SLL/u/sq/v/4/b</u>	<u>BMCT=+</u> <u>p<.05</u>	1,2<3	

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to specific political issues

Subject code: P8.5

Study LOUNS 1979

Reported in: Lounsbury, J.W.; Sundstrom, E.; Shields, M.
 The Relationship of Avowed Life Satisfaction to Public Acceptance of and Expectations about a Nuclear Power Plant.
 Journal of Community Psychology, 1979, Vol 7, 298 -304
 Page in Report: 302

Population: Adults, general public, Hartsville/Trousdale County, Tennessee, USA, 1975

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 288

Correlate

Authors label: Consistency of attitude to nuclear plant in town (1)

Our classification: Attitudes to specific political issues, code P8.5

Measurement: Correlation between acceptance of the building of a nuclear plant and perceptions of hazards and benefits.

1. acceptance - disruption
2. acceptance - health hazards
3. acceptance - increased business
4. acceptance - attention for town
5. acceptance - economic benefit

Remarks:

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>		
C-BW/c/sq/l/11/a	<u>r=</u>	r=+.47	r=+.49	difference ns
C-BW/c/sq/l/11/a	<u>r=</u>	r=+.62	r=+.60	difference ns
C-BW/c/sq/l/11/a	<u>r=</u>	r=+.34	r=+.10	difference significant (p<05)
C-BW/c/sq/l/11/a	<u>r=</u>	r=+.34	r=+.12	difference significant (p<05)
C-BW/c/sq/l/11/a	<u>r=</u>	r=+.45	r=+.40	difference ns

[C-BW/c/sq/l/11/a](#)[mr=](#)

mr=+ .44 mr=+ .34

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to specific political issues

Subject code: P8.5

Study

LOUNS 1979

Reported in: Lounsbury, J.W.; Sundstrom, E.; Shields, M.
The Relationship of Avowed Life Satisfaction to Public Acceptance of and Expectations about a Nuclear Power Plant.
Journal of Community Psychology, 1979, Vol 7, 298 -304
Page in Report: 302

Population: Adults, general public, Hartsville/Trousdale County, Tennessee, USA, 1975

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 288

Correlate

Authors label: Acceptance of a nuclear plant near town (1)

Our classification: Attitudes to specific political issues, code P8.5

Measurement: Direct question;"If it were up to you, would you permit construction of the TV1 powerplant near Hartsville". Rated on a 4-point scale ranging from 'definitively yes'(1) to 'definitively no'(4).

69% would 'definitively' or 'probably' permit, 31% is opposed

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
C-BW/c/sq/l/11/a	r=-.03 ns	
C-BW/c/sq/l/11/a	DM=- ns	mean acceptance score: - happy 2.23 - unhappy 2.24

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to ethnic discrimination

Subject code: P8.5.2

Study

BACHM 1977

Reported in: Bachman, J. G.; O'Malley, P. M.; Johnston, J.
Youth in Transition, Vol. VI: Adolescence to Adulthood, Change and Stability in the Lives of Young Men.
Institute for Social Research, 1970, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, USA
Page in Report:

Population: Public highschool boys followed 8 years from grade 10, USA, 1966-74

Sample:

Non-Response: 2.8% at T1, 17.2% at T2, 21.0% at T3, 28.9% at T4, 28.5% at T5

N: 1628

Correlate

Authors label: Government should end discrimination (2)

Our classification: Attitudes to ethnic discrimination, code P8.5.2

Measurement: A mean composed of three items asking the respondent how strongly he agrees or disagrees that the government should take a role in racial issues.
Scale: 1.00 = disagree to 4.00 = agree. Assessed at T3, T4, T5

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure

Statistics

Elaboration/Remarks

O-HP/g/mq/v/5/a

tau= ns

Government should end discrimination

Happiness	T3	T4	T5
T1	tau = +.03	+.02	+.03
T2	tau = +.04	+.02	+.05
T3	tau = +.04	+.04	+.04
T4	tau = +.03	+.06	-.03
All tau's not significant			
T1:1966, T2:1968, T3:1969, T4:1970, T5:1974			

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to ethnic discrimination

Subject code: P8.5.2

Study

HERNA 2004

Reported in: Hernández Plaza, S.; Pozo Munoz, C.; Alonso Morillejo, E.
Apoyo Social y Bienestar Subjetivo en un Colectivo de Immigrantes. Efectos Directos o Amortiguadores.
(Social Support and Subjective Well-Being in a Group of Immigrants: Direct or Buffer Effects?)
Boletín de Psicología, 2004, Vol. 80, 79 - 96. ISSN 0212 8179
Page in Report: 84

Population: Moroccan immigrants, Spain, 2000

Sample: Non-probability purposive-quota sample

Non-Response:

N: 100

Correlate

Authors label: Perception of rejection

Our classification: Attitudes to ethnic discrimination, code P8.5.2

Measurement: One single item: "As Moroccan, do you feel rejected by the native population?", with a 7-point answering format, from 1-not rejected to 7-totally rejected
For current analysis, this variable was re-categorized in two levels:
1. Low perception of rejection: Between 1 and 3
2. High perception of rejection: Between 5 and 7

Measured Values: Perception of rejection: M = 5,97; SD = 1,45 1. Low perception of rejection: 18% 2. High perception of rejection: 82%

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
<u>O-Sum/u/mq/v/5/b</u>	<u>DM=-</u>	1 low : M = 2,49; SD = 1,09 2 high : M = 1,54; SD = 0,69
<u>O-Sum/u/mq/v/5/b</u>	<u>F=7.12</u> <u>p<.009</u>	Univariate analysis of variance, main effect Controlling for: - gender - age

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to ethnic discrimination

Subject code: P8.5.2

Study

HERNA 2005

Reported in: Hernández Plaza, S.; Pozo Munoz, C.; Alonso Morillejo, E. & Martos Méndez, M.J. Estructura y Funciones del Apoyo Social en un Colectivo de Immigrantes Marroquies. (Structure and Functions of Social Support in a Group of Moroccan Immigrants). Anales de Psicología, 2005, Vol. 21, 304 - 315. ISSN p 0212 9728; ISSN e 1695 2294
Page in Report: 307-310

Population: Moroccan immigrants, Spain, 2000

Sample: Non-probability purposive-quota sample

Non-Response:

N: 100

Correlate

Authors label: Perception of ethnic prejudice

Our classification: Attitudes to ethnic discrimination, code P8.5.2

Measurement: Self report on single question:
As Moroccan, do you feel rejected by the native population?
(1 not rejected; 7 totally rejected)

Measured Values: M = 5,97; SD = 1,45

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
<u>O-Sum/u/mq/v/5/b</u>	<u>r=+.43</u> <u>p<.000</u>	
<u>O-Sum/u/mq/v/5/b</u>	<u>Beta=+.32</u> <u>p<.000</u>	Beta controled for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Social network size - Number of natives in the social network - Number of immigrants in the social network - Number of men in the social network - Number of women in the social network - Number of family members in the social network - Number of non-family members in the social network - Perceived availabilty of emotional support - Perceived availability of informative support - Perceived availability of material support - Perceived need for social support - Perceived sufficiency of social support provided by natives - Perceived sufficiency of social support provided by immigrants - Utilization of social support provided by natives - Utilization of social support provided by immigrants - Satisfaction with emotional support by natives - Satisfaction with emotional support by immigrants - Satisfaction with informative support by natives - Satisfaction with informative support by immigrants - Satisfaction with material support by natives - Satisfaction with material support by immigrants - Gender - Age - Time living in the country

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to political system

Subject code: P8.6

Study BJORN 2008B

Reported in: Bjornskov, C.; Dreher, A.; Fischer, J.A.
 Cross-Country Determinants of Life Satisfaction: Exploring Different Determinants across Groups in Society.
 Social Choice and Welfare, 2008, Vol. 30, 119 - 173
 Page in Report: 132,137, 153

Population: 18+ aged, 70 nations, 1997-2000

Sample: Mixed samples

Non-Response:

N: 87748

Correlate

Authors label: confidence in parliament

Our classification: Attitudes to political system, code P8.6

Measurement: 0: no confidence in parliament
 1: confidence in parliament

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa	Beta=+.05 ns	Individual happiness (not average) by having confidence in parliament. Beta controlled for other individual level variables: - religion - conservative ideology - trust most people - income - age - gender - education - marital status - children - selfemployed - housewife - retired - student - unemployed - service attendance (church etc.) - belief in superior being

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aaBeta=+.10
p<.01

Beta additionally controlled for aggregated variables at country level:

- infant mortality
- years of independence
- share of catholics
- share of protestants
- bicameral system
- openness to trade
- investment price level
- postcommunist
- Asia
- Latin America
- Africa
- Middle East and North Africa

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to political system

Subject code: P8.6

Study

BONNA 1989

Reported in: Bonnafe, D.
 Racism and Intolerance.
 Eurobarometer Report, Special Racism and Intolerance, European Commission, November 1989,
 Brussels, Belgium ISSN 1012 2273
 Page in Report: 11

Population: 15+ aged, EU-countries (12), 1988

Sample: Probability multi-stage cluster sample

Non-Response:

N: 11795

Correlate

Authors label: valuation of democracy

Our classification: Attitudes to political system, code P8.6

Measurement: Response to single question : Here you find 3 opinions about political systems. Which of them fits the best with yours ?

- a) democracy is, whatsoever, the best political system for me
- b) dictatorship can be a good alternative under circumstances
- c) I have no preference for democracy or dictatorship
- d) DK

Measured Values: a : 78%, b 9% c : 12%, DK: 1%

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
<u>O-SLL/c/sq/n/10/a</u>	<u>DM= +</u>	a : M= 6.81 b : M= 6.34 c : M= 6.16 all :M= 6.68

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to political system

Subject code: P8.6

Study RULE 2006

Reported in: Rule, S.
 Religiosity and Quality of Life in South Africa..
 Social Indicators Research, 2007, Vol. 81, 417 - 434. ISSN p 0303 8300;ISSN e 1573 0921 DOI:10.1007/s11205-006-9005-2
 Page in Report: 425

Population: Adults, South Africa, 2004

Sample: Probability multistage stratified area sample

Non-Response:

N: 2799

Correlate

Authors label: Government satisfaction

Our classification: Attitudes to political system, code P8.6

Measurement: Reported satisfaction with 4 government institutions
 a democracy
 b national government
 c independent electoral commission
 d parliament

Rated on scale 0 (very dissatisfied) to 4 (very satisfied)

Measured Values: N: 0: 12,7%; 1: 12,9%; 2: 14,6%; 3: 20,4% 4: 39,4%; Mean 2,6

Error Estimates: Cronbach Alpha reliability 0,773

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/v/5/g</u>	<u>r=-.08</u> <u>p<.01</u>	

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to political system

Subject code: P8.6

Study **VENTE 1995***Reported in:* Ventegodt, S.

Livskvalitet i Danmark. (Quality of Life in Denmark).

Forskningscentrets Forlag (The Quality of Life Research Center), København, Denmark, ISBN

8790190017 <http://www.livskvalitet.org/t1/index.asp>

Page in Report: 358

Population: 18-88 aged, general public, Denmark, 1993*Sample:* Non-probability purposive sample*Non-Response:* 39%*N:* 1494

Correlate

Authors label: relations with society (1)*Our classification:* Attitudes to political system, code P8.6*Measurement:* Single question:

"How are your current relations with society at large?"

1: very bad

2: bad

3: neither/nor

4: good

5: very good

Measured Values: N: all:1363, 1:15, 2:69, 3:392, 4:716, 5:171

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>A-AOL/m/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>r=+.31</u> <u>p<.00</u>	1: Mt=6.66 2: Mt=6.34 3: Mt=7.14 4: Mt=8.08 5: Mt=8.81 All Mt=7.80
<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>r=+.34</u> <u>p<.00</u>	1: Mt=6.00 2: Mt=5.90 3: Mt=6.71 4: Mt=7.75 5: Mt=8.59 All Mt=7.45

O-HL/c/sq/v/5/hr=+.30p<.00

1: Mt=5.50

2: Mt=5.84

3: Mt=6.39

4: Mt=7.21

5: Mt=7.95

All Mt=6.98

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to political system

Subject code: P8.6

Study

VENTE 1995

Reported in: Ventegodt, S.

Livskvalitet i Danmark. (Quality of Life in Denmark).

Forskningscentrets Forlag (The Quality of Life Research Center), København, Denmark, ISBN

8790190017 <http://www.livskvalitet.org/t1/index.asp>

Page in Report: 360

Population: 18-88 aged, general public, Denmark, 1993

Sample: Non-probability purposive sample

Non-Response: 39%

N: 1494

Correlate

Authors label: satisfaction with society (1)

Our classification: Attitudes to political system, code P8.6

Measurement: Single question:

"How satisfied are you at present with society at large?"

1: very dissatisfied

2: dissatisfied

3: neither/nor

4: satisfied

5: very satisfied

Measured Values: N: all:1457, 1:39, 2:176, 3:452, 4:676, 5:114

Observed Relation with Happiness

*Happiness
Measure*

Statistics

Elaboration/Remarks

<u>A-AOL/m/sq/v/5/a</u>	<u>r=+.25</u>	1: Mt=6.35
	<u>p<.00</u>	2: Mt=7.08
		3: Mt=7.51
		4: Mt=8.04
		5: Mt=8.98
		All Mt=7.79

<u>O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/e</u>	<u>r=+.28</u>	1: Mt=6.15
	<u>p<.00</u>	2: Mt=6.63
		3: Mt=7.13
		4: Mt=7.76
		5: Mt=8.70
		All Mt=7.46

<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/h</u>	<u>r=+.25</u>	1: Mt=6.15
	<u>p<.00</u>	2: Mt=6.23
		3: Mt=6.64
		4: Mt=7.21
		5: Mt=8.14
		All Mt=6.96

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to government

Subject code: P8.6.1

Study **BACHM 1977**

Reported in: Bachman, J. G.; O'Malley, P. M.; Johnston, J.
Youth in Transition, Vol. VI: Adolescence to Adulthood, Change and Stability in the Lives of Young Men.
Institute for Social Research, 1970, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, USA
Page in Report:

Population: Public highschool boys followed 8 years from grade 10, USA, 1966-74

Sample:

Non-Response: 2.8% at T1, 17.2% at T2, 21.0% at T3, 28.9% at T4, 28.5% at T5

N: 1628

Correlate

Authors label: Trust in government (1)

Our classification: Attitudes to government, code P8.6.1

Measurement: 3-item index of closed questions measuring the extent to which the respondent trusted the government not to waste money, to do what is right, and to be run by capable people. Scale:
1.00 = low to 5.00 = high trust. Assessed at T1, T2, T3, T4 and T5

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
<u>O-HP/g/mq/v/5/a</u>	<u>tau=+ p<.s</u>	Trust in government
		Happiness T1 T2 T3 T4 T5
		T1 +.23 +.19 +.15 +.19 +.10 (01)
		T2 +.21 +.24 +.20 +.23 +.14
		T3 +.18 +.22 +.26 +.22 +.14
		T4 +.17 +.19 +.21 +.23 +.17
		All tau's significant with $p < .001$, unless indicated otherwise
		T1:1966, T2:1968, T3:1969, T4:1970, T5:1974

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to government

Subject code: P8.6.1

Study CUMMI 2003A

Reported in: Cummins, R.A.; Eckersley, R; Lo, S.K.; Okerstrom, E.; et.al.
 Australian Unity Wellbeing Index. Survey 5, Report 5. The Wellbeing of Australians. 1. Personal Finances 2. The Impact of the Bali Bombing.
 Australian Centre on Quality of Life, 2003, Melbourne, Australia. <http://www.deakin.edu.au/research/acqol/index.htm>
 Page in Report: 125

Population: 18+aged, Australia, 2002

Sample: Probability area sample

Non-Response: 75%

N: 1999

Correlate

Authors label: Satisfaction with government

Our classification: Attitudes to government, code P8.6.1

Measurement: Single question:
 Are you satisfied with Government in Australia? Rated on 0-10 scale.

Measured Values: M = 5.78 ; SD = 2.43

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
<u>O-SLW/u/sq/n/11/ca</u>	<u>r=+.25</u>	

[O-SLW/u/sq/n/11/ca](#)[Beta=+.03](#)[p<.426](#)

ß controled for satisfaction with... in Australia

- Business
- National security
- Economic
- State of natural environment
- Social conditions

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to government

Subject code: P8.6.1

Study

CUMMI 2003B

Reported in: Cummins, R.A; Eckersley, R; Lo, S.K.; Okerstrom, E.; et.al.
 Australian Unity Wellbeing Index, Survey 6, Report 6. The Wellbeing of Australians: Impact of the Impending Iraq War.
 Australian Centre on Quality of Life, 2003, Melbourne, Australia. <http://www.deakin.edu.au/research/acqol/index.htm>
 Page in Report: 121

Population: 18+aged, Australia, 2003

Sample: Probability area sample

Non-Response: 88%

N: 1979

Correlate

Authors label: Satisfaction with government in Australia

Our classification: Attitudes to government, code P8.6.1

Measurement: Single question:
 How satisfied are you with Government in Australia? Rated on 0-10 scale.

Measured Values: M = 5,35; SD = 2,63

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
O-SLW/u/sq/n/11/ca	r=+.24	

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to government

Subject code: P8.6.1

Study

HEADE 1981

Reported in: Headey, B.
The Quality of Life in Australia
Social Indicators Research, 1981, Vol. 9, 155 - 18. ISSN p 0303 8300;ISSN e 1573 0921 DOI:10.1007/BF00286195
Page in Report: 166

Population: Adults, general public, Australia 1978

Sample: Probability sample (unspecified)

Non-Response: not reported

N: 679

Correlate

Authors label: Government index

Our classification: Attitudes to government, code P8.6.1

Measurement: Five questions were asked three on satisfaction with federal government and two on satisfaction with local government. It is not clear which were used for the government index

Measured Values: Measured values were given for each of the five questions asked, no value given for the government index.

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
O-DT/u/sqt/v/9/a	r=+.09 ns	

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to government

Subject code: P8.6.1

Study

LEVY 1975/1

Reported in: Levy, S.;Guttman, L.
On the Multivariate Structure of Well-Being.
Social Indicators Research, 1975, Vol. 2, 361 - 388. ISSN 0303 8300. DOI:10.1007/BF00293253
Page in Report: 372

Population: 18+ aged, general public, urban areas, Israel, 1973

Sample:

Non-Response: -

N: 1940

Correlate

Authors label: Satisfaction with government (1)

Our classification: Attitudes to government, code P8.6.1

Measurement: Closed question on the way government handles strikes ranging from 'not at all satisfied' to 'very satisfied'.

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
O-HL/c/sq/?/6/a	mc=+.01	
A-AOL/c/sq/v/4/b	mc=-.04	

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to government

Subject code: P8.6.1

Study LEVY 1975/1

Reported in: Levy, S.;Guttman, L.
On the Multivariate Structure of Well-Being.
Social Indicators Research, 1975, Vol. 2, 361 - 388. ISSN 0303 8300. DOI:10.1007/BF00293253
Page in Report: 372

Population: 18+ aged, general public, urban areas, Israel, 1973

Sample:

Non-Response: -

N: 1940

Correlate

Authors label: Satisfaction with the government (1)

Our classification: Attitudes to government, code P8.6.1

Measurement: Closed question on the way the government handles problems related terrorist activities against Israelis abroad ranging from 'not at all satisfied' to 'very satisfied'.

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
O-HL/c/sq/?/6/a	mc=+.09	

[A-AOL/c/sq/v/4/b](#)[mc=+.04](#)

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to government

Subject code: P8.6.1

Study LEVY 1975/2

Reported in: Levy, S.; Guttman, L.
On the Multivariate Structure of Well-Being.
Social Indicators Research, 1975, Vol. 2, 361 - 388. ISSN 0303 8300. DOI:10.1007/BF00293253
Page in Report: 373

Population: 18+ aged, general public, urban areas, Israel, 1973

Sample:

Non-Response: -

N: 1830

Correlate

Authors label: Satisfaction with the way the govern- ment handles strikes (1)

Our classification: Attitudes to government, code P8.6.1

Measurement: Direct closed question

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
A-AOL/c/sq/v/4/b	mc=+.08	
O-HL/c/sq/?/6/a	mc=+.08	

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to government

Subject code: P8.6.1

Study WILLS 2006

Reported in: Wills, E.
Personal Well Being Index-Adults for Bogotá- Colombia, March 2006.
Paper Management School, University de los Andes, 2006, Bogotá, Colombia
Page in Report: 4

Population: Adults, Bogotá, Colombia, 2006

Sample: Probability area sample

Non-Response: -

N: 830

Correlate

Authors label: Satisfaction with local government in Bogotá

Our classification: Attitudes to government, code P8.6.1

Measurement: Single question:
How satisfied are you with government in Bogotá?

Rated 10 very satisfied to 0 very dissatisfied

Measured Values: M=5,49; SD=2,50

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
O-SLW/u/sq/n/11/ca	r=+.03	
O-SLW/u/sq/n/11/ca	Beta=+.06 p<.05	Beta controlled for satisfaction with - economic situation in Bogotá - state of environment in Bogotá - social conditions in Bogotá - business in Bogotá - national security in Bogotá

Correlational finding on Happiness and . attitudes to national government

Subject code: P8.6.1.1

Study ANDRE 1976/1

Reported in: Andrews, F.M.; Withey, S.B.
Social Indicators of Well-being: Americans' Perceptions of Life Quality
Plenum Press, 1976. New York, USA.. ISBN 0 306 30935 1
Page in Report: 113

Population: 18+ aged, general public, non-institutionalized, USA, 1972/75

Sample:

Non-Response: 24%

N: 1297

Correlate

Authors label: Satisfaction with national government (1)

Our classification: . attitudes to national government, code P8.6.1.1

Measurement: Index of questions: "How do you feel about....?"

1. the way government is operating
2. what the government is doing about the economy and national military activities
3. the way political leaders think and act.

Rated on a 7-point scale: terrible/ unhappy/ mostly dissatisfied/ mixed/ mostly satisfied/ pleased/ delighted

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-DT/u/sqrt(v/7/a</u>	<u>E²=+.26</u>	Unaffected by sex
<u>O-DT/u/sqrt(v/7/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.09</u>	β controlled for 11 domain satisfactions (efficacy, family, money, amount of fun, house/apartment, spare time activities, things do with family, consumer, time to do things, health, job).
<u>O-DT/u/sqrt(v/7/a</u>	<u>Beta=+.09</u>	β controlled for sociodemographic variables (family life-cycle, age, family income, education, race, sex) and 11 domain satisfactions.

Correlational finding on Happiness and . attitudes to national government

Subject code: P8.6.1.1

Study ANDRE 1976/3

Reported in: Andrews, F.M.; Withey, S.B.
 Social Indicators of Well-being: Americans' Perceptions of Life Quality
 Plenum Press, 1976, New York, USA. ISBN 0 306 30935 1
 Page in Report: 113

Population: 18+ aged, general public, non institutionalized, USA, 1972/11

Sample:

Non-Response: 38%

N: 1072

Correlate

Authors label: Satisfaction with national government (1)

Our classification: . attitudes to national government, code P8.6.1.1

Measurement: Index of questions 'How do you feel about
 (1) with what government is doing, (2) with what
 government is doing about the economy,
 (3) and with the way the political
 leaders think and act.
 Rated on a 7-point scale: terrible/ unhappy/ mostly
 dissatisfied/ mixed/ mostly satisfied/ pleased/ delighted

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-DT/u/sqt/v/7/a</u>	<u>E²=+.25</u>	

Correlational finding on Happiness and . attitudes to national government

Subject code: P8.6.1.1

Study ANDRE 1976/3

Reported in: Andrews, F.M.; Withey, S.B.
 Social Indicators of Well-being: Americans' Perceptions of Life Quality
 Plenum Press, 1976, New York, USA. ISBN 0 306 30935 1
 Page in Report: 156

Population: 18+ aged, general public, non institutionalized, USA, 1972/11

Sample:

Non-Response: 38%

N: 1072

Correlate

Authors label: Satisfaction with national government (2)

Our classification: . attitudes to national government, code P8.6.1.1

Measurement: 3-item index containing satisfaction with what government
 is doing, with what government is doing about the economy,
 and with the way political leaders think and act: "How do
 you feel about...?"
 Rated on a 7-point scale: terrible/ unhappy/ mostly
 dissatisfied/ mixed/ mostly satisfied/ pleased/ delighted

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/7/a</u>	<u>r=+.25</u>	

[O-SLV/u/sq/t/101/a](#)[r=+.18](#)

Correlational finding on Happiness and . attitudes to national government

Subject code: P8.6.1.1

Study **ANDRE 1976/5**

Reported in: Andrews, F.M.; Withey, S.B.
 Social Indicators of Well-being: Americans' Perceptions of Life Quality
 Plenum Press, 1976, New York, USA. ISBN 0 306 30935 1
 Page in Report: 113

Population: 18+ aged, general public, non-institutionalized, USA, 1973/7

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 222

Correlate

Authors label: Satisfaction with national government (1)

Our classification: . attitudes to national government, code P8.6.1.1

Measurement: 3-item index of questions "How do you feel about...?"
 1. what government is doing,
 2. what government is doing about the economy
 3. the way the political leaders think and act
 Rated on a 7-point scale: terrible/ unhappy/ mostly dissatisfied/ mixed/ mostly satisfied/ pleased/ delighted

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
O-DT/u/sq/v/7/a	r=+.24	
O-HL/c/sq/v/3/aa	r=+.25	
C-BW/cy/sq/l/9/a	r=+.22	
A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a	r=+.12	
O-HL/u/sq/v/7/b	r=+.28	
M-AO/u/sq/f/7/a	r=+.16	

Correlational finding on Happiness and . attitudes to national government

Subject code: P8.6.1.1

Study ANDRE 1976/6

Reported in: Andrews, F.M.; Withey, S.B.
 Social Indicators of Well-being: Americans' Perceptions of Life Quality
 Plenum Press, 1976, New York, USA. ISBN 0 306 30935 1
 Page in Report: 156

Population: 18+ aged, general public, non-institutionalized, USA, 1972-73

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 2727

Correlate

Authors label: Satisfaction with national government (1)

Our classification: . attitudes to national government, code P8.6.1.1

Measurement: Index of closed questions, asked in different samples: "How do you feel about...

1. what out national government is doing (asked in November 1972 and July 1973)
2. what our government is doing about the economy - jobs, prices, profits (asked in November 1972 and July 1973)
3. the way our political leaders think and act (asked in November 1972 and July 1973)

Rated on a 7-point scale: terrible/ unhappy/ mostly dissatisfied/ mixed/ mostly satisfied/ pleased/ delighted

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
O-DT/u/sqt/v/7/a	r=+.24	

Correlational finding on Happiness and . attitudes to national government
Subject code: P8.6.1.1

Study ANDRE 1989

Reported in: Andrews, F.M.
 Stability and change in levels and structure of subjective well-being: USA 1972 and 1988
 Paper presented at the International Conference on Social Reporting, Berlin, September 1989
 Page in Report: 20

Population: Adults, general public, non-institutionalized, USA, 1972-88

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 2985

Correlate

Authors label: Satisfaction with national government (1)

Our classification: . attitudes to national government, code P8.6.1.1

Measurement: Single direct question rated on 7 point delighted-terrible scale "How do you feel about the national government?"

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks	
<u>O-DT/u/sqrt(v/7/a</u>	<u>E²=+</u>	1972: +.24	1988: +.10
<u>O-DT/u/sqrt(v/7/a</u>	<u>Beta=+</u>	1972: +.10	1988: +.12
		ß controlled for satisfaction with 5 other aspects of life: 1: fun, 2: accomplishments, 3: family income, 4: use of spare time, 5: health	

Correlational finding on Happiness and . attitudes to national government

Subject code: P8.6.1.1

Study

BACHM 1970

Reported in: Bachman, J.G.; Kahn, R.L.; Mednick, M.; Davidson, T.N.
Youth in Transition. Vol.II: The Impact of Family Background on Intelligence in 10th-Grade Boy.
Institute for Social Research, 1970, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, USA
Page in Report: 243

Population: Public highschool boys followed 3 years from grade 10, USA, 1966-69

Sample:

Non-Response: 2.8% incomplete information in 1966

N: 1799

Correlate

Authors label: Trust in government (1)

Our classification: . attitudes to national government, code P8.6.1.1

Measurement: 3-item index of closed questions on waste of tax money by government, trust in government, and smartness of government (Robinson et al., 1969).

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-HP/g/mq/v/5/a</u>	<u>$r=+.23$</u> <u>$p<.001$</u>	Both variables assessed at T1.

Correlational finding on Happiness and . attitudes to national government

Subject code: P8.6.1.1

Study BHARA 1977

Reported in: Bharadwaj, L.; Wilkening, E.A.
The Prediction of Perceived Well-Being.
Social Indicators Research, 1977, Vol. 4, 421 - 439 ISSN p 0303 8300; ISSN e 1573 0921 DOI:10.1007/BF00353143
Page in Report: 430

Population: 18+ aged, general public, Wisconsin, USA, 197?

Sample:

Non-Response: 12%

N: 1423

Correlate

Authors label: Satisfaction with national government (1)

Our classification: . attitudes to national government, code P8.6.1.1

Measurement: direct closed question rated on a 7-point scale, ranging from "completely satisfied" to "completely dissatisfied".

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
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O-SLW/u/sqt/v/7/ar=+.13

If controlled for satisfaction with family-life,
 standard of living, work, health, spare time
 activities, income, community, housing, food,
 spiritual matters, education, organizational
 involvement, natural environment,
 β : +.12 for age under 30 and
 β : +.11 for income over \$ 16000

Correlational finding on Happiness and . attitudes to national government

Subject code: P8.6.1.1

Study LEVY 1975/1

Reported in: Levy, S.;Guttman, L.

On the Multivariate Structure of Well-Being.

Social Indicators Research, 1975, Vol. 2, 361 - 388. ISSN 0303 8300. DOI:10.1007/BF00293253

Page in Report: 372

Population: 18+ aged, general public, urban areas, Israel, 1973

Sample:

Non-Response: -

N: 1940

Correlate

Authors label: Evaluation of government (1)

Our classification: . attitudes to national government, code P8.6.1.1

- Measurement:*
1. The way government handles immigration problems:
 Closed question ranging from 'not at all successfully' to 'very successfully'.
 2. What government is doing for the economically deprived:
 Closed question ranging from 'much less than necessary' to 'much more than is necessary'.
 3. What government is doing to explain its decisions:
 Closed question ranging from 'government is doing almost nothing' to 'very good'.
 4. The way government handles economic problems:
 Closed question ranging from 'not at all good' to 'very good'.

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
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<u>O-HL/c/sq/?/6/a</u>	<u>mc=+.07</u>	
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<u>A-AOL/c/sq/v/4/b</u>	<u>mc=-.04</u>	
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<u>O-HL/c/sq/?/6/a</u>	<u>mc=+.09</u>	
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<u>A-AOL/c/sq/v/4/b</u>	<u>mc=+.05</u>	
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<u>A-AOL/c/sq/v/4/b</u>	<u>mc=-.07</u>	
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<u>O-HL/c/sq/?/6/a</u>	<u>mc=-.00</u>	
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<u>A-AOL/c/sq/v/4/b</u>	<u>mc=+.11</u>	
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<u>O-HL/c/sq/?/6/a</u>	<u>mc=+.11</u>	
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Correlational finding on Happiness and . attitudes to national government
Subject code: P8.6.1.1

Study

LEVY 1975/2

Reported in: Levy, S.; Guttman, L.

On the Multivariate Structure of Well-Being.

Social Indicators Research, 1975, Vol. 2, 361 - 388. ISSN 0303 8300. DOI:10.1007/BF00293253

Page in Report: 373

Population: 18+ aged, general public, urban areas, Israel, 1973*Sample:**Non-Response:* -*N:* 1830

Correlate

Authors label: Evaluation of government (1)*Our classification:* . attitudes to national government, code P8.6.1.1*Measurement:* Direct closed questions on:

1. The way government handles economic problems.
2. The way government handles current problems.
3. The way government handles security problems.
4. The way the ministry of health handles health problems.

Remarks:

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
A-AOL/c/sq/v/4/b	mc=+.07	
O-HL/c/sq/?/6/a	mc=+.12	
A-AOL/c/sq/v/4/b	mc=+.12	
O-HL/c/sq/?/6/a	mc=+.20	
O-HL/c/sq/?/6/a	mc=+.09	

[A-AOL/c/sq/v/4/b](#) [mc=+.10](#)

[O-HL/c/sq/?/6/a](#) [mc=+.13](#)

[A-AOL/c/sq/v/4/b](#) [mc=+.04](#)

Correlational finding on Happiness and . attitudes to local government
Subject code: P8.6.1.2

Study **ANDRE 1976/1**

Reported in: Andrews, F.M.; Withey, S.B.
Social Indicators of Well-being: Americans' Perceptions of Life Quality
Plenum Press, 1976. New York, USA.. ISBN 0 306 30935 1
Page in Report: 113

Population: 18+ aged, general public, non-institutionalized, USA, 1972/75

Sample:

Non-Response: 24%

N: 1297

Correlate

Authors label: Satisfaction with local government (1)

Our classification: . attitudes to local government, code P8.6.1.2

Measurement: Index of questions: "How do you feel about....?"
1. police and courts
2. local government.
Rated on a 7-point scale: terrible/
unhappy/ mostly dissatisfied/ mixed/ mostly satisfied/
pleased/ delighted

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
O-DT/u/sqt/v/7/a	E²=+.23	Males: eta=+.31 Females: eta=+.18

Correlational finding on Happiness and . attitudes to local government
Subject code: P8.6.1.2

Study

ANDRE 1976/3

Reported in: Andrews, F.M.; Withey, S.B.
 Social Indicators of Well-being: Americans' Perceptions of Life Quality
 Plenum Press, 1976, New York, USA. ISBN 0 306 30935 1
 Page in Report: 113

Population: 18+ aged, general public, non institutionalized, USA, 1972/11

Sample:

Non-Response: 38%

N: 1072

Correlate

Authors label: Satisfaction with local government (1)

Our classification: . attitudes to local government, code P8.6.1.2

Measurement: Closed question: "How do you feel about what your local government is doing?"
 Rated on a 7-point scale: terrible/ unhappy/ mostly dissatisfied/ mixed/ mostly satisfied/ pleased/ delighted

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
O-DT/u/sqt/v/7/a	E²=+.19	

Correlational finding on Happiness and . attitudes to local government
 Subject code: P8.6.1.2

Study

ANDRE 1976/3

Reported in: Andrews, F.M.; Withey, S.B.
 Social Indicators of Well-being: Americans' Perceptions of Life Quality
 Plenum Press, 1976, New York, USA. ISBN 0 306 30935 1
 Page in Report: 156

Population: 18+ aged, general public, non institutionalized, USA, 1972/11

Sample:

Non-Response: 38%

N: 1072

Correlate

Authors label: Satisfaction with local government (2)

Our classification: . attitudes to local government, code P8.6.1.2

Measurement: Closed question: "How do you feel about what your local government is doing?" Rated on a 7-point scale: terrible/ unhappy/ mostly dissatisfied/ mixed/ mostly satisfied/ pleased/ delighted

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
O-SLW/c/sq/n/7/a	r=+.17	
O-SLV/u/sq/t/101/a	r=+.13	

Correlational finding on Happiness and . attitudes to local government

Subject code: P8.6.1.2

Study ANDRE 1976/5

Reported in: Andrews, F.M.; Withey, S.B.
Social Indicators of Well-being: Americans' Perceptions of Life Quality
Plenum Press, 1976, New York, USA. ISBN 0 306 30935 1
Page in Report: 113

Population: 18+ aged, general public, non-institutionalized, USA, 1973/7

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 222

Correlate

Authors label: Satisfaction with local government (1)

Our classification: . attitudes to local government, code P8.6.1.2

Measurement: 2-item index of questions "How do you feel about....?"
1. the police and courts are operating
2. what the local government is doing
Rated on a 7-point scale: terrible/ unhappy/ mostly dissatisfied/ mixed/ mostly satisfied/ pleased/ delighted

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
O-DT/u/sqt/v/7/a	r=+.21	

[O-HL/c/sq/v/3/aa](#) $r=+.16$

[C-BW/cy/sq/l/9/a](#) $r=+.16$

[A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a](#) $r=+.22$

[O-HL/u/sq/v/7/b](#) $r=+.27$

[M-AO/u/sq/f/7/a](#) $r=+.18$

Correlational finding on Happiness and . attitudes to local government

Subject code: P8.6.1.2

Study ANDRE 1976/6

Reported in: Andrews, F.M.; Withey, S.B.
Social Indicators of Well-being: Americans' Perceptions of Life Quality
Plenum Press, 1976, New York, USA. ISBN 0 306 30935 1
Page in Report: 156

Population: 18+ aged, general public, non-institutionalized, USA, 1972-73

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 2727

Correlate

Authors label: Satisfaction with local government (1)

Our classification: . attitudes to local government, code P8.6.1.2

Measurement: Index of closed questions, asked in different samples: "How do you feel about...
1. the way the police and courts in this area are operating (asked in July 1973)
2. what your local government is doing (asked in November 1972 and July 1973)?"
Rated on a 7-point scale: terrible/ unhappy/ mostly dissatisfied/ mixed/ mostly satisfied/ pleased/ delighted

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
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O-DT/u/sqt/v/7/a	$r=+.20$	
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Correlational finding on Happiness and . attitudes to local government

Subject code: P8.6.1.2

Study **BATIS 1996**

Reported in: Batista-Foquet, J.M.; Coenders, G.; Sureda-Pascual, J.
Satisfaction in Catalonia, Spain.
Saris, W.E.; et al; Eds.: "A Comparative Study of Satisfaction with Life in Europe", Eötvös University
Press, 1996, Hungary, 155 - 174 ISSN:963 463 0812
Page in Report: 159+168

Population: 16+ aged, general public, Catalonia, Spain, 1989

Sample: Probability stratified sample

Non-Response: not reported

N: 406

Correlate

Authors label: satisfaction with Catalans government (1)

Our classification: . attitudes to local government, code P8.6.1.2

Measurement: Single question:
"How satisfied are you recently with the Catalan
government?"
1. completely dissatisfied
2. dissatisfied
3 neither satisfied nor dissatisfied
4 satisfied
5 completely satisfied

Measured Values: M= 3.2; SD= 1.14 Scale % 1. 8.2 2. 18.8 3. 31.1 4. 28.2 5. 13.8

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
O-SLW/c/sq/v/5/ea	r=+.14	
O-SLW/c/sq/v/5/ea	rp=+.19	rp corrects for random and systematic measurement error.

Correlational finding on Happiness and . attitudes to local government

Subject code: P8.6.1.2

Study **FORTI 1983**

Reported in: Forti, T. J.; Hyg, M.S.

A Documented Evaluation of Primary Prevention through Consultation.

Community Mental Health Journal, 1983, Vol. 19, 290 - 304. ISSN p 0010 3853; ISSN e 1573 2789

DOI:10.1007/BF00755410

Page in Report:

Population: Catholic nuns, re-organized cloister, followed 4 years, Louisiana, USA, 1977-1981

Sample:

Non-Response: T1: 18%, T2: 14%, T3: 23%

N: 137

Correlate

Authors label: Satisfaction with provincial governmt. (1)

Our classification: . attitudes to local government, code P8.6.1.2

Measurement: Single closed question: 'How do you feel about provincial government?', rated on a 7-point Delighted-Terrible scale, ranging from (1) Delighted to (7) Terrible, (8) neither. (order reversed)

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
O-DT/u/sq/f/7/a	r=+	T1: 1977 r= +.08 (ns) T2: 1979 r= +.30 (01) T3: 1981 r= +.27 (01) Both variables assessed at T1, T2, and T3. Correlation concerns same time measures.

Correlational finding on Happiness and . attitudes to local government

Subject code: P8.6.1.2

Study SHINN 1978

Reported in: Shinn, D.C.;Johnson, D.M.

Avowed Happiness as the Overall Assesment of the Quality of Life.

Social Indicators Research, 1978, Vol. 5, 475 - 492. ISSN p 0303 8300; ISSN e 1573 0921 DOI:10.1007/BF00352944

Page in Report: 483/487

Population: Heads of households, Illinois, USA, 1975

Sample:

Non-Response: 17%

N: 665

Correlate

Authors label: Assessment of quality of local government (1)

Our classification: . attitudes to local government, code P8.6.1.2

Measurement: Single closed question rated on a scale ranging from very satisfied to very dissatisfied or from excellent to very poor

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
O-HL/c/sq/v/3/aa	<u>r=+.09</u> <u>p<..05</u>	<p>When controlled for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - assessments only $\beta = +.02$ - resources and assessments $\beta = +.01$ - assessments and comparisons $\beta = ?$ - assessments, resources and comparisons $\beta = +.01$ <p>'Assessments': satisfaction with: standard of living, leisure time, housing, health, education, community;</p> <p>'Resources': race, sex, age, income, education, home ownership, marital status, number of children, number of household members;</p> <p>'Comparisons': perception of being happier than others and perceived financial improvement in the past few years.</p>

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to state-services

Subject code: P8.6.2

Study	ANDRE 1976/1
<i>Reported in:</i>	Andrews, F.M.; Withey, S.B. Social Indicators of Well-being: Americans' Perceptions of Life Quality Plenum Press, 1976. New York, USA.. ISBN 0 306 30935 1 Page in Report: 113
<i>Population:</i>	18+ aged, general public, non-institutionalized, USA, 1972/75
<i>Sample:</i>	
<i>Non-Response:</i>	24%
<i>N:</i>	1297

Correlate

Authors label: Satisfaction with municipal services (1)

Our classification: Attitudes to state-services, code P8.6.2

Measurement: Closed question: "How do you feel about the services you get in this neighborhood- like garbage collection, street maintenance, fire and police protection?"
 Rated on a 7-point scale: terrible/ unhappy/ mostly dissatisfied/ mixed/ mostly satisfied/ pleased/ delighted

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-DT/u/sqrt(v/7/a</u>	<u>E²=+.20</u>	Unaffected by sex

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to state-services Subject code: P8.6.2

Study MICHA 1982

Reported in: Michalos, A.C.
 The Satisfaction and Happiness of Some Senior Citizens in Ontario.
 Social Indicators Research, 1982, Vol. 11, 1 - 30. ISSN 0303 8300. DOI:10.1007/BF00353590
 Page in Report: 24

Population: 60+ aged, rural townships, Southern Huron County, Ontario, Canada, 198?

Sample:

Non-Response: 37%

N: 392

Correlate

Authors label: Satisfaction with government services (1)

Our classification: Attitudes to state-services, code P8.6.2

Measurement: Closed question on government provisions(pensions etc.)
 rated on a 7-point scale

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
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O-DT/c/sq/v/7/aaBeta=+.13

All β 's controlled for satisfaction with family life, friendships, financial security, self esteem, spouse, health, transportation, recreation, housing, religion, area you live in; and for sex, age, formal education.

Males:	N:149	β :+.11
Females	N:121	β :+.17
Farmer	N:130	β :+.11
Non-farmer	N:141	β :+.16
Aged 60-74	N:170	β :+.20
Aged 75-up	N:102	β :-.02

O-HL/u/sq/v/7/aBeta=+.08

All β 's are controlled for satisfaction with family life, friendships, financial security, self-esteem, spouse, health, transportation, recreation, housing, religion, area you live in; and for sex, age and education.

Males	N:149	β :ns
Females	N:121	β :+.13
Farmers	N:130	β :ns
Non-farmers	N:141	β :+.13
Age 60-74	N:170	β :+.16
Age 75-up	N:102	β :-.11

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to state-services

Subject code: P8.6.2

Study

MICHA 1983

Reported in: Michalos, A.C.

Satisfaction and Happiness in a Rural Northern Resource Community.

Social Indicators Research, 1983, Vol. 13, 225 - 252. ISSN 0303 8300. DOI:10.1007/BF00318099

Page in Report: 233

Population: 18+ aged, rural community, N.Ontario, Canada, 1982

Sample:

Non-Response: 8%

N: 598

Correlate

Authors label: Satisfaction with government services (1)

Our classification: Attitudes to state-services, code P8.6.2

Measurement: Closed question on government provisions (pensions etc.), rated on a 7-point scale

Observed Relation with Happiness

*Happiness Measure**Statistics**Elaboration/Remarks*O-DT/c/sq/v/7/aaBeta=+.04

All β 's controlled for satisfaction with health, financial security, family relations, paid employment, friendships, housing, area you live in, recreation activity, religion, self esteem, transportation, and for the demographic factors; sex, age, formal education, language, work status, marital status, time in area.

Males : N: 173 β : +.04

Females: N: 154 β : +.03

O-HL/u/sq/v/7/aBeta=+.03

All β 's controlled for satisfaction with health, financial security, family relations, paid employment, friendships, housing, area you live in, recreation activity, religion, self esteem, transportation; and for sex, age, formal education, language, work status, marital status, time in area.

Males : N: 173 β : +.01

Females: N: 154 β : +.04

Correlational finding on Happiness and . attitudes to environmental protection

Subject code: P8.6.2.1

Study**ZUMA 1989**

Reported in: Zentrum fur Umfrageforschung Mannheim (ZUMA)
Wohlfahrtsurveys 1978,1980,1984,1988.
Unpublished data-set. Especially prepared for the World Database of Happiness.
Page in Report:

Population: 18+ aged, general public, West-Germany, 1978-88

Sample:

Non-Response: ?

N: 2100

Correlate

Authors label: Satisfaction with environmental protection (2)

Our classification: . attitudes to environmental protection, code P8.6.2.1

Measurement: Question: ' How satisfied are with the protection of natural environment?'
Rated on an 11 point scale ranging from 0 to 10.

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks				
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/4/b</u>	<u>SNR=</u>		eta	G	r	ß
		1978	+.11	+.12	+.09	+.11
		1980				
		1984	+.07	-.00	+.00	+.07
		1988	+.10	+.11	+.07	+.11
		ß's controlled for age, gender, perceived class and marital status.				

Correlational finding on Happiness and . attitudes to environmental protection

Subject code: P8.6.2.1

Study

ZUMA 1989

Reported in: Zentrum für Umfrageforschung Mannheim (ZUMA)
Wohlfahrtsurveys 1978,1980,1984,1988.
Unpublished data-set. Especially prepared for the World Database of Happiness.
Page in Report:

Population: 18+ aged, general public, West-Germany, 1978-88

Sample:

Non-Response: ?

N: 2100

Correlate

Authors label: Satisfaction with public security (2)

Our classification: . attitudes to environmental protection, code P8.6.2.1

Measurement: Question: 'How satisfied are you with public security?'
Rated on an 11 point scale ranging from 0 to 10.

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
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[O-SLW/c/sq/n/11/ba](#)[SNR=](#)

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1978	+ .16	+ .13	+ .15	+ .16
1980				
1984	+ .09	+ .03	+ .05	+ .10
1988	+ .14	+ .11	+ .11	+ .13

β 's controlled for age, gender, perceived class and marital status.

Correlational finding on Happiness and . attitudes to social security

Subject code: P8.6.2.3

Study

ABRAM 1972

Reported in: Abrams, M.; Hall, J.
The Condition of the British People: Report on a Pilot Survey using Self-Rating Scales.
Unpublished paper, Social Science Research Council, 1972, London, UK.
Page in Report: 21

Population: 15+ aged, general public, Britain, 1971

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 213

Correlate

Authors label: Satisfaction with welfare services (1)

Our classification: . attitudes to social security, code P8.6.2.3

Measurement: Closed question rated on an 11-point self-anchoring scale, based on Cantril (1965)

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure

Statistics

Elaboration/Remarks

[O-SLW/c/sq/l/11/b](#)[r=+.37](#)

Correlational finding on Happiness and . attitudes to social security

Subject code: P8.6.2.3

Study

ZUMA 1989

Reported in: Zentrum für Umfrageforschung Mannheim (ZUMA)
Wohlfahrtsurveys 1978,1980,1984,1988.
Unpublished data-set. Especially prepared for the World Database of Happiness.
Page in Report:

Population: 18+ aged, general public, West-Germany, 1978-88

Sample:

Non-Response: ?

N: 2100

Correlate

Authors label: Satisfaction with social security (1)

Our classification: . attitudes to social security, code P8.6.2.3

Measurement: Question: ' How satisfied are you with social security? We mean the so-called social assurance system for healthcare, disemployment and old age.'
Rated on an 11 point scale ranging from 0 to 10.

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks				
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/4/b</u>	<u>SNR=</u>	eta	G	r	β	
		1978	+.18	+.22	+.16	+.17
		1980				
		1984	+.13	+.14	+.11	+.13
		1988	+.12	+.11	+.06	+.12
		β 's controlled for age, gender, perceived class and marital status.				

Correlational finding on Happiness and . attitudes to social security
Subject code: P8.6.2.3

Study ZUMA 1989

Reported in: Zentrum für Umfrageforschung Mannheim (ZUMA)
Wohlfahrtsurveys 1978,1980,1984,1988.
Unpublished data-set. Especially prepared for the World Database of Happiness.
Page in Report:

Population: 18+ aged, general public, West-Germany, 1978-88

Sample:

Non-Response: ?

N: 2100

Correlate

Authors label: Perceived importanceof leisure-time (2)*Our classification:* . attitudes to social security, code P8.6.2.3*Measurement:* Question: 'How important is leisure-time for you?'
Rated on a 7 point scale ranging from 1 to 7.

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks				
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/11/ba</u>	<u>SNR=</u>	eta	G	r	ß	
		1978	+.31	+.28	+.29	+.29
		1980				
		1984	+.23	+.23	+.21	+.24
		1988	+.24	+.23	+.20	+.25
		ß's controlled for age, gender, perceived class and marital status.				

Correlational finding on Happiness and . attitudes to public health care

Subject code: P8.6.2.4

Study

BATIS 1996

Reported in: Batista-Foquet, J.M.; Coenders, G.; Sureda-Pascual, J.
Satisfaction in Catolania, Spain.
Saris, W.E.; et al; Eds.: "A Comparative Study of Satisfaction with Life in Europe", Eötvös University Press, 1996, Hungary, 155 - 174 ISSN:963 463 0812
Page in Report: 159+168*Population:* 16+ aged, general public, Catalonia, Spain, 1989*Sample:* Probability stratified sample*Non-Response:* not reported

N: 406

Correlate

Authors label: satisfaction with public health care (1)*Our classification:* . attitudes to public health care, code P8.6.2.4

Measurement: Single question:
 "How satisfied are you recently with public health care?"
 1. completely dissatisfied
 2. dissatisfied
 3. neither satisfied nor dissatisfied
 4. satisfied
 5. completely satisfied

Measured Values: M= 3.93; SD= 1.53 Scale % 1. 13.9 2. 20.0 3. 28.0 4. 23.6 5. 14.5

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
O-SLW/c/sq/v/5/ea	r=+.07	
O-SLW/c/sq/v/5/ea	rp=+.11	rp corrects for random and systematic measurement error

Correlational finding on Happiness and . attitudes to public health care

Subject code: P8.6.2.4

Study LEVY 1975/2

Reported in: Levy, S.; Guttman, L.
 On the Multivariate Structure of Well-Being.
 Social Indicators Research, 1975, Vol. 2, 361 - 388. ISSN 0303 8300. DOI:10.1007/BF00293253
 Page in Report: 373

Population: 18+ aged, general public, urban areas, Israel, 1973

Sample:

Non-Response: -

N: 1830

Correlate

Authors label: Evaluat. of the way the health min. han-dles health problems (1)

Our classification: . attitudes to public health care, code P8.6.2.4

Measurement: Direct closed question

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
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[O-HL/c/sq/?/6/a](#)[mc=+.13](#)[A-AOL/c/sq/v/4/b](#)[mc=+.04](#)

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to democracy

Subject code: P8.6.3

Study

BATIS 1996

Reported in: Batista-Foquet, J.M.; Coenders, G.; Sureda-Pascual, J.
Satisfaction in Catalonia, Spain.
Saris, W.E.; et al; Eds.: "A Comparative Study of Satisfaction with Life in Europe", Eötvös University Press, 1996, Hungary, 155 - 174 ISSN:963 463 0812
Page in Report: 159+168

Population: 16+ aged, general public, Catalonia, Spain, 1989

Sample: Probability stratified sample

Non-Response: not reported

N: 406

Correlate

Authors label: Satisfaction with the way democracy is working (1)

Our classification: Attitudes to democracy, code P8.6.3

Measurement: Single question:
"How satisfied are you recently with the way democracy is working?"
1. completely dissatisfied;
2. dissatisfied;
3. neither satisfied nor dissatisfied;
4. satisfied;
5. completely satisfied;

Measured Values: M= 2,89; SD= 1.09 Scale % 1. 16.0 2. 20.0 3. 32.5 4. 21.2 5. 10.1

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure

Statistics

Elaboration/Remarks

[O-SLW/c/sq/v/5/ea](#)[r=+.15](#)[O-SLW/c/sq/v/5/ea](#)[rp=+.15](#)

rp corrects for random and systematic measurement error.

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to democracy

Subject code: P8.6.3

Study

BONNA 1989

Reported in: Bonnafe, D.
 Racism and Intolerance.
 Eurobarometer Report, Special Racism and Intolerance, European Commission, November 1989,
 Brussels, Belgium ISSN 1012 2273
 Page in Report: 11

Population: 15+ aged, EU-countries (12), 1988

Sample: Probability multi-stage cluster sample

Non-Response:

N: 11795

Correlate

Authors label: valuation of democracy

Our classification: Attitudes to democracy, code P8.6.3

Measurement: Response to single question : Here you find 3 opinions about political systems. Which of them fits the best with yours ?
 a) democracy is, whatsoever, the best political system for me
 b) dictatorship can be a good alternative under circumstances
 c) I have no preference for democracy or dictatorship
 d) DK

Measured Values: a : 78%, b 9% c : 12%, DK: 1%

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
O-SLL/c/sq/n/10/a	DM= +	a : M= 6.81 b : M= 6.34 c : M= 6.16 all :M= 6.68

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to democracy
 Subject code: P8.6.3

Study

HALL 1973

Reported in: Hall, J.

Measuring the Quality of Life Using Sample Surveys.

Stöber, J.; et al; Eds.: "Technology Assessment and the Quality of Life", Elsevier, 1973, Amsterdam, Netherlands, 93 - 102. ISBN 0 444 41137 2

Page in Report: 100

Population: Adults, general public, Britain, 1971*Sample:**Non-Response:**N:* 593

Correlate

Authors label: Satisfaction with level of democracy. (1)*Our classification:* Attitudes to democracy, code P8.6.3*Measurement:* Question rated on a 7-point self-anchoring scale, based on Cantril (1965)

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
O-SLW/c/sq/l/7/a	r=+.25	

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to democracy

Subject code: P8.6.3

Study HALL 1976

Reported in: Hall, J.

Subjective Measures of Quality of Life in Britain, 1971 to 1975: Some Developments and Trends. Social Trends, 1976, Vol. 7., 47 - 60

Page in Report: 50

Population: Adults, general public, Great Britain, 1971-75*Sample:**Non-Response:* ?*N:* 593

Correlate

Authors label: Satisfaction with democracy (1)*Our classification:* Attitudes to democracy, code P8.6.3

Measurement: Direct closed question rated on a 11-point scale.

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
O-SLW/c/sq/l/11/a	r=+.26	1971
O-SLW/c/sq/l/11/a	r=+.22	1973
O-SLW/c/sq/l/11/a	r=+.23	1975

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to democracy Subject code: P8.6.3

Study ZUMA 1989

Reported in: Zentrum fur Umfrageforschung Mannheim (ZUMA)
Wohlfahrtsurveys 1978,1980,1984,1988.
Unpublished data-set. Especially prepared for the World Database of Happiness.
Page in Report:

Population: 18+ aged, general public, West-Germany, 1978-88

Sample:

Non-Response: ?

N: 2100

Correlate

Authors label: Satisfaction with democracy (1)

Our classification: Attitudes to democracy, code P8.6.3

Measurement: Question : 'How satisfied are you with democracy ?'
0 completely dissatisfied
10 completely satisfied

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
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O-SLW/c/sq/n/11/baSNR=

eta

G

r

 β

1978	+.31	+.29	+.30	+.30
1980				
1984				
1988	+.24	+.21	+.21	+.23

β 's controlled for age, gender, perceived class and marital status.

O-HL/c/sq/v/4/bSNR=

eta

G

r

 β

1978	+.18	+.22	+.16	+.18
1980				
1984				
1988	+.10	+.06	+.03	+.10

β 's controlled for age, gender, perceived class and marital status.

Correlational finding on Happiness and Attitudes to political groups (parties, unions)

Subject code: P8.6.4

Study

LEVY 1975/1

Reported in: Levy, S.;Guttman, L.
On the Multivariate Structure of Well-Being.
Social Indicators Research, 1975, Vol. 2, 361 - 388. ISSN 0303 8300. DOI:10.1007/BF00293253
Page in Report: 372

Population: 18+ aged, general public, urban areas, Israel, 1973

Sample:

Non-Response: -

N: 1940

Correlate

Authors label: Satisfaction with the way the hista- drut handles strikes (1)

Our classification: Attitudes to political groups (parties, unions), code P8.6.4

Measurement: Closed question ranging from 'not at all satisfied' to 'very satisfied'.

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure

Statistics

Elaboration/Remarks

[O-HL/c/sq/?/6/a](#)[mc=-.03](#)[A-AOL/c/sq/v/4/b](#)[mc=-.07](#)

Correlational finding on Happiness and Perceived political control

Subject code: P8.6.5

Study BUTTE 1977

Reported in: Buttel, F.H.; Martinson, O.B.

Ideology and Social Indicators of the Quality of Life.

Social Indicators Research, 1977, Vol. 4, 353 - 369 ISSN p 0303 8300; ISSN e 1573 0921 DOI:10.1007/BF00353138

Page in Report: 362

Population: 18+ aged, general public, Winconsin USA, 1974

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 548

Correlate

Authors label: Political cynism (1)

Our classification: Perceived political control, code P8.6.5

Measurement: 4-item index. The respondents were asked whether they agreed to the following statements:

1. The world is run by the few people in power, and there is not much the little guy can do about it.
2. Big business has too much power.
3. A poor man doesn't stand a fair change in the law courts.
4. The democracy is limited in the USA because of the special privileges enjoyed by business and industry.

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
M-CO/u/mq/v/7/a	r=-.16 p<.05	
M-CO/u/mq/v/7/a	rpc=-.12	Rpc controlled for age, aducation, family income, place of residence, organizational membership, contact with friends and relatives and marital status.

Correlational finding on Happiness and Perceived political control

Subject code: P8.6.5

Study

DOBSO 1985

Reported in: Dobson, C.D.

Attitudes and Perceptions.

Powers, E.A.; et al.; Eds.: "Late Life Transitions", Kluwer, 1985, Dordrecht, Netherlands, 123 - 136. ISBN 0 8983 8137 1

Page in Report: 135

Population: 50+ aged males, fulltime employed at T1, followed ten years, Iowa, USA, 1964-74*Sample:* Non-probability purposive-quota sample*Non-Response:* T1 refusals: 8% T1-T2 drop-out: 29%, of which 20% deceased*N:* 1870

Correlate

Authors label: Political cynism (1)*Our classification:* Perceived political control, code P8.6.5*Measurement:* 6 item index
(Agger et al 1961)

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
M-CO/h/sq/v/4/a	r=+.10 p<.001	T1
M-CO/h/sq/v/4/a	r=+.10 p<.001	T2

Correlational finding on Happiness and Perceived political control

Subject code: P8.6.5

Study

MARTI 1984

Reported in: Martinson, O.B.; Wilkening, E.A. ; Mc Grahnan, D.

Predicting overall Life Satisfaction: The Role of Life Cycle and Social Psychological Antecedents.

Social Indicators Research 1984, Vol. 14, 99 - 108. ISSN 0303 8300. DOI:10.1007/BF00315724

Page in Report: 104

Population: 18+aged, general public, N.W.Wisconsin, USA, 1974*Sample:*

Non-Response: 12%

N: 1423

Correlate

Authors label: Powerlessness (1)

Our classification: Perceived political control, code P8.6.5

Measurement: 3 item index of closed questions, rated on a 5 point Likert format:

- a. This world is run by few people in power and there is not much the little guy can do about it.
- b. I have little chance of protecting my personal interests when they conflict with those of strong pressure groups.
- c. The average citizen can have an influence on government decisions.

Observed Relation with Happiness

Happiness Measure	Statistics	Elaboration/Remarks
<u>O-SLW/u/sqrt/v/7/a</u>	<u>r=-.16</u> <u>p<.05</u>	age <30: r = -.18 05 30 - 49: r = -.24 05 50 - 64: r = -.11 05 > 64: r = -.10 05
<u>O-SLW/u/sqrt/v/7/a</u>	<u>Beta=-.13</u> <u>p<.05</u>	age <30: β = -.19 05 30 - 49: β = -.13 05 50 - 64: β = -.10 05 > 64: β = -.05 ns β controlled for: community solidarity, health, days too sick to work, recent move, separated/divorced, unemployed, contact with relatives, contact with friends, church attendance, organizational membership, education, family income.

Correlational finding on Happiness and Perceived political control
Subject code: P8.6.5

Study MARTI 1985

Reported in: Martinson, O.B., Wilkening, E.A.; Linn, J.G.
 Life Change, Health Status and Life Satisfaction: A Reconsideration.
 Social Indicators Research, 1985, Vol. 16, 301 - 313. ISSN 0303 8300. DOI:10.1007/BF00415128
 Page in Report: 309

Population: 18+ aged, general public, NW Wisconsin, USA, 1974

Sample:

Non-Response: 14%

N: 1423

Correlate

Authors label: Powerlessness (1)

Our classification: Perceived political control, code P8.6.5

Measurement: 3 item index of closed questions, rated on a 5-point Likert
 Format:

- a. This world is run by a few people in power and there is not much the little guy can do about it.
- b. I have little chance of protecting my personal interests when they conflict with those of strong pressure groups.
- c. The average citizen can have an influence on government decisions.

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>												
<u>O-SLW/u/sqrt(v/7/a</u>	<u>Beta=-</u>	<p>β of different age groups:</p> <table><tr><td>under 30</td><td>: -.16</td><td>05</td><td>30-49</td><td>: -.11</td><td>05</td></tr><tr><td>50-64</td><td>: -.09</td><td>ns</td><td>over 64</td><td>: -.05</td><td>ns</td></tr></table> <p>β controlled for: negative life change, degree of disability, days lost due to illness, community solidarity, recent migrant, contact with friends, contact with relatives, organizational affiliation, church attendance, separated / divorced, sex, unemployed, family income, education.</p>	under 30	: -.16	05	30-49	: -.11	05	50-64	: -.09	ns	over 64	: -.05	ns
under 30	: -.16	05	30-49	: -.11	05									
50-64	: -.09	ns	over 64	: -.05	ns									

Correlational finding on Happiness and Perceived political control
 Subject code: P8.6.5

Study MELEI 1982

Reported in: Meleis, A.I.
 Effect of Modernization on Kuwaiti Women.
 Social Science and Medicine, 1982, Vol. 16, 965 - 970. ISSN 0277 9536 DOI:doi:10.1016/0277-9536(82)90364-1
 Page in Report:

Population: 17-40 aged females, Kuwait, 1982

Sample:

Non-Response:

N: 248

Correlate

Authors label: Powerlessness (1)

Our classification: Perceived political control, code P8.6.5

Measurement: Adapted Seeman alienation scale (Seeman 1966).

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
O-H?/?/oq/?/0/a	r=+.29 p<.001	
O-H?/?/oq/?/0/a	r=+.29 p<.001	

Correlational finding on Happiness and Perceived political control

Subject code: P8.6.5

Study

MOSER 1969

Reported in: Moser-Peters, C.M.
 Achtergronden van Geluksgevoelens. (Backgrounds of Happiness Feelings).
 Nederlands Instituut voor Preventieve Geneeskunde (TNO), 1969, Leiden, Netherlands
 Page in Report: 40

Population: Adult, general public, Utrecht, city, The Netherlands, 1967

Sample:

Non-Response: 14% unattainable etc.

N: 300

Correlate

Authors label: Dissatisfaction with present socio- political order. (1)

Our classification: Perceived political control, code P8.6.5

Measurement: 5-item index indicating anomy and powerlessness: Typical items are

- we need less laws and intitutions and more courageous leaders
- most politicians are incapabale. -people should talk less and live a more natural and active way of life.

Remarks: Itemsd taken from a shortened F-scale (Weima 1963)

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/5/c</u>	<u>G=+.13 ns</u>	

Correlational finding on Happiness and Perceived political control

Subject code: P8.6.5

Study ZUMA 1989

Reported in: Zentrum fur Umfrageforschung Mannheim (ZUMA) Wohlfahrtsurveys 1978,1980,1984,1988.
Unpublished data-set. Especially prepared for the World Database of Happiness.
Page in Report:

Population: 18+ aged, general public, West-Germany, 1978-88

Sample:

Non-Response: ?

N: 2100

Correlate

Authors label: Satisfaction with possibilities of political particip. (1)

Our classification: Perceived political control, code P8.6.5

Measurement: Question : "How satisfied are you with the possibilities of political participation ?"
Rated on an 11-point scale:
0 completely dissatisfied
10 completely satisfied

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>				
<u>O-SLW/c/sq/n/11/ba</u>	<u>SNR=</u>	eta	G	r	ß	
		1978	+.19	+.13	+.13	+.17
		1980				
		1984				
		1988	+.19	+.15	+.15	+.18
		ß's controlled for age, gender, perceived class and marital status.				
<u>O-HL/c/sq/v/4/b</u>	<u>SNR=</u>	eta	G	r	ß	
		1978	+.10	+.11	+.07	+.10
		1980				
		1984				
		1988	+.10	+.06	+.05	+.09
		ß's controlled for age, gender, perceived class and marital status.				

Correlational finding on Happiness and Overall satisfaction with politics

Subject code: P8.6.6

Study	GEHMA 1986
<i>Reported in:</i>	Gehmacher, E. Glück als Mathematische Gleichung. (Happiness as a Mathematical Equation). Start und Aufstieg: die Zeitschrift des Berufsförderungsinstituts, Austria, 1986, 8 - 9 Page in Report: 9
<i>Population:</i>	Adult, general public, Austria, 1985
<i>Sample:</i>	
<i>Non-Response:</i>	?
	N: 1814

Correlate

<i>Authors label:</i>	Satisfaction with politics (1)
<i>Our classification:</i>	Overall satisfaction with politics, code P8.6.6
<i>Measurement:</i>	

Observed Relation with Happiness

<i>Happiness Measure</i>	<i>Statistics</i>	<i>Elaboration/Remarks</i>
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O-SLW/c/sq/n/6/ar=+.20O-SLW/c/sq/n/6/aBeta=+.03ß controled for satisfaction with work, health,
housing and leisure

Appendix 1: Happiness Items used

<i>Happiness Item Code</i>	<i>Full Text</i>
A-AOL/c/sq/v/4/b	Selfreport on single closed question: "How is your mood these days....?" 4 very good all the time 3 2 1 not good almost all the time
A-AOL/g/sq/v/3/d	Selfreport on single question: I now mention some experiences, moods. Please tell me how often you feel so "happy." (one of several moods) 1 seldom or never 2 sometimes 3 often
A-AOL/m/sq/v/5/a	Single direct question: How are you feeling now....? 5 very good 4 good 3 neither good nor poor 2 poor 1 very poor
A-BB/cm/mq/v/2/a	Selfreport on 10 questions: During the past few weeks, did you ever feel? (yes/no) A Particularly exited or interested in something? B So restless that you couldn't sit long in a chair? C Proud because someone complimented you on something you had done? D Very lonely or remote from other people? E Pleased about having accomplished something? F Bored? G On top of the world? H Depressed or very unhappy? I That things were going your way? J Upset because someone criticized you? Answer options and scoring: yes = 1 no = 0 Summation: -Positive Affect Score (PAS): A+C+E+G+I -Negative Affect Score (NAS): B+D+F+H+J -Affect Balance Score (ABS): PAS minus NAS Possible range: -5 to +5

Name: Bradburn's 'Affect Balance Scale' (standard version)

A-CP/g/sq/v/7/a

Selfreport on single question:

"Check one of the following groups of adjectives which best describes you."

7 full of deep joy, excitedly happy, enthusiastic, thrilled

6 cheerful, successful, optimistic, lighthearted

5 satisfied, comfortable, life goes smoothly, peaceful

4 contented at times and at other times discontented, life has both favorable and unfavorable features

3 restless, impatient, uncertain, dull, cross, confined

2 anxious, irritated, discouraged, disappointed, discontented

1 gloomy, miserable, a failure, no pleasure in anything

C-BW/c/sq/l/11/a

Selfreport on single question:

"Here is a picture of a ladder. Suppose we say that the top of

the ladder represents the best possible life for you and the

bottom represents the worst possible life for you. Where on the ladder do you feel you personally stand at the present time?"

[10] best possible life

[9]

[8]

[7]

[6]

[5]

[4]

[3]

[2]

[1]

[0] worst possible life

Preceded by 1) open questions about what the respondent imagines as the best possible life and the worst possible life. 2) ratings on the ladder of one's life five years ago and where on the ladder one expects to stand five years from now.

Name: Cantril's self anchoring ladder rating of life (original)

C-BW/cy/sq/l/9/a

Selfreport on single question:

"Here is a picture of a ladder. At the bottom of the ladder is the worst life you might reasonably expect to have. At the top is the best life you might expect to have. Of course, life from week to week falls somewhere in between. Where was your life most of the time during the past year?"

[9] best life you might expect to have

[8]

[7]

[6]

[5]

[4]

[3]

[2]

[1] worst life you might expect to have

Name: Cantril's self anchoring ladder rating (modified version)

M-AO/u/sq/f/7/a

Selfreport on single question:

Which (of the faces) best described how you feel about your life as a whole?

7 completely happy

6

5

4 neither happy nor unhappy

3

2

1 completely unhappy

M-CO/h/sq/v/4/a

Selfreport on single question:

How do you feel things have worked out for you generally?

4 very well

3 fairly well

2 not very well

1 not at all well

M-CO/u/mq/v/7/a

Selfreport on 3 questions:

A How do you feel about what you are accomplishing in life?

B How do you feel about your life as a whole?

C In general, how happy would you say you are these days?

Answer options:

7 completely satisfied

6 very satisfied

5 satisfied

4 satisfied - dissatisfied

3 dissatisfied

2 very dissatisfied

1 completely dissatisfied

Possible range 3 - 21

M-FH/u/sq/v/3/a

Selfreport on single question:

Do you feel.....?

3 happy

2 not too happy

1 unhappy

O-DT/c/sq/v/7/aa

Selfreport on single question:

How do you feel about your life as a whole right now.....?

7 delightfull

6 very satisfying

5 satisfying

4 mixed

3 dissatisfying

2 very dissatisfying

1 terrible

No opinion

Name: Andrews & Withey's 'Delighted-Terrible Scale' (modified version)

O-DT/u/sq/f/7/a

Selfreport on single question:

Which face comes closest to expressing feeling about life as a whole?

- 7 delighted
- 6 nvery satisfying
- 5 satisfying
- 4 mixed
- 3 dissatisfying
- 2 very dissatisfying
- 1 terrible
- No opinion

Name: Andrews & Withey's "Delighted-Terrible Scale" (modified version)

O-DT/u/sqt/v/7/a

Selfreport on single question, asked twice in interview:

How do you feel about your life as a whole.....?

- 7 delighted
- 6 pleased
- 5 mostly satisfied
- 4 mixed
- 3 mostly dissatisfied
- 2 unhappy
- 1 terrible

Summation: arithmetic mean

Name: Andrews & Withey's "Delighted-Terrible Scale" (original version)
Also known as Lehman's 'Global lifesatisfaction'

O-DT/u/sqt/v/9/a

Selfreport on single question asked twice

'How do you feel about your life as a whole?'

- 1 terrible
- 2 very unhappy
- 3 unhappy
- 4 mostly dissatisfied
- 5 mixed feelings
- 6 mostly satisfied
- 7 pleased
- 8 very pleased
- 9 delighted

O-H?/?/oq/?/0/a

Selfreport on single question:

Open question on happiness.
Text not reported.

O-HL/c/sq/?/6/a

Selfreport on single question:

"Generally speaking, are you happy these days.....?"

- 6 very happy
- 5
- 4
- 3
- 2
- 1 very unhappy
- (Response options not fully reported)

O-HL/c/sq/v/3/aa

Selfreport on single question:

Taken all together, how would you say things are these days? Would you say that you are....?

3 very happy

2 pretty happy

1 not too happy

O-HL/c/sq/v/3/ad

Selfreport on single question:

Taking all things together, how would you say you are these days? Would you say you are.....?

3 very happy

2 pretty happy

1 not too happy

O-HL/c/sq/v/3/ca

Selfreport on single question:

Generally speaking; how would you say, you are these days.....?

1 very happy

2 pretty happy

3 not too happy

O-HL/c/sq/v/4/a

Selfreport on single question:

Do you feel your life at present is.....?

4 very happy

3 quite happy

2 quite unhappy

1 very unhappy

O-HL/c/sq/v/4/b

Selfreport on single question:

Is your life at this moment?

4 very happy

3 fairly happy

2 fairly unhappy

1 very unhappy

O-HL/c/sq/v/5/a

Selfreport on single question:

Taking all things together in your life, how would you say things are these days? Would you say you are?

5 very happy

4 happy

3 neither happy nor unhappy

2 unhappy

1 very unhappy

O-HL/c/sq/v/5/c

Selfreport on single question:

"Taking all things together, how would you say you are these days.....?"

5 extremely happy

4 very happy

3 happy

2 pretty happy

1 not too happy

O-HL/c/sq/v/5/e

Selfreport on single question:

How happy do you feel as you live now? Please choose one item on this card that comes closest to your feeling.

- 5 very happy
- 4 fairly happy
- 3 neither happy nor unhappy
- 2 fairly unhappy
- 1 very unhappy

O-HL/c/sq/v/5/h

Selfreport on single question

'How happy are you now?'

- 5 very happy
- 4 happy
- 3 neither happy nor unhappy
- 2 unhappy
- 1 very unhappy

Original text in Danish:

'Hvor lykkelig er du for tiden?'

- 5 meget lykkelig
- 4 lykkelig
- 3 hverken eller
- 2 ullykkelig
- 1 meget ullykkelig

O-HL/g/sq/v/3/c

Selfreport on single question:

"In general, how happy would you say you are.....?"

- 3 very happy
- 2 fairly happy
- 1 not too happy

O-HL/g/sq/v/3/d

Selfreport on single question:

Generally speaking, how happy would you say you are.....?

- 3 very happy
- 2 fairly happy
- 1 not too happy

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/a

Selfreport on single question:

Taking all things together, would you say you are.....?

- 4 very happy
- 3 quite happy
- 2 not very happy
- 1 not at all happy.

O-HL/u/sq/v/4/b

Selfreport on single question:

On the whole, how happy would you say you are.....?

- 4 very happy
- 3 fairly happy
- 2 not very happy
- 1 very unhappy

O-HL/u/sq/v/7/a

Selfreport on single question:

Considering your life as a whole, would you describe it as.....?

1 very unhappy

2

| unhappy

3

4 an even mixture of unhappiness and happiness

5

| happy

6

7 very happy

no opinion

O-HL/u/sq/v/7/b

Selfreport on single question:

How do you feel how happy you are.....?

7 delighted

6 pleased

5 mostly satisfied

4 mixed (about equally satisfied and dissatisfied)

3 mostly

2 unhappy

1 terrible

O-HP/g/mq/v/5/a

Selfreport on 6 questions:

" Describe the kind of person you are. Please read each sentence, then mark how often it is true for you"

1 I feel like smiling

2 I generally feel in good spirits

3 I feel happy

4 I am very satisfied with life

5 I find a good deal of happiness in life

6 I feel sad

Response options:

5 almost always true

4 often true

3 sometimes true

2 seldom true

1 never true

Summation: average

Possible range: 1 to 5

O-HP/u/sq/v/3/a

Selfreport on single question:

Do you think of yourself as.....?

3 happy

2 pretty happy

1 unhappy?

O-SL?/?/sq/v/3/a

Selfreport on single question:

".....satisfaction with life....."

(Full item not reported)

1 not satisfied

2

3 very satisfied

O-SLL/c/sq/n/10/a

Selfreport on single question

'Taken all together, how satisfied are you with the life you currently lead? Please indicate on this scale. 10 means that you are completely satisfied and 1 means that you are completely dissatisfied.'

10 completely satisfied

9

8

7

6

5

4

3

2

1 completely dissatisfied

O-SLL/c/sq/n/5/a

Selfreport on single question:

How satisfied are you with the life you lead currently.....?

5 very satisfied

4

3

2

1 not at all satisfied

O-SLL/c/sq/v/5/d

Selfreport on single question:

How satisfied are you with the life you currently lead?

5 extraordinary satisfied

4 very satisfied

3 satisfied

2 fairly satisfied

1 not so satisfied

O-SLL/u/sq/v/4/b

Selfreport on single question:

On the whole how satisfied are you with the life you lead?

4 very satisfied

3 fairly satisfied

2 not very satisfied

1 not at all satisfied

- Don't know

O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/a

Selfreport on single question:

Overall, how satisfied are you with your present life.....?

Please choose from this card that is closest to your feeling.

5 very satisfied

4 fairly satisfied

3 neither satisfied nor dissatisfied

2 fairly dissatisfied

1 very dissatisfied

O-SLu/c/sq/v/5/e

Selfreport on single question:

'How satisfied are you with your life now?'

5 very satisfied

2 satisfied

3 neither satisfied nor dissatisfied

2 dissatisfied

1 very dissatisfied

Original text in Danish:

'Hvor tilfreds er du med dit liv for tiden?'

5 meget tilfreds

4 tilfreds

3 hverken tilfreds eller utilfreds

2 utilfreds

1 meget utilfreds

O-SLV/u/sq/t/101/a

Selfreport on single question :

Where would you put your life as a whole on a feeling thermometer?

Rated on 'thermometer scale' (in grades)

0 degrees: very cold, negative

10

20

30

40

50

60

70

80

90

100 very warm, positive

O-SLW/c/sq/l/11/a

Self rating on single question:

"All things considered, how satisfied or dissatisfied are you overall with your life as a whole these days?"

Rated on ladder scale

[10] completely satisfied

[]

[]

[]

[]

[]

[]

[]

[]

[]

[0] completely dissatisfied

O-SLW/c/sq/l/11/b

Selfreport on single question:

"How dissatisfied would you say you are with things in general today?"

Rated on ladder scale

[10] completely satisfied

[]

[]

[]

[]

[]

[]

[]

[]

[0] completely dissatisfied

O-SLW/c/sq/l/7/a

Selfreport on single question:

"How satisfied are you with your life-as-a-whole these days.....?"

7 completely satisfied

6

5

4

3

2

1 completely dissatisfied

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/a

Selfreport on single question:

All things considered, how satisfied are you with your life as-a-whole these days?

1 dissatisfied

2

3

4

5

6

7

8

9

10 satisfied

O-SLW/c/sq/n/10/aa

Selfreport on single question:

All things considered, how satisfied are you with your life as-a-whole now.....?

1 dissatisfied

2

3

4

5

6

7

8

9

10 satisfied

O-SLW/c/sq/n/11/ba	<p>Selfreport on single question:</p> <p>What do you think, how satisfied are you at this moment- all in all - with your life ? 'If for instance you are totally satisfied with your life, please mark a '10'.If you are totally unsatisfied with your life, mark a '0'.If you are not completely unsatisfied nor totally satisfied range yourself somewhere between '1' and '9"</p> <p>10 completely satisfied</p> <p>9</p> <p>8</p> <p>7</p> <p>6</p> <p>5</p> <p>4</p> <p>3</p> <p>2</p> <p>1</p> <p>0 completely dissatisfied</p>
O-SLW/c/sq/n/11/ka	<p>Selfreport on single question:</p> <p>How satisfied are you with life as a whole these days.....?</p> <p>10</p> <p>9</p> <p>8</p> <p>7</p> <p>6</p> <p>5</p> <p>4</p> <p>3</p> <p>2</p> <p>1</p> <p>0</p> <p>(Scale labels not reported)</p>
O-SLW/c/sq/n/6/a	<p>Selfreport on single question:</p> <p>Are you currently satisfied with your life all in all.....?</p> <p>0 not satisfied</p> <p>1</p> <p>2</p> <p>3</p> <p>4</p> <p>5 very satisfied</p>
O-SLW/c/sq/n/7/a	<p>Selfreport on single question:</p> <p>We have talked about various parts of your life, now I want to ask you about your life as a whole. How satisfied are you with your life as a whole these days.....?</p> <p>7 completely satisfied</p> <p>6</p> <p>5</p> <p>4 neutral</p> <p>3</p> <p>2</p> <p>1 completely dissatisfied</p>

O-SLW/c/sq/v/5/d	<p>Selfreport on single question:</p> <p>Taking everything into consideration, how satisfied are you with life in general at the present time? Would you say you are.....?</p> <p>5 extremely satisfied</p> <p>4 very satisfied</p> <p>3 fairly satisfied</p> <p>2 slightly satisfied</p> <p>1 not satisfied"</p>
O-SLW/c/sq/v/5/ea	<p>Selfreport on single question:</p> <p>How satisfied are you recently with your life as a whole.....?</p> <p>1 completely dissatisfied</p> <p>2 dissatisfied</p> <p>3 neither satisfied nor dissatisfied</p> <p>4 satisfied</p> <p>5 completely satisfied</p>
O-SLW/c/sq/v/5/g	<p>Selfreport on single question:</p> <p>Taken all things together, how satisfied are you with your life as a whole these days? On the whole, would you say you are.....?</p> <p>5 very satisfied</p> <p>4 satisfied</p> <p>3 neither satisfied nor dissatisfied</p> <p>2 dissatisfied</p> <p>1 very dissatisfied</p>
O-SLW/u/sq/n/11/ca	<p>Selfreport on single question:</p> <p>Thinking about your own life and personal circumstances, how satisfied are you with your life as a whole?</p> <p>1 very dissatisfied</p> <p>2</p> <p>3</p> <p>4</p> <p>5 neutral</p> <p>6</p> <p>7</p> <p>8</p> <p>9</p> <p>10 very satisfied</p> <p>First item in Cummins' 'Personal Well-being Scale' (labels used until 2005)</p>
O-SLW/u/sq/v/5/d	<p>Selfreport on single question:</p> <p>Taking your life as a whole, are you?</p> <p>5 very satisfied</p> <p>4 quite satisfied</p> <p>3 more satisfied than discontented</p> <p>2 more discontented than satisfied</p> <p>1 quite dissatisfied</p>

O-SLW/u/sqt/v/7/a

Selfreport on single question, asked twice in interview:

Considering everything, how satisfied are you with your life as a whole.....?

7 completely satisfied

6

5

4

3

2

1 completely dissatisfied

Summation: both scores added

Possible range: 2 to 14

O-Sum/*/mq/*/10/a

Selfreport on 2 questions:

A All things considered, how satisfied or dissatisfied are you with your life as a whole these days?

1 dissatisfied

.

.

10 satisfied

B Taking all together, how happy would you say you are?

4 very happy

3 quite happy

2 not very happy

1 not at all happy

Computation: Mean score, rescaled to range 1-10

O-Sum/c/mq/v/5/a

Selfreport on 3 questions:

A When you consider your present life as-a-whole, would you say you are....?

5 very happy

4 fairly happy

3 rather happy than unhappy

2 rather unhappy than happy

1 very unhappy

- DK/NA

B When you consider your present life as-a-whole, would you say you are.....?

5 very satisfied

4 fairly satisfied

3 rather satisfied than dissatisfied

2 rather dissatisfied than satisfied

1 fairly dissatisfied

- DK/NA

C How do you feel right now? Is your well-being.....?

5 very high

4 high

3 moderate

2 rather low

1 very low

- DK/NA

Summation: The summed scores were divided in three strata: low, medium and high quality of life

O-Sum/u/mq/v/5/b

Selfreport on four questions:

Using the 1-5 scale below, indicate your agreement with each of the items by placing the appropriate number on the line preceding that item. Please be open and honest in your responding.

A In most ways my life is close to ideal

B The conditions of my life are excellent

C I am satisfied with my life

D So far, I have gotten the important things I want in life

Answers rated:

5 strongly agree

4 slightly agree

3 neither agree nor disagree

2 slightly disagree

1 strongly disagree

Computation: $A+B+C+D$ divided by 4

Name: Shortened Diener's Satisfaction with Life Scale (SWLS)

(In the original scale item 5 reads: 'If I could live my life over, I would change nothing'. This item is left out in this selection because a positive answer to this question does not necessarily mean that the respondent doesn't like the life he/she actually lives.)

Appendix 2: Statistics used

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Explanation</i>
B	<p>REGRESSION COEFFICIENT (non-standardized) by LEAST SQUARES (OLS)</p> <p>Type: test statistic</p> <p>Measurement level: Correlate: metric, Happiness: metric</p> <p>Theoretical range: unlimited</p> <p>Meaning:</p> <p>$B > 0$ A higher correlate level corresponds with, on an average, higher happiness rating.</p> <p>$B < 0$ A higher correlate level corresponds with, on an average, lower happiness rating.</p> <p>$B = 0$ Not any correlation with the relevant correlate.</p>
Beta	<p>(β) STANDARDIZED REGRESSION COEFFICIENT by LEAST SQUARES (OLS)</p> <p>Type: test statistic.</p> <p>Measurement level: Correlates: all metric, Happiness: metric.</p> <p>Range: [-1 ; +1]</p> <p>Meaning:</p> <p>$\beta > 0$ « a higher correlate level corresponds with, on an average, higher happiness rating.</p> <p>$\beta < 0$ « a higher correlate level corresponds with, on an average, lower happiness rating.</p> <p>$\beta = 0$ « no correlation.</p> <p>$\beta = +1$ or -1 « perfect correlation.</p> <p>Remark:</p> <p>Mean of observations is subtracted from all observations if standardized.</p>
BMCT	<p>BONFERRONI's MULTIPLE COMPARISON TEST</p> <p>Type: statistical procedure</p> <p>Measurement level: Correlate: nominal, Happiness: metric</p> <p>Meaning: if the correlate is measured at c levels, the c mean happiness values can be ranked from low to high. A multiple comparison procedure judges for each of the $\frac{1}{2}c(c-1)$ pairs whether or not they differ significantly. A convenient way to represent the results is by ranking the c means and by underlining them in such a way that means which have a common underlining do NOT differ significantly.</p> <p>When added by us, this test is performed at the 95% confidence level for all the differences together.</p>
D%	<p>DIFFERENCE in PERCENTAGES</p> <p>Type: descriptive statistic only.</p> <p>Measurement level: Correlate level: dichotomous, but nominal or ordinal theoretically possible as well.</p> <p>Happiness level: dichotomous</p> <p>Range: [-100; +100]</p> <p>Meaning: the difference of the percentages happy people at two correlate levels.</p>
DM	<p>DIFFERENCE of MEANS</p> <p>Type: descriptive statistic only.</p> <p>Measurement level: Correlate: dichotomous, Happiness: metric</p> <p>Range: depending on the happiness rating scale of the author; range symmetric about zero.</p> <p>Meaning: the difference of the mean happiness, as measured on the author's rating scale, between the two correlate levels.</p>

DMt	<p>DIFFERENCE of MEANS AFTER TRANSFORMATION</p> <p>Type: descriptive statistic only.</p> <p>Measurement level: Correlate: dichotomous, Happiness: metric</p> <p>Theoretical range: [-10; +10]</p> <p>Meaning: the difference of the mean happiness (happiness measured at a 0-10 rating scale) between the two correlate levels.</p>
E ²	<p>CORRELATION RATIO (Elsewhere sometimes called h² or ETA)</p> <p>Type: test statistic</p> <p>Measurement level: Correlate: nominal or ordinal, Happiness: metric</p> <p>Range: [0; 1]</p> <p>Meaning: correlate is accountable for E² x 100 % of the variation in happiness.</p> <p>E² = 0 « knowledge of the correlate value does not improve the prediction quality of the happiness rating.</p> <p>E² = 1 « knowledge of the correlate value enables an exact prediction of the happiness rating</p>
F	<p>F-STATISTIC</p> <p>Type: asymmetric standard test statistic.</p> <p>Range: nonnegative unlimited</p> <p>Meaning : the test statistic is also called the "Variance Ratio" and is the ratio of two independent estimators of the same variance with n1 and n2 degrees of freedom respectively. The critical values of its probability distribution are tabulated extensively in almost any textbook on Statistics</p>
G	<p>GOODMAN & KRUSKAL'S GAMMA</p> <p>Type: test statistic</p> <p>Measurement level: Correlate: ordinal, Happiness: ordinal</p> <p>Range: [-1; +1]</p> <p>Meaning:</p> <p>G = 0 « no rank correlation</p> <p>G = +1 « strongest possible rank correlation, where high correlate values correspond with high happiness ratings.</p> <p>G = -1 « strongest possible rank correlation, where high correlate values correspond with low happiness ratings.</p>
mc	<p>Guttman's monotonicity coefficient.</p> <p>Range: [-1, +1].</p> <p>Measurement level: Both correlate and happiness ordinal or interval</p> <p>Based on the multiplication of signed differences within one variable with the corresponding difference in the second variable and summation over all possible differences.</p> <p>Seldom used in happiness research. See excerpted report.</p>
mr	<p>Mean correlation coefficient (r).</p> <p>For r, see PRODUCT-MOMENT CORRELATION</p>
r	<p>PRODUCT-MOMENT CORRELATION COEFFICIENT (Also "Pearson's correlation coefficient" or simply 'correlation coefficient')</p> <p>Type: test statistic.</p> <p>Measurement level: Correlate: metric, Happiness: metric</p> <p>Range: [-1; +1]</p> <p>Meaning:</p> <p>r = 0 « no correlation ,</p> <p>r = 1 « perfect correlation, where high correlate values correspond with high happiness values, and</p> <p>r = -1 « perfect correlation, where high correlate values correspond with low happiness values.</p>
rp	<p>POLYCHORIC CORRELATION</p> <p>Variant of r</p> <p>Seldom used in happiness research. See excerpted report for further reference.</p>

rpc	<p>PARTIAL CORRELATION COEFFICIENT</p> <p>Type: test statistic</p> <p>Measurement level: Correlate: metric, Happiness: metric</p> <p>Range: [-1; +1]</p> <p>Meaning: a partial correlation between happiness and one of the correlates is that correlation, which remains after accounting for the contribution of the other influences, or some of them, to the total variability in the happiness scores.</p> <p>Under that conditions</p> <p>$rpc > 0$ « a higher correlate level corresponds with a higher happiness rating,</p> <p>$rpc < 0$ « a higher correlate level corresponds with a lower happiness rating,</p>
SNR	Statistic Not Reported
tau	<p>GOODMAN & Kruskal's TAU</p> <p>Type: descriptive statistic only.</p> <p>Measurement level: Correlate: nominal, Happiness: ordinal</p> <p>Range: [0; +1]</p> <p>Meaning:</p> <p>$\tau = 0$ « knowledge of the correlate value does not improve the prediction quality of the happiness rating.</p> <p>$\tau = 1$ « knowledge of the correlate value enables a perfect (error-free) prediction of the happiness rating.</p>
tb	<p>KENDALL'S RANK CORRELATION COEFFICIENT TAU-B</p> <p>Type: test statistic</p> <p>Measurement level: Correlate: ordinal, Happiness: ordinal</p> <p>Range: [-1; +1]</p> <p>Meaning:</p> <p>$tb = 0$ « no rank correlation</p> <p>$tb = 1$ « perfect rank correlation, where high values of the correlate correspond with high happiness ratings.</p> <p>$tb = -1$ « perfect rank correlation, where high values of the correlate correspond with low happiness ratings.</p>
tc	<p>KENDALL'S TAU-C (Also referred to as Stuart's tau-c)</p> <p>Type: test statistic</p> <p>Measurement level: Correlate: ordinal, Happiness: ordinal</p> <p>Range: [-1; +1]</p> <p>Meaning:</p> <p>$tc = 0$ « no rank correlation</p> <p>$tc = 1$ « perfect rank correlation, where high values of the correlate correspond with high happiness ratings.</p> <p>$tc = -1$ « perfect rank correlation, where high values of the correlate correspond with low happiness ratings.</p>

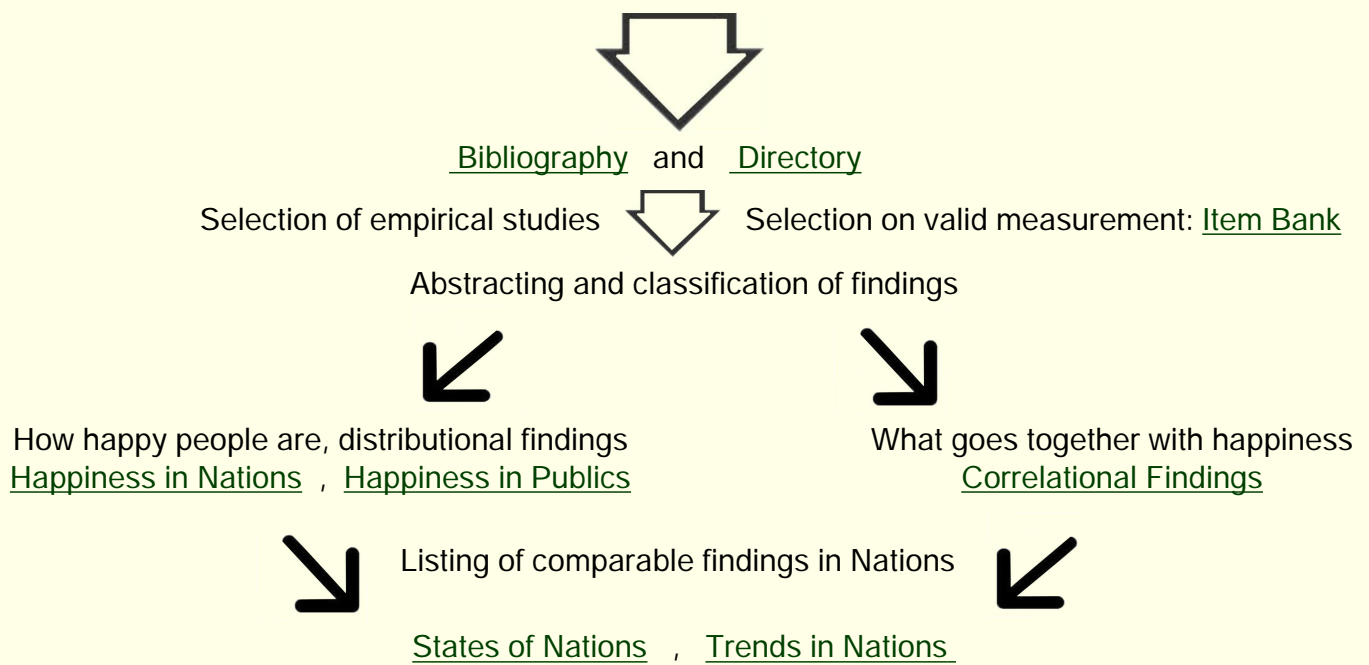
Appendix 3: About the World Database of Happiness

Structure of the collections

The World Database of Happiness is an ongoing register of scientific research on the subjective enjoyment of life. It brings together findings that are scattered throughout many studies and provides a basis for synthetic work.

World literature on Happiness

Selection on subject



Size of the collections
 1226 Happiness measures (Item Bank)
 4258 Nations surveys in 206 Nations
 149 Distinguished publics in 1199 studies
 12032 Correlational findings in 1196 studies

Appendix 4 Further Findings in the World Database of Happiness

Main Subjects	Subject Description	Number of Studies
A1	ACTIVITY: LEVEL (how much one does)	58
A2	ACTIVITY: PATTERN (what one does)	32
A3	AFFECTIVE LIFE	48
A4	AGE	400
A5	AGGRESSION	12
A6	ANOMY	32
A7	APPEARANCE (good looks)	15
A8	ATTITUDES	6
A9	AUTHORITARIANISM	4
B1	BIRTH CONTROL	1
B2	BIRTH HISTORY (own birth)	201
B3	BODY	77
C1	CHILDREN	1
C2	CHILDREN: WANT FOR (Parental aspirations)	6
C3	CHILDREN: HAVING (parental status)	195
C4	CHILDREN: CHARACTERISTICS OF ONE'S CHILDREN	25
C5	CHILDREN: RELATION WITH ONE'S CHILDREN	8
C6	CHILDREN: REARING OF ONE'S CHILDREN (parental behavior)	26
C7	COMMUNAL LIVING	9
C8	CONCERNS	18
C9	COPING	43

C10	CREATIVENESS	6
C11	CULTURE (Arts and Sciences)	8
D1	DAILY JOYS & HASSLES	5
E1	EDUCATION	302
E2	EMPLOYMENT	363
E3	ETHNICITY	98
E4	EXPRESSIVE BEHAVIOR	12
F1	FAMILY OF ORIGIN (earlier family for adults, current for young)	236
F2	FAMILY OF PROCREATION	58
F3	FAMILY OF RELATIVES	157
F4	FARMING	25
F5	FREEDOM	32
F6	FRIENDSHIP	152
G1	GENDER	370
G2	GRIEF	1
H1	HABITS	1
H2	HANDICAP	25
H3	HAPPINESS: VIEWS ON HAPPINESS	49
H4	HAPPINESS: DISPERSION OF HAPPINESS	10
H5	HAPPINESS: CAREER	191
H6	HAPPINESS: CORRESPONDENCE OF DIFFERENT MEASURES	310
H7	HAPPINESS OF OTHERS	0
H8	HAPPINESS: REPUTATION OF HAPPINESS	19
H9	HEALTH-BEHAVIOR	25
H10	HELPING	5
H11	HOPE	8
H12	HOUSEHOLD: COMPOSITION	137
H13	HOUSEHOLD: WORK	32
H14	HOUSING	106
I1	INCOME	552
I2	INSTITUTIONAL LIVING	43
I3	INTELLIGENCE	71
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L5	LIFE CHANGE	35
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L10	LOCAL ENVIRONMENT	374
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M10	MIGRATION: MIGRANT WORK	3
M11	MILITARY LIFE	7
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M13	MOOD	246
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N1	NATION: NATIONALITY	29
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N3	NATION: NATIONAL CHARACTER (modal personality)	29
N4	NATION: CONDITION IN ONE'S NATION	430
N5	NATION: POSITION OF ONE'S NATION	1
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N9	REGION IN NATION	59
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N21	ERA	0
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P2	PERSONALITY: CHANGE	10
P3	PERSONALITY: CURRENT ORGANIZATION	7
P4	PERSONALITY: CURRENT TRAITS	462
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P6	PHYSICAL HEALTH	427
P7	PLANNING	11
P8	POLITICAL BEHAVIOUR	231
P9	POPULARITY	26
P10	POSSESSIONS	60
P11	PRISON	1
P12	PROBLEMS	25
P13	PSYCHO-SOMATIC COMPLAINTS	62
P14	PETS	3
R1	RELIGION	251
R2	RESOURCES	9
R3	RETIREMENT	89
R4	ROLES	23
S1	SCHOOL	129
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S8	SOCIAL PARTICIPATION: TOTAL (personal + associations)	34
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S11	SOCIAL SUPPORT: PROVIDED	6
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V1	VALUES: CAREER	8
V2	VALUES: CURRENT PREFERENCES (own)	73
V3	VALUES: CLIMATE (current values in environment)	7
V4	VALUES: SIMILARITY (current fit with others)	12
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W3	WORK: CAREER	2
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Appendix 5: Related Subjects

<i>Subject</i>	<i>Related Subject(s)</i>
P8 POLITICAL BEHAVIOUR	N4.6 Political conditions in the nation
P8.2.1 Political concern	C8.2.2 Specific concerns
P8.2.1 Political concern	I4.2 Current interests
P8.2.2 Political participation	S7 SOCIAL PARTICIPATION : VOLUNTARY ASSOCIATIONS
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