

Harmonized module on international migration and remittance flows

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Cluster 1. "MIGRATION"

Questions for the destination country	Questions for the country of origin
<i>All household members aged 15+ are required to provide answers to the questions.</i>	<i>Head of the household is required to provide answers about the absent members of the household aged 15+</i>
<p>M1. How long have you been living in this country?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. less than 3 months 2. more than 3 months, but less than one year 3. 1 year or more 4. from birth → End of survey 	<p>M1. How long has {NAME} been missing?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. less than 3 months 2. more than 3 months, but less than one year 3. 1 year or more
<p>M2. What country did you come from?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. other CIS country (choose from the list) 2. not a CIS country (specify) 	<p>M2. What country is {NAME} in?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. other CIS country (choose from the list) 2. not a CIS country (specify)
<p>M3. What was the main reason for your arrival?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Work 2. Education 3. Family circumstances 4. Permanent residence 5. Other 	<p>M3. What was the main reason for {NAME}'s departure?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Work 2. Education 3. Family circumstances 4. Permanent residence 5. Other
<p>M4. What are you doing now?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. I work / am looking for a job → Specify occupation in accordance with the section "Employment" 2. Study 3. Other (specify) 	<p>M4. What is {NAME} doing now?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. He/she works / is looking for a job → Specify occupation in accordance with the section "Employment" 2. Studies 3. Other (specify)

Cluster 2. RETURNED EMIGRANTS

Set to all present members of the household above the age of 15 who have the citizenship of the host country

RE1. Have you ever lived in any other country for several months (at least 3 months) or several years in the last five years?	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Yes2. No (End of survey)
RE2. When was the last time you left this country, not for holiday?	Specify the country, date of departure and return (year ... month ... - year ... month)
RE3. What was the main reason for your departure?	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Work2. Education3. Family circumstances4. Permanent residence5. Other (specify)
RE4. Did you work while abroad?	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Yes2. No, but I was looking for a job.3. No, I did not work
RE5. What was the main reason for your return?	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. End of working time2. Graduation \3. Other (specify)
RE6. Are you planning to go abroad for a period of 3 months to several years in the coming year?	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Yes (specify country)2. No3. I do not know

Cluster 3. "PERMANENT EMIGRANTS"

Set to the head of household or the most knowledgeable adult member of household

PE1. Among those who previously lived with you, over the past 5 years, were those who went abroad and now live there permanently (1 year or more, including those who come for short visits)? <i>Write down the names of all and assign identification numbers, indicate the relationship to the head of household</i>	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Yes2. No (End of survey)
PE2. Since when has {NAME} been living abroad?	Specify year... month.
PE3. What was the main reason for {NAME}'s departure?	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Work2. Education3. Family circumstances4. Permanent residence5. I do not know
PE4. What country does {NAME} live in now?	Specify the country
PE5*. Has {NAME} gained the citizenship of this country?	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Yes2. No3. I do not know
PE6. What {NAME}'s occupation in this country?	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Work2. Studies3. Other (specify)4. I do not know

CLUSTER 4. "CROSS-BORDER REMITTANCES"

Questions for the destination country: outgoing remittances	Questions for the country of origin: incoming remittances
<i>Set to the head of household or the most knowledgeable adult member of household</i>	<i>Set to the head of household or the most knowledgeable adult member of household</i>
<p>OR1. Over the past 12 months, have your household and/or its members sent money and/or parcels abroad?</p> <p>1. Yes 2. No (End of survey)</p>	<p>IR1. Over the past 12 months, have your household and/or its members received money and/or parcels from abroad?</p> <p>1. Yes 2. No (End of survey)</p>
<p>OR2. How many times in the last 12 months have you sent money or parcels abroad?</p> <p>Specify the number</p>	<p>IR2. How many times in the last 12 months have you received money or parcels from abroad?</p> <p>Specify on the number</p>
<p>OR3. To what country/countries did you send money and/or parcels?</p> <p><i>The answer involves multiple choices. (The list of countries varies depending on the surveying country)</i></p>	<p>IR3. What country/countries did you receive money and/or parcels from?</p> <p><i>The answer involves multiple choices. (The list of countries varies depending on the surveying country)</i></p>
<p>OR4. What is the total amount of all remittances sent over the past 12 months abroad?</p> <p>Total: Currency:</p> <p>Local currency Rubles U.S. dollars Euro</p>	<p>IR4. What is the total amount of all remittances received over the past 12 months from abroad?</p> <p>Total: Currency:</p> <p>Local currency Rubles U.S. dollars Euro</p>
<p>OR5. What was the most common way you/your household sent remittances abroad?</p> <p>1. Money transfer operator (Golden Crown, Contact, etc.) 2. Bank transfer/transfer to a bank card 3. By friends, relatives 4. Personally, during the visit</p>	<p>IR5. What was the most common way you/your household received remittances from abroad?</p> <p>1. Money transfer operator (Golden Crown, Contact, etc.) 2. Bank transfer/transfer to a bank card 3. By friends, relatives 4. Personally from the sender during his/her visit</p>
<p>OR6. Why did you and/or members of your household send money abroad?</p> <p>1. A birthday, wedding or another personal holiday gift 2. Regular financial support for family members at home</p>	<p>IR6. How, basically, has your household spent most of the money it received from abroad in the last 12 months?</p> <p>1. Food and Drinks 2. Clothing and shoes 3. Housing services, water, electricity, gas and other fuels 4. Household items, household appliances related to</p>

<p>3. Emergency financial assistance to family members at home</p> <p>4. Savings</p>	<p>building a home</p> <p>5. Medical services</p> <p>6. Educational services</p> <p>7. Other</p>
	<p>IR 7. In your opinion, over the past 12 months, how did remittances from abroad affect your family's financial situation?</p> <p>1. Substantially improved</p> <p>2. Slightly improved</p> <p>3. No effect</p>