

## Changes applied on the list of 2021 variables\*

Variables 2021		Previous SILC variables (Base 2020, otherwise last year the variable is used)		
Variable identifier 2021	Variable name / label	Variable identifier_SV	Variable name / label2	Changes applied in 2021
DB010	Year of the survey	DB010	Year of the survey	The mode of collection
DB020	Country of residence	DB020	Country	Label/no countries
DB030	Household ID	DB030	Household ID	The mode of collection
DB040	Region of residence	DB040	Region	Label
DB050	Stratum	DB050	Primary strata as used in the selection of the sample	Label
DB060	Primary sampling units (PSU)	DB060	Primary sampling units (PSU)	No changes
DB062	Secondary sampling units (SSU)	DB062	Secondary sampling units (SSU)	No changes
DB070	Order of selection of PSU	DB070	Order of selection of PSU [ <i>Order of selection of PSU as used in the selection of the sample</i> ]	Label
DB075	Rotational group	DB075	Rotational group	Reference period
DB076	Interview wave			New in 2021
DB080	Household design weight	DB080	Household design weight	No changes
DB090	Household cross-sectional weight	DB090	Household cross-sectional weight	No changes
DB095	Household longitudinal weight	DB095	Household longitudinal weight	No changes
DB100	Degree of urbanisation	DB100	Degree of urbanisation	Modalities based on standartised variables
DB110	Household status	DB110	Household status	No changes
DB120	Contact at address	DB120	Contact at address	Modalities slightly/Flag -1 deleted
DB130	Household questionnaire result	DB130	Household questionnaire result	No changes
DB135	Household interview acceptance	DB135	Household interview acceptance	No changes
HB010	Year of the survey	HB010	Year of the survey	The mode of collection
HB020	Country of residence	HB020	Country	Label/no of countries
HB030	Household ID	HB030	Household ID	Reference period
HB040	Day of household interview	HB040	Day of household interview	No changes
HB050	Month of household interview	HB050	Month of household interview	No changes
HB060	Year of household interview	HB060	Year of household interview	No changes
HB070	Person responding to the household questionnaire	HB070	Person responding to the household questionnaire	No changes
HB100	Number of minutes to complete the household questionnaire	HB100	Number of minutes to complete the household questionnaire	No changes
HB110	Household type			New in 2021
HB120	Household size			New in 2021
HB130	Interviewing mode used (household)			New in 2021
HH010	Dwelling type	HH010	Dwelling type	The mode of collection/ Flags

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HH021	Tenure status of the household	HH021	Tenure status of the household	The mode of collection /Modalities slightly/Flags
HH030	Number of rooms available to the household	HH030	Number of rooms available to the household	The mode of collection /Flags
HH050	Ability to keep home adequately warm	HH050	Ability to keep home adequately warm	No changes
HH060	Current rent related to occupied dwelling	HH060	Current rent related to occupied dwelling	The mode of collection /Flags
HH070	Total housing cost	HH070	Total housing cost [Total housing cost (including electricity, water, gas and heating)]	Slightly change the label/ The mode of collection /Flags
HH071	Mortgage principal repayment	HH071	Mortgage principal repayment [Monthly principal repayment of mortgage]	Slightly change the label
HS011	Arrears on mortgage or rental payments	HS011	Arrears on mortgage or rental payments [Whether the household has been in arrears on mortgage or rental payments in the past 12 months]	Slightly change the label
HS021	Arrears on utility bills	HS021	Arrears on utility bills [Whether the household has been in arrears on utility bills in past 12 months]	Slightly change the label
HS022	Reduced utility cost			New in 2021
HS031	Arrears on hire purchase instalments or other loan payments	HS031	Arrears on hire purchase instalments or other loan payments [Whether the household has been in arrears on hire purchase instalments or other loan payments (non housing-related debts) in past 12 months]	Slightly change the label
HS040	Capacity to afford paying for one week annual holiday away from home	HS040	Capacity to afford paying for one week annual holiday away from home	No changes
HS050	Capacity to afford a meal with meat, chicken, fish (or vegetarian equivalent) every second day	HS050	Capacity to afford a meal with meat, chicken, fish (or vegetarian equivalent) every second day	No changes
HS060	Capacity to face unexpected financial expenses	HS060	Capacity to face unexpected financial expenses	No changes
HS090	Do you have a computer	HS090	Do you have a computer	No changes
HS110	Do you have a car	HS110	Do you have a car	No changes
HS120	Ability to make ends meet	HS120	Ability to make ends meet	No changes
HS150	Financial burden of the repayment of debts from hire purchases or loans	HS150	Financial burden of the repayment of debts from hire purchases or loans [Repayment of debts from hire purchases or loans other than mortgage]	Slightly change the label
HD080	Replacing worn-out furniture	HD080	Replacing worn-out furniture	No changes
HI010	Change in household income compared to previous year	HI010	Change in household income compared to previous year	No changes
HI020	Main reason for drop in income	HI020	Main reason for drop in income	No changes
HI030	Main reason for increase in income	HI030	Main reason for increase in income	No changes
HI040	Expectation of household in the next 12 months	HI040	Future income	The label
HY010	Total household gross income	HY010	Total household gross income	The flags
HY020	Total disposable household income	HY020	Total disposable household income	The flags

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HY022	Total disposable household income before social transfers other than old-age and survivor's benefits	HY022	Total disposable household income before social transfers other than old-age and survivor's benefits	The flags
HY023	Total disposable household income before social transfers including old-age and survivor's benefits	HY023	Total disposable household income before social transfers including old-age and survivor's benefits	The flags
HY040G/HY040N	Income from rental of a property or land	HY040G/HY040N	Income from rental of a property or land	The flags
HY050G/HY050N	Family/Children-related allowances	HY050G/HY050N	Family/Children-related allowances	The flags
HY051G	Family/Children-related allowances (Contributory and means-tested)	HY051G	Family/Children-related allowances (Contributory and means-tested)	The flags
HY052G	Family/Children-related allowances (Contributory and non means-tested)	HY052G	Family/Children-related allowances (Contributory and non means-tested)	The flags
HY053G	Family/Children-related allowances (Non contributory and means-tested)	HY053G	Family/Children-related allowances (Non-contributory and means-tested)	The flags
HY054G	Family/Children-related allowances (Non contributory and non means-tested)	HY054G	Family/Children-related allowances (Non-contributory and non means-tested)	The flags
HY060G/HY060N	Social exclusion not elsewhere classified	HY060G/HY060N	Social exclusion not elsewhere classified	The flags
HY061G	Social exclusion not elsewhere classified (Contributory and means-tested)	HY061G	Social exclusion not elsewhere classified (Contributory and means-tested)	The flags
HY062G	Social exclusion not elsewhere classified (Contributory and non means-tested)	HY062G	Social exclusion not elsewhere classified (Contributory and non means-tested)	The flags
HY063G	Social exclusion not elsewhere classified (Non contributory and means-tested)	HY063G	Social exclusion not elsewhere classified (Non-contributory and means-tested)	The flags
HY064G	Social exclusion not elsewhere classified (Non contributory and non means-tested)	HY064G	Social exclusion not elsewhere classified (Non-contributory and non means-tested)	The flags
HY070G/HY070N	Housing allowances	HY070G/HY070N	Housing allowances	The flags
HY071G	Housing allowances (Contributory and means-tested)	HY071G	Housing allowances (Contributory and means-tested)	The flags
HY072G	Housing allowances (Contributory and non means-tested)	HY072G	Housing allowances (Contributory and non means-tested)	The flags
HY073G	Housing allowances (Non contributory and means-tested)	HY073G	Housing allowances (Non-contributory and means-tested)	The flags
HY074G	Housing allowances (Non contributory and non means-tested)	HY074G	Housing allowances (Non-contributory and non means-tested)	The flags
HY080G/HY080N	Regular inter-household cash transfer received	HY080G/HY080N	Regular inter-household cash transfer received	The flags
HY081G/HY081N	Alimonies received (compulsory + voluntary)	HY081G/HY081N	Alimonies received (compulsory + voluntary)	The flags
HY090G/HY090N	Interest, dividends, profit from capital investments in unincorporated business	HY090G/HY090N	Interest, dividends, profit from capital investments in unincorporated business	The flags
HY100G/HY100N	Interest repayments on mortgage	HY100G/HY100N	Interest repayments on mortgage	The flags

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HY110G/HY110N	Income received by people aged under 16	HY110G/HY110N	Income received by people aged under 16	The flags
HY120G/HY120N	Regular taxes on wealth	HY120G/HY120N	Regular taxes on wealth	The flags
HY121G/HY121N	Taxes paid on ownership of household main dwelling			New in 2021
HY130G/HY130N	Regular inter-household cash transfer paid	HY130G/HY130N	Regular inter-household cash transfer paid	The flags
HY131G/HY131N	Alimonies paid (compulsory + voluntary)	HY131G/HY131N	Alimonies paid (compulsory + voluntary)	The flags
HY140G/HY140N	Tax on income and social contributions	HY140G/HY140N	Tax on income and social contributions	The flags
HY145N	Repayments/receipts for tax adjustment	HY145N	Repayments/receipts for tax adjustment	The flags
HY170G/HY170N	Value of goods produced for own consumption	HY170G/HY170N	Value of goods produced for own consumption	The flags
RB010	Year of the survey	RB010	Year of the survey	The mode of collection/ no of countries
RB020	Country of residence	RB020	Country	Variable label/ No of countries
RB030	Personal ID	RB030	Personal ID	The mode of collection
RB032	Sequential number of persons in the household			New in 2021
RB040	Current household identification (ID)	RB040	Current household ID	Slightly change the label/The mode of collection
RB050	Personal cross-sectional weight	RB050	Personal cross-sectional weight	Reference period
RB060	Personal base weight	RB060	Personal base weight	Reference period and Unit
RB062	Longitudinal weight (two-year duration)	RB062	Longitudinal weight (two-year duration)	Reference period and Unit
RB063	Longitudinal weight (three-year duration)	RB063	Longitudinal weight (three-year duration)	Reference period and Unit
RB064	Longitudinal weight (four-year duration)	RB064	Longitudinal weight (four-year duration)	Reference period and Unit
RB065	Longitudinal weight (five-year duration)			New in 2021
RB066	Longitudinal weight (six-year duration)			New in 2021
RB080	Year of birth	RB080	Year of birth	The unit
RB081	Age in completed years			New in 2021
RB082	Age in completed years at the time of interview			New in 2021
RB083	Passing of birthday at the time of interview			New in 2021
RB090	Sex	RB090	Sex	Reference period/ Unit/Flags
RB100	Sample person or co-resident	RB100	Sample person or co-resident	Reference period/The mode of collection
RB110	Membership status	RB110	Membership status	Slight change of the modalities
RB120	Location where the person moved	RB120	Moved to [Location where the person moved]	The label slightly/ Flags
RB200	RB200 Residential status	RB200	Residential status	The flags
RB211	Main activity status (self-defined)	RB210	Basic activity status	Variable identifier/ labels/ modalities/Flags
RB220	Father ID	RB220	Father ID	The mode of collection

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RB230	Mother ID	RB230	Mother ID	The mode of collection
RB240	Spouse/partner ID	RB240	Spouse/partner ID	The mode of collection
RB245	Respondent status	RB245	Respondent status	The mode of collection/ Flag -2 deleted
RB250	Data status	RB250	Data status	The unit
RB280	Country of birth	PB210	Country of birth	New in 2021, changed from P to R
RB285	Duration of stay in the country of residence in completed years			New in 2021
RB290	Country of main citizenship	PB220A	Citizenship 1	New in 2021, label changed, changed from P to R
RL010	Education at pre-school	RL010	Education at pre-school	The mode of collection /Flags
RL020	Education at compulsory school	RL020	Education at compulsory school	The mode of collection /Flags
RL030	Childcare at centre-based services outside school hours(before/after)	RL030	Childcare at centre-based services outside school hours(before/after)	The mode of collection /Flags
RL040	Childcare at day-care centre	RL040	Childcare at day-care centre	The mode of collection /Flags
RL050	Childcare by a professional child-minder at child's home or at child-minder's home	RL050	Childcare by a professional child-minder at child's home or at child-minder's home	No changes
RL060	Childcare by grandparents, household members other than parents, other relatives, friends or neighbours	RL060	Childcare by grand-parents, other household members (outside parents), other relatives, friends or neighbours	Slightly change the label
RL070	Children's' cross-sectional weight for childcare	RL070	Children's' cross-sectional weight for childcare	Reference period
RG_Z#	Household grid	RG_Z#	Household grid	New in 2021, tested in 2019
PB010	Year of the survey	PB010	Year of the survey	The mode of collection
PB020	Country of residence	PB020	Country	Variable label/ No of countries
PB030	Personal ID	PB030	Personal ID	No changes
PB040	Personal cross-sectional weight (all household members aged 16 and over)	PB040	Personal cross-sectional weight (all household members aged 16 and over)	Reference period
PB050	Personal base weight (all household members aged 16 and over)	PB050	Personal base weight (all household members aged 16 and over)	Reference period
PB060	Personal cross-sectional weight for selected respondent	PB060	Personal cross-sectional weight for selected respondent	Reference period
PB070	Personal design weight for selected respondent	PB070	Personal design weight for selected respondent	Reference period
PB080	Personal base weight for selected respondent	PB080	Personal base weight for selected respondent	No changes
PB090	Day of personal interview	PB090	Day of household interview	The unit/ Added flag -3
PB100	Month of personal interview	PB100	Month of household interview	The unit/ Added flag -3
PB110	Year of personal interview	PB110	Year of household interview	The unit/ Added flag -3
PB120	Number of minutes to complete the personal questionnaire	PB120	Number of minutes to complete the personal questionnaire [Number of n	Added flag -3/ Slightly the label
PB140	Year of birth	PB140	Year of birth	The flags

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PB150	Sex	PB150	Sex	Reference period/ flags
PB160	Father ID	PB160	Father ID	The mode of collection
PB170	Mother ID	PB170	Mother ID	The mode of collection
PB180	Spouse/partner ID	PB180	Spouse/partner ID	The mode of collection
PB190	Marital status	PB190	Marital status	The flags
PB200	Consensual union	PB200	Consensual Union	The flags
PB205	Partners living in the same household			New in 2021
PB230	Country of birth of the father			New in 2021
PB240	Country of birth of the mother			New in 2021
PB260	Nature of participation in the survey			New in 2021
PB265	Personal ID of person who filled in the individual questionnaire			New in 2021
PB270	Interviewing mode used (person)			New in 2021
PE010	Participation in formal education and training (student or apprentice)	PE010	Current education activity	Variablelabel / modalities/ flags
PE021	Level of current/most recent formal education or training activity	PE020	Level of current/most recent formal education or training activity	Variable identifier/ label / modalities/ flags
PE041	Educational attainment level	PE040	Educational attainment level	Variable identifier/label / modalities/ flags
PH010	Self-perceived general health	PH010	General health	Variable label
PH020	Long standing health problems	PH020	Suffer from any chronic (long standing) illness or condition	No changes
PH030	Limitation in activities because of health problems	PH030	Limitation in activities because of health problems [General activity limitation: Limitation in activities people usually do because of health problems for at least the past six months]	Slightly change the label and modalities
PH040	Unmet need for medical examination or treatment	PH040	Unmet need for medical examination or treatment [Unmet need for medical examination or treatment during the last 12 months]	No changes
PH050	Main reason for unmet need for medical examination or treatment	PH050	Main reason for unmet need for medical examination or treatment	No changes
PH060	Unmet need for dental examination or treatment	PH060	Unmet need for dental examination or treatment [Unmet need for dental examination or treatment during the last 12 months]	No changes
PH070	Main reason for unmet need for dental examination or treatment	PH070	Main reason for unmet need for dental examination or treatment	No changes
PD020	Replace worn-out clothes by some new (not second-hand) ones	PD020	Replace worn-out clothes by some new (not second-hand) ones	No changes
PD030	Two pairs of properly fitting shoes (including a pair of all-weather shoes)	PD030	Two pairs of properly fitting shoes (including a pair of all-weather shoes)	No changes

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PD050	Get-together with friends/family (relatives) for a drink/meal at least once a month	PD050	Get-together with friends/family (relatives) for a drink/meal at least once a month	No changes
PD060	Regularly participate in a leisure activity	PD060	Regularly participate in a leisure activity	No changes
PD070	Spend a small amount of money each week on yourself	PD070	Spend a small amount of money each week on yourself	No changes
PD080	Internet connection for personal use at home	PD080	Internet connection for personal use at home	No changes
PW010	Overall life satisfaction	PW010T	Overall life satisfaction	Proxy allowed
PW191	Trust in others	PW190T	Trust in others	Proxy allowed
PL016	Excistance of previous employment experience	PL015	Whether person has ever worked	Variable identifier/ label and modalities
PL032	Self-defined current economic status	PL031	Self-defined current economic status	Variable identifier/ label and modalities
PL040A	Status in employment	PL040	Status in employment	Flags/ not include PL040B
PL040B	Status in employment (last job)			Separated from PL040A
PL051A	Occupation in main job	PL051	Occupation (ISCO-08 (COM))	Variable label/Flags/ not included PL051B
PL051B	Occupation (last job)			Separated from PL051A
PL060	Number of hours usually worked per week in main job	PL060	Number of hours usually worked per week in main job	The flags
PL073	Number of months spent in full-time work as employee	PL073	Number of months spent at full-time work as employee	The mode of collection /Flags
PL074	Number of months spent in part-time work as employee	PL074	Number of months spent at part-time work as employee	The mode of collection /Flags
PL075	Number of months spent in full-time work as self-employed (including family worker)	PL075	Number of months spent at full-time work as self-employed (including family worker)	The mode of collection /Flags
PL076	Number of months spent at part-time work as self-employed (including family worker)	PL076	Number of months spent at part-time work as self-employed (including family worker)	The mode of collection /Flags
PL080	Number of months spent in unemployment	PL080	Number of months spent in unemployment	The mode of collection /Flags
PL085	Number of months spent in retirement	PL085	Number of months spent in retirement or early retirement	Slightly change the label/ The mode of collection /Flags
PL086	Number of months unable to work due to long-standing health problems	PL086	Number of months spent as disabled or/and unfit to work	Slightly change the label/ The mode of collection /Flags
PL087	Number of months spent studying	PL087	Number of months spent studying	The mode of collection /Flags
PL088	Number of months spent on compulsory military services	PL088	Number of months spent on compulsory military services	The mode of collection /Flags
PL089	Number of months spent fulfilling domestic tasks	PL089	Number of months spent fulfilling domestic tasks and care responsibilities	Slightly change the label/The mode of collection /Flags
PL090	Number of months spent in other inactivity	PL090	Number of months spent in other inactivity	The mode of collection /Flags
PL100	Total number of hours usually worked per week in second, third, ... jobs	PL100	Total number of hours usually worked in second, third, ... jobs	Slightly changed the label/ Flags

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PL111A	Economic activity of the local unit for main job	PL111	NACE Rev.2	Variable label/Flags/ not included PL111B
PL111B	Economic activity of the local unit (last job)			Separated from PL111A
PL141	Permanency of main job	PL140	Type of contract	Variable identifier/label/ Modalities/ Flags
PL145	Full or part time main job (self-defined)			New in 2021
PL150	Supervisory responsibility in main job	PL150	Managerial position	Variable labels / modalities/ reference period/flags
PL200	Number of years spent in paid work (as employee or self-employed)	PL200	Number of years spent in paid work (as employee or self-employee)	The flags
PL211A	Main activity in January	PL211A	Main activity in January	Slight change of the modalities/Flags
PL211B	Main activity in February	PL211B	Main activity in February	Slight change of the modalities/Flags
PL211C	Main activity in March	PL211C	Main activity in March	Slight change of the modalities/Flags
PL211D	Main activity in April	PL211D	Main activity in April	Slight change of the modalities/Flags
PL211E	Main activity in May	PL211E	Main activity in May	Slight change of the modalities/Flags
PL211F	Main activity in June	PL211F	Main activity in June	Slight change of the modalities/Flags
PL211G	Main activity in July	PL211G	Main activity in July	Slight change of the modalities/Flags
PL211H	Main activity in August	PL211H	Main activity in August	Slight change of the modalities/Flags
PL211I	Main activity in September	PL211I	Main activity in September	Slight change of the modalities/Flags
PL211J	Main activity in October	PL211J	Main activity in October	Slight change of the modalities/Flags
PL211K	Main activity in November	PL211K	Main activity in November	Slight change of the modalities/Flags
PL211L	Main activity in December	PL211L	Main activity in December	Slight change of the modalities/Flags
PL271	Duration of the most recent unemployment spell	PL270T	Duration of the most recent unemployment spell	New in 2021, tested in 2017
PY010G/PY010N	Employee cash or near cash income	PY010G/PY010N	Employee cash or near cash income	The flags
PY020G/PY020N	Non-Cash employee income	PY020G/PY020N	Non-Cash employee income	The flags
PY021G/PY021N	Company car	PY021G/PY021N	Company car	The flags
PY030G	Employer's social insurance contribution	PY030G	Employer's social insurance contribution	The mode of collection /flags
PY035G/PY035N	Contributions to individual private pension plans	PY035G/PY035N	Contributions to individual private pension plans	The mode of collection /flags
PY050G/PY050N	Cash benefits or losses from self-employment	PY050G/PY050N	Cash benefits or losses from self-employment	The flags
PY080G/PY080N	Pension from individual private plans	PY080G/PY080N	Pension from individual private plans	The flags
PY090G/PY090N	Unemployment benefits	PY090G/PY090N	Unemployment benefits	The flags
PY091G	Unemployment benefits (Contributory and means-tested)	PY091G	Unemployment benefits (Contributory and means-tested)	The flags
PY092G	Unemployment benefits (Contributory and non means-tested)	PY092G	Unemployment benefits (Contributory and non means-tested)	The flags
PY093G	Unemployment benefits (Non contributory and means-tested)	PY093G	Unemployment benefits (Non contributory and means-tested)	The flags



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PY094G	Unemployment benefits (Non contributory and non means-tested)	PY094G	Unemployment benefits (Non contributory and non means-tested)	The flags
PY100G/PY100N	Old-age benefits	PY100G/PY100N	Old-age benefits	The flags
PY101G	Old-age benefits (Contributory and means-tested)	PY101G	Old-age benefits (Contributory and means-tested)	The flags
PY102G	Old-age benefits (Contributory and non means-tested)	PY102G	Old-age benefits (Contributory and non means-tested)	The flags
PY103G	Old-age benefits (Non contributory and means-tested)	PY103G	Old-age benefits (Non contributory and means-tested)	The flags
PY104G	Old-age benefits (Non contributory and non means-tested)	PY104G	Old-age benefits (Non contributory and non means-tested)	The flags
PY110G/PY110N	Survivor' benefits	PY110G/PY110N	Survivor' benefits	The flags
PY111G	Survivor' benefits (Contributory and means-tested)	PY111G	Survivor' benefits (Contributory and means-tested)	The flags
PY112G	Survivor' benefits (Contributory and non means-tested)	PY112G	Survivor' benefits (Contributory and non means-tested)	The flags
PY113G	Survivor' benefits (Non contributory and means-tested)	PY113G	Survivor' benefits (Non contributory and means-tested)	The flags
PY114G	Survivor' benefits (Non contributory and non means-tested)	PY114G	Survivor' benefits (Non contributory and non means-tested)	The flags
PY120G/PY120N	Sickness benefits	PY120G/PY120N	Sickness benefits	The flags
PY121G	Sickness benefits (Contributory and means-tested)	PY121G	Sickness benefits (Contributory and means-tested)	The flags
PY122G	Sickness benefits (Contributory and non means-tested)	PY122G	Sickness benefits (Contributory and non means-tested)	The flags
PY123G	Sickness benefits (Non contributory and means-tested)	PY123G	Sickness benefits (Non contributory and means-tested)	The flags
PY124G	Sickness benefits (Non contributory and non means-tested)	PY124G	Sickness benefits (Non contributory and non means-tested)	The flags
PY130G/PY130N	Disability benefits	PY130G/PY130N	Disability benefits	The flags
PY131G	Disability benefits (Contributory and means-tested)	PY131G	Disability benefits (Contributory and means-tested)	The flags
PY132G	Disability benefits (Contributory and non means-tested)	PY132G	Disability benefits (Contributory and non means-tested)	The flags
PY133G	Disability benefits (Non-contributory and means-tested)	PY133G	Disability benefits (Non contributory and means-tested)	The flags
PY134G	Disability benefits (Non-contributory and non means-tested)	PY134G	Disability benefits (Non contributory and non means-tested)	The flags
PY140G/PY140N	Education-related allowances	PY140G/PY140N	Education-related allowances	The flags
PY141G	Education- related allowances (Contributory and means-tested)	PY141G	Education-related allowances (Contributory and means-tested)	The flags
PY142G	Education- related allowances (Contributory and non means-tested)	PY142G	Education-related allowances (Contributory and non means-tested)	The flags
PY143G	Education- related allowances (Non-contributory and means-tested)	PY143G	Education-related allowances (Non contributory and means-tested)	The flags
PY144G	Education- related allowances (Non-contributory and non means-tested)	PY144G	Education-related allowances (Non contributory and non means-tested)	The flags
HCH010	Unmet need for medical examination or treatment (children)	HC010T	Unmet need for medical examination or treatment (children)	Identifier/flags, To be collect only in 2021
HCH020	Main reason for unmet need for medical examination or treatment (children)	HC020T	Main reason for unmet need for medical examination or treatment (children)	Identifier/flags, To be collect only in 2022
HCH030	Unmet need for dental examination or treatment (children)	HC030T	Unmet need for dental examination or treatment (children)	Identifier/flags, To be collect only in 2023

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HCH040	Main reason for unmet need for dental examination or treatment (children)	HC040T	Main reason for unmet need for dental examination or treatment (children)	Identifier/flags, To be collect only in 2024
RCH010	General health (child)	RC010T	General health (child)	Identifier/Flags
RCH020	Limitation in activities because of health problems (child)	RC020T	Limitation in activities because of health problems (child)	Identifier/Flags
HD100	Some new (not second-hand) clothes	HD100	Some new (not second-hand) clothes	Age reference, included '0' years old, Flag '-4' instead of '-2', only in 2021
HD110	Two pairs of properly fitting shoes (including a pair of all-weather shoes)	HD110	Two pairs of properly fitting shoes (including a pair of all-weather shoes)	Age reference, included '0' years old, Flag '-4' instead of '-2', only in 2021
HD120	Fruits and vegetables once a day	HD120	Fruits and vegetables once a day	Age reference, included '0' years old, Flag '-4' instead of '-2', only in 2021
HD140	One meal with meat, chicken or fish (or vegetarian equivalent) at least once a day	HD140	One meal with meat, chicken or fish (or vegetarian equivalent) at least once a day	Age reference, included '0' years old, Flag '-4' instead of '-2', only in 2021
HD150	Books at home suitable for their age	HD150	Books at home suitable for their age	Age reference, included '0' years old, Flag '-4' instead of '-2', only in 2021
HD160	Outdoor leisure equipment	HD160	Outdoor leisure equipment	Age reference, included '0' years old, Flag '-4' instead of '-2', only in 2021
HD170	Indoor games	HD170	Indoor games	Age reference, included '0' years old, Flag '-4' instead of '-2', only in 2021
HD180	Regular leisure activity	HD180	Regular leisure activity	Age reference, included '0' years old, Flag '-4' instead of '-2', only in 2021
HD190	Celebrations on special occasions	HD190	Celebrations on special occasions	Age reference, included '0' years old, Flag '-4' instead of '-2', only in 2021
HD200	Invite friends round to play or eat from time to time	HD200	Invite friends round to play or eat from time to time	Age reference, included '0' years old, Flag '-4' instead of '-2', only in 2021
HD210	Participate in school trips and school events that cost money	HD210	Participate in school trips and school events that cost money	Age reference, included '0' years old, Flag '-4' instead of '-2', only in 2021
HD220	Suitable place to study or do homework	HD220	Suitable place to study or do homework	Age reference, included '0' years old, Flag '-4' instead of '-2', only in 2021
HD240	Go on holiday away from home at least one week per year	HD240	Go on holiday away from home at least one week per year	Age reference, included '0' years old, Flag '-4' instead of '-2', only in 2021
HK010	Number of children who are household members and whose other parent lives outside the household			Module 2021
HK020	Number of children who are not household members and whose parent lives inside the household			Module 2021
PK010	Household member has children who are not household members			Module 2021
PK020	Main reason for not spending more time with children who are household members			Module 2021
PK030	Main reason for not spending more time with children who are not household members			Module 2021
RK010	Parent ID and sequential number of child who is not household member			Module 2021
RK020	Age of child who is not household member			Module 2021

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Variable identifier 2021	Variable name / label	Variable identifier_SV	Variable name / label2	Changes applied in 2021
RK030	Usual time parent needs to get to the child who is not household member			Module 2021
RK040	Frequency of contact (via phone, social media etc.) with the child who is not household member during the last 12 months			Module 2021
RK050	Child having a bedroom in which to sleep			Module 2021
RK060	Frequency of actively spending time with child (meals, play, homework, walking, talking, etc.)			Module 2021
RK070	Number of nights per month the child spends in the household (average)			Module 2021
RK080	Legal child custody situation			Module 2021
HI012	CHANGE IN INCOME AS AN OUTCOME OF COVID-19 (OPTIONAL)			Minimodule 2021, optional
HY150_1	Financial support (government funded) from the COVID-19 related support schemes during 2020 (OPTIONAL)			Minimodule 2021, optional
HY150_2	Financial support (government funded) from the COVID-19 related support schemes during 2020 (OPTIONAL)			Minimodule 2021, optional
HY150_3	Financial support (government funded) from the COVID-19 related support schemes during 2020 (OPTIONAL)			Minimodule 2021, optional
HY150_4	Financial support (government funded) from the COVID-19 related support schemes during 2020 (OPTIONAL)			Minimodule 2021, optional
HY155_1	Amount received as financial support from the COVID-19 related support schemes during 2020 (OPTIONAL)			Minimodule 2021, optional
HY155_2	Amount received as financial support from the COVID-19 related support schemes during 2020 (OPTIONAL)			Minimodule 2021, optional
HY155_3	Amount received as financial support from the COVID-19 related support schemes during 2020 (OPTIONAL)			Minimodule 2021, optional
HY155_4	Amount received as financial support from the COVID-19 related support schemes during 2020 (OPTIONAL)			Minimodule 2021, optional
HD225	DISTANCE LEARNING COURSES/SCHOOL DURING COVID-19 RESTRICTIONS (OPTIONAL)			Minimodule 2021, optional
PL220	WORKING FROM HOME DURING PANDEMIC (OPTIONAL)			Minimodule 2021, optional
PH051	UNMET NEED FOR MEDICAL EXAMINATION OR TREATMENT DUE TO COVID-19 CRISIS (OPTIONAL)			Minimodule 2021, optional

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Variable identifier 2021	Variable name / label	Variable identifier_SV	Variable name / label2	Changes applied in 2021
PH071	UNMET NEED FOR DENTAL EXAMINATION OR TREATMENT DUE TO COVID-19 CRISIS (OPTIONAL)			Minimodule 2021, optional
PMH010	Mental health affected by the COVID-19 crisis (Optional)			Minimodule 2021, optional
HI130	INTEREST EXPENSES [NOT INCLUDING INTEREST EXPENSES FOR PURCHASING THE MAIN DWELLING] (OPTIONAL)			Optional in 2021 onwards
HI140	HOUSEHOLD DEBTS			Optional in 2021 onwards
		HB080	Person 1 responsible for the accomodation	NOT included
		HB090	Person 2 responsible for the accomodation	NOT included
		HH031	Year of contract or purchasing or installation	NOT included
		HH040	Leaknig root, damp walls/floors/foundation, or rot in window frames or floor	NOT included, part of module
		HH061	Subjective rent	NOT included, part of module
		HH081	Bath or shower in dwelling	NOT included, part of module
		HH091	Indoor flushing toilet for sole use of household	NOT included, part of module
		HS070	Do you have a telephone?	NOT included
		HS080	Do you have a colour TV?	NOT included
		HS130	Lowest monthly income to make ends meet	NOT included, part of module
		HS140	Finanancial burden of the total housing cost	NOT included, part of module
		HS160	Problems with the dwelling: Too dark, not enough light	NOT included, part of module
		HS170	Noise from neighbours or from the street	NOT included, part of module
		HS180	Pollution, grime or other environment problems	NOT included, part of module
		HS190	Crime, violence or vandalism in the area	NOT included, part of module
		HY030G/HY030N	Imputed rent	NOT included, part of module
		PB130	Month of birth	NOT included
		PB220B	Citizenship 2	NOT included
		PE030	Year when highest level of education was attained	NOT included, part of module
		PL020	Actively looking for a job	NOT included, part of module
		PL025	Available for work	NOT included, part of module
		PL035	Worked at least one hour during the previous week	NOT included, part of module
		PL120	Reason for working less than 30h	NOT included, part of module
		PL130	Number of persons working at the local unit	NOT included, part of module

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		PL160	Change of job since last year	NOT included, part of module
		PL170	Reason to change	NOT included, part of module
		PL180	Most recent change in the individual's activity status	NOT included
		PL190	When began first regular job	NOT included
		PY031G	Optional employer's social insurance contributions	NOT included
		PY200G	Gross monthly earnings for employees	NOT included
		RB031	Year of immigration	NOT included
		RB070	Month of birth	NOT included
		RB140	Month moved out or died	NOT included
		RB150	Year moved out or died	NOT included
		RB160	Number of months in household during the income reference period	NOT included
		RB170	Main activity status during the income reference period	NOT included
		RB180	Month moved in	NOT included
		RB190	Year moved in	NOT included
		RB260	Type of interview	NOT included, (PB260-PB270)
		RB270	Personal ID of person who filled in the individual questionnaire	NOT included, (PB260-PB270)
Changes in modalities and the flags are explained more detailed in Annex II				
Changes in the description of the variables and the proposed question are applied in the respective guidelines				
Changes where the meaning is the same but it is change wording, are not considered, eg derived-constructed				