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SAMPLING METHOD

A quota sampling methodology was used in order to contact a gross sample of 500 women who work either full or part time. The part time workers were defined as those women who worked at least 15, but less than 30 hours per week.

Interviewing was conducted in 25 nationally distributed sampling points on the 15th and 16th of June. Sampling points were Local Authority Districts systematically chosen from Marplan's Stratified Master Set of 240 points originally selected with probability proportional to population.

A semi-interlocking quota design of Social Class (3) and Age (3) within sex was issued. Details of the target sample is given below:

QUOTA ISSUED

		Women Working Full Time	Women Working Part Time
<u>Social Class:</u>	ABC1	171	43
	C2	118	45
	DE	86	37
<u>Age:</u>	15 - 34	199	33
	35 - 54	136	65
	55+	40	27
TOTAL		375	125

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SAMPLING AREA CODE			
Col.	Col.	Col.	Col.

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WOMEN AT WORK

Job No. Col 1-5
Serial No. Col 6-8
Sampling area 9-12

NAME OF INFORMANT (Mr/Mrs/Miss/Ms)		MARITAL STATUS OF INFORMANT:		CODE																			
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		FACTORY		2																			
		RETAIL		3																			
OTHER		4																					
OCCUPATION DETAILS OF HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD:		FULL-TIME WORKING		Col 16																			
ACTUAL JOB:		PART-TIME WORKING		1																			
TYPE OF FIRM/ORGANISATION:				2																			
POSITION/RANK/GRADE/etc.				Col 17																			
		CHILDREN		1																			
		NO CHILDREN		2																			
QUALIFICATIONS (degrees, apprenticeships)		WORKING:		Col 18																			
		CLOSELY WITH MEN		1																			
		MOSTLY WITH WOMEN		2																			
DECLARATION I declare that this interview has been carried out in accordance with your specifications and with a person unknown to me SIGNED: TIME OF INTERVIEW		AGE:		Col 19																			
		15 - 24		1																			
		25 - 34		2																			
		35 - 54		3																			
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		Col.	Col.	Col.	Col.																		
		AB		1																			
		C1		2																			
C2		3																					
DE		4																					
		Hello, I am from Marplan the opinion research company. We are doing a poll about women at work.																					

		CODE	ROUTE	
Q1.	Would you say that, where you work there tends to be a Male or a Female dominated atmosphere?	Col 21		
	MALE DOMINATED	1		
	FEMALE DOMINATED	2		
	(INTERVIEWER DO NOT READ OUT) DON'T KNOW	3		
	NEITHER	4	Q2.	
Q2.	Do you think that, having men working alongside women tends to make the working atmosphere better or worse?	Col 22		
	BETTER	1		
	WORSE	2		
	(INTERVIEWER DO NOT READ OUT) DON'T KNOW	3		
	NEITHER BETTER NOR WORSE	4	Q3.	
Q3.	Do any of the women you work with accept invitations to go out with the men?	Col 23		
	YES	1		
	NO	2		
	(INTERVIEWER DO NOT READ OUT) DON'T KNOW	3	Q4.	
Q4.	Do any of the women you work with encourage the men to flirt with them?	Col 24		
	YES	1		
	NO	2		
	(INTERVIEWER DO NOT READ OUT) DON'T KNOW	3		
Q5.	I would like to read out a number of things people have said about men and women working together. For each one please say whether you agree or disagree. There are no right and wrong answers its your opinions we want.			
		AGREE	DISAGREE	
		D/K		
	MEN ENJOY WORKING WITH WOMEN	1	2	3 Col125
	MEN SOMETIMES BEHAVE BADLY TOWARDS WOMEN	1	2	3 Col126
	SIMPLY BECAUSE THEY ARE WOMEN			
	SOME WOMEN EXPLOIT SEXUAL DIFFERENCES IN THEIR DEALINGS WITH MEN AT WORK	1	2	3 Col127
	SOME MEN EXPLOIT SEXUAL DIFFERENCES IN THEIR DEALINGS WITH WOMEN AT WORK	1	2	3 Col128
				Q6

Q6a. I would like to read out a number of things which it has been said offends women at work. For each one please say whether it might offend some of the women you work with.

FOR EACH ONE READ OUT.

Q6b. And would it offend you?

	Q6a.		Q6b.		CODE	ROUTE
	YES	NO	YES	NO		
LOTS OF COMPLIMENTS FROM A MAN	1	2	3	4	Col 30	Q7.
DIRTY JOKES	1	2	3	4	Col 31	
FLIRTING	1	2	3	4	Col 32	
INVITATION OUT FOR A DRINK AFTER OFFICE HOURS	1	2	3	4	Col 33	
WANDERING/STRAYING HANDS	1	2	3	4	Col 34	
PERSISTENT SEXUAL ADVANCES	1	2	3	4	Col 35	

Q7. Where you work, do you think there have ever been cases when a woman has been forced accept sexual advances from a man she works with?

YES 1
NO 2

(INTERVIEWER DO NOT READ OUT) DON'T KNOW 3

Q8. Where you work, do you think there have ever been cases where a woman has been penalised for not accepting advances from a man she worked with?

YES 1
NO 2

(INTERVIEWER DO NOT READ OUT) DON'T KNOW 3

Q9. Generally speaking, do you think women are inadequately protected by the law against sexual advances by men they work with?

YES 1
NO 2

(INTERVIEWER DO NOT READ OUT) DON'T KNOW 3

Q10. If a man, taking advantage of his authority over a woman he works with makes an unwanted advance, should she:-

- Col 39
- a) PUT UP WITH IT 1
 - b) CHANGE JOBS 2
 - c) REPORT IT TO A SUPERIOR 3
 - d) OTHER (WRITE IN) _____ 4
 - _____
 - _____
 - e) DON'T KNOW 5

Q11. Where you work, do you think there have ever been cases where a woman has taken advantage of her sex to improve here job prospects?

YES
NO

Col 40
1
2

(INTERVIEWER DO NOT READ OUT) DON'T KNOW

3

Q12.

Q12. And have you personally ever been in a situation where you have felt a man has been taking advantage of his position in the organisation to make persistent advances to you?

YES
NO

Col 41
1
2

(INTERVIEWER DO NOT READ OUT) DON'T KNOW

3

CLOSE