70: BEGIN

2013/10/10 12:47

font color="#0000FF"Access Code: 231-551-477 Phone: Ext: <PH1EX> Phone2: <PH0N2> Ext: <PH2EX> Phone3: <PH0N3> Directory Assistance: <TEL1> Ext: <PH3EX> Business Name: Contact Name: <CONTACT> Contact Title: <TITLE> /font Hello, this is (your name). I'm calling from Washington State University in Pullman, Washington. I am calling you about a research study we are conducting for USDA's Economic Research Service (ERS). May I speak to (Respondent's name) <CONTACT>? We had contacted you earlier about completing this interview by phone, is now a good time? color="#0000FF"(IWR: If asks what is this about, say:/font" We are studying the challenges businesses are facing in today's tough economy. We want to understand the linkages of what keeps businesses thriving with available resources. The results from this study will be used by USDA to enhance its programs aimed at making U.S. businesses more resilient. The results will also be shared with Congress and other Federal and State agencies that assist businesses and develop programs.")

Speaking to R1	=> /CELL
R not available / Set callback (GB, CB, HB)2	=> /INT01
Non contacts (AM, BC, BZ, ED, NA)3	=> /INT02
Refusals (R1, R2, R3, RP)4	=> /F10
Non-working numbers (CC, DS, MP, WN)5	=> /VERFY
Communication barrier (HC, LG)6	=> /INT03
Other codes (DD, DP, OT, RN)7	=> /INT04
Ineligibles (IE)8	=> /INT05
Special project codes ()9	=> /INT99
Web/Mail codes10	=> /INT98

77: CELL

### 2013/07/19 12:17

First, for safety reasons, I need to ask if this is a cell phone? font color="#0000FF"(IWR read only if necessary/font "By cell phone we mean a telephone that is mobile and usable outside of your neighborhood.")

=> /CONFD	
if CELL=2	
Yes1	
No2	=> CONFD
Refuse R	=> CONFD

78: CLSAF

### 2013/07/19 12:27

To ensure your safety and the safety of others can you please tell me if you are currently driving a motor vehicle? font color="#0000FF"(If yes say:/font "Sorry to have bothered you, it is our policy to not conduct surveys with people while they are driving, regardless if they are using bluetooth technology. We will call you back at another time." font color="#0000FF"Do not take time to set a call back.)/font

Yes	
79:  2013/11/22 10:08  We are conducting a survey for the Economic Research Services of the USDA on the challenges businesses are facing in today's economy. This information will be used to find out how businesses use available resources to remain viable and competitive. Did you receive the letter we sent in the second week of November (2013) for the National Survey of Business Competitiveness explaining the importance of the survey and requesting your participation? font color = "blue"(IWR: If R says "No, Don't know, or Don't remember," then say,/font "Would you like for me to send you an email of this letter and the Paperwork Reduction Act disclaimer?"font color = "blue")/font font color="#0000FF" (IWR Note If they would like an email of this click "Prior Letter" hot key and send email) /font I would like you to know that all information you provide for this survey is voluntary. Your answers to all questions are confidential. All information that is provided will only be used for statistical research purposes and reported in summary form. Your name and that of the business you represent will not be connected to your answers in any way. This survey is authorized under OMB Control Number 0536-0071. The time required to complete this survey is estimated to average 30 minutes per response. This interview may be monitored or recorded by my supervisor to check my work. If I come to any question you would prefer not to answer, just let me know and I will skip over it. Okay? Continue with survey	CONFD
<b>102:</b> 2013/10/07 17:33 First, what is your job title or role?	Q01
103: 2013/10/24 12:38 Approximately what year did this business begin operating at this location? \$E 1900 2013 Don't know	Q02
104: 2013/08/29 15:33 What is the main product or service at this business location? Enter response	Q03

105:	Q04
2013/08/29 15:33         Does this business have ONLY ONE location or MORE THAN ONE location?         Only one location	
106:	Q04A
2013/10/02 16:00 Is this location this business's headquarters or is it a branch location? Headquarters	
107: 2013/10/24 12:39 Please tell me how important each of the following factors are for locating this business in this community. The first one is Owner-ties to the area. Would you say this factor was not important, somewhat important, or very important for locating this business in this community?  Not important	Q05A
108:	Q05B
2013/10/24 12:40 (Please tell me how important each of the following factors are for locating this business in this community.) The next one is Availability of low-cost labor. Would you say this factor was not important, somewhat important, or very important for locating this business in this community?  Not important	
109:	Q05C

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(Please tell me how important each of the following factors are for locating this business in this community.) (The next one is) Available skilled labor pool. (Would you say this factor was not important, somewhat important, or very important for locating this business in this community?)  Not important	
110:	Q05D
2013/10/24 12:41 (Please tell me how important each of the following factors are for locating this business in this community.) (The next one is) Access to transportation. (Would you say this factor was not important, somewhat important, or very important for locating this business in this community?) Not important	
111:	Q05E
2013/10/24 12:41 (Please tell me how important each of the following factors are for locating this business in this community.) (The next one is) Access to broadband or high speed internet. (Would you say this factor was not important, somewhat important, or very important for locating this business in this community?)  Not important	
<b>112:</b> 2013/10/24 12:42	Q05F

(Please tell me how important each of the following factors are for locating this business in this community.) (The next one is) Access to material inputs. (Would you say this factor was not important, somewhat important, or very important for locating this business in this community?)  Not important	
113:	Q05G
2013/10/24 12:42 (Please tell me how important each of the following factors are for locating this business in this community.) (The next one is) Access to customers. (Would you say this factor was not important, somewhat important, or very important for locating this business in this community?) Not important	
114:	Q05H
2013/10/24 12:43 (Please tell me how important each of the following factors are for locating this business in this community.) (The next one is) Government incentives. (Would you say this factor was not important, somewhat important, or very important for locating this business in this community?) Not important	
<b>115:</b> 2013/10/24 12:43	Q05I

(Please tell me how important each of the following factors are for locating this business in this community.) (The next one is) Low taxes. (Would you say this factor was not important, somewhat important, or very important for locating this business in this community?)  Not important	
2013/10/24 12:43 (Please tell me how important each of the following factors are for locating this business in this community.) The last one is Strong or growing local economy. (Would you say this factor was not important, somewhat important, or very important for locating this business in this community?) Not important	Q05J
2013/08/29 15:33  Please tell me how important each of the following factors are for making this community an attractive place to work. The first one is Opportunities for outdoor recreation. Would you say this factor was not important, somewhat important, or very important for making this community an attractive place to work?  Not important	Q05AA
<b>118:</b> 2013/08/29 15:33	Q05AB

(Please tell me how important each of the following factors are for making this community an attractive place to work. ) The next one is Scenic beauty such as natural or architectural beauty. Would you say this factor was not important, somewhat important, or very important for making this community an attractive place to work?  Not important	
119:	Q05AC
2013/08/29 15:33 (Please tell me how important each of the following factors are for making this community an attractive place to work. ) (The next one is) Climate. (Would you say this factor was not important, somewhat important, or very important for making this community an attractive place to work?) Not important	
120:	Q05AD
2013/10/24 16:46 (Please tell me how important each of the following factors are for making this community an attractive place to work.) (The next one is) Access to arts and entertainment. (Would you say this factor was not important, somewhat important, or very important for making this community an attractive place to work?)  Not important	
<b>121:</b> 2013/10/24 16:47	Q05AE

(Please tell me how important each of the following factors are for making this community an attractive place to work. ) (The next one is) Quality of local schools. (Would you say this factor was not important, somewhat important, or very important for making this community an attractive place to work?)  Not important	
122:	Q05AF
2013/10/25 09:50 (Please tell me how important each of the following factors are for making this community an attractive place to work. ) The last one is Access to health care. (Would you say this factor was not important, somewhat important, or very important for making this community an attractive place to work?) Not important	
123:	Q06A
2013/10/02 18:21 In 2012, at this location, what was the AVERAGE number of workers who were full-time and part-time employees on YOUR PAYROLL? \$R.2 0.00 999999.99 Don't know7 Refuse9	
124:	Q06B
2013/10/02 18:20 In 2012, at this location, what was the AVERAGE number of workers who were independent contractors or temporary workers NOT ON YOUR PAYROLL? \$R.2 0.00 999999.99 Don't know	
-	6ACALC
2013/10/03 10:54	

Carries the percent for Q06A with negative numbers (missings values) set to 0 (zero). Used in Q06SU.	
\$R.2 0.00 999999.99	
=> *	
if IF(Q06A>=0,Q06A,0)	
126: Q0	O6BCALC
2013/10/03 10:55 Carries the percent for Q06B with negative numbers (missings values) set to 0 (zero). Used in Q06SU. \$R.2 0.00 999999.99	
=> *	
if IF(Q06B>=0,Q06B,0)	
127:	Q06SU
2013/10/03 10:55	
Sums Q06ACALC and Q06BCALC	
\$R.2 0.00 999999.99	
=> *	
if SMR(0,Q06ACALC,Q06BCALC)	
128:	Q06CH
2013/10/07 17:14	
This business must have had at least 5 workers to be eligible for the survey. These are the numbers I have: <q06acalc> full-time and part-time employees ON YOUR PAYROLL, and <q06bcalc> workers who were independent contractors or temporary workers NOT ON YOUR PAYROLL. Totaling <q06su> Workers. Would like to change either of these?</q06su></q06bcalc></q06acalc>	
=> +0	
else => Q07A	
if Q06SU<5	
Changes number of employees ON YOUR PAYROLL01 => /Q06A	

129: INT30

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<b>134:</b> 2013/10/07 15:50	Q07E
Refuse9	
No02 Don't know7	
paternity, or family leave? Yes01	
2013/10/02 18:51 (In the past 12 months, did this business) Offer paid maternity,	
133:	Q07D
Don't know7 Refuse9	
No	
professional development, or training? Yes01	
(In the past 12 months, did this business) Pay for worker education,	
<b>132:</b> 2013/10/02 18:50	Q07C
Don't know7 Refuse9	
No02	
In the past 12 months, did this business offer a retirement plan? Yes01	
2013/10/02 18:50	
131:	Q07B
neiuse9	
Don't know7 Refuse9	
No	
for any workers? Yes01	
In the past 12 months, did this business offer a health insurance option	
2013/10/02 18:50	QUIA
130:	Q07A
Ineligible - Less than 5 workers	
if Q06SU<5	
else => Q07A	
=> +0	
businesses with 5 or more workers.	

139:	Q10AP	
2013/10/02 18:55 In 2012, what is your best estimate of the average hourly wage for non-salaried workers at this location? \$R 1.00 999.99 No non-salaried workers6 Don't know7 Refuse9	400	
138:	Q09	
137: 2013/10/07 15:51 How many workers are professionals (at this location)? font color="#0000FF" (IWR Definition: Professionals are workers who receive a license or credential such as engineers, or accountants.)/font \$E 0 100 Don't know7 Refuse9	Q08B	
136:  2013/10/07 15:51  How many workers are managers at this location? font color="#0000FF" (IWR Definition: Managers are workers who direct or oversee operations.)/font \$E 0 100  Don't know7  Refuse9	Q08A	
2013/10/24 12:44 (In the past 12 months, did this business) The last one is Offer paid time off in order for workers to volunteer? Yes	•	
135:	Q07F	
(In the past 12 months, did this business)Have an employee-ownership plan?font color="#0000FF"(IWR Definition: Profit sharing or company stock)/fontYes		

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In 2012, at this location, what percent of workers were in the occupational category of Management and professional? font color="#FF0000" (IWR Note if respondent indicates they would prefer to answer in numbers choose -5 and you will skip to this same series of questions asking numbers rather than percent.)/font \$R.2 0.00 100.00  R prefers to answer in numbers5 => Q10AN Don't know7  Refuse9	
140:	Q10BP
2013/10/07 15:53	<b>4</b> -05.
(In 2012, at this location,) What percent of workers were in the occupational category of Services? font color="#0000FF" (IWR Note if respondent indicates they would prefer to answer in numbers, choose -5 and you will skip to this same series of questions asking numbers rather than percent.)/font \$R.2 0.00 100.00 R prefers to answer in numbers5 => Q10AN Don't know7 Refuse9	
141:	Q10CP
2013/10/07 15:54 (In 2012, at this location,) (what percent of workers were in the occupational category of) The next one is Sales and office support? font color="#0000FF" (IWR Note if respondent indicates they would prefer to answer in numbers, choose -5 and you will skip to this same series of questions asking numbers rather than percent.)/font \$R.2 0.00 100.00 R prefers to answer in numbers	
142:	Q10DP
2013/10/03 10:47 (In 2012, at this location,) (what percent of workers were in the occupational category of) (The next one is) Natural resources, construction, and maintenance? \$R.2 0.00 100.00 R prefers to answer in numbers5 => Q10AN Don't know	
<b>143:</b>	Q10EP
2013/10/03 10:48	

(In 2012, at this location,) (what percent of workers were in the occupational category of) The last one is Production, transportation, and material moving? \$R.2 0.00 100.00  R prefers to answer in numbers	N
144: Q:	10APCAL
2013/10/03 10:49 Carries the percent for Q10AP with negative numbers (missings values) set to 0 (zero). Used in Q10PSU. \$R.2 0.00 100.00 $=>*$ if IF(Q10AP>=0,Q10AP,0)	
145: O	10BPCAL
2013/10/03 10:51 Carries the percent for Q10BP with negative numbers (missings values) set to 0 (zero). Used in Q10PSU. \$R.2 0.00 100.00	
=> * if IF(Q10BP>=0,Q10BP,0)	
146: Q	10CPCAL
2013/10/03 10:51 Carries the percent for Q10CP with negative numbers (missings values) set to 0 (zero). Used in Q10PSU. \$R.2 0.00 100.00 $=> *$	
if IF(Q10CP>=0,Q10CP,0)	
-	10DPCAL
2013/10/03 10:52 Carries the percent for Q10DP with negative numbers (missings values) set to 0 (zero). Used in Q10PSU. \$R.2 0.00 100.00 $=> *$ if IF(Q10DP>=0,Q10DP,0)	
-	10EPCAL
2013/10/03 10:52	

Carries the percent for Q10EP with negative numbers (missings values) set to 0 (zero). Used in Q10PSU. \$R.2 0.00 100.00

=> \*

if IF(Q10EP>=0,Q10EP,0)

149: Q10PSU

2013/10/03 10:52

Sums Q10APCAL-Q10EPCAL

\$R.2 0.00 100.00

=> \*

if SMR(0,Q10APCAL,Q10BPCAL,Q10CPCAL,Q10DPCAL,Q10EPCAL)

150: Q10PCK

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I'm sorry, but those percents do not add up to 100%. These are the numbers I have: <Q10APCAL>% of your workers are in management and professional. <Q10BPCAL>% of your workers are in services. <Q10CPCAL>% (of your workers) are in sales and office support. <Q10DPCAL>% (of your workers) are in natural resources, construction, and maintenance. <Q10EPCAL>% (of your workers) are in production, transportation, and material moving. Totaling <Q10PSU>% Are there any of those you would like to change?

=> +0 else => Q10A if (Q10PSU<99 OR Q10PSU>101)

Changes % in management and professional......01 => /O10AP Changes % in services......02 => /O10BP => /Q10CP Changes % in sales and office support......03 Changes % in natural resources, construction, and maintenance04 => /Q10DP Changes % in production, transportation, and material moving 05 => /Q10EP . Go with the numbers given......06 =>/Q10ADon't know....-7 Refuse....-9

151: Q10AN

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In 2012, at this location, how many workers were in the occupational category of Management and professional? \$R.2 0.00 999999.99

Don't know.....-7

Refuse......9

152: Q10BN

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157:	Q10B
2013/11/15 17:02  What was the minimum educational level needed for the occupational category of management and professional in 2012. Was it less than high school or no specific education, at least a high school diploma or GED, at least an associates degree or vocational certification, at least a four-year college degree, or more than four-year college degree?  Less than high school or no specific education	
<b>156:</b>	Q10A
2013/10/24 12:46 (In 2012, at this location,) (how many workers were in the occupational category of) The last one is Production, transportation, and material moving? \$R.2 0.00 999999.99 Don't know	Q10EN
2013/10/24 12:46 (In 2012, at this location,) (how many workers were in the occupational category of) (The next one is) Natural resources, construction, and maintenance? \$R.2 0.00 999999.99 Don't know	Q10DN
2013/10/24 12:46 (In 2012, at this location,) (how many workers were in the occupational category of) The next one is Sales and office support? \$R.2 0.00 999999.99 Don't know7 Refuse9	Q10CN
(In 2012, at this location,) How many workers were in the occupational category of Services? \$R.2 0.00 999999.99 Don't know7 Refuse9	

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What was the minimum educational level needed for the occupational (In 2012.) Was it less than high school or no category of services? specific education, at least a high school diploma or GED, at least an associates degree or vocational certification, at least a four-year college degree, or more than four-year college degree? Less than high school or no specific education......01 At least high school diploma or GED......02 At least associates degree or vocational certification....03 At least four-year college degree......04 More than four-year college degree......05 Don't know.....-7 Refuse....-9 158: **Q10C** 2013/11/15 17:03 (What was the minimum educational level needed for the occupational category of . . . in 2012) The next one is Sales and office support. (Was it less than high school or no specific education, at least a high school diploma or GED, at least an associates degree or vocational certification, at least a four-year college degree, or more than four-year college degree?) Less than high school or no specific education......01 At least high school diploma or GED......02 At least associates degree or vocational certification....03 At least four-year college degree......04 More than four-year college degree......05 Don't know.....-7 Refuse.....-9 159: **Q10D** 2013/11/15 17:03 (What was the minimum educational level needed for the occupational category of . . . in 2012) (The next one is) Natural resources, construction, and maintenance. (Was it less than high school or no specific education, at least a high school diploma or GED, at least an associates degree or vocational certification, at least a four-year college degree, or more than four-year college degree?) Less than high school or no specific education......01 At least high school diploma or GED......02 At least associates degree or vocational certification....03 At least four-year college degree......04 More than four-year college degree......05 Don't know.....-7 Refuse.....-9 **Q10E** 160:

(What was the minimum educational level needed for the occupational category of in 2012) The last one is Production, transportation, and material moving. (Was it less than high school or no specific education, at least a high school diploma or GED, at least an associates degree or vocational certification, at least a four-year college degree, or more than four-year college degree?)  Less than high school or no specific education	
161:	Q11
2013/08/29 15:33  Is any part of the workforce unionized or covered by a collective bargaining agreement? Yes	
162:	Q12
2013/10/03 09:55 In the past 3 years, has finding qualified applicants for your workforce, not including managers and professionals, been very difficult, somewhat difficult, or not difficult?  Very difficult	
163:	Q12A
2013/08/29 15:33 Why has it been difficult to find qualified applicants for your workforce? Is this due to the quality of the labor pool? Yes	
<b>164:</b> 2013/08/29 15:33	Q12B

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169:	Q13B
168:         2013/08/29 15:33         Are training requirements documented in those position descriptions?         Yes	Q13A
167:         2013/08/29 15:33         Does this business have written position descriptions?         Yes	Q13
2013/10/24 13:32 (Why has it been difficult to find qualified applicants for your workforce?) (Is this due to) Limited interest among job seekers for openings at this business? Yes	Q12D
165: 2013/10/24 13:32 (Why has it been difficult to find qualified applicants for your workforce?) (Is this due to an) Insufficient number of workers available locally? Yes	Q12C
(Why has it been difficult to find qualified applicants for your workforce?) Is this due to increases in required skills and knowledge? Yes	

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17 <i>4</i> ·	O14F
2013/10/24 13:36 (Please tell me if the following technologies are currently used at this business.) (The next one is) Are supplies purchased over the Internet (also known as e-procurement)? Yes	Ų14D
Refuse9  173:	Q14D
sales of products or services (also known as e-commerce)? Yes01 No02 Don't know7	
172: 2013/10/24 13:35 (Please tell me if the following technologies are currently used at this business.) (The next one is) Does this business use the Internet for	Q14C
No	
2013/10/24 13:34 (Please tell me if the following technologies are currently used at this business.) The next one is Does this business use broadband or high speed internet? Yes	
171:	Q14B
Please tell me if the following technologies are currently used at this business. The first one is Does this business currently use personal computers or laptops, not including smart phones?  Yes	
<b>170:</b> 2013/10/24 13:33	Q14A
already completed these training requirements? Yes	
Does this business track whether workers complete or if they have	

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179:	0141
2013/10/24 13:41 (Please tell me if the following technologies are currently used at this business.) (The next one is) Does this business use RFID readers, barcode, or optical scanners (such as Radio Frequency Identification)? font color="#0000FF" (IWR: RFID is read as R-F-I-D which stands for Radio Frequency Identification If any sort of hand held scanners are used in this business answer as yes)/font Yes	Q14I
	Q14I
177:         2013/10/03 09:59         Does this business issue smart phones to (any) workers?         Yes	Q14H
2013/10/24 13:39 (Please tell me if the following technologies are currently used at this business.) (The next one is) Does this business currently use social media, such as LinkedIn or Facebook? Yes	Q14G
2013/10/24 13:37 (Please tell me if the following technologies are currently used at this business.) (The next one is) Does this business market by direct email? Yes	`
	Q14F
business.) (The next one is) Is this business currently using web advertising? Yes	

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183.	015
2013/10/24 13:42 (Please tell me if the following technologies are currently used at this business.) The last one is Does this business use a stand-alone customer relationship management software? Yes	<b>~~~</b>
182:	Q14M
181:  2013/10/24 13:41 (Please tell me if the following technologies are currently used at this business.) (The next one is) Does this business use a stand-alone supply chain or logistics management software? font color="#0000FF" (IWR: standalone means software that is used independently of other software to provide a specific set of services.)/font  Yes	Q14L
2013/10/24 13:41 (Please tell me if the following technologies are currently used at this business.) (The next one is) Does this business use an integrated enterprise resource planning system, such as SAP or Microsoft Dynamics? font color="#0000FF" (IWR Prompt: SAP, Microsoft Dynamics, or Oracle Applications include functions for accounting, logistics, human resources, and/or sales management, along with other functions.)/font  Yes	Q14K
(Please tell me if the following technologies are currently used at this business.) (The next one is) Does this business use computer software specifically designed for your business or industry?  Yes	

2013/10/03 10:56

What percent of this business's sale of products or services comes over the Internet? \$R.2 0.00 100.00 => +1 if Q14C<>01 Don't know.....-7 Refuse....-9 184: **Q16** 2013/10/24 13:42 What percent of your workforce, not including managers and professionals, uses computers on a daily basis? \$R.2 0.00 100.00 Don't know....-7 Refuse....-9 185: **Q17A** 2013/10/24 13:43 Next we would like to ask about factors that may have limited this business's use of information and communications technology. Has the cost of equipment and software limited this business's use of technologies? Yes......01 Don't know....-7 Refuse.....-9 186: **Q17B** 2013/10/24 13:44 (Factors that may have limited this business's use of information and communications technology.) Has the cost of information and communications services limited this business's use of technology? Yes......01 Don't know.....-7 Refuse.....-9 187: **Q17C** 2013/10/24 13:44 (Factors that may have limited this business's use of information and communications technology.) (Has the) Lack of access to adequate broadband or high speed internet? (limited this business's use of technology?) Yes......01 Don't know....-7 Refuse....-9

188:	Q17D
2013/08/29 15:33         (Has the)       Lack of knowledge?       (Limited this business's use of technology?)         Yes.       01         No.       02         Don't know       -7         Refuse.       -9	
189:	Q17E
2013/10/24 13:44 (Factors that may have limited this business's use of information and communications technology.) Does this business have difficulty integrating new technologies into the current way you do business?  Yes	
190:	Q18A
2013/10/24 13:45  Next we would like to know the main sources businesses' use to learn about new opportunities or ways of doing things. How valuable to this business are your SUPPLIERS as a source of new information? Would you say not at all valuable, somewhat valuable or very valuable?  Not at all valuable	
191:	Q18B
2013/10/24 13:52  How valuable to this business are your CUSTOMERS as a source of new information? Would you say not at all valuable, somewhat valuable or very valuable?  Not at all valuable	
<b>192:</b> 2013/10/03 11:13	Q18C
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(How valuable to this business are) Other business people in your industry (as a source of new information)? (Would you say not at all valuable, somewhat valuable or very valuable?)  Not at all valuable	
193:	Q18D
2013/10/03 11:14 (How valuable to this business are) Other business people NOT in your industry (as a source of new information)? (Would you say not at all valuable, somewhat valuable or very valuable?) Not at all valuable	
194:	Q18E
2013/10/03 11:14 (How valuable to this business are) Business or trade association conferences or publications (as a source of new information)? (Would you say not at all valuable, somewhat valuable or very valuable?) Not at all valuable	
195:	Q18F
2013/10/03 11:15 (How valuable to this business are) Your own workers (as a source of new information)? (Would you say not at all valuable, somewhat valuable or very valuable?) Not at all valuable	
<b>196:</b> 2013/10/03 11:15	Q18G

(How valuable to this business is) Media? (such as newspapers, television, and internet (as a source of new information)? (Would you say not at all valuable, somewhat valuable or very valuable?)  Not at all valuable	
197:	Q18H
2013/10/03 11:15 (How valuable to this business are) Private consultants (as a source of new information)? (Would you say not at all valuable, somewhat valuable or very valuable?) Not at all valuable	
198:	Q18I
2013/10/24 13:54 (How valuable to this business are) The last one is University extension, community colleges, or business schools (as a source of new information)? (Would you say not at all valuable, somewhat valuable or very valuable?) Not at all valuable	
199:	Q19A
2013/10/03 11:20 Are your suppliers that are your most valuable sources of information, located in your community, outside of your community within a reasonable drive, or beyond a reasonable drive?	
=> +1 if Q18A<>3	
In your community	
<b>200:</b> 2013/08/29 15:33	Q19B

Are your customers that are your most valuable sources of information, located in your community, outside of your community within a reasonable drive, or beyond a reasonable drive? => +1 if O18B<>3 In your community......01 Outside community within a reasonable drive......02 Beyond a reasonable drive......03 Don't know.....-7 Refuse.....-9 201: Q19C 2013/08/29 15:33 Are other business people in your industry that are your most valuable sources of information, located in your community, outside of your community within a reasonable drive, or beyond a reasonable drive? => +1 if Q18C<>3 In your community......01 Outside community within a reasonable drive......02 Beyond a reasonable drive......03 Don't know.....-7 Refuse -9 202: **Q19D** 2013/08/29 15:33 Are other business people not in your industry that are your most valuable sources of information, located in your community, outside of your community within a reasonable drive, or beyond a reasonable drive? => +1 if Q18D<>3 In your community......01 Outside community within a reasonable drive......02 Beyond a reasonable drive......03 Don't know....-7 Refuse.....-9 203: **Q20A** 2013/10/03 14:17 Approximately what percent of 2012 final shipments or billed services went to local customers who are within a reasonable drive of this business? \$R.2 0.00 100.00 No sales in 2012.....-4 => Q21Don't know....-7 Refuse....-9

204:	Q20B
2013/10/03 10:57  Approximately what percent of 2012 final shipments or billed services went to customers who are within the rest of the United States beyond a reasonable drive (not including those within a reasonable drive)?  \$R.2 0.00 100.00  Don't know	
205:	Q20C
2013/10/03 10:57 Approximately what percent of 2012 final shipments or billed services went to international customers? \$R.2 0.00 100.00 Don't know7 Refuse9	
206: Q2	20ACALC
2013/10/03 13:51 Carries the percent for Q20A with negative numbers (missings values) set to 0 (zero). Used in Q20SU. \$R.2 0.00 100.00	
=> * if IF(Q20A>=0,Q20A,0)	
207: Q2	20BCALC
2013/10/03 13:52 Carries the percent for Q20B with negative numbers (missings values) set to 0 (zero). Used in Q20SU. $\$R.2\ 0.00\ 100.00$ $=>*$	
if IF(Q20B>=0,Q20B,0)	
208: Q2	20CCALC
2013/10/03 13:52 Carries the percent for Q20C with negative numbers (missings values) set to 0 (zero). Used in Q20SU. \$R.2 0.00 100.00	
=> *	
if IF(Q20C>=0,Q20C,0)	
209:	O20SU

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# Sums Q20ACALC-Q20CCALC \$R.2 0.00 100.00

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=> \*

if SMR(0,Q20ACALC,Q20BCALC,Q20CCALC)

210:	Q20CH
2013/10/07 17:22 I'm sorry, but those percents do not add up to 100% (Approximately what percent of 2012 final shipments or billed services went to) These are the numbers I have: <q20acalc>% went to local customers within a reasonable drive <q20bcalc>% went to customers in the rest of the United States and <q20ccalc>% went to international customers. Totaling <q20su>% Are there any of those you would like to change?</q20su></q20ccalc></q20bcalc></q20acalc>	
=> +0	
else => Q21 if (Q20SU<99 OR Q20SU>101 )	
Changes % to local customers       01       => /Q20A         Changes % to U.S. customers       02       => /Q20B         Changes % to international customers       03       => /Q20C         Go with the numbers given       04       04         Don't know       -7       -7         Refuse       -9	
	Q21
2013/08/29 15:33         Was this location in business in 2007?         Yes	
212:	Q21A
2013/10/03 10:58  What is your best guess of the percent of 2007 final shipments or billed services that went to local customers, within a reasonable drive of this location?  \$R.2 0.00 100.00  No sales in 2007	
<b>213</b> :	Q21B

What is your best guess of the percent of 2007 final shipments or billed services that went to customers who were within the rest of the United States beyond a reasonable drive (not including those within a reasonable drive)?  \$R.2 0.00 100.00  Don't know	
214:	Q21C
2013/10/03 10:58  What is your best guess of the percent of 2007 final shipments or billed services that went to international customers? \$R.2 0.00 100.00  Don't know7  Refuse9	
215: Q2	21ACALC
$2013/10/03\ 11:24$ Carries the percent for Q21A with negative numbers (missings values) set to 0 (zero). Used in Q21SU. \$R.2 0.00 100.00 => *	
if IF(Q21A>=0,Q21A,0)	
216: Q2	21BCALC
$2013/10/03\ 11:24$ Carries the percent for Q21B with negative numbers (missings values) set to 0 (zero). Used in Q21SU. \$R.2\ 0.00\ 100.00	
=> *	
if IF(Q21B>=0,Q21B,0)	
217: Q2	21CCALC
2013/10/03 11:24 Carries the percent for Q21C with negative numbers (missings values) set to 0 (zero). Used in Q21SU. \$R.2 0.00 100.00	
=> * if IF(Q21C>=0,Q21C,0)	
<b>218:</b> 2013/10/03 11:25	Q21SU

## Sums Q21ACALC-Q21CCALC \$R.2 0.00 100.00

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if SMR(0,Q21ACALC,Q21BCALC,Q21CCALC)

219:	Q21CH
2013/10/07 17:21 I'm sorry, but those percents do not add up to 100% (What is your best guess of the percent of 2007 final shipments or billed services that went to local customers) These are the numbers I have: <q21acalc>% went to local customers within a reasonable drive <q21bcalc>% went to customers in the rest of the United States and <q21ccalc>% went to international customers. Totaling <q21su>% Are there any of those you would like to change?</q21su></q21ccalc></q21bcalc></q21acalc>	
=> +0	
else => Q22A if (Q21SU<99 OR Q21SU>101 )	
Changes % to local customers       01       => /Q21A         Changes % to U.S. customers       02       => /Q21B         Changes % to international customers       03       => /Q21C         Go with the numbers given       04         Don't know       -7         Refuse       -9	
220:	Q22A
2013/10/03 10:59 In 2012 what percent of goods and services sold by this business were sold to other businesses? \$R.2 0.00 100.00 No sales in 20124 => Q23 Don't know7 Refuse9	
221:	Q22B
2013/10/03 11:03 In 2012 what percent of goods and services sold by your business were sold to government? \$R.2 0.00 100.00 Don't know7 Refuse9	•===
222:	Q22C
2013/10/03 11:04 In 2012 what percent of goods and services sold by your business were sold to individuals? \$R.2 0.00 100.00 Don't know7 Refuse9	

223: Q	ZZACALC
2013/10/07 18:35	
Carries the percent for Q22A with negative numbers (missings values)	
set to 0 (zero). Used in Q22SU.	
\$R.2 0.00 100.00	-
=> *	
if IF(Q22A>=0,Q22A,0)	
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224: Q	22BCALC
2013/10/07 18:35	
Carries the percent for Q22B with negative numbers (missings values)	
set to 0 (zero). Used in Q22SU.	
\$R.2 0.00 100.00	
=> *	
if IF(Q22B>=0,Q22B,0)	
	1
225: Q	22CCALC
2013/10/07 18:36	
Carries the percent for Q22C with negative numbers (missings values)	
set to 0 (zero). Used in Q22SU.	
\$R.2 0.00 100.00	_
=> *	
if IF(Q22C>=0,Q22C,0)	
	1
226:	Q22SU
2013/10/07 18:36	
Sums Q22CALC-Q22CALC	
\$R.2 0.00 100.00	
=> *	]
if SMR(0,Q22ACALC,Q22BCALC,Q22CCALC)	
	1
227:	Q22CH
2013/10/07 17:43	
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I'm sorry, but those percents do not add up to 100% (In 2012, what percent of goods and services sold by this business were sold to . . .) These are the numbers I have: <Q22ACALC>% were sold to other businesses <Q22BCALC>% were sold to government and <Q22CCALC>% were sold to individuals. Totaling <Q22SU>% Are there any of those you would like to change?

=> +0	
else => Q23	
if (Q22SU<99 OR Q22SU>101 )	
Changes % sold to other businesses	
228:	Q23
2013/08/29 15:33  Is the CURRENT market for your products or services growing, stable, declining, mixed (that is some are declining and others are growing), or are you uncertain?  Growing	
229:	Q24
2013/10/03 10:00  Does this business require workers to DOCUMENT good work practices and lessons learned?  Yes	
230:	Q25
2013/08/29 15:33  How often does this business monitor customer satisfaction through analysis of complaints, customer satisfaction surveys, focus groups, or other methods? Would you say never, occasionally or regularly?  Never	
231:	Q26

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How often are processes changed to fix problems identified through customer complaints? Would you say never, occasionally or regularly?  Never	
232:	Q27A
2013/10/24 13:56  Next I am going to ask about any new services and methods that this business might have introduced in the last 3 years. In the last 3 years did this business produce any new or significantly improved goods (or products)?  Yes	
233:	Q27B
2013/10/24 13:57 (New services and methods that this business might have introduced in the last 3 years.) In the past 3 years, did this business provide any new or significantly improved services? Yes	
234:	Q27C
2013/10/24 14:01 (New services and methods that this business might have introduced in the last 3 years.) New or significantly improved methods of manufacturing or producing goods or services? Yes	
<b>235:</b> 2013/10/24 14:01	Q27D

(New services and methods that this business might have introduced in the last 3 years.) New or significantly improved logistics, delivery, or distribution methods for your inputs, goods, or services? Yes	
<b>236:</b>	Q27E
2013/10/24 14:01 (New services and methods that this business might have introduced in the last 3 years.) New or significantly improved support activities for your processes?  Yes	
No	
237:	Q27F
2013/10/24 14:02 (New services and methods that this business might have introduced in the last 3 years.) The last one is New or significant improvements in your marketing methods? Yes	
238:	Q28A
2013/10/03 15:53 In the past 3 years, did this business have any improvement or innovation activities that were abandoned? Yes	
239:	Q28B
2013/10/03 15:53  In the past 3 years, did this business have any improvement or innovation activities that were incomplete? Yes	

240:

2013/08/29 15:33 (Programmer; if all of the Q27A through Q27F are no, dk, rf AND Q28a=2,D,R and Q28b=2,D,R, ask go to Q29A else go to Q30A)	
=> Q30A	
else => Q29A	
if Q27A=01 OR Q27B=01 OR Q27C=01 OR Q27D=01 OR Q27E=01 OR Q27F=01 OR Q28A=01 OR Q28B=01	
241:	Q29A
2013/10/24 14:03  Please tell us why improvement or innovation activities have not been necessary or possible for this business?  Enter response	
242:  2013/10/03 16:41  Now I am going to read a list of improvements you may have made to any new or significantly improved GOODS OR SERVICES sold by this business. In 2012, did this business sell any new or significantly improved GOODS OR SERVICES with improved performance?  Yes	Q30A
243: 2013/08/29 15:33 In 2012, did this business sell any new or significantly improved GOODS OR SERVICES that were more user-friendly? Yes	Q30B
244: 2013/08/29 15:33 (In 2012, did this business sell any new or significantly improved GOODS OR SERVICES that) Reduced costs? Yes	Q30C

Q295K

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(In the past 3 years, did this business engage in any of the following innovation-related activities?) (The next one is) Purchase or license patents or inventions to implement innovations?  Yes		
<b>254:</b> 2013/10/24 14:12	Q33F	
253:  2013/10/24 14:12 (In the past 3 years, did this business engage in any of the following innovation-related activities?) (The next one is) Purchase machinery, equipment, computers, or software to implement innovations?  Yes	Q33E	
252: 2013/10/24 14:11 (In the past 3 years, did this business engage in any of the following innovation-related activities?) (The next one is) Purchase design services? Yes	Q33D	
251: 2013/10/24 14:10 (In the past 3 years, did this business engage in any of the following innovation-related activities?) (The next one is) Conduct in-house design activities to improve aesthetics of product or a product's packaging? Yes	Q33C	
activities?) The next one is In the past 3 years did this business purchase research and development from research organizations or other branches of this business?  Yes		

255:	Q33G
2013/10/24 14:12 (In the past 3 years, did this business engage in any of the following innovation-related activities?) (The next one is) Purchase knowledge or expertise to implement innovations?  Yes	
Don't know7 Refuse9	
256:	Q33H
2013/10/24 14:13 (In the past 3 years, did this business engage in any of the following innovation-related activities?) (The next one is) Plan, engineer, design, or conduct other development work to implement innovations? Yes	
257:	Q33I
2013/10/24 14:13 (In the past 3 years, did this business engage in any of the following innovation-related activities?) (The next one is) Train staff to develop or introduce innovations? Yes	
258:	Q33J
2013/10/24 14:14 (In the past 3 years, did this business engage in any of the following innovation-related activities?) The last one is Market research, advertising, or other marketing activities linked to implementing innovations?  Yes	
<b>259:</b>	Q34A

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In the current environment, if excess cash were available, how likely would this business use these funds to provide additional training of workers? Would you say not at all likely, probably, or most definitely?  Not at all likely	
260:	Q34B
2013/10/24 14:23	•
(In the current environment, if excess cash were available,) How likely would this business use these funds to repay debt? Would you say not at all likely, probably, or most definitely?	
Not at all likely01	
Probably	
Don't know7	
Refuse9	
261:	Q34C
2013/10/24 14:26 (In the current environment, if excess cash were available,) (How likely would this business use these funds to) Provide a reserve or cushion? (Would you say not at all likely, probably, or most definitely?) Not at all likely	
<b>262:</b>	Q34D
2013/10/24 14:26	
(In the current environment, if excess cash were available,) (How	
likely would this business use these funds to) Fund additional innovation projects? (Would you say not at all likely, probably, or most definitely?)	
Not at all likely01	
Probably02	
Most definitely	
Don't know7 Refuse9	
	Q34E
2013/10/24 14:27	~~·-

(In the current environment, if excess cash were available,) (How likely would this business use these funds to) The last one is Fund additional investment projects such as replacing old equipment or for expansion? (Would you say not at all likely, probably, or most definitely?)  Not at all likely	
264:	Q35A
2013/08/29 15:33  Please tell me if this business produces products or provides services in any of the following five green sectors. Does this business produce renewable energy?  Yes	
265:	Q35B
2013/10/07 12:02 (Please tell me if this business produces products or provides services in any of the following five green sectors.) Does this business increase energy efficiency? Yes	
266:	Q35C
2013/10/07 12:02 (Please tell me if this business produces products or provides services in any of the following five green sectors.) (Does this business) Conserve natural resources? Yes	
267:	Q35D
2013/10/07 12:02 (Please tell me if this business produces products or provides services in any of the following five green sectors.) (Does this business) Prevent, reduce or clean up pollution? Yes	

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268:	Q35E
2013/10/24 14:28 (Please tell me if this business produces products or provides services in any of the following five green sectors.) (Does this business) The last one is Produce clean transportation fuels?	
Yes	
269:	Q36
2013/10/03 15:59         In the past 3 years, did this business participate in any patent applications?         Yes	
270:	Q36A
2013/10/03 15:59 In the past 3 years, how many patent applications did this business participate in? \$E 1 99 Don't know7	
Refuse9	
<b>271:</b> 2013/10/24 14:28	Q36B
In the past 3 years, how many patents were awarded? \$E 0 99	
Don't know7 Refuse9	
	Q37A
2013/10/03 16:01 In the past 3 years, did this business register an industrial design? Yes	
	Q37B

In the past 3 years, did this business Register a trademark? Yes01	
No	
Don't know7 Refuse9	
274:	Q37C
2013/10/03 16:01 (In the past 3 years, did this business) Produce materials eligible for copyright? Yes	
No	
275:	Q37D
2013/10/24 14:31 (In the past 3 years, did this business) The last one is Use trade secret protections? font color="#0000FF" (DEF: "Trade secret protections such as non-disclosure agreements, or non-compete clauses, or sought remedies for misappropriation")/font Yes	
276:	Q38
2013/10/07 13:53  During the economic recession period of 2008 and 2009, to what extent did this business commit resources to innovate? Would you say this business increased resources for innovation activities, there was no change in innovation resources, or was there a delay or decrease in resources for innovation?  Increase resources for innovation activities	
277:	Q39
2013/10/07 13:54  Compared to 2012, in this current year (2013) would you say resources for innovations at this business have been increased, kept the same or decreased?  Increased	

278:	Q40A
$2013/10/03\ 16:04$ In the past 3 years, has this business increased the variety of goods or services it has offered?	
Yes       01         No       02         Don't know       -7         Refuse       -9	
279:	Q40B
2013/10/03 16:05         In the past 3 years, has this business increased their market share or entered new markets?         Yes	
280:         2013/10/03 16:05         (In the past 3 years, has this business)       Begun exporting goods or services?         Yes	Q40C
281:         2013/10/03 16:05         (In the past 3 years, has this business)       Reduced time to respond to customer needs?         Yes	Q40D
282: 2013/10/03 16:06 (In the past 3 years, has this business) Improved flexibility of production or service provision? Yes	Q40E
<b>283:</b> 2013/10/03 16:06	Q40F

288:	Q41B
287:  2013/10/24 16:56  Next we would like to ask about factors related to this business's location. For each one please tell us whether it is not a problem, a minor problem, or a major problem for this business's ability to compete. The first one is Zoning or development regulations. Is this not a problem, a minor problem, or a major problem for this business?  Not a problem	Q41A
	045.5
No	
2013/10/03 16:07 (In the past 3 years, has this business) Improved worker satisfaction or reduced worker turnover? Yes	-
286:	Q40I
required per unit output?  Yes	
285: 2013/10/03 16:07 (In the past 3 years, has this business) Reduced materials and energy	Q40H
(In the past 3 years, has this business)       Reduced labor costs per unit output?         Yes	
<b>284:</b> 2013/10/03 16:06 (In the past 3 years, has this business). Reduced labor sects per unit	Q40G
Yes	
(In the past 3 years, has this business) Increased capacity of production or service provision?	

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(Factors related to this business's location.) The next one is Vitality of the local economy. Is this not a problem, a minor problem, or a major problem for this business?  Not a problem	
289:	Q41C
2013/10/24 14:34 (Factors related to this business's location.) (The next one is) Access to financial, legal, and other business services. (Is this not a problem, a minor problem, or a major problem for this business?)  Not a problem	
290:	Q41D
2013/10/24 14:34 (Factors related to this business's location.) (The next one is) Access to equipment and software suppliers. (Is this not a problem, a minor problem, or a major problem for this business?)  Not a problem	
291:	Q41E
2013/10/24 14:34 (Factors related to this business's location.) (The next one is) Access to training courses. (Is this not a problem, a minor problem, or a major problem for this business?)  Not a problem	
<b>292:</b> 2013/10/24 14:34	Q41F

(Factors related to this business's location.) (The next one is) Access to transportation or freight forwarding facilities and services. (Is this not a problem, a minor problem, or a major problemfor this business?)  Not a problem	
293:	Q41G
2013/10/24 14:35 (Factors related to this business's location.) (The next one is) Availability of broadband or high speed internet. (Is this not a problem, a minor problem, or a major problem for this business?) Not a problem	
294:	Q41H
2013/10/24 14:35 (Factors related to this business's location.) (The next one is) Local availability of mobile or cellular service. (Is this not a problem, a minor problem, or a major problem for this business?)  Not a problem	
295:	Q41I
2013/10/24 14:36 (Factors related to this business's location.) (The next one is) Local roads and bridges. (Is this not a problem, a minor problem, or a major problem for this business?)  Not a problem	
<b>296:</b> 2013/10/24 14:36	Q41J

(Factors related to this business's location.) (The next one is) Cost of facilities and land. (Is this not a problem, a minor problem, or a major problem for this business?)  Not a problem	
297:	Q41K
2013/10/24 14:36 (Factors related to this business's location.) (The next one is) Attractiveness of the area to managers and professionals. (Is this not a problem, a minor problem, or a major problem for this business?) Not a problem	
298:	Q41L
2013/10/24 14:36 (Factors related to this business's location.) (The next one is) Quality of primary and secondary schools. (Is this not a problem, a minor problem, or a major problem for this business?)  Not a problem	
299:	Q41M
2013/10/24 14:37 (Factors related to this business's location.) (The next one is) Environmental regulations. (Is this not a problem, a minor problem, or a major problem for this business?) Not a problem	
300:	Q41N

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304:	O42B
2013/08/29 15:33 (The next one is development effort by the local government at the) Regional or multi-county level. (Is it not at all active or not present, somewhat active, or very active within your community?) Not at all active or not present	<b>Q42A3</b>
303:	Q42A3
302:  2013/10/24 14:39  The next one is Development effort by the local government at the county level. Is it not at all active or not present, somewhat active, or very active within your community?  Not at all active or not present	Q42A2
202.	04242
301:  2013/10/24 14:38  Please tell me how involved in promoting business are the following institutions in your community. The first one is Development effort by the local government at the village, town, or city level. Is it not at all active or not present, somewhat active, or very active within your community?  Not at all active or not present	Q42A1
	04241
(Factors related to this business's location.) The last one is State and local tax rates. (Is this not a problem, a minor problem, or a major problem for this business?)  Not a problem	

(Business promotion by institutions in your community.) (The next one is) Business promotion by business associations (such as the Chamber of Commerce). (Is it not at all active or not present, somewhat active, or very active within your community?)  Not at all active or not present	
305:	Q42C
2013/10/24 14:44 (Business promotion by institutions in your community.) (The next one is) College, university, or extension support for local business. (Is it not at all active or not present, somewhat active, or very active within your community?) Not at all active or not present	
306:	Q42D
2013/10/24 14:44 (Business promotion by institutions in your community.) (The next one is) Community foundations or nonprofit organizations. (Is it not at all active or not present, somewhat active, or very active within your community?) Not at all active or not present	
307:	Q42E
2013/10/24 14:45 (Business promotion by institutions in your community.) (The next one is) Local investors. (Is it not at all active or not present, somewhat active, or very active within your community?) Not at all active or not present	
<b>308:</b> 2013/10/24 14:45	Q42F

Banks. (Is it not at all active or not present, somewhat active, or very active within your community?)  Not at all active or not present	
309:	Q42AA
2013/10/24 14:46         How much civic leadership does THIS business provide in your community. Is it none, some, or a lot?         None	
310:	Q43
2013/08/29 15:33         Do you have a good understanding of the decisions that led to the founding of this business?         Yes	
311:	Q43A
2013/10/07 14:26 Was this business originally founded around a new or customized product or service that was created by one of the founders of this business? Yes	
312:	Q43B
2013/08/29 15:33  Thinking about this new or customized product or service, why was it originally developed? Was it because one of the founders created it for personal use, one of the founders created it for use at a previous job or business, or one of the founders identified a business opportunity? One of the founders created it for personal use01 One of the founders created it for use at a previous job or business  One of the founders identified a business opportunity03 Don't know	02

2013/10/24 14:47 The final section of the survey is to assess which types of government-sponsored programs are the most helpful to businesses. In the past 3 years, has this business used direct loans from a government agency (such as a USDA B&I Direct Loan)?	
Yes	
314:	Q44A1
2013/10/24 14:48  How important were direct loans from government agencies (such as a USDA B&I Direct Loan)? Was this program not important, somewhat important, or very important?  Not important	
315:	Q44B
2013/10/24 14:50 (Assess which types of government-sponsored programs are the most helpful to businesses.) The next one is In the past 3 years, has this business used government insurance or guarantee for loans (such as SBA 7(a) Loan Program)?  Yes	
Refuse9 => Q44C	
316:	Q44B1
2013/10/24 14:51  How important were government insurance or guarantee for loans (such as SBA 7(a) Loan Program)? Was this program not important, somewhat important, or very important?  Not important	
317:	Q44C

(Assess which types of government-sponsored programs are the most helpful to businesses.) (The next one is) In the past 3 years, has this business used revolving loan funds run by a nonprofit or government organization? Yes......01 => 044DDon't know.....-7 => 044DRefuse....-9 => 044D 318: Q44C1 2013/10/24 14:52 How important were revolving loan funds run by a nonprofit or government organization? (Was this program not important, somewhat important, or very important?) Not important......01 Somewhat important......02 Very important......03 Don't know.....-7 Refuse....-9 319: **Q44D** 2013/10/24 14:53 (Assess which types of government-sponsored programs are the most helpful to businesses.) (In the past 3 years,) (The next one is) Has this business used tax incentives by state or local government, including enterprise zones, urban revitalization areas, or Tax Increment Financing Districts? Yes......01 => Q44E => Q44E Don't know.....-7 => 044E Refuse....-9 320: Q44D1 2013/10/24 14:55 How important were tax incentives by state or local government, including enterprise zones, urban revitalization areas, or Tax Increment Financing Districts? (Was this program not important, somewhat important, or very important?) Not important......01 Somewhat important......02 Very important......03 Don't know.....-7 Refuse....-9 321: **Q44E** 

(Assess which types of government-sponsored programs are the most helpful to businesses.) (In the past 3 years,) (The next one is) Has this business used government-assisted industrial parks or business incubators?  Yes	
	Q44E1
2013/10/24 14:56  How important were government-assisted industrial parks or business incubators? (Was this program not important, somewhat important, or very important?)  Not important	<b>44421</b>
323: 2013/10/24 14:57 (Assess which types of government-sponsored programs are the most helpful to businesses.) (In the past 3 years,) (The next one is) Has this business used government-funded technology assistance programs? Yes	Q44F
324: 2013/10/24 14:57 How important were government-funded technology assistance programs? (Was this program not important, somewhat important, or very important?) Not important	Q44F1
325:	Q44G
2013/10/24 14:57 (Assess which types of government-sponsored programs are the most helpful to businesses.) (In the past 3 years,) (The next one is) Has this business used government-assisted worker-training programs?  Yes	

326:	Q44G1
2013/10/24 14:57  How important were government-assisted worker-training programs? (Was this program not important, somewhat important, or very important?)  Not important	
Not important	
<b>327:</b> 2013/10/24 17:00	Q44H
(Assess which types of government-sponsored programs are the most helpful to businesses.) (In the past 3 years,) The last one is Has this business used National Innovation Marketplace?  Yes	
328:	Q44H1
2013/10/24 14:58  How important was the National Innovation Marketplace? (Was this program not important, somewhat important, or very important?)  Not important	
329:	Q45
2013/10/03 16:12 Did this business try to borrow money for any purpose in the past 3 years?	
Yes.       01         No.       02       => Q47         Don't know       -7       => Q47         Refuse.       -9       => Q47	
330:	Q45A
2013/10/03 16:17 Did this business try to borrow money for any purpose in the past 3 years from a commercial bank?	
Yes       01         No       02       => Q45B         Don't know       -7       => Q45B         Refuse       -9       => Q45B	

331:	Q45A1
2013/08/29 15:33 Did this business receive all, some, or none of the funding applied for	
from the commercial bank?	
All	
None	
Refuse9	
332:	Q45B
2013/10/24 14:59 The next one is Did this business try to borrow money for any purpose in the past 3 years from a savings and loan or credit union?	
Yes	
Don't know	
333:	Q45B1
2013/11/15 13:15         Did this business receive all, some, or none of the funding applied for from the savings and loan or credit union?         All	
334:	Q45C
2013/10/24 15:00         (Did this business try to borrow money from this source for any purpose in the past 3 years?) (The next one is) Finance or leasing company? Yes	
335:	Q45C1
2013/08/29 15:33 Did this business receive all, some, or none of the funding applied for	

336:	Q45D
2013/10/24 15:00 (Did this business try to borrow money from this source for any purpose in the past 3 years?) (The next one is) Insurance or mortgage company?	
Yes	
337:	Q45D1
2013/08/29 15:33  Did this business receive all, some, or none of the funding applied for from the insurance or mortgage company?  All	
	Q45E
2013/10/24 15:01         (Did this business try to borrow money from this source for any purpose in the past 3 years?) (The next one is) Family or friends?         Yes	
339:	Q45E1
2013/08/29 15:33         Did this business receive all, some, or none of the funding applied for from family or friends?         All	
340:	Q45F
2013/10/24 15:01         (Did this business try to borrow money from this source for any purpose in the past 3 years?) (The next one is) Federal, state, or local government?         Yes	

All	341:	Q45F1
Refuse		
None	from a federal, state, or local government?	
Don't know		
342:  2013/10/24 15:01 (Did this business try to borrow money from this source for any purpose in the past 3 years?) (The next one is)  Credit or advance from a customer? Yes	Don't know7	
2013/10/24 15:01 (Did this business try to borrow money from this source for any purpose in the past 3 years?) (The next one is) Credit or advance from a customer? Yes		
(Did this business try to borrow money from this source for any purpose in the past 3 years?) (The next one is) Credit or advance from a customer? Yes		Q45G
No	(Did this business try to borrow money from this source for any purpose in the past 3 years?) (The next one is) Credit or advance from a customer?	
2013/08/29 15:33 Did this business receive all, some, or none of the funding applied for from a credit or advance from a customer? All	No	
Did this business receive all, some, or none of the funding applied for from a credit or advance from a customer?  All	343:	Q45G1
Don't know	Did this business receive all, some, or none of the funding applied for from a credit or advance from a customer?  All	
2013/10/24 15:02 (Did this business try to borrow money from this source for any purpose in the past 3 years?) (The next one is) Angel capital funding? Yes	Don't know7	
(Did this business try to borrow money from this source for any purpose in the past 3 years?) (The next one is) Angel capital funding? Yes	344:	Q45H
No	(Did this business try to borrow money from this source for any purpose in the past 3 years?) (The next one is) Angel capital funding?	
Refuse	No	
2013/08/29 15:33  Did this business receive all, some, or none of the funding applied for from angel capital funding?  All		
Did this business receive all, some, or none of the funding applied for from angel capital funding?  All	345:	Q45H1
Neluse	Did this business receive all, some, or none of the funding applied for from angel capital funding?  All	

346:	Q451
2013/10/24 15:02 (Did this business try to borrow money from this source for any purpose in the past 3 years?) (The next one is) Venture capital funding? Yes01	
No	
347:	Q45I1
2013/08/29 15:33  Did this business receive all, some, or none of the funding applied for from venture capital funding?  All	
Some	
348:	Q45J
2013/10/24 15:03         (Did this business try to borrow money from this source for any purpose in the past 3 years?) (The next one is) Personal sources of funds, other than personal credit cards?         Yes	
349:	Q45J1
2013/08/29 15:33  Did this business receive all, some, or none of the funding applied for from personal sources of funds, other than personal credit cards?  All	
350:	Q45K
2013/10/24 15:03 (Did this business try to borrow money from this source for any purpose in the past 3 years?) (The next one is) Personal home equity loan? Yes01	
No	

356:	Q46B
2013/10/24 15:06  How were the funds that this business borrowed or wanted to borrow to be used? The first one is Were they for cash flow or operating costs? Yes	
355:	Q46A
354:  2013/10/24 15:04 (Did this business try to borrow money from this source for any purpose in the past 3 years?) The last one is Personal credit card? Yes	Q45M
353:  2013/08/29 15:33  Did this business receive all, some, or none of the funding applied for from some other personal loan?  All	Q45L1
2013/10/24 15:04 (Did this business try to borrow money from this source for any purpose in the past 3 years?) (The next one is) Other personal loan? Yes	•
352:	Q45L
2013/08/29 15:33         Did this business receive all, some, or none of the funding applied for from a personal home equity loan?         All	
<b>351:</b>	Q45K1

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361:	Q46G
360:  2013/10/24 15:07 (How were the funds this business borrowed or attempted to borrow to be used?) (The next one is) Were they for a reserve or cushion? Yes	Q46F
359: 2013/10/24 15:07 (How were the funds this business borrowed or attempted to borrow to be used?) (The next one is) Were they for repayment of debt? Yes	Q46E
358:  2013/10/24 15:07 (How were the funds this business borrowed or attempted to borrow to be used?) (The next one is) Were they for investment in additional plant, equipment, or vehicles? Yes	Q46D
357: 2013/10/24 15:07 (How were the funds this business borrowed or attempted to borrow to be used?) (The next one is) Were they for replacement of old industrial plant location, equipment, or vehicles? Yes	Q46C
(How were the funds this business borrowed or attempted to borrow to be used?) The next one is Were they for real estate or structures? Yes	

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366:	Q48	
Compared with borrowed funds, how important were business profits for funding investment? Would you say more important, less important or equally important?  More important		
<b>365:</b> 2013/08/29 15:33	Q47A	
364: 2013/10/03 16:30 In the past 3 years, were business profits (retained earnings) used to finance this business? Yes	Q47	
363:  2013/10/24 17:05 (How were the funds this business borrowed or attempted to borrow to be used?) The last one is Were they for investment in intangible assets such, as branding, training, or design?  Yes	Q46I	
362: 2013/10/24 17:05 (How were the funds this business borrowed or attempted to borrow to be used?) (The next one is) Were they for funding innovation projects? Yes	Q46H	
	04611	
No		
be used?) (The next one is) Were they for inventory? Yes01		

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Which of the following best describes your current position? Mid level manager, senior manager, executive or owner, or other?  Mid level manager	
367:	Q49
2013/08/29 15:33  Which best describes your familiarity with how innovation is carried out in this business? Would you say you are not familiar, slightly familiar, moderately familiar, strongly familiar, or completely familiar?  Not familiar	·
368:	Q50
2013/10/07 15:55 (What is your gender?) font color="#0000FF" (IWR: Only ask if necessary.)/font Male	
369:	Q51
2013/10/07 20:12  How many years have you worked at this business? \$R.1 0.0 99.9  Don't know7  Refuse9	
370:	THX
2013/10/07 14:51  That is my last question. Thank you so much for taking the time to talk with me today. If you have any additional comments about this survey or innovation in general I can note them now.  Yes, comments	