

Q1. Do you currently work? If so, what type of job do you do? In case you don't work, please pick "I don't work." (Check only one option)

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| 1. Full-time employee (Private sector) | 7. House wife/husband |
| 2. (term) Contract employee | 8. Part-time worker (student) |
| 3. Public Officials (Full-time) | 9. Part-time worker (non-student) |
| 4. Specialist(MD/Lawyer/Account etc) | 10. Others (specify :) |
| 5. Self-employed | 11. I don't work |
| 6. Freelance worker | 12. I don't want to answer |

Q2. Please answer about your marital status. (Choose only one option) Please count your partner of common-law (de facto) marriage as a spouse.

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| 1. I have a spouse (husband or wife, including common-law marriage) |
| 2. I am not currently married, having divorced or separated |
| 3. I am an unattached widow or widower |
| 4. I have never married |

Q3. Which of the following best describes your current household? (Choose all that apply)

*Household members indicated here are those who share the household income with. Those who live separately but share the household income with are thus included.

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| 1. Spouse | 5. Child's spouse. | 9. Other relatives |
| 2. Parent(s) | 6. Grandchild/ren | 10. Someone outside of my |
| 3. Spouse's parent(s) | 7. Sibling(s) | family (ex. Your friends) |
| 4. Child/ren | 8. Spouse's siblings(s) | 11. Single |

Q3=1-10 only

Q4. How many people are currently living in your household including yourself? (Check only one option)

*Household members indicated here are those who share the household income with. Those who live separately but share the household income with are thus included.

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| 1. 2 people | 5. 6 people |
| 2. 3 people | 6. 7 people |
| 3. 4 people | 7. 8 people |
| 4. 5 people | 8. 9 people |
| | 9. 10 people or more |

Q.5 Approximately how much was the annual income earned before taxes and with bonuses included of your entire household for 2020? Annual income earned includes pension, insurance money, and allowance from relatives. (Check only one option)

*Household members indicated here are those who share the household income with. Those who live separately but share the household income with are thus included.

(unit: 1,000 yen)

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| 1. Less than ¥1,000 | 8. ¥12,000 to less than ¥14,000 |
| 2. ¥1,000 to less than ¥2,000 | 9. ¥14,000 to less than ¥16,000 |
| 3. ¥2,000 to less than ¥4,000 | 10. ¥16,000 to less than ¥18,000 |
| 4. ¥4,000 to less than ¥6,000 | 11. ¥18,000 to less than ¥20,000 |
| 5. ¥6,000 to less than ¥8,000 | 12. More than ¥20,000 |
| 6. ¥8,000 to less than ¥10,000 | 13. I don't want to answer |
| 7. ¥10,000 to less than ¥12,000 | |

Q.6 Approximately how much is the balance of financial assets (savings, stocks, bonds, insurance, etc.) of your entire household? (Check only one option)

*Household members indicated here are those who share the household income with. Those who live separately but share the household income with are thus included.

(unit: 1,000 yen)

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| 1. Less than ¥2,500 | 7. ¥20,000 to less than ¥30,000 |
| 2. ¥2,500 to less than ¥5,000 | 8. ¥30,000 to less than ¥50,000 |
| 3. ¥5,000 to less than ¥7,500 | 9. ¥50,000 to less than ¥100,000 |
| 4. ¥7,500 to less than ¥10,000 | 10. ¥100,000 or more |
| 5. ¥10,000 to less than ¥15,000 | 11. Do not know |
| 6. ¥15,000 to less than ¥20,000 | 12. I don't want to answer |

Q7. Do the following statements hold true for you? (Chose ONE for EACH).

| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
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| | It Doesn't hold True at all for you | It is not so true for you | Neither | It is rather true for you | It is Particularly True for you |
| 1. I carefully think before buying something. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 2. I never fall behind in my payment. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 3. I prefer spending now to saving for latter life. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 4. I have anxieties about my 'life after I am 65 years old'*(For those who are already aged 65 or above, 'life in future') | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 5. I often feel depressed or felt depressed in last 1 year | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 6. I am now healthy and was generally health in last 1 year | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 7. The special cash payments of 100,000 yen by Government of Japan last year was sufficient to cope with my anxiety of household finance. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 8. The government economic measures (including the special cash payment) to fight against the economic loss caused by the Covid-19 pandemic was sufficient to come with my anxiety of household finance | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 9. Once the Covid-19 vaccination becomes available with free of charge, I will take it soon. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |

Q8. Do you think how long it would take for the Japanese economy to recover from the economic loss of the Covid-19 pandemic to its pre-covid level? (Choose ONE)

1. Soon (within this year)
2. Less than 2-3 years
3. Less than 3-5 years
4. More than 5 years
5. Never return to the pre-covid level

Q9. Do you feel the followings? (Choose ONE for EACH)

| | 1 | 2 | 3 |
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| | Hardly ever or never | Some of the time | Often |
| 1. How often do you feel that you lack companionship? | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 2. How often do you feel left out? | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 3. How often do you feel isolated from others? | 1 | 2 | 3 |

Q10. How often do you feel lonely ? (Choose ONE FOR EACH)

6. Often or always
7. Some of the time
8. Occasionally
9. Hardly ever
10. Never

Q11. How high does the chance of rain have to be before you will bring an umbrella with you when you go out? (%)

Q12. To what extent do you agree with each of the following statements? Answer on a scale from 1 to 5, where "1" means you disagree completely and "5" means you agree completely. Of course, you may choose any number in between. (Chose ONE for EACH)

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| | Comp letely | | | | Comp letely |
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| | disagree | | | | Agree |
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| 1. Since the future is uncertain, it is a waste to think about it | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 2. In general, most people are trustworthy | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 3. The most important factor for success in life is hard work rather than luck and personal connections | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 4. I am happy with my financial status | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 5. To endure a secure supply of energy and achieve the low carbon society, we should restart nuclear reactors. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |

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Q13-19 are about the suffer damage of "bank transfer swindle (special fraud)." The data we obtained is solely research purpose. Please do not worry. If you don't want to answer, skip the question by choosing "I don't want to answer."

Q13. Have you suffered damage from "bank transfer swindle" over the last 1 year? (Choose ONE)

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| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | I have almost suffered damage |
| 3 | No |
| 4 | I don't want to answer |

Q13=1,2 only

Q. 14 Which type of bank transfer swindle you experienced? (Choose the all ones that apply)

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| 1. | It's me swindle |
| 2. | Fictitious billing fraud |
| 3. | Loan guarantee fraud |
| 4. | Refund fraud |
| 5. | I don't know or I don't want to answer |

Q39=1-4 only

Q15. How did you deal with it? (Choose the all ones that apply)

| | Consulted/ reported to public authorities (police, Consumer Center) | Consulted/ reported to private organizations (NPO, law firms) | Consulted with family member(s) | Consulted to my friend(s) | I didn't do anything | I don't want to answer |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|
| 1. It's me swindle | | | | | | |
| 2. Fictitious billing fraud | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| 3. Loan guarantee fraud | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| 4. Refund fraud | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |

Q16. Have you contacted/ received any fraud call/ letter over the last 1 year? (Choose the all ones that apply)

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| 1 | Phone call from someone who pretends to be your son or grand son saying "I changed my phone number and/or bag." |
| 2 | Phone call from someone who pretends to be a public official saying "You have a taxreturn." |
| 3 | Phone call from a stranger claiming your account payable |
| 4 | Letter from a stranger claiming your account payable |
| 5 | I haven't received such phone calls nor letters |
| 6 | I don't want to answer |

Q16= 1-4 only

Q17. How did you deal with these phone calls? (Choose ONE)

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| 1 | I noticed that that was fraud while talking on the phone |
| 2 | I didn't notice that that was fraud while talking on the phone but I didn't pay |
| 3 | I didn't notice that that was fraud while talking on the phone and I paid |
| 4 | I don't want to answer |

Q17=1-3 only

Q18.How did you know that that was fraud? (Chose the all ones that apply)

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| 1 By myself | 5 Bank warned me so |
| 2 My family told me so | 6 Police warned me so |
| 3 My neighbor(s) told me so | 7 I don't want to answer |
| 4 My friend(s) told me so | |

Q17=1-3only

Q19.Did you talk to anyone after you realized that that was fraud? (Chose the all ones that apply)

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| 1 I talked to my family | 4 I reported to my police |
| 2 I talked to my neighbor(s) | 5 I didn't talk to anyone |
| 3 I talked to my friend(s) | 6 I don't want to answer |

That is all. Thank you for your corporation.