

# SARB Codebook, Round 5, April 2005

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Table 1: codebook

Variable	Obs	Unique	Missing	Mean	Min	Max	Label
id	3490	3490	0 (0 %)	5001745.55000001	0.05003490	0	Respondent unique identifier
round	3490	1	0 (0 %)	5.0	5.0	5.0	SARB Round
weight	3490	234	0 (0 %)	7.8	0.5	52.0	Weighting factor
gender	3490	2	0 (0 %)	1.5	1.0	2.0	Gender
race	3490	4	0 (0 %)	1.6	1.0	4.0	Population group (race)
age	3490	76	0 (0 %)	38.8	-9.0	92.0	Age (in years)
agegroup	3490	12	0 (0 %)	6.3	1.0	12.0	Age group
prov	3490	9	0 (0 %)	5.5	1.0	9.0	Province
metarea	3490	12	1490 (43 %)	5.3	1.0	11.0	Metropolitan area
csize	3490	6	0 (0 %)	2.8	1.0	6.0	Community size
educ	3490	12	0 (0 %)	4.1	1.0	12.0	Highest level of education attained
wstatus	3490	7	0 (0 %)	3.6	1.0	7.0	Working status
occup	3490	9	2087 (60 %)	4.5	1.0	8.0	Occupation
marstat	3490	6	0 (0 %)	1.9	1.0	6.0	Marital status
dwell	3490	18	0 (0 %)	6.6	1.0	18.0	Type of dwelling

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earn	3490	11	0 (0 %)	1.5	0.0	99.0	Number of people in household earning money
hhinc	3490	21	0 (0 %)	4.0	-9.0	19.0	Monthly household income
lsm	3490	10	0 (0 %)	5.0	1.0	10.0	Living Standards Measure
religion	3490	10	0 (0 %)	5.0	-5.0	9.0	Religious denomination or group
hlang	3490	12	0 (0 %)	4.0	1.0	12.0	Home language
ulang_af	3490	2	0 (0 %)	0.5	0.0	1.0	Understands: Afrikaans
ulang_en	3490	2	0 (0 %)	0.8	0.0	1.0	Understands: English
ulang_nd	3490	2	0 (0 %)	0.0	0.0	1.0	Understands: isiNdebele
ulang_nso	3490	2	0 (0 %)	0.2	0.0	1.0	Understands: Sepedi/Northern Sotho
ulang_sso	3490	2	0 (0 %)	0.3	0.0	1.0	Understands: Sesotho/Southern Sotho
ulang_sw	3490	2	0 (0 %)	0.1	0.0	1.0	Understands: siSwati/Swazi
ulang_ts	3490	2	0 (0 %)	0.1	0.0	1.0	Understands: Xitsonga
ulang_tn	3490	2	0 (0 %)	0.2	0.0	1.0	Understands: Setswana
ulang_ve	3490	2	0 (0 %)	0.0	0.0	1.0	Understands: Tshivenda

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ulang_xh	3490	2	0 (0 %)	0.3	0.0	1.0	Understands: isiXhosa
ulang_zu	3490	2	0 (0 %)	0.4	0.0	1.0	Understands: isiZulu
ulang_other	3490	2	0 (0 %)	0.0	0.0	1.0	Understands: Other
rlang_af	3490	2	0 (0 %)	0.4	0.0	1.0	Reads: Afrikaans
rlang_en	3490	2	0 (0 %)	0.8	0.0	1.0	Reads: English
rlang_nd	3490	2	0 (0 %)	0.0	0.0	1.0	Reads: isiNdebele
rlang_nso	3490	2	0 (0 %)	0.1	0.0	1.0	Reads: Sepedi/Northern Sotho
rlang_sso	3490	2	0 (0 %)	0.1	0.0	1.0	Reads: Sesotho/Southern Sotho
rlang_sw	3490	2	0 (0 %)	0.0	0.0	1.0	Reads: siSwati/Swazi
rlang_ts	3490	2	0 (0 %)	0.0	0.0	1.0	Reads: Xitsonga
rlang_tn	3490	2	0 (0 %)	0.1	0.0	1.0	Reads: Setswana
rlang_ve	3490	2	0 (0 %)	0.0	0.0	1.0	Reads: Thsivenda
rlang_xh	3490	2	0 (0 %)	0.2	0.0	1.0	Reads: isiXhosa
rlang_zu	3490	2	0 (0 %)	0.3	0.0	1.0	Reads: isiZulu
rlang_other	3490	2	0 (0 %)	0.0	0.0	1.0	Reads: Other
rlang_none	3490	2	0 (0 %)	0.0	0.0	1.0	Reads: None

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r05_e01	3490	6	0 (0 %)	3.0	-9.0	5.0	QE1. The people who run the country are not really concerned with what happens t
r05_e02	3490	6	0 (0 %)	3.3	-9.0	5.0	QE2. Most of the time I can trust the country's national leaders to do what is r
r05_e03	3490	6	0 (0 %)	2.9	-9.0	5.0	QE3. It is alright to get around the law as long as you don't actually break it.
r05_e04	3490	6	0 (0 %)	3.8	-9.0	5.0	QE4. It is desirable to create one united South African nation out of all the di
r05_e05	3490	6	0 (0 %)	2.9	-9.0	5.0	QE5. If public officials are not interested in hearing what people like me think
r05_e06	3490	6	0 (0 %)	2.8	-9.0	5.0	QE6. The South African Parliament treats all people who come before it - black,
r05_e07	3490	6	0 (0 %)	3.9	-9.0	5.0	QE7. The government should require radio
TV stations to have more shows where S.							

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r05_e08	3490	6	0 (0 %)	3.6	-9.0	5.0	QE8. The South African Parliament can usually be trusted to make decisions that
r05_e09	3490	6	0 (0 %)	3.5	-9.0	5.0	QE9. Different churches or religious organisations should start holding some ser
r05_e10	3490	6	0 (0 %)	2.4	-9.0	5.0	QE10. If the SA Parliament started making a lot of decisions that most people di
r05_e11	3490	6	0 (0 %)	2.6	-9.0	5.0	QE11. The rulings of SA courts should be in accordance with the SA Constitution,
r05_e12	3490	6	0 (0 %)	3.2	-9.0	5.0	QE12. South Africans courts can generally be trusted to make judgements that are
r05_e13	3490	6	0 (0 %)	2.9	-9.0	5.0	QE13. My local government can be trusted to deliver the services that one expect
r05_e14	3490	6	0 (0 %)	2.5	-9.0	5.0	QE14. How do you think the economic situation in South Africa will change in the

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Variable	Obs	Unique	Missing	mean	Min	Max	Label
r05_e15	3490	6	0 (0 %)	2.5	-9.0	5.0	QE15. How do you think the economic situation of people like you will change dur
r05_e16	3490	6	0 (0 %)	2.5	-9.0	5.0	QE16. How do you think the general level of safety of South Africans will change
r05_e17	3490	6	0 (0 %)	2.6	-9.0	5.0	QE17. How do you think the personal safety of people like you will change during
r05_e18	3490	7	0 (0 %)	2.2	-9.0	7.0	QE18. In the next year do you think government support for these groups to pract
r05_e19	3490	6	0 (0 %)	2.2	-9.0	5.0	QE19. In the next year, do you think the situation of these groups being able to
r05_e20	3490	6	0 (0 %)	2.3	-9.0	5.0	QE20. Over the next two years do you think other people's respect for your relig
r05_e21	3490	7	0 (0 %)	3.0	-9.0	5.0	QE21. How does your financial situation compare to that of your parents? Is it .
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Variable	Obs	Unique	Missing	mean	Min	Max	Label
r05_e22	3490	7	0 (0 %)	3.3	-9.0	5.0	QE22. How do your living conditions compare to those of your parents? Are they .
r05_e23	3490	7	0 (0 %)	2.9	-9.0	5.0	QE23. How does your financial situation compare to what it was like 12 months ago
r05_e24	3490	6	0 (0 %)	3.1	-9.0	5.0	QE24. How do your living conditions compare to what they were like 12 months ago
r05_e25	3490	7	0 (0 %)	1.4	-9.0	5.0	QE25. How do the chances of you finding a job compare to what they were like 12
r05_e26	3490	7	0 (0 %)	1.0	-9.0	5.0	QE26. How likely is it that your house, property or land rights will be taken aw
r05_e27	3490	7	0 (0 %)	0.9	-9.0	5.0	QE27. How likely is it that the houses, properties or land rights of people like
r05_e28	3490	5	0 (0 %)	2.9	-9.0	4.0	QE28. Apartheid was a crime against humanity.
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r05_e29	3490	5	0 (0 %)	2.8	-9.0	4.0	QE29. South Africa has great income differences today because in the past blacks
r05_e30	3490	5	0 (0 %)	2.2	-9.0	4.0	QE30. In the past the state committed horrific atrocities against those struggli
r05_e31	3490	6	0 (0 %)	2.8	-9.0	5.0	QE31. TOOK PART IN DEMONSTRATIONS: I would like you to tell me if it would be ju
r05_e32	3490	6	0 (0 %)	2.7	-9.0	5.0	QE32. JOINED STRIKES: I would like you to tell me if it would be justified if so
r05_e33	3490	6	0 (0 %)	1.6	-9.0	5.0	QE33. USED FORCE OR VIOLENT METHODS, SUCH AS DAMAGING PUBLIC PROPERTY OR TAKING
r05_e34	3490	6	0 (0 %)	2.5	-9.0	5.0	QE34. I think it is fair that the people who discriminated against others during

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Variable	Obs	Unique	Missing	mean	Min	Max	Label
r05_e35	3490	6	0 (0 %)	2.5	-9.0	5.0	QE35. Sometimes it might be better to ignore the law and solve problems immediat
r05_e36	3490	6	0 (0 %)	2.4	-9.0	5.0	QE36. People who suffered during apartheid have no right to make public the name
r05_e37	3490	6	0 (0 %)	2.4	-9.0	5.0	QE37. People who abused others during apartheid must be punished, even if it mea
r05_e38	3490	6	0 (0 %)	2.1	-9.0	5.0	QE38. It is not necessary to obey the laws of a government that I did not vote f
r05_e39	3490	6	0 (0 %)	2.3	-9.0	5.0	QE39. The use of racial categories must be retained to measure the impact of gov
r05_e40	3490	7	0 (0 %)	1.3	-9.0	5.0	QE40. It is highly likely that I will be unemployed at some stage during the nex
r05_e41	3490	7	0 (0 %)	3.2	-9.0	5.0	QE41. It is better to have a low-paying full time job than it is to have to make
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Variable	Obs	Unique	Missing	mean	Min	Max	Label
r05_e42	3490	7	0 (0 %)	1.8	-9.0	5.0	QE42. The government's policies over the last 12 months have strongly improved t
r05_e43	3490	7	0 (0 %)	1.9	-9.0	5.0	QE43. The government's policies over the last 12 months have worsened the qualit
r05_e44	3490	7	0 (0 %)	3.0	-9.0	5.0	QE44. The quality of education your children or the children of friends receive
r05_e45	3490	7	0 (0 %)	2.9	-9.0	5.0	QE45. The education system prepares your children or the children of friends to
r05_e46_b	3490	7	0 (0 %)	1.3	-9.0	5.0	QE46. On a typical day during the week, whether at work or otherwise, how often
r05_e46_c	3490	7	0 (0 %)	-0.5	-9.0	5.0	QE46. On a typical day during the week, whether at work or otherwise, how often

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Variable	Obs	Unique	Missing	mean	Min	Max	Label
r05_e46_i	3490	6	0 (0 %)	-0.8	-1.0	5.0	QE46. On a typical day during the week, whether at work or otherwise, how often
r05_e46_t	3490	6	0 (0 %)	2.7	-9.0	5.0	QE46. On a typical day during the week, whether at work or otherwise, how often
r05_e46_w	3490	7	0 (0 %)	-0.3	-9.0	5.0	QE46. On a typical day during the week, whether at work or otherwise, how often
r05_e47_b	3490	7	0 (0 %)	0.9	-9.0	5.0	QE47. When socialising in your own home or the homes of friends, how often do yo
r05_e47_c	3490	7	0 (0 %)	-0.6	-9.0	5.0	QE47. When socialising in your own home or the homes of friends, how often do yo
r05_e47_i	3490	6	0 (0 %)	-0.9	-1.0	5.0	QE47. When socialising in your own home or the homes of friends, how often do yo
r05_e47_t	3490	6	0 (0 %)	1.9	-9.0	5.0	QE47. When socialising in your own home or the homes of friends, how often do yo

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Variable	Obs	Unique	Missing	mean	Min	Max	Label
r05_e47_w	3490	7	0 (0 %)	-0.5	-9.0	5.0	QE47. When socialising in your own home or the homes of friends, how often do yo
r05_e48_b	3490	6	0 (0 %)	1.1	-9.0	4.0	QE48. If you had a choice, would you want to talk to white, indian or coloured p
r05_e48_c	3490	6	0 (0 %)	-0.5	-9.0	4.0	QE48. If you had a choice, would you want to talk to white, black or indian peop
r05_e48_i	3490	5	0 (0 %)	-0.9	-9.0	4.0	QE48. If you had a choice, would you want to talk to white, black or coloured pe
r05_e48_t	3490	5	0 (0 %)	2.2	-9.0	4.0	QE48. If you had a choice, would you want to talk to [GROUP] people ...?
r05_e48_w	3490	6	0 (0 %)	-0.5	-9.0	4.0	QE48. If you had a choice, would you want to talk to black, coloured or indian p
r05_e49	3490	7	0 (0 %)	3.3	-9.0	5.0	QE49. I want to forget about the past and just get on with my life.
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Variable	Obs	Unique	Missing	mean	Min	Max	Label
r05_e50	3490	7	0 (0 %)	2.2	-9.0	5.0	QE50. I am trying to forgive those who hurt me during apartheid.
r05_e51_b	3490	7	0 (0 %)	2.0	-9.0	5.0	QE51. I find it difficult to understand the customs and ways of white, indian or
r05_e51_c	3490	7	0 (0 %)	-0.5	-9.0	5.0	QE51. I find it difficult to understand the customs and ways of white, black or
r05_e51_i	3490	6	0 (0 %)	-0.9	-1.0	5.0	QE51. I find it difficult to understand the customs and ways of white, black or
r05_e51_t	3490	6	0 (0 %)	3.2	-9.0	5.0	QE51. I find it difficult to understand the customs and ways of [GROUP] people.
r05_e51_w	3490	7	0 (0 %)	-0.4	-9.0	5.0	QE51. I find it difficult to understand the customs and ways of black, coloured
r05_e52_b	3490	7	0 (0 %)	1.5	-9.0	5.0	QE52. White, indian or coloured people are untrustworthy.

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r05_e52_c	3490	7	0 (0 %)	-0.6	-9.0	5.0	QE52. White, black or indian are untrustworthy.
r05_e52_i	3490	5	0 (0 %)	-0.9	-1.0	4.0	QE52. White, black or coloured are untrustworthy.
r05_e52_t	3490	6	0 (0 %)	2.5	-9.0	5.0	QE52. [GROUP] people are untrustworthy.
r05_e52_w	3490	7	0 (0 %)	-0.5	-9.0	5.0	QE52. Black, coloured or indian people are untrustworthy.
r05_e53_b	3490	7	0 (0 %)	1.6	-9.0	5.0	QE53. I could never imagine being part of a political party made up mainly of wh
r05_e53_c	3490	7	0 (0 %)	-0.6	-9.0	5.0	QE53. I could never imagine being part of a political party made up mainly of wh
r05_e53_i	3490	7	0 (0 %)	-0.9	-9.0	5.0	QE53. I could never imagine being part of a political party made up mainly of wh
r05_e53_t	3490	6	0 (0 %)	2.6	-9.0	5.0	QE53. I could never imagine being part of a political party made up mainly of [G

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r05_e53_w	3490	7	0 (0 %)	-0.5	-9.0	5.0	QE53. I could never imagine being part of a political party made up mainly of bl
r05_e54_b	3490	7	0 (0 %)	2.0	-9.0	5.0	QE54. Living in a neighbourhood where half my neighbours are white, indian or co
r05_e54_c	3490	7	0 (0 %)	-0.5	-9.0	5.0	QE54. Living in a neighbourhood where half my neighbours are white, black or ind
r05_e54_i	3490	6	0 (0 %)	-0.8	-1.0	5.0	QE54. Living in a neighbourhood where half my neighbours are white, black or col
r05_e54_t	3490	6	0 (0 %)	3.4	-9.0	5.0	QE54. Living in a neighbourhood where half my neighbours are [GROUP] people.
r05_e54_w	3490	7	0 (0 %)	-0.3	-9.0	5.0	QE54. Living in a neighbourhood where half my neighbours are black, coloured or

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Variable	Obs	Unique	Missing	mean	Min	Max	Label
r05_e55_b	3490	7	0 (0 %)	1.9	-9.0	5.0	QE55. Having a close relative marry a white, indian or coloured person.
r05_e55_c	3490	7	0 (0 %)	-0.5	-9.0	5.0	QE55. Having a close relative marry a white, black or indian person.
r05_e55_i	3490	7	0 (0 %)	-0.9	-9.0	5.0	QE55. Having a close relative marry a white, black or coloured person.
r05_e55_t	3490	6	0 (0 %)	3.1	-9.0	5.0	QE55. Having a close relative marry a [GROUP] person.
r05_e55_w	3490	7	0 (0 %)	-0.5	-9.0	5.0	QE55. Having a close relative marry a black, coloured or indian person.
r05_e56_b	3490	7	0 (0 %)	2.3	-9.0	5.0	QE56. Having a white, indian or coloured person sitting next to my child, or the
r05_e56_c	3490	7	0 (0 %)	-0.4	-9.0	5.0	QE56. Having a white, black or indian person sitting next to my child, or the ch

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r05_e56_i	3490	6	0 (0 %)	-0.8	-1.0	5.0	QE56. Having a white, black or coloured person sitting next to my child, or the
r05_e56_t	3490	6	0 (0 %)	3.7	-9.0	5.0	QE56. Having a [GROUP] person sitting next to my child, or the child of a family
r05_e56_w	3490	7	0 (0 %)	-0.3	-9.0	5.0	QE56. Having a black, coloured or indian person sitting next to my child, or the
r05_e57_1	3490	8	0 (0 %)	2.9	-9.0	7.0	QE57. What, in your experience, is the biggest division in South Africa today?
r05_e57_2	3490	9	0 (0 %)	3.4	-9.0	7.0	QE57. Apart from this one, which would you say is the second biggest division in
r05_e58	3490	6	0 (0 %)	3.0	-9.0	5.0	QE58. It is important that town and city names reflect the culture of the origin

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r05_e59	3490	6	0 (0 %)	3.1	-9.0	5.0	QE59. It is acceptable to name cities and towns after prominent political leader
r05_e60	3490	6	0 (0 %)	2.7	-9.0	5.0	QE60. More national monuments should be erected to commemorate the sacrifices
r05_e61	3490	6	0 (0 %)	2.7	-9.0	5.0	ma QE61. Individual South African population groups should be encouraged to erect m
r05_e62	3490	6	0 (0 %)	3.1	-9.0	5.0	QE62. I celebrate public holidays - at home or at organised events - that commem
r05_e63	3490	6	0 (0 %)	-0.8	-9.0	5.0	QE63. There is a common understanding about the meaning of the BEE concept among
r05_e64	3490	6	0 (0 %)	0.4	-9.0	5.0	QE64 . More state intervention in the economy is necessary to rectify the injust
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Variable	Obs	Unique	Missing	mean	Min	Max	Label
r05_e65	3490	6	0 (0 %)	-0.2	-9.0	5.0	QE65. Private companies are making good progress in addressing the inequalities
r05_e66	3490	6	0 (0 %)	-0.5	-9.0	5.0	QE66. BEE policies have been successful at providing new business opportunities
r05_e67	3490	6	0 (0 %)	-0.4	-9.0	5.0	QE67. It helps to have strong connections to the ruling party when it comes to o
r05_e68	3490	6	0 (0 %)	-1.3	-9.0	5.0	QE68. Broad public debate on BEE neglects the issue of economic redress for blac
income	3490	21	0 (0 %)	15.0	1.0	21.0	MONTHLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME.