

REPUBLIC OF MALAWI

NATIONAL STATISTICAL OFFICE

2008 Population and Housing Census Questionnaire

SECTION L - LOCALIZATION AND IDENTIFICATION OF THE HOUSEHOLD

Region 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

District 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

TA, STA or Town 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Enumeration Area 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Village or Place 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Household Number 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Type of Household
 Regular Other Collective
 Hospital/Hotel/Lodge Homeless

TOTAL PRESENT & VISITORS

	Present Resident										Visitors										Total											
Male	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Male	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Male	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Female	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Female	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Female	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Total	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Total	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Total	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9

SECTION P - QUESTIONS ON POPULATION FOR ALL MEMBERS OF THE HOUSEHOLD

MARK HERE IF MORE THAN ONE QUESTIONNAIRE

Questionnaire: 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 of 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

P1. Number of the person and NAME

P2. What is (NAME'S) relationship with the head of household?
 Head of Household Wife/Husband Son/Daughter Other relative Non relative

P3. Is (NAME) male or female?
 Male Female

P4. In what month and year was (NAME) born?
 EXAMPLE: NAME was born in May 1969
 0 5 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

P5. How old was (NAME) at his/her last birthday?
 Enter age in completed years ("00" for children less than one year)
 EXAMPLE: NAME is 37
 3 7 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

P6. Where was (NAME) born?
 Code region and district OR code the foreign country code

P7. What is (NAME'S) nationality?
 If Malawian mark here Foreigner: Record the country code

P8. What is the situation of residence of (NAME)?
 If visitor (3) go to the next person
 Present Resident Absent Resident Visitor

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1									
2									
3									
4									
5									
6									
7									
8									
9									

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Person Number	ONLY FOR RESIDENTS AGED 3 YEARS OR OLDER				ONLY FOR RESIDENTS AGED 6 YEARS OR OLDER						ONLY FOR RESIDENTS WHO ARE CURRENTLY WORKING OR HAVE EVER WORKED																
	P18. What is the highest level of school (NAME) attended or is attending? And how many years of school did he/she complete at that level?				P19. What is the highest qualification (NAME) attained?				P20. Aside from his/her own household, did (NAME) work during the last 7 days?		P21. Why did (NAME) not work during the last 7 days?				P22. Did (NAME) do one of the following activities during the last 7 days?		P23. Is (NAME) available to work?		P24. Has (NAME) been seeking work during the last 7 days?		P25. What was (NAME'S) main occupation during the last 7 days or the last time he/she worked?				P26. What is (NAME'S) status in the occupation?		
	Preschool Primary Secondary University Other tertiary	None PSLC JCE MSCE/GCE A level Diploma Degree Masters PHD	Yes No	Home-worker Non-worker (Never worked) On leave, but has job Retired Student Other	Farming/Rearing animals/Fishing Production/ Services/Selling Houseworker at someone's house Home-worker at own house None	Yes No	No Yes, 1st job Yes, new job	Write main occupation.				Employer Self-employed Public service Private sector Family farm /business Other															
1	Level: 0 1 2 3 4 No of years: 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	1 2	0 1 2 3 4 5	1 2 3 4 5	1 2	0 1 2					1 2 3 4 5 6															
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4	Level: 0 1 2 3 4 No of years: 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	1 2	0 1 2 3 4 5	1 2 3 4 5	1 2	0 1 2					1 2 3 4 5 6															
5	Level: 0 1 2 3 4 No of years: 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	1 2	0 1 2 3 4 5	1 2 3 4 5	1 2	0 1 2					1 2 3 4 5 6															
6	Level: 0 1 2 3 4 No of years: 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	1 2	0 1 2 3 4 5	1 2 3 4 5	1 2	0 1 2					1 2 3 4 5 6															
7	Level: 0 1 2 3 4 No of years: 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	1 2	0 1 2 3 4 5	1 2 3 4 5	1 2	0 1 2					1 2 3 4 5 6															
8	Level: 0 1 2 3 4 No of years: 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	1 2	0 1 2 3 4 5	1 2 3 4 5	1 2	0 1 2					1 2 3 4 5 6															

Person Number	ONLY FOR RESIDENTS WHO ARE CURRENTLY WORKING OR HAVE EVER WORKED		ONLY FOR RESIDENTS AGED 12 YEARS OR OLDER		ONLY FOR WOMEN AGED 12 YEARS OR OLDER									
	P27. What is the main product, service or activity of (NAME'S) place of work?		P28. What is (NAME'S) marital status?		P29. How old was (NAME) when he/she first got married?		P30. How many children were born alive to (NAME)?		P31. Among those children, how many are still alive?		P32. How many live births during the last 12 months?		P33. Among those children born in the last 12 months, how many are still alive?	
		Never married Married Divorced/ Separated Widowed	Age at first marriage		Male Female		Write number of boys and girls here		Male Female		Male Female		Male Female	
1		1 2 3 4			Male Female				Male Female		Male Female		Male Female	
2		1 2 3 4			Male Female				Male Female		Male Female		Male Female	
3		1 2 3 4			Male Female				Male Female		Male Female		Male Female	
4		1 2 3 4			Male Female				Male Female		Male Female		Male Female	
5		1 2 3 4			Male Female				Male Female		Male Female		Male Female	
6		1 2 3 4			Male Female				Male Female		Male Female		Male Female	
7		1 2 3 4			Male Female				Male Female		Male Female		Male Female	
8		1 2 3 4			Male Female				Male Female		Male Female		Male Female	

ENUMERATOR: GO TO THE NEXT PAGE TO CONTINUE WITH THE LIST OF THE HOUSEHOLD'S MEMBERS. IF THE PERSON IS THE LAST MEMBER OF THE HOUSEHOLD, PROCEED TO SECTION D

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SECTION D: DWELLING UNIT CHARACTERISTICS

D01. TYPE OF DWELLING STRUCTURE	D02. TENURE OF THE DWELLING UNIT	D03. MAIN MATERIAL OF THE ROOF What is the main material used for the roof?
Permanent [1] Semi-permanent [2] Traditional [3]	Owner/Family occupied [1] Rented [2] Other [3]	Grass thatch [1] Iron sheets [2] Iron/Tiles [3] Asbestos [4] Cement [5] Other [6]
D04. MAIN MATERIAL OF THE WALL What is the main material used for the wall?	D05. MAIN MATERIAL OF THE FLOOR What is the main material of the floor?	
Burnt bricks [1] Unburnt bricks [2] Concrete [3] Mud/Wattle/Dung [4] Reeds/Straw [5] Wood/Planks [6] Other [8]	Earth/Sand [1] Dung [2] Wood planks [3] Palm/Bamboo [4] Broken bricks [5] Parquet or polished wood [6] Vinyl or Asphalt strips [7]	Ceramic tiles [1] Cement [2] Bricks [3] Other [4]
D06. NUMBER OF ROOMS. How many rooms do the dwelling units have, excluding bathrooms, toilets, storerooms and garage?	[0] [1] [2] [3] [4] [5] [6] [7] [8] [9]	
D07. NUMBER OF ROOMS FOR SLEEPING How many of these rooms are used for sleeping?	[0] [1] [2] [3] [4] [5] [6] [7] [8] [9]	
D08. NUMBER OF OCCUPANTS. How many persons usually sleep in the dwelling units?	[0] [1] [2] [3] [4] [5] [6] [7] [8] [9]	
D09. MAIN SOURCE OF WATER What is the main source of drinking water for members of the household?	D10. TYPE OF TOILET What kind of toilet facility do the household members use?	
SEASON Dry Wet	Flush toilet [1] Traditional pit toilet [2] Ventilated improved pit (VIP) latrine [3] No facility [4] Other [5]	D11. MAIN SOURCE OF ENERGY FOR LIGHTING What is the source of energy the household mainly use for lighting? Electricity [1] Paraffin [2] Candles [3] Firewood [4] Other [5]
Piped into dwelling [1] Piped into yard/plot [2] Community stand pipe [3] Unprotected well [4] Protected well [5] Borehole [6] Spring [7] River/Stream [8] Pond/Lake [9] Dam [10] Rain water [11] Tanker truck/Bowser [12] Bottled water [13] Other [14]		D12. MAIN SOURCE OF ENERGY FOR COOKING. What is the source of energy the household mainly use for cooking? Electricity [1] Paraffin [2] Gas [3] Charcoal [4] Firewood [5] Straw [6] Other [7]
		D13-D22 ASSETS OF THE HOUSEHOLD IN FUNCTIONING CONDITION Do the household have the following? D13 Radio [1] [2] D14 Television [1] [2] D15 Refrigerator/deep freezer [1] [2] D16 Cooker/hot plate [1] [2] D17 Bicycle [1] [2] D18 Motorcycle [1] [2] D19 Car or truck [1] [2] D20 Telephone [1] [2] D21 Ox-cart [1] [2] D22 ITN [1] [2]

SECTION E - EMIGRATION Collect information on members of the household who have emigrated during the last 10 years.

E1. Did any member of the household leave Malawi during the last 10 years (from 1998 to 2008)? Yes [1] No [2] → Go to SECTION M

E2. If yes, provide the following information

Sex	Age	Destination	Year of Departure	Activity Abroad
Male [1] Female [2]	[0] [1] [2] [3] [4] [5] [6] [7] [8] [9]	[0] [1] [2] [3] [4] [5] [6] [7] [8] [9]	[0] [1] [2] [3] [4] [5] [6] [7] [8] [9]	Mines [1] Official Business [4] Farms [2] Medical [5] Student [3] Other [6]
Male [1] Female [2]	[0] [1] [2] [3] [4] [5] [6] [7] [8] [9]	[0] [1] [2] [3] [4] [5] [6] [7] [8] [9]	[0] [1] [2] [3] [4] [5] [6] [7] [8] [9]	Mines [1] Official Business [4] Farms [2] Medical [5] Student [3] Other [6]
Male [1] Female [2]	[0] [1] [2] [3] [4] [5] [6] [7] [8] [9]	[0] [1] [2] [3] [4] [5] [6] [7] [8] [9]	[0] [1] [2] [3] [4] [5] [6] [7] [8] [9]	Mines [1] Official Business [4] Farms [2] Medical [5] Student [3] Other [6]
Male [1] Female [2]	[0] [1] [2] [3] [4] [5] [6] [7] [8] [9]	[0] [1] [2] [3] [4] [5] [6] [7] [8] [9]	[0] [1] [2] [3] [4] [5] [6] [7] [8] [9]	Mines [1] Official Business [4] Farms [2] Medical [5] Student [3] Other [6]

E3. Did the household receive remittances (cash or goods) during the last 5 years (from 2003 to 2008) from any of the members who have emigrated?
No [1] → Go to SECTION M
Yes, remittances - money [2]
Yes, remittances - goods [3]
Don't know [4] → Go to SECTION M

E4. How regular were these remittances (cash or goods)?
Quite regular [1]
Somewhat regular [2]
From time to time [3]
Rarely [4]

SECTION M: MATERNAL AND GENERAL DEATHS Please record information on the deaths that occurred in the household during the last 12 months. Do not forget the children.

M1. Is there any member of the household who died during the last 12 months? Yes [1] No [2] (If No, go to MM)

M2. Specify the sex and age of the deceased

Death No.	Sex	Age at death Age in completed years. (Record 00 if less than 1 year)	If death of Woman aged 12-49 was the death...			
			due to accident? injury? suicide? violence?	while pregnant?	during childbirth?	during the 6 weeks period following the termination of pregnancy, irrespective of the way the pregnancy was terminated?
[1]	Male [1] Female [2]	[0] [1] [2] [3] [4] [5] [6] [7] [8] [9]	Yes [1] No [2]	Yes [1] No [2]	Yes [1] No [2]	Yes [1] No [2]
[2]	Male [1] Female [2]	[0] [1] [2] [3] [4] [5] [6] [7] [8] [9]	Yes [1] No [2]	Yes [1] No [2]	Yes [1] No [2]	Yes [1] No [2]
[3]	Male [1] Female [2]	[0] [1] [2] [3] [4] [5] [6] [7] [8] [9]	Yes [1] No [2]	Yes [1] No [2]	Yes [1] No [2]	Yes [1] No [2]
[4]	Male [1] Female [2]	[0] [1] [2] [3] [4] [5] [6] [7] [8] [9]	Yes [1] No [2]	Yes [1] No [2]	Yes [1] No [2]	Yes [1] No [2]
[5]	Male [1] Female [2]	[0] [1] [2] [3] [4] [5] [6] [7] [8] [9]	Yes [1] No [2]	Yes [1] No [2]	Yes [1] No [2]	Yes [1] No [2]
[6]	Male [1] Female [2]	[0] [1] [2] [3] [4] [5] [6] [7] [8] [9]	Yes [1] No [2]	Yes [1] No [2]	Yes [1] No [2]	Yes [1] No [2]

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Signature _____ Date _____

FIELD SUPERVISOR

Signature _____ Date _____

CONTROL CENTER SUPERVISOR

Signature _____ Date _____

IF THE HOUSEHOLD CONTINUES ON THE NEXT QUESTIONNAIRE, MARK THIS BOX [1]