

HS160: PROBLEMS WITH THE DWELLING: TOO DARK, NOT ENOUGH LIGHT

Topic and detailed topic: Living conditions, including material deprivation, housing, living environment, access to services / Housing conditions details, including deprivation and imputed rent

Variable type: Every 3 years

Unit: Household

Reference period: Current

Mode of collection: Household respondent

In use (period): Yes, nucleus until 2020, 2023

Series' differences: No changes

VALUES AND FORMAT

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

FLAGS

- 1 Filled
- 1 Missing
- 7 Not applicable (not collected according to the implementation of the “multiannual rolling planning” and year > 2020)

DESCRIPTION

The objective is to assess whether the respondent feels that ‘the dwelling is too dark, without enough daylight’ is a problem for the household. No common objective standards as to what a ‘problem’ means are implied. The question asks whether the household feels that there is a problem with most of the rooms being too dark (not necessarily all of the rooms).

It is recommended to consider whether the dwelling is ‘too dark, without enough daylight’ on a sunny day, which means that artificial lighting should not be taken into account.

Suggested question:

HS160_Q1: Is your dwelling too dark, meaning is there not enough daylight coming through the windows?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No