

Dominican Survey of Family, Labor and Migration

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Date: _____

Community: _____

Municipality: _____

Province: _____

Interviewer: _____

Census No. _____

Draw No. _____

Internal Use Only

Final Identification Information

Community Number: _____

Household Number: _____

Observations: _____

TABLE A

INFORMATION ON MEMBERS OF THE HOUSEHOLD AND OTHER CHILDREN OF THE HOUSEHOLD HEAD NOT LIVING IN THE HOUSEHOLD

(Begin with: household head, spouse, ALL living children from the oldest to the youngest, and finally all other persons living in the household.

Name	Sex	Relationship to household head	Spouse's child?	Household Membership	Year of birth	Place of birth (Municipality and Province)	Marital Status (a)	Years of educ. (b)	Current principal economic activity (Occupation and specification)
1		HEAD		SI	19				
2					19				
3					19				
4					19				
5					19				
6					19				
7					19				
8					19				
9					19				
10					19				
11					19				
12					19				
13					19				
14					19				
15					19				

1. Name of informant(s) :

(a) Current marital status:

1. Single 4. Widow
 2. Married 5. Divorced
 3. Consensual Union 6. Separated D. Unknown

(b) Guide to completed years of schooling

Elementary: 8 years
 High school: 12 years
 D=Unknown

TABLE B HOUSEHOLD HEAD'S UNION HISTORY AND INFORMATION ON CHILDREN OF THE HOUSEHOLD HEAD NOT ALIVE AT THE TIME OF THE SURVEY

Union No.	Year of start	Type of union (1)	Year of ending	Type of ending (2)	Children not alive (include infant mortality)									
					1		2		3		4		5	
					Year		Year		Year		Year		Year	
					Born	Died	Born	Died	Born	Died	Born	Died	Born	Died
1	19		19											
2	19		19											
3	19		19											
4	19		19											

(1) Type of union
 1 = Religious marriage
 2 = Civil marriage
 3 = Consensual Union
 4 = Religious and civil marriage
 D = Unknown

(2) Cause of termination of the union:
 1 = Separation
 2 = Divorce
 3 = Spouse's death
 4 = Got married (to consensual partner)
 D = Unknown

OTHER CHILDREN OF THE SPOUSE

born	currently alive

TABLE C INFORMATION FROM EACH PERSON IN TABLE A **WITH MIGRATION EXPERIENCE WITHIN THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC**

Name	No. in A	Trip	Principal destination (municipality and province)	Year of arrival	Length of stay (years and months)	Principal economic activity (Occupation and specification)	Salary RD\$ by hour (or specify time-frame)	Total number of trips
		1st trip		19				
		Last trip						
		1st trip		19				
		Last trip						
		1st trip		19				
		Last trip						
		1st trip		19				
		Last trip						
		1st trip		19				
		Last trip						
		1st trip		19				
		Last trip						
		1st trip		19				
		Last trip						
		1st trip		19				
		Last trip						

DO NOT FORGET WAGE ON LAST TRIP!!!

TABLE E
HISTORY OF BUSINESSES, COMPANIES AND OTHER INVESTMENT-RELATED ACTIVITIES
BY THE HOUSEHOLD HEAD AND/OR HIS/HER SPOUSE

Number of activity	Description of type of business	Year of formation (or year it began)	Year of sale / termination	Was this business financed with migradollars?	Number of family members that work or worked in business (including owner)	Number of employees aside from family members	Is business located in the U.S.?	How was business started? *
1		19						
2		19						
3		19						
4		19						
5		19						
6								
7								
8								
9		19						
10		19						

* **HOW WAS BUSINESS STARTED?** (write down all applicable codes)

- 1 = Savings
- 2 = Mortgage / Bank loans
- 3 = Family loan

- 4 = Friends loan
- 5 = Inheritance
- 6 = Other (specify): _____

D = Unknown

TABLE G

INFORMATION ON MIGRATORY EXPERIENCE TO THE U.S. OF HOUSEHOLD HEAD'S FAMILY OF ORIGIN

Relationship to household head	Sex	Year of first trip	Does he/she have a green card?	Year of acquisition	Is he/she alive?	Does he she live in the U.S.? (city and state)
Mother						
Father						
Sibling 1						
Sibling 2						
Sibling 3						
Sibling 4						
Sibling 5						
Sibling 6						
Sibling 7						
Sibling 8						
Sibling 9						
Sibling 10						
Sibling 11						
Sibling 12						

D = Unknown

TABLE H**NUMBER OF RELATIVES AND ACQUAINTANCES OF HOUSEHOLD HEAD LIVING
IN THE U.S., OR WITH PRIOR EXPERIENCE TO THE U.S.**

Relationship to household head	How many currently live in the U.S.?	How many other have ever been to the U.S.?
Aunts and Uncles		
Cousins		
Nieces and Nephews		
Siblings-in-law		
Sons/daughters-in-law		
Parents-in-law		
Close friends		

D = Unknown

TABLE I INFORMATION ON CURRENT RESIDENCE AND HISTORY OF PROPERTIES OWNED BY HOUSEHOLD HEAD AND SPOUSE

Type of property (1)	Building materials (first-floor walls) (2)	Type of floor (3)	Number of rooms	Tenancy (4)	Year of acquisition	Year of sale	Financed with migradollars?	Located in the U.S.?	How was it purchased? (5)
Current residence								NO	

(1) TYPE OF PROPERTY

- 1 = Current residence
- 2 = Owned house
- 3 = Lot
- 4 = Commercial space
- 5 = Apartment building

(4) TENANCY

- 1 = Borrowed
- 2 = Rented
- 3 = Owned
- 4 = Other
- 5 = Owned by other relative
- 6 = With no documents
- D = Unknown

(2) BUILDING MATERIALS

- 1 = Adobe and tin (**precarious residence**)
- 2 = Brick (or cement) and tile (or lamina) roof
- 3 = Brick (or cement) and cement roof
- 4 = Wood
- D = Unknown

(5) HOW WAS IT PURCHASED? (include all applicable codes)

- 1 = Savings
- 2 = Mortgage / Bank loan
- 3 = Family loan
- 4 = Friends loan
- 5 = Inheritance
- 6 = Other: _____
- D = Unknown

(3) TYPE OF FLOOR

- 1 = Dirt
- 2 = Cement
- 3 = Finished (tile, mosaic)
- 4 = Wood
- D = Unknown

TABLE J1**HOUSEHOLD
AMENITIES**

	Yes or No
Running water	
Electricity	
Sewage	
Stove	
Refrigerator	
Washing machine	
Sewing machine	
Radio	
Television	
Stereo	
Telephone	

CUADRO J2 (FUNCTIONING) VEHICLES CURRENTLY OWNED

Type of vehicle (1)	Financed with migradollars?	Purchased in the U.S.?	How was it purchased? (2)

(1) TYPE OF VEHICLE

- 1 = Car
- 2 = Small/Pickup truck
- 3 = Large truck
- 4 = Tractor
- 5 = Taxi / "motoconcho"
- 6 = Other _____

(2) HOW WAS IT PURCHASED?

(write down all applicable codes)

- 1 = Savings
- 2 = Mortgage / Bank loan
- 3 = Family loan
- 4 = Friends loan
- 5 = Inheritance
- 6 = Other (specify): _____
- D = Unknown

TABLE J3

Special module: remittances

(Remind the respondent of the confidentiality of the information given by him/her)

Does this household currently receive any money from people in the U.S.?

Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
No	<input type="checkbox"/>
Unknown	<input type="checkbox"/>

If answer is YES:

Compared to the average household income of your household,
Would you say that these remittances constitute a small portion of
your household income, a medium portion, or a substantial percentage?

Small	<input type="checkbox"/>
Medium	<input type="checkbox"/>
Substantial	<input type="checkbox"/>
Unknown	<input type="checkbox"/>

TABLE L INFORMATION ON HOUSEHOLD HEAD'S MOST RECENT TRIP TO THE U.S.

On your more recent trip to the United States....	Answer
Were there other RELATIVES staying in the same place as you? (Do not count spouse and children)	
Were there other COUNTRYMEN staying in the same place as you? (Do not count spouse and children)	
When you needed money, who did you go to? (1)	
Did you ever have a BANK ACCOUNT in the U.S.?	
Did you ever have a CREDIT CARD in the U.S.?	
Did you ever file an INCOME TAX DECLARATION?	
Did you ever belong to any SPORTS/RECREATIONAL ASSOCIATION?	
Did you ever belong to any SOCIAL/RELIGIOUS ASSOCIATION?	
Did you ever receive any services from an agency of the Dominican community in the U.S.?	
What kind of relation did you have with DOMINICAN AMERICANS?(2)	
What kind of relation did you have with AFRICAN AMERICANS (2)	
What kind of relation did you have with ASIANS? (2)	
What kind of relation did you have with GRINGOS/ANGLOS? (2)	
What kind of relation did you have with LATINOS? (2)	
Who provided you with LODGING when you arrived? (1)	
Do you speak and understand ENGLISH? (3)	
How much ENGLISH did you use AT HOME? (4)	
How much ENGLISH did you use AT WORK? (4)	
How much ENGLISH did you use WITH YOUR FRIENDS? (4)	
How much ENGLISH did you use IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD? (shopping, in the street, etc.) (4)	

(1) Who provided you with help

- 0 = Did not need / paid his/her own lodging
- 1 = countryperson
- 2 = friend
- 3 = boss
- 4 = relative
- 5 = bank
- 7 = Other _____
- D = Unknown

(3) speaks/understands ENGLISH

- 0 = Does not speak nor understand
- 1 = Does not speak any, but understands some
- 2 = Does not speak any, but understands well
- 3 = Speaks and understands some
- 4 = Speaks and understands well
- D = Unknown

(2) Types of relations

- 0 = None
- 1 = Only at work
- 2 = Friendship (visit their house or hang out)
- 3 = Both at work and friends outside
- 4 = Other _____
- D = Unknown

(4) ENGLISH usage

- 1 = Nothing
- 2 = Some
- 3 = Often
- 4 = Always
- D = Unknown

TABLE M INFORMATION ON HOUSEHOLD HEAD'S AND SPOUSE'S MOST RECENT JOB IN THE U.S.

On your most recent job in the United States...	Answer	
	Head	Spouse
How did you get your job? (1)		
How much were you paid by the hour?		
How many hours did you work per week?		
How many months did you work during the year?		
Were you paid by check or in cash?		
Were SOCIAL SECURITY TAXES deducted from your pay?		
Were FEDERAL TAXES deducted from your pay?		
What was the ethnic background of the business owner you worked for? (2)		
What was the ethnic background of your supervisor? (2)		
Questions on expenses, savings and remittances		
How much did you spend each month on RENT/LODGING? Dollars		
How much did you spend each month on FOOD? Dollars		
How much did you send each month to your family in the Dominican Republic? Dollars		
What was that money spent on? Description		
On average, how much did you save per month? Dollars		
How much money did you take back to the Dominican Republic when you came back? Dollars		
What was that money spent on? Description		

(1) How did you get the job?

- 1 = Looked for it on your own
- 2 = Recommended by a relative
- 3 = Recommended by a friend
- 4 = Recommended by a countryperson
- 5 = Through a yolero (smuggler) or one of his associates
- 6 = Had a pre-arranged labor contract
- 7 = Had to pay someone (friend or countryperson)
- 8 = Through an employment agency
- D = Unknown

(2) ETHNIC BACKGROUND

- 1 = Gringo/Anglo/European or Company
- 2 = African American
- 3 = Asian
- 4 = Dominican American
- 5 = Puertorrican
- 6 = Other Latino
- 7 = Other _____
- D = Unknown

TABLE N INFORMATION ON THE USE OF PUBLIC SERVICES DURING MOST RECENT TRIP

During your most recent trip to the United States...	Answer	
Did you have any children attending public schools?		
Did you receive UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION?		
Did you receive FOOD STAMPS?		
Did you receive GOVERNMENT WELFARE?		
- What type? a- AFDC	Yes	No
b- WIC	Yes	No
c- SSI	Yes	No
d- General Assistance	Yes	No
Did you or any member of your family visit a DOCTOR'S PRACTICE?		
Did you or any member of your family visit a HOSPITAL?		
If you or any member of your family visit a doctor or hospital, Who paid? (1)		

(1) Who paid for doctor's services/hospital (write down all applicable codes)

- | | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1 = Employer or company insurance | 5 = A friend or relative |
| 2 = Private insurance | 6 = No one paid |
| 3 = Medicaid | 7 = Other _____ |
| 4 = The respondent | D = Unknown |

Type of Government assistance

- a - AFDC = Aid for Families with Dependent Children
- b - WIC = Women Infants Children Program
- c - SSI = Supplemental Security Income Program
- d - General Assistance = assistance program administered by each state, not by the Federal government

TABLE O

HOUSEHOLD HEAD'S CURRENT AND FORMER AGRICULTURAL PROPERTIES

Parcel No.	Extension in hectares	Type of land (1)	Amount of surface in use	Tenancy (2)	Year of acquisition	Year of sale	Financed with migra-dollars?	Located in the U.S.?	How was it purchased? (3)
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CURRENT PARCELS

1									
2									
3									
4									

FORMER PARCELS

1									
2									
3									
4									

(1) TYPE OF LAND

- 0 = Fallow
- 2 = Moist
- 3 = Rainfed
- 4 = Grazing land
- 5 = Orchard
- 7 = Canal irrigation
- 8 = Drip irrigation
- 6 = Other: _____
- D = Unknown

(2) TENANCY

- 2 = Owned
- 4 = Rented
- 5 = Owned by other family member
- 6 = Borrowed
- 7 = Occupied without documents
- 8 = Other: _____
- D = Unknown

(3) HOW WAS IT PURCHASED?

- (write down all applicable codes)
- 1 = Savings
 - 2 = Mortgage/Bank loan
 - 3 = Family loan
 - 4 = Friends loan
 - 5 = Inheritance
 - 6 = Other: _____
 - D = Unknown

TABLE P INFORMATION ON CULTIVATION TASKS IN CURRENT AGRICULTURAL PROPERTIES

INFORMATION ON CULTIVATION TASKS	ANSWER
How many family members, including the household head, work in the parcel?	
How many hired workers help in the parcel?	
Is agricultural machinery used?	
Are fertilizers used?	
Are pesticides used?	
Are migradollars used to subsidize production?	

INFORMATION ON OWNERSHIP OF ANIMALS	Number	Financed using migradollars? (YES/NO)
Cows		
Pigs		
Horses		
Donkeys		
Oxen		
Chickens		
Goats		
Others (specify)		