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E2: Were there any other people immediately present who might be listening during the interview?

	N	(%)
1: No one	309	38.1
2: Spouse/Children	205	25.3
3: Other adult family member	197	24.3
4: Small crowd	96	11.9
9: N.A.	4	.5
Total	811	100.0

E3: While answering the questions on voting preference in the Vidhan Sabha Election, did the respondent use the ballot paper secretly or did she/he answered openly?

	N	(%)
1: Secretly	306	37.7
2: Openly	498	61.4
9: N.A.	7	.9
Total	811	100.0

E4: At some stage did you notice something that made you feel that the respondent was answering under some fear or pressure?

	N	(%)
1: No	678	83.5
2: Yes	71	8.7
3: Not sure	63	7.8
Total	811	100.0

E5: In your opinion did the respondent feel free while marking the ballot for Q3, or do you think that she/he was hesitant while marking the ballot, or you can't say?

	N	(%)
1: Felt free	611	75.4
2: Did not feel free	100	12.4
3: Can't say	100	12.3
Total	811	100.0

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E6: At any stage of conducting the fieldwork for this survey, did you encounter any militant organisations or did you feel threatened by some such elements?

		N	(%)
1: No		782	96.5
2: Yes		29	3.5
Total		811	100.0

Q1: In the next few days assembly elections are to be held in Nagaland. Have you heard about it?

		N	(%)
1: No		23	2.8
2: Yes		788	97.2
Total		811	100.0

Q2: Will you vote in the coming election?

		N	(%)
1: No		16	1.9
2: Yes		734	90.5
8: Can't say		62	7.6
Total		811	100.0

a: (*If yes*) Would you definitely vote in any condition or is also possible that you do not vote for some reason?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	1: Definitely vote	584	72.1	79.7
	2: Might not vote for some reason	69	8.5	9.4
	8: Can't say	80	9.9	11.0
	Total	734	90.5	100.0
Missing	9: N.A.	77	9.5	
Total		811	100.0	

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Q3: If Assembly Elections are held tomorrow which party or candidate will you vote for?

	N	(%)
01: Congress	294	36.3
02: BJP	43	5.3
05: NCP	9	1.1
06: NPF	258	31.8
07: RJD	46	5.6
96: Independents	34	4.1
97: Others	2	.3
98: Don't know	5	.6
99: Blank/Refusal	120	14.8
Total	811	100.0

Q4: How sure are you that on the day of voting you will vote for the same party for which you voted now - have you made up your mind absolutely, would you decide only after the names of candidates are declared, or whom to vote for is something that can be decided only close to the day of voting?

	N	(%)
1: Made up mind absolutely	649	80.0
2: Decide after candidates are declared	24	2.9
3: Decision can be taken only close to polling day	53	6.5
8: Can't say	85	10.5
Total	811	100.0

Q5: Who would you prefer as the next Chief Minister of Nagaland?

	N	(%)
1: K.L. Chisi	101	12.5
2: Neiphiu Rio	327	40.3
3: I Imkong	122	15.1
4: Z.Obed Angami	70	8.6
7: Others	86	10.7
9: Blank/Refused/Don't want to say	105	12.9
Total	811	100.0

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Q6: Whom did you vote for in the 2004 Lok Sabha Election held in 2004?

	N	(%)
01: Congress	283	34.9
02: BJP	20	2.5
03: JD(U)	2	.2
05: NCP	1	.1
06: NPF	334	41.2
07: RJD	1	.1
09: APP	1	.1
96: Independents	10	1.2
97: Others	4	.5
98: Don't know	2	.2
99: Blank/Refusal	154	18.9
Total	811	100.0

Q7: What is your assessment of the work done by the NPF led DAN government in Nagaland during the last five years-would you say that you are satisfied or dissatisfied with it?

	N	(%)
1: Fully satisfied	101	12.4
2: Somewhat satisfied	365	45.0
3: Somewhat dissatisfied	165	20.3
4: Fully dissatisfied	104	12.8
8: Can't say/D.K	77	9.5
Total	811	100.0

Q8: And what is your opinion about the performance of Neiphiu Rio as Chief Minister of Nagaland in the last five years-would you say that you are satisfied or dissatisfied with his performance?

	N	(%)
1: Fully satisfied	102	12.5
2: Somewhat satisfied	377	46.5
3: Somewhat dissatisfied	164	20.2
4: Fully dissatisfied	105	12.9
8: Can't say/D.K	64	7.9
Total	811	100.0

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Q9: Now I will talk about the changes that have taken place in Nagaland during the last five years, after the NPF led NAD came to power. You tell me, in the five years have the conditions regarding these issues improved, deteriorated or remained the same?

a: Development of Nagaland

	N	(%)
1: Improved	433	53.4
2: Remained same	327	40.4
3: Deteriorated	40	4.9
8: D.K	11	1.3
Total	811	100.0

b: Condition of roads

	N	(%)
1: Improved	365	45.0
2: Remained same	324	40.0
3: Deteriorated	114	14.1
8: D.K	8	1.0
Total	811	100.0

c: Security of ordinary people

	N	(%)
1: Improved	160	19.7
2: Remained same	466	57.5
3: Deteriorated	103	12.7
8: D.K	83	10.2
Total	811	100.0

d: Condition of poor

	N	(%)
1: Improved	134	16.6
2: Remained same	476	58.7
3: Deteriorated	111	13.7
8: D.K	89	11.0
Total	811	100.0

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Q10: And also tell me if in the last five years, after the NPF led NAD came to power, these things have increased, decreased or remained the same?

a: Corruptions

	N	(%)
1: Increased	200	24.6
2: Remained same	455	56.1
3: Decreased	108	13.4
8: D.K.	48	5.9
Total	811	100.0

b: Insurgencies

	N	(%)
1: Increased	248	30.5
2: Remained same	403	49.7
3: Decreased	47	5.8
8: D.K.	113	13.9
Total	811	100.0

c: Inflations

	N	(%)
1: Increased	263	32.5
2: Remained same	349	43.1
3: Decreased	79	9.7
8: D.K.	120	14.7
Total	811	100.0

d: Employment opportunities

	N	(%)
1: Increased	227	28.0
2: Remained same	353	43.6
3: Decreased	174	21.4
8: D.K.	57	7.0
Total	811	100.0

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Q11: If we compare S.C. Jamir with Neiphiu Rio, then in your opinion which of the two was a better leader for Nagaland - S.C. Jamir or Neiphiu Rio?

	N	(%)
1: S.C. Jamir	223	27.5
2: Neiphiu Rio	390	48.1
8: No opinion	198	24.4
Total	811	100.0

Q12: Have you hear of the demand of 'Greater Nagaland'?

	N	(%)
1: No	129	16.0
2: Yes	682	84.0
Total	811	100.0

a: (*If yes*) To what extent do you think that the demand of 'Greater Nagaland' is justified-fully justified, somewhat justified, not justified or not at all justified?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	1: Fully justified	115	14.2	16.9
	2: Somewhat justified	254	31.3	37.2
	3: Not justified	93	11.5	13.6
	4: Not at all justified	26	3.2	3.8
	8: No opinion	194	23.9	28.5
	Total	682	84.0	100.0
Missing	9: N.A.	129	16.0	
Total		811	100.0	

Q13: People have different opinions on what should be the solution to the Naga problem. I am going to read out some opinions that we often hear. Please tell me which one of these do you feel close to?

	N	(%)
1: Nagalnd should remain in India the way it is	125	15.4
2: Nagaland should separate from India and become independent country	334	41.2
3: Nagaland should get greater autonomy within India	286	35.2
8: No opinion	67	8.3
Total	811	100.0

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Q14: Now I will ask you to make a comparison between the DAN government and the previous Congress government. Tell me, on these issues which of these two is better?

a: For curbing corruption

	N	(%)
1: Congress	183	22.6
2: DAN	227	28.0
3: No difference	309	38.1
8: No opinion	91	11.3
Total	811	100.0

b: For overall development of Nagaland

	N	(%)
1: Congress	195	24.1
2: DAN	351	43.3
3: No difference	189	23.2
8: No opinion	77	9.4
Total	811	100.0

c: For bringing peace

	N	(%)
1: Congress	292	36.0
2: DAN	205	25.3
3: No difference	234	28.9
8: No opinion	80	9.8
Total	811	100.0

Q15: I am going to name a number of institutions. For each one, please tell me, how much trust do you have in them? I will show you a ladder with 1 to 10 steps (*Show Card*). If you place at step 1 those institutions on which you have a great deal of trust and at step 10 those institutions on which you have no trust then where would you place...

a: Central/National Government

	N	(%)
01: One	86	10.6
02: Two	130	16.0

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	N	(%)
03: Three	114	14.1
04: Four	69	8.5
05: Five	114	14.0
06: Six	47	5.8
07: Seven	41	5.0
08: Eight	29	3.6
09: Nine	18	2.2
10: Ten	20	2.5
97: Not heard	3	.4
98: No opinion	140	17.3
Total	811	100.0

b: State Government

	N	(%)
01: One	219	27.1
02: Two	111	13.7
03: Three	83	10.2
04: Four	69	8.5
05: Five	130	16.1
06: Six	46	5.7
07: Seven	28	3.4
08: Eight	26	3.3
09: Nine	11	1.4
10: Ten	25	3.0
97: Not heard	1	.1
98: No opinion	61	7.5
Total	811	100.0

c: Police

	N	(%)
01: One	24	3.0
02: Two	120	14.8
03: Three	115	14.2
04: Four	64	7.9

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	N	(%)
05: Five	142	17.6
06: Six	65	8.0
07: Seven	35	4.3
08: Eight	41	5.0
09: Nine	35	4.3
10: Ten	20	2.5
97: Not heard	4	.5
98: No opinion	146	18.0
Total	811	100.0

d: Army

	N	(%)
01: One	25	3.1
02: Two	27	3.3
03: Three	49	6.0
04: Four	56	7.0
05: Five	176	21.7
06: Six	52	6.4
07: Seven	43	5.3
08: Eight	82	10.1
09: Nine	64	7.9
10: Ten	124	15.3
97: Not heard	11	1.3
98: No opinion	102	12.6
Total	811	100.0

e: Election Commission

	N	(%)
01: One	34	4.2
02: Two	78	9.6
03: Three	80	9.8
04: Four	132	16.3
05: Five	112	13.8
06: Six	39	4.8

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	N	(%)
07: Seven	16	1.9
08: Eight	11	1.4
09: Nine	19	2.3
10: Ten	13	1.6
97: Not heard	64	7.8
98: No opinion	213	26.3
Total	811	100.0

Q16: Have you heard about President's rule in Nagaland?

	N	(%)
1: No	69	8.5
2: Yes	742	91.5
Total	811	100.0

a: (*If yes*) To what extent do you think that putting President's Rule in Nagaland is justified-fully justified, somewhat justified, not justified or not at all justified?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	1: Fully justified	144	17.8	19.5
	2: Somewhat justified	184	22.7	24.8
	3: Not justified	145	17.9	19.5
	4: Not at all justified	111	13.7	14.9
	8: No opinion	158	19.5	21.3
	Total	742	91.5	100.0
Missing	9: N.A.	69	8.5	
Total		811	100.0	

Q17: Now I will read out names of few national leaders of India. You tell me, how much trust do you have in them? I will show you a ladder with 1 to 10 steps (*Show Card*). If you place at step 1 those leaders on whom you have a great deal of trust and at step 10 those leader on whom you have no trust then where would you place...

a: Lal Krishna Advani

	N	(%)
01: One	6	.7
02: Two	21	2.6

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	N	(%)
03: Three	28	3.5
04: Four	61	7.6
05: Five	79	9.8
06: Six	40	4.9
07: Seven	37	4.6
08: Eight	97	12.0
09: Nine	40	4.9
10: Ten	151	18.6
97: Not heard	58	7.1
98: No opinion	193	23.8
Total	811	100.0

b: Sonia Gandhi

	N	(%)
01: One	226	27.9
02: Two	188	23.2
03: Three	101	12.5
04: Four	62	7.6
05: Five	71	8.7
06: Six	37	4.5
07: Seven	19	2.3
08: Eight	19	2.3
09: Nine	12	1.4
10: Ten	5	.6
97: Not heard	1	.1
98: No opinion	71	8.8
Total	811	100.0

c: Atal Behari Vajpayee

	N	(%)
01: One	54	6.6
02: Two	99	12.2
03: Three	136	16.8
04: Four	65	8.0

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	N	(%)
05: Five	92	11.3
06: Six	60	7.4
07: Seven	27	3.3
08: Eight	38	4.7
09: Nine	42	5.2
10: Ten	28	3.5
97: Not heard	11	1.3
98: No opinion	160	19.7
Total	811	100.0

d: Manmohan Singh

	N	(%)
01: One	142	17.5
02: Two	155	19.1
03: Three	130	16.0
04: Four	74	9.1
05: Five	84	10.4
06: Six	24	3.0
07: Seven	20	2.4
08: Eight	20	2.5
09: Nine	25	3.1
10: Ten	19	2.4
97: Not heard	7	.8
98: No opinion	111	13.7
Total	811	100.0

Q18: And now I will read out names of few state leaders of Nagaland . You tell me, how much trust do you have in them? I will show you a ladder with 1 to 10 steps (*Show Card*). If you place at step 1 those leaders on whom you have a great deal of trust and at step 10 those leader on whom you have no trust then where would you place...

a: K.L. Chishi

	N	(%)
01: One	74	9.1
02: Two	71	8.7

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	N	(%)
03: Three	81	10.0
04: Four	73	9.0
05: Five	92	11.3
06: Six	42	5.1
07: Seven	53	6.6
08: Eight	38	4.6
09: Nine	34	4.2
10: Ten	32	4.0
97: Not heard	50	6.2
98: No opinion	171	21.1
Total	811	100.0

b: Neiphiu Rio

	N	(%)
01: One	213	26.3
02: Two	193	23.8
03: Three	74	9.1
04: Four	58	7.2
05: Five	72	8.9
06: Six	23	2.8
07: Seven	13	1.6
08: Eight	26	3.2
09: Nine	30	3.7
10: Ten	52	6.5
97: Not heard	2	.2
98: No opinion	54	6.7
Total	811	100.0

c: I Imkong

	N	(%)
01: One	65	8.0
02: Two	104	12.8
03: Three	169	20.8
04: Four	105	12.9

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	N	(%)
05: Five	88	10.9
06: Six	28	3.4
07: Seven	22	2.7
08: Eight	26	3.2
09: Nine	44	5.4
10: Ten	26	3.3
97: Not heard	13	1.6
98: No opinion	122	15.0
Total	811	100.0

d: S.C. Jamir

	N	(%)
01: One	80	9.9
02: Two	94	11.6
03: Three	93	11.4
04: Four	88	10.9
05: Five	124	15.3
06: Six	47	5.8
07: Seven	17	2.1
08: Eight	50	6.2
09: Nine	32	4.0
10: Ten	36	4.5
97: Not heard	2	.2
98: No opinion	146	18.0
Total	811	100.0

e: .Obed Angami

	N	(%)
01: One	88	10.9
02: Two	106	13.1
03: Three	83	10.2
04: Four	104	12.8
05: Five	55	6.8
06: Six	44	5.5

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	N	(%)
07: Seven	51	6.3
08: Eight	34	4.2
09: Nine	38	4.7
10: Ten	22	2.7
97: Not heard	24	3.0
98: No opinion	161	19.8
Total	811	100.0

Q19: Now I will read out few statements. Please tell me whether you agree or disagree with each one of them?

a: There should be a ban shifting cultivation since it harms the environment

	N	(%)
1: Fully disagree	83	10.3
2: Somewhat disagree	213	26.3
3: Somewhat agree	320	39.5
4: Fully agree	100	12.3
8: No opinion	94	11.6
Total	811	100.0

b: The central government in Delhi has always ignored the needs of Nagaland

	N	(%)
1: Fully disagree	30	3.7
2: Somewhat disagree	216	26.7
3: Somewhat agree	390	48.1
4: Fully agree	85	10.5
8: No opinion	89	11.0
Total	811	100.0

c: NSCN(IM) does not represent the cause of all Nagas?

	N	(%)
1: Fully disagree	38	4.6
2: Somewhat disagree	113	13.9
3: Somewhat agree	241	29.7

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	N	(%)
4: Fully agree	198	24.4
8: No opinion	223	27.5
Total	811	100.0

d: Compared to previous governments in Delhi, the present Congress led UPA government has handled the Naga problem in a better way

	N	(%)
1: Fully disagree	28	3.5
2: Somewhat disagree	226	27.9
3: Somewhat agree	306	37.7
4: Fully agree	75	9.3
8: No opinion	175	21.6
Total	811	100.0

e: Seats should be reserved for women in Lok Sabha and Vidhan Sabha

	N	(%)
1: Fully disagree	34	4.2
2: Somewhat disagree	42	5.2
3: Somewhat agree	229	28.2
4: Fully agree	405	49.9
8: No opinion	102	12.5
Total	811	100.0

Q20: We often hear different opinions about the peace process in Nagaland. Some people say that there can be no peace without fulfilling the demand of Greater Nagaland, while some say that the cause of Greater Nagaland is important, but the peace process should continue. Others say that demand of Greater Nagaland is not justified. Which one of these opinions do you feel closest to?

	N	(%)
1: No peace without Greater Nagaland	130	16.1
2: Cause is fine, but peace should continue	273	33.7
3: Demand not justified	83	10.2
8: No opinion	325	40.0
Total	811	100.0

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Q21: Now I will read out the names of few groups. Please tell me for each one of them, to solve the Naga issue, should the central government of India hold talks with....?

a: NSCN (Isak-Muhiva)

	N	(%)
1: No	173	21.4
2: Yes	425	52.5
7: Not heard	2	.2
8: No opinion	210	25.9
Total	811	100.0

b: NNC (Adino)

	N	(%)
1: No	118	14.6
2: Yes	407	50.2
7: Not heard	65	8.1
8: No opinion	220	27.1
Total	811	100.0

c: NSCN (Khaplang)

	N	(%)
1: No	114	14.1
2: Yes	431	53.2
7: Not heard	4	.5
8: No opinion	261	32.2
Total	811	100.0

d: NFG

	N	(%)
1: No	86	10.6
2: Yes	179	22.0
7: Not heard	250	30.8
8: No opinion	297	36.6
Total	811	100.0

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e: NFA

	N	(%)
1: No	79	9.7
2: Yes	103	12.7
7: Not heard	287	35.4
8: No opinion	342	42.2
Total	811	100.0

Q22: And tell me, how much trust do you have in these groups? I will show you a ladder with 1 to 10 steps (*Show Card*). If you place at step 1 those groups on which you have a great deal of trust and at step 10 those groups on which you have no trust then where would you place...

a: MSCN (Isak-Muhiva)

	N	(%)
01: One	59	7.3
02: Two	96	11.8
03: Three	80	9.9
04: Four	47	5.8
05: Five	87	10.7
06: Six	24	3.0
07: Seven	35	4.4
08: Eight	28	3.4
09: Nine	26	3.2
10: Ten	111	13.7
97: Not heard	4	.5
98: No opinion	214	26.3
Total	811	100.0

b: NNC (Adino)

	N	(%)
01: One	182	22.4
02: Two	78	9.6
03: Three	42	5.2
04: Four	32	4.0
05: Five	71	8.7

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	N	(%)
06: Six	24	2.9
07: Seven	30	3.7
08: Eight	24	3.0
09: Nine	26	3.2
10: Ten	32	3.9
97: Not heard	63	7.8
98: No opinion	208	25.7
Total	811	100.0

c: NSCN (Khaplang)

	N	(%)
01: One	46	5.6
02: Two	127	15.7
03: Three	125	15.4
04: Four	26	3.2
05: Five	89	11.0
06: Six	34	4.2
07: Seven	26	3.2
08: Eight	34	4.2
09: Nine	27	3.3
10: Ten	45	5.6
97: Not heard	2	.2
98: No opinion	229	28.2
Total	811	100.0

d: NFG

	N	(%)
01: One	6	.7
02: Two	21	2.6
03: Three	24	3.0
04: Four	32	4.0
05: Five	66	8.2
06: Six	36	4.5
07: Seven	21	2.6

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	N	(%)
08: Eight	14	1.8
09: Nine	26	3.2
10: Ten	34	4.2
97: Not heard	255	31.5
98: No opinion	274	33.8
Total	811	100.0

e: NFA

	N	(%)
01: One	4	.5
02: Two	5	.6
03: Three	15	1.9
04: Four	11	1.4
05: Five	50	6.1
06: Six	22	2.8
07: Seven	24	3.0
08: Eight	17	2.1
09: Nine	17	2.1
10: Ten	38	4.7
97: Not heard	282	34.8
98: No opinion	325	40.1
Total	811	100.0

Q23: Now I will read out the names of few places. Please tell me if in your opinion these places should be included in the proposed Greater Nagaland?

a: Should Manipur hills be included

	N	(%)
1: No	341	42.1
2: Yes	294	36.2
8: DK/Can't say	176	21.7
Total	811	100.0

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b: Should Myanmar hills be included

	N	(%)
1: No	285	35.2
2: Yes	341	42.1
8: DK/Can't say	185	22.8
Total	811	100.0

c: Should parts of Upper Assam be included

	N	(%)
1: No	249	30.8
2: Yes	326	40.1
8: DK/Can't say	236	29.1
Total	811	100.0

d: Should parts of Mizoram be included

	N	(%)
1: No	432	53.2
2: Yes	97	12.0
8: DK/Can't say	282	34.8
Total	811	100.0

Q24: In an ordinary week, how regularly do you read newspaper-daily, 5-6 times in a week, 2-4 times a week, once or twice or never?

	N	(%)
1: Daily	300	37.0
2: 5-6 times in a week	76	9.4
3: 2-4 times in a week	100	12.3
4: 1-2 days	95	11.8
5: Never	131	16.2
8: Can't say	109	13.4
Total	811	100.0

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Q25: In an ordinary week, how regularly do you listen to news on radio-more than once a day, once a day, 5-6 times a week, 2-4 times a week, once or twice or never?

	N	(%)
1: Once a day	185	22.9
2: More than once a day	158	19.4
3: 5-6 times in a week	32	3.9
4: 2-4 times in a week	115	14.1
5: 1-2 days	82	10.2
6: Never	126	15.5
8: Can't say	114	14.0
Total	811	100.0

Q26: In an ordinary week, how regularly do you watch news on TV-more than once a day, once a day, 5-6 times a week, 2-4 times a week, once or twice or never?

	N	(%)
1: Once a day	158	19.4
2: More than once a day	185	22.9
3: 5-6 times in a week	50	6.2
4: 2-4 times in a week	84	10.4
5: 1-2 days	83	10.2
6: Never	79	9.8
8: Can't say	171	21.1
Total	811	100.0

Q27: Thinking how you or your family have voted in the past few elections, how would you describe yourself, would you say you have been a Congress supporter, NPF supporter or you have not been a supporter of any one party?

	N	(%)
1: Congress supporter	325	40.0
2: NPF supporter	272	33.5
3: Supporter of no particular party	127	15.6
7: Others	51	6.3
8: Can't say/D.K	37	4.6
Total	811	100.0

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Q28: Now I will ask you about the assembly elections held in past in your village/locality. Do you think that elections conducted fairly, somewhat fairly or unfairly?

	N	(%)
1: Unfairly	157	19.3
2: Somewhat fairly	379	46.8
3: Fairly	211	26.0
8: Can't say/D.K	64	7.9
Total	811	100.0

Q29: What about the forthcoming assembly elections. Do you think that in you village/locality the elections will be conducted fairly, somewhat fairly or unfairly?

	N	(%)
1: Unfairly	97	12.0
2: Somewhat fairly	271	33.5
3: Fairly	191	23.5
8: Can't say/D.K	252	31.1
Total	811	100.0

Q30: Do you think that the present NPF led DAN government in Nagaland should be given another chance?

	N	(%)
1: No	309	38.2
2: Yes	284	35.0
8: Can't say	218	26.9
Total	811	100.0

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

B1: Now let us talk about this village/town you live in. How long have you lived here?

	N	(%)
1: Less than 10 years	34	4.2
2: Ten years or more	215	26.5
3: Entire life	562	69.3
Total	811	100.0

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a: (*If not entire life*) Where did your ancestors (grand parents) live?

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	1: Present Bangladesh	2	.2	.7
	2: Present Assam	24	2.9	9.5
	3: Present West Bengal	19	2.4	7.8
	4: Other states of India	48	5.9	19.4
	7: Others	156	19.2	62.6
	Total	249	30.7	100.0
Missing	9: N.A.	562	69.3	
Total		811	100.0	

B2: What is your age?

		N	(%)
1: Up to 25 years		173	21.4
2: 26-35 years		267	32.9
3: 36-45 years		155	19.2
4: 46-55 years		108	13.3
5: 56 years and above		108	13.3
Total		811	100.0

B3: Gender

		N	(%)
1: Male		408	50.3
2: Female		403	49.7
Total		811	100.0

B4: What is your marital status?

		N	(%)
1: Married		514	63.4
2: Unmarried		243	29.9
3: Living with someone, but unmarried		12	1.4
4: Divorced/Separated		7	.8
5: Widowed		33	4.1
9: N.A.		3	.4

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	N	(%)
Total	811	100.0

B5: Till what level have you studied?

	N	(%)
0: Non Literate	88	10.8
1: Below Primary	68	8.4
2: Primary pass/Middle fail	123	15.2
3: Middle pass/Matric fail	181	22.3
4: Matric	123	15.2
5: Intermediate/College no degree	124	15.3
6: Graduate or equivalent	88	10.9
7: Post Graduate	11	1.3
8: Professional Degrees and Higher Research	5	.6
Total	811	100.0

B5a: Till what level have your father studied?

	N	(%)
0: Non Literate	341	42.1
1: Below Primary	93	11.4
2: Primary pass/Middle fail	164	20.2
3: Middle pass/Matric fail	118	14.5
4: Matric	61	7.6
5: Intermediate/College no degree	18	2.2
6: Graduate or equivalent	13	1.7
7: Post Graduate	1	.1
8: Professional Degrees and Higher Research	2	.2
Total	811	100.0

B5a: Till what level have your mother studied?

	N	(%)
0: Non Literate	432	53.3
1: Below Primary	125	15.4
2: Primary pass/Middle fail	139	17.1
3: Middle pass/Matric fail	63	7.7

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	N	(%)
4: Matric	34	4.2
5: Intermediate/College no degree	11	1.4
6: Graduate or equivalent	5	.6
7: Post Graduate	1	.1
8: Professional Degrees and Higher Research	2	.2
Total	811	100.0

B6: What is your main occupation?

	N	(%)
02: Engineers	2	.3
04: Lawyers	4	.5
05: Accountants	1	.1
06: College/University teachers	3	.4
10: Science and engineering technician	2	.2
11: Computer operator	2	.2
13: Medical Technician	13	1.6
14: School teachers	40	4.9
15: Nursery teachers	11	1.3
19: Other lower professionals	5	.6
20: Elected officials (Central/State)	1	.1
24: Officials Class-II	3	.4
25: Class-III Employee (Clerical)	14	1.7
26: Superintendents	1	.1
27: Traditional clerks	3	.3
28: Class IV employee	18	2.3
30: Big businessmen	3	.3
31: Medium businessmen	12	1.5
32: Small businessmen	21	2.6
33: Petty business	22	2.8
36: Salespersons	4	.5
37: Shop Assistants	5	.7
38: Rentire	6	.7
39: Other businessmen	1	.1
40: Waiters	1	.1
43: Ayahs, Maids, Domestic servants	1	.1

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	N	(%)
44: Chowkidars	8	1.0
45: Sweepers	4	.5
49: Other service workers	8	.9
50: Mechanics	15	1.8
51: Electricians	4	.5
53: Tailors	3	.3
54: Weavers	1	.1
56: Blacksmiths	1	.1
57: Carpainters	15	1.9
59: Other skilled workers	2	.2
61: Measons	1	.1
62: Potters	1	.1
63: Stone-cutter and carvers	12	1.5
64: Furniture, basket, mat makers	2	.2
66: Unskilled labourers	3	.3
70: Owner-cultivators 20+ Acres	10	1.2
71: Owner-cultivators 10-20 Acres	6	.7
72: Owner-cultivators 5-10 Acres	16	2.0
73: Owner-cultivators 1-5 Acres	44	5.5
74: Owner-cultivators 0-1 Acre	6	.7
75: Tenant Cultivators. 5+ acres	6	.7
76: Tenant Cultivators 0-5 acres	17	2.1
77: Plantation workers	2	.3
78: Agricultural labourers	15	1.8
79: Other Agricultural Workers	32	3.9
90: House-wife/husband	168	20.7
91: Students	83	10.2
92: Employee seekers	76	9.3
93: Unemployed workers	14	1.7
95: Other occupation	5	.7
96: Political activists	14	1.8
98: Unidentifiable	5	.6
99: N.A.	16	2.0
Total	811	100.0

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B6a: What is/was/has been the main occupation of the main earner of the respondent's household?

	N	(%)
02: Engineers	2	.2
04: Lawyers	1	.1
06: College/University teachers	3	.4
07: Writers	4	.4
08: Modern Artist	1	.1
09: Other higher professional	1	.1
10: Science and engineering technician	1	.1
11: Computer operator	1	.1
13: Medical Technician	12	1.5
14: School teachers	34	4.2
15: Nursery teachers	14	1.7
16: Folk and commercial artist	1	.1
18: Priests	4	.5
19: Other lower professionals	11	1.3
21: Elected officials (District)	2	.2
24: Officials Class-II	4	.5
25: Class-III Employee (Clerical)	25	3.1
26: Superintendents	2	.2
27: Traditional clerks	13	1.6
28: Class IV employee	36	4.4
29: Other administrative workers	4	.5
30: Big businessmen	1	.1
31: Medium businessmen	21	2.5
32: Small businessmen	26	3.2
33: Petty business	30	3.7
34: Hawkers	3	.3
35: Sales Executive	2	.2
36: Salespersons	1	.1
37: Shop Assistants	4	.5
38: Rentire	10	1.2
39: Other businessmen	2	.2
42: Barbers	1	.1
43: Ayahs, Maids, Domestic servants	2	.2

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	N	(%)
44: Chowkidars	9	1.2
45: Sweepers	3	.4
49: Other service workers	13	1.6
50: Mechanics	25	3.1
51: Electricians	7	.8
53: Tailors	4	.4
54: Weavers	1	.1
56: Blacksmiths	2	.2
57: Carpainters	16	2.0
59: Other skilled workers	7	.8
61: Measons	3	.3
62: Potters	2	.2
63: Stone-cutter and carvers	13	1.6
64: Furniture, basket, mat makers	6	.7
66: Unskilled labourers	4	.5
69: Other semi-skilled and unskilled workers	1	.1
70: Owner-cultivators 20+ Acres	34	4.2
71: Owner-cultivators 10-20 Acres	28	3.4
72: Owner-cultivators 5-10 Acres	35	4.3
73: Owner-cultivators 1-5 Acres	84	10.3
74: Owner-cultivators 0-1 Acre	13	1.5
75: Tenant Cultivators. 5+ acres	14	1.7
76: Tenant Cultivators 0-5 acres	20	2.5
77: Plantation workers	5	.6
78: Agricultural labourers	15	1.8
79: Other Agricultural Workers	83	10.2
90: House-wife/husband	8	1.0
91: Students	5	.6
92: Employee seekers	1	.1
93: Unemployed workers	4	.5
95: Other occupation	16	1.9
96: Political activists	22	2.7
98: Unidentifiable	3	.4
99: N.A.	33	4.1
Total	811	100.0

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B7: What is your Caste/Jati-biradari/Tribe name?

	N	(%)
01: Upper Caste	9	1.1
20: Other Backward Caste	4	.5
50: Scheduled Caste	8	1.0
60: Ao	146	18.0
61: Angami	135	16.6
62: Chang	14	1.7
63: Chakesang	46	5.6
64: Lotha	71	8.7
65: Rengma	4	.5
66: Kuki	19	2.4
67: Konyak	50	6.1
69: Sangtam	45	5.6
70: Yimchungru	4	.4
71: Pochury	6	.7
73: Zeliang	39	4.7
74: Sema	104	12.8
75: Phom	55	6.8
79: Other STs	14	1.8
80: Muslims	2	.2
84: Christians	2	.2
88: Other Minorities	1	.1
90: Dalit Buddhists	1	.1
95: Hindu no caste	12	1.4
98: No religion no caste	5	.7
99: NA	17	2.1
Total	811	100.0

a: And what is your Caste group?

	N	(%)
1: Scheduled Caste (SC)	13	1.6
2: Scheduled Tribe (ST)	755	93.1
3: Other Backward Caste (OBC)	8	1.0
4: Others	35	4.3

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	N	(%)
Total	811	100.0

B8: Which religion do you follow?

	N	(%)
1: Hindu	47	5.8
2: Muslim	6	.7
3: Christian	744	91.7
6: Jain	2	.2
7: Parsi	1	.1
8: Others	11	1.4
Total	811	100.0

B9: Generally, which language is spoken in your house?

	N	(%)
01: Telugu	1	.1
02: English	1	.1
03: Assamese	3	.4
04: Hindi	6	.7
11: Malayalam	1	.1
14: Manipuri/Meithei	1	.1
18: Oriya	1	.1
19: Punjabi	1	.1
21: Nepali/Gokhali	13	1.6
25: Bengali	9	1.1
32: Bhojpuri	3	.4
40: Gondi	1	.1
58: Sirmauri	1	.1
60: Kinnauri	19	2.4
61: Gujjari	72	8.9
64: Naga	6	.7
68: Tangkhul	1	.1
70: Ao	130	16.1
71: Sema	98	12.1
72: Konyak	49	6.0

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	N	(%)
74: Lepcha	4	.5
79: Mishing	2	.2
82: Other Indian Language	64	7.9
83: Other South Asian Language	1	.1
99: NA	323	39.9
Total	811	100.0

B10: Area/Locality

	N	(%)
1: Village	645	79.6
2: Town(Below 1 Lakh)	161	19.8
3: City (above 1 Lakh)	5	.6
Total	811	100.0

a: (*If Town/City*) Type of house

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	1: House/Flat with 4 or more bedrooms	22	2.7	13.4
	2: House/Flat with 3 or 4 Bedrooms	41	5.1	25.0
	3: House/Flat with 2 bedrooms (With kitchen & bathroom)	38	4.6	22.8
	4: House/flats with 2 pucca rooms (with kitchen)	28	3.5	17.0
	5: House/Flat with 2 pucca rooms(Without kitchen)	2	.3	1.2
	6: House with 1 pucca rooms(With kitchen)	7	.8	4.1
	7: House with 1 pucca rooms(without kitchen)	1	.1	.6
	8: Mainly Kutcha house	25	3.1	15.2
	9: Slum/Juggi-Jhopri/Fully Kutcha	1	.1	.6
		Total	165	20.3
Missing	0: NA	646	79.7	
Total		811	100.0	

b: (*If Village*), Type of House

	N	(%)	Valid (%)
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		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	1: <i>Pucca</i> (both wall and roof made of <i>pucca</i> material)	141	17.4	22.1
	2: <i>Pucca-kutcha</i> (Either wall or roof is made of <i>pucca</i> material and of other <i>kutcha</i> material)	263	32.4	41.3
	3: <i>Kutcha</i> (both wall and roof are made of <i>kutcha</i> material other than materials mentioned in category 4)	194	23.9	30.5
	4: Hut (both wall and roof are made of grass, leaves, mud, un-burnt brick or bamboo)	39	4.8	6.2
	Total	636	78.5	100.0
Missing	0: NA	175	21.5	
Total		811	100.0	

B11: Total number of family member (Adult)

	N	(%)
0: Blank/NA	2	.3
1: One	72	8.9
2: Two	477	58.8
3: Three	73	8.9
4: Four	71	8.7
5: Five	51	6.3
6: Six	26	3.2
7: Seven	20	2.5
8: Eight	13	1.6
9: Nine and above	6	.7
Total	811	100.0

B11: Total number of family member (Children)

	N	(%)
0: Blank/NA	129	15.9
1: One	113	13.9
2: Two	141	17.4
3: Three	185	22.8
4: Four	117	14.5
5: Five	52	6.4
6: Six	33	4.1

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	N	(%)
7: Seven	16	2.0
8: Eight	9	1.1
9: Nine and above	15	1.8
Total	811	100.0

B12: Do you or your family member have the following:

a: Car/Jeep/Van/Tractor

	N	(%)
0: No	650	80.2
1: Yes	161	19.8
Total	811	100.0

b: Colour or B/W Television

	N	(%)
0: No	148	18.3
1: B/W	327	40.3
2: Colour	336	41.4
Total	811	100.0

c: Scooter/Motorcycle/Mopet

	N	(%)
0: No	596	73.5
1: Yes	215	26.5
Total	811	100.0

d: Telephone/Mobile Phone

	N	(%)
0: No	211	26.0
1: Yes	600	74.0
Total	811	100.0

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e: Electric fan/cooler

	N	(%)
0: No	576	71.1
1: Yes	235	28.9
Total	811	100.0

f: Bicycle

	N	(%)
0: No	674	83.1
1: Yes	137	16.9
Total	811	100.0

g: Radio/Transistor

	N	(%)
0: No	202	24.9
1: Yes	609	75.1
Total	811	100.0

h: Pumping set

	N	(%)
0: No	708	87.3
1: Yes	103	12.7
Total	811	100.0

i: Fridge

	N	(%)
0: No	634	78.2
1: Yes	177	21.8
Total	811	100.0

j: Cow/Buffalow

	N	(%)
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	N	(%)
0: Blank/NA	700	86.4
1: One	55	6.8
2: Two	30	3.7
3: Three	20	2.5
5: Five	2	.2
6: Six	1	.1
9: Nine and above	3	.4
Total	811	100.0

B13: Most important source of drinking water

	N	(%)
1: Tap inside the house	152	18.8
2: Tap outside the house	95	11.8
3: Tube well	26	3.2
4: Well	224	27.6
5: Hand pump	9	1.1
6: Natural source(Pond/Lake/Stream/River)	274	33.7
7: Others	31	3.9
Total	811	100.0

B14: Most important source of lighting

	N	(%)
1: Electricity	679	83.8
2: Kerosene	101	12.5
3: No lighting	14	1.8
7: Others	16	2.0
Total	811	100.0

B15: Most important source of fuel used for cooking

	N	(%)
1: LPG/Gas	478	58.9
2: Electricity	18	2.2
3: Kerosene	14	1.7
4: Coal/Lignite/Charcoal	1	.1

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	N	(%)
5: Other bought(Firewood/Crop residue/Cow dung cake)	97	11.9
6: Others not bought(Firewood/Crop residue/Cow dung cake)	190	23.4
7: Others	14	1.7
Total	811	100.0

B16: Total monthly household income

		N	(%)	Valid (%)
Valid	01: Up to Rs. 1000	64	7.9	8.8
	02: Rs. 1001 to 2000	69	8.5	9.4
	03: Rs. 2001 to 3000	106	13.0	14.4
	04: Rs. 3001 to 4000	80	9.8	10.9
	05: Rs. 3001 to 4000	98	12.0	13.4
	06: Rs. 5001 to 10000	240	29.6	32.9
	07: Rs. 10001 to 20000	62	7.6	8.5
	08: Rs. 20001 to 50000	12	1.4	1.6
	09: Above Rs. 50000	1	.1	.1
	Total	731	90.1	100.0
Missing	99: N.A.	80	9.9	
Total		811	100.0	