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Concepts and scales

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8	**Filter C: Vocational education and training (VET)**
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8.4	Company-based/school-based VET
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9.8	Expected end of study
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9.11	Reason for university drop-out
9.12	Reason for changing study

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10.2	Main and supplementary subject in baccalaureate school
10.3	Name/location of school
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10.7	Reason for quitting school education
10.8	Reason for changing school education
10.9	End of school education
10.10	Degree
10.11	Final grade school education
10.12	Expected end of school education
10.13	Expected degree

11	**Filter F: Internship**
11.1	Title of internship
11.2	Type of Internship
11.3	Start of internship
11.4	Stability of internship
11.5	End of internship
11.6	Expected end of Internship

12	**Filter G: Military service/Staying abroad**
12.1	Start of activity
12.2	Stability of activity
12.3	End of activity
12.4	(Expected) end of activity

1	General Part

1.1	Participation status, survey mode, contactability

Var	**t7p**		Probability of participation W7
Var	**t7weight_raw**		Raw weight W7
Var	**t7weight**		Poststratified and truncated weight W7
Var	**code**		DAB-ID
			Example: 381BE01
Var	**t7eligible**		Eligible to participate W7
Scale		1	Yes
		2	No
Var	**t7status**		Participation status in W7
Scale		0	No participation
		1	Participation
Var	**t7attr**		Definite refusal in W7
Scale		0	No
		1	Yes
Var	**t7nonprt**		Reason for non-participation in W7
Scale		8	Online/CATI in W7 denied
		9	Not available (mail and telephone) in W7
		11	Definite refusal in W1
		12	Definite refusal in W2
		13	Definite refusal in W3
		14	Definite refusal in W4
		15	Definite refusal in W5
		16	Definite refusal in W6
Var	**t7telno**		Phone number available and correct
Scale		0	No
		1	Yes
Var	**t7post**		Postal address available and correct
Scale		0	No
		1	Yes
Var	**t7mail**		Mail address available, mail deliverable
Scale		0	No
		1	Yes
Var	**t7contact**		Contactable for survey wave 7
Scale		0	No
		1	Yes
Var	**t7survtype**		Participation mode W7
Scale		0	No participation
		1	Online
		2	By telephone
		3	Written (PAPI)
Var	**t7datum**		Date of particiapation in W7
Var	**t7dispcode**		Participation status during data collection wave 7 (online-survey)
Scale		11	No (online-)participation in wave 7
		22	Break-off
		31	Completed
Var	**t7duration**		Duration Online
			(Seconds)
Var	**t7statuscati**		Participation status during data collection wave 7 (telephone survey)
Scale		1	Interview OK
		91	Refusal
		92	Appointment
		94	Invalid phone number
		97	No answer
		98	Target person cannot be found in the household
Var	**t7incentive**		Incentive received (CHF 10 in cash)
Scale		0	No
		1	Yes

1.2	**Episodes: overall number, educational or vocational activity in different episodes**	

Var new **t7eptot**
Total number of episodes

Var new **t7ep1**
Scale
Episode 1
1 VET (vocational education and training)
2 School education
3 Employment
4 Full-time training
5 Interim solution
6 Not in education, employment or training (NEET)
7 Studying
8 Not classifiable

Var new **t7ep2**
Scale
Episode 2
1 VET (vocational education and training)
2 School education
3 Employment
4 Full-time training
5 Interim solution
6 Not in education, employment or training (NEET)
7 Studying
8 Not classifiable

Var new **t7ep3**
Scale
Episode 3
1 VET (vocational education and training)
2 School education
3 Employment
4 Full-time training
5 Interim solution
6 Not in education, employment or training (NEET)
7 Studying
8 Not classifiable

Var new **t7ep4**
Scale
Episode 4
1 VET (vocational education and training)
2 School education
3 Employment
4 Full-time training
5 Interim solution
6 Not in education, employment or training (NEET)
7 Studying
8 Not classifiable

Var new **t7ep5**
Scale
Episode 5
1 VET (vocational education and training)
2 School education
3 Employment
4 Full-time training
5 Interim solution
6 Not in education, employment or training (NEET)
7 Studying
8 Not classifiable

Note: The paper questionnaire only asks about the educational or vocational activity in summer 2017 and the current educational or vocational activity, if it has ended. The current situation at the time of the survey in summer 2018 is coded as the second episode. If the current educational or vocational activity was not started directly after the educational or vocational activity in summer 2017, there is no information on the interim episode.

Var new **t7ep_papi**
Scale
Time gap between Episode 1 and Episode 2 in the paper questionnaire
0 No second episode
1 Episode 2 directly after episode 1
2 Time gap between episode 1 and episode 2

2	**Introduction**	

2.1	**Lifegoals - In general**	

How important are the following six areas of life to you?

Var **t7imp_work** Employment
t7imp_edu Education and training
t7imp_part Partnership
t7imp_fam Familiy and children
t7imp_soc Social activities (e.g. associations, political organisations, trade unions, voluntary work)
t7imp_fre Free time (e.g. hobbies, sports, relaxation, contact with friends)
Scale
1 Totally unimportant
2 Rather unimportant
3 Rather important
4 Very important

2.2   Lifegoals - Occupational

How important are the following points to you?

Var		
	t7futimp1	To make one's career
	t7futimp2	Working in a management position
	t7futimp3	Having training opportunities
	t7futimp4	Having a high income
	t7futimp5	Occupational safety
	t7futimp6	Being (also) able to work part-time
	t7futimp7	Having enough time for family and free time
	t7futimp8	Having a prestigeous occupation
Scale		*1 Totally unimportant*
		2 Rather unimportant
		3 Rather important
		4 Very important

2.3   Perception of education

To which extent do you agree with the following statements…

Var		
	t7edu1	A good school education is a value in itself.
	t7edu2	A good education ensures the international competitiveness of the economy.
	t7edu3	A good education broadens the intellectual scope of people.
	t7edu4	A high level of education promotes the critical abilities of people.
	t7edu5	Even with VET you can get a good job.
	t7edu6	There are more important things in life than a high degree.
	t7edu7	A long school education is only lost time.
Scale		*1 Strongly disagree*
		2 Rather disagree
		3 Rather agree
		4 Strongly agree

3   Completed occupational education

Filter variables based on information in previous waves

Var	**t7filter_vocdeg**	Existing VET degree known
Var	**t7filter_schooldeg**	Existing degree in basic occupational training known
Var	**t7filter_abschlussohneangabe**	Missing Information on VET degree
Var	**t7filter_panelmissing**	Panelmissing
Var new	**t7filter_papi**	Paper Questionnaire

3.1   VET if data is missing
if t7filter_panelmissing = 1 → (t7missingvocdeg)
if t7filter_papi = 1 → (t7missingvocdeg)

Do you already have an apprenticeship degree?

Var	**t7missingvocdeg**	Apprenticeship degree	**Filter**
Scale		*1 Yes*	→ 3.2 (t7vocdegtypmis)
		2 No	→ 4 Validation educational or vocational activity May 2017

How did you receive this apprenticeship degree?

Var	**t7vocdegtypmis**	Type of apprenticeship degree	**Filter**
Scale		*1 Company-based VET*	→ 3.2 (t7abschluss_bart)
		2 Full-time school education	→ 3.2 (t7abschluss_bart)
		3 Other	→ 3.2 (t7vocdegtypothmis)

3.2 Validation data about completed education

if t7filter_schooldeg = 1 → (t7abschluss_bart)
if t7filter_vocdeg = 1 → (t7abschluss_bart)
if t7filter_Abschlussohneangabe = 1 → (t7abschluss_bart)

Var new *Scale*	**t7abschluss_bart**	Training occupation: 8-digit *Types of education for vocational training according to ISCED2013*	
Var new *Scale*	**t7abschluss_deg**	Degree in VET *1 Federal VET degree (EBA)* *2 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ)* *3 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) and Vocational Baccalaureate* *4 Other*	**Filter** → 4 Validation educational or vocational activity May 2017 → 3.2 (t7abschluss_efz) → 3.2 (t7abschluss_efz) → 3.2 (t7abschluss_degoth)
Var new *Scale*	**t7abschluss_degoth**	Degree in VET, other degree *1 Federal VET degree (EBA) and Federal VET Diploma (EFZ)* *2 Federal PET Diploma* *3 Foreign degree* *4 Specialized Baccalaureate*	**→ 4 Validation educational or vocational activity May 2017**
Var new *Scale*	**t7abschluss_efz**	Degree in VET profile Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) *1 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) without profile* *2 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) B-Profile* *3 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) E-Profile* *4 Other profile*	**Filter** → 4 Validation educational or vocational activity May 2017 → 4 Validation educational or vocational activity May 2017 → 4 Validation educational or vocational activity May 2017 → 3.2 (t7abschluss_efzoth)
Var new *Scale*	**t7abschluss_efzoth**	Degree in VET profile Federal VET Diploma (EFZ), other profile *1 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) M-Profile* *2 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) G-Profile*	**→ 4 Validation educational or vocational activity May 2017**

4 Validation educational or vocational activity May 2017

Filter variables: educational or vocational activity May 2017 based on the data in the sixth wave

Var Var Var	**t7filter_work** **t7filter_workspec** **t7filter_workname**	Employment Title of occupation in survey wave 6 Company in survey wave 6	**if t7filter_work = 1 → 4.1 (Employment)**
Var Var	**t7filter_workwb** **t7filter_workwbspec**	Employment with training Type of training in survey wave 6	
Var Var	**t7filter_wb** **t7filter_workwbspec**	Full-time occupational training Type of training in survey wave 6	**if t7filter_wb = 1 → 4.2 (Full-time training)**
Var Var Var	**t7filter_voc** **t7filter_vocspec** **t7filter_vocname**	VET Title training occupation in survey wave 6 Name of the training company in survey wave 6	**if t7filter_voc = 1 → 4.3 (VET)**
Var Var Var	**t7filter_stud** **t7filter_studspec** **t7filter_studname**	Study Field of study in survey wave 6 University in survey wave 6	**if t7filter_stud = 1 → 4.4 (Study)**
Var Var	**t7filter_school** **t7filter_schooltyp**	School education Type of school in survey wave 6	**if t7filter_stud = 1 → 4.5 (School education)**
Var	**t7filter_pra**	Internship	**if t7filter_pra= 1 → 4.6 (Internship)**
Var	**t7filter_mil**	Military service	**if t7filter_mil= 1 → 4.7 (Military service)**
Var	**t7filter_nowork**	Unemployment	**if t7filter_nowork= 1 → 4.8 (Unemployment)**
Var	**t7filter_nospec**	Non-assignable	**if t7filter_nospec = 1 → 4.9 (Educational or vocational activity May 2017)**
Var	**t7filter_papi**	Paper questionnaire	**if t7filter_papi = 1 → 4.9 (educational or vocational activity May 2017)**

4.1 Employment

In the last survey in the summer of 2017, you stated that you had a job as *t7filter_workspec* at *t7filter_workname.* Is this still true?

Var	**t7fAval**	Validation employment	**Filter**
Scale		*1 Yes, I'm still working in this job*	→ 6.12 (t7fAfurtheredu1)
		2 No, I'm no longer working in this job (also with an internal job rotation)	→ 6.9 (t7fAcomplm1)
		3 I didn't perform this job in summer 2017	→ 4.9 (t7mai2017)

Employment with training

In the last survey in the summer of 2017, you stated that in addition to paid employment, you were also undergoing training t7filter_workwbspec.

Var new	**t7fAwbval**	Validation employment with training
Scale		*1 Yes, I'm still doing this training*
		2 No, I'm no longer doing this training

4.2 Full-time training

In the last survey in the summer of 2017, you stated that you were attending a full-time training t7filter_wbspec. Is this still true?

Var	**t7fBval**	Validation full-time training	**Filter**
Scale		*1 Yes, I'm continuing the training (even in case of change to part-time training)*	→ 7.8 (t7fBexpcomplm1)
		2 No, I 'm no longer in this training (even in case of change of school)	→ 7.7 (t7fBcomplm1)
		3 I didn't attend this training in summer 2017	→ 4.9 (t7mai2017)

4.3 Vocational education and training (VET)

In the last survey in summer 2017, you stated that you were doing a VET for t7filter_vocspec at t7filter_vocname. Is this still true?

Var	**t7fCval**	Validation VET	**Filter**
Scale		*1 Yes, I'm continuing this VET*	→ 8.9 (t7fCexpcomplm1)
		2 No, I'm no longer in this VET (even in case of a change of training company or training profile)	→ 8.8 (t7fCcomplm1)
		3 I didn't attend this VET in summer 2017	→ 4.9 (t7mai2017)

4.4 Study

In the last survey in summer 2017 you stated that you were studying t7filter_studspec at t7filter_studname. Is this still true?

Var	**t7fDval**	Validation study	**Filter**
Scale		*1 Yes, I'm continuing my study*	→ 9.8 (t7fDexpcomplm1)
		2 No, I'm no longer studying (even in case of a change of subject or university)	→ 9.7 (t7fDcomplm1)
		3 I didn't study this in the in the summer of 2017	→ 4.9 (t7mai2017)

4.5 School education

In the last survey in summer 2017 you stated that you were attending t7filter_schooltyp. Is this still true?

Var	**t7fEval**	Validation school education	**Filter**
Scale		*1 Yes, I'm continuing my school education*	→ 10.12 (t7fEexpcomplm1)
		2 No, I'm no longer in that school education (even in case of change of school or training profile)	→ 10.9 (t7fEcomplm1)
		3 I didn't attend this school education in the summer of 2017	→ 4.9 (t7mai2017)

4.6 Internship

In the last survey in summer 2017 you stated that you were doing an internship. Is this still true?

Var	**t7fFval**	Validation Internship	**Filter**
Scale		*1 Yes, I'm still doing the same internship*	→ 17.2 Satisfaction
		2 No, I'm not doing this internship anymore	→ 11.5 (t7fFcomplm1)
		3 I didn't do an internship in summer 2017	→ 4.9 (t7mai2017)

4.7 Military service

In the last survey in the summer of 2017, you stated that you were doing military or civilian service. Is this still true?

Var	**t7fGval**	Validation military service	**Filter**
Scale		*1 Yes*	→ 17.2 Satisfaction (t7retrocont)
		2 No, since then I've started a different educational or vocational activity	→ 12.3 (t7fGcomplm1)
		3 I didn't do military or civilian service in summer 2017	→ 4.9 (t7mai2017)

4.8	**Unemployment**		

In the last survey in the summer of 2017 you stated that you were unemployed. Is that still true?

Var	**t7fHval**	Validation unemployment	**Filter**
Scale		*1 Yes*	→ 17.2 Satisfaction (t7retrocont)
		2 No, since then I've started a different educational or vocational activity (e.g. employment, training, study)	→ 13.4 (t7fHcomplm1)
		3 I wasn't unemployed in summer 2017	→ 4.9 (t7mai2017)

4.9	**Educational or vocational activity Mai 2017 / educational or vocational activity since Mai 2017**		

What were you doing in May 2017?

Var	**t7mai2017**	Educational or vocational activity in May 2017	**Filter**
Scale		*1 I was in paid employment (with or without training)*	→ 6 Filter A
		2 I attended a full-time (further) training (e.g. BMS2, College of Professional Education and Training (PET), CAS, DAS, MAS)	→ 7 Filter B
		3 I was in VET (with/without BMS)	→ 8 Filter C
		4 I was studying (University of Teacher Education, university, Federal Institutes of Technology (ETH/ EPFL) or University of Applied Sciences with the aim of obtaining a Bachelor or Master degree).	→ 9 Filter D
		5 I was in a school education (Baccalaureate School, commercial college, Vocational Baccalaureate School, Passerelle (complementary examination allowing for university study))	→ 10 Filter E
		6 I was in an internship	→ 11 Filter F
		7 I was doing military service or civil service	→ 12 Filter G
		8 I stayed abroad (travel, language study, etc.)	→ 12 Filter G
		9 I was unemployed	→ 13 Filter H
		10 None of the options listed	→ 14 Filter Z

5	**Episodes**		

What did you do immediately after completing or quitting this educational or vocational activity?

Var	**t7edudec2-5**	Educational or vocational activity in episodes 2 - 5	**Filter**
Scale		*1 I was in paid employment (with or without training)*	→ 6 Filter A
		2 I attended a full-time training (e.g. BMS2, College of Professional Education and Training (PET), CAS, DAS, MAS)	→ 7 Filter B
		3 I was in VET (with/without BMS)	→ 8 Filter C
		4 I was studying (University of Teacher Education, university, Federal Institutes of Technology (ETH/ EPFL) or University of Applied Sciences	→ 9 Filter D
		5 I was in a school education (Baccalaureate School, commercial college, Vocational Baccalaureate School, Passerelle)	→ 10 Filter E
		6 I was in an internship	→ 11 Filter F
		7 I was doing military service or civil service	→ 12 Filter G
		8 I stayed abroad (travel, language study, etc.)	→ 12 Filter G
		9 I was unemployed	→ 13 Filter H
		10 None of the options listed	→ 14 Filter Z

6	**Filter A: Employment**		

6.1	**FA: Company**		

Var new	**t7fAloc_communenr1-5**	Location of the company: name of municipality (available on request)
Scale		*Swiss official commune register of the Federal Statistical Office (2018)*

6.2	**FA: Title of occupation**

Note: For the first episode the specifications were partially taken from t7filter_vocspec.

What were you hired as?

Var new	**t7fAworkstamm1-5**	Occupation: 8 digits
Scale		*Swiss Federal Statistical Office Classification (CH-Berufsdatenbank) Stammcode 8 digits*

Var new	**t7fAworkisco1-5**	Occupation: Classified according to ISCO-08

6.3   FA: Conditions of employment

Is or was it a temporary job?

Var	**t7fAtemp1-5**	Temporary job
Scale		*1 Yes*
		2 No

Which is your level of employment?

Var	**t7fApro1-5**	Workload	**Filter**
Scale		*1 On an hourly basis.*	→ 6.3 (t7fAwhour1)
		2 10%	→ 6.4 (t7fAincome1)
		3 20%	→ 6.4 (t7fAincome1)
		4 30%	→ 6.4 (t7fAincome1)
		5 40%	→ 6.4 (t7fAincome1)
		6 50%	→ 6.4 (t7fAincome1)
		7 60%	→ 6.4 (t7fAincome1)
		8 70%	→ 6.4 (t7fAincome1)
		9 80%	→ 6.4 (t7fAincome1)
		10 90%	→ 6.4 (t7fAincome1)
		11 100%	→ 6.4 (t7fAincome1)

Var	**t7fAwhour1-5**	*How many hours do you work or did you work on average per week?*

6.4   FA: Income emplyoment

What is or was your monthly net wage?

Var	**t7fAincome1-5**	Income
Scale		*1 Up to 500 CHF*
		2 501–1'000 CHF
		3 1'001–1'500 CHF
		4 1'501–2'000 CHF
		5 2'001–2'500 CHF
		6 2'501–3'000 CHF
		7 3'001–3'500 CHF
		8 3'501–4'000 CHF
		9 4'001–4'500 CHF
		10 4'501–5'000 CHF
		11 5'001–5'500 CHF
		12 5'501–6'000 CHF
		13 More than 6'000 CHF

6.5   FA: Occupational status

What applies or applied to your occupational status?

Var	**t7fAepg11-15**	Occupational status	**Filter**
Scale		*1 Employed in a private or public company*	→ 6.5 (t7fAepg2)
		2 Self-employed	→ 6.5 (t7fAepgemp1)
		3 Working in a family business	→ 6.5 (t7fAepg2)

How many employees do or did you have?

Var	**t7fAepgemp1-5**	Number of employees
Scale		*1 None*
		2 1 to 10 employees
		3 More than 10 employees

→ **6.6 (t7fAeduequi1)**

How many people do or did you supervise?

Var	**t7fAepg21-25**	Authority to issue supervision
Scale		*1 None*
		2 1 to 10 people
		3 More than 10 people

6.6 FA: Adequacy with regards to education/training

Was a degree (apprenticeship degree, study, etc.) required for this job?

Var	**t7fAeduequi11-15**	Degree required	
Scale		*1 Yes*	
		2 No	

Which degree is usually required for this job?

Var	**t7fAeduequi21-25**	Required degree	
Scale		*1 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ)*	
		2 Federal VET degree (EBA)	
		3 Vocational Baccalaureate (BMS)	
		4 Specialized middle school (FMS)	
		5 Commercial college (HMS)	
		6 Baccalaureate	
		7 Other	
Var new	**t7fAeduequioth21-25**	Required degree, other	
Scale		*1 Study*	
		2 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ)	
		3 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) with Vocational Baccalaureate	
		4 Baccalaureate	
		5 Federal PET diploma	
		6 Work experience	
		7 Other	

Does or did the job have something to do with with your previous school and occupational education?

Var	**t7fAeduequib31-35**	In my work I can or could use what I've learned in my education.
	t7fAeduequic31-35	My work is/was in connection with a training or study that I would like to start or have started.
	t7fAeduequia31-35	My work has or had nothing or very little to do with my education so far.
Scale		*1 Yes*
		2 No

6.7 FA: Start of employment

When did you start this job?

Var	**t7fAstartm1-5**	Start of employment (month)
Scale		*1 January*
		2 February
		…
		11 November
		12 December
Var	**t7fAstarty1-5**	Start of employment (year)
Scale		*1 2014*
		2 2015
		3 2016
		4 2017
		5 2018

6.8 FA: Stability of employment
Note: For the first episode the information was partially taken from t7fAval.

Do you still work in this job?

Var	**t7fAcons1-5**	Stability employment	
Scale		*1 Yes*	
		2 No (even in case of an internal job rotation)	

6.9 FA: End of emplyment

When did you stop working in this job?

Var	**t7fAcomplm1-5**	End of employment (month)
Scale		*1 January*
		2 February
		…
		11 November
		12 December
Var	**t7fAcomply1-5**	End of employment (year)
Scale		*1 2016*
		2 2017
		3 2018

Why are you no longer working in this job?

Var	**t7fArea1-5**	Reason for end of employment	**Filter**
Scale		*1 I quit my employment.*	→ 6.11 (t7fAquit1)
		2 My contract of employment expired.	→ 6.12 (t7fAfurtheredu1, if t7filter_workwb = 0)
		3 I was dismissed	→ 6.19 (t7fAwbcons1, if t7filter_workwb = 1)
			→ 6.12 (t7fAfurtheredu2, as of the second episode)
		4 I moved to another position within the company.	→ 6.2 Next episode (t7fAworkstamm2)
		5 Other reason	→ 6.10 (t7fAreaoth1)

Var new	**t7fAreaoth1-5**	Reason for end of employment, other	
Scale		*1 Health reasons*	
		2 Start of military/civil service	
		3 Start of training	→ 6.12 (t7fAfurtheredu1, if t7filter_workwb = 0)
		4 Start of study	→ 6.19 (t7fAwbcons1, if t7filter_workwb = 1)
		5 Seasonal work	→ 6.12 (t7fAfurtheredu2, as of the second episode)
		6 Problems at the job	
		7 Travelling	
		8 Other reason	

Why did you quit your job?

		Reason for termination	**Filter**
Var	**t7fAquit11-15**	The occupation didn't correspond to my expectations in terms of content.	→ 6.12 (t7fAfurtheredu1, if t7filter_workwb = 0)
	t7fAquit21-25	I wasn't satisfied with the working conditions.	→ 6.19 (t7fAwbcons1, if t7filter_workwb = 1)
			→ 6.12 (t7fAfurtheredu2, as of the second episode)
	t7fAquit31-35	Other reason	→ 6.11 (t7fAquitoth1)
Scale		*0 No*	
		1 Yes	

Var new	**t7fAquitoth1-5**	Reason for termination, other	
Scale		*1 Health reasons*	
		2 Start of military/civil service	
		3 Start of training	→ 6.12 (t7fAfurtheredu1, if t7filter_workwb = 0)
		4 Start of study	→ 6.19 (t7fAwbcons1, if t7filter_workwb = 1)
		5 Seasonal work	→ 6.12 (t7fAfurtheredu2, as of the second episode)
		6 Problems at the job	
		7 Travelling	
		8 Other reason	

Have or had you started any training while doing this job?

Var	**t7fAfurtheredu1-5**	Taking up training	**Filter**
Scale		*1 Yes*	→ 6.13 (t7fAsupwork1)
		2 No	→ 17.1 Satisfaction (t7learnskill, if t7fAcons = 1)
			→ 5 Next episode (t7edudec2-5, if t7fAcons = 2)

Is or was the training supported by your company?

		Support by the company	
Var	**t7fAsupwork11-15**	Yes, if needed I can or could use working time for it.	
	t7fAsupwork21-25	Yes, the company contributes or contributed to the costs of the training.	
	t7fAsupwork31-35	No, I am or was not supported by the company.	
Scale		*1 Yes*	
		2 No	

6.14 FA: Type of training

Which kind of training are you doing or did you do?

Var	*t7fAspec1-5*	Type of training	
Scale		*1 Vocational Baccalaureate school*	
		2 College of Professional Education and Training (PET)	
		3 University of Applied Sciences	
		4 Other	

Var new	*t7fAspecoth1-5*	Type of training, other
Scale		*1 College of Professional Education and Training (PET)*
		2 University of Applied Sciences
		3 Supervisor
		4 VET
		5 (Advanced) Federal PET diploma
		6 Internal training
		7 Other

6.15 FA: Type of Vocational Baccalaureate

Which type of Vocational Baccalaureate are you doing or did you do?

Var	*t7fAmattyp1-5*	Type of Vocational Baccalaureate
Scale		*1 Engineering, architecture, life sciences*
		2 Economy and services
		3 Art and design
		4 Nature, landscape and food
		5 Health and social services

6.16 FA: Type of College of Professional Education and Training (PET)

Which type of College of Professional Education and Training (PET) are you doing or did you do?

Var	*t7fAhftyp1-5*	Type of College of Professional Education and Training (PET)
Scale		*1 Engineering*
		2 Hotel, restaurant and catering, tourism and hospitality services
		3 Economics
		4 Agriculture and forestry
		5 Healthcare
		6 Social care and adult education and training
		7 Art and design
		8 Traffic and transport

6.17 FA: Type of training at the University of Applied Sciences

Which type of training at the University of Applied Sciences do or did you do?

Var	*t7fAfhspec1-5*	Type of training at the University of Applied Sciences	
Scale		*1 Course of study*	
		2 Individual course/seminar	
		3 Other	

Var	*t7fAfhspecstud1-5*	Subject (categorized)
Scale		See Appendix (20.1)

6.18 FA: Start of training

When did you start this training?

Var	*t7fAwbstartm1-5*	Start of training (month)
Scale		*1 January*
		2 February
		…
		11 November
		12 December

Var	*t7fAwbstarty1-5*	Start of training (year)
Scale		*1 2014*
		2 2015
		3 2016
		4 2017
		5 2018

6.19   FA: Stability of training

Note: In the first episode (if t7filter_workwb = 1) the information is taken from the variable f7fAwbval and the following addition is displayed: In the last survey in summer 2017 you indicated that you started a training #u_t7workwbspec##u_t7workwbspecoth# during this employment.

Are you still in the stated training?

Var	**t7fAwbcons1-5**	Stability of training	**Filter**
Scale		*1 Yes*	→ 6.25 (t7fAwbexpcomplm1)
		2 No	→ 6.20 (t7fAwbcomplm1)

6.20   FA: End of training

When did you finish this training?

Var	**t7fAwbcomplm1-5**	End of training (month)
Scale		*1 January*
		2 February
		…
		11 November
		12 December

Var	**t7fAwbcomply1-5**	End of training (year)
Scale		*1 2016*
		2 2017
		3 2018

6.21   FA: Reason for the end of training

Why are you no longer in this training?

Var	**t7fAwbrea1-5**	Reason for end of training	**Filter**
Scale		*1 I successfully completed the training.*	→ 6.23 (t7fAdeg1)
		2 I dropped out of training.	→ 6.22 (t7fAdrop1)
		3 Other reason	→ 6.21 (t7fAwbreaoth1)

Var new	**t7fAwbreaoth1-5**	Reason for end of training, other	
Scale		*1 Termination*	
		2 Insufficient performance	
		3 Other	→ **Next episode (if t7fAcons = 2)**
			→ **(t7fJnewwb1-5, if t7fAcons = 1)**

6.22   FA: Reason for quitting training

Why did you quit your training?

		Reason for quitting training	**Filter**
Var	**t7fAdrop11-15**	I didn't meet the performance requirements.	→ Next episode (if t7fAcons = 2)
	t7fAdrop21-25	The training did not meet my expectations.	→ (t7fJnewwb1-5, if t7fAcons = 1)
	t7fAdrop31-35	I was not satisfied with the school/university.	
	t7fAdrop41-45	Other reason	→ 6.22 (t7fAdropoth1)
Scale		*0 No*	
		1 Yes	

Var new	**t7fAdropoth1-5**	Reason for quitting training, other	
Scale		*1 Termination*	
		2 Insufficient performance	
		3 Other	→ **Next episode (if t7fAcons = 2)**
			→ **(t7fJnewwb1-5, if t7fAcons = 1)**

6.23	FA: Degree

With which degree did you complete this training?

				Filter
Var	*t7fAdeg1-5*		Degree	
Scale		*1*	*Without (official) degree*	→ 6.24 (t7fAgrd1)
		2	*Vocational Baccalaureate*	→ 6.24 (t7fAgrd1)
		3	*PET Diploma*	→ 6.24 (t7fAgrd1)
		4	*Advanced Federal PET Diploma*	→ 6.24 (t7fAgrd1)
		5	*Federal PET Diploma*	→ 6.24 (t7fAgrd1)
		6	*CAS*	→ 6.24 (t7fAgrd1)
		7	*DAS*	→ 6.24 (t7fAgrd1)
		8	*MAS*	→ 6.24 (t7fAgrd1)
		9	*Other degree*	→ 6.23 (t7fAdegoth1)

Var new	*t7fAdegoth1-5*		Degree, other
Scale		*1*	*University degree*
		2	*Federal VET Diploma (EFZ)*
		3	*Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) with Vocational Baccalaureate*
		4	*Baccalaureate*
		5	*Federal PET diploma*
		6	*Work experience*
		7	*Diploma/degree*
		8	*Other*

<div align="center">→ 6.24 (t7fAgrd1)</div>

6.24	FA: Final grade in training

Which final grade did you receive in the certificate of the training ?

Var	*t7fAgrd1-5*		Final grade
Scale		*0*	*No grading*
		1	*Under 4.0*
		2	*4.0-4.5*
		3	*4.6-5.0*
		4	*5.1-5.5*
		5	*5.6-6.0*

<div align="center">→ Next episode (if t7fAcons = 2)
→ (t7fJnewwb1-5, if t7fAcons = 1)</div>

6.25	FA: Expected end of training

When do you expect to complete the training?

Var	*t7fAwbexpcomplm1-5*		Expected end of training (month)
Scale		*1*	*January*
		2	*February*
			…
		11	*November*
		12	*December*

Var	*t7fAwbexpcomply1-5*		Expected end of training (year)
Scale		*1*	*2018*
		2	*2019*
		3	*2020*
		4	*2021*
		5	*2022*
		6	*2023*
		99	*still unknown*

6.26	FA: Expected degree

With which degree do you expect to complete the training?

				Filter
Var	*t7fAexpdeg1-5*		Expected degree	
Scale		*1*	*Without (official) degree*	
		2	*Vocational Baccalaureate*	
		3	*PET Diploma*	
		4	*Advanced Federal PET Diploma*	→ 16 (t7fKnewwork1-5, if t7fAcons = 2)
		5	*Federal PET Diploma*	→ 17.1 Satisfaction (t7learnskill, if t7fAcons = 1)
		6	*CAS*	
		7	*DAS*	
		8	*MAS*	
		9	*Other degree*	→ 6.26 (t7fAexpdegoth1)

Var new	*t7fAexpdegoth1-5*		Expected degree, other
Scale		*1*	*University degree*
		2	*Federal VET Diploma (EFZ)*
		3	*Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) with Vocational Baccalaureate*
		4	*Baccalaureate*
		5	*Federal PET diploma*
		6	*Work experience*
		7	*Diploma/degree*
		8	*Other*

<div align="center">→ 17.1 Satisfaction (t7learnskill, if t7fAcons = 1)
→ 16 (t7fKnewwork1-5, if t7fAcons = 2)</div>

7   **Filter B: Full-time training**

7.1   **FB: Start of training**

When did you start this training?

Var	*t7fBstartm1-5*	Start of the training (month)
Scale		**1** *January*
		2 *February*
		…
		11 *November*
		12 *December*

Var	*t7fBstarty1-5*	Start of the training (year)
Scale		**1** *2014*
		2 *2015*
		3 *2016*
		4 *2017*
		5 *2018*

7.2   **FB: Type of training**

Which type of training is or was it?

Var	*t7fBspec1-5*	Type of training	**Filter**
Scale		**1** *Vocational Baccalaureate school*	→ 7.3 (t7fBmattyp1)
		2 *College of Professional Education and Training (PET)*	→ 7.4 (t7fBhftyp1)
		3 *University of Applied Sciences*	→ 7.5 (t7fBfhspec1)
		4 *Other*	→ 7.2 (t7fBspecoth1)

Var new	*t7fBspecoth1-5*	Type of training, other	→ 7.6 (t7fBcons)

7.3   **FB: Type of Vocational Baccalaureate**

Which type of Vocational Baccalaureate are you doing or did you do?

Var	*t7fBmattyp1-5*	Type of Vocational Baccalaureate
Scale		**1** *Engineering, Architecture, Life Sciences*
		2 *Economy and services*
		3 *Art and design*
		4 *Nature, landscape and food*
		5 *Health and social services*

→ **7.6 (t7fBcons)**

7.4   **FB: Type of College of Professional Education and Training (PET)**

Which type of College of Professional Education and Training (PET) are you doing or did you do?

Var	*t7fBhftyp1-5*	Type of College of Professional Education and Training (PET)
Scale		**1** *Engineering*
		2 *Hotel, restaurant and catering, tourism and hospitality services*
		3 *Economics*
		4 *Agriculture and forestry*
		5 *Healthcare*
		6 *Social care and adult education and training*
		7 *Art and design*
		8 *Traffic and transport*

→ **7.6 (t7fBcons1)**

7.5   **FB: Type of training at the University of Applied Sciences**

Which type of training is or was it?

Var	*t7fBfhspec1-5*	Type of training at the University of Applied Sciences	**Filter**
Scale		**1** *Course of study*	→ 7.5 (t7fBfhspecstud1)
		2 *Individual course/seminar*	→ 7.6 (t7fBcons1)

Var new	*t7fBfhspecstud1-5*	Subject name (categorized)
Scale		See Appendix (20.1)

7.6   **FB: Stability of training**
Note: For the first episode the information was partly taken from t7fBval.

Are you still in the stated training?

Var	*t7fBcons1-5*	Stability of training	**Filter**
Scale		**1** *Yes*	→ 7.8 (t7fBexpcomplm1)
		2 *No*	→ 7.7 (t7fBcomplm1)

7.7	**FB: End of training**		

When did you finish this training?

Var	**t7fBcomplm1-5**	End of training (month)	
Scale		1 January	
		2 February	
		…	
		11 November	
		12 December	

Var	**t7fBcomply1-5**	End of training (year)	
Scale		1 2016	
		2 2017	
		3 2018	**→ 7.9 (t7fBrea1)**

7.8	**FB: Expected end of training**		

When do you expect to complete the training?

Var	**t7fBexpcomplm1-5**	Expected end of training (month)	
Scale		1 January	
		2 February	
		…	
		11 November	
		12 December	

Var	**t7fBexpcomply1-5**	Expected end of training (year)	
Scale		1 2018	
		2 2019	
		3 2020	
		4 2021	
		5 2022	
		6 2023	
		99 still unknown	**→ 7.11 (t7fBexpdeg1)**

7.9	**FB: Reason for the end of training**		

Why are you no longer in this training?

Var	**t7fBrea1-5**	Reason for the end of training	**Filter**
Scale		1 I successfully completed the training.	→ 7.10 (t7fBdeg1)
		2 I dropped out of training.	→ 7.12 (t7fBdrop1)
		3 Other reason	→ 7.9 (t7fBreaoth1)

Var new	**t7fBreaoth1-5**	Reason for the end of training, other	→ 7.13 (t7fBwork1)
Scale		1 Termination	
		2 Insufficient performance	
		3 Other	

7.10	**FB: Degree**		

With which degree did you complete this training?

Var	**t7fBdeg1-5**	Degree	**Filter**
Scale		1 Without (official) degree	→ 7.10 (t7fBgrd1)
		2 Vocational Baccalaureate	→ 7.10 (t7fBgrd1)
		3 PET Diploma	→ 7.10 (t7fBgrd1)
		4 Advanced Federal PET Diploma	→ 7.10 (t7fBgrd1)
		5 Federal PET Diploma	→ 7.10 (t7fBgrd1)
		6 CAS	→ 7.10 (t7fBgrd1)
		7 DAS	→ 7.10 (t7fBgrd1)
		8 MAS	→ 7.10 (t7fBgrd1)
		9 Other degree	→ 7.10 (t7fBdegoth1)

Var new	**t7fBdegoth1-5**	Degree, other	
Scale		1 University degree	
		2 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ)	
		3 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) with Vocational Baccalaureate	
		4 Baccalaureate	
		5 Federal PET diploma	
		6 Work experience	
		7 Diploma/degree	
		8 Other	

Which final grade did you receive in the certificate of the training?

Var	**t7fBgrd1-5**	Final grade	**Filter**
Scale		1 Graded	→ 7.10 (t7fBgrdspec1)
		2 No Grading	→ 7.13 (t7fBwork1)

Var	**t7fBgrdspec1-5**	Grade of the certificate	**→ 7.13 (t7fBwork1)**

With which degree do you expect to complete the training?

Var	*t7fBexpdeg1-5*	Expected degree	**Filter**
Scale		*1 Without (official) degree*	→ 7.13 (t7fBwork1)
		2 Vocational Baccalaureate	→ 7.13 (t7fBwork1)
		3 PET Diploma	→ 7.13 (t7fBwork1)
		4 Advanced Federal PET Diploma	→ 7.13 (t7fBwork1)
		5 Federal PET Diploma	→ 7.13 (t7fBwork1)
		6 CAS	→ 7.13 (t7fBwork1)
		7 DAS	→ 7.13 (t7fBwork1)
		8 MAS	→ 7.13 (t7fBwork1)
		9 Other degree	→ 7.11 (t7fBexpdegoth1)

Var new	*t7fBexpdegoth1-5*	Expected degree, other
Scale		*1 University degree*
		2 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ)
		3 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) with Vocational Baccalaureate
		4 Baccalaureate
		5 Federal PET diploma
		6 Work experience
		7 Diploma/degree
		8 Other

→ 7.13 (t7fBwork1)

7.12   FB: Reason for quitting the training

Why did you quit your training?

		Reason for quitting training	**Filter**
Var	*t7fBdrop11-15*	I didn't meet the performance requirements.	→ 7.13 (t7fBwork1)
	t7fBdrop21-25	The training did not meet my expectations.	→ 7.13 (t7fBwork1)
	t7fBdrop31-35	I was not satisfied with the school/university.	→ 7.13 (t7fBwork1)
	t7fBdrop41-45	Other reason	→ 7.12 (t7fBdropoth1)
Scale		*0 No*	
		1 Yes	

Var new	*t7fBdropoth1-5*	Reason for termination of training, other
Scale		*1 Termination*
		2 Insufficient performance
		3 Other

FB: Training with employment

7.13   FB: Taking up employment

Have you started a job since the beginning of this training?

Var	*t7fBwork1-5*	Taking up employment	**Filter**
Scale		*1 Yes*	→ 7.14 (t7fBworkstartm1)
		2 No	→ 17.2 Satisfaction (t7retrocont, if t7fBcons = 1)
			→ 5 Next episode (t7edudec2-5, if t7fBcons = 2)

7.14   FB: Start of employment

When did you start this job?

Var	*t7fBworkstartm1-5*	Start of employment (month)	
Scale		*1 January*	
		2 February	
		…	
		11 November	
		12 December	

Var	*t7fBworkstarty1-5*	Start of employment (year)
Scale		*1 2014*
		2 2015
		3 2016
		4 2017
		5 2018

Was a degree (apprenticeship degree, study, etc.) required for this job?

Var	**t7fBeduequi11-15**	Degree required	**Filter**
Scale		**1** Yes	→ 7.15 (t7fBeduequi2)
		2 No	→ 7.15 (t7fBeduequib3)

Which degree is usually required for this job?

Var	**t7fBeduequi21-25**	Required degree	**Filter**
Scale		**1** Federal VET Diploma (EFZ)	→ 7.15 (t7fBeduequib31)
		2 Federal VET degree (EBA)	→ 7.15 (t7fBeduequib31)
		3 Vocational Baccalaureate (BMS)	→ 7.15 (t7fBeduequib31)
		4 Specialized middle school (FMS)	→ 7.15 (t7fBeduequib31)
		5 Commercial college (HMS)	→ 7.15 (t7fBeduequib31)
		6 Baccalaureate	→ 7.15 (t7fBeduequib31)
		7 Other	→ 7.15 (t7fBeduequioth2)

Var new	**t7fBeduequioth21-25**	Required degree, other
		1 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) or Specialized middle school (FMS)
		2 Without data
		3 Students in the subject area

Does or did the job have something to do with your previous school and occupational education?

Var	**t7fBeduequib31-35**	In my work I can or could use what I've learned in my education.
	t7fBeduequic31-35	My work is/was in connection with an educational or vocational activity (e.g. training, study) that I would like to start or have started.
	t7fBeduequia31-35	My work has or had nothing or very little to do with my education so far.
Scale		**1** Yes
		2 No

What were you hired as?

Var new	**t7fBworkstamm1-5**	Occupation: 8 digits
Scale		Swiss Federal Statistical Office Classification (CH-Berufsdatenbank) Stammcode 8 digits

Var new	**t7fBworkisco1-5**	Occupation: Classified according to ISCO-08

Var new	**t7fBloc_communenr1-5**	Location of the company: name of municipality (available on request)
Scale		Swiss official commune register of the Federal Statistical Office (2018)

Is or was it a temporary job?

Var	**t7fBtemp1-5**	Temporary job
Scale		**1** Yes
		2 No

Which is your level of employment?

Var	**t7fBpro1-5**	Workload	**Filter**
Scale		**1** On an hourly basis.	→ 7.18 (t7fBwhour1)
		2 10%	→ 7.19 (t7fBincome1-5)
		3 20%	→ 7.19 (t7fBincome1-5)
		4 30%	→ 7.19 (t7fBincome1-5)
		5 40%	→ 7.19 (t7fBincome1-5)
		6 50%	→ 7.19 (t7fBincome1-5)
		7 60%	→ 7.19 (t7fBincome1-5)
		8 70%	→ 7.19 (t7fBincome1-5)
		9 80%	→ 7.19 (t7fBincome1-5)
		10 90%	→ 7.19 (t7fBincome1-5)
		11 100%	→ 7.19 (t7fBincome1-5)

Var	**t7fBwhour1-5**	How many hours do you work or did you work on average per week?

7.19	FB: Income (training with employment)

What is or was your monthly net wage?

Var	*t7fBincome1-5*	Income
Scale		**1** *Up to 500 CHF*
		2 *501–1'000 CHF*
		3 *1'001–1'500 CHF*
		4 *1'501–2'000 CHF*
		5 *2'001–2'500 CHF*
		6 *2'501–3'000 CHF*
		7 *3'001–3'500 CHF*
		8 *3'501–4'000 CHF*
		9 *4'001–4'500 CHF*
		10 *4'501–5'000 CHF*
		11 *5'001–5'500 CHF*
		12 *5'501–6'000 CHF*
		13 *More than 6'000 CHF*

7.20	FB: Occupational status

What applies or applied to your occupational status?

Var	*t7fBepg11-15*	Occupational status		**Filter**
Scale		**1** *Employed in a private or public company*		→ 7.20 (t7fBepg2)
		2 *Self-employed*		→ 7.20 (t7fBepgemp1)
		3 *Working in a family business*		→ 7.20 (t7fBepg2)

How many employees do or did you have?

Var	*t7fBepgemp1-5*	Number of employees
Scale		**1** *None*
		2 *1 to 10 employees*
		3 *More than 10 employees*

→ 7.21 (t7fBsupwork1)

How many people do or did you supervise?

Var	*t7fBepg21-25*	Authority to issue supervision
Scale		**1** *None*
		2 *1 to 10 people*
		3 *More than 10 people*

7.21	FB: Support by the company

Is or was the training supported by your company?

		Support by the company
Var	*t7fBsupwork11-15*	Yes, if needed I can or could use working time for it.
	t7fBsupwork21-25	Yes, the company contributes or contributed to the costs of the training.
	t7fBsupwork31-35	No, I am or was not supported by the company.
Scale		**1** *Yes*
		2 *No*

7.22	FB: Stability of employment

Do you still work in this job?

Var	*t7fBworkcons1-5*	Stability of employment		**Filter**
Scale		**1** *Yes*		→ 15.1 (t7fJnewwb, if t7fBcons = 2)
				→ 17.2 Satisfaction (t7retrocont, if t7fBcons = 1)
		2 *No*		→ 7.23 (t7fBworkcomplm1)

7.23	FB: End of employment

When did you stop working in this job?

Var	*t7fBworkcomplm1-5*	End of employment (month)
Scale		**1** *January*
		2 *February*
		…
		11 *November*
		12 *December*

Var	*t7fBworkcomply1-5*	End of employment (year)
Scale		**1** *2016*
		2 *2017*
		3 *2018*

→ t7fKnewwork (if t7fBcons = 1)
→ Next episode (if t7fBcons = 2)

8	Filter C: Vocational education and training (VET)

8.1	FC: Start of VET

When did you start this apprenticeship?

Var	*t7fCstartm1-5*	Start of VET (month)
Scale		*1 January*
		2 February
		…
		11 November
		12 December

Var	*t7fCstarty1-5*	Start of VET (year)
Scale		*1 2014*
		2 2015
		3 2016
		4 2017
		5 2018

8.2	FC: Title of training occupation

Note: For the first episode the specifications were partially taken from t7filter_vocspec.

Which is the name of the training occcputaion?

Var new	*t7fCvocspecbart1-5*	Training occupation: 8-digits
Scale		*Types of education for vocational training according to ISCED2013, BArt8 code*

8.3	FC: Name, location and size of training company

Var new	*t7fCloc_communenr1-5*	Location of the training company: name of municipality (available on request)
Scale		*Swiss official commune register of the Federal Statistical Office (2018)*

How many people, including yourself, work in the company where you do or did your apprenticeship?

Var	*t7fCvocsize1-5*	Size of training company
Scale		*1 Less than 5 people*
		2 5-9 people
		3 10-20 people
		4 21-49 people
		5 50-249 people
		6 250 or more people

8.4	FC: Company-based/school-based VET

Are you doing or did you do this apprenticeship in a training company or at a school (e.g. Lehrwerkstätte)?

Var	*t7fCdual1-5*	Apprenticeship: Company-/school-based
Scale		*1 In a training company*
		2 In a vocational school (e.g. training workshop)

8.5	FC: Income VET

Which is or was your monthly net wage?

Var	*t7fCincome1-5*	Income
Scale		*1 I don't get a wage.*
		2 Up to 400 CHF
		3 401–450 CHF
		4 451–500 CHF
		5 501–550 CHF
		6 551–600 CHF
		7 601–650 CHF
		8 651–700 CHF
		9 701–750 CHF
		10 751–800 CHF
		11 801–850 CHF
		12 851–900 CHF
		13 901–950 CHF
		14 951–1'000 CHF
		15 1'001–1'050 CHF
		16 1'051–1'100 CHF
		17 1'101–1'150 CHF
		18 1'151–1'200 CHF
		19 More than 1'200 CHF

8.6   FC: Vocational Baccalaureate

Do or did you attend school to get a Vocational Baccalaureate (BM) during the apprenticeship?

Var	*t7fCbmat1-5*	BMS1	**Filter**
Scale		*1 Yes*	→ 8.6 (t7fCbmattyp1)
		2 No	→ 8.6 (t7fCmatfut1)

Which type of the Vocational Baccalaureate do or did you attend?

Var   *t7fCbmattyp1-5*   Type of Vocational Baccalaureate
Scale
   1 Engineering, Architecture, Life Sciences
   2 Economy and services
   3 Art and design
   4 Nature, landscape and food
   5 Health and social services

→ 8.7 (t7fCcons1)

The Vocational Baccalaureate can also be obtained after having completed an apprenticeship. Are you considering getting the Vocational Baccalaureate once you have completed your apprenticeship?

Var   *t7fCmatfut1-5*   BMS2
Scale
   1 Yes
   2 No

8.7   FC: Stability of education/training
Note: For the first episode the data was partly taken from t7fCval.

Are you still doing this apprenticeship at the moment?

Var	*t7fCcons1-5*	Stability of education/training	**Filter**
Scale		*1 Yes*	→ 8.9 (t7fCexpcomplm1)
		2 No (even in the case of a change of training company or training profile)	→ 8.8 (t7fCcomplm1)

8.8   FC: End of VET

When did you end this apprenticeship?

Var   *t7fCcomplm1-5*   End of VET (month)
Scale
   1 January
   2 February
   …
   11 November
   12 December

Var   *t7fCcomply1-5*   End of VET (year)
Scale
   1 2016
   2 2017
   3 2018

→ 8.10 (t7fCrea1)

8.9   FC: Expected end of VET

When do you expect to complete the apprenticeship?

Var   *t7fCexpcomplm1-5*   Expected end of VET (month)
Scale
   1 January
   2 February
   …
   11 November
   12 December

Var   *t7fCexpcomply1-5*   Expected end of VET (year)
Scale
   1 2018
   2 2019
   3 2020
   4 2021
   5 2022
   6 2023
   99 still unknown

→ 8.11 (t7fCexpdeg1)

8.10   **FC: Reason for end of VET**

Why are you no longer in this apprenticeship?

Var	*t7fCrea1-5*	Reason for the end of VET	**Filter**
Scale		*1 I successfully completed the stated VET.*	→ 8.11 (t7fCdeg1)
		2 I dropped out the stated VET.	→ 8.13 (t7fCdrop1)
		3 I changed the training company/profession.	→ 8.14 (t7fCchange1)
		4 Other reason	→ 8.10 (t7fCreaoth1)

Var	*t7fCreaoth1-5*	Reason for the end of VET, other	→ 5 Next episode (t7edudec2-5)
Scale		*1 Health reasons*	
		2 Start of military/civil service	
		3 Start of training	
		4 Seasonal work	
		5 Other	

8.11   **FC: Expected degree**

With which degree did you complete the apprenticeship?

Var	*t7fCdeg1-5*	Degree VET	**Filter**
Scale		*1 Federal VET degree (EBA)*	→ 8.12 (t7fCgrd1)
		2 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ)	→ 8.11 (t7fCdegefz1)
		3 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) and Vocational Baccalaureate	→ 8.11 (t7fCdegefz1)
		4 Other	→ 8.11 (t7fCdegoth1)

Var new	*t7fCdegoth1-5*	Degree VET, other	→ 8.12 (t7fCgrd1)

Is your Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) degree assigned to a profile?

Var	*t7fCdegefz1-5*	Degree VET profile Federal VET Diploma (EFZ)	**Filter**
Scale		*1 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) without profile*	→ 8.12 (t7fCgrdbm, if t7fCdeg = 3)
		2 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) B-Profile	→ 8.12 (t7fCgrd, sonst)
		3 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) E-Profile	
		4 Other profile	→ 8.11 (t7fCdegefzoth1)

Var new	*t7fCdegefzoth1-5*	Degree VET profile Federal VET Diploma (EFZ), other profile	
Scale		*1 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) M-Profile*	
		2 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) G-Profile	→ 8.12 (t7fCgrdbm, if t7fCdeg = 3)
		3 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) Distribution	→ 8.12 (t7fCgrd, sonst)
		4 Other	

With which degree do you expect to complete the apprenticeship?

Var	*t7fCexpdeg1-5*	Expected degree VET	**Filter**
Scale		*1 Federal VET degree (EBA)*	→ 17.2 Satisfaction (t7retrocont)
		2 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ)	→ 8.11 (t7fCexpdegefz1)
		3 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) and Vocational Baccalaureate	→ 8.11 (t7fCexpdegefz1)
		4 Other degree	→ 8.11 (t7fCexpdegoth1)

Var new	*t7fCexpdegoth1-5*	Expected degree VET, other	→ 17.2 Satisfaction (t7retrocont)
Scale		*1 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) M-Profile*	
		2 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) G-Profile	
		3 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) Distribution	
		4 Other	

Is your Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) assigned to a profile?

Var	*t7fCexpdegefz1-5*	Expected degree VET profile Federal VET Diploma (EFZ)	**Filter**
Scale		*1 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) without profile*	→ 17.2 Satisfaction (t7retrocont)
		2 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) B-Profile	→ 17.2 Satisfaction (t7retrocont)
		3 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) E-Profile	→ 17.2 Satisfaction (t7retrocont)
		4 Other profile	→ 8.11 (t7fCexpdegefzoth1)

Var new	*t7fCexpdegefzoth1-5*	Expected degree VET profile EFZ, other profile	→ 17.2 Satisfaction (t7retrocont)
Scale		*1 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) M-Profile*	
		2 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) G-Profile	
		3 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) Distribution	
		4 Other	

8.12	FC: Final grade	

Which final grade did you receive in your Vocational Baccalaureate degree?

Var	*t7fCgrdbm1-5*	Grade BMS

Which final grade did you receive in your apprenticeship degree?

Var	*t7fCgrd1-5*	Grade apprenticeship degree

What do you think, how did your grade turn out compared to your classmates?

Var	*t7fCgrdcomp1-5*	Grade apprenticeship degree in comparison
Scale	**1**	*Much worse*
	2	*Rather worse*
	3	*About the same*
	4	*Rather better*
	5	*Much better*

→ **5 Next episode (t7edudec2-5)**

8.13	FC: Reason for quitting VET	

Why did you quit your apprenticeship?

		Reason for quitting VET	**Filter**
Var	*t7fCdrop11-15*	I didn't meet the performance requirements of the company/school.	→ 5 Next episode (t7edudec2-5)
	t7fCdrop21-25	The training didn't meet my expectations in terms of content.	→ 5 Next episode (t7edudec2-5)
	t7fCdrop31-35	I wasn't satisfied with the training company.	→ 5 Next episode (t7edudec2-5)
	t7fCdrop41-45	Other reason	→ 8.13 (t7fCdropoth1)
Scale	**0**	*No*	
	1	*Yes*	

Var new	*t7fCdropoth1-5*	Reason for quitting VET, other

→ **5 Next episode (t7edudec2-5)**

8.14	FC: Reason for changing VET	

Why did you change the training company or the training occupation?

		Reason for changing VET	**Filter**
Var	*t7fCchange11-15*	I didn't meet the performance requirements of the company/school.	→ 8.1 of the Next episode (t7fCstartm2)
	t7fCchange21-25	The training didn't meet my expectations in terms of content.	→ 8.1 of the Next episode (t7fCstartm2)
	t7fCchange31-35	I wasn't satisfied with the training company.	→ 8.1 of the Next episode (t7fCstartm2)
	t7fCchange41-45	Other reason	→ 8.14 (t7fCchangeoth1)
Scale	**0**	*No*	
	1	*Yes*	

Var new	*t7fCchangeoth1-5*	Reason for changing VET, other
Scale	**1**	*Health reasons*
	2	*Start of military/civil service*
	3	*Start of training*
	4	*Seasonal work*
	5	*Other*

→ **8.1 of the Next episode (t7fCstartm2)**

9	Filter D: Study

9.1	FD: Field of study

Which is your field of study?

Var new	*t7fDspeckat1-5*	Subject name (categorized)
Scale		See Appendix (20.1)

9.2	FD: Type of University

At which university are you studying or did you study?

Var	*t7fDtyp1-5*	Type of University
Scale	**1**	*University of Teacher Education*
	2	*University of Applied Sciences*
	3	*University*
	4	*Federal Institutes of Technology (ETH/ EPFL)*
	5	*Other*

9.3	FD: Location of the University

Var new	*t7fDloc_communenr1-5*	Location of the University: name of municipality (available on request)
Scale		*Swiss official commune register of the Federal Statistical Office (2018)*

9.4	FD: Semester abroad

Are you considering spending one or more semesters abroad?

Var **t7fDabr1-5**   Consideration semester abroad
Scale
     1 *Certainly not*
     2 *Rather no*
     3 *Rather yes*
     4 *For certain*

9.5	FD: Start of study

When did you start this study?

Var **t7fDstartm1-5**   Start of study (month)
Scale
     1 *January*
     2 *February*
     …
     11 *November*
     12 *December*

Var **t7fDstarty1-5**   Start of study (year)
Scale
     1 *2014*
     2 *2015*
     3 *2016*
     4 *2017*
     5 *2018*

9.6	FD: Stability of study

Note: For the first episode the data was partially taken from t7fDval.

Are you still studying in this course of study at the stated university?

Var **t7fDcons1-5**   Stability of study
Scale
     1 *Yes*
     2 *No (even in case of change of university or field of study)*

Filter
→ 9.8 (t7fDexpcomplm1)
→ 9.7 (t7fDcomplm1)

9.7	FD: End of study

When did you end the stated study or leave the stated university?

Var **t7fDcomplm1-5**   End of study (month)
Scale
     1 *January*
     2 *February*
     …
     11 *November*
     12 *December*

Var **t7fDcomply1-5**   End of study (year)
Scale
     1 *2016*
     2 *2017*
     3 *2018*

→ 9.9 (t7fDrea1)

9.8	FD: Expected end of study

When are you expected to complete your study?

Var **t7fDexpcomplm1-5**   Expected end of study (month)
Scale
     1 *January*
     2 *February*
     …
     11 *November*
     12 *December*

Var **t7fDexpcomply1-5**   Expected end of study (year)
Scale
     1 *2018*
     2 *2019*
     3 *2020*
     4 *2021*
     5 *2022*
     6 *2023*
     99 *still unknown*

→ 9.10 (t7fDexpdeg1)

9.9   FD: Reason for end of study

Why are you no longer in this study or university?

Var	**t7fDrea1-5**	Reason for end of study	**Filter**
Scale		*1 I successfully completed the stated course of study.*	→ 9.10 (t7fDdeg1)
		2 I dropped out of the stated course of study.	→ 9.11 (t7fDdrop1)
		3 I changed my course of study or university.	→ 9.12 (t7fDchange1)
		4 Other reason	→ 9.9 (t7fDreaoth1)

Var new	**t7fDreaoth1-5**	Reason for end of study, other	→ 9.13 (t7fDwork1)
Scale		*1 Health reasons*	
		2 Start of military/civil service	
		3 Start of training	
		4 Seasonal work	
		5 Other	

9.10   FD: (Expected) degree

With which degree did you complete your study?

Var	**t7fDdeg1-5**	Degree study	**Filter**
Scale		*1 Bachelor*	→ 9.10 (t7fDgrd1)
		2 Master	→ 9.10 (t7fDgrd1)
		3 Other degree	→ 9.10 (t7fDdegoth1)

Var new	**t7fDdegoth1-5**	Degree study, other	→ 9.10 (t7fDgrd1)
Scale		*1 Diploma*	
		2 Doctorate	
		3 Other	

Which final grade did you get in your degree?

Var	**t7fDgrd1-5**	Final grade study	**→ 9.13 (t7fDwork1)**

With which degree do you expect to complete your study?

Var	**t7fDexpdeg1-5**	Expected degree study	**Filter**
Scale		*1 Bachelor*	→ 9.13 (t7fDwork1)
		2 Master	→ 9.13 (t7fDwork1)
		3 Other degree	→ 9.10 (t7fDexpdegoth1)

Var new	**t7fDexpdegoth1-5**	Expected degree study, other	
Scale		*1 Diploma*	
		2 Doctorate	
		3 Other	**→ 9.13 (t7fDwork1)**

9.11   FD: Reason for university drop-out

Why did you drop out of university?

		Reason for university drop-out	**Filter**
Var	**t7fDdrop11-15**	I didn't meet the performance requirements of the university.	→ 9.13 (t7fDwork1)
	t7fDdrop21-25	The course of study didn't meet my expectations in terms of content.	→ 9.13 (t7fDwork1)
	t7fDdrop31-35	I was not satisfied with the university.	→ 9.13 (t7fDwork1)
	t7fDdrop41-45	Other reason	→ 9.11 (t7fDdropoth1)
Scale		*0 No*	
		1 Yes	

Var	**t7fDdropoth1-5**	Reason for university drop-out, other	**→ 9.13 (t7fDwork1)**

9.12   FD: Reason for change of study

Why did you change your field of study or university?

		Reason for change of study	**Filter**
Var	**t7fDchange11-15**	I didn't meet the performance requirements of the university.	→ 9.5 Next episode (t7fDstartm2)
	t7fDchange21-25	The course of study didn't meet my expectations in terms of content.	→ 9.5 Next episode (t7fDstartm2)
	t7fDchange31-35	I was not satisfied with the university.	→ 9.5 Next episode (t7fDstartm2)
	t7fDchange41-45	Other reason	→ 9.12 (t7fDchangeoth1)
Scale		*0 No*	
		1 Yes	

Var new	**t7fDchangeoth1-5**	Reason for change of study, other	→ 9.5 Next episode (t7fDstartm2)
Scale		*1 Course of study only second priority*	

	Filter D: Study with employment

9.13   FD: Taking up employment

Have you started a job (as a part-time job/side job) during your study?

Var	*t7fDwork1-5*		Taking up employment	**Filter**
Scale		**1**	*Yes*	→ 9.14 (t7fDworkstartm1)
		2	*No*	→ 5 Next episode (t7edudec2-5, if t7fDcons =2)
				→ 17.2 Satisfaction (t7retrocont, if t7fDcons = 1)

9.14   FD: Start of employment

When did you start this part-time job?

Var	*t7fDworkstartm1-5*		Start of part-time job (month)
Scale		**1**	*January*
		2	*February*
			…
		11	*November*
		12	*December*

Var	*t7fDworkstarty1-5*		Start of part-time job (year)
Scale		**1**	*2014*
		2	*2015*
		3	*2016*
		4	*2017*
		5	*2018*

9.15   FD: Company

Var new	*t7fDworkloc_communenr1-5*	Location of the company: name of municipality (available on request)
Scale		*Swiss official commune register of the Federal Statistical Office (2018)*

9.16   FD: Title of occupation

What were you hired as?

Var new	*t7fDworkstamm1-5*	Occupation: 8 digits
Scale		*Swiss Federal Statistical Office Classification (CH-Berufsdatenbank)*
		Stammcode 8 digits

Var new	*t7fDworkisco1-5*	Occupation: Classified according to ISCO-08

9.17   FD: Conditions of employment

Is or was it a temporary job?

Var	*t7fDworktemp1-5*		Temporary job
Scale		**1**	*Yes*
		2	*No*

Which is or was your level of employment?

Var	*t7fDworkpro1-5*		Workload	**Filter**
Scale		**1**	*On an hourly basis.*	→ 9.17 (t7fDworkhour1)
		2	*10%*	→ 9.18 (t7fDworkincome1-5)
		3	*20%*	→ 9.18 (t7fDworkincome1-5)
		4	*30%*	→ 9.18 (t7fDworkincome1-5)
		5	*40%*	→ 9.18 (t7fDworkincome1-5)
		6	*50%*	→ 9.18 (t7fDworkincome1-5)
		7	*60%*	→ 9.18 (t7fDworkincome1-5)
		8	*70%*	→ 9.18 (t7fDworkincome1-5)
		9	*80%*	→ 9.18 (t7fDworkincome1-5)
		10	*90%*	→ 9.18 (t7fDworkincome1-5)
		11	*100%*	→ 9.18 (t7fDworkincome1-5)

Var	*t7fDworkwhour1-5*	*How many hours do you work or did you work on average per week?*

9.18   FD: Income (study with) employment

Which is your monthly net wage?

Var	**t7fDworkincome1-5**	Income
Scale		1 *Up to 500 CHF*
		2 *501–1'000 CHF*
		3 *1'001–1'500 CHF*
		4 *1'501–2'000 CHF*
		5 *2'001–2'500 CHF*
		6 *2'501–3'000 CHF*
		7 *3'001–3'500 CHF*
		8 *3'501–4'000 CHF*
		9 *4'001–4'500 CHF*
		10 *4'501–5'000 CHF*
		11 *5'001–5'500 CHF*
		12 *5'501–6'000 CHF*
		13 *More than 6'000 CHF*

9.19   FD: Adequacy with regards to education/training

Was a degree required for this part-time job?

Var	**t7fDworkeduequi11-15**	Degree required	**Filter**
Scale		1 *Yes*	→ 9.19 (t7fDworkeduequi2)
		2 *No*	→ 9.19 (t7fDeduequid3)

Which degree is usually required for this job?

Var	**t7fDworkeduequi21-25**	Required degree	**Filter**
Scale		1 *Federal VET Diploma (EFZ)*	→ 9.19 (t7fDeduequid31-35)
		2 *Federal VET degree (EBA)*	→ 9.19 (t7fDeduequid31-35)
		3 *Vocational Baccalaureate (BMS)*	→ 9.19 (t7fDeduequid31-35)
		4 *Specialized middle school (FMS)*	→ 9.19 (t7fDeduequid31-35)
		5 *Commercial college (HMS)*	→ 9.19 (t7fDeduequid31-35)
		6 *Baccalaureate*	→ 9.19 (t7fDeduequid31-35)
		7 *Other*	→ 9.19 (t7fDworkeduequioth21)

Var new	**t7fDworkeduequioth21-25**	Required degree, other
Scale		1 *Study*
		2 *Federal VET Diploma (EFZ)*
		3 *Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) with Vocational Baccalaureate*
		4 *Baccalaureate*
		5 *Federal PET diploma*
		6 *Work experience*
		7 *Other*

Does or did this educational or vocational activity have something to do with your study or with your previous VET?

Var	**t7fDeduequid31-35**	My work stands or stood in connection with the contents of my study.
	t7fDeduequib31-35	In my work I can/could use what I've learned in my education.
	t7fDeduequic31-35	My work is or was related to an educational or vocational activity (e.g. training, study) that I want to start or have started.
	t7fDeduequia31-35	My work has or had nothing or very little to do with my education so far.
Scale		1 *Yes*
		2 *No*

9.20   FD: Stability of employment

Do you still work in this job?

Var	**t7fDworkcons1-5**	Stability employment	**Filter**
Scale		1 *Yes*	→ 17.2 Satisfaction (t7retrocont)
		2 *No*	→ 9.21 (t7fDworkcomplm1)

9.21   FD: End of employment

When did you stop working in this job?

Var	**t7fDworkcomplm1-5**	End of employment (month)
Scale		1 *January*
		2 *February*
		…
		11 *November*
		12 *December*

Var	**t7fDworkcomply1-5**	End of employment(year)
Scale		1 *2016*
		2 *2017*
		3 *2018*

→ 5. Next episode (t7edudec2-5, if t7fDcons = 2)
→ 16.1 (t7fKnewwork, if t7fDcons = 1)

10 Filter E: School education

10.1 FE: Type of school education

Which type of school education is or was it?

Var Scale	t7fEtyp1-5	Type of school education	Filter
		1 Specialized middle school (FMS)	→ 10.3 (t7fEloc_communenr1)
		2 Commercial college (HMS)	→ 10.3 (t7fEloc_communenr1)
		3 Commercial college (IMS)	→ 10.3 (t7fEloc_communenr1)
		4 Commercial college (WMS)	→ 10.3 (t7fEloc_communenr1)
		5 Baccalaureate school	→ 10.2 (t7fEmatmaj1)
		6 University of Teacher Education	→ 10.3 (t7fEloc_communenr1)
		7 Baccalaureate school/ Passerelle (complementary examination allowing for university study)	→ 10.3 (t7fEloc_communenr1)
		8 Other school	→ 10.1 (t7fEtypoth1)

Var new Scale	t7fEtypoth1-5	Type of school education, other	→ 10.3 (t7fEloc_communenr1)
		1 University degree	
		2 Baccalaureate	
		3 Passerelle (complementary examination allowing for university study)	
		4 Vocational Baccalaureate	
		5 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ)	
		6 Other	

10.2 FE: Main and supplementary subject in baccalaureate school

Which main and supplementary subject do or did you study at the baccalaureate school?

Var Scale	t7fEmatmaj1-5	Baccalaureate school: Main subject
		1 Ancient languages (Latin or Greek)
		2 Modern languages (French, Italian, English, Spanish or Russian)
		3 Physics and mathematics
		4 Biology and chemistry
		5 Economics and law
		6 Philosophy/Pedagogy/Psychology
		7 Fine arts
		8 Music
		9 Other major subject

Var	t7fEmatsec1-5	Baccalaureate school: Supplementary subject
		1 Physics
		2 Chemistry
		3 Biology
		4 Applications of mathematics
		5 History
		6 Geography
		7 Philosophy
		8 Economics and law
		9 Fine arts
		10 Music
		11 Sports
		12 Computer science
		13 Other supplementary subject

10.3 FE: Name/location of school

Var new Scale	t7fEloc_communenr1-5	Location of school: name of municipality (available on request)
		Swiss official commune register of the Federal Statistical Office (2018)

10.4 FE: Start of school education

When did you start this education?

Var Scale	t7fEstartm1-5	Start of school education (month)
		1 January
		2 February
		…
		11 November
		12 December

Var Scale	t7fEstarty1-5	Start of school education (year)
		1 2014
		2 2015
		3 2016
		4 2017
		5 2018

10.5	**FE: Stability of school education**		

Note: For the first episode the information was partly taken from t7fEval.

Are you still in this education?

Var	*t7fEcons1-5*	Stability of school education	**Filter**
Scale		*1 Yes*	→ 10.12 (t7fEexpcomplm1)
		2 No (even in case of change of school or training profile)	→ 10.6 (t7fErea1)

10.6	**FE: Reason for end of school education**		

Why are you no longer in this school education?

Var	*t7fErea1-5*	Reason for end of school education	**Filter**
Scale		*1 I successfully completed the school education.*	→ 10.9 (t7fEcomplm1)
		2 I quit the school education.	→ 10.7 (t7fEdrop1)
		3 I changed school or type of education.	→ 10.8 (t7fEchange1)
		4 Other reason	→ 10.6 (t7fEreaoth1)
Var new	*t7fEreaoth1-5*	Reason for end of school education, other	→ 10.9 (t7fEcomplm1)
Scale		*1 Personal reasons*	

10.7	**FE: Reason for quitting school education**		

Why did you quit your school education?

Var		Reason for quitting school education	**Filter**
	t7fEdrop11-15	I didn't meet the performance requirements of the school.	→ 10.9 (t7fEcomplm1)
	t7fEdrop21-25	The education didn't meet my expectations in terms of content.	→ 10.9 (t7fEcomplm1)
	t7fEdrop31-35	I wasn't satisfied with the school.	→ 10.9 (t7fEcomplm1)
	t7fEdrop41-45	Other reason	→ 10.7 (t7fEdropoth1)
Scale		*0 No*	
		1 Yes	
Var	*t7fEdropoth1-5*	Reason for quitting school education, other	**→ 10.9 (t7fEcomplm1)**

10.8	**FE: Reason for changing school education**		

Why did you change school education or type of training?

Var		Reason for changing school education	**Filter**
	t7fEchange11-15	I didn't meet the performance requirements of the school.	→ 10.4 (t7fEstartm2)
	t7fEchange21-25	The education didn't meet my expectations in terms of content.	→ 10.4 (t7fEstartm2)
	t7fEchange31-35	I wasn't satisfied with the school.	→ 10.4 (t7fEstartm2)
	t7fEchange41-45	Other reason	→ 10.8 (t7fEchangeoth1)
Scale		*0 No*	
		1 Yes	
Var	*t7fEchangeoth1-5*	Reason for changing school education, other	**→ 10.4 (t7fEstartm2)**

10.9	**FE: End of school education**		

When did you finish this school education?

Var	*t7fEcomplm1-5*	End of school education (month)	
Scale		*1 January*	
		2 February	
		…	
		11 November	
		12 December	
Var	*t7fEcomply1-5*	End of school education (year)	
Scale		*1 2016*	
		2 2017	
		3 2018	

10.10   FE: Degree

With which degree did you complete your school education?

Var	**t7fEdeg1-5**	Degree	**Filter**
Scale		*1 Federal VET degree (EBA)*	→ 10.11 (t7fEgrd1)
		2 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ)	→ 10.10 (t7fEdegefz1)
		3 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) und Vocational Baccalaureate	→ 10.10 (t7fEdegefz1)
		4 Other	→ 10.10 (t7fEdegoth1)
		5 Baccalaureate	→ 10.11 (t7fEgrd1)
		6 Specialized middle school (FMS) degree	→ 10.11 (t7fEgrd1)
		7 Specialized middle school (FMS) degree and Specialized baccalaureate	→ 10.11 (t7fEgrd1)

Var new	**t7fEdegoth1-5**	Degree, other
Scale		*1 University degree*
		2 Baccalaureate
		3 Passerelle (complementary examination allowing for university study)
		4 Vocational Baccalaureate
		5 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ)
		6 Other

→ 10.11 (t7fEgrd1)

Is your Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) degree assigned to a profile?

Var	**t7fEdegefz1-5**	Degree profile Federal VET Diploma (EFZ)	**Filter**
Scale		*1 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) without profile*	→ 10.11 (t7fEgrd1)
		2 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) B-Profile	→ 10.11 (t7fEgrd1)
		3 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) E-Profile	→ 10.11 (t7fEgrd1)
		4 Other profile	→ 10.10 (t7fEdegefzoth1)

Var new	**t7fEdegefzoth1-5**	Degree profile Federal VET Diploma (EFZ), other
Scale		*1 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) M-Profile*
		2 Other

10.11   FE: Final grade school education

Which final grade did you get in your diploma?

Var	**t7fEgrd1-5**	School education: Final grade
Scale		*1 4*
		2 4.1
		3 4.3
		4 4.3
		…
		20 5.9
		21 6

→ 5 Next episode (t7edudec2-5)

if t7fEdeg = 3 or == 7

Which final grade did you receive in your Vocational Baccalaureate or Specialized Baccalaureate degree?

Var	**t7fEgrdbmfm1-5**	Final grade Vocational Baccalaureate or Specialized Baccalaureate degree
Scale		*1 4*
		2 4.1
		3 4.3
		4 4.3
		…
		20 5.9
		21 6

→ 5 Next episode (t7edudec2-5)

10.12   FE: Expected end of school education

When do you expect to complete the school education?

Var	**t7fEexpcomplm1-5**	(Expected) end of school education (month)
Scale		*1 January*
		2 February
		…
		11 November
		12 December

Var	**t7fEexpcomply1-5**	(Expected) end of school education (year)
Scale		*1 2018*
		2 2019
		3 2020
		4 2021
		5 2022
		6 2023
		99 still unknown

10.13   FE: Expected degree

With which degree do you expect to complete the school education?

Var	**t7fEexpdeg1-5**	Expected degree	
Scale		*1 Federal VET degree (EBA)*	
		2 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ)	
		3 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) und Vocational Baccalaureate	
		4 Other	
		5 Baccalaureate	
		6 Specialized middle school (FMS) degree	
		7 Specialized middle school (FMS) degree and Specialized Baccalaureate	

Var new	**t7fEexpdegoth1-5**	Expected degree, other	
Scale		*1 University degree*	
		2 Baccalaureate	
		3 Passerelle (complementary examination allowing for university study)	
		4 Vocational Baccalaureate	
		5 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ)	
		6 Other	

Is your Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) degree assigned to a profile?

Var	**t7fEexpdegefz1-5**	Degree profile Federal VET Diploma (EFZ)	
Scale		*1 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) without profile*	
		2 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) B-Profile	
		3 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) E-Profile	
		4 Other profile	

Var new	**t7fEexpdegefzoth1-5**	Degree profile Federal VET Diploma (EFZ), other	
Scale		*1 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) M-Profile*	
		2 Other	

11   Filter F: Internship

11.1   FF: Title of internship

Which is or was the title of the internship?

Var new	**t7fFspec1-5**	Title of internship
Scale		*International Standard Classification of Education (ISCED) 97, Bart8-Code*

11.2   FF: Type of internship

Which type of internship is or was it?

Var	**t7fFtyp1-5**	Type of internship	
Scale		*1 This is a condition for an education which I would like to do in the future.*	
		2 First entry into professional life after I've completed my education.	
		3 An employment program e.g. for job seekers.	
		4 Other type	

Var new	**t7fFtypoth1-5**	Type of internship, other type
Scale		*1 Gaining work experience*
		2 Gap year
		3 Requirement to continue education
		4 Other

11.3   FF: Start of internship

When did you start this internship?

Var	**t7fFstartm1-5**	Start of internship (month)
Scale		*1 January*
		2 February
		…
		11 November
		12 December

Var	**t7fFstarty1-5**	Start of internship (year)
Scale		*1 2014*
		2 2015
		3 2016
		4 2017
		5 2018

11.4   FF: Stability of internship
Note: For the first episode the information was partly taken from t7fFval.

Are you still in this internship?

Var	**t7fFcons1-5**	Stability of internship	
Scale		*1 Yes*	
		2 No	

11.5	**FF: End of internship**		

When did you finish this internship?

Var	**t7fFcomplm1-5**	End of internship (month)	
Scale		*1*	*January*
		2	*February*
			…
		11	*November*
		12	*December*

Var	**t7fFcomply1-5**	End of internship (year)	
Scale		*1*	*2016*
		2	*2017*
		3	*2018*

<div align="right">→ 2.3 (t7edu)</div>

11.6	**FF: Expected end of internship**		

When do you expect to complete this internship?

Var	**t7fFexpcomplm1-5**	Expected end of internship (month)	
Scale		*1*	*January*
		2	*February*
			…
		11	*November*
		12	*December*

Var	**t7fFexpcomply1-5**	Expected end of internship (year)	
Scale		*1*	*2018*
		2	*2019*
		3	*2020*
		4	*2021*
		5	*2022*
		6	*2023*
		99	*still unknown*

<div align="right">→ 17.2 Satisfaction (t7retrocont)</div>

12	**Filter G: Military service/Staying abroad**		

12.1	**FG: Start of activity**		

When did you start this activity?

Var	**t7fGstartm1-5**	Start of activity (month)	
Scale		*1*	*January*
		2	*February*
			…
		11	*November*
		12	*December*

Var	**t7fGstarty1-5**	Start of activity (year)	
Scale		*1*	*2014*
		2	*2015*
		3	*2016*
		4	*2017*
		5	*2018*

12.2	**FG: Stability of activity**		

Note: For the first episode the information was partly taken from t7fGval.

Are you still doing this activity?

Var	**t7fGcons1-5**	Stability of activity		**Filter**
Scale		*1*	*Yes*	→ 12.4 (t7fGexpcomplm1)
		2	*No*	→ 12.3 (t7fGcomplm1)

12.3	**FG: End of activity**		

When did you end the activity?

Var	**t7fGcomplm1-5**	End of activity (month)	
Scale		*1*	*January*
		2	*February*
			…
		11	*November*
		12	*December*

Var	**t7fGcomply1-5**	End of activity (year)	
Scale		*1*	*2016*
		2	*2017*
		3	*2018*

<div align="right">→ 5 Next episode (t7edudec2-5)</div>

12.4	FG: Expected end of activity

When do you expect to end the activity?

Var Scale	**t7fGexpcomplm1-5**		Expected end of activity (month)
		1	January
		2	February
			…
		11	November
		12	December

Var Scale	**t7fGexpcomply1-5**		Expected end of activity (year)	
		1	2018	
		2	2019	
		3	2020	
		4	2021	
		5	2022	
		6	2023	→ **17.2 Satisfaction (t7retrocont)**
		99	still unknown	

13	Filter H: Unemployment

13.1	FH: Start of unemployment

When did the phase of unemployment begin?

Var Scale	**t7fHstartm1-5**		Start of unemployment (month)
		1	January
		2	February
			…
		11	November
		12	December

Var Scale	**t7fHstarty1-5**		Start of unemployment (year)
		1	2014
		2	2015
		3	2016
		4	2017
		5	2018

13.2	FH: Reason for unemployment

Why are or were you unemployed?

				Filter
Var	**t7fHrea11-15**		Physical limitations/disability (handicap/illness)	→ 13.3 (t7fHcons1-5)
	t7fHrea21-25		No job found	→ 13.3 (t7fHcons1-5)
	t7fHrea31-35		No interest in employment	→ 13.3 (t7fHcons1-5)
	t7fHrea41-45		Housework, family work, caring tasks	→ 13.3 (t7fHcons1-5)
	t7fHrea51-55		Other personal obligations	→ 13.3 (t7fHcons1-5)
	t7fHrea61-65		Secondary job/ cooperation in family business	→ 13.3 (t7fHcons1-5)
	t7fHrea71-75		Other reason	→ 13.2 (t7fHreaoth1)
Scale		0	No	
		1	Yes	
Var new Scale	**t7fHreaoth1-5**		Reason for unemployment, other reason	→ 13.3 (t7fHcons1-5)
		1	Change of profession	
		2	Holidays/travel	
		3	Problems with previous work(place)	
		4	Other	

13.3	FH: Stability of unemployment

Note: For the first episode the information was partly taken from t7fHval.

Are you still unemployed?

				Filter
Var Scale	**t7fHcons1-5**		Stability of unemployment	→ 17.2 Satisfaction (t7retrocont)
		1	Yes	→ 13.4 (t7fHcomplm1)
		2	No, since then I've started a new educational or vocational activity (e.g. employment, training, study)	

13.4   **FH: End of unemployment**

When did you stop being unemployed?

Var	**t7fHcomplm1-5**	End of unemployment (month)
Scale		**1** January
		2 February
		…
		11 November
		12 December

Var	**t7fHcomply1-5**	End of unemployment (year)
Scale		**1** 2016
		2 2017
		3 2018

> → **5 Next episode (t7edudec2-5)**

14   **Filter Z: Not listed educational or vocational activity**

14.1   **FZ: Title of educational or vocational activity**

You stated that you've pursued an educational or vocational activity or education which is not listed. Here you now have the opportunity to describe exactly which kind of educational or vocational activity or training it is/was.

Var new	**t7fZspec1-5**	Title of educational or vocational activity
Scale		**1** Additional year of secondary school
		2 Language stay at home/abroad without language school
		3 Language stay at home/abroad with language school
		4 Travelling
		5 NEET (Not in Education, Employment, or Training)
		6 Health-related time off
		7 IV or labour market measure (e.g. integration measure)
		8 Full-time hobby
		9 Unassignable

14.2   **FZ: Start of educational or vocational activity**

When did you start this educational or vocational activity?

Var	**t7fZstartm1-5**	Start of educational or vocational activity (month)
Scale		**1** January
		2 February
		…
		11 November
		12 December

Var	**t7fZstarty1-5**	Start of educational or vocational activity (year)
Scale		**1** 2014
		2 2015
		3 2016
		4 2017
		5 2018

14.3   **FZ: Stability of educational or vocational activity**

Are you still doing this educational or vocational activity?

Var	**t7fZcons1-5**	Stability educational or vocational activity	**Filter**
Scale		**1** Yes	→ 14.5 (t7fZexpcomplm1)
		2 No	→ 14.4 (t7fZcomplm1)

14.4   **FZ: Ende of educational or vocational activity**

When did you stop this educational or vocational activity?

Var	**t7fZcomplm1-5**	End of educational or vocational activity (month)
Scale		**1** January
		2 February
		…
		11 November
		12 December
		99 Unclear

Var	**t7fZcomply1-5**	End of educational or vocational activity (year)
Scale		**1** 2016
		2 2017
		3 2018

> → **5 Next episode (t7edudec2-5)**

14.5	**FZ: Expected end of educational or vocational activity**		

When do you expect to end this educational or vocational activity?

Var	**t7fZexpcomplm1-5**	Expected end of educational or vocational activity (month)	
Scale		1	January
		2	February
			…
		11	November
		12	December
		99	Still unknown

Var	**t7fZexpcomply1-5**	Expected end of educational or vocational activity (year)	
Scale		1	2018
		2	2019
		3	2020
		4	2021
		5	2022
		6	2023
		99	Still unknown

→ **17.2 Satisfaction (t7retrocont)**

15	**Filter J: new training during employment**	

15.1	**FJ: Taking up training**	

Have you started a new training during your current employment?

Var	**t7fJnewwb1-5**	Taking up training	**Filter**
Scale		1 Yes	→ 15.2 (t7fJsupwork1)
		2 No	→ 17.2 Satisfaction (t7retrocont)

15.2	**FJ: Support by the company**	

Is or was the training supported by your company?

		Support by the company	
Var	**t7fJsupwork11-15**	Yes, I can/could use working time for this if required.	
	t7fJsupwork21-25	Yes, the company contributes or contributed to the costs of the training.	
	t7fJsupwork31-35	No, I am or was not supported by the company.	
Scale		1 Yes	
		2 No	

15.3	**FJ: Type of training**	

Which kind of training are you doing or did you do?

Var	**t7fJspec1-5**	Type of training	**Filter**
Scale		1 Vocational Baccalaureate School	→ 15.4 (t7fJmattyp1)
		2 College of Professional Education and Training (PET)	→ 15.5 (t7fJhftyp1)
		3 University of Applied Sciences	→ 15.6 (t7fJfhspec1)
		4 Other	→ 15.3 (t7fJspecoth1)
Var new	**t7fJspecoth1-5**	Type of training, other	→ 15.7 (t7fJstartm1)

15.4	**FJ: Type of Vocational Baccalaureate School**	

Which type of Vocational Baccalaureate School are you doing or did you do?

Var	**t7fJmattyp1-5**	Type of Vocational Baccalaureate School	
Scale		1 Engineering, Architecture, Life Sciences	
		2 Economy and services	
		3 Art and design	
		4 Nature, landscape and food	
		5 Health and social services	

→ **15.7 (t7fJstartm1)**

15.5	**FJ: Type of College of Professional Education and Training (PET)**	

Which type of College of Professional Education and Training (PET) are you doing or did you do?

Var	**t7fJhftyp1-5**	Type of College of Professional Education and Training (PET)	
Scale		1 Engineering	
		2 Hotel, restaurant and catering, tourism and hospitality services	
		3 Economics	
		4 Agriculture and forestry	
		5 Healthcare	
		6 Social care and adult education and training	
		7 Art and design	
		8 Traffic and transport	

→ **15.7 (t7fJstartm)**

15.6	**FJ: Type of training at the University of Applied Sciences**		

Which type of training is or was it?

Var	**t7fJfhspec1-5**	Type of training at the University of Applied Sciences	
Scale		*1 Course of study*	
		2 Individual course/seminar	
Var	**t7fJfhspecstud1-5**	Subject name (categorized)	
Scale		See Appendix (20.1)	

15.7	**FJ: Start of training**		

When did you start this training?

Var	**t7fJstartm1-5**	Start of training (month)	
Scale		*1 January*	
		2 February	
		...	
		11 November	
		12 December	
Var	**t7fJstarty1-5**	Start of training (year)	
Scale		*1 2014*	
		2 2015	
		3 2016	
		4 2017	
		5 2018	

15.8	**FJ: Stability of training**		

Are you still in the stated training?

Var	**t7fJcons1-5**	Stability of training	
Scale		*1 Yes*	
		2 No	

15.9	**FJ: End of training**		

When did you finish this training?

Var	**t7fJcomplm1-5**	End of training (month)	
Scale		*1 January*	
		2 February	
		...	
		11 November	
		12 December	
Var	**t7fJcomply1-5**	End of training (year)	
Scale		*1 2016*	
		2 2017	
		3 2018	

15.10	**FJ: Expected end of training**		

When do you expect to complete the training?

Var	**t7fJexpcomplm1-5**	Expected end of training (month)	
Scale		*1 January*	
		2 February	
		...	
		11 November	
		12 December	
Var	**t7fJexpcomply1-5**	Expected end of training (year)	
Scale		*1 2018*	
		2 2019	
		3 2020	
		4 2021	
		5 2022	
		6 2023	
		99 Still unknown	

15.11	**FJ: Reason for the end of training**		

Why are you no longer in this training?

Var	**t7fJrea1-5**	Reason for end of training	
Scale		*1 I successfully completed the training.*	
		2 I dropped out of training.	
		3 Other reason	
Var	**t7fJreaoth1-5**	Reason for end of training, other	

With which degree did you complete this training?

Var	**t7fJdeg1-5**	Degree	**Filter**
Scale		*1 Without (official) degree*	→ 15.1 Next episode (t7fJnewwb)
		2 Vocational Baccalaureate	→ 15.1 Next episode (t7fJnewwb)
		3 PET Diploma	→ 15.1 Next episode (t7fJnewwb)
		4 Advanced Federal PET Diploma	→ 15.1 Next episode (t7fJnewwb)
		5 Federal PET Diploma	→ 15.1 Next episode (t7fJnewwb)
		6 CAS	→ 15.1 Next episode (t7fJnewwb)
		7 DAS	→ 15.1 Next episode (t7fJnewwb)
		8 MAS	→ 15.1 Next episode (t7fJnewwb)
		9 Other degree	→ 15.12 (t7fJdegoth1)

Var new	**t7fJdegoth1-5**	Degree, other
Scale		*1 University degree*
		2 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ)
		3 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) with Vocational Baccalaureate
		4 Baccalaureate
		5 Federal PET diploma
		6 Work experience
		7 Diploma/degree
		8 Other

→ 15.1 Next episode (t7fJnewwb)

With which degree do you expect to complete the training?

Var	**t7fJexpdeg1-5**	Degree	**Filter**
Scale		*1 Without (official) degree*	→ 17.2 Satisfaction (t7retrocont)
		2 Vocational Baccalaureate	→ 17.2 Satisfaction (t7retrocont)
		3 PET Diploma	→ 17.2 Satisfaction (t7retrocont)
		4 Advanced Federal PET Diploma	→ 17.2 Satisfaction (t7retrocont)
		5 Federal PET Diploma	→ 17.2 Satisfaction (t7retrocont)
		6 CAS	→ 17.2 Satisfaction (t7retrocont)
		7 DAS	→ 17.2 Satisfaction (t7retrocont)
		8 MAS	→ 17.2 Satisfaction (t7retrocont)
		9 Other degree	→ 15.12 (t7fJexpdegoth1)

Var new	**t7fJexpdegoth1-5**	Degree, other
Scale		*1 University degree*
		2 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ)
		3 Federal VET Diploma (EFZ) with Vocational Baccalaureate
		4 Baccalaureate
		5 Federal PET diploma
		6 Work experience
		7 Diploma/degree
		8 Other

→ 17.2 Satisfaction (t7retrocont)

Have you started a new employment since your last ended?

Var	**t7fKnewwork1-5**	Taking up employment	**Filter**
Scale		*1 Yes*	→ 16.2 (t7fKeduequi1)
		2 No	→ 17.2 Satisfaction (t7retrocont)

16.2 FK: Adequacy with regards to education/training

Was a degree (apprenticeship degree, study, etc.) required for this job?

Var	**t7fKeduequi11-15**	Degree required	
Scale		**1** Yes	
		2 No	

Which degree is normally required for this employment?

Var	**t7fKeduequi21-25**	Required degree
Scale		**1** Federal VET Diploma (EFZ)
		2 Federal VET degree (EBA)
		3 Vocational Baccalaureate (BMS)
		4 Specialized middle school (FMS)
		5 Commercial college (HMS)
		6 Baccalaureate
		7 Other

Does or did the occupation have something to do with your previous school and occupational education?

Var	**t7fKeduequid31-35**	My work stands or stood in connection with the contents of my study.
	t7fKeduequib31-35	In my work I can or could use what I've learned in my education.
	t7fKeduequic31-35	My work is or was in connection with an educational or vocational activity (e.g. training, studies) that I want to start or have started.
	t7fKeduequia31-35	My work has or had nothing or very little to do with my education so far.
Scale		**1** Yes
		2 No

16.3 FK: Start of employment

When did you start this employment?

Var	**t7fKstartm1-5**	Start of employment (month)
Scale		**1** January
		2 February
		...
		11 November
		12 December

Var	**t7fKstarty1-5**	Start of employment (year)
Scale		**1** 2014
		2 2015
		3 2016
		4 2017
		5 2018

16.4 FK: Title of occupation

What were you hired as?

Var new	**t7fKworkstamm1-5**	Occupation: 8 digits
Scale		*Swiss Federal Statistical Office Classification (CH-Berufsdatenbank)*
		Stammcode 8 digits

Var new	**t7fKworkisco1-5**	Occupation: Classified according to ISCO-08

16.5 FK: Company

Var new	**t7fKloc_communenr1-5**	Location of the company: name of municipality (available on request)
		Swiss official commune register of the Federal Statistical Office (2018)

16.6   FK: Conditions of employment

Is or was it a temporary job?

Var   **t7fKtemp1-5**   Temporary job
Scale   *1 Yes*
                                         2 No

Which is or was your level of employment?

Var   **t7fKpro1-5**   Workload | **Filter** |
Scale   *1 On an hourly basis.*   → 16.6 (t7fKwhour1)
                                         2 10%   → 16.7 (t7fKincome1-5)
                                         3 20%   → 16.7 (t7fKincome1-5)
                                         4 30%   → 16.7 (t7fKincome1-5)
                                         5 40%   → 16.7 (t7fKincome1-5)
                                         6 50%   → 16.7 (t7fKincome1-5)
                                         7 60%   → 16.7 (t7fKincome1-5)
                                         8 70%   → 16.7 (t7fKincome1-5)
                                         9 80%   → 16.7 (t7fKincome1-5)
                                        10 90%   → 16.7 (t7fKincome1-5)
                                        11 100%   → 16.7 (t7fKincome1-5)

Var   **t7fKwhour1-5**   *How many hours do you work or did you work on average per week?*

16.7   FK: Income emplyoment (during training)

Which is or was your monthly net wage?

Var   **t7fKincome1-5**   Income employment during training
Scale   *1 Up to 500 CHF*
                                         2 501–1'000 CHF
                                         3 1'001–1'500 CHF
                                         4 1'501–2'000 CHF
                                         5 2'001–2'500 CHF
                                         6 2'501–3'000 CHF
                                         7 3'001–3'500 CHF
                                         8 3'501–4'000 CHF
                                         9 4'001–4'500 CHF
                                        10 4'501–5'000 CHF
                                        11 5'001–5'500 CHF
                                        12 5'501–6'000 CHF
                                        13 More than 6'000 CHF

16.8   FK: Occupational status

Which applies or applied to your occupational status?

Var   **t7fKepg11-15**   Occupational status | **Filter** |
Scale   *1 Employed in a private or public company*   → 16.8 (t7fKepg2)
                                         2 Self-employed   → 16.8 (t7fKepgemp1)
                                         3 Working in a family business   → 16.8 (t7fKepg2)

How many employees do or did you have?

Var   **t7fKepgemp1-5**   Number of employees
Scale   *1 None*
                                         2 1 to 10 employees
                                         3 More than 10 employees   **→ 16.9 (t7fKsupwork1)**

How many people do or did you supervise?

Var   **t7fKepg21-25**   Authority to issue supervision
Scale   *1 None*
                                         2 1 to 10 people
                                         3 More than 10 people

16.9   FK: Support by the company

Is or was the training supported by your company?

                                                    Support by the company
Var   **t7fKsupwork11-15**   Yes, if needed I can or could use working time for it.
           t7fKsupwork21-25   Yes, the company contributes or contributed to the costs of the training.
           t7fKsupwork31-35   No, I am or was not supported by the company.
Scale   *1 Yes*
                                         2 No

16.10 FK: Stability of employment

Do you still work in this job?

Var	*t7fKcons1-5*	Stability employment	**Filter**
Scale		**1** Yes	→ 17.2 (t7retrocont)
		2 No	→ 16.11 (t7fKcomplm1)

16.11 FK: End of emplyment

When did you stop working in this job?

Var	*t7fKcomplm1-5*	End of employment (month)
Scale		**1** January
		2 February
		...
		11 November
		12 December

Var	*t7fKcomply1-5*	End of employment (year)
Scale		**1** 2016
		2 2017
		3 2018

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→ 16.1 (t7fKnewwork)

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17 Satisfaction

17.1 Satisfaction with current employment

How much have you learned during your current employment…

Var	*t7learnskill*	… in terms of skills?
	t7learnpers	… for yourself, for your personal development?
Scale		**1** Little
		2 Rather little
		3 Rather a lot
		4 A lot

How satisfied are you…

Var	*t7contempl*	...with your employer?
	t7contwork	...with your day-to-day work activities?
	t7contcoll	...with your colleagues?
	t7conttime	...with your working hours and work-life balance?
	t7continc	...with your income?
Scale		**1** Very dissatisfied
		2 Rather dissatisfied
		3 Rather satisfied
		4 Very satisfied
		99 Does not apply (self-employed)

To which extent do you agree with the following statements about work and occupation when you think about your current job?

Var	*t7contcareer*	My current work will have a positive effect on my professional career.
	t7contint	I have a really interesting job.
	t7contchange	I would change my job immediately if I got another job.
	t7contfatigue	I often feel tired and tense because of work.
	t7contjoy	I really enjoy my work.
Scale		**1** Strongly disagree
		2 Rather disagree
		3 Rather agree
		4 Strongly agree

17.2   Satisfaction with chosen occupational or educational career

When you look back on your school and professional career, how satisfied are you with the way your life plans have been realized?

Var   *t7retrocont*   Satisfaction with life plans
Scale   **1** *Very dissatisfied*
                                        2 *Rather dissatisfied*
                                        3 *Rather satisfied*
                                        4 *Very satisfied*

To which extent do you agree with the following statements about your professional and school career? If I could go back, I would...

Var   *t7retrodec*   … make the same decision after compulsory school.
           t7retroworkl   ... start working later.
           t7retroworke   ... start working earlier.
           t7retroprof   … choose another professional direction.
           t7retroeff   … make more of an effort in school or in training.
Scale   **1** *Strongly disagree*
                                        2 *Rather disagree*
                                        3 *Rather agree*
                                        4 *Strongly agree*

18   Career and educational aspirations

18.1   Occupational aspiration at the age of 30

What do you think, which occupation will you have when you are 30 years old?

Var neu   *t7occ30_stamm*   *Desired occupation at the age of 30: Swiss Federal Statistical Office Classification (CH-Berufsdatenbank)*
Var neu   *t7occ30_isco08*   *Desired occupation at the age of 30: ISCO-08*
Var neu   *t7occ30_chisco19*   *Desired occupation at the age of 30: CH-ISCO-19*
Var neu   *t7occ30_isei*   *Desired occupation at the age of 30: ISEI-08*

18.2   Highest aspired educational degree

Which highest educational degree would you like to achieve?

Var   *t7higheduasp*   Highest aspired educational degree
Scale   **1** *Basic compulsory school (degree 9th grade)*
                                        2 *Completion of basic education with vocational degree (federal VET degree EBA) or uncertified apprenticeship*
                                        3 *Occupational qualification (federal VET diploma EFZ) without Vocational Baccalaureate*
                                        4 *Occupational qualification (federal VET diploma EFZ) with Vocational Baccalaureate (BMS1/BMS2)*
                                        5 *Specialized middle school (FMS) (with/without Specialized baccalaureate)*

                                        6 *Baccalaureate*
                                        7 *Higher technical/occupational training (e.g. higher technical college, federal PET diploma, CAS, DAS, MAS)*
                                        8 *Bachelor or Master degree from a University of Teacher Education (PH) or University of Applied Sciences (FH)*
                                        9 *Bachelor or Master degree from a university or Federal Institutes of*
                                       10 *Doctorate*

19   Future prospects

Please imagine your occupational and private future. What are the chances that you...

Var   *t7futsuc*   … successfully complete your education or study?
           t7futstud   … start studying (again)?
           t7futreorient   … reorient yourself professionally?
           t7futwork   … find a job in your desired profession?
           t7futunempl   … become unemployed for a longer period?
           t7futcare   … cut back professionally for family reasons, e.g. bringing up children?
           t7futselfemp   … become self-employed or work freelance?
           t7futabr   … move abroad?
           t7futmarriage   … get married or live in a registered partnership?
           t7futchild   … will have a child?
Scale   **1** *Not at all likely*
                                        2 *Rather unlikely*
                                        3 *Rather likely*
                                        4 *More than likely*
                                       99 *Already arrived*

20   Country of birth and citizenship

Filter variables based on information in previous waves

Var	**t7filter_misbirth**	No information on country of birth and citizenship from waves 1-6	**Filter**
Scale		**0** No	→ Skip to the end
		1 Yes	→ 20.1 (t7birthch)

20.1   Country of birth

Were you born in Switzerland?

Var	**t7birthch**	Country of birth, Switzerland	**Filter**
Scale		**1** Yes	→ 20.2 (t7citch)
		2 No	→ 20.1 (t7birthoth)

Var	**t7birthoth**	Country of birth
Scale		**13** Macedonia
		16 Great Britain
		17 Other

20.2   Citizenship

Are you a Swiss citizen?

Var	**t7citch**	Swiss citizenship	**Filter**
Scale		**1** Yes	→ 20.2 (t7citadd)
		2 No	→ 20.2 (t7citabr)

Do you have one or more citizenship(s) in addition to the Swiss citizenship?

Var	**t7citadd**	Additional citizenship(s)
Scale		**1** No
		2 Yes

Var	**t7citoth**	Which is or are your citizenship(s)?
Scale		**2** Germany
		3 Italy
		6 Turkey
		10 Croatia
		12 Spain
		13 Macedonia
		16 Belgium
		17 Liechtenstein
		18 Netherlands
		19 Other

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Which is or are your citizenship(s)?

Var	**t7citabr**	Citizenship
Scale		**1** Switzerland

Var	**t7citabr**	Citizenship
Scale		**3** Italy
		4 Serbia
		10 Croatia
		13 Macedonia
		19 Other

21	Appendix

21.1	Study categorised

Var new	*t7fAfhspecstud1-5*	Field of study (categorized)
Var new	*t7fBfhspecstud1-5*	Field of study (categorized)
Var new	*t7fDspeckat1-5*	Field of study (categorized)
Var new	*t7fJfhspecstud1-5*	Field of study (categorized)
		(Categorized according to the SHIS subject catalogue)

Scale

1 *Humanities and social sciences, interdisciplinary*
2 *Theology and religious study*
3 *Linguistics and literature*
4 *Historical and cultural study*
5 *Social Sciences*
6 *Economics*
7 *Business and Management*
8 *Marketing & Journalism*
9 *Law*
10 *Exact and natural sciences, interdisciplinary*
11 *Exact sciences*
12 *Natural Sciences*
13 *Ecology*
14 *Technical sciences, interdisciplinary*
15 *Civil engineering and geodesy*
16 *Mechanical and electrical engineering*
17 *Agricultural and forestry sciences*
18 *Medicine, not specified or interdisciplinary*
19 *Human Medicine*
20 *Dentistry*
21 *Veterinary Medicine*
22 *Pharmacy*
23 *Health (in general, excluding medicine)*
24 *Sports Science*
25 *Design*
26 *Music, theatre and other arts*
27 *(Teaching staff) Pre-primary and primary level*
28 *(Teaching staff) Secondary level I*
29 *(Teaching staff) Secondary level II*
30 *Teaching staff, without specification and others*
31 *Social work/ socioculture/ social pedagogy*
32 *Hotel industry/Tourism*
33 *Other subject/Not classifiable*

21.1	Study categorised

Var new	*t7fAfhspecstud1-5*
Var new	*t7fBfhspecstud1-5*
Var new	*t7fDspeckat1-5*
Var new	*t7fJfhspecstud1-5*