Commission Regulation (EC) No 646/2009 of 23 July 2009 implementing Regulation (EC) No 1177/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning Community statistics on income and living conditions (EU-SILC) as regards the 2010 list of target secondary variables on intra-household sharing of resources

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THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Regulation (EC) No 1177/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 June 2003 concerning Community statistics on income and living conditions (EU-SILC)[(1)], and in particular Article 15(2)(f) thereof,

Whereas:

(1) Regulation (EC) No 1177/2003 established a common framework for the systematic production of Community statistics on income and living conditions, encompassing comparable and timely cross-sectional and longitudinal data on income, and on the level and composition of poverty and social exclusion at national and European levels.

(2) Under Article 15(2)(f) of Regulation (EC) No 1177/2003, implementing measures are necessary for the list of target secondary areas and variables to be included every year in the cross-sectional component of EU-SILC. For the year 2010, the list of target secondary variables included in the module on intra-household sharing of resources should be laid down, together with the corresponding variable codes and definitions.

(3) The measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Statistical Programme Committee established by Council Decision 89/382/EEC, Euratom[(2)],

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The list of target secondary variables, the variable codes, and the definitions for the 2010 module on intra-household sharing of resources to be included in the cross-sectional component of Community statistics on income and living conditions (EU-SILC) shall be as laid down in the Annex.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the 20th day following its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Union*.

Changes to legislation: *There are outstanding changes not yet made to Commission Regulation (EC) No 646/2009. Any changes that have already been made to the legislation appear in the content and are referenced with annotations. (See end of Document for details) View outstanding changes*

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 23 July 2009.

For the Commission

Joaquín ALMUNIA

Member of the Commission

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ANNEX

For the purposes of this Regulation, the following units, modes of data collection, reference period and data transmission arrangements shall apply.

1. **Units**

The seven compulsory variables relating to the regime and management of household finances are asked at household level.

All the other variables included in this module are to be asked at personal level and have the current situation as reference period. They relate to two different types of units.

The variables related to the contribution to the common household budget, access to a bank account, the ability to decide about expenses, time use and expenditure shall be provided for each current household member or, if applicable, for all selected respondents aged 16 years old and over living in a household with at least two persons aged 16 years old and over.

The variables related to decision-making (both specific and general) and to the length of cohabitation of the partners shall be provided for each current household member or, if applicable, for all selected respondents aged 16 years old and over living with a partner.

2. **Modes of data collection**

For variables asked at household level (section 1 in the list below), the mode of data collection is personal interview with the household respondent.

For variables asked at individual level (sections 2 and 3 in the list below), the mode of data collection is personal interview with all current household members aged 16 years old and over or, if applicable, with the household selected respondent.

Owing to the characteristics of the information to be collected, only personal interviews (proxy interviews as an exception for persons temporarily absent or incapacitated) are allowed.

3. **Reference period**

All target variables relate to the current situation as reference period.

4. **Transmission of data to Eurostat**

The target secondary variables on ‘intra-household sharing of resources’ will be sent to Eurostat either in the household data file (H) or in the personal data file (P) after the target primary variables.

AREAS AND LIST OF TARGET VARIABLES

Module 2010		**Intra-household sharing of resources**
Variable name	**Code**	**Target variable**
1. *Items asked at household level — compulsory*		
HA010		**Regime of household finances**
	1	We treat all incomes as common resources

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	2	We treat some incomes as common resources and the rest as private resources
	3	We treat all incomes as private resources of the person receiving them
	4	We do not receive any income in the household
HA010_F	1	Variable is filled
	-1	Missing
	-4	Single person household or household with less than two persons aged 16 and above
HA020		**Management of common household finances**
	1	One or more household members
	2	At least one person inside the household and at least one person outside the household is involved in managing the common household finances
	3	No person inside the household and at least one person outside the household is involved in managing the common household finances
	4	There are no common household finances
HA020_F	1	Variable is filled
	-1	Missing
	-4	Single person household or household with less than two persons aged 16 and above
HA030		**ID number of person 1 managing the household's finances**
	ID number	Personal identification number of person 1
HA030_F	1	Variable is filled
	-1	Missing
	-2	HA020≠1,2

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HA040		**ID number of person 2 managing the household's finances**
	ID number	Personal identification number of person 2
HA040_F	1	Variable is filled
	-1	Missing
	-2	HA020≠1,2 or less than 2 persons inside the household involved in the management of the household's finances
HA050		**ID number of person 3 managing the household's finances**
	ID number	Personal identification number of person 3
HA050_F	1	Variable is filled
	-1	Missing
	-2	HA020≠1,2 or less than 3 persons inside the household involved in the management of the household's finances
HA060		**ID number of person 4 managing the household's finances**
	ID number	Personal identification number of person 4
HA060_F	1	Variable is filled
	-1	Missing
	-2	HA020≠1,2 or less than 4 persons inside the household involved in the management of the household's finances
HA070		**ID number of person 5 managing the household's finances**
	ID number	Personal identification number of person 5
HA070_F	1	Variable is filled
	-1	Missing
	-2	HA020≠1,2 or less than 5 persons inside the household