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Appendix:

Netherlands Kinship Panel Study

The analyses in Chapter 2, 3, 4 and 5 are based on data from the first wave of the Netherlands Kinship Panel Study (NKPS). I used data from the Computer Aided Personal Interviews and from the self-completion survey for anchors (primary respondents). A complete overview of all questions included in the NKPS data can be found in the Codebook of the Netherlands Kinship Panel Study. A multi-actor, multi-method panel study on solidarity in family relationships, wave 1 (Dykstra et al., 2005). Some information was obtained through variables that were constructed by the NKPS team and included in the NKPS data file (see: Dykstra et al., 2005). These variables include the marital status, household situation, number of children, number of siblings, and level of education of the primary respondents and information about the residential municipality, degree of urbanization and x and y coordinates of the residential locations of the primary respondent and other family members. Listed below are the questions that were used in this dissertation. The numbers correspond with those in the original questionnaires. Instructions for the interviewer are printed in italics and information for the user is printed in bold and italics.
A. BACKGROUND
AA101  INT: Enter the respondent's sex.
1 male
2 female

AA102  What is your date of birth?
_ enter the date of birth [dd-mm-yy]

B. PARENTAL HOME
AB101  Did you live with both your own parents shortly after you were born?
When we speak of your ‘own parents’ in this interview, we mean your biological parents.
1 yes > question B103
2 no

AB102  Who did you live with then?
2 only with your mother
3 only with your father
4 with your mother and stepfather
5 with your father and stepmother
6 with grandparent(s) on mother’s side
7 with grandparent(s) on father’s side
8 with uncle/aunt on your mother’s side
9 with uncle/aunt on your father’s side
10 with brother or sister
11 in a home, orphanage, or institution
12 in a boarding school
13 in a foster home, host family
14 in an adoptive family
15 other

AB103  Did this family situation change before you went to live on your own?
INT: If the respondent still lives in the parental home, the question refers to the situation as it is now.
1 yes
2 no > question B201
3 still living in parental home > question B201

AB104_1 - Where did you go and live next?
AB104_15 1 back to both parents
2 only with your mother
3 only with your father
4 with mother and stepfather
5 with father and stepmother
6 with grandparent(s) on mother’s side
7 with grandparent(s) on father’s side
8 with uncle/aunt on your mother’s side
9 with uncle/aunt on your father’s side
10 with brother or sister
11 in a home, orphanage, or institution
12 in a boarding school
13 in a foster home, host family
14 in an adoptive family
15 other

**AB105_1 -** How old were you at the time?
**AB105_15** _ enter the age (... years)

**AB106_1 -** Did this family situation change again before you went to live on your own?
1 yes > go back to question B104 [continue until respondent left home]
2 no

**AB202** In which country was your father born?
_ code the country with the aid of the Country LookUp.

**AB302** In which country was your mother born?
_ code the country with the aid of the Country LookUp.

**AB400** Are, or were your parents ever married to each other?
1 yes > question B401
2 no

**AB400B** Did your parents ever cohabit with each other outside of marriage?
1 yes
2 no > question B403

**AB401** Did your own parents ever get divorced?
1 yes
2 no > question B405
3 parents never shared a household > question B403

**AB402** How old were you when your parents split up?
_ enter age (... years old)

**AB502A** What was your father’s occupation or job when you were 15 years old?
If your father did not have a job at the time, please give the occupation he had before then.
_ CBS code of the occupation

**AB503** Was your father employed or was he self-employed?
1 employed
2 freelance / self-employed / own business
3 family business
4 don’t know

**AB505** What is the highest level of education that he completed with a diploma?
1 did not complete elementary school
2 elementary school only
### AB507A
What was your mother’s occupation or job when you were 15 years old? If your mother did not have a job at the time, please give the occupation she had before then.

- CBS code of the occupation.

### AB508
Was your mother employed, self-employed or did she work in the family business?

1. employed
2. freelance / self-employed / own business
3. family business
4. don’t know

### AB510
What is the highest level of education that she completed with a diploma?

1. did not complete elementary school
2. elementary school only
3. lower vocational
4. lower general secondary
5. intermediate general secondary
6. upper general secondary
7. intermediate vocational
8. higher vocational
9. university
10. post-graduate
11. does not know

### AB601A
Were you living in the Netherlands when you were 15 years old?

1. yes
2. no > question B602B

### AB601
Where in the Netherlands were you living when you were 15 years old?

- code the place of residence with the aid of the City LookUp

### AB602
Did your parents own the home in which you were living at the time or did your parents rent the home?

_INT: If the respondent was not living with his/ her own parents at the time, we are interested in the home he/she was living in._

1. they owned the home
2. they rented the home
3. don’t know
4. lived in a institution, care facility
AB610 Did any of the following things happen between your parents when you were about 15 years old?
How often did your parents have heated discussions?
1 never
2 once or twice
3 frequently
4 respondent’s parents never shared a household > question B615

AB611 How often did one of your parents put down and blame the other?
1 never
2 once or twice
3 frequently

AB612 How often did your parents not want to talk to each other for a while?
1 never
2 once or twice
3 frequently

AB613 How often did arguments get out of hand?
1 never
2 once or twice
3 frequently

AB614 How often did your parents live apart for a while?
1 never
2 once or twice
3 frequently

AB615 In which year did you leave the home to go and live on your own?
_ enter the year

C. PARTNERS, PARENTS-IN-LAW AND CHILDREN
AC101 Do you have a partner at the moment, that is to say, someone with whom you have had a relationship for at least three months?
INT: The word ‘partner’ includes a husband or wife.
1 yes
2 no > question C401

AC102 What is his or her year of birth?
_ enter the year

AC103 In which country was your partner born?
_ enter the country with the aid of Country Lookup

AC104 Does your partner live with you here?
1 yes
2 no > question C110
**AC105** Does your partner always form part of this household, or does he/she live elsewhere some of the time?
1 always lives here > question C114
2 lives elsewhere some of the time

**AC114** In which year did your relationship begin?
_ enter year

**AC115** This question is asked only if the respondent is living with a partner (whether married or not).
In which year did you start living together?
_ enter year

**AC116** Are you married to this partner?
1 yes
2 no > question C118A

**AC121** What is your partners’ sex?
1 male
2 female

**AC202A** What is the highest level of education that your father-in-law completed with a diploma?
1 did not complete elementary school
2 elementary school only
3 lower vocational
4 lower general secondary
5 intermediate general secondary
6 upper general secondary
7 intermediate vocational
8 higher vocational
9 university
10 post-graduate
11 does not know

**AC202** Is your father-in-law still alive?
1 yes
2 no > question C204
3 don’t know > question C204

**AC205A** What is the highest level of education that your mother-in-law completed with a diploma?
1 did not complete elementary school
2 elementary school only
3 lower vocational
4 lower general secondary
5 intermediate general secondary
6 upper general secondary
7 intermediate vocational
8 higher vocational
AC205  Is your mother-in-law still alive?
1   yes
2   no  > question C206
3   don’t know > question C206

AC206  Did your partner’s parents ever get divorced?
1   yes
2   no  > question B405
3   parents never shared a household > question B403

AC401  Have you lived with a {different} partner before, whether married or not?
1   yes, I’ve lived with a partner before / I’ve been married before
2   no, I’ve not lived with a partner before / I’ve not been married before
   > question C501

AC403_1 - In which year did you start living with this partner {your first partner, if
AC403_7 more than one}?
   _   enter year

L. HOUSING
AL201  Have you ever owned or co-owned a home? You may also count the home
       you live in now.
1   yes
2   no  > question L205

AL202  In which year did you first become an owner or co-owner of a home?
   _   enter the year

AL203  Have you owned the homes in which you have lived ever since?
1   yes, always owned home > question L205
2   no, started renting again

AL204  Do you own or co-own the home you live in now?
1   yes
2   no

AL205  This question is asked only if the respondent has a partner.
       Does your partner own or co-own the home you live in now?
1   yes
2   no

AL208  This question is asked only if it is still unclear whether the respondent owned
       his/her previous home
       Did you own or co-own your previous home?
       INT: If the respondent’s previous home was the parental home, this question
       refers to the parental home.
M. WORK, EDUCATION AND INCOME

AM106 Are you going to school or following a course at the moment?
1 yes
2 no > question M201

AM107 Is it a day course or an evening course?
1 day course
2 evening course

AM201 Do you currently have a paid job? A few hours a week or temporary work also count.
1 yes
2 no

AM202 Can you indicate which situation applies most to you, using Show Card 12?
1 working
2 unemployed or job seeking
3 homemaking
4 prolonged sick leave or occupationally disabled
5 studying, at school
6 retired (early)
7 other

AM301C What is your current job or occupation?
- classify the occupation with the aid of the occupational classification table based on the Statistics Netherlands coding scheme

AM303 Are you employed, self-employed or do you work in a family business?
1 employed > question M304
2 freelance / self-employed / own business > question M306
3 family business > question M308

AM310 This question is put only to respondents who are employed
How many hours a week do you work according to your contract of employment?
- enter the number of hours a week

AM311 How many hours a week on average do you actually work? That is to say, actual hours worked.
- enter the number of hours a week

AM701 I would now like to ask you a few questions about your income. I can assure you that this information will also be treated with the strictest confidentiality. What is your net monthly income from employment?
1 paid per month
2 paid per four weeks
3 paid per week
4 irregular income, average per month
5 doesn’t know > question M702
6 doesn’t want to say > question M702
7 no income > question M703

AM701B The amount in euros per {month / four weeks / week / average per month}. enter the amount

AM702 This question is asked only if M701 = 5 or M701 = 6. Since we would nevertheless like to have an idea of what you earn, please have a look at Show Card 13. In which category does your net monthly income from employment belong?
1 less than 550 euros
2 between 550 and 750 euros
3 between 750 and 950 euros
4 between 950 and 1150 euros
5 between 1150 and 1350 euros
6 between 1350 and 1550 euros
7 between 1550 and 1750 euros
8 between 1750 and 1950 euros
9 between 1950 and 2150 euros
10 between 2150 and 2350 euros
11 between 2350 and 2550 euros
12 between 2550 and 2750 euros
13 between 2750 and 2950 euros
14 between 2950 and 3150 euros
15 between 3150 and 3350 euros
16 between 3350 and 3550 euros
17 more than 3550 euros
18 don’t know
19 don’t want to say

AM703 Are you a beneficiary of some sort of benefit at the moment? INT: This includes grants for students, social security, unemployment, disability, pension and pre-pension.
1 yes, receives a benefit
2 no > question M801

AM704_1 - AM704_3 What kind of a benefit do you receive?
INT: Several answers are possible.
1 social security benefit
2 unemployment benefit
3 disability benefit
4 pension, state pension, pre-pension
5 student grant
6 alimony
7 other
AM705  I would now like to know the net amount you receive from these benefits. I can assure you that this information will also be treated with the strictest confidentiality.  

*INT: If the respondent has more than one benefit, add up the amounts received. If the respondent does not know or does not want to say, skip the question and go on to the next question.  

_ enter the amount received

AM706  Since we would nevertheless like to have an idea of the amounts involved, please have a look at Show Card 13. In which category does the amount you receive from benefits belong?  

_ use the same classification as the one used in question M702

AM801  I now have some questions about the education and occupation of your partner. What is the highest level of education that your partner completed with a diploma?  

1  did not complete elementary school  
2  elementary school only  
3  lower vocational  
4  lower general secondary  
5  intermediate general secondary  
6  upper general secondary  
7  intermediate vocational  
8  higher vocational  
9  university  
10  post-graduate

AM810  Does your partner currently have a paid job? A few hours a week or temporary work also count.  

1  Yes  
2  No

AM811  Can you indicate which situation applies most to {him / her}, using Show Card 12?  

1  working  
2  unemployed or job seeking  
3  homemaking  
4  prolonged sick leave or occupationally disabled  
5  studying, at school  
6  retired (early)  
7  other

AM813A  Is your partner employed, is {he / she} self-employed or does {he / she} work in the family business?  

1  employed  
2  freelance / self-employed / own business > question M813  
3  family business > question M813

AM813B  How many hours a week does your partner work according to {his / her) contract of employment?
How many hours a week on average does your partner actually work? That is to say, actual hours worked.

What is your partner’s total net monthly income? Count both income from employment and income from benefits, etc.

1. paid per month
2. paid per four weeks
3. paid per week
4. irregular income, average per month
5. doesn’t know > question M815
6. doesn’t want to say > question M815
7. no income > question M901

The amount in euros per {month / four weeks / week / average per month}.

This question is asked only if M814 = 5 or M814 = 6. Since we would nevertheless like to have an idea of what your partner earns, please have a look at Show Card 13. In which category does your partner’s total net monthly income from employment belong?

What is your country of birth?

What is the sex of {name, description}?

1. male
2. female

What is {his / her} year of birth?

If the respondent does not know the year of birth, ask for the best possible estimate.

Is {name, description} still alive?

1. yes > question X501
2. no
3. don’t know > end of module X
Self-completion questionnaire for anchors

Do you count yourself as belonging to a particular faith, religious denomination or church? If so, which one? Please also indicate whether this was the case for your father and mother when you were 15 years old.

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