



## LABOUR FORCE SURVEY 2010 BONAIRE

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Household number

Household size

### PERSONAL DATA

**PROXY INTERVIEW**

*yes=1 no=2 (interviewer should fill out)*

**1. Personal number**

**2. In which country (island) were you born?** \_\_\_\_\_

**3. What is your nationality?** \_\_\_\_\_

**4. How long have you been living on this island**

*If 3 months or less → Go to question 5*

*If longer than 3 months → Go to question 6*

**5. How long do you intend to stay?**

*If 3 months or less → END OF INTERVIEW*

**6. Are you the head of the household?**

1. yes

2. no

**7. What is your marital status?**

1. married or living together

2. single (including divorced or widowed)

**8. Sex**

1. male

2. female

**9. What is your age at this moment? (in years)**

***IF AGE IS 9 YEARS OR LESS : END OF INTERVIEW***

## QUESTIONS CONCERNING EDUCATION

The following questions are for all persons of 10 years and older

10. Do you follow a day-time education, evening education or course?

1. yes
2. no → Go to question 12

11. If yes, which one?

1. day time education → If 10 up to 14 years: Go to question 23  
If 15 years or older: Go to question 20
2. evening education or course

12. What is your highest education? (also evening education!)

- If 'no education' → Go to question 19  
If Elementary school → Go to question 15

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13. What level is this? \_\_\_\_\_

14. In which major field/section did you follow in this education? \_\_\_\_\_

15. Have you completed this education?

1. yes
2. no → Go to question 18

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16. If yes, in which year?

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17. In which country (island) did you follow this education? \_\_\_\_\_

18. Are you willing to follow a different type of education or refreshment course?

1. yes
2. no
9. unknown

**Go to Question 20**

19. Are you willing to follow an education or refreshment courses?

1. yes
2. no
9. unknown

## QUESTIONS CONCERNING THE LABOUR MARKET

20. In the past 12 months, did you work the whole year, part of the year, or now and then? (Including 'casual work'!)

1. no, did not work → Go to question 22
2. yes, now and then
3. yes part of the year, but retired/ firm closed down /I went on pension/contract ended
4. yes, worked the whole year (include: 'sickness leave' or 'disability for work') → Question 22
9. unknown → Go to question 22

21. **How long have you worked in total during the past 12 months?**
1. less than 1 month
  2. between 1 and 6 months
  3. longer than 6 months
  9. unknown



22. **Do you have a job or your own firm at this moment?**
1. yes--→ *Go to question 25*
  2. no



23. **Have you worked or performed casual labour for 4 hours or more, last week?**
1. yes → *If 10 up to 14 years: End of interview*  
*If 15 years or older: Go to question 25*
  2. no→ *If 10 up to 14 years : End of interview*  
*If 15 years or older: Go to question 38*

24. **Do you do volunteer work?**
1. yes
  2. no

**QUESTIONS FOR PERSONS WITH WORK**

25. **For which firm/institute do you work? (name and address of the firm that pays you)**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

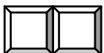
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26. **What is the main economic activity of this firm?**

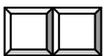
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27. **Give a precise description of your present tasks**

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28. **How many hours a week do you normally work?**



29. **What is your employment status in this job?**

01. employer
02. self employed
03. employee in permanent service
04. employee in temporary service
05. casual worker or casual job taker
06. unpaid family worker
07. contract for less than 6 months
08. contract for 6 months or longer
09. other: \_\_\_\_\_
99. unknown

→ *Go to question 31*



**30. How many contracts have you signed with the same employer (including this one)?**

1. one
2. two
3. three
4. more than three
9. unknown



**31. Are you a member of a labour union?**

1. yes → *Go to question 33*
2. no → *Go to question 32*
9. unknown → *Go to question 33*



**32. Would you like to become member of a labour union?**

1. yes
2. no
9. unknown

## UNDEREMPLOYMENT



**33. Are you looking for less hours of work?**

1. yes → *Go to question 35*
2. no
9. unknown



**34. Are you looking for more hours of work?**

1. yes
2. no
9. unknown



**35. Are you looking for other work?**

1. yes
2. no → *Go to question 53*
9. unknown



**36. Why are you looking for other work? Name the most important reason**

1. present job is below my educational level
2. I need more income
3. dangerous working conditions
4. possible loss of present job
5. other \_\_\_\_\_
9. unknown



**37. In what manner did you look for work the most last month?**

1. I visited firms personally
2. I wrote open application letters
3. I responded to advertisements (newspaper, internet, journal)
4. through intermediary offices (**DEZA/Employment agencies**)
5. through friends or family
6. other: \_\_\_\_\_
7. last month I didn't look for work
9. unknown

***GO TO QUESTION 53***

**QUESTIONS FOR PERSONS LOOKING FOR WORK**



**38. Are you looking for work or do you wish to start your own business?**

- 1. yes, I am looking for work
- 2. yes, I wish to start my own business → *Go to question 41*
- 3. no, I am not looking for work and I do not wish to start my own business → *Go to question 52*



**39. In what manner did you look for work the most last month?**

- 1. I visited firms personally
- 2. I wrote open application letters
- 3. I responded to advertisements (newspaper, internet journal)
- 4. through mediation (**Deza/Employment agencies**)
- 5. through friends or family
- 6. other : \_\_\_\_\_
- 7. last month I didn't look for work → *Go to question 52*
- 9. Unknown



**40. If you find work, can you start within two weeks?**

- 1. yes → *Go to question 42*
- 2. no → *Go to question 52*
- 9. unknown



**41. If you obtained the necessary funds to start your own business, can you in principle start within two weeks?**

- 1. yes → *Go to question 49*
- 2. no → *Go to question 52*
- 9. unknown



**42. For what reason are you unemployed?**

- 1. was dismissed / contract ended / end of 'job' / ended my own business
- 2. recently out of school/ graduated
- 3. want to work but can't find work
- 4. other: \_\_\_\_\_
- 9. unknown



**43. How long have you been looking for work?**

- 1. less than 1 month
  - 2. 1 to 3 months
  - 3. 4 to 6 months
  - 4. 7 to 9 months
  - 5. 10 to 12 months
  - 6. longer than 12 months
  - 9. unknown
- } *Go to question 45*



**44. Why is it difficult to find work?**

- 1. no work to be found in my branch/education
- 2. my age is too high/ low
- 3. requirements on the labor market are too high
- 4. too little work experience
- 5. economy is bad/there is no work to be found
- 6. too little pay
- 7. foreign workers on the labor market
- 8. other: \_\_\_\_\_
- 9. unknown

45. What type of work are you looking for? \_\_\_\_\_

46. Give a precise description of the tasks you wish to perform

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47. What was your last hourly wage earned ? (casual work is also included)  
(“none” = 000)

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What kind of currency? → Naf. = 1 / Euro = 2 / US\$ = 3

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Was this: →→→→→→ Net = 1 / Gross = 2

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48. What is the lowest hourly wage for which you are willing to work?  
(“Does not matter” = 998 and “Don’t know” = 999)

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What kind of currency? → Naf. = 1 / Euro = 2 / US\$ = 3

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Was this: →→→→→→ Net = 1 / Gross = 2

49. In what type of firm are you looking for work?

*For those who want to start their own business: What type of business do you want to start?*

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50. If you find a different type of work, would you accept it?

1. yes
2. no

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51. How many hours a week do you want to work?

**GO TO QUESTION 53**

### QUESTIONS FOR PERSONS ECONOMICALLY NOT-ACTIVE

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52. What is the reason why you are not looking for work or can’t start immediately?

1. housewife working in own household
2. no work available
3. I am on pension/age
4. wish to finish my school/study first
5. because of family circumstances
6. other \_\_\_\_\_
9. unknown

**QUESTIONS CONCERNING INCOME**

**53. Which of the following benefits or subsidies do you receive? Mention all benefits or subsidies.**

A. Welfare *Yes=1, No=2*

B. Benefit from RCN for children. How many children (*max 3*)

*None = 0   1 child = 1   2 children = 2   3 children = 3*

C. Benefit from DWM (SASO) to cover school uniforms. How many children (*max 3*)

*None = 0   1 child = 1   2 children = 2   3 children = 3 etc.*

D. Subsidy for water and electricity *Yes = 1, No = 2*

E. Subsidy for rent *Yes = 1, No = 2*

**54. What was the source of your highest income last month?**

1. labor/business
2. pension (**including wed&wez pensioen / excluding AOV**)
3. AOV / Old age pension
4. welfare
5. scholarship
6. other: \_\_\_\_\_
7. no income → *END OF INTERVIEW*
9. unknown

**55. What was your income from this source last month?**

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Was this: →→→→→→ Net = 1 / Gross = 2

What kind of currency? → Naf. = 1 / Euro = 2 / US\$ = 3

Was this: →→→→→→ per month = 1 / per bi-weekly = 2 / per week = 3

**56. Are you the person who pays most of the family's expenses from your income?**

1. yes
2. no
9. unknown

**NOTE!! Question 57 is only for persons who answered question 54 with “labor/business”(answer no. 1)**

**57. Do you receive the exact minimum hourly wage?**

1. yes, the exact minimum hourly wage
2. no lower than the minimum hourly wage
3. no, higher than the minimum hourly wage
4. don't know
9. unknown

**58. What was the source of your second highest income last month?**

1. labor/business
2. pension (**including wed&wez pensioen / excluding AOV**)
3. AOV/Old age pension
4. other \_\_\_\_\_
5. no income → **END OF INTERVIEW**
9. unknown

**59. What was your income from this source last month?**

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Was this: →→→→→→→ Net = 1 / Gross = 2

What kind of currency? → Naf. = 1 / Euro = 2 / US\$ = 3

Was this: →→→→→→→ per month = 1 / per bi-weekly = 2 / per week = 3

### QUESTION CONCERNING HEALTH

**60. How is your health generally? Is it**

1. very well
2. good
3. regular
4. bad
5. or very bad?

**END OF THE INTERVIEW**

**THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR YOUR KIND COOPERATION**