

IPSOS ESSENTIALS

FAQ

A Guide for Subscribers



What is Ipsos Essentials? How long has it been running?

Ipsos Essentials monitors consumer attitudes, emotions and behaviors as they face unprecedented challenges related to inflation, war, climate change and other issues. With Ipsos Essentials, you can connect to consumers as they reconstruct their lives and adapt to these events.

We have been surveying consumers since February 2020 and have been providing tracked data and insights to our subscribers going back to July 2020. It is a syndicated study, so we ask the same questions to respondents across the globe and over time.

How many countries are we tracking, and which ones are they?

Ipsos Essentials tracks 15 countries. We survey 1000 people each wave in Canada, France, India, the UK and the US. In the same wave, in each of Australia, Brazil, China, Germany, Italy, Japan, Mexico, South Korea, South Africa and Spain, the sample size is 500.

How often does the study run, and how long does it take to get results? We survey and report insights every month.

The	2022	sche	dule	is as	follows:
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WAVE	CUSTOM QUESTIONS	FIELD DATES	REPORT PUBLISHED
56	January 3	January 6 – 9	Monday, January 17
57	February 7	February 10 – 13	Tuesday, February 22
58	March 8	March 10 – 13	Monday, March 21
59	April 4	April 7 – 10	Wednesday, April 20
60	May 2	May 5 – 8	Monday, May 16
61	June 6	June 9 – 12	Monday, June 20
62	June 30	July 7 – 10	Monday, July 18
63	July 29	August 4 – 7	Monday, August 15
64	September 2	September 8 – 11	Monday, September 19
65	October 3	October 6 – 9	Monday, October 17
66	November 7	November 10 – 13	Monday, November 21
67	December 5	December 8 - 11	Monday, December 19

Is the report available in multiple languages?

No. It is available in English only.



What do you measure in the study?

Ipsos Essentials tracks consumer attitudes and behaviors related to inflation, the war in the Ukraine, sustainability, the pandemic, and travel/dining/social activities. We also monitor people's routines and habits, omnichannel shopper behaviours, category choices, and current work situation. We look at emotional response, government ratings, current expectations and future outlook, among other areas. In addition to the online survey, we supplement the results with ethnographic videos posting consumer attitudes and behaviours.

How much does it cost to subscribe? What are the deliverables?

In 2022 Ipsos *Essentials* is \$8,000 USD/wave, with an option to purchase a custom question when there is availability. The question is asked in all 15 countries. Volume discounts are offered when a subscriber purchases 4 or more waves.

REPORT						
Full Year (12 waves)	\$80,000 USD (~17% discount)					
1 Quarter (3 waves)	\$21,000 USD (~12% discount)					
Single Report	\$8,000 USD					
CUSTOM QUESTION (max 2 per client / wave where	e space is available)					
	e space is available) \$3,000 USD					

DELIVERABLES EACH WAVE
Global Report in ppt and pdf (~ 40 slides)
Global Compendium with details (~ 150 slides)
Integration of ethnographic videos from 7 key countries
Data Tables (in Excel, including cross-country comparison)
Country-specific Data Compendium and additional Data Tables available upon request

What if I only want to understand the results from one country?

Sometimes a company has a localized need. Each wave we create the data tables and a templated slide data compendium for each country. There is no discount to receive the information for one country only. Please contact a member of the Essentials team at essentials@ipsos.com for more information on what that might look like.

Does Ipsos host results presentations for subscribers?

When there is a specific client need, we offer consultation hours, which can be used for a presentation if desired.

Can I have a copy of the data tables?

Yes. Full Excel data tables are part of the subscription. See the table above.

What are the demographics you capture?

The standard demographic fields we capture are: Gender, Age, Generational Cohort, HH Income, Marital Status, Parents, HH Size, Education, Vaccination Status, Employment Status, Region, Urban/Rural, and Ethnicity.



Do you offer other products using Essentials information?

- Ipsos Strategy3 offers workshops that are custom to your team and your business. Workshops are preceded by stakeholder interviews. One of the outcomes is moving beyond the "So What?" of understanding change to the "Now What?" to prepare for the future.
- We offer and participate in speaking engagements.

What are the topics that you cover each wave?

Each month, we ask respondents about the following topics:

Topics covered in every report: Inflation/ Top personal priorities financial situation **Omnichannel** shopping War in behaviour in key Ukraine verticals Phases of Outlook the pandemic and reopening Travel Positive and intentions and negative top destinations emotions



Do you ever modify the questionnaire?

Because we track behaviour each wave, the questionnaire is about 90% consistent, however we rotate additional topics based on the schedule outlined below:

	WAVE											
	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67
Health & Wellness	•			•			•			•		
Financial Deep- Dive	•			•			•			•		
Shopping Deep-Dive	•		•		•		•		•		•	
Category Usage & Prioritization	•		•		•		•		•		•	
Media & Information		•			•			•			•	
Travel & Entertainment Deep-Dive		•		•		•		•		•		•
Food & Beverage		•		•		•		•		•		•
Sustainability & Environment		•			•			•			•	
Shifts in Time Spent			•			•			•			•
World of Work			•			•			•			•

My company would like to add a custom question. Is that possible?

Subscribers have the option of adding a custom question when space permits. Note the cost and schedule for submission on the previous pages. The question must be added to the global questionnaire, so respondents from all 15 countries are included.

For more information, or to subscribe, contact your local lpsos representative or email **essentials@ipsos.com**

