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Evaluation of psychological well-being and social impact of combined facial and truncal acne: A multi-

national, mixed-methods study

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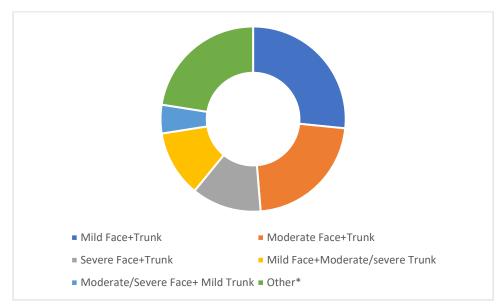
Supplementary Table 1: Characteristics of participants from the qualitative survey

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8 (26.7%)
5 (16.7%)
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Supplementary Table 2: Characteristics of participants from the quantitative survey

Study participants, n	694
Study participants, ii	094
Age, mean (SEM) years	18.7 (0.55)
13 to < 16 years, n (%)	333 (48.0%)
16 to < 18 years, n (%)	119 (17.1%)
18 to < 25 years, n (%)	114 (16.5%)
25 to 40 years, n (%)	127 (18.4%)
Male, n (%)	385 (55.5%)
Relationship status, n (%)	
Married/living with partner*	465 (67.1%)
Single	194 (27.9%)
Country of residence, n (%)	
US	324 (46.6%)
Canada	33 (4.7%)
Brazil	82 (11.9%)
France	121 (17.5%)
Germany	80 (11.6%)
Italy	53 (7.7%)
Type of residence, n (%)	
Urban	412 (59.4%)
Suburban	201 (29.0%)
Rural	80 (11.6%)
Employment status, n (%)	1
Employed	602 (86.7%)
Unemployed	29 (4.2%)
Student/pupil	46 (6.7%)

Supplementary Figure 1: Distribution of participants from the quantitative survey based on the severity of acne on the face, chest, and back



^{*}Other includes different combinations of severity of acne on the chest and back within the trunk variable, e.g., mild acne on the chest + moderate acne on the back.

Burden of truncal and facial acne combined

60 min in-depth face to face discussion

DISCUSSION GUIDE - PATIENT

I. SELF-INTRODUCTION (5 min)

MODERATOR: ADAPT YOUR LANGUAGE AND QUESTIONS IF THIS IS A CHILD

- 1. Let's start by introducing yourself.
 - a. your age
 - b. family situation
 - c. professional status [Moderator: adapt if child]
 - d. hobbies
- 2. Where do you live?
 - a. Probe on:
 - i. Do you live in a sunny, cloudy, cold, rainy area?
 - ii. City or countryside?

II. ACNE HISTORY AND MANAGEMENT (20 min)

- 1. Could you tell me where exactly you have acne on your face /body acne today?
- 2. When did your acne first appear, how many years ago?
 - a. How old were you then?
 - b. Where was it located?
 - c. What worried you the most at the time?
 - d. How did you initially react?
 - e. Did you try to disminish the symptoms yourself? If yes, how? What was the result?
 - f. IF CHILD/TEENAGER: did you tell your parents? How did they react?
- 3. When was your acne formally diagnosed by the healthcare professional?
 - a. What type of healthcare professional made this diagnosis?
- 4. About this first visit, approximately how long was it after you acne first appeared?
 - a. IF LONG AFTER THE FIRST SYMPTOMS: Why did you wait to see a healthcare professional?
 - b. *IF CHILD/TEENAGER*: Did you decide to consult a healthcare professional, did you ask your parents or was it your parents idea?
 - c. What prompted you to visit a healthcare professional at this time exactly? SPONTANEOUSLY FIRST, THEN PROMPT/
 - i. The acne got worse?
 - ii. The acne extend to other areas of the body?
 - iii. Impact of the acne on daly life?
 - iv. Something else? Please explain.
- 5. What did the healthcare professional say at the time? SPONTANEOUSLY FIRST
 - i. About the origins of acne? What was explained?
 - ii. About the nature of the condition? Its chronic aspect, flare ups, evolutions?
- 6. Was your acne on your [shoulders, chest, bust, or back] seen and acknowledged at the time as the acne on your face?
 - a. Did you <u>spontaneously</u> talk about this aspect of your acne or did the physician ask you first about areas other than the face that could possibly be affected?

- 7. What did this healthcare professional say about possible treatment?
 - a. What was explained?
- 8. What treatment was prescribed if any?
 - a. Was it a cream, an ointment or an oral form like a tablet or capsule?
 - b. Was this treatment intended for both your acne on your face and on your trunkl [shoulders, chest, bust, or back]?
- 9. What other advice, if any, was given to you during this first visit to help you manage your acne?
 - a. If not covered spontaneously, ask:
 - i. Advice about your face cleansing routine?
 - ii. Advice about your acne on your [shoulders, chest, bust, or back]?
 - iii. Any other advice about lifestyle? Hygiene?
 - b. If the acne on the [shoulders, chest, bust, or back] was acknowledged on the first visit, ask: Were you given the same type of advice for your acne on your [shoulders, chest, bust, or back]?
- 10. Overall, how was your first visit to this healthcare professional? How did you feel about it? Why?
 - a. To what extent was your dermatologist reassuring? Why
 - b. To what extent did s/he show empathy?
- 11. How many different specialists did you see for your acne management?
 - a. Please specify which specilities they are, like GP, nurse or dermatologist for instance.
- 12. Why did you/why didn't you change physician?
- 13. Was your acne on your [shoulders, chest, bust, or back] treated or managed differently at some point? Please explain why and how?
 - a. *IF NOT ALREADY CLARIFIED, ASK:* When was treatment of your truncal acne taken into account by your physician, compared to your facial acne?
- 14. For how long now have you been using medication prescribed by your healthcare professional to treat your acne?
 - a. Is is the same length of treatment for your acne on the face and on your [shoulders, chest, bust, or back]?
- 15. Beside this treatment your physician prescribed, do you use other products that can be purchased at the chemist without a prescription? What is it? For what reason do you use it?
- 16. Do you have a regular follow-up or do you tend to visit when you experience a flare-up or any othe reason?
 - a. How frequent is it?
 - b. What is usually checked or asked to you during your follow-up visits with the dermatologist?
 - c. Do you usually go for both the acne on your face? For your acne on your [shoulders, chest, bust, or back]? Or both?
 - d. During a typical visit, does your physician look at the acne on your [shoulders, chest, bust, or back] as much as the one on your face?
 - e. Do you talk about/ Does your physician ask about the emotional impact your acne is having on your everyday life? Why/ why not? IF YES: What do you say? What is discussed then
- 17. How satisfied are you currently with the way your acne on your face and on your [shoulders, chest, bust, or back] is managed? Why? Why not?
 - a. Please rate your satisfaction level on a 5-point scale where 1 means not at all satisfied and 5 means totally satisfied. MODERATOR TO WRITE ON COMPLETION SHEET 1
- 18. What would you say are your unmet needs?
 - a. Why are these important to you?
- 19. How would you define your relationship with your current treating physician?
 - a. What do you wish they would do that they currently don't?

III. CURRENT SITUATION AND BURDEN OF COMBINED ACNE (20 min)

- 20. LETTER TO MY CONDITION DISCUSSION We asked you to complete a "letter to my condition" before this interview, thank you for having taken the time to do it, do you want to tell me how was it?
 - a. How did you feel writing to your acne?
 - b. Was it an easy or a difficult process? What is the main message?
- 21. How would you describe yourself physically to someone who you never met but whom you are going to meet soon?
- 22. What do you think stands out in your overall appearance, looks?
- 23. SENTENCE COMPLETION We are going to do a little game. I am going to give you the beginning of a sentence and you will complete it. No right or wrong answers, no need to think too hard, your spontaneous, honest answer is the only thing we care about MODERATOR: PLEASE READ ONE SENTENCE AT A TIME, GIVING SUFFICIENT TIME TO THE PARTICIPANT TO COMPLETE THE SENTENCE.
 - a. The thing with having acne also on [shoulders, chest, bust, or back] is...
 - b. Unlike people having acne only on the face, because I have acne on my [shoulders, chest, bust, or back] too, I have to...
- 24. To what extent would you say also having acne on your [shoulders, chest, bust, or back] is impacting in your life?
 - a. How differently would you describe it compared to people affected only on the face?
- 25. Please indicate on a 5-point scale where 1 means 'not at all impacting', and 5 means 'extremely impacting', how much of an impact facial acne and [shoulders, chest, bust, or back] acne has overall on your quality of life. MODERATOR PLEASE REFERAND WRITE THE ANSWER ON THE COMPLETION SHEET 2
- 26. To what extent do you treat your facial acne differently compared to the acne on your shoulders, chest/bust or back?
 - a. Any difference in the skincare routine?
 - b. Please describe you daily routine for your acne on the face, and for your acne on your [shoulders, chest, bust, or back]
- 27. Overall, which aspect of the acne is the most concerning, worrying for you? *SPONTANEOUSLY*, *THEN ASK*:
 - b. The location? (face, shoulders, chest/bust/back?) Why?
 - c. The possibility of developing scars in the future?
 - d. Some specific uncomfortable situations, which ones?
 - e. What if anything, does having acne on your face and [shoulders, chest, bust, or back] prevent you from doing?
- 28. What area in your life would you say is the most impacted by acne? SPONTANEOUS THEN PROBE AND COVER IN DEPTH ALL THE AREAS IMPACTED:
 - a. Professionally/ at school PLEASE ADAPT ACCORDINGLY? Please explain how.
 - b. Personally (family, spouses/partners)? Please explain how.
 - c. Socially (friends, coworkers)? Please explain how.
 - d. Other? Please explain how.
- 29. Let's now rate this impact on a 5-point scale. Please indicate which areas of your life are the most impacted by your acne. Again I will ask you to differentiate your acne on the face from your acne on your [shoulders, chest, bust, or back]. MODERATOR, PLEASE REFER AND COMPLETE THE COMPMLETION SHEET 3

- 30. Could you recall any events where your acne made you uncomfortable or changed the way you would have reacted otherwise? *Cover in-depth*
 - a. What have you learned from this event?
 - b. How much did this event change the way you act/react?

IV. WRAP-UP (5 min)

- 31. What is the most difficult thing to cope with having acne on the face and on [shoulders, chest, bust, or back]?
 - a. Why?
 - b. If relevant: How would you say you are coping with it?
- 32. What would you like to see change (if anything) about the management of your acne on your face and on [shoulders, chest, bust, or back]?
- 33. What would you say to the dermatologists treating acne for people like you to improve their management in the future?
- 34. Is there anything else you would like to add?

THANK & CLOSE

COMPLETION SHEET 1

Please indicate your satisfaction level of your current acne treatment on a 5-point scale where 1 means 'not at all satisfied, and 5 means 'extremely satisfied .

	Acne on	the face – Treatment sati	isfaction	
Not at all satisfied				Extremely satisfied
1	2	3	4	5

	Acne on [shoulders	, chest, bust, or back]– Tr	eatment satisfaction	
Not at all satisfied				Extremely satisfied
1	2	3	4	5

COMPLETION SHEET 2

Please indicate on a 5-point scale where 1 means 'not at all impacting', and 5 means 'extremely impacting' how much does the acne impact on your quality of life. Please differentiate acne on you face form acne on your [back, shoulders, chest, bust....]
Please circle the correct answer.

			IMPACT		
Acne	Not at all impacting				Extremely impacting
On the face	1	2	3	4	5
On the	1	2	3	4	5

COMPLETION SHEET 3

Please indicate in the following grid how much each of the areas mentioned is impacted by your acne on the face and by your acne on your [back, shoulders, chest, bust....], using a 5-point scale where 1 means "not at all *impacted*" and 5 "extremely impacted".

Feel free to add an area of impact that you consider is missing, I'll add it at the bottom of the grid and you can

asse its level of impact.

Areas of impact	Type of acne	Not at all impacted				Extremely impacted
Family life	On the face	1	2	3	4	5
Family life	On	1	2	3	4	5
Social life	On the face	1	2	3	4	5
Social life	On	1	2	3	4	5
Mand	On the face	1	2	3	4	5
Mood	On	1	2	3	4	5
Self-esteem	On the face	1	2	3	4	5
	On	1	2	3	4	5
Type of leisure	On the face	1	2	3	4	5
Type of leisure	On	1	2	3	4	5
Type of style	On the face	1	2	3	4	5
clothing/ haircut	On	1	2	3	4	5
IIi.a.a. habita	On the face	1	2	3	4	5
Hygiene habits	On	1	2	3	4	5
Einenees / eymanses	On the face	1	2	3	4	5
Finances / expenses	On	1	2	3	4	5
Emotions	On the face	1	2	3	4	5
Emotions	On	1	2	3	4	5
Work / studies	On the face	1	2	3	4	5
Work / studies	On	1	2	3	4	5
Daily organization	On the face	1	2	3	4	5
Daily organization	On	1	2	3	4	5
Sleeping habits	On the face	1	2	3	4	5
Siceping natits	On	1	2	3	4	5
Eating habits	On the face	1	2	3	4	5
Lating navits	On	1	2	3	4	5

QUANTITATIVE PATIENT QUESTIONNAIRE

PART 1: SCREENING CRITERIA

Before we begin, we would like to ask you a few questions to check that your profile matches the profile required for this survey.

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PROG: DO NOT SHOW

S0. COUNTRY

- 1. US
- 2. Canada
- Germany
 France
- 6. Italy

NEW WEB PAGE

S1. You are...

Only one possible answer **PROG: SINGLE ANSWER**

- 1. Male
- 2. Female

NEW WEB PAGE

S2. What is your date of birth?

[MONTH = MIN:1 - MAX:12][YEAR= MIN: 1900 - MAX: 2019]

[PROG: CREATE "AGE_ADULT" VARIABLE: DATE OF TODAY – S2] IF AGE_ADULT IS LOWER THAN 18 → SCREENOUT

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S3. Please specify which is the first letter of your first name.

/__/ [OE] LIMIT TO ONE CHARACTER

NEW WEB PAGE

S4. How many children aged between 13 and 18 years old, who are currently living in the household, do you have?

children aged between 13 and 18 years old living in the household

[MIN: 0 - MAX: 20]

IF S4=0 AND AGE_ADULT>40 → SCREENOUT

PROG: SHOW S5 IF S4>0 OTHER GO TO S6

S5. Please specify for [SHOW IF S4=1: your child / SHOW IF S4 > 1: each of your children] aged between 13 years and less than 18 years old currently living in the household

		S5a. Date of Birth	S5b. Gender	S5c. First
		MONTH: MIN= 1/ MAX = 12	SINGLE	letter of the
		YEAR: $MIN = 2001 / MAX = 2006$	ANSWER	first name of
		THE DATE MUST NOT BE AFTER		this child
		THE CURRENT DATE		LIMIT TO
		AGE_CHILD MUST BE ≥ 13 YEARS		ONE
		AGE_CHILD MUST BE < 18 YEARS		CHARACTER
1	1st child	/////	1. Male	// [OE]
		M M Y Y Y Y	2. Female	
2	SHOW IF $S4 > 1$	/////	1. Male	// [OE]
	2 nd child	M M Y Y Y Y	2. Female	
3	SHOW IF $S4 > 2$ 3 rd	/////	1. Male	// [OE]
	child	M M Y Y Y Y	2. Female	
4	SHOW IF $S4 > 34^{th}$	/////	1. Male	// [OE]
	child	M M Y Y Y Y	2. Female	
5	SHOW IF $S4 > 45^{th}$	/////	1. Male	// [OE]
	child	M M Y Y Y Y	2. Female	
6	SHOW IF $S4 > 56^{th}$	/////	1. Male	// [OE]
	child	M M Y Y Y Y	2. Female	
7	SHOW IF $S4 > 67$ th	/////	1 Male	// [OE]
	child	M M Y Y Y Y	2 Female	
8	SHOW IF $S4 > 78$ th	/////	1 Male	// [OE]
	child	M M Y Y Y Y	2 Female	
9	SHOW IF $S4 > 89$ th	/////	1. Male	// [OE]
	child	M M Y Y Y Y	2. Female	
10	SHOW IF S4 > 9	/_/_///	1. Male	// [OE]
	10 th child	M M Y Y Y Y	2. Female	
11		•		

CREATE A HIDEN VARIABLE FOR EACH CHILD AGE_CHILD = DATE OF TODAY -S5.a

S6. Please select the region you live in.

Only one answer possible SINGLE ANSWER

PROG: SHOW THE REGIONS IN ALPHABETIC ORDER

	US S0=1
	Northeast
1	Connecticut
2	Maine
3	Massachusetts
4	New Hampshire
5	New Jersey
6	New York
7	Pennsylvania
8	Rhode Island
9	Vermont
	Midwest
10	Illinois
11	Indiana
12	Iowa
13	Kansas
14	Michigan
15	Minnesota
16	Missouri
17	Nebraska
18	North Dakota
19	Ohio
20	South Dakota
21	Wisconsin
	South
22	Alabama
23	Arkansas
24	Delaware
25	DC
26	Florida
27	Georgia
28	Kentucky
29	Louisiana
30	Maryland
31	Mississippi
32	North Carolina
33	Oklahoma
34	South Carolina
35	Tennessee

36	Texas
37	Virginia
38	West Virginia
	West
39	Alaska
40	Arizona
41	California
42	Colorado
43	Hawaii
44	Idaho
45	Montana
46	Nevada
47	New Mexico
48	Oregon
49	Utah
50	Washington
51	Wyoming

	CANADA S0=2
	Atlantic
1	Newfoundland and Labrador
2	New Brunswick
3	Nova Scotia
4	Prince Edward Island
	Prairies
5	Manitoba
6	Saskatchewan
7	Alberta
	Central
8	Quebec
9	Ontario
	West Coast
10	British Columbia
	North
11	Nunavut
12	Northwest Territories
13	Yukon Territory

	BRAZIL S0=3
	Nord
1	Acre (AC)
2	Amazonas (AM)
3	Amapá (AP)
4	Pará (PA)

5	Roraima (RR)
6	Tocantins (TO)
7	Rondônia (RO)
	Nord-Est
8	Bahia (BA)
9	Maranhão (MA)
10	Ceará (CE)
11	Piauí (PI)
12	Rio Grande do Norte (RN)
13	Alagoas (AL)
14	Paraïba (PB)
15	Sergipe (SE)
16	Pernambouco (PE)
	Centre
17	Mato Grosso do Sul (MS)
18	Mato Grosso (MT)
19	Distrito Federal
20	Goiás (GO)
	Sud-Est
21	São Paulo (SP)
22	Espírito Santo (ES)
23	Minas Gerais (MG)
24	Rio de Janeiro (RJ)
	Sud
25	Rio Grande do Sul (RS)
26	Paraná (PR)
27	Santa Catarina (SC)

	GERMANY S0=4		
	Gebiet I		
1	Brême		
2	Hambourg		
3	Basse-Saxe		
4	Schleswig-Holstein		
	Gebiet II & IIIa		
5	Hesse		
6	Rhénanie-du-Nord-Westphalie		
7	Rhénanie-Palatinat		
8	Sarre		
	Gebiet IIIb & IV		
9	Bade-Wurtemberg		
10	Bavière		
	Gebiet V, VI & VII		
11	Berlin		
12	Brandebourg		

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1	13	Mecklembourg-Poméranie-Occidentale
1	14	Saxe
1	15	Saxe-Anhalt
1	16	Thuringe

	FRANCE S0=5
1	Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes
2	Bourgogne-Franche-Comté
3	Bretagne
4	Centre-Val de Loire
5	Corse
6	Grand Est
7	Hauts-de-France
8	Île-de-France
9	Normandie
10	Nouvelle-Aquitaine
11	Occitanie
12	Pays de la Loire
13	Provence-Alpes-Côte d'Azur

	ITALY S0=6			
	Nord-Ovest			
1	Piemonte			
2	Valle d'Aosta			
3	Liguria			
4	Lombardia			
	Nord-Est			
5	Provincia Autonoma di Bolzano/Bozen			
6	Provincia Autonoma di Trento			
7	Veneto			
8	Friuli-Venezia Giulia			
9	9 Emilia-Romagna			
	Centro (IT)			
10	Toscana			
11	Umbria			
12	Marche			
13	Lazio			
	Sud			
14	Abruzzo			
15	Molise			
16	Campania			
17	Puglia			
18	Basilicata			
19	Calabria			
	Isole			

20	Sicilia
21	Sardegna

S7. Which best describes your current residence?

Only one possible answer

SINGLE ANSWER

- 1 Urban (city)
- 2 Suburban
- 3 Rural

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S8. What is your marital status?

Only one answer possible

PROG: SINGLE ANSWER

- 1. Married / living with partner
- 2. Single
- 3. Divorced / separated
- 4. Widowed

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S9. What is your current working situation?

Only one answer possible

PROG: SINGLE ANSWER

- 1. Employed
- 2. Self-employed
- 3. On sick leave
- 4. Unemployed
- 5. Retired
- 6. Student / Pupil
- 7. Other

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S10. What is the highest degree or level of schooling that you have completed?

 $Only\ one\ answer\ possible$

PROG: SINGLE ANSWER PROG: SHOW FOR THE US

- 1. None/Primary School/Secondary School
- 2. High School
- 3. Undergraduate
- 4. Post-graduate
- 5. Other

PROG: SHOW FOR CANADA

1.	No certificate, diploma or degree
2.	High school dipolma
3.	Apprenticeship/trades certificate
4.	College diploma
5.	University below bachelor
6.	Bachelor degree or higher

PROG: SHOW FOR FRANCE, GERMANY AND ITALY

- Less than primary, primary and lower secondary education
 Upper secondary and post-secondary non-tertiary education
 Tertiary education
 Other

PROG: SHOW FOR BRAZIL

- 1. Illiterate / Incomplete primary (Illiterate / Up to 3rd grade / Up to 3rd grade 1st grade)
- 2. Primary School / Incomplete Junior (Up to Grade 4 / Grade 4)
- 3. Completed High School / Completed High School (Complete Elementary / 1st Grade)
- 4. High School / Incomplete Superior (Full Secondary / 2nd Grade)
- 5. Graduated
- 6. Postgraduate studies
- 7. Master degree
- 8. Doctorate degree
- 9. Other

S11.

FOR FRANCE, US AND CANADA SHOW: Approximately how much was your total household income in 2018 from all sources, including wages, salaries, tips, interest, child support, investment income, retirement (including Social Security) and alimony?

FOR BRAZIL, GERMANY AND ITALY SHOW: Approximately how much was your total household income <u>last month</u> from all sources, including wages, salaries, tips, interest, child support, investment income, retirement (including Social Security) and alimony?

Only one answer possible **PROG: SINGLE ANSWER**

PROG: SHOW FOR FRANCE

- 1. Moins de 10 000 €
- 2. De 10 000 à moins de 15 000 €
- 3. De 15 000 à moins de 30 000 €
- 4. De 30 000 à moins de 45 000 €
- 5. De 45 000 à moins de 60 000 €
- 6. De 60 000 à moins de 75 000 €
- 7. 75 000 € et plus
- 8. Je ne souhaite pas répondre

PROG: SHOW FOR US

- 1. Less than \$25,000
- 2. \$25,000 to less than \$40,000
- 3. \$40,000 to less than \$50,000
- 4. \$50,000 to less than \$75,000
- 5. \$75,000 to less than \$100,000
- 6. \$100,000 to less than \$150,000
- 7. \$150,000 or more
- 8. Prefer not to state

PROG: SHOW FOR CANADA

- 1. Less than \$20,000
- 2. \$20,000 \$39,999
- 3. \$40,000-\$74,999
- 4. \$75,000 or more
- 5. Prefer not to state

PROG: SHOW FOR GERMANY

- 1. Bis unter 1.000 Euro
- 2. 1.000 bis unter 2.000 Euro
- 3. 2.000 bis unter 3.000 Euro
- 4. 3.000 bis unter 4.000 Euro
- 5. 4.000 Euro und mehr
- 6. Prefer not to state

PROG: SHOW FOR ITALY

- 1. Fino a 1000 € 2. 1.000 € 1.500 € 3. 1.500 € 2.000 € 4. 2.000 € 2.500 € 5. 2.500 € 3.000 €

- 6. 3.000 € 3.500 €
- 7. 3.500 € 4.000 € 8. 4.000€ 5000
- 9. Oltre 5.000€
- 10. Non desidero rispondere a questa domanda

PROG: SHOW FOR BRAZIL

- 1. Less than R \$ 500
- 2. From R \$ 501 to R \$ 1,000
- 3. From R \$ 1,001 to R \$ 2,000
- 4. From R \$ 2,001 to R \$ 4,500
- 5. From R \$ 4,501 to R \$ 10,000
- 6. More than R \$ 10,000
- 7. Prefer not to state

THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS SHOULD BE ASKED TO THE PANELIST OR ONE OF THE CHILDREN DESCRIBED IN S5 WHICHEVER IS CHOSEN BY THE ALGORITHM BELOW [ALL COUNTRIES]

- OPTION 1: IF S4 = 0, SELECT THE PANELIST
- OPTION 2: IF S4 >0 AND AGE_ADULT > 40, USE THE SELECTION ALGORITHM BELOW ONLY FOR THE CHILDREN DESCRIBED IN S5
- OPTION 3: IF S4 >0 AND AGE_ADULT ≤40, USE THE SELECTION ALGORITHM DESCRIBED BELOW FOR PANELIST AND CHILD/CHILDREN DESCRIBED IN S5

ALGORITHM (FOR OPTION 2 & 3):

OPTION 2: CHOOSE THE CHILD (S5a) WITH THE CLOSEST COMING BIRTHDAY OPTION 3: CHOOSE THE PARENT (S2) OR CHILD (S5a) WITH THE CLOSEST COMING BIRTHDAY

- IF QUOTA FULL \rightarrow CHOOSE THE FOLLOWING ONE (THIS ACTION CAN BE REPEATED IF THE NEXT ONE IS ALSO QUOTA FULL)
- IF THE SELECTION TARGETS TWO INDIVIDUALS WITH THE SAME BIRTH DATE, PLEASE CHOOSE THE ONE WITH THE FIRST LETTER IN THE ALPHABET (S3 and S5c)
- IF THE SELECTION TARGETS TWO INDIVIDUALS WITH THE SAME BIRTH DATE AND WITH THE SAME FIRST LETTER OF THE ALPHABET, PLEASE CHOOSE ONE OF THEM RANDOMNLY

CHECK QUOTAS

PROG: CREATE THE FOLLOWING VARIABLES FOR THE PERSON SELECTED BY THE ALGORITHM

- GENDER ALGO: GENDER OF THE RESPONDENT SELECTED
- AGE_ALGO: AGE OF THE RESPONDENT SELECTED
- FIRST LETTER_ALGO: FIRST LETTER OF THE FIRST NAME OF THE RESPONDENT SELECTED

PROG: CREATE THE FOLLOWING TARGETS VARIBALES:

TARGET 1: THE PANELIST SELECTED

TARGET 2: ONE OF THE CHILDREN OF THE PANELIST IS SELECTED

[SHOW ONLY FOR TARGET 2] The following questions should be answered by your child born on [SHOW ANSWER IN S5a] with [SHOW ANSWER IN S5c] as first letter of his/her first name. On the next screen we will present him/her the survey.

You can, of course, stay with your child but please do not comment or interpret any question to avoid interfering with your child's responses while completing the study questionnaire.

S12. Do you agree to pass the control to your child?

PROG: SINGLE ANSWER

- 1. I agree to pass the control to my child **CONTINUE**
- 2. I do not agree to pass the control to my child **TERMINATE**

INFORMED CONSENT

[SHOW ONLY FOR TARGET 2] You have been selected to participate in this survey. We are asking you to answer some questions of this survey on your own.

Participation in this study is voluntary. You may refuse to participate in this study and this decision will not be held against you in any way. After reading the following, if you still wish to participate, please select, "I agree to participate" in the question below. You will then be taken to the survey. If you do not want to participate, select "I do not agree to participate".

Your answers will be absolutely confidential. No identifying information about you, such as your name or email address, will be revealed to anyone.

At the end of the study, the information you provide will be analyzed together with information from other respondents.

S13. Do you voluntarily agree to participate in this study? PROG: SINGLE ANSWER

- 1. I agree to participate **CONTINUE**
- 2. I do not agree to participate **TERMINATE**

NEW WEB PAGE

ASK ALL

S14. Here is a list of conditions. Please carefully read the list below and select all the conditions you have <u>ever</u> suffered from. Please select all that apply.

Several answers possible.

PROG: MULTIPLE ANSWERS

PROG: RANDOMIZATION OF ITEMS

- 1. Psoriasis
- 2. Seborrheic dermatitis
- 3. Diabetes
- 4. Rosacea
- 5. Eczema
- 6. Dry Eye Syndrome
- 7. Acne
- 8. Cardiac insufficiency
- 9. Fungal nail infection
- 10. HIV
- 11. Erythema
- 12. Lupus dermatitis
- 13. None of these [EXCLUSIVE]

IF CODE 7 IS NOT SELECTED \rightarrow SHORT COMPLETES AND TERMINATE AFTER S15 IF 5 OR MORE CODES SELECTED \rightarrow THANK AND TERMINATE

NEW WEB PAGE

S15. Amongst the conditions you have ever suffered from, which of them have been <u>diagnosed</u> by a physician?

Several answers possible

PROG: MULTIPLE ANSWERS

PROG: SHOW THE LIST OF ITEMS SELECTED IN S14

IF CODE 7 FROM S14 IS NOT SELECTED IN S15 → SHORT COMPLETES AND TERMINATE HERE

NEW WEB PAGE

S16. What is the specialty of the physician who diagnosed <u>your acne?</u>

Only one answer possible

PROG: SINGLE ANSWER

- 1. A dermatologist
- 2. A general practitioner / Family practitioner
- 3. A paediatrician
- 4. A Physician's Assistant (PA) [PROG: US ONLY]
- 5. A Nurse Practitioner (NP) [PROG: US ONLY]
- 6. An Internist
- 7. Another physician (please specify) [OPEN ENDED]
- 8. None of these

IF CODE 1 OR 2 OR 3 OR 4 OR 5 OR 6 NOT SELECTED → SHORT COMPLETES

NEW WEB PAGE

S17. <u>In the past 12 months</u>, which of the following have you seen in relation to your acne?

Several answers possible

PROG: MULTIPLE ANSWERS

- 1. A dermatologist
- 2. A general practitioner / Family practitioner
- 3. A paediatrician
- 4. A Physician's Assistant (PA) [PROG: US ONLY]
- 5. A Nurse Practitioner (NP) [PROG: US ONLY]
- 6. An Internist
- 7. Another physician (please specify) [OPEN ENDED]
- 8. Another physician (please specify) [OPEN ENDED]
- 9. Another physician (please specify) [OPEN ENDED]
- 10. I have not seen any physician for my acne in the past 12 months [EXCLUSIVE]

IF CODES 1 OR 2 OR 3 OR 4 OR 5 OR 6 ARE NOT SELECTED→ SHORT COMPLETES

PROG: ASK ALL

S18A. Have you been prescribed a treatment for your acne in the past 12 months by a physician?

Only one answer possible **PROG: SINGLE ANSWER**

1. Yes

2. No IF CODE 2 SELECTED → SHORT COMPLETES

NEW WEB PAGE

PROG: ASK IF S18A=1

S18Bis. What type of treatment were you prescribed?

Only one answer possible **PROG: SINGLE ANSWER**

- 1. I was prescribed a topical treatment(s) such as creams or ointments that you apply directly to your acne
- 2. I was prescribed an **oral** treatment(s) such as pills that you swallow
- 3. I was prescribed **both** a topical and an oral treatments(s)

NEW WEB PAGE

PROG: ASK IF S18A=1

S18. Amongst the treatments below, which ones have you taken in the past 12 months that were prescribed by a physician for your acne?

Several answers possible

PROG: MULTIPLE ANSWERS PER COLUMN

FOR EACH COLUMN SHOW A DROP-DOWN LIST WITH THE TREATMENTS FROM THE TREATMENT LIST AND ALSO ADD AN OPTION OTHER

IF THE RESPONDENT SELECTS THE OTHER OPTION (AND ONLY THEN) SHOW AN OE FIELD WHERE THEY CAN TYPE THEIR ANSWER. WHILE THEY TYPE AUTOMATICALLY IDENTIFY ALREADY EXISTING TREATMENTS FROM THE PREDEFINED LIST

IF THE RESPONDENT FILLS IN THE OTHER FIELD SHOW A NEW OE FIELD IF THEY WISH TO ADD ANOTHER TREATMENT

ALLOW THE RESPONDENT TO CONTINUE (I.E. DO NOT QUALIFY THEM AS SHORT COMPLETE) EVEN IF THEY HAVE ONLY ENTERED THEMSELVES ANOTHER TREATMENT NOT FROM THE PREDEFINED LIST

SEND THE KANTAR HEALTH TEAM A DAILY EXPORT WITH ALL OTHER TREATMENTS FILLED IN BY RESPONDENTS

		S18.1 Topical treatments	S18.2 Oral treatments
		SHOW IF S18B=1 OR	SHOW IF S18B=2 OR
		3	3
1	Treatment 1 (please specify)	[OPEN ENDED]	[OPEN ENDED]
2	Treatment 2 (please specify)	[OPEN ENDED]	[OPEN ENDED]
3	Treatment 3 (please specify)	[OPEN ENDED]	[OPEN ENDED]
4	Treatment 4 (please specify)	[OPEN ENDED]	[OPEN ENDED]
5	Treatment 5 (please specify)	[OPEN ENDED]	[OPEN ENDED]

	Other	
6		

ASK IF GENDER_ALGO =2

S18.B In the past 12 months, have you taken the birth control pill or another form of hormonal treatment that was prescribed to you by your doctor?

Only one answer possible

PROG: SINGLE ANSWER

- 4. Yes
- 5. No
- 6. I do not know

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S19. Any time in the past 12 months, which part(s) of your body has/have been affected with acne?

Several answers possible

PROG: MULTIPLE ANSWERS

- 1. Face
- 2. Shoulders
- 3. Chest
- 4. Back
- 5. Arms, not including shoulders
- 6. Neck
- 7. Other, please specify: [OPEN ENDED]

IF CODE 1 IS NOT SELECTED → SHORT COMPLETES

IF S19 = 1 AND (2 AND/OR 5 AND/OR 7) AND NOT (3 AND/OR 4) → SHORT COMPLETES

PROG: CREATE 2 GROUPS

1. FACIAL GROUP = FACIAL ONLY: S19 = 1 AND (NOT: 2 OR 3 OR 4 OR 5 OR 7)

2. TRUNCAL GROUP = FACIAL + TRUNCAL: S19 = 1 AND (3 OR 4)

ASK S20 IF S19 = 1

S20. Using the table and pictures below please rate your \underline{worst} ever acne on your \underline{face} within the past 12 months?

PROG: SINGLE ANSWER

Code	Grade	Description	SHOW IF GENDER_ALGO =2	SHOW IF GENDER_ALGO =1
1	0	No active lesions. Residual pigmentation (brown or dark spots) and redness may be seen		6
2	1	Almost no acne lesions. A few scattered blackheads or whiteheads (open or closed comedones respectively) and very few acne bumps (papules)	66	
3	2	Easily recognizable: less than half of the face is involved. A few blackheads or whiteheads (open or closed comedones respectively) and a few red acne bumps (papules) and zits (pustules)		636
4	3	More than half of the face is involved. Many red acne bumps (papules) and zits (pustules), many blackheads and whiteheads (open or closed comedones respectively). One larger deeper cystic acne lesion (nodule) may be present.		
5	4	Entire face is involved. Covered with many red acne bumps (papules) and zits (pustules), black or whiteheads (open or closed comedones respectively) and rare deeper cystic acne lesions (nodules).		
6	5	Highly inflammatory acne. Covering the face with presence of larger deeper cystic acne lesions (nodules).	Even worse than grade 4	Even worse than grade 4

IF CODE 1 OR 2 OR 3 ARE SELECTED → SHORT COMPLETES

ASK S21 IF S19 = 3

Using the table and pictures below please rate your worst ever acne in your chest within the past 12 months?
PROG: SINGLE ANSWER

Code	Grade	Description	
1	0	No active lesions. Residual pigmentation (brown or dark spots) and redness may be seen	
2	1	Almost no acne lesions. A few scattered blackheads or whiteheads (open or closed comedones respectively) and very few acne bumps (papules)	· · ·
3	2	Easily recognizable: less than half of the chest is involved. A few blackheads or whiteheads (open or closed comedones respectively) and a few red acne bumps (papules) and zits (pustules)	
4	3	More than half of the chest is involved. Many red acne bumps (papules) and zits (pustules), many blackheads and whiteheads (open or closed comedones respectively). One larger deeper cystic acne lesion (nodule) may be present.	
5	4	Entire chest is involved. Covered with many red acne bumps (papules) and zits (pustules), black or whiteheads (open or closed comedones respectively) and rare deeper cystic acne lesions (nodules).	
6	5	Highly inflammatory acne. Covering the chest with presence of larger deeper cystic acne lesions (nodules).	Even worse than grade 4

ASK S22 IF S19 = 4

S22. Using the table and pictures below please rate your <u>worst</u> ever acne in your <u>back within</u> the past 12 months?

PROG: SINGLE ANSWER

Code	Grade	Description	
1	0	No active lesions. Residual pigmentation (brown or dark spots) and redness may be seen	
2	1	Almost no acne lesions. A few scattered blackheads or whiteheads (open or closed comedones respectively) and very few acne bumps (papules)	
3	2	Easily recognizable: less than half of the back is involved. A few blackheads or whiteheads (open or closed comedones respectively) and a few red acne bumps (papules) and zits (pustules)	
4	3	More than half of the back is involved. Many red acne bumps (papules) and zits (pustules), many blackheads and whiteheads (open or closed comedones respectively). One larger deeper cystic acne lesion (nodule) may be present.	
5	4	Entire back is involved. Covered with many red acne bumps (papules) and zits (pustules), black or whiteheads (open or closed comedones respectively) and rare deeper cystic acne lesions (nodules).	
6	5	Highly inflammatory acne. Covering the back with presence of larger deeper cystic acne lesions (nodules).	Even worse than grade 4

IF TRUNCAL GROUP AND (S19=3 AND S19=4) AND (CODE 1 OR 2 OR 3 IN S21 AND (CODE 1 OR 2 OR 3 IN S22) \rightarrow SHORT COMPLETES
IF TRUNCAL GROUP AND (S19=3 AND S19 =NOT 4) AND (CODE 1 OR 2 OR 3 IN S21 IS SELECTED) \rightarrow SHORT COMPLETES

IF TRUNCAL GROUP AND (S19=4 AND S19=NOT 3) AND (CODE 1 OR 2 OR 3 IN S22) \rightarrow SHORT COMPLETES

IF FACIAL GROUP AND S19 = 1 AND (NOT: 2 OR 3 OR 4 OR 5) AND (CODE 1 OR 2 OR 3 S20) → SHORT COMPLETES

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ASK S23 IF S19 = 1

Using the table and pictures below please rate your <u>current</u> acne on your <u>face</u>? **PROG: SINGLE ANSWER**

Code	Grade	Description	SHOW IF GENDER_ALGO	SHOW IF GENDER_ALGO
1	0	No active lesions. Residual pigmentation (brown or dark spots) and redness may be seen	=2	=1
2	1	Almost no acne lesions. A few scattered blackheads or whiteheads (open or closed comedones respectively) and very few acne bumps (papules)		
3	2	Easily recognizable: less than half of the face is involved. A few blackheads or whiteheads (open or closed comedones respectively) and a few red acne bumps (papules) and zits (pustules)		
4	3	More than half of the face is involved. Many red acne bumps (papules) and zits (pustules), many blackheads and whiteheads (open or closed comedones respectively). One larger deeper cystic acne lesion (nodule) may be present.		
5	4	Entire face is involved. Covered with many red acne bumps (papules) and zits (pustules), black or whiteheads (open or closed comedones respectively) and rare deeper cystic acne lesions (nodules).		
6	5	Highly inflammatory acne. Covering the face with presence of larger deeper cystic acne lesions (nodules).	Even worse than grade 4	Even worse than grade 4

IF CODE 1 OR 2 ARE SELECTED → SHORT COMPLETES

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ASK S24 IF S19 = 3

S24. Using the table and pictures below please rate your <u>current</u> acne in your <u>chest</u>? PROG: SINGLE ANSWER

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Code	Grade	Description		

1	0	No active lesions. Residual pigmentation (brown or dark spots) and redness may be seen	
2	1	Almost no acne lesions. A few scattered blackheads or whiteheads (open or closed comedones respectively) and very few acne bumps (papules)	
3	2	Easily recognizable: less than half of the chest is involved. A few blackheads or whiteheads (open or closed comedones respectively) and a few red acne bumps (papules) and zits (pustules)	
4	3	More than half of the chest is involved. Many red acne bumps (papules) and zits (pustules), many blackheads and whiteheads (open or closed comedones respectively). One larger deeper cystic acne lesion (nodule) may be present.	
5	4	Entire chest is involved. Covered with many red acne bumps (papules) and zits (pustules), black or whiteheads (open or closed comedones respectively) and rare deeper cystic acne lesions (nodules).	
6	5	Highly inflammatory acne. Covering the chest with presence of larger deeper cystic acne lesions (nodules).	Even worse than grade 4

ASK S25 IF S19 = 4

S25. Using the table and pictures below please rate your <u>current</u> acne in your <u>back</u>? **PROG: SINGLE ANSWER**

Code	de Grade Description		
1	0	No active lesions. Residual pigmentation (brown or dark spots) and redness may be seen	
2	1	Almost no acne lesions. A few scattered blackheads or whiteheads (open or closed comedones respectively) and very few acne bumps (papules)	
3	2	Easily recognizable: less than half of the back is involved. A few blackheads or whiteheads (open or closed comedones respectively) and a few red acne bumps (papules) and zits (pustules)	
4	3	More than half of the back is involved. Many red acne bumps (papules) and zits (pustules), many blackheads and whiteheads (open or closed comedones respectively). One larger deeper cystic acne lesion (nodule) may be present.	
5	4	Entire back is involved. Covered with many red acne bumps (papules) and zits (pustules), black or whiteheads (open or closed comedones respectively) and rare deeper cystic acne lesions (nodules).	
6	5	Highly inflammatory acne. Covering the back with presence of larger deeper cystic acne lesions (nodules).	Even worse than grade 4

IF TRUNCAL GROUP AND (S19=3 AND S19=4) AND (CODE 1 OR 2 IN S24) AND (CODE 1 OR 2 IN S25) \rightarrow SHORT COMPLETES

IF TRUNCAL GROUP AND (S19=3 AND S19=NOT 4) AND (CODE 1 OR 2 IN S24 IS SELECTED) \Rightarrow SHORT COMPLETES

IF TRUNCAL GROUP AND (S19=4 AND S19=NOT 3) AND (CODE 1 OR 2 IN S25) \Rightarrow SHORT COMPLETES

IF FACIAL GROUP AND S19 = 1 AND (NOT: 2 OR 3 OR 4 OR 5) AND (CODE 1 OR 2 S23) \rightarrow SHORT COMPLETES

PROG: CHECK THE QUOTAS (50% OF FACIAL AND 50% OF TRUNCAL)
IF QUOTA FULL AT THIS POINT → SHORT COMPLETES

PROG: THE SHORT COMPLETES MUST TERMINATE HERE

PART 2: COMORBIDITIES AND SKIN CARE

NEW WEB PAGE

Q1. On average, how long do you spend on your skin care routine $\underline{each\ day}$ in total?

By skin care routine we mean any of the following: washing your face [SHOW ONLY FOR TRUNCAL GROUP: [IF S19 = 3 SHOW: chest / IF S19 = 4 SHOW: /back] or use of any cosmetic product (moisturizer, exfoliating products, make-up remover, dark spots correctors, anti-aging products, sunscreen, anti-redness/calming products, anti-acne/blemish products, foundation/powder or any other type of make-up etc.)

If you don't have a daily skin care routine, please enter 0.

Q1.1 Skin care routine on your face	[SHOW ONLY FOR TRUNCAL GROUP] Q1.2 Skin care routine in your [IF S19 = 3 SHOW: chest / IF S19 = 4 SHOW: back]	
Duration in minutes: ///	Duration in minutes: //_/	
MIN: 0 – MAX: 999	MIN: 0 – MAX: 999	

PROG: IF BOTH Q1.1 AND Q1.2= 0 GO DIRECTLY TO Q4

NEW WEB PAGE

Q2. Would you say you have a <u>specific</u> skin care routine due to <u>your acne</u> (i.e. a certain skin care routine which is <u>unique</u> for your acne including any of the following: cleansers, moisturizing cream, masks, exfoliant creams, soft peelings, make up, etc that you use for your <u>acne</u>)?

Only one answer possible **PROG: SINGLE ANSWER**

[SHOW ONLY IF Q1.1>0] Q2.1 Acne on your face	[SHOW ONLY FOR TRUNCAL GROUP] [SHOW ONLY IF Q1.2>0] Q2.2 Acne on your [IF S19 = 3 SHOW: chest / IF S19 = 4 SHOW: /back]
1. Yes	1. Yes
2. No	2. No
[SHOW IF Q2.1=1]	[SHOW IF Q2.2=1]
Q2.1.1 Duration of <u>specific</u> skin care in minutes	Q2.2.1 Duration of specific skin care in minutes per day:
per day: ///	/ <u>//</u>
MIN: 0 – MAX: 999	MIN: 0 – MAX: 999

NEW WEB PAGE

ASK Q3 IF CODE 1 WAS SELECTED IN Q2.1 AND/OR Q2.2

Q3. Please, read the following statements and indicate to what extent you agree or disagree with each of them when it comes to your <u>specific skin</u> care routine regarding acne

Only one possible answer

PROG: SINGLE ANSWER PROG: RATE FROM:

- 1. Strongly disagree
- 2. Disagree
- 3. Somewhat disagree
- 4. Somewhat agree
- 5. Agree
- 6. Strongly agree

PROG: RANDOMIZATION OF ITEMS

	Your acne skin care routine is	[SHOW ONLY	[SHOW ONLY IF Q2.2=1]
		IF Q2.1=1]	[SHOW ONLY FOR TRUNCAL GROUP]
		Q3.1 Acne on	Q3.2 Acne on your [IF $S19 = 3$ SHOW:
		your face	chest / IF S19 = 4 SHOW: back]
1	Easy/Straightforward		
2	Boring		
3	Time-consuming		
4	Complex/difficult		
5	Constraining/Restricting		
6	Messy		
7	Mandatory		
8	Soothing		
9	Needs to be adapted from time to		
9	time		
10	Costly		
11	It has side effects		
12	Frustrating		
13	Manageable		

NEW WEB PAGE

Q4. Has a member of your immediate family ever had acne? Your immediate family refers to your parents, siblings [SHOW ONLY FOR TARGET 1: and children] only, not your spouse or partner.

Several answers possible

PROG: MULTIPLE ANSWERS

- 1. Yes, your mother
- 2. Yes, your father
- 3. Yes, your sister
- 4. Yes, your brother
- 5. Yes, your children [SHOW ONLY FOR TARGET 1]
- 6. Yes, another member of your immediate family
- 7. No [EXCLUSIVE]
- 8. I do not know [EXCLUSIVE]

PART 3: DISEASE CHARACTERISTICS

PROG: SHOW TO ALL

In the following parts, we will ask you some questions in relation to the acne on your face [PROG: SHOW FOR TRUNCAL GROUP: and on your [IF S19 = 3 SHOW: chest / IF S19 = 4 SHOW: /back]. Please do not consider acne scars when answering this section.

PROG: SHOW FOR TRUNCAL GROUP Some questions will relate to your acne, meaning that, when answering any of these questions you should consider your acne anywhere in your body.

PROG: FOR TRUNCAL GROUP, PLEASE RANDOMIZE BLOCK 1 AND BLOCK 2

NEW WEB PAGE

START OF BLOCK1 (Facial acne questions)

SHOW FOR ALL

Next, we will ask you about your symptoms of your **facial acne** <u>only</u>. Please do not consider acne scars when answering questions in this section.

NEW WEB PAGE

Q5. Approximately, at what age did you first notice your facial acne?

/__/ years old

RANGE: 0 – **AGE_ALGO** 1. I do not remember

NEW WEB PAGE

Q6. What did you first notice about your facial acne? Please select from the list below of acne symptoms/signs those that you first noticed in your face

Several answers possible

PROG: MULTIPLE ANSWERS

1. Blackheads (open plugged pores/comedones) and/or whiteheads (closed plugged pores) THIS SYMPTOM TEXT SHOULD APPEAR ON A SINGLE LINE



2. Papules (red, tender, raised bumps that may be small or large)



3. Pimples or pustules (red, <u>inflamed</u>, with a white head, or papules with pus at their tips)



4. Nodules (Large, solid, painful lumps beneath the surface of the skin)



5. Cystic lesions (painful, pus-filled lumps beneath the surface of the skin)





- Post-inflammatory hyperpigmentation: dark, discoloured spots left behind after an acne blemish has healed
- 7. Pain in any of the type of lesions listed above
- 8. I don't remember

Q7. Could you estimate the time between the appearance of your <u>first symptoms/signs</u> of facial acne (i.e. when you first noticed your facial acne) and the <u>first time you consulted</u> a physician about it? You can answer the questions in days, OR months OR years.

PROG: ONLY ONE ANSWER BETWEEN DAYS, MONTHS OR YEARS
Time between first symptoms and physician consultation:

/__/__/ days [EXCLUSIVE] [MIN:1- MAX:999]
/__/__/ months [EXCLUSIVE] [MIN:1- MAX:999]
/__/__/ years [EXCLUSIVE] [MIN:1 - MAX: AGE_ALGO-Q5]

1. I do not remember

NEW WEB PAGE

Q8. At what age were you diagnosed with facial acne by a physician?

/__/_ years old

[MIN: Q5 – MAX: AGE_ALGO]

1. I do not remember

NEW WEB PAGE

Q9. Which symptoms / signs of facial acne have you ever experienced?

Several answers possible

PROG: MULTIPLE ANSWERS

SHOW AN ERROR MESSAGE IF SYMPTOMS SELECTED IN Q6 ARE NOT SELECTED IN Q9

NEW WEB PAGE

Q10. Please specify which area(s) of your face have ever been affected by acne.

Several answers possible

PROG: MULTIPLE ANSWERS

- 1. Forehead (yellow)
- 2. Right temple (orange)
- 3. Left temple (purple)
- 4. Right cheek (green)
- 5. Left cheek (red)
- 6. Mandibular areas (turquoise)
- 7. Nose (grey)
- 8. Eyes
- 9. Other (please specify) [OPEN ENDED]

NEW WEB PAGE

Q11. In general, would you say that your symptoms/signs of <u>acne on your face</u>... Please do not consider acne scars when answering this question

Only one answer possible **PROG: SINGLE ANSWER**



- 1. Appear only when you have an acne breakout/flare
- 2. Are nearly always present and worsen when you have an acne breakout/flare
- 3. Are nearly always present and you do <u>not</u> experience breakout/flare (i.e. are almost consistently the same over time)

PROG: SHOW FOR EVERY RESPONSE TICKED IN Q9

Q12. <u>In the past 12 months</u>, have you experienced [INSERT RESPONSE IN Q9] on your face?

SHOW PHOTO FROM Q6 NEXT TO EACH SYMPTOM

Only one answer possible **PROG: SINGLE ANSWER**

1. Never

- 2. Episodically
- 3. Only during flares/breakouts [SHOW ONLY Q11 = 1 OR 2]
- 4. Permanently

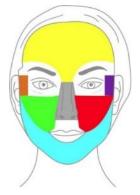
PROG: CREATE A VARIABLE: SYMPTOMS ON THE FACE THE PAST 12 MONTHS WITH EACH SYMPTOM TICKED IN Q9 AND Q12 DIFFERENT FROM 1

NEW WEB PAGE

Q13. <u>In the past 12 months</u>, please specify which area(s) of your face have been affected by your acne.

Several answers possible

PROG: MULTIPLE ANSWERS



PROG: SHOW FOR EVERY RESPONSE FROM THE VARIABLE SYMPTOMS ON THE FACE IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS

Q14. On a scale from 0 to 10, how would you describe each of the symptoms/signs of <u>facial acne</u> you have experienced in the last 12 months? Please do not consider acne scars when answering this question SCALE FROM 0 TO 10

EACH ITEMS FROM THE VARIABLE SYMPTOMS ON THE FACE IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS SHOW PHOTO FROM Q6 NEXT TO EACH SYMPTOM

Not manageable at all Extremely easy to manage 0——1----2----3-----4-----5-----6-----7-----8-----9

NEW WEB PAGE

Q15. In general, would you say that your <u>facial acne</u> has been under control in the past 12 months? Please do not consider acne scars when answering this question

Only one possible answer

PROG: SINGLE ANSWER

- 1. Yes, totally
- 2. Yes partially
- 3. Not at all

NEW WEB PAGE

Q16. What activities/behaviours did/do you avoid because of your facial acne? Please think of all changes / adaptations you may have made since the diagnosis of your facial acne. Several answers possible

PROG: MULTIPLE ANSWERS

PROG: RANDOMIZATION OF ITEMS

You avoid/try avoiding ...

- 1. Going to the swimming pool, beach or sauna
- 2. Going in public without make-up
- 3. Video chatting
- 4. Having your photo taken
- 5. Joining and/or staying on social media
- 6. Eating/drinking certain foods/beverages
- 7. Exposing yourself to the sun
- 8. Doing physical exercise, sport
- 9. Going out with people / doing social activities
- 10. Dating or having romantic/intimate relationships
- 11. Visiting relatives
- 12. Adopting a given hairstyle that may makes your acne more visible
- 13. Travelling
- 14. Participating in certain extracurricular activities at school, university, etc
- 15. Shopping
- 16. Choosing a given career path
- 17. Shaving or not shaving [ASK ONLY IF GENDER_ALGO=1]
- 18. Wearing clothes that make your acne scars more visible
- 19. Applying to job positions that require visual public contact [ASK ONLY TO TARGET 1]
- 20. Others (please specify) **OPEN ENDED**
- 21. You never avoid any activities/behaviours [EXCLUSIVE]

NEW WEB PAGE

Q17. How much do you adjust your daily activities or behaviour because of <u>facial acne</u>? PROG: USE GRID MATRIX NUMBERS TEXT OPTION

SCALE FROM 0 TO 10

02	38910	
0=You do not adjust your		10=You do not extremely
daily activities or		adjust your daily activities
behaviour because of your		or behaviour because of
<u>facial</u> acne		your <u>facial</u> acne

START OF BLOCK 2 (Truncal group questions)

PROG: SHOW FOR TRUNCAL GROUP

In the following section we will ask you some questions in relation to the acne on your [IF S19 = 3 SHOW: chest

/ IF S19 = 4 SHOW: back] only.

Please do not consider acne scars when answering questions in this section.

NEW WEB PAGE

Q18. At what age did you first notice acne on your [IF S19 = 3 SHOW: chest / IF S19 = 4 SHOW: back ?

/__/ years old

RANGE: 0 - AGE_ALGO

1. I do not remember

NEW WEB PAGE

Q19. What were the first symptoms / signs of your acne on your [IF S19 = 3 SHOW: chest / IF S19 = 4SHOW: back]?

Several answers possible

PROG: MULTIPLE ANSWERS

PROG: SHOW THE SAME LIST OF ANSWER AS Q6 WITH PHOTOS INCLUDED

99 I do not know

NEW WEB PAGE

O20. Have you ever talked to a physician about your acne on your [IF S19 = 3 SHOW: chest / IF S19 = 4 SHOW: back]?

Only one answer possible

PROG: SINGLE ANSWER

1. Yes

2. No

NEW WEB PAGE

ASK Q21 IF Q20 = 1

Q21. Who initiated the first conversation with a physician about your acne on your [IF S19 = 3SHOW: chest / IF S19 = 4 SHOW: back]?

Only one answer possible **PROG: SINGLE ANSWER**

- 1. Yourself. You were the first one to tell the physician that you had truncal acne
- Your parents were first to tell the physician about my truncal acne
- The physician was first to ask if you had truncal acne
- 4. Other, please specify [OPEN ENDED]

NEW WEB PAGE

ASK Q22 IF Q20 = 1

Could you estimate the time between the appearance of your first symptoms/signs of acne on Q22. your [IF S19 = 3 SHOW: chest / IF S19 = 4 SHOW: back] and the first time you talked to / consulted a physician about it? You can answer by using the following time units: days, weeks or years.

PROG: ONLY ONE ANSWER BETWEEN DAYS, MONTHS OR YEARS

Time between first symptoms and physician consultation:

/__/__/ days [EXCLUSIVE] [MIN:1- MAX:999] /__/_/ months [EXCLUSIVE] [MIN:1- MAX:999]

/__/__/ years [EXCLUSIVE] [MIN:1 – MAX: AGE_ALGO-Q18

1. I do not remember

NEW WEB PAGE

ASK Q23 IF Q20 = 1

Approximately, at what age were you diagnosed by a physician for your acne on your [IF S19 = 3SHOW: chest / IF S19 = 4 SHOW: back]?

/__/_/ years old RANGE: Q18 to AGE_ALGO

I do not remember 1.

NEW WEB PAGE

Q24. Which symptoms / signs of acne on your [IF S19 = 3 SHOW: chest / IF S19 = 4 SHOW: back] have you ever experienced?

Several answers possible

PROG: MULTIPLE ANSWERS

PROG: SHOW THE SAME LIST OF ANSWER AS Q6

SHOW AN ERROR MESSAGE IF SYMPTOMS SELECTED IN Q19 ARE NOT SELECTED IN Q24

NEW WEB PAGE

Please specify which area(s) of your [IF S19 = 3 SHOW: chest / IF S19 = 4 SHOW: back] have ever been affected by your acne.

Several answers possible

PROG: MULTIPLE ANSWERS

PROG: SHOW IF S19 = 3PROG: SHOW IF S19 = 4



1 = Right front shoulders (A)

2= Front neck (B)

3= Left front shoulder (C)

4= Right upper chest (D)

Q26. 5= Left upper chest (E)

6= Right lower chest (F)

7= Left lower chest (G)

98 I do not know



8= Right back shoulders (J)

9= Back neck (I)

10= Left back shoulder (H)

11= Right upper back (L)

12= Left upper back (K)

13= Right lower back (N)

14= Left lower back (M)

99 I do not know

IOW: chest /

Only

PROG: SINGLE ANSWER

- 1. Appear only when you have an acne breakout/flare
- 2. Are nearly always present and worsen when you have an acne breakout/flare
- Are nearly always present and you do not experience breakout/flare (i.e. are almost consistently the same over time)

PROG: SHOW FOR EVERY RESPONSE TICKED IN Q24

Q27. Any time in the past 12 months, have you experienced [INSERT RESPONSE IN Q24] on your [
IF S19 = 3 SHOW: chest / IF S19 = 4 SHOW: back?
SHOW PHOTO FROM Q6 NEXT TO EACH SYMPTOM

Only one answer possible

PROG: SINGLE ANSWER

- 1. Never
- 2. Episodically
- 3. Only during flares/breakouts [SHOW ONLY IF Q26 = 1 OR 2]
- 4. Permanently

PROG: CREATE A VARIABLE: SYMPTOMS/SIGNS IN THE TRUNK THE PAST 12 MONTHS WITH EACH SYMPTOM TICKED IN Q24 AND IF Q27 DIFFERENT FROM 1

NEW WEB PAGE

Q28. Any time in the past 12 months, please specify which area(s) of your [IF S19 = 3 SHOW: chest / IF S19 = 4 SHOW: back] have been affected by your acne?

Several answers possible

PROG: MULTIPLE ANSWERS

PROG:SHOW IF S19 = 3



1 = Right front shoulders (A)

2= Front neck (B)

3= Left front shoulder (C)

4= Right upper chest (D)

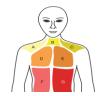
5= Left upper chest (E)

P 6= Right lower chest (F)

T 7= Left lower chest (G)

Q 998 I do not know

PROG: SHOW IF S19 = 4



8= Right back shoulders (J)

9= Back neck (I)

10= Left back shoulder (H)

11= Right upper back (L)

12= Left upper back (K)

13= Right lower back (N)

14= Left lower back (M)

999 I do not know

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IF S19 Please

do not consider acne scars when answering this section.

SHOW PHOTO FROM Q6 NEXT TO EACH SYMPTOM

SCALE FROM 0 TO 10

EACH ITEMS FROM THE VARIABLE SYMPTOMS IN THE TRUNK IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS

NEW WEB PAGE

Q30. Generally speaking, would you say that your acne on your [IF S19 = 3 SHOW: chest / IF S19 = 4 SHOW: back] has been under control in the past 12 months? Please do not consider acne scars when answering this section.

Only one possible answer **PROG: SINGLE ANSWER**

- 1. Yes, totally
- 2. Yes partially
- 3. Not at all

Q31. What activities/behaviours did/do you avoid because of your acne on your [IF S19 = 3 SHOW: chest/IF S19 = 4 SHOW: back?

Please think of all changes / adaptations you may have made since the 1^{st} symptoms of your acne on your [IF S19 = 3 SHOW: chest / IF S19 = 4 SHOW: back.

PROG: SEVERAL ANSWERS POSSIBLE

PROG: MULTIPLE ANSWERS

PROG: RANDOMIZATION OF ITEMS

You avoid/try avoiding ...

- 1. Going to the swimming pool, beach or sauna
- 2. Going in public without make-up
- 3. Video chatting
- 4. Having your photo taken
- 5. Joining and/or staying on social media
- 6. Eating/drinking certain foods/beverages
- 7. Exposing yourself to the sun
- 8. Doing physical exercise, sport
- 9. Going out with people / doing social activities
- 10. Dating or having romantic/intimate relationships
- 11. Visiting relatives
- 12. Adopting a given hairstyle that may makes your acne more visible
- 13. Travelling
- 14. Participating in certain extracurricular activities at school, university, etc
- 15. Shopping
- 16. Choosing a given career path
- 17. Shaving or not shaving [ASK ONLY IF GENDER_ALGO=1]
- 18. Wearing clothes that make your acne scars more visible
- 19. Applying to job positions that require visual public contact [ASK ONLY TO TARGET 1]
- 20. Others (please specify) **OPEN ENDED**
- 21. You never avoid any activities/behaviours [EXCLUSIVE]

NEW WEB PAGE

Q32. How much do you adjust your daily activities or behaviour because of acne on your [IF S19 = 3 SHOW: chest / IF S19 = 4 SHOW: back]?

PROG: USE GRID MATRIX NUMBERS TEXT OPTION

SCALE FROM 0 TO 10

 $0\hbox{-----} 1\hbox{-----} 2\hbox{-----} 3\hbox{-----} 4\hbox{-----} 5\hbox{-----} 6\hbox{------} 7\hbox{-----} 8\hbox{-----} 9\hbox{-----} 10$

0=You do not adjust your	10= You extremely adjust
daily activities or	your daily activities or
behaviour because of acne	behaviour because of acne
on your [IF $S19 = 3$	on your [IF $S19 = 3$
SHOW: chest / IF S19 = 4	SHOW: chest / IF S19 = 4
SHOW: back]	SHOW: back]

END OF BLOCK 2 (Truncal questions)

Part 4: TREATMENTS

NEW WEB PAGE

On the next questions, we will be focusing on the treatment(s) for your acne within the past 12 months.

NEW WEB PAGE

Q33. For each of the following treatments that you have taken for your facial [SHOW ONLY IF TRUNCAL GROUP: and/or truncal] acne within the past 12 months, please indicate if it is still ongoing or if it has ended.

PROG: SHOW ONLY THE TREATMENTS SELECTED IN S18

	Q34.1. Treatments	Q34.2 Do you use/used this treatment for	Q34.3. Is this treatment			
		1. Your facial acne	SHOW IF Q34.2 = 1 1. On-going, used routinely (daily or most days)			
			2. On-going, used occasionally (as and when required)			
			3. Ended within last 12 months, no longer using.			
1		2. SHOW ONLY IF TRUNCAL	SHOW IF $Q34.2 = 2$			
		GROUP Your acne on your [IF S19 = 3	1. On-going, used routinely (daily or			
		SHOW: chest / IF S19 = 4 SHOW:	most days)			
		back]	2. On-going, used occasionally (as and when required)			
			3. Ended within last 12 months, no longer using.			
		3. SHOW ONLY IF TRUNCAL GROUP	SHOW IF Q34.2 = 3			
		Both facial and truncal acne	On-going, used routinely (daily or most days)			
2			2. On-going, used occasionally (as and when required)			
			3. Ended within last 12 months, no longer using.			
2						

SHOW FOR EACH TREATMENT SELECTED IN S18

Q34. On a scale from 0 to 10, how would rate your satisfaction towards your [INSERT TREATMENT NAME IN S18 IF Q34.3=1] for your...

PROG: SHOW ONLY IF	Not at all satisfied Very satisfied
Q34.2=1 OR Q34.2=3	01910
Q35.1 Acne on your face	
PROG: SHOW ONLY IF	Not at all satisfied Very satisfied
Q34.2=2 OR Q34.2=3	01910
Q35.2 Acne on your [IF S19 =	
3 SHOW: chest / IF S19 = 4	
SHOW: back]	

NEW WEB PAGE

SHOW FOR EACH TREATMENT SELECTED IN S18 I

Q35. On a scale from 0 to 10, overall, how <u>effective</u> do you find [INSERT TREATMENT NAME IN S18 IF Q34.3=1] on your symptoms/signs of acne?

PROG: SHOW A SCALE FROM 0 TO 10

PROG: SHOW ONLY IF	Not at all effective	Extremely
Q34.2=1 OR Q34.2=3	Effective	effective
Q36.1 Acne on your face	02	3910
PROG: SHOW ONLY IF	Not at all effective	Extremely effective
Q34.2 =2 OR Q34.2=3	02	38910
Q36.2 Acne on your [IF S19		
= 3 SHOW: chest / IF S19		
= 4 SHOW: back]		

NEW WEB PAGE

ASK Q37 IF Q34.3 = 1 FOR AT LEAST ONE TREATMENT SHOW FOR EACH TREATMENT WITH Q34.3 = 1

Q36. For a variety of reasons, it is possible that a person does not take 100% of his/her treatments as prescribed by the physician. On the scale below, 0% means you never took your treatment, 50% means that you took it about half as often as prescribed, 100% means that you took it completely as prescribed. What percentage of the prescribed dose of your treatment did you take in past few weeks/months for your...

PROG: SHOW A SCALE FROM 0% TO 100%

PROG: SHOW	All treatments taken as prescribed
ONLY Q34.2=1	Treatment not taken at all
Q37.1 Acne on your	0%102030405060708090100%
face	
PROG: SHOW	All treatments taken as prescribed
ONLY IF Q34.2=2	Treatment not taken at all
Q37.2 Acne on your	
[IF $S19 = 3$ SHOW:	0%102030405060708090100%
chest / IF S19 = 4	
SHOW: back]	
PROG: SHOW	All treatments taken as prescribed
ONLY IF Q34.2=3	Treatment not taken at all
Q37.3 Acne on your	
face and trunk	0%102030405060708090100%

PART 5: PHYSICIANS

Q37. How many visits related to your acne did you have <u>during the past 12 months</u> with each of the following physician(s)?

IF YOU DIDN'T HAVE ANY VISITS IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS WITH ANY PHYSICIAN, PLEASE ENTER 0.

PROG: SHOW THE ITEMS SELECTED IN S17

PROG: SHOW THE TEXT ENTERED IN THE OPEN ENDED IN S17

Q38.1 Type of Physician	Q38.2 Visits SPECIFIC to acne on your face ONLY in past 12 months	[SHOW ONLY FOR TRUNCAL GROUP] Q38.3 Visits SPECIFIC to acne on your [IF S19 = 3 SHOW: chest / IF S19 = 4 SHOW: back] ONLY in past 12 months	[SHOW ONLY FOR TRUNCAL GROUP] Q38.4 Visits for BOTH, acne on your face and [IF S19 = 3 SHOW: chest / IF S19 = 4 SHOW: back] in past 12 months				
PIPE IN FROM S17	//_/ [MIN: 0 – MAX: 99]	//_/ [MIN: 0 – MAX: 99]	//_/ [MIN: 0 – MAX: 99]				
PIPE IN FROM	/ / /[MIN: 0 – MAX:	//_/ [MIN: 0 – MAX:	/ / /[MIN: 0 –				
045	991	991	MAX: 99]				
S17	77]	"	1/1/1/1. 77				
PIPE IN FROM	/_/_/ [MIN: 0 – MAX:	//_/ [MIN: 0 – MAX:	//_/ [MIN: 0 -				

NEW WEB PAGE

Q38. Among all physicians you saw during the past 12 months which one would be the MAIN physician who manages your acne?

PROG: SINGLE ANSWER

PROG: SHOW THE ITEMS SELECTED IN S17

PROG: SHOW THE TEXT ENTERED IN THE OPEN ENDED IN S17

NEW WEB PAGE

PROG: ASK Q40 IF Q38.2>0 OR Q38.4>0 IN AT LEAST ONE ITEM IN Q38.1

Q39. Thinking about your visits to the main physician that has been managing your <u>facial acne</u> within the past 12 months, please state how strongly you agree or disagree with the following statement.

I am confident about my physician's ability to effectively manage my facial acne

PROG: SHOW A SCALE FROM 0 TO 10

Not at all Very much 0-----1----2-----3-----4-----5-----6------7----8-----9-----10

NEW WEB PAGE

PROG: ASK Q41 FOR TRUNCAL GROUP

PROG: ASK Q41 IF Q38.3>0 OR Q38.4>0 IN AT LEAST ONE ITEM IN Q38.1

Q40. Thinking about your visits to the main physician that has been managing your acne on your [IF S19 = 3 SHOW: chest / IF S19 = 4 SHOW: back] within the past 12 months, please state how strongly you agree or disagree with the following statement.

I am confident about my physician's ability to effectively manage my acne on my chest / IF S19 = 4 SHOW: back]	y [IF S19 = 3 SHOW:
PROG: SHOW A SCALE FROM 0 TO 10	
Not at all	Very much
01910	

PART 7: QUALITY OF LIFE

NEW WEB PAGE

On a scale from 0 to 10, how would you rate the level of impact ACNE has had on your quality of life over the last week? Please do not consider acne scars when answering this question.

0 means 'no impact' and 10 means 'very high impact'

SCALE FROM 0 TO 10

No impact			Very high impact
03-	6	789	10

NEW WEB PAGE

PROG: SHOW ONLY IF TRUNCAL GROUP

Q42. On a scale from 0 to 10, how would you rate the level of impact that acne on your face and on your [IF S19 = 3 SHOW: chest / IF S19 = 4 SHOW: back] has had on your quality of life over the last week? Please do not consider acne scars when answering this question.

0 means 'no impact' and 10 means 'very high impact'

SCALE FROM 0 TO 10

Q43.1 Acne on your face	No impact	Very high impact
	05	6
[SHOW ONLY FOR	No impact	Very high impact
TRUNCAL]	05	678910
Q43.2 Acne on your [IF S19		
= 3 SHOW: chest / IF S19		
= 4 SHOW: back]		

NEW WEB PAGE

DERMATOLOGY LIFE QUALITY INDEX (DLQI)

NEW WEB PAGE

On the next screens you will be asked to answer a series of questions that are part of a validated scales questionnaire, meaning that they have been developed to be most efficient and effective for use in research and clinical settings, in this case, to assess how much your acne affects you.

Please do not consider acne scars when answering questions in this section.

NEW WEB PAGE

ASK Q44 TO Q54 IF AGE ALGO >=16

The aim of this questionnaire is to measure how much your skin problem has affected you OVER THE LAST WEEK. Please tick ✓ one box for each question.

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NEW WEB PAGE

Over the last week, how **itchy, sore, painful** or **stinging** has your skin been?

PROG: SINGLE ANSWER

- Very much
 A lot
- A little
- 4. Not at all

Q44. Over the last week, how embarrassed or self-conscious have you been because of your skin?

PROG: SINGLE ANSWER

- 1. Very much
- 2. A lot
- 3. A little
- 4. Not at all

NEW WEB PAGE

Q45. Over the last week, how much has your skin interfered with you going **shopping** or looking after your **home** or **garden**?

PROG: SINGLE ANSWER

- 1. Very much
- 2. A lot
- 3. A little
- 4. Not at all
- 5. Not relevant

NEW WEB PAGE

Q46. Over the last week, how much has your skin influenced the **clothes** you wear?

PROG: SINGLE ANSWER

- 1. Very much
- 2. A lot
- 3. A little
- 4. Not at all
- 5. Not relevant

NEW WEB PAGE

Q47. Over the last week, how much has your skin affected any **social** or **leisure** activities?

PROG: SINGLE ANSWER

- 1. Very much
- 2. A lot
- 3. A little
- 4. Not at all
- 5. Not relevant

Q48. Over the last week, how much has your skin made it difficult for you to do any **sport**?

PROG: SINGLE ANSWER

- 1. Very much
- 2. A lot
- 3. A little
- 4. Not at all
- 5. Not relevant

NEW WEB PAGE

Q49. Over the last week, has your skin prevented you from **working** or **studying**?

PROG: SINGLE ANSWER

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 3. Not relevant

NEW WEB PAGE

ASK Q51 IF Q50=2

Q50. Over the last week how much has your skin been a problem at **work** or **studying**?

PROG: SINGLE ANSWER

- 1. A lot
- 2. A little
- 3. Not at all

NEW WEB PAGE

Q51. Over the last week, how much has your skin created problems with your **partner** or any of your **close friends** or **relatives**?

PROG: SINGLE ANSWER

- 1. Very much
- 2. A lot
- 3. A little
- 4. Not at all
- 5. Not relevant

NEW WEB PAGE

Q52. Over the last week, how much has your skin caused any **sexual difficulties**?

PROG: SINGLE ANSWER

- 1. Very much
- 2. A lot
- 3. A little
- 4. Not at all
- 5. Not relevant

PROG: LET THE RESPONDENT CONTINUE THE SURVEY BY CLICKING THE NEXT BUTTON EVEN IF THEY DIDN'T CHOOSE AN ANSWER AT Q53

Q53. Over the last week, how much of a problem has the **treatment** for your skin been, for example by making your home messy, or by taking up time?

PROG: SINGLE ANSWER

- 1. Very much
- 2. A lot
- 3. A little
- 4. Not at all
- 5. Not relevant

NEW WEB PAGE

CHILDREN'S DERMATOLOGY LIFE QUALITY INDEX (CDLQI)

NEW WEB PAGE

On the next screens you will be asked to answer a series of questions that are part of a validated scales questionnaire, meaning that they have been developed to be most efficient and effective for use in research and clinical settings, in this case, to assess how much your <u>acne affects you</u>.

Please do not consider acne scars when answering questions in this section.

NEW WEB PAGE

ASK Q55 TO Q66 IF AGE ALGO<16

The aim of this questionnaire is to measure how much your skin problem has affected you OVER THE LAST WEEK. Please tick ✓ one box for each question.

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NEW WEB PAGE

Q54. Over the last week, how **itchy**, "**scratchy**", **sore** or **painful** has your skin been?

SINGLE ANSWER

- 1. Very much
- 2. Quite a lot
- 3. Only a little
- 4. Not at all

5. NEW WEB PAGE

Q55. Over the last week, how **embarrassed** or **self conscious**, **upset** or **sad** have you been because of your skin?

SINGLE ANSWER

- 1. Very much
- 2. Quite a lot
- 3. Only a little
- 4. Not at all

NEW WEB PAGE

Q56. Over the last week, how much has your skin affected your **friendships**?

SINGLE ANSWER

- 1. Very much
- 2. Quite a lot
- 3. Only a little

Q57. Over the last week, how much have you changed or worn **different** or **special clothes/shoes** because of your skin?

SINGLE ANSWER

- 1. Very much
- 2. Quite a lot
- 3. Only a little
- 4. Not at all

NEW WEB PAGE

Q58. Over the last week, how much has your skin trouble affected going out, playing, or doing hobbies?

SINGLE ANSWER

- 1. Very much
- 2. Quite a lot
- 3. Only a little
- 4. Not at all

NEW WEB PAGE

Q59. Over the last week, how much have you avoided **swimming** or **other sports** because of your skin trouble?

SINGLE ANSWER

- 1. Very much
- 2. Quite a lot
- 3. Only a little
- 4. Not at all

NEW WEB PAGE

Q60. Last week, was it ...

SINGLE ANSWER

- 1. School time
- 2. Holiday time

SHOW Q62 IF Q61 = 1

Q61. If school time: Over the last week, how much did your skin problem affect your school work?

SINGLE ANSWER

- 1. Prevented school
- 2. Very much
- 3. Quite a lot
- 4. Only a little
- 5. Not at all

SHOW Q63 IF Q61= 2

Q62. If holiday time: How much over the last week, has your skin problem interfered with your enjoyment of the **holiday?**

SINGLE ANSWER

- 1. Very much
- 2. Quite a lot
- 3. Only a little
- 4. Not at all

NEW WEB PAGE

Q63. Over the last week, how much trouble have you had because of your skin with other people calling you names, teasing, bullying, asking questions or avoiding you?

SINGLE ANSWER

- 1. Very much
- 2. Quite a lot
- 3. Only a little
- 4. Not at all

Q64. Over the last week, how much has your **sleep** been affected by your skin problem?

SINGLE ANSWER

- 1. Very much
- 2. Quite a lot
- 3. Only a little
- 4. Not at all

NEW WEB PAGE

Q65. Over the last week, how much of a problem has the **treatment** for your skin been?

SINGLE ANSWER

- 1. Very much
- 2. Quite a lot
- 3. Only a little
- 4. Not at all

COMPAQ Measure (Long Form)

Q66. The aim of this questionnaire is to measure how much your acne skin problem has affected you **OVER THE LAST WEEK.** Please tick ✓ one box for each question.

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We define acne as pimples, zits, or breakouts. We do <u>not</u> mean holes, dark spots, or red spots left by acne. Please do not consider acne scars when answering questions in this section.

Thinking about the last week, please answer the following questions about acne on your face [SHOW IF TRUNCAL GROUP: and on your [IF S19 = 3 SHOW: chest / IF S19 = 4 SHOW: back] using the following scale:

0 1	2	3	4	5	6		7				8		
Never	Rarely		Sometimes		Often				A	All tl	ne ti	me	
Items split by do	main				Re	spo	nse (Cho	ices				
					0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
A. Psychologica	al/Emotional					l				l	l		
Because of my ac													
1. I feel de	pressed, sad, or	upset.											
2. I feel en	nbarrassed.												
3. I feel se													
4. I feel les	ss confident.												
B. Social (Judg	ment from othe	ers)			l .								
Because of my ac													
5. I feel that	at people stare	at me.											
6. I feel lik	e people judge	me.											
7. People t	reat me differe	ntly.											
8. People t	hink less of me	·.											
C. Social Intera	ctions												
Because of my ac	ene												
9. I avoid s	social interaction	ns.											
	less time with r												
	ncerned about n												
12. I am uno	comfortable sho	owing affe	ection to others.										
D. Treatment C	oncerns				•								
Because of n													
-		g care of	my skin (at home	remedies,									
	nts, cleansing).												
	time looking at												
			l never be clear.										
		ide effect	s from treatment.										
E. Physical Syr													
Because of m	y acne												
	feels bumpy o	r uneven.											
18. My skin													
19. My skin													
20. My skin	causes me disc	comfort o	r pain.										

PART 8: BEHAVIORS AND ATTITUDES

And now we would like to ask you some questions regarding your attitudes towards acne.

Please read the following statements and indicate to what extent you agree or disagree with each them when it comes to your acne.

Only one answer per row
PROG: SINGLE ANSWER PER ROW **PROG: RANDOMIZATIONS OF ITEMS**

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4 It holds me back from doing things I'd like to do	
5 I can't control or do anything about it.	
6 I would do anything necessary to reduce the possibility of	
scarring due to my acne	
7 People make negative comments about my skin	
8 I feel /felt embarrassed to talk about my acne with friends	
and/or close relatives	
9 I am embarrassed to talk about my acne with physicians	
10 Because of my acne I have been bullied, verbally (i.e. called	
names) and/or physically abused	
11 I have lost interest in my appearance	
12 I would like to know more about it	
13 My acne does not allow others to see me for who I am	
14 My physician(s) do(es) not involve me in decisions about	
my treatment	
15 I am not bothered by my acne as a lot of my friends also	
have acne	
16 I worry about getting scars because of my acne	
17 I avoid undressing in front of my	
spouse/partner/friends/relatives because of my truncal acne	
[SHOW ONLY TO TRUNCAL GROUP]	
18 I feel I have to hide my acne in public (e.g. by using creams	
and makeup products, changing my hair and/or clothing	
style, etc.)	
Because of my acne I receive(d) what I regard as unfair	
treatment at school [SHOW ONLY TO TARGET 1:	
and/or at work]	
20 I feel unattractive because of my facial acne	
21 I feel unattractive because of my truncal acne [ASK ONLY]	
TO TRUNCAL GROUP]	
22 I feel/felt isolated because of my acne	
23 ASK IF TARGET 1: I missed a work opportunity and/or a	
work promotion because of my acne	
24 My acne affects(ed) negatively my school performance	
25 ASK ONLY TO TARGET 1 My acne affects(ed)	
negatively my work performance	
26 Continuous and impractical treatment regimens for my acne	
interfere with my daily life	
27 I care more about the emotional impact of my acne today	
than about the potential long-term impact of treatment (e.g.	
antibiotic resistance, etc)	

28	I would not want my child to have acne			
29	Even a small improvement in my facial acne would be			
	worthwhile			
30	Even a small improvement in my truncal acne would be			
	worthwhile			
31	I feel others consider my truncal acne as a lack of			
	hygiene[ASK ONLY TO TRUNCAL GROUP]			

Q68. Which of the following do you <u>most</u> associate with how you feel about your acne? Please select the 5 answers that best describe your feelings towards your acne. You can select up to 5 answers.

PROG: MULTIPLE ANSWERS

PROG: RANDOMISATION OF ITEMS PROG: ALLOW UP TO 5 ANSWERS

1. Frustrated 2. Bothered 3. Angry 4. Stressed 5. Low self-esteem 6. Uncomfortable 7. Sad 8. Fearful / afraid of social life 9. Insecure 10. Ashamed 11. Powerless 12. Rejected 13. Defeated 14. Isolated 15. Exhausted 16. Depressed 17. Embarrassed 18. Guilty 19. Low confidence 20. Fed up 21. Despaired 22. Lonely 23. Ugly		
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22. Lonely 23. Ugly	20.	Fed up
23. Ugly	21.	Despaired
	22.	Lonely
	23.	Ugly
24. Anxious		Anxious
25. Resigned	25.	Resigned

NEW WEB PAGE

ASK Q70 IF MORE THAN ONE ANSWER IS SELECTED IN Q69

Q69. Among these [NUMBER OF RESPONSES IN Q68] feelings that you associate with how you feel about acne, which one do you associate with the most?

Only one answer possible. **PROG: SINGLE ANSWER**

PROG: SHOW ITEMS SELECTED IN Q69

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Q70. Which of the remaining do you least associate with how you feel about your acne? Please select the 5 answers that least describe your feelings towards your acne.

You can select up to 5 answers.

PROG: MULTIPLE ANSWERS
PROG: ALLOW UP TO 5 ANSWERS
PROG: RANDOMISATION OF ITEMS

PROG: IN Q71 SHOW ITEMS FROM Q69 NOT SELECTED IN Q69

NEW WEB PAGE

ASK Q72 IF MORE THAN ONE ANSWER IS SELECTED IN Q71

Q71. Among these [NUMBER OF RESPONSES IN Q71] feelings that you least associate with how you feel about acne, which one do you associate the least?

Only one answer possible. **PROG: SINGLE ANSWER**

PROG: SHOW ITEMS SELECTED IN Q70

NEW WEB PAGE

Q72. Regarding your acne, do you think about it them a lot and wish you could think about it less?

Q73.1 Acne on your face	Only one answer possible. PROG: SINGLE ANSWER 1. Yes 2. No
[SHOW ONLY FOR TRUNCAL GROUP] Q73.2 Acne on your [IF S19 = 3 SHOW: chest / IF S19 = 4 SHOW: back]	Only one answer possible. PROG: SINGLE ANSWER 1. Yes 2. No

NEW WEB PAGE

Q73. How much time do you spend thinking about your atrophic acne scars-per day on average? (add up all the time you spend)

Q74.1 Acne on your face	Only one answer possible. PROG: SINGLE ANSWER 1. Less than 1 hour a day 2. Between 1 and 3 hours a day 3. More than 3 hours a day
[SHOW ONLY FOR TRUNCAL GROUP] Q74.2 Acne on your [IF S19 = 3 SHOW: chest / IF S19 = 4 SHOW: back]	Only one answer possible. PROG: SINGLE ANSWER 1. Less than 1 hour a day 2. Between 1 and 3 hours a day 3. More than 3 hours a day

PART 9: GALDERMA TYPING TOOL FOR PATIENT SEGMENTATION

NEW WEB PAGE

Q74. Please indicate how strongly you agree or disagree with each of the following statements

Only one answer possible PROG: SINGLE ANSWER PROG: RATE FROM:

- 1 Strongly disagree
- 2 Disagree
- 3 Somewhat disagree
- 4 Somewhat agree
- 5 Strongly agree

PROG: ITEMS THAT NEED TO BE RATED PROG: RANDOMISATION OF ITEMS

- 1 I am not bothered by my acne as a lot of my friends also have acne
- 2 My acne does not allow others to see me for who I am
- 3 I feel restricted in the types of activities I can do because of my acne (e.g. I do not go to the beach or swim because of the acne on my back or chest)
- 4 A long-lasting effective acne treatment is the most important to me/my parents
- 5 I select the acne treatment that is the most affordable to me/ my parents
- 6 I/my parents will pay as much as needed to treat my acne properly
- 7 I/my parents always seek out an acne-specialist (e.g. dermatologist)
- 8 I feel I only need to treat my acne when there is a flare up, rather than everyday

PART 10: TRADE OFF ANALYSIS

NEW WEB PAGE

SHOW FOR TARGET 2 Thank you for answering these questions. Your participation to this questionnaire is now over.

To finish this survey, we will need your parent to answer the last questions. Two minutes will be needed to end this questionnaire.

NEW WEB PAGE

Q75. On average, how much money do you spend each month on medication to treat [SHOW FOR TARGET 1: your acne / SHOW FOR TARGET 2: the acne of your child]

Please only take into account the medications not reimbursed by your public or private health insurance, and also specific makeup, cosmetic products.

Only one answer possible **PROG: OPEN ENDED**

/__/__/ [US AND CANADA \$ FRA GER ITA €, BRA R\$] each month

PROG: MIN 0 MAX 9999

NEW WEB PAGE

Q76. How much money would you be willing to pay overall to achieve a <u>sustainable</u> (but <u>not</u> complete) cure for [SHOW FOR TARGET 1: your acne / SHOW FOR TARGET 2: the acne of your child]?

Only one answer possible **PROG: OPEN ENDED**

/__/__/ [US AND CANADA \$ FRA GER ITA €, BRA R\$]

PROG: MIN 0 MAX 9999

NEW WEB PAGE

Q77. How much money would you be willing to pay in a single payment to achieve a <u>complete</u> cure for [SHOW FOR TARGET 1: your acne / SHOW FOR TARGET 2: the acne of your child]?

Only one answer possible **PROG: OPEN ENDED**

/__/__/ [US AND CANADA \$ FRA GER ITA €, BRA R\$]

PROG: MIN VALUE IN Q77 MAX 9999

ALLOW RESPONDENT TO GO BACK TO Q77 AND REVISE THEIR ANSWER

PROG: SHOW FOR TARGET 1

How much of your lifetime would you be willing to give up to cure your acne (get your face Q78. completely clear)?

Only one answer possible.

PROG: SINGLE ANSWER

- 1. No time
- 2. 1 month
- 3. 6 months
- 1 year
 2 years
 5 years
- 7. 10 years
- 8. More, I would give up: /__/_/ years [MIN: 11 / MAX: 99]
- 9. None of the above, I would give up: /__/_/ years [MIN: 1/ MAX: 99]