

Table 3.2 Single Country Studies of Aging in Asia

Country/Title/Organization/Sponsor	Principle Investigator/ Project Director	Survey Year/s	Number of Respond.	Age Group, Coverage and Design Elements
<u>Bangladesh</u>				
Matlab Health and Socio-economic Survey National Institute on Aging	Omar Rahman	1996	1,893	50+; Matlab region only (rural)
<u>China</u>				
The Survey of Health and Living Conditions of the Aged in Wuhan, China National Institute on Aging	Jersey Liang and Shengzu Gu	1991 1994	2,943	60+; representative of the Wuhan area, longitudinal
Research for Elderly's Policy in China China Research Center United Nations Population Fund	Hong Guodong	1992	20,083	60+; national; 12 localities; cross-sectional
Determinants of Healthy Longevity China National Aging Committee and National Institute on Aging	Zeng Yi	1998 2000 2002	8,942 n/a n/a	80+; national; longitudinal
Aging Economic Well-being, and Intergenerational Relationships in Contemporary China National Science Foundation	Yu Xie	1999	1,716	60+; representative of 3 localities
Survey on Aging and Intergenerational Relations in Baoding City Beijing University, China Research Center on Aging University of Michigan Luce Foundation	Martin Whyte	1994	1,002	50+; also included 753 adult children

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Indonesia

Indonesian Family Life Surveys I, II and II+ RAND and Lembaga Demografi National Institute on Aging, National Institute of Child Health, World Health Organizations and others	Paul Gertler	1993	4,958	50+; national; longitudinal
	Elizabeth Frankenberg and Duncan Thomas	1997	94% of IFLS1(HH)	
	Elizabeth Frankenberg, Duncan Thomas and Kathleen Beegle	1998	25% of IFLS1 (HH)	

Japan

Japanese Longitudinal Study of Aging Nihon University	Yasuhiko Saito	1999 2001	6,700 n/a	65+; national; longitudinal
The National Survey of the Japanese Elderly National Institute on Aging and Tokyo Metropolitan Institute of Gerontology	Jersey Liang	1987 1990 1993 1996 1999	2,200 2,780 2,780 3,990 --	60+; national; longitudinal

Korea

Living Arrangements of the Elderly and Improving	Ik Ki Kim	1997/1998	1,200	60+; national
The Living Status of Korean Elderly Korea Institute for Health and Social Affairs	Ka-Oak Rhee	1994	2,058	60+; national

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Malaysia

Malaysian Family Life Surveys I, II and III RAND Corporation (I) National Institute of Child Health and Human Development and the National Institute on Aging (II)	William Butz and Julie DaVanzo	1976/1977	1,262 (HH)	50+; Peninsular Malaysia
	Julie DaVanzo and John Haaga	1988/1989 1999/2000	1,357 n/a	50+; longitudinal; Peninsular Malaysia

Thailand

1994 Survey of Elderly in Thailand National Statistical Office, Thailand, and University of Michigan ^a	National Statistics Office, Thailand	1994	14,139	50+; national
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Viet Nam

The Vietnamese Elderly in a Time of Change (Survey of Elderly in Ho Chi Minh City) Institute for Economic Research in Ho Chi Minh City, and University of Michigan ^a	Truong Si Anh	1997	840	60+; representative
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The Vietnamese Elderly in a Time of Change (Survey of Elderly in Red River Delta) Institute of Sociology, Hanoi, and University of Michigan	Bui The Cuong	1996	501	60+; representative
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Appendix 3.1

Country/Title/website	Data Available	References
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Research for Elderly's Policy in China	Yes	Lee, Y. and Z. Xiao. 1998. Children's support for elderly parents in urban and rural China: Results from a national survey. Journal of Cross-Cultural Gerontology 13: 39-62
Determinants of Healthy Longevity	Not yet released	None
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Survey on Aging and Intergenerational Relations in Baoding City	Yes	Chen, Jieming. 1996. Old Age Support and Intergenerational Relations in Urban China: Maintenance of Obligations between Older Parents and Children. Ann Arbor, Michigan: University of Michigan,

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