

Table 5: Measures a household dealing with a high housing cost-to-income ratio

	<i>row frequencies (%)</i>		
	<i>yes</i>	<i>no</i>	<i>no answer</i>
reduce power consumption (electricity, heating, water...)	86,8	11,9	1,3
reduce expenses in other areas than housing (food, travelling...)	71,4	27,1	1,5
overtime work, partial jobs	44,8	52,3	2,8
withdrawal of savings	37,6	60,4	2,1
financial aid of family members or friends	22,5	75,9	1,6
application for a housing allowance	21,2	77,1	1,6
search for less expensive housing	11,4	87,1	1,5
sell of property	6,2	92,1	1,6
sub-leases of other real estates	4,8	93,5	1,7
sub-leases of part of own flat/house	3,5	94,7	1,8

Question: You stated that you consider the regular total housing costs to be quite or very high in relation to the income of your household. What your household did to solve this situation?

Source: 2001 Attitudes to Housing in the CR Survey.