

Table 1. The weight of factors extracted from the exploratory factor analysis with promax rotation

Number	Question	Attitude	Expectation	Knowledge
1	in my opinion, marriage increases diligence in life	0.56		
2	in my opinion, marriage increases peace in life	0.66		
3	in my opinion, marriage organizes people's lives	0.59		
4	In my opinion, childbearing is one of the main reasons of marriage	0.43		
5	in my opinion, marriage increases social relationships	0.57		
6	in my opinion, marriage improves work conditions	0.63		
7	my spouse will be my friend in solving my life and job problems			0.66
8	marriage guarantees and survives the generations			0.51
9	my marriage will be stronger and deeper than my other close relationships			0.65
10	doing home works needs the participation and cooperation of couples			0.51
11	the time spent together will be more important than our alone times			0.72
12	keeping an emotional and lovely relationship will be the main reason for our marital satisfaction			0.77
13	we will agree on the time of childbearing			0.58
14	if I want to travel to another city for study or work, my spouse will certainly want to accompany me			0.55
15	based on my mood and behavior, it will be difficult for my spouse to understand me		0.525	
16	important life events (marriage anniversary, birth of child, etc.) will be important to me and my spouse			0.50
17	I think I will have some problems with the family of my spouse after marriage		0.52	
18	the purpose of marriage is satisfying the sexual needs		0.33	
19	based on my job, I am not enough sure to have a successful marriage		0.62	
20	my income is not enough for starting a marital life		0.36	
21	I expect my spouse to cope with my		0.34	

	absence		
22	marriage limits me in achieving my job purposes	0.62	
23	my spouse will have to show more sacrifice due to my job	0.4	
24	I think that my marital life will not be happy due to my job	0.76	
25	I think that job stability is necessary for marriage	0.39	
26	In my opinion, having a work place stability is necessary for marriage	0.34	
27	my job conditions frighten me of marriage	0.65	
28	in my opinion, individuals must stay with their spouse forever		0.32
29	when I marry, in will be satisfied with my marriage		0.56
30	marriage reduces the emotional relationship between me and others	0.50	
31	marriage is a religious task and sacred issue		0.50
