Racial Attitudes of 18-29 Year Olds

Appendix

Question #1a:

Some people feel that if women are not getting fair treatment in jobs, the government in Washington should see to it that they do. Others feel that this is not the government's business. How do you feel? Should the government in Washington see to it that women get fair treatment in jobs or is this not the government's business?

Question #1b:

Some people feel that if blacks are not getting fair treatment in jobs, the government in Washington should see to it that they do. Others feel that this is not the government's business. How do you feel? Should the government in Washington see to it that black people get fair treatment in jobs or is this not the government's business?

	Women						Blacks					
	Governm Should So Treatmer	ee to Fair	Not the Governm Business		NS		Governm Should S Treatmer	ee to Fair	Not the Governm Business		NS	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total	330	65.7	145	28.9	27	5.4	283	56.8	165	33.0	50	10.1
Whites	231	61.5	125	33.2	20	5.3	211	54.6	134	34.8	41	10.6
Blacks	46	82.6	8	15.0	1	2.4	34	64.7	14	26.9	4	8.4
Men	148	62.3	82	34.7	7	3.0	134	52.9	96	37.9	24	9.3
Women	182	68.7	63	23.8	20	7.5	149	61.0	69	28.0	27	11.0
18-23	188	67.4	77	27.6	14	5.0	172	63.9	76	28.3	21	7.8
24-29	138	62.7	68	31.0	14	6.4	108	48.4	87	39.0	28	12.6
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>129</td><td>69.7</td><td>44</td><td>23.8</td><td>12</td><td>6.5</td><td>108</td><td>61.7</td><td>53</td><td>30.3</td><td>14</td><td>12.6</td></hs>	129	69.7	44	23.8	12	6.5	108	61.7	53	30.3	14	12.6
Some college to college +	200	63.3	101	32.0	15	4.7	175	54.0	112	34.6	37	11.4

Question #2:

Some people say that the government in Washington should see to it that white and black children go to the same schools. Others claim that this is not the government's business. Do you think the government in Washington should see to it that white and black children go to the same schools or stay out of this area as it is not the government's business?

	Government should see to integration		Not the Gov Business	ernment's	NS		
	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Total	611	61.0	343	34.3	47	4.7	
Whites	450	59.0	276	36.2	37	4.8	
Blacks	76	69.9	30	27.4	3	2.7	

Men	277	56.4	194	39.5	20	4.0
Women	334	65.5	149	29.3	27	5.3
18-23	366	66.5	164	30.0	20	3.6
24-29	239	54.0	177	40.0	27	6.1
<hs to<br="">HS</hs>	246	68.1	96	26.6	19	5.3
Some college to college +	365	57.1	247	38.7	27	4.2

Please tell me if you agree or disagree with the following questions?

Question #3:

Irish, Italian, Jewish, and many other minorities overcame prejudice and worked their way up. Blacks should do the same without any special favors.

	Strong Agree	jly	Somev Agree	vhat	Somew Disagre		Strong Disagre		NS	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total	377	37.7	369	36.9	127	12.7	101	10.1	27	2.7
Whites	278	36.4	304	39.8	100	13.1	65	8.5	17	2.2
Blacks	50	45.5	23	20.8	12	10.7	25	23.0	0	0
Men	194	39.4	181	36.8	53	10.9	48	9.7	16	3.2
Women	184	36.0	189	37.0	74	14.4	53	10.4	12	2.3
18-23	208	37.8	204	37.0	78	14.2	43	7.8	17	3.0
24-29	164	36.9	165	37.2	50	11.3	57	12.8	13	2.9
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>145</td><td>40.1</td><td>136</td><td>37.6</td><td>36</td><td>9.9</td><td>32</td><td>8.8</td><td>13</td><td>3.6</td></hs>	145	40.1	136	37.6	36	9.9	32	8.8	13	3.6
Some college to college +	231	36.1	233	36.5	92	14.4	68	10.6	15	2.3

Question #4:

Generations of slavery and discrimination have created conditions that make it difficult for blacks to work their way out of the lower class.

	Strongly Agree		Somewhat Agree		Somewhat Disagree		Strongly Disagree		NS	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total	276	27.6	302	30.2	207	20.7	199	19.9	16	1.6
Whites	190	24.9	234	30.7	170	22.4	158	20.7	10	1.3
Blacks	43	39.5	33	30.4	14	13.2	15	14.2	3	2.7

Men	129	26.9	140	28.6	107	21.7	108	22.0	8	1.5
Women	148	29.0	162	31.7	101	19.7	91	17.9	9	1.7
18-23	176	32.0	167	30.3	102	18.5	99	18.0	6	1.1
24-29	94	21.8	133	30.8	96	22.2	101	23.4	8	1.9
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>119</td><td>33.1</td><td>97</td><td>26.9</td><td>66</td><td>18.3</td><td>70</td><td>19.4</td><td>8</td><td>2.2</td></hs>	119	33.1	97	26.9	66	18.3	70	19.4	8	2.2
Some college to college +	157	24.5	205	32.0	141	22.0	129	20.2	8	1.3

It's really a matter of some people not trying hard enough; if blacks would only try harder they could be just as well off as whites.

		Strongly Agree		Somewhat Agree		Somewhat Disagree		Strongly Disagree		NS	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Total	287	28.7	264	26.4	223	22.3	194	19.3	33	3.3	
Whites	199	26.1	217	28.5	175	22.9	145	19.0	26	3.5	
Blacks	44	40.7	18	16.7	19	17.1	26	24.0	2	1.4	
Men	169	34.5	133	27.0	95	1.4	77	15.7	16	3.3	
Women	118	23.1	132	25.8	128	25.0	116	22.8	16	3.2	
18-23	162	29.5	144	26.2	119	21.7	111	20.2	13	2.4	
24-29	124	27.8	120	26.9	104	23.3	79	17.7	19	4.3	
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>128</td><td>35.7</td><td>95</td><td>26.5</td><td>57</td><td>15.9</td><td>72</td><td>20.1</td><td>7</td><td>1.9</td></hs>	128	35.7	95	26.5	57	15.9	72	20.1	7	1.9	
Some college to college +	159	24.9	168	26.3	166	26.0	120	18.8	26	4.1	

Question #6:

Over the past few years, blacks have gotten less than they deserve.

	Stron Agree		Somev Agree			Somewhat Disagree		Strongly Disagree		NS	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Total	197	19.7	278	27.7	253	25.3	226	22.6	47	4.7	
Whites	131	17.2	209	27.3	204	26.7	186	24.4	34	4.4	
Blacks	38	34.5	35	32.4	16	14.4	17	15.8	3	2.9	
Men	98	19.9	116	23.7	135	27.5	120	24.5	22	4.5	
Women	100	19.6	161	31.6	118	23.1	106	20.7	25	4.9	
18-23	120	21.8	159	28.9	136	24.7	110	20.0	25	4.5	
24-29	76	17.1	117	26.3	119	26.8	112	25.2	21	4.7	
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>85</td><td>23.5</td><td>98</td><td>27.1</td><td>75</td><td>20.7</td><td>91</td><td>25.1</td><td>13</td><td>3.6</td></hs>	85	23.5	98	27.1	75	20.7	91	25.1	13	3.6	
Some college to college +	142	21.2	180	26.9	178	26.6	135	20.1	34	5.1	

It's OK if the races are basically separate from one another as long as everyone has equal opportunities?

		Strongly Agree		Somewhat Agree		Somewhat Disagree		Strongly Disagree		NS	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Total	313	31.3	191	19.0	188	18.8	291	29.1	18	1.8	
Whites	241	31.6	159	20.8	155	20.3	196	25.7	12	1.6	
Blacks	34	30.8	10	9.3	14	12.8	50	45.7	2	1.4	
Men	158	32.3	91	18.8	94	18.5	135	27.6	13	2.6	
Women	154	30.3	100	19.6	95	18.5	156	30.6	5	1.0	
18-23	175	32.1	105	19.2	93	17.0	167	30.6	6	1.1	
24-29	135	30.3	83	18.7	92	20.7	123	27.6	12	2.7	
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>133</td><td>36.9</td><td>70</td><td>19.4</td><td>43</td><td>11.9</td><td>107</td><td>29.7</td><td>7</td><td>1.9</td></hs>	133	36.9	70	19.4	43	11.9	107	29.7	7	1.9	
Some college to college +	179	28.0	121	18.9	145	22.7	184	28.8	11	1.7	

For the following questions I'm going to give you statements on both sides of an issue and then I will ask you to place yourself on scale from 1 to 7, depending upon which statement comes closest to your own feelings.

Question #8a:

Some people feel that the government in Washington should make every effort to improve the social and economic position of women. Suppose these people are at one end of the scale at point number 1. Others feel that the government should not make any special effort to help women because they should help themselves. Suppose these

people are at the other end, at point 7. And of course, some other people have opinions in between at points 2, 3, 4, 5, or 6. Where would you place yourself on this scale?

Question #8b:

Some people feel that the government in Washington should make every effort to improve the social and economic position of blacks. Suppose these people are at one end of the scale at point number 1. Others feel that the government should not make any special effort to help blacks because they should help themselves. Suppose these people are at the other end, at point 7. And of course, some other people have opinions in between at points 2, 3, 4, 5, or 6. Where would you place yourself on this scale?

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Make every effort

Help themselves

	Wome	en	Black	S
	#	Average Score	#	Average Score
Total	502	3.6	499	4.0
Whites	370	3.7	380	4.1
Blacks	54	3.0	54	3.6
Men	233	3.7	251	4.3
Women	260	3.5	241	3.8
18-23	275	3.6	241	3.8
24-29	217	3.6	221	4.2
<hs to<br="">HS</hs>	181	3.5	170	4.0
Some college to college +	313	3.7	322	4.1

Question #9:

Some people believe that personally they have been hurt a lot by affirmative action programs. Suppose these people are at one end of the scale at point number 1. Others feel that personally they have been helped a lot by affirmative action programs. Suppose these people are at the other end, at point 7. And of course, some other people believe that personally they have not been affected by affirmative action programs one way or another. These people would be in the middle, at point 4. Where would you place yourself on this scale?

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Hurt a lot Not affected Helped a lot

	#	Average Score
Total	502	4.1
Whites	358	3.9
Blacks	56	4.6
Men	232	3.8

Women	249	4.4
18-23	269	4.1
24-29	209	4.1
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>177</td><td>4.1</td></hs>	177	4.1
Some college to college +	303	4.1

Question #10:

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Some people believe that their racial group has been hurt a lot by affirmative action programs. Suppose these people are at one end of the scale at point number 1. Others feel that their racial group has been helped a lot by affirmative action programs. Suppose these people are at the other end, at point 7. And of course, some other people believe that their racial group has not been affected by affirmative action programs one way or another. These people would be in the middle, at point 4. Where would you place your racial group on this scale?

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Hurt a lot		Not affected		Helped a lot
			#	Average Score
Total			499	4.2
Whites			362	4.1
Blacks			53	4.8
Men			239	4.0
Women			234	4.4
18-23			260	4.3
24-29			210	4.2
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td></td><td></td><td>165</td><td>4.3</td></hs>			165	4.3
Some college	e to coll	ege +	306	4.2

Question #11a:

Some people say that affirmative action is a form of reverse discrimination. Suppose these people are at one end of the scale at point number 1. Others feel that affirmative action is necessary to level the playing field for women and racial and ethnic minorities. Suppose these people are at the other end, at point 7. And of course, some other people have opinions in between at points 2, 3, 4, 5, or 6. Where would you place yourself on this scale?

Question #11b:

Some people say that affirmative action is a form of reverse discrimination. Suppose these people are at one end of the scale at point number 1. Others feel that affirmative action is necessary to level the playing field for blacks. Suppose these people are at the other end, at point 7. And of course, some other people have opinions in between at points 2, 3, 4, 5, or 6. Where would you place yourself on this scale?

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Reverse Level the playing field Discrimination

	Women and Racial/Ethnic Minorities		Blacks	
	#	Average Score	#	Average Score
Total	502	4.1	499	3.9
Whites	362	3.9	369	3.7
Blacks	54	5.3	50	4.9
Men	255	4.5	243	3.6
Women	502	4.1	234	4.3
18-23	268	4.1	260	3.8
24-29	216	4.1	206	4.2
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>180</td><td>4.3</td><td>161</td><td>3.8</td></hs>	180	4.3	161	3.8
Some college to college +	306	4.0	314	4.0

Question #12:

Some people believe that when picking students for admission to a college or university, it is more important to have a student body that is racially and ethnically diverse, rather than to have one with the best grades and standardized test scores. Suppose these people are at one end of the scale at point number 1. Others believe that it is more important to have students with the best grades and standardized test scores, rather than one that is racially and ethnically diverse. Suppose these people are at the other end, at point 7. And of course, some other people have opinions in between at points 2, 3, 4, 5, or 6. If you were in charge of selecting students for admission to a college or university, where would you place yourself on this scale?

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Racial diversity more	
important	

Best students more important

	#	Average Score
Total	1001	4.7
Whites	755	4.8
Blacks	109	4.4
Men	366	4.0
Women	504	4.6
18-23	549	4.7
24-29	428	4.6
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>357</td><td>4.9</td></hs>	357	4.9
Some college to college +	635	4.6

Question #13:

Some people feel that reducing racial inequality is mostly the responsibility of the government. Suppose these people are at one end of the scale at point number 1. Others feel that reducing racial inequality is mostly the responsibility of individuals, not the government. Suppose these people are at the other end, at point 7. And of course, some other people have opinions in between at points 2, 3, 4, 5, or 6. Where would you place yourself on this scale?

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Government's	Individuals'
responsibility	responsibility

	#	Average Score
Total	1001	5.3
Whites	754	5.3
Blacks	106	5.4
Men	487	5.4
Women	502	5.2
18-23	539	5.2
24-29	438	5.5
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>353</td><td>5.2</td></hs>	353	5.2
Some college to college +	633	5.4

Question #14:

Some people feel that reducing racial inequality is mostly the responsibility of white people. Suppose these people are at one end of the scale at point number 1. Others feel that reducing racial inequality is mostly the responsibility of black people. Suppose these people are at the other end, at point 7. And of course, some other people have opinions in between at points 2, 3, 4, 5, or 6. Where would you place yourself on this scale?

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White people's	Black people's
responsibility	responsibility

	#	Average Score
Total	1001	3.9
Whites	743	4.0
Blacks	107	3.6
Men	480	3.9
Women	494	3.9
18-23	534	3.9
24-29	431	4.0
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>355</td><td>3.9</td></hs>	355	3.9

Question #15:

Some people feel that it is very important for schools to teach about different races and cultures. Suppose these people are at one end of the scale at point number 1. Others feel that teaching about racial differences only helps to further divide people along racial lines. Suppose these people are at the other end, at point 7. And of course, some other people have opinions in between at points 2, 3, 4, 5, or 6. Where would you place yourself on this scale?

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Important to teach differences

Only divides people further

	#	Average Score
Total	1001	2.4
Whites	751	2.3
Blacks	109	2.5
Men	483	2.5
Women	506	2.2
18-23	544	2.4
24-29	435	2.3
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>356</td><td>2.7</td></hs>	356	2.7
Some college to college +	634	2.2

Question #16:

Some people feel that blacks are most responsible for blacks and whites not getting along. Suppose these people are at one end of the scale at point number 1. Others feel that whites are most responsible for blacks and whites not getting along. Suppose these people are at the other end, at point 7. And of course, some other people have opinions in between at points 2, 3, 4, 5, or 6. Where would you place yourself on this scale?

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Blacks most	Whites most
responsible	responsible

	#	Average Score
Total	1001	4.0
Whites	747	3.9
Blacks	106	4.6
Men	480	3.9
Women	498	4.2
18-23	538	4.0

24-29	433	4.0
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>352</td><td>4.1</td></hs>	352	4.1
Some college to college +	625	4.0

Question #17a:

Some people say that most people on welfare could get by on their own if they just tried harder. If you strongly agree with this statement, place yourself at 1 on the scale. If you strongly disagree with this statement, place yourself at 7 on the scale. Or you can place yourself somewhere in between at points 2, 3, 4, 5 or 6.

Question #17b:

Some people say that most blacks on welfare could get by on their own if they just tried harder. If you strongly agree with this statement, place yourself at 1 on the scale. If you strongly disagree with this statement, place yourself at 7 on the scale. Or you can place yourself somewhere in between at points 2, 3, 4, 5 or 6.

1 2 3 4 5 6 7

Strongly agree

Strongly disagree

	Most	Most people		Blacks
	#	Average	#	Average Score
Total	502	3.1	499	3.3
Whites	420	2.8	375	3.3
Blacks	57	3.2	52	3.6
Men	236	3.1	248	3.1
Women	265	3.0	238	3.6
18-23	277	3.1	266	3.3
24-29	220	3.1	218	3.4
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>185</td><td>3.0</td><td>169</td><td>3.2</td></hs>	185	3.0	169	3.2
Some college to college +	313	3.1	315	3.4

Question #18a:

Some people feel that youth crime is a big problem. Suppose these people are at one end of the scale at point number 1. Others feel that youth crime is not a big problem. Suppose these people are at the other end, at point 7. And of course, some other people have opinions in between at points 2, 3, 4, 5, or 6. Where would you place yourself on this scale?

Question #18b:

Some people feel that black youth crime is a big problem. Suppose these people are at one end of the scale at point number 1. Others feel that black youth crime is not a big problem. Suppose these people are at the other end, at

point 7. And of course, some other people have opinions in between at points 2, 3, 4, 5, or 6. Where would you place yourself on this scale?

1 2 3 4 5 6 7

Big problem

Not a big problem

	Yout	n Crime	Black Youth Crime		
	#	Average	#	Average Score	
Total	502	2.2	499	2.9	
Whites	374	2.1	379	2.8	
Blacks	56	2.4	52	2.6	
Men	236	2.4	249	2.7	
Women	263	2.0	238	3.0	
18-23	274	2.3	265	3.0	
24-29	219	2.0	220	2.7	
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>186</td><td>2.4</td><td>160</td><td>3.3</td></hs>	186	2.4	160	3.3	
Some college to college +	314	2.1	317	2.7	

Question #19a:

Some people feel that colleges and universities should take special steps to ensure gender diversity among their students. Suppose these people are at one end of the scale at point number 1. Others feel that colleges and universities should not take special steps to ensure proportional representation of male and female students. Suppose these people are at the other end, at point 7. And of course, some other people have opinions in between at points 2, 3, 4, 5, or 6. Where would you place yourself on this scale?

Question #19b:

Some people feel that colleges and universities should take special steps to ensure racial diversity among their students. Suppose these people are at one end of the scale at point number 1. Others feel that colleges and universities should not take special steps to ensure proportional representation of black and white students. Suppose these people are at the other end, at point 7. And of course, some other people have opinions in between at points 2, 3, 4, 5, or 6. Where would you place yourself on this scale?

1 2 3 4 5 6 7

Take steps

Not take steps

	Genc	ler Diversity	Racial Diversity		
	#	# Average Score		Average Score	
Total	502	4.0	499	3.9	
Whites	370	4.3	379	4.0	

Blacks	56	2.7	53	3.3
Men	235	4.1	247	4.0
Women	262	3.9	242	3.8
18-23	272	3.9	266	3.8
24-29	214	4.1	220	3.9
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>183</td><td>3.9</td><td>173</td><td>4.0</td></hs>	183	3.9	173	4.0
Some college to college +	314	4.1	320	3.8

Question #20a:

Some people feel that single parents are a threat to family values. Suppose these people are at one end of the scale at point number 1. Others feel that black single parents are not a threat to family values. Suppose these people are at the other end, at point 7. And of course, some other people have opinions in between at points 2, 3, 4, 5, or 6. Where would you place yourself on this scale?

Question #20b:

Some people feel that black single parents are a threat to family values. Suppose these people are at one end of the scale at point number 1. Others feel that black single parents are not a threat to family values. Suppose these people are at the other end, at point 7. And of course, some other people have opinions in between at points 2, 3, 4, 5, or 6. Where would you place yourself on this scale?

1 2 3 4 5 6 7

Threat to family values

Not a threat

	Singl	e Parents	Black Single Parents		
	#	Average Score	#	Average Score	
Total	501	5.2	486	5.6	
Whites	376	5.1	377	5.5	
Blacks	56	5.6	54	5.6	
Men	237	5.0	244	5.1	
Women	263	5.4	240	6.0	
18-23	279	5.3	267	5.6	
24-29	220	5.2	216	5.5	
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>186</td><td>5.2</td><td>170</td><td>5.4</td></hs>	186	5.2	170	5.4	
Some college to college +	315	5.2	315	5.7	

Question #21:

Would you go to a concert where you were likely to be the only person of your race there?

	Certa Atter	ain to nd	Proba Woul Atter	d	Proba Not Atter		Certa Atter	ain to nd	NS	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total	360	36.0	349	34.9	183	18.3	100	10.0	9	0.9
Whites	242	31.8	277	36.4	159	20.8	79	10.4	5	0.7
Blacks	59	53.9	28	26.1	4	3.7	18	16.2	0	0
Men	187	38.2	151	30.7	92	18.8	54	11.0	6	1.3
Women	173	33.8	198	38.9	91	17.9	46	8.9	2	0.5
18-23	195	35.5	188	34.2	97	17.7	64	11.7	5	.09
24-29	143	27.9	117	22.9	119	23.2	112	21.9	21	4.1
<hs to<br="">HS</hs>	144	39.9	105	29.1	64	17.7	42	11.6	6	1.7
Some college to college +	215	33.6	243	38.0	120	18.8	58	9.1	3	0.5

Question #22:

On a scale of 1 to 5, with 1- most negative and 5- most positive and 3- neutral, how would you rate your feelings if a member of your family was dating someone of a different race?

1 2 3 4 5

Very Neutral Very Positive Negative

	#	Average Score
Total	999	3.6
Whites	762	3.5
Blacks	109	4.1
Men	490	3.4
Women	311	3.0
18-23	549	3.7
24-29	440	3.5
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>359</td><td>3.5</td></hs>	359	3.5
Some college to college +	639	3.7

Question #23:

On a scale of 1 to 5, with 1- most negative and 5- most positive and 3- neutral, how would you rate your feelings if a member of your family was dating someone of a different religion?

1	2	3	4	5
Very Negative		Neutral		Very Positive

	#	Average Score
Total	996	3.6
Whites	760	3.6
Blacks	109	3.6
Men	488	3.5
Women	509	3.8
18-23	547	3.6
24-29	441	3.6
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>360</td><td>3.5</td></hs>	360	3.5
Some college to college +	636	3.7

Question #24:

Have you ever dated someone of a different race?

	Yes		No		NS	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total	474	47.7	522	52.1	5	0.5
Whites	304	39.9	456	59.7	3	0.4
Blacks	74	67.6	35	32.4	0	0
Men	240	48.9	247	50.3	4	0.9
Women	234	45.9	275	53.9	1	0.2
18-23	265	48.3	282	51.4	2	0.4
24-29	305	47.7	331	51.8	3	0.5
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>265</td><td>48.3</td><td>282</td><td>51.4</td><td>2</td><td>0.4</td></hs>	265	48.3	282	51.4	2	0.4
Some college to college +	305	47.7	331	51.8	3	0.5

Question #25:

Have you ever dated someone of a different religion

Yes	No	NS
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	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total	754	75.3	218	21.8	30	3.0
Whites	583	76.5	158	20.8	21	2.8
Blacks	75	68.5	31	28.6	3	2.9
Men	374	76.3	97	19.7	20	4.0
Women	379	74.3	121	23.7	10	1.9
18-23	407	74.0	121	22.0	22	4.0
24-29	341	76.6	95	21.3	9	2.0
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>249</td><td>69.0</td><td>99</td><td>27.4</td><td>13</td><td>3.6</td></hs>	249	69.0	99	27.4	13	3.6
Some college to college +	503	78.7	119	18.6	17	2.7

Question #26:

If you are or when you were single, how likely would you be to consider dating someone of a different race?

	Very Likel		Som likely	ewhat ,	Some Unlik	ewhat ely	Very Unlik		NS	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total	343	34.2	382	38.2	129	12.9	125	12.5	22	2.2
Whites	228	29.8	295	38.7	112	14.6	110	14.5	18	2.3
Blacks	52	47.7	40	36.6	10	8.9	7	6.8	0	0
Men	189	38.5	185	37.7	46	9.4	59	12.0	12	2.4
Women	153	30.1	197	38.6	83	16.3	67	13.1	10	1.9
18-23	197	36.0	217	39.7	62	11.3	61	11.2	10	1.8
24-29	141	31.9	163	36.9	67	15.2	60	15.6	11	2.5
<hs to<br="">HS</hs>	121	34.3	137	37.8	42	11.6	50	13.8	9	2.5
Some college to college +	218	34.0	246	38.4	88	13.7	76	11.9	13	2.0

Question #27:

If you are or when you were single, how likely would you be to consider dating someone of a different religion?

	Very Likel	y			Somewhat Unlikely		Very Unlikely		NS	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total	458	45.8	347	34.7	97	9.7	76	7.5	23	2.3

Whites	347	45.5	268	35.1	71	9.3	61	8.0	16	2.1
Blacks	52	47.7	37	33.8	11	10.5	6	5.3	3	2.7
Men	238	48.5	157	32.0	44	8.9	39	8.0	12	2.5
Women	220	43.1	190	37.2	53	10.5	36	7.1	11	2.1
18-23	247	45.2	196	35.8	55	10.1	39	7.1	10	1.8
24-29	205	46.4	149	33.7	41	9.3	34	7.7	13	2.9
<hs to<br="">HS</hs>	162	44.8	132	36.5	31	8.6	29	8.0	8	2.2
Some college to college +	296	46.3	216	33.8	67	10.5	46	7.2	15	2.3

Would you ever or did you marry someone of a different race?

	Yes		No		NS	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total	473	47.2	489	48.9	39	3.9
Whites	338	44.4	394	51.6	31	4.0
Blacks	63	58.2	43	39.1	3	2.7
Men	264	53.9	205	41.8	21	4.3
Women	208	40.8	284	55.7	18	3.5
18-23	284	51.6	244	44.4	22	4.0
24-29	188	42.2	240	53.9	17	3.8
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>162</td><td>44.8</td><td>181</td><td>50.0</td><td>19</td><td>5.2</td></hs>	162	44.8	181	50.0	19	5.2
Some college to college +	309	48.4	308	48.3	21	3.3

Question #29

Would you ever or did you marry someone of a different religious background?

	Yes		No		NS	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total	645	64.4	325	32.5	31	3.1
Whites	507	66.5	235	30.8	21	2.7
Blacks	63	58.0	43	39.5	3	2.5
Men	331	67.4	146	29.8	13	2.7

Women	314	61.5	179	35.0	18	3.5
18-23	354	64.4	177	32.2	19	3.5
24-29	287	64.6	145	32.7	12	2.7
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>219</td><td>60.5</td><td>127</td><td>35.1</td><td>16</td><td>4.4</td></hs>	219	60.5	127	35.1	16	4.4
Some college to college +	424	66.3	199	31.1	16	2.5

How often you do here racist jokes, comments, or language?

	Ofter	ı	Occas	ionally	Nev	rer	NS	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total	366	36.6	545	54.5	88	8.8	2	0.2
Whites	291	38.1	422	55.3	49	6.5	1	0.1
Blacks	35	32.2	52	48.0	21	19.8	0	0
Men	203	41.5	258	52.5	28	5.8	1	0.2
Women	162	31.8	287	56.3	59	11.7	1	0.2
18-23	232	42.4	279	51.0	36	6.6	0	0
24-29	134	30.2	262	59.1	45	10.2	2	0.5
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>159</td><td>44.2</td><td>169</td><td>46.9</td><td>31</td><td>8.6</td><td>1</td><td>0.3</td></hs>	159	44.2	169	46.9	31	8.6	1	0.3
Some college to college +	205	32.1	376	58.9	56	8.8	1	0.2

Question #30

How likely do you feel it is that the United States will elect a Black President in the near future?

		Very Likely		Somewhat likely		Somewhat Unlikely		Very Unlikely		
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total	97	9.7	345	34.5	275	27.5	271	27.0	13	1.3
Whites	80	10.5	285	37.4	223	29.3	167	21.9	7	0.9
Blacks	9	7.8	21	18.9	20	18.1	59	53.9	1	1.2
Men	52	10.6	169	34.4	126	25.7	137	27.8	7	1.5
Women	45	8.8	176	34.6	149	29.2	134	26.2	6	1.2
18-23	65	11.9	205	37.4	134	24.5	139	25.4	5	0.9
24-29	31	7.0	137	30.9	139	31.3	130	29.3	7	1.6
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>40</td><td>11.1</td><td>130</td><td>36.0</td><td>91</td><td>25.2</td><td>94</td><td>26.0</td><td>6</td><td>1.7</td></hs>	40	11.1	130	36.0	91	25.2	94	26.0	6	1.7

Some college to college +	58	9.1	215	33.6	184	28.8	176	27.5	6	0.9
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How would you rate race relations in the U.S. today?

	Exce	ellent	Good		Fair		Poor		NS	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total	28	2.8	188	18.7	579	57.9	194	19.4	12	1.2
Whites	23	3.0	143	18.7	442	57.9	145	19.0	11	1.4
Blacks	1	1.2	23	21.0	60	55.0	25	22.8	0	0
Men	22	4.4	94	19.2	280	57.1	91	18.5	4	0.9
Women	7	1.4	94	18.3	299	58.6	103	20.3	7	1.4
18-23	24	4.4	119	21.8	311	56.9	89	16.3	4	0.7
24-29	4	0.9	65	14.6	263	59.4	104	23.4	8	1.8
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>23</td><td>6.4</td><td>80</td><td>22.1</td><td>186</td><td>51.4</td><td>67</td><td>18.5</td><td>6</td><td>1.7</td></hs>	23	6.4	80	22.1	186	51.4	67	18.5	6	1.7
Some college to college +	6	0.9	108	16.8	393	61.3	128	20.0	6	0.9

Question #32

Do you think race relations in the U.S. are getting better, worse or staying the same?

	Getting	Better	Getting	Worse	Staying th	ne same	NS	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total	460	45.9	119	11.9	405	40.4	17	1.7
Whites	352	46.1	89	11.7	312	40.9	10	1.3
Blacks	52	47.9	10	9.3	42	38.9	4	3.9
Men	245	50.0	55	11.2	182	37.1	8	1.6
Women	214	42.0	64	12.6	222	43.6	9	1.8
18-23	275	50.1	56	10.2	209	38.1	9	1.6
24-29	178	39.9	65	14.6	196	43.9	7	1.6
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>179</td><td>49.6</td><td>50</td><td>13.9</td><td>124</td><td>34.3</td><td>8</td><td>2.2</td></hs>	179	49.6	50	13.9	124	34.3	8	2.2
Some college to college +	280	43.9	69	10.8	281	44.0	8	1.3

Question #33a

Please rate the following with 1 on the scale as hard working and 7 on the scale as lazy–where, in general would you put Whites?

Question #33b

Please rate the following with 1 on the scale as hard working and 7 on the scale as lazy–where, in general, would you put Blacks?

1 2 3 4 5 6 7

Hard working

Lazy

	White	es	Black	s
	#	Average Score	#	Average Score
Total	943	3.6	715	3.9
Whites	718	3.6	939	3.8
Blacks	101	3.5	101	3.5
Men	461	3.4	461	3.8
Women	482	3.7	436	4.1
18-23	514	3.6	514	3.8
24-29	421	3.6	417	3.8
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>342</td><td>3.5</td><td>343</td><td>3.7</td></hs>	342	3.5	343	3.7
Some college to college +	600	3.6	595	3.8

Question #34a

Please rate the following with 1 on the scale as intelligent and 7 on the scale as unintelligent–where, in general, would you put Whites?

Question #34b

Please rate the following with 1 on the scale as intelligent and 7 on the scale as unintelligent–where, in general, would you put Blacks?

Question #27b:

1 2 3 4 5 6

Intelligent

Unintelligent

7

	White	es	Blacks		
	#	Average Score	#	Average Score	
Total	945	3.3	942	3.5	
Whites	719	3.4	716	3.6	
Blacks	103	3.2	104	3.1	
Men	465	3.2	465	3.4	
Women	481	3.5	480	3.5	

18-23	520	3.3	518	3.4
24-29	420	3.4	420	3.5
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>346</td><td>3.3</td><td>348</td><td>3.5</td></hs>	346	3.3	348	3.5
Some college to college +	596	3.4	596	3.5

Question #35a

Please rate the following with 1 on the scale as peaceful and 7 on the scale as violent–where, in general, would you put Whites?

Question #35b

Please rate the following with 1 on the scale as peaceful and 7 on the scale as violent–where, in general, would you put Blacks?

1 2 3 4 5 6 7

Peaceful

Violent

	White	es	Black	s
	#	Average Score	#	Average Score
Total	952	3.7	948	4.1
Whites	725	3.8	721	4.2
Blacks	105	3.8	104	4.2
Men	467	3.6	466	4.1
Women	486	3.9	482	4.2
18-23	525	3.8	449	4.2
24-29	419	3.6	418	4.1
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>349</td><td>3.7</td><td>348</td><td>4.2</td></hs>	349	3.7	348	4.2
Some college to college +	604	3.7	601	4.2

Question #36

Imagine that two people are applying for a job. Both are equally qualified and the only difference between them is that one is Black and the other is White. Which person do you think is most likely to get the job?

	Black		White		NS	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total	152	15.2	592	59.1	257	25.7
Whites	136	17.8	430	56.3	197	25.8
Blacks	6	5.3	80	73.5	23	21.2

Men	87	17.8	267	54.5	136	27.7
Women	65	12.7	324	63.6	121	23.7
18-23	84	15.3	330	60.1	135	24.6
24-29	68	15.3	257	57.8	120	27.0
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>56</td><td>15.5</td><td>216</td><td>59.7</td><td>90</td><td>24.9</td></hs>	56	15.5	216	59.7	90	24.9
Some college to college +	97	15.2	376	58.9	166	26.0

Imagine that two people are applying for a job. Both are equally qualified and the only difference between them is that one is male and the other is female. Which person do you think is most likely to get the job?

	Male		Fema	ale	NS	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total	636	63.6	158	15.8	206	20.6
Whites	481	63.0	123	16.1	159	20.9
Blacks	71	65.7	19	17.5	18	16.9
Men	276	56.2	96	19.2	119	24.2
Women	361	70.7	62	12.1	88	17.2
18-23	365	66.6	80	14.6	103	18.8
24-29	265	60.1	76	17.2	100	22.7
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>231</td><td>64.1</td><td>57</td><td>15.8</td><td>72</td><td>20.0</td></hs>	231	64.1	57	15.8	72	20.0
Some college to college +	405	63.3	102	15.9	133	20.8

Question #38

Imagine that you are with a group of co-workers when one of your co-workers makes a joke that you consider racially offensive. Which would you do?

	Go along nothing	and say	Confront the person immediately		Confront the person later				NS	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%		
Total	212	21.2	352	35.2	408	40.8	28	2.8		
Whites	190	24.9	249	32.7	300	39.3	23	3.1		
Blacks	6	5.3	56	51.8	47	42.9	0	0		
Men	148	30.2	135	27.6	187	38.1	20	4.1		
Women	64	12.6	217	42.5	221	43.3	8	1.6		
18-23	118	21.6	199	36.4	219	40.3	11	2.0		

24-29	91	20.4	151	33.9	188	42.2	15	3.4
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>84</td><td>23.3</td><td>129</td><td>35.7</td><td>143</td><td>39.6</td><td>5</td><td>1.4</td></hs>	84	23.3	129	35.7	143	39.6	5	1.4
Some college to college +	129	20.2	223	34.9	265	41.5	22	3.4

Imagine an election between candidates for President of the United States. Candidate A says that the U.S. should do much more than it is doing now to help blacks and other racial and ethnic minorities overcome decades of inequality and discrimination. Candidate B says that racial discrimination is largely a thing of the past, and that it is necessary to end programs like affirmative action and to begin treating everyone equally. Which candidate would you be most likely to vote for?

	Candidate A		Candida	te B	NS	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total	468	46.7	480	48.0	53	5.3
Whites	322	42.3	397	52.1	43	5.6
Blacks	476	69.6	32	29.2	1	1.2
Men	199	40.5	269	54.8	23	4.7
Women	269	52.8	211	41.4	30	5.8
18-23	272	49.5	255	46.4	23	4.2
24-29	193	43.4	222	49.9	30	6.7
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>182</td><td>50.4</td><td>156</td><td>43.2</td><td>23</td><td>6.4</td></hs>	182	50.4	156	43.2	23	6.4
Some college to college +	286	44.8	323	50.5	30	4.7

Question #40

Imagine that you are driving down the road when you are pulled over by a police officer who is of a different race than you. Do you think that he or she will treat you fairly?

	Yes No				NS		
	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Total	805	80.5	140	14.0	55	5.5	
Whites	667	87.4	68	8.9	28	12.2	
Blacks	54	49.3	41	37.6	14	13.2	
Men	380	77.5	81	16.6	29	5.9	
Women	425	83.3	59	11.5	26	5.1	
18-23	805	80.5	140	14.0	55	5.5	
24-29	369	83.1	53	11.9	22	5.0	
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>283</td><td>78.2</td><td>57</td><td>15.7</td><td>22</td><td>6.1</td></hs>	283	78.2	57	15.7	22	6.1	

Imagine that you are going to adopt a child. How important is it to you to adopt a child of your own race?

	Very important		Somewhat important		Somewhat unimportant		Race would not matter		NS	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total	174	17.4	225	22.5	114	11.4	482	48.2	6	0.6
Whites	130	17.0	189	24.8	90	11.7	351	46.0	3	0.4
Blacks	29	26.7	14	13.0	9	8.2	57	52.1	0	0
Men	115	23.5	116	23.6	54	11.1	199	40.5	6	1.3
Women	58	11.4	109	21.4	59	11.6	283	55.5	0	0
18-23	90	16.5	117	21.4	66	12.1	272	49.7	2	0.4
24-29	84	18.8	105	23.5	46	10.3	208	46.6	3	0.7
<hs hs<="" td="" to=""><td>77</td><td>21.3</td><td>65</td><td>18.0</td><td>34</td><td>9.4</td><td>182</td><td>50.4</td><td>3</td><td>0.8</td></hs>	77	21.3	65	18.0	34	9.4	182	50.4	3	0.8
Some college to college +	96	15.0	160	25.1	80	12.5	30			