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1. Race relations

Do you think race relations in the United States are generally...


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## 2. Racism problem

How big a problem is racism in our society today?

|  | Total | Gender |  | Age |  |  |  | 3 Point Party ID |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Male | Female | 18-29 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | Democrat | Independent | Republican |
| A big problem | 28\% | 26\% | 30\% | 19\% | 30\% | 31\% | 31\% | 40\% | 27\% | 16\% |
| Somewhat of a problem | 45\% | 43\% | 46\% | 50\% | 43\% | 44\% | 41\% | 46\% | 43\% | 46\% |
| A small problem | 23\% | 26\% | 21\% | 29\% | 20\% | 22\% | 25\% | 13\% | 25\% | 33\% |
| Not a problem | 4\% | 5\% | 3\% | 2\% | 7\% | 3\% | 4\% | 1\% | 5\% | 6\% |
| Totals | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% |
| (Unweighted N) | (994) | (463) | (531) | (169) | (274) | (385) | (166) | (332) | (428) | (234) |


|  | Total | Race |  |  | Family Income |  |  | Region |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | White | Black | Hispanic | Under 40 | 40-80 | 80+ | Northeast | Midwest | South | West |
| A big problem | 28\% | 24\% | 53\% | 30\% | 31\% | 30\% | 22\% | 32\% | 24\% | 31\% | 23\% |
| Somewhat of a problem | 45\% | 45\% | 37\% | 48\% | 43\% | 45\% | 44\% | 39\% | 45\% | 43\% | 52\% |
| A small problem | 23\% | 27\% | 8\% | 17\% | 22\% | 21\% | 30\% | 26\% | 27\% | 21\% | 21\% |
| Not a problem | 4\% | 4\% | 3\% | 5\% | 4\% | 3\% | 5\% | 3\% | 3\% | 5\% | 4\% |
| Totals | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% |
| (Unweighted N) | (994) | (741) | (115) | (138) | (353) | (277) | (241) | (184) | (237) | (392) | (181) |

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## 3. Race relations since 60 s

Since the 1960s, do you think race relations have gotten...

|  | Total | Gender |  | Age |  |  |  | 3 Point Party ID |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Male | Female | 18-29 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | Democrat |  | Independent | Republican |
| Better | 61\% | 64\% | 58\% | 71\% | 56\% | 64\% | 51\% | 56\% |  | 62\% | 65\% |
| Stayed about the same | 20\% | 17\% | 24\% | 17\% | 31\% | 15\% | 21\% | 28\% |  | 17\% | 18\% |
| Worse | 18\% | 19\% | 18\% | 12\% | 14\% | 22\% | 28\% | 16\% |  | 21\% | 18\% |
|  | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% |  | 100\% | 100\% |
| (Unweighted N ) | (995) | (463) | (532) | (168) | (275) | (386) | (166) | (332) |  | (430) | (233) |
|  |  |  | Race |  |  | ily Income |  |  |  | Region |  |
|  | Total | White | Black | Hispanic | Under 40 | 40-80 | 80+ | Northeast | Midwest | est South | West |
| Better | 61\% | 66\% | 43\% | 53\% | 53\% | 63\% | 68\% | 65\% | 61\% | \% 60\% | 60\% |
| Stayed about the same | 20\% | 16\% | 35\% | 29\% | 24\% | 20\% | 16\% | 17\% | 19\% | \% 21\% | 22\% |
| Worse | 18\% | 18\% | 22\% | 18\% | 23\% | 16\% | 15\% | 18\% | 19\% | \% 19\% | 18\% |
| Totals | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | \% 100\% | 100\% |
| (Unweighted N ) | (995) | (742) | (115) | (138) | (353) | (278) | (242) | (186) | (236) | ) (392) | (181) |

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## 4. Past discrimination

Do you think discrimination against blacks in the past is a major factor, a minor factor, or not a factor in lower average wealth levels for blacks in the United States today?


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## 5. Reparations

Do you think the government should or should not make cash payments to black Americans who are descendants of slaves?

|  | Total | Gender |  | Age |  |  |  | 3 Point Party ID |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Male | Female | 18-29 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | Democrat | Independent | Republican |
| Should | 16\% | 15\% | 17\% | 22\% | 18\% | 14\% | 9\% | 29\% | 13\% | 7\% |
| Should not | 67\% | 70\% | 65\% | 56\% | 59\% | 73\% | 83\% | 49\% | 70\% | 84\% |
| Not sure | 17\% | 15\% | 19\% | 22\% | 24\% | 13\% | 8\% | 22\% | 18\% | 9\% |
| Totals | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ |
| (Unweighted N) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |


|  | Total | Race |  |  | Family Income |  |  | Region |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | White | Black | Hispanic | Under 40 | 40-80 | 80+ | Northeast | Midwest | South | West |
| Should | 16\% | 8\% | 61\% | 23\% | 23\% | 13\% | 9\% | 14\% | 13\% | 22\% | 8\% |
| Should not | 67\% | 78\% | 19\% | 48\% | 59\% | 68\% | 79\% | 65\% | 71\% | 62\% | 74\% |
| Not sure | 17\% | 14\% | 21\% | 28\% | 18\% | 18\% | 12\% | 21\% | 16\% | 15\% | 17\% |
| Totals | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% |
| (Unweighted N) | (996) | (744) | (115) | (137) | (353) | (279) | (242) | (186) | (238) | (393) | (179) |

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## 6. Black separatism

Do you think blacks or African-Americans will get ahead better in this country by controlling their own schools, running their own business, and living together in their own neighborhoods OR do you think they will get ahead better through integration with the white people in schools, jobs, and neighborhoods?


## 7. Favorability of Malcolm X

Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Malcolm X?


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## 8. Activist movement

Do you feel the activist movement led by Malcolm X in the 1960s speeded up civil rights legislation, slowed it down or didn't make much difference one way or another?


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## 9. Goal accomplished

How much of Malcolm X's goal of self-determination and racial pride for black Americans has been accomplished?


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## 10. Nonviolent statement

Do you agree or disagree with the following statement?
I'm nonviolent with those who are nonviolent with me. But when you drop that violence on me, then you've made me go insane, and l'm not responsible for what I
do. And that's the way every Negro should get.

|  | Total | Gender |  | Age |  |  |  | 3 Point Party ID |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Male | Female | 18-29 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | Democrat | Independent | Republican |
| Agree | 15\% | 20\% | 12\% | 29\% | 17\% | 9\% | 9\% | 19\% | 16\% | 10\% |
| Disagree | 69\% | 65\% | 72\% | 50\% | 62\% | 78\% | 86\% | 66\% | 66\% | 77\% |
| Not sure | 16\% | 15\% | 16\% | 21\% | 21\% | 13\% | 6\% | 15\% | 18\% | 13\% |
| Totals | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% |
| (Unweighted N) | (994) | (462) | (532) | (167) | (276) | (386) | (165) | (332) | (430) | (232) |



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11. Ballot or bullet

Do you agree or disagree with the following statement?
It'll be the ballot or it'll be the bullet. It'll be liberty or it'll be death. And if you're not ready to pay that price don't use the word freedom in your vocabulary.

|  | Total | Gender |  | Age |  |  |  | 3 Point Party ID |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Male | Female | 18-29 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | Democrat |  | Independent | Republican |
| Agree | 39\% | 45\% | 33\% | 51\% | 38\% | 34\% | 33\% | 35\% |  | 39\% | 42\% |
| Disagree | 35\% | 34\% | 36\% | 21\% | 31\% | 41\% | 47\% | 38\% |  | 33\% | 35\% |
| Not sure | 26\% | 21\% | 31\% | 28\% | 31\% | 25\% | 20\% | 27\% |  | 28\% | 23\% |
| Totals (Unweighted N) | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (988) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (460) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (528) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 100 \% \\ & (166) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (273) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (385) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 100 \% \\ & (164) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (328) \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (429) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \% \\ & (231) \end{aligned}$ |
|  | Total | Race |  |  | Family Income |  |  | Region |  |  |  |
|  |  | White | Black | Hispanic | Under 40 | 40-80 | 80+ | Northeast | Midwe | est South | West |
| Agree | 39\% | 37\% | 39\% | 46\% | 39\% | 39\% | 37\% | 38\% | 43\% | \% 40\% | 33\% |
| Disagree | 35\% | 37\% | 32\% | 26\% | 30\% | 38\% | 40\% | 37\% | 32\% | \% 34\% | 37\% |
| Not sure | 26\% | 25\% | 30\% | 28\% | 30\% | 23\% | 23\% | 25\% | 25\% | \% 26\% | 30\% |
| Totals | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | \% 100\% | 100\% |
| (Unweighted N ) | (988) | (736) | (115) | (137) | (349) | (279) | (239) | (185) | (234) | ) (391) | (178) |

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## 12. Black unity

Do you agree or disagree with the following statement?
There can be no black-white unity until there is first some black unity... We cannot think of uniting with others, until after we have first united among ourselves. We cannot think of being acceptable to others until we have first proven acceptable to ourselves.

|  | Total | Gender |  | Age |  |  |  | 3 Point Party ID |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Male | Female | 18-29 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | Democrat | Independent | Republican |
| Agree | 61\% | 63\% | 60\% | 61\% | 49\% | 67\% | 69\% | 66\% | 58\% | 61\% |
| Disagree | 19\% | 20\% | 19\% | 15\% | 26\% | 19\% | 16\% | 18\% | 18\% | 23\% |
| Not sure | 20\% | 17\% | 22\% | 25\% | 25\% | 14\% | 15\% | 15\% | 24\% | 16\% |
| Totals | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% |
| (Unweighted N ) | (994) | (462) | (532) | (168) | (276) | (384) | (166) | (332) | (432) | (230) |



