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[Consent and Study Description]

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We care about the quality of our survey data and hope to receive the most accurate measures of your opinions, so it is important to us that you thoughtfully provide your best answer to each question in the survey.

Do you commit to providing your thoughtful and honest answers to the questions in this survey?

- ○ I will provide my best answers
- ○ I will not provide my best answers
- ○ I can't promise either way

To begin, please tell how you identify. Check all that apply.

- ☐ White
- ☐ Black or African American
- ☐ American Indian or Alaska Native
- ☐ Asian
- ☐ Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander

Are you Spanish or Hispanic?

- ○ Yes
- ○ No

We want to start by asking your opinion on a host of different policy questions. [Randomized]

How important is it for the federal government to implement efforts to combat global climate change?

- Extremely important
- Very important
- Moderately important
- Slightly important
- Not at all important

Recently, a principal at a Houston, Texas high school implemented a dress code for parents, arguing that it was important that parents to show up to the school properly dressed. How reasonable do you think this policy is?

- Extremely reasonable
- Moderately reasonable
- Slightly reasonable
- Neither reasonable nor unreasonable
- Slightly unreasonable
- Moderately unreasonable
- Extremely unreasonable

In some states, local governments have passed city ordinances that fine people who wear sagging pants that show their underwear in public spaces. Do you favor, oppose, or neither favor nor oppose these fines?

- Oppose a great deal
- Oppose a moderate amount
- Oppose a little

- ○ Neither favor nor oppose
- ○ Favor a little
- ○ Favor a moderate amount
- ○ Favor a great deal

Do you think the number of immigrants from foreign countries who are permitted to come to the United States to live should be increased a lot, increased a little, left the same as it is now, decreased a little, or decreased a lot?

- ○ Increased a lot
- ○ Increased a little
- ○ Kept the same
- ○ Decreased a little
- ○ Decreased a lot

How appropriate do you think it is for Black Lives Matter protestors to engage in disruptive protest activity?

- ○ Extremely appropriate
- ○ Moderately appropriate
- ○ Slightly appropriate
- ○ Neither appropriate nor inappropriate
- ○ Slightly inappropriate
- ○ Moderately inappropriate
- ○ Extremely inappropriate

How appropriate is it for law enforcement officers to stop those who are loitering, trespassing, or engaged in disorderly conduct in public?

- ○ Extremely appropriate

- ○ Moderately appropriate
- ○ Slightly appropriate
- ○ Neither appropriate nor inappropriate
- ○ Slightly inappropriate
- ○ Moderately inappropriate
- ○ Extremely inappropriate

Do you think that spending on welfare should be increased a lot, increased a little, left the same as it is now, decreased a little, or decreased a lot?

- ○ Increased a lot
- ○ Increased a little
- ○ Kept the same
- ○ Decreased a little
- ○ Decreased a lot

In some states that have three-strike laws on the books, individuals who are convicted of a serious crime for the third time are sentenced to life imprisonment. Do you think these three-strike laws are reasonable, unreasonable, or neither reasonable nor unreasonable?

- ○ Extremely reasonable
- ○ Moderately reasonable
- ○ Slightly reasonable
- ○ Neither reasonable nor unreasonable
- ○ Slightly unreasonable
- ○ Moderately unreasonable
- ○ Extremely unreasonable

How important is it that welfare recipients be required to work or volunteer while receiving welfare benefits?

- ○ Extremely important
- ○ Very important
- ○ Moderately important
- ○ Slightly important
- ○ Not at all important

When Black Americans are shot by police, how often do you think these shootings are likely justified?

- ○ Never
- ○ Sometimes
- ○ About half the time
- ○ Most of the time
- ○ Always

Do you favor, oppose, or neither favor nor oppose the death penalty for persons convicted of murder?

- ○ Oppose a great deal
- ○ Oppose a moderate amount
- ○ Oppose a little
- ○ Neither favor nor oppose
- ○ Favor a little
- ○ Favor a moderate amount
- ○ Favor a great deal

Please select "oppose a little."

- ○ Oppose a great deal
- ○ Oppose a moderate amount
- ○ Oppose a little
- ○ Neither favor nor oppose
- ○ Favor a little
- ○ Favor a moderate amount
- ○ Favor a great deal

If a child is consistently absent from school for no good reason, how appropriate would it be to prosecute the parents of the child?

- ○ Extremely appropriate
- ○ Moderately appropriate
- ○ Slightly appropriate
- ○ Neither appropriate nor inappropriate

- ○ Slightly inappropriate
- ○ Moderately inappropriate
- ○ Extremely inappropriate

Do you favor, oppose, or neither favor nor oppose harsher sentencing for those convicted of drug crimes in the United States?

- ○ Oppose a great deal
- ○ Oppose a moderate amount
- ○ Oppose a little
- ○ Neither favor nor oppose
- ○ Favor a little
- ○ Favor a moderate amount
- ○ Favor a great deal

Please indicate how much you agree or disagree with each of the following statements. [Randomized]

If Black people carried themselves better, White people would treat them better.

- ○ Strongly agree
- ○ Agree
- ○ Somewhat agree
- ○ Neither agree nor disagree
- ○ Somewhat disagree
- ○ Disagree
- ○ Strongly disagree

Black people would face fewer problems if some members of the group behaved better.

- ○ Strongly agree
- ○ Agree
- ○ Somewhat agree
- ○ Neither agree nor disagree
- ○ Somewhat disagree
- ○ Disagree
- ○ Strongly disagree

Black people would fare better in society if they behaved more like everybody else.

- ○ Strongly agree
- ○ Agree
- ○ Somewhat agree
- ○ Neither agree nor disagree
- ○ Somewhat disagree
- ○ Disagree
- ○ Strongly disagree

It is important to me that other Black people behave in ways that contribute to a positive image of the group.

- ○ Strongly agree
- ○ Agree
- ○ Somewhat agree
- ○ Neither agree nor disagree

- ○ Somewhat disagree
- ○ Disagree
- ○ Strongly disagree

It matters to me that other Black people behave appropriately in public.

- ○ Strongly agree
- ○ Agree
- ○ Somewhat agree
- ○ Neither agree nor disagree
- ○ Somewhat disagree
- ○ Disagree
- ○ Strongly disagree

It is important to me that other Black people carry themselves in ways that others will respect.

- ○ Strongly agree
- ○ Agree
- ○ Somewhat agree
- ○ Neither agree nor disagree
- ○ Somewhat disagree
- ○ Disagree
- ○ Strongly disagree

How important is being Black or African-American to your identity?

- ○ Not at all important
- ○ Slightly important
- ○ Moderately important
- ○ Very important
- ○ Extremely important

Do you think what happens generally to Black people in this country will have something to do with what happens in your life?

- ○ Yes
- ○ No

Display This Question:

If Do you think what happens generally to Black people in this country will have something to do wit... = Yes

Will it affect you a lot, some, or not very much?

- ○ A lot
- ○ Some
- ○ Not very much

How much discrimination is there in the United States today against Black people?

- ○ A great deal
- ○ A lot
- ○ A moderate amount
- ○ A little
- ○ None at all

When you think about how Black people are viewed by others, how often do you feel each of the following emotions?

	Always	Most of the time	About half the time	Sometimes	Never
Embarrassment or Shame	○	○	○	○	○
Anger toward other Blacks	○	○	○	○	○
Pride	○	○	○	○	○
Frustration	○	○	○	○	○
Happiness	○	○	○	○	○
Surprise	○	○	○	○	○

How close do you feel to most Black people?

- ○ Extremely close
- ○ Very close
- ○ Moderately close
- ○ Slightly close
- ○ Not at all close

How close do you feel to most White people?

- Extremely close
- Very close
- Moderately close
- Slightly close
- Not at all close

We are now going to show you a seven-point scale on which the characteristics of the people in a group can be rated. In the first statement a score of '1' means that you think almost all of the people in that group tend to be 'hard-working.' A score of '7' means that you think most people in the group are 'lazy.' A score of '4' means that you think that most people in the group are not closer to one end or the other, and of course, you may choose any number in between.
Where would you rate most other Black people on this scale?

- 1 Hardworking
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5
- 6
- 7 Lazy

Where would you rate most other Black people on this scale?

- 1 Intelligent
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5
- 6
- 7 Unintelligent

Where would you rate most other Black people on this scale?

- 1 Non-violent
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5
- 6
- 7 Violent

Where would you rate most other Black people on this scale?

- 1 Contribute to a positive image of the group
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5
- 6
- 7 Contribute to a negative image of the group

Although there are a number of qualities that people feel that children should have, every person thinks that some are more important than others. In this section, we will show you pairs of desirable qualities.

Please tell us which one you think is more important for a child to have.

- Independence
- Respect for elders

Which one is more important for a child to have?

- Curiosity
- Good manners

Which one is more important for a child to have?

- Obedience
- Self-reliance

Which one is more important for a child to have?

- ○ Being considerate
- ○ Well-behaved

Start of Block: Demographics

sex What is your sex?

- ○ Male
- ○ Female

How old are you?

- ○ Under 18
- ○ 18 - 24
- ○ 25 - 34
- ○ 35 - 44
- ○ 45 - 54
- ○ 55 - 64
- ○ 65 - 74
- ○ 75 - 84
- ○ 85 or older

What is the highest level of education you have obtained?

- ○ Less than high school
- ○ High school graduate
- ○ Some college
- ○ 2 year degree
- ○ 4 year degree
- ○ Professional degree
- ○ Doctorate

Which best describes your household income?

- ○ Less than $10,000
- ○ $10,000 - $19,999
- ○ $20,000 - $29,999
- ○ $30,000 - $39,999
- ○ $40,000 - $49,999
- ○ $50,000 - $59,999
- ○ $60,000 - $69,999
- ○ $70,000 - $79,999
- ○ $80,000 - $89,999
- ○ $90,000 - $99,999
- ○ $100,000 - $149,999
- ○ More than $150,000

In which region of the country have you spent the majority of your life?

- ○ Northeast
- ○ Midwest
- ○ South
- ○ West

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pid Generally speaking, do you usually think of yourself as a Democrat, a Republican, an Independent, or what?

- ○ Democrat
- ○ Republican
- ○ Independent (
- ○ Other _____

Display This Question:

If Generally speaking, do you usually think of yourself as a Democrat, a Republican, an Independent,... = Democrat

Would you consider yourself a strong Democrat or a not very strong Democrat?

- ○ Strong
- ○ Not very strong

Display This Question:

If Generally speaking, do you usually think of yourself as a Democrat, a Republican, an Independent,... = Republican

Would you consider yourself a strong Republican or a not very strong Republican?

- ○ Strong
- ○ Not very strong

Display This Question:

If Generally speaking, do you usually think of yourself as a Democrat, a Republican, an Independent,... = Independent

Or Generally speaking, do you usually think of yourself as a Democrat, a Republican, an Independent,... = Other

Do you think of yourself as closer to the Republican Party or to the Democratic party?

- ○ Closer to Republican Party
- ○ Neither
- ○ Closer to Democratic Party

We hear a lot of talk these days about liberals and conservatives. Here is a seven-point scale on which the political views that people might hold are arranged from extremely liberal to

extremely conservative. Where would you place yourself on this scale, or have you not thought much about this?

- ○ Extremely liberal
- ○ Liberal
- ○ Slightly liberal
- ○ Moderate; middle of the road
- ○ Slightly conservative
- ○ Conservative
- ○ Extremely conservative
- ○ Haven't thought much about this

Display This Question:

If We hear a lot of talk these days about liberals and conservatives. Here is a seven-point scale on... = Moderate; middle of the road

Or We hear a lot of talk these days about liberals and conservatives. Here is a seven-point scale on... = Haven't thought much about this

If you had to choose, would you consider yourself a liberal or conservative?

- ○ Liberal
- ○ Moderate
- ○ Conservative

How important is religion to your life?

- ○ Not at all important
- ○ Slightly important
- ○ Moderately important
- ○ Very important
- ○ Extremely important