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## Trends in Public Attitudes about

## Confidence in Institutions

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On average the public's confidence in institutions has declined over the last four decades. (For the wording of this and all other questions see Appendix 1: Question Wordings. For full percentages for all years, see the attached tables.) As Figure 1 shows, across the 12 institutions measured from 1973 through 2012 the average saying they had a great deal of confidence fell from 29.9\% in 1973-1977 to an all-time low of $22.6 \%$ in 1993-1996. (All subsequent figures on confidence in this report are the percent with a great deal of confidence.) Confidence then rebounded slightly before slumping to a second low point of $23.3 \%$ in 2008-2012. Similarly, a scale covering 13 institutions (adding Banks and Financial Institutions to the other 12) from 1975 through 2012 fell from an average of $29.2 \%$ in 1975-1977 to a record low of $22.3 \%$ in 1993-1996 and after some recovery declined to a second low point of $22.6 \%$ in 2008-2012
(Figure 1). On the 13-item scale confidence even declined slightly from $22.9 \%$ in 2010 to $22.1 \%$ in 2012. While these averages show the general picture, there are distinctive trends for each institution.

Among the three economic institutions (Figure 2), confidence in Major Companies has typically risen and fallen with the business cycle. Confidence fell to a record low with only $13.0 \%$ having confidence in 2010 in the middle of the Great Recession. It has since moved up to $17.3 \%$, but this is still well below the long-term average of $23.6 \%$. Confidence in Banks and Financial Institutions has been highly responsive to financial turmoil dipping to a low of $12.0 \%$ in 1991 during the savings-and-loan crisis and to an alltime low of $10.5 \%$ in 2010 following the mortgage and financial crash. Even in 2012, it was still at its second lowest point ( $11.8 \%$ ). Confidence in Organized Labor has been low throughout the last 40 years (with an average of only $11.7 \%$ ) and declined from the 1970s to the 1980s and early 1990s bottoming out at $7.8 \%$ in 1993. Then a modest rebound occurred with confidence in the $11-13 \%$ range ever since. There was no appreciable drop during the recent economic downturn.

The four governmental institutions have very distinctive trends (Figure 3). Confidence in the Supreme Court has shown only modest variation and slight decline. Its low point occurred in 1980 ( $24.2 \%$ ). Recently, it has however slipped from $36.0 \%$ in 2002 to $28.7 \%$ in 2012. Confidence in Congress has slipped over time with low points in 1993 and 2012 (6.5-6.6\%). Confidence in the Executive Branch of the Federal Government has generally followed presidential approval ratings and shows a series of peaks and valleys. In 2012 at $14.3 \%$, it is well above the Congressional rating ( $6.6 \%$ ), but below its long-term average $(16.6 \%)$. The Military is the one institution that shows a rise over time. Confidence was at a low
point in 1978-1982 (29.3\%) following the fall of South Vietnam, the Iranian hostage crisis, and the Soviet invasion of Afghanistan. Confidence surged to $60.6 \%$ in 1991 during the first Iraq war and again in 2002 and 2004 (respectively to $55.8 \%$ and $58.3 \%$ ) after the invasion of Afghanistan and the start of the second Iraq war. Confidence in 2012 at $54.6 \%$ remains well above the long-term average ( $39.3 \%$ ).

The two media institutions show similar, general declines over the four decades (Figure 4). Confidence in the Press fell from a high of $28.3 \%$ in 1976 to an all-time low of $8.5 \%$ in 2008. Confidence was still at its second-lowest reading ( $8.8 \%$ ) in 2012. Confidence in TV dropped from $23.0 \%$ in 1974 to a low point of $9.0 \%$ in 2006 and was up slightly to $10.2 \%$ in 2012. Both have however bottomed out with little additional decline over the last 20 years. Overall the decline for the Press has been slightly greater than that for TV.

The final four institutions deal mostly with learning and knowledge. On average they have had higher ratings that the economic, governmental, and media groups, but with one exception have shown decline over time (Figure 5). The exception is that confidence in the Scientific Community has varied little and shown no decline. The 2012 rating of $39.7 \%$ is very close to the long-term average of $40.2 \%$. Confidence in Education has decreased over time from a high of $49.0 \%$ in 1974 to low points of 23.7\% in 1993-1996 and $25.6 \%$ in 2012. Confidence in Medicine dropped from $61.0 \%$ in 1974 to a low of $37.5 \%$ in 20022004. In 2012, it was at its third lowest point with $38.9 \%$. Confidence in Organized Religion has had a general decline and has fallen in response to religious scandals. It decreased from a high of $44.5 \%$ in 1974 to a low of $20.5 \%$ in 1988 during the televangelist scandals, rebounded to $27.6 \%$ in 2000 before plummeting to a record low of $18.9 \%$ during the Catholic sex-abuse scandals. It came back up somewhat to $24.1 \%$ in 2006 before slipping to $19.9 \%$ in 2008-2012.

Men have had more confidence in institutions than women do over the past four decades. Organized Religion is the only exception with women above men by 1.8 percentage points. Most of the gender differences are small, but men have notably more confidence than women do in the Scientific Community ( +9.2 points), the Military ( +7.6 points), and the Supreme Court ( +6.8 points).

As previous research has found (Smith, 2012), confidence tends to be high among older cohorts, to bottom out among the baby-boomers and then rise among more recent cohorts. In 2012, those under 35 had the highest confidence in 10 of 13 institutions (Banks and Financial Institutions, Major Companies, Organized Labor, Executive Branch, Congress, Press, TV, Education, Medicine, and the Scientific Community). Across age groups in 2012, they had the lowest confidence in Organized Religion (16.4\%) while those $65+$ had the highest ( $25.9 \%$ ). But in the most recent years those under 35 were generally
second highest after the $65+$ group, so the 2012 results may be an exception. Those under 35 were also lowest in 2012 in confidence in the Military, but the cohort differences were small and this pattern did not show up in other recent years.

Educational differences were examined by looking at differences across all years and taking the percent among the college educated who said they had a great deal of confidence and subtracting the percent of those with no high school degree with a great deal of confidence. A positive score indicates greater confidence among the better educated and a negative score more confidence among the less educated. Confidence is higher among the better educated when rating the Scientific Community ( +24.1 points), the Supreme Court ( +12.7 points), and Major Companies ( +8.6 points). Confidence is higher among the less educated for Education (-13.9 points), TV (-13.0 points), the Military ( -10.2 points), Organized Labor (9.4 points), Organized Religion ( -8.9 points), the Press ( $-7.8 \%$ ), Banks and Financial Institutions ( -7.0 points), Congress ( -5.6 points), and Medicine ( -1.8 ). There was no difference for the Executive Branch of the Federal Government ( 0.0 points).

The data in this report are from the General Social Survey. The GSSs are full probability, in-person samples of adults living in households in the United States. Data have been collected by NORC at the University of Chicago. Core support for the GSS comes from the National Science Foundation. Information on the GSS and the GSS data files are available at http://www.norc.org/GSS+Website.

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## Appendix 1: Question Wordings

I am going to name some institutions in this country. As far as the people running these institutions are concerned, would you say you have a great deal of confidence, only some confidence, or hardly any confidence at all in them?
a. Banks and Financial Institutions
b. Major Companies
c. Organized Religion
d. Education
e. Executive Branch of the Federal Government
f. Organized Labor
g. Press
h. Medicine
i. TV
j. U.S. Supreme Court
k. Scientific Community

1. Congress
m. Military


Figure 2. Trends in General Confidence



Figure 4. Trends in Confidence in Media Institutions


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| SURVEY YEAR | CONFIDENCE IN MAJOR COMPANIES |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | 29.2\% | 53.4\% | 11.2\% | 6.1\% | 1500 |
| 1974 | 31.3\% | 51.1\% | 14.3\% | 3.3\% | 1483 |
| 1975 | 19.4\% | 53.8\% | 21.7\% | 5.1\% | 1483 |
| 1976 | 21.2\% | 52.6\% | 21.9\% | 4.4\% | 1491 |
| 1977 | 27.1\% | 56.8\% | 12.4\% | 3.8\% | 1527 |
| 1978 | 21.2\% | 59.4\% | 15.7\% | 3.7\% | 1529 |
| 1980 | 26.9\% | 54.3\% | 14.1\% | 4.7\% | 1467 |
| 1982 | 22.9\% | 58.6\% | 13.7\% | 4.8\% | 1503 |
| 1983 | 24.4\% | 58.4\% | 13.3\% | 3.9\% | 1595 |
| 1984 | 30.7\% | 58.2\% | 8.2\% | 3.0\% | 975 |
| 1986 | 24.7\% | 62.3\% | 9.5\% | 3.4\% | 1466 |
| 1987 | 30.4\% | 57.2\% | 8.4\% | 3.9\% | 1464 |
| 1988 | 24.8\% | 60.3\% | 10.6\% | 4.2\% | 994 |
| 1989 | 25.0\% | 60.6\% | 9.5\% | 5.0\% | 1019 |
| 1990 | 25.6\% | 60.0\% | 11.0\% | 3.5\% | 891 |
| 1991 | 19.8\% | 62.3\% | 13.1\% | 4.7\% | 1022 |
| 1993 | 21.3\% | 63.2\% | 12.1\% | 3.4\% | 1062 |
| 1994 | 26.3\% | 61.6\% | 9.2\% | 2.9\% | 1986 |
| 1996 | 24.0\% | 59.1\% | 13.0\% | 3.9\% | 1916 |
| 1998 | 26.5\% | 56.7\% | 12.8\% | 4.1\% | 1885 |
| 2000 | 28.4\% | 57.6\% | 10.2\% | 3.9\% | 1892 |
| 2002 | 17.3\% | 63.8\% | 16.6\% | 2.4\% | 892 |
| 2004 | 18.4\% | 62.8\% | 17.2\% | 1.6\% | 880 |
| 2006 | 17.9\% | 62.0\% | 17.8\% | 2.3\% | 1999 |
| 2008 | 15.7\% | 65.9\% | 16.3\% | 2.2\% | 1349 |
| 2010 | 13.0\% | 60.8\% | 24.0\% | 2.2\% | 1372 |
| 2012 | 17.3\% | 60.7\% | 20.0\% | 2.1\% | 1328 |
| SURVEY YEAR | CONFIDENCE IN ORGANIZED RELIGION |  |  |  |  |
|  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | 34.5\% | 46.4\% | 15.8\% | 3.3\% | 1495 |
| 1974 | 44.5\% | 42.8\% | 10.9\% | 1.9\% | 1482 |
| 1975 | 23.8\% | 48.2\% | 21.4\% | 6.5\% | 1484 |
| 1976 | 30.2\% | 45.3\% | 18.3\% | 6.2\% | 1491 |
| 1977 | 39.6\% | 45.8\% | 11.2\% | 3.4\% | 1526 |
| 1978 | 30.6\% | 48.3\% | 17.6\% | 3.5\% | 1526 |
| 1980 | 35.2\% | 43.1\% | 18.0\% | 3.7\% | 1466 |
| 1982 | 32.2\% | 49.7\% | 14.9\% | 3.1\% | 1504 |
| 1983 | 28.6\% | 50.1\% | 17.6\% | 3.7\% | 1591 |
| 1984 | 30.7\% | 47.5\% | 18.7\% | 3.2\% | 973 |
| 1986 | 25.0\% | 51.1\% | 20.7\% | 3.2\% | 1467 |
| 1987 | 29.0\% | 50.0\% | 18.3\% | 2.7\% | 1460 |
| 1988 | 20.5\% | 47.6\% | 28.9\% | 3.0\% | 996 |
| 1989 | 21.7\% | 45.9\% | 29.4\% | 3.0\% | 1017 |
| 1990 | 22.7\% | 48.7\% | 23.7\% | 4.8\% | 891 |
| 1991 | 25.1\% | 53.2\% | 19.6\% | 2.0\% | 1022 |
| 1993 | 22.6\% | 50.1\% | 24.4\% | 2.9\% | 1059 |
| 1994 | 25.0\% | 51.8\% | 21.1\% | 2.1\% | 1984 |
| 1996 | 25.3\% | 50.9\% | 19.0\% | 4.7\% | 1914 |
| 1998 | 26.6\% | 51.9\% | 18.3\% | 3.2\% | 1882 |
| 2000 | 27.6\% | 49.5\% | 18.4\% | 4.5\% | 1892 |
| 2002 | 18.9\% | 56.2\% | 23.1\% | 1.8\% | 892 |
| 2004 | 23.5\% | 52.3\% | 22.4\% | 1.8\% | 877 |
| 2006 | 24.1\% | 51.7\% | 21.7\% | 2.5\% | 1996 |
| 2008 | 20.0\% | 53.2\% | 25.1\% | 1.7\% | 1344 |
| 2010 | 19.6\% | 52.8\% | 24.2\% | 3.4\% | 1369 |
| 2012 | 20.0\% | 53.3\% | 23.6\% | 3.2\% | 1318 |


| SURVEY YEAR | CONFIDENCE IN EDUCATION |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | 36.9\% | 54.1\% | 7.9\% | 1.1\% | 1496 |
| 1974 | 49.0\% | 41.7\% | 8.2\% | 1.1\% | 1481 |
| 1975 | 31.0\% | 54.5\% | 12.8\% | 1.7\% | 1487 |
| 1976 | 37.7\% | 45.1\% | 15.4\% | 1.9\% | 1489 |
| 1977 | 40.5\% | 50.2\% | 8.5\% | .8\% | 1527 |
| 1978 | 28.3\% | 55.3\% | 15.4\% | 1.0\% | 1528 |
| 1980 | 29.9\% | 56.3\% | 12.2\% | 1.6\% | 1467 |
| 1982 | 33.7\% | 51.6\% | 13.0\% | 1.6\% | 1501 |
| 1983 | 28.3\% | 56.6\% | 13.5\% | 1.6\% | 1594 |
| 1984 | 27.9\% | 60.0\% | 10.3\% | 1.8\% | 971 |
| 1986 | 28.1\% | 59.8\% | 10.9\% | 1.1\% | 1464 |
| 1987 | 34.8\% | 55.5\% | 8.5\% | 1.2\% | 1463 |
| 1988 | 29.7\% | 59.7\% | 8.8\% | 1.9\% | 995 |
| 1989 | 30.2\% | 58.6\% | 10.2\% | 1.1\% | 1018 |
| 1990 | 26.7\% | 58.5\% | 13.2\% | 1.7\% | 888 |
| 1991 | 29.8\% | 55.2\% | 13.7\% | 1.3\% | 1022 |
| 1993 | 22.3\% | 57.8\% | 18.4\% | 1.6\% | 1060 |
| 1994 | 25.6\% | 56.5\% | 17.0\% | .9\% | 1986 |
| 1996 | 23.3\% | 57.1\% | 18.5\% | 1.0\% | 1915 |
| 1998 | 26.9\% | 55.1\% | 16.9\% | 1.1\% | 1881 |
| 2000 | 27.2\% | 56.2\% | 15.6\% | 1.0\% | 1891 |
| 2002 | 25.7\% | 57.8\% | 15.5\% | .9\% | 893 |
| 2004 | 28.8\% | 56.9\% | 14.3\% | 0.0\% | 878 |
| 2006 | 28.2\% | 56.6\% | 14.8\% | .4\% | 2001 |
| 2008 | 29.3\% | 54.7\% | 15.1\% | . $9 \%$ | 1349 |
| 2010 | 27.6\% | 56.3\% | 15.4\% | .7\% | 1375 |
| 2012 | 25.6\% | 57.9\% | 15.8\% | .7\% | 1331 |
| SURVEY YEAR | CONFID. IN EXEC BRANCH OF FED GOVT |  |  |  |  |
|  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | 28.9\% | 51.1\% | 18.2\% | 1.8\% | 1498 |
| 1974 | 13.6\% | 42.3\% | 42.0\% | 2.1\% | 1482 |
| 1975 | 13.1\% | 55.5\% | 29.1\% | 2.3\% | 1488 |
| 1976 | 13.1\% | 59.5\% | 24.7\% | 2.7\% | 1494 |
| 1977 | 27.5\% | 55.5\% | 13.9\% | 3.1\% | 1526 |
| 1978 | 12.3\% | 59.2\% | 25.7\% | 2.8\% | 1528 |
| 1980 | 12.0\% | 50.9\% | 34.3\% | 2.8\% | 1465 |
| 1982 | 19.2\% | 54.5\% | 24.0\% | 2.3\% | 1502 |
| 1983 | 13.5\% | 54.1\% | 29.4\% | 3.0\% | 1596 |
| 1984 | 18.8\% | 50.6\% | 28.1\% | 2.6\% | 972 |
| 1986 | 21.3\% | 53.7\% | 22.6\% | 2.4\% | 1467 |
| 1987 | 18.8\% | 52.0\% | 26.3\% | 2.9\% | 1464 |
| 1988 | 16.5\% | 53.3\% | 26.5\% | 3.7\% | 995 |
| 1989 | 20.5\% | 54.6\% | 20.4\% | 4.5\% | 1018 |
| 1990 | 23.9\% | 49.8\% | 23.1\% | 3.2\% | 892 |
| 1991 | 26.6\% | 49.8\% | 21.3\% | 2.2\% | 1021 |
| 1993 | 11.4\% | 53.2\% | 32.6\% | 2.7\% | 1059 |
| 1994 | 11.3\% | 51.9\% | 35.1\% | 1.7\% | 1984 |
| 1996 | 9.8\% | 44.7\% | 42.2\% | 3.3\% | 1915 |
| 1998 | 13.3\% | 48.3\% | 35.5\% | 2.8\% | 1882 |
| 2000 | 13.5\% | 48.4\% | 33.7\% | 4.4\% | 1889 |
| 2002 | 27.3\% | 50.6\% | 20.2\% | 1.9\% | 891 |
| 2004 | 21.7\% | 46.6\% | 30.5\% | 1.2\% | 878 |
| 2006 | 15.7\% | 45.0\% | 37.3\% | 2.1\% | 1999 |
| 2008 | 10.6\% | 48.9\% | 37.8\% | 2.7\% | 1348 |
| 2010 | 16.7\% | 45.0\% | 36.7\% | 1.6\% | 1372 |
| 2012 | 14.3\% | 48.4\% | 35.4\% | 2.0\% | 1329 |


| SURVEY YEAR | CONFIDENCE IN ORGANIZED LABOR |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | 15.6\% | 54.8\% | 26.1\% | 3.6\% | 1493 |
| 1974 | 19.0\% | 53.4\% | 25.2\% | 2.4\% | 1481 |
| 1975 | 9.6\% | 54.7\% | 29.6\% | 6.1\% | 1488 |
| 1976 | 11.5\% | 48.5\% | 32.6\% | 7.4\% | 1494 |
| 1977 | 14.8\% | 50.8\% | 30.9\% | 3.5\% | 1525 |
| 1978 | 11.3\% | 46.6\% | 37.4\% | 4.6\% | 1528 |
| 1980 | 15.1\% | 51.2\% | 28.8\% | 4.9\% | 1467 |
| 1982 | 13.1\% | 53.3\% | 29.7\% | 3.9\% | 1501 |
| 1983 | 8.4\% | 48.7\% | 39.1\% | 3.8\% | 1596 |
| 1984 | 8.5\% | 53.3\% | 36.3\% | 2.0\% | 973 |
| 1986 | 8.8\% | 47.6\% | 38.8\% | 4.8\% | 1465 |
| 1987 | 10.5\% | 51.3\% | 33.5\% | 4.7\% | 1462 |
| 1988 | 10.9\% | 50.2\% | 33.9\% | 5.0\% | 994 |
| 1989 | 9.3\% | 51.2\% | 33.4\% | 6.1\% | 1019 |
| 1990 | 10.7\% | 53.6\% | 30.6\% | 5.1\% | 889 |
| 1991 | 11.3\% | 48.6\% | 34.6\% | 5.5\% | 1021 |
| 1993 | 7.8\% | 53.7\% | 32.4\% | 6.2\% | 1060 |
| 1994 | 10.6\% | 52.6\% | 32.0\% | 4.9\% | 1983 |
| 1996 | 11.1\% | 50.6\% | 30.1\% | 8.1\% | 1915 |
| 1998 | 10.9\% | 52.5\% | 28.9\% | 7.7\% | 1884 |
| 2000 | 13.0\% | 51.3\% | 26.1\% | 9.5\% | 1888 |
| 2002 | 11.6\% | 59.6\% | 23.4\% | 5.3\% | 892 |
| 2004 | 12.9\% | 54.0\% | 28.2\% | 5.0\% | 877 |
| 2006 | 11.7\% | 55.4\% | 27.6\% | 5.3\% | 2001 |
| 2008 | 12.2\% | 56.4\% | 26.8\% | 4.6\% | 1349 |
| 2010 | 11.7\% | 56.4\% | 26.8\% | 5.1\% | 1375 |
| 2012 | 11.2\% | 54.9\% | 28.5\% | 5.4\% | 1326 |
| SURVEY YEAR | CONFIDENCE IN PRESS |  |  |  |  |
|  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | 22.7\% | 61.5\% | 14.4\% | 1.4\% | 1500 |
| 1974 | 25.4\% | 55.9\% | 17.7\% | 1.0\% | 1481 |
| 1975 | 23.8\% | 55.1\% | 18.4\% | 2.8\% | 1486 |
| 1976 | 28.3\% | 51.9\% | 18.2\% | 1.6\% | 1488 |
| 1977 | 24.8\% | 58.0\% | 15.3\% | 1.9\% | 1527 |
| 1978 | 19.8\% | 58.5\% | 20.0\% | 1.7\% | 1528 |
| 1980 | 22.0\% | 58.0\% | 17.4\% | 2.6\% | 1467 |
| 1982 | 18.6\% | 58.4\% | 21.1\% | 1.9\% | 1502 |
| 1983 | 13.3\% | 59.6\% | 25.2\% | 1.9\% | 1594 |
| 1984 | 17.5\% | 58.5\% | 22.5\% | 1.6\% | 973 |
| 1986 | 18.6\% | 53.7\% | 26.0\% | 1.8\% | 1465 |
| 1987 | 18.2\% | 55.9\% | 24.2\% | 1.7\% | 1464 |
| 1988 | 18.9\% | 53.5\% | 24.7\% | 3.0\% | 990 |
| 1989 | 16.6\% | 54.3\% | 26.6\% | 2.5\% | 1018 |
| 1990 | 14.4\% | 56.9\% | 25.4\% | 3.3\% | 892 |
| 1991 | 16.0\% | 53.2\% | 29.3\% | 1.4\% | 1021 |
| 1993 | 10.6\% | 48.9\% | 38.6\% | 1.8\% | 1060 |
| 1994 | 10.0\% | 49.4\% | 39.3\% | 1.3\% | 1981 |
| 1996 | 10.6\% | 46.8\% | 39.9\% | 2.7\% | 1913 |
| 1998 | 9.0\% | 46.2\% | 42.6\% | 2.2\% | 1885 |
| 2000 | 10.0\% | 46.7\% | 41.0\% | 2.3\% | 1888 |
| 2002 | 9.9\% | 46.7\% | 41.7\% | 1.8\% | 893 |
| 2004 | 8.9\% | 47.4\% | 43.5\% | .3\% | 880 |
| 2006 | 10.2\% | 48.0\% | 40.6\% | 1.2\% | 2001 |
| 2008 | 8.5\% | 45.8\% | 44.6\% | 1.1\% | 1349 |
| 2010 | 10.7\% | 45.2\% | 42.9\% | 1.2\% | 1375 |
| 2012 | 8.8\% | 43.2\% | 46.0\% | 2.0\% | 1331 |


| SURVEY YEAR | CONFIDENCE IN MEDICINE |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | 53.8\% | 39.6\% | 5.8\% | .7\% | 1496 |
| 1974 | 61.0\% | 33.1\% | 4.6\% | 1.4\% | 1482 |
| 1975 | 51.0\% | 39.7\% | 7.7\% | 1.5\% | 1487 |
| 1976 | 54.6\% | 35.0\% | 9.2\% | 1.2\% | 1492 |
| 1977 | 52.8\% | 40.4\% | 5.6\% | 1.2\% | 1527 |
| 1978 | 45.8\% | 44.5\% | 9.1\% | .6\% | 1527 |
| 1980 | 53.2\% | 38.0\% | 7.6\% | 1.2\% | 1468 |
| 1982 | 45.2\% | 46.2\% | 7.4\% | 1.2\% | 1503 |
| 1983 | 51.9\% | 40.3\% | 6.6\% | 1.2\% | 1594 |
| 1984 | 51.0\% | 42.7\% | 5.5\% | .7\% | 972 |
| 1986 | 46.8\% | 44.7\% | 7.3\% | 1.2\% | 1466 |
| 1987 | 52.5\% | 41.3\% | 5.3\% | 1.0\% | 1462 |
| 1988 | 52.6\% | 40.5\% | 5.8\% | 1.0\% | 994 |
| 1989 | 47.5\% | 44.7\% | 6.8\% | 1.1\% | 1017 |
| 1990 | 45.3\% | 47.0\% | 6.7\% | 1.0\% | 891 |
| 1991 | 47.9\% | 43.3\% | 7.6\% | 1.2\% | 1021 |
| 1993 | 40.4\% | 50.3\% | 8.2\% | 1.0\% | 1059 |
| 1994 | 42.6\% | 46.9\% | 9.9\% | .7\% | 1984 |
| 1996 | 45.2\% | 45.1\% | 8.4\% | 1.2\% | 1916 |
| 1998 | 45.0\% | 44.8\% | 8.8\% | 1.5\% | 1882 |
| 2000 | 44.6\% | 45.1\% | 9.0\% | 1.4\% | 1888 |
| 2002 | 37.2\% | 51.1\% | 11.1\% | .6\% | 893 |
| 2004 | 37.8\% | 49.8\% | 12.0\% | . $4 \%$ | 880 |
| 2006 | 39.8\% | 48.9\% | 10.6\% | .7\% | 2001 |
| 2008 | 39.1\% | 50.1\% | 10.5\% | . $3 \%$ | 1349 |
| 2010 | 41.2\% | 46.9\% | 11.2\% | .7\% | 1377 |
| 2012 | 38.9\% | 50.3\% | 10.1\% | .7\% | 1331 |
| SURVEY YEAR | CONFIDENCE IN TELEVISION |  |  |  |  |
|  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | 18.2\% | 59.2\% | 21.6\% | .9\% | 1496 |
| 1974 | 23.0\% | 58.2\% | 17.8\% | 1.0\% | 1481 |
| 1975 | 17.9\% | 56.9\% | 22.8\% | 2.4\% | 1487 |
| 1976 | 18.2\% | 52.8\% | 27.6\% | 1.5\% | 1492 |
| 1977 | 17.6\% | 56.1\% | 24.9\% | 1.4\% | 1526 |
| 1978 | 14.4\% | 53.2\% | 30.9\% | 1.5\% | 1527 |
| 1980 | 15.2\% | 55.2\% | 28.2\% | 1.4\% | 1467 |
| 1982 | 14.1\% | 57.8\% | 27.0\% | 1.0\% | 1502 |
| 1983 | 12.4\% | 57.6\% | 28.3\% | 1.7\% | 1595 |
| 1984 | 13.1\% | 57.0\% | 28.9\% | 1.0\% | 973 |
| 1986 | 14.8\% | 55.5\% | 28.4\% | 1.3\% | 1464 |
| 1987 | 11.1\% | 58.8\% | 28.9\% | 1.3\% | 1462 |
| 1988 | 14.1\% | 58.7\% | 26.1\% | 1.1\% | 989 |
| 1989 | 13.7\% | 54.1\% | 29.9\% | 2.2\% | 1018 |
| 1990 | 13.6\% | 57.7\% | 26.9\% | 1.7\% | 892 |
| 1991 | 14.7\% | 54.2\% | 30.4\% | .7\% | 1021 |
| 1993 | 11.6\% | 51.2\% | 36.4\% | . $9 \%$ | 1061 |
| 1994 | 9.6\% | 50.2\% | 39.4\% | .8\% | 1980 |
| 1996 | 10.5\% | 45.8\% | 41.6\% | 2.1\% | 1911 |
| 1998 | 10.0\% | 49.8\% | 38.6\% | 1.5\% | 1884 |
| 2000 | 10.3\% | 46.5\% | 41.4\% | 1.8\% | 1887 |
| 2002 | 9.4\% | 47.5\% | 42.0\% | 1.1\% | 893 |
| 2004 | 10.2\% | 47.0\% | 42.5\% | .3\% | 880 |
| 2006 | 9.0\% | 48.8\% | 40.9\% | 1.3\% | 2000 |
| 2008 | 9.2\% | 51.5\% | 38.4\% | .8\% | 1349 |
| 2010 | 12.7\% | 50.3\% | 36.2\% | .7\% | 1377 |
| 2012 | 10.2\% | 47.5\% | 40.7\% | 1.7\% | 1329 |


| SURVEY <br> YEAR | CONFID. IN UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | ---: |
|  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1974 | $30.9 \%$ | $50.9 \%$ | $15.2 \%$ | $3.0 \%$ | 1497 |
| 1975 | $33.0 \%$ | $47.9 \%$ | $15.0 \%$ | $4.1 \%$ | 1483 |
| 1976 | $30.4 \%$ | $46.9 \%$ | $18.4 \%$ | $4.2 \%$ | 1485 |
| 1977 | $34.1 \%$ | $45.1 \%$ | $15.5 \%$ | $5.3 \%$ | 1491 |
| 1978 | $35.9 \%$ | $49.9 \%$ | $10.5 \%$ | $3.7 \%$ | 1523 |
| 1980 | $28.6 \%$ | $52.8 \%$ | $15.0 \%$ | $3.6 \%$ | 1528 |
| 1982 | $24.2 \%$ | $51.0 \%$ | $19.8 \%$ | $4.9 \%$ | 1468 |
| 1983 | $30.9 \%$ | $53.5 \%$ | $12.4 \%$ | $3.2 \%$ | 1501 |
| 1984 | $27.3 \%$ | $54.7 \%$ | $14.6 \%$ | $3.4 \%$ | 1595 |
| 1986 | $33.6 \%$ | $50.9 \%$ | $12.6 \%$ | $3.0 \%$ | 973 |
| 1987 | $30.4 \%$ | $52.5 \%$ | $13.8 \%$ | $3.2 \%$ | 1462 |
| 1988 | $37.3 \%$ | $49.1 \%$ | $10.0 \%$ | $3.6 \%$ | 1462 |
| 1989 | $35.1 \%$ | $50.6 \%$ | $10.1 \%$ | $4.2 \%$ | 993 |
| 1990 | $34.7 \%$ | $50.8 \%$ | $9.9 \%$ | $4.6 \%$ | 1019 |
| 1991 | $34.4 \%$ | $48.5 \%$ | $12.7 \%$ | $4.3 \%$ | 892 |
| 1993 | $37.5 \%$ | $46.1 \%$ | $12.6 \%$ | $3.9 \%$ | 1019 |
| 1994 | $30.2 \%$ | $52.7 \%$ | $13.4 \%$ | $3.7 \%$ | 1061 |
| 1996 | $31.2 \%$ | $49.9 \%$ | $15.8 \%$ | $3.1 \%$ | 1985 |
| 1998 | $28.3 \%$ | $49.5 \%$ | $17.3 \%$ | $5.0 \%$ | 1914 |
| 2000 | $31.2 \%$ | $50.4 \%$ | $14.0 \%$ | $4.5 \%$ | 1882 |
| 2002 | $32.4 \%$ | $49.3 \%$ | $12.5 \%$ | $5.8 \%$ | 1889 |
| 2004 | $36.0 \%$ | $49.5 \%$ | $10.8 \%$ | $3.6 \%$ | 892 |
| 2006 | $31.7 \%$ | $52.3 \%$ | $14.7 \%$ | $1.4 \%$ | 880 |
| 2008 | $32.6 \%$ | $48.9 \%$ | $14.8 \%$ | $3.7 \%$ | 1999 |
| 2010 | $30.8 \%$ | $52.9 \%$ | $13.8 \%$ | $2.5 \%$ | 1349 |
| 2012 | $29.8 \%$ | $50.8 \%$ | $17.0 \%$ | 1374 |  |
|  | $28.7 \%$ | $52.9 \%$ | $15.7 \%$ | $2.7 \%$ | 1327 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |


| SURVEY YEAR | CONFIDENCE IN SCIENTIFIC COMMUNITY |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | 37.0\% | 47.6\% | 6.0\% | 9.4\% | 1494 |
| 1974 | 45.5\% | 37.7\% | 6.8\% | 10.1\% | 1482 |
| 1975 | 37.3\% | 45.6\% | 6.6\% | 10.4\% | 1487 |
| 1976 | 42.8\% | 38.8\% | 7.5\% | 10.9\% | 1487 |
| 1977 | 41.3\% | 46.1\% | 5.0\% | 7.6\% | 1524 |
| 1978 | 35.7\% | 49.1\% | 7.6\% | 7.6\% | 1527 |
| 1980 | 40.9\% | 43.5\% | 6.9\% | 8.7\% | 1462 |
| 1982 | 39.1\% | 46.6\% | 5.9\% | 8.5\% | 1500 |
| 1983 | 41.9\% | 46.8\% | 5.4\% | 6.0\% | 1593 |
| 1984 | 44.5\% | 44.2\% | 5.7\% | 5.6\% | 971 |
| 1986 | 39.5\% | 48.4\% | 7.1\% | 5.0\% | 1464 |
| 1987 | 45.1\% | 43.0\% | 6.0\% | 6.0\% | 1459 |
| 1988 | 39.3\% | 47.9\% | 5.2\% | 7.6\% | 993 |
| 1989 | 41.0\% | 44.9\% | 6.0\% | 8.1\% | 1017 |
| 1990 | 37.8\% | 47.1\% | 6.7\% | 8.5\% | 891 |
| 1991 | 40.0\% | 46.9\% | 6.7\% | 6.4\% | 1021 |
| 1993 | 37.6\% | 48.1\% | 6.9\% | 7.5\% | 1058 |
| 1994 | 39.2\% | 49.4\% | 6.9\% | 4.6\% | 1982 |
| 1996 | 39.7\% | 45.1\% | 7.8\% | 7.5\% | 1910 |
| 1998 | 39.7\% | 45.2\% | 8.1\% | 7.0\% | 1882 |
| 2000 | 41.5\% | 43.8\% | 7.4\% | 7.4\% | 1890 |
| 2002 | 37.2\% | 48.3\% | 8.4\% | 6.1\% | 893 |
| 2004 | 41.8\% | 48.6\% | 6.2\% | 3.4\% | 879 |
| 2006 | 41.0\% | 48.2\% | 6.1\% | 4.7\% | 2000 |
| 2008 | 38.6\% | 51.4\% | 5.6\% | 4.5\% | 1349 |
| 2010 | 40.6\% | 49.2\% | 6.2\% | 4.1\% | 1373 |
| 2012 | 39.7\% | 48.6\% | 6.9\% | 4.8\% | 1330 |


| SURVEY YEAR | CONFIDENCE IN CONGRESS |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | 23.4\% | 58.9\% | 15.3\% | 2.4\% | 1497 |
| 1974 | 17.0\% | 59.3\% | 20.9\% | 2.9\% | 1481 |
| 1975 | 13.2\% | 58.4\% | 25.4\% | 3.0\% | 1487 |
| 1976 | 13.3\% | 58.3\% | 26.0\% | 2.4\% | 1494 |
| 1977 | 19.1\% | 61.1\% | 17.0\% | 2.8\% | 1525 |
| 1978 | 12.8\% | 62.9\% | 21.4\% | 2.9\% | 1527 |
| 1980 | 8.9\% | 54.2\% | 33.5\% | 3.4\% | 1467 |
| 1982 | 12.9\% | 62.3\% | 23.0\% | 1.7\% | 1502 |
| 1983 | 9.9\% | 64.5\% | 22.8\% | 2.8\% | 1592 |
| 1984 | 12.8\% | 64.2\% | 21.3\% | 1.7\% | 971 |
| 1986 | 16.2\% | 61.8\% | 19.7\% | 2.3\% | 1465 |
| 1987 | 16.8\% | 62.5\% | 17.7\% | 3.0\% | 1464 |
| 1988 | 15.9\% | 61.5\% | 19.2\% | 3.4\% | 996 |
| 1989 | 17.5\% | 58.4\% | 21.1\% | 3.0\% | 1019 |
| 1990 | 15.7\% | 58.5\% | 22.7\% | 3.1\% | 891 |
| 1991 | 17.6\% | 54.2\% | 25.7\% | 2.5\% | 1018 |
| 1993 | 6.5\% | 50.2\% | 41.2\% | 2.1\% | 1061 |
| 1994 | 8.0\% | 50.4\% | 39.4\% | 2.1\% | 1979 |
| 1996 | 7.2\% | 47.1\% | 42.7\% | 3.0\% | 1911 |
| 1998 | 10.4\% | 56.3\% | 30.3\% | 3.0\% | 1880 |
| 2000 | 12.7\% | 55.0\% | 27.8\% | 4.5\% | 1889 |
| 2002 | 13.7\% | 58.8\% | 25.0\% | 2.4\% | 892 |
| 2004 | 14.7\% | 58.6\% | 25.6\% | 1.1\% | 879 |
| 2006 | 11.6\% | 52.9\% | 33.2\% | 2.2\% | 2000 |
| 2008 | 10.3\% | 50.9\% | 36.8\% | 2.0\% | 1345 |
| 2010 | 10.0\% | 46.1\% | 42.2\% | 1.7\% | 1374 |
| 2012 | 6.6\% | 44.5\% | 45.9\% | 2.9\% | 1327 |
| SURVEY YEAR | CONFIDENCE IN MILITARY |  |  |  |  |
|  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | 31.9\% | 49.1\% | 16.6\% | 2.5\% | 1497 |
| 1974 | 39.3\% | 44.5\% | 13.8\% | 2.4\% | 1483 |
| 1975 | 34.7\% | 46.8\% | 14.1\% | 4.3\% | 1486 |
| 1976 | 39.8\% | 41.0\% | 13.3\% | 5.9\% | 1491 |
| 1977 | 36.3\% | 50.8\% | 10.1\% | 2.8\% | 1527 |
| 1978 | 29.6\% | 54.6\% | 12.9\% | 2.9\% | 1528 |
| 1980 | 28.3\% | 52.0\% | 16.1\% | 3.7\% | 1468 |
| 1982 | 29.9\% | 52.9\% | 15.2\% | 2.0\% | 1503 |
| 1983 | 30.1\% | 54.1\% | 12.9\% | 2.9\% | 1595 |
| 1984 | 36.7\% | 48.6\% | 12.1\% | 2.6\% | 972 |
| 1986 | 31.2\% | 53.0\% | 13.3\% | 2.4\% | 1466 |
| 1987 | 35.7\% | 49.6\% | 11.9\% | 2.8\% | 1462 |
| 1988 | 34.7\% | 49.7\% | 12.3\% | 3.3\% | 996 |
| 1989 | 32.8\% | 50.4\% | 13.2\% | 3.6\% | 1019 |
| 1990 | 33.2\% | 49.5\% | 13.9\% | 3.4\% | 892 |
| 1991 | 60.6\% | 32.0\% | 5.6\% | 1.7\% | 1021 |
| 1993 | 41.2\% | 45.7\% | 11.4\% | 1.7\% | 1060 |
| 1994 | 37.6\% | 48.6\% | 11.8\% | 2.0\% | 1981 |
| 1996 | 38.6\% | 47.7\% | 10.4\% | 3.3\% | 1916 |
| 1998 | 36.3\% | 48.6\% | 12.7\% | 2.4\% | 1883 |
| 2000 | 39.7\% | 47.6\% | 9.5\% | 3.2\% | 1888 |
| 2002 | 55.8\% | 36.0\% | 6.6\% | 1.5\% | 893 |
| 2004 | 58.3\% | 33.0\% | 8.3\% | .4\% | 879 |
| 2006 | 47.1\% | 39.1\% | 12.3\% | 1.4\% | 2001 |
| 2008 | 51.2\% | 37.2\% | 10.3\% | 1.3\% | 1348 |
| 2010 | 53.7\% | 36.1\% | 9.1\% | 1.2\% | 1377 |
| 2012 | 54.6\% | 36.5\% | 7.9\% | 1.1\% | 1330 |


| SURVEY YEAR | SEX | CONFID IN BANKS \& FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1975 | MALE | 31.1\% | 51.7\% | 14.8\% | 2.3\% | 695 |
|  | FEMALE | 31.6\% | 58.0\% | 6.9\% | 3.5\% | 793 |
| 1976 | MALE | 36.6\% | 49.4\% | 12.4\% | 1.6\% | 693 |
|  | FEMALE | 41.0\% | 48.7\% | 7.7\% | 2.6\% | 799 |
| 1977 | MALE | 41.3\% | 47.6\% | 10.2\% | .9\% | 712 |
|  | FEMALE | 42.6\% | 48.3\% | 6.9\% | 2.2\% | 815 |
| 1978 | MALE | 34.5\% | 51.1\% | 13.4\% | 1.1\% | 662 |
|  | FEMALE | 30.1\% | 58.2\% | 10.4\% | 1.3\% | 866 |
| 1980 | MALE | 30.7\% | 52.4\% | 16.3\% | .6\% | 656 |
|  | FEMALE | 32.8\% | 49.0\% | 14.4\% | 3.7\% | 808 |
| 1982 | MALE | 26.9\% | 51.1\% | 21.3\% | .8\% | 672 |
|  | FEMALE | 26.5\% | 57.5\% | 13.5\% | 2.5\% | 830 |
| 1983 | MALE | 23.1\% | 58.7\% | 16.7\% | 1.5\% | 719 |
|  | FEMALE | 23.7\% | 58.8\% | 14.6\% | 2.8\% | 878 |
| 1984 | MALE | 30.2\% | 55.7\% | 13.0\% | 1.1\% | 428 |
|  | FEMALE | 30.8\% | 57.4\% | 8.8\% | 2.9\% | 543 |
| 1986 | MALE | 20.6\% | 60.5\% | 17.9\% | 1.0\% | 646 |
|  | FEMALE | 20.7\% | 60.5\% | 16.3\% | 2.5\% | 821 |
| 1987 | MALE | 27.6\% | 54.5\% | 16.4\% | 1.5\% | 658 |
|  | FEMALE | 27.5\% | 59.2\% | 10.8\% | 2.4\% | 806 |
| 1988 | MALE | 27.2\% | 56.3\% | 13.8\% | 2.8\% | 463 |
|  | FEMALE | 26.7\% | 58.1\% | 13.1\% | 2.1\% | 533 |
| 1989 | MALE | 15.9\% | 58.9\% | 23.9\% | 1.3\% | 458 |
|  | FEMALE | 20.7\% | 59.5\% | 15.4\% | 4.5\% | 561 |
| 1990 | MALE | 14.7\% | 59.6\% | 24.3\% | 1.3\% | 411 |
|  | FEMALE | 18.4\% | 57.7\% | 20.3\% | 3.5\% | 481 |
| 1991 | MALE | 11.7\% | 49.4\% | 37.7\% | 1.2\% | 446 |
|  | FEMALE | 12.3\% | 54.0\% | 31.4\% | 2.3\% | 575 |
| 1993 | MALE | 15.3\% | 52.7\% | 30.7\% | 1.3\% | 448 |
|  | FEMALE | 13.9\% | 59.6\% | 24.1\% | 2.4\% | 613 |
| 1994 | MALE | 19.2\% | 58.6\% | 21.5\% | .7\% | 920 |
|  | FEMALE | 17.2\% | 63.2\% | 18.3\% | 1.3\% | 1063 |
| 1996 | MALE | 25.0\% | 55.9\% | 17.0\% | 2.1\% | 906 |
|  | FEMALE | 24.0\% | 57.5\% | 16.0\% | 2.5\% | 1007 |
| 1998 | MALE | 28.1\% | 53.4\% | 16.7\% | 1.9\% | 875 |
|  | FEMALE | 24.3\% | 58.1\% | 15.3\% | 2.3\% | 1009 |
| 2000 | MALE | 30.5\% | 54.0\% | 13.6\% | 1.9\% | 872 |
|  | FEMALE | 28.6\% | 55.0\% | 13.7\% | 2.6\% | 1017 |
| 2002 | MALE | 24.1\% | 56.4\% | 18.1\% | 1.4\% | 404 |
|  | FEMALE | 20.8\% | 59.9\% | 17.2\% | 2.1\% | 489 |
| 2004 | MALE | 28.1\% | 55.1\% | 15.7\% | 1.1\% | 434 |
|  | FEMALE | 30.5\% | 58.6\% | 10.3\% | .6\% | 446 |
| 2006 | MALE | 30.6\% | 53.5\% | 15.1\% | .9\% | 884 |
|  | FEMALE | 29.0\% | 57.6\% | 11.8\% | 1.6\% | 1118 |
| 2008 | MALE | 15.5\% | 58.9\% | 25.2\% | .4\% | 632 |
|  | FEMALE | 22.1\% | 61.0\% | 15.6\% | 1.3\% | 718 |
| 2010 | MALE | 10.6\% | 46.4\% | 42.8\% | .1\% | 623 |
|  | FEMALE | 10.5\% | 47.9\% | 40.7\% | 1.0\% | 752 |
| 2012 | MALE | 11.7\% | 49.5\% | 38.0\% | .8\% | 609 |
|  | FEMALE | 11.9\% | 52.9\% | 34.4\% | .8\% | 721 |


| SURVEY YEAR | SEX | CONFIDENCE IN MAJOR COMPANIES |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | MALE | 33.7\% | 51.7\% | 11.6\% | 3.0\% | 720 |
|  | FEMALE | 25.2\% | 55.0\% | 10.9\% | 9.0\% | 780 |
| 1974 | MALE | 34.8\% | 48.2\% | 15.5\% | 1.4\% | 717 |
|  | FEMALE | 28.0\% | 53.8\% | 13.1\% | 5.1\% | 767 |
| 1975 | MALE | 23.4\% | 50.2\% | 23.3\% | 3.0\% | 693 |
|  | FEMALE | 15.9\% | 56.9\% | 20.2\% | 7.0\% | 790 |
| 1976 | MALE | 26.0\% | 48.9\% | 22.5\% | 2.7\% | 695 |
|  | FEMALE | 16.9\% | 55.8\% | 21.4\% | 5.9\% | 796 |
| 1977 | MALE | 30.5\% | 52.8\% | 14.0\% | 2.8\% | 710 |
|  | FEMALE | 24.2\% | 60.2\% | 11.0\% | 4.6\% | 816 |
| 1978 | MALE | 27.1\% | 55.6\% | 14.7\% | 2.6\% | 662 |
|  | FEMALE | 16.6\% | 62.4\% | 16.5\% | 4.5\% | 867 |
| 1980 | MALE | 28.7\% | 54.0\% | 15.0\% | 2.3\% | 657 |
|  | FEMALE | 25.4\% | 54.5\% | 13.4\% | 6.7\% | 809 |
| 1982 | MALE | 23.9\% | 58.0\% | 16.1\% | 2.0\% | 673 |
|  | FEMALE | 22.0\% | 59.1\% | 11.8\% | 7.1\% | 830 |
| 1983 | MALE | 28.0\% | 54.6\% | 14.2\% | 3.2\% | 719 |
|  | FEMALE | 21.4\% | 61.5\% | 12.5\% | 4.6\% | 876 |
| 1984 | MALE | 35.9\% | 53.6\% | 9.4\% | 1.1\% | 429 |
|  | FEMALE | 26.6\% | 61.7\% | 7.3\% | 4.4\% | 546 |
| 1986 | MALE | 29.3\% | 58.1\% | 10.0\% | 2.6\% | 646 |
|  | FEMALE | 21.1\% | 65.6\% | 9.2\% | 4.1\% | 820 |
| 1987 | MALE | 31.6\% | 55.8\% | 9.1\% | 3.5\% | 658 |
|  | FEMALE | 29.5\% | 58.4\% | 7.8\% | 4.3\% | 806 |
| 1988 | MALE | 28.3\% | 57.9\% | 10.5\% | 3.3\% | 462 |
|  | FEMALE | 21.8\% | 62.4\% | 10.8\% | 5.0\% | 532 |
| 1989 | MALE | 28.7\% | 59.0\% | 10.1\% | 2.2\% | 458 |
|  | FEMALE | 21.9\% | 61.8\% | 9.0\% | 7.2\% | 561 |
| 1990 | MALE | 28.8\% | 56.5\% | 11.5\% | 3.1\% | 410 |
|  | FEMALE | 22.9\% | 62.9\% | 10.5\% | 3.8\% | 481 |
| 1991 | MALE | 21.9\% | 60.4\% | 14.7\% | 3.0\% | 447 |
|  | FEMALE | 18.3\% | 63.7\% | 11.9\% | 6.1\% | 576 |
| 1993 | MALE | 24.6\% | 56.1\% | 16.3\% | 2.9\% | 448 |
|  | FEMALE | 18.8\% | 68.3\% | 9.1\% | 3.8\% | 614 |
| 1994 | MALE | 29.0\% | 60.2\% | 8.9\% | 1.9\% | 921 |
|  | FEMALE | 23.9\% | 62.9\% | 9.5\% | 3.7\% | 1065 |
| 1996 | MALE | 28.3\% | 56.8\% | 11.7\% | 3.2\% | 904 |
|  | FEMALE | 20.1\% | 61.1\% | 14.2\% | 4.6\% | 1011 |
| 1998 | MALE | 30.0\% | 52.4\% | 14.3\% | 3.3\% | 875 |
|  | FEMALE | 23.4\% | 60.4\% | 11.4\% | 4.7\% | 1009 |
| 2000 | MALE | 30.5\% | 57.1\% | 9.8\% | 2.6\% | 873 |
|  | FEMALE | 26.5\% | 58.0\% | 10.6\% | 5.0\% | 1019 |
| 2002 | MALE | 19.9\% | 62.2\% | 15.9\% | 2.1\% | 404 |
|  | FEMALE | 15.1\% | 65.1\% | 17.1\% | 2.6\% | 488 |
| 2004 | MALE | 17.7\% | 62.9\% | 18.5\% | 1.0\% | 434 |
|  | FEMALE | 19.1\% | 62.7\% | 16.0\% | 2.2\% | 446 |
| 2006 | MALE | 19.8\% | 59.6\% | 18.5\% | 2.2\% | 881 |
|  | FEMALE | 16.4\% | 64.0\% | 17.4\% | 2.3\% | 1117 |
| 2008 | MALE | 17.3\% | 65.3\% | 16.2\% | 1.3\% | 632 |
|  | FEMALE | 14.2\% | 66.5\% | 16.3\% | 3.0\% | 718 |
| 2010 | MALE | 16.3\% | 59.7\% | 21.8\% | 2.2\% | 623 |
|  | FEMALE | 10.3\% | 61.8\% | 25.9\% | 2.1\% | 749 |
| 2012 | MALE | 18.8\% | 60.9\% | 19.3\% | 1.0\% | 609 |
|  | FEMALE | 16.0\% | 60.6\% | 20.6\% | 2.9\% | 719 |


| SURVEY YEAR | SEX | CONFIDENCE IN ORGANIZED RELIGION |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | MALE | 33.9\% | 46.3\% | 17.7\% | 2.0\% | 715 |
|  | FEMALE | 35.0\% | 46.4\% | 14.1\% | 4.5\% | 781 |
| 1974 | MALE | 42.6\% | 43.3\% | 13.0\% | 1.2\% | 716 |
|  | FEMALE | 46.3\% | 42.3\% | 8.9\% | 2.5\% | 766 |
| 1975 | MALE | 22.4\% | 48.1\% | 24.2\% | 5.3\% | 692 |
|  | FEMALE | 25.1\% | 48.4\% | 18.9\% | 7.6\% | 792 |
| 1976 | MALE | 32.1\% | 43.5\% | 17.9\% | 6.5\% | 692 |
|  | FEMALE | 28.6\% | 46.9\% | 18.7\% | 5.9\% | 799 |
| 1977 | MALE | 38.5\% | 45.5\% | 12.4\% | 3.5\% | 710 |
|  | FEMALE | 40.6\% | 45.9\% | 10.2\% | 3.3\% | 815 |
| 1978 | MALE | 30.5\% | 48.3\% | 18.4\% | 2.8\% | 662 |
|  | FEMALE | 30.7\% | 48.2\% | 17.0\% | 4.1\% | 864 |
| 1980 | MALE | 34.7\% | 44.3\% | 17.9\% | 3.1\% | 656 |
|  | FEMALE | 35.5\% | 42.2\% | 18.1\% | 4.2\% | 810 |
| 1982 | MALE | 31.4\% | 50.9\% | 15.7\% | 1.9\% | 673 |
|  | FEMALE | 32.9\% | 48.8\% | 14.2\% | 4.1\% | 831 |
| 1983 | MALE | 26.7\% | 50.7\% | 19.0\% | 3.6\% | 716 |
|  | FEMALE | 30.2\% | 49.7\% | 16.4\% | 3.8\% | 876 |
| 1984 | MALE | 30.5\% | 47.7\% | 19.0\% | 2.8\% | 429 |
|  | FEMALE | 30.8\% | 47.2\% | 18.4\% | 3.5\% | 544 |
| 1986 | MALE | 24.6\% | 50.7\% | 21.6\% | 3.1\% | 645 |
|  | FEMALE | 25.2\% | 51.4\% | 20.0\% | 3.3\% | 822 |
| 1987 | MALE | 26.3\% | 50.3\% | 19.9\% | 3.4\% | 656 |
|  | FEMALE | 31.2\% | 49.7\% | 17.0\% | 2.1\% | 804 |
| 1988 | MALE | 21.2\% | 42.0\% | 33.0\% | 3.8\% | 463 |
|  | FEMALE | 19.9\% | 52.4\% | 25.3\% | 2.3\% | 533 |
| 1989 | MALE | 21.4\% | 42.5\% | 34.0\% | 2.0\% | 458 |
|  | FEMALE | 21.9\% | 48.6\% | 25.6\% | 3.8\% | 560 |
| 1990 | MALE | 22.1\% | 46.8\% | 26.2\% | 4.9\% | 409 |
|  | FEMALE | 23.2\% | 50.4\% | 21.6\% | 4.7\% | 481 |
| 1991 | MALE | 22.4\% | 54.0\% | 21.6\% | 2.0\% | 447 |
|  | FEMALE | 27.2\% | 52.6\% | 18.1\% | 2.0\% | 575 |
| 1993 | MALE | 20.9\% | 50.1\% | 26.6\% | 2.4\% | 447 |
|  | FEMALE | 23.8\% | 50.2\% | 22.7\% | 3.3\% | 613 |
| 1994 | MALE | 26.0\% | 51.6\% | 20.3\% | 2.1\% | 921 |
|  | FEMALE | 24.1\% | 52.0\% | 21.7\% | 2.2\% | 1063 |
| 1996 | MALE | 25.3\% | 49.8\% | 20.5\% | 4.4\% | 904 |
|  | FEMALE | 25.3\% | 52.0\% | 17.8\% | 4.9\% | 1010 |
| 1998 | MALE | 24.9\% | 52.0\% | 19.4\% | 3.7\% | 874 |
|  | FEMALE | 28.2\% | 51.7\% | 17.4\% | 2.7\% | 1008 |
| 2000 | MALE | 27.1\% | 49.5\% | 19.1\% | 4.3\% | 872 |
|  | FEMALE | 28.1\% | 49.5\% | 17.8\% | 4.7\% | 1020 |
| 2002 | MALE | 18.4\% | 55.3\% | 23.0\% | 3.3\% | 403 |
|  | FEMALE | 19.4\% | 57.0\% | 23.2\% | .5\% | 489 |
| 2004 | MALE | 19.4\% | 54.6\% | 23.9\% | 2.2\% | 432 |
|  | FEMALE | 27.5\% | 50.0\% | 21.0\% | 1.5\% | 445 |
| 2006 | MALE | 21.0\% | 51.2\% | 25.9\% | 1.9\% | 880 |
|  | FEMALE | 26.6\% | 52.1\% | 18.3\% | 3.0\% | 1116 |
| 2008 | MALE | 16.9\% | 52.0\% | 29.6\% | 1.6\% | 631 |
|  | FEMALE | 22.8\% | 54.4\% | 21.0\% | 1.8\% | 713 |
| 2010 | MALE | 18.5\% | 51.6\% | 26.6\% | 3.3\% | 621 |
|  | FEMALE | 20.5\% | 53.9\% | 22.2\% | 3.4\% | 748 |
| 2012 | MALE | 19.4\% | 52.9\% | 25.3\% | 2.3\% | 604 |
|  | FEMALE | 20.5\% | 53.6\% | 22.1\% | 3.8\% | 715 |


| SURVEY YEAR | SEX | CONFIDENCE IN EDUCATION |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | MALE | 39.0\% | 52.4\% | 7.6\% | 1.1\% | 716 |
|  | FEMALE | 35.1\% | 55.7\% | 8.2\% | 1.1\% | 780 |
| 1974 | MALE | 49.2\% | 41.4\% | 8.9\% | . 4 \% | 715 |
|  | FEMALE | 48.7\% | 42.0\% | 7.5\% | 1.8\% | 766 |
| 1975 | MALE | 32.2\% | 52.4\% | 14.5\% | .9\% | 696 |
|  | FEMALE | 30.0\% | 56.3\% | 11.3\% | 2.4\% | 792 |
| 1976 | MALE | 38.9\% | 44.2\% | 15.4\% | 1.5\% | 695 |
|  | FEMALE | 36.5\% | 45.9\% | 15.4\% | 2.1\% | 794 |
| 1977 | MALE | 44.1\% | 47.2\% | 7.8\% | .8\% | 711 |
|  | FEMALE | 37.4\% | 52.7\% | 9.2\% | .7\% | 815 |
| 1978 | MALE | 28.7\% | 55.0\% | 15.5\% | .7\% | 662 |
|  | FEMALE | 27.9\% | 55.5\% | 15.4\% | 1.2\% | 866 |
| 1980 | MALE | 28.2\% | 58.1\% | 12.8\% | 1.0\% | 657 |
|  | FEMALE | 31.4\% | 54.8\% | 11.7\% | 2.1\% | 809 |
| 1982 | MALE | 36.2\% | 49.8\% | 13.3\% | .7\% | 672 |
|  | FEMALE | 31.8\% | 53.0\% | 12.8\% | 2.4\% | 830 |
| 1983 | MALE | 29.1\% | 54.7\% | 14.7\% | 1.5\% | 719 |
|  | FEMALE | $27.7 \%$ | 58.1\% | 12.4\% | 1.7\% | 876 |
| 1984 | MALE | 28.0\% | 60.4\% | 10.6\% | 1.0\% | 428 |
|  | FEMALE | 27.8\% | 59.8\% | 10.0\% | 2.5\% | 543 |
| 1986 | MALE | 29.4\% | 58.6\% | 11.0\% | .9\% | 643 |
|  | FEMALE | 27.1\% | 60.8\% | 10.9\% | 1.2\% | 821 |
| 1987 | MALE | 32.9\% | 56.8\% | 9.4\% | .9\% | 658 |
|  | FEMALE | 36.3\% | 54.4\% | 7.8\% | 1.4\% | 805 |
| 1988 | MALE | 28.1\% | 60.5\% | 9.5\% | 1.8\% | 463 |
|  | FEMALE | 31.1\% | 58.9\% | 8.1\% | 1.9\% | 532 |
| 1989 | MALE | 28.5\% | 59.8\% | 10.9\% | .8\% | 458 |
|  | FEMALE | 31.5\% | 57.6\% | 9.6\% | 1.4\% | 560 |
| 1990 | MALE | 23.2\% | 62.2\% | 14.2\% | . $4 \%$ | 408 |
|  | FEMALE | 29.7\% | 55.3\% | 12.3\% | 2.8\% | 480 |
| 1991 | MALE | 30.9\% | 54.2\% | 14.0\% | .8\% | 447 |
|  | FEMALE | 29.0\% | 56.0\% | 13.4\% | 1.7\% | 576 |
| 1993 | MALE | 23.4\% | 58.2\% | 16.7\% | 1.8\% | 447 |
|  | FEMALE | 21.5\% | 57.5\% | 19.6\% | 1.5\% | 613 |
| 1994 | MALE | $28.0 \%$ | 55.2\% | 15.9\% | .9\% | 922 |
|  | FEMALE | 23.5\% | 57.7\% | 18.0\% | .9\% | 1064 |
| 1996 | MALE | 24.3\% | 54.9\% | 19.7\% | 1.1\% | 904 |
|  | FEMALE | 22.4\% | 59.1\% | 17.5\% | 1.0\% | 1011 |
| 1998 | MALE | 25.0\% | 56.5\% | 17.7\% | .7\% | 874 |
|  | FEMALE | 28.6\% | 53.9\% | 16.2\% | 1.4\% | 1007 |
| 2000 | MALE | 27.6\% | 55.7\% | 15.9\% | .8\% | 872 |
|  | FEMALE | 26.8\% | 56.7\% | 15.2\% | 1.2\% | 1019 |
| 2002 | MALE | 27.2\% | 58.1\% | 13.7\% | 1.1\% | 404 |
|  | FEMALE | 24.5\% | 57.6\% | 17.0\% | .8\% | 489 |
| 2004 | MALE | 27.4\% | 58.3\% | 14.3\% | 0.0\% | 433 |
|  | FEMALE | 30.1\% | 55.5\% | 14.4\% | 0.0\% | 445 |
| 2006 | MALE | 27.0\% | 54.4\% | 17.8\% | .8\% | 884 |
|  | FEMALE | 29.1\% | 58.3\% | 12.4\% | . $2 \%$ | 1118 |
| 2008 | MALE | 30.3\% | 52.1\% | 17.2\% | .5\% | 632 |
|  | FEMALE | 28.4\% | 57.1\% | 13.3\% | 1.3\% | 718 |
| 2010 | MALE | 26.0\% | 55.5\% | 18.0\% | . $5 \%$ | 622 |
|  | FEMALE | 29.0\% | 56.9\% | 13.3\% | .8\% | 752 |
| 2012 | MALE | 24.1\% | 58.7\% | 16.5\% | .8\% | 609 |
|  | FEMALE | 26.9\% | 57.2\% | 15.2\% | .7\% | 721 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | SEX | CONFIDENCE IN EXEC BRANCH OF FED GOVT |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | MALE | 31.5\% | 49.0\% | 18.5\% | 1.0\% | 717 |
|  | FEMALE | 26.5\% | 53.0\% | 18.0\% | 2.5\% | 781 |
| 1974 | MALE | 15.6\% | 38.5\% | 44.6\% | 1.3\% | 716 |
|  | FEMALE | 11.7\% | 45.8\% | 39.6\% | 2.9\% | 767 |
| 1975 | MALE | 15.2\% | 50.2\% | 33.3\% | 1.3\% | 695 |
|  | FEMALE | 11.3\% | 60.2\% | 25.4\% | 3.1\% | 794 |
| 1976 | MALE | 15.4\% | 57.1\% | 25.8\% | 1.7\% | 694 |
|  | FEMALE | 11.0\% | 61.6\% | 23.8\% | 3.6\% | 801 |
| 1977 | MALE | 29.7\% | 56.4\% | 12.0\% | 1.9\% | 711 |
|  | FEMALE | 25.5\% | 54.7\% | 15.6\% | 4.2\% | 815 |
| 1978 | MALE | 13.3\% | 57.0\% | 28.4\% | 1.3\% | 662 |
|  | FEMALE | 11.5\% | 60.9\% | 23.7\% | 3.9\% | 866 |
| 1980 | MALE | 12.0\% | 48.3\% | 39.0\% | .7\% | 656 |
|  | FEMALE | 11.9\% | 53.1\% | 30.4\% | 4.5\% | 809 |
| 1982 | MALE | 20.2\% | 54.1\% | 25.1\% | .5\% | 673 |
|  | FEMALE | 18.3\% | 54.9\% | 23.1\% | 3.7\% | 829 |
| 1983 | MALE | 16.0\% | 51.3\% | 31.1\% | 1.6\% | 719 |
|  | FEMALE | 11.5\% | 56.3\% | 28.0\% | 4.2\% | 878 |
| 1984 | MALE | 21.6\% | 49.5\% | 27.7\% | 1.2\% | 428 |
|  | FEMALE | 16.5\% | 51.5\% | 28.4\% | 3.6\% | 544 |
| 1986 | MALE | 23.9\% | 51.3\% | 23.0\% | 1.8\% | 647 |
|  | FEMALE | 19.3\% | 55.6\% | 22.2\% | 2.9\% | 820 |
| 1987 | MALE | 21.5\% | 48.5\% | 28.0\% | 2.0\% | 658 |
|  | FEMALE | 16.7\% | 54.9\% | 24.9\% | 3.6\% | 806 |
| 1988 | MALE | 19.5\% | 50.3\% | 27.4\% | 2.8\% | 463 |
|  | FEMALE | 13.8\% | 55.9\% | 25.7\% | 4.6\% | 532 |
| 1989 | MALE | 20.3\% | 55.7\% | 21.7\% | 2.2\% | 458 |
|  | FEMALE | 20.7\% | 53.7\% | 19.3\% | 6.3\% | 560 |
| 1990 | MALE | 23.4\% | 50.5\% | 23.4\% | 2.7\% | 411 |
|  | FEMALE | 24.3\% | 49.2\% | 22.8\% | 3.6\% | 481 |
| 1991 | MALE | 28.8\% | 49.3\% | 20.8\% | 1.1\% | 447 |
|  | FEMALE | 25.0\% | 50.2\% | 21.7\% | 3.1\% | 575 |
| 1993 | MALE | 11.6\% | 51.7\% | 33.8\% | 3.0\% | 446 |
|  | FEMALE | 11.2\% | 54.4\% | 31.8\% | 2.6\% | 613 |
| 1994 | MALE | $11.9 \%$ | $50.6 \%$ | 36.4\% | 1.1\% | 921 |
|  | FEMALE | 10.7\% | 53.0\% | 34.1\% | 2.2\% | 1062 |
| 1996 | MALE | 9.8\% | 42.1\% | 45.8\% | 2.3\% | 904 |
|  | FEMALE | 9.9\% | 47.0\% | 39.0\% | 4.1\% | 1011 |
| 1998 | MALE | 13.9\% | 46.0\% | 38.0\% | 2.1\% | 875 |
|  | FEMALE | 12.8\% | 50.3\% | 33.4\% | 3.5\% | 1007 |
| 2000 | MALE | 13.2\% | 47.1\% | 36.3\% | 3.3\% | 871 |
|  | FEMALE | 13.8\% | 49.6\% | 31.4\% | 5.2\% | 1018 |
| 2002 | MALE | 31.6\% | 48.3\% | 18.3\% | 1.8\% | 404 |
|  | FEMALE | 23.7\% | 52.5\% | 21.8\% | 2.1\% | 487 |
| 2004 | MALE | 23.5\% | 46.8\% | 29.7\% | 0.0\% | 433 |
|  | FEMALE | 20.0\% | 46.4\% | 31.2\% | 2.4\% | 445 |
| 2006 | MALE | 16.1\% | 42.5\% | 40.2\% | 1.2\% | 882 |
|  | FEMALE | 15.4\% | 46.9\% | 35.0\% | 2.8\% | 1117 |
| 2008 | MALE | 10.1\% | 46.7\% | 41.4\% | 1.8\% | 632 |
|  | FEMALE | 11.0\% | 50.8\% | 34.6\% | 3.6\% | 716 |
| 2010 | MALE | 17.6\% | 42.4\% | 38.3\% | 1.8\% | 622 |
|  | FEMALE | 16.0\% | 47.1\% | 35.3\% | 1.5\% | 750 |
| 2012 | MALE | 13.1\% | 49.0\% | 36.7\% | 1.2\% | 609 |
|  | FEMALE | 15.2\% | 47.9\% | 34.3\% | 2.6\% | 720 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | SEX | CONFIDENCE IN ORGANIZED LABOR |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | MALE | 18.6\% | 53.3\% | 25.9\% | 2.3\% | 717 |
|  | FEMALE | 12.8\% | 56.2\% | 26.2\% | 4.8\% | 776 |
| 1974 | MALE | 24.1\% | 49.5\% | 26.0\% | .4\% | 714 |
|  | FEMALE | 14.2\% | 57.1\% | 24.6\% | 4.2\% | 767 |
| 1975 | MALE | 11.7\% | 50.1\% | 34.8\% | 3.5\% | 694 |
|  | FEMALE | 7.8\% | 58.7\% | 25.1\% | 8.4\% | 794 |
| 1976 | MALE | 12.7\% | 45.9\% | 37.5\% | 3.9\% | 694 |
|  | FEMALE | 10.5\% | 50.8\% | 28.3\% | 10.4\% | 800 |
| 1977 | MALE | 18.9\% | 45.4\% | 33.6\% | 2.1\% | 710 |
|  | FEMALE | 11.2\% | 55.5\% | 28.5\% | 4.8\% | 814 |
| 1978 | MALE | 13.5\% | 44.5\% | 39.8\% | 2.2\% | 662 |
|  | FEMALE | 9.6\% | 48.2\% | 35.6\% | 6.5\% | 866 |
| 1980 | MALE | 16.2\% | 47.6\% | 34.8\% | 1.4\% | 657 |
|  | FEMALE | 14.2\% | 54.2\% | 23.9\% | 7.8\% | 810 |
| 1982 | MALE | 14.1\% | 49.7\% | 35.1\% | 1.1\% | 671 |
|  | FEMALE | 12.4\% | 56.2\% | 25.3\% | 6.2\% | 830 |
| 1983 | MALE | 10.1\% | 44.3\% | 43.7\% | 2.0\% | 719 |
|  | FEMALE | 7.1\% | 52.3\% | 35.3\% | 5.3\% | 878 |
| 1984 | MALE | 9.0\% | 50.2\% | 40.2\% | .5\% | 429 |
|  | FEMALE | 8.1\% | 55.7\% | 33.1\% | 3.1\% | 544 |
| 1986 | MALE | 9.0\% | 42.8\% | 45.1\% | 3.1\% | 644 |
|  | FEMALE | 8.7\% | 51.4\% | 33.8\% | 6.1\% | 821 |
| 1987 | MALE | 12.2\% | 45.1\% | 40.7\% | 1.9\% | 656 |
|  | FEMALE | 9.0\% | 56.3\% | 27.6\% | 7.0\% | 806 |
| 1988 | MALE | 14.0\% | 45.2\% | 36.8\% | 3.9\% | 462 |
|  | FEMALE | 8.1\% | 54.5\% | 31.4\% | 6.0\% | 532 |
| 1989 | MALE | 9.7\% | 46.6\% | 40.8\% | 2.9\% | 458 |
|  | FEMALE | 9.0\% | 54.9\% | 27.3\% | 8.7\% | 561 |
| 1990 | MALE | 11.9\% | 49.3\% | 35.7\% | 3.1\% | 411 |
|  | FEMALE | 9.7\% | 57.3\% | 26.2\% | 6.9\% | 479 |
| 1991 | MALE | 11.7\% | 44.1\% | 41.1\% | 3.1\% | 447 |
|  | FEMALE | 11.1\% | 52.0\% | 29.5\% | 7.4\% | 575 |
| 1993 | MALE | 9.5\% | 50.1\% | 36.5\% | 3.9\% | 447 |
|  | FEMALE | 6.6\% | 56.3\% | 29.3\% | 7.8\% | 613 |
| 1994 | MALE | $12.5 \%$ | 48.5\% | 36.6\% | 2.5\% | 920 |
|  | FEMALE | 9.0\% | 56.1\% | 28.0\% | 6.9\% | 1062 |
| 1996 | MALE | 12.5\% | 47.6\% | 35.6\% | 4.3\% | 904 |
|  | FEMALE | 9.9\% | 53.3\% | 25.3\% | 11.4\% | 1011 |
| 1998 | MALE | 11.6\% | 51.4\% | 32.2\% | 4.8\% | 875 |
|  | FEMALE | 10.3\% | 53.4\% | 26.1\% | 10.2\% | 1009 |
| 2000 | MALE | 13.7\% | 47.7\% | 33.0\% | 5.6\% | 872 |
|  | FEMALE | 12.5\% | 54.4\% | 20.2\% | 12.9\% | 1016 |
| 2002 | MALE | 14.9\% | 55.6\% | 25.2\% | 4.3\% | 404 |
|  | FEMALE | 8.9\% | 63.0\% | 21.9\% | 6.2\% | 488 |
| 2004 | MALE | 13.9\% | 52.6\% | 31.2\% | 2.4\% | 433 |
|  | FEMALE | 11.9\% | 55.4\% | 25.2\% | 7.5\% | 444 |
| 2006 | MALE | 12.1\% | 51.4\% | 33.5\% | 3.0\% | 884 |
|  | FEMALE | 11.4\% | 58.6\% | 22.8\% | 7.1\% | 1118 |
| 2008 | MALE | 13.4\% | 50.1\% | 33.6\% | 2.9\% | 631 |
|  | FEMALE | 11.0\% | 62.0\% | 20.9\% | 6.1\% | 718 |
| 2010 | MALE | 12.8\% | 51.0\% | 32.7\% | 3.6\% | 622 |
|  | FEMALE | 10.8\% | 60.9\% | 21.9\% | 6.4\% | 752 |
| 2012 | MALE | 12.3\% | 49.5\% | 34.0\% | 4.2\% | 608 |
|  | FEMALE | 10.3\% | 59.4\% | 23.8\% | 6.4\% | 719 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | SEX | CONFIDENCE IN PRESS |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | MALE | 25.7\% | 58.0\% | 14.9\% | 1.5\% | 719 |
|  | FEMALE | 20.0\% | 64.7\% | 13.9\% | 1.3\% | 781 |
| 1974 | MALE | 27.1\% | 53.6\% | 18.7\% | .6\% | 714 |
|  | FEMALE | 23.8\% | 58.0\% | 16.7\% | 1.4\% | 767 |
| 1975 | MALE | 24.1\% | 52.6\% | 21.3\% | 2.0\% | 694 |
|  | FEMALE | 23.5\% | 57.2\% | 15.8\% | 3.4\% | 791 |
| 1976 | MALE | 29.5\% | 50.6\% | 18.9\% | 1.0\% | 689 |
|  | FEMALE | 27.3\% | 53.0\% | 17.6\% | 2.1\% | 799 |
| 1977 | MALE | 27.6\% | 54.3\% | 16.0\% | 2.0\% | 711 |
|  | FEMALE | 22.4\% | 61.2\% | 14.7\% | 1.8\% | 815 |
| 1978 | MALE | 20.6\% | 59.0\% | 19.4\% | .9\% | 662 |
|  | FEMALE | 19.2\% | 58.1\% | 20.4\% | 2.2\% | 866 |
| 1980 | MALE | 25.3\% | 57.5\% | 16.1\% | 1.2\% | 656 |
|  | FEMALE | 19.4\% | 58.3\% | 18.4\% | 3.8\% | 811 |
| 1982 | MALE | 19.6\% | 57.4\% | 22.1\% | .9\% | 672 |
|  | FEMALE | 17.8\% | 59.3\% | 20.2\% | 2.7\% | 830 |
| 1983 | MALE | 15.0\% | 58.8\% | 25.7\% | .6\% | 717 |
|  | FEMALE | 12.0\% | 60.2\% | 24.8\% | 3.0\% | 878 |
| 1984 | MALE | 21.7\% | 58.1\% | 19.7\% | .5\% | 428 |
|  | FEMALE | 14.1\% | 58.8\% | 24.6\% | 2.5\% | 545 |
| 1986 | MALE | 20.4\% | 51.3\% | 27.5\% | .8\% | 646 |
|  | FEMALE | 17.2\% | 55.5\% | 24.8\% | 2.5\% | 820 |
| 1987 | MALE | 18.0\% | 56.3\% | 24.9\% | .8\% | 658 |
|  | FEMALE | 18.3\% | 55.5\% | 23.7\% | 2.5\% | 806 |
| 1988 | MALE | 20.3\% | 49.9\% | 26.9\% | 2.9\% | 461 |
|  | FEMALE | 17.7\% | 56.6\% | 22.8\% | 3.0\% | 530 |
| 1989 | MALE | 16.1\% | 54.3\% | 28.5\% | 1.1\% | 458 |
|  | FEMALE | 17.0\% | 54.3\% | 25.0\% | 3.6\% | 560 |
| 1990 | MALE | 17.4\% | 57.6\% | 24.0\% | 1.0\% | 410 |
|  | FEMALE | 11.9\% | 56.2\% | 26.6\% | 5.3\% | 481 |
| 1991 | MALE | 17.7\% | 49.7\% | 31.7\% | .8\% | 447 |
|  | FEMALE | 14.7\% | 56.0\% | 27.5\% | 1.9\% | 574 |
| 1993 | MALE | 11.3\% | 48.6\% | 38.8\% | 1.3\% | 448 |
|  | FEMALE | 10.1\% | 49.2\% | 38.5\% | 2.2\% | 612 |
| 1994 | MALE | $10.8 \%$ | $47.6 \%$ | 40.9\% | .7\% | 920 |
|  | FEMALE | 9.3\% | 50.9\% | 37.9\% | 1.8\% | 1061 |
| 1996 | MALE | 10.6\% | 43.3\% | 43.5\% | 2.6\% | 904 |
|  | FEMALE | 10.6\% | 50.0\% | 36.6\% | 2.8\% | 1009 |
| 1998 | MALE | 11.3\% | 44.1\% | 42.8\% | 1.9\% | 875 |
|  | FEMALE | 7.1\% | 48.0\% | 42.5\% | 2.4\% | 1009 |
| 2000 | MALE | 9.0\% | 43.4\% | 46.0\% | 1.6\% | 871 |
|  | FEMALE | 10.9\% | 49.5\% | 36.7\% | 2.9\% | 1017 |
| 2002 | MALE | 10.8\% | 45.7\% | 41.4\% | 2.2\% | 404 |
|  | FEMALE | 9.1\% | 47.5\% | 41.9\% | 1.5\% | 489 |
| 2004 | MALE | 9.7\% | 45.8\% | 44.2\% | .3\% | 434 |
|  | FEMALE | 8.1\% | 48.9\% | 42.8\% | .2\% | 446 |
| 2006 | MALE | 12.8\% | 43.6\% | 43.0\% | .6\% | 883 |
|  | FEMALE | 8.1\% | 51.5\% | 38.7\% | 1.6\% | 1118 |
| 2008 | MALE | 7.6\% | 44.7\% | 46.4\% | 1.3\% | 632 |
|  | FEMALE | 9.3\% | 46.7\% | 43.0\% | 1.0\% | 718 |
| 2010 | MALE | 11.3\% | 43.1\% | 44.8\% | .8\% | 623 |
|  | FEMALE | 10.2\% | 46.8\% | 41.3\% | 1.6\% | 752 |
| 2012 | MALE | 8.6\% | 42.3\% | 48.0\% | 1.2\% | 609 |
|  | FEMALE | 8.9\% | 44.0\% | 44.3\% | 2.7\% | 721 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | SEX | CONFIDENCE IN MEDICINE |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | MALE | 54.9\% | 37.8\% | 6.7\% | .6\% | 717 |
|  | FEMALE | 52.8\% | 41.3\% | 5.0\% | .9\% | 780 |
| 1974 | MALE | 59.0\% | 34.3\% | 5.5\% | 1.1\% | 716 |
|  | FEMALE | 62.7\% | 32.0\% | 3.7\% | 1.6\% | 767 |
| 1975 | MALE | 51.1\% | 39.8\% | 8.6\% | .5\% | 694 |
|  | FEMALE | 51.0\% | 39.7\% | 7.0\% | 2.3\% | 793 |
| 1976 | MALE | 56.2\% | 33.1\% | 10.1\% | .6\% | 694 |
|  | FEMALE | 53.2\% | 36.6\% | 8.5\% | 1.8\% | 798 |
| 1977 | MALE | 53.7\% | 39.7\% | 5.6\% | 1.0\% | 712 |
|  | FEMALE | 52.1\% | 41.0\% | 5.5\% | 1.4\% | 815 |
| 1978 | MALE | 45.8\% | 45.4\% | 8.5\% | . $3 \%$ | 661 |
|  | FEMALE | 45.8\% | 43.9\% | 9.5\% | .8\% | 866 |
| 1980 | MALE | 55.6\% | 36.3\% | 7.5\% | .5\% | 657 |
|  | FEMALE | 51.3\% | 39.3\% | 7.6\% | 1.8\% | 811 |
| 1982 | MALE | 46.4\% | 46.6\% | 6.7\% | .2\% | 673 |
|  | FEMALE | 44.2\% | 45.9\% | 8.0\% | 1.9\% | 830 |
| 1983 | MALE | 55.6\% | 37.2\% | 6.3\% | .9\% | 719 |
|  | FEMALE | 48.9\% | 42.9\% | 6.8\% | 1.4\% | 876 |
| 1984 | MALE | 54.0\% | 40.8\% | 5.1\% | .1\% | 428 |
|  | FEMALE | 48.7\% | 44.3\% | 5.9\% | 1.1\% | 544 |
| 1986 | MALE | 52.4\% | 40.4\% | 6.6\% | .6\% | 645 |
|  | FEMALE | 42.4\% | 48.2\% | 7.8\% | 1.6\% | 821 |
| 1987 | MALE | 54.5\% | 40.4\% | 4.2\% | .9\% | 656 |
|  | FEMALE | 50.8\% | 42.0\% | 6.1\% | 1.1\% | 806 |
| 1988 | MALE | 55.9\% | 36.8\% | 6.3\% | 1.0\% | 462 |
|  | FEMALE | 49.9\% | 43.8\% | 5.4\% | 1.0\% | 532 |
| 1989 | MALE | 48.6\% | 44.0\% | 6.9\% | .4\% | 457 |
|  | FEMALE | 46.5\% | 45.3\% | 6.7\% | 1.6\% | 560 |
| 1990 | MALE | 45.5\% | 46.7\% | 7.6\% | .1\% | 411 |
|  | FEMALE | 45.1\% | 47.3\% | 5.9\% | 1.8\% | 480 |
| 1991 | MALE | 50.5\% | 41.2\% | 6.4\% | 1.9\% | 446 |
|  | FEMALE | 45.8\% | 45.0\% | 8.5\% | .6\% | 575 |
| 1993 | MALE | 44.1\% | 48.5\% | 6.4\% | .9\% | 447 |
|  | FEMALE | 37.7\% | 51.6\% | 9.6\% | 1.1\% | 613 |
| 1994 | MALE | $43.5 \%$ | 47.3\% | 8.5\% | .6\% | 921 |
|  | FEMALE | 41.7\% | 46.5\% | 11.1\% | . $7 \%$ | 1064 |
| 1996 | MALE | 49.3\% | 42.1\% | 7.8\% | .8\% | 906 |
|  | FEMALE | 41.5\% | 47.9\% | 9.0\% | 1.6\% | 1011 |
| 1998 | MALE | 49.9\% | 41.2\% | 7.6\% | 1.3\% | 873 |
|  | FEMALE | 40.6\% | 47.8\% | 9.8\% | 1.7\% | 1008 |
| 2000 | MALE | 48.0\% | 41.8\% | 8.6\% | 1.6\% | 872 |
|  | FEMALE | 41.6\% | 47.9\% | 9.3\% | 1.2\% | 1017 |
| 2002 | MALE | 41.5\% | 47.4\% | 10.3\% | .7\% | 404 |
|  | FEMALE | 33.7\% | 54.1\% | 11.6\% | .6\% | 489 |
| 2004 | MALE | 40.4\% | 48.7\% | 10.9\% | 0.0\% | 434 |
|  | FEMALE | 35.3\% | 50.9\% | 13.1\% | .7\% | 446 |
| 2006 | MALE | 40.8\% | 49.0\% | 9.6\% | .6\% | 883 |
|  | FEMALE | 39.0\% | 48.8\% | 11.4\% | .8\% | 1118 |
| 2008 | MALE | 39.9\% | 48.4\% | 11.3\% | . $4 \%$ | 632 |
|  | FEMALE | 38.4\% | 51.7\% | 9.8\% | .2\% | 718 |
| 2010 | MALE | 43.8\% | 45.1\% | 10.5\% | .6\% | 623 |
|  | FEMALE | 39.1\% | 48.4\% | 11.8\% | .7\% | 754 |
| 2012 | MALE | 42.8\% | 47.2\% | 9.5\% | .5\% | 609 |
|  | FEMALE | 35.7\% | 52.9\% | 10.7\% | . $8 \%$ | 721 |


| SURVEY YEAR | SEX | CONFIDENCE IN TELEVISION |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | MALE | 18.4\% | 57.5\% | 23.2\% | .8\% | 719 |
|  | FEMALE | 18.1\% | 60.8\% | 20.1\% | 1.0\% | 777 |
| 1974 | MALE | 24.9\% | 54.0\% | 20.9\% | .3\% | 714 |
|  | FEMALE | 21.3\% | 62.1\% | 15.0\% | 1.6\% | 767 |
| 1975 | MALE | 20.7\% | 53.3\% | 23.6\% | 2.4\% | 695 |
|  | FEMALE | 15.4\% | 60.2\% | 22.0\% | 2.4\% | 792 |
| 1976 | MALE | 18.4\% | 50.5\% | 30.2\% | 1.0\% | 694 |
|  | FEMALE | 17.9\% | 54.7\% | 25.3\% | 2.0\% | 798 |
| 1977 | MALE | 20.1\% | 53.5\% | 25.1\% | 1.2\% | 711 |
|  | FEMALE | 15.4\% | 58.4\% | 24.8\% | 1.5\% | 814 |
| 1978 | MALE | 16.9\% | 51.2\% | 30.8\% | 1.1\% | 661 |
|  | FEMALE | 12.5\% | 54.7\% | 31.1\% | 1.8\% | 866 |
| 1980 | MALE | 16.8\% | 55.7\% | 26.7\% | .8\% | 657 |
|  | FEMALE | 13.9\% | 54.9\% | 29.4\% | 1.8\% | 810 |
| 1982 | MALE | 15.2\% | 57.2\% | 27.2\% | .4\% | 673 |
|  | FEMALE | 13.2\% | 58.3\% | 26.9\% | 1.6\% | 830 |
| 1983 | MALE | 13.6\% | 56.5\% | 29.1\% | .8\% | 719 |
|  | FEMALE | 11.4\% | 58.6\% | 27.6\% | 2.4\% | 877 |
| 1984 | MALE | 14.5\% | 58.5\% | 26.4\% | .6\% | 428 |
|  | FEMALE | 12.0\% | 55.8\% | 30.8\% | $1.3 \%$ | 545 |
| 1986 | MALE | 17.1\% | 51.1\% | 31.0\% | .8\% | 646 |
|  | FEMALE | 13.0\% | 58.9\% | 26.4\% | 1.7\% | 819 |
| 1987 | MALE | 10.5\% | 59.1\% | 29.3\% | 1.0\% | 658 |
|  | FEMALE | 11.5\% | 58.5\% | 28.5\% | 1.5\% | 804 |
| 1988 | MALE | 14.5\% | 58.3\% | 25.9\% | 1.3\% | 460 |
|  | FEMALE | 13.8\% | 59.0\% | 26.2\% | 1.0\% | 529 |
| 1989 | MALE | 13.3\% | 52.0\% | 33.1\% | 1.7\% | 458 |
|  | FEMALE | 14.1\% | 55.9\% | 27.3\% | 2.6\% | 560 |
| 1990 | MALE | 16.6\% | 56.7\% | 26.3\% | .5\% | 411 |
|  | FEMALE | 11.1\% | 58.6\% | 27.5\% | 2.8\% | 481 |
| 1991 | MALE | 17.1\% | 51.7\% | 30.6\% | .6\% | 446 |
|  | FEMALE | 12.8\% | 56.2\% | 30.3\% | .7\% | 575 |
| 1993 | MALE | 11.9\% | 52.6\% | 35.0\% | .5\% | 448 |
|  | FEMALE | 11.3\% | 50.2\% | 37.3\% | 1.2\% | 613 |
| 1994 | MALE | 10.4\% | 50.1\% | 38.6\% | .8\% | 917 |
|  | FEMALE | 8.9\% | 50.3\% | 40.0\% | .8\% | 1063 |
| 1996 | MALE | 11.4\% | 44.3\% | 42.2\% | 2.1\% | 902 |
|  | FEMALE | 9.7\% | 47.1\% | 41.0\% | 2.2\% | 1010 |
| 1998 | MALE | 10.9\% | 50.6\% | 37.5\% | 1.0\% | 875 |
|  | FEMALE | 9.3\% | 49.2\% | 39.6\% | 1.9\% | 1009 |
| 2000 | MALE | 9.5\% | 46.3\% | 41.8\% | 2.3\% | 872 |
|  | FEMALE | 10.9\% | 46.7\% | 41.1\% | 1.3\% | 1015 |
| 2002 | MALE | 11.0\% | 45.7\% | 41.8\% | 1.5\% | 404 |
|  | FEMALE | 8.1\% | 49.0\% | 42.2\% | .7\% | 489 |
| 2004 | MALE | 9.3\% | 46.1\% | 44.0\% | .6\% | 434 |
|  | FEMALE | 11.0\% | 47.9\% | 41.1\% | 0.0\% | 446 |
| 2006 | MALE | 10.5\% | 45.9\% | 42.2\% | 1.5\% | 882 |
|  | FEMALE | 7.8\% | 51.1\% | 39.9\% | 1.1\% | 1118 |
| 2008 | MALE | 9.1\% | 48.9\% | 41.3\% | .7\% | 631 |
|  | FEMALE | 9.4\% | 53.8\% | 35.9\% | .9\% | 718 |
| 2010 | MALE | 14.3\% | 46.6\% | 38.4\% | .7\% | 623 |
|  | FEMALE | 11.4\% | 53.4\% | 34.4\% | .7\% | 753 |
| 2012 | MALE | 12.1\% | 46.6\% | 39.8\% | 1.5\% | 609 |
|  | FEMALE | 8.5\% | 48.1\% | 41.5\% | 1.9\% | 720 |


| SURVEY YEAR | SEX | CONFIDENCE IN UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | MALE | 32.0\% | 49.1\% | 17.1\% | 1.8\% | 717 |
|  | FEMALE | 30.0\% | 52.4\% | 13.4\% | 4.2\% | 781 |
| 1974 | MALE | 36.9\% | 43.1\% | 18.3\% | 1.7\% | 716 |
|  | FEMALE | 29.4\% | 52.3\% | 11.9\% | 6.4\% | 767 |
| 1975 | MALE | 33.7\% | 41.5\% | 22.8\% | 2.0\% | 693 |
|  | FEMALE | 27.5\% | 51.7\% | 14.5\% | 6.2\% | 792 |
| 1976 | MALE | 38.0\% | 42.4\% | 16.7\% | 2.8\% | 694 |
|  | FEMALE | 30.8\% | 47.4\% | 14.4\% | 7.5\% | 797 |
| 1977 | MALE | 40.6\% | 46.7\% | 10.6\% | 2.2\% | 709 |
|  | FEMALE | 31.8\% | 52.7\% | 10.4\% | 5.1\% | 814 |
| 1978 | MALE | 32.0\% | 49.8\% | 16.5\% | 1.8\% | 662 |
|  | FEMALE | 26.0\% | 55.1\% | 13.9\% | 5.0\% | 866 |
| 1980 | MALE | 26.6\% | 48.8\% | 22.2\% | 2.5\% | 657 |
|  | FEMALE | 22.3\% | 52.9\% | 18.0\% | 6.8\% | 811 |
| 1982 | MALE | 31.4\% | 53.3\% | 13.5\% | 1.8\% | 673 |
|  | FEMALE | 30.5\% | 53.6\% | 11.6\% | 4.4\% | 828 |
| 1983 | MALE | 31.7\% | 50.2\% | 16.3\% | 1.8\% | 719 |
|  | FEMALE | 23.7\% | 58.4\% | 13.2\% | 4.7\% | 876 |
| 1984 | MALE | 41.3\% | 42.8\% | 14.1\% | 1.8\% | 428 |
|  | FEMALE | 27.5\% | 57.3\% | 11.4\% | 3.9\% | 545 |
| 1986 | MALE | 37.0\% | 46.3\% | 14.6\% | 2.1\% | 644 |
|  | FEMALE | 25.2\% | 57.5\% | 13.2\% | 4.1\% | 818 |
| 1987 | MALE | 41.3\% | 45.9\% | 11.1\% | 1.7\% | 657 |
|  | FEMALE | 34.0\% | 51.8\% | 9.0\% | 5.2\% | 805 |
| 1988 | MALE | 38.6\% | 47.5\% | 10.1\% | 3.8\% | 462 |
|  | FEMALE | 32.0\% | 53.4\% | 10.0\% | 4.6\% | 531 |
| 1989 | MALE | 37.6\% | 48.0\% | 11.2\% | 3.1\% | 459 |
|  | FEMALE | 32.2\% | 53.1\% | 8.8\% | 5.8\% | 561 |
| 1990 | MALE | 35.3\% | 49.8\% | 13.2\% | 1.7\% | 411 |
|  | FEMALE | 33.7\% | 47.5\% | 12.4\% | 6.5\% | 481 |
| 1991 | MALE | 44.6\% | 39.7\% | 13.5\% | 2.2\% | 444 |
|  | FEMALE | 31.9\% | 51.0\% | 11.9\% | 5.2\% | 575 |
| 1993 | MALE | 35.0\% | 49.8\% | 12.3\% | 2.9\% | 448 |
|  | FEMALE | 26.6\% | 54.8\% | 14.2\% | 4.3\% | 613 |
| 1994 | MALE | 34.5\% | 48.0\% | 15.4\% | 2.1\% | 921 |
|  | FEMALE | 28.3\% | 51.5\% | 16.1\% | 4.0\% | 1064 |
| 1996 | MALE | 33.3\% | 43.9\% | 18.3\% | 4.6\% | 905 |
|  | FEMALE | 23.8\% | 54.5\% | 16.3\% | 5.4\% | 1009 |
| 1998 | MALE | 33.5\% | 48.3\% | 15.4\% | 2.9\% | 874 |
|  | FEMALE | 29.2\% | 52.2\% | 12.8\% | 5.8\% | 1008 |
| 2000 | MALE | 36.1\% | 46.1\% | 14.0\% | 3.9\% | 873 |
|  | FEMALE | 29.3\% | 52.1\% | 11.2\% | 7.3\% | 1017 |
| 2002 | MALE | 37.7\% | 47.0\% | 11.6\% | 3.7\% | 404 |
|  | FEMALE | 34.7\% | 51.6\% | 10.2\% | 3.5\% | 488 |
| 2004 | MALE | 33.9\% | 49.2\% | 16.2\% | .7\% | 434 |
|  | FEMALE | 29.5\% | 55.2\% | 13.3\% | 2.0\% | 446 |
| 2006 | MALE | 36.9\% | 43.9\% | 16.2\% | 3.0\% | 882 |
|  | FEMALE | 29.3\% | 52.9\% | 13.7\% | 4.2\% | 1117 |
| 2008 | MALE | 34.6\% | 48.5\% | 15.3\% | 1.5\% | 632 |
|  | FEMALE | 27.4\% | 56.8\% | 12.6\% | 3.3\% | 718 |
| 2010 | MALE | 35.4\% | 46.1\% | 16.8\% | 1.7\% | 622 |
|  | FEMALE | 25.1\% | 54.8\% | 17.1\% | 3.0\% | 751 |
| 2012 | MALE | 31.7\% | 51.2\% | 15.4\% | 1.7\% | 608 |
|  | FEMALE | 26.2\% | 54.3\% | 15.9\% | 3.6\% | 719 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | SEX | CONFIDENCE IN SCIENTIFIC COMMUNITY |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | MALE | 40.7\% | 46.3\% | 5.4\% | 7.6\% | 718 |
|  | FEMALE | 33.6\% | 48.8\% | 6.5\% | 11.1\% | 776 |
| 1974 | MALE | 49.5\% | 33.6\% | 7.7\% | 9.2\% | 715 |
|  | FEMALE | 41.7\% | 41.5\% | 5.9\% | 10.9\% | 767 |
| 1975 | MALE | 38.3\% | 43.9\% | 8.9\% | 8.9\% | 694 |
|  | FEMALE | 36.5\% | 47.1\% | 4.7\% | 11.8\% | 793 |
| 1976 | MALE | 46.2\% | 37.6\% | 7.5\% | 8.7\% | 690 |
|  | FEMALE | 39.8\% | 39.7\% | 7.5\% | 12.9\% | 798 |
| 1977 | MALE | 47.4\% | 42.5\% | 5.1\% | 5.1\% | 711 |
|  | FEMALE | 36.0\% | 49.3\% | 4.9\% | 9.9\% | 812 |
| 1978 | MALE | 41.9\% | 45.4\% | 6.6\% | 6.1\% | 662 |
|  | FEMALE | 30.9\% | 52.0\% | 8.4\% | 8.8\% | 864 |
| 1980 | MALE | 45.2\% | 44.6\% | 6.0\% | 4.2\% | 655 |
|  | FEMALE | 37.5\% | 42.5\% | 7.7\% | 12.3\% | 807 |
| 1982 | MALE | 47.6\% | 41.6\% | 5.7\% | 5.1\% | 671 |
|  | FEMALE | 32.2\% | 50.6\% | 6.0\% | 11.2\% | 829 |
| 1983 | MALE | 47.5\% | 42.5\% | 4.9\% | 5.1\% | 718 |
|  | FEMALE | 37.3\% | 50.3\% | 5.8\% | 6.7\% | 876 |
| 1984 | MALE | 53.5\% | 38.0\% | 4.6\% | 3.9\% | 427 |
|  | FEMALE | 37.5\% | 49.0\% | 6.6\% | 6.9\% | 544 |
| 1986 | MALE | 47.7\% | 44.2\% | 5.2\% | 2.9\% | 644 |
|  | FEMALE | 33.1\% | 51.7\% | 8.5\% | 6.7\% | 820 |
| 1987 | MALE | 48.9\% | 39.2\% | 7.1\% | 4.8\% | 656 |
|  | FEMALE | 42.0\% | 46.0\% | 5.0\% | 7.0\% | 804 |
| 1988 | MALE | 45.8\% | 42.1\% | 6.0\% | 6.1\% | 463 |
|  | FEMALE | 33.6\% | 52.9\% | 4.6\% | 8.9\% | 530 |
| 1989 | MALE | 47.8\% | 41.5\% | 5.3\% | 5.4\% | 456 |
|  | FEMALE | 35.5\% | 47.5\% | 6.6\% | 10.3\% | 561 |
| 1990 | MALE | 38.4\% | 47.9\% | 8.0\% | 5.7\% | 411 |
|  | FEMALE | 37.2\% | 46.4\% | 5.5\% | 10.9\% | 480 |
| 1991 | MALE | 43.9\% | 45.8\% | 6.2\% | 4.0\% | 446 |
|  | FEMALE | 36.9\% | 47.7\% | 7.1\% | 8.2\% | 575 |
| 1993 | MALE | 44.3\% | 46.2\% | 4.4\% | 5.1\% | 447 |
|  | FEMALE | 32.6\% | 49.4\% | 8.7\% | 9.3\% | 611 |
| 1994 | MALE | $42.1 \%$ | 49.3\% | 6.6\% | 2.1\% | 918 |
|  | FEMALE | 36.6\% | 49.5\% | 7.1\% | 6.8\% | 1064 |
| 1996 | MALE | 46.8\% | 42.4\% | 5.8\% | 5.1\% | 901 |
|  | FEMALE | 33.4\% | 47.4\% | 9.5\% | 9.6\% | 1009 |
| 1998 | MALE | 45.3\% | 40.5\% | 8.4\% | 5.9\% | 873 |
|  | FEMALE | 34.9\% | 49.2\% | 7.8\% | 8.1\% | 1008 |
| 2000 | MALE | 45.1\% | 41.9\% | 7.7\% | 5.3\% | 873 |
|  | FEMALE | 38.4\% | 45.4\% | 7.0\% | 9.2\% | 1018 |
| 2002 | MALE | 38.2\% | 47.7\% | 7.6\% | 6.5\% | 404 |
|  | FEMALE | 36.3\% | 48.7\% | 9.1\% | 5.8\% | 489 |
| 2004 | MALE | 46.2\% | 46.4\% | 5.0\% | 2.4\% | 434 |
|  | FEMALE | 37.5\% | 50.7\% | 7.5\% | 4.3\% | 445 |
| 2006 | MALE | 47.6\% | 43.0\% | 6.4\% | 3.1\% | 883 |
|  | FEMALE | 35.7\% | 52.2\% | 6.0\% | 6.1\% | 1118 |
| 2008 | MALE | 41.7\% | 49.6\% | 4.6\% | 4.1\% | 631 |
|  | FEMALE | 35.8\% | 52.9\% | 6.4\% | 4.9\% | 718 |
| 2010 | MALE | 47.1\% | 42.8\% | 7.9\% | 2.2\% | 621 |
|  | FEMALE | 35.2\% | 54.4\% | 4.8\% | 5.6\% | 751 |
| 2012 | MALE | 45.5\% | 45.1\% | 6.1\% | 3.3\% | 609 |
|  | FEMALE | 34.9\% | 51.5\% | 7.5\% | 6.1\% | 721 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | SEX | CONFIDENCE IN CONGRESS |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | MALE | 25.6\% | 55.7\% | 17.6\% | 1.1\% | 719 |
|  | FEMALE | 21.3\% | 61.8\% | 13.2\% | 3.7\% | 779 |
| 1974 | MALE | 18.8\% | 57.6\% | 22.7\% | . $9 \%$ | 715 |
|  | FEMALE | 15.3\% | 60.8\% | 19.2\% | 4.7\% | 766 |
| 1975 | MALE | 16.0\% | 54.7\% | 27.8\% | 1.5\% | 695 |
|  | FEMALE | 10.7\% | 61.7\% | 23.3\% | 4.2\% | 793 |
| 1976 | MALE | 14.9\% | 53.2\% | 30.6\% | 1.3\% | 695 |
|  | FEMALE | 11.9\% | 62.6\% | 22.1\% | 3.4\% | 799 |
| 1977 | MALE | 20.4\% | 58.3\% | 19.4\% | 1.9\% | 712 |
|  | FEMALE | 18.0\% | 63.5\% | 15.0\% | 3.5\% | 813 |
| 1978 | MALE | 13.3\% | 60.9\% | 24.2\% | 1.7\% | 662 |
|  | FEMALE | 12.4\% | 64.5\% | 19.3\% | 3.7\% | 865 |
| 1980 | MALE | 8.9\% | 52.4\% | 37.1\% | 1.6\% | 657 |
|  | FEMALE | 8.8\% | 55.7\% | 30.6\% | 4.9\% | 810 |
| 1982 | MALE | 11.4\% | 62.1\% | 26.2\% | .2\% | 672 |
|  | FEMALE | 14.2\% | 62.5\% | 20.4\% | 2.9\% | 830 |
| 1983 | MALE | 12.6\% | 60.8\% | 25.0\% | 1.6\% | 716 |
|  | FEMALE | 7.7\% | 67.6\% | 20.9\% | 3.8\% | 876 |
| 1984 | MALE | 14.1\% | 60.8\% | 24.0\% | 1.1\% | 426 |
|  | FEMALE | 11.8\% | 66.8\% | 19.2\% | 2.2\% | 545 |
| 1986 | MALE | 17.0\% | 57.3\% | 24.5\% | 1.2\% | 645 |
|  | FEMALE | 15.6\% | 65.4\% | 15.8\% | 3.1\% | 821 |
| 1987 | MALE | 16.9\% | 61.8\% | 19.6\% | 1.8\% | 658 |
|  | FEMALE | 16.7\% | 63.1\% | 16.2\% | 3.9\% | 806 |
| 1988 | MALE | 16.1\% | 60.2\% | 21.0\% | 2.8\% | 463 |
|  | FEMALE | 15.8\% | 62.7\% | 17.6\% | 3.9\% | 533 |
| 1989 | MALE | 18.4\% | 55.2\% | 25.1\% | 1.3\% | 459 |
|  | FEMALE | 16.8\% | 60.9\% | 17.9\% | 4.4\% | 561 |
| 1990 | MALE | 14.4\% | 57.3\% | 26.5\% | 1.8\% | 411 |
|  | FEMALE | 16.8\% | 59.6\% | 19.4\% | 4.2\% | 480 |
| 1991 | MALE | 19.8\% | 51.8\% | 27.7\% | .7\% | 446 |
|  | FEMALE | 16.0\% | 56.0\% | 24.1\% | 3.9\% | 572 |
| 1993 | MALE | 5.7\% | 45.3\% | 47.1\% | 2.0\% | 448 |
|  | FEMALE | 7.1\% | 53.8\% | 37.0\% | 2.2\% | 613 |
| 1994 | MALE | 8.7\% | 46.6\% | 43.5\% | 1.2\% | 918 |
|  | FEMALE | 7.4\% | 53.8\% | 35.8\% | 3.0\% | 1061 |
| 1996 | MALE | 8.2\% | 43.3\% | 45.8\% | 2.7\% | 904 |
|  | FEMALE | 6.3\% | 50.4\% | 40.0\% | 3.3\% | 1008 |
| 1998 | MALE | 11.0\% | 54.1\% | 32.8\% | 2.1\% | 873 |
|  | FEMALE | 9.8\% | 58.2\% | 28.2\% | 3.8\% | 1007 |
| 2000 | MALE | 12.2\% | 52.2\% | 32.2\% | 3.5\% | 873 |
|  | FEMALE | 13.1\% | 57.5\% | 24.0\% | 5.5\% | 1017 |
| 2002 | MALE | 15.6\% | 53.7\% | 28.4\% | 2.3\% | 404 |
|  | FEMALE | 12.1\% | 63.2\% | 22.2\% | 2.5\% | 488 |
| 2004 | MALE | 17.1\% | 55.2\% | 27.5\% | .1\% | 433 |
|  | FEMALE | 12.3\% | 61.9\% | 23.8\% | 2.0\% | 446 |
| 2006 | MALE | 12.7\% | 50.8\% | 35.4\% | 1.1\% | 883 |
|  | FEMALE | 10.8\% | 54.5\% | 31.5\% | 3.1\% | 1117 |
| 2008 | MALE | 10.3\% | 45.5\% | 43.1\% | 1.1\% | 627 |
|  | FEMALE | 10.3\% | 55.6\% | 31.4\% | 2.7\% | 718 |
| 2010 | MALE | 9.0\% | 43.9\% | 45.5\% | 1.6\% | 623 |
|  | FEMALE | 10.8\% | 47.9\% | 39.5\% | 1.9\% | 751 |
| 2012 | MALE | 6.8\% | 39.5\% | 51.9\% | 1.8\% | 609 |
|  | FEMALE | 6.5\% | 48.8\% | 40.8\% | 3.8\% | 717 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | SEX | CONFIDENCE IN MILITARY |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | MALE | 36.2\% | 44.9\% | 17.4\% | 1.5\% | 719 |
|  | FEMALE | 27.9\% | 52.9\% | 15.9\% | 3.4\% | 778 |
| 1974 | MALE | 39.9\% | 43.6\% | 14.6\% | 1.9\% | 717 |
|  | FEMALE | 38.7\% | 45.4\% | 13.1\% | 2.8\% | 767 |
| 1975 | MALE | 36.8\% | 45.5\% | 15.9\% | 1.9\% | 693 |
|  | FEMALE | 32.8\% | 48.1\% | 12.6\% | 6.5\% | 793 |
| 1976 | MALE | 44.2\% | 38.2\% | 14.6\% | 3.0\% | 693 |
|  | FEMALE | 36.1\% | 43.5\% | 12.1\% | 8.3\% | 798 |
| 1977 | MALE | 38.8\% | 49.1\% | 10.8\% | 1.3\% | 712 |
|  | FEMALE | 34.1\% | 52.3\% | 9.5\% | 4.1\% | 815 |
| 1978 | MALE | 32.1\% | 54.9\% | 11.9\% | 1.1\% | 662 |
|  | FEMALE | 27.7\% | 54.4\% | 13.6\% | 4.3\% | 866 |
| 1980 | MALE | 30.6\% | 52.5\% | 15.9\% | 1.0\% | 657 |
|  | FEMALE | 26.4\% | 51.5\% | 16.1\% | 5.9\% | 810 |
| 1982 | MALE | 31.1\% | 51.5\% | 16.9\% | .5\% | 673 |
|  | FEMALE | 29.0\% | 53.9\% | 13.9\% | 3.2\% | 830 |
| 1983 | MALE | 35.6\% | 48.8\% | 14.2\% | 1.3\% | 719 |
|  | FEMALE | 25.6\% | 58.5\% | 11.8\% | 4.2\% | 877 |
| 1984 | MALE | 39.3\% | 45.1\% | 14.1\% | 1.5\% | 427 |
|  | FEMALE | 34.6\% | 51.4\% | 10.5\% | 3.5\% | 545 |
| 1986 | MALE | 34.6\% | 51.3\% | 12.2\% | 1.8\% | 646 |
|  | FEMALE | 28.6\% | 54.4\% | 14.1\% | 2.9\% | 821 |
| 1987 | MALE | 38.5\% | 46.8\% | 13.4\% | 1.3\% | 657 |
|  | FEMALE | 33.5\% | 51.9\% | 10.7\% | 4.0\% | 805 |
| 1988 | MALE | 38.2\% | 47.3\% | 12.5\% | 2.0\% | 463 |
|  | FEMALE | 31.6\% | 51.8\% | 12.1\% | 4.5\% | 533 |
| 1989 | MALE | 35.2\% | 50.1\% | 13.8\% | .9\% | 459 |
|  | FEMALE | 30.8\% | 50.6\% | 12.8\% | 5.8\% | 560 |
| 1990 | MALE | 38.2\% | 43.2\% | 17.7\% | .9\% | 411 |
|  | FEMALE | 29.0\% | 54.9\% | 10.6\% | 5.5\% | 481 |
| 1991 | MALE | 64.5\% | 29.5\% | 5.1\% | .8\% | 446 |
|  | FEMALE | 57.6\% | 34.0\% | 6.0\% | 2.4\% | 575 |
| 1993 | MALE | 48.9\% | 37.5\% | 13.2\% | .4\% | 448 |
|  | FEMALE | 35.5\% | 51.8\% | 10.0\% | 2.7\% | 612 |
| 1994 | MALE | $44.1 \%$ | 44.9\% | 9.8\% | 1.2\% | 920 |
|  | FEMALE | 32.0\% | 51.9\% | 13.5\% | 2.6\% | 1061 |
| 1996 | MALE | 44.4\% | 44.6\% | 9.0\% | 2.0\% | 906 |
|  | FEMALE | 33.4\% | 50.5\% | 11.7\% | 4.4\% | 1010 |
| 1998 | MALE | 43.7\% | 43.1\% | 12.0\% | 1.1\% | 874 |
|  | FEMALE | 29.9\% | 53.3\% | 13.2\% | 3.5\% | 1009 |
| 2000 | MALE | 45.8\% | 42.9\% | 9.3\% | 2.0\% | 871 |
|  | FEMALE | 34.5\% | 51.5\% | 9.7\% | 4.2\% | 1017 |
| 2002 | MALE | 57.2\% | 35.2\% | 6.3\% | 1.2\% | 404 |
|  | FEMALE | 54.7\% | 36.8\% | 6.8\% | 1.7\% | 489 |
| 2004 | MALE | 62.6\% | 29.7\% | 7.5\% | .2\% | 433 |
|  | FEMALE | 54.2\% | 36.2\% | 9.0\% | .6\% | 446 |
| 2006 | MALE | 52.8\% | 34.8\% | 11.2\% | 1.2\% | 883 |
|  | FEMALE | 42.6\% | 42.6\% | 13.2\% | 1.6\% | 1118 |
| 2008 | MALE | 55.2\% | 33.6\% | 10.1\% | 1.1\% | 631 |
|  | FEMALE | 47.7\% | 40.4\% | 10.4\% | 1.5\% | 716 |
| 2010 | MALE | 59.2\% | 32.1\% | 7.9\% | .9\% | 623 |
|  | FEMALE | 49.1\% | 39.3\% | 10.1\% | 1.5\% | 753 |
| 2012 | MALE | 57.9\% | 33.3\% | 7.8\% | 1.0\% | 609 |
|  | FEMALE | 51.7\% | 39.2\% | 7.9\% | 1.2\% | 720 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | AGE | CONFID IN BANKS \& FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1975 | 18-34 | 22.9\% | 62.5\% | 12.9\% | 1.7\% | 561 |
|  | 35-49 | 26.1\% | 61.4\% | 10.0\% | 2.5\% | 391 |
|  | 50-64 | 41.4\% | 44.9\% | 9.4\% | 4.3\% | 322 |
|  | 65+ | 49.1\% | 38.0\% | 7.8\% | 5.1\% | 210 |
| 1976 | 18-34 | 32.9\% | 54.2\% | 11.4\% | 1.4\% | 578 |
|  | 35-49 | 34.9\% | 52.6\% | 9.9\% | 2.5\% | 343 |
|  | 50-64 | 48.2\% | 41.4\% | 9.6\% | .8\% | 349 |
|  | 65+ | 47.1\% | 41.5\% | 6.3\% | 5.2\% | 217 |
| 1977 | 18-34 | 31.8\% | 55.5\% | 11.8\% | .9\% | 543 |
|  | 35-49 | 38.6\% | 52.6\% | 7.2\% | 1.6\% | 405 |
|  | 50-64 | 54.8\% | 37.8\% | 6.5\% | .9\% | 375 |
|  | 65+ | 52.0\% | 38.3\% | 5.2\% | 4.5\% | 199 |
| 1978 | 18-34 | 23.2\% | 59.0\% | 17.1\% | .7\% | 613 |
|  | 35-49 | 32.8\% | 58.0\% | 8.8\% | . $4 \%$ | 372 |
|  | 50-64 | 37.6\% | 54.1\% | 6.8\% | 1.4\% | 326 |
|  | 65+ | 46.8\% | 41.5\% | 7.9\% | 3.8\% | 211 |
| 1980 | 18-34 | 27.4\% | 51.6\% | 20.1\% | .8\% | 561 |
|  | 35-49 | 29.2\% | 52.8\% | 16.0\% | 1.9\% | 368 |
|  | 50-64 | 38.2\% | 50.7\% | 8.1\% | 3.0\% | 310 |
|  | 65+ | 39.0\% | 44.4\% | 10.6\% | 6.1\% | 218 |
| 1982 | 18-34 | 20.7\% | 55.4\% | 22.9\% | 1.0\% | 605 |
|  | 35-49 | 22.3\% | 57.6\% | 19.4\% | .8\% | 336 |
|  | 50-64 | 31.0\% | 55.9\% | 11.4\% | 1.7\% | 327 |
|  | 65+ | 43.0\% | 46.6\% | 5.5\% | 5.0\% | 227 |
| 1983 | 18-34 | 22.0\% | 60.2\% | 16.4\% | 1.4\% | 625 |
|  | 35-49 | 19.7\% | 60.1\% | 19.3\% | .9\% | 406 |
|  | 50-64 | 22.1\% | 60.2\% | 13.5\% | 4.2\% | 338 |
|  | 65+ | 36.9\% | 49.5\% | 10.1\% | 3.4\% | 221 |
| 1984 | 18-34 | 33.8\% | 51.9\% | 13.4\% | .9\% | 340 |
|  | 35-49 | 22.5\% | 62.7\% | 11.9\% | 2.9\% | 287 |
|  | 50-64 | 24.0\% | 65.4\% | 8.4\% | 2.2\% | 190 |
|  | 65+ | 47.1\% | 45.0\% | 5.5\% | 2.4\% | 149 |
| 1986 | 18-34 | 19.5\% | 61.9\% | 17.8\% | .8\% | 536 |
|  | 35-49 | 17.7\% | 60.8\% | 19.1\% | 2.4\% | 415 |
|  | 50-64 | 19.3\% | 63.2\% | 16.1\% | 1.4\% | 279 |
|  | 65+ | 30.1\% | 53.5\% | 12.7\% | 3.7\% | 231 |
| 1987 | 18-34 | 23.5\% | 59.9\% | 15.6\% | 1.1\% | 515 |
|  | 35-49 | 24.1\% | 60.5\% | 15.1\% | . $3 \%$ | 439 |
|  | 50-64 | 30.9\% | 53.7\% | 12.9\% | 2.5\% | 278 |
|  | 65+ | 39.6\% | 47.9\% | 5.8\% | 6.7\% | 226 |
| 1988 | 18-34 | 29.2\% | 52.3\% | 14.9\% | 3.6\% | 368 |
|  | 35-49 | 22.8\% | 62.4\% | 14.6\% | .2\% | 280 |
|  | 50-64 | 29.6\% | 51.9\% | 14.5\% | 4.0\% | 172 |
|  | 65+ | 26.9\% | 63.9\% | 7.4\% | 1.9\% | 172 |
| 1989 | 18-34 | 20.5\% | 57.7\% | 19.3\% | 2.5\% | 371 |
|  | 35-49 | 18.2\% | 59.8\% | 19.3\% | 2.6\% | 291 |
|  | 50-64 | 12.7\% | 63.0\% | 21.7\% | 2.6\% | 193 |
|  | 65+ | 21.7\% | 56.9\% | 15.7\% | 5.7\% | 162 |
| 1990 | 18-34 | 18.8\% | 62.0\% | 17.1\% | 2.0\% | 316 |
|  | 35-49 | 11.3\% | 57.2\% | 30.1\% | 1.4\% | 272 |
|  | 50-64 | 15.8\% | 57.2\% | 22.3\% | 4.8\% | 155 |
|  | 65+ | 23.2\% | 55.4\% | 18.2\% | 3.2\% | 149 |
| 1991 | 18-34 | 14.5\% | 55.3\% | 28.0\% | 2.2\% | 344 |
|  | 35-49 | 7.1\% | 55.6\% | 36.8\% | .5\% | 328 |
|  | 50-64 | 14.6\% | 42.0\% | 41.1\% | 2.3\% | 189 |
|  | 65+ | 13.2\% | 49.5\% | 34.0\% | 3.3\% | 161 |


| SURVEY YEAR | AGE | CONFID IN BANKS \& FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS (Continued) |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1993 | 18-34 | 18.1\% | 54.1\% | 26.7\% | 1.1\% | 338 |
|  | 35-49 | 11.1\% | 56.6\% | 30.4\% | 1.9\% | 362 |
|  | 50-64 | 15.9\% | 57.5\% | 24.1\% | 2.5\% | 193 |
|  | 65+ | 13.0\% | 60.6\% | 23.2\% | 3.2\% | 166 |
| 1994 | 18-34 | 19.9\% | 62.2\% | 17.1\% | .8\% | 635 |
|  | 35-49 | 14.1\% | 62.5\% | 23.1\% | . $3 \%$ | 649 |
|  | 50-64 | 15.9\% | 62.4\% | 21.0\% | .7\% | 392 |
|  | 65+ | 26.0\% | 53.7\% | 16.7\% | 3.6\% | 304 |
| 1996 | 18-34 | 28.2\% | 56.4\% | 14.0\% | 1.3\% | 651 |
|  | 35-49 | 18.8\% | 58.6\% | 20.5\% | 2.2\% | 637 |
|  | 50-64 | 23.3\% | 56.9\% | 17.3\% | 2.5\% | 368 |
|  | 65+ | 30.6\% | 53.3\% | 11.1\% | 4.9\% | 254 |
| 1998 | 18-34 | 29.7\% | 52.8\% | 15.7\% | 1.7\% | 629 |
|  | 35-49 | 21.1\% | 58.7\% | 18.1\% | 2.1\% | 616 |
|  | 50-64 | 23.0\% | 59.7\% | 15.9\% | 1.4\% | 352 |
|  | 65+ | 32.6\% | 51.9\% | 11.8\% | 3.7\% | 285 |
| 2000 | 18-34 | 36.0\% | 51.0\% | 11.7\% | 1.4\% | 600 |
|  | 35-49 | 25.1\% | 59.4\% | 13.1\% | 2.4\% | 631 |
|  | 50-64 | 25.7\% | 54.8\% | 19.2\% | . $3 \%$ | 378 |
|  | 65+ | 30.7\% | 50.7\% | 11.8\% | 6.8\% | 274 |
| 2002 | 18-34 | 29.2\% | 55.5\% | 13.8\% | 1.5\% | 263 |
|  | 35-49 | 20.0\% | 58.4\% | 20.8\% | .8\% | 271 |
|  | 50-64 | 15.3\% | 62.5\% | 18.7\% | 3.4\% | 211 |
|  | 65+ | 24.9\% | 57.2\% | 16.3\% | 1.6\% | 143 |
| 2004 | 18-34 | 36.9\% | 53.0\% | 9.8\% | .3\% | 273 |
|  | 35-49 | 22.7\% | 62.4\% | 14.3\% | .7\% | 282 |
|  | 50-64 | 23.9\% | 60.1\% | 14.8\% | 1.2\% | 202 |
|  | 65+ | 35.9\% | 49.1\% | 13.1\% | 1.9\% | 118 |
| 2006 | 18-34 | 35.7\% | 53.4\% | 10.0\% | .8\% | 630 |
|  | 35-49 | 26.1\% | 57.9\% | 14.8\% | 1.2\% | 626 |
|  | 50-64 | 23.9\% | 59.5\% | 15.3\% | 1.3\% | 468 |
|  | 65+ | 34.1\% | 50.4\% | 13.3\% | 2.2\% | 273 |
| 2008 | 18-34 | 29.1\% | 54.3\% | 16.4\% | . $2 \%$ | 379 |
|  | 35-49 | 14.6\% | 65.1\% | 19.9\% | .4\% | 397 |
|  | 50-64 | 12.3\% | 63.6\% | 22.7\% | 1.4\% | 359 |
|  | 65+ | 21.2\% | 53.9\% | 22.9\% | 2.1\% | 208 |
| 2010 | 18-34 | 14.9\% | 48.7\% | 36.1\% | . $3 \%$ | 423 |
|  | 35-49 | 9.1\% | 44.4\% | 45.8\% | .7\% | 357 |
|  | 50-64 | 7.2\% | 47.8\% | 44.6\% | . $5 \%$ | 360 |
|  | 65+ | 10.0\% | 48.2\% | 40.8\% | . $9 \%$ | 235 |
| 2012 | 18-34 | 18.7\% | 51.3\% | 29.3\% | .7\% | 394 |
|  | 35-49 | 7.5\% | 51.5\% | 39.9\% | 1.0\% | 355 |
|  | 50-64 | 8.6\% | 52.1\% | 39.0\% | . $3 \%$ | 342 |
|  | $65+$ | 11.6\% | 49.9\% | 37.0\% | 1.6\% | 235 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | AGE | CONFIDENCE IN MAJOR COMPANIES |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | 18-34 | 22.2\% | 59.4\% | 15.4\% | 3.0\% | 529 |
|  | 35-49 | 28.9\% | 57.2\% | 9.0\% | 5.0\% | 412 |
|  | 50-64 | 39.0\% | 43.0\% | 9.1\% | 8.9\% | 368 |
|  | 65+ | 31.2\% | 48.0\% | 9.0\% | 11.7\% | 187 |
| 1974 | 18-34 | 25.0\% | 54.7\% | 18.9\% | 1.5\% | 538 |
|  | 35-49 | 32.1\% | 53.0\% | 12.8\% | 2.1\% | 382 |
|  | 50-64 | 37.3\% | 47.7\% | 9.4\% | 5.5\% | 341 |
|  | 65+ | 36.0\% | 43.9\% | 13.2\% | 6.8\% | 219 |
| 1975 | 18-34 | 16.4\% | 56.2\% | 25.1\% | 2.3\% | 560 |
|  | 35-49 | 21.0\% | 57.3\% | 18.0\% | 3.6\% | 390 |
|  | 50-64 | 22.4\% | 50.8\% | 19.4\% | 7.4\% | 320 |
|  | 65+ | 20.3\% | 45.2\% | 22.9\% | 11.6\% | 209 |
| 1976 | 18-34 | 18.0\% | 55.9\% | 23.5\% | 2.6\% | 578 |
|  | 35-49 | 21.5\% | 53.8\% | 21.1\% | 3.7\% | 341 |
|  | 50-64 | 26.0\% | 49.5\% | 20.0\% | 4.5\% | 349 |
|  | 65+ | 21.9\% | 46.1\% | 22.6\% | 9.4\% | 217 |
| 1977 | 18-34 | 18.7\% | 64.3\% | 15.6\% | 1.4\% | 543 |
|  | 35-49 | 25.6\% | 60.6\% | 10.4\% | 3.4\% | 405 |
|  | 50-64 | 40.1\% | 45.7\% | 9.1\% | 5.0\% | 373 |
|  | 65+ | 27.2\% | 50.2\% | 14.1\% | 8.4\% | 200 |
| 1978 | 18-34 | 14.6\% | 63.3\% | 19.7\% | 2.5\% | 613 |
|  | 35-49 | 26.7\% | 58.2\% | 13.2\% | 1.9\% | 372 |
|  | 50-64 | 28.3\% | 59.9\% | 9.6\% | 2.2\% | 326 |
|  | 65+ | 20.3\% | 50.6\% | 17.2\% | 11.9\% | 212 |
| 1980 | 18-34 | 20.7\% | 62.4\% | 15.0\% | 1.9\% | 563 |
|  | 35-49 | 29.2\% | 51.7\% | 14.2\% | 5.0\% | 368 |
|  | 50-64 | 33.3\% | 50.2\% | 12.9\% | 3.6\% | 310 |
|  | 65+ | 30.3\% | 44.4\% | 12.4\% | 12.9\% | 218 |
| 1982 | 18-34 | 16.8\% | 66.0\% | 15.4\% | 1.9\% | 605 |
|  | 35-49 | 26.0\% | 60.1\% | 9.8\% | 4.1\% | 336 |
|  | 50-64 | 25.9\% | 55.5\% | 15.2\% | 3.5\% | 327 |
|  | 65+ | 29.8\% | 42.7\% | 12.4\% | 15.1\% | 229 |
| 1983 | 18-34 | 23.1\% | 61.7\% | 13.7\% | 1.5\% | 625 |
|  | 35-49 | 24.9\% | 59.9\% | 12.6\% | 2.6\% | 406 |
|  | 50-64 | 27.2\% | 53.5\% | 14.1\% | 5.2\% | 338 |
|  | 65+ | 22.1\% | 54.4\% | 12.7\% | 10.8\% | 220 |
| 1984 | 18-34 | 28.3\% | 63.5\% | 7.0\% | 1.2\% | 341 |
|  | 35-49 | 29.9\% | 59.8\% | 7.6\% | 2.7\% | 287 |
|  | 50-64 | 33.2\% | 53.0\% | 10.3\% | 3.5\% | 191 |
|  | 65+ | 33.8\% | 50.2\% | 9.9\% | 6.1\% | 151 |
| 1986 | 18-34 | 24.3\% | 65.3\% | 8.3\% | 2.1\% | 535 |
|  | 35-49 | 25.1\% | 62.1\% | 10.4\% | 2.3\% | 415 |
|  | 50-64 | 24.1\% | 61.9\% | 11.3\% | 2.7\% | 281 |
|  | 65+ | 26.0\% | 56.0\% | 8.5\% | 9.4\% | 230 |
| 1987 | 18-34 | 29.8\% | 61.6\% | 7.0\% | 1.7\% | 516 |
|  | 35-49 | 28.0\% | 60.7\% | 8.4\% | 2.9\% | 438 |
|  | 50-64 | 30.5\% | 52.8\% | 12.0\% | 4.7\% | 278 |
|  | 65+ | 37.4\% | 45.0\% | 7.4\% | 10.3\% | 226 |
| 1988 | 18-34 | 25.4\% | 62.3\% | 8.8\% | 3.5\% | 367 |
|  | 35-49 | 24.3\% | 62.2\% | 11.2\% | 2.3\% | 280 |
|  | 50-64 | 24.2\% | 56.5\% | 15.2\% | 4.0\% | 171 |
|  | 65+ | 25.6\% | 56.8\% | 9.0\% | 8.6\% | 172 |
| 1989 | 18-34 | 25.6\% | 61.6\% | 10.7\% | 2.1\% | 371 |
|  | 35-49 | 23.1\% | 65.8\% | 8.2\% | 2.8\% | 292 |
|  | 50-64 | 25.7\% | 54.9\% | 9.8\% | 9.5\% | 193 |
|  | 65+ | 25.5\% | 55.7\% | 8.8\% | 10.1\% | 162 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | AGE | CONFIDENCE IN MAJOR COMPANIES (Continued) |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1990 | 18-34 | 24.7\% | 64.4\% | 9.2\% | 1.7\% | 316 |
|  | 35-49 | 22.5\% | 61.2\% | 14.3\% | 2.0\% | 271 |
|  | 50-64 | 31.2\% | 54.5\% | 9.9\% | 4.5\% | 155 |
|  | 65+ | 27.2\% | 54.1\% | 9.7\% | 9.0\% | 148 |
| 1991 | 18-34 | 22.4\% | 62.0\% | 11.4\% | 4.2\% | 344 |
|  | 35-49 | 19.9\% | 62.2\% | 15.5\% | 2.4\% | 329 |
|  | 50-64 | 13.8\% | 66.2\% | 14.4\% | 5.6\% | 189 |
|  | 65+ | 21.5\% | 58.4\% | 10.6\% | 9.6\% | 161 |
| 1993 | 18-34 | 23.0\% | 66.7\% | 9.2\% | 1.1\% | 338 |
|  | 35-49 | 21.0\% | 64.4\% | 12.8\% | 1.8\% | 362 |
|  | 50-64 | 18.1\% | 58.4\% | 17.5\% | 6.0\% | 193 |
|  | 65+ | 22.2\% | 58.7\% | 10.2\% | 8.9\% | 166 |
| 1994 | 18-34 | 26.7\% | 64.3\% | 7.2\% | 1.8\% | 635 |
|  | 35-49 | 22.9\% | 65.8\% | 9.5\% | 1.8\% | 651 |
|  | 50-64 | 30.4\% | 57.3\% | 9.5\% | 2.8\% | 392 |
|  | 65+ | 27.4\% | 53.1\% | 12.0\% | 7.4\% | 306 |
| 1996 | 18-34 | 27.5\% | 60.7\% | 9.7\% | 2.2\% | 652 |
|  | 35-49 | 19.6\% | 62.6\% | 14.7\% | 3.1\% | 639 |
|  | 50-64 | 27.0\% | 52.7\% | 16.2\% | 4.0\% | 368 |
|  | 65+ | 21.8\% | 55.0\% | 12.4\% | 10.7\% | 254 |
| 1998 | 18-34 | 27.7\% | 57.8\% | 11.8\% | 2.7\% | 629 |
|  | 35-49 | 25.6\% | 58.3\% | 12.8\% | 3.3\% | 617 |
|  | 50-64 | 26.2\% | 53.7\% | 14.8\% | 5.2\% | 352 |
|  | 65+ | 26.1\% | 54.8\% | 12.0\% | 7.1\% | 285 |
| 2000 | 18-34 | 29.6\% | 61.6\% | 7.2\% | 1.6\% | 600 |
|  | 35-49 | 27.0\% | 58.8\% | 11.1\% | 3.1\% | 632 |
|  | 50-64 | 29.7\% | 55.4\% | 12.2\% | 2.8\% | 378 |
|  | 65+ | 27.5\% | 49.4\% | 11.4\% | 11.8\% | 276 |
| 2002 | 18-34 | 22.5\% | 62.9\% | 12.5\% | 2.1\% | 263 |
|  | 35-49 | 18.1\% | 65.2\% | 15.7\% | 1.0\% | 271 |
|  | 50-64 | 11.9\% | 64.6\% | 20.1\% | 3.4\% | 211 |
|  | 65+ | 14.4\% | 61.9\% | 19.8\% | 3.9\% | 143 |
| 2004 | 18-34 | 22.2\% | 63.8\% | 13.5\% | .5\% | 273 |
|  | 35-49 | 16.6\% | 66.9\% | 15.4\% | 1.2\% | 282 |
|  | 50-64 | 18.6\% | 57.6\% | 22.1\% | 1.6\% | 202 |
|  | 65+ | 14.2\% | 60.0\% | 20.7\% | 5.1\% | 118 |
| 2006 | 18-34 | 21.1\% | 64.5\% | 13.2\% | 1.2\% | 630 |
|  | 35-49 | 16.5\% | 62.7\% | 17.7\% | 3.1\% | 625 |
|  | 50-64 | 14.2\% | 60.9\% | 23.1\% | 1.8\% | 467 |
|  | 65+ | 19.7\% | 57.4\% | 19.3\% | 3.6\% | 273 |
| 2008 | 18-34 | 18.0\% | 67.2\% | 13.4\% | 1.4\% | 379 |
|  | 35-49 | 13.8\% | 71.5\% | 13.1\% | 1.6\% | 397 |
|  | 50-64 | 12.6\% | 64.5\% | 20.2\% | 2.7\% | 359 |
|  | 65+ | 20.8\% | 55.5\% | 19.9\% | 3.8\% | 208 |
| 2010 | 18-34 | 12.5\% | 64.9\% | 20.8\% | 1.8\% | 422 |
|  | 35-49 | 15.4\% | 63.2\% | 20.7\% | .7\% | 355 |
|  | 50-64 | 11.4\% | 57.6\% | 27.9\% | 3.1\% | 360 |
|  | 65+ | 12.9\% | 55.0\% | 28.4\% | 3.7\% | 234 |
| 2012 | 18-34 | 19.7\% | 59.7\% | 19.0\% | 1.6\% | 394 |
|  | 35-49 | 15.1\% | 63.9\% | 19.2\% | 1.7\% | 355 |
|  | 50-64 | 17.2\% | 59.9\% | 21.0\% | 1.9\% | 341 |
|  | 65+ | 16.7\% | 58.7\% | 21.0\% | 3.5\% | 235 |

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| $\begin{array}{c}\text { SURVEY } \\ \text { YEAR }\end{array}$ |  |  | CONFIDENCE IN ORGANIZED RELIGION |  |  |  |
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| SURVEY YEAR | AGE | CONFIDENCE IN ORGANIZED RELIGION (Continued) |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1990 | 18-34 | 20.5\% | 50.8\% | 25.5\% | 3.2\% | 316 |
|  | 35-49 | 19.3\% | 50.6\% | 27.7\% | 2.3\% | 272 |
|  | 50-64 | 22.1\% | 51.9\% | 18.3\% | 7.6\% | 154 |
|  | 65+ | 33.9\% | 37.9\% | 18.2\% | 10.0\% | 149 |
| 1991 | 18-34 | 27.2\% | 51.0\% | 20.2\% | 1.5\% | 344 |
|  | 35-49 | 22.0\% | 59.0\% | 17.4\% | 1.6\% | 329 |
|  | 50-64 | 17.7\% | 56.3\% | 23.9\% | 2.0\% | 189 |
|  | 65+ | 35.8\% | 42.4\% | 17.9\% | 4.0\% | 160 |
| 1993 | 18-34 | 25.1\% | 46.6\% | 27.0\% | 1.4\% | 337 |
|  | 35-49 | 18.6\% | 55.3\% | 24.6\% | 1.6\% | 362 |
|  | 50-64 | 19.7\% | 54.0\% | 21.6\% | 4.7\% | 193 |
|  | 65+ | 30.0\% | 41.9\% | 22.0\% | 6.1\% | 165 |
| 1994 | 18-34 | 21.6\% | 55.2\% | 21.6\% | 1.6\% | 635 |
|  | 35-49 | 20.3\% | 53.7\% | 23.4\% | 2.7\% | 649 |
|  | 50-64 | 31.2\% | 50.4\% | 17.7\% | .7\% | 392 |
|  | 65+ | 34.2\% | 42.9\% | 19.5\% | 3.4\% | 305 |
| 1996 | 18-34 | 25.9\% | 50.8\% | 19.7\% | 3.6\% | 652 |
|  | 35-49 | 22.2\% | 54.0\% | 18.9\% | 4.9\% | 639 |
|  | 50-64 | 26.1\% | 48.5\% | 22.0\% | 3.4\% | 366 |
|  | 65+ | 30.8\% | 47.4\% | 13.5\% | 8.3\% | 254 |
| 1998 | 18-34 | 24.4\% | 51.9\% | 20.4\% | 3.3\% | 629 |
|  | 35-49 | 21.3\% | 55.8\% | 20.1\% | 2.8\% | 615 |
|  | 50-64 | 26.9\% | 55.2\% | 15.9\% | 2.0\% | 352 |
|  | 65+ | 43.0\% | 39.1\% | 12.8\% | 5.0\% | 284 |
| 2000 | 18-34 | 28.5\% | 46.8\% | 18.7\% | 6.0\% | 600 |
|  | 35-49 | 23.1\% | 55.8\% | 17.6\% | 3.6\% | 632 |
|  | 50-64 | 29.5\% | 49.9\% | 18.0\% | 2.6\% | 378 |
|  | 65+ | 34.1\% | 39.3\% | 20.4\% | 6.2\% | 275 |
| 2002 | 18-34 | 20.4\% | 53.3\% | 25.1\% | 1.3\% | 263 |
|  | 35-49 | 17.1\% | 60.5\% | 21.2\% | 1.2\% | 271 |
|  | 50-64 | 16.1\% | 55.4\% | 26.4\% | 2.1\% | 211 |
|  | 65+ | 24.6\% | 54.7\% | 17.6\% | 3.1\% | 143 |
| 2004 | 18-34 | 24.0\% | 51.1\% | 23.4\% | 1.6\% | 273 |
|  | 35-49 | 19.4\% | 57.9\% | 21.7\% | 1.0\% | 282 |
|  | 50-64 | 20.8\% | 53.5\% | 23.7\% | 2.1\% | 201 |
|  | 65+ | 35.6\% | 41.5\% | 19.0\% | 3.9\% | 118 |
| 2006 | 18-34 | 24.7\% | 49.6\% | 23.0\% | 2.7\% | 628 |
|  | 35-49 | 19.7\% | 56.8\% | 21.4\% | 2.1\% | 624 |
|  | 50-64 | 19.3\% | 54.5\% | 23.9\% | 2.3\% | 467 |
|  | 65+ | 41.0\% | 40.5\% | 15.0\% | 3.5\% | 273 |
| 2008 | 18-34 | 22.7\% | 51.3\% | 24.0\% | 1.9\% | 379 |
|  | 35-49 | 14.7\% | 54.9\% | 28.9\% | 1.5\% | 395 |
|  | 50-64 | 21.1\% | 51.3\% | 25.9\% | 1.6\% | 357 |
|  | 65+ | 23.7\% | 56.6\% | 17.9\% | 1.8\% | 207 |
| 2010 | 18-34 | 22.2\% | 48.3\% | 25.5\% | 4.0\% | 422 |
|  | 35-49 | 16.2\% | 56.1\% | 25.6\% | 2.1\% | 355 |
|  | 50-64 | 16.2\% | 55.4\% | 24.3\% | 4.0\% | 357 |
|  | 65+ | 25.1\% | 52.3\% | 19.6\% | 3.0\% | 235 |
| 2012 | 18-34 | 16.4\% | 55.2\% | 24.8\% | 3.6\% | 390 |
|  | 35-49 | 17.8\% | 53.6\% | 26.1\% | 2.5\% | 353 |
|  | 50-64 | 22.3\% | 54.9\% | 21.2\% | 1.6\% | 340 |
|  | $65+$ | 25.8\% | 47.3\% | 21.2\% | 5.7\% | 232 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | AGE | CONFIDENCE IN EDUCATION |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | 18-34 | 31.5\% | 58.0\% | 9.9\% | . $5 \%$ | 529 |
|  | 35-49 | 35.0\% | 56.6\% | 7.6\% | .8\% | 411 |
|  | 50-64 | 43.6\% | 50.0\% | 5.4\% | 1.0\% | 367 |
|  | 65+ | 43.9\% | 45.1\% | 7.6\% | 3.4\% | 187 |
| 1974 | 18-34 | 47.7\% | 43.6\% | 8.2\% | . $5 \%$ | 537 |
|  | 35-49 | 47.0\% | 44.2\% | 8.3\% | .5\% | 381 |
|  | 50-64 | 48.4\% | 42.0\% | 9.3\% | . $3 \%$ | 341 |
|  | 65+ | 56.0\% | 32.9\% | 6.2\% | 4.9\% | 218 |
| 1975 | 18-34 | 32.1\% | 56.9\% | 10.7\% | . $3 \%$ | 561 |
|  | 35-49 | 30.2\% | 53.5\% | 15.1\% | 1.2\% | 391 |
|  | 50-64 | 30.6\% | 56.4\% | 10.6\% | 2.5\% | 322 |
|  | 65+ | 31.3\% | 46.9\% | 17.1\% | 4.7\% | 210 |
| 1976 | 18-34 | 40.5\% | 44.6\% | 13.7\% | 1.2\% | 578 |
|  | 35-49 | 36.8\% | 47.2\% | 15.3\% | .7\% | 339 |
|  | 50-64 | 35.2\% | 46.4\% | 15.9\% | 2.5\% | 349 |
|  | 65+ | 35.8\% | 40.7\% | 19.7\% | 3.8\% | 217 |
| 1977 | 18-34 | 38.9\% | 51.9\% | 9.2\% | 0.0\% | 543 |
|  | 35-49 | 38.0\% | 53.8\% | 7.6\% | .6\% | 404 |
|  | 50-64 | 45.3\% | 48.6\% | 5.1\% | .9\% | 375 |
|  | 65+ | 40.8\% | 42.0\% | 14.2\% | 3.0\% | 199 |
| 1978 | 18-34 | 25.7\% | 60.0\% | 14.1\% | .2\% | 613 |
|  | 35-49 | 28.8\% | 56.2\% | 14.6\% | . $4 \%$ | 372 |
|  | 50-64 | 28.9\% | 54.4\% | 15.7\% | .9\% | 326 |
|  | 65+ | 33.6\% | 41.7\% | 20.4\% | 4.3\% | 211 |
| 1980 | 18-34 | 28.4\% | 57.0\% | 14.0\% | .5\% | 563 |
|  | 35-49 | 28.1\% | 59.3\% | 11.4\% | 1.1\% | 367 |
|  | 50-64 | 32.4\% | 55.2\% | 10.3\% | 2.1\% | 311 |
|  | 65+ | 33.7\% | 50.8\% | 10.8\% | 4.7\% | 218 |
| 1982 | 18-34 | 31.4\% | 51.7\% | 16.2\% | .7\% | 604 |
|  | 35-49 | 29.5\% | 56.8\% | 12.6\% | 1.1\% | 336 |
|  | 50-64 | 36.1\% | 52.7\% | 9.7\% | 1.6\% | 326 |
|  | 65+ | 42.5\% | 42.1\% | 10.2\% | 5.2\% | 228 |
| 1983 | 18-34 | 30.1\% | 55.8\% | 13.5\% | .6\% | 625 |
|  | 35-49 | 25.3\% | 59.7\% | 14.7\% | . $2 \%$ | 405 |
|  | 50-64 | 26.5\% | 55.9\% | 14.5\% | 3.1\% | 338 |
|  | 65+ | 32.0\% | 54.6\% | 8.8\% | 4.6\% | 220 |
| 1984 | 18-34 | 32.0\% | 57.2\% | 10.0\% | .8\% | 339 |
|  | 35-49 | 21.2\% | 66.5\% | 9.9\% | 2.4\% | 286 |
|  | 50-64 | 26.1\% | 60.1\% | 12.0\% | 1.9\% | 190 |
|  | 65+ | 33.6\% | 54.5\% | 8.9\% | 3.1\% | 151 |
| 1986 | 18-34 | 29.1\% | 60.1\% | 10.5\% | . $3 \%$ | 532 |
|  | 35-49 | 22.8\% | 64.2\% | 12.4\% | .6\% | 415 |
|  | 50-64 | 31.4\% | 56.0\% | 10.2\% | 2.3\% | 281 |
|  | 65+ | 32.1\% | 55.2\% | 10.5\% | 2.2\% | 231 |
| 1987 | 18-34 | 32.2\% | 59.8\% | 7.7\% | . $3 \%$ | 514 |
|  | 35-49 | 33.0\% | 58.5\% | 8.3\% | .2\% | 439 |
|  | 50-64 | 36.5\% | 50.5\% | 11.4\% | 1.6\% | 278 |
|  | 65+ | 41.8\% | 45.9\% | 7.6\% | 4.7\% | 226 |
| 1988 | 18-34 | 31.1\% | 60.4\% | 6.9\% | 1.6\% | 368 |
|  | 35-49 | 28.8\% | 60.7\% | 9.9\% | .6\% | 280 |
|  | 50-64 | 28.3\% | 58.4\% | 10.2\% | 3.1\% | 171 |
|  | 65+ | 30.2\% | 57.4\% | 9.0\% | 3.4\% | 172 |
| 1989 | 18-34 | 29.9\% | 61.4\% | 7.7\% | 1.0\% | 371 |
|  | 35-49 | 24.8\% | 64.9\% | 9.8\% | .5\% | 291 |
|  | 50-64 | 30.8\% | 55.7\% | 12.2\% | 1.3\% | 193 |
|  | $65+$ | 39.3\% | 44.3\% | 14.2\% | 2.2\% | 162 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | AGE | CONFIDENCE IN EDUCATION (Continued) |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1990 | 18-34 | 28.8\% | 57.8\% | 12.6\% | .7\% | 315 |
|  | 35-49 | 23.3\% | 62.0\% | 14.3\% | . 4 \% | 272 |
|  | 50-64 | 23.5\% | 58.8\% | 14.2\% | 3.5\% | 154 |
|  | 65+ | 31.7\% | 52.9\% | 11.2\% | 4.3\% | 148 |
| 1991 | 18-34 | 32.1\% | 56.6\% | 11.3\% | 0.0\% | 344 |
|  | 35-49 | 28.8\% | 56.7\% | 13.7\% | .8\% | 329 |
|  | 50-64 | 22.3\% | 60.0\% | 16.3\% | 1.4\% | 189 |
|  | 65+ | 35.6\% | 43.9\% | 15.5\% | 5.0\% | 161 |
| 1993 | 18-34 | 22.3\% | 62.4\% | 14.4\% | . $9 \%$ | 337 |
|  | 35-49 | 20.6\% | 58.2\% | 20.5\% | .7\% | 362 |
|  | 50-64 | 23.6\% | 53.2\% | 21.4\% | 1.9\% | 193 |
|  | 65+ | 24.8\% | 53.2\% | 17.5\% | 4.5\% | 166 |
| 1994 | 18-34 | 26.0\% | 57.8\% | 16.0\% | . $3 \%$ | 635 |
|  | 35-49 | 21.5\% | 60.8\% | 17.6\% | 0.0\% | 651 |
|  | 50-64 | 26.5\% | 55.2\% | 17.5\% | .7\% | 392 |
|  | 65+ | 32.2\% | 46.5\% | 17.2\% | 4.1\% | 306 |
| 1996 | 18-34 | 26.2\% | 57.2\% | 16.4\% | . $3 \%$ | 652 |
|  | 35-49 | 18.4\% | 61.0\% | 19.5\% | 1.1\% | 638 |
|  | 50-64 | 23.5\% | 53.5\% | 22.6\% | .4\% | 368 |
|  | 65+ | 28.1\% | 52.7\% | 15.4\% | 3.8\% | 255 |
| 1998 | 18-34 | 30.6\% | 52.9\% | 15.8\% | .6\% | 629 |
|  | 35-49 | 21.5\% | 57.6\% | 19.8\% | 1.1\% | 616 |
|  | 50-64 | 23.2\% | 58.6\% | 17.7\% | .5\% | 350 |
|  | 65+ | 35.1\% | 50.0\% | 12.0\% | 2.9\% | 285 |
| 2000 | 18-34 | 30.7\% | 55.0\% | 14.1\% | .3\% | 600 |
|  | 35-49 | 21.1\% | 61.5\% | 16.7\% | .7\% | 632 |
|  | 50-64 | 29.8\% | 53.1\% | 16.4\% | .7\% | 378 |
|  | 65+ | 30.1\% | 50.8\% | 15.3\% | 3.8\% | 276 |
| 2002 | 18-34 | 28.0\% | 55.9\% | 14.8\% | 1.3\% | 263 |
|  | 35-49 | 23.7\% | 58.4\% | 17.9\% | 0.0\% | 271 |
|  | 50-64 | 22.7\% | 61.2\% | 15.0\% | 1.1\% | 211 |
|  | 65+ | 30.7\% | 54.9\% | 12.5\% | 1.9\% | 143 |
| 2004 | 18-34 | 37.0\% | 49.0\% | 14.0\% | 0.0\% | 273 |
|  | 35-49 | 25.3\% | 59.2\% | 15.4\% | 0.0\% | 282 |
|  | 50-64 | 23.7\% | 60.5\% | 15.8\% | 0.0\% | 202 |
|  | 65+ | 25.5\% | 65.7\% | 8.8\% | 0.0\% | 117 |
| 2006 | 18-34 | 34.3\% | 54.6\% | 11.1\% | 0.0\% | 630 |
|  | 35-49 | 23.4\% | 59.4\% | 16.2\% | 1.0\% | 626 |
|  | 50-64 | 23.6\% | 59.3\% | 16.8\% | . $3 \%$ | 468 |
|  | 65+ | 33.0\% | 50.0\% | 16.5\% | . $5 \%$ | 273 |
| 2008 | 18-34 | 37.3\% | 51.0\% | 11.8\% | 0.0\% | 379 |
|  | 35-49 | 26.8\% | 57.1\% | 15.9\% | . $2 \%$ | 397 |
|  | 50-64 | 24.4\% | 57.3\% | 16.2\% | 2.2\% | 359 |
|  | 65+ | 27.9\% | 52.6\% | 17.7\% | 1.9\% | 208 |
| 2010 | 18-34 | 31.9\% | 52.1\% | 15.7\% | . $3 \%$ | 423 |
|  | 35-49 | 29.6\% | 55.0\% | 15.4\% | 0.0\% | 355 |
|  | 50-64 | 19.8\% | 62.6\% | 16.3\% | 1.2\% | 362 |
|  | 65+ | 29.1\% | 56.3\% | 13.3\% | 1.3\% | 234 |
| 2012 | 18-34 | 31.3\% | 53.0\% | 15.1\% | .6\% | 394 |
|  | 35-49 | 24.5\% | 58.4\% | 16.1\% | 1.0\% | 355 |
|  | 50-64 | 20.6\% | 63.7\% | 15.8\% | 0.0\% | 343 |
|  | $65+$ | 25.2\% | 56.6\% | 16.7\% | 1.6\% | 235 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | AGE | CONFID. IN EXEC BRANCH OF FED GOVT |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | 18-34 | 25.5\% | 50.1\% | 23.4\% | 1.0\% | 529 |
|  | 35-49 | 28.0\% | 55.4\% | 15.2\% | 1.4\% | 412 |
|  | 50-64 | 30.4\% | 50.3\% | 17.1\% | 2.1\% | 368 |
|  | 65+ | 38.2\% | 45.1\% | 12.6\% | 4.2\% | 186 |
| 1974 | 18-34 | 8.8\% | 44.2\% | 46.0\% | 1.0\% | 537 |
|  | 35-49 | 13.2\% | 43.8\% | 42.0\% | 1.0\% | 382 |
|  | 50-64 | 18.7\% | 38.7\% | 39.0\% | 3.6\% | 341 |
|  | 65+ | 18.6\% | 39.7\% | 37.3\% | 4.5\% | 219 |
| 1975 | 18-34 | 10.3\% | 55.8\% | 31.6\% | 2.3\% | 561 |
|  | 35-49 | 13.8\% | 61.1\% | 22.9\% | 2.1\% | 391 |
|  | 50-64 | 14.0\% | 56.0\% | 28.3\% | 1.7\% | 323 |
|  | 65+ | 17.8\% | 44.4\% | 35.1\% | 2.7\% | 210 |
| 1976 | 18-34 | 11.5\% | 65.7\% | 21.0\% | 1.8\% | 578 |
|  | 35-49 | 12.2\% | 61.3\% | 23.2\% | 3.3\% | 343 |
|  | 50-64 | 16.0\% | 51.7\% | 29.0\% | 3.2\% | 351 |
|  | 65+ | 14.1\% | 52.9\% | 29.6\% | 3.4\% | 217 |
| 1977 | 18-34 | 24.1\% | 58.9\% | 15.1\% | 1.8\% | 542 |
|  | 35-49 | 24.3\% | 57.6\% | 15.9\% | 2.3\% | 405 |
|  | 50-64 | 33.8\% | 53.4\% | 10.4\% | 2.4\% | 374 |
|  | 65+ | 30.6\% | 47.0\% | 13.2\% | 9.2\% | 199 |
| 1978 | 18-34 | 12.3\% | 59.6\% | 26.9\% | 1.2\% | 613 |
|  | 35-49 | 12.5\% | 61.8\% | 23.7\% | 2.0\% | 372 |
|  | 50-64 | 11.7\% | 60.5\% | 24.1\% | 3.7\% | 326 |
|  | 65+ | 12.2\% | 52.0\% | 28.3\% | 7.4\% | 211 |
| 1980 | 18-34 | 12.1\% | 53.1\% | 32.6\% | 2.2\% | 562 |
|  | 35-49 | 10.0\% | 53.5\% | 33.8\% | 2.8\% | 368 |
|  | 50-64 | 12.0\% | 47.1\% | 39.7\% | 1.2\% | 310 |
|  | 65+ | 15.0\% | 46.9\% | 31.2\% | 6.8\% | 218 |
| 1982 | 18-34 | 15.1\% | 56.8\% | 26.5\% | 1.6\% | 605 |
|  | 35-49 | 19.1\% | 53.2\% | 25.7\% | 2.0\% | 335 |
|  | 50-64 | 23.8\% | 55.5\% | 18.9\% | 1.7\% | 327 |
|  | 65+ | 23.3\% | 50.2\% | 21.5\% | 5.0\% | 228 |
| 1983 | 18-34 | 11.8\% | 58.3\% | 27.9\% | 2.0\% | 625 |
|  | 35-49 | 15.9\% | 48.7\% | 32.9\% | 2.5\% | 406 |
|  | 50-64 | 13.5\% | 51.9\% | 31.4\% | 3.3\% | 338 |
|  | 65+ | 13.8\% | 56.4\% | 23.6\% | 6.2\% | 221 |
| 1984 | 18-34 | 19.1\% | 50.5\% | 28.6\% | 1.8\% | 340 |
|  | 35-49 | 17.7\% | 49.5\% | 30.5\% | 2.3\% | 287 |
|  | 50-64 | 18.8\% | 50.8\% | 27.2\% | 3.3\% | 190 |
|  | 65+ | 19.9\% | 53.1\% | 24.0\% | 3.1\% | 151 |
| 1986 | 18-34 | 22.8\% | 54.2\% | 21.0\% | 2.0\% | 536 |
|  | 35-49 | 19.9\% | 56.4\% | 22.5\% | 1.2\% | 415 |
|  | 50-64 | 18.6\% | 54.0\% | 24.5\% | 2.9\% | 279 |
|  | 65+ | 23.1\% | 47.5\% | 24.6\% | 4.8\% | 231 |
| 1987 | 18-34 | 17.8\% | 55.4\% | 24.9\% | 1.9\% | 515 |
|  | 35-49 | 19.9\% | 52.6\% | 25.7\% | 1.8\% | 439 |
|  | 50-64 | 17.6\% | 49.4\% | 29.6\% | 3.4\% | 278 |
|  | 65+ | 20.8\% | 46.5\% | 26.2\% | 6.5\% | 226 |
| 1988 | 18-34 | 18.8\% | 50.9\% | 25.1\% | 5.2\% | 367 |
|  | 35-49 | 16.3\% | 53.1\% | 29.4\% | 1.1\% | 280 |
|  | 50-64 | 12.0\% | 54.3\% | 28.1\% | 5.6\% | 172 |
|  | 65+ | 16.4\% | 57.7\% | 22.8\% | 3.1\% | 172 |
| 1989 | 18-34 | 22.6\% | 55.0\% | 19.7\% | 2.8\% | 371 |
|  | 35-49 | 17.3\% | 59.7\% | 18.6\% | 4.4\% | 292 |
|  | 50-64 | 20.7\% | 47.7\% | 23.6\% | 8.0\% | 193 |
|  | $65+$ | 20.9\% | 53.5\% | 21.2\% | 4.4\% | 161 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | AGE | CONFID. IN EXEC BRANCH OF FED GOVT (Continued) |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1990 | 18-34 | 26.6\% | 47.9\% | 22.0\% | 3.5\% | 316 |
|  | 35-49 | 19.1\% | 54.3\% | 26.2\% | .4\% | 272 |
|  | 50-64 | 22.9\% | 54.8\% | 17.5\% | 4.8\% | 155 |
|  | 65+ | 27.9\% | 40.4\% | 25.7\% | 6.1\% | 149 |
| 1991 | 18-34 | 28.6\% | 51.8\% | 17.0\% | 2.6\% | 344 |
|  | 35-49 | 26.3\% | 49.1\% | 23.1\% | 1.5\% | 329 |
|  | 50-64 | 25.1\% | 45.6\% | 28.2\% | 1.1\% | 189 |
|  | 65+ | 24.6\% | 52.2\% | 18.9\% | 4.3\% | 160 |
| 1993 | 18-34 | 13.0\% | 51.6\% | 32.4\% | 3.0\% | 337 |
|  | 35-49 | 12.6\% | 51.9\% | 34.1\% | 1.5\% | 362 |
|  | 50-64 | 9.1\% | 57.3\% | 30.9\% | 2.8\% | 192 |
|  | 65+ | 8.3\% | 55.2\% | 32.4\% | 4.1\% | 166 |
| 1994 | 18-34 | 9.9\% | 52.6\% | 36.0\% | 1.5\% | 635 |
|  | 35-49 | 8.8\% | 56.1\% | 34.3\% | .8\% | 648 |
|  | 50-64 | 11.3\% | 51.5\% | 36.5\% | .7\% | 392 |
|  | 65+ | 19.3\% | 42.5\% | 33.1\% | 5.1\% | 306 |
| 1996 | 18-34 | 9.2\% | 46.8\% | 39.6\% | 4.3\% | 652 |
|  | 35-49 | 8.2\% | 45.1\% | 44.1\% | 2.6\% | 638 |
|  | 50-64 | 10.9\% | 42.4\% | 45.5\% | 1.2\% | 368 |
|  | 65+ | 13.6\% | 42.2\% | 39.0\% | 5.1\% | 255 |
| 1998 | 18-34 | 13.9\% | 50.7\% | 32.5\% | 3.0\% | 627 |
|  | 35-49 | 10.3\% | 48.4\% | 38.4\% | 2.9\% | 617 |
|  | 50-64 | 13.6\% | 47.3\% | 37.9\% | 1.3\% | 351 |
|  | 65+ | 18.3\% | 43.8\% | 33.4\% | 4.4\% | 285 |
| 2000 | 18-34 | 18.8\% | 50.2\% | 27.6\% | 3.4\% | 600 |
|  | 35-49 | 9.7\% | 49.4\% | 36.5\% | 4.3\% | 632 |
|  | 50-64 | 12.4\% | 48.2\% | 36.2\% | 3.2\% | 375 |
|  | 65+ | 12.2\% | 43.3\% | 36.7\% | 7.8\% | 275 |
| 2002 | 18-34 | 22.7\% | 54.9\% | 20.1\% | 2.3\% | 263 |
|  | 35-49 | 29.0\% | 51.9\% | 16.9\% | 2.3\% | 271 |
|  | 50-64 | 29.7\% | 45.4\% | 23.3\% | 1.6\% | 210 |
|  | 65+ | 29.7\% | 47.7\% | 21.5\% | 1.2\% | 143 |
| 2004 | 18-34 | 22.9\% | 50.6\% | 26.0\% | .5\% | 273 |
|  | 35-49 | 21.7\% | 46.4\% | 29.7\% | 2.1\% | 282 |
|  | 50-64 | 19.6\% | 47.3\% | 32.1\% | 1.0\% | 201 |
|  | 65+ | 21.4\% | 38.1\% | 39.3\% | 1.2\% | 118 |
| 2006 | 18-34 | 18.4\% | 48.8\% | 30.6\% | 2.2\% | 630 |
|  | 35-49 | 13.4\% | 45.6\% | 38.4\% | 2.6\% | 624 |
|  | 50-64 | 11.5\% | 41.8\% | 45.3\% | 1.4\% | 468 |
|  | 65+ | 21.8\% | 39.4\% | 36.7\% | 2.1\% | 273 |
| 2008 | 18-34 | 12.0\% | 57.4\% | 26.8\% | 3.8\% | 379 |
|  | 35-49 | 12.4\% | 50.2\% | 34.8\% | 2.6\% | 397 |
|  | 50-64 | 9.6\% | 41.6\% | 47.1\% | 1.7\% | 359 |
|  | 65+ | 6.3\% | 42.7\% | 48.0\% | 3.0\% | 207 |
| 2010 | 18-34 | 18.3\% | 49.4\% | 31.5\% | .9\% | 423 |
|  | 35-49 | 13.7\% | 47.4\% | 37.5\% | 1.4\% | 354 |
|  | 50-64 | 15.3\% | 43.8\% | 38.0\% | 2.9\% | 361 |
|  | 65+ | 20.7\% | 35.3\% | 42.6\% | 1.4\% | 234 |
| 2012 | 18-34 | 15.9\% | 58.0\% | 25.1\% | 1.0\% | 394 |
|  | 35-49 | 14.1\% | 48.6\% | 34.1\% | 3.2\% | 355 |
|  | 50-64 | 13.8\% | 42.2\% | 42.4\% | 1.6\% | 343 |
|  | $65+$ | 12.5\% | 40.5\% | 44.7\% | 2.3\% | 234 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | AGE | CONFIDENCE IN ORGANIZED LABOR |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | 18-34 | 11.7\% | 63.0\% | 23.4\% | 1.9\% | 529 |
|  | 35-49 | 13.3\% | 55.3\% | 28.5\% | 2.9\% | 411 |
|  | 50-64 | 21.2\% | 47.6\% | 27.5\% | 3.6\% | 364 |
|  | 65+ | 20.7\% | 44.1\% | 25.6\% | 9.5\% | 187 |
| 1974 | 18-34 | 18.8\% | 56.8\% | 22.8\% | 1.6\% | 538 |
|  | 35-49 | 13.5\% | 56.7\% | 28.6\% | 1.2\% | 380 |
|  | 50-64 | 21.1\% | 49.1\% | 27.4\% | 2.3\% | 340 |
|  | 65+ | 26.0\% | 46.1\% | 22.0\% | 6.0\% | 219 |
| 1975 | 18-34 | 10.1\% | 61.7\% | 24.9\% | 3.3\% | 561 |
|  | 35-49 | 9.3\% | 52.4\% | 33.0\% | 5.3\% | 390 |
|  | 50-64 | 8.1\% | 52.8\% | 30.4\% | 8.8\% | 324 |
|  | 65+ | 11.3\% | 43.3\% | 35.3\% | 10.0\% | 210 |
| 1976 | 18-34 | 13.4\% | 53.5\% | 27.0\% | 6.1\% | 577 |
|  | 35-49 | 8.0\% | 49.1\% | 34.0\% | 8.9\% | 344 |
|  | 50-64 | 11.0\% | 47.6\% | 35.6\% | 5.8\% | 350 |
|  | 65+ | 13.4\% | 36.2\% | 39.4\% | 11.0\% | 217 |
| 1977 | 18-34 | 13.5\% | 58.5\% | 25.8\% | 2.2\% | 541 |
|  | 35-49 | 12.9\% | 50.9\% | 34.0\% | 2.2\% | 405 |
|  | 50-64 | 18.6\% | 46.6\% | 31.4\% | 3.4\% | 375 |
|  | 65+ | 14.0\% | 39.0\% | 37.3\% | 9.8\% | 198 |
| 1978 | 18-34 | 12.2\% | 52.8\% | 31.3\% | 3.6\% | 613 |
|  | 35-49 | 7.6\% | 46.4\% | 43.3\% | 2.7\% | 372 |
|  | 50-64 | 11.8\% | 42.5\% | 40.9\% | 4.8\% | 326 |
|  | 65+ | 13.9\% | 36.0\% | 39.3\% | 10.8\% | 211 |
| 1980 | 18-34 | 16.3\% | 56.5\% | 24.4\% | 2.7\% | 563 |
|  | 35-49 | 9.7\% | 55.6\% | 29.9\% | 4.9\% | 368 |
|  | 50-64 | 16.6\% | 43.0\% | 36.0\% | 4.4\% | 311 |
|  | 65+ | 19.0\% | 41.8\% | 27.9\% | 11.3\% | 218 |
| 1982 | 18-34 | 14.3\% | 57.7\% | 26.2\% | 1.8\% | 604 |
|  | 35-49 | 12.3\% | 51.3\% | 33.5\% | 2.9\% | 336 |
|  | 50-64 | 11.6\% | 52.5\% | 31.0\% | 4.9\% | 326 |
|  | 65+ | 14.1\% | 46.3\% | 30.6\% | 9.1\% | 228 |
| 1983 | 18-34 | 10.2\% | 55.8\% | 32.0\% | 1.9\% | 625 |
|  | 35-49 | 5.4\% | 46.2\% | 44.8\% | 3.6\% | 406 |
|  | 50-64 | 8.7\% | 41.1\% | 46.0\% | 4.2\% | 338 |
|  | 65+ | 8.9\% | 43.8\% | 38.3\% | 8.9\% | 221 |
| 1984 | 18-34 | 14.0\% | 56.3\% | 28.2\% | 1.5\% | 340 |
|  | 35-49 | 4.5\% | 54.8\% | 38.7\% | 2.0\% | 287 |
|  | 50-64 | 4.1\% | 50.1\% | 44.7\% | 1.1\% | 190 |
|  | 65+ | 9.6\% | 47.4\% | 40.3\% | 2.7\% | 151 |
| 1986 | 18-34 | 9.8\% | 57.4\% | 28.7\% | 4.1\% | 536 |
|  | 35-49 | 5.5\% | 46.7\% | 44.9\% | 2.9\% | 415 |
|  | 50-64 | 10.7\% | 40.0\% | 46.5\% | 2.9\% | 278 |
|  | 65+ | 10.3\% | 35.7\% | 42.0\% | 12.0\% | 230 |
| 1987 | 18-34 | 11.3\% | 59.4\% | 25.3\% | 4.0\% | 515 |
|  | 35-49 | 8.8\% | 50.4\% | 38.5\% | 2.3\% | 438 |
|  | 50-64 | 12.9\% | 45.9\% | 35.0\% | 6.2\% | 278 |
|  | 65+ | 8.7\% | 40.8\% | 41.0\% | 9.4\% | 225 |
| 1988 | 18-34 | 14.8\% | 58.6\% | 22.0\% | 4.6\% | 367 |
|  | 35-49 | 9.3\% | 48.6\% | 40.0\% | 2.1\% | 279 |
|  | 50-64 | 9.9\% | 47.8\% | 35.8\% | 6.5\% | 172 |
|  | 65+ | 6.2\% | 37.0\% | 47.5\% | 9.3\% | 172 |
| 1989 | 18-34 | 13.4\% | 58.1\% | 24.5\% | 4.0\% | 371 |
|  | 35-49 | 5.1\% | 53.1\% | 36.4\% | 5.4\% | 292 |
|  | 50-64 | 6.1\% | 43.2\% | 43.2\% | 7.4\% | 193 |
|  | $65+$ | 11.6\% | 41.8\% | 35.8\% | 10.7\% | 162 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | AGE | CONFIDENCE IN ORGANIZED LABOR (Continued) |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1990 | 18-34 | 14.1\% | 59.0\% | 22.5\% | 4.4\% | 313 |
|  | 35-49 | 8.6\% | 52.7\% | 35.2\% | 3.5\% | 272 |
|  | 50-64 | 8.6\% | 52.4\% | 31.5\% | 7.5\% | 155 |
|  | 65+ | 9.6\% | 45.0\% | 38.2\% | 7.1\% | 149 |
| 1991 | 18-34 | 13.9\% | 57.0\% | 24.1\% | 4.9\% | 344 |
|  | 35-49 | 9.9\% | 49.3\% | 37.8\% | 3.1\% | 329 |
|  | 50-64 | 8.8\% | 38.8\% | 47.6\% | 4.8\% | 187 |
|  | 65+ | 11.6\% | 40.6\% | 35.3\% | 12.5\% | 161 |
| 1993 | 18-34 | 10.0\% | 63.4\% | 20.9\% | 5.6\% | 338 |
|  | 35-49 | 5.6\% | 50.7\% | 39.6\% | 4.1\% | 362 |
|  | 50-64 | 7.2\% | 48.2\% | 38.0\% | 6.6\% | 192 |
|  | 65+ | 8.9\% | 46.3\% | 33.3\% | 11.4\% | 166 |
| 1994 | 18-34 | 12.7\% | 58.1\% | 24.3\% | 4.9\% | 633 |
|  | 35-49 | 6.8\% | 53.3\% | 37.3\% | 2.5\% | 649 |
|  | 50-64 | 10.5\% | 49.0\% | 36.0\% | 4.4\% | 392 |
|  | 65+ | 14.3\% | 44.4\% | 31.0\% | 10.3\% | 306 |
| 1996 | 18-34 | 14.7\% | 58.8\% | 20.6\% | 6.0\% | 652 |
|  | 35-49 | 8.7\% | 50.8\% | 32.9\% | 7.6\% | 639 |
|  | 50-64 | 8.3\% | 44.0\% | 39.0\% | 8.7\% | 367 |
|  | 65+ | 12.6\% | 38.8\% | 35.0\% | 13.6\% | 255 |
| 1998 | 18-34 | 13.4\% | 59.8\% | 19.5\% | 7.3\% | 629 |
|  | 35-49 | 8.6\% | 50.3\% | 32.3\% | 8.8\% | 617 |
|  | 50-64 | 7.7\% | 51.8\% | 35.7\% | 4.9\% | 351 |
|  | 65+ | 14.5\% | 41.7\% | 34.2\% | 9.7\% | 285 |
| 2000 | 18-34 | 17.5\% | 60.8\% | 15.3\% | 6.4\% | 600 |
|  | 35-49 | 10.9\% | 51.4\% | 28.1\% | 9.6\% | 631 |
|  | 50-64 | 10.8\% | 46.9\% | 35.5\% | 6.8\% | 378 |
|  | 65+ | 11.6\% | 36.5\% | 32.3\% | 19.6\% | 274 |
| 2002 | 18-34 | 18.4\% | 62.1\% | 14.8\% | 4.7\% | 263 |
|  | 35-49 | 8.4\% | 59.3\% | 27.2\% | 5.1\% | 271 |
|  | 50-64 | 6.6\% | 59.4\% | 26.9\% | 7.1\% | 211 |
|  | 65+ | 11.3\% | 57.8\% | 27.0\% | 3.9\% | 143 |
| 2004 | 18-34 | 19.7\% | 59.6\% | 16.3\% | 4.3\% | 273 |
|  | 35-49 | 12.3\% | 52.7\% | 32.4\% | 2.7\% | 281 |
|  | 50-64 | 7.6\% | 52.3\% | 34.2\% | 5.8\% | 201 |
|  | 65+ | 7.8\% | 49.0\% | 34.5\% | 8.7\% | 118 |
| 2006 | 18-34 | 17.3\% | 61.2\% | 15.2\% | 6.3\% | 630 |
|  | 35-49 | 11.1\% | 54.2\% | 29.7\% | 5.0\% | 626 |
|  | 50-64 | 6.0\% | 54.1\% | 36.3\% | 3.6\% | 468 |
|  | 65+ | 10.3\% | 48.0\% | 35.1\% | 6.5\% | 273 |
| 2008 | 18-34 | 20.1\% | 57.5\% | 18.4\% | 4.1\% | 379 |
|  | 35-49 | 7.4\% | 64.9\% | 23.3\% | 4.4\% | 396 |
|  | 50-64 | 10.8\% | 51.4\% | 35.3\% | 2.5\% | 359 |
|  | 65+ | 9.5\% | 46.8\% | 34.3\% | 9.4\% | 208 |
| 2010 | 18-34 | 16.3\% | 64.4\% | 13.6\% | 5.6\% | 422 |
|  | 35-49 | 10.5\% | 62.2\% | 24.5\% | 2.8\% | 355 |
|  | 50-64 | 7.1\% | 51.8\% | 36.3\% | 4.8\% | 362 |
|  | 65+ | 12.4\% | 40.6\% | 38.9\% | 8.1\% | 235 |
| 2012 | 18-34 | 15.7\% | 63.0\% | 16.3\% | 5.1\% | 392 |
|  | 35-49 | 10.0\% | 57.5\% | 28.1\% | 4.4\% | 355 |
|  | 50-64 | 9.0\% | 51.9\% | 34.5\% | 4.6\% | 343 |
|  | $65+$ | 8.6\% | 41.6\% | 40.9\% | 8.9\% | 234 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | AGE | CONFIDENCE IN PRESS |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | 18-34 | 23.0\% | 61.0\% | 14.5\% | 1.5\% | 530 |
|  | 35-49 | 20.8\% | 65.1\% | 13.3\% | .8\% | 412 |
|  | 50-64 | 25.0\% | 58.8\% | 14.7\% | 1.5\% | 367 |
|  | 65+ | 22.2\% | 59.5\% | 15.9\% | 2.4\% | 187 |
| 1974 | 18-34 | 28.4\% | 57.6\% | 13.4\% | .7\% | 537 |
|  | 35-49 | 21.8\% | 59.8\% | 18.2\% | .2\% | 380 |
|  | 50-64 | 23.7\% | 51.7\% | 23.0\% | 1.6\% | 341 |
|  | 65+ | 27.7\% | 51.2\% | 19.0\% | 2.1\% | 219 |
| 1975 | 18-34 | 27.2\% | 56.1\% | 15.1\% | 1.6\% | 560 |
|  | 35-49 | 19.5\% | 59.6\% | 18.0\% | 2.9\% | 391 |
|  | 50-64 | 21.9\% | 52.8\% | 22.6\% | 2.8\% | 322 |
|  | 65+ | 25.9\% | 46.7\% | 21.7\% | 5.8\% | 209 |
| 1976 | 18-34 | 32.5\% | 48.2\% | 18.5\% | .8\% | 573 |
|  | 35-49 | 27.0\% | 53.5\% | 18.1\% | 1.4\% | 343 |
|  | 50-64 | 26.1\% | 56.1\% | 15.3\% | 2.5\% | 350 |
|  | 65+ | 23.8\% | 51.6\% | 22.9\% | 1.8\% | 217 |
| 1977 | 18-34 | 23.9\% | 60.2\% | 14.7\% | 1.1\% | 543 |
|  | 35-49 | 22.7\% | 60.4\% | 15.0\% | 2.0\% | 405 |
|  | 50-64 | 28.3\% | 56.1\% | 13.5\% | 2.1\% | 374 |
|  | 65+ | 24.9\% | 50.7\% | 20.9\% | 3.5\% | 199 |
| 1978 | 18-34 | 22.8\% | 55.7\% | 20.0\% | 1.6\% | 613 |
|  | 35-49 | 20.0\% | 59.2\% | 19.5\% | 1.4\% | 372 |
|  | 50-64 | 16.3\% | 63.3\% | 19.0\% | 1.4\% | 326 |
|  | 65+ | 16.8\% | 57.3\% | 23.0\% | 2.9\% | 211 |
| 1980 | 18-34 | 25.3\% | 59.0\% | 13.9\% | 1.8\% | 563 |
|  | 35-49 | 18.3\% | 57.0\% | 21.8\% | 2.9\% | 366 |
|  | 50-64 | 22.2\% | 59.4\% | 16.6\% | 1.8\% | 311 |
|  | 65+ | 19.2\% | 55.3\% | 20.1\% | 5.4\% | 218 |
| 1982 | 18-34 | 20.9\% | 59.4\% | 18.5\% | 1.3\% | 604 |
|  | 35-49 | 17.1\% | 58.7\% | 22.1\% | 2.2\% | 336 |
|  | 50-64 | 17.7\% | 57.7\% | 23.7\% | .9\% | 327 |
|  | 65+ | 16.3\% | 57.0\% | 22.4\% | 4.3\% | 228 |
| 1983 | 18-34 | 14.0\% | 62.5\% | 22.6\% | .9\% | 624 |
|  | 35-49 | 13.4\% | 59.9\% | 26.5\% | . $2 \%$ | 405 |
|  | 50-64 | 12.4\% | 53.8\% | 30.3\% | 3.4\% | 338 |
|  | 65+ | 12.4\% | 59.6\% | 22.5\% | 5.5\% | 221 |
| 1984 | 18-34 | 20.7\% | 57.9\% | 19.7\% | 1.7\% | 341 |
|  | 35-49 | 17.7\% | 56.8\% | 24.7\% | . $9 \%$ | 287 |
|  | 50-64 | 12.0\% | 61.6\% | 25.3\% | 1.1\% | 190 |
|  | 65+ | 17.2\% | 58.8\% | 21.6\% | 2.4\% | 150 |
| 1986 | 18-34 | 20.8\% | 54.0\% | 24.1\% | 1.1\% | 535 |
|  | 35-49 | 17.7\% | 54.2\% | 26.7\% | 1.3\% | 415 |
|  | 50-64 | 17.1\% | 53.4\% | 27.4\% | 2.0\% | 279 |
|  | 65+ | 17.0\% | 52.0\% | 27.3\% | 3.7\% | 231 |
| 1987 | 18-34 | 21.4\% | 55.5\% | 21.7\% | 1.4\% | 515 |
|  | 35-49 | 16.7\% | 57.9\% | 24.7\% | .7\% | 439 |
|  | 50-64 | 16.0\% | 56.1\% | 26.0\% | 2.0\% | 278 |
|  | 65+ | 16.5\% | 52.2\% | 27.0\% | 4.2\% | 226 |
| 1988 | 18-34 | 22.4\% | 49.4\% | 23.8\% | 4.4\% | 365 |
|  | 35-49 | 19.2\% | 54.8\% | 25.4\% | .6\% | 280 |
|  | 50-64 | 15.1\% | 58.6\% | 22.5\% | 3.7\% | 172 |
|  | 65+ | 14.9\% | 54.0\% | 28.0\% | 3.1\% | 171 |
| 1989 | 18-34 | 18.3\% | 52.2\% | 28.2\% | 1.2\% | 371 |
|  | 35-49 | 17.2\% | 56.2\% | 24.2\% | 2.5\% | 292 |
|  | 50-64 | 14.1\% | 53.8\% | 29.4\% | 2.7\% | 193 |
|  | $65+$ | 14.8\% | 55.8\% | 24.0\% | 5.4\% | 162 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | AGE | CONFIDENCE IN PRESS (Continued) |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1990 | 18-34 | 18.7\% | 54.6\% | 24.9\% | 1.8\% | 316 |
|  | 35-49 | 9.8\% | 61.4\% | 27.8\% | 1.0\% | 272 |
|  | 50-64 | 12.7\% | 57.9\% | 22.9\% | 6.5\% | 155 |
|  | 65+ | 15.7\% | 52.1\% | 24.6\% | 7.5\% | 149 |
| 1991 | 18-34 | 17.9\% | 49.1\% | 32.3\% | .6\% | 344 |
|  | 35-49 | 16.3\% | 58.8\% | 23.3\% | 1.6\% | 329 |
|  | 50-64 | 11.8\% | 50.4\% | 37.2\% | .6\% | 189 |
|  | 65+ | 16.3\% | 53.7\% | 26.3\% | 3.7\% | 159 |
| 1993 | 18-34 | 11.5\% | 49.3\% | 37.8\% | 1.4\% | 337 |
|  | 35-49 | 10.8\% | 50.4\% | 37.9\% | .9\% | 362 |
|  | 50-64 | 10.1\% | 44.7\% | 43.3\% | 1.9\% | 193 |
|  | 65+ | 9.2\% | 49.5\% | 36.5\% | 4.8\% | 166 |
| 1994 | 18-34 | 12.0\% | 48.2\% | 38.7\% | 1.1\% | 635 |
|  | 35-49 | 8.6\% | 51.8\% | 39.1\% | .6\% | 648 |
|  | 50-64 | 9.3\% | 49.3\% | 40.7\% | .7\% | 391 |
|  | 65+ | 9.9\% | 47.1\% | 39.1\% | 3.9\% | 305 |
| 1996 | 18-34 | 12.4\% | 46.1\% | 39.0\% | 2.5\% | 650 |
|  | 35-49 | 9.4\% | 49.3\% | 40.0\% | 1.3\% | 639 |
|  | 50-64 | 9.5\% | 43.0\% | 45.5\% | 2.1\% | 367 |
|  | 65+ | 10.5\% | 48.5\% | 33.3\% | 7.7\% | 254 |
| 1998 | 18-34 | 10.6\% | 45.6\% | 41.6\% | 2.2\% | 629 |
|  | 35-49 | 7.3\% | 45.0\% | 45.4\% | 2.3\% | 617 |
|  | 50-64 | 7.3\% | 49.4\% | 42.2\% | 1.1\% | 352 |
|  | 65+ | 11.4\% | 45.9\% | 39.6\% | 3.1\% | 285 |
| 2000 | 18-34 | 12.9\% | 46.1\% | 39.3\% | 1.6\% | 600 |
|  | 35-49 | 9.3\% | 44.6\% | 44.0\% | 2.1\% | 631 |
|  | 50-64 | 8.6\% | 51.2\% | 38.6\% | 1.6\% | 377 |
|  | 65+ | 7.0\% | 46.3\% | 41.5\% | 5.2\% | 274 |
| 2002 | 18-34 | 8.7\% | 46.6\% | 42.8\% | 1.9\% | 263 |
|  | 35-49 | 11.1\% | 46.1\% | 42.2\% | .6\% | 271 |
|  | 50-64 | 8.4\% | 43.5\% | 44.3\% | 3.7\% | 211 |
|  | 65+ | 11.3\% | 52.9\% | 34.6\% | 1.2\% | 143 |
| 2004 | 18-34 | 11.6\% | 41.6\% | 46.8\% | 0.0\% | 273 |
|  | 35-49 | 9.0\% | 50.3\% | 40.6\% | 0.0\% | 282 |
|  | 50-64 | 5.9\% | 47.8\% | 45.6\% | . $7 \%$ | 202 |
|  | 65+ | 7.5\% | 52.7\% | 39.1\% | .8\% | 118 |
| 2006 | 18-34 | 10.9\% | 46.1\% | 42.0\% | 1.0\% | 630 |
|  | 35-49 | 10.4\% | 49.7\% | 38.9\% | .9\% | 626 |
|  | 50-64 | 10.1\% | 46.9\% | 42.5\% | .6\% | 468 |
|  | 65+ | 8.5\% | 51.1\% | 37.2\% | 3.2\% | 272 |
| 2008 | 18-34 | 12.3\% | 42.4\% | 43.9\% | 1.4\% | 379 |
|  | 35-49 | 7.4\% | 49.7\% | 42.3\% | .6\% | 397 |
|  | 50-64 | 7.5\% | 45.4\% | 46.7\% | .5\% | 359 |
|  | 65+ | 5.5\% | 45.1\% | 46.4\% | 2.9\% | 208 |
| 2010 | 18-34 | 12.7\% | 40.6\% | 45.1\% | 1.6\% | 422 |
|  | 35-49 | 9.8\% | 47.8\% | 41.6\% | .8\% | 355 |
|  | 50-64 | 7.6\% | 48.8\% | 42.6\% | 1.0\% | 362 |
|  | 65+ | 13.3\% | 43.8\% | 41.1\% | 1.7\% | 235 |
| 2012 | 18-34 | 10.5\% | 42.3\% | 46.7\% | .5\% | 394 |
|  | 35-49 | 7.5\% | 46.8\% | 43.7\% | 2.0\% | 355 |
|  | 50-64 | 8.1\% | 40.9\% | 48.7\% | 2.4\% | 343 |
|  | $65+$ | 8.9\% | 42.6\% | 44.4\% | 4.0\% | 235 |

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|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | 18-34 | 63.0\% | 32.6\% | 4.1\% | . $3 \%$ | 529 |
|  | 35-49 | 48.8\% | 44.7\% | 6.1\% | . $3 \%$ | 410 |
|  | 50-64 | 50.8\% | 41.3\% | 6.5\% | 1.4\% | 367 |
|  | 65+ | 45.4\% | 44.4\% | 8.8\% | 1.5\% | 187 |
| 1974 | 18-34 | 68.7\% | 26.8\% | 3.5\% | 1.0\% | 537 |
|  | 35-49 | 60.1\% | 35.5\% | 3.7\% | .7\% | 382 |
|  | 50-64 | 55.5\% | 37.8\% | 5.3\% | 1.4\% | 341 |
|  | 65+ | 52.5\% | 37.1\% | 7.2\% | 3.2\% | 219 |
| 1975 | 18-34 | 56.4\% | 37.2\% | 6.1\% | .3\% | 559 |
|  | 35-49 | 47.2\% | 43.9\% | 6.8\% | 2.1\% | 391 |
|  | 50-64 | 49.9\% | 40.7\% | 8.1\% | 1.3\% | 323 |
|  | 65+ | 46.2\% | 37.3\% | 13.3\% | 3.1\% | 210 |
| 1976 | 18-34 | 59.2\% | 33.7\% | 6.6\% | .5\% | 577 |
|  | 35-49 | 56.4\% | 35.0\% | 7.6\% | 1.0\% | 344 |
|  | 50-64 | 49.2\% | 41.1\% | 8.6\% | 1.1\% | 349 |
|  | 65+ | 47.1\% | 29.6\% | 20.0\% | 3.4\% | 217 |
| 1977 | 18-34 | 56.7\% | 37.6\% | 5.4\% | .4\% | 543 |
|  | 35-49 | 50.1\% | 43.9\% | 3.8\% | 2.2\% | 405 |
|  | 50-64 | 53.3\% | 40.5\% | 5.4\% | .8\% | 375 |
|  | 65+ | 46.8\% | 41.5\% | 9.5\% | 2.2\% | 199 |
| 1978 | 18-34 | 52.3\% | 40.5\% | 7.1\% | . $2 \%$ | 613 |
|  | 35-49 | 43.1\% | 49.7\% | 6.7\% | . $5 \%$ | 371 |
|  | 50-64 | 41.5\% | 46.7\% | 11.0\% | .8\% | 326 |
|  | 65+ | 38.1\% | 44.4\% | 15.8\% | 1.7\% | 211 |
| 1980 | 18-34 | 54.7\% | 36.1\% | 8.7\% | .5\% | 563 |
|  | 35-49 | 52.1\% | 40.8\% | 5.8\% | 1.3\% | 368 |
|  | 50-64 | 54.0\% | 38.3\% | 6.9\% | .8\% | 311 |
|  | 65+ | 50.8\% | 38.6\% | 7.0\% | 3.5\% | 218 |
| 1982 | 18-34 | 48.5\% | 42.2\% | 8.5\% | .8\% | 605 |
|  | 35-49 | 42.5\% | 50.2\% | 5.7\% | 1.5\% | 336 |
|  | 50-64 | 42.7\% | 49.8\% | 6.0\% | 1.6\% | 327 |
|  | 65+ | 45.0\% | 45.2\% | 8.6\% | 1.1\% | 228 |
| 1983 | 18-34 | 58.2\% | 36.0\% | 5.4\% | .5\% | 623 |
|  | 35-49 | 48.8\% | 44.5\% | 6.0\% | .7\% | 406 |
|  | 50-64 | 48.6\% | 40.5\% | 9.1\% | 1.8\% | 338 |
|  | 65+ | 46.1\% | 43.3\% | 7.3\% | 3.2\% | 221 |
| 1984 | 18-34 | 56.0\% | 40.1\% | 3.8\% | .2\% | 340 |
|  | 35-49 | 52.1\% | 42.5\% | 4.7\% | .7\% | 286 |
|  | 50-64 | 42.8\% | 49.6\% | 7.6\% | 0.0\% | 190 |
|  | 65+ | 48.5\% | 40.3\% | 8.5\% | 2.7\% | 151 |
| 1986 | 18-34 | 56.3\% | 37.9\% | 5.4\% | .5\% | 535 |
|  | 35-49 | 41.9\% | 50.1\% | 7.2\% | .8\% | 415 |
|  | 50-64 | 38.6\% | 51.4\% | 8.5\% | 1.4\% | 279 |
|  | 65+ | 43.8\% | 42.3\% | 10.9\% | 3.1\% | 231 |
| 1987 | 18-34 | 56.5\% | 38.1\% | 4.5\% | . $9 \%$ | 515 |
|  | 35-49 | 49.5\% | 45.2\% | 4.7\% | .6\% | 439 |
|  | 50-64 | 48.4\% | 45.3\% | 4.7\% | 1.6\% | 277 |
|  | 65+ | 54.4\% | 36.0\% | 8.3\% | 1.3\% | 226 |
| 1988 | 18-34 | 56.5\% | 36.6\% | 5.1\% | 1.9\% | 368 |
|  | 35-49 | 54.1\% | 40.6\% | 4.9\% | . $4 \%$ | 280 |
|  | 50-64 | 46.3\% | 47.8\% | 5.9\% | 0.0\% | 171 |
|  | 65+ | 49.5\% | 40.2\% | 9.0\% | 1.2\% | 172 |
| 1989 | 18-34 | 53.9\% | 40.1\% | 5.4\% | .7\% | 371 |
|  | 35-49 | 42.7\% | 49.7\% | 6.2\% | 1.4\% | 291 |
|  | 50-64 | 41.4\% | 50.4\% | 7.4\% | .8\% | 193 |
|  | $65+$ | 48.7\% | 39.9\% | 9.8\% | 1.6\% | 161 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | AGE | CONFIDENCE IN MEDICINE (Continued) |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1990 | 18-34 | 54.1\% | 40.3\% | 5.5\% | 0.0\% | 316 |
|  | 35-49 | 36.5\% | 56.6\% | 6.7\% | . 2 \% | 270 |
|  | 50-64 | 40.8\% | 50.3\% | 6.5\% | 2.4\% | 155 |
|  | 65+ | 47.1\% | 40.4\% | 9.3\% | 3.2\% | 149 |
| 1991 | 18-34 | 54.7\% | 37.7\% | 6.8\% | .8\% | 344 |
|  | 35-49 | 47.6\% | 45.2\% | 6.2\% | 1.0\% | 328 |
|  | 50-64 | 36.1\% | 53.2\% | 10.4\% | .3\% | 189 |
|  | 65+ | 47.4\% | 40.1\% | 8.9\% | 3.6\% | 160 |
| 1993 | 18-34 | 46.1\% | 46.7\% | 6.2\% | .9\% | 338 |
|  | 35-49 | 43.0\% | 48.1\% | 8.3\% | .6\% | 362 |
|  | 50-64 | 34.5\% | 56.4\% | 7.5\% | 1.7\% | 191 |
|  | 65+ | 30.6\% | 55.1\% | 12.7\% | 1.6\% | 166 |
| 1994 | 18-34 | 48.1\% | 45.4\% | 6.6\% | 0.0\% | 635 |
|  | 35-49 | 40.3\% | 49.7\% | 9.5\% | . $5 \%$ | 651 |
|  | 50-64 | 39.0\% | 48.5\% | 12.3\% | . 3 \% | 392 |
|  | 65+ | 40.3\% | 42.1\% | 14.7\% | 2.8\% | 305 |
| 1996 | 18-34 | 52.3\% | 40.7\% | 6.5\% | .5\% | 652 |
|  | 35-49 | 41.0\% | 49.4\% | 8.7\% | 1.0\% | 639 |
|  | 50-64 | 41.5\% | 46.2\% | 10.8\% | 1.5\% | 368 |
|  | 65+ | 43.2\% | 44.0\% | 9.6\% | 3.2\% | 254 |
| 1998 | 18-34 | 47.9\% | 42.4\% | 8.2\% | 1.5\% | 628 |
|  | 35-49 | 44.1\% | 46.2\% | 8.0\% | 1.6\% | 616 |
|  | 50-64 | 42.0\% | 47.5\% | 9.7\% | .8\% | 352 |
|  | 65+ | 43.6\% | 43.6\% | 10.6\% | 2.1\% | 285 |
| 2000 | 18-34 | 55.0\% | 39.6\% | 4.7\% | .7\% | 600 |
|  | 35-49 | 41.4\% | 48.6\% | 8.9\% | 1.1\% | 631 |
|  | 50-64 | 37.2\% | 47.8\% | 13.1\% | 1.9\% | 378 |
|  | 65+ | 39.1\% | 45.1\% | 13.0\% | 2.8\% | 274 |
| 2002 | 18-34 | 37.9\% | 48.3\% | 12.1\% | 1.7\% | 263 |
|  | 35-49 | 39.5\% | 50.6\% | 9.9\% | 0.0\% | 271 |
|  | 50-64 | 32.7\% | 55.7\% | 11.6\% | 0.0\% | 211 |
|  | 65+ | 38.5\% | 50.6\% | 10.1\% | .8\% | 143 |
| 2004 | 18-34 | 47.4\% | 47.1\% | 5.5\% | 0.0\% | 273 |
|  | 35-49 | 32.3\% | 51.6\% | 15.5\% | . $5 \%$ | 282 |
|  | 50-64 | 33.9\% | 53.7\% | 12.4\% | 0.0\% | 202 |
|  | 65+ | 34.7\% | 46.8\% | 17.0\% | 1.6\% | 118 |
| 2006 | 18-34 | 47.4\% | 42.0\% | 9.7\% | . $9 \%$ | 629 |
|  | 35-49 | 34.1\% | 54.5\% | 10.5\% | . $9 \%$ | 626 |
|  | 50-64 | 35.6\% | 51.9\% | 12.4\% | .1\% | 468 |
|  | 65+ | 43.0\% | 46.8\% | 9.2\% | .9\% | 273 |
| 2008 | 18-34 | 47.6\% | 43.5\% | 9.0\% | 0.0\% | 379 |
|  | 35-49 | 35.4\% | 52.6\% | 11.3\% | .7\% | 397 |
|  | 50-64 | 32.2\% | 55.8\% | 11.9\% | .1\% | 359 |
|  | 65+ | 42.4\% | 47.5\% | 9.6\% | . $4 \%$ | 208 |
| 2010 | 18-34 | 46.5\% | 42.4\% | 10.2\% | . $9 \%$ | 423 |
|  | 35-49 | 38.6\% | 47.4\% | 13.1\% | . $9 \%$ | 357 |
|  | 50-64 | 35.4\% | 53.0\% | 11.1\% | . $5 \%$ | 362 |
|  | 65+ | 44.9\% | 45.1\% | 9.8\% | .2\% | 235 |
| 2012 | 18-34 | 44.3\% | 49.0\% | 6.7\% | 0.0\% | 394 |
|  | 35-49 | 35.3\% | 50.3\% | 12.8\% | 1.7\% | 355 |
|  | 50-64 | 34.9\% | 55.1\% | 9.5\% | . $5 \%$ | 343 |
|  | 65+ | 41.1\% | 45.2\% | 12.9\% | .7\% | 235 |

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|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | 18-34 | 17.7\% | 61.8\% | 19.7\% | .8\% | 529 |
|  | 35-49 | 17.8\% | 61.7\% | 20.0\% | . $4 \%$ | 409 |
|  | 50-64 | 18.9\% | 56.9\% | 23.9\% | .4\% | 368 |
|  | 65+ | 19.8\% | 50.9\% | 25.9\% | 3.4\% | 187 |
| 1974 | 18-34 | 24.8\% | 58.2\% | 16.5\% | .5\% | 537 |
|  | 35-49 | 18.3\% | 62.6\% | 18.1\% | 1.0\% | 382 |
|  | 50-64 | 21.4\% | 57.1\% | 19.5\% | 1.9\% | 339 |
|  | 65+ | 29.4\% | 52.5\% | 17.5\% | .6\% | 219 |
| 1975 | 18-34 | 21.3\% | 57.9\% | 20.4\% | . $3 \%$ | 561 |
|  | 35-49 | 13.2\% | 59.0\% | 24.7\% | 3.1\% | 391 |
|  | 50-64 | 16.7\% | 57.5\% | 22.8\% | 3.0\% | 322 |
|  | 65+ | 19.6\% | 48.9\% | 25.9\% | 5.6\% | 209 |
| 1976 | 18-34 | 20.9\% | 52.5\% | 25.9\% | .7\% | 578 |
|  | 35-49 | 16.5\% | 54.6\% | 27.7\% | 1.1\% | 343 |
|  | 50-64 | 15.0\% | 51.7\% | 30.4\% | 2.9\% | 349 |
|  | 65+ | 18.9\% | 52.4\% | 27.0\% | 1.8\% | 216 |
| 1977 | 18-34 | 16.3\% | 55.2\% | 27.3\% | 1.2\% | 542 |
|  | 35-49 | 13.5\% | 58.8\% | 26.3\% | 1.3\% | 405 |
|  | 50-64 | 21.8\% | 56.8\% | 20.6\% | .8\% | 374 |
|  | 65+ | 20.6\% | 52.5\% | 23.9\% | 3.0\% | 199 |
| 1978 | 18-34 | 15.5\% | 55.0\% | 28.4\% | 1.1\% | 613 |
|  | 35-49 | 11.3\% | 54.3\% | 32.8\% | 1.6\% | 372 |
|  | 50-64 | 14.0\% | 49.8\% | 34.7\% | 1.6\% | 326 |
|  | 65+ | 16.2\% | 51.2\% | 30.2\% | 2.4\% | 210 |
| 1980 | 18-34 | 14.8\% | 54.8\% | 29.9\% | .5\% | 563 |
|  | 35-49 | 10.1\% | 61.5\% | 27.2\% | 1.1\% | 368 |
|  | 50-64 | 17.6\% | 54.9\% | 25.7\% | 1.8\% | 310 |
|  | 65+ | 21.6\% | 46.4\% | 28.6\% | 3.5\% | 218 |
| 1982 | 18-34 | 14.7\% | 55.5\% | 29.6\% | .3\% | 605 |
|  | 35-49 | 13.7\% | 56.4\% | 28.4\% | 1.5\% | 336 |
|  | 50-64 | 12.0\% | 63.8\% | 23.1\% | 1.1\% | 327 |
|  | 65+ | 16.8\% | 57.6\% | 23.6\% | 2.0\% | 228 |
| 1983 | 18-34 | 13.8\% | 57.4\% | 28.2\% | .6\% | 625 |
|  | 35-49 | 11.2\% | 56.3\% | 31.5\% | 1.0\% | 406 |
|  | 50-64 | 10.6\% | 58.3\% | 28.3\% | 2.7\% | 337 |
|  | 65+ | 12.6\% | 60.6\% | 22.7\% | 4.1\% | 221 |
| 1984 | 18-34 | 15.3\% | 57.0\% | 26.8\% | . $9 \%$ | 341 |
|  | 35-49 | 11.2\% | 57.5\% | 30.8\% | .5\% | 287 |
|  | 50-64 | 12.0\% | 56.9\% | 30.0\% | 1.1\% | 190 |
|  | 65+ | 13.7\% | 56.7\% | 28.2\% | 1.4\% | 150 |
| 1986 | 18-34 | 18.5\% | 55.4\% | 25.5\% | .7\% | 534 |
|  | 35-49 | 10.9\% | 56.4\% | 31.6\% | 1.1\% | 415 |
|  | 50-64 | 13.7\% | 54.7\% | 30.7\% | .9\% | 279 |
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| 1987 | 18-34 | 11.5\% | 59.4\% | 28.2\% | .9\% | 514 |
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| 1988 | 18-34 | 15.7\% | 57.1\% | 25.6\% | 1.6\% | 366 |
|  | 35-49 | 11.6\% | 60.3\% | 27.3\% | .8\% | 280 |
|  | 50-64 | 15.5\% | 59.6\% | 23.7\% | 1.3\% | 168 |
|  | 65+ | 14.0\% | 58.1\% | 27.3\% | .6\% | 171 |
| 1989 | 18-34 | 16.7\% | 57.2\% | 24.4\% | 1.8\% | 371 |
|  | 35-49 | 11.2\% | 57.8\% | 29.6\% | 1.4\% | 292 |
|  | 50-64 | 10.9\% | 48.0\% | 37.9\% | 3.2\% | 193 |
|  | $65+$ | 14.9\% | 48.4\% | 33.2\% | 3.5\% | 161 |

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| 1990 | 18-34 | 17.1\% | 57.0\% | 24.5\% | 1.3\% | 316 |
|  | 35-49 | 8.4\% | 58.4\% | 33.0\% | . $2 \%$ | 272 |
|  | 50-64 | 14.7\% | 54.8\% | 26.7\% | 3.8\% | 155 |
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|  | 50-64 | 8.7\% | 51.3\% | 39.7\% | . $3 \%$ | 189 |
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| 1993 | 18-34 | 13.4\% | 53.6\% | 32.2\% | .8\% | 338 |
|  | 35-49 | 10.4\% | 51.3\% | 37.3\% | 1.0\% | 362 |
|  | 50-64 | 10.1\% | 50.7\% | 38.4\% | .8\% | 193 |
|  | 65+ | 12.1\% | 47.0\% | 40.0\% | 1.0\% | 166 |
| 1994 | 18-34 | 13.6\% | 50.7\% | 35.3\% | . $4 \%$ | 635 |
|  | 35-49 | 6.5\% | 48.1\% | 44.6\% | .7\% | 650 |
|  | 50-64 | 7.9\% | 51.5\% | 40.1\% | .6\% | 389 |
|  | 65+ | 10.0\% | 52.1\% | 35.8\% | 2.1\% | 304 |
| 1996 | 18-34 | 14.2\% | 47.7\% | 36.5\% | 1.6\% | 652 |
|  | 35-49 | 6.7\% | 47.5\% | 43.9\% | 1.9\% | 637 |
|  | 50-64 | 9.5\% | 43.0\% | 46.6\% | . $9 \%$ | 365 |
|  | 65+ | 11.5\% | 40.4\% | 42.1\% | 6.0\% | 254 |
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|  | 65+ | 10.4\% | 49.4\% | 36.9\% | 3.3\% | 285 |
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|  | 35-49 | 7.9\% | 47.9\% | 42.6\% | 1.7\% | 631 |
|  | 50-64 | 8.0\% | 48.1\% | 43.0\% | .9\% | 377 |
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| 2002 | 18-34 | 12.7\% | 44.3\% | 42.2\% | .8\% | 263 |
|  | 35-49 | 8.4\% | 53.3\% | 37.7\% | .6\% | 271 |
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|  | 35-49 | 7.9\% | 49.0\% | 43.2\% | 0.0\% | 282 |
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| 2006 | 18-34 | 10.1\% | 47.6\% | 40.6\% | 1.8\% | 630 |
|  | 35-49 | 7.5\% | 52.2\% | 39.7\% | .6\% | 626 |
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|  | 35-49 | 9.1\% | 51.1\% | 39.1\% | .7\% | 397 |
|  | 50-64 | 8.7\% | 54.2\% | 36.2\% | .9\% | 359 |
|  | 65+ | 8.2\% | 53.5\% | 36.5\% | 1.9\% | 208 |
| 2010 | 18-34 | 14.4\% | 47.6\% | 37.1\% | . $9 \%$ | 422 |
|  | 35-49 | 13.2\% | 48.4\% | 37.9\% | . $5 \%$ | 357 |
|  | 50-64 | 8.8\% | 54.9\% | 35.3\% | 1.0\% | 362 |
|  | 65+ | 15.1\% | 51.3\% | 33.4\% | . $2 \%$ | 235 |
| 2012 | 18-34 | 14.9\% | 48.4\% | 36.4\% | . $3 \%$ | 394 |
|  | 35-49 | 8.5\% | 47.2\% | 42.1\% | 2.1\% | 355 |
|  | 50-64 | 6.8\% | 45.1\% | 45.8\% | 2.4\% | 343 |
|  | $65+$ | 10.0\% | 49.6\% | 38.1\% | 2.3\% | 234 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | AGE | CONFID. IN UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | 18-34 | 28.9\% | 56.5\% | 12.9\% | 1.7\% | 530 |
|  | 35-49 | 32.1\% | 51.9\% | 14.2\% | 1.8\% | 412 |
|  | 50-64 | 31.1\% | 47.2\% | 18.6\% | 3.1\% | 367 |
|  | 65+ | 34.3\% | 39.3\% | 17.0\% | 9.4\% | 185 |
| 1974 | 18-34 | 33.9\% | 51.5\% | 12.5\% | 2.2\% | 538 |
|  | 35-49 | 35.3\% | 49.3\% | 12.8\% | 2.6\% | 382 |
|  | 50-64 | 32.3\% | 43.8\% | 19.3\% | 4.7\% | 341 |
|  | 65+ | 28.4\% | 42.5\% | 18.4\% | 10.7\% | 218 |
| 1975 | 18-34 | 31.7\% | 51.3\% | 14.8\% | 2.2\% | 558 |
|  | 35-49 | 27.5\% | 46.7\% | 21.1\% | 4.6\% | 391 |
|  | 50-64 | 32.0\% | 44.9\% | 20.3\% | 2.7\% | 323 |
|  | 65+ | 29.0\% | 39.3\% | 20.5\% | 11.2\% | 209 |
| 1976 | 18-34 | 35.9\% | 49.1\% | 11.3\% | 3.8\% | 578 |
|  | 35-49 | 31.0\% | 48.0\% | 17.1\% | 3.9\% | 344 |
|  | 50-64 | 38.2\% | 38.2\% | 16.4\% | 7.2\% | 349 |
|  | 65+ | 27.4\% | 41.6\% | 23.1\% | 7.9\% | 215 |
| 1977 | 18-34 | 35.0\% | 53.6\% | 8.9\% | 2.5\% | 543 |
|  | 35-49 | 33.3\% | 51.6\% | 11.5\% | 3.7\% | 405 |
|  | 50-64 | 41.5\% | 44.4\% | 11.0\% | 3.1\% | 373 |
|  | 65+ | 32.3\% | 46.9\% | 12.0\% | 8.8\% | 197 |
| 1978 | 18-34 | 28.6\% | 56.4\% | 13.1\% | 1.9\% | 613 |
|  | 35-49 | 28.3\% | 53.7\% | 15.9\% | 2.0\% | 372 |
|  | 50-64 | 30.9\% | 48.8\% | 16.5\% | 3.7\% | 326 |
|  | 65+ | 24.9\% | 47.7\% | 16.3\% | 11.0\% | 211 |
| 1980 | 18-34 | 29.4\% | 52.2\% | 16.0\% | 2.5\% | 563 |
|  | 35-49 | 20.1\% | 55.6\% | 21.3\% | 3.1\% | 368 |
|  | 50-64 | 21.7\% | 50.4\% | 22.0\% | 5.9\% | 311 |
|  | 65+ | 21.8\% | 43.1\% | 22.5\% | 12.6\% | 218 |
| 1982 | 18-34 | 31.2\% | 54.3\% | 13.2\% | 1.2\% | 605 |
|  | 35-49 | 29.5\% | 54.7\% | 12.6\% | 3.2\% | 336 |
|  | 50-64 | 32.3\% | 55.2\% | 10.3\% | 2.2\% | 326 |
|  | 65+ | 29.3\% | 48.4\% | 12.7\% | 9.5\% | 227 |
| 1983 | 18-34 | 30.8\% | 57.4\% | 10.1\% | 1.7\% | 625 |
|  | 35-49 | 23.7\% | 56.3\% | 18.2\% | 1.9\% | 406 |
|  | 50-64 | 24.8\% | 52.3\% | 17.6\% | 5.2\% | 338 |
|  | 65+ | 27.9\% | 49.4\% | 14.8\% | 7.9\% | 219 |
| 1984 | 18-34 | 42.8\% | 45.2\% | 10.3\% | 1.7\% | 341 |
|  | 35-49 | 26.8\% | 56.0\% | 14.4\% | 2.7\% | 287 |
|  | 50-64 | 27.1\% | 56.4\% | 12.9\% | 3.6\% | 189 |
|  | 65+ | 33.8\% | 47.1\% | 14.3\% | 4.8\% | 151 |
| 1986 | 18-34 | 37.0\% | 49.0\% | 11.5\% | 2.5\% | 535 |
|  | 35-49 | 29.2\% | 55.5\% | 13.6\% | 1.7\% | 414 |
|  | 50-64 | 25.0\% | 55.7\% | 15.9\% | 3.4\% | 278 |
|  | 65+ | 24.2\% | 51.0\% | 17.6\% | 7.3\% | 229 |
| 1987 | 18-34 | 42.8\% | 46.7\% | 8.2\% | 2.3\% | 515 |
|  | 35-49 | 35.5\% | 53.3\% | 8.8\% | 2.4\% | 439 |
|  | 50-64 | 34.1\% | 47.0\% | 12.9\% | 6.0\% | 278 |
|  | 65+ | 32.6\% | 49.2\% | 11.9\% | 6.3\% | 225 |
| 1988 | 18-34 | 40.6\% | 46.2\% | 9.0\% | 4.2\% | 368 |
|  | 35-49 | 34.2\% | 57.0\% | 6.1\% | 2.7\% | 279 |
|  | 50-64 | 30.6\% | 53.1\% | 13.1\% | 3.1\% | 170 |
|  | 65+ | 29.3\% | 46.6\% | 16.0\% | 8.0\% | 172 |
| 1989 | 18-34 | 39.0\% | 50.1\% | 9.4\% | 1.5\% | 371 |
|  | 35-49 | 34.3\% | 56.9\% | 6.1\% | 2.6\% | 292 |
|  | 50-64 | 29.4\% | 51.1\% | 11.9\% | 7.7\% | 193 |
|  | $65+$ | 31.1\% | 41.5\% | 15.7\% | 11.6\% | 162 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | AGE | CONFID. IN UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT (Continued) |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1990 | 18-34 | 37.3\% | 45.9\% | 12.4\% | 4.4\% | 316 |
|  | 35-49 | 34.4\% | 48.8\% | 13.7\% | 3.1\% | 272 |
|  | 50-64 | 29.1\% | 54.8\% | 11.6\% | 4.5\% | 155 |
|  | 65+ | 33.9\% | 47.1\% | 12.9\% | 6.1\% | 149 |
| 1991 | 18-34 | 43.8\% | 42.7\% | 9.6\% | 3.9\% | 343 |
|  | 35-49 | 37.0\% | 48.9\% | 12.0\% | 2.1\% | 328 |
|  | 50-64 | 29.0\% | 48.7\% | 19.4\% | 2.8\% | 189 |
|  | 65+ | 34.7\% | 44.3\% | 12.3\% | 8.7\% | 159 |
| 1993 | 18-34 | 32.7\% | 52.0\% | 13.9\% | 1.4\% | 338 |
|  | 35-49 | 32.6\% | 52.0\% | 13.0\% | 2.3\% | 362 |
|  | 50-64 | 25.8\% | 55.9\% | 10.7\% | 7.7\% | 193 |
|  | 65+ | 25.4\% | 51.1\% | 16.5\% | 7.0\% | 166 |
| 1994 | 18-34 | 34.6\% | 50.0\% | 13.8\% | 1.6\% | 635 |
|  | 35-49 | 30.3\% | 52.7\% | 14.8\% | 2.2\% | 651 |
|  | 50-64 | 29.3\% | 51.5\% | 16.0\% | 3.2\% | 392 |
|  | 65+ | 29.0\% | 41.7\% | 21.3\% | 8.0\% | 305 |
| 1996 | 18-34 | 29.0\% | 48.2\% | 18.4\% | 4.3\% | 651 |
|  | 35-49 | 26.6\% | 54.2\% | 15.0\% | 4.3\% | 638 |
|  | 50-64 | 29.2\% | 46.1\% | 20.2\% | 4.4\% | 368 |
|  | 65+ | 29.1\% | 45.5\% | 15.8\% | 9.6\% | 254 |
| 1998 | 18-34 | 34.6\% | 47.3\% | 14.6\% | 3.5\% | 628 |
|  | 35-49 | 27.9\% | 55.0\% | 13.2\% | 3.8\% | 615 |
|  | 50-64 | 28.6\% | 52.7\% | 15.9\% | 2.8\% | 352 |
|  | 65+ | 33.6\% | 44.6\% | 11.8\% | 10.0\% | 285 |
| 2000 | 18-34 | 38.5\% | 45.6\% | 10.6\% | 5.2\% | 600 |
|  | 35-49 | 30.8\% | 52.7\% | 11.7\% | 4.8\% | 631 |
|  | 50-64 | 28.1\% | 56.2\% | 12.9\% | 2.8\% | 378 |
|  | 65+ | 28.7\% | 40.9\% | 17.0\% | 13.4\% | 274 |
| 2002 | 18-34 | 43.0\% | 42.2\% | 10.6\% | 4.2\% | 263 |
|  | 35-49 | 34.2\% | 53.9\% | 9.7\% | 2.3\% | 271 |
|  | 50-64 | 29.7\% | 54.9\% | 11.1\% | 4.2\% | 210 |
|  | 65+ | 36.2\% | 47.1\% | 12.5\% | 4.3\% | 143 |
| 2004 | 18-34 | 40.6\% | 45.3\% | 13.5\% | .7\% | 273 |
|  | 35-49 | 29.5\% | 57.7\% | 11.4\% | 1.5\% | 282 |
|  | 50-64 | 25.5\% | 54.2\% | 19.6\% | .7\% | 202 |
|  | 65+ | 26.1\% | 54.1\% | 15.9\% | 3.9\% | 118 |
| 2006 | 18-34 | 36.1\% | 47.4\% | 11.3\% | 5.2\% | 629 |
|  | 35-49 | 29.3\% | 49.6\% | 17.5\% | 3.6\% | 625 |
|  | 50-64 | 30.4\% | 51.3\% | 16.7\% | 1.6\% | 468 |
|  | 65+ | 36.4\% | 46.7\% | 12.8\% | 4.1\% | 273 |
| 2008 | 18-34 | 30.8\% | 53.5\% | 13.2\% | 2.4\% | 379 |
|  | 35-49 | 33.6\% | 54.0\% | 11.0\% | 1.3\% | 397 |
|  | 50-64 | 30.1\% | 51.3\% | 15.9\% | 2.7\% | 359 |
|  | 65+ | 26.4\% | 52.3\% | 16.9\% | 4.4\% | 208 |
| 2010 | 18-34 | 31.8\% | 48.5\% | 16.7\% | 3.0\% | 423 |
|  | 35-49 | 29.6\% | 52.2\% | 17.0\% | 1.2\% | 354 |
|  | 50-64 | 27.0\% | 54.1\% | 16.7\% | 2.2\% | 361 |
|  | 65+ | 30.7\% | 48.1\% | 17.7\% | 3.5\% | 235 |
| 2012 | 18-34 | 28.4\% | 56.7\% | 12.9\% | 2.0\% | 393 |
|  | 35-49 | 30.1\% | 50.0\% | 16.4\% | 3.5\% | 355 |
|  | 50-64 | 32.1\% | 48.9\% | 16.5\% | 2.4\% | 342 |
|  | $65+$ | 22.1\% | 56.5\% | 18.2\% | 3.2\% | 235 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | AGE | CONFIDENCE IN SCIENTIFIC COMMUNITY |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | 18-34 | 40.1\% | 47.5\% | 6.1\% | 6.3\% | 529 |
|  | 35-49 | 35.2\% | 52.5\% | 5.5\% | 6.8\% | 409 |
|  | 50-64 | 37.7\% | 44.3\% | 6.8\% | 11.1\% | 367 |
|  | 65+ | 31.4\% | 43.4\% | 5.1\% | 20.1\% | 187 |
| 1974 | 18-34 | 51.6\% | 38.0\% | 5.9\% | 4.5\% | 536 |
|  | 35-49 | 42.1\% | 44.2\% | 6.7\% | 7.0\% | 382 |
|  | 50-64 | 46.6\% | 31.3\% | 8.3\% | 13.7\% | 341 |
|  | 65+ | 34.3\% | 35.6\% | 6.6\% | 23.5\% | 219 |
| 1975 | 18-34 | 40.3\% | 48.3\% | 5.8\% | 5.6\% | 561 |
|  | 35-49 | 37.5\% | 47.7\% | 7.0\% | 7.8\% | 390 |
|  | 50-64 | 39.4\% | 40.7\% | 6.5\% | 13.4\% | 323 |
|  | 65+ | 25.2\% | 42.4\% | 8.5\% | 23.9\% | 209 |
| 1976 | 18-34 | 46.4\% | 37.6\% | 8.1\% | 7.9\% | 576 |
|  | 35-49 | 44.1\% | 38.9\% | 6.4\% | 10.6\% | 342 |
|  | 50-64 | 39.2\% | 40.6\% | 8.0\% | 12.2\% | 348 |
|  | 65+ | 36.9\% | 38.3\% | 7.4\% | 17.3\% | 216 |
| 1977 | 18-34 | 42.0\% | 47.9\% | 5.3\% | 4.8\% | 542 |
|  | 35-49 | 40.0\% | 48.8\% | 3.5\% | 7.7\% | 405 |
|  | 50-64 | 48.2\% | 40.3\% | 4.1\% | 7.4\% | 375 |
|  | 65+ | 28.0\% | 47.1\% | 9.1\% | 15.9\% | 196 |
| 1978 | 18-34 | 36.3\% | 50.0\% | 8.0\% | 5.8\% | 613 |
|  | 35-49 | 36.3\% | 50.9\% | 6.5\% | 6.3\% | 372 |
|  | 50-64 | 37.2\% | 49.8\% | 6.4\% | 6.7\% | 326 |
|  | 65+ | 30.2\% | 42.3\% | 10.4\% | 17.1\% | 210 |
| 1980 | 18-34 | 46.3\% | 42.1\% | 6.2\% | 5.5\% | 562 |
|  | 35-49 | 38.2\% | 49.7\% | 5.6\% | 6.6\% | 366 |
|  | 50-64 | 40.9\% | 40.2\% | 9.6\% | 9.4\% | 310 |
|  | 65+ | 32.0\% | 42.2\% | 6.4\% | 19.4\% | 216 |
| 1982 | 18-34 | 44.2\% | 43.3\% | 8.2\% | 4.4\% | 605 |
|  | 35-49 | 34.6\% | 52.7\% | 5.7\% | 7.1\% | 336 |
|  | 50-64 | 38.8\% | 49.4\% | 3.8\% | 7.9\% | 326 |
|  | 65+ | 31.9\% | 42.8\% | 3.2\% | 22.1\% | 226 |
| 1983 | 18-34 | 47.0\% | 45.7\% | 4.6\% | 2.6\% | 625 |
|  | 35-49 | 39.4\% | 53.3\% | 3.4\% | 4.0\% | 406 |
|  | 50-64 | 38.8\% | 45.0\% | 7.8\% | 8.4\% | 337 |
|  | 65+ | 36.0\% | 40.4\% | 7.9\% | 15.7\% | 219 |
| 1984 | 18-34 | 49.5\% | 40.5\% | 7.3\% | 2.7\% | 340 |
|  | 35-49 | 45.2\% | 45.9\% | 2.9\% | 6.0\% | 286 |
|  | 50-64 | 41.4\% | 47.4\% | 5.2\% | 6.0\% | 190 |
|  | 65+ | 36.8\% | 45.7\% | 8.2\% | 9.3\% | 150 |
| 1986 | 18-34 | 45.5\% | 46.0\% | 5.4\% | 3.1\% | 535 |
|  | 35-49 | 41.7\% | 48.9\% | 4.9\% | 4.5\% | 415 |
|  | 50-64 | 33.0\% | 52.9\% | 10.1\% | 4.0\% | 279 |
|  | 65+ | 29.5\% | 47.5\% | 11.4\% | 11.6\% | 229 |
| 1987 | 18-34 | 48.7\% | 42.3\% | 6.4\% | 2.7\% | 514 |
|  | 35-49 | 45.7\% | 45.9\% | 4.4\% | 4.0\% | 439 |
|  | 50-64 | 44.3\% | 43.0\% | 6.0\% | 6.7\% | 278 |
|  | 65+ | 36.9\% | 38.7\% | 8.1\% | 16.3\% | 223 |
| 1988 | 18-34 | 45.0\% | 43.2\% | 6.1\% | 5.7\% | 365 |
|  | 35-49 | 39.5\% | 51.6\% | 4.7\% | 4.2\% | 280 |
|  | 50-64 | 35.2\% | 51.2\% | 3.7\% | 9.9\% | 172 |
|  | 65+ | 31.2\% | 47.8\% | 5.9\% | 15.1\% | 172 |
| 1989 | 18-34 | 47.4\% | 41.5\% | 5.1\% | 6.1\% | 371 |
|  | 35-49 | 39.9\% | 48.9\% | 5.1\% | 6.1\% | 292 |
|  | 50-64 | 32.4\% | 52.7\% | 8.3\% | 6.7\% | 191 |
|  | 65+ | 38.5\% | 36.6\% | 7.3\% | 17.7\% | 162 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | AGE | CONFIDENCE IN SCIENTIFIC COMMUNITY (Continued) |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1990 | 18-34 | 38.2\% | 47.2\% | 6.9\% | 7.7\% | 316 |
|  | 35-49 | 43.6\% | 44.4\% | 7.5\% | 4.5\% | 270 |
|  | 50-64 | 30.1\% | 53.4\% | 5.8\% | 10.6\% | 155 |
|  | 65+ | 34.3\% | 45.0\% | 5.7\% | 15.0\% | 149 |
| 1991 | 18-34 | 44.7\% | 42.7\% | 6.3\% | 6.3\% | 344 |
|  | 35-49 | 47.2\% | 43.9\% | 5.2\% | 3.7\% | 328 |
|  | 50-64 | 23.9\% | 59.2\% | 11.5\% | 5.4\% | 189 |
|  | 65+ | 34.0\% | 47.9\% | 5.0\% | 13.2\% | 161 |
| 1993 | 18-34 | 44.4\% | 45.2\% | 6.6\% | 3.9\% | 338 |
|  | 35-49 | 38.2\% | 49.1\% | 7.0\% | 5.7\% | 362 |
|  | 50-64 | 32.5\% | 53.2\% | 4.4\% | 9.9\% | 192 |
|  | 65+ | 28.6\% | 45.0\% | 10.3\% | 16.1\% | 164 |
| 1994 | 18-34 | 44.8\% | 44.8\% | 7.2\% | 3.2\% | 635 |
|  | 35-49 | 40.8\% | 51.1\% | 5.3\% | 2.8\% | 649 |
|  | 50-64 | 35.5\% | 50.7\% | 9.0\% | 4.8\% | 391 |
|  | 65+ | 28.8\% | 53.8\% | 6.6\% | 10.8\% | 305 |
| 1996 | 18-34 | 42.1\% | 46.2\% | 6.3\% | 5.5\% | 650 |
|  | 35-49 | 38.7\% | 46.4\% | 7.6\% | 7.2\% | 639 |
|  | 50-64 | 40.6\% | 43.0\% | 9.7\% | 6.7\% | 365 |
|  | 65+ | 35.0\% | 41.8\% | 9.0\% | 14.2\% | 253 |
| 1998 | 18-34 | 45.5\% | 40.2\% | 8.6\% | 5.8\% | 629 |
|  | 35-49 | 37.6\% | 49.3\% | 7.2\% | 6.0\% | 615 |
|  | 50-64 | 37.5\% | 48.1\% | 9.1\% | 5.3\% | 352 |
|  | 65+ | 34.5\% | 43.4\% | 7.8\% | 14.3\% | 284 |
| 2000 | 18-34 | 45.7\% | 42.1\% | 7.8\% | 4.4\% | 600 |
|  | 35-49 | 42.8\% | 45.3\% | 6.4\% | 5.6\% | 631 |
|  | 50-64 | 35.9\% | 49.3\% | 7.7\% | 7.1\% | 378 |
|  | 65+ | 36.7\% | 36.9\% | 7.8\% | 18.7\% | 276 |
| 2002 | 18-34 | 35.8\% | 51.5\% | 8.9\% | 3.8\% | 263 |
|  | 35-49 | 37.4\% | 50.6\% | 7.6\% | 4.3\% | 271 |
|  | 50-64 | 40.9\% | 44.9\% | 6.6\% | 7.7\% | 211 |
|  | 65+ | 33.1\% | 43.6\% | 12.1\% | 11.3\% | 143 |
| 2004 | 18-34 | 48.8\% | 44.3\% | 3.9\% | 3.0\% | 273 |
|  | 35-49 | 35.8\% | 55.1\% | 6.6\% | 2.5\% | 282 |
|  | 50-64 | 43.6\% | 48.1\% | 6.2\% | 2.1\% | 201 |
|  | 65+ | 36.2\% | 45.7\% | 9.5\% | 8.6\% | 118 |
| 2006 | 18-34 | 46.2\% | 42.3\% | 6.2\% | 5.3\% | 630 |
|  | 35-49 | 38.9\% | 52.7\% | 4.8\% | 3.6\% | 625 |
|  | 50-64 | 38.5\% | 50.9\% | 7.1\% | 3.5\% | 468 |
|  | 65+ | 38.1\% | 46.9\% | 6.8\% | 8.2\% | 273 |
| 2008 | 18-34 | 43.0\% | 46.8\% | 5.9\% | 4.3\% | 379 |
|  | 35-49 | 42.8\% | 50.8\% | 3.9\% | 2.4\% | 397 |
|  | 50-64 | 35.4\% | 54.3\% | 6.6\% | 3.6\% | 359 |
|  | 65+ | 28.8\% | 54.1\% | 6.6\% | 10.5\% | 208 |
| 2010 | 18-34 | 42.2\% | 48.1\% | 6.2\% | 3.4\% | 422 |
|  | 35-49 | 41.5\% | 48.3\% | 6.5\% | 3.7\% | 353 |
|  | 50-64 | 36.1\% | 54.9\% | 5.6\% | 3.4\% | 361 |
|  | 65+ | 43.2\% | 43.7\% | 6.3\% | 6.8\% | 235 |
| 2012 | 18-34 | 46.1\% | 44.0\% | 6.7\% | 3.3\% | 394 |
|  | 35-49 | 39.3\% | 49.2\% | 7.0\% | 4.4\% | 355 |
|  | 50-64 | 35.8\% | 53.3\% | 8.3\% | 2.6\% | 342 |
|  | $65+$ | 35.2\% | 48.8\% | 4.9\% | 11.1\% | 235 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | AGE | CONFIDENCE IN CONGRESS |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | 18-34 | 21.7\% | 62.6\% | 14.4\% | 1.3\% | 529 |
|  | 35-49 | 24.7\% | 56.5\% | 16.8\% | 2.0\% | 411 |
|  | 50-64 | 24.0\% | 58.3\% | 15.5\% | 2.1\% | 368 |
|  | 65+ | 24.3\% | 54.4\% | 14.0\% | 7.4\% | 187 |
| 1974 | 18-34 | 14.0\% | 64.8\% | 19.2\% | 2.0\% | 536 |
|  | 35-49 | 20.8\% | 56.6\% | 20.8\% | 1.8\% | 382 |
|  | 50-64 | 17.0\% | 55.3\% | 23.4\% | 4.4\% | 341 |
|  | 65+ | 17.9\% | 56.4\% | 21.2\% | 4.5\% | 218 |
| 1975 | 18-34 | 11.5\% | 61.2\% | 24.7\% | 2.7\% | 561 |
|  | 35-49 | 11.9\% | 59.2\% | 26.3\% | 2.5\% | 391 |
|  | 50-64 | 17.1\% | 57.7\% | 22.4\% | 2.7\% | 322 |
|  | 65+ | 14.2\% | 49.8\% | 30.9\% | 5.1\% | 210 |
| 1976 | 18-34 | 11.4\% | 61.3\% | 25.2\% | 2.0\% | 578 |
|  | 35-49 | 12.4\% | 61.6\% | 24.1\% | 1.8\% | 344 |
|  | 50-64 | 16.4\% | 52.8\% | 27.9\% | 2.9\% | 349 |
|  | 65+ | 13.8\% | 54.0\% | 29.0\% | 3.1\% | 217 |
| 1977 | 18-34 | 14.0\% | 68.0\% | 16.1\% | 1.9\% | 543 |
|  | 35-49 | 16.2\% | 62.2\% | 18.7\% | 2.9\% | 405 |
|  | 50-64 | 27.6\% | 54.3\% | 15.6\% | 2.5\% | 374 |
|  | 65+ | 22.6\% | 53.8\% | 18.3\% | 5.3\% | 197 |
| 1978 | 18-34 | 12.5\% | 61.7\% | 24.4\% | 1.4\% | 613 |
|  | 35-49 | 12.9\% | 66.9\% | 17.3\% | 2.9\% | 372 |
|  | 50-64 | 14.3\% | 60.0\% | 23.0\% | 2.6\% | 326 |
|  | 65+ | 10.8\% | 64.1\% | 17.6\% | 7.5\% | 210 |
| 1980 | 18-34 | 9.3\% | 57.2\% | 31.6\% | 1.9\% | 563 |
|  | 35-49 | 7.2\% | 54.7\% | 34.4\% | 3.6\% | 368 |
|  | 50-64 | 8.4\% | 54.0\% | 34.5\% | 3.1\% | 311 |
|  | 65+ | 11.5\% | 47.4\% | 33.8\% | 7.3\% | 218 |
| 1982 | 18-34 | 10.8\% | 64.7\% | 23.6\% | .9\% | 605 |
|  | 35-49 | 11.8\% | 64.2\% | 22.9\% | 1.1\% | 335 |
|  | 50-64 | 16.7\% | 59.2\% | 22.7\% | 1.3\% | 327 |
|  | 65+ | 15.4\% | 57.7\% | 21.9\% | 5.0\% | 228 |
| 1983 | 18-34 | 9.3\% | 65.3\% | 23.3\% | 2.1\% | 625 |
|  | 35-49 | 8.1\% | 66.1\% | 23.9\% | 1.9\% | 406 |
|  | 50-64 | 10.2\% | 64.9\% | 21.0\% | 3.9\% | 337 |
|  | 65+ | 14.9\% | 58.6\% | 21.9\% | 4.7\% | 217 |
| 1984 | 18-34 | 16.6\% | 63.5\% | 18.6\% | 1.2\% | 341 |
|  | 35-49 | 10.7\% | 63.3\% | 24.1\% | 2.0\% | 286 |
|  | 50-64 | 10.1\% | 63.8\% | 24.7\% | 1.4\% | 189 |
|  | 65+ | 11.7\% | 67.7\% | 18.9\% | 1.7\% | 150 |
| 1986 | 18-34 | 19.4\% | 61.0\% | 17.9\% | 1.7\% | 535 |
|  | 35-49 | 12.7\% | 63.3\% | 21.6\% | 2.3\% | 415 |
|  | 50-64 | 13.0\% | 65.0\% | 19.9\% | 2.2\% | 279 |
|  | 65+ | 18.3\% | 57.4\% | 20.5\% | 3.7\% | 231 |
| 1987 | 18-34 | 16.8\% | 65.3\% | 16.6\% | 1.4\% | 515 |
|  | 35-49 | 16.1\% | 64.9\% | 16.2\% | 2.8\% | 439 |
|  | 50-64 | 18.7\% | 55.5\% | 22.1\% | 3.6\% | 278 |
|  | 65+ | 16.1\% | 60.2\% | 17.4\% | 6.3\% | 226 |
| 1988 | 18-34 | 21.1\% | 58.1\% | 16.6\% | 4.2\% | 368 |
|  | 35-49 | 13.9\% | 67.9\% | 16.7\% | 1.5\% | 280 |
|  | 50-64 | 12.0\% | 59.3\% | 24.7\% | 4.0\% | 172 |
|  | 65+ | 11.7\% | 60.5\% | 23.8\% | 4.0\% | 172 |
| 1989 | 18-34 | 20.4\% | 61.2\% | 16.5\% | 1.9\% | 371 |
|  | 35-49 | 16.1\% | 59.0\% | 22.9\% | 1.9\% | 292 |
|  | 50-64 | 14.0\% | 57.9\% | 24.3\% | 3.7\% | 193 |
|  | 65+ | 17.3\% | 51.9\% | 24.2\% | 6.6\% | 162 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | AGE | CONFIDENCE IN CONGRESS (Continued) |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1990 | 18-34 | 20.7\% | 57.0\% | 19.8\% | 2.5\% | 316 |
|  | 35-49 | 10.8\% | 62.5\% | 24.3\% | 2.4\% | 271 |
|  | 50-64 | 14.7\% | 59.6\% | 20.9\% | 4.8\% | 155 |
|  | 65+ | 15.1\% | 53.4\% | 27.6\% | 3.9\% | 148 |
| 1991 | 18-34 | 22.0\% | 57.0\% | 18.9\% | 2.2\% | 343 |
|  | 35-49 | 17.1\% | 54.6\% | 27.3\% | 1.0\% | 327 |
|  | 50-64 | 13.2\% | 48.5\% | 36.1\% | 2.3\% | 189 |
|  | 65+ | 14.3\% | 54.3\% | 24.7\% | 6.7\% | 159 |
| 1993 | 18-34 | 7.3\% | 56.1\% | 35.8\% | .8\% | 338 |
|  | 35-49 | 6.6\% | 47.4\% | 43.7\% | 2.3\% | 362 |
|  | 50-64 | 4.9\% | 45.5\% | 46.6\% | 3.0\% | 193 |
|  | 65+ | 6.3\% | 49.5\% | 41.0\% | 3.2\% | 166 |
| 1994 | 18-34 | 8.3\% | 52.0\% | 37.7\% | 2.0\% | 634 |
|  | 35-49 | 6.4\% | 50.2\% | 42.2\% | 1.2\% | 647 |
|  | 50-64 | 8.0\% | 50.8\% | 39.6\% | 1.5\% | 391 |
|  | 65+ | 11.0\% | 47.3\% | 36.3\% | 5.3\% | 304 |
| 1996 | 18-34 | 7.3\% | 48.8\% | 40.4\% | 3.5\% | 650 |
|  | 35-49 | 5.9\% | 46.3\% | 45.1\% | 2.7\% | 638 |
|  | 50-64 | 7.7\% | 44.7\% | 45.7\% | 1.9\% | 366 |
|  | 65+ | 9.4\% | 47.9\% | 38.5\% | 4.3\% | 254 |
| 1998 | 18-34 | 12.1\% | 56.6\% | 28.2\% | 3.1\% | 628 |
|  | 35-49 | 10.1\% | 55.9\% | 31.2\% | 2.9\% | 614 |
|  | 50-64 | 8.0\% | 58.0\% | 33.1\% | .9\% | 352 |
|  | 65+ | 10.1\% | 54.2\% | 29.8\% | 6.0\% | 284 |
| 2000 | 18-34 | 16.1\% | 57.0\% | 23.1\% | 3.8\% | 600 |
|  | 35-49 | 10.9\% | 57.1\% | 27.7\% | 4.4\% | 631 |
|  | 50-64 | 11.9\% | 54.7\% | 30.7\% | 2.8\% | 378 |
|  | 65+ | 9.8\% | 47.1\% | 34.1\% | 9.0\% | 274 |
| 2002 | 18-34 | 17.2\% | 55.9\% | 23.3\% | 3.6\% | 263 |
|  | 35-49 | 15.0\% | 59.3\% | 23.7\% | 2.1\% | 271 |
|  | 50-64 | 9.8\% | 60.5\% | 27.9\% | 1.9\% | 210 |
|  | 65+ | 10.9\% | 60.3\% | 26.8\% | 1.9\% | 143 |
| 2004 | 18-34 | 21.6\% | 57.9\% | 19.0\% | 1.5\% | 273 |
|  | 35-49 | 13.0\% | 60.0\% | 26.0\% | 1.0\% | 282 |
|  | 50-64 | 9.5\% | 55.5\% | 35.0\% | 0.0\% | 201 |
|  | 65+ | 11.8\% | 62.6\% | 23.6\% | 2.0\% | 118 |
| 2006 | 18-34 | 18.5\% | 57.5\% | 21.6\% | 2.4\% | 630 |
|  | 35-49 | 9.1\% | 52.9\% | 35.8\% | 2.2\% | 625 |
|  | 50-64 | 7.5\% | 48.6\% | 42.1\% | 1.7\% | 468 |
|  | 65+ | 8.9\% | 49.8\% | 38.5\% | 2.8\% | 273 |
| 2008 | 18-34 | 17.6\% | 53.1\% | 26.4\% | 2.8\% | 379 |
|  | 35-49 | 8.4\% | 59.4\% | 31.8\% | . $3 \%$ | 392 |
|  | 50-64 | 7.7\% | 44.9\% | 45.2\% | 2.2\% | 359 |
|  | 65+ | 4.7\% | 41.4\% | 50.9\% | 3.0\% | 208 |
| 2010 | 18-34 | 16.4\% | 53.9\% | 28.1\% | 1.7\% | 421 |
|  | 35-49 | 8.1\% | 46.6\% | 44.1\% | 1.2\% | 355 |
|  | 50-64 | 5.7\% | 43.8\% | 49.1\% | 1.5\% | 361 |
|  | 65+ | 7.9\% | 35.1\% | 53.9\% | 3.0\% | 235 |
| 2012 | 18-34 | 8.8\% | 56.1\% | 32.3\% | 2.9\% | 394 |
|  | 35-49 | 6.3\% | 42.9\% | 47.1\% | 3.8\% | 355 |
|  | 50-64 | 5.0\% | 40.4\% | 52.8\% | 1.9\% | 341 |
|  | $65+$ | 6.1\% | 33.2\% | 57.7\% | 3.0\% | 234 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | AGE | CONFIDENCE IN MILITARY |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | 18-34 | 26.2\% | 48.0\% | 24.3\% | 1.5\% | 530 |
|  | 35-49 | 32.4\% | 57.1\% | 9.6\% | .9\% | 410 |
|  | 50-64 | 36.3\% | 44.8\% | 16.1\% | 2.7\% | 368 |
|  | 65+ | 38.6\% | 42.8\% | 10.3\% | 8.4\% | 186 |
| 1974 | 18-34 | 36.2\% | 42.6\% | 20.4\% | .8\% | 538 |
|  | 35-49 | 39.6\% | 47.2\% | 12.3\% | .9\% | 382 |
|  | 50-64 | 42.5\% | 44.9\% | 9.0\% | 3.6\% | 341 |
|  | 65+ | 41.8\% | 43.3\% | 7.9\% | 7.0\% | 219 |
| 1975 | 18-34 | 32.1\% | 44.4\% | 20.6\% | 3.0\% | 561 |
|  | 35-49 | 34.9\% | 51.7\% | 9.8\% | 3.6\% | 391 |
|  | 50-64 | 37.4\% | 49.6\% | 9.5\% | 3.5\% | 320 |
|  | 65+ | 36.9\% | 40.7\% | 12.2\% | 10.2\% | 210 |
| 1976 | 18-34 | 39.3\% | 40.6\% | 17.4\% | 2.7\% | 578 |
|  | 35-49 | 37.6\% | 46.4\% | 10.2\% | 5.8\% | 343 |
|  | 50-64 | 44.2\% | 39.3\% | 8.3\% | 8.3\% | 347 |
|  | 65+ | 38.9\% | 36.5\% | 14.5\% | 10.1\% | 217 |
| 1977 | 18-34 | 33.6\% | 50.2\% | 14.6\% | 1.6\% | 543 |
|  | 35-49 | 32.8\% | 56.0\% | 8.0\% | 3.2\% | 405 |
|  | 50-64 | 41.8\% | 49.3\% | 6.6\% | 2.4\% | 375 |
|  | 65+ | 40.4\% | 44.9\% | 9.0\% | 5.7\% | 198 |
| 1978 | 18-34 | 26.8\% | 55.6\% | 16.2\% | 1.4\% | 613 |
|  | 35-49 | 27.2\% | 56.3\% | 13.9\% | 2.6\% | 372 |
|  | 50-64 | 33.7\% | 55.2\% | 7.3\% | 3.7\% | 326 |
|  | 65+ | 36.2\% | 47.2\% | 9.8\% | 6.7\% | 211 |
| 1980 | 18-34 | 24.8\% | 51.6\% | 21.7\% | 1.9\% | 563 |
|  | 35-49 | 25.7\% | 57.4\% | 11.9\% | 5.0\% | 368 |
|  | 50-64 | 35.5\% | 47.4\% | 13.6\% | 3.5\% | 311 |
|  | 65+ | 32.1\% | 50.1\% | 11.2\% | 6.6\% | 218 |
| 1982 | 18-34 | 24.2\% | 53.0\% | 21.4\% | 1.4\% | 605 |
|  | 35-49 | 26.4\% | 59.6\% | 12.6\% | 1.4\% | 336 |
|  | 50-64 | 38.1\% | 50.4\% | 10.3\% | 1.3\% | 327 |
|  | 65+ | 38.2\% | 46.8\% | 9.7\% | 5.2\% | 228 |
| 1983 | 18-34 | 30.9\% | 54.4\% | 13.0\% | 1.6\% | 625 |
|  | 35-49 | 25.8\% | 57.0\% | 15.3\% | 1.9\% | 406 |
|  | 50-64 | 29.9\% | 52.9\% | 11.5\% | 5.7\% | 338 |
|  | 65+ | 35.9\% | 50.2\% | 9.7\% | 4.1\% | 220 |
| 1984 | 18-34 | 40.1\% | 48.0\% | 11.3\% | .6\% | 341 |
|  | 35-49 | 31.4\% | 49.7\% | 16.0\% | 2.9\% | 287 |
|  | 50-64 | 34.3\% | 54.0\% | 9.3\% | 2.5\% | 190 |
|  | 65+ | 41.7\% | 42.1\% | 10.3\% | 5.9\% | 150 |
| 1986 | 18-34 | 33.9\% | 49.3\% | 15.6\% | 1.1\% | 536 |
|  | 35-49 | 24.0\% | 59.2\% | 13.8\% | 2.9\% | 415 |
|  | 50-64 | 33.0\% | 54.9\% | 9.9\% | 2.2\% | 279 |
|  | 65+ | 36.0\% | 48.7\% | 10.9\% | 4.4\% | 231 |
| 1987 | 18-34 | 32.4\% | 51.9\% | 14.1\% | 1.6\% | 515 |
|  | 35-49 | 32.8\% | 52.1\% | 14.0\% | 1.2\% | 438 |
|  | 50-64 | 40.7\% | 48.4\% | 6.7\% | 4.2\% | 278 |
|  | 65+ | 43.0\% | 40.7\% | 9.4\% | 6.9\% | 226 |
| 1988 | 18-34 | 39.3\% | 45.2\% | 12.6\% | 2.9\% | 368 |
|  | 35-49 | 29.2\% | 54.5\% | 14.6\% | 1.7\% | 280 |
|  | 50-64 | 34.3\% | 48.8\% | 10.8\% | 6.2\% | 172 |
|  | 65+ | 34.3\% | 52.2\% | 9.6\% | 4.0\% | 172 |
| 1989 | 18-34 | 31.6\% | 49.8\% | 17.2\% | 1.4\% | 370 |
|  | 35-49 | 28.4\% | 54.8\% | 13.0\% | 3.9\% | 292 |
|  | 50-64 | 39.2\% | 47.1\% | 9.5\% | 4.2\% | 193 |
|  | $65+$ | 35.5\% | 47.8\% | 9.1\% | 7.5\% | 162 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | AGE | CONFIDENCE IN MILITARY (Continued) |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1990 | 18-34 | 36.0\% | 47.4\% | 13.3\% | 3.4\% | 316 |
|  | 35-49 | 27.9\% | 51.4\% | 18.4\% | 2.3\% | 272 |
|  | 50-64 | 33.2\% | 50.3\% | 12.0\% | 4.5\% | 155 |
|  | 65+ | 37.1\% | 49.6\% | 8.9\% | 4.3\% | 149 |
| 1991 | 18-34 | 64.3\% | 30.1\% | 4.9\% | .6\% | 344 |
|  | 35-49 | 60.0\% | 31.1\% | 7.8\% | 1.1\% | 328 |
|  | 50-64 | 55.5\% | 36.1\% | 5.4\% | 3.1\% | 189 |
|  | 65+ | 60.1\% | 33.3\% | 3.0\% | 3.6\% | 161 |
| 1993 | 18-34 | 38.4\% | 46.1\% | 14.9\% | .6\% | 337 |
|  | 35-49 | 38.6\% | 47.7\% | 11.8\% | 1.9\% | 362 |
|  | 50-64 | 42.2\% | 49.3\% | 5.8\% | 2.7\% | 193 |
|  | 65+ | 51.9\% | 36.0\% | 9.9\% | 2.2\% | 166 |
| 1994 | 18-34 | 39.6\% | 45.9\% | 13.2\% | 1.3\% | 635 |
|  | 35-49 | 31.5\% | 51.9\% | 14.8\% | 1.8\% | 647 |
|  | 50-64 | 39.9\% | 52.3\% | 6.1\% | 1.7\% | 392 |
|  | 65+ | 43.4\% | 42.7\% | 9.8\% | 4.1\% | 304 |
| 1996 | 18-34 | 41.5\% | 46.8\% | 9.3\% | 2.3\% | 652 |
|  | 35-49 | 32.5\% | 49.6\% | 14.1\% | 3.7\% | 639 |
|  | 50-64 | 40.3\% | 47.9\% | 9.0\% | 2.8\% | 368 |
|  | 65+ | 43.7\% | 45.0\% | 6.2\% | 5.1\% | 254 |
| 1998 | 18-34 | 33.7\% | 48.8\% | 15.2\% | 2.4\% | 629 |
|  | 35-49 | 36.1\% | 48.4\% | 13.0\% | 2.4\% | 617 |
|  | 50-64 | 34.2\% | 52.0\% | 12.2\% | 1.6\% | 351 |
|  | 65+ | 45.6\% | 43.7\% | 7.0\% | 3.7\% | 284 |
| 2000 | 18-34 | 43.9\% | 46.5\% | 7.7\% | 1.9\% | 600 |
|  | 35-49 | 35.5\% | 52.1\% | 10.0\% | 2.4\% | 631 |
|  | 50-64 | 35.2\% | 51.5\% | 11.2\% | 2.2\% | 378 |
|  | 65+ | 46.5\% | 34.5\% | 10.0\% | 9.0\% | 274 |
| 2002 | 18-34 | 51.9\% | 35.0\% | 10.6\% | 2.5\% | 263 |
|  | 35-49 | 55.8\% | 37.9\% | 6.2\% | .2\% | 271 |
|  | 50-64 | 53.3\% | 40.9\% | 4.7\% | 1.1\% | 211 |
|  | 65+ | 67.7\% | 27.2\% | 2.3\% | 2.7\% | 143 |
| 2004 | 18-34 | 63.9\% | 28.0\% | 7.6\% | .5\% | 273 |
|  | 35-49 | 56.2\% | 36.6\% | 6.9\% | . $3 \%$ | 282 |
|  | 50-64 | 53.4\% | 35.6\% | 10.5\% | . $5 \%$ | 201 |
|  | 65+ | 58.9\% | 32.7\% | 7.9\% | . $4 \%$ | 118 |
| 2006 | 18-34 | 51.1\% | 37.4\% | 10.6\% | . $9 \%$ | 630 |
|  | 35-49 | 44.4\% | 40.9\% | 12.9\% | 1.8\% | 625 |
|  | 50-64 | 42.7\% | 43.3\% | 12.8\% | 1.2\% | 468 |
|  | 65+ | 52.5\% | 31.7\% | 13.5\% | 2.3\% | 273 |
| 2008 | 18-34 | 53.7\% | 34.6\% | 10.3\% | 1.4\% | 379 |
|  | 35-49 | 47.5\% | 39.1\% | 11.8\% | 1.6\% | 397 |
|  | 50-64 | 51.7\% | 39.2\% | 8.4\% | .8\% | 358 |
|  | 65+ | 53.1\% | 35.4\% | 10.1\% | 1.4\% | 208 |
| 2010 | 18-34 | 51.5\% | 34.0\% | 13.3\% | 1.2\% | 423 |
|  | 35-49 | 56.9\% | 34.9\% | 7.2\% | 1.0\% | 357 |
|  | 50-64 | 48.8\% | 42.0\% | 7.8\% | 1.4\% | 361 |
|  | 65+ | 60.4\% | 32.5\% | 5.8\% | 1.3\% | 235 |
| 2012 | 18-34 | 53.6\% | 37.4\% | 8.6\% | .4\% | 394 |
|  | 35-49 | 54.6\% | 38.2\% | 5.5\% | 1.7\% | 355 |
|  | 50-64 | 56.4\% | 34.2\% | 8.7\% | .6\% | 343 |
|  | $65+$ | 53.8\% | 35.4\% | 9.1\% | 1.8\% | 234 |

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|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | TOTAL |
| 1975 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 35.7\% | 49.9\% | 9.0\% | 5.4\% | 528 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 29.8\% | 56.7\% | 11.8\% | 1.8\% | 745 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 26.3\% | 62.2\% | 10.7\% | .9\% | 214 |
| 1976 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 40.7\% | 46.6\% | 8.7\% | 4.0\% | 516 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 39.0\% | 49.7\% | 9.9\% | 1.4\% | 747 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 34.3\% | 52.7\% | 12.5\% | .4\% | 225 |
| 1977 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 45.2\% | 42.7\% | 9.1\% | 3.0\% | 528 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 41.5\% | 49.3\% | 8.3\% | . $9 \%$ | 753 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 36.3\% | 55.5\% | 7.8\% | .4\% | 241 |
| 1978 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 34.5\% | 50.4\% | 12.5\% | 2.6\% | 459 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 31.8\% | 55.6\% | 12.0\% | .6\% | 818 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 28.2\% | 62.5\% | 9.0\% | .4\% | 248 |
| 1980 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 34.9\% | 43.0\% | 15.0\% | 7.1\% | 435 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 30.2\% | 53.7\% | 16.1\% | .1\% | 763 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 31.7\% | 53.7\% | 13.5\% | 1.2\% | 262 |
| 1982 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 31.3\% | 47.2\% | 17.2\% | 4.3\% | 427 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 24.3\% | 58.0\% | 16.8\% | . $9 \%$ | 802 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 25.5\% | 57.1\% | 17.4\% | 0.0\% | 267 |
| 1983 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 25.9\% | 51.1\% | 18.6\% | 4.4\% | 414 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 21.6\% | 61.2\% | 15.5\% | 1.7\% | 855 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 25.0\% | 62.3\% | 12.1\% | .6\% | 326 |
| 1984 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 30.6\% | 52.2\% | 11.7\% | 5.5\% | 252 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 29.4\% | 58.4\% | 11.2\% | 1.0\% | 519 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 33.0\% | 58.1\% | 8.1\% | .8\% | 197 |
| 1986 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 23.5\% | 56.7\% | 15.0\% | 4.8\% | 379 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 18.4\% | 62.0\% | 18.9\% | .7\% | 779 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 23.0\% | 61.3\% | 14.7\% | 1.0\% | 308 |
| 1987 |  | 31.7\% | 51.8\% | 12.4\% | 4.0\% | 337 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 26.5\% | 58.3\% | 13.6\% | 1.6\% | 783 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 25.7\% | 59.4\% | 14.1\% | . $8 \%$ | 336 |
| 1988 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 29.1\% | 53.0\% | 11.8\% | 6.1\% | 225 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 27.3\% | 56.4\% | 14.8\% | 1.5\% | 565 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 23.5\% | 64.3\% | 11.4\% | .8\% | 206 |
| 1989 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 20.9\% | 53.8\% | 16.1\% | 9.2\% | 222 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 19.7\% | 60.2\% | 18.7\% | 1.4\% | 544 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 14.1\% | 61.5\% | 23.2\% | 1.2\% | 251 |
| 1990 |  | 21.2\% | 55.1\% | 16.0\% | 7.7\% | 193 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 16.0\% | 58.1\% | 24.4\% | 1.5\% | 484 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 14.5\% | 63.8\% | 21.7\% | 0.0\% | 213 |
| 1991 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 15.0\% | 48.9\% | 30.9\% | 5.2\% | 194 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 12.8\% | 54.5\% | 31.6\% | 1.1\% | 560 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 8.1\% | 48.9\% | 43.0\% | 0.0\% | 261 |
| 1993 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 17.7\% | 49.7\% | 28.2\% | 4.4\% | 182 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 15.3\% | 54.7\% | 28.7\% | 1.3\% | 567 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 11.2\% | 64.9\% | 22.5\% | 1.4\% | 310 |
| 1994 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 22.3\% | 53.7\% | 20.7\% | 3.3\% | 327 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 18.5\% | 60.6\% | 20.2\% | . $7 \%$ | 1066 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 14.8\% | 65.9\% | 18.8\% | .5\% | 581 |
| 1996 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 26.1\% | 48.5\% | 17.8\% | 7.6\% | 272 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 23.8\% | 56.1\% | 18.3\% | 1.7\% | 1068 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 24.9\% | 61.9\% | 12.4\% | .8\% | 567 |
| 1998 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 31.1\% | 45.5\% | 16.9\% | 6.6\% | 294 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 24.8\% | 56.1\% | 17.6\% | 1.6\% | 1024 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 25.9\% | 61.2\% | 12.4\% | . $5 \%$ | 559 |
| 2000 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 26.6\% | 50.2\% | 16.5\% | 6.8\% | 283 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 27.4\% | 56.1\% | 14.8\% | 1.7\% | 1009 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 34.5\% | 54.3\% | 9.9\% | 1.2\% | 582 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | EDUCATION | CONFID IN BANKS \& FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS (Continued) |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | TOTAL |
| 2002 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 26.4\% | 50.5\% | 20.0\% | 3.2\% | 123 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 21.2\% | 56.0\% | 21.3\% | 1.5\% | 480 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 22.5\% | 65.5\% | 10.6\% | 1.5\% | 291 |
| 2004 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 24.9\% | 57.2\% | 15.9\% | 2.1\% | 112 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 28.1\% | 59.3\% | 11.8\% | .7\% | 457 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 32.7\% | 53.0\% | 13.7\% | .6\% | 309 |
| 2006 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 30.2\% | 49.9\% | 17.0\% | 2.9\% | 308 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 28.3\% | 55.7\% | 14.8\% | 1.2\% | 980 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 31.4\% | 58.4\% | 9.5\% | .7\% | 713 |
| 2008 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 24.9\% | 54.0\% | 18.4\% | 2.7\% | 203 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 19.9\% | 60.6\% | 19.1\% | . $3 \%$ | 668 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 15.4\% | 61.6\% | 22.2\% | . $9 \%$ | 478 |
| 2010 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 20.8\% | 49.9\% | 26.7\% | 2.7\% | 216 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 9.7\% | 45.4\% | 44.7\% | . $2 \%$ | 695 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 7.1\% | 48.6\% | 44.1\% | .2\% | 464 |
| 2012 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 19.1\% | 47.3\% | 31.0\% | 2.6\% | 223 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 12.9\% | 50.6\% | 35.9\% | .6\% | 619 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 7.1\% | 54.2\% | 38.4\% | . $3 \%$ | 487 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | EDUCATION | CONFIDENCE IN MAJOR COMPANIES |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 23.0\% | 53.2\% | 12.9\% | 10.9\% | 548 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 33.1\% | 54.0\% | 9.9\% | 3.0\% | 726 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 33.3\% | 52.1\% | 12.0\% | 2.6\% | 210 |
| 1974 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 30.9\% | 48.8\% | 15.2\% | 5.2\% | 515 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 30.0\% | 53.6\% | 13.6\% | 2.8\% | 732 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 36.4\% | 48.1\% | 14.5\% | 1.0\% | 235 |
| 1975 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 17.7\% | 51.4\% | 21.8\% | 9.1\% | 525 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 19.9\% | 56.0\% | 20.8\% | 3.3\% | 743 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 21.7\% | 52.2\% | 24.3\% | 1.7\% | 214 |
| 1976 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 18.3\% | 47.8\% | 25.3\% | 8.6\% | 514 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 21.2\% | 55.1\% | 21.6\% | 2.1\% | 748 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 27.4\% | 54.6\% | 15.8\% | 2.2\% | 225 |
| 1977 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 24.4\% | 52.2\% | 15.2\% | 8.2\% | 528 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 26.5\% | 60.9\% | 11.0\% | 1.6\% | 752 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 35.5\% | 53.9\% | 10.2\% | .4\% | 241 |
| 1978 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 16.3\% | 56.1\% | 20.1\% | 7.5\% | 460 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 20.7\% | 63.2\% | 14.1\% | 2.0\% | 818 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 32.2\% | 53.5\% | 12.2\% | 2.0\% | 248 |
| 1980 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 22.6\% | 50.5\% | 16.7\% | 10.1\% | 434 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 25.5\% | 57.4\% | 14.4\% | 2.7\% | 765 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 38.0\% | 51.9\% | 8.5\% | 1.6\% | 264 |
| 1982 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 21.2\% | 51.0\% | 15.5\% | 12.3\% | 429 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 21.2\% | 63.4\% | 13.3\% | 2.1\% | 803 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 31.0\% | 56.8\% | 11.2\% | 1.0\% | 266 |
| 1983 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 18.8\% | 53.5\% | 19.2\% | 8.4\% | 414 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 23.2\% | 61.4\% | 12.8\% | 2.7\% | 853 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 34.6\% | 56.9\% | 7.1\% | 1.4\% | 326 |
| 1984 |  | 23.2\% | 56.7\% | 14.4\% | 5.7\% | 254 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 30.9\% | 61.1\% | 5.9\% | 2.0\% | 521 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 39.5\% | 52.6\% | 6.3\% | 1.6\% | 197 |
| 1986 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 18.5\% | 57.1\% | 16.1\% | 8.3\% | 381 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 24.4\% | 66.1\% | 7.7\% | 1.8\% | 777 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 33.2\% | 59.5\% | 6.0\% | 1.3\% | 308 |
| 1987 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 25.4\% | 53.3\% | 13.6\% | 7.6\% | 337 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 29.9\% | 59.8\% | 7.2\% | 3.2\% | 784 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 37.6\% | 54.8\% | 5.7\% | 2.0\% | 335 |
| 1988 |  | 18.4\% | 55.3\% | 16.3\% | 9.9\% | 225 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 23.5\% | 63.3\% | 10.5\% | 2.7\% | 564 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 35.3\% | 57.7\% | 4.9\% | 2.1\% | 205 |
| 1989 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 21.4\% | 52.0\% | 12.9\% | 13.8\% | 222 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 25.2\% | 64.0\% | 8.3\% | 2.5\% | 544 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 27.3\% | 60.9\% | 9.4\% | 2.4\% | 251 |
| 1990 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 22.6\% | 56.2\% | 12.7\% | 8.5\% | 193 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 25.2\% | 60.8\% | 11.6\% | 2.4\% | 484 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 29.6\% | 62.3\% | 6.8\% | 1.3\% | 211 |
| 1991 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 10.7\% | 66.7\% | 13.7\% | 9.0\% | 194 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 21.2\% | 60.5\% | 14.4\% | 4.0\% | 561 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 24.0\% | 63.1\% | 10.4\% | 2.4\% | 261 |
| 1993 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 17.2\% | 54.1\% | 20.3\% | 8.4\% | 182 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 20.6\% | 65.8\% | 11.3\% | 2.3\% | 567 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 24.5\% | 64.4\% | 9.0\% | 2.0\% | 310 |
| 1994 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 19.8\% | 59.5\% | 13.3\% | 7.4\% | 330 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 26.2\% | 62.5\% | 8.9\% | 2.3\% | 1067 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 30.3\% | 61.2\% | 7.4\% | 1.1\% | 581 |
| 1996 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 18.2\% | 51.5\% | 19.8\% | 10.6\% | 272 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 22.5\% | 61.4\% | 12.8\% | 3.4\% | 1069 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 29.6\% | 58.2\% | 10.3\% | 1.9\% | 569 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | EDUCATION | CONFIDENCE IN MAJOR COMPANIES (Continued) |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1998 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 21.5\% | 51.9\% | 16.3\% | 10.3\% | 294 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 23.5\% | 60.0\% | 13.6\% | 3.0\% | 1025 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 34.8\% | 53.2\% | 9.4\% | 2.6\% | 559 |
| 2000 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 18.3\% | 58.4\% | 15.2\% | 8.1\% | 285 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 26.3\% | 59.0\% | 10.9\% | 3.8\% | 1011 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 36.9\% | 54.5\% | 6.6\% | 2.1\% | 583 |
| 2002 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 17.7\% | 53.2\% | 23.6\% | 5.5\% | 123 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 15.1\% | 65.3\% | 17.7\% | 1.9\% | 480 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 20.6\% | 65.8\% | 11.7\% | 1.9\% | 290 |
| 2004 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 12.9\% | 57.6\% | 24.5\% | 5.0\% | 112 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 17.8\% | 64.3\% | 17.2\% | .8\% | 457 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 21.4\% | 62.4\% | 14.7\% | 1.5\% | 309 |
| 2006 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 17.7\% | 54.3\% | 22.9\% | 5.1\% | 308 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 15.3\% | 62.8\% | 20.1\% | 1.9\% | 979 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 21.5\% | 64.4\% | 12.6\% | 1.6\% | 712 |
| 2008 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 12.3\% | 63.3\% | 21.1\% | 3.4\% | 203 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 14.0\% | 66.4\% | 17.7\% | 1.9\% | 668 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 19.5\% | 66.5\% | 12.2\% | 1.7\% | 478 |
| 2010 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 13.6\% | 57.5\% | 26.7\% | 2.1\% | 214 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 9.5\% | 60.7\% | 27.3\% | 2.6\% | 694 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 18.1\% | 62.5\% | 17.9\% | 1.6\% | 464 |
| 2012 |  | 17.8\% | 56.7\% | 21.1\% | 4.3\% | 223 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 14.3\% | 62.0\% | 21.5\% | 2.3\% | 618 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 20.8\% | 60.9\% | 17.5\% | .8\% | 486 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | EDUCATION | CONFIDENCE IN ORGANIZED RELIGION |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 40.3\% | 37.0\% | 18.0\% | 4.8\% | 545 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 33.4\% | 49.5\% | 14.9\% | 2.3\% | 727 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 24.8\% | 59.0\% | 14.0\% | 2.2\% | 209 |
| 1974 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 48.3\% | 36.4\% | 12.2\% | 3.0\% | 514 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 44.3\% | 43.9\% | 10.3\% | 1.5\% | 732 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 37.0\% | 52.9\% | 9.5\% | .6\% | 235 |
| 1975 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 23.0\% | 44.0\% | 22.3\% | 10.7\% | 526 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 24.8\% | 51.1\% | 19.7\% | 4.4\% | 744 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 22.5\% | 48.9\% | 25.1\% | 3.5\% | 213 |
| 1976 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 30.1\% | 41.2\% | 18.6\% | 10.1\% | 514 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 30.8\% | 46.8\% | 18.4\% | 4.0\% | 747 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 28.5\% | 49.7\% | 17.5\% | 4.3\% | 225 |
| 1977 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 41.0\% | 41.1\% | 11.2\% | 6.7\% | 528 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 39.8\% | 47.3\% | 11.5\% | 1.4\% | 753 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 36.4\% | 51.4\% | 9.9\% | 2.3\% | 239 |
| 1978 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 35.5\% | 38.7\% | 19.2\% | 6.6\% | 459 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 29.7\% | 51.7\% | 16.3\% | 2.3\% | 817 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 24.4\% | 54.5\% | 19.3\% | 1.8\% | 247 |
| 1980 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 40.1\% | 34.9\% | 18.1\% | 6.9\% | 435 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 34.3\% | 44.6\% | 18.8\% | 2.4\% | 763 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 29.7\% | 52.1\% | 15.9\% | 2.3\% | 264 |
| 1982 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 37.6\% | 38.9\% | 17.3\% | 6.1\% | 428 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 30.1\% | 55.7\% | 12.4\% | 1.8\% | 803 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 29.6\% | 49.7\% | 18.4\% | 2.3\% | 267 |
| 1983 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 33.3\% | 41.2\% | 17.6\% | 7.8\% | 413 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 27.6\% | 52.5\% | 17.4\% | 2.6\% | 851 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 25.4\% | 55.5\% | 17.8\% | 1.2\% | 326 |
| 1984 |  | 26.9\% | 43.7\% | 24.5\% | 4.9\% | 253 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 30.0\% | 50.0\% | 17.9\% | 2.1\% | 520 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 37.7\% | 44.8\% | 13.6\% | 3.9\% | 197 |
| 1986 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 28.5\% | 41.3\% | 24.8\% | 5.3\% | 381 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 25.9\% | 52.6\% | 18.9\% | 2.7\% | 777 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 18.3\% | 59.3\% | 20.3\% | 2.1\% | 308 |
| 1987 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 36.9\% | 39.2\% | 18.2\% | 5.7\% | 336 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 26.5\% | 53.1\% | 18.3\% | 2.1\% | 780 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 26.5\% | 54.1\% | 18.3\% | 1.1\% | 336 |
| 1988 |  | 21.5\% | 44.2\% | 27.4\% | 6.9\% | 225 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 21.5\% | 47.0\% | 29.4\% | 2.1\% | 565 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 16.8\% | 53.0\% | 28.9\% | 1.3\% | 206 |
| 1989 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 23.3\% | 38.8\% | 30.3\% | 7.6\% | 221 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 20.9\% | 47.5\% | 29.5\% | 2.1\% | 544 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 21.6\% | 48.9\% | 28.5\% | 1.0\% | 251 |
| 1990 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 21.9\% | 43.9\% | 23.6\% | 10.6\% | 191 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 24.1\% | 49.2\% | 23.1\% | 3.6\% | 484 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 20.2\% | 52.7\% | 24.5\% | 2.5\% | 213 |
| 1991 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 24.0\% | 50.0\% | 21.6\% | 4.4\% | 194 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 27.2\% | 51.9\% | 19.5\% | 1.4\% | 561 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 21.0\% | 59.1\% | 18.9\% | 1.0\% | 261 |
| 1993 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 27.7\% | 41.4\% | 24.2\% | 6.7\% | 181 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 20.8\% | 49.8\% | 27.0\% | 2.4\% | 565 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 23.2\% | 56.4\% | 19.3\% | 1.2\% | 310 |
| 1994 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 30.7\% | 44.0\% | 22.0\% | 3.3\% | 330 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 24.4\% | 53.5\% | 20.3\% | 1.8\% | 1066 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 22.8\% | 53.2\% | 22.1\% | 1.9\% | 581 |
| 1996 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 30.3\% | 44.0\% | 17.3\% | 8.4\% | 271 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 26.8\% | 49.8\% | 19.0\% | 4.4\% | 1070 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 20.2\% | 56.4\% | 20.0\% | 3.4\% | 569 |

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| SURVEY <br> YEAR |  | EDUCATION | CONFIDENCE IN ORGANIZED RELIGION (Continued) |  |  |  |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | ---: |
|  | LTHIGH SCHOOL | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $34.3 \%$ | $39.1 \%$ | $18.5 \%$ | $8.1 \%$ | 294 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $24.5 \%$ | $53.9 \%$ | $18.9 \%$ | $2.7 \%$ | 1022 |
| 2000 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $25.8 \%$ | $55.3 \%$ | $17.4 \%$ | $1.5 \%$ | 559 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $30.4 \%$ | $49.5 \%$ | $13.5 \%$ | $6.6 \%$ | 285 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $26.6 \%$ | $49.0 \%$ | $19.2 \%$ | $5.2 \%$ | 1011 |
| 2002 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $27.6 \%$ | $50.8 \%$ | $19.1 \%$ | $2.5 \%$ | 583 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $23.6 \%$ | $45.0 \%$ | $26.8 \%$ | $4.5 \%$ | 123 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $18.1 \%$ | $57.3 \%$ | $23.5 \%$ | $1.0 \%$ | 480 |
| 2004 | LTHIGH SCHOOL | $18.3 \%$ | $59.2 \%$ | $20.8 \%$ | $1.7 \%$ | 289 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $28.3 \%$ | $51.8 \%$ | $17.4 \%$ | $2.6 \%$ | 112 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $23.3 \%$ | $53.6 \%$ | $20.9 \%$ | $2.3 \%$ | 456 |
| 2006 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $22.0 \%$ | $50.4 \%$ | $26.7 \%$ | $.9 \%$ | 308 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $27.8 \%$ | $48.2 \%$ | $21.5 \%$ | $2.4 \%$ | 308 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $24.1 \%$ | $50.6 \%$ | $23.2 \%$ | $2.1 \%$ | 978 |
| 2008 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $22.5 \%$ | $54.8 \%$ | $19.7 \%$ | $3.0 \%$ | 711 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $21.4 \%$ | $49.9 \%$ | $26.1 \%$ | $2.6 \%$ | 201 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $20.5 \%$ | $52.4 \%$ | $26.1 \%$ | $1.0 \%$ | 665 |
| 2010 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $18.7 \%$ | $55.9 \%$ | $23.2 \%$ | $2.3 \%$ | 477 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $27.3 \%$ | $44.6 \%$ | $21.3 \%$ | $6.8 \%$ | 214 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $19.1 \%$ | $51.6 \%$ | $26.7 \%$ | $2.6 \%$ | 692 |
| 2012 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $16.8 \%$ | $58.5 \%$ | $21.9 \%$ | $2.8 \%$ | 463 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $27.8 \%$ | $48.1 \%$ | $19.4 \%$ | $4.7 \%$ | 219 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $20.3 \%$ | $51.0 \%$ | $24.9 \%$ | $3.8 \%$ | 617 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | EDUCATION | CONFIDENCE IN EDUCATION |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 44.3\% | 45.3\% | 8.7\% | 1.7\% | 545 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 34.3\% | 57.3\% | 7.6\% | .8\% | 726 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 28.1\% | 63.8\% | 7.6\% | .4\% | 210 |
| 1974 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 55.7\% | 33.7\% | 8.8\% | 1.8\% | 515 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 48.2\% | 43.4\% | 7.4\% | 1.0\% | 730 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 36.4\% | 54.3\% | 9.3\% | 0.0\% | 235 |
| 1975 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 37.3\% | 45.8\% | 14.1\% | 2.9\% | 527 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 28.5\% | 58.5\% | 11.9\% | 1.1\% | 745 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 24.9\% | 62.1\% | 12.6\% | . $4 \%$ | 215 |
| 1976 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 40.8\% | 39.4\% | 16.7\% | 3.1\% | 512 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 35.7\% | 47.4\% | 15.6\% | 1.3\% | 750 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 37.3\% | 49.8\% | 12.0\% | .9\% | 222 |
| 1977 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 45.0\% | 43.7\% | 9.8\% | 1.5\% | 527 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 38.5\% | 53.1\% | 7.9\% | . $4 \%$ | 753 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 37.3\% | 55.9\% | 6.8\% | 0.0\% | 241 |
| 1978 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 32.4\% | 48.4\% | 17.1\% | 2.1\% | 459 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 26.4\% | 55.9\% | 17.1\% | .6\% | 818 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 26.5\% | 66.5\% | 6.5\% | . $4 \%$ | 248 |
| 1980 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 36.4\% | 47.9\% | 12.2\% | 3.5\% | 435 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 26.5\% | 61.2\% | 11.6\% | .7\% | 764 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 29.5\% | 55.4\% | 14.0\% | 1.2\% | 264 |
| 1982 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 43.9\% | 41.0\% | 10.8\% | 4.4\% | 426 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 30.0\% | 54.4\% | 14.9\% | .7\% | 803 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 28.2\% | 60.3\% | 11.2\% | .2\% | 267 |
| 1983 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 33.0\% | 47.3\% | 15.4\% | 4.3\% | 413 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 27.4\% | 58.8\% | 13.0\% | .8\% | 854 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 25.0\% | 62.5\% | 12.2\% | . $3 \%$ | 326 |
| 1984 |  | 30.9\% | 49.9\% | 14.7\% | 4.5\% | 253 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 27.1\% | 62.7\% | 9.2\% | 1.1\% | 519 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 26.6\% | 65.5\% | 7.6\% | . $3 \%$ | 196 |
| 1986 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 31.6\% | 53.3\% | 12.3\% | 2.8\% | 381 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 27.2\% | 61.6\% | 10.8\% | . $4 \%$ | 776 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 26.2\% | 63.6\% | 9.5\% | .7\% | 307 |
| 1987 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 35.4\% | 51.7\% | 10.0\% | 2.8\% | 337 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 36.2\% | 53.8\% | 9.2\% | .9\% | 783 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 31.0\% | 63.5\% | 5.3\% | . $3 \%$ | 336 |
| 1988 |  | 30.9\% | 50.6\% | 13.8\% | 4.8\% | 224 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 30.0\% | 60.8\% | 8.0\% | 1.2\% | 565 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 27.6\% | 66.4\% | 5.4\% | .5\% | 206 |
| 1989 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 36.3\% | 46.9\% | 13.6\% | 3.2\% | 222 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 29.4\% | 59.9\% | 10.0\% | .7\% | 544 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 26.2\% | 66.1\% | 7.6\% | .2\% | 250 |
| 1990 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 30.0\% | 52.2\% | 13.6\% | 4.2\% | 191 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 28.3\% | 57.5\% | 12.8\% | 1.4\% | 483 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 20.4\% | 67.0\% | 12.6\% | 0.0\% | 211 |
| 1991 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 35.0\% | 49.5\% | 12.6\% | 3.0\% | 194 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 30.2\% | 55.6\% | 13.2\% | . $9 \%$ | 561 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 24.8\% | 59.5\% | 15.7\% | 0.0\% | 261 |
| 1993 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 33.4\% | 45.3\% | 15.1\% | 6.1\% | 182 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 21.8\% | 57.1\% | 20.5\% | .5\% | 566 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 16.8\% | 66.7\% | 15.9\% | .7\% | 309 |
| 1994 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 32.5\% | 47.5\% | 16.4\% | 3.6\% | 330 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 25.5\% | 57.7\% | 16.3\% | . $5 \%$ | 1066 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 21.5\% | 59.7\% | 18.8\% | 0.0\% | 581 |
| 1996 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 35.1\% | 44.3\% | 18.2\% | 2.4\% | 272 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 22.5\% | 57.0\% | 19.4\% | 1.1\% | 1070 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 19.0\% | 63.7\% | 16.8\% | . $4 \%$ | 568 |

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| SURVEY <br> YEAR |  | EDUCATION | CONFIDENCE IN EDUCATION (Continued) |  |  |  |
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|  | LTHIGH SCHOOL | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $39.9 \%$ | $44.6 \%$ | $12.1 \%$ | $3.4 \%$ | 292 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $24.4 \%$ | $56.3 \%$ | $18.7 \%$ | $.6 \%$ | 1024 |
| 2000 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $24.3 \%$ | $58.7 \%$ | $16.3 \%$ | $.7 \%$ | 558 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $32.8 \%$ | $47.0 \%$ | $18.9 \%$ | $1.3 \%$ | 285 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $26.3 \%$ | $57.4 \%$ | $15.2 \%$ | $1.2 \%$ | 1010 |
| 2002 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $25.7 \%$ | $59.2 \%$ | $14.5 \%$ | $.6 \%$ | 583 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $43.2 \%$ | $45.5 \%$ | $10.9 \%$ | $.5 \%$ | 123 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $24.8 \%$ | $58.7 \%$ | $16.0 \%$ | $.5 \%$ | 480 |
| 2004 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $20.0 \%$ | $61.6 \%$ | $16.5 \%$ | $1.9 \%$ | 291 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $37.4 \%$ | $46.2 \%$ | $16.4 \%$ | $0.0 \%$ | 111 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $29.2 \%$ | $58.1 \%$ | $12.7 \%$ | $0.0 \%$ | 457 |
| 2006 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $24.8 \%$ | $59.2 \%$ | $16.1 \%$ | $0.0 \%$ | 309 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $49.0 \%$ | $39.1 \%$ | $11.5 \%$ | $.4 \%$ | 308 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $27.1 \%$ | $57.0 \%$ | $15.6 \%$ | $.3 \%$ | 980 |
| 2008 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $20.7 \%$ | $63.6 \%$ | $15.1 \%$ | $.6 \%$ | 713 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $43.8 \%$ | $43.1 \%$ | $11.9 \%$ | $1.3 \%$ | 203 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $28.6 \%$ | $57.1 \%$ | $13.3 \%$ | $1.0 \%$ | 668 |
| 2010 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $23.9 \%$ | $56.5 \%$ | $19.0 \%$ | $.6 \%$ | 478 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $39.4 \%$ | $48.4 \%$ | $10.0 \%$ | $2.1 \%$ | 214 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $25.4 \%$ | $56.1 \%$ | $18.2 \%$ | $.3 \%$ | 695 |
| 2012 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $25.6 \%$ | $60.1 \%$ | $13.8 \%$ | $.5 \%$ | 465 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $39.7 \%$ | $44.0 \%$ | $14.4 \%$ | $1.8 \%$ | 223 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $24.7 \%$ | $60.1 \%$ | $14.5 \%$ | $.7 \%$ | 619 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | EDUCATION | CONFID. IN EXEC BRANCH OF FED GOVT |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 27.4\% | 51.3\% | 17.3\% | 3.9\% | 546 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 31.0\% | 50.2\% | 18.3\% | .6\% | 727 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 27.5\% | 51.9\% | 20.3\% | . $4 \%$ | 210 |
| 1974 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 15.7\% | 39.9\% | 41.1\% | 3.3\% | 515 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 12.7\% | 44.0\% | 41.4\% | 1.8\% | 732 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 11.5\% | 42.2\% | 45.9\% | . $4 \%$ | 234 |
| 1975 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 14.8\% | 49.9\% | 30.4\% | 4.9\% | 529 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 12.7\% | 57.5\% | 28.9\% | .9\% | 745 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 10.4\% | 62.8\% | 26.3\% | . $4 \%$ | 214 |
| 1976 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 8.7\% | 53.1\% | 32.2\% | 5.9\% | 517 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 14.9\% | 62.5\% | 21.7\% | .9\% | 749 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 16.9\% | 64.5\% | 17.1\% | 1.5\% | 224 |
| 1977 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 29.5\% | 49.8\% | 14.3\% | 6.5\% | 528 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 25.0\% | 57.5\% | 15.8\% | 1.6\% | 751 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 30.5\% | 61.5\% | 7.6\% | . $4 \%$ | 241 |
| 1978 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 12.1\% | 54.8\% | 26.7\% | 6.4\% | 459 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 12.3\% | 60.6\% | 25.9\% | 1.2\% | 818 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 12.4\% | 63.3\% | 23.5\% | .8\% | 248 |
| 1980 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 15.1\% | 45.3\% | 32.6\% | 6.9\% | 434 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 11.2\% | 53.3\% | 34.5\% | .9\% | 764 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 9.3\% | 53.4\% | 35.7\% | 1.6\% | 263 |
| 1982 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 20.5\% | 50.8\% | 24.0\% | 4.7\% | 428 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 17.1\% | 57.9\% | 23.3\% | 1.7\% | 802 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 23.2\% | 50.7\% | 25.9\% | .2\% | 267 |
| 1983 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 11.9\% | 47.9\% | 32.3\% | 7.9\% | 414 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 12.9\% | 55.6\% | 30.1\% | 1.4\% | 855 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 17.2\% | 58.1\% | 23.7\% | .9\% | 326 |
| 1984 |  | 20.2\% | 45.7\% | 29.0\% | 5.1\% | 253 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 15.4\% | 52.6\% | 30.1\% | 1.9\% | 520 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 25.5\% | 52.0\% | 21.5\% | 1.0\% | 197 |
| 1986 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 19.6\% | 51.3\% | 24.2\% | 5.0\% | 381 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 19.4\% | 55.8\% | 23.4\% | 1.4\% | 778 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 28.3\% | 51.6\% | 18.6\% | 1.5\% | 308 |
| 1987 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 16.9\% | 49.1\% | 25.9\% | 8.1\% | 337 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 18.6\% | 52.7\% | 27.0\% | 1.6\% | 783 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 21.1\% | 53.5\% | 24.8\% | .6\% | 336 |
| 1988 |  | 13.0\% | 53.7\% | 23.9\% | 9.5\% | 225 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 17.2\% | 52.2\% | 28.2\% | 2.4\% | 564 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 18.1\% | 56.1\% | 24.8\% | 1.0\% | 206 |
| 1989 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 17.2\% | 48.3\% | 23.0\% | 11.5\% | 222 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 20.4\% | 55.4\% | 20.8\% | 3.5\% | 543 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 23.2\% | 59.1\% | 17.3\% | . $4 \%$ | 251 |
| 1990 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 16.8\% | 53.7\% | 19.0\% | 10.5\% | 193 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 25.2\% | 48.2\% | 24.8\% | 1.8\% | 484 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 27.5\% | 50.5\% | 22.0\% | 0.0\% | 213 |
| 1991 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 24.9\% | 48.1\% | 23.8\% | 3.3\% | 194 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 27.3\% | 50.3\% | 20.1\% | 2.4\% | 561 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 26.5\% | 50.3\% | 22.6\% | .6\% | 261 |
| 1993 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 11.4\% | 47.4\% | 34.5\% | 6.7\% | 181 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 10.6\% | 53.6\% | 33.3\% | 2.5\% | 566 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 12.9\% | 56.4\% | 30.2\% | .5\% | 310 |
| 1994 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 15.3\% | 46.5\% | 32.4\% | 5.8\% | 329 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 10.6\% | 50.7\% | 37.7\% | 1.0\% | 1065 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 10.1\% | 57.2\% | 32.3\% | .5\% | 581 |
| 1996 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 11.6\% | 38.1\% | 40.9\% | 9.4\% | 272 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 9.2\% | 42.0\% | 46.0\% | 2.7\% | 1070 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 9.9\% | 53.3\% | 35.7\% | 1.1\% | 568 |

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| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | LTHIGH SCHOOL | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $20.8 \%$ | $40.3 \%$ | $30.9 \%$ | $8.1 \%$ | 294 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $11.7 \%$ | $47.7 \%$ | $38.7 \%$ | $1.9 \%$ | 1023 |
| 2000 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $12.4 \%$ | $54.1 \%$ | $32.0 \%$ | $1.5 \%$ | 558 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $18.3 \%$ | $41.4 \%$ | $32.6 \%$ | $7.7 \%$ | 285 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $12.0 \%$ | $48.5 \%$ | $35.0 \%$ | $4.5 \%$ | 1007 |
| 2002 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $13.9 \%$ | $51.6 \%$ | $32.0 \%$ | $2.4 \%$ | 583 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $21.4 \%$ | $51.8 \%$ | $22.7 \%$ | $4.1 \%$ | 123 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $24.4 \%$ | $51.9 \%$ | $21.6 \%$ | $2.2 \%$ | 479 |
| 2004 | LTHIGH SCHOOL | $34.6 \%$ | $47.9 \%$ | $16.9 \%$ | $.6 \%$ | 290 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $18.2 \%$ | $47.1 \%$ | $31.0 \%$ | $3.7 \%$ | 111 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $20.2 \%$ | $50.6 \%$ | $28.6 \%$ | $.6 \%$ | 456 |
| 2006 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $25.4 \%$ | $40.2 \%$ | $33.2 \%$ | $1.2 \%$ | 309 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $18.2 \%$ | $47.9 \%$ | $30.0 \%$ | $3.9 \%$ | 308 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $15.7 \%$ | $43.3 \%$ | $39.2 \%$ | $1.8 \%$ | 978 |
| 2008 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $14.5 \%$ | $45.9 \%$ | $37.8 \%$ | $1.8 \%$ | 712 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $15.4 \%$ | $52.1 \%$ | $28.4 \%$ | $4.1 \%$ | 202 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $9.7 \%$ | $50.6 \%$ | $36.8 \%$ | $2.9 \%$ | 668 |
| 2010 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $9.8 \%$ | $45.0 \%$ | $43.2 \%$ | $1.9 \%$ | 478 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $22.4 \%$ | $39.7 \%$ | $34.4 \%$ | $3.6 \%$ | 213 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $11.4 \%$ | $45.8 \%$ | $41.4 \%$ | $1.4 \%$ | 693 |
| 2012 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $22.0 \%$ | $46.2 \%$ | $30.7 \%$ | $1.2 \%$ | 466 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $19.1 \%$ | $46.6 \%$ | $29.3 \%$ | $5.1 \%$ | 223 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $9.9 \%$ | $48.1 \%$ | $40.2 \%$ | $1.8 \%$ | 619 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | EDUCATION | CONFIDENCE IN ORGANIZED LABOR |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 22.0\% | 50.0\% | 22.6\% | 5.5\% | 544 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 13.6\% | 56.6\% | 26.9\% | 2.8\% | 725 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 6.3\% | 59.2\% | 33.2\% | 1.3\% | 209 |
| 1974 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 25.9\% | 51.5\% | 19.6\% | 3.0\% | 513 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 18.7\% | 53.3\% | 25.5\% | 2.5\% | 732 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 4.4\% | 58.2\% | 36.8\% | .6\% | 235 |
| 1975 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 11.5\% | 49.3\% | 27.8\% | 11.5\% | 529 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 9.3\% | 56.9\% | 30.5\% | 3.3\% | 743 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 6.1\% | 60.6\% | 31.0\% | 2.4\% | 215 |
| 1976 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 12.8\% | 44.3\% | 30.4\% | 12.5\% | 516 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 12.0\% | 51.9\% | 31.0\% | 5.1\% | 750 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 7.4\% | 47.1\% | 42.3\% | 3.3\% | 224 |
| 1977 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 20.0\% | 47.2\% | 26.3\% | 6.5\% | 527 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 13.2\% | 55.0\% | 29.8\% | 2.0\% | 751 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 7.8\% | 45.7\% | 44.9\% | 1.6\% | 241 |
| 1978 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 16.0\% | 41.3\% | 33.1\% | 9.6\% | 459 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 10.6\% | 48.6\% | 38.3\% | 2.5\% | 818 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 5.1\% | 50.2\% | 42.7\% | 2.0\% | 248 |
| 1980 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 21.0\% | 43.8\% | 25.3\% | 9.9\% | 434 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 12.9\% | 54.9\% | 29.3\% | 2.9\% | 765 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 11.8\% | 52.1\% | 33.5\% | 2.5\% | 264 |
| 1982 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 16.3\% | 52.1\% | 22.7\% | 8.8\% | 427 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 13.2\% | 55.0\% | 29.5\% | 2.3\% | 802 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 7.4\% | 51.3\% | 40.8\% | .6\% | 267 |
| 1983 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 12.0\% | 48.8\% | 32.4\% | 6.8\% | 414 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 8.5\% | 50.9\% | 37.5\% | 3.1\% | 855 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 3.7\% | 42.9\% | 51.6\% | 1.7\% | 326 |
| 1984 |  | 14.1\% | 54.4\% | 28.0\% | 3.5\% | 253 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 8.0\% | 53.5\% | 37.0\% | 1.4\% | 520 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 2.6\% | 50.8\% | 45.0\% | 1.6\% | 197 |
| 1986 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 13.4\% | 46.2\% | 30.2\% | 10.1\% | 378 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 8.3\% | 48.2\% | 40.0\% | 3.4\% | 779 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 4.4\% | 47.9\% | 46.1\% | 1.6\% | 308 |
| 1987 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 16.2\% | 48.5\% | 27.2\% | 8.1\% | 337 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 10.6\% | 53.1\% | 32.1\% | 4.2\% | 782 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 4.4\% | 49.9\% | 43.1\% | 2.6\% | 335 |
| 1988 |  | 15.1\% | 44.9\% | 29.1\% | 10.9\% | 225 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 11.7\% | 52.3\% | 32.0\% | 4.1\% | 563 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 3.9\% | 50.4\% | 44.4\% | 1.3\% | 206 |
| 1989 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 10.6\% | 46.2\% | 27.4\% | 15.9\% | 222 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 9.9\% | 53.1\% | 33.1\% | 3.8\% | 544 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 6.9\% | 51.7\% | 38.9\% | 2.4\% | 251 |
| 1990 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 11.5\% | 50.8\% | 24.9\% | 12.8\% | 190 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 13.0\% | 54.3\% | 28.8\% | 4.0\% | 484 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 5.0\% | 55.0\% | 39.0\% | 1.0\% | 213 |
| 1991 |  | 16.8\% | 41.2\% | 33.0\% | 9.1\% | 193 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 10.2\% | 53.1\% | 31.9\% | 4.8\% | 561 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 9.8\% | 44.2\% | 42.2\% | 3.9\% | 261 |
| 1993 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 12.0\% | 53.2\% | 24.6\% | 10.2\% | 181 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 8.0\% | 56.3\% | 30.4\% | 5.3\% | 567 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 4.9\% | 49.7\% | 40.2\% | 5.1\% | 310 |
| 1994 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 17.1\% | 44.4\% | 27.0\% | 11.5\% | 329 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 11.5\% | 54.0\% | 30.9\% | 3.5\% | 1065 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 4.9\% | 54.7\% | 36.8\% | 3.6\% | 580 |

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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1996 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 17.0\% | 45.5\% | 23.0\% | 14.6\% | 272 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 11.5\% | 53.3\% | 27.7\% | 7.5\% | 1069 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 7.4\% | 48.3\% | 38.3\% | 5.9\% | 569 |
| 1998 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 16.1\% | 45.5\% | 27.0\% | 11.4\% | 294 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 10.3\% | 52.9\% | 29.5\% | 7.4\% | 1025 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 9.3\% | 55.8\% | 28.8\% | 6.2\% | 558 |
| 2000 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 18.8\% | 43.2\% | 23.6\% | 14.3\% | 283 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 12.6\% | 53.8\% | 24.4\% | 9.1\% | 1009 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 10.9\% | 50.4\% | 30.7\% | 8.0\% | 582 |
| 2002 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 22.3\% | 42.3\% | 24.1\% | 11.4\% | 123 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 11.6\% | 61.4\% | 23.0\% | 4.0\% | 480 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 7.1\% | 64.0\% | 23.8\% | 5.0\% | 290 |
| 2004 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 14.7\% | 44.9\% | 34.1\% | 6.4\% | 110 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 15.4\% | 57.9\% | 22.0\% | 4.7\% | 456 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 8.5\% | 51.3\% | 35.2\% | 4.9\% | 309 |
| 2006 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 21.1\% | 45.4\% | 25.3\% | 8.2\% | 308 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 11.6\% | 56.6\% | 27.0\% | 4.9\% | 980 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 7.8\% | 58.2\% | 29.4\% | 4.7\% | 713 |
| 2008 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 20.4\% | 45.3\% | 28.9\% | 5.4\% | 203 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 11.2\% | 59.0\% | 25.1\% | 4.7\% | 668 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 10.0\% | 57.4\% | 28.4\% | 4.1\% | 477 |
| 2010 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 14.9\% | 55.8\% | 21.3\% | 8.1\% | 214 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 12.8\% | 57.7\% | 24.8\% | 4.7\% | 694 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 8.6\% | 54.7\% | 32.2\% | 4.4\% | 466 |
| 2012 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 15.6\% | 54.9\% | 20.5\% | 9.1\% | 221 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 9.0\% | 59.1\% | 26.1\% | 5.7\% | 619 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 12.1\% | 49.4\% | 35.1\% | 3.4\% | 486 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | EDUCATION | CONFIDENCE IN PRESS |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 26.1\% | 57.1\% | 14.3\% | 2.5\% | 547 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 20.4\% | 63.6\% | 15.3\% | .7\% | 727 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 23.6\% | 64.0\% | 11.5\% | .9\% | 211 |
| 1974 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 28.4\% | 52.2\% | 17.2\% | 2.2\% | 514 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 24.4\% | 56.8\% | 18.3\% | .5\% | 731 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 22.2\% | 61.6\% | 16.2\% | 0.0\% | 235 |
| 1975 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 22.9\% | 50.7\% | 21.0\% | 5.4\% | 526 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 23.2\% | 58.1\% | 17.1\% | 1.5\% | 745 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 27.8\% | 55.2\% | 16.3\% | .7\% | 214 |
| 1976 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 28.0\% | 51.4\% | 17.4\% | 3.2\% | 517 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 28.8\% | 52.6\% | 17.9\% | .7\% | 744 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 27.7\% | 51.4\% | 20.0\% | .9\% | 223 |
| 1977 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 26.8\% | 55.0\% | 15.0\% | 3.2\% | 527 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 23.2\% | 60.4\% | 15.4\% | .9\% | 753 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 26.0\% | 56.4\% | 16.0\% | 1.6\% | 241 |
| 1978 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 22.6\% | 53.9\% | 20.2\% | 3.3\% | 459 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 17.6\% | 60.3\% | 21.2\% | .8\% | 818 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 22.2\% | 61.0\% | 15.3\% | 1.4\% | 248 |
| 1980 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 22.2\% | 51.3\% | 20.1\% | 6.3\% | 435 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 23.2\% | 58.8\% | 16.7\% | 1.3\% | 764 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 18.6\% | 65.9\% | 14.9\% | .6\% | 264 |
| 1982 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 17.6\% | 57.6\% | 20.4\% | 4.3\% | 427 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 19.6\% | 58.8\% | 20.3\% | 1.3\% | 802 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 16.6\% | 59.0\% | 24.4\% | 0.0\% | 267 |
| 1983 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 15.7\% | 51.8\% | 27.3\% | 5.1\% | 413 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 12.5\% | 62.1\% | 24.5\% | .9\% | 855 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 12.6\% | 62.7\% | 24.4\% | . $3 \%$ | 325 |
| 1984 |  | 21.1\% | 56.5\% | 18.1\% | 4.3\% | 252 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 16.7\% | 57.2\% | 25.4\% | .8\% | 521 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 15.2\% | 63.9\% | 20.7\% | . $3 \%$ | 197 |
| 1986 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 20.0\% | 52.1\% | 24.0\% | 4.0\% | 378 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 19.0\% | 51.9\% | 28.1\% | 1.0\% | 779 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 15.8\% | 60.3\% | 22.9\% | 1.0\% | 308 |
| 1987 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 16.8\% | 56.9\% | 21.9\% | 4.5\% | 337 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 18.6\% | 54.3\% | 26.2\% | 1.0\% | 783 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 18.6\% | 58.6\% | 22.0\% | .8\% | 336 |
| 1988 |  | 25.7\% | 43.5\% | 23.3\% | 7.6\% | 224 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 17.5\% | 54.6\% | 25.8\% | 2.1\% | 563 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 15.4\% | 61.4\% | 23.0\% | . $3 \%$ | 204 |
| 1989 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 18.7\% | 50.2\% | 23.3\% | 7.8\% | 222 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 15.0\% | 55.0\% | 29.0\% | 1.0\% | 544 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 18.3\% | 56.2\% | 24.4\% | 1.0\% | 251 |
| 1990 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 17.1\% | 51.8\% | 22.6\% | 8.5\% | 193 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 14.6\% | 55.4\% | 27.5\% | 2.5\% | 484 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 11.7\% | 65.5\% | 22.3\% | .5\% | 213 |
| 1991 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 20.5\% | 51.4\% | 25.1\% | 3.0\% | 194 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 14.2\% | 54.8\% | 29.8\% | 1.2\% | 561 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 16.8\% | 51.1\% | 32.1\% | 0.0\% | 260 |
| 1993 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 17.0\% | 41.1\% | 37.0\% | 5.0\% | 180 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 10.1\% | 50.9\% | 37.9\% | 1.1\% | 567 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 8.0\% | 50.3\% | 40.7\% | 1.0\% | 310 |
| 1994 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 16.8\% | 44.4\% | 33.8\% | 5.0\% | 328 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 9.4\% | 49.6\% | 40.3\% | .7\% | 1064 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 7.5\% | 52.0\% | 40.4\% | .1\% | 581 |
| 1996 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 17.2\% | 40.1\% | 35.3\% | 7.4\% | 271 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 9.9\% | 46.9\% | 40.5\% | 2.7\% | 1068 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 8.6\% | 50.2\% | 40.9\% | . $3 \%$ | 569 |

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| SURVEY <br> YEAR |  | EDUCATION | CONFIDENCE IN PRESS (Continued) |  |  |  |
| :---: | :--- | ---: | :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | LTHIGH SCHOOL | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $14.8 \%$ | $40.6 \%$ | $38.6 \%$ | $6.0 \%$ | 294 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $9.0 \%$ | $46.2 \%$ | $43.4 \%$ | $1.5 \%$ | 1025 |
| 2000 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $6.2 \%$ | $49.1 \%$ | $43.6 \%$ | $1.1 \%$ | 559 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $12.5 \%$ | $44.7 \%$ | $37.8 \%$ | $5.0 \%$ | 285 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $9.7 \%$ | $47.0 \%$ | $41.2 \%$ | $2.1 \%$ | 1008 |
| 2002 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $9.3 \%$ | $47.2 \%$ | $42.2 \%$ | $1.3 \%$ | 581 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $15.5 \%$ | $52.3 \%$ | $30.9 \%$ | $1.4 \%$ | 123 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $8.5 \%$ | $44.1 \%$ | $45.5 \%$ | $2.0 \%$ | 480 |
| 2004 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $9.8 \%$ | $48.6 \%$ | $39.9 \%$ | $1.7 \%$ | 291 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $18.3 \%$ | $40.4 \%$ | $40.1 \%$ | $1.3 \%$ | 112 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $8.0 \%$ | $48.1 \%$ | $43.7 \%$ | $.2 \%$ | 457 |
| 2006 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $6.7 \%$ | $48.7 \%$ | $44.6 \%$ | $0.0 \%$ | 309 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $14.9 \%$ | $52.6 \%$ | $30.9 \%$ | $1.6 \%$ | 308 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $10.2 \%$ | $43.0 \%$ | $45.2 \%$ | $1.6 \%$ | 980 |
| 2008 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $8.2 \%$ | $53.0 \%$ | $38.4 \%$ | $.4 \%$ | 713 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $17.6 \%$ | $42.9 \%$ | $37.1 \%$ | $2.4 \%$ | 203 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $7.8 \%$ | $48.4 \%$ | $42.8 \%$ | $1.0 \%$ | 668 |
| 2010 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $5.6 \%$ | $43.2 \%$ | $50.4 \%$ | $.9 \%$ | 478 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $14.6 \%$ | $49.4 \%$ | $32.3 \%$ | $3.7 \%$ | 214 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $11.4 \%$ | $42.5 \%$ | $45.1 \%$ | $.9 \%$ | 695 |
| 2012 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $7.9 \%$ | $47.1 \%$ | $44.4 \%$ | $.6 \%$ | 466 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $11.0 \%$ | $46.4 \%$ | $36.7 \%$ | $6.0 \%$ | 223 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $7.4 \%$ | $43.9 \%$ | $47.2 \%$ | $1.4 \%$ | 619 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | EDUCATION | CONFIDENCE IN MEDICINE |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 53.0\% | 37.7\% | 8.2\% | 1.1\% | 545 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 57.9\% | 37.2\% | 4.3\% | .6\% | 727 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 42.9\% | 51.2\% | 5.5\% | . $4 \%$ | 209 |
| 1974 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 57.5\% | 35.2\% | 5.1\% | 2.3\% | 515 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 63.9\% | 31.3\% | 3.8\% | 1.0\% | 731 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 59.8\% | 34.5\% | 5.7\% | 0.0\% | 235 |
| 1975 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 48.1\% | 37.5\% | 11.6\% | 2.8\% | 527 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 55.7\% | 37.9\% | 5.5\% | .8\% | 744 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 42.2\% | 51.5\% | 5.8\% | . $4 \%$ | 215 |
| 1976 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 50.9\% | 34.0\% | 12.6\% | 2.5\% | 515 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 57.1\% | 35.2\% | 7.1\% | .6\% | 748 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 54.6\% | 36.3\% | 8.4\% | .6\% | 225 |
| 1977 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 53.8\% | 36.9\% | 7.3\% | 2.0\% | 528 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 52.9\% | 41.8\% | 4.5\% | .8\% | 752 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 50.2\% | 43.9\% | 5.1\% | .8\% | 241 |
| 1978 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 40.7\% | 43.0\% | 15.0\% | 1.3\% | 458 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 50.4\% | 42.8\% | 6.4\% | . $4 \%$ | 818 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 39.8\% | 53.7\% | 6.5\% | 0.0\% | 248 |
| 1980 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 51.7\% | 36.1\% | 9.5\% | 2.7\% | 435 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 53.1\% | 38.8\% | 7.4\% | .7\% | 765 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 56.2\% | 38.6\% | 5.0\% | .2\% | 264 |
| 1982 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 45.4\% | 43.7\% | 8.8\% | 2.1\% | 427 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 44.9\% | 47.8\% | 6.6\% | .6\% | 803 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 45.6\% | 45.3\% | 7.7\% | 1.4\% | 267 |
| 1983 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 49.5\% | 39.9\% | 8.2\% | 2.4\% | 414 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 52.5\% | 39.8\% | 7.0\% | .7\% | 855 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 53.5\% | 42.4\% | 3.3\% | .8\% | 324 |
| 1984 |  | 50.3\% | 39.3\% | 7.8\% | 2.7\% | 253 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 52.1\% | 43.1\% | 4.8\% | 0.0\% | 519 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 48.7\% | 46.6\% | 4.7\% | 0.0\% | 197 |
| 1986 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 44.8\% | 42.3\% | 11.1\% | 1.7\% | 380 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 46.5\% | 45.0\% | 7.4\% | 1.0\% | 778 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 49.7\% | 47.2\% | 2.3\% | .8\% | 308 |
| 1987 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 55.6\% | 35.9\% | 6.6\% | 2.0\% | 336 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 51.2\% | 42.9\% | 5.2\% | .8\% | 783 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 52.6\% | 42.9\% | 3.9\% | .6\% | 335 |
| 1988 |  | 52.8\% | 38.2\% | 7.1\% | 1.9\% | 224 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 50.9\% | 41.7\% | 6.5\% | . $8 \%$ | 564 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 57.1\% | 39.8\% | 2.6\% | . $5 \%$ | 206 |
| 1989 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 42.1\% | 41.6\% | 13.8\% | 2.5\% | 222 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 48.8\% | 45.3\% | 5.3\% | .7\% | 542 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 49.5\% | 46.4\% | 3.5\% | .6\% | 251 |
| 1990 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 42.7\% | 47.1\% | 8.3\% | 1.9\% | 193 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 46.7\% | 45.8\% | 6.5\% | 1.1\% | 484 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 45.1\% | 49.1\% | 5.8\% | 0.0\% | 211 |
| 1991 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 41.8\% | 46.4\% | 9.3\% | 2.5\% | 194 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 51.0\% | 39.7\% | 8.4\% | .9\% | 560 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 45.6\% | 49.3\% | 4.7\% | . $4 \%$ | 261 |
| 1993 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 40.8\% | 40.8\% | 16.9\% | 1.5\% | 181 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 40.8\% | 51.1\% | 7.5\% | .7\% | 565 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 39.9\% | 54.3\% | 4.6\% | 1.2\% | 310 |
| 1994 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 42.4\% | 41.6\% | 13.8\% | 2.1\% | 329 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 41.4\% | 47.6\% | 10.6\% | . $4 \%$ | 1066 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 44.6\% | 49.2\% | 6.1\% | .2\% | 581 |
| 1996 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 49.5\% | 36.1\% | 11.6\% | 2.8\% | 272 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 44.2\% | 46.5\% | 8.1\% | 1.3\% | 1070 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 45.0\% | 46.9\% | 7.7\% | . $4 \%$ | 569 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | EDUCATION | CONFIDENCE IN MEDICINE (Continued) |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1998 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 50.7\% | 32.2\% | 14.0\% | 3.0\% | 294 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 42.6\% | 46.7\% | 9.1\% | 1.6\% | 1023 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 46.4\% | 47.7\% | 5.6\% | . $3 \%$ | 558 |
| 2000 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 43.6\% | 38.6\% | 14.7\% | 3.1\% | 283 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 42.3\% | 47.1\% | 9.0\% | 1.6\% | 1009 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 49.0\% | 44.7\% | 6.0\% | . $3 \%$ | 582 |
| 2002 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 40.0\% | 42.3\% | 16.8\% | . $9 \%$ | 123 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 34.7\% | 53.0\% | 11.7\% | .6\% | 480 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 40.3\% | 51.6\% | 7.5\% | .6\% | 291 |
| 2004 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 32.7\% | 47.7\% | 17.1\% | 2.5\% | 112 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 35.2\% | 51.4\% | 13.4\% | 0.0\% | 457 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 43.3\% | 48.4\% | 8.1\% | .2\% | 309 |
| 2006 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 45.5\% | 41.9\% | 11.6\% | 1.0\% | 308 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 36.5\% | 49.1\% | 13.7\% | .7\% | 979 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 41.8\% | 51.8\% | 5.8\% | .7\% | 713 |
| 2008 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 40.6\% | 45.6\% | 13.6\% | . $2 \%$ | 203 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 37.5\% | 50.5\% | 11.7\% | . $3 \%$ | 668 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 40.5\% | 51.7\% | 7.6\% | . $3 \%$ | 478 |
| 2010 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 46.4\% | 40.7\% | 11.5\% | 1.5\% | 216 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 36.6\% | 51.0\% | 11.8\% | .6\% | 695 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 45.6\% | 43.8\% | 10.2\% | . $4 \%$ | 466 |
| 2012 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 41.9\% | 43.5\% | 13.0\% | 1.7\% | 223 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 39.1\% | 48.9\% | 11.6\% | .4\% | 619 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 37.3\% | 55.0\% | 7.0\% | .6\% | 488 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | EDUCATION | CONFIDENCE IN TELEVISION |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 26.5\% | 51.8\% | 20.7\% | 1.1\% | 548 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 13.8\% | 63.2\% | 22.4\% | .7\% | 726 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 11.1\% | 66.4\% | 21.2\% | 1.3\% | 209 |
| 1974 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 28.2\% | 55.0\% | 15.7\% | 1.1\% | 515 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 22.3\% | 58.6\% | 18.0\% | 1.0\% | 730 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 13.3\% | 64.1\% | 22.0\% | .6\% | 235 |
| 1975 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 21.5\% | 52.2\% | 22.4\% | 4.0\% | 527 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 17.2\% | 59.1\% | 22.1\% | 1.6\% | 744 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 11.7\% | 61.0\% | 26.0\% | 1.3\% | 215 |
| 1976 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 20.7\% | 48.0\% | 29.5\% | 1.8\% | 515 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 18.6\% | 54.5\% | 25.4\% | 1.5\% | 747 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 10.6\% | 58.1\% | 30.2\% | 1.1\% | 225 |
| 1977 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 24.2\% | 54.5\% | 19.5\% | 1.8\% | 527 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 14.7\% | 58.1\% | 26.0\% | 1.3\% | 752 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 11.9\% | 54.1\% | 33.4\% | .6\% | 241 |
| 1978 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 20.1\% | 52.5\% | 25.2\% | 2.2\% | 459 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 12.9\% | 53.3\% | 32.7\% | 1.1\% | 818 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 8.8\% | 53.8\% | 35.9\% | 1.4\% | 247 |
| 1980 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 24.2\% | 48.1\% | 25.4\% | 2.4\% | 435 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 12.6\% | 59.3\% | 27.3\% | .8\% | 765 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 8.2\% | 55.6\% | 34.8\% | 1.4\% | 263 |
| 1982 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 20.3\% | 53.1\% | 24.5\% | 2.1\% | 427 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 12.8\% | 61.1\% | 25.4\% | .8\% | 803 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 7.7\% | 55.9\% | 36.2\% | .2\% | 267 |
| 1983 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 18.2\% | 51.6\% | 26.7\% | 3.5\% | 414 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 11.0\% | 60.7\% | 27.5\% | .9\% | 854 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 8.8\% | 57.4\% | 32.6\% | 1.2\% | 326 |
| 1984 |  | 20.5\% | 53.0\% | 23.6\% | 2.9\% | 252 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 11.7\% | 57.2\% | 31.0\% | .1\% | 521 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 7.6\% | 62.0\% | 29.3\% | 1.0\% | 197 |
| 1986 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 19.0\% | 60.2\% | 19.3\% | 1.5\% | 378 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 14.9\% | 53.6\% | 30.5\% | 1.0\% | 778 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 9.3\% | 54.4\% | 34.5\% | 1.8\% | 308 |
| 1987 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 18.7\% | 55.7\% | 22.5\% | 3.1\% | 337 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 8.9\% | 60.1\% | 30.2\% | .8\% | 781 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 8.1\% | 58.8\% | 32.6\% | . $5 \%$ | 336 |
| 1988 |  | 18.5\% | 53.7\% | 24.7\% | 3.1\% | 224 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 14.7\% | 61.1\% | 24.1\% | .2\% | 562 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 7.9\% | 57.6\% | 33.0\% | 1.6\% | 203 |
| 1989 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 20.7\% | 46.7\% | 28.3\% | 4.4\% | 222 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 12.1\% | 56.0\% | 30.1\% | 1.8\% | 543 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 11.2\% | 56.8\% | 30.8\% | 1.2\% | 251 |
| 1990 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 21.8\% | 56.7\% | 17.1\% | 4.4\% | 193 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 12.3\% | 58.8\% | 27.4\% | 1.4\% | 484 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 9.5\% | 55.5\% | 35.0\% | 0.0\% | 213 |
| 1991 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 22.7\% | 51.9\% | 24.6\% | .8\% | 194 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 14.8\% | 54.9\% | 29.7\% | .7\% | 560 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 7.7\% | 55.2\% | 37.1\% | 0.0\% | 261 |
| 1993 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 21.2\% | 47.7\% | 29.9\% | 1.2\% | 182 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 11.5\% | 51.1\% | 36.4\% | 1.0\% | 567 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 6.1\% | 53.3\% | 40.4\% | .2\% | 310 |
| 1994 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 18.0\% | 48.7\% | 31.3\% | 2.0\% | 327 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 9.0\% | 53.4\% | 37.3\% | . $4 \%$ | 1064 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 5.9\% | 45.3\% | 48.0\% | .8\% | 581 |
| 1996 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 19.0\% | 44.1\% | 31.7\% | 5.2\% | 272 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 10.7\% | 45.8\% | 41.5\% | 2.1\% | 1067 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 6.0\% | 46.7\% | 46.5\% | .8\% | 567 |

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| SURVEY <br> YEAR |  | EDUCATION | CONFIDENCE IN TELEVISION (Continued) |  |  |  |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | LT HIGH SCHOOL | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $17.4 \%$ | $46.1 \%$ | $32.8 \%$ | $3.7 \%$ | 294 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $9.7 \%$ | $52.0 \%$ | $37.3 \%$ | $1.0 \%$ | 1025 |
| 2000 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $6.7 \%$ | $47.8 \%$ | $44.3 \%$ | $1.2 \%$ | 558 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $17.8 \%$ | $48.4 \%$ | $30.4 \%$ | $3.3 \%$ | 283 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $10.6 \%$ | $47.6 \%$ | $40.1 \%$ | $1.8 \%$ | 1008 |
| 2002 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $6.2 \%$ | $44.0 \%$ | $48.8 \%$ | $1.0 \%$ | 582 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $20.5 \%$ | $45.5 \%$ | $31.4 \%$ | $2.7 \%$ | 123 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $8.6 \%$ | $48.5 \%$ | $41.7 \%$ | $1.2 \%$ | 480 |
| 2004 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $6.1 \%$ | $46.6 \%$ | $47.0 \%$ | $.2 \%$ | 291 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $13.6 \%$ | $56.2 \%$ | $29.8 \%$ | $.4 \%$ | 112 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $9.9 \%$ | $50.3 \%$ | $39.8 \%$ | $0.0 \%$ | 457 |
| 2006 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $9.5 \%$ | $38.8 \%$ | $51.0 \%$ | $.7 \%$ | 309 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $18.0 \%$ | $50.7 \%$ | $29.6 \%$ | $1.7 \%$ | 308 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $8.1 \%$ | $48.6 \%$ | $42.0 \%$ | $1.3 \%$ | 979 |
| 2008 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $6.3 \%$ | $48.3 \%$ | $44.3 \%$ | $1.1 \%$ | 713 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $17.7 \%$ | $55.2 \%$ | $25.9 \%$ | $1.3 \%$ | 203 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $8.4 \%$ | $51.6 \%$ | $39.6 \%$ | $.3 \%$ | 668 |
| 2010 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $6.8 \%$ | $49.8 \%$ | $42.2 \%$ | $1.3 \%$ | 477 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $22.9 \%$ | $51.7 \%$ | $24.3 \%$ | $1.1 \%$ | 216 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $12.0 \%$ | $53.3 \%$ | $34.1 \%$ | $.5 \%$ | 695 |
| 2012 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $9.1 \%$ | $45.2 \%$ | $44.9 \%$ | $.9 \%$ | 466 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $14.4 \%$ | $52.5 \%$ | $30.2 \%$ | $2.8 \%$ | 223 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $11.7 \%$ | $48.7 \%$ | $38.4 \%$ | $1.2 \%$ | 618 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | EDUCATION | CONFID. IN UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT |  |  |  |  |
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|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 29.8\% | 46.3\% | 17.0\% | 7.0\% | 545 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 29.8\% | 53.9\% | 15.4\% | . $9 \%$ | 727 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 39.3\% | 50.3\% | 10.0\% | .4\% | 211 |
| 1974 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 30.3\% | 43.7\% | 18.4\% | 7.6\% | 515 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 32.0\% | 51.1\% | 14.1\% | 2.8\% | 732 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 42.0\% | 47.1\% | 10.3\% | .6\% | 235 |
| 1975 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 26.4\% | 45.6\% | 20.2\% | 7.8\% | 525 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 30.5\% | 47.7\% | 19.2\% | 2.5\% | 745 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 39.8\% | 47.4\% | 11.5\% | 1.3\% | 215 |
| 1976 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 25.8\% | 43.4\% | 20.6\% | 10.2\% | 514 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 35.4\% | 47.7\% | 14.1\% | 2.7\% | 749 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 48.2\% | 40.6\% | 8.5\% | 2.8\% | 224 |
| 1977 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 33.0\% | 47.7\% | 12.9\% | 6.3\% | 527 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 35.0\% | 52.0\% | 10.5\% | 2.4\% | 750 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 45.1\% | 47.5\% | 5.3\% | 2.0\% | 241 |
| 1978 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 23.9\% | 50.1\% | 18.1\% | 7.9\% | 459 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 27.4\% | 55.9\% | 14.7\% | 2.0\% | 818 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 41.1\% | 48.1\% | 10.2\% | .6\% | 248 |
| 1980 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 21.0\% | 47.2\% | 19.6\% | 12.1\% | 435 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 24.5\% | 52.6\% | 21.0\% | 1.9\% | 765 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 29.1\% | 52.5\% | 16.7\% | 1.7\% | 264 |
| 1982 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 26.4\% | 51.3\% | 14.2\% | 8.1\% | 426 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 30.7\% | 55.4\% | 12.5\% | 1.5\% | 802 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 38.3\% | 51.1\% | 9.9\% | .8\% | 267 |
| 1983 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 23.3\% | 48.5\% | 20.9\% | 7.4\% | 412 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 26.0\% | 58.0\% | 13.5\% | 2.4\% | 855 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 35.8\% | 54.0\% | 9.5\% | .8\% | 326 |
| 1984 |  | 27.6\% | 47.4\% | 18.0\% | 7.0\% | 253 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 33.6\% | 53.6\% | 11.3\% | 1.5\% | 520 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 41.1\% | 47.9\% | 9.2\% | 1.8\% | 197 |
| 1986 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 23.6\% | 50.3\% | 19.5\% | 6.6\% | 376 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 29.2\% | 55.2\% | 13.3\% | 2.2\% | 778 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 41.7\% | 48.5\% | 8.2\% | 1.6\% | 308 |
| 1987 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 31.3\% | 44.5\% | 16.6\% | 7.6\% | 337 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 33.4\% | 54.6\% | 8.8\% | 3.2\% | 782 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 52.7\% | 41.4\% | 5.4\% | . $5 \%$ | 335 |
| 1988 |  | 28.6\% | 48.9\% | 11.7\% | 10.7\% | 223 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 33.6\% | 52.3\% | 11.3\% | 2.9\% | 565 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 46.4\% | 47.9\% | 4.9\% | .8\% | 205 |
| 1989 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 24.1\% | 48.3\% | 13.1\% | 14.5\% | 222 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 33.3\% | 54.2\% | 10.1\% | 2.4\% | 545 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 46.8\% | 46.0\% | 6.5\% | .6\% | 251 |
| 1990 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 23.1\% | 52.3\% | 14.6\% | 9.9\% | 193 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 34.0\% | 47.4\% | 14.6\% | 4.0\% | 484 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 46.0\% | 48.3\% | 5.7\% | 0.0\% | 213 |
| 1991 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 25.9\% | 49.3\% | 16.5\% | 8.3\% | 193 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 38.1\% | 45.2\% | 13.6\% | 3.0\% | 560 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 44.9\% | 45.7\% | 7.8\% | 1.6\% | 260 |
| 1993 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 26.2\% | 47.1\% | 16.0\% | 10.8\% | 182 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 26.5\% | 55.4\% | 15.2\% | 2.9\% | 567 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 39.5\% | 50.9\% | 8.7\% | .9\% | 310 |
| 1994 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 26.5\% | 45.1\% | 19.7\% | 8.7\% | 329 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 28.3\% | 52.4\% | 17.0\% | 2.2\% | 1066 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 39.3\% | 47.8\% | 11.4\% | 1.6\% | 581 |
| 1996 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 24.2\% | 39.3\% | 21.8\% | 14.8\% | 272 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 24.2\% | 51.8\% | 20.0\% | 4.1\% | 1068 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 37.9\% | 50.0\% | 10.1\% | 1.9\% | 569 |

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|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1998 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 26.8\% | 41.6\% | 19.3\% | 12.4\% | 294 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 27.4\% | 54.0\% | 15.3\% | 3.2\% | 1022 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 40.5\% | 48.3\% | 8.9\% | 2.4\% | 559 |
| 2000 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 28.1\% | 41.1\% | 18.0\% | 12.8\% | 283 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 28.2\% | 51.8\% | 14.3\% | 5.7\% | 1009 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 41.8\% | 49.2\% | 6.4\% | 2.6\% | 583 |
| 2002 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 31.4\% | 48.2\% | 10.9\% | 9.5\% | 123 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 33.4\% | 51.0\% | 12.4\% | 3.1\% | 479 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 42.2\% | 47.6\% | 8.3\% | 1.9\% | 291 |
| 2004 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 30.5\% | 44.6\% | 21.2\% | 3.8\% | 112 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 29.8\% | 53.6\% | 15.1\% | 1.5\% | 457 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 35.0\% | 52.9\% | 11.8\% | . $3 \%$ | 309 |
| 2006 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 30.6\% | 48.1\% | 16.7\% | 4.7\% | 308 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 29.6\% | 49.8\% | 17.2\% | 3.3\% | 978 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 37.6\% | 48.0\% | 10.7\% | 3.7\% | 713 |
| 2008 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 26.1\% | 47.7\% | 18.1\% | 8.1\% | 203 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 29.0\% | 55.9\% | 13.6\% | 1.5\% | 668 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 35.3\% | 51.1\% | 12.4\% | 1.2\% | 478 |
| 2010 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 28.8\% | 43.4\% | 22.1\% | 5.8\% | 214 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 27.3\% | 52.4\% | 17.9\% | 2.4\% | 694 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 34.0\% | 51.9\% | 13.3\% | . $9 \%$ | 465 |
| 2012 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 28.5\% | 43.2\% | 20.0\% | 8.3\% | 222 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 25.4\% | 56.0\% | 16.6\% | 2.0\% | 618 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 33.0\% | 53.3\% | 12.5\% | 1.1\% | 487 |

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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 28.8\% | 45.1\% | 10.5\% | 15.7\% | 546 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 38.5\% | 51.0\% | 3.7\% | 6.8\% | 722 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 54.2\% | 40.8\% | 2.2\% | 2.8\% | 211 |
| 1974 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 32.4\% | 37.8\% | 11.4\% | 18.4\% | 515 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 49.6\% | 38.9\% | 5.0\% | 6.4\% | 730 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 61.2\% | 33.9\% | 2.2\% | 2.8\% | 235 |
| 1975 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 28.2\% | 43.6\% | 10.3\% | 17.9\% | 527 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 40.3\% | 46.5\% | 5.9\% | 7.3\% | 744 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 49.6\% | 47.4\% | .4\% | 2.6\% | 215 |
| 1976 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 33.9\% | 37.0\% | 9.9\% | 19.2\% | 514 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 43.6\% | 41.8\% | 7.0\% | 7.6\% | 745 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 60.2\% | 33.0\% | 3.9\% | 2.8\% | 223 |
| 1977 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 32.7\% | 47.3\% | 6.8\% | 13.2\% | 526 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 42.0\% | 48.0\% | 4.6\% | 5.4\% | 751 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 58.6\% | 36.9\% | 2.5\% | 2.0\% | 241 |
| 1978 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 24.0\% | 49.7\% | 12.1\% | 14.1\% | 459 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 35.3\% | 52.9\% | 6.4\% | 5.5\% | 817 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 58.2\% | 35.7\% | 3.3\% | 2.9\% | 248 |
| 1980 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 27.7\% | 43.0\% | 12.8\% | 16.5\% | 432 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 42.4\% | 46.0\% | 5.6\% | 6.1\% | 763 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 59.0\% | 36.6\% | 1.4\% | 3.1\% | 263 |
| 1982 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 30.4\% | 44.4\% | 7.6\% | 17.7\% | 427 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 37.9\% | 49.8\% | 6.2\% | 6.1\% | 801 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 56.5\% | 40.4\% | 2.3\% | .8\% | 267 |
| 1983 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 31.5\% | 47.6\% | 8.6\% | 12.3\% | 411 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 41.6\% | 48.3\% | 5.2\% | 4.9\% | 854 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 55.8\% | 41.7\% | 1.9\% | .6\% | 326 |
| 1984 |  | 28.5\% | 48.3\% | 10.9\% | 12.3\% | 252 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 45.0\% | 46.5\% | 4.6\% | 4.0\% | 520 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 63.9\% | 33.2\% | 2.1\% | .8\% | 196 |
| 1986 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 26.2\% | 51.1\% | 13.8\% | 8.8\% | 378 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 40.5\% | 49.4\% | 5.6\% | 4.5\% | 777 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 53.4\% | 42.6\% | 2.3\% | 1.6\% | 308 |
| 1987 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 31.2\% | 44.2\% | 12.7\% | 11.9\% | 335 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 44.2\% | 45.7\% | 5.3\% | 4.9\% | 781 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 61.5\% | 35.3\% | .9\% | 2.3\% | 336 |
| 1988 |  | 23.6\% | 50.8\% | 8.0\% | 17.5\% | 225 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 41.5\% | 46.8\% | 5.6\% | 6.1\% | 563 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 50.4\% | 47.5\% | 1.3\% | . $8 \%$ | 206 |
| 1989 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 26.9\% | 40.1\% | 11.4\% | 21.6\% | 220 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 38.8\% | 50.3\% | 5.3\% | 5.6\% | 544 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 57.8\% | 37.5\% | 3.1\% | 1.6\% | 251 |
| 1990 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 22.9\% | 48.5\% | 9.4\% | 19.3\% | 193 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 36.1\% | 50.2\% | 6.8\% | 6.9\% | 484 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 55.7\% | 39.3\% | 2.8\% | 2.3\% | 211 |
| 1991 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 25.1\% | 50.8\% | 9.8\% | 14.2\% | 194 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 38.2\% | 50.2\% | 6.0\% | 5.6\% | 560 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 55.6\% | 36.7\% | 6.1\% | 1.6\% | 261 |
| 1993 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 25.6\% | 49.1\% | 9.4\% | 15.9\% | 180 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 35.3\% | 49.0\% | 8.5\% | 7.2\% | 566 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 48.4\% | 46.2\% | 2.6\% | 2.9\% | 310 |
| 1994 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 28.1\% | 47.2\% | 13.0\% | 11.7\% | 328 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 36.5\% | 52.4\% | 7.2\% | 4.0\% | 1065 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 50.3\% | 45.3\% | 2.9\% | 1.5\% | 581 |
| 1996 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 32.1\% | 35.7\% | 13.8\% | 18.4\% | 272 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 34.6\% | 49.2\% | 8.8\% | 7.4\% | 1066 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 52.9\% | 41.9\% | 3.1\% | 2.2\% | 567 |

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| SURVEY <br> YEAR |  | EDUCATION | CONFIDENCE IN SCIENTIFIC COMMUNITY (Continued) |  |  |  |
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|  | LTHIGH SCHOOL | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $28.9 \%$ | $41.0 \%$ | $15.2 \%$ | $14.8 \%$ | 293 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $35.8 \%$ | $48.5 \%$ | $9.1 \%$ | $6.6 \%$ | 1024 |
| 2000 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $52.9 \%$ | $41.1 \%$ | $2.4 \%$ | $3.6 \%$ | 558 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $27.4 \%$ | $43.1 \%$ | $13.1 \%$ | $16.4 \%$ | 285 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $38.3 \%$ | $46.0 \%$ | $7.8 \%$ | $7.9 \%$ | 1009 |
| 2002 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $54.0 \%$ | $39.8 \%$ | $3.8 \%$ | $2.4 \%$ | 583 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $30.0 \%$ | $42.3 \%$ | $12.7 \%$ | $15.0 \%$ | 123 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $33.4 \%$ | $50.9 \%$ | $9.8 \%$ | $5.9 \%$ | 480 |
| 2004 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $46.4 \%$ | $46.4 \%$ | $4.4 \%$ | $2.7 \%$ | 291 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $26.9 \%$ | $47.7 \%$ | $15.0 \%$ | $10.4 \%$ | 112 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $35.3 \%$ | $54.7 \%$ | $6.6 \%$ | $3.3 \%$ | 456 |
| 2006 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $56.5 \%$ | $40.1 \%$ | $2.6 \%$ | $.9 \%$ | 309 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $29.0 \%$ | $51.0 \%$ | $12.7 \%$ | $7.2 \%$ | 308 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $38.4 \%$ | $50.3 \%$ | $6.5 \%$ | $4.8 \%$ | 979 |
| 2008 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $49.6 \%$ | $43.9 \%$ | $2.9 \%$ | $3.6 \%$ | 713 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $33.4 \%$ | $47.1 \%$ | $10.0 \%$ | $9.5 \%$ | 202 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $32.9 \%$ | $56.4 \%$ | $6.1 \%$ | $4.6 \%$ | 668 |
| 2010 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $48.6 \%$ | $46.2 \%$ | $2.9 \%$ | $2.3 \%$ | 478 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $30.5 \%$ | $46.8 \%$ | $13.5 \%$ | $9.2 \%$ | 214 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $35.8 \%$ | $54.2 \%$ | $5.6 \%$ | $4.4 \%$ | 693 |
| 2012 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $52.3 \%$ | $42.7 \%$ | $3.8 \%$ | $1.2 \%$ | 466 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $35.9 \%$ | $46.9 \%$ | $6.0 \%$ | $11.3 \%$ | 223 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $36.5 \%$ | $49.5 \%$ | $9.1 \%$ | $5.0 \%$ | 618 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | EDUCATION | CONFIDENCE IN CONGRESS |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 24.7\% | 55.2\% | 15.4\% | 4.7\% | 546 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 22.7\% | 59.9\% | 16.1\% | 1.2\% | 726 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 23.5\% | 62.7\% | 12.9\% | .9\% | 210 |
| 1974 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 16.3\% | 56.3\% | 22.4\% | 5.1\% | 515 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 17.4\% | 58.4\% | 22.1\% | 2.2\% | 730 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 17.2\% | 68.9\% | 13.5\% | .4\% | 235 |
| 1975 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 17.0\% | 50.8\% | 26.3\% | 5.9\% | 528 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 12.0\% | 61.5\% | 24.9\% | 1.6\% | 745 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 7.8\% | 66.5\% | 25.2\% | .4\% | 214 |
| 1976 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 13.3\% | 54.3\% | 28.4\% | 4.0\% | 516 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 13.5\% | 60.0\% | 25.1\% | 1.4\% | 749 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 11.9\% | 62.0\% | 24.2\% | 1.9\% | 225 |
| 1977 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 23.1\% | 56.4\% | 15.0\% | 5.5\% | 526 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 17.2\% | 63.8\% | 17.9\% | 1.2\% | 752 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 16.8\% | 62.3\% | 19.3\% | 1.6\% | 241 |
| 1978 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 13.9\% | 59.3\% | 20.9\% | 5.9\% | 458 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 12.3\% | 63.9\% | 22.0\% | 1.9\% | 818 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 12.5\% | 66.5\% | 20.4\% | .6\% | 248 |
| 1980 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 12.9\% | 42.6\% | 35.8\% | 8.7\% | 435 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 7.5\% | 58.6\% | 32.7\% | 1.1\% | 765 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 6.2\% | 61.2\% | 31.5\% | 1.2\% | 263 |
| 1982 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 15.8\% | 56.0\% | 23.2\% | 5.0\% | 427 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 11.2\% | 65.5\% | 22.9\% | .4\% | 803 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 13.9\% | 62.5\% | 23.6\% | 0.0\% | 267 |
| 1983 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 11.9\% | 56.9\% | 25.8\% | 5.4\% | 412 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 8.4\% | 67.8\% | 21.9\% | 1.9\% | 853 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 11.6\% | 66.0\% | 20.8\% | 1.6\% | 326 |
| 1984 |  | 14.0\% | 61.0\% | 21.4\% | 3.7\% | 252 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 12.8\% | 65.4\% | 20.7\% | 1.1\% | 520 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 11.3\% | 64.7\% | 23.2\% | .8\% | 196 |
| 1986 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 19.9\% | 54.1\% | 21.2\% | 4.8\% | 379 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 14.8\% | 63.5\% | 20.1\% | 1.6\% | 778 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 15.2\% | 67.3\% | 16.7\% | .8\% | 308 |
| 1987 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 16.0\% | 58.7\% | 17.7\% | 7.6\% | 337 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 17.2\% | 62.8\% | 18.0\% | 2.1\% | 783 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 16.8\% | 65.6\% | 17.3\% | .3\% | 336 |
| 1988 |  | 14.7\% | 59.3\% | 17.7\% | 8.3\% | 225 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 18.3\% | 58.0\% | 21.2\% | 2.4\% | 565 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 10.6\% | 73.6\% | 15.2\% | .5\% | 206 |
| 1989 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 16.8\% | 56.6\% | 17.9\% | 8.7\% | 222 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 18.1\% | 59.6\% | 21.1\% | 1.2\% | 545 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 16.7\% | 57.6\% | 23.8\% | 1.8\% | 251 |
| 1990 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 11.6\% | 59.3\% | 20.2\% | 8.9\% | 192 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 17.7\% | 56.9\% | 23.2\% | 2.2\% | 484 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 15.0\% | 62.3\% | 22.7\% | 0.0\% | 213 |
| 1991 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 19.0\% | 50.7\% | 24.8\% | 5.5\% | 193 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 17.6\% | 56.1\% | 24.2\% | 2.1\% | 560 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 16.4\% | 53.2\% | 30.1\% | .4\% | 260 |
| 1993 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 11.6\% | 48.3\% | 35.2\% | 4.9\% | 182 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 6.2\% | 49.9\% | 42.6\% | 1.3\% | 567 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 4.1\% | 52.3\% | 42.1\% | 1.5\% | 310 |
| 1994 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 13.8\% | 46.3\% | 33.5\% | 6.5\% | 326 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 8.0\% | 51.4\% | 39.3\% | 1.3\% | 1064 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 4.7\% | 51.1\% | 43.1\% | 1.1\% | 580 |
| 1996 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 9.9\% | 35.4\% | 46.1\% | 8.7\% | 270 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 7.0\% | 45.3\% | 45.4\% | 2.3\% | 1070 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 6.1\% | 56.0\% | 36.4\% | 1.5\% | 568 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | EDUCATION | CONFIDENCE IN CONGRESS (Continued) |  |  |  |  |
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|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1998 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 16.7\% | 46.4\% | 29.2\% | 7.7\% | 294 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 9.5\% | 55.6\% | 32.6\% | 2.2\% | 1020 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 8.5\% | 63.0\% | 26.7\% | 1.9\% | 559 |
| 2000 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 15.5\% | 46.3\% | 29.7\% | 8.5\% | 283 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 11.7\% | 56.1\% | 27.6\% | 4.6\% | 1009 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 12.9\% | 57.8\% | 26.7\% | 2.5\% | 583 |
| 2002 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 16.8\% | 45.9\% | 31.4\% | 5.9\% | 123 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 13.4\% | 60.6\% | 23.9\% | 2.1\% | 479 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 12.9\% | 61.4\% | 24.2\% | 1.5\% | 291 |
| 2004 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 19.1\% | 53.9\% | 22.5\% | 4.5\% | 112 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 15.2\% | 59.0\% | 24.8\% | .9\% | 456 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 12.3\% | 59.6\% | 28.1\% | 0.0\% | 309 |
| 2006 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 18.1\% | 48.3\% | 30.7\% | 3.0\% | 308 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 11.3\% | 51.2\% | 35.5\% | 2.0\% | 979 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 9.4\% | 57.2\% | 31.2\% | 2.2\% | 713 |
| 2008 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 16.5\% | 46.3\% | 34.1\% | 3.1\% | 202 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 9.4\% | 53.1\% | 35.7\% | 1.9\% | 663 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 9.0\% | 49.7\% | 39.7\% | 1.6\% | 478 |
| 2010 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 20.1\% | 42.4\% | 32.4\% | 5.0\% | 214 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 8.4\% | 47.7\% | 42.8\% | 1.1\% | 694 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 7.6\% | 45.4\% | 45.9\% | 1.1\% | 466 |
| 2012 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 12.6\% | 43.9\% | 35.3\% | 8.3\% | 222 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 6.6\% | 45.2\% | 46.1\% | 2.0\% | 618 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 4.0\% | 44.0\% | 50.5\% | 1.5\% | 487 |

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| SURVEY YEAR | EDUCATION | CONFIDENCE IN MILITARY |  |  |  |  |
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|  |  | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
| 1973 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 40.5\% | 43.7\% | 11.2\% | 4.6\% | 544 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 29.1\% | 52.1\% | 17.2\% | 1.5\% | 727 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 19.7\% | 51.0\% | 28.9\% | .4\% | 211 |
| 1974 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 48.0\% | 40.3\% | 7.4\% | 4.3\% | 515 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 39.3\% | 43.9\% | 15.1\% | 1.7\% | 732 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 20.0\% | 56.1\% | 24.0\% | 0.0\% | 235 |
| 1975 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 40.9\% | 38.9\% | 11.9\% | 8.3\% | 526 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 33.8\% | 51.1\% | 12.6\% | 2.4\% | 745 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 22.4\% | 51.7\% | 24.8\% | 1.1\% | 214 |
| 1976 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 42.2\% | 36.1\% | 11.8\% | 9.9\% | 512 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 42.2\% | 41.7\% | 12.3\% | 3.8\% | 750 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 27.0\% | 49.7\% | 19.7\% | 3.7\% | 225 |
| 1977 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 42.5\% | 44.9\% | 7.5\% | 5.1\% | 528 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 34.6\% | 54.4\% | 9.6\% | 1.4\% | 753 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 28.3\% | 52.7\% | 17.0\% | 2.0\% | 241 |
| 1978 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 39.1\% | 46.4\% | 10.3\% | 4.2\% | 459 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 29.0\% | 55.6\% | 13.1\% | 2.3\% | 818 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 14.1\% | 66.5\% | 16.7\% | 2.7\% | 248 |
| 1980 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 38.0\% | 40.7\% | 13.3\% | 8.0\% | 435 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 27.0\% | 54.2\% | 17.2\% | 1.7\% | 765 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 16.5\% | 63.4\% | 17.6\% | 2.5\% | 264 |
| 1982 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 38.7\% | 46.6\% | 11.0\% | 3.7\% | 427 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 27.9\% | 56.1\% | 14.6\% | 1.5\% | 803 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 21.9\% | 53.4\% | 24.4\% | .4\% | 267 |
| 1983 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 40.4\% | 44.4\% | 10.4\% | 4.8\% | 413 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 28.3\% | 56.9\% | 12.3\% | 2.4\% | 855 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 21.7\% | 59.1\% | 17.7\% | 1.6\% | 326 |
| 1984 |  | 44.8\% | 40.0\% | 8.6\% | 6.6\% | 252 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 37.3\% | 50.5\% | 10.9\% | 1.3\% | 521 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 24.7\% | 54.6\% | 19.7\% | 1.0\% | 197 |
| 1986 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 40.0\% | 42.8\% | 13.1\% | 4.1\% | 379 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 30.6\% | 56.3\% | 11.5\% | 1.6\% | 779 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 22.2\% | 57.4\% | 18.0\% | 2.5\% | 308 |
| 1987 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 44.7\% | 37.9\% | 10.6\% | 6.7\% | 337 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 36.4\% | 52.1\% | 9.3\% | 2.2\% | 783 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 24.7\% | 55.8\% | 19.5\% | 0.0\% | 335 |
| 1988 |  | 39.7\% | 44.9\% | 9.5\% | 5.9\% | 225 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 36.2\% | 49.2\% | 11.7\% | 3.0\% | 565 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 25.1\% | 56.6\% | 17.1\% | 1.3\% | 206 |
| 1989 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 37.1\% | 42.2\% | 10.4\% | 10.4\% | 222 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 34.3\% | 51.5\% | 12.7\% | 1.6\% | 545 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 25.3\% | 55.6\% | 17.1\% | 2.0\% | 251 |
| 1990 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 33.3\% | 48.8\% | 10.7\% | 7.2\% | 193 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 39.3\% | 46.2\% | 11.1\% | 3.4\% | 484 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 19.8\% | 58.3\% | 22.0\% | 0.0\% | 213 |
| 1991 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 68.0\% | 24.0\% | 4.6\% | 3.3\% | 194 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 62.6\% | 31.8\% | 4.5\% | 1.2\% | 560 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 51.3\% | 38.9\% | 9.0\% | .8\% | 261 |
| 1993 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 45.6\% | 36.6\% | 15.1\% | 2.6\% | 182 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 43.0\% | 46.1\% | 9.5\% | 1.4\% | 566 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 35.7\% | 50.8\% | 12.1\% | 1.4\% | 309 |
| 1994 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 43.8\% | 36.5\% | 14.5\% | 5.1\% | 327 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 38.7\% | 49.2\% | 10.6\% | 1.5\% | 1064 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 32.2\% | 54.4\% | 12.6\% | .8\% | 581 |
| 1996 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | 46.7\% | 37.7\% | 7.8\% | 7.8\% | 272 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | 38.4\% | 49.1\% | 10.1\% | 2.3\% | 1070 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | 35.2\% | 49.5\% | 12.4\% | 2.9\% | 569 |

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|  | LTHIGH SCHOOL | A GREAT DEAL | ONLY SOME | HARDLY ANY | DK | Total |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $49.1 \%$ | $33.3 \%$ | $12.0 \%$ | $5.6 \%$ | 293 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $36.1 \%$ | $49.2 \%$ | $13.0 \%$ | $1.7 \%$ | 1024 |
| 2000 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $29.9 \%$ | $55.8 \%$ | $12.1 \%$ | $2.2 \%$ | 559 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $43.8 \%$ | $37.6 \%$ | $11.6 \%$ | $7.0 \%$ | 283 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $39.5 \%$ | $48.8 \%$ | $8.7 \%$ | $3.0 \%$ | 1009 |
| 2002 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $37.6 \%$ | $50.9 \%$ | $9.9 \%$ | $1.5 \%$ | 582 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $66.4 \%$ | $22.3 \%$ | $7.7 \%$ | $3.6 \%$ | 123 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $57.4 \%$ | $33.3 \%$ | $7.8 \%$ | $1.5 \%$ | 480 |
| 2004 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $48.8 \%$ | $46.4 \%$ | $4.2 \%$ | $.6 \%$ | 291 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $60.9 \%$ | $30.4 \%$ | $7.5 \%$ | $1.3 \%$ | 112 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $60.5 \%$ | $29.5 \%$ | $9.4 \%$ | $.5 \%$ | 456 |
| 2006 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $54.3 \%$ | $38.9 \%$ | $6.9 \%$ | $0.0 \%$ | 309 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $50.6 \%$ | $34.2 \%$ | $13.3 \%$ | $1.9 \%$ | 308 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $48.5 \%$ | $37.7 \%$ | $12.2 \%$ | $1.6 \%$ | 980 |
| 2008 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $43.7 \%$ | $43.2 \%$ | $12.0 \%$ | $1.1 \%$ | 713 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $45.1 \%$ | $37.7 \%$ | $14.7 \%$ | $2.6 \%$ | 202 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $54.1 \%$ | $36.5 \%$ | $8.4 \%$ | $1.0 \%$ | 666 |
| 2010 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $49.7 \%$ | $38.1 \%$ | $11.1 \%$ | $1.2 \%$ | 478 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $59.9 \%$ | $28.5 \%$ | $8.4 \%$ | $3.3 \%$ | 216 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $55.5 \%$ | $35.0 \%$ | $8.6 \%$ | $1.0 \%$ | 694 |
| 2012 | LT HIGH SCHOOL | $48.1 \%$ | $41.2 \%$ | $10.1 \%$ | $.6 \%$ | 466 |
|  | HIGH SCHOOL | $51.6 \%$ | $30.8 \%$ | $13.8 \%$ | $3.8 \%$ | 223 |
|  | COLLEGE+ | $58.3 \%$ | $34.9 \%$ | $6.3 \%$ | $.5 \%$ | 619 |

