

YouGov Survey Results

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When you see images of Jesus Christ, which racial group do you think he is usually depicted as being from?

White	58	53	64	70	66	51	59	56	55	64	59	46	59	55	60	58	57	59	50	54	70
Black	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	1	0	0
Middle Eastern	22	29	21	20	19	28	23	22	15	18	22	35	23	21	22	23	24	21	19	27	24
East Asian (e.g. Japanese or Chinese)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1
South Asian (e.g. Indian or Pakistani)	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	4	1	0
Other	2	2	1	0	1	2	2	2	1	1	1	4	1	2	1	2	1	2	3	2	0
Don't know	17	16	12	10	12	18	15	19	22	16	18	15	14	21	15	16	17	17	23	15	5

When you see images of Father Christmas / Santa Claus, which racial group do you think he is usually depicted as being from?

White	84	86	90	90	89	85	82	86	72	86	87	83	85	83	83	85	85	84	79	85	92
Black	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
Middle Eastern	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1
East Asian (e.g. Japanese or Chinese)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
South Asian (e.g. Indian or Pakistani)	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	6	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	5	1	0
Other	2	2	1	0	1	3	2	2	1	1	1	4	1	3	2	2	1	2	2	3	0
Don't know	12	10	7	8	8	11	12	11	19	10	11	11	10	13	12	11	12	12	12	10	6

Do you think it is acceptable or unacceptable for images of Jesus Christ to depict him as being from the following racial groups...?

White

Acceptable	63	69	61	62	63	65	61	64	51	61	67	66	62	63	56	64	66	61	62	69	61
Unacceptable	14	10	20	17	17	12	15	13	21	15	11	12	15	13	20	14	12	11	18	12	22
Don't know	23	22	19	21	20	23	24	23	28	24	22	22	23	24	24	22	22	28	20	19	17

Black

Acceptable	44	39	56	55	57	35	41	47	54	47	40	40	49	37	50	45	43	42	43	42	54
Unacceptable	27	34	20	21	19	35	31	23	18	23	31	33	24	31	24	28	28	25	29	32	25
Don't know	29	27	24	24	24	30	28	30	28	30	29	27	27	32	26	27	30	33	28	26	21

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Middle-Eastern

Acceptable	68	66	81	82	79	64	68	69	66	69	69	69	73	63	72	72	67	65	65	68	79
Unacceptable	9	12	3	4	5	12	10	8	7	7	10	11	7	12	7	8	10	8	11	11	8
Don't know	23	22	16	15	16	23	22	24	27	24	21	20	21	26	22	20	23	27	24	20	13

East Asian (e.g. Japanese or Chinese)

Acceptable	37	34	44	47	45	31	34	40	42	41	34	31	43	30	36	38	38	36	38	35	47
Unacceptable	32	39	29	24	26	40	37	28	28	28	34	41	29	36	36	33	33	29	33	38	30
Don't know	30	27	27	29	28	29	29	32	30	31	31	28	28	33	28	29	29	35	29	27	23

South Asian (e.g. Indian or Pakistani)

Acceptable	40	35	48	48	48	33	36	43	47	44	36	33	44	34	38	41	41	38	39	38	51
Unacceptable	30	38	25	24	24	37	35	26	24	26	32	38	27	34	32	30	31	27	31	35	27
Don't know	30	27	27	28	28	30	29	31	28	31	32	29	29	33	30	28	28	35	30	27	23

And do you think it is acceptable or unacceptable for Father Christmas / Santa Claus to be depicted as being from the following racial groups...?

White

Acceptable	80	83	86	86	84	82	79	80	71	79	82	82	80	78	78	82	79	79	75	83	93
Unacceptable	2	2	0	1	1	3	3	2	4	2	2	3	2	2	1	2	2	2	4	2	0
Don't know	18	15	14	13	14	15	19	18	25	19	17	15	17	19	20	16	19	18	21	14	7

Black

Acceptable	52	45	68	71	66	42	48	56	59	56	48	47	59	44	54	56	49	49	52	49	63
Unacceptable	23	30	14	11	14	33	27	18	13	19	26	30	19	27	22	20	26	22	26	27	22
Don't know	25	25	18	18	19	25	25	26	28	25	26	23	22	29	25	24	25	29	21	24	16

Middle-Eastern

Acceptable	53	45	67	71	67	42	50	55	59	55	50	48	59	44	56	57	50	48	51	49	64
Unacceptable	22	30	14	10	13	32	26	18	12	20	24	28	18	27	20	19	25	22	26	26	21
Don't know	26	25	19	19	19	26	25	27	29	25	26	25	23	30	24	24	26	30	23	25	16

East Asian (e.g. Japanese or Chinese)

Acceptable	50	42	67	67	65	39	46	54	58	54	46	44	56	43	53	53	48	48	48	47	64
Unacceptable	24	32	15	12	15	34	28	19	16	20	26	32	21	27	23	22	28	22	28	28	20
Don't know	26	26	18	21	20	26	26	26	27	26	28	24	23	30	24	25	25	30	24	24	16

South Asian (e.g. Indian or Pakistani)

Acceptable	49	41	65	68	65	39	45	54	55	54	46	43	55	41	51	53	47	46	49	46	62
Unacceptable	24	32	17	12	15	35	30	20	17	21	27	32	21	29	25	22	28	23	29	29	24
Don't know	26	27	18	20	20	26	25	27	29	25	27	25	24	30	25	26	24	31	22	26	14

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Female

Acceptable	27	17	40	37	39	17	30	25	45	32	22	16	31	22	36	27	27	23	28	18	50
Unacceptable	54	69	42	46	42	72	53	56	31	48	61	69	51	59	42	55	54	61	51	68	36
Don't know	18	14	18	17	19	12	17	19	24	19	17	14	18	19	21	18	19	16	21	14	14

Homosexual

Acceptable	39	25	59	54	54	26	36	42	60	46	31	24	47	29	47	38	37	38	41	29	76
Unacceptable	41	58	23	27	26	57	46	36	20	33	47	58	34	50	32	42	42	43	37	52	17
Don't know	20	18	18	20	20	17	18	22	21	20	23	18	19	21	21	20	22	19	23	19	7