YouGov Survey: Monogamy in Relationships

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Sample	1000 U.S. Adult Citizens
Conducted	February 1 - 6, 2023
Margin of Error	±3.4%

1. Do you approve or disapprove of consenting adults engaging in the following relationship practice?

	Strongly approve	Somewhat approve	Somewhat disapprove	Strongly disapprove	Not sure
Friends with benefits: Two people who are friends have sex without the expectation of a romantic commitment	20%	29%	17%	22%	12%
Monogamy: A relationship where two partners have a commitment to be sexually and emotionally exclusive with each other	66%	16%	6%	6%	6%
Open relationship: A relationship in which partners have an agreement to engage in sexual or romantic relationships with other people, with the knowledge and consent of all involved	12%	20%	18%	40%	10%
Polyamory: A relationship in which people have romantic or sexual relationships with multiple partners, with the knowledge and consent of all involved	13%	16%	16%	45%	10%
Polygamy: A relationship in which a person has multiple spouses	8%	11%	17%	52%	11%
Swinging: A practice in which partners engage in sexual activities with others as a recreational or social activity	11%	16%	17%	46%	11%
Throuple relationship: A relationship in which three people are romantically or sexually involved with one another	12%	17%	16%	42%	13%

2. Do you think human beings are monogamous by nature, or not?

Humans are monogamous by nature 37%

Humans are not monogamous by nature 30%

Not sure 34%

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3. On a scale where 0 is completely monogamous and 6 is completely non-monogamous, what would your ideal relationship be?

0 - Completely monogamous 55%
1 .... 8%
2 .... 4%
3 .... 6%
4 .... 5%
5 .... 4%
6 - Completely non-monogamous 8%
Not sure 11%

4. On a scale where 0 is completely monogamous and 6 is completely non-monogamous, how would you describe your current relationship?
Asked of people who are in a relationship

0 - Completely monogamous 66%
1 .... 7%
2 .... 3%
3 .... 5%
4 .... 3%
5 .... 3%
6 - Completely non-monogamous 6%
Not sure 6%

5. Have you ever engaged in sexual activities with someone else, with the consent of your main romantic partner?

Yes, I have 12%
No, I have not 82%
Prefer not to say 6%

6. Have you ever engaged in sexual activities with someone else, WITHOUT the consent of your main romantic partner?

Yes, I have 20%
No, I have not 72%
Prefer not to say 8%

7. How would you react if your partner wanted to engage in sexual activities with someone else?

I would not be okay with it 67%
Whether I am okay with it or not depends on the situation 20%
I would be okay with it 5%
Not sure 8%

8. Do you think polyamory is morally acceptable or morally wrong?

Morally acceptable 18%
Morally wrong 53%
Not sure 29%

9. Would you support or oppose allowing people in polyamorous relationships that involve more than two people to be entitled to the same sort of legal protection given to people in monogamous two-person relationships?

Strongly support 11%
Somewhat support 14%
Somewhat oppose 14%
Strongly oppose 37%
Not sure 23%

10. Polygamy is the practice of having more than one spouse at the same time. Would you support or oppose the legalization of polygamy?

Strongly support 7%
Somewhat support 13%
Somewhat oppose 17%
Strongly oppose 51%
Not sure 12%

11. Do you think polygamy will be legalized in the U.S. in the next 50 years?

Yes 18%
No 52%
Not sure 30%

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1A. Approval of Relationship Types — Friends with benefits: Two people who are friends have sex without the expectation of a romantic commitment
Do you approve or disapprove of consenting adults engaging in the following relationship practice?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Strongly approve	20%	25%	16%	26%	28%	16%	13%	20%	24%	*	*
Somewhat approve	29%	30%	28%	30%	29%	28%	29%	31%	27%	*	*
Somewhat disapprove	17%	16%	18%	14%	13%	19%	20%	17%	12%	*	*
Strongly disapprove	22%	19%	25%	16%	19%	25%	27%	21%	22%	*	*
Not sure	12%	10%	14%	14%	11%	12%	12%	11%	15%	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(990)	(462)	(528)	(186)	(243)	(351)	(210)	(710)	(121)	(81)	(78)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< $50K	$50-100K	$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Strongly approve	20%	28%	18%	15%	27%	12%	18%	20%	24%	25%	20%	20%	17%
Somewhat approve	29%	31%	28%	28%	34%	27%	28%	29%	36%	35%	31%	25%	29%
Somewhat disapprove	17%	15%	17%	18%	14%	19%	14%	18%	19%	13%	18%	15%	21%
Strongly disapprove	22%	16%	20%	31%	13%	33%	25%	26%	15%	17%	21%	26%	20%
Not sure	12%	10%	17%	8%	12%	9%	15%	7%	6%	10%	10%	13%	13%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	(990)	(339)	(366)	(285)	(353)	(335)	(423)	(246)	(225)	(172)	(215)	(397)	(206)

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1B. Approval of Relationship Types — Monogamy: A relationship where two partners have a commitment to be sexually and emotionally exclusive with each other
Do you approve or disapprove of consenting adults engaging in the following relationship practice?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Strongly approve	66%	63%	70%	54%	57%	75%	76%	70%	55%	*	*
Somewhat approve	16%	18%	14%	22%	19%	12%	14%	17%	17%	*	*
Somewhat disapprove	6%	8%	3%	9%	10%	2%	3%	5%	7%	*	*
Strongly disapprove	6%	5%	6%	9%	6%	5%	3%	4%	10%	*	*
Not sure	6%	5%	7%	7%	8%	6%	3%	4%	11%	*	*
Totals	100%	99%	100%	101%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(993)	(466)	(527)	(190)	(243)	(351)	(209)	(710)	(124)	(81)	(78)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< $50K	$50-100K	$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Strongly approve	66%	64%	63%	74%	67%	76%	66%	71%	62%	66%	70%	66%	63%
Somewhat approve	16%	17%	17%	15%	18%	13%	14%	17%	21%	18%	17%	13%	20%
Somewhat disapprove	6%	7%	6%	4%	6%	2%	6%	4%	9%	4%	3%	8%	6%
Strongly disapprove	6%	7%	6%	4%	2%	5%	6%	5%	7%	6%	6%	6%	5%
Not sure	6%	5%	9%	4%	6%	3%	9%	3%	1%	6%	5%	7%	6%
Totals	100%	100%	101%	101%	99%	99%	101%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(993)	(338)	(368)	(287)	(351)	(338)	(425)	(242)	(228)	(174)	(214)	(399)	(206)

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1C. Approval of Relationship Types — Open relationship: A relationship in which partners have an agreement to engage in sexual or romantic relationships with other people, with the knowledge and consent of all involved
Do you approve or disapprove of consenting adults engaging in the following relationship practice?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Strongly approve	12%	17%	8%	18%	18%	8%	6%	12%	10%	*	*
Somewhat approve	20%	22%	18%	30%	24%	15%	13%	20%	25%	*	*
Somewhat disapprove	18%	18%	17%	19%	14%	16%	23%	18%	16%	*	*
Strongly disapprove	40%	34%	45%	24%	32%	51%	48%	42%	37%	*	*
Not sure	10%	8%	12%	8%	12%	10%	9%	9%	12%	*	*
Totals	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	101%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(990)	(466)	(524)	(187)	(244)	(352)	(207)	(710)	(122)	(80)	(78)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< $50K	$50-100K	$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Strongly approve	12%	16%	12%	8%	17%	7%	11%	11%	16%	15%	8%	14%	10%
Somewhat approve	20%	25%	19%	15%	29%	11%	19%	18%	27%	19%	19%	19%	23%
Somewhat disapprove	18%	20%	16%	17%	18%	18%	18%	18%	16%	18%	21%	16%	18%
Strongly disapprove	40%	31%	39%	52%	26%	57%	41%	44%	36%	36%	44%	42%	35%
Not sure	10%	7%	14%	8%	10%	7%	11%	9%	5%	12%	7%	9%	14%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(990)	(341)	(365)	(284)	(352)	(334)	(424)	(243)	(227)	(173)	(211)	(399)	(207)

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1D. Approval of Relationship Types — Polyamory: A relationship in which people have romantic or sexual relationships with multiple partners, with the knowledge and consent of all involved
Do you approve or disapprove of consenting adults engaging in the following relationship practice?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Strongly approve	13%	17%	10%	18%	24%	7%	6%	14%	10%	*	*
Somewhat approve	16%	17%	16%	23%	17%	14%	12%	16%	17%	*	*
Somewhat disapprove	16%	19%	13%	17%	17%	13%	19%	15%	17%	*	*
Strongly disapprove	45%	39%	50%	34%	30%	55%	55%	46%	43%	*	*
Not sure	10%	8%	11%	7%	12%	10%	8%	9%	12%	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	*	*
Unweighted N	(991)	(465)	(526)	(189)	(242)	(353)	(207)	(709)	(123)	(81)	(78)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< $50K	$50-100K	$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Strongly approve	13%	21%	11%	7%	19%	8%	11%	10%	19%	13%	11%	15%	13%
Somewhat approve	16%	19%	17%	13%	22%	8%	14%	18%	20%	18%	14%	14%	21%
Somewhat disapprove	16%	16%	17%	15%	19%	15%	16%	15%	19%	15%	15%	17%	16%
Strongly disapprove	45%	37%	41%	59%	29%	63%	47%	50%	37%	43%	52%	44%	39%
Not sure	10%	8%	14%	6%	11%	6%	11%	6%	5%	10%	7%	10%	12%
Totals	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	99%	99%	100%	101%
Unweighted N	(991)	(339)	(367)	(285)	(352)	(336)	(423)	(245)	(227)	(171)	(214)	(399)	(207)

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1E. Approval of Relationship Types — Polygamy: A relationship in which a person has multiple spouses
Do you approve or disapprove of consenting adults engaging in the following relationship practice?

		Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Strongly approve	8%	11%	6%	15%	14%	4%	3%	8%	10%	*	*
Somewhat approve	11%	13%	10%	18%	18%	7%	5%	11%	15%	*	*
Somewhat disapprove	17%	20%	13%	21%	16%	14%	16%	18%	18%	*	*
Strongly disapprove	52%	44%	60%	32%	38%	64%	69%	55%	46%	*	*
Not sure	11%	12%	10%	14%	14%	11%	7%	8%	11%	*	*
Totals	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(996)	(468)	(528)	(189)	(243)	(352)	(212)	(713)	(123)	(82)	(78)

		Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< $50K	$50-100K	$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Strongly approve	8%	12%	7%	7%	10%	6%	6%	6%	14%	9%	8%	10%	7%
Somewhat approve	11%	13%	13%	7%	13%	5%	11%	9%	14%	14%	12%	10%	12%
Somewhat disapprove	17%	19%	17%	13%	20%	15%	16%	18%	20%	17%	18%	18%	13%
Strongly disapprove	52%	46%	49%	64%	45%	69%	53%	58%	46%	48%	54%	52%	55%
Not sure	11%	9%	15%	8%	12%	5%	13%	9%	6%	13%	8%	11%	13%
Totals	99%	99%	101%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	101%	100%	101%	100%
Unweighted N	(996)	(341)	(368)	(287)	(354)	(339)	(425)	(247)	(227)	(174)	(215)	(399)	(208)

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1F. Approval of Relationship Types — Swinging: A practice in which partners engage in sexual activities with others as a recreational or social activity
Do you approve or disapprove of consenting adults engaging in the following relationship practice?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Strongly approve	11%	14%	9%	18%	20%	7%	3%	10%	14%	*	*
Somewhat approve	16%	17%	14%	20%	22%	12%	10%	18%	15%	*	*
Somewhat disapprove	17%	21%	13%	16%	15%	17%	18%	15%	16%	*	*
Strongly disapprove	46%	38%	53%	36%	30%	55%	58%	47%	42%	*	*
Not sure	11%	10%	11%	10%	13%	10%	10%	9%	13%	*	*
Totals	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	99%	99%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(992)	(464)	(528)	(189)	(243)	(350)	(210)	(709)	(123)	(82)	(78)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< $50K	$50-100K	$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Strongly approve	11%	14%	12%	7%	13%	7%	10%	8%	19%	11%	9%	13%	13%
Somewhat approve	16%	20%	15%	11%	23%	8%	15%	15%	20%	18%	15%	15%	15%
Somewhat disapprove	17%	20%	15%	15%	17%	18%	16%	18%	17%	14%	20%	16%	17%
Strongly disapprove	46%	36%	44%	59%	33%	61%	46%	53%	39%	45%	47%	46%	45%
Not sure	11%	10%	14%	8%	13%	6%	13%	7%	5%	13%	9%	11%	11%
Totals	101%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	101%	100%	101%	100%	101%	101%
Unweighted N	(992)	(340)	(367)	(285)	(352)	(334)	(426)	(245)	(225)	(174)	(214)	(397)	(207)

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1G. Approval of Relationship Types — Throuple relationship: A relationship in which three people are romantically or sexually involved with one another
Do you approve or disapprove of consenting adults engaging in the following relationship practice?

		Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Strongly approve	12%	15%	9%	21%	17%	7%	5%	11%	13%	*	*
Somewhat approve	17%	17%	17%	20%	22%	14%	12%	19%	13%	*	*
Somewhat disapprove	16%	19%	14%	21%	14%	15%	16%	15%	16%	*	*
Strongly disapprove	42%	38%	47%	27%	31%	52%	56%	44%	41%	*	*
Not sure	13%	12%	14%	11%	16%	13%	11%	10%	18%	*	*
Totals	100%	101%	101%	100%	100%	101%	100%	99%	101%	*	*
Unweighted N	(990)	(465)	(525)	(188)	(241)	(352)	(209)	(710)	(123)	(79)	(78)

		Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< $50K	$50-100K	$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Strongly approve	12%	18%	9%	9%	15%	7%	10%	11%	16%	9%	12%	14%	11%
Somewhat approve	17%	20%	18%	11%	24%	10%	15%	16%	23%	20%	16%	14%	20%
Somewhat disapprove	16%	16%	17%	14%	14%	16%	16%	14%	16%	18%	13%	17%	15%
Strongly disapprove	42%	33%	39%	58%	30%	61%	45%	48%	36%	39%	49%	44%	36%
Not sure	13%	13%	16%	8%	17%	6%	14%	11%	9%	14%	9%	12%	18%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	101%	100%
Unweighted N	(990)	(339)	(365)	(286)	(351)	(337)	(424)	(244)	(226)	(174)	(215)	(396)	(205)

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2. Are Humans Naturally Monogamous

Do you think human beings are monogamous by nature, or not?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Humans are monogamous by nature	37%	37%	36%	36%	36%	37%	38%	40%	26%	*	*
Humans are not monogamous by nature	30%	32%	27%	31%	29%	30%	28%	29%	41%	*	*
Not sure	34%	30%	37%	33%	35%	34%	34%	31%	33%	*	*
Totals	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(993)	(465)	(528)	(188)	(242)	(352)	(211)	(711)	(122)	(82)	(78)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< $50K	$50-100K	$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Humans are monogamous by nature	37%	35%	28%	50%	31%	51%	34%	40%	43%	31%	34%	40%	36%
Humans are not monogamous by nature	30%	33%	29%	27%	34%	24%	31%	29%	30%	33%	30%	28%	29%
Not sure	34%	32%	43%	24%	35%	25%	35%	32%	27%	35%	36%	32%	35%
Totals	101%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(993)	(336)	(371)	(286)	(353)	(338)	(424)	(246)	(227)	(173)	(215)	(398)	(207)

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3. Prefer Monogamy or Non-Monogamy

On a scale where 0 is completely monogamous and 6 is completely non-monogamous, what would your ideal relationship be?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
0 - Completely monogamous	55%	48%	62%	39%	42%	66%	70%	60%	42%	*	*
1	8%	11%	5%	8%	7%	7%	9%	9%	9%	*	*
2	4%	5%	2%	6%	3%	3%	2%	3%	8%	*	*
3	6%	8%	4%	7%	10%	4%	2%	6%	5%	*	*
4	5%	7%	3%	9%	8%	2%	3%	4%	9%	*	*
5	4%	5%	4%	7%	8%	2%	1%	4%	5%	*	*
6 - Completely non-monogamous	8%	7%	8%	11%	10%	6%	4%	7%	9%	*	*
Not sure	11%	10%	12%	11%	12%	10%	9%	7%	13%	*	*
Totals	101%	101%	100%	98%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(998)	(468)	(530)	(189)	(244)	(353)	(212)	(714)	(124)	(82)	(78)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< $50K	$50-100K	$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
0 - Completely monogamous	55%	52%	51%	65%	57%	68%	50%	66%	57%	53%	56%	57%	53%
1	8%	9%	7%	7%	9%	7%	8%	8%	8%	6%	10%	8%	6%
2	4%	4%	4%	2%	6%	1%	4%	1%	5%	5%	4%	2%	4%
3	6%	8%	3%	7%	6%	5%	4%	6%	9%	6%	6%	5%	6%
4	5%	5%	6%	4%	5%	3%	5%	5%	6%	7%	3%	6%	5%
5	4%	5%	5%	3%	5%	2%	3%	4%	5%	5%	4%	3%	6%
6 - Completely non-monogamous	8%	9%	6%	7%	4%	8%	11%	4%	6%	7%	5%	10%	6%

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		Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
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	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< $50K	$50-100K	$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Not sure	11%	7%	18%	5%	8%	5%	15%	5%	3%	10%	11%	9%	14%
Totals	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	99%	99%	99%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(998)	(339)	(372)	(287)	(354)	(339)	(426)	(247)	(228)	(175)	(215)	(400)	(208)

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4. Describe Current Relationship

On a scale where 0 is completely monogamous and 6 is completely non-monogamous, how would you describe your current relationship?

Asked of people who are in a relationship

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
0 - Completely monogamous	66%	62%	70%	*	56%	74%	81%	70%	*	*	*
1	7%	10%	4%	*	5%	8%	3%	6%	*	*	*
2	3%	4%	2%	*	6%	1%	2%	4%	*	*	*
3	5%	5%	5%	*	8%	3%	2%	4%	*	*	*
4	3%	4%	2%	*	6%	2%	1%	3%	*	*	*
5	3%	4%	3%	*	10%	0%	0%	4%	*	*	*
6 - Completely non-monogamous	6%	6%	7%	*	6%	5%	3%	5%	*	*	*
Not sure	6%	5%	7%	*	4%	7%	8%	5%	*	*	*
Totals	99%	100%	100%	*	101%	100%	100%	101%	*	*	*
Unweighted N	(624)	(287)	(337)	(77)	(166)	(228)	(153)	(483)	(40)	(49)	(52)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< $50K	$50-100K	$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
0 - Completely monogamous	66%	64%	69%	67%	73%	76%	59%	72%	68%	70%	73%	62%	66%
1	7%	6%	4%	10%	4%	4%	7%	10%	5%	5%	8%	8%	4%
2	3%	5%	1%	3%	4%	2%	3%	2%	5%	4%	1%	4%	3%
3	5%	6%	4%	5%	5%	2%	7%	6%	3%	5%	3%	7%	3%
4	3%	3%	4%	3%	4%	3%	2%	3%	6%	3%	3%	2%	5%
5	3%	3%	6%	2%	3%	3%	2%	1%	7%	3%	4%	2%	5%
6 - Completely non-monogamous	6%	10%	3%	6%	4%	5%	8%	3%	5%	3%	2%	10%	6%

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	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< $50K	$50-100K	$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Not sure	6%	4%	10%	5%	3%	5%	11%	2%	1%	7%	5%	6%	7%
Totals	99%	101%	101%	101%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%	99%	101%	99%
Unweighted N	(624)	(200)	(212)	(212)	(221)	(244)	(196)	(181)	(194)	(105)	(128)	(259)	(132)

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5. Activities with Partner's Consent
Have you ever engaged in sexual activities with someone else, with the consent of your main romantic partner?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes, I have	12%	16%	9%	14%	22%	8%	6%	14%	6%	*	*
No, I have not	82%	78%	85%	75%	72%	87%	91%	82%	81%	*	*
Prefer not to say	6%	6%	6%	11%	6%	5%	3%	5%	14%	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	101%	*	*
Unweighted N	(994)	(465)	(529)	(187)	(244)	(351)	(212)	(712)	(122)	(82)	(78)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< $50K	$50-100K	$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes, I have	12%	15%	8%	15%	15%	11%	12%	12%	18%	12%	12%	12%	14%
No, I have not	82%	82%	82%	81%	83%	83%	81%	87%	80%	84%	83%	80%	80%
Prefer not to say	6%	3%	10%	4%	3%	6%	7%	2%	2%	5%	4%	8%	6%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	101%	100%	101%	99%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(994)	(340)	(370)	(284)	(355)	(338)	(425)	(247)	(227)	(175)	(214)	(397)	(208)

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6. Activities Without Partner's Consent
Have you ever engaged in sexual activities with someone else, WITHOUT the consent of your main romantic partner?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes, I have	20%	23%	18%	14%	27%	22%	16%	20%	25%	*	*
No, I have not	72%	70%	75%	76%	66%	72%	75%	73%	62%	*	*
Prefer not to say	8%	8%	8%	10%	7%	6%	9%	7%	13%	*	*
Totals	100%	101%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(995)	(465)	(530)	(187)	(244)	(353)	(211)	(713)	(122)	(82)	(78)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< $50K	$50-100K	$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes, I have	20%	24%	12%	26%	19%	20%	22%	19%	21%	21%	21%	20%	19%
No, I have not	72%	70%	77%	69%	75%	72%	71%	76%	75%	75%	72%	71%	72%
Prefer not to say	8%	6%	11%	6%	6%	8%	8%	5%	4%	4%	7%	9%	9%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(995)	(340)	(370)	(285)	(355)	(337)	(427)	(246)	(227)	(175)	(215)	(398)	(207)

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7. Reaction to Partner
How would you react if your partner wanted to engage in sexual activities with someone else?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
I would not be okay with it	67%	60%	74%	54%	58%	73%	79%	68%	70%	*	*
Whether I am okay with it or not depends on the situation	20%	25%	16%	29%	25%	15%	13%	21%	12%	*	*
I would be okay with it	5%	7%	4%	9%	7%	3%	3%	5%	6%	*	*
Not sure	8%	9%	7%	7%	9%	9%	4%	6%	12%	*	*
Totals	100%	101%	101%	99%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(996)	(466)	(530)	(187)	(244)	(353)	(212)	(714)	(122)	(82)	(78)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< $50K	$50-100K	$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
I would not be okay with it	67%	64%	63%	76%	63%	78%	67%	76%	63%	71%	66%	70%	60%
Whether I am okay with it or not depends on the situation	20%	25%	20%	15%	25%	12%	19%	15%	25%	21%	21%	16%	24%
I would be okay with it	5%	6%	6%	3%	6%	4%	6%	4%	7%	4%	5%	6%	7%
Not sure	8%	5%	11%	6%	6%	6%	8%	5%	4%	4%	8%	8%	9%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(996)	(340)	(371)	(285)	(355)	(338)	(427)	(247)	(227)	(175)	(215)	(398)	(208)

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8. Morality of Polyamory
Do you think polyamory is morally acceptable or morally wrong?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Morally acceptable	18%	21%	16%	26%	25%	12%	14%	21%	9%	*	*
Morally wrong	53%	51%	54%	44%	47%	58%	59%	53%	54%	*	*
Not sure	29%	28%	29%	30%	28%	30%	27%	26%	36%	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	*	*
Unweighted N	(994)	(465)	(529)	(187)	(243)	(352)	(212)	(712)	(122)	(82)	(78)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< $50K	$50-100K	$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Morally acceptable	18%	25%	19%	10%	29%	11%	15%	20%	28%	19%	18%	19%	18%
Morally wrong	53%	48%	45%	69%	40%	69%	56%	55%	52%	54%	54%	57%	44%
Not sure	29%	27%	36%	21%	32%	20%	30%	25%	20%	27%	28%	24%	38%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(994)	(339)	(371)	(284)	(355)	(338)	(426)	(246)	(227)	(175)	(213)	(398)	(208)

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9. Polyamorous Relationship Protections

Would you support or oppose allowing people in polyamorous relationships that involve more than two people to be entitled to the same sort of legal protection given to people in monogamous two-person relationships?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Strongly support	11%	11%	12%	20%	18%	4%	6%	10%	8%	*	*
Somewhat support	14%	18%	11%	20%	19%	12%	8%	15%	15%	*	*
Somewhat oppose	14%	15%	14%	15%	15%	14%	14%	15%	16%	*	*
Strongly oppose	37%	35%	40%	21%	23%	50%	48%	39%	30%	*	*
Not sure	23%	22%	24%	24%	24%	20%	25%	21%	31%	*	*
Totals	99%	101%	101%	100%	99%	100%	101%	100%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(993)	(465)	(528)	(185)	(242)	(354)	(212)	(713)	(120)	(82)	(78)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< $50K	$50-100K	$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Strongly support	11%	16%	10%	8%	13%	6%	10%	9%	15%	10%	13%	11%	12%
Somewhat support	14%	19%	14%	10%	19%	9%	13%	15%	20%	15%	13%	15%	15%
Somewhat oppose	14%	18%	12%	14%	17%	13%	12%	17%	19%	14%	16%	12%	17%
Strongly oppose	37%	28%	36%	49%	27%	56%	41%	39%	33%	38%	36%	38%	36%
Not sure	23%	20%	28%	20%	23%	16%	24%	20%	13%	24%	22%	24%	21%
Totals	99%	101%	100%	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	101%
Unweighted N	(993)	(340)	(367)	(286)	(354)	(339)	(426)	(247)	(226)	(174)	(214)	(397)	(208)

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10. Polygamy Legalized
Polygamy is the practice of having more than one spouse at the same time. Would you support or oppose the legalization of polygamy?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Strongly support	7%	8%	6%	11%	9%	4%	4%	6%	5%	*	*
Somewhat support	13%	16%	10%	22%	19%	7%	7%	12%	15%	*	*
Somewhat oppose	17%	19%	15%	20%	24%	12%	14%	18%	19%	*	*
Strongly oppose	51%	45%	57%	32%	33%	66%	68%	54%	48%	*	*
Not sure	12%	12%	12%	14%	14%	12%	8%	10%	13%	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	101%	101%	100%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(993)	(464)	(529)	(185)	(243)	(353)	(212)	(713)	(120)	(82)	(78)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< $50K	$50-100K	$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Strongly support	7%	8%	7%	5%	8%	5%	6%	5%	10%	4%	7%	8%	6%
Somewhat support	13%	16%	13%	10%	15%	5%	9%	14%	18%	10%	16%	12%	13%
Somewhat oppose	17%	23%	14%	14%	21%	13%	17%	15%	24%	24%	14%	18%	14%
Strongly oppose	51%	43%	47%	66%	45%	71%	54%	58%	43%	52%	51%	50%	54%
Not sure	12%	10%	19%	5%	12%	6%	14%	7%	6%	9%	13%	13%	13%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	99%	101%	99%	101%	101%	100%
Unweighted N	(993)	(339)	(368)	(286)	(354)	(338)	(426)	(247)	(225)	(175)	(215)	(396)	(207)

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11. Will Polygamy Be Legalized

Do you think polygamy will be legalized in the U.S. in the next 50 years?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	18%	24%	13%	32%	29%	11%	4%	16%	29%	*	*
No	52%	49%	54%	39%	45%	59%	60%	57%	38%	*	*
Not sure	30%	27%	33%	29%	25%	30%	35%	27%	33%	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(995)	(464)	(531)	(187)	(243)	(353)	(212)	(713)	(122)	(82)	(78)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< $50K	$50-100K	$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	18%	17%	16%	23%	15%	16%	17%	19%	26%	17%	16%	23%	15%
No	52%	57%	48%	50%	60%	52%	50%	57%	58%	52%	51%	49%	57%
Not sure	30%	25%	36%	27%	25%	31%	33%	24%	16%	31%	33%	28%	28%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(995)	(339)	(369)	(287)	(355)	(339)	(426)	(247)	(226)	(175)	(215)	(398)	(207)

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Interviewing Dates	February 1 - 6, 2023
Target population	U.S. citizens, aged 18 and over.
Sampling method	Respondents were selected from YouGov's opt-in Internet panel using sample matching. A random sample (stratified by gender, age, race, education, geographic region, and voter registration) was selected from the 2019 American Community Survey.
Weighting	The sample was weighted according to gender, age, race, education, 2020 election turnout and Presidential vote, baseline party identification, and current voter registration status. Demographic weighting targets come from the 2019 American Community Survey. Baseline party identification is the respondent's most recent answer given prior to March 15, 2022, and is weighted to the estimated distribution at that time (33% Democratic, 28% Republican). The weights range from 0.42 to 5.652, with a mean of 1 and a standard deviation of 0.456.
Number of respondents	1000
Margin of error	$\pm$ 3.4% (adjusted for weighting)
Survey mode	Web-based interviews
Questions not reported	55 questions not reported.