

YouGov - Face mask washing

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	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

On how many days last week did you leave your house?

0	6	4	4	5	5	4	6	5	6	6	3	9	4	8	6	4	6	8	3
1	8	8	9	5	7	9	7	9	6	7	8	9	7	9	7	7	9	9	5
2	12	12	13	9	10	13	10	14	12	11	11	15	12	13	11	11	14	12	10
3	12	11	11	11	12	12	11	13	12	11	14	11	12	11	16	12	9	11	12
4	9	8	11	11	9	9	8	10	15	9	7	10	9	10	13	10	8	7	9
5	13	12	14	13	13	13	12	14	17	14	12	12	14	13	14	12	15	13	15
6	9	9	9	9	10	8	10	8	12	9	10	7	10	8	8	9	9	8	11
7	31	35	29	38	34	32	36	27	20	33	35	28	33	29	25	33	29	31	35

And on how many of those days did you wear a face mask or covering?

[Asked only to those who indicated having left the house at least once in the last week; n=3064]

0	11	10	8	9	7	13	13	9	8	11	11	12	10	12	7	11	20	7	6
1	14	14	14	11	13	14	13	15	14	13	13	16	14	14	13	14	16	15	8
2	20	23	20	18	20	21	19	21	17	18	20	24	20	20	18	19	20	21	19
3	14	15	15	14	15	15	14	15	13	14	16	15	15	13	18	15	9	15	20
4	10	8	10	15	11	8	8	11	14	10	8	9	9	10	12	10	9	9	9
5	12	10	14	11	12	12	13	11	18	13	10	9	13	11	12	11	12	13	12
6	6	5	5	6	6	5	6	5	6	5	7	4	6	5	6	5	5	7	7
7	14	14	13	16	16	12	15	13	8	15	15	11	14	13	13	15	9	13	19

Which type(s) of face mask or covering did you wear? Please tick all that apply

[Asked only to those who indicated wearing a mask at least once; n=2757]

Washable, reusable face mask	69	68	74	72	73	68	64	74	64	73	68	67	71	67	63	73	67	68	73
Non-washable, reusable face mask	11	11	11	11	10	11	14	8	12	10	11	13	11	11	14	9	11	14	7
Single use disposable face masks	31	33	31	27	32	33	28	34	29	29	34	34	31	31	33	31	34	30	27
Face shield/visor	3	3	2	2	2	3	2	3	3	2	3	4	2	3	1	3	3	2	4
Scarf or similar	5	5	3	5	4	6	6	4	1	4	7	6	4	5	3	4	4	6	9
Other	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	1	0
Don't know	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	4	1	0	0	0	2	3	0	1	1	1

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On how many days last week did you leave your house?

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1	8	12	4	2	3	0	3	7	7	7
2	12	18	14	9	6	0	5	10	13	10
3	12	16	13	12	9	14	9	10	14	10
4	9	12	12	11	6	6	10	7	11	7
5	13	11	15	21	20	23	21	13	15	13
6	9	5	10	15	10	20	9	13	9	13
7	31	26	33	30	46	37	43	40	31	40

And on how many of those days did you wear a face mask or covering?

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0	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	14	19	10	8	3	0	10	19	13	19
2	20	23	25	17	16	10	12	26	22	26
3	14	18	16	15	16	19	21	17	17	17
4	10	12	11	12	4	21	6	7	11	7
5	12	10	14	19	25	8	21	11	14	11
6	6	4	6	12	9	23	7	6	7	6
7	14	15	17	17	27	18	24	14	17	14

Which type(s) of face mask or covering did you wear? Please tick all that apply

[Asked only to those who indicated wearing a mask at least once; n=2757]

Washable, reusable face mask	69	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Non-washable, reusable face mask	11	2	4	4	3	10	10	7	4	7
Single use disposable face masks	31	21	20	16	7	17	8	14	18	14
Face shield/visor	3	3	2	1	4	0	0	2	2	2
Scarf or similar	5	3	3	2	0	0	2	3	3	3
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Thinking about your washable, reusable face mask, generally speaking, how often, if at all, have you been washing your face mask?

[Asked only to those who indicated wearing a washable, reusable face mask; n=1944]

After every wear	32	30	33	31	30	32	20	40	32	27	36	36	29	35	33	30	36	31	31
After every 2-3 wears	31	35	27	33	32	33	31	32	23	31	33	34	32	31	31	30	31	33	30
After every 4-5 wears	10	9	11	8	10	10	11	9	11	10	8	10	11	8	9	11	10	8	10
After every 6-7 wears	4	3	5	5	4	3	6	3	7	5	4	2	5	3	6	3	4	3	8
After every 8-9 wears	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	0	1	1
After every 10 or more wears	5	5	6	3	5	5	8	3	12	5	3	4	5	5	7	5	5	4	6
I have not washed my face mask	15	15	15	16	16	14	20	11	11	19	14	12	16	14	13	17	13	18	11
Don't know	2	1	1	2	1	2	2	2	3	2	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	2	2

Thinking about your single use disposable face masks, how many times do you tend to wear them before throwing them away?

[Asked only to those who indicated wearing a disposable face mask; n=891]

Once	44	41	48	39	43	45	40	47	47	43	42	48	43	46	41	47	44	45	34
2-3 times	34	37	31	38	34	34	34	33	32	31	35	37	33	35	33	30	38	34	40
4-5 times	10	10	8	14	10	8	12	8	11	10	10	8	10	9	11	10	8	10	9
6-7 times	2	2	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	1	2	3
8-9 times	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0
10+ times	3	2	1	2	3	3	2	3	1	3	4	1	4	1	3	4	1	4	0
I have not thrown one away after wearing	7	7	8	1	7	7	7	6	5	9	5	5	7	6	7	7	6	5	11
Don't know	1	1	1	3	1	1	2	1	1	2	1	0	1	1	3	1	2	0	4

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Thinking about your washable, reusable face mask, generally speaking, how often, if at all, have you been washing your face mask?

[Asked only to those who indicated wearing a washable, reusable face mask; n=1944]

After every wear	32	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	38	0
After every 2-3 wears	31	0	100	0	0	0	0	0	38	0
After every 4-5 wears	10	0	0	100	0	0	0	0	12	0
After every 6-7 wears	4	0	0	0	100	0	0	0	5	0
After every 8-9 wears	1	0	0	0	0	100	0	0	1	0
After every 10 or more wears	5	0	0	0	0	0	100	0	6	0
I have not washed my face mask	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	100	0	100
Don't know	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Thinking about your single use disposable face masks, how many times do you tend to wear them before throwing them away?

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Once	44	77	50	32	26	37	32	29	59	29
2-3 times	34	16	43	44	48	28	59	27	32	27
4-5 times	10	3	4	21	13	35	0	17	5	17
6-7 times	2	0	0	0	14	0	0	2	0	2
8-9 times	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10+ times	3	1	0	0	0	0	9	7	1	7
I have not thrown one away after wearing	7	2	3	0	0	0	0	16	2	16
Don't know	1	1	1	3	0	0	0	3	1	3

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And at what temperature do you wash your mask?

[Asked only to those who indicated washing their reusable face mask at least once; n=1633]

[For full results see tab 1.]

0	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	0	1	2
1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	2
18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
20	1	2	2	0	1	2	2	1	1	1	2	1	2	3	1	1	2	0
21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
25	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0
26	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	15	13	17	14	15	14	16	15	24	17	11	13	17	13	20	13	14	19
32	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
35	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
36	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
37	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
40	41	38	40	51	46	39	37	44	31	47	36	41	42	40	41	44	38	39
45	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
48	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
49	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
50	2	3	3	3	2	2	3	2	3	2	3	2	3	2	2	2	2	2
55	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0
60	31	35	31	23	28	35	30	32	23	27	40	32	29	35	25	29	37	29
65	1	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	1	0
70	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	2	0	1	1	1	0	0
75	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
76	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
80	1	0	2	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	1
90	2	2	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	2	3	1	2	2	1	2	1	2
95	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
100	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1

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0	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0
1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10	1	0	1	1	0	0	2	1	0
18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20	1	1	2	2	2	0	0	1	0
21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
25	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	15	13	17	15	13	9	24	15	0
32	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
35	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
36	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
37	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
40	41	41	41	47	42	42	33	41	0
45	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
48	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
49	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
50	2	2	2	2	1	12	4	2	0
55	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0
60	31	34	29	27	42	18	29	31	0
65	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0
70	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
75	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
76	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
80	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0
90	2	2	2	2	0	9	0	2	0
95	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
100	1	2	1	0	0	4	2	1	0