

# YouGov Survey: Romantic Comedy



Sample 3000 U.S. Adult Citizens

Conducted January 9 - 23, 2022

Margin of Error  $\pm 2\%$

## 1. What are your feelings toward romantic comedy movies?

Love them	22%
Like them	47%
Dislike them	16%
Hate them	5%
Not sure	11%

## 2. Do you think that professional movie critics tend to overrate or underrate the following genres?

	Underrated by critics	Accurately rated by critics	Overrated by critics	Not sure
Action	16%	34%	27%	24%
Comedy	21%	35%	19%	24%
Drama	12%	39%	24%	25%
Documentary	16%	37%	19%	28%
Fantasy	18%	28%	25%	29%
Horror	16%	27%	29%	27%
Science fiction	19%	29%	23%	28%
Romance	11%	35%	26%	28%
Thriller	13%	34%	27%	26%
Western	20%	32%	12%	35%
Romantic Comedy	18%	32%	22%	28%

## 3. In your opinion, how representative are romantic comedy movies being made today in terms of...?

	Very repre- sentative	Somewhat represen- tative	Not very represen- tative	Not at all represen- tative	Not sure
The race of the main characters	18%	32%	15%	9%	26%
The sexual orientation of the main characters	20%	30%	15%	8%	27%
The age of the main characters	14%	37%	17%	5%	26%
The attractiveness of the main characters	24%	34%	13%	6%	22%

4. Thinking about the places where a romantic comedy movie can take place, which would you enjoy watching?  
Select all that apply.

New York City .....	32%
Los Angeles .....	21%
London .....	28%
A small town .....	43%
A college campus .....	22%
A rural area .....	32%
On vacation .....	38%
None of the above .....	9%
Not sure .....	16%

5. How closely would you say your current relationship resembles the type of relationships depicted in romantic comedy movies?

*Asked of people in a romantic relationship*

Very closely .....	14%
Somewhat closely .....	27%
Not very closely .....	28%
Not at all .....	25%
Not sure .....	6%

6. Do you wish your current relationship more closely resembled the type of relationships depicted in romantic comedy movies?

*Asked of people who say their relationship does not very closely or not at all resemble the types of relationships depicted in romantic comedy movies*

Yes .....	33%
No .....	56%
Not sure .....	11%

7. In your opinion, are each of the following elements necessary for a movie to be classified as a romantic comedy?

	Yes	No	Not sure
The primary plot revolves around a central romantic relationship	69%	18%	13%
The couple meets in a contrived way (i.e., a 'meet cute')	42%	37%	21%
The couple encounters and overcomes obstacles in their relationship	67%	18%	15%
The couple ends up together at the end of the movie	64%	22%	14%
The couple is conventionally attractive	41%	41%	17%
The movie has a happy ending	64%	22%	14%
The movie's tone is emotionally honest and sincere	56%	25%	19%
The movie is humorous	71%	18%	11%
There is a dramatic romantic gesture	55%	26%	20%
The movie appeals primarily to women	32%	50%	18%
The movie takes place in the present day	24%	60%	16%

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The movie's narrative is predictable or clichéd	31%	46%	23%
The movie is light-hearted and avoids serious satire	54%	28%	19%
There is an 'opposites attract' dynamic between the main characters	49%	32%	19%

## 8. During which of the following decades do you think the best romantic comedy movies were made?

2020s	4%
2010s	7%
2000s	11%
1990s	17%
1980s	13%
1970s	6%
1960s	4%
1950s	7%
Before the 1950s	4%
Not sure	26%

## 9. Which of the following actresses would you enjoy watching in a romantic comedy movie? Select all that apply.

Cameron Diaz	35%
Gabrielle Union	19%
Jennifer Aniston	44%
Jennifer Garner	35%
Jennifer Lopez	32%
Julia Roberts	48%
Kate Hudson	37%
Katherine Heigel	22%
Meg Ryan	37%
Rachel McAdams	22%
Reese Witherspoon	44%
Sandra Bullock	52%
None of the above	7%
Not sure	9%

10. Which of the following actors would you enjoy watching in a romantic comedy movie? Select all that apply.

Adam Sandler .....	35%
Ben Stiller .....	28%
Bradley Cooper .....	31%
Hugh Grant .....	33%
Kevin Hart .....	29%
Matthew McConaughey .....	43%
Rob Schneider .....	19%
Ryan Gosling .....	34%
Ryan Reynolds .....	40%
Steve Carell .....	21%
Tom Hanks .....	40%
Will Smith .....	33%
None of the above .....	7%
Not sure .....	9%

11. How realistic or unrealistic are portrayals of romance in romantic comedies?

Very realistic .....	7%
Somewhat realistic .....	30%
Somewhat unrealistic .....	36%
Very unrealistic .....	18%
Not sure .....	10%

12. Do you think that unrealistic portrayals of romance in romantic comedies lead people to have unrealistic standards for romance in their real relationships?

*Asked of people who say portrayals of romance in romantic comedies are very or somewhat unrealistic*

Yes .....	51%
No .....	32%
Not sure .....	17%

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<b>Interviewing Dates</b>	January 9 - 13, 2023   January 10 - 16, 2023   January 18 - 23, 2023
<b>Target population</b>	U.S. citizens, aged 18 and over.
<b>Sampling method</b>	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.
<b>Weighting</b>	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 0.197 to 6.22, with a mean of 1 and a standard deviation of 0.495.
<b>Number of respondents</b>	3000
<b>Margin of error</b>	± 2% (adjusted for weighting)
<b>Survey mode</b>	Web-based interviews
<b>Questions not reported</b>	46 questions not reported.

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## 1. Rating of Romantic Comedies

What are your feelings toward romantic comedy movies?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Love them	22%	17%	26%	28%	28%	17%	14%	20%	25%	24%	22%
Like them	47%	45%	49%	39%	39%	50%	58%	49%	50%	44%	30%
Dislike them	16%	20%	12%	15%	15%	17%	16%	17%	9%	14%	18%
Hate them	5%	6%	4%	5%	7%	5%	1%	5%	4%	4%	9%
Not sure	11%	13%	9%	13%	11%	10%	10%	9%	11%	13%	21%
Totals	101%	101%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	99%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	(2,982)	(1,320)	(1,662)	(576)	(714)	(1,025)	(667)	(2,115)	(389)	(265)	(213)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Love them	22%	25%	18%	23%	22%	19%	20%	21%	27%	18%	17%	24%	24%
Like them	47%	49%	44%	48%	50%	51%	46%	50%	47%	49%	48%	45%	47%
Dislike them	16%	15%	18%	15%	16%	16%	17%	17%	14%	15%	19%	15%	16%
Hate them	5%	4%	5%	5%	4%	5%	5%	4%	6%	4%	4%	5%	5%
Not sure	11%	6%	15%	10%	8%	9%	12%	9%	6%	14%	12%	10%	8%
Totals	101%	99%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	(2,982)	(1,043)	(1,116)	(823)	(1,115)	(947)	(1,203)	(843)	(635)	(527)	(631)	(1,116)	(708)

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## 2A. Critics' Ratings of Film Genres — Action

Do you think that professional movie critics tend to overrate or underrate the following genres?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Underrated by critics	16%	18%	14%	14%	20%	15%	13%	15%	16%	*	*
Accurately rated by critics	34%	34%	34%	26%	42%	33%	34%	35%	37%	*	*
Overrated by critics	27%	26%	28%	33%	20%	26%	29%	27%	33%	*	*
Not sure	24%	23%	25%	27%	18%	25%	24%	23%	14%	*	*
Totals	101%	101%	101%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(975)	(427)	(548)	(181)	(240)	(326)	(228)	(693)	(125)	(86)	(71)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Underrated by critics	16%	15%	16%	16%	15%	16%	15%	17%	18%	15%	13%	18%	14%
Accurately rated by critics	34%	34%	32%	36%	33%	33%	34%	31%	42%	27%	35%	35%	36%
Overrated by critics	27%	31%	24%	26%	29%	27%	28%	30%	20%	27%	27%	27%	27%
Not sure	24%	20%	27%	22%	23%	24%	23%	22%	19%	31%	25%	20%	23%
Totals	101%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(975)	(345)	(379)	(251)	(369)	(316)	(372)	(277)	(218)	(172)	(194)	(382)	(227)

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## 2B. Critics' Ratings of Film Genres — Comedy

Do you think that professional movie critics tend to overrate or underrate the following genres?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Underrated by critics	21%	21%	22%	31%	20%	19%	18%	21%	26%	*	*
Accurately rated by critics	35%	37%	33%	34%	47%	29%	33%	35%	32%	*	*
Overrated by critics	19%	19%	20%	13%	15%	24%	23%	20%	22%	*	*
Not sure	24%	23%	25%	22%	18%	28%	26%	24%	20%	*	*
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(976)	(426)	(550)	(181)	(239)	(328)	(228)	(695)	(126)	(86)	(69)

		Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Underrated by critics	21%	26%	17%	22%	22%	19%	23%	22%	22%	21%	17%	23%	23%
Accurately rated by critics	35%	34%	33%	39%	35%	33%	33%	35%	46%	30%	31%	37%	39%
Overrated by critics	19%	20%	22%	15%	19%	20%	22%	18%	14%	14%	23%	21%	17%
Not sure	24%	20%	29%	23%	23%	27%	23%	25%	18%	35%	30%	19%	20%
Totals	99%	100%	101%	99%	99%	99%	101%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	99%
Unweighted N	(976)	(344)	(380)	(252)	(369)	(317)	(377)	(274)	(218)	(171)	(197)	(383)	(225)



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## 2C. Critics' Ratings of Film Genres — Drama

Do you think that professional movie critics tend to overrate or underrate the following genres?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Underrated by critics	12%	12%	12%	13%	14%	9%	12%	10%	16%	*	*
Accurately rated by critics	39%	38%	40%	39%	49%	32%	39%	41%	36%	*	*
Overrated by critics	24%	26%	22%	24%	19%	27%	24%	24%	25%	*	*
Not sure	25%	24%	26%	25%	18%	31%	25%	25%	24%	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	99%	100%	100%	101%	*	*
Unweighted N	(974)	(426)	(548)	(180)	(242)	(324)	(228)	(696)	(124)	(84)	(70)

		Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Underrated by critics	12%	17%	10%	10%	10%	10%	15%	9%	14%	12%	6%	16%	11%
Accurately rated by critics	39%	43%	35%	40%	43%	33%	41%	38%	44%	33%	37%	38%	48%
Overrated by critics	24%	22%	25%	24%	24%	28%	20%	26%	24%	20%	25%	26%	21%
Not sure	25%	18%	31%	26%	23%	29%	24%	27%	18%	36%	32%	19%	20%
Totals	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	(974)	(345)	(379)	(250)	(366)	(317)	(371)	(276)	(220)	(173)	(196)	(382)	(223)

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## 2D. Critics' Ratings of Film Genres — Documentary

Do you think that professional movie critics tend to overrate or underrate the following genres?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Underrated by critics	16%	17%	15%	15%	16%	17%	14%	15%	20%	*	*
Accurately rated by critics	37%	39%	34%	37%	46%	29%	38%	37%	41%	*	*
Overrated by critics	19%	19%	19%	20%	15%	21%	20%	22%	11%	*	*
Not sure	28%	25%	31%	28%	23%	33%	27%	26%	28%	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(976)	(429)	(547)	(181)	(241)	(326)	(228)	(698)	(123)	(85)	(70)

  

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Underrated by critics	16%	16%	14%	18%	18%	15%	17%	15%	16%	14%	13%	17%	17%
Accurately rated by critics	37%	45%	33%	33%	43%	28%	34%	38%	44%	31%	36%	37%	41%
Overrated by critics	19%	16%	20%	23%	15%	29%	22%	19%	19%	22%	20%	21%	12%
Not sure	28%	24%	34%	27%	25%	28%	27%	29%	21%	33%	30%	25%	29%
Totals	100%	101%	101%	101%	101%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%
Unweighted N	(976)	(348)	(377)	(251)	(369)	(319)	(374)	(275)	(221)	(173)	(197)	(382)	(224)

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## 2E. Critics' Ratings of Film Genres — Fantasy

Do you think that professional movie critics tend to overrate or underrate the following genres?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Underrated by critics	18%	20%	16%	18%	17%	19%	17%	17%	21%	*	*
Accurately rated by critics	28%	30%	26%	35%	40%	18%	22%	28%	23%	*	*
Overrated by critics	25%	24%	27%	23%	22%	24%	34%	26%	26%	*	*
Not sure	29%	26%	31%	23%	22%	39%	28%	28%	30%	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	101%	100%	101%	99%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(975)	(428)	(547)	(181)	(241)	(325)	(228)	(695)	(124)	(86)	(70)

		Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Underrated by critics	18%	25%	16%	11%	21%	11%	20%	18%	16%	12%	15%	22%	18%
Accurately rated by critics	28%	29%	27%	27%	28%	24%	25%	25%	42%	22%	25%	29%	33%
Overrated by critics	25%	20%	23%	35%	23%	35%	26%	26%	23%	29%	25%	24%	26%
Not sure	29%	25%	34%	27%	28%	30%	28%	31%	19%	36%	35%	25%	23%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(975)	(344)	(378)	(253)	(367)	(320)	(374)	(275)	(219)	(172)	(198)	(382)	(223)

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## 2F. Critics' Ratings of Film Genres — Horror

Do you think that professional movie critics tend to overrate or underrate the following genres?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Underrated by critics	16%	16%	17%	13%	21%	18%	11%	17%	19%	*	*
Accurately rated by critics	27%	31%	23%	32%	39%	21%	18%	26%	31%	*	*
Overrated by critics	29%	28%	31%	33%	18%	27%	41%	31%	30%	*	*
Not sure	27%	25%	29%	22%	21%	33%	30%	27%	20%	*	*
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	101%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(975)	(423)	(552)	(182)	(239)	(325)	(229)	(692)	(126)	(86)	(71)

		Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Underrated by critics	16%	17%	15%	17%	18%	14%	17%	19%	17%	21%	20%	14%	13%
Accurately rated by critics	27%	33%	25%	23%	28%	23%	22%	26%	39%	18%	25%	29%	32%
Overrated by critics	29%	29%	26%	35%	27%	34%	35%	27%	23%	28%	24%	32%	31%
Not sure	27%	21%	34%	25%	27%	29%	25%	28%	21%	34%	31%	24%	24%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	101%	100%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	(975)	(344)	(381)	(250)	(368)	(315)	(375)	(276)	(216)	(172)	(196)	(382)	(225)

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## 2G. Critics' Ratings of Film Genres — Science fiction

Do you think that professional movie critics tend to overrate or underrate the following genres?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Underrated by critics	19%	22%	17%	16%	18%	21%	22%	21%	12%	*	*
Accurately rated by critics	29%	30%	28%	26%	42%	24%	26%	29%	32%	*	*
Overrated by critics	23%	22%	25%	27%	18%	22%	28%	24%	28%	*	*
Not sure	28%	26%	30%	32%	22%	33%	24%	26%	28%	*	*
Totals	99%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(977)	(430)	(547)	(182)	(242)	(326)	(227)	(696)	(124)	(86)	(71)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Underrated by critics	19%	22%	19%	17%	22%	17%	21%	19%	19%	13%	21%	20%	22%
Accurately rated by critics	29%	32%	27%	30%	33%	28%	25%	31%	39%	30%	28%	32%	25%
Overrated by critics	23%	22%	20%	30%	17%	30%	25%	22%	21%	23%	19%	25%	25%
Not sure	28%	24%	35%	24%	27%	25%	28%	28%	22%	34%	33%	24%	27%
Totals	99%	100%	101%	101%	99%	100%	99%	100%	101%	100%	101%	101%	99%
Unweighted N	(977)	(345)	(379)	(253)	(368)	(318)	(374)	(277)	(218)	(171)	(198)	(383)	(225)

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## 2H. Critics' Ratings of Film Genres — Romance

Do you think that professional movie critics tend to overrate or underrate the following genres?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Underrated by critics	11%	8%	14%	9%	13%	10%	14%	12%	14%	*	*
Accurately rated by critics	35%	34%	36%	43%	44%	25%	32%	33%	30%	*	*
Overrated by critics	26%	29%	23%	22%	23%	29%	28%	28%	27%	*	*
Not sure	28%	28%	27%	25%	20%	36%	26%	27%	29%	*	*
Totals	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(974)	(428)	(546)	(181)	(241)	(323)	(229)	(692)	(124)	(87)	(71)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Underrated by critics	11%	16%	8%	11%	13%	11%	12%	13%	11%	11%	6%	14%	13%
Accurately rated by critics	35%	36%	33%	37%	36%	31%	34%	31%	50%	32%	32%	36%	39%
Overrated by critics	26%	27%	25%	26%	25%	31%	28%	27%	20%	19%	24%	30%	27%
Not sure	28%	22%	34%	26%	26%	26%	26%	30%	19%	39%	38%	21%	21%
Totals	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	101%	100%	101%	100%	101%	100%
Unweighted N	(974)	(344)	(381)	(249)	(371)	(314)	(374)	(276)	(217)	(171)	(196)	(385)	(222)

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## 2I. Critics' Ratings of Film Genres — Thriller

Do you think that professional movie critics tend to overrate or underrate the following genres?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Underrated by critics	13%	14%	13%	11%	14%	15%	14%	13%	19%	*	*
Accurately rated by critics	34%	35%	33%	30%	46%	29%	33%	34%	28%	*	*
Overrated by critics	27%	27%	27%	36%	20%	25%	27%	27%	34%	*	*
Not sure	26%	24%	28%	23%	20%	32%	27%	26%	20%	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	101%	101%	100%	101%	*	*
Unweighted N	(971)	(426)	(545)	(180)	(239)	(326)	(226)	(694)	(123)	(84)	(70)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Underrated by critics	13%	15%	12%	13%	14%	12%	16%	15%	10%	15%	12%	14%	12%
Accurately rated by critics	34%	39%	30%	34%	40%	28%	31%	36%	44%	28%	31%	34%	40%
Overrated by critics	27%	23%	29%	28%	21%	31%	26%	26%	25%	25%	27%	28%	26%
Not sure	26%	23%	29%	26%	25%	29%	27%	23%	22%	32%	30%	23%	23%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	99%	101%
Unweighted N	(971)	(343)	(377)	(251)	(366)	(317)	(374)	(273)	(217)	(171)	(196)	(382)	(222)

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## 2J. Critics' Ratings of Film Genres — Western

Do you think that professional movie critics tend to overrate or underrate the following genres?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Underrated by critics	20%	23%	18%	11%	22%	21%	26%	21%	18%	*	*
Accurately rated by critics	32%	35%	30%	35%	40%	24%	34%	33%	38%	*	*
Overrated by critics	12%	12%	13%	14%	10%	14%	11%	12%	16%	*	*
Not sure	35%	30%	40%	40%	28%	41%	29%	34%	28%	*	*
Totals	99%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(971)	(427)	(544)	(182)	(240)	(322)	(227)	(691)	(124)	(85)	(71)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Underrated by critics	20%	16%	22%	23%	18%	27%	18%	17%	29%	12%	17%	25%	22%
Accurately rated by critics	32%	37%	26%	35%	31%	30%	32%	31%	40%	27%	30%	35%	34%
Overrated by critics	12%	14%	13%	9%	14%	11%	14%	12%	10%	11%	12%	13%	12%
Not sure	35%	33%	38%	33%	36%	32%	36%	39%	21%	50%	41%	27%	32%
Totals	99%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(971)	(345)	(377)	(249)	(368)	(315)	(371)	(276)	(217)	(171)	(197)	(382)	(221)



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## 2K. Critics' Ratings of Film Genres — Romantic Comedy

Do you think that professional movie critics tend to overrate or underrate the following genres?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Underrated by critics	18%	15%	22%	23%	20%	15%	17%	19%	20%	*	*
Accurately rated by critics	32%	31%	32%	29%	41%	30%	27%	33%	31%	*	*
Overrated by critics	22%	28%	17%	20%	17%	24%	29%	23%	24%	*	*
Not sure	28%	27%	29%	28%	23%	31%	28%	25%	25%	*	*
Totals	100%	101%	100%	100%	101%	100%	101%	100%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(974)	(428)	(546)	(181)	(243)	(324)	(226)	(694)	(122)	(87)	(71)

		Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Underrated by critics	18%	25%	13%	18%	18%	16%	22%	19%	17%	17%	19%	20%	17%
Accurately rated by critics	32%	30%	30%	36%	32%	29%	30%	29%	43%	27%	28%	36%	31%
Overrated by critics	22%	22%	23%	22%	22%	27%	22%	23%	19%	23%	18%	22%	26%
Not sure	28%	24%	34%	24%	27%	28%	26%	29%	20%	33%	36%	22%	27%
Totals	100%	101%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	101%	100%	101%
Unweighted N	(974)	(345)	(379)	(250)	(367)	(318)	(372)	(275)	(219)	(173)	(197)	(379)	(225)

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## 3A. Representativeness of Romantic Comedies — The race of the main characters

In your opinion, how representative are romantic comedy movies being made today in terms of...?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very representative	18%	18%	17%	15%	22%	18%	15%	17%	22%	*	*
Somewhat representative	32%	30%	34%	33%	38%	27%	35%	34%	25%	*	*
Not very representative	15%	15%	15%	14%	16%	15%	14%	14%	18%	*	*
Not at all representative	9%	9%	8%	10%	9%	8%	8%	9%	9%	*	*
Not sure	26%	27%	26%	28%	16%	32%	27%	26%	26%	*	*
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	101%	100%	99%	100%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(978)	(425)	(553)	(183)	(241)	(325)	(229)	(698)	(125)	(88)	(67)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very representative	18%	19%	13%	22%	16%	20%	18%	16%	22%	17%	11%	22%	17%
Somewhat representative	32%	33%	32%	32%	33%	31%	30%	34%	41%	36%	32%	32%	31%
Not very representative	15%	19%	12%	13%	19%	11%	13%	18%	15%	12%	16%	14%	17%
Not at all representative	9%	10%	9%	7%	9%	8%	10%	7%	9%	6%	8%	10%	10%
Not sure	26%	19%	33%	26%	22%	30%	30%	26%	13%	28%	33%	23%	25%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	101%	101%	100%	99%	100%	101%	100%
Unweighted N	(978)	(347)	(378)	(253)	(369)	(320)	(377)	(277)	(220)	(172)	(198)	(382)	(226)

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## 3B. Representativeness of Romantic Comedies — The sexual orientation of the main characters

In your opinion, how representative are romantic comedy movies being made today in terms of. . . ?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very representative	20%	20%	21%	18%	23%	21%	20%	20%	30%	*	*
Somewhat representative	30%	31%	29%	29%	32%	28%	30%	32%	28%	*	*
Not very representative	15%	13%	16%	20%	16%	12%	13%	16%	8%	*	*
Not at all representative	8%	9%	8%	6%	11%	8%	8%	7%	5%	*	*
Not sure	27%	28%	27%	27%	19%	32%	28%	25%	28%	*	*
Totals	100%	101%	101%	100%	101%	101%	99%	100%	99%	*	*
Unweighted N	(978)	(425)	(553)	(183)	(243)	(323)	(229)	(699)	(124)	(87)	(68)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very representative	20%	21%	15%	26%	17%	25%	20%	21%	21%	16%	14%	23%	25%
Somewhat representative	30%	34%	28%	27%	33%	27%	30%	31%	34%	33%	31%	30%	26%
Not very representative	15%	18%	13%	13%	18%	10%	14%	15%	18%	13%	15%	15%	17%
Not at all representative	8%	8%	9%	7%	7%	9%	8%	8%	6%	9%	8%	9%	7%
Not sure	27%	20%	34%	26%	25%	29%	29%	25%	20%	30%	33%	24%	25%
Totals	100%	101%	99%	99%	100%	100%	101%	100%	99%	101%	101%	101%	100%
Unweighted N	(978)	(346)	(379)	(253)	(368)	(320)	(378)	(277)	(219)	(172)	(198)	(381)	(227)

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## 3C. Representativeness of Romantic Comedies — The age of the main characters

In your opinion, how representative are romantic comedy movies being made today in terms of . . . ?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very representative	14%	12%	16%	14%	18%	12%	15%	15%	19%	*	*
Somewhat representative	37%	37%	36%	32%	42%	35%	38%	35%	37%	*	*
Not very representative	17%	18%	17%	17%	18%	17%	17%	18%	16%	*	*
Not at all representative	5%	4%	6%	8%	6%	4%	3%	5%	3%	*	*
Not sure	26%	29%	24%	29%	16%	32%	26%	26%	26%	*	*
Totals	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	101%	*	*
Unweighted N	(978)	(425)	(553)	(183)	(243)	(324)	(228)	(698)	(124)	(88)	(68)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very representative	14%	16%	8%	21%	13%	17%	13%	16%	15%	14%	12%	17%	13%
Somewhat representative	37%	40%	35%	34%	40%	37%	34%	38%	48%	33%	36%	37%	40%
Not very representative	17%	21%	15%	15%	21%	12%	19%	16%	13%	19%	16%	19%	14%
Not at all representative	5%	5%	6%	4%	5%	4%	5%	3%	8%	6%	5%	4%	7%
Not sure	26%	18%	34%	25%	21%	30%	28%	27%	16%	29%	30%	23%	26%
Totals	99%	100%	98%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	101%	99%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(978)	(346)	(379)	(253)	(368)	(320)	(378)	(278)	(218)	(171)	(198)	(382)	(227)

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## 3D. Representativeness of Romantic Comedies — The attractiveness of the main characters

In your opinion, how representative are romantic comedy movies being made today in terms of. . . ?

		Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very representative	24%	22%	27%	25%	30%	21%	23%	22%	35%	*	*
Somewhat representative	34%	33%	34%	37%	34%	31%	34%	34%	27%	*	*
Not very representative	13%	14%	12%	11%	14%	13%	15%	15%	11%	*	*
Not at all representative	6%	6%	7%	5%	9%	7%	5%	6%	4%	*	*
Not sure	22%	25%	20%	22%	14%	27%	23%	22%	22%	*	*
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	101%	99%	100%	99%	99%	*	*
Unweighted N	(981)	(427)	(554)	(183)	(243)	(326)	(229)	(700)	(126)	(87)	(68)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very representative	24%	31%	17%	27%	25%	23%	24%	25%	28%	17%	18%	30%	27%
Somewhat representative	34%	31%	36%	33%	32%	34%	33%	35%	37%	33%	34%	31%	38%
Not very representative	13%	18%	10%	12%	18%	10%	13%	14%	13%	13%	12%	14%	13%
Not at all representative	6%	6%	7%	6%	7%	6%	5%	6%	9%	9%	8%	5%	4%
Not sure	22%	13%	31%	21%	19%	27%	24%	21%	14%	28%	27%	20%	18%
Totals	99%	99%	101%	99%	101%	100%	99%	101%	101%	100%	99%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(981)	(348)	(380)	(253)	(370)	(321)	(379)	(277)	(220)	(172)	(200)	(382)	(227)

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## 4. Romantic Comedy Settings

Thinking about the places where a romantic comedy movie can take place, which would you enjoy watching? Select all that apply.

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
New York City	32%	28%	36%	34%	32%	32%	30%	30%	45%	*	*
Los Angeles	21%	17%	25%	23%	28%	20%	15%	20%	26%	*	*
London	28%	22%	33%	26%	26%	29%	29%	28%	35%	*	*
A small town	43%	37%	49%	30%	32%	49%	59%	44%	46%	*	*
A college campus	22%	22%	22%	26%	26%	18%	21%	20%	33%	*	*
A rural area	32%	27%	36%	13%	26%	40%	45%	37%	25%	*	*
On vacation	38%	27%	47%	27%	39%	41%	40%	36%	46%	*	*
None of the above	9%	9%	10%	10%	4%	12%	11%	10%	8%	*	*
Not sure	16%	18%	14%	18%	14%	19%	12%	15%	18%	*	*
Unweighted N	(1,000)	(437)	(563)	(185)	(251)	(335)	(229)	(708)	(126)	(94)	(72)

  

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
New York City	32%	46%	25%	26%	41%	23%	29%	37%	33%	32%	31%	33%	32%
Los Angeles	21%	30%	16%	19%	28%	16%	19%	23%	24%	18%	21%	21%	25%
London	28%	38%	20%	26%	39%	24%	26%	31%	31%	24%	29%	29%	28%
A small town	43%	47%	34%	51%	45%	49%	46%	50%	37%	34%	46%	47%	41%
A college campus	22%	33%	16%	19%	31%	15%	19%	26%	26%	19%	26%	20%	25%
A rural area	32%	31%	30%	36%	36%	37%	33%	38%	30%	29%	37%	33%	28%
On vacation	38%	44%	30%	41%	46%	38%	36%	42%	41%	32%	41%	36%	41%
None of the above	9%	5%	10%	13%	7%	15%	11%	5%	7%	12%	8%	10%	9%
Not sure	16%	12%	24%	8%	18%	10%	16%	16%	7%	22%	21%	12%	14%
Unweighted N	(1,000)	(350)	(396)	(254)	(374)	(327)	(380)	(278)	(225)	(179)	(200)	(388)	(233)

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## 5. Relationship Relative to Romantic Comedies

How closely would you say your current relationship resembles the type of relationships depicted in romantic comedy movies?

*Asked of people in a romantic relationship*

		Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very closely	14%	19%	10%	*	28%	6%	5%	13%	*	*	*
Somewhat closely	27%	29%	25%	*	42%	26%	16%	30%	*	*	*
Not very closely	28%	23%	33%	*	17%	25%	35%	28%	*	*	*
Not at all	25%	23%	27%	*	12%	32%	37%	24%	*	*	*
Not sure	6%	6%	6%	*	2%	11%	7%	5%	*	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	101%	*	101%	100%	100%	100%	*	*	*
Unweighted N	(624)	(286)	(338)	(98)	(183)	(191)	(152)	(481)	(49)	(52)	(42)

		Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very closely	14%	17%	10%	15%	17%	13%	11%	13%	21%	12%	12%	14%	18%
Somewhat closely	27%	21%	33%	26%	18%	29%	25%	19%	41%	27%	23%	30%	25%
Not very closely	28%	29%	24%	31%	30%	28%	34%	31%	18%	35%	33%	24%	26%
Not at all	25%	28%	26%	22%	28%	26%	26%	27%	18%	17%	25%	27%	27%
Not sure	6%	5%	7%	6%	7%	4%	5%	9%	1%	10%	7%	5%	4%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	99%	99%	101%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(624)	(217)	(215)	(192)	(218)	(248)	(183)	(210)	(194)	(101)	(126)	(240)	(157)

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## 6. Desired Relationship Relative to Romantic Comedies

Do you wish your current relationship more closely resembled the type of relationships depicted in romantic comedy movies?

*Asked of people who say their relationship does not very closely or not at all resemble the types of relationships depicted in romantic comedy movies*

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	33%	25%	39%	*	66%	17%	17%	32%	*	*	*
No	56%	64%	50%	*	30%	66%	71%	57%	*	*	*
Not sure	11%	11%	11%	*	4%	16%	12%	12%	*	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	*	100%	99%	100%	101%	*	*	*
Unweighted N	(496)	(214)	(282)	(75)	(124)	(162)	(135)	(395)	(31)	(38)	(32)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	33%	33%	33%	31%	30%	24%	23%	24%	52%	*	22%	39%	36%
No	56%	51%	55%	63%	57%	68%	67%	62%	40%	*	65%	54%	48%
Not sure	11%	15%	12%	5%	13%	9%	10%	14%	8%	*	13%	6%	15%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	*	100%	99%	99%
Unweighted N	(496)	(164)	(182)	(150)	(169)	(204)	(152)	(169)	(147)	(79)	(103)	(192)	(122)



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## 7A. Elements Necessary for Romantic Comedy — The primary plot revolves around a central romantic relationship

In your opinion, are each of the following elements necessary for a movie to be classified as a romantic comedy?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	69%	64%	74%	56%	59%	80%	77%	73%	62%	*	*
No	18%	22%	14%	25%	28%	9%	13%	16%	23%	*	*
Not sure	13%	14%	12%	19%	13%	11%	9%	11%	14%	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	*	*
Unweighted N	(989)	(437)	(552)	(197)	(229)	(336)	(227)	(706)	(131)	(83)	(69)

	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	69%	74%	60%	77%	79%	74%	74%	70%	69%	64%	70%	73%	67%
No	18%	18%	22%	13%	15%	13%	14%	19%	22%	19%	19%	14%	22%
Not sure	13%	8%	19%	10%	7%	13%	12%	11%	9%	16%	11%	13%	11%
Totals	100%	100%	101%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(989)	(347)	(362)	(280)	(364)	(290)	(402)	(271)	(209)	(167)	(202)	(380)	(240)

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## 7B. Elements Necessary for Romantic Comedy — The couple meets in a contrived way (i.e., a 'meet cute')

In your opinion, are each of the following elements necessary for a movie to be classified as a romantic comedy?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	42%	37%	46%	43%	44%	42%	37%	42%	45%	*	*
No	37%	39%	35%	35%	34%	38%	42%	40%	31%	*	*
Not sure	21%	24%	18%	22%	22%	19%	21%	18%	24%	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(986)	(437)	(549)	(197)	(229)	(333)	(227)	(702)	(132)	(84)	(68)

		Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	42%	43%	38%	47%	42%	45%	47%	40%	40%	44%	43%	40%	41%
No	37%	41%	35%	37%	37%	36%	33%	41%	42%	34%	37%	39%	38%
Not sure	21%	16%	28%	17%	21%	19%	20%	19%	18%	22%	19%	21%	21%
Totals	100%	100%	101%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(986)	(347)	(363)	(276)	(366)	(287)	(403)	(271)	(209)	(168)	(200)	(379)	(239)

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## 7C. Elements Necessary for Romantic Comedy — The couple encounters and overcomes obstacles in their relationship

In your opinion, are each of the following elements necessary for a movie to be classified as a romantic comedy?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	67%	62%	71%	54%	55%	76%	78%	72%	55%	*	*
No	18%	19%	17%	26%	25%	13%	10%	17%	18%	*	*
Not sure	15%	19%	12%	20%	20%	11%	12%	11%	26%	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	*	*
Unweighted N	(989)	(438)	(551)	(197)	(229)	(335)	(228)	(705)	(132)	(83)	(69)

		Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	67%	66%	63%	73%	70%	74%	70%	66%	65%	68%	67%	71%	58%
No	18%	23%	15%	17%	17%	14%	16%	18%	21%	16%	18%	14%	25%
Not sure	15%	11%	23%	10%	13%	13%	14%	16%	14%	16%	15%	15%	16%
Totals	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Unweighted N	(989)	(347)	(363)	(279)	(366)	(291)	(403)	(271)	(210)	(168)	(202)	(378)	(241)

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## 7D. Elements Necessary for Romantic Comedy — The couple ends up together at the end of the movie

In your opinion, are each of the following elements necessary for a movie to be classified as a romantic comedy?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	64%	57%	71%	48%	56%	72%	76%	69%	58%	*	*
No	22%	26%	18%	32%	28%	18%	11%	19%	22%	*	*
Not sure	14%	18%	11%	20%	16%	11%	13%	12%	20%	*	*
Totals	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(987)	(437)	(550)	(197)	(228)	(335)	(227)	(704)	(132)	(84)	(67)

	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	64%	66%	56%	73%	69%	70%	68%	58%	66%	63%	65%	65%	62%
No	22%	25%	22%	17%	18%	18%	19%	26%	23%	23%	20%	20%	26%
Not sure	14%	9%	22%	9%	13%	12%	13%	16%	11%	14%	15%	15%	13%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%
Unweighted N	(987)	(346)	(361)	(280)	(365)	(291)	(403)	(270)	(210)	(169)	(202)	(377)	(239)

**7E. Elements Necessary for Romantic Comedy — The couple is conventionally attractive**

In your opinion, are each of the following elements necessary for a movie to be classified as a romantic comedy?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	41%	42%	41%	35%	40%	44%	46%	43%	45%	*	*
No	41%	40%	43%	39%	41%	43%	41%	43%	35%	*	*
Not sure	17%	18%	16%	26%	18%	13%	13%	13%	19%	*	*
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	99%	*	*
Unweighted N	(988)	(438)	(550)	(196)	(230)	(335)	(227)	(705)	(132)	(83)	(68)

		Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	41%	42%	36%	48%	44%	47%	44%	40%	43%	43%	44%	37%	44%
No	41%	46%	40%	38%	42%	38%	41%	43%	43%	35%	39%	47%	39%
Not sure	17%	11%	25%	13%	14%	15%	16%	17%	14%	21%	17%	15%	16%
Totals	99%	99%	101%	99%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	99%
Unweighted N	(988)	(348)	(359)	(281)	(366)	(289)	(404)	(271)	(209)	(169)	(202)	(378)	(239)

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## 7F. Elements Necessary for Romantic Comedy — The movie has a happy ending

In your opinion, are each of the following elements necessary for a movie to be classified as a romantic comedy?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	64%	55%	72%	45%	54%	72%	79%	68%	62%	*	*
No	22%	28%	16%	34%	29%	17%	12%	21%	22%	*	*
Not sure	14%	17%	12%	21%	17%	11%	10%	11%	16%	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(987)	(437)	(550)	(197)	(227)	(336)	(227)	(703)	(132)	(84)	(68)

	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	64%	68%	55%	71%	70%	71%	66%	60%	69%	64%	65%	67%	56%
No	22%	24%	23%	19%	19%	18%	20%	27%	20%	18%	20%	20%	30%
Not sure	14%	8%	22%	10%	11%	11%	14%	13%	12%	18%	14%	13%	14%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	99%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(987)	(347)	(362)	(278)	(366)	(289)	(404)	(268)	(210)	(168)	(200)	(379)	(240)

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## 7G. Elements Necessary for Romantic Comedy — The movie's tone is emotionally honest and sincere

In your opinion, are each of the following elements necessary for a movie to be classified as a romantic comedy?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	56%	50%	62%	47%	51%	59%	64%	58%	53%	*	*
No	25%	29%	22%	32%	32%	21%	17%	25%	25%	*	*
Not sure	19%	22%	17%	21%	18%	19%	18%	17%	22%	*	*
Totals	100%	101%	101%	100%	101%	99%	99%	100%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(986)	(437)	(549)	(195)	(228)	(336)	(227)	(704)	(132)	(83)	(67)

	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	56%	56%	52%	60%	59%	64%	61%	49%	55%	58%	57%	57%	51%
No	25%	28%	24%	24%	25%	19%	21%	29%	29%	24%	24%	21%	33%
Not sure	19%	16%	24%	16%	16%	17%	18%	21%	16%	18%	19%	22%	16%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(986)	(348)	(360)	(278)	(365)	(290)	(402)	(270)	(210)	(167)	(201)	(377)	(241)

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## 7H. Elements Necessary for Romantic Comedy — The movie is humorous

In your opinion, are each of the following elements necessary for a movie to be classified as a romantic comedy?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	71%	63%	79%	55%	58%	82%	84%	77%	57%	*	*
No	18%	22%	14%	29%	26%	9%	10%	15%	26%	*	*
Not sure	11%	15%	8%	16%	15%	9%	6%	8%	18%	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	101%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	101%	*	*
Unweighted N	(987)	(439)	(548)	(197)	(227)	(335)	(228)	(703)	(132)	(84)	(68)

	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	71%	76%	66%	73%	81%	77%	75%	73%	67%	69%	79%	69%	68%
No	18%	18%	17%	19%	13%	13%	16%	16%	22%	17%	13%	18%	22%
Not sure	11%	6%	17%	9%	6%	10%	9%	11%	11%	14%	8%	12%	10%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	(987)	(345)	(362)	(280)	(364)	(290)	(402)	(270)	(210)	(169)	(202)	(378)	(238)



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## 7I. Elements Necessary for Romantic Comedy — There is a dramatic romantic gesture

In your opinion, are each of the following elements necessary for a movie to be classified as a romantic comedy?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	55%	52%	57%	48%	54%	59%	55%	55%	54%	*	*
No	26%	27%	25%	30%	29%	25%	20%	27%	24%	*	*
Not sure	20%	22%	18%	22%	17%	16%	25%	18%	22%	*	*
Totals	101%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(984)	(435)	(549)	(195)	(227)	(336)	(226)	(701)	(132)	(84)	(67)

		Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	55%	57%	51%	57%	56%	61%	56%	54%	56%	58%	56%	57%	47%
No	26%	28%	23%	28%	28%	20%	26%	25%	29%	24%	25%	23%	33%
Not sure	20%	15%	26%	15%	16%	20%	18%	21%	15%	19%	19%	20%	20%
Totals	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(984)	(344)	(363)	(277)	(364)	(289)	(402)	(269)	(210)	(169)	(200)	(375)	(240)

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## 7J. Elements Necessary for Romantic Comedy — The movie appeals primarily to women

In your opinion, are each of the following elements necessary for a movie to be classified as a romantic comedy?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	32%	33%	30%	32%	33%	34%	25%	34%	26%	*	*
No	50%	47%	54%	42%	45%	52%	61%	52%	50%	*	*
Not sure	18%	20%	16%	26%	22%	14%	13%	14%	24%	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(983)	(434)	(549)	(193)	(227)	(336)	(227)	(700)	(132)	(84)	(67)

		Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	32%	31%	27%	39%	32%	34%	34%	33%	32%	28%	41%	27%	34%
No	50%	55%	49%	47%	53%	51%	51%	49%	51%	48%	47%	54%	48%
Not sure	18%	14%	24%	14%	15%	15%	16%	18%	17%	24%	13%	19%	18%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(983)	(343)	(362)	(278)	(364)	(288)	(401)	(270)	(209)	(169)	(200)	(376)	(238)

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## 7K. Elements Necessary for Romantic Comedy — The movie takes place in the present day

In your opinion, are each of the following elements necessary for a movie to be classified as a romantic comedy?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	24%	25%	22%	32%	31%	18%	16%	22%	28%	*	*
No	60%	55%	65%	50%	51%	68%	68%	65%	53%	*	*
Not sure	16%	20%	13%	18%	18%	14%	16%	14%	18%	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	99%	*	*
Unweighted N	(986)	(436)	(550)	(195)	(228)	(336)	(227)	(704)	(130)	(84)	(68)

	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	24%	28%	17%	28%	22%	22%	26%	22%	27%	27%	24%	23%	22%
No	60%	64%	57%	59%	67%	63%	59%	60%	61%	50%	63%	62%	63%
Not sure	16%	8%	25%	13%	11%	15%	15%	18%	12%	23%	14%	15%	15%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(986)	(346)	(360)	(280)	(364)	(289)	(401)	(269)	(210)	(167)	(201)	(379)	(239)

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## 7L. Elements Necessary for Romantic Comedy — The movie's narrative is predictable or clichéd

In your opinion, are each of the following elements necessary for a movie to be classified as a romantic comedy?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	31%	30%	32%	35%	36%	28%	28%	32%	22%	*	*
No	46%	46%	47%	37%	41%	53%	52%	50%	45%	*	*
Not sure	23%	24%	21%	28%	24%	20%	20%	18%	33%	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	101%	100%	100%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(989)	(437)	(552)	(196)	(230)	(335)	(228)	(706)	(132)	(82)	(69)

	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	31%	32%	28%	34%	32%	35%	33%	31%	36%	34%	32%	31%	30%
No	46%	47%	44%	49%	48%	48%	44%	47%	48%	41%	49%	46%	48%
Not sure	23%	21%	28%	17%	20%	17%	23%	22%	16%	26%	20%	23%	21%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	101%	100%	99%
Unweighted N	(989)	(348)	(362)	(279)	(366)	(291)	(403)	(269)	(210)	(169)	(201)	(380)	(239)

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## 7M. Elements Necessary for Romantic Comedy — The movie is light-hearted and avoids serious satire

In your opinion, are each of the following elements necessary for a movie to be classified as a romantic comedy?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	54%	48%	59%	39%	50%	56%	67%	56%	45%	*	*
No	28%	32%	23%	33%	33%	26%	18%	28%	26%	*	*
Not sure	19%	20%	18%	28%	17%	17%	15%	16%	28%	*	*
Totals	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	*	*
Unweighted N	(985)	(435)	(550)	(195)	(228)	(335)	(227)	(703)	(131)	(84)	(67)

		Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	54%	54%	47%	62%	57%	62%	53%	57%	54%	50%	57%	55%	51%
No	28%	32%	24%	28%	28%	22%	29%	25%	33%	29%	26%	24%	34%
Not sure	19%	14%	29%	11%	15%	16%	18%	18%	13%	20%	17%	21%	15%
Totals	101%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(985)	(347)	(359)	(279)	(365)	(289)	(402)	(270)	(210)	(169)	(199)	(379)	(238)

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## 7N. Elements Necessary for Romantic Comedy — There is an 'opposites attract' dynamic between the main characters

In your opinion, are each of the following elements necessary for a movie to be classified as a romantic comedy?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	49%	45%	52%	41%	47%	50%	55%	51%	47%	*	*
No	32%	35%	30%	39%	36%	32%	22%	32%	28%	*	*
Not sure	19%	20%	18%	20%	16%	18%	23%	17%	25%	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(988)	(438)	(550)	(198)	(229)	(335)	(226)	(704)	(131)	(84)	(69)

		Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	49%	48%	45%	54%	50%	56%	53%	44%	49%	50%	48%	46%	52%
No	32%	36%	32%	29%	31%	27%	28%	37%	35%	25%	33%	35%	34%
Not sure	19%	17%	23%	16%	19%	18%	19%	18%	16%	24%	19%	19%	14%
Totals	100%	101%	100%	99%	100%	101%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(988)	(345)	(362)	(281)	(363)	(290)	(403)	(270)	(209)	(169)	(202)	(378)	(239)

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## 8. Best Decade Romantic Comedies

During which of the following decades do you think the best romantic comedy movies were made?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
2020s	4%	4%	4%	8%	8%	0%	0%	4%	2%	*	*
2010s	7%	7%	7%	14%	12%	3%	2%	6%	7%	*	*
2000s	11%	11%	11%	20%	16%	8%	3%	10%	17%	*	*
1990s	17%	16%	18%	15%	24%	19%	9%	18%	14%	*	*
1980s	13%	15%	11%	8%	9%	21%	10%	14%	10%	*	*
1970s	6%	8%	4%	3%	3%	7%	11%	6%	3%	*	*
1960s	4%	5%	4%	3%	3%	3%	9%	4%	6%	*	*
1950s	7%	6%	7%	2%	3%	5%	18%	7%	3%	*	*
Before the 1950s	4%	4%	5%	5%	4%	4%	5%	3%	6%	*	*
Not sure	26%	23%	29%	23%	19%	30%	33%	27%	31%	*	*
Totals	99%	99%	100%	101%	101%	100%	100%	99%	99%	*	*
Unweighted N	(998)	(441)	(557)	(202)	(230)	(338)	(228)	(713)	(132)	(84)	(69)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
2020s	4%	5%	2%	4%	3%	2%	3%	4%	4%	2%	4%	3%	6%
2010s	7%	10%	4%	9%	7%	4%	8%	7%	8%	8%	5%	6%	11%
2000s	11%	13%	9%	13%	11%	10%	10%	10%	17%	8%	9%	13%	13%
1990s	17%	15%	19%	17%	19%	15%	16%	20%	20%	16%	17%	17%	18%
1980s	13%	12%	14%	13%	11%	15%	15%	7%	21%	17%	13%	13%	10%
1970s	6%	5%	6%	7%	5%	7%	6%	9%	3%	4%	7%	7%	5%
1960s	4%	4%	5%	5%	5%	4%	5%	4%	3%	6%	5%	2%	6%
1950s	7%	7%	7%	5%	6%	11%	7%	6%	6%	9%	8%	5%	6%
Before the 1950s	4%	6%	4%	3%	5%	4%	6%	2%	2%	5%	2%	5%	6%

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		Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)				Census Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	
Not sure	26%	26%	29%	24%	28%	27%	25%	30%	14%	25%	30%	30%	19%	
Totals	99%	103%	99%	100%	100%	99%	101%	99%	98%	100%	100%	101%	100%	
Unweighted N	(998)	(350)	(367)	(281)	(367)	(291)	(410)	(270)	(210)	(172)	(202)	(383)	(241)	



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## 9. Romantic Comedy Actresses

Which of the following actresses would you enjoy watching in a romantic comedy movie? Select all that apply.

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Cameron Diaz	35%	30%	39%	22%	31%	47%	33%	36%	28%	*	*
Gabrielle Union	19%	14%	23%	20%	18%	21%	17%	14%	40%	*	*
Jennifer Aniston	44%	38%	49%	32%	32%	55%	50%	49%	27%	*	*
Jennifer Garner	35%	29%	40%	23%	26%	46%	40%	38%	24%	*	*
Jennifer Lopez	32%	26%	37%	28%	28%	34%	35%	33%	32%	*	*
Julia Roberts	48%	39%	56%	31%	29%	59%	66%	53%	35%	*	*
Kate Hudson	37%	30%	43%	22%	29%	48%	43%	42%	24%	*	*
Katherine Heigel	22%	18%	26%	18%	21%	24%	25%	24%	18%	*	*
Meg Ryan	37%	32%	42%	12%	21%	52%	55%	43%	23%	*	*
Rachel McAdams	22%	19%	24%	17%	24%	27%	15%	24%	12%	*	*
Reese Witherspoon	44%	39%	48%	27%	35%	57%	50%	48%	27%	*	*
Sandra Bullock	52%	44%	60%	24%	30%	71%	74%	57%	38%	*	*
None of the above	7%	8%	6%	8%	8%	6%	7%	7%	11%	*	*
Not sure	9%	11%	7%	16%	11%	5%	5%	6%	12%	*	*
Unweighted N	(1,000)	(443)	(557)	(203)	(230)	(339)	(228)	(714)	(133)	(84)	(69)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Cameron Diaz	35%	34%	33%	38%	39%	37%	40%	31%	33%	35%	34%	37%	32%
Gabrielle Union	19%	28%	17%	12%	25%	9%	24%	15%	16%	16%	20%	23%	13%
Jennifer Aniston	44%	42%	39%	52%	41%	51%	49%	44%	39%	41%	48%	45%	39%
Jennifer Garner	35%	39%	30%	37%	41%	38%	37%	35%	37%	34%	33%	38%	32%
Jennifer Lopez	32%	33%	31%	31%	33%	30%	39%	27%	26%	31%	30%	34%	30%
Julia Roberts	48%	48%	44%	52%	50%	53%	52%	46%	45%	51%	48%	52%	37%

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	Party ID				2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Kate Hudson	37%	35%	34%	42%	39%	41%	41%	38%	33%	32%	42%	37%	34%
Katherine Heigel	22%	25%	20%	21%	26%	22%	23%	24%	24%	22%	21%	21%	26%
Meg Ryan	37%	36%	34%	42%	42%	45%	40%	34%	35%	36%	43%	38%	29%
Rachel McAdams	22%	21%	20%	25%	24%	23%	18%	23%	32%	20%	21%	22%	23%
Reese Witherspoon	44%	42%	40%	51%	46%	50%	49%	42%	41%	41%	47%	45%	40%
Sandra Bullock	52%	49%	51%	58%	56%	62%	59%	52%	45%	50%	58%	56%	42%
None of the above	7%	5%	11%	4%	5%	6%	5%	9%	7%	6%	8%	6%	8%
Not sure	9%	6%	13%	6%	7%	6%	8%	8%	4%	13%	10%	7%	8%
Unweighted N	(1,000)	(350)	(369)	(281)	(367)	(292)	(410)	(271)	(210)	(172)	(202)	(385)	(241)

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## 10. Romantic Comedy Actors

Which of the following actors would you enjoy watching in a romantic comedy movie? Select all that apply.

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Adam Sandler	35%	30%	39%	28%	28%	43%	36%	36%	29%	*	*
Ben Stiller	28%	26%	30%	19%	23%	38%	30%	31%	25%	*	*
Bradley Cooper	31%	25%	36%	18%	26%	42%	32%	35%	22%	*	*
Hugh Grant	33%	29%	37%	12%	25%	41%	50%	37%	27%	*	*
Kevin Hart	29%	24%	32%	34%	26%	29%	26%	26%	36%	*	*
Matthew McConaughey	43%	33%	52%	23%	30%	56%	55%	48%	30%	*	*
Rob Schneider	19%	21%	18%	17%	21%	22%	15%	19%	20%	*	*
Ryan Gosling	34%	27%	41%	24%	27%	42%	40%	37%	27%	*	*
Ryan Reynolds	40%	34%	46%	27%	36%	53%	38%	43%	33%	*	*
Steve Carell	21%	19%	24%	21%	21%	23%	20%	22%	22%	*	*
Tom Hanks	40%	35%	45%	26%	27%	47%	57%	44%	34%	*	*
Will Smith	33%	29%	36%	29%	32%	38%	30%	31%	36%	*	*
None of the above	7%	9%	5%	8%	6%	7%	7%	7%	10%	*	*
Not sure	9%	11%	8%	15%	11%	6%	6%	8%	10%	*	*
Unweighted N	(1,000)	(443)	(557)	(203)	(230)	(339)	(228)	(714)	(133)	(84)	(69)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Adam Sandler	35%	31%	34%	39%	33%	38%	41%	32%	31%	36%	34%	37%	29%
Ben Stiller	28%	29%	27%	30%	32%	29%	34%	26%	28%	30%	30%	30%	23%
Bradley Cooper	31%	34%	29%	30%	42%	30%	32%	30%	40%	26%	33%	34%	27%
Hugh Grant	33%	33%	31%	36%	42%	35%	32%	34%	39%	33%	35%	34%	30%
Kevin Hart	29%	30%	28%	28%	28%	26%	34%	23%	26%	31%	26%	32%	23%
Matthew McConaughey	43%	42%	38%	50%	47%	51%	47%	44%	40%	38%	46%	46%	36%

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	Party ID				2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Rob Schneider	19%	18%	19%	21%	19%	23%	22%	21%	17%	18%	23%	18%	17%
Ryan Gosling	34%	35%	31%	37%	38%	38%	36%	33%	37%	28%	36%	38%	29%
Ryan Reynolds	40%	39%	39%	42%	46%	42%	41%	43%	42%	33%	43%	44%	36%
Steve Carell	21%	23%	21%	21%	26%	20%	20%	24%	26%	20%	22%	23%	20%
Tom Hanks	40%	46%	36%	38%	50%	37%	43%	42%	37%	47%	41%	38%	38%
Will Smith	33%	37%	31%	32%	36%	32%	37%	35%	29%	36%	32%	35%	29%
None of the above	7%	5%	9%	6%	3%	8%	4%	8%	6%	3%	7%	7%	9%
Not sure	9%	6%	12%	8%	6%	8%	9%	8%	4%	12%	12%	6%	9%
Unweighted N	(1,000)	(350)	(369)	(281)	(367)	(292)	(410)	(271)	(210)	(172)	(202)	(385)	(241)

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## 11. Realism of Romantic Comedies

How realistic or unrealistic are portrayals of romance in romantic comedies?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very realistic	7%	8%	7%	10%	12%	6%	2%	5%	15%	*	*
Somewhat realistic	30%	29%	30%	28%	30%	29%	32%	29%	36%	*	*
Somewhat unrealistic	36%	35%	37%	30%	25%	39%	48%	42%	18%	*	*
Very unrealistic	18%	19%	17%	15%	21%	20%	12%	19%	16%	*	*
Not sure	10%	10%	10%	17%	12%	6%	6%	5%	15%	*	*
Totals	101%	101%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(994)	(439)	(555)	(200)	(228)	(338)	(228)	(710)	(132)	(84)	(68)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very realistic	7%	8%	6%	8%	7%	5%	9%	5%	9%	11%	7%	6%	7%
Somewhat realistic	30%	32%	26%	32%	26%	32%	33%	26%	27%	30%	28%	32%	28%
Somewhat unrealistic	36%	41%	31%	36%	41%	39%	34%	41%	40%	33%	32%	36%	41%
Very unrealistic	18%	16%	18%	19%	20%	20%	15%	20%	21%	14%	22%	16%	19%
Not sure	10%	3%	18%	5%	6%	5%	9%	8%	2%	13%	12%	9%	5%
Totals	101%	100%	99%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	99%	101%	101%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	(994)	(349)	(364)	(281)	(366)	(292)	(408)	(270)	(210)	(172)	(201)	(380)	(241)

## 12. Unrealistic Portrayals Romantic Comedies

Do you think that unrealistic portrayals of romance in romantic comedies lead people to have unrealistic standards for romance in their real relationships?

*Asked of people who say portrayals of romance in romantic comedies are very or somewhat unrealistic*

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	51%	51%	51%	*	59%	55%	45%	53%	*	*	*
No	32%	32%	32%	*	29%	24%	37%	31%	*	*	*
Not sure	17%	18%	16%	*	12%	21%	18%	17%	*	*	*
Totals	100%	101%	99%	*	100%	100%	100%	101%	*	*	*
Unweighted N	(548)	(236)	(312)	(91)	(112)	(207)	(138)	(435)	(46)	(34)	(33)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	51%	56%	42%	56%	57%	54%	49%	50%	59%	*	50%	47%	51%
No	32%	32%	33%	30%	27%	29%	34%	33%	28%	*	31%	33%	38%
Not sure	17%	12%	24%	14%	16%	17%	17%	17%	13%	*	19%	20%	11%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(548)	(210)	(184)	(154)	(235)	(167)	(213)	(166)	(128)	(86)	(112)	(204)	(146)

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<b>Interviewing Dates</b>	January 9 - 13, 2023   January 10 - 16, 2023   January 18 - 23, 2023
<b>Target population</b>	U.S. citizens, aged 18 and over.
<b>Sampling method</b>	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.
<b>Weighting</b>	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 0.197 to 6.22, with a mean of 1 and a standard deviation of 0.495.
<b>Number of respondents</b>	3000
<b>Margin of error</b>	± 2% (adjusted for weighting)
<b>Survey mode</b>	Web-based interviews
<b>Questions not reported</b>	46 questions not reported.