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1. Respondent intelligence

In general would you say that you are more intelligent, less intelligent or about the same intelligence as the average American person?

		Gender		Age				Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Much more intelligent	19%	24%	15%	22%	16%	24%	12%	15%	23%	16%
Slightly more intelligent	36%	37%	35%	40%	28%	38%	39%	40%	30%	46%
About the same intelligence	34%	31%	37%	26%	39%	30%	44%	35%	35%	29%
Slightly less intelligent	3%	3%	4%	5%	2%	3%	2%	5%	2%	5%
Much less intelligent	1%	0%	1%	2%	1%	0%	–	1%	0%	0%
Don't know	7%	5%	8%	5%	14%	4%	3%	4%	10%	3%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(991)	(474)	(517)	(164)	(268)	(378)	(181)	(338)	(443)	(210)

		Race			Family Income				Region			
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80-100	100+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Much more intelligent	19%	21%	10%	17%	15%	15%	34%	34%	14%	16%	19%	26%
Slightly more intelligent	36%	39%	32%	25%	31%	41%	39%	37%	47%	47%	30%	29%
About the same intelligence	34%	32%	42%	40%	38%	41%	18%	24%	30%	33%	40%	29%
Slightly less intelligent	3%	3%	5%	4%	6%	1%	–	0%	4%	2%	3%	5%
Much less intelligent	1%	0%	1%	3%	1%	0%	–	–	2%	0%	0%	1%
Don't know	7%	6%	10%	12%	9%	2%	10%	5%	4%	2%	9%	10%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(991)	(783)	(126)	(82)	(363)	(282)	(67)	(105)	(151)	(206)	(360)	(274)

2. American intelligence
In general, how intelligent do you think American people are?

		Gender		Age				Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Very intelligent	5%	4%	6%	6%	5%	4%	5%	9%	2%	5%
Fairly intelligent	20%	21%	20%	11%	20%	23%	26%	22%	18%	22%
Average intelligence	44%	38%	50%	43%	42%	48%	43%	43%	47%	40%
Fairly unintelligent	23%	28%	18%	32%	21%	20%	21%	23%	22%	28%
Very unintelligent	3%	5%	2%	4%	4%	1%	5%	2%	4%	3%
Don't know	4%	4%	4%	3%	8%	4%	1%	2%	7%	1%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(991)	(471)	(520)	(165)	(268)	(376)	(182)	(340)	(441)	(210)

		Race			Family Income				Region			
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80-100	100+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very intelligent	5%	2%	16%	13%	5%	7%	–	–	5%	3%	7%	3%
Fairly intelligent	20%	17%	28%	29%	25%	20%	9%	13%	25%	17%	22%	17%
Average intelligence	44%	48%	38%	27%	43%	48%	44%	51%	45%	50%	43%	41%
Fairly unintelligent	23%	26%	7%	19%	18%	23%	35%	30%	18%	26%	22%	27%
Very unintelligent	3%	3%	3%	2%	2%	1%	5%	6%	5%	3%	2%	4%
Don't know	4%	2%	8%	10%	6%	1%	7%	–	2%	1%	4%	8%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(991)	(782)	(127)	(82)	(363)	(279)	(67)	(105)	(150)	(208)	(361)	(272)