

**1. Paid for Sex**

Have you ever paid someone else for sex?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	7%	12%	1%	1%	11%	7%	7%	7%	5%	8%	5%
No	91%	83%	97%	92%	88%	92%	91%	90%	94%	87%	94%
Prefer not to say	2%	2%	1%	4%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	4%	1%
Don't know	1%	2%	0%	3%	—	—	1%	1%	—	1%	—
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(998)	(484)	(514)	(197)	(258)	(393)	(150)	(675)	(121)	(124)	(78)

	Party ID (3 category)				Family Income (3 category)				Census Region			
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Under \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K or more	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	7%	4%	9%	7%	7%	8%	3%	5%	8%	7%	7%	5%
No	91%	94%	88%	90%	89%	91%	96%	90%	90%	89%	91%	91%
Prefer not to say	2%	2%	1%	3%	2%	1%	1%	4%	1%	4%	1%	2%
Don't know	1%	0%	2%	—	2%	—	—	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(998)	(396)	(374)	(228)	(493)	(255)	(109)	(141)	(188)	(220)	(367)	(223)

**2. Received Money for Sex**

Have you ever been paid for sex?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	6%	6%	6%	3%	9%	8%	2%	4%	10%	9%	9%
No	92%	92%	92%	92%	90%	91%	98%	94%	90%	87%	90%
Prefer not to say	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	—	1%	0%	3%	1%
Don't know	1%	1%	0%	3%	—	—	—	1%	—	2%	—
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(1,000)	(484)	(516)	(197)	(259)	(394)	(150)	(676)	(121)	(125)	(78)

	Party ID (3 category)				Family Income (3 category)				Census Region			
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Under \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K or more	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	6%	8%	5%	5%	9%	2%	—	6%	6%	11%	4%	4%
No	92%	91%	92%	94%	88%	98%	98%	92%	93%	87%	94%	94%
Prefer not to say	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%
Don't know	1%	0%	2%	—	1%	—	—	—	1%	1%	1%	—
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(1,000)	(397)	(374)	(229)	(494)	(255)	(109)	(142)	(189)	(220)	(367)	(224)

**3. Lgeality – Pay money for sex**

Do you think it should be legal or illegal for someone to...?

	<b>Gender</b>			<b>Age (4 category)</b>				<b>Race (4 category)</b>			
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Legal	39%	50%	29%	35%	45%	41%	30%	40%	31%	35%	42%
Illegal	45%	37%	52%	50%	42%	43%	45%	42%	55%	57%	37%
Not sure	17%	13%	20%	14%	13%	16%	25%	18%	14%	8%	21%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(988)	(480)	(508)	(197)	(253)	(389)	(149)	(672)	(116)	(123)	(77)

	<b>Party ID (3 category)</b>				<b>Family Income (3 category)</b>				<b>Census Region</b>			
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Under \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K or more	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Legal	39%	40%	43%	30%	37%	41%	40%	42%	44%	42%	36%	35%
Illegal	45%	46%	38%	55%	48%	44%	39%	36%	38%	44%	49%	42%
Not sure	17%	14%	19%	15%	15%	15%	21%	22%	18%	14%	15%	22%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(988)	(390)	(371)	(227)	(485)	(253)	(109)	(141)	(187)	(218)	(362)	(221)

**4. Legality – Accept money for sex**

Do you think it should be legal or illegal for someone to...?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Legal	40%	51%	30%	39%	45%	41%	30%	42%	31%	36%	42%
Illegal	43%	36%	50%	46%	42%	42%	44%	40%	53%	57%	35%
Not sure	17%	13%	20%	15%	13%	17%	25%	18%	16%	8%	23%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(989)	(478)	(511)	(197)	(253)	(390)	(149)	(673)	(116)	(123)	(77)

	Total	Party ID (3 category)			Family Income (3 category)				Census Region			
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Under \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K or more	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Legal	40%	41%	43%	32%	38%	42%	41%	41%	44%	44%	38%	36%
Illegal	43%	45%	37%	52%	46%	44%	38%	37%	37%	42%	47%	42%
Not sure	17%	14%	20%	16%	16%	14%	21%	23%	19%	14%	15%	21%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(989)	(392)	(371)	(226)	(485)	(254)	(109)	(141)	(186)	(220)	(361)	(222)

**5. Punishment for Paying Money for Sex**

What do you think is the best punishment for people who pay money for sex?

*Asked of those who think it should be illegal for someone to pay money for sex*

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Prison	20%	18%	21%	33%	24%	11%	12%	23%	13%	20%	1%
Community service	42%	44%	41%	42%	34%	45%	50%	42%	42%	35%	56%
Small fines	22%	25%	20%	17%	30%	26%	13%	14%	35%	38%	24%
Not sure	16%	14%	17%	8%	13%	19%	26%	20%	9%	6%	19%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (413)	100% (159)	100% (254)	100% (84)	100% (100)	100% (168)	100% (61)	100% (269)	100% (57)	100% (58)	100% (29)

	Total	Party ID (3 category)			Family Income (3 category)				Census Region			
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Under \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K or more	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Prison	20%	15%	22%	22%	21%	16%	6%	31%	20%	24%	18%	20%
Community service	42%	41%	41%	45%	38%	53%	57%	31%	37%	46%	43%	41%
Small fines	22%	26%	22%	17%	24%	19%	27%	15%	29%	17%	22%	21%
Not sure	16%	17%	15%	16%	17%	13%	11%	23%	14%	13%	17%	18%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (413)	100% (160)	100% (129)	100% (124)	100% (217)	100% (104)	100% (40)	100% (52)	100% (79)	100% (91)	100% (165)	100% (78)

**6. Punishment for Accepting Money for Sex**

What do you think is the best punishment for people who accept money for sex?

*Asked of those who think it should be illegal for someone to accept money for sex*

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Prison	20%	19%	20%	24%	21%	18%	15%	23%	8%	25%	1%
Community service	41%	41%	41%	47%	38%	36%	49%	42%	49%	25%	58%
Small fines	22%	24%	20%	15%	24%	28%	15%	16%	20%	46%	14%
Not sure	17%	16%	18%	14%	16%	18%	22%	19%	22%	4%	27%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (402)	100% (156)	100% (246)	100% (77)	100% (100)	100% (165)	100% (60)	100% (259)	100% (57)	100% (59)	100% (27)

	Total	Party ID (3 category)			Family Income (3 category)				Census Region			
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Under \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K or more	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Prison	20%	16%	21%	23%	24%	13%	5%	25%	23%	25%	17%	18%
Community service	41%	40%	42%	42%	35%	54%	61%	27%	39%	40%	42%	43%
Small fines	22%	22%	24%	19%	21%	19%	28%	24%	23%	17%	22%	25%
Not sure	17%	22%	13%	16%	19%	14%	6%	25%	16%	18%	19%	15%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (402)	100% (152)	100% (128)	100% (122)	100% (208)	100% (103)	100% (38)	100% (53)	100% (73)	100% (90)	100% (160)	100% (79)

**7. Morality of Paying Money for Sex**

Do you think that paying money for sex is morally acceptable or morally wrong?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Morally acceptable	24%	34%	15%	20%	31%	24%	19%	27%	17%	15%	23%
Morally wrong	57%	48%	65%	59%	50%	59%	60%	54%	69%	65%	52%
Not sure	19%	18%	20%	21%	20%	17%	22%	19%	15%	21%	25%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(993)	(480)	(513)	(196)	(256)	(391)	(150)	(673)	(119)	(123)	(78)

	Party ID (3 category)				Family Income (3 category)				Census Region			
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Under \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K or more	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Morally acceptable	24%	25%	26%	18%	21%	26%	27%	26%	33%	25%	20%	22%
Morally wrong	57%	54%	51%	70%	58%	55%	59%	52%	48%	55%	62%	56%
Not sure	19%	20%	23%	12%	21%	18%	14%	21%	19%	20%	18%	22%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(993)	(393)	(371)	(229)	(490)	(253)	(109)	(141)	(187)	(219)	(364)	(223)

**8. Morality of Accepting Money for Sex**

Do you think that accepting money for sex is morally acceptable or morally wrong?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Morally acceptable	25%	35%	15%	21%	32%	24%	19%	27%	20%	18%	23%
Morally wrong	56%	47%	65%	57%	50%	59%	60%	53%	69%	63%	51%
Not sure	19%	18%	20%	22%	18%	17%	21%	19%	11%	20%	26%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(991)	(479)	(512)	(194)	(258)	(391)	(148)	(670)	(119)	(124)	(78)

	Party ID (3 category)				Family Income (3 category)				Census Region			
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Under \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K or more	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Morally acceptable	25%	26%	27%	18%	23%	26%	28%	27%	33%	26%	22%	22%
Morally wrong	56%	54%	50%	69%	58%	54%	58%	51%	48%	56%	61%	56%
Not sure	19%	20%	22%	12%	19%	20%	14%	22%	19%	18%	18%	22%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(991)	(393)	(370)	(228)	(488)	(252)	(109)	(142)	(188)	(217)	(363)	(223)

<b>Interviewing Dates</b>	March 5 - 7, 2016
<b>Target population</b>	U.S. adults, 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 age, gender, race, education, and region) was selected from the 2010 American Community Study. Voter registration was imputed from the November 2010 Current Population Survey Registration and Voting Supplement. Religion, minor party identification, and non-placement on an ideology scale, were imputed from the 2008 Pew Religion in American Life Survey.
<b>Weighting</b>	The sample was weighted using propensity scores based on age, gender, race, education, voter registration, and non-placement on an ideology scale. The weights range from 0.03 to 6.113, with a mean of one and a standard deviation of 1.028.
<b>Number of respondents</b>	1000
<b>Margin of error</b>	± 4.5% (adjusted for weighting)
<b>Survey mode</b>	Web-based interviews
<b>Questions not reported</b>	20 questions not reported.