

How the Survey was Conducted

Nature of the Sample: Exclusive *Third Rail with OZY*-Marist Poll of 508 National Adults

This survey of 508 adults was conducted September 19th and September 20th, 2017 by The Marist Poll sponsored and funded in partnership with WGBH Boston and OZY Media for the new PBS prime-time, cross-platform debate program *Third Rail with OZY*. Adults 18 years of age and older residing in the contiguous United States were contacted on landline or mobile numbers and interviewed in English by telephone using live interviewers. Mobile telephone numbers were randomly selected based upon a list of telephone exchanges from throughout the nation from Survey Sampling International. The exchanges were selected to ensure that each region was represented in proportion to its population. Mobile phones are treated as individual devices. After validation of age, personal ownership, and non-business-use of the mobile phone, interviews are typically conducted with the person answering the phone. To increase coverage, this mobile sample was supplemented by respondents reached through random dialing of landline phone numbers from ASDE Survey Sampler, Inc. Within each landline household, a single respondent is selected through a random selection process to increase the representativeness of traditionally under-covered survey populations. Assistance was provided by Luce Research for data collection. The samples were then combined and balanced to reflect the 2013 American Community Survey 1-year estimates for age, gender, income, race, and region. Results are statistically significant within ± 4.3 percentage points. There are 429 registered voters. The results for this subset are statistically significant within ± 4.7 percentage points. The error margin was not adjusted for sample weights and increases for cross-tabulations.

Nature of the Sample

		National Adults
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National Adults		100%
National Registered Voters		84%
Party Identification	Democrat	35%
	Republican	27%
	Independent	36%
	Other	2%
Gender	Men	49%
	Women	51%
Age	Under 45	47%
	45 or older	53%
Age	18 to 29	22%
	30 to 44	25%
	45 to 59	26%
	60 or older	26%
Race	White	62%
	African American	11%
	Latino	14%
	Other	12%
Region	Northeast	18%
	Midwest	21%
	South	37%
	West	24%
Household Income	Less than \$50,000	48%
	\$50,000 or more	52%
Education	Not college graduate	58%
	College graduate	42%
Interview Type	Landline	40%
	Cell phone	60%

Third Rail with OZY-Marist Poll National Adults. Interviews conducted September 19th and September 20th, 2017, n=508 MOE +/- 4.3 percentage points. National Registered Voters: n=429 MOE +/- 4.7 percentage points. Totals may not add to 100% due to rounding.

Banner 1: Gender, Race, Age, Education, Household Income, Registered Voters, Party Identification, Trump Supporters

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[Table TR0929A](#)

Exclusive *Third Rail with OZY-Marist* Poll
October 2017

There has been a lot of discussion lately about sexual harassment of women in the workplace. Do you think this is:
A big problem, somewhat of a problem, or not a problem at all?

	Gender		Race		Age		Education		HH Income		Party Identification					
	National Adults	Men	Women	White	Non-white	Under 45	45 or older	Not college graduate	College graduate	Less than \$50,000	\$50,000 or more	National Registered Voters	Democrat	Republican	Independent	Trump Supporters
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)	(H)	(I)	(J)	(K)	(L)	(M)	(N)	(O)	(P)
Total Answering	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
A big problem	42%	44%	40%	36%	52%	50%	36%	45%	37%	41%	43%	42%	53%	31%	40%	26%
Somewhat of a problem	45%	39%	50%	49%	38%	40%	48%	42%	50%	47%	44%	44%	40%	42%	51%	49%
Not a problem at all	11%	16%	6%	12%	9%	9%	12%	10%	12%	9%	12%	11%	6%	24%	7%	20%
Unsure	3%	1%	4%	4%	1%	1%	4%	3%	2%	3%	1%	2%	1%	3%	2%	5%

Comparison Groups: BC/DE/FG/HI/JK/MNO

T-Test for Means, Z-Test for Percentages

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Time/Yankelovich Clancy Shulman Poll [September, 1986]

A big problem	17%
Somewhat of a problem	67%
Not a problem at all	12%
Unsure	4%

[Table TR0929B](#)

Exclusive *Third Rail with OZY-Marist* Poll
October 2017

Do you regard sexual harassment in the workplace as: The responsibility of the company to prevent or solve or The responsibility of the individuals involved to prevent or solve?

	Gender		Race		Age		Education		HH Income		Party Identification					
	National Adults	Men	Women	White	Non-white	Under 45	45 or older	Not college graduate	College graduate	Less than \$50,000	\$50,000 or more	National Registered Voters	Democrat	Republican	Independent	Trump Supporters
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)	(H)	(I)	(J)	(K)	(L)	(M)	(N)	(O)	(P)
Total Answering	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
The responsibility of the company to prevent or solve	65%	56%	73%	66%	61%	67%	63%	64%	65%	67%	64%	65%	77%	64%	57%	56%
The responsibility of the individuals involved to prevent or solve	28%	37%	20%	27%	30%	28%	29%	28%	28%	25%	32%	29%	19%	30%	35%	37%
Unsure	7%	6%	7%	6%	8%	4%	8%	7%	7%	7%	4%	6%	4%	7%	8%	7%

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Harris Poll [July, 1996]

The responsibility of the company to prevent or solve	53%
The responsibility of the individuals involved to prevent or solve	44%
Unsure	3%

[Table TR0929C1](#)

Exclusive *Third Rail with OZY-Marist* Poll
October 2017

Please let me know if you agree or disagree with each of the following statements: What many women call sexual harassment is innocent flirting intended as flattery?

	Gender		Race		Age		Education		HH Income		Party Identification					
	National Adults	Men	Women	White	Non-white	Under 45	45 or older	Not college graduate	College graduate	Less than \$50,000	\$50,000 or more	National Registered Voters	Democrat	Republican	Independent	Trump Supporters
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)	(H)	(I)	(J)	(K)	(L)	(M)	(N)	(O)	(P)
Total Answering	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Agree	32%	37%	28%	33%	32%	30%	35%	37%	26%	32%	33%	31%	19%	38%	36%	44%
Disagree	60%	55%	66%	61%	59%	67%	54%	54%	69%	58%	63%	62%	76%	55%	55%	46%
Unsure	7%	8%	7%	6%	9%	3%	10%	9%	5%	10%	4%	7%	5%	7%	10%	10%

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Progress And Perils: How Gender Issues Unite & Divide Women Survey [December, 2000 RESULTS ARE OF WOMEN ONLY]

Which comes closer to your view of sexual harassment in the workplace:

Sexual harassment in the workplace is a serious problem for many women	54%
What many women call sexual harassment is innocent flirting intended as flattery	33%
Neither (vol.)	4%
Unsure	9%

[Table TR0929C2](#)

Exclusive *Third Rail with OZY-Marist* Poll
October 2017

Please let me know if you agree or disagree with each of the following statements: Men often resent women who have more power than they do?

	Gender		Race		Age		Education			HH Income		Party Identification				
	National Adults	Men	Women	White	Non-white	Under 45	45 or older	Not college graduate	College graduate	Less than \$50,000	\$50,000 or more	National Registered Voters	Democrat	Republican	Independent	Trump Supporters
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)	(H)	(I)	(J)	(K)	(L)	(M)	(N)	(O)	(P)
Total Answering	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Agree	57%	43%	71%	57%	58%	56%	58%	59%	54%	58%	57%	55%	66%	47%	53%	39%
Disagree	39%	54%	23%	38%	39%	43%	35%	36%	41%	37%	40%	40%	30%	46%	42%	52%
Unsure	5%	3%	6%	4%	4%	1%	7%	5%	5%	5%	3%	5%	4%	8%	5%	9%

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Do you think men resent women who have more power than they do:

Often	51%
Sometimes	43%
Hardly ever	3%
Never	1%
Unsure	2%

[Table TR0929C3](#)

Exclusive *Third Rail with OZY-Marist* Poll
October 2017

Please let me know if you agree or disagree with each of the following statements: Sexual harassment is inevitable in the workplace?

	Gender		Race		Age		Education		HH Income		Party Identification					
	National Adults	Men	Women	White	Non-white	Under 45	45 or older	Not college graduate	College graduate	Less than \$50,000	\$50,000 or more	National Registered Voters	Democrat	Republican	Independent	Trump Supporters
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)	(H)	(I)	(J)	(K)	(L)	(M)	(N)	(O)	(P)
Total Answering	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Agree	27%	29%	25%	23%	34%	27%	27%	33%	19%	30%	23%	26%	34%	22%	19%	21%
Disagree	69%	68%	70%	73%	62%	71%	68%	62%	78%	64%	76%	71%	64%	73%	76%	74%
Unsure	4%	2%	5%	4%	4%	2%	5%	5%	3%	6%	1%	4%	2%	5%	4%	4%

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[Table TR0929C4](#)

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Please let me know if you agree or disagree with each of the following statements: Women under pressure in the workplace are more likely than men to be weaker and emotional?

	Gender		Race		Age		Education		HH Income		Party Identification					
	National Adults	Men	Women	White	Non-white	Under 45	45 or older	Not college graduate	College graduate	Less than \$50,000	\$50,000 or more	National Registered Voters	Democrat	Republican	Independent	Trump Supporters
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)	(H)	(I)	(J)	(K)	(L)	(M)	(N)	(O)	(P)
Total Answering	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Agree	31%	36%	26%	25%	41%	31%	30%	38%	22%	35%	29%	31%	26%	31%	33%	38%
Disagree	67%	61%	72%	72%	57%	68%	65%	58%	77%	63%	69%	67%	73%	64%	66%	58%
Unsure	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%	1%	4%	4%	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	5%	1%	4%

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[Table TR0929C5](#)

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Please let me know if you agree or disagree with each of the following statements: Men are easier to get along with than women in the workplace?

	Gender		Race		Age		Education		HH Income		Party Identification					
	National Adults	Men	Women	White	Non-white	Under 45	45 or older	Not college graduate	College graduate	Less than \$50,000	\$50,000 or more	National Registered Voters	Democrat	Republican	Independent	Trump Supporters
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)	(H)	(I)	(J)	(K)	(L)	(M)	(N)	(O)	(P)
Total Answering	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Agree	33%	26%	39%	32%	34%	29%	36%	37%	28%	30%	35%	33%	27%	38%	36%	39%
Disagree	62%	70%	54%	62%	62%	66%	58%	58%	66%	64%	60%	62%	68%	55%	61%	54%
Unsure	6%	4%	7%	5%	4%	5%	6%	5%	6%	6%	5%	5%	4%	8%	4%	7%

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[Table TR0929C6](#)

Exclusive *Third Rail with OZY-Marist* Poll
October 2017

Please let me know if you agree or disagree with each of the following statements: Sexual harassment in the workplace is sexual abuse?

	Gender		Race		Age		Education		HH Income		Party Identification					
	National Adults	Men	Women	White	Non-white	Under 45	45 or older	Not college graduate	College graduate	Less than \$50,000	\$50,000 or more	National Registered Voters	Democrat	Republican	Independent	Trump Supporters
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)	(H)	(I)	(J)	(K)	(L)	(M)	(N)	(O)	(P)
Total Answering	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Agree	74%	73%	74%	71%	79%	77%	71%	79%	67%	76%	71%	73%	80%	66%	72%	65%
Disagree	24%	24%	23%	26%	18%	22%	26%	18%	31%	20%	27%	25%	19%	33%	25%	32%
Unsure	3%	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%	4%	3%	2%	4%	2%	2%	1%	1%	3%	4%

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[Table TR0929C7](#)

Exclusive *Third Rail with OZY-Marist* Poll
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Please let me know if you agree or disagree with each of the following statements: The present institution of marriage is becoming obsolete?

	Gender		Race		Age		Education		HH Income		Party Identification					
	National Adults	Men	Women	White	Non-white	Under 45	45 or older	Not college graduate	College graduate	Less than \$50,000	\$50,000 or more	National Registered Voters	Democrat	Republican	Independent	Trump Supporters
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)	(H)	(I)	(J)	(K)	(L)	(M)	(N)	(O)	(P)
Total Answering	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Agree	45%	45%	44%	38%	56%	45%	45%	52%	34%	51%	41%	44%	45%	44%	41%	40%
Disagree	52%	52%	53%	61%	40%	53%	52%	43%	66%	45%	57%	54%	53%	55%	56%	55%
Unsure	3%	3%	2%	1%	5%	2%	3%	4%	1%	4%	2%	3%	2%	1%	4%	5%

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Time/Yankelovich, Skelly & White Poll [March, 1978]

Agree	28%
Disagree	72%
Unsure	---