

Black Track February 2022 Toplines

National Survey of 1000 Black Registered Voters

Margin of Error +/- 3.9%

Interview Method: Online double opt-in panel

Fielded from January 15-21, 2022

[TQ] – Tracker Question

[QTQ] – Quarterly Tracker Question

INTRODUCTION

We are conducting a national opinion survey and would like to ask you some questions about issues facing your state and community. This is a research study. Your name was chosen at random, and your individual answers are confidential.

1. We want to be sure we’re representing everybody; may I ask your race?

	JAN 2022 TOTAL
White or Caucasian	-
African American or Black	95%
Mixed Race – AA or Black	5%
Hispanic or Latino	-
Asian or Pacific Islander	-
Native American or American Indian	-
Other, please specify	-
Don't know	-

2. What is your age? _____ [TERM UNDER 18]

	JAN 2022 TOTAL
18-29	19%
30-39	20%
40-49	17%
50-64	25%

65+	19%
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3. Are you registered to vote in <state>?

	JAN 2022 TOTAL
Yes	100%
No	-
Don't know	-

It is fairly normal to miss an election, and we want to get an idea of how frequent that is for some people...

4. [TQ] Did you vote in the 2012 election between Barack Obama and Mitt Romney?

	JAN 2022 TOTAL	DEC 2021 TOTAL	NOV 2021 TOTAL	OCT 2021 TOTAL	SEP 2021 TOTAL
Yes, I voted	83%	79%	82%	81%	84%
No, I did not vote	7%	9%	8%	9%	9%
No, I was not eligible	9%	11%	9%	9%	7%
Don't remember	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%

5. [TQ] Did you vote in the 2016 election between Hillary Clinton and Donald Trump?

	JAN 2022 TOTAL	DEC 2021 TOTAL	NOV 2021 TOTAL	OCT 2021 TOTAL	SEP 2021 TOTAL
Yes, I voted	82%	81%	83%	81%	83%
No, I did not vote	10%	11%	10%	11%	13%
No, I was not eligible	7%	7%	6%	7%	4%
Don't remember	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%

6. [TQ] Did you vote in the 2018 midterm elections in your state for Congress and other state and local races?

	JAN 2022 TOTAL	DEC 2021 TOTAL	NOV 2021 TOTAL	OCT 2021 TOTAL	SEP 2021 TOTAL
Yes, I voted	75%	73%	77%	77%	75%

No, I did not vote	18%	19%	17%	18%	20%
No, I was not eligible	5%	5%	3%	3%	3%
Don't remember	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%

7. [TQ] Did you vote in the 2020 election between Joe Biden and Donald Trump?

	JAN 2022 TOTAL	DEC 2021 TOTAL	NOV 2021 TOTAL	OCT 2021 TOTAL	SEP 2021 TOTAL
Yes, I voted	91%	93%	94%	92%	92%
No, I did not vote	8%	5%	4%	6%	7%
No, I was not eligible	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Don't remember	0%	-	0%	0%	0%

[DISPLAY IF Q7=1]

8. Who did you vote for in 2020?

	JAN 2022 TOTAL	DEC 2021 TOTAL	NOV 2021 TOTAL	OCT 2021 TOTAL	SEP 2021 TOTAL
Donald Trump	9%	9%	8%	10%	7%
Joe Biden	89%	89%	90%	87%	91%
Howie Hawkins	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%
Jo Jorgensen	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
Don't remember	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%

9. Regardless of how you have previously voted, do you think of yourself as a Democrat, a Republican, an Independent, or something else? If you consider yourself a Democrat, would you call yourself a strong Democrat or a not very strong Democrat? If you consider yourself a Republican, would you call yourself a strong Republican or a not very strong Republican? [ONLINE: ONLY SURFACE "DON'T KNOW" IF SKIPPED]

	JAN 2022 TOTAL	DEC 2021 TOTAL	NOV 2021 TOTAL	OCT 2021 TOTAL	SEP 2021 TOTAL
Total Democrat	72%	71%	75%	71%	76%
Total Republican	6%	6%	4%	7%	5%
Total Independent	21%	22%	21%	21%	18%

Strong Democrat	54%	50%	56%	53%	56%
Not strong Democrat	18%	21%	19%	18%	21%
Strong Republican	3%	5%	3%	4%	2%
Not strong Republican	3%	1%	1%	2%	3%
Independent	12%	14%	12%	13%	10%
Independent, lean Democrat	6%	6%	6%	8%	7%
Independent, lean Republican	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%
DK/Other, please specify	1%	1%	-	1%	1%

POLITICAL CLIMATE

10. [SSA] [TQ] Thinking about the direction in which the country is headed, generally speaking, are you very satisfied, satisfied, dissatisfied, or very dissatisfied with the direction in which the country is headed? [ONLINE: ONLY SURFACE “DON’T KNOW” IF SKIPPED]

	JAN 2022 TOTAL	DEC 2021 TOTAL	NOV 2021 TOTAL	OCT 2021 TOTAL	SEP 2021 TOTAL
Total satisfied	61%	61%	64%	66%	76%
Total dissatisfied	39%	39%	36%	34%	24%
Very satisfied	23%	20%	26%	28%	26%
Satisfied	38%	41%	38%	38%	50%
Dissatisfied	29%	27%	26%	24%	19%
Very dissatisfied	10%	12%	10%	10%	5%

11. [SSB] [TQ] Do you APPROVE or DISAPPROVE of the way Joe Biden is handling his job as president of the United States? [ONLINE: ONLY SURFACE “DON’T KNOW” IF SKIPPED]

	JAN 2022 TOTAL	DEC 2021 TOTAL	NOV 2021 TOTAL	OCT 2021 TOTAL	SEP 2021 TOTAL
Total approve	73%	77%	83%	81%	87%
Total disapprove	27%	23%	17%	19%	13%
Strongly approve	33%	30%	37%	37%	42%
Somewhat approve	40%	47%	46%	44%	45%
Somewhat disapprove	16%	15%	11%	13%	8%
Strongly disapprove	10%	8%	6%	6%	5%

12. [SSA] [TQ] Do you APPROVE or DISAPPROVE of the job the Joe Biden is doing in addressing the needs of Black people? [ONLINE: ONLY SURFACE "DON'T KNOW" IF SKIPPED]

	JAN 2022 TOTAL	DEC 2021 TOTAL	NOV 2021 TOTAL	OCT 2021 TOTAL	SEP 2021 TOTAL
Total approve	70%	72%	74%	77%	84%
Total disapprove	30%	28%	26%	23%	12%
Strongly approve	30%	28%	35%	34%	38%
Somewhat approve	39%	44%	40%	43%	46%
Somewhat disapprove	21%	17%	16%	14%	7%
Strongly disapprove	9%	11%	9%	9%	4%

13. [SSA] [TQ] Do you APPROVE or DISAPPROVE of the way that Democrats are handling their job in the United States Congress? [ONLINE: ONLY SURFACE "DON'T KNOW" IF SKIPPED]

	JAN 2022 TOTAL	DEC 2021 TOTAL	NOV 2021 TOTAL	OCT 2021 TOTAL	SEP 2021 TOTAL
Total approve	65%	69%	73%	75%	85%
Total disapprove	35%	31%	27%	25%	15%
Strongly approve	26%	24%	28%	30%	34%
Somewhat approve	39%	45%	44%	45%	51%
Somewhat disapprove	27%	21%	18%	19%	12%
Strongly disapprove	8%	10%	9%	6%	3%

14. [SSB] [TQ] Do you APPROVE or DISAPPROVE of the way that the U.S. Supreme Court is handling their job? [ONLINE: ONLY SURFACE "DON'T KNOW" IF SKIPPED]

	JAN 2022 TOTAL	DEC 2021 TOTAL	NOV 2021 TOTAL	OCT 2021 TOTAL	SEP 2021 TOTAL
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Total approve	57%	57%	60%	NA	NA
Total disapprove	43%	43%	40%	NA	NA
Strongly approve	16%	10%	18%	NA	NA
Somewhat approve	40%	47%	42%	NA	NA
Somewhat disapprove	31%	30%	29%	NA	NA
Strongly disapprove	12%	13%	11%	NA	NA
Don't know	-	-	-	NA	NA

15. [TQ] I know it is a long way away, but how likely are you to vote in the 2022 elections for governor, members of Congress, and other state and local offices? Please rate on a scale of 0 to 10, where “10” means you will definitely vote, “5” means there is a 50/50 likelihood you will vote, and “0” means you will definitely not vote. You can choose any number from 0-10. _____

	JAN 2022 TOTAL	DEC 2021 TOTAL	NOV 2021 TOTAL	OCT 2021 TOTAL	SEP 2021 TOTAL
Total likely (6-10)	79%	83%	84%	84%	86%
Total unlikely (0-4)	4%	16%	2%	4%	4%
Extremely likely (8-10)	73%	76%	78%	76%	80%
Somewhat likely (6-7)	6%	6%	6%	8%	6%
Neutral (5)	18%	14%	13%	13%	10%
Not very likely (3-4)	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%
Not likely at all (0-2)	2%	1%	1%	2%	3%
Don't know	-	-	-	-	-
Mean	8.4	8.7	8.7	8.6	8.8

16. Thinking about the upcoming 2022 midterm election in November for members of Congress. If the election were being held today, would you vote for the [ROTATE] _Republican candidate, _Democratic candidate or_ the 3rd party candidate for Congress?

	JAN 2022 TOTAL
Democratic Candidate	71%
Republican Candidate	7%
3 rd Party Candidate	3%
Undecided	15%
Would Not Vote	1%
Don't know	3%

17. [TQ] [SSA] What issues should President Biden's top priority be to improve your community? Please select top 3. [ROTATE]

	JAN 2022 TOTAL	DEC 2021 TOTAL	NOV 2021 TOTAL	OCT 2021 TOTAL	SEP 2021 TOTAL
COVID-19 economic recovery	40%	35%	37%	39%	43%
The spread of COVID-19	34%	32%	NA	NA	NA
Inflation or cost of living	28%	24%	33%	28%	31%
Job opportunities and increasing wages	27%	34%	35%	31%	30%
Reducing racism and discrimination	24%	28%	27%	27%	28%
Health care	24%	24%	25%	23%	24%
Crime and violence	22%	20%	24%	21%	25%
Voting rights	22%	15%	14%	16%	19%
Student loan debt	17%	17%	13%	11%	13%
Climate change	13%	14%	14%	15%	15%
Criminal justice reform	12%	16%	13%	12%	14%
Mental health care	9%	12%	12%	12%	7%
Immigration	7%	11%	10%	12%	6%

18. [TQ] [SSB] What do you think the president's top priorities have been? Please select top 3. [ROTATE RESPONSES]

	JAN 2022 TOTAL	DEC 2021 TOTAL	NOV 2021 TOTAL	OCT 2021 TOTAL	SEP 2021 TOTAL
COVID-19 economic recovery	55%	61%	61%	57%	61%
The spread of COVID-19	53%	58%	NA	NA	NA
Job opportunities and increasing wages	27%	NA	28%	31%	33%

Voting rights	21%	8%	12%	9%	11%
Health care	20%	24%	22%	22%	19%
Inflation or cost of living	19%	25%	NA	NA	NA
Crime and violence	16%	16%	10%	13%	12%
Reducing racism and discrimination	14%	17%	17%	15%	15%
Student loan debt	13%	13%	11%	12%	13%
Climate change	12%	21%	16%	18%	17%
Immigration	10%	16%	14%	17%	14%
Criminal justice reform	10%	9%	7%	7%	8%
Mental health care	8%	7%	4%	5%	3%

19. Now, rate your feelings toward some people, organizations, and issues using a scale from zero to ten where “10” means that you feel VERY WARM and FAVORABLE towards them, a “0” means that you feel VERY COLD and UNFAVORABLE, and a “5” means that you do not feel particularly warm or cold. You may use any number from zero to ten depending on how you feel. If you have no opinion or have never heard of a person or organization, or issue, please say so. **[IF “NO OPINION” OR “DON’T KNOW,” RECORD AS 101. IF “NEVER HEARD OF,” RECORD AS 102.] [ROTATE RESPONSES]**

	JAN 2022 MEAN	DEC 2021 MEAN	NOV 2021 MEAN	OCT 2021 MEAN	SEP 2021 MEAN
[SSA] Barack Obama	8.7	8.6	8.5	8.6	8.7
[SSB] Black Lives Matter	8.2	8.1	8.2	8.1	8.0
[SSB] The Democratic Party	7.2	7.2	7.4	7.2	7.4
Joe Biden	7.2	7.1	7.3	7.4	7.7
Kamala Harris	7.0	6.9	7.3	7.2	7.5
Critical Race Theory	6.4	6.4	6.5	6.0	NA

Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez	6.1	NA	NA	NA	NA
The Supreme Court	5.5	5.2	5.3	5.3	5.8
Defund the Police	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	4.9
Police	5.0	4.8	4.6	4.6	NA
[SSA] The Republican Party	2.9	2.4	2.7	2.8	2.5
Donald Trump	2.2	1.9	1.8	2.1	NA

JAN 2022 TOTAL	MEAN	FAV (6-10)	UNFAV (0-5)	NVR HRD/ NO OPN/ DK
[SSA] Barack Obama	8.7	86%	11%	3%
[SSB] Black Lives Matter	8.2	79%	17%	4%
[SSB] The Democratic Party	7.2	70%	25%	5%
Joe Biden	7.2	72%	26%	3%
Kamala Harris	7.0	68%	27%	5%
Critical Race Theory	6.4	49%	30%	22%
Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez	6.1	40%	29%	31%
The Supreme Court	5.5	44%	48%	8%
Defund the Police	5.1	40%	49%	11%
Police	5.0	40%	55%	5%
[SSA] The Republican Party	2.9	20%	75%	6%
Donald Trump	2.2	17%	79%	4%

20. [TQ] Has your life gotten better, worse, or stayed the same since Joe Biden became president?

	JAN 2022 TOTAL	DEC 2021 TOTAL	NOV 2021 TOTAL	OCT 2021 TOTAL	SEP 2021 TOTAL
Total better	41%	39%	45%	48%	49%
Total worse	16%	14%	12%	11%	6%
Much better	14%	11%	15%	19%	16%
Somewhat better	27%	28%	30%	29%	33%
Stayed the same	43%	47%	44%	41%	45%
Somewhat worse	12%	11%	8%	7%	5%
Much worse	4%	3%	4%	4%	1%

[DISPLAY IF Q20 = MUCH BETTER OR SOMEWHAT BETTER]

21. What has Joe Biden done that has improved your life? Please select the top 2.

	JAN 2022 TOTAL	DEC 2021 TOTAL	NOV 2021 TOTAL	OCT 2021 TOTAL	SEP 2021 TOTAL
Stimulus checks to help people through the recession	40%	45%	49%	44%	45%
Distributed COVID vaccines to majority of Americans	26%	22%	27%	27%	29%
Restored respect and dignity to the Presidency	20%	17%	19%	17%	21%
Child tax credit to every household with a combined income less than \$150,000 a year	15%	20%	17%	20%	13%
COVID relief for businesses to stimulate the economic recovery	14%	11%	12%	14%	13%
Pausing payments on student loans	14%	NA	NA	NA	NA
Strengthening accessibility to health care through Affordable Care Act	12%	8%	9%	11%	9%
Passed an infrastructure bill that will help create 19 million jobs and invest \$1 billion to improve racial disparities	11%	17%	11%	12%	16%
Expanded unemployment benefits during the pandemic	11%	11%	14%	13%	11%

Created 5.6 million new jobs, more than any other President in their first year	10%	10%	NA	NA	NA
Established the Racial Justice Task Force to reverse injustice in every Federal government agency	9%	6%	7%	8%	8%
Eviction moratorium to prevent evictions during the pandemic	7%	8%	8%	7%	8%



22. [TQ] [SSA] No matter how frequently you vote in elections, how much power do you feel that your vote has to make change on issues that are important to you? Please rate the amount of power you feel your vote has on a scale of 0-10, where “0” means your vote has no power at all, and a “10” means that your vote has a lot of power to make change on issues that matter to you. _____.

	JAN 2022 TOTAL	DEC 2021 TOTAL	NOV 2021 TOTAL	OCT 2021 TOTAL	SEP 2021 TOTAL
Total powerful (6-10)	63%	66%	66%	64%	71%
Total not powerful (0-5)	33%	31%	31%	36%	27%
Extremely powerful (8-10)	43%	42%	43%	42%	49%
Somewhat powerful (6-7)	21%	24%	23%	21%	21%
Not very powerful (3-5)	25%	22%	22%	25%	19%
Not powerful at all (0-2)	7%	9%	9%	11%	8%
Don't know	4%	3%	4%	1%	3%
Mean	6.8	6.7	6.8	6.5	7.0

23. No matter how frequently you vote in elections, how much power do you feel that the Black community has to make change on issues that are important in their community? Please rate the amount of power you feel your community has on a scale of 0 to 10, where a “0” means your community has no power at all, and a “10” means that the Black community has a lot of power to make change on issues in their community. _____

*Data omitted for Black Track subscriber specific questions only.

	JAN 2022 TOTAL	DEC 2021 TOTAL	NOV 2021 TOTAL	OCT 2021 TOTAL	SEP 2021 TOTAL
Total powerful (6-10)	-	-	-	-	-
Total not powerful (0-4)	-	-	-	-	-
Extremely powerful (8-10)	-	-	-	-	-
Somewhat powerful (6-7)	-	-	-	-	-
Not very powerful (3-5)	-	-	-	-	-
Not powerful at all (0-2)	-	-	-	-	-
Don't know	-	-	-	-	-
Mean	-	-	-	-	-

24. [SSA] [TQ] Do you [ROTATE] AGREE or DISAGREE with the following statement:
The Democratic Party takes Black voters for granted. [ONLINE: ONLY SURFACE “DON’T KNOW” IF SKIPPED]

	JAN 2022 TOTAL	DEC 2021 TOTAL	NOV 2021 TOTAL	OCT 2021 TOTAL	SEP 2021 TOTAL
Total agree	52%	50%	58%	56%	55%
Total disagree	38%	38%	42%	44%	45%
Strongly agree	23%	21%	23%	25%	20%
Agree	29%	29%	35%	31%	34%
Disagree	25%	24%	31%	31%	32%
Strongly disagree	13%	14%	12%	13%	13%
Don't know	10%	12%	0%	-	0%

25. [SSB] [TQ] Do you [ROTATE] AGREE or DISAGREE with the following statement:
The Democratic Party is making progress on issues affecting Black voters. [ONLINE: ONLY SURFACE “DON’T KNOW” IF SKIPPED]

	JAN 2022 TOTAL	DEC 2021 TOTAL
Total agree	60%	55%
Total disagree	26%	30%
Strongly agree	18%	16%
Agree	42%	40%
Disagree	17%	21%
Strongly disagree	9%	9%
Don't know	14%	14%

26. How much impact, if any, can each of these actions have on making change in your community?

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JAN 2022 TOTAL	TOTAL IMPACT	TOTAL NO IMPACT	GREAT IMPACT	FAIR IMPACT	LITTLE IMPACT	NO IMPACT
Voting	85%	15%	56%	29%	11%	4%
-	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Volunteering for a political or policy cause	65%	35%	23%	42%	24%	11%
Attending a political protest, march or demonstration	66%	34%	25%	40%	23%	11%
Contacting a public official	64%	36%	22%	42%	25%	11%
Talking about politics with friends/family	56%	44%	22%	34%	30%	13%
Giving money to a political or policy cause	57%	43%	19%	38%	29%	14%
Sharing a post about politics via social media	55%	45%	20%	35%	31%	14%

27. [SSA] Thinking about a candidate running for office, does hearing that they are actively combating racism and discrimination make you [ROTATE] MORE or LESS likely to vote for them, or does that have no impact on your vote at all?

	JAN 2022 TOTAL
Total more likely	70%
Total less likely	10%
Much more likely	37%
Somewhat more likely	33%
No impact on my vote	20%
Somewhat less likely	6%
Much less likely	4%

28. [SSB] Which of the two types of candidates below are you more likely to vote for?

	JAN 2022 TOTAL
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A candidate who is vocal about combatting racism and discrimination as a top priority	70%
A candidate who acknowledges discrimination exists, but it's more important to prioritize other issues	30%

VOTING RIGHTS

29. [TQ] [SSA] Do you [ROTATE] APPROVE or DISAPPROVE of the job the Biden Administration is doing to protect voting rights for Black voters in the U.S.?

	JAN 2022 TOTAL	DEC 2021 TOTAL	NOV 2021 TOTAL	OCT 2021 TOTAL	SEP 2021 TOTAL
Total approve	70%	70%	78%	78%	84%
Total disapprove	30%	30%	22%	22%	16%
Strongly approve	23%	19%	26%	28%	24%
Somewhat approve	47%	51%	52%	50%	60%

Somewhat disapprove	21%	23%	15%	16%	12%
Strongly disapprove	9%	7%	7%	6%	4%
Don't know	-	-	-	-	-

30. [SSB] Do you [ROTATE] APPROVE or DISAPPROVE of the job Democrats in Congress are doing to protect voting rights for Black voters in the U.S.?

JAN 2022 TOTAL	
Total approve	73%
Total disapprove	27%
Strongly approve	24%
Somewhat approve	49%
Somewhat disapprove	18%
Strongly disapprove	9%
Don't know	-

31. How much have you read, seen, or heard about the Freedom to Vote Act?

JAN 2022 TOTAL	
A lot	20%
Some	39%
A little	28%
None	13%

32. [SSA] The Freedom to Vote Act is a proposed law that would create national standards to provide equal access to voting, ensure congressional districts are drawn to give fair representation to all, and guarantee all votes are counted accurately by nonpartisan local election officials. Do you support or oppose the Freedom to Vote Act?

JAN 2022 TOTAL	
Total support	83%
Total oppose	11%
Strongly support	58%
Somewhat support	25%
Somewhat oppose	8%
Strongly oppose	3%
Don't know	6%

33. [SSB] If Democrats in Congress are able to pass the Freedom to Vote Act to protect the right to vote for Black voters across the country no matter what state you live in, will it make you [ROTATE] MORE or LESS likely to vote in the upcoming midterm elections this November or will it not impact your decision to vote?

	JAN 2022 TOTAL
Total more likely	56%
Total less likely	9%
Much more likely	36%
Somewhat more likely	20%
No impact on my vote	35%
Somewhat less likely	6%
Much less likely	3%



ECONOMY

Now we're going to talk about cost of living and the economy.

34. [QTQ] [SSA] In the next year, do you think the economy is going to get better, worse, or stay about the same?

	JAN 2022 TOTAL
Get better	34%
Stay about the same	36%
Get worse	30%

35. [QTQ] [SSB] In the next year, do you think your personal finances are going to get better, worse, or stay about the same?

	JAN 2022 TOTAL
Get better	50%
Stay about the same	39%
Get worse	11%

37. [QTQ] [SSA] In the last three months, did you or someone in your household skip paying a bill or paid a bill late due to not having enough money? [ONLINE: ONLY SURFACE "DON'T KNOW" IF SKIPPED]

	JAN 2022 TOTAL
Yes	51%
No	49%
Don't know	-

38. [QTQ] [SSB] In the last three months, have you had enough money to buy food for your household? [ONLINE: ONLY SURFACE "DON'T KNOW" IF SKIPPED]

	JAN 2022 TOTAL
Yes	72%
No	28%
Don't know	-

39. [QTQ] [SSA] In the last three months, were you or anyone in your household foreclosed or evicted from your home? [ONLINE: ONLY SURFACE “DON’T KNOW” IF SKIPPED]

	JAN 2022 TOTAL
Yes	14%
No	86%
Don't know	-

40. [QTQ] [SSB] In the last three months, did you or someone in your household not pay the full amount of the rent or mortgage because you could not afford it? [ONLINE: ONLY SURFACE “DON’T KNOW” IF SKIPPED]

	JAN 2022 TOTAL
Yes	35%
No	65%
Don't know	-

CRITICAL RACE THEORY

*Questions 41 – Omitted for Black Track subscriber specific questions only.



COVID-19 VACCINE

Next, we'd like for you to answer some questions about the COVID-19 vaccine.

45. Have you personally received the COVID-19 vaccine?

	JAN 2022 TOTAL	DEC 2021 TOTAL	NOV 2021 TOTAL	OCT 2021 TOTAL	SEPT 2021 TOTAL
Yes, got a one-dose vaccine	10%	10%	11%	12%	11%
Yes, got first dose of a two-dose vaccine	9%	9%	8%	11%	7%
Yes, got both doses of a two-dose vaccine	55%	56%	52%	48%	53%
No, have not gotten the vaccine	26%	26%	29%	29%	29%

[DISPLAY IF Q45 = UNVACCINATED]

46. As you may know, an FDA-authorized vaccine for COVID-19 is now available for free to all adults in the U.S. Do you think you will...? (KFF June 2021)

	JAN 2022 AMONG NOT VAXED	DEC 2021 AMONG NOT VAXED	NOV 2021 AMONG NOT VAXED	OCT 2021 AMONG NOT VAXED	SEPT 2021 AMONG NOT VAXED
Get the vaccine as soon as you can	11%	9%	13%	17%	20%
Wait until it has been available for a while to see how it is working for other people	17%	24%	24%	25%	29%
Only get the vaccine if you are required to do so for work, school, or other activities	17%	18%	13%	15%	14%
Definitely NOT get the vaccine	56%	50%	50%	43%	38%

VACCINE STATUS – Combination of Q45 and Q46

	JAN 2022 TOTAL	DEC 2021 TOTAL	NOV 2021 TOTAL	OCT 2021 TOTAL	SEPT 2021 TOTAL
VACCINATED: Received at least one dose	74%	74%	71%	71%	71%
REFUSALS: Will NOT get the vaccine	14%	13%	15%	13%	11%
HESITANT: Not vaccinated, will wait until vaccine has been available for a while	4%	6%	4%	7%	8%
MANDATE ONLY: Not vaccinated, will vaccinate if required to do so for work, school, or other activities	4%	5%	4%	4%	4%
INDIFFERENT: Not vaccinated, will get the vaccine as soon as you can	3%	2%	7%	5%	6%

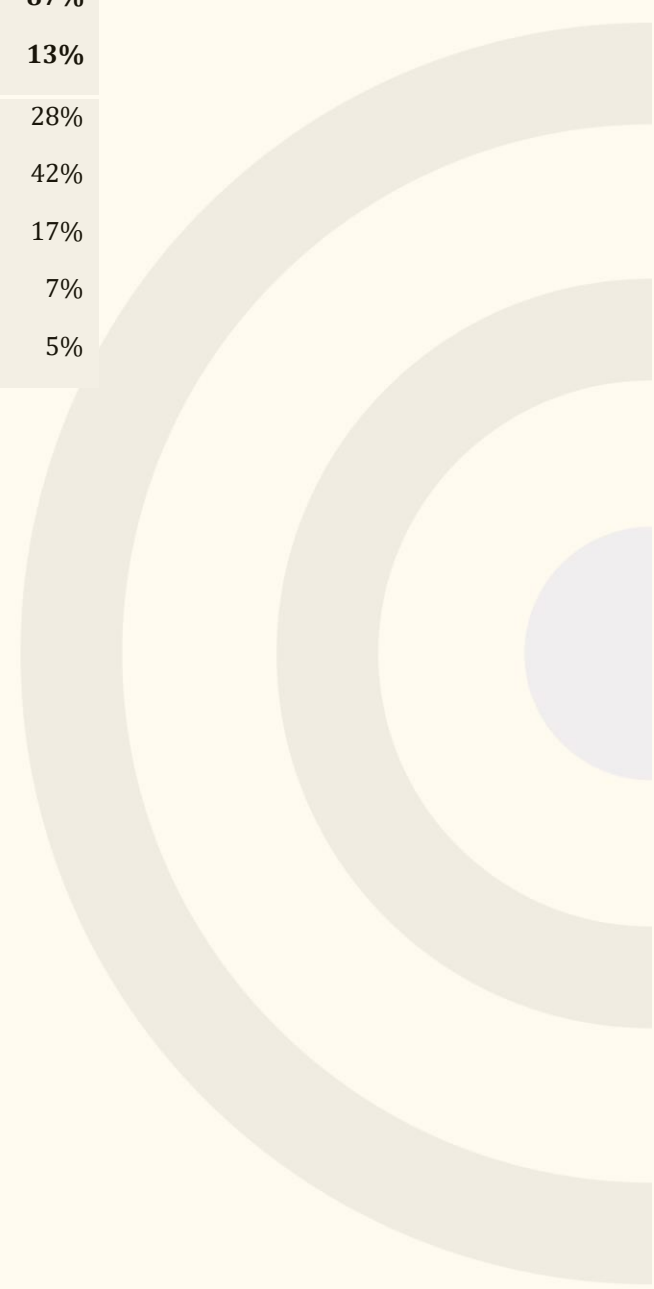
[ASKED OF ALL RESPONDENTS]

47. [TQ] [SSA] Which comes closer to your view: getting vaccinated against COVID-19 is a personal choice OR getting vaccinated is part of everyone's responsibility to protect the health of others, both or neither?

	JAN 2022 TOTAL	DEC 2021 TOTAL	NOV 2021 TOTAL	OCT 2021 TOTAL	SEPT 2021 TOTAL
Personal choice	36%	34%	38%	36%	27%
Everyone's responsibility	34%	33%	29%	33%	39%
Both	28%	29%	31%	28%	33%
Neither	3%	4%	2%	3%	1%

48. [TQ] [IF Q45 = VACCINATED] Now that all adults have been approved for the booster shot, how likely are you to get the booster shot?

	JAN 2022 AMONG VAXED	DEC 2021 AMONG VAXED
Already received/Total likely	89%	87%
Total Unlikely	11%	13%
I have already received my booster	43%	28%
Very likely	28%	42%
Somewhat likely	18%	17%
Somewhat unlikely	6%	7%
Very unlikely	4%	5%



49. Do you have children between the ages of 5 and 18?

	JAN 2022 TOTAL	DEC 2021 TOTAL
Yes	34%	30%
No	66%	70%

50. [DISPLAY IF Q49 = YES] Has your child(ren) between the ages of 5 and 18 received the COVID-19 vaccine?

	JAN 2022 TOTAL	DEC 2021 TOTAL
Yes, I have already vaccinated my child(ren)	45%	38%
No, but I plan on vaccinating my child(ren)	24%	31%
No, I do not support vaccinating my children	32%	30%

51. How much have you personally returned to activities that you engaged in before the pandemic? Would you say you've basically returned to normal, are doing some but not all of the activities you did before the pandemic, or you are doing very few of the activities you did before the pandemic?

	JAN 2022 TOTAL
Basically returned to normal	22%
Doing very few of the activities you did before the pandemic	68%
Never changed activity level during the pandemic	11%

CLIENT QUESTIONS

*Questions 52 – 57 Omitted for Black Track subscriber specific questions only.

POLITICAL ATTITUDES

Switching topics a bit, we're going to ask you your opinion on some general political topics.

57. [SSA] Do you think abortions should be legal under any circumstances, legal only under certain circumstances or illegal in all circumstances? [ONLINE: ONLY SURFACE "DON'T KNOW" IF SKIPPED]

	JAN 2022 TOTAL	DEC 2021 TOTAL	NOV 2021 TOTAL	OCT 2021 TOTAL	SEP 2021 TOTAL
Legal under any circumstances	46%	52%	49%	55%	50%
Legal under only certain circumstances	43%	36%	40%	34%	40%
Illegal in all circumstances	11%	12%	12%	11%	10%
Don't know	-	-	-	-	-

58. [SSB] In your view, should immigration be kept at its present level, increased or decreased? [ONLINE: ONLY SURFACE "DON'T KNOW" IF SKIPPED]

	JAN 2022 TOTAL	DEC 2021 TOTAL	NOV 2021 TOTAL	OCT 2021 TOTAL	SEP 2021 TOTAL
Present level	45%	49%	48%	49%	52%
Increased	32%	25%	29%	31%	26%
Decreased	23%	26%	23%	20%	22%
Don't know	-	-	-	-	-

59. [SSA] Do you think marriage between same-sex couples should or should not be recognized by the law as valid, with the same rights as traditional marriages? [ONLINE: ONLY SURFACE "DON'T KNOW" IF SKIPPED]

	JAN 2022 TOTAL	DEC 2021 TOTAL	NOV 2021 TOTAL	OCT 2021 TOTAL	SEP 2021 TOTAL
Should be valid	63%	67%	67%	72%	70%
Should not be valid	37%	33%	33%	28%	30%
Don't know	-	-	-	-	-

60. [SSB] Now thinking specifically about the relationship between the police and your community, in your opinion, is this relationship with the police and your community getting worse, staying about the same as it has been, or getting better? [ONLINE: ONLY SURFACE "DON'T KNOW" IF SKIPPED]

	JAN 2022 TOTAL	DEC 2021 TOTAL	NOV 2021 TOTAL	OCT 2021 TOTAL	SEP 2021 TOTAL
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Getting worse	28%	32%	32%	32%	27%
Staying the same	63%	58%	60%	59%	64%
Getting better	10%	9%	8%	9%	9%
Don't know	-	-	-	-	-



DEMOGRAPHICS

The last few questions are for statistical purposes only.

61. Do you think of yourself as...?

	JAN 2022 TOTAL
Male	42%
Female	57%
Transgender man/trans man/female-to-male (FTM)	1%
Transgender woman/trans woman/male-to-female (MTF)	0%
Transgender AND gender nonconforming	-
Genderqueer/gender nonconforming neither exclusively male nor female	0%
Additional gender category (or other); please specify	-
Refused	-

62. Do you think of yourself as...?

	JAN 2022 TOTAL
Straight or heterosexual	88%
Lesbian or gay	3%
Bisexual	5%
Queer, pansexual, and/or questioning	1%
Other, please specify	0%
Don't know	0%
Refused	2%



63. Thinking about your approach to political issues, would you describe yourself as very progressive, somewhat progressive, moderate, somewhat conservative, or very conservative?

JAN 2022 TOTAL	
Total progressive	40%
Moderate	43%
Total conservative	15%
Very progressive	19%
Somewhat progressive	21%
Moderate	43%
Somewhat conservative	9%
Very conservative	5%
Refused	2%

64. Including everyone who lives in your household, in which range does your total household yearly income fall?

JAN 2022 TOTAL	
Under \$10,000	13%
\$10,000 to \$30,000	25%
\$30,000 to \$50,000	21%
\$50,000 to \$75,000	18%
\$75,000 to \$100,000	11%
\$100,000 to \$250,000	8%
More than \$250,000	2%
Don't know/Refused	3%

65. What is the last year of schooling that you have completed?

JAN 2022 TOTAL	
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College	69%
Non-college	32%
1-11 th grade	4%
High school graduate	28%
Some college – up to 2 years/ AA degree	37%
College graduate/ Bachelors degree/ BA/ BS	22%
Postgraduate degree	10%
Refused	0%

66. [If Q66 = COLLEGE OR POSTGRAD] And did you attend an HBCU or Historically Black College or University?

	JAN 2022 TOTAL
Yes	33%
No	67%
Refused	1%

67. Are you married, unmarried living with a partner, single, separated, divorced or widowed?

	JAN 2022 TOTAL
Married	27%
Unmarried with partner	10%
Single	45%
Separated/divorced	13%
Widowed	5%
Refused	1%

68. Do you have any children 18 years of age or younger living in your household?

	JAN 2022 TOTAL
Yes	37%

No	63%
Refused	-

69. Which one of the following best describes your work situation — are you employed, retired, disabled, unemployed, a student, or a homemaker?

	JAN 2022 TOTAL
Employed full-time	41%
Employed part-time	14%
Retired	16%
Disabled	7%
Unemployed	10%
Unemployed as a result of COVID-19	4%
Student	3%
Homemaker	5%
Refused	1%

70. Do you live in a...?

	JAN 2022 TOTAL
Big city	33%
Small city	17%
Suburb	32%
Small town	7%
Rural area	10%
Don't know	1%

71. Keeping in mind this is a confidential survey, were you born in the United States or another country?

	JAN 2022 TOTAL
I was born in the United States	96%
I was born in another country	4%
Don't know/Refused	-

72. Were your parents born in the United States or another country?

	JAN 2022 TOTAL
Both were born in the United States	91%
One was born in another country	4%
Both were born in another country	5%
Don't know/Refused	1%

73. Do you or does anyone in your household own a gun? [ONLINE: ONLY SURFACE "DON'T KNOW" IF SKIPPED]

	JAN 2022 TOTAL	DEC 2021 TOTAL	NOV 2021 TOTAL	OCT 2021 TOTAL	SEP 2021 TOTAL
Yes, I own a gun	19%	19%	19%	21%	16%
Yes, someone in my household owns a gun	11%	11%	9%	13%	10%
No, no one in my household owns a gun	70%	70%	72%	66%	75%
Don't know	-	-	-	-	-

74. [RLGN] People practice their religion in different ways. Outside of attending religious services, how often do you pray?

	JAN 2022 TOTAL	DEC 2021 TOTAL	NOV 2021 TOTAL	OCT 2021 TOTAL	SEP 2021 TOTAL
Several times a day	44%	39%	39%	36%	37%
Once a day	18%	18%	18%	18%	17%
A few times a week	14%	14%	17%	19%	15%
A few times a month	6%	8%	7%	6%	8%
Seldom	10%	11%	11%	12%	13%
Never	8%	10%	9%	9%	9%

75. [RLGN] What is your religion? [ONLINE ONLY SURFACE REFUSED IF QUESTION SKIPPED]

	JAN 2022 TOTAL	DEC 2021 TOTAL	NOV 2021 TOTAL	OCT 2021 TOTAL	SEP 2021 TOTAL
Christian	72%	66%	69%	68%	70%
African-Centered Religion	3%	5%	5%	4%	5%
Jewish	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Muslim	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%
Mormon, Latter Day Saints (LDS)	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Other, please specify	8%	10%	7%	0%	7%
None	13%	17%	17%	18%	17%
Refused	-	-	-	-	-

76. [RLGN] [If Q76= CHRISTIAN] What denomination do you identify with? [ONLINE ONLY SURFACE REFUSED IF QUESTION SKIPPED]

	JAN 2022 TOTAL	DEC 2021 TOTAL	NOV 2021 TOTAL	OCT 2021 TOTAL	SEP 2021 TOTAL
Mainline protestant (Disciples of Christ, Episcopal Church, Lutheran, Presbyterian, Reformed Church in America, United Church of Christ, and Methodist)	13%	13%	15%	15%	16%
Evangelical Protestant (including Pentecostal, Missionary Baptist, Full Gospel Baptist, Southern Baptist)	37%	37%	35%	37%	35%
Unity	1%	2%	2%	3%	1%
Unitarian Universalist	1%	1%	-	0%	1%
Church of God in Christ	15%	14%	17%	17%	14%
Quaker	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%

Catholic	6%	8%	6%	8%	8%
Non-denominational	21%	20%	20%	17%	19%
Other, please specify	4%	7%	5%	4%	6%
Refused	-	-	-	-	-

THIS COMPLETES OUR SURVEY. THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR YOUR TIME, AND HAVE A PLEASANT (DAY/EVENING)

