

Table 3.91

Respondents reporting whether drinking has ever been a source of family trouble

By demographic characteristics, United States, 1996

Question: "Has drinking ever been a cause of trouble in your family?"

	Yes	No
National	23%	77%
Sex		
Male	23	77
Female	24	76
Race		
White	23	77
Nonwhite ^a	22	78
Black	24	76
Age		
18 to 29 years	17	83
30 to 49 years	27	73
50 to 64 years	24	76
50 years and older	23	77
65 years and older	21	79
Education		
College post graduate	19	81
College graduate	19	81
Some college	29	71
No college	22	76
Income		
\$75,000 and over	24	76
\$50,000 and over	19	81
\$30,000 to \$49,999	26	74
\$20,000 to \$29,999	23	77
Under \$20,000	25	74
Community		
Urban area	26	74
Suburban area	21	79
Rural area	24	75
Region		
East	23	77
Midwest	22	78
South	25	75
West	22	78
Politics		
Republican	21	79
Democrat	25	75
Independent	23	77

Note: The "don't know/refused" category has been omitted; therefore percents may not sum to 100. For a discussion of public opinion survey sampling procedures, see Appendix 6.

^aIncludes black respondents.

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