

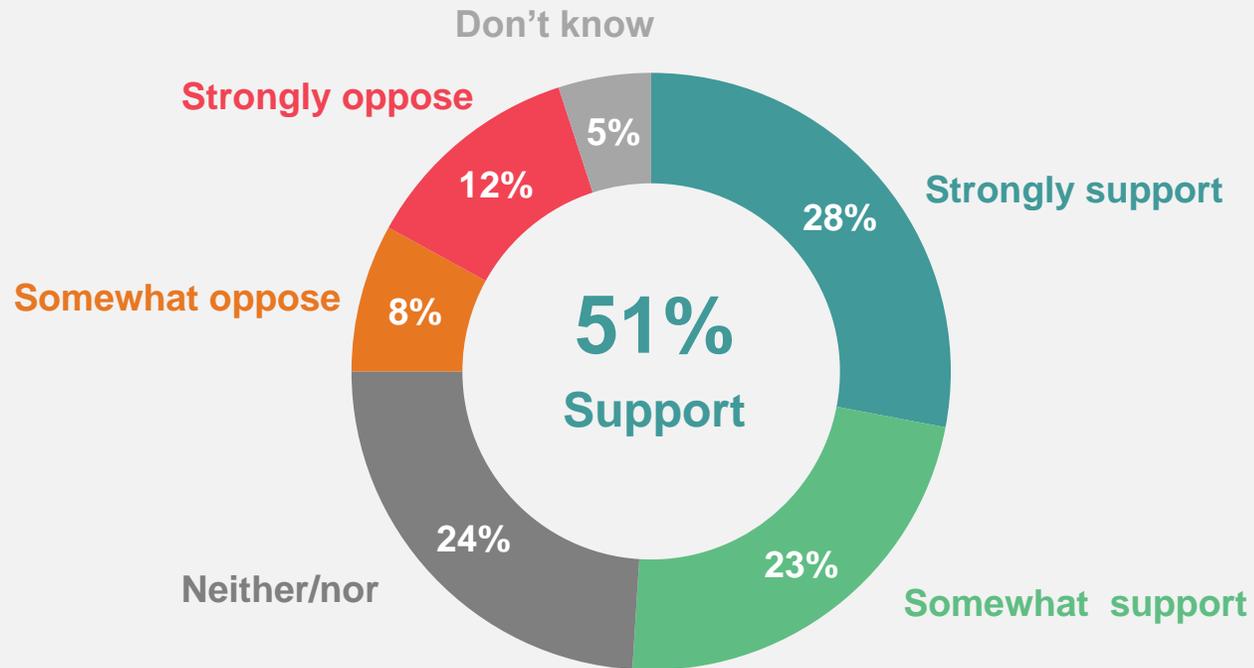
Attitudes to racism in Britain

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Half of Brits support the Black Lives Matter movement

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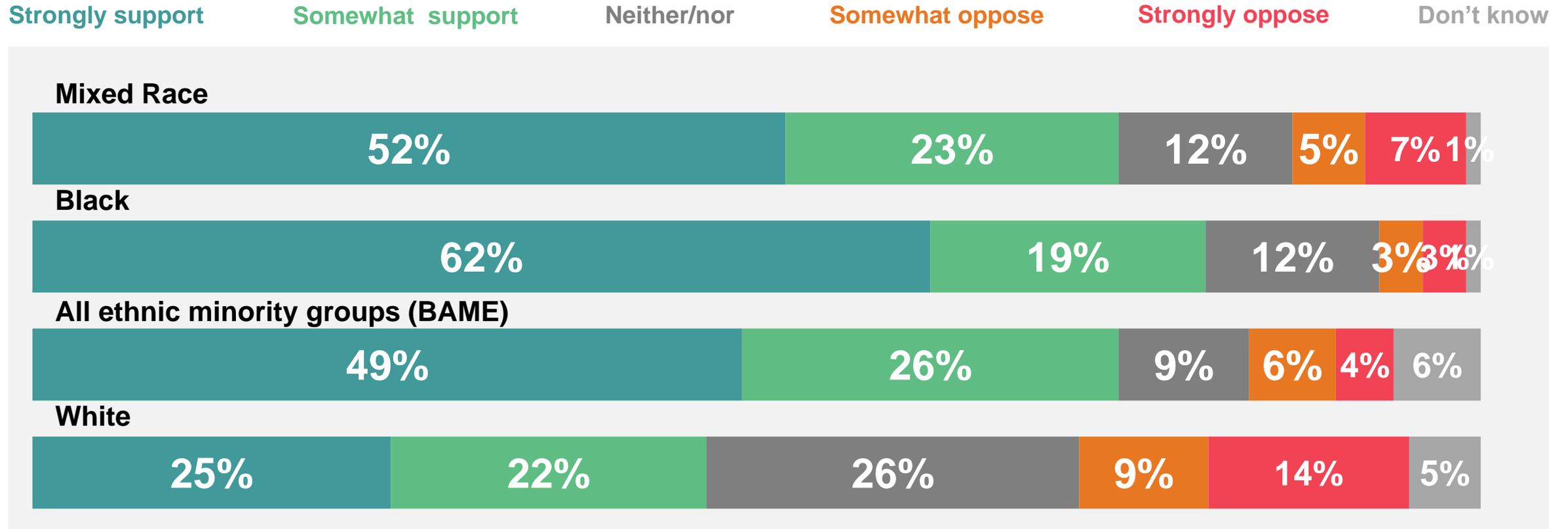


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Support for the Black Lives Matter movement by ethnicity

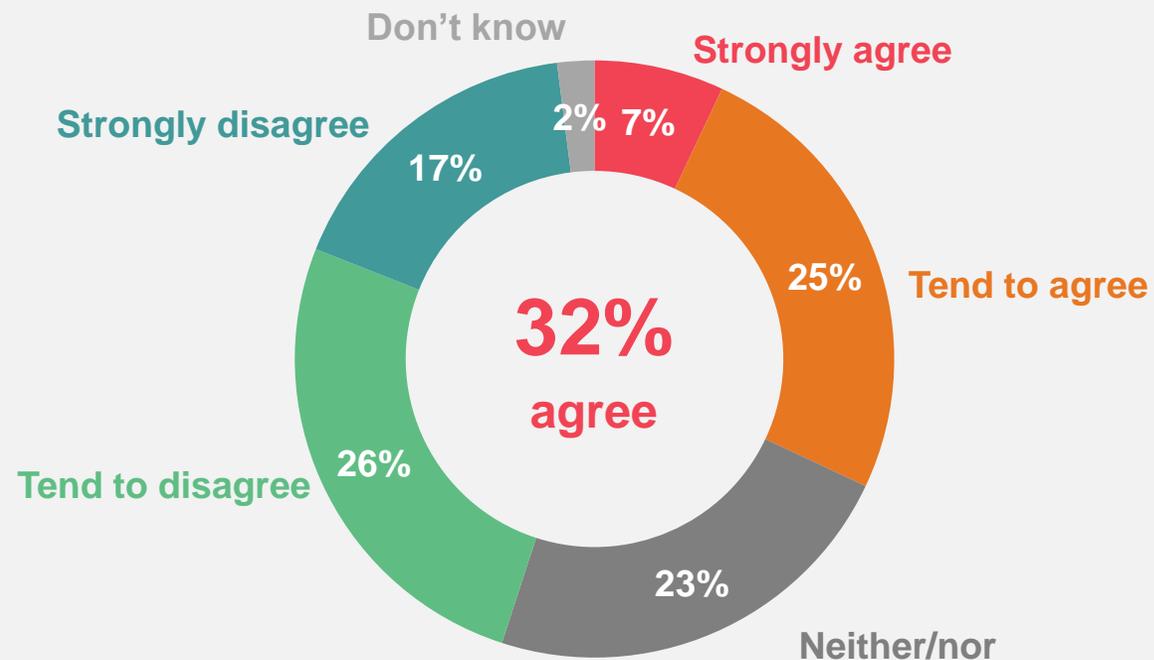
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Three in 10 agree that Britain is a racist country while four in ten disagree

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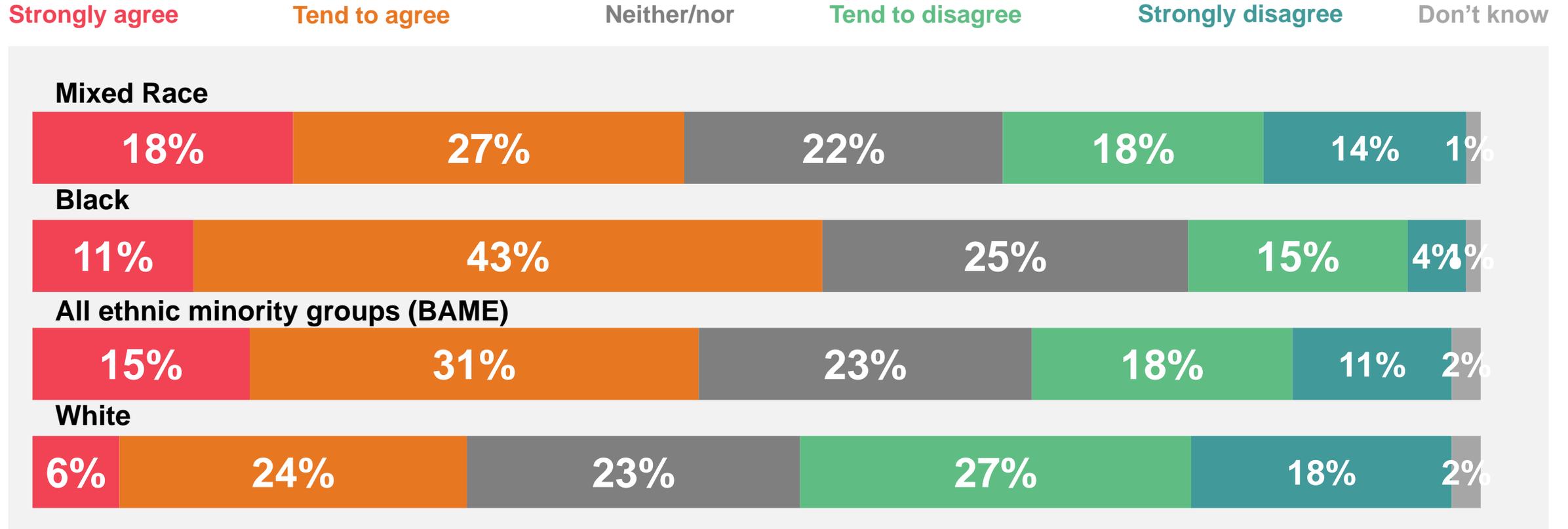


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Views on Britain being a racist country by ethnicity

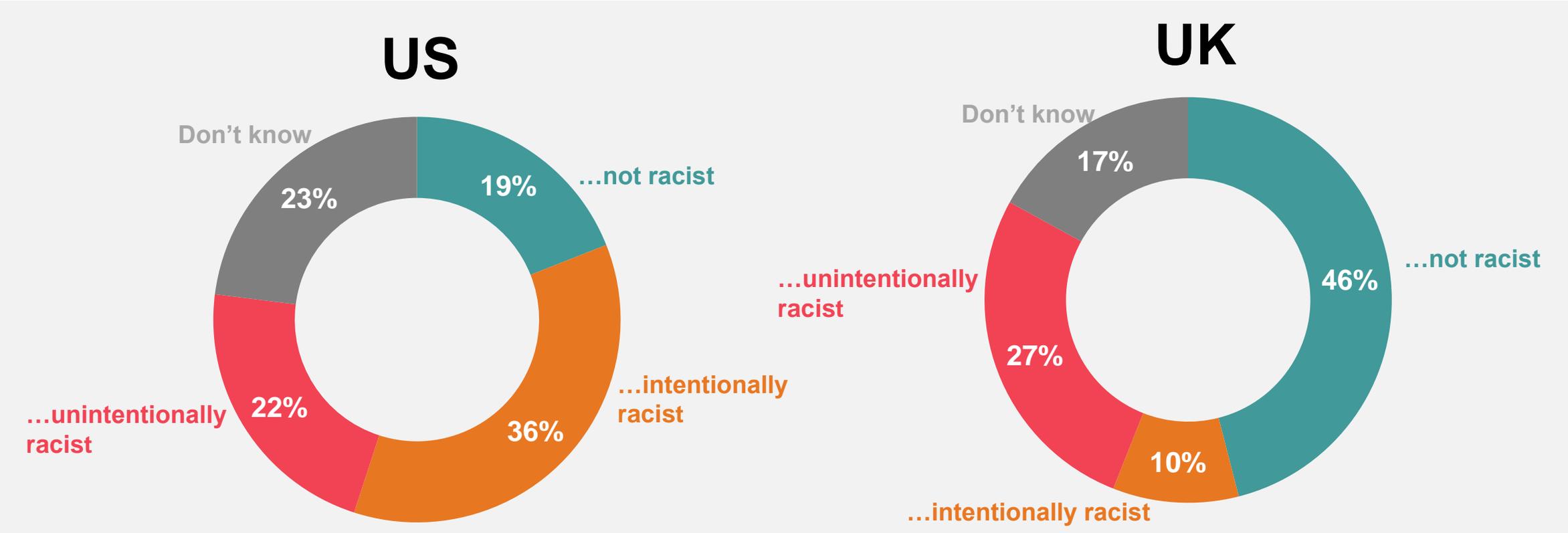
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Brits think UK police officers are much less racist than those in US

Q. On the whole, do you think most US/UK police officers are...?



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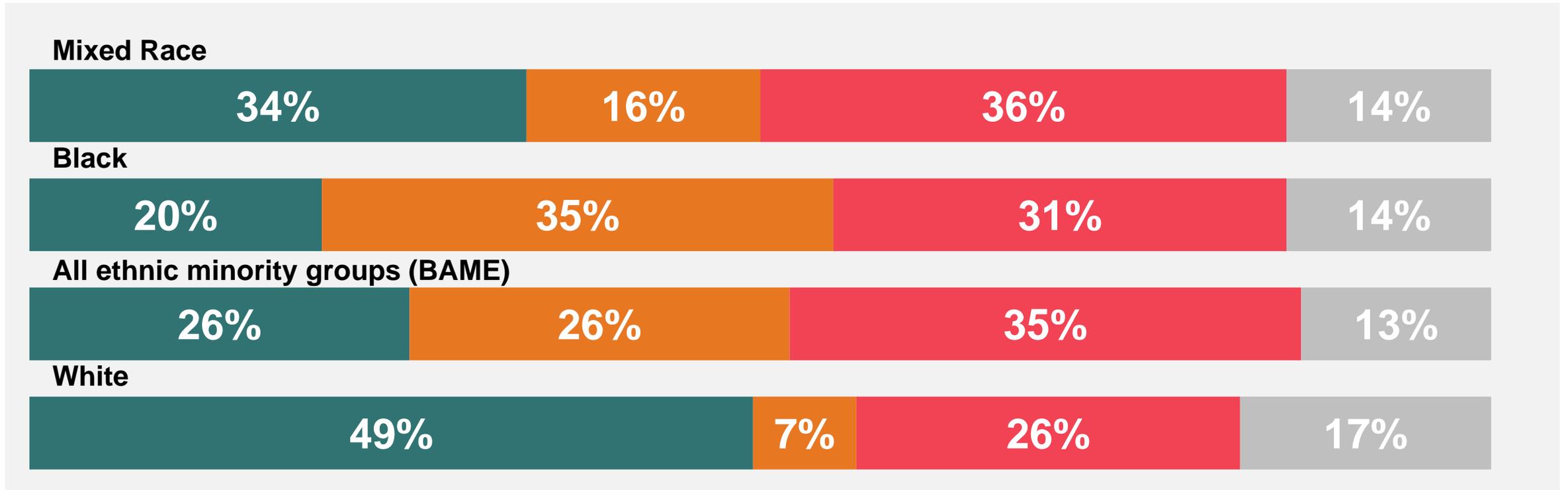
Q. On the whole, do you think most UK police officers are...?

...not racist

...intentionally racist

...unintentionally racist

Don't know

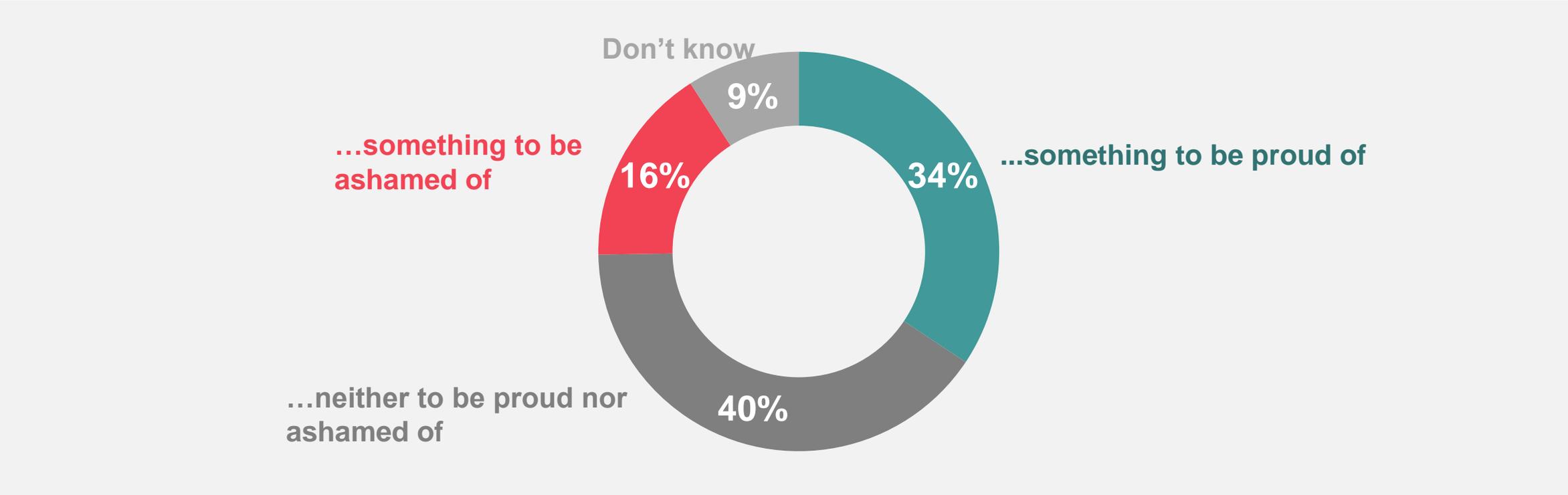


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Views are split on the British Empire

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Views on British Empire by ethnicity

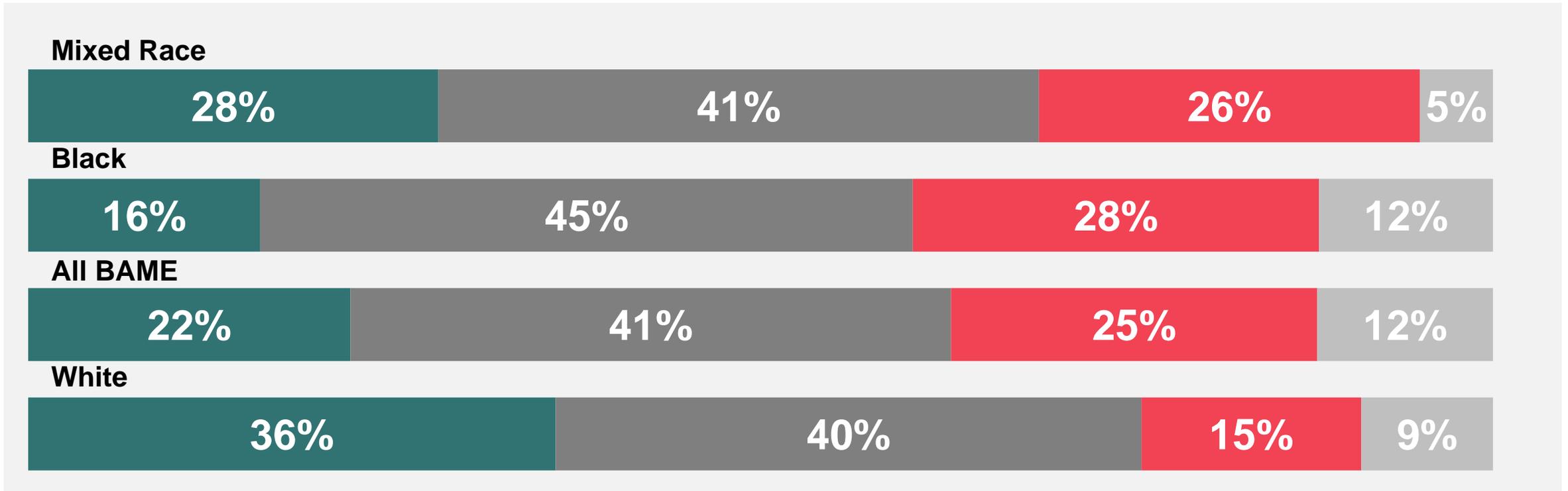
Q. Thinking about the British Empire, which of the following comes closest to your view? The British Empire is...

...something to be proud of

...neither to be proud of ashamed of

...something to be ashamed of

Don't know



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Almost half of Brits agree that legalised same-sex marriage makes them proud to live in Britain

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Strongly agree

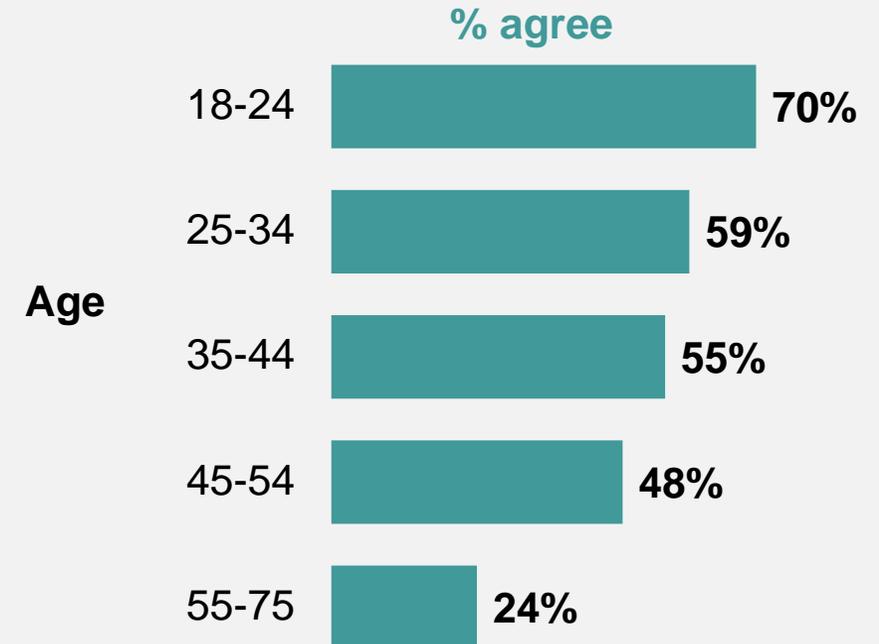
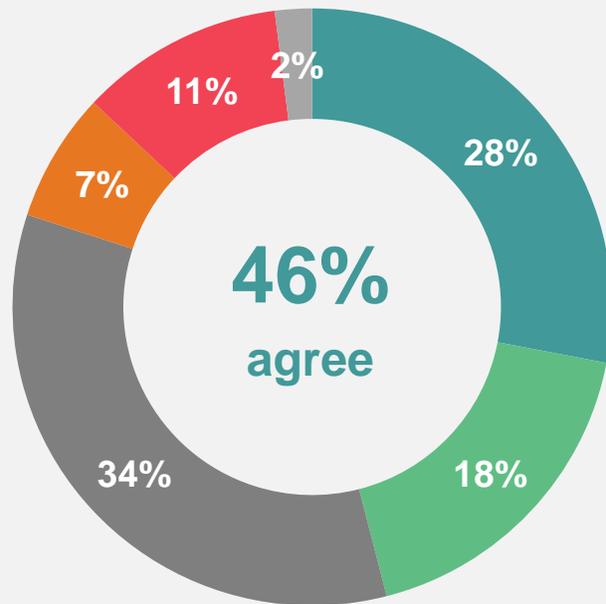
Tend to agree

Neither/nor

Tend to disagree

Strongly disagree

Don't know

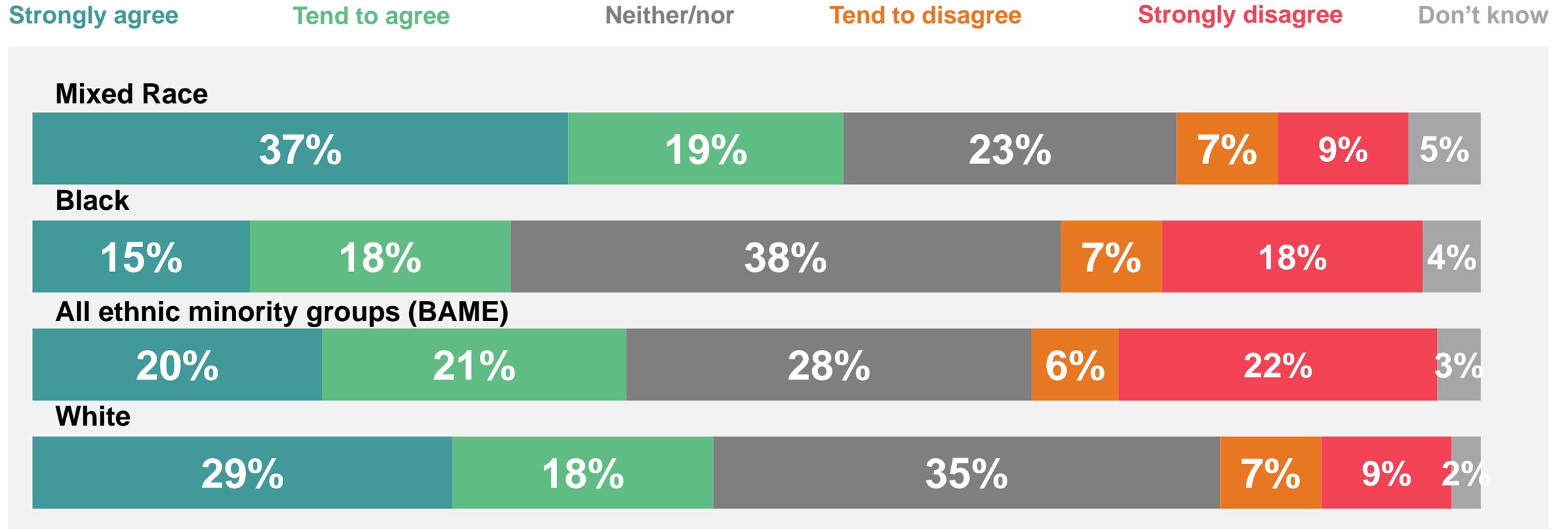


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