

1a. Do you think the family unit is more or less important than it was 25 years ago?

		GENDER		AGE			EDUCATION			
	Total	Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	<HS	HS	Post Sec	Univ Grad
Base: All respondents	2039	A 1252	B 787	C 356	D 803	E 880	F 138	G 465	H 884	I 552
Weighted	2039	987	1052	569	809	661	218	787	665	369
Much more important	406 20%	211 21%	194 18%	82 14%	171 21%	152 23%	46 21%	169 21%	134 20%	57 15%
Slightly more important	397 19%	185 19%	212 20%	134 24%	157 19%	106 16%	32 14%	180 23%	120 18%	66 18%
No more or less important	483 24%	228 23%	255 24%	139 24%	194 24%	149 23%	53 24%	147 19%	173 26%	110 30%
Slightly less important	507 25%	238 24%	269 26%	156 27%	185 23%	165 25%	58 27%	175 22%	175 26%	99 27%
Much less important	247 12%	124 13%	122 12%	57 10%	102 13%	88 13%	30 14%	116 15%	63 9%	37 10%
Summary								HI		
Top2Box (more important)	803 39%	396 40%	407 39%	216 38%	328 41%	258 39%	77 35%	349 44%	254 38%	123 33%
Low2Box (less important)	753 37%	362 37%	391 37%	213 37%	287 35%	254 38%	88 40%	292 37%	238 36%	136 37%

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - A/B - C/D/E - F/G/H/I Overlap formulae used.

1b. How about 50 years ago?

	Total	GENDER		AGE			EDUCATION			
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	<HS	HS	Post Sec	Univ Grad
Base: All respondents	2039	A 1252	B 787	C 356	D 803	E 880	F 138	G 465	H 884	I 552
Weighted	2039	987	1052	569	809	661	218	787	665	369
Much more important	693 34%	335 34%	358 34%	189 33%	268 33%	235 36%	79 36%	293 37%	215 32%	106 29%
Slightly more important	201 10%	97 10%	104 10%	62 11%	76 9%	63 10%	37 17%	76 10%	67 10%	21 6%
No more or less important	375 18%	197 20%	178 17%	94 17%	165 20%	115 17%	33 15%	134 17%	130 20%	78 21%
Slightly less important	222 11%	92 9%	129 12%	79 14%	77 9%	66 10%	14 6%	81 10%	67 10%	60 16%
Much less important	549 27%	266 27%	283 27%	D 144 25%	224 28%	181 27%	55 25%	203 26%	186 28%	104 28%
Summary										
Top2Box (more important)	894 44%	432 44%	462 44%	251 44%	344 42%	299 45%	116 53%	369 47%	281 42%	127 35%
Low2Box (less important)	771 38%	358 36%	412 39%	223 39%	301 37%	247 37%	69 32%	284 36%	253 38%	164 44%
							HI	I	I	FGH

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6. Which of the following combinations of individuals do you believe constitutes a family unit as you would see it?

	Total	GENDER		AGE			EDUCATION			
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	<HS	HS	Post Sec	Univ Grad
Base: All respondents	2039	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
Weighted	2039	1252	787	356	803	880	138	465	884	552
		987	1052	569	809	661	218	787	665	369
Two married, heterosexuals and their children	1623	772	851	445	637	542	157	599	550	318
	80%	78%	81%	78%	79%	82%	72%	76%	83%	86%
A common-law couple and their children	1351	632	718	406	563	381	121	497	463	269
	66%	64%	68%	71%	70%	58%	55%	63%	70%	73%
A single mother and her children	1120	520	601	336	460	324	93	378	406	243
	55%	53%	57%	59%	57%	49%	43%	48%	61%	66%
A single father and his children	1101	518	582	329	450	321	88	368	403	241
	54%	53%	55%	58%	56%	49%	40%	47%	61%	65%
A household of grandparents raising grandchildren without parents present	1010	458	552	318	406	286	85	333	375	217
	50%	46%	52%	56%	50%	43%	39%	42%	56%	59%
A married or common-law couple without children	943	442	501	300	391	252	80	313	337	213
	46%	45%	48%	53%	48%	38%	37%	40%	51%	58%
A same-sex married couple and their children	918	386	531	287	385	245	74	325	326	193
	45%	39%	51%	51%	48%	37%	34%	41%	49%	52%
None of the above	121	64	57	32	59	30	20	49	35	16
	6%	6%	5%	6%	7%	5%	9%	6%	5%	4%
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7. What do you most wish you could change about your family life?

	Total	GENDER		AGE			EDUCATION			
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	<HS	HS	Post Sec	Univ Grad
Base: All respondents	2039	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
Weighted	2039	1252	787	356	803	880	138	465	884	552
		987	1052	569	809	661	218	787	665	369
Time available to spend together	571	274	297	175	236	160	71	221	180	98
	28%	28%	28%	31%	29%	24%	32%	28%	27%	27%
				E	E					
Distance from extended family	325	143	182	94	104	128	32	122	96	75
	16%	15%	17%	16%	13%	19%	15%	16%	14%	20%
						D				H
Ability of you and/or partner to pursue other interests	140	89	51	42	58	39	9	50	42	39
	7%	9%	5%	7%	7%	6%	4%	6%	6%	11%
		B								FGH
Size of family	126	64	62	36	58	32	15	50	43	18
	6%	6%	6%	6%	7%	5%	7%	6%	6%	5%
Division of labour at home	110	29	81	28	60	22	15	39	40	16
	5%	3%	8%	5%	7%	3%	7%	5%	6%	4%
			A		E					
Nothing	617	315	301	142	220	255	63	249	204	100
	30%	32%	29%	25%	27%	39%	29%	32%	31%	27%
						CD				
Other	151	73	78	52	74	25	13	55	60	22
	7%	7%	7%	9%	9%	4%	6%	7%	9%	6%
				E	E					

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