

**2025 PEW RESEARCH CENTER'S AMERICAN TRENDS PANEL
WAVE 160 JANUARY 2025
SOCIAL AND DEMOGRAPHIC TRENDS (SURVEY OF LGBTQ ADULTS)
FINAL QUESTIONNAIRE
JANUARY 8-19, 2025**

Note: The questions presented below are part of a larger survey conducted on the American Trends Panel. For all questions, the 98 ("don't know" in phone mode) and 99 (refusal in phone mode and no answer in web mode) codes are combined in the data for analytical purposes.

PN = Programming note

SAMPLE SOURCE FOR SURVEY PROGRAMMING LOGIC

X_PANEL

1=ATP (SSRS SampSource=7)

2=SSRS OP (SSRS SampSource=2)

3=Ipsos KP

SSRS will program survey for ATP and OP (X_PANEL=1,2)

Ipsos will program survey for KP (X_PANEL=3)

NOTE: The ATP and SSRS OP samples comprise of individuals on the respective panels who self-identified in a previous survey as gay, lesbian, bisexual or transgender. The Ipsos KP sample comprises of individuals on KP who self-identified as (1) gay, lesbian or bisexual, and are married or living with a partner, or (2) transgender.

CODEBOOK FOR SAMPLE VARIABLES TO BE USED IN SURVEY PROGRAMMING LOGIC

X_AGE

Note: Flag to filter panelists based on their age. For CHILDPREF.

Source:

- ATP: ATP frame file variable F_AGE.
 - SSRS: pAGE1
 - Ipsos: PPAGE
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-----**MAIN QUESTIONNAIRE BEGINS HERE**-----
-----**QUE: GENDERMOD1****ASK ALL:**

Are you...

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 1 A man
- 2 A woman
- 3 Nonbinary

[PN: INSERT A LINE OF SPACE]

- 4 **[PN: IF CATI:]** Or do you describe yourself in some other way (please specify): **[PN: INSERT SINGLE LINE TEXT BOX]** **[PN: IF WEB:]** I describe myself in some other way (please specify): **[PN: INSERT SINGLE LINE TEXT BOX]**

98 **[PN: IF CATI:]** (DO NOT READ) Don't know99 **[PN: IF CATI:]** (DO NOT READ) Refused / **[PN: IF WEB:]** Web blank-----
QUE: TRANSIDMOD**ASK ALL:**

Are you transgender?

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

[PN: INSERT A LINE OF SPACE]

- 3 **[PN: IF CATI:]** Or are you not sure? **[PN: IF WEB:]** Not sure

99 **[PN: IF CATI:]** (DO NOT READ) Refused / **[PN: IF WEB:]** Web blank-----
QUE: ORIENTATIONMOD2**ASK ALL:**

Are you...

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 1 Gay or lesbian
- 2 Bisexual
- 3 Straight
- 4 Something else

[PN: INSERT A LINE OF SPACE]

- 5 **[PN: IF CATI:]** Or are you not sure? **[PN: IF WEB:]** Not sure

99 **[PN: IF CATI:]** (DO NOT READ) Refused / **[PN: IF WEB:]** Web blank

QUE: ORIENTATIONQ

ASK ALL WHO ARE TRANSGENDER, NOT SURE OR SKIP TRANSIDMOD, OR DO NOT INDICATE THEY ARE STRAIGHT (TRANSIDMOD=1,3,99 OR ORIENTATIONMOD2=1,2,4,5,99):

Do you think of yourself as queer?

[PN: IF CATI:] **(READ LIST)**

1 Yes

2 No

[PN: INSERT A LINE OF SPACE]

3 [PN: IF CATI:] Or are you not sure? [PN: IF WEB:] Not sure

99 [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused / [PN: IF WEB:] Web blank

TXT:

[PN: SCREENING FOR ATP AND OP (X_PANEL=1,2) HAPPENS HERE.]

[PN: IF X_PANEL=1,2: ELIGIBLE IF TRANSGENDER, GAY, LESBIAN, BISEXUAL OR QUEER (TRANSIDMOD=1 OR ORIENTATIONMOD2=1,2 OR ORIENTATIONQ=1).]

[PN: IF X_PANEL=1,2: NOT ELIGIBLE IF NOT TRANSGENDER, GAY, LESBIAN, BISEXUAL OR QUEER (TRANSIDMOD=2-99 AND ORIENTATIONMOD2=3-99 AND ORIENTATIONQ=2-99).]

- FOR ATP (X_PANEL=1), RESPONDENT WILL STILL COUNT AS A COMPLETE FOR ADMINISTRATIVE PURPOSES, SO PROPER INCENTIVE IS AWARDED, BUT WILL NOT BE INCLUDED BY DP IN THE FINAL DATA SET OF COMPLETES, WHICH IN THIS CASE, IS THOSE WHO ARE TRANSGENDER, GAY, LESBIAN, BISEXUAL OR QUEER. FOR DISPOSITIONS AND IN THE ALL-SAMPLED FILES, THEY SHOULD BE CONSIDERED A SURVEY SCREENOUT.
- FOR OP (X_PANEL=2), RESPONDENT WILL COUNT AS A SCREENOUT AND SHOULD NOT RECEIVE A REWARD. FOR DISPOSITIONS AND IN THE ALL-SAMPLED FILES, THEY SHOULD BE CONSIDERED A SURVEY SCREENOUT]

TXT:

[PN: IF X_PANEL=1,2 AND (TRANSIDMOD=1 OR ORIENTATIONMOD2=1,2 OR ORIENTATIONQ=1), CONTINUE]

[PN: IF X_PANEL=1,2 AND TRANSIDMOD=2-99 AND ORIENTATIONMOD2=3-99 AND ORIENTATIONQ=2-99, THANK AND TERMINATE AND SHOW THE FOLLOWING SCREENOUT TEXT ON A SCREENOUT PAGE WITH THE "BACK" BUTTON DISABLED:

- **INSERT IF X_PANEL=1 (ATP); THEN IF INCENT_PREF=1, REDIRECT TO VI LANDING PAGE AND SEND INCENTIVE EMAIL:** "Thank you! That completes this survey. The rest of the questions delve into views among certain demographic groups which do not apply to you based on your responses. Even though this survey was short, you'll still receive your payment as a thank you for your time. As always, thank you for being a valued member of the American Trends Panel.
- **INSERT IF X_PANEL=2 (OP) AND DO NOT REDIRECT AND DO NOT SEND INCENTIVE:** Thank you. Unfortunately, you do not qualify for this study. The rest of the questions delve into views among certain demographic groups which do not apply to you based on your responses. Thank you for your time, and we look forward to inviting you to future surveys. As always, thank you for being a valued member of the SSRS Opinion Panel.

TXT:

[PN: IF X_PANEL=1,2 AND TRANSIDMOD=2 AND ORIENTATIONMOD2=3,4 AND ORIENTATIONQ=2, THEN CODE AS DISPO CODE 50 (SCREENOUT)]

[PN: IF X_PANEL=1,2 AND NOT (TRANSIDMOD=1 OR ORIENTATIONMOD2=1,2 OR ORIENTATIONQ=1) AND NOT (TRANSIDMOD=2 AND ORIENTATIONMOD2=3,4 AND ORIENTATIONQ=2), THEN CODE AS DISPO CODE 43 (SCREENING REFUSAL)]

TXT:

[PN: CREATE DATA ONLY VARIABLE "DOV_SOGI" AS FOLLOWS:

- **RESPONDENT WHO IS GAY OR LESBIAN AND NOT TRANSGENDER (TRANSIDMOD=2,3,99 AND ORIENTATIONMOD2=1), THEN DOV_SOGI=1 (Code labeled as "Gay/Lesbian and not transgender").**
- **RESPONDENT WHO IS BISEXUAL AND NOT TRANSGENDER (TRANSIDMOD=2,3,99 AND ORIENTATIONMOD2=2), THEN DOV_SOGI=2 (Code labeled as "Bisexual and not transgender").**
- **RESPONDENT WHO IS QUEER AND NOT TRANSGENDER, GAY, LESBIAN OR BISEXUAL (TRANSIDMOD=2,3,99 AND ORIENTATIONMOD2=3,4,5,99 AND ORIENTATIONQ=1), THEN DOV_SOGI=3 (Code labeled as "Queer and not transgender, gay, lesbian or bisexual").**
- **RESPONDENT WHO IS TRANSGENDER (TRANSIDMOD=1), THEN DOV_SOGI=4 (Code labeled as "Transgender").]**

TXT: TRANSITION1**DISPLAY IF ATP OR OP AND GAY, LESBIAN, BISEXUAL, QUEER OR TRANSGENDER
(X_PANEL=1,2 AND DOV_SOGI=1-4):****[PN: IF WEB:]** We are conducting this survey to learn more about the views and experiences of people who are lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and/or queer (LGBTQ). As always, you are welcome to skip any question that is too difficult to answer or that makes you feel uncomfortable.**[PN: IF CATI:]** We are conducting this survey to learn more about the views and experiences of people who are lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and/or queer, that is, LGBTQ. As always, you are welcome to skip any question that is too difficult to answer or that makes you feel uncomfortable.**[PN: FOR ATP AND OP (X_PANEL=1,2) THE "BACK" BUTTON SHOULD BE DISABLED ON THIS SCREEN. RESPONDENTS SHOULD NOT BE ABLE TO BACK UP AFTER THIS POINT.]**

QUE: MARITALMOD**ASK ALL:**

Which of these best describes your current marital status?

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 1 Married
 - 2 Divorced
 - 3 Separated
 - 4 Widowed
 - 5 Never been married
 - 98 **[PN: IF CATI:]** (DO NOT READ) Don't know
 - 99 **[PN: IF CATI:]** (DO NOT READ) Refused / **[PN: IF WEB:]** Web blank
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QUE: LWPREL**ASK IF NOT MARRIED (MARITALMOD=2-99):**

Are you currently living with a romantic partner? By this, we mean that you and your romantic partner share the same residence and neither of you has a separate residence.

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST IF NECESSARY)

- 1 Yes
 - 2 No
 - 98 **[PN: IF CATI:]** (DO NOT READ) Don't know
 - 99 **[PN: IF CATI:]** (DO NOT READ) Refused / **[PN: IF WEB:]** Web blank
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ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS PREVIOUSLY RELEASED

QUE: MARRYPREF1**ASK IF NEVER MARRIED (MARITALMOD=5):**

Thinking about the future, would you say you...

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 1 Want to get married someday
 - 2 Don't want to get married
 - 3 Are not sure if you want to get married
 - 99 [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused / [PN: IF WEB:] Web blank
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QUE: MARRYPREF2**ASK IF DIVORCED, WIDOWED, SEPARATED (MARITALMOD=2-4):**

Thinking about the future, would you say you...

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 1 Want to get married again someday
 - 2 Don't want to get married again
 - 3 Are not sure if you want to get married again
 - 99 [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused / [PN: IF WEB:] Web blank
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QUE: EVERPAR**ASK ALL:**

Have you ever been a parent or guardian to any children, living or deceased, including any biological or adopted children?

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST IF NECESSARY)

- 1 Yes
 - 2 No
 - 98 [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Don't know
 - 99 [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused / [PN: IF WEB:] Web blank
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QUE: CHILDPREF**ASK IF YOUNGER THAN 50 AND HAS NEVER BEEN A PARENT (X_AGE=18-49 AND EVERPAR=2):**

Thinking about the future, would you say you...

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 1 Want to have children someday
- 2 Don't want to have children
- 3 Are not sure if you want to have children
- 99 [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused / [PN: IF WEB:] Web blank

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WAVE 161 POLITICS SURVEY
FINAL QUESTIONNAIRE
JAN. 27-FEB. 2, 2025**

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CODEBOOK FOR SAMPLE VARIABLES TO BE USED IN SURVEY PROGRAMMING LOGIC

X_W160NONSAMPLE

- 1 Not sampled for W160
- 2 Sampled for W160

Note: Flag to identify panelists who were not sampled for W160, for MARITALMOD and EVERPAR.

X_AGE

Note: Flag to filter panelists based on their age. For CHILD_PREF.

 -----**MAIN QUESTIONNAIRE BEGINS HERE**-----

ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS PREVIOUSLY RELEASED OR HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE

TXT: TRANSITIONMAR

[PN: DISPLAY TO ALL WHO WERE NOT SAMPLED FOR W160 (X_W160NONSAMPLE=1)]

Just a few last questions...

QUE: MARITALMOD

ASK ALL WHO WERE NOT SAMPLED FOR W160 (X_W160NONSAMPLE=1):

Which of these best describes your current marital status?

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 1 Married
 - 2 Divorced
 - 3 Separated
 - 4 Widowed
 - 5 Never been married
 - 98 **[PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ)** Don't know
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QUE: LWPREL

ASK IF NOT MARRIED (MARITALMOD=2-99):

Are you currently living with a romantic partner? By this, we mean that you and your romantic partner share the same residence and neither of you has a separate residence.

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST IF NECESSARY)

- 1 Yes
 - 2 No
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QUE: MARRYPREF1

ASK IF NEVER MARRIED (MARITALMOD=5):

Thinking about the future, would you say you...

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

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QUE: MARRYPREF2

ASK IF DIVORCED, WIDOWED, SEPARATED (MARITALMOD=2-4):

Thinking about the future, would you say you...

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 1 Want to get married again someday
 - 2 Don't want to get married again
 - 3 Are not sure if you want to get married again
 - 99 [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused / [PN: IF WEB:] Web blank
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QUE: EVERPAR

ASK ALL WHO WERE NOT SAMPLED FOR W160 (X_W160NONSAMPLE=1):

Have you ever been a parent or guardian to any children, living or deceased, including any biological or adopted children?

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST IF NECESSARY)

- 1 Yes
 - 2 No
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QUE: CHILDREF

ASK IF YOUNGER THAN 50 AND HAS NEVER BEEN A PARENT (X_AGE=18-49 AND EVERPAR=2):

Thinking about the future, would you say you...

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