

Morality Interactive Topline Results

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Methodological notes:

- Survey results are based on national samples. For further details on sample designs, see Survey Methods section.
- Due to rounding, percentages may not total 100%. The topline “total” columns show 100%, because they are based on unrounded numbers.
- Not all questions included in the Spring 2013 and Winter 2013-2014 surveys are presented in this topline. Omitted questions have either been previously released or will be released in future reports.

		Q84a Do you personally believe that a. Using contraceptives is morally acceptable, morally unacceptable, or is it not a moral issue?					
		Morally acceptable	Morally unacceptable	Not a moral issue	Depends on the situation (Volunteered)	DK/Refused	Total
United States	Spring, 2013	52	7	36	1	4	100
Canada	Spring, 2013	49	4	43	1	3	100
Britain	Spring, 2013	62	3	32	2	1	100
France	Spring, 2013	56	4	40	0	0	100
Germany	Spring, 2013	70	1	28	0	1	100
Italy	Spring, 2013	59	6	30	3	3	100
Spain	Spring, 2013	64	2	32	1	1	100
Greece	Spring, 2013	45	14	33	7	1	100
Poland	Spring, 2013	47	17	24	9	3	100
Czech Republic	Spring, 2013	74	2	21	1	1	100
Russia	Spring, 2013	62	7	19	5	7	100
Turkey	Spring, 2013	42	21	21	14	2	100
Egypt	Spring, 2013	35	7	36	21	1	100
Jordan	Spring, 2013	38	6	36	19	2	100
Lebanon	Spring, 2013	34	13	31	20	3	100
Palest. ter.	Spring, 2013	40	14	24	18	3	100
Tunisia	Spring, 2013	27	39	17	15	2	100
Israel	Spring, 2013	44	17	29	8	2	100
Australia	Spring, 2013	55	4	39	1	1	100
China	Spring, 2013	49	13	28	5	6	100
Indonesia	Spring, 2013	65	10	15	10	1	100
Japan	Spring, 2013	73	5	18	1	3	100
Malaysia	Spring, 2013	21	40	23	14	2	100
Pakistan	Spring, 2013	12	65	7	8	8	100
Philippines	Spring, 2013	60	29	9	1	1	100
South Korea	Spring, 2013	49	14	26	9	2	100
Argentina	Spring, 2013	69	6	21	2	2	100
Bolivia	Spring, 2013	58	19	13	5	5	100
Brazil	Spring, 2013	79	8	11	1	1	100
Chile	Spring, 2013	75	6	17	1	1	100
El Salvador	Spring, 2013	63	23	11	2	1	100
Mexico	Spring, 2013	63	14	18	2	4	100
Venezuela	Spring, 2013	82	5	8	3	1	100
Ghana	Spring, 2013	35	52	7	6	1	100
Kenya	Spring, 2013	47	33	11	7	2	100
Nigeria	Spring, 2013	17	54	13	12	4	100
Senegal	Spring, 2013	51	28	11	6	3	100
South Africa	Spring, 2013	68	15	9	6	2	100
Uganda	Spring, 2013	51	38	6	5	1	100

		Q84b Do you personally believe that b. Getting a divorce is morally acceptable, morally unacceptable, or is it not a moral issue?					
		Morally acceptable	Morally unacceptable	Not a moral issue	Depends on the situation (Volunteered)	DK/Refused	Total
United States	Spring, 2013	33	22	36	6	2	100
Canada	Spring, 2013	37	9	47	5	2	100
Britain	Spring, 2013	41	9	42	6	2	100
France	Spring, 2013	43	5	52	0	0	100
Germany	Spring, 2013	58	7	32	2	1	100
Italy	Spring, 2013	48	18	23	9	2	100
Spain	Spring, 2013	57	4	37	2	0	100
Greece	Spring, 2013	42	19	28	12	0	100
Poland	Spring, 2013	35	22	24	16	2	100
Czech Republic	Spring, 2013	60	11	21	5	2	100
Russia	Spring, 2013	46	22	13	16	3	100
Turkey	Spring, 2013	32	27	24	16	1	100
Egypt	Spring, 2013	51	7	30	11	1	100
Jordan	Spring, 2013	54	6	29	10	2	100
Lebanon	Spring, 2013	48	9	28	13	2	100
Palest. ter.	Spring, 2013	27	23	27	22	1	100
Tunisia	Spring, 2013	16	46	22	15	1	100
Israel	Spring, 2013	33	23	34	11	0	100
Australia	Spring, 2013	43	9	43	3	1	100
China	Spring, 2013	45	25	18	9	3	100
Indonesia	Spring, 2013	20	57	10	13	0	100
Japan	Spring, 2013	55	13	27	3	2	100
Malaysia	Spring, 2013	16	45	22	15	1	100
Pakistan	Spring, 2013	10	73	5	12	1	100
Philippines	Spring, 2013	25	67	7	1	0	100
South Korea	Spring, 2013	32	25	29	13	1	100
Argentina	Spring, 2013	60	17	20	2	1	100
Bolivia	Spring, 2013	29	49	10	9	2	100
Brazil	Spring, 2013	62	24	10	4	0	100
Chile	Spring, 2013	64	17	16	1	1	100
El Salvador	Spring, 2013	30	48	9	11	1	100
Mexico	Spring, 2013	41	33	16	7	3	100
Venezuela	Spring, 2013	58	24	8	9	1	100
Ghana	Spring, 2013	10	80	2	8	1	100
Kenya	Spring, 2013	17	59	13	10	1	100
Nigeria	Spring, 2013	12	61	12	13	1	100
Senegal	Spring, 2013	35	32	16	17	1	100
South Africa	Spring, 2013	16	40	15	27	2	100
Uganda	Spring, 2013	9	76	6	10	0	100

		Q84c Do you personally believe that c. Having an abortion is morally acceptable, morally unacceptable, or is it not a moral issue?					
		Morally acceptable	Morally unacceptable	Not a moral issue	Depends on the situation (Volunteered)	DK/Refused	Total
United States	Spring, 2013	17	49	23	9	2	100
Canada	Spring, 2013	26	26	37	7	4	100
Britain	Spring, 2013	27	25	28	16	4	100
France	Spring, 2013	38	14	47	0	0	100
Germany	Spring, 2013	43	19	25	11	2	100
Italy	Spring, 2013	25	41	11	20	3	100
Spain	Spring, 2013	35	26	28	8	2	100
Greece	Spring, 2013	16	54	11	18	1	100
Poland	Spring, 2013	13	47	13	24	3	100
Czech Republic	Spring, 2013	49	18	18	12	3	100
Russia	Spring, 2013	25	44	10	18	3	100
Turkey	Spring, 2013	18	52	14	15	1	100
Egypt	Spring, 2013	5	62	22	9	2	100
Jordan	Spring, 2013	4	53	36	5	3	100
Lebanon	Spring, 2013	8	56	18	15	2	100
Palest. ter.	Spring, 2013	7	54	13	24	1	100
Tunisia	Spring, 2013	4	77	6	11	1	100
Israel	Spring, 2013	25	35	23	15	1	100
Australia	Spring, 2013	29	26	32	10	3	100
China	Spring, 2013	29	37	20	9	4	100
Indonesia	Spring, 2013	1	89	1	8	0	100
Japan	Spring, 2013	44	28	19	6	2	100
Malaysia	Spring, 2013	4	79	8	9	1	100
Pakistan	Spring, 2013	1	85	4	4	6	100
Philippines	Spring, 2013	2	93	4	0	0	100
South Korea	Spring, 2013	19	58	12	10	1	100
Argentina	Spring, 2013	16	56	11	17	1	100
Bolivia	Spring, 2013	6	83	4	7	1	100
Brazil	Spring, 2013	7	79	9	4	0	100
Chile	Spring, 2013	15	64	9	8	3	100
El Salvador	Spring, 2013	2	85	3	10	0	100
Mexico	Spring, 2013	16	63	12	8	2	100
Venezuela	Spring, 2013	8	77	6	8	1	100
Ghana	Spring, 2013	2	92	2	3	1	100
Kenya	Spring, 2013	3	82	8	6	0	100
Nigeria	Spring, 2013	2	80	10	7	1	100
Senegal	Spring, 2013	14	52	22	10	2	100
South Africa	Spring, 2013	10	61	8	19	2	100
Uganda	Spring, 2013	2	88	6	4	0	100

		Q84d Do you personally believe that d. Homosexuality is morally acceptable, morally unacceptable, or is it not a moral issue?					
		Morally acceptable	Morally unacceptable	Not a moral issue	Depends on the situation (Volunteered)	DK/Refused	Total
United States	Spring, 2013	23	37	35	1	4	100
Canada	Spring, 2013	30	15	50	1	4	100
Britain	Spring, 2013	36	17	43	2	3	100
France	Spring, 2013	36	14	50	0	0	100
Germany	Spring, 2013	51	8	38	0	3	100
Italy	Spring, 2013	42	19	31	2	5	100
Spain	Spring, 2013	55	6	38	0	1	100
Greece	Spring, 2013	24	45	24	6	2	100
Poland	Spring, 2013	22	44	26	3	6	100
Czech Republic	Spring, 2013	56	14	27	1	3	100
Russia	Spring, 2013	9	72	9	4	6	100
Turkey	Spring, 2013	4	78	12	3	3	100
Egypt	Spring, 2013	1	95	1	3	0	100
Jordan	Spring, 2013	2	95	3	0	0	100
Lebanon	Spring, 2013	7	80	11	1	2	100
Palest. ter.	Spring, 2013	1	94	4	0	1	100
Tunisia	Spring, 2013	0	92	4	2	2	100
Israel	Spring, 2013	27	43	25	1	4	100
Australia	Spring, 2013	33	18	45	1	2	100
China	Spring, 2013	13	61	17	3	6	100
Indonesia	Spring, 2013	3	93	2	1	1	100
Japan	Spring, 2013	38	31	25	2	5	100
Malaysia	Spring, 2013	4	88	6	2	1	100
Pakistan	Spring, 2013	1	85	3	0	11	100
Philippines	Spring, 2013	25	65	9	1	0	100
South Korea	Spring, 2013	18	57	21	3	1	100
Argentina	Spring, 2013	49	27	20	3	2	100
Bolivia	Spring, 2013	32	51	9	2	5	100
Brazil	Spring, 2013	44	39	14	2	1	100
Chile	Spring, 2013	45	32	13	6	5	100
El Salvador	Spring, 2013	18	70	9	3	0	100
Mexico	Spring, 2013	36	40	15	4	5	100
Venezuela	Spring, 2013	32	49	12	4	3	100
Ghana	Spring, 2013	1	98	1	1	0	100
Kenya	Spring, 2013	3	88	9	0	0	100
Nigeria	Spring, 2013	1	85	11	1	1	100
Senegal	Spring, 2013	3	68	26	0	2	100
South Africa	Spring, 2013	18	62	12	5	3	100
Uganda	Spring, 2013	1	93	5	1	0	100

		Q84e Do you personally believe that e. Drinking alcohol is morally acceptable, morally unacceptable, or is it not a moral issue?					
		Morally acceptable	Morally unacceptable	Not a moral issue	Depends on the situation (Volunteered)	DK/Refused	Total
United States	Spring, 2013	32	16	46	4	1	100
Canada	Spring, 2013	31	9	57	2	1	100
Britain	Spring, 2013	38	9	47	5	2	100
France	Spring, 2013	25	18	56	1	0	100
Germany	Spring, 2013	41	14	40	4	2	100
Italy	Spring, 2013	15	27	49	6	3	100
Spain	Spring, 2013	27	22	46	4	1	100
Greece	Spring, 2013	22	23	47	8	0	100
Poland	Spring, 2013	37	17	34	10	2	100
Czech Republic	Spring, 2013	46	22	24	7	2	100
Russia	Spring, 2013	26	44	13	15	2	100
Turkey	Spring, 2013	10	69	17	2	2	100
Egypt	Spring, 2013	5	75	13	5	3	100
Jordan	Spring, 2013	3	85	12	0	0	100
Lebanon	Spring, 2013	25	51	21	1	2	100
Palest. ter.	Spring, 2013	1	89	9	0	1	100
Tunisia	Spring, 2013	5	85	6	3	1	100
Israel	Spring, 2013	27	29	39	5	1	100
Australia	Spring, 2013	36	10	46	7	1	100
China	Spring, 2013	12	41	37	7	4	100
Indonesia	Spring, 2013	2	85	8	4	0	100
Japan	Spring, 2013	66	6	25	2	1	100
Malaysia	Spring, 2013	10	70	15	4	1	100
Pakistan	Spring, 2013	1	94	2	2	1	100
Philippines	Spring, 2013	34	39	24	2	0	100
South Korea	Spring, 2013	34	22	35	9	0	100
Argentina	Spring, 2013	26	42	27	3	1	100
Bolivia	Spring, 2013	13	69	12	5	1	100
Brazil	Spring, 2013	29	47	20	3	0	100
Chile	Spring, 2013	29	31	31	6	2	100
El Salvador	Spring, 2013	8	82	8	2	0	100
Mexico	Spring, 2013	21	41	31	4	3	100
Venezuela	Spring, 2013	36	39	17	7	1	100
Ghana	Spring, 2013	8	80	8	3	0	100
Kenya	Spring, 2013	9	59	24	7	0	100
Nigeria	Spring, 2013	6	68	17	7	1	100
Senegal	Spring, 2013	9	63	24	3	1	100
South Africa	Spring, 2013	22	36	25	13	4	100
Uganda	Spring, 2013	19	57	14	8	1	100

		Q84f Do you personally believe that f. Married people having an affair is morally acceptable, morally unacceptable, or is it not a moral issue?					
		Morally acceptable	Morally unacceptable	Not a moral issue	Depends on the situation (Volunteered)	DK/Refused	Total
United States	Spring, 2013	4	84	10	1	2	100
Canada	Spring, 2013	4	76	17	1	2	100
Britain	Spring, 2013	4	76	15	2	3	100
France	Spring, 2013	12	47	40	0	0	100
Germany	Spring, 2013	11	60	26	1	2	100
Italy	Spring, 2013	10	64	16	7	3	100
Spain	Spring, 2013	8	64	27	1	1	100
Greece	Spring, 2013	5	79	12	5	0	100
Poland	Spring, 2013	9	71	13	4	3	100
Czech Republic	Spring, 2013	17	66	10	4	3	100
Russia	Spring, 2013	7	69	9	10	4	100
Turkey	Spring, 2013	2	94	2	1	1	100
Egypt	Spring, 2013	2	93	4	0	1	100
Jordan	Spring, 2013	1	93	5	0	1	100
Lebanon	Spring, 2013	0	92	3	3	2	100
Palest. ter.	Spring, 2013	1	94	4	1	1	100
Tunisia	Spring, 2013	3	90	4	3	1	100
Israel	Spring, 2013	11	73	13	3	1	100
Australia	Spring, 2013	4	79	13	3	1	100
China	Spring, 2013	8	74	12	3	3	100
Indonesia	Spring, 2013	1	93	4	2	0	100
Japan	Spring, 2013	12	69	14	1	4	100
Malaysia	Spring, 2013	2	90	6	2	1	100
Pakistan	Spring, 2013	0	92	3	0	4	100
Philippines	Spring, 2013	5	90	4	1	0	100
South Korea	Spring, 2013	8	81	8	2	0	100
Argentina	Spring, 2013	11	72	12	3	1	100
Bolivia	Spring, 2013	7	84	6	3	1	100
Brazil	Spring, 2013	6	84	9	1	1	100
Chile	Spring, 2013	13	67	16	3	2	100
El Salvador	Spring, 2013	4	89	4	2	0	100
Mexico	Spring, 2013	9	73	12	4	2	100
Venezuela	Spring, 2013	12	76	9	2	2	100
Ghana	Spring, 2013	10	86	2	2	0	100
Kenya	Spring, 2013	8	80	7	3	1	100
Nigeria	Spring, 2013	7	77	12	3	1	100
Senegal	Spring, 2013	5	68	24	2	1	100
South Africa	Spring, 2013	11	65	11	11	2	100
Uganda	Spring, 2013	7	80	8	4	1	100

		Q84g Do you personally believe that g. Gambling is morally acceptable, morally unacceptable, or is it not a moral issue?					
		Morally acceptable	Morally unacceptable	Not a moral issue	Depends on the situation (Volunteered)	DK/Refused	Total
United States	Spring, 2013	25	24	47	2	2	100
Canada	Spring, 2013	19	23	55	2	2	100
Britain	Spring, 2013	22	26	45	5	2	100
France	Spring, 2013	31	13	56	0	0	100
Germany	Spring, 2013	25	31	41	2	1	100
Italy	Spring, 2013	12	33	48	4	2	100
Spain	Spring, 2013	17	28	51	1	3	100
Greece	Spring, 2013	7	52	37	4	1	100
Poland	Spring, 2013	22	33	38	4	4	100
Czech Republic	Spring, 2013	11	65	19	2	2	100
Russia	Spring, 2013	10	62	18	5	4	100
Turkey	Spring, 2013	5	80	12	1	1	100
Egypt	Spring, 2013	3	91	5	0	1	100
Jordan	Spring, 2013	2	91	6	0	1	100
Lebanon	Spring, 2013	4	77	17	0	2	100
Palest. ter.	Spring, 2013	1	91	7	0	1	100
Tunisia	Spring, 2013	2	91	4	2	1	100
Israel	Spring, 2013	16	51	30	2	1	100
Australia	Spring, 2013	18	36	39	5	2	100
China	Spring, 2013	8	55	28	5	4	100
Indonesia	Spring, 2013	2	88	8	2	0	100
Japan	Spring, 2013	38	31	28	2	2	100
Malaysia	Spring, 2013	8	76	13	3	1	100
Pakistan	Spring, 2013	0	95	3	0	1	100
Philippines	Spring, 2013	20	61	18	0	0	100
South Korea	Spring, 2013	7	78	12	2	1	100
Argentina	Spring, 2013	20	49	25	3	3	100
Bolivia	Spring, 2013	11	61	17	4	7	100
Brazil	Spring, 2013	15	64	19	1	1	100
Chile	Spring, 2013	15	48	27	6	3	100
El Salvador	Spring, 2013	6	82	10	1	1	100
Mexico	Spring, 2013	13	49	30	4	4	100
Venezuela	Spring, 2013	20	59	15	3	2	100
Ghana	Spring, 2013	3	91	3	3	0	100
Kenya	Spring, 2013	5	65	21	5	4	100
Nigeria	Spring, 2013	1	77	16	2	3	100
Senegal	Spring, 2013	7	63	21	8	1	100
South Africa	Spring, 2013	18	40	27	10	5	100
Uganda	Spring, 2013	3	80	11	3	3	100

		Q84h Do you personally believe that h. Sex between unmarried adults is morally acceptable, morally unacceptable, or is it not a moral issue?					
		Morally acceptable	Morally unacceptable	Not a moral issue	Depends on the situation (Volunteered)	DK/Refused	Total
United States	Spring, 2013	29	30	36	1	3	100
Canada	Spring, 2013	34	15	47	1	2	100
Britain	Spring, 2013	38	13	44	3	2	100
France	Spring, 2013	47	6	47	0	0	100
Germany	Spring, 2013	57	6	34	1	2	100
Italy	Spring, 2013	42	11	41	4	2	100
Spain	Spring, 2013	52	8	39	0	0	100
Greece	Spring, 2013	59	11	27	2	0	100
Poland	Spring, 2013	44	22	21	9	4	100
Czech Republic	Spring, 2013	67	10	18	2	3	100
Russia	Spring, 2013	40	30	10	15	4	100
Turkey	Spring, 2013	5	91	2	1	1	100
Egypt	Spring, 2013	2	90	6	1	0	100
Jordan	Spring, 2013	1	95	3	0	0	100
Lebanon	Spring, 2013	5	81	8	3	2	100
Palest. ter.	Spring, 2013	1	94	4	0	1	100
Tunisia	Spring, 2013	4	89	3	2	1	100
Israel	Spring, 2013	36	37	22	3	2	100
Australia	Spring, 2013	34	15	47	1	2	100
China	Spring, 2013	12	58	17	6	7	100
Indonesia	Spring, 2013	1	97	1	1	0	100
Japan	Spring, 2013	47	21	26	2	4	100
Malaysia	Spring, 2013	3	87	5	3	1	100
Pakistan	Spring, 2013	0	94	2	0	3	100
Philippines	Spring, 2013	20	71	7	1	0	100
South Korea	Spring, 2013	27	35	29	6	2	100
Argentina	Spring, 2013	45	22	27	3	2	100
Bolivia	Spring, 2013	22	53	11	8	7	100
Brazil	Spring, 2013	47	35	14	3	0	100
Chile	Spring, 2013	54	13	26	6	2	100
El Salvador	Spring, 2013	22	56	14	7	0	100
Mexico	Spring, 2013	26	44	21	7	3	100
Venezuela	Spring, 2013	61	21	13	4	2	100
Ghana	Spring, 2013	6	86	4	3	1	100
Kenya	Spring, 2013	4	79	13	3	1	100
Nigeria	Spring, 2013	3	77	13	6	2	100
Senegal	Spring, 2013	6	63	26	4	1	100
South Africa	Spring, 2013	21	48	17	11	2	100
Uganda	Spring, 2013	9	77	9	5	1	100

		Q84a Do you personally believe that a. Using contraceptives is morally acceptable, morally unacceptable, or is it not a moral issue?					
		Morally acceptable	Morally unacceptable	Not a moral issue	Depends on the situation (Volunteered)	DK/Refused	Total
India	Winter, 2013-2014	59	22	7	7	4	100

		Q84b Do you personally believe that b. Getting a divorce is morally acceptable, morally unacceptable, or is it not a moral issue?					
		Morally acceptable	Morally unacceptable	Not a moral issue	Depends on the situation (Volunteered)	DK/Refused	Total
India	Winter, 2013-2014	18	53	10	16	3	100

		Q84c Do you personally believe that c. Having an abortion is morally acceptable, morally unacceptable, or is it not a moral issue?					
		Morally acceptable	Morally unacceptable	Not a moral issue	Depends on the situation (Volunteered)	DK/Refused	Total
India	Winter, 2013-2014	17	58	10	12	4	100

		Q84d Do you personally believe that d. Homosexuality is morally acceptable, morally unacceptable, or is it not a moral issue?					
		Morally acceptable	Morally unacceptable	Not a moral issue	Depends on the situation (Volunteered)	DK/Refused	Total
India	Winter, 2013-2014	9	67	11	3	11	100

		Q84e Do you personally believe that e. Drinking alcohol is morally acceptable, morally unacceptable, or is it not a moral issue?					
		Morally acceptable	Morally unacceptable	Not a moral issue	Depends on the situation (Volunteered)	DK/Refused	Total
India	Winter, 2013-2014	10	66	16	4	4	100

		Q84f Do you personally believe that f. Married people having an affair is morally acceptable, morally unacceptable, or is it not a moral issue?					
		Morally acceptable	Morally unacceptable	Not a moral issue	Depends on the situation (Volunteered)	DK/Refused	Total
India	Winter, 2013-2014	14	62	13	5	7	100

		Q84g Do you personally believe that g. Gambling is morally acceptable, morally unacceptable, or is it not a moral issue?					
		Morally acceptable	Morally unacceptable	Not a moral issue	Depends on the situation (Volunteered)	DK/Refused	Total
India	Winter, 2013-2014	7	69	16	3	4	100

		Q84h Do you personally believe that h. Sex between unmarried adults is morally acceptable, morally unacceptable, or is it not a moral issue?					
		Morally acceptable	Morally unacceptable	Not a moral issue	Depends on the situation (Volunteered)	DK/Refused	Total
India	Winter, 2013-2014	10	67	11	4	8	100