

U.S. national happiness post-covid*

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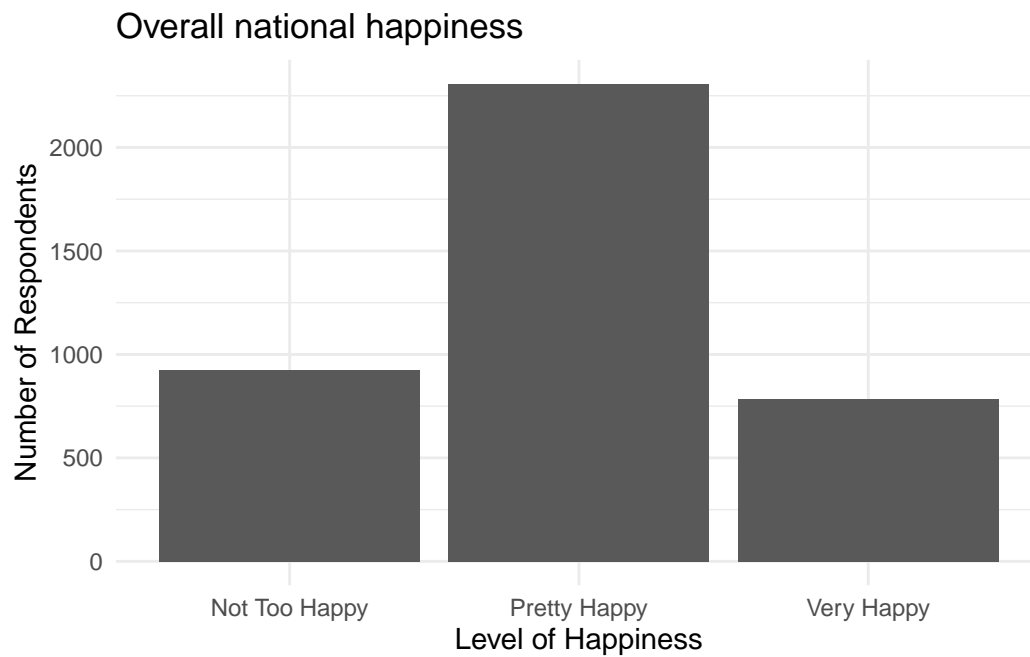
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3.1 National Happiness

In overall, the level of happiness in the United States in 2021 is “pretty happy”. Among 4041 respondents, more than half (2308 respondents) reported that they feel happy, while 923 people were not happy and 783 people were extremely happy.

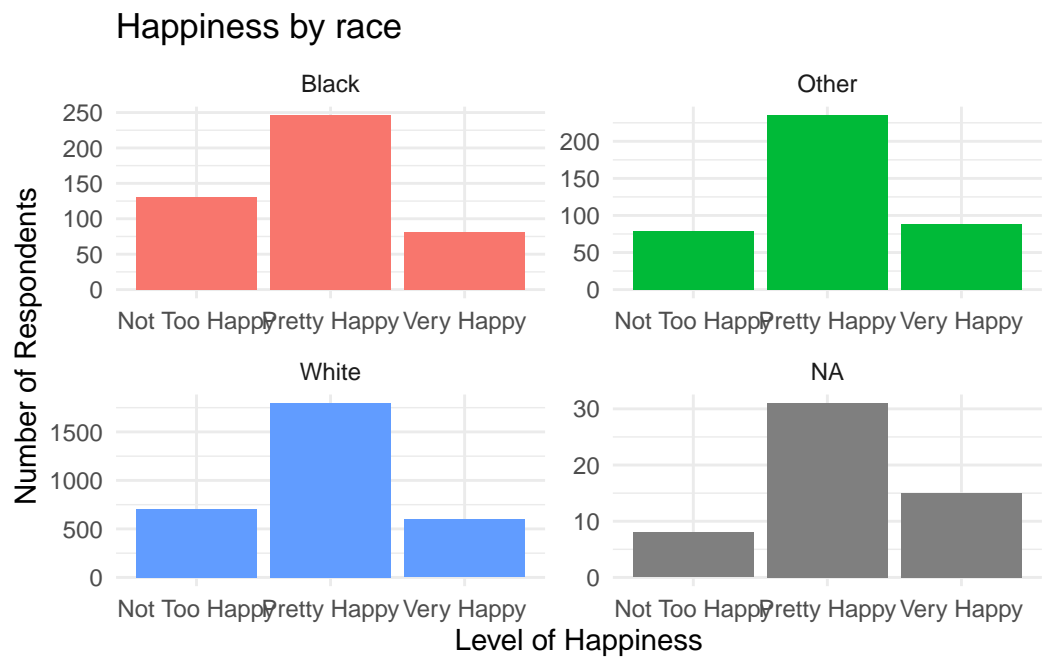
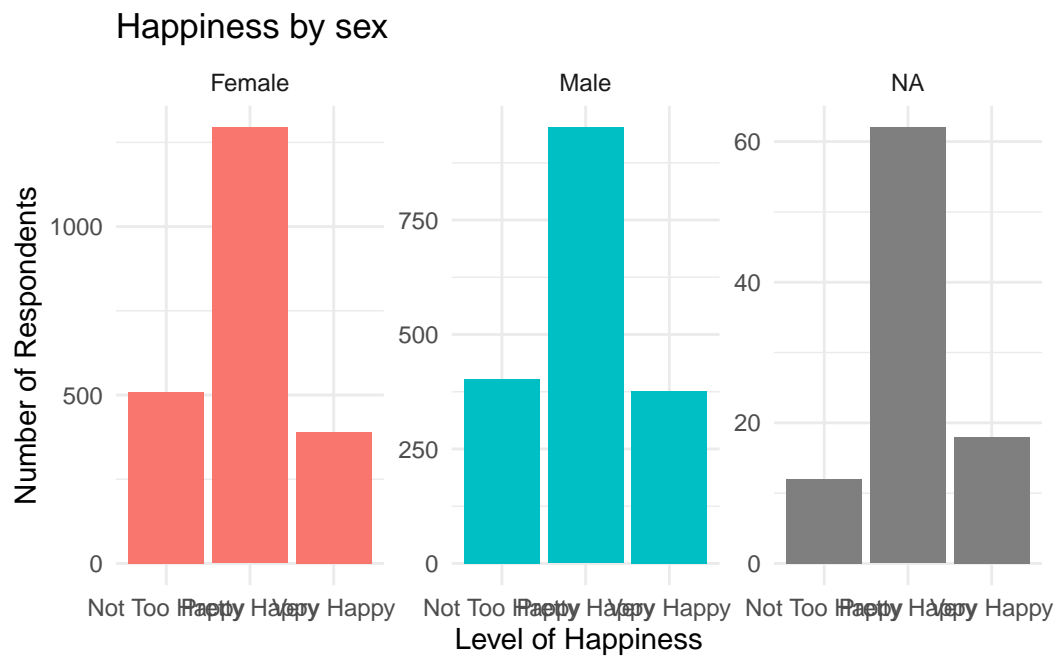
*Code and data are available at:



We also look into the demographics such as age, sex, and race. Comparing happiness among different age groups, it is apparent that the level of happiness remained stable throughout the groups. While in 18 to 64 or non-identifiable age groups, there are more people feeling unhappy than extremely happy, from 65 and above age group witnesses the same proportion of people feeling not too happy and extremely happy.



Looking at different sex groups, male tend to be more happy than female.



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