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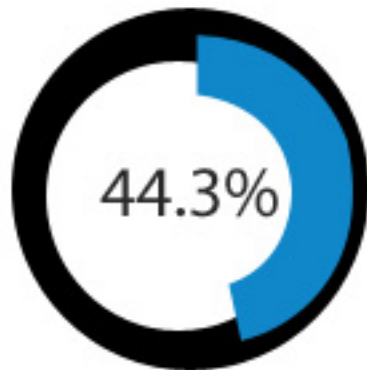
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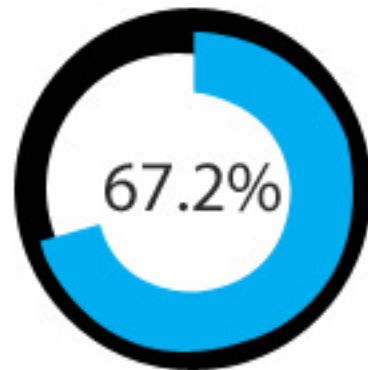
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% of adults who attended a visual or performing arts event
in 2015



all U.S. adults



U. S. adults holding bachelor's
degrees or higher

Source:
Annual Arts Basic Survey (AABS), 2015

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Percent of adults who attended a visual or performing arts event in 2015:

- All U.S. adults: 44.3 percent
- U.S. adults holding bachelor's degrees or higher: 67.2 percent

In 2015, 44.3 percent of all U.S. adults attended a visual or performing arts event. However, among adults holding bachelor's degrees or higher levels of education, 67.2 percent attended.

The 2015 *Annual Arts Basic Survey (AABS)* studied American adults' participation in various artistic activities from February 2014 through February 2015. A total of 151,788 U.S. adults responded to the 2015 AABS. If the selected person had a spouse or partner, then the respondent answered questions on behalf of their spouse/partner.

These statistics were taken from Research Brief #5: *Job Analysis of Arts Participants* available through NEA's Arts Data Profile #10.

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