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National Traffic Safety Survey



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SCR1. Are you the adult (18 years old or older) in your household with the next upcoming birthday? *Using the next birthday is a method of random selection and is important to make sure that the experiences of all types of people are represented.*

- 1 Yes → Please continue
- 2 No → Please ask the adult in your household with the next birthday to complete this survey

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The next few questions ask about your general driving experiences. For these questions, a motorcycle counts as a motor vehicle, but electric bikes or scooters do not.

C1. Thinking about the past 12 months, how often do you usually drive a car, motorcycle, or other motor vehicle?

- 1 Every day, or almost every day
 - 2 Several days a week
 - 3 About once a week
 - 4 Once or twice a month
 - 5 Up to a few times a year
 - 6 I have not driven in the past 12 months
- 1 → **Go to question C2**

C1a. Have you ever driven before?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

C1a. → Skip

C2. When driving a motor vehicle, how often do you wear your seat belt?

- 1 All trips
- 2 Most trips
- 3 About half my trips
- 4 Fewer than half my trips
- 5 None of my trips

C3. Which of the following statements best describes your driving?

- 1 I tend to pass other cars more often than other cars pass me
- 2 Other cars tend to pass me more often than I pass them
- 3 Both about equally

C4. In the past 30 days, have you driven a motor vehicle with other adult passengers in the vehicle?

- 1 Yes, I have driven adults in the front passenger seat
- 2 Yes, I have driven adults in a back seat
- 3 Yes, I have driven adults both in the front passenger seat and in a back seat
- 4 No, I have not driven adult passengers in the past 30 days

C5. In the past 30 days, have you driven a motor vehicle with children aged 12 or younger in the vehicle?

- 1 Yes, in the front passenger seat
- 2 Yes, in a back seat
- 3 Yes, both in the front passenger seat and in a back seat
- 4 No, I have not driven children aged 12 or younger in the past 30 days → **Go to question C6**

C5a. When you are driving and children aged 12 or younger are riding with you, are they typically in a car seat, booster seat, seat belt, or do they ride without a seat belt? You may select more than one if answering about multiple children. Select all that apply.

- 1 Rear-facing car seat
- 2 Forward-facing car seat
- 3 Booster seat
- 4 Seat belt
- 5 Without a seat belt

C6. Not including driving to and from work, have you driven a vehicle as part of a job or business in the past 12 months?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No → **Go to question C7**

C6a. How often have you driven a vehicle as part of a job or business?

- 1 Every day, or almost every day
- 2 Several days a week
- 3 About once a week
- 4 Once or twice a month
- 5 Up to a few times a year

C6b. Are you more likely, less likely, or just as likely to wear your seat belt when driving on the job as compared to when driving for personal use?

- 1 More likely
- 2 Less likely
- 3 Just as likely

C7. In the past 12 months, how often have you driven a motor vehicle at night, after 9 pm?

- 1 Every day, or almost every day
- 2 Several days a week
- 3 About once a week
- 4 Once or twice a month
- 5 Up to a few times a year
- 6 Never in the past 12 months

C8. When was the last time you did not wear your seat belt at any point while driving?

- 1 Today
- 2 Within the past week
- 3 Within the past month
- 4 Within the past 12 months
- 5 A year or more ago
- 6 Never

C9. When driving I tend to...

- 1 Stay with slower moving traffic
- 2 Keep up with the faster traffic
- 3 Both about equally

The next few questions ask about activities you might do while driving. When we say while driving, please include any times that you are seated in the driver's seat (behind the wheel of your vehicle) if it is not in Park. For example, while driving means both when the vehicle is moving and during times like stopped at a stop sign or red light.

C10. How often do you talk on the phone while driving?

For this question, consider all methods of talking on the phone, including holding the device to your ear, using speakerphone, or using any type of hands-free calling, such as a headset or in-vehicle system or app.

- 1 All trips
- 2 Most trips
- 3 About half my trips
- 4 Fewer than half my trips
- 5 None of my trips
- 6 I don't have a cell phone

C11. How often do you send texts, e-mails, or other messages while driving?

For this question, consider all methods of sending messages, including typing directly on the device or screen, using speech-to-text while holding the device, or using any type of hands-free voice commands, such as with a headset or in-vehicle system or app.

- 1 All trips
- 2 Most trips
- 3 About half my trips
- 4 Fewer than half my trips
- 5 None of my trips
- 6 I don't have a cell phone

C12. How often do you read texts, e-mails, or other messages while driving?

For this question, consider all methods of reading and listening to messages, including while holding the device, looking directly at a screen, or using any type of hands-free voice commands to have messages read aloud, such as with a headset or in-vehicle system or app.

- 1 All trips
- 2 Most trips
- 3 About half my trips
- 4 Fewer than half my trips
- 5 None of my trips
- 6 I don't have a cell phone

C13. In the past 30 days, how many times have you fallen asleep or nodded off, even for a moment, while driving?

- 1 Never in the past 30 days
- 2 Once
- 3 2 to 3 times
- 4 4 to 6 times
- 5 7 to 9 times
- 6 10 or more times

The next few questions ask about your personal experiences, which some people may find to be sensitive in nature. As a reminder, your answers will be kept anonymous. We encourage your honesty in responding to these questions.

C14. In the past 12 months, how often have you typically had a drink containing alcohol?

- 1 Every day, or almost every day
- 2 Several days a week
- 3 About once a week
- 4 Once or twice a month
- 5 Up to a few times a year
- 6 Never in the past 12 months → **Go to question C15**

C14a. In the past 12 months, how often have you driven a motor vehicle within two hours of drinking alcoholic beverages?

- 1 Every day, or almost every day
- 2 Several days a week
- 3 About once a week
- 4 Once or twice a month
- 5 Up to a few times a year
- 6 Never in the past 12 months

C15. Cannabis (or marijuana) is available in both recreational and medicinal forms and may be known by many other names (such as weed or pot). Cannabis is often smoked, vaped, or ingested through edibles (such as gummies). In the past 12 months, how often have you typically used cannabis?

For this question, we are not interested in CBD oil.

- 1 Every day, or almost every day
- 2 Several days a week
- 3 About once a week
- 4 Once or twice a month
- 5 Up to a few times a year
- 6 Never in the past 12 months → **Go to question C16**

C15a. In the past 12 months, how often have you driven a motor vehicle within four hours of using cannabis?

- 1 Every day, or almost every day
- 2 Several days a week
- 3 About once a week
- 4 Once or twice a month
- 5 Up to a few times a year

6 Never in the past 12 months

C16. In the past 12 months, have you driven a motor vehicle under the influence of...? Select all that apply.

- 1 Alcohol
- 2 Cannabis
- 3 Illegal drugs
- 4 Over-the-counter (OTC) drugs or medications that can cause impairment, such as drowsiness, dizziness, or blurred vision
- 5 Prescription drugs or medications that can cause impairment, such as drowsiness, dizziness, or blurred vision
- 6 Combination of any of the above items
- 7 None of these

C17. Counting cars, vans, minivans, SUVs, pickup trucks, and motorcycles, how many vehicles do you own, lease, or are otherwise available regularly for your use?

Vehicles

C18. Which of the following best describes the vehicle that you drive most often?

If you drive more than one vehicle about the same amount and can't decide which of them you drive most often, then answer for which of those vehicles you drove last.

- 1 Personal vehicle owned/leased by me or someone in my household
- 2 Borrowed personal vehicle from a friend/family member
- 3 Vehicle provided by my employer
- 4 Vehicle from a rental car or shared car service such as Enterprise or ZipCar
- 5 Other

C19. Thinking about the vehicle that you drive most often, is it a...

- 1 Car or station wagon
- 2 Van or minivan
- 3 SUV (sport utility vehicle)
- 4 Pickup truck
- 5 Other truck (such as a box truck, 18-wheeler, flatbed truck)
- 6 Motorcycle
- 7 Other

2 → **Go to question C20**

C19a. Please provide the year, make, and model of the vehicle you just told us is the one you drive most often. Throughout this survey, we will refer to this vehicle as your *primary vehicle*.

Year

Make

Model

C20. For how long have you driven this vehicle?

- 1 Less than 3 months
- 2 3 months to less than 6 months
- 3 6 months to less than a year
- 4 A year to less than 2 years
- 5 2 years to less than 5 years
- 6 5 years or more

C21. Have you been involved in a crash or near-crash as a driver in the past 12 months?

By "near-crash" we mean a time that you would have almost certainly gotten into a crash if you or another driver had not swerved, slammed on your brakes, or done something else out of the ordinary when driving to avoid the crash.

- 1 Crash
- 2 Near-crash
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither

C22. Which, if any, of the following best describes the type of license you have for driving?

- 1 Driver's license (non-commercial)
- 2 Commercial driver's license (CDL)
- 3 Motorcycle license
- 4 Non-commercial driver's license with "motorcycle" endorsement
- 5 Provisional or probationary license
- 6 Learner or instruction permit
- 7 Suspended or revoked license
- 8 None
- 9 Don't know

C23. What is your primary mode of transportation? By primary, we mean the way you get around most often.

- 1 Driving a vehicle
- 2 Riding in a vehicle driven by someone else
- 3 Bus travel
- 4 Train travel
- 5 Riding a bicycle
- 6 Walking
- 7 Other

C24. How often do you use taxis, Uber, Lyft, or other rideshare services?

- 1 Every day, or almost every day
- 2 Several days a week
- 3 About once a week
- 4 Once or twice a month
- 5 Up to a few times a year
- 6 Never

This section focuses on different types of driver assistance technologies. For each vehicle feature, please read the description. Note that different vehicle manufacturers may refer to these by different names.

T1. *Blind Spot Warning* is a feature that uses a light or sound to alert a driver that there is a vehicle in their blind spot. Have you ever...

- 1 Driven a vehicle that has Blind Spot Warning
- 2 Been a passenger only in a vehicle with Blind Spot Warning → **Skip to question T3**
- 3 Heard of Blind Spot Warning but never been in a vehicle with it → **Skip to question T3**
- 4 Never heard of Blind Spot Warning before taking this survey → **Skip to question T5**

T2. Is your *primary vehicle* equipped with *Blind Spot Warning* technology?

- 1 Yes
 - 2 No
 - 3 Don't know
- 3 → Go to question T3

T2a. In general, do you have your *Blind Spot Warning* feature enabled or disabled? That is, do you keep the feature turned on and able to make alerts, or do you turn it off?

- 1 Enabled / Turned on
- 2 Disabled / Turned off

T2b. Have you ever had an experience in which your *Blind Spot Warning* helped you? That is, it alerted you at an appropriate time about the driving situation.

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 3 Don't know
- 4 Never had feature enabled

T2c. Which, if any, of the following have you experienced with your *Blind Spot Warning* technology? Select all that apply.

- 1 The warning alerted me in a driving situation when it should not have
- 2 The warning did not alert me in a driving situation when it should have
- 3 Some other issue or problem
- 4 I have not experienced any issues with my Blind Spot Warning technology
- 5 Never had feature enabled

T3. To what extent do you understand how a driver uses (or what they can expect when using) *Blind Spot Warning* technology?

- 1 Completely understand
- 2 Somewhat understand
- 3 Limited understanding
- 4 Do not understand at all

T4. Please think about *Blind Spot Warning* technology based on your experience or general beliefs about this feature. For each of the following statements, to what extent do you agree or disagree?

	Strongly agree	Somewhat agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Somewhat disagree	Strongly disagree
T4a. I trust and feel safe with this technology					
T4b. I find this technology annoying or distracting					
T4c. I think this technology reduces stress while driving					
T4d. I think this technology increases the risk of a crash					
T4e. I think this technology is easy to learn and explain					
T4f. I would recommend this technology to other drivers					

T5. Forward Collision Warning is a feature that uses a light or sound to alert a driver of a potential collision with a vehicle ahead. Have you ever...

- 1 Driven a vehicle that has Forward Collision Warning
- 2 Been a passenger only in a vehicle with Forward Collision Warning → **Skip to question T7**
- 3 Heard of Forward Collision Warning but never been in a vehicle with it → **Skip to question T7**
- 4 Never heard of Forward Collision Warning before taking this survey → **Skip to question T9**

T6. Is your primary vehicle equipped with Forward Collision Warning technology?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 3 Don't know
- 4 → Go to question T7

T6a. In general, do you have your Forward Collision Warning feature enabled or disabled? That is, do you keep the feature turned on and able to make alerts, or do you turn it off?

- 1 Enabled / Turned on
- 2 Disabled / Turned off

T6b. Have you ever had an experience in which your Forward Collision Warning helped you? That is, it alerted you at an appropriate time about the driving situation.

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 3 Don't know
- 4 Never had feature enabled

T6c. Which, if any, of the following have you experienced with your Forward Collision Warning technology? Select all that apply.

- 1 The warning alerted me in a driving situation when it should not have
- 2 The warning did not alert me in a driving situation when it should have
- 3 Some other issue or problem
- 4 I have not experienced any issues with my Forward Collision Warning technology
- 5 Never had feature enabled

T7. To what extent do you understand how a driver uses (or what they can expect when using) Forward Collision Warning technology?

- 1 Completely understand
- 2 Somewhat understand
- 3 Limited understanding
- 4 Do not understand at all

T8. Please think about Forward Collision Warning technology based on your experience or general beliefs about this feature. For each of the following statements, to what extent do you agree or disagree?

	Strongly agree	Somewhat agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Somewhat disagree	Strongly disagree
T8a. I trust and feel safe with this technology					
T8b. I find this technology annoying or distracting					
T8c. I think this technology reduces stress while driving					
T8d. I think this technology increases the risk of a crash					
T8e. I think this technology is easy to learn and explain					
T8f. I would recommend this technology to other drivers					

T9. Lane Departure Warning is a feature that uses a light or sound to alert a driver if their vehicle approaches or crosses lane markers. Have you ever...

- 1 Driven a vehicle that has Lane Departure Warning
- 2 Been a passenger only in a vehicle with Lane Departure Warning → **Skip to question T11**
- 3 Heard of Lane Departure Warning but never been in a vehicle with it → **Skip to question T11**
- 4 Never heard of Lane Departure Warning before taking this survey → **Skip to question T13**

T10. Is your primary vehicle equipped with Lane Departure Warning technology?

- 1 Yes
 - 2 No
 - 3 Don't know
- 5 → Go to question T11**

T10a. In general, do you have your Lane Departure Warning feature enabled or disabled? That is, do you keep the feature turned on and able to make alerts, or do you turn it off?

- 1 Enabled / Turned on
- 2 Disabled / Turned off

T10b. Have you ever had an experience in which your Lane Departure Warning helped you? That is, it alerted you at an appropriate time about the driving situation.

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 3 Don't know
- 4 Never had feature enable

T10c. Which, if any, of the following have you experienced with your Lane Departure Warning technology? Select all that apply.

- 1 The warning alerted me in a driving situation when it should not have
- 2 The warning did not alert me in a driving situation when it should have
- 3 Some other issue or problem
- 4 I have not experienced any issues with my Lane Departure Warning technology
- 5 Never had feature enabled

T11. To what extent do you understand how a driver uses (or what they can expect when using) Lane Departure Warning technology?

- 1 Completely understand
- 2 Somewhat understand
- 3 Limited understanding
- 4 Do not understand at all

T12. Please think about Lane Departure Warning technology based on your experience or general beliefs about this feature. For each of the following statements, to what extent do you agree or disagree?

	Strongly agree	Somewhat agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Somewhat disagree	Strongly disagree
T12a. I trust and feel safe with this technology					
T12b. I find this technology annoying or distracting					
T12c. I think this technology reduces stress while driving					
T12d. I think this technology increases the risk of a crash					
T12e. I think this technology is easy to learn and explain					
T12f. I would recommend this technology to other drivers					

T13. Backup or Rearview Camera is a feature that uses a screen to display the area behind the vehicle when in reverse gear. Have you ever...

- 1 Driven a vehicle that has a Backup or Rearview Camera
- 2 Been a passenger only in a vehicle with a Backup or Rearview Camera → **Skip to question T15**
- 3 Heard of a Backup or Rearview Camera but never been in a vehicle with it → **Skip to question T15**
- 4 Never heard of a Backup or Rearview Camera before taking this survey → **Skip to question T17**

T14. Is your primary vehicle equipped with a Backup or Rearview Camera?

- 1 Yes
 - 2 No
 - 3 Don't know
- 6 → Go to question T15**

T14a. How often do you use your Backup or Rearview Camera?

- 1 All trips
- 2 Most trips
- 3 About half my trips
- 4 Fewer than half my trips
- 5 None of my trips

T14b. Have you ever had an experience in which your Backup or Rearview Camera helped you? That is, it enabled you to see a vehicle, pedestrian, or other object behind you that you did not otherwise see.

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 3 Don't know
- 4 Never used Backup/Rearview Camera

T14c. Which, if any, of the following have you experienced with your Backup or Rearview Camera? Select all that apply.

- 1 Vehicle was closer to an object in the camera view than it appeared
- 2 Camera view did not show a vehicle, person, or other object that was behind me
- 3 Visibility impacted by weather conditions
- 4 Visibility impacted by dirt or debris on the camera lens
- 5 Some other issue or problem
- 6 I have not experienced any issues with my Backup or Rearview Camera
- 7 Never used Backup/Rearview Camera

T15. To what extent do you understand how a driver uses (or what they can expect when using) Backup or Rearview Camera technology?

- 1 Completely understand
- 2 Somewhat understand
- 3 Limited understanding
- 4 Do not understand at all

T16. Please think about Backup or Rearview Camera technology based on your experience or general beliefs about this feature. For each of the following statements, to what extent do you agree or disagree?

	Strongly agree	Somewhat agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Somewhat disagree	Strongly disagree
T16a. I trust and feel safe with this technology					
T16b. I find this technology annoying or distracting					
T16c. I think this technology reduces stress while driving					
T16d. I think this technology increases the risk of a crash					
T16e. I think this technology is easy to learn and explain					
T16f. I would recommend this technology to other drivers					

T17. Think about your driving behavior when you are in a vehicle with features that use a light or sound to alert the driver about something, such as Blind Spot Warning, Forward Collision Warning, or Lane Departure Warning.

How, if at all, would you say your driving behavior is different compared to when you are in a vehicle without these features? Select all that apply.

- 1 Drive slower
- 2 Drive faster
- 3 Change lanes less frequently
- 4 Change lanes more frequently
- 5 Look in your mirrors or over your shoulder more frequently
- 6 Look in your mirrors or over your shoulder less frequently
- 7 Increase distance from lead vehicle
- 8 Follow lead vehicle more closely
- 9 Use my phone or other electronic device more
- 10 Other (please specify)

- 11 There is no difference in my driving behavior
- 12 I have not driven a vehicle with these features

T18. Which, if any, of the following have you used to get information about new vehicle technologies that you may be unfamiliar with? For example, how it works, how to use it, or what to expect when using the feature. Select all that apply.

- 1 Internet sources (search engine, online videos, forums, etc.)
- 2 Social media (Facebook, Instagram, Twitter, etc.)
- 3 Mechanic or vehicle dealership staff
- 4 Owner's manual or materials from the vehicle manufacturer
- 5 Government safety website (National Highway Traffic and Safety Administration, safecar.gov, etc.)
- 6 Print materials (such as books, brochures, or pamphlets)
- 7 Friends or family
- 8 Other (please specify)

- 9 I have not sought out information about how to use vehicle technology

T19. Generally speaking, how useful do you think driver assistance technologies, like those described in this survey, are in preventing vehicle crashes?

- 1 Very useful
- 2 Somewhat useful
- 3 Not too useful
- 4 Not at all useful

T20. To what extent are you concerned, if at all, that drivers using driver assistance technologies may engage in increased distracted driving behavior (such as cell phone use, taking their eyes off the road, or hands off the steering wheel)?

- 1 Very concerned
- 2 Somewhat concerned
- 3 Not very concerned
- 4 Not concerned at all

T21. Next time you buy or lease a vehicle, will you want it to have each of the following types of driver assistance technologies?

	Definitely yes	Probably yes	Probably not	Definitely not	Don't know
T21a. Blind Spot Warning					
T21b. Forward Collision Warning					
T21c. Lane Departure Warning					
T21d. Backup or Rearview Camera					

TRAFFIC SAFETY ATTITUDES

If you have driven in the past 12 months, please continue with question A1.

If you have not driven in the past 12 months, please skip to question A6.

A1. Have you ever been stopped by police for any of the following traffic safety reasons while driving?

Select all that apply.

- 1 Speeding
- 2 Aggressive or reckless driving
- 3 Drunk or impaired driving
- 4 Seat belt violation
- 5 Illegal turn or improper lane change
- 6 Stop sign or red light violation
- 7 Distracted driving, such as using a cell phone while driving
- 8 Some other reason (please describe)

- 9 I have never been stopped by police for any traffic safety reason while driving → **Go to question A2**

A1a. In the past 12 months, how many times have you been stopped by police for a traffic safety reason while driving?

- 1 None
- 2 Once
- 3 2 to 3 times
- 4 4 to 6 times
- 5 7 to 9 times
- 6 10 or more times

A1b. When you were stopped by police in the past 12 months, did you receive a ticket for any traffic safety violation?

- 1 Yes
- 1 No → **Go to question A2**

A1c. How many?

 Tickets

A2. In the past 12 months, have you received a ticket

in the mail for any traffic safety violation identified by camera (such as an automated speed camera or red light camera)?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No → **Go to question A3**

A2a. How many?

 Tickets

A3. At each of the following times, do you believe you are more likely, less likely, or just as likely to get a ticket for a traffic safety violation?

	More likely	Less likely	Just as likely
A3a. On or around holidays			
A3b. During large events, such as sporting events or concerts			
A3c. At night			
A3d. Early in the morning			
A3e. During rush hour			
A3f. During bad weather, such as rain or snow			

A4. Assume that you were stopped and fined for speeding.

After receiving the ticket, do you think you would...?

- 1 Speed less often as a permanent change
- 2 Speed less often for at least a year
- 3 Speed less often for less than a year
- 4 Make no change

A5. Compared to before the COVID-19 pandemic (March 2020), do you think you are more likely to be stopped by law enforcement, less likely to be stopped by law enforcement, or is it about the same? Please be thinking about your likelihood of being stopped on any given day that you drive.

- 1 More likely
- 2 Less likely
- 3 About the same

A6. Thinking about drivers in the US, about how many do you believe have ever been stopped by the police for a traffic safety reason while driving?

- 1 All or nearly all drivers
- 2 Most drivers
- 3 About half of drivers
- 4 Fewer than half of drivers
- 5 None or nearly no drivers

A7. Thinking about drivers in the US, about how many do you believe at least occasionally drive more than 10 mph over the speed limit?

- 1 All or nearly all drivers
- 2 Most drivers
- 3 About half of drivers
- 4 Fewer than half of drivers
- 5 None or nearly no drivers

A8. Thinking about drivers in the US, about how many do you believe at least occasionally drive a vehicle when they think they've consumed too much alcohol to drive safely?

- 1 All or nearly all drivers
- 2 Most drivers
- 3 About half of drivers
- 4 Fewer than half of drivers
- 5 None or nearly no drivers

A9. Thinking about drivers in the US, about how many do you believe would agree to the following statement: Everyone should obey the speed limit because it's the law.

- 1 All or nearly all drivers
- 2 Most drivers
- 3 About half of drivers
- 4 Fewer than half of drivers
- 5 None or nearly no drivers

A10. Thinking about drivers in the US, about how many do you believe would agree to the following statement: Driving over the speed limit is not dangerous for skilled drivers.

- 1 All or nearly all drivers
- 2 Most drivers
- 3 About half of drivers
- 4 Fewer than half of drivers
- 5 None or nearly no drivers

A11. Thinking about drivers in the US, about how many do you believe would agree to the following statement: There is no excuse for driving while impaired by alcohol.

- 1 All or nearly all drivers
- 2 Most drivers
- 3 About half of drivers
- 4 Fewer than half of drivers
- 5 None or nearly no drivers

A12. Thinking about drivers in the US, about how many do you believe would agree to the following statement: It's okay to drive after a drink or two if you do not feel intoxicated.

- 1 All or nearly all drivers
- 2 Most drivers
- 3 About half of drivers
- 4 Fewer than half of drivers
- 5 None or nearly no drivers

A13. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statement? All drivers, regardless of demographic or personal characteristics, are equally likely to be stopped by law enforcement if they commit the same traffic safety violation.

- 1 Strongly agree
- 2 Somewhat agree
- 3 Somewhat disagree
- 4 Strongly disagree

A14. How dangerous do you feel the following driving behaviors are?

We are interested in your responses even if you do not engage in these activities.

	Extremely dangerous	Very dangerous	Moderately dangerous	Not very dangerous	Not dangerous at all
A14a. Speeding 15 mph over the speed limit on interstates, freeways, or other highways					
A14b. Speeding 10 mph over the speed limit on residential streets (neighborhood)					
A14c. Driving through a light that had just turned red if I could have stopped safely					
A14d. Driving aggressively (switching lanes quickly, driving very closely behind another car)					
A14e. Driving if I am so tired that I have a hard time keeping my eyes open					
A14f. Driving after drinking enough alcohol that I may be over the legal limit					
A14g. Riding in a car driven by someone who has had too much alcohol					
A14h. Driving when impaired by marijuana					
A14i. Driving while texting, e-mailing, or using apps on a handheld phone					
A14j. Driving without wearing a seat belt					

A15. How much do you believe people who are important to you, such as friends or family members, would approve or disapprove of each of the following behaviors?

	Completely approve	Somewhat approve	Somewhat disapprove	Completely disapprove
A15a. Driving without wearing a seat belt				
A15b. Driving while texting, e-mailing, or using apps on a handheld phone				
A15c. Speeding 15 mph over the speed limit on interstates, freeways, or other highways				
A15d. Speeding 10 mph over the speed limit on residential streets (neighborhood)				
A15e. Driving aggressively (switching lanes quickly, driving very closely behind another car)				
A15f. Driving after drinking enough alcohol that I may be over the legal limit				
A15g. Riding in a car driven by someone who has had too much alcohol				
A15h. Driving when impaired by marijuana				

A16. Assume that you regularly engage in each of the following behaviors over the next six months. For each one, how likely or unlikely do you think you will be to receive a ticket or be stopped by the police?

	Very likely	Somewhat likely	Somewhat unlikely	Very unlikely	This is not against the law where I live
A16a. Driving without wearing a seat belt					
A16b. Driving while texting, e-mailing, or using apps on a handheld phone					
A16c. Speeding 15 mph over the speed limit on interstates, freeways, or other highways					
A16d. Speeding 10 mph over the speed limit on residential streets (neighborhood)					
A16e. Driving aggressively (switching lanes quickly, driving very closely behind another car)					
A16f. Driving after drinking enough alcohol that I may be over the legal limit					
A16g. Driving when impaired by marijuana					

A17. How would you feel about using the following measures in your community...

	Good idea	Neither a good idea nor a bad idea	Bad idea
A17a. Roadside checkpoints for drunk or impaired drivers			
A17b. Increased use of red light cameras at intersections			
A17c. Road design changes, like speed humps and traffic circles, to slow down traffic			
A17d. Electronic signs by the road that display the speed of the driver			
A17e. Increased use of automated speed cameras			
A17f. Digital speed signs that change the speed limit on a section of road based on traffic or weather conditions			

Before we wrap up the survey, we have a few additional background questions about you.

C25. How old are you?

Years old

C26. What is your sex?

- 1 Female
- 2 Male

C27. In order to better understand driver and rider characteristics, we'd like to ask you about your height and weight.

About how tall are you without shoes?

Feet Inches

C28. What is your weight?

Pounds

C29. What is your race and/or ethnicity? Select all that apply.

- 1 American Indian or Alaska Native
- 2 Asian
- 3 Black or African American
- 4 Hispanic or Latino
- 5 Middle Eastern or North African
- 6 Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander
- 7 White

C30. Are you currently married, widowed, divorced, separated, or have you never been married?

- 1 Married
- 2 Widowed
- 3 Divorced
- 4 Separated
- 5 Never married

C31. Do you own or rent your home?

- 1 Own
- 2 Rent
- 3 Some other arrangement

C32. What is the highest degree or level of school you have completed?

- 1 Did not start high school
- 2 Some high school
- 3 High school diploma
- 4 GED or alternative credential
- 5 Some college with no degree
- 6 Two-year or Associate's degree
- 7 Four-year or Bachelor's degree
- 8 Some graduate school with no degree
- 9 Graduate or professional degree

C33. Which of the following categories best describes your total household income before taxes in 2024? Your best estimate is fine.

- 1 Less than \$15,000
- 2 \$15,000 to \$24,999
- 3 \$25,000 to \$34,999
- 4 \$35,000 to \$49,999
- 5 \$50,000 to \$74,999
- 6 \$75,000 to \$99,999
- 7 \$100,000 to \$149,999
- 8 \$150,000 to \$199,999
- 9 \$200,000 or more

C34. Including yourself, how many adults aged 18 and older live in your household?

Adults

C35. Which, if any, of the following aged children live in your household? Select all that apply.

- 1 Under 1 year old
- 2 1 or 2 years old
- 3 3, 4 or 5 years old
- 4 6, 7 or 8 years old
- 5 9, 10, 11 or 12 years old
- 6 13, 14 or 15 years old
- 7 16 or 17 years old
- 8 No children in my household

C36. What is your current employment status?

- 1 Working as a paid employee, full-time
- 2 Working as a paid employee, part-time
- 3 Not working and looking for work
- 4 Not working, retired
- 5 Not working due to disability
- 6 Not working, homemaker
- 7 Not working for any other reason

