

Questions for Testing Race and Ethnicity for the 2023 ABS

A.7 Number of Owners

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In 2021, how many people owned this business?

- *Do not combine two or more owners to create one owner.*
- *Count spouses and partners as separate owners.*
- *Count owners who owned at least 10% of this business.*

- ☐ 1 person
- ☐ 2 people
- ☐ 3 people
- ☐ 4 people
- ☐ 5 - 10 people
- ☐ 11 or more people
- ☐ Business is owned by a parent company, estate, trust or other entity
- ☐ Do not know

B.1.9 Prior Business Ownership

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Not including this business, what is the status of the previous business *Owner 1* started most recently?

- ☐ This is the owner's first business
- ☐ Business is still operating, and *Owner 1* still owns it
- ☐ Business is no longer in operation
- ☐ Business was purchased by another company
- ☐ Business was purchased by another individual
- ☐ Other (specify) ↴

B.1.10 Education Prior to Owning the Business

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Prior to establishing, purchasing, or acquiring this business, what was the highest degree or level of school *Owner 1* completed?

- ☐ Less than high school / secondary school graduate – **Skip to 'B.1.12 Age'** on page 9
- ☐ High school / secondary school graduate – Diploma or GED – **Skip to 'B.1.12 Age'** on page 9
- ☐ Technical, trade, or vocational school – **Skip to 'B.1.12 Age'** on page 9
- ☐ Some college, but no degree – **Skip to 'B.1.12 Age'** on page 9
- ☐ Associate Degree (for example, AA, AS) – **Skip to 'B.1.12 Age'** on page 9
- ☐ Bachelor's Degree (for example, BA, BS)
- ☐ Master's Degree (for example, MA, MEng, MEd, MSW, MBA)
- ☐ Doctorate Degree (for example, PhD, EdD)
- ☐ Professional Degree, beyond a Bachelor's Degree (for example, MD, DDS, DVM, LLB, JD)

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B.1.11 Field of Highest Degree Prior to Owning the Business

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Prior to establishing, purchasing, or acquiring this business, what was the field of the highest degree completed for *Owner 1*? **Select all that apply.**

- ☐ Biological, agricultural and environmental life sciences
- ☐ Chemistry, except biochemistry
- ☐ Computer and mathematical sciences and other technology and technical fields
- ☐ Earth, atmospheric and ocean sciences
- ☐ Economics, political science, psychology, sociology, and other social sciences
- ☐ Engineering
- ☐ Health
- ☐ Physics and astronomy
- ☐ Science and mathematics teacher education
- ☐ Other science and engineering related fields, not listed above 

- ☐ Art and humanities fields
- ☐ Education, except science and math teacher education
- ☐ Management and administration fields
- ☐ Sales and marketing fields
- ☐ Social service and related fields
- ☐ Other non-science and non-engineering related fields, not listed above 

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B.1.12 Age

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What was the age of *Owner 1* as of December 31, 2021?

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Under 25

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45 - 54

☐

25 - 34

☐

55 - 64

☐

35 - 44

☐

65 or over

B.1.1 Sex

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What is the sex of *Owner 1*?

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Male

☐

Female

B.1.14 U.S. Citizenship

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Is *Owner 1* a citizen of the United States?

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Yes

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No

B.1.15 Owner Disability

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Does *Owner 1* have a physical or mental impairment that substantially limits one or more of his/her major life activities? For this survey, major life activities can include both those in everyday and professional life.

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Yes

☐

No

☐

Don't know

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Race and Ethnicity (short version)

Owner #1: What is Owner X's race or ethnicity? (Select [X] ALL that apply.)

- a. White
- b. Hispanic or Latino
- c. Black or African American
- d. Asian
- e. American Indian or Alaska Native
- f. Middle Eastern or North African
- g. Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander

Race and Ethnicity (long version)

Owner #1: What is Owner X's race or ethnicity? (Select [X] ALL that apply **AND** enter additional details in the spaces below. *Note, you may report more than one group.*)

a. White- Provide details below.

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| ☐ German | ☐ Italian |
| ☐ Irish | ☐ Polish |
| ☐ English | ☐ French |
| ☐ Enter, for example, Scottish, Norwegian, Dutch, etc. _____ | |

b. Hispanic or Latino- Provide details below.

- ☐ Mexican or Mexican American
- ☐ Salvadoran
- ☐ Puerto Rican
- ☐ Dominican
- ☐ Cuban
- ☐ Colombian
- ☐ Enter, for example, Guatemalan, Spaniard, Ecuadorian, etc. _____

c. Black or African American- Provide details below

- ☐ African American
- ☐ Nigerian
- ☐ Jamaican
- ☐ Haitian
- ☐ Ethiopian
- ☐ Somali
- ☐ Enter, for example, Ghanaian, South African, Barbadian, etc. _____

d. Asian- Provide details below.

- ☐ Chinese
- ☐ Filipino
- ☐ Vietnamese
- ☐ Korean
- ☐ Japanese

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- ☐ Enter, for example, Pakistani, Cambodian, Hmong, etc. _____

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- e. American Indian or Alaska Native- Enter, for example, Navajo Nation, Blackfeet Tribe, Mayan, Aztec, Native Village of Barrow Inupiat Tribal Government, Tlingit, etc.

- f. Middle Easter or North African- Provide details below.

- I ☐ Lebanese
☐ Syrian
☐ Iranian
☐ Moroccan
☐ Egyptian
☐ Israeli
☐ Enter, for example, Algerian, Iraqi, Kurdish, etc. _____

- g. Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander- Provide details below.

- ☐ Native Hawaiian
☐ Tongan
☐ Samoan
☐ Fijian
☐ Chamorro
☐ Marshallese
☐ Enter, for example, Palauan, Tahitian, Chuukese, etc. _____