



Q1. Do you live in the New York City metropolitan area? The New York City metropolitan area includes New York City, Long Island, the Mid and Lower Hudson Valley, northern New Jersey, and southern Connecticut.

	<u>Total</u>	<u>NYC</u>	<u>Outside NYC</u>
Yes.....	100%	100%	100%
No.....	-	-	-

P1. When it comes to politics, do you generally think of yourself as a strong Democrat, not very strong Democrat, strong Republican, not very strong Republican, an independent, or some other political party? **[IF INDEPENDENT/OTHER]** Do you think of yourself as closer to the Democratic Party or the Republican Party?

	<u>Total</u>	<u>NYC</u>	<u>Outside NYC</u>
Strong Democrat	34%	45%	26%
Weak Democrat.....	22	24	21
Independent / Closer to the Democrats.....	7	6	7
Independent.....	17	14	19
Independent / Closer to the Republicans	2	1	3
Weak Republican	9	4	12
Strong Republican.....	9	5	12
DEMOCRAT (NET)	56%	69	47
INDEPENDENT (NET)	26	21	29
REPUBLICAN (NET)	18	10	25
DEMOCRAT W/ LEANERS (NET)	63%	75	54
REPUBLICAN W/ LEANERS (NET).....	21	11	28

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	<u>SATISFIED</u>		<u>DISSATISFIED</u>		<u>Not sure</u>	<u>NET</u>	
	<u>Very</u>	<u>Some</u>	<u>Some</u>	<u>Very</u>		<u>SATISFIED</u>	<u>DISSATISFIED</u>
• Having equal opportunity regardless of your race, ethnicity, gender, religion, or sexual orientation	25%	43	17	10	5	68%	27
NYC	23%	42	17	14	5	65%	31
Outside NYC	27%	43	17	8	6	70%	24
• The overall quality of life	21%	46	21	9	3	67%	30
NYC	21%	43	23	12	2	63%	35
Outside NYC	21%	48	19	7	3	70%	27
• The safety of local communities	21%	40	22	13	3	61%	35
NYC	22%	38	23	15	3	59%	38
Outside NYC	21%	42	22	12	4	63%	34
• The quality of public education	21%	38	18	14	9	59%	32
NYC	22%	38	15	17	8	60%	32
Outside NYC	20%	38	20	12	10	58%	32
• The quality of public transportation.....	18%	39	23	13	8	57%	35
NYC	21%	44	18	15	3	64%	33
Outside NYC	16%	35	26	11	12	52%	37

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	Very	Some	Some	Very		SATISFIED	DISSATISFIED
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• The ability to find a satisfactory, good-paying job.....	18%	35	25	12	9	54%	38
NYC	22%	31	24	15	9	52%	39
Outside NYC	16%	39	26	11	9	54%	37
• The direction the New York City area is headed in.....	15%	35	23	18	10	50%	40
NYC	17%	37	22	14	9	54%	37
Outside NYC	14%	33	23	20	10	47%	43
• The ability to find satisfactory housing you can afford.....	15%	28	25	28	5	42%	52
NYC	18%	24	22	32	5	41%	54
Outside NYC	12%	31	27	25	5	43%	51

NET SATISFACTION INDEX SCORE: 57.3

Q12. Five to 10 years from now, do you expect the quality of life in your community to be better, worse, or about the same?

	Total	NYC	Outside NYC	2013
Better.....	48%	58%	42%	28%
Worse.....	20	18	22	19
About the same.....	31	24	36	48

Q13. What are the most important factors for a good quality of life to you? *Select up to three.*

	Total	NYC	Outside NYC
Low crime and safety.....	51%	55%	47%
Reasonable housing costs.....	34	35	34
Employment opportunities.....	31	35	28
Clean air and water.....	28	25	30
Fair taxes.....	23	14	30
Friendly people and neighborhoods.....	20	20	21
Racial justice.....	20	26	15
Quality public schools.....	18	15	21
Proximity to your family.....	15	8	20
Access to public transportation.....	10	14	8
Sense of community.....	10	9	10
Access to arts, culture, sports and entertainment.....	9	11	9
Vibrant retail and commercial areas.....	7	6	7
Proximity to your workplace.....	7	6	7
Recreational and open space opportunities.....	6	7	5
Resilience to weather (extreme heat, flooding, natural disasters, etc.).....	5	5	4

Q14. [IF NEW YORK CITY] Would you encourage someone to move to New York City today?

	Total	NYC	Outside NYC
Yes.....	58%	58%	-
No.....	42	42	-

Q15. Would you move out of your community if you could?

	Total	NYC	Outside NYC	2013
Yes, would move.....	52%	57%	49%	36%
No, would stay.....	48	43	51	62

Q16. [IF CONSIDERING MOVING] Where have you thought about moving to?

	Total	NYC	Outside NYC
New York City.....	19%	26%	13%
Westchester/Hudson Valley	8	4	11
New Jersey	13	14	11
Connecticut.....	4	3	5
Out of the New York City metropolitan area completely..	56	52	60

Q17. [IF CONSIDERING MOVING] Which of the following are reasons you have considered moving?

	Total	NYC	Outside NYC
High cost of housing	57%	56%	57%
High taxes.....	49	36	60
Crime	37	46	30
Poor quality streets and neighborhoods.....	30	37	24
Overcrowded housing/lack of space	29	33	25
Traffic congestion/lack of parking	25	25	25
The coronavirus pandemic	21	29	14
Air pollution	16	20	13
Lack of open spaces and parks.....	15	17	14
Climate (heat, flooding, etc.).....	15	11	18
Health risks	14	18	10
Want to be closer to family	13	15	13
Job loss.....	12	11	12
Inadequate public education.....	10	9	11
Inadequate public transportation	10	11	9
Other.....	9	9	9

Q18. What do you think are the biggest threats to the New York City metropolitan area? *Select up to three.*

	Total	NYC	Outside NYC
High cost of living	45%	44%	47%
Crime	33	32	33
High taxes.....	31	18	40
Housing unaffordability	25	29	23
Homelessness	22	26	19
The coronavirus pandemic	22	22	21
Poor leadership and public distrust in government	19	12	24
The economy	17	16	18
Social and racial inequality	15	20	11
Job loss/Lack of job opportunities	14	18	11
Air pollution	8	10	6
Health risks	8	10	6
Climate change.....	7	7	6
Declining or unsafe public transportation	6	9	3
Declining city or state revenues.....	6	5	6
Poor schools.....	5	4	6
Inadequate public education.....	4	3	4
Other.....	1	1	1

Q19. What do you think are the most important ways to address inequality in our region? *Select up to three.*

	Total	NYC	Outside NYC
More affordable housing.....	44%	41%	46%
Reducing racial discrimination.....	33	33	32
Job creation	27	27	27
Better public education	27	26	28
Higher wages.....	25	21	28
Better health care	24	24	25
Better social services.....	21	25	19
Better policing.....	20	19	21
More job training.....	14	14	14
Improving infrastructure.....	13	16	11
Better public transportation.....	8	10	7
Better and more affordable Internet service.....	6	9	4
More open spaces and parks	6	7	5
Increased response to climate change.....	5	5	5
Other.....	2	2	3

Q20. Please indicate how important you feel each of the following is for future city and state leaders to focus on:

	IMPORTANT		NOT IMPORTANT		NET		
	Very	Some	Not that	Not at all	IMPORTANT	NOT IMPORTANT	
• Jobs and the economy.....	83%	16	1	*	99%	1	
	NYC	84%	15	1	*	99%	1
	Outside NYC	82%	18	1	-	99%	1
• Education	76%	23	1	*	99%	1	
	NYC	75%	24	*	*	99%	1
	Outside NYC	77%	21	2	*	98%	2
• Housing and homelessness.....	75%	23	2	*	98%	2	
	NYC	81%	17	2	1	98%	2
	Outside NYC	70%	28	2	*	98%	2
• Public health.....	76%	22	2	*	98%	2	
	NYC	81%	18	1	-	99%	1
	Outside NYC	73%	25	2	1	97%	3
• Access to food	71%	26	2	*	98%	2	
	NYC	71%	27	1	-	99%	1
	Outside NYC	71%	26	2	1	97%	3
• Crime	77%	20	3	*	97%	3	
	NYC	78%	18	4	*	95%	5
	Outside NYC	76%	21	2	*	98%	2
• Transportation.....	49%	45	5	*	94%	6	
	NYC	59%	39	1	*	98%	2
	Outside NYC	42%	49	8	1	91%	9
• The environment.....	58%	34	5	2	92%	8	
	NYC	64%	31	3	2	95%	5
	Outside NYC	55%	36	7	2	91%	9

Q20. Please indicate how important you feel each of the following is for future city and state leaders to focus on:

	IMPORTANT		NOT IMPORTANT		NET	
	Very	Some	Not that	Not at all	IMPORTANT	NOT IMPORTANT
• Racism and inequality.....	66%	25	4	5	91%	9
NYC	73%	22	2	3	95%	5
Outside NYC	60%	28	6	6	88%	12
• Climate change.....	53%	31	11	5	84%	16
NYC	58%	30	9	2	89%	11
Outside NYC	48%	31	13	8	80%	20

Q21. When it comes to the coronavirus pandemic in your community, do you personally think that...

	Total	NYC	Outside NYC
The worst is yet to come.....	25%	31%	20%
The worst is over.....	50	45	54
Don't know enough to say.....	25	25	26

Q22. Which of the following best characterizes life for you since the coronavirus pandemic began?

	Total	NYC	Outside NYC
Extremely difficult.....	11%	12%	10%
Somewhat difficult.....	13	13	12
Challenging, but I have managed.....	51	48	53
Not so bad.....	13	13	12
Pretty good.....	7	7	7
Very good.....	4	4	5
Not sure.....	1	3	*
DIFFICULT (NET).....	75%	73	76
NOT DIFFICULT (NET).....	24	24	24

Q23. Which of these would you consider your household's largest source of stress during the coronavirus pandemic? *Select up to two.*

	Total	NYC	Outside NYC
Social isolation.....	51%	48%	52%
Lack of a job/job insecurity.....	26	28	25
Rent or home payments.....	25	30	22
Poor health or sickness.....	17	18	16
Lack of childcare/schools closed.....	13	14	12
Access to food.....	12	13	11
Lack of transportation.....	7	10	5
Other.....	7	5	8

Q24. Thinking about crime, would you say your local community feels more or less safe than it did before the coronavirus pandemic?

	Total	NYC	Outside NYC
Less safe.....	28%	37%	21%
More safe.....	19	19	20
About the same.....	53	44	59

Q25. Do you know anyone who has been infected with coronavirus?

	Total	NYC	Outside NYC
I have.....	13%	11%	15%
A family member has.....	37	34	40
A friend has.....	42	44	40
Someone else I personally know has.....	40	41	39
Nobody I know has been infected with coronavirus.....	19	22	17
KNOW SOMEONE (NET).....	81%	78	83

Q26. Understanding that it may be difficult to talk about, do you personally know anyone who has died from complications related to coronavirus?

	<u>Total</u>	<u>NYC</u>	<u>Outside NYC</u>
A family member has	14%	16%	13%
A friend has	16	18	15
Someone else I personally know has	32	34	30
Nobody I know has died from complications due to coronavirus	50	47	52
KNOW SOMEONE (NET)	50%	53	48

For statistical purposes only, please answer the following questions.

D100. What is your gender?

	<u>Total</u>	<u>NYC</u>	<u>Outside NYC</u>
Male	47%	46%	47%
Female	53	54	53
Non-binary	*	-	*
Other	-	-	-

DAGE. What is your age?

	<u>Total</u>	<u>NYC</u>	<u>Outside NYC</u>
18-29	21%	24%	18%
30-44	29	30	28
45-54	16	19	14
55-64	17	16	17
65+	17	10	22

D102. What is the last grade of school or level of education you completed?

	<u>Total</u>	<u>NYC</u>	<u>Outside NYC</u>
Did not complete high school	2%	2%	2%
Graduated high school	23	25	22
Attended technical/vocational school	5	5	5
Attended some college but no degree	19	16	22
Graduated two-year college with Associate's degree	9	9	10
Graduated four-year college with Bachelor's degree	22	22	22
Obtained Master's, PhD, or other professional degree (MD, DMD, etc.)	20	22	19

Q60. Where were you born?

	<u>Total</u>	<u>NYC</u>	<u>Outside NYC</u>
The New York city metropolitan area	73%	74%	72%
Somewhere else in the United States	14	9	17
Outside of the United States	14	17	11

D103. Are you or is anyone in your household an active or retired member of a labor union?

	<u>Total</u>	<u>NYC</u>	<u>Outside NYC</u>
Yes, me	14%	14%	14%
Yes, someone in my household	10	11	10
Yes, both me and someone in my household	2	3	2
No	74	72	75
YES (NET)	26%	28	25

D105. When it comes to politics, do you generally think of yourself as:

	<u>Total</u>	<u>NYC</u>	<u>Outside NYC</u>
Very liberal.....	18%	22%	16%
Somewhat liberal.....	20	20	20
Moderate.....	40	44	38
Somewhat conservative.....	13	7	17
Very conservative.....	8	7	9
LIBERAL (NET).....	38%	42	36
CONSERVATIVE (NET).....	21	14	26

DRACE. To ensure we have a representative sample, please indicate your race. **[IF BLACK/WHITE/OTHER]** Do you consider yourself a Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish-speaking American?

	<u>Total</u>	<u>NYC</u>	<u>Outside NYC</u>
Black/African-American.....	18%	26%	13%
White/Caucasian.....	51	34	63
Hispanic/Latino.....	20	25	17
Asian-American.....	9	12	6
Native American.....	*	*	-
Other.....	2	2	2

D310. And, for statistical purposes only, what would you say is your total annual family income before taxes?

	<u>Total</u>	<u>NYC</u>	<u>Outside NYC</u>
Less than \$25,000.....	15%	15%	15%
\$25,000 - \$49,999.....	20	24	18
\$50,000 - \$74,999.....	18	15	19
\$75,000 - \$99,999.....	13	12	14
\$100,000 - \$149,999.....	17	17	18
\$150,000 or more.....	12	12	12
Prefer not to say.....	5	4	6

D142. Do you own or rent the house or apartment where you live?

	<u>Total</u>	<u>NYC</u>	<u>Outside NYC</u>
Own.....	51%	41%	58%
Rent.....	46	56	39
Other.....	3	2	3

Q61. Who lives in your household?

	<u>Total</u>	<u>NYC</u>	<u>Outside NYC</u>
Live alone.....	21%	22%	21%
Live with family.....	69	66	71
Live with roommates.....	5	6	4
Other.....	5	7	4

D161. Do you have access to the internet?

	<u>Total</u>	<u>NYC</u>	<u>Outside NYC</u>
Yes.....	99%	100%	99%
No.....	1	*	1

Q3. Are you the parent or guardian of a child under the age of 18?

	<u>Total</u>	<u>NYC</u>	<u>Outside NYC</u>
Yes.....	33%	38%	30%
No.....	67	62	70

Region	Total	NYC	Outside NYC
Connecticut.....	4%	-	7%
Hudson Valley	11	-	19
Long Island	14	-	23
NYC	42	100	-
Inner NJ Suburbs.....	15	-	27
Outer NJ Suburbs.....	14	-	25