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Respondents' perceptions of police brutality in their area

United States, selected years 1965-2005

Question: "In some places in the nation there have been charges of police brutality. Do you think there is any police brutality in your area, or not?"

	Yes	No	Don't know/ refused
1965	9%	79%	12%
1967	6	81	13
March 1991	35	60	5
July 1991	39	56	5
1999	38	57	5
2000	32	65	3
2005	31	65	4

Note: See Note, [table 2.13.2005](#). For a discussion of public opinion survey sampling procedures, see [Appendix 5](#).

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