

Table 2.60

Respondents reporting having a gun in their home

By demographic characteristics, United States, 2003

Question: "Do you have a gun in your home?"

	Yes	No
National	43%	56%
Sex		
Male	50	49
Female	37	62
Race		
White	44	55
Nonwhite	38	60
Black	43	56
Age		
18 to 29 years	31	69
30 to 49 years	46	52
50 to 64 years	53	46
50 years and older	46	53
65 years and older	36	62
Education		
College post graduate	29	69
College graduate	35	65
Some college	49	51
High school graduate or less	47	51
Income		
\$75,000 and over	44	55
\$50,000 to \$74,999	48	51
\$30,000 to \$49,999	50	50
\$20,000 to \$29,999	34	64
Under \$20,000	29	70
Community		
Urban area	39	60
Suburban area	37	62
Rural area	58	41
Region		
East	29	70
Midwest	47	52
South	53	46
West	40	58
Politics		
Republican	55	45
Democrat	33	65
Independent	41	58

Note: See Note, [table 2.13](#). The "don't know/refused" category has been omitted; therefore percents may not sum to 100. For a discussion of public opinion survey sampling procedures, see [Appendix 5](#).

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