




What is your age and gender?

You are invited to take part in this survey about your perception of inequality and support for redistribution. More information about the survey is available at 

<https://inequalitystudy.wordpress.com/>

Your participation in this survey is voluntary and you may decline to take part or withdraw at any time.

Access to the data you provide will be restricted to the research team and your identity will remain confidential.

If you would like to proceed, please click below.

Male

Under 18

18 - 34

35 - 54

55 +

Female

Under 18

18 - 34

35 - 54

55 +

If a national election was held today, which political party would you vote for?

Republican Party

Democratic Party

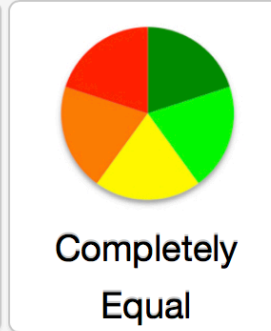
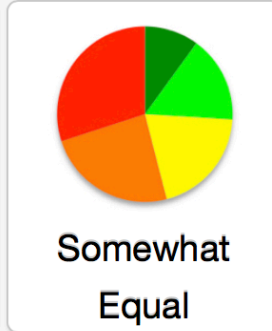
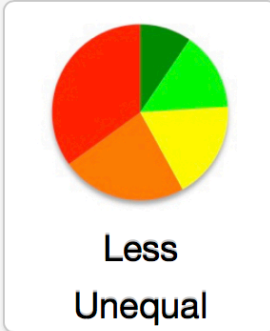
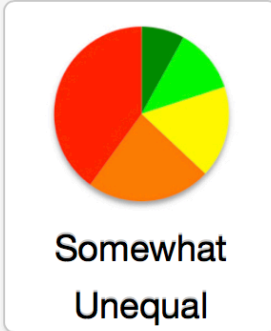
Would not vote

Don't know



Assume the total American population is broken into 5 income groups, each with the same number of people. Click on the graph that you think shows:

how income is **CURRENTLY** distributed between these groups.



In which of these income groups do you place **your household**? ✕

Richest

2nd Richest

Middle

2nd Poorest

Poorest

Regardless of how you previously answered, which best shows

how income **SHOULD** be distributed?



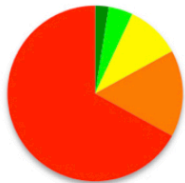
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Extremely
Unequal



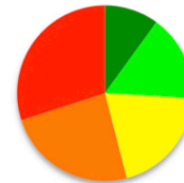
Very
Unequal



Somewhat
Unequal



Less
Unequal



Somewhat
Equal



Completely
Equal

Including yourself, how many people live in your home? ✕

1

2

3

4

5

6

7

8+

What was your total household income last year? ✕

Less than \$75,000

\$75,000 - \$125,000

\$125,001 - \$185,000

\$185,001 - \$275,000

More than \$275,000

Do you agree or disagree that **“The gap between the rich and the poor in the USA is too large”**? ✕

Strongly agree

Agree

Neither agree
nor disagree

Disagree

Strongly
disagree

In the USA, if people are willing to work hard, how easy or difficult is it for them to increase the amount of money they have? ✕

Easy

Difficult

Impossible

Don't know

Which one of the following is the **MOST important** for the government of the USA to do, to reduce income inequality?

Increase funding for safety net programs like social security, Medicaid and nutrition assistance

Cut taxes for large companies

Raise taxes on the rich

Pass legislation to ensure equal pay for women

Cut regulations on businesses

Raise the minimum wage

Provide free and high quality education and medical care for all people

Other / Don't know

The government is faced with the choice of reducing debt by either increasing income taxes on the richest 1% or by cutting public services (health and education).

Do you think income taxes on the richest 1% of people should be:

Increased

Stay the same

Decreased

Don't know

How urgently should the government of the USA act to address the difference in income between the rich and poor?

Very urgently

Urgently

Less urgently

Not urgent at all

Don't know



To what extent do you agree or disagree that:
"It is the responsibility of the government to reduce the gap between the rich and the poor"?

Strongly agree

Agree

Neither agree
nor disagree

Disagree

Strongly
disagree

Don't know

What is the highest level of education you have completed?

Primary

Secondary

Post-secondary vocational training

Bachelor's degree

Master's degree or higher

Where do you live?




Large city

Suburb

Rural area / farm

Small town / village

How much do you think the **CEO of a large American corporation** earns per year (in dollars)? ✕

Click to submit 

How much do you think the CEO of a large American corporation **SHOULD** earn per year (in dollars)?



Click to submit 

How much do you think an **unskilled worker in a factory** earns per year (in dollars)? ✕

Click to submit 

How much do you think an unskilled worker in a factory **SHOULD** earn per year (in dollars)? ✕

Click to submit 

Thank you