# PEW RESEARCH CENTER <br> OCTOBER 2013 HIGHER EDUCATION AND GENDER SURVEY <br> FINAL TOPLINE <br> OCTOBER 7-27, 2013 

TOTAL N= 2,002 ADULTS 18+ INCLUDING 982 ADULTS AGES 18-34
NOTE: ALL NUMBERS ARE PERCENTAGES. THE PERCENTAGES GREATER THAN ZERO BUT LESS THAN 0.5\% ARE REPLACED BY AN ASTERISK (*). COLUMNS/ROWS MAY NOT TOTAL 100\% DUE TO ROUNDING. UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED, ALL TRENDS REFERENCE SURVEYS FROM SOCIAL \& DEMOGRAPHIC TRENDS AND THE PEW RESEARCH CENTER FOR THE PEOPLE \& THE PRESS.

ASK ALL:
Q. 1 Generally, how would you say things are these days in your life - would you say that you are very happy, pretty happy, or not too happy?

| 32 | Very happy |
| :---: | :--- |
| 48 | Pretty happy |
| 17 | Not too happy |
| 2 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) |

Trends: ${ }^{\mathbf{1}}$

| Oct 2013 | Very <br> happy | Pretty <br> happy | Not too <br> happy | DK/Refused <br> (VOL.) |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Nov 2012 | 32 | 48 | 17 | 2 |
| Jul 2012 | 29 | 51 | 16 | 4 |
| Dec 2011 | 30 | 47 | 21 | 1 |
| Sep 2011 | 31 | 50 | 15 | 3 |
| Mar 2011 | 30 | 47 | 20 | 3 |
| Jan 2010 | 30 | 52 | 16 | 2 |
| Jul 2009 | 28 | 54 | 16 | 2 |
| Apr 2009 | 34 | 49 | 15 | 3 |
| Feb 2009 | 29 | 52 | 16 | 4 |
| Oct 2008 | 32 | 49 | 15 | 4 |
| Jun 2008 | 29 | 51 | 17 | 3 |
| Sep 2006 | 35 | 48 | 14 | 3 |
| Nov 2005 | 36 | 51 | 12 | 1 |
| Oct 2005 | 29 | 56 | 14 | 1 |
| Late Mar 2003 | 34 | 50 | 15 | 1 |
| Feb 2003 | 29 | 51 | 16 | 4 |
| Sep 1996 | 29 | 51 | 17 | 3 |
|  | 34 | 53 | 11 | 2 |

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## ASK ALL:

Q. 2 Next, please tell me whether you are satisfied or dissatisfied, on the whole, with the following aspects of your life: (First/Next) [READ AND RANDOMIZE] [IF NECESSARY: Are you satisfied or dissatisfied?]

REQUIRED PROBE: Would you say you are VERY (dis)satisfied or SOMEWHAT (dis)satisfied?
a. Your family life

| 73 | Very satisfied |
| :---: | :--- |
| 18 | Somewhat satisfied |
| 4 | Somewhat dissatisfied |
| 2 | Very dissatisfied |
| 1 | Does not apply (VOL.) |
| 2 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) |

b. Your personal financial situation

Very satisfied
Somewhat satisfied
Somewhat dissatisfied
Very dissatisfied
Does not apply (VOL.)
Don't know/Refused (VOL.)
c. Your current job

| $\frac{\text { Total }}{}$ |  | All employed |
| :---: | :--- | :---: |
| 35 | Very satisfied | 52 |
| 21 | Somewhat satisfied | 31 |
| 6 | Somewhat dissatisfied | 8 |
| 7 | Very dissatisfied | 6 |
| 29 | Does not apply (VOL.) | 1 |
| 1 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 2 |
|  |  | $(\mathrm{n}=1,301)$ |

## Q. 2 CONTINUED ...

## Trends: ${ }^{3}$

|  |  |  |  |  | Does <br> not <br> apply | DK/Ref. <br> (VOL.) |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| (VOL.) |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## NO QUESTION 3

## ASK ALL:

On a different subject...
Q. 4 Do you think society generally treats men and women equally, or does it favor women over men, or men over women?

| Total |  | Men | Women |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 40 | Men and women equally | 46 | 34 |
| 9 | Women over men | 12 | 6 |
| 45 | Men over women | 36 | 53 |
| 6 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 6 | 7 |
|  |  | $(n=1,059)$ | $(n=943)$ |

[^1]
## QUESTION 4 CONTINUED ...

Trends for comparison: ${ }^{7}$

|  | Men and <br> women <br> equally | Women <br> over men | Men over <br> women | Unsure <br> (VOL.) | DK/Refused <br> (VOL.) |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Gallup/CNN/ USA <br> Today: Sep 1995 <br> Gallup/CNN/ USA | 18 | 7 | 73 | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | 2 |
| Today: July 1994 <br> Gallup/CNN/ USA <br> Today: Aug 1993 | 27 | 16 | 53 | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | 5 |

## SOME DEMOGRAPHIC ITEMS HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE; NO QUESTIONS 5-6; QUESTIONS 7-24 HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE; NO QUESTIONS 25-27

## ASK ALL:

On another subject...
E3 [IF SCHL=1-4: Some students also do some type of work for pay.] Are you now employed fulltime, part-time or not employed? [INTERVIEWER: IF RESPONDENT VOLUNTEERS THAT THEY WORK IN THE HOME, I.E. CARING FOR THEIR KIDS OR BEING A HOMEMAKER, ASK: Are you now employed FOR PAY full-time, part-time, or not employed for pay.]

| 60 | Employed(NET) |
| :---: | :---: |
| 46 | Full-time |
| 14 | Part-time |
| 40 | Not employed (NET) |
| 24 | Not employed |
| 2 | Disabled (VOL.) |
| 14 | Retired (VOL.) |
| $*$ | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) |

## IF NOT WORKING (E3=3-9), ASK: [n=701]

E3a Have you ever worked either full or part time?
93 Yes, have worked
7 No, have not worked

* Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

ASK IF EMPLOYED OR EVER WORKED (E3=1,2 OR E3a=1): [n=1,963]
D. 1 Have you ever been discriminated against at work because of your gender, or has this never happened to you?

| Total | Men | Women |  |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 14 | Yes | 10 | 18 |
| 86 | No, never happened | 90 | 82 |
| $*$ | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | $*$ | $*$ |
|  |  | $(n=1,049)$ | $(n=914)$ |

[^2]IF YES (D.1=1), ASK: [n=273]
D. 2 Did this have a negative impact on your career, or not?

IF, YES NEGATIVE IMPACT (D.2=1), ASK: [ $\mathrm{n}=107$ ]
D. 3 Did it have a big impact or a small impact?

| $\frac{\text { Total }}{}$ |  | $\frac{\text { Men }}{}$ | Women |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 43 | Yes, had a negative impact | 37 | 46 |
| 31 | Big impact | 23 | 35 |
| 10 | Small impact | 10 | 11 |
| 1 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 4 | 0 |
| 55 | No, not a negative impact | 1 | 53 |
| $*$ | Had a positive impact (VOL.) | 4 | $*$ |
| 2 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | $(\mathrm{n}=101)$ | $(\mathrm{n}=172)$ |

IF D.1=1, ASK: [ $n=273$ ]
D. 4 Thinking more specifically, have any of the following things happened to you or not? First, have you
[READ AND RANDOMIZE], or not? Have you ...
a. Been denied a promotion because of your gender

| $\frac{\text { Total }}{37}$ | Yes | $\frac{\text { Men }}{34}$ | $\frac{\text { Women }}{39}$ |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 60 | No | 65 | 57 |
| 3 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 1 | 4 |
|  |  | $(n=101)$ | $(n=172)$ |

b. Earned less than a (IF SEX=1: woman; IF SEX=2: man) who was doing the same job

| $\frac{\text { Total }}{52}$ | Yes | $\frac{\text { Men }}{27}$ | $\frac{\text { Women }}{66}$ |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 40 | No | 68 | 25 |
| 7 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 5 | 9 |
|  |  | $(n=101)$ | $(n=172)$ |

c. Been turned down for a job because of your gender

| $\frac{\text { Total }}{30}$ | Yes | $\frac{\text { Men }}{31}$ | $\frac{\text { Women }}{30}$ |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 65 | No | 61 | 67 |
| 5 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 8 | 3 |
|  |  | $(n=101)$ | $(n=172)$ |

IF WORKING PART-TIME (E3=2): [n=265]
E4 You mentioned that you currently work part-time. Would you prefer to be working full-time, or not?

| $\frac{\text { Total }}{}$ | Men | Women |  |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 36 | Yes, prefer full-time | 42 | 32 |
| 63 | No, would not | 55 | 68 |
| 1 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 2 | 1 |
|  |  | $(\mathrm{n}=119)$ | $(\mathrm{n}=146)$ |

IF WORKING FULL-TIME (E3=1): [ $\mathrm{n}=1,036$ ]
E5 You mentioned that you currently work full-time. Would you prefer to be working part-time, or not?

| $\frac{\text { Total }}{}$ |  | $\frac{\text { Men }}{}$ | $\frac{\text { Women }}{}$ |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 16 | Yes, prefer part-time | 85 | 78 |
| 82 | No, would not | 21 | 1 |
| 2 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 2 | $(\mathrm{n}=658)$ |

## QUESTIONS E6,28-29 HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE

## ASK ALL WHO ARE NOT RETIRED (E3 NE 5): [ $n=1,750$ ]

Q. 30 There are many things people value in a job. How important is each of these things to you personally? First, (INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE) - Is this extremely important, very important, somewhat important, or not too important? How about (INSERT ITEM)? READ IF NECESSARY: Is this extremely important, very important, somewhat important, or not too important?
a. Having a high-paying job

| $\frac{\text { Total }}{}$ |  | Men | Women |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 18 | Extremely important | 18 | 18 |
| 37 | Very important | 39 | 35 |
| 35 | Somewhat important | 32 | 38 |
| 8 | Not too important | 9 | 7 |
| 1 | Not at all important (VOL.) | $*$ | 1 |
| $*$ | Does not apply (VOL.) | $*$ | $*$ |
| 1 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 1 | 1 |
|  |  | $(\mathrm{n}=944)$ | $(\mathrm{n}=806)$ |

b. Having job security

| $\frac{\text { Total }}{35}$ | Extremely important | $\frac{\text { Men }}{33}$ | $\frac{\text { Women }}{37}$ |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 51 | Very important | 52 | 51 |
| 9 | Somewhat important | 10 | 8 |
| 3 | Not too important | 3 | 2 |
| $*$ | Not at all important (VOL.) | $*$ | $*$ |
| $*$ | Does not apply (VOL.) | $*$ | 1 |
| 1 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 1 | 1 |
|  |  | $(\mathrm{n}=944)$ | $(\mathrm{n}=806)$ |

c. Being able to take time off for family or child care needs

| Total | $\frac{\text { Men }}{}$ | Women |  |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 33 | Extremely important | 31 | 35 |
| 49 | Very important | 49 | 49 |
| 12 | Somewhat important | 16 | 9 |
| 3 | Not too important | 2 | 4 |
| 1 | Not at all important (VOL.) | 1 | 1 |
| 2 | Does not apply (VOL.) | 1 | 3 |
| $*$ | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 1 | $*$ |
|  |  | $(\mathrm{n}=944)$ | $(\mathrm{n}=806)$ |

d. Having a job you enjoy doing

| $\frac{\text { Total }}{43}$ | Extremely important | $\frac{\text { Men }}{42}$ | $\frac{\text { Women }}{43}$ |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 46 | Very important | 45 | 47 |
| 9 | Somewhat important | 11 | 8 |
| 1 | Not too important | 1 | 1 |
| 0 | Not at all important (VOL.) | 0 | 0 |
| $*$ | Does not apply (VOL.) | 0 | 1 |
| 1 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 1 | 1 |
|  |  | $(\mathrm{n}=944)$ | $(\mathrm{n}=806)$ |

## QUESTION 30 CONTINUED ...

e. Having a job that offers good benefits

| $\frac{\text { Total }}{33}$ | Extremely important | $\frac{\text { Men }}{30}$ | Women |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 49 | Very important | 50 | 35 |
| 13 | Somewhat important | 15 | 49 |
| 3 | Not too important | 4 | 12 |
| $*$ | Not at all important (VOL.) | $*$ | 2 |
| 1 | Does not apply (VOL.) | $*$ | $*$ |
| 1 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 1 | 1 |
|  |  | $(\mathrm{n}=944)$ | $(\mathrm{n}=806)$ |

f. Having opportunities for promotions or advancement

| $\frac{\text { Total }}{}$ |  | Men | Women |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 23 | Extremely important | 25 | 22 |
| 43 | Very important | 43 | 43 |
| 24 | Somewhat important | 23 | 25 |
| 7 | Not too important | 8 | 7 |
| 1 | Not at all important (VOL.) | 1 | $*$ |
| 1 | Does not apply (VOL.) | $*$ | 1 |
| 1 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 1 | 1 |
|  |  | $(\mathrm{n}=944)$ | $(\mathrm{n}=806)$ |

g. Having a job that helps society

| $\frac{\text { Total }}{22}$ | Extremely important | $\frac{\text { Men }}{19}$ | Women |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 44 | Very important | 40 | 24 |
| 26 | Somewhat important | 30 | 48 |
| 7 | Not too important | 8 | 22 |
| $*$ | Not at all important (VOL.) | 1 | 5 |
| $*$ | Does not apply (VOL.) | $*$ | 0 |
| 1 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 1 | 1 |
|  |  | $(\mathrm{n}=944)$ | $(\mathrm{n}=806)$ |

## ASK ALL WHO ARE NOT RETIRED (E3 NE 5): [n=1,750]

Q. 31 Thinking about your work life, would you like to someday be a boss or one of the top managers, or is this not something you would like to do?

| $\frac{\text { Total }}{39}$ | Yes, would like to be a boss or top manager | $\frac{\text { Men }}{44}$ | $\frac{\text { Women }}{34}$ |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 45 | No, would not like to do this | 36 | 53 |
| 13 | Already the boss/top manager (VOL.) | 16 | 10 |
| 2 | Depends (VOL.) | 2 | 2 |
| 2 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 2 | 2 |
|  |  | $(\mathrm{n}=944)$ | $(\mathrm{n}=806)$ |

IF RESPONDENT HAS WORKED (E.3=1,2 OR E.3a=1), ASK: [n=1,963]
E7 Have you ever asked for a pay raise or promotion in any job you've held, or haven't you done this?

| Total |  | $\frac{\text { Men }}{51}$ | $\frac{\text { Women }}{43}$ |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 47 | Yes | 48 | 57 |
| 53 | No | $*$ | $*$ |
| $*$ | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | $(\mathrm{n}=1,049)$ | $(\mathrm{n}=914)$ |

## NO QUESTIONS 32-33; QUESTIONS 34-37 HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE; NO QUESTION 38, 39; QUESTIONS 40-41 HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE; MARITAL, LWP NOT SHOWN

## ASK IF MARRIED OR LWP (MARITAL=1,2): [n=1,114]

M. 2 Is your (IF MARITAL=1: spouse, IF MARITAL=2: partner) now employed full-time, part-time or not employed?

| Total |  | $\frac{\text { Men }}{}$ | Women |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 66 | NET Employed | 59 | 73 |
| 55 | Full-time | 44 | 66 |
| 11 | Part-time | 15 | 7 |
| 34 | NET Not employed | 41 | 27 |
| 19 | Not employed | 29 | 8 |
| 2 | Disabled (VOL.) | $*$ | 3 |
| 13 | Retired (VOL.) | 11 | 14 |
| $*$ | Student (VOL.) | $*$ | $*$ |
| $*$ | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | $(\mathrm{n}=602)$ | $(\mathrm{n}=512)$ |

## NO QUESTION 42

## ASK ALL:

On another subject...
Q. 43 Which of these two statements comes closer to your own views-even if neither is exactly right?
[READ AND RANDOMIZE]

| $\frac{\text { Total }}{29}$ | This country has made the changes needed to give <br> men and women equality in the workplace, OR | $\frac{\text { Men }}{34}$ | $\frac{\text { Women }}{24}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 67 | This country needs to continue making changes to <br> give men and women equality in the workplace | 61 | 72 |
| 5 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 4 <br> $(n=1,059)$ | 5 <br> $(n=943)$ |

ASK ALL:
Q. 44 How hard do you think it is for men and women to get top executive jobs in business or government these days? Generally, is it easier for men, easier for women, or isn't there much difference?

| $\frac{\text { Total }}{46}$ | Easier for men | $\frac{\text { Men }}{38}$ | $\frac{\text { Women }}{54}$ |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 5 | Easier for women | 7 | 3 |
| 43 | No difference | 48 | 38 |
| 6 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 6 | 6 |
|  |  | $(\mathrm{n}=1,059)$ | $(\mathrm{n}=943)$ |

Trends:

Oct 2013
CBS News: Dec $1999^{8}$
CBS News: June 1982

| Easier <br> for men | Easier for <br> women | No <br> difference | DK/Ref. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| (VOL.) |  |  |  |
| 63 | 5 | 43 | 6 |
| 67 | 5 | 28 | 4 |
| 63 | 4 | 23 | 6 |

[^3]
## ASK ALL:

Q. 45 What about salaries? These days, if a man and a woman are doing the same work, do you think ...
[READ]?

| $\frac{\text { Total }}{}$ |  | $\frac{\text { Men }}{}$ | $\frac{\text { Women }}{}$ |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 55 | The man generally earns more | 67 | 62 |
| 2 | The woman generally earns more | 3 | 1 |
| 38 | Or, both earn the same amount | 46 | 31 |
| 5 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 4 | 5 |
|  |  | $(\mathrm{n}=1,059)$ | $(\mathrm{n}=943)$ |

Trends:

Oct 2013
CBS News: Dec $199{ }^{9}$
CBS News: June 1982
$\left.\begin{array}{cccc}\begin{array}{c}\text { Man } \\ \text { earns } \\ \text { more }\end{array} & \begin{array}{c}\text { Woman } \\ \text { earns } \\ 55\end{array} & \frac{\begin{array}{c}\text { Earn } \\ \text { more }\end{array}}{2} & \frac{38}{\text { amount }}\end{array} \begin{array}{ccc}\text { DK/Ref. } \\ \text { (VOL.) }\end{array}\right]$

ASK IF EMPLOYED (E3=1,2): [ $\mathrm{n}=1,301$ ]
Q. 46 What about where you work? Do you think women are paid more, less or about the same as men for doing the same job?

| Total  <br> 3  <br>  Women paid more <br> 11 Women paid less <br> 74 About the same | Women <br> 3 | 9 | 14 |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 8 | Not applicable (VOL.) | 73 | 75 |
| 3 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 10 | 6 |
|  |  | 3 | 3 |
|  |  | $(\mathrm{n}=777)$ | $(\mathrm{n}=524)$ |

## ASK IF EMPLOYED (E3=1,2): [n=1,301]

Q. 47 Where you work, do women have greater opportunities than men for promotion or advancement to top executive and professional positions, do women have fewer opportunities than men, or do men and women have about the same opportunities for promotion or advancement?

| $\frac{\text { Total }}{8}$ | Women have greater opportunities than men | $\frac{\text { Men }}{9}$ | $\frac{\text { Women }}{6}$ |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 14 | Women have fewer opportunities than men | 12 | 17 |
| 73 | Men and women have about the same opportunities | 73 | 72 |
| 4 | Not applicable (VOL.) | 5 | 4 |
| 1 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 1 | 1 |
|  |  | $(\mathrm{n}=777)$ | $(\mathrm{n}=524)$ |

## ASK ALL:

Q. 48 Now thinking about the people you know who are around your age. Which of the following most closely reflects your experience? [READ; RANDOMIZE ITEMS 1 AND 2]

| $\frac{\text { Total }}{14}$ | The men I know are more focused on their jobs or careers <br> than the women | $\frac{\text { Men }}{14}$ | $\frac{\text { Women }}{13}$ |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 16 | The women I know are more focused on their jobs or <br> careers than the men | 15 | 17 |
| 66 | Or, both are about equally focused on their jobs or careers <br> 1 <br> 3 | Depends/Can't generalize (VOL.) <br> Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 67 |

[^4]
## ASK ALL:

Q. 49 As you may know women earn less money, on average, than men. Please tell me whether you think each of the following is a major reason, a minor reason or a not a reason why women earn less than men. First/Next, men and women [READ AND RANDOMIZE], [READ IF NECESSARY: Do you think this is a major reason, a minor reason or not a reason why women earn less than men?]
a. Work in different occupations

| $\frac{\text { Total }}{}$ |  | Men | Women |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
|  | Major reason | 41 | 40 |
| 28 | Minor reason | 27 | 28 |
| 26 | Not a reason | 25 | 27 |
| 6 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 7 | 5 |
|  |  | $(n=1,059)$ | $(\mathrm{n}=943)$ |

b. Make different choices about how to balance work and family

| $\frac{\text { Total }}{53}$ | Major reason | $\frac{\text { Men }}{46}$ | $\frac{\text { Women }}{60}$ |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 26 | Minor reason | 30 | 22 |
| 16 | Not a reason | 19 | 13 |
| 5 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 4 | 5 |
|  |  | $(\mathrm{n}=1,059)$ | $(\mathrm{n}=943)$ |

c. Are treated differently by employers

| $\frac{\text { Total }}{46}$ | Major reason | $\frac{\text { Men }}{38}$ | Women |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 27 | Minor reason | 31 | 54 |
| 20 | Not a reason | 26 | 24 |
| 6 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 6 | 15 |
|  |  | $(n=1,059)$ | $(\mathrm{n}=943)$ |

d. Don't work the same number of hours

| $\frac{\text { Total }}{}$ |  | Men | Women |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
|  | Major reason | 23 | 28 |
| 25 | Minor reason | 28 | 23 |
| 42 | Not a reason | 42 | 43 |
| 7 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 7 | 6 |
|  |  | $(n=1,059)$ | $(\mathrm{n}=943)$ |

## ROTATE Q. 50 AND Q. 51

ASK ALL:
Q. 50 Generally speaking, do you think that men mostly prefer having other men as co-workers, men prefer having women as co-workers, or doesn't it matter to men?

| $\frac{\text { Total }}{36}$ | Prefer having other men as co-workers | $\frac{\text { Men }}{32}$ | $\frac{\text { Women }}{40}$ |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 8 | Prefer having women as co-workers | 7 | 9 |
| 52 | Doesn't matter | 58 | 46 |
| 5 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 4 | 5 |
|  |  | $(n=1,059)$ | $(n=943)$ |

## ASK ALL:

Q. 51 Generally speaking, do you think that women mostly prefer having other women as co-workers, women prefer having men as co-workers, or doesn't it matter to women?

| $\frac{\text { Total }}{}$ |  | Men | Women |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
|  | Prefer having other women as co-workers | 25 | 10 |
| 17 | Prefer having men as co-workers | 13 | 21 |
| 59 | Doesn't matter | 53 | 65 |
| 7 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 9 | 4 |
|  |  | $(n=1,059)$ | $(n=943)$ |

ASK IF EMPLOYED OR EVER WORKED (E3=1,2 OR E3a=1): [n=1,963]
Q. 52 And what about you, do you mostly prefer having men as co-workers, women as co-workers, or doesn't it matter to you?

| $\frac{\text { Total }}{}$ |  | $\frac{\text { Men }}{}$ | Women |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 16 | Prefer having men as co-workers | 14 | 18 |
| 6 | Prefer having women as co-workers | 7 | 5 |
| 77 | Doesn't matter | 78 | 76 |
| 1 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 1 | 1 |
|  |  | $(\mathrm{n}=1,049)$ | $(\mathrm{n}=914)$ |

## NO QUESTION 53

Thank you. Now on a different subject...

## KIDS1, KIDS2, KIDSAGE NOT SHOWN

IF RESPONDENT HAS ONLY KIDS 18+ AND HAS EVER WORKED \{KIDS1=2,9 AND KIDS2=1 AND (E3=1,2 OR E3a=1)\}, ASK: [n=580]
KIDS3 Did you work either full or part time when your children were growing up, or not?

| Total |
| :---: |
| 89 |
| 11 |
| $*$ |

Yes, worked
No, did not work
Don't know/Refused (VOL.)

| Men | Women |
| :---: | :---: |
| 97 | 83 |
| 3 | 17 |
| $*$ | $*$ |
| $(n=242)$ | $(n=338)$ |

ASK IF EMPLOYED AND HAS CHILDREN <18 OR HAS CHILDREN 18+ AND WORKED WHEN KIDS WERE YOUNG \{(E3=1,2 AND KIDS1=1) OR KIDS3=1\}: [n=1,040]
Q. 54 Thinking about your job or career, do you think that being a working (IF SEX=1: father; IF SEX=2: mother) (IF KIDSAGE<18: makes/IF KIDS3=1: made) it harder or easier for you to [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE], or hasn't this made a difference?
a. Advance in your job or career

| $\frac{\text { Total }}{27}$ | Makes it harder | Men | Women |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 7 | Makes it easier | 15 | 40 |
| 63 | Hasn't made a difference | 12 | 2 |
| $*$ | Depends (VOL.) | 0 | 56 |
| 2 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 2 | 1 |
|  |  | $(\mathrm{n}=561)$ | $(\mathrm{n}=479)$ |

## QUESTION 54 CONTINUED ...

b. Be a good parent

| $\frac{\text { Total }}{38}$ | Makes it harder | $\frac{\text { Men }}{31}$ | $\frac{\text { Women }}{45}$ |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 11 | Makes it easier | 15 | 6 |
| 50 | Hasn't made a difference | 52 | 48 |
| $*$ | Depends (VOL.) | $*$ | $*$ |
| 1 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 1 | 1 |
|  |  | $(\mathrm{n}=561)$ | $(\mathrm{n}=479)$ |

ASK IF UNDER AGE 35 AND NO CHILDREN (AGE=18-34 AND KIDS1=2 AND KIDS2=2): [n=558]
Q. 55 Looking ahead, do you think that having children will make it harder or easier for you to advance in your job or career, or won't this make a difference?

| $\frac{\text { Total }}{62}$ | Will make it harder | $\frac{\text { Men }}{60}$ | Women |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Will make it easier | 2 | 63 |
| 34 | Won't make a difference | 36 | 1 |
| 2 | Depends (VOL.) | 1 | 32 |
| $*$ | Don't plan to have children (VOL.) | $*$ | 3 |
| 1 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | $*$ | $*$ |
|  |  | $(\mathrm{n}=345)$ | $(\mathrm{n}=213)$ |

ASK IF EMPLOYED OR HAVE EVER WORKED (E3=1,2 OR E3a=1): [n=1,963]
Q. 56 Please tell me whether you have ever done any of the following in order to care for a child or other family member. First, have you [READ AND RANDOMIZE] in order to care for a child or other family member, or not? Next, have you [INSERT ITEM; READ AS NECESSARY: in order to care for a child or other family member, or not?]

## NOTE: IF YES FOR ANY ITEM, ASK Q. 57 AND Q.58, THEN MOVE TO NEXT ITEM

a. Reduced your work hours

| $\frac{\text { Total }}{}$ | $\frac{\text { Men }}{}$ | Women |  |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 29 | Yes | 23 | 34 |
| 71 | No | 77 | 65 |
| $*$ | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | $*$ | 1 |
|  |  | $(\mathrm{n}=1,049)$ | $(\mathrm{n}=914)$ |

b. Taken a significant amount of time off from work

| Total |  | Men | Women |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
|  | Yes | 21 | 33 |
| 73 | No | 78 | 67 |
| $*$ | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | $*$ | $*$ |
|  |  | $(\mathrm{n}=1,049)$ | $(\mathrm{n}=914)$ |

c. Quit your job

| Total |  | Men | Women |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 15 | Yes | 9 | 22 |
| 84 | No | 91 | 78 |
| $*$ | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 0 | $*$ |
|  |  | $(\mathrm{n}=1,049)$ | $(\mathrm{n}=914)$ |

## QUESTION 56 CONTINUED ...

d. Turned down a promotion

| Total | $\frac{\text { Men }}{8}$ | Women |  |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 9 | Yes | 9 | 11 |
| 90 | No | 91 | 89 |
| 1 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 1 | 1 |
|  |  | $(n=1,049)$ | $(\mathrm{n}=914)$ |

## IF YES IN Q. 56 a-d, ASK:

Q. 57 Are you glad you did this, or not?
a. Reduced your work hours [ $\mathbf{n}=553$ ]

| Total |  | Men | Women |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 94 | Yes | 96 | 92 |
| 5 | No | 3 | 6 |
| 1 | Mixed feelings (VOL.) | 1 | 2 |
| * | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 0 | * |
|  |  | ( $\mathrm{n}=244$ ) | $(\mathrm{n}=309)$ |

b. Taken a significant amount of time off from work [ $\mathbf{n = 5 1 5}$ ]

| Total |  | Men | Women |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 94 | Yes | 96 | 94 |
| 4 | No | 3 | 5 |
| 1 | Mixed feelings (VOL.) | 1 | 1 |
| * | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 0 | 1 |
|  |  | $(\mathrm{n}=233)$ | ( $\mathrm{n}=282$ ) |

c. Quit your job [n=292]

| $\frac{\text { Total }}{87}$ | Yes | $\frac{\text { Men* }}{\text { NA }}$ | $\frac{\text { Women }}{89}$ |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 9 | No | NA | 6 |
| 4 | Mixed feelings (VOL. $)$ | NA | 5 |
| $*$ | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | NA | $*$ |
|  |  | $(\mathrm{n}=84)$ | $(\mathrm{n}=208)$ |

*Sample size for men is too small to produce a reliable estimate.
d. Turned down a promotion $[\mathbf{n}=\mathbf{1 8 8}]$

| $\frac{\text { Total }}{88}$ | Yes | $\frac{\text { Men* }}{\text { NA }}$ | $\frac{\text { Women }}{87}$ |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 10 | No | NA | 9 |
| 2 | Mixed feelings (VOL. | NA | 3 |
| $*$ | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | NA | 1 |
|  |  | $(\mathrm{n}=86)$ | $(\mathrm{n}=102)$ |

*Sample size for men is too small to produce a reliable estimate.

## IF YES IN Q. 56 a-d, ASK:

Q. 58 Would you say doing this [READ; RANDOMIZE ITEMS 1 AND 2]
a. Reduced your work hours [ $\mathbf{n}=553$ ]

| Total |  | Men | Women |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 4 | Helped your career overall | 6 | 4 |
| 28 | Hurt your career overall | 17 | 35 |
| 66 | Or didn't it have much of an impact on your career | 76 | 59 |
| 1 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 1 | 2 |
|  |  | $(\mathrm{n}=244)$ | $(\mathrm{n}=309)$ |

b. Taken a significant amount of time off from work [ $\mathbf{n = 5 1 5}$ ]

| $\frac{\text { Total }}{}$ |  | Men | Women |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 6 | Helped your career overall | 7 | 5 |
| 27 | Hurt your career overall | 18 | 32 |
| 65 | Or didn't it have much of an impact on your career | 71 | 61 |
| 3 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | 3 | 2 |
|  |  | $(\mathrm{n}=233)$ | $(\mathrm{n}=282)$ |

c. Quit your job [n=292]

| $\frac{\text { Total }}{10}$ | Helped your career overall | Men* | Women |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 36 | Hurt your career overall | NA | 8 |
| 51 | Or didn't it have much of an impact on your career | NA | 37 |
| 3 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | NA | 51 |
|  |  | NA | 3 |
|  |  | $(n=84)$ | $(n=208)$ |

*Sample size for men is too small to produce a reliable estimate.
e. Turned down a promotion $[\mathbf{n}=\mathbf{1 8 8}$ ]

| Total |  | Men* | Women |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Nelped your career overall | 3 |
| 39 | Hurt your career overall | NA | 43 |
| 54 | Or didn't it have much of an impact on your career | NA | 53 |
| 1 | Don't know/Refused (VOL.) | NA | 1 |
| *Sample size for men is too small to produce a reliable estimate. |  |  | $(\mathrm{n}=102)$ |

*Sample size for men is too small to produce a reliable estimate.


[^0]:    ${ }^{1}$ Unless otherwise noted, trends throughout the topline are based on total sample.
    ${ }^{2}$ The Jul 2009 survey was based on respondents ages 16 and older. In this topline, all Jul 2009 trends are based on respondents ages 18 and older only.

[^1]:    ${ }^{3}$ In previous years, list has included items such as "your present housing situation," "your education" etc.
    ${ }^{4}$ In Pew Global Attitudes Project trends from May 2009, Apr 2007 and Aug 2002, the introduction read: "As I read each of the following, please tell me whether you are very satisfied, somewhat satisfied, somewhat dissatisfied or very dissatisfied with this aspect of your life..."
    ${ }^{5}$ In May 2007, question read, "Next, please tell me how satisfied you are with the following things. (First/next), how satisfied are you with...your family life. [READ FOR FIRST ITEM THEN AS NECESSARY: Are you very satisfied, somewhat satisfied, somewhat DISsatisfied, or very DISsatisfied?]"
    ${ }^{6}$ In Feb 2009, question read, "Please tell me whether, on the whole, you are very satisfied, somewhat satisfied, somewhat DISsatisfied, or very dissatisfied with the following aspects of your life..."

[^2]:    ${ }^{7}$ In the 1995 Gallup/CNN/USA Today poll, the question read, "Do you think that in this country, society generally favors men and women equally, or does it favor women over men, or men over women?" In the 1993 and 1994 Gallup/CNN/USA Today poll, the question read, "Do you think that society generally favors men and women equally, or does it favor women over men, or men over women?"

[^3]:    ${ }^{8}$ In December 1999, this question was asked after a series about perceptions of feminism.

[^4]:    ${ }^{9}$ In December 1999, this question was asked after a series about perceptions of feminism.

