



## American Experiences Survey: A Nationally Representative Multi-Mode Survey

### January 2022 Omnibus Results

#### *Overview of Methodology*

Each month, Consumer Reports fields the American Experiences Survey (AES) to track consumer attitudes and behaviors over time. January results are based on interviews conducted from January 7 – 20, 2022. This document includes all sections of the omnibus survey for this month: COVID-19, credit reports, food safety, Buy Now Pay Later services, cryptocurrency, and sustainability.

The survey was administered by NORC at the University of Chicago through its AmeriSpeak® Panel to a nationally representative sample. Interviews were conducted in English and in Spanish, and were administered both online and by phone. In total NORC collected 2,174 interviews, 2,061 by web mode and 113 by phone mode, 2,114 in English and 60 in Spanish. Final data are weighted by age, gender, race/Hispanic ethnicity, housing tenure, telephone status, education, and Census Division to be proportionally representative of the US adult population.

The margin of error for results based on the total sample is +/-2.84 percentage points at the 95% confidence level. Smaller subgroups will have larger error margins, and only those subgroups for which there are at least 100 unweighted cases are included.

## TOPLINE RESULTS WITH MONTHLY TRENDS

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The January omnibus contained six blocks of questions (items on COVID-19, credit reports, food safety, Buy Now Pay Later services, cryptocurrency, and sustainability). Respondents saw the COVID-19 block first, with the other five sections in a randomized order.

The questions presented below were shown to respondents in this order unless otherwise noted. Where appropriate, question verbiage, response answer choices, or direction of scales were randomized or rotated and those instances are noted below.

Also shown, where available, are trends over time. Not every item was asked on every recent omnibus survey, and where minor revisions to the wording of an item or response choices were made, they are noted below. *Note these changes may impact comparability of results.*

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## *Survey Notes for Monthly Trends*

January 2022 results are based on interviews conducted from January 7-20 with a nationally representative sample of 2,174 US adults.

December 2021 results are based on interviews conducted from December 13-22 with a nationally representative sample of 2,073 US adults.

November 2021 results are based on interviews conducted from November 5-15 with a nationally representative sample of 2,057 US adults.

October 2021 results are based on interviews conducted from October 12-21 with a nationally representative sample of 2,036 US adults.

September 2021 results are based on interviews conducted from September 13-22 with a nationally representative sample of 2,341 US adults.

August 2021 results are based on interviews conducted from August 6-17 with a nationally representative sample of 2,165 US adults.

July 2021 results are based on interviews conducted from July 12-21 with a nationally representative sample of 2,184 US adults.

June 2021 results are based on interviews conducted from June 11-22 with a nationally representative sample of 2,280 US adults.

May 2021 results are based on interviews conducted from May 7-17 with a nationally representative sample of 2,079 US adults.

April 2021 results are based on interviews conducted from April 9-19 with a nationally representative sample of 2,288 US adults.

March 2021 results are based on interviews conducted from March 4-15 with a nationally representative sample of 2,144 US adults.

February 2021 results are based on interviews conducted from February 4-15 with a nationally representative sample of 2,514 US adults.

January 2021 results are based on interviews conducted from January 7-19 with a nationally representative sample of 2,233 US adults.

December 2020 results are based on interviews conducted from December 10-21 with a nationally representative sample of 2,982 US adults.

November 2020 results are based on interviews conducted from November 5-16 with a nationally representative sample of 2,851 US adults.

October 2020 results are based on interviews conducted from October 8-26 with a nationally representative sample of 2,670 US adults.

September 2020 results are based on interviews conducted from September 11-21 with a nationally representative sample of 2,303 US adults.

August 2020 results are based on interviews conducted from August 7-19 with a nationally representative sample of 2,236 US adults.

July 2020 results are based on interviews conducted from July 9-20 with a nationally representative sample of 2,031 US adults.

Survey Notes for Monthly Trends, **cont'd.**

June 2020 results are based on interviews conducted from June 4-16 with a nationally representative sample of 1,014 US adults.

May 2020 results are based on interviews conducted from May 8-18 with a nationally representative sample of 2,085 US adults.

COVID-19

COVCONCERNNOW.

How concerned or not concerned are you about COVID-19 continuing to spread in your local area over the [next month?](#)

	JANUARY 2022 AES	DECEMBER 2021 AES	NOVEMBER 2021 AES	OCTOBER 2021 AES	SEPTEMBER 2021 AES	AUGUST 2021 AES	JULY 2021 AES	JUNE 2021 AES	MAY 2021 AES	APRIL 2021 AES
	<b>Total</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Total</b>
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Very concerned	45	37	24	26	41	40	25	14	19	28
Somewhat concerned	33	32	38	41	35	36	34	35	34	38
Not too concerned	15	19	26	24	16	15	25	33	33	22
Not concerned at all	8	11	11	9	9	9	16	17	15	12
<b>Base: All respondents</b>	2,171	2,069	2,054	2,032	2,338	2,164	2,178	2,278	2,078	2,287

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	MARCH 2021 AES	FEBRUARY 2021 AES	DECEMBER 2020 AES	NOVEMBER 2020 AES	OCTOBER 2020 AES	SEPTEMBER 2020 AES	AUGUST 2020 AES	JULY 2020 AES	JUNE 2020 AES	MAY 2020 AES
	<b>Total</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Total</b>
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Very concerned	30	40	51	51	44	42	44	53	41	41
Somewhat concerned	34	36	30	30	32	33	34	29	34	36
Not too concerned	25	17	13	14	17	18	16	12	16	18
Not concerned at all	11	7	6	5	6	7	6	5	8	6
<b>Base: All respondents</b>	2,140	2,514	2,977	2,850	2,668	2,300	2,233	2,031	1,014	2,082

COVCONCERN6MOS.

How concerned or not concerned are you about COVID-19 continuing to spread in your local area over the [next 6 months?](#)

	JANUARY 2022 AES	DECEMBER 2021 AES	NOVEMBER 2021 AES	OCTOBER 2021 AES	SEPTEMBER 2021 AES	AUGUST 2021 AES	JULY 2021 AES	JUNE 2021 AES	MAY 2021 AES
	Total	Total	Total	Total	Total	Total	Total	Total	Total
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Very concerned	39	36	25	24	39	38	25	15	17
Somewhat concerned	36	33	37	43	36	37	34	34	35
Not too concerned	17	20	27	24	17	16	24	34	32
Not concerned at all	8	11	11	10	8	10	17	17	16
<b>Base: All respondents</b>	2,143	2,041	2,032	2,003	2,311	2,144	2,162	2,251	2,055

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	APRIL 2021 AES	MARCH 2021 AES	FEBRUARY 2021 AES	DECEMBER 2020 AES	NOVEMBER 2020 AES	OCTOBER 2020 AES	SEPTEMBER 2020 AES	AUGUST 2020 AES	JULY 2020 AES
	Total	Total	Total	Total	Total	Total	Total	Total	Total
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Very concerned	26	26	35	44	49	45	41	44	53
Somewhat concerned	37	36	38	34	32	31	35	33	29
Not too concerned	25	27	20	15	14	18	17	17	13
Not concerned at all	12	12	8	6	6	7	7	6	6
<b>Base: All respondents</b>	2,275	2,123	2,505	2,948	2,809	2,643	2,282	2,214	2,031

COVCHILDAGE. [‘I DO NOT HAVE ANY CHILDREN’ IS EXCLUSIVE.]

Do you currently have any children living in your household who are...?

Select all that apply.

	Total
	%
Under 2 years old	6
2 to 4 years old	8
5 to 11 years old	19
12 to 15 years old	12
16 to 17 years old	9
I do not have any children under 18 years old living in my household	63
<b>Base: All respondents</b>	2,174

COVCHILDVAC\_INTRO. [SHOW IF COVCHILDAGE = 'UNDER 2 YEARS OLD' THROUGH '16 TO 17 YEARS OLD.']

As of the fielding of this survey, COVID-19 vaccines have been approved for use in children aged 5 and up.

COVCHILDVAC3A. [SHOW IF COVCHILDAGE = '5 TO 11 YEARS OLD.']

Thinking about your 5 to 11 year old child (or children), what is the likelihood that you will have them get a COVID-19 vaccine?

*If they have already received the vaccine, please indicate so below. Otherwise, respond with how likely you are to have them get the vaccine.*

	JANUARY 2022 AES	DECEMBER 2021 AES	NOVEMBER 2021 AES	JUNE 2021 AES	MAY 2021 AES
	Total	Total	Total	Total	Total
	%	%	%	%	%
<b>Net "very likely" + "already received"</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>23</b>
They have already received the vaccine	31	25	-	-	-
Very likely	11	17	33	26	23
Somewhat likely	14	14	18	25	20
Not too likely	16	18	15	19	21
Not at all likely	28	26	35	29	37
<b>Base: Respondents with children 5 to 11 years old living in the household</b>	<b>421</b>	<b>375</b>	<b>397</b>	<b>363</b>	<b>316</b>

Note: Prior to December 2021, the vaccine was not yet available to children 5 to 11 (or, in November 2021, had just been authorized). Therefore, the question was asked slightly differently and the response option "They have already received the vaccine" was not included. Also, in May 2021, the age range was 6 to 11.

COVCHILDVACSCHOOLS. [RANDOMIZE 'AGREE' AND 'DISAGREE' IN QUESTION STEM; ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS TO MATCH.]

Please tell us if you agree or disagree with the following statement:

In the next academic year, schools should require all students old enough to receive COVID-19 vaccines to be vaccinated in order to attend school.

	Total
	%
Strongly agree	30
Agree	19
Neither agree nor disagree	16
Disagree	11
Strongly disagree	24
<b>Base: All respondents</b>	<b>2,165</b>

## CREDIT REPORTS

CR1.

When was the last time you checked your credit report?			
	JANUARY 2022 AES	JANUARY 2021 AES	FEBRUARY 2020 AES
	Total	Total	Total
	%	%	%
Less than a month ago	37	37	41
One month to less than three months ago	13	12	10
Three months to less than six months ago	8	7	7
Six months to less than one year ago	9	10	10
One year to less than two years ago	8	9	9
Two years to less than five years ago	7	7	7
Five or more years ago	4	4	5
I've never checked my credit report	9	8	8
Don't know	6	7	4
<b>Base: All respondents</b>	<b>2,174</b>	<b>2,217</b>	<b>1,040</b>

CR2. [SHOW IF CR1 INDICATES RESPONDENT EVER CHECKED THEIR CREDIT REPORT. RANDOMIZE.]

When you last checked your credit report, did you spot any errors in the information, such as debts that were actually paid or incorrect personal information?			
	JANUARY 2022 AES	JANUARY 2021 AES	FEBRUARY 2020 AES
	Total	Total	Total
	%	%	%
Yes	14	12	14
No	86	88	86
<b>Base: Respondents who remember ever checking their credit report</b>	<b>1,921</b>	<b>2,057</b>	<b>964</b>

CR3. [SHOW IF CR2 = 'YES.' RANDOMIZE, HOLDING 'OTHER' AT END.]

What type of error did you find?			
Select <u>all</u> that apply.			
	JANUARY 2022 AES	JANUARY 2021 AES	FEBRUARY 2020 AES
	<b>Total</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Total</b>
	%	%	%
Debts that had been paid and should not have been listed	51	50	55
Accounts or debt that did not belong to me	40	40	34
Personal information, such as social security number or address, that was incorrect	19	22	27
Other, please specify	8	10	14
<b>Base: Respondents who found errors when they most recently checked their credit report</b>	<b>281</b>	<b>258</b>	<b>136</b>

CR4. [SHOW IF CR2 = 'YES.' RANDOMIZE 'CREDIT BUREAU' AND 'CREDITOR.' 'I DID NOT DISPUTE THE ERRORS' AND 'I AM UNSURE WITH WHOM' ARE EXCLUSIVE.]

With which, if any, of the following did you dispute the errors?			
Select <u>all</u> that apply.			
	JANUARY 2022 AES	JANUARY 2021 AES	FEBRUARY 2020 AES
	<b>Total</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Total</b>
	%	%	%
Credit bureau	37	44	36
Creditor	22	28	25
I disputed the errors, but am unsure with whom	20	18	18
I did not dispute the errors	27	22	24
<b>Base: Respondents who found errors when they most recently checked their credit report</b>	<b>281</b>	<b>258</b>	<b>136</b>

CR5. [SHOW IF CR4 = 'CREDIT BUREAU,' 'CREDITOR,' OR 'UNSURE WITH WHOM.']

Were you able to get the errors fixed?			
	JANUARY 2022 AES	JANUARY 2021 AES	FEBRUARY 2020 AES
	Total	Total	Total
	%	%	%
Yes	60	58	53
No	40	42	47
<b>Base: Respondents who disputed errors on their credit report</b>	199	190	98*
<b>*Note: Low sample size in February 2020</b>			

## FOOD SAFETY

FOOD2. [RANDOMIZE, HOLDING 'I DO NOT EXPECT ANY PRECAUTIONS' AT END. 'I DO NOT EXPECT ANY PRECAUTIONS' IS EXCLUSIVE.]

When a new substance is added to food sold in the U.S., what precautions, if any, do you expect have been taken to ensure the food's safety?	
Select <u>all</u> that apply.	
	Total
	%
The U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) has tested the substance and determined that it is safe.	84
Independent experts have tested the substance and determined that it is safe.	48
Experts hired by the food manufacturer have tested the substance and determined that it is safe.	45
I do not expect any precautions have been taken to ensure the substance is safe for use in food.	7
<b>Base: All respondents</b>	2,174



## BUY NOW PAY LATER

BNPL1.

This section is about online Buy Now Pay Later services, such as Affirm, Afterpay, and Klarna. These services often appear as a payment option on a website and allow you to make a down payment at the time of purchase, then pay off the rest in installments.

How familiar are you with this type of service?

	Total
	%
I have never heard of this type of service	32
I have heard of this type of service, but never used it	51
I have used a Buy Now Pay Later service	18
<b>Base: All respondents</b>	<b>2,173</b>

BNPL2. [SHOW IF BNPL1 = 'I HAVE USED A BUY NOW PAY LATER SERVICE.' RANDOMIZE ITEMS, HOLDING 'OTHER' AT END.]

You said that you have used a Buy Now Pay Later service to pay for at least one purchase. Which, if any, of the following are reasons you decided to use this service rather than charging the purchase to a credit card?

Select all that apply.

	Total
	%
I'd rather pay in installments instead of one lump sum	55
I didn't have enough money to purchase what I wanted, so this enabled me to afford it	47
I thought it would have lower interest rates than a credit card	24
I was curious about the service	23
I thought it would be easier than using a credit card	20
I did not have a credit card	12
Other, please specify	3
<b>Base: Respondents who have used a Buy Now Pay Later service</b>	<b>386</b>

BNPL3. [SHOW IF BNPL1 = 'I HAVE USED A BUY NOW PAY LATER SERVICE.' RANDOMIZE ITEMS, HOLDING 'OTHER' AND 'I DID NOT HAVE ANY PROBLEMS' AT END IN THAT ORDER.]

You said that you have used a Buy Now Pay Later service to pay for at least one purchase. Which, if any, of the following issues did you have with this service?

Select all that apply.

	Total
	%
I bought one or more products on impulse that I regretted purchasing later	9
I had difficulty getting in contact with customer service for the Buy Now Pay Later provider	5
I was charged a higher rate of interest on late payments than I expected	5
I was charged a late fee	4
I had difficulty processing a return or refund specifically because I paid for the product with this service	4
I accidentally overdrew my account	1
Other, please specify	1
I did not have any problems related to the Buy Now Pay Later service	80
<b>Base: Respondents who have used a Buy Now Pay Later service</b>	<b>386</b>

BNPL4.

Imagine a situation where you found a product that you wanted to purchase, but it cost more than you were able to pay comfortably all at once.

Would you consider using a Buy Now Pay Later service in that situation?

	Total
	%
Yes	40
No	31
Not applicable; I wouldn't consider buying something I can't pay for in full at the time of purchase	28
<b>Base: All respondents</b>	<b>2,161</b>

## CRYPTOCURRENCY

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FINTECH1.

Cryptocurrency refers to digital currencies like Bitcoin, Dogecoin, or Ethereum. These currencies are built on blockchain technology, which keeps a public record of every transaction a given piece of currency has been involved in across multiple "nodes," or computers. This makes it easier to transfer funds directly between two people without going through a bank and, in theory, makes it difficult to forge transactions.

Which of the following best describes your knowledge of cryptocurrency?

	<b>Total</b>
	%
I consider myself an expert on cryptocurrency	2
I know quite a bit about it	5
I know some about it	26
I don't know much about it	37
I know nothing about it	24
I've never heard of cryptocurrency before	6
<b>Base: All respondents</b>	<b>2,172</b>

FINTECH2. [SHOW IF FINTECH1 DOES NOT EQUAL "I'VE NEVER HEARD OF CRYPTOCURRENCY."]

Have you ever owned any cryptocurrency?

	<b>Total</b>
	%
Yes	17
No	80
Unsure	3
<b>Base: Respondents who have heard of cryptocurrency</b>	<b>2,045</b>

FINTECH3. [SHOW IF FINTECH1 = 'I'VE NEVER HEARD OF CRYPTOCURRENCY' OR IF FINTECH2 DOES NOT EQUAL 'YES.']

Would you consider owning cryptocurrency?	
	Total
	%
Yes	33
No	67
<b>Base: Respondents who have not owned any cryptocurrency</b>	<b>1,791</b>

FINTECH4. [SHOW IF FINTECH3 = 'NO.' RANDOMIZE, HOLDING 'OTHER' AT END.]

You said that you would not consider using cryptocurrency. Which, if any, of the following are reasons you would not?	
	Total
	%
I don't know enough about it	72
I'm afraid I would lose money	39
I am not sure how to actually spend it	38
I don't think it would be secure	34
Prices are too volatile	26
It's too expensive	14
Other, please specify	8
<b>Base: Respondents who would not consider owning cryptocurrency</b>	<b>1,186</b>

## SUSTAINABILITY

NOTE: THE ORDER OF SUSTAIN1 AND SUSTAIN2 WAS RANDOMIZED.

SUSTAIN1. [RANDOMIZE 'AGREE' AND 'DISAGREE' IN QUESTION STEM; ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS TO MATCH. RANDOMIZE ORDER OF ITEMS.]

To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?	
	Total
	%
<b><i>There is not much that any one individual can do about the environment</i></b>	
Strongly agree	6
Agree	15
Neither agree nor disagree	21
Disagree	43
Strongly disagree	15
<b>Base: All respondents</b>	<b>2,169</b>
<b><i>The conservation efforts of one person are useless if other people don't conserve as well</i></b>	
Strongly agree	11
Agree	26
Neither agree nor disagree	26
Disagree	29
Strongly disagree	7
<b>Base: All respondents</b>	<b>2,166</b>
<b><i>I feel that my actions can help protect the environment</i></b>	
	Total
Strongly agree	17
Agree	55
Neither agree nor disagree	21
Disagree	5
Strongly disagree	2
<b>Base: All respondents</b>	<b>2,166</b>
<b><i>When I buy products for my home, I try to consider how they will affect the environment</i></b>	
Strongly agree	12
Agree	38
Neither agree nor disagree	33
Disagree	12
Strongly disagree	4
<b>Base: All respondents</b>	<b>2,166</b>

SUSTAIN1. [CONTINUED.]

<b><i>I feel that actions I take have a meaningful impact on the environment</i></b>	
Strongly agree	14
Agree	47
Neither agree nor disagree	29
Disagree	8
Strongly disagree	3
<b>Base: All respondents</b>	<b>2,169</b>

SUSTAIN2. [RANDOMIZE ITEM ORDER; ROTATE RESPONSE SCALE.]

<b>How responsible, if at all, do you think each of the following groups should be for protecting the planet?</b>	
	<b>Total</b>
	<b>%</b>
<b><i>Individual people</i></b>	
Completely responsible	26
Mostly responsible	30
Somewhat responsible	34
Slightly responsible	8
Not at all responsible	2
<b>Base: All respondents</b>	<b>2,163</b>
<b><i>Private businesses/corporations</i></b>	
	<b>Total</b>
Completely responsible	30
Mostly responsible	32
Somewhat responsible	29
Slightly responsible	6
Not at all responsible	3
<b>Base: All respondents</b>	<b>2,162</b>

SUSTAIN2. [CONTINUED.]

<b>Governments</b>	
Completely responsible	37
Mostly responsible	34
Somewhat responsible	21
Slightly responsible	5
Not at all responsible	3
<b>Base: All respondents</b>	<b>2,163</b>

SUSTAIN3. [RANDOMIZE ACROSS SCREENS, KEEPING 'AVOID PURCHASING PRODUCTS BECAUSE THE PACKING IS EXCESSIVE' AND 'AVOID PURCHASING PRODUCTS BECAUSE THE PRODUCT ITSELF IS HARMFUL' TOGETHER IN THAT ORDER. ROTATE RESPONSE SCALE, ALWAYS KEEPING 'NOT APPLICABLE' AT END.]

Assuming you have the opportunity to, how often, if ever, do you do each of the following activities?	
	<b>Total</b>
	<b>%</b>
<b><i>Avoid purchasing certain kinds of products because the packaging is excessive or environmentally harmful</i></b>	
Always	5
Often	17
Sometimes	39
Rarely	22
Never	13
Not applicable; I never have an opportunity to do this	4
<b>Base: All respondents</b>	<b>2,164</b>
<b><i>Avoid purchasing certain kinds of products because the product itself is environmentally harmful</i></b>	
	<b>Total</b>
Always	11
Often	26
Sometimes	34
Rarely	16
Never	9
Not applicable; I never have an opportunity to do this	3
<b>Base: All respondents</b>	<b>2,162</b>

SUSTAIN3. [CONTINUED.]

<b><i>Recycle used cans, bottles, or paper</i></b>	Total
Always	49
Often	21
Sometimes	15
Rarely	8
Never	4
Not applicable; I never have an opportunity to do this	3
<b>Base: All respondents</b>	<b>2,169</b>
<b><i>Use public transportation, walk, or ride a bike, scooter, etc. rather than drive</i></b>	Total
Always	5
Often	11
Sometimes	25
Rarely	27
Never	23
Not applicable; I never have an opportunity to do this	10
<b>Base: All respondents</b>	<b>2,163</b>
<b><i>Buy a product because the label or advertising said it was environmentally safe</i></b>	Total
Always	5
Often	24
Sometimes	43
Rarely	16
Never	9
Not applicable; I never have an opportunity to do this	2
<b>Base: All respondents</b>	<b>2,165</b>
<b><i>Buy a product because the label or advertising said it was made out of recycled or sustainably produced material</i></b>	Total
Always	5
Often	24
Sometimes	43
Rarely	17
Never	10
Not applicable; I never have an opportunity to do this	2
<b>Base: All respondents</b>	<b>2,165</b>
<b><i>Compost food waste</i></b>	Total
Always	11
Often	10
Sometimes	17
Rarely	17
Never	33
Not applicable; I never have an opportunity to do this	12
<b>Base: All respondents</b>	<b>2,163</b>

SUSTAIN4. [RANDOMIZE ACROSS TWO SCREENS, KEEPING 'FOOD OR HERB GARDEN' AND 'ANY OTHER KIND OF GARDEN' TOGETHER IN THAT ORDER.]



Which, if any, of the following changes have you made in the past year?

	Total
	%
<b><i>Began composting</i></b>	
Yes, I made this change in the past year	5
I had already done this prior to the past year	28
I have never done this	66
<b>Base: All respondents</b>	<b>2,154</b>
<b><i>Installed solar panels</i></b>	
Yes, I made this change in the past year	2
I had already done this prior to the past year	7
I have never done this	91
<b>Base: All respondents</b>	<b>2,158</b>
<b><i>Started a <u>food or herb</u> garden</i></b>	
	Total
Yes, I made this change in the past year	9
I had already done this prior to the past year	37
I have never done this	53
<b>Base: All respondents</b>	<b>2,160</b>
<b><i>Started any other kind of garden</i></b>	
Yes, I made this change in the past year	9
I had already done this prior to the past year	42
I have never done this	50
<b>Base: All respondents</b>	<b>2,153</b>
<b><i>Installed an electric vehicle charger</i></b>	
	Total
Yes, I made this change in the past year	3
I had already done this prior to the past year	4
I have never done this	93
<b>Base: All respondents</b>	<b>2,156</b>
<b><i>Installed LED lightbulbs</i></b>	
Yes, I made this change in the past year	25
I had already done this prior to the past year	62
I have never done this	13
<b>Base: All respondents</b>	<b>2,160</b>

SUSTAIN4. [CONTINUED.]

<b><i>Began using a rain barrel</i></b>	Total
Yes, I made this change in the past year	3
I had already done this prior to the past year	11
I have never done this	86
<b>Base: All respondents</b>	<b>2,156</b>
<b><i>Installed an appliance designed to use less water or electricity, like an energy-efficient dishwasher or low-flow showerhead</i></b>	
Yes, I made this change in the past year	16
I had already done this prior to the past year	49
I have never done this	35
<b>Base: All respondents</b>	<b>2,159</b>
<b><i>Purchased a reusable version of a traditionally disposable item, such as reusable plastic baggies, straws, food wrap, coffee filters, etc.</i></b>	Total
Yes, I made this change in the past year	23
I had already done this prior to the past year	43
I have never done this	34
<b>Base: All respondents</b>	<b>2,159</b>

SUSTAIN5. [SHOW QUESTION IF RESPONSE TO ANY SUSTAIN4 = 'I HAVE NEVER DONE THIS' OR SKIPPED. SHOW EACH ITEM IF RESPONSE TO THAT ITEM IN SUSTAIN4 = 'I HAVE NEVER DONE THIS' OR SKIPPED. SHOW IN SAME ORDER AS SUSTAIN4. 'NONE OF THESE' ALWAYS SHOWN AT END.]

Which, if any, of the following changes would you <u>consider</u> making in the <u>coming year</u> ?	
Select <u>all</u> that apply.	
	<b>Total</b>
	%
Install LED lightbulbs	37
Start a <u>food or herb</u> garden	29
Purchase a reusable version of a traditionally disposable item, such as reusable plastic baggies, straws, food wrap, coffee filters, etc.	27
Install an appliance designed to use less water or electricity, like an energy-efficient dishwasher or low-flow showerhead	24
Install solar panels	24
Start any other kind of garden	23
Begin using a rain barrel	23
Begin composting	17
Install an electric vehicle charger	8
None of these	36
<b>Base: Respondents who had not already done each action; "none of these" showed to all respondents who had not already done any action on this list.</b>	<b>2,141</b>

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