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	TOTAL	REGION				AGE				GENDER		RACE		INCOME				PARTY		
		NE	MW	SOUTH	WEST	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	MALE	FEM.	WHITE	BLACK	UND 30K	30K-50K	50K-75K	75K+	DEM	REP	IND
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)	(H)	(I)	(J)	(K)	(L)	(M)	(N)	(O)	(P)	(Q)	(R)	(S)	(T)
TOTAL	1213 100%	213 100%	262 100%	460 100%	277 100%	143 100%	396 100%	409 100%	266 100%	583 100%	630 100%	821 100%	301 100%	351 100%	253 100%	219 100%	371 100%	467 100%	389 100%	329 100%
Unweighted Total	1213	218	256	464	275	149	524	330	208	601	612	857	272	334	249	214	392	451	401	328
Distracted driving (e.g., texting)	690 57%	115 54%	163 62% bD	249 54%	164 59%	68 48%	181 46%	245 60% FG	196 74% FGH	324 56%	366 58%	520 63% M	126 42%	194 55%	140 55%	141 64% NoQ	202 54%	270 58%	208 53%	198 60% s
Impaired driving (e.g., alcohol, drugs)	689 57%	122 57%	150 57%	260 56%	158 57%	74 52%	185 47%	242 59% G	188 71% FGH	303 52%	386 61% J	494 60% M	145 48%	189 54%	147 58%	126 58%	218 59%	262 56%	217 56%	192 58%
Aggressive driving - speeding	527 43%	90 42%	92 35%	210 46% C	134 48% C	39 27%	143 36% F	195 48% FG	149 56% FGH	241 41%	285 45%	377 46% M	110 36%	141 40%	115 45%	106 48% n	157 42%	201 43%	162 42%	154 47%
Failure to obey traffic signals/signs (e.g., running red lights/stop signs)	437 36%	81 38%	97 37%	156 34%	102 37%	49 35%	126 32%	149 37%	112 42% G	215 37%	222 35%	303 37% m	92 31%	129 37%	87 34%	74 34%	138 37%	159 34%	135 35%	130 39%
Fatigued driving	221 18%	36 17%	57 22%	83 18%	45 16%	31 22% I	71 18% I	86 21% I	32 12%	103 18%	118 19%	150 18%	55 18%	65 18%	51 20%	36 16%	67 18%	76 16%	72 18%	66 20%
Increased exposure to COVID-19 during traffic enforcement stops	197 16%	48 22% CdE	38 15%	74 16%	37 13%	37 26% HI	83 21% HI	58 14% I	19 7%	98 17%	99 16%	100 12%	78 26% L	65 19% P	43 17% P	20 9%	63 17% P	93 20% T	63 16% t	38 12%
Unsafe lane changing	147 12%	32 15% e	32 12%	58 13%	26 9%	18 12% i	56 14% I	56 14% I	17 6%	74 13%	73 12%	91 11%	42 14%	39 11%	32 12%	19 9%	55 15% P	62 13%	40 10%	44 13%
Unsafe driving in inclement weather	145 12%	23 11%	22 8%	72 16% bCE	28 10%	17 12%	58 15% hi	43 11%	26 10%	60 10%	85 13%	90 11%	45 15%	43 12%	30 12%	29 13%	43 12%	55 12%	55 14% T	30 9%

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Improper use - non-use of a seat belt	140 12%	26 12%	32 12%	56 12%	26 9%	23 16% hI	59 15% HI	41 10%	17 6%	72 12%	68 11%	93 11%	42 14%	31 9%	35 14% n	21 10%	52 14% n	57 12% t	52 13% T	26 8%
Improper use - non-use of turn signal	110 9%	22 10%	18 7%	40 9%	31 11% c	23 16% HI	54 14% HI	15 4%	18 7%	73 12% K	38 6%	67 8%	36 12% l	30 9%	17 7%	21 10%	41 11% o	36 8%	35 9%	36 11%
None	54 4%	3 2%	16 6% B	19 4% b	16 6% B	6 4%	22 6% I	20 5%	7 2%	31 5%	23 4%	32 4%	16 5%	20 6%	11 4%	8 4%	13 4%	20 4%	21 5%	13 4%

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	TOTAL	URBAN	SUB-URBAN	RURAL	MEN	WOMEN	BLACK	HIS.	SINGL WOMEN	MARR WOM	HIGH SCHL.	SOME COLL.	COLL+	CONS.	MOD.	LIB.
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TOTAL	1213 100%	397 100%	550 100%	263 100%	389 100%	432 100%	136 100%	165 100%	364 100%	265 100%	283 100%	353 100%	577 100%	411 100%	414 100%	334 100%
Unweighted Total	1213	410	537	260	420	437	120	152	348	262	282	334	594	410	409	334
Distracted driving (e.g., texting)	690 57%	184 46%	348 63% B	157 60% B	240 62%	281 65%	59 44%	67 41%	211 58%	154 58%	153 54%	211 60%	326 56%	236 58%	238 58%	190 57%
Impaired driving (e.g., alcohol, drugs)	689 57%	186 47%	341 62% B	161 61% B	210 54%	283 66% E	74 54% h	71 43%	222 61%	162 61%	159 56%	196 56%	335 58%	250 61% P	235 57%	174 52%
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Improper use - non-use of a seat belt	140 12%	59 15%	52 9%	28 11%	49 13%	44 10%	19 14%	23 14%	37 10%	31 12%	31 11%	37 11%	72 12%	46 11%	45 11%	43 13%
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Improper use - non-use of turn signal	110 9%	59 15%	43 8%	8 3%	46 12%	21 5%	9 6%	27 17%	22 6%	16 6%	29 10%	26 7%	55 9%	33 8%	35 9%	36 11%
		CD	D		F			G								
None	54 4%	21 5%	23 4%	9 4%	16 4%	16 4%	5 4%	11 7%	15 4%	8 3%	15 5%	20 6%	18 3%	17 4%	19 5%	13 4%
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TOTAL	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)	(H)	(I)	(J)	(K)	(L)	(M)	(N)	(O)	(P)	(Q)	(R)	(S)	(T)
TOTAL	1213	213	262	460	277	143	396	409	266	583	630	821	301	351	253	219	371	467	389	329
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted Total	1213	218	256	464	275	149	524	330	208	601	612	857	272	334	249	214	392	451	401	328
More safe	160	42	24	55	40	18	82	42	18	117	43	104	47	29	30	16	84	51	78	27
	13%	20%	9%	12%	15%	12%	21%	10%	7%	20%	7%	13%	16%	8%	12%	8%	23%	11%	20%	8%
		CD		c		i	FHI			K							NOP		RT	
Less safe	270	49	57	99	65	40	96	88	46	132	137	153	85	95	53	44	73	121	75	72
	22%	23%	22%	21%	24%	28%	24%	21%	17%	23%	22%	19%	28%	27%	21%	20%	20%	26%	19%	22%
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About the same level	691	101	166	270	154	74	190	248	179	293	398	511	141	179	153	143	205	257	221	198
	57%	47%	63%	59%	56%	52%	48%	61%	67%	50%	63%	62%	47%	51%	60%	65%	55%	55%	57%	60%
			Be	B	b			FG	FG		J	M			N	NQ				
I don't drive	79	20	15	28	16	7	24	28	20	35	44	48	23	43	13	14	9	36	11	27
	7%	10%	6%	6%	6%	5%	6%	7%	8%	6%	7%	6%	8%	12%	5%	6%	2%	8%	3%	8%
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Not sure	13	1	1	9	2	4	5	2	2	6	7	6	6	5	4	2	1	3	4	5
	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	3%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%
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More safe	160 13%	89 22% CD	53 10%	19 7%	79 20% F	24 6%	14 11%	33 20% G	20 5%	24 9%	20 7%	32 9%	108 19% KL	79 19% OP	45 11%	34 10%
Less safe	270 22%	109 27% Cd	104 19%	56 21%	71 18%	81 19%	44 32%	41 25%	90 25%	47 18%	61 22%	71 20%	137 24%	89 22%	85 21%	80 24%
About the same level	691 57%	168 42%	353 64% B	170 64% B	216 56%	295 68% E	63 46%	78 47%	212 58%	185 70% I	171 61% m	210 60% m	309 54%	221 54%	252 61% N	192 57%
I don't drive	79 7%	29 7%	35 6%	15 6%	21 5%	27 6%	13 10%	9 6%	35 10% J	9 3%	25 9% M	31 9% M	23 4%	19 5%	26 6%	28 8% N
Not sure	13 1%	3 1%	5 1%	4 1%	1 *% p	5 1%	2 1%	4 2%	6 2%	1 *% p	5 2%	8 2%	-	3 1%	6 1% p	1 *% p

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BASE: LESS SAFE & ANSWERING	223 100%	42 100%	48 100%	79 100%	54 100%	32 100%	71 100%	78 100%	42 100%	115 100%	108 100%	128 100%	70 100%	71 100%	45 100%	38 100%	64 100%	103 100%	64 100%	55 100%
Unweighted Total	218	44	44	78	52	31	93	61	32	119	99	135	62	65	43	39	65	97	67	53
More people are driving aggressively/More drivers are speeding	154 69%	25 59%	37 77% b	55 69%	37 70%	14 45%	46 65% F	61 78% Fg	32 76% F	80 69%	74 68%	91 71%	42 61%	51 72%	30 67%	21 57%	46 72%	68 67%	40 62%	45 81% rS
I worry about being exposed to COVID-19	88 39%	24 58% CD	15 32%	26 33%	22 41%	21 66% gHI	35 49% HI	20 26%	12 29%	44 38%	44 41%	45 35%	36 51% L	24 34%	20 43%	17 44%	25 40%	48 47% t	23 36%	17 30%
More people are driving impaired	71 32%	15 36% c	9 19%	30 38% C	16 30%	10 32%	25 36% H	12 16%	23 54% fgh	33 29%	38 35%	41 32%	20 29%	27 37%	13 28%	12 33%	17 27%	26 26%	28 44% Rt	16 29%
Other	14 6%	-	6 12%	2 3%	12% d	1 4%	3 4%	5 6%	5 13%	9 8%	5 4%	10 7%	3 4%	5 7%	2 4%	3 8%	3 5%	4 4%	2 4%	8 14% rs

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Unweighted Total	218	97	75	45	74	61	28	34	58	41	46	49	123	80	67	63
More people are driving aggressively/More drivers are speeding	154 69%	67 70%	54 69%	31 67%	44 69%	47 73%	23 68%	20 54%	47 71%	26 64%	34 69%	37 69%	83 69%	55 69%	47 70%	45 70%
I worry about being exposed to COVID-19	88 39%	47 49% Cd	24 30%	16 34%	20 31%	25 39%	11 32%	25 68% G	27 41%	17 42%	21 42%	18 34%	49 41%	26 33%	27 40%	29 45%
More people are driving impaired	71 32%	29 30%	27 34%	15 33%	18 28%	23 36%	13 38%	8 21%	20 30%	18 43%	12 24%	21 39%	37 31%	31 39% O	16 23%	22 34%
Other	14 6%	5 5%	4 5%	5 12%	6 9%	4 6%	1 3%	2 6%	5 7%	-	2 3%	4 8%	9 7%	4 5%	6 8%	4 7%

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