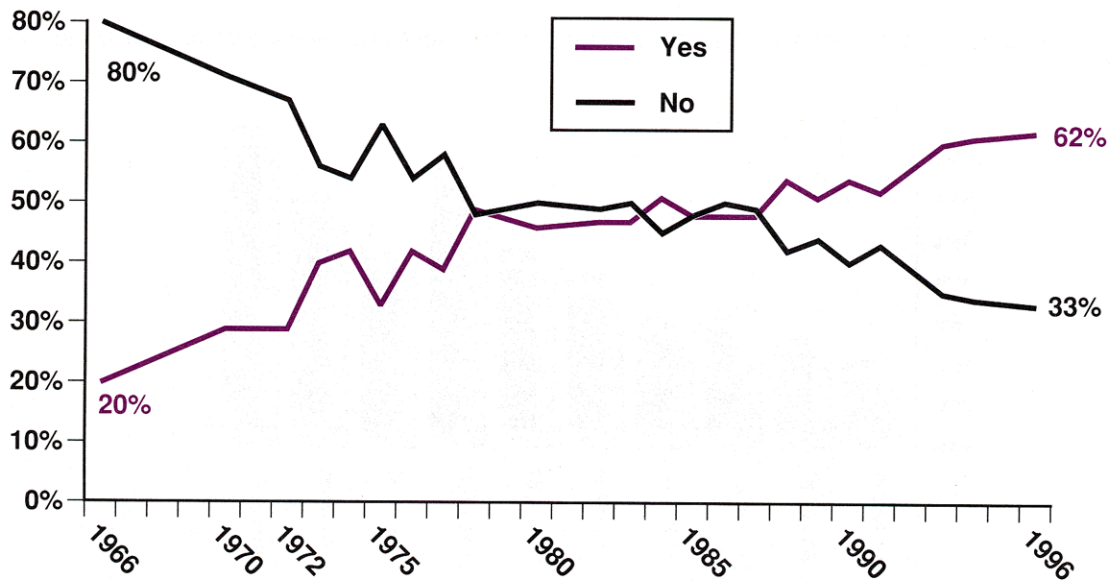


More Residential Integration

Question: Are there any [negroes/blacks/African Americans]/whites living in this neighborhood now?

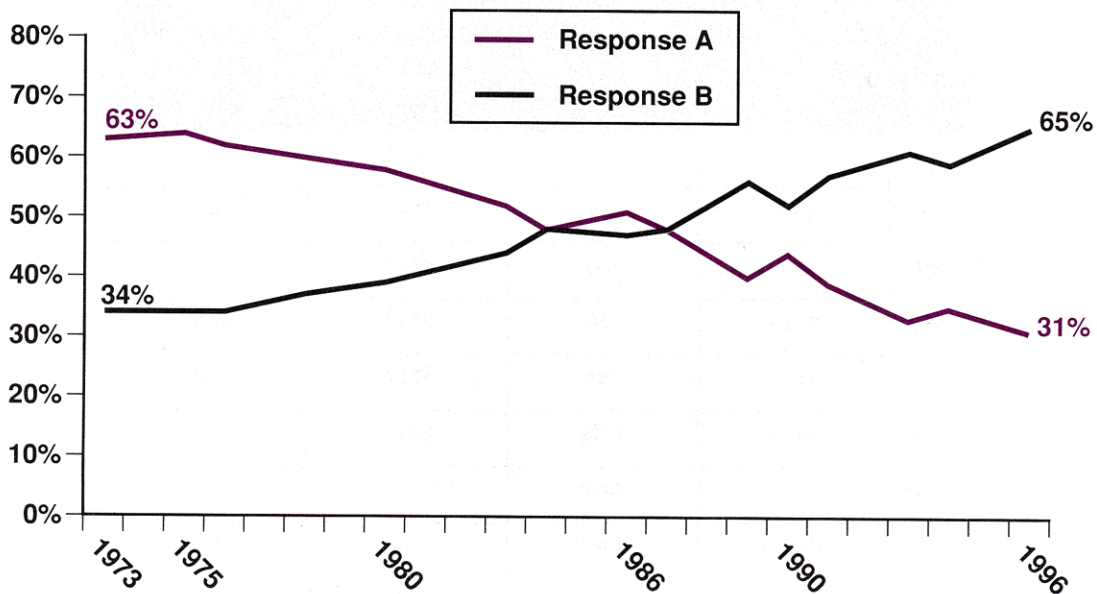


Note: From 1966 to 1977, the question was asked of non-blacks only. Thereafter, it was asked of all adults.

Source: Survey by the National Opinion Research Center-General Social Survey (GSS), latest that of February 1-May 25, 1996.

More Support for Open Housing Laws

Question: Suppose there is a community-wide vote on the general housing issue. There are two possible laws to vote on. Which law would you vote for?... (A) One law says that a homeowner can decide for himself whom to sell his house to, even if he prefers not to sell to... [negroes/blacks/African Americans]... (B) The second law says that a homeowner cannot refuse to sell to someone because of their race or color...?



Note: Responses of non-blacks only. From 1978 to the present, the question was asked of all national adults, and before 1978, it was asked of non-blacks only.

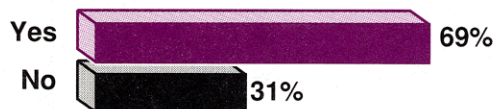
Source: Survey by the National Opinion Research Center-General Social Survey (GSS), latest that of February 1-May 25, 1996.

Both Blacks and Whites Now Report More Cross-Race Friendships Than in the Past

Question: Do you yourself know any *white* person whom you consider a fairly close personal friend?

Question: Do you yourself know any *black* person whom you consider a fairly close personal friend?

(asked of African Americans only)



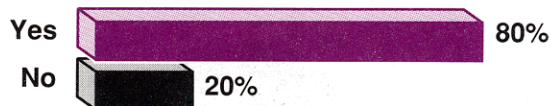
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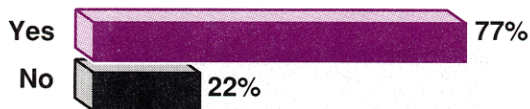


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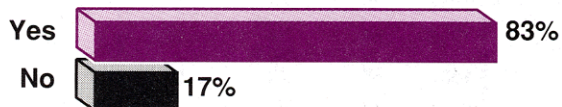
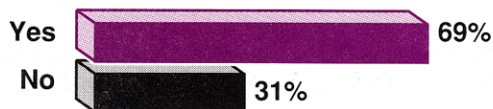
[Not asked of whites in this year]



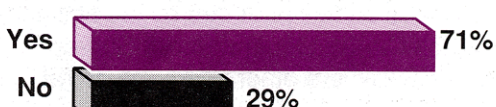
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Source: ABC News/Washington Post, latest that of June 5-8, 1997.