

TABLE 1. Percentage distribution of respondents to an Internet survey on sexual arousal and behaviors, by selected characteristics, 2004–2006

Characteristic	All (N=5,609)	Men (N=2,399)	Women (N=3,210)
DEMOGRAPHIC			
Race			
White	90.6	92.8	88.5
Nonwhite	9.6	7.2	11.5
Employment status***			
Employed full-time	52.4	65.3	42.8
Employed part-time	23.7	15.7	29.7
Unemployed	19.6	15.1	22.9
Temporary/seasonal worker	4.3	3.9	4.6
Level of income***			
Poor	5.3	4.1	6.2
Low income	39.1	32.0	44.5
Middle income	33.2	35.7	31.3
Upper income	22.4	28.1	18.1
Relationship type*			
Exclusive, monogamous	67.5	69.4	66.1
Nonexclusive, nonmonogamous	16.7	16.3	17.0
None	15.8	14.3	17.0
Relationship length***			
Not in a relationship	16.5	15.3	17.3
<6 months	10.9	7.8	13.1
≥6 to <12 months	8.4	6.7	9.6
≥1 year to <3 years	18.6	14.4	21.7
≥3 years	45.7	55.8	38.3
SEXUAL HISTORY			
Ever had an STD***			
No	78.2	82.3	75.1
Yes	21.8	17.7	24.9
Ever involved in an unintended pregnancy**			
No/unsure	68.9	71.1	67.2
Yes	31.1	28.8	32.8
Use/partner uses hormonal contraceptive***			
Yes	38.6	34.1	41.7
No/unsure	61.4	65.9	58.3
Had unprotected sex in the last 12 months***			
Yes	68.9	73.9	65.2
No/unsure	31.1	26.1	34.8
AROUSAL			
Use of condoms/other safer-sex products leads to loss of arousal			
Strongly agree	7.5	9.8	5.8
Agree	26.3	29.8	23.6
Disagree	45.5	43.6	46.9
Strongly disagree	20.8	16.8	23.7
Risk of unwanted pregnancy leads to loss of arousal***			
Strongly agree	15.3	9.3	19.8
Agree	30.9	28.0	33.1
Disagree	41.6	48.5	36.4
Strongly disagree	12.2	14.2	10.7
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0

*p<.05. **p<.01. ***p<.001.