Table 2. Age, Sex, and Regions—Reported Voter Participation and Registration for Persons of Voting Age, by Race: November 1970

(Numbers in thousands. Civilian noninstitutional population)

Region, age, race, and sex	All persons	Reported that they voted	Reported that they did not vote[1]				Percent distribution					
									Reported that they did not vote[1]			
			Total	Registered	Not registered	Do not know and not reported on registration	All persons	Reported that they voted	Total	Registered	Not registered	Do not know and not reported on registration
NORTH AND WEST												
All Races												
Both sexes[2]	83,515	49,264	34,251	9,210	21,905	3,135	100.0	59.0	41.0	11.0	26.2	3.8
21 to 24 years	8,573	2,871	5,702	734	4,536	432	100.0	33.5	66.5	8.6	52.9	5.0
25 to 44 years	32,520	18,182	14,338	3,466	9,774	1,096	100.0	55.9	44.1	10.7	30.1	3.4
45 to 64 years	28,960	19,940	9,021	3,082	4,870	1,069	100.0	68.9	31.1	10.6	16.8	3.7
65 years and over	13,440	8,265	5,175	1,926	2,710	536	100.0	61.5	38.5	14.3	20.2	4.0
Male[2]	39,154	23,702	15,451	4,053	9,833	1,566	100.0	60.5	39.5	10.4	25.1	4.0
21 to 24 years	3,954	1,314	2,640	338	2,055	247	100.0	33.2	66.8	8.5	52.0	6.2
25 to 44 years	15,639	8,710	6,928	1,654	4,696	580	100.0	55.7	44.3	10.6	30.0	3.7
45 to 64 years	13,836	9,701	4,133	1,396	2,213	527	100.0	70.1	29.9	10.1	16.0	3.8
65 years and over	5,717	3,973	1,745	667	864	211	100.0	69.5	30.5	11.7	15.1	3.7
Female[2]	44,361	25,562	18,800	5,157	12,073	1,570	100.0	57.6	42.4	11.6	27.2	3.5
21 to 24 years	4,619	1,557	3,062	396	2,481	183	100.0	33.7	66.3	8.6	53.7	4.0
25 to 44 years	16,880	9,472	7,410	1,810	5,077	519	100.0	56.1	43.9	10.7	30.1	3.1
45 to 64 years	15,124	10,237	4,887	1,686	2,658	543	100.0	67.7	32.3	11.1	17.6	3.6
65 years and over	7,722	4,292	3,430	1,260	1,846	324	100.0	55.6	44.4	16.3	23.9	4.2
White												
Both sexes[2]	77,158	46,113	31,046	8,478	19,818	2,749	100.0	59.8	40.2	11.0	25.7	3.6
21 to 24 years	7,757	2,670	5,087	655	4,078	354	100.0	34.4	65.6	8.4	52.6	4.6
25 to 44 years	29,530	16,744	12,786	3,126	8,733	925	100.0	56.7	43.3	10.6	29.6	3.1
45 to 64 years	27,023	18,721	8,303	2,855	4,479	967	100.0	69.3	30.7	10.6	16.6	3.6
65 years and over	12,834	7,976	4,858	1,839	2,517	501	100.0	62.1	37.9	14.3	19.6	3.9
Male[2]	36,343	22,238	14,105	3,772	8,978	1,356	100.0	61.2	38.8	10.4	24.7	3.7
21 to 24 years	3,603	1,229	2,374	308	1,859	207	100.0	34.1	65.9	8.5	51.6	5.7
25 to 44 years	14,369	8,089	6,280	1,518	4,266	496	100.0	56.3	43.7	10.6	29.7	3.5
45 to 64 years	12,926	9,109	3,817	1,303	2,051	463	100.0	70.5	29.5	10.1	15.9	3.6
65 years and over	5,441	3,808	1,633	643	798	190	100.0	70.0	30.0	11.8	14.7	3.5
Female[2]	40,815	23,875	16,940	4,706	10,841	1,393	100.0	58.5	41.5	11.5	26.6	3.4
21 to 24 years	4,155	1,441	2,713	346	2,219	147	100.0	34.7	65.3	8.3	53.4	3.5
25 to 44 years	15,161	8,655	6,505	1,609	4,466	430	100.0	57.1	42.9	10.6	29.5	2.8
45 to 64 years	14,097	9,611	4,486	1,554	2,428	504	100.0	68.2	31.8	11.0	17.2	3.6
65 years and over	7,393	4,168	3,225	1,195	1,718	311	100.0	56.4	43.6	16.2	23.2	4.2
Negro and Other Races												
Both sexes[2]	6,357	3,151	3,205	733	2,087	385	100.0	49.6	50.4	11.5	32.8	6.1
21 to 24 years	816	201	615	79	458	77	100.0	24.6	75.4	9.7	56.1	9.4
25 to 44 years	2,991	1,438	1,551	338	1,041	171	100.0	48.1	51.9	11.3	34.8	5.7
45 to 64 years	1,937	1,219	717	227	391	100	100.0	62.9	37.0	11.7	20.2	5.2
65 years and over	607	289	317	88	193	36	100.0	47.6	52.2	14.5	31.8	5.9
Male[2]	2,811	1,464	1,346	281	855	209	100.0	52.1	47.9	10.0	30.4	7.4
21 to 24 years	352	85	266	30	196	41	100.0	24.1	75.6	8.5	55.7	11.6
25 to 44 years	1,270	621	648	137	430	84	100.0	48.9	51.0	10.8	33.9	6.6
45 to 64 years	910	592	316	93	161	62	100.0	65.1	34.7	10.2	17.7	6.8
65 years and over	277	166	112	23	66	23	100.0	59.9	40.4	8.3	23.8	8.3
Female[2]	3,546	1,687	1,859	451	1,232	176	100.0	47.6	52.4	12.7	34.7	5.0
21 to 24 years	464	116	348	49	262	36	100.0	25.0	75.0	10.6	56.5	7.8
25 to 44 years	1,721	816	903	202	612	88	100.0	47.4	52.5	11.7	35.6	5.1
45 to 64 years	1,027	626	399	133	229	37	100.0	61.0	38.9	13.0	22.3	3.6
65 years and over	329	124	205	64	127	14	100.0	37.7	62.3	19.5	38.6	4.3

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Table 2. **Age, Sex, and Regions—Reported Voter Participation and Registration for Persons of Voting Age, by Race: November 1970**—Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Civilian noninstitutional population)

Region, age, race, and sex	All persons	Reported that they voted	Reported that they did not vote[1]				Percent distribution					
									Reported that they did not vote[1]			
			Total	Registered	Not registered	Do not know and not reported on registration	All persons	Reported that they voted	Total	Registered	Not registered	Do not know and not reported on registration
NORTH AND WEST--Continued												
Negro												
Both sexes[2]	5,277	2,714	2,562	692	1,525	344	100.0	51.4	48.6	13.1	28.9	6.5
21 to 24 years	694	176	518	77	365	75	100.0	25.4	74.6	11.1	52.6	10.8
25 to 44 years	2,491	1,245	1,245	321	775	148	100.0	50.0	50.0	12.9	31.1	5.9
45 to 64 years	1,614	1,036	577	213	272	91	100.0	64.2	35.7	13.2	16.9	5.6
65 years and over	479	257	223	82	113	28	100.0	53.7	46.6	17.1	23.6	5.8
Male[2]	2,297	1,231	1,065	265	616	184	100.0	53.6	46.4	11.5	26.8	8.0
21 to 24 years	296	68	228	28	159	41	100.0	23.0	77.0	9.5	53.7	13.9
25 to 44 years	1,057	536	522	132	323	67	100.0	50.7	49.4	12.5	30.6	6.3
45 to 64 years	740	491	247	87	103	57	100.0	66.4	33.4	11.8	13.9	7.7
65 years and over	204	136	68	20	31	18	100.0	66.7	33.3	9.8	15.2	8.8
Female[2]	2,980	1,483	1,497	426	909	160	100.0	49.8	50.2	14.3	30.5	5.4
21 to 24 years	398	108	290	49	206	34	100.0	27.1	72.9	12.3	51.8	8.5
25 to 44 years	1,433	710	723	188	453	78	100.0	49.5	50.5	13.1	31.6	5.4
45 to 64 years	874	545	328	125	169	34	100.0	62.4	37.5	14.3	19.3	3.9
65 years and over	275	121	154	61	82	11	100.0	44.0	56.0	22.2	29.8	4.0
SOUTH												
All Races												
Both sexes[2]	37,186	16,624	20,562	7,083	12,186	1,294	100.0	44.7	55.3	19.0	32.8	3.5
21 to 24 years	4,022	963	3,060	577	2,284	199	100.0	23.9	76.1	14.3	56.8	4.9
25 to 44 years	14,538	6,223	8,315	2,731	5,061	522	100.0	42.8	57.2	18.8	34.8	3.6
45 to 64 years	12,517	6,692	5,827	2,439	3,011	376	100.0	53.5	46.6	19.5	24.1	3.0
65 years and over	5,698	2,641	3,057	1,274	1,610	174	100.0	46.3	53.7	22.4	28.3	3.1
Male[2]	17,277	8,346	8,932	3,175	5,057	701	100.0	48.3	51.7	18.4	29.3	4.1
21 to 24 years	1,786	455	1,331	257	952	123	100.0	25.5	74.5	14.4	53.3	6.9
25 to 44 years	7,000	3,123	3,878	1,292	2,290	293	100.0	44.6	55.4	18.5	32.7	4.2
45 to 64 years	5,878	3,378	2,502	1,082	1,210	208	100.0	57.5	42.6	18.4	20.6	3.5
65 years and over	2,414	1,342	1,073	506	500	66	100.0	55.6	44.4	21.0	20.7	2.7
Female[2]	19,909	8,278	11,631	3,909	7,130	593	100.0	41.6	58.4	19.6	35.8	3.0
21 to 24 years	2,236	508	1,727	320	1,331	76	100.0	22.7	77.2	14.3	59.5	3.4
25 to 44 years	7,537	3,100	4,438	1,439	2,768	230	100.0	41.1	58.9	19.1	36.7	3.1
45 to 64 years	6,639	3,313	3,325	1,357	1,799	168	100.0	49.9	50.1	20.4	27.1	2.5
65 years and over	3,282	1,298	1,984	766	1,109	109	100.0	39.5	60.5	23.3	33.8	3.3
White												
Both sexes[2]	30,839	14,313	16,525	5,768	9,769	988	100.0	46.4	53.6	18.7	31.7	3.2
21 to 24 years	3,254	812	2,442	469	1,848	125	100.0	25.0	75.0	14.4	56.8	3.8
25 to 44 years	12,048	5,300	6,750	2,215	4,143	389	100.0	44.0	56.0	18.4	34.4	3.2
45 to 64 years	10,467	5,784	4,684	1,997	2,390	297	100.0	55.3	44.8	19.1	22.8	2.8
65 years and over	4,749	2,333	2,418	1,040	1,221	154	100.0	49.1	50.9	21.9	25.7	3.2
Male[2]	14,354	7,235	7,120	2,619	3,990	511	100.0	50.4	49.6	18.2	27.8	3.6
21 to 24 years	1,429	386	1,044	219	746	79	100.0	27.0	73.1	15.3	52.2	5.5
25 to 44 years	5,815	2,682	3,134	1,062	1,865	207	100.0	46.1	53.9	18.3	32.1	3.6
45 to 64 years	4,956	2,949	2,008	907	944	155	100.0	59.5	40.5	18.3	19.0	3.1
65 years and over	2,002	1,181	821	405	360	58	100.0	59.0	41.0	20.2	18.0	2.9
Female[2]	16,485	7,079	9,405	3,150	5,779	478	100.0	42.9	57.1	19.1	35.1	3.0
21 to 24 years	1,825	426	1,399	252	1,102	46	100.0	23.3	76.7	13.8	60.4	2.5
25 to 44 years	6,234	2,617	3,618	1,154	2,277	185	100.0	42.0	58.0	18.5	36.5	3.0
45 to 64 years	5,511	2,835	2,677	1,088	1,447	140	100.0	51.4	48.6	19.7	26.3	2.5
65 years and over	2,746	1,151	1,596	636	861	98	100.0	41.9	58.1	23.2	31.4	3.6

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Table 2. **Age, Sex, and Regions—Reported Voter Participation and Registration for Persons of Voting Age, by Race: November 1970**—Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Civilian noninstitutional population)

Region, age, race, and sex	All persons	Reported that they voted	Reported that they did not vote[1]				Percent distribution					
									Reported that they did not vote[1]			
			Total	Registered	Not registered	Do not know and not reported on registration	All persons	Reported that they voted	Total	Registered	Not registered	Do not know and not reported on registration
SOUTH--Continued												
Negro and Other Races												
Both sexes[2]	6,347	2,310	4,036	1,314	2,417	306	100.0	36.4	63.6	20.7	38.1	4.8
21 to 24 years	767	151	616	107	436	74	100.0	19.7	80.3	14.0	56.8	9.6
25 to 44 years	2,490	924	1,564	517	917	132	100.0	37.1	62.8	20.8	36.8	5.3
45 to 64 years	2,049	908	1,141	442	621	79	100.0	44.3	55.7	21.6	30.3	3.9
65 years and over	948	308	640	233	389	19	100.0	32.5	67.5	24.6	41.0	2.0
Male[2]	2,924	1,111	1,812	556	1,067	191	100.0	38.0	62.0	19.0	36.5	6.5
21 to 24 years	357	69	288	38	206	44	100.0	19.3	80.7	10.6	57.7	12.3
25 to 44 years	1,185	441	744	231	427	86	100.0	37.2	62.8	19.5	36.0	7.3
45 to 64 years	922	429	494	174	267	52	100.0	46.5	53.6	18.9	29.0	5.6
65 years and over	412	160	252	103	141	9	100.0	38.8	61.2	25.0	34.2	2.2
Female[2]	3,424	1,199	2,224	758	1,351	115	100.0	35.0	65.0	22.1	39.5	3.4
21 to 24 years	411	82	329	68	230	30	100.0	20.0	80.0	16.5	56.0	7.3
25 to 44 years	1,303	483	823	285	490	47	100.0	37.1	63.2	21.9	37.6	3.6
45 to 64 years	1,127	479	648	268	353	28	100.0	42.5	57.5	23.8	31.3	2.5
65 years and over	536	148	389	131	248	10	100.0	27.6	72.6	24.4	46.3	1.9
Negro												
Both sexes[2]	6,196	2,278	3,918	1,287	2,330	301	100.0	36.8	63.2	20.8	37.6	4.9
21 to 24 years	757	151	606	107	428	72	100.0	19.9	80.1	14.1	56.5	9.5
25 to 44 years	2,391	909	1,481	494	857	130	100.0	38.0	61.9	20.7	35.8	5.4
45 to 64 years	2,022	901	1,122	437	606	79	100.0	44.6	55.5	21.6	30.0	3.9
65 years and over	933	299	634	233	386	16	100.0	32.0	68.0	25.0	41.4	1.7
Male[2]	2,848	1,089	1,759	545	1,025	190	100.0	38.2	61.8	19.1	36.0	6.7
21 to 24 years	350	69	281	38	200	44	100.0	19.7	80.3	10.9	57.1	12.6
25 to 44 years	1,138	429	709	222	401	86	100.0	37.7	62.3	19.5	35.2	7.6
45 to 64 years	907	424	484	173	259	52	100.0	46.7	53.4	19.1	28.6	5.7
65 years and over	406	157	249	103	140	7	100.0	38.7	61.3	25.4	34.5	1.7
Female[2]	3,348	1,188	2,159	742	1,306	111	100.0	35.5	64.5	22.2	39.0	3.3
21 to 24 years	406	81	325	68	228	29	100.0	20.0	80.0	16.7	56.2	7.1
25 to 44 years	1,253	480	774	273	456	45	100.0	38.3	61.8	21.8	36.4	3.6
45 to 64 years	1,115	477	639	265	347	28	100.0	42.8	57.3	23.8	31.1	2.5
65 years and over	527	142	385	130	246	9	100.0	26.9	73.1	24.7	46.7	1.7

[1]Includes persons who were recorded as "do not know" and "not reported" on voting. It is estimated that about 2,462,000 were from the North and West and 1,054,000 were from the South.

[2]Includes persons of voting age 18 to 20 years old, not shown separately.