Table 32. REPORTED VOTER PARTICIPATION IN 1972 AND 1968 OF PERSONS 25 YEARS OLD AND OVER, BY MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP, RACE, AND SEX, FOR THE UNITED STATES: NOVEMBER 1972

(Numbers in thousands. Civilian noninstitutional population)

Occupation, race, and sex	All persons	Reported that they voted in 1972				Reported that they did not vote in 1972[1]			
		Total	Voted in 1968	Did not vote in 1968	Do not know and not reported for 1968	Total	Voted in 1968	Did not vote in 1968	Do not know and not reported for 1968
All Races									
Both sexes	64,981	45,054	40,250	3,589	1,214	19,927	6,570	10,344	3,014
White-collar workers	32,303	25,617	23,201	1,886	530	6,686	2,627	2,965	1,094
Professional, technical, & kind. wkrs.	10,246	8,608	7,831	628	149	1,638	658	715	265
Managers and administrators, exc. farm.	7,757	6,033	5,573	328	131	1,724	717	708	300
Sales workers	4,208	3,216	2,879	255	83	992	398	413	180
Clerical and kindred workers	10,093	7,760	6,918	675	167	2,333	854	1,129	350
Blue-collar workers	22,238	12,922	11,237	1,207	479	9,316	2,705	5,247	1,364
Craftsmen, foremen, and kindred wkrs.	9,187	5,886	5,208	497	180	3,301	1,074	1,703	524
Operatives, except transport	7,822	4,198	3,600	432	167	3,624	999	2,198	427
Transport equipment operatives	2,768	1,550	1,343	138	69	1,218	365	652	201
Laborers, except farm	2,461	1,288	1,086	140	63	1,173	267	694	212
Service workers	7,938	4,838	4,235	433	170	3,099	948	1,691	460
Private household workers	1,101	574	496	53	26	527	132	331	64
Service workers, exc. private household	6,836	4,264	3,739	380	145	2,572	816	1,360	396
Farm workers	2,502	1,676	1,578	64	35	826	290	440	95
Farmers and farm managers	1,636	1,288	1,230	36	22	348	157	142	49
Farm laborers and farm foremen	866	389	348	27	13	477	133	298	47
Male	41,052	28,420	25,367	2,215	839	12,632	4,131	6,447	2,054
White-collar workers	18,010	14,384	13,041	1,022	321	3,626	1,441	1,545	639
Professional, technical, & kind. wkrs.	6,352	5,327	4,848	379	100	1,025	406	452	167
Managers and administrators, exc. farm.	6,423	4,992	4,612	269	111	1,431	582	590	259
Sales workers	2,599	2,034	1,799	179	56	564	255	202	107
Clerical and kindred workers	2,637	2,031	1,782	195	55	605	198	302	106
Blue-collar workers	18,165	10,803	9,377	996	430	7,362	2,148	4,059	1,156
Craftsmen, foremen, and kindred wkrs.	8,792	5,643	4,979	485	179	3,150	1,018	1,630	502
Operatives, except transport	4,479	2,534	2,155	258	122	1,945	533	1,150	262
Transport equipment operatives	2,620	1,447	1,248	131	68	1,174	347	629	198
Laborers, except farm	2,273	1,179	996	122	61	1,094	249	650	194
Service workers	2,782	1,816	1,618	143	55	966	304	486	176
Private household workers	20	9	9	-	-	10	4	5	2
Service workers, exc. private household	2,762	1,806	1,609	143	55	956	300	481	174
Farm workers	2,095	1,417	1,331	55	32	678	238	357	83
Farmers and farm managers	1,552	1,220	1,165	35	20	333	152	134	46
Farm laborers and farm foremen	543	198	166	20	12	345	85	223	37
Female	23,928	16,633	14,883	1,374	375	7,295	2,439	3,897	960
White-collar workers	14,293	11,232	10,160	864	208	3,061	1,185	1,420	455
Professional, technical, & kind. wkrs.	3,894	3,281	2,983	249	49	614	252	264	98
Managers and administrators, exc. farm.	1,334	1,041	962	59	20	293	134	118	41
Sales workers	1,610	1,182	1,079	76	27	428	143	211	73
C Clerical and kindred workers	7,456	5,729	5,136	480	113	1,727	656	828	244
Blue-collar workers	4,073	2,120	1,859	211	49	1,953	557	1,188	208
Craftsmen, foremen, and kindred wkrs.	394	243	229	12	2	151	56	73	22
Operatives, except transport	3,343	1,664	1,445	174	45	1,679	466	1,048	165
Transport equipment operatives	148	104	95	7	1	45	18	24	3
Laborers, except farm	188	109	90	18	1	78	17	43	18
Service workers	5,156	3,022	2,617	290	115	2,133	644	1,205	284
Private household workers	1,081	565	486	53	26	516	128	326	62
Service workers, exc. private household	4,074	2,457	2,130	238	90	1,617	516	879	222
Farm workers	407	259	247	9	3	148	52	83	12
Farmers and farm managers	84	68	65	1	1	16	5	8	3
Farm laborers and farm foremen	323	191	182	8	1	132	47	75	10
White									
Both sexes	57,996	40,808	36,667	3,182	959	17,187	5,824	8,827	2,536
White-collar workers	30,258	24,165	21,959	1,733	472	6,093	2,471	2,614	1,009
Professional, technical, & kind. wkrs.	9,511	8,058	7,344	586	128	1,453	624	583	246
Managers and administrators, exc. farm.	7,487	5,843	5,409	311	123	1,644	698	657	289
Sales workers	4,054	3,113	2,793	242	78	941	389	378	174
Clerical and kindred workers	9,207	7,152	6,414	595	143	2,055	760	996	300
Blue-collar workers	19,434	11,336	9,923	1,060	353	8,099	2,363	4,600	1,136
Craftsmen, foremen, and kindred wkrs.	8,540	5,508	4,890	468	150	3,032	992	1,560	480
Operatives, except transport	6,749	3,575	3,099	360	116	3,175	858	1,966	351
Transport equipment operatives	2,331	1,291	1,124	118	49	1,040	315	557	168
Laborers, except farm	1,814	962	810	113	38	852	198	517	137
Service workers	5,997	3,699	3,266	332	101	2,298	728	1,256	314
Private household workers	568	297	262	29	6	271	63	182	26
Service workers, exc. private household	5,429	3,403	3,004	303	95	2,027	665	1,074	288
Farm workers	2,306	1,609	1,519	58	32	698	263	358	77
Farmers and farm managers	1,588	1,252	1,197	35	20	336	152	138	46
Farm laborers and farm foremen	718	357	321	23	12	361	111	220	31

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		Total	Voted in 1968	Did not vote in 1968	Do not know and not reported for 1968	Total	Voted in 1968	Did not vote in 1968	Do not know and not reported for 1968
White--Continued									
Male	37,173	26,128	23,461	1,991	676	11,045	3,744	5,561	1,740
White-collar workers	17,102	13,752	12,509	950	294	3,349	1,384	1,367	599
Professional, technical, & kind. wkrs..	5,990	5,063	4,614	357	92	927	392	377	158
Managers and administrators, exc. farm.	6,225	4,862	4,505	253	103	1,363	567	545	251
Sales workers	2,522	1,981	1,759	170	51	541	252	187	103
Clerical and kindred workers	2,364	1,846	1,630	169	47	518	172	257	88
Blue-collar workers	15,917	9,539	8,340	883	315	6,378	1,892	3,537	949
Craftsmen, foremen, and kindred wkrs...	8,167	5,279	4,675	456	149	2,888	940	1,490	458
Operatives, except transport	3,900	2,189	1,889	219	81	1,711	471	1,034	206
Transport equipment operatives	2,200	1,204	1,043	111	49	997	298	533	165
Laborers, except farm	1,649	867	733	98	37	782	182	479	120
Service workers	2,222	1,483	1,339	109	36	739	254	362	123
Private household workers	9	6	6	-	-	3	3	-	-
Service workers, exc. private household	2,213	1,477	1,332	109	36	736	251	362	123
Farm workers	1,932	1,353	1,273	49	31	579	215	295	69
Farmers and farm managers	1,506	1,186	1,132	33	20	321	147	130	44
Farm laborers and farm foremen	426	168	141	15	11	258	68	164	26
Female	20,823	14,681	13,206	1,191	283	6,142	2,080	3,267	796
White-collar workers	13,156	10,413	9,451	784	178	2,744	1,087	1,247	410
Professional, technical, & kind. wkrs..	3,520	2,994	2,730	229	36	526	232	205	88
Managers and administrators, exc. farm.	1,262	981	903	58	20	281	131	112	39
Sales workers	1,532	1,132	1,034	72	27	400	137	192	71
Clerical and kindred workers	6,843	5,305	4,784	426	96	1,537	587	738	212
Blue-collar workers	3,517	1,797	1,583	176	38	1,720	471	1,063	187
Craftsmen, foremen, and kindred wkrs...	373	229	215	12	2	144	52	70	22
Operatives, except transport	2,849	1,386	1,210	141	35	1,463	387	932	144
Transport equipment operatives	131	88	81	7	-	43	16	24	3
Laborers, except farm	164	94	77	16	1	70	16	37	17
Service workers	3,775	2,216	1,928	223	66	1,559	474	894	191
Private household workers	558	290	256	29	6	268	60	182	26
Service workers, exc. private household	3,217	1,926	1,672	194	60	1,291	413	712	165
Farm workers	374	255	245	9	1	119	48	63	8
Farmers and farm managers	82	66	65	1	-	16	5	8	3
Farm laborers and farm foremen	292	189	180	8	1	103	42	55	5
Negro									
Both sexes	6,263	3,918	3,302	370	245	2,346	703	1,183	459
White-collar workers	1,686	1,278	1,090	134	53	408	138	189	81
Professional, technical, & kind. wkrs..	571	486	433	34	20	85	31	38	16
Managers and administrators, exc. farm.	214	160	139	14	7	54	15	28	10
Sales workers	125	86	70	11	5	39	7	25	6
Clerical and kindred workers	776	546	448	76	22	230	83	98	48
Blue-collar workers	2,576	1,495	1,236	136	123	1,081	325	538	218
Craftsmen, foremen, and kindred wkrs...	571	339	282	27	30	232	77	115	40
Operatives, except transport	979	590	475	65	50	390	132	184	74
Transport equipment operatives	423	253	215	19	19	170	50	88	33
Laborers, except farm	602	313	264	26	23	289	66	152	71
Service workers	1,833	1,092	931	93	67	742	215	384	142
Private household workers	526	274	231	23	20	252	69	144	38
Service workers, exc. private household	1,307	817	700	70	47	490	146	240	104
Farm workers	169	54	45	6	2	115	25	72	18
Farmers and farm managers	36	25	23	2	1	11	5	3	3
Farm laborers and farm foremen	133	28	23	4	1	105	20	69	15
Male	3,446	2,102	1,743	201	159	1,344	368	677	300
White-collar workers	727	546	459	60	27	181	53	90	38
Professional, technical, & kind. wkrs..	258	218	195	15	8	40	13	19	8
Managers and administrators, exc. farm.	154	109	90	12	7	45	13	24	8
Sales workers	66	48	35	8	5	18	3	11	4
Clerical and kindred workers	249	172	139	25	8	77	24	36	17
Blue-collar workers	2,075	1,192	974	106	113	882	244	441	198
Craftsmen, foremen, and kindred wkrs...	551	327	269	27	30	225	73	111	40
Operatives, except transport	538	330	252	37	41	208	57	95	55
Transport equipment operatives	405	237	200	19	18	169	48	88	33
Laborers, except farm	580	299	252	23	23	281	65	147	70
Service workers	504	312	266	29	18	192	49	92	50
Private household workers	9	3	3	-	-	6	1	3	2
Service workers, exc. private household	495	309	263	29	18	186	48	89	49

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Negro--Continued									
Male--Continued									
Farm workers	140	51	44	6	1	89	23	53	14
Farmers and farm managers	35	24	23	2	-	11	5	3	3
Farm laborers and farm foremen	106	27	22	4	1	79	17	50	11
Female	2,817	1,816	1,560	169	87	1,001	335	507	159
White-collar workers	959	732	631	74	27	227	85	99	43
Professional, technical, & kind. wkrs.	314	269	238	19	12	45	19	18	8
Managers and administrators, exc. farm.	60	51	50	2	-	8	2	4	2
Sales workers	59	38	34	3	-	21	5	15	2
Clerical and kindred workers	526	374	309	50	15	152	59	62	31
Blue-collar workers	501	302	262	30	10	199	81	98	20
Craftsmen, foremen, and kindred wkrs.	20	13	13	-	-	8	4	3	-
Operatives, except transport	441	259	223	28	9	182	75	89	19
Transport equipment operatives	18	16	15	-	1	2	2	-	-
Laborers, except farm	22	14	12	2	-	8	1	6	1
Service workers	1,329	779	666	65	49	550	166	292	92
Private household workers	517	271	228	23	20	245	68	141	37
Service workers, exc. private household	812	508	438	42	29	304	98	150	55
Farm workers	28	3	1	-	1	26	3	19	4
Farmers and farm managers	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Farm laborers and farm foremen	27	1	1	-	-	26	3	19	4
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION									
All Races									
Both sexes	100.0	69.3	61.9	5.5	1.9	30.7	10.1	15.9	4.6
White-collar workers	100.0	79.3	71.8	5.8	1.6	20.7	8.1	9.2	3.4
Professional, technical, & kind. wkrs.	100.0	84.0	76.4	6.1	1.5	16.0	6.4	7.0	2.6
Managers and administrators, exc. farm.	100.0	77.8	71.9	4.2	1.7	22.2	9.2	9.1	3.9
Sales workers	100.0	76.4	68.4	6.0	2.0	23.6	9.5	9.8	4.3
Clerical and kindred workers	100.0	76.9	68.5	6.7	1.7	23.1	8.5	11.2	3.5
Blue-collar workers	100.0	58.1	50.5	5.4	2.2	41.9	12.2	23.6	6.1
Craftsmen, foremen, and kindred wkrs.	100.0	64.1	56.7	5.4	2.0	35.9	11.7	18.5	5.7
Operatives, except transport	100.0	53.7	46.0	5.5	2.1	46.3	12.8	28.1	5.5
Transport equipment operatives	100.0	56.0	48.5	5.0	2.5	44.0	13.2	23.6	7.2
Laborers, except farm	100.0	52.4	44.1	5.7	2.5	47.6	10.8	28.2	8.6
Service workers	100.0	61.0	53.4	5.5	2.1	39.0	11.9	21.3	5.8
Private household workers	100.0	52.2	45.0	4.8	2.3	47.8	12.0	30.0	5.8
Service workers, exc. private household	100.0	62.4	54.7	5.6	2.1	37.6	11.9	19.9	5.8
Farm workers	100.0	67.0	63.1	2.5	1.4	33.0	11.6	17.6	3.8
Farmers and farm managers	100.0	78.7	75.2	2.2	1.3	21.3	9.6	8.7	3.0
Farm laborers and farm foremen	100.0	44.9	40.2	3.1	1.5	55.1	15.3	34.4	5.4
Male	100.0	69.2	61.8	5.4	2.0	30.8	10.1	15.7	5.0
White-collar workers	100.0	79.9	72.4	5.7	1.8	20.1	8.0	8.6	3.5
Professional, technical, & kind. wkrs.	100.0	83.9	76.3	6.0	1.6	16.1	6.4	7.1	2.6
Managers and administrators, exc. farm.	100.0	77.7	71.8	4.2	1.7	22.3	9.1	9.2	4.0
Sales workers	100.0	78.3	69.2	6.9	2.2	21.7	9.8	7.8	4.1
Clerical and kindred workers	100.0	77.0	67.6	7.4	2.1	23.0	7.5	11.4	4.0
Blue-collar workers	100.0	59.5	51.6	5.5	2.4	40.5	11.8	22.3	6.4
Craftsmen, foremen, and kindred wkrs.	100.0	64.2	56.6	5.5	2.0	35.8	11.6	18.5	5.7
Operatives, except transport	100.0	56.6	48.1	5.8	2.7	43.4	11.9	25.7	5.8
Transport equipment operatives	100.0	55.2	47.6	5.0	2.6	44.8	13.3	24.0	7.5
Laborers, except farm	100.0	51.9	43.8	5.4	2.7	48.1	11.0	28.6	8.6
Service workers	100.0	65.3	58.2	5.1	2.0	34.7	10.9	17.5	6.3
Private household workers	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
Service workers, exc. private household	100.0	65.4	58.2	5.2	2.0	34.6	10.9	17.4	6.3
Farm workers	100.0	67.6	63.5	2.6	1.5	32.4	11.3	17.0	4.0
Farmers and farm managers	100.0	78.6	75.0	2.3	1.3	21.4	9.8	8.6	3.0
Farm laborers and farm foremen	100.0	36.4	30.6	3.6	2.2	63.6	15.7	41.1	6.8
Female	100.0	69.5	62.2	5.7	1.6	30.5	10.2	16.3	4.0
White-collar workers	100.0	78.6	71.1	6.0	1.5	21.4	8.3	9.9	3.2
Professional, technical, & kind. wkrs.	100.0	84.2	76.6	6.4	1.3	15.8	6.5	6.8	2.5
Managers and administrators, exc. farm.	100.0	78.0	72.1	4.4	1.5	22.0	10.1	8.8	3.0
Sales workers	100.0	73.4	67.1	4.7	1.7	26.6	8.9	13.1	4.6
Clerical and kindred workers	100.0	76.8	68.9	6.4	1.5	23.2	8.8	11.1	3.3

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PERCENT DISTRIBUTION--Continued									
All Races--Continued									
Female--Continued									
Blue-collar workers	100.0	52.0	45.7	5.2	1.2	48.0	13.7	29.2	5.1
Craftsmen, foremen, and kindred wkrs...	100.0	61.6	58.1	3.2	0.4	38.4	14.2	18.5	5.7
Operatives, except transport	100.0	49.8	43.2	5.2	1.3	50.2	13.9	31.4	4.9
Transport equipment operatives	100.0	70.0	64.4	4.7	0.9	30.0	12.0	16.1	2.0
Laborers, except farm	100.0	58.2	47.9	9.6	0.8	41.8	9.2	23.0	9.6
Service workers	100.0	58.6	50.8	5.6	2.2	41.4	12.5	23.4	5.5
Private household workers	100.0	52.2	45.0	4.9	2.4	47.8	11.8	30.1	5.8
Service workers, exc. private household	100.0	60.3	52.3	5.8	2.2	39.7	12.7	21.6	5.4
Farm workers	100.0	63.6	60.8	2.2	0.7	36.4	12.9	20.4	3.1
Farmers and farm managers	100.0	81.1	77.9	1.5	1.7	18.9	6.2	9.4	3.3
Farm laborers and farm foremen	100.0	59.1	56.4	2.3	0.4	40.9	14.6	23.3	3.0
White									
Both sexes	100.0	70.4	63.2	5.5	1.7	29.6	10.0	15.2	4.4
White-collar workers	100.0	79.9	72.6	5.7	1.6	20.1	8.2	8.6	3.3
Professional, technical, & kind. wkrs..	100.0	84.7	77.2	6.2	1.3	15.3	6.6	6.1	2.6
Managers and administrators, exc. farm.	100.0	78.0	72.2	4.1	1.6	22.0	9.3	8.8	3.9
Sales workers	100.0	76.8	68.9	6.0	1.9	23.2	9.6	9.3	4.3
Clerical and kindred workers	100.0	77.7	69.7	6.5	1.6	22.3	8.3	10.8	3.3
Blue-collar workers	100.0	58.3	51.1	5.5	1.8	41.7	12.2	23.7	5.8
Craftsmen, foremen, and kindred wkrs...	100.0	64.5	57.3	5.5	1.8	35.5	11.6	18.3	5.6
Operatives, except transport	100.0	53.0	45.9	5.3	1.7	47.0	12.7	29.1	5.2
Transport equipment operatives	100.0	55.4	48.2	5.1	2.1	44.6	13.5	23.9	7.2
Laborers, except farm	100.0	53.0	44.7	6.2	2.1	47.0	10.9	28.5	7.6
Service workers	100.0	61.7	54.5	5.5	1.7	38.3	12.1	20.9	5.2
Private household workers	100.0	52.2	46.2	5.0	1.0	47.8	11.1	32.1	4.5
Service workers, exc. private household	100.0	62.7	55.3	5.6	1.8	37.3	12.2	19.8	5.3
Farm workers	100.0	69.7	65.8	2.5	1.4	30.3	11.4	15.5	3.4
Farmers and farm managers	100.0	78.8	75.4	2.2	1.3	21.2	9.6	8.7	2.9
Farm laborers and farm foremen	100.0	49.7	44.8	3.2	1.7	50.3	15.4	30.6	4.3
Male	100.0	70.3	63.1	5.4	1.8	29.7	10.1	15.0	4.7
White-collar workers	100.0	80.4	73.1	5.6	1.7	19.6	8.1	8.0	3.5
Professional, technical, & kind. wkrs..	100.0	84.5	77.0	6.0	1.5	15.5	6.5	6.3	2.6
Managers and administrators, exc. farm.	100.0	78.1	72.4	4.1	1.7	21.9	9.1	8.8	4.0
Sales workers	100.0	78.5	69.7	6.7	2.0	21.5	10.0	7.4	4.1
Clerical and kindred workers	100.0	78.1	69.0	7.2	2.0	21.9	7.3	10.9	3.7
Blue-collar workers	100.0	59.9	52.4	5.6	2.0	40.1	11.9	22.2	6.0
Craftsmen, foremen, and kindred wkrs...	100.0	64.6	57.2	5.6	1.8	35.4	11.5	18.2	5.6
Operatives, except transport	100.0	56.1	48.4	5.6	2.1	43.9	12.1	26.5	5.3
Transport equipment operatives	100.0	54.7	47.4	5.0	2.2	45.3	13.6	24.2	7.5
Laborers, except farm	100.0	52.6	44.4	5.9	2.2	47.4	11.1	29.1	7.3
Service workers	100.0	66.7	60.2	4.9	1.6	33.3	11.4	16.3	5.5
Private household workers	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
Service workers, exc. private household	100.0	66.7	60.2	4.9	1.6	33.3	11.4	16.4	5.6
Farm workers	100.0	70.0	65.9	2.5	1.6	30.0	11.1	15.2	3.6
Farmers and farm managers	100.0	78.7	75.2	2.2	1.3	21.3	9.7	8.6	2.9
Farm laborers and farm foremen	100.0	39.4	33.2	3.6	2.6	60.6	16.0	38.6	6.0
Female	100.0	70.5	63.4	5.7	1.4	29.5	10.0	15.7	3.8
White-collar workers	100.0	79.1	71.8	6.0	1.4	20.9	8.3	9.5	3.1
Professional, technical, & kind. wkrs..	100.0	85.1	77.6	6.5	1.0	14.9	6.6	5.8	2.5
Managers and administrators, exc. farm.	100.0	77.7	71.6	4.6	1.6	22.3	10.4	8.9	3.1
Sales workers	100.0	73.9	67.5	4.7	1.7	26.1	8.9	12.5	4.7
Clerical and kindred workers	100.0	77.5	69.9	6.2	1.4	22.5	8.6	10.8	3.1
Blue-collar workers	100.0	51.1	45.0	5.0	1.1	48.9	13.4	30.2	5.3
Craftsmen, foremen, and kindred wkrs...	100.0	61.5	57.7	3.3	0.4	38.5	13.9	18.7	6.0
Operatives, except transport	100.0	48.6	42.5	5.0	1.2	51.4	13.6	32.7	5.1
Transport equipment operatives	100.0	67.1	61.8	5.4	-	32.9	12.4	18.2	2.2
Laborers, except farm	100.0	57.2	46.9	9.5	0.9	42.8	9.7	22.8	10.3
Service workers	100.0	58.7	51.1	5.9	1.7	41.3	12.5	23.7	5.1
Private household workers	100.0	52.0	45.8	5.1	1.0	48.0	10.8	32.6	4.6
Service workers, exc. private household	100.0	59.9	52.0	6.0	1.9	40.1	12.9	22.1	5.1
Farm workers	100.0	68.3	65.5	2.4	0.4	31.7	12.7	16.9	2.2
Farmers and farm managers	100.0	80.8	79.2	1.5	-	19.2	6.3	9.6	3.4
Farm laborers and farm foremen	100.0	64.7	61.7	2.6	0.5	35.3	14.5	18.9	1.8

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 32. REPORTED VOTER PARTICIPATION IN 1972 AND 1968 OF PERSONS 25 YEARS OLD AND OVER, BY MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP, RACE, AND SEX, FOR THE UNITED STATES: NOVEMBER 1972—Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Civilian noninstitutional population)

Occupation, race, and sex	All persons	Reported that they voted in 1972				Reported that they did not vote in 1972[1]			
		Total	Voted in 1968	Did not vote in 1968	Do not know and not reported for 1968	Total	Voted in 1968	Did not vote in 1968	Do not know and not reported for 1968
PERCENT DISTRIBUTION--Continued									
Negro									
Both sexes	100.0	62.6	52.7	5.9	3.9	37.4	11.2	18.9	7.3
White-collar workers	100.0	75.8	64.7	8.0	3.2	24.2	8.2	11.2	4.8
Professional, technical, & kind. wkrs..	100.0	85.1	75.7	5.9	3.4	14.9	5.5	6.6	2.8
Managers and administrators, exc. farm.	100.0	74.8	65.2	6.5	3.1	25.2	7.2	13.2	4.8
Sales workers	100.0	68.7	56.1	8.7	4.0	31.3	5.9	20.3	5.1
Clerical and kindred workers	100.0	70.4	57.8	9.7	2.9	29.6	10.8	12.6	6.2
Blue-collar workers	100.0	58.0	48.0	5.3	4.8	42.0	12.6	20.9	8.5
Craftsmen, foremen, and kindred wkrs...	100.0	59.4	49.4	4.7	5.3	40.6	13.6	20.1	7.0
Operatives, except transport	100.0	60.2	48.5	6.7	5.1	39.8	13.5	18.7	7.6
Transport equipment operatives	100.0	59.8	50.8	4.4	4.5	40.2	11.8	20.8	7.7
Laborers, except farm	100.0	52.0	43.8	4.3	3.9	48.0	10.9	25.3	11.8
Service workers	100.0	59.5	50.8	5.1	3.6	40.5	11.7	21.0	7.8
Private household workers	100.0	52.1	43.9	4.4	3.8	47.9	13.1	27.5	7.3
Service workers, exc. private household	100.0	62.5	53.6	5.4	3.6	37.5	11.2	18.3	8.0
Farm workers	100.0	31.8	26.8	3.6	1.4	68.2	15.0	42.5	10.7
Farmers and farm managers	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)
Farm laborers and farm foremen	100.0	21.2	17.1	3.4	0.7	78.8	15.0	52.1	11.7

-Represents zero. B Base less than 75,000.

[1]Includes persons who were recorded as "do not know" and "not reported" in 1972.