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-- FINAL TOPLINE --

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Results are based on telephone interviews conducted May 2-7, 2013 with a random sample of 1,535 adults, aged 18+, living in all 50 U.S. states and the District of Columbia. For results based on the samples of national

16. Do you think gay or lesbian relations between consenting adults should or should not be legal?

| | <u>Should be legal</u> | <u>Should not be legal</u> | <u>No opinion</u> |
|-----------------|------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------|
| 2013 May 2-7 | 65 | 31 | 5 |
| 2012 Nov 26-29 | 64 | 33 | 3 |
| 2012 May 3-6 | 63 | 31 | 6 |
| 2011 Dec 15-18 | 62 | 33 | 5 |
| 2011 May 5-8 | 64 | 32 | 4 |
| 2010 May 3-6 | 58 | 36 | 6 |
| 2009 May 7-10 | 56 | 40 | 4 |
| 2008 May 8-11 ^ | 55 | 40 | 5 |
| 2007 May 10-13 | 59 | 37 | 4 |
| 2006 May 8-11 † | 56 | 40 | 4 |
| 2005 Aug 22-25 | 49 | 44 | 7 |
| 2005 May 2-5 | 52 | 43 | 5 |
| 2004 May 2-4 | 52 | 43 | 5 |
| 2004 Jan 9-11 | 46 | 49 | 5 |
| 2003 Jul 25-27 | 48 | 46 | 6 |
| 2003 Jul 18-20 | 50 | 44 | 6 |
| 2003 May 19-21 | 59 | 37 | 4 |
| 2003 May 5-7 | 60 | 35 | 5 |
| 2002 May 6-9 | 52 | 43 | 5 |
| 2001 May 10-14 | 54 | 42 | 4 |
| 1999 Feb 8-9 | 50 | 43 | 7 |
| 1996 Nov 21-24 | 44 | 47 | 9 |
| 1992 Jun 4-8 | 48 | 44 | 8 |
| 1989 Oct 12-15 | 47 | 36 | 17 |
| 1988 Jul 1-7 | 35 | 57 | |

23. Do you have any friends or relatives or co-workers who have told you, personally, that they are gay or lesbian?

| | <u>Yes</u> | <u>No</u> | <u>No opinion</u> |
|-------------------|------------|-----------|-------------------|
| 2013 May 2-7 | 75 | 25 | * |
| 2009 May 7-10 | 58 | 40 | 3 |
| 2008 May 30-Jun 1 | 57 | 42 | 1 |
| 2004 Jan 9-11 | 58 | 42 | * |
| 2003 Jul 18-20 | 56 | 43 | 1 |

TRENDS FOR COMPARISON:

| | <u>Yes</u> | <u>No</u> | <u>No opinion</u> |
|------------------|------------|-----------|-------------------|
| 1998 Jul 17-19 ^ | 37 | 62 | 1 |
| 1985 Dec 5-12 † | 24 | 75 | 1 |

^ Harris Poll

† Los Angeles Times Poll

24. How closely have you been following news about professional basketball player Jason Collins, who announced this past week that he is gay—