

Appendixes

Australians' attitudes to violence against women:
Findings from the 2013 National Community Attitudes
towards Violence Against Women Survey (NCAS)

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Appendix A: Detailed tables

Table 5.1a: Slaps or pushes other partner to cause harm or fear is a form of domestic violence

| | | Base n | No % | Nett Yes % | Yes, Always % | DK % |
|--|--|-----------|---------|---------------|------------------|---------|
| | Total Sample | 17,517 | 2 | 97 | 69 | 1 |
| Gender | Male | 7,834 | 3 | 96 | 67 | 1 |
| | Female | 9,683 | 2 | 97 | 70 | 1 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 247 | 1 | 97 | 62 | 2 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,676 | 2 | 97 | 67 | 1 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,515 | 3 | 96 | 69 | 1 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,048 | 2 | 97 | 76** | 1 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,223 | 2 | 97 | 74** | 1 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,295 | 2 | 97 | 71** | 1 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,357 | 3 | 96 | 61** | 1 |
| | 75 years or more | 1,156 | 3 | 94** | 48** | 3** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,973 | 2 | 96 | 69 | 1 |
| | Victoria | 3,790 | 3 | 96 | 68 | 1 |
| | Queensland | 2,754 | 2 | 98 | 70 | 1 |
| | South Australia | 1,683 | 2 | 96 | 68 | 2 |
| | Western Australia | 1,926 | 2 | 98 | 68 | * |
| | Tasmania | 1,140 | 2 | 97 | 66 | * |
| | Northern Territory | 1,066 | 3 | 95 | 67 | 1 |
| | ACT | 1,185 | 2 | 98 | 71 | 1 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,042 | 2 | 97 | 68 | 1 |
| | Inner regional | 2,582 | 2 | 97 | 71 | 1 |
| | Outer regional | 2,173 | 2 | 97 | 67 | 1 |
| | Remote | 523 | 2 | 98 | 71 | * |
| | Very remote | 141 | * | 100 | 63 | * |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,284 | 3 | 95 | 65** | 1 |
| | 2 | 2,286 | 2 | 96 | 65** | 1 |
| | 3 | 3,104 | 2 | 97 | 68 | 1 |
| | 4 | 3,891 | 2 | 97 | 71 | 1 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,692 | 2 | 97 | 71** | 1 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,996 | 1 | 98 | 73** | 1 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,043 | 2 | 98 | 73** | 1 |
| | Other countries | 3,453 | 5** | 93** | 55** | 2 |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,521 | 4** | 94** | 61** | 2 |
| | Second generation | 3,205 | 2 | 98 | 73** | 1 |
| | Third plus generation | 8,791 | 1 | 98 | 72** | 1 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,289 | 5** | 92** | 53** | 2 |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 6** | 90** | 50** | 3** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,986 | 3** | 95** | 64** | 1 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,464 | 6** | 91** | 51** | 2 |

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Table 5.1a: Slaps or pushes other partner to cause harm or fear is a form of domestic violence (cont.)

| | | Base n | No % | Nett Yes % | Yes, Always % | DK % |
|---|-----------------------------------|-----------|---------|---------------|------------------|---------|
| | Total Sample | 17,517 | 2 | 97 | 69 | 1 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | 2 | 98 | 64 | * |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17,176 | 2 | 97 | 69 | 1 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6,606 | 2 | 97 | 72** | 1 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4,254 | 2 | 97 | 71** | 1 |
| | Secondary or below | 6,547 | 3 | 96 | 65** | 1 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10,989 | 2 | 97 | 73** | 1 |
| | Unemployed | 754 | 2 | 96 | 64 | 1 |
| | Home duties | 907 | 3 | 96 | 69 | 1 |
| | Retired | 3,527 | 3 | 95** | 56** | 2 |
| | Student | 755 | 1 | 97 | 63** | 2 |
| | unable to work | 442 | 2 | 97 | 72 | 1 |
| Occupation | Manager | 1,648 | 2 | 97 | 76** | * |
| | Professional | 3,264 | 2 | 98 | 76** | * |
| | Technicians and trade | 1,346 | 3 | 97 | 70 | 1 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1,489 | 2 | 96 | 75** | 1 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1,300 | 2 | 98 | 77** | * |
| | Sales worker | 774 | 1 | 98 | 70 | 1 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | 4 | 96 | 63 | 1 |
| | Labourer | 657 | 2 | 97 | 67 | 1 |
| Other | 51 | - | 100 | 72 | - | |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 3,058 | 2 | 96 | 61** | 1 |
| | Couple only | 5,373 | 3 | 96 | 67 | 1 |
| | Couple children at home | 6,339 | 2 | 97 | 72** | 1 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1,153 | 2 | 98 | 72 | 1 |
| | Group household | 743 | 3 | 95 | 66 | 1 |
| | Other type of household | 771 | 2 | 96 | 68 | 1 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5,025 | 5** | 93** | 52** | 1 |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859 | 1 | 98 | 71** | 1 |
| | High understanding | 3,631 | * | 99** | 90** | 1 |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4,050 | 5** | 93** | 53** | 2 |
| | Medium | 7,445 | 2 | 97 | 69 | 1 |
| | High | 6,000 | * | 99** | 81** | 1 |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134 | 3 | 96 | 70 | 1 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | 3 | 95 | 50** | 2 |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458 | 2 | 97 | 70 | 1 |

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Table 5.1c: Tries to scare or control the other partner by threatening to hurt other family members is a form of domestic violence

| | | Base | No | Nett Yes | Yes, Always | DK |
|--|--|--------|-----|----------|-------------|----|
| | | n | % | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 2 | 97 | 82 | 1 |
| Gender | Male | 7,834 | 3 | 96 | 80** | 1 |
| | Female | 9,683 | 1 | 98 | 84** | 1 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 247 | 2 | 97 | 81 | 1 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,676 | 2 | 98 | 82 | * |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,515 | 3 | 97 | 82 | * |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,048 | 3 | 97 | 84 | * |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,223 | 2 | 97 | 86** | 1 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,295 | 1 | 98 | 85** | 1 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,357 | 2 | 97 | 79** | 1 |
| | 75 years or more | 1,156 | 3 | 96 | 69** | 1 |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,973 | 2 | 97 | 83 | 1 |
| | Victoria | 3,790 | 3 | 96 | 81 | 1 |
| | Queensland | 2,754 | 2 | 98 | 83 | * |
| | South Australia | 1,683 | 2 | 97 | 80 | * |
| | Western Australia | 1,926 | 2 | 98 | 82 | 1 |
| | Tasmania | 1,140 | 1 | 98 | 80 | 1 |
| | Northern Territory | 1,066 | 3 | 97 | 81 | 1 |
| | ACT | 1,185 | 1 | 98 | 85 | * |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,042 | 2 | 97 | 82 | 1 |
| | Inner regional | 2,582 | 1 | 98 | 85** | 1 |
| | Outer regional | 2,173 | 2 | 97 | 81 | 1 |
| | Remote | 523 | 3 | 97 | 82 | * |
| | Very remote | 141 | 2 | 97 | 89 | * |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,284 | 2 | 97 | 79** | 1 |
| | 2 | 2,286 | 2 | 98 | 81 | 1 |
| | 3 | 3,104 | 2 | 97 | 83 | 1 |
| | 4 | 3,891 | 2 | 97 | 83 | 1 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,692 | 2 | 97 | 84 | 1 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,996 | 2 | 98 | 85** | * |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,043 | 2 | 98 | 86** | * |
| | Other countries | 3,453 | 4** | 95** | 72** | 1 |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,521 | 3 | 96 | 76** | 1 |
| | Second generation | 3,205 | 2 | 98 | 86** | * |
| | Third plus generation | 8,791 | 2 | 98 | 85** | * |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,289 | 3 | 96 | 72** | 1 |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 9** | 88** | 61** | 2 |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,986 | 3 | 96 | 79** | 1 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,464 | 4** | 95** | 69** | 1 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$
 Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 5.1c: Tries to scare or control the other partner by threatening to hurt other family members is a form of domestic violence (cont.)

| | | Base | No | Nett Yes | Yes, Always | DK |
|---|-----------------------------------|--------|-----|----------|-------------|----|
| | | n | % | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 2 | 97 | 82 | 1 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | 3 | 97 | 79 | - |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17,176 | 2 | 97 | 82 | 1 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6,606 | 2 | 98 | 84** | * |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4,254 | 2 | 98 | 84 | * |
| | Secondary or below | 6,547 | 2 | 97 | 80** | 1 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10,989 | 2 | 98 | 85** | * |
| | Unemployed | 754 | 3 | 96 | 78 | 1 |
| | Home duties | 907 | 3 | 96 | 81 | 1 |
| | Retired | 3,527 | 2 | 97 | 76 | * |
| | Student | 755 | 3 | 96 | 78** | 1 |
| | unable to work | 442 | 2 | 96 | 83 | 1 |
| Occupation | Manager | 1,648 | 1 | 98 | 85** | * |
| | Professional | 3,264 | 2 | 98 | 88** | * |
| | Technicians and trade | 1,346 | 3 | 97 | 83 | * |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1,489 | 2 | 97 | 85 | * |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1,300 | 1 | 99 | 89** | * |
| | Sales worker | 774 | 1 | 99 | 87** | * |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | 3 | 96 | 76** | 2 |
| | Labourer | 657 | 2 | 97 | 78 | 1 |
| Other | 51 | 4 | 96 | 78 | - | |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 3,058 | 3 | 96 | 78** | 1 |
| | Couple only | 5,373 | 2 | 98 | 82 | 1 |
| | Couple children at home | 6,339 | 2 | 97 | 84 | 1 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1,153 | 2 | 98 | 84 | 1 |
| | Group household | 743 | 3 | 97 | 82 | 1 |
| | Other type of household | 771 | 3 | 96 | 83 | 1 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5,025 | 6** | 92** | 62** | 1 |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859 | 1 | 99** | 88 | * |
| | High understanding | 3,631 | * | 100** | 98** | * |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4,050 | 4** | 94** | 69** | 1 |
| | Medium | 7,445 | 2 | 98 | 84 | * |
| | High | 6,000 | 1 | 99** | 91 | * |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134 | 2 | 97 | 83 | 1 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | 2 | 97 | 74** | 1 |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458 | 2 | 97 | 83 | 1 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken

Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 5.1d: Throws or smashes objects near partner to frighten or threaten them a form of domestic violence

| | | Base | No | Nett Yes | Yes, Always | DK |
|--|--|--------|------|----------|-------------|----|
| | | n | % | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 3 | 96 | 72 | 1 |
| Gender | Male | 7,834 | 4 | 95 | 69** | 1 |
| | Female | 9,683 | 2 | 97 | 74 | 1 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 247 | 3 | 97 | 69 | - |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,676 | 3 | 97 | 73 | * |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,515 | 3 | 97 | 73 | 1 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,048 | 2 | 97 | 75 | * |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,223 | 3 | 97 | 74 | 1 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,295 | 2 | 97 | 73 | 1 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,357 | 3 | 96 | 66 | 1 |
| | 75 years or more | 1,156 | 4 | 94** | 57 | 2 |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,973 | 3 | 96 | 73 | 1 |
| | Victoria | 3,790 | 3 | 96 | 70 | 1 |
| | Queensland | 2,754 | 3 | 97 | 72 | 1 |
| | South Australia | 1,683 | 3 | 97 | 72 | * |
| | Western Australia | 1,926 | 3 | 97 | 70 | 1 |
| | Tasmania | 1,140 | 2 | 97 | 69 | 1 |
| | Northern Territory | 1,066 | 2 | 96 | 71 | 1 |
| | ACT | 1,185 | 2 | 98 | 73 | 1 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,042 | 3 | 96 | 71 | 1 |
| | Inner regional | 2,582 | 3 | 97 | 73 | 1 |
| | Outer regional | 2,173 | 3 | 96 | 70 | 1 |
| | Remote | 523 | 2 | 98 | 74 | * |
| | Very remote | 141 | 2 | 98 | 63 | * |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,284 | 3 | 96 | 69 | 1 |
| | 2 | 2,286 | 3 | 96 | 72 | 1 |
| | 3 | 3,104 | 3 | 96 | 72 | 1 |
| | 4 | 3,891 | 3 | 96 | 73 | 1 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,692 | 2 | 97 | 71 | 1 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,996 | 2 | 97 | 74 | 1 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,043 | 3 | 96 | 71 | 1 |
| | Other countries | 3,453 | 4 | 94** | 63** | 1 |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,521 | 4 | 95 | 66** | 1 |
| | Second generation | 3,205 | 3 | 97 | 75 | * |
| | Third plus generation | 8,791 | 2 | 97 | 74 | 1 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,289 | 4 | 95 | 65** | 1 |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 10** | 87** | 51** | 2 |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,986 | 4 | 95 | 67** | 1 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,464 | 5** | 94** | 64** | 1 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$
 Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 5.1d: Throws or smashes objects near partner to frighten or threaten them a form of domestic violence (cont.)

| | | Base n | No % | Nett Yes % | Yes, Always % | DK % |
|---|-----------------------------------|-----------|---------|---------------|------------------|---------|
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 3 | 96 | 72 | 1 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | 2 | 98 | 71 | 1 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17,176 | 3 | 96 | 72 | 1 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6,606 | 2 | 98** | 74** | * |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4,254 | 3 | 97 | 73 | * |
| | Secondary or below | 6,547 | 3 | 96 | 69** | 1 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10,989 | 3 | 97 | 74 | 1 |
| | Unemployed | 754 | 3 | 96 | 70 | 1 |
| | Home duties | 907 | 3 | 96 | 74 | 1 |
| | Retired | 3,527 | 4 | 95 | 62** | * |
| | Student | 755 | 2 | 98 | 72 | 1 |
| | unable to work | 442 | 2 | 97 | 73 | 1 |
| Occupation | Manager | 1,648 | 2 | 97 | 75 | 1 |
| | Professional | 3,264 | 2 | 98** | 76** | * |
| | Technicians and trade | 1,346 | 3 | 97 | 71 | 1 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1,489 | 2 | 97 | 77** | 1 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1,300 | 2 | 98** | 78** | * |
| | Sales worker | 774 | 3 | 97 | 75 | * |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | 4 | 94 | 68 | 1 |
| | Labourer | 657 | 5** | 94** | 66** | * |
| Other | 51 | 4 | 92 | 70 | 4 | |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 3,058 | 3 | 95 | 67** | 1 |
| | Couple only | 5,373 | 3 | 96 | 70 | 1 |
| | Couple children at home | 6,339 | 2 | 97 | 74** | * |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1,153 | 3 | 97 | 73 | 1 |
| | Group household | 743 | 3 | 96 | 73 | 1 |
| | Other type of household | 771 | 3 | 96 | 71 | 1 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5,025 | 7** | 92** | 51** | 1 |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859 | 1 | 98** | 75** | * |
| | High understanding | 3,631 | * | 99** | 95** | * |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4,050 | 5** | 94** | 59** | 1 |
| | Medium | 7,445 | 3 | 97 | 71 | 1 |
| | High | 6,000 | 1 | 99** | 83** | * |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134 | 3 | 96 | 74 | 1 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | 5** | 93** | 57** | 2 |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458 | 3 | 97 | 72 | 1 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken

Refused not shown

Table 5.1e: Repeatedly criticises partner to make them feel bad or useless is a form of domestic violence

| | | Base n | No % | Nett Yes % | Yes, Always % | DK % |
|--|--|-----------|---------|---------------|------------------|---------|
| | Total Sample | 17,517 | 13 | 86 | 50 | 1 |
| Gender | Male | 7,834 | 16** | 82** | 44** | 2 |
| | Female | 9,683 | 10** | 89** | 56** | 1 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 247 | 16 | 83 | 40** | 1 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,676 | 17 | 82 | 43** | 1 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,515 | 15 | 84 | 47** | 2 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,048 | 12 | 87 | 54** | 1 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,223 | 12 | 87 | 56** | 1 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,295 | 12 | 86 | 56** | 2 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,357 | 11 | 87 | 49 | 1 |
| | 75 years or more | 1,156 | 10 | 87 | 41** | 3** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,973 | 13 | 85 | 51 | 2 |
| | Victoria | 3,790 | 15** | 84 | 47 | 1 |
| | Queensland | 2,754 | 11 | 87 | 53 | 1 |
| | South Australia | 1,683 | 11 | 87 | 52 | 1 |
| | Western Australia | 1,926 | 12 | 87 | 49 | 1 |
| | Tasmania | 1,140 | 10** | 89** | 50 | 1 |
| | Northern Territory | 1,066 | 13 | 84 | 50 | 3** |
| | ACT | 1,185 | 14 | 84 | 48 | 2 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,042 | 14 | 85 | 49 | 1 |
| | Inner regional | 2,582 | 10 | 88** | 54** | 1 |
| | Outer regional | 2,173 | 11 | 87 | 52 | 2 |
| | Remote | 523 | 11 | 89 | 58 | 1 |
| | Very remote | 141 | 10 | 84 | 52 | 6** |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,284 | 12 | 86 | 51 | 2 |
| | 2 | 2,286 | 11 | 88 | 52 | 1 |
| | 3 | 3,104 | 13 | 86 | 52 | 1 |
| | 4 | 3,891 | 12 | 86 | 50 | 1 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,692 | 15** | 84** | 47** | 1 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,996 | 12** | 87** | 53** | 1 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,043 | 12 | 87 | 53 | 1 |
| | Other countries | 3,453 | 17** | 81** | 42** | 2 |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,521 | 15** | 83** | 45** | 2 |
| | Second generation | 3,205 | 14 | 85 | 52 | 1 |
| | Third plus generation | 8,791 | 11** | 88** | 53** | 1 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,289 | 18** | 81** | 41** | 1 |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 18** | 79** | 39** | 2 |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,986 | 15** | 83** | 46** | 2 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,464 | 16** | 83** | 42** | 1 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$

Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 5.1e: Repeatedly criticises partner to make them feel bad or useless is a form of domestic violence (cont.)

| | | Base n | No % | Nett Yes % | Yes, Always % | DK % |
|---|-----------------------------------|-----------|---------|---------------|------------------|---------|
| | Total Sample | 17,517 | 13 | 86 | 50 | 1 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | 7** | 90 | 61** | 3 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17,176 | 13 | 86 | 50 | 1 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6,606 | 15 | 84** | 47** | 1 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4,254 | 12 | 87 | 53** | 1 |
| | Secondary or below | 6,547 | 13 | 86 | 50 | 2 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10,989 | 13 | 86 | 51 | 1 |
| | Unemployed | 754 | 16 | 83 | 49 | 2 |
| | Home duties | 907 | 11 | 88 | 58** | 1 |
| | Retired | 3,527 | 12 | 86 | 46** | 1 |
| | Student | 755 | 16 | 83 | 40** | 2 |
| | unable to work | 442 | 9 | 90 | 62** | 2 |
| Occupation | Manager | 1,648 | 12 | 87 | 51 | 1 |
| | Professional | 3,264 | 13 | 85 | 49 | 1 |
| | Technicians and trade | 1,346 | 15 | 83 | 49 | 2 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1,489 | 10 | 89** | 59** | 1 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1,300 | 13 | 86 | 54 | 1 |
| | Sales worker | 774 | 13 | 86 | 52 | 1 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | 13 | 85 | 48 | 2 |
| | Labourer | 657 | 13 | 84 | 45 | 2 |
| | Other | 51 | 14 | 86 | 50 | - |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 3,058 | 11 | 86 | 52 | 3** |
| | Couple only | 5,373 | 13 | 86 | 49 | 1 |
| | Couple children at home | 6,339 | 13 | 85 | 50 | 1 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1,153 | 12 | 88 | 57** | 1 |
| | Group household | 743 | 15 | 83 | 47 | 1 |
| | Other type of household | 771 | 12 | 86 | 47 | 2 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5,025 | 37** | 61** | 13** | 2 |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859 | 3** | 95** | 54** | 1 |
| | High understanding | 3,631 | - | 99 | 99** | 1 |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4,050 | 18 | 80** | 38** | 2 |
| | Medium | 7,445 | 13 | 86 | 49 | 1 |
| | High | 6,000 | 8** | 91** | 63** | 1 |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134 | 11 | 87 | 59** | 2 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | 11 | 87 | 43** | 2 |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458 | 13 | 86 | 50 | 1 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken

Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 5.1f: Controls the social life of partner by preventing them from seeing family and friends is a form of domestic violence

| | | Base n | No % | Nett Yes % | Yes, Always % | DK % |
|--|--|-----------|---------|---------------|------------------|---------|
| | Total Sample | 17,517 | 13 | 85 | 55 | 2 |
| Gender | Male | 7,834 | 17** | 80** | 48** | 2 |
| | Female | 9,683 | 8** | 90** | 62** | 2 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 247 | 15 | 82 | 42** | 2 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,676 | 16** | 82** | 45** | 2 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,515 | 16** | 83** | 50** | 1 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,048 | 12 | 87 | 58** | 1 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,223 | 12 | 85 | 60** | 2 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,295 | 10** | 88** | 62** | 2 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,357 | 10** | 88** | 58 | 1 |
| | 75 years or more | 1,156 | 10 | 85 | 51 | 5** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,973 | 13 | 85 | 57 | 2 |
| | Victoria | 3,790 | 15** | 83** | 51** | 2 |
| | Queensland | 2,754 | 11 | 87** | 57 | 1 |
| | South Australia | 1,683 | 11 | 87 | 56 | 2 |
| | Western Australia | 1,926 | 12 | 86 | 54 | 2 |
| | Tasmania | 1,140 | 11 | 87 | 58 | 2 |
| | Northern Territory | 1,066 | 12 | 84 | 55 | 3 |
| | ACT | 1,185 | 14 | 84 | 54 | 2 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,042 | 13 | 85 | 54 | 2 |
| | Inner regional | 2,582 | 12 | 86 | 57 | 2 |
| | Outer regional | 2,173 | 10** | 88 | 57 | 2 |
| | Remote | 523 | 12 | 87 | 61 | 1 |
| | Very remote | 141 | 9 | 89 | 59 | 2 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,284 | 13 | 85 | 55 | 2 |
| | 2 | 2,286 | 10 | 87 | 58 | 2 |
| | 3 | 3,104 | 13 | 85 | 56 | 2 |
| | 4 | 3,891 | 12 | 85 | 57 | 2 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,692 | 14 | 84 | 52** | 2 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,996 | 12 | 86 | 57** | 2 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,043 | 11 | 87 | 59** | 2 |
| | Other countries | 3,453 | 15** | 82** | 48** | 2 |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,521 | 14 | 84** | 51** | 2 |
| | Second generation | 3,205 | 13 | 85 | 56 | 2 |
| | Third plus generation | 8,791 | 11 | 87** | 58** | 2 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,289 | 15** | 82** | 48** | 2 |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 18** | 78** | 43** | 4 |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,986 | 13 | 85 | 54 | 2 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,464 | 17** | 81** | 46** | 1 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$
 Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 5.1f: Controls the social life of partner by preventing them from seeing family and friends is a form of domestic violence (cont.)

| | | Base n | No % | Nett Yes % | Yes, Always % | DK % |
|---|-----------------------------------|-----------|---------|---------------|------------------|---------|
| | Total Sample | 17,517 | 13 | 85 | 55 | 2 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | 12 | 87 | 62 | 1 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17,176 | 13 | 85 | 55 | 2 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6,606 | 12 | 86 | 55 | 1 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4,254 | 14 | 85 | 55 | 1 |
| | Secondary or below | 6,547 | 12 | 85 | 55 | 2 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10,989 | 13 | 85 | 55 | 2 |
| | Unemployed | 754 | 13 | 85 | 54 | 2 |
| | Home duties | 907 | 11 | 87 | 59 | 1 |
| | Retired | 3,527 | 10** | 87 | 55 | 2 |
| | Student | 755 | 16 | 82 | 47** | 3 |
| | unable to work | 442 | 9 | 89 | 64** | 1 |
| Occupation | Manager | 1,648 | 12 | 86 | 55 | 2 |
| | Professional | 3,264 | 13 | 86 | 57 | 1 |
| | Technicians and trade | 1,346 | 19** | 79** | 49** | 2 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1,489 | 10** | 89** | 63** | 1 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1,300 | 11 | 88 | 59 | 1 |
| | Sales worker | 774 | 12 | 87 | 53 | 1 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | 18** | 79** | 50 | 2 |
| | Labourer | 657 | 15 | 81** | 49** | 4** |
| | Other | 51 | 13 | 87 | 53 | - |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 3,058 | 11 | 86 | 56 | 2 |
| | Couple only | 5,373 | 12 | 85 | 56 | 2 |
| | Couple children at home | 6,339 | 14 | 85 | 54 | 2 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1,153 | 10 | 89** | 61** | 1 |
| | Group household | 743 | 17** | 80 | 49** | 2 |
| | Other type of household | 771 | 12 | 87 | 55 | 1 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5,025 | 36** | 61** | 16** | 3 |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859 | 4** | 95** | 62** | 2 |
| | High understanding | 3,631 | - | 99** | 99** | 1 |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4,050 | 19** | 79** | 41** | 2 |
| | Medium | 7,445 | 13 | 85 | 54 | 2 |
| | High | 6,000 | 7** | 91** | 68** | 1 |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134 | 12 | 86 | 60** | 2 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | 11 | 85 | 51 | 4** |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458 | 13 | 85 | 55 | 2 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 5.1g: Tries to control partner by denying them money is a form of domestic violence

| | | Base n | No % | Nett Yes % | Yes, Always % | DK % |
|--|--|-----------|---------|---------------|------------------|---------|
| | Total Sample | 17,517 | 26 | 70 | 36 | 4 |
| Gender | Male | 7,834 | 34** | 63** | 28** | 3 |
| | Female | 9,683 | 18** | 78** | 43 | 4 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 247 | 39** | 57** | 17** | 3 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,676 | 37** | 60** | 23** | 3 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,515 | 32** | 65** | 29** | 3 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,048 | 25 | 72 | 39 | 3 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,223 | 23** | 73** | 41 | 4 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,295 | 21** | 74** | 43 | 4 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,357 | 19** | 77** | 41 | 3 |
| | 75 years or more | 1,156 | 18** | 77** | 37 | 5 |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,973 | 25 | 71 | 37 | 3 |
| | Victoria | 3,790 | 29** | 67** | 33** | 4 |
| | Queensland | 2,754 | 24 | 73 | 37 | 4 |
| | South Australia | 1,683 | 22** | 73 | 37 | 4 |
| | Western Australia | 1,926 | 27 | 69 | 34 | 4 |
| | Tasmania | 1,140 | 23 | 73 | 40 | 4 |
| | Northern Territory | 1,066 | 25 | 71 | 35 | 4 |
| | ACT | 1,185 | 25 | 70 | 35 | 5 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,042 | 27 | 70 | 35 | 3 |
| | Inner regional | 2,582 | 23** | 74** | 39 | 3 |
| | Outer regional | 2,173 | 22** | 72 | 38 | 6** |
| | Remote | 523 | 26 | 70 | 37 | 3 |
| | Very remote | 141 | 24 | 74 | 42 | 1 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,284 | 24 | 72 | 36 | 4 |
| | 2 | 2,286 | 23** | 73 | 39 | 4 |
| | 3 | 3,104 | 27 | 70 | 36 | 3 |
| | 4 | 3,891 | 26 | 70 | 36 | 4 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,692 | 27 | 69 | 34 | 3 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,996 | 25 | 71 | 37 | 3 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,043 | 25 | 71 | 40 | 3 |
| | Other countries | 3,453 | 28 | 68** | 32** | 4 |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,521 | 27 | 69 | 34 | 4 |
| | Second generation | 3,205 | 30** | 67** | 34 | 3 |
| | Third plus generation | 8,791 | 23** | 73** | 37 | 4 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,289 | 29 | 67** | 31** | 4 |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 28 | 68 | 35 | 4 |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,986 | 26 | 70 | 37 | 4 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,464 | 31** | 67** | 28** | 2 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 5.1g: Tries to control partner by denying them money is a form of domestic violence (cont.)

| | | Base n | No % | Nett Yes % | Yes, Always % | DK % |
|---|-----------------------------------|-----------|---------|---------------|------------------|---------|
| | Total Sample | 17,517 | 26 | 70 | 36 | 4 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | 19 | 75 | 40 | 6 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17,176 | 26 | 70 | 36 | 4 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6,606 | 25 | 73** | 36 | 3 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4,254 | 25 | 71 | 37 | 4 |
| | Secondary or below | 6,547 | 26 | 69 | 35 | 4 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10,989 | 27 | 69 | 35 | 3 |
| | Unemployed | 754 | 27 | 67 | 35 | 6** |
| | Home duties | 907 | 23 | 73 | 41** | 3 |
| | Retired | 3,527 | 18** | 77** | 40** | 3 |
| | Student | 755 | 34** | 63** | 22** | 5 |
| | unable to work | 442 | 21 | 75 | 44** | 4 |
| Occupation | Manager | 1,648 | 27 | 70 | 36 | 4 |
| | Professional | 3,264 | 25 | 73 | 37 | 3 |
| | Technicians and trade | 1,346 | 35** | 62** | 28** | 3 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1,489 | 19** | 78** | 43** | 3 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1,300 | 25 | 73 | 40 | 2 |
| | Sales worker | 774 | 29 | 67 | 29** | 4 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | 31 | 64 | 31 | 5 |
| | Labourer | 657 | 34** | 63** | 32 | 3 |
| | Other | 51 | 18 | 80 | 45 | 2 |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 3,058 | 22** | 73** | 39 | 4 |
| | Couple only | 5,373 | 23** | 73 | 38 | 4 |
| | Couple children at home | 6,339 | 27 | 69 | 35 | 3 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1,153 | 23 | 73 | 38 | 4 |
| | Group household | 743 | 35 | 63** | 28** | 3 |
| | Other type of household | 771 | 30 | 67 | 32 | 3 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5,025 | 61** | 36** | 5** | 3 |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859 | 14** | 82** | 31** | 4 |
| | High understanding | 3,631 | - | 96** | 96** | 4 |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4,050 | 32** | 64** | 26** | 4 |
| | Medium | 7,445 | 27 | 69 | 34 | 4 |
| | High | 6,000 | 18** | 78** | 47** | 3 |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134 | 23 | 72 | 43 | 4 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | 18** | 75 | 40 | 6** |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458 | 26 | 70 | 35 | 3 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken

Refused not shown

Table 5.2a: Stalking is a form of violence against women

| | | Base n | No % | Nett Yes % | Yes, Always % | DK % |
|--|--|-----------|---------|---------------|------------------|---------|
| | Total Sample | 17,517 | 10 | 89 | 61 | 2 |
| Gender | Male | 7,834 | 13** | 85** | 58** | 2 |
| | Female | 9,683 | 7** | 92** | 64** | 1 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 247 | 11 | 89 | 50** | 1 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,676 | 12 | 87 | 54** | 2 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,515 | 12** | 86** | 57** | 2 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,048 | 11 | 88 | 63 | 1 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,223 | 10 | 88 | 65** | 2 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,295 | 7** | 92** | 68** | 2 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,357 | 6** | 92** | 65** | 2 |
| | 75 years or more | 1,156 | 9 | 88 | 56** | 3 |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,973 | 9 | 89 | 62 | 2 |
| | Victoria | 3,790 | 12** | 86** | 59 | 2 |
| | Queensland | 2,754 | 9 | 90 | 62 | 1 |
| | South Australia | 1,683 | 8 | 89 | 63 | 2 |
| | Western Australia | 1,926 | 10 | 89 | 61 | 1 |
| | Tasmania | 1,140 | 7** | 92** | 62 | 1 |
| | Northern Territory | 1,066 | 10 | 87 | 59 | 2 |
| | ACT | 1,185 | 9 | 89 | 62 | 2 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,042 | 10 | 88 | 60 | 2 |
| | Inner regional | 2,582 | 8** | 91** | 66** | 1 |
| | Outer regional | 2,173 | 8 | 90 | 61 | 2 |
| | Remote | 523 | 7 | 92 | 66 | 1 |
| | Very remote | 141 | 14 | 86 | 63 | * |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,284 | 11 | 87 | 60 | 2 |
| | 2 | 2,286 | 7** | 91 | 64** | 2 |
| | 3 | 3,104 | 10 | 88 | 62 | 2 |
| | 4 | 3,891 | 9 | 89 | 61 | 2 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,692 | 11 | 88 | 59 | 1 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,996 | 8** | 91** | 66** | 1 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,043 | 8 | 91** | 66** | 1 |
| | Other countries | 3,453 | 16** | 79** | 46** | 4** |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,521 | 14** | 83** | 52** | 3 |
| | Second generation | 3,205 | 8 | 91 | 66** | 1 |
| | Third plus generation | 8,791 | 7 | 92 | 66** | 1 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,289 | 15** | 81** | 46** | 4** |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 27** | 66** | 33** | 6** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,986 | 12** | 85** | 56** | 3 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,464 | 18** | 78** | 41** | 4** |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$
Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 5.2a: Stalking is a form of violence against women (cont.)

| | | Base n | No % | Nett Yes % | Yes, Always % | DK % |
|---|-----------------------------------|-----------|---------|---------------|------------------|---------|
| | Total Sample | 17,517 | 10 | 89 | 61 | 2 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | 5 | 94 | 68 | 1 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17,176 | 10 | 88 | 61 | 2 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6,606 | 11 | 87 | 59** | 2 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4,254 | 9 | 89 | 63 | 2 |
| | Secondary or below | 6,547 | 10 | 89** | 61 | 2 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10,989 | 10 | 89 | 62 | 1 |
| | Unemployed | 754 | 11 | 88 | 59 | 2 |
| | Home duties | 907 | 10 | 87 | 61 | 3 |
| | Retired | 3,527 | 8 | 90 | 62 | 2 |
| | Student | 755 | 12 | 86 | 50** | 2 |
| | unable to work | 442 | 8 | 89 | 68 | 3 |
| Occupation | Manager | 1,648 | 7 | 91 | 65** | 2 |
| | Professional | 3,264 | 10 | 88 | 61 | 2 |
| | Technicians and trade | 1,346 | 12** | 87 | 61 | 1 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1,489 | 9 | 90 | 63 | 1 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1,300 | 7 | 92** | 66** | 1 |
| | Sales worker | 774 | 8 | 91 | 60 | 1 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | 13 | 85 | 61 | 2 |
| | Labourer | 657 | 11 | 86 | 59 | 3 |
| | Other | 51 | 11 | 87 | 48 | 3 |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 3,058 | 9 | 88 | 60 | 3 |
| | Couple only | 5,373 | 8 | 90 | 64** | 2 |
| | Couple children at home | 6,339 | 10 | 88 | 61 | 1 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1,153 | 8 | 90 | 66** | 1 |
| | Group household | 743 | 13** | 85 | 53** | 2 |
| | Other type of household | 771 | 11 | 88 | 58 | 2 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5,025 | 28** | 69** | 23** | 3 |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859 | 2** | 96** | 70 | 1 |
| | High understanding | 3,631 | - | 99** | 99** | 1 |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4,050 | 16** | 81** | 46** | 3 |
| | Medium | 7,445 | 9 | 89 | 61 | 2 |
| | High | 6,000 | 5** | 94** | 74** | 1 |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134 | 9 | 88 | 66 | 2 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | 8 | 89 | 59 | 2 |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458 | 10 | 89 | 61 | 2 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken

Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 5.2b: Harassment via repeated phone calls is a form of violence against women

| | | Base n | No % | Nett Yes % | Yes, Always % | DK % |
|---|--|-----------|---------|---------------|------------------|---------|
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 12 | 87 | 53 | 1 |
| Gender | Male | 7,834 | 14** | 85** | 52 | 1 |
| | Female | 9,683 | 10** | 89** | 55 | 1 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 247 | 12 | 87 | 37** | 1 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,676 | 15** | 84 | 42** | 1 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,515 | 15** | 83** | 46** | 1 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,048 | 14 | 85 | 54 | 1 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,223 | 10** | 89 | 57** | 1 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,295 | 9** | 90** | 63** | 1 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,357 | 7** | 92** | 61** | 2 |
| | 75 years or more | 1,156 | 10 | 86 | 55 | 3** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,973 | 11 | 88 | 55 | 1 |
| | Victoria | 3,790 | 13 | 85 | 51 | 1 |
| | Queensland | 2,754 | 12 | 87 | 54 | 1 |
| | South Australia | 1,683 | 11 | 86 | 54 | 2 |
| | Western Australia | 1,926 | 12 | 87 | 52 | 1 |
| | Tasmania | 1,140 | 11 | 88 | 55 | 1 |
| | Northern Territory | 1,066 | 15 | 83** | 50 | 2 |
| | ACT | 1,185 | 12 | 88 | 55 | 1 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,042 | 13 | 86 | 52 | 1 |
| | Inner regional | 2,582 | 10 | 89 | 57** | 1 |
| | Outer regional | 2,173 | 10 | 89 | 54 | 1 |
| | Remote | 523 | 8 | 91 | 57 | * |
| | Very remote | 141 | 5 | 94 | 57 | * |
| Socio- economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,284 | 11 | 87 | 53 | 2 |
| | 2 | 2,286 | 10 | 89 | 57 | 1 |
| | 3 | 3,104 | 11 | 87 | 54 | 1 |
| | 4 | 3,891 | 12 | 87 | 54 | 1 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,692 | 14** | 85** | 50** | 1 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,996 | 11 | 88** | 55** | 1 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,043 | 12 | 87 | 57** | 1 |
| | Other countries | 3,453 | 15** | 82** | 56** | 2 |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,521 | 14** | 84** | 50** | 2 |
| | Second generation | 3,205 | 12 | 87 | 55 | 1 |
| | Third plus generation | 8,791 | 10** | 89** | 55 | 1 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,289 | 14 | 84** | 47** | 2 |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 23** | 73** | 37** | 3** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,986 | 13 | 85** | 52** | 2 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,464 | 16** | 82** | 43** | 2 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$
 Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 5.2b: Harassment via repeated phone calls is a form of violence against women (cont.)

| | | Base n | No % | Nett Yes % | Yes, Always % | DK % |
|---|-----------------------------------|-----------|---------|---------------|------------------|---------|
| | Total Sample | 17,517 | 12 | 87 | 53 | 1 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | 8 | 91 | 59 | * |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17,176 | 12 | 87 | 53 | 1 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6,606 | 14** | 85** | 50 | 1 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4,254 | 11 | 88 | 55 | 1 |
| | Secondary or below | 6,547 | 12 | 87 | 53 | 1 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10,989 | 12 | 87 | 53 | 1 |
| | Unemployed | 754 | 14 | 83 | 50 | 3 |
| | Home duties | 907 | 13 | 84 | 51 | 3 |
| | Retired | 3,527 | 9** | 89** | 58** | 1 |
| | Student | 755 | 15 | 84 | 39** | 1 |
| | unable to work | 442 | 11 | 87 | 62** | 2 |
| Occupation | Manager | 1,648 | 11 | 88 | 57 | 1 |
| | Professional | 3,264 | 13 | 86 | 52 | 1 |
| | Technicians and trade | 1,346 | 13 | 85 | 52 | 1 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1,489 | 11 | 88 | 55 | 1 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1,300 | 11 | 88 | 54 | 1 |
| | Sales worker | 774 | 12 | 87 | 50 | 1 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | 12 | 87 | 56 | 1 |
| | Labourer | 657 | 13 | 85 | 51 | 2 |
| | Other | 51 | 13 | 86 | 35 | 1 |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 3,058 | 12 | 86 | 55 | 2 |
| | Couple only | 5,373 | 10** | 88 | 57** | 1 |
| | Couple children at home | 6,339 | 12 | 86** | 52 | 1 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1,153 | 11 | 88 | 53 | 1 |
| | Group household | 743 | 18** | 80** | 42** | 2 |
| | Other type of household | 771 | 12 | 87 | 48 | 2 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5,025 | 36** | 62** | 12** | 2 |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859 | 2** | 97** | 61** | 1 |
| | High understanding | 3,631 | - | 99** | 99** | 1 |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4,050 | 16** | 81** | 44** | 2 |
| | Medium | 7,445 | 12 | 87 | 52 | 1 |
| | High | 6,000 | 8** | 91** | 64** | 1 |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134 | 12 | 86 | 58** | 2 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | 8** | 90 | 55 | 2 |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458 | 12 | 87 | 53 | 1 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 5.2c: Harassment via repeated emails, text messages and the like is a form of violence against women

| | | Base n | No % | Nett Yes % | Yes, Always % | DK % |
|--|--|-----------|---------|---------------|------------------|---------|
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 13 | 85 | 50 | 2 |
| Gender | Male | 7,834 | 16** | 82** | 48 | 2 |
| | Female | 9,683 | 10** | 87** | 52 | 2 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 247 | 16 | 84 | 35** | * |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,676 | 18** | 81** | 39** | 1 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,515 | 18** | 81** | 42** | 1 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,048 | 14 | 85 | 52 | 1 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,223 | 12 | 87 | 54** | 1 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,295 | 9** | 88** | 60** | 2 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,357 | 7** | 89** | 58** | 4** |
| | 75 years or more | 1,156 | 11 | 81** | 48 | 8 |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,973 | 12 | 85 | 51 | 2 |
| | Victoria | 3,790 | 14 | 84 | 48 | 2 |
| | Queensland | 2,754 | 13 | 85 | 51 | 2 |
| | South Australia | 1,683 | 12 | 84 | 50 | 3 |
| | Western Australia | 1,926 | 14 | 85 | 50 | 2 |
| | Tasmania | 1,140 | 12 | 85 | 52 | 3 |
| | Northern Territory | 1,066 | 13 | 82 | 48 | 4** |
| | ACT | 1,185 | 13 | 85 | 51 | 2 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,042 | 14 | 84 | 49 | 2 |
| | Inner regional | 2,582 | 11 | 87 | 54** | 2 |
| | Outer regional | 2,173 | 12 | 85 | 51 | 3 |
| | Remote | 523 | 8 | 90 | 56 | 1 |
| | Very remote | 141 | 10 | 88 | 57 | 1 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,284 | 12 | 86 | 51 | 3 |
| | 2 | 2,286 | 11 | 86 | 54** | 3 |
| | 3 | 3,104 | 13 | 85 | 51 | 2 |
| | 4 | 3,891 | 13 | 85 | 51 | 2 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,692 | 15** | 83 | 47** | 2 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,996 | 12 | 86 | 52 | 2 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,043 | 14 | 84 | 53 | 2 |
| | Other countries | 3,453 | 15** | 82** | 44** | 3 |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,521 | 15** | 82** | 47** | 3 |
| | Second generation | 3,205 | 14 | 85 | 51 | 1 |
| | Third plus generation | 8,791 | 12** | 86** | 52** | 2 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,289 | 14 | 84 | 44** | 2 |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 25** | 69** | 35** | 5 |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,986 | 14 | 83 | 50 | 3 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,464 | 17** | 81** | 39** | 2 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$
 Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 5.2c: Harassment via repeated emails, text messages and the like is a form of violence against women (cont.)

| | | Base | No | Nett Yes | Yes, Always | DK |
|---|-----------------------------------|--------|------|----------|-------------|-----|
| | | n | % | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 13 | 85 | 50 | 2 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | 7** | 91 | 58* | 3 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17,176 | 13 | 85 | 50 | 2 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6,606 | 15** | 84 | 46** | 1 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4,254 | 12 | 87** | 53 | 1 |
| | Secondary or below | 6,547 | 13 | 84 | 50 | 3 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10,989 | 14 | 85 | 50 | 1 |
| | Unemployed | 754 | 16 | 82 | 46 | 2 |
| | Home duties | 907 | 13 | 84 | 50 | 3 |
| | Retired | 3,527 | 9** | 85 | 53** | 6** |
| | Student | 755 | 19** | 81** | 37** | * |
| | unable to work | 442 | 9 | 88 | 60** | 3 |
| Occupation | Manager | 1,648 | 13 | 85 | 53 | 2 |
| | Professional | 3,264 | 14 | 85 | 48 | 1 |
| | Technicians and trade | 1,346 | 15 | 84 | 49 | 1 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1,489 | 13 | 87 | 53 | 1 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1,300 | 13 | 86 | 53 | 1 |
| | Sales worker | 774 | 14 | 85 | 47 | 1 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | 13 | 86 | 52 | 1 |
| | Labourer | 657 | 14 | 85 | 52 | 2 |
| | Other | 51 | 13 | 87 | 32 | * |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 3,058 | 12 | 83 | 49 | 5** |
| | Couple only | 5,373 | 11** | 86 | 54** | 3 |
| | Couple children at home | 6,339 | 14 | 85 | 50 | 1 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1,153 | 12 | 86 | 51 | 1 |
| | Group household | 743 | 19** | 79** | 40** | 1 |
| | Other type of household | 771 | 14 | 83 | 44** | 2 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5,025 | 39** | 58** | 10** | 3 |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859 | 3** | 95** | 56** | 2 |
| | High understanding | 3,631 | - | 99** | 99** | 1 |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4,050 | 18** | 79** | 41** | 3 |
| | Medium | 7,445 | 14 | 84 | 48** | 2 |
| | High | 6,000 | 8** | 90** | 61** | 1 |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134 | 13 | 85 | 57** | 2 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | 9 | 86 | 51 | 5** |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458 | 13 | 85 | 50 | 2 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

* Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .05$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Refused not shown

Table 5.4: Violence against women is common in our community

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree | DK |
|--|--|--------|----------|---------|------------|------|
| | | n | Disagree | % | % | % |
| | | | % | | | |
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 18 | 2 | 68 | 11 |
| Gender | Male | 7,834 | 25** | 3 | 59** | 13** |
| | Female | 9,683 | 12** | 2** | 76** | 10** |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 247 | 27** | 2 | 58** | 13 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,676 | 26** | 4** | 60** | 11 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,515 | 22** | 3 | 62** | 12 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,048 | 18 | 2 | 68 | 11 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,223 | 17 | 2 | 71** | 10 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,295 | 13** | 1 | 74** | 11 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,357 | 14** | 2 | 73** | 11 |
| | 75 years or more | 1,156 | 15 | 1 | 69 | 15** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,973 | 20 | 3 | 66 | 12 |
| | Victoria | 3,790 | 19 | 2 | 68 | 11 |
| | Queensland | 2,754 | 17 | 2 | 70 | 11 |
| | South Australia | 1,683 | 20 | 1 | 66 | 13 |
| | Western Australia | 1,926 | 17 | 2 | 70 | 11 |
| | Tasmania | 1,140 | 16 | 2 | 68 | 14 |
| | Northern Territory | 1,066 | 12** | 2 | 79** | 6** |
| | ACT | 1,185 | 17 | 4** | 66 | 13 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,042 | 20 | 2 | 66 | 12 |
| | Inner regional | 2,582 | 15** | 2 | 71** | 12 |
| | Outer regional | 2,173 | 16 | 2 | 73** | 10 |
| | Remote | 523 | 16 | 1 | 75 | 8 |
| | Very remote | 141 | 15 | * | 81 | 5 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,284 | 16 | 2 | 72** | 10 |
| | 2 | 2,286 | 17 | 2 | 72** | 9** |
| | 3 | 3,104 | 19 | 1 | 69 | 11 |
| | 4 | 3,891 | 18 | 3 | 67 | 12 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,692 | 21** | 3** | 64** | 13** |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,996 | 16** | 2 | 71** | 11 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,043 | 17 | 2 | 69 | 12 |
| | Other countries | 3,453 | 27** | 3** | 57** | 13 |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,521 | 24 | 2** | 61** | 13 |
| | Second generation | 3,205 | 17 | 2 | 70 | 11 |
| | Third plus generation | 8,791 | 15** | 2 | 72** | 11 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,289 | 26** | 3** | 59** | 12 |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 37** | 4** | 43** | 15 |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,986 | 20 | 2 | 66 | 12 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,464 | 34** | 3** | 47** | 16** |

** Result is statistically significant, p ≤ .01
Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 5.4: Violence against women is common in our community (cont.)

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree | DK |
|---|-----------------------------------|--------|----------|---------|------------|-----|
| | | n | Disagree | % | % | % |
| | | | % | | | |
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 18 | 2 | 68 | 11 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | 7** | 1 | 87** | 5** |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17,176 | 19 | 2 | 68 | 12 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6,606 | 23** | 3 | 62** | 12 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4,254 | 17 | 2 | 69 | 12 |
| | Secondary or below | 6,547 | 17 | 2 | 70** | 11 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10,989 | 20 | 2 | 67 | 11 |
| | Unemployed | 754 | 17 | 2 | 70 | 11 |
| | Home duties | 907 | 14** | 2 | 73** | 11 |
| | Retired | 3,527 | 14** | 2 | 71** | 13 |
| | Student | 755 | 28** | 4 | 57** | 11 |
| | unable to work | 442 | 9** | 1 | 82** | 8 |
| Occupation | Manager | 1,648 | 22 | 3 | 63** | 13 |
| | Professional | 3,264 | 20 | 2 | 66 | 11 |
| | Technicians and trade | 1,346 | 24 | 3 | 62** | 11 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1,489 | 15 | 1 | 76** | 8** |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1,300 | 16 | 1 | 71 | 11 |
| | Sales worker | 774 | 18 | 2 | 68 | 12 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | 17 | 1 | 70 | 12 |
| | Labourer | 657 | 21 | 3 | 62** | 13 |
| | Other | 51 | 24 | 9** | 57 | 9 |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 3,058 | 16** | 1 | 71 | 12 |
| | Couple only | 5,373 | 17 | 2 | 69 | 12 |
| | Couple children at home | 6,339 | 21** | 2 | 66 | 11 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1,153 | 13** | 2 | 76** | 8** |
| | Group household | 743 | 24 | 3 | 59** | 14 |
| | Other type of household | 771 | 16 | 4** | 68** | 12 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5,025 | 28 | 3 | 57** | 13 |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859 | 16 | 2 | 71** | 11 |
| | High understanding | 3,631 | 10 | 1 | 79** | 11 |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4,050 | 25** | 3 | 60** | 13 |
| | Medium | 7,445 | 19 | 2 | 67 | 11 |
| | High | 6,000 | 12** | 2 | 76** | 11 |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134 | 13** | 2 | 78** | 7** |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | 14** | 1 | 73** | 12 |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458 | 19 | 2 | 67 | 12 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken

Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 5.5.1a: Women are more likely to be raped by someone they know than by a stranger

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree | DK |
|--|--|-------|----------|---------|------------|------|
| | | n | Disagree | % | % | % |
| | | | % | | | |
| Total Sample | | 8,731 | 20 | 2 | 64 | 15 |
| Gender | Male | 3,850 | 22** | 2 | 59** | 17** |
| | Female | 4,881 | 17** | 2 | 68** | 12** |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 121 | 41** | 1 | 51** | 7 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 817 | 31** | 3 | 59 | 7** |
| | 25 to 34 years | 1,275 | 25** | 2 | 61 | 13 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 1,535 | 16** | 2 | 66 | 15 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 1,588 | 16** | 1 | 67 | 16 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 1,650 | 14** | 2 | 67 | 18** |
| | 65 to 74 years | 1,168 | 16** | 1 | 65 | 17 |
| | 75 years or more | 577 | 16 | 2 | 62 | 19 |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 2,018 | 18 | 2 | 65 | 14 |
| | Victoria | 1,915 | 23** | 2 | 61 | 14 |
| | Queensland | 1,362 | 20 | 2 | 64 | 15 |
| | South Australia | 851 | 19 | 1 | 64 | 16 |
| | Western Australia | 946 | 19 | 2 | 65 | 14 |
| | Tasmania | 576 | 16 | 1 | 66 | 16 |
| | Northern Territory | 525 | 15 | 2 | 66 | 16 |
| | ACT | 538 | 13** | 1 | 72** | 14 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 5,977 | 21 | 2 | 63 | 14 |
| | Inner regional | 1,296 | 17 | 2 | 65 | 16 |
| | Outer regional | 1,102 | 19 | 1 | 62 | 18 |
| | Remote | 253 | 13 | 4 | 65 | 18 |
| | Very remote | 75 | 12 | 3 | 75 | 9 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 1,141 | 21 | 1 | 64 | 14 |
| | 2 | 1,176 | 19 | 2 | 63 | 15 |
| | 3 | 1,550 | 18 | 2 | 65 | 14 |
| | 4 | 1,967 | 20 | 2 | 62 | 15 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 2,762 | 20 | 2 | 64 | 14 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 5,989 | 18 | 1 | 64 | 16 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 980 | 12** | 2 | 71** | 15 |
| | Other countries | 1,753 | 27** | 3 | 58** | 11** |
| Migration Status | First generation | 2,742 | 23** | 3 | 62 | 12** |
| | Second generation | 1,614 | 20 | 3 | 62 | 16 |
| | Third plus generation | 4,375 | 18** | 1 | 66** | 16 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 1,171 | 28** | 3 | 59 | 10** |
| | Does not speak English well | 219 | 38** | 7** | 46** | 8 |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 1,979 | 20 | 3 | 63 | 14 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 729 | 30** | 3 | 58 | 8** |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$

Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 5.5.1a: Women are more likely to be raped by someone they know than by a stranger (cont.)

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree | DK |
|---|-----------------------------------|-------|----------|---------|------------|-----|
| | | n | Disagree | % | % | % |
| | | | % | | | |
| | Total Sample | 8,731 | 20 | 2 | 64 | 15 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 175 | 19 | 4 | 70 | 8 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 8,556 | 20 | 2 | 64 | 15 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 3,278 | 16** | 2 | 69** | 13 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 2,086 | 19 | 2 | 62 | 17 |
| | Secondary or below | 3,313 | 22 | 2 | 63 | 14 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 5,470 | 20 | 2 | 63 | 15 |
| | Unemployed | 415 | 27** | 2 | 59 | 12 |
| | Home duties | 432 | 19 | 3 | 66 | 12 |
| | Retired | 1,736 | 15** | 2 | 67 | 17 |
| | Student | 388 | 31** | 1 | 59 | 9** |
| | unable to work | 218 | 14 | 1 | 70 | 14 |
| Occupation | Manager | 805 | 16 | 2 | 66 | 17 |
| | Professional | 1,658 | 16** | 2 | 67 | 15 |
| | Technicians and trade | 643 | 25** | 2 | 56** | 17 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 735 | 16 | 3 | 68 | 12 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 656 | 18 | 2 | 63 | 17 |
| | Sales worker | 381 | 26 | 2 | 61 | 12 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 195 | 27 | 1 | 55 | 17 |
| | Labourer | 333 | 26 | 3 | 61 | 10 |
| | Other | 24 | 33 | - | 67 | - |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 1,502 | 16** | 2 | 67 | 15 |
| | Couple only | 2,667 | 18 | 1 | 64 | 17 |
| | Couple children at home | 3,182 | 22 | 2 | 63 | 14 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 559 | 18 | 2 | 66 | 13 |
| | Group household | 380 | 23 | 4 | 61 | 12 |
| | Other type of household | 400 | 24 | 4 | 60 | 12 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 2,540 | 27 | 2 | 57** | 14 |
| | Moderate understanding | 4,324 | 18 | 2 | 65 | 15 |
| | High understanding | 1,866 | 13** | 2 | 71** | 14 |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 2,043 | 25** | 2 | 57** | 16 |
| | Medium | 3,730 | 20 | 2 | 63 | 15 |
| | High | 2,946 | 14** | 2 | 71** | 13 |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 567 | 16 | 1 | 71** | 12 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 405 | 14 | 2 | 68 | 16 |
| | Does not have a disability | 7,719 | 20 | 2 | 63 | 15 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 5.5.2b: It is mainly men, mainly women or both men and women that commit acts of domestic violence

| | | Base n | Mainly Men % | Both - Men More Often % | Both - Equally % | Women More Often % | Mainly Women % |
|---|--|-----------|--------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 30 | 41 | 25 | 1 | * |
| Gender | Male | 7,834 | 28** | 38** | 29** | 2 | 1 |
| | Female | 9,683 | 32** | 44** | 21** | 1 | * |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 247 | 42** | 37 | 21 | * | - |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,676 | 30 | 39 | 27 | 1 | 1 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,515 | 26** | 39 | 31** | 1 | 1 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,048 | 30 | 42 | 24 | 2 | * |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,223 | 32 | 43 | 22** | 1 | * |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,295 | 32 | 43 | 21** | 1 | * |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,357 | 30 | 41 | 24 | 1 | 1 |
| | 75 years or more | 1,156 | 30 | 37 | 25 | 1 | * |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,973 | 30 | 40 | 25 | 2 | 1 |
| | Victoria | 3,790 | 33** | 40 | 23 | 1 | 1 |
| | Queensland | 2,754 | 28 | 42 | 28** | 1 | * |
| | South Australia | 1,683 | 30 | 43 | 23 | 1 | * |
| | Western Australia | 1,926 | 29 | 43 | 24 | 2 | * |
| | Tasmania | 1,140 | 26** | 42 | 27 | 1 | * |
| | Northern Territory | 1,066 | 26 | 44 | 25 | 2 | 1 |
| | ACT | 1,185 | 32 | 40 | 23 | 2 | * |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,042 | 31 | 41 | 24 | 1 | 1 |
| | Inner regional | 2,582 | 28 | 42 | 27 | 1 | * |
| | Outer regional | 2,173 | 25 | 42 | 29** | 1 | * |
| | Remote | 523 | 29 | 45 | 23 | 2 | 1 |
| | Very remote | 141 | 31 | 52 | 15 | * | - |
| Socio- economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,284 | 27** | 40 | 28** | 2 | 1 |
| | 2 | 2,286 | 26** | 42 | 28 | 1 | * |
| | 3 | 3,104 | 30 | 40 | 27 | 1 | * |
| | 4 | 3,891 | 31 | 41 | 24 | 1 | * |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,692 | 35** | 41 | 20** | 1 | * |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,996 | 29 | 43** | 24 | 1 | * |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,043 | 29 | 46** | 21** | 1 | * |
| | Other countries | 3,453 | 33 | 33** | 28** | 2 | 1 |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,521 | 32 | 37** | 26 | 2 | 1 |
| | Second generation | 3,205 | 31 | 42** | 24 | 1 | * |
| | Third plus generation | 8,791 | 29 | 43** | 24 | 1 | * |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,289 | 31 | 35** | 29** | 2 | 1 |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 31 | 23** | 34** | 4** | 3 |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,986 | 33 | 38** | 25 | 2 | 1 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,464 | 30 | 34** | 30** | 2 | 1 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$
 Don't know/refused not shown

Appendix

Table 5.5.2b: It is mainly men, mainly women or both men and women that commit acts of domestic violence (cont.)

| | | Base n | Mainly Men % | Both - Men More Often % | Both - Equally % | Women More Often % | Mainly Women % |
|---|-----------------------------------|-----------|--------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|
| | Total Sample | 17,517 | 30 | 41 | 25 | 1 | * |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | 25 | 40 | 31 | 1 | 1 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17,176 | 30 | 41 | 24 | 1 | * |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6,606 | 35** | 41 | 20** | 1 | * |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4,254 | 27** | 44** | 26 | 1 | * |
| | Secondary or below | 6,547 | 31 | 39 | 26 | 1 | 1 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10,989 | 30 | 42** | 25 | 1 | * |
| | Unemployed | 754 | 25** | 38 | 31** | 3** | 1 |
| | Home duties | 907 | 32 | 40 | 23 | 2 | 1 |
| | Retired | 3,527 | 30 | 40 | 24 | 1 | 1 |
| | Student | 755 | 37** | 39 | 21 | 1 | 1 |
| | unable to work | 442 | 27 | 42 | 26 | 3 | - |
| Occupation | Manager | 1,648 | 29 | 46 | 22 | 1 | * |
| | Professional | 3,264 | 36** | 43 | 18** | 1 | * |
| | Technicians and trade | 1,346 | 25** | 38 | 33** | 1 | * |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1,489 | 30 | 45 | 22 | 1 | * |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1,300 | 33 | 44 | 21** | * | * |
| | Sales worker | 774 | 31 | 42 | 25 | 1 | * |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | 23 | 39 | 32** | 2 | 1 |
| | Labourer | 657 | 25** | 35** | 37** | 2 | 1 |
| Other | 51 | 37 | 37 | 22 | - | - | |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 3,058 | 30 | 40 | 25 | 1 | 1 |
| | Couple only | 5,373 | 29 | 42 | 24 | 1 | * |
| | Couple children at home | 6,339 | 32 | 41 | 24 | 1 | * |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1,153 | 31 | 41 | 24 | 2 | 1 |
| | Group household | 743 | 27 | 40 | 28 | 2 | 1 |
| | Other type of household | 771 | 27 | 40 | 28 | 2 | 1 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5,025 | 30 | 37** | 28** | 2 | 1 |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859 | 30 | 42 | 25 | 1 | * |
| | High understanding | 3,631 | 32 | 45 | 20** | 1 | * |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4,050 | 28** | 35** | 31** | 2 | 1 |
| | Medium | 7,445 | 30 | 42 | 25 | 1 | * |
| | High | 6,000 | 33** | 45** | 20** | 1 | * |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134 | 27 | 39 | 29 | 3 | * |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | 29 | 38 | 25 | 2 | 1 |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458 | 31 | 41 | 24 | 1 | * |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$ [#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Don't know/refused not shown

Appendix

Table 5.5.2c: Men or women would be more likely to suffer physical harm as a result of domestic violence

| | | Base n | Men % | Equal % | Women % |
|--|--|-----------|----------|------------|------------|
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 3 | 9 | 86 |
| Gender | Male | 7,834 | 3 | 9 | 85 |
| | Female | 9,683 | 2 | 9 | 87 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 247 | 4 | 4 | 90 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,676 | 4 | 9 | 86 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,515 | 4 | 10 | 84** |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,048 | 3 | 11 | 85 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,223 | 2 | 9 | 88 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,295 | 2 | 9 | 88 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,357 | 2 | 9 | 87 |
| | 75 years or more | 1,156 | 2 | 9 | 86 |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,973 | 3 | 9 | 87 |
| | Victoria | 3,790 | 3 | 8 | 87 |
| | Queensland | 2,754 | 3 | 11** | 84** |
| | South Australia | 1,683 | 3 | 9 | 86 |
| | Western Australia | 1,926 | 2 | 10 | 87 |
| | Tasmania | 1,140 | 2 | 13** | 84 |
| | Northern Territory | 1,066 | 3 | 13** | 82** |
| | ACT | 1,185 | 2 | 8 | 88 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,042 | 3 | 9 | 87 |
| | Inner regional | 2,582 | 2 | 10 | 86 |
| | Outer regional | 2,173 | 3 | 12** | 84 |
| | Remote | 523 | 2 | 9 | 88 |
| | Very remote | 141 | * | 12 | 88 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,284 | 4 | 11 | 84 |
| | 2 | 2,286 | 3 | 11 | 85 |
| | 3 | 3,104 | 3 | 9 | 86 |
| | 4 | 3,891 | 3 | 9 | 86 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,692 | 2 | 7** | 89 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,996 | 2 | 9 | 88** |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,043 | 2 | 10 | 87 |
| | Other countries | 3,453 | 6** | 10 | 82** |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,521 | 5** | 10 | 83** |
| | Second generation | 3,205 | 2 | 8 | 89** |
| | Third plus generation | 8,791 | 2 | 10 | 87 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,289 | 6** | 10 | 82** |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 7** | 16** | 74** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,986 | 4 | 10 | 85 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,464 | 7** | 11 | 79** |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$
 Don't know/refused not shown

Appendix

Table 5.5.2c: Men or women would be more likely to suffer physical harm as a result of domestic violence (cont.)

| | | Base | Mainly | Equal | Mainly |
|---|-----------------------------------|--------|--------|-------|--------|
| | | n | Men | % | Women |
| | | | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 3 | 9 | 86 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | 3 | 14 | 81 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17,176 | 3 | 9 | 87 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6,606 | 3 | 7** | 88 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4,254 | 3 | 10 | 86 |
| | Secondary or below | 6,547 | 3 | 10 | 86 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10,989 | 3 | 9 | 87 |
| | Unemployed | 754 | 5** | 13** | 80** |
| | Home duties | 907 | 3 | 9 | 86 |
| | Retired | 3,527 | 2 | 9 | 87 |
| | Student | 755 | 4 | 6** | 89 |
| | unable to work | 442 | 2 | 14** | 83 |
| Occupation | Manager | 1,648 | 3 | 8 | 88 |
| | Professional | 3,264 | 2 | 7** | 90** |
| | Technicians and trade | 1,346 | 2 | 9 | 88 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1,489 | 3 | 11 | 84 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1,300 | 3 | 9 | 88 |
| | Sales worker | 774 | 3 | 10 | 87 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | 5 | 12 | 82 |
| | Labourer | 657 | 5 | 12 | 81** |
| Other | 51 | 1 | 10 | 89 | |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 3,058 | 3 | 10 | 85 |
| | Couple only | 5,373 | 3 | 9 | 87 |
| | Couple children at home | 6,339 | 3 | 9 | 87 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1,153 | 3 | 10 | 86 |
| | Group household | 743 | 4 | 8 | 86 |
| | Other type of household | 771 | 4 | 11 | 84 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5,025 | 5** | 9 | 85** |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859 | 2 | 9 | 87 |
| | High understanding | 3,631 | 1** | 10 | 88** |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4,050 | 5** | 10 | 82** |
| | Medium | 7,445 | 2 | 9 | 87 |
| | High | 6,000 | 1** | 9 | 89 |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134 | 3 | 12 | 84 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | 3 | 9 | 85 |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458 | 3 | 9 | 87 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Don't know/refused not shown

Appendix

Table 5.5.2d: Level of fear experienced is worse for males, worse for females, or equally bad for both

| | | Base n | Much Worse for Males % | Bit Worse for Males % | Equally Bad for Both % | Bit Worse for Females % | Much Worse for Females % |
|---|--|-----------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 1 | * | 46 | 12 | 40 |
| Gender | Male | 7,834 | 1 | * | 42** | 13 | 43** |
| | Female | 9,683 | 1 | * | 50** | 11 | 37** |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 247 | - | - | 51 | 12 | 36 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,676 | * | * | 48 | 16** | 34 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,515 | 1 | 1 | 49 | 13 | 36 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,048 | 1 | * | 47 | 11 | 40 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,223 | 1 | * | 46 | 10 | 42 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,295 | 1 | 1 | 42** | 9** | 46** |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,357 | * | 1 | 43 | 10 | 43 |
| | 75 years or more | 1,156 | * | * | 45 | 11 | 41 |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,973 | 1 | 1 | 45 | 11 | 41 |
| | Victoria | 3,790 | 1 | * | 44 | 12 | 42 |
| | Queensland | 2,754 | * | * | 47 | 13 | 38 |
| | South Australia | 1,683 | 1 | * | 48 | 11 | 38 |
| | Western Australia | 1,926 | 1 | 1 | 48 | 11 | 38 |
| | Tasmania | 1,140 | 1 | * | 48 | 10 | 39 |
| | Northern Territory | 1,066 | 1 | * | 43 | 9 | 43 |
| | ACT | 1,185 | 1 | 1 | 46 | 10 | 41 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,042 | 1 | 1 | 45 | 12 | 41 |
| | Inner regional | 2,582 | * | * | 47 | 12 | 39 |
| | Outer regional | 2,173 | * | * | 48 | 11 | 38 |
| | Remote | 523 | 1 | 1 | 50 | 14 | 33 |
| | Very remote | 141 | - | * | 55 | 1 | 42 |
| Socio- economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,284 | 1 | 1 | 47 | 12 | 38 |
| | 2 | 2,286 | 1 | * | 48 | 11 | 38 |
| | 3 | 3,104 | 1 | * | 46 | 12 | 40 |
| | 4 | 3,891 | * | * | 47 | 11 | 40 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,692 | * | * | 44 | 12 | 42 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,996 | * | * | 47 | 11 | 40 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,043 | 1 | * | 47 | 11 | 40 |
| | Other countries | 3,453 | 1 | 1 | 42** | 13 | 42 |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,521 | 1 | 1 | 43** | 12 | 41 |
| | Second generation | 3,205 | 1 | * | 49 | 11 | 38 |
| | Third plus generation | 8,791 | * | * | 47 | 11 | 40 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,289 | 1 | 1 | 45 | 12 | 39 |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 1 | 3** | 30** | 16** | 47** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,986 | 1 | 1 | 42** | 12 | 43** |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,464 | 1 | 1 | 47 | 13 | 36 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$
Don't know/refused not shown

Appendix

Table 5.5.2d: Level of fear experienced is worse for males, worse for females, or equally bad for both (cont.)

| | | Base n | Much Worse for Males % | Bit Worse for Males % | Equally Bad for Both % | Bit Worse for Females % | Much Worse for Females % |
|---|-----------------------------------|-----------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | Total Sample | 17,517 | 1 | * | 46 | 12 | 40 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | * | 1 | 49 | 8 | 39 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17,176 | 1 | * | 46 | 12 | 40 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6,606 | * | 1 | 45 | 11 | 42 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4,254 | 1 | * | 47 | 11 | 40 |
| | Secondary or below | 6,547 | 1 | 1 | 46 | 12 | 40 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10,989 | 1 | * | 45 | 12 | 40 |
| | Unemployed | 754 | 1 | 1 | 51 | 12 | 35 |
| | Home duties | 907 | 1 | * | 51** | 10 | 37 |
| | Retired | 3,527 | * | 1 | 43 | 10 | 43** |
| | Student | 755 | * | * | 50 | 15 | 34** |
| | unable to work | 442 | * | 1 | 44 | 10 | 43 |
| Occupation | Manager | 1,648 | 1 | 1 | 41** | 12 | 45** |
| | Professional | 3,264 | * | * | 44 | 11 | 43 |
| | Technicians and trade | 1,346 | 1 | * | 44 | 13 | 40 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1,489 | * | 1 | 50** | 11 | 37 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1,300 | 1 | * | 50 | 10 | 37 |
| | Sales worker | 774 | 1 | * | 44 | 16** | 38 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | 1 | * | 41 | 12 | 44 |
| | Labourer | 657 | 1 | 1 | 47 | 11 | 39 |
| | Other | 51 | - | - | 59 | 13 | 28 |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 3,058 | * | * | 45 | 11 | 41 |
| | Couple only | 5,373 | 1 | * | 45 | 10 | 43** |
| | Couple children at home | 6,339 | 1 | * | 46 | 13 | 39 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1,153 | 1 | 1 | 47 | 11 | 40 |
| | Group household | 743 | * | 1 | 46 | 14 | 38 |
| | Other type of household | 771 | 1 | * | 54** | 10 | 33** |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5,025 | 1 | 1 | 44 | 15** | 38 |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859 | 1 | * | 46 | 11 | 41 |
| | High understanding | 3,631 | 1 | * | 50 | 6** | 42 |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4,050 | 1 | 1 | 42** | 14** | 40 |
| | Medium | 7,445 | * | * | 45 | 12 | 41 |
| | High | 6,000 | * | * | 50** | 9** | 39 |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134 | 1 | 1 | 47 | 10 | 40 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | 1 | 1 | 46 | 13 | 40 |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458 | 1 | * | 46 | 12 | 40 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 5.6a: Domestic violence is a criminal offence

| | | Base | Nett | | |
|--|--|-------|----------|---------|------------|
| | | n | Disagree | Neither | Nett Agree |
| | | | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,715 | 2 | * | 96 |
| Gender | Male | 3,879 | 4** | 1 | 94** |
| | Female | 4,836 | 1 | * | 98 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 114 | 2 | - | 97 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 818 | 1 | * | 98 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 1,235 | 3 | 1 | 96 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 1,519 | 1 | * | 98 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 1,613 | 3 | * | 96 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 1,645 | 2 | * | 96 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 1,176 | 3 | 1 | 94 |
| | 75 years or more | 595 | 5** | * | 92** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 1,977 | 2 | 1 | 96 |
| | Victoria | 1,923 | 3 | 1 | 96 |
| | Queensland | 1,347 | 3 | * | 97 |
| | South Australia | 852 | 2 | * | 96 |
| | Western Australia | 966 | 2 | * | 97 |
| | Tasmania | 569 | 2 | 1 | 95 |
| | Northern Territory | 523 | 2 | 1 | 95 |
| | ACT | 558 | 2 | 1 | 96 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 5,935 | 3 | 1 | 96 |
| | Inner regional | 1,301 | 2 | * | 97 |
| | Outer regional | 1,112 | 2 | * | 97 |
| | Remote | 262 | 2 | 1 | 97 |
| | Very remote | 77 | * | 3 | 97 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 1,135 | 3 | * | 96 |
| | 2 | 1,155 | 2 | 1 | 95 |
| | 3 | 1,589 | 2 | * | 96 |
| | 4 | 1,948 | 2 | * | 97 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 2,758 | 3 | * | 95 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 6,007 | 2 | * | 97 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 985 | 2 | * | 97 |
| | Other countries | 1,712 | 4** | 1 | 92** |
| Migration Status | First generation | 2,708 | 3 | 1 | 94** |
| | Second generation | 1,623 | 2 | * | 97 |
| | Third plus generation | 4,384 | 2 | * | 97 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 1,155 | 4** | * | 94** |
| | Does not speak English well | 208 | 4 | 4** | 85** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 1,969 | 3 | 1 | 94** |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 702 | 4** | 1 | 93** |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 5.6a: Domestic violence is a criminal offence (cont.)

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|---|-----------------------------------|-------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,715 | 2 | * | 96 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 170 | 3 | * | 97 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 8,545 | 2 | * | 96 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 3,259 | 2 | * | 96 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 2,063 | 3 | * | 96 |
| | Secondary or below | 3,346 | 2 | * | 96 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 5,421 | 2 | * | 97 |
| | Unemployed | 388 | 3 | - | 94 |
| | Home duties | 446 | 2 | 1 | 96 |
| | Retired | 1,773 | 3 | 1 | 94** |
| | Student | 382 | 3 | - | 97 |
| | unable to work | 224 | 1 | 2 | 97 |
| Occupation | Manager | 821 | 2 | * | 97 |
| | Professional | 1,612 | 2 | * | 98 |
| | Technicians and trade | 647 | 4 | 1 | 95 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 726 | 2 | - | 97 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 653 | 2 | * | 98 |
| | Sales worker | 369 | 1 | * | 99 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 193 | 3 | - | 97 |
| | Labourer | 340 | 2 | 1 | 96 |
| Other | 23 | * | - | 100 | |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 1,506 | 3 | 1 | 94** |
| | Couple only | 2,699 | 2 | * | 96 |
| | Couple children at home | 3,162 | 2 | * | 96 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 543 | 2 | * | 97 |
| | Group household | 373 | 2 | - | 98 |
| | Other type of household | 396 | 4 | 1 | 95 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 2,550 | 5** | 1 | 93** |
| | Moderate understanding | 4,384 | 2 | * | 97 |
| | High understanding | 1,780 | 1 | - | 99** |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 2,058 | 5** | 1 | 93** |
| | Medium | 3,693 | 2 | * | 97 |
| | High | 2,949 | 1 | * | 99** |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 587 | 2 | * | 96** |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 446 | 5** | 1 | 93** |
| | Does not have a disability | 7,633 | 2 | * | 96 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Don't know/refused not shown

Appendix

Table 5.6b: A woman cannot be raped by someone she is in a sexual relationship with

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree | DK |
|--|--|-------|------|---------|------------|------|
| | | n | % | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,786 | 88 | * | 9 | 2 |
| Gender | Male | 3,984 | 87 | * | 10 | 3 |
| | Female | 4,802 | 89 | * | 8 | 2 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 126 | 92 | - | 7 | 1 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 859 | 89 | * | 8 | 3 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 1,240 | 87 | 1 | 11 | 2 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 1,513 | 91 | * | 7 | 1 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 1,635 | 91 | * | 6** | 2 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 1,645 | 89 | * | 8 | 3 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 1,189 | 85** | 1 | 12** | 3 |
| | 75 years or more | 579 | 78** | 1 | 14** | 7** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 1,955 | 87 | * | 10 | 2 |
| | Victoria | 1,875 | 86 | * | 10 | 3 |
| | Queensland | 1,392 | 91 | * | 7 | 2 |
| | South Australia | 832 | 89 | * | 8 | 3 |
| | Western Australia | 980 | 91 | * | 7 | 2 |
| | Tasmania | 564 | 90 | - | 7 | 3 |
| | Northern Territory | 541 | 88 | - | 7 | 4 |
| | ACT | 647 | 89 | * | 9 | 1 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 6,065 | 87 | * | 10 | 2 |
| | Inner regional | 1,286 | 91 | * | 6 | 2 |
| | Outer regional | 1,071 | 90 | * | 7 | 3 |
| | Remote | 270 | 90 | - | 7 | 3 |
| | Very remote | 66 | 78 | - | 14 | 8 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 1,143 | 85 | 1 | 11 | 3 |
| | 2 | 1,110 | 86 | * | 9 | 4 |
| | 3 | 1,554 | 88 | * | 9 | 2 |
| | 4 | 1,924 | 90 | * | 8 | 2 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 2,930 | 90 | * | 8 | 2 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 6,007 | 93 | * | 5** | 2 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 1,063 | 95 | - | 4** | 1 |
| | Other countries | 1,700 | 72** | 1 | 21** | 5** |
| Migration Status | First generation | 2,779 | 79** | 1 | 16** | 4** |
| | Second generation | 1,591 | 92 | 1 | 6** | 2 |
| | Third plus generation | 4,416 | 93 | * | 5** | 2 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 1,118 | 73** | 1 | 22** | 5** |
| | Does not speak English well | 218 | 55** | 4** | 30** | 11** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 2,007 | 82** | 1 | 13** | 4** |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 735 | 72** | 1 | 23** | 4 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.1$
 Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 5.6b: A woman cannot be raped by someone she is in a sexual relationship with (cont.)

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree | DK |
|---|-----------------------------------|-------|------|---------|------------|-----|
| | | n | % | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,786 | 88 | * | 9 | 2 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 166 | 83 | - | 15 | 3 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 8,620 | 88 | * | 9 | 2 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 3,328 | 88 | * | 10 | 1 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 2,168 | 91** | * | 7** | 2 |
| | Secondary or below | 3,234 | 87 | * | 9 | 3 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 5,519 | 90 | * | 7 | 2 |
| | Unemployed | 339 | 87 | 1 | 9 | 4 |
| | Home duties | 475 | 84 | 1 | 12 | 3 |
| | Retired | 1,791 | 83** | 1 | 12** | 4 |
| | Student | 367 | 89 | * | 10 | 1 |
| | unable to work | 224 | 85 | 1 | 12 | 2 |
| Occupation | Manager | 843 | 92 | * | 7 | 1 |
| | Professional | 1,606 | 93** | * | 6** | 1 |
| | Technicians and trade | 703 | 89 | * | 8 | 2 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 754 | 88 | * | 9 | 3 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 644 | 94** | * | 5** | 1 |
| | Sales worker | 393 | 92 | * | 7 | 1 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 187 | 85 | * | 11 | 4 |
| | Labourer | 324 | 85 | - | 10 | 4 |
| | Other | 27 | 97 | - | - | 3 |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 1,556 | 85** | 1 | 11 | 3 |
| | Couple only | 2,706 | 88 | * | 9 | 3 |
| | Couple children at home | 3,157 | 90 | * | 8 | 2 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 594 | 91 | 1 | 7 | 1 |
| | Group household | 363 | 86 | 1 | 10 | 3 |
| | Other type of household | 371 | 88 | - | 8 | 4 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 2,485 | 82** | 1 | 13** | 4** |
| | Moderate understanding | 4,535 | 90 | * | 8 | 2 |
| | High understanding | 1,765 | 94** | * | 5** | 1 |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 2,007 | 74** | 1 | 20** | 5** |
| | Medium | 3,715 | 91** | * | 7** | 2 |
| | High | 3,054 | 96** | * | 3** | 1 |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 567 | 87 | 1 | 10 | 2 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 428 | 81** | 1 | 13 | 5** |
| | Does not have a disability | 7,739 | 89 | * | 8 | 2 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Refused not shown

Table 5.7a: The main reasons why some men are violent towards women

| | | Base n | Not Able to Manage Anger % | Belief Men Should be In-Charge % | Under Financial Stress % |
|---|--|-----------|-------------------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 64 | 18 | 13 |
| Gender | Male | 7,834 | 65 | 14** | 15** |
| | Female | 9,683 | 64 | 22** | 11** |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 247 | 57 | 31** | 11 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,676 | 57** | 29** | 12 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,515 | 64 | 20** | 12 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,048 | 68** | 16 | 12 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,223 | 69** | 14** | 12 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,295 | 66 | 16 | 12 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,357 | 63 | 14** | 17** |
| | 75 years or more | 1,156 | 58** | 13** | 20** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,973 | 63 | 19 | 13 |
| | Victoria | 3,790 | 63 | 19 | 13 |
| | Queensland | 2,754 | 65 | 18 | 13 |
| | South Australia | 1,683 | 65 | 17 | 14 |
| | Western Australia | 1,926 | 69** | 15** | 12 |
| | Tasmania | 1,140 | 63 | 16 | 15 |
| | Northern Territory | 1,066 | 67 | 16 | 11 |
| | ACT | 1,185 | 65 | 19 | 9** |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,042 | 64 | 19 | 13 |
| | Inner regional | 2,582 | 65 | 16 | 13 |
| | Outer regional | 2,173 | 64 | 16 | 15 |
| | Remote | 523 | 65 | 18 | 13 |
| | Very remote | 141 | 74 | 17 | 5 |
| Socio- economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,284 | 60** | 18 | 16** |
| | 2 | 2,286 | 61** | 19 | 16** |
| | 3 | 3,104 | 65 | 18 | 13 |
| | 4 | 3,891 | 65 | 18 | 12 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,692 | 68** | 17 | 11** |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,996 | 67** | 17 | 11** |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,043 | 69** | 16 | 10** |
| | Other countries | 3,453 | 55** | 20** | 19** |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,521 | 59** | 19 | 16** |
| | Second generation | 3,205 | 67 | 19 | 10** |
| | Third plus generation | 8,791 | 67** | 17 | 12 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,289 | 55** | 22** | 19** |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 43** | 22 | 25** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,986 | 60** | 18 | 16** |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,464 | 57** | 21** | 18** |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 5.7a: The main reasons why some men are violent towards women (cont.)

| | | Base | Not Able to | Belief Men | Under |
|---|-----------------------------------|--------|-------------|------------|-----------|
| | | n | Manage | Should be | Financial |
| | | | Anger | In-Charge | Stress |
| | | | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 64 | 18 | 13 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | 58 | 27** | 12 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17,176 | 64 | 18 | 13 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6,606 | 68** | 19 | 9** |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4,254 | 68** | 16** | 11 |
| | Secondary or below | 6,547 | 61** | 19 | 15** |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10,989 | 67** | 18 | 11 |
| | Unemployed | 754 | 60 | 19 | 15 |
| | Home duties | 907 | 64 | 20 | 13 |
| | Retired | 3,527 | 60** | 14** | 18** |
| | Student | 755 | 58** | 29** | 12 |
| | unable to work | 442 | 65** | 15 | 15 |
| Occupation | Manager | 1,648 | 69** | 13** | 12 |
| | Professional | 3,264 | 70** | 19 | 7** |
| | Technicians and trade | 1,346 | 66 | 14** | 15 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1,489 | 66 | 21 | 10** |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1,300 | 72** | 17 | 8** |
| | Sales worker | 774 | 63 | 22** | 11 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | 59 | 17 | 18** |
| | Labourer | 657 | 57** | 19 | 18** |
| Other | 51 | 60 | 29 | 5 | |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 3,058 | 62 | 16 | 15 |
| | Couple only | 5,373 | 65 | 16** | 14 |
| | Couple children at home | 6,339 | 66 | 18 | 12 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1,153 | 65 | 20 | 11 |
| | Group household | 743 | 64 | 19 | 13 |
| | Other type of household | 771 | 57** | 26 | 12 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5,025 | 63 | 15** | 16** |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859 | 65 | 19 | 13 |
| | High understanding | 3,631 | 66 | 20 | 9** |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4,050 | 57** | 14** | 22** |
| | Medium | 7,445 | 67** | 17 | 11** |
| | High | 6,000 | 67** | 22** | 7** |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134 | 65 | 17 | 14 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | 61 | 11** | 21** |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458 | 65 | 18 | 12 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Don't know/refused not shown

Appendix

Table 5.8: Women with disabilities are more or less likely to experience violence from people around them

| | | Base n | Less Likely % | No Difference % | More Likely % | DK % |
|---|--|-----------|---------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|---------|
| | Total Sample | 17,517 | 7 | 41 | 41 | 11 |
| Gender | Male | 7,834 | 9** | 45** | 33** | 13** |
| | Female | 9,683 | 4** | 38** | 48** | 10** |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 247 | 13** | 44 | 40 | 3** |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,676 | 9** | 42 | 43 | 6** |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,515 | 6 | 43 | 43 | 7** |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,048 | 4** | 40 | 44** | 11 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,223 | 5** | 42 | 40 | 13 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,295 | 6 | 41 | 37** | 15** |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,357 | 8 | 38 | 39 | 15** |
| | 75 years or more | 1,156 | 9 | 39 | 35** | 16** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,973 | 7 | 41 | 41 | 11 |
| | Victoria | 3,790 | 7 | 41 | 40 | 11 |
| | Queensland | 2,754 | 6 | 42 | 41 | 11 |
| | South Australia | 1,683 | 6 | 39 | 40 | 14 |
| | Western Australia | 1,926 | 7 | 44 | 38 | 12 |
| | Tasmania | 1,140 | 5 | 41 | 42 | 12 |
| | Northern Territory | 1,066 | 6 | 37 | 43 | 13 |
| | ACT | 1,185 | 4** | 37 | 43 | 16** |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,042 | 7 | 41 | 41 | 11 |
| | Inner regional | 2,582 | 5** | 41 | 41 | 13 |
| | Outer regional | 2,173 | 6 | 41 | 38 | 14 |
| | Remote | 523 | 5 | 41 | 39 | 14 |
| | Very remote | 141 | 4 | 47 | 40 | 9 |
| Socio- economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,284 | 7 | 43 | 38 | 11 |
| | 2 | 2,286 | 7 | 41 | 42 | 10 |
| | 3 | 3,104 | 6 | 40 | 42 | 12 |
| | 4 | 3,891 | 7 | 41 | 40 | 12 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,692 | 6 | 41 | 40 | 12 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,996 | 6 | 41 | 42 | 12 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,043 | 5 | 44 | 38 | 13 |
| | Other countries | 3,453 | 9** | 41 | 38 | 10 |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,521 | 8** | 42 | 38 | 11 |
| | Second generation | 3,205 | 6 | 42 | 42 | 10 |
| | Third plus generation | 8,791 | 6 | 40 | 41 | 12 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,289 | 8** | 44 | 39 | 8** |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 16** | 31** | 38 | 10 |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,986 | 7 | 42 | 38 | 13 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,464 | 12** | 42 | 39 | 8** |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$
 Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 5.8: Women with disabilities are more or less likely to experience violence from people around them (cont.)

| | | Base n | Less Likely % | No Difference % | More Likely % | DK % |
|---|-----------------------------------|-----------|---------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|---------|
| | Total Sample | 17,517 | 7 | 41 | 41 | 11 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | 7 | 45 | 40 | 8 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17,176 | 7 | 41 | 41 | 12 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6,606 | 5** | 36** | 47 | 12** |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4,254 | 6 | 43 | 40 | 12 |
| | Secondary or below | 6,547 | 8 | 42 | 39 | 11 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10,989 | 6 | 42 | 41 | 11 |
| | Unemployed | 754 | 7 | 46 | 36 | 11 |
| | Home duties | 907 | 5 | 39 | 44 | 12 |
| | Retired | 3,527 | 8** | 40 | 38 | 14** |
| | Student | 755 | 11** | 39 | 45 | 5 |
| | unable to work | 442 | 4 | 43 | 42 | 11 |
| Occupation | Manager | 1,648 | 5 | 42 | 39 | 13 |
| | Professional | 3,264 | 5** | 37** | 46 | 12** |
| | Technicians and trade | 1,346 | 9 | 49** | 30 | 12** |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1,489 | 6 | 35** | 49 | 10** |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1,300 | 4** | 45 | 42 | 9 |
| | Sales worker | 774 | 6 | 41 | 44 | 8 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | 9 | 45 | 31 | 14** |
| | Labourer | 657 | 8 | 42 | 38 | 11 |
| Other | 51 | 5 | 50 | 40 | 4 | |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 3,058 | 8 | 40 | 37 | 14** |
| | Couple only | 5,373 | 7 | 41 | 38 | 14 |
| | Couple children at home | 6,339 | 6 | 41 | 43 | 10 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1,153 | 6 | 42 | 41 | 10 |
| | Group household | 743 | 9 | 42 | 41 | 9 |
| | Other type of household | 771 | 6 | 40 | 45 | 9 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5,025 | 9** | 45** | 34 | 11** |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859 | 7 | 40 | 41 | 12 |
| | High understanding | 3,631 | 2** | 37** | 49 | 12** |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4,050 | 12** | 42 | 35 | 11** |
| | Medium | 7,445 | 6 | 43 | 40 | 11 |
| | High | 6,000 | 3** | 38** | 47 | 12** |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134 | 5 | 40 | 43 | 11 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | 10** | 38 | 37 | 15 |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458 | 7 | 41 | 41 | 11 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken

Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.1.1a: Justification for violence if a man's wife, partner or girlfriend admits to having sex with another man

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|--|--|--------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 91 | 1 | 6 |
| Gender | Male | 7,834 | 90 | 1 | 7 |
| | Female | 9,683 | 92 | 1 | 6 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 247 | 90 | * | 8 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,676 | 91 | 1 | 6 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,515 | 90 | 1 | 7 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,048 | 93** | * | 5 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,223 | 94** | * | 4** |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,295 | 92 | 1 | 5 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,357 | 88** | 1 | 8 |
| | 75 years or more | 1,156 | 81** | 2 | 12** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,973 | 91 | 1 | 6 |
| | Victoria | 3,790 | 89 | 1 | 7 |
| | Queensland | 2,754 | 92 | 1 | 6 |
| | South Australia | 1,683 | 91 | 1 | 6 |
| | Western Australia | 1,926 | 92 | * | 6 |
| | Tasmania | 1,140 | 90 | * | 7 |
| | Northern Territory | 1,066 | 91 | 1 | 4 |
| | ACT | 1,185 | 93 | * | 4 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,042 | 91 | 1 | 6 |
| | Inner regional | 2,582 | 93** | 1 | 5 |
| | Outer regional | 2,173 | 89 | 1 | 7 |
| | Remote | 523 | 92 | * | 6 |
| | Very remote | 141 | 91 | - | 8 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,284 | 87** | 1 | 8** |
| | 2 | 2,286 | 91 | 1 | 6 |
| | 3 | 3,104 | 92 | 1 | 6 |
| | 4 | 3,891 | 91 | 1 | 6 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,692 | 92 | * | 6 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,996 | 93** | * | 5 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,043 | 94** | * | 4** |
| | Other countries | 3,453 | 83** | 1 | 12** |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,521 | 86** | 1 | 9** |
| | Second generation | 3,205 | 93** | 1 | 5 |
| | Third plus generation | 8,791 | 93** | * | 5 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,289 | 83** | 1 | 11** |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 71** | 4** | 20** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,986 | 88** | 1 | 8** |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,464 | 82** | 1 | 13** |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$
 Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.1.1a: Justification for violence if a man's wife, partner or girlfriend admits to having sex with another man (cont.)

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|---|-----------------------------------|--------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 91 | 1 | 6 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | 80** | 1 | 16** |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17176 | 91 | 1 | 6 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6,606 | 92 | 1 | 6 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4,254 | 93** | 1 | 4** |
| | Secondary or below | 6,547 | 89** | 1 | 8** |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10,989 | 93** | * | 5 |
| | Unemployed | 754 | 88** | 1 | 9 |
| | Home duties | 907 | 89 | 1 | 8 |
| | Retired | 3,527 | 86** | 1 | 8** |
| | Student | 755 | 89 | * | 9** |
| | unable to work | 442 | 91 | 1 | 4 |
| Occupation | Manager | 1,648 | 93** | * | 5 |
| | Professional | 3,264 | 95** | * | 3** |
| | Technicians and trade | 1,346 | 91 | 1 | 6 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1,489 | 93** | 1 | 4 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1,300 | 96** | * | 3** |
| | Sales worker | 774 | 93 | * | 5 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | 86** | * | 9 |
| | Labourer | 657 | 87 | * | 10** |
| Other | 51 | 95 | 4 | - | |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 3,058 | 88** | 1 | 8** |
| | Couple only | 5,373 | 91 | 1 | 6 |
| | Couple children at home | 6,339 | 92 | 1 | 6 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1,153 | 93 | * | 5 |
| | Group household | 743 | 91 | 1 | 6 |
| | Other type of household | 771 | 87 | * | 9 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5,025 | 86** | 1 | 10** |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859 | 92 | 1 | 5 |
| | High understanding | 3,631 | 95** | * | 2** |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4,050 | 81** | 1 | 14** |
| | Medium | 7,445 | 93** | 1 | 4** |
| | High | 6,000 | 97** | * | 2** |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134 | 90 | * | 7 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | 84** | 1 | 10** |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458 | 91 | 1 | 6 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Don't know/refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.1.1b: Justification for violence if a man's wife, partner or girlfriend makes him look stupid or insults him in front of his friends

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|--|--|--------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 94 | * | 5 |
| Gender | Male | 7,834 | 94 | * | 5 |
| | Female | 9,683 | 94 | * | 4 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 247 | 93 | - | 5 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,676 | 95 | * | 4 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,515 | 94 | * | 5 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,048 | 96** | * | 3 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,223 | 96** | 1 | 3** |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,295 | 94 | 1 | 4 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,357 | 91** | 1 | 7** |
| | 75 years or more | 1,156 | 88** | 1 | 8** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,973 | 94 | * | 5 |
| | Victoria | 3,790 | 93 | 1 | 5 |
| | Queensland | 2,754 | 95 | * | 4 |
| | South Australia | 1,683 | 94 | * | 4 |
| | Western Australia | 1,926 | 94 | * | 4 |
| | Tasmania | 1,140 | 93 | 1 | 5 |
| | Northern Territory | 1,066 | 91** | * | 6 |
| | ACT | 1,185 | 96** | * | 2** |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,042 | 94 | * | 5 |
| | Inner regional | 2,582 | 96** | * | 3** |
| | Outer regional | 2,173 | 94 | * | 4 |
| | Remote | 523 | 94 | - | 6 |
| | Very remote | 141 | 95 | - | 4 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,284 | 92** | * | 6 |
| | 2 | 2,286 | 93 | * | 5 |
| | 3 | 3,104 | 95 | 1 | 4 |
| | 4 | 3,891 | 94 | * | 4 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,692 | 95 | * | 4 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,996 | 96** | * | 3** |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,043 | 97** | * | 2** |
| | Other countries | 3,453 | 87** | 1 | 10** |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,521 | 90** | 1 | 8** |
| | Second generation | 3,205 | 96** | * | 3** |
| | Third plus generation | 8,791 | 96** | * | 3** |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,289 | 86** | 1 | 11** |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 82** | 4** | 12** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,986 | 91** | 1 | 7** |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,464 | 87** | 1 | 10** |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$
 Don't know/refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.1.1b: Justification for violence if a man's wife, partner or girlfriend makes him look stupid or insults him in front of his friends (cont.)

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|---|-----------------------------------|--------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 94 | * | 5 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | 86** | 1 | 11** |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17,176 | 94 | * | 4 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6,606 | 94 | * | 4 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4,254 | 96** | * | 3** |
| | Secondary or below | 6,547 | 93** | 1 | 5 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10,989 | 96** | * | 3** |
| | Unemployed | 754 | 91 | * | 7 |
| | Home duties | 907 | 92 | 1 | 6 |
| | Retired | 3,527 | 91** | 1 | 6 |
| | Student | 755 | 93 | * | 6 |
| | unable to work | 442 | 91 | 2** | 6 |
| Occupation | Manager | 1,648 | 97** | * | 2** |
| | Professional | 3,264 | 97** | * | 3** |
| | Technicians and trade | 1,346 | 95 | * | 4 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1,489 | 96 | * | 3 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1,300 | 97** | * | 3** |
| | Sales worker | 774 | 97** | - | 3 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | 92 | 1 | 6 |
| | Labourer | 657 | 90** | 1 | 7** |
| Other | 51 | 97 | - | 1 | |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 3,058 | 91** | 1 | 6 |
| | Couple only | 5,373 | 94 | * | 4 |
| | Couple children at home | 6,339 | 95 | * | 4 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1,153 | 95 | * | 3 |
| | Group household | 743 | 94 | * | 4 |
| | Other type of household | 771 | 93 | * | 6 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5,025 | 91** | * | 7** |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859 | 94 | 1 | 4 |
| | High understanding | 3,631 | 97** | * | 2** |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4,050 | 86** | 1 | 11** |
| | Medium | 7,445 | 96** | * | 3** |
| | High | 6,000 | 98** | * | 1** |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134 | 93 | 1 | 6 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | 90** | * | 7** |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458 | 94 | * | 4 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.1.1c: Justification for violence if a man's wife, partner or girlfriend ends or tries to end the relationship

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|--|--|--------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 95 | * | 4 |
| Gender | Male | 7,834 | 95 | * | 4 |
| | Female | 9,683 | 94 | * | 4 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 247 | 93 | * | 6 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,676 | 95 | * | 4 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,515 | 93 | * | 5 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,048 | 96 | * | 3 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,223 | 96 | * | 3 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,295 | 96 | * | 3 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,357 | 93 | * | 5 |
| | 75 years or more | 1,156 | 92** | * | 5 |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,973 | 95 | * | 4 |
| | Victoria | 3,790 | 94 | * | 5 |
| | Queensland | 2,754 | 95 | * | 4 |
| | South Australia | 1,683 | 95 | * | 4 |
| | Western Australia | 1,926 | 95 | - | 4 |
| | Tasmania | 1,140 | 94 | * | 5 |
| | Northern Territory | 1,066 | 93 | - | 5 |
| | ACT | 1,185 | 96 | - | 3 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,042 | 95 | * | 4 |
| | Inner regional | 2,582 | 96 | * | 3 |
| | Outer regional | 2,173 | 94 | * | 5 |
| | Remote | 523 | 94 | * | 5 |
| | Very remote | 141 | 92 | - | 7 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,284 | 93** | * | 5 |
| | 2 | 2,286 | 94 | * | 5 |
| | 3 | 3,104 | 94 | * | 4 |
| | 4 | 3,891 | 95 | * | 4 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,692 | 96 | * | 3 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,996 | 96 | * | 3 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,043 | 98** | - | 2** |
| | Other countries | 3,453 | 89** | 1** | 9** |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,521 | 92** | * | 7** |
| | Second generation | 3,205 | 96 | * | 3 |
| | Third plus generation | 8,791 | 96 | * | 3 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,289 | 88** | * | 10** |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 86** | 2** | 10** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,986 | 94 | * | 5 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,464 | 87** | 1 | 11** |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$
 Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.1.1c: Justification for violence if a man's wife, partner or girlfriend ends or tries to end the relationship (cont.)

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|---|-----------------------------------|--------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 95 | * | 4 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | 84** | 1 | 14** |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17176 | 95 | * | 4 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6,606 | 95 | * | 4 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4,254 | 96 | * | 3 |
| | Secondary or below | 6,547 | 94 | * | 5 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10,989 | 96** | * | 3 |
| | Unemployed | 754 | 92** | * | 7** |
| | Home duties | 907 | 94 | * | 5 |
| | Retired | 3,527 | 93** | * | 5 |
| | Student | 755 | 94 | * | 6 |
| | unable to work | 442 | 92 | 1 | 6 |
| Occupation | Manager | 1,648 | 97** | * | 2** |
| | Professional | 3,264 | 97** | * | 2** |
| | Technicians and trade | 1,346 | 96 | - | 4 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1,489 | 95 | * | 4 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1,300 | 97** | * | 3 |
| | Sales worker | 774 | 96 | * | 3 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | 92 | * | 6 |
| | Labourer | 657 | 92** | * | 7** |
| Family Composition Household | Other | 51 | 97 | * | 1 |
| | Lone person household | 3,058 | 93** | * | 6** |
| | Couple only | 5,373 | 95 | * | 4 |
| | Couple children at home | 6,339 | 95 | * | 4 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1,153 | 94 | * | 5 |
| | Group household | 743 | 95 | * | 4 |
| Understands VAW | Other type of household | 771 | 94 | * | 5 |
| | Low understanding | 5,025 | 92** | * | 7** |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859 | 95 | * | 4 |
| Gender Equality Support | High understanding | 3,631 | 98** | - | 2** |
| | Low | 4,050 | 88** | 1 | 10** |
| | Medium | 7,445 | 96** | * | 3 |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | High | 6,000 | 98** | * | 1** |
| | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134 | 93 | 1 | 5 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | 93 | * | 5 |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458 | 95 | * | 4 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Don't know/refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.1.2a: A man would be justified in using violence against his ex-partner in order to get access to his children

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|--|--|--------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 93 | * | 4 |
| Gender | Male | 7,834 | 92 | 1 | 5 |
| | Female | 9,683 | 95** | * | 4 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 247 | 90 | 1 | 9** |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,676 | 92 | * | 6 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,515 | 92** | 1 | 6 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,048 | 96** | * | 3 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,223 | 95** | * | 3 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,295 | 94 | * | 3 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,357 | 93 | * | 4 |
| | 75 years or more | 1,156 | 90** | * | 5 |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,973 | 93 | * | 5 |
| | Victoria | 3,790 | 93 | 1 | 5 |
| | Queensland | 2,754 | 94 | * | 4 |
| | South Australia | 1,683 | 93 | * | 4 |
| | Western Australia | 1,926 | 93 | * | 4 |
| | Tasmania | 1,140 | 95 | * | 3 |
| | Northern Territory | 1,066 | 91** | 1 | 6 |
| | ACT | 1,185 | 96** | 1 | 3 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,042 | 93 | * | 4 |
| | Inner regional | 2,582 | 94 | * | 4 |
| | Outer regional | 2,173 | 93 | * | 4 |
| | Remote | 523 | 89** | 1 | 7 |
| | Very remote | 141 | 95 | - | 4 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,284 | 91** | 1 | 5 |
| | 2 | 2,286 | 93 | * | 5 |
| | 3 | 3,104 | 93 | 1 | 5 |
| | 4 | 3,891 | 93 | * | 4 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,692 | 95** | * | 3 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,996 | 95** | * | 3 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,043 | 96** | * | 2** |
| | Other countries | 3,453 | 88** | 1 | 8** |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,521 | 91** | * | 7** |
| | Second generation | 3,205 | 94 | 1 | 4 |
| | Third plus generation | 8,791 | 95** | * | 3 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,289 | 97** | * | 9** |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 83** | 1 | 11** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,986 | 92** | * | 5** |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,464 | 87** | * | 9** |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$
 Don't know/refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.1.2a: A man would be justified in using violence against his ex-partner in order to get access to his children (cont.)

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|---|-----------------------------------|--------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 93 | * | 4 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | 82** | 2 | 15** |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17176 | 94 | * | 4 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6,606 | 95** | * | 4 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4,254 | 95** | 1 | 3 |
| | Secondary or below | 6,547 | 92 | * | 5 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10,989 | 94 | * | 4 |
| | Unemployed | 754 | 92 | * | 6 |
| | Home duties | 907 | 92 | 1 | 6 |
| | Retired | 3,527 | 92 | * | 5 |
| | Student | 755 | 92 | * | 7** |
| | unable to work | 442 | 90 | 1 | 6 |
| Occupation | Manager | 1,648 | 96** | * | 3 |
| | Professional | 3,264 | 96** | * | 3 |
| | Technicians and trade | 1,346 | 93 | 1 | 5 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1,489 | 95 | * | 4 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1,300 | 96** | * | 3 |
| | Sales worker | 774 | 95 | 1 | 3 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | 89** | 1 | 7 |
| | Labourer | 657 | 90** | 1 | 6 |
| Other | 51 | 96 | - | 2 | |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 3,058 | 92** | * | 5 |
| | Couple only | 5,373 | 94 | * | 4 |
| | Couple children at home | 6,339 | 94 | * | 4 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1,153 | 94 | 1 | 4 |
| | Group household | 743 | 93 | * | 6 |
| | Other type of household | 771 | 92 | * | 7** |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5,025 | 90** | 1 | 7** |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859 | 94 | * | 4 |
| | High understanding | 3,631 | 97** | * | 2** |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4,050 | 86** | 1 | 10** |
| | Medium | 7,445 | 95** | * | 3 |
| | High | 6,000 | 98** | * | 1** |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134 | 92 | * | 6 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | 92 | 1 | 4 |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458 | 94 | * | 4 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.1.2b: A man would be justified in using violence against his ex-partner if he thinks she is unreasonable about property settlement and financial issues

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|--|--|--------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 93 | * | 4 |
| Gender | Male | 7,834 | 93 | * | 5 |
| | Female | 9,683 | 94 | * | 4 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 247 | 90 | - | 7 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,676 | 93 | * | 5 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,515 | 93 | * | 6** |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,048 | 95** | * | 3 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,223 | 95** | * | 3 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,295 | 94 | * | 3 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,357 | 91** | * | 5 |
| | 75 years or more | 1,156 | 87** | 1 | 6 |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,973 | 93 | * | 4 |
| | Victoria | 3,790 | 93 | * | 5 |
| | Queensland | 2,754 | 94 | * | 4 |
| | South Australia | 1,683 | 92 | * | 4 |
| | Western Australia | 1,926 | 93 | * | 5 |
| | Tasmania | 1,140 | 94 | * | 4 |
| | Northern Territory | 1,066 | 92 | * | 5 |
| | ACT | 1,185 | 96** | * | 2** |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,042 | 93 | * | 4 |
| | Inner regional | 2,582 | 94 | 1 | 4 |
| | Outer regional | 2,173 | 93 | * | 5 |
| | Remote | 523 | 92 | 1 | 5 |
| | Very remote | 141 | 92 | - | 6 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,284 | 91** | 1 | 5 |
| | 2 | 2,286 | 92 | * | 5 |
| | 3 | 3,104 | 94 | * | 4 |
| | 4 | 3,891 | 94 | * | 4 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,692 | 95** | * | 3 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,996 | 95** | * | 3 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,043 | 96** | * | 2** |
| | Other countries | 3,453 | 87** | 1 | 9** |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,521 | 90** | * | 7** |
| | Second generation | 3,205 | 95** | * | 3 |
| | Third plus generation | 8,791 | 95** | * | 3 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,289 | 86** | * | 11** |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 84** | 2** | 10** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,986 | 91** | 1 | 6** |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,464 | 87** | * | 11** |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.1.2b: A man would be justified in using violence against his ex-partner if he thinks she is unreasonable about property settlement and financial issues (cont.)

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|---|-----------------------------------|-------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 17517 | 93 | * | 4 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | 82** | 1 | 14** |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17176 | 94 | * | 4 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6606 | 95** | * | 4 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4254 | 95** | * | 3 |
| | Secondary or below | 6547 | 92 | * | 5 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10989 | 95** | * | 4 |
| | Unemployed | 754 | 89** | * | 7** |
| | Home duties | 907 | 92 | * | 5 |
| | Retired | 3527 | 90** | 1 | 5 |
| | Student | 755 | 92 | - | 7 |
| | unable to work | 442 | 92 | 1 | 3 |
| Occupation | Manager | 1648 | 96** | * | 2** |
| | Professional | 3264 | 96** | * | 3 |
| | Technicians and trade | 1346 | 94 | * | 5 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1489 | 95 | * | 4 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1300 | 97** | * | 2** |
| | Sales worker | 774 | 96 | - | 3 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | 89** | - | 8** |
| | Labourer | 657 | 91 | * | 7 |
| Other | 51 | 99 | - | - | |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 3058 | 91** | 1 | 6 |
| | Couple only | 5373 | 94 | 1 | 4 |
| | Couple children at home | 6339 | 94 | * | 4 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1153 | 94 | * | 4 |
| | Group household | 743 | 93 | * | 6 |
| | Other type of household | 771 | 93 | * | 6 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5025 | 90** | 1 | 7** |
| | Moderate understanding | 8859 | 94 | * | 4 |
| | High understanding | 3631 | 97** | * | 2** |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4050 | 86** | 1 | 10 |
| | Medium | 7445 | 95** | * | 3 |
| | High | 6000 | 98** | * | 1** |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1134 | 91 | 1 | 6** |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | 90** | * | 5 |
| | Does not have a disability | 15458 | 94 | * | 4 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.2.1a: Domestic violence can be excused if it results from people getting so angry that they temporarily lose control

| | | Base | Nett Disagree | Neither | Nett Agree |
|--|--|-------|---------------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,802 | 76 | 1 | 22 |
| Gender | Male | 3,955 | 75 | 1 | 23 |
| | Female | 4,847 | 77 | 1 | 21 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 133 | 73 | 1 | 25 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 858 | 76 | * | 23 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 1,280 | 76 | 1 | 22 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 1,529 | 80** | 1 | 18** |
| | 45 to 54 years | 1,610 | 82** | * | 16** |
| | 55 to 64 years | 1,650 | 78 | 1 | 19 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 1,181 | 68** | 2 | 28** |
| | 75 years or more | 561 | 61** | * | 35** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 1,996 | 76 | 1 | 22 |
| | Victoria | 1,867 | 74 | 1 | 23 |
| | Queensland | 1,407 | 79 | 1 | 19 |
| | South Australia | 831 | 76 | 1 | 22 |
| | Western Australia | 960 | 75 | 1 | 23 |
| | Tasmania | 571 | 75 | 1 | 22 |
| | Northern Territory | 543 | 77 | - | 22 |
| | ACT | 627 | 81 | * | 18 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 6,107 | 76 | 1 | 22 |
| | Inner regional | 1,281 | 80 | 1 | 18 |
| | Outer regional | 1,061 | 74 | 1 | 23 |
| | Remote | 261 | 77 | 1 | 21 |
| | Very remote | 64 | 77 | - | 23 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 1,149 | 72 | 1 | 25 |
| | 2 | 1,131 | 74 | * | 23 |
| | 3 | 1,515 | 78 | 1 | 20 |
| | 4 | 1,943 | 78 | 1 | 20 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 2,934 | 78 | 1 | 20 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 5,989 | 82** | * | 17** |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 1,058 | 80 | 1 | 18 |
| | Other countries | 1,741 | 59** | 2 | 37** |
| Migration Status | First generation | 2,813 | 66** | 1 | 31** |
| | Second generation | 1,582 | 81** | 1 | 17** |
| | Third plus generation | 4,407 | 82** | * | 17** |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 1,134 | 60** | 1 | 37** |
| | Does not speak English well | 229 | 39** | 7** | 48** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 2,017 | 70** | 1 | 27** |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 762 | 56** | 2 | 41** |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.2.1a: Domestic violence can be excused if it results from people getting so angry that they temporarily lose control (cont.)

| | | Base | Nett Disagree | Neither | Nett Agree |
|---|-----------------------------------|-------|---------------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,802 | 76 | 1 | 22 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 171 | 61** | - | 37** |
| | Non-Indigenous | 8,631 | 77 | 1 | 21 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 3,347 | 79** | 1 | 19 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 2,191 | 81** | * | 18** |
| | Secondary or below | 3,201 | 72** | 1 | 25** |
| Employment Status | Employed | 5,568 | 80** | 1 | 18** |
| | Unemployed | 366 | 72 | 1 | 26 |
| | Home duties | 461 | 72 | 2 | 24 |
| | Retired | 1,754 | 67** | 1 | 30** |
| | Student | 373 | 72 | * | 27 |
| | unable to work | 218 | 77 | * | 21 |
| Occupation | Manager | 827 | 85** | * | 14 |
| | Professional | 1,652 | 85** | * | 15 |
| | Technicians and trade | 699 | 78 | * | 20 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 763 | 79 | 1 | 19 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 647 | 84** | * | 16** |
| | Sales worker | 405 | 76 | 1 | 21 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 189 | 72 | 1 | 25 |
| | Labourer | 317 | 69 | * | 26 |
| | Other | 28 | 76 | - | 24 |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 1,552 | 73 | 1 | 24 |
| | Couple only | 2,674 | 75 | 1 | 23 |
| | Couple children at home | 3,177 | 78 | 1 | 20 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 610 | 77 | 1 | 20 |
| | Group household | 370 | 74 | 1 | 24 |
| | Other type of household | 375 | 74 | * | 24 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 2,475 | 68** | 1 | 30** |
| | Moderate understanding | 4,475 | 77 | 1 | 21** |
| | High understanding | 1,851 | 87** | * | 11** |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 1,992 | 59** | 1 | 37** |
| | Medium | 3,752 | 78 | 1 | 20** |
| | High | 3,051 | 87** | * | 12** |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 547 | 77 | 1 | 21 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 387 | 57** | 2 | 37** |
| | Does not have a disability | 7,825 | 77 | 1 | 21 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken

Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.2.1b: Domestic violence can be excused if, afterwards, the violent person genuinely regrets what they have done

| | | Base | Nett Disagree | Neither | Nett Agree |
|--|--|-------|---------------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,715 | 74 | 1 | 21 |
| Gender | Male | 3,879 | 69** | 2 | 26** |
| | Female | 4,836 | 79** | 1 | 17** |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 114 | 68 | 1 | 30 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 818 | 71 | 2 | 26** |
| | 25 to 34 years | 1,235 | 73 | 1 | 23 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 1,519 | 78** | 2 | 18 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 1,613 | 80** | 2 | 16** |
| | 55 to 64 years | 1,645 | 78** | 1 | 17** |
| | 65 to 74 years | 1,176 | 72 | 2 | 22 |
| | 75 years or more | 595 | 55** | 1 | 36** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 1,977 | 72 | 1 | 24 |
| | Victoria | 1,923 | 74 | 1 | 22 |
| | Queensland | 1,347 | 78** | 2 | 18** |
| | South Australia | 852 | 72 | 1 | 21 |
| | Western Australia | 966 | 73 | 2 | 21 |
| | Tasmania | 569 | 75 | 1 | 20 |
| | Northern Territory | 523 | 78 | 2 | 16** |
| | ACT | 558 | 76 | 2 | 18 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 5,935 | 72 | 1 | 23 |
| | Inner regional | 1,301 | 78** | 2 | 17** |
| | Outer regional | 1,112 | 79** | 1 | 16** |
| | Remote | 262 | 82 | 3 | 13 |
| | Very remote | 77 | 79 | 6 | 13 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 1,135 | 70 | 1 | 25 |
| | 2 | 1,155 | 74 | 2 | 21 |
| | 3 | 1,589 | 75 | 2 | 20 |
| | 4 | 1,948 | 76 | 1 | 20 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 2,758 | 73 | 1 | 22 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 6,007 | 80** | 1 | 16** |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 985 | 81** | 2 | 14** |
| | Other countries | 1,712 | 54** | 2 | 40** |
| Migration Status | First generation | 2,708 | 62** | 2 | 32** |
| | Second generation | 1,623 | 78** | 2 | 18** |
| | Third plus generation | 4,384 | 81** | 1 | 15** |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 1,155 | 53** | 1 | 43** |
| | Does not speak English well | 208 | 41** | 4** | 49** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 1,969 | 65** | 1 | 29** |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 702 | 55** | 2 | 40** |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.2.1b: Domestic violence can be excused if, afterwards, the violent person genuinely regrets what they have done (cont.)

| | | Base | Nett Disagree | Neither | Nett Agree |
|---|-----------------------------------|-------|---------------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,715 | 74 | 1 | 21 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 170 | 73 | 1 | 25 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 8,545 | 74 | 1 | 21 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 3,259 | 74 | 1 | 22 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 2,063 | 77** | 2 | 18** |
| | Secondary or below | 3,346 | 72 | 1 | 23 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 5,421 | 77** | 1 | 19** |
| | Unemployed | 388 | 66** | 1 | 29** |
| | Home duties | 446 | 73 | 1 | 23 |
| | Retired | 1,773 | 67** | 1 | 27 |
| | Student | 382 | 69 | 2 | 27** |
| | unable to work | 224 | 76 | 4 | 17 |
| Occupation | Manager | 821 | 82** | 1 | 13** |
| | Professional | 1,612 | 80** | 1 | 16** |
| | Technicians and trade | 647 | 70 | 2 | 24 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 726 | 78 | 1 | 18 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 653 | 83** | 1 | 15** |
| | Sales worker | 369 | 79 | 1 | 18 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 193 | 70 | 1 | 25 |
| | Labourer | 340 | 72 | 2 | 25 |
| | Other | 23 | 77 | 8 | 14 |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 1,506 | 70** | 1 | 24 |
| | Couple only | 2,699 | 74 | 1 | 21 |
| | Couple children at home | 3,162 | 76 | 1 | 20 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 543 | 79 | 2 | 17 |
| | Group household | 373 | 71 | 2 | 25 |
| | Other type of household | 396 | 69 | 3 | 24 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 2,550 | 62** | 2 | 32** |
| | Moderate understanding | 4,384 | 76 | 1 | 20 |
| | High understanding | 1,780 | 88** | 1 | 9** |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 2,058 | 55** | 2 | 39** |
| | Medium | 3,693 | 76 | 1 | 19 |
| | High | 2,949 | 88** | 1 | 9** |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 587 | 79 | 2 | 17 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 446 | 62** | 1 | 32** |
| | Does not have a disability | 7,633 | 74 | 1 | 21 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken

Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.2.1c: Domestic violence can be excused if the violent person was themselves abused as a child

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|--|--|-------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,715 | 85 | 1 | 12 |
| Gender | Male | 3,879 | 84 | 1 | 12 |
| | Female | 4,836 | 86 | 1 | 12 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 114 | 81 | 1 | 17 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 818 | 84 | 1 | 13 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 1,235 | 86 | * | 12 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 1,519 | 89 | 1 | 8** |
| | 45 to 54 years | 1,613 | 89** | 1 | 8** |
| | 55 to 64 years | 1,645 | 86 | * | 10 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 1,176 | 82 | 1 | 14 |
| | 75 years or more | 595 | 71** | * | 23** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 1,977 | 84 | 1 | 12 |
| | Victoria | 1,923 | 85 | * | 12 |
| | Queensland | 1,347 | 88 | 1 | 10 |
| | South Australia | 852 | 83 | * | 12 |
| | Western Australia | 966 | 85 | 1 | 12 |
| | Tasmania | 569 | 83 | * | 14 |
| | Northern Territory | 523 | 86 | * | 10 |
| | ACT | 558 | 89 | 1 | 7** |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 5,935 | 84 | 1 | 13 |
| | Inner regional | 1,301 | 87 | 1 | 10 |
| | Outer regional | 1,112 | 89 | 1 | 9 |
| | Remote | 262 | 87 | * | 10 |
| | Very remote | 77 | 87 | - | 11 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 1,135 | 82 | * | 14 |
| | 2 | 1,155 | 86 | * | 11 |
| | 3 | 1,589 | 85 | 1 | 11 |
| | 4 | 1,948 | 84 | 1 | 13 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 2,758 | 87 | * | 10 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 6,007 | 89** | 1 | 9** |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 985 | 90** | 1 | 8** |
| | Other countries | 1,712 | 73** | 1 | 21** |
| Migration Status | First generation | 2,708 | 78** | 1 | 17** |
| | Second generation | 1,623 | 87 | 1 | 10 |
| | Third plus generation | 4,384 | 89** | * | 8** |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 1,155 | 72** | 1 | 22** |
| | Does not speak English well | 208 | 58** | 2 | 32** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 1,969 | 79** | 1 | 16** |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 702 | 74** | 1 | 21** |

** Result is statistically significant, p ≤ .01
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.2.1c: Domestic violence can be excused if the violent person was themselves abused as a child (cont.)

| | | Base | Nett Disagree | Neither | Nett Agree |
|---|-----------------------------------|-------|---------------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,715 | 85 | 1 | 12 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 170 | 80 | 1 | 16 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 8,545 | 85 | 1 | 12 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 3,259 | 87** | 1 | 10 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 2,063 | 88** | 1 | 8** |
| | Secondary or below | 3,346 | 82** | * | 15** |
| Employment Status | Employed | 5,421 | 88 | 1 | 9** |
| | Unemployed | 388 | 80 | 1 | 16 |
| | Home duties | 446 | 81 | 1 | 15 |
| | Retired | 1,773 | 79 | * | 16** |
| | Student | 382 | 81** | 1 | 17 |
| | unable to work | 224 | 85 | 1 | 13 |
| Occupation | Manager | 821 | 91** | * | 7** |
| | Professional | 1,612 | 91** | 1 | 7** |
| | Technicians and trade | 647 | 87 | 1 | 9 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 726 | 88 | 1 | 9 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 653 | 90** | * | 9 |
| | Sales worker | 369 | 90 | * | 9 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 193 | 83 | 1 | 13 |
| | Labourer | 340 | 79** | * | 19** |
| | Other | 23 | 88 | 8** | 3 |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 1,506 | 80** | * | 16 |
| | Couple only | 2,699 | 86 | * | 11 |
| | Couple children at home | 3,162 | 87 | 1 | 10 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 543 | 89 | 1 | 9 |
| | Group household | 373 | 83 | 1 | 14 |
| | Other type of household | 396 | 82 | * | 14** |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 2,550 | 78** | 1 | 17** |
| | Moderate understanding | 4,384 | 86 | 1 | 11 |
| | High understanding | 1,780 | 93** | * | 5** |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 2,058 | 73** | 1 | 22** |
| | Medium | 3,693 | 86 | 1 | 10 |
| | High | 2,949 | 94** | * | 4 |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 587 | 83 | 1 | 14 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 446 | 72** | * | 22** |
| | Does not have a disability | 7,633 | 86 | 1 | 11 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken

Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.2.1d: Domestic violence can be excused if the violent person is under a lot of stress in their lives

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|--|--|-------|------------|---------|------------|
| | | n | Disagree % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,715 | 86 | 1 | 12 |
| Gender | Male | 3,879 | 84 | 1 | 14 |
| | Female | 4,836 | 87 | * | 11 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 114 | 87 | - | 12 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 818 | 88 | * | 11 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 1,235 | 87 | * | 11 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 1,519 | 90** | * | 9** |
| | 45 to 54 years | 1,613 | 90** | 1 | 8** |
| | 55 to 64 years | 1,645 | 86 | 1 | 12 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 1,176 | 80** | 1 | 17 |
| | 75 years or more | 595 | 68** | 2 | 27 |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 1,977 | 86 | 1 | 12 |
| | Victoria | 1,923 | 85 | * | 13 |
| | Queensland | 1,347 | 88 | 1 | 11 |
| | South Australia | 852 | 84 | 1 | 13 |
| | Western Australia | 966 | 85 | 1 | 12 |
| | Tasmania | 569 | 82 | 1 | 16 |
| | Northern Territory | 523 | 88 | * | 9 |
| | ACT | 558 | 92** | * | 7** |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 5,935 | 85 | 1 | 13 |
| | Inner regional | 1,301 | 88 | 1 | 10 |
| | Outer regional | 1,112 | 88 | 1 | 10 |
| | Remote | 262 | 83 | 1 | 15 |
| | Very remote | 77 | 81 | * | 16 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 1,135 | 82** | 1 | 16** |
| | 2 | 1,155 | 86 | 1 | 12 |
| | 3 | 1,589 | 86 | 1 | 12 |
| | 4 | 1,948 | 85 | 1 | 13 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 2,758 | 88 | 1 | 11 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 6,007 | 90** | * | 9** |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 985 | 91** | 1 | 8** |
| | Other countries | 1,712 | 73** | 1 | 24** |
| Migration Status | First generation | 2,708 | 78** | 1 | 19** |
| | Second generation | 1,623 | 90** | 1 | 9** |
| | Third plus generation | 4,384 | 90** | * | 9** |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 1,155 | 72** | 1 | 25** |
| | Does not speak English well | 208 | 56** | 4** | 34** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 1,969 | 79** | 1 | 18** |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 702 | 77** | * | 22** |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.2.1d: Domestic violence can be excused if the violent person is under a lot of stress in their lives (cont.)

| | | Base | Nett Disagree | Neither | Nett Agree |
|---|-----------------------------------|-------|---------------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,715 | 86 | 1 | 12 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 170 | 74** | - | 23** |
| | Non-Indigenous | 8,545 | 86 | 1 | 12 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 3,259 | 88** | * | 11 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 2,063 | 89** | 1 | 9** |
| | Secondary or below | 3,346 | 83** | 1 | 15** |
| Employment Status | Employed | 5,421 | 90 | * | 9** |
| | Unemployed | 388 | 84 | - | 13 |
| | Home duties | 446 | 82 | 1 | 15 |
| | Retired | 1,773 | 76** | 1 | 20 |
| | Student | 382 | 83 | 1 | 15 |
| | unable to work | 224 | 84** | 2 | 13 |
| Occupation | Manager | 821 | 91** | * | 8** |
| | Professional | 1,612 | 92** | * | 7** |
| | Technicians and trade | 647 | 88 | 1 | 10 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 726 | 90 | * | 9 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 653 | 93** | - | 7** |
| | Sales worker | 369 | 91** | - | 8 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 193 | 84 | 1 | 15 |
| | Labourer | 340 | 82 | 1 | 16 |
| | Other | 23 | 81 | 8 | 10 |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 1,506 | 80** | 1 | 17** |
| | Couple only | 2,699 | 86 | 1 | 12 |
| | Couple children at home | 3,162 | 88** | 1 | 10 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 543 | 87 | 1 | 12 |
| | Group household | 373 | 84 | 1 | 14 |
| | Other type of household | 396 | 84 | * | 15 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 2,550 | 79** | 1 | 19** |
| | Moderate understanding | 4,384 | 87 | 1 | 11 |
| | High understanding | 1,780 | 95** | * | 4** |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 2,058 | 71** | 1 | 26** |
| | Medium | 3,693 | 88** | 1 | 10** |
| | High | 2,949 | 95** | * | 4** |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 587 | 83 | 1 | 15** |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 446 | 73 | 2 | 23** |
| | Does not have a disability | 7,633 | 87 | 1 | 11** |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken

Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.2.1e: Domestic violence can be excused if the offender is heavily affected by alcohol

| | | Base n | Nett Disagree % | Neither % | Nett Agree % |
|--|--|-----------|-----------------------|--------------|-----------------|
| Total Sample | | 8,802 | 90 | * | 9 |
| Gender | Male | 3,955 | 90 | * | 9 |
| | Female | 4,847 | 91 | * | 8 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 133 | 90 | * | 10 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 858 | 90 | * | 10 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 1,280 | 89 | * | 10 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 1,529 | 92 | * | 7 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 1,610 | 92 | * | 7 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 1,650 | 93 | * | 7 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 1,181 | 90 | * | 9 |
| | 75 years or more | 561 | 84** | * | 14** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 1,996 | 91 | * | 8 |
| | Victoria | 1,867 | 88** | * | 11 |
| | Queensland | 1,407 | 92 | * | 7 |
| | South Australia | 831 | 90 | * | 9 |
| | Western Australia | 960 | 90 | * | 9 |
| | Tasmania | 571 | 90 | * | 10 |
| | Northern Territory | 543 | 89 | 1 | 10 |
| | ACT | 627 | 93 | * | 6 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 6,107 | 90 | * | 9 |
| | Inner regional | 1,281 | 93 | * | 7 |
| | Outer regional | 1,061 | 90 | * | 9 |
| | Remote | 261 | 95 | * | 5 |
| | Very remote | 64 | 88 | * | 12 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 1,149 | 87** | * | 11 |
| | 2 | 1,131 | 89 | * | 10 |
| | 3 | 1,515 | 91 | * | 8 |
| | 4 | 1,943 | 91 | * | 7 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 2,934 | 92 | * | 8 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 5,989 | 94** | * | 6** |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 1,058 | 93 | 1 | 6 |
| | Other countries | 1,741 | 79** | * | 19** |
| Migration Status | First generation | 2,813 | 84** | * | 15** |
| | Second generation | 1,582 | 93** | * | 6** |
| | Third plus generation | 4,407 | 94** | 1 | 5** |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 1,134 | 80** | * | 19** |
| | Does not speak English well | 229 | 67** | 4** | 27** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 2,017 | 87** | * | 12** |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 762 | 76** | 1 | 22** |

** Result is statistically significant, p ≤ .01
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.2.1e: Domestic violence can be excused if the offender is heavily affected by alcohol (cont.)

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|---|-----------------------------------|-------|------------|---------|------------|
| | | n | Disagree % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,802 | 90 | * | 9 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 171 | 77** | - | 21** |
| | Non-Indigenous | 8,631 | 91 | 1 | 8 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 3,347 | 91 | * | 8 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 2,191 | 93** | * | 6** |
| | Secondary or below | 3,201 | 88** | * | 11** |
| Employment Status | Employed | 5,568 | 92** | * | 7** |
| | Unemployed | 366 | 87 | - | 12 |
| | Home duties | 461 | 88 | 1 | 10 |
| | Retired | 1,754 | 87** | * | 11** |
| | Student | 373 | 88 | * | 12 |
| | unable to work | 218 | 88 | - | 11 |
| Occupation | Manager | 827 | 96** | - | 4** |
| | Professional | 1,652 | 93** | * | 6** |
| | Technicians and trade | 699 | 90 | * | 9 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 763 | 90 | * | 9 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 647 | 97** | - | 3** |
| | Sales worker | 405 | 95** | - | 5 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 189 | 84** | * | 15** |
| | Labourer | 317 | 86 | 1 | 12 |
| Other | 28 | 83 | - | 17 | |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 1,552 | 87** | * | 11** |
| | Couple only | 2,674 | 92 | * | 8 |
| | Couple children at home | 3,177 | 91 | * | 8 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 610 | 91 | * | 8 |
| | Group household | 370 | 87 | 1 | 11 |
| | Other type of household | 375 | 89 | - | 10 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 2,475 | 85** | 1 | 13** |
| | Moderate understanding | 4,475 | 91 | * | 8 |
| | High understanding | 1,851 | 96** | * | 4** |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 1,992 | 80** | 1 | 18** |
| | Medium | 3,752 | 92 | * | 7 |
| | High | 3,051 | 97** | * | 3** |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 547 | 92 | - | 8 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 387 | 84** | * | 14** |
| | Does not have a disability | 7,825 | 91 | * | 8 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$

Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.2.2a: Rape results from men not being able to control their need for sex

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|--|--|-------|------------|---------|------------|
| | | n | Disagree % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,786 | 49 | 1 | 43 |
| Gender | Male | 3,984 | 47 | 1 | 44 |
| | Female | 4,802 | 51 | 1 | 41 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 126 | 58 | 1 | 37 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 859 | 55** | 1 | 40 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 1,240 | 55** | 1 | 37** |
| | 35 to 44 years | 1,513 | 53 | 1 | 40 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 1,635 | 50 | 1 | 42 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 1,645 | 46 | 1 | 45 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 1,189 | 39** | 1 | 51** |
| | 75 years or more | 579 | 33** | 1 | 52** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 1,955 | 50 | 1 | 42 |
| | Victoria | 1,875 | 49 | 1 | 43 |
| | Queensland | 1,392 | 48 | 1 | 42 |
| | South Australia | 832 | 44** | 1 | 48** |
| | Western Australia | 980 | 50 | 1 | 43 |
| | Tasmania | 564 | 51 | * | 42 |
| | Northern Territory | 541 | 48 | * | 41 |
| | ACT | 647 | 55** | 1 | 37 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 6,065 | 49 | 1 | 43 |
| | Inner regional | 1,286 | 50 | 1 | 42 |
| | Outer regional | 1,071 | 49 | 1 | 41 |
| | Remote | 270 | 48 | * | 45 |
| | Very remote | 66 | 51 | 1 | 47 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 1,143 | 47 | 1 | 43 |
| | 2 | 1,110 | 51 | 1 | 42 |
| | 3 | 1,554 | 49 | 1 | 43 |
| | 4 | 1,924 | 48 | 1 | 42 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 2,930 | 50 | 1 | 42 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 6,007 | 50 | 1 | 42 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 1,063 | 54 | * | 40 |
| | Other countries | 1,700 | 45** | 1 | 45 |
| Migration Status | First generation | 2,779 | 48 | 1 | 43 |
| | Second generation | 1,591 | 53 | 1 | 40 |
| | Third plus generation | 4,416 | 49 | 1 | 43 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 1,118 | 44** | 1 | 46 |
| | Does not speak English well | 218 | 46 | 4** | 41 |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 2,007 | 48 | 1 | 42 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 735 | 46 | 1 | 46 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.2.2a: Rape results from men not being able to control their need for sex (cont.)

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|---|-----------------------------------|-------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,786 | 49 | 1 | 43 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 166 | 46 | 2 | 49 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 8,620 | 49 | 1 | 43 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 3,328 | 55** | 1 | 38** |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 2,168 | 48 | 1 | 42 |
| | Secondary or below | 3,234 | 47 | 1 | 45 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 5,519 | 52** | 1 | 41 |
| | Unemployed | 339 | 49 | * | 42 |
| | Home duties | 475 | 48 | 2 | 42 |
| | Retired | 1,791 | 76** | 1 | 15** |
| | Student | 367 | 87 | * | 11 |
| | unable to work | 224 | 37** | 2 | 49 |
| Occupation | Manager | 843 | 51 | 1 | 41 |
| | Professional | 1,606 | 54** | 1 | 39 |
| | Technicians and trade | 703 | 50 | * | 41 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 754 | 55** | 1 | 38 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 644 | 53 | 1 | 40 |
| | Sales worker | 393 | 56 | 1 | 38 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 187 | 46 | - | 45 |
| | Labourer | 324 | 48 | * | 45 |
| | Other | 27 | 55 | - | 39 |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 1,556 | 44** | 1 | 45 |
| | Couple only | 2,706 | 47 | 1 | 44 |
| | Couple children at home | 3,157 | 52 | 1 | 41 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 594 | 49 | 1 | 43 |
| | Group household | 363 | 53 | 1 | 38 |
| | Other type of household | 371 | 52 | 2 | 41 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 2,485 | 46 | 1 | 45 |
| | Moderate understanding | 4,535 | 49 | 1 | 43 |
| | High understanding | 1,765 | 53** | 1 | 38** |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 2,007 | 39** | 1 | 51** |
| | Medium | 3,715 | 50 | 1 | 42 |
| | High | 3,054 | 56** | 1 | 36** |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 567 | 47 | * | 43 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 428 | 37** | 1 | 52** |
| | Does not have a disability | 7,739 | 50 | 1 | 42 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$

Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.2.2b: A man is less responsible for rape if he is drunk or affected by drugs at the time

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|--|--|-------|------------|---------|------------|
| | | n | Disagree % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,786 | 90 | * | 9 |
| Gender | Male | 3,984 | 90 | * | 8 |
| | Female | 4,802 | 89 | * | 9 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 126 | 85 | - | 14 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 859 | 89 | * | 10 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 1,240 | 89 | * | 9 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 1,513 | 93** | - | 6** |
| | 45 to 54 years | 1,635 | 93** | * | 6** |
| | 55 to 64 years | 1,645 | 90 | * | 9 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 1,189 | 87** | * | 11 |
| | 75 years or more | 579 | 82** | 1 | 14** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 1,955 | 88 | * | 10 |
| | Victoria | 1,875 | 89 | * | 9 |
| | Queensland | 1,392 | 91 | * | 7 |
| | South Australia | 832 | 91 | * | 7 |
| | Western Australia | 980 | 90 | * | 9 |
| | Tasmania | 564 | 89 | * | 9 |
| | Northern Territory | 541 | 90 | - | 7 |
| | ACT | 647 | 90 | * | 8 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 6,065 | 89 | * | 10 |
| | Inner regional | 1,286 | 94** | * | 5** |
| | Outer regional | 1,071 | 90 | * | 8 |
| | Remote | 270 | 88 | - | 11 |
| | Very remote | 66 | 88 | - | 11 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 1,143 | 87 | * | 11 |
| | 2 | 1,110 | 89 | * | 9 |
| | 3 | 1,554 | 90 | * | 9 |
| | 4 | 1,924 | 91 | * | 7 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 2,930 | 90 | * | 8 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 6,007 | 92** | * | 6** |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 1,063 | 95** | * | 4** |
| | Other countries | 1,700 | 79** | 1 | 18** |
| Migration Status | First generation | 2,779 | 84** | * | 13** |
| | Second generation | 1,591 | 92 | 1 | 7 |
| | Third plus generation | 4,416 | 93** | * | 6** |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 1,118 | 79** | 1 | 18** |
| | Does not speak English well | 218 | 70** | 1 | 25** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 2,007 | 86** | * | 11 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 735 | 78** | * | 19** |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.2.2b: A man is less responsible for rape if he is drunk or affected by drugs at the time (cont.)

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|---|-----------------------------------|-------|------------|---------|------------|
| | | n | Disagree % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,786 | 90 | * | 9 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 166 | 81** | - | 16 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 8,620 | 90 | * | 9 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 3,328 | 91 | * | 8 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 2,168 | 92** | * | 7** |
| | Secondary or below | 3,234 | 88** | * | 10 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 5,519 | 92** | * | 7** |
| | Unemployed | 339 | 87 | - | 10 |
| | Home duties | 475 | 86 | - | 13** |
| | Retired | 1,791 | 86 | * | 11** |
| | Student | 367 | 86 | - | 14** |
| | unable to work | 224 | 88 | - | 9 |
| Occupation | Manager | 843 | 94** | - | 5** |
| | Professional | 1,606 | 94** | * | 5** |
| | Technicians and trade | 703 | 91 | - | 8 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 754 | 89 | 1 | 9 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 644 | 93 | * | 6 |
| | Sales worker | 393 | 91 | 1 | 7 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 187 | 90 | - | 9 |
| | Labourer | 324 | 87 | - | 9 |
| | Other | 27 | 85 | - | 15 |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 1,556 | 87** | * | 11 |
| | Couple only | 2,706 | 90 | * | 9 |
| | Couple children at home | 3,157 | 91 | * | 8 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 594 | 92 | * | 7 |
| | Group household | 363 | 88 | - | 10 |
| | Other type of household | 371 | 85 | * | 12 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 2,485 | 85** | * | 12** |
| | Moderate understanding | 4,535 | 91 | * | 8 |
| | High understanding | 1,765 | 94** | * | 5** |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 2,007 | 80** | * | 17** |
| | Medium | 3,715 | 91 | * | 7 |
| | High | 3,054 | 95** | * | 4** |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 567 | 88 | * | 10 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 428 | 84** | * | 13** |
| | Does not have a disability | 7,739 | 90 | * | 8 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$

Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken

Don't know/refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.3a: It is entirely reasonable for the violent person to be made to leave the family home

| | | Base | Nett Disagree | Neither | Nett Agree |
|--|--|-------|---------------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,802 | 8 | 1 | 89 |
| Gender | Male | 3,955 | 10** | 1 | 87** |
| | Female | 4,847 | 6** | 1 | 91** |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 133 | 11 | - | 89 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 858 | 8 | 1 | 89 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 1,280 | 10 | 1 | 88 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 1,529 | 8 | 1 | 89 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 1,610 | 6 | 1 | 91 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 1,650 | 7 | 1 | 89 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 1,181 | 6 | 2 | 88 |
| | 75 years or more | 561 | 8 | 1 | 84** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 1,996 | 9 | 1 | 88 |
| | Victoria | 1,867 | 8 | 1 | 89 |
| | Queensland | 1,407 | 7 | 1 | 90 |
| | South Australia | 831 | 7 | 1 | 89 |
| | Western Australia | 960 | 6 | 1 | 91 |
| | Tasmania | 571 | 5 | 1 | 91 |
| | Northern Territory | 543 | 6 | * | 91 |
| | ACT | 627 | 8 | 1 | 89 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 6,107 | 8 | 1 | 88 |
| | Inner regional | 1,281 | 6 | 1 | 91 |
| | Outer regional | 1,061 | 6 | * | 90 |
| | Remote | 261 | 8 | 2 | 89 |
| | Very remote | 64 | 18 | - | 82 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 1,149 | 7 | 1 | 91 |
| | 2 | 1,131 | 9 | 1 | 89 |
| | 3 | 1,515 | 8 | 1 | 88 |
| | 4 | 1,943 | 8 | 1 | 89 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 2,934 | 8 | 1 | 89 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 5,989 | 6** | 1 | 91** |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 1,058 | 6 | 1 | 92 |
| | Other countries | 1,741 | 14** | 1 | 82** |
| Migration Status | First generation | 2,813 | 11** | 1 | 85** |
| | Second generation | 1,582 | 6 | 1 | 90 |
| | Third plus generation | 4,407 | 6** | 1 | 91** |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 1,134 | 15** | 1 | 82** |
| | Does not speak English well | 229 | 19** | 4** | 72** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 2,017 | 9 | 1 | 88 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 762 | 18** | 1 | 79** |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$
 Don't know/refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.3a: It is entirely reasonable for the violent person to be made to leave the family home (cont.)

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|---|-----------------------------------|-------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,802 | 8 | 1 | 89 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 171 | 4 | 1 | 94 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 8,361 | 8 | 1 | 89 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 3,347 | 10** | 1 | 86** |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 2,191 | 7 | 1 | 90 |
| | Secondary or below | 3,201 | 8 | 1 | 89 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 5,568 | 8 | 1 | 90 |
| | Unemployed | 366 | 11 | 1 | 85 |
| | Home duties | 461 | 7 | 1 | 90 |
| | Retired | 1,754 | 7 | 1 | 86 |
| | Student | 373 | 10 | * | 90 |
| | unable to work | 218 | 8 | - | 89 |
| Occupation | Manager | 827 | 8 | 1 | 89 |
| | Professional | 1,652 | 8 | 1 | 90 |
| | Technicians and trade | 699 | 8 | 1 | 90 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 763 | 8 | 1 | 88 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 647 | 5** | 1 | 94** |
| | Sales worker | 405 | 6 | 1 | 93 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 189 | 11 | 1 | 85 |
| | Labourer | 317 | 9 | 1 | 87 |
| Other | 28 | 6 | - | 91 | |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 1,552 | 9 | 1 | 86** |
| | Couple only | 2,674 | 8 | 1 | 89 |
| | Couple children at home | 3,177 | 8 | 1 | 90 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 610 | 7 | 1 | 90 |
| | Group household | 370 | 9 | 1 | 87 |
| | Other type of household | 375 | 8 | 2 | 88 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 2,475 | 11** | 1 | 85** |
| | Moderate understanding | 4,475 | 7 | 1 | 90 |
| | High understanding | 1,851 | 6 | 1 | 91 |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 1,992 | 12** | 1 | 84** |
| | Medium | 3,752 | 8 | 1 | 89 |
| | High | 3,051 | 5** | 1 | 92** |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 547 | 8 | * | 89 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 387 | 11 | 2 | 80** |
| | Does not have a disability | 7,825 | 8 | 1 | 89 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.3b: It's hard to understand why women stay in violent relationships

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|--|--|-------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,715 | 19 | 1 | 78 |
| Gender | Male | 3,879 | 17 | 1 | 79 |
| | Female | 4,836 | 21 | 1 | 76 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 114 | 15 | 2 | 82 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 818 | 19 | 1 | 79 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 1,235 | 20 | 1 | 76 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 1,519 | 23** | 1 | 75 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 1,613 | 18 | 1 | 79 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 1,645 | 20 | 2 | 76 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 1,176 | 16 | 1 | 79 |
| | 75 years or more | 595 | 13** | 1 | 80 |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 1,977 | 18 | 1 | 78 |
| | Victoria | 1,923 | 21 | 2 | 75 |
| | Queensland | 1,347 | 19 | 1 | 79 |
| | South Australia | 852 | 18 | 1 | 79 |
| | Western Australia | 966 | 16 | 1 | 80 |
| | Tasmania | 569 | 17 | 1 | 80 |
| | Northern Territory | 523 | 19 | * | 77 |
| | ACT | 558 | 24** | 1 | 74 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 5,935 | 20 | 1 | 76 |
| | Inner regional | 1,301 | 19 | 1 | 78 |
| | Outer regional | 1,112 | 13** | 1 | 84** |
| | Remote | 262 | 11 | 3 | 84 |
| | Very remote | 77 | 32 | - | 66 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 1,135 | 18 | 2 | 77 |
| | 2 | 1,155 | 16 | 2 | 81 |
| | 3 | 1,589 | 19 | 1 | 78 |
| | 4 | 1,948 | 18 | 1 | 79 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 2,758 | 23** | 1 | 75** |
| Birthplace | Australia | 6,007 | 18 | 1 | 80 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 985 | 23 | 1 | 75 |
| | Other countries | 1,712 | 20 | 2 | 73** |
| Migration Status | First generation | 2,708 | 21 | 2 | 74** |
| | Second generation | 1,623 | 18 | 1 | 80 |
| | Third plus generation | 4,384 | 18 | 1 | 80 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 1,155 | 18 | 1 | 76 |
| | Does not speak English well | 208 | 31** | 4** | 55** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 1,969 | 22 | 1 | 73** |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 702 | 19 | 1 | 77 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.3b: It's hard to understand why women stay in violent relationships (cont.)

| | | Base | Nett | | |
|---|-----------------------------------|-------|----------|---------|------------|
| | | n | Disagree | Neither | Nett Agree |
| | | | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,715 | 19 | 1 | 78 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 170 | 14 | * | 84 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 8545 | 19 | 1 | 78 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 3,259 | 27** | 1 | 70** |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 2,063 | 18 | 1 | 79 |
| | Secondary or below | 3,346 | 16** | 1 | 81** |
| Employment Status | Employed | 5,421 | 20 | 1 | 78 |
| | Unemployed | 388 | 19 | 1 | 80 |
| | Home duties | 446 | 21 | 2 | 74 |
| | Retired | 1,773 | 15** | 1 | 80 |
| | Student | 382 | 22 | 2 | 75 |
| | unable to work | 224 | 16 | 2 | 80 |
| Occupation | Manager | 821 | 21 | 1 | 76 |
| | Professional | 1,612 | 26** | 1 | 71** |
| | Technicians and trade | 647 | 14** | 1 | 83** |
| | Community and Personal Service | 726 | 23 | 2 | 74 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 653 | 21 | 1 | 77 |
| | Sales worker | 369 | 17 | 2 | 79 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 193 | 10** | 1 | 87** |
| | Labourer | 340 | 14 | 1 | 83 |
| Other | 23 | 25 | - | 75 | |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 1,506 | 18 | 1 | 77 |
| | Couple only | 2,699 | 18 | 1 | 78 |
| | Couple children at home | 3,162 | 19 | 1 | 78 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 543 | 21 | 1 | 75 |
| | Group household | 373 | 20 | 1 | 75 |
| | Other type of household | 396 | 19 | 1 | 78** |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 2,550 | 20 | 1 | 76 |
| | Moderate understanding | 4,384 | 18 | 1 | 79 |
| | High understanding | 1,780 | 20 | 1 | 76 |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 2,058 | 16** | 2 | 80 |
| | Medium | 3,693 | 17 | 1 | 80** |
| | High | 2,949 | 25** | 1 | 73 |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 587 | 18 | 2 | 79 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 446 | 15 | 1 | 80 |
| | Does not have a disability | 7,633 | 19 | 1 | 78 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.3c: Most women could leave a violent relationship if they really wanted to

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|--|--|-------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,802 | 43 | 2 | 51 |
| Gender | Male | 3,955 | 36** | 2 | 58** |
| | Female | 4,847 | 50** | 2 | 45** |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 133 | 35 | 1 | 64 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 858 | 35** | 2 | 61 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 1,280 | 40 | 2 | 55 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 1,529 | 45 | 2 | 50 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 1,610 | 49** | 2 | 46** |
| | 55 to 64 years | 1,650 | 47 | 2 | 46** |
| | 65 to 74 years | 1,181 | 40 | 2 | 52 |
| | 75 years or more | 561 | 45 | 1 | 47 |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 1,996 | 44 | 2 | 50 |
| | Victoria | 1,867 | 41 | 2 | 53 |
| | Queensland | 1,407 | 41 | 2 | 53 |
| | South Australia | 831 | 45 | 3 | 47 |
| | Western Australia | 960 | 43 | 2 | 52 |
| | Tasmania | 571 | 48 | 2 | 46 |
| | Northern Territory | 543 | 43 | 2 | 50 |
| | ACT | 627 | 52 | 1 | 44** |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 6,107 | 43 | 2 | 52 |
| | Inner regional | 1,281 | 43 | 3 | 51 |
| | Outer regional | 1,061 | 46 | 3 | 48 |
| | Remote | 261 | 42 | 4 | 49 |
| | Very remote | 64 | 40 | * | 53 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 1,149 | 39 | 3 | 55 |
| | 2 | 1,131 | 41 | 2 | 53 |
| | 3 | 1,515 | 43 | 2 | 51 |
| | 4 | 1,943 | 41 | 2 | 53 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 2,934 | 48** | 2 | 47** |
| Birthplace | Australia | 5,989 | 46** | 2 | 48** |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 1,058 | 51** | 2 | 43** |
| | Other countries | 1,741 | 31** | 2 | 63** |
| Migration Status | First generation | 2,813 | 37** | 2 | 57** |
| | Second generation | 1,582 | 45 | 2 | 50 |
| | Third plus generation | 4,407 | 47** | 2 | 48** |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 1,134 | 31** | 1 | 64** |
| | Does not speak English well | 229 | 18** | 4 | 74** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 2,017 | 39** | 2 | 54 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 762 | 32** | 1 | 63** |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.3c: Most women could leave a violent relationship if they really wanted to (cont.)

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|---|-----------------------------------|-------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,802 | 43 | 2 | 51 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 171 | 33 | 3 | 63 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 8,631 | 43 | 2 | 51 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 3,347 | 52** | 2 | 44** |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 2,191 | 46 | 2 | 49 |
| | Secondary or below | 3,201 | 38** | 2 | 56** |
| Employment Status | Employed | 5,568 | 44 | 2 | 51 |
| | Unemployed | 366 | 36 | 2 | 57 |
| | Home duties | 461 | 44 | 2 | 50 |
| | Retired | 1,754 | 44 | 2 | 48 |
| | Student | 373 | 39 | 1 | 58 |
| | unable to work | 218 | 39 | 4 | 52 |
| Occupation | Manager | 827 | 45 | 1 | 50 |
| | Professional | 1,652 | 52** | 2 | 43** |
| | Technicians and trade | 699 | 36** | 1 | 60** |
| | Community and Personal Service | 763 | 50** | 2 | 44** |
| | Clerical and administrative | 647 | 47 | 3 | 48 |
| | Sales worker | 405 | 42 | 3 | 51 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 189 | 23** | 2 | 70** |
| | Labourer | 317 | 34** | 3 | 57 |
| Other | 28 | 57 | - | 43 | |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 1,552 | 42 | 1 | 52 |
| | Couple only | 2,674 | 46 | 3 | 47** |
| | Couple children at home | 3,177 | 43 | 2 | 53 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 610 | 47 | 3 | 47 |
| | Group household | 370 | 34** | 2 | 59 |
| | Other type of household | 375 | 38 | 2 | 57 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 2,475 | 33** | 2 | 61** |
| | Moderate understanding | 4,475 | 45 | 2 | 50 |
| | High understanding | 1,851 | 54** | 2 | 40** |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 1,992 | 30** | 2 | 64** |
| | Medium | 3,752 | 41 | 2 | 53 |
| | High | 3,051 | 57** | 2 | 38** |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 547 | 39 | 2 | 55 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 387 | 38 | 2 | 55 |
| | Does not have a disability | 7,825 | 44 | 2 | 51 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.3d: Domestic violence is a private matter to be handled in the family

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|--|--|-------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,715 | 80 | 1 | 17 |
| Gender | Male | 3,879 | 77** | 2 | 20** |
| | Female | 4,836 | 83** | 1 | 14** |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 114 | 76 | - | 24 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 818 | 76** | 2 | 21** |
| | 25 to 34 years | 1,235 | 77 | 2 | 20 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 1,519 | 85** | 1 | 12** |
| | 45 to 54 years | 1,613 | 87** | 2 | 11 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 1,645 | 84 | 1 | 14 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 1,176 | 79 | 1 | 17 |
| | 75 years or more | 595 | 64** | 2 | 30** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 1,977 | 80 | 2 | 17 |
| | Victoria | 1,923 | 79 | 2 | 18 |
| | Queensland | 1,347 | 82 | 1 | 15 |
| | South Australia | 852 | 80 | 1 | 17 |
| | Western Australia | 966 | 80 | 1 | 17 |
| | Tasmania | 569 | 78 | 1 | 18 |
| | Northern Territory | 523 | 81 | * | 16 |
| | ACT | 558 | 85** | 1 | 13 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 5,935 | 79 | 2 | 18 |
| | Inner regional | 1,301 | 84** | 1 | 13** |
| | Outer regional | 1,112 | 82 | 1 | 15 |
| | Remote | 262 | 82 | - | 16 |
| | Very remote | 77 | 75 | 6 | 18 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 1,135 | 77 | 2 | 19 |
| | 2 | 1,155 | 78 | 2 | 18 |
| | 3 | 1,589 | 81 | 2 | 17 |
| | 4 | 1,948 | 81 | 1 | 17 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 2,758 | 82 | 1 | 15 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 6,007 | 85 | 1 | 13** |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 985 | 88 | 1 | 10** |
| | Other countries | 1,712 | 64** | 3** | 31** |
| Migration Status | First generation | 2,708 | 71** | 2 | 25** |
| | Second generation | 1,623 | 83 | 1 | 15 |
| | Third plus generation | 4,384 | 85 | 1 | 12** |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 1,155 | 64** | 3 | 31** |
| | Does not speak English well | 208 | 43** | 5** | 48** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 1,969 | 73** | 2 | 23** |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 702 | 65** | 2 | 32** |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.3d: Domestic violence is a private matter to be handled in the family (cont.)

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|---|-----------------------------------|------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8715 | 80 | 1 | 17 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 170 | 74 | - | 24 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 8545 | 80 | 2 | 17 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 3259 | 83** | 1 | 15 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 2063 | 82 | 2 | 14 |
| | Secondary or below | 3346 | 78 | 2 | 19 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 5421 | 83** | 1 | 14** |
| | Unemployed | 388 | 75 | 2 | 21 |
| | Home duties | 446 | 76 | 3 | 19 |
| | Retired | 1773 | 74** | 1 | 22** |
| | Student | 382 | 77 | 1 | 22 |
| | unable to work | 224 | 79 | 5** | 15 |
| Occupation | Manager | 821 | 87** | 1 | 11** |
| | Professional | 1612 | 88** | 1 | 11** |
| | Technicians and trade | 647 | 75** | 2 | 21 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 726 | 84 | 2 | 12** |
| | Clerical and administrative | 653 | 86** | 1 | 12** |
| | Sales worker | 369 | 86 | 1 | 12 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 193 | 80 | 2 | 17** |
| | Labourer | 340 | 74 | 1 | 23 |
| Other | 23 | 97 | - | 3 | |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 1506 | 76** | 1 | 21** |
| | Couple only | 2699 | 82 | 1 | 15 |
| | Couple children at home | 3162 | 81 | 2 | 16 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 543 | 84 | 1 | 14 |
| | Group household | 373 | 74 | 1 | 24** |
| | Other type of household | 396 | 77 | 2 | 18 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 2550 | 71** | 3** | 25** |
| | Moderate understanding | 4384 | 82 | 1 | 15 |
| | High understanding | 1780 | 90** | 1 | 8** |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 2058 | 62** | 3 | 32** |
| | Medium | 3693 | 83** | 1 | 15 |
| | High | 2949 | 93** | 1 | 6** |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 587 | 81 | 3** | 15 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 446 | 73** | 2 | 22 |
| | Does not have a disability | 7633 | 80 | 1 | 17 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.3e: Women who are sexually harassed should sort it out themselves

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|--|--|-------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,731 | 85 | 1 | 12 |
| Gender | Male | 3,850 | 85 | 1 | 11 |
| | Female | 4,881 | 85 | 1 | 12 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 121 | 96** | - | 4 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 817 | 88 | * | 11 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 1,275 | 84 | 1 | 13 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 1,535 | 88 | * | 10 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 1,588 | 85 | * | 12 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 1,650 | 86 | 1 | 10 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 1,168 | 83 | 1 | 13 |
| | 75 years or more | 577 | 75** | 1 | 19** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 2,018 | 86 | 1 | 11 |
| | Victoria | 1,915 | 82** | 1 | 14 |
| | Queensland | 1,362 | 87 | * | 11 |
| | South Australia | 851 | 86 | * | 11 |
| | Western Australia | 946 | 87 | * | 11 |
| | Tasmania | 576 | 85 | 1 | 12 |
| | Northern Territory | 525 | 88 | 1 | 9 |
| | ACT | 538 | 85 | 1 | 12 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 5,977 | 85 | 1 | 12 |
| | Inner regional | 1,296 | 86 | * | 11 |
| | Outer regional | 1,102 | 83 | 1 | 13 |
| | Remote | 253 | 89 | * | 10 |
| | Very remote | 75 | 82 | - | 16 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 1,141 | 82 | 1 | 15 |
| | 2 | 1,176 | 86 | * | 11 |
| | 3 | 1,550 | 85 | 1 | 12 |
| | 4 | 1,967 | 84 | 1 | 13 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 2,762 | 87 | 1 | 10 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 5,989 | 88** | * | 9** |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 980 | 90** | * | 8** |
| | Other countries | 1,753 | 74** | 1 | 21** |
| Migration Status | First generation | 2,742 | 79** | 1 | 17** |
| | Second generation | 1,614 | 90** | 1 | 8** |
| | Third plus generation | 4,375 | 88** | * | 10** |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 1,171 | 74** | 1 | 21** |
| | Does not speak English well | 219 | 58** | 5** | 31** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 1,979 | 80** | 1 | 15** |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 729 | 74** | 1 | 22** |

** Result is statistically significant, p ≤.01
Don't know/refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.3e: Women who are sexually harassed should sort it out themselves (cont.)

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|---|-----------------------------------|-------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,731 | 85 | 1 | 12 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 175 | 82 | * | 16 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 8,556 | 85 | 1 | 12 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 3,278 | 86 | 1 | 11 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 2,086 | 88** | 1 | 9** |
| | Secondary or below | 3,313 | 83 | 1 | 14 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 5,470 | 88 | * | 10** |
| | Unemployed | 415 | 82 | 1 | 13 |
| | Home duties | 432 | 84 | 1 | 13 |
| | Retired | 1,736 | 79** | 1 | 16** |
| | Student | 388 | 84 | * | 15 |
| | unable to work | 218 | 78 | * | 18 |
| Occupation | Manager | 805 | 90** | * | 7** |
| | Professional | 1,658 | 89** | 1 | 9 |
| | Technicians and trade | 643 | 89 | 1 | 8 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 735 | 86 | * | 13 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 656 | 91** | 1 | 7** |
| | Sales worker | 381 | 90 | * | 8 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 195 | 85 | - | 13 |
| | Labourer | 333 | 79** | * | 17** |
| Other | 24 | 87 | - | 13 | |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 1,502 | 79** | 1 | 16** |
| | Couple only | 2,667 | 85 | 1 | 12 |
| | Couple children at home | 3,182 | 87** | 1 | 11 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 559 | 88 | * | 10 |
| | Group household | 380 | 82 | 1 | 15 |
| | Other type of household | 400 | 84 | * | 12 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 2,540 | 78** | 1 | 17** |
| | Moderate understanding | 4,324 | 87 | * | 11 |
| | High understanding | 1,866 | 91** | * | 7** |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 2,043 | 73** | 1 | 22** |
| | Medium | 3,730 | 87** | * | 10** |
| | High | 2,946 | 93** | * | 6** |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 567 | 83 | * | 14 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 405 | 79** | * | 17** |
| | Does not have a disability | 7,719 | 86 | 1 | 11 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.3f: It's a woman's duty to stay in a violent relationship to keep the family together

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|--|--|-------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,802 | 89 | 1 | 9 |
| Gender | Male | 3,955 | 87 | 1 | 11 |
| | Female | 4,847 | 91 | * | 8 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 133 | 89 | - | 11 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 858 | 90 | 1 | 8 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 1,280 | 88 | * | 10 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 1,529 | 88 | 1 | 10 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 1,610 | 90 | 1 | 8 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 1,650 | 93 | * | 6** |
| | 65 to 74 years | 1,181 | 90 | 1 | 8 |
| | 75 years or more | 561 | 79** | 1 | 17** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 1,996 | 89 | 1 | 9 |
| | Victoria | 1,867 | 87 | 1 | 11 |
| | Queensland | 1,407 | 90 | 1 | 7 |
| | South Australia | 831 | 88 | * | 11 |
| | Western Australia | 960 | 91 | - | 8 |
| | Tasmania | 571 | 87 | * | 9 |
| | Northern Territory | 543 | 88 | - | 10 |
| | ACT | 627 | 92 | 1 | 6 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 6,107 | 88 | 1 | 10 |
| | Inner regional | 1,281 | 91 | * | 8 |
| | Outer regional | 1,061 | 89 | 1 | 8 |
| | Remote | 261 | 93 | - | 6 |
| | Very remote | 64 | 86 | - | 14 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 1,149 | 85** | 1 | 12 |
| | 2 | 1,131 | 89 | 1 | 10 |
| | 3 | 1,515 | 89 | 1 | 9 |
| | 4 | 1,943 | 90 | * | 8 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 2,934 | 90 | 1 | 8 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 5,989 | 92 | * | 6** |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 1,058 | 94 | * | 6** |
| | Other countries | 1,741 | 77** | 2 | 19** |
| Migration Status | First generation | 2,813 | 82** | 1 | 15** |
| | Second generation | 1,582 | 92 | 1 | 7** |
| | Third plus generation | 4,407 | 92 | * | 6** |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 1,134 | 78** | 1 | 19** |
| | Does not speak English well | 229 | 57** | 6** | 32** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 2,017 | 84** | 1 | 13** |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 762 | 77** | 1 | 20** |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.3f: It's a woman's duty to stay in a violent relationship to keep the family together (cont.)

| | | Base | Nett | | |
|---|-----------------------------------|-------|----------|---------|------------|
| | | n | Disagree | Neither | Nett Agree |
| | | | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,802 | 89 | 1 | 9 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 171 | 85 | * | 13 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 8,631 | 89 | 1 | 9 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 3,347 | 89 | 1 | 9 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 2,191 | 91** | * | 8 |
| | Secondary or below | 3,201 | 87 | 1 | 11 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 5,568 | 91** | 1 | 8** |
| | Unemployed | 366 | 84** | * | 15** |
| | Home duties | 461 | 88 | * | 11 |
| | Retired | 1,754 | 86** | 1 | 11 |
| | Student | 373 | 86 | 1 | 12 |
| | unable to work | 218 | 88 | 1 | 8 |
| Occupation | Manager | 827 | 93** | 1 | 5** |
| | Professional | 1,652 | 93** | * | 6** |
| | Technicians and trade | 699 | 88 | 1 | 9 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 763 | 90 | 1 | 8 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 647 | 93 | * | 7 |
| | Sales worker | 405 | 91 | * | 8 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 189 | 86 | - | 12 |
| | Labourer | 317 | 84 | 1 | 14 |
| Other | 28 | 93 | - | - | |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 1,552 | 85** | * | 13** |
| | Couple only | 2,674 | 90 | 1 | 8 |
| | Couple children at home | 3,177 | 89 | 1 | 9 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 610 | 89 | 1 | 9 |
| | Group household | 370 | 90 | 1 | 9 |
| | Other type of household | 375 | 88 | 1 | 10 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 2,475 | 83** | 1 | 14** |
| | Moderate understanding | 4,475 | 90 | 1 | 8 |
| | High understanding | 1,851 | 94 | * | 5** |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 1,992 | 77** | 1 | 19** |
| | Medium | 3,752 | 91** | 1 | 7** |
| | High | 3,051 | 95** | * | 4** |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 547 | 88 | 1 | 10 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 387 | 82** | 1 | 16** |
| | Does not have a disability | 7,825 | 89 | 1 | 9 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.4.1: Violence against women is a serious issue for our community

| | | Base | Nett | | |
|--|--|--------|----------|---------|------------|
| | | n | Disagree | Neither | Nett Agree |
| | | | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 17,481 | 3 | * | 95 |
| Gender | Male | 7,819 | 4 | * | 94 |
| | Female | 9,662 | 2 | * | 96 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 246 | 2 | 1 | 96 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,674 | 4 | * | 95 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,512 | 4 | * | 94 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,044 | 3 | 1 | 95 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,217 | 3 | * | 95 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,285 | 2 | * | 96 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,350 | 2 | * | 96 |
| | 75 years or more | 1,153 | 3 | * | 95 |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,964 | 3 | * | 95 |
| | Victoria | 3,783 | 3 | * | 95 |
| | Queensland | 2,750 | 2 | * | 96 |
| | South Australia | 1,679 | 4 | * | 94 |
| | Western Australia | 1,921 | 3 | 1 | 95 |
| | Tasmania | 1,135 | 2 | 1 | 94 |
| | Northern Territory | 1,065 | 2 | 1 | 96 |
| | ACT | 1,184 | 3 | * | 95 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,018 | 3 | * | 95 |
| | Inner regional | 2,577 | 2 | 1 | 96 |
| | Outer regional | 2,169 | 2 | * | 96 |
| | Remote | 521 | 1 | - | 98 |
| | Very remote | 141 | 2 | * | 98 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,279 | 3 | * | 95 |
| | 2 | 2,281 | 3 | * | 96 |
| | 3 | 3,096 | 3 | * | 95 |
| | 4 | 3,883 | 2 | * | 96 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,683 | 3 | * | 95 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,975 | 2 | * | 97 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,035 | 1** | 1 | 97 |
| | Other countries | 3,446 | 8** | * | 89** |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,506 | 6** | * | 91** |
| | Second generation | 3,197 | 2 | 1 | 97 |
| | Third plus generation | 8,778 | 2 | 1 | 97 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,285 | 8** | 1 | 90** |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 15** | 3** | 78** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,978 | 5** | 1 | 93** |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,457 | 9** | 1 | 87** |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.4.1: Violence against women is a serious issue for our community (cont.)

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|---|-----------------------------------|--------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 3 | * | 95 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | 3 | * | 97 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17,176 | 3 | - | 95 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6,606 | 4 | * | 94 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4,254 | 2 | * | 96 |
| | Secondary or below | 6,547 | 3 | * | 95 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10,989 | 3 | * | 95 |
| | Unemployed | 754 | 4 | 1 | 94 |
| | Home duties | 907 | 4 | * | 94 |
| | Retired | 3,527 | 3 | * | 96 |
| | Student | 755 | 4 | 1 | 94 |
| | unable to work | 442 | 2 | 1 | 96 |
| Occupation | Manager | 1,648 | 3 | 1 | 96 |
| | Professional | 3,264 | 3 | 1 | 96 |
| | Technicians and trade | 1,346 | 4 | * | 95 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1,489 | 3 | * | 95 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1,300 | 2 | * | 97 |
| | Sales worker | 774 | 3 | * | 96 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | 3 | 1 | 94 |
| | Labourer | 657 | 4 | 1 | 94 |
| | Other | 51 | - | - | 100 |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 3,058 | 3 | * | 95 |
| | Couple only | 5,373 | 3 | * | 96 |
| | Couple children at home | 6,339 | 3 | * | 95 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1,153 | 2 | * | 96 |
| | Group household | 743 | 3 | * | 95 |
| | Other type of household | 771 | 4 | * | 94 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5,025 | 6** | 1 | 92** |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859 | 2 | * | 96** |
| | High understanding | 3,631 | 1** | * | 98** |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4,050 | 6** | 1 | 91** |
| | Medium | 7,445 | 3 | * | 96 |
| | High | 6,000 | 1** | * | 98** |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134 | 3 | 1 | 95 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | 2 | * | 97 |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458 | 3 | * | 95 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Don't know/refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.4.2a: Slaps or pushes partner to cause harm – seriousness

| | | Base n | Not Serious % | Quite Serious % | Very Serious % | DK % |
|---|--|-----------|------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|---------|
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 7 | 40 | 52 | 1 |
| Gender | Male | 7,834 | 9** | 43** | 46** | 1 |
| | Female | 9,683 | 5** | 36** | 58** | 1 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 247 | 7 | 52** | 40** | 1 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,676 | 8 | 44** | 47** | 1 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,515 | 7 | 41 | 51 | 1 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,048 | 6 | 36** | 58** | 1 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,223 | 5** | 38 | 56** | 1 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,295 | 5** | 37 | 56** | 1 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,357 | 9** | 40 | 50 | 1 |
| | 75 years or more | 1,156 | 12** | 41 | 43** | 3** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,973 | 6 | 39 | 53 | 1 |
| | Victoria | 3,790 | 7 | 39 | 52 | 1 |
| | Queensland | 2,754 | 7 | 40 | 52 | 1 |
| | South Australia | 1,683 | 7 | 39 | 52 | 2 |
| | Western Australia | 1,926 | 7 | 40 | 52 | 1 |
| | Tasmania | 1,140 | 6 | 41 | 51 | 2 |
| | Northern Territory | 1,066 | 8 | 42 | 49 | 1 |
| | ACT | 1,185 | 5 | 40 | 54 | 1 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,042 | 7 | 39 | 52 | 1 |
| | Inner regional | 2,582 | 6 | 40 | 53 | 1 |
| | Outer regional | 2,173 | 7 | 41 | 51 | 1 |
| | Remote | 523 | 5 | 38 | 55 | 2 |
| | Very remote | 141 | 3 | 51 | 45 | 1 |
| Socio- economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,284 | 8 | 39 | 51 | 1 |
| | 2 | 2,286 | 7 | 39 | 52 | 1 |
| | 3 | 3,104 | 7 | 39 | 52 | 1 |
| | 4 | 3,891 | 6 | 39 | 53 | 1 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,692 | 6 | 41 | 52 | 1 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,996 | 6 | 40 | 54 | 1 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,043 | 5** | 39 | 55 | 1 |
| | Other countries | 3,453 | 6 | 40 | 47** | 2 |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,521 | 9** | 39 | 49** | 2 |
| | Second generation | 3,205 | 5** | 41 | 53 | 1 |
| | Third plus generation | 8,791 | 6 | 39 | 54 | 1 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,289 | 11** | 42 | 44** | 2 |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 15** | 34 | 48 | 3** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,986 | 9** | 38 | 52 | 2 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,464 | 12** | 42 | 43** | 3 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$
Don't know/refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.4.2a: Slaps or pushes partner to cause harm – seriousness (cont.)

| | | Base n | Not Serious % | Quite Serious % | Very Serious % | DK % |
|---|-----------------------------------|-----------|------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|---------|
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 7 | 40 | 52 | 1 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | 9 | 36 | 54 | * |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17,176 | 7 | 40 | 52 | 1 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6,606 | 6 | 40 | 53 | 1 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4,254 | 6 | 38 | 55** | 1 |
| | Secondary or below | 6,547 | 8 | 41 | 50 | 1 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10,989 | 6 | 39 | 54 | 1 |
| | Unemployed | 754 | 8 | 39 | 51 | 1 |
| | Home duties | 907 | 7 | 36 | 56 | 1 |
| | Retired | 3,527 | 10** | 41 | 48** | 2 |
| | Student | 755 | 9 | 46 | 44** | 1 |
| | unable to work | 442 | 6 | 33 | 60** | 1 |
| Occupation | Manager | 1,648 | 5 | 40 | 54 | 1 |
| | Professional | 3,264 | 5** | 40 | 54 | 1 |
| | Technicians and trade | 1,346 | 8** | 43 | 48** | 2 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1,489 | 4** | 35** | 60** | 1 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1,300 | 4** | 35** | 61** | * |
| | Sales worker | 774 | 6 | 41 | 53 | 1 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | 10 | 43 | 45 | 1 |
| | Labourer | 657 | 8 | 40 | 50 | 1 |
| | Other | 51 | - | 49 | 51 | - |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 3,058 | 8 | 41 | 49** | 2 |
| | Couple only | 5,373 | 7 | 39 | 52 | 1 |
| | Couple children at home | 6,339 | 6 | 40 | 53 | 1 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1,153 | 5 | 34** | 60 | 1 |
| | Group household | 743 | 8 | 44 | 47 | 1 |
| | Other type of household | 771 | 8 | 38 | 52 | 2 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5,025 | 14** | 51** | 33** | 2 |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859 | 5** | 40 | 54** | 1 |
| | High understanding | 3,631 | 2** | 21** | 77** | * |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4,050 | 13** | 44** | 41** | 2 |
| | Medium | 7,445 | 6 | 42 | 51 | 1 |
| | High | 6,000 | 3** | 33** | 64** | 1 |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134 | 5 | 38 | 56 | 1 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | 10** | 44 | 43** | 2 |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458 | 7 | 39 | 53 | 1 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$
 Don't know/refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.4.2b: Forces partner to have sex – seriousness

| | | Base n | Not Serious % | Quite Serious % | Very Serious % | DK % |
|---|--|-----------|------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|---------|
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 3 | 20 | 76 | 1 |
| Gender | Male | 7,834 | 4 | 22** | 72** | 1 |
| | Female | 9,683 | 3 | 17** | 79** | 1 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 247 | 2 | 15 | 84** | - |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,676 | 3 | 16** | 81** | * |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,515 | 3 | 17** | 79** | 1 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,048 | 3 | 15** | 82** | * |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,223 | 2 | 19 | 78 | 1 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,295 | 3 | 22 | 74 | 1 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,357 | 6** | 27** | 65** | 2 |
| | 75 years or more | 1,156 | 8** | 34** | 55** | 3 |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,973 | 3 | 19 | 77 | 1 |
| | Victoria | 3,790 | 4 | 20 | 76 | 1 |
| | Queensland | 2,754 | 3 | 20 | 76 | 1 |
| | South Australia | 1,683 | 5** | 19 | 75 | 1 |
| | Western Australia | 1,926 | 3 | 22 | 74 | 1 |
| | Tasmania | 1,140 | 3 | 21 | 75 | 2 |
| | Northern Territory | 1,066 | 5 | 18 | 75 | 1 |
| | ACT | 1,185 | 3 | 18 | 78 | 1 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,042 | 4 | 19 | 76 | 1 |
| | Inner regional | 2,582 | 3 | 19 | 77 | 1 |
| | Outer regional | 2,173 | 3 | 22 | 74 | 1 |
| | Remote | 523 | 3 | 20 | 75 | 1 |
| | Very remote | 141 | 4 | 20 | 74 | 1 |
| Socio- economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,284 | 5 | 19 | 75 | 1 |
| | 2 | 2,286 | 4 | 19 | 76 | 1 |
| | 3 | 3,104 | 3 | 21 | 75 | 1 |
| | 4 | 3,891 | 3 | 19 | 77 | 1 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,692 | 3 | 19 | 77 | 1 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,996 | 2 | 18** | 79** | 1 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,043 | 2 | 17 | 80** | 1 |
| | Other countries | 3,453 | 8** | 25** | 65** | 1 |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,521 | 6** | 23** | 70** | 1 |
| | Second generation | 3,205 | 2 | 17** | 81** | 1 |
| | Third plus generation | 8,791 | 2 | 19 | 78** | 1 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,289 | 7** | 26** | 65** | 1 |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 14** | 26** | 57** | 3** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,986 | 5** | 22** | 71** | 1 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,464 | 8** | 24** | 67** | 1 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$

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Appendix

Table 6.4.2b: Forces partner to have sex – seriousness (cont.)

| | | Base | Not Serious | Quite Serious | Very Serious | DK |
|---|-----------------------------------|--------|-------------|---------------|--------------|-----|
| | | n | % | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 3 | 20 | 76 | 1 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | 4 | 17 | 79 | 1 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17,176 | 3 | 20 | 76 | 1 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6,606 | 4 | 19 | 76 | 1 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4,254 | 2 | 19 | 78 | 1 |
| | Secondary or below | 6,547 | 4 | 20 | 75 | 1 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10,989 | 2 | 17** | 80** | 1 |
| | Unemployed | 754 | 5 | 18 | 75 | 2 |
| | Home duties | 907 | 4 | 18 | 77 | 1 |
| | Retired | 3,527 | 6 | 29** | 62 | 2 |
| | Student | 755 | 4 | 18 | 78** | * |
| | unable to work | 442 | 2 | 17 | 80 | 1 |
| Occupation | Manager | 1,648 | 3 | 18 | 79 | 1 |
| | Professional | 3,264 | 2 | 17 | 80** | 1 |
| | Technicians and trade | 1,346 | 2 | 21 | 76 | 1 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1,489 | 2 | 13** | 84** | 1 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1,300 | 1** | 16** | 83** | * |
| | Sales worker | 774 | 2 | 13** | 85** | * |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | 5 | 26** | 68** | 1 |
| | Labourer | 657 | 3 | 18 | 77 | 1 |
| | Other | 51 | 2 | 19 | 77 | 1 |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 3,058 | 5** | 24** | 69** | 2 |
| | Couple only | 5,373 | 4 | 23** | 72** | 1 |
| | Couple children at home | 6,339 | 3 | 17** | 79** | 1 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1,153 | 2 | 15** | 82** | 1 |
| | Group household | 743 | 4 | 17 | 78 | 1 |
| | Other type of household | 771 | 3 | 16 | 80 | 1 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5,025 | 8** | 30** | 60** | 2 |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859 | 2 | 18 | 79** | 1 |
| | High understanding | 3,631 | 1** | 7** | 92** | * |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4,050 | 8** | 31** | 59** | 1 |
| | Medium | 7,445 | 3 | 20 | 77 | 1 |
| | High | 6,000 | 1** | 10** | 89** | * |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134 | 3 | 19 | 77 | 1 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | 7** | 30** | 60** | 3** |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458 | 3 | 19 | 77 | 1 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken

Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.4.2c: Tries to scare or control partner by threatening to hurt family members – seriousness

| | | Base n | Not Serious % | Quite Serious % | Very Serious % | DK % |
|---|--|-----------|------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|---------|
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 3 | 20 | 77 | 1 |
| Gender | Male | 7,834 | 4 | 23** | 73** | 1 |
| | Female | 9,683 | 2 | 17** | 81** | * |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 247 | 1 | 24 | 75 | * |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,676 | 2 | 20 | 78 | * |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,515 | 3 | 21 | 76 | * |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,048 | 3 | 20 | 77 | * |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,223 | 2 | 18 | 79 | * |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,295 | 2 | 17** | 80** | 1 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,357 | 3 | 20 | 76 | 1 |
| | 75 years or more | 1,156 | 4 | 27** | 68** | 1 |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,973 | 2 | 19 | 78 | 1 |
| | Victoria | 3,790 | 3 | 20 | 76 | 1 |
| | Queensland | 2,754 | 3 | 20 | 77 | * |
| | South Australia | 1,683 | 3 | 23** | 73** | 1 |
| | Western Australia | 1,926 | 2 | 20 | 78 | * |
| | Tasmania | 1,140 | 3 | 19 | 78 | 1 |
| | Northern Territory | 1,066 | 4 | 23 | 72** | 1 |
| | ACT | 1,185 | 3 | 19 | 78 | * |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,042 | 3 | 20 | 77 | 1 |
| | Inner regional | 2,582 | 2 | 19 | 79 | * |
| | Outer regional | 2,173 | 2 | 22 | 76 | 1 |
| | Remote | 523 | 3 | 23 | 74 | * |
| | Very remote | 141 | * | 26 | 74 | * |
| Socio- economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,284 | 3 | 21 | 76 | * |
| | 2 | 2,286 | 3 | 20 | 76 | 1 |
| | 3 | 3,104 | 3 | 19 | 78 | * |
| | 4 | 3,891 | 2 | 20 | 77 | 1 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,692 | 2 | 19 | 78 | * |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,996 | 2 | 19 | 79** | * |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,043 | 1** | 16** | 82** | * |
| | Other countries | 3,453 | 5** | 25** | 69** | 1 |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,521 | 4 | 22** | 73** | 1 |
| | Second generation | 3,205 | 2 | 18** | 80** | * |
| | Third plus generation | 8,791 | 2 | 19 | 78 | * |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,289 | 5** | 25** | 70** | 1 |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 10** | 29** | 59** | 2 |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,986 | 3 | 20 | 76 | 1 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,464 | 6** | 27** | 67** | 1 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$

Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.4.2c: Tries to scare or control partner by threatening to hurt family members – seriousness (cont.)

| | | Base | Not Serious | Quite Serious | Very Serious | DK |
|---|-----------------------------------|--------|-------------|---------------|--------------|----|
| | | n | % | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 3 | 20 | 77 | 1 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | 5 | 18 | 76 | 1 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17,176 | 3 | 20 | 77 | 1 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6,606 | 3 | 21 | 76 | * |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4,254 | 2 | 19 | 78 | * |
| | Secondary or below | 6,547 | 3 | 20 | 76 | 1 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10,989 | 2 | 19 | 79** | * |
| | Unemployed | 754 | 4 | 21 | 75 | * |
| | Home duties | 907 | 3 | 19** | 78 | 1 |
| | Retired | 3,527 | 3 | 23 | 72** | 1 |
| | Student | 755 | 3 | 23 | 73 | * |
| | unable to work | 442 | 4 | 17 | 78 | 2 |
| Occupation | Manager | 1,648 | 1 | 20 | 78 | * |
| | Professional | 3,264 | 1** | 19 | 79 | * |
| | Technicians and trade | 1,346 | 3 | 22 | 74 | * |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1,489 | 2 | 16** | 82** | * |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1,300 | 1** | 15** | 84** | * |
| | Sales worker | 774 | 2 | 16 | 82** | * |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | 5** | 25 | 70** | 1 |
| | Labourer | 657 | 3 | 21 | 75 | 1 |
| Other | 51 | - | 16 | 84 | - | |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 3,058 | 4 | 20 | 75 | 1 |
| | Couple only | 5,373 | 2 | 20 | 77 | 1 |
| | Couple children at home | 6,339 | 2 | 20 | 77 | * |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1,153 | 2 | 17 | 81** | * |
| | Group household | 743 | 3 | 20 | 77 | * |
| | Other type of household | 771 | 4 | 22 | 74 | 1 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5,025 | 6** | 33** | 60** | 1 |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859 | 1** | 17** | 81** | * |
| | High understanding | 3,631 | * | 6** | 93** | * |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4,050 | 6** | 29** | 64** | 1 |
| | Medium | 7,445 | 2 | 19 | 78 | * |
| | High | 6,000 | 1** | 13** | 86** | * |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134 | 3 | 18 | 78 | * |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | 3 | 25** | 71** | 1 |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458 | 2 | 20 | 77 | * |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken

Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.4.2d: Throws or smashes objects near other partner to frighten or threaten them – seriousness

| | | Base n | Not Serious % | Quite Serious % | Very Serious % | DK % |
|---|--|-----------|------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|---------|
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 7 | 33 | 59 | 1 |
| Gender | Male | 7,834 | 9** | 37** | 54** | 1 |
| | Female | 9,683 | 4** | 30** | 65** | 1 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 247 | 7 | 33 | 60 | - |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,676 | 6 | 35 | 59 | * |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,515 | 7 | 34 | 58 | * |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,048 | 6 | 33 | 61 | * |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,223 | 7 | 30** | 62** | 1 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,295 | 5 | 32 | 62 | 1 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,357 | 7 | 35 | 56 | 1 |
| | 75 years or more | 1,156 | 11** | 38** | 50** | 1 |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,973 | 6 | 33 | 60 | 1 |
| | Victoria | 3,790 | 7 | 33 | 60 | 1 |
| | Queensland | 2,754 | 7 | 34 | 59 | 1 |
| | South Australia | 1,683 | 8 | 33 | 58 | 1 |
| | Western Australia | 1,926 | 7 | 35 | 58 | 1 |
| | Tasmania | 1,140 | 7 | 38** | 54** | 1 |
| | Northern Territory | 1,066 | 8 | 35 | 56 | 1 |
| | ACT | 1,185 | 6 | 34 | 59 | 1 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,042 | 7 | 33 | 60 | 1 |
| | Inner regional | 2,582 | 6 | 34 | 60 | * |
| | Outer regional | 2,173 | 7 | 36 | 56 | 1 |
| | Remote | 523 | 4 | 38 | 57 | * |
| | Very remote | 141 | 2 | 39 | 58 | * |
| Socio- economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,284 | 7 | 32 | 60 | * |
| | 2 | 2,286 | 7 | 33 | 60 | 1 |
| | 3 | 3,104 | 6 | 34 | 59 | 1 |
| | 4 | 3,891 | 7 | 32 | 60 | 1 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,692 | 6 | 35 | 59 | * |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,996 | 6 | 34 | 60 | 1 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,043 | 6 | 35 | 59 | * |
| | Other countries | 3,453 | 10** | 32 | 57 | 1 |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,521 | 9** | 33 | 58 | 1 |
| | Second generation | 3,205 | 6 | 33 | 61 | * |
| | Third plus generation | 8,791 | 6 | 34 | 60 | 1 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,289 | 9** | 31 | 60 | 1 |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 17** | 32 | 48** | 2 |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,986 | 8 | 33 | 58 | 1 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,464 | 9** | 33 | 57 | * |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$
 Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.4.2d: Throws or smashes objects near other partner to frighten or threaten them – seriousness (cont.)

| | | Base | Not Serious | Quite Serious | Very Serious | DK |
|---|-----------------------------------|--------|-------------|---------------|--------------|----|
| | | n | % | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 7 | 33 | 59 | 1 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | 8 | 28 | 63 | 1 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17,176 | 7 | 34 | 59 | 1 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6,606 | 6 | 35 | 59 | * |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4,254 | 6 | 33 | 61 | * |
| | Secondary or below | 6,547 | 8 | 33 | 59 | 1 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10,989 | 6 | 33 | 61 | * |
| | Unemployed | 754 | 7 | 32 | 59 | 1 |
| | Home duties | 907 | 7 | 28** | 64 | 1 |
| | Retired | 3,527 | 9** | 37** | 53** | 1 |
| | Student | 755 | 6 | 38 | 55 | * |
| | unable to work | 442 | 6 | 26** | 67** | * |
| Occupation | Manager | 1,648 | 6 | 36 | 58 | 1 |
| | Professional | 3,264 | 5** | 33 | 62 | * |
| | Technicians and trade | 1,346 | 8 | 37 | 55** | * |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1,489 | 5 | 28** | 66** | 1 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1,300 | 4** | 30 | 66** | * |
| | Sales worker | 774 | 5 | 31 | 64 | 1 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | 7 | 37 | 55 | 1 |
| | Labourer | 657 | 10** | 32 | 58 | * |
| | Other | 51 | 4 | 40 | 57 | * |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 3,058 | 7 | 34 | 58 | 1 |
| | Couple only | 5,373 | 7 | 35 | 58 | 1 |
| | Couple children at home | 6,339 | 7 | 32 | 61 | * |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1,153 | 6 | 31 | 63 | 1 |
| | Group household | 743 | 7 | 34 | 59 | 1 |
| | Other type of household | 771 | 6** | 37 | 57 | * |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5,025 | 14** | 45** | 40** | 1 |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859 | 4 | 33 | 62** | * |
| | High understanding | 3,631 | 1** | 15** | 84** | * |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4,050 | 12** | 38** | 50** | 1 |
| | Medium | 7,445 | 6 | 34 | 58 | 1 |
| | High | 6,000 | 3 | 28** | 69** | * |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134 | 7 | 31 | 62 | * |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | 10** | 39 | 51** | 1 |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458 | 6 | 33 | 60 | 1 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken

Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.4.2e: Repeatedly criticises partner to make them feel bad or useless – seriousness

| | | Base n | Not Serious % | Quite Serious % | Very Serious % | DK % |
|---|--|-----------|------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|---------|
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 14 | 43 | 41 | 1 |
| Gender | Male | 7,834 | 20** | 46** | 33** | 1 |
| | Female | 9,683 | 9** | 41** | 49** | 1 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 247 | 19 | 51 | 30** | - |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,676 | 18** | 47** | 34** | * |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,515 | 17** | 45 | 37** | 1 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,048 | 12 | 45 | 42 | 1 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,223 | 11** | 42 | 46** | 1 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,295 | 11** | 39** | 49** | 1 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,357 | 14 | 42 | 42 | 1 |
| | 75 years or more | 1,156 | 18** | 40 | 40 | 3** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,973 | 15 | 41 | 43 | 1 |
| | Victoria | 3,790 | 15 | 44 | 40 | 1 |
| | Queensland | 2,754 | 13 | 45 | 42 | 1 |
| | South Australia | 1,683 | 14 | 40 | 44 | 1 |
| | Western Australia | 1,926 | 14 | 45 | 40 | 1 |
| | Tasmania | 1,140 | 12 | 45 | 42 | 1 |
| | Northern Territory | 1,066 | 15 | 44 | 39 | 2 |
| | ACT | 1,185 | 13 | 47 | 40 | 1 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,042 | 15 | 43 | 40 | 1 |
| | Inner regional | 2,582 | 11** | 44 | 45 | 1 |
| | Outer regional | 2,173 | 12 | 43 | 43 | 1 |
| | Remote | 523 | 11 | 45 | 43 | * |
| | Very remote | 141 | 11 | 45 | 41 | 3** |
| Socio- economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,284 | 14 | 41 | 44 | 1 |
| | 2 | 2,286 | 14 | 41 | 45 | 1 |
| | 3 | 3,104 | 14 | 43 | 42 | 1 |
| | 4 | 3,891 | 14 | 44 | 41 | 1 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,692 | 14 | 46** | 38** | 1 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,996 | 12** | 44 | 43 | 1 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,043 | 10** | 45 | 44 | 1 |
| | Other countries | 3,453 | 21** | 40** | 37** | 1 |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,521 | 18** | 41** | 39 | 1 |
| | Second generation | 3,205 | 14 | 45 | 41 | 1 |
| | Third plus generation | 8,791 | 12** | 44 | 43 | 1 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,289 | 22** | 40** | 37** | 1 |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 26** | 32** | 41 | 2 |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,986 | 17** | 42 | 40 | 1 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,464 | 21** | 41 | 37** | 1 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$
 Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.4.2e: Repeatedly criticises partner to make them feel bad or useless – seriousness (cont.)

| | | Base n | Not Serious % | Quite Serious % | Very Serious % | DK % |
|---|-----------------------------------|-----------|------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|---------|
| | Total Sample | 17,517 | 14 | 43 | 41 | 1 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | 13 | 25** | 61** | * |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17,176 | 14 | 44 | 41 | 1 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6,606 | 14 | 47 | 37** | 1 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4,254 | 13 | 45 | 42 | 1 |
| | Secondary or below | 6,547 | 15 | 41** | 43 | 1 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10,989 | 14 | 45 | 41 | 1 |
| | Unemployed | 754 | 14 | 40 | 45 | 1 |
| | Home duties | 907 | 10** | 40 | 49** | 1 |
| | Retired | 3,527 | 16 | 41 | 41 | 2 |
| | Student | 755 | 20** | 49 | 31** | 1 |
| | unable to work | 442 | 8** | 35** | 54** | 3 |
| Occupation | Manager | 1,648 | 13 | 48 | 38 | 1 |
| | Professional | 3,264 | 13 | 47** | 39 | * |
| | Technicians and trade | 1,346 | 19** | 45** | 36** | 1 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1,489 | 9** | 42 | 49** | 1 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1,300 | 10** | 44 | 45 | * |
| | Sales worker | 774 | 14 | 41 | 44 | 1 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | 17 | 43 | 39 | 1 |
| | Labourer | 657 | 17 | 42 | 40 | 1 |
| | Other | 51 | 11 | 47 | 42 | - |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 3,058 | 14 | 39** | 45** | 1 |
| | Couple only | 5,373 | 14 | 43 | 41 | 1 |
| | Couple children at home | 6,339 | 15 | 45 | 40 | 1 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1,153 | 11** | 41 | 48** | * |
| | Group household | 743 | 16 | 42 | 41 | 1 |
| | Other type of household | 771 | 14 | 45 | 39 | 1 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5,025 | 33** | 49** | 17** | 2 |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859 | 8** | 49** | 42 | 1 |
| | High understanding | 3,631 | * | 19** | 80** | * |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4,050 | 23** | 43 | 32** | 1 |
| | Medium | 7,445 | 14 | 46** | 40 | 1 |
| | High | 6,000 | 7** | 40** | 52** | 1 |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134 | 13 | 34 | 52 | 2 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | 16 | 41 | 42 | 2 |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458 | 14 | 44 | 41 | 1 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.4.2f: Controls the social life of other partner by preventing them from seeing family and friends – seriousness

| | | Base | Not Serious | Quite Serious | Very Serious | DK |
|--|--|--------|-------------|---------------|--------------|-----|
| | | n | % | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 12 | 38 | 49 | 1 |
| Gender | Male | 7,834 | 16** | 42** | 40** | 1 |
| | Female | 9,683 | 7** | 34** | 57** | 1 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 247 | 15 | 54** | 31** | - |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,676 | 16** | 44** | 39** | 1 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,515 | 15** | 42** | 43** | 1 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,048 | 12 | 38 | 50 | 1 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,223 | 10** | 34** | 54** | 2 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,295 | 8** | 33** | 57** | 1 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,357 | 9** | 33** | 56** | 1 |
| | 75 years or more | 1,156 | 11 | 38 | 48 | 2 |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,973 | 12 | 35** | 51 | 1 |
| | Victoria | 3,790 | 14** | 38 | 48 | 1 |
| | Queensland | 2,754 | 10** | 41** | 48 | 1 |
| | South Australia | 1,683 | 11 | 39 | 49 | 1 |
| | Western Australia | 1,926 | 11 | 40 | 49 | 1 |
| | Tasmania | 1,140 | 10 | 36 | 52 | 2 |
| | Northern Territory | 1,066 | 12 | 39 | 48 | 1 |
| | ACT | 1,185 | 9 | 40 | 49 | 1 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,042 | 13 | 38 | 49 | 1 |
| | Inner regional | 2,582 | 10 | 39 | 50 | 1 |
| | Outer regional | 2,173 | 10 | 39 | 50 | 1 |
| | Remote | 523 | 9 | 36 | 53 | 2 |
| | Very remote | 141 | 7 | 40 | 52 | 2 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,284 | 13 | 36 | 49 | 2 |
| | 2 | 2,286 | 11 | 36 | 53** | 1 |
| | 3 | 3,104 | 12 | 39 | 48 | 1 |
| | 4 | 3,891 | 11 | 39 | 49 | 1 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,692 | 12 | 40 | 48 | 1 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,996 | 10** | 39 | 50 | 1 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,043 | 7** | 38 | 54** | 1 |
| | Other countries | 3,453 | 18** | 35 | 45** | 1 |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,521 | 15** | 36 | 48 | 1 |
| | Second generation | 3,205 | 12 | 39 | 48 | 1 |
| | Third plus generation | 8,791 | 10** | 39 | 50 | 1 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,289 | 18** | 36 | 45** | 1 |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 22** | 30** | 45 | 3** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,986 | 13 | 35** | 51 | 1 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,464 | 19** | 40 | 40** | 1 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$
 Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.4.2f: Controls the social life of other partner by preventing them from seeing family and friends – seriousness (cont.)

| | | Base | Not Serious | Quite Serious | Very Serious | DK |
|---|-----------------------------------|--------|-------------|---------------|--------------|-----|
| | | n | % | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 12 | 38 | 49 | 1 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | 12 | 31** | 55 | 1 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17,176 | 12 | 38 | 49 | 1 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6,606 | 12 | 41 | 47** | 1 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4,254 | 12 | 39 | 49 | 1 |
| | Secondary or below | 6,547 | 12 | 36 | 50 | 1 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10,989 | 12 | 39 | 48 | 1 |
| | Unemployed | 754 | 13 | 36 | 51 | 1 |
| | Home duties | 907 | 10 | 35 | 53** | 1 |
| | Retired | 3,527 | 10 | 35 | 53 | 2 |
| | Student | 755 | 16** | 46** | 38** | * |
| | unable to work | 442 | 9 | 32 | 57 | 2 |
| Occupation | Manager | 1,648 | 10 | 41 | 47 | 2 |
| | Professional | 3,264 | 10 | 41 | 49 | * |
| | Technicians and trade | 1,346 | 17** | 42** | 40** | 1 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1,489 | 8** | 35 | 57** | 1 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1,300 | 9 | 36 | 54** | 1 |
| | Sales worker | 774 | 13 | 39 | 47 | 1 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | 16 | 39 | 44 | 1 |
| | Labourer | 657 | 17** | 35 | 47 | 2 |
| | Other | 51 | 13 | 27 | 60 | - |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 3,058 | 11 | 34** | 53** | 1 |
| | Couple only | 5,373 | 10 | 38 | 51 | 1 |
| | Couple children at home | 6,339 | 13 | 39 | 46** | 1 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1,153 | 10 | 36 | 53 | 1 |
| | Group household | 743 | 13 | 41 | 45 | 1 |
| | Other type of household | 771 | 13 | 39 | 47 | * |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5,025 | 28** | 47** | 23** | 2 |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859 | 6** | 42** | 51** | 1 |
| | High understanding | 3,631 | * | 13** | 86** | * |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4,050 | 20** | 40 | 38** | 2 |
| | Medium | 7,445 | 11 | 40 | 48 | 1 |
| | High | 6,000 | 5** | 33** | 61** | 1 |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134 | 11 | 31** | 56** | 2 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | 10 | 37 | 50 | 3** |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458 | 12 | 39 | 49 | 1 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.4.2g: Tries to control partner by denying them money – seriousness

| | | Base n | Not Serious % | Quite Serious % | Very Serious % | DK % |
|---|--|-----------|------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|---------|
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 23 | 41 | 33 | 2 |
| Gender | Male | 7,834 | 31** | 41 | 25** | 3 |
| | Female | 9,683 | 16** | 41 | 41** | 2 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 247 | 41** | 40 | 18** | 1 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,676 | 35** | 43 | 21** | 1 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,515 | 31** | 41 | 26** | 2 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,048 | 21 | 42 | 34 | 2 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,223 | 19** | 40 | 38** | 3 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,295 | 16** | 39 | 41** | 4** |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,357 | 17** | 40 | 39** | 3 |
| | 75 years or more | 1,156 | 19** | 40 | 37 | 4 |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,973 | 23 | 40 | 34 | 2 |
| | Victoria | 3,790 | 24 | 40 | 32 | 3 |
| | Queensland | 2,754 | 23 | 42 | 32 | 2 |
| | South Australia | 1,683 | 22 | 40 | 35 | 3 |
| | Western Australia | 1,926 | 24 | 42 | 31 | 3 |
| | Tasmania | 1,140 | 21 | 41 | 35 | 2 |
| | Northern Territory | 1,066 | 23 | 42 | 32 | 3 |
| | ACT | 1,185 | 18** | 45 | 34 | 3 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,042 | 24 | 40 | 33 | 2 |
| | Inner regional | 2,582 | 21 | 43 | 34 | 2 |
| | Outer regional | 2,173 | 21 | 42 | 33 | 3 |
| | Remote | 523 | 25 | 38 | 35 | 2 |
| | Very remote | 141 | 19 | 49 | 32 | * |
| Socio- economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,284 | 24 | 39 | 34 | 2 |
| | 2 | 2,286 | 22 | 40 | 36 | 2 |
| | 3 | 3,104 | 25 | 41 | 31 | 3 |
| | 4 | 3,891 | 23 | 41 | 32 | 3 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,692 | 22 | 43 | 32 | 3 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,996 | 22 | 42 | 33 | 2 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,043 | 18** | 42 | 37 | 2 |
| | Other countries | 3,453 | 29** | 37** | 31 | 3 |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,521 | 26** | 38** | 32 | 3 |
| | Second generation | 3,205 | 26 | 41 | 31 | 2 |
| | Third plus generation | 8,791 | 21** | 43 | 34 | 2 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,289 | 30** | 37** | 29** | 3 |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 33** | 30** | 33 | 3 |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,986 | 23 | 38** | 35 | 3 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,464 | 33** | 39 | 25** | 2 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$
 Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.4.2g: Tries to control partner by denying them money – seriousness (cont.)

| | | Base n | Not Serious % | Quite Serious % | Very Serious % | DK % |
|---|-----------------------------------|-----------|------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|---------|
| | Total Sample | 17,517 | 23 | 41 | 33 | 2 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | 24 | 33 | 41 | 2 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17,176 | 23 | 41 | 33 | 2 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6,606 | 20 | 44** | 33 | 2 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4,254 | 23 | 41 | 33 | 3 |
| | Secondary or below | 6,547 | 25 | 39 | 33 | 3 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10,989 | 24 | 42 | 32 | 2 |
| | Unemployed | 754 | 27 | 39 | 31 | 3 |
| | Home duties | 907 | 20 | 41 | 36 | 2 |
| | Retired | 3,527 | 18** | 40 | 38** | 3 |
| | Student | 755 | 32** | 44 | 22** | 2 |
| | unable to work | 442 | 20 | 35 | 41** | 3 |
| Occupation | Manager | 1,648 | 24 | 40 | 33 | 3 |
| | Professional | 3,264 | 20** | 44 | 34 | 2 |
| | Technicians and trade | 1,346 | 33** | 43 | 22** | 2 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1,489 | 18** | 38 | 41** | 2 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1,300 | 19** | 44 | 36 | 1 |
| | Sales worker | 774 | 27 | 42 | 29 | 2 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | 29 | 39 | 30 | 2 |
| | Labourer | 657 | 29** | 40 | 28 | 2 |
| | Other | 51 | 24 | 29 | 43 | 4 |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 3,058 | 20** | 38 | 38** | 3 |
| | Couple only | 5,373 | 20** | 42 | 36** | 3 |
| | Couple children at home | 6,339 | 25 | 42 | 30** | 2 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1,153 | 24 | 38 | 36 | 3 |
| | Group household | 743 | 30** | 44 | 24** | 1 |
| | Other type of household | 771 | 29** | 36 | 32 | 2 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5,025 | 46** | 38** | 13** | 3 |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859 | 18** | 51** | 29** | 3 |
| | High understanding | 3,631 | 1** | 21** | 76** | 1 |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4,050 | 33** | 39 | 25** | 3 |
| | Medium | 7,445 | 24 | 43** | 31** | 2 |
| | High | 6,000 | 14** | 40 | 44** | 2 |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134 | 23 | 34** | 41** | 3 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | 18** | 39 | 40** | 3 |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458 | 24 | 42 | 32 | 2 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken

Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.4.3a: Regard stalking as a form of violence against women – seriousness

| | | Base n | Not Serious % | Quite Serious % | Very Serious % | DK % |
|---|--|-----------|------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|---------|
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 5 | 32 | 62 | 1 |
| Gender | Male | 7,834 | 7** | 36** | 56** | 2 |
| | Female | 9,683 | 3** | 28** | 69** | 1 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 247 | 6 | 36 | 58 | - |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,676 | 5 | 35 | 59** | 1 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,515 | 5 | 36** | 58** | 1 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,048 | 4 | 31 | 64 | 1 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,223 | 4 | 29** | 65** | 1 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,295 | 4 | 27** | 68** | 1 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,357 | 4 | 32 | 63 | 1 |
| | 75 years or more | 1,156 | 6 | 33 | 57** | 4** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,973 | 5 | 31 | 63 | 1 |
| | Victoria | 3,790 | 5 | 32 | 62 | 1 |
| | Queensland | 2,754 | 4 | 34 | 62 | 1 |
| | South Australia | 1,683 | 4 | 31 | 63 | 1 |
| | Western Australia | 1,926 | 4 | 30 | 64 | 1 |
| | Tasmania | 1,140 | 3 | 32 | 63 | 1 |
| | Northern Territory | 1,066 | 5 | 32 | 62 | 1 |
| | ACT | 1,185 | 4 | 33 | 61 | 2 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,042 | 5 | 32 | 62 | 1 |
| | Inner regional | 2,582 | 3 | 31 | 64 | 1 |
| | Outer regional | 2,173 | 4 | 32 | 63 | 1 |
| | Remote | 523 | 2 | 32 | 64 | 1 |
| | Very remote | 141 | - | 25 | 72 | 3 |
| Socio- economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,284 | 5 | 31 | 62 | 1 |
| | 2 | 2,286 | 4 | 31 | 64 | 1 |
| | 3 | 3,104 | 4 | 33 | 61 | 2 |
| | 4 | 3,891 | 5 | 31 | 63 | 1 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,692 | 5 | 32 | 62 | 1 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,996 | 3** | 30 | 66** | 1 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,043 | 2** | 31 | 66 | 1 |
| | Other countries | 3,453 | 11** | 36** | 51** | 3** |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,521 | 8** | 34** | 55** | 2 |
| | Second generation | 3,205 | 3** | 31 | 66** | 1 |
| | Third plus generation | 8,791 | 3** | 30 | 66** | 1 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,289 | 10** | 37** | 50** | 3** |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 21** | 36 | 40** | 4** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,986 | 7** | 32 | 59** | 2 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,464 | 11** | 39** | 47** | 3** |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$
Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.4.3a: Regard stalking as a form of violence against women – seriousness (cont.)

| | | Base n | Not Serious % | Quite Serious % | Very Serious % | DK % |
|---|-----------------------------------|-----------|------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|---------|
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 5 | 32 | 62 | 1 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | 3 | 26 | 71 | * |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17,176 | 5 | 32 | 62 | 1 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6,606 | 5 | 35** | 59** | 1 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4,254 | 4 | 31 | 64 | 1 |
| | Secondary or below | 6,547 | 5 | 31 | 63 | 1 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10,989 | 4 | 32 | 63 | 1 |
| | Unemployed | 754 | 6 | 29 | 64 | * |
| | Home duties | 907 | 4 | 28 | 67 | 1 |
| | Retired | 3,527 | 5 | 32 | 61 | 2 |
| | Student | 755 | 8** | 38** | 54** | 1 |
| | unable to work | 442 | 4 | 26 | 69 | 1 |
| Occupation | Manager | 1,648 | 3 | 32 | 62 | 2 |
| | Professional | 3,264 | 4 | 32 | 63 | 1 |
| | Technicians and trade | 1,346 | 5 | 33 | 61 | 1 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1,489 | 3 | 28 | 67** | 1 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1,300 | 2 | 30 | 67** | 1 |
| | Sales worker | 774 | 3 | 34 | 63 | 1 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | 5 | 29 | 64 | 1 |
| | Labourer | 657 | 7 | 35 | 57** | 1 |
| | Other | 51 | 3 | 43 | 50 | 4 |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 3,058 | 5 | 31 | 62 | 1 |
| | Couple only | 5,373 | 4 | 31 | 63 | 1 |
| | Couple children at home | 6,339 | 5 | 31 | 63 | 1 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1,153 | 3 | 32 | 64 | 1 |
| | Group household | 743 | 6 | 37** | 55** | 1 |
| | Other type of household | 771 | 4 | 34 | 60 | 1 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5,025 | 12** | 47** | 39** | 2 |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859 | 2** | 31 | 66** | 1 |
| | High understanding | 3,631 | * | 11** | 89** | * |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4,050 | 10** | 39** | 49** | 2 |
| | Medium | 7,445 | 4** | 33 | 62 | 1 |
| | High | 6,000 | 1** | 24** | 75** | * |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134 | 4 | 28 | 67** | 1 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | 5 | 33 | 60 | 2 |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458 | 5 | 32 | 62 | 1 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken

Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.4.3b: Harassment via repeated phone calls as a form of violence against women – seriousness

| | | Base n | Not Serious % | Quite Serious % | Very Serious % | DK % |
|---|--|-----------|------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|---------|
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 9 | 42 | 48 | 1 |
| Gender | Male | 7,834 | 12** | 43 | 44** | 1 |
| | Female | 9,683 | 7** | 41 | 51** | 1 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 247 | 16** | 51** | 32** | 1 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,676 | 14** | 48** | 37** | * |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,515 | 12** | 48** | 39** | 1 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,048 | 10 | 41 | 49 | 1 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,223 | 7** | 41 | 51** | 1 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,295 | 6** | 35** | 58** | 1 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,357 | 7** | 36** | 55** | 1 |
| | 75 years or more | 1,156 | 8 | 39 | 50 | 2 |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,973 | 10 | 42 | 47 | 1 |
| | Victoria | 3,790 | 10 | 42 | 47 | 1 |
| | Queensland | 2,754 | 9 | 42 | 48 | 1 |
| | South Australia | 1,683 | 9 | 41 | 49 | 1 |
| | Western Australia | 1,926 | 9 | 42 | 49 | 1 |
| | Tasmania | 1,140 | 9 | 39 | 51 | 1 |
| | Northern Territory | 1,066 | 9 | 43 | 47 | 1 |
| | ACT | 1,185 | 8 | 43 | 49 | 1 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,042 | 10 | 42 | 47 | 1 |
| | Inner regional | 2,582 | 8 | 42 | 50 | 1 |
| | Outer regional | 2,173 | 8 | 40 | 50 | 1 |
| | Remote | 523 | 7 | 42 | 51 | * |
| | Very remote | 141 | 2 | 44 | 54 | * |
| Socio- economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,284 | 10 | 39 | 50 | 1 |
| | 2 | 2,286 | 9 | 41 | 49 | 1 |
| | 3 | 3,104 | 8 | 43 | 47 | 1 |
| | 4 | 3,891 | 9 | 42 | 48 | 1 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,692 | 10 | 43 | 46 | 1 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,996 | 8** | 42 | 49 | 1 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,043 | 7** | 40 | 52** | 1 |
| | Other countries | 3,453 | 15** | 42 | 42** | 1 |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,521 | 12** | 41 | 45** | 1 |
| | Second generation | 3,205 | 9 | 43 | 47 | * |
| | Third plus generation | 8,791 | 8** | 42 | 50 | 1 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,289 | 15** | 43 | 41** | 1 |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 20** | 40 | 37** | 3** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,986 | 11 | 41 | 47 | 1 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,464 | 16** | 44 | 39** | 2 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$
 Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.4.3b: Harassment via repeated phone calls as a form of violence against women – seriousness (cont.)

| | | Base | Not Serious | Quite Serious | Very Serious | DK |
|---|-----------------------------------|--------|-------------|---------------|--------------|----|
| | | n | % | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 9 | 42 | 48 | 1 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | 9 | 31 | 59** | * |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17,176 | 9 | 42 | 47 | 1 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6,606 | 9 | 45 | 45** | 1 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4,254 | 9 | 42 | 49 | 1 |
| | Secondary or below | 6,547 | 10 | 41 | 48 | 1 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10,989 | 9 | 43 | 47 | 1 |
| | Unemployed | 754 | 12 | 40 | 47 | 1 |
| | Home duties | 907 | 10 | 41 | 48 | 1 |
| | Retired | 3,527 | 8 | 37** | 53** | 1 |
| | Student | 755 | 16** | 50** | 34** | 1 |
| | unable to work | 442 | 8 | 32 | 58** | 2 |
| Occupation | Manager | 1,648 | 8 | 43 | 48 | 1 |
| | Professional | 3,264 | 8 | 45** | 46 | * |
| | Technicians and trade | 1,346 | 12 | 45 | 43** | * |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1,489 | 9 | 41 | 50 | * |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1,300 | 8 | 41 | 51 | * |
| | Sales worker | 774 | 9 | 46 | 44 | * |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | 12 | 41 | 47 | * |
| | Labourer | 657 | 9 | 43 | 46 | 2 |
| Other | 51 | 4 | 60 | 34 | 2 | |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 3,058 | 9 | 40 | 49 | 1 |
| | Couple only | 5,373 | 7** | 39** | 52** | 1 |
| | Couple children at home | 6,339 | 10 | 43 | 46 | 1 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1,153 | 9 | 44 | 46 | 1 |
| | Group household | 743 | 13** | 47 | 39** | 1 |
| | Other type of household | 771 | 12 | 46 | 41** | 1 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5,025 | 24** | 51** | 23** | 1 |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859 | 4** | 46** | 49 | 1 |
| | High understanding | 3,631 | * | 16** | 83** | 1 |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4,050 | 16** | 44 | 38** | 1 |
| | Medium | 7,445 | 9 | 44 | 46 | 1 |
| | High | 6,000 | 4** | 37** | 58** | 1 |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134 | 9 | 36 | 54** | 1 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | 9 | 37** | 53 | 2 |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458 | 10 | 43 | 47 | 1 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.4.3c: Harassment via repeated emails, text messages and the like – seriousness

| | | Base n | Not Serious % | Quite Serious % | Very Serious % | DK % |
|---|--|-----------|------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|---------|
| | Total Sample | 17,517 | 12 | 42 | 44 | 2 |
| Gender | Male | 7,834 | 16** | 43 | 40** | 2 |
| | Female | 9,683 | 9** | 41 | 48** | 2 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 247 | 17 | 54** | 28** | * |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,676 | 19** | 59** | 32** | * |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,515 | 18** | 47** | 34** | 1 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,048 | 12 | 42 | 44 | 1 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,223 | 10** | 42 | 47** | 1 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,295 | 7** | 36** | 55** | 2 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,357 | 7** | 36** | 53** | 3 |
| | 75 years or more | 1,156 | 10 | 35** | 49** | 6** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,973 | 13 | 41 | 45 | 1 |
| | Victoria | 3,790 | 12 | 43 | 43 | 1 |
| | Queensland | 2,754 | 12 | 43 | 43 | 2 |
| | South Australia | 1,683 | 11 | 41 | 45 | 2 |
| | Western Australia | 1,926 | 12 | 41 | 45 | 1 |
| | Tasmania | 1,140 | 11 | 42 | 45 | 2 |
| | Northern Territory | 1,066 | 12 | 42 | 43 | 2 |
| | ACT | 1,185 | 10 | 43 | 45 | 2 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,042 | 13 | 42 | 43 | 1 |
| | Inner regional | 2,582 | 10 | 42 | 45 | 2 |
| | Outer regional | 2,173 | 10 | 43 | 45 | 2 |
| | Remote | 523 | 6** | 42 | 52 | * |
| | Very remote | 141 | 6 | 38 | 54 | 1 |
| Socio- economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,284 | 12 | 40 | 46 | 1 |
| | 2 | 2,286 | 12 | 40 | 46 | 2 |
| | 3 | 3,104 | 12 | 42 | 44 | 2 |
| | 4 | 3,891 | 11 | 43 | 44 | 2 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,692 | 13 | 44 | 42 | 1 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,996 | 10** | 43 | 45 | 1 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,043 | 9** | 41 | 48** | 2 |
| | Other countries | 3,453 | 18** | 41 | 39** | 2 |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,521 | 16** | 41 | 42** | 2 |
| | Second generation | 3,205 | 12 | 43 | 44 | 1 |
| | Third plus generation | 8,791 | 10** | 43 | 46 | 1 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,289 | 19** | 40 | 39** | 1 |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 26** | 39 | 30** | 5 |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,986 | 13 | 40 | 45 | 2 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,464 | 22** | 42 | 34** | 1 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$

Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.4.3c: Harassment via repeated emails, text messages and the like – seriousness (cont.)

| | | Base n | Not Serious % | Quite Serious % | Very Serious % | DK % |
|---|-----------------------------------|-----------|------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|---------|
| | Total Sample | 17,517 | 12 | 42 | 44 | 2 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | 11 | 34 | 54** | 1 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17,176 | 12 | 42 | 44 | 2 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6,606 | 14** | 46** | 39** | 1 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4,254 | 12 | 42 | 45 | 1 |
| | Secondary or below | 6,547 | 12 | 41 | 45 | 2 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10,989 | 13 | 44 | 43 | 1 |
| | Unemployed | 754 | 14 | 44 | 41 | 2 |
| | Home duties | 907 | 12 | 41 | 45 | 3 |
| | Retired | 3,527 | 9** | 36** | 51** | 4 |
| | Student | 755 | 20** | 49** | 31** | * |
| | unable to work | 442 | 9 | 33** | 55** | 3 |
| Occupation | Manager | 1,648 | 11 | 43 | 44 | 1 |
| | Professional | 3,264 | 13 | 46** | 41 | * |
| | Technicians and trade | 1,346 | 15** | 45 | 39** | 1 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1,489 | 11 | 42 | 47 | 1 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1,300 | 10 | 43 | 46 | * |
| | Sales worker | 774 | 13 | 45 | 42 | 1 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | 14 | 40 | 45 | 1 |
| | Labourer | 657 | 14 | 41 | 44 | 1 |
| | Other | 51 | 11 | 49 | 40 | * |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 3,058 | 11 | 39 | 46 | 3 |
| | Couple only | 5,373 | 10** | 39** | 49** | 2 |
| | Couple children at home | 6,339 | 13 | 44 | 42 | 1 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1,153 | 11 | 43 | 45 | 1 |
| | Group household | 743 | 19** | 46 | 34** | 1 |
| | Other type of household | 771 | 16 | 48** | 35** | 1 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5,025 | 29** | 49** | 19** | 2 |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859 | 6** | 47** | 45 | 1 |
| | High understanding | 3,631 | 1** | 17** | 81** | 1 |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4,050 | 19** | 43 | 35** | 2 |
| | Medium | 7,445 | 12 | 44 | 43 | 1 |
| | High | 6,000 | 6** | 39** | 54** | 1 |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134 | 11 | 36 | 51** | 2 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | 8** | 39** | 49 | 4 |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458 | 12 | 43 | 43 | 1 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$ [#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken

Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.4.4a: Keeps track of wife's, partner's or girlfriend's location, calls or activities

| | | Base n | Not Serious % | Quite Serious % | Very Serious % | DK % |
|---|--|-----------|------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|---------|
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 14 | 41 | 44 | 1 |
| Gender | Male | 7,834 | 18** | 44** | 37** | 1 |
| | Female | 9,683 | 11** | 38** | 51** | 1 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 247 | 11 | 48 | 40 | 1 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,676 | 17** | 44 | 39** | * |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,515 | 19** | 42 | 39** | * |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,048 | 16 | 42 | 41** | 1 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,223 | 13 | 40 | 46 | 1 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,295 | 9** | 37** | 53** | 1 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,357 | 10** | 38 | 50** | 2 |
| | 75 years or more | 1,156 | 13 | 39 | 44 | 4** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,973 | 14 | 40 | 44 | 1 |
| | Victoria | 3,790 | 15 | 41 | 44 | 1 |
| | Queensland | 2,754 | 13 | 41 | 44 | 2 |
| | South Australia | 1,683 | 15 | 40 | 44 | 1 |
| | Western Australia | 1,926 | 14 | 41 | 44 | 1 |
| | Tasmania | 1,140 | 14 | 41 | 43 | 2 |
| | Northern Territory | 1,066 | 13 | 41 | 43 | 2 |
| | ACT | 1,185 | 10** | 45** | 43 | 2 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,042 | 15 | 40 | 44 | 1 |
| | Inner regional | 2,582 | 12 | 41 | 45 | 1 |
| | Outer regional | 2,173 | 13 | 41 | 44 | 2 |
| | Remote | 523 | 14 | 40 | 45 | * |
| | Very remote | 141 | 12 | 38 | 49 | 1 |
| Socio- economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,284 | 15 | 38 | 46 | 1 |
| | 2 | 2,286 | 13 | 38 | 48** | 1 |
| | 3 | 3,104 | 14 | 41 | 44 | 1 |
| | 4 | 3,891 | 14 | 42 | 43 | 1 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,692 | 14 | 42 | 42 | 1 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,996 | 12** | 41 | 46 | 1 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,043 | 10** | 42 | 47 | 1 |
| | Other countries | 3,453 | 21** | 40 | 38** | 1 |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,521 | 18** | 40 | 41** | 1 |
| | Second generation | 3,205 | 13 | 41 | 45 | 1 |
| | Third plus generation | 8,791 | 12** | 41 | 46 | 1 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,289 | 21** | 40 | 38** | 1 |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 29** | 34 | 34** | 2 |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,986 | 16 | 40 | 43 | 1 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,464 | 21** | 42 | 36** | 1 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$
 Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.4.4a: Keeps track of wife's, partner's or girlfriend's location, calls or activities (cont.)

| | | Base n | Not Serious % | Quite Serious % | Very Serious % | DK % |
|---|-----------------------------------|-----------|------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|---------|
| | Total Sample | 17,517 | 14 | 41 | 44 | 1 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | 17 | 32 | 51 | - |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17,176 | 14 | 41 | 44 | 1 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6,606 | 15 | 43 | 41** | 1 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4,254 | 14 | 41 | 44 | 1 |
| | Secondary or below | 6,547 | 14 | 39 | 46 | 1 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10,989 | 15 | 42 | 43 | 1 |
| | Unemployed | 754 | 15 | 37 | 47 | 1 |
| | Home duties | 907 | 16 | 38 | 45 | 1 |
| | Retired | 3,527 | 12** | 37** | 48** | 3** |
| | Student | 755 | 14 | 46** | 40 | * |
| | unable to work | 442 | 13 | 32** | 53** | 2 |
| Occupation | Manager | 1,648 | 15 | 44 | 40** | 1 |
| | Professional | 3,264 | 14 | 43 | 42 | 1 |
| | Technicians and trade | 1,346 | 19** | 45 | 36** | 1 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1,489 | 10** | 40 | 48** | 1 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1,300 | 12 | 40 | 47 | 1 |
| | Sales worker | 774 | 12 | 42 | 45 | 1 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | 17 | 39 | 43 | * |
| | Labourer | 657 | 18 | 37 | 44 | * |
| | Other | 51 | 10 | 38 | 51 | - |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 3,058 | 13 | 37** | 48** | 2 |
| | Couple only | 5,373 | 12** | 40 | 46 | 1 |
| | Couple children at home | 6,339 | 16** | 43 | 40** | 1 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1,153 | 12 | 36 | 51** | * |
| | Group household | 743 | 16 | 41 | 42 | 1 |
| | Other type of household | 771 | 15 | 39 | 45 | 1 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5,025 | 27** | 45** | 26** | 1 |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859 | 10** | 44** | 45 | 1 |
| | High understanding | 3,631 | 3** | 24** | 72** | 1 |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4,050 | 24** | 41 | 33** | 2 |
| | Medium | 7,445 | 14 | 43** | 42** | 1 |
| | High | 6,000 | 7** | 36** | 57** | 1 |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134 | 14 | 32** | 53** | 1 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | 15 | 36 | 46 | 3** |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458 | 14 | 41 | 43 | 1 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$ [#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken

Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.4.4b: Acceptability if a man keeps track of his wife's, partner's or girlfriend's location, calls or activities through her mobile phone or other electronic devices without her consent

| | | Base | Never | Nett | Always | DK |
|--|--|--------|-------|------|--------|-----|
| | | n | % | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 61 | 38 | 1 | 1 |
| Gender | Male | 7,834 | 55** | 43** | 1 | 1 |
| | Female | 9,683 | 67** | 32** | 1 | 1 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 247 | 51** | 48** | 2 | * |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,676 | 54** | 46** | 1 | 1 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,515 | 54** | 45** | 1 | 1 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,048 | 57** | 42** | 2 | 1 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,223 | 65** | 34** | 1 | 1 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,295 | 70** | 28** | 1 | 1 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,357 | 69** | 29** | 2 | 2 |
| | 75 years or more | 1,156 | 64 | 32** | 2 | 4** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,973 | 62 | 37 | 1 | 1 |
| | Victoria | 3,790 | 60 | 39 | 1 | 1 |
| | Queensland | 2,754 | 60 | 38 | 1 | 1 |
| | South Australia | 1,683 | 63 | 35 | 2 | 2 |
| | Western Australia | 1,926 | 62 | 38 | 1 | 1 |
| | Tasmania | 1,140 | 61 | 37 | 1 | 2 |
| | Northern Territory | 1,066 | 62 | 35 | 1 | 3 |
| | ACT | 1,185 | 61 | 37 | 1 | 2 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,042 | 60 | 38 | 2 | 1 |
| | Inner regional | 2,582 | 63 | 35 | 1 | 1 |
| | Outer regional | 2,173 | 62 | 36 | 1 | 2 |
| | Remote | 523 | 61 | 38 | 1 | 1 |
| | Very remote | 141 | 58 | 42 | 3 | - |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,284 | 63 | 35 | 2 | 2 |
| | 2 | 2,286 | 64 | 35 | 2 | 1 |
| | 3 | 3,104 | 61 | 38 | 2 | 1 |
| | 4 | 3,891 | 60 | 38 | 1 | 2 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,692 | 60 | 39 | 1 | 1 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,996 | 62 | 36 | 1 | 1 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,043 | 64 | 35 | 1 | 1 |
| | Other countries | 3,453 | 56** | 42** | 2 | 2 |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,521 | 58** | 40 | 2 | 2 |
| | Second generation | 3,205 | 61 | 38 | 1 | 1 |
| | Third plus generation | 8,791 | 63 | 36 | 1 | 1 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,289 | 55** | 43** | 2 | 2 |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 52** | 44 | 6** | 4** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,986 | 61 | 37 | 2 | 2 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,464 | 51** | 47** | 2 | 1 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$
 Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.4.4b: Acceptability if a man keeps track of his wife's, partner's or girlfriend's location, calls or activities through her mobile phone or other electronic devices without her consent (cont.)

| | | Base | Never | Nett | Always | DK |
|---|-----------------------------------|--------|-------|------|--------|----|
| | | n | % | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 61 | 38 | 1 | 1 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | 63 | 37 | 3 | 1 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17,176 | 61 | 38 | 1 | 1 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6,606 | 57** | 42** | 1 | 1 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4,254 | 62 | 37 | 1 | 1 |
| | Secondary or below | 6,547 | 62 | 36 | 2 | 1 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10,989 | 60 | 39** | 1 | 1 |
| | Unemployed | 754 | 63 | 36 | 2 | 1 |
| | Home duties | 907 | 62 | 36 | 2 | 2 |
| | Retired | 3,527 | 67** | 31** | 2 | 2 |
| | Student | 755 | 54** | 46** | 1 | 1 |
| | unable to work | 442 | 68 | 30** | 3** | 1 |
| Occupation | Manager | 1,648 | 59 | 40 | 1 | 1 |
| | Professional | 3,264 | 59 | 40** | 1 | 1 |
| | Technicians and trade | 1,346 | 53** | 46** | 1 | 1 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1,489 | 63 | 36 | 1 | 1 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1,300 | 67** | 33 | * | * |
| | Sales worker | 774 | 59 | 41 | 1 | 1 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | 61 | 37 | 1 | 1 |
| | Labourer | 657 | 60 | 38 | 2 | 1 |
| Other | 51 | 54 | 46 | 1 | - | |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 3,058 | 64 | 34** | 2 | 2 |
| | Couple only | 5,373 | 65** | 34** | 1 | 1 |
| | Couple children at home | 6,339 | 57** | 42** | 1 | 1 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1,153 | 67** | 32** | 1 | 1 |
| | Group household | 743 | 56 | 43** | 1 | 1 |
| | Other type of household | 771 | 58 | 40 | 2 | 2 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5,025 | 46** | 52** | 2 | 2 |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859 | 61 | 37 | 1 | 1 |
| | High understanding | 3,631 | 83** | 15** | 1 | 1 |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4,050 | 49** | 49** | 3** | 2 |
| | Medium | 7,445 | 61 | 38 | 1 | 1 |
| | High | 6,000 | 72** | 27** | 1 | * |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134 | 69** | 30** | 1 | 1 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | 67** | 31** | 2 | 1 |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458 | 60 | 39 | 1 | 1 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.4.5: Women going through custody battles often make up or exaggerate claims of domestic violence to improve their case

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|--|--|-------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,802 | 25 | 4 | 53 |
| Gender | Male | 3,955 | 19** | 4 | 59** |
| | Female | 4,847 | 31** | 4 | 46** |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 133 | 35 | 3 | 50 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 858 | 31** | 4 | 52 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 1,280 | 28 | 5 | 51 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 1,529 | 30** | 5 | 48** |
| | 45 to 54 years | 1,610 | 24 | 4 | 51 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 1,650 | 22 | 2 | 55 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 1,181 | 16** | 3 | 59** |
| | 75 years or more | 561 | 14** | 2 | 62** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 1,996 | 26 | 4 | 51 |
| | Victoria | 1,867 | 27 | 4 | 51 |
| | Queensland | 1,407 | 22** | 3 | 57** |
| | South Australia | 831 | 23 | 3 | 53 |
| | Western Australia | 960 | 26 | 2 | 54 |
| | Tasmania | 571 | 24 | 5 | 51 |
| | Northern Territory | 543 | 27 | 4 | 49 |
| | ACT | 627 | 29 | 5 | 40** |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 6,107 | 26 | 4 | 53 |
| | Inner regional | 1,281 | 24 | 4 | 52 |
| | Outer regional | 1,061 | 24 | 3 | 53 |
| | Remote | 261 | 24 | 3 | 55 |
| | Very remote | 64 | 21 | 2 | 63 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 1,149 | 24 | 2 | 59** |
| | 2 | 1,131 | 23 | 3 | 57 |
| | 3 | 1,515 | 26 | 4 | 51 |
| | 4 | 1,943 | 25 | 4 | 53 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 2,934 | 27 | 4 | 48** |
| Birthplace | Australia | 5,989 | 25 | 4 | 53 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 1,058 | 23 | 4 | 50 |
| | Other countries | 1,741 | 27 | 4 | 54 |
| Migration Status | First generation | 2,813 | 26 | 4 | 53 |
| | Second generation | 1,582 | 29 | 4 | 51 |
| | Third plus generation | 4,407 | 24 | 3 | 53 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 1,134 | 28 | 4 | 53 |
| | Does not speak English well | 229 | 27 | 6 | 57 |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 2,017 | 25 | 4 | 53 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 762 | 29 | 5 | 52 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$
 Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.4.5: Women going through custody battles often make up or exaggerate claims of domestic violence to improve their case (cont.)

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|---|-----------------------------------|-------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,802 | 25 | 4 | 53 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 171 | 20 | * | 67** |
| | Non-Indigenous | 8,631 | 25 | 4 | 52 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 3,347 | 33** | 5 | 42** |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 2,191 | 23 | 3 | 54 |
| | Secondary or below | 3,201 | 24 | 3 | 57** |
| Employment Status | Employed | 5,568 | 27 | 4 | 51 |
| | Unemployed | 366 | 25 | 3 | 59 |
| | Home duties | 461 | 29 | 5 | 48 |
| | Retired | 1,754 | 16** | 2 | 61** |
| | Student | 373 | 35** | 4 | 49 |
| | unable to work | 218 | 25 | 3 | 54 |
| Occupation | Manager | 827 | 24 | 3 | 54 |
| | Professional | 1,652 | 31** | 5 | 43** |
| | Technicians and trade | 699 | 22 | 3 | 59** |
| | Community and Personal Service | 763 | 34** | 4 | 45** |
| | Clerical and administrative | 647 | 26 | 5 | 47 |
| | Sales worker | 405 | 30 | 2 | 50 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 189 | 11** | 3 | 69** |
| | Labourer | 317 | 22 | 5 | 57 |
| Other | 28 | 49 | 2 | 37 | |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 1,552 | 20** | 3 | 58** |
| | Couple only | 2,674 | 22** | 3 | 55 |
| | Couple children at home | 3,177 | 27 | 3 | 51 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 610 | 32** | 4 | 47 |
| | Group household | 370 | 27 | 6 | 52 |
| | Other type of household | 375 | 29 | 7 | 55 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 2,475 | 21** | 4 | 58** |
| | Moderate understanding | 4,475 | 26 | 3 | 53 |
| | High understanding | 1,851 | 31** | 3 | 44** |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 1,992 | 16** | 3 | 66** |
| | Medium | 3,752 | 24 | 4 | 53 |
| | High | 3,051 | 34** | 4 | 41** |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 547 | 21 | 2 | 61** |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 387 | 13** | 1 | 68** |
| | Does not have a disability | 7,825 | 26 | 4 | 51 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Don't know/refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.4.6a: Women rarely make false claims of being raped

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree | DK |
|--|--|-------|------|---------|------------|------|
| | | n | % | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,731 | 26 | 2 | 59 | 13 |
| Gender | Male | 3,850 | 29** | 2 | 54** | 14 |
| | Female | 4,881 | 24** | 2 | 63** | 11 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 121 | 34 | 5 | 55 | 6 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 817 | 33** | 3 | 56 | 8** |
| | 25 to 34 years | 1,275 | 29 | 2 | 56 | 13 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 1,535 | 24 | 2 | 60 | 14 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 1,588 | 23 | 2 | 63** | 11 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 1,650 | 23 | 2 | 61 | 14 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 1,168 | 23 | 1 | 62 | 13 |
| | 75 years or more | 577 | 28 | 1 | 52** | 19** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 2,018 | 26 | 2 | 59 | 13 |
| | Victoria | 1,915 | 28 | 2 | 57 | 12 |
| | Queensland | 1,362 | 25 | 2 | 61 | 12 |
| | South Australia | 851 | 26 | 2 | 59 | 14 |
| | Western Australia | 946 | 25 | 2 | 59 | 12 |
| | Tasmania | 576 | 25 | 1 | 62 | 11 |
| | Northern Territory | 525 | 28 | 3 | 55 | 12 |
| | ACT | 538 | 26 | 1 | 59 | 14 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 5,977 | 27 | 2 | 59 | 13 |
| | Inner regional | 1,296 | 24 | 2 | 61 | 13 |
| | Outer regional | 1,102 | 25 | 2 | 59 | 13 |
| | Remote | 253 | 26 | 1 | 57 | 14 |
| | Very remote | 75 | 12 | 1 | 87** | - |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 1,141 | 28 | 1 | 59 | 12 |
| | 2 | 1,176 | 24 | 2 | 61 | 12 |
| | 3 | 1,550 | 27 | 3 | 57 | 13 |
| | 4 | 1,967 | 27 | 2 | 58 | 13 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 2,762 | 25 | 2 | 61 | 13 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 5,989 | 25 | 2 | 61 | 12 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 980 | 25 | 3 | 59 | 13 |
| | Other countries | 1,753 | 29 | 2 | 55** | 14 |
| Migration Status | First generation | 2,742 | 28 | 2 | 56 | 14 |
| | Second generation | 1,614 | 26 | 2 | 58 | 13 |
| | Third plus generation | 4,375 | 25 | 2 | 62 | 12 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 1,171 | 30 | 2 | 54 | 14 |
| | Does not speak English well | 219 | 31 | 3 | 47** | 18* |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 1,979 | 27 | 2 | 56 | 15 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 729 | 31 | 2 | 56 | 11 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$ * Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.05$

Don't know/refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.4.6a: Women rarely make false claims of being raped (cont.)

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree | DK |
|---|-----------------------------------|-------|----------|---------|------------|-----|
| | | n | Disagree | % | % | % |
| | | | % | | | |
| Total Sample | | 8,731 | 26 | 2 | 59 | 13 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 175 | 24 | 1 | 63 | 13 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 8,575 | 26 | 2 | 59 | 13 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 3,278 | 23** | 2 | 63 | 12 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 2,086 | 27 | 2 | 57 | 14 |
| | Secondary or below | 3,313 | 27 | 2 | 59 | 12 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 5,470 | 26 | 2 | 59 | 12 |
| | Unemployed | 415 | 24 | 2 | 61 | 13 |
| | Home duties | 432 | 22 | 3 | 62 | 13 |
| | Retired | 1,736 | 26 | 1 | 58 | 14 |
| | Student | 388 | 31 | 2 | 60 | 7** |
| | unable to work | 218 | 19 | 6** | 59 | 15 |
| Occupation | Manager | 805 | 25 | 1 | 62 | 12 |
| | Professional | 1,658 | 23 | 1 | 63** | 12 |
| | Technicians and trade | 643 | 28 | 3 | 55 | 14 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 735 | 24 | 2 | 62 | 11 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 656 | 26 | 2 | 58 | 13 |
| | Sales worker | 381 | 33** | 3 | 56 | 9 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 195 | 29 | 2 | 54 | 14 |
| | Labourer | 333 | 30 | 3 | 54 | 12 |
| | Other | 24 | 20 | - | 69 | 11 |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 1,502 | 26 | 1 | 56 | 15 |
| | Couple only | 2,667 | 26 | 1 | 59 | 13 |
| | Couple children at home | 3,182 | 27 | 2 | 60 | 11 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 559 | 25 | 2 | 61 | 11 |
| | Group household | 380 | 27 | 3 | 59 | 11 |
| | Other type of household | 400 | 26 | 4** | 58 | 12 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 2,540 | 32** | 3 | 52** | 13 |
| | Moderate understanding | 4,324 | 25 | 2 | 61 | 12 |
| | High understanding | 1,866 | 21** | 1 | 65** | 13 |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 2,043 | 30** | 2 | 55** | 13 |
| | Medium | 3,730 | 27 | 2 | 58 | 13 |
| | High | 2,946 | 22** | 2 | 65** | 11 |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 567 | 23 | 3 | 62 | 10 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 405 | 28 | 1 | 59 | 13 |
| | Does not have a disability | 7,719 | 26 | 2 | 59 | 13 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.4.6b: A lot of times women who say they were raped had led the man on and then had regrets

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|--|--|-------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,786 | 47 | 2 | 38 |
| Gender | Male | 3,984 | 42** | 2 | 42** |
| | Female | 4,802 | 53** | 2 | 34** |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 126 | 50 | 4 | 41 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 859 | 52 | 2 | 39 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 1,240 | 57** | 2 | 30** |
| | 35 to 44 years | 1,513 | 58** | 3 | 26** |
| | 45 to 54 years | 1,635 | 50 | 3 | 34** |
| | 55 to 64 years | 1,645 | 41** | 1 | 43** |
| | 65 to 74 years | 1,189 | 30** | 2 | 53** |
| | 75 years or more | 579 | 21** | 1 | 62** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 1,955 | 49 | 3 | 36 |
| | Victoria | 1,875 | 50 | 2 | 37 |
| | Queensland | 1,392 | 45 | 2 | 41 |
| | South Australia | 832 | 44 | 2 | 41 |
| | Western Australia | 980 | 45 | 1 | 43** |
| | Tasmania | 564 | 42 | 2 | 41 |
| | Northern Territory | 541 | 46 | 1 | 40 |
| | ACT | 647 | 52 | 2 | 30** |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 6,065 | 49 | 2 | 37 |
| | Inner regional | 1,286 | 45 | 3 | 39 |
| | Outer regional | 1,071 | 42** | 2 | 42 |
| | Remote | 270 | 46 | 1 | 43 |
| | Very remote | 66 | 57 | - | 33 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 1,143 | 44 | 3 | 41 |
| | 2 | 1,110 | 44 | 2 | 43** |
| | 3 | 1,554 | 48 | 3 | 38 |
| | 4 | 1,924 | 49 | 2 | 37 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 2,930 | 50 | 2 | 35 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 6,007 | 49 | 2 | 37 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 1,063 | 48 | 2 | 37 |
| | Other countries | 1,700 | 42** | 3 | 42** |
| Migration Status | First generation | 2,779 | 44** | 2 | 41 |
| | Second generation | 1,591 | 56** | 3 | 33** |
| | Third plus generation | 4,416 | 47** | 2 | 39 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 1,118 | 41** | 2 | 42 |
| | Does not speak English well | 218 | 31** | 7** | 50** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 2,007 | 44 | 2 | 40 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 735 | 45 | 3 | 41 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$
Don't know/refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.4.6b: A lot of times women who say they were raped had led the man on and then had regrets (cont.)

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|---|-----------------------------------|-------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,786 | 47 | 2 | 38 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 166 | 50 | 3 | 39 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 8,620 | 47 | 2 | 38 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 3,328 | 57** | 3 | 28** |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 2,168 | 48 | 2 | 37 |
| | Secondary or below | 3,234 | 43** | 2 | 43** |
| Employment Status | Employed | 5,519 | 52** | 2 | 34 |
| | Unemployed | 339 | 46 | 2 | 40 |
| | Home duties | 475 | 49 | 3 | 36 |
| | Retired | 1,791 | 65** | 1 | 30** |
| | Student | 367 | 73 | * | 27 |
| | unable to work | 224 | 49 | 1 | 37 |
| Occupation | Manager | 843 | 50 | 2 | 33** |
| | Professional | 1,606 | 60** | 2 | 26** |
| | Technicians and trade | 703 | 43 | 2 | 43 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 754 | 56** | 1 | 33** |
| | Clerical and administrative | 644 | 57** | 2 | 32** |
| | Sales worker | 393 | 52 | 1 | 38 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 187 | 47 | * | 42 |
| | Labourer | 324 | 43 | 5** | 38 |
| Other | 27 | 61 | 5 | 29 | |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 1,556 | 39** | 3 | 45** |
| | Couple only | 2,706 | 41** | 2 | 43** |
| | Couple children at home | 3,157 | 53** | 2 | 33** |
| | Lone parent children at home | 594 | 55** | 2 | 33 |
| | Group household | 363 | 51 | 2 | 36 |
| | Other type of household | 371 | 48 | 2 | 43 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 2,485 | 39** | 2 | 46** |
| | Moderate understanding | 4,535 | 49 | 2 | 37 |
| | High understanding | 1,765 | 57** | 3 | 28** |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 2,007 | 28** | 2 | 58** |
| | Medium | 3,715 | 47 | 3 | 38 |
| | High | 3,054 | 65** | 2 | 22** |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 567 | 45 | 2 | 41 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 428 | 24** | * | 63** |
| | Does not have a disability | 7,739 | 49 | 2 | 37 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.4.6c: If a woman doesn't physically resist then it isn't really rape

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|--|--|-------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,786 | 85 | * | 10 |
| Gender | Male | 3,984 | 84 | 1 | 10 |
| | Female | 4,802 | 85 | * | 11 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 126 | 92 | - | 6 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 859 | 88 | * | 9 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 1,240 | 84 | * | 12 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 1,513 | 87 | 1 | 9 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 1,635 | 88** | * | 8** |
| | 55 to 64 years | 1,645 | 86 | 1 | 9 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 1,189 | 78** | 1 | 14** |
| | 75 years or more | 579 | 71** | * | 17** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 1,955 | 84 | * | 11 |
| | Victoria | 1,875 | 83 | 1 | 11 |
| | Queensland | 1,392 | 87 | * | 9 |
| | South Australia | 832 | 85 | * | 10 |
| | Western Australia | 980 | 87 | * | 10 |
| | Tasmania | 564 | 84 | - | 9 |
| | Northern Territory | 541 | 83 | 1 | 10 |
| | ACT | 647 | 88 | * | 9 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 6,065 | 84 | * | 11 |
| | Inner regional | 1,286 | 88** | * | 8** |
| | Outer regional | 1,071 | 86 | 1 | 9 |
| | Remote | 270 | 86 | - | 11 |
| | Very remote | 66 | 85 | - | 14 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 1,143 | 82 | * | 11 |
| | 2 | 1,110 | 84 | 1 | 11 |
| | 3 | 1,554 | 85 | * | 10 |
| | 4 | 1,924 | 85 | * | 10 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 2,930 | 86 | 1 | 10 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 6,007 | 89** | * | 7** |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 1,063 | 92** | * | 5** |
| | Other countries | 1,700 | 67** | 1 | 23** |
| Migration Status | First generation | 2,779 | 75** | 1 | 17** |
| | Second generation | 1,591 | 89** | 1 | 8** |
| | Third plus generation | 4,416 | 89** | * | 7** |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 1,118 | 67** | 1 | 23** |
| | Does not speak English well | 218 | 49** | 3** | 35** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 2,007 | 79** | 1 | 14** |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 735 | 65** | 1 | 27** |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.4.6c: If a woman doesn't physically resist then it isn't really rape (cont.)

| | | Base | Nett | | |
|---|-----------------------------------|-------|----------|---------|------------|
| | | n | Disagree | Neither | Nett Agree |
| | | | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,786 | 85 | * | 10 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 166 | 82 | - | 14 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 8,620 | 85 | * | 10 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 3,328 | 84 | * | 13** |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 2,168 | 88** | * | 7** |
| | Secondary or below | 3,234 | 83 | * | 11 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 5,519 | 88** | * | 9 |
| | Unemployed | 339 | 84 | - | 10 |
| | Home duties | 475 | 79** | 1 | 14 |
| | Retired | 1,791 | 76** | 1 | 15 |
| | Student | 367 | 87 | * | 11 |
| | unable to work | 224 | 85 | * | 8 |
| Occupation | Manager | 843 | 88 | * | 8 |
| | Professional | 1,606 | 89** | * | 9 |
| | Technicians and trade | 703 | 87 | * | 9 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 754 | 86 | 1 | 10 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 644 | 92** | * | 7 |
| | Sales worker | 393 | 92** | * | 6 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 187 | 83 | 1 | 10 |
| | Labourer | 324 | 82 | 1 | 11 |
| Other | 27 | 98 | - | 2 | |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 1,556 | 79** | * | 13 |
| | Couple only | 2,706 | 84 | 1 | 11 |
| | Couple children at home | 3,157 | 86 | * | 10 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 594 | 90** | 1 | 5** |
| | Group household | 363 | 82 | * | 14 |
| | Other type of household | 371 | 85 | * | 9 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 2,485 | 77** | 1 | 15** |
| | Moderate understanding | 4,535 | 86 | * | 9 |
| | High understanding | 1,765 | 92** | * | 5** |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 2,007 | 71** | 1 | 20** |
| | Medium | 3,715 | 86 | * | 9 |
| | High | 3,054 | 94** | * | 4** |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 567 | 86 | - | 10 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 428 | 72** | - | 17** |
| | Does not have a disability | 7,739 | 85 | * | 10 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.5a: If a woman is raped while she is drunk or affected by drugs she is at least partly responsible

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|--|--|-------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,786 | 78 | * | 19 |
| Gender | Male | 3,984 | 80 | 1 | 18 |
| | Female | 4,802 | 77 | * | 20 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 126 | 75 | - | 25 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 859 | 82 | 1 | 17 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 1,240 | 81 | * | 17 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 1,513 | 85** | * | 13** |
| | 45 to 54 years | 1,635 | 83** | 1 | 15** |
| | 55 to 64 years | 1,645 | 78 | 1 | 19 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 1,189 | 69** | 1 | 28** |
| State / Territory | 75 years or more | 579 | 56** | 1 | 38** |
| | New South Wales | 1,955 | 79 | * | 19 |
| | Victoria | 1,875 | 78 | 1 | 19 |
| | Queensland | 1,392 | 80 | * | 19 |
| | South Australia | 832 | 78 | 1 | 19 |
| | Western Australia | 980 | 77 | 1 | 21 |
| | Tasmania | 564 | 75 | * | 23 |
| Remoteness Area | Northern Territory | 541 | 77 | * | 19 |
| | ACT | 647 | 81 | * | 17 |
| | Major city | 6,065 | 78 | * | 20 |
| | Inner regional | 1,286 | 83** | * | 15** |
| | Outer regional | 1,071 | 77 | * | 21 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | Remote | 270 | 73 | 1 | 25 |
| | Very remote | 66 | 72 | * | 28 |
| | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 1,143 | 75 | 1 | 21 |
| | 2 | 1,110 | 77 | * | 20 |
| | 3 | 1,554 | 79 | 1 | 18 |
| Birthplace | 4 | 1,924 | 80 | * | 18 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 2,930 | 79 | * | 19 |
| | Australia | 6,007 | 83** | * | 15** |
| Migration Status | Main English Speaking countries | 1,063 | 87** | * | 12** |
| | Other countries | 1,700 | 62** | 1 | 34** |
| Language Proficiency | First generation | 2,779 | 70** | * | 27** |
| | Second generation | 1,591 | 81 | 1 | 16 |
| | Third plus generation | 4,416 | 83** | * | 15** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 1,118 | 60** | 1 | 36** |
| Year of Arrival | Does not speak English well | 218 | 48** | 1 | 46** |
| | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | |
| Year of Arrival | Arrived before 2005 | 2,007 | 73** | * | 23** |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 735 | 61** | * | 37** |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$
Don't know/refused not shown

Appendix

Table 6.5a: If a woman is raped while she is drunk or affected by drugs she is at least partly responsible (cont.)

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|---|-----------------------------------|-------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,786 | 78 | * | 19 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 166 | 80 | - | 18 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 8,620 | 78 | * | 19 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 3,328 | 78 | 1 | 19 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 2,168 | 83** | * | 15** |
| | Secondary or below | 3,234 | 75** | 1 | 22** |
| Employment Status | Employed | 5,519 | 84** | * | 15** |
| | Unemployed | 339 | 77 | 1 | 19 |
| | Home duties | 475 | 74 | 1 | 23 |
| | Retired | 1,791 | 65** | 1 | 30** |
| | Student | 367 | 73 | * | 27** |
| | unable to work | 224 | 81 | * | 16 |
| Occupation | Manager | 843 | 84** | * | 15** |
| | Professional | 1,606 | 86** | * | 13** |
| | Technicians and trade | 703 | 81 | 1 | 17 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 754 | 83 | 1 | 15 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 644 | 86** | * | 13** |
| | Sales worker | 393 | 84 | * | 14 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 187 | 85 | - | 12 |
| | Labourer | 324 | 76 | - | 20 |
| Other | 27 | 84 | - | 16 | |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 1,556 | 69** | 1 | 26** |
| | Couple only | 2,706 | 77 | * | 21 |
| | Couple children at home | 3,157 | 82** | * | 16** |
| | Lone parent children at home | 594 | 83 | * | 16 |
| | Group household | 363 | 78 | * | 20 |
| | Other type of household | 371 | 77 | 1 | 19 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 2,485 | 69** | 1 | 28** |
| | Moderate understanding | 4,535 | 80 | * | 17 |
| | High understanding | 1,765 | 89** | * | 10** |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 2,007 | 57** | 1 | 39** |
| | Medium | 3,715 | 81** | * | 16** |
| | High | 3,054 | 92** | * | 6** |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 567 | 78 | * | 19** |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 428 | 59** | 1 | 37** |
| | Does not have a disability | 7,739 | 80 | * | 18 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.5b: Women often say no when they mean yes

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|--|--|-------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,731 | 74 | 1 | 16 |
| Gender | Male | 3,850 | 73 | 2 | 16 |
| | Female | 4,881 | 76 | 1 | 16 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 121 | 73 | 1 | 22 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 817 | 76 | 2 | 19 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 1,275 | 76 | 1 | 18 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 1,535 | 81** | 1 | 12** |
| | 45 to 54 years | 1,588 | 79** | 1 | 13 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 1,650 | 76 | 2 | 13** |
| | 65 to 74 years | 1,168 | 67** | 1 | 19 |
| | 75 years or more | 577 | 48** | 2 | 27** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 2,018 | 74 | 1 | 17 |
| | Victoria | 1,915 | 74 | 2 | 17 |
| | Queensland | 1,362 | 75 | 1 | 17 |
| | South Australia | 851 | 73 | 1 | 16 |
| | Western Australia | 946 | 74 | 2 | 15 |
| | Tasmania | 576 | 75 | 1 | 13 |
| | Northern Territory | 525 | 75 | 3 | 13 |
| | ACT | 538 | 76 | 1 | 14 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 5,977 | 73 | 1 | 17 |
| | Inner regional | 1,296 | 78 | 1 | 13 |
| | Outer regional | 1,102 | 75 | 2 | 15 |
| | Remote | 253 | 72 | 2 | 14 |
| | Very remote | 75 | 83 | 1 | 11 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 1,141 | 71 | 1 | 20 |
| | 2 | 1,176 | 75 | 1 | 16 |
| | 3 | 1,550 | 74 | 2 | 17 |
| | 4 | 1,967 | 73 | 1 | 17 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 2,762 | 77 | 1 | 14 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 5,989 | 80** | 1 | 12** |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 980 | 79** | 1 | 12** |
| | Other countries | 1,753 | 56** | 2 | 29** |
| Migration Status | First generation | 2,742 | 63** | 2 | 25** |
| | Second generation | 1,614 | 80** | 2 | 12** |
| | Third plus generation | 4,375 | 80** | 1 | 13** |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 1,171 | 57** | 1 | 31** |
| | Does not speak English well | 219 | 36** | 8** | 38** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 1,979 | 66** | 2 | 21** |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 729 | 54** | 2 | 34** |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.5b: Women often say no when they mean yes (cont.)

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|---|-----------------------------------|-------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,731 | 74 | 1 | 16 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 175 | 75 | - | 16 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 8,575 | 74 | * | 16 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 3,278 | 76 | 1 | 16 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 2,086 | 78** | 1 | 13** |
| | Secondary or below | 3,313 | 71** | 2 | 19** |
| Employment Status | Employed | 5,470 | 78 | 1 | 14 |
| | Unemployed | 415 | 74 | 1 | 20 |
| | Home duties | 432 | 75 | 1 | 15 |
| | Retired | 1,736 | 61** | 2 | 22 |
| | Student | 388 | 74 | 1 | 22 |
| | unable to work | 218 | 75 | 1 | 19 |
| Occupation | Manager | 805 | 82** | 2 | 11** |
| | Professional | 1,658 | 79** | 1 | 14 |
| | Technicians and trade | 643 | 77 | 1 | 14 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 735 | 81** | 1 | 14 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 656 | 80** | 1 | 14 |
| | Sales worker | 381 | 81 | 1 | 12 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 195 | 69 | 3 | 17 |
| | Labourer | 333 | 70 | 2 | 18 |
| Other | 24 | 79 | - | 6 | |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 1,502 | 64** | 1 | 21** |
| | Couple only | 2,667 | 74 | 1 | 16 |
| | Couple children at home | 3,182 | 78** | 1 | 15 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 559 | 78 | 1 | 15 |
| | Group household | 380 | 74 | 2 | 18 |
| | Other type of household | 400 | 73 | 2 | 19 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 2,540 | 64** | 2 | 25** |
| | Moderate understanding | 4,324 | 77** | 1 | 14** |
| | High understanding | 1,866 | 84** | * | 9** |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 2,043 | 54** | 3 | 30** |
| | Medium | 3,730 | 77** | 1 | 15 |
| | High | 2,946 | 89** | * | 7** |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 567 | 77 | 1 | 18 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 405 | 56** | 2 | 28** |
| | Does not have a disability | 7,719 | 75 | 1 | 16 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.5c: If a woman goes to a room alone with a man at a party, it's her fault if she's raped

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|--|--|-------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,731 | 85 | 1 | 12 |
| Gender | Male | 3,850 | 86 | 1 | 10 |
| | Female | 4,881 | 83 | 1 | 14 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 121 | 91 | - | 9 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 817 | 89** | 1 | 9** |
| | 25 to 34 years | 1,275 | 87 | 1 | 11 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 1,535 | 92** | 1 | 7** |
| | 45 to 54 years | 1,588 | 90** | 1 | 7 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 1,650 | 84 | 1 | 12 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 1,168 | 74** | 2 | 19** |
| | 75 years or more | 577 | 55** | 1 | 37** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 2,018 | 85 | 1 | 11 |
| | Victoria | 1,915 | 83 | 1 | 13 |
| | Queensland | 1,362 | 87 | 1 | 10 |
| | South Australia | 851 | 81 | * | 15 |
| | Western Australia | 946 | 84 | 1 | 13 |
| | Tasmania | 576 | 82 | 2 | 13 |
| | Northern Territory | 525 | 86 | 1 | 10 |
| | ACT | 538 | 85 | 1 | 12 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 5,977 | 85 | 1 | 12 |
| | Inner regional | 1,296 | 86 | 1 | 11 |
| | Outer regional | 1,102 | 83 | 1 | 13 |
| | Remote | 253 | 89 | 3 | 8 |
| | Very remote | 75 | 81 | 1 | 18 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 1,141 | 79** | 1 | 17** |
| | 2 | 1,176 | 84 | * | 13 |
| | 3 | 1,550 | 85 | 1 | 11 |
| | 4 | 1,967 | 86 | 1 | 11 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 2,762 | 87 | 1 | 10 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 5,989 | 89** | 1 | 8** |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 980 | 90** | * | 8** |
| | Other countries | 1,753 | 70** | 2 | 25** |
| Migration Status | First generation | 2,742 | 75** | 2 | 20** |
| | Second generation | 1,614 | 90** | 2 | 7** |
| | Third plus generation | 4,375 | 89** | 1 | 9** |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 1,171 | 72** | 2 | 24** |
| | Does not speak English well | 219 | 43** | 7** | 44** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 1,979 | 46** | 2 | 18** |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 729 | 72** | 2 | 24** |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$

Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.5c: If a woman goes to a room alone with a man at a party, it's her fault if she's raped (cont.)

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|---|-----------------------------------|-------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,731 | 85 | 1 | 12 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 175 | 84 | 1 | 12 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 8,556 | 85 | 1 | 12 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 3,278 | 88** | 1 | 10 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 2,086 | 89** | 1 | 8** |
| | Secondary or below | 3,313 | 81** | 1 | 15** |
| Employment Status | Employed | 5,470 | 90** | 1 | 8 |
| | Unemployed | 415 | 82 | 1 | 15 |
| | Home duties | 432 | 81 | 2 | 14 |
| | Retired | 1,736 | 68** | 2 | 26** |
| | Student | 388 | 86 | 1 | 11 |
| | unable to work | 218 | 82 | 2 | 14 |
| Occupation | Manager | 805 | 92** | 1 | 5** |
| | Professional | 1,658 | 92** | 1 | 6** |
| | Technicians and trade | 643 | 90** | 1 | 7** |
| | Community and Personal Service | 735 | 90** | * | 9 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 656 | 92** | * | 7** |
| | Sales worker | 381 | 91** | 1 | 6** |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 195 | 86 | - | 12 |
| | Labourer | 333 | 80 | 1 | 16 |
| Other | 24 | 97 | - | 3 | |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 1,502 | 74 | 2 | 21** |
| | Couple only | 2,667 | 83 | 1 | 13 |
| | Couple children at home | 3,182 | 88** | 1 | 9** |
| | Lone parent children at home | 559 | 87 | * | 12 |
| | Group household | 380 | 86 | 1 | 9 |
| | Other type of household | 400 | 87 | 1 | 11 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 2,540 | 80** | 1 | 16** |
| | Moderate understanding | 4,324 | 85 | 1 | 12 |
| | High understanding | 1,866 | 91** | 1 | 7** |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 2,043 | 66** | 2 | 28** |
| | Medium | 3,730 | 88** | 1 | 9** |
| | High | 2,946 | 96** | * | 3** |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 567 | 84 | 1 | 12 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 405 | 58** | 2 | 35** |
| | Does not have a disability | 7,719 | 86 | 1 | 11 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.5d: Domestic violence can be excused if the victim is heavily affected by alcohol

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|--|--|-------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,802 | 88 | * | 11 |
| Gender | Male | 3,955 | 87 | * | 11 |
| | Female | 4,847 | 89 | 1 | 10 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 133 | 87 | 1 | 11 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 858 | 90 | * | 9 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 1,280 | 86 | * | 12 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 1,529 | 89 | 1 | 10 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 1,610 | 91** | * | 8 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 1,650 | 89 | * | 10 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 1,181 | 86 | * | 12 |
| | 75 years or more | 561 | 81** | * | 16** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 1,996 | 88 | * | 11 |
| | Victoria | 1,867 | 86 | * | 13 |
| | Queensland | 1,407 | 90 | 1 | 8 |
| | South Australia | 831 | 88 | * | 10 |
| | Western Australia | 960 | 89 | * | 10 |
| | Tasmania | 571 | 89 | * | 10 |
| | Northern Territory | 543 | 86 | 1 | 12 |
| | ACT | 627 | 91 | * | 9 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 6,107 | 87 | * | 11 |
| | Inner regional | 1,281 | 90 | * | 9 |
| | Outer regional | 1,061 | 89 | - | 9 |
| | Remote | 261 | 90 | * | 9 |
| | Very remote | 64 | 81 | - | 19 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 1,149 | 84** | * | 14** |
| | 2 | 1,131 | 86 | * | 13 |
| | 3 | 1,515 | 90 | * | 9 |
| | 4 | 1,943 | 89 | * | 9 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 2,934 | 89 | 1 | 10 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 5,989 | 92** | * | 7** |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 1,058 | 91** | * | 8 |
| | Other countries | 1,741 | 74** | 1 | 22** |
| Migration Status | First generation | 2,813 | 80** | 1 | 18** |
| | Second generation | 1,582 | 91** | * | 8** |
| | Third plus generation | 4,407 | 92** | * | 7** |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 1,134 | 75** | 1 | 23** |
| | Does not speak English well | 229 | 59** | 4** | 32** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 2,017 | 83** | 1 | 15** |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 762 | 72** | 1 | 25** |

** Result is statistically significant, p ≤.01
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 6.5d: Domestic violence can be excused if the victim is heavily affected by alcohol (cont.)

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|---|-----------------------------------|-------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,802 | 88 | * | 11 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 171 | 74** | * | 25** |
| | Non-Indigenous | 8,631 | 88 | * | 10 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 3,347 | 89 | * | 10 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 2,191 | 91** | * | 8** |
| | Secondary or below | 3,201 | 86** | * | 13** |
| Employment Status | Employed | 5,568 | 90** | * | 9 |
| | Unemployed | 366 | 85 | * | 14 |
| | Home duties | 461 | 86 | 1 | 11 |
| | Retired | 1,754 | 84** | * | 14** |
| | Student | 373 | 88 | * | 12 |
| | unable to work | 218 | 83 | 1 | 15 |
| Occupation | Manager | 827 | 92** | * | 7** |
| | Professional | 1,652 | 92** | * | 7** |
| | Technicians and trade | 699 | 87 | * | 12 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 763 | 89 | 1 | 9 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 647 | 96** | - | 4** |
| | Sales worker | 405 | 92 | * | 8 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 189 | 79** | - | 19** |
| | Labourer | 317 | 81** | 2 | 17** |
| Other | 28 | 83 | - | 17 | |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 1,552 | 85 | * | 13 |
| | Couple only | 2,674 | 89 | * | 10 |
| | Couple children at home | 3,177 | 88 | 1 | 10 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 610 | 90 | 1 | 8 |
| | Group household | 370 | 85 | 1 | 13 |
| | Other type of household | 375 | 88 | * | 10 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 2,475 | 83** | 1 | 15** |
| | Moderate understanding | 4,475 | 89 | * | 10 |
| | High understanding | 1,851 | 92** | * | 6** |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 1,992 | 77** | 1 | 20** |
| | Medium | 3,752 | 89 | * | 10 |
| | High | 3,051 | 95** | * | 4** |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 547 | 89 | * | 10 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 387 | 82** | * | 15 |
| | Does not have a disability | 7,825 | 88 | * | 10 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 8.1.1: How respondent would react if present when a family member or close friend was being physically assaulted by her partner – with or without children present

| | | Base n | Most Likely Ignore % | Feel Uncomfor- table but Not Act % | Say or Do Something to Help % | Physically Intervene % |
|---|--|-----------|-------------------------------|--|--|------------------------------|
| | Total Sample | 17,517 | * | 1 | 41 | 57 |
| Gender | Male | 7,834 | * | 1 | 33** | 65** |
| | Female | 9,683 | * | 2 | 48** | 49** |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 247 | * | 1 | 39 | 59 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,676 | * | 1 | 33** | 65** |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,515 | 1 | 2 | 33** | 64** |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,048 | * | 1 | 37** | 62** |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,223 | * | 1 | 41 | 57 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,295 | * | 1 | 45** | 53** |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,357 | * | 2 | 51** | 46** |
| | 75 years or more | 1,156 | 1 | 4** | 60** | 34** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,973 | * | 2 | 42 | 56 |
| | Victoria | 3,790 | * | 1 | 41 | 57 |
| | Queensland | 2,754 | * | 1 | 37** | 60** |
| | South Australia | 1,683 | * | 2 | 46** | 51** |
| | Western Australia | 1,926 | * | 1 | 40 | 57 |
| | Tasmania | 1,140 | * | 2 | 45 | 52 |
| | Northern Territory | 1,066 | * | 2 | 35** | 62** |
| | ACT | 1,185 | * | 1 | 45 | 53 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,042 | * | 1 | 41 | 57 |
| | Inner regional | 2,582 | * | 1 | 41 | 57 |
| | Outer regional | 2,173 | * | 2 | 41 | 57 |
| | Remote | 523 | * | 2 | 35 | 63 |
| | Very remote | 141 | * | 2 | 42 | 55 |
| Socio- economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,284 | * | 2 | 43 | 54 |
| | 2 | 2,286 | * | 1 | 40 | 57 |
| | 3 | 3,104 | * | 1 | 40 | 58 |
| | 4 | 3,891 | * | 1 | 40 | 57 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,692 | * | 1 | 41 | 57 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,996 | * | 1 | 39** | 59** |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,043 | * | 1 | 37 | 64** |
| | Other countries | 3,453 | 1 | 2 | 49** | 48** |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,521 | * | 2 | 45** | 52** |
| | Second generation | 3,205 | * | 1 | 38** | 60** |
| | Third plus generation | 8,791 | * | 1 | 39 | 59** |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,289 | 1 | 2 | 48 | 48** |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 1 | 3 | 54 | 41** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,986 | * | 1 | 46 | 51** |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,464 | 1 | 3** | 42 | 53 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 8.1.1: How respondent would react if present when a family member or close friend was being physically assaulted by her partner – with or without children present (cont.)

| | | Base n | Most Likely Ignore % | Feel Uncomfor- table but Not Act % | Say or Do Something to Help % | Physically Intervene % |
|---|-----------------------------------|-----------|-------------------------------|--|--|------------------------------|
| | Total Sample | 17,517 | * | 1 | 41 | 57 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | 1 | 2 | 33 | 64 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17,176 | * | 1 | 41 | 57 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6,606 | * | 1 | 42 | 56 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4,254 | * | 1 | 39 | 59 |
| | Secondary or below | 6,547 | * | 2 | 41 | 56 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10,989 | * | 1 | 37** | 61** |
| | Unemployed | 754 | * | 2 | 36 | 61 |
| | Home duties | 907 | * | 2 | 46** | 51** |
| | Retired | 3,527 | * | 3** | 54** | 41** |
| | Student | 755 | * | 2 | 39 | 59 |
| | unable to work | 442 | - | 1 | 43 | 55 |
| Occupation | Manager | 1,648 | * | 1 | 34** | 64** |
| | Professional | 3,264 | * | 1 | 38 | 61** |
| | Technicians and trade | 1,346 | * | 1 | 33** | 65** |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1,489 | * | 1 | 43 | 56 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1,300 | * | 1 | 39 | 60 |
| | Sales worker | 774 | * | * | 36 | 63** |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | * | 2 | 36 | 61 |
| | Labourer | 657 | 1 | 2 | 35** | 62 |
| Other | 51 | - | - | 58 | 42 | |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 3,058 | * | 3** | 50** | 46** |
| | Couple only | 5,373 | * | 1 | 42 | 55 |
| | Couple children at home | 6,339 | * | 1 | 38** | 60** |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1,153 | * | 1 | 40 | 58 |
| | Group household | 743 | * | 1 | 35 | 63** |
| | Other type of household | 771 | 1 | 2 | 38 | 58 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5,025 | 1 | 2 | 41 | 56 |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859 | * | 1 | 40 | 58 |
| | High understanding | 3,631 | * | 1 | 42 | 56 |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4,050 | 1 | 3** | 44** | 51** |
| | Medium | 7,445 | * | 1 | 40 | 59 |
| | High | 6,000 | * | * | 40 | 59** |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134 | * | 2 | 41 | 56 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | * | 4** | 57** | 37** |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458 | * | 1 | 40 | 58 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 8.1.2: How respondent would react if present when a woman they didn't know was being physically assaulted by her partner – with or without children present

| | | Base n | Most Likely Ignore % | Feel Uncomfor- table but Not Act % | Say or Do Something to Help % | Physically Intervene % |
|---|--|-----------|-------------------------------|--|--|------------------------------|
| | Total Sample | 17,517 | 1 | 5 | 64 | 28 |
| Gender | Male | 7,834 | 1 | 5 | 54** | 39** |
| | Female | 9,683 | 1 | 6 | 74** | 18** |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 247 | - | 10** | 67 | 23 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,676 | 1 | 9** | 61 | 29 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,515 | 1 | 6 | 62 | 29 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,048 | 1 | 4 | 64 | 30 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,223 | * | 3** | 65 | 30 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,295 | 1 | 4 | 66 | 28 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,357 | 1 | 6 | 66 | 24** |
| | 75 years or more | 1,156 | 3** | 7 | 68 | 19** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,973 | 1 | 5 | 65 | 28 |
| | Victoria | 3,790 | 1 | 6 | 63 | 28 |
| | Queensland | 2,754 | 1 | 6 | 63 | 29 |
| | South Australia | 1,683 | 1 | 6 | 69** | 22** |
| | Western Australia | 1,926 | 1 | 5 | 64 | 29 |
| | Tasmania | 1,140 | 1 | 5 | 64 | 28 |
| | Northern Territory | 1,066 | 1 | 3** | 63 | 31 |
| | ACT | 1,185 | 1 | 4 | 68 | 26 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,042 | 1 | 6 | 64 | 27 |
| | Inner regional | 2,582 | 1 | 4 | 65 | 29 |
| | Outer regional | 2,173 | 1 | 5 | 63 | 29 |
| | Remote | 523 | 1 | 3 | 62 | 33 |
| | Very remote | 141 | - | 4 | 65 | 31 |
| Socio- economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,284 | 1 | 6 | 63 | 29 |
| | 2 | 2,286 | 1 | 5 | 64 | 28 |
| | 3 | 3,104 | 1 | 6 | 62 | 30 |
| | 4 | 3,891 | 1 | 5 | 66 | 26 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,692 | 1 | 5 | 66 | 27 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,996 | 1 | 5 | 64 | 29 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,043 | * | 5 | 64 | 30 |
| | Other countries | 3,453 | 2 | 6 | 67 | 23** |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,521 | 2 | 6 | 66 | 25** |
| | Second generation | 3,205 | 1 | 6 | 63 | 29 |
| | Third plus generation | 8,791 | 1 | 5 | 64 | 29 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,289 | 2 | 7 | 66 | 24** |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 5** | 7 | 63 | 21** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,986 | 1 | 5 | 67 | 25** |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,464 | 3** | 7 | 64 | 24 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 8.1.2: How respondent would react if present when a woman they didn't know was being physically assaulted by her partner – with or without children present (cont.)

| | | Base n | Most Likely Ignore % | Feel Uncomfor- table but Not Act % | Say or Do Something to Help % | Physically Intervene % |
|---|-----------------------------------|-----------|-------------------------------|--|--|------------------------------|
| | Total Sample | 17,517 | 1 | 5 | 64 | 28 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | * | 5 | 57 | 36** |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17,176 | 1 | 5 | 65 | 28 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6,606 | 1 | 6 | 70** | 22** |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4,254 | 1 | 4 | 62** | 32** |
| | Secondary or below | 6,574 | 1 | 6 | 64 | 28 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10,989 | 1 | 5 | 63 | 30** |
| | Unemployed | 754 | 1 | 5 | 61 | 31 |
| | Home duties | 907 | 1 | 6 | 72** | 20** |
| | Retired | 3,527 | 2 | 7** | 67** | 22** |
| | Student | 755 | 1 | 10** | 64 | 24 |
| | Unable to work | 442 | 1 | 3 | 61 | 34** |
| Occupation | Manager | 1,648 | 1 | 3** | 60** | 35** |
| | Professional | 3,264 | * | 4 | 69** | 25** |
| | Technicians and trade | 1,346 | 1 | 4 | 53** | 40** |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1,489 | 1 | 4 | 70** | 23** |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1,300 | 1 | 6 | 69** | 23** |
| | Sales worker | 774 | 1 | 7 | 65 | 26 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | 1 | 3 | 54** | 40** |
| | Labourer | 657 | 1 | 4 | 54** | 39** |
| Other | 51 | - | 7 | 80 | 13 | |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 3,058 | 2 | 7** | 66 | 23** |
| | Couple only | 5,373 | 1 | 5 | 64 | 28 |
| | Couple children at home | 6,339 | 1 | 5 | 65 | 28 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1,153 | 1 | 4 | 64 | 28 |
| | Group household | 743 | 1 | 4 | 60 | 34** |
| | Other type of household | 771 | 1 | 6 | 64 | 27 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5,025 | 2 | 8** | 62** | 27 |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859 | 1 | 5 | 66 | 27 |
| | High understanding | 3,631 | * | 3** | 65 | 31** |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4,050 | 2 | 8** | 60** | 28 |
| | Medium | 7,445 | 1 | 5 | 64 | 29 |
| | High | 6,000 | * | 3** | 69** | 26 |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134 | 1 | 4 | 62 | 33** |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | 2 | 7 | 66 | 23 |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458 | 1 | 5 | 65 | 28 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 8.2: If I needed to get outside advice or support for someone about a domestic violence issue, I would know where to go

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|--|--|--------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 40 | 1 | 57 |
| Gender | Male | 7,834 | 44** | 1 | 53** |
| | Female | 9,683 | 38** | 1 | 60** |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 247 | 34 | * | 64 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 1,676 | 45** | 1 | 52** |
| | 25 to 34 years | 2,515 | 41 | 1 | 56 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 3,048 | 38 | 1 | 60** |
| | 45 to 54 years | 3,223 | 39 | * | 59 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 3,295 | 41 | 1 | 57 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 2,357 | 40 | 1 | 56 |
| | 75 years or more | 1,156 | 42 | 1 | 52** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 3,973 | 40 | 1 | 57 |
| | Victoria | 3,790 | 42 | 1 | 55 |
| | Queensland | 2,754 | 39 | 1 | 58 |
| | South Australia | 1,683 | 40 | * | 58 |
| | Western Australia | 1,926 | 41 | 1 | 56 |
| | Tasmania | 1,140 | 43 | * | 54 |
| | Northern Territory | 1,066 | 27** | 1 | 69** |
| | ACT | 1,185 | 37 | 1 | 61 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 12,042 | 42 | 1 | 56 |
| | Inner regional | 2,582 | 37 | 1 | 60 |
| | Outer regional | 2,173 | 37 | * | 60 |
| | Remote | 523 | 37 | * | 62 |
| | Very remote | 141 | 27 | - | 73** |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 2,284 | 36** | 1 | 62** |
| | 2 | 2,286 | 39 | 1 | 58 |
| | 3 | 3,104 | 40 | 1 | 57 |
| | 4 | 3,891 | 42 | 1 | 56 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 5,692 | 43** | 1 | 54** |
| Birthplace | Australia | 11,996 | 40 | 1 | 58** |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 2,043 | 46** | 1 | 52** |
| | Other countries | 3,453 | 41 | 1 | 55 |
| Migration Status | First generation | 5,521 | 42 | 1 | 54** |
| | Second generation | 3,205 | 41 | * | 57 |
| | Third plus generation | 8,791 | 39 | 1 | 59 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 2,289 | 38 | 1 | 58 |
| | Does not speak English well | 437 | 53** | 3** | 41** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 3,986 | 41 | 1 | 55 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 1,464 | 46** | 1 | 50** |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 8.2: If I needed to get outside advice or support for someone about a domestic violence issue, I would know where to go (cont.)

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|---|-----------------------------------|--------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 17,517 | 40 | 1 | 57 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 341 | 27** | 1 | 71** |
| | Non-Indigenous | 17,176 | 41 | 1 | 57 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 6,606 | 38** | 1 | 59** |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 4,254 | 40 | 1 | 58 |
| | Secondary or below | 6,547 | 42 | 1 | 55 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 10,989 | 40 | 1 | 58 |
| | Unemployed | 754 | 37 | 1 | 59 |
| | Home duties | 907 | 41 | 1 | 57 |
| | Retired | 3,527 | 41 | 1 | 54 |
| | Student | 755 | 43 | 1 | 55 |
| | unable to work | 442 | 36 | 1 | 60 |
| Occupation | Manager | 1,648 | 41 | 1 | 57 |
| | Professional | 3,264 | 38 | 1 | 60 |
| | Technicians and trade | 1,346 | 48** | * | 49** |
| | Community and Personal Service | 1,489 | 32** | * | 67** |
| | Clerical and administrative | 1,300 | 39 | * | 59 |
| | Sales worker | 774 | 45 | 1 | 53 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 382 | 42 | * | 56 |
| | Labourer | 657 | 39 | 1 | 57 |
| Other | 51 | 30 | 3 | 67 | |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 3,058 | 40 | 1 | 56 |
| | Couple only | 5,373 | 41 | 1 | 57 |
| | Couple children at home | 6,339 | 41 | 1 | 57 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 1,153 | 37 | * | 61 |
| | Group household | 743 | 44 | 1 | 52 |
| | Other type of household | 771 | 40 | 2 | 57 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5,025 | 44** | 1 | 53** |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859 | 40 | 1 | 57 |
| | High understanding | 3,631 | 35** | * | 63** |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4,050 | 42 | 1 | 54** |
| | Medium | 7,445 | 41 | 1 | 61** |
| | High | 6,000 | 38** | * | 61 |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134 | 40 | * | 59 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833 | 41 | 1 | 55 |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458 | 41 | 1 | 57 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 8.3.1: Most people turn a blind eye to, or ignore domestic violence

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|--|--|-------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,715 | 14 | 2 | 81 |
| Gender | Male | 3,879 | 16** | 2 | 78** |
| | Female | 4,836 | 12** | 1 | 84** |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 114 | 21 | 3 | 76 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 818 | 12 | 1 | 86** |
| | 25 to 34 years | 1,235 | 17 | 1 | 80 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 1,519 | 15 | 2 | 80 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 1,613 | 13 | 2 | 82 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 1,645 | 12 | 2 | 81 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 1,176 | 13 | 1 | 81 |
| | 75 years or more | 595 | 14 | 1 | 79 |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 1,977 | 14 | 2 | 80 |
| | Victoria | 1,923 | 15 | 1 | 80 |
| | Queensland | 1,347 | 12 | 1 | 84 |
| | South Australia | 852 | 13 | 1 | 81 |
| | Western Australia | 966 | 14 | 2 | 82 |
| | Tasmania | 569 | 12 | 1 | 82 |
| | Northern Territory | 523 | 14 | 1 | 83 |
| | ACT | 558 | 14 | 2 | 78 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 5,935 | 14 | 2 | 81 |
| | Inner regional | 1,301 | 12 | * | 82 |
| | Outer regional | 1,112 | 13 | 1 | 83 |
| | Remote | 262 | 12 | 6** | 79 |
| | Very remote | 77 | 21 | 6 | 71 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 1,135 | 13 | 1 | 83 |
| | 2 | 1,155 | 12 | 1 | 83 |
| | 3 | 1,589 | 15 | 1 | 81 |
| | 4 | 1,948 | 14 | 2 | 80 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 2,758 | 15 | 2 | 80 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 6,007 | 13 | 1 | 83 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 985 | 14 | 2 | 80 |
| | Other countries | 1,712 | 16 | 2 | 77** |
| Migration Status | First generation | 2,708 | 16 | 2 | 78** |
| | Second generation | 1,623 | 12 | 1 | 84 |
| | Third plus generation | 4,384 | 13 | 1 | 82 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 1,155 | 15 | 2 | 79 |
| | Does not speak English well | 208 | 30** | 6** | 60** |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 1,969 | 14 | 2 | 78 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 702 | 19** | 2 | 76** |

** Result is statistically significant, p ≤.01
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 8.3.1: Most people turn a blind eye to, or ignore domestic violence (cont.)

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree |
|---|-----------------------------------|-------|------|---------|------------|
| | | n | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,715 | 14 | 2 | 81 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 170 | 6 | * | 93** |
| | Non-Indigenous | 8,545 | 14 | 2 | 81 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 3,259 | 16 | 1 | 79 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 2,063 | 14 | 2 | 81 |
| | Secondary or below | 3,346 | 13 | 1 | 82 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 5,421 | 14 | 2 | 81 |
| | Unemployed | 388 | 13 | 2 | 83 |
| | Home duties | 446 | 13 | 2 | 82 |
| | Retired | 1,773 | 12 | 1 | 81 |
| | Student | 382 | 18 | 2 | 79 |
| | unable to work | 224 | 8 | 2 | 87 |
| Occupation | Manager | 821 | 18** | 2 | 75** |
| | Professional | 1,612 | 16 | 1 | 81 |
| | Technicians and trade | 647 | 16 | 2 | 77 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 726 | 13 | 2 | 85 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 653 | 12 | 2 | 83 |
| | Sales worker | 369 | 11 | * | 85 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 193 | 11 | 2 | 84 |
| | Labourer | 340 | 10 | 2 | 85 |
| Other | 23 | 25 | 8 | 63 | |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 1,506 | 11 | 1 | 82 |
| | Couple only | 2,699 | 13 | 1 | 82 |
| | Couple children at home | 3,162 | 15 | 2 | 80 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 543 | 10 | 2 | 87** |
| | Group household | 373 | 18 | 2 | 76 |
| | Other type of household | 396 | 13 | 1 | 83 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 2,550 | 19** | 2 | 76** |
| | Moderate understanding | 4,384 | 12 | 1 | 83 |
| | High understanding | 1,780 | 9 | 1 | 86 |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 2,058 | 17** | 2 | 78** |
| | Medium | 3,693 | 13 | 2 | 82 |
| | High | 2,949 | 12** | 1 | 83** |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 587 | 10 | 2 | 85 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 446 | 13 | 1 | 81 |
| | Does not have a disability | 7,633 | 14 | 1 | 81 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Don't know/refused not shown

Table 8.3.2: Police now respond more quickly to domestic violence calls than they did in the past

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree | DK |
|--|--|-------|------|---------|------------|------|
| | | n | % | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,715 | 12 | 2 | 44 | 42 |
| Gender | Male | 3,879 | 13 | 3 | 41 | 43 |
| | Female | 4,836 | 11 | 2 | 46 | 41 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 114 | 9 | 2 | 66** | 23** |
| | 18 to 24 years | 818 | 11 | 3 | 52** | 35** |
| | 25 to 34 years | 1,235 | 11 | 3 | 45 | 41 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 1,519 | 12 | 3 | 39** | 46** |
| | 45 to 54 years | 1,613 | 14 | 2 | 38** | 45 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 1,645 | 14 | 2 | 44 | 40 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 1,176 | 11 | 2 | 43 | 44 |
| State / Territory | 75 years or more | 595 | 9 | 1 | 45 | 45 |
| | New South Wales | 1,977 | 11 | 2 | 46 | 40 |
| | Victoria | 1,923 | 11 | 3 | 43 | 44 |
| | Queensland | 1,347 | 14 | 2 | 43 | 41 |
| | South Australia | 852 | 12 | 2 | 40 | 46 |
| | Western Australia | 966 | 12 | 2 | 41 | 44 |
| | Tasmania | 569 | 15 | 2 | 48 | 36 |
| Remoteness Area | Northern Territory | 523 | 14 | 2 | 47 | 36 |
| | ACT | 558 | 10 | 3 | 45 | 42 |
| | Major city | 5,935 | 12 | 3 | 44 | 42 |
| | Inner regional | 1,301 | 12 | 1 | 45 | 42 |
| | Outer regional | 1,112 | 14 | 2 | 42 | 42 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | Remote | 262 | 12 | 4 | 46 | 38 |
| | Very remote | 77 | 8 | 5 | 43 | 43 |
| | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 1,135 | 13 | 2 | 46 | 38 |
| | 2 | 1,155 | 12 | 2 | 47 | 39 |
| | 3 | 1,589 | 14 | 2 | 42 | 42 |
| Birthplace | 4 | 1,948 | 12 | 3 | 43 | 43 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 2,758 | 9** | 3 | 43 | 45 |
| | Australia | 6,007 | 12 | 2 | 44 | 42 |
| Migration Status | Main English Speaking countries | 985 | 12 | 3 | 39** | 46 |
| | Other countries | 1,712 | 10 | 3 | 46 | 41 |
| Language Proficiency | First generation | 2,708 | 11 | 3 | 44 | 43 |
| | Second generation | 1,623 | 12 | 3 | 42 | 43 |
| | Third plus generation | 4,384 | 13 | 2 | 45 | 41 |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 1,155 | 10 | 2 | 47 | 40 |
| Year of Arrival | Does not speak English well | 208 | 14 | 7** | 45 | 35 |
| | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | | |
| Year of Arrival | Arrived before 2005 | 1,969 | 11 | 3 | 42 | 44 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 702 | 9 | 3 | 48 | 39 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq 0.01$

Don't know/refused not shown

Table 8.3.2: Police now respond more quickly to domestic violence calls than they did in the past (cont.)

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree | DK |
|---|-----------------------------------|-------|------|---------|------------|------|
| | | n | % | % | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,715 | 12 | 2 | 44 | 42 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 170 | 16 | 2 | 54 | 28** |
| | Non-Indigenous | 8,545 | 12 | 2 | 44 | 42 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 3,259 | 10 | 3 | 42 | 45** |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 2,063 | 14 | 3 | 40** | 43 |
| | Secondary or below | 3,346 | 11 | 2 | 47** | 40 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 5,421 | 12 | 3 | 41 | 44** |
| | Unemployed | 388 | 13 | 1 | 51 | 35 |
| | Home duties | 446 | 13 | 2 | 46 | 40 |
| | Retired | 1,773 | 11 | 2 | 46 | 41 |
| | Student | 382 | 8 | 2 | 56** | 34** |
| | unable to work | 224 | 16 | 3 | 44 | 38 |
| Occupation | Manager | 821 | 13 | 2 | 36** | 49** |
| | Professional | 1,612 | 10 | 3 | 43 | 43 |
| | Technicians and trade | 647 | 14 | 3 | 36** | 47 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 726 | 12 | 4 | 50** | 35** |
| | Clerical and administrative | 653 | 13 | 2 | 36** | 48** |
| | Sales worker | 369 | 11 | 3 | 45 | 41 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 193 | 14 | 2 | 41 | 44 |
| | Labourer | 340 | 13 | 2 | 47 | 37 |
| Other | 23 | - | 26 | 46 | 27 | |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 1,506 | 13 | 1 | 43 | 42 |
| | Couple only | 2,699 | 14 | 2 | 42 | 42 |
| | Couple children at home | 3,162 | 10 | 3 | 44 | 43 |
| | Lone parent children at home | 543 | 14 | 1 | 46 | 38 |
| | Group household | 373 | 13 | 4 | 41 | 42 |
| | Other type of household | 396 | 10 | 2 | 52** | 36 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 2,550 | 13 | 3 | 41 | 43 |
| | Moderate understanding | 4,384 | 11 | 2 | 45 | 41 |
| | High understanding | 1,780 | 12 | 2 | 44 | 42 |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 2,058 | 12 | 3 | 47 | 38** |
| | Medium | 3,693 | 12 | 3 | 42 | 43 |
| | High | 2,949 | 12 | 2 | 43 | 44 |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 587 | 20** | 1 | 45 | 33** |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 446 | 10 | - | 42 | 47 |
| | Does not have a disability | 7,633 | 11 | 3 | 44 | 42 |

** Result is statistically significant, $p \leq .01$

[#] Weighted to independent population benchmarks

(a) Long-term disability that reduces the amount or kind of activity that can be undertaken
Refused not shown

Appendix

Table 8.4: Women with disabilities who report rape or sexual assault are less likely to be believed than other women

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree | DK |
|--|--|-------|----------|---------|------------|------|
| | | n | Disagree | % | % | % |
| | | | % | | | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,731 | 43 | 1 | 42 | 14 |
| Gender | Male | 3,850 | 45 | 1 | 39** | 15 |
| | Female | 4,881 | 41 | 1 | 45** | 13 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 121 | 50 | - | 49 | 1** |
| | 18 to 24 years | 817 | 53** | 1 | 40 | 6** |
| | 25 to 34 years | 1,275 | 49** | 1 | 38 | 12 |
| | 35 to 44 years | 1,535 | 46 | 1 | 39 | 13 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 1,588 | 42 | 1 | 41 | 15 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 1,650 | 36** | 1 | 47** | 16 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 1,168 | 33** | 1 | 47 | 19** |
| | 75 years or more | 577 | 30** | 1 | 45 | 23** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 2,018 | 44 | 1 | 41 | 14 |
| | Victoria | 1,915 | 41 | 1 | 44 | 14 |
| | Queensland | 1,362 | 46 | 1 | 41 | 12 |
| | South Australia | 851 | 40 | 1 | 44 | 15 |
| | Western Australia | 946 | 43 | 2 | 42 | 14 |
| | Tasmania | 576 | 41 | * | 43 | 16 |
| | Northern Territory | 525 | 45 | 1 | 33** | 20** |
| | ACT | 538 | 37 | 2 | 45 | 16 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 5,977 | 44 | 1 | 41 | 13 |
| | Inner regional | 1,296 | 39 | 1 | 44 | 16 |
| | Outer regional | 1,102 | 39 | 1 | 44 | 16 |
| | Remote | 253 | 42 | 3 | 37 | 17 |
| | Very remote | 75 | 44 | - | 36 | 19 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 1,141 | 41 | 1 | 44 | 14 |
| | 2 | 1,176 | 42 | 1 | 42 | 14 |
| | 3 | 1,550 | 42 | 1 | 42 | 14 |
| | 4 | 1,967 | 44 | 1 | 42 | 13 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 2,762 | 45 | 1 | 41 | 13 |
| Birthplace | Australia | 5,989 | 42 | 1 | 43 | 14 |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 980 | 43 | 1 | 41 | 15 |
| | Other countries | 1,753 | 45 | 2 | 39 | 14 |
| Migration Status | First generation | 2,742 | 45 | 2 | 39 | 14 |
| | Second generation | 1,614 | 44 | 2 | 42 | 13 |
| | Third plus generation | 4,375 | 41 | 1 | 44 | 14 |
| Language Proficiency | <i>Base: First generation Australians speak LOTE at home</i> | | | | | |
| | Speak English well | 1,171 | 48** | 1 | 38 | 13 |
| | Does not speak English well | 219 | 39 | 9** | 35 | 18 |
| Year of Arrival | <i>Base: First generation Australians</i> | | | | | |
| | Arrived before 2005 | 1,979 | 42 | 2 | 40 | 16 |
| | Arrived from 2005 | 729 | 53** | 2 | 37 | 8** |

Appendix

Table 8.4: Women with disabilities who report rape or sexual assault are less likely to be believed than other women (cont.)

| | | Base | Nett | Neither | Nett Agree | DK |
|---|-----------------------------------|-------|----------|---------|------------|------|
| | | n | Disagree | % | % | % |
| | | | % | | | % |
| Total Sample | | 8,731 | 43 | 1 | 42 | 14 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 175 | 42 | * | 45 | 13 |
| | Non-Indigenous | 8,556 | 43 | 1 | 42 | 14 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 3,278 | 43 | 1 | 42 | 13 |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 2,086 | 43 | 1 | 40 | 15 |
| | Secondary or below | 3,313 | 43 | 1 | 43 | 13 |
| Employment Status | Employed | 5,470 | 45 | 1 | 41 | 13 |
| | Unemployed | 415 | 45 | 1 | 42 | 12 |
| | Home duties | 432 | 41 | 2 | 40 | 17 |
| | Retired | 1,736 | 34** | 1 | 46 | 19** |
| | Student | 388 | 50 | 1 | 43 | 6** |
| | unable to work | 218 | 39 | 2 | 43 | 15 |
| Occupation | Manager | 805 | 42 | 1 | 43 | 14 |
| | Professional | 1,658 | 43 | 1 | 43 | 12 |
| | Technicians and trade | 643 | 50** | 1 | 35** | 14 |
| | Community and Personal Service | 735 | 42 | 1 | 45 | 13 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 656 | 46 | 1 | 42 | 12 |
| | Sales worker | 381 | 53** | 1 | 37 | 9 |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 195 | 36 | 1 | 44 | 19 |
| | Labourer | 333 | 48 | 1 | 38 | 12 |
| | Other | 24 | 46 | 2 | 30 | 22 |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 1,502 | 37** | 1 | 43 | 18** |
| | Couple only | 2,667 | 39** | 1 | 44 | 16 |
| | Couple children at home | 3,182 | 46** | 1 | 41 | 11** |
| | Lone parent children at home | 559 | 44 | 1 | 41 | 14 |
| | Group household | 380 | 47 | * | 40 | 13 |
| | Other type of household | 400 | 44 | 2 | 39 | 15 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 2,540 | 45 | 1 | 39 | 15 |
| | Moderate understanding | 4,324 | 42 | 1 | 43 | 13 |
| | High understanding | 1,866 | 42 | 1 | 44 | 13 |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 2,043 | 38** | 2 | 46** | 15 |
| | Medium | 3,730 | 45 | 1 | 41 | 13 |
| | High | 2,946 | 44 | 1 | 41 | 14 |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 567 | 41 | 2 | 45 | 12 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 405 | 31** | 2 | 47 | 19 |
| | Does not have a disability | 7,719 | 44 | 1 | 41 | 14 |

Appendix

Table 10.4b: Comparison of Violence Supportive Attitudes between Indigenous and non-Indigenous respondents

| | | Males | | Females | |
|---|--|---------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------------|
| | | Indigenous n=152 | Non- Indigenous n=7,667 | Indigenous n=189 | Non- Indigenous n=9,473 |
| | | A | B | C | D |
| | | % | % | % | % |
| Justifications current partner | If she admits to having sex w ith another man | 21 ^{BD} | 7 ^D | 11 ^{BD} | 5 |
| | If she makes him look stupid or insults him in front of his friends | 13 ^{BD} | 5 | 10 ^{BD} | 4 |
| | If she ends or tries to end relationship | 16 ^{BD} | 4 | 13 ^{BD} | 4 |
| Justifications ex-partner | In order to get access to his children | 19 ^{BD} | 5 ^D | 12 ^{BD} | 3 |
| | If he thinks she is unreasonable about property settlement or financial issues | 17 ^{BD} | 4 | 11 ^{BD} | 4 |
| Excuses | DV excused if it results from getting so angry they lose control+ | 41 ^{BD} | 23 ^D | 34 ^{BD} | 20 |
| | DV excused if the violent person genuinely regrets w hat they have done* | 27 | 26 ^D | 23 | 17 |
| | DV excused if the violent person w as abused as a child* | 17 | 12 | 16 | 11 |
| | DV excused if the violent person is under a lot of stress in their lives* | 27 ^{BD} | 14 ^D | 19 ^D | 11 |
| | DV excused if offender is heavily affected by alcohol+ | 24 ^{BD} | 9 | 19 ^{BD} | 8 |
| | Rape results from men not being able to control their need for sex ^Δ | 52 | 44 ^D | 46 | 41 |
| | A man is less responsible for rape if he is drunk or affected by drugs at the time ^Δ | 17 | 8 | 15 | 9 |
| Trivialising | It's a w oman's duty to stay in a violent relationship to keep the family together+ | 13 | 11 | 13 | 8 |
| | Domestic violence is a private matter to be handled in the family* | 27 ^D | 20 ^D | 21 | 14 |
| | It's hard to understand w hy w omen stay in violent relationships* | 87 | 79 ^D | 82 | 76 |
| | Most w omen could leave a violent relationship if they really w anted+ | 68 ^D | 57 ^D | 59 ^D | 45 |
| | Where one partner is physically violent tow ards the other it's reasonable for the violent person to leave the | 94 | 87 | 95 | 91 ^B |
| | Women w ho are sexually harassed should sort it out themselves rather than report it [○] | 21 | 11 | 12 | 12 |

A/B/C/D Significant at the 95% confidence level.

*Asked of split sample Indigenous males (n=76), non-Indigenous males (n=3,803), Indigenous females (n=94), non-Indigenous females (n=4,742)

+Asked of split sample Indigenous males (n=76), non-Indigenous males (n=3,879), Indigenous females (n=95), non-Indigenous females (n=4,752)

○ Asked of split sample Indigenous males (n=73), non-Indigenous males (n=3,777), Indigenous females (n=102), non-Indigenous females (n=4,779)

Δ Asked of split sample Indigenous males (n=79), non-Indigenous males (n=3,905), Indigenous females (n=87), non-Indigenous females (n=4,715)

Appendix

Table 10.4b: Comparison of Violence Supportive Attitudes between Indigenous and non-Indigenous respondents (cont.)

| | | Males | | Females | |
|-------------------|---|---------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------------|
| | | Indigenous n=152 | Non- Indigenous n=7,667 | Indigenous n=189 | Non- Indigenous n=9,473 |
| | | A | B | C | D |
| | | % | % | % | % |
| Minimising | Violence against women is a serious issue | 97 | 97 | 97 | 96 ^B |
| | Slaps or pushes to cause harm or fear- how serious | 85 | 89 | 95 ^{AB} | 94 ^{AB} |
| | Forces the other partner to have sex - how serious | 96 | 95 | 95 | 96 |
| | Tries to scare or control by threatening to hurt other family members - how serious | 92 | 96 | 96 | 98 ^{AB} |
| | Throws/smashes objects to frighten or threaten - how serious | 88 | 90 | 95 | 95 ^{AB} |
| | Repeatedly criticises to make them feel bad or useless - how serious | 80 | 79 | 91 ^{AB} | 90 ^{AB} |
| | Controls social life by preventing them from seeing family and friends - how serious | 79 | 82 | 93 ^{AB} | 92 ^{AB} |
| | Tries to control by denying money - how serious | 63 | 66 | 84 ^{AB} | 82 ^{AB} |
| | Stalking via repeatedly following or watching at home or work - how serious | 95 | 92 | 98 ^B | 96 ^B |
| | Harassment via repeated phone calls - how serious | 87 | 87 | 93 ^B | 92 ^B |
| | Harassment via repeated email or text messages - how serious | 80 | 83 | 95 ^{AB} | 89 ^{AB} |
| | Keeps track of partner's location/calls/ activities without consent - how serious | 75 | 81 | 90 ^{AB} | 88 ^{AB} |
| | Women going through custody battles often make up or exaggerate claims of DV+ | 77 ^{BCD} | 59 | 58 | 46 |
| | Women rarely make false claims of rape ^o | 60 | 54 | 66 | 63 ^B |
| | Women who say they were raped led the man on and had regrets ^Δ | 52 ^{CD} | 42 ^{CD} | 25 | 35 |
| | If a woman doesn't physically resist it isn't really rape ^Δ | 16 | 10 | 12 | 11 |
| Blame | If a woman is raped while drunk/affected by drugs she is responsible ^Δ | 23 | 18 | 14 | 21 ^B |
| | Women often say no when they mean yes ^o | 15 | 16 | 16 | 16 |
| | If a woman goes to a room alone with a man it's her fault if she's raped ^o | 12 | 10 | 12 | 14 ^B |
| | Domestic violence excused if victim heavily affected by alcohol+ | 33 ^{BD} | 11 | 19 ^D | 10 |

^{A/B/C/D} Significant at the 95% confidence level.

*Asked of split sample Indigenous males (n=76), non-Indigenous males (n=3,803), Indigenous females (n=94), non-Indigenous females (n=4,742)

+Asked of split sample Indigenous males (n=76), non-Indigenous males (n=3,879), Indigenous females (n=95), non-Indigenous females (n=4,752)

o Asked of split sample Indigenous males (n=73), non-Indigenous males (n=3,777), Indigenous females (n=102), non-Indigenous females (n=4,779)

Δ Asked of split sample Indigenous males (n=79), non-Indigenous males (n=3,905), Indigenous females (n=87), non-Indigenous females (n=4,715)

Table 10.4c: Comparison between Indigenous males and Indigenous females regarding seriousness of behaviours

| | | Males | | | Females | | |
|----------------------------------|--|-----------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| | | Quite Serious | Very Serious | Nett Serious | Quite Serious | Very Serious | Nett Serious |
| | | A | B | C | D | E | F |
| | | % | % | % | % | % | % |
| Seriousness of Behaviours | Slaps or pushes to cause harm or fear - how serious | 38 | 47 | 85 | 34 | 61 ^B | 95 ^C |
| | Forces the other partner to have sex - how serious | 24 ^D | 73 | 96 | 10 | 85 ^B | 95 |
| | Tries to scare or control by threatening to hurt other family members - how serious | 27 ^D | 66 | 92 | 10 | 86 ^B | 96 |
| | Repeatedly criticises to make them feel bad or useless - how serious | 27 | 54 | 80 | 24 | 67 | 91 ^C |
| | Throws or smashes objects to frighten or threaten - how serious | 32 | 56 | 88 | 24 | 70 ^B | 95 |
| | Controls social life by preventing them from seeing family and friends - how serious | 37 | 42 | 79 | 26 | 67 ^B | 93 ^C |
| | Tries to control by denying money - how serious | 31 | 32 | 63 | 36 | 49 ^B | 84 ^C |
| | Stalking - how serious | 27 | 68 | 95 | 25 | 73 | 98 |
| | Harassment via repeated phone calls - how serious | 31 | 56 | 87 | 31 | 63 | 93 |
| | Harassment via repeated emails, text messages and the like - how serious | 27 | 53 | 80 | 40 | 55 | 95 |
| | Keeps track of partner via mobile and electronic devices - how serious | 32 | 43 | 75 | 33 | 58 | 90 |

Appendix B: Technical and methodological notes

The notes provided in this appendix provide additional technical and methodological information in support of the material provided in the main body of the report, particularly section 2 – Survey methodology.

Fieldwork statistics and response rates

All call attempts

As per section 2.1.6, a total of 460,643 calls were placed to 87,019 sample records to achieve 17,517 completed interviews. This equates to an interview every 26.2 calls and an average of 5.3 calls per sample record. Fieldwork was conducted over the period 29 January to 29 May 2013 with an average interview length of 19.6 minutes.

Final call disposition

In order to enable the response dynamics of this survey to be more easily compared with international studies using a dual-frame methodology the final call disposition codes used for this survey are those recommended by the American Association of Public Opinion Research.¹

In terms of the final call outcomes the major differences between the sample frames (see Table B1, next page) are the much higher proportion of telephone answering devices (answering machines / voicemail) for the mobile frame (22.3%) compared with the landline frame (6.5%) and a higher proportion of non-working/disconnected numbers in the mobile frame (12.9%) compared with the landline frame (7.6%). The relatively high proportion of uncontactable numbers in the mobile phone frame is reflected in the higher ratio of records used per interview for the mobile phone frame (5.7:1) compared with the landline frame (4.2:1).

¹ AAPOR, 2011

Table B1: Final call disposition

| Total records | | Call disposition code | Dual-frame | | Landline sample | | Mobile sample | |
|--|--|-----------------------|------------|-------|-----------------|-------|---------------|-------|
| | | | n | % | n | % | n | % |
| Interview (Category 1) | Complete | 1.0/1.1 | 17,517 | 20.1 | 8,750 | 23.6 | 8,767 | 17.5 |
| | Partial | 1.2 | 483 | 0.6 | 251 | 0.7 | 232 | 0.5 |
| Eligible, non-interview (Category 2) | Household level refusal | 2.111 | 8,069 | 9.3 | 7,646 | 20.7 | 423 | 0.8 |
| | Known respondent refusal | 2.112 | 10,186 | 11.7 | 1,792 | 4.8 | 8,394 | 16.8 |
| | Respondent never available | 2.21 | 1,882 | 2.2 | 1,023 | 2.8 | 859 | 1.7 |
| | Telephone answering device | 2.22 | 13,574 | 15.6 | 2,410 | 6.5 | 11,164 | 22.3 |
| | Physically/mentally incapable | 2.32 | 51 | 0.1 | 33 | 0.1 | 18 | 0.0 |
| | Language problem | 2.33 | 936 | 1.1 | 288 | 0.8 | 648 | 1.3 |
| | Location/activity not allowing interview | 2.35 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Unknown eligibility, non-interview (Category 3) | Always busy | 3.12 | 1,186 | 1.4 | 836 | 2.3 | 350 | 0.7 |
| | No answer | 3.13 | 13,485 | 15.5 | 5,217 | 14.1 | 8,268 | 16.5 |
| | Call blocking | 3.15 | 1,825 | 2.1 | 88 | 0.2 | 1,737 | 3.5 |
| | No screener completed | 3.21 | 223 | 0.3 | 101 | 0.3 | 122 | 0.2 |
| Not eligible (Category 4) | Fax/data line | 4.2 | 1,616 | 1.9 | 1,448 | 3.9 | 168 | 0.3 |
| | Not working/disconnected | 4.3 | 9,260 | 10.6 | 2,804 | 7.6 | 6,455 | 12.9 |
| | Non residence | 4.5 | 5,316 | 6.1 | 4,139 | 11.2 | 1,177 | 2.4 |
| | No eligible respondent | 4.7 | 1,411 | 1.6 | 191 | 0.5 | 1,220 | 2.4 |
| Records used per interview | Total per interview | | 5.0 | | 4.2 | | 5.7 | |
| TOTAL | Total records | | 87,019 | 100.0 | 37,017 | 100.0 | 50,002 | 100.0 |

Response rate

The response rate used for this report is AAPOR Response Rate 3 (RR3).² This relies on estimating the proportion of cases of unknown eligibility that may have been eligible for the survey and including this estimate in the denominator for the calculation of the survey response rate. The formula for Response Rate 3 is:

$$RR3 = \frac{I}{(I+P)+(R+NC+O) + e(UH+UO)}$$

Where:

- I=Interviews
- P=Partial interviews
- R=Refusals
- NC=Non-contacts
- O=Other
- e=Estimate of the proportion of unknown outcomes likely to have been in-scope
- UH=Unknown, if household / occupied
- UO=Unknown, other.

The e value for this survey is the default value calculated by the AAPOR on-line Response Rate Calculator.³ In this case 0.75. This was calculated as follows:

$$e = \frac{(\text{Interviews} + \text{Partial completes}) + (\text{Eligible non-interviews})}{(\text{Interviews} + \text{Partial completes}) + (\text{Eligible non-interviews}) + (\text{Not eligible})}$$

² AAPOR, 2011.

³ For more complete instructions about how to classify final dispositions see the complete Standard Definitions and Eligibility Calculation documents at <http://www.aapor.org>

On this basis (refer to Table B2, below) the **contact rate** was 84.5% for the landline frame compared with 60.6% of the mobile phone frame. This is reflected by analysis presented in Table B1 (above) which shows higher non-contact rates (in particular answering devices) for the mobile phone frame.

The **refusal rate** for members of the landline frame was 42.5% compared with 28.9% for the mobile phone frame.

The final **response rate** for the survey was 26.9%. To provide a comparative context, the 2013 response rate was also calculated on an equivalent basis as for the 2009 survey (Interviews / Interviews + Refusals). On this basis the response rate for the 2009 survey was 49.8% compared to 48.1% for the landline component of the 2013 survey.

Table B2: Calculation of response rates

| | Total sample | Landline | Mobile phone |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|----------|--------------|
| Total phone numbers used | 13,738 | 5,853 | 7,885 |
| I=Complete interview s (1.1) | 17,517 | 8,750 | 8,767 |
| P=Partial interview s (1.2) | 483 | 251 | 232 |
| R=Refusal and break off (2.1) | 18,255 | 9,438 | 8,817 |
| NC=Non contact (2.2) | 15,456 | 3,433 | 12,023 |
| O=Other (2.0, 2.3) | 987 | 312 | 666 |
| e | 0.75 | 0.721 | 1 |
| UH=Unknow n household (3.1) | 16,496 | 6,141 | 10,355 |
| UO=Unknow n other (3.2-3.9) | 223 | 101 | 122 |
| Contact Rate 3 | | | |
| $(I+P)+R+O / (I+P)+R+O+NC$ | 70.7 | 84.5 | 60.6 |
| Cooperation Rate 3 | | | |
| $I/((I+P)+R)$ | 48.3 | 47.5 | 49.2 |
| Refusal Rate 3 | | | |
| $R/((I+P)+(R+NC+O))$ | 34.6 | 42.5 | 28.9 |
| Response Rate 3 | | | |
| $I/((I+P) + (R+NC+O) + e(UH+UO))$ | 26.9 | 32.8 | 22.7 |

Main themes captured via ‘Call Alert forms’

As mentioned in section 2.1.7 – Ethics – 48 Call Alert Forms were raised by interviewers. The broad themes covered by in these forms are as follows:

- Disclosure of previous domestic violence/violence against women/victimisation
- Feedback on the questionnaire/subject matter
- Request for DSS contact details
- Distressed respondents leading to mid-survey terminations
- Distressed respondents who preferred to continue with the interview
- Parents declining consent for the participation of the selected 16–17 year olds
- Request to speak with the University of Melbourne Ethics Coordinator.

Comparative profile of original and revised 2009 estimates

As outlined in section 1.5 – Reading this report – the 2009 data used in this report has been re-weighted so as to better align the 2009 and 2013 estimates and provide a more robust basis for time series analysis. In particular, the decision was taken to apply the Raking approach to weighting adopted for the 2013 survey to the 2009 survey so as to ensure that both data sets were weighted to population benchmarks with respect to age, gender, location, birthplace and educational attainment. The impact of this on selected 2009 findings is provided in Table B3.

The age, gender and geographic profiles of the original and revised 2009 series are very similar. The revised approach to weighting the 2009 led to a slightly different socio-economic profile with a reduced proportion of respondents categorised as from areas of high socio-economic advantage (30.0% in the original series compared with 26.8% in the revised series).

Given the revised approach to weighting specifically included birthplace as a target variable, the proportion of Australian-born persons in the revised sample was weighted to population parameters. This resulted in the Australian born being adjusted down from 75.1% in the original series to 67.0% in the revised series. This had a commensurate impact on the proportion of first-generation immigrants in the final weighted estimates (up from 24.7% to 32.6%).

Table B3: Comparative profile of the original and revised 2009 estimates

| | | 2009 | 2009r |
|--|---------------------------------|----------|----------|
| | | % | % |
| Total sample | | n=10,105 | n=10,105 |
| Gender | Male | 48.8 | 48.8 |
| | Female | 51.2 | 51.2 |
| Age Group | 16 to 17 years | 3.0 | 3.6 |
| | 18 to 24 years | 11.0 | 11.9 |
| | 25 to 34 years | 18.7 | 17.1** |
| | 35 to 44 years | 18.7 | 18.8 |
| | 45 to 54 years | 17.5 | 17.5 |
| | 55 to 64 years | 14.0 | 14.0 |
| | 65 to 74 years | 10.8 | 8.8** |
| | 75 years or more | 6.1 | 8.1** |
| State / Territory | New South Wales | 33.0 | 33.0 |
| | Victoria | 25.1 | 25.1 |
| | Queensland | 19.4 | 19.4 |
| | South Australia | 7.8 | 7.8 |
| | Western Australia | 9.8 | 9.8 |
| | Tasmania | 2.4 | 2.4 |
| | Northern Territory | 0.9 | 0.9 |
| | ACT | 1.6 | 1.6 |
| Remoteness Area | Major city | 70.8 | 70.4 |
| | Inner regional | 18.0 | 18.2 |
| | Outer regional | 9.6 | 9.8 |
| | Remote | 1.1 | 1.1 |
| | Very remote | 0.4 | 0.4 |
| Socio-economic Status (Quintiles) | 1 - Low (most disadvantaged) | 13.4 | 14.7** |
| | 2 | 16.9 | 17.4 |
| | 3 | 19.0 | 20.4 |
| | 4 | 20.4 | 20.6 |
| | 5 - High (most advantaged) | 30.0 | 26.8** |
| Birthplace | Australia | 75.1 | 67.0** |
| | Main English Speaking countries | 11.1 | 9.1** |
| | Other countries | 13.6 | 23.5** |
| Migration Status | First generation | 24.7 | 32.6** |
| | Second generation | 19.2 | 17.0** |
| | Third plus generation | 55.9 | 50.0** |

** Result is statistically significant compared to the 2009 result, $p \leq 0.01$

Note: Figures may not always sum to 100% as don't know /refused and 'other' are not always shown.

The revised approach to weighting the 2009 series also adjusted the proportion of university graduates in the sample down so as to match the external benchmarks used for the 2009 survey (i.e. 2006 census counts). This resulted in the proportion of university graduates in the revised sample being weighted down from 33.1 per cent to 16.1 per cent. This had a flow-on effect on the occupational profile of the sample suppressing the estimate for those employed in professional occupations and increasing the representation of those employed in the technical and trade occupations.

Household family composition was also affected by the revised weighting approach, with the proportion of respondents living in 'couple with children' households weighted up and the proportion of respondents living in lone person households weighted down. This is likely a culmination of the various weighting adjustments and is also possibly attributable to the application of the 2013 'design weight' to the revised 2009 series.

Table B3 (cont.): Comparative profile of the original and revised 2009 estimates

| | | 2009 | 2009r |
|---|-----------------------------------|----------|--------|
| | | % | % |
| Total Sample | | 10,105 | 10,105 |
| Indigenous Status[#] | Indigenous | 1.6 | 1.6 |
| | Non Indigenous | 98.4 | 98.4 |
| Highest Education | University or higher | 33.1 | 16.1** |
| | Trade, certificate or diploma | 22.3 | 28.0** |
| | Secondary or below | 43.6 | 54.8** |
| Employment Status | Employed | 62.9 | 60.5** |
| | Unemployed | 6.8 | 7.2 |
| | Home duties | 5.4 | 5.8 |
| | Retired | 17.2 | 17.7 |
| | Student | 4.5 | 5.8** |
| | unable to work | 2.0 | 1.9 |
| <i>(Base: employed persons)</i> | | | |
| Occupation | Manager | 13.3 | 13.8 |
| | Professional | 29.9 | 20.8** |
| | Technicians and trade | 14.6 | 17.6** |
| | Community and Personal Service | 11.4 | 11.5 |
| | Clerical and administrative | 11.9 | 13.5** |
| | Sales worker | 7.9 | 9.5** |
| | Machinery operator and driver | 2.7 | 3.2 |
| | Labourer | 5.2 | 6.6** |
| | Other | 2.8 | 2.9 |
| Family Composition Household | Lone person household | 17.5 | 9.7** |
| | Couple only | 26.6 | 27.0 |
| | Couple children at home | 39.9 | 46.8** |
| | Lone parent children at home | 8.8 | 7.5 |
| | Group household | 2.6 | 3.2 |
| | Other type of household | 4.2 | 5.2 |
| Understands VAW | Low understanding | 5,025.0 | 6** |
| | Moderate understanding | 8,859.0 | 20** |
| | High understanding | 3,631.0 | 50** |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 4,050.0 | 5** |
| | Medium | 7,445.0 | 18** |
| | High | 6,000.0 | 41** |
| Disability Status by Age^(a) | Disability and aged <65 years | 1,134.0 | 23.0 |
| | Disability and aged 65 years plus | 833.0 | 10** |
| | Does not have a disability | 15,458.0 | 22.0 |

** Result is statistically significant compared to the 2009 result, $p \leq .01$

Note: Figures may not always sum to 100% as don't know /refused and 'other' are not always shown.

A comparison of 2013 landline estimates and 2013 dual-frame estimates

As discussed in section 2.1.3, given the change in methodology there is interest in ascertaining how the 2013 survey results differ from those that would have been obtained had a single frame landline survey been conducted instead. The impact of the dual-frame design on the 2013 estimates can be inferred from the results set out in Table B4, which compare independently weighted 2013 estimates using the landline sample frame with the final dual-frame survey estimates for a range of selected variables. By and large the differences are marginal ranging from zero to 1.8 percentage points. The magnitude of these changes gives confidence that the move to a dual-frame design, of itself, has only had a very marginal impact on the time series measures and provides a robust basis for comparison against the revised 2009 series.

Table B4: Selected 2013 landline results and 2013 dual-frame results

| | | 2013 landline sample % | 2013 dual frame % | Difference +/- % |
|---|---|------------------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| Total Sample | | 8,750 | 17,517 | |
| Gender Equality Support | Low | 25.6 | 26.2 | -0.6 |
| | Medium | 44.0 | 43.8 | 0.2 |
| | High | 30.4 | 30.0 | 0.4 |
| Community Understand VAW | DV4. Men mainly commit acts of domestic violence | 32.0 | 30.2 | 1.8 |
| | VAW6. VAW is common (% agree) | 68.5 | 67.9 | 0.6 |
| Is this DV/VAW? | DV2a. Slaps of pushes to cause harm or fear (% alw ays) | 70.0 | 68.6 | 1.4 |
| | Dv2c. Forces other partner to have sex (% alw ays) | 79.4 | 79.2 | 0.2 |
| | DV2g. Repeatedly criticises (% alw ays) | 48.6 | 50.2 | -1.6 |
| | DV2k. Controls social life (% alw ays) | 55.0 | 55.1 | -0.1 |
| | SV1a. Harassment via repeated phone calls (% alw ays) | 52.4 | 53.3 | -0.9 |
| Justifications for VAW | DV7a. Admits to having sex w ith another man (% agree) | 6.0 | 6.2 | -0.2 |
| | DV7c. Ends / Tries to end relationship (% agree) | 3.7 | 4.3 | -0.6 |
| Excuses for VAW | Dv6i. Violent person so angry they lose control (% agree) | 21.8 | 21.7 | 0.1 |
| | Dv6k. Violent person affected by alcohol (% agree) | 8.1 | 8.7 | -0.6 |
| Trivialising VAW | DV6o. It's a w oman's duty to stay in a violent relationship (% agree) | 8.1 | 9.3 | -1.2 |
| | SV3d. Women w ho are sexually harassed should sort it out themselves (%agree) | 12.0 | 11.9 | 0.1 |
| Minimising VAW | VAW 4. VAW is a serious issue (% agree) | 94.7 | 95.1 | -0.4 |
| | Dv6n Women going through custody battles often make up claims (% agree) | 52.9 | 52.7 | 0.2 |
| | DV2b. Slaps of pushes to cause harm or fear (% very serious) | 53.9 | 52.3 | 1.6 |
| | Dv2d. Forces other partner to have sex (% very serious) | 76.1 | 75.9 | 0.2 |
| | DV2h. Repeatedly criticises (% very serious) | 39.4 | 41.5 | -2.1 |
| | DV2l. Controls social life (% very serious) | 47.8 | 49.1 | -1.3 |
| Blaming victim | SV3c. Women often say no when they mean yes (%agree) | 16.4 | 16.4 | 0.0 |

** Result is statistically significant compared to the 2009 result, p ≤.01

Note: Figures may not always sum to 100% as don't know /refused and 'other' are not always shown.

Approach to weighting

Weighting the 2013 General Community sample

A two-stage approach was used to weight the survey data involving the calculation a **design weight** (to adjust for the varying chances of selection of sample members) and a **post stratification weight** to further weight the data to known population procedures.

The calculation of the design weight

The approach adopted for the calculation of the design weight was based on work of Jonathan Best⁴ and, in addition to typical adjustments relating to the number of in-scope persons in each household and the number of fixed-line telephone connections per household, also determines a pre-weight to adjust for the overlapping chances of selection for persons with both a mobile phone and a landline.

Task 1 – Calculate the probability of each record being sampled in the landline sample frame (P_{LL})

$$P_{LL} = S_{LL}/U_{LL} \times LL/AD$$

Where:

P_{LL} = Probability of being in the landline sample frame

S_{LL} = the size of the landline sample (n=8,750)

U_{LL} = the residential landline universe = 7,754,038⁵

LL – is the number of landlines in the household (See Variable TS2num – Cap at 3 for weighting purposes. If dk/ref replace with '1').

AD is the number of in-scope persons per household. (Dem16num). Note: When the value for AD (Dem 16num) was missing and could not be derived from the response to Dem7 (family composition of household) it was replaced with the mean Dem16num value for the relevant Dem7 category.

| | |
|--|-----|
| DEM7=2. Couple no children | 2.2 |
| DEM7=3. Couple with no children at home | 2.1 |
| DEM7=4. Couple with children at home | 2.8 |
| DEM7=5. Single parent with children at home | 2.0 |
| DEM7=6. Single parent with no children at home | 1.3 |
| DEM7=7. Group household | 3.0 |
| DEM7=8. Other | 2.9 |

Save this variable to the file as P_{LL}.

⁴ Jonathon Best, First-Stage Weights for Overlapping Dual Frame Telephone Surveys. Presented at AAPOR's 65th Annual Conference, Chicago, IL May 15, 2010

⁵ See notes on calculating ULL and UMP on page 141.

Task 2 – Calculate the probability of being sampled in the mobile phone sample (P_{MP})

$$P_{MP} = S_{MP}/U_{MP}$$

Where ...

P_{MP} = Probability of being in the mobile phone sample frame

S_{MP} = size of the Mobile Phone sample (n=8,767)

U_{MP} = the number of persons with a cell phone = 14,700,676⁶

Save this variable to the file as P_{MP} , will be zero for respondents without a mobile phone.

Task 3 – Calculate the design weight for each record in the data file.

Using the previous information calculate the design weight or pre-weight for each record as follows.

$$PreWt=1/[(P_{LL}+P_{MP})-(P_{LL}P_{MP})]$$

Create a weighted file by applying the pre-weights.

Calculate and apply the post stratification weight

The final weights to be applied to each record in the pre-weighted data file to best match the Rim weighting targets were calculated using Quantum survey analysis software.

| Rim weighting targets using 2011 Census data | % |
|--|--------------|
| Total aged 18 years and over | 100.0 |
| <u>Location</u> ⁷ | |
| Greater Sydney | 20.5 |
| Rest of NSW | 11.7 |
| Greater Melbourne | 18.9 |
| Rest of Vic. | 6.3 |
| Greater Brisbane | 9.5 |
| Rest of Qld | 10.3 |
| Greater Adelaide | 5.8 |
| Rest of SA | 1.7 |
| Greater Perth | 8.1 |
| Rest of WA | 2.3 |
| Greater Hobart | 1.0 |
| Rest of Tas. | 1.3 |
| Greater Darwin | 0.6 |
| Rest of NT | 0.4 |
| Australian Capital Territory | 1.7 |

⁶ See notes on calculating ULL and UMP on page 141

⁷ Based on postcode provided by the respondent.

| Rim weighting targets using 2011 Census data (cont.) | % |
|---|-------|
| <u>age by gender by education</u> ⁸ | |
| Males | |
| University graduate, 16-24 | 0.47 |
| Not University graduate, 16-24 | 7.25 |
| University graduate, 25-34 | 2.30 |
| Not University graduate, 25-34 | 6.32 |
| University graduate, 35-44 | 2.10 |
| Not University graduate, 35-44 | 6.69 |
| University graduate, 45-54 | 1.67 |
| Not University graduate, 45-54 | 6.83 |
| University graduate, 55-64 | 1.28 |
| Not University graduate, 55-64 | 5.95 |
| University graduate, 65-74 | 0.57 |
| Not University graduate, 65-74 | 4.10 |
| University graduate, 75+ | 0.26 |
| Not University graduate, 75+ | 3.14 |
| Females | |
| University graduate, 16-24 | 0.73 |
| Not University graduate, 16-24 | 6.69 |
| University graduate, 25-34 | 3.21 |
| Not University graduate, 25-34 | 5.53 |
| University graduate, 35-44 | 2.66 |
| Not University graduate, 35-44 | 6.48 |
| University graduate, 45-54 | 1.90 |
| Not University graduate, 45-54 | 6.87 |
| University graduate, 55-64 | 1.28 |
| Not University graduate, 55-64 | 6.14 |
| University graduate, 65-74 | 0.49 |
| Not University graduate, 65-74 | 4.36 |
| University graduate, 75+ | 0.21 |
| Not University graduate, 75+ | 4.50 |
| <u>Birthplace</u> | |
| Australia/Overseas Main English speaking country ⁹ | 76.1 |
| Overseas NESB | 23.9 |
| <u>Telephone status</u> ¹⁰ | |
| Mobile only | 0.19 |
| Dual-user | 0.721 |
| Landline only | 0.089 |

The final stage in this process, after investigation, was to trim the weights at the 95th percentile thereby increasing the effective base size from 11,630 (with an efficiency of 66%) to an effective base of 12,159

⁸ Unigrad (Question Dem8=8 or 9), Not unigrad (Question Dem8 ≠8 or 9)

⁹ Question Dem3a =codes 7, 8 and 13.

¹⁰ Mobile Only (Question T1=2,3 or 4), Dual-user (Question T1=1 or T3=1), Landline only (Question T3=2,3 or 4)

(with an efficiency of 69.4%). This meant capping and re-scaling the weights such that the final weighted sample size was equal to the unweighted sample size (n=17,517). The disproportionate geographic stratification is the reason for the sample efficiency of <80 per cent.

Calculating U_{LL} and U_{MP} the post stratification weight

U_{LL}

Total number of private dwellings – 9,117,035¹¹

- Proportion of households with a landline telephone connection – 81% of persons aged 18 years and over live in a household with a fixed-line telephone connection (ACMA, 2011, p8)¹².
- Number of landlines for each household with a telephone connection. The default estimate is 1.05.

$$U_{LL} = 9,117,035 \times 0.81 \times 1.05$$

U_{LL} - Estimate of the number of residential phone lines in Australia = 7,754,038.

U_{MP}

Proportion of persons with a mobile phone in Australia is – 89% of people aged 18 years and over living in a household with a fixed line have a mobile (ACMA 2011, p. 13).

Number of persons aged 18 years and over in Australia is 16,517,613.¹³

$$U_{MP} = 0.89 \times 16,517,613 = 14,700,676.$$

Weighting the 2013 Indigenous sample

As mentioned in section 1.4, the estimates for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander sample have been independently weighted to better align the survey estimates for this group of respondents to independent age, gender, Remoteness Area and State/Territory population benchmarks. The reason for calculating this additional weight (only to be used when generating or analysing results for the Indigenous sample) is to ensure that the reported survey findings are as closely aligned with Indigenous population parameters as possible.

To create this weight all Indigenous records retained their existing pre-weight. A Rim weighting procedure was then used to align the Indigenous sample with the following Census parameters (see next page). The re-weighted Indigenous data was scaled to the unweighted sample size (n=341). All non-Indigenous records kept the same weight as previously calculated and, as such, are not affected by this process.

¹¹ Table generated using ABS TableBuilder © Commonwealth of Australia, 2011 Dwelling Type on Census Night (includes occupied and unoccupied private dwellings).

¹² Australian Communications and Media Authority, Communications Report, 2010-11 series. Report 2 – Converging communications channels: Preferences and behaviours of Australian communications users, 2011.

¹³ Source: 2011 Census. Table generated using ABS Table Builder.

Table B5. Weighting targets for the Indigenous sample

| | Unweighted n=341 | Indigenous % | Census |
|------------------------------------|---------------------|-----------------|--------|
| Remoteness area | | | |
| Major Cities of Australia | 148 | 43.4 | 34.9 |
| Inner Regional Australia | 57 | 16.7 | 21.5 |
| Outer Regional Australia | 83 | 24.3 | 20.8 |
| Remote/Very remote / Not available | 53 | 15.5 | 22.2 |
| Gender | | | |
| Male | 152 | 44.6 | 48.2 |
| Female | 189 | 55.4 | 51.8 |
| Age | | | |
| 16 - 24 years | 67 | 19.7 | 27.3 |
| 25 - 34 years | 66 | 19.4 | 21.2 |
| 35 - 44 years | 61 | 17.9 | 20.1 |
| 45 - 54 years | 62 | 17.9 | 15.8 |
| 55 - 64 years | 52 | 15.2 | 9.6 |
| 65+ years | 34 | 10.0 | 6.1 |
| State / Territory | | | |
| New South Wales | 84 | 24.6 | 31.8 |
| Victoria | 31 | 9.1 | 7.1 |
| Queensland | 71 | 20.8 | 26.7 |
| South Australia | 21 | 6.2 | 5.8 |
| Western Australia | 29 | 8.5 | 13.1 |
| Tasmania | 34 | 10.0 | 3.6 |
| Northern Territory | 62 | 18.2 | 10.9 |
| Australian Capital Territory | 9 | 2.6 | 1.0 |

Weighting the 2009 General Community sample

As noted in section 1.5, the 2009 survey results used in this report have been re-weighted to more closely align with the method used for the 2013 season.

The procedure used was similar to that adopted for the 2013 series and involved the calculation of a design weight (to adjust for the varying chances of selection of sample members) and a post stratification weight to further weight the data to known population procedures (using a Rim weighting or Raking procedure).

Pre-weight

The pre-weight was simply the number of qualifying respondents in the household divided by the number of landlines in the household. For example, if there were three qualifying respondents in the household and two landlines the pre-weight would be $3/2=1.5$. The number of qualifying respondents was taken from question dem16 (2009 questionnaire), capped at 5 for weighting purposes and the number of landlines from (TS2num, 2009 questionnaire) and capped at 3 for weighting purposes.

Post stratification targets

| Rim weighting targets using 2006 Census data | % |
|--|--------|
| Total aged 16 years and over | 100.00 |
| <u>Location</u> | |
| Greater Sydney | 20.89 |
| Rest of NSW | 12.12 |
| Greater Melbourne | 18.39 |
| Rest of Vic. | 6.67 |
| Greater Brisbane | 8.84 |
| Rest of Qld | 10.58 |
| Greater Adelaide | 5.73 |
| Rest of SA | 2.03 |
| Greater Perth | 7.32 |
| Rest of WA | 2.48 |
| Tasmania | 2.40 |
| Northern Territory | 0.90 |
| Australian Capital Territory | 1.65 |

| | |
|-----------------------------------|------|
| <u>age by gender by education</u> | |
| <u>Males</u> | |
| Uni, 16-24 | 0.47 |
| Not Uni, 16-24 | 7.43 |
| Uni, 25-34 | 1.89 |
| Not Uni, 25-34 | 6.56 |
| Uni, 35-44 | 1.78 |
| Not Uni, 35-44 | 7.41 |
| Uni, 45-54 | 1.60 |
| Not Uni, 45-54 | 7.10 |
| Uni, 55-64 | 1.01 |
| Not Uni, 55-64 | 6.00 |
| Uni, 65-74 | 0.38 |
| Not Uni, 65-74 | 3.89 |
| Uni, 75+ | 0.21 |
| Not Uni, 75+ | 3.10 |

| Rim weighting targets using 2006 Census data | % |
|--|-------|
| <u>Females</u> | |
| Uni, 16-24 | 0.72 |
| Not Uni, 16-24 | 6.90 |
| Uni, 25-34 | 2.61 |
| Not Uni, 25-34 | 6.06 |
| Uni, 35-44 | 2.11 |
| Not Uni, 35-44 | 7.48 |
| Uni, 45-54 | 1.71 |
| Not Uni, 45-54 | 7.26 |
| Uni, 55-64 | 0.91 |
| Not Uni, 55-64 | 6.10 |
| Uni, 65-74 | 0.32 |
| Not Uni, 65-74 | 4.19 |
| Uni, 75+ | 0.16 |
| Not Uni, 75+ | 4.65 |
| <u>Birthplace</u> | |
| Australia/Overseas ESB* | 76.12 |
| Overseas NESB | 23.88 |

The resultant weight enabled the 2009 survey estimates to be aligned with the 2006 census counts in terms of birthplace and educational attainment thereby providing a more robust basis for comparison with the 2013 survey estimates.

Weighting the 1995 sample

The sample from the 1995 survey was not re-weighted for this report. The research design for the 1995 survey included a stratified random sample to ensure that the probability of selection was equal to population distributions, with an independent sample drawn for each capital city and region. Final survey results were weighted to the 1991 Census.

Results from the 2009 and 2013 surveys were tested for significance at the 95 per cent and 99 per cent confidence intervals across the general community sample. The confidence intervals used indicate that the probability is either .95 or .99 that the true population estimate falls within this range. The significance testing was only completed against those questions that demonstrated change across at least one of the time periods.

Multiple linear regression modelling

Multiple linear regression modelling was used throughout this report to measure the relationship between selected characteristics and dependent variables of interest, namely the GE, UVAW and VSA variables. When the inputs to these models are limited to selected demographic variables the variance explained ranges from 8.9% with respect to UVAW model (see section 6.9) to 17.3% for the N-MESC model relating to violence supportive attitudes (see section 10.2). When the attitudinal constructs of gender equality and understanding violence against women were added to the models exploring violence supportive attitudes the explanatory power increased. In particular the full model exploring the drivers of violence supportive attitudes among Aboriginal and Torres Strait Island respondents explained 54% of the variance in violence supportive attitudes (see section 10.5).

The relatively low explanatory power of the socio-demographic variables in explaining variance in the GE, UVAW and VSA Scales seems to be in keeping with accumulated knowledge and other modelling work in this area (Carlson & Worden 2005) and does not detract from the usefulness of these results in terms of

highlighting the differences in the distribution of these attributes across the population. Nor does it detract from the usefulness of these results in informing the targeting of interventions. It does confirm the discussion in this report, that attitudes on violence against women are influenced more by the intersecting social, cultural and environmental landscape than by any single factor.

In their work looking at attitudes and beliefs towards domestic violence Carlson and Worden's multivariate analyses found "little support for conventional wisdom about the impact of socioeconomic background on tolerance for or knowledge about DV, although gender, generation, and second hand familiarity with DV incidents play a role in opinions and beliefs." These results endorse those reported in this study and confirm the need to avoid simplified explanations.

Appendix C: Scales and constructs

Gender Equality Scale

As discussed in Section 4 – attitudes to gender equality – previous research conducted into violence against women has found that an individual's views regarding gender equality are a key determinant of their propensity to hold attitudes that are supportive of violence against women.¹⁴

Taylor & Mouzos (2006, p. 143) describe the procedure which was used to formulate the gender equality scores for the 2006 Victorian survey. Like the earlier Victorian survey, the 2009 and 2013 national surveys asked respondents a series of attitudinal questions relating to gender equality adapted from Inglehart & Norris (2003). Responses to these questions were based on a Likert scale of 1 'strongly agree' and 5 'strongly disagree'. These questions were:

1. On the whole, men make better political leaders than women.
2. When jobs are scarce men should have more right to a job than women.
3. A university education is more important for a boy than a girl.
4. A woman has to have children to be fulfilled.
5. It's OK for a woman to have a child as a single parent and not want a stable relationship with a man (reversed scored).

Cronbach's alpha for this scale is 0.64 in 2013 compared with 0.62 in 2009 (McGregor 2009, p. 208). In both the 2009 and 2013 surveys an additional three questions were asked. These were:

6. Discrimination against women is no longer a problem in the workplace in Australia.
7. Men should take control in relationships and be the head of the household.
8. Women prefer a man to be in charge of the relationship.

Cronbach's alpha for the extended Gender Equality Scale was 0.72 in 2009 and 0.73 in 2013. As such the additional items improved the reliability of the scale.

¹⁴ VicHealth, *Community Attitudes to Violence Against Women Survey*, 2006, p. 10.

The calculations for the scale are based on question battery ATT4 in the questionnaire, statements a to h (1 strongly agree to 5 strongly disagree).

| | a | b | c | d | e | f | g | h |
|------------------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Strongly agree | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Somewhat agree | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Neither agree/disagree | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| Somewhat disagree | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| Strongly disagree | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 5 | 5 | 5 |

A gender equality score was calculated for each respondent using the following method:

The highest possible score a respondent could achieve was calculated by multiplying the scores for each statement (i.e. $8 \times 5=40$). This score was then multiplied by 2.5 to provide a gender equality score for each respondent out of 100.

Where a respondent provided a 'don't know' or 'refused' response their highest possible score was recalculated by reducing the number of statements included (i.e. $7 \times 5=35$), and then multiplied to achieve 100 (so in this case 35×2.857). Where multiple responses were missing, the score was adjusted accordingly so all respondents received a score out of 100.

The Gender Equality Scale was divided into three categories where Low<75, Medium = 75 to 90, and High>90. This scale is consistent with previous surveys in this series to ensure comparability across the time series.

Understanding Violence Against Women (UVAW) Scale

Introduction

As mentioned in Section 5, the UVAW Scale has been developed from those questions thought to indicate whether or not a respondent had a more or less 'nuanced' understanding of violence against women. The questions used in this scale identified whether a person recognised less overt/more subtle forms of violence such as harassment, coercion, or intimidation as behaviours which could be classified as violence against women.

As explained in the body of the report six items were used to construct this scale – three from the domestic violence battery (DV2) and three from the sexual harassment / sexual violence battery (SV3). The final six items are listed below, followed by a detailed explanation of the process used to identify them.

- DV2g. If one partner in a domestic relationship repeatedly criticises the other one to make them feel bad or useless, is this a form of domestic violence? (1 – Yes, always, 4 – No)
- DV2k. If one partner in a domestic relationship controls the social life of the other partner by preventing them from seeing family and friends, is this a form of domestic violence? (1 – Yes, always, 4 – No)
- DV2m. If one partner in a domestic relationship tries to control the other partner by denying them money, is this domestic violence? (1 – Yes, always, 4 – No)
- SV1a. Do you regard stalking to be a form of violence against women? By stalking I mean being repeatedly followed or watched at home or work? (1 – Yes, always, 4 – No)
- SV2a. Do you regard harassment via repeated phone calls to be a form of violence against women? (1 – Yes, always, 4 – No)
- SV2c. Do you regard harassment via repeated emails, text messages and the like to be a form of violence against women? (1 – Yes, always, 4 – No)

Scale construction

The domestic violence (DV2_a–m) and violence against women (SV_1a–2c) questionnaire items (see below) were interrogated to explore the relationship between and within these questions.

- DV2a. Slaps or pushes to cause harm or fear – a form of domestic violence

- DV2c. Forces the other partner to have sex – a form of domestic violence
- DV2e. Tries to scare or control by threatening to hurt other family members – a form of domestic violence
- DV2g. Repeatedly criticises to make them feel bad or useless – a form of domestic violence
- DV2i. Throws or smashes objects to frighten or threaten – a form of domestic violence
- DV2k. Controls the social life by preventing them from seeing family and friends – a form of domestic violence
- DV2m. Tries to control by denying money – a form of domestic violence
- SV1a. Stalking – a form of violence against women
- SV2a. Harassment via repeated phone calls – a form of violence against women
- SV2c. Harassment via repeated emails, text messages and the like – a form of violence against women

From an analysis perspective we were interested in exploring the structure of the data as part of ascertaining if more than one factor was present in the data. First, 'don't know' and 'refused' responses were set to 'missing' to exclude them from the analysis. Excluding 'don't know' and 'refused' responses meant the analysis dataset contained 15,616 valid responses from the original 17,517 records. Consideration was given to replacing missing values and linear interpolation was trialled. Upon review, the integrity of the data was not improved and the decision was made to take the more conservative approach of removing missing data using listwise case exclusion. All items were positively worded and did not require reverse scoring.

At a total level (10 items) the data displayed low to moderate inter-item correlations ranging from 0.173 to 0.775. Internal consistency for the entire set of (10) items was measured using Cronbach Alpha and found to be high ($\alpha=0.841$). Corrected Item-Total Correlations were between 0.368 and 0.636 suggesting that while some items had a strong relationship with the overall construct others did not. Basic frequencies suggested the data was not normally distributed.

Item reduction was then conducted using Principal Axis Factoring as the extraction technique given the data was not normally distributed. Some of the data items were highly correlated and so data was rotated using the Direct Oblimin method. We also attempted using Principal Components Analysis, and Maximum Likelihood as extraction techniques; however, the data solution did not improve. Using Principal Axis Factoring extraction and Direct Oblimin rotation a simple two-factor solution emerged explaining 55.4% of variance (eigenvalues greater than one and confirmed via the scree plot). The Kaiser-Meyer-Olkin (KMO) measure was high (0.858) indicating that the underlying data was adequate to explore using factor analysis. Barlett's Test of Sphericity was significant indicating that the variables do not relate excessively to one another and this was confirmed in the correlation matrix. Table D1 provides the pattern matrix and the two factors identified were:

1. Subtle violence against women (dv2g, dv2k, dv2m, sv1a, sv2a and sv2c)
2. Overt violence against women (dv2a, dv2c, dv2e and dv2i).

Table C1: Factor pattern matrix for the ‘understanding violence against women’ scale

| | Factor | |
|---|--------|--------|
| | 1 | 2 |
| DV2a. Slaps or pushes to cause harm or fear – a form of domestic violence (Overt VAW) | -0.053 | 0.574 |
| DV2c. Forces the other partner to have sex – a form of domestic violence (Overt VAW) | -0.007 | 0.568 |
| DV2e. Tries to scare or control by threatening to hurt other family members – a form of domestic violence (Overt VAW) | 0.021 | 0.611 |
| DV2g. Repeatedly criticises to make them feel bad or useless – a form of domestic violence (Subtle VAW) | 0.419 | 0.359 |
| DV2i. Throws or smashes objects to frighten or threaten – a form of domestic violence (Overt VAW) | 0.027 | 0.572 |
| DV2k. Controls the social life by preventing them from seeing family and friends – a form of domestic violence (Subtle VAW) | 0.397 | 0.362 |
| DV2m. Tries to control by denying money – a form of domestic violence (Subtle VAW) | 0.437 | 0.278 |
| SV1a. Stalking – a form of violence against women (Subtle VAW) | 0.567 | 0.121 |
| SV2a. Harassment via repeated phone calls – a form of violence against women (Subtle VAW) | 0.903 | -0.112 |
| SV2c. Harassment via repeated emails, text messages and the like – a form of violence against women (Subtle VAW) | 0.907 | -0.118 |

Scale properties

Cronbach Alpha was used to measure the internal consistency of the Overt ($\alpha=0.691$) and Subtle ($\alpha=0.845$) factors and both demonstrated high internal reliability. The Cronbach Alpha could not be increased through the deletion of any item in the Overt or Subtle factors and Corrected Item Total Correlations were 0.467 or greater for the Overt factor and 0.564 or greater for the Subtle factor. It is recommended that both scales remain intact. This analysis also demonstrates the appropriateness of using the Subtle understanding of VAW scale as an analytical construct throughout this report.

Violence Supportive Attitudes (VSA) Construct

As discussed in Section 6, to assist our understanding of violent supportive attitudes, in general, an overall construct / amalgam of the questionnaire items which measure violence supportive attitudes, and were suitable for amalgamation, has been developed in order to provide an overarching summary variable measuring overall violence supportive attitudes (VSA). The following variables were initially included as part of the exploratory investigation (# denotes those subsequently omitted from the model).

Table C2: Measures included in the Violence Supportive Attitudes Construct

| Theme and item | Reverse score (Y/N) |
|---|------------------------|
| Minimising VAW | |
| VAW4. Violence against women is a serious issue? (1 Strongly agree, 5 Strongly disagree) | N |
| DV2b. Slaps or pushes to cause harm or fear? (1 Very serious, 4 Not at all) | N |
| DV2d. Forces the other partner to have sex? (1 Very serious, 4 Not at all) | N |
| DV2f. Tries to scare or control by threatening to hurt other? (1 Very serious, 4 Not at all) | N |
| DV2h. Repeatedly criticises to make them feel bad or useless? (1 Very serious, 4 Not at all) | N |
| DV2j. Throws or smashes objects to frighten or threaten? (1 Very serious, 4 Not at all) | N |
| DV2l. Controls the social life by preventing them from seeing family and friends? (1 Very serious, 4 Not at all) | N |
| DV2n. Tries to control by denying money? (1 Very serious, 4 Not at all) | N |
| DV6n. Women going through custody battles often make up or exaggerate claims of DV? (1 Strongly agree, 5 Strongly disagree) | Y |
| SV1b. Stalking – how serious? (1 Very serious, 4 Not at all) | N |
| SV2b. Harassment via repeated phone calls – how serious? (1 Very serious, 4 Not at all) | N |
| SV2d. Harassment via repeated emails, text messages and the like – how serious? (1 Very serious, 4 Not at all) | N |
| SV2f. Keeps track of partner via mobile and electronic devices – how serious? (1 Very serious, 4 Not at all) | N |
| SV3b. Women rarely make false claims of being raped? (1 Strongly agree, 5 Strongly disagree) | N |
| SV3g. If a woman doesn't physically resist – even if protesting verbally – then it isn't really rape? (1 Strongly agree, 5 Strongly disagree) | Y |
| Trivialising VAW | |
| DV6c. It's hard to understand why women stay in violent relationships? (1 Strongly agree, 5 Strongly disagree)# | Y |
| DV6d. DV is a private matter to be handled in the family? (1 Strongly agree, 5 Strongly disagree) | Y |
| DV6l. Most women could leave a violent relationship if they really wanted? (1 Strongly agree, 5 Strongly disagree) | Y |
| DV6m. One partner is physically violent towards the other it is reasonable for violent person to leave the family home? (1 Strongly agree, 5 Strongly disagree) # | N |
| DV6o. It's a woman's duty to stay in a violent relationship to keep the family together? (1 Strongly agree, 5 Strongly disagree) | Y |
| SV3d. Women who are sexually harassed should sort it out themselves rather than report it? (1 Strongly agree, 5 Strongly disagree) | Y |

Table C2: Measures included in the Violence Supportive Attitudes Construct (cont.).

| Theme and item | (Y/N) |
|---|-------|
| Excuses for VAW | |
| DV6f. DV can be excused if the violent person was abused as a child? (1 Strongly agree, 5 Strongly disagree) | Y |
| DV6g. Domestic violence can be excused if the violent person is under a lot of stress in their lives? (1 Strongly agree, 5 Strongly disagree) | Y |
| DV6h. DV excused if the violent person genuinely regrets what they have done? (1 Strongly agree, 5 Strongly disagree) | Y |
| DV6i. DV excused if results from getting so angry they temporarily lose control? (1 Strongly agree, 5 Strongly disagree) | Y |
| DV6k. DV excused if OFFENDER heavily affected by alcohol? (1 Strongly agree, 5 Strongly disagree) | Y |
| SV3h. Rape results from men not being able to control their need for sex? (1 Strongly agree, 5 Strongly disagree) # | Y |
| SV3j. A man is less responsible for rape if he is drunk or affected by drugs? (1 Strongly agree, 5 Strongly disagree) | Y |
| DV6j. DV excused if VICTIM heavily affected by alcohol? (1 Strongly agree, 5 Strongly disagree) | Y |
| SV3c. Women often say no when they mean yes? (1 Strongly agree, 5 Strongly disagree) | Y |
| SV3f. If a woman goes to a room alone with a man at a party, it is her fault if she is raped? (1 Strongly agree, 5 Strongly disagree) | Y |
| SV3k. If a woman is raped while she is drunk or affected by drugs she is at least partly responsible? (1 Strongly agree, 5 Strongly disagree) | Y |
| SV3l. A lot of times, women who say they were raped had led the man on and then had regrets (1 Strongly agree, 5 Strongly disagree) | Y |
| Justifications for VAW | |
| DV7aa. Admits to having sex with another man? (1 Strongly agree, 5 Strongly disagree) | Y |
| DV7ab. Makes him look stupid or insults him in front of his friends? (1 Strongly agree, 5 Strongly disagree) | Y |
| DV7ac. Ends or tries to end the relationship? (1 Strongly agree, 5 Strongly disagree) | Y |
| DV9b_1. In order to get access to his children? (1 Strongly agree, 5 Strongly disagree) | Y |
| DV9b_2. If he thinks she is unreasonable about property settlement and financial issues? (1 Strongly agree, 5 Strongly disagree) | Y |
| Blaming the victim | |
| DV6j. DV excused if VICTIM heavily affected by alcohol? (1 Strongly agree, 5 Strongly disagree) | Y |
| SV3c. Women often say no when they mean yes?(1 Strongly agree, 5 Strongly disagree) | Y |
| SV3f. If a woman goes to a room alone with a man at a party, it is her fault if she is raped? 1 Strongly agree, 5 Strongly disagree) | Y |
| SV3l. A lot of times, women who say they were raped had led the man on and then had regrets? 1 Strongly agree, 5 Strongly disagree) | Y |

Omitted from the model. With all the other items it was easy to see that people with low scores on the construct answered towards one end of the rating scale and those with high scores answered towards the other end of the scale. With these three items, however, there was no pattern at all in how people answered and the construct scores were much improved by dropping the items.

The basic approach to compiling this construct was to standardise all 4 and 5 point scale items and to tally scores across all items answered (remembering that some items were randomly asked of only half of the sample members). The resultant score for each respondent was converted into a standardised score (Z-score) for analysis purposes whereby a low score is associated with a low score on violence supportive attitudes and a high score is conversely associated with a high score on violence supportive attitudes.

One of the issues to be resolved in constructing this overarching VSA Scale is that of the 39 items included in this construct 27 items were not asked of every respondent due to the time-saving decision taken to ask certain blocks of questions of just half of the respondents. This affects two banks of questions, DV6 (15 items) and SV3 (12 items).

Each bank is split into two parts with 7, 8, 6 and 6 items, respectively:

- DV6 a–g (Respondents, n=8,715)
- DV6 h–o (Respondents, n=8,802)
- SV3 a–f (Respondents, n=8,731)
- SV3 g–l (Respondents, n=8,786)

Respondents were randomly allocated to one part in DV6 and one part in SV3, resulting in four possible pathways through the questionnaire. The allocation worked out as follows. Although the allocation to each combination of blocks was uneven, the total number of responses per item is approximately the same (8,760 on average).

Table C3 : Allocation of respondents to DV6 and SV3 rotation blocks

| DV6 | | SV3 | | n |
|-----|---|-----|---|-------|
| A | B | A | B | |
| | | | | 6,045 |
| | | | | 2,686 |
| | | | | 2,670 |
| | | | | 6,116 |

To assess the impact of the assignment of respondents into the four questionnaire pathways, a comparison of person and item measures was undertaken using the Rasch measurement model. Such an approach to scale construction and assessment is very common across fields such as health studies, education, psychology, marketing, economics and social sciences. Rasch analysis is a method for obtaining objective, fundamental, linear measures from stochastic observations of ordered category responses. One particular strength of the Rasch model is the wealth of diagnostics it generates that enable the detection of misfitting items, unusual patterns of response and multidimensionality. For more details about the Rasch model, refer to Bond and Fox (2007).

The particular implementation of the Rasch model used here was the Winsteps computer program (Linacre, 2012). Of relevance to the analysis are Winstep’s facilities for detecting differential item functioning (DIF), where groups of persons respond differently to items, and for comparing the distribution of measures among different groups of persons.

First, in the DIF analysis, item difficulties were estimated for all persons and then the pairwise differences between the four pathways were calculated. None of the differences between pathways was greater than 1.15% (which occurred for item *DV2d Forces the other partner to have sex*). Given the range of item measures was from 25.59% (*DV6C It's hard to understand why women stay in violent relationships*) to 62.34% (*DV2F Tries to scare or control by threatening to hurt other family members*) this difference had no substantive impact on the overall distribution of measures. (Note that the default scale for the Rasch model is log-odds and these have been converted here to a 0–100 scale to aid with interpretation.)

Next, an analysis of variance was carried out for the overall distribution of measures across the four different pathways. This also yielded a non-significant result ($p = 0.225$) suggesting no evidence of differences between measures for the four groups of respondents.

In summary, then, neither the item difficulties nor the person measures estimated by the Rasch model were significantly affected by the allocation of respondents into the four questionnaire pathways. Treating the persons as essentially one group with respect to patterns of item response is therefore a reasonable approach.

As mentioned previously, the 2013 NCAS was largely designed as a continuation of the previous 2009 national survey and an earlier 1995 national survey (refer back to Section 1.1 - Background and Objectives). Given this starting point one of the challenges in analysing and reporting the 2013 data was to bring a fresh perspective to the analysis and to look to draw out new findings and implications. To meet these challenges the Understanding Violence Against Women (UVAW) Scale and the Violence Supportive Attitudes (VSA) Construct were created. While, as discussed above, these variables have been rigorously developed and are psychometrically sound they are analytic devices for this data set and this report only and are not intended as definitive or transferrable measures of the underlying UVAW and VSA Constructs. More so they are devices which enable us to examine the survey findings at a more aggregated level and to examine hitherto unknown linkages between socio-demographic variables and a broad-based conceptualisation of community knowledge and understanding of violence against women and a multifaceted depiction of violence supportive attitudes (based on known domains of justifying, excusing, minimising, trivialising violence against women and victim blaming).

[Construct comparisons between 2009 and 2013](#)

To enable comparisons with the 2013 results, construct scores were calculated for the 2009 data. Since the set of items making up each construct was not identical over the two surveys, 2009 person scores were found as the average of their responses to the available items, scaled to give a maximum score of 100%. When drawing conclusions about changes in average scores over time, it should be noted that construct scores for 2009 and 2013 are only approximately equivalent and so minor differences are to be expected.

Appendix D: Questionnaire

2013 NATIONAL COMMUNITY ATTITUDES TO VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN SURVEY

GENERAL COMMUNITY QUESTIONNAIRE

Version 14 (Main Study)

Call outcome codes (SMS screen)

1. No answer
2. Answering machine
3. Fax machine / modem
4. Engaged
5. Telstra message / Disconnected
6. Appointment
7. Named person not known (only applies if calling back to keep an appointment and phone answerer denies knowledge of named person)
8. Other out of scope (refer briefing notes)
9. Claims to have done survey
10. Away for duration
11. LOTE – (Cantonese, Mandarin, Vietnamese, Italian, Greek, Hindi, Punjabi, Arabic, Turkish, Serbo-Croatian) follow up
12. LOTE – (Other languages) no follow up – please record language
13. LOTE – (Language unknown) follow up to establish language (CATI to treat as appointment)
14. Too old / frail / deaf
15. Stopped interview (male interviewer required)
16. Terminated during screening / midway (HIDDEN CODE)
17. Not a residential number
18. (SUPERVISOR USE ONLY) Refused prior (e.g. phoned 1800 number to refuse participation after receiving PAL)
19. Not called, interviewer gender not same as respondent gender
20. Remove from list (add to do not call register)

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*(ALL)

SAMTYP

1. Landline
2. Mobile

1.1. INTRODUCTION AND SCREENING

IF SAMTYP=1 CONTINUE OTHERWISE GO TO INTRO4

*(LANDLINE SAMPLE)

Intro1 Good (morning/afternoon/evening). My name is (...). I'm calling on behalf of the Australian Government from the Social Research Centre. We are conducting an important community attitudes study across Australia. The study is looking at community attitudes to violence and the results will be used to try and improve public health and safety.

IF NECESSARY: Any information provided is protected by strict Commonwealth and State privacy laws. The Australian Government department responsible for overseeing the survey is the Department of Families, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs.

1. Continue
2. Make appointment (GO TO SDUM1)
3. Out-of-scope, no-one in household aged 16 years or over (GO TO TERM1)
4. Household Refusal (GO TO RR1)
5. Queried about how landline number was obtained (GO TO PTEL)
6. QR LOTE – Mandarin / Cantonese / Vietnamese / Italian / Greek / Hindi / Punjabi / Arabic / Turkish / Serbo-Croatian (language follow up) (GO TO ALOTE)
7. QR LOTE - Other language identified (no language follow up) (RECORD LANGUAGE THEN GO TO TERM3)
8. QR LOTE - Language not identified (make appointment)

*(LANDLINE SAMPLE SAMTYP=1)

Intro2 To help with this important study we'd like to arrange to interview the person aged 16 or over who is going to have the next birthday.

IF NECESSARY: Many households will have received a letter about the study from the Department of Families, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs.

1. Continue with same person NO NEED TO REINTRODUCE (GO TO INTRO6)
2. Switch to new person (CONTINUE)
3. Make appointment (GO TO SDUM1)
4. Phone answerer refused to pass on to selected person (GO TO RR1)
5. No-one in household aged 16 years and over (GO TO TERM 1)
6. Selected respondent refusal (GO TO RR1)
7. Wants a copy of the letter before proceeding (GO TO ALET)

*(LANDLINE SAMPLE SAMTYP=1 & INTRO2=2)

Intro3 Good (morning/afternoon/evening). My name is (...). I'm calling on behalf of the Australian Government from the Social Research Centre. We are conducting an important community attitudes

study across Australia. The study is looking at community attitudes to violence and the results will be used to try and improve public health and safety.

IF NECESSARY: Any information provided is protected by strict Commonwealth and State privacy laws. The Australian Government department responsible for overseeing the survey is the Department of Families, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs.

1. Continue (GO TO INTRO6)
2. Make appointment (GO TO SDUM1)
3. Selected respondent refusal (GO TO RR1)
4. Wants more information about clients (GO TO PCLIENT)

*INTRODUCTORY QUESTION FOR MOBILE PHONE SAMPLE

*(MOBILE SAMPLE SAMTYP=2)

Intro4 Good (morning/afternoon/evening). My name is (...). I'm calling on behalf of the Australian Government from the Social Research Centre. We are conducting an important community attitudes study across Australia. The study is looking at community attitudes to violence and the results will be used to try and improve public health and safety. We are looking to interview people aged 16 and over.

IF NECESSARY: Any information provided is protected by strict Commonwealth and State privacy laws. The Australian Government department responsible for overseeing the survey is the Department of Families, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs.

1. Continue
2. Appointment (GO TO SDUM1)
3. Out-of-scope, aged less than 16 years (GO TO TERM1)
4. Refusal (GO TO RR1)
5. Queried about how number was obtained (GO TO PTEL_MOB)
6. Queried about why mobile was called (GO TO PINFO_MOB)
7. QR LOTE -
Mandarin/Cantonese/Vietnamese/Italian/Greek/Arabic/Hindi/Punjabi/Arabic/Turkish/Serbo-Croatian (language follow up) (GO TO ALOTE)
8. QR LOTE - Other language identified (no language follow up) (RECORD LANGUAGE THEN GO TO TERM3)
9. QR LOTE - Language not identified (make appointment)

*MOBILE SAMPLE

Intro5 May I just check whether or not it is safe for you to take this call at the moment. If not, I am happy to call you back when it is more convenient for you.

1. Safe to take call (GO TO SDUM1)
2. Not safe to take call (GO TO SDUM1)
3. Selected respondent refusal (GO TO RR1)

SDUM1 INTERVIEWER TO RECORD GENDER OF SELECTED RESPONDENT (STAMP ON SAMPLE RECORD) (ASK IF NECESSARY)

1. Male
2. Female

*MOBILE SAMPLE

MOB_APPT_A Just so I know your time zone, can you tell me which state you're in?

1. NSW
2. VIC
3. QLD
4. SA
5. WA
6. TAS
7. NT
8. ACT
9. (Refused) (GO TO TERM2)

PREMOB_APPT IF Intro5 = 1 GO TO SDUM. OTHERS CONTINUE.

*MOBILE SAMPLE

MOB_APPT Do you want me to call you back on this number or would you prefer I call back on another phone?

1. This number
2. Home phone
3. Respondent Refusal (GO TO RR1)

(STAMP ON SAMPLE RECORD)

SDUM For this study we are particularly interested in interviewing people from a variety of backgrounds. (Just to help us when we call back) may I just check whether or not (you are / that person is) of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander origin or whether you or either of your parents were born in China, Hong Kong, Vietnam, India, Greece or Italy?

1. Not selected SCALD group
2. ATSI
3. China/Hong Kong
4. Vietnam
5. India
6. Greece
7. Italy
8. Selected SCALD group (not specified)
9. (Don't Know)
10. (Refused)

PREAPPOINTMENT IF Intro5 = 1 GO TO Intro6. OTHERS CONTINUE.

APPOINTMENT

1. TYPE STOP, MAKE APPOINTMENT (RECORD HOME PHONE NUMBER, IF NECESSARY)

*(SELECTED RESPONDENT INTRO2=1 OR INTRO3=1 OR INTRO5=1)

Intro6 To check whether you are eligible for this survey would you mind telling me how old you are?

1. Age given (RECORD AGE IN YEARS _____) (RANGE 16 TO 99) (GO TO CHECK_PCAGE)
2. Refused (PROGRAMMER NOTE - RECORD IN DATA AS 8888 and ask Intro7)

*(REFUSED AGE Intro6=2)

Intro7 Could you please tell me which of the following age groups you are in? (READ OUT)

1. 16 – 17 years (CONTINUE)
2. 18 – 24 years (GO TO GEND1)
3. 25 – 34 years (GO TO GEND1)
4. 35 – 44 years (GO TO GEND1)
5. 45 – 54 years (GO TO GEND1)
6. 55 – 64 years, or (GO TO GEND1)
7. 65 – 74 (GO TO GEND1)
8. 75 + years (GO TO GEND1)
9. (Refused) PROGRAMMER NOTE – RECORD IN DATA AS 8888) (GO TO TERM1)

CHECK_PCAGE IF INTRO6=16 OR 17 OR INTRO7=1 COTINUE OTHERWISE GO TO GEND1

*PROGRAMMER NOTE: DISPLAY LANDLINE AND MOBILE SAMPLE SCRIPT AS APPROPRIATE.

*(PARENTAL PERMISSION FOR 16 OR 17 YEAR OLD) (INTRO6 = 16 OR 17 OR INTRO7=1)

PC1 I need to get permission from your parent or guardian to interview you. May I speak with him or her please?

EXPLAIN TO PARENT / GUARDIAN: Good (morning/afternoon/evening). My name is (...). I'm calling on behalf of the Australian Government from the Social Research Centre. We are conducting an important community attitudes study across Australia. The study is looking at community attitudes to violence and the results will be used to try and improve public health and safety.

(SAMTYP = 1, Landline)

For this study we are speaking with the person in the household aged 16 years and over who is having the next birthday. If the selected person is aged 16 or 17 we need to get permission from their parent or guardian to interview them.

(SAMTYP = 2, Mobile)

For this study we are speaking with the mobile phone owner aged 16 years and over. If the selected person is aged 16 or 17 we need to get permission from their parent or guardian to interview them.

Do I have your permission to interview the 16 or 17 year old that we have selected for interview?

IF RESPONDENT IS SUSPICIOUS OR DOUBTFUL: If you want to verify that the survey is legitimate, or if you would like more information, you can call the Social Research Centre's 1800 number (1800 023 040) during business hours, or you can check our website at www.srcentre.com.au.

IF RESONDENT NEEDS MORE ASSURANCE1: Or you could check the Department of Families, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs website at www.ofw.fahcsia.gov.au.

IF RESPONDENT NEEDS MORE ASSURANCE2: Or you can contact Karen Gauntlett from the Department on 02 6146 1835.

1. Continue
2. Parent refusal (GO TO RR1)
3. Refused to pass to parent (GO TO RR1)
4. Make appointment to get permission from parent (TYPE STOP, MAKE APPOINTMENT AND RECORD CONTACT NUMBER FOR PARENT)

*(RECORD PARENTAL PERMISSION)

PC2 In order to show that I have got permission to proceed with this interview would you mind telling me your first name please?

1. Permission given, name provided (RECORD PARENTS NAME) (CONTINUE)
2. Permission given, name NOT provided (CONTINUE)
3. Parental permission refused (GO TO RR1)

CHECK_PC IF PC2 = 1 OR 2 CONTINUE OTHERWISE GOTO GEND1.

*(PARENTAL CONSENT GIVEN)

PC3 Thank you for providing your consent. If you could please put me back on to (the qualifying respondent) we can begin the survey.

*(ALL) (PROGRAMMER NOTE – THIS IS TO BE STORED AS SURVEY DATA AND STAMP ON SAMPLE RECORD)

GEND1 RECORD GENDER OF SELECTED RESPONDENT

1. Male
2. Female

GEND2 (PROGRAMMER NOTE: AUTOCODE FROM INTERVIEWER ID AND RESPONSE TO GEND1) – USE INTQUALS OR SIMILAR

1. Male selected / Male interviewer
2. Female selected / Female interviewer
3. Male selected / Male interviewer required (GO TO S2INTRO A)
4. Female selected / Female interviewer required (GO TO S2INTRO B)

*(GENDER MATCH)

S1 That's great, you qualify to participate. This survey involves answering a series of questions today which will take about 20 minutes. All information you give us will be strictly confidential. We'd prefer that you answer all the questions, but if there are any that you don't want to answer, that's fine, just let me know.

IF RESPONDENT IS SUSPICIOUS OR DOUBTFUL: If you want to verify that the survey is legitimate, or if you would like more information, you can call the Social Research Centre's 1800 number (1800 023 040) during business hours, or you can check our website at www.srcentre.com.au.

IF RESONDENT NEEDS MORE ASSURANCE1: Or you could check the Department of Families, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs website at www.ofw.fahcsia.gov.au.

IF RESPONDENT NEEDS MORE ASSURANCE2: Or you can contact Karen Gauntlett from the Department on 02 6146 1835.

1. Start survey (GO TO S3)
2. Wants a copy of the letter before proceeding (GO TO ALET)
3. Stop interview, make appointment (GO TO CHECKSDUM)
4. Household refusal (ATTEMPT CONVERSION / RECORD REASON) (GO TO RR1)
5. Respondent refusal – Landline (ATTEMPT CONVERSION / RECORD REASON) (GO TO RR1)
6. Parent refusal (ATTEMPT CONVERSION / RECORD REASON) (GO TO RR1)
7. QR LOTE – Cantonese / Mandarin / Vietnamese / Italian / Greek / Hindi / Punjabi / Arabic / Turkish / Serbo-Croatian (language follow up) (GO TO ALOTE)
8. QR LOTE – Other language identified (no language follow up) (RECORD LANGUAGE THEN GO TO TERM3)
9. QR LOTE – Language not identified (make appointment) (RECORD ON SMS)
10. Queried about how LANDLINE telephone number was obtained (DISPLAY PTEL)
11. Queried about how MOBILE telephone number was obtained (DISPLAY PTEL_MOB)
12. Respondent refusal – Mobile (ATTEMPT CONVERSION / RECORD REASON) (GO TO RR1)

*(NOT A GENDER MATCH)

S2 INTRO A I need to arrange for a male interviewer to call back.

INTRO B I need to arrange for a female interviewer to call back

EXPLAIN IF NECESSARY: While we will not be asking personal questions, to make sure that everyone is entirely comfortable with the interview, the Department thinks it is best that males are interviewed by males and females by females.

1. Wants a copy of the letter before proceeding (GO TO ALET)
2. Stop interview, make appointment (GO TO CHECKSDUM)
3. Household refusal (ATTEMPT CONVERSION / RECORD REASON) (GO TO RR1)
4. Respondent refusal – Landline (ATTEMPT CONVERSION / RECORD REASON) (GO TO RR1)
5. Respondent refusal – Mobile (ATTEMPT CONVERSION / RECORD REASON) (GO TO RR1)
6. Parent refusal (ATTEMPT CONVERSION / RECORD REASON) (GO TO RR1)
7. QR LOTE – Cantonese / Mandarin / Vietnamese / Italian / Greek / Hindi / Punjabi/Arabic/Turkish/Serbo-Croatian (language follow up) (GO TO ALOTE)
8. QR LOTE – Other language identified (no language follow up) (RECORD LANGUAGE THEN GO TO TERM3)
9. QR LOTE – Language not identified (make appointment) (RECORD ON SMS)
10. Queried about how LANDLINE telephone number was obtained (DISPLAY PTEL)
11. Queried about how MOBILE telephone number was obtained (DISPLAY PTEL_MOB)

CHECKSDUM IF INTRO2 = 1 OR INTRO3 = 1 OR SDUM = 9 (Don't know) GO TO SDUM2
OTHERWISE GO TO APPOINTMENT2.

(STAMP ON SAMPLE RECORD)

SDUM2 For this study we are particularly interested in interviewing people from a variety of backgrounds. Just to help us when we call back may I just check whether or not you are of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander origin or whether you or either of your parents were born in China, Hong Kong, Vietnam, India, Greece or Italy?)

1. Not selected SCALD group
2. ATSI
3. China/Hong Kong
4. Vietnam
5. India
6. Greece
7. Italy
8. Selected SCALD group (not specified)
9. Don't Know

10. Refused

APPOINTMENT2

1. TYPE STOP, MAKE APPOINTMENT (RECORD HOME PHONE NUMBER, IF NECESSARY)

*(WANT TO RECEIVE A COPY OF THE LETTER)

ALET RECORD ADDRESS DETAILS TO SEND COPY OF LETTER

(RECORD NAME AND VERIFY ADDRESS DETAILS FROM SAMPLE / COLLECT ADDRESS
DETAILS)

*PROGRAMMER NOTE RE ALET: WILL NEED TO BE ABLE TO TRACK INTERVIEWS RESULTING
FROM SENDING A COPY OF THE LETTER]

*(LOTES)

ALOTE RECORD LANGUAGE (ALL OTHERS LANGUAGES RECORDED AS LOTE NO FOLLOW UP)

1. Cantonese (CODE AS LANGUAGE DIFFICULTY FOLLOW UP)
2. Vietnamese (CODE AS LANGUAGE DIFFICULTY FOLLOW UP)
3. Italian (CODE AS LANGUAGE DIFFICULTY FOLLOW UP)
4. Greek (CODE AS LANGUAGE DIFFICULTY FOLLOW UP)
5. Mandarin (CODE AS LANGUAGE DIFFICULTY FOLLOW UP)
6. Hindi (CODE AS LANGUAGE DIFFICULTY FOLLOW UP)
7. Punjabi (CODE AS LANGUAGE DIFFICULTY FOLLOW UP)
8. Arabic (CODE AS LANGUAGE DIFFICULTY FOLLOW UP)
9. Turkish (CODE AS LANGUAGE DIFFICULTY FOLLOW UP)
10. Serbo-Croatian (CODE AS LANGUAGE DIFFICULTY FOLLOW UP)

*(QUERIED HOW LANDLINE NUMBER WAS OBTAINED) (S1=10 OR S2=9))

PTEL Your telephone number has been chosen at random from all possible telephone numbers.
We find that this is the best way to obtain a representative sample of people across Australia.

*(QUERIED HOW MOBILE NUMBER WAS OBTAINED) (S1=11 OR S2=10)

PTEL_MOB Your mobile number was automatically generated from all possible mobile phone
numbers. We're calling mobile phones as well as landlines so we can get a representative sample of
people across Australia.

*(WANTS MORE INFO ABOUT THE CLIENT INTRO3=4)

PCLIENT The survey is being conducted by the Social Research Centre on behalf of the
Victorian Health Promotion Foundation (VicHealth) and the Australian government Department of
Family, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs (FaHCSIA). FaHCSIA is the federal
government department responsible for providing programs, policies and services to support
children and families, seniors, Indigenous people, vulnerable people, and people with disabilities
and their carers. It is also responsible for housing services and payments.

VicHealth is a statutory authority, funded by the Victorian Government and works in partnership
with organisations, communities and individuals to promote good health and prevent ill health.

*(QUERIED ABOUT WHY MOBILE WAS CALLED INTRO4=6)

PINFO_MOBILE Your number was randomly generated by a computer. We're calling mobile
phones as well as landlines because lots of people have mobile phones but don't have landlines. So, we
call mobile phones as well as landlines so we can get a representative sample of people across
Australia.

*(REFUSED)

RR1 OK, that's fine, no problem, but could you just tell me the main reason you do not want <IF PC1= 2 or 3: your son/daughter> to participate, because that's important information for us?

1. No comment / just hung up
2. Too busy
3. Not interested
4. Too personal / intrusive
5. Don't like subject matter
6. Letter put me off
7. Don't believe surveys are confidential / privacy concerns
8. Silent number
9. Don't trust surveys / government
10. Never do surveys
11. 15–20 minutes is too long
12. Get too many calls for surveys / telemarketing
13. Too old / frail / deaf / unable to do survey (CODE AS TOO OLD / FRAIL / DEAF)
14. Not a residential number (business, etc) (CODE AS NOT A RESIDENTIAL NUMBER)
15. Language difficulty (CODE AS LANGUAGE DIFFICULTY NO FOLLOW UP)
16. Going away / moving house (CODE AS AWAY DURATION)
17. Asked to be taken off list (add to do not call register)
18. Dislike being called on my mobile
19. Other (Specify)

*(REFUSED)

RR2 RECORD RE-CONTACT TYPE

1. Definitely don't call back
2. Possible conversion

*PROGRAMMER NOTE: IS SAMPLE TYPE = 2 (MOBILE) INSERT "people" AND "voicemail" OTHERWISE INSERT "households" AND "answering machine".

*(ANSWERING MACHINE/VOICEMAIL SCRIPTS)

Answering machine message 1

Good morning/afternoon/evening. My name is <SAY NAME> calling on behalf of the Department of Families, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs from the Social Research Centre. We are telephoning (people/households) across Australia to conduct an important study to better understand community attitudes to violence. The results will be used to try and improve public health and safety. If you would like to participate in this study, please call 1800 023 040 and we will call you back at a time that is convenient to you. Thank you.

Answering machine message 2

Good morning/afternoon/evening. My name is <SAY NAME> calling on behalf of the Department of Families, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs from the Social Research Centre. We left a message recently on your (voicemail/answering machine) regarding an important study to better understand community attitudes to violence. The results will be used to try and improve public health and safety. If you would like to participate in this study, please call 1800 023 040 and we will call you back at a time that is convenient to you. Thank you.

*(ALL)

S3 This interview may be monitored for quality purposes. Please advise if you don't want this call to be monitored.

1. Monitoring allowed
2. Monitoring not permitted

*(ALL)

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1.2.
AGAINST WOMEN

MODULE 1: VIOLENCE GENERALLY AND VIOLENCE

*[BASE IS ALL UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED]

*(ALL)

VAW4 I'd like to start with a question about violence against women. Do you agree or disagree that violence against women is a serious issue for our community?

(PROBE: Strongly agree / disagree or somewhat agree / disagree).

1. Strongly agree
2. Somewhat agree
3. (Neither agree or disagree)
4. Somewhat disagree
5. Strongly disagree
6. (Don't Know / Can't Say)
7. (Refused)

VAW6 And do you agree or disagree that violence against women is common in our community?

(PROBE: Strongly agree / disagree or somewhat agree / disagree).

1. Strongly agree
2. Somewhat agree
3. (Neither agree or disagree)
4. Somewhat disagree
5. Strongly disagree
6. (Don't Know / Can't Say)
7. (Refused)

*(ALL)

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1.3.

MODULE 2: DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

*(ALL)

*[ROTATE ORDER OF PAIRED STATEMENTS]

DV2 Now thinking about domestic violence. I'd like you to tell me whether or not you regard the following sorts of behaviour as domestic violence and how serious you think they are?

1. Continue

DV2a If one partner in a domestic relationship slaps or pushes the other partner to cause harm or fear, is this a form of domestic violence? (IF YES, PROBE: Would you say that is always the case, usually the case, or just sometimes).

1. Yes, always
2. Yes, usually
3. Yes, sometimes
4. No
5. (Don't Know)

6. (Refused)

DV2b And how serious is this, would you say very, quite, not that serious or not at all?

(PROMPT IF REQUIRED: Do you regard one partner in a domestic relationship slapping or pushing the other partner to cause harm or fear to be (READ OUT))

1. Very serious
2. Quite serious
3. Not that serious, or
4. Not at all serious
5. (Don't Know)
6. (Refused)

DV2c If one partner in a domestic relationship forces the other partner to have sex, is this a form of domestic violence? (IF YES, PROBE: Would you say that is always the case, usually the case, or just sometimes).

1. Yes, always
2. Yes, usually
3. Yes, sometimes
4. No
5. (Don't Know)
6. (Refused)

DV2d And how serious is this, would you say very, quite, not that serious or not at all?

(PROMPT IF REQUIRED: Do you regard one partner in a domestic relationship forcing the other partner to have sex to be (READ OUT))

1. Very serious
2. Quite serious
3. Not that serious, or
4. Not at all serious
5. (Don't Know)
6. (Refused)

DV2e If one partner in a domestic relationship tries to scare or control the other partner by threatening to hurt other family members, is this a form of domestic violence? (IF YES, PROBE: Would you say that is always the case, usually the case, or just sometimes).

1. Yes, always
2. Yes, usually
3. Yes, sometimes
4. No
5. (Don't Know)
6. (Refused)

DV2f And how serious is this, would you say very, quite, not that serious or not at all?

(PROMPT IF REQUIRED: Do you regard one partner in a domestic relationship trying to scare or control the other partner by threatening to hurt other family members as.... (READ OUT))

1. Very serious
2. Quite serious
3. Not that serious, or
4. Not at all serious
5. (Don't Know)
6. (Refused)

DV2g If one partner in a domestic relationship repeatedly criticises the other one to make them feel bad or useless, is this a form of domestic violence? (IF YES, PROBE: Would you say that is always the case, usually the case, or just sometimes).

1. Yes, always
2. Yes, usually
3. Yes, sometimes
4. No
5. (Don't Know)
6. (Refused)

DV2h And how serious is this, would you say very, quite, not that serious or not at all?

(PROMPT IF REQUIRED: Do you regard one partner in a domestic relationship repeatedly criticizing the other one to make them feel bad or useless as.... (READ OUT))

1. Very serious
2. Quite serious
3. Not that serious, or
4. Not at all serious
5. (Don't Know)
6. (Refused)

DV2i If one partner in a domestic relationship throws or smashes objects near the other partner to frighten or threaten them, is this a form of domestic violence? (IF YES, PROBE: Would you say that is always the case, usually the case, or just sometimes).

1. Yes, always
2. Yes, usually
3. Yes, sometimes
4. No
5. (Don't Know)
6. (Refused)

DV2j And how serious is this, would you say very, quite, not that serious or not at all?

(PROMPT IF REQUIRED: Do you regard one partner in a domestic relationship deliberately throwing or smashing objects near the other partner to frighten or threaten them to be (READ OUT))

1. Very serious
2. Quite serious
3. Not that serious, or

4. Not at all serious
5. (Don't Know)
6. (Refused)

DV2k If one partner in a domestic relationship controls the social life of the other partner by preventing them from seeing family and friends, is this a form of domestic violence? (IF YES, PROBE: Would you say that is always the case, usually the case, or just sometimes).

1. Yes, always
2. Yes, usually
3. Yes, sometimes
4. No
5. (Don't Know)
6. (Refused)

DV2l And how serious is this, would you say very, quite, not that serious or not at all?

(PROMPT IF REQUIRED: Do you regard one partner in a domestic relationship controlling the social life of the other partner by preventing them from seeing family and friends as (READ OUT))

1. Very serious
2. Quite serious
3. Not that serious, or
4. Not at all serious
5. (Don't Know)
6. (Refused)

DV2m If one partner in a domestic relationship tries to control the other partner by denying them money, is this domestic violence? (IF YES, PROBE: Would you say that is always the case, usually the case, or just sometimes).

1. Yes, always
2. Yes, usually
3. Yes, sometimes
4. No
5. (Don't Know)
6. (Refused)

DV2n And how serious is this, would you say very, quite, not that serious or not at all?

(PROMPT IF REQUIRED: Do you regard one partner in a domestic relationship trying to control the other partner by denying them money as (READ OUT))

1. Very serious
2. Quite serious
3. Not that serious, or
4. Not at all serious
5. (Don't Know)
6. (Refused)

*(ALL)

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DV4 Do you think that it is mainly men, mainly women or both men and women that COMMIT ACTS of domestic violence? (IF BOTH PROBE TO CLARIFY: Both but men more often, both but women more often, or both equally?).

1. Mainly men
2. Both – but men more often
3. Both – equally
4. Both – but women more often
5. Mainly women
6. (Don't Know / Can't Say)
7. (Refused)

DV4c Do you think that men or women would be more likely to suffer PHYSICAL HARM as a result of domestic violence?

1. Men
2. (Equal)
3. Women
4. (Don't know)
5. (Refused)

DV4a Thinking about both female and male victims of domestic violence, would you say the LEVEL OF FEAR experienced is worse for males, worse for females or equally bad for both? (PROBE TO CLARIFY: A BIT WORSE OR MUCH WORSE)

1. Much worse for males
2. A bit worse for males
3. Equally bad for both males and females
4. A bit worse for females
5. Much worse for females
6. (Don't know)
7. (Refused)

*[SET QUOTA SO THAT 8750 RESPONDENTS ASKED BLOCK A AND THE OTHER 8750 ASKED BLOCK B – NEED TO ENSURE THAT ALL QUOTAS ARE SPLIT EVENLY (E.G. ACROSS STATES AND TERRITORIES, LL / MP, BUT ALLOCATION OF SAMPLE TO EACH QUOTA NEEDS TO BE OTHERWISE RANDOM TO ENSURE EVEN REPRESENTATION OF EACH GENDER)]

*(HALF SAMPLE CONTINUE, OTHERS, GO TO DV6 h

DV6 I am going to read out some statements about domestic violence. For each one please tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree.

IF NECESSARY: There are no right or wrong answers, only opinions.

(STATEMENTS – BLOCK A)

- a) Domestic violence is a criminal offence

- b) Most people turn a blind eye to, or ignore domestic violence
- c) It's hard to understand why women stay in violent relationships
- d) Domestic violence is a private matter to be handled in the family
- e) Police now respond more quickly to domestic violence calls than they did in the past
- f) Domestic violence can be excused if the violent person was themselves abused as a child
- g) Domestic violence can be excused if the violent person is under a lot of stress in their lives
- h) Domestic violence can be excused if, afterwards, the violent person genuinely regrets what they have done

*(IF ANSWERED DV6 a to g, GO TO DV7a, OTHERS, CONTINUE)

IF NECESSARY: There are no right or wrong answers, only opinions.

(STATEMENTS – BLOCK B)

- i) Domestic violence CAN BE EXCUSED if it results from people getting so angry that they temporarily lose control
- j) Domestic violence can be excused if THE VICTIM is heavily affected by alcohol
- k) Domestic violence can be excused if THE OFFENDER is heavily affected by alcohol
- l) Most women could leave a violent relationship if they really wanted to
- m) In domestic situations where one partner is physically violent towards the other it is entirely reasonable for the violent person to be made to leave the family home
- n) Women going through custody battles often make up or exaggerate claims of domestic violence in order to improve their case
- o) It's a woman's duty to stay in a violent relationship in order to keep the family together

(RESPONSE FRAME)

- 1. Strongly agree
- 2. Somewhat agree
- 3. (Neither agree or disagree)
- 4. Somewhat disagree
- 5. Strongly disagree
- 6. (Don't Know / Can't Say)
- 7. (Refused)

*[ROTATE STATEMENTS]

DV7a Now some questions about the use of physical force in relationships. Do you agree or disagree that a man would be justified in using physical force against his wife, partner, or girlfriend if ... (PROBE: Strongly agree / disagree or somewhat agree / disagree).

*[PROGRAMMING NOTE: DISPLAY THE FOLLOWING TEXT ABOVE EACH STATEMENT "A man would be justified in using physical force if..."]

(STATEMENTS)

- a) She admits to having sex with another man
- b) She makes him look stupid or insults him in front of his friends
- c) She ends or tries to end the relationship

(RESPONSE FRAME)

1. Strongly agree
2. Somewhat agree
3. (Neither agree or disagree)
4. Somewhat disagree
5. Strongly disagree
6. (Don't Know)
7. (Refused)

DV9b And do you agree or disagree that a man would be justified in using physical force against his EX-PARTNER... (PROBE: Strongly agree / disagree or somewhat agree / disagree).

1. In order to get access to his children
2. If he thinks she is unreasonable about property settlement and financial issues

(RESPONSE FRAME)

1. Strongly agree
2. Somewhat agree
3. (Neither agree or disagree)
4. Somewhat disagree
5. Strongly disagree
6. (Don't Know)
7. (Refused)

*(ALL)

CAUSE1 There are many reasons why some men are violent towards women, I'm now going to read out three statements and I'd like you to tell me which ONE of these you think is the MAIN reason why some men are violent towards women.

INTERVIEWER NOTE: PROMPT FOR ONE THING THEY CONSIDER TO BE THE MAIN CAUSE OF VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN. RE-READ STATEMENTS AS NECESSARY.

IF REQUIRED, CLARIFY THAT THESE ARE SOME OF THE POSSIBLE REASONS THAT HAVE BEEN GIVEN FOR WHY MEN COMMIT VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN (READ OUT AND ROTATE STATEMENTS 1 TO 3)

1. Men not being able to manage their anger
2. Men being under financial stress
3. The belief that men should be in-charge of relationships
4. (Don't Know / Can't Say)
5. (Refused)

*(ALL)

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*[SET QUOTA SO THAT 8750 RESPONDENTS ASKED DV10a1 / DV10c1 AND THE OTHER 8750 ASKED DV10a2 / DV10c2 – NEED TO ENSURE THAT ALL QUOTAS ARE SPLIT EVENLY (E.G. ACROSS STATES AND TERRITORIES, LL / MP, BUT ALLOCATION OF SAMPLE TO EACH QUOTA NEEDS TO BE OTHERWISE RANDOM TO ENSURE EVEN REPRESENTATION OF EACH GENDER)]

*(HALF SAMPLE CONTINUE, OTHERS GO TO DV10a2)

DV10a1 Which one of these best describes how you think you would react if you were present when a woman that you didn't know was being physically assaulted by her partner in front of her young children? Would you

(READ OUT ALL OPTIONS BEFORE CODING THE RESPONSE)

1. Most likely ignore the situation
2. Feel uncomfortable but not say or do anything
3. Physically intervene to try and stop the violent person, OR
4. Say or do something else to try and help
5. (Don't Know)
6. (Refused)

*(IF ANSWERED DV10a1, GO TO DV10c1, OTHERS, CONTINUE)

DV10a2 Which one of these best describes how you think you would react if you were present when a woman that you didn't know was being physically assaulted by her partner? (READ OUT ALL OPTIONS BEFORE CODING THE RESPONSE)

1. Most likely ignore the situation
2. Feel uncomfortable but not say or do anything
3. Physically intervene to try and stop the violent person, OR
4. Say or do something else to try and help
5. (Don't Know)
6. (Refused)

*(HALF SAMPLE, CONTINUE, OTHERS GO TO DV10c2)

DV10c1 Which one of these best describes how you think you would react if you were present when a family member or close friend of yours was being physically assaulted by her partner in front of her young children? (READ OUT ALL OPTIONS BEFORE CODING THE RESPONSE)

1. Most likely ignore the situation
2. Feel uncomfortable but not say or do anything
3. Physically intervene to try and stop the violent person, OR
4. Say or do something else to try and help
5. (Don't Know)
6. (Refused)

*(IF ANSWERED DV10c1, GO TO DV15, OTHERS CONTINUE)

DV10c2 Which one of these best describes how you think you would react if you were present when a family member or close friend of yours was being physically assaulted by her partner? (READ OUT ALL OPTIONS BEFORE CODING THE RESPONSE)

1. Most likely ignore the situation
2. Feel uncomfortable but not say or do anything
3. Physically intervene to try and stop the violent person, OR
4. Say or do something else to try and help
5. (Don't Know)
6. (Refused)

*(ALL)

DV15 **I'm going to read out a statement and I'd like you to tell me the extent to which you agree or disagree with it.**

If I needed to get outside advice or support for someone about a domestic violence issue, I would know where to go. (PROBE: Strongly agree / disagree or somewhat agree / disagree).

1. Strongly agree
2. Somewhat agree
3. (Neither agree or disagree)
4. Somewhat disagree
5. Strongly disagree
6. (Don't Know)
7. (Refused)

*(ALL)

TS5 TIMESTAMP5

1.4.

MODULE 3: SEXUAL VIOLENCE & HARASSMENT

*(ALL)

SV1a Now thinking generally about violence against women, not just domestic violence.

Do you regard stalking to be a form of violence against women. By stalking I mean being repeatedly followed or watched at home or work? (IF YES, PROBE: Would you say that is always the case, usually the case, or just sometimes).

1. Yes, always
2. Yes, usually
3. Yes, sometimes
4. No
5. (Don't Know)
6. (Refused)

SV1b And how serious is this, would you say very, quite, not that serious or not at all?

(PROMPT IF REQUIRED: Do you regard stalking to be READ OUT)

1. Very serious
2. Quite serious
3. Not that serious, or
4. Not at all serious
5. (Don't Know)
6. (Refused)

SV2a Do you regard harassment via repeated phone calls to be a form of violence against women? (IF YES, PROBE: Would you say that is always the case, usually the case, or just sometimes).

1. Yes, always

2. Yes, usually
3. Yes, sometimes
4. No
5. (Don't Know)
6. (Refused)

SV2b And how serious is this, would you say very, quite, not that serious or not at all?

(PROMPT IF REQUIRED: Do you regard harassment via repeated phone calls to be READ OUT)

1. Very serious
2. Quite serious
3. Not that serious, or
4. Not at all serious
5. (Don't Know)
6. (Refused)

SV2c Do you regard harassment via repeated emails, text messages and the like to be a form of violence against women? (IF YES, PROBE: Would you say that is always the case, usually the case, or just sometimes).

1. Yes, always
2. Yes, usually
3. Yes, sometimes
4. No
5. (Don't Know)
6. (Refused)

SV2d And how serious is this, would you say very, quite, not that serious or not at all?

(PROMPT IF REQUIRED: Do you regard harassment via repeated emails, text messages and the like to be READ OUT)

1. Very serious
2. Quite serious
3. Not that serious, or
4. Not at all serious
5. (Don't Know)
6. (Refused)

SV2e If a man keeps track of his wife's, partner's or girlfriend's location, calls or activities through her mobile phone or other electronic devices without her consent would you say that was...

1. Always acceptable
2. Sometimes acceptable
3. Rarely acceptable
4. Never acceptable
5. (Don't Know)
6. (Refused)

SV2f And how serious is this, would you say very, quite, not that serious or not at all?

(PROMPT IF REQUIRED: Do you regard a man tracking a woman through her phone or other electronic device without her consent to be.... READ OUT)

1. Very serious
2. Quite serious
3. Not that serious, or
4. Not at all serious
5. (Don't Know)
6. (Refused)

*[SET QUOTA SO THAT 8750 RESPONDENTS ASKED BLOCK A AND THE OTHER 8750 ASKED BLOCK B – NEED TO ENSURE THAT ALL QUOTAS ARE SPLIT EVENLY (E.G. ACROSS STATES AND TERRITORIES, LL / MP, BUT ALLOCATION OF SAMPLE TO EACH QUOTA NEEDS TO BE OTHERWISE RANDOM TO ENSURE EVEN REPRESENTATION OF EACH GENDER)]

*[ENSURE THAT 4375 OF THOSE WHO ANSWERED DV6 BLOCK A ARE ASKED SV3 BLOCK A AND THE OTHER 4375 SV3 BLOCK B / AND 4375 OF THOSE WHO ANSWERED DV6 BLOCK B ARE ASKED SV3 BLOCK A AND THE OTHER 4375 SV3 BLOCK B]

SV3 I'm now going to read out some statements about sexual assault and harassment. For each one, please tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree.

*(HALF SAMPLE, CONTINUE, OTHERS, GO TO SV3 g)

IF NECESSARY: There are no right or wrong answers, only opinions.

(STATEMENTS – BLOCK A)

- a) Women are more likely to be raped by someone they know than by a stranger
- b) Women RARELY make false claims of being raped
- c) Women often say 'no' when they mean 'yes'
- d) Women who are sexually harassed should sort it out themselves rather than report it
- e) Women with disabilities who report rape or sexual assault are less likely to be believed than other women
- f) If a woman goes to a room alone with a man at a party, it is her fault if she is raped

(RESPONSE FRAME)

1. Strongly agree
2. Somewhat agree
3. (Neither agree nor disagree)
4. Somewhat disagree
5. Strongly disagree
6. (Don't Know / Can't Say)
7. (Refused)

*(IF ANSWERED SV3 a to f GO TO SV4, OTHERS CONTINUE)

IF NECESSARY: There are no right or wrong answers, only opinions.

(STATEMENTS – BLOCK B)

- g) If a woman doesn't physically resist – even if protesting verbally – then it isn't really rape
- h) Rape results from men not being able to control their need for sex
- i) A woman cannot be raped by someone she is in a sexual relationship with
- j) A man is less responsible for rape if he is drunk or affected by drugs at the time
- k) If a woman is raped while she is drunk or affected by drugs she is at least partly responsible
- l) A lot of times, women who say they were raped had led the man on and then had regrets

(RESPONSE FRAME)

- 1. Strongly agree
- 2. Somewhat agree
- 3. (Neither agree nor disagree)
- 4. Somewhat disagree
- 5. Strongly disagree
- 6. (Don't Know / Can't Say)
- 7. (Refused)

SV4 Now thinking about women who have disabilities, do you think they are more or less likely to experience violence from people around them than women without disabilities or do you think there is no difference? (IF QUERIED, STATE THAT ANSWER CAN BE BASED ON WHATEVER RESPONDENT CONSIDERS TO BE A DISABILITY)

IF NECESSARY: 'People around them' would include family, friends and carers, and also extend to strangers.

- 1. More likely
- 2. No difference
- 3. Less likely
- 4. (Don't Know / Can't Say)
- 5. (Refused)

*(ALL)

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1.5. MODULE 4: COMMUNITY ATTITUDES

*PROGRAMMER NOTE: STATEMENTS I, j, k, l, m, n AND o TO BE ASKED OF A RANDOM SELECTION OF 1,000 CASES ONLY (E.G. EVERY nth INTERVIEW).

*(ALL)

ATT4 The statements I'm about to read out describe attitudes which different people have. For each statement please tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree

IF NECESSARY: There are no right or wrong answers, only opinions.

(STATEMENTS)

- a) On the whole, men make better political leaders than women.
- b) When jobs are scarce men should have more right to a job than women.

- c) A university education is more important for a boy than a girl
- d) A woman has to have children to be fulfilled
- e) It's OK for a woman to have a child as a single parent and not want a stable relationship with a man
- f) Discrimination against women is no longer a problem in the workplace in Australia
- g) Men should take control in relationships and be the head of the household
- h) Women prefer a man to be in charge of the relationship

(RESPONSE FRAME)

1. Strongly agree
2. Somewhat agree
3. (Neither agree nor disagree)
4. Somewhat disagree
5. Strongly disagree
6. (Don't Know / Can't Say)
7. (Refused)

*(ALL)

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1.6.

MODULE 7: DEMOGRAPHIC CHARACTERISTICS

*(ALL)

DEM Next some questions about you to help us analyse the results of this survey, all answers are completely confidential.

1. Continue

*(ALL)

DEM2 Are you of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander origin?

1. No
2. Yes, Aboriginal
3. Yes, Torres Strait Islander
4. Yes, both Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander
5. (Don't Know)
6. (Refused)

DEM3a In which country were you born?

1. Australia (GO TO DEM4a)
2. China
3. Greece
4. India
5. Italy
6. Lebanon
7. New Zealand
8. North America
9. Other Europe
10. Pacific Islands
11. South and Central America or the Caribbean
12. Turkey
13. United Kingdom / Ireland
14. Vietnam
15. Other Middle East (Iran, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Israel, Syria, Saudi Arabia)

16. North Africa (Morocco, Tunisia, Algeria, Egypt, Libya)
17. Horn of Africa (Somalia, Sudan, Ethiopia, Eritrea)
18. Other Africa
19. Central Asia (Afghanistan, Georgia, Kazakhstan)
20. South Asia (Pakistan, Nepal, Bangladesh)
21. Other East or Southeast Asia
22. Other (specify)
23. (Don't know) (GO TO DEM4a)
24. (Refused) (GO TO DEM4a)

*(NOT BORN IN AUSTRALIA DEM3a=2- TO 22)

DEM4 In what year did you first arrive in Australia to live?

1. Year given (Specify) (ALLOWABLE RANGE: 1900 TO 2013)
2. Don't know
3. Refused

DEM4a In which country was your mother born?

DEM4b In which country was your father born?

1. Australia
2. China
3. Greece
4. India
5. Italy
6. Lebanon
7. New Zealand
8. North America
9. Other Europe
10. Pacific Islands
11. South and Central America or the Caribbean
12. Turkey
13. United Kingdom / Ireland
14. Vietnam
15. Other Middle East (Iran, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Israel, Syria, Saudi Arabia)
16. North Africa (Morocco, Tunisia, Algeria, Egypt, Libya)
17. Horn of Africa (Somalia, Sudan, Ethiopia, Eritrea)
18. Other Africa
19. Central Asia (Afghanistan, Georgia, Kazakhstan)
20. South Asia (Pakistan, Nepal, Bangladesh)
21. Other East or Southeast Asia
22. Other (specify)
23. (Don't know)
24. (Refused)

*(ALL)

DEM5 Do you speak a language other than English at home?

1. Yes
2. No (GO TO DEM7)
3. Don't know (GO TO DEM7)
4. Refused (GO TO DEM7)

*(LOTE AT HOME DEM5=1)

DEM5a This may not apply to you but, would you say that you speak English...? (READ OUT)

1. Very well
2. Well

3. Not well, or
4. Not at all

*(ALL)

DEM7 Which of the following categories best describes your household?

READ OUT

1. Person Living Alone
2. Married or de-facto couple with no children
3. A couple with a child or children at home
4. A couple whose children have left home
5. A single parent with a child or children at home
6. A single parent whose children have left home
7. Non-related Adults Sharing House/Apartments/Flat, or
8. Some other sort of household
9. (Refused)

DEM8 What is the highest level of formal education you have completed?

(NOTE: IF UNSURE OR AMBIGUOUS PROBE FURTHER)

(IF YEAR 12 OR BELOW, PROBE FOR TRADE OR APPRENTICESHIP, ETC)

1. Primary School
2. Year 10 or below
3. Year 11
4. Year 12
5. Trade / apprenticeship qualification
6. Other TAFE/ Technical
7. Certificate or Diploma / Associate Diploma
8. Degree or Graduate Diploma
9. Post Graduate
10. Other (Specify)
11. (Don't Know)
12. (Refused)

DEM9 Do you currently do any paid work at all in a job, business or farm? (IF NOT EMPLOYED
PROBE: What would you say is your main activity at the moment?)

1. Employed
2. Unemployed
3. Engaged in home duties
4. A student
5. Retired, or
6. Unable to work
7. Other (Specify)
8. (Don't know)
9. (Refused)

PREDEM11 IFDEM9 = 1 (EMPLOYED) CONTINUE OTHERS GO TO DEM12

*(HAVE A JOB DEM9=1)

DEM11 What is your (main) occupation?

1. Manager
2. Professional

3. Technicians and Trades Worker
4. Community and Personal Service Worker
5. Clerical and Administrative Worker
6. Sales Worker
7. Machinery Operators and Driver
8. Labourer
9. Other (please specify)
10. (Refused)

PREDEM12 IF DEM7 = 1, 5, 6 OR 7 (ONLY ADULT IN HOUSEHOLD OR SHARE HOUSE) GO TO DEM14
OTHERWISE CONTINUE

*(OTHER ADULTS IN HOUSEHOLD DEM7=2 OR 3 OR 4)

DEM12 Are you <IF DEM9=2,3,4,5,6: 'Usually'> the main income earner in the household? (INTERVIEWER
NOTE: If equal earners, code as 1)

1. Yes (GO TO DEM16)
2. No

*(NOT THE MAIN INCOME EARNER DEM12=2)

DEM13 Could you tell me please what sort of work the main income earner in your household
does?

1. Manager
2. Professional
3. Technicians and Trades Worker
4. Community and Personal Service Worker
5. Clerical and Administrative Worker
6. Sales Worker
7. Machinery Operators and Driver
8. Labourer
9. Other (please specify)
10. (Refused)

*(AUTOFILL 1 IF DEM7=1 (LIVING ALONE))

PREDEM16 IF DEM7=1 (LIVING ALONE) GO TO DEM17, ELSE CONTINUE

*(NOT LIVING ALONE DEM7=2 TO 9)

DEM16 (Just to confirm) including you, how many people aged 16 years and over live in this
household?

1. Number given (Specify) RECORD WHOLE NUMBER (ALLOWABLE RANGE 1 TO 20)
2. Don't know (PROGRAMMER NOTE: RECORD IN DATA AS 999)
3. Refused (PROGRAMMER NOTE: RECORD IN DATA AS 888)

DEM17 Do you have any long-term difficulty hearing, seeing, communicating, walking, climbing
stairs, bending, learning or doing any similar activities? (IF YES PROBE: Is that always, often,
sometimes or rarely)

1. Yes, always
2. Yes, often
3. Yes, sometimes
4. Yes, rarely
5. No, never
6. Don't Know / Can't Say
7. Refused

*(HAS A DISABILITY DEM 17=1 or 2 or 3 or 4)

DEM17b (Does this condition / Do these conditions) reduce the amount or kind of activity you can do in your daily life?

1. Yes
2. No
3. Don't Know / Can't Say
4. Refused

*(ALL)

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1.7.

MODULE 8: TELEPHONE STATUS

PRET1 IF MOBILE SAMTYP=2 CONTINUE. OTHERWISE GO TO PRET2

*(MOBILE SAMTYP=2)

T1 Finally, I have a question or two about your use of telephone services. Is there at least one working fixed line telephone inside your home that is used for making and receiving calls?

1. Yes
2. No (GO TO TS15)
3. Don't know (GO TO TS15)
4. Refused (GO TO TS15)

*PROGRAMMER NOTE: IF T1 = 1 SUPPRESS TEXT IN BRACKETS.

*(LANDLINE SAMTYP=1 OR HAVE AT LEAST ONE LANDLINE IN HOUSEHOLD T1=1)

T2 (Finally, I have a question or two about your use of telephone services). How many residential phone numbers do you have in your household not including lines dedicated to faxes, modems or business phone numbers? Do not include mobile phones.

INTERVIEWER NOTE: If needed, explain as 'how many individual landline numbers are there at your house that you can use to make and receive calls?'

1. Number of lines given (SPECIFY _____) RECORD WHOLE NUMBER (ALLOWABLE RANGE 1 TO 15) *(DISPLAY "UNLIKELY RESPONSE" IF >3)
2. Don't know
3. Refused

PRET3 IF SAMTYP=1 CONTINUE. OTHERWISE GO TO TS9

*(LANDLINE SAMTYP=1)

T3 Do you also have a working mobile phone?

1. Yes
2. No
3. Don't know

4. Refused

*PROGRAMMER NOTE: IF NO POSTCODE FROM SAMPLE SUPPRESS CODE 1.

DEM18 And finally, could I just confirm your postcode please?

DISPLAY POSTCODE FROM SAMPLE WHERE AVAILABLE

1. Postcode from sample correct
2. (Specify postcode)
3. Don't know postcode (Specify suburb, town or locality)
4. Can't say /refused

*(ALL)

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CLOSE That's the end of the survey. I would like to thank you very much on behalf of the Department of Families, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs and the Social Research Centre for your co-operation in this survey. Just to remind you, my name is (...) from the Social Research Centre.

END Do you have any queries or concerns about the survey, or would you like more information about violence against women?

1. Yes (GO TO INFO)
2. No (thank respondent and close appropriately) (GOTO TS10)

INFO I can give you our 1800 number (1800 023 040) or you could check the Department's website for additional information at www.ofw.fahcsia.gov.au

For further information on the survey you can contact Karen Gauntlett from the Department 02 6146 1835.

If you would like to have a confidential discussion with with an experienced counsellor (about domestic violence or sexual assault) you can call the Violence against Women

National hotline – 1800 200 526.

*(ALL)

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INTERVIEWER TO ENTER ONCE INTERVIEW IS COMPLETE:

LANG Which language was this interview was mainly completed in

1. English
2. Cantonese

3. Greek
4. Italian
5. Mandarin
6. Vietnamese
7. Hindi
8. Punjabi
9. Arabic
10. Turkish
11. Serbo-Croatian

*(AUTOFILL FOR ALL INTERVIEWS COMPLETE TO DATE AS NORMAL)

INTERVIEWER TO ENTER ONCE INTERVIEW IS COMPLETE:

INT1 Was this a normal interview or a refusal conversion?

1. Normal
2. Refusal Conversion

TERMINATIONS

TERM1 Thanks for being prepared to help out, but for this survey we need to talk to people aged 16 years and over.

TERM2 Thanks but to know the best time to call you back on your mobile we need to know the State or Territory that you live in.

TERM3 Thanks for your time, but in this instance we're unable to continue with the survey.

ALLTERM

1. HOUSEHOLD REFUSAL-LANDLINE (INTRO1=4) OR (S1=4) OR (S2=3)
2. NO-ONE IN HOUSEHOLD AGED 16 OR ABOVE-LANDLINE (INTRO1=3) OR (INTRO2=5)
3. PHONE ANSWERER REFUSED TO PASS TO SELECTED PERSON – LANDLINE (INTRO2=4)
4. SELECTED RESPONDENT REFUSAL LANDLINE (INTRO2=6) OR (INTRO3=3) OR (S1=5) OR (S2=4)
5. OUT OF SCOPE, AGED LESS THAN 16 YEARS – MOBILE (INTRO4=3)
6. SELECTED RESPONDENT REFUSAL – MOBILE (INTRO=4) OR (INTRO5=3) OR (MOB_APPT=3) OR (MOB_APPT_A = 9) OR (S1=12) OR (S2=5)
7. SELECTED RESPONDENT REFUSED TO DISCLOSE AGE (INTRO7=9)
8. PARENT REFUSAL TO CONSENT (PC1=2) OR (PC2=3) OR (S2=6) OR (S1=6)
9. REFUSED TO PASS TO PARENT FOR CONSENT (PC1=3) AND (INTRO6<16; OR INTRO7=1)
10. LOTE – LANGUAGE OUT OF SCOPE (INTRO1=7) OR (INTRO4=8) OR (S2=8)
11. ALL OTHER TERMINATIONS

Interviewer Declaration

I certify that this is a true, accurate and complete interview, conducted in accordance with the briefing instructions, the IQCA standards and the MRSA Code of Professional Behaviour (ICC/Esomar). I will not disclose to any other person the content of this questionnaire or any other information relating to the project.

Interviewer name:

Interviewer I.D:

Signed:

Date

Appendix E: Main questionnaire changes between 2009 and 2013

| Question | Comment |
|--|---|
| <p>VAW4. I'd like to start with a question about violence against women. Do you agree or disagree that violence against women is a serious issue for our community?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree or disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know / Can't Say) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>VAW6. And do you agree or disagree that violence against women is common in our community?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree or disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know / Can't Say) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DV2a. If one partner in a domestic relationship slaps or pushes the other partner to cause harm or fear, is this a form of domestic violence? (IF YES, PROBE: Would you say that is always the case, usually the case, or just sometimes).</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Yes, always 2. Yes, usually 3. Yes, sometimes 4. No 5. (Don't Know) 6. (Refused) | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DV2b. And how serious is this, would you say very, quite, not that serious or not at all? (PROMPT IF REQUIRED: Do you regard one partner in a domestic relationship slapping or pushing the other partner to cause harm or fear to be (READ OUT))</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Very serious 2. Quite serious 3. Not that serious, or 4. Not at all serious 5. (Don't Know) 6. (Refused) | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DV2c. If one partner in a domestic relationship forces the other partner to have sex, is this a form of domestic violence? (IF YES, PROBE: Would you say that is always the case, usually the case, or just sometimes).</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Yes, always 2. Yes, usually 3. Yes, sometimes 4. No 5. (Don't Know) 6. (Refused) | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DV2d. And how serious is this, would you say very, quite, not that serious or not at all? (PROMPT IF REQUIRED: Do you regard one partner in a domestic relationship forcing the other partner to have sex to be (READ OUT))</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Very serious 2. Quite serious 3. Not that serious, or 4. Not at all serious 5. (Don't Know) 6. (Refused) | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |

| Question | Comment |
|--|---|
| <p>DV2e. If one partner in a domestic relationship tries to scare or control the other partner by threatening to hurt other family members, is this a form of domestic violence? (IF YES, PROBE: Would you say that is always the case, usually the case, or just sometimes).</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Yes, always 2. Yes, usually 3. Yes, sometimes 4. No 5. (Don't Know) 6. (Refused) | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DV2f. And how serious is this, would you say very, quite, not that serious or not at all? (PROMPT IF REQUIRED: Do you regard one partner in a domestic relationship trying to scare or control the other partner by threatening to hurt other family members as.... (READ OUT))</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Very serious 2. Quite serious 3. Not that serious, or 4. Not at all serious 5. (Don't Know) 6. (Refused) | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DV2g. If one partner in a domestic relationship repeatedly criticises the other one to make them feel bad or useless, is this a form of domestic violence? (IF YES, PROBE: Would you say that is always the case, usually the case, or just sometimes).</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Yes, always 2. Yes, usually 3. Yes, sometimes 4. No 5. (Don't Know) 6. (Refused) | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DV2h. And how serious is this, would you say very, quite, not that serious or not at all? (PROMPT IF REQUIRED: Do you regard one partner in a domestic relationship repeatedly criticizing the other one to make them feel bad or useless as.... (READ OUT))</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Very serious 2. Quite serious 3. Not that serious, or 4. Not at all serious 5. (Don't Know) 6. (Refused) | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DV2i. If one partner in a domestic relationship throws or smashes objects near the other partner to frighten or threaten them, is this a form of domestic violence? (IF YES, PROBE: Would you say that is always the case, usually the case, or just sometimes).</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Yes, always 2. Yes, usually 3. Yes, sometimes 4. No 5. (Don't Know) 6. (Refused) | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DV2j. And how serious is this, would you say very, quite, not that serious or not at all? (PROMPT IF REQUIRED: Do you regard one partner in a domestic relationship deliberately throwing or smashing objects near the other partner to frighten or threaten them to be (READ OUT))</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Very serious 2. Quite serious 3. Not that serious, or 4. Not at all serious 5. (Don't Know) 6. (Refused) | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |

| Question | Comment |
|---|---|
| <p>DV2k. If one partner in a domestic relationship controls the social life of the other partner by preventing them from seeing family and friends, is this a form of domestic violence? (IF YES, PROBE: Would you say that is always the case, usually the case, or just sometimes).</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Yes, always 2. Yes, usually 3. Yes, sometimes 4. No 5. (Don't Know) 6. (Refused) | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DV2l. And how serious is this, would you say very, quite, not that serious or not at all? (PROMPT IF REQUIRED: Do you regard one partner in a domestic relationship controlling the social life of the other partner by preventing them from seeing family and friends as (READ OUT))</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Very serious 2. Quite serious 3. Not that serious, or 4. Not at all serious 5. (Don't Know) 6. (Refused) | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DV2m. If one partner in a domestic relationship tries to control the other partner by denying them money, is this domestic violence? (IF YES, PROBE: Would you say that is always the case, usually the case, or just sometimes).</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Yes, always 2. Yes, usually 3. Yes, sometimes 4. No 5. (Don't Know) 6. (Refused) | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DV2n. And how serious is this, would you say very, quite, not that serious or not at all? (PROMPT IF REQUIRED: Do you regard one partner in a domestic relationship trying to control the other partner by denying them money as (READ OUT))</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Very serious 2. Quite serious 3. Not that serious, or 4. Not at all serious 5. (Don't Know) 6. (Refused) | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DV4. Do you think that it is mainly men, mainly women or both men and women that COMMIT ACTS of domestic violence? (IF BOTH PROBE TO CLARIFY: Both but men more often, both but women more often, or both equally?).</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Mainly men 2. Both – but men more often 3. Both – equally 4. Both – but women more often 5. Mainly women 6. (Don't Know / Can't Say) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 In 2009 the probe was worded If both probe to clarify: Mainly men, mainly women or both equally.</p> |
| <p>DV4c Do you think that men or women would be more likely to suffer PHYSICAL HARM as a result of domestic violence?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Men 2. (Equal) 3. Women 4. (Don't know) 5. (Refused) | <p>Included 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DV4a Thinking about both female and male victims of domestic violence, would you say the LEVEL OF FEAR experienced is worse for males, worse for females or equally bad for both? (PROBE TO CLARIFY: A BIT WORSE OR MUCH WORSE)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Much worse for males 2. A bit worse for males 3. Equally bad for both males and females 4. A bit worse for females 5. Much worse for females 6. (Don't know) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |

| Question | Comment |
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| <p>DV6. I am going to read out some statements about domestic violence. For each one please tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree.</p> <p>a) Domestic violence is a criminal offence</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree or disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know / Can't Say) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DV6. I am going to read out some statements about domestic violence. For each one please tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree.</p> <p>b) Most people turn a blind eye to, or ignore domestic violence</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree or disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know / Can't Say) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DV6. I am going to read out some statements about domestic violence. For each one please tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree.</p> <p>c) It's hard to understand why women stay in violent relationships</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree or disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know / Can't Say) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DV6. I am going to read out some statements about domestic violence. For each one please tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree.</p> <p>d) Domestic violence is a private matter to be handled in the family</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree or disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know / Can't Say) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DV6. I am going to read out some statements about domestic violence. For each one please tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree.</p> <p>e) Police now respond more quickly to domestic violence calls than they did in the past</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree or disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know / Can't Say) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DV6. I am going to read out some statements about domestic violence. For each one please tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree.</p> <p>f) Domestic violence can be excused if the violent person was themselves abused as a child</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree or disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know / Can't Say) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included for the first time in 2013</p> |

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| <p>DV6. I am going to read out some statements about domestic violence. For each one please tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree.</p> <p>l) Most women could leave a violent relationship if they really wanted to</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree or disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know / Can't Say) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DV6. I am going to read out some statements about domestic violence. For each one please tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree.</p> <p>m) In domestic situations where one partner is physically violent towards the other it is entirely reasonable for the violent person to be made to leave the family home</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree or disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know / Can't Say) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DV6. I am going to read out some statements about domestic violence. For each one please tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree.</p> <p>n) Women going through custody battles often make up or exaggerate claims of domestic violence in order to improve their case</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree or disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know / Can't Say) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DV6. I am going to read out some statements about domestic violence. For each one please tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree.</p> <p>o) It's a woman's duty to stay in a violent relationship in order to keep the family together</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree or disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know / Can't Say) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DV7a. Now some questions about the use of physical force in relationships. Do you agree or disagree that a man would be justified in using physical force against his wife, partner, or girlfriend if ... (PROBE: Strongly agree / disagree or somewhat agree / disagree).</p> <p>a) She admits to having sex with another man</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree or disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |

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| <p>DV7a. Now some questions about the use of physical force in relationships. Do you agree or disagree that a man would be justified in using physical force against his wife, partner, or girlfriend if ... (PROBE: Strongly agree / disagree or somewhat agree / disagree).</p> <p>b) She makes him look stupid or insults him in front of his friends</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree or disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DV7a. Now some questions about the use of physical force in relationships. Do you agree or disagree that a man would be justified in using physical force against his wife, partner, or girlfriend if ... (PROBE: Strongly agree / disagree or somewhat agree / disagree).</p> <p>c) She ends or tries to end the relationship</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree or disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DV9b. And do you agree or disagree that a man would be justified in using physical force against his EX-PARTNER... (PROBE: Strongly agree / disagree or somewhat agree / disagree).</p> <p>1. In order to get access to his children</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree or disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DV9b. And do you agree or disagree that a man would be justified in using physical force against his EX-PARTNER... (PROBE: Strongly agree / disagree or somewhat agree / disagree).</p> <p>2. If he thinks she is unreasonable about property settlement and financial issues</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree or disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>CAUSE1. There are many reasons why some men are violent towards women, I'm now going to read out three statements and I'd like you to tell me which ONE of these you think is the MAIN reason why some men are violent towards women.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Men not being able to manage their anger 2. Men being under financial stress 3. The belief that men should be in-charge' of relationships 4. (Don't Know / Can't Say) 5. (Refused) | <p>Included for the first time in 2013</p> |
| <p>DV10a1 Which one of these best describes how you think you would react if you were present when a woman that you didn't know was being physically assaulted by her partner in front of her young children? Would you...</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Most likely ignore the situation 2. Feel uncomfortable but not say or do anything 3. Physically intervene to try and stop the violent person, OR 4. Say or do something else to try and help 5. (Don't Know) 6. (Refused) | <p>Substantially altered from 2009 (see removed items table below), no time series comparison possible</p> |

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| <p>DV10a2 Which one of these best describes how you think you would react if you were present when a woman that you didn't know was being physically assaulted by her partner?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Most likely ignore the situation 2. Feel uncomfortable but not say or do anything 3. Physically intervene to try and stop the violent person, OR 4. Say or do something else to try and help 5. (Don't Know) 6. (Refused) | <p>As above, substantially altered from 2009, no time series comparison possible</p> |
| <p>DV10c1 Which one of these best describes how you think you would react if you were present when a family member or close friend of yours was being physically assaulted by her partner in front of her young children?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Most likely ignore the situation 2. Feel uncomfortable but not say or do anything 3. Physically intervene to try and stop the violent person, OR 4. Say or do something else to try and help 5. (Don't Know) 6. (Refused) | <p>Substantially altered from 2009, no time series comparison possible</p> |
| <p>DV10c2 Which one of these best describes how you think you would react if you were present when a family member or close friend of yours was being physically assaulted by her partner?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Most likely ignore the situation 2. Feel uncomfortable but not say or do anything 3. Physically intervene to try and stop the violent person, OR 4. Say or do something else to try and help 5. (Don't Know) 6. (Refused) | <p>Substantially altered from 2009, no time series comparison possible</p> |
| <p>DV15 I'm going to read out a statement and I'd like you to tell me the extent to which you agree or disagree with it. If I needed to get outside advice or support for someone about a domestic violence issue, I would know where to go.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree or disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 2009, 2013 Piloting in 2013 indicated that this question was clearer when the narrative was in the first person.</p> |
| <p>SV1a Now thinking generally about violence against women, not just domestic violence. Do you regard stalking to be a form of violence against women. By stalking I mean being repeatedly followed or watched at home or work?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Yes, always 2. Yes, usually 3. Yes, sometimes 4. No 5. (Don't Know) 6. (Refused) | <p>Included 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>SV1b And how serious is this, would you say very, quite, not that serious or not at all?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Very serious 2. Quite serious 3. Not that serious, or 4. Not at all serious 5. (Don't Know) 6. (Refused) | <p>Included 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |

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| <p>SV2a Do you regard harassment via repeated phone calls to be a form of violence against women?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Yes, always 2. Yes, usually 3. Yes, sometimes 4. No 5. (Don't Know) 6. (Refused) | <p>Included 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>SV2b And how serious is this, would you say very, quite, not that serious or not at all?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Very serious 2. Quite serious 3. Not that serious, or 4. Not at all serious 5. (Don't Know) 6. (Refused) | <p>Included 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>SV2c Do you regard harassment via repeated emails, text messages and the like to be a form of violence against women?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Yes, always 2. Yes, usually 3. Yes, sometimes 4. No 5. (Don't Know) 6. (Refused) | <p>Included 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>SV2d And how serious is this, would you say very, quite, not that serious or not at all?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Very serious 2. Quite serious 3. Not that serious, or 4. Not at all serious 5. (Don't Know) 6. (Refused) | <p>Included 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>SV2e If a man keeps track of his wife's, partner's or girlfriend's location, calls or activities through her mobile phone or other electronic devices without her consent would you say that was...</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Always acceptable 2. Sometimes acceptable 3. Rarely acceptable 4. Never acceptable 5. (Don't Know) 6. (Refused) | <p>Included for the first time in 2013</p> |
| <p>SV2f And how serious is this, would you say very, quite, not that serious or not at all?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Very serious 2. Quite serious 3. Not that serious, or 4. Not at all serious 5. (Don't Know) 6. (Refused) | <p>Included for the first time in 2013</p> |

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| <p>SV3 I'm now going to read out some statements about sexual assault and harassment. For each one, please tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree.</p> <p>a) Women are more likely to be raped by someone they know than by a stranger</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree nor disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know / Can't Say) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>SV3 I'm now going to read out some statements about sexual assault and harassment. For each one, please tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree.</p> <p>b) Women RARELY make false claims of being raped</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree nor disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know / Can't Say) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>SV3 I'm now going to read out some statements about sexual assault and harassment. For each one, please tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree.</p> <p>c) Women often say 'no' when they mean 'yes'</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree nor disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know / Can't Say) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>SV3 I'm now going to read out some statements about sexual assault and harassment. For each one, please tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree.</p> <p>d) Women who are sexually harassed should sort it out themselves rather than report it</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree nor disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know / Can't Say) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>SV3 I'm now going to read out some statements about sexual assault and harassment. For each one, please tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree.</p> <p>e) Women with disabilities who report rape or sexual assault are less likely to be believed than other women</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree nor disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know / Can't Say) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |

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| <p>SV3 I'm now going to read out some statements about sexual assault and harassment. For each one, please tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree.</p> <p>f) If a woman goes to a room alone with a man at a party, it is her fault if she is raped</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree nor disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know / Can't Say) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included for the first time in 2013</p> |
| <p>SV3 I'm now going to read out some statements about sexual assault and harassment. For each one, please tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree.</p> <p>g) If a woman doesn't physically resist –even if protesting verbally – then it isn't really rape</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree nor disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know / Can't Say) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included for the first time in 2013</p> |
| <p>SV3 I'm now going to read out some statements about sexual assault and harassment. For each one, please tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree.</p> <p>h) Rape results from men not being able to control their need for sex</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree nor disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know / Can't Say) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>SV3 I'm now going to read out some statements about sexual assault and harassment. For each one, please tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree.</p> <p>i) A woman cannot be raped by someone she is in a sexual relationship with</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree nor disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know / Can't Say) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>SV3 I'm now going to read out some statements about sexual assault and harassment. For each one, please tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree.</p> <p>j) A man is less responsible for rape if he is drunk or affected by drugs at the time</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree nor disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know / Can't Say) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |

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| <p>SV3 I'm now going to read out some statements about sexual assault and harassment. For each one, please tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree.</p> <p>k) If a woman is raped while she is drunk or affected by drugs she is at least partly responsible</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree nor disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know / Can't Say) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>SV3 I'm now going to read out some statements about sexual assault and harassment. For each one, please tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree.</p> <p>l) A lot of times, women who say they were raped had led the man on and then had regrets</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree nor disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know / Can't Say) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included for the first time in 2013</p> |
| <p>SV4 Now thinking about women who have disabilities, do you think they are more or less likely to experience violence from people around them than women without disabilities or do you think there is no difference?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. More likely 2. No difference 3. Less likely 4. (Don't Know / Can't Say) 5. (Refused) | <p>Included for the first time in 2013, replaces 2009 question (see Table below)</p> |
| <p>ATT4 The statements I'm about to read out describe attitudes which different people have. For each statement please tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree</p> <p>a) On the whole, men make better political leaders than women.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree nor disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know / Can't Say) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>ATT4 The statements I'm about to read out describe attitudes which different people have. For each statement please tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree</p> <p>b) When jobs are scarce men should have more right to a job than women.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree nor disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know / Can't Say) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>ATT4 The statements I'm about to read out describe attitudes which different people have. For each statement please tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree</p> <p>c) A university education is more important for a boy than a girl</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree nor disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know / Can't Say) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |

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| <p>ATT4 The statements I'm about to read out describe attitudes which different people have. For each statement please tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree</p> <p>d) A woman has to have children to be fulfilled</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree nor disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know / Can't Say) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>ATT4 The statements I'm about to read out describe attitudes which different people have. For each statement please tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree</p> <p>e) It's OK for a woman to have a child as a single parent and not want a stable relationship with a man</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree nor disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know / Can't Say) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>ATT4 The statements I'm about to read out describe attitudes which different people have. For each statement please tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree</p> <p>f) Discrimination against women is no longer a problem in the workplace in Australia</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree nor disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know / Can't Say) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>ATT4 The statements I'm about to read out describe attitudes which different people have. For each statement please tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree</p> <p>g) Men should take control in relationships and be the head of the household</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree nor disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know / Can't Say) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>ATT4 The statements I'm about to read out describe attitudes which different people have. For each statement please tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree</p> <p>h) Women prefer a man to be in charge of the relationship</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strongly agree 2. Somewhat agree 3. (Neither agree nor disagree) 4. Somewhat disagree 5. Strongly disagree 6. (Don't Know / Can't Say) 7. (Refused) | <p>Included 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DEM2 Are you of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander origin?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. No 2. Yes, Aboriginal 3. Yes, Torres Strait Islander 4. Yes, both Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander 5. (Don't Know) 6. (Refused) | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |

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| <p>DEM3a In which country were you born?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Australia (GO TO DEM4a) 2. China 3. Greece 4. India 5. Italy 6. Lebanon 7. New Zealand 8. North America 9. Other Europe 10. Pacific Islands 11. South and Central America or the Caribbean 12. Turkey 13. United Kingdom / Ireland 14. Vietnam 15. Other Middle East (Iran, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Israel, Syria, Saudi Arabia) 16. North Africa (Morocco, Tunisia, Algeria, Egypt, Libya) 17. Horn of Africa (Somalia, Sudan, Ethiopia, Eritrea) 18. Other Africa 19. Central Asia (Afghanistan, Georgia, Kazakhstan) 20. South Asia (Pakistan, Nepal, Bangladesh) 21. Other East or Southeast Asia 22. Other (specify) 23. (Don't know) (GO TO DEM4a) 24. (Refused) (GO TO DEM4a) | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DEM4 In what year did you first arrive in Australia to live?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Year given (Specify) (ALLOWABLE RANGE: 1900 TO 2013) 2. Don't know 3. Refused | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DEM4a In which country was your mother born? DEM4b In which country was your father born?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Australia 2. China 3. Greece 4. India 5. Italy 6. Lebanon 7. New Zealand 8. North America 9. Other Europe 10. Pacific Islands 11. South and Central America or the Caribbean 12. Turkey 13. United Kingdom / Ireland 14. Vietnam 15. Other Middle East (Iran, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Israel, Syria, Saudi Arabia) 16. North Africa (Morocco, Tunisia, Algeria, Egypt, Libya) 17. Horn of Africa (Somalia, Sudan, Ethiopia, Eritrea) 18. Other Africa 19. Central Asia (Afghanistan, Georgia, Kazakhstan) 20. South Asia (Pakistan, Nepal, Bangladesh) 21. Other East or Southeast Asia 22. Other (specify) 23. (Don't know) 24. (Refused) | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |

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| <p>DEM5 Do you speak a language other than English at home? 1. Yes 2. No (GO TO DEM7) 3. Don't know (GO TO DEM7) 4. Refused (GO TO DEM7)</p> | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DEM5a This may not apply to you but, would you say that you speak English...? (READ OUT) 1. Very well 2. Well 3. Not well, or 4. Not at all</p> | <p>Included for the first time in 2013</p> |
| <p>DEM7 Which of the following categories best describes your household? READ OUT 1. Person Living Alone 2. Married or de-facto couple with no children 3. A couple with a child or children at home 4. A couple whose children have left home 5. A single parent with a child or children at home 6. A single parent whose children have left home 7. Non-related Adults Sharing House/Apartments/Flat, or 8. Some other sort of household 9. (Refused)</p> | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DEM8 What is the highest level of formal education you have completed? (NOTE: IF UNSURE OR AMBIGUOUS PROBE FURTHER) (IF YEAR 12 OR BELOW, PROBE FOR TRADE OR APPRENTICESHIP, ETC) 1. Primary School 2. Year 10 or below 3. Year 11 4. Year 12 5. Trade / apprenticeship qualification 6. Other TAFE/ Technical 7. Certificate or Diploma / Associate Diploma 8. Degree or Graduate Diploma 9. Post Graduate 10. Other (Specify) 11. (Don't Know) 12. (Refused)</p> | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DEM9 Do you currently do any paid work at all in a job, business or farm? (IF NOT EMPLOYED PROBE: What would you say is your main activity at the moment?) 1. Employed 2. Unemployed 3. Engaged in home duties 4. A student 5. Retired, or 6. Unable to work 7. Other (Specify) 8. (Don't know) 9. (Refused)</p> | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |

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| <p>DEM11 What is your (main) occupation?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Manager 2. Professional 3. Technicians and Trades Worker 4. Community and Personal Service Worker 5. Clerical and Administrative Worker 6. Sales Worker 7. Machinery Operators and Driver 8. Labourer 9. Other (please specify) 10. (Refused) | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DEM12 Are you <IF DEM9=2,3,4,5,6: 'Usually"> the main income earner in the household? (INTERVIEWER NOTE: If equal earners, code as 1)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Yes (GO TO DEM16) 2. No | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DEM13 Could you tell me please what sort of work the main income earner in your household does?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Manager 2. Professional 3. Technicians and Trades Worker 4. Community and Personal Service Worker 5. Clerical and Administrative Worker 6. Sales Worker 7. Machinery Operators and Driver 8. Labourer 9. Other (please specify) 10. (Refused) | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DEM16 (Just to confirm) including you, how many people aged 16 years and over live in this household?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Number given (Specify) RECORD WHOLE NUMBER (ALLOWABLE RANGE 1 TO 20) 2. Don't know (PROGRAMMER NOTE: RECORD IN DATA AS 999) 3. Refused (PROGRAMMER NOTE: RECORD IN DATA AS 888) | <p>Included 1995, 2009, 2013 Question retained without change</p> |
| <p>DEM17 Do you have any long-term difficulty hearing, seeing, communicating, walking, climbing stairs, bending, learning or doing any similar activities? (IF YES PROBE: Is that always, often, sometimes or rarely)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Yes, always 2. Yes, often 3. Yes, sometimes 4. Yes, rarely 5. No, never 6. Don't Know / Can't Say 7. Refused | <p>Included for the first time in 2013</p> |
| <p>DEM17b (Does this condition / Do these conditions) reduce the amount or kind of activity you can do in your daily life?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Yes 2. No 3. Don't Know / Can't Say 4. Refused | <p>Included for the first time in 2013</p> |

Removals from the 2013 questionnaire

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| <p>DV2i If one partner in a domestic relationship yells abuse at the other partner is this a form of domestic violence? 1. Yes, always 2. Yes, usually 3. Yes, sometimes 4. No Don't know 5. Refused</p> <p>And how serious is this, would you say very, quite, not that serious, or not at all?</p> | <p>These two questions are from a series and are repeated for seven other behaviours. Together the series consumes a significant proportion of survey time. This was suspended for 2013 to make way for other questions.</p> |
| <p>VAW 3 I'd like to start with a question about your own personal safety. In your everyday life what is the main from of violence you personally are most worried about?</p> | <p>This question appeared in the 2006 and 2009 questions as a 'warm-up'. It was removed in 2013 to reduce average interview length.</p> |
| <p>DV7 Violence can be justified if a current partner: - Argues/refuses to obey - Keeps nagging - Refuses sex - Does not do the chores - Does something to make him angry</p> <p>DV9 Violence can be justified if a former partner: - Refuses to return to the relationship - Starts a new relationship - If she tries to turn here children against her partner</p> | <p>The justifications series had a number of limitations (see Section 6.1). For this reason the number of items were reduced, to enable a number of additional items to be added to assess the strength of agreement with 'excuses' for violence</p> |
| <p>DV8 Are there any other circumstances in which you think it is might be acceptable for a man to use physical force against his wife, partner or girlfriend?</p> | <p>Open ended questions involve a disproportionately large amount of survey time and have limited capacity to enable monitoring over time.</p> |
| <p>DV6 Domestic violence is more likely to occur in migrant families</p> | <p>This was removed as the evidence relating to this statement is unclear, making it difficult to assess a valid response</p> |
| <p>SV3 Women raped by partners should report to the police</p> | <p>This question was initially included to tap community understanding that forced sex in an intimate relationship is a crime. However, it is unclear whether the respondents interpret it this way or as something victims should feel compelled to do. There are several other questions addressing this theme.</p> |
| <p>SV3 Few people know how often women with disabilities experience sexual assault</p> | <p>This question was removed following review and consultation with disability experts as its policy/practice relevance was unclear. The question also assumes knowledge many respondents are unlikely to have. A replacement question asks respondents directly about their understanding of the prevalence of interpersonal violence affecting women with disabilities (see SV4 above)+E148</p> |

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| <p>DV6, DV6i DV6A - Women with Intellectual disabilities are less likely to experience domestic violence than other women If agrees, Why do you say that?</p> <p>DV6i And do you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree that women with physical disabilities are less likely to experience domestic violence than other women? If agrees, why do you say that?</p> | <p>These questions were replaced with with a clearer single item following pilot testing (see SV4 above)</p> |
| <p>SV3 Women ask for rape</p> | <p>This question has yielded very high 'disagree' rates suggesting minimal room for improvement. Its removal was designed to partly offset the addition of statement assessing more subtle rape myths</p> |
| <p>DV6 Most people are reluctant to go to the police</p> | <p>This question yielded very high 'agree' rates. Its policy/practice relevance is unclear, in that it is not known whether respondents are commenting on victim's reluctance or barriers to reporting. There are a number of other questions that tap women's responses to violence.</p> |
| <p>DV10 a How likely do you think you would be to intervene in any way at all if a woman that you didn't know was being physically assaulted by her partner in public?</p> <p>DV 10b How likely do you think you would be to intervene in any way at all if a neighbour was being physically assaulted by her partner?</p> <p>DV 10c If you became aware that a family member or close friend was of yours was currently a victim of domestic violence, how likely would you be to intervene in any way at all?</p> <p>DV10d If unlikely to intervene – What are your main reasons for feeling that you would be unlikely to intervene?</p> <p>DV11 In what way would you intervene if a family member or close friend was currently a victim of domestic violence?</p> | <p>These questions were replaced with reworded questions, drawing on wording from a dedicated survey assessing bystander responses to violence against women (VicHealth 2011). Following piloting there was room for only two of the three scenarios.</p> <p>The open ended questions were removed to make way for other items.</p> |
| <p>DV13 Are people more or less likely to talk about being the adult victims of domestic violence?</p> | <p>Minimal use was made of this item in reporting in both 2006 and 2009. Its policy and practice implications are unclear.</p> |
| <p>ATT2, ATT3 There were several questions in 2009 seeking to gauge recall of advertising related to violence against women.</p> | <p>These questions were removed as there had been minimal nation-wide, population-based social marketing to address violence against women in the period between the 2009 and 2013 survey</p> |
| <p>Dem 17 Income</p> | <p>This question was removed because it was a source of confusion for many respondents, affecting data quality. Other questions on occupation and education are adequate to test relationships between violence supportive attitudes and socio-economic status.</p> |



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