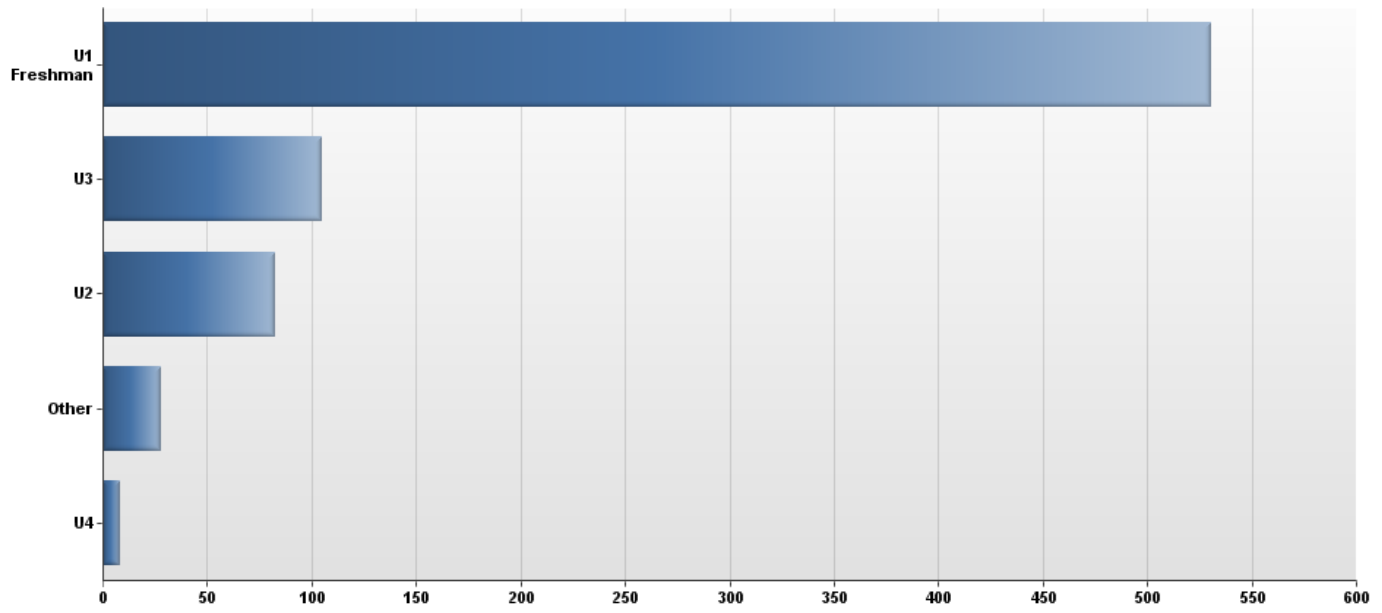
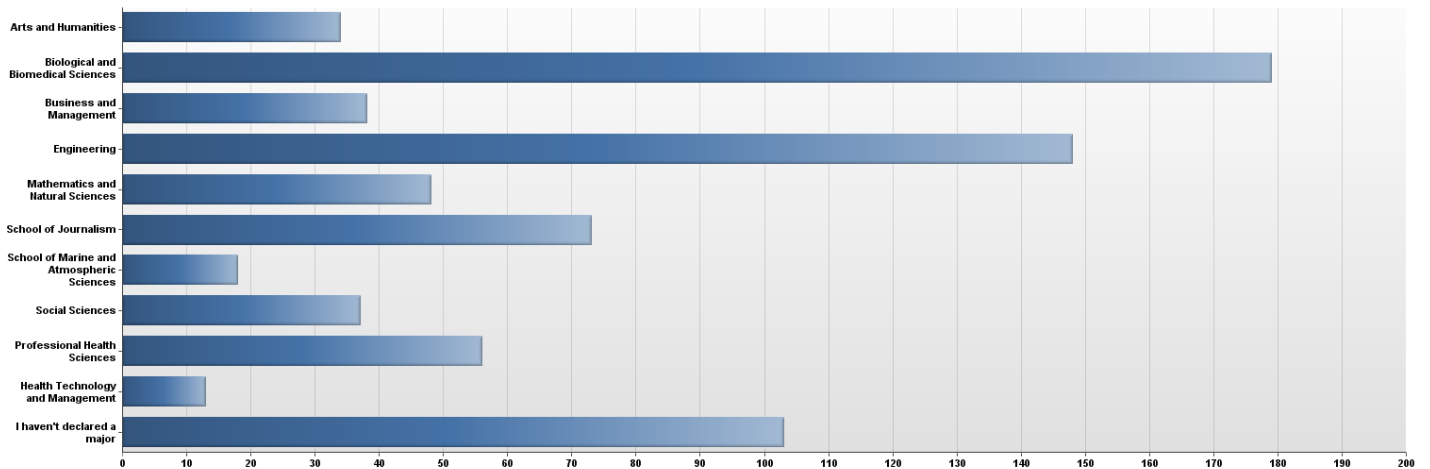
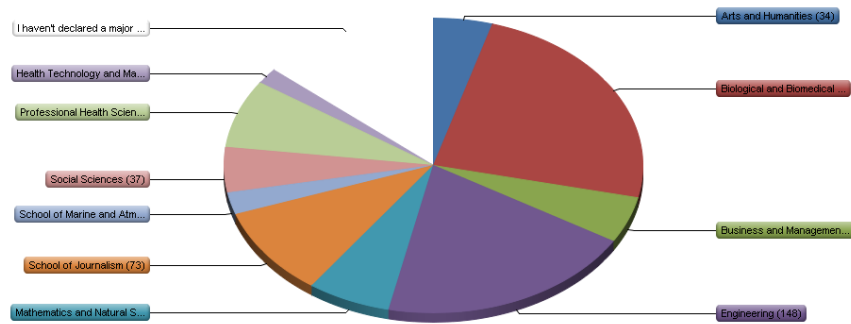
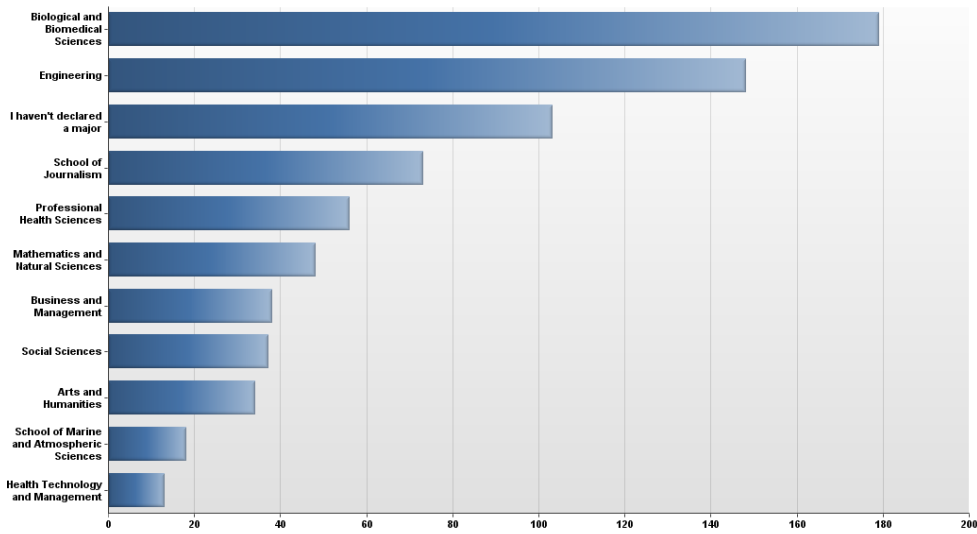


1. Your student status:



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Transfer U3
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Post Bacc
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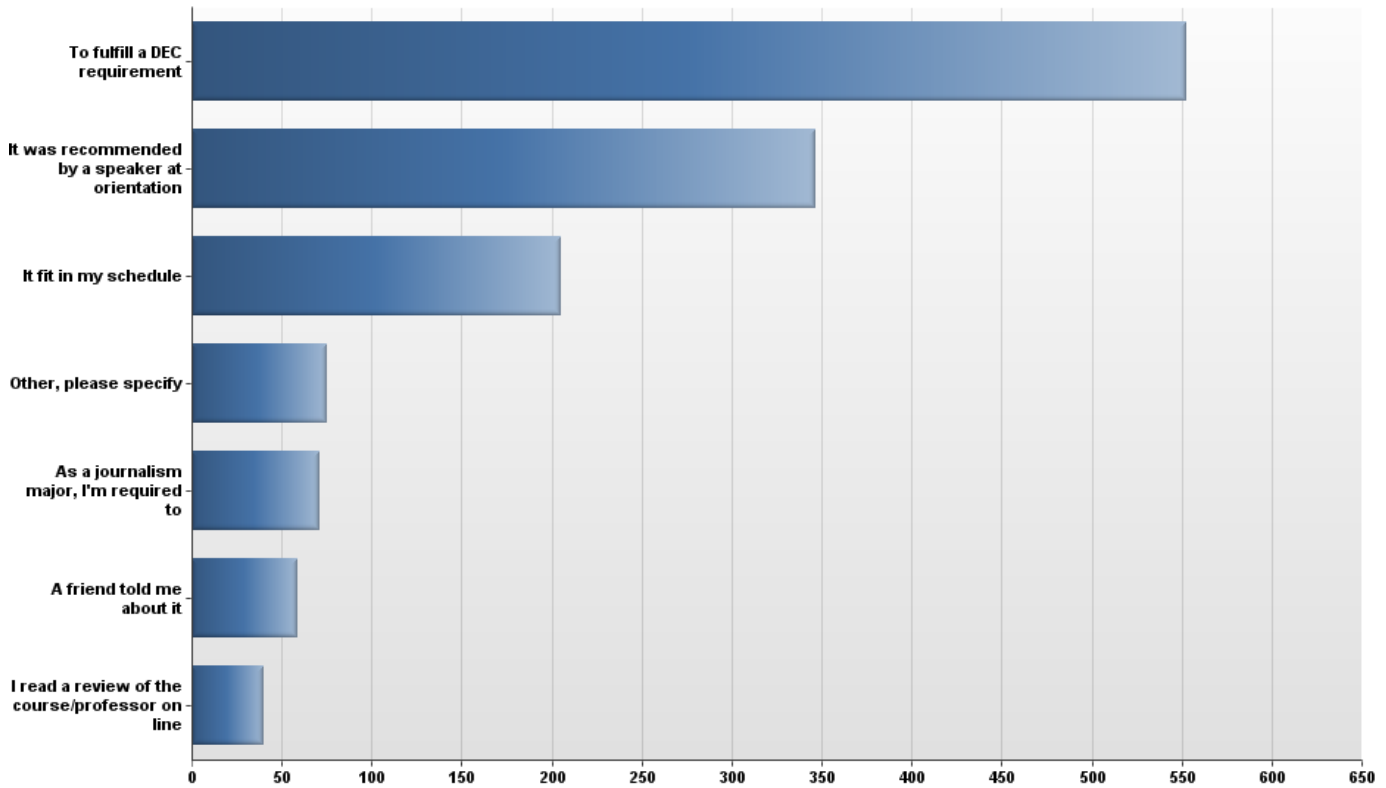
2. In which school is your major?



#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Arts and Humanities	■	34	5%
2	Biological and Biomedical Sciences	■	179	24%
3	Business and Management	■	38	5%
4	Engineering	■	148	20%
5	Mathematics and Natural Sciences	■	48	6%
6	School of Journalism	■	73	10%
7	School of Marine and Atmospheric Sciences	■	18	2%
8	Social Sciences	■	37	5%
9	Professional Health Sciences	■	56	7%
10	Health Technology and Management	■	13	2%
11	I haven't declared a major	■	103	14%

Total		747
Statistic		Value
Min Value		1
Max Value		11
Mean		5.31
Variance		10.44
Standard Deviation		3.23
Total Responses		747

3. Why did you take this course? (check all that apply)

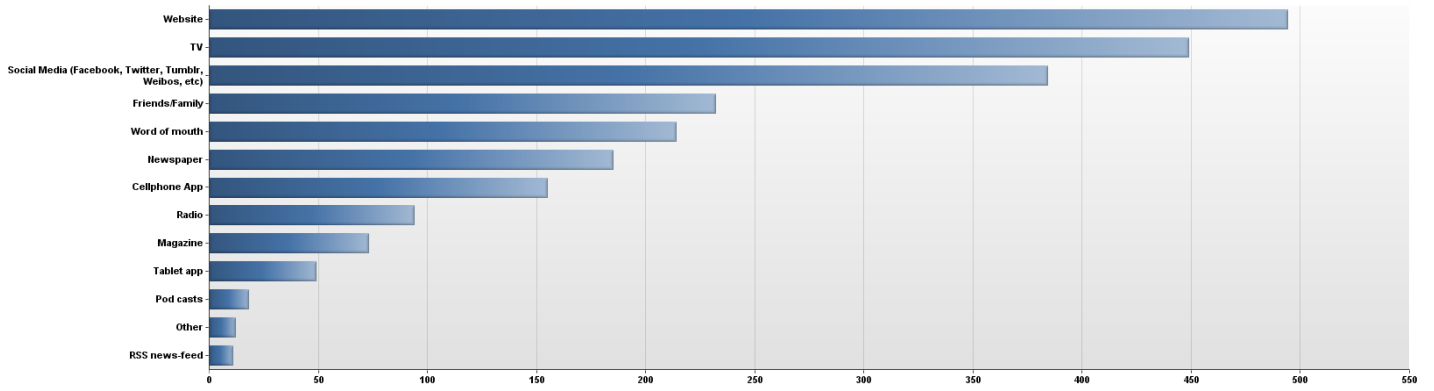


Other, please specify
WRT102 was unavailable
I enjoy the subject
Necessary for my major
I'm interested in politics and news
I like journalism
I like the news
It sounds interesting
Seemed interesting
Seemed interesting
It seemed pretty interesting and useful in every day life
I previously wanted to study Journalism
my sister recommended it
Possible Major Switch to Journalism
I took journalism in high school and this class really peaked my interest
writing 102 was full
Intrest in becoming more educated in news
My major has present day issues involved, so I thought News Literacy would help me in my major.
interest in politics
Im interested in journalism
News & Political Interest
during orientation, the people there told me i need to have 12 credits. they didn't have room for my major class so they told me they were going to add it on later by themselves. i did not have enough credits then so they told me to pick a random filler class. i picked this class but am too lazy to drop it because i don't know how.
To learn to see through the media's mask of biases and alignment to the undistorted truth below
Not many DEC B classes left because late orientation date
I just felt like it's a class that will help me in the future. Instincts.
The course sounded interesting.
I wanted to see what a class in Journalism would be like

Like journalism
An interest in the subject
Chance to win Tuition
it was given to me
I am interested in possibly majoring in journalism
I am considering majoring in journalism
An orientation leader recommended it.
seems interesting
I declared journalism as my minor
It looks interesting
I have taken it in high school for two years and really enjoyed it.
Seems fun!
It is a subject that interests me.
It really interests me, and I want to make sure I generally like journalism before declaring it as a major.
Was interested in minority in journalism
Sounds interesting
It sounded interesting!
i used to be interested in journalism
I like to read news and would like to learn about it
Possibility of free tuition
Curiosity
i used to take an interest in journalism
Sounded interesting
minor
Possible free tuition.
It has a gigantic scholarship and it goes towards my major
minor
undecided about major, took radio in high school for four years
I like reading the news
Journalism is a major that I may pursue.
the counselor put it in my schedule
Tuition Contest
journalism minor
I wrote about it for my previous school's newspaper
I was interested in minoring in journalism
I like to read the news
sounded interesting
Chance of free tuition
was introduced at orientation
interesting
It sounded interesting
seems useful in life
want to learn more about the news!
It seemed very interesting and eye opening
I found interest towards this subject.
Heard a description of it during orientation
i am interested in journalism
interesting, useful tool in life

Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	7
Total Responses	752

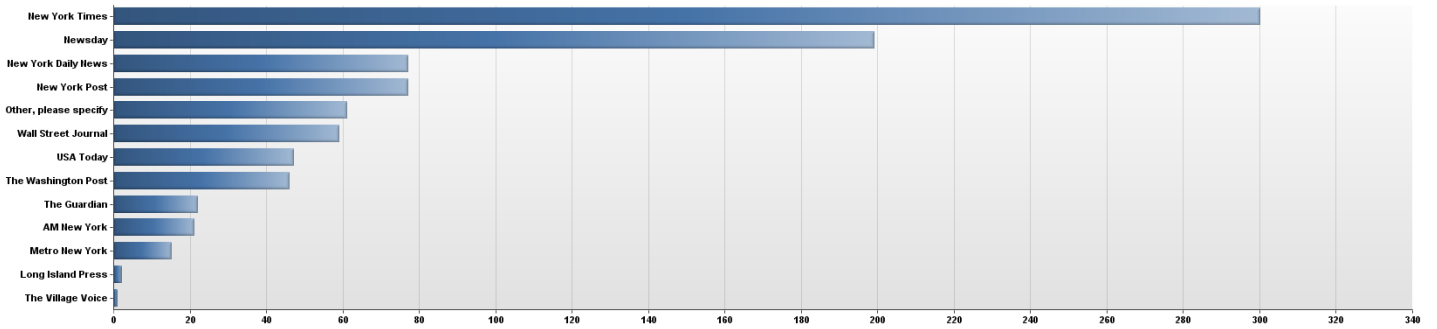
4. When you do access the news, what is your primary source of news?



#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Newspaper		185	25%
2	TV		449	60%
3	Radio		94	13%
4	Website		494	66%
5	Friends/Family		232	31%
6	Cellphone App		155	21%
7	Tablet app		49	7%
8	Magazine		73	10%
9	Word of mouth		214	28%
10	Pod casts		18	2%
11	RSS news-feed		11	1%
12	Social Media (Facebook, Twitter, Tumblr, Weibos, etc)		384	51%
13	Other		12	2%

Other
none
youtube (phillipdefranco)
Reddit
youtube
reddit
Reddit
Reddit
Hearing it mentioned on Late Night shows
Email
Upworthy
Daily Show/Colbert Report
In class

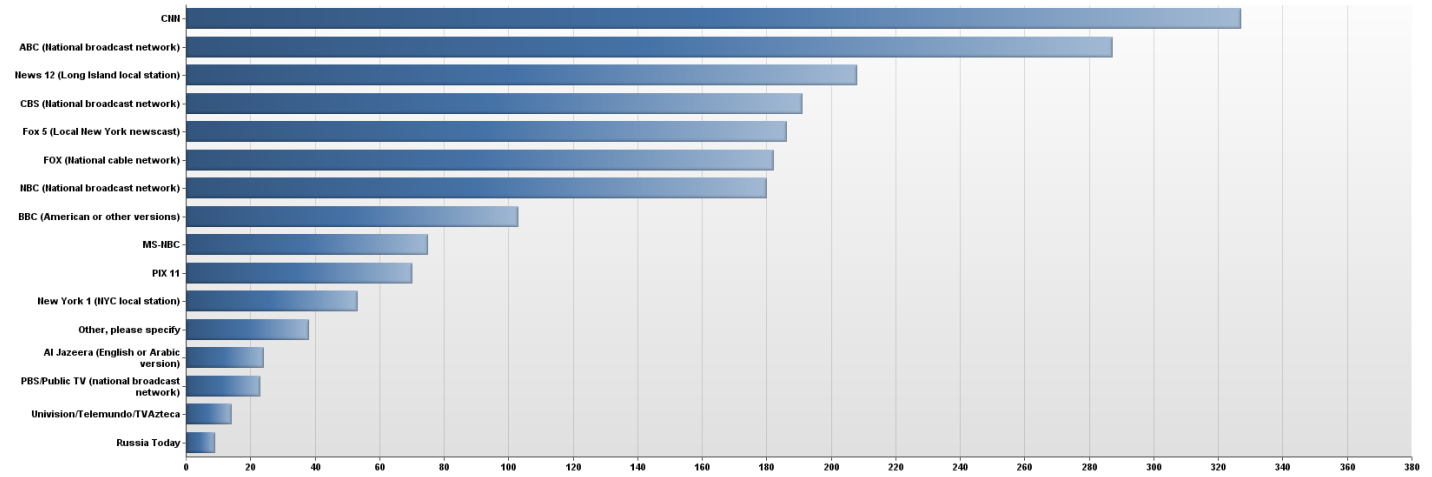
5. Which papers? (check all that you read with any regularity)



#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	AM New York	21	21	4%
2	The Guardian	22	22	4%
3	Long Island Press	2	2	0%
4	Metro New York	15	15	3%
5	Newsday	199	199	38%
6	New York Daily News	77	77	15%
7	New York Post	77	77	15%
8	New York Times	300	300	57%
9	USA Today	47	47	9%
10	The Village Voice	1	1	0%
11	Wall Street Journal	59	59	11%
12	The Washington Post	46	46	9%
13	Other, please specify	61	61	12%

Other, please specify
none
yahoo news
Newsday
none
CT Post
Charlotte Observer, South Charlotte Weekly
Los Angeles Times
Times Herald Record
Democrat and Chronicle (Rochester, NY)
The Boston Globe
Richmond Times Dispatch
Huffington Post
Telegram & Gazette
algezero
Huffington Post
CNN
NPR
Democrat and Chronicle (based in Rochester, NY)
Independent
Yahoo news
Daily Jang, Dawn
Dailymail
CT Post
none
BBC
Democrat and Chronicle
Connecticut Post
none
New Yorker
Associated Press, Daily Mail
Providence Journal
The Economist
Infowars.com news letter
The Telegraph, The Independent
Long Island Herald
Providence Journal
The Buffalo News
Time Magazine, The Economist
Any Swiss papers
Times of India
New Yorker
Time magazine
RT, press TV
Le Monde
Singlao Newspaper
Tampa Bay Times
NPR
S.I. Advance
Mainly papers in London
Burlington Free Press
None.
Suffolk Times
santa cruz sentinel, and the valley times
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Time magazine
none
Staten Island Advance

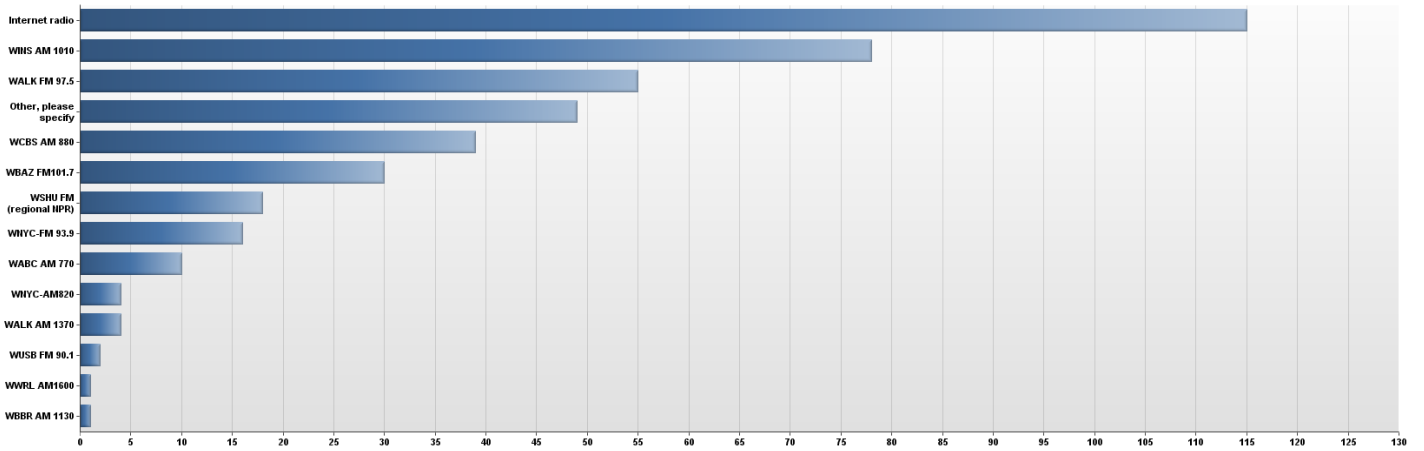
6. Which TV stations?



#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	ABC (National broadcast network)		287	43%
2	Al Jazeera (English or Arabic version)		24	4%
3	BBC (American or other versions)		103	15%
4	CBS (National broadcast network)		191	29%
5	CNN		327	49%
6	FOX (National cable network)		182	27%
7	Fox 5 (Local New York newscast)		186	28%
8	MS-NBC		75	11%
9	NBC (National broadcast network)		180	27%
10	News 12 (Long Island local station)		208	31%
11	New York 1 (NYC local station)		53	8%
12	PBS/Public TV (national broadcast network)		23	3%
13	PIX 11		70	11%
14	Russia Today		9	1%
15	Univision/Telemundo/TVAzteca		14	2%
16	Other, please specify		38	6%

Other, please specify
Channel 3 Eyewitness News
Fox 5 News for DC
Daily Show
Daily show, colbert report
Daily Show
Daily Show, Colbert Report.
CCTV
Daily Show on Comedy Central
the daily show with jon stewart and the colbert report
online
Geo News, ARY News, Samaa TV, Express News, Aaj News
Comedy Central (The Daily Show/Colbert Report)
ESPN
Swiss stations
ESPN
News 12 the Bronx (local news)
Comedy Central - The Daily Show
None
YNN
Dont know which to trust so i stick with bill maher and john stewart
Sinovision
Comedy Central
Comedy Central
E! news
BBC
Comedy Central
WNBC, WCBS
None.
Eyewitness News
Bloomberg
ESPN
Daily Show/Colbert Report
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Comedy Central (The Daily show)
The Blaze

7. Which radio stations?

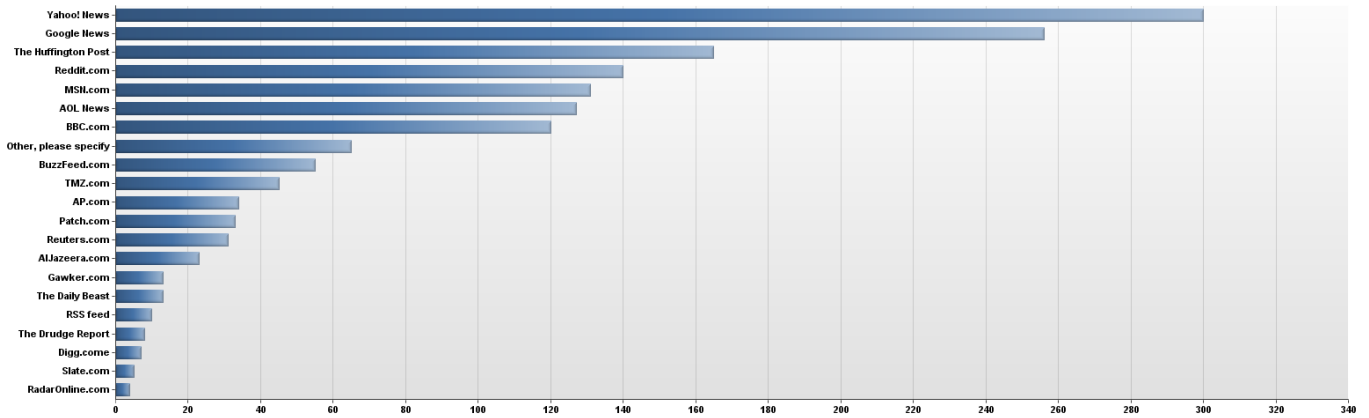


#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
13	Internet radio		115	32%
5	WINS AM 1010		78	22%
8	WALK FM 97.5		55	15%
14	Other, please specify		49	14%
4	WCBS AM 880		39	11%
9	WBAZ FM101.7		30	8%
11	WSHU FM (regional NPR)		18	5%
10	WNYC-FM 93.9		16	4%
1	WABC AM 770		10	3%
6	WNYC-AM820		4	1%
2	WALK AM 1370		4	1%
12	WUSB FM 90.1		2	1%
7	WWRL AM1600		1	0%
3	WBRR AM 1130		1	0%

Other, please specify

100.3, 106.1, 92.3, 97.1
none
none
xm
none
90.7
Hot97.1
WFAE Charlotte, BBC World News
WHAM 1180
Boston Local
none
WFAN 660
NPR
WBAB FM 102.3
106.1
NPR
KFBK (That's what it is in Sac, CA)
Wgbh
NPR
WFUV FM 90.7
WFAN 660 AM
106.1
KC 101.3 FM
none
ESPN FM 98.7
I don't listen to the news on the radio
AM 680 Boston WRKO
NPR
none
NPR
Not to sure not from around here
none
WBAI
93.3 flvs
none
none
Rarely listen to the radio.
London ones
WBLI
WBLI
Random talk radio such as Sean Hannity.
None
AM 660 (sports news)
88.1 KZSC
none
None
n/a
howard stern show

8. Which websites?



#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
19	Yahoo! News		300	44%
10	Google News		256	38%
11	The Huffington Post		165	24%
16	Reddit.com		140	21%
12	MSN.com		131	19%
2	AOL News		127	19%
4	BBC.com		120	18%
21	Other, please specify		65	10%
5	BuzzFeed.com		55	8%
18	TMZ.com		45	7%
3	AP.com		34	5%
13	Patch.com		33	5%
15	Reuters.com		31	5%
1	AlJazeera.com		23	3%
9	Gawker.com		13	2%
6	The Daily Beast		13	2%
20	RSS feed		10	1%
8	The Drudge Report		8	1%
7	Digg.com		7	1%
17	Slate.com		5	1%
14	RadarOnline.com		4	1%

Other, please specify				
Youtube - SourceFed				
cnn.com				
US news and report				
Escapist Magazine				
Twitter.com				
www.lime.com				
Latimes.com, news day.com				
USAToday.com				
Bing.com (Compilations)				
The Washington Post online				
ESPN.com				
youtube				
weibo.com				
CNN.com				
Windows 8 News App				
/pol/				
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reddit.com				
Barstool				
New York Times				
Cnn.com				
Facebook				
Wikipedia News				
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CNN news				
teksyndicate.com				
There are many				
Youtube News Channels (PDS & SourceFed)				
nyt				
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CNN.com				
whoever uses tmz should be hit over the head with a bat, i hate that site!!				
CNN, New York Times				
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VICE				
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New York Times

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CNN.com

News websites

none

New York Times

WSJ, nerdist, other non-conventional news

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fox news

NY TIMES

Yahoo

www.SourceFed.com

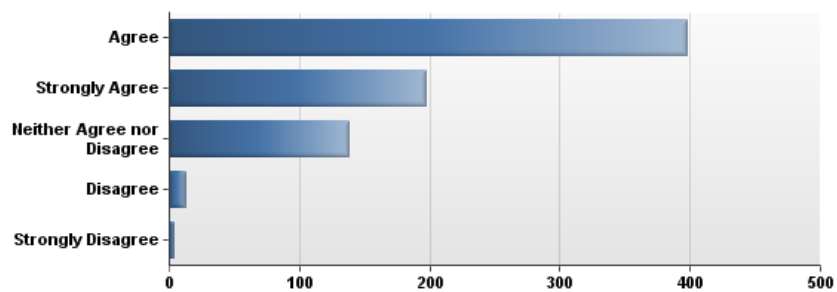
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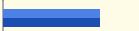



democracynow.org

Media Matters, Mother Jonas

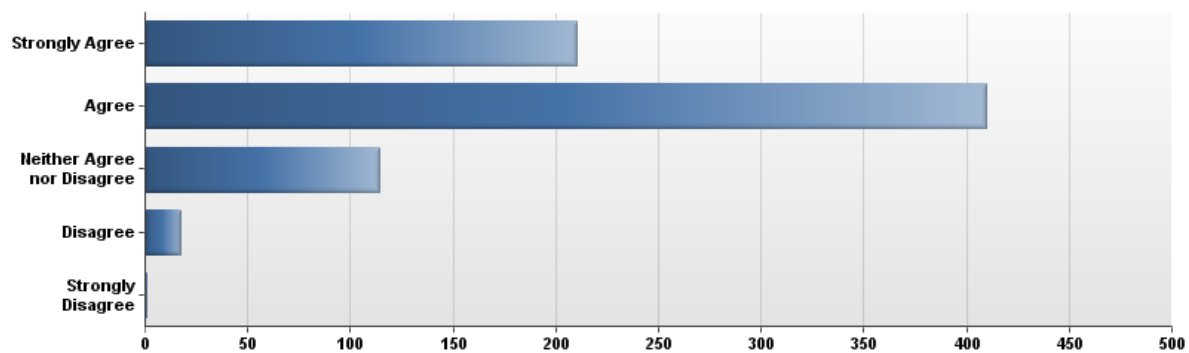
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9. Rate your opinion of the following statement: "It is important to keep up with the news every day."



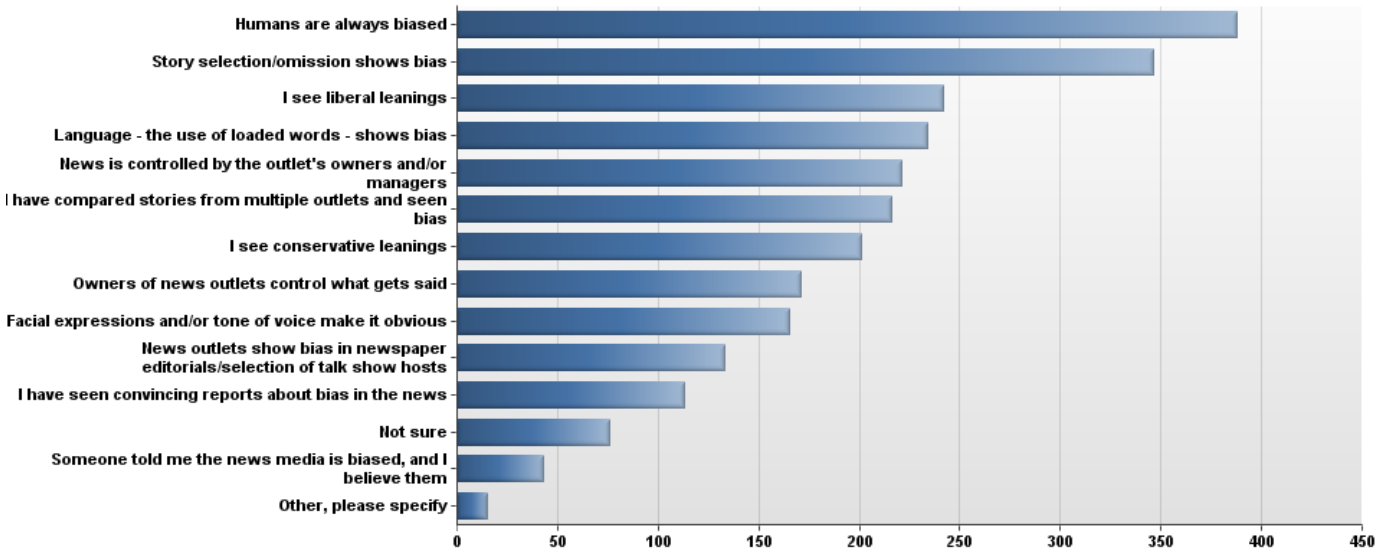
#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Strongly Agree		197	26%
2	Agree		397	53%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree		138	18%
4	Disagree		13	2%
5	Strongly Disagree		3	0%
	Total		748	

10. Rate your opinion of the following statement: "Most news outlets exhibit bias."



#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
2	Agree		410	55%
1	Strongly Agree		210	28%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree		114	15%
4	Disagree		17	2%
5	Strongly Disagree		1	0%
	Total		752	

11. What is the basis for your conclusions about news media bias?



#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
4	Humans are always biased		388	52%
6	Story selection/omission shows bias		346	46%
1	I see liberal leanings		242	32%
10	Language - the use of loaded words - shows bias		234	31%
8	News is controlled by the outlet's owners and/or managers		221	30%
11	I have compared stories from multiple outlets and seen bias		216	29%
2	I see conservative leanings		201	27%
9	Owners of news outlets control what gets said		171	23%
5	Facial expressions and/or tone of voice make it obvious		165	22%
7	News outlets show bias in newspaper editorials/selection of talk show hosts		133	18%
3	I have seen convincing reports about bias in the news		113	15%
13	Not sure		76	10%
12	Someone told me the news media is biased, and I believe them		43	6%
14	Other, please specify		15	2%

Other, please specify

it will always be bias

they only tell people what they want to hear so they profit rather than the whole truth

Media forms many opinions of the public, not the other way about as they claim

FOX news is terrible

People who support the networks and fund it tend to have their beliefs backed by the corporation.

Factual Investigation

I have been fortunate to attend some events which I saw completely manipulated by certain media channels and networks

Mostly sensationalist driven from the major news agencies

Most part liberal leanings, but some outlets have conservative bias

First hand experience as compared to news broadcast.

The news gets out before the facts are straight.

Fox 5 News

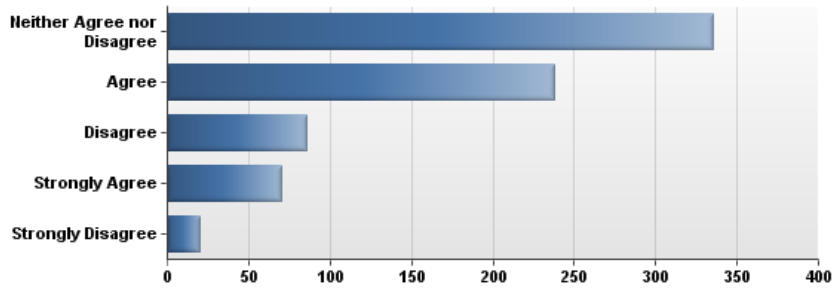
news has become a business of ratings. The only driving force I see behind the news anymore is to get people to buy it.

News is owned by big players nowadays

I think bias exist but for profit and are only on two channels

Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	14

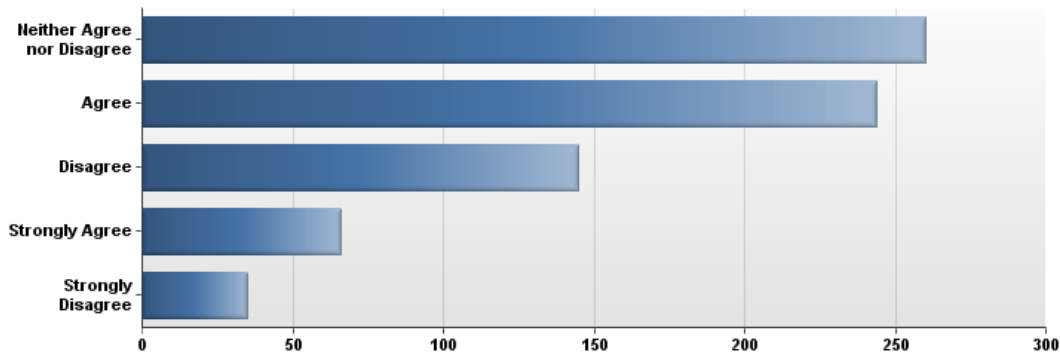
12. Rate the following statement: "The news media presents too much trivial news."



#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Strongly Disagree	20	20	3%
5	Strongly Agree	70	70	9%
2	Disagree	86	86	11%
4	Agree	238	238	32%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree	335	335	45%
	Total		749	

Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	5
Mean	3.34
Variance	0.80
Standard Deviation	0.90
Total Responses	749

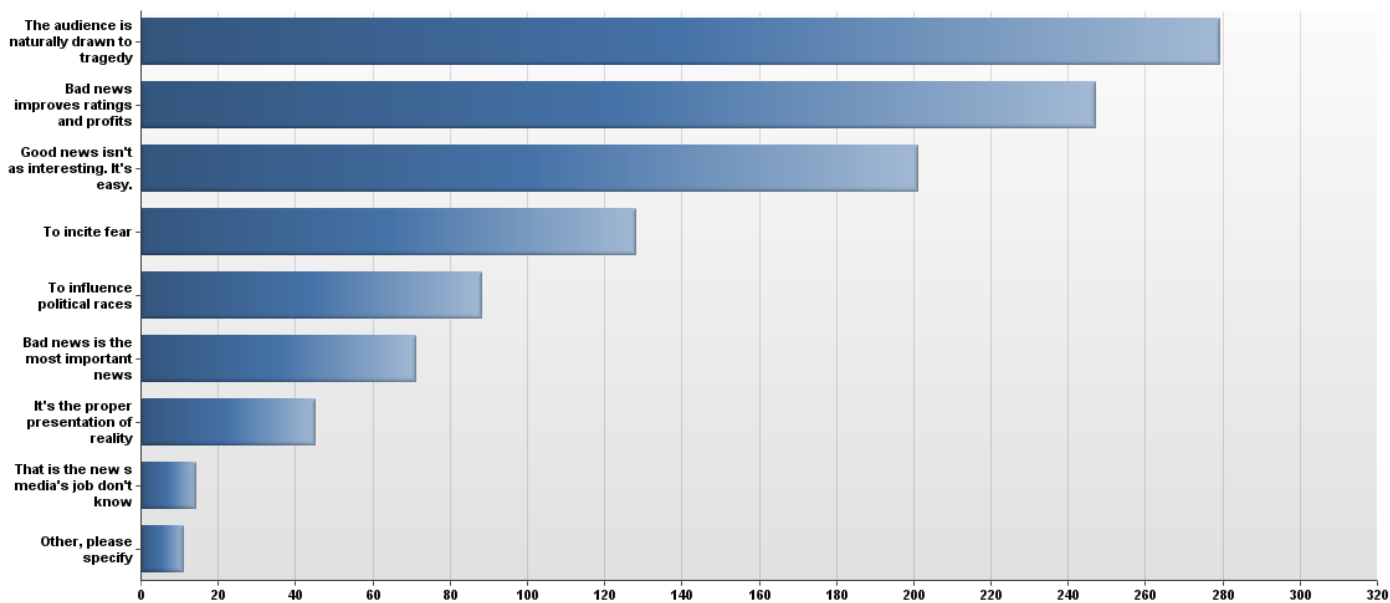
13. Rate the following statement: "The news media presents too much bad news."



#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Strongly Disagree		35	5%
2	Disagree		145	19%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree		260	35%
4	Agree		244	33%
5	Strongly Agree		66	9%
	Total		750	

Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	5
Mean	3.21
Variance	1.01
Standard Deviation	1.01
Total Responses	750

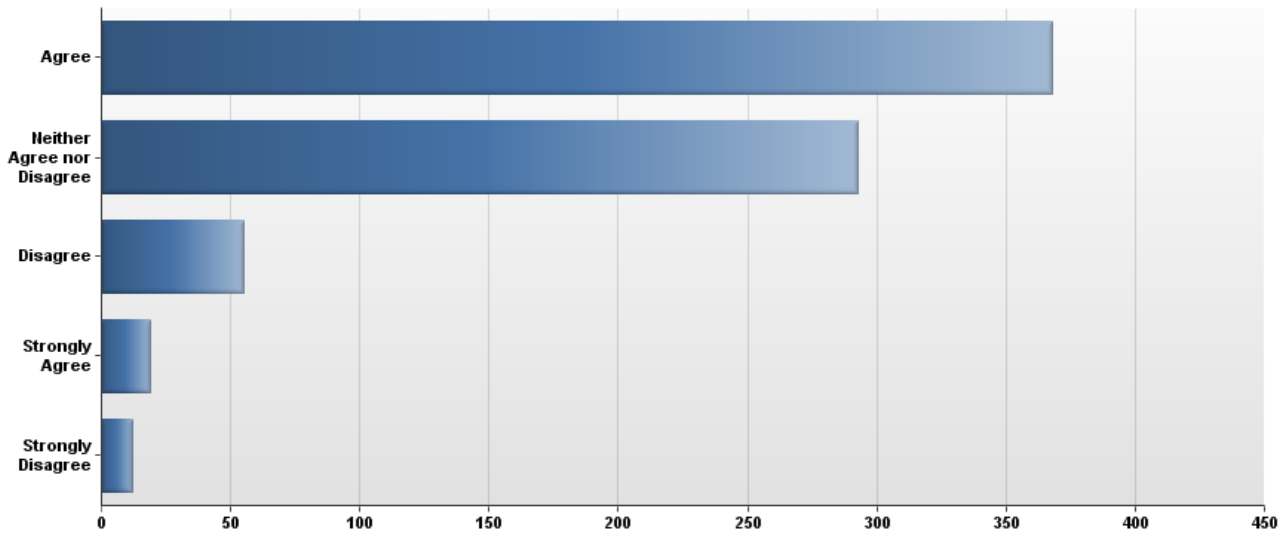
14. If you answered in the question above that you agree or strongly agree that the new s media includes too much bad news, choose all the reasons below that you believe explain that.



#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
4	The audience is naturally drawn to tragedy		279	69%
2	Bad news improves ratings and profits		247	61%
3	Good news isn't as interesting. It's easy.		201	50%
1	To incite fear		128	32%
5	To influence political races		88	22%
6	Bad news is the most important news		71	18%
7	It's the proper presentation of reality		45	11%
8	That is the new s media's job don't know		14	3%
9	Other, please specify		11	3%

Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	9
Total Responses	403

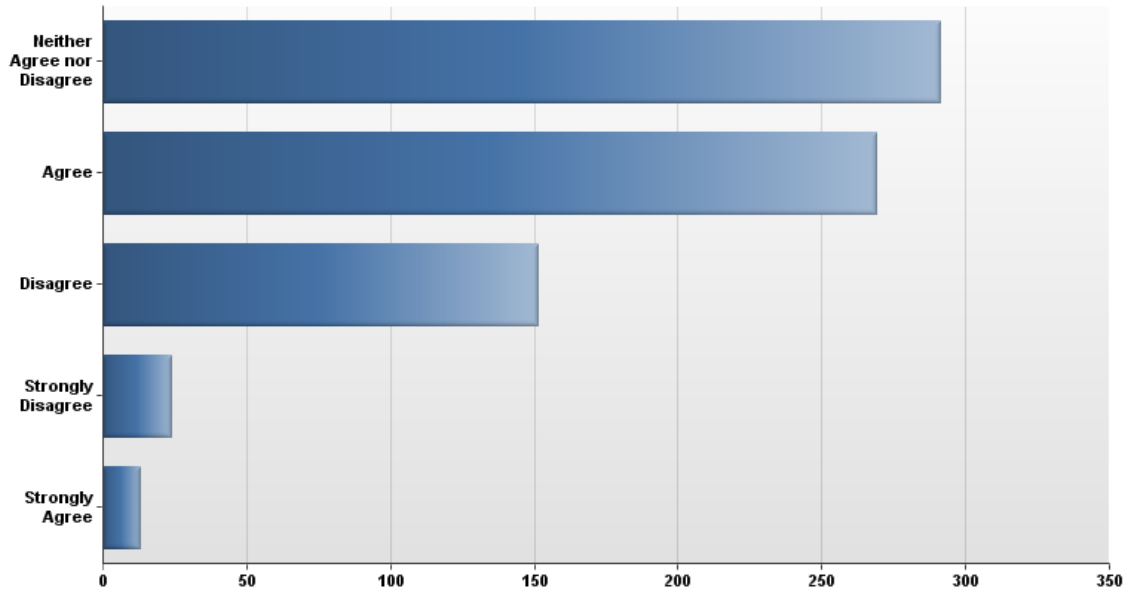
15. Rate this statement: "I generally feel I get accurate and reliable information from newspapers."



#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Strongly Disagree		12	2%
2	Disagree		55	7%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree		293	39%
4	Agree		368	49%
5	Strongly Agree		19	3%
	Total		747	

Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	5
Mean	3.44
Variance	0.54
Standard Deviation	0.74
Total Responses	747

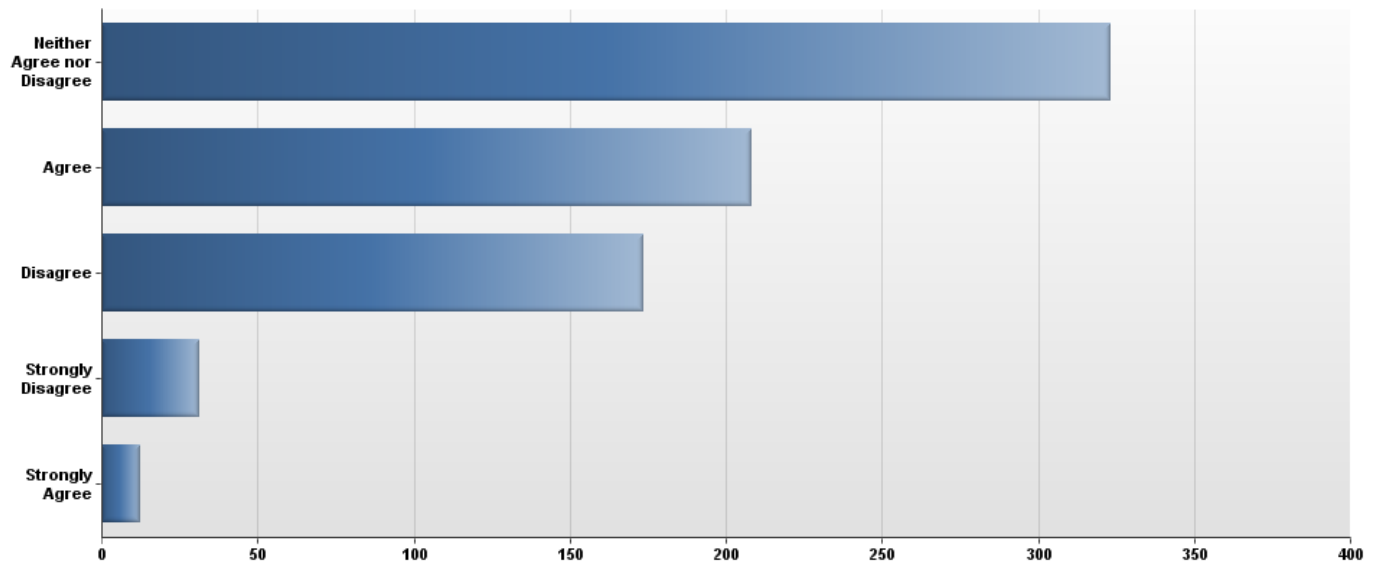
16. Rate this statement: "I generally feel I get accurate and reliable information from television news."



#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Strongly Disagree	24	24	3%
2	Disagree	151	151	20%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree	291	291	39%
4	Agree	269	269	36%
5	Strongly Agree	13	13	2%
	Total		748	

Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	5
Mean	3.13
Variance	0.74
Standard Deviation	0.86
Total Responses	748

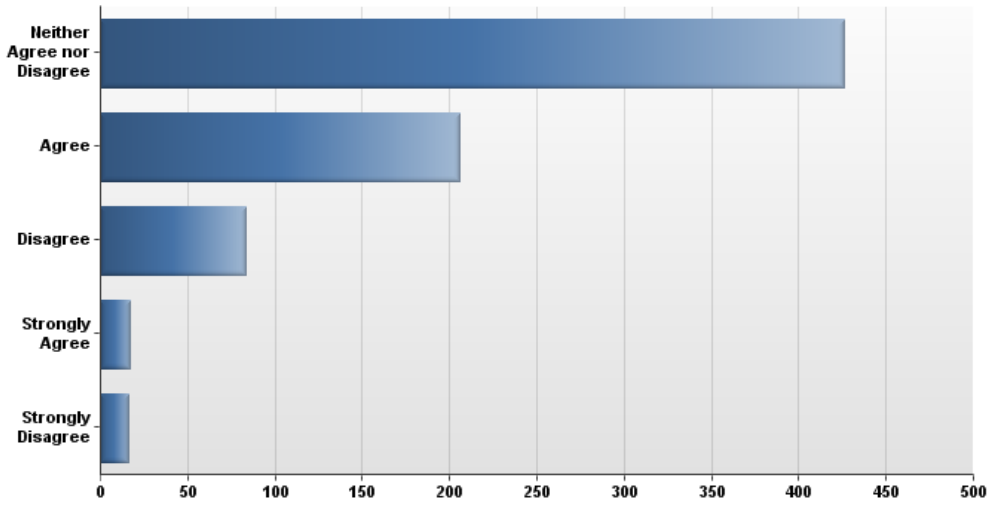
17. Rate this statement: "I generally feel I get accurate and reliable information from web-only news outlets."



#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Strongly Disagree		31	4%
2	Disagree		173	23%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree		323	43%
4	Agree		208	28%
5	Strongly Agree		12	2%
	Total		747	

Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	5
Mean	3.00
Variance	0.74
Standard Deviation	0.86
Total Responses	747

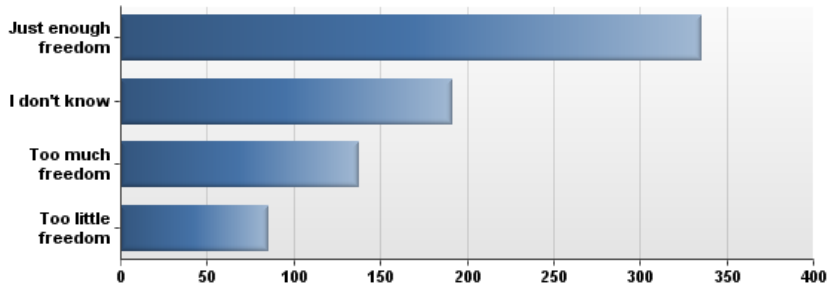
18. Rate this statement: "I generally feel I get accurate and reliable information from radio news outlets."



#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Strongly Disagree	16	16	2%
2	Disagree	83	83	11%
3	Neither Agree nor Disagree	426	426	57%
4	Agree	206	206	28%
5	Strongly Agree	17	17	2%
	Total		748	

Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	5
Mean	3.17
Variance	0.54
Standard Deviation	0.73
Total Responses	748

19. In your opinion, does the U.S. news media have too much freedom or too little?



#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Too little freedom		85	11%
2	Just enough freedom		335	45%
3	Too much freedom		137	18%
4	I don't know		191	26%
	Total		748	

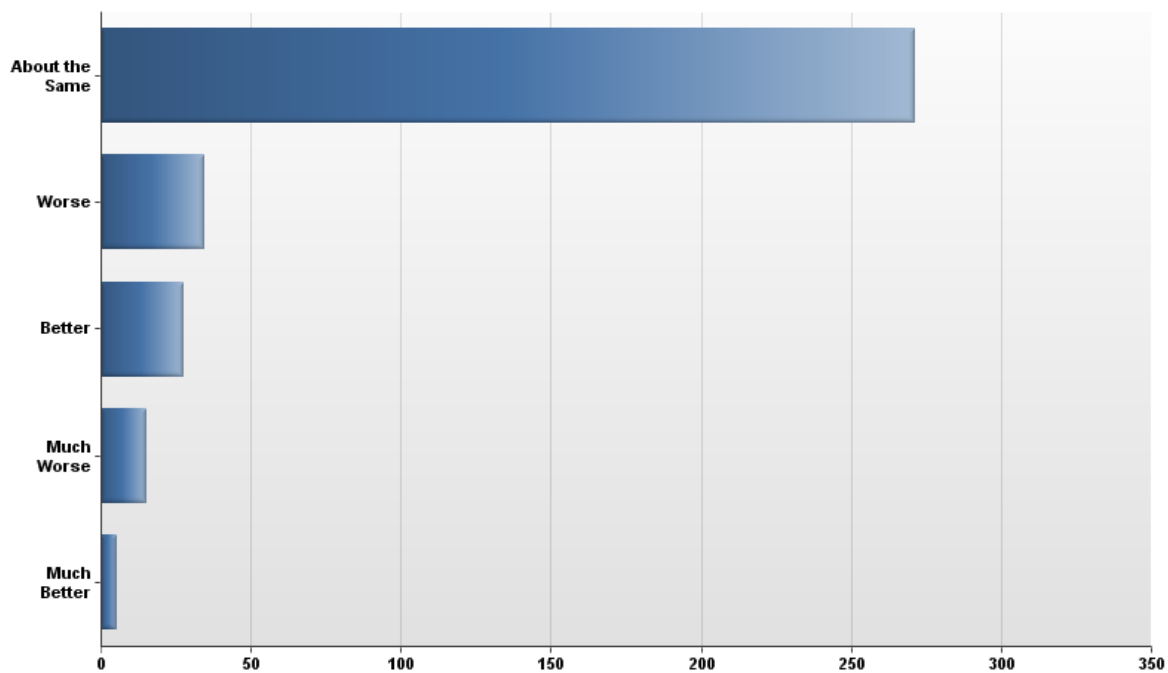
Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	4
Mean	2.58
Variance	0.98
Standard Deviation	0.99
Total Responses	748

20. Have you or anyone close to you (family, classmates, neighbors) been included in a news report?

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Yes		321	43%
2	No		427	57%
	Total		748	

Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	2
Mean	1.57
Variance	0.25
Standard Deviation	0.50
Total Responses	748

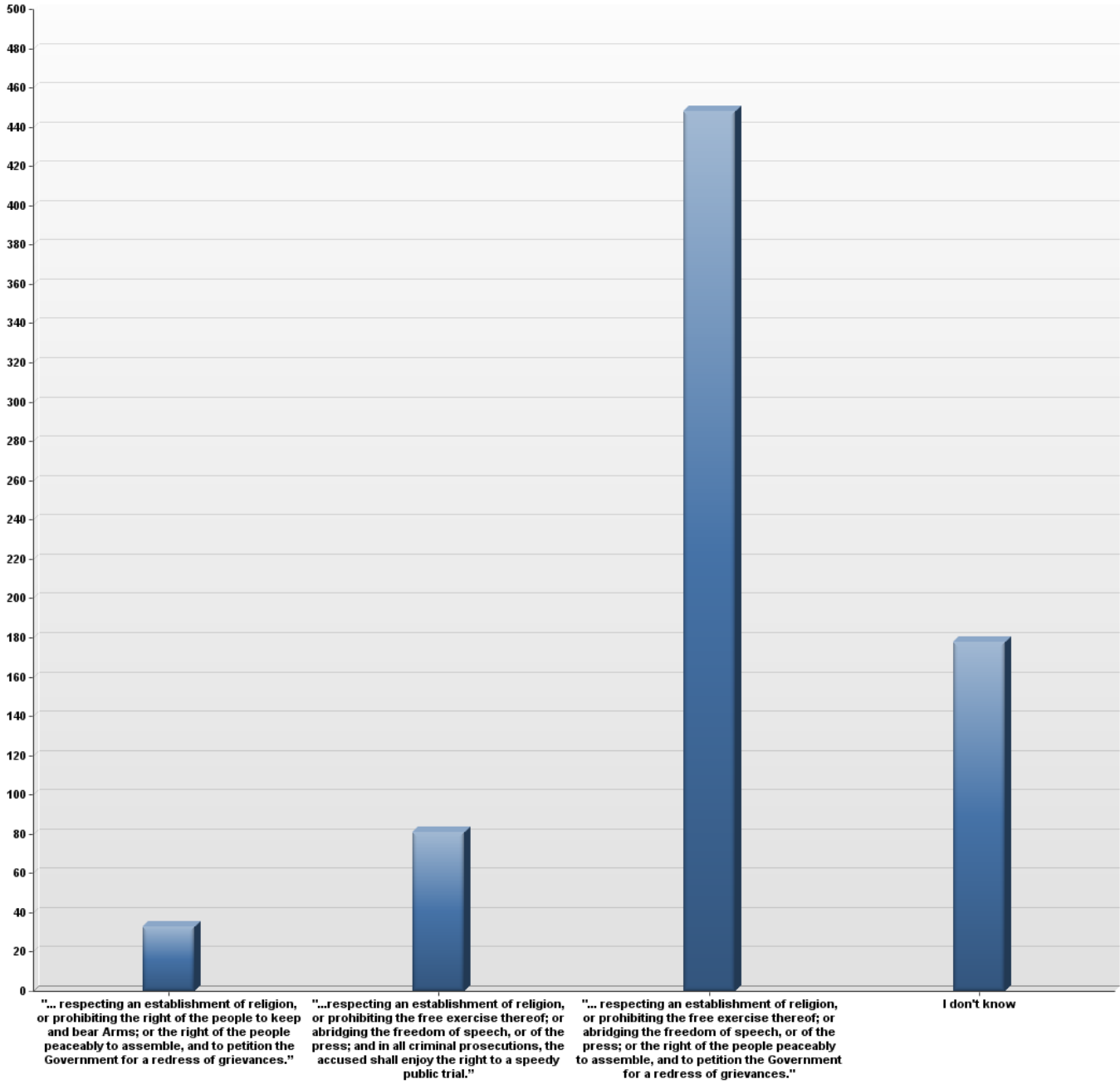
21. If you answered yes to the above question, how did the experience affect your opinion of the news media?



#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Much Better	5	5	1%
2	Better	27	27	8%
3	About the Same	271	271	77%
4	Worse	34	34	10%
5	Much Worse	15	15	4%
	Total		352	

Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	5
Mean	3.08
Variance	0.40
Standard Deviation	0.63
Total Responses	352






22. Which of these is the correct language of the first amendment of the U.S. Constitution, which begins: "Congress shall make no law ..."



#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	"... respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the right of the people to keep and bear Arms; or the right of the people peaceably to assemble, and to petition the Government for a redress of grievances."		33	4%
2	"...respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; and in all criminal prosecutions, the accused shall enjoy the right to a speedy public trial."		81	11%
3	"... respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of the people peaceably to assemble, and to petition the Government for a redress of grievances."		448	61%
4	I don't know		178	24%
Total			740	






Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	4
Mean	3.04
Variance	0.53
Standard Deviation	0.73
Total Responses	740

23. What is the current unemployment rate in the U.S?

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Between 0 - 6%		25	3%
2	Between 6.1 - 7%		104	14%
3	Between 7.1 - 8%		396	53%
4	Between 8.1 - 9%		119	16%
5	Above 9%		102	14%
	Total		746	







Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	5
Mean	3.23
Variance	0.93
Standard Deviation	0.96
Total Responses	746

24. Who is the current governor of New York State?

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Andrew Cuomo		694	93%
2	David Paterson		24	3%
3	Samuel Stanley		8	1%
4	Chris Christie		17	2%
5	Kirsten Gillibrand		5	1%
	Total		748	





Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	5
Mean	1.15
Variance	0.36
Standard Deviation	0.60
Total Responses	748

25. The name of the Chief Justice of the United States Supreme Court is:

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Sonia Sotomayor		107	15%
2	Antonin Scalia		35	5%
3	David Souter		32	4%
4	John Roberts		484	66%
5	Sandra Day O'Connor		48	7%
6	William Rehnquist		23	3%
7	Samon Fish		4	1%
	Total		733	

Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	7
Mean	3.57
Variance	1.60
Standard Deviation	1.27
Total Responses	733

26. Who is the U.S. Secretary of State?

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Governor of New Jersey Chris Christie		21	3%
2	Former U.S. Senator from Massachusetts John Kerry		460	62%
3	Former U.S. Senator from New York Hillary Rodham Clinton		245	33%
4	U.S. Senator from Arizona John McCain		19	3%
Total			745	




Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	4
Mean	2.35
Variance	0.34
Standard Deviation	0.58
Total Responses	745

27. The U.S. Justice Department has accused Edward Snowden of...

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Smuggling undocumented workers into the U.S.		17	2%
2	Revealing details of a top-secret National Security Agency surveillance program		698	94%
3	Selling contaminated meat products		9	1%
4	Crashing the stock market by peddling junk mortgages as safe investments		15	2%
5	The murder of President John F. Kennedy		3	0%
Total			742	






Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	5
Mean	2.04
Variance	0.15
Standard Deviation	0.39
Total Responses	742

28. On August 5, 2013, the Washington Post:

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	Was sold to Amazon.com's founder Jeff Bezos		416	57%
2	Fired editor Martin Baron following an international libel scandal		283	38%
3	Announced it will move its head office to Ankara, Turkey, to focus on Middle East news		37	5%
Total			736	

Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	3
Mean	1.49
Variance	0.35
Standard Deviation	0.59
Total Responses	736

29. Former U.S. Congressman Anthony Weiner (who is now running for Mayor of New York) appeared this summer at a press conference with his wife so that she could tell reporters she forgives him for:

#	Answer	Bar	Response	%
1	"Sexing" multiple women: sending them sexual photos of himself and messages of a sexual nature.		702	94%
2	Emptying the family bank account to pay for campaign expenses.		16	2%
3	Speaking out against a US foreign relations policy she supports.		12	2%
4	Telling an inappropriate joke about her uncle.		8	1%
5	Leaving their child all evening in day care while he campaigned on the Upper West Side.		6	1%
Total			744	

Statistic	Value
Min Value	1
Max Value	5
Mean	1.12
Variance	0.30
Standard Deviation	0.55
Total Responses	744