

Anti-Semitism Presentation

The 2017 Jewish Federation of Greater Indianapolis Population Study: A Portrait of the Indianapolis Jewish Community

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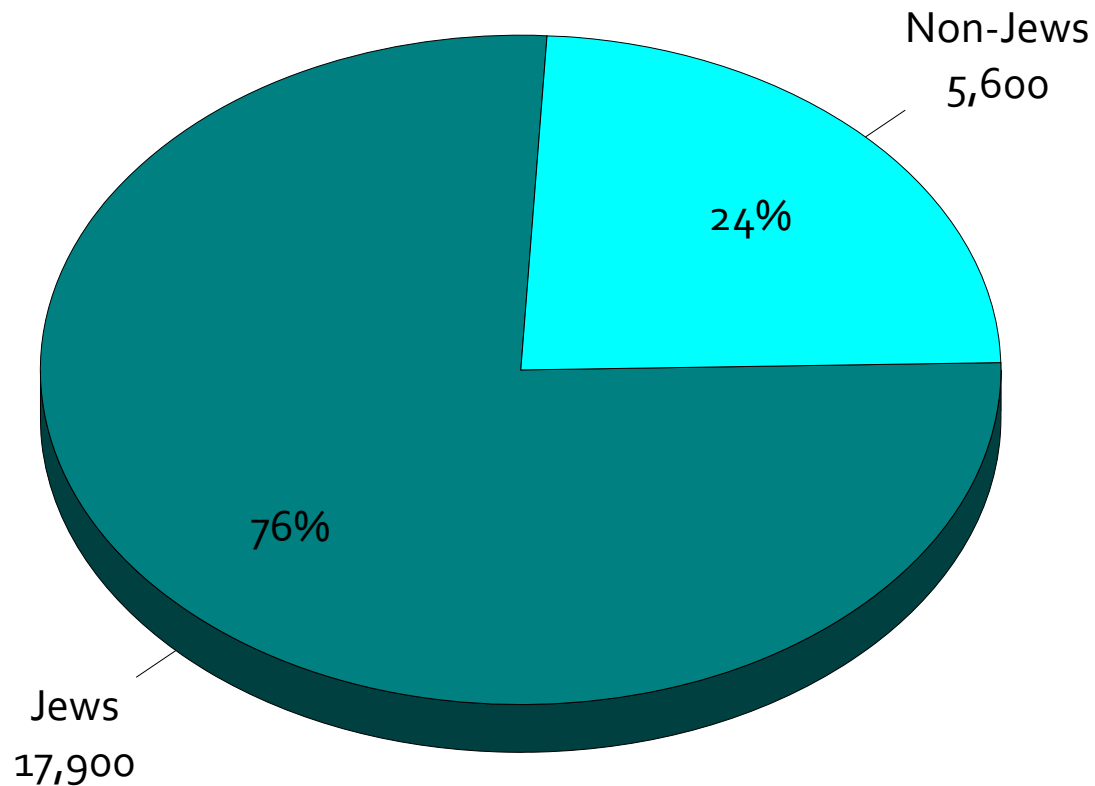


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A Few Quick Reminders

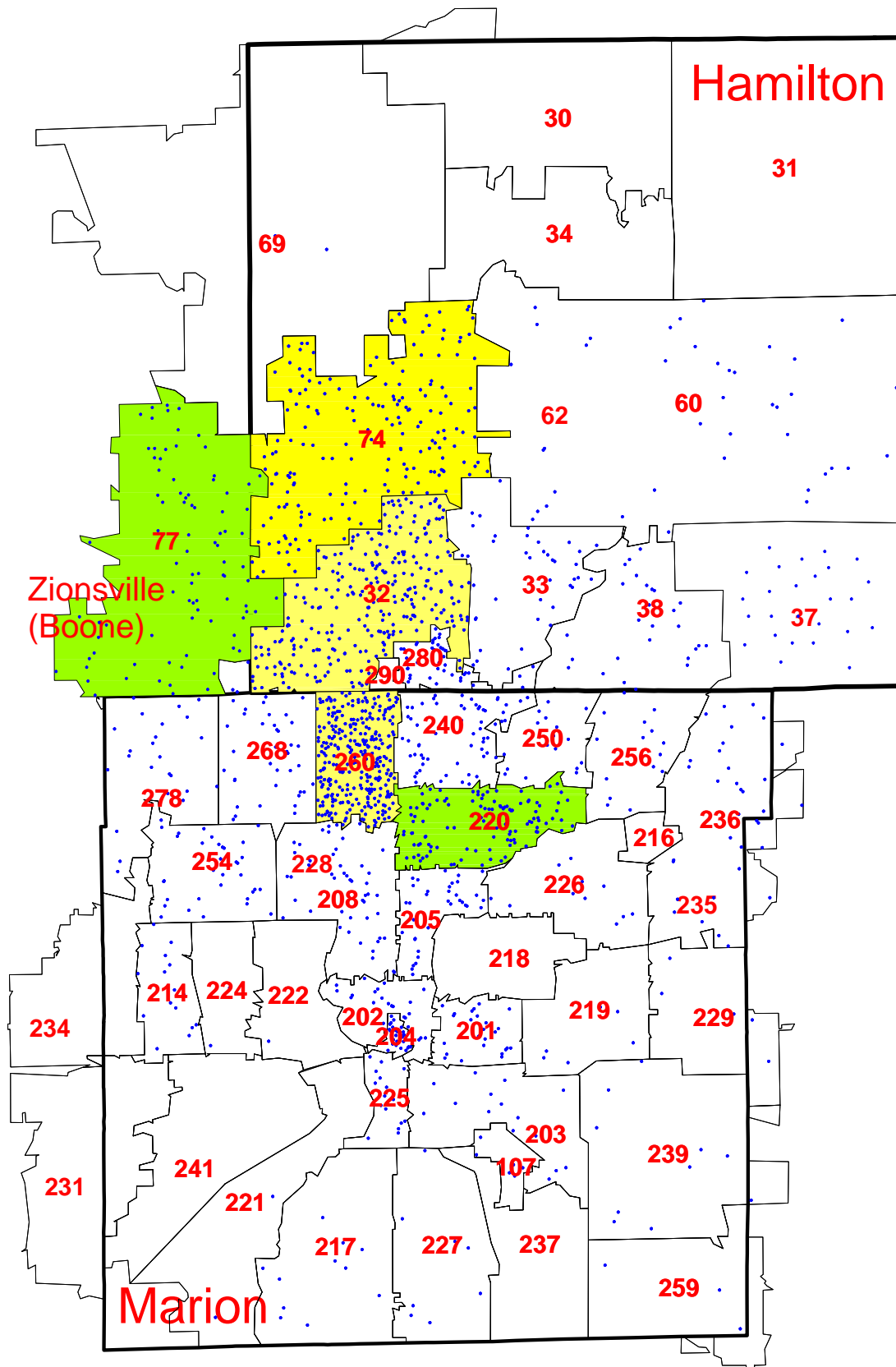
The Jewish Community of Indianapolis

23,500 persons live in 8,500 Jewish households,
of whom 17,900 persons are Jewish



Another approximately 3,600 Jews in the 9 surrounding counties.

1.7% of households in Indianapolis are Jewish



Distribution of Jewish Households

All Zips Begin 46 or 460

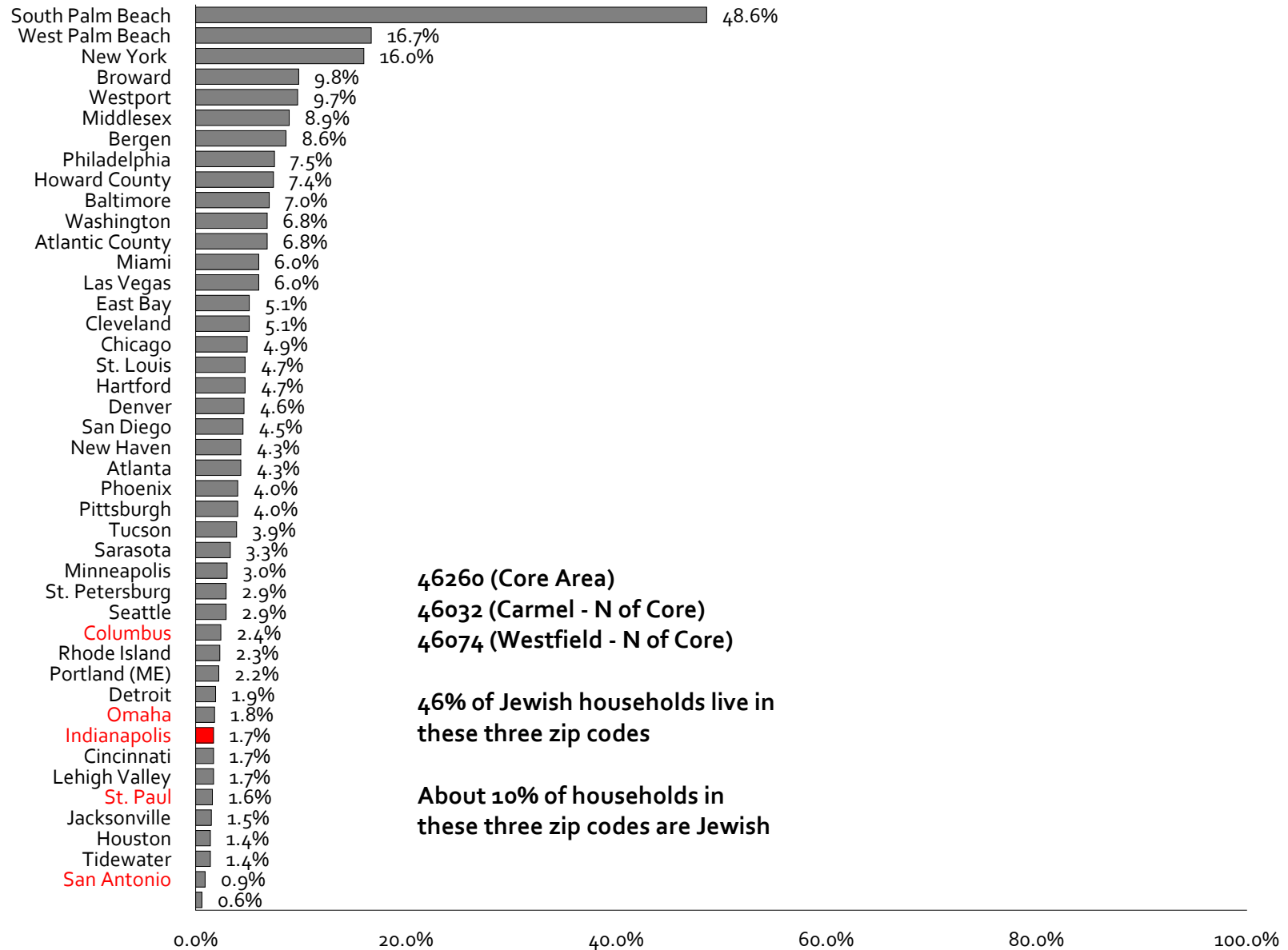
Each Dot Represents 10 Jewish Households

Dots Are Randomly Placed within Each Zip Code

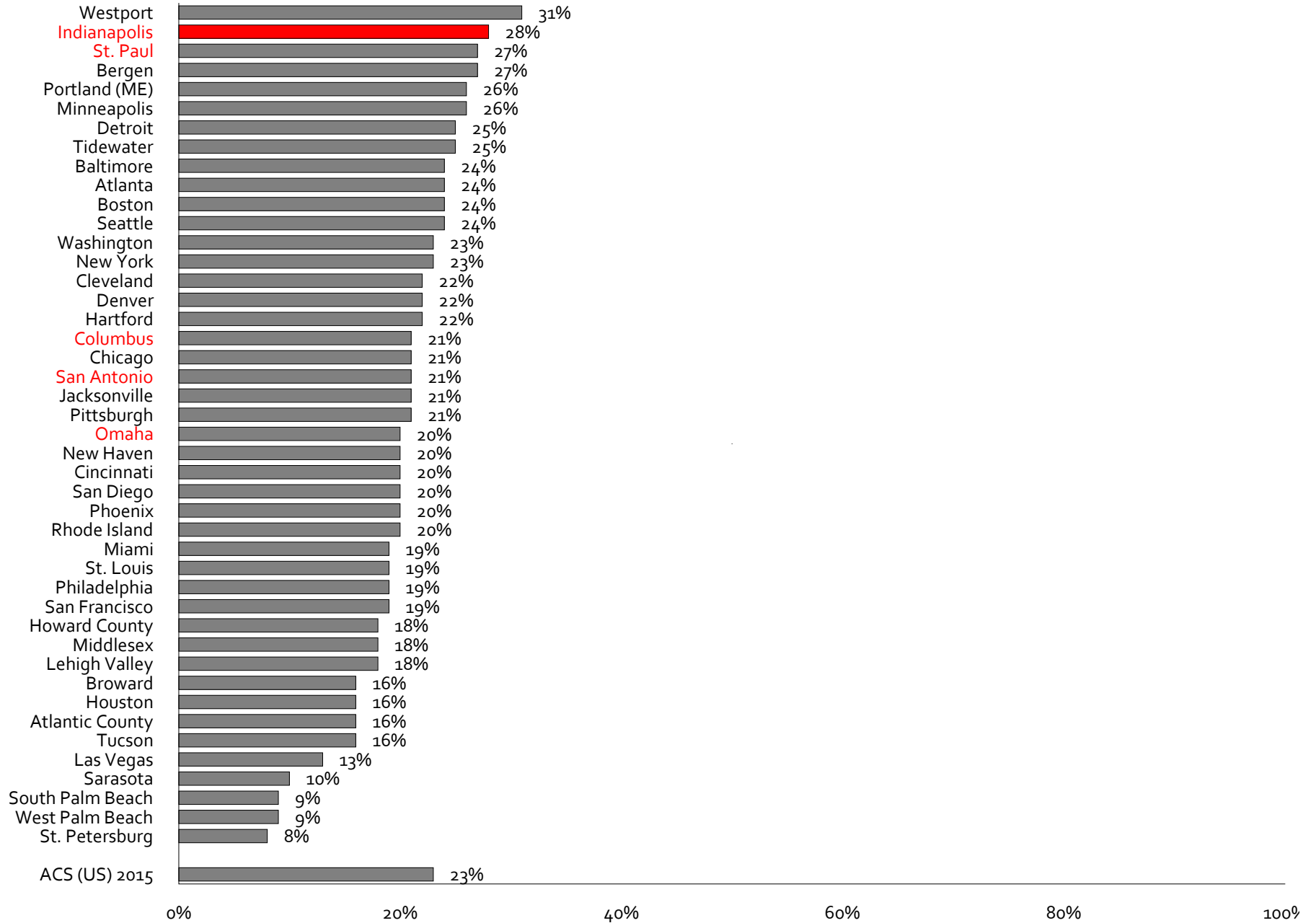
Yellow Zips (46260, 46032, 46074) Contain 46% of All Jewish Households
 Yellow + Green Zips (46077, 46220) Contain 58% of All Jewish Households

Percentage of Households in the Community Who Are Jewish Households

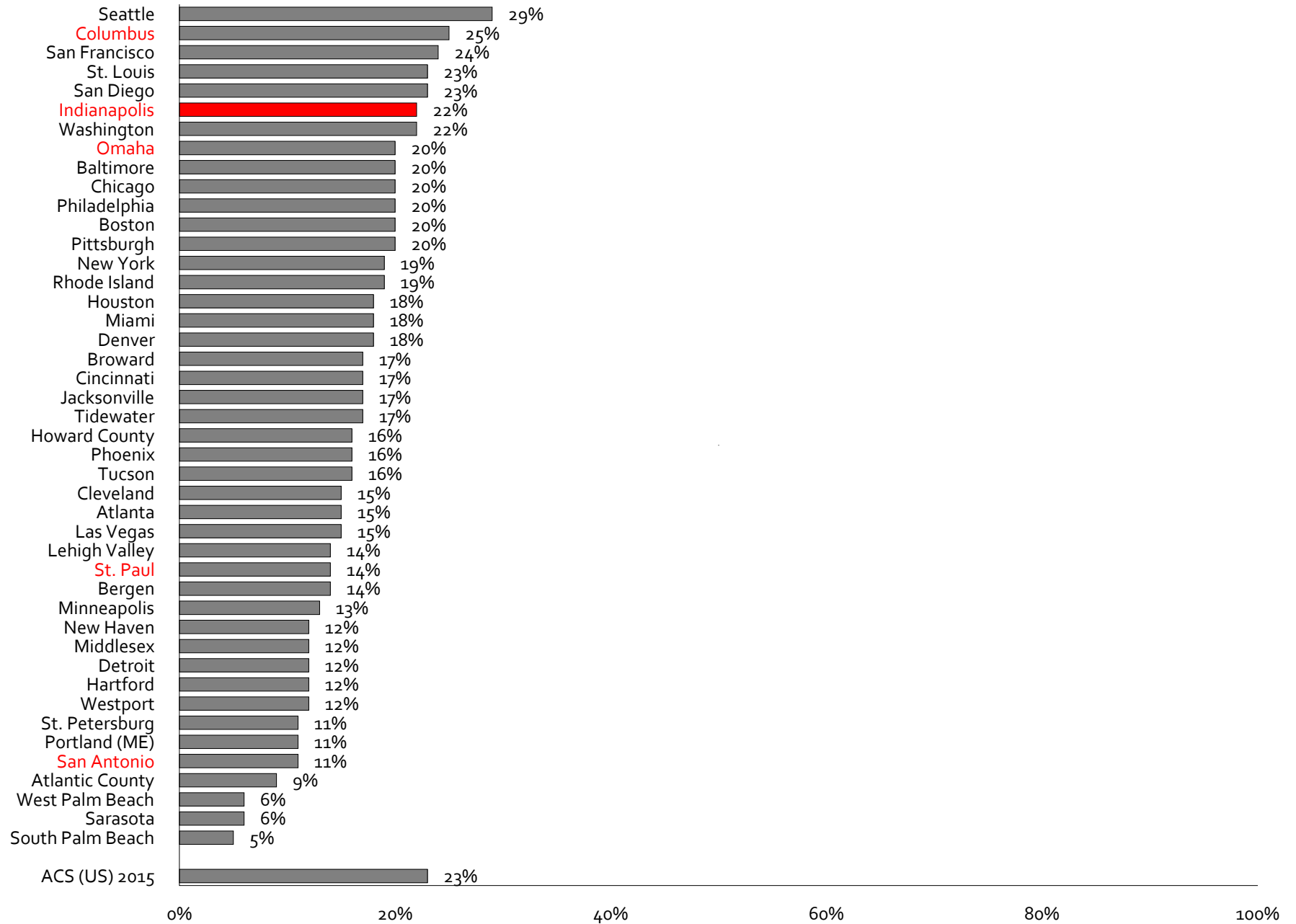
(Jewish Households)



Age 0-17 (Persons in Jewish Households)

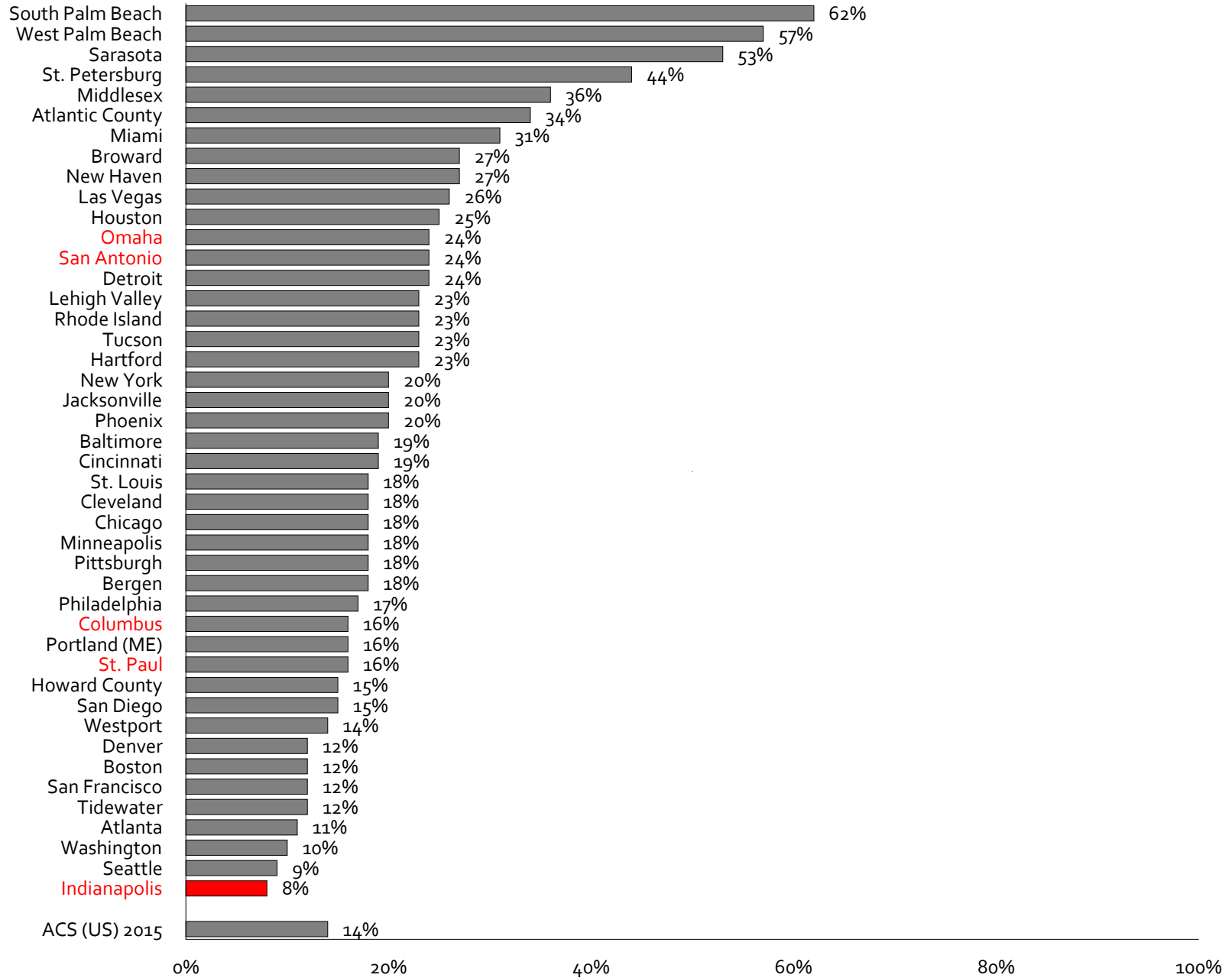


Age 18-34 (Persons in Jewish Households)



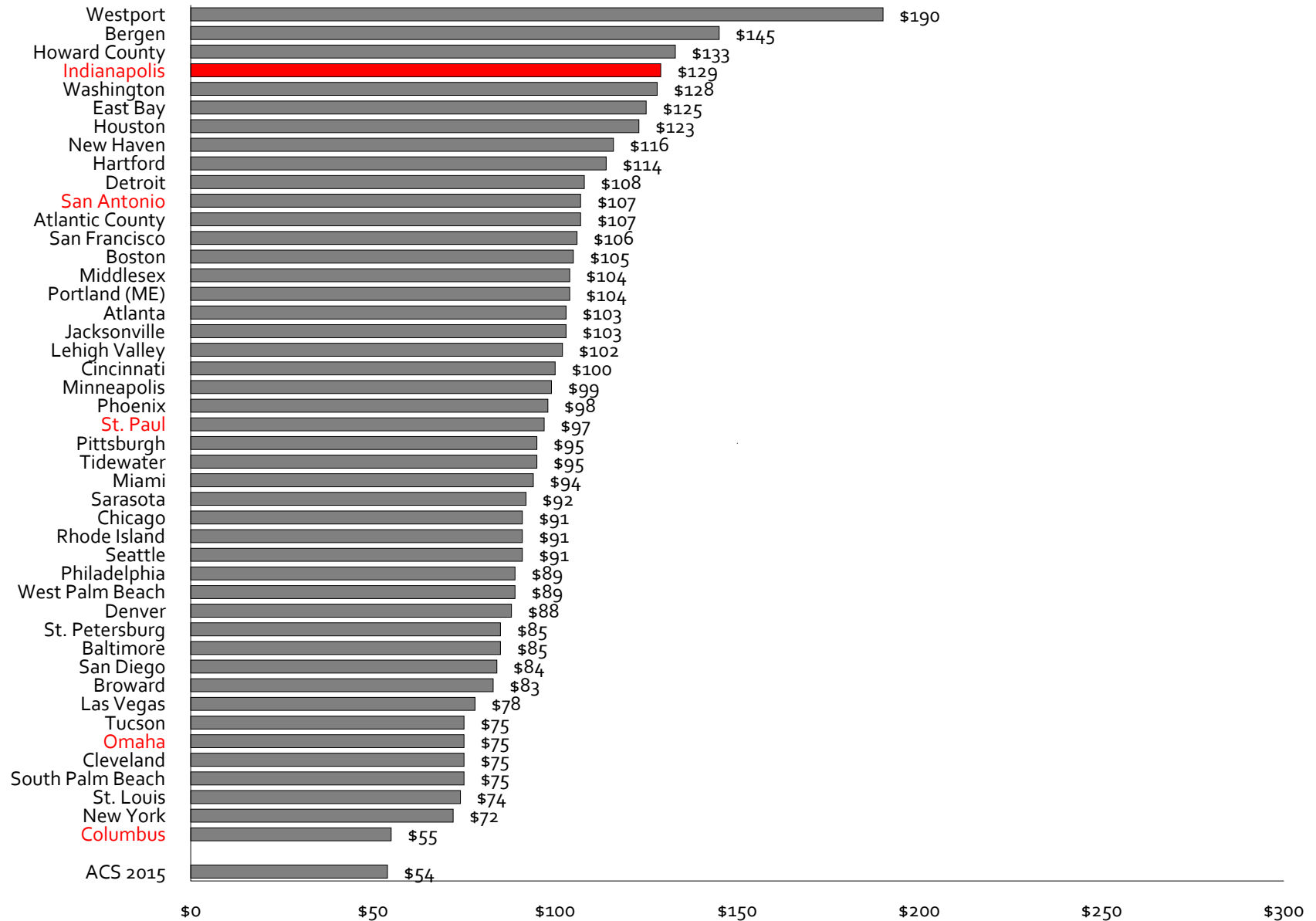
Age 65 and Over

(Persons in Jewish Households)



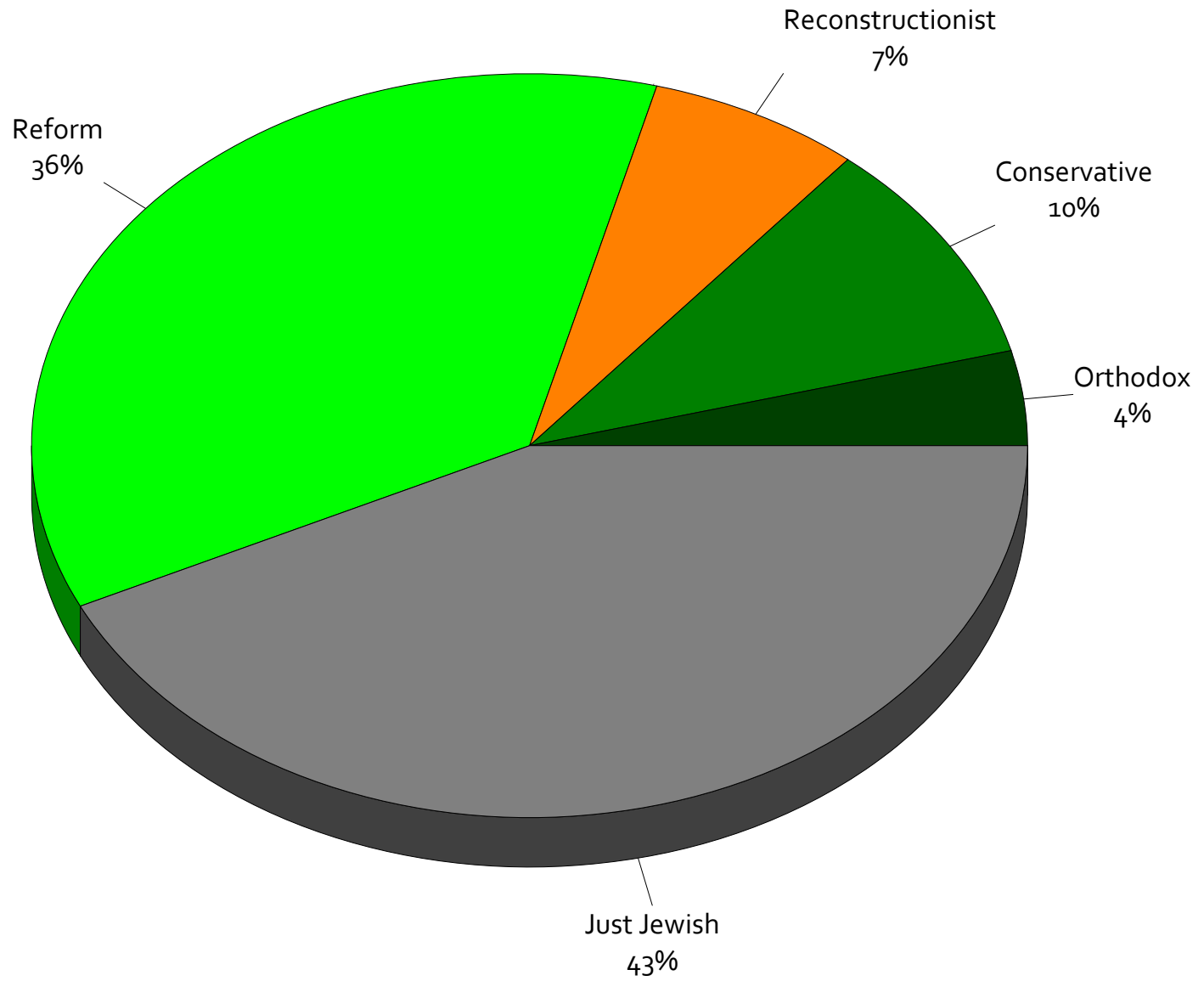
Median Household Income

(Adjusted for inflation to 2016 dollars)
(Jewish Households)



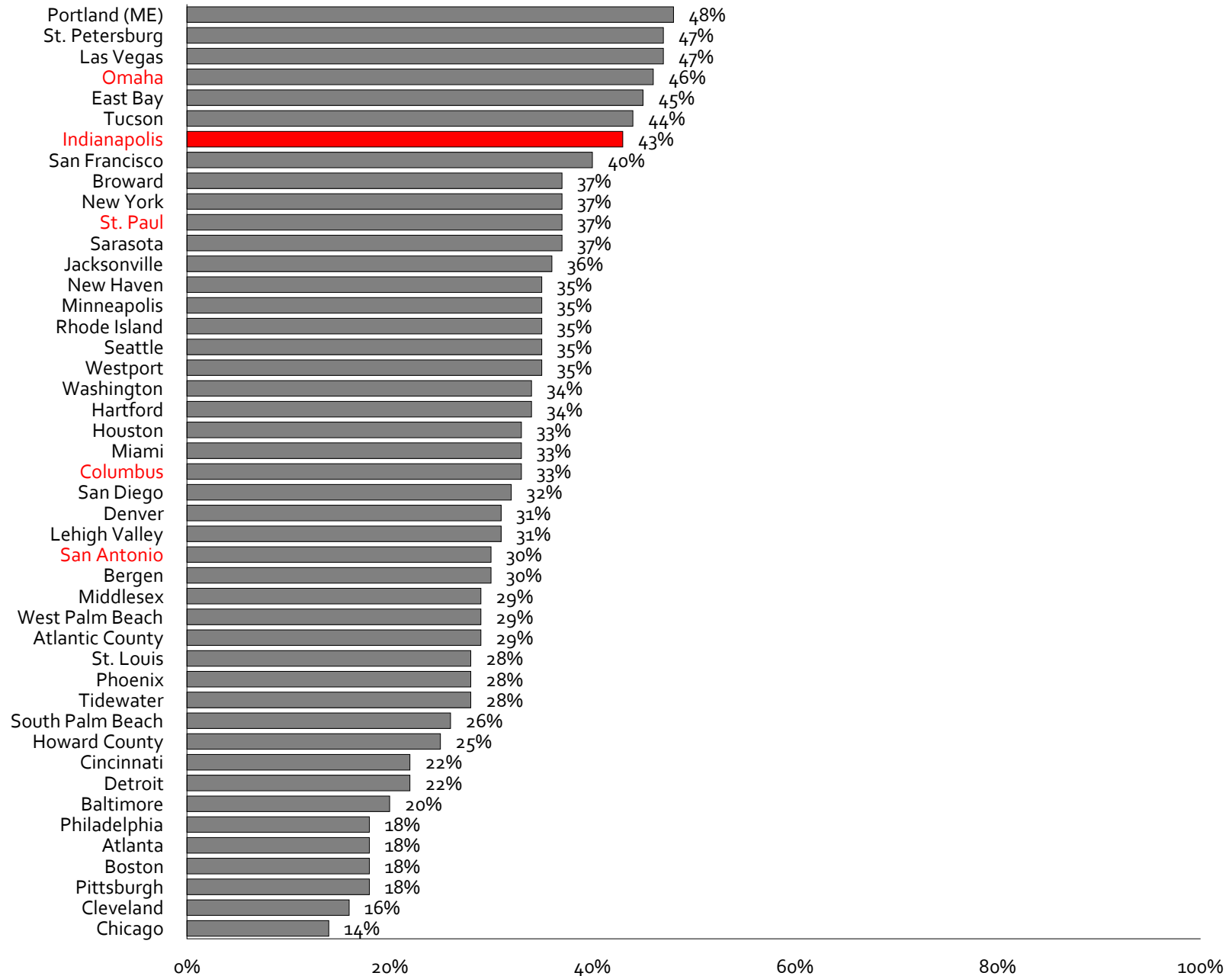
Jewish Identification

(Jewish Households)



Just Jewish Identification

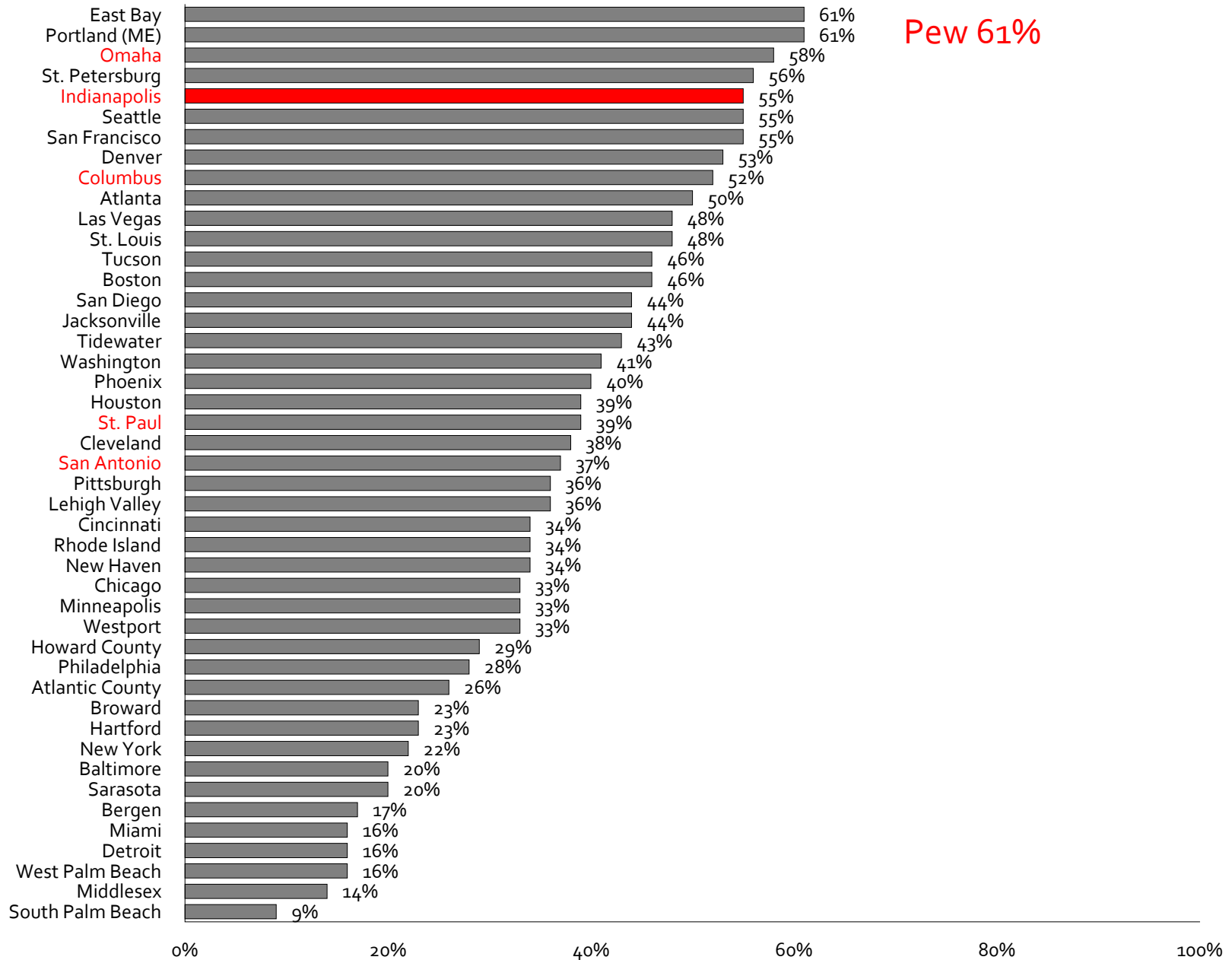
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Intermarriage

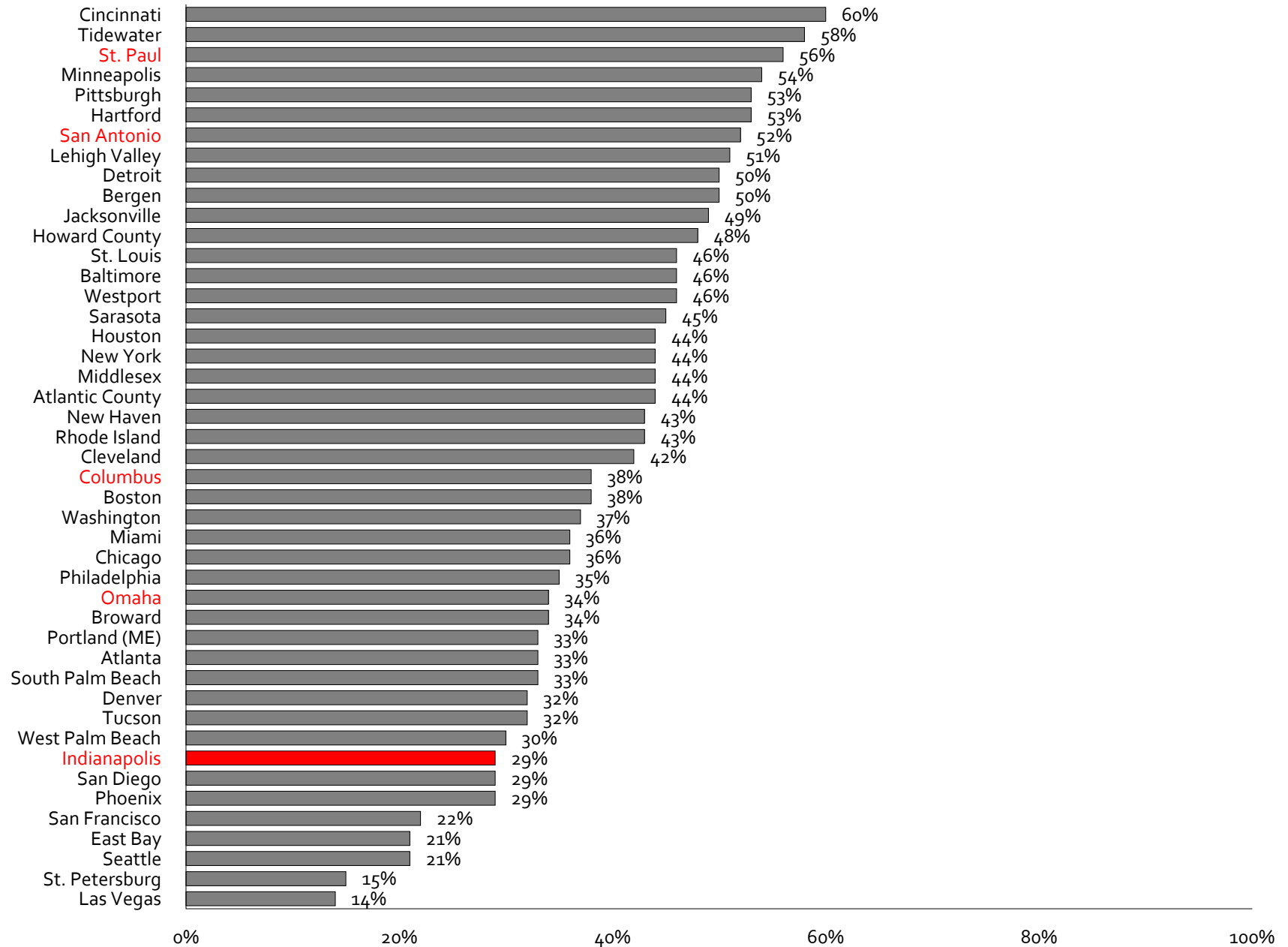
(Couples Intermarriage Rate)

Pew 61%



Synagogue Membership

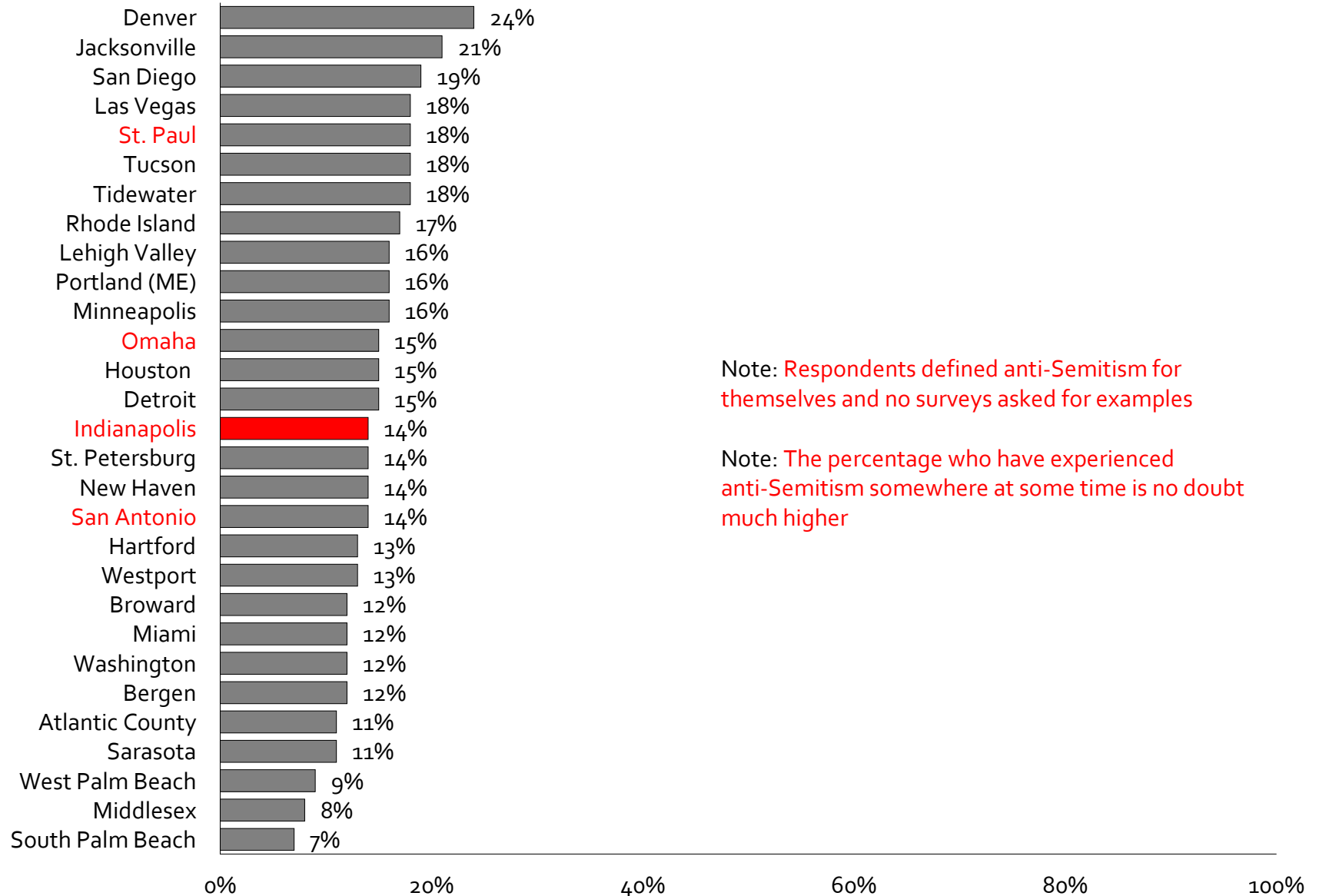
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Anti-Semitism in Indianapolis

Personally Experienced Anti-Semitism in Local Community in the Past Year

(Jewish Respondents)

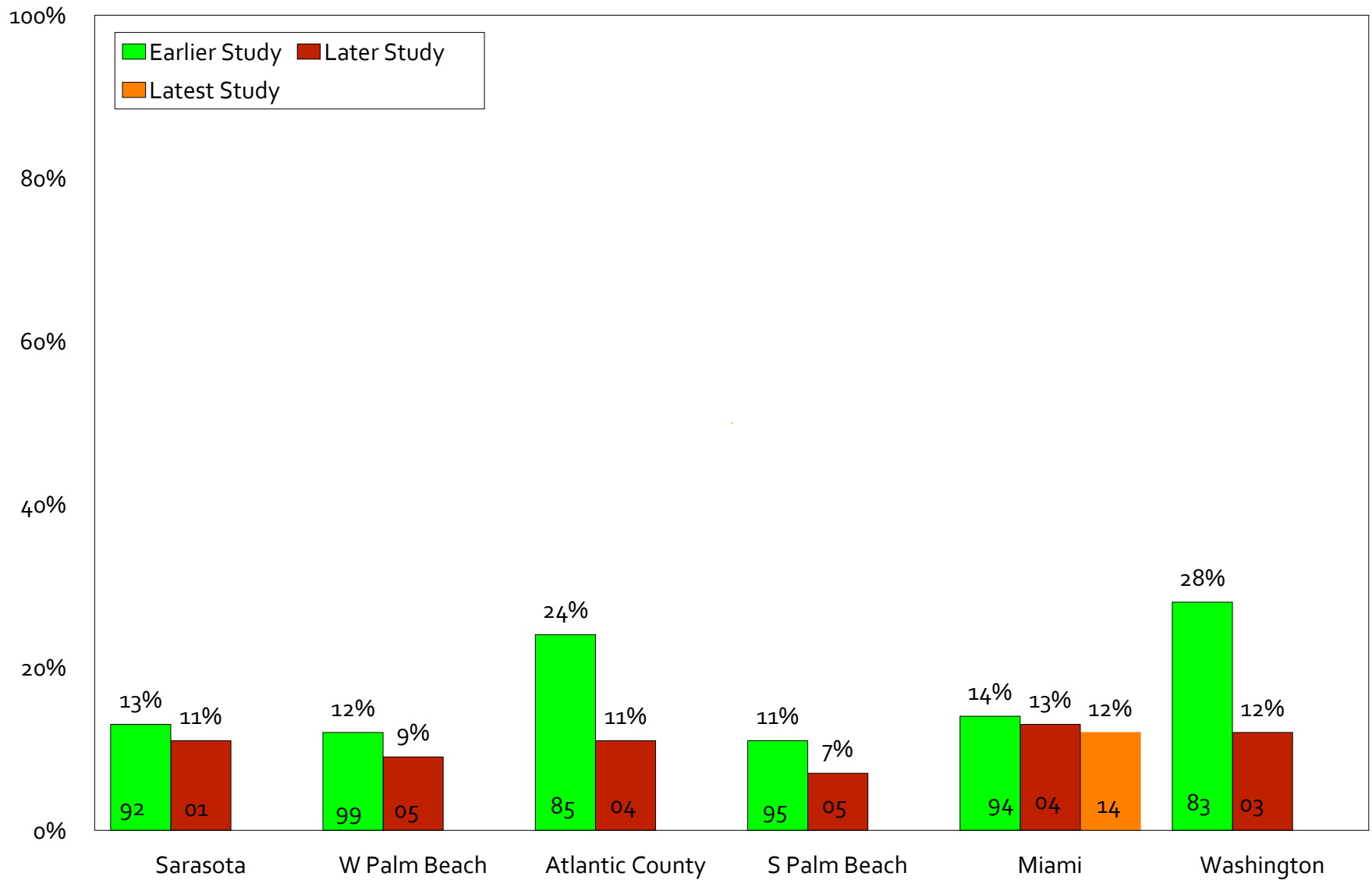


Note: Respondents defined anti-Semitism for themselves and no surveys asked for examples

Note: The percentage who have experienced anti-Semitism somewhere at some time is no doubt much higher

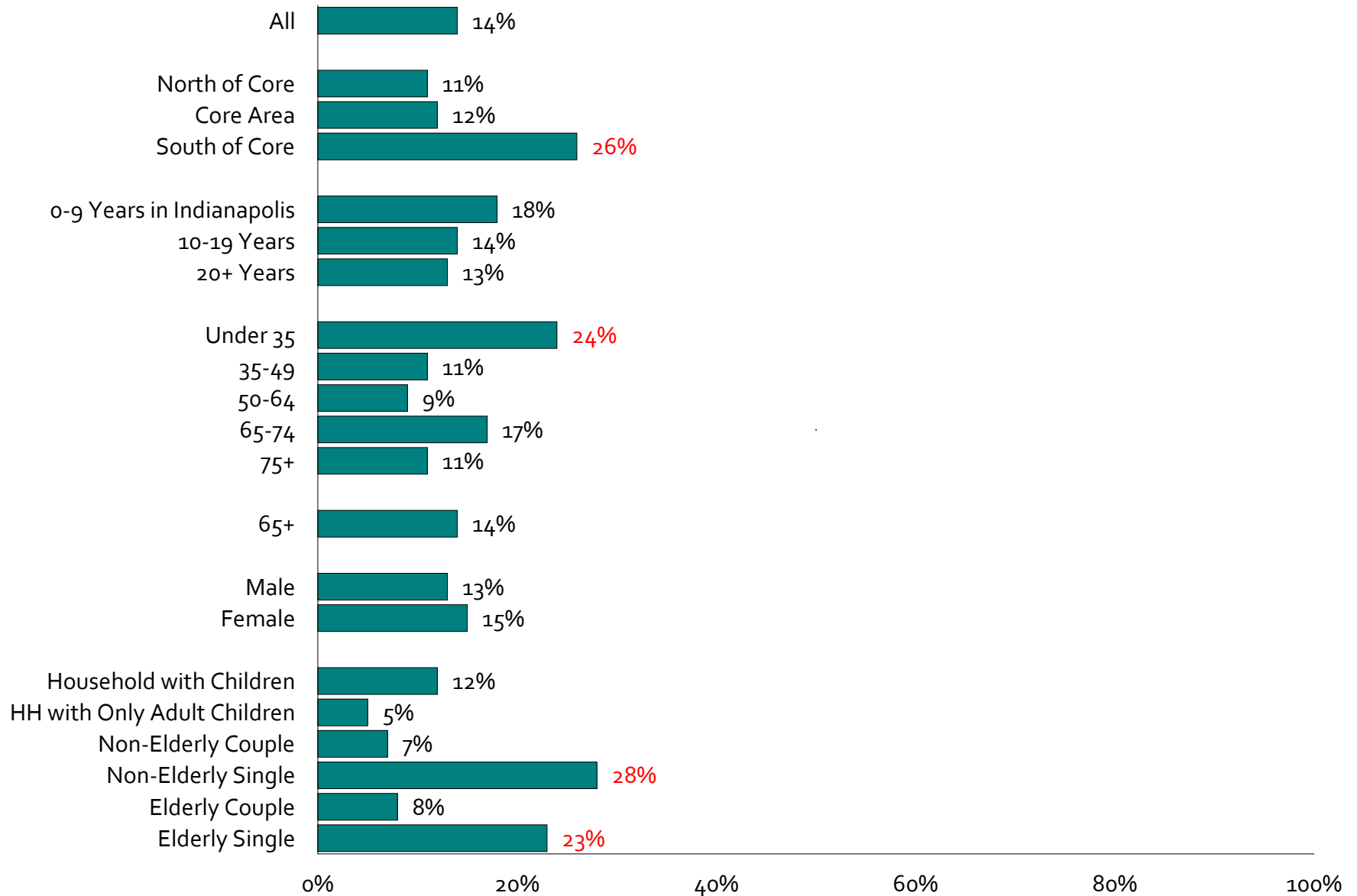
Changes in Personally Experienced Anti-Semitism in Local Community in the Past Year

(Respondents)



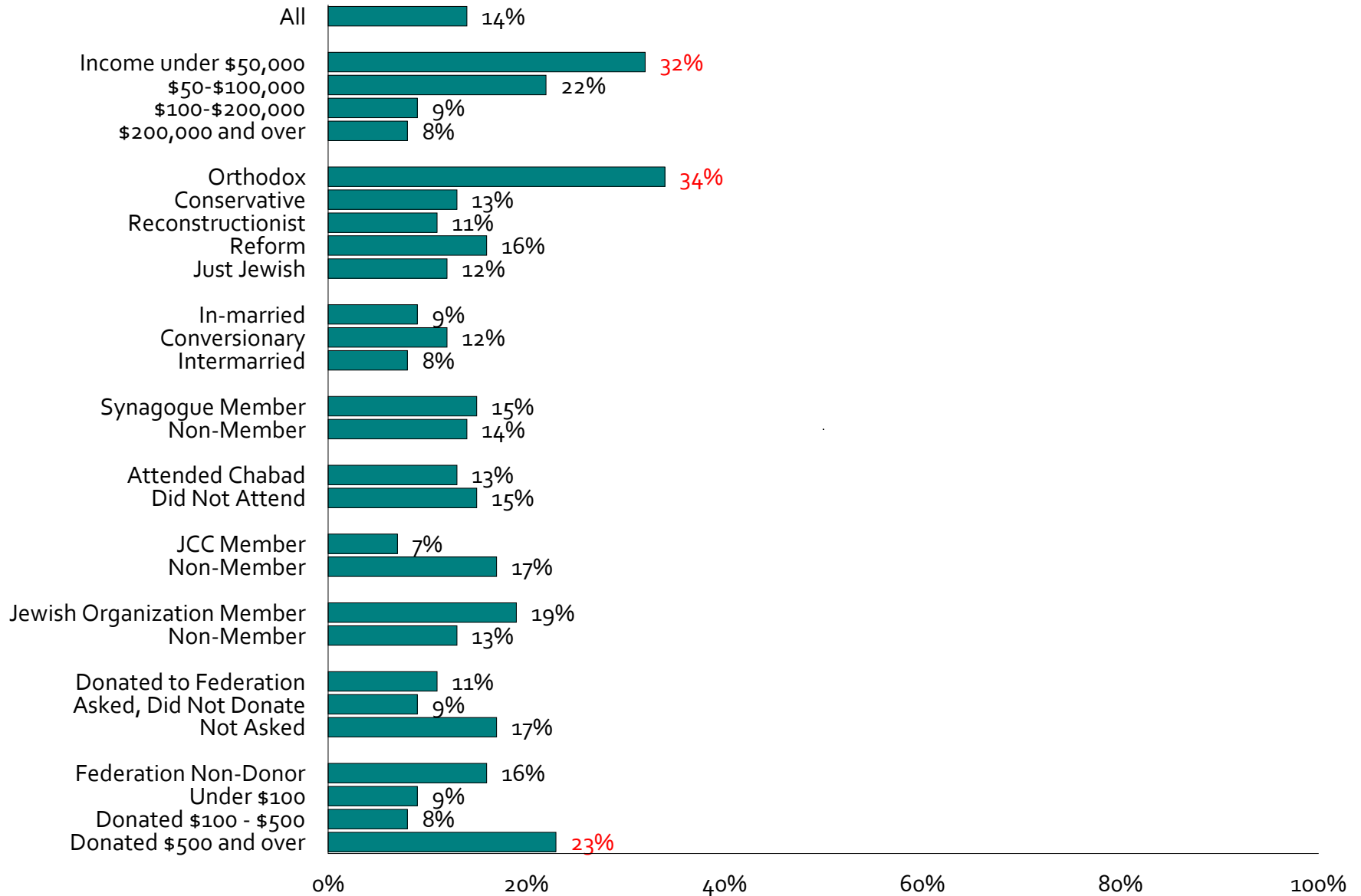
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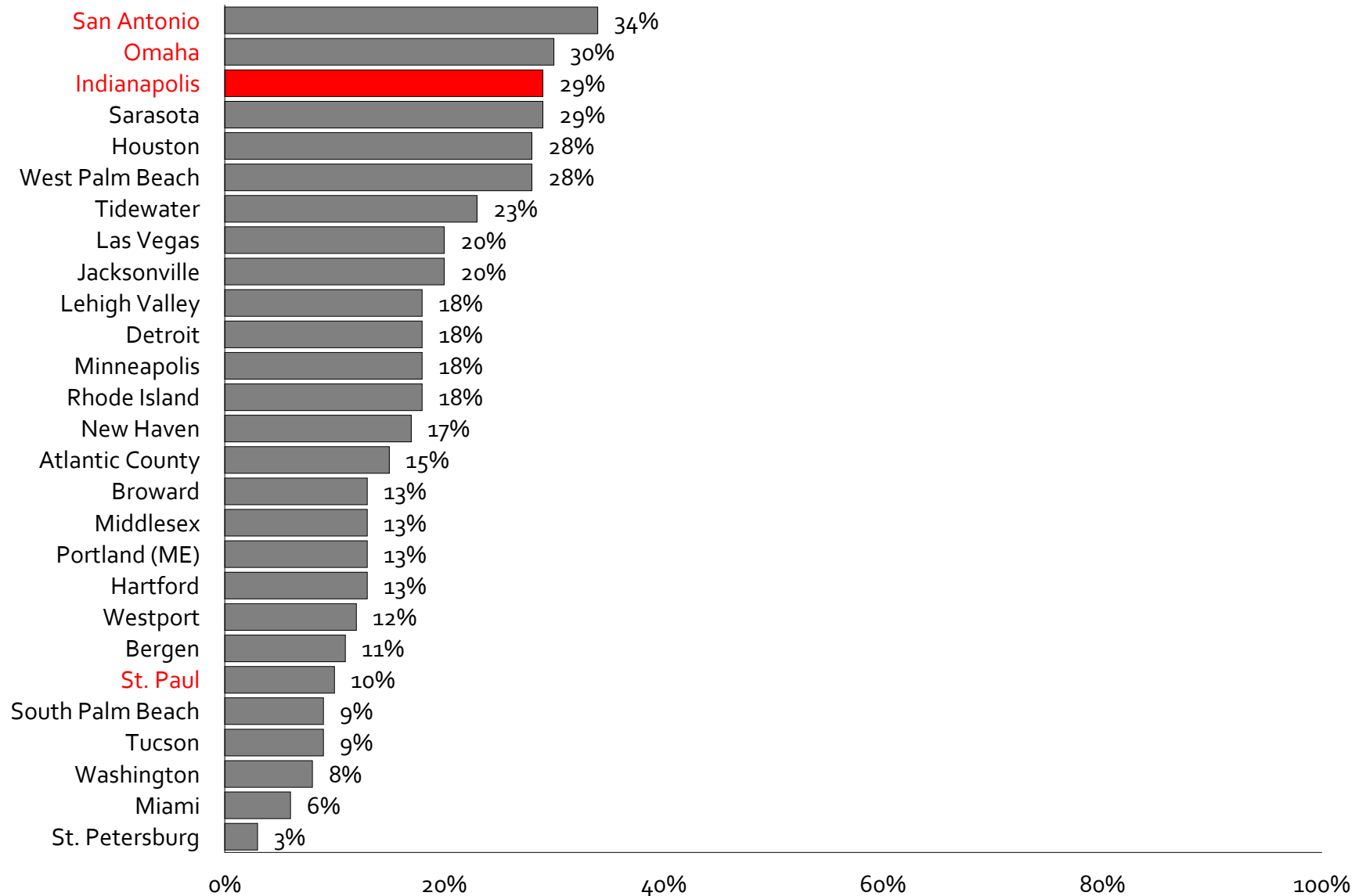
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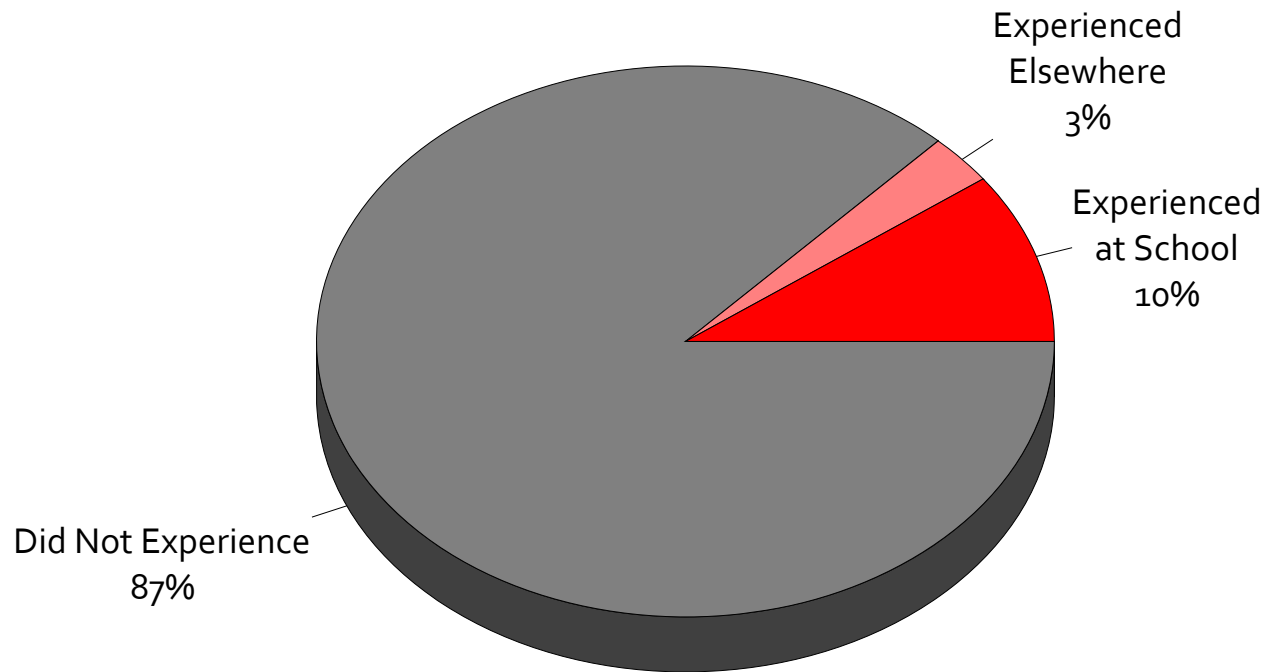
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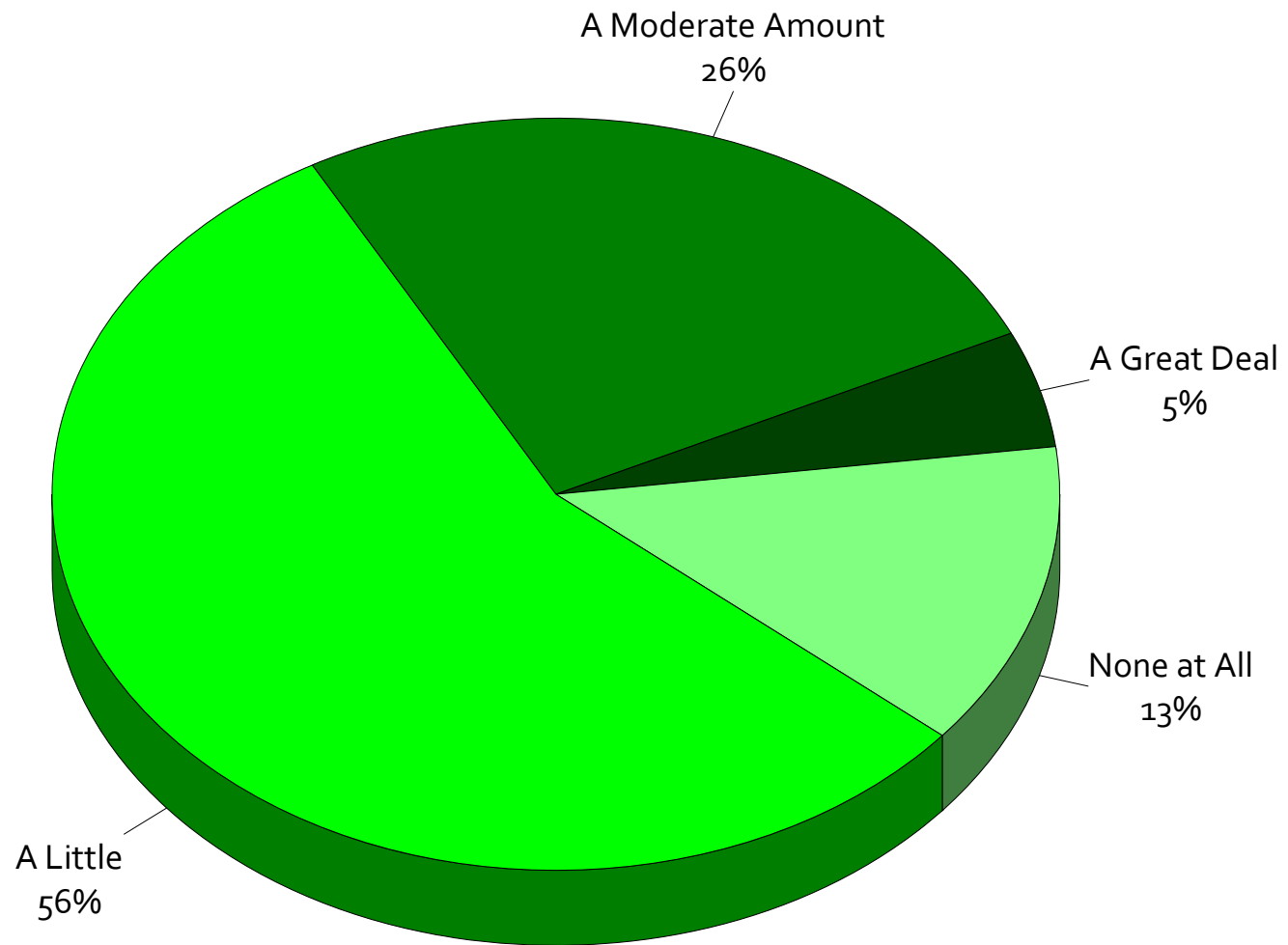


Decade 2000 Data Set:
22 community studies 2000-2010
with 19,800 Interviews

From Omaha 2017

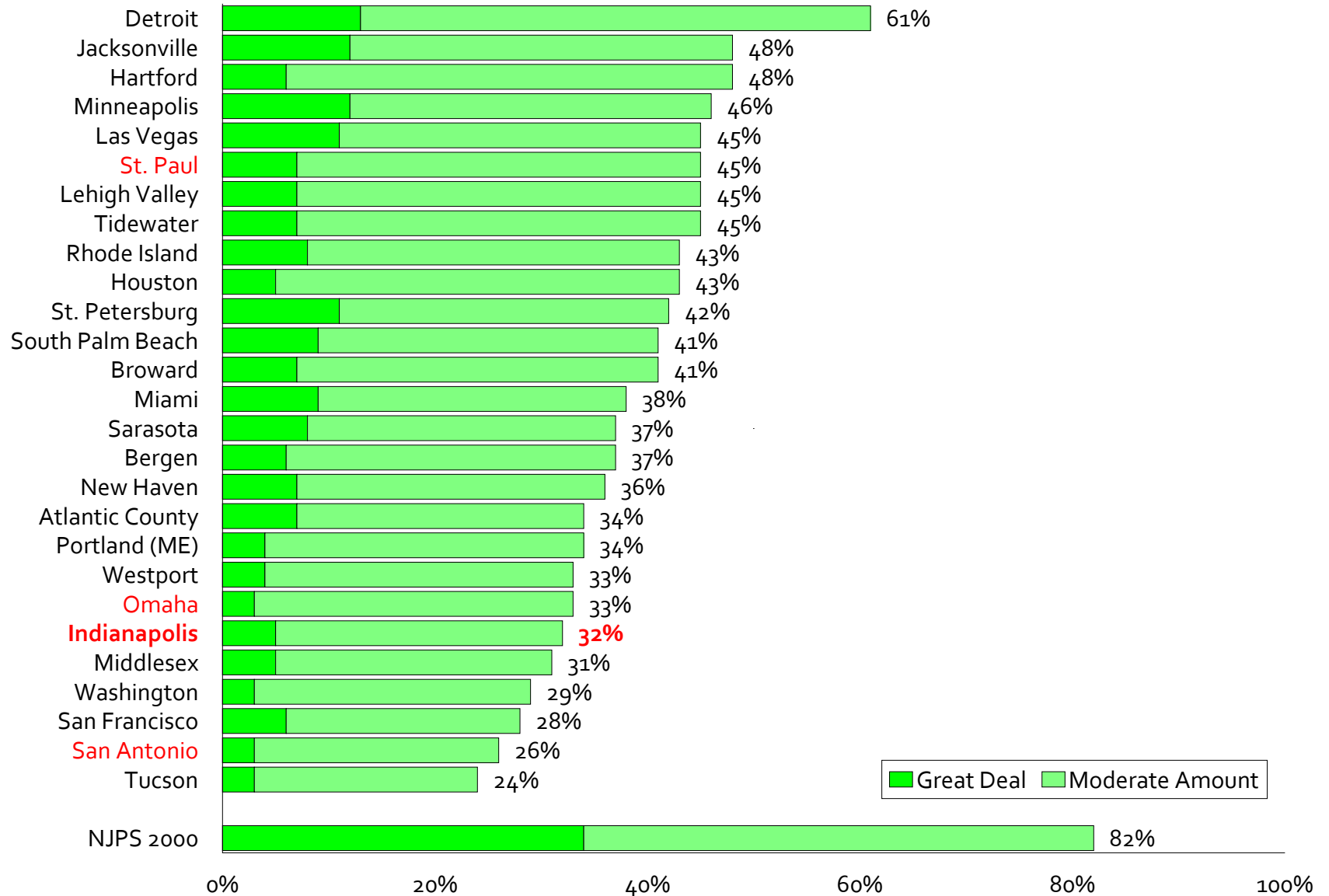
- Respondents in Omaha who personally experienced anti-Semitism in the local community in the past year or in which a Jewish child age 6-17 experienced anti-Semitism in the past year were asked: Did you report to or seek help from any professional in the Jewish community, such as a rabbi or the ADL with this anti-Semitism. Only 9% of respondents indicated that they had done so. That implies **70 incidents were reported and 740 were not reported.**
- Any household with a person currently in **college** was asked: Did (you / your college age children) personally experience anti-Semitism on the college campus? We received 22 responses. Only **1% responded in the affirmative.**

Perception of Anti-Semitism in Indianapolis (Respondents)



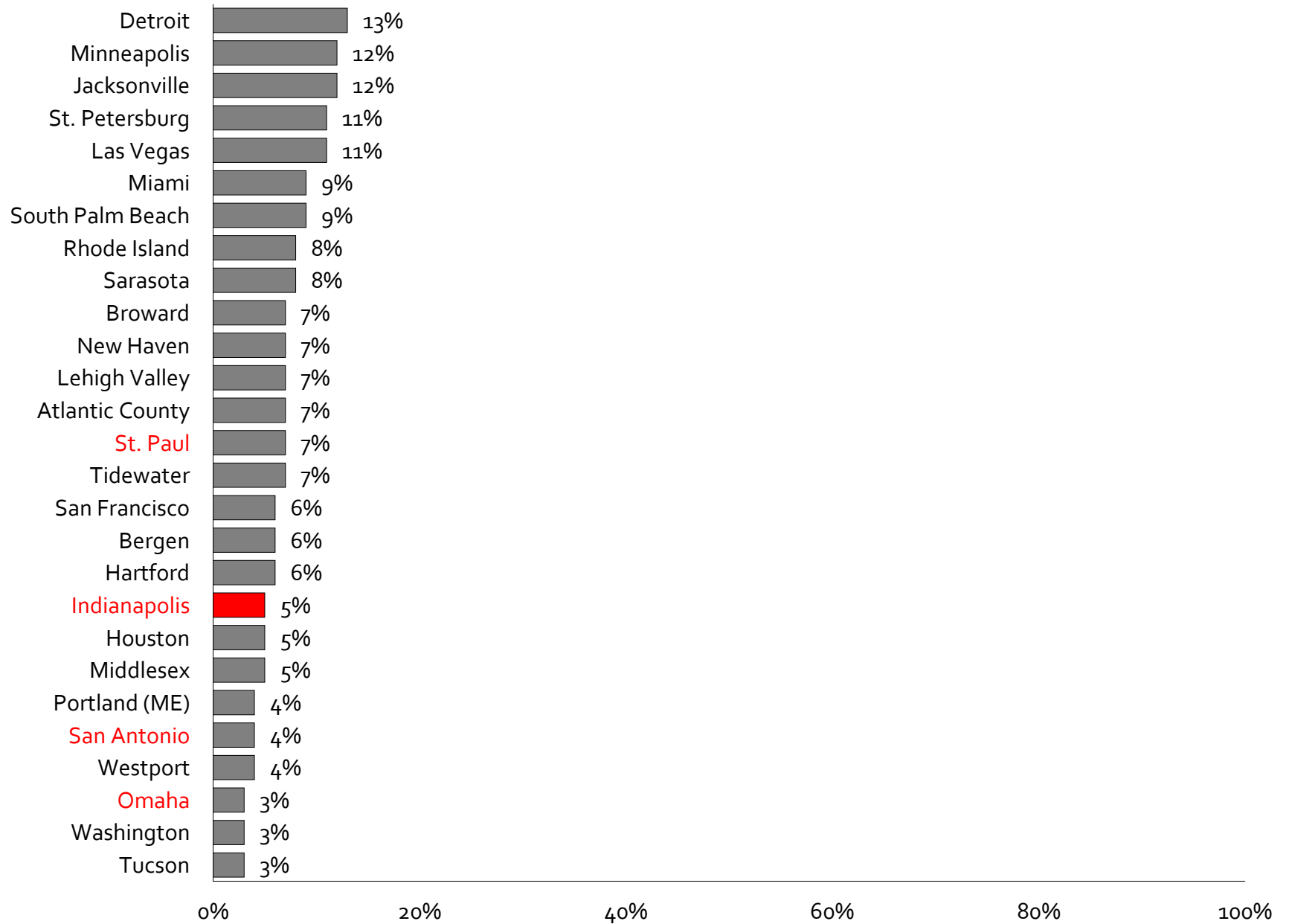
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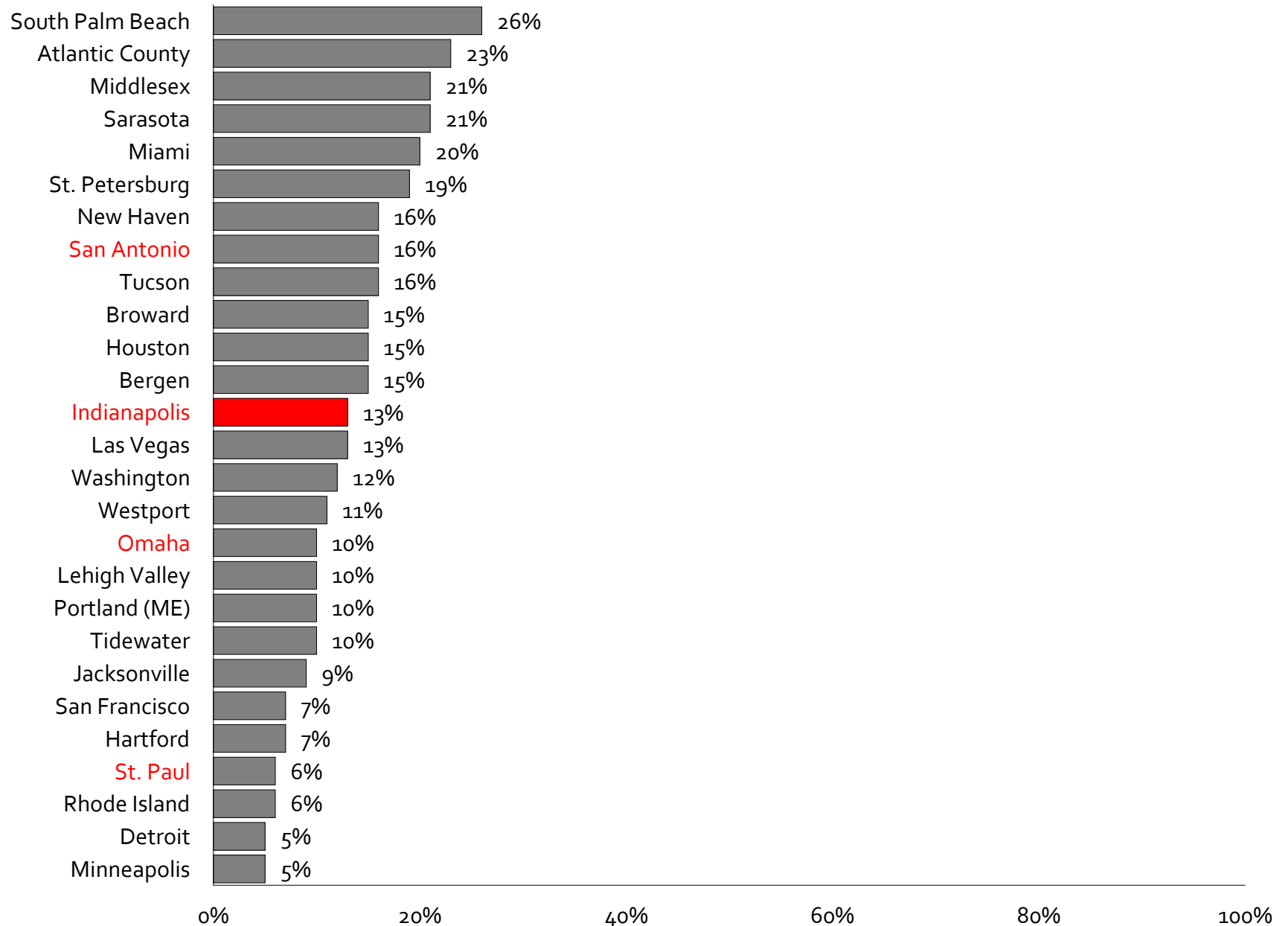
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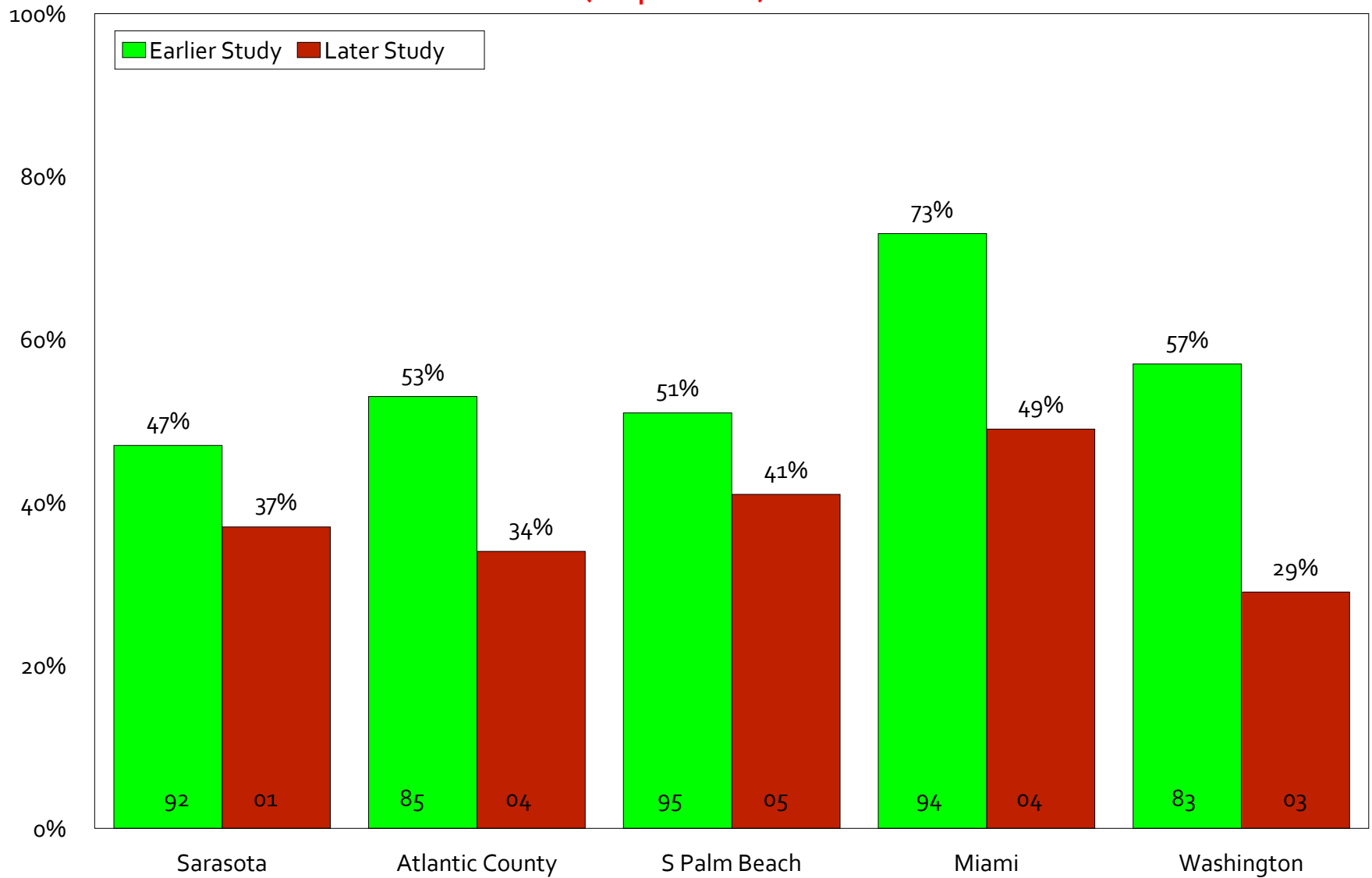
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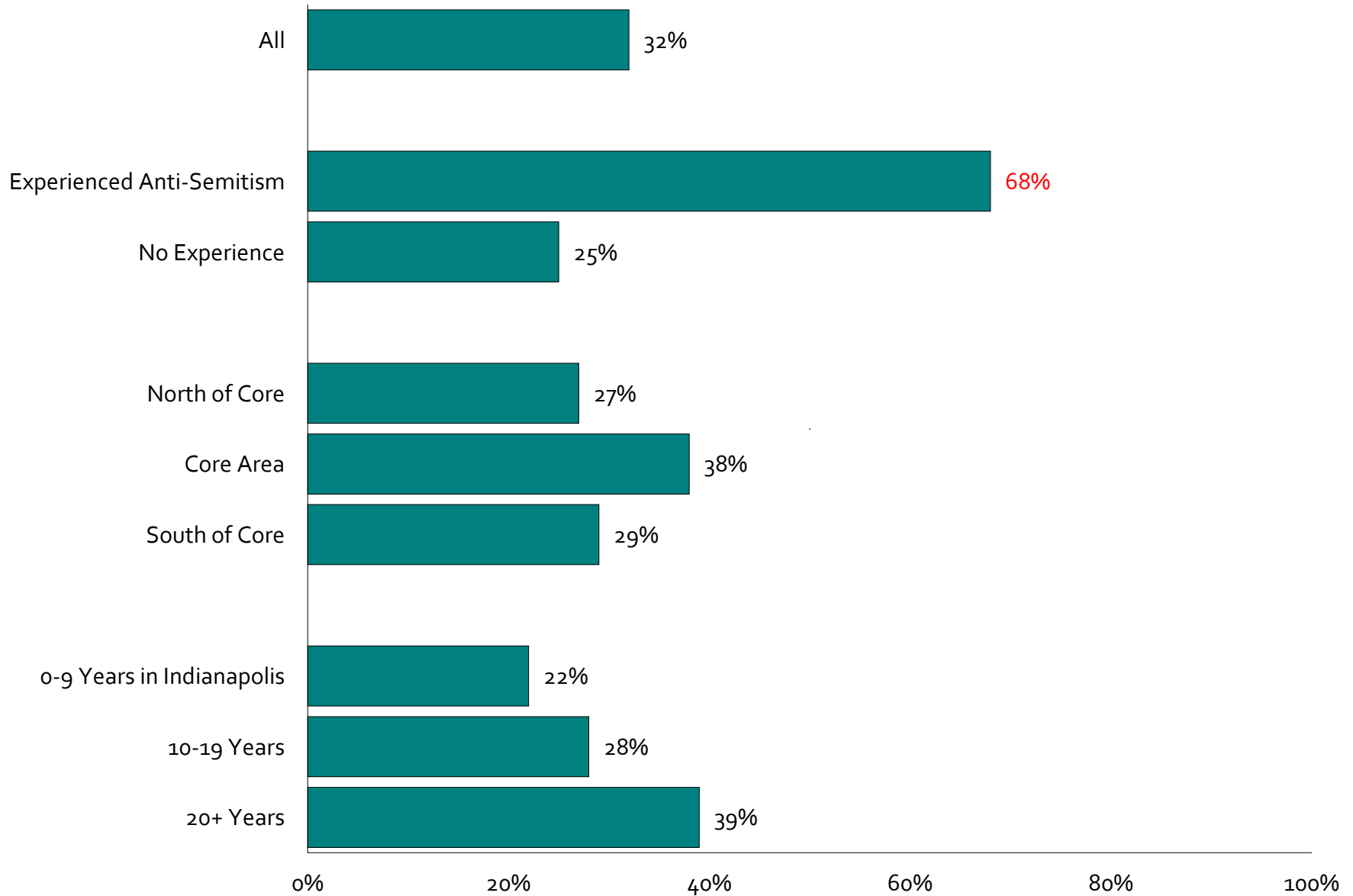
Changes in Perception of Great Deal/Moderate Amount of Anti-Semitism in Local Community

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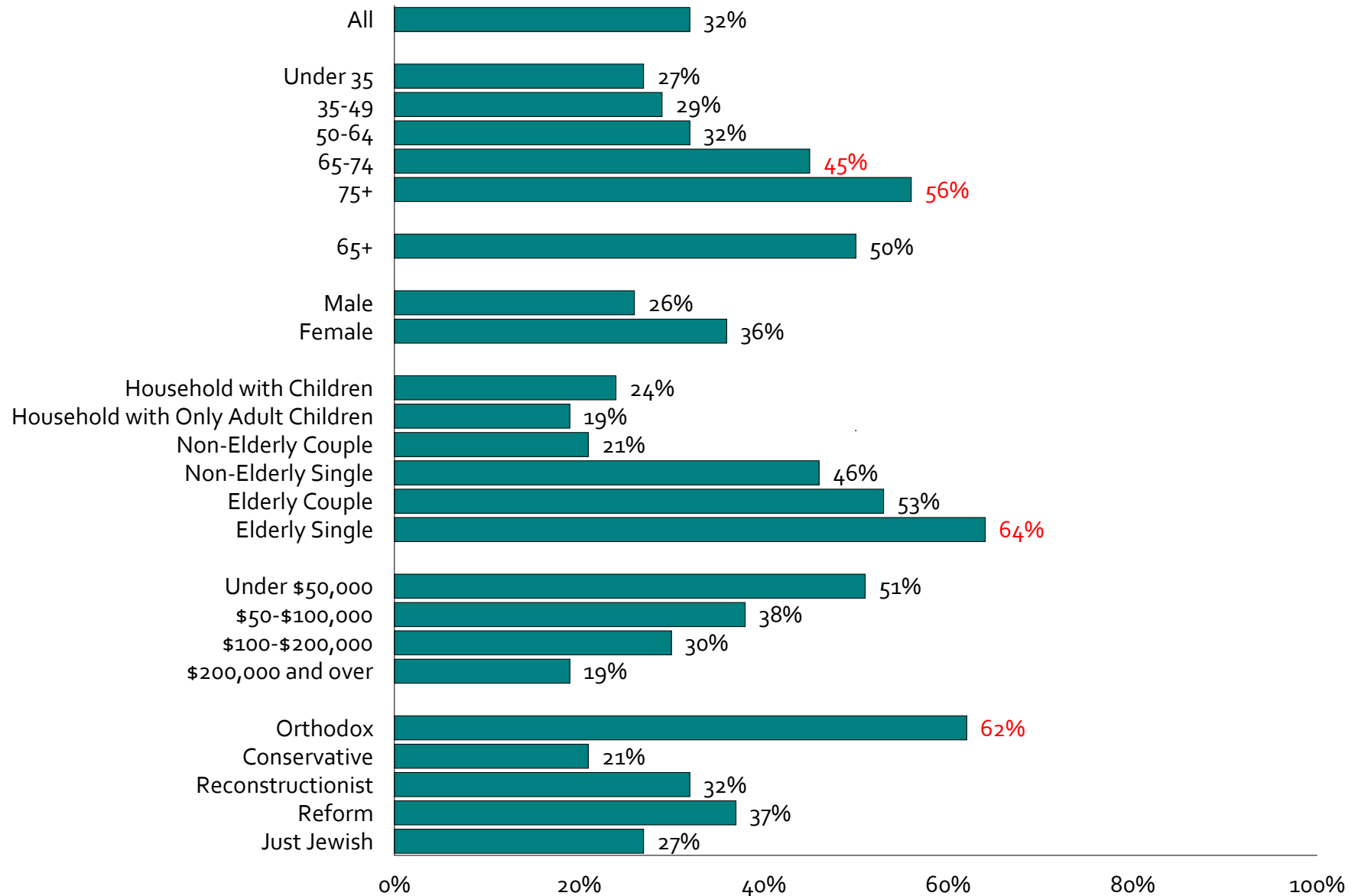
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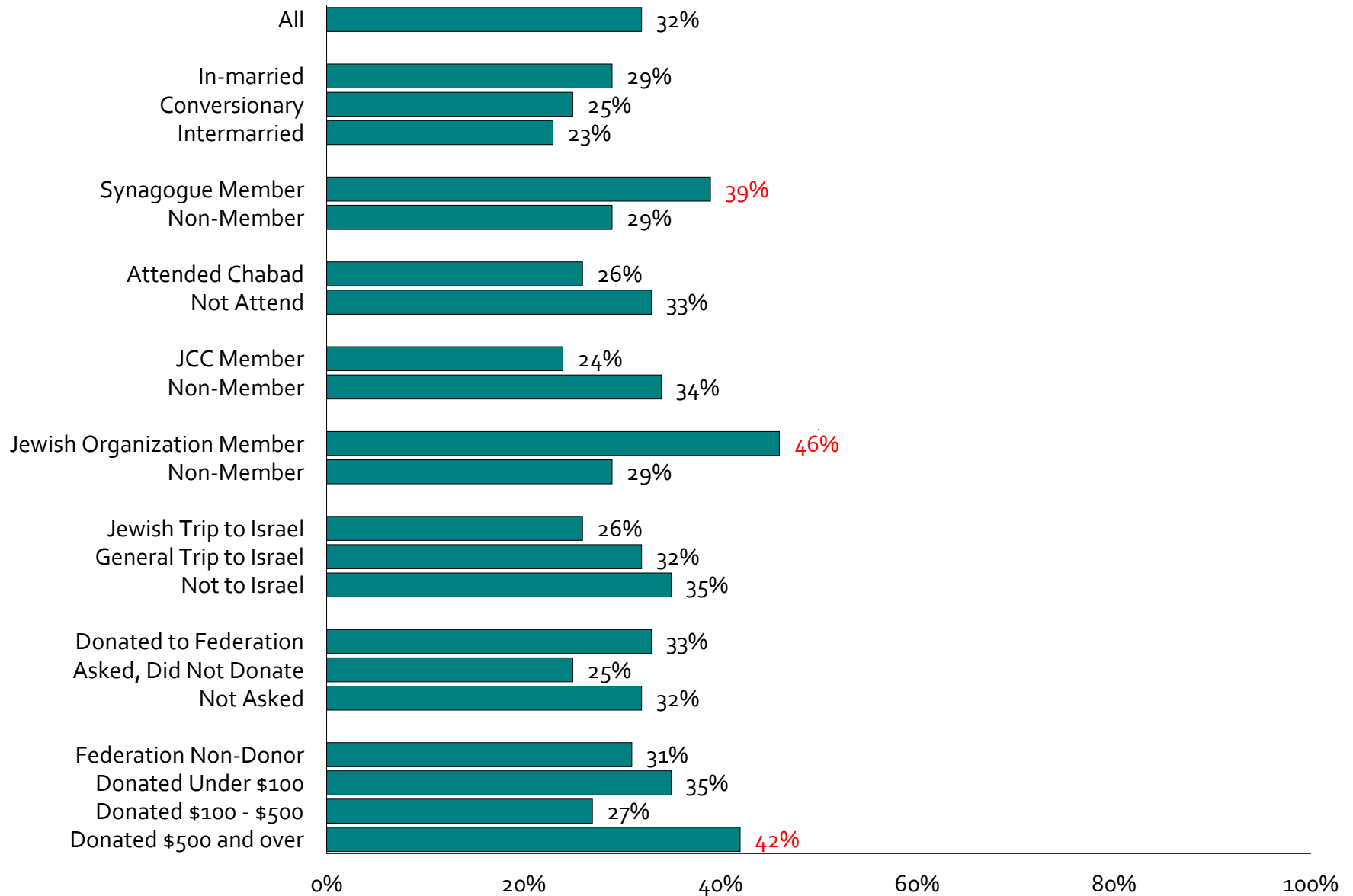
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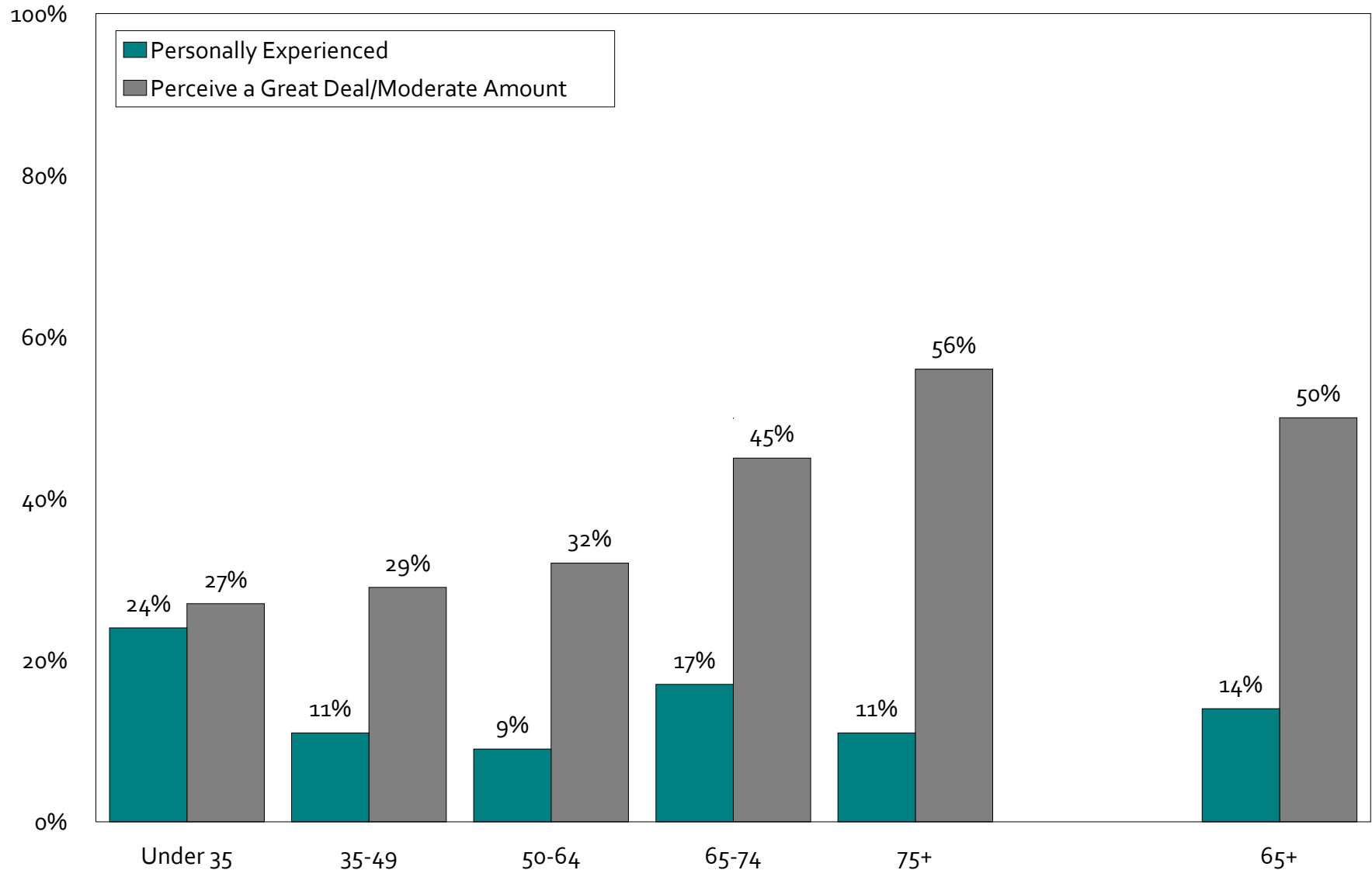


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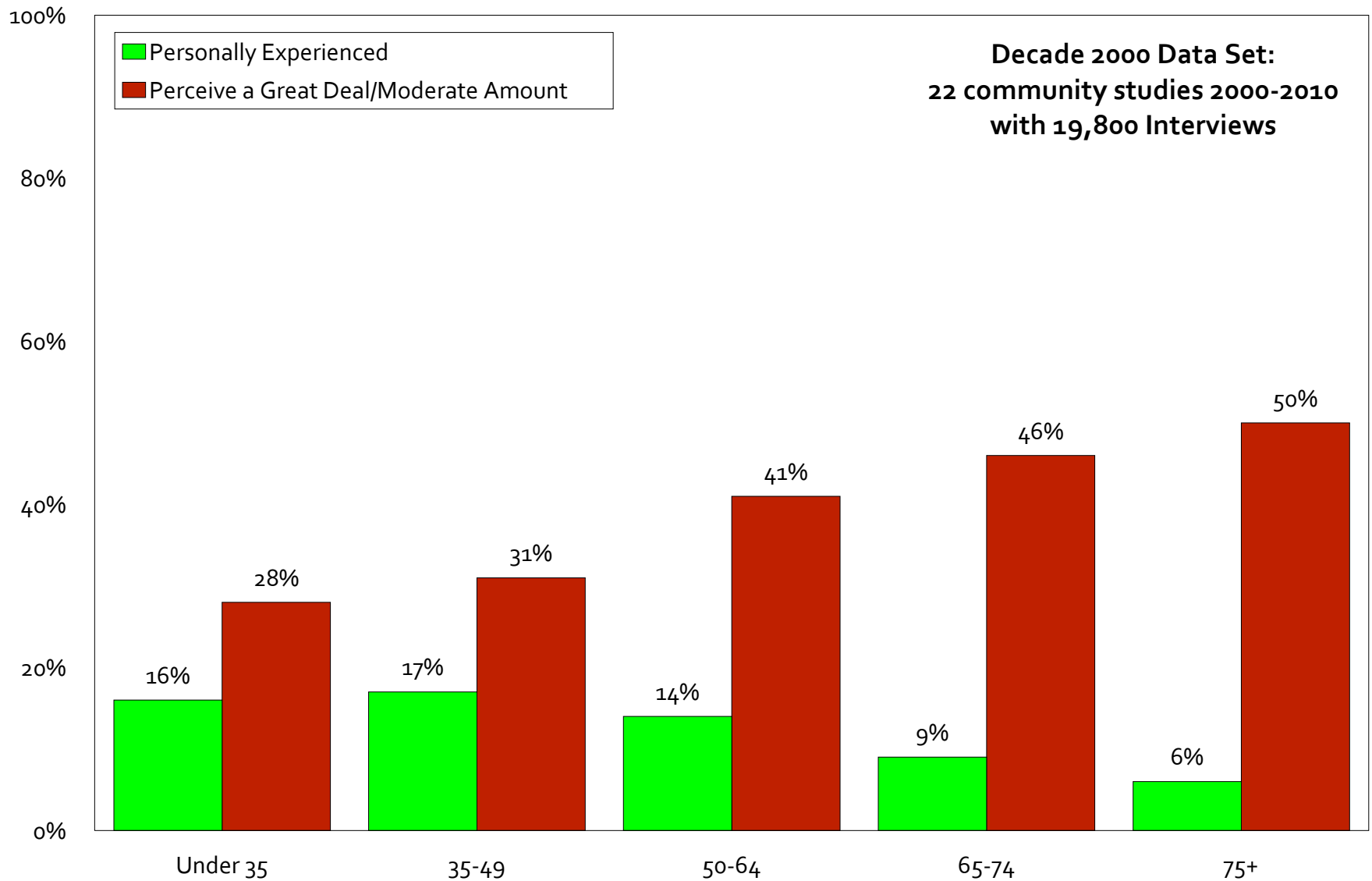
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**Personally Experienced Anti-Semitism in Indianapolis
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Compared to
Perception of Anti-Semitism in Indianapolis by Age
(Respondents)



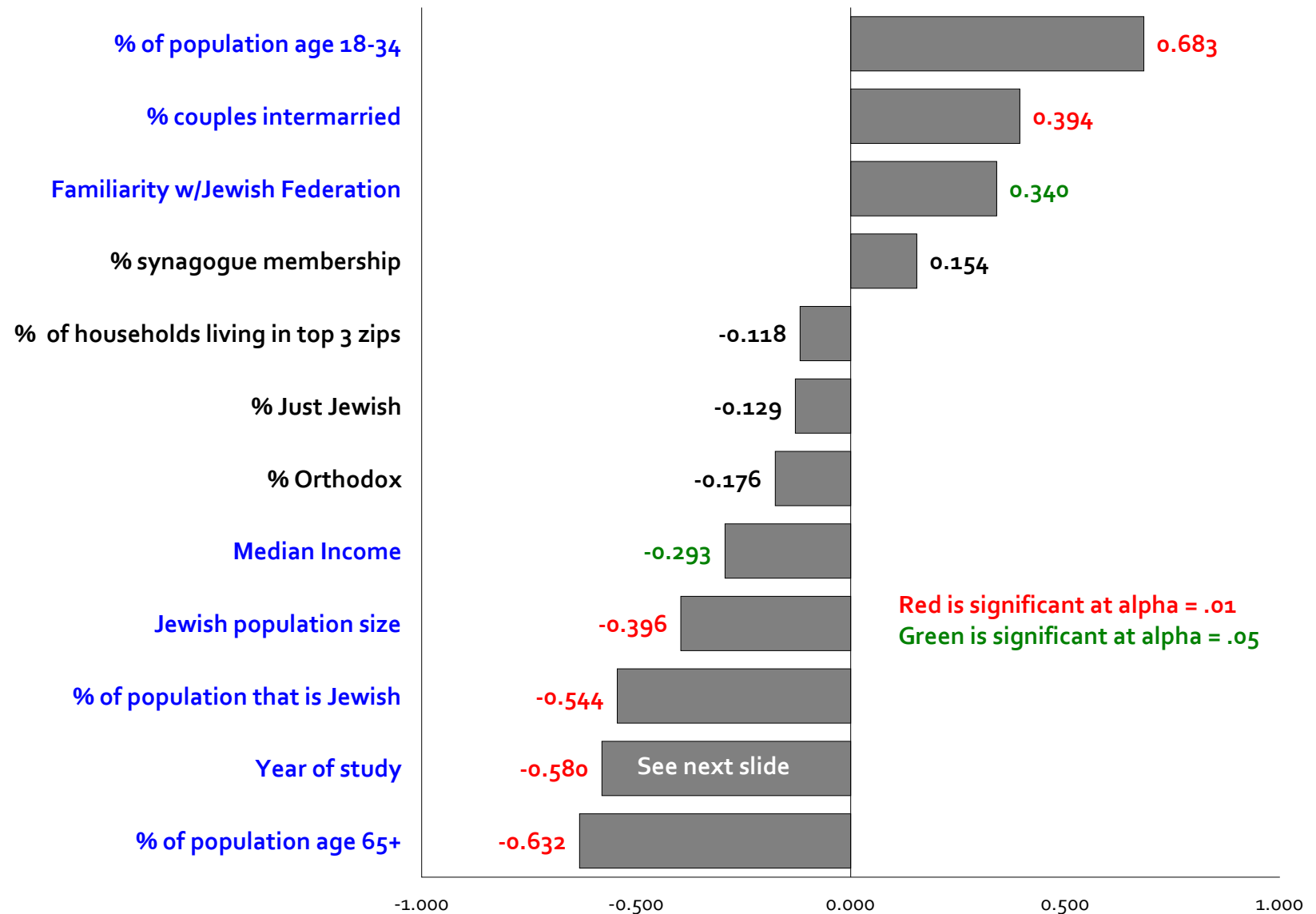
Personally Experienced Anti-Semitism in Local Community
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Compared to
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Anti-Semitism in Local Jewish Communities:

**Can We Explain Variations in Levels of Anti-Semitism
Given Demographic Differences among Communities?**

Correlation Coefficients (Pearson R) Personally Experienced Anti-Semitism in 55 Local Communities in the Past Year



Stepwise Multiple Regression Model

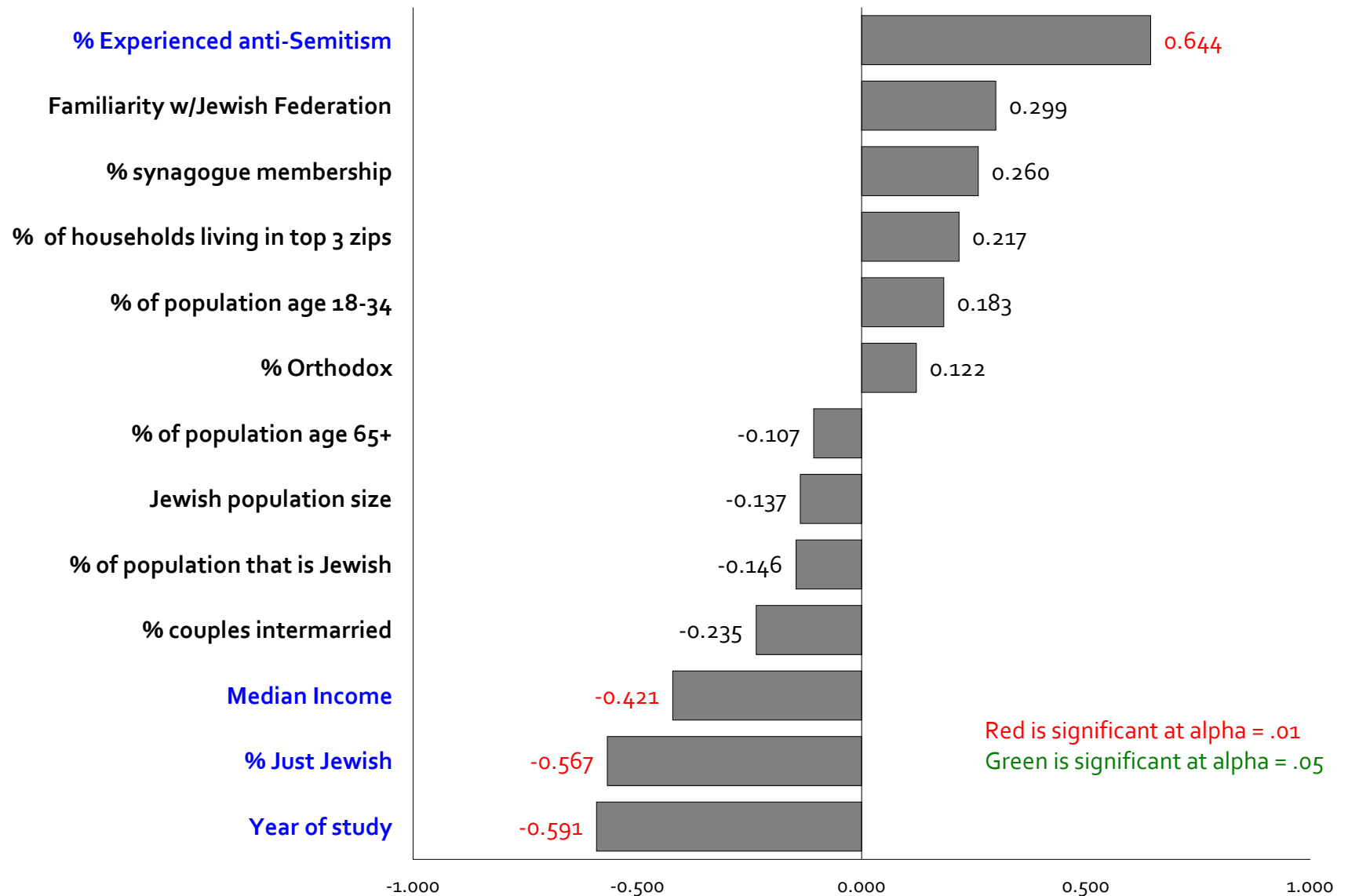
Personally Experienced Anti-Semitism in Local Community in the Past Year

Variable	Adj R-Squared
Age 18-34 (+)	39.9%
Population Size (-)	58.6%
Income (-)	70.2%
Year of Study (-)	77.4%
Age 65+ (-)	81.6%
Remove Age 18-34	81.9%

F = 33.8, alpha = .000

Correlation Coefficients

Perception of Anti-Semitism in Local Community



Stepwise Multiple Regression Model
Perception of Anti-Semitism
in Local Community in the Past Year

Variable	Adj R-Squared
Year of Study	23.2%
Income	31.5%
Just Jewish	44.0%

F = 8.37, alpha = .001

Some Conclusions

- Anti-Semitism **remains an issue** in the American Jewish Community, although the extent to which it is a problem varies geographically
- Both experience with, and perception of, anti-Semitism are **decreasing as of 2010**
- Variations in **experience with anti-Semitism** can be explained by variations in age, year of study, % Jewish, Jewish population size, and intermarriage rate
- Experience with anti-Semitism decreases with age
- Variations in **perception of anti-Semitism** can be explained by variations in experience with anti-Semitism, year of study, % Just Jewish, and income
- Perception of anti-Semitism increases with length of residence and age and decreases with income

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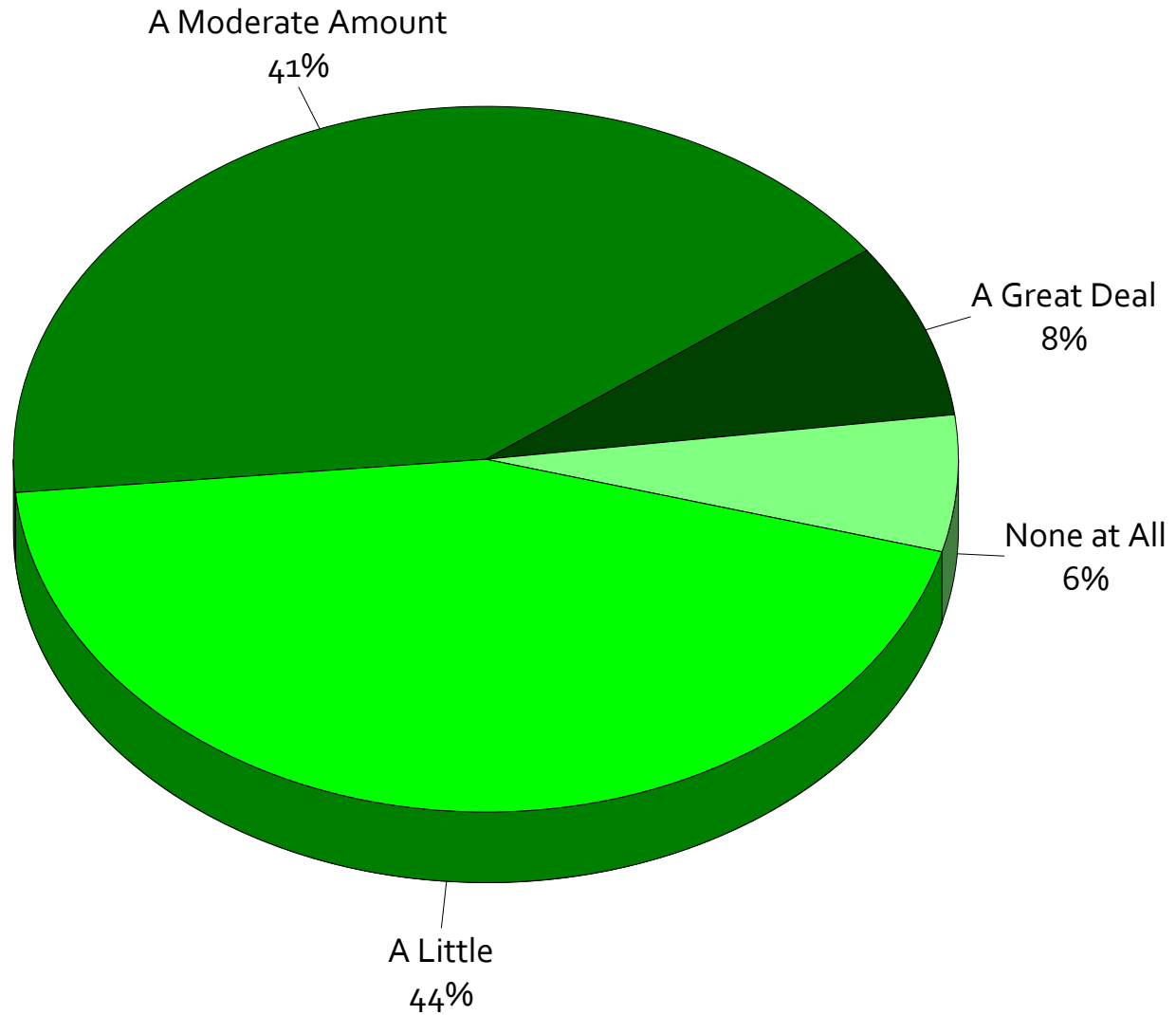
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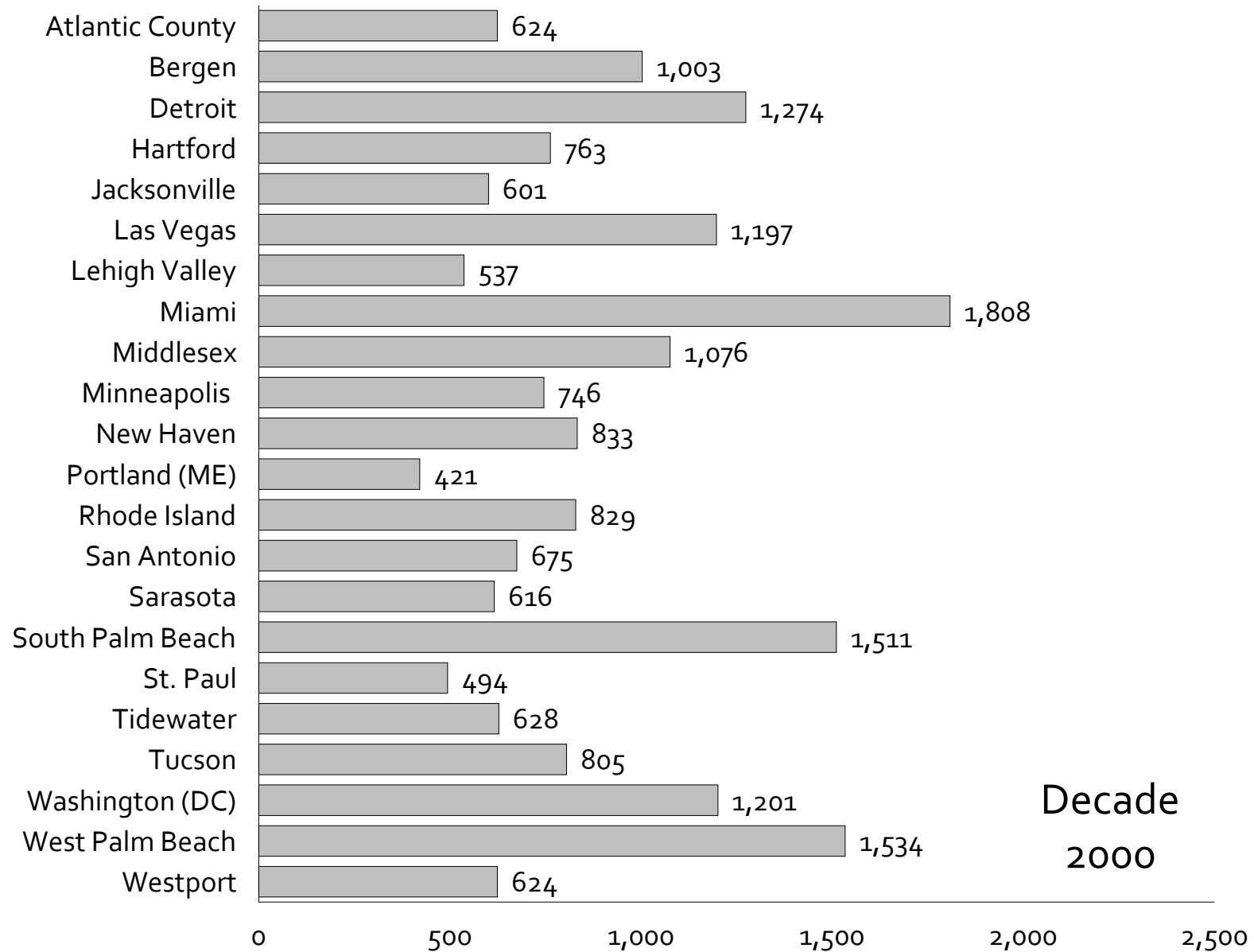
- Random Digit Dialing (RDD) Telephone Survey methodology provides scientific validity
 - Population estimate
 - Produces the “purest” random sample
- (317) 715 - _____
- **RDD** Telephone Survey (Landline (N=56) and Cell (N=152))
- **List** Telephone Survey (Landline (N=165) and Cell (N=165))
- **DJN** Telephone Survey (Landline and Cell (N=63))
- Cell Phone Households with **non-local area codes** with DJNs based on billing zip codes
- 600 Interviews
- Response Rate (AAPOR RR₃) is 37%
- Cooperation Rate is 88%
- Average length: 20.4 minutes
- Weighting factors are used to combine the samples
- **306,834** phone calls were needed to complete the 600 interviews
- Surveying done April 25, 2017 to August 2, 2017

Data Source II: The Decade 2000 Data Set

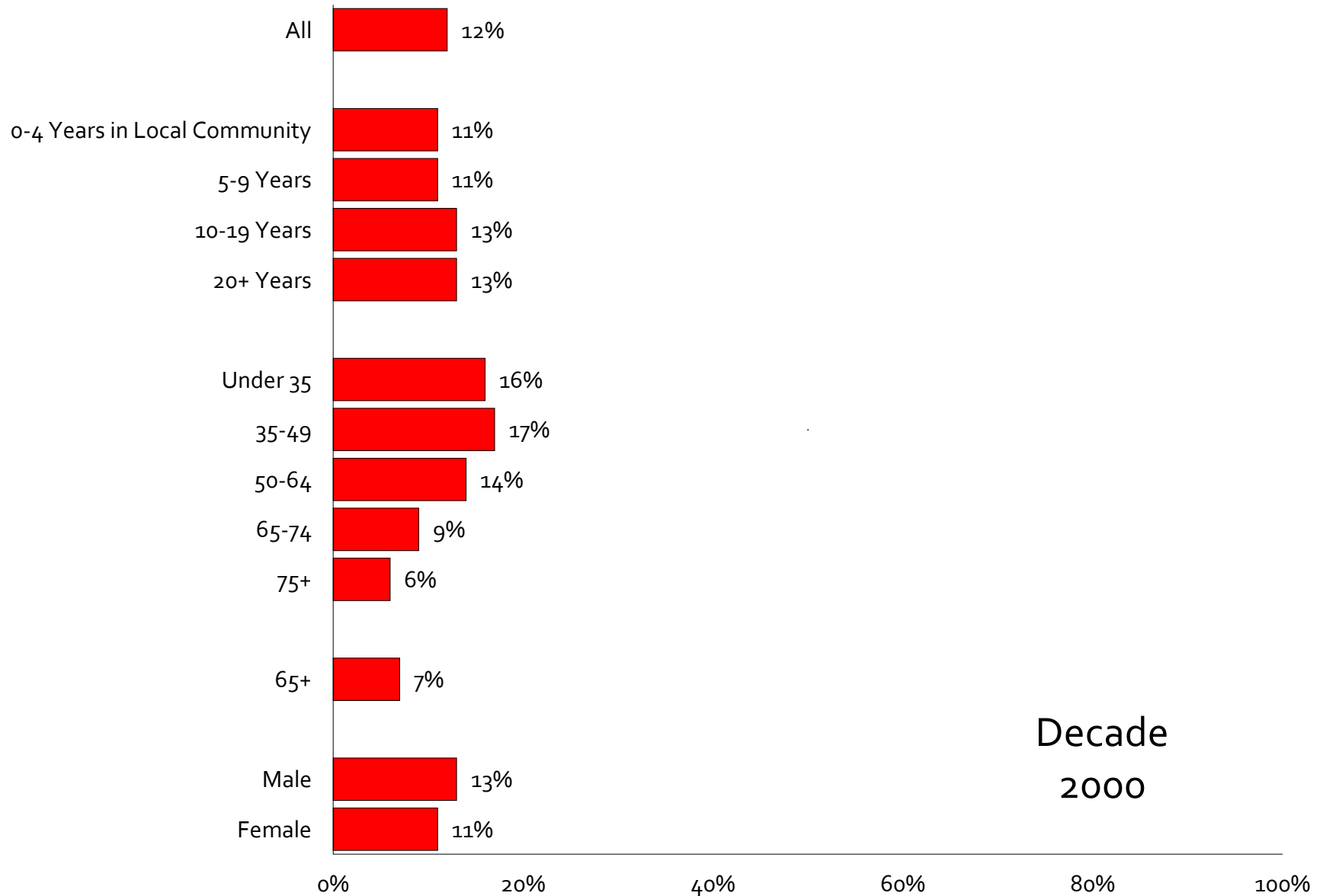
- 22 local Jewish community studies shown on next slide
- Contains 19,800 15-25 minutes interviews with randomly-selected households in each community
- While not a random sample of all American Jews, the 19,800 interviews represent 547,000 Jewish households (about 20% of US Jewish households represented in this sample, but not a random sample of all American Jewish households)
- Random Digit Dialing and Distinctive Jewish Name sampling
- All studies done by Sheskin from 2000-2010

Decade
2000

Sample Sizes of Local Jewish Community Studies That Are Part of the Decade 2000 Data Set

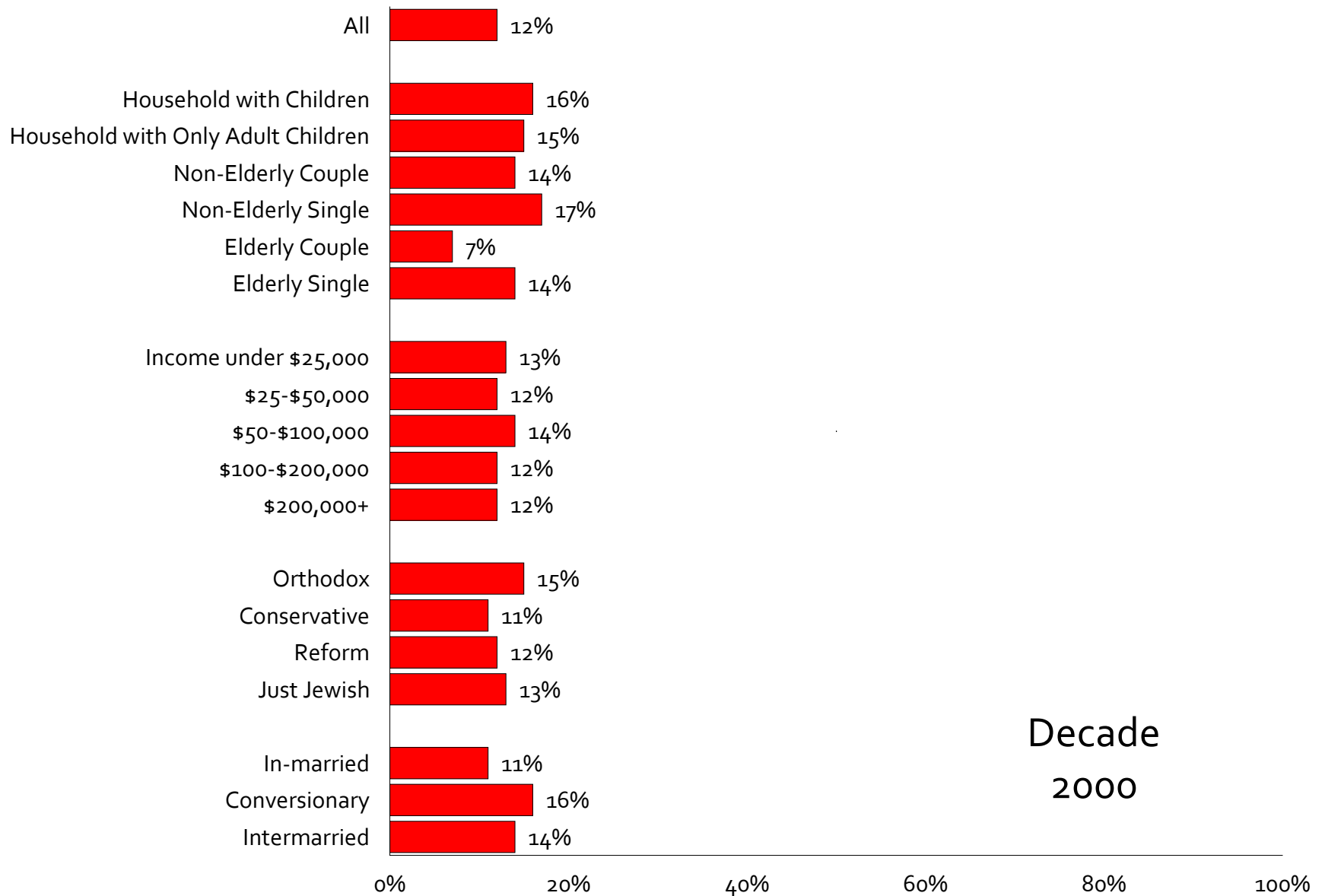


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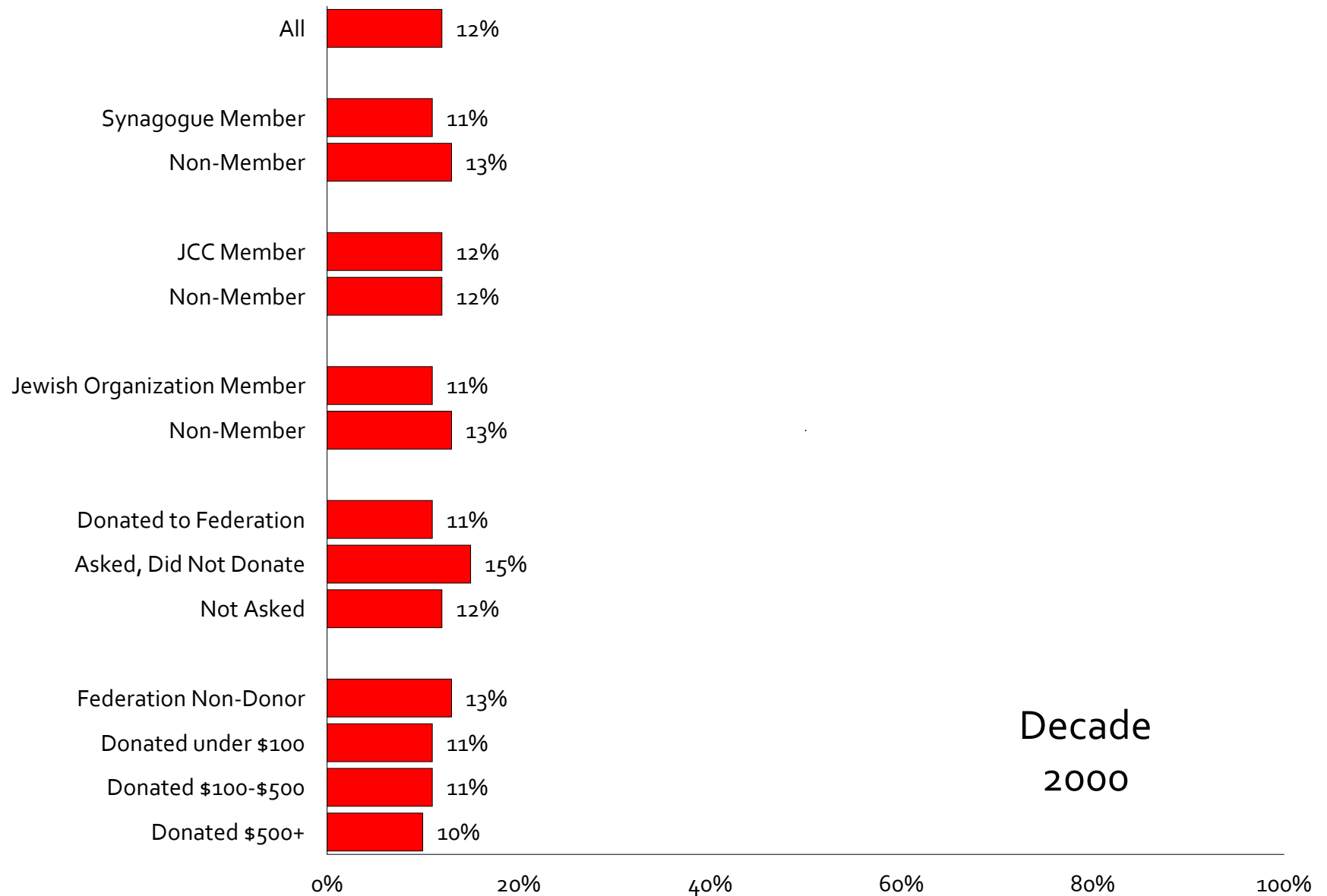


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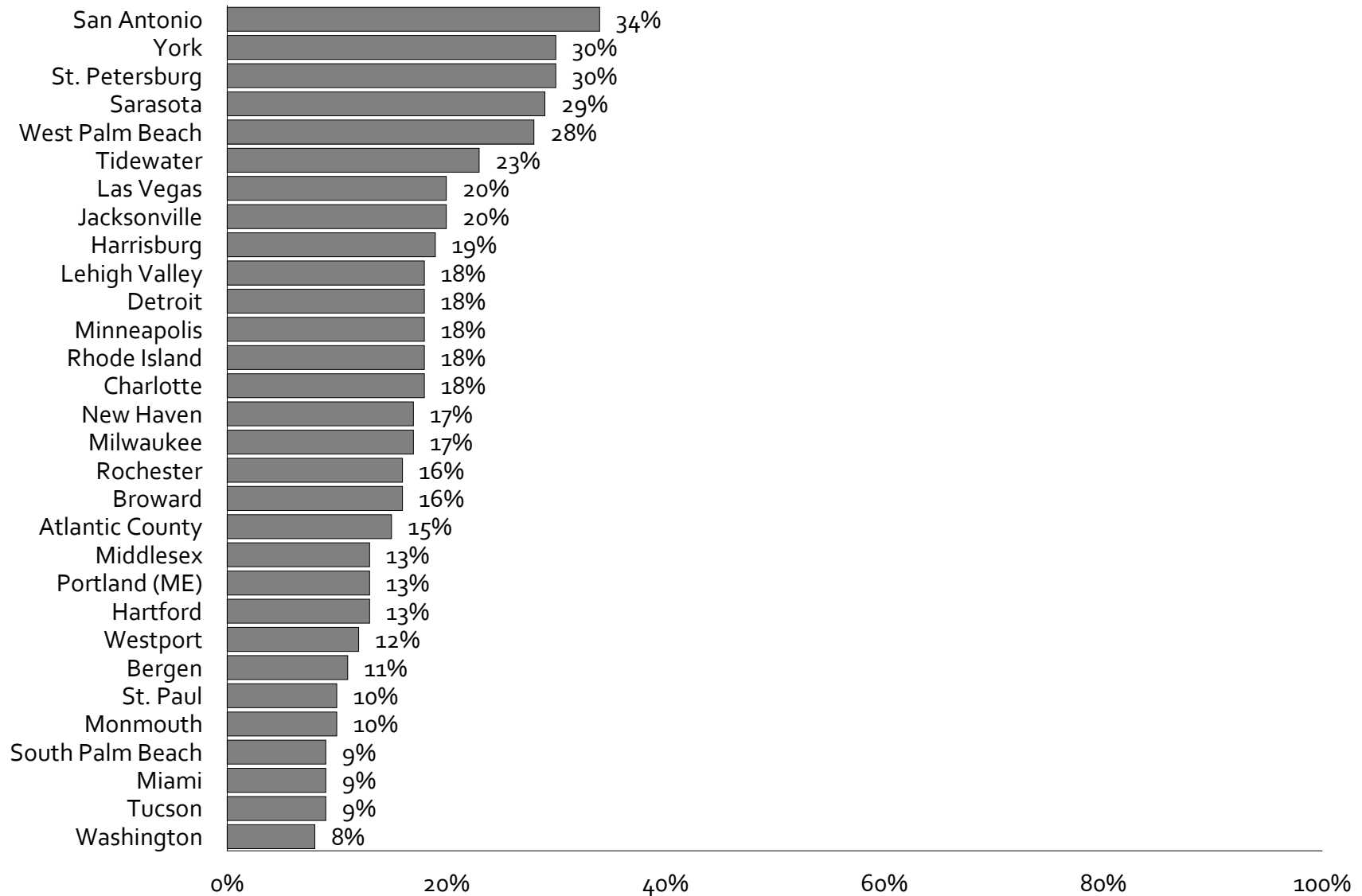


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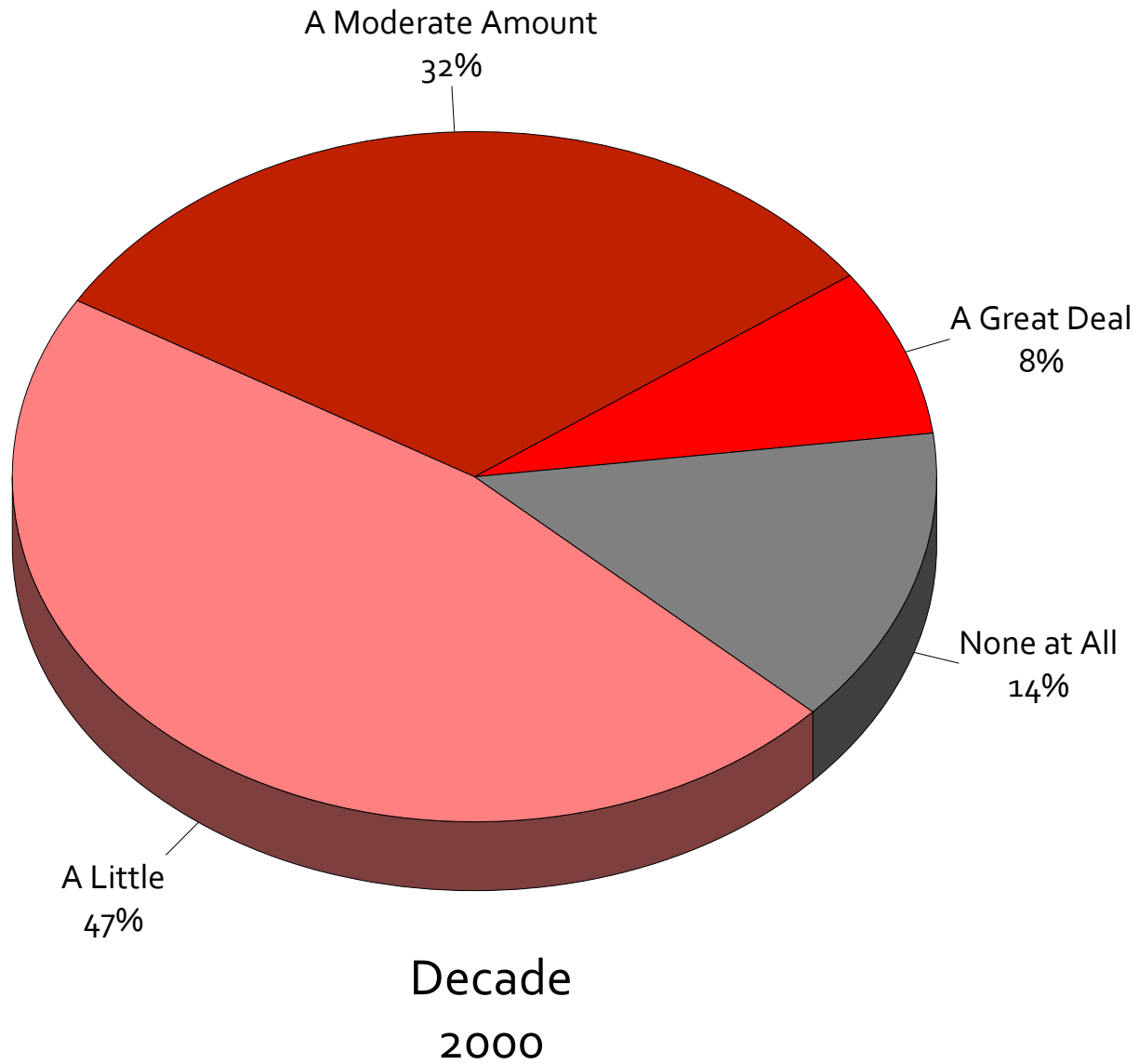
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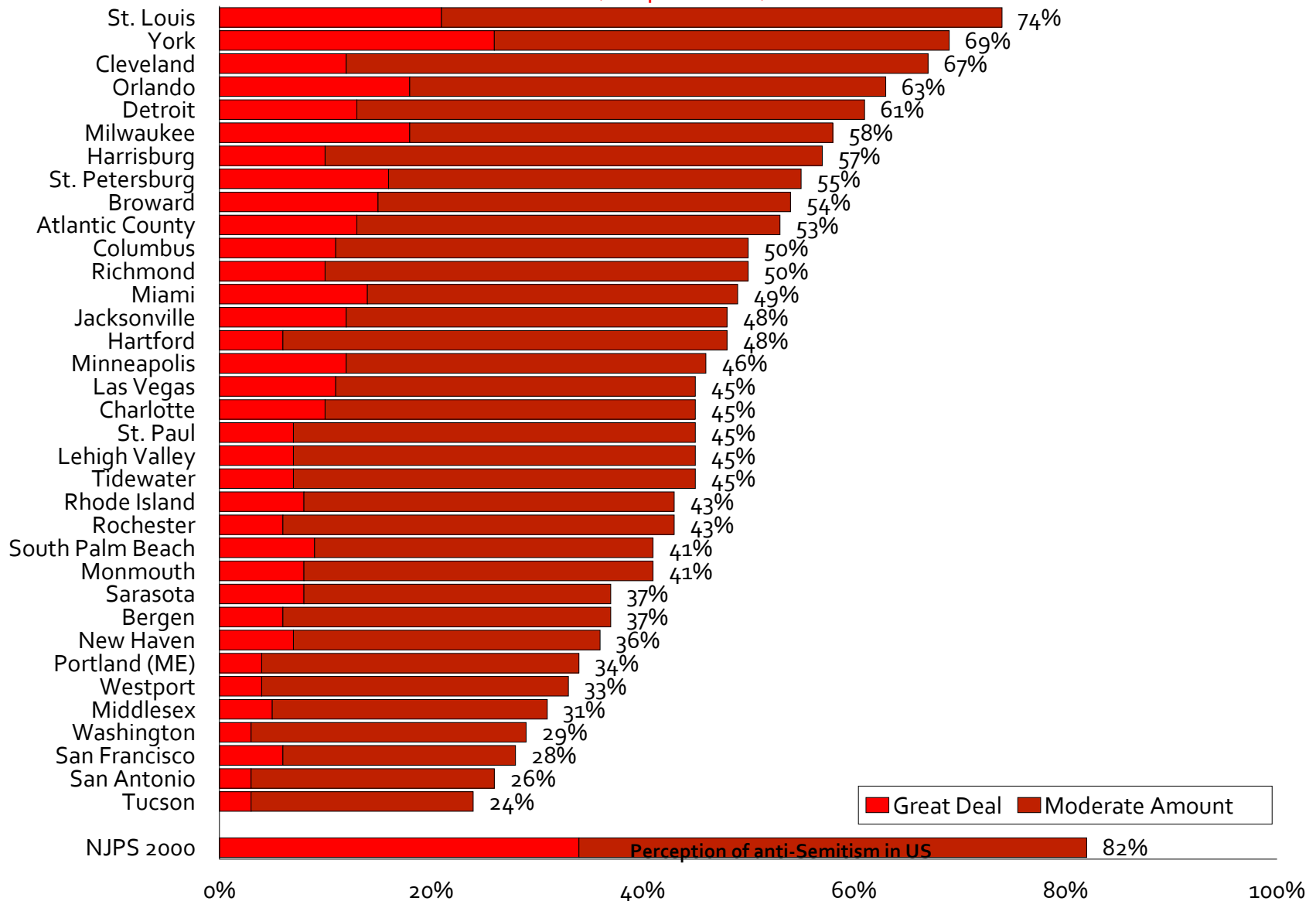
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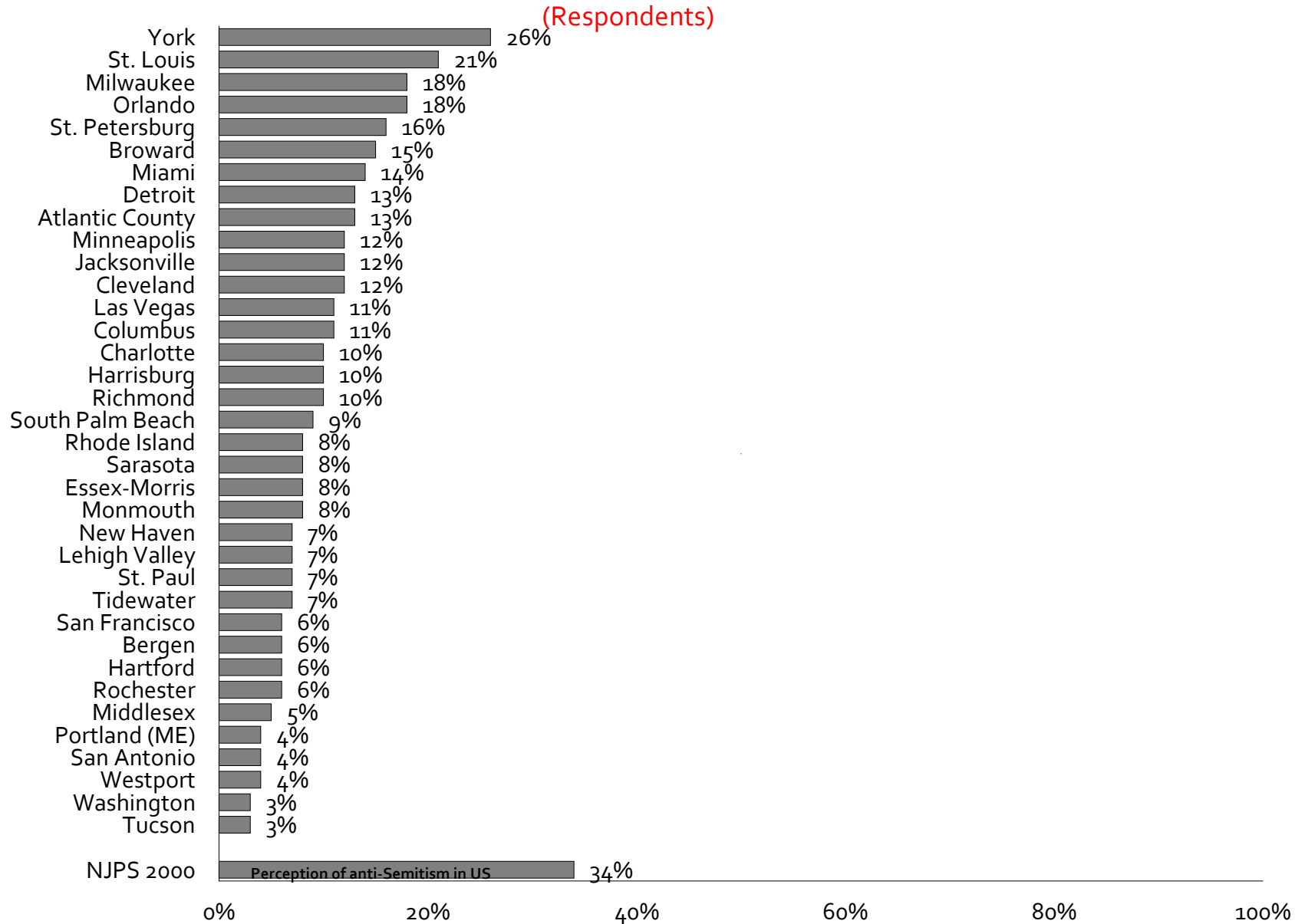


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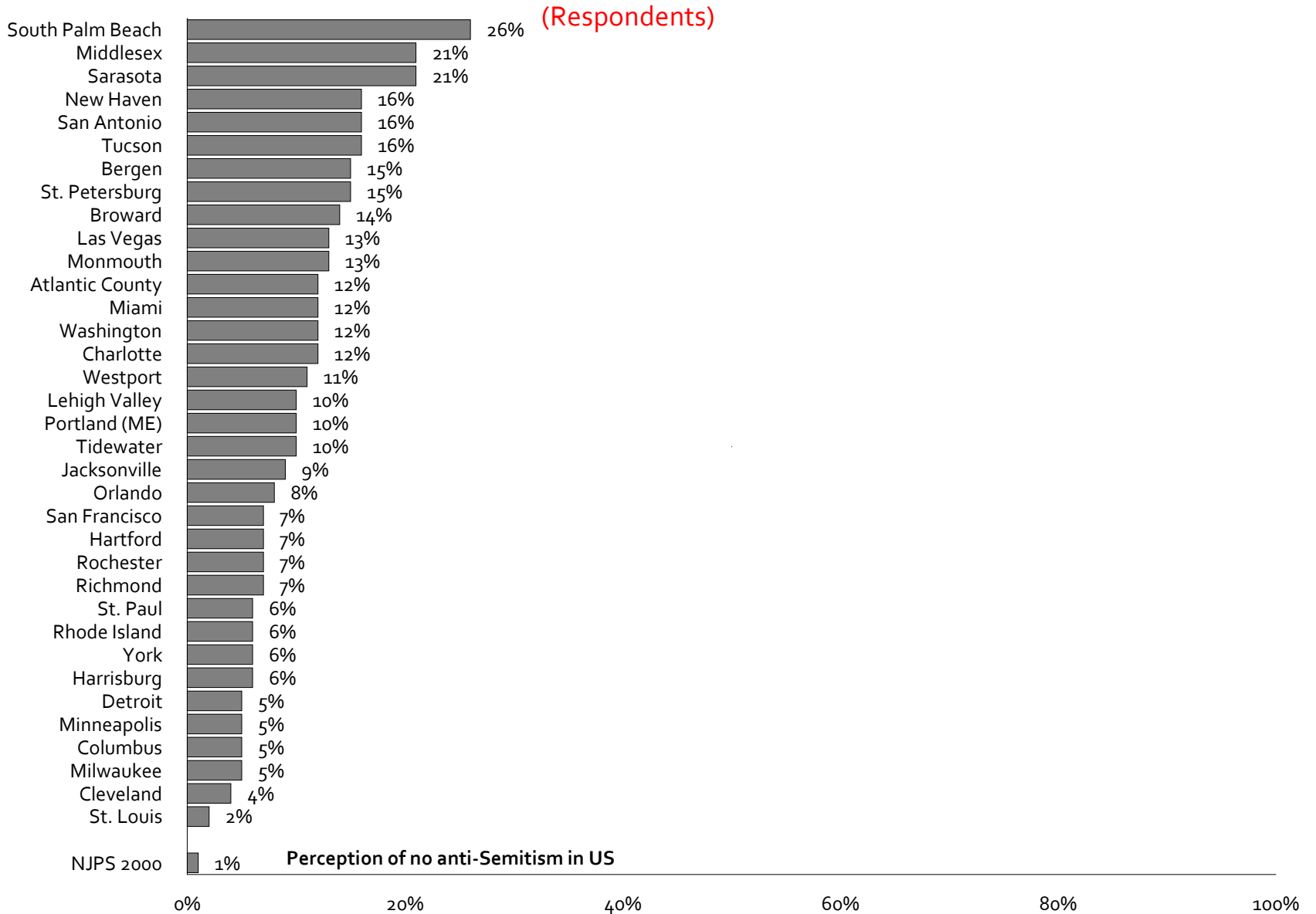
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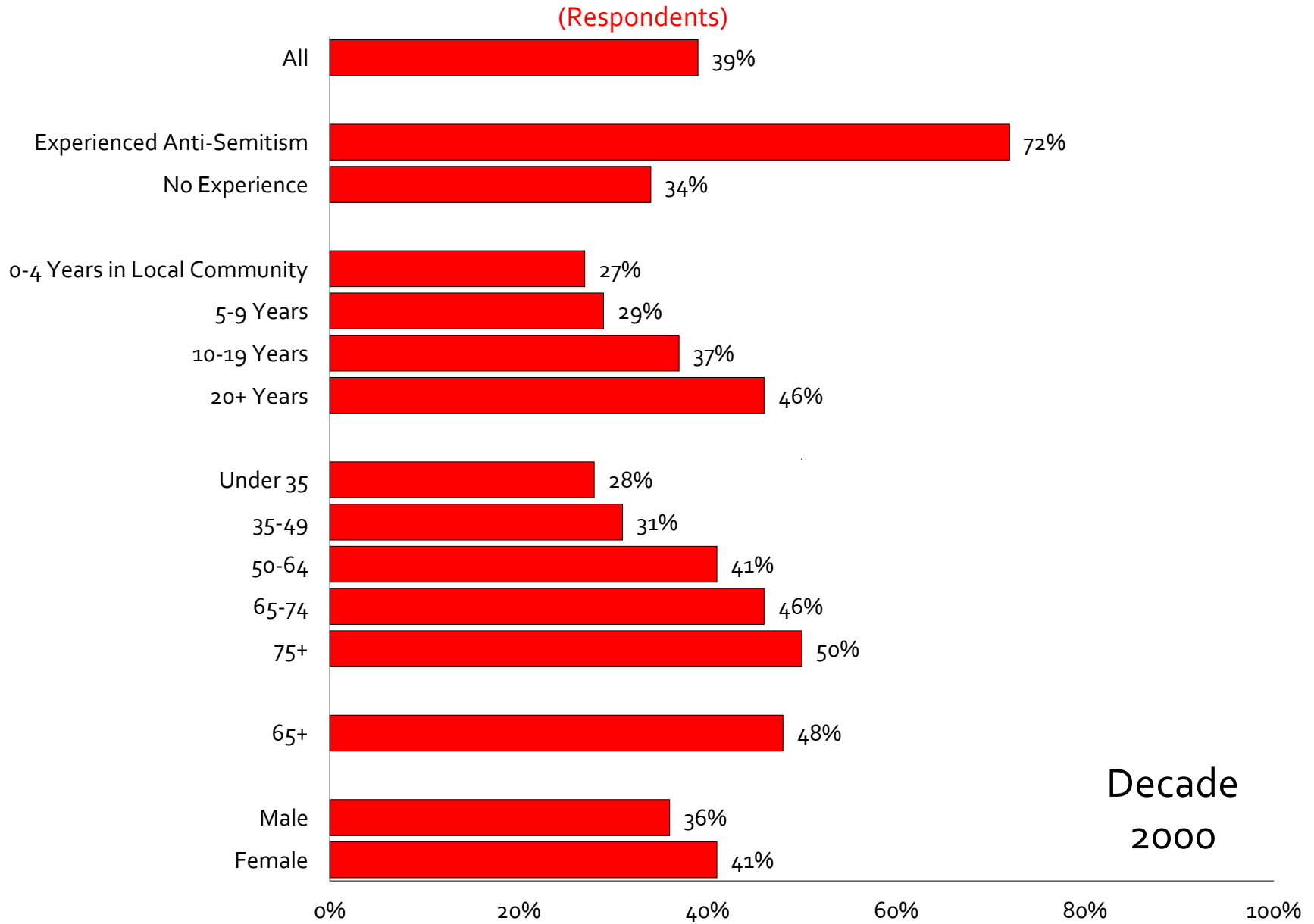
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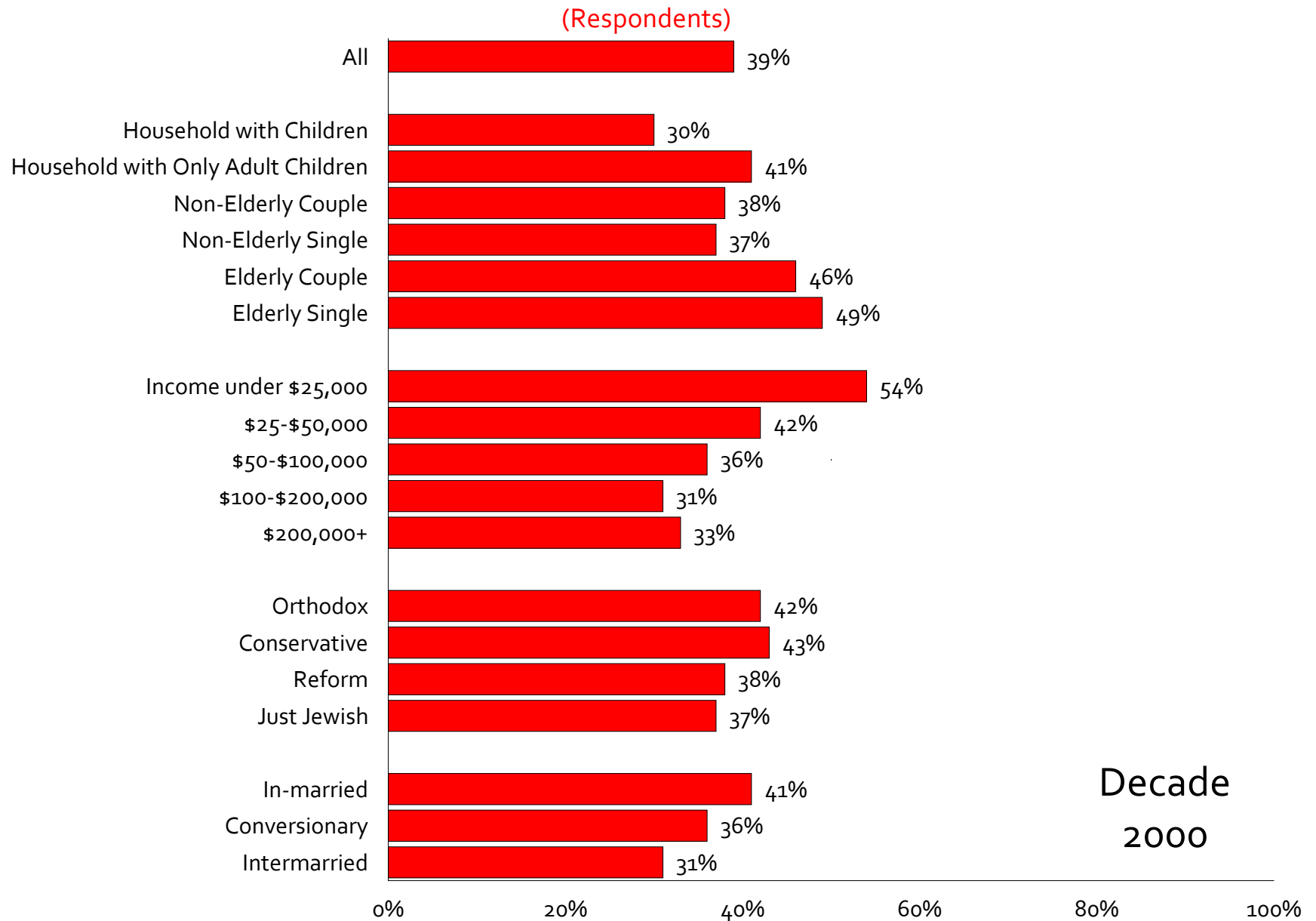
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