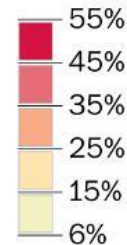


How E.U. countries differ on acceptance of sexual intercourse without consent

Percentage who responded that sexual intercourse without consent can be justified for a least one of the circumstances listed in this survey question.

Question: Some people believe that having sexual intercourse without consent may be justified in certain situations. Do you think this applies to the following circumstances?

- Wearing revealing, provocative or sexy clothing
- Being drunk or using drugs
- Flirting beforehand
- Not clearly saying no or physically fighting back
- Being out walking alone at night
- Having several sexual partners
- Voluntarily going home with someone, for example after a party or date
- If the assailant does not realize what they were doing
- If the assailant regrets his actions



Source: European Commission, Special Eurobarometer 449

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