

Generally speaking, which of the following statements is closer to the truth?

\* The United States was founded on the ideals of freedom and equality, even though we have never fully lived up to those ideals.

\* The United States was founded as a racist society and the founding ideals were simply a lie.

		Total	Gender		Age						Race				Party			SUR			College		Ideology					
		Total	Men	Wom	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	White	Black	Hispani	Other	GOP	Dem	Oth	Sub	Urb	Rur	Yes	No	V Con	S Con	Mod	S Lib	V Lib	
Founding	Founded on Ideals	79%	79%	79%	51%	73%	80%	77%	84%	90%	81%	77%	73%	70%	89%	80%	68%	83%	72%	81%	82%	78%	88%	88%	81%	81%	71%	
	Founded As Racist Society	11%	11%	10%	33%	18%	11%	10%	5%	2%	8%	17%	14%	18%	3%	14%	15%	8%	18%	10%	9%	12%	3%	5%	9%	14%	22%	
	Not Sure	10%	10%	10%	16%	9%	9%	12%	11%	8%	11%	6%	13%	12%	8%	6%	17%	9%	11%	10%	10%	11%	9%	7%	9%	5%	7%	