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A Look at African-Americans & Hispanics



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Study Overview

- ▶ The Infinite Dial is the longest-running survey of digital media consumer behavior in America
- ▶ The annual reports in this series have covered a wide range of digital media topics since 1998
- ▶ The Infinite Dial tracks mobile behaviors, internet audio, podcasting, social media, smart speakers and more



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Study Methodology

- ▶ In January 2021, Edison Research conducted a national telephone survey of 1502 people aged 12 and older, using random digit dialing techniques to both cell phones and landlines
- ▶ Survey offered in both English and Spanish
- ▶ Data weighted to national 12+ U.S. population figures
- ▶ This report is based on 263 Hispanic respondents and 192 African-American respondents



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Social Media



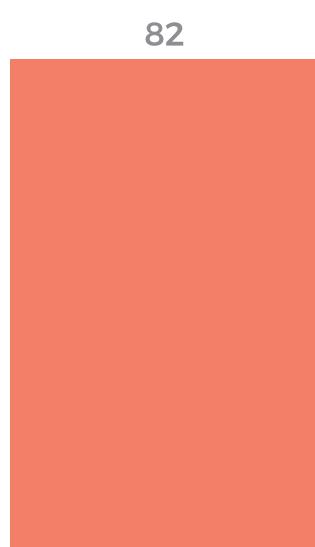
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Social Media Usage

U.S. POPULATION 12+

% USING SOCIAL MEDIA



Total Sample



Hispanics

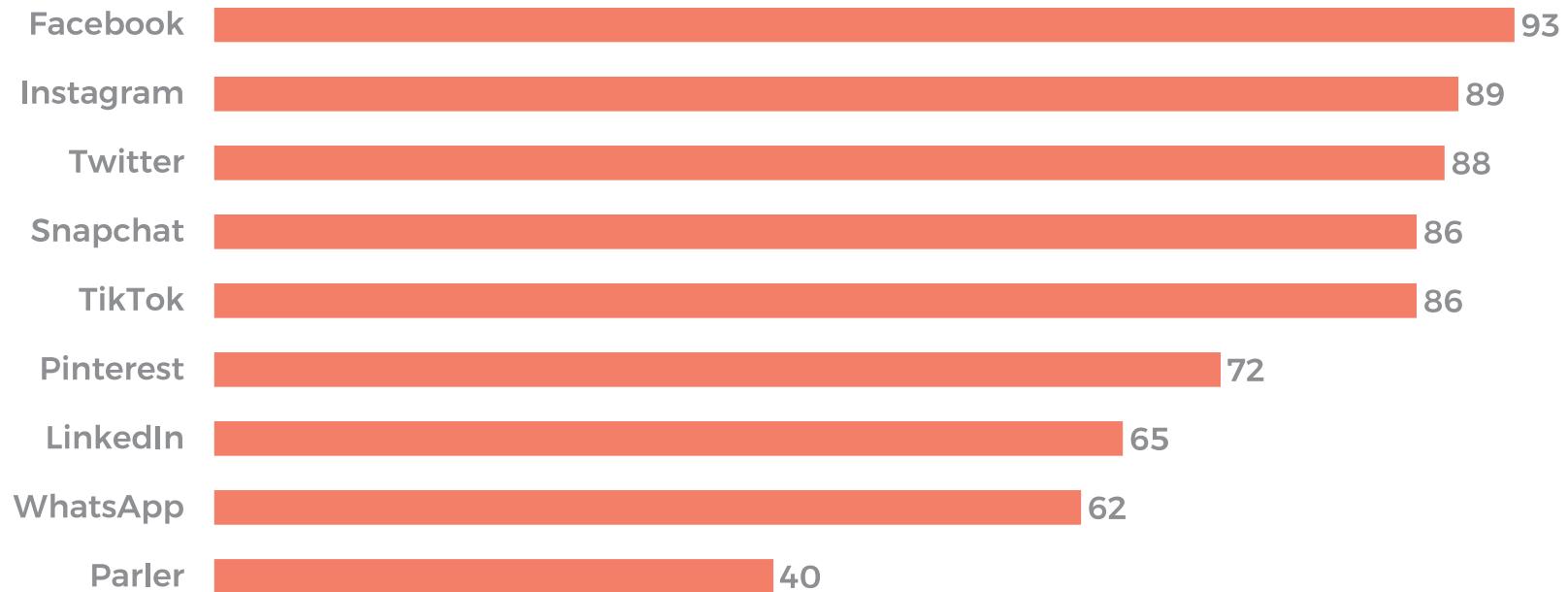


African-Americans

Social Media Brand Awareness

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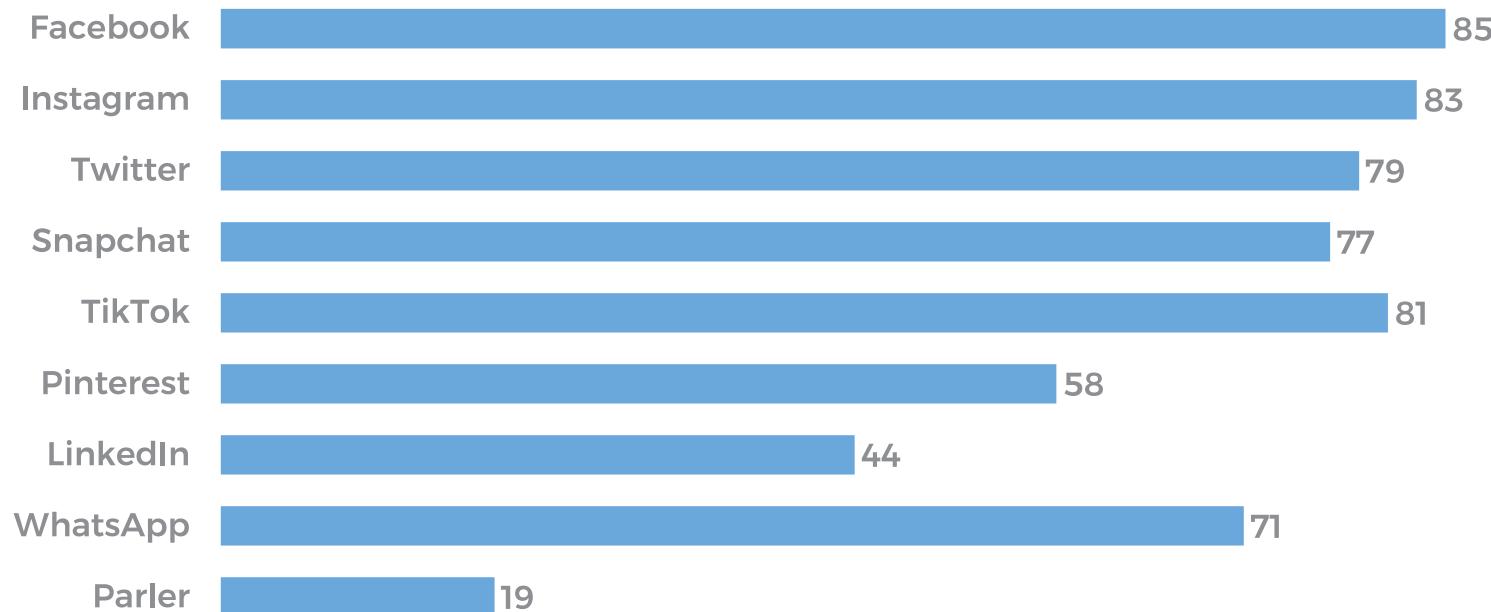
% AWARE OF SOCIAL MEDIA BRAND



Social Media Brand Awareness (Hispanics)

U.S. POPULATION 12+

% AWARE OF SOCIAL MEDIA BRAND

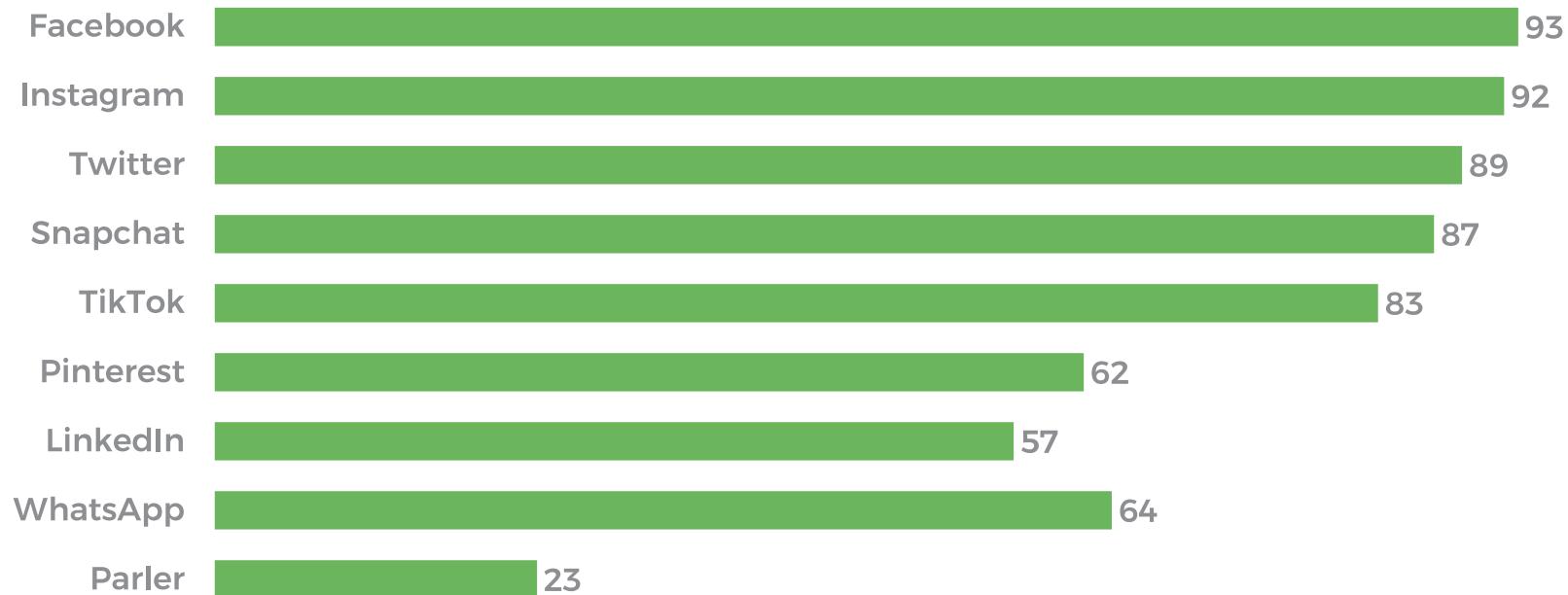




Social Media Brand Awareness (African-Americans)

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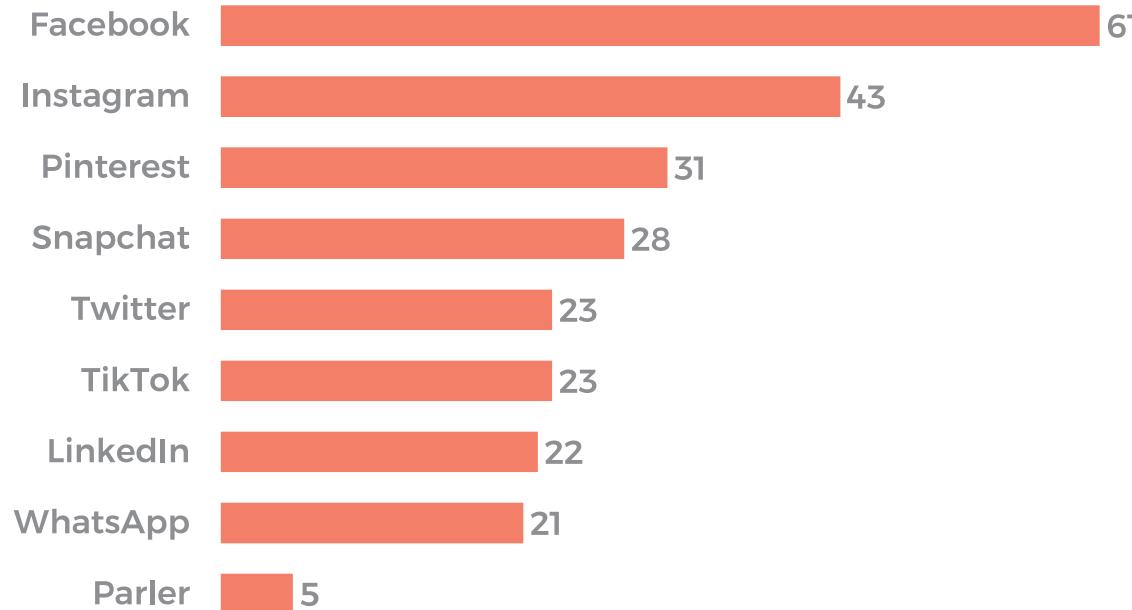
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Social Media Brand Usage

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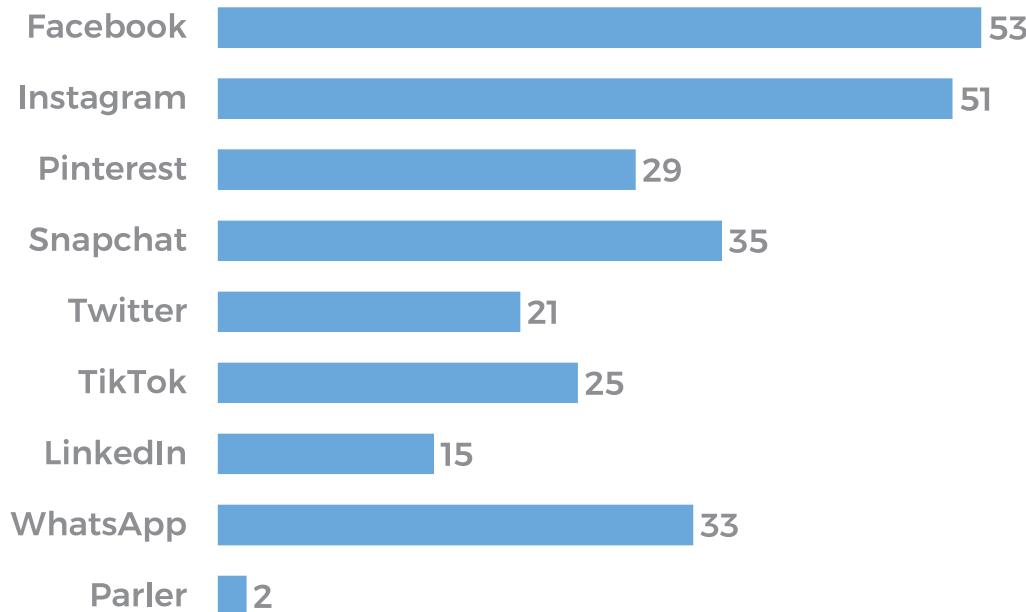
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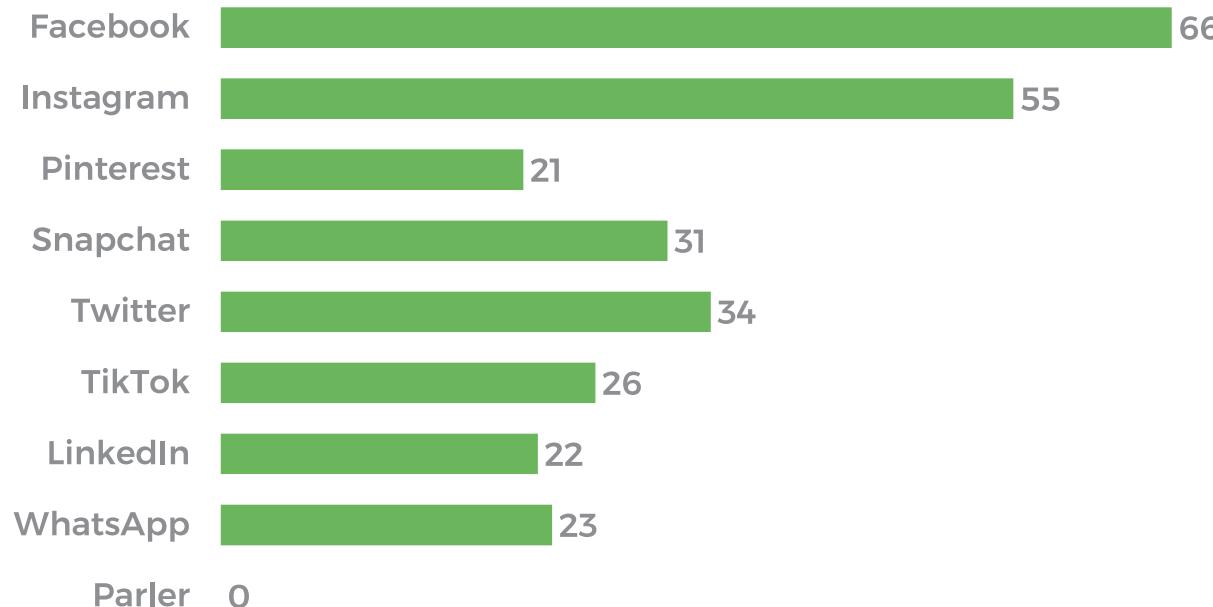
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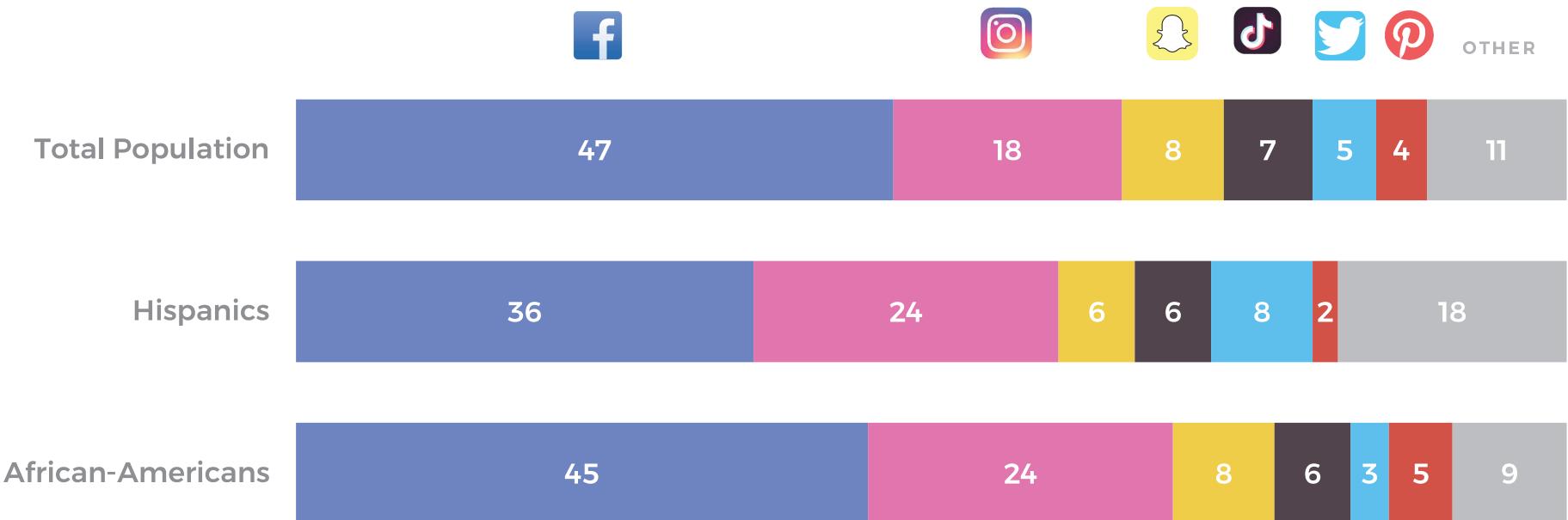
U.S. POPULATION 12+

% USING SOCIAL MEDIA BRAND



Social Media Brand Used Most Often

BASE: U.S. AGE 12+ SOCIAL MEDIA USERS





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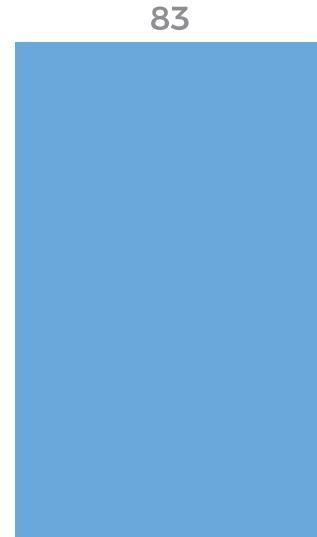
Smartphone Ownership

U.S. POPULATION 12+

% OWNING A SMARTPHONE



Total Sample



Hispanics

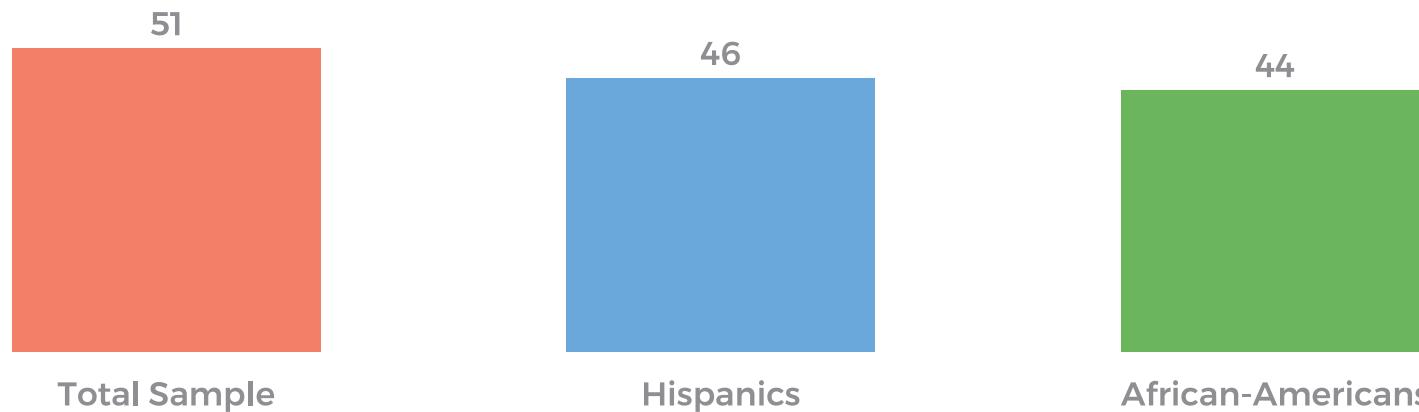


African-Americans

Tablet Ownership

U.S. POPULATION 12+

% OWNING A TABLET



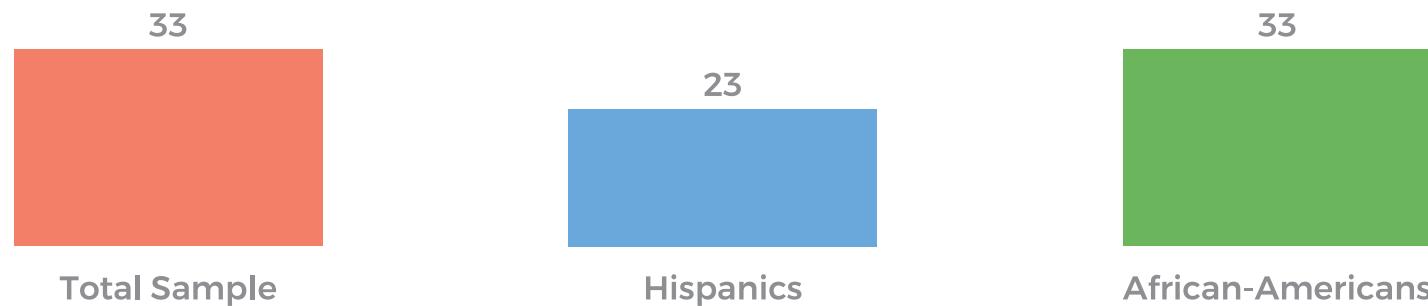
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Smart Speaker Ownership

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% OWNING A SMART SPEAKER



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Online Audio



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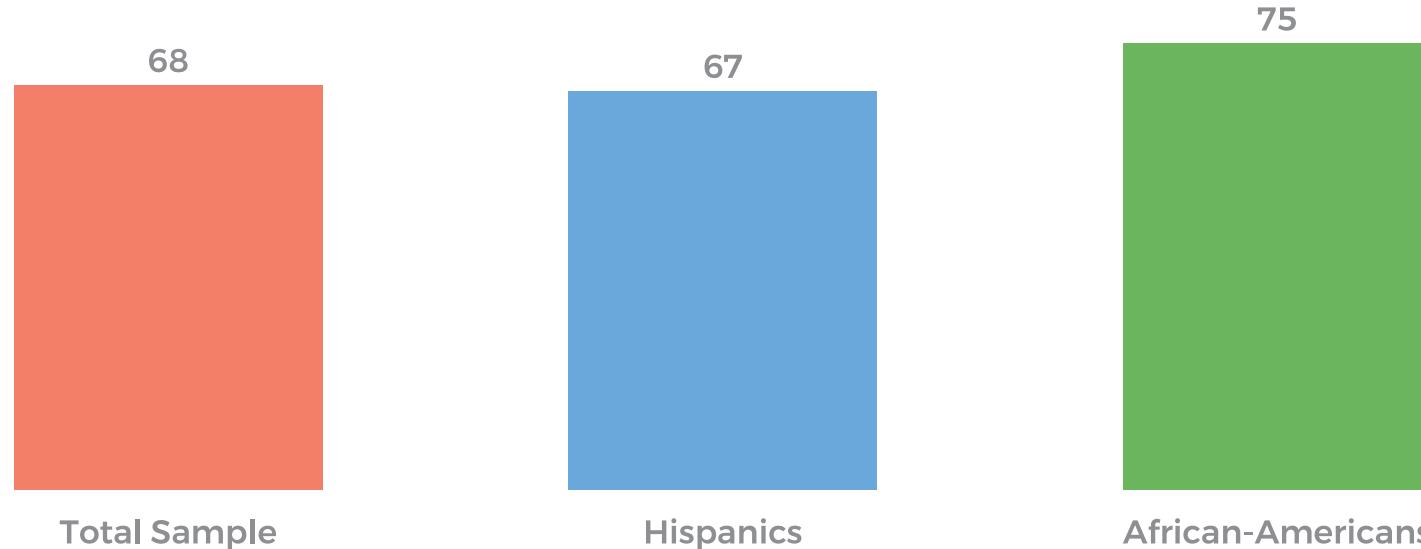
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Monthly Online Audio Listening

U.S. POPULATION 12+

% LISTENED TO ONLINE AUDIO IN LAST MONTH

ONLINE AUDIO = LISTENING TO AM/FM RADIO STATIONS ONLINE AND/OR
LISTENING TO STREAMED AUDIO CONTENT AVAILABLE ONLY ON THE INTERNET



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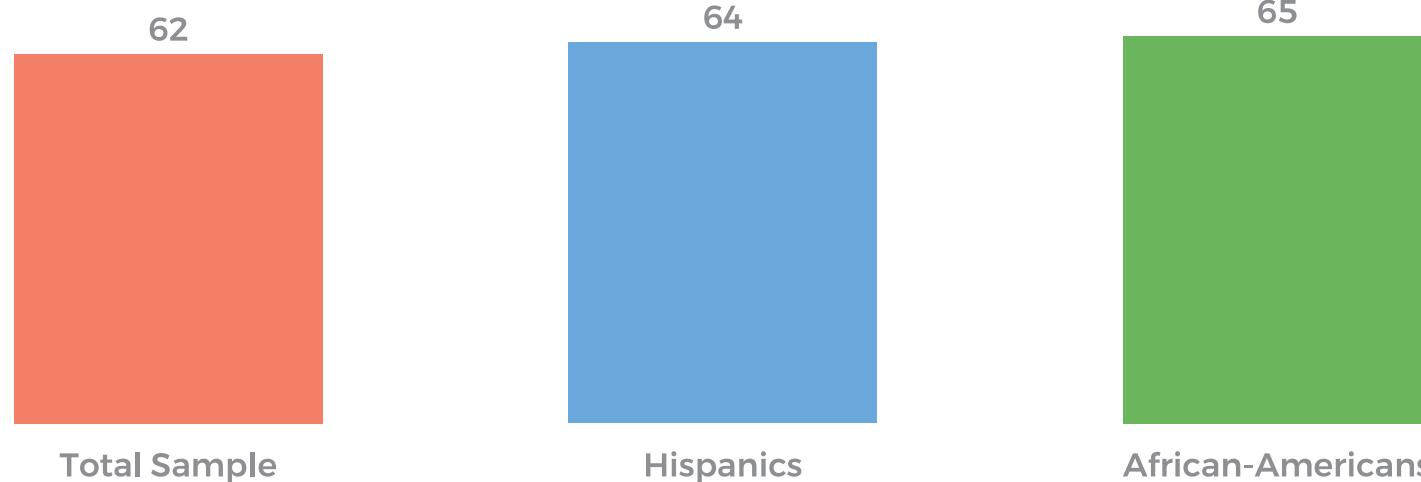
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Weekly Online Audio Listening

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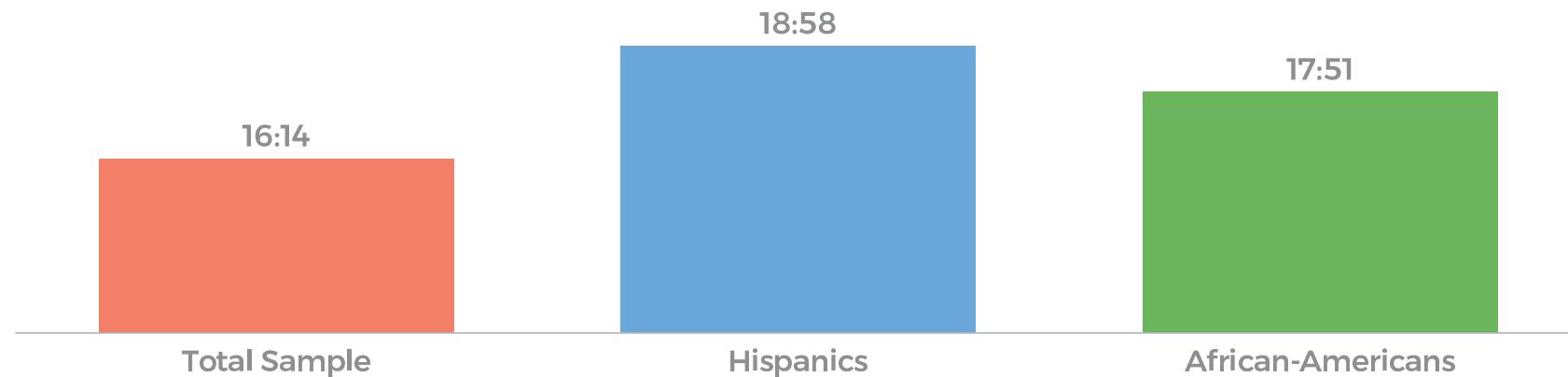
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Average Time Spent Listening to Online Audio

BASE: U.S. AGE 12+ WEEKLY ONLINE AUDIO LISTENERS

HOURS:MINUTES IN LAST WEEK



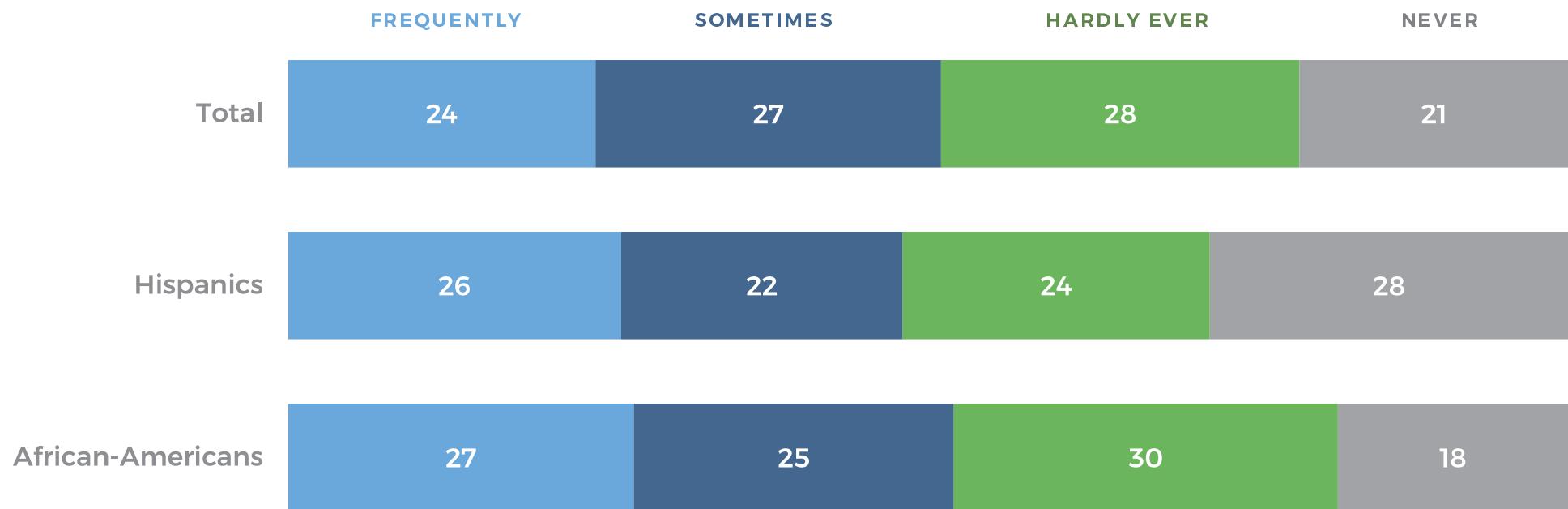
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Frequency of Listening to Audio with Other People

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In-Car Media



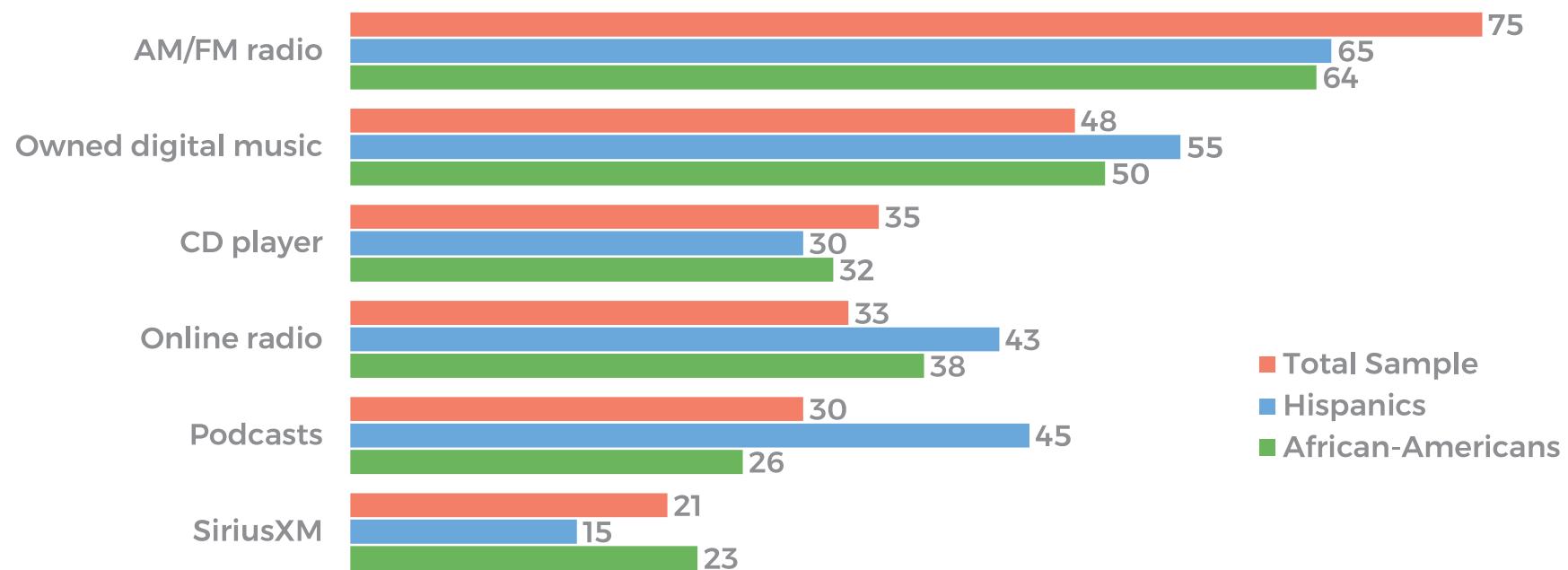
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Audio Sources Currently Ever Used in Car

BASE: U.S. AGE 18+ AND HAS DRIVEN/RIDDEN IN CAR IN LAST MONTH

% USING AUDIO SOURCE IN CAR

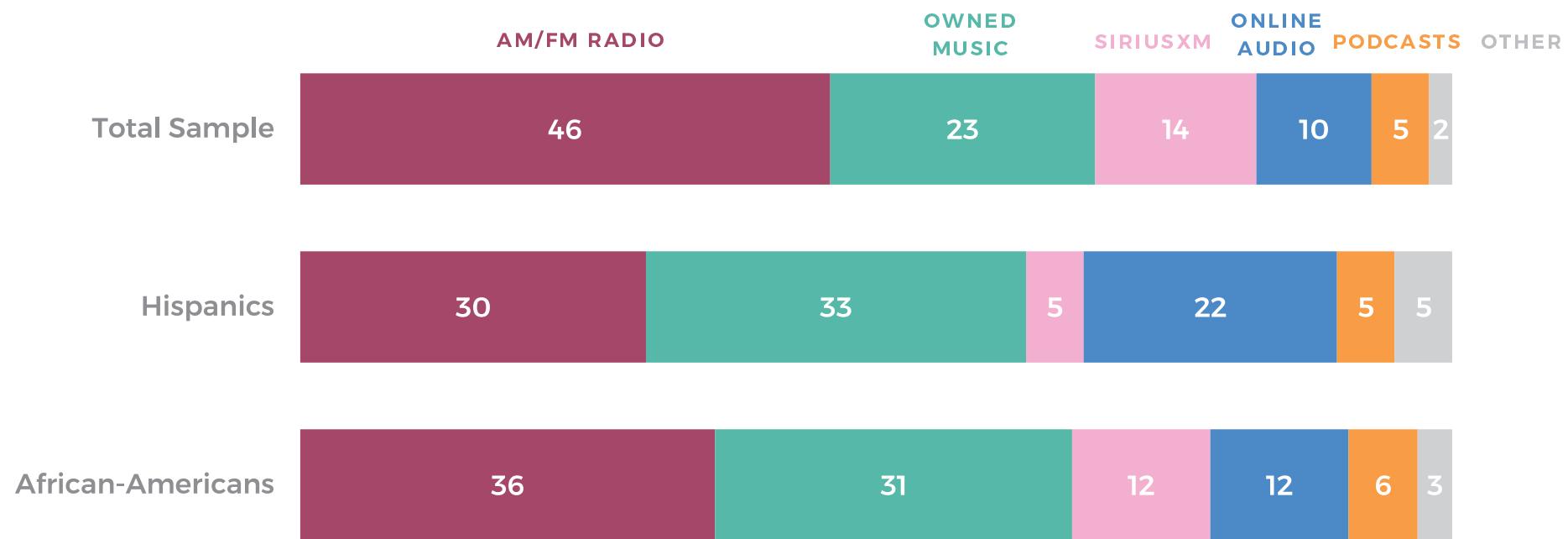


- Total Sample
- Hispanics
- African-Americans



Audio Source Used Most Often in Car

BASE: U.S. AGE 18+, DRIVEN/RIDDEN IN CAR IN LAST MONTH, AND USE ANY AUDIO SOURCE IN CAR



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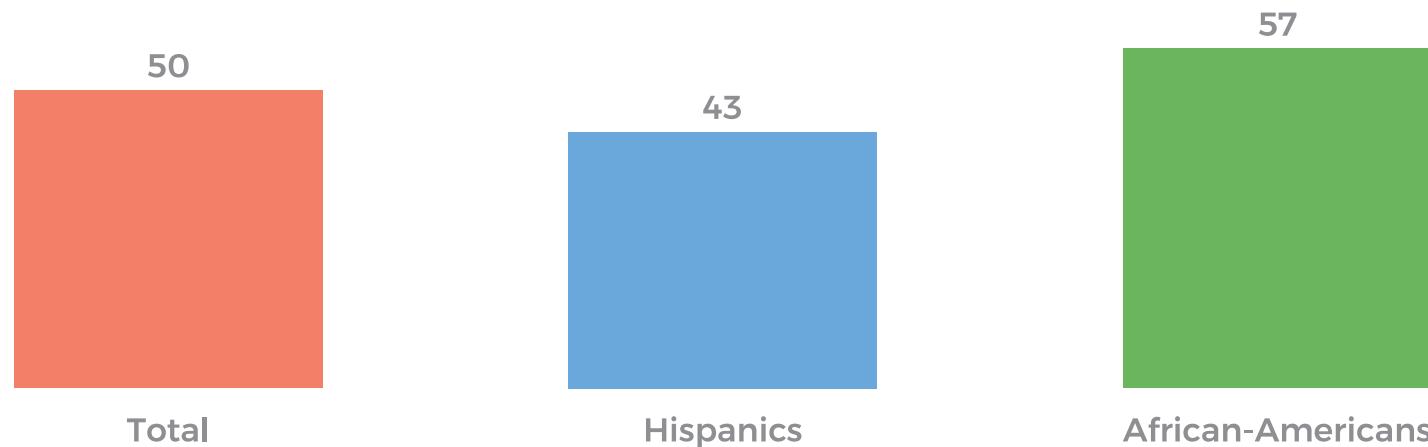
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Online Audio Listening in Car Through a Cell Phone

U.S. POPULATION 12+

% EVER LISTENED TO ONLINE AUDIO IN A CAR THROUGH A CELL PHONE



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Online Audio Brands



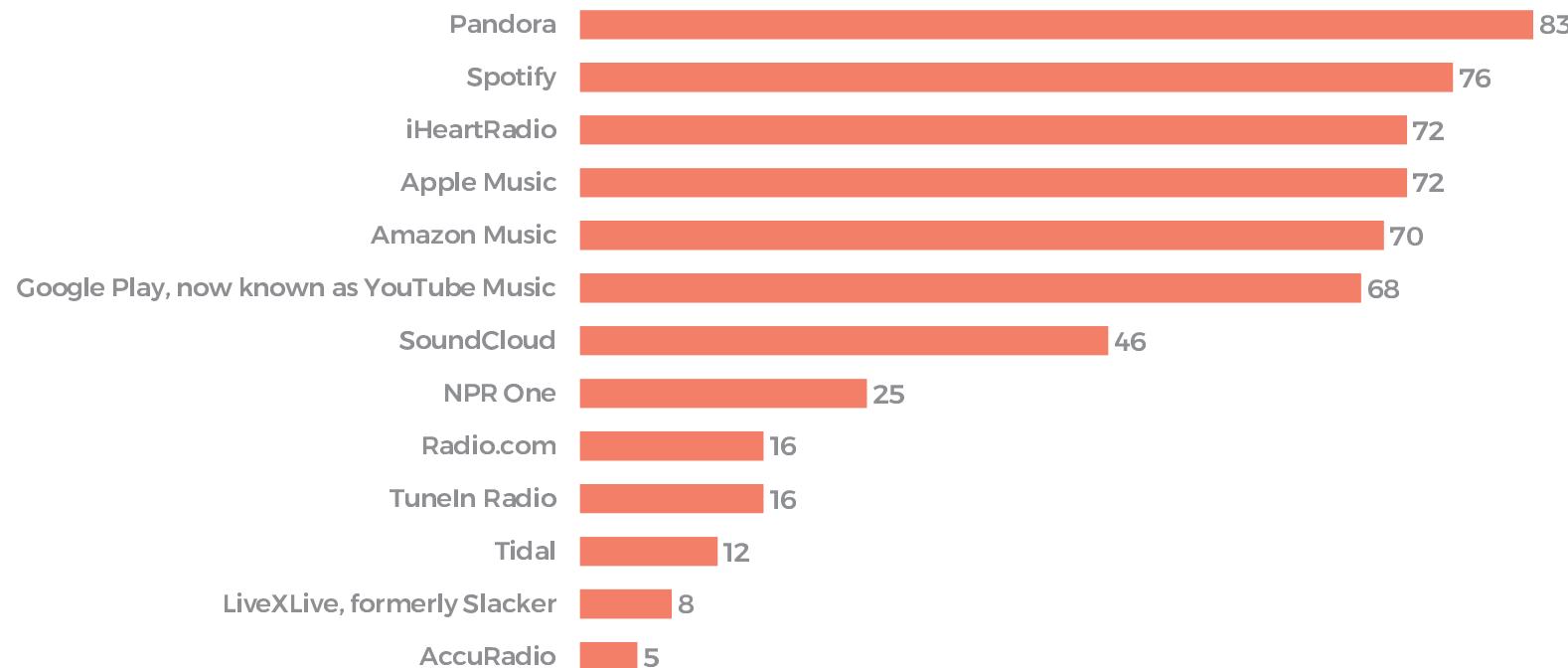
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Online Audio Brand Awareness

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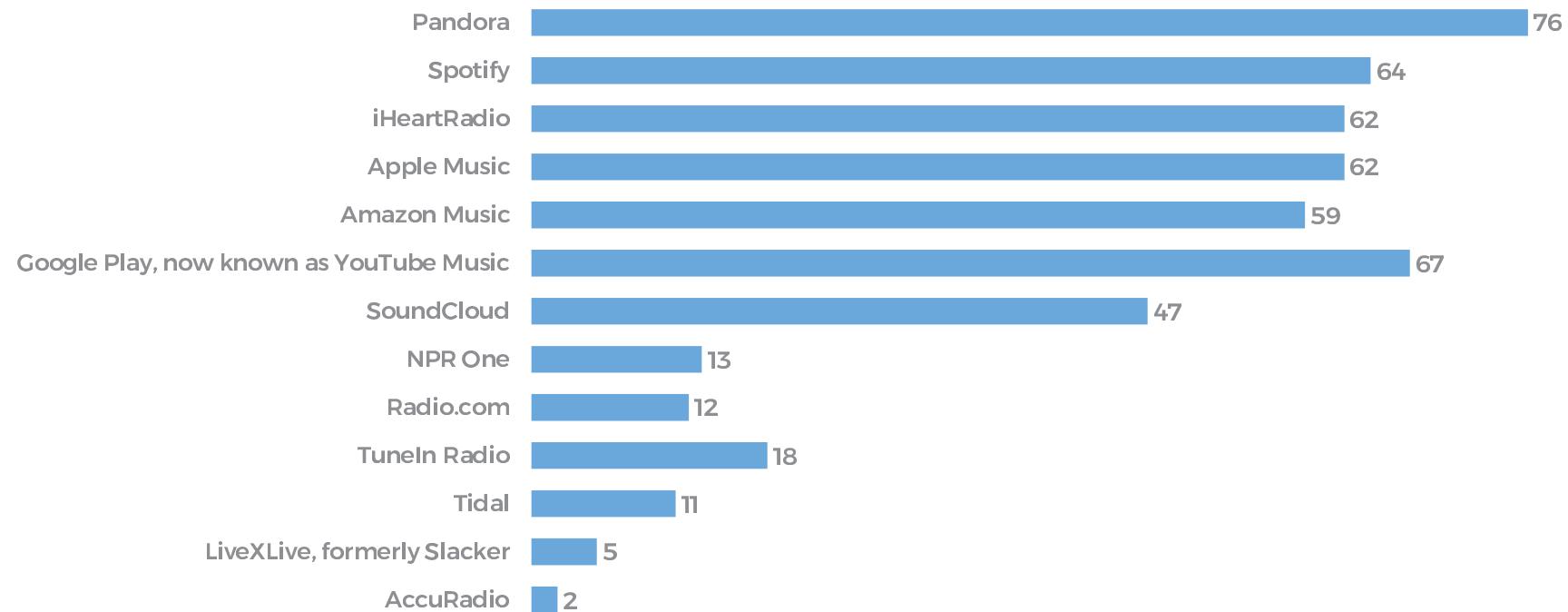
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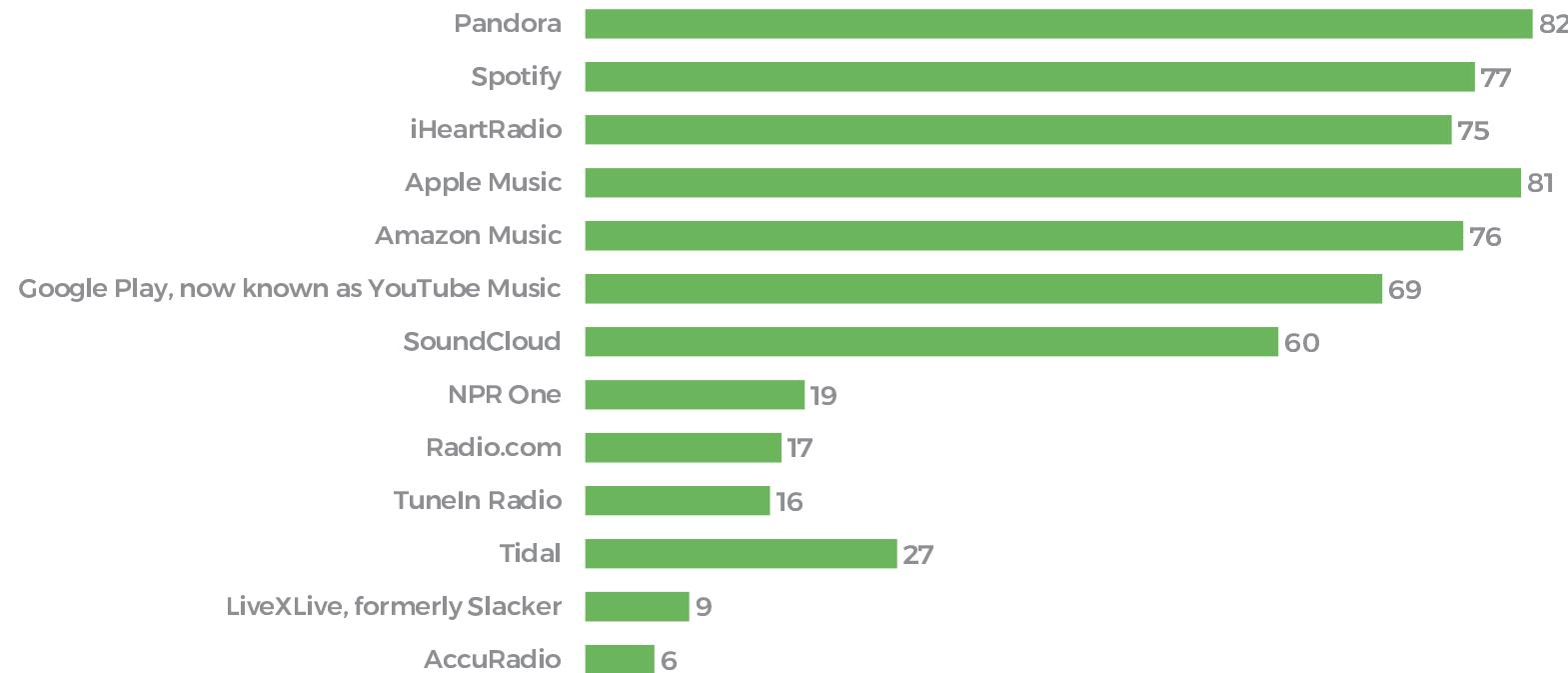




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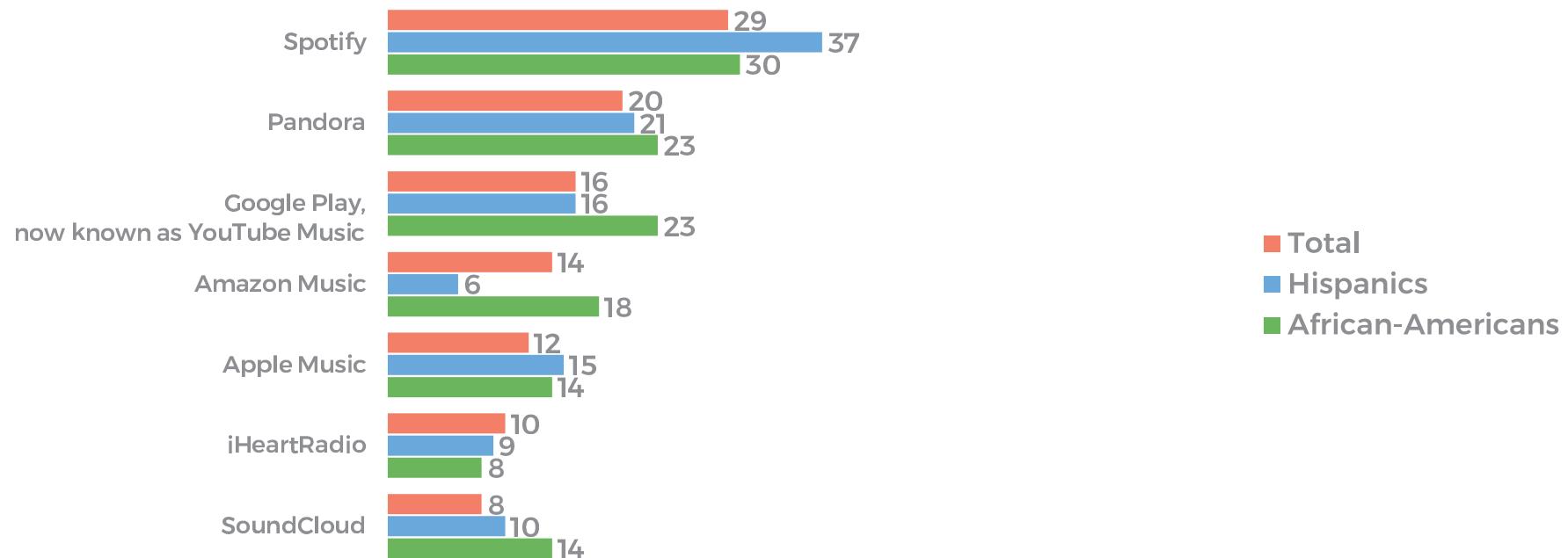
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Online Audio Brands Listened to in Last Month

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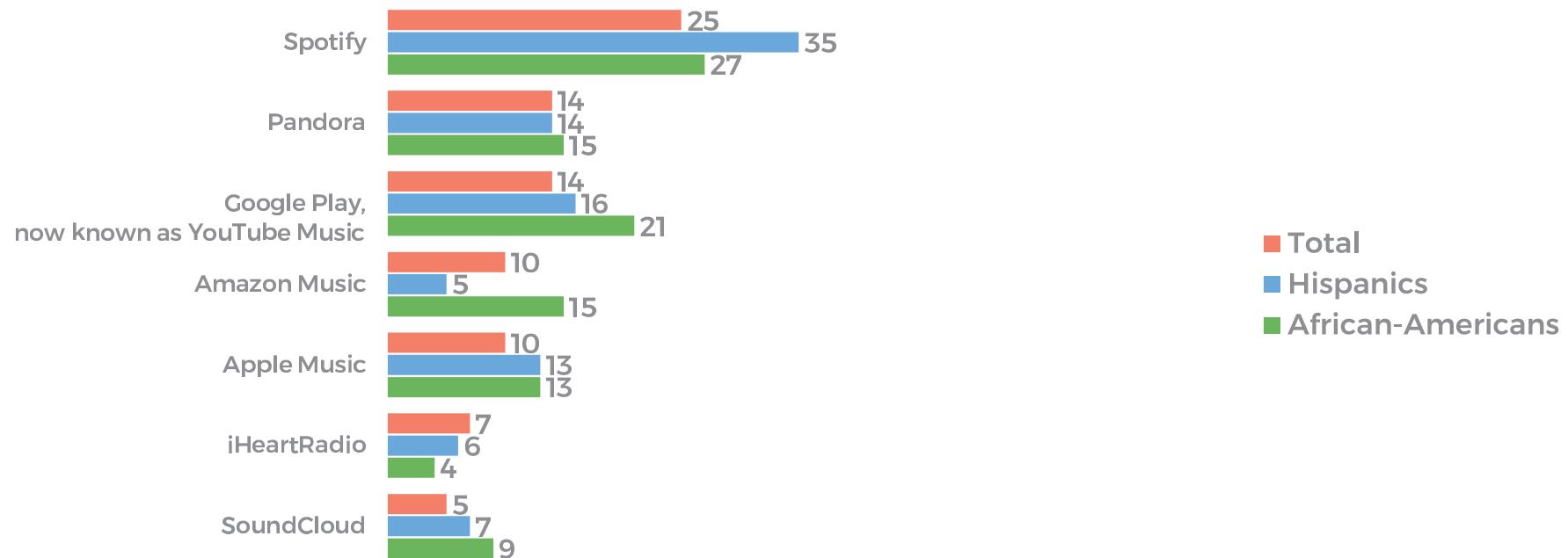
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Online Audio Brands Listened to in Last Week

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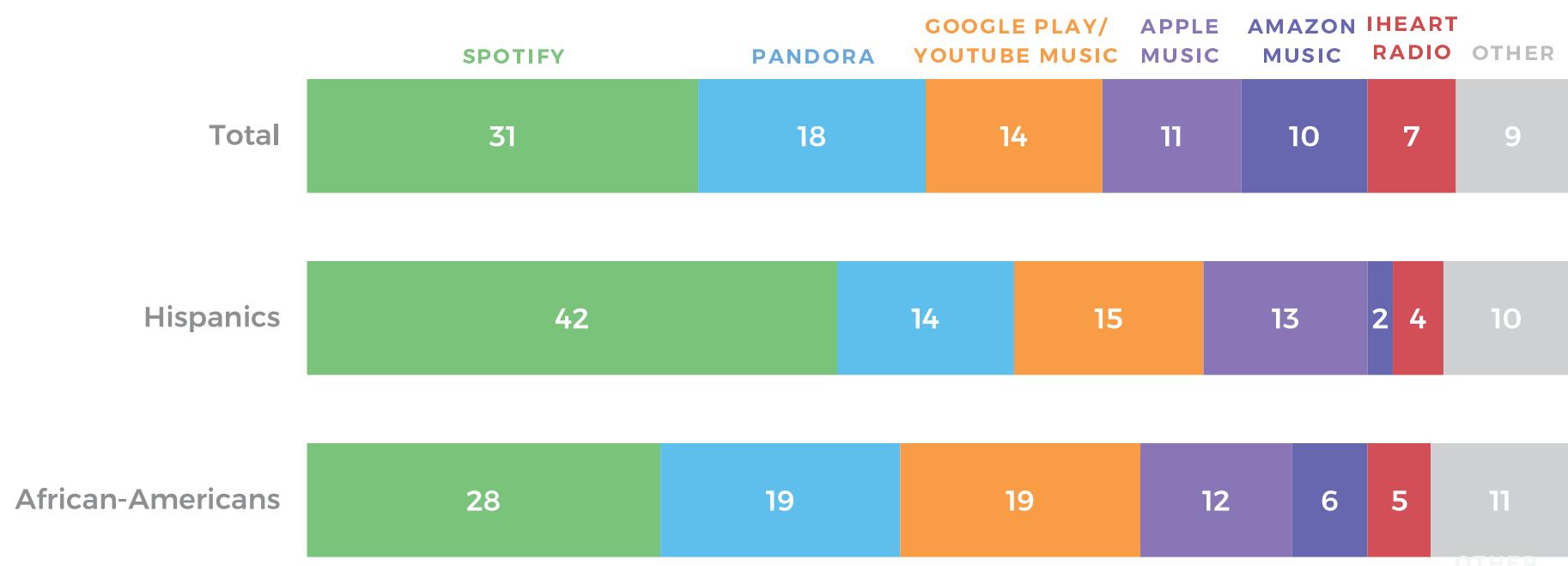
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Online Audio Brand Used Most Often

BASE: U.S. AGE 12+ AND CURRENTLY EVER USE ANY ONLINE AUDIO BRAND



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Podcasting



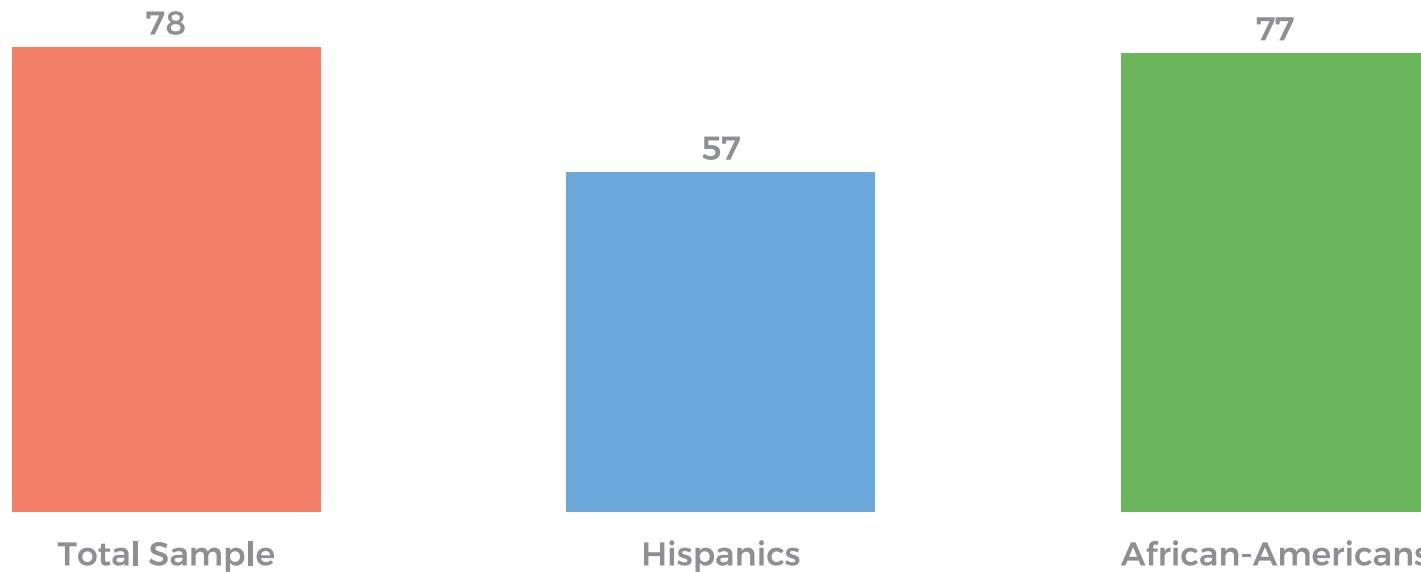
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Podcasting Familiarity

U.S. POPULATION 12+

% FAMILIAR WITH PODCASTING



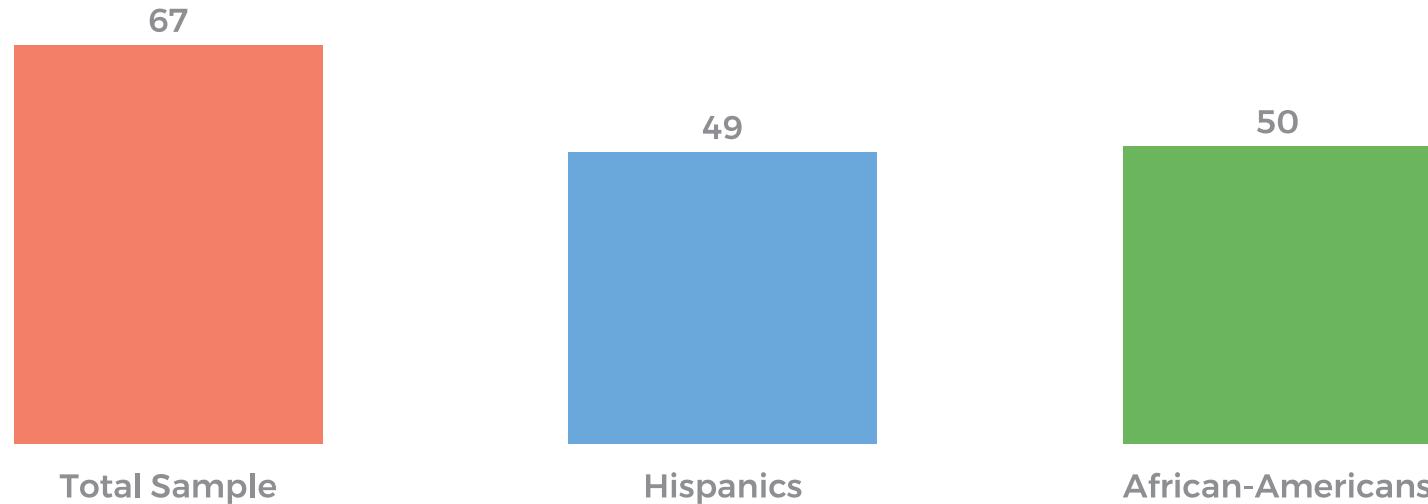
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Podcasting Listening

U.S. POPULATION 12+

% EVER LISTENED TO A PODCAST



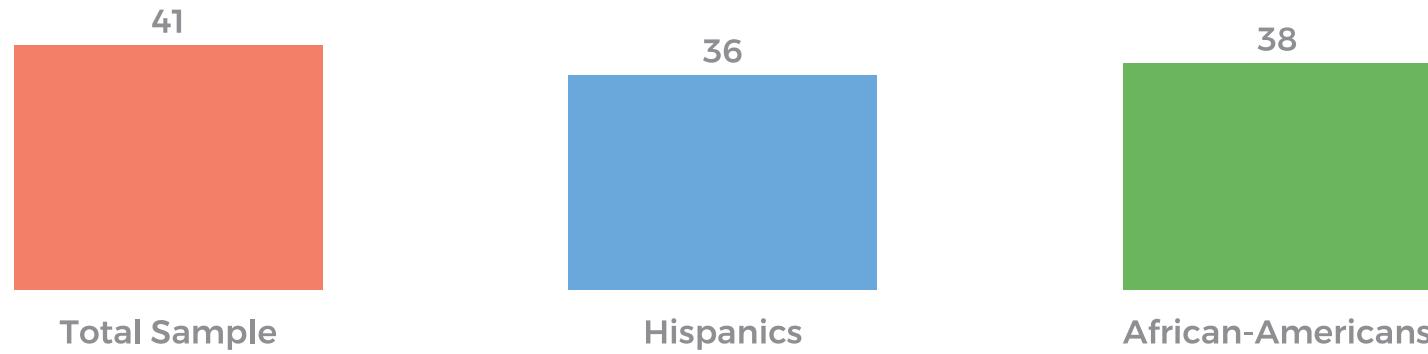
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Monthly Podcast Listening

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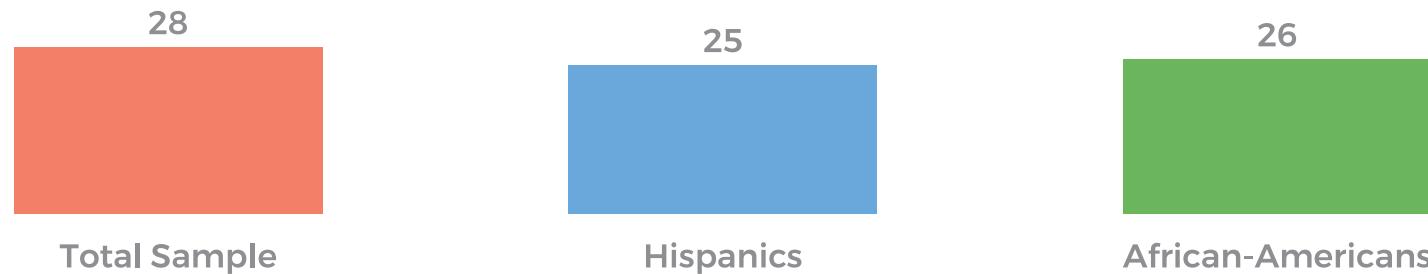
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