

SDO_{7(s)} Scale

Instructions: Show how much you favor or oppose each idea below by selecting a number from 1 to 7 on the scale below. You can work quickly; your first feeling is generally best.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Strongly Oppose	Somewhat Oppose	Slightly Oppose	Neutral	Slightly Favor	Somewhat Favor	Strongly Favor

Protrait dominance:

1. An ideal society requires some groups to be on top and others to be on the bottom.
2. Some groups of people are simply inferior to other groups.

Contrait dominance:

3. No one group should dominate in society.
4. Groups at the bottom are just as deserving as groups at the top.

Protrait anti-egalitarianism:

5. Group equality should not be our primary goal.
6. It is unjust to try to make groups equal.

Contrait anti-egalitarianism:

7. We should do what we can to equalize conditions for different groups.
8. We should work to give all groups an equal chance to succeed.

Note: The con-trait items should be reverse-scored before computing a composite scale mean.

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