

LessWrong Diaspora 2016 Survey

This is the 2016 LessWrong Diaspora Survey. The last survey was conducted in late 2014. In the last two years or so most of the community has moved away from LessWrong proper into 'diaspora' communities on a wide variety of websites and chatrooms. Because of this we've decided to expand the scope of who our survey targets to explicitly include the entire LessWrong community on site and off.

The largest motivation for running this years survey is to gauge where the community is at and what various factions would want from a successor community to the original LessWrong. [Elo](#) is currently coordinating [Vaniver's LessWrong 2.0](#) project and this survey is intended to help him and other efforts which should be coming soon. If you would like to be put on a mailing list to hear more (we will not spam you and we will not give your email address to a third party) you can give us your email address for this purpose at the end of the survey.

You may skip any question you don't want to answer. Some questions are explicitly marked 'bonus' or 'optional' meaning they are especially skippable without significantly impacting your overall survey results.

If you find yourself fatigued by the length of the survey feel free to take a break and come back, or skip every question and move straight to the end to turn in what you have.

Happy Surveying!

There are 148 questions in this survey

Privacy

1 ☐ Can we include your survey data in a public dataset? *

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

Your survey data will be completely anonymous; no name will be attached. The plan is to make most of the survey data public, so that people can run their own analyses on it. However, if you prefer to keep the data private, it will be visible only to myself (John David Pressman), Elo on LessWrong, and our hosting provider Logos01 on freenode.

2 ☐ Do you consent to having your survey responses being used as part of a research paper? *

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

If this survey generates interesting psychometric research, someone might try to get a journal article out of it. If so, we will need your explicit consent to have (an aggregate of) your anonymous data published.

Demographic Information

3 ☐ Age

Only numbers may be entered in this field.

Please write your answer here:

4 ☐ Sex - What sex were you assigned at birth?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

☐ Male

☐ Female

☐ Other

5 ☐ Gender - With what gender do you primarily identify?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

☐ F (cisgender)

☐ F (transgender MtF)

☐ M (cisgender)

☐ M (transgender FtM)

☐ Other

6 ☐ Country - If multiple possible answers, please choose the one you most identify with. Twelve popular answers are given below; otherwise please write your country into "Other" in the same format as the answers given

If you choose 'Other:' please also specify your choice in the accompanying text field.

Please choose **only one** of the following:

☐ United States

☐ United Kingdom

☐ Canada

☐ Australia

☐ Germany

☐ Russia

☐ Finland

- ☐ New Zealand
- ☐ India
- ☐ Brazil
- ☐ France
- ☐ Israel
- ☐ Other

7 [Race - With what race do you most identify? "Hispanic" is a term mostly used in the US referring to people whose ethnic background is from Mexico, Central America, and South America.

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Asian (East Asian)
- ☐ Asian (Indian subcontinent)
- ☐ Middle Eastern
- ☐ Black
- ☐ White (non-Hispanic)
- ☐ Hispanic
- ☐ Other

Sex, Relationships

8 []What is your sexual orientation?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

☐ Heterosexual

☐ Homosexual

☐ Bisexual

☐ Other

9 []Are you asexual?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

☐ Yes

☐ No

10 []What is your preferred relationship style?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

☐ Prefer monogomous

☐ Prefer polyamorous

☐ Uncertain/no preference

☐ Other

11 []Number of Partners

Please choose **only one** of the following:

☐ 0

☐ 1

☐ 2

☐ 3

☐ 4

☐ 5

☐ Lots and lots

(for example, 0 if you are single, 1 if you are in a monogomous relationship, higher numbers for polyamorous relationships)

12 []Relationship Goals

Please choose **only one** of the following:

☐ ...and seeking more relationship partners

- ☐ ...and possibly open to more relationship partners
- ☐ ...and currently not looking for more relationship partners

13 [Are you married?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

14 [Who do you currently live with most of the time?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Alone
- ☐ With parents and/or guardians
- ☐ With partner and/or children
- ☐ With roommates
- ☐ Other

15 [How many children do you have?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ 0
- ☐ 1
- ☐ 2
- ☐ 3
- ☐ 4
- ☐ 5
- ☐ 6
- ☐ Lots and lots

16 [Are you planning on having more children?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ Uncertain
- ☐ No

Answer yes if you don't have children but want some, or if you do have children but want more. Answer "yes" even if you do not want the children just yet.

Employment, Occupation, Education

17 ☐ What do you currently do?

Please choose **all** that apply:

- ☐ Student
- ☐ Academics (on the teaching side)
- ☐ Self-employed
- ☐ Independently wealthy
- ☐ Non-profit work
- ☐ For-profit work
- ☐ Government work
- ☐ Homemaker
- ☐ Unemployed

18 ☐ In what area do you currently work or study?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Philosophy
- ☐ Finance / Economics
- ☐ Statistics
- ☐ Computers (AI)
- ☐ Computers (other academic, computer science)
- ☐ Computers (practical: IT, programming, etc.)
- ☐ Physics
- ☐ Biology
- ☐ Medicine
- ☐ Mathematics
- ☐ Neuroscience
- ☐ Other "hard science"
- ☐ Psychology
- ☐ Other "social science"
- ☐ Engineering
- ☐ Business
- ☐ Law
- ☐ Art
- ☐ Other

If more than one, please choose most important.

19 [What is your highest education credential earned?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ None
- ☐ High School
- ☐ 2 year degree
- ☐ Bachelor's
- ☐ Master's
- ☐ JD/MD/other professional degree
- ☐ PhD
- ☐ Other

IQ And Other Numbers That Purport To Measure Your Intelligence (Bonus Section)

These questions were among the least popular on the 2014 survey. No pressure if you don't have the available information or would rather not say, just move on.

20 [] IQ - Please give the score you got on your most recent PROFESSIONAL, SCIENTIFIC IQ test - no Internet tests, please! All tests should have the standard average of 100 and stdev of 15.

Only numbers may be entered in this field.

Please write your answer here:

21 [] IQ Age - At what age, in years, did you take the IQ test above?

Only numbers may be entered in this field.

Please write your answer here:

22 [] IQ Type - Please give a short description of the IQ test you took, for example "It was Wechsler Adult Intelligence Scale administered at my school". If you don't remember or don't know how to describe the test, leave this blank.

Please write your answer here:

23 [] SAT scores out of 1600 - American students take the SATs before going to college. In olden days, the test was scored out of 1600. If you have an SAT score out of 1600, please put it here; otherwise leave blank.

Only numbers may be entered in this field.

Please write your answer here:

24 [] SAT scores out of 2400 - American students take the SATs before going to college. Nowadays, the test is scored out of 2400. If you have an SAT score out of 2400, please put it here; otherwise leave blank.

Only numbers may be entered in this field.

Please write your answer here:

25 [] ACT score out of 36 - Some American students take the ACTs before going to college. If you have an ACT score out of 36, please put it here; otherwise leave blank.

Only numbers may be entered in this field.

Please write your answer here:

Politics, Religion, Ethics

26 [] Given that no label can completely describe a person's political views, with which of these labels do you MOST identify?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Libertarian, for example like the US Libertarian Party: socially permissive, minimal/no taxes, minimal/no distribution of wealth
- ☐ Conservative, for example the US Republican Party and UK Tories: traditional values, low taxes, low redistribution of wealth
- ☐ Liberal, for example the US Democratic Party or the UK Labour Party: socially permissive, more taxes, more redistribution of wealth
- ☐ Social democratic, for example Scandinavian countries: socially permissive, high taxes, major redistribution of wealth
- ☐ Communist, for example the old Soviet Union: complete state control of many facets of life

27 [] How would you describe your religious views?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Committed theist
- ☐ Lukewarm theist
- ☐ Deist/Pantheist/etc.
- ☐ Agnostic
- ☐ Atheist but spiritual
- ☐ Atheist and not spiritual

28 [] Which best describes the religion you believe?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:

Answer was 'Committed theist' or 'Lukewarm theist' or 'Deist/Pantheist/etc.' or 'Agnostic' or 'Atheist but spiritual' at question '27 [ReligiousViews]' (How would you describe your religious views?)

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Christian (Catholic)
- ☐ Christian (Other non-Protestant, eg Eastern Orthodox)
- ☐ Christian (Protestant)
- ☐ Christian (Mormon)
- ☐ Hindu
- ☐ Buddhist
- ☐ Traditional Chinese

- ☐ Muslim
- ☐ Unitarian Universalism or similar
- ☐ Jewish
- ☐ Mixed/Other
- ☐ Other

If you do not believe any religion, skip this question.

29 [] How would you describe the religious views of your family when you were growing up?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Committed theist
- ☐ Lukewarm theist
- ☐ Deist/Pantheist/etc
- ☐ Agnostic
- ☐ Atheist but spiritual
- ☐ Atheist and not spiritual
- ☐ Mixed / Other
- ☐ Other

30 [] What is your family's religious background, as of the last time your family practiced a religion?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Christian (Catholic)
- ☐ Christian (Other non-Protestant, eg Eastern Orthodox)
- ☐ Christian (Protestant)
- ☐ Christian (Mormon)
- ☐ Hindu
- ☐ Buddhist
- ☐ Traditional Chinese
- ☐ Muslim
- ☐ Unitarian Universalism or similar
- ☐ Jewish
- ☐ Mixed/Other
- ☐ Other

31 [] With which of these meta-ethical views do you MOST identify? (Bonus Question)

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Non-cognitivism: Moral statements don't express propositions and can neither be true nor false. "Murder is wrong" means something like "Boo murder!".
- ☐ Error theory: Moral statements have a truth-value, but attempt to describe features of the world that don't exist. "Murder is wrong" and "Murder is right" are both false statements because moral rightness and wrongness aren't features that exist.
- ☐ Subjectivism: Some moral statements are true, but not universally, and the truth of a moral statement is determined by non-universal opinions or prescriptions, and there is no non-attitudinal determinant of rightness and wrongness. "Murder is wrong" means something like "My culture has judged murder to be wrong" or "I've judged murder to be wrong".
- ☐ Substantive realism: Some moral statements are true, and the truth of a moral statement is determined by mind-independent moral properties. "Murder is wrong" means that murder has an objective mind-independent property of wrongness that we discover by empirical investigation, intuition, or some other method.
- ☐ Constructivism: Some moral statements are true, and the truth of a moral statement is determined by whether an agent would accept it if they were undergoing a process of rational deliberation. "Murder is wrong" can mean something like "Societal agreement to the rule 'do not murder' is instrumentally rational".

Experience With LessWrong

32 []How Did You Find LessWrong?

If you choose 'Other:' please also specify your choice in the accompanying text field.

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Been here since it was started in the Overcoming Bias days
- ☐ Referred by a link
- ☐ HPMOR
- ☐ Overcoming Bias
- ☐ Referred by a friend
- ☐ Referred by a search engine
- ☐ Referred by other fiction
- ☐ Slate Star Codex
- ☐ Reddit
- ☐ Common Sense Atheism
- ☐ Hacker News
- ☐ Gwern
- ☐ Other

33 []How do you use Less Wrong?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ I lurk, but never registered an account
- ☐ I've registered an account, but never posted
- ☐ I've posted a comment, but never a top-level post
- ☐ I've posted in Discussion, but not Main
- ☐ I've posted in Main

34 []How often do you comment on LessWrong?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ I have commented more than once a week for the past year.
- ☐ I have commented more than once a month for the past year but less than once a week.
- ☐ I have commented but less than once a month for the past year.
- ☐ I have not commented this year.

35 []How Long Since You Last Posted On LessWrong?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ I wrote one today.
- ☐ Within the last three days.
- ☐ Within the last week.
- ☐ Within the last month.
- ☐ Within the last three months.
- ☐ Within the last six months.
- ☐ Within the last year.
- ☐ Within the last five years.
- ☐ Longer than five years.
- ☐ I've never posted on LW.

36 [] About how much of the Sequences - the collection of Eliezer Yudkowsky's original posts - have you read? You can find a list of them [here](#).

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Never knew they existed until this moment
- ☐ Knew they existed, but never looked at them
- ☐ Some, but less than 25%
- ☐ About 25%
- ☐ About 50%
- ☐ About 75%
- ☐ All or almost all

37 [] Do you attend Less Wrong meetups?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes, regularly
- ☐ Yes, once or a few times
- ☐ No

38 [] Is physical interaction with the Less Wrong community otherwise a part of your everyday life, for example do you live with other Less Wrongers, or you are close friends and frequently go out with them?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes, all the time
- ☐ Yes, sometimes
- ☐ No

39 [] Have you ever been in a romantic relationship with someone you met through the Less Wrong community?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ I didn't meet them through the community but they're part of the community now
- ☐ No

Roko's Basilisk (Bonus Section)

40 [] Do you know what Roko's Basilisk thought experiment is?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No but I've heard of it
- ☐ No

41 [] Where did you read Roko's argument for the Basilisk?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:

Answer was 'Yes' or 'No but I've heard of it' at question '40 [RokoKnowledge]' (Do you know what Roko's Basilisk thought experiment is?)

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Roko's post on LessWrong
- ☐ Reddit
- ☐ XKCD
- ☐ LessWrong Wiki
- ☐ A news article
- ☐ Word of mouth
- ☐ RationalWiki
- ☐ Other

42 [] Do you think Roko's argument for the Basilisk is correct?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:

Answer was 'Yes' or 'No but I've heard of it' at question '40 [RokoKnowledge]' (Do you know what Roko's Basilisk thought experiment is?)

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ Yes but I don't think it's logical conclusions apply for other reasons
- ☐ No

43 [] Do you think Basilisk-like thought experiments are dangerous?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:

Answer was 'Yes' or 'No but I've heard of it' at question '40 [RokoKnowledge]' (Do you know what Roko's Basilisk thought experiment is?)

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes, I think they're dangerous for decision theory reasons

- ☐ Yes I think they're dangerous for social reasons (eg. A cult might use them)
- ☐ Yes I think they're dangerous for decision theory and social reasons
- ☐ Yes I think they're socially dangerous because they make everybody involved look foolish
- ☐ Yes I think they're dangerous for other reasons
- ☐ No

44 [] Have you ever felt any sort of anxiety about the Basilisk?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:

Answer was 'Yes' or 'No but I've heard of it' at question '40 [RokoKnowledge]' (Do you know what Roko's Basilisk thought experiment is?)

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ Yes but only because I worry about everything
- ☐ No

45 [] What is the longest span of time you've spent worrying about the Basilisk?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:

Answer was 'Yes' or 'No but I've heard of it' at question '40 [RokoKnowledge]' (Do you know what Roko's Basilisk thought experiment is?)

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ I haven't
- ☐ A few seconds
- ☐ A minute
- ☐ An hour
- ☐ A day
- ☐ Two days
- ☐ Three days
- ☐ A week
- ☐ A month
- ☐ One to three months
- ☐ Three to six months
- ☐ Six to nine months
- ☐ Nine months to a year
- ☐ Over a year
- ☐ Years

46 [] Are you *currently* worrying about the Basilisk?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:

Answer was 'Yes' or 'No but I've heard of it' at question '40 [RokoKnowledge]' (Do you know what Roko's Basilisk thought experiment is?)

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ Yes but only because I worry about everything
- ☐ No

Mental Health (Bonus Section)

47 ☐ Have you ever been diagnosed with depression?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ No
- ☐ Not formally, but I personally believe I have (or had) it
- ☐ Yes, I was formally diagnosed by a doctor or other mental health professional

48 ☐ Have you ever been diagnosed with obsessive compulsive disorder?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ No
- ☐ Not formally, but I personally believe I have (or had) it
- ☐ Yes, I was formally diagnosed by a doctor or other mental health professional

49 ☐ Have you ever been diagnosed with any autism spectrum disorder?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ No
- ☐ Not formally, but I personally believe I have (or had) it
- ☐ Yes, I was formally diagnosed by a doctor or other mental health professional

50 ☐ Have you ever been diagnosed with any variant of attention deficit disorder?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ No
- ☐ Not formally, but I personally believe I have (or had) it
- ☐ Yes, I was formally diagnosed by a doctor or other mental health professional

51 ☐ Have you ever been diagnosed with bipolar disorder?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ No
- ☐ Not formally, but I personally believe I have (or had) it
- ☐ Yes, I was formally diagnosed by a doctor or other mental health professional

52 ☐ Have you ever been diagnosed with any anxiety disorder, eg panic disorder, generalized anxiety disorder, social anxiety disorder?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ No

- ☐ Not formally, but I personally believe I have (or had) it
- ☐ Yes, I was formally diagnosed by a doctor or other mental health professional

53 [] Have you ever been diagnosed with borderline personality disorder?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ No
- ☐ Not formally, but I personally believe I have (or had) it
- ☐ Yes, I was formally diagnosed by a doctor or other mental health professional

54 [] Have you ever been diagnosed with schizophrenia?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ No
- ☐ Not formally, but I personally believe I have (or had) it
- ☐ Yes, I was formally diagnosed by a doctor or other mental health professional

55 [] Have you ever been diagnosed with substance use disorder?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ No
- ☐ Not formally, but I personally believe I have (or had) it
- ☐ Yes, I was formally diagnosed by a doctor or other mental health professional

56 [] Have you ever wondered whether you might have a substance abuse problem?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ Yes but only because I worry about everything
- ☐ No

57 [] Have your friends and family ever expressed concern that you are abusing substances?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ Yes but only because they worry about everything
- ☐ Yes but only because they're suspicious of pharmaceutical medication
- ☐ No

What were the biggest problems with LessWrong at its peak?

What do you think were the biggest problems LessWrong had (or has) when it was at its best?

58 ☐ Philosophical Issues

Please choose **all** that apply:

- ☐ Over Reliance On The Sequences.
- ☐ Focus On AI.
- ☐ Focus On Cryonics.
- ☐ Criticism Of The Scientific Method.
- ☐ Too Much Jargon.
- ☐ Too Focused On Abstract Junk.
- ☐ I Wasn't Around For Its Peak.
- ☐ [Write in below]
- ☐ [Write in below]

59 ☐ Write in one:

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:

Answer was at question '58 [PeakPhilosophyIssues]' (Philosophical Issues)

Please write your answer here:

60 ☐ Write in two:

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:

Answer was at question '58 [PeakPhilosophyIssues]' (Philosophical Issues)

Please write your answer here:

61 ☐ Community Issues

Please choose **all** that apply:

- ☐ Not Enough In Person Interaction.
- ☐ Overly High Standards For Content Submission.
- ☐ Failure to cite sources.
- ☐ Can't Find Things Quickly Enough To Maintain Interest.
- ☐ Lame Forum Software.
- ☐ Too Autistic.
- ☐ Too Tolerant Of Trolls/Cranks.
- ☐ Too Tolerant Of Laziness.
- ☐ Too Tolerant Of Creepy People.

- ☐ Too Tolerant Of Neoreaction.
- ☐ Too Tolerant Of Progressivism.
- ☐ Literally A Cult.
- ☐ I Wasn't Around For Its Peak.
- ☐ [Write in below]
- ☐ [Write in below]

62 [Write in one:

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:

Answer was at question '61 [PeakCommunityIssues]' (Community Issues)

Please write your answer here:

63 [Write in two:

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:

Answer was at question '61 [PeakCommunityIssues]' (Community Issues)

Please write your answer here:

What are the biggest problems with LessWrong now?

What do you think are the biggest problems LessWrong has now?

64 ☐ Philosophical Issues

Please choose **all** that apply:

- ☐ Over Reliance On The Sequences.
- ☐ Focus On AI.
- ☐ Focus On Cryonics.
- ☐ Criticism Of The Scientific Method.
- ☐ Too Much Jargon.
- ☐ Too Focused On Abstract Junk.
- ☐ [Write in below]
- ☐ [Write in below]

65 ☐ Write in one:

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:

Answer was at question '64 ☐ PhilosophyIssuesNow]' (Philosophical Issues)

Please write your answer here:

66 ☐ Write in two:

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:

Answer was at question '64 ☐ PhilosophyIssuesNow]' (Philosophical Issues)

Please write your answer here:

67 ☐ Community Issues

Please choose **all** that apply:

- ☐ No New Content
- ☐ No New *Good* Content
- ☐ Can't Find Things Quickly Enough To Maintain Interest
- ☐ Lame Forum Software
- ☐ Decline from new people coming in who don't understand the culture
- ☐ Decline from evaporative cooling (http://lesswrong.com/lw/lr/evaporative_cooling_of_group_beliefs/)
- ☐ Decline from dunning kruger where competent refrain from posting what they feel to be sub par content (and by extension, posting content at all) but incompetent don't
- ☐ Not Enough In Person Interaction
- ☐ Overly High Standards For Content Submission

- ☐ Failure to cite sources
- ☐ Too Autistic
- ☐ Too Tolerant Of Trolls/Cranks
- ☐ Too Tolerant Of Laziness
- ☐ Too Tolerant Of Creepy People
- ☐ Too Tolerant Of Neoreaction
- ☐ Too Tolerant Of Progressivism
- ☐ Literally A Cult
- ☐ [Write in below]
- ☐ [Write in below]

68 [Write in one:

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:

Answer was at question '67 [CommunityIssuesNow]' (Community Issues)

Please write your answer here:

69 [Write in two:

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:

Answer was at question '67 [CommunityIssuesNow]' (Community Issues)

Please write your answer here:

What would you want from a successor?

What changes and features would you want to see from a successor to the original LessWrong?

70 ☐Philosophically

Please choose the appropriate response for each item:

	More	Same	Less
Attention Paid To Outside Sources	☐	☐	☐
Self Improvement Focus	☐	☐	☐
AI Focus	☐	☐	☐
Political	☐	☐	☐
Academic/Formal	☐	☐	☐
[Write in your own]	☐	☐	☐
[Write in your own]	☐	☐	☐
[Write in your own]	☐	☐	☐

71 ☐Write in one:

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:

Answer was 'More' or 'Same' or 'Less' at question '70 [SuccessorPhilosophy]' (Philosophically ([Write in your own]))

Please write your answer here:

72 ☐Write in two:

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:

Answer was 'More' or 'Same' or 'Less' at question '70 [SuccessorPhilosophy]' (Philosophically ([Write in your own]))

Please write your answer here:

73 ☐Write in three:

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:

Answer was 'More' or 'Same' or 'Less' at question '70 [SuccessorPhilosophy]' (Philosophically ([Write in your own]))

Please write your answer here:

74 ☐Community

Please choose the appropriate response for each item:

	More	Same	Less
Intense Environment	☐	☐	☐
Focused On 'Real World' Action	☐	☐	☐
Experts	☐	☐	☐
Data Driven/Testing Of Ideas	☐	☐	☐

	More	Same	Less
Social	☐	☐	☐
[Write in your own]	☐	☐	☐
[Write in your own]	☐	☐	☐
[Write in your own]	☐	☐	☐

75 [Write in one:

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was 'More' or 'Same' or 'Less' at question '74 [SuccessorCommunity]' (Community ([Write in your own]))

Please write your answer here:

76 [Write in two:

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was 'More' or 'Same' or 'Less' at question '74 [SuccessorCommunity]' (Community ([Write in your own]))

Please write your answer here:

77 [Write in three:

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was 'More' or 'Same' or 'Less' at question '74 [SuccessorCommunity]' (Community ([Write in your own]))

Please write your answer here:

Where do you hang out now?

78 [I'm Currently An Active Member Of

Please choose **all** that apply:

- ☐ LessWrong
- ☐ LessWrong Meetups
- ☐ LessWrong Facebook Group
- ☐ LessWrong Slack
- ☐ SlateStarCodex
- ☐ Rationalist Tumblr
- ☐ Rationalist Facebook
- ☐ Rationalist Twitter
- ☐ Effective Altruism Hub
- ☐ FortForecast
- ☐ Good Judgement(TM) Open
- ☐ PredictionBook
- ☐ Omnilibrium
- ☐ Hacker News
- ☐ #lesswrong on freenode
- ☐ #slatestarcodex on freenode
- ☐ #hplusroadmap on freenode
- ☐ #chapelperilous on freenode
- ☐ /r/rational
- ☐ /r/HPMOR
- ☐ /r/SlateStarCodex
- ☐ One or more private 'rationalist' groups
- ☐ Other:

79 [Would you consider rejoining LessWrong?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ I never left
- ☐ Yes
- ☐ Yes, but only under certain conditions
- ☐ No

80 [If you would only rejoin under certain conditions, what would those be?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:

Answer was 'Yes, but only under certain conditions' at question '79 [ComingBack]' (Would you consider rejoining LessWrong?)

Please write your answer(s) here:

[Write in your own]

[Write in your own]

[Write in your own]

[Write in your own]

[Write in your own]

Interests And Media

81 ☐ Do You Read These Blogs

Please choose the appropriate response for each item:

	Regular Reader	Sometimes	Rarely	Almost Never	Never	Never Heard Of It
LessWrong	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
SlateStarCodex (Scott Alexander)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Overcoming Bias (Robin Hanson)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Minding Our Way (Nate Soares)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Agency Duck (Brienne Yudkowsky)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Eliezer Yudkowsky's Facebook Page	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Luke Muehlhauser (Eponymous)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Gwern.net (Gwern Branwen)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Siderea (Sibylla Bostoniensis)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

82 ☐

Please choose the appropriate response for each item:

	Regular Reader	Sometimes	Rarely	Almost Never	Never	Never Heard Of It
Ribbon Farm (Venkatesh Rao)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Bayesed And Confused (Michael Rupert)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
The Unit Of Caring (Anonymous)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
GiveWell Blog (Multiple Authors)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Thing Of Things (Ozy Frantz)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
The Last Psychiatrist (Anonymous)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Hotel Concierge (Anonymous)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
The View From Hell (Sister Y)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

	Regular Reader	Sometimes	Rarely	Almost Never	Never	Never Heard Of It
Xenosystems (Nick Land)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

83 ☐ Are there any noteworthy blogs you read that we missed above?

Please write your answer(s) here:

[Write in your own]

[Write in your own]

[Write in your own]

[Write in your own]

84 ☐ Have You Read These Stories?

Please choose the appropriate response for each item:

	Whole Thing	Partially And Intend To Finish	Partially And Abandoned	Never	Never Heard Of It
Harry Potter And The Methods Of Rationality (Eliezer Yudkowsky)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Significant Digits (Alexander D)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Three Worlds Collide (Eliezer Yudkowsky)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
The Fable of the Dragon-Tyrant (Nick Bostrom)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
The World of Null-A (A. E. van Vogt)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Synthesis (Sharon Mitchell)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Worm (Wildbow)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Pact (Wildbow)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Twig (Wildbow)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

85 ☐

Please choose the appropriate response for each item:

Whole Thing	Partially And	Partially And	Never	Never Heard
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		Intend To Finish	Abandoned		Of It
Ra (Sam Hughes)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
My Little Pony: Friendship Is Optimal (Iceman)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Friendship Is Optimal: Caelum Est Conterrens (Chatoyance)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Ender's Game (Orson Scott Card)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
The Diamond Age (Neal Stephenson)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Consider Phlebas (Iain Banks)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
The Metamorphosis Of Prime Intellect (Roger Williams)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Accelerando (Charles Stross)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
A Fire Upon The Deep (Vernor Vinge)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

Machine Intelligence Research Institute

86 ☐ Do you know what the Machine Intelligence Research Institute is?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No but I've heard of it
- ☐ No

87 ☐ Have you ever read a paper from the Machine Intelligence Research Institute?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ Partially
- ☐ No

88 ☐ Would you consider working for the Machine Intelligence Research Institute?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

89 ☐ Do you think you're trustworthy enough not to let an AI out of the box?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

90 ☐ Have you ever practiced not letting an AI out of the box?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes with Eliezer's Ruleset
- ☐ Yes with Tuxedage's Ruleset
- ☐ Yes with a different ruleset
- ☐ No but I've been the AI
- ☐ No

91 ☐ On a scale of one to five (where one is "Strongly disagree" and five is "Strongly agree"), rate how much you agree with this statement: "MIRI's mission of doing mathematical research relevant to friendly self-improving artificial intelligence is very important."

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ 1
- ☐ 2
- ☐ 3
- ☐ 4
- ☐ 5

92 [] On a scale of one to five (where one is "Strongly disagree" and five is "Strongly agree"), rate how much you agree with this statement: "Whether or not I agree with MIRI's goals, I believe MIRI is a well-run organization that pursues its goals effectively."

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ 1
- ☐ 2
- ☐ 3
- ☐ 4
- ☐ 5

Center For Applied Rationality (Bonus Section)

93 ☐ Do you know what the Center For Applied Rationality is?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No but I've heard of it
- ☐ No

94 ☐ Have you attended CFAR?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ No, and I don't plan to
- ☐ No, and I would like to
- ☐ I have attended a paid or volunteer program with CFAR
- ☐ I have led a program at CFAR

95 ☐ Think about your current set of skills, your habits, the things you spend your time on, how you interact with other people, the intellectual questions that you find engaging, the goals you're aiming towards, and the challenges that you're currently facing going forward. Next, think about how you were one year ago on each of these dimensions. How different are you now from how you were one year ago?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Not at all different
- ☐ Slightly different
- ☐ Somewhat different
- ☐ Very different
- ☐ Extremely different

96 ☐ (optional) In about one sentence, what is one difference that stands out as being particularly large or significant?

Please write your answer here:

97 ☐ (Optional) Can you think of any changes that you've made in the past month to your daily routines or habits in order to make things go better? These can be tiny changes (e.g., adjusted the curtains on my bedroom window so that less light comes in while I'm sleeping) or large ones. Spend about 60 seconds recalling as many examples of these kinds of changes as you can and listing them here. (If you want to skip this question, leave it blank. If you spend the 60 seconds and no specific examples come to mind, write "none.")

Please write your answer here:



98 □

What's your overall opinion of the Center For Applied Rationality?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Positive
- ☐ Mostly Positive
- ☐ No strong opinion
- ☐ Mostly Negative
- ☐ Negative

Effective Altruism (Bonus Section)

99 ☐ Do you know what Effective Altruism is?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No but I've heard of it
- ☐ No

100 ☐ Do you self-identify as an Effective Altruist?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

101 ☐ Do you participate in the Effective Altruism community?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

102 ☐ Has Effective Altruism caused you to make donations you otherwise wouldn't?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

103 ☐ Have you ever had any kind of moral anxiety over Effective Altruism?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ Yes but only because I worry about everything
- ☐ No

104 ☐ What's your overall opinion of Effective Altruism?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Positive
- ☐ Mostly Positive
- ☐ No strong opinion
- ☐ Mostly Negative
- ☐ Negative

Politics (Bonus Section)

If you're not into politics, skip this part and go on to the next section. You can also choose to skip any individual question if you don't know what it's asking or don't have a strong opinion.

105 ☐ With which of these political positions do you most identify?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Progressive
- ☐ Communist
- ☐ Socialist
- ☐ Conservative
- ☐ Fascist
- ☐ Neoreactionary
- ☐ Social Democrat
- ☐ Moderate
- ☐ Pragmatist
- ☐ Anarchist
- ☐ Libertarian
- ☐ Left-Libertarian
- ☐ Objectivist
- ☐ Monarchist
- ☐ Futarchist
- ☐ Totalitarian
- ☐ Other

106 ☐ Did you vote in your country's last major national election?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No
- ☐ My country does not hold elections

107 ☐ If you are an American, what party are you registered with?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Democratic Party
- ☐ Republican Party
- ☐ Libertarian Party
- ☐ Other third party

- ☐ Not registered for a party
- ☐ (option for non-Americans who want an option)

108 ☐ On a scale from 1 (not interested at all) to 5 (extremely interested), how would you describe your level of interest in politics?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ 1
- ☐ 2
- ☐ 3
- ☐ 4
- ☐ 5

109 ☐ How would you describe your opinion on abortion laws?

Please choose the appropriate response for each item:

- | | | | | | |
|----------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| | Pro-Life | Lean Pro-Life | No strong opinion | Lean Pro-Choice | Pro-Choice |
| Abortion | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |

110 ☐ How would you describe your opinion on immigration?

Please choose the appropriate response for each item:

- | | | | | | |
|-------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|
| | Should be more open | Lean more open | No strong opinion | Lean more restricted | Should be more restricted |
| Immigration | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |

111 ☐ How would you describe your opinion on taxes in your country?

Please choose the appropriate response for each item:

- | | | | | | |
|-------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| | Should be lower | Lean towards lower | No strong opinion | Lean towards higher | Should be higher |
| Taxes | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |

112 ☐ How would you describe your opinion on minimum wage laws in your country?

Please choose the appropriate response for each item:

- | | | | | | |
|--------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| | Should be lower or eliminated | Lean towards lower or eliminated | No strong opinion | Lean towards higher | Should be higher |
| Minimum Wage | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |

113 ☐ How would you describe your opinion of feminism, as you understand the term? See also <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Feminism> for more information

Please choose the appropriate response for each item:

- | | | | | |
|------------------|-------------|-------------------|-----------|----------------|
| Very unfavorable | Unfavorable | No strong opinion | Favorable | Very favorable |
|------------------|-------------|-------------------|-----------|----------------|

Very unfavorable Unfavorable No strong opinion Favorable Very favorable

Feminism ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐

114 ☐ How would you describe your opinion of social justice, as you understand the term? See also http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Social_justice for more information

Please choose the appropriate response for each item:

Very unfavorable Unfavorable No strong opinion Favorable Very favorable

Social Justice ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐

115 ☐ How would you describe your opinion of the idea of "human biodiversity", as you understand the term? No Wiki page available, but essentially it is the belief that there are important genetic differences between human populations and that therefore ideas generally considered racist, such as different races having different average intelligence or personality traits, are in fact scientifically justified

Please choose the appropriate response for each item:

Very unfavorable Unfavorable No strong opinion Favorable Very favorable

Human Biodiversity ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐

116 ☐ How would you describe your opinion of a Basic Income Guarantee in your country? See http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Basic_Income_Guarantee for more information.

Please choose the appropriate response for each item:

Strongly oppose Oppose No strong opinion Support Strongly support

Basic Income ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐

117 ☐ Do you believe we are currently in or entering a "Great Stagnation", as proposed by Tyler Cowen and Peter Thiel, during which technological growth slows drastically? See http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/The_Great_Stagnation for more information

Please choose the appropriate response for each item:

Strongly doubt Doubt No strong opinion Believe Strongly believe

Great Stagnation ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐

Calibration Questions

"Calibration" is the practice of knowing how certain you are, even when you're not certain. For example, a bookie who says they're 90% certain of the outcome of each of a hundred horse races, and who is right about ninety out of those hundred horse races - is perfectly calibrated. In these questions, you will be asked a question and then asked to give a calibration percent. The percent represents your probability that the answer is right. Suppose the question is "What country is the city of Paris located in?" and you are absolutely sure it is France. In that case, your calibration percent is 100 - you are 100% sure it is France. But suppose you think there's a fifty-fifty chance it's either France or Germany. In that case, you might still answer France, but your calibration percent is only 50 - you are only 50% sure it's France. Or suppose you have no idea, so you pick a country totally at random. In that case, you might think that if there are about one hundred possible countries, and it could be any of them, there's only about a 1% chance you're right. Therefore, you would put down a calibration percent of 1. Please answer on a scale from 0% (definitely false) to 100% (definitely true). Do not include the percent sign in your answer. For your convenience, 0% will be interpreted as "epsilon" and 100% as "100 minus epsilon". Do ****NOT**** give your answer in the form of a decimal between 0 and 1 unless you deliberately mean for it to be interpreted as a very small percent. For example, 0.5 will be interpreted as 0.5%, that is, a one in two hundred chance, ****NOT**** as 50%. Wikipedia will be considered the authoritative source (where applicable) in case of any dispute as to the answers of these questions.

118 ☐ Do you understand the instructions above?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes, I understand I should answer in percentages between 0 and 100
- ☐ No, I don't read instructions and am going to ruin the survey results for everyone

119 ☐

Please write your answer(s) here:

Are you smiling right now?

Without checking a source, estimate your subjective probability that the answer you just gave is correct.

Which is heavier, a virus or a prion?

Without checking a source, estimate your subjective probability that the answer you just gave is correct.

I'm thinking of a number between one and ten, what is it?

Without checking a source, estimate your subjective probability that the answer you just gave is correct.

What year was the fast food chain "Dairy Queen" founded? (Within five years)

Without checking a source, estimate your subjective probability that the answer you just gave is correct.

Alexander Hamilton appears on how many distinct denominations of US Currency?

Without checking a source, estimate your subjective probability that the answer you just gave is correct.

Without counting, how many keys on a standard IBM keyboard released after 1986, within ten?

Without checking a source, estimate your subjective probability that the answer you just gave is correct.

What's the diameter of a standard soccerball, in cm within 2?

Without checking a source, estimate your subjective probability that the answer you just gave is correct.

How many calories in a reese's peanut butter cup within 20?

Without checking a source, estimate your subjective probability that the answer you just gave is correct.

Probabilities

Each of these questions will ask you for a probability. Please use the same rules for this section as you did for the probabilities above - numbers between 0 and 100, no percent sign. If you want you may add decimals, for example 99.99. There is no obligation to do research for these questions; this survey is long enough already and it would be incredibly painful to have to find good information about each one. If you really really want to research, you may do so using any resource EXCEPT the answers to previous Less Wrong surveys and discussion about this current Less Wrong survey.

120 ☐

Please write your answer(s) here:

Please give the obvious answer to this question, so I can automatically throw away all surveys that don't follow the rules: What is the probability of a fair coin coming up heads?

What is the probability that the Many Worlds interpretation of quantum mechanics is more or less correct?

What is the probability that non-human, non-Earthly intelligent life exists in the observable universe?

...in the Milky Way galaxy?

What is the probability that supernatural events (including God, ghosts, magic, etc) have occurred since the beginning of the universe?

What is the probability that there is a god, defined as a supernatural intelligent entity who created the universe?

What is the probability that any of humankind's revealed religions is more or less correct?

What is the probability that an average person cryonically frozen today will be successfully restored to life at some future time, conditional on no global catastrophe destroying civilization before then?

What is the probability that at least one person living at this moment will reach an age of one thousand years, conditional on no global catastrophe destroying civilization in that time?

What is the probability that our universe is a simulation?

What is the probability that significant global warming is occurring or will soon occur, and is primarily caused by human actions?

What is the probability that the human race will make it to 2100 without any catastrophe that wipes out more than 90% of humanity?

Futurology

121 []Cryonics (Section Header)

122 []Are you signed up for cryonics?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes - signed up or just finishing up paperwork
- ☐ No - would like to sign up but unavailable in my area
- ☐ No - would like to sign up but haven't gotten around to it
- ☐ No - would like to sign up but can't afford it
- ☐ No - still considering it
- ☐ No - and do not want to sign up for cryonics
- ☐ Never thought about it / don't understand

123 []Do you think cryonics, as currently practiced by Alcor/Cryonics Institute will work?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ Maybe
- ☐ No

124 []Do you think cryonics works in principle?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ Maybe
- ☐ No

125 []Singularity (Section Header)

126 []By what year do you think the Singularity will occur? Answer such that you think, conditional on the Singularity occurring, there is an even chance of the Singularity falling before or after this year. If you think a singularity is so unlikely you don't even want to condition on it, leave this question blank.

Only numbers may be entered in this field.

Please write your answer here:

127 []Have you ever made any kind of personal health change with the goal of living to see the singularity? (If multiple please separate with commas.)

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes (Please write in what below.)
- ☐ No

Make a comment on your choice here:

128 ☐ Superbabies (Section Header)

129 ☐ Would you ever consider having your child genetically modified for any reason?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

130 ☐ Would you be willing to have your child genetically modified to prevent them from getting an inheritable disease?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ Depends on the disease
- ☐ No

131 ☐ Would you be willing to have your child genetically modified for improvement purposes? (eg. To heighten their intelligence or reduce their risk of schizophrenia.)

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ Maybe a little
- ☐ Depends on the strength of the improvements
- ☐ No

132 ☐ Would you be willing to have your child genetically modified for cosmetic reasons? (eg. To

make them taller or have a certain eye color.)

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ Maybe a little
- ☐ Depends on the strength of the improvements
- ☐ No

133 []What's your overall opinion of other people genetically modifying their children for disease prevention purposes?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Positive
- ☐ Mostly Positive
- ☐ No strong opinion
- ☐ Mostly Negative
- ☐ Negative

134 []What's your overall opinion of other people genetically modifying their children for improvement purposes?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Positive
- ☐ Mostly Positive
- ☐ No strong opinion
- ☐ Mostly Negative
- ☐ Negative

135 []What's your overall opinion of other people genetically modifying their children for cosmetic reasons?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Positive
- ☐ Mostly Positive
- ☐ No strong opinion
- ☐ Mostly Negative
- ☐ Negative

Technological Unemployment (Futurology Part 2)

136 ☐ Do you think the [Luddite's Fallacy](#) is an actual fallacy?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

☐ Yes

☐ No

137 ☐ By what year do you think the majority of people in your country will have trouble finding employment for automation related reasons? If you think this is something that will never happen leave this question blank.

Only numbers may be entered in this field.

Please write your answer here:

138 ☐ Do you think the "end of work" would be a good thing?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

☐ Yes

☐ No

139 ☐ If machines end all or almost all employment, what are your biggest worries? Pick two.

Please choose **all** that apply:

☐ People will just idle about in destructive ways

☐ People need work to be fulfilled and if we eliminate work we'll all feel deep existential angst

☐ The rich are going to take all the resources for themselves and leave the rest of us to starve or live in poverty

☐ The machines won't need us, and we'll starve to death or be otherwise liquidated

☐ Other:

140 ☐ The next question isn't exactly related to technological unemployment, but making a part three for one question seemed impractical.

141 ☐ Which disaster do you think is most likely to wipe out greater than 90% of humanity before the year 2100?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

☐ Nuclear war

☐ Asteroid strike

☐ Unfriendly AI

- ☐ Nanotech / grey goo
- ☐ Pandemic (natural)
- ☐ Pandemic (bioengineered)
- ☐ Environmental collapse (including global warming)
- ☐ Economic / political collapse
- ☐ Other

Charity (Bonus Section)

142 ☐ What is your approximate annual income in US dollars (non-Americans: convert at www.xe.com)? Obviously you don't need to answer this question if you don't want to. Please don't include commas or dollar signs.

Only numbers may be entered in this field.

Please write your answer here:

143 ☐ How much money, in number of dollars, have you donated to charity over the past year? (non-Americans: convert to dollars at <http://www.xe.com/>). Please don't include commas or dollar signs in your answer. For example, 4000

Only numbers may be entered in this field.

Please write your answer here:

144 ☐ How much money have you donated to charities aiming to reduce existential risk (other than MIRI/CFAR) in the past year?

Only numbers may be entered in this field.

Please write your answer here:

145 ☐ How much have you donated in US dollars to the following charities in the past year? (Non-americans: convert to dollars at <http://www.xe.com/>) Please don't include commas or dollar signs in your answer. Options starting with "any" aren't the name of a charity but a category of charity.

Please write your answer(s) here:

Against Malaria Foundation

Schistosomiasis Control Initiative

Deworm the World Initiative

GiveDirectly

Any kind of animal rights charity

Any kind of bug rights charity

Machine Intelligence Research Institute

Any charity combating nuclear existential risk

Any charity combating global warming

Center For Applied Rationality

Strategies for Engineered Negligible Senescence Research Foundation

Wikipedia

Internet Archive

Any campaign for political office

Other

146 [] Do you follow any dietary restrictions related to animal products?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

- ☐ Yes, I am vegan
- ☐ Yes, I am vegetarian
- ☐ Yes, I restrict meat some other way (pescetarian, flexitarian, try to only eat ethically sourced meat)
- ☐ No

Wrapping Up

147 ☐ Have you taken a previous LessWrong Survey?

Please choose **only one** of the following:

☐ Yes

☐ No

148 ☐ Would you like to be put on a mailing list to hear about future developments in revitalizing LessWrong or new 'rationalist' communities? If yes put in your email address below. (This is optional and will not be published in the public survey results.)

Please write your answer here:

Thanks for taking the LessWrong Diaspora 2016 Survey!

If you have any questions about the survey, please contact jd@fortforecast.com

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Thank you for completing this survey.