

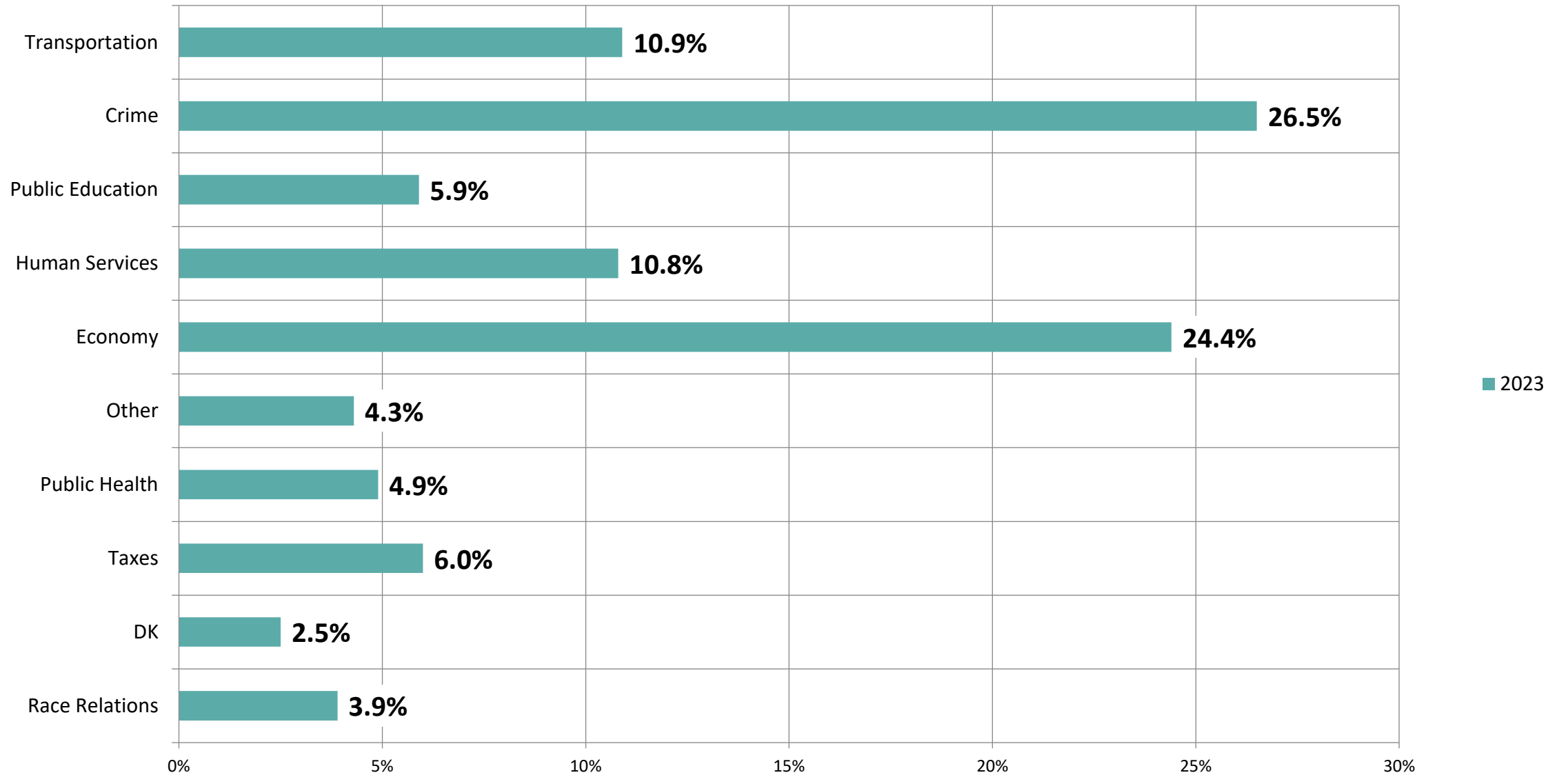
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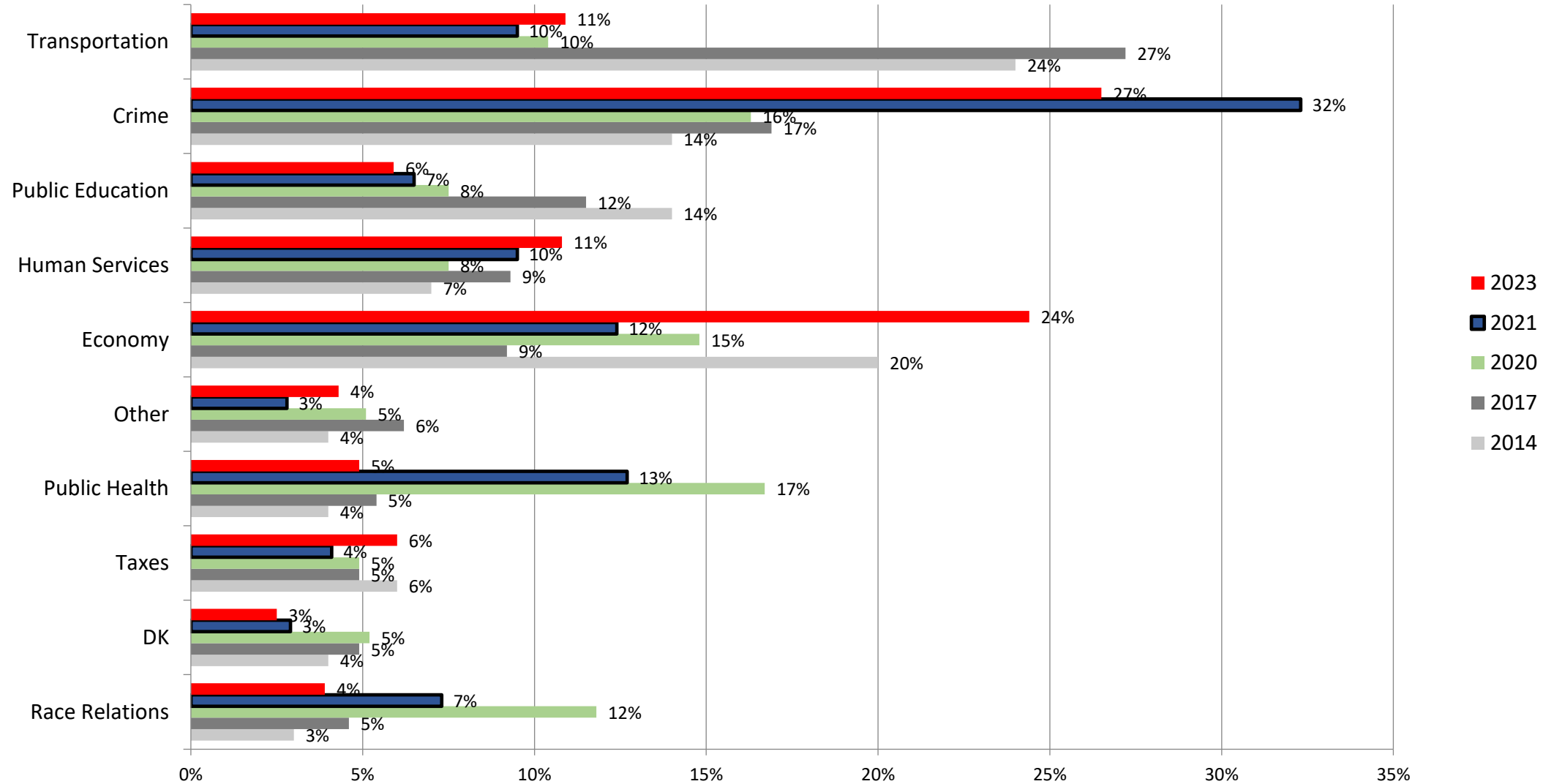
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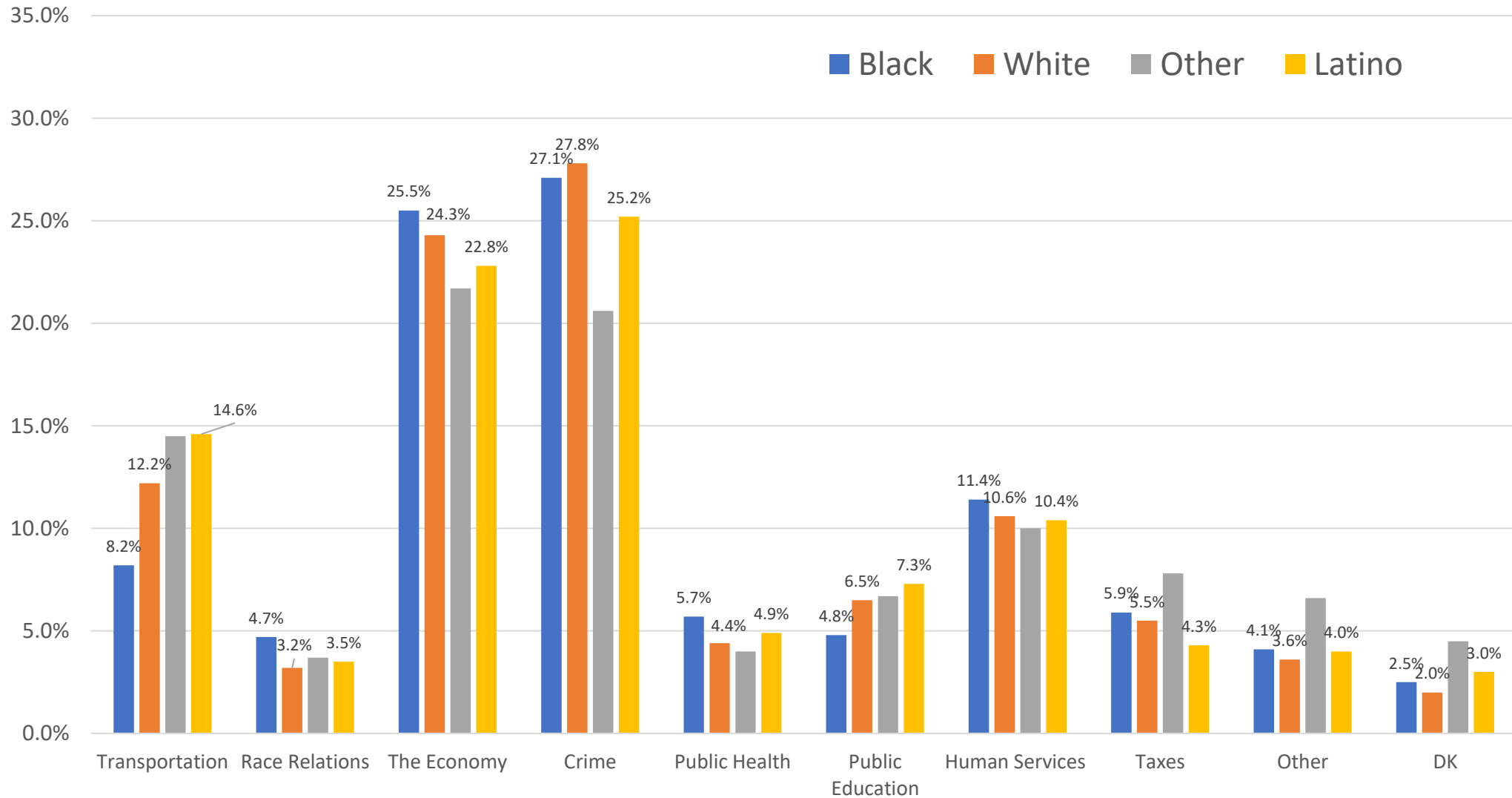
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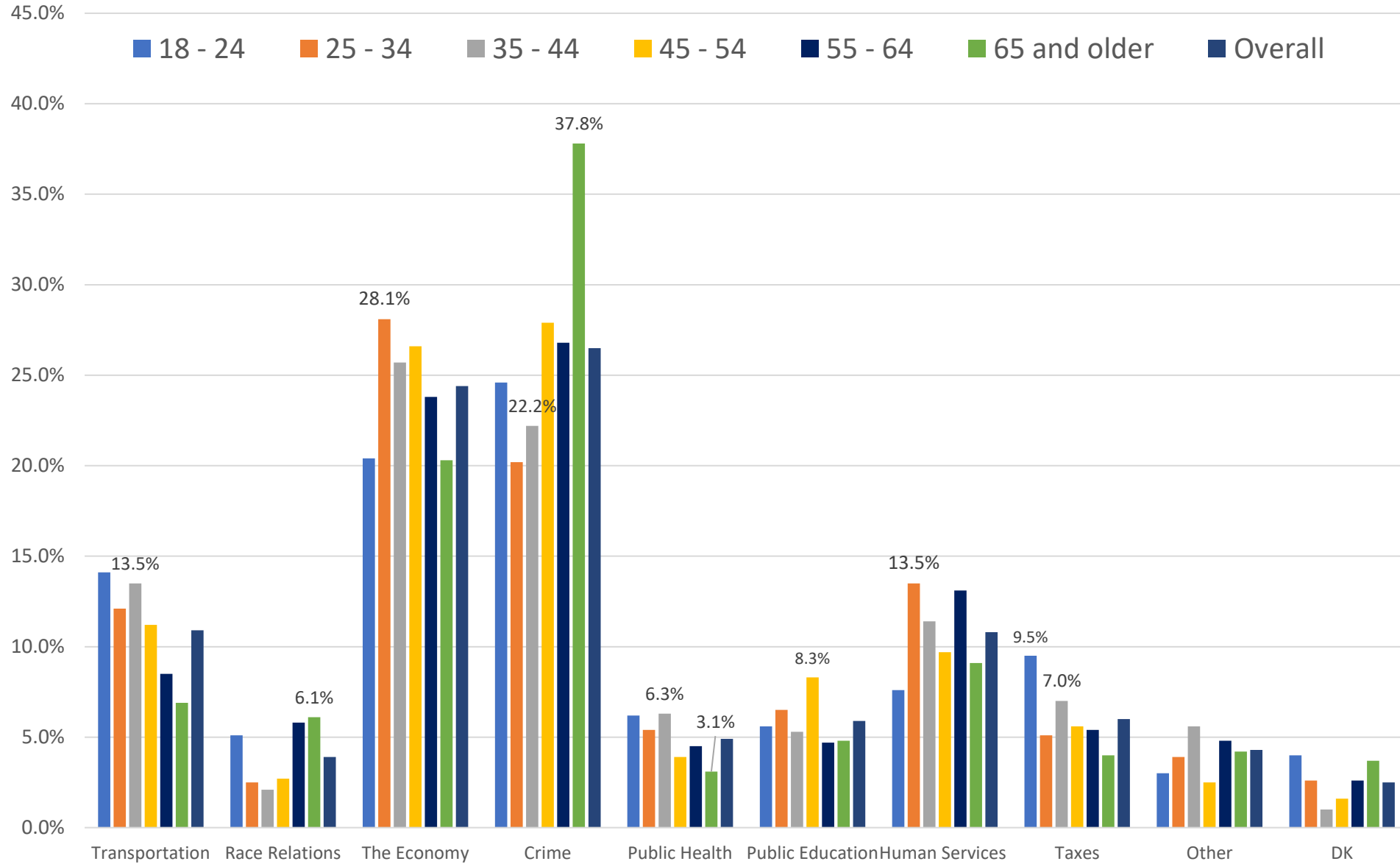
# “Crime” As Biggest Problem Over Time, Select Years



# The Biggest Problem 2023, by Race/Ethnicity



# The Biggest Problem 2023, by Age Group



**The "Biggest Problem" Over Time**

<b>Shares</b>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2023</u>
Race Relations	2.2%	3.0%	4.9%	6.2%	4.6%	4.9%	4.0%	11.8%	7.3%	3.9%
DK	3.7%	4.0%	3.7%	2.2%	4.9%	3.3%	4.0%	5.2%	2.9%	2.5%
Taxes	5.6%	6.0%	4.9%	4.2%	4.9%	5.8%	8.0%	4.9%	4.1%	6.0%
Public Health	4.3%	4.0%	4.5%	4.6%	5.4%	5.4%	7.0%	16.7%	12.7%	4.9%
Other	5.9%	4.0%	1.7%	2.6%	6.2%	7.9%	5.0%	5.1%	2.8%	4.3%
Economy	24.4%	20.0%	15.1%	12.3%	9.2%	6.0%	7.0%	14.8%	12.4%	24.4%
Human Services	2.5%	7.0%	7.3%	8.5%	9.3%	7.2%	9.0%	7.5%	9.5%	10.8%
Public Education	12.7%	14.0%	14.0%	12.0%	11.5%	9.4%	10.0%	7.5%	6.5%	5.9%
Crime	17.4%	14.0%	17.2%	22.8%	16.9%	21.9%	18.0%	16.3%	32.3%	26.5%
Transportation	21.4%	24.0%	26.7%	24.5%	27.2%	28.2%	28.2%	10.4%	9.5%	10.9%

<b>Rank</b>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2023</u>
Race Relations	10	10	6	6	10	9	9	4	6	9
DK	8	7	9	10	8	10	9	8	9	10
Taxes	6	6	6	8	8	7	5	10	8	5
Public Health	7	7	8	7	7	8	6	1	2	7
Other	5	7	10	9	6	4	8	9	10	8
Economy	1	2	3	3	5	6	6	3	3	2
Human Services	9	5	5	5	4	5	4	6	4	4
Public Education	4	3	4	4	3	3	3	6	7	6
Crime	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	1
Transportation	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	4	3

<b>Pct Point Change</b>	<u>2013- 2014</u>	<u>2014- 2015</u>	<u>2015- 2016</u>	<u>2016- 2017</u>	<u>2017- 2018</u>	<u>2018- 2019</u>	<u>2019- 2020</u>	<u>2020- 2021</u>	<u>2021- 2023</u>	
Race Relations	0.8	1.9	1.3	-1.6	0.3	-0.9	7.8	-4.5	-3.4	Increases
DK	0.3	-0.3	-1.5	2.7	-1.6	0.7	1.2	-2.3	-0.4	Declines
Taxes	0.4	-1.1	-0.7	0.7	0.9	2.2	-3.1	-0.8	1.9	
Public Health	-0.3	0.5	0.1	0.8	0.0	1.6	9.7	-4.0	-7.8	
Other	-1.9	-2.3	0.9	3.6	1.7	-2.9	0.1	-2.3	1.5	
Economy	-4.4	-4.9	-2.8	-3.1	-3.2	1.0	7.8	-2.4	12.0	
Human Services	4.5	0.3	1.2	0.8	-2.1	1.8	-1.5	2.0	1.3	
Public Education	1.3	0.0	-2.0	-0.5	-2.1	0.6	-2.5	-1.0	-0.6	
Crime	-3.4	3.2	5.6	-5.9	5.0	-3.9	-1.7	16.0	-5.8	
Transportation	2.6	2.7	-2.2	2.7	1.0	0.0	-17.8	-0.9	1.4	