EU CITIZENS THINK RAPE COULD BE JUSTIFIABLE IN CERTAIN CASES

- 12%: If the woman was drunk or on drugs at the time
- 11%: If the woman went home with someone
- 10%: If the woman was wearing sexy or revealing clothes at the time
- 10%: If she was walking alone at night when it happened
- 7%: If the woman was flirting with the attacker before it happened
- 7%: If the woman has had multiple sexual partners in the past
- 2%: If the rapist says he regrets his actions after the event
- 4%: If the rapist says he didn’t know what he was doing at the time

27%: Say non-consensual sex could be justifiable in certain situations

"One in 20 women in the EU has been raped since the age of 15." EU Fundamental Rights Agency survey on violence against women (2014)

Eurobarometer on gender-based violence (November 2016)

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