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Table 3-1. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Race and Hispanic Ethnicity Categories According to a One- and Two-Question Format

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Responses	Race/Ethnicity Categories
Responses for Hispanic ethnicity in two-question format	Hispanic or Latino Not Hispanic or Latino
Responses for race in two-question format	American Indian or Alaska Native Asian Black or African American Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander (NHOPI) White
Responses to a single question combining race and Hispanic	American Indian or Alaska Native

ethnicity (one-question format)

Asian

Black or African American

Hispanic or Latino

Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific

Islander (NHOPI)

White

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