

Table 1: Racial claims made on behalf of young children in mixed-race households.

Racial Claims	#	%
<i>Children in white-Asian households</i>		
White Only	1,717	21.27%
Asian Only	1,078	13.36%
White & Asian	4,724	58.53%
All Other Possibilities	552	6.84%
<i>Children in white-black households</i>		
White Only	471	10.54%
Asian Only	965	21.59%
White & Asian	2,573	57.57%
All Other Possibilities	460	10.29%

Table 2: Variables included in the multinomial logit models.

Child's Characteristics	Educational Attainment
Child's Age	Neither Partner Graduated High School
Child's Gender	Both Partners Graduated High School
Child is Foreign Born	Both with Some College
Household Characteristics	Both Graduated College
Child has Siblings in the Household	Both with Grad or Professional Degree
English Only in the Household	Minority Partner has more Education
Minority Partner's English is Not Fluent	Minority Partner has lower Education
# Persons in Housing Unit	Work, School & Military Attachment
Household Income	One Partner is In School
Household Income Squared	Both Partners are in School
Housing Unit is Owner Occupied	Both Partners are Retired
Household Moved from w/in Metro	Female Partner is Not In Labor Force
Household Moved from outside of Metro	One or Both Partners In Military
General Characteristics of Adults	One or Both Partners Retired Military
Male Adult's Age	Tract Racial Composition
Parents are Married	% White
Race & Ancestry of Adults	Scaled Entropy (General Diversity)
White Adult is Male	% Multiracial
White Partner is Mixed Ancestry	% Foreign Born
Minority Partner is Mixed Ancestry	Tract SES Characteristics
Foreign Birth Status of Adults	% Active Military
Both Partners Born in US	Median Household Income
White Partner is Foreign Born	% College Graduate
Minority Partner is Foreign Born	% > 65 Years Old
Both Partners are Foreign Born	% In School
Year of Entry prior to 1970	Tract is in Urbanized Area
Year of Entry in '70s	Metropolitan Dummy Variables
Year of Entry in '80s	Asian National Ancestry (Asians
Year of Entry in '90s	Only)

Figure 1: Effects of tract-level racial configuration on odds of racial reporting for children in black-white households.

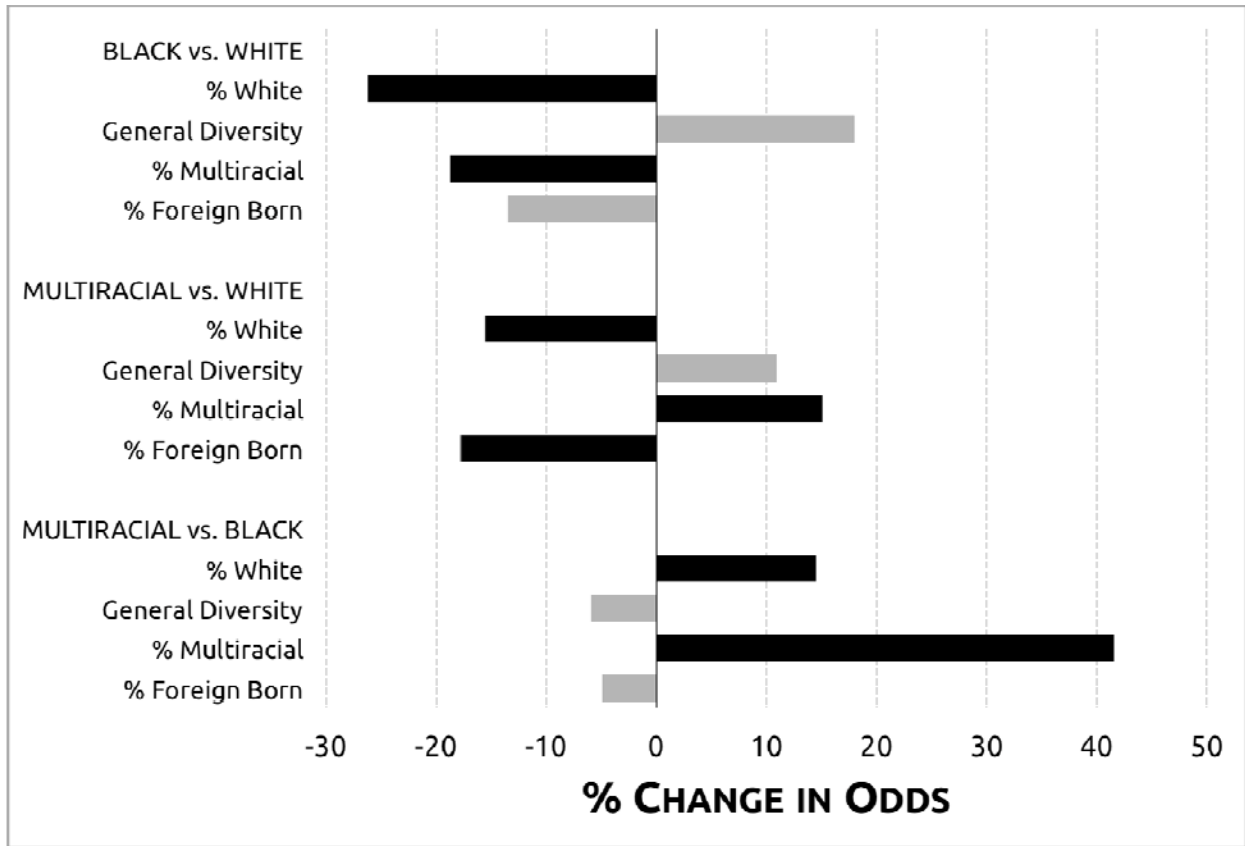
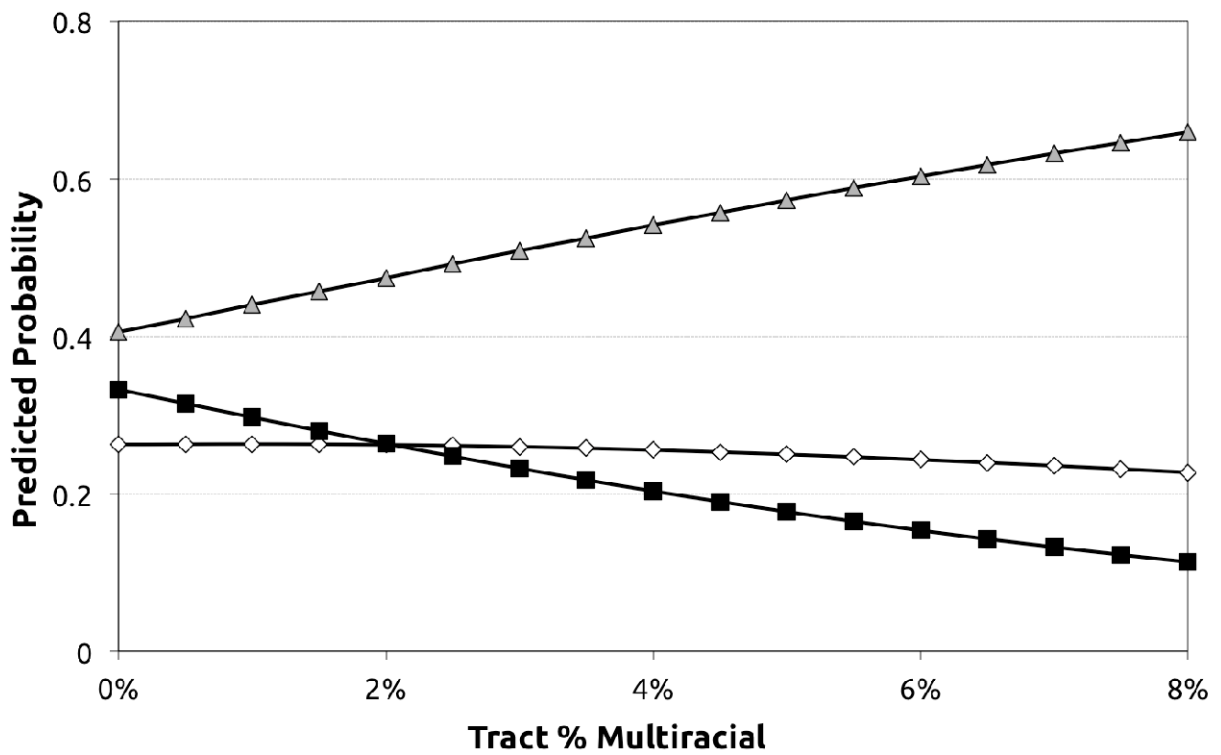
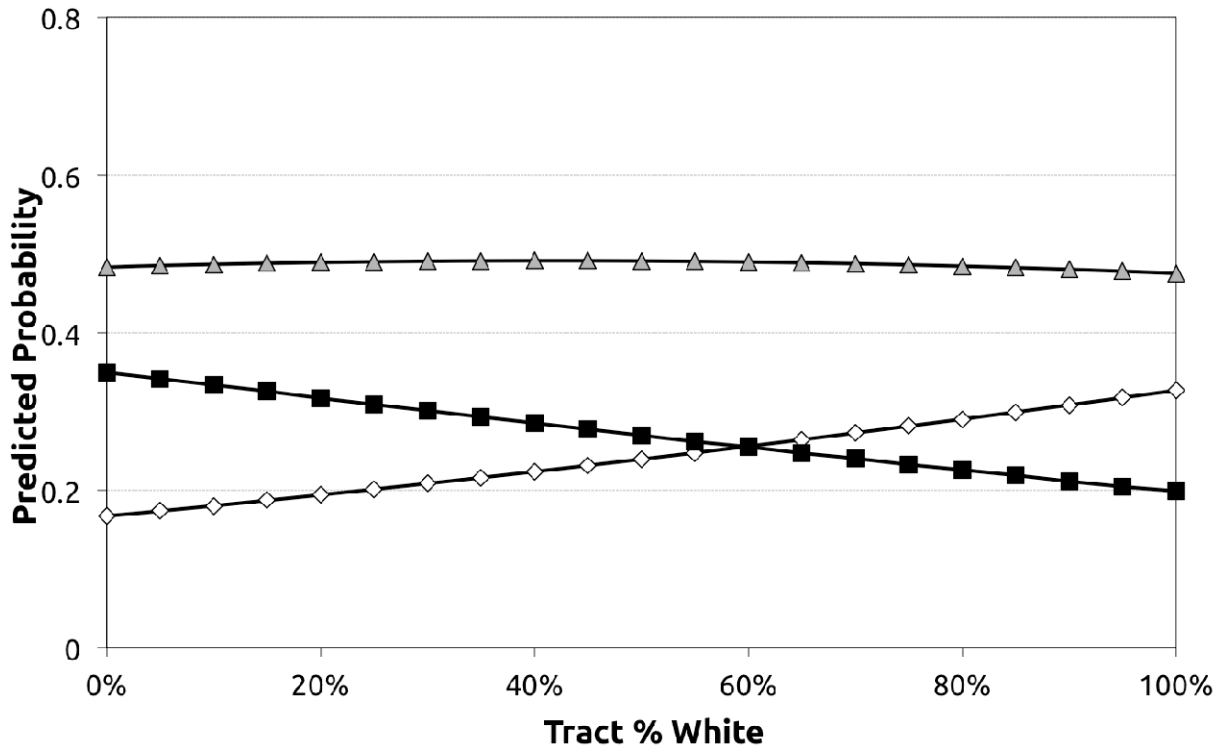


Figure 2: Predicted probability of racial classification in response to (A) census tract percent white and (B) census tract percent multiracial for children in white-black



◇ Child Reported as White ■ Child Reported as Black ▲ Child Reported as White & Black

Figure 3: Effects of tract-level racial configuration on odds of racial reporting for children in white-Asian households.

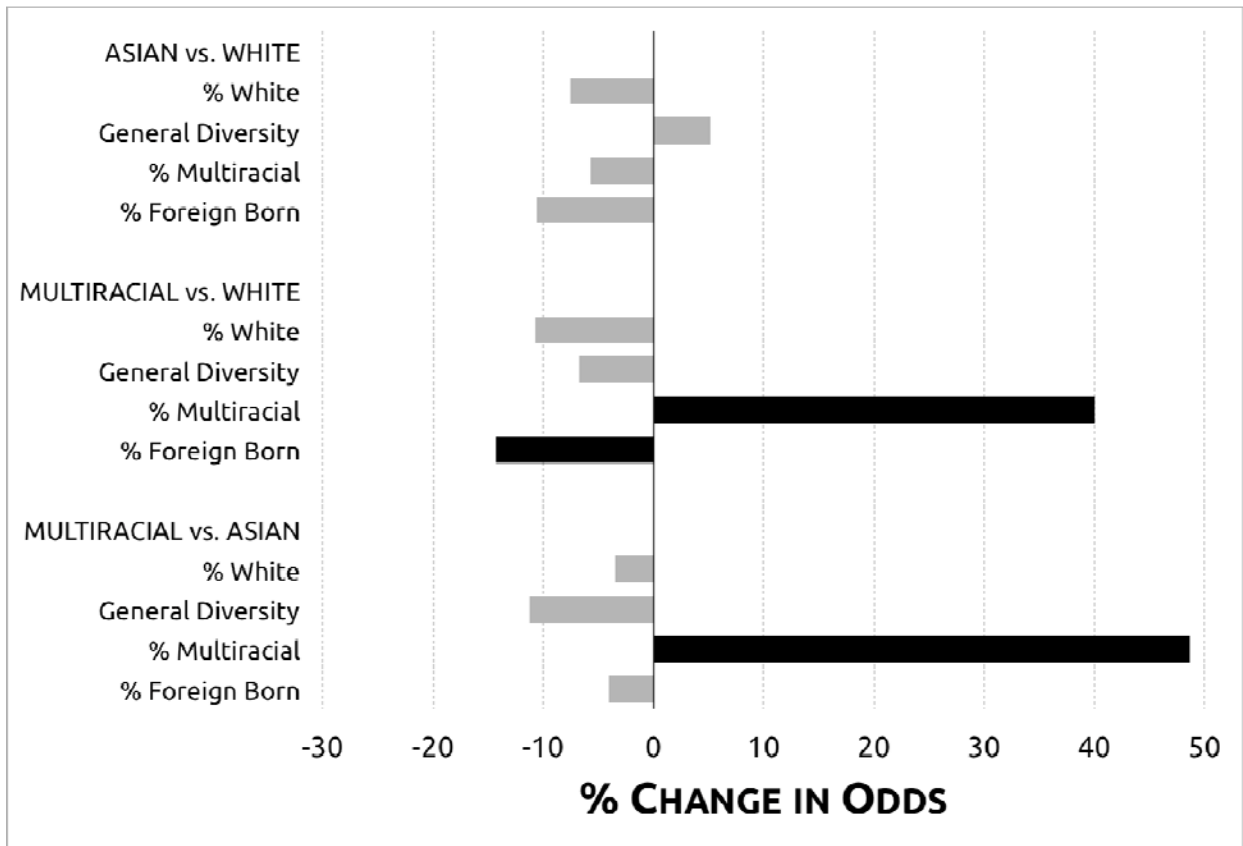


Figure 4: Predicted probability of racial classification in response to (A) census tract percent multiracial and (B) census tract percent foreign born for children in white-Asian households.

