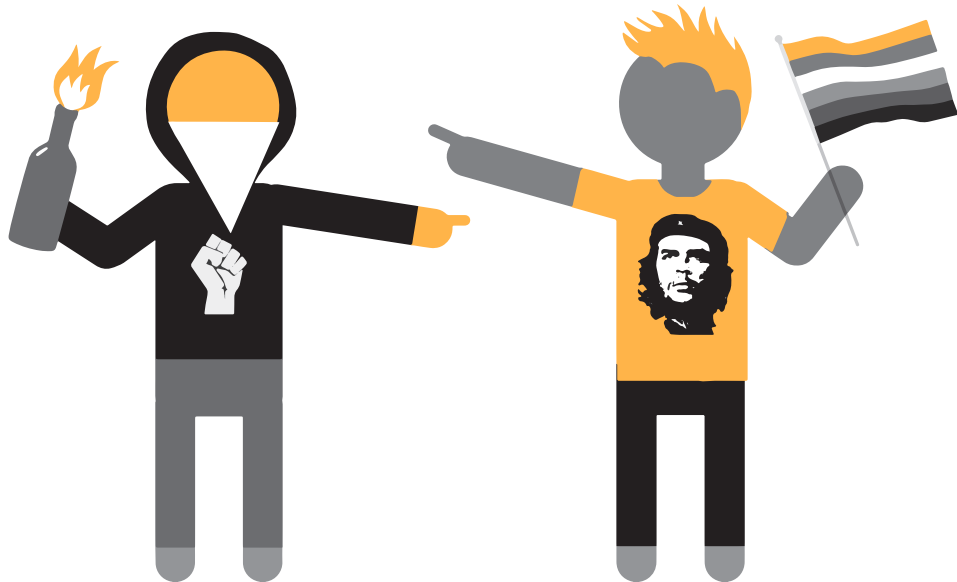


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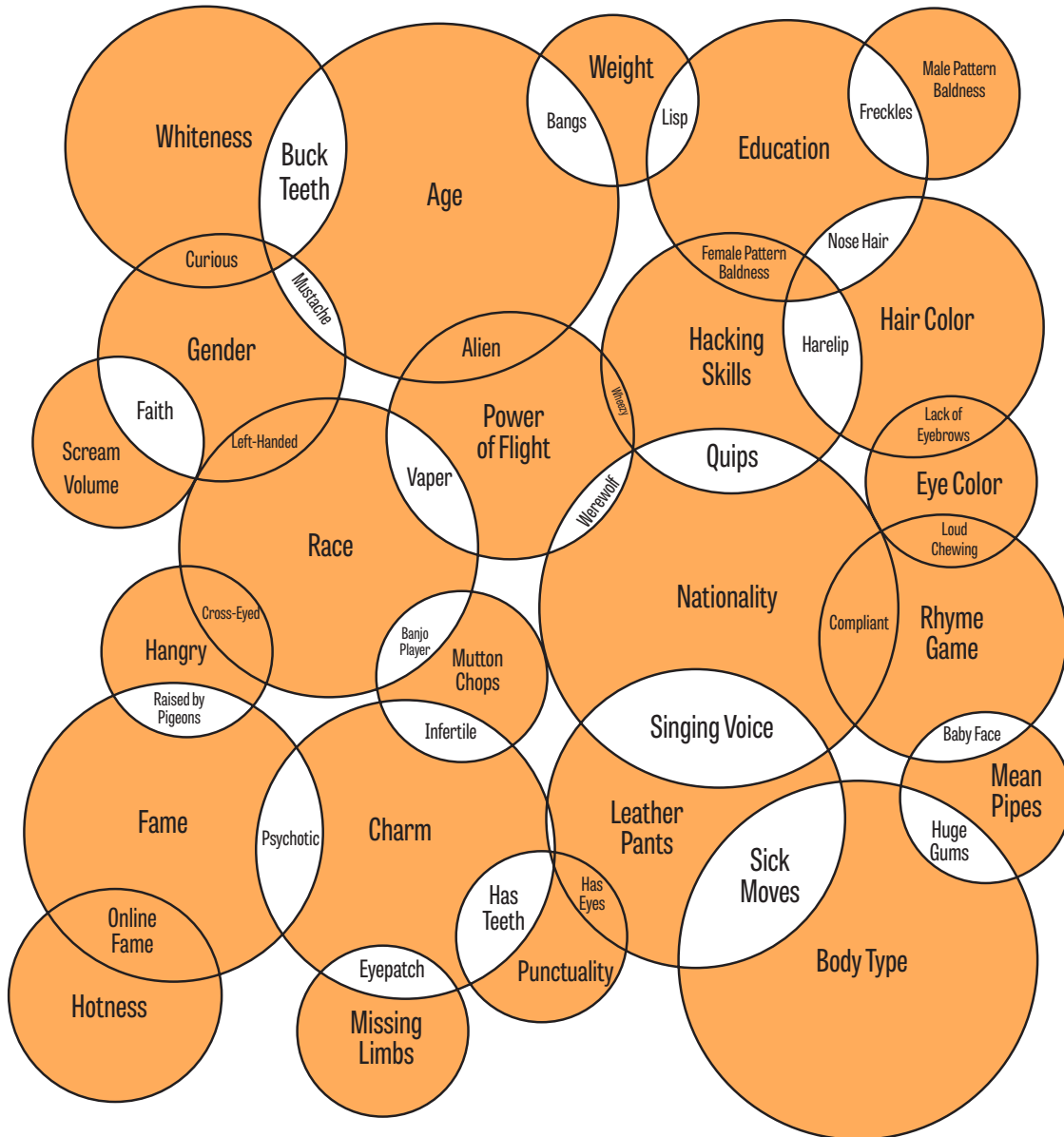


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THE INTERSECTIONALITY MATRIX

Humans are varied. Some are old, some are fat, some are from Kentucky, and others are from Kenya. Some can touch the tip of their nose with their tongue, and others can flatulate on command. We all have intersections of privileges and disadvantages. The point is not to see each of us as unique individuals, but to parse all of humanity into groups based on these obscure and often meaningless attributes so that a new minority group can be created.



So, to solve the problem of who’s an innocent victim and who’s a perpetrator of evil white supremacy, we came up with the intersectionality matrix. You want to land on as many intersections of oppression as possible.

Here are just a few examples of some oppressed identities you can select:

OPPRESSION IDENTIFIER

To create your own oppressed class, simply follow the instructions to combine an option from each list and immediately identify as that.

DISABILITY	GENDER	RACE/CREED	BONUS
(1st Letter of First Name)	(3rd Letter of Middle Name)	(2nd Letter of Last Name)	(Last Letter of First Name)
A. Underdeveloped	A. Cisgendered	A. Pacific Islander	A. With Nine Kids
B. Anxious	B. Bisexual	B. New Jerseyan	B. On a Boat
C. Bipedal	C. Bipolar	C. White	C. Currently on Fire
D. One-Legged	D. Pansexual	D. Hmong	D. With Honey Glaze
E. Huge-Gummed	E. Trans-Siberian	E. Arab	E. From Space
F. Balding	F. Agender	F. Indigenous	F. With a Slice of Lime
G. Obese	G. Androgynous	G. African American	G. With No Parents
H. Deaf	H. Transsexual	H. Armenian	H. With Bear Lungs
I. Blind	I. Demigender	I. Calvinist	I. On the Rocks
J. Hirsute	J. Feminine Adjacent	J. Kyrgyz	J. Without Any Rhythm
K. Headless	K. Gender Apathetic	K. Uyghur	K. Who Died Years Ago
L. Many-Fingered	L. Treeseexual	L. Muslim	L. In a Body Cast
M. Kneeless	M. Gender-Neutral	M. Christian	M. Who Sucks at Tetris
N. Boneless	N. Gender-Fluid	N. Alaskan	N. Who Can't Spell for Crap
O. Squeaky-Breathing	O. Gender-Nonconforming	O. Eskimo	O. With No Sense of Smell
P. Buck-Toothed	P. Graygender	P. Elf	P. Who Fell Down a Well
Q. Harelipped	Q. Hermaphroditic	Q. Haitian	Q. Who Eats Babies
R. Crazy-Eyed	R. Multigender	R. Quaker	R. On Stilts
S. Cyclopidian	S. Omnigender	S. Simpson	S. On Top of Old Smoky
T. Double Amputee	T. Polygender	T. Troglodyte	T. On a Unicycle
U. Legally Blonde	U. Math-Loving	U. Philistine	U. Who Sucks at Harmonies
V. Papier-Mâché	V. Cat-Loving	V. Fishmonger	V. With Large Moles
W. Flea-Ridden	W. Germophobe	W. Lunatic	W. On Their Death Bed
X. Horse-Faced	X. Homophobe	X. Turkish	X. With No Spleen
Y. Jawless	Y. Stone Butch	Y. Tater Tot	Y. Created by Mad Scientists
Z. Pointy-Headed	Z. Trigender	Z. Amazonian	Z. Built by Jim Henson

Intersectionality

Take a look at our handy chart here in order to place yourself on the intersectional oppression matrix so you know just how bad you have it in life:



No matter what identity you select, the important thing is that you never, ever take responsibility for problems in your own life. In short, go out and criticize the world before you clean your room—because your dirty room is everyone else's fault.

Let's take a closer look at each axis of your identity.

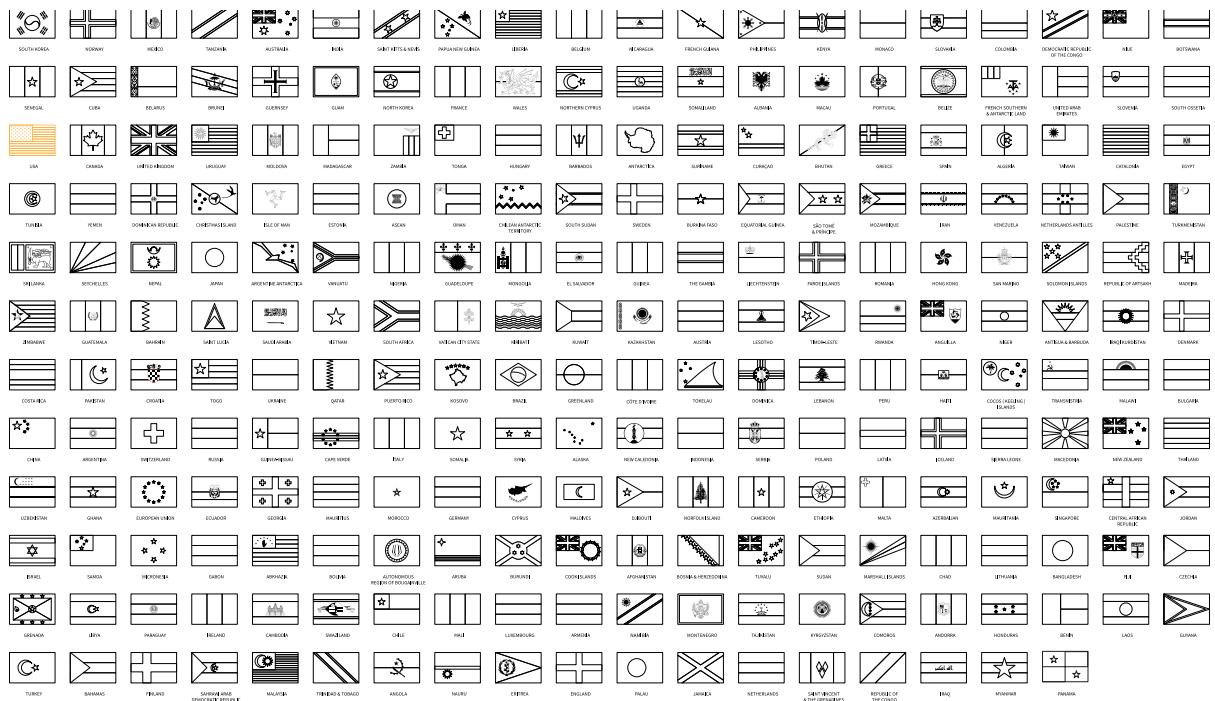
NATIONALITY

Being woke is all about diversity. We love people of ALL nationalities and want the whole world to just be a big melting pot of all cultures, creeds, and nations.

Except, of course, Americans. America is a disgusting place filled with white nationalists who could learn a thing or two from more advanced socialist countries like Venezuela or the Soviet Union.

So if you're a white Christian American male, you've got a real problem, because your entire existence is basically a plague upon the earth. You need to spend all your days online apologizing to people from superior countries for the place you're ashamed to call home. The nice thing is you don't actually have to put your money where your mouth is and move to Canada. You can just constantly threaten to leave the country and say things like "UGH, I'M SORRY FOR MY FELLOW AMERICANS" and "I'M TOTALLY MOVING TO CANADA THE NEXT TIME A REPUBLICAN WINS THE PRESIDENCY!!!" But you can keep reaping the benefits of American prosperity while never leaving for a country that's not doing as well.

Good Countries vs. Bad Countries



Key:

Good



Bad



RECOGNIZING MICROAGGRESSIONS IN EVERYDAY LIFE

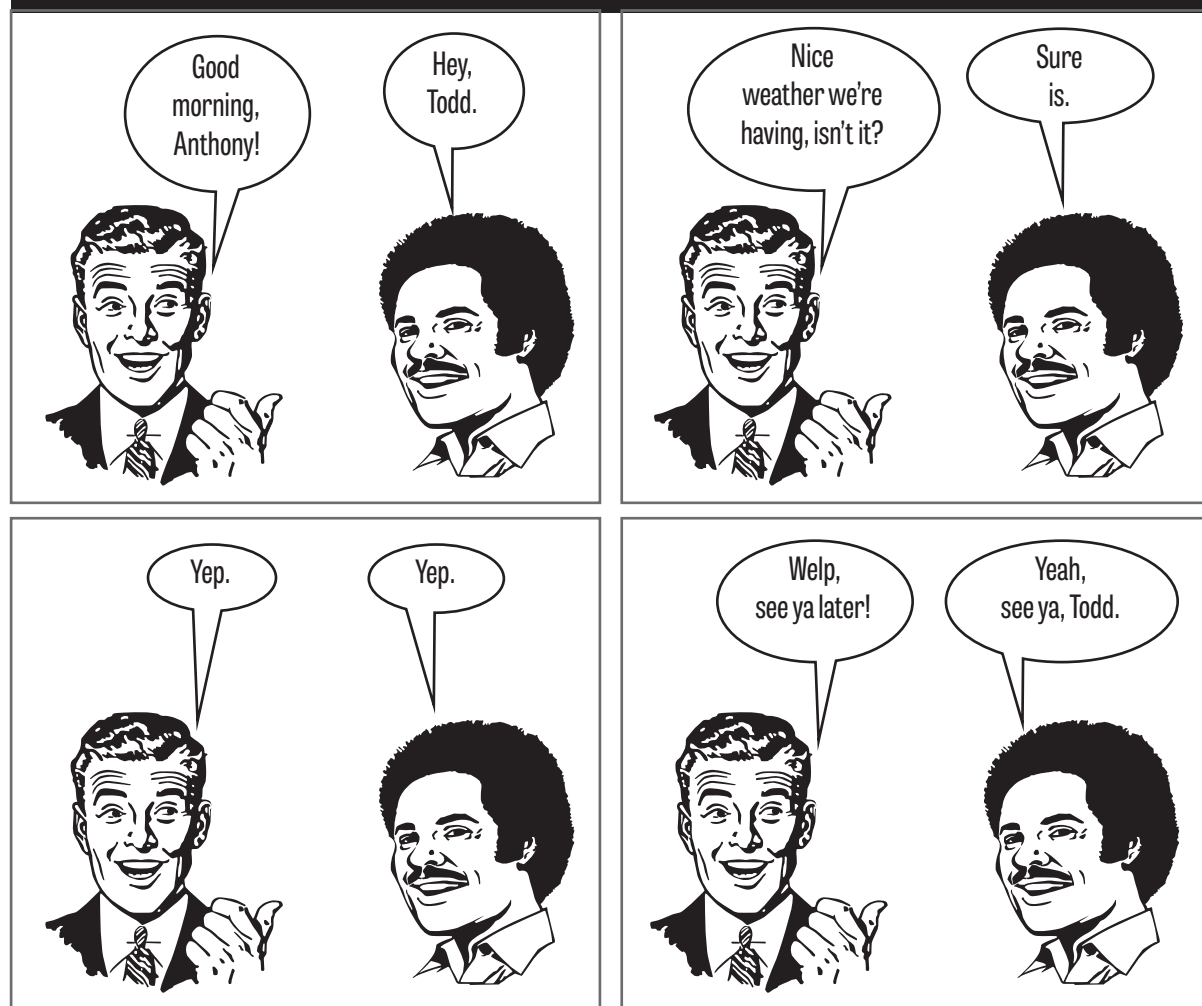
Non-woke people don't even see microaggressions because they are still blinded by their hate.

To them, microaggressions are like eating, drinking, sleeping, or breathing—they just do them naturally.

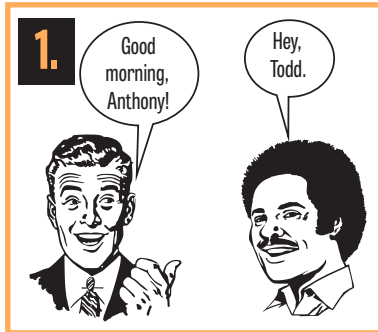
But woke people see microaggressions in everything.

Let's see if we can spot some microaggressions in these seemingly innocent conversations, and let's learn together how best to respond to these horrible acts of violence against oppressed peoples:

CAN YOU SPOT THE MICROAGGRESSIONS?



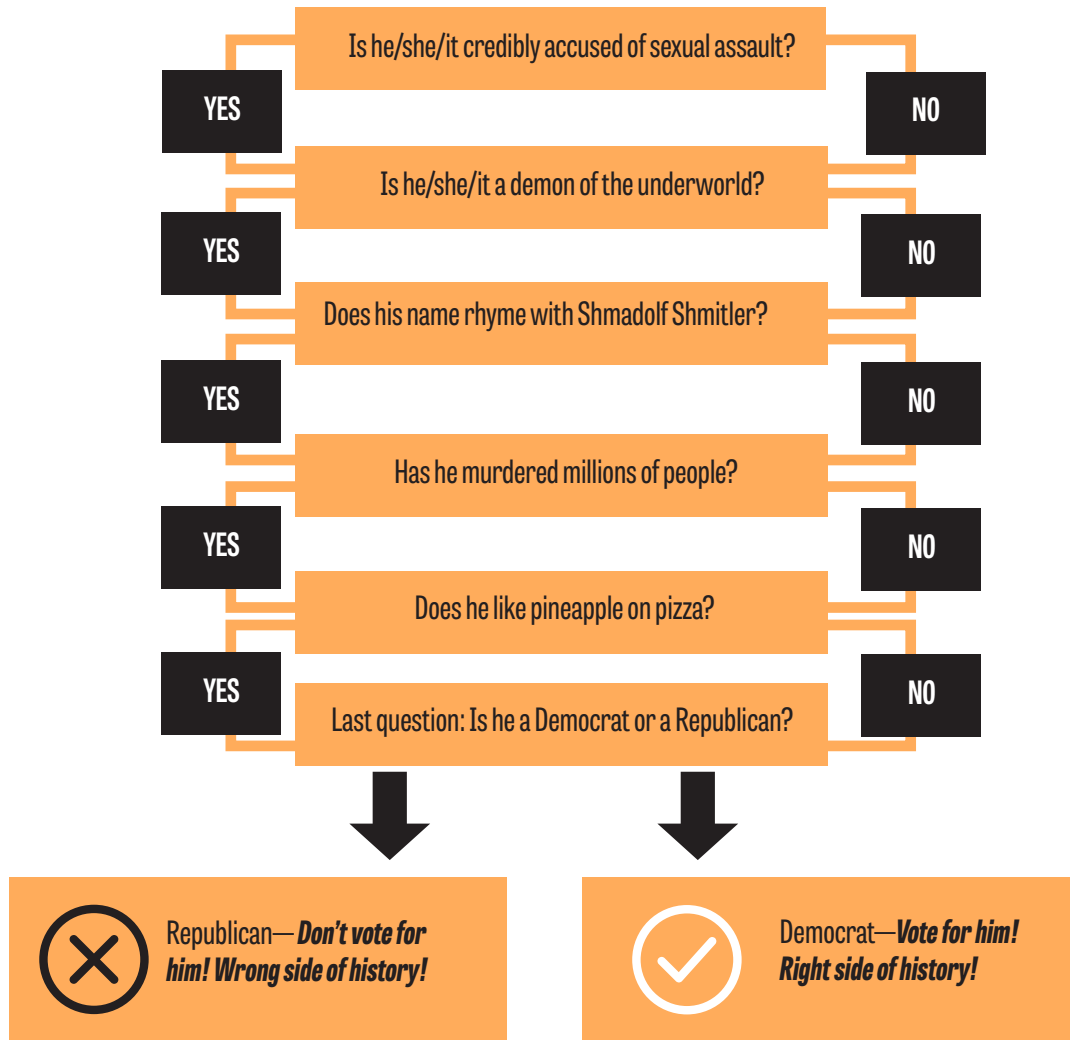
Wow! Let's take a look at all the microaggressions here:



1. **Todd said hi to a person of color**, colonizing his space and asserting dominance as a white supremacist. He might as well have just shot Anthony in the face. This is really offensive.
2. **Todd suggested the weather was “nice,” minimizing the struggle of people of color** everywhere. How can the weather be nice when the Republican Party still exists? Of course Todd thinks the weather is nice—he’s a racist who’s satisfied with perpetuating the status quo.
3. **Todd said “Yep,” agreeing with a person of color.** When you smile, nod, and say “yep” to a black person, you’re simply patronizing them and suggesting that they need white affirmation before any of their opinions become valid. Very racist.
4. **Todd said, “See ya later!”** callously suggesting that he would be forcing his presence upon Anthony later in the day without even asking for consent. Be silent and let people of color be the ones to initiate the suggestion that you will see them later.
5. **Todd didn’t constantly apologize for being white.** Truly woke people will punctuate every sentence with constant apologies for not having the right skin color. Todd didn’t do this, further demonstrating that he is complicit in white supremacy. He might as well have worn a KKK hood throughout this conversation—and from all we know here, maybe he was.
6. **Todd never once offered to kill himself to reduce white influence on the world.** This is a common mistake white people make in conversations with BIPOC persons, never being considerate enough to say, “Hey, I’m gonna go ahead and off myself to make the world a better place!” Sad. Not good!

We hope you caught all six of those. There are probably dozens more, but we’ll leave you to find them on your own.

SHOULD I VOTE FOR THIS CANDIDATE?



VOTE TO BRING ABOUT UTOPIA

Religious people believe that they have hope outside this world—that they can change things for the better but ultimately need a Savior to bring light to this dark place. This is, of course, wishful thinking and fairy tales.

We know that our saviors are politicians, and only by voting can we usher in a utopia. This is why you must demonize the people you disagree with. Religious people had demons—we have Republicans.