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| **Arranged Marriage Statistics** | **Data** |
| Average divorce rate globally on arranged marriages | 4 % |
| India divorce rate | 1.1 % |
| Global divorce rate for arranged marriages | 6 % |
| Average number of years older the male is from the female in an arrange marriage | 4.5 years |
| Percent of marriages in India that are arranged | 90 % |
| Percent of marriages in the world that are arranged | 55 % |
| Percent of U.S. men between the age of 40 and 50 who have never been married | 14 % |
| Percent of U.S. women between the age of 40 and 50 who have never been married | 10 % |
| **Percent of girls who were forced to marry before a certain age** |  |
| South Asia before age 18 | 48 % |
| Bangladesh before age 15 | 27.3 % |
| Africa before age 18 | 42 % |
| Niger before age 15 | 26 % |
| Kyrgyzstan before age 18 | 21.2 % |
| Kazakhstan before age 18 | 14.4 % |