

# Mos Def, Yo Yeah

[Backing]

Yo ye Yo ye  
Yo Yo Ye Ye

[Small girl]

Black is black is something to laugh about black is something to cry about  
black is serious black is a feeling black is us the beautiful people

[Older women]

That was when some of them bad niggas made beauty moving juju changes the drum  
music hum! Mojo vibrated and high jons screamed through the bloods to no one  
hears the blood sounds no more folk intercourses and all the niggas listening  
acted visionaries too dig my people they acted the rhythms pulling there minds  
was one and move move move universe earth spirit firing the soils to destroy  
the evil un image cleanse the waste from the cold lands till the cosmos was  
whole again and the worlds had become nude

[Older man]

3:30 in the morning with not a sole in sight we sat four deep at a traffic light  
Talking about how dumb and brainwashed how dumb some of our brothers and  
sisters are while we wait for a green light to tell us when to go.

[Applause]