



OVERVIEW

The study was conducted for CNN via web and telephone on the SSRS Opinion Panel, a nationally representative panel of U.S. adults ages 18 or older recruited using probability-based sampling techniques. SSRS is an independent research company. Surveys were obtained **April 30-May 4, 2026**, with a representative sample of **n=1,499** respondents. The margin of sampling error for total respondents is **+/-2.8** at the 95% confidence level. The design effect is **1.2**. More information about SSRS can be obtained by visiting www.ssrs.com.

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NOTE ABOUT RESULTS

Unless otherwise noted, results beginning with the August 3-6, 2017 survey and ending with the April 21-26, 2021 survey are from polls conducted by SSRS via telephone only. For more information about other trend data included in this topline, please see the "More on Methodology" section at the end of this document.

Results beginning with the March 31-April 2, 2006 survey and ending with the April 22-25, 2017 survey are from telephone surveys conducted by ORC International. Results before March 31, 2006 are from telephone surveys conducted by Gallup.

Question text noted in parentheses was rotated or randomized. Values less than 0.5 percent are indicated by an asterisk (*).

NOTE ABOUT CROSSTABS

Surveys were conducted among a representative sample of the adult population, age 18 or older, of the United States. Members of demographic groups not shown in the published crosstabs are represented in the results for each question in the poll. Crosstabs on the pages that follow only include results for subgroups with a minimum N=125 unweighted cases. Results for subgroups with fewer than N=125 unweighted cases are not displayed and instead are denoted with "SN" because samples of that size carry larger margins of sampling error and can be too small to be projectable with confidence to their true values in the population.

A1. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling his job as president?

	Approve	Disapprove	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	35%	65%	*
March 26-30, 2026	35%	64%	1%
February 17-20, 2026	36%	63%	*
January 9-12, 2026	39%	61%	1%
October 27-30, 2025	37%	63%	*
July 10-13, 2025	42%	58%	*
April 17-24, 2025	41%	59%	1%
March 6-9, 2025	45%	54%	1%
February 24-28, 2025	48%	52%	*
February 13-17, 2025	47%	52%	1%
January 9-14, 2021	34%	62%	4%
October 23-26, 2020	42%	55%	4%
October 1-4, 2020	40%	57%	3%
Aug. 28-Sept. 01, 2020	41%	53%	7%
August 12-15, 2020	42%	54%	3%
June 2-5, 2020	38%	57%	5%
May 7-10, 2020	45%	51%	4%
April 3-6, 2020	44%	51%	5%
March 4-7, 2020	43%	53%	4%
January 16-19, 2020	43%	53%	4%
December 12-15, 2019	43%	53%	4%
November 21-24, 2019	42%	54%	4%
October 17-20, 2019	41%	57%	2%
September 5-9, 2019	39%	55%	6%
August 15-18, 2019	40%	54%	6%
June 28-30, 2019	43%	52%	5%
May 28-31, 2019	43%	52%	5%
April 25-28, 2019	43%	52%	5%
March 14-17, 2019	42%	51%	8%
Jan. 30-Feb. 02, 2019	40%	55%	5%
January 10-11, 2019	37%	57%	7%
December 06-09, 2018	39%	52%	9%
November 01-03, 2018	39%	55%	6%
October 04-07, 2018	41%	52%	7%
September 06-09, 2018	36%	58%	6%
August 09-12, 2018	42%	53%	5%
June 14-17, 2018	39%	54%	7%
May 02-05, 2018	41%	53%	6%
March 22-25, 2018	42%	54%	5%
February 20-23, 2018	35%	58%	7%
January 14-18, 2018	40%	55%	5%
December 14-17, 2017	35%	59%	6%
November 02-05, 2017	36%	58%	6%
October 12-15, 2017	37%	57%	6%
September 26-28, 2017	37%	56%	7%

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A1. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling his job as president? (CONTINUED)

	Approve	Disapprove	No opinion
September 17-20, 2017	40%	55%	5%
August 03-06, 2017	38%	56%	5%
August 03-06, 2017	38%	56%	5%
April 22-25, 2017	44%	54%	2%
March 01-04, 2017	45%	52%	3%
Jan. 31-Feb. 02, 2017	44%	53%	3%

A2. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling (INSERT ITEM)? [ITEMS ASKED IN RANDOM ORDER]

The economy	Approve	Disapprove	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	30%	70%	-
March 26-30, 2026	31%	69%	*
January 9-12, 2026	39%	61%	*
July 10-13, 2025	40%	60%	*
April 17-24, 2025	39%	61%	*
March 6-9, 2025	44%	56%	1%
January 9-14, 2021**	53%	44%	4%
October 1-4, 2020	48%	48%	4%
Aug. 28-Sept. 01, 2020	50%	45%	5%
August 12-15, 2020	51%	44%	5%
June 2-5, 2020	48%	48%	4%
May 7-10, 2020	50%	46%	4%
April 3-6, 2020	48%	46%	6%
March 4-7, 2020	54%	42%	4%
January 16-19, 2020	55%	40%	4%
November 21-24, 2019	55%	40%	5%
October 17-20, 2019	52%	43%	5%
September 5-9, 2019	48%	47%	5%
August 15-18, 2019	50%	46%	4%
June 28-30, 2019	50%	44%	6%
May 28-31, 2019	52%	41%	7%
April 25-28, 2019	56%	41%	3%
March 14-17, 2019	51%	42%	6%
Jan. 30-Feb. 02, 2019	48%	45%	7%
December 06-09, 2018	49%	41%	10%
November 01-03, 2018	53%	42%	5%
October 04-07, 2018	51%	42%	7%
September 06-09, 2018	49%	44%	7%
August 09-12, 2018*	49%	47%	4%
June 14-17, 2018	49%	43%	9%
May 02-05, 2018	52%	42%	6%
March 22-25, 2018	48%	45%	7%
February 20-23, 2018	46%	47%	7%

* Asked of half sample

**QUESTION WORDING: Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump has handled the economy?
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A2. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling (INSERT ITEM)? [ITEMS ASKED IN RANDOM ORDER] (CONTINUED)

The economy	Approve	Disapprove	No opinion
January 14-18, 2018	49%	43%	8%
December 14-17, 2017	44%	49%	6%
November 02-05, 2017	45%	46%	9%
September 17-20, 2017	45%	47%	8%
August 03-06, 2017	45%	47%	8%
April 22-25, 2017	49%	47%	4%
March 01-04, 2017*	55%	41%	4%
Jan. 31-Feb. 02, 2017	49%	43%	9%

* Asked of half sample

Immigration	Approve	Disapprove	No opinion
April 30- May 1, 2026	41%	59%	*
March 26-30, 2026	41%	59%	*
January 9-12, 2026	42%	58%	*
July 11-13, 2025	42%	58%	*
April 17-24, 2025	45%	54%	*
March 6-9, 2025	51%	48%	*
January 9-14, 2021**	36%	61%	3%
January 16-19, 2020	42%	56%	2%
November 21-24, 2019	39%	58%	3%
October 17-20, 2019	40%	58%	2%
September 5-9, 2019	37%	59%	4%
August 15-18, 2019	37%	58%	5%
June 28-30, 2019	40%	57%	3%
May 28-31, 2019	41%	54%	5%
April 25-28, 2019	42%	54%	4%
March 14-17, 2019	39%	58%	3%
Jan. 30-Feb. 02, 2019	41%	54%	5%
December 06-09, 2018	39%	54%	7%
November 01-03, 2018	37%	59%	4%
October 04-07, 2018	39%	56%	5%
September 06-09, 2018	35%	59%	6%
August 09-12, 2018	37%	58%	4%
June 14-17, 2018	35%	59%	6%
May 02-05, 2018	40%	55%	5%
February 20-23, 2018	36%	60%	5%

**QUESTION WORDING: Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump has handled immigration?

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A2. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling (INSERT ITEM)? [ITEMS ASKED IN RANDOM ORDER] (CONTINUED)

Immigration	Approve	Disapprove	No opinion
January 14-18, 2018	38%	57%	5%
November 02-05, 2017	37%	57%	6%
October 12-15, 2017	37%	59%	5%
September 17-20, 2017	36%	60%	4%
August 03-06, 2017*	40%	55%	5%
April 22-25, 2017	41%	57%	2%
March 01-04, 2017	44%	55%	1%
Jan. 31-Feb. 02, 2017	42%	56%	2%

* Asked of half sample.

**QUESTION WORDING: Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump has handled immigration?

Foreign affairs	Approve	Disapprove	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	31%	69%	*
March 26-30, 2026*	36%	64%	0%
January 9-12, 2026	39%	60%	1%
July 10-13, 2025*	40%	60%	*
April 17-24, 2025	39%	60%	1%
March 6-9, 2025*	42%	58%	0%
January 9-14, 2021**	41%	55%	4%
March 4-7, 2020	41%	54%	5%
January 16-19, 2020	43%	52%	5%
November 21-24, 2019	40%	55%	5%
October 17-20, 2019	38%	59%	4%
September 5-9, 2019	37%	57%	6%
August 15-18, 2019	40%	55%	5%
June 28-30, 2019	40%	54%	6%
April 25-28, 2019	42%	52%	6%
March 14-17, 2019	40%	54%	7%
Jan. 30-Feb. 02, 2019	40%	54%	6%
December 06-09, 2018*	36%	54%	10%
November 01-03, 2018	39%	56%	5%
October 04-07, 2018	41%	52%	7%
September 06-09, 2018	36%	56%	8%
August 09-12, 2018	40%	55%	5%
June 14-17, 2018	39%	53%	9%
May 02-05, 2018	42%	51%	7%
March 22-25, 2018	39%	53%	8%
January 14-18, 2018	35%	56%	9%
November 02-05, 2017	34%	59%	7%
September 17-20, 2017*	36%	58%	7%
August 03-06, 2017*	35%	61%	4%
April 22-25, 2017	43%	56%	1%
March 01-04, 2017*	41%	54%	5%
Jan. 31-Feb. 02, 2017	40%	55%	4%

* Asked of half sample.

**QUESTION WORDING: Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump has handled foreign affairs?

A2. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling (INSERT ITEM)? [ITEMS ASKED IN RANDOM ORDER] (CONTINUED)

Helping the middle class	Approve	Disapprove	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	33%	67%	*
March 6-9, 2025*	43%	57%	*
May 28-31, 2019	44%	49%	7%
August 03-06, 2017*	39%	54%	8%
March 01-04, 2017	45%	50%	5%

* Asked of half sample

Taxes	Approve	Disapprove	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	37%	62%	*
July 10-13, 2025*	44%	56%	-
March 14-17, 2019	42%	49%	9%
November 01-03, 2018	43%	49%	8%
August 09-12, 2018	45%	46%	9%
January 14-18, 2018	42%	46%	12%
December 14-17, 2017	34%	57%	9%
November 2-5, 2017	35%	51%	14%
October 12-15, 2017	36%	50%	14%
September 17-20, 2017	34%	47%	19%
August 03-06, 2017*	34%	48%	18%
March 1-4, 2017*	43%	48%	9%

* Asked of half sample.

Inflation	Approve	Disapprove	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	26%	74%	-
March 26-30, 2026	27%	72%	*
April 17-24, 2025	35%	64%	1%
March 6-9, 2025*	44%	56%	1%

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Gas prices	Approve	Disapprove	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	21%	79%	*
March 26-30, 2026	24%	76%	*

The response to political violence in the country	Approve	Disapprove	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	36%	64%	*

A2. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling (INSERT ITEM)? [ITEMS ASKED IN RANDOM ORDER] (CONTINUED)

SUMMARY TABLE

April 30-May 4, 2026	Approve	Disapprove	No opinion
Immigration	41%	59%	*
Taxes	37%	62%	*
The response to political violence in the country	36%	64%	*
Helping the middle class	33%	67%	*
Foreign affairs	31%	69%	*
The economy	30%	70%	-
Inflation	26%	74%	-
Gas prices	21%	79%	*

I2. Which of the following is the **most** important issue facing the country today? [OPTIONS SHOWN IN RANDOM ORDER; SOMETHING ELSE ALWAYS LAST]

	April 30-May 4, 2026
The economy and cost of living	55%
The state of U.S. democracy	19%
Immigration	9%
Crime and safety	7%
Health care policy	4%
Foreign policy	3%
Something else	3%
No opinion	0%

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	January 9-12, 2026
The economy and cost of living	42%
The state of U.S. democracy	22%
Immigration	15%
Health care policy	8%
Crime and safety	6%
Foreign policy	2%
The situation in Venezuela	2%
Something else	3%
No opinion	0%

E1. How would you rate the economic conditions in the country today? [RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

	NET Good	Very good	Somewhat good	NET Poor	Somewhat poor	Very poor	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	27%	4%	23%	73%	41%	32%	0%

March 26-30, 2026	23%	2%	21%	77%	39%	39%	*
January 9-12, 2026	31%	3%	27%	69%	42%	27%	0%
October 27-30, 2025	28%	3%	25%	72%	42%	30%	0%
April 17-24, 2025	28%	3%	25%	71%	42%	29%	*
March 6-9, 2025	28%	2%	25%	72%	47%	25%	*
January 9-12, 2025	28%	4%	24%	72%	41%	31%	0%
April 18-23, 2024	30%	5%	24%	70%	36%	34%	0%
November 1-30, 2023	29%	3%	26%	71%	33%	38%	0%
July 1-31, 2023	25%	3%	22%	75%	41%	34%	*
May 17-20, 2023	24%	2%	22%	76%	45%	31%	*
March 1-31, 2023	29%	2%	27%	71%	39%	32%	*
Sept. 3-Oct. 5, 2022	22%	2%	20%	78%	41%	37%	0%
June 13-July 13, 2022	18%	1%	16%	82%	41%	41%	*
April 28-May 1, 2022	23%	2%	21%	77%	47%	30%	0%
December 8-12, 2021	37%	4%	33%	63%	42%	22%	*
Aug. 3-Sept. 7, 2021^	38%	3%	35%	62%	40%	22%	*
April 21-26, 2021	54%	8%	46%	45%	26%	19%	1%
January 9-14, 2021	43%	7%	36%	56%	35%	22%	1%
May 7-10, 2020	34%	10%	24%	65%	32%	33%	2%
April 3-6, 2020	39%	10%	29%	60%	27%	32%	1%
March 4-7, 2020	69%	30%	39%	30%	21%	9%	1%
December 12-15, 2019	76%	35%	41%	22%	13%	9%	2%
August 15-18, 2019	65%	24%	41%	33%	22%	11%	2%
May 28-31, 2019	70%	28%	42%	29%	21%	8%	2%
March 14-17, 2019	71%	26%	45%	27%	19%	8%	3%
December 06-09, 2018	67%	17%	50%	31%	21%	10%	2%
September 06-09, 2018	69%	26%	44%	28%	17%	11%	3%
June 14-17, 2018	66%	22%	44%	32%	21%	11%	2%
January 14-18, 2018	69%	20%	49%	29%	21%	9%	1%
November 02-05, 2017	68%	17%	51%	30%	20%	10%	2%
September 17-20, 2017	63%	10%	53%	35%	24%	11%	2%
April 22-25, 2017*	59%	8%	51%	41%	27%	14%	*
January 12-15, 2017	57%	8%	49%	43%	30%	13%	*
November 17-20, 2016	48%	5%	43%	51%	34%	17%	*
September 01-04, 2016	53%	9%	44%	47%	29%	18%	*
June 16-19, 2016	45%	5%	40%	54%	35%	19%	*
Apr. 28-May 1, 2016	48%	4%	44%	52%	31%	22%	1%
February 24-27, 2016	46%	4%	42%	53%	28%	25%	*
December 17-21, 2015	49%	6%	43%	51%	31%	20%	*
September 04-08, 2015	48%	6%	42%	51%	30%	21%	*
July 22-25, 2015	41%	5%	36%	59%	36%	23%	*

^Responses rotated beginning with the Aug. 3-Sept. 7, 2021 survey
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E1. How would you rate the economic conditions in the country today? [RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF] (CONTINUED)

	NET Good	Very good	Somewhat good	NET Poor	Somewhat poor	Very poor	No opinion
April 16-19, 2015	52%	5%	47%	48%	31%	17%	*
February 12-15, 2015	48%	4%	44%	52%	34%	18%	*
December 18-21, 2014	51%	5%	46%	49%	30%	19%	*
October 24-26, 2014	38%	5%	33%	62%	37%	25%	*
September 25-28, 2014	42%	2%	40%	57%	36%	21%	1%
July 18-20, 2014	41%	4%	37%	58%	33%	25%	*
May 2-4, 2014	38%	2%	36%	62%	33%	29%	*
December 16-19, 2013	32%	2%	30%	68%	36%	32%	*
October 18-20, 2013	29%	1%	28%	71%	35%	36%	*
September 27-29, 2013	33%	1%	32%	67%	31%	36%	*
June 11-13, 2013	35%	1%	34%	65%	40%	25%	*
May 17-18, 2013	33%	3%	30%	67%	38%	29%	*
March 15-17, 2013	31%	3%	28%	69%	37%	32%	*
December 17-18, 2012	26%	1%	25%	74%	37%	37%	*
November 02-04, 2012*	28%	3%	25%	71%	35%	36%	1%
Sept. 28-30, 2012 (RV)	27%	1%	26%	73%	39%	34%	*
Sept. 7-9, 2012 (RV)	32%	1%	31%	68%	35%	33%	*
June 28-July 1, 2012	27%	2%	25%	73%	39%	34%	*
May 29-31, 2012	31%	2%	29%	69%	39%	30%	*
March 24-25, 2012	31%	*	31%	69%	42%	27%	*
January 11-12, 2012	18%	1%	17%	80%	42%	38%	*
November 18-20, 2011	15%	1%	14%	85%	34%	51%	*
October 14-16, 2011	13%	*	13%	86%	39%	47%	1%
September 23-25, 2011	10%	1%	9%	90%	40%	50%	*
September 09-11, 2011	14%	1%	13%	85%	41%	44%	*
July 18-20, 2011	16%	*	16%	84%	38%	46%	*
June 3-7, 2011	19%	1%	18%	81%	40%	41%	*
Apr. 29-May 1, 2011	18%	1%	17%	82%	44%	38%	*
March 11-13, 2011	16%	1%	15%	84%	42%	42%	*
January 14-16, 2011	24%	1%	23%	75%	40%	35%	1%
November 11-14, 2010	18%	1%	17%	81%	37%	44%	1%
September 1-2, 2010	18%	1%	17%	81%	37%	44%	*
July 16-21, 2010	22%	1%	21%	78%	41%	37%	*
May 21-23, 2010	22%	1%	21%	78%	41%	37%	*
March 25-28, 2010	21%	1%	20%	78%	39%	39%	*
February 12-15, 2010	17%	2%	15%	83%	39%	44%	*
January 08-10, 2010	20%	2%	18%	80%	42%	38%	*
December 16-20, 2009	20%	1%	19%	80%	38%	42%	*
November 13-15, 2009	18%	1%	17%	82%	39%	43%	*
October 16-18, 2009	16%	2%	14%	84%	42%	42%	*
July 31-Aug. 3, 2009	21%	2%	19%	79%	44%	35%	*
June 26-28, 2009	20%	2%	18%	80%	39%	41%	*

* Asked of a half sample
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E1. How would you rate the economic conditions in the country today? [RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF] (CONTINUED)

	NET Good	Very good	Somewhat good	NET Poor	Somewhat poor	Very poor	No opinion
April 23-26, 2009	17%	1%	16%	83%	46%	37%	*
March 12-15, 2009	11%	1%	10%	89%	41%	48%	*
January 12-15, 2009	13%	2%	11%	86%	36%	50%	*
December 19-21, 2008	8%	2%	6%	93%	27%	66%	*
Oct. 30-Nov. 1, 2008	16%	3%	13%	83%	29%	54%	2%
October 03-05, 2008	16%	2%	14%	84%	31%	53%	*
September 19-21, 2008	19%	1%	18%	81%	34%	47%	*
Jan. 31-Feb. 02, 2014	36%	1%	35%	64%	36%	28%	*
August 23-24, 2008	25%	4%	21%	75%	32%	43%	*
June 4-5, 2008	22%	3%	19%	78%	39%	39%	*
March 14-16, 2008	26%	4%	22%	75%	35%	40%	*
January 14-17, 2008	40%	4%	36%	59%	40%	19%	*
December 6-9, 2007	46%	6%	40%	54%	33%	21%	1%
September 7-9, 2007	54%	9%	45%	45%	28%	17%	*
August 6-8, 2007	56%	11%	45%	43%	26%	17%	1%
May 4-6, 2007	61%	18%	43%	39%	25%	14%	1%
March 9-11, 2007	52%	10%	42%	46%	31%	15%	1%
January 19-21, 2007	63%	15%	48%	36%	23%	13%	1%
November 3-5, 2006	49%	8%	41%	50%	32%	18%	1%
October 27-29, 2006	62%	13%	49%	37%	24%	13%	1%
September 23-24, 2006	59%	12%	47%	41%	26%	15%	*
August 30-Sep. 2, 2006	44%	9%	35%	56%	34%	22%	*
June 14-15, 2006	51%	9%	42%	47%	31%	16%	2%
May 7-9, 2006	52%	10%	42%	47%	26%	21%	1%
March 10-12, 2006	59%	13%	46%	41%	26%	15%	*
September 8-11, 2005*	53%	7%	46%	47%	34%	13%	*
Apr. 29-May 1, 2005	50%	5%	45%	49%	33%	16%	1%
December 17-19, 2004	53%	8%	45%	47%	28%	19%	*
Jan. 29-Feb. 1, 2004	52%	5%	47%	47%	28%	19%	1%
December 5-7, 2003	57%	7%	50%	42%	30%	12%	1%
October 10-12, 2003	44%	4%	40%	56%	37%	19%	*
March 14-15, 2003	35%	2%	33%	64%	39%	25%	1%
February 24-26, 2003	34%	3%	31%	65%	43%	22%	1%
December 9-10, 2002	44%	3%	41%	55%	41%	14%	1%
October 21-22, 2002	41%	3%	38%	58%	42%	16%	1%
September 20-22, 2002	54%	5%	49%	46%	35%	11%	*
July 26-28, 2002	51%	5%	46%	49%	37%	12%	*
June 28-30, 2002	58%	5%	53%	42%	33%	9%	*
April 5-7, 2002	61%	6%	55%	39%	30%	9%	*
January 11-14, 2002	57%	7%	50%	42%	32%	10%	1%
December 14-16, 2001	50%	5%	45%	49%	37%	12%	1%
September 21-22, 2001	57%	7%	50%	42%	34%	8%	1%

*Asked of half sample

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E1. How would you rate the economic conditions in the country today? [RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF] (CONTINUED)

	NET Good	Very good	Somewhat good	NET Poor	Somewhat poor	Very poor	No opinion
April 20-22, 2001	67%	10%	57%	32%	25%	7%	1%
February 9-11, 2001	80%	16%	64%	19%	16%	3%	1%
January 15-16, 2001	82%	24%	58%	18%	14%	4%	*
June 6-7, 2000	85%	39%	46%	14%	9%	5%	1%
March 10-12, 2000	86%	42%	44%	13%	10%	3%	1%
June 25-27, 1999	84%	34%	50%	16%	10%	6%	*
June 8-10, 1999	89%	41%	48%	11%	8%	3%	*
July 7-8, 1998	79%	29%	50%	20%	15%	5%	1%
January 25-26, 1998	81%	24%	57%	18%	14%	4%	1%
January 24-25, 1998	81%	24%	57%	19%	13%	5%	1%
January 23-24, 1998	81%	24%	57%	19%	15%	4%	*
October 27-29, 1997	79%	24%	55%	19%	15%	4%	2%
August 22-25, 1997	69%	17%	52%	30%	21%	9%	1%

E3. In your own words, what would you say is the biggest economic problem facing your family today? [OPEN-END]

	April 30-May 4, 2026		April 30-May 4, 2026
EXPENSES/COST OF LIVING (NET)	76%	PERSONAL FINANCIAL CONCERNS (NET)	9%
Cost of living/Affordability/Prices	26%	Paying bills/Paycheck to paycheck/Making ends meet	3%
Cost of food	24%	Money/Managing money/Lack of money	2%
Inflation/Rising costs	23%	Social Security/Entitlements/Fixed income	1%
Gas prices/Transportation	23%	Finances (general)	1%
Cost of housing/Housing market	10%	Savings/Financial planning	1%
Cost of health care/health insurance	6%	Discretionary spending/Disposable income	1%
Cost of utilities/electricity	4%	Debt/Credit card debt	*
Cost of insurance	3%	Poverty/Poor (general)	*
Interest rates	1%	Stock market/Investments/401K	*
Cost of childcare/Children	1%	Retirement	*
Less quality/quantity for money spent	1%	Disability	*
Cost of education/Student loans	1%		
		SOCIETAL ISSUES/CONCERNS (NET)	4%
INCOME/EMPLOYMENT (NET)	13%	Capitalism/Income inequality/Middle class	2%
Wages/Not earning enough/Income not keeping up with inflation	9%	Immigration	1%
Unemployment/Jobs/Job security	4%	People unwilling to work/Work ethic	*
		Crime/Violence/Safety	*
POLICIES/GOVERNMENT (NET)	10%	Worry about next generation/children	*
Taxes	3%	AI	*
Trump/Republicans/GOP policies	2%	Corporate greed/power/Price gouging	*
Tariffs/Trade/International policy	1%		
Property taxes	1%	Economy (general)	2%
Gov't spending/waste/corruption	1%	Economic volatility/instability	1%
War in Iran/Impact of war	1%	No concerns/None	2%
Not enough help/Hard to get help	1%	Other	3%
Leadership/Gov't/Politicians	1%	No opinion	3%
Democrats/Democratic policies	1%		
Gov't payments to people/Welfare	*		

E3. In your own words, what would you say is the biggest economic problem facing your family today? **[OPEN-END] (CONTINUED)**

	April 17-24, 2025		April 17-24, 2025
EXPENSES/COST OF LIVING (NET)	58%	POLICIES/GOVERNMENT (NET)	21%
Inflation/Rising costs	28%	Tariffs/Trade/International policy	9%
Cost of food	16%	Trump/GOP policies	4%
Cost of living (General)	15%	Taxes (General)	4%
Cost of housing/Housing market	7%	Gov't spending/Waste/Deficit	1%
Cost of health care/Insurance	5%	Joe Biden/Democratic policies	1%
Gas, energy prices/Transportation	5%	Government/Politicians	1%
Cost of education/Student loans	2%	Cuts to federal jobs/programs	1%
Insurance	1%	Property taxes	1%
Cost of utilities	1%	Not enough help available	1%
Cost of childcare/Children	1%	Gov't payments/Welfare	1%
PERSONAL FINANCIAL CONCERNS (NET)	24%	INCOME/EMPLOYMENT (NET)	17%
Stock market/Investments	7%	Wages/Income not keeping up	10%
Social Security/Fixed income	4%	Unemployment/Jobs/Job security	6%
Retirement/Planning for retirement	3%	Business concerns/Small business	1%
Money/Lack of money (General)	3%		
Bills/Living paycheck to paycheck	3%	SOCIETAL ISSUES/CONCERNS (NET)	4%
Interest rates	2%	Capitalism/Income inequality	1%
Savings/Financial planning	2%	Immigration/Border	1%
Finances (General)	2%	Corporate greed/price gouging	1%
Worry about future (General)	1%	Education system	1%
Debt/Credit card debt	1%	Racism/DEI	*
Poverty/Poor	*	Homelessness	*
Discretionary spending	*	Crime	*
Shortages	*	AI	*
Disability	*		
		Economic volatility/Instability	4%
		Economy (General)	1%
		Recession/Downturn	1%
		None/Doing OK	2%
		Other	2%
		No opinion	4%

E3. In your own words, what would you say is the biggest economic problem facing your family today? **[OPEN-END]** (CONTINUED)

	June 03-24, 2024		June 03-24, 2024
EXPENSES/COST OF LIVING (NET)	65%	INCOME/EMPLOYMENT (NET)	14%
Inflation/Rising costs	26%	Wages/Not earning enough	10%
Cost of food	19%	Unemployment/Lack of jobs	4%
Cost of housing/Affordable housing/Housing market	14%	Lack of workers/People unwilling to work	*
Cost of living (General)	11%	Job security	*
Gas, energy prices/Transportation	8%		
Cost of healthcare/Insurance	6%	POLICIES/GOVERNMENT (NET)	10%
Cost of education/Student loans	3%	Taxes (General)	3%
Cost of utilities	2%	Joe Biden/Democratic policies	3%
Insurance	2%	Leadership/Government/Politicians	1%
Cost of childcare/Children	1%	Not enough help available	1%
Cost of care for elderly/long-term	*	Republicans/Republican policies/Trump	*
		Gov't spending/Deficits	*
PERSONAL FINANCIAL CONCERNS (NET)	17%	Gov't payments to people/Welfare	*
Money/Lack of money (General)	4%	Devaluation of dollar	*
Bills/Living paycheck to paycheck	3%	Gov't regulations/Gov't interference	*
Savings/Financial planning	2%	Property taxes	*
Interest rates	2%		
Retirement/Planning for retirement	2%	SOCIETAL ISSUES/CONCERNS (NET)	3%
Finances (General)	1%	Corporate greed/price gouging	1%
Social Security/COLA/Fixed income	1%	Immigration/Border	1%
Debt/Credit card debt	1%	Capitalism/Income inequality	*
Disability	1%	Racism	*
Discretionary spending	1%	Climate change	*
Overspending	*	Drugs/Addiction	*
Stock market/Investments	*	Crime/Violence	*
Credit	*		
Worry about future (General)	*	Economy (General)	1%
Poverty/Poor	*	Economic volatility/Instability	*
Financial literacy	*	None/Doing OK	2%
		Other	4%
		No opinion	4%

E3. In your own words, what would you say is the biggest economic problem facing your family today? [OPEN-END] (CONTINUED)

	June 13-July 13, 2022		June 13-July 13, 2022
EXPENSES/COST OF LIVING (NET)	75%	POLICIES/GOVERNMENT (NET)	7%
Inflation/Rising costs	38%	Joe Biden/Democratic policies	2%
Gas, energy prices/Oil production issues	29%	Taxes (General)	2%
Cost of food	18%	Not enough help available	1%
Cost of housing/Affordable housing/Housing market	8%	Leadership/Government/Politicians	1%
Cost of living (General)	7%	Gov't payments to people/Welfare	*
Cost of healthcare/Insurance	1%	Gov't regulations/Gov't interference	*
Cost of education/Student loans	1%	Gov't spending/Deficits	*
Interest rates	*	Republicans/Republican policies/Trump	*
Cost of utilities	*	Devaluation of dollar	*
Cost of childcare	*	Property taxes	*
Cost of care for elderly/long-term	*		
		CORONAVIRUS RELATED (NET)	2%
PERSONAL FINANCIAL CONCERNS (NET)	12%	Supply chain issues/Shortages	1%
Lack of money (General)	3%	Coronavirus (General)	*
Stock market/Investments	3%		
Bills/Living paycheck to paycheck	2%	SOCIETAL ISSUES/CONCERNS (NET)	4%
Finances (General)	1%	Corporate greed/price gouging	2%
Retirement/Planning for retirement	1%	Immigration/Border	1%
Social Security/COLA/Fixed income	1%	Energy independence/Oil pipelines	1%
Savings/Difficulty saving	*	Income inequality	*
Debt	*	Crime/Violence/Policing	*
Worry about future (General)	*	Climate change	*
Poverty/Poor	*	Racism	*
		Small business challenges/problems	*
INCOME/EMPLOYMENT (NET)	10%		
Wages/Not earning enough/Wages not keeping up	8%	Economy (General)	1%
Unemployment/Lack of jobs	2%	Uncertainty/Unknowns	*
Lack of workers/People unwilling to work	1%	Recession	*
Job security	*	None/Doing OK	2%
		Other	3%
		No opinion	1%

E3. In your own words, what would you say is the biggest economic problem facing your family today? [OPEN-END] (CONTINUED)

	Aug. 3-Sept. 7, 2021		Aug. 3-Sept. 7, 2021
EXPENSES/COST OF LIVING (NET)	43%	PERSONAL FINANCIAL CONCERNS (NET)	13%
Inflation/Rising costs	21%	Lack of money (General)	3%
Cost of housing/Affordable housing	7%	Bills/Living paycheck to paycheck	2%
Cost of healthcare/Insurance	6%	Retirement/Planning for retirement	2%
Gas prices/Oil production issues	5%	Social Security/COLA	1%
Cost of living (General)	4%	Savings/Difficulty saving	1%
Cost of food	3%	Poverty/Poor	1%
Cost of education/Student loans	3%	Debt	1%
Cost of childcare	1%	Stock market/Investments	1%
Cost of utilities	*	Finances (General)	1%
Cost of care for elderly/long-term	*	Worry about future (General)	*
		Financial literacy	*
INCOME/EMPLOYMENT (NET)	25%		
Wages/Not earning enough	12%	CORONAVIRUS RELATED (NET)	8%
Unemployment/Lack of jobs	8%	Coronavirus (General)	6%
Lack of workers/People unwilling to work	4%	Supply chain issues/Shortages	1%
Job security	2%	Lockdowns/Shutdowns	1%
		Vaccine mandates	*
POLICIES/GOVERNMENT (NET)	15%		
Taxes (General)	5%	SOCIETAL ISSUES/CONCERNS (NET)	4%
Gov't payments to people/Welfare	3%	Income inequality	1%
Gov't spending/Deficits	3%	Big business advantages/Loss of small biz	1%
Joe Biden/Democratic policies	2%	Racism	1%
Not enough help available	1%	Energy independence/Oil pipelines	1%
Leadership/Government/Politicians	1%	Crime/Violence	*
Gov't regulations/Gov't interference	1%	Immigration	*
Devaluation of dollar	1%	Climate change	*
Property taxes	*	Reverse racism	*
		Economy (General)	*
		Uncertainty/Unknowns	1%
		None/Doing OK	5%
		Other	7%
		DK/No opinion/Refused	3%

ECONFAIR. Please choose the statement that comes closer to your own views--even if neither is exactly right.
[RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

	The economic system in this country unfairly favors powerful interests	The economic system in this country is generally fair to most Americans	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	75%	24%	*

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	The economic system in this country unfairly favors powerful interests	The economic system in this country is generally fair to most Americans	<u>No opinion</u>
2024 Apr 8-14	74%	24%	2%
2023 Mar 27-Apr 2	77%	23%	1%
2022 Apr 25-May 1	74%	25%	1%
2021 Jul 8-18	71%	28%	1%
2019 Sept 3-15	70%	29%	1%
2019 Mar 18-Apr 1	71%	28%	1%
<i>Trends shown from online polls only.</i>			

TRUMPECON. Do you think Donald Trump's policies have: [FIRST TWO RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

	Improved economic conditions in the country	Worsened economic conditions in the country	Had no effect on economic conditions in the country	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026*	22%	65%	12%	0%
March 26-30, 2026	25%	65%	10%	0%
January 9-12, 2026	32%	55%	13%	*
October 27-30, 2025	27%	61%	12%	*
April 17-24, 2025	27%	59%	14%	*
March 6-9, 2025	28%	51%	21%	*

*Asked of half sample

COMPARE TO:

Joe Biden	Improved economic conditions in the country	Worsened economic conditions in the country	Had no effect on economic conditions in the country	No opinion
January 25-30, 2024	26%	55%	19%	0%
Aug. 25-31, 2023	24%	58%	18%	0%
Sept. 3-Oct. 5, 2022	26%	50%	24%	*
April 28-May 1, 2022	19%	55%	26%	*
December 8-12, 2021	30%	45%	25%	*

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	Improved economic conditions	Worsened economic conditions	No effect on economic conditions	No opinion
Barack Obama	<u>conditions</u>	<u>conditions</u>	<u>conditions</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2009 Nov 13-15*	36%	28%	35%	2%
2009 Aug 28-31	39%	34%	27%	1%
2009 May 14-17	37%	23%	40%	*
* Asked of half sample				
QUESTION WORDING: Do you think Barack Obama's policies have improved economic conditions, worsened economic conditions, or had no effect on economic conditions in the country?				

TRUMPCOST. How do you think Donald Trump's policies have affected the cost of living in your community? [RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

	Increased the cost of living	Decreased the cost of living	Had no effect on the cost of living	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026*	77%	8%	16%	0%
April 17-24, 2025	60%	12%	28%	*

*Asked of half sample

FINEEFFECT. Generally speaking, do you think each of the following have a (positive effect), a (negative effect) or not much effect on your financial situation? **[ITEMS ASKED IN RANDOM ORDER] [RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]**

April 30-May 4, 2026	Positive effect	Negative effect	Not much effect	No opinion
The war with Iran	8%	75%	17%	0%
The implementation of higher tariffs on foreign goods	16%	65%	19%	0%
The increasing use of AI technology	16%	46%	37%	*
The set of recent changes to tax laws	25%	41%	34%	0%
The recent performance of the stock market	25%	35%	40%	*

RECESSION. How likely do you think it is that the U.S. economy will go into a recession in the next year? **[RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]**

	NET Very/ Somewhat likely	Very likely	Somewhat likely	NET No too/ Not likely at all	Not too likely	Not likely at all	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	69%	28%	42%	31%	23%	7%	0%
April 17-24, 2025	69%	32%	37%	30%	24%	6%	*

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	<u>Very likely</u>	<u>Somewhat likely</u>	<u>Not too likely</u>	<u>Not likely at all</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2007 Dec 6-9*	7%	53%	30%	9%	2%

*QUESTION WORDING: How likely do you think it is that a recession will start in the US (United States) in the next year--very likely, somewhat likely, not too likely, or not likely at all?

FOLPOL. Which best describes your approach to following what happens in American politics? [IF WEB: I/IF PHONE: You]... [RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

	Frequently seek out the latest political news	Follow major developments in politics, but don't seek them out	Only pay as much attention to politics as necessary	Don't follow politics at all	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	26%	36%	29%	9%	*
October 27-30, 2025	29%	36%	27%	8%	*
Aug. 21-Sept. 1, 2025	29%	35%	28%	8%	*
May 5-26, 2025	32%	31%	25%	12%	*

COMPARE TO:

	Frequently seek out the latest campaign news	Follow major developments in the campaign, but don't seek them out	Only pay as much attention to the campaign as necessary	Don't follow the campaign at all	No opinion
January 25-30, 2024 (RV)	26%	38%	28%	7%	*
QUESTION WORDING: Which best describes your approach to following the 2024 presidential campaign? [IF WEB: I/IF PHONE: You]...					

(Registered voters, n=1,156)

H1. If the elections for Congress were being held today, which party's candidate would you vote for in your Congressional district?

H1A. If the elections for Congress were being held today, as of today, do you lean more toward: [ITEMS ASKED IN RANDOM ORDER & RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF; "OTHER" ALWAYS LAST]

H1/H1A COMBO TABLE

	The Democratic Party's candidate	The Republican Party's candidate	Other	Neither	Do not plan to vote	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026 (RV)	45%	42%	0%	11%	3%	0%
March 26-30, 2026 (RV)	48%	42%	0%	8%	2%	*
January 9-12, 2026 (RV)	46%	41%	0%	10%	2%	*
October 27-30, 2025 (RV)	47%	42%	*	8%	2%	0%
October 20-23, 2024 (RV)	45%	47%	2%	6%	*	*
June 28-30, 2024 (RV)	45%	47%	2%	5%	1%	*
Oct. 27-Nov. 2, 2023 (RV)	47%	48%	1%	3%	1%	0%
October 26-31, 2022 (RV)	46%	47%	1%	5%	1%	0%
Sept. 3-Oct. 5, 2022 (RV)	46%	43%	1%	7%	2%	0%
June 13-July 13, 2022 (RV)	46%	46%	2%	5%	2%	*
May 3-5, 2022 (RV)	42%	49%	2%	6%	1%	0%
April 28-May 1, 2022 (RV)	44%	45%	3%	6%	2%	*
Jan. 10-Feb. 6, 2022 (RV)	43%	44%	3%	6%	2%	1%
November 1-4, 2021 (RV)	49%	44%	1%	5%	2%	0%
Aug. 3-Sept. 7, 2021 (RV)	45%	44%	3%	7%	1%	*

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Registered Voters	The Democratic Party's candidate	The Republican Party's candidate	Neither/Other candidate (vol.)	Don't plan to vote (vol.)	No opinion
October 23-26, 2020	54%	42%	2%	0%	3%
March 4-7, 2020	53%	44%	*	*	3%
November 01-03, 2018	53%	42%	1%	1%	3%
October 04-07, 2018	51%	42%	3%	1%	4%
September 06-09, 2018	52%	40%	2%	1%	5%
August 09-12, 2018	52%	41%	3%	1%	4%
June 14-17, 2018	50%	42%	2%	1%	6%
May 02-05, 2018	47%	44%	4%	*	4%
March 22-25, 2018	50%	44%	2%	1%	4%
February 20-23, 2018	54%	38%	3%	1%	4%
January 14-18, 2018	49%	44%	2%	1%	3%
December 14-17, 2017	56%	38%	4%	*	2%
November 2-5, 2017	51%	40%	4%	1%	5%
October 12-15, 2017	54%	38%	3%	1%	5%
September 17-20, 2017	49%	43%	2%	2%	3%
August 03-06, 2017	51%	42%	3%	1%	3%
April 22-25, 2017	49%	41%	7%	1%	1%
October 20-23, 2016	49%	47%	1%	2%	1%
September 1-4, 2016	46%	47%	3%	2%	1%
October 24-26, 2014	49%	43%	5%	1%	2%

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H1. If the elections for Congress were being held today, which party's candidate would you vote for in your Congressional district? [DEM AND REP OPTIONS ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

H1a. If the elections for Congress were being held today, as of today, do you lean more toward:

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H1/H1a COMBO TABLE

Registered Voters	The Democratic Party's candidate	The Republican Party's candidate	Neither/Other candidate (vol.)	Don't plan to vote (vol.)	No opinion
September 25-28, 2014	49%	42%	5%	2%	3%
September 5-7, 2014	47%	45%	5%	2%	1%
July 18-20, 2014	48%	44%	5%	1%	2%
May 29-June 1, 2014	47%	45%	3%	2%	2%
May 2-4, 2014	45%	46%	5%	3%	1%
March 7-9, 2014	50%	44%	4%	*	2%
December 16-19, 2013	44%	49%	4%	2%	1%
November 18-20, 2013	47%	49%	2%	1%	2%
October 18-20, 2013	50%	42%	4%	2%	1%
November 2-4, 2012	50%	46%	2%	*	1%
May 29-31, 2012	48%	45%	3%	2%	2%
Apr. 29-May 1, 2011	50%	46%	3%	*	1%
October 27-30, 2010	43%	49%	4%	2%	1%
October 5-7, 2010	47%	47%	3%	1%	2%
September 21-23, 2010	44%	50%	3%	1%	1%
September 1-2, 2010	45%	52%	2%	1%	1%
August 6-10, 2010	45%	48%	5%	1%	1%
July 16-21, 2010	44%	49%	5%	1%	1%
May 21-23, 2010	47%	46%	5%	1%	1%
April 9-11, 2010	50%	46%	4%	*	1%
March 25-28, 2010	45%	49%	4%	1%	1%
March 19-21, 2010	45%	48%	5%	1%	1%
February 12-15, 2010	45%	47%	6%	1%	1%
January 8-10, 2010	45%	48%	6%	1%	*
November 13-15, 2009	49%	43%	5%	1%	3%
Oct. 30-Nov. 1, 2009	50%	44%	4%	1%	2%
Oct. 30-Nov. 1, 2008	53%	45%	1%	*	1%
October 3-5, 2008	54%	45%	1%	*	*
September 19-21, 2008	56%	42%	1%	1%	1%
September 5-7, 2008	49%	46%	2%	1%	1%
June 4-5, 2008	54%	44%	1%	1%	1%
November 2-4, 2007	53%	42%	3%	1%	1%
June 22-24, 2007	53%	41%	3%	1%	2%
November 3-5, 2006	54%	39%	3%	1%	3%
October 27-29, 2006	54%	38%	2%	2%	3%
October 20-22, 2006	56%	39%	1%	1%	3%
October 13-15, 2006	56%	38%	3%	1%	3%
October 6-8, 2006	54%	38%	3%	1%	4%
Sep. 29-Oct. 2, 2006	53%	40%	2%	1%	4%
September 22-24, 2006	54%	41%	1%	1%	3%
Aug. 30-Sep. 2, 2006	56%	40%	2%	1%	2%
August 18-20, 2006	52%	43%	3%	2%	1%
August 2-3, 2006	53%	40%	3%	1%	3%
June 14-15, 2006	45%	38%	4%	2%	10%
June 8-11, 2006	50%	36%	4%	3%	7%
May 5-7, 2006	52%	38%	3%	2%	5%
April 21-23, 2006	50%	40%	3%	1%	6%
March 10-12, 2006	55%	39%	1%	*	6%
Feb. 28-Mar. 1, 2006	53%	39%	*	1%	6%
February 9-12, 2006	50%	43%	1%	1%	6%

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H1. If the elections for Congress were being held today, which party's candidate would you vote for in your Congressional district? **[DEM AND REP OPTIONS ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]**

H1a. If the elections for Congress were being held today, as of today, do you lean more toward:

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H1/H1a COMBO TABLE

Registered Voters	The Democratic Party's candidate	The Republican Party's candidate	Neither/Other candidate (vol.)	Don't plan to vote (vol.)	No opinion
January 6-8, 2006	49%	43%	*	1%	7%
October 21-23, 2005	50%	43%	1%	-	6%
August 28-30, 2005	53%	41%	1%	*	5%
October 29-31, 2004	49%	45%	*	NA	6%
October 22-24, 2004	49%	47%	*	NA	4%
September 3-5, 2004	48%	44%	1%	NA	7%
July 30-Aug. 1, 2004	49%	44%	*	1%	6%
June 9-30, 2004	48%	43%	1%	1%	7%
January 2-5, 2004	45%	46%	1%	*	9%
November 14-16, 2003	46%	47%	1%	*	6%
Oct. 31-Nov. 3, 2002	49%	44%	1%	1%	5%
October 21-22, 2002	50%	41%	1%	1%	7%
October 3-6, 2002	48%	43%	1%	1%	7%
September 20-22, 2002	48%	43%	2%	1%	7%
September 2-4, 2002	46%	43%	1%	1%	9%
August 19-21, 2002	50%	42%	2%	*	6%
July 26-28, 2002	48%	42%	2%	*	8%
June 28-30, 2002	44%	49%	1%	1%	5%
June 21-23, 2002	50%	42%	1%	*	7%
May 28-29, 2002	45%	46%	1%	1%	7%
Apr. 29-May 1, 2002	48%	44%	1%	2%	5%
April 5-7, 2002	50%	43%	2%	*	5%
March 22-24, 2002	46%	46%	1%	1%	6%
February 8-10, 2002	43%	47%	2%	1%	6%
January 25-27, 2002	44%	46%	2%	1%	7%
January 11-14, 2002	43%	46%	1%	1%	9%
December 14-16, 2001	43%	48%	2%	*	7%
November 2-4, 2001	45%	45%	1%	1%	9%
June 8-10, 2001	49%	45%	1%	*	5%
November 5-6, 2000	50%	42%	NA	NA	8%
November 4-5, 2000	50%	43%	NA	NA	7%
October 26-28, 2000	46%	46%	NA	NA	8%
October 23-25, 2000	46%	44%	NA	NA	10%
October 16-18, 2000	48%	45%	NA	NA	7%
October 13-15, 2000	50%	41%	NA	NA	9%
September 4-6, 2000	48%	43%	NA	NA	9%
August 18-19, 2000	50%	43%	*	1%	6%
August 4-5, 2000	46%	47%	*	1%	6%
July 25-26, 2000	49%	42%	*	1%	8%
June 6-7, 2000	50%	43%	1%	1%	6%
March 10-12, 2000	46%	45%	*	*	8%
February 4-6, 2000	46%	45%	*	*	8%
January 17-19, 2000	46%	45%	1%	*	8%
January 13-16, 2000	44%	44%	1%	1%	10%
January 7-10, 2000	50%	43%	*	*	6%
September 10-14, 1999	46%	44%	*	1%	9%
February 12-13, 1999	52%	40%	2%	1%	6%
Oct. 29-Nov. 1, 1998	50%	41%	1%	1%	7%
October 23-25, 1998	47%	44%	*	2%	7%

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H1. If the elections for Congress were being held today, which party's candidate would you vote for in your Congressional district? **[DEM AND REP OPTIONS ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]**

H1a. If the elections for Congress were being held today, as of today, do you lean more toward:

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H1/H1a COMBO TABLE

Registered Voters	The Democratic Party's candidate	The Republican Party's candidate	Neither/Other candidate (vol.)	Don't plan to vote (vol.)	No opinion
October 9-12, 1998	46%	45%	1%	1%	8%
September 23-24, 1998	50%	41%	2%	2%	6%
September 14-15, 1998	47%	43%	1%	1%	7%
September 11-12, 1998	52%	39%	2%	*	7%
August 21-23, 1998	47%	43%	1%	1%	7%
July 7-8, 1998	46%	42%	1%	1%	9%
May 8-10, 1998	48%	43%	1%	2%	7%
April 17-19, 1998	46%	45%	1%	1%	8%
January 16-18, 1998	51%	40%	2%	NA	6%
October 27-29, 1997	46%	46%	2%	NA	6%
August 22-25, 1997	51%	41%	1%	NA	7%
July 25-27, 1997	48%	43%	1%	NA	8%

ECONVOTE. Thinking about the upcoming midterm election, which comes closer to your view? **[RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]**

	The economy matters more than any other political issue	There are other political issues that matter at least as much as the economy	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	43%	57%	*
April 30-May 4, 2026 (RV)	39%	61%	*

HOUSEECON. Which comes closer to your view: **[RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]**

	My personal financial situation is unlikely to be affected much by the outcome of the midterm election this year	The outcome of the midterm election this year could have a big effect on my personal financial situation	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	49%	50%	*
April 30-May 4, 2026 (RV)	50%	49%	*

COMPARE TO:

	My personal financial situation is unlikely to be affected much by who wins the presidency this year	The outcome of the presidential election this year could have a big effect on my personal financial situation	No opinion
June 03-24, 2024	41%	57%	2%
June 03-24, 2024 (RV)	37%	61%	2%

PTYECON. Which political party do you think would do a better job of dealing with each of the following issues? **[ITEMS ASKED IN RANDOM ORDER, ECONOMY FIRST] [RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]**

The economy	The Democratic Party	The Republican Party	Neither party	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	35%	33%	32%	-
April 30-May 4, 2026 (RV)	36%	36%	28%	-

COMPARE TO:

The economy	Republicans in Congress	Democrats in Congress	No difference (vol.)	No opinion
October 04-07, 2018	48%	42%	3%	7%
March 22-25, 2018	45%	45%	4%	6%
September 1-2, 2010	46%	43%	10%	1%
March 25-28, 2010	48%	45%	7%	*
August 28-31, 2009	39%	52%	8%	1%
October 20-22, 2006	41%	53%	5%	2%
October 6-8, 2006	35%	54%	6%	4%
September 22-24, 2006	39%	51%	7%	3%
August 18-20, 2006	38%	52%	7%	2%

QUESTION WORDING: Do you think the Republicans in Congress or the Democrats in Congress would do a better job of dealing with each of the following issues and problems?

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	<u>Republicans</u>	<u>Democrats</u>	<u>No difference (vol.)</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
<u>The economy</u>				
2008 Mar 10-12	38%	53%	4%	5%
2005 Oct 21-23	38%	50%	9%	3%
2003 Jul 18-20	36%	53%	7%	4%
2003 Jan 3-5	43%	42%	10%	5%
2002 Jul 26-28	37%	42%	13%	8%
2002 Jun 28-30	44%	40%	10%	6%
2002 May 28-29*	43%	34%	13%	10%
*Asked of a half sample				

Inflation	The Democratic Party	The Republican Party	Neither party	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	33%	28%	39%	*
April 30-May 4, 2026 (RV)	34%	30%	35%	*

Taxes	The Democratic Party	The Republican Party	Neither party	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	32%	35%	34%	*
April 30-May 4, 2026 (RV)	32%	37%	30%	*

PTYECON. Which political party do you think would do a better job of dealing with each of the following issues?
 [ITEMS ASKED IN RANDOM ORDER, ECONOMY FIRST] [RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF] (CONTINUED)

Income inequality	The Democratic Party	The Republican Party	Neither party	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	39%	22%	38%	*
April 30-May 4, 2026 (RV)	41%	22%	37%	*

Helping the middle class	The Democratic Party	The Republican Party	Neither party	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	40%	27%	32%	*
April 30-May 4, 2026 (RV)	40%	30%	30%	*

Health care costs	The Democratic Party	The Republican Party	Neither party	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	43%	24%	33%	1%
April 30-May 4, 2026 (RV)	43%	25%	31%	*

The cost of living	The Democratic Party	The Republican Party	Neither party	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	37%	28%	35%	*
April 30-May 4, 2026 (RV)	38%	29%	33%	-

The role of AI in American life	The Democratic Party	The Republican Party	Neither party	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	19%	20%	61%	*
April 30-May 4, 2026 (RV)	19%	20%	60%	*

The stock market	The Democratic Party	The Republican Party	Neither party	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	21%	38%	41%	*
April 30-May 4, 2026 (RV)	21%	41%	38%	-

PTYECON. Which political party do you think would do a better job of dealing with each of the following issues?
 [ITEMS ASKED IN RANDOM ORDER, ECONOMY FIRST] [RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF] (CONTINUED)

SUMMARY TABLES

April 30-May 4, 2026	The Democratic Party	The Republican Party	Neither party	No opinion
Health care costs	43%	24%	33%	1%
Helping the middle class	40%	27%	32%	*
Income inequality	39%	22%	38%	*
The cost of living	37%	28%	35%	*
The economy	35%	33%	32%	-
Inflation	33%	28%	39%	*
Taxes	32%	35%	34%	*
The stock market	21%	38%	41%	*
The role of AI in American life	19%	20%	61%	*

April 30-May 4, 2026 (RV)	The Democratic Party	The Republican Party	Neither party	No opinion
Health care costs	43%	25%	31%	*
Income inequality	41%	22%	37%	*
Helping the middle class	40%	30%	30%	*
The cost of living	38%	29%	33%	-
The economy	36%	36%	28%	-
Inflation	34%	30%	35%	*
Taxes	32%	37%	30%	*
The stock market	21%	41%	38%	-
The role of AI in American life	19%	20%	60%	*

FINSIT. Overall, would you say you are (satisfied) or (dissatisfied) with your own personal financial situation?
 [RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

	Satisfied	Dissatisfied	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	49%	51%	*
April 17-24, 2025	47%	52%	*
March 6-9, 2025	50%	50%	0%

July 1-31, 2023	45%	55%	*
October 26-31, 2022	45%	55%	*
April 28-May 1, 2022	53%	47%	0%

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	<u>Satisfied</u>	<u>Dissatisfied</u>	<u>Don't know</u>	<u>Refused</u>
2016 Aug. 9-Sept. 5	66%	32%	1%	*
QUESTION WORDING: Overall, would you say you are satisfied or dissatisfied with (INSERT ITEM)? Would you say you are satisfied or dissatisfied with (INSERT ITEM)? (GET ANSWER, THEN ASK: Would that be very satisfied/dissatisfied, or somewhat satisfied/dissatisfied?) (Items scrambled) / Your own personal financial situation				

(Respondents who are satisfied with their own personal financial situation, n=719)

FINSITs. Which of the following do you think is the **biggest** reason that your financial situation is satisfactory?

[ITEMS ASKED IN RANDOM ORDER]

	My own personal circumstances	Good luck	The economic system working in my favor	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	82%	6%	12%	*

(Respondents who are dissatisfied with their own personal financial situation, n=777)

FINSITd. Which of the following do you think is the **biggest** reason that your financial situation is not satisfactory?

[ITEMS ASKED IN RANDOM ORDER]

	My own personal circumstances	Bad luck	The economic system working against me	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	33%	6%	61%	*

FINSIT/FINSITs/FINSITd COMBO TABLE

	April 30-May 4, 2026
NET Satisfied with financial situation	49%
My own personal circumstances	40%
Good luck	3%
The economic system working in my favor	6%
No opinion	*
NET Dissatisfied with financial situation	51%
My own personal circumstances	17%
Bad luck	3%
The economic system working against me	31%
No opinion	*
No opinion	*

FINYEAR. Compared to last year, is your personal financial situation currently: **[RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]**

	Better	About the same	Worse	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	19%	52%	29%	*

FINTIME. Considering the state of the economy and your personal financial situation, do you think now is a good time to make major purchases or is it more of a time to hold off and focus on saving instead?

	Make major purchases	Hold off and focus on saving	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	12%	88%	*

FINCONF. How confident are you about your ability to maintain your current standard of living over the next year? **[RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]**

	NET Confident	Very confident	Somewhat confident	NET Not confident	Not too confident	Not confident at all	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	70%	20%	50%	30%	23%	7%	*

COMPARE TO CNN/ORC:

	<u>Very confident</u>	<u>Somewhat confident</u>	<u>Not too confident</u>	<u>Not confident at all</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2009 May 16-19	41%	37%	16%	6%	*
2009 Mar 12-15	39%	42%	15%	4%	*

QUESTION WORDING: Please tell me whether you are very confident, somewhat confident, not too confident, or not confident at all about each of the following?...Your ability to maintain your current standard of living over the next year

FINFEEL. Which of the following words or phrases describe what you feel when thinking about your financial future? You can select as many as apply. [ITEMS ASKED IN RANDOM ORDER]

	April 30-May 4, 2026
Uncertainty	54%
Stress	45%
Hope	39%
Security	30%
Dread	19%
Pride	15%
None of these	4%
No opinion	-

FINAGECOMP. Thinking about your personal financial situation compared to most other Americans your age, would you say you are: [RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

	Doing better	Doing about the same	Doing worse	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	32%	50%	18%	-
June 03-24, 2024	27%	52%	20%	1%

FINWORRY. How often do you worry that your total family income will not be enough to meet your family's expenses and bills? Do you worry: [RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

	NET All/ Most of the time	All of the time	Most of the time	NET Some of the time / Almost never	Some of the time	Almost never	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	31%	12%	19%	69%	42%	26%	-
June 03-24, 2024	39%	21%	18%	61%	38%	23%	*
December 08-12, 2021	28%	14%	14%	72%	38%	34%	*

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	<u>All of the time</u>	<u>Most of the time</u>	<u>Some of the time</u>	<u>Almost never</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2019 Feb 12-28	11%	14%	37%	37%	1%
2008 Jun 5-Jul 6	20%	17%	34%	29%	*
2007 Jun 4-24	21%	13%	37%	28%	1%
2006 Jun 8-25	20%	12%	35%	32%	*

CNN/GALLUP TRENDS FOR COMPARISON

	<u>All of the time</u>	<u>Most of the time</u>	<u>Some of the time</u>	<u>Almost never</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2005 Jun 6-25	18%	11%	43%	28%	*
2004 Jun 9-30	15%	10%	36%	38%	1%
2002 Dec 9-2003 Feb 11	12%	14%	37%	36%	1%
1998 Apr 23-May 31	9%	12%	44%	34%	1%
1989 Jun 15-18	13%	13%	35%	38%	1%
1987 Jan 16-19	15%	16%	38%	30%	1%
1984 Jan 27-30	20%	15%	30%	34%	1%
1976 Jan 1-Jun 1	13%	13%	36%	38%	--

FINCOMFORT. For each of the following, please say whether it's something (you could comfortably afford), something you could afford in a pinch or something (you could not afford). [ITEMS ASKED IN RANDOM ORDER]
[RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

April 30-May 4, 2026	Could comfortably afford	Could afford in a pinch	Could not afford	No opinion
Going out for a nice dinner	46%	35%	19%	*
Saving money for the future	35%	35%	30%	1%
Paying \$1,000 for an emergency expense	34%	31%	35%	*
Going on a vacation	28%	28%	43%	-

STICKERSHOCK. In the last week, was there anything you decided not to purchase because it was too expensive?

	April 30-May 4, 2026
NET Yes	40%
Food/Groceries	9%
Clothing/Personal items	6%
Car/Vehicle repairs or expenses	5%
Electronics/Computers/Phones	3%
Housing/Home improvement/Maintenance	3%
Gasoline	2%
Dining out/Restaurants/Takeout	2%
Medical/Health care expenses	2%
Travel expenses	2%
Hobbies/Recreational equipment	2%
Appliances	1%
Entertainment/Events	1%
Furniture	1%
Gifts/Celebrations	1%
Child-related expenses/Toys	1%
Pets/Pet expenses	*
Household/Everyday items	*
Education/Work expenses	*
Everything/Lots of things/General	1%
Other	1%
Don't know/Refused	1%
No, didn't decide against any purchase because of the cost	60%
No opinion	*

ECONEXP. As a result of recent economic conditions, have you, personally, experienced any of the following in the past few months? [ITEMS ASKED IN RANDOM ORDER]

Cut back significantly on how much you drive	Yes	No	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	44%	56%	*
March 26-30, 2026	45%	54%	*
March 6-9, 2025	40%	60%	0%
July 1-31, 2023	48%	51%	1%
December 1-7, 2022	49%	51%	*
April 28-May 1, 2022	54%	46%	*
December 8-12, 2021	43%	57%	*

Changed what groceries you buy in order to stay within your budget	Yes	No	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	61%	38%	*
March 26-30, 2026	64%	36%	*
March 6-9, 2025	71%	29%	0%
July 1-31, 2023	71%	29%	0%
December 1-7, 2022	71%	29%	0%
April 28-May 1, 2022	63%	37%	*
December 8-12, 2021	54%	46%	0%

Had difficulty finding affordable housing	Yes	No	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	26%	74%	*
March 26-30, 2026	30%	69%	*
March 6-9, 2025	31%	69%	0%
July 1-31, 2023	37%	63%	*
December 1-7, 2022	34%	66%	0%
April 28-May 1, 2022	33%	67%	*
December 8-12, 2021	26%	73%	1%

Had to cut back on spending on extras and entertainment in order to afford necessities	Yes	No	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	59%	41%	*
March 26-30, 2026	62%	37%	*
March 6-9, 2025	67%	33%	0%
July 1-31, 2023	70%	30%	0%
December 1-7, 2022	71%	29%	0%
April 28-May 1, 2022	63%	37%	0%

Had to take on credit card debt to afford necessities	Yes	No	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	30%	70%	*
June 3-24, 2024	37%	63%	*

ECONEXP. As a result of recent economic conditions, have you, personally, experienced any of the following in the past few months? [ITEMS ASKED IN RANDOM ORDER] (CONTINUED)

Had to take on extra work or a second job to make ends meet	Yes	No	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	27%	73%	*
June 3-24, 2024	35%	65%	*

Put off any sort of medical treatment because of the cost	Yes	No	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	31%	69%	*

YES SUMMARY

	April 30-May 4, 2026
Changed what groceries you buy in order to stay within your budget	61%
Had to cut back on spending on extras and entertainment in order to afford necessities	59%
Cut back significantly on how much you drive	44%
Put off any sort of medical treatment because of the cost	31%
Had to take on credit card debt to afford necessities	30%
Had to take on extra work or a second job to make ends meet	27%
Had difficulty finding affordable housing	26%

(Respondents who are full-time/part-time employed, n=887)

EMPLOYRAISE. Do you feel like the wages you earn are keeping up with the cost of living, or not? [ITEMS ASKED IN RANDOM ORDER]

	Yes, keeping up with cost of living	No, not keeping up with cost of living	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	32%	68%	-

RETIREFUND. Overall, how confident are you that you will have enough income and assets to last throughout your retirement years? [RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

	NET Confident	Extremely confident	Very confident	Somewhat confident	NET Not confident/Will not be able to retire	Not too confident	Not confident at all	I will not be able to retire	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	48%	6%	11%	31%	52%	23%	17%	12%	-

WORKSUCCESS Which of these statements do you agree with more? [RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

	Most people who want to get ahead can make it if they're willing to work hard	Hard work and determination are no guarantee of success for most people	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	47%	52%	1%
May 5-26, 2025	54%	45%	1%

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	Most people who want to get ahead can make it if they're willing to work hard	Hard work and determination are no guarantee of success for most people	Neither (Vol.)	Don't know	Refused
2016 Aug. 9 - Sep 5	67%	31%	1%	*	-

GOVTHELP. Which of the following, if either, do you think is a bigger problem in the US? [RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

	The government is not giving help to enough people	The government is giving help to too many people who don't deserve it	Neither is a problem in the US	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	41%	49%	10%	*

FINGEN1. Do you think it's (easier) or (harder) for people like you to get ahead financially than it was a generation ago, or have things not really changed? [RESPONSES 1-2 ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

	Easier	Harder	Hasn't really changed	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	8%	73%	18%	*
October 4-9, 2023	7%	75%	18%	*

FINGEN2. Thinking about the generation growing up today, do you expect it will be (easier) or (harder) for them to get ahead financially than it has been for you, or will things be about the same? [RESPONSES 1-2 ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

	Easier	Harder	Will be about the same	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	8%	74%	18%	*

FINAL. Do you think that new advances in AI technology will make it (easier) or (harder) for people like you to [INSERT ITEM] in the future, or will it not really change things? [ITEMS ASKED IN RANDOM ORDER] [RESPONSES 1-2 ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

April 30-May 4, 2026	Easier	Harder	Will not really change	No opinion
Get ahead financially	12%	50%	37%	1%
Find a good job	11%	63%	25%	*
Manage your budget	24%	33%	43%	*

CLASS. If you were asked to use one of these five names for your social class, which would you say you belong in? [RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

	Upper class	Upper middle class	Middle class	Working class	Lower class	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	1%	13%	38%	34%	14%	*

COMPARE TO CNN/ORC:

	Upper class	Upper middle class	Middle class	Working class	Lower class	DK/Undecided/Refused
2012 Aug 7-8	2%	14%	41%	33%	8%	3%
QUESTION WORDING: If you were asked to use one of these five names for your social class, which would you say you belong in--upper class, upper-middle class, middle class, working class, or lower class?						

(Respondents who have any children under age 18, n=426)

CHILDCARE. Do you currently pay for regular childcare, either in your home with a nanny or out of the home at a daycare program, or not?

	Yes	No	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	18%	82%	*
February 23-26, 2022	23%	77%	0%

(Respondents who have any children under age 18, n=426)

CCARECOST. Is the cost of paid childcare in your area: [RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

	NET Expensive	Very expensive	Somewhat expensive	NET Not expensive	Not too expensive	Not at all expensive	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	92%	51%	41%	8%	5%	3%	*
February 23-26, 2022	87%	42%	45%	13%	12%	1%	*

(Respondents who own a home, n=992)

HOMETODAY. If you were trying to buy a home in your neighborhood today, how likely do you think it is that you could afford to buy a home similar to the home you live in now? [RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

	NET Likely	Very likely	Somewhat likely	NET Not likely	Not too likely	Not at all likely	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	42%	14%	28%	58%	27%	31%	-
June 03-24, 2024	32%	12%	20%	67%	33%	35%	*

(Respondents who do not own a home, n=506)

AFFORDHOMEd. Which statement best describes your situation right now? IF WEB: I/IF PHONE: You]...

[RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

	Would like to buy a home but cannot afford it	Could afford to buy a home, but are/am not interested in doing so	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	86%	13%	1%
June 03-24, 2024	86%	13%	1%

(Respondents who do not own a home and would like to buy but cannot afford it, n=437)

AFFORDHOMEd. How likely do you think it is that you will eventually be able to afford to buy a home?

[RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

	NET Likely	Very likely	Somewhat likely	NET Not likely	Not too likely	Not at all likely	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	38%	5%	33%	63%	34%	29%	-
June 03-24, 2024	46%	12%	34%	54%	30%	24%	*

INVEST. Do you personally or jointly with a spouse, have any money invested in the stock market right now--either in an individual stock, a stock mutual fund, or in a self-directed 401k or IRA (Individual Retirement Account)?

	Yes	No	No opinion
April 30-May 4, 2026	54%	46%	*

COMPARE TO CNN/ORC:

	<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2011 Aug 5-7	55%	43%	2%

MORE ON METHODOLOGY

A total of n=1,499 adults were surveyed via web and phone on the SSRS Opinion Panel, a nationally representative panel of U.S. adults ages 18 or older recruited using probability-based sampling techniques. Surveys were conducted in English and Spanish.

Results for the full sample have a margin of sampling error of +/- 2.8 percentage points.

Among the entire sample, **28%** described themselves as Democrats, **28%** described themselves as Republicans, and **44%** described themselves as independents or members of another party.

The entire sample was weighted to reflect national Census figures for gender, age, education, race, Hispanic Nativity, and census region. The sample was also weighted to reflect benchmarks for population density, civic engagement, and Pew Research Center's NPORS figures for religious affiliation and frequency of internet use. The sample was also weighted for party identification in detail (leaners broken out) and collapsed crossed by ideology, voter registration, race and education. The benchmarks for party identification crosses were taken from CNN's national poll conducted by SSRS via web and phone from May 5-26, 2025, which implemented a full probability design via Address-Based Sampling (ABS) and prepaid (pay-as-you-go) cell phone numbers (PPD).

Surveys were conducted among a representative sample of the adult population, age 18 or older, of the United States. Members of demographic groups not shown in the published crosstabs are represented in the results for each question in the poll. Crosstabs on the pages that follow only include results for subgroups with a minimum n=125 unweighted cases. Results for subgroups with fewer than n=125 unweighted cases are not displayed and instead are denoted with "SN" because samples of that size carry larger margins of sampling error and can be too small to be projectable with confidence to their true values in the population.

NOTE ON TRENDS

All included trend points were based on surveys conducted using probability-based sampling methods. Some surveys included as trend points in this document were conducted using different methodologies, or with different combinations of sponsors. Unless otherwise noted, results beginning with the August 3-6, 2017 survey and ending with the April 21-26, 2021 survey are from polls conducted by SSRS via telephone only. Most surveys conducted since April 2021 were conducted using SSRS's probability-based panel via web and phone. The table below contains more details on the methodology behind each CNN poll conducted by SSRS using other methods.

Address-Based Sampling	Probability Panel: Web only	Probability Panel: SMS only
August 3-September 7, 2021	March 25-26, 2019	February 25-26, 2022
January 10-February 6, 2022	September 21-22, 2020	May 12-13, 2022
June 13-July 13, 2022	October 7-11, 2021	March 31-April 1, 2023
September 3-October 5, 2022	February 23-26, 2022	October 12-13, 2023
March 1-31, 2023	May 3-5, 2022	June 22-23, 2025
July 1-31, 2023	July 22-24, 2022 (Recontact)	February 28-March 1, 2026
November 1-30, 2023	February 24-28, 2025	
June 3-23, 2024	February 17-20, 2026	
May 5-26, 2025		

Results beginning with the March 31-April 2, 2006 survey and ending with the April 22-25, 2017 survey are from telephone surveys conducted by ORC International. Results before March 31, 2006 are from telephone surveys conducted by Gallup.

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TABLE 001
Question A1
A1. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling his job as president?
Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	35%	38%	31%	43%	13%	23%	100%	0%
Disapprove	65%	61%	68%	57%	85%	77%	0%	100%
Not sure	*	*	*	*	1%	1%	0%	0%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	*	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	35%	23%	35%	44%	41%	25%	43%
Disapprove	65%	77%	65%	56%	58%	75%	56%
Not sure	*	0%	0%	*	1%	0%	1%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	0%	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	35%	37%	31%	49%	34%
Disapprove	65%	62%	69%	51%	65%
Not sure	*	*	*	0%	*
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	35%	4%	26%	79%	7%	28%	63%
Disapprove	65%	95%	74%	21%	92%	72%	36%
Not sure	*	1%	1%	0%	*	1%	*
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	0%	*	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	35%	3%	75%	36%	32%	35%	39%
Disapprove	65%	96%	24%	63%	68%	65%	61%
Not sure	*	*	*	*	1%	*	0%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	*	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 002
Question A2_a
A2_a. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling the economy?
Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis- apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	30%	34%	27%	38%	11%	19%	78%	4%
Disapprove	70%	66%	73%	62%	89%	81%	22%	96%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	30%	19%	30%	38%	36%	22%	37%
Disapprove	70%	81%	70%	62%	64%	78%	63%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	30%	32%	27%	43%	30%
Disapprove	70%	68%	73%	57%	70%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo- crat	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib- eral	Mode- rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	30%	3%	21%	70%	6%	23%	56%
Disapprove	70%	97%	79%	30%	94%	77%	44%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo- crat	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K- \$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	30%	3%	66%	32%	25%	32%	35%
Disapprove	70%	97%	34%	68%	75%	68%	65%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 003
Question A2_e
A2_e. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling immigration?
Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis- apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	41%	47%	36%	50%	21%	25%	92%	14%
Disapprove	59%	53%	64%	50%	79%	75%	8%	86%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	0%	*	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	41%	29%	41%	54%	45%	32%	50%
Disapprove	59%	71%	59%	46%	55%	68%	50%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	0%	*	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	41%	43%	38%	56%	42%
Disapprove	59%	57%	62%	44%	58%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-crat	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib- eral	Mode- rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	41%	6%	33%	87%	9%	37%	70%
Disapprove	59%	94%	67%	13%	91%	63%	30%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	0%	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo- crat	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K- \$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	41%	6%	86%	43%	37%	43%	46%
Disapprove	59%	94%	14%	57%	63%	57%	54%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	*	*	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 004

Question A2_f

A2_f. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling foreign affairs?

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	31%	35%	28%	38%	13%	22%	79%	5%
Disapprove	69%	65%	72%	62%	87%	78%	21%	95%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	*	0%	0%	*	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	31%	18%	28%	42%	41%	20%	41%
Disapprove	69%	82%	72%	58%	59%	80%	59%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	*	*	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	31%	33%	26%	44%	30%
Disapprove	69%	67%	74%	56%	70%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	31%	5%	21%	71%	8%	24%	56%
Disapprove	69%	95%	79%	29%	92%	76%	44%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	*	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	31%	4%	66%	33%	27%	34%	33%
Disapprove	69%	95%	33%	67%	73%	66%	67%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	*	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 005

Question A2_h

A2_h. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling helping the middle class?

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-approv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	33%	36%	31%	40%	13%	25%	82%	7%
Disapprove	67%	64%	69%	60%	85%	75%	18%	93%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	33%	23%	33%	40%	40%	25%	40%
Disapprove	67%	77%	67%	60%	60%	75%	59%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	33%	35%	29%	45%	32%
Disapprove	67%	64%	71%	55%	68%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	33%	5%	26%	72%	8%	26%	60%
Disapprove	67%	94%	74%	28%	91%	74%	40%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	33%	5%	70%	35%	29%	34%	38%
Disapprove	67%	95%	30%	65%	71%	66%	62%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	*	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 006
Question A2_i
A2_i. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling taxes?
Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis- apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	37%	42%	34%	45%	18%	27%	84%	12%
Disapprove	62%	58%	66%	55%	82%	73%	15%	87%
Don't know/Refused	*	1%	*	*	0%	1%	1%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	37%	24%	40%	45%	43%	29%	45%
Disapprove	62%	76%	60%	55%	55%	71%	54%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	37%	38%	36%	48%	40%
Disapprove	62%	61%	63%	51%	60%
Don't know/Refused	*	1%	*	*	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-crat	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib- eral	Mode- rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	37%	8%	28%	80%	8%	33%	64%
Disapprove	62%	92%	71%	20%	91%	67%	36%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	1%	1%	1%	*	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo- crat	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K- \$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	37%	8%	76%	39%	32%	41%	43%
Disapprove	62%	92%	24%	60%	67%	59%	57%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	1%	*	1%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 007
Question A2_ab
A2_ab. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling inflation?
Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	26%	30%	22%	33%	6%	16%	70%	3%
Disapprove	74%	70%	78%	67%	94%	84%	30%	97%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	26%	17%	26%	30%	34%	18%	32%
Disapprove	74%	83%	74%	70%	66%	82%	68%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	26%	27%	24%	37%	26%
Disapprove	74%	73%	76%	63%	74%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	26%	2%	19%	60%	4%	18%	51%
Disapprove	74%	98%	81%	40%	96%	82%	49%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	26%	3%	57%	28%	21%	27%	32%
Disapprove	74%	97%	43%	72%	79%	73%	68%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 008
Question A2_al
A2_al. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling gas prices?
Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	21%	25%	18%	26%	8%	12%	56%	2%
Disapprove	79%	75%	82%	74%	92%	88%	44%	98%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	*	0%	0%	*	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	21%	13%	18%	28%	27%	13%	27%
Disapprove	79%	87%	82%	72%	73%	87%	72%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	*	*	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	21%	22%	19%	30%	20%
Disapprove	79%	78%	81%	70%	80%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	21%	3%	15%	48%	4%	15%	41%
Disapprove	79%	97%	85%	52%	96%	85%	59%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	*	0%	*	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	21%	2%	47%	22%	18%	22%	24%
Disapprove	79%	98%	53%	78%	82%	78%	76%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	*	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 009
Question A2_am
A2_am. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling the response to political violence in the country?
Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	36%	39%	33%	43%	18%	24%	85%	10%
Disapprove	64%	60%	67%	56%	82%	76%	15%	90%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	*	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	36%	27%	35%	45%	40%	29%	42%
Disapprove	64%	73%	65%	55%	60%	71%	57%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	*	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	36%	38%	33%	48%	36%
Disapprove	64%	62%	67%	52%	63%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	36%	7%	28%	77%	9%	30%	63%
Disapprove	64%	93%	71%	23%	91%	70%	36%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	0%	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	36%	6%	76%	38%	33%	38%	39%
Disapprove	64%	94%	24%	62%	67%	62%	61%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	*	*	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 010
Question I2
I2. Which of the following is the most important issue facing the country today?
Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The economy and cost of living	55%	53%	56%	52%	52%	61%	49%	57%
The state of U.S. democracy	19%	19%	19%	22%	16%	12%	10%	24%
Immigration	9%	8%	8%	9%	6%	11%	15%	5%
Crime and safety	7%	7%	7%	6%	15%	6%	13%	4%
Health care policy	4%	5%	4%	3%	10%	4%	5%	4%
Foreign policy	3%	4%	3%	3%	2%	5%	4%	3%
Something else	3%	3%	3%	4%	1%	2%	4%	2%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The economy and cost of living	55%	60%	58%	53%	45%	60%	50%
The state of U.S. democracy	19%	12%	19%	21%	27%	16%	22%
Immigration	9%	8%	8%	8%	9%	8%	9%
Crime and safety	7%	10%	5%	6%	6%	8%	6%
Health care policy	4%	3%	4%	6%	4%	4%	5%
Foreign policy	3%	4%	3%	3%	5%	4%	3%
Something else	3%	3%	3%	4%	3%	2%	4%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The economy and cost of living	55%	56%	51%	54%	50%
The state of U.S. democracy	19%	15%	26%	18%	28%
Immigration	9%	9%	8%	9%	8%
Crime and safety	7%	9%	4%	8%	3%
Health care policy	4%	5%	3%	4%	3%
Foreign policy	3%	3%	4%	3%	3%
Something else	3%	3%	3%	4%	4%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Democrat	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva-tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The economy and cost of living	55%	49%	58%	54%	45%	59%	55%
The state of U.S. democracy	19%	30%	18%	11%	34%	21%	8%
Immigration	9%	5%	7%	14%	4%	6%	15%
Crime and safety	7%	3%	7%	11%	3%	7%	10%
Health care policy	4%	7%	3%	3%	6%	4%	3%
Foreign policy	3%	3%	4%	4%	4%	3%	4%
Something else	3%	3%	3%	3%	4%	2%	4%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

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TABLE 010

Question I2

I2. Which of the following is the most important issue facing the country today?

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Lean Demo- crat	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K- \$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The economy and cost of living	55%	51%	53%	53%	60%	54%	47%
The state of U.S. democracy	19%	32%	10%	22%	13%	18%	29%
Immigration	9%	4%	14%	8%	8%	10%	8%
Crime and safety	7%	2%	11%	6%	8%	8%	6%
Health care policy	4%	5%	3%	4%	5%	3%	3%
Foreign policy	3%	4%	4%	3%	3%	3%	5%
Something else	3%	2%	4%	3%	3%	3%	2%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 011

Question E1

E1. How would you rate the economic conditions in the country today?

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Very/Somewhat good (NET)	27%	33%	22%	32%	18%	19%	62%	8%
Very good	4%	5%	2%	4%	1%	2%	9%	1%
Somewhat good	23%	27%	20%	27%	17%	17%	53%	7%
Somewhat/Very poor (NET)	73%	67%	78%	68%	82%	81%	38%	92%
Somewhat poor	41%	42%	40%	40%	43%	38%	32%	45%
Very poor	32%	25%	38%	28%	39%	43%	6%	47%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Very/Somewhat good (NET)	27%	17%	25%	34%	35%	18%	34%
Very good	4%	3%	2%	4%	6%	2%	5%
Somewhat good	23%	14%	23%	30%	29%	16%	30%
Somewhat/Very poor (NET)	73%	83%	75%	66%	65%	82%	66%
Somewhat poor	41%	44%	42%	42%	35%	44%	38%
Very poor	32%	40%	33%	24%	31%	37%	28%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Very/Somewhat good (NET)	27%	27%	27%	32%	31%
Very good	4%	4%	3%	5%	3%
Somewhat good	23%	22%	24%	27%	28%
Somewhat/Very poor (NET)	73%	73%	73%	68%	69%
Somewhat poor	41%	39%	44%	38%	44%
Very poor	32%	34%	29%	30%	25%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Very/Somewhat good (NET)	27%	11%	19%	54%	9%	22%	45%
Very good	4%	1%	3%	7%	2%	2%	7%
Somewhat good	23%	11%	15%	48%	7%	20%	39%
Somewhat/Very poor (NET)	73%	89%	81%	46%	91%	78%	55%
Somewhat poor	41%	40%	45%	35%	36%	48%	34%
Very poor	32%	49%	36%	11%	55%	29%	21%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Very/Somewhat good (NET)	27%	10%	53%	29%	21%	26%	36%
Very good	4%	1%	7%	4%	3%	3%	5%
Somewhat good	23%	9%	46%	25%	18%	23%	31%
Somewhat/Very poor (NET)	73%	90%	47%	71%	79%	74%	64%
Somewhat poor	41%	44%	36%	40%	38%	42%	44%
Very poor	32%	47%	11%	31%	42%	31%	20%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 012

Question ECONFAIR

ECONFAIR. Please choose the statement that comes closer to your own views--even if neither is exactly right.

Base: Total Respondents

	Total =====	Men =====	Women =====	White =====	Black =====	His- panic =====	Trump Apprv =====	Trump Dis- apprv =====
The economic system in this country unfairly favors powerful interests.....	75%	71%	79%	74%	88%	77%	49%	90%
The economic system in this country is generally fair to most Americans.....	24%	29%	21%	26%	11%	23%	51%	10%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	*	1%	0%	*	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total =====	18-34 =====	35-49 =====	50-64 =====	65+ =====	<45 =====	45+ =====
The economic system in this country unfairly favors powerful interests.....	75%	81%	77%	70%	72%	81%	71%
The economic system in this country is generally fair to most Americans.....	24%	19%	23%	30%	28%	19%	29%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total =====	Non- coll. grad. =====	Coll. grad. =====	White Non- coll. grad. =====	White coll. grad. =====
The economic system in this country unfairly favors powerful interests.....	75%	76%	75%	73%	74%
The economic system in this country is generally fair to most Americans.....	24%	24%	25%	27%	26%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total =====	Demo- crat =====	Indep endnt Other =====	Repub lican =====	Lib- eral =====	Mode- rate =====	Con serva tive =====
The economic system in this country unfairly favors powerful interests.....	75%	93%	79%	53%	93%	77%	61%
The economic system in this country is generally fair to most Americans.....	24%	6%	21%	47%	7%	22%	39%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	*	0%	*	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total =====	Lean Demo- crat =====	Lean Repub lican =====	Reg. Voter =====	<\$50K =====	\$50K- \$100K =====	\$100K+ =====
The economic system in this country unfairly favors powerful interests.....	75%	94%	54%	75%	81%	74%	70%
The economic system in this country is generally fair to most Americans.....	24%	6%	46%	25%	19%	26%	30%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	*	*	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 013
Question TRUMPECON
TRUMPECON. Do you think Donald Trump's policies have:
Base: Half Sample A Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Improved economic conditions in the country	22%	28%	18%	27%	SN	15%	60%	3%
Worsened economic conditions in the country	65%	60%	68%	60%	SN	76%	18%	90%
Had no effect on economic conditions in the country.....	12%	11%	14%	14%	SN	9%	22%	8%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	SN	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	3.9	5.8	5.4	5.2		8.2	6.7	4.9

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Improved economic conditions in the country	22%	15%	22%	27%	27%	16%	28%
Worsened economic conditions in the country	65%	73%	67%	56%	62%	73%	59%
Had no effect on economic conditions in the country.....	12%	12%	10%	17%	11%	11%	13%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	3.9	7.4	7.3	8.4	8.6	5.7	5.4

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Improved economic conditions in the country	22%	23%	21%	29%	24%
Worsened economic conditions in the country	65%	63%	68%	56%	66%
Had no effect on economic conditions in the country.....	12%	13%	11%	15%	10%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	3.9	4.9	6.5	6.6	8.6

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Improved economic conditions in the country	22%	3%	16%	51%	3%	18%	44%
Worsened economic conditions in the country	65%	92%	73%	27%	95%	69%	37%
Had no effect on economic conditions in the country.....	12%	5%	11%	22%	3%	13%	19%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	3.9	7.1	6.3	7.0	8.3	5.7	7.1

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Improved economic conditions in the country	22%	2%	51%	23%	18%	20%	31%
Worsened economic conditions in the country	65%	93%	30%	65%	69%	70%	55%
Had no effect on economic conditions in the country.....	12%	5%	19%	12%	13%	11%	13%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	3.9	6.0	6.2	4.5	6.2	7.2	7.3

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TABLE 014

Question TRUMPCOST

TRUMPCOST. How do you think Donald Trump's policies have affected the cost of living in your community?

Base: Half Sample B Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Increased the cost of living	77%	77%	76%	73%	SN	82%	51%	91%
Decreased the cost of living	8%	8%	8%	9%	SN	6%	17%	3%
Had no effect on the cost of living	16%	16%	16%	17%	SN	12%	33%	6%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	SN	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.0	5.7	5.8	5.3		9.3	6.6	5.1

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Increased the cost of living	77%	79%	77%	73%	76%	80%	74%
Decreased the cost of living	8%	7%	6%	11%	7%	6%	9%
Had no effect on the cost of living	16%	14%	17%	16%	17%	15%	17%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.0	7.3	7.7	8.8	8.8	5.8	5.6

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	White Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====
Increased the cost of living	77%	76%	78%	73%
Decreased the cost of living	8%	8%	7%	10%
Had no effect on the cost of living	16%	16%	15%	17%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.0	5.1	6.5	6.9

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Increased the cost of living	77%	90%	81%	55%	91%	80%	63%
Decreased the cost of living	8%	4%	5%	16%	6%	4%	13%
Had no effect on the cost of living	16%	6%	13%	29%	3%	16%	24%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.0	7.5	6.4	7.1	9.0	5.9	7.1

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Increased the cost of living	77%	93%	56%	76%	80%	72%	76%
Decreased the cost of living	8%	3%	15%	8%	7%	10%	6%
Had no effect on the cost of living	16%	4%	29%	16%	13%	18%	18%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.0	6.3	6.2	4.6	6.4	7.3	7.5

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TABLE 015

Question FINEFFECT_a

FINEFFECT_a. Generally speaking, do you think each of the following have a (positive effect), a (negative effect) or not much effect on your financial situation?

* The war with Iran *

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Positive effect	8%	9%	7%	9%	4%	9%	17%	3%
Negative effect	75%	73%	78%	73%	83%	78%	47%	91%
Not much effect	17%	18%	15%	19%	13%	13%	36%	6%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Positive effect	8%	6%	5%	9%	13%	5%	10%
Negative effect	75%	82%	78%	72%	68%	81%	71%
Not much effect	17%	12%	17%	19%	19%	14%	19%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Positive effect	8%	10%	4%	11%	5%
Negative effect	75%	71%	82%	67%	80%
Not much effect	17%	18%	14%	22%	15%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Positive effect	8%	4%	5%	16%	3%	7%	13%
Negative effect	75%	91%	81%	52%	92%	79%	59%
Not much effect	17%	5%	14%	31%	5%	14%	28%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Positive effect	8%	3%	15%	8%	9%	8%	6%
Negative effect	75%	92%	54%	75%	75%	77%	75%
Not much effect	17%	4%	31%	17%	17%	15%	19%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 016

Question FINEFFECT_b

FINEFFECT_b. Generally speaking, do you think each of the following have a (positive effect), a (negative effect) or not much effect on your financial situation?

* The implementation of higher tariffs on foreign goods *

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Positive effect	16%	18%	13%	17%	12%	13%	35%	5%
Negative effect	65%	60%	70%	61%	68%	74%	28%	85%
Not much effect	19%	22%	17%	22%	20%	13%	37%	9%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Positive effect	16%	12%	15%	20%	17%	13%	18%
Negative effect	65%	71%	66%	61%	60%	71%	60%
Not much effect	19%	16%	19%	19%	23%	16%	22%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Positive effect	16%	18%	12%	20%	13%
Negative effect	65%	61%	73%	56%	69%
Not much effect	19%	21%	16%	24%	18%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Positive effect	16%	7%	12%	31%	6%	13%	26%
Negative effect	65%	88%	71%	34%	90%	70%	41%
Not much effect	19%	5%	18%	35%	4%	16%	34%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Positive effect	16%	6%	30%	16%	15%	16%	15%
Negative effect	65%	89%	36%	64%	66%	67%	62%
Not much effect	19%	6%	34%	20%	19%	17%	22%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 017
Question FINEFFECT_c
FINEFFECT_c. Generally speaking, do you think each of the following have a (positive effect),
a (negative effect) or not much effect on your financial situation?
* The set of recent changes to tax laws *
Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Positive effect	25%	30%	22%	31%	11%	16%	50%	12%
Negative effect	41%	36%	47%	34%	58%	55%	12%	57%
Not much effect	34%	35%	32%	35%	31%	29%	38%	31%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Positive effect	25%	17%	23%	27%	37%	18%	31%
Negative effect	41%	53%	43%	35%	30%	51%	33%
Not much effect	34%	30%	34%	38%	33%	31%	36%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Positive effect	25%	26%	25%	33%	27%
Negative effect	41%	42%	40%	34%	34%
Not much effect	34%	32%	36%	33%	38%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Positive effect	25%	9%	20%	49%	8%	21%	43%
Negative effect	41%	62%	47%	12%	66%	43%	21%
Not much effect	34%	29%	33%	39%	26%	35%	36%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Positive effect	25%	9%	48%	26%	19%	27%	32%
Negative effect	41%	61%	13%	40%	48%	40%	32%
Not much effect	34%	30%	38%	34%	32%	33%	35%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 018

Question FINEFFECT_d

FINEFFECT_d. Generally speaking, do you think each of the following have a (positive effect), a (negative effect) or not much effect on your financial situation?

* The recent performance of the stock market *

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Positive effect	25%	33%	17%	30%	14%	14%	42%	16%
Negative effect	35%	26%	43%	29%	45%	46%	16%	45%
Not much effect	40%	41%	39%	41%	41%	41%	42%	39%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	*	1%	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Positive effect	25%	20%	22%	29%	30%	19%	30%
Negative effect	35%	39%	41%	30%	28%	43%	29%
Not much effect	40%	41%	38%	40%	41%	39%	41%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	1%	*	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Positive effect	25%	21%	30%	26%	35%
Negative effect	35%	38%	29%	33%	22%
Not much effect	40%	40%	41%	40%	43%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Positive effect	25%	14%	21%	40%	11%	25%	34%
Negative effect	35%	49%	38%	17%	47%	35%	27%
Not much effect	40%	35%	41%	43%	42%	40%	39%
Don't know/Refused	*	1%	0%	0%	0%	*	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Positive effect	25%	15%	40%	27%	16%	23%	39%
Negative effect	35%	45%	17%	33%	43%	34%	24%
Not much effect	40%	39%	43%	40%	41%	42%	37%
Don't know/Refused	*	1%	0%	*	1%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 019

Question FINEFFECT_e

FINEFFECT_e. Generally speaking, do you think each of the following have a (positive effect), a (negative effect) or not much effect on your financial situation?

* The increasing use of AI technology *

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Positive effect	16%	20%	13%	14%	17%	16%	22%	13%
Negative effect	46%	41%	50%	45%	45%	53%	37%	51%
Not much effect	37%	39%	37%	41%	37%	31%	40%	36%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	*	1%	0%	1%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Positive effect	16%	14%	15%	20%	15%	15%	17%
Negative effect	46%	53%	49%	46%	34%	52%	41%
Not much effect	37%	33%	35%	34%	49%	33%	41%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	0%	1%	*	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Positive effect	16%	15%	17%	13%	14%
Negative effect	46%	49%	42%	47%	42%
Not much effect	37%	36%	41%	39%	44%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Positive effect	16%	13%	16%	19%	11%	16%	20%
Negative effect	46%	52%	47%	39%	57%	44%	41%
Not much effect	37%	35%	37%	41%	32%	40%	38%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	*	0%	*	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Positive effect	16%	13%	21%	16%	13%	15%	21%
Negative effect	46%	51%	38%	45%	52%	46%	38%
Not much effect	37%	36%	41%	39%	34%	39%	40%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	*	*	*	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 020

Question RECESSION

RECESSION. How likely do you think it is that the U.S. economy will go into a recession in the next year?

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Very/Somewhat likely (NET)	69%	65%	73%	66%	78%	75%	39%	85%
Very likely	28%	26%	30%	23%	37%	36%	8%	39%
Somewhat likely	42%	39%	43%	42%	40%	39%	31%	47%
Not too/Not likely at all (NET)	31%	35%	27%	34%	22%	25%	61%	15%
Not too likely	23%	27%	20%	26%	18%	20%	44%	12%
Not likely at all	7%	8%	6%	8%	4%	5%	17%	2%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Very/Somewhat likely (NET)	69%	76%	71%	62%	65%	75%	65%
Very likely	28%	30%	32%	25%	22%	32%	24%
Somewhat likely	42%	46%	39%	38%	43%	43%	40%
Not too/Not likely at all (NET)	31%	24%	29%	38%	35%	25%	35%
Not too likely	23%	20%	21%	29%	24%	20%	26%
Not likely at all	7%	5%	7%	8%	11%	5%	9%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White Coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Very/Somewhat likely (NET)	69%	69%	70%	66%	66%
Very likely	28%	27%	28%	23%	24%
Somewhat likely	42%	42%	42%	43%	42%
Not too/Not likely at all (NET)	31%	31%	30%	34%	34%
Not too likely	23%	23%	23%	26%	25%
Not likely at all	7%	8%	7%	8%	8%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Very/Somewhat likely (NET)	69%	87%	75%	44%	89%	72%	52%
Very likely	28%	39%	32%	10%	45%	27%	17%
Somewhat likely	42%	48%	43%	34%	44%	45%	34%
Not too/Not likely at all (NET)	31%	13%	25%	56%	11%	28%	48%
Not too likely	23%	12%	20%	40%	9%	23%	34%
Not likely at all	7%	1%	6%	16%	2%	5%	15%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Very/Somewhat likely (NET)	69%	88%	45%	69%	73%	70%	63%
Very likely	28%	40%	10%	28%	29%	31%	22%
Somewhat likely	42%	49%	35%	41%	44%	39%	41%
Not too/Not likely at all (NET)	31%	12%	55%	31%	27%	30%	37%
Not too likely	23%	10%	40%	23%	20%	23%	28%
Not likely at all	7%	1%	15%	8%	7%	7%	9%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 021

Question FOLPOL

FOLPOL. Which best describes your approach to following what happens in American politics?

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	Hispanic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
I frequently seek out the latest political news	26%	30%	23%	31%	19%	20%	29%	24%
I follow major developments in politics, but don't seek them out.....	36%	37%	34%	37%	30%	30%	33%	37%
I only pay as much attention to politics as necessary.....	29%	24%	34%	25%	35%	35%	28%	29%
I don't follow politics at all	9%	9%	9%	6%	16%	15%	8%	9%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	*	0%	0%	1%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5
	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+	
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	
I frequently seek out the latest political news	26%	14%	21%	28%	44%	16%	35%	
I follow major developments in politics, but don't seek them out.....	36%	44%	33%	35%	29%	41%	32%	
I only pay as much attention to politics as necessary.....	29%	31%	34%	31%	19%	32%	27%	
I don't follow politics at all	9%	11%	11%	5%	7%	11%	7%	
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	0%	1%	*	*	
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9	
	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White Coll. grad.			
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====			
I frequently seek out the latest political news	26%	23%	32%	28%	35%			
I follow major developments in politics, but don't seek them out.....	36%	34%	39%	34%	41%			
I only pay as much attention to politics as necessary.....	29%	31%	26%	28%	20%			
I don't follow politics at all	9%	12%	3%	8%	3%			
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	*	0%			
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9			
	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive	
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	
I frequently seek out the latest political news	26%	33%	20%	28%	26%	25%	27%	
I follow major developments in politics, but don't seek them out.....	36%	39%	33%	37%	45%	35%	30%	
I only pay as much attention to politics as necessary.....	29%	21%	35%	29%	22%	31%	31%	
I don't follow politics at all	9%	7%	12%	6%	5%	9%	11%	
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	1%	1%	0%	*	
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0	
	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+	
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	
I frequently seek out the latest political news	26%	31%	28%	30%	22%	26%	32%	
I follow major developments in politics, but don't seek them out.....	36%	40%	36%	36%	32%	37%	41%	
I only pay as much attention to politics as necessary.....	29%	23%	30%	28%	33%	29%	24%	
I don't follow politics at all	9%	6%	6%	6%	13%	8%	3%	
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	*	1%	0%	0%	
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2	

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TABLE 026
Question HOUSVOTE
HOUSVOTE. Created variable based on H1, H1a
Base: Total Registered Voters

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Dem/Lean Dem	45%	42%	48%	41%	62%	49%	2%	69%
Rep/Lean Rep	42%	44%	39%	49%	16%	29%	91%	13%
Other	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Neither	11%	10%	11%	8%	17%	15%	5%	14%
Don't plan to vote	3%	3%	2%	2%	5%	7%	2%	4%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	3.2	4.5	4.6	4.0	9.5	7.6	5.3	4.0

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Dem/Lean Dem	45%	51%	42%	39%	47%	49%	42%
Rep/Lean Rep	42%	30%	43%	49%	47%	33%	48%
Other	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Neither	11%	14%	13%	10%	6%	14%	8%
Don't plan to vote	3%	5%	2%	3%	1%	4%	2%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	3.2	6.3	6.2	6.6	6.5	4.9	4.2

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Dem/Lean Dem	45%	38%	54%	32%	52%
Rep/Lean Rep	42%	46%	37%	56%	41%
Other	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Neither	11%	12%	9%	9%	7%
Don't plan to vote	3%	5%	1%	3%	0%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	3.2	4.2	5.0	5.3	6.2

	Total	Democrat	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mod-erate	Con serva-tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Dem/Lean Dem	45%	99%	39%	2%	87%	49%	9%
Rep/Lean Rep	42%	1%	28%	96%	5%	34%	78%
Other	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Neither	11%	1%	26%	2%	7%	13%	10%
Don't plan to vote	3%	*	7%	1%	1%	4%	3%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	3.2	5.7	5.5	5.4	7.0	4.7	5.6

	Total	Lean Demo-crat	Lean Repub-lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Dem/Lean Dem	45%	96%	2%	45%	43%	46%	46%
Rep/Lean Rep	42%	1%	94%	42%	40%	42%	44%
Other	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Neither	11%	2%	3%	11%	12%	10%	9%
Don't plan to vote	3%	1%	1%	3%	5%	2%	2%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	3.2	4.8	4.8	3.2	5.5	5.7	5.5

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TABLE 027

Question ECONVOTE

ECONVOTE. Thinking about the upcoming midterm election, which comes closer to your view?

Base: Total Respondents

	Total =====	Men =====	Women =====	White =====	Black =====	His- panic =====	Trump Apprv =====	Trump Dis- apprv =====
The economy matters more than any other political issue.....	43%	43%	43%	36%	50%	54%	45%	42%
There are other political issues that matter at least as much as the economy.....	57%	57%	57%	64%	48%	46%	55%	58%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	*	1%	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total =====	18-34 =====	35-49 =====	50-64 =====	65+ =====	<45 =====	45+ =====
The economy matters more than any other political issue.....	43%	44%	46%	40%	39%	45%	41%
There are other political issues that matter at least as much as the economy.....	57%	56%	54%	60%	60%	55%	59%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total =====	Non- coll. grad. =====	Coll. grad. =====	White Non- coll. grad. =====	White coll. grad. =====
The economy matters more than any other political issue.....	43%	49%	32%	44%	24%
There are other political issues that matter at least as much as the economy.....	57%	51%	68%	56%	75%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total =====	Demo- crat =====	Indep endnt Other =====	Repub lican =====	Lib- eral =====	Mode- rate =====	Con serva tive =====
The economy matters more than any other political issue.....	43%	36%	46%	44%	36%	43%	47%
There are other political issues that matter at least as much as the economy.....	57%	64%	53%	56%	64%	57%	52%
Don't know/Refused	*	1%	*	0%	0%	*	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total =====	Lean Demo- crat =====	Lean Repub lican =====	Reg. Voter =====	<\$50K =====	\$50K- \$100K =====	\$100K+ =====
The economy matters more than any other political issue.....	43%	34%	42%	39%	50%	40%	34%
There are other political issues that matter at least as much as the economy.....	57%	65%	58%	61%	49%	59%	66%
Don't know/Refused	*	1%	0%	*	*	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 029

Question HOUSEECON

HOUSEECON. Which comes closer to your view?

Base: Total Respondents

	Total =====	Men =====	Women =====	White =====	Black =====	His-panic =====	Trump Apprv =====	Trump Dis- apprv =====
My personal financial situation is unlikely to be affected much by the outcome of the midterm election this year.....	49%	53%	45%	54%	40%	40%	58%	44%
The outcome of the midterm election this year could have a big effect on my personal financial situation.....	50%	47%	54%	46%	60%	60%	42%	55%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	*	0%	0%	*	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5
	Total =====	18-34 =====	35-49 =====	50-64 =====	65+ =====	<45 =====	45+ =====	
My personal financial situation is unlikely to be affected much by the outcome of the midterm election this year.....	49%	50%	48%	49%	50%	48%	50%	
The outcome of the midterm election this year could have a big effect on my personal financial situation.....	50%	50%	52%	51%	50%	52%	50%	
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	*	
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9	
	Total =====	Non-coll. grad. =====	Coll. grad. =====	White Non-coll. grad. =====	White coll. grad. =====			
My personal financial situation is unlikely to be affected much by the outcome of the midterm election this year.....	49%	46%	55%	50%	59%			
The outcome of the midterm election this year could have a big effect on my personal financial situation.....	50%	53%	45%	49%	41%			
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	*	0%			
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9			
	Total =====	Demo-crat =====	Indep endnt Other =====	Repub lican =====	Lib- eral =====	Mode- rate =====	Con serva tive =====	
My personal financial situation is unlikely to be affected much by the outcome of the midterm election this year.....	49%	42%	51%	54%	41%	54%	49%	
The outcome of the midterm election this year could have a big effect on my personal financial situation.....	50%	58%	49%	46%	59%	46%	51%	
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	0%	0%	*	0%	
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0	
	Total =====	Lean Demo- crat =====	Lean Repub lican =====	Reg. Voter =====	<\$50K =====	\$50K- \$100K =====	\$100K+ =====	
My personal financial situation is unlikely to be affected much by the outcome of the midterm election this year.....	49%	45%	55%	50%	41%	52%	59%	
The outcome of the midterm election this year could have a big effect on my personal financial situation.....	50%	55%	45%	49%	59%	48%	40%	
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	*	0%	*	*	
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2	

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TABLE 031
Question PTYECON_a
PTYECON_a. Which political party do you think would do a better job of dealing with each of the following issues?
* the economy *
Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	35%	33%	36%	32%	52%	35%	5%	51%
The Republican Party	33%	38%	29%	41%	16%	20%	78%	9%
Neither party	32%	29%	35%	27%	33%	45%	17%	40%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	35%	39%	30%	28%	40%	37%	33%
The Republican Party	33%	26%	30%	41%	39%	25%	40%
Neither party	32%	35%	40%	31%	21%	38%	28%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	35%	31%	41%	26%	40%
The Republican Party	33%	34%	31%	45%	35%
Neither party	32%	35%	28%	28%	25%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Democrat	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	35%	82%	25%	4%	70%	37%	8%
The Republican Party	33%	3%	21%	80%	7%	27%	60%
Neither party	32%	15%	54%	16%	24%	36%	33%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	35%	75%	5%	36%	35%	38%	31%
The Republican Party	33%	3%	76%	36%	29%	32%	40%
Neither party	32%	22%	19%	28%	36%	31%	29%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 032

Question PTYECON_b

PTYECON_b. Which political party do you think would do a better job of dealing with each of the following issues?

* inflation *

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	33%	30%	37%	30%	42%	39%	6%	48%
The Republican Party	28%	32%	25%	35%	12%	18%	64%	8%
Neither party	39%	38%	39%	34%	46%	43%	30%	44%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	0%	0%	*	*	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	33%	35%	30%	29%	39%	33%	34%
The Republican Party	28%	20%	25%	34%	36%	20%	35%
Neither party	39%	45%	45%	37%	24%	47%	32%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	0%	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	33%	29%	40%	24%	39%
The Republican Party	28%	31%	23%	41%	27%
Neither party	39%	40%	36%	35%	33%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	33%	75%	26%	4%	63%	34%	11%
The Republican Party	28%	4%	16%	69%	7%	23%	48%
Neither party	39%	21%	58%	26%	29%	42%	40%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	0%	*	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	33%	70%	6%	34%	34%	37%	29%
The Republican Party	28%	4%	62%	30%	25%	27%	33%
Neither party	39%	26%	32%	35%	40%	37%	38%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	*	*	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 033

Question PTYECON_c

PTYECON_c. Which political party do you think would do a better job of dealing with each of the following issues?

* taxes *

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	32%	28%	35%	27%	49%	38%	5%	46%
The Republican Party	35%	40%	30%	42%	15%	24%	74%	14%
Neither party	34%	31%	35%	30%	36%	39%	22%	40%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	32%	35%	30%	24%	36%	33%	30%
The Republican Party	35%	27%	32%	40%	43%	27%	41%
Neither party	34%	38%	38%	35%	21%	40%	28%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	0%	*	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	32%	28%	38%	22%	36%
The Republican Party	35%	36%	33%	46%	37%
Neither party	34%	36%	29%	32%	28%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	32%	75%	22%	5%	66%	31%	10%
The Republican Party	35%	7%	24%	78%	7%	31%	58%
Neither party	34%	18%	54%	17%	27%	38%	32%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	0%	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	32%	68%	5%	32%	32%	33%	29%
The Republican Party	35%	6%	75%	37%	29%	35%	42%
Neither party	34%	26%	20%	30%	39%	31%	29%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	*	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 034
Question PTYECON_d
PTYECON_d. Which political party do you think would do a better job of dealing with each of the following issues?
* income inequality *
Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	39%	38%	41%	36%	54%	44%	9%	56%
The Republican Party	22%	23%	20%	26%	7%	16%	51%	6%
Neither party	38%	38%	38%	37%	40%	40%	39%	39%
Don't know/Refused	*	1%	*	1%	0%	*	1%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	39%	47%	34%	33%	42%	43%	36%
The Republican Party	22%	14%	25%	24%	25%	17%	26%
Neither party	38%	39%	41%	42%	31%	40%	37%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	39%	35%	48%	28%	48%
The Republican Party	22%	25%	16%	33%	17%
Neither party	38%	40%	36%	38%	35%
Don't know/Refused	*	1%	*	1%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Democrat	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	39%	80%	32%	12%	64%	45%	14%
The Republican Party	22%	3%	11%	55%	8%	15%	40%
Neither party	38%	17%	55%	33%	28%	40%	45%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	1%	*	*	*	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	39%	77%	11%	41%	37%	43%	40%
The Republican Party	22%	3%	48%	22%	20%	23%	23%
Neither party	38%	20%	40%	37%	43%	34%	37%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	1%	*	*	1%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 035

Question PTYECON_e

PTYECON_e. Which political party do you think would do a better job of dealing with each of the following issues?

* helping the middle class *

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	40%	39%	42%	37%	54%	46%	8%	57%
The Republican Party	27%	30%	25%	35%	9%	19%	67%	6%
Neither party	32%	31%	33%	28%	36%	35%	25%	36%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	*	1%	*	*	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	40%	45%	34%	36%	45%	41%	40%
The Republican Party	27%	18%	28%	31%	35%	21%	33%
Neither party	32%	37%	38%	32%	20%	39%	27%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	1%	0%	*	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	40%	37%	45%	32%	44%
The Republican Party	27%	30%	23%	40%	26%
Neither party	32%	33%	32%	28%	29%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	40%	83%	33%	9%	70%	46%	12%
The Republican Party	27%	3%	16%	69%	4%	20%	54%
Neither party	32%	14%	50%	22%	26%	34%	35%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	*	*	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	40%	80%	10%	40%	40%	40%	39%
The Republican Party	27%	2%	64%	30%	23%	31%	30%
Neither party	32%	18%	26%	30%	36%	29%	31%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	*	*	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 036

Question PTYECON_f

PTYECON_f. Which political party do you think would do a better job of dealing with each of the following issues?

* health care costs *

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	43%	42%	44%	39%	54%	46%	11%	59%
The Republican Party	24%	24%	23%	30%	8%	18%	55%	7%
Neither party	33%	34%	32%	31%	38%	36%	33%	34%
Don't know/Refused	1%	*	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	43%	47%	39%	37%	47%	45%	41%
The Republican Party	24%	16%	23%	26%	31%	18%	29%
Neither party	33%	37%	38%	36%	21%	37%	30%
Don't know/Refused	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	43%	38%	50%	32%	49%
The Republican Party	24%	26%	18%	36%	21%
Neither party	33%	35%	31%	31%	30%
Don't know/Refused	1%	1%	*	1%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	43%	85%	36%	12%	71%	48%	15%
The Republican Party	24%	2%	14%	59%	6%	17%	45%
Neither party	33%	12%	50%	29%	22%	34%	40%
Don't know/Refused	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	*	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	43%	82%	12%	43%	42%	44%	42%
The Republican Party	24%	2%	53%	25%	20%	26%	26%
Neither party	33%	16%	34%	31%	36%	30%	32%
Don't know/Refused	1%	1%	1%	*	1%	*	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 037
Question PTYECON_g
PTYECON_g. Which political party do you think would do a better job of dealing with each of the following issues?
* the cost of living *
Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	37%	35%	39%	33%	49%	41%	5%	54%
The Republican Party	28%	30%	26%	34%	10%	20%	64%	8%
Neither party	35%	35%	35%	32%	41%	38%	30%	38%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	0%	0%	*	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	37%	41%	33%	31%	42%	39%	35%
The Republican Party	28%	20%	26%	32%	36%	20%	34%
Neither party	35%	38%	41%	37%	23%	41%	31%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	0%	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	37%	33%	43%	28%	41%
The Republican Party	28%	30%	23%	40%	26%
Neither party	35%	36%	34%	32%	33%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	37%	82%	29%	6%	67%	40%	12%
The Republican Party	28%	3%	17%	68%	7%	22%	50%
Neither party	35%	14%	54%	26%	26%	38%	38%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	0%	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	37%	78%	7%	38%	37%	39%	35%
The Republican Party	28%	3%	63%	29%	25%	28%	32%
Neither party	35%	19%	30%	33%	38%	33%	33%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	0%	*	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 038

Question PTYECON_h

PTYECON_h. Which political party do you think would do a better job of dealing with each of the following issues?

* the role of AI in American life *

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	19%	19%	20%	16%	33%	21%	5%	27%
The Republican Party	20%	21%	19%	22%	12%	19%	40%	9%
Neither party	61%	60%	61%	62%	55%	60%	55%	65%
Don't know/Refused	*	1%	*	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	19%	21%	16%	15%	25%	19%	19%
The Republican Party	20%	15%	20%	22%	22%	16%	22%
Neither party	61%	64%	64%	62%	51%	65%	58%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	19%	18%	21%	15%	17%
The Republican Party	20%	22%	16%	26%	15%
Neither party	61%	60%	63%	58%	68%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	1%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	19%	44%	13%	5%	33%	20%	8%
The Republican Party	20%	7%	10%	46%	8%	15%	34%
Neither party	61%	49%	76%	48%	58%	65%	58%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	1%	1%	*	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	19%	39%	4%	19%	21%	18%	17%
The Republican Party	20%	5%	41%	20%	18%	20%	21%
Neither party	61%	56%	54%	60%	59%	63%	61%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	1%	*	1%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 039
Question PTYECON_i
PTYECON_i. Which political party do you think would do a better job of dealing with each of the following issues?
* the stock market *
Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	21%	19%	23%	17%	33%	26%	4%	30%
The Republican Party	38%	44%	33%	46%	22%	26%	67%	22%
Neither party	41%	38%	44%	36%	45%	48%	28%	48%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	*	0%	*	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	21%	23%	19%	17%	25%	22%	20%
The Republican Party	38%	29%	36%	45%	45%	31%	44%
Neither party	41%	48%	45%	37%	30%	47%	36%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	*	0%	*	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	21%	21%	22%	16%	19%
The Republican Party	38%	38%	37%	49%	42%
Neither party	41%	41%	41%	34%	39%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	21%	50%	15%	2%	39%	23%	6%
The Republican Party	38%	15%	29%	74%	16%	35%	57%
Neither party	41%	35%	56%	23%	44%	42%	37%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	*	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
The Democratic Party	21%	44%	3%	21%	23%	21%	18%
The Republican Party	38%	17%	71%	41%	31%	40%	46%
Neither party	41%	38%	26%	38%	45%	39%	36%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	0%	*	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 049

Question FINSIT

FINSIT. Overall, would you say you are (satisfied) or (dissatisfied) with your own personal financial situation?

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Satisfied	49%	56%	42%	57%	32%	34%	66%	40%
Dissatisfied	51%	43%	57%	43%	68%	66%	34%	60%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	*	0%	1%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Satisfied	49%	38%	42%	54%	66%	38%	59%
Dissatisfied	51%	62%	58%	45%	34%	62%	41%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	*	*	*	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Satisfied	49%	42%	62%	49%	69%
Dissatisfied	51%	58%	38%	51%	31%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Satisfied	49%	44%	41%	66%	39%	49%	55%
Dissatisfied	51%	56%	58%	34%	61%	51%	44%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	*	0%	*	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Satisfied	49%	45%	64%	55%	30%	52%	74%
Dissatisfied	51%	55%	36%	45%	69%	48%	26%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	1%	*	*	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 050

Question FINSITs

FINSITs. Which of the following do you think is the biggest reason that your financial situation is satisfactory?

Base: Those satisfied with financial situation

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
My own personal circumstances	82%	79%	86%	85%	SN	SN	80%	84%
Good luck	6%	6%	5%	4%	SN	SN	3%	8%
The economic system working in my favor	12%	16%	8%	11%	SN	SN	17%	8%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	*	SN	SN	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.0	5.4	6.2	4.9			5.8	5.6

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
My own personal circumstances	82%	77%	86%	81%	84%	80%	83%
Good luck	6%	12%	6%	4%	2%	9%	4%
The economic system working in my favor	12%	12%	8%	15%	13%	10%	13%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.0	8.5	8.2	8.2	7.5	6.7	5.1

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====
My own personal circumstances	82%	79%	85%	84%
Good luck	6%	6%	5%	5%
The economic system working in my favor	12%	14%	10%	13%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.0	5.6	5.8	6.8

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
My own personal circumstances	82%	83%	80%	83%	SN	85%	81%
Good luck	6%	8%	7%	3%	SN	5%	2%
The economic system working in my favor	12%	8%	13%	14%	SN	10%	16%
Don't know/Refused	*	1%	0%	0%	SN	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.0	8.2	6.9	6.2		5.9	6.6

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
My own personal circumstances	82%	83%	81%	83%	79%	85%	82%
Good luck	6%	8%	3%	5%	9%	4%	5%
The economic system working in my favor	12%	9%	16%	11%	12%	11%	13%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	*	1%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.0	6.7	5.5	4.3	8.2	7.3	6.0

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TABLE 051
Question FINSITd
FINSITd. Which of the following do you think is the biggest reason that your financial situation is not satisfactory?
Base: Those dissatisfied with financial situation

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
My own personal circumstances	33%	35%	32%	31%	39%	34%	39%	31%
Bad luck	6%	8%	4%	5%	6%	8%	8%	6%
The economic system working against me	61%	58%	64%	64%	55%	58%	53%	64%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	*	0%	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	3.9	6.2	5.2	5.7	10.0	7.4	8.1	4.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
My own personal circumstances	33%	40%	31%	28%	SN	37%	27%
Bad luck	6%	6%	6%	6%	SN	7%	5%
The economic system working against me	61%	53%	62%	65%	SN	56%	67%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	0%	SN	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	3.9	6.5	7.0	9.1		5.1	6.2

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
My own personal circumstances	33%	36%	24%	34%	SN
Bad luck	6%	6%	6%	5%	SN
The economic system working against me	61%	58%	71%	61%	SN
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	0%	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	3.9	4.6	7.6	6.7	

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
My own personal circumstances	33%	32%	33%	34%	32%	32%	36%
Bad luck	6%	3%	7%	9%	3%	6%	8%
The economic system working against me	61%	64%	61%	57%	65%	62%	56%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	0%	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	3.9	6.6	6.0	8.4	7.6	5.7	7.7

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
My own personal circumstances	33%	30%	36%	31%	35%	30%	SN
Bad luck	6%	4%	10%	5%	7%	6%	SN
The economic system working against me	61%	66%	54%	64%	58%	63%	SN
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	*	0%	*	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	3.9	5.7	7.3	4.8	5.3	7.2	

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TABLE 052
Question FINSIT/FINSITs/FINSITd
FINSIT/FINSITs/FINSITd Combo Table
Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Satisfied with Financial Situation	49%	56%	42%	57%	32%	34%	66%	40%
My own personal circumstances	40%	44%	37%	48%	22%	24%	53%	33%
Good luck	3%	3%	2%	2%	3%	5%	2%	3%
The economic system working in my favor	6%	9%	3%	7%	6%	5%	11%	3%
Don't know/Refused/Web blank	*	0%	*	*	0%	0%	0%	*
Dissatisfied with Financial Situation	51%	43%	57%	43%	68%	66%	34%	60%
My own personal circumstances	17%	15%	18%	13%	27%	22%	13%	19%
Bad luck	3%	3%	2%	2%	4%	5%	3%	3%
The economic system working against me	31%	25%	37%	27%	37%	38%	18%	38%
Don't know/Refused/Web blank	*	*	0%	*	0%	0%	0%	*
Don't know/Refused/Web Blank	*	*	*	*	0%	1%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Satisfied with Financial Situation	49%	38%	42%	54%	66%	38%	59%
My own personal circumstances	40%	29%	36%	44%	55%	30%	49%
Good luck	3%	4%	3%	2%	2%	4%	2%
The economic system working in my favor	6%	4%	3%	8%	9%	4%	8%
Don't know/Refused/Web blank	*	0%	0%	0%	*	0%	*
Dissatisfied with Financial Situation	51%	62%	58%	45%	34%	62%	41%
My own personal circumstances	17%	25%	18%	13%	8%	23%	11%
Bad luck	3%	4%	4%	3%	1%	4%	2%
The economic system working against me	31%	33%	36%	30%	25%	35%	28%
Don't know/Refused/Web blank	*	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Don't know/Refused/Web Blank	*	*	0%	*	*	*	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Satisfied with Financial Situation	49%	42%	62%	49%	69%
My own personal circumstances	40%	33%	53%	41%	59%
Good luck	3%	3%	3%	1%	3%
The economic system working in my favor	6%	6%	6%	6%	7%
Don't know/Refused/Web blank	*	*	0%	*	0%
Dissatisfied with Financial Situation	51%	58%	38%	51%	31%
My own personal circumstances	17%	21%	9%	17%	8%
Bad luck	3%	4%	2%	2%	1%
The economic system working against me	31%	34%	27%	31%	22%
Don't know/Refused/Web blank	*	0%	*	0%	*
Don't know/Refused/Web Blank	*	*	*	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

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TABLE 052
Question FINSIT/FINSITs/FINSITd
FINSIT/FINSITs/FINSITd Combo Table
Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Demo- crat	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib- eral	Mode- rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Satisfied with Financial Situation	49%	44%	41%	66%	39%	49%	55%
My own personal circumstances	40%	36%	33%	55%	30%	42%	45%
Good luck	3%	4%	3%	2%	6%	3%	1%
The economic system working in my favor	6%	3%	5%	9%	4%	5%	9%
Don't know/Refused/Web blank	*	*	0%	0%	0%	0%	*
Dissatisfied with Financial Situation	51%	56%	58%	34%	61%	51%	44%
My own personal circumstances	17%	18%	19%	12%	19%	16%	16%
Bad luck	3%	2%	4%	3%	2%	3%	4%
The economic system working against me	31%	36%	35%	19%	39%	32%	25%
Don't know/Refused/Web blank	*	*	0%	0%	0%	*	0%
Don't know/Refused/Web Blank	*	0%	*	*	0%	*	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo- crat	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K- \$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Satisfied with Financial Situation	49%	45%	64%	55%	30%	52%	74%
My own personal circumstances	40%	37%	52%	46%	24%	44%	61%
Good luck	3%	4%	2%	3%	3%	2%	4%
The economic system working in my favor	6%	4%	10%	6%	4%	6%	9%
Don't know/Refused/Web blank	*	*	0%	*	*	0%	0%
Dissatisfied with Financial Situation	51%	55%	36%	45%	69%	48%	26%
My own personal circumstances	17%	17%	13%	14%	24%	14%	7%
Bad luck	3%	2%	3%	2%	5%	3%	1%
The economic system working against me	31%	36%	19%	29%	40%	31%	18%
Don't know/Refused/Web blank	*	*	0%	*	0%	*	0%
Don't know/Refused/Web Blank	*	0%	1%	*	*	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 053
Question FINYEAR
FINYEAR. Compared to last year, is your personal financial situation currently:
Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Better	19%	25%	13%	22%	18%	13%	29%	14%
About the same	52%	52%	52%	52%	52%	47%	57%	48%
Worse	29%	23%	35%	26%	30%	40%	14%	38%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	*	0%	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Better	19%	22%	20%	18%	14%	21%	17%
About the same	52%	48%	47%	51%	63%	46%	56%
Worse	29%	31%	32%	31%	23%	33%	26%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	0%	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====
Better	19%	17%	22%	21%
About the same	52%	52%	51%	51%
Worse	29%	31%	27%	25%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	5.9

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Better	19%	12%	18%	28%	11%	18%	25%
About the same	52%	53%	49%	55%	52%	53%	50%
Worse	29%	35%	34%	17%	38%	29%	24%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	*	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Better	19%	13%	26%	20%	10%	20%	31%
About the same	52%	51%	56%	53%	50%	54%	51%
Worse	29%	35%	18%	27%	40%	26%	18%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	*	*	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 054

Question FINTIME

FINTIME. Considering the state of the economy and your personal financial situation, do you think now is a good time to make major purchases or is it more of a time to hold off and focus on saving instead?

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Make major purchases	12%	13%	11%	13%	11%	8%	21%	7%
Hold off and focus on saving	88%	86%	89%	87%	89%	92%	79%	93%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	*	0%	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Make major purchases	12%	13%	9%	13%	12%	11%	12%
Hold off and focus on saving	88%	87%	91%	86%	87%	89%	87%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	*	*	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Make major purchases	12%	12%	12%	14%	13%
Hold off and focus on saving	88%	88%	88%	86%	87%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	1%	0%	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Make major purchases	12%	8%	10%	18%	7%	11%	16%
Hold off and focus on saving	88%	92%	90%	82%	93%	89%	84%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	0%	0%	*	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Make major purchases	12%	7%	19%	12%	8%	13%	16%
Hold off and focus on saving	88%	92%	81%	88%	92%	87%	84%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	*	*	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 055

Question FINCONF

FINCONF. How confident are you about your ability to maintain your current standard of living over the next year?

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Very/Somewhat confident (NET)	70%	75%	65%	74%	68%	61%	85%	62%
Very confident	20%	26%	15%	23%	21%	12%	34%	13%
Somewhat confident	50%	50%	50%	50%	47%	49%	52%	49%
Not too/Not confident at all (NET)	30%	24%	35%	26%	32%	39%	15%	38%
Not too confident	23%	18%	27%	21%	23%	26%	13%	28%
Not confident at all	7%	6%	8%	5%	8%	13%	2%	10%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	*	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Very/Somewhat confident (NET)	70%	64%	69%	67%	81%	65%	74%
Very confident	20%	15%	17%	24%	27%	15%	25%
Somewhat confident	50%	50%	52%	43%	54%	50%	50%
Not too/Not confident at all (NET)	30%	36%	31%	32%	19%	35%	26%
Not too confident	23%	27%	24%	24%	14%	26%	20%
Not confident at all	7%	8%	7%	8%	5%	9%	6%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	*	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Very/Somewhat confident (NET)	70%	66%	77%	70%	79%
Very confident	20%	19%	22%	23%	24%
Somewhat confident	50%	47%	55%	48%	55%
Not too/Not confident at all (NET)	30%	34%	23%	30%	21%
Not too confident	23%	25%	18%	24%	17%
Not confident at all	7%	9%	5%	6%	4%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Very/Somewhat confident (NET)	70%	64%	65%	84%	62%	70%	75%
Very confident	20%	14%	16%	32%	10%	20%	28%
Somewhat confident	50%	50%	48%	52%	51%	51%	47%
Not too/Not confident at all (NET)	30%	36%	35%	16%	38%	30%	25%
Not too confident	23%	28%	25%	13%	27%	23%	19%
Not confident at all	7%	8%	10%	3%	11%	6%	6%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	0%	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Very/Somewhat confident (NET)	70%	65%	83%	73%	59%	71%	85%
Very confident	20%	13%	32%	22%	12%	21%	32%
Somewhat confident	50%	52%	51%	50%	47%	50%	53%
Not too/Not confident at all (NET)	30%	35%	17%	27%	41%	29%	15%
Not too confident	23%	26%	14%	21%	29%	24%	12%
Not confident at all	7%	9%	3%	6%	11%	5%	3%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	*	*	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 056
Question FINFEEL
FINFEEL. Which of the following words or phrases describe what you feel when thinking about your financial future?
You can select as many as apply.
Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Uncertainty	54%	50%	57%	52%	51%	60%	36%	64%
Stress	45%	41%	48%	41%	44%	57%	28%	54%
Hope	39%	43%	36%	40%	43%	35%	47%	35%
Security	30%	34%	26%	34%	29%	20%	42%	23%
Dread	19%	16%	21%	16%	25%	25%	11%	24%
Pride	15%	20%	10%	17%	17%	9%	23%	11%
None of these	4%	5%	4%	4%	5%	6%	5%	4%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Uncertainty	54%	60%	55%	52%	47%	60%	49%
Stress	45%	57%	52%	39%	26%	56%	35%
Hope	39%	39%	41%	39%	38%	37%	41%
Security	30%	23%	26%	33%	39%	23%	35%
Dread	19%	26%	21%	18%	9%	26%	13%
Pride	15%	12%	16%	16%	15%	13%	16%
None of these	4%	5%	3%	4%	4%	4%	4%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Uncertainty	54%	53%	55%	52%	52%
Stress	45%	46%	43%	42%	40%
Hope	39%	38%	42%	38%	43%
Security	30%	27%	35%	31%	37%
Dread	19%	22%	14%	19%	11%
Pride	15%	15%	15%	18%	17%
None of these	4%	5%	3%	3%	4%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Uncertainty	54%	61%	58%	39%	66%	57%	41%
Stress	45%	53%	49%	31%	56%	46%	35%
Hope	39%	37%	37%	44%	33%	40%	43%
Security	30%	24%	25%	42%	20%	31%	35%
Dread	19%	24%	22%	10%	29%	17%	15%
Pride	15%	10%	14%	21%	9%	14%	20%
None of these	4%	2%	6%	4%	2%	4%	7%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

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TABLE 056

Question FINFEEL

FINFEEL. Which of the following words or phrases describe what you feel when thinking about your financial future?

You can select as many as apply.

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Lean Demo- crat	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K- \$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Uncertainty	54%	64%	41%	52%	59%	55%	45%
Stress	45%	53%	32%	43%	53%	41%	36%
Hope	39%	35%	45%	41%	36%	41%	41%
Security	30%	24%	41%	33%	19%	32%	43%
Dread	19%	24%	12%	17%	28%	16%	9%
Pride	15%	11%	20%	16%	12%	13%	21%
None of these	4%	3%	4%	4%	6%	3%	2%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 057

Question FINAGECOMP

FINAGECOMP. Thinking about your personal financial situation compared to most other Americans your age, would you say you are:

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Doing better than most others your age	32%	38%	26%	37%	20%	22%	36%	29%
Doing about the same as most others your age	50%	44%	56%	47%	61%	53%	49%	51%
Doing worse than most others your age	18%	18%	19%	16%	19%	25%	15%	20%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Doing better than most others your age	32%	31%	31%	31%	34%	31%	32%
Doing about the same as most others your age	50%	47%	49%	53%	53%	47%	53%
Doing worse than most others your age	18%	22%	21%	16%	13%	22%	15%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Doing better than most others your age	32%	24%	44%	28%	49%
Doing about the same as most others your age	50%	53%	45%	51%	41%
Doing worse than most others your age	18%	23%	11%	21%	9%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Doing better than most others your age	32%	28%	31%	36%	27%	32%	34%
Doing about the same as most others your age	50%	53%	47%	51%	52%	51%	47%
Doing worse than most others your age	18%	19%	22%	13%	22%	16%	19%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Doing better than most others your age	32%	30%	37%	35%	15%	33%	55%
Doing about the same as most others your age	50%	52%	49%	50%	56%	52%	40%
Doing worse than most others your age	18%	17%	14%	15%	29%	15%	6%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 058

Question FINWORRY

FINWORRY. How often do you worry that your total family income will not be enough to meet your family's expenses and bills? Do you worry:

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	Hispanic	Trump Apprv	Trump Disapprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
All/Most of the time (NET)	31%	26%	36%	24%	48%	44%	25%	35%
All of the time	12%	10%	15%	9%	18%	22%	9%	14%
Most of the time	19%	17%	21%	15%	30%	22%	16%	21%
Some of the time/Almost never (NET)	69%	74%	64%	76%	52%	56%	75%	65%
Some of the time	42%	40%	44%	43%	34%	42%	42%	43%
Almost never	26%	33%	20%	33%	18%	14%	34%	23%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
All/Most of the time (NET)	31%	39%	35%	30%	20%	38%	25%
All of the time	12%	15%	14%	13%	6%	16%	9%
Most of the time	19%	25%	20%	17%	14%	23%	16%
Some of the time/Almost never (NET)	69%	61%	65%	70%	80%	62%	75%
Some of the time	42%	40%	43%	44%	41%	41%	43%
Almost never	26%	21%	22%	26%	39%	21%	32%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====
All/Most of the time (NET)	31%	39%	18%	32%
All of the time	12%	16%	6%	12%
Most of the time	19%	23%	12%	20%
Some of the time/Almost never (NET)	69%	61%	82%	68%
Some of the time	42%	41%	44%	43%
Almost never	26%	20%	38%	25%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
All/Most of the time (NET)	31%	33%	36%	24%	37%	30%	29%
All of the time	12%	13%	14%	10%	12%	12%	13%
Most of the time	19%	20%	22%	14%	24%	19%	16%
Some of the time/Almost never (NET)	69%	67%	64%	76%	63%	70%	71%
Some of the time	42%	44%	41%	42%	42%	43%	40%
Almost never	26%	23%	24%	34%	21%	26%	30%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
All/Most of the time (NET)	31%	31%	24%	27%	47%	26%	14%
All of the time	12%	12%	9%	10%	20%	8%	4%
Most of the time	19%	20%	15%	16%	27%	18%	9%
Some of the time/Almost never (NET)	69%	69%	76%	73%	53%	74%	86%
Some of the time	42%	44%	43%	42%	40%	45%	42%
Almost never	26%	25%	34%	31%	13%	29%	44%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 059

Question FINCOMFORT_b

FINCOMFORT_b. For each of the following, please indicate whether it's something (you can comfortably afford), something you could afford in a pinch or something (you could not afford).

* Going out for a nice dinner *

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Could comfortably afford	46%	51%	41%	54%	35%	26%	55%	41%
Could afford in a pinch	35%	33%	37%	30%	44%	44%	30%	37%
Could not afford	19%	16%	22%	15%	20%	30%	15%	21%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	1%	*	1%	0%	*	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Could comfortably afford	46%	36%	39%	51%	60%	36%	54%
Could afford in a pinch	35%	38%	41%	33%	24%	40%	30%
Could not afford	19%	25%	19%	16%	15%	24%	16%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	0%	1%	*	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Could comfortably afford	46%	36%	62%	45%	67%
Could afford in a pinch	35%	38%	28%	34%	25%
Could not afford	19%	25%	9%	21%	8%
Don't know/Refused	*	1%	0%	1%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-crat	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Could comfortably afford	46%	44%	41%	55%	40%	49%	45%
Could afford in a pinch	35%	36%	36%	32%	38%	33%	35%
Could not afford	19%	20%	23%	13%	22%	18%	19%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	*	0%	1%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-crat	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Could comfortably afford	46%	47%	54%	52%	24%	49%	75%
Could afford in a pinch	35%	34%	32%	32%	43%	38%	19%
Could not afford	19%	19%	14%	15%	33%	13%	6%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	*	1%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 060

Question FINCOMFORT_c

FINCOMFORT_c. For each of the following, please indicate whether it's something (you can comfortably afford), something you could afford in a pinch or something (you could not afford).

* Going on a vacation *

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Could comfortably afford	28%	34%	23%	35%	15%	14%	38%	23%
Could afford in a pinch	28%	29%	28%	28%	33%	25%	27%	29%
Could not afford	43%	37%	49%	37%	52%	61%	35%	48%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Could comfortably afford	28%	19%	23%	32%	42%	20%	35%
Could afford in a pinch	28%	30%	33%	28%	22%	31%	27%
Could not afford	43%	51%	45%	40%	36%	49%	38%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Could comfortably afford	28%	20%	43%	25%	50%
Could afford in a pinch	28%	26%	32%	27%	29%
Could not afford	43%	54%	25%	47%	21%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Could comfortably afford	28%	22%	26%	38%	22%	28%	32%
Could afford in a pinch	28%	32%	26%	28%	29%	30%	27%
Could not afford	43%	46%	48%	34%	50%	42%	41%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Could comfortably afford	28%	24%	38%	33%	9%	29%	55%
Could afford in a pinch	28%	31%	29%	28%	25%	34%	28%
Could not afford	43%	45%	33%	38%	66%	37%	17%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 061

Question FINCOMFORT_d

FINCOMFORT_d. For each of the following, please indicate whether it's something (you can comfortably afford), something you could afford in a pinch or something (you could not afford).

* Paying \$1,000 for an emergency expense *

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Could comfortably afford	34%	40%	29%	43%	16%	16%	44%	29%
Could afford in a pinch	31%	31%	31%	30%	31%	33%	30%	31%
Could not afford	35%	29%	40%	27%	52%	51%	26%	39%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	*	0%	*	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Could comfortably afford	34%	22%	31%	39%	50%	25%	43%
Could afford in a pinch	31%	31%	30%	33%	28%	30%	31%
Could not afford	35%	46%	39%	28%	21%	45%	26%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	0%	*	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Could comfortably afford	34%	24%	53%	33%	58%
Could afford in a pinch	31%	30%	32%	30%	30%
Could not afford	35%	46%	15%	37%	12%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-crat	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Could comfortably afford	34%	32%	29%	45%	28%	35%	38%
Could afford in a pinch	31%	33%	30%	30%	33%	33%	26%
Could not afford	35%	35%	40%	25%	39%	31%	35%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	0%	*	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-crat	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Could comfortably afford	34%	34%	44%	40%	14%	35%	65%
Could afford in a pinch	31%	32%	31%	31%	30%	36%	28%
Could not afford	35%	34%	25%	29%	56%	29%	8%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	*	*	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 062

Question FINCOMFORT_e

FINCOMFORT_e. For each of the following, please indicate whether it's something (you can comfortably afford), something you could afford in a pinch or something (you could not afford).

* Saving money for the future *

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Could comfortably afford	35%	41%	28%	42%	26%	20%	44%	30%
Could afford in a pinch	35%	35%	35%	31%	40%	40%	32%	36%
Could not afford	30%	23%	36%	27%	35%	40%	23%	34%
Don't know/Refused	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	*	1%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Could comfortably afford	35%	31%	29%	36%	44%	31%	38%
Could afford in a pinch	35%	38%	37%	34%	29%	35%	34%
Could not afford	30%	31%	33%	30%	26%	34%	27%
Don't know/Refused	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	*	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Could comfortably afford	35%	26%	49%	32%	56%
Could afford in a pinch	35%	36%	33%	33%	28%
Could not afford	30%	38%	17%	34%	16%
Don't know/Refused	1%	1%	*	1%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-crat	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Could comfortably afford	35%	29%	30%	47%	28%	36%	37%
Could afford in a pinch	35%	36%	37%	30%	38%	35%	33%
Could not afford	30%	35%	32%	22%	33%	29%	29%
Don't know/Refused	1%	*	1%	*	*	*	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-crat	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Could comfortably afford	35%	32%	44%	40%	16%	35%	61%
Could afford in a pinch	35%	36%	33%	34%	37%	38%	28%
Could not afford	30%	31%	22%	26%	46%	26%	10%
Don't know/Refused	1%	*	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 063

Question STICKERSHOCK

STICKERSHOCK. In the last week, was there anything you decided not to purchase because it was too expensive?

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes. What was it?	40%	35%	44%	38%	39%	46%	33%	44%
No, didn't decide against any purchase because of the cost.....	60%	65%	56%	62%	61%	54%	67%	56%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	*	0%	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes. What was it?	40%	47%	40%	40%	31%	44%	36%
No, didn't decide against any purchase because of the cost.....	60%	53%	60%	60%	69%	56%	64%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	*	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes. What was it?	40%	39%	42%	36%	41%
No, didn't decide against any purchase because of the cost.....	60%	61%	57%	64%	59%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes. What was it?	40%	46%	41%	32%	50%	39%	35%
No, didn't decide against any purchase because of the cost.....	60%	54%	59%	68%	50%	61%	65%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	0%	*	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes. What was it?	40%	45%	35%	41%	46%	37%	35%
No, didn't decide against any purchase because of the cost.....	60%	55%	65%	59%	54%	63%	65%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	*	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 064

Question ECONEXP_a

ECONEXP_a. As a result of recent economic conditions, have you, personally, experienced any of the following in the past few months?

* Cut back significantly on how much you drive *

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes	44%	36%	50%	38%	53%	58%	34%	49%
No	56%	64%	49%	62%	47%	41%	66%	51%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	0%	*	*	1%	*	*	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes	44%	45%	44%	43%	42%	45%	42%
No	56%	55%	56%	57%	58%	54%	58%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	0%	*	0%	*	*	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes	44%	51%	31%	46%	27%
No	56%	49%	69%	54%	73%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	*	*	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes	44%	46%	48%	35%	45%	44%	41%
No	56%	54%	52%	65%	54%	56%	59%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	*	*	0%	*	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes	44%	47%	34%	42%	60%	38%	25%
No	56%	53%	66%	58%	40%	61%	75%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	*	*	*	*	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 065

Question ECONEXP_b

ECONEXP_b. As a result of recent economic conditions, have you, personally, experienced any of the following in the past few months?

* Changed what groceries you buy in order to stay within your budget *

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	Hispanic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes	61%	54%	68%	58%	71%	70%	49%	68%
No	38%	46%	32%	42%	29%	30%	51%	32%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	0%	*	*	0%	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes	61%	70%	65%	56%	50%	69%	55%
No	38%	30%	35%	43%	50%	31%	45%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	0%	0%	*	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes	61%	66%	54%	61%	52%
No	38%	34%	46%	38%	48%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	*	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Democrat	Indep endnt Other	Republican	Liberal	Mod-erate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes	61%	66%	64%	53%	71%	60%	57%
No	38%	34%	36%	47%	29%	40%	43%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	0%	0%	*	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes	61%	66%	53%	60%	74%	59%	44%
No	38%	34%	47%	40%	26%	40%	56%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	0%	*	*	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 066

Question ECONEXP_f

ECONEXP_f. As a result of recent economic conditions, have you, personally, experienced any of the following in the past few months?

* Had difficulty finding affordable housing *

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes	26%	24%	28%	18%	36%	41%	18%	30%
No	74%	76%	72%	81%	64%	59%	82%	70%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	0%	*	*	0%	*	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes	26%	44%	24%	19%	11%	38%	16%
No	74%	56%	75%	81%	89%	62%	84%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	0%	*	0%	0%	*	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes	26%	31%	17%	22%
No	74%	69%	83%	78%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	*	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes	26%	28%	31%	17%	31%	26%	23%
No	74%	72%	69%	83%	69%	74%	77%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	*	0%	*	0%	*	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes	26%	28%	17%	22%	39%	22%	11%
No	74%	72%	83%	78%	61%	78%	89%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	*	*	*	*	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 067

Question ECONEXP_g

ECONEXP_g. As a result of recent economic conditions, have you, personally, experienced any of the following in the past few months?

* Had to cut back on spending on extras and entertainment in order to afford necessities *

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes	59%	51%	66%	52%	71%	75%	47%	65%
No	41%	49%	34%	48%	29%	25%	53%	35%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	*	*	0%	0%	1%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes	59%	69%	63%	58%	42%	68%	51%
No	41%	31%	37%	41%	58%	32%	49%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	0%	*	*	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes	59%	66%	47%	59%
No	41%	34%	53%	41%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	*	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes	59%	64%	62%	48%	69%	58%	52%
No	41%	36%	38%	52%	31%	42%	48%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	*	*	0%	1%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes	59%	62%	47%	55%	76%	57%	36%
No	41%	38%	53%	45%	24%	43%	64%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	*	0%	*	*	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 068

Question ECONEXP_h

ECONEXP_h. As a result of recent economic conditions, have you, personally, experienced any of the following in the past few months?

* Had to take on credit card debt to afford necessities *

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes	30%	29%	32%	24%	36%	47%	24%	34%
No	70%	71%	68%	76%	64%	53%	76%	66%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	*	*	*	0%	*	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes	30%	37%	33%	30%	19%	36%	26%
No	70%	63%	67%	69%	81%	64%	74%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	0%	0%	*	*	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes	30%	35%	22%	17%
No	70%	65%	78%	82%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	*	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes	30%	34%	32%	23%	37%	32%	23%
No	70%	66%	68%	77%	63%	67%	77%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	*	*	0%	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes	30%	32%	25%	28%	39%	29%	20%
No	70%	68%	75%	72%	61%	71%	80%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	*	0%	*	*	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 069

Question ECONEXP_i

ECONEXP_i. As a result of recent economic conditions, have you, personally, experienced any of the following in the past few months?

* Had to take on extra work or a second job to make ends meet *

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes	27%	24%	29%	19%	36%	43%	19%	31%
No	73%	76%	71%	80%	64%	57%	81%	69%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	0%	*	*	0%	0%	*	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes	27%	40%	30%	21%	11%	37%	18%
No	73%	60%	70%	79%	89%	63%	82%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	*	*	0%	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes	27%	32%	18%	14%
No	73%	68%	82%	86%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	*	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes	27%	30%	29%	20%	34%	25%	23%
No	73%	70%	71%	80%	66%	74%	76%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	*	0%	*	0%	*	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes	27%	30%	19%	23%	41%	21%	11%
No	73%	70%	80%	77%	59%	79%	89%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	*	*	*	*	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 070

Question ECONEXP_j

ECONEXP_j. As a result of recent economic conditions, have you, personally, experienced any of the following in the past few months?

* Put off any sort of medical treatment because of the cost *

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes	31%	26%	36%	27%	35%	38%	25%	35%
No	69%	74%	64%	72%	65%	62%	75%	65%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	0%	*	*	0%	*	*	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes	31%	40%	36%	32%	14%	39%	25%
No	69%	60%	64%	68%	86%	61%	75%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	0%	*	*	*	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes	31%	36%	23%	33%
No	69%	64%	76%	67%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes	31%	30%	35%	28%	36%	31%	29%
No	69%	70%	65%	72%	64%	69%	71%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	*	*	0%	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes	31%	32%	28%	29%	42%	29%	18%
No	69%	68%	72%	71%	58%	70%	82%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	*	0%	*	*	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 074

Question EMPLOYRAISE

EMPLOYRAISE. Do you feel like the wages you earn are keeping up with the cost of living, or not?

Base: Those who are employed

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes, keeping up with cost of living	32%	36%	28%	35%	25%	26%	50%	24%
No, not keeping up with cost of living	68%	64%	72%	65%	75%	74%	50%	76%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	3.6	5.1	5.3	5.0	10.1	7.6	6.5	4.4

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes, keeping up with cost of living	32%	33%	29%	31%	SN	30%	34%
No, not keeping up with cost of living	68%	67%	71%	69%	SN	70%	66%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	SN	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	3.6	6.2	6.0	7.6		4.8	5.6

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes, keeping up with cost of living	32%	32%	32%	35%	34%
No, not keeping up with cost of living	68%	68%	68%	65%	66%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	3.6	4.9	5.5	6.8	7.2

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes, keeping up with cost of living	32%	28%	27%	44%	21%	34%	38%
No, not keeping up with cost of living	68%	72%	73%	56%	79%	66%	62%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	3.6	6.4	5.7	6.7	7.5	5.2	7.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes, keeping up with cost of living	32%	26%	43%	32%	20%	33%	41%
No, not keeping up with cost of living	68%	74%	57%	68%	80%	67%	59%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	3.6	5.4	5.9	4.1	6.6	6.3	6.0

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TABLE 075

Question RETIREFUND

RETIREFUND. Overall, how confident are you that you will have enough income and assets to last throughout your retirement years?

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Extremely confident	6%	9%	4%	8%	3%	4%	11%	3%
Very confident	11%	14%	9%	15%	7%	5%	16%	8%
Somewhat confident	31%	33%	30%	35%	28%	22%	35%	29%
Not too confident	23%	22%	23%	18%	31%	30%	16%	27%
Not confident at all	17%	11%	23%	15%	20%	22%	13%	19%
I will not be able to retire	12%	11%	12%	10%	10%	17%	8%	14%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Extremely confident	6%	4%	6%	5%	9%	4%	8%
Very confident	11%	7%	6%	11%	22%	7%	15%
Somewhat confident	31%	26%	27%	35%	39%	26%	36%
Not too confident	23%	29%	27%	16%	17%	28%	18%
Not confident at all	17%	15%	20%	22%	11%	18%	16%
I will not be able to retire	12%	18%	14%	10%	3%	17%	7%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Extremely confident	6%	4%	10%	5%	11%
Very confident	11%	10%	12%	14%	14%
Somewhat confident	31%	26%	40%	29%	42%
Not too confident	23%	25%	20%	19%	16%
Not confident at all	17%	19%	13%	18%	12%
I will not be able to retire	12%	15%	5%	14%	4%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Extremely confident	6%	3%	5%	11%	2%	5%	10%
Very confident	11%	7%	10%	17%	6%	11%	14%
Somewhat confident	31%	32%	28%	35%	30%	33%	30%
Not too confident	23%	25%	24%	19%	28%	22%	21%
Not confident at all	17%	20%	19%	11%	16%	18%	16%
I will not be able to retire	12%	12%	14%	7%	18%	11%	9%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Extremely confident	6%	3%	10%	7%	3%	4%	13%
Very confident	11%	8%	17%	13%	6%	12%	17%
Somewhat confident	31%	34%	35%	34%	25%	31%	42%
Not too confident	23%	24%	18%	21%	25%	26%	15%
Not confident at all	17%	18%	12%	15%	22%	17%	9%
I will not be able to retire	12%	12%	8%	10%	18%	10%	4%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 076
Question WORKSUCCESS
WORKSUCCESS. Which of these statements do you agree with more?
Base: Total Respondents

	Total =====	Men =====	Women =====	White =====	Black =====	His- panic =====	Trump Apprv =====	Trump Dis- apprv =====
Most people who want to get ahead can make it if they're willing to work hard.....	47%	52%	43%	49%	47%	44%	67%	36%
Hard work and determination are no guarantee of success for most people.....	52%	48%	56%	50%	52%	56%	33%	63%
Don't know/Refused	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	*	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total =====	18-34 =====	35-49 =====	50-64 =====	65+ =====	<45 =====	45+ =====
Most people who want to get ahead can make it if they're willing to work hard.....	47%	41%	44%	51%	54%	42%	52%
Hard work and determination are no guarantee of success for most people.....	52%	59%	56%	49%	43%	58%	47%
Don't know/Refused	1%	0%	*	0%	2%	*	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total =====	Non- coll. grad. =====	Coll. grad. =====	White Non- coll. grad. =====	White coll. grad. =====
Most people who want to get ahead can make it if they're willing to work hard.....	47%	49%	44%	51%	47%
Hard work and determination are no guarantee of success for most people.....	52%	50%	56%	48%	53%
Don't know/Refused	1%	1%	*	1%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total =====	Demo- crat =====	Indep endnt Other =====	Repub lican =====	Lib- eral =====	Mode- rate =====	Con serva tive =====
Most people who want to get ahead can make it if they're willing to work hard.....	47%	29%	46%	67%	20%	50%	62%
Hard work and determination are no guarantee of success for most people.....	52%	70%	54%	32%	80%	49%	37%
Don't know/Refused	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	*	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total =====	Lean Demo- crat =====	Lean Repub lican =====	Reg. Voter =====	<\$50K =====	\$50K- \$100K =====	\$100K+ =====
Most people who want to get ahead can make it if they're willing to work hard.....	47%	30%	67%	48%	43%	48%	51%
Hard work and determination are no guarantee of success for most people.....	52%	69%	32%	51%	55%	52%	48%
Don't know/Refused	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 077

Question GOVTHELP

GOVTHELP. Which of the following, if either, do you think is a bigger problem in the US?

Base: Total Respondents

	Total =====	Men =====	Women =====	White =====	Black =====	His- panic =====	Trump Apprv =====	Trump Dis- apprv =====
The government is not giving help to enough people.....	41%	38%	43%	36%	60%	45%	10%	57%
The government is giving help to too many people who don't deserve it.....	49%	50%	47%	55%	30%	37%	80%	32%
Neither is a problem in the US	10%	11%	10%	8%	9%	18%	10%	10%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	0%	1%	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5
	Total =====	18-34 =====	35-49 =====	50-64 =====	65+ =====	<45 =====	45+ =====	
The government is not giving help to enough people.....	41%	51%	38%	34%	38%	48%	35%	
The government is giving help to too many people who don't deserve it.....	49%	39%	51%	55%	52%	41%	55%	
Neither is a problem in the US	10%	10%	12%	11%	9%	11%	10%	
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	0%	0%	*	0%	
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9	
	Total =====	Non- coll. grad. =====	Coll. grad. =====	White Non- coll. grad. =====	White coll. grad. =====			
The government is not giving help to enough people.....	41%	39%	44%	32%	42%			
The government is giving help to too many people who don't deserve it.....	49%	50%	46%	60%	48%			
Neither is a problem in the US	10%	11%	10%	8%	9%			
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	0%	0%			
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9			
	Total =====	Demo- crat =====	Indep endnt Other =====	Repub lican =====	Lib- eral =====	Mode- rate =====	Con serva tive =====	
The government is not giving help to enough people.....	41%	70%	41%	11%	78%	38%	19%	
The government is giving help to too many people who don't deserve it.....	49%	21%	45%	81%	15%	48%	73%	
Neither is a problem in the US	10%	9%	13%	7%	7%	14%	9%	
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	0%	0%	*	0%	
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0	
	Total =====	Lean Demo- crat =====	Lean Repub lican =====	Reg. Voter =====	<\$50K =====	\$50K- \$100K =====	\$100K+ =====	
The government is not giving help to enough people.....	41%	70%	10%	41%	45%	39%	36%	
The government is giving help to too many people who don't deserve it.....	49%	21%	80%	50%	43%	51%	56%	
Neither is a problem in the US	10%	10%	10%	10%	12%	10%	8%	
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	0%	*	0%	0%	
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2	

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TABLE 078

Question FINGEN1

FINGEN1. Do you think it's (easier) or (harder) for people like you to get ahead financially than it was a generation ago, or have things not really changed?

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Easier	8%	10%	7%	7%	13%	7%	10%	7%
Harder	73%	67%	79%	75%	70%	74%	59%	81%
Hasn't really changed	18%	23%	14%	19%	18%	18%	30%	11%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	0%	0%	1%	*	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Easier	8%	11%	6%	7%	8%	9%	8%
Harder	73%	76%	82%	72%	62%	79%	68%
Hasn't really changed	18%	12%	12%	21%	30%	12%	24%
Don't know/Refused	*	1%	0%	0%	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Easier	8%	9%	7%	7%	6%
Harder	73%	72%	77%	73%	77%
Hasn't really changed	18%	19%	17%	20%	17%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Easier	8%	9%	8%	8%	7%	8%	9%
Harder	73%	81%	75%	65%	84%	72%	68%
Hasn't really changed	18%	10%	17%	27%	8%	20%	23%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	*	1%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Easier	8%	8%	9%	8%	8%	8%	9%
Harder	73%	81%	63%	74%	76%	73%	71%
Hasn't really changed	18%	11%	27%	19%	16%	19%	20%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	0%	*	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 079

Question FINGEN2

FINGEN2. Thinking about the generation growing up today, do you expect it will be (easier) or (harder) for them to get ahead financially than it has been for you, or will things be about the same?

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis- apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Easier	8%	10%	6%	6%	15%	9%	11%	6%
Harder	74%	70%	79%	77%	64%	70%	63%	80%
Will be about the same	18%	20%	16%	17%	21%	21%	25%	13%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	*	0%	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Easier	8%	10%	9%	5%	7%	10%	7%
Harder	74%	71%	76%	78%	73%	74%	75%
Will be about the same	18%	19%	15%	17%	20%	17%	19%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	0%	*	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Easier	8%	9%	6%	6%	6%
Harder	74%	71%	80%	76%	79%
Will be about the same	18%	20%	14%	18%	15%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-crat	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib- eral	Mode- rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Easier	8%	6%	8%	11%	6%	8%	10%
Harder	74%	80%	76%	66%	82%	74%	69%
Will be about the same	18%	14%	16%	23%	12%	18%	21%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	*	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo- crat	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K- \$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Easier	8%	5%	9%	7%	9%	9%	5%
Harder	74%	81%	67%	77%	72%	72%	80%
Will be about the same	18%	14%	24%	16%	19%	19%	14%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	*	*	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 080

Question FINAI_a

FINAI_a. Do you think that new advances in AI technology will make it (easier) or (harder) for people like you to get ahead financially in the future, or will it not really change things?

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Easier	12%	16%	9%	10%	20%	15%	16%	10%
Harder	50%	47%	54%	48%	48%	56%	40%	56%
Won't really change things	37%	37%	36%	42%	32%	28%	44%	33%
Don't know/Refused	1%	*	1%	1%	0%	1%	*	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Easier	12%	14%	14%	11%	10%	14%	11%
Harder	50%	53%	54%	52%	41%	54%	47%
Won't really change things	37%	33%	31%	37%	47%	31%	41%
Don't know/Refused	1%	0%	*	*	2%	*	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Easier	12%	13%	12%	9%	10%
Harder	50%	50%	51%	49%	47%
Won't really change things	37%	37%	37%	42%	42%
Don't know/Refused	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Easier	12%	10%	12%	15%	5%	12%	17%
Harder	50%	59%	52%	40%	66%	47%	44%
Won't really change things	37%	30%	36%	45%	29%	40%	38%
Don't know/Refused	1%	1%	1%	*	*	1%	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Easier	12%	9%	14%	12%	12%	12%	14%
Harder	50%	57%	40%	50%	52%	50%	48%
Won't really change things	37%	33%	45%	38%	35%	37%	39%
Don't know/Refused	1%	1%	*	1%	1%	1%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 081

Question FINAI_b

FINAI_b. Do you think that new advances in AI technology will make it (easier) or (harder) for people like you to find a good job in the future, or will it not really change things?

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Easier	11%	12%	10%	10%	20%	10%	14%	9%
Harder	63%	61%	65%	62%	57%	69%	52%	70%
Won't really change things	25%	26%	25%	29%	23%	20%	34%	21%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	*	0%	*	*	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Easier	11%	13%	9%	10%	11%	12%	10%
Harder	63%	66%	68%	66%	53%	68%	60%
Won't really change things	25%	21%	23%	24%	36%	21%	30%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	*	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Easier	11%	12%	9%	10%	8%
Harder	63%	61%	68%	59%	65%
Won't really change things	25%	27%	23%	30%	27%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Easier	11%	12%	7%	16%	7%	12%	13%
Harder	63%	68%	68%	52%	76%	63%	56%
Won't really change things	25%	20%	25%	32%	17%	25%	32%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	*	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Easier	11%	9%	14%	11%	11%	12%	10%
Harder	63%	70%	54%	63%	64%	62%	65%
Won't really change things	25%	21%	32%	26%	25%	26%	25%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 082

Question FINAI_c

FINAI_c. Do you think that new advances in AI technology will make it (easier) or (harder) for people like you to manage your budget in the future, or will it not really change things?

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Easier	24%	29%	20%	23%	25%	24%	31%	21%
Harder	33%	27%	37%	30%	37%	41%	25%	37%
Won't really change things	43%	44%	42%	48%	38%	35%	44%	42%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	*	0%	*	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Easier	24%	25%	26%	22%	22%	26%	23%
Harder	33%	36%	32%	33%	28%	36%	30%
Won't really change things	43%	38%	41%	45%	50%	38%	47%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	*	0%	*	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Easier	24%	21%	29%	21%	25%
Harder	33%	36%	26%	33%	24%
Won't really change things	43%	42%	45%	46%	51%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Easier	24%	23%	22%	29%	19%	25%	26%
Harder	33%	36%	34%	26%	42%	29%	31%
Won't really change things	43%	41%	44%	45%	38%	45%	43%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	*	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Easier	24%	22%	29%	25%	18%	25%	33%
Harder	33%	35%	25%	31%	40%	29%	24%
Won't really change things	43%	43%	45%	44%	42%	45%	42%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	*	*	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2

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TABLE 117

Question CCARECOST

CCARECOST. Is the cost of paid childcare in your area:

Base: Those who have children under age 18

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	Hispanic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Very/Somewhat expensive (NET)	92%	94%	90%	92%	SN	SN	86%	95%
Very expensive	51%	47%	53%	46%	SN	SN	43%	55%
Somewhat expensive	41%	47%	37%	46%	SN	SN	44%	40%
Not too/Not at all expensive (NET)	8%	5%	10%	8%	SN	SN	13%	5%
Not too expensive	5%	5%	5%	6%	SN	SN	9%	3%
Not at all expensive	3%	*	5%	2%	SN	SN	4%	2%
Don't know/Refused	*	1%	0%	1%	SN	SN	1%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.2	8.1	6.9	7.1			8.8	6.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Very/Somewhat expensive (NET)	92%	93%	93%	SN	SN	92%	91%
Very expensive	51%	60%	49%	SN	SN	52%	48%
Somewhat expensive	41%	32%	44%	SN	SN	41%	43%
Not too/Not at all expensive (NET)	8%	7%	7%	SN	SN	8%	8%
Not too expensive	5%	6%	3%	SN	SN	5%	5%
Not at all expensive	3%	2%	3%	SN	SN	3%	3%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	SN	SN	0%	2%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.2	9.5	7.1			6.3	9.3

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Very/Somewhat expensive (NET)	92%	90%	95%	90%	SN
Very expensive	51%	53%	47%	47%	SN
Somewhat expensive	41%	37%	48%	42%	SN
Not too/Not at all expensive (NET)	8%	10%	4%	10%	SN
Not too expensive	5%	6%	4%	7%	SN
Not at all expensive	3%	4%	1%	3%	SN
Don't know/Refused	*	*	1%	1%	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.2	6.8	8.3	9.3	

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Very/Somewhat expensive (NET)	92%	SN	93%	87%	SN	93%	87%
Very expensive	51%	SN	52%	43%	SN	45%	50%
Somewhat expensive	41%	SN	41%	44%	SN	48%	37%
Not too/Not at all expensive (NET)	8%	SN	6%	12%	SN	7%	12%
Not too expensive	5%	SN	3%	9%	SN	4%	7%
Not at all expensive	3%	SN	3%	3%	SN	2%	5%
Don't know/Refused	*	SN	1%	1%	SN	0%	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.2		8.2	9.0		7.4	9.3

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Very/Somewhat expensive (NET)	92%	95%	88%	91%	90%	SN	95%
Very expensive	51%	52%	41%	50%	54%	SN	51%
Somewhat expensive	41%	43%	47%	42%	36%	SN	44%
Not too/Not at all expensive (NET)	8%	5%	10%	8%	9%	SN	4%
Not too expensive	5%	4%	8%	5%	3%	SN	3%
Not at all expensive	3%	*	3%	3%	6%	SN	1%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	1%	1%	1%	SN	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.2	8.4	8.2	6.1	8.7		8.8

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TABLE 119

Question HOMETODAY

HOMETODAY. If you were trying to buy a home in your neighborhood today, how likely do you think it is that you could afford to buy a home similar to the home you live in now?

Base: Those who own a home

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	Hispanic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Very/Somewhat likely (NET)	42%	46%	37%	44%	SN	34%	47%	38%
Very likely	14%	19%	9%	16%	SN	8%	18%	11%
Somewhat likely	28%	27%	29%	29%	SN	26%	30%	27%
Not too/Not at all likely (NET)	58%	54%	63%	56%	SN	66%	53%	62%
Not too likely	27%	28%	27%	26%	SN	27%	27%	27%
Not at all likely	31%	26%	36%	30%	SN	38%	26%	35%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	SN	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	3.5	4.9	4.9	4.2		8.5	5.3	4.6

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Very/Somewhat likely (NET)	42%	41%	39%	41%	45%	40%	43%
Very likely	14%	8%	14%	14%	17%	10%	16%
Somewhat likely	28%	33%	25%	27%	28%	30%	27%
Not too/Not at all likely (NET)	58%	59%	61%	59%	55%	60%	57%
Not too likely	27%	24%	32%	26%	26%	28%	27%
Not at all likely	31%	35%	28%	33%	29%	32%	30%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	3.5	8.0	6.5	6.8	6.6	5.8	4.3

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Very/Somewhat likely (NET)	42%	35%	50%	37%	54%
Very likely	14%	11%	18%	12%	20%
Somewhat likely	28%	25%	32%	25%	33%
Not too/Not at all likely (NET)	58%	65%	50%	63%	46%
Not too likely	27%	29%	25%	28%	24%
Not at all likely	31%	36%	25%	35%	23%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	3.5	4.6	5.3	5.6	6.5

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Very/Somewhat likely (NET)	42%	38%	40%	46%	34%	43%	44%
Very likely	14%	10%	13%	17%	8%	16%	14%
Somewhat likely	28%	29%	27%	28%	26%	27%	30%
Not too/Not at all likely (NET)	58%	62%	60%	54%	66%	57%	56%
Not too likely	27%	27%	27%	28%	27%	27%	27%
Not at all likely	31%	35%	33%	27%	38%	29%	29%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	3.5	6.7	5.9	5.5	8.3	5.0	5.9

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Very/Somewhat likely (NET)	42%	42%	46%	43%	29%	38%	55%
Very likely	14%	13%	16%	15%	4%	9%	27%
Somewhat likely	28%	29%	29%	28%	25%	30%	29%
Not too/Not at all likely (NET)	58%	58%	54%	57%	71%	62%	45%
Not too likely	27%	25%	29%	27%	28%	30%	24%
Not at all likely	31%	32%	26%	31%	43%	32%	21%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	3.5	5.6	4.9	3.8	6.4	6.2	5.6

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TABLE 120
Question AFFORDHOMEa
AFFORDHOMEa. Which statement best describes your situation right now?
Base: Those who do not own a home

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
I would like to buy a home but cannot afford it	86%	86%	86%	86%	SN	88%	SN	89%
I could afford to buy a home, but am not interested in doing so.....	13%	14%	13%	12%	SN	12%	SN	10%
Don't know/Refused	1%	0%	1%	2%	SN	0%	SN	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.9	7.1	6.8	7.6		8.9		5.5

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
I would like to buy a home but cannot afford it	86%	86%	92%	SN	SN	88%	81%
I could afford to buy a home, but am not interested in doing so.....	13%	14%	8%	SN	SN	12%	17%
Don't know/Refused	1%	0%	0%	SN	SN	0%	2%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.9	6.8	9.2			5.7	9.2

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
I would like to buy a home but cannot afford it	86%	88%	82%	91%	SN
I could afford to buy a home, but am not interested in doing so.....	13%	12%	17%	8%	SN
Don't know/Refused	1%	*	1%	1%	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.9	5.7	9.3	9.2	

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
I would like to buy a home but cannot afford it	86%	86%	88%	SN	90%	85%	84%
I could afford to buy a home, but am not interested in doing so.....	13%	14%	10%	SN	9%	14%	16%
Don't know/Refused	1%	0%	1%	SN	1%	1%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.9	8.0	7.1		9.0	7.3	9.5

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
I would like to buy a home but cannot afford it	86%	87%	77%	87%	88%	87%	SN
I could afford to buy a home, but am not interested in doing so.....	13%	12%	23%	12%	12%	11%	SN
Don't know/Refused	1%	1%	0%	1%	*	1%	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.9	6.9	9.5	6.1	6.2	9.1	

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TABLE 121

Question AFFORDHOMEB

AFFORDHOMEB. How likely do you think it is that you will eventually be able to afford to buy a home?

Base: Those who do not own a home and would like to buy but cannot afford it

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Very/Somewhat likely (NET)	38%	40%	38%	38%	SN	30%	SN	37%
Very likely	5%	7%	3%	6%	SN	3%	SN	5%
Somewhat likely	33%	32%	35%	32%	SN	27%	SN	31%
Not too/Not at all likely (NET)	62%	60%	62%	62%	SN	70%	SN	63%
Not too likely	34%	38%	30%	38%	SN	34%	SN	34%
Not at all likely	29%	23%	31%	24%	SN	36%	SN	30%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	SN	0%	SN	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.2	7.7	7.3	8.3		9.5		5.8

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Very/Somewhat likely (NET)	38%	43%	36%	SN	SN	41%	SN
Very likely	5%	7%	3%	SN	SN	5%	SN
Somewhat likely	33%	36%	33%	SN	SN	35%	SN
Not too/Not at all likely (NET)	62%	57%	64%	SN	SN	59%	SN
Not too likely	34%	35%	36%	SN	SN	35%	SN
Not at all likely	29%	22%	28%	SN	SN	25%	SN
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	SN	SN	0%	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.2	7.3	9.6			6.1	

	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Very/Somewhat likely (NET)	38%	34%	SN	34%	SN
Very likely	5%	4%	SN	4%	SN
Somewhat likely	33%	30%	SN	30%	SN
Not too/Not at all likely (NET)	62%	66%	SN	66%	SN
Not too likely	34%	33%	SN	37%	SN
Not at all likely	29%	33%	SN	28%	SN
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	SN	0%	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.2	6.1		9.7	

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Very/Somewhat likely (NET)	38%	43%	35%	SN	SN	34%	SN
Very likely	5%	7%	4%	SN	SN	4%	SN
Somewhat likely	33%	36%	31%	SN	SN	30%	SN
Not too/Not at all likely (NET)	62%	57%	65%	SN	SN	66%	SN
Not too likely	34%	32%	32%	SN	SN	40%	SN
Not at all likely	29%	25%	33%	SN	SN	27%	SN
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	SN	SN	0%	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.2	8.6	7.5			7.8	

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Very/Somewhat likely (NET)	38%	42%	SN	40%	31%	SN	SN
Very likely	5%	6%	SN	7%	3%	SN	SN
Somewhat likely	33%	36%	SN	34%	29%	SN	SN
Not too/Not at all likely (NET)	62%	58%	SN	60%	69%	SN	SN
Not too likely	34%	32%	SN	34%	34%	SN	SN
Not at all likely	29%	26%	SN	26%	34%	SN	SN
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	SN	0%	0%	SN	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.2	7.4		6.6	6.6		

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TABLE 122
Question AFFORDHOMEa/AFFORDHOMEb
AFFORDHOMEa/AFFORDHOMEb. Combo Table
Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Black	His-panic	Trump Apprv	Trump Dis-apprv
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Would like to buy a home but cannot afford it	28%	28%	28%	19%	49%	42%	16%	35%
Very/somewhat likely to be able to	11%	11%	11%	7%	26%	12%	7%	13%
Not too/Not at all likely to be able to	18%	17%	17%	12%	23%	29%	9%	22%
DK/Unsure about likelihood	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Can afford to buy, not interested	4%	4%	4%	3%	9%	5%	5%	4%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	*	0%	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.1	4.0	3.7	8.3	6.1	4.7	3.5
	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+	
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	
Would like to buy a home but cannot afford it	28%	50%	32%	16%	8%	45%	14%	
Very/somewhat likely to be able to	11%	22%	12%	5%	2%	18%	4%	
Not too/Not at all likely to be able to	18%	29%	20%	12%	6%	27%	10%	
DK/Unsure about likelihood	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
Can afford to buy, not interested	4%	8%	3%	3%	3%	6%	3%	
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	*	
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.2	5.3	6.1	6.1	4.1	3.9	
	Total	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White Non-coll. grad.	White coll. grad.			
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Would like to buy a home but cannot afford it	28%	34%	18%	23%	13%			
Very/somewhat likely to be able to	11%	12%	9%	8%	6%			
Not too/Not at all likely to be able to	18%	22%	9%	15%	7%			
DK/Unsure about likelihood	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%			
Can afford to buy, not interested	4%	5%	4%	2%	4%			
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	*	*			
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	3.6	4.6	4.8	5.9			
	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive	
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Would like to buy a home but cannot afford it	28%	31%	36%	13%	38%	26%	25%	
Very/somewhat likely to be able to	11%	14%	13%	5%	15%	9%	10%	
Not too/Not at all likely to be able to	18%	18%	24%	8%	22%	17%	15%	
DK/Unsure about likelihood	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
Can afford to buy, not interested	4%	5%	4%	4%	4%	4%	5%	
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	0%	*	*	0%	
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	5.1	4.5	5.0	6.1	4.1	5.0	
	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. Voter	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+	
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Would like to buy a home but cannot afford it	28%	31%	16%	23%	44%	25%	8%	
Very/somewhat likely to be able to	11%	13%	6%	9%	14%	12%	5%	
Not too/Not at all likely to be able to	18%	18%	10%	14%	30%	13%	4%	
DK/Unsure about likelihood	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
Can afford to buy, not interested	4%	4%	5%	3%	6%	3%	3%	
Don't know/Refused	*	1%	0%	*	*	*	0%	
Sampling Error (+/-)	2.8	4.3	4.4	3.2	4.4	5.1	5.2	