2019 PEW RESEARCH CENTER'S AMERICAN TRENDS PANEL WAVE 53 SEPTEMBER FINAL TOPLINE SEPTEMBER 3-15, 2019 N=9,895

ASK ALL:

POL1DT Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling his job as president?

<u>Approve</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>	No answer
40	59	1
40	59	1
40	59	1
38	61	1
41	58	1
38	61	2
40	59	2
38	60	2
36	63	1
39	61	1
44	56	1
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ASK IF ANSWERED POL1DT (POL1DT=1,2) [N=9,788]:

POL1DTSTR Do you [IF POL1DT=1: approve; IF POL1DT=2: disapprove] of the way Donald Trump is handling his job as president...

BASED ON TOTAL:

		Apr 29-	Jul 30-	Jan 29-			Feb 28-
Sep 3-15		May 13	Aug 12	Feb 13	Aug 8-21	Apr 4-18	Mar 12
2019		2019	<u> 2018</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>	2017	2017^{1}
40	NET Approve	40	40	38	36	39	44
29	Very strongly	29	31	29	26	27	30
11	Not so strongly	10	9	9	10	12	13
*	No answer	*	*	*	*	*	*
59	NET Disapprove	59	59	60	63	61	56
49	Very strongly	48	48	48	49	45	43
10	Not so strongly	10	10	12	13	15	12
*	No answer	*	*	*	*	*	*
1	No answer	1	2	2	1	1	1

ASK FORMS 1 AND 3 ONLY [N=4,945]:

FUTGEN Do you think life for future generations of Americans will be...

Sep 3-15
2019
21 Better than life today
51 Worse than life today
28 About the same as life today
* No answer

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ASK FORMS 3 AND 4 ONLY [N=4,944]:

BIGHOUSES Imagine for a moment that you are moving to another community.

Would you prefer to live in a community where the houses are... [RANDOMIZE]

Sep 3-15	
<u> 2019</u>	
53	Larger and farther apart, but schools, stores, and restaurants are several miles away
47	Smaller and closer to each other, but schools, stores, and restaurants are within walking distance
1	No answer

ASK FORMS 1 AND 2 ONLY [N=4,951]:

COMMIMP Regardless of whether each of the following is available where you currently live...

How important is it to you, personally, to live in a community... **[RANDOMIZE]**}

a. That is a good place to raise children

		Feb 26-
Sep 3-15		Mar 11
<u>2019</u>		<u>2019</u>
71	Very important	60
19	Somewhat important	23
7	Not too important	9
4	Not at all important	7
*	No Answer	*

b. That is racially and ethnically diverse

		Feb 26-
Sep 3-15		Mar 11
<u>2019</u>		<u>2019</u>
25	Very important	22
38	Somewhat important	37
23	Not too important	27
12	Not at all important	13
*	No Answer	1

c. Where most people share your political views

		Feb 26-
Sep 3-15		Mar 11
<u>2019</u>		<u>2019</u>
7	Very important	8
34	Somewhat important	34
40	Not too important	39
18	Not at all important	19
*	No Answer	*

d. Where most people share your religious views

		Feb 26-
Sep 3-15		Mar 11
<u>2019</u>		<u>2019</u>
8	Very important	11
25	Somewhat important	26
37	Not too important	35
29	Not at all important	28
*	No Answer	*

ASK FORM 1 ONLY [N=2,471]:

RLEADAPP Do you approve or disapprove of the job the REPUBLICAN leaders in Congress are doing?

		Mar 18-	Nov 17 -		May 30-
Sep 3-15		Apr 1	Dec 15	Oct 9-27	June 30
2019		2 <u>019</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2014</u>
29	Approve	30	29	23	22
64	Disapprove	67	70	76	77
7	No answer	3	1	1	1

ASK FORM 1 ONLY [N=2,471]:

DLEADAPP Do you approve or disapprove of the job the DEMOCRATIC leaders in Congress are doing?

		Mar 18-	Nov 17 -		May 30-
Sep 3-15		Apr1	Dec 15	Oct 9-27	June 30
<u> 2019</u>		<u>2019</u>	2014	<u>2014</u>	<u>2014</u>
32	Approve	41	35	36	38
62	Disapprove	55	64	63	61
6	No answer	3	1	1	1

ASKS FORMS 3 AND 4 ONLY [N=4,944]

COREUSDEM2 This question is about the structure of government in this country, NOT about the people currently in office.

In general, do you think the fundamental design and structure of American government works ...

Sep 3-15	
<u>2019</u>	
19	Very well
52	Somewhat well
24	Not too well
4	Not at all well
*	No answer

ASK FORM 2 ONLY [N=2,480]:

RDFACTS When it comes to important issues facing the country, would you say most Republican voters and Democratic voters...

		Jul 30-
Sep 3-15		Aug 12
<u> 2019</u>		<u>2018</u>
26	Can agree on the basic facts, even if they often disagree over plans and policies	20
73	Not only disagree over plans and policies, but also cannot agree on the basic facts	78
1	No Answer	2

ASK FORM 4 [N=2,470]:

DIFFPARTY Thinking about the Democratic and Republican parties, would you say there is...

	A great deal of difference in what	A fair amount of difference in what	Hardly any difference at all in	No
	they stand for	they stand for	what they stand for	answer
Sep 3-15, 2019	55	37	7	*

ASK FORM 1 AND 3 ONLY [N=4,945]:

DIVISIONSRD Do you think divisions between Republicans and Democrats in this country today are...

Sep 3-15	
<u> 2019</u>	
78	Increasing
6	Decreasing
16	Staying about the same
*	No answer

ASK FORM 1 AND 3 ONLY [N=4,945]:

DIVISIONSCONC How concerned, if at all, are you about divisions between Republicans and Democrats?

Sep 3-15	
<u>2019</u>	
46	Very concerned
36	Somewhat concerned
13	Not too concerned
5	Not at all concerned
*	No answer

ASK ALL:

PRZCMPGN

How much thought, if any, have you given to candidates who are running for president in

		July 22-	May 10-	Apr 5-	Mar 2-	Mar 10-
Sep 3-15		Aug 4	June 6	May 2	Mar 28	Apr 6
<u>2019</u>		<u>2019</u>	<u>2016²</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2015</u> ³
30	A lot	26	55	52	56	26
37	Some	37	27	31	28	40
22	Not much	23	9	11	9	23
11	None at all	14	8	5	6	11
*	No answer	*	1	1	1	*

ASK FORM 4 ONLY [N=2,470]:

MATTERS

Thinking about how you feel about the 2020 presidential election, where would you place yourself on the following scale?

[PROGRAMMING NOTE: PLEASE FLIP THE LABELS FOR HALF OF RESPONDENTS LEAVING THE SCALE ALWAYS 1→4]

	1	2	3	4	
	Really matters who wins			Doesn't really matter who wins	No answer
Sep 3-15, 2019	62	19	10	9	*
Oct 25-Nov 8, 2016 ⁴	62	19	8	10	*
Sep 27-Oct 10, 2016	64	18	8	10	1
Aug 16-Sept 12, 2016	61	19	9	10	1
June 7-July 5, 2016	62	20	9	9	0
Apr 5-May, 2016	57	22	10	9	1
Mar 2-Mar 28, 2016	65	18	8	9	1
Nov 24-Dec 21, 2015	58	22	10	8	1

ASK ALL REPUBLICANS AND REPUBLICAN LEANERS (F_PARTYSUM_FINAL=1) [N=4,093] 5:

Thinking about the Republican Party, do you think the campaign and election of Donald DTGOPCH Trump led to...

Sep 3-15		Nov 29- Dec 12
2019		<u>2016⁶</u>
29	Major changes in what the Republican Party stands for	44
45	Minor changes in what the Republican Party stands for	27
25	No changes in what the Republican Party stands for	26
1	No Answer	2

In surveys conducted in 2016, question asked about candidates running for president in 2016. W10 (March 10 – April 6, 2014) had a minor difference in question wording: "How much thought, if any, have you given to candidates who may be running for president in 2016?"

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In 2015 and 2016, question read: "Thinking about how you feel about the 2016 presidential election and the next president, where would you place yourself on the following scale?"

Due to a programming error, respondents were not asked DTGOPCH on the first night of the survey. There are 31 missing cases for this question due to this error.

In 2016, question read: "Thinking about the Republican Party, do you think the campaign and election of Donald Trump has led to..."

ASK IF TRUMP LED TO CHANGES (DTGOPCH=1,2) [N=3,058]:

DTGOPCH2 And do you think these changes have been...

		Nov 29-
Sep 3-15		Dec 12
<u>2019</u>		<u>2016</u>
74	Good for the Republican Party	54
24	Bad for the Republican Party	44
1	No Answer	2

ASK IF DEMOCRAT/LEAN DEMOCRAT OR NO LEAN (F_PARTYSUM_FINAL=2,9) [N=5,734] 7:

DEMFIELD Overall, what's your impression of the candidates running for the Democratic presidential nomination? AS A GROUP, would you say the candidates are...

BASED ON DEMOCRATIC AND DEMOCRATIC-LEANING REGISTERED VOTERS [N=4,655]:

	July 22-
	Aug 4
	<u>2019</u>
Excellent	13
Good	53
Only fair	30
Poor	4
No answer	1
	Good Only fair Poor

Due to a programming error, respondents were not asked DEMFIELD on the first night of the survey. There are 37 missing cases for this question due to this error.

ASK IF DEMOCRAT/LEAN DEMOCRAT OR NO LEAN (F_PARTYSUM_FINAL=2,9) [N=5,734] 8: DEMNOMOE Thinking about the 2020 presidential election, who would be your choice for the Democratic nomination for president?

BASED ON DEMOCRATS AND DEMOCRATIC-LEANING REGISTERED VOTERS [N=4,655]:

	<u>First</u>	<u>choice</u>	Secon	<u>d choice</u>	Any choice (fi	rst or second)
	Sep	July 22-	Sep	July 22-	Sep	July 22-
	3-15	Aug 4	3-15	Aug 4	3-15	Aug 4
	<u>2019</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2019</u>
Biden	27	26	9	8	36	34
Warren	22	16	17	15	39	31
Sanders	15	12	13	9	28	21
Harris	6	11	9	14	15	25
Buttigieg	5	5	5	5	10	11
O'Rourke	2	1	1	2	3	2
Yang	2	1	1	*	3	1
Klobuchar	1	1	1	1	2	1
Booker	1	1	2	2	4	3
Castro	1	1	1	*	2	1
Williamson	*	*	*	*	1	*
Gabbard	*	*	1	1	1	1
Bullock	*	*	*	*	*	*
Bennet	*	*	*	*	*	*
Delaney	*	*	*	*	*	*
Ryan	*	*	*	*	*	*
Sestak	*	0	*	*	*	*
Steyer	*	*	*	*	*	*
Messam	0	0	*	*	*	*
NET other responses	13		3		15	
No answer	5	18	28	36	11	18

BASED ON DEMOCRATS AND DEMOCRATIC-LEANING REGISTERED VOTERS:

May 10-			
June 6,			
2016		First	Second
Any choice		choice	choice
69	Hillary Clinton	48	21
55	Bernie Sanders	35	20
8	Other	4	5
12	No answer	12	54

Due to a programming error, respondents were not asked DEMNOMOE on the first night of the survey. There are 37 missing cases for this question due to this error.

DEMNOMOE TREND FOR COMPARISON CONTINUTED...

	Any	First
	<u>choice</u>	<u>choice</u>
Hillary Clinton		
May 10-June 6, 2016	69	48
Apr 5-May 2, 2016	67	45
Mar 2-28, 2016	68	46
Nov 24-Dec 21, 2015	67	46
Aug 11-Sept 8, 2015	57	40
Mar 10-Apr 6, 2015	51	41
Bernie Sanders		
May 10-June 6, 2016	55	<i>35</i>
Apr 5-May 2, 2016	57	39
Mar 2-28, 2016	56	37
Nov 24-Dec 21, 2015	45	30
Aug 11-Sept 8, 2015	31	21
Mar 10-Apr 6, 2015	4	2

ASK IF DEMOCRAT/LEAN DEMOCRAT(F_PARTYSUM_FINAL=2) [N=5,498]9:

DEMDEALFGHT Which is more important to you in a Democratic presidential candidate?

Someone who, if elected president, will focus on... [RANDOMIZE]

Sep 3-15 2019	
60	Finding common ground with Republicans on policies,
	even if it means giving up some things Democrats want
38	Pushing hard for policies Democrats want,
	even it makes it much harder to get some things done
2	No answer

ASK IF REPUBLICAN/LEAN REPUBLICAN(F_PARTYSUM_FINAL=1) [N=4,093]:10

REPDEALFGHT Which is more important to you for Donald Trump to focus on [RANDOMIZE]?

Sep 3-15 2019	
51	Finding common ground with Democrats on policies,
	even if it means giving up some things Republicans want
47	Pushing hard for policies Republicans want,
	even it makes it much harder to get some things done
2	No answer

⁹ Due to a programming error, respondents were not asked DEMDEALFGHT on the first night of the survey. There are 37 missing cases for this question due to this error.

 $^{^{10}}$ Due to a programming error, respondents were not asked REPDEALFGHT on the first night of the survey. There are 31 missing cases for this question due to this error.

ASK ALL: NATPROBS

How much of a problem do you think each of the following are in the country today? [RANDOMIZE ORDER OF ITEMS a-I; ON EACH PAGE; 2 PAGES]

		A very big problem	A moderately <u>big problem</u>	A small <u>problem</u>	Not a problem <u>at all</u>	No <u>answer</u>
ASK FORMS 1 AND 4	1 ONLY [N=4,941]:					
a. Terrorism Sep 3-15, 20: Feb 19-March Sep 24-Oct 7, Oct 25-Nov 8	4, 2019 , 2018	39 34 35 53	39 40 37 30	20 23 25 13	2 2 3 3	* * * 1
No item b.						
c. The federal budg	et deficit					
Sep 3-15, 201 Sep 24-Oct 7,	19	53 55	38 35	8 8	1 2	* 1
d. The affordability of	of health care					
Sep 3-15, 20:		66 67	26 26	6 5	2 2	*
Feb 19-March Sep 24-Oct 7		70	23	5 5	2	*
ACK FORMS 2 AND 3	ONLY [N _ 4 OF 4].					
ASK FORMS 2 AND 3 e. Racism	3 UNLY [N=4,954]:					
Sep 3-15, 20:		43	31	21	4	*
Feb 19-March Sep 24-Oct 7		40 46	37 32	19 18	3 4	*
Oct 25-Nov 8		39	38	19	3	1
f. The affordability of	of a college education					
Sep 3-15, 20:		55	32	11	3	*
g. Drug addiction						
Sep 3-15, 20:		64	28	6	1	*
Feb 19-March Sep 24-Oct 7		70 68	26 25	4 6	1 1	*
Oct 25-Nov 8		56	32	9	2	1
h. Job opportunities	for all Americans					
Sep 3-15, 20:	19	25	38	27	9	*
Sep 24-Oct 7, Oct 25-Nov 8		25 47	37 40	26 10	11 2	* 1
	, 2010	47	40	10	2	-
ASK ALL: i. Illegal immigration	n					
Sep 3-15, 201		43	27	24	6	*
Sep 24-Oct 7,	2018	42	26	25	6	*
Oct 25-Nov 8,	2016	44	30	21	5	1
j. Economic inequali						
Sep 3-15, 201		44 51	31	18	6	*
Feb 19-March Sep 24-Oct 7,		51 54	30 28	14 12	5 5	*
Oct 25-Nov 8		57	29	9	5 5	1

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February 2019 and prior, question asked about "The gap between the rich and poor."

NATPROBS CONTINUED...

		A very big problem	A moderately <u>big problem</u>	A small problem	Not a problem <u>at all</u>	No <u>answer</u>
k.	Climate change					
	Sep 3-15, 2019	48	24	17	10	*
	Feb 19-March 4, 2019	46	27	18	9	*
	Sep 24-Oct 7, 2018	43	28	20	9	*
	Oct 25-Nov 8, 2016	40	26	21	12	1
ı.	Sexism					
	Sep 3-15, 2019	26	35	29	9	*
	Feb 19-March 4, 2019	26	40	28	5	*
	Sep 24-Oct 7, 2018	34	35	24	7	1
	Oct 25-Nov 8, 2016	23	36	30	10	2

RANDOMIZE REPFAV AND DEMFAV ASK FORM 2 ONLY [N=2,480]:

REPFAV Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of the Republican Party?

	Favorable			Unfavorable				
							No	
	<u>NET</u>	<u>Very</u>	<u>Mostly</u>	NET	<u>Very</u>	<u>Mostly</u>	<u>answer</u>	
Sep 3-15, 2019	43	8	<i>35</i> [^]	53	20	33	4	
July 22-Aug 4, 2019 ¹²	41	10	31	57	27	30	2	

RANDOMIZE REPFAV AND DEMFAV ASK FORM 2 ONLY [N=2,480]:

DEMFAV Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of the Democratic Party?

	Favorable		Unfavorable				
	NET	Vome	Moothy	NET	Vome	Mostly	No
	<u>NET</u>	<u>Very</u>	<u>Mostly</u>	<u>NET</u>	<u>Very</u>	<u>Mostly</u>	<u>answer</u>
Sep 3-15, 2019	48	9	38	48	18	30	4
July 22-Aug 4, 2019 ¹³	47	10	<i>37</i>	51	27	24	1

In July 22-Aug 4, 2019, item was asked as part of a list item.

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ASK ALL:

THERMO

We'd like to get your feelings toward a number of people on a "feeling thermometer." A rating of zero degrees means you feel as cold and negative as possible. A rating of 100 degrees means you feel as warm and positive as possible. You would rate the person at 50 degrees if you don't feel particularly positive or negative toward them.

How do you feel toward **[INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE]**? [Enter the number in the box between 0 and 100 that reflects your feelings]

		Rating of 0 to 24	Rating of 25 to 49	Rating of 50	Rating of <u>51 to 75</u>	Rating of 76 to 100	No Answer	Mean <u>rating</u>
AS	K ALL:	<u> </u>	25 (5 15	<u>55</u>	<u>31 to 73</u>	70 10 100	7111511101	<u> </u>
a.	Donald Trump							
	Sep 3-15, 2019	49	7	8	10	26	1	38
	Feb 26-Mar 11, 2018	51	8	10	9	22	1	35
	Nov 29-Dec 12, 2016	37	11	14	12	24	2	43
	Sept 27-Oct 10, 2016	48	9	9	11	18	4	35
	Apr 5-May 2, 2016	53	8	9	11	17	3	32
AS	K FORMS 1 AND 2 [N=4,951]:							
b.	Barack Obama							
	Sep 3-15, 2019	25	9	12	12	42	1	58
	Feb 26-Mar 11, 2018	30	8	10	11	40	1	55
	Apr 5-May 2, 2016 ¹⁴	39	4	10	12	32	3	47
c.	Mike Pence							
	Sep 3-15, 2019	41	9	22	8	19	1	39
	Feb 26-Mar 11, 2018	44	7	21	8	19	1	38
AS	K FORMS 3 AND 4 [N=4,944]:							
d.	Mitch McConnell							
	Sep 3-15, 2019	44	11	30	8	6	2	31
e.	Nancy Pelosi							
	Sep 3-15, 2019	40	11	22	14	12	1	36

ASK FORMS 1 AND 4 REPUBLICANS AND REPUBLICANS LEANERS (F_PARTYSUM_FINAL=1) [N=2,064]¹⁵:

DEMVALREP

Thinking for a moment about people who consider themselves Democrats, which of these comes closer to your views about them? **[RANDOMIZE]**

Sep 3-15 <u>2019</u>	
43	They feel differently than I do about politics, but they probably SHARE many of my other values and goals
56	They feel differently than I do about politics, and they probably DON'T SHARE many of my other values and goals, either
1	No answer

In the Wave 16 April 2016 survey question THERMBOBAMA was asked to a split form (Form 1) of the sample [N=2,414].
The Due to a programming error, respondents were not asked DEMVALREP on the first night of the survey. There are 14 missing cases for this question due to this error.

ASK FORMS 1 AND 4 DEMOCRATS AND DEMOCRATICS LEANERS (F_PARTYSUM_FINAL=2) $[\mbox{N=2,716}]^{16}$

REPVALDEM Thinking for a moment about people who consider themselves Republicans, which of these comes closer to your views about them? [RANDOMIZE]

Sep 3-15 <u>2019</u>	
49	They feel differently than I do about politics, but they probably SHARE many of my other values and goals
50	They feel differently than I do about politics, and they probably DON'T SHARE many of my other values and goals, either
2	No answer

ASK ALL:

TRUMPDEM2020 Again, thinking ahead to the presidential election that will take place in November 2020, do you think you will... [CATEGORIES IN REVERSE ORDER FOR RANDOM HALF OF SAMPLE]

Sep 3-15 <u>2019</u>	
23	Definitely vote for Donald Trump
10	Probably vote for Donald Trump
9	Probably vote for the Democratic candidate
36	Definitely vote for the Democratic candidate
22	Don't know
1	No answer

BASED ON REGISTERED VOTERS [N=8,335]:

Sep 3-15 2019	Definitely yets for Donald Travers
28	Definitely vote for Donald Trump
10	Probably vote for Donald Trump
9	Probably vote for the Democratic candidate
39	Definitely vote for the Democratic candidate
14	Don't know
*	No answer

 $^{^{16}}$ Due to a programming error, respondents were not asked REPVALDEM on the first night of the survey. There are 18 missing cases for this question due to this error.

ASK FORMS 1 AND 2 [N=4,951]:

EMTPRESTRUMP How would you feel if Donald Trump was reelected in the November 2020 election?

[ROTATE ORDER 1-4 FOR HALF, 4-1 FOR OTHER HALF]

Sep 3-15	
2019	
14	Excited
24	Relieved
34	Disappointed
26	Angry
2	No Answer

TREND FOR COMPARISON:

How do you feel about Donald Trump winning the presidential election?

Nov 29-		Oct 25-	Aug 16-	Apr 5-
Dec 12		Nov 8	Sept 12	May 2
<u> 2016</u>		2016^{17}	<u>2016</u>	2016
18	Excited	12	10	14
25	Relieved	26	25	16
41	Disappointed	37	37	37
15	Angry	23	24	29
2	No Answer	2	4	4

ASK ALL:

Next are some pairs of statements that will help us understand how you feel about a number of things. Please choose the statement that comes closer to your own views – even if neither is exactly right. [RANDOMIZE ORDER OF PAIRS ON EACH PAGE AND RANDOMIZE STATEMENTS WITHIN PAIRS].

ASK ALL:

ASK ALL:			
REGULATE	Government regulation of business is necessary to protect the public interest	Government regulation of business usually does more harm than good	No <u>answer</u>
Sep 3-15, 2019	58	41	2
Feb 28-Mar 12, 2017 ¹⁸	55	43	2
ASK ALL:			
WORKHARD	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 <u>for most people</u>	No <u>answer</u>
Sep 3-15, 2019	60	39	1
Nov 27-Dec 10, 2018 ¹⁹	62	37	*
ASK ALL:			
ALLIES	In foreign policy, the U.S. should take into account the interests of its allies even if it means making compromises with them	In foreign policy, the U.S. should follow its own national interests even when its allies strongly disagree	No answer
Sep 3-15, 2019	68	31	2
Mar 18-Apr 1, 2019	65	33	2
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Prior to the November 2016 survey, this question was asked as a hypothetical, "How would you feel if Donald Trump won the presidential election?"

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¹⁹ In W40, question was called FATE.

ASK FORM 2 ONLY [N=2,480]:

USASOLVE Sep 3-15, 2019	As Americans, we can always find ways to solve our problems and get what we want 55	This country can't solve many of its important problems 44	No <u>answer</u> 2
ASK FORM 1 ONLY [N=2,471]:			
GOVWASTE	Government is almost always wasteful and inefficient	Government often does a better job than people give it credit for	No <u>answer</u>
Sep 3-15, 2019	56	42	2
Feb 28-Mar 12, 2017 ²⁰	62	37	1
ASK FORM 1 ONLY [N=2,471]: DISCRIM Sep 3-15, 2019 Feb 28-Mar 12, 2017 ²¹	Racial discrimination is the main reason why many black people can't get ahead these days 43 36	Black people who can't get ahead in this country are mostly responsible for their own condition 54 62	No <u>answer</u> 3 1
ASK FORMS 3 AND 4 ONLY [N=	4,944]:		
VOTING	Voting gives people like me some say about how government runs things	Voting by people like me doesn't really affect how government runs things	No <u>answer</u>
Sep 3-15, 2019	62	37	*
Sep 24-Oct 7, 2018	68	31	1
Jan 29-Feb 13, 2018	61	38	1

ASK FORM 1 ONLY [N=2,471]:

IMMBURDN	Immigrants today strengthen	Immigrants today are a burden	
	our country because of their	on our country because they take	No
	hard work and talents	our jobs, housing and health care	<u>answer</u>
Sep 3-15, 2019	61	36	3
Feb 28-Mar 12, 2017 ²²	60	37	2

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ASK FORM 1 ONLY [N=2,471] POOREASY Sep 3-15, 2019 Feb 28-Mar 12, 2017 ²³	Poor people today have it easy because they can get government benefits without doing anything in return 47 47	Poor people have hard lives because government benefits don't go far enough to help them live decently 50 52	No <u>answer</u> 3 1
. 65 26		<u> </u>	_
ASK FORM 1 ONLY [N=2,471]: GOVNEEDY	The government should do more to help needy Americans, even if it means going deeper into debt	The government today can't afford to do much more to help the needy	No <u>answer</u>
Sep 3-15, 2019	49	48	3
	54	45	2
Feb 28-Mar 12, 2017 ²⁴	54	45	2
ASK FORM 1 ONLY [N=2,471] BUSPROFIT Sep 3-15, 2019 Mar 18-Apr 1, 2019 Feb 28-Mar 12, 2017 ²⁵	Business corporations make too much profit 65 64 63	Most corporations make a fair and reasonable amount of profit 33 35	No answer 2 1 2
ASK FORMS 2 AND 4 ONLY [N: OPENIDEN	=4,950]: America's openness to people from all over the world is essential to who we are as a nation	If America is too open to people from all over the world, we risk losing our identity as a nation	No <u>answer</u>
Sep 3-15, 2019	67	32	1
July 22-Aug 4, 2019	64	34	2
ASK FORMS 2 AND 4 ONLY [N:	=4,950]:		
ACTIVE Sep 3-15, 2019 Mar 18-Apr 1, 2019	It's best for the future of our country to be active in world affairs 53 51	We should pay less attention to problems overseas and concentrate on problems here at home 46 48	No <u>answer</u> 1 1
16W F0D146 D 1115 4 21111 7	4.0703		
ASK FORMS 2 AND 4 ONLY [N: NECCGOD	=4,950]: It IS NOT necessary to believe in God in order to be moral and have good values	It IS necessary to believe in God in order to be moral and have good values	No <u>answer</u>
Sep 3-15, 2019	63	36	1
Dec 4-18, 2017	66	33	*
July 7-Aug 4, 2014 ²⁶	51	48	1
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ASK FORMS 2 AND 3 ONLY [N=4,954]:

MARRFAM	Society is better off if people	Society is just as well off if	
	make marriage and	people have priorities other	No
	having children a priority	than marriage and children	answer
Sep 3-15, 2019	33	65	1
Feb 26-Mar 11, 2018	40	57	3
Apr 5-May 2, 2016	39	57	4

ASK FORM 1 AND 3 ONLY [N=4,945]:

PEACESTR	The best way to ensure		
	peace is through	Good diplomacy is the	No
	military strength	best way to ensure peace	<u>answer</u>
Sep 3-15, 2019	26	73	1
Feb 28-Mar 12, 2017 ²⁷	33	65	2

ASK ALL:

RACESURV12 When it comes to giving black people equal rights with whites, do you think our country has... [RANDOMIZE OPTIONS 1-2 WITH 3 ALWAYS LAST]

		Jan 22-
Sep 3-15		Feb 5
<u>2019</u>		<u>2019</u>
14	Gone too far	15
43	Not gone far enough	45
43	Been about right	39
1	No answer	1

ASK ALL:

FOLGOV Would you say you follow what's going on in government and public affairs...

		Apr 29-	Jan 29-	Sep 27-	Sep 9-
Sep 3-15		May 13	Feb 13	Oct 10	Oct 3
<u> 2019</u>		<u>2019</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2014</u>
39	Most of the time	42	48	40	34
35	Some of the time	36	33	37	39
17	Only now and then	15	13	16	17
8	Hardly at all	7	6	7	11
*	No answer	*	*	1	0

ASK ALL:

GOVT_ROLE

Which statement comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right? [RANDOMIZE]

		Government is doing too	
	Government should	many things better left to	No
	do more to solve problems	businesses and individuals	answer
Sep 3-15, 2019	55	43	1
Mar 18-Apr 1, 2019	58	40	2
Sep 24-Oct 7, 2018	55	43	2
Feb 26-March 11, 2018	55	42	2
Dec 4-Dec 18, 2017	56	43	1
Jun 7-Jul 5, 2016	53	44	2
Mar 10-Apr 6, 2015	47	51	2

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ASK FORM 1 AND 4 ONLY [N=4,941]:

USSUCSS In your view, has the U.S. been successful more because of... [RANDOMIZE OPTIONS]

Sep 3-15,
2019
52 Its ability to change
46 Its reliance on long-standing principles
2 No answer

ASK FORM 2 AND 3 ONLY [N=4,954]:

USEXCEPT Which of these statements best describes your opinion about the United States? [READ IN ORDER; REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF OF SAMPLE]

	The U.S.	The U.S. is one of		
	stands above	the greatest countries	There are other	
	all other countries	in the world, along	countries that are	No
	<u>in the world</u>	with some others	better than the U.S.	<u>answer</u>
Sep 3-15, 2019	24	55	21	1

RANDOMIZE EMTREP AND EMTDEM ASK FORM 3 AND 4 ONLY [N=4,944]:

EMTREP Does the REPUBLICAN PARTY make you feel... [RANDOMIZE]

	Yes, makes me <u>feel this way</u>	No, does not make me <u>feel this way</u>	No <u>answer</u>
a. Frustrated Sep 3-15, 2019	65	33	1
b. Angry Sep 3-15, 2019	50	49	1
c. Hopeful Sep 3-15, 2019	34	65	2
d. Proud Sep 3-15, 2019	25	74	2

TREND FOR COMPARISON:

How does the REPUBLICAN PARTY make you feel? [Check all that apply]

		<u>Selected</u>	Not selected/ <u>No answer</u>
a.	Frustrated		
	Apr 5-May 2, 2016	46	54
b.	Angry		
	Apr 5-May 2, 2016	28	72
c.	Afraid		
	Apr 5-May 2, 2016	30	70
d.	Hopeful		
	Apr 5-May 2, 2016	25	75
e.	Enthusiastic		
	Apr 5-May 2, 2016	8	92
f.	Proud		
	Apr 5-May 2, 2016	5	95
g.	None of these [EXCLUSIVE PUNCH]		
	Apr 5-May 2, 2016	14	86

RANDOMIZE EMTREP AND EMTDEM ASK FORM 3 AND 4 ONLY [N=4,944]:

EMTDEM Does the DEMOCRATIC PARTY make you feel... [RANDOMIZE]

	Yes, makes me <u>feel this way</u>	No, does not make me <u>feel this way</u>	No <u>answer</u>
a. Frustrated Sep 3-15, 2019	66	32	1
b. Angry Sep 3-15, 2019	42	56	2
c. Hopeful Sep 3-15, 2019	43	56	1
d. Proud Sep 3-15, 2019	27	71	2

TREND FOR COMPARISON:

How does the DEMOCRATIC PARTY make you feel? [Check all that apply]

		<u>Selected</u>	Not selected/ <u>No answer</u>
a.	Frustrated		
	Apr 5-May 2, 2016	36	64
b.	Angry		
	Apr 5-May 2, 2016	22	78
c.	Afraid		
	Apr 5-May 2, 2016	23	77
d.	Hopeful		
	Apr 5-May 2, 2016	36	64
e.	Enthusiastic		
	Apr 5-May 2, 2016	11	89
f.	Proud		
	Apr 5-May 2, 2016	9	91
g.	None of these [EXCLUSIVE PUNCH]		
9	Apr 5-May 2, 2016	14	86
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ASK ALL:

 ${\sf IMPEACHT}$

As you may know, the House of Representatives has been investigating Donald Trump's conduct during his time in office and during his campaign for president.

Based on what you know, do you favor or oppose the House of Representatives conducting impeachment proceedings against Donald Trump? ...

		Favor	'==	Oppose 				
							No	
	<u>NET</u>	<u>Strongly</u>	<u>Somewhat</u>	<u>NET</u>	<u>Strongly</u>	Somewhat	<u>answer</u>	
Sep 3-15, 2019	51	32	18	48	34	14	1	

ASK IF OPPOSE (IMPEACHT=3,4) [N=4,669]:

IMPEACHTO What is the main reason you oppose the House of Representatives conducting impeachment

proceedings... [OPEN-END RESPONSES NOT SHOWN]

ASK IF FAVOR (IMPEACHT=1,2) [N=5,134]:

IMPEACHTF What is the main reason you favor the House of Representatives conducting impeachment

proceedings... [OPEN-END RESPONSES NOT SHOWN]

ASK ALL:

ETHNCMAJ According to the U.S. Census Bureau, in the next 25 to 30 years, African Americans,

Latinos, and people of Asian descent will make up a majority of the population. In general,

do you think that this is...

	Good	Bad	nor bad for	No
	for the country	for the country	the country	answer
Sep 3-15, 2019	21	13	66	1
Feb 26-Mar 11, 2018	24	17	58	1
Apr 5-May 2, 2016	14	22	63	1

ASK ALL:

ELITEUND

Thinking about people in top leadership positions in business and technology. In general, do you think they understand the challenges people like you face in their daily lives...

Sep 3-15	
2019	
4	Very well
27	Somewhat well
46	Not too well
22	Not at all well
*	No answer

ASK ALL:

THERMO

We'd like to get your feelings toward a number of groups in the U.S. on a "feeling thermometer." A rating of zero degrees means you feel as cold and negative as possible. A rating of 100 degrees means you feel as warm and positive as possible. You would rate the group at 50 degrees if you don't feel particularly positive or negative toward the group.

How do you feel toward [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE]? Enter the number in the box between 0 and 100 that reflects your feelings

	Rating of 0 to 24	Rating of 25 to 49	Rating of <u>50</u>	Rating of 51 to 75	Rating of 76 to 100	No answer	Mean rating
a. Republicans	0 10 2 1	25 (0 15	<u>50</u>	<u>51 to 75</u>	70 to 100	<u>unswer</u>	racing
Sep 3-15, 2019	32	15	19	14	19	1	44
Apr 29-May 13, 2019	25	17	24	14	19	1	47
Aug 8-21, 2017	31	16	24	14	12	2	41
Nov 29-Dec 12, 2016	23	10	28	15	21	3	50
Mar 2-28, 2016	25	15	29	13	16	2	46
b. Democrats							
Sep 3-15, 2019	29	14	18	18	21	1	47
Apr 29-May 13, 2019	22	13	22	18	24	1	51
Aug 8-21, 2017	28	14	23	16	18	1	45
Nov 29-Dec 12, 2016	19	13	26	14	24	3	52
Mar 2-28, 2016	22	12	26	15	23	2	51

ASK ALL:

GAYMARR2 As you may know, same-sex marriage is now legal in the U.S. Do you think this is a...

		Feb 25-
Sep 3-15		Mar 11
•		Mai 11
<u>2019</u>		<u>2018</u>
35	Very good thing for our society	31
25	Somewhat good thing for our society	25
16	Somewhat bad thing for our society	18
21	Very bad thing for our society	24
2	No answer	2

ASK ALL:

BUSPOWER3 All in all, do you think major corporations in this country today have... [RANDOMIZE OPTIONS 1-2 WITH 3 ALWAYS LAST]

Sep 3-15
2019
4 Too little power
73 Too much power
22 About the right amount of power
1 No answer

ASK FORMS 2 AND 3 ONLY [N=4,954]:

POLRULES Which comes closer to your view? [RANDOMIZE OPTIONS]

		Jan 29-	Oct 25-
Sep 3-15		Feb 13	Nov 8
2019		<u>2018</u>	<u> 2016</u>
20	In politics, it's sometimes necessary to bend the rules in order to get things done	19	28
78	In politics, it's important to respect the rules, even if it sometimes makes it harder to get things done	79	70
1	No answer	1	2

ASK ALL:

WHADVANT In general, how much do white people benefit from advantages in society that black people do not have?

	A great deal	A fair amount	Not too much	Not at all	No answer
Sep 3-15, 2019	29	29	23	18	1
Feb 25-Mar 11, 2018 ²⁸	30	28	25	16	2
Aug 8-Aug 21, 2017	26	29	28	16	1
Jun 7-Jul 5, 2016	24	29	25	19	2

²⁸ In Feb 25-Mar 11, 2018 and prior, question was worded: "How much, if at all, do white people benefit from advantages in society that black people do not have?"

ASK FORMS 2 AND 4 ONLY [N=4,950]:

CLIM1A On the topic of climate change...

Which of these three statements about the Earth's temperature comes closest to your view? [RANDOMIZE OPTIONS 1-2 WITH 3 ALWAYS LAST]

	May 10- June 6
	<u>2016</u>
The Earth is getting warmer mostly because of human activity such as burning fossil fuels	45
The Earth is getting warmer mostly because of natural patterns in the Earth's environment	26
There is no solid evidence that the Earth is getting warmer	14
Not sure	14
No answer	1
	The Earth is getting warmer mostly because of natural patterns in the Earth's environment There is no solid evidence that the Earth is getting warmer Not sure

ASK ALL:

UNIONDROP

As you may know, over the past several decades there has been a large reduction in the percentage of workers who are represented by unions. Do you think this has been...

[REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF SAMPLE]

Sep 3-15	
2019	
12	Very good for the country
29	Somewhat good for the country
38	Somewhat bad for the country
18	Very bad for the country
2	No answer

RANDOMIZE REPPTYTRAIT AND DEMPTYTRAIT ASK FORMS 3 AND 4 ONLY [N=4,944]:

REPPTYTRAIT How well do each of the following phrases describe the REPUBLICAN PARTY?

	Very <u>well</u>	Somewhat <u>well</u>	Not too <u>well</u>	Not at all <u>well</u>	No <u>answer</u>
a. Too extreme in its positions Sep 3-15, 2019	30	33	23	12	2
b. Governs in an honest and ethical way Sep 3-15, 2019	7	31	30	30	1
c. Cares about the middle class Sep 3-15, 2019	10	29	30	30	1
d. Represents the interests of people like me Sep 3-15, 2019 Aug 16-Sep 12, 2016 ²⁹ Apr 5-May 2, 2016	10 8 6	30 31 33	26 29 29	32 31 29	1 2 3
e. Respectful and tolerant of different types of people Sep 3-15, 2019	9	29	27	33	1

²⁹ In Aug 16-Sept 12, 2016 and prior, this item was asked as a stand-alone question worded, "How well does the REPUBLICAN PARTY represent the interests of people like you?"

RANDOMIZE REPPTYTRAIT AND DEMPTYTRAIT **ASK FORMS 3 AND 4 ONLY [N=4,944]:**

DEMPTYTRAIT How well do each of the following phrases describe the DEMOCRATIC PARTY?

	Very <u>well</u>	Somewhat <u>well</u>	Not too <u>well</u>	Not at all <u>well</u>	No <u>answer</u>
a. Too extreme in its positions Sep 3-15, 2019	29	32	27	11	2
b. Governs in an honest and ethical way Sep 3-15, 2019	10	38	27	25	1
c. Cares about the middle class Sep 3-15, 2019	17	38	22	22	1
d. Represents the interests of people like me Sep 3-15, 2019 Aug 16-Sep 12, 2016 ³⁰ Apr 5-May 2, 2016	14 13 14	36 36 37	22 24 24	27 26 22	1 2 3
e. Respectful and tolerant of different types of people Sep 3-15, 2019	22	37	19	20	1

RANDOMIZE PTYIDEADEM AND PTYIDEAREP ASK FORM 3 AND IF REPUBLICAN/LEAN REPUBLICAN OR NO LEAN (F_PARTYSUM_FINAL=1,9) [N=1,058]³¹:

BASED ON REPUBLICANS AND REPUBLICAN LEANERS [N=1,005]:

Overall, would you say the DEMOCRATIC PARTY has...

Sep 3-15		Apr 5-May 2
2019		2016 ³²
4	A lot of good ideas	2
16	Some good ideas	19
33	A few good ideas	38
47	Almost no good ideas	39
1	No answer	2

³⁰ In Aug 16-Sept 12, 2016 and prior, this item was asked as a stand-alone question worded, "How well does the DEMOCRATIC PARTY represent the interests of people like you?"

³¹ Due to a programming error, respondents were not asked PTYIDEADEM on the first night of the survey. There are 7 missing cases for this question due to this error. 32 In Apr 5-May 2, 2016, this question was asked only of Republicans and Republican leaners.

RANDOMIZE PTYIDEADEM AND PTYIDEAREP ASK FORM 3 AND IF DEMOCRAT/LEAN DEMOCRAT OR NO LEAN (F_PARTYSUM_FINAL=2,9) [N=1,452]³³

BASED ON DEMOCRATS AND DEMOCRATIC LEANERS [N=1,399]

PTYIDEAREP Overall, would you say the REPUBLICAN PARTY has...

Sep 3-15		Apr 5-May 2
2019		2016 ³⁴
1	A lot of good ideas	1
15	Some good ideas	21
42	A few good ideas	41
41	Almost no good ideas	35
1	No answer	2

RANDOMIZE TRAITREP a-e BLOCK WITH TRAITDEM a-e BLOCK; DISPLAY RESPONSE OPTIONS FOR EACH QUESTION IN REVERSE ORDER FOR RANDOM HALF OF SAMPLE; USE SAME RESPONSE OPTION ORDER FOR BOTH BLOCKS.

Now thinking about some traits that might describe some people and not others...

RANDOMIZE ORDER OF TRAITREP a-e ASK FORMS 1 AND 2 [N=4,951]:

TRAITREPa Compared to other Americans, would you say Republicans are...

Sep 3-15		Mar 2-Mar 28
2019		<u>2016</u>
23	NET More moral	23
8	A lot more moral	5
15	Somewhat more moral	18
50	About the same	55
25	NET more IMmoral	20
16	Somewhat more IMmoral	13
9	A lot more IMmoral	6
2	No Answer	2

RANDOMIZE ORDER OF TRAITREP a-e ASK FORMS 1 AND 2 [N=4,951]:

TRAITREPb Compared to other Americans, would you say Republicans are...

Sep 3-15 2019		Mar 2-Mar 28 <u>2016</u>
25	NET more hard-working	28
9	A lot more hard-working	9
16	Somewhat more hard-working	19
62	About the same	60
11	NET more lazy	9
7	Somewhat more lazy	7
4	A lot more lazy	3
2	No Answer	2

³³ Due to a programming error, respondents were not asked PTYIDEAREP on the first night of the survey. There are 10 missing cases for this question due to this error.

³⁴ In Apr 5-May 2, 2016, this question was asked only of Democrats and Democratic leaners.

RANDOMIZE ORDER OF TRAITREP a-e ASK FORMS 1 AND 2 [N=4,951]:

TRAITREPc Compared to other Americans, would you say Republicans are...

Sep 3-15		Mar 2-Mar 28
<u>2019</u>		<u>2016</u>
18	NET more open-minded	15
5	A lot more open-minded	4
13	Somewhat more open-minded	11
34	About the same	37
46	NET more closed-minded	46
25	Somewhat more closed-minded	27
21	A lot more closed-minded	19
2	No answer	2

RANDOMIZE ORDER OF TRAITREP a-e ASK FORMS 1 AND 2 [N=4,951]:

TRAITREPd Compared to other Americans, would you say Republicans are...

Sep 3-15	
2019	
40	NET more patriotic
19	A lot more patriotic
21	Somewhat more patriotic
46	About the same
12	NET more UNpatriotic
7	Somewhat more UNpatriotic
5	A lot more UNpatriotic
2	No answer

RANDOMIZE ORDER OF TRAITREP a-e ASK FORMS 1 AND 2 [N=4,951]:

TRAITREPE Compared to other Americans, would you say Republicans are...

Sep 3-15 2019		Mar 2-Mar 28 2016
17	NET more intelligent	18
5	A lot more intelligent	5
12	Somewhat more intelligent	14
62	About the same	61
20	NET more UNintelligent	19
14	Somewhat more UNintelligent	13
6	A lot more UNintelligent	6
2	No answer	2

RANDOMIZE TRAITREP a-e BLOCK WITH TRAITDEM a-e BLOCK; DISPLAY RESPONSE OPTIONS FOR EACH QUESTION IN REVERSE ORDER FOR RANDOM HALF OF SAMPLE; USE SAME RESPONSE OPTION ORDER FOR BOTH BLOCKS.

Now thinking about some traits that might describe some people and not others...

RANDOMIZE ORDER OF TRAITDEM a-e ASK FORMS 1 AND 2 [N=4,951]:

TRAITDEMa Compared to other Americans, would you say Democrats are...

Sep 3-15 2019		Mar 2-Mar 28 2016
22	NET more moral	19
7	A lot more moral	6
15	Somewhat more moral	13
50	About the same	57
26	NET more IMmoral	22
15	Somewhat more IMmoral	14
12	A lot more IMmoral	8
2	No answer	2

RANDOMIZE ORDER OF TRAITDEM a-e ASK FORMS 1 AND 2 [N=4,951]:

TRAITDEMb Compared to other Americans, would you say Democrats are...

Sep 3-15 2019		Mar 2-Mar 28 201 <u>6</u>
15	NET more hard-working	17
6	A lot more hard-working	7
9	Somewhat hard-working	10
61	About the same	60
22	NET more lazy	20
15	Somewhat more lazy	15
7	A lot more lazy	6
2	No answer	2

RANDOMIZE ORDER OF TRAITDEM a-e ASK FORMS 1 AND 2 [N=4,951]:

TRAITDEMc Compared to other Americans, would you say Democrats are...

Sep 3-15 2019		Mar 2-Mar 28 2016
38	NET more open-minded	38
17	A lot more open-minded	12
22	Somewhat more open-minded	26
30	About the same	35
30	NET more closed-minded	25
15	Somewhat more closed-minded	14
16	A lot more closed-minded	11
1	No answer	2

RANDOMIZE ORDER OF TRAITDEM a-e ASK FORMS 1 AND 2 [N=4,951]:

TRAITDEMd Compared to other Americans, would you say Democrats are...

Sep 3-15	
2019	
14	NET more patriotic
5	A lot more patriotic
10	Somewhat more patriotic
53	About the same
31	NET more UNpatriotic
19	Somewhat more UNpatriotic
13	A lot more UNpatriotic
2	No answer

RANDOMIZE ORDER OF TRAITDEM a-e ASK FORMS 1 AND 2 [N=4,951]:

TRAITDEMe Compared to other Americans, would you say Democrats are...

Sep 3-15 2019		Mar 2-Mar 28 <u>2016</u>
20	NET more intelligent	21
6	A lot more intelligent	7
14	Somewhat more intelligent	15
61	About the same	62
17	NET more UNintelligent	15
11	Somewhat more Unintelligent	11
7	A lot more Unintelligent	3
2	No answer	2

On a different subject...

ASK FORMS 3 AND 4 [N=4,944]:

DISCRRIM

Please tell us how much discrimination there is against each of these groups in our society today. [SPLIT ITEMS INTO 2 PAGES; RANDOMIZE ITEMS ON EACH PAGE; FORM 3 GETS A-D PAGE FIRST, E-I SECOND; FORM 4 GETS E-I FIRST, A-D SECOND]

_	Placks	A lot	<u>Some</u>	Only a <u>little</u>	None at <u>all</u>	No <u>answer</u>
a.	Blacks Sep 3-15, 2019 Feb 28-Mar 12, 2017*35	37 39	40 42	16 14	6 5	*
b.	Hispanics				J	·
	Sep 3-15, 2019 Feb 28-Mar 12, 2017 [*]	35 34	42 43	16 17	6 5	*
c.	Whites					
	Sep 3-15, 2019 Feb 28-Mar 12, 2017 [*]	10 11	27 29	33 33	30 26	*
d.	Gays and lesbians					
	Šep 3-15, 2019 Feb 28-Mar 12, 2017 [*]	38 34	41 44	15 15	5 6	* 0

^{35*} The W24.5 Mode Study survey was administered by web and phone. Results reported here are from web mode only.

DISCRRIM CONTINUED...

e.	Women	A lot	<u>Some</u>	Only a <u>little</u>	None at <u>all</u>	No <u>answer</u>
С.	Sep 3-15 2019 Feb 28-Mar 12, 2017 [*]	21 18	47 44	22 28	9 9	* 0
f.	Jews Sep 3-15 2019 Feb 28-Mar 12, 2017 [*]	18 20	48 46	23 25	10 9	1 0
g.	Muslims Sep 3-15, 2019 Feb 28-Mar 12, 2017 [*]	49 56	34 31	11 8	6 5	* 0
h.	Evangelical Christians Sep 3-15, 2019	13	33	30	23	1
i.	Men Sep 3-15, 2019	8	24	34	33	1

ASK ALL:

Next are a few more pairs of statements. Again, please choose the statement that comes closer to your own views – even if neither is exactly right. [RANDOMIZE THE ORDER OF PAIRS AND RANDOMIZE STATEMENTS WITHIN PAIRS].

AS	Κ	Α	L	L	:

LAWCOST	Stricter environmental laws and regulations cost too many jobs and hurt the economy	Stricter environmental laws and regulations are worth the cost	No <u>answer</u>
Sep 3-15, 2019	33	65	2

ASK ALL:

ECONFAIR	The economic system	The economic system	
	in this country unfairly	in this country is generally	No
	favors powerful interests	fair to most Americans	<u>answer</u>
Sep 3-15, 2019	70	29	1
Mar 18-Apr 1, 2019	71	28	1

ASK ALL:

AUN ALLI			
WOMENOBS	The obstacles that once made it harder for women than men	There are still significant obstacles that make it harder	
	it harder for women than men	obstacles that make it harder	
	to get ahead	for women	No
	<u>are now largely gone</u>	to get ahead than men	<u>answer</u>
Sep 3-15, 2019	42	57	1
Feb 26, Mar 11, 2018	42	56	2
Jun 7-Jul 5, 2016	45	53	3

AS	K	AL	L:
$\overline{}$	••		

ACCEPTLG	Homosexuality should be accepted by society	Homosexuality should be discouraged by society	No <u>answer</u>
Sep 3-15, 2019	65	32	3
Feb 28-Mar 12, 2017 ³⁶	69	29	3

ASK ALL:

IMMCULT2	The growing number of newcomers from other countries threatens traditional	The growing number of newcomers from other countries strengthens	No
	American customs and values	American society	answer
Sep 3-15, 2019	41	57	2
Feb 26-Mar 11, 2018	45	53	3
Dec 4-Dec 18, 2017	44	54	2
Apr 5-May 2, 2016	49	47	4

ASK ALL:

POORASSIST

Thinking about the assistance government provides to people in need. Do you think the government...

[RANDOMIZE OPTIONS 1 AND 2; ALWAYS KEEP 3 LAST]

Sep 3-15	
2019	
40	Should provide more assistance
26	Should provide less assistance
33	Is providing about the right amount of assistance
1	No answer

ASK ALL:

SUPERPWR In the future, do you think **[RANDOMIZE]**...

		It would be acceptable	
	U.S. policies should	if another country	
	try to keep it so America	became as militarily	No
	is the only military superpower	powerful as the U.S.	answer
Sep 3-15, 2019	61	36	3

ASK FORMS 2 AND 4 ONLY AND DID NOT TAKE W52 (F_RESPONDED_W52>1) [N=4,950³⁷]: ABORTLGL Do you think abortion should be... [SHOW IN REVERSE ORDER FOR RANDOM HALF OF SAMPLE]

	Legal	Legal in	Illegal in			NET	NET
	<u>in all</u>	most	most	Illegal in	No	Legal in	Illegal in
	cases	cases	cases	all cases	answer	all/most	all/most
Sep 3-15, 2019	26	33	26	13	2	59	39
July 22-Aug 4, 2019	27	34	26	12	1	61	38

 $^{^{36}}$ The W24.5 Mode Study survey was administered by web and phone. Results reported here are from web mode only.

 $^{^{37}}$ September data includes combined responses from W52 and W53. The unweighted sample size for W53 is 3,011. The unweighted sample size for W52 is 1,939.

ASK FORM 1 AND 3 ONLY [N=4,945]:

DTHPNLTY Do you favor or oppose the death penalty for persons convicted of murder?

	FAVOR			OPPOSE			
		Strongly Somewhat		Strongly		Somewhat	No
	<u>NET</u>	<u>favor</u>	<u>favor</u>	<u>NET</u>	<u>oppose</u>	<u>oppose</u>	<u>answer</u>
Sep 3-15, 2019	65	32	33	34	19	15	1

ASK FORM 2 AND 4 ONLY [N=4,950]:

CRIM_SENT In general, would you say people who are convicted of violent crimes in this country serve...

[REVERSE ORDER FOR RANDOM HALF SAMPLE]

		About the right		
	Too much	amount of	Too little	No
	time in prison	time in prison	<u>time in prison</u>	answer
Sep 3-15, 2019	11	40	47	2

ASK FORM 2 AND 4 ONLY [N=4,950]:

TAXSYSM Overall would you say that our present federal tax system is...

	Very	Moderately	Not too	Not fair	No
	<u>fair</u>	<u>fair</u>	<u>fair</u>	<u>at all</u>	answer
Sep 3-15, 2019	2	35	39	23	1

ASK FORM 1 AND 3 ONLY [N=4,945]:

YOURTAXES Considering what you get from the federal government, do you think you pay more than your fair share of taxes, less than your fair share, or about the right amount?

	More than	Less than	About the	No
	<u>fair share</u>	<u>fair share</u>	<u>right amount</u>	answer
Sep 3-15, 2019	51	8	40	1

RANDOMIZE TAXTRATES250 AND TAXRATESBUS ASK FORMS 2 AND 3 ONLY [N=4,954]:

TAXRATES250 Should tax rates on household income over \$250,000 be...

REVERSE ORDER OF RESPONSE CATEGORIES FOR RANDOM HALF SAMPLE, KEEP SAME ORDER ON BOTH ITEMS

	NET	Raised	Raised	NET	Lowered	Lowered	Kept the same	No
	Raised	<u>a lot</u>	<u>a little</u>	Lowered	<u>a lot</u>	<u>a little</u>	as they are now	answer
Sep 3-15, 2019	58	22	36	16	11	5	22	4

RANDOMIZE TAXTRATES250 AND TAXRATESBUS ASK FORMS 2 AND 3 ONLY [N=4,954]:

TAXRATESBUS Should tax rates on large businesses and corporations be...

REVERSE ORDER OF RESPONSE CATEGORIES FOR RANDOM HALF SAMPLE, KEEP SAME ORDER ON BOTH ITEMS

	NET	Raised	Raised	NET	Lowered	Lowered	Kept the same	No
	Raised	<u>a lot</u>	<u>a little</u>	Lowered	<u>a lot</u>	<u>a little</u>	as they are now	answer
Sep 3-15, 2019	68	42	27	11	8	3	16	4

ASK ALL:

ISLMVIOL

Which statement comes closer to your own views even if neither is exactly right? **[RANDOMIZE]**

The Islamic religion	is more

	likely than others to encourage violence among its believers	The Islamic religion does not encourage violence more than others	No answer
Sep 3-15, 2019	48	48	4
Apr 5-May 2, 2019	52	43	5

ASK IF FORMS 1 AND 2 ONLY [N=4,951]:

GOVTHC Do you think it is the responsibility of the federal government to make sure all Americans have health care coverage?

ASK IF GOVERNMENT RESPONSIBILITY (GOVTHC=1) [N=2,988]:

SNGLPYER Should health insurance... [RANDOMIZE]

ASK IF NOT GOVERNMENT RESPONSIBILITY (GOVTHC=2) [N=1,937]:

NOGOVTHC Should the government... [RANDOMIZE]

Sep 3-15		July 22- Aug 4,
<u>2019</u>		<u>2019</u>
59	Yes, it is	62
	Be provided through a single national health insurance system run by the	
30	government	30
	Continue to be provided through a mix of	
	private insurance companies and	
28	government programs	30
1	No answer	1
41	No, it is not	37
	Not be involved in providing health	
6	insurance at all	6
	Continue programs like Medicare and	
<i>35</i>	Medicaid for seniors and the very poor	31
*	No answer	*
*	No answer	1

ASK FORM 1 ONLY [N=2,471]:

RGHTCNTRL What do you think is more important?

	To protect the right of Americans	Control	No
	<u>to own guns</u>	<u>gun ownership</u>	answer
Sep 3-15, 2019	47	53	1
Aug 16-Sep 12, 2016 ³⁸	53	46	1

ASK FORMS 1 AND 3 ONLY [N=4,945]:

GLOBALECON Do you think U.S. involvement in the global economy...

Sep 3-15 <u>2019</u>		July 7- Aug 4, 2014 ³⁹
73	Is a good thing because it provides the U.S. with new markets and opportunities for growth	61
24	Is a bad thing because it lowers wages and costs jobs in the U.S.	39
3	No answer	1

³⁸ In W20, question was called GUNOWN.

³⁹ The 5 Mode Study survey was administered by web and phone. Results reported here are from web mode only.

ASK FORM 3 ONLY [N=2,474]:

MARIJUANA3 Which comes closer to your view about the use of marijuana by adults? {W20}

		Aug 16-
Sep 3-15		Sept 12
2019		2016 ⁴⁰
59	It should be legal for medical AND recreational use	49
32	It should be legal for medical use ONLY	35
8	It should NOT be legal	15
*	No Answer	1

ASK FORM 2 [N=2,480]:

MARIJUANA Do you think the use of marijuana...

	Should be made legal	Should NOT be made legal	No answer
Sep 3-15, 2019	67	32	2

ASK FORMS 1 AND 4 ONLY [N=4,941]:

IMMVAL

Thinking about the issue of immigration, how important of a goal should each of the following be for immigration policy in the U.S.? **[RANDOMIZE]**

		Very important	Somewhat important	Not too important	Not at all	No
a.	Taking in civilian refugees from countries where people are trying to escape violence and war	<u>important</u>	<u>широгсанс</u>	<u>important</u>	<u>important</u>	<u>answer</u>
	Sep 3-15, 2019	32	40	18	8	1
	Nov 29-Dec 12, 2016	29	32	21	16	2
b.	Increasing deportations of immigrants currently in the country illegally					
	Sep 3-15, 2019	28	26	29	16	1
	Nov 29-Dec 12, 2016	29	29	24	17	1
	Aug 16-Sept 12, 2016	34	29	22	13	2
c.	Establishing a way for most immigrants currently in the country illegally to stay here legally					
	Sep 3-15, 2019	33	34	18	15	1
	Nov 29-Dec 12, 2016	28	34	20	17	1
	Aug 16-Sept 12, 2016	31	32	18	18	2
d.	Increasing security along the U.S Mexico border					
	Sep 3-15, 2019	40	28	21	10	1

 $^{^{}m 40}$ In Aug 16-Sep 12, 2016 question wording asked about "medical and personal use" of marijuana.

ASK FORMS 2 AND 3 ONLY [N=4,954]:

GUNSTRICT Which of the following statements comes closest to your overall view of gun laws in this country?

[REVERSE ORDER OF PUNCHES FOR RANDOM HALF SAMPLE]

		Sep 24-	Mar 13-
Sep 3-15		Oct 7	Mar 27
<u>2019</u>		<u>2018</u>	<u> 2017</u>
60	Gun laws should be MORE strict than they are today	57	52
28	Gun laws are about right	31	30
11	Gun laws should be LESS strict than they are today	11	18
1	No answer	1	1

ASK FORMS 2 AND 3 ONLY [N=4,954]:

GUNPRIORITY1 Please indicate whether you would [MATCH ORDER WITH PUNCHES: favor or oppose] the following proposals about gun policy. [RANDOMIZE ITEMS; REVERSE ORDER OF PUNCHES FOR RANDOM HALF-SAMPLE]

		Strongly <u>favor</u>	Somewhat <u>favor</u>	Somewhat oppose	Strongly oppose	No answer
a.	Preventing people with mental illnesses from purchasing guns					
	Sep 3-15, 2019	76	15	5	3	1
	Sep 24-Oct 7, 2018	74	15	5	6	1
	Mar 13-Mar 27, 2017	73	15	5	6	1
b.	Banning assault-style weapons					
	Sep 3-15, 2019	56	14	14	16	1
	Sep 24-Oct 7, 2018	51	15	13	19	1
	Mar 13-Mar 27, 2017	53	15	14	17	1
c.	Banning high-capacity ammunition magazines that hold more than 10 rounds					
	Sep 3-15, 2019	54	17	13	15	1
	Sep 24-Oct 7, 2018	50	17	14	18	1
	Mar 13-Mar 27, 2017	47	17	14	20	1
d.	Making private gun sales and sales at gun shows subject to background checks					
	Sep 3-15, 2019	71	16	6	5	1
	Sep 24-Oct 7, 2018	69	16	7	7	1
	Mar 13-Mar 27, 2017	65	20	8	7	1
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ASK IF REPUBLICAN/LEAN REPUBLICAN (F_PARTYSUM_FINAL=1) [N=4,093]41:

DESCREP Would you say the term "Republican" describes you...

		Aug 8-	Mar 2-
Sep 3-15		Aug 21	Mar 28
<u>2019</u>		<u>2017</u>	<u> 2016</u>
72	NET Well	66	70
24	Very well	19	17
47	Fairly well	47	53
28	NET NOT well	33	29
21	Not too well	24	23
7	Not at all well	9	5
1	No answer	1	1

ASK IF DEMOCRAT/LEAN DEMOCRAT (F_PARTYSUM_FINAL=2) [N=5,498]⁴²:

DESCDEM Would you say the term "Democrat" describes you...

		Aug 8-	Mar 2-
Sep 3-15		Aug 21	Mar 28
<u>2019</u>		<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>
73	NET Well	70	70
25	Very well	24	21
48	Fairly well	46	50
26	NET NOT well	29	28
20	Not too well	20	22
6	Not at all well	9	6
1	No answer	1	2

ASK ALL NON-REPUBLICAN REGISTERED VOTERS (F_REG=1 AND F_PARTYSUM_FINAL=2,3,9) [N=4,797]:

DPRIMDATE

As you may know, the Democratic presidential primary elections and caucuses, where voters select their preferred candidate, take place before general elections. Do you happen to know in what month your state's primary or caucus will be held?

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> January February March April May June July

Not sure

No answer

⁴¹ Due to a programming error, respondents were not asked DESCREP on the first night of the survey. There are 31 missing cases for this question due to this error.

 $^{^{42}}$ Due to a programming error, respondents were not asked DESCDEM on the first night of the survey. There are 37 missing cases for this question due to this error.

ASK ALL NON-REPUBLICAN REGISTERED VOTERS (F_REG=1 AND F_PARTYSUM_FINAL=2,3,9) [N=4.797]⁴³:

[N=4,797]⁴³:

DPRIMARY_L

Thinking about the Democratic presidential primaries and caucuses that will take place early next year. Typically, only about 15% of voters generally vote in these types of elections.

Which describes you?

Sep 3-15 2019 62 29 5 4	I definitely will vote in the Democratic primary I probably will vote in the Democratic primary I probably will NOT vote in the Democratic primary I definitely will NOT vote in the Democratic primary
0	Don't know
*	No answer

 $^{^{43}}$ Due to a programming error, respondents were not asked DPRIMARY_L on the first night of the survey. There are 31 missing cases for this question due to this error.