2024 PEW RESEARCH CENTER'S AMERICAN TRENDS PANEL WAVE 146 POLITICS SURVEY APRIL 8 – 14, 2024¹

ASK ALL:

CONVFAM Thinking about when you get together with family or close friends, how much do you talk

about each of the following topics? [RANDOMIZE]

ASK FORM 1 (XFORM=1):

POL Political issues

JOB Jobs, work or school

MDIA Movies, TV shows, music or other things you are watching or listening to

RLG Faith and religion

SPRT Sports

HLTH Personal health

ASK FORM 2 (XFORM=2):

NAT Issues and problems facing the country
LOC Issues and problems facing your local area
FAM What's happening with your family and friends

CELEB Celebrities and famous people MONEY Money and personal finances

PETS Pets

RESPONSE OPTIONS:

1 A lot 2 A little 3 Not at all

¹ Open-end responses are excluded from public datasets to protect the confidentiality of ATP panelists.

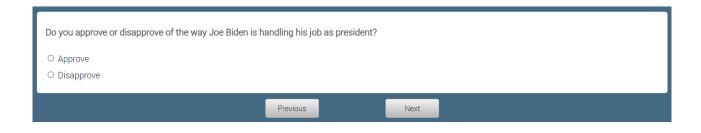
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Thinking about when you get together with family or close friends, how much do you talk about each of the following topics?
Personal health
O A lot
○ A little
○ Not at all
Jobs, work or school
O A lot
○ A little
O Not at all
Faith and religion
O A lot
○ A little
○ Not at all
Sports
O A lot
O A little
○ Not at all
Movies, TV shows, music or other things you are watching or listening to
○ A lot
O A little
○ Not at all
Political issues
O A lot
○ A little
○ Not at all
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Celebrities and famous people
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O A little
O Not at all
Pets
O A lot
O A little
O Not at all
Money and personal finances
○ A lot
○ A little
O Not at all
Issues and problems facing your local area
○ A lot
O A little
O Not at all
What's happening with your family and friends
O A lot
○ A little
○ Not at all
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Do you approve or disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling his job as president? POL1JB

- 1
- Approve Disapprove 2



ASK IF POL1JB=1,2:

POL1JBSTR Do you [IF POL1JB=1: approve; IF POL1JB=2: disapprove] of the way Joe Biden is handling his job as president...

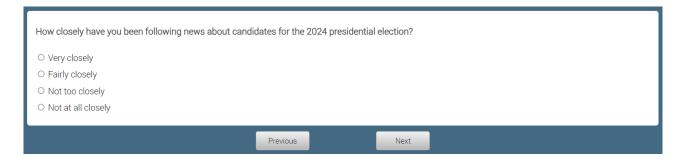
- 1 Very strongly
- 2 Not so strongly



ASK FORM 2 (XFORM=2):

CAMPNII How closely have you been following news about candidates for the 2024 presidential election?

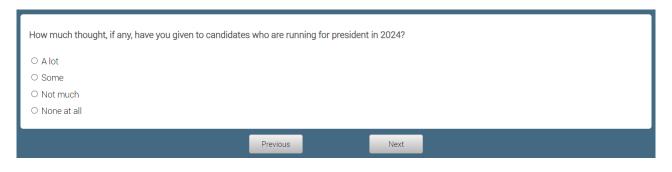
- 1 Very closely
- 2 Fairly closely
- 3 Not too closely
- 4 Not at all closely



ASK FORM 1 (XFORM=1):

PRZCMPGN How much thought, if any, have you given to candidates who are running for president in 2024?

- 1 A lot
- 2 Some
- 3 Not much
- 4 None at all



MATTERS

Thinking about how you feel about the 2024 presidential election and the next president, 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]

Thinking about how you feel about the 2024 presidential election and the next president, where would you place yourself on the following scale?
○ 1 - Doesn't really matter who wins
O 2
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○ 4 - Really matters who wins
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ASK IF CITIZEN (XCITIZEN=1)2:

VOTEGEN If the 2024 presidential election were being held today, would you vote for...

[RANDOMIZE OPTIONS 1 AND 2 WITH OPTION 3 ALWAYS LAST]

- 1 Donald Trump, the Republican
- 2 Joe Biden, the Democrat
- 3 Vote for neither/Other [ANCHOR]

If the 2024 presidential election were being held today, would	d you vote for		
Donald Trump, the RepublicanJoe Biden, the DemocratVote for neither/Other			
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ASK IF NEITHER/OTHER CANDIDATE OR SKIPPED VOTEGEN (VOTEGEN=3, 99)

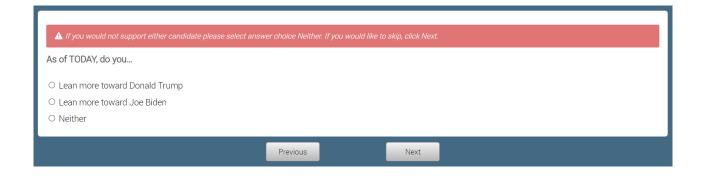
VOTEGEN3 As of TODAY, do you... [SHOW OPTIONS IN SAME ORDER AS VOTEGEN]

- 1 Lean more toward Donald Trump
- 2 Lean more toward Joe Biden
- 3 Neither

Programming Note: Display choice 3 (Neither) only if the question is skipped without selecting choice 1 or 2

Soft Prompt: If you would not support either candidate please select answer choice Neither. If you would like to skip, click Next.

² In the W146 dataset, VOTEGEN is filtered on registered voters (F REG=1).



[RANDOMIZE ORDER OF QUALPRES_TRMP AND QUALPRES_BIDEN ON DIFFERENT PAGES]

ASK ALL:

QUALPRES_TRMP Thinking about the qualities needed to effectively serve another term as

president, how confident are you that <u>Donald Trump</u>... [RANDOMIZE ITEMS IN SAME ORDER AS QUALPRES_BDN; RANDOMIZE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-5 OR 5-1]

MF Has the mental fitness needed to do the job PHY Has the physical fitness needed to do the job

ADV Picks good advisors ETH Acts ethically in office

RSP Respects the country's democratic values

RESPONSE OPTIONS:

- 1 Extremely confident
- 2 Very confident
- 3 Somewhat confident
- 4 Not too confident
- 5 Not at all confident

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ASK ALL:

QUALPRES_BDN Thinking about the qualities needed to effectively serve another term as

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RESPONSE OPTIONS:

- 1 Extremely confident
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ELECTFTIGUE Thinking about the coverage of the presidential campaign and candidates, which comes closer to your view? [RANDOMIZE]

- I like seeing a lot of coverage of the campaign and candidates
- 2 I am worn out by so much coverage of the campaign and candidates



ASK ALL:

CMFRT_LIST

Thinking about things that sometimes happen in society, is each of the following something you are comfortable or uncomfortable with?

[RANDOMIZE ITEMS]

ASK FORM 1 (XFORM=1):

Someone using the pronouns "they/them" instead of "he" or "she" to describe PRN themselves

ENG People speaking a language other than English in public places in your community ASK FORM 2 (XFORM=2):

PRY Someone you don't know well saying they will keep you in their prayers

Women not taking their husbands' last names when they get married MDN

RESPONSE OPTIONS:

- Comfortable 1
- 2 Uncomfortable

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○ Comfortable
O Uncomfortable
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ASK FORM 2 (XFORM=2):

GOVSIZE1 If you had to choose, would you rather have... **[RANDOMIZE]**

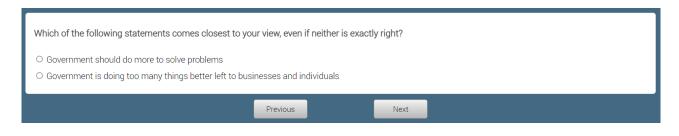
- 1 A smaller government providing fewer services
- 2 A bigger government providing more services



ASK FORM 1 (XFORM=1):

GOVT_ROLE Which of the following statements comes closest to your view, even if neither is exactly right? [RANDOMIZE]

- 1 Government should do more to solve problems
- 2 Government is doing too many things better left to businesses and individuals



USEXCEPT Which of these statements best describes your opinion about the United States? [RANDOMIZE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-3 OR 3-1]

- 1 The U.S. stands above all other countries in the world
- The U.S. is one of the greatest countries in the world, along with some others
- There are other countries that are better than the U.S.

Which of these statements best describes your opinion about the United States?

O There are other countries that are better than the U.S.

O The U.S. is one of the greatest countries in the world, along with some others

O The U.S. stands above all other countries in the world

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[DISPLAY REGULATE, ALLIES, DISCRIM, USASOLVE, GOVWASTE AND RELIG_GOV ON ONE PAGE WITH SOME SORT OF VISUAL DIVIDER BETWEEN ITEMS]

ASK ALL:

Next are some pairs of statements asking 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].

[Please select one item from each pair]

ASK FORM 1 (XFORM=1):

REGULATE	`1 2	Government regulation of business is necessary to protect the public interest Government regulation of business usually does more harm than good
ALLIES	1	In foreign policy, the U.S. should take into account the interests of its allies even if it means making compromises with them
	2	In foreign policy, the U.S. should follow its own national interests even when its allies strongly disagree
DISCRIM	1	Racial discrimination is the main reason why many Black people can't get ahead these days
	2	Black people who can't get ahead in this country are mostly responsible for their own condition

ASK FORM 2 (XFORM=2):

USASOLVE

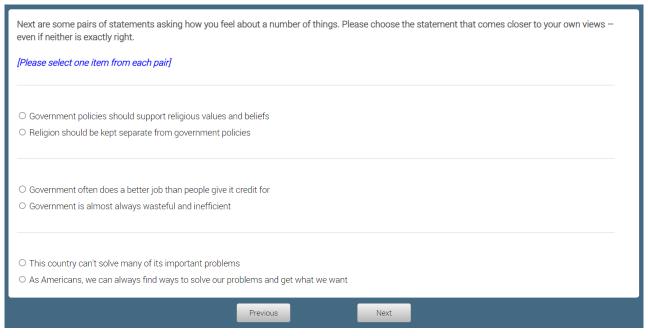
- 1 As Americans, we can always find ways to solve our problems and get what we want
- 2 This country can't solve many of its important problems

GOVWASTE 1 Government is almost always wasteful and inefficient

- 2 Government often does a better job than people give it credit for
- RELIG GOV 1 Religion should be kept separate from government policies
 - 2 Government policies should support religious values and beliefs

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DIVERSEPOP_MOD In general, do you think the fact that the U.S. population is made up of people of

many different races, ethnicities and religions... [RANDOMIZE 1 AND 2, 3

ALWAYS LAST]

- 1 Strengthens American society
- Weakens American society
- 3 Doesn't make much difference [anchor]

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ASK ALL:

POLICY3MOD In general, would you say experts who study a subject for many years are... **[DO NOT RANDOMIZE]**

- 1 Usually <u>better</u> at making good policy decisions about that subject than other people
- 2 Usually worse at making good policy decisions about that subject than other people
- Neither better nor worse at making good policy decisions about that subject than other people

In general, would you say experts who study a subject for many years are
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[RANDOMIZE ORDER OF PRESGOODBIDEN, PRESGOODTRUMP; DISPLAY ON SAME PAGE]

ASK ALL:

PRESGOODTRUMP Regardless of who you currently support in the election, do you think Donald Trump was a...

- 1 Great president
- 2 Good president
- 3 Average president
- 4 Poor president
- 5 Terrible president

PRESGOODBIDEN Regardless of who you currently support in the election, do you think Joe Biden is a ...

- 1 Great president
- 2 Good president
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DISPLAY OPENIDEN, NECCGOD, BUSPROFIT, GAINS, ACTIVE, GOVNEEDY AND MARRFAM ON ONE PAGE WITH SOME SORT OF VISUAL DIVIDER BETWEEN ITEMS

ASK ALL:

OPENIDEN

Again, 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].

America's openness to people from all over the world is essential to who we

[Please select one item from each pair]

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	2	are as a nation If America is too open to people from all over the world, we risk losing our identity as a nation	
ASK FORM 1	(XFORM	I=1):	
NECCGOD	1	It is <u>not</u> necessary to believe in God in order to be moral and have good	
	values 2	It <u>is</u> necessary to believe in God in order to be moral and have good values	
BUSPROFIT	1 2	Business corporations make too much profit Most corporations make a fair and reasonable amount of profit	
GAINS	1 2	The gains women have made in society have come at the expense of men The gains women have made in society have <u>not</u> come at the expense of men	
ASK FORM 2	(XFORM	l=2):	
ACTIVE	1 2	It's best for the future of our country to be active in world affairs We should pay less attention to problems overseas and concentrate on problems here at home	
GOVNEEDY	1	The government should do more to help needy Americans, even if it means going deeper into debt	
	2	The government today can't afford to do much more to help the needy	
MARRFAM	1 2	Society is better off if people make marriage and having children a priority Society is just as well off if people have priorities other than marriage and children	

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Again, please choose the statement that comes closer to your own views – even if neither is exactly right. [Please select one item from each pair]			
O The gains women have made in society have <u>not</u> come at the expense of men O The gains women have made in society have come at the expense of men			
Most corporations make a fair and reasonable amount of profit Business corporations make too much profit			
 It is <u>not</u> necessary to believe in God in order to be moral and have good values It <u>is</u> necessary to believe in God in order to be moral and have good values 			
 If America is too open to people from all over the world, we risk losing our identity as a nation America's openness to people from all over the world is essential to who we are as a nation 			
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Again, please choose the statement that comes closer to your own views — even if neither is exactly right. [Please select one item from each pair]			
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ASK FORM 1 (XFORM=1):

US ACTIVE

How important is it for the U.S. to take an active role in world affairs? [RANDOMIZE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-5 OR 5-1 IN SAME ORDER AS QUALPRES_TRMP]

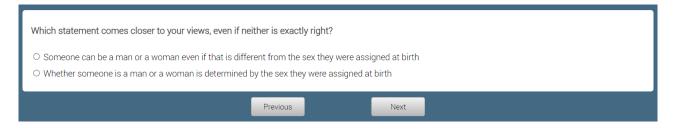
- 1 Extremely important
- 2 Very important
- 3 Somewhat important
- 4 Not too important
- 5 Not at all important

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O Not at all important				
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ASK ALL:

TRANSGEND1 Which statement comes closer to your views, even if neither is exactly right? [RANDOMIZE RESPONSE OPTIONS]

- 1 Whether someone is a man or a woman is determined by the sex they were assigned at hirth
- 2 Someone can be a man or a woman even if that is different from the sex they were assigned at birth



ASK FORM 1 (XFORM=1):

AMDREAM1 The term "American Dream" can mean different things to different people.

However you define it, do you believe... [RANDOMIZE RESPONSE OPTIONS]

- 1 You have achieved the American Dream
- 2 You're on your way to achieving the American Dream
- 3 The American Dream is out of reach for you

The term "American Dream" can mean different things to different people.				
However you define it, do you believe				
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ASK FORM 2 (XFORM=2):

AMDREAMPOSS

The term "American Dream" can mean different things to different people.

However you define it, do you think the American Dream... [RANDOMIZE OPTIONS 1-3 AND 3-1]

- 1 Is still possible for people to achieve
- Was once possible for people to achieve but isn't anymore
- 3 Was never possible for people to achieve



ASK ALL:

CONCEDE

Thinking about the results of the presidential election this November, how important do you think it is for a losing candidate to publicly acknowledge the winner as the legitimate president of the country?

- 1 Very important
- 2 Somewhat important
- 3 Not too important
- 4 Not at all important

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ASK FORM 2 (XFORM=2):

IVF_GDBD

As you may know, in vitro fertilization (IVF) is a type of medical procedure that is used by some people to become pregnant, often when they are unable to get pregnant on their own. In most cases, multiple embryos are created in this process.

All in all, do you think people having access to IVF is a... [RANDOMIZE 1 & 2, 3 ALWAYS LAST]

- 1 Good thing
- 2 Bad thing
- 3 Not sure [ANCHOR]

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Good thing

Not sure

ASK FORM 1 (XFORM=1):

RGHTCNTRL What do you think is more important? [RANDOMIZE]

- 1 To protect the right of Americans to own guns
- 2 To control gun ownership



ASK FORM 2 (XFORM=2):

GUNIMPCT Overall, does gun ownership do more to... [RANDOMIZE]

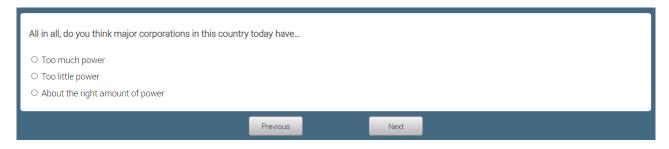
- 1 Increase safety by allowing law-abiding citizens to protect themselves
- 2 Reduce safety by giving too many people access to firearms and increasing misuse



ASK FORM 1 (XFORM=1):

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

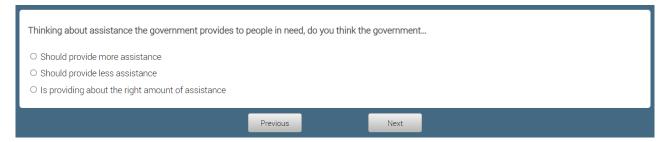
- 1 Too little power
- 2 Too much power
- 3 About the right amount of power **[anchor]**



ASK FORM 2 (XFORM=2):

POORASSIST Thinking about assistance the government provides to people in need, do you think the government... [RANDOMIZE OPTIONS 1 AND 2, WITH 3 ALWAYS LAST]

- 1 Should provide more assistance
- 2 Should provide less assistance
- 3 Is providing about the right amount of assistance [ANCHOR]



ASK FORM 1 (XFORM=1):

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

- 1 U.S. policies should try to keep it so America is the only military superpower
- 2 It would be acceptable if another country became as militarily powerful as the U.S.



ASK ALL:

SOCIETY Do you think each of the following is generally good or bad for our society? **[SHOW**

ITEMS ON TWO PAGES AS SET BELOW; RANDOMIZE ITEMS WITHIN PAGES AND RANDOMIZE ORDER OF PAGES; RANDOMIZE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-5 OR 5-1]

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ASK FORM 1 (XFORM=1):

SOCIETYSSM Same-sex marriages being legal in the U.S.

SOCIETYRELG A decline in the share of Americans belonging to an organized religion

ASK FORM 2 (XFORM=2):

SOCIETYLGB More people feeling comfortable identifying as gay, lesbian, or bisexual than in

the past

SOCIETYWHT White people declining as a share of the U.S. population

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ASK FORM 1 (XFORM=1):

SOCIETYEC More people using electric vehicles instead of gasoline vehicles

SOCIETYBC Birth control pills, condoms and other forms of contraception being widely

available

SOCIETYTHER More people openly discussing mental health and well-being

ASK FORM 2 (XFORM=2):

SOCIETYCHILD People having fewer children

SOCIETYAI Increased use of artificial intelligence (AI) in daily life SOCIETYGUNS An increase in the number of guns in the U.S.

RESPONSE OPTIONS:

1 Very good for society

- Somewhat good for society
- 3 Neither good nor bad for society
- 4 Somewhat bad for society
- 5 Very bad for society

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ASK FORM 1 (XFORM=1):

PROBOFF

How much of a problem, if any, would you say each of the following is in the country today? [ALWAYS ASK ITEMS IN THIS ORDER ON SAME PAGE]

- a. People being too easily offended by things others say
- b. People saying things that are very offensive to others

RESPONSE OPTIONS:

- 1 Major problem
- 2 Minor problem
- 3 Not a problem

How much of a problem, if any, would you say each of the following is in the country today?				
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[RANDOMIZE ORDER OF POLINTOL2_REP, POLINTOL2_REP; DISPLAY ON SAME PAGE]

ASK FORM 2 (XFORM=2):

POLINTOL2_REP

In general, how comfortable do you think <u>Republicans</u> in this country are to freely and openly express their political views?

- 1 Very comfortable
- 2 Somewhat comfortable
- 3 Not too comfortable
- 4 Not at all comfortable

POLINTOL2_DEM

In general, how comfortable do you think <u>Democrats</u> in this country are to freely and openly express their political views?

- 1 Very comfortable
- 2 Somewhat comfortable
- 3 Not too comfortable
- 4 Not at all comfortable

In general, how comfortable do you think <u>Republicans</u> in this country are to freely and openly express their political views?				
○ Very comfortable				
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O Not too comfortable				
O Not at all comfortable				
In general, how comfortable do you think <u>Democrats</u> in this country are to freely and openly express their political views? O Very comfortable				
O Somewhat comfortable				
O Not too comfortable				
O Not at all comfortable				
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ABRTLGL Do you think abortion should be... [RANDOMIZE DISPLAY OF OPTIONS 1-4 AND 4-1]

- 1 Legal in all cases
- 2 Legal in most cases
- 3 Illegal in most cases
- 4 Illegal in all cases

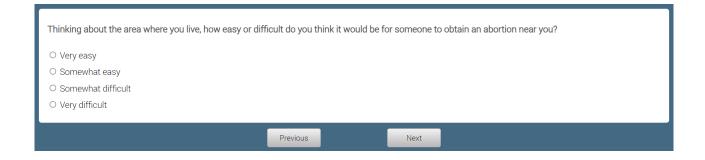


ASK ALL:

ABORTION3

Thinking about the area where you live, how easy or difficult do you think it would be for someone to obtain an abortion near you? [RANDOMIZE RESPONSE ORDER FOR 1-4 OR 4-1 FOR RANDOM HALF SAMPLE]

- 1 Very difficult
- 2 Somewhat difficult
- 3 Somewhat easy
- 4 Very easy

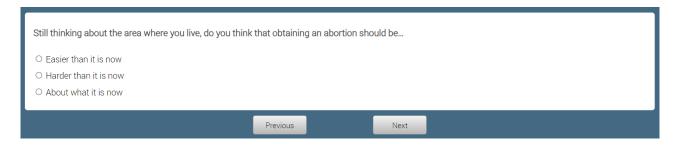


ASK FORM 1:

ABORTION4

Still thinking about the area where you live, do you think that obtaining an abortion should be... [REVERSE ORDER OF 1 AND 2 FOR RANDOM HALF SAMPLE]

- 1 Harder than it is now
- 2 Easier than it is now
- 3 About what it is now [anchor]



ASK FORM 2:

ABRTN_MED

Do you think medication abortion – that is, the use of a prescription pill or a series of pills to end a pregnancy – should be legal or illegal in your state? [ROTATE 1 AND 2, WITH OPTION 3 ALWAYS LAST]

- 1 Legal
- 2 Illegal
- 3 Not sure [ANCHOR]

Do you think medication abortion — that is, the use of a prescription pill or a series of pills to end a pregnancy — should be legal or illegal in your state?

O Illegal
O Legal
O Not sure

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ASK FORM 2 (XFORM=2):

POLIMPT Thinking about policing and law enforcement in this country, how important is each of

the following? [RANDOMIZE ITEMS; RANDOMIZE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-5 OR 5-1 $\,$

IN SAME ORDER AS QUALPRES_TRMP]

SFE Keeping communities safe

RGHT Protecting the rights of people suspected of crimes
RCL Treating people of all racial and ethnic groups equally

RESP Maintaining public respect for police officers

RESPONSE OPTIONS:

- 1 Extremely important
- 2 Very important
- 3 Somewhat important
- 4 Not too important
- 5 Not at all important

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O Very important					
O Extremely important					
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O Very important					
O Extremely important					
Maintaining public respect for police officers					
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O Extremely important					
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ASK FORM 2 (XFORM=2):

GLBLZE

Thinking about increased trade of goods and services between the U.S. and other nations in recent decades...

Some say the U.S. has gained from increased trade because it has helped lower prices and increased the competitiveness of some U.S. businesses.

Others say the U.S. has lost out from increased trade because it has cost jobs in manufacturing and other industries and lowered wages for some U.S. workers.

All in all, would you say that the U.S. has...

- 1 Gained more than it has lost from increased trade
- 2 Lost more than it has gained from increased trade

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ASK FORM 1 (XFORM=1):

GLBLZEREV

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All in all, would you say that the U.S. has...

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ASK ALL:

RACESURV17 How much, if at all, do you think the legacy of slavery affects the position of Black people in American society today?

- 1 A great deal
- 2 A fair amount
- 3 Not much
- 4 Not at all

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ASK ALL:

CLMSRS1 In your view, is global climate change a...

- 1 Extremely serious problem
- 2 Very serious problem
- 3 Somewhat serious problem
- 4 Not too serious problem
- 5 Not a problem

In your view, is global climate change a			
Extremely serious problem			
O Very serious problem			
O Somewhat serious problem			
O Not too serious problem			
○ Not a problem			
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FIN_SIT How would you describe your household's financial situation?

- 1 Live comfortably
- 2 Meet your basic expenses with a little left over for extras
- 3 Just meet your basic expenses
- 4 Don't even have enough to meet basic expenses



ASK ALL:

ABRTVIEW

Regardless of whether you think abortion should be legal or illegal, how well do each of the following statements describe your views? **[RANDOMIZE; SHOW ALL ITEMS ON SAME SCREEN]**

- a. The decision about whether to have an abortion should belong solely to the pregnant woman **ASK FORM 1 (XFORM=1):**
- b. Human life begins at conception, so a fetus is a person with rights **ASK FORM 2 (XFORM=2):**
- c. Human life begins at conception, so an embryo is a person with rights

RESPONSE OPTIONS:

- 1 Extremely well
- 2 Very well
- 3 Somewhat well
- 4 Not too well
- 5 Not at all well

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LGLSTATUS

Which comes closer to your view about how to handle undocumented immigrants who are now living in the U.S.? **[RANDOMIZE]**

- 1 They should not be allowed to stay in the country legally
- There should be a way for them to stay in the country legally, if certain requirements are met

Which comes closer to your view about how to handle undocumented immigrants who are now living in the U.S.?

O They should not be allowed to stay in the country legally
O There should be a way for them to stay in the country legally, if certain requirements are met

ASK IF NOT ALLOWED TO STAY IN COUNTRY LEGALLY (LGLSTATUS=1):

NATLDPRT Do you think there should be a national law enforcement effort to deport all immigrants who are now living in the U.S. illegally?

- 1 Should be national law enforcement effort to deport
- 2 Should <u>not</u> be national law enforcement effort to deport

Do you think there should be a national law enforcement effort to deport all immigrants who are now living in the U.S. illegally?

O Should be national law enforcement effort to deport

Should not be national law enforcement effort to deport

ASK IF A WAY FOR THEM TO STAY LEGALLY (LGLSTATUS = 2):

LGL_CITIZPRENSHIP And do you think immigrants who are in the U.S. illegally and meet the requirements should... **[RANDOMIZE]**

- 1 Be eligible to apply for U.S. citizenship
- 2 Be eligible to apply for permanent residency, but not U.S. citizenship

And do you think immigrants who are in the U.S. illegally and meet the requirements should...

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O Be eligible to apply for U.S. citizenship

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DISPLAY LAWCOST, ECONFAIR, WOMENOBS, GOVAID, SUCCINLIFE AND GOODEVIL ON ONE PAGE WITH SOME SORT OF VISUAL DIVIDER BETWEEN ITEMS

ASK ALL:

Again, 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].

[Please select one item from each pair]

ASK FORM 1 (XFORM=1):						
LAWCOST	1	Stricter environmental laws and regulations cost too many jobs and hurt the economy				
	2	Stricter environmental laws and regulations are worth the cost				
ECONFAIR	1	The economic system in this country unfairly favors powerful interests				
	2	The economic system in this country is generally fair to most Americans				
WOMENOBS	1	The obstacles that once made it harder for women than men to get ahead are now largely gone				
	2	There are still significant obstacles that make it harder for women to get ahead than men				
ASK FORM 2 (XFORM=2):						
GOVAID	1	Government aid to the poor does more harm than good, by making people too dependent on government assistance				
	2	Government aid to the poor does more good than harm, because people can't get out of poverty until their basic needs are met				
SUCCINLIFE	1 2	Success in life is pretty much determined by forces outside of our control Everyone has it in their own power to succeed				
GOODEVIL	1 2	Most things in society can be pretty clearly divided into good and evil Most things in society are too complicated to be clearly divided between good and evil				

Again, please choose the statement that comes closer to your own views – even if neither is exactly right.					
[Please select one item from each pair]					
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O The obstacles that once made it harder for women than men to get ahead are now largely gone					
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O The economic system in this country is generally fair to most Americans					
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O Stricter environmental laws and regulations cost too many jobs and hurt the economy					
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[Please select one item from each pair]					
O Success in life is pretty much determined by forces outside of our control					
O Everyone has it in their own power to succeed					
Most things in society are too complicated to be clearly divided between good and evil Most things in society can be pretty clearly divided into good and evil					
O Government aid to the poor does more harm than good, by making people too dependent on government assistance					
O Government aid to the poor does more good than harm, because people can't get out of poverty until their basic needs are met					
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ASK FORM 1 (XFORM=1):

CRIMJUST_TGH

Would you say that the criminal justice system in this country is generally ... **[RANDOMIZE 1 AND 2, 3 ALWAYS LAST]**

- 1 Too tough on criminals
- 2 Not tough enough on criminals
- 3 About right in its treatment of criminals [ANCHOR]



ASK FORM 2 (XFORM=2):

MILSAFE Do you think the U.S. having a strong military makes the world... [RANDOMIZE OPTIONS 1 AND 2, WITH 3 ALWAYS LAST]

- 1 More safe
- 2 Less safe
- 3 Has no impact on how safe the world is **[ANCHOR]**



ASK FORM 2 (XFORM=2):

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

- 1 A great deal
- 2 A fair amount
- 3 Not too much
- 4 Not at all

ASK FORM 1 (XFORM=1):

AMHIST Thinking about American history, how important do you think it is to have public

discussions about the country's... [RANDOMIZE ITEMS; RANDOMIZE RESPONSE $% \left(1\right) =\left(1\right) \left(1\right) \left($

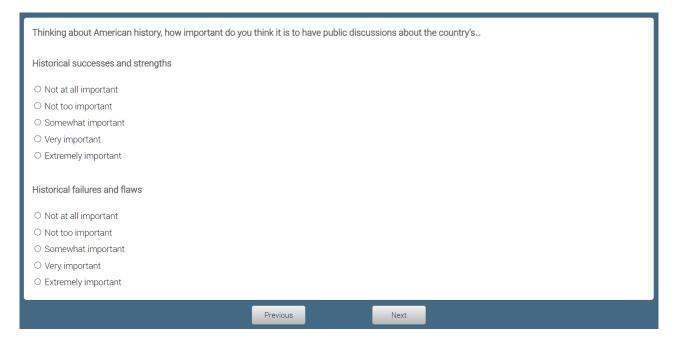
OPTIONS 1-5 OR 5-1]

FAIL Historical failures and flaws

SUCC Historical successes and strengths

RESPONSE OPTIONS:

- 1 Extremely important
- 2 Very important
- 3 Somewhat important
- 4 Not too important
- 5 Not at all important

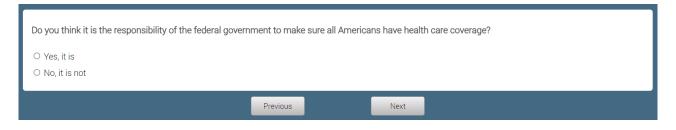


ASK FORM 1 (XFORM=1):

GOVTHC 1

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

- 1 Yes, it is
- 2 No, it is not



ASK FORM 1 IF GOVERNMENT RESPONSIBILITY (XFORM=1 & GOVTHC=1):

SNGLPYER Should health insurance... [RANDOMIZE]

- 1 Be provided through a single national health insurance system run by the government
- 2 Continue to be provided through a mix of private insurance companies and government programs



ASK FORM 1 IF NOT GOVERNMENT RESPONSIBILITY (XFORM=1 & GOVTHC=2):

NOGOVTHC Should the government... [RANDOMIZE]

- 1 Not be involved in providing health insurance at all
- 2 Continue programs like Medicare and Medicaid for seniors and the very poor



ASK FORM 2 (XFORM=2):

SOCSEC_FUT Thinking about the long term future of Social Security, do you think ... [RANDOMIZE]

- 1 Some reductions in benefits for future retirees need to be considered
- 2 Social Security benefits should not be reduced in any way



ASK IF FORM 2 REDUCTIONS (XFORM=2 & SOCSEC_FUT=1):

SOCSEC_RED Should Social Security be... [RANDOMIZE]

- 1 Phased out as a government program
- 2 Maintained at a reduced level

Should Social Security be			
Phased out as a government program Maintained at a reduced level			
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ASK IF FORM 2 NO REDUCTIONS (XFORM=2 & SOCSEC_FUT=2):

SOCSEC_KEEP Should Social Security... [RANDOMIZE]

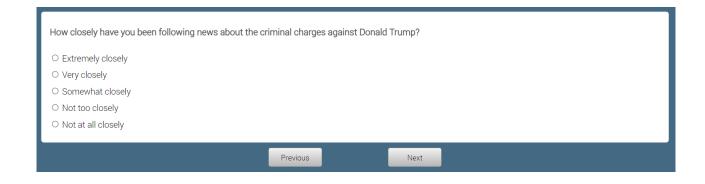
- 1 Cover more people, with greater benefits
- 2 Be kept about as it is



ASK FORM 1 (XFORM=1):

DTINDICTHRD How closely have you been following news about the criminal charges against Donald Trump? [RANDOMIZE ORDER OF RESPONSES 1-5 and 5-1 IN SAME ORDER AS QUALPRES_TRMP]

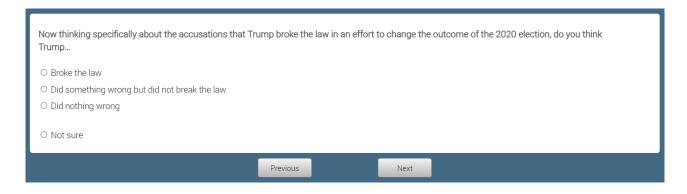
- 1 Extremely closely
- 2 Very closely
- 3 Somewhat closely
- 4 Not too closely
- 5 Not at all closely



ASK FORM 1 (XFORM=1):

DTINDICTLGL Now thinking specifically about the accusations that Trump broke the law in an effort to change the outcome of the 2020 election, do you think Trump... [RANDOMIZE ORDER OF RESPONSES 1-3 AND 3-1, 4 ALWAYS LAST]

- 1 Broke the law
- 2 Did something wrong but did not break the law
- 3 Did nothing wrong
 - [SPACE]
- 4 Not sure [ANCHOR]



ASK FORM 2 (XFORM=2):

RPLC

As you may know, Donald Trump and Joe Biden are likely to be their party's nominees for the 2024 presidential election this November.

If you had the ability to decide the major party candidates for the 2024 presidential election, would you... [ANCHOR 1 AND 4, ROTATE ORDER OF 2,3 FOR RANDOM HALF OF RESPONDENTS, ROTATE LIST FOR RANDOM HALF OF RESPONDENTS]

- 1 Replace both Trump and Biden with different candidates
- 2 Keep Biden, replace Trump with a different Republican
- 3 Keep Trump, replace Biden with a different Democrat
- 4 Keep both Biden and Trump

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Keep Trump, replace Biden with a different Democrat

Keep Biden, replace Trump with a different Republican

Replace both Trump and Biden with different candidates

ASK ALL:

SEEKPOL Which statement best describes how you get political news? [RANDOMIZE]

- I mostly get political news because I'm looking for it
- I mostly get political news because I happen to come across it



ASK ALL:

SOURCEPOL

What type of source do you get <u>most</u> of your political and election news from? **[RANDOMIZE; KEEP 6 LAST]**

- 1 Politicians and political parties
- 2 Journalists and news organizations
- 3 Friends, family, and neighbors
- 4 Celebrities and social media personalities
- 5 Ordinary people who you don't know

[SPACE]

I do not get political or election news from any of these sources [ANCHOR]

What type of source do you get most of your political and election news from?				
O Journalists and news organizations				
○ Ordinary people who you don't know				
O Celebrities and social media personalities				
○ Friends, family, and neighbors				
O Politicians and political parties				
○ I do not get political or election news from any of these sources				
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ASK FORM 1 (XFORM=1):

AGEATTN1

Thinking about the coverage of the presidential campaign and candidates, how much attention do you think news organizations are giving to each of the following? [RANDOMIZE ITEMS A-B; RANDOMIZE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1 AND 2; KEEP 3 LAST]

- a. Donald Trump's age
- b. Joe Biden's age

RESPONSE OPTIONS:

- 1 Too much attention
- 2 Too little attention
- 3 About the right amount of attention [ANCHOR]



ASK FORM 2 (XFORM=2):

AGEATTN2

Thinking about the coverage of the presidential campaign and candidates, how much attention do you think news organizations are giving to each of the following? [RANDOMIZE ITEMS A-B; ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-3 AND 3-1]

- a. Donald Trump's age
- b. Joe Biden's age

RESPONSE OPTIONS:

- 1 Too much attention
- 2 About the right amount of attention
- 3 Too little attention

Thinking about the coverage of the presidential campaign and candidates, how much attention do you think news organizations are giving to each of the following?
Joe Biden's age
○ Too little attention
O About the right amount of attention
○ Too much attention
Donald Trump's age
○ Too little attention
O About the right amount of attention
O Too much attention
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CODEBOOK FOR ATP SAMPLE VARIABLES TO BE USED IN SURVEY PROGRAMMING LOGIC

XFORM

- 1 Form 1
- 2 Form 2

Note: Flag to randomly assign panelists to one of two forms (Form 1, Form 2) and weight within form ATP source: Randomly assigned for each survey.

XCITIZEN

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 99 Refused

Note: Flag to identify citizens filtered on VOTEGENA, .

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