

Sample 2,059 Adults
 Conducted September 26-27, 2019
 Margin of Error $\pm 2.3\%$

1. Generally, are you optimistic or pessimistic about the next year for the United States?

Optimistic	61%
Pessimistic	39%

2. How would you rate the condition of the national economy today?

Very good	23%
Fairly good	38%
Fairly bad	21%
Very bad	8%
Not sure	9%

3. How much have you heard or read about Congressional Democrats starting an impeachment inquiry into Donald Trump?

A lot	46%
Some	40%
Not much or none	14%

4. Do you approve or disapprove of Congressional Democrats starting an impeachment inquiry into Donald Trump?

Strongly approve	35%
Somewhat approve	20%
Somewhat disapprove	14%
Strongly disapprove	31%

5. How did you feel when you heard Congressional Democrats were starting an impeachment inquiry into Donald Trump?

Glad it happened	33%
Satisfied, but not glad	25%
Dissatisfied, but not angry	17%
Angry about it	25%

6. As of now, do you feel a Congressional impeachment inquiry into Donald Trump is...?

Necessary	55%
Unnecessary	45%

7. How much have you heard or read about a phone call between Donald Trump and the President of Ukraine, that prompted a whistleblower complaint and the current inquiry?

A lot	46%
Some	35%
Not much or none	19%

8. How important do you think the matter involving Donald Trump's dealings with Ukraine is to the United States? Is the matter of:

Great importance	36%
Some importance	28%
Very little importance	21%
No importance at all	15%

9. From what you have heard or read so far about Donald Trump's handling of matters concerning Ukraine, do you think Donald Trump's actions have been...

Proper	28%
Not proper, but legal	31%
Illegal	41%

10. When you hear about Congress starting an impeachment inquiry into Donald Trump, does it make you...

Want to defend Donald Trump	26%
Want to wait and see what the facts show about it	35%
Suspect Donald Trump might have done something wrong	39%

11. From what you have heard or read so far about Donald Trump's handling of matters concerning Ukraine, do you think Donald Trump deserves to be impeached over his actions, does not deserve to be impeached over his actions, or is it too soon to say?

Deserves to be impeached over his actions	42%
Does not deserve to be impeached over his actions	36%
It's too soon to say	22%

12. In his handling of matters concerning Ukraine, do you think Donald Trump's goals have been mainly to...

- Protect U.S. interests and stop corruption 44%
- Help his own re-election, regardless of the impact on U.S. interests 56%

13. Compared to how past Presidents have dealt with foreign countries, do you feel Donald Trump's dealings with Ukraine are probably...

- Typical, the kind of thing most Presidents probably do with foreign countries 43%
- Unusual, something that few or no other Presidents have done with foreign countries 57%

14. By starting an impeachment inquiry into Donald Trump's handling of matters concerning Ukraine, do you think Congressional Democrats' goals are mainly to...

- Protect U.S. interests and investigate what happened 47%
- Politically damage Donald Trump's presidency and his reelection 53%

15. How much have you heard or read about Donald Trump's assertions concerning Joe Biden, Joe Biden's son, and Ukraine?

- A lot 36%
- Some 38%
- Not much or none 26%

16. From what you have heard or read so far about Donald Trump's assertions concerning Joe Biden, do you think the assertions about Biden are deserving of further investigation, not deserving of further investigation, or is it too soon to say?

- Deserving of further investigation 43%
- Not deserving of further investigation 28%
- It's too soon to say 29%

17. In terms of its time and attention, which one of these would you like to see Congress prioritize most right now:

- Health care 21%
- Trade policy 7%
- Economic policy 12%
- Immigration 26%
- Gun policy 12%
- Impeachment 21%

18. Once Congress starts the process of impeachment hearings, do you think Congress will:

Also work on other legislation and issues concerning the country	42%
Be too distracted and unable to work on other legislation and issues	58%

19. As far as you know, if the House votes to impeach the President, what do you think would happen next?

The President would be removed from office immediately	12%
The President would go on trial in the Senate	46%
It depends	19%
Not sure	23%

20. If an impeachment inquiry is happening while the 2020 campaign is going on, do you feel it will make the 2020 election...?

Better for the Democrats	34%
Better for Donald Trump	30%
No difference either way	36%

Questions held for future release.

1. Optimism

Generally, are you optimistic or pessimistic about the next year for the United States?

	Gender			Age Group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Optimistic	61%	60%	61%	57%	65%	60%	60%	60%	55%	65%
Pessimistic	39%	40%	39%	43%	35%	40%	40%	40%	45%	35%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,049)	(994)	(1,055)	(432)	(516)	(697)	(404)	(1,327)	(247)	(308)

	Party ID			Ideology			
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Optimistic	61%	48%	58%	80%	41%	61%	78%
Pessimistic	39%	52%	42%	20%	59%	39%	22%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,049)	(661)	(650)	(536)	(587)	(840)	(610)

2. Condition of National Economy

How would you rate the condition of the national economy today?

	Total	Gender		Age Group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Very good	23%	28%	19%	11%	19%	26%	38%	28%	6%	20%
Fairly good	38%	37%	39%	37%	37%	40%	37%	39%	38%	34%
Fairly bad	21%	19%	23%	27%	22%	20%	15%	19%	24%	26%
Very bad	8%	6%	9%	9%	9%	7%	6%	6%	16%	11%
Not sure	9%	9%	10%	16%	12%	6%	4%	8%	16%	8%
Totals	99%	99%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(2,054)	(995)	(1,059)	(429)	(517)	(700)	(408)	(1,330)	(251)	(308)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Very good	23%	8%	23%	48%	8%	14%	51%
Fairly good	38%	40%	39%	39%	39%	42%	33%
Fairly bad	21%	31%	22%	6%	29%	23%	11%
Very bad	8%	11%	8%	4%	14%	7%	3%
Not sure	9%	10%	8%	3%	10%	14%	2%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,054)	(664)	(653)	(537)	(586)	(845)	(611)

3. Heard about Starting Inquiry

How much have you heard or read about Congressional Democrats starting an impeachment inquiry into Donald Trump?

	Total	Gender		Age Group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
A lot	46%	50%	42%	25%	35%	52%	71%	51%	38%	32%
Some	40%	39%	41%	52%	42%	39%	26%	38%	49%	46%
Not much or none	14%	11%	17%	23%	23%	8%	3%	11%	13%	22%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,056)	(997)	(1,059)	(432)	(518)	(699)	(407)	(1,328)	(251)	(310)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
A lot	46%	51%	45%	53%	54%	32%	56%
Some	40%	40%	41%	39%	38%	44%	37%
Not much or none	14%	9%	13%	8%	8%	24%	7%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,056)	(665)	(651)	(539)	(589)	(844)	(612)

4. Approve Starting Inquiry

Do you approve or disapprove of Congressional Democrats starting an impeachment inquiry into Donald Trump?

	Total	Gender		Age Group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Strongly approve	35%	31%	38%	32%	37%	35%	34%	30%	51%	43%
Somewhat approve	20%	21%	19%	32%	28%	13%	11%	17%	25%	28%
Somewhat disapprove	14%	14%	14%	22%	17%	11%	6%	14%	13%	16%
Strongly disapprove	31%	33%	29%	14%	18%	41%	49%	39%	10%	13%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(2,055)	(997)	(1,058)	(432)	(518)	(698)	(408)	(1,329)	(251)	(309)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Strongly approve	35%	66%	27%	9%	67%	31%	9%
Somewhat approve	20%	21%	22%	14%	21%	26%	12%
Somewhat disapprove	14%	8%	17%	14%	7%	20%	12%
Strongly disapprove	31%	5%	34%	63%	5%	23%	67%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,055)	(664)	(652)	(537)	(590)	(843)	(611)

5. Feel about Starting Inquiry

How did you feel when you heard Congressional Democrats were starting an impeachment inquiry into Donald Trump?

	Total	Gender		Age Group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Glad it happened	33%	28%	37%	36%	36%	31%	28%	26%	50%	45%
Satisfied, but not glad	25%	29%	22%	38%	30%	18%	18%	22%	34%	31%
Dissatisfied, but not angry	17%	17%	17%	16%	22%	19%	9%	20%	9%	13%
Angry about it	25%	26%	24%	10%	12%	32%	45%	32%	6%	11%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(2,042)	(989)	(1,053)	(431)	(516)	(696)	(398)	(1,321)	(249)	(307)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Glad it happened	33%	61%	23%	9%	59%	30%	9%
Satisfied, but not glad	25%	30%	29%	15%	32%	31%	11%
Dissatisfied, but not angry	17%	6%	23%	23%	6%	23%	21%
Angry about it	25%	3%	25%	53%	2%	16%	58%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(2,042)	(661)	(652)	(530)	(588)	(835)	(607)

6. Inquiry Necessary

As of now, do you feel a Congressional impeachment inquiry into Donald Trump is...?

	Gender			Age Group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Necessary	55%	53%	56%	67%	60%	48%	46%	45%	82%	74%
Unnecessary	45%	47%	44%	33%	40%	52%	54%	55%	18%	26%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,048)	(995)	(1,052)	(429)	(513)	(698)	(408)	(1,327)	(249)	(306)
	Party ID				Ideology					
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative			
Necessary	55%	88%	48%	21%	89%	57%	18%			
Unnecessary	45%	12%	52%	79%	11%	43%	82%			
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%			
Weighted N	(2,048)	(664)	(647)	(536)	(588)	(840)	(609)			

7. Heard about Ukraine Phone Call

How much have you heard or read about a phone call between Donald Trump and the President of Ukraine, that prompted a whistleblower complaint and the current inquiry?

	Total	Gender		Age Group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
A lot	46%	51%	40%	29%	37%	49%	67%	48%	45%	35%
Some	35%	34%	36%	39%	37%	37%	27%	34%	40%	39%
Not much or none	19%	14%	24%	32%	26%	14%	6%	18%	15%	26%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,053)	(995)	(1,059)	(431)	(515)	(700)	(408)	(1,330)	(251)	(307)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
A lot	46%	53%	45%	50%	57%	32%	54%
Some	35%	36%	37%	33%	34%	38%	32%
Not much or none	19%	11%	18%	17%	9%	30%	14%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,053)	(664)	(651)	(536)	(588)	(844)	(610)

8. Importance of Dealings with Ukraine

How important do you think the matter involving Donald Trump's dealings with Ukraine is to the United States? Is the matter of:

	Total	Gender		Age Group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Great importance	36%	34%	37%	28%	34%	39%	39%	33%	54%	37%
Some importance	28%	27%	29%	39%	28%	23%	25%	29%	23%	31%
Very little importance	21%	22%	21%	23%	25%	19%	18%	22%	16%	21%
No importance at all	15%	17%	12%	9%	12%	18%	17%	16%	7%	11%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	99%	99%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,043)	(989)	(1,054)	(433)	(511)	(695)	(404)	(1,323)	(250)	(307)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Great importance	36%	65%	27%	11%	61%	34%	13%
Some importance	28%	23%	31%	29%	26%	31%	26%
Very little importance	21%	8%	25%	35%	10%	21%	33%
No importance at all	15%	4%	17%	24%	2%	14%	28%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,043)	(662)	(649)	(531)	(588)	(837)	(607)

9. Legality of Trump Actions

From what you have heard or read so far about Donald Trump's handling of matters concerning Ukraine, do you think Donald Trump's actions have been...

	Total	Gender		Age Group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Proper	28%	31%	25%	16%	19%	34%	41%	34%	12%	16%
Not proper, but legal	31%	29%	32%	43%	41%	24%	16%	30%	25%	38%
Illegal	41%	40%	42%	41%	40%	41%	43%	36%	62%	45%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	99%
Weighted N	(2,048)	(991)	(1,057)	(432)	(513)	(699)	(405)	(1,322)	(251)	(310)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Proper	28%	5%	30%	57%	6%	20%	60%
Not proper, but legal	31%	18%	34%	35%	20%	40%	29%
Illegal	41%	77%	36%	7%	73%	40%	11%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,048)	(662)	(650)	(535)	(588)	(839)	(610)

10. Defend Trump

When you hear about Congress starting an impeachment inquiry into Donald Trump, does it make you...

	Total	Gender		Age Group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Want to defend Donald Trump	26%	27%	25%	12%	17%	32%	41%	33%	8%	12%
Want to wait and see what the facts show about it	35%	35%	34%	46%	40%	31%	22%	34%	35%	38%
Suspect Donald Trump might have done something wrong	39%	38%	41%	42%	42%	37%	37%	33%	57%	50%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,047)	(994)	(1,053)	(433)	(514)	(696)	(405)	(1,327)	(251)	(305)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Want to defend Donald Trump	26%	3%	26%	59%	5%	16%	60%
Want to wait and see what the facts show about it	35%	25%	41%	34%	24%	45%	30%
Suspect Donald Trump might have done something wrong	39%	71%	33%	7%	71%	39%	10%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,047)	(658)	(651)	(536)	(587)	(841)	(607)

11. Deserves to be Impeached

From what you have heard or read so far about Donald Trump's handling of matters concerning Ukraine, do you think Donald Trump deserves to be impeached over his actions, does not deserve to be impeached over his actions, or is it too soon to say?

	Total	Gender		Age Group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Deserves to be impeached over his actions	42%	42%	43%	49%	49%	38%	36%	34%	65%	58%
Does not deserve to be impeached over his actions	36%	38%	33%	20%	25%	44%	51%	44%	14%	20%
It's too soon to say	22%	19%	24%	31%	25%	18%	13%	22%	21%	22%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,050)	(994)	(1,056)	(430)	(513)	(699)	(408)	(1,329)	(251)	(305)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Deserves to be impeached over his actions	42%	75%	35%	16%	74%	40%	15%
Does not deserve to be impeached over his actions	36%	8%	41%	70%	8%	28%	73%
It's too soon to say	22%	17%	24%	14%	18%	32%	11%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(2,050)	(665)	(649)	(536)	(587)	(841)	(611)

12. National Interests or Re-election

In his handling of matters concerning Ukraine, do you think Donald Trump's goals have been mainly to...

	Total	Gender		Age Group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Protect U.S. interests and stop corruption	44%	47%	41%	34%	40%	48%	53%	50%	23%	33%
Help his own re-election, regardless of the impact on U.S. interests	56%	53%	59%	66%	60%	52%	47%	50%	77%	67%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,020)	(989)	(1,031)	(414)	(507)	(695)	(405)	(1,313)	(246)	(300)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Protect U.S. interests and stop corruption	44%	13%	48%	79%	13%	40%	80%
Help his own re-election, regardless of the impact on U.S. interests	56%	87%	52%	21%	87%	60%	20%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,020)	(656)	(635)	(531)	(579)	(824)	(608)

13. Typical Foreign Policy

Compared to how past Presidents have dealt with foreign countries, do you feel Donald Trump's dealings with Ukraine are probably...

	Total	Gender		Age Group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Typical, the kind of thing most Presidents probably do with foreign countries	43%	47%	38%	43%	41%	44%	44%	47%	27%	41%
Unusual, something that few or no other Presidents have done with foreign countries	57%	53%	62%	57%	59%	56%	56%	53%	73%	59%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,040)	(987)	(1,053)	(425)	(513)	(695)	(407)	(1,321)	(251)	(303)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Typical, the kind of thing most Presidents probably do with foreign countries	43%	15%	48%	71%	17%	41%	70%
Unusual, something that few or no other Presidents have done with foreign countries	57%	85%	52%	29%	83%	59%	30%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,040)	(665)	(646)	(533)	(586)	(837)	(606)

14. National Interests or Damage Trump

By starting an impeachment inquiry into Donald Trump's handling of matters concerning Ukraine, do you think Congressional Democrats' goals are mainly to...

	Total	Gender		Age Group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Protect U.S. interests and investigate what happened	47%	44%	49%	58%	52%	41%	38%	39%	61%	65%
Politically damage Donald Trump's presidency and his reelection	53%	56%	51%	42%	48%	59%	62%	61%	39%	35%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,034)	(988)	(1,045)	(425)	(513)	(691)	(405)	(1,320)	(246)	(306)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Protect U.S. interests and investigate what happened	47%	71%	41%	20%	72%	49%	19%
Politically damage Donald Trump's presidency and his reelection	53%	29%	59%	80%	28%	51%	81%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,034)	(659)	(646)	(532)	(585)	(831)	(607)

15. Heard about Assertions against Bidens

How much have you heard or read about Donald Trump's assertions concerning Joe Biden, Joe Biden's son, and Ukraine?

	Total	Gender		Age Group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
A lot	36%	39%	32%	14%	25%	44%	57%	39%	32%	25%
Some	38%	40%	36%	45%	39%	36%	34%	37%	45%	37%
Not much or none	26%	20%	31%	41%	36%	20%	9%	24%	23%	38%
Totals	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,054)	(997)	(1,057)	(433)	(515)	(698)	(407)	(1,327)	(250)	(310)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
A lot	36%	40%	36%	41%	41%	24%	46%
Some	38%	41%	40%	36%	43%	38%	34%
Not much or none	26%	19%	24%	23%	16%	38%	20%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,054)	(662)	(653)	(537)	(588)	(845)	(610)

16. Investigate Assertions against Bidens

From what you have heard or read so far about Donald Trump's assertions concerning Joe Biden, do you think the assertions about Biden are deserving of further investigation, not deserving of further investigation, or is it too soon to say?

	Total	Gender		Age Group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Deserving of further investigation	43%	48%	40%	40%	40%	43%	52%	45%	35%	46%
Not deserving of further investigation	28%	28%	27%	20%	26%	32%	32%	27%	38%	25%
It's too soon to say	29%	24%	33%	39%	34%	25%	16%	28%	27%	29%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,047)	(990)	(1,057)	(428)	(514)	(698)	(407)	(1,321)	(250)	(309)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Deserving of further investigation	43%	28%	49%	63%	30%	35%	67%
Not deserving of further investigation	28%	46%	23%	16%	45%	25%	16%
It's too soon to say	29%	26%	28%	21%	25%	39%	17%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(2,047)	(663)	(647)	(537)	(589)	(835)	(612)

17. Congressional Priority

In terms of its time and attention, which one of these would you like to see Congress prioritize most right now:

	Total	Gender		Age Group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Health care	21%	19%	23%	23%	22%	22%	16%	22%	23%	17%
Trade policy	7%	8%	5%	8%	8%	5%	7%	7%	5%	5%
Economic policy	12%	15%	10%	18%	15%	10%	7%	12%	14%	13%
Immigration	26%	27%	26%	18%	20%	29%	39%	30%	6%	26%
Gun policy	12%	10%	13%	11%	17%	11%	8%	11%	17%	12%
Impeachment	21%	20%	22%	22%	18%	23%	22%	18%	35%	26%
Totals	99%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(2,043)	(989)	(1,054)	(428)	(517)	(694)	(405)	(1,319)	(249)	(309)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Health care	21%	20%	22%	19%	21%	26%	14%
Trade policy	7%	4%	7%	11%	6%	5%	10%
Economic policy	12%	8%	14%	13%	10%	13%	14%
Immigration	26%	8%	30%	45%	8%	22%	50%
Gun policy	12%	17%	9%	9%	15%	13%	7%
Impeachment	21%	42%	18%	3%	40%	20%	5%
Totals	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(2,043)	(658)	(647)	(539)	(585)	(838)	(609)

18. Distracted Congress

Once Congress starts the process of impeachment hearings, do you think Congress will:

	Total	Gender		Age Group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Also work on other legislation and issues concerning the country	42%	40%	44%	50%	45%	37%	40%	35%	63%	55%
Be too distracted and unable to work on other legislation and issues	58%	60%	56%	50%	55%	63%	60%	65%	37%	45%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,036)	(988)	(1,047)	(418)	(516)	(696)	(406)	(1,321)	(248)	(301)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Also work on other legislation and issues concerning the country	42%	66%	36%	19%	65%	45%	16%
Be too distracted and unable to work on other legislation and issues	58%	34%	64%	81%	35%	55%	84%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,036)	(659)	(644)	(535)	(588)	(837)	(605)

19. Happens after Impeachment

As far as you know, if the House votes to impeach the President, what do you think would happen next?

	Total	Gender		Age Group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
The President would be removed from office immediately	12%	11%	12%	18%	20%	7%	3%	7%	23%	23%
The President would go on trial in the Senate	46%	53%	39%	44%	41%	46%	56%	51%	33%	41%
It depends	19%	18%	21%	16%	13%	23%	23%	20%	21%	13%
Not sure	23%	18%	28%	22%	26%	24%	18%	22%	23%	23%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,049)	(993)	(1,056)	(426)	(517)	(699)	(408)	(1,328)	(251)	(306)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
The President would be removed from office immediately	12%	15%	8%	12%	13%	12%	9%
The President would go on trial in the Senate	46%	51%	50%	45%	59%	34%	51%
It depends	19%	17%	23%	20%	17%	20%	21%
Not sure	23%	17%	19%	22%	11%	33%	19%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(2,049)	(663)	(650)	(537)	(590)	(840)	(610)

20. Benefits most from Inquiry

If an impeachment inquiry is happening while the 2020 campaign is going on, do you feel it will make the 2020 election...?

	Total	Gender		Age Group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Better for the Democrats	34%	32%	37%	43%	36%	33%	27%	32%	47%	41%
Better for Donald Trump	30%	36%	24%	18%	24%	32%	44%	35%	15%	18%
No difference either way	36%	32%	39%	39%	40%	35%	29%	33%	38%	41%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,043)	(992)	(1,051)	(427)	(517)	(695)	(404)	(1,325)	(248)	(306)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Better for the Democrats	34%	53%	27%	26%	48%	35%	21%
Better for Donald Trump	30%	10%	35%	55%	16%	19%	58%
No difference either way	36%	37%	38%	19%	36%	46%	21%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,043)	(659)	(650)	(535)	(589)	(839)	(606)

HOW THE POLL WAS CONDUCTED AND THE MARGIN OF ERROR CALCULATED

September 29, 2019

The CBS News survey is conducted by YouGov using a nationally representative sample of 2,059 U.S. residents interviewed online between September 26-27, 2019.

This sample was weighted according to gender, age, race, and education based on the American Community Survey, conducted by the U.S. Bureau of the Census, as well as 2016 Presidential vote and registration status. Respondents were selected from YouGov's opt-in panel to be representative of all U.S. residents. The weights range from 0.2 to 2.4, with a mean of 1 and a standard deviation of 0.4.

The *margin of error* (a 95% confidence interval) for a sample percentage p based upon the entire sample is approximately 2.3%. It is calculated using the formula

$$\hat{p} \pm 100 \times \sqrt{\frac{1 + CV^2}{n}}$$

where CV is the coefficient of variation of the sample weights and n is the sample size used to compute the proportion. This is a measure of sampling error (the average of all estimates obtained using the same sample selection and weighting procedures repeatedly). The sample estimate should differ from its expected value by less than margin of error in 95 percent of all samples. It does not reflect non-sampling errors, including potential selection bias in panel participation or in response to a particular survey.