

YouGov Survey: Candidate Issue Handling



Sample 1117 U.S. adult citizens
 Conducted October 7 - 9, 2024
 Margin of Error ±3.9%

1. If you had to say, who do you think would do a better job handling the following issues as president if elected this year?

	Kamala Harris	Donald Trump	Both equally	Neither	Not sure
LGBTQ issues	47%	23%	5%	12%	12%
Abortion	47%	33%	4%	7%	8%
The environment	45%	32%	8%	8%	8%
Social issues	45%	35%	4%	7%	8%
Health Care	44%	35%	4%	10%	6%
Education	44%	35%	6%	8%	8%
Democracy	44%	37%	4%	7%	8%
Environment and energy	43%	36%	5%	8%	8%
Foreign policy	38%	44%	4%	6%	8%
Guns	38%	41%	4%	8%	8%
Natural disaster response	38%	39%	8%	6%	9%
Crime	37%	44%	5%	8%	7%
The economy	37%	46%	4%	7%	7%
The Ukraine-Russia conflict	35%	43%	3%	10%	9%
Inflation	35%	47%	4%	8%	7%
Immigration	34%	48%	2%	8%	7%
The Israeli-Palestinian conflict	31%	41%	4%	15%	10%

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Interviewing Dates	October 7 - 9, 2024
Target population	U.S. citizens, aged 18 and over.
Sampling method	Respondents were selected from YouGov's opt-in panel to be representative of adult U.S. citizens.
Weighting	The sample was weighted according to gender, age, race, education, 2020 election turnout and Presidential vote, baseline party identification, and current voter registration status. Demographic weighting targets come from the 2019 American Community Survey. Baseline party identification is the respondent's most recent answer given prior to November 1, 2022, and is weighted to the estimated distribution at that time (33% Democratic, 31% Republican). The weights range from 0.052 to 6.584, with a mean of one and a standard deviation of 0.892.
Number of respondents	1117
Margin of error	± 3.9% (adjusted for weighting)
Survey mode	Web-based interviews
Questions not reported	104 questions not reported.

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1A. Comparing Policy of Harris and Trump — LGBTQ issues

If you had to say, who do you think would do a better job handling the following issues as president if elected this year?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Kamala Harris	47%	44%	50%	49%	55%	45%	41%	43%	59%	50%	*
Donald Trump	23%	28%	19%	16%	24%	26%	24%	28%	10%	19%	*
Both equally	5%	6%	4%	7%	2%	4%	7%	6%	2%	6%	*
Neither	12%	14%	10%	11%	9%	13%	15%	12%	16%	11%	*
Not sure	12%	9%	16%	16%	10%	12%	13%	12%	13%	13%	*
Totals	99%	101%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	99%	*
Unweighted N	(1,104)	(521)	(583)	(253)	(199)	(375)	(277)	(719)	(121)	(165)	(99)

	Total	Party ID			2024 Vote Intent		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Kamala Harris	47%	85%	42%	13%	91%	14%	45%	51%	47%	62%	45%	41%	50%
Donald Trump	23%	3%	18%	51%	0%	54%	19%	21%	33%	18%	21%	25%	26%
Both equally	5%	2%	5%	9%	1%	8%	6%	6%	3%	6%	6%	5%	3%
Neither	12%	4%	20%	12%	3%	15%	16%	12%	11%	6%	14%	16%	8%
Not sure	12%	6%	15%	16%	5%	10%	15%	11%	6%	9%	14%	13%	13%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	101%	100%	101%	101%	101%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,104)	(367)	(434)	(303)	(457)	(415)	(416)	(335)	(226)	(201)	(228)	(406)	(269)

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1B. Comparing Policy of Harris and Trump — Abortion

If you had to say, who do you think would do a better job handling the following issues as president if elected this year?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Kamala Harris	47%	43%	51%	56%	55%	38%	42%	43%	62%	44%	*
Donald Trump	33%	39%	28%	21%	29%	40%	42%	41%	9%	28%	*
Both equally	4%	5%	3%	7%	4%	4%	3%	3%	11%	6%	*
Neither	7%	9%	6%	6%	5%	8%	9%	5%	8%	10%	*
Not sure	8%	4%	12%	10%	7%	11%	4%	7%	9%	12%	*
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	99%	99%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(1,107)	(519)	(588)	(253)	(198)	(376)	(280)	(722)	(121)	(166)	(98)

	Party ID			2024 Vote Intent		Family Income (3 category)			Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Kamala Harris	47%	87%	43%	8%	95%	7%	46%	51%	43%	54%	47%	40%	53%
Donald Trump	33%	3%	26%	75%	1%	76%	28%	33%	43%	27%	34%	39%	29%
Both equally	4%	4%	5%	4%	1%	4%	5%	3%	4%	4%	2%	5%	5%
Neither	7%	1%	13%	6%	1%	7%	10%	5%	6%	6%	8%	9%	4%
Not sure	8%	4%	14%	6%	2%	6%	11%	8%	4%	9%	9%	7%	9%
Totals	99%	99%	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,107)	(369)	(433)	(305)	(461)	(417)	(418)	(336)	(227)	(205)	(229)	(405)	(268)

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1C. Comparing Policy of Harris and Trump — The environment

If you had to say, who do you think would do a better job handling the following issues as president if elected this year?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Kamala Harris	45%	44%	47%	50%	54%	41%	38%	40%	63%	43%	*
Donald Trump	32%	35%	28%	17%	27%	40%	39%	38%	10%	27%	*
Both equally	8%	9%	6%	16%	5%	3%	8%	8%	9%	9%	*
Neither	8%	9%	8%	7%	8%	8%	10%	8%	7%	12%	*
Not sure	8%	4%	11%	10%	7%	8%	5%	6%	11%	10%	*
Totals	101%	101%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	*
Unweighted N	(1,107)	(523)	(584)	(254)	(199)	(378)	(276)	(722)	(120)	(166)	(99)

	Total	Party ID			2024 Vote Intent		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Kamala Harris	45%	87%	39%	7%	94%	6%	45%	47%	44%	57%	39%	40%	50%
Donald Trump	32%	4%	25%	70%	1%	74%	28%	31%	39%	27%	32%	36%	28%
Both equally	8%	3%	11%	8%	2%	7%	7%	7%	6%	5%	9%	7%	9%
Neither	8%	3%	13%	8%	2%	9%	11%	7%	9%	4%	10%	11%	4%
Not sure	8%	3%	12%	6%	2%	3%	9%	8%	2%	8%	9%	6%	8%
Totals	101%	100%	100%	99%	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%	101%	99%	100%	99%
Unweighted N	(1,107)	(369)	(434)	(304)	(459)	(416)	(416)	(335)	(228)	(202)	(228)	(408)	(269)

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1D. Comparing Policy of Harris and Trump — Social issues

If you had to say, who do you think would do a better job handling the following issues as president if elected this year?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Kamala Harris	45%	43%	47%	49%	54%	40%	40%	39%	64%	50%	*
Donald Trump	35%	40%	31%	19%	31%	42%	47%	43%	9%	30%	*
Both equally	4%	5%	4%	11%	2%	4%	2%	4%	9%	4%	*
Neither	7%	8%	6%	10%	5%	5%	9%	6%	8%	7%	*
Not sure	8%	5%	12%	12%	9%	10%	2%	7%	10%	9%	*
Totals	99%	101%	100%	101%	101%	101%	100%	99%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(1,104)	(521)	(583)	(253)	(199)	(376)	(276)	(718)	(121)	(166)	(99)

	Total	Party ID			2024 Vote Intent		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Kamala Harris	45%	89%	38%	6%	95%	4%	46%	46%	44%	57%	45%	38%	49%
Donald Trump	35%	3%	28%	78%	0%	81%	31%	34%	42%	29%	37%	39%	31%
Both equally	4%	2%	6%	5%	1%	5%	5%	5%	3%	3%	4%	5%	4%
Neither	7%	1%	14%	5%	1%	6%	9%	7%	6%	3%	7%	8%	7%
Not sure	8%	4%	14%	6%	2%	4%	9%	8%	5%	7%	7%	9%	9%
Totals	99%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,104)	(368)	(434)	(302)	(459)	(414)	(418)	(334)	(226)	(203)	(228)	(405)	(268)

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1E. Comparing Policy of Harris and Trump — Health Care

If you had to say, who do you think would do a better job handling the following issues as president if elected this year?

	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)				
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Kamala Harris	44%	43%	46%	52%	51%	38%	38%	38%	64%	49%	*
Donald Trump	35%	38%	33%	19%	31%	44%	43%	43%	10%	27%	*
Both equally	4%	5%	4%	9%	2%	5%	2%	4%	5%	9%	*
Neither	10%	12%	8%	11%	10%	7%	11%	10%	11%	7%	*
Not sure	6%	3%	10%	9%	6%	6%	5%	5%	10%	8%	*
Totals	99%	101%	101%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(1,111)	(521)	(590)	(251)	(200)	(381)	(279)	(725)	(121)	(166)	(99)

	Total	Party ID			2024 Vote Intent		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Kamala Harris	44%	89%	37%	5%	94%	3%	45%	45%	42%	54%	40%	38%	51%
Donald Trump	35%	4%	28%	77%	1%	84%	30%	35%	46%	31%	35%	40%	31%
Both equally	4%	2%	5%	7%	1%	5%	5%	3%	4%	3%	5%	5%	3%
Neither	10%	4%	18%	6%	3%	6%	12%	11%	5%	5%	12%	12%	8%
Not sure	6%	2%	11%	5%	2%	2%	7%	7%	2%	7%	9%	5%	7%
Totals	99%	101%	99%	100%	101%	100%	99%	101%	99%	100%	101%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,111)	(368)	(437)	(306)	(462)	(420)	(420)	(334)	(231)	(205)	(230)	(408)	(268)

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1F. Comparing Policy of Harris and Trump — Education

If you had to say, who do you think would do a better job handling the following issues as president if elected this year?

	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)				
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Kamala Harris	44%	41%	47%	48%	52%	40%	38%	39%	65%	43%	*
Donald Trump	35%	39%	31%	18%	29%	42%	46%	43%	9%	29%	*
Both equally	6%	8%	4%	12%	4%	4%	5%	6%	8%	6%	*
Neither	8%	8%	7%	11%	7%	6%	7%	7%	8%	12%	*
Not sure	8%	4%	11%	12%	8%	8%	3%	6%	9%	10%	*
Totals	101%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	99%	101%	99%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(1,111)	(523)	(588)	(254)	(200)	(381)	(276)	(726)	(121)	(165)	(99)

	Party ID			2024 Vote Intent		Family Income (3 category)			Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Kamala Harris	44%	86%	37%	7%	92%	4%	48%	41%	40%	54%	43%	39%	46%
Donald Trump	35%	3%	29%	76%	1%	82%	31%	35%	42%	30%	35%	39%	31%
Both equally	6%	4%	6%	8%	2%	6%	5%	6%	7%	6%	7%	6%	6%
Neither	8%	5%	13%	4%	3%	4%	8%	10%	4%	4%	8%	9%	7%
Not sure	8%	2%	14%	6%	3%	4%	8%	8%	7%	7%	8%	7%	10%
Totals	101%	100%	99%	101%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	101%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,111)	(369)	(437)	(305)	(462)	(418)	(418)	(335)	(231)	(205)	(231)	(407)	(268)

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1G. Comparing Policy of Harris and Trump — Democracy

If you had to say, who do you think would do a better job handling the following issues as president if elected this year?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Kamala Harris	44%	39%	48%	48%	53%	37%	40%	39%	54%	45%	*
Donald Trump	37%	42%	33%	22%	29%	48%	46%	46%	12%	29%	*
Both equally	4%	5%	3%	7%	4%	4%	1%	3%	12%	3%	*
Neither	7%	8%	6%	11%	6%	5%	8%	6%	9%	10%	*
Not sure	8%	5%	11%	13%	9%	7%	5%	6%	13%	13%	*
Totals	100%	99%	101%	101%	101%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(1,108)	(521)	(587)	(253)	(199)	(379)	(277)	(723)	(120)	(166)	(99)

	Total	Party ID			2024 Vote Intent		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Kamala Harris	44%	89%	36%	4%	96%	2%	44%	44%	43%	52%	42%	38%	50%
Donald Trump	37%	3%	33%	80%	1%	89%	32%	38%	47%	32%	36%	43%	33%
Both equally	4%	3%	5%	4%	1%	3%	5%	2%	4%	2%	3%	5%	4%
Neither	7%	3%	12%	5%	1%	3%	10%	7%	4%	4%	9%	8%	6%
Not sure	8%	3%	14%	7%	1%	4%	9%	8%	3%	10%	10%	7%	8%
Totals	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	99%	101%	100%	100%	101%	101%
Unweighted N	(1,108)	(367)	(436)	(305)	(458)	(418)	(417)	(335)	(229)	(204)	(228)	(408)	(268)

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1H. Comparing Policy of Harris and Trump — Environment and energy

If you had to say, who do you think would do a better job handling the following issues as president if elected this year?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Kamala Harris	43%	40%	46%	48%	52%	37%	37%	39%	56%	40%	*
Donald Trump	36%	41%	31%	20%	27%	47%	45%	43%	16%	31%	*
Both equally	5%	6%	5%	10%	3%	4%	6%	5%	7%	8%	*
Neither	8%	10%	6%	11%	9%	6%	8%	7%	7%	13%	*
Not sure	8%	4%	12%	10%	10%	7%	5%	6%	14%	9%	*
Totals	100%	101%	100%	99%	101%	101%	101%	100%	100%	101%	*
Unweighted N	(1,109)	(523)	(586)	(254)	(200)	(376)	(279)	(725)	(120)	(166)	(98)

	Total	Party ID			2024 Vote Intent		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Kamala Harris	43%	86%	36%	4%	92%	3%	44%	43%	43%	54%	38%	36%	50%
Donald Trump	36%	3%	31%	77%	0%	84%	30%	38%	42%	29%	36%	40%	34%
Both equally	5%	2%	8%	6%	3%	4%	7%	4%	4%	3%	8%	6%	4%
Neither	8%	4%	13%	7%	3%	6%	10%	8%	7%	5%	10%	9%	7%
Not sure	8%	4%	13%	6%	3%	3%	9%	7%	4%	8%	9%	9%	6%
Totals	100%	99%	101%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	101%	100%	101%
Unweighted N	(1,109)	(371)	(434)	(304)	(463)	(416)	(417)	(337)	(227)	(203)	(230)	(408)	(268)

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11. Comparing Policy of Harris and Trump — Foreign policy

If you had to say, who do you think would do a better job handling the following issues as president if elected this year?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Kamala Harris	38%	36%	40%	37%	48%	33%	35%	33%	50%	39%	*
Donald Trump	44%	47%	41%	32%	36%	54%	51%	51%	21%	38%	*
Both equally	4%	5%	3%	9%	4%	2%	2%	3%	9%	3%	*
Neither	6%	8%	5%	11%	5%	4%	6%	5%	9%	10%	*
Not sure	8%	4%	11%	11%	7%	7%	5%	7%	12%	9%	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	101%	99%	*
Unweighted N	(1,109)	(521)	(588)	(253)	(199)	(380)	(277)	(723)	(121)	(166)	(99)

	Total	Party ID			2024 Vote Intent		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Kamala Harris	38%	82%	27%	3%	87%	1%	38%	37%	38%	47%	34%	32%	44%
Donald Trump	44%	6%	40%	91%	3%	95%	38%	47%	53%	37%	47%	48%	40%
Both equally	4%	3%	6%	2%	2%	1%	6%	3%	2%	2%	7%	5%	1%
Neither	6%	3%	13%	2%	3%	1%	10%	6%	3%	6%	5%	7%	7%
Not sure	8%	6%	14%	2%	4%	1%	9%	6%	4%	7%	8%	7%	8%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	101%	99%	100%	99%	101%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,109)	(369)	(436)	(304)	(461)	(418)	(418)	(335)	(229)	(204)	(231)	(405)	(269)

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1J. Comparing Policy of Harris and Trump — Guns

If you had to say, who do you think would do a better job handling the following issues as president if elected this year?

	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)				
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Kamala Harris	38%	33%	42%	38%	49%	32%	33%	33%	50%	40%	*
Donald Trump	41%	46%	36%	24%	34%	51%	51%	50%	10%	34%	*
Both equally	4%	5%	4%	10%	3%	5%	1%	4%	11%	4%	*
Neither	8%	10%	7%	14%	7%	5%	9%	7%	12%	13%	*
Not sure	8%	5%	11%	13%	8%	7%	5%	6%	16%	9%	*
Totals	99%	99%	100%	99%	101%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(1,111)	(521)	(590)	(253)	(199)	(380)	(279)	(725)	(121)	(166)	(99)

	Party ID			2024 Vote Intent		Family Income (3 category)			Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Kamala Harris	38%	79%	31%	1%	83%	1%	38%	37%	39%	49%	34%	33%	41%
Donald Trump	41%	5%	34%	90%	2%	93%	36%	42%	50%	35%	44%	45%	37%
Both equally	4%	5%	5%	3%	4%	1%	5%	5%	3%	3%	5%	6%	3%
Neither	8%	7%	14%	3%	5%	3%	13%	8%	4%	7%	9%	7%	11%
Not sure	8%	5%	16%	3%	5%	2%	9%	7%	4%	6%	8%	9%	8%
Totals	99%	101%	100%	100%	99%	100%	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,111)	(370)	(435)	(306)	(460)	(419)	(417)	(335)	(231)	(204)	(231)	(406)	(270)

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1K. Comparing Policy of Harris and Trump — Natural disaster response

If you had to say, who do you think would do a better job handling the following issues as president if elected this year?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Kamala Harris	38%	35%	41%	37%	50%	30%	36%	33%	54%	35%	*
Donald Trump	39%	43%	35%	22%	32%	51%	46%	47%	13%	33%	*
Both equally	8%	10%	7%	18%	5%	6%	5%	8%	11%	10%	*
Neither	6%	7%	5%	8%	7%	4%	6%	5%	7%	10%	*
Not sure	9%	5%	13%	15%	7%	8%	7%	7%	15%	11%	*
Totals	100%	100%	101%	100%	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	*
Unweighted N	(1,110)	(524)	(586)	(253)	(200)	(379)	(278)	(725)	(121)	(166)	(98)

	Party ID			2024 Vote Intent		Family Income (3 category)			Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Kamala Harris	38%	81%	27%	3%	88%	0%	39%	37%	37%	46%	34%	33%	43%
Donald Trump	39%	4%	34%	83%	1%	92%	34%	40%	49%	34%	38%	45%	35%
Both equally	8%	6%	13%	6%	6%	4%	8%	9%	9%	10%	8%	7%	9%
Neither	6%	3%	12%	2%	2%	1%	8%	7%	3%	4%	6%	7%	5%
Not sure	9%	6%	15%	6%	4%	3%	12%	7%	2%	6%	13%	9%	8%
Totals	100%	100%	101%	100%	101%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	99%	101%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,110)	(368)	(437)	(305)	(461)	(418)	(418)	(335)	(230)	(204)	(230)	(409)	(267)

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1L. Comparing Policy of Harris and Trump — Crime

If you had to say, who do you think would do a better job handling the following issues as president if elected this year?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Kamala Harris	37%	33%	41%	38%	48%	31%	34%	32%	49%	40%	*
Donald Trump	44%	48%	40%	28%	35%	55%	52%	52%	16%	37%	*
Both equally	5%	6%	3%	12%	1%	3%	2%	5%	7%	1%	*
Neither	8%	9%	6%	9%	9%	5%	7%	5%	18%	11%	*
Not sure	7%	4%	9%	13%	6%	4%	5%	5%	10%	10%	*
Totals	101%	100%	99%	100%	99%	98%	100%	99%	100%	99%	*
Unweighted N	(1,110)	(522)	(588)	(254)	(199)	(379)	(278)	(725)	(121)	(166)	(98)

	Total	Party ID			2024 Vote Intent		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Kamala Harris	37%	79%	29%	1%	82%	1%	41%	33%	35%	47%	34%	31%	43%
Donald Trump	44%	5%	39%	92%	3%	96%	38%	47%	52%	39%	47%	48%	37%
Both equally	5%	4%	6%	4%	6%	2%	2%	7%	7%	4%	3%	5%	5%
Neither	8%	7%	14%	1%	6%	1%	12%	6%	3%	4%	8%	9%	7%
Not sure	7%	5%	12%	2%	3%	1%	7%	6%	3%	5%	7%	6%	8%
Totals	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	99%	100%	99%	99%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,110)	(370)	(435)	(305)	(462)	(417)	(417)	(337)	(229)	(204)	(231)	(409)	(266)

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1M. Comparing Policy of Harris and Trump — The economy

If you had to say, who do you think would do a better job handling the following issues as president if elected this year?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Kamala Harris	37%	34%	40%	42%	43%	31%	36%	33%	51%	33%	*
Donald Trump	46%	50%	42%	29%	39%	58%	52%	53%	26%	40%	*
Both equally	4%	5%	3%	10%	4%	1%	1%	4%	3%	5%	*
Neither	7%	7%	6%	10%	7%	4%	7%	5%	9%	11%	*
Not sure	7%	3%	10%	10%	7%	6%	4%	5%	11%	10%	*
Totals	101%	99%	101%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	*
Unweighted N	(1,109)	(523)	(586)	(253)	(200)	(378)	(278)	(725)	(120)	(165)	(99)

	Total	Party ID			2024 Vote Intent		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Kamala Harris	37%	78%	29%	3%	85%	0%	38%	35%	38%	47%	35%	30%	43%
Donald Trump	46%	6%	44%	92%	2%	97%	42%	47%	53%	41%	48%	51%	38%
Both equally	4%	6%	3%	1%	3%	1%	4%	4%	2%	2%	4%	4%	4%
Neither	7%	4%	13%	2%	4%	1%	9%	7%	3%	2%	8%	8%	7%
Not sure	7%	5%	11%	2%	5%	1%	7%	7%	4%	7%	5%	7%	8%
Totals	101%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,109)	(368)	(437)	(304)	(462)	(417)	(418)	(336)	(228)	(206)	(229)	(406)	(268)

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1N. Comparing Policy of Harris and Trump — The Ukraine-Russia conflict

If you had to say, who do you think would do a better job handling the following issues as president if elected this year?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Kamala Harris	35%	34%	36%	36%	42%	31%	33%	33%	38%	33%	*
Donald Trump	43%	48%	38%	30%	35%	52%	51%	50%	21%	40%	*
Both equally	3%	3%	2%	7%	3%	1%	1%	3%	4%	3%	*
Neither	10%	10%	9%	12%	12%	7%	9%	7%	19%	12%	*
Not sure	9%	4%	14%	15%	7%	9%	7%	7%	18%	11%	*
Totals	100%	99%	99%	100%	99%	100%	101%	100%	100%	99%	*
Unweighted N	(1,109)	(523)	(586)	(254)	(200)	(377)	(278)	(724)	(121)	(166)	(98)

	Total	Party ID			2024 Vote Intent		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Kamala Harris	35%	74%	27%	3%	81%	1%	33%	38%	36%	45%	30%	29%	43%
Donald Trump	43%	6%	37%	90%	3%	94%	39%	43%	50%	37%	50%	46%	37%
Both equally	3%	4%	3%	0%	3%	1%	3%	3%	3%	2%	2%	4%	2%
Neither	10%	6%	19%	3%	6%	2%	13%	8%	9%	6%	10%	11%	10%
Not sure	9%	9%	15%	3%	7%	2%	12%	8%	3%	10%	7%	10%	9%
Totals	100%	99%	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	99%	100%	101%
Unweighted N	(1,109)	(369)	(437)	(303)	(462)	(416)	(417)	(336)	(229)	(204)	(229)	(408)	(268)

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10. Comparing Policy of Harris and Trump — Inflation

If you had to say, who do you think would do a better job handling the following issues as president if elected this year?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Kamala Harris	35%	32%	38%	37%	45%	28%	34%	30%	53%	33%	*
Donald Trump	47%	51%	43%	32%	39%	58%	52%	53%	26%	42%	*
Both equally	4%	5%	2%	8%	2%	3%	2%	4%	3%	4%	*
Neither	8%	8%	7%	12%	6%	5%	10%	7%	10%	11%	*
Not sure	7%	3%	10%	11%	8%	6%	2%	5%	9%	10%	*
Totals	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	101%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(1,108)	(520)	(588)	(253)	(198)	(382)	(275)	(723)	(120)	(166)	(99)

	Total	Party ID			2024 Vote Intent		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Kamala Harris	35%	78%	25%	2%	82%	1%	37%	33%	34%	42%	33%	30%	41%
Donald Trump	47%	7%	44%	93%	2%	97%	42%	50%	56%	41%	48%	53%	40%
Both equally	4%	4%	4%	2%	4%	0%	3%	4%	4%	3%	4%	4%	3%
Neither	8%	6%	14%	1%	7%	1%	11%	7%	4%	7%	10%	7%	8%
Not sure	7%	5%	12%	2%	4%	1%	7%	8%	3%	8%	6%	6%	8%
Totals	101%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	102%	101%	101%	101%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,108)	(367)	(437)	(304)	(461)	(418)	(417)	(335)	(229)	(204)	(229)	(407)	(268)

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1P. Comparing Policy of Harris and Trump — Immigration

If you had to say, who do you think would do a better job handling the following issues as president if elected this year?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Kamala Harris	34%	28%	40%	31%	40%	30%	38%	30%	51%	30%	*
Donald Trump	48%	55%	42%	38%	38%	60%	53%	56%	19%	45%	*
Both equally	2%	3%	1%	5%	2%	1%	1%	2%	3%	1%	*
Neither	8%	9%	8%	12%	12%	5%	7%	6%	16%	14%	*
Not sure	7%	4%	9%	15%	8%	4%	1%	5%	11%	9%	*
Totals	99%	99%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	*
Unweighted N	(1,109)	(522)	(587)	(253)	(199)	(378)	(279)	(724)	(121)	(165)	(99)

	Party ID			2024 Vote Intent		Family Income (3 category)			Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Kamala Harris	34%	73%	26%	3%	80%	1%	36%	33%	34%	43%	34%	28%	39%
Donald Trump	48%	9%	47%	94%	5%	97%	42%	52%	59%	45%	51%	52%	43%
Both equally	2%	2%	3%	0%	3%	0%	2%	2%	2%	3%	1%	2%	1%
Neither	8%	11%	12%	1%	8%	1%	14%	7%	2%	3%	8%	10%	9%
Not sure	7%	6%	12%	2%	4%	0%	7%	6%	3%	6%	5%	7%	8%
Totals	99%	101%	100%	100%	100%	99%	101%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,109)	(371)	(435)	(303)	(463)	(415)	(419)	(336)	(226)	(206)	(229)	(407)	(267)

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1Q. Comparing Policy of Harris and Trump — The Israeli-Palestinian conflict

If you had to say, who do you think would do a better job handling the following issues as president if elected this year?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Kamala Harris	31%	27%	35%	28%	37%	26%	34%	27%	43%	30%	*
Donald Trump	41%	45%	36%	26%	36%	50%	47%	48%	13%	39%	*
Both equally	4%	5%	2%	10%	3%	2%	1%	3%	7%	4%	*
Neither	15%	17%	13%	19%	17%	13%	10%	13%	19%	15%	*
Not sure	10%	5%	14%	17%	7%	9%	7%	8%	18%	12%	*
Totals	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(1,109)	(523)	(586)	(254)	(199)	(377)	(279)	(723)	(121)	(166)	(99)

	Total	Party ID			2024 Vote Intent		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Harris	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Kamala Harris	31%	68%	21%	3%	73%	0%	30%	32%	31%	35%	30%	28%	34%
Donald Trump	41%	6%	35%	85%	2%	93%	37%	41%	49%	34%	43%	45%	37%
Both equally	4%	3%	4%	4%	2%	3%	4%	3%	3%	4%	4%	3%	5%
Neither	15%	16%	24%	3%	17%	2%	18%	15%	12%	16%	13%	14%	16%
Not sure	10%	7%	16%	5%	7%	2%	11%	9%	5%	10%	10%	10%	8%
Totals	101%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,109)	(369)	(438)	(302)	(463)	(415)	(418)	(336)	(229)	(204)	(229)	(406)	(270)

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Interviewing Dates	October 7 - 9, 2024
Target population	U.S. citizens, aged 18 and over.
Sampling method	Respondents were selected from YouGov's opt-in panel to be representative of adult U.S. citizens.
Weighting	The sample was weighted according to gender, age, race, education, 2020 election turnout and Presidential vote, baseline party identification, and current voter registration status. Demographic weighting targets come from the 2019 American Community Survey. Baseline party identification is the respondent's most recent answer given prior to November 1, 2022, and is weighted to the estimated distribution at that time (33% Democratic, 31% Republican). The weights range from 0.052 to 6.584, with a mean of one and a standard deviation of 0.892.
Number of respondents	1117
Margin of error	± 3.9% (adjusted for weighting)
Survey mode	Web-based interviews
Questions not reported	104 questions not reported.