

CBS News 2016 Battleground Tracker CO, FL, IA, MI, NC, NH, NV, OH, PA, VA, WI



Sample 2458 Likely Voters *
Conducted July 15-16, 2016
Margin of Error ±2.7%

1. As you may know, Donald Trump has just chosen Mike Pence to be his Vice-Presidential running mate. From what you've heard so far, do you approve or disapprove of this choice?

Approve	34%
Disapprove	28%
Not sure yet	38%

2. How would you describe Donald Trump's choice of Mike Pence?

Bold	13%
Cautious	34%
Neither	30%
Not sure	23%

3. How would you describe Donald Trump's choice of Mike Pence?

Helps Trump's chances	37%
Hurts Trump's chances	14%
Neither	26%
Not sure	23%

4. How would you describe Donald Trump's choice of Mike Pence?

Represents change	21%
Represents politics as usual	37%
Neither	19%
Not sure	23%

*2458 likely voters were interviewed in eleven battleground states: Colorado, Florida, Iowa, Michigan, North Carolina, New Hampshire, Nevada, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Virginia, and Wisconsin.

5. How would you describe Donald Trump's choice of Mike Pence?

Brings stability to the ticket	42%
Brings uncertainty to the ticket	16%
Neither	20%
Not sure	22%

6. Would you describe Mike Pence as... ?

Exciting	11%
Boring	27%
Neither	31%
Not sure	30%

7. Would you describe Mike Pence as... ?

Too conservative for you	33%
Not conservative enough for you	6%
About right	32%
Not sure	29%

8. Would you describe Mike Pence as... ?

Qualified to be President, if needed	37%
Unqualified to be President, if needed	28%
Neither	7%
Not sure	28%

9. Does the selection of Mike Pence make your chances of voting for Donald Trump now... ?

A lot more likely	11%
A little more likely	6%
Unchanged	62%
A little less likely	2%
A lot less likely	14%
It's too soon to say	5%

10. Do you approve or disapprove of how the candidates responded to the attack in Nice, France?

	Approve	Disapprove	Haven't heard yet/Not sure
Hillary Clinton	30%	29%	41%
Donald Trump	36%	27%	37%

11. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

Very liberal	13%
Somewhat liberal	13%
Moderate	35%
Somewhat conservative	21%
Very conservative	14%
Not sure	4%

12. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a...?

Strong Democrat	26%
Not very strong Democrat	11%
Lean Democrat	9%
Independent	11%
Lean Republican	9%
Not very strong Republican	14%
Strong Republican	18%
Not sure	1%

13. Would you describe yourself as a born-again or evangelical Christian?

Yes	24%
No	72%
Not sure	4%

14. Are you male or female?

Male	48%
Female	52%

15. In what year were you born? [Age recoded from birth year]

18-29	17%
30-44	24%
45-64	40%
65+	19%

16. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

White	78%
Black	11%
Hispanic	6%
Other	4%

17. What is the highest level of education you have completed?

HS or less	24%
Some college	31%
College grad	29%
Post grad	16%

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1. VP Choice Approval

As you may know, Donald Trump has just chosen Mike Pence to be his Vice-Presidential running mate. From what you've heard so far, do you approve or disapprove of this choice?

	Total	Gender		Age group			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+
Approve	34%	40%	29%	23%	25%	40%	42%
Disapprove	28%	30%	25%	40%	30%	23%	23%
Not sure yet	38%	30%	45%	37%	46%	36%	34%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (2,455)	100% (1,183)	100% (1,272)	100% (410)	100% (594)	100% (970)	100% (481)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical	
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes	No
Approve	34%	12%	35%	61%	11%	24%	62%	52%	31%
Disapprove	28%	48%	26%	7%	59%	24%	9%	8%	31%
Not sure yet	38%	40%	40%	32%	30%	52%	29%	40%	38%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (2,455)	100% (911)	100% (698)	100% (799)	100% (621)	100% (968)	100% (866)	100% (392)	100% (2,062)

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2. Describe Choice

How would you describe Donald Trump's choice of Mike Pence?

	Total	Gender		Age group			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+
Bold	13%	13%	13%	9%	12%	14%	15%
Cautious	34%	41%	28%	40%	31%	34%	34%
Neither	30%	30%	29%	30%	29%	30%	32%
Not sure	23%	15%	30%	22%	27%	22%	20%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Weighted N)	(2,440)	(1,179)	(1,261)	(408)	(590)	(963)	(479)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical	
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes	No
Bold	13%	10%	10%	20%	9%	10%	20%	19%	12%
Cautious	34%	33%	35%	36%	38%	30%	37%	31%	35%
Neither	30%	35%	33%	22%	37%	30%	24%	22%	31%
Not sure	23%	23%	22%	22%	17%	30%	19%	29%	22%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Weighted N)	(2,440)	(904)	(695)	(794)	(616)	(962)	(862)	(391)	(2,049)

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3. Describe Choice

How would you describe Donald Trump's choice of Mike Pence?

	Total	Gender		Age group			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+
Helps Trump's chances	37%	40%	34%	28%	31%	42%	43%
Hurts Trump's chances	14%	16%	12%	19%	15%	12%	11%
Neither	26%	28%	24%	28%	27%	25%	26%
Not sure	23%	16%	30%	25%	27%	22%	20%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Weighted N)	(2,436)	(1,170)	(1,266)	(409)	(583)	(967)	(478)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical	
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes	No
Helps Trump's chances	37%	19%	39%	58%	19%	30%	58%	52%	34%
Hurts Trump's chances	14%	21%	14%	5%	25%	13%	6%	6%	15%
Neither	26%	36%	24%	16%	37%	28%	17%	17%	28%
Not sure	23%	24%	23%	21%	20%	29%	19%	25%	23%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Weighted N)	(2,436)	(906)	(695)	(788)	(621)	(957)	(859)	(383)	(2,053)

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4. Describe Choice

How would you describe Donald Trump's choice of Mike Pence?

	Total	Gender		Age group			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+
Represents change	21%	22%	20%	9%	13%	26%	30%
Represents politics as usual	37%	42%	33%	51%	39%	33%	32%
Neither	19%	20%	18%	16%	21%	20%	18%
Not sure	23%	16%	29%	23%	27%	21%	20%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Weighted N)	(2,434)	(1,176)	(1,258)	(408)	(584)	(963)	(478)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical	
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes	No
Represents change	21%	5%	19%	41%	3%	14%	41%	37%	18%
Represents politics as usual	37%	53%	39%	19%	65%	37%	18%	19%	41%
Neither	19%	22%	20%	16%	18%	18%	21%	15%	20%
Not sure	23%	20%	22%	24%	13%	31%	20%	29%	22%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Weighted N)	(2,434)	(907)	(693)	(787)	(621)	(960)	(853)	(388)	(2,046)

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5. Describe Choice

How would you describe Donald Trump's choice of Mike Pence?

	Total	Gender		Age group			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+
Brings stability to the ticket	42%	48%	36%	34%	34%	46%	49%
Brings uncertainty to the ticket	16%	18%	15%	18%	15%	16%	17%
Neither	20%	20%	20%	24%	22%	18%	20%
Not sure	22%	15%	28%	24%	29%	20%	15%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Weighted N)	(2,438)	(1,176)	(1,262)	(405)	(589)	(966)	(479)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical	
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes	No
Brings stability to the ticket	42%	21%	45%	64%	22%	32%	66%	52%	40%
Brings uncertainty to the ticket	16%	27%	14%	7%	28%	17%	8%	9%	18%
Neither	20%	29%	21%	9%	33%	21%	10%	11%	22%
Not sure	22%	23%	20%	20%	17%	30%	16%	28%	21%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Weighted N)	(2,438)	(905)	(695)	(792)	(618)	(964)	(857)	(390)	(2,049)

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6. Describe Pence

Would you describe Mike Pence as... ?

	Total	Gender		Age group			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+
Exciting	11%	12%	10%	7%	8%	13%	11%
Boring	27%	33%	22%	38%	29%	25%	23%
Neither	31%	33%	30%	23%	29%	33%	39%
Not sure	30%	22%	38%	32%	34%	29%	27%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Weighted N)	(2,431)	(1,175)	(1,256)	(405)	(584)	(966)	(476)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical	
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes	No
Exciting	11%	3%	8%	23%	2%	6%	23%	20%	9%
Boring	27%	42%	26%	13%	51%	25%	13%	12%	30%
Neither	31%	29%	36%	31%	28%	29%	36%	29%	32%
Not sure	30%	27%	30%	33%	18%	40%	28%	39%	29%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Weighted N)	(2,431)	(903)	(688)	(793)	(618)	(955)	(858)	(385)	(2,047)

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7. Describe Pence

Would you describe Mike Pence as... ?

	Total	Gender		Age group			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+
Too conservative for you	33%	37%	30%	49%	34%	28%	29%
Not conservative enough for you	6%	7%	5%	4%	6%	6%	5%
About right	32%	35%	29%	20%	26%	37%	39%
Not sure	29%	21%	37%	26%	35%	29%	26%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Weighted N)	(2,441)	(1,178)	(1,263)	(409)	(588)	(966)	(479)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical	
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes	No
Too conservative for you	33%	54%	35%	10%	75%	31%	6%	10%	38%
Not conservative enough for you	6%	6%	5%	7%	3%	4%	10%	9%	5%
About right	32%	11%	30%	57%	5%	23%	59%	48%	28%
Not sure	29%	30%	29%	26%	17%	42%	24%	32%	29%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Weighted N)	(2,441)	(905)	(694)	(795)	(617)	(960)	(864)	(390)	(2,051)

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8. Describe Pence

Would you describe Mike Pence as... ?

	Total	Gender		Age group			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+
Qualified to be President, if needed	37%	45%	29%	29%	30%	41%	42%
Unqualified to be President, if needed	28%	29%	26%	35%	29%	25%	26%
Neither	7%	6%	8%	7%	7%	6%	9%
Not sure	28%	20%	37%	28%	35%	28%	24%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Weighted N)	(2,442)	(1,178)	(1,264)	(406)	(589)	(969)	(477)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical	
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes	No
Qualified to be President, if needed	37%	12%	41%	62%	13%	26%	65%	52%	34%
Unqualified to be President, if needed	28%	48%	25%	7%	57%	27%	8%	10%	31%
Neither	7%	10%	5%	4%	8%	8%	5%	6%	7%
Not sure	28%	30%	29%	27%	22%	39%	22%	32%	28%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Weighted N)	(2,442)	(907)	(696)	(792)	(620)	(961)	(860)	(390)	(2,052)

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9. Impact on Vote

Does the selection of Mike Pence make your chances of voting for Donald Trump now... ?

	Total	Gender		Age group			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+
A lot more likely	11%	12%	10%	8%	8%	13%	13%
A little more likely	6%	7%	6%	4%	7%	7%	6%
Unchanged	62%	60%	63%	64%	64%	59%	62%
A little less likely	2%	3%	1%	4%	3%	2%	2%
A lot less likely	14%	15%	13%	14%	13%	15%	14%
It's too soon to say	5%	3%	6%	6%	6%	4%	3%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (2,457)	100% (1,183)	100% (1,274)	100% (410)	100% (595)	100% (971)	100% (482)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical	
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes	No
A lot more likely	11%	3%	10%	21%	2%	8%	20%	19%	9%
A little more likely	6%	2%	7%	9%	1%	6%	9%	8%	6%
Unchanged	62%	63%	62%	62%	63%	60%	62%	60%	62%
A little less likely	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%	3%	1%	1%	2%
A lot less likely	14%	27%	12%	2%	28%	14%	4%	5%	16%
It's too soon to say	5%	4%	5%	4%	2%	7%	4%	7%	4%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (2,457)	100% (912)	100% (699)	100% (798)	100% (623)	100% (968)	100% (866)	100% (392)	100% (2,064)

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10. Approve of how Clinton responded to the attack in Nice, France

Do you approve or disapprove of how Hillary Clinton responded to the attack in Nice, France?

	Total	Gender		Age group			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+
Approve	30%	30%	29%	27%	30%	30%	30%
Disapprove	29%	34%	24%	22%	20%	34%	36%
Not sure	41%	36%	47%	51%	50%	36%	34%
Totals	(2,453)	(1,181)	(1,273)	(410)	(592)	(971)	(481)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical	
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes	No
Approve	30%	55%	18%	11%	54%	29%	12%	12%	33%
Disapprove	29%	5%	33%	53%	7%	21%	54%	43%	26%
Not sure	41%	40%	48%	36%	39%	50%	34%	45%	41%
Totals	(2,453)	(911)	(698)	(797)	(622)	(968)	(864)	(392)	(2,062)

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11. Disapprove of how Trump responded to the attack in Nice, France

Do you approve or disapprove of how Donald Trump responded to the attack in Nice, France?

	Total	Gender		Age group			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+
Approve	36%	41%	32%	21%	27%	43%	48%
Disapprove	27%	28%	26%	32%	28%	24%	25%
Not sure	37%	31%	42%	47%	45%	33%	27%
Totals	(2,453)	(1,181)	(1,273)	(410)	(592)	(971)	(481)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical	
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes	No
Approve	36%	12%	37%	65%	8%	29%	64%	54%	33%
Disapprove	27%	47%	23%	7%	53%	26%	8%	9%	30%
Not sure	37%	41%	40%	28%	39%	45%	28%	37%	37%
Totals	(2,453)	(911)	(698)	(797)	(622)	(968)	(864)	(392)	(2,062)