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Sample 1555 Registered Voters
Conducted November 15-19, 2015
Margin of Error $\pm 4.6\%$

1. Would you say things in this country today are...

Generally headed in the right direction	21%
Off on the wrong track	71%
Not sure	8%

2. How likely is it that you will vote in the 2016 Presidential caucus in Iowa?

Definitely will vote	59%
Probably will vote	13%
Maybe will vote	9%
Probably will not vote	8%
Definitely will not vote	10%
Don't know	1%

3. In 2016, are you more likely to vote in the Democratic or Republican Presidential caucus?

Democratic	33%
Republican	34%
Neither	17%
Don't know	16%

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4. Which candidate are you most likely to vote for in the Iowa Republican Presidential caucus in 2016?

Asked of Republican primary voters

Jeb Bush	5%
Ben Carson	19%
Chris Christie	2%
Ted Cruz	21%
Carly Fiorina	4%
Jim Gilmore	0%
Lindsey Graham	0%
Mike Huckabee	1%
Bobby Jindal	2%
John Kasich	1%
George Pataki	0%
Rand Paul	2%
Marco Rubio	11%
Rick Santorum	2%
Donald Trump	30%
No preference	0%

5. Which candidate are you most likely to vote for in the Iowa Democratic Presidential caucus in 2016?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

Hillary Clinton	50%
Martin O'Malley	5%
Bernie Sanders	44%
No preference	1%

6. How would you describe your feelings right now about [First Choice Candidate Name] ... ?

Asked of Democratic and Republican primary voters

Enthusiastic about [Candidate Name]	57%
Supporting [Candidate Name] but with some reservations	36%
Considering [Candidate Name] mainly because you dislike the other choices so far	6%

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7. Which of these is your favorite thing about Donald Trump right now?

Asked of Trump supporters

His outlook for America	30%
He says things others are afraid to say	40%
His personal success story	1%
He's not a typical politician	28%
His faith and religious beliefs	0%

8. Which of these is your favorite thing about Ben Carson right now?

Asked of Carson supporters

His outlook for America	20%
He says things others are afraid to say	18%
His personal success story	2%
He's not a typical politician	29%
His faith and religious beliefs	31%

9. Regardless of whether you'd personally vote for them, which of these candidates do you feel is ready to be Commander in Chief, if elected?

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Ready	Not ready	Not sure
Ben Carson	43%	38%	19%
Donald Trump	49%	39%	12%
Ted Cruz	67%	15%	18%
Marco Rubio	51%	28%	21%
Jeb Bush	38%	46%	16%

10. Regardless of whether you'd personally vote for them, which of these candidates do you feel is ready to be Commander in Chief, if elected?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Ready	Not ready	Not sure
Hillary Clinton	84%	7%	8%
Bernie Sanders	60%	21%	19%
Martin O'Malley	23%	37%	39%

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11. If [First Choice Candidate Name] wins the Presidency, how confident are you he/she could actually do the things they're talking about?

Asked of Democratic and Republican primary voters

Very confident he/she could do them	44%
Somewhat confident, and would give him/her a chance to try	50%
Not confident yet, but electing him/her would at least send a message about the direction we need	6%

12. How much have the terrorism attacks in Paris affected your decision about whom to support for President in 2016?

Asked of Democratic and Republican primary voters

A lot	16%
Somewhat	17%
Not much	23%
Not at all	44%

13. Do you favor or oppose sending US ground troops to the Middle East to fight ISIS?

Asked of Republican primary voters

Favor	74%
Oppose	26%

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14. Do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements about Illegal immigrants? Illegal immigrants...

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Agree	Disagree
Fill jobs Americans won't do	45%	55%
Drive down Americans' wages	81%	19%
Are generally hard-working people	63%	37%
Have broken the law and should be penalized or deported	89%	11%
Harm national security	88%	12%

15. If elected, how much change would Hillary Clinton bring to the country?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

A big change	13%
Some change	61%
Not much change	26%

16. If elected, how much change would Bernie Sanders bring to the country?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

A big change	33%
Some change	49%
Not much change	18%

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17. On which of these topics **MUST** a candidate agree with you to earn your vote, and on which is it okay if there are some differences between you?

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Must agree with you	Okay with some differences
Immigration	61%	39%
Matters of faith and religion	39%	61%
Handling ISIS	71%	29%
Same sex marriage	54%	46%

18. On which of these topics **MUST** a candidate agree with you to earn your vote, and on which is it okay if there are some differences between you?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Must agree with you	Okay with some differences
Guns	43%	57%
Healthcare	70%	30%
Campaign Finance	45%	55%
Rights and equality	79%	21%
Handling ISIS	37%	63%

19. Do you think the candidates' policies toward Wall Street would be ...?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Too tough	Too easy	About right
Hillary Clinton	3%	53%	44%
Bernie Sanders	15%	14%	71%
Martin O'Malley	5%	42%	53%

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20. Which of these candidates would you invite to Thanksgiving dinner, if you could?

Asked of Democratic and Republican primary voters

	Invite	Not Invite
Donald Trump	36%	64%
Ben Carson	52%	48%
Ted Cruz	40%	60%
Marco Rubio	44%	56%
Jeb Bush	34%	66%
Hillary Clinton	44%	56%
Bernie Sanders	44%	56%

21. How do you feel about the Tea Party movement?*

Support	21%
Oppose	34%
Neutral	45%

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

Yes	39%
No	55%
Not sure	6%

23. Thinking about politics these days, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?*

Very liberal	9%
Liberal	16%
Moderate	33%
Conservative	24%
Very Conservative	13%
Not sure	5%

*Questions marked with an asterisk are only asked for respondents who had not answered in previous waves. Earlier responses were used where available.

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

Strong Democrat	22%
Not very strong Democrat	9%
Lean Democrat	10%
Independent	16%
Lean Republican	10%
Not very strong Republican	11%
Strong Republican	21%
Not sure	1%

25. Are you male or female?

Male	48%
Female	52%

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

18-29	18%
30-44	17%
45-64	41%
65+	24%

27. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

White	96%
Black	1%
Hispanic	1%
Other	2%

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

HS or less	42%
Some college	36%
College grad	15%
Post grad	7%

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1. Direction of country

Would you say things in this country today are...

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Generally headed in the right direction	21%	23%	20%	11%	21%	22%	28%	21%	*	*	*
Off on the wrong track	71%	72%	69%	83%	74%	70%	60%	71%	*	*	*
Not sure	8%	5%	10%	6%	4%	8%	12%	7%	*	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*	*
(Weighted N)	(1,554)	(741)	(813)	(274)	(270)	(643)	(367)	(1,486)	(10)	(13)	(44)

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2. Likelihood of Voting

How likely is it that you will vote in the 2016 Presidential caucus in Iowa?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Definitely will vote	59%	64%	54%	55%	52%	60%	67%	59%	*	*	*
Probably will vote	13%	12%	15%	21%	16%	10%	11%	13%	*	*	*
Maybe will vote	9%	5%	12%	10%	15%	8%	3%	9%	*	*	*
Probably will not vote	8%	8%	8%	8%	7%	10%	7%	8%	*	*	*
Definitely will not vote	10%	9%	10%	5%	9%	11%	10%	9%	*	*	*
Don't know	1%	1%	1%	0%	2%	1%	1%	1%	*	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*	*
(Weighted N)	(1,555)	(741)	(814)	(274)	(270)	(644)	(367)	(1,487)	(10)	(13)	(44)

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3. 2016 Primary Turnout

In 2016, are you more likely to vote in the Democratic or Republican Presidential caucus?

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Democratic	33%	30%	36%	29%	28%	34%	37%	32%	*	*	*
Republican	34%	40%	29%	30%	33%	36%	35%	34%	*	*	*
Neither	17%	18%	17%	12%	18%	20%	16%	18%	*	*	*
Don't know	16%	12%	19%	30%	21%	10%	12%	16%	*	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*	*
(Weighted N)	(1,555)	(741)	(814)	(274)	(270)	(644)	(367)	(1,487)	(10)	(13)	(44)

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4. First Choice Republican Candidate

Which candidate are you most likely to vote for in the Iowa Republican Presidential caucus in 2016?

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Jeb Bush	5%	6%	5%	3%	4%	7%	5%	5%	*	*	*
Ben Carson	19%	19%	19%	4%	26%	20%	19%	18%	*	*	*
Chris Christie	2%	1%	4%	0%	1%	2%	4%	2%	*	*	*
Ted Cruz	21%	24%	18%	23%	21%	23%	18%	21%	*	*	*
Carly Fiorina	4%	3%	5%	4%	1%	6%	3%	4%	*	*	*
Jim Gilmore	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	*	*	*
Lindsey Graham	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	*	*	*
Mike Huckabee	1%	1%	2%	0%	0%	1%	3%	1%	*	*	*
Bobby Jindal	2%	0%	4%	0%	7%	1%	1%	2%	*	*	*
John Kasich	1%	1%	1%	2%	0%	1%	1%	1%	*	*	*
George Pataki	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	*	*	*
Rand Paul	2%	1%	2%	3%	3%	1%	2%	2%	*	*	*
Marco Rubio	11%	12%	9%	0%	7%	14%	13%	11%	*	*	*
Rick Santorum	2%	0%	3%	0%	5%	1%	1%	2%	*	*	*
Donald Trump	30%	32%	28%	62%	25%	23%	31%	30%	*	*	*
No preference	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	*	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*	*
(Weighted N)	(657)	(371)	(286)	(80)	(114)	(297)	(166)	(630)	(0)	(6)	(21)

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5. First Choice Democratic Candidate

Which candidate are you most likely to vote for in the Iowa Democratic Presidential caucus in 2016?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Hillary Clinton	50%	40%	57%	27%	47%	51%	65%	48%	*	*	*
Martin O'Malley	5%	6%	4%	2%	1%	8%	4%	5%	*	*	*
Bernie Sanders	44%	53%	38%	70%	51%	40%	30%	46%	*	*	*
No preference	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	*	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*	*
(Weighted N)	(601)	(243)	(359)	(91)	(96)	(254)	(160)	(571)	(6)	(0)	(24)

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6. Enthusiasm for First Choice

How would you describe your feelings right now about [First Choice Candidate Name] ... ?

Asked of Democratic and Republican primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Enthusiastic	57%	59%	56%	69%	51%	55%	59%	58%	*	*	*
Supporting with reservations	36%	35%	37%	23%	42%	38%	37%	35%	*	*	*
Considering as best alternative	6%	6%	7%	7%	7%	7%	4%	6%	*	*	*
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (1,250)	100% (612)	100% (639)	100% (170)	100% (210)	100% (546)	100% (324)	100% (1,194)	*	*	*

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7. Favorite Trump Characteristic

Which of these is your favorite thing about Donald Trump right now?

Asked of Trump supporters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
His outlook for America	30%	32%	28%	*	*	31%	33%	30%	*	*	*
He says things others are afraid to say	40%	37%	44%	*	*	45%	50%	40%	*	*	*
His personal success story	1%	0%	2%	*	*	0%	0%	1%	*	*	*
He's not a typical politician	28%	31%	25%	*	*	24%	17%	29%	*	*	*
His faith and religious beliefs	0%	0%	1%	*	*	0%	0%	0%	*	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	*	*	100%	100%	100%	*	*	*
(Weighted N)	(197)	(118)	(80)	(49)	(29)	(69)	(51)	(189)	(0)	(1)	(8)

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8. Favorite Carson Characteristic

Which of these is your favorite thing about Ben Carson right now?

Asked of Carson supporters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
His outlook for America	20%	24%	14%	*	*	18%	*	18%	*	*	*
He says things others are afraid to say	18%	18%	18%	*	*	23%	*	19%	*	*	*
His personal success story	2%	1%	2%	*	*	2%	*	2%	*	*	*
He's not a typical politician	29%	27%	33%	*	*	24%	*	29%	*	*	*
His faith and religious beliefs	31%	30%	32%	*	*	33%	*	32%	*	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	*	*	100%	*	100%	*	*	*
(Weighted N)	(122)	(69)	(53)	(3)	(30)	(58)	(31)	(116)	(0)	(0)	(6)

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9. Republicans Ready to Be Commander in Chief – Ben Carson

Regardless of whether you'd personally vote for them, which of these candidates do you feel is ready to be Commander in Chief, if elected?

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Ready	43%	45%	41%	42%	58%	42%	36%	43%	*	*	*
Not ready	38%	41%	35%	43%	30%	37%	44%	38%	*	*	*
Not sure	19%	14%	25%	14%	12%	22%	21%	18%	*	*	*
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (619)	100% (350)	100% (269)	100% (76)	100% (110)	100% (284)	100% (149)	100% (594)	*	*	*

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10. Republicans Ready to Be Commander in Chief – Donald Trump

Regardless of whether you'd personally vote for them, which of these candidates do you feel is ready to be Commander in Chief, if elected?

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Ready	49%	57%	38%	65%	42%	48%	48%	49%	*	*	*
Not ready	39%	28%	52%	22%	50%	40%	37%	38%	*	*	*
Not sure	12%	15%	10%	12%	8%	13%	16%	13%	*	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*	*
(Weighted N)	(647)	(364)	(283)	(80)	(114)	(293)	(160)	(620)	(0)	(6)	(21)

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11. Republicans Ready to Be Commander in Chief – Ted Cruz

Regardless of whether you'd personally vote for them, which of these candidates do you feel is ready to be Commander in Chief, if elected?

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Ready	67%	78%	53%	70%	67%	66%	68%	68%	*	*	*
Not ready	15%	10%	23%	14%	24%	13%	13%	15%	*	*	*
Not sure	18%	12%	24%	16%	9%	21%	19%	17%	*	*	*
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (627)	100% (356)	100% (271)	100% (76)	100% (114)	100% (287)	100% (150)	100% (601)	*	*	*

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12. Republicans Ready to Be Commander in Chief – Marco Rubio

Regardless of whether you'd personally vote for them, which of these candidates do you feel is ready to be Commander in Chief, if elected?

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Ready	51%	52%	50%	28%	46%	57%	54%	51%	*	*	*
Not ready	28%	31%	25%	53%	26%	23%	27%	28%	*	*	*
Not sure	21%	18%	25%	19%	28%	20%	19%	21%	*	*	*
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (631)	100% (356)	100% (274)	100% (76)	100% (113)	100% (289)	100% (152)	100% (605)	*	*	*

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13. Republicans Ready to Be Commander in Chief – Jeb Bush

Regardless of whether you'd personally vote for them, which of these candidates do you feel is ready to be Commander in Chief, if elected?

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Ready	38%	35%	42%	19%	38%	43%	39%	37%	*	*	*
Not ready	46%	50%	40%	77%	47%	38%	44%	46%	*	*	*
Not sure	16%	15%	18%	4%	15%	19%	18%	16%	*	*	*
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (634)	100% (358)	100% (276)	100% (76)	100% (113)	100% (292)	100% (153)	100% (609)	*	*	*

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14. Democrats Ready to Be Commander in Chief – Hillary Clinton

Regardless of whether you'd personally vote for them, which of these candidates do you feel is ready to be Commander in Chief, if elected?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Ready	84%	78%	88%	66%	89%	85%	91%	85%	*	*	*
Not ready	7%	11%	5%	13%	4%	8%	5%	7%	*	*	*
Not sure	8%	11%	7%	21%	8%	6%	5%	8%	*	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*	*
(Weighted N)	(598)	(239)	(359)	(91)	(96)	(253)	(158)	(568)	(6)	(0)	(24)

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15. Democrats Ready to Be Commander in Chief – Bernie Sanders

Regardless of whether you'd personally vote for them, which of these candidates do you feel is ready to be Commander in Chief, if elected?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Ready	60%	65%	57%	77%	59%	55%	60%	62%	*	*	*
Not ready	21%	16%	24%	6%	30%	22%	22%	19%	*	*	*
Not sure	19%	19%	18%	17%	11%	23%	18%	19%	*	*	*
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (558)	100% (229)	100% (328)	100% (81)	100% (92)	100% (239)	100% (146)	100% (531)	*	*	*

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16. Democrats Ready to Be Commander in Chief – Martin O’Malley

Regardless of whether you’d personally vote for them, which of these candidates do you feel is ready to be Commander in Chief, if elected?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Ready	23%	31%	18%	20%	24%	23%	26%	24%	*	*	*
Not ready	37%	31%	42%	29%	36%	42%	36%	36%	*	*	*
Not sure	39%	38%	40%	50%	40%	35%	39%	40%	*	*	*
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (562)	100% (228)	100% (335)	100% (83)	100% (92)	100% (236)	100% (151)	100% (535)	*	*	*

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17. Confidence in Candidate Choice

If [First Choice Candidate Name] wins the Presidency, how confident are you he/she could actually do the things they're talking about?

Asked of Democratic and Republican primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very confident	44%	46%	43%	54%	47%	42%	40%	44%	*	*	*
Somewhat confident	50%	47%	53%	40%	49%	52%	51%	50%	*	*	*
Not confident yet	6%	7%	5%	5%	4%	6%	8%	6%	*	*	*
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (1,251)	100% (612)	100% (639)	100% (170)	100% (210)	100% (547)	100% (324)	100% (1,194)	*	*	*

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18. Paris Attacks Effect on Vote

How much have the terrorism attacks in Paris affected your decision about whom to support for President in 2016?

Asked of Democratic and Republican primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
A lot	16%	14%	18%	19%	16%	13%	21%	17%	*	*	*
Somewhat	17%	17%	17%	12%	13%	19%	18%	17%	*	*	*
Not much	23%	22%	24%	23%	22%	24%	23%	23%	*	*	*
Not at all	44%	47%	41%	46%	49%	44%	39%	43%	*	*	*
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (1,260)	100% (614)	100% (646)	100% (171)	100% (211)	100% (552)	100% (327)	100% (1,202)	*	*	*

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19. Troops to Fight ISIS

Do you favor or oppose sending US ground troops to the Middle East to fight ISIS?

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Favor	74%	76%	72%	49%	85%	79%	67%	74%	*	*	*
Oppose	26%	24%	28%	51%	15%	21%	33%	26%	*	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*	*
(Weighted N)	(639)	(362)	(278)	(71)	(114)	(295)	(159)	(614)	(0)	(6)	(19)

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20. Agree with each of the following statements about Illegal immigrants Illegal immigrants...
 Do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements about Illegal immigrants? Illegal immigrants...
Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Fill jobs Americans won't do	45%	39%	52%	22%	36%	50%	50%	44%	*	*	*
Drive down Americans' wages	81%	84%	75%	81%	87%	78%	78%	81%	*	*	*
Are generally hard-working people	63%	64%	57%	55%	63%	62%	61%	61%	*	*	*
Should be penalized/deported	89%	93%	81%	91%	88%	88%	86%	88%	*	*	*
Harm national security	88%	91%	80%	88%	94%	87%	80%	87%	*	*	*
(Weighted N)	(658)	(371)	(287)	(80)	(114)	(298)	(166)	(631)	(0)	(6)	(21)

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21. Disagree with each of the following statements about Illegal immigrants Illegal immigrants...

Do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements about Illegal immigrants? Illegal immigrants...

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Fill jobs Americans won't do	55%	60%	46%	78%	64%	48%	48%	54%	*	*	*
Drive down Americans' wages	19%	16%	23%	19%	13%	21%	18%	18%	*	*	*
Are generally hard-working people	37%	34%	39%	45%	37%	34%	36%	37%	*	*	*
Should be penalized/deported	11%	7%	17%	9%	12%	10%	14%	11%	*	*	*
Harm national security	12%	8%	17%	12%	6%	12%	17%	12%	*	*	*
(Weighted N)	(658)	(371)	(287)	(80)	(114)	(298)	(166)	(631)	(0)	(6)	(21)

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22. Clinton Change

If elected, how much change would Hillary Clinton bring to the country?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
A big change	13%	6%	17%	9%	10%	13%	16%	13%	*	*	*
Some change	61%	57%	63%	58%	66%	53%	70%	59%	*	*	*
Not much change	26%	37%	20%	33%	24%	34%	14%	28%	*	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*	*
(Weighted N)	(602)	(243)	(359)	(91)	(96)	(254)	(161)	(571)	(6)	(0)	(24)

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23. Sanders Change

If elected, how much change would Bernie Sanders bring to the country?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
A big change	33%	35%	32%	64%	34%	25%	28%	34%	*	*	*
Some change	49%	48%	49%	22%	40%	59%	52%	50%	*	*	*
Not much change	18%	17%	19%	14%	25%	16%	20%	16%	*	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*	*
(Weighted N)	(598)	(243)	(356)	(91)	(96)	(254)	(157)	(568)	(6)	(0)	(24)

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24. Republican Candidate Policy Agreement – Immigration

On which of these topics MUST a candidate agree with you to earn your vote, and on which is it okay if there are some differences between you?

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Must agree with you	61%	66%	53%	54%	53%	62%	66%	60%	*	*	*
Okay with some differences	39%	34%	47%	46%	47%	38%	34%	40%	*	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*	*
(Weighted N)	(646)	(371)	(276)	(79)	(114)	(295)	(158)	(619)	(0)	(6)	(21)

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25. Republican Candidate Policy Agreement – Matters of faith and religion

On which of these topics MUST a candidate agree with you to earn your vote, and on which is it okay if there are some differences between you?

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Must agree with you	39%	38%	40%	57%	42%	32%	41%	40%	*	*	*
Okay with some differences	61%	62%	60%	43%	58%	68%	59%	60%	*	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*	*
(Weighted N)	(647)	(368)	(279)	(79)	(114)	(295)	(159)	(621)	(0)	(6)	(20)

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26. Republican Candidate Policy Agreement – Handling ISIS

On which of these topics MUST a candidate agree with you to earn your vote, and on which is it okay if there are some differences between you?

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Must agree with you	71%	73%	69%	41%	67%	76%	80%	71%	*	*	*
Okay with some differences	29%	27%	31%	59%	33%	24%	20%	29%	*	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*	*
(Weighted N)	(650)	(370)	(281)	(79)	(114)	(296)	(161)	(623)	(0)	(6)	(21)

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27. Republican Candidate Policy Agreement – Same sex marriage

On which of these topics MUST a candidate agree with you to earn your vote, and on which is it okay if there are some differences between you?

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Must agree with you	54%	55%	52%	59%	52%	49%	62%	54%	*	*	*
Okay with some differences	46%	45%	48%	41%	48%	51%	38%	46%	*	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*	*
(Weighted N)	(646)	(369)	(277)	(79)	(114)	(295)	(157)	(619)	(0)	(6)	(20)

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28. Democratic Candidate Policy Agreement – Guns

On which of these topics MUST a candidate agree with you to earn your vote, and on which is it okay if there are some differences between you?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Must agree with you	43%	30%	52%	38%	29%	42%	58%	44%	*	*	*
Okay with some differences	57%	70%	48%	62%	71%	58%	42%	56%	*	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*	*
(Weighted N)	(601)	(242)	(358)	(91)	(96)	(254)	(160)	(570)	(6)	(0)	(24)

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29. Democratic Candidate Policy Agreement – Healthcare

On which of these topics MUST a candidate agree with you to earn your vote, and on which is it okay if there are some differences between you?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Must agree with you	70%	63%	75%	66%	61%	73%	74%	70%	*	*	*
Okay with some differences	30%	37%	25%	34%	39%	27%	26%	30%	*	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*	*
(Weighted N)	(602)	(243)	(359)	(91)	(96)	(254)	(160)	(571)	(6)	(0)	(24)

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30. Democratic Candidate Policy Agreement – Campaign Finance

On which of these topics MUST a candidate agree with you to earn your vote, and on which is it okay if there are some differences between you?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Must agree with you	45%	60%	35%	49%	31%	47%	49%	47%	*	*	*
Okay with some differences	55%	40%	65%	51%	69%	53%	51%	53%	*	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*	*
(Weighted N)	(597)	(243)	(354)	(91)	(94)	(253)	(159)	(567)	(5)	(0)	(24)

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31. Democratic Candidate Policy Agreement – Rights and equality

On which of these topics MUST a candidate agree with you to earn your vote, and on which is it okay if there are some differences between you?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Must agree with you	79%	71%	84%	92%	85%	74%	75%	78%	*	*	*
Okay with some differences	21%	29%	16%	8%	15%	26%	25%	22%	*	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*	*
(Weighted N)	(599)	(243)	(356)	(91)	(94)	(253)	(160)	(568)	(6)	(0)	(24)

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32. Democratic Candidate Policy Agreement – Handling ISIS

On which of these topics MUST a candidate agree with you to earn your vote, and on which is it okay if there are some differences between you?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Must agree with you	37%	30%	42%	28%	32%	35%	49%	35%	*	*	*
Okay with some differences	63%	70%	58%	72%	68%	65%	51%	65%	*	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*	*
(Weighted N)	(594)	(243)	(352)	(91)	(94)	(254)	(156)	(564)	(5)	(0)	(24)

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33. Candidate's Policies Toward Wall Street – Hillary Clinton

Do you think the candidates' policies toward Wall Street would be ...?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Too tough	3%	2%	3%	10%	1%	2%	1%	3%	*	*	*
Too easy	53%	62%	46%	62%	61%	51%	46%	52%	*	*	*
About right	44%	35%	51%	28%	39%	47%	53%	45%	*	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*	*
(Weighted N)	(594)	(243)	(352)	(91)	(96)	(252)	(155)	(564)	(6)	(0)	(24)

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34. Candidate's Policies Toward Wall Street – Bernie Sanders

Do you think the candidates' policies toward Wall Street would be ...?
Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Too tough	15%	13%	17%	1%	10%	13%	31%	16%	*	*	*
Too easy	14%	13%	15%	5%	27%	10%	19%	11%	*	*	*
About right	71%	74%	69%	94%	63%	77%	51%	73%	*	*	*
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (590)	100% (243)	100% (347)	100% (91)	100% (93)	100% (251)	100% (154)	100% (559)	* (5)	* (0)	* (24)

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35. Candidate's Policies Toward Wall Street – Martin O'Malley

Do you think the candidates' policies toward Wall Street would be ...?
Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Too tough	5%	5%	6%	14%	2%	3%	7%	6%	*	*	*
Too easy	42%	31%	49%	50%	50%	38%	36%	40%	*	*	*
About right	53%	64%	45%	36%	48%	59%	57%	55%	*	*	*
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (555)	100% (228)	100% (327)	100% (86)	100% (92)	100% (239)	100% (138)	100% (526)	* (5)	* (0)	* (24)

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36. Invite to Thanksgiving Dinner – Donald Trump

Which of these candidates would you invite to Thanksgiving dinner, if you could?

Asked of Democratic and Republican primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Invite	36%	44%	27%	39%	34%	36%	35%	36%	*	*	*
Not Invite	64%	56%	73%	61%	66%	64%	65%	64%	*	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*	*
(Weighted N)	(1,229)	(599)	(630)	(171)	(207)	(540)	(311)	(1,171)	(6)	(7)	(45)

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37. Invite to Thanksgiving Dinner – Ben Carson

Which of these candidates would you invite to Thanksgiving dinner, if you could?

Asked of Democratic and Republican primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Invite	52%	59%	45%	41%	58%	53%	51%	51%	*	*	*
Not Invite	48%	41%	55%	59%	42%	47%	49%	49%	*	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*	*
(Weighted N)	(1,215)	(589)	(626)	(167)	(207)	(527)	(313)	(1,158)	(6)	(6)	(44)

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38. Invite to Thanksgiving Dinner – Ted Cruz

Which of these candidates would you invite to Thanksgiving dinner, if you could?

Asked of Democratic and Republican primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Invite	40%	52%	30%	34%	45%	41%	40%	39%	*	*	*
Not Invite	60%	48%	70%	66%	55%	59%	60%	61%	*	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*	*
(Weighted N)	(1,216)	(589)	(627)	(167)	(208)	(527)	(315)	(1,160)	(6)	(6)	(44)

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39. Invite to Thanksgiving Dinner – Marco Rubio

Which of these candidates would you invite to Thanksgiving dinner, if you could?

Asked of Democratic and Republican primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Invite	44%	50%	39%	31%	48%	47%	43%	43%	*	*	*
Not Invite	56%	50%	61%	69%	52%	53%	57%	57%	*	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*	*
(Weighted N)	(1,206)	(582)	(624)	(160)	(207)	(527)	(312)	(1,150)	(6)	(6)	(44)

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40. Invite to Thanksgiving Dinner – Jeb Bush

Which of these candidates would you invite to Thanksgiving dinner, if you could?

Asked of Democratic and Republican primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Invite	34%	33%	35%	15%	34%	40%	34%	33%	*	*	*
Not Invite	66%	67%	65%	85%	66%	60%	66%	67%	*	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*	*
(Weighted N)	(1,208)	(588)	(620)	(167)	(206)	(531)	(304)	(1,152)	(6)	(6)	(44)

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41. Invite to Thanksgiving Dinner – Hillary Clinton

Which of these candidates would you invite to Thanksgiving dinner, if you could?

Asked of Democratic and Republican primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Invite	44%	34%	53%	50%	38%	42%	47%	44%	*	*	*
Not Invite	56%	66%	47%	50%	62%	58%	53%	56%	*	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*	*
(Weighted N)	(1,200)	(586)	(614)	(167)	(205)	(520)	(307)	(1,143)	(6)	(7)	(44)

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42. Invite to Thanksgiving Dinner – Bernie Sanders

Which of these candidates would you invite to Thanksgiving dinner, if you could?

Asked of Democratic and Republican primary voters

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Invite	44%	40%	48%	44%	39%	46%	43%	45%	*	*	*
Not Invite	56%	60%	52%	56%	61%	54%	57%	55%	*	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	*	*
(Weighted N)	(1,203)	(591)	(613)	(167)	(207)	(520)	(309)	(1,146)	(6)	(6)	(44)

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Iowa Likely Republican Voters



Sample 658 Likely Republican Caucus Voters
 Conducted November 15-19, 2015
 Margin of Error ±6.2%

1. First Choice Republican Candidate

Which candidate are you most likely to vote for in the Iowa Republican Presidential caucus in 2016?

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Tea Party		Evangelical	
		Very conservative	Conservative	Moderate	Yes	No	Yes	No
Jeb Bush	5%	2%	8%	3%	3%	8%	6%	5%
Ben Carson	19%	12%	25%	14%	18%	19%	23%	11%
Chris Christie	2%	0%	4%	1%	2%	3%	3%	2%
Ted Cruz	21%	41%	11%	3%	30%	12%	23%	18%
Carly Fiorina	4%	5%	4%	4%	3%	5%	4%	6%
Jim Gilmore	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Lindsey Graham	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Mike Huckabee	1%	0%	2%	2%	0%	2%	2%	0%
Bobby Jindal	2%	4%	1%	0%	3%	1%	4%	0%
John Kasich	1%	0%	1%	2%	0%	1%	1%	0%
George Pataki	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Rand Paul	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%
Marco Rubio	11%	7%	14%	13%	5%	17%	6%	20%
Rick Santorum	2%	3%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	0%
Donald Trump	30%	23%	29%	53%	32%	28%	25%	37%
No preference	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Weighted N)	(657)	(232)	(340)	(52)	(331)	(310)	(368)	(236)

	Total	Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Republican	Independent
Jeb Bush	5%	6%	5%	3%	4%	7%	5%	6%	3%
Ben Carson	19%	19%	19%	4%	26%	20%	19%	19%	14%
Chris Christie	2%	1%	4%	0%	1%	2%	4%	3%	0%
Ted Cruz	21%	24%	18%	23%	21%	23%	18%	21%	21%
Carly Fiorina	4%	3%	5%	4%	1%	6%	3%	5%	2%
Jim Gilmore	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

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	Total	Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Republican	Independent
Lindsey Graham	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Mike Huckabee	1%	1%	2%	0%	0%	1%	3%	1%	1%
Bobby Jindal	2%	0%	4%	0%	7%	1%	1%	1%	6%
John Kasich	1%	1%	1%	2%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%
George Pataki	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Rand Paul	2%	1%	2%	3%	3%	1%	2%	2%	2%
Marco Rubio	11%	12%	9%	0%	7%	14%	13%	12%	6%
Rick Santorum	2%	0%	3%	0%	5%	1%	1%	2%	0%
Donald Trump	30%	32%	28%	62%	25%	23%	31%	27%	43%
No preference	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Weighted N)	(657)	(371)	(286)	(80)	(114)	(297)	(166)	(520)	(122)

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Iowa Likely Republican Voters



2. Enthusiasm for First Choice

How would you describe your feelings right now about [First Choice Candidate Name] ... ?

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Tea Party		Evangelical	
		Very conservative	Conservative	Moderate	Yes	No	Yes	No
Enthusiastic	61%	74%	54%	58%	69%	53%	62%	58%
Supporting with reservations	35%	22%	44%	38%	29%	41%	35%	38%
Considering as best alternative	4%	4%	2%	4%	2%	5%	3%	4%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (653)	100% (230)	100% (338)	100% (52)	100% (329)	100% (308)	100% (367)	100% (234)

	Total	Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Republican	Independent
Enthusiastic	61%	65%	55%	78%	60%	58%	57%	61%	59%
Supporting with reservations	35%	34%	38%	18%	35%	39%	38%	36%	37%
Considering as best alternative	4%	2%	7%	4%	5%	3%	5%	4%	4%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (653)	100% (370)	100% (283)	100% (79)	100% (114)	100% (295)	100% (165)	100% (517)	100% (121)

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3. Favorite Trump Characteristic

Which of these is your favorite thing about Donald Trump right now?

Asked of Trump supporters

	Total	Ideology			Tea Party		Evangelical	
		Very conservative	Conservative	Moderate	Yes	No	Yes	No
His outlook for America	30%	23%	27%	*	26%	35%	35%	26%
He says things others are afraid to say	40%	41%	41%	*	38%	43%	40%	34%
His personal success story	1%	0%	0%	*	2%	0%	2%	0%
He's not a typical politician	28%	36%	32%	*	34%	21%	23%	40%
His faith and religious beliefs	0%	0%	0%	*	0%	0%	0%	0%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (197)	100% (52)	100% (99)	* (28)	100% (107)	100% (86)	100% (92)	100% (86)

	Total	Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Republican	Independent
His outlook for America	30%	32%	28%	*	*	31%	33%	24%	47%
He says things others are afraid to say	40%	37%	44%	*	*	45%	50%	40%	41%
His personal success story	1%	0%	2%	*	*	0%	0%	1%	0%
He's not a typical politician	28%	31%	25%	*	*	24%	17%	35%	12%
His faith and religious beliefs	0%	0%	1%	*	*	0%	0%	1%	0%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (197)	100% (118)	100% (80)	* (49)	* (29)	100% (69)	100% (51)	100% (140)	100% (52)

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4. Favorite Carson Characteristic

Which of these is your favorite thing about Ben Carson right now?

Asked of Carson supporters

	Total	Ideology			Tea Party		Evangelical	
		Very conservative	Conservative	Moderate	Yes	No	Yes	No
His outlook for America	20%	*	22%	*	26%	15%	19%	*
He says things others are afraid to say	18%	*	16%	*	20%	17%	20%	*
His personal success story	2%	*	1%	*	1%	2%	1%	*
He's not a typical politician	29%	*	32%	*	20%	37%	20%	*
His faith and religious beliefs	31%	*	29%	*	33%	29%	39%	*
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (122)	* (27)	100% (85)	* (8)	100% (61)	100% (58)	100% (83)	* (27)

	Total	Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Republican	Independent
His outlook for America	20%	24%	14%	*	*	18%	*	20%	*
He says things others are afraid to say	18%	18%	18%	*	*	23%	*	21%	*
His personal success story	2%	1%	2%	*	*	2%	*	2%	*
He's not a typical politician	29%	27%	33%	*	*	24%	*	23%	*
His faith and religious beliefs	31%	30%	32%	*	*	33%	*	34%	*
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (122)	100% (69)	100% (53)	* (3)	* (30)	100% (58)	* (31)	100% (99)	* (17)

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5. Republicans Ready to Be Commander in Chief – Ben Carson

Regardless of whether you'd personally vote for them, which of these candidates do you feel is ready to be Commander in Chief, if elected?

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Tea Party		Evangelical	
		Very conservative	Conservative	Moderate	Yes	No	Yes	No
Ready	43%	43%	44%	*	48%	39%	49%	33%
Not ready	38%	43%	36%	*	37%	39%	32%	45%
Not sure	19%	14%	20%	*	15%	23%	19%	21%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (619)	100% (218)	100% (330)	* (47)	100% (317)	100% (289)	100% (345)	100% (225)

	Total	Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Republican	Independent
Ready	43%	45%	41%	42%	58%	42%	36%	43%	44%
Not ready	38%	41%	35%	43%	30%	37%	44%	39%	34%
Not sure	19%	14%	25%	14%	12%	22%	21%	18%	22%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (619)	100% (350)	100% (269)	100% (76)	100% (110)	100% (284)	100% (149)	100% (492)	100% (115)

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6. Republicans Ready to Be Commander in Chief – Donald Trump

Regardless of whether you'd personally vote for them, which of these candidates do you feel is ready to be Commander in Chief, if elected?

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Tea Party		Evangelical	
		Very conservative	Conservative	Moderate	Yes	No	Yes	No
Ready	49%	46%	46%	69%	58%	39%	43%	57%
Not ready	39%	39%	41%	29%	29%	49%	44%	31%
Not sure	12%	15%	13%	2%	13%	12%	13%	12%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (647)	100% (225)	100% (335)	100% (52)	100% (327)	100% (303)	100% (359)	100% (235)

	Total	Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Republican	Independent
Ready	49%	57%	38%	65%	42%	48%	48%	45%	65%
Not ready	39%	28%	52%	22%	50%	40%	37%	42%	23%
Not sure	12%	15%	10%	12%	8%	13%	16%	13%	12%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (647)	100% (364)	100% (283)	100% (80)	100% (114)	100% (293)	100% (160)	100% (511)	100% (121)

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7. Republicans Ready to Be Commander in Chief – Ted Cruz

Regardless of whether you'd personally vote for them, which of these candidates do you feel is ready to be Commander in Chief, if elected?

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Tea Party		Evangelical	
		Very conservative	Conservative	Moderate	Yes	No	Yes	No
Ready	67%	83%	62%	*	81%	53%	66%	70%
Not ready	15%	11%	15%	*	10%	21%	16%	15%
Not sure	18%	6%	23%	*	9%	26%	18%	15%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (627)	100% (221)	100% (331)	* (47)	100% (320)	100% (290)	100% (348)	100% (226)

	Total	Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Republican	Independent
Ready	67%	78%	53%	70%	67%	66%	68%	68%	65%
Not ready	15%	10%	23%	14%	24%	13%	13%	14%	18%
Not sure	18%	12%	24%	16%	9%	21%	19%	18%	17%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (627)	100% (356)	100% (271)	100% (76)	100% (114)	100% (287)	100% (150)	100% (498)	100% (116)

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8. Republicans Ready to Be Commander in Chief – Marco Rubio

Regardless of whether you'd personally vote for them, which of these candidates do you feel is ready to be Commander in Chief, if elected?

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Tea Party		Evangelical	
		Very conservative	Conservative	Moderate	Yes	No	Yes	No
Ready	51%	44%	57%	*	48%	54%	47%	57%
Not ready	28%	32%	26%	*	34%	23%	30%	26%
Not sure	21%	24%	17%	*	18%	23%	23%	17%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (631)	100% (225)	100% (330)	* (48)	100% (317)	100% (297)	100% (354)	100% (227)

	Total	Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Republican	Independent
Ready	51%	52%	50%	28%	46%	57%	54%	56%	29%
Not ready	28%	31%	25%	53%	26%	23%	27%	25%	43%
Not sure	21%	18%	25%	19%	28%	20%	19%	19%	28%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (631)	100% (356)	100% (274)	100% (76)	100% (113)	100% (289)	100% (152)	100% (503)	100% (115)

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9. Republicans Ready to Be Commander in Chief – Jeb Bush

Regardless of whether you'd personally vote for them, which of these candidates do you feel is ready to be Commander in Chief, if elected?

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Tea Party		Evangelical	
		Very conservative	Conservative	Moderate	Yes	No	Yes	No
Ready	38%	29%	45%	*	28%	49%	38%	40%
Not ready	46%	62%	35%	*	55%	35%	47%	44%
Not sure	16%	9%	20%	*	17%	16%	14%	16%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (634)	100% (223)	100% (336)	* (47)	100% (317)	100% (301)	100% (356)	100% (226)

	Total	Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Republican	Independent
Ready	38%	35%	42%	19%	38%	43%	39%	40%	31%
Not ready	46%	50%	40%	77%	47%	38%	44%	45%	49%
Not sure	16%	15%	18%	4%	15%	19%	18%	16%	20%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (634)	100% (358)	100% (276)	100% (76)	100% (113)	100% (292)	100% (153)	100% (507)	100% (116)

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10. Confidence in Candidate Choice

If [First Choice Candidate Name] wins the Presidency, how confident are you he/she could actually do the things they're talking about?

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Tea Party		Evangelical	
		Very conservative	Conservative	Moderate	Yes	No	Yes	No
Very confident	54%	63%	48%	57%	64%	44%	55%	52%
Somewhat confident	43%	35%	50%	38%	34%	52%	43%	44%
Not confident yet	3%	2%	3%	5%	2%	4%	2%	4%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (654)	100% (231)	100% (338)	100% (52)	100% (330)	100% (308)	100% (367)	100% (234)

	Total	Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Republican	Independent
Very confident	54%	60%	46%	79%	49%	51%	50%	54%	48%
Somewhat confident	43%	38%	50%	19%	47%	47%	46%	44%	46%
Not confident yet	3%	2%	4%	1%	4%	2%	4%	2%	6%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (654)	100% (371)	100% (284)	100% (79)	100% (114)	100% (295)	100% (166)	100% (518)	100% (121)

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11. Paris Attacks Effect on Vote

How much have the terrorism attacks in Paris affected your decision about whom to support for President in 2016?

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Tea Party		Evangelical	
		Very conservative	Conservative	Moderate	Yes	No	Yes	No
A lot	21%	20%	22%	32%	23%	21%	21%	22%
Somewhat	22%	19%	22%	26%	17%	26%	20%	23%
Not much	20%	17%	23%	23%	20%	20%	20%	22%
Not at all	36%	45%	33%	19%	40%	33%	40%	32%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (658)	100% (232)	100% (340)	100% (52)	100% (331)	100% (311)	100% (369)	100% (236)

	Total	Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Republican	Independent
A lot	21%	18%	26%	26%	23%	17%	27%	20%	29%
Somewhat	22%	21%	23%	18%	19%	23%	25%	23%	18%
Not much	20%	21%	19%	3%	18%	24%	23%	21%	16%
Not at all	36%	40%	32%	52%	41%	36%	26%	36%	37%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (658)	100% (371)	100% (287)	100% (80)	100% (114)	100% (298)	100% (166)	100% (520)	100% (123)

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12. Troops to Fight ISIS

Do you favor or oppose sending US ground troops to the Middle East to fight ISIS?

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Tea Party		Evangelical	
		Very conservative	Conservative	Moderate	Yes	No	Yes	No
Favor	74%	77%	72%	73%	76%	73%	77%	70%
Oppose	26%	23%	28%	27%	24%	27%	23%	30%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (639)	100% (216)	100% (336)	100% (52)	100% (319)	100% (304)	100% (353)	100% (233)

	Total	Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Republican	Independent
Favor	74%	76%	72%	49%	85%	79%	67%	74%	74%
Oppose	26%	24%	28%	51%	15%	21%	33%	26%	26%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (639)	100% (362)	100% (278)	100% (71)	100% (114)	100% (295)	100% (159)	100% (503)	100% (121)

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13. Agree with each of the following statements about Illegal immigrants Illegal immigrants...
 Do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements about Illegal immigrants? Illegal immigrants...
 Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Tea Party		Evangelical	
		Very conservative	Conservative	Moderate	Yes	No	Yes	No
Fill jobs Americans won't do	45%	36%	47%	50%	35%	52%	43%	43%
Drive down Americans' wages	81%	89%	77%	71%	88%	73%	79%	82%
Are generally hard-working people	63%	51%	67%	66%	57%	64%	58%	68%
Should be penalized/deported	89%	87%	89%	78%	93%	82%	84%	92%
Harm national security	88%	92%	85%	73%	93%	80%	84%	89%
(Weighted N)	(658)	(232)	(340)	(52)	(331)	(311)	(369)	(236)

	Total	Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Republican	Independent
Fill jobs Americans won't do	45%	39%	52%	22%	36%	50%	50%	45%	37%
Drive down Americans' wages	81%	84%	75%	81%	87%	78%	78%	80%	80%
Are generally hard-working people	63%	64%	57%	55%	63%	62%	61%	64%	47%
Should be penalized/deported	89%	93%	81%	91%	88%	88%	86%	89%	82%
Harm national security	88%	91%	80%	88%	94%	87%	80%	87%	84%
(Weighted N)	(658)	(371)	(287)	(80)	(114)	(298)	(166)	(520)	(123)

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14. Disagree with each of the following statements about Illegal immigrants Illegal immigrants...

Do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements about Illegal immigrants? Illegal immigrants...

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Tea Party		Evangelical	
		Very conservative	Conservative	Moderate	Yes	No	Yes	No
Fill jobs Americans won't do	55%	62%	51%	45%	63%	47%	55%	56%
Drive down Americans' wages	19%	10%	22%	29%	11%	27%	20%	17%
Are generally hard-working people	37%	44%	31%	34%	39%	35%	39%	31%
Should be penalized/deported	11%	13%	10%	20%	6%	17%	15%	7%
Harm national security	12%	6%	14%	26%	5%	19%	14%	10%
(Weighted N)	(658)	(232)	(340)	(52)	(331)	(311)	(369)	(236)

	Total	Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Republican	Independent
Fill jobs Americans won't do	55%	60%	46%	78%	64%	48%	48%	53%	62%
Drive down Americans' wages	19%	16%	23%	19%	13%	21%	18%	19%	19%
Are generally hard-working people	37%	34%	39%	45%	37%	34%	36%	34%	50%
Should be penalized/deported	11%	7%	17%	9%	12%	10%	14%	10%	16%
Harm national security	12%	8%	17%	12%	6%	12%	17%	12%	15%
(Weighted N)	(658)	(371)	(287)	(80)	(114)	(298)	(166)	(520)	(123)

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15. Republican Candidate Policy Agreement – Immigration

On which of these topics MUST a candidate agree with you to earn your vote, and on which is it okay if there are some differences between you?

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Tea Party		Evangelical	
		Very conservative	Conservative	Moderate	Yes	No	Yes	No
Must agree with you	61%	65%	58%	62%	67%	54%	54%	69%
Okay with some differences	39%	35%	42%	38%	33%	46%	46%	31%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (646)	100% (225)	100% (337)	100% (51)	100% (325)	100% (305)	100% (358)	100% (235)

	Total	Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Republican	Independent
Must agree with you	61%	66%	53%	54%	53%	62%	66%	62%	58%
Okay with some differences	39%	34%	47%	46%	47%	38%	34%	38%	42%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (646)	100% (371)	100% (276)	100% (79)	100% (114)	100% (295)	100% (158)	100% (509)	100% (122)

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16. Republican Candidate Policy Agreement – Matters of faith and religion

On which of these topics MUST a candidate agree with you to earn your vote, and on which is it okay if there are some differences between you?

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Tea Party		Evangelical	
		Very conservative	Conservative	Moderate	Yes	No	Yes	No
Must agree with you	39%	55%	31%	*	48%	29%	48%	24%
Okay with some differences	61%	45%	69%	*	52%	71%	52%	76%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (647)	100% (228)	100% (335)	* (49)	100% (323)	100% (308)	100% (360)	100% (234)

	Total	Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Republican	Independent
Must agree with you	39%	38%	40%	57%	42%	32%	41%	41%	28%
Okay with some differences	61%	62%	60%	43%	58%	68%	59%	59%	72%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (647)	100% (368)	100% (279)	100% (79)	100% (114)	100% (295)	100% (159)	100% (512)	100% (120)

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17. Republican Candidate Policy Agreement – Handling ISIS

On which of these topics MUST a candidate agree with you to earn your vote, and on which is it okay if there are some differences between you?

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Tea Party		Evangelical	
		Very conservative	Conservative	Moderate	Yes	No	Yes	No
Must agree with you	71%	74%	71%	61%	72%	70%	69%	72%
Okay with some differences	29%	26%	29%	39%	28%	30%	31%	28%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (650)	100% (228)	100% (338)	100% (51)	100% (328)	100% (307)	100% (366)	100% (236)

	Total	Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Republican	Independent
Must agree with you	71%	73%	69%	41%	67%	76%	80%	71%	77%
Okay with some differences	29%	27%	31%	59%	33%	24%	20%	29%	23%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (650)	100% (370)	100% (281)	100% (79)	100% (114)	100% (296)	100% (161)	100% (513)	100% (122)

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18. Republican Candidate Policy Agreement – Same sex marriage

On which of these topics MUST a candidate agree with you to earn your vote, and on which is it okay if there are some differences between you?

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Tea Party		Evangelical	
		Very conservative	Conservative	Moderate	Yes	No	Yes	No
Must agree with you	54%	78%	44%	*	64%	45%	69%	35%
Okay with some differences	46%	22%	56%	*	36%	55%	31%	65%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (646)	100% (228)	100% (336)	* (49)	100% (324)	100% (306)	100% (360)	100% (234)

	Total	Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Republican	Independent
Must agree with you	54%	55%	52%	59%	52%	49%	62%	57%	39%
Okay with some differences	46%	45%	48%	41%	48%	51%	38%	43%	61%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (646)	100% (369)	100% (277)	100% (79)	100% (114)	100% (295)	100% (157)	100% (512)	100% (119)

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19. Invite to Thanksgiving Dinner – Donald Trump

Which of these candidates would you invite to Thanksgiving dinner, if you could?

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Tea Party		Evangelical	
		Very conservative	Conservative	Moderate	Yes	No	Yes	No
Invite	59%	56%	59%	75%	67%	52%	54%	67%
Not Invite	41%	44%	41%	25%	33%	48%	46%	33%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (642)	100% (225)	100% (333)	100% (51)	100% (320)	100% (306)	100% (357)	100% (232)

	Total	Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Republican	Independent
Invite	59%	64%	52%	68%	55%	57%	60%	56%	73%
Not Invite	41%	36%	48%	32%	45%	43%	40%	44%	27%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (642)	100% (367)	100% (275)	100% (80)	100% (112)	100% (290)	100% (160)	100% (511)	100% (116)

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20. Invite to Thanksgiving Dinner – Ben Carson

Which of these candidates would you invite to Thanksgiving dinner, if you could?

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Tea Party		Evangelical	
		Very conservative	Conservative	Moderate	Yes	No	Yes	No
Invite	83%	85%	85%	*	87%	80%	86%	80%
Not Invite	17%	15%	15%	*	13%	20%	14%	20%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (629)	100% (230)	100% (323)	* (49)	100% (324)	100% (289)	100% (354)	100% (223)

	Total	Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Republican	Independent
Invite	83%	90%	75%	71%	80%	90%	80%	82%	89%
Not Invite	17%	10%	25%	29%	20%	10%	20%	18%	11%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (629)	100% (358)	100% (272)	100% (76)	100% (113)	100% (278)	100% (162)	100% (500)	100% (115)

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21. Invite to Thanksgiving Dinner – Ted Cruz

Which of these candidates would you invite to Thanksgiving dinner, if you could?

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Tea Party		Evangelical	
		Very conservative	Conservative	Moderate	Yes	No	Yes	No
Invite	73%	83%	70%	*	88%	56%	75%	71%
Not Invite	27%	17%	30%	*	12%	44%	25%	29%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (632)	100% (230)	100% (326)	* (49)	100% (323)	100% (292)	100% (355)	100% (224)

	Total	Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Republican	Independent
Invite	73%	83%	59%	72%	67%	74%	74%	73%	70%
Not Invite	27%	17%	41%	28%	33%	26%	26%	27%	30%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (632)	100% (359)	100% (273)	100% (76)	100% (113)	100% (279)	100% (164)	100% (505)	100% (111)

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22. Invite to Thanksgiving Dinner – Marco Rubio

Which of these candidates would you invite to Thanksgiving dinner, if you could?

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Tea Party		Evangelical	
		Very conservative	Conservative	Moderate	Yes	No	Yes	No
Invite	68%	64%	73%	*	68%	68%	63%	78%
Not Invite	32%	36%	27%	*	32%	32%	37%	22%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (623)	100% (228)	100% (319)	* (48)	100% (320)	100% (286)	100% (355)	100% (216)

	Total	Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Republican	Independent
Invite	68%	74%	61%	54%	63%	74%	69%	72%	50%
Not Invite	32%	26%	39%	46%	37%	26%	31%	28%	50%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (623)	100% (350)	100% (272)	100% (71)	100% (113)	100% (277)	100% (162)	100% (499)	100% (109)

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23. Invite to Thanksgiving Dinner – Jeb Bush

Which of these candidates would you invite to Thanksgiving dinner, if you could?

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Tea Party		Evangelical	
		Very conservative	Conservative	Moderate	Yes	No	Yes	No
Invite	45%	36%	50%	*	35%	55%	45%	45%
Not Invite	55%	64%	50%	*	65%	45%	55%	55%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (622)	100% (216)	100% (330)	* (48)	100% (311)	100% (294)	100% (345)	100% (225)

	Total	Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Republican	Independent
Invite	45%	41%	50%	22%	42%	51%	47%	46%	40%
Not Invite	55%	59%	50%	78%	58%	49%	53%	54%	60%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (622)	100% (356)	100% (266)	100% (76)	100% (111)	100% (281)	100% (153)	100% (500)	100% (107)

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24. Invite to Thanksgiving Dinner – Hillary Clinton

Which of these candidates would you invite to Thanksgiving dinner, if you could?

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Tea Party		Evangelical	
		Very conservative	Conservative	Moderate	Yes	No	Yes	No
Invite	7%	1%	10%	*	6%	9%	8%	8%
Not Invite	93%	99%	90%	*	94%	91%	92%	92%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (605)	100% (215)	100% (317)	* (46)	100% (311)	100% (278)	100% (336)	100% (217)

	Total	Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Republican	Independent
Invite	7%	8%	7%	16%	11%	6%	3%	7%	5%
Not Invite	93%	92%	93%	84%	89%	94%	97%	93%	95%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (605)	100% (350)	100% (255)	100% (76)	100% (111)	100% (268)	100% (150)	100% (484)	100% (106)

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25. Invite to Thanksgiving Dinner – Bernie Sanders

Which of these candidates would you invite to Thanksgiving dinner, if you could?

Asked of Republican primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Tea Party		Evangelical	
		Very conservative	Conservative	Moderate	Yes	No	Yes	No
Invite	10%	4%	11%	*	7%	12%	11%	8%
Not Invite	90%	96%	89%	*	93%	88%	89%	92%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (607)	100% (215)	100% (318)	* (47)	100% (310)	100% (280)	100% (336)	100% (218)

	Total	Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Republican	Independent
Invite	10%	9%	10%	5%	16%	9%	8%	8%	12%
Not Invite	90%	91%	90%	95%	84%	91%	92%	92%	88%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (607)	100% (351)	100% (256)	100% (76)	100% (111)	100% (269)	100% (151)	100% (485)	100% (106)

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Sample 602 Likely Democratic Caucus Voters
 Conducted November 15-19, 2015
 Margin of Error ±7.6%

1. First Choice Democratic Candidate

Which candidate are you most likely to vote for in the Iowa Democratic Presidential caucus in 2016?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Very liberal	Liberal	Moderate	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent
Hillary Clinton	50%	44%	41%	61%	40%	57%	27%	47%	51%	65%	54%	33%
Martin O'Malley	5%	1%	8%	5%	6%	4%	2%	1%	8%	4%	4%	10%
Bernie Sanders	44%	56%	51%	33%	53%	38%	70%	51%	40%	30%	42%	56%
No preference	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Weighted N)	(601)	(122)	(209)	(224)	(243)	(359)	(91)	(96)	(254)	(160)	(448)	(126)

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2. Enthusiasm for First Choice

How would you describe your feelings right now about [First Choice Candidate Name] ... ?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Very liberal	Liberal	Moderate	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent
Enthusiastic	54%	74%	62%	38%	50%	56%	62%	40%	51%	62%	60%	37%
Supporting with reservations	38%	20%	31%	54%	38%	37%	27%	51%	37%	36%	32%	52%
Considering as best alternative	8%	6%	7%	8%	12%	7%	11%	9%	12%	3%	9%	12%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Weighted N)	(597)	(121)	(208)	(222)	(241)	(356)	(91)	(96)	(252)	(159)	(444)	(125)

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3. Democrats Ready to Be Commander in Chief – Hillary Clinton

Regardless of whether you'd personally vote for them, which of these candidates do you feel is ready to be Commander in Chief, if elected?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Very liberal	Liberal	Moderate	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent
Ready	84%	89%	83%	84%	78%	88%	66%	89%	85%	91%	85%	80%
Not ready	7%	9%	6%	6%	11%	5%	13%	4%	8%	5%	6%	13%
Not sure	8%	2%	11%	11%	11%	7%	21%	8%	6%	5%	9%	7%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Weighted N)	(598)	(120)	(208)	(223)	(239)	(359)	(91)	(96)	(253)	(158)	(446)	(125)

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4. Democrats Ready to Be Commander in Chief – Bernie Sanders

Regardless of whether you'd personally vote for them, which of these candidates do you feel is ready to be Commander in Chief, if elected?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Very liberal	Liberal	Moderate	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent
Ready	60%	82%	65%	45%	65%	57%	77%	59%	55%	60%	59%	72%
Not ready	21%	10%	17%	31%	16%	24%	6%	30%	22%	22%	22%	7%
Not sure	19%	8%	18%	24%	19%	18%	17%	11%	23%	18%	19%	21%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Weighted N)	(558)	(121)	(183)	(220)	(229)	(328)	(81)	(92)	(239)	(146)	(406)	(124)

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5. Democrats Ready to Be Commander in Chief – Martin O'Malley

Regardless of whether you'd personally vote for them, which of these candidates do you feel is ready to be Commander in Chief, if elected?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Very liberal	Liberal	Moderate	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent
Ready	23%	35%	27%	14%	31%	18%	20%	24%	23%	26%	21%	31%
Not ready	37%	29%	36%	43%	31%	42%	29%	36%	42%	36%	39%	25%
Not sure	39%	35%	37%	43%	38%	40%	50%	40%	35%	39%	39%	44%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Weighted N)	(562)	(120)	(189)	(219)	(228)	(335)	(83)	(92)	(236)	(151)	(411)	(124)

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6. Confidence in Candidate Choice

If [First Choice Candidate Name] wins the Presidency, how confident are you he/she could actually do the things they're talking about?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Very liberal	Liberal	Moderate	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent
Very confident	34%	40%	36%	28%	24%	40%	33%	44%	32%	30%	36%	18%
Somewhat confident	57%	51%	57%	58%	60%	55%	59%	52%	58%	57%	57%	64%
Not confident yet	9%	8%	7%	14%	15%	5%	9%	4%	10%	13%	7%	18%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (597)	100% (121)	100% (208)	100% (222)	100% (241)	100% (356)	100% (91)	100% (96)	100% (252)	100% (159)	100% (444)	100% (125)

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7. Paris Attacks Effect on Vote

How much have the terrorism attacks in Paris affected your decision about whom to support for President in 2016?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Very liberal	Liberal	Moderate	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent
A lot	11%	11%	12%	7%	9%	12%	12%	7%	9%	14%	13%	2%
Somewhat	11%	2%	13%	13%	10%	12%	6%	7%	15%	10%	11%	11%
Not much	26%	15%	30%	28%	24%	28%	40%	27%	23%	24%	26%	31%
Not at all	52%	72%	45%	52%	57%	48%	41%	60%	53%	52%	50%	55%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (602)	100% (122)	100% (209)	100% (224)	100% (243)	100% (359)	100% (91)	100% (96)	100% (254)	100% (161)	100% (448)	100% (126)

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8. Clinton Change

If elected, how much change would Hillary Clinton bring to the country?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Very liberal	Liberal	Moderate	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent
A big change	13%	10%	11%	16%	6%	17%	9%	10%	13%	16%	15%	5%
Some change	61%	55%	62%	64%	57%	63%	58%	66%	53%	70%	62%	52%
Not much change	26%	36%	27%	20%	37%	20%	33%	24%	34%	14%	23%	43%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Weighted N)	(602)	(122)	(209)	(224)	(243)	(359)	(91)	(96)	(254)	(161)	(448)	(126)

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9. Sanders Change

If elected, how much change would Bernie Sanders bring to the country?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Very liberal	Liberal	Moderate	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent
A big change	33%	53%	33%	23%	35%	32%	64%	34%	25%	28%	32%	39%
Some change	49%	42%	51%	55%	48%	49%	22%	40%	59%	52%	49%	57%
Not much change	18%	5%	16%	22%	17%	19%	14%	25%	16%	20%	20%	4%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Weighted N)	(598)	(122)	(209)	(221)	(243)	(356)	(91)	(96)	(254)	(157)	(445)	(126)

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10. Democratic Candidate Policy Agreement – Guns

On which of these topics MUST a candidate agree with you to earn your vote, and on which is it okay if there are some differences between you?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Very liberal	Liberal	Moderate	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent
Must agree with you	43%	54%	42%	35%	30%	52%	38%	29%	42%	58%	47%	33%
Okay with some differences	57%	46%	58%	65%	70%	48%	62%	71%	58%	42%	53%	67%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Weighted N)	(601)	(122)	(209)	(224)	(242)	(358)	(91)	(96)	(254)	(160)	(447)	(126)

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11. Democratic Candidate Policy Agreement – Healthcare

On which of these topics MUST a candidate agree with you to earn your vote, and on which is it okay if there are some differences between you?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Very liberal	Liberal	Moderate	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent
Must agree with you	70%	73%	70%	68%	63%	75%	66%	61%	73%	74%	73%	59%
Okay with some differences	30%	27%	30%	32%	37%	25%	34%	39%	27%	26%	27%	41%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Weighted N)	(602)	(122)	(209)	(224)	(243)	(359)	(91)	(96)	(254)	(160)	(448)	(126)

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12. Democratic Candidate Policy Agreement – Campaign Finance

On which of these topics MUST a candidate agree with you to earn your vote, and on which is it okay if there are some differences between you?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Very liberal	Liberal	Moderate	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent
Must agree with you	45%	60%	50%	33%	60%	35%	49%	31%	47%	49%	44%	55%
Okay with some differences	55%	40%	50%	67%	40%	65%	51%	69%	53%	51%	56%	45%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Weighted N)	(597)	(122)	(208)	(223)	(243)	(354)	(91)	(94)	(253)	(159)	(444)	(126)

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13. Democratic Candidate Policy Agreement – Rights and equality

On which of these topics MUST a candidate agree with you to earn your vote, and on which is it okay if there are some differences between you?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Very liberal	Liberal	Moderate	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent
Must agree with you	79%	87%	77%	75%	71%	84%	92%	85%	74%	75%	79%	77%
Okay with some differences	21%	13%	23%	25%	29%	16%	8%	15%	26%	25%	21%	23%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (599)	100% (122)	100% (209)	100% (224)	100% (243)	100% (356)	100% (91)	100% (94)	100% (253)	100% (160)	100% (445)	100% (126)

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14. Democratic Candidate Policy Agreement – Handling ISIS

On which of these topics MUST a candidate agree with you to earn your vote, and on which is it okay if there are some differences between you?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Very liberal	Liberal	Moderate	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent
Must agree with you	37%	29%	33%	42%	30%	42%	28%	32%	35%	49%	35%	34%
Okay with some differences	63%	71%	67%	58%	70%	58%	72%	68%	65%	51%	65%	66%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Weighted N)	(594)	(119)	(208)	(223)	(243)	(352)	(91)	(94)	(254)	(156)	(441)	(126)

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15. Candidate's Policies Toward Wall Street – Hillary Clinton

Do you think the candidates' policies toward Wall Street would be ...?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Very liberal	Liberal	Moderate	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent
Too tough	3%	0%	5%	1%	2%	3%	10%	1%	2%	1%	4%	1%
Too easy	53%	67%	57%	45%	62%	46%	62%	61%	51%	46%	46%	72%
About right	44%	33%	38%	54%	35%	51%	28%	39%	47%	53%	50%	27%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Weighted N)	(594)	(122)	(202)	(223)	(243)	(352)	(91)	(96)	(252)	(155)	(441)	(126)

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16. Candidate's Policies Toward Wall Street – Bernie Sanders Do you think the candidates' policies toward Wall Street would be ...? *Asked of Democratic primary voters*

	Total	Ideology			Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Very liberal	Liberal	Moderate	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent
Too tough	15%	8%	20%	15%	13%	17%	1%	10%	13%	31%	17%	9%
Too easy	14%	4%	5%	27%	13%	15%	5%	27%	10%	19%	11%	14%
About right	71%	89%	74%	58%	74%	69%	94%	63%	77%	51%	71%	77%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (590)	100% (122)	100% (204)	100% (221)	100% (243)	100% (347)	100% (91)	100% (93)	100% (251)	100% (154)	100% (436)	100% (126)

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17. Candidate's Policies Toward Wall Street – Martin O'Malley

Do you think the candidates' policies toward Wall Street would be ...?
Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Very liberal	Liberal	Moderate	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent
Too tough	5%	0%	9%	2%	5%	6%	14%	2%	3%	7%	6%	2%
Too easy	42%	53%	38%	38%	31%	49%	50%	50%	38%	36%	40%	41%
About right	53%	47%	53%	60%	64%	45%	36%	48%	59%	57%	54%	57%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (555)	100% (118)	100% (188)	100% (207)	100% (228)	100% (327)	100% (86)	100% (92)	100% (239)	100% (138)	100% (412)	100% (116)

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18. Invite to Thanksgiving Dinner – Donald Trump

Which of these candidates would you invite to Thanksgiving dinner, if you could?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Very liberal	Liberal	Moderate	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent
Invite	10%	9%	10%	6%	13%	8%	13%	9%	10%	8%	10%	9%
Not Invite	90%	91%	90%	94%	87%	92%	87%	91%	90%	92%	90%	91%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (587)	100% (120)	100% (199)	100% (222)	100% (232)	100% (355)	100% (91)	100% (95)	100% (250)	100% (151)	100% (437)	100% (123)

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19. Invite to Thanksgiving Dinner – Ben Carson

Which of these candidates would you invite to Thanksgiving dinner, if you could?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Very liberal	Liberal	Moderate	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent
Invite	18%	11%	12%	27%	11%	22%	16%	31%	12%	20%	15%	14%
Not Invite	82%	89%	88%	73%	89%	78%	84%	69%	88%	80%	85%	86%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (585)	100% (120)	100% (201)	100% (218)	100% (231)	100% (354)	100% (91)	100% (94)	100% (249)	100% (152)	100% (435)	100% (123)

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20. Invite to Thanksgiving Dinner – Ted Cruz

Which of these candidates would you invite to Thanksgiving dinner, if you could?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Very liberal	Liberal	Moderate	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent
Invite	5%	4%	2%	10%	3%	7%	2%	18%	3%	3%	3%	1%
Not Invite	95%	96%	98%	90%	97%	93%	98%	82%	97%	97%	97%	99%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Weighted N)	(585)	(120)	(198)	(220)	(230)	(354)	(91)	(95)	(248)	(151)	(434)	(123)

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21. Invite to Thanksgiving Dinner – Marco Rubio

Which of these candidates would you invite to Thanksgiving dinner, if you could?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Very liberal	Liberal	Moderate	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent
Invite	19%	12%	16%	25%	14%	22%	12%	31%	18%	15%	18%	12%
Not Invite	81%	88%	84%	75%	86%	78%	88%	69%	82%	85%	82%	88%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Weighted N)	(583)	(117)	(200)	(220)	(232)	(352)	(88)	(94)	(250)	(150)	(433)	(123)

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22. Invite to Thanksgiving Dinner – Jeb Bush

Which of these candidates would you invite to Thanksgiving dinner, if you could?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Very liberal	Liberal	Moderate	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent
Invite	23%	10%	20%	33%	22%	23%	8%	25%	28%	21%	17%	31%
Not Invite	77%	90%	80%	67%	78%	77%	92%	75%	72%	79%	83%	69%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (587)	100% (120)	100% (200)	100% (221)	100% (232)	100% (355)	100% (91)	100% (95)	100% (250)	100% (151)	100% (436)	100% (123)

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23. Invite to Thanksgiving Dinner – Hillary Clinton

Which of these candidates would you invite to Thanksgiving dinner, if you could?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Very liberal	Liberal	Moderate	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent
Invite	81%	79%	84%	82%	74%	85%	78%	69%	81%	89%	86%	62%
Not Invite	19%	21%	16%	18%	26%	15%	22%	31%	19%	11%	14%	38%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (594)	100% (120)	100% (204)	100% (223)	100% (235)	100% (359)	100% (91)	100% (94)	100% (252)	100% (157)	100% (445)	100% (122)

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24. Invite to Thanksgiving Dinner – Bernie Sanders

Which of these candidates would you invite to Thanksgiving dinner, if you could?

Asked of Democratic primary voters

	Total	Ideology			Gender		Age group				Party ID	
		Very liberal	Liberal	Moderate	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent
Invite	79%	87%	85%	74%	84%	75%	77%	66%	86%	76%	80%	87%
Not Invite	21%	13%	15%	26%	16%	25%	23%	34%	14%	24%	20%	13%
Totals (Weighted N)	100% (596)	100% (122)	100% (206)	100% (222)	100% (240)	100% (356)	100% (91)	100% (96)	100% (252)	100% (158)	100% (443)	100% (126)