

Sample 1000 U.S. Adult Citizens
 Conducted April 10 - 14, 2023
 Margin of Error ±3.4%

1. Do you think the country is more divided or more united than usual, or is it about the same?

More united	11%
More divided	65%
About the same as usual	18%
Not sure	5%

2. Do you think Democrats are more divided or more united than usual, or are they about the same?

More united	30%
More divided	26%
About the same as usual	30%
Not sure	14%

3. Do you think Republicans are more divided or more united than usual, or are they about the same?

More united	20%
More divided	39%
About the same as usual	28%
Not sure	13%

4. Federal preemption of state authority occurs when a law made by the federal government takes precedence over a law made by a state government. This means that if there is a conflict between a federal law and a state law, the federal law is in effect and the state law cannot be enforced. Do you support or oppose the federal government having the ability to preempt certain state laws?

Strongly support	18%
Somewhat support	26%
Somewhat oppose	20%
Strongly oppose	19%
Not sure	17%

5. State preemption of local authority occurs when a law made by the state government takes precedence over a law made by a local government within that state. This means that if there is a conflict between a state law and a local law, the state law is in effect and the local law cannot be enforced. Do you support or oppose state governments having the ability to preempt certain local laws?

Strongly support	14%
Somewhat support	37%
Somewhat oppose	22%
Strongly oppose	10%
Not sure	18%

6. How often do you think Republican-controlled state governments override the laws of local governments that are controlled by Democrats?

Very often	19%
Somewhat often	27%
Not very often	26%
Never	4%
Not sure	24%

7. How often do you think Democratic-controlled state governments override the laws of local governments that are controlled by Republicans?

Very often	19%
Somewhat often	28%
Not very often	24%
Never	4%
Not sure	24%

8. Which comes closest to your opinion of preemption laws?

They are necessary to maintain consistency across a state	33%
They limit the ability of local governments to address the unique needs of their communities	42%
Not sure	25%

9. Which party do you think controls the government at the following level? You will not be penalized if you do not know the answer or answer incorrectly.

	Democrats	Republi- cans	Divided between Democrats and Re- publicans	Not sure
The federal government	37%	16%	32%	15%
Your state government	34%	37%	17%	12%
Your state legislature	33%	34%	17%	16%
Your local government	33%	30%	20%	17%

10. As best as you can recall, is the current governor of your state...?

A Democrat	46%
A Republican	37%
Neither	5%
Not sure	12%

11. As far as you know, how often does your state government override local laws in your community?

Very often	8%
Somewhat often	18%
Not very often	31%
Never	6%
Not sure	36%

12. How concerned are you about the state government overriding local laws in your community?

Very concerned	14%
Somewhat concerned	27%
Not very concerned	31%
Not at all concerned	12%
Not sure	16%

13. Should your state government be able to override local laws when it comes to the following policy matters?

	Yes	No	Not sure
Gun access	45%	37%	18%
LGBTQ issues	37%	39%	24%
Environmental regulations	46%	34%	20%
Immigration	47%	33%	20%
Minimum wage	48%	34%	17%
Marijuana legalization	44%	38%	17%
Abortion	41%	40%	19%
Civil rights	46%	35%	19%
Law enforcement	43%	37%	20%
Land use and zoning	30%	48%	22%

14. When you think of the political ideology of Americans in the U.S., do you think they are...?

Completely liberal	4%
Mostly liberal	22%
Equally split between liberal and conservative	39%
Mostly conservative	16%
Completely conservative	4%
Not sure	15%

15. When you think of the political ideology of Americans living in cities, do you think they are...?

Completely liberal	11%
Mostly liberal	42%
Equally split between liberal and conservative	25%
Mostly conservative	8%
Completely conservative	3%
Not sure	13%

16. When you think of the political ideology of Americans living in suburbs, do you think they are... ?

Completely liberal	3%
Mostly liberal	16%
Equally split between liberal and conservative	42%
Mostly conservative	22%
Completely conservative	4%
Not sure	14%

17. When you think of the political ideology of Americans living in rural communities, do you think they are... ?

Completely liberal	2%
Mostly liberal	7%
Equally split between liberal and conservative	18%
Mostly conservative	49%
Completely conservative	10%
Not sure	13%

18. American voters living in cities and American voters living in rural areas have grown further apart in their partisan preferences over the last few decades. Do you think this is good or bad for the country?

Very good	5%
Somewhat good	8%
Neither good nor bad	24%
Somewhat bad	28%
Very bad	20%
Not sure	14%

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Interviewing Dates	April 10 - 14, 2023
Target population	U.S. citizens, aged 18 and over.
Sampling method	Respondents were selected from YouGov's opt-in Internet panel using sample matching. A random sample (stratified by gender, age, race, education, geographic region, and voter registration) was selected from the 2019 American Community Survey.
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 March 15, 2022, and is weighted to the estimated distribution at that time (33% Democratic, 28% Republican). The weights range from 0.221 to 6.006, with a mean of 1 and a standard deviation of 0.465.
Number of respondents	1000
Margin of error	± 3.4% (adjusted for weighting)
Survey mode	Web-based interviews
Questions not reported	50 questions not reported.

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1. Country United

Do you think the country is more divided or more united than usual, or is it about the same?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
More united	11%	14%	9%	26%	17%	4%	2%	8%	20%	17%	*
More divided	65%	62%	69%	38%	52%	78%	87%	74%	46%	49%	*
About the same as usual	18%	19%	18%	28%	22%	15%	10%	16%	28%	21%	*
Not sure	5%	5%	5%	8%	9%	3%	0%	3%	6%	13%	*
Totals	99%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	99%	101%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(997)	(477)	(520)	(209)	(235)	(325)	(228)	(655)	(122)	(163)	(57)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
More united	11%	18%	5%	11%	12%	8%	7%	14%	20%	10%	11%	9%	16%
More divided	65%	59%	65%	73%	67%	80%	66%	66%	63%	63%	69%	67%	62%
About the same as usual	18%	20%	21%	12%	18%	11%	20%	18%	14%	21%	17%	19%	17%
Not sure	5%	2%	9%	3%	3%	1%	7%	2%	2%	6%	4%	5%	5%
Totals	99%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	101%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(997)	(375)	(363)	(259)	(395)	(322)	(401)	(300)	(198)	(181)	(224)	(342)	(250)

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2. Party Unity - Democrats

Do you think Democrats are more divided or more united than usual, or are they about the same?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
More united	30%	32%	27%	33%	29%	26%	32%	26%	41%	34%	*
More divided	26%	27%	25%	23%	25%	27%	28%	28%	16%	24%	*
About the same as usual	30%	28%	32%	27%	24%	36%	33%	33%	26%	22%	*
Not sure	14%	13%	16%	17%	22%	11%	7%	12%	17%	20%	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(994)	(475)	(519)	(210)	(233)	(324)	(227)	(656)	(121)	(160)	(57)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
More united	30%	50%	18%	22%	47%	21%	26%	37%	34%	30%	29%	27%	33%
More divided	26%	16%	27%	36%	14%	39%	24%	27%	30%	22%	26%	27%	26%
About the same as usual	30%	27%	33%	31%	33%	29%	32%	27%	29%	31%	32%	30%	30%
Not sure	14%	7%	22%	11%	5%	11%	18%	10%	6%	17%	13%	16%	11%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(994)	(373)	(362)	(259)	(392)	(324)	(400)	(299)	(198)	(181)	(223)	(341)	(249)

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3. Party Unity - Republicans

Do you think Republicans are more divided or more united than usual, or are they about the same?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
More united	20%	20%	19%	23%	24%	15%	19%	19%	22%	20%	*
More divided	39%	39%	40%	29%	34%	46%	45%	41%	30%	39%	*
About the same as usual	28%	30%	27%	34%	23%	28%	29%	30%	29%	24%	*
Not sure	13%	11%	15%	14%	19%	11%	7%	10%	20%	17%	*
Totals	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(996)	(477)	(519)	(210)	(234)	(324)	(228)	(656)	(121)	(162)	(57)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
More united	20%	16%	13%	34%	14%	30%	17%	18%	31%	16%	20%	19%	24%
More divided	39%	48%	38%	30%	53%	34%	39%	42%	39%	36%	44%	36%	42%
About the same as usual	28%	26%	28%	32%	26%	29%	28%	29%	26%	31%	25%	33%	23%
Not sure	13%	9%	21%	5%	8%	7%	16%	11%	4%	17%	11%	13%	11%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	101%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%
Unweighted N	(996)	(375)	(362)	(259)	(394)	(324)	(402)	(300)	(197)	(181)	(223)	(342)	(250)

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4. Support Federal Preemption of State Laws

Federal preemption of state authority occurs when a law made by the federal government takes precedence over a law made by a state government. This means that if there is a conflict between a federal law and a state law, the federal law is in effect and the state law cannot be enforced. Do you support or oppose the federal government having the ability to preempt certain state laws?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Strongly support	18%	22%	14%	18%	13%	18%	24%	17%	23%	14%	*
Somewhat support	26%	25%	26%	35%	28%	20%	21%	25%	30%	29%	*
Somewhat oppose	20%	19%	22%	22%	22%	20%	17%	23%	14%	20%	*
Strongly oppose	19%	21%	17%	9%	12%	26%	24%	20%	11%	16%	*
Not sure	17%	13%	22%	17%	24%	16%	13%	15%	23%	21%	*
Totals	100%	100%	101%	101%	99%	100%	99%	100%	101%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(995)	(477)	(518)	(211)	(232)	(324)	(228)	(654)	(121)	(163)	(57)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Strongly support	18%	29%	15%	10%	33%	10%	14%	20%	25%	14%	18%	19%	21%
Somewhat support	26%	33%	22%	21%	30%	16%	24%	32%	27%	26%	22%	26%	28%
Somewhat oppose	20%	17%	19%	26%	14%	28%	21%	23%	20%	16%	23%	23%	16%
Strongly oppose	19%	7%	21%	29%	8%	35%	18%	17%	18%	19%	20%	18%	18%
Not sure	17%	15%	23%	13%	15%	11%	24%	8%	10%	25%	17%	14%	17%
Totals	100%	101%	100%	99%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(995)	(373)	(362)	(260)	(393)	(323)	(401)	(300)	(197)	(179)	(223)	(343)	(250)

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5. Support State Preemption of Local Laws

State preemption of local authority occurs when a law made by the state government takes precedence over a law made by a local government within that state. This means that if there is a conflict between a state law and a local law, the state law is in effect and the local law cannot be enforced. Do you support or oppose state governments having the ability to preempt certain local laws?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Strongly support	14%	19%	9%	17%	11%	14%	13%	14%	17%	9%	*
Somewhat support	37%	38%	35%	43%	36%	31%	39%	37%	35%	35%	*
Somewhat oppose	22%	20%	23%	18%	20%	23%	24%	22%	21%	22%	*
Strongly oppose	10%	10%	9%	5%	9%	13%	9%	11%	6%	9%	*
Not sure	18%	12%	25%	17%	24%	18%	15%	17%	20%	26%	*
Totals	101%	99%	101%	100%	100%	99%	100%	101%	99%	101%	*
Unweighted N	(995)	(475)	(520)	(210)	(233)	(325)	(227)	(654)	(122)	(162)	(57)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Strongly support	14%	17%	12%	11%	17%	14%	12%	13%	16%	11%	13%	13%	18%
Somewhat support	37%	40%	35%	35%	37%	33%	31%	47%	39%	37%	31%	37%	41%
Somewhat oppose	22%	23%	19%	24%	25%	24%	24%	21%	21%	18%	25%	24%	17%
Strongly oppose	10%	5%	10%	14%	6%	15%	9%	10%	14%	11%	10%	10%	7%
Not sure	18%	15%	24%	15%	14%	14%	25%	10%	11%	22%	21%	16%	17%
Totals	101%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	101%	101%	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(995)	(373)	(361)	(261)	(392)	(324)	(400)	(300)	(198)	(181)	(223)	(342)	(249)

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6. Preempting Local Democrats

How often do you think Republican-controlled state governments override the laws of local governments that are controlled by Democrats?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very often	19%	20%	17%	15%	14%	21%	24%	16%	23%	22%	*
Somewhat often	27%	30%	24%	31%	29%	22%	28%	27%	30%	30%	*
Not very often	26%	24%	28%	28%	22%	27%	27%	28%	20%	17%	*
Never	4%	5%	3%	4%	6%	4%	2%	3%	1%	6%	*
Not sure	24%	21%	28%	22%	28%	26%	20%	25%	26%	24%	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	101%	99%	100%	99%	*
Unweighted N	(993)	(475)	(518)	(209)	(232)	(324)	(228)	(652)	(122)	(162)	(57)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very often	19%	31%	15%	10%	34%	11%	16%	21%	24%	20%	19%	16%	22%
Somewhat often	27%	33%	25%	22%	33%	21%	29%	29%	24%	26%	23%	30%	26%
Not very often	26%	17%	22%	42%	15%	42%	21%	27%	35%	24%	28%	26%	26%
Never	4%	2%	3%	8%	1%	6%	4%	4%	4%	5%	5%	3%	4%
Not sure	24%	17%	35%	18%	17%	21%	31%	19%	13%	25%	25%	25%	21%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Unweighted N	(993)	(372)	(361)	(260)	(391)	(324)	(400)	(298)	(198)	(180)	(223)	(341)	(249)

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7. Preempting Local Republicans

How often do you think Democratic-controlled state governments override the laws of local governments that are controlled by Republicans?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very often	19%	24%	15%	16%	14%	22%	24%	22%	10%	17%	*
Somewhat often	28%	30%	26%	32%	29%	24%	28%	28%	23%	29%	*
Not very often	24%	19%	29%	25%	24%	24%	26%	22%	37%	22%	*
Never	4%	4%	4%	3%	7%	3%	2%	2%	6%	10%	*
Not sure	24%	22%	26%	24%	26%	26%	20%	26%	24%	23%	*
Totals	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	101%	*
Unweighted N	(993)	(475)	(518)	(208)	(234)	(323)	(228)	(652)	(121)	(163)	(57)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very often	19%	9%	19%	32%	8%	42%	15%	18%	27%	21%	24%	17%	18%
Somewhat often	28%	28%	23%	35%	26%	31%	26%	32%	31%	25%	28%	31%	25%
Not very often	24%	38%	20%	14%	44%	9%	21%	29%	28%	25%	21%	22%	31%
Never	4%	5%	3%	4%	4%	3%	5%	2%	4%	5%	4%	3%	4%
Not sure	24%	20%	35%	15%	19%	15%	33%	19%	10%	24%	24%	26%	23%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	99%	101%
Unweighted N	(993)	(374)	(358)	(261)	(393)	(323)	(397)	(301)	(198)	(180)	(222)	(342)	(249)

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8. Consistency or Limits

Which comes closest to your opinion of preemption laws?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
They are necessary to maintain consistency across a state	33%	40%	27%	38%	34%	28%	36%	32%	36%	34%	*
They limit the ability of local governments to address the unique needs of their communities	42%	40%	43%	37%	35%	48%	43%	43%	36%	38%	*
Not sure	25%	20%	30%	25%	31%	24%	20%	24%	28%	28%	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(997)	(478)	(519)	(211)	(234)	(324)	(228)	(656)	(121)	(163)	(57)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
They are necessary to maintain consistency across a state	33%	38%	33%	28%	38%	33%	28%	40%	38%	30%	31%	30%	44%
They limit the ability of local governments to address the unique needs of their communities	42%	38%	39%	50%	37%	50%	40%	44%	45%	43%	46%	44%	33%
Not sure	25%	25%	28%	22%	25%	17%	32%	16%	17%	27%	23%	27%	23%
Totals	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%
Unweighted N	(997)	(374)	(362)	(261)	(393)	(324)	(402)	(300)	(198)	(181)	(224)	(343)	(249)

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9A. Government Control — The federal government

Which party do you think controls the government at the following level? You will not be penalized if you do not know the answer or answer incorrectly.

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Democrats	37%	36%	37%	38%	26%	39%	44%	39%	32%	27%	*
Republicans	16%	16%	16%	20%	23%	13%	9%	12%	27%	26%	*
Divided between Democrats and Republicans	32%	35%	30%	26%	27%	36%	39%	36%	21%	24%	*
Not sure	15%	13%	16%	15%	24%	12%	8%	13%	19%	23%	*
Totals	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(989)	(472)	(517)	(210)	(232)	(324)	(223)	(650)	(121)	(163)	(55)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Democrats	37%	34%	28%	53%	30%	56%	28%	41%	49%	37%	41%	36%	35%
Republicans	16%	17%	15%	17%	18%	13%	20%	13%	16%	17%	11%	18%	16%
Divided between Democrats and Republicans	32%	39%	33%	23%	45%	24%	31%	36%	30%	25%	34%	33%	35%
Not sure	15%	10%	25%	7%	7%	6%	21%	9%	5%	22%	14%	13%	14%
Totals	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(989)	(372)	(360)	(257)	(389)	(324)	(397)	(298)	(197)	(180)	(221)	(341)	(247)

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9B. Government Control — Your state government

Which party do you think controls the government at the following level? You will not be penalized if you do not know the answer or answer incorrectly.

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Democrats	34%	34%	34%	34%	24%	38%	40%	36%	27%	31%	*
Republicans	37%	38%	35%	32%	35%	37%	42%	39%	35%	29%	*
Divided between Democrats and Republicans	17%	18%	16%	18%	20%	16%	12%	15%	20%	20%	*
Not sure	12%	10%	15%	16%	21%	9%	5%	10%	19%	20%	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	101%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(988)	(476)	(512)	(210)	(232)	(323)	(223)	(650)	(120)	(161)	(57)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Democrats	34%	41%	28%	36%	42%	39%	29%	37%	44%	49%	41%	12%	54%
Republicans	37%	29%	34%	49%	35%	43%	36%	39%	38%	15%	34%	57%	21%
Divided between Democrats and Republicans	17%	21%	18%	10%	16%	13%	19%	16%	13%	18%	13%	19%	16%
Not sure	12%	9%	20%	6%	6%	5%	17%	7%	5%	18%	12%	12%	9%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	101%	99%	100%	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(988)	(372)	(358)	(258)	(391)	(320)	(396)	(299)	(197)	(180)	(222)	(340)	(246)

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9C. Government Control — Your state legislature

Which party do you think controls the government at the following level? You will not be penalized if you do not know the answer or answer incorrectly.

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Democrats	33%	34%	33%	34%	24%	36%	39%	35%	29%	31%	*
Republicans	34%	34%	33%	25%	31%	35%	41%	37%	29%	20%	*
Divided between Democrats and Republicans	17%	18%	16%	18%	21%	16%	12%	15%	17%	22%	*
Not sure	16%	13%	19%	23%	24%	12%	8%	13%	25%	27%	*
Totals	100%	99%	101%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(985)	(470)	(515)	(207)	(233)	(322)	(223)	(648)	(120)	(162)	(55)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Democrats	33%	39%	28%	34%	42%	37%	27%	37%	46%	50%	38%	13%	51%
Republicans	34%	27%	30%	46%	33%	43%	31%	38%	36%	12%	29%	54%	20%
Divided between Democrats and Republicans	17%	20%	19%	10%	15%	11%	20%	16%	11%	17%	19%	17%	15%
Not sure	16%	13%	23%	10%	11%	9%	23%	10%	6%	21%	14%	16%	15%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	101%	100%	101%	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%	101%
Unweighted N	(985)	(367)	(360)	(258)	(388)	(321)	(397)	(296)	(195)	(178)	(220)	(339)	(248)

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9D. Government Control — Your local government

Which party do you think controls the government at the following level? You will not be penalized if you do not know the answer or answer incorrectly.

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Democrats	33%	36%	29%	36%	27%	31%	39%	31%	34%	34%	*
Republicans	30%	28%	32%	25%	33%	31%	29%	33%	22%	23%	*
Divided between Democrats and Republicans	20%	23%	18%	24%	17%	22%	19%	20%	22%	18%	*
Not sure	17%	13%	20%	15%	23%	16%	13%	15%	22%	24%	*
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	*
Unweighted N	(993)	(473)	(520)	(210)	(232)	(324)	(227)	(651)	(122)	(163)	(57)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Democrats	33%	42%	28%	29%	39%	35%	24%	41%	41%	36%	33%	26%	41%
Republicans	30%	21%	25%	47%	27%	38%	31%	28%	35%	24%	29%	36%	25%
Divided between Democrats and Republicans	20%	22%	22%	16%	19%	18%	21%	21%	16%	15%	22%	22%	20%
Not sure	17%	15%	25%	8%	15%	9%	23%	10%	8%	24%	16%	16%	14%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(993)	(373)	(361)	(259)	(393)	(321)	(399)	(301)	(196)	(180)	(223)	(340)	(250)

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10. Party of Own State's Governor

As best as you can recall, is the current governor of your state. . . ?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
A Democrat	46%	48%	44%	51%	35%	49%	47%	46%	36%	46%	*
A Republican	37%	36%	39%	26%	32%	41%	49%	40%	35%	29%	*
Neither	5%	6%	4%	6%	9%	4%	0%	4%	7%	9%	*
Not sure	12%	10%	13%	17%	24%	5%	4%	10%	22%	16%	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(995)	(476)	(519)	(210)	(232)	(325)	(228)	(655)	(122)	(162)	(56)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
A Democrat	46%	64%	37%	37%	56%	43%	43%	46%	55%	70%	51%	22%	62%
A Republican	37%	28%	31%	57%	34%	52%	34%	43%	39%	8%	33%	61%	24%
Neither	5%	2%	10%	2%	3%	2%	7%	4%	2%	8%	3%	5%	4%
Not sure	12%	6%	22%	4%	7%	4%	16%	7%	4%	14%	12%	12%	10%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(995)	(375)	(359)	(261)	(392)	(324)	(401)	(299)	(198)	(180)	(223)	(343)	(249)

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11. Frequency of Preemption

As far as you know, how often does your state government override local laws in your community?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very often	8%	9%	8%	14%	9%	7%	4%	7%	13%	10%	*
Somewhat often	18%	21%	15%	27%	17%	16%	13%	17%	19%	25%	*
Not very often	31%	32%	31%	26%	28%	30%	41%	33%	28%	25%	*
Never	6%	8%	4%	7%	7%	7%	3%	6%	5%	3%	*
Not sure	36%	30%	42%	26%	39%	39%	38%	37%	34%	37%	*
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	99%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(995)	(478)	(517)	(211)	(232)	(324)	(228)	(655)	(122)	(162)	(56)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very often	8%	10%	7%	8%	10%	9%	6%	7%	16%	9%	10%	6%	11%
Somewhat often	18%	20%	17%	16%	19%	16%	17%	21%	20%	16%	19%	17%	20%
Not very often	31%	35%	26%	33%	34%	36%	28%	36%	38%	34%	27%	31%	33%
Never	6%	5%	6%	8%	6%	5%	5%	6%	6%	5%	6%	8%	5%
Not sure	36%	29%	44%	34%	31%	34%	45%	29%	21%	36%	39%	38%	32%
Totals	99%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	101%	99%	101%	100%	101%	100%	101%
Unweighted N	(995)	(374)	(361)	(260)	(393)	(324)	(400)	(301)	(198)	(180)	(223)	(343)	(249)

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12. Worry About Preemption (1)

How concerned are you about the state government overriding local laws in your community?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very concerned	14%	12%	16%	15%	13%	16%	12%	12%	28%	14%	*
Somewhat concerned	27%	28%	26%	35%	31%	26%	18%	27%	30%	31%	*
Not very concerned	31%	32%	30%	24%	23%	33%	43%	32%	21%	27%	*
Not at all concerned	12%	15%	10%	14%	11%	9%	16%	13%	5%	10%	*
Not sure	16%	13%	18%	12%	23%	16%	11%	16%	16%	18%	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(995)	(478)	(517)	(209)	(233)	(325)	(228)	(654)	(122)	(162)	(57)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very concerned	14%	17%	13%	12%	19%	14%	13%	12%	17%	13%	12%	13%	19%
Somewhat concerned	27%	32%	23%	27%	27%	27%	24%	32%	30%	30%	25%	28%	25%
Not very concerned	31%	31%	28%	35%	30%	36%	29%	36%	33%	28%	31%	36%	26%
Not at all concerned	12%	9%	15%	12%	13%	10%	11%	12%	12%	12%	13%	11%	13%
Not sure	16%	11%	21%	14%	11%	12%	23%	8%	7%	17%	19%	12%	17%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(995)	(374)	(361)	(260)	(394)	(322)	(402)	(300)	(197)	(179)	(224)	(342)	(250)

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13A. Preemption Topics — Gun access

Should your state government be able to override local laws when it comes to the following policy matters?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	45%	46%	44%	46%	42%	42%	51%	44%	45%	44%	*
No	37%	37%	38%	36%	33%	40%	39%	39%	42%	34%	*
Not sure	18%	17%	18%	18%	24%	17%	11%	17%	13%	23%	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	101%	100%	100%	101%	*
Unweighted N	(987)	(472)	(515)	(208)	(229)	(322)	(228)	(650)	(122)	(158)	(57)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	45%	48%	48%	37%	52%	39%	44%	49%	44%	42%	41%	44%	52%
No	37%	33%	32%	50%	32%	48%	35%	41%	42%	33%	42%	39%	34%
Not sure	18%	19%	20%	13%	16%	12%	21%	10%	14%	24%	17%	17%	15%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	101%
Unweighted N	(987)	(369)	(358)	(260)	(388)	(322)	(398)	(296)	(197)	(177)	(222)	(340)	(248)

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13B. Preemption Topics — LGBTQ issues

Should your state government be able to override local laws when it comes to the following policy matters?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	37%	41%	33%	39%	35%	31%	45%	38%	36%	37%	*
No	39%	38%	40%	39%	36%	43%	37%	41%	41%	31%	*
Not sure	24%	21%	27%	21%	30%	26%	18%	22%	23%	32%	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	101%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(991)	(474)	(517)	(210)	(230)	(323)	(228)	(653)	(121)	(160)	(57)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	37%	36%	37%	36%	41%	35%	33%	42%	41%	33%	34%	36%	45%
No	39%	41%	36%	42%	37%	44%	38%	42%	40%	36%	45%	40%	35%
Not sure	24%	23%	27%	21%	22%	20%	29%	16%	19%	31%	21%	24%	20%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(991)	(372)	(359)	(260)	(391)	(323)	(399)	(299)	(197)	(178)	(223)	(342)	(248)

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13C. Preemption Topics — Environmental regulations

Should your state government be able to override local laws when it comes to the following policy matters?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	46%	50%	42%	49%	40%	45%	51%	46%	46%	48%	*
No	34%	33%	34%	27%	34%	36%	36%	35%	34%	28%	*
Not sure	20%	17%	24%	24%	25%	19%	14%	19%	20%	24%	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(989)	(474)	(515)	(208)	(230)	(323)	(228)	(652)	(122)	(158)	(57)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	46%	51%	45%	42%	53%	45%	42%	50%	49%	45%	47%	42%	54%
No	34%	31%	28%	44%	29%	43%	32%	36%	38%	30%	33%	37%	31%
Not sure	20%	18%	27%	14%	18%	13%	26%	14%	13%	25%	20%	22%	16%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	101%
Unweighted N	(989)	(371)	(358)	(260)	(388)	(324)	(397)	(300)	(196)	(177)	(221)	(342)	(249)

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13D. Preemption Topics — Immigration

Should your state government be able to override local laws when it comes to the following policy matters?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	47%	50%	43%	45%	34%	48%	60%	48%	41%	45%	*
No	33%	33%	34%	33%	39%	33%	29%	34%	40%	29%	*
Not sure	20%	17%	23%	22%	28%	19%	11%	18%	19%	26%	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(986)	(472)	(514)	(207)	(228)	(323)	(228)	(651)	(120)	(159)	(56)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	47%	44%	47%	48%	49%	51%	46%	51%	44%	47%	48%	46%	46%
No	33%	36%	28%	38%	32%	37%	30%	33%	43%	25%	33%	37%	33%
Not sure	20%	19%	25%	14%	19%	12%	24%	16%	13%	28%	19%	16%	21%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	(986)	(370)	(357)	(259)	(389)	(322)	(395)	(299)	(196)	(175)	(223)	(340)	(248)

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13E. Preemption Topics — Minimum wage

Should your state government be able to override local laws when it comes to the following policy matters?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	48%	51%	46%	53%	44%	47%	50%	48%	52%	51%	*
No	34%	34%	34%	28%	31%	38%	39%	36%	31%	28%	*
Not sure	17%	16%	19%	19%	25%	15%	11%	16%	17%	21%	*
Totals	99%	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(987)	(470)	(517)	(206)	(231)	(322)	(228)	(650)	(121)	(159)	(57)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	48%	51%	48%	45%	52%	44%	49%	54%	41%	46%	50%	48%	49%
No	34%	33%	30%	41%	33%	44%	31%	35%	46%	29%	36%	36%	34%
Not sure	17%	16%	21%	14%	15%	12%	21%	12%	13%	25%	14%	17%	17%
Totals	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	101%	101%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%
Unweighted N	(987)	(370)	(358)	(259)	(389)	(322)	(394)	(300)	(197)	(179)	(218)	(341)	(249)

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13F. Preemption Topics — Marijuana legalization

Should your state government be able to override local laws when it comes to the following policy matters?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	44%	49%	39%	44%	34%	43%	57%	46%	45%	36%	*
No	38%	35%	42%	31%	43%	44%	32%	38%	35%	42%	*
Not sure	17%	16%	19%	25%	22%	14%	11%	15%	19%	22%	*
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	101%	100%	99%	99%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(990)	(473)	(517)	(209)	(230)	(323)	(228)	(653)	(121)	(159)	(57)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	44%	42%	44%	46%	46%	47%	42%	48%	43%	37%	40%	46%	51%
No	38%	37%	35%	44%	37%	43%	37%	39%	45%	40%	44%	37%	35%
Not sure	17%	21%	20%	9%	17%	10%	21%	13%	12%	23%	16%	17%	15%
Totals	99%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%
Unweighted N	(990)	(370)	(360)	(260)	(389)	(323)	(399)	(298)	(197)	(179)	(222)	(341)	(248)

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13G. Preemption Topics — Abortion

Should your state government be able to override local laws when it comes to the following policy matters?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	41%	44%	37%	38%	36%	40%	49%	43%	33%	36%	*
No	40%	37%	44%	40%	39%	45%	36%	40%	48%	41%	*
Not sure	19%	19%	19%	22%	26%	15%	15%	17%	19%	23%	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(990)	(472)	(518)	(208)	(232)	(322)	(228)	(652)	(122)	(160)	(56)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	41%	39%	42%	40%	43%	43%	38%	44%	42%	40%	36%	39%	47%
No	40%	41%	36%	45%	40%	44%	39%	42%	44%	32%	45%	44%	36%
Not sure	19%	20%	22%	14%	17%	12%	24%	14%	14%	27%	18%	17%	17%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	101%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(990)	(371)	(359)	(260)	(390)	(323)	(399)	(298)	(197)	(178)	(223)	(342)	(247)

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13H. Preemption Topics — Civil rights

Should your state government be able to override local laws when it comes to the following policy matters?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	46%	47%	45%	46%	45%	44%	51%	46%	49%	53%	*
No	35%	35%	35%	31%	32%	39%	36%	36%	36%	28%	*
Not sure	19%	18%	19%	22%	23%	17%	13%	18%	16%	19%	*
Totals	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(988)	(472)	(516)	(208)	(231)	(321)	(228)	(651)	(121)	(159)	(57)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	46%	49%	47%	43%	51%	43%	43%	54%	47%	47%	48%	41%	53%
No	35%	35%	31%	41%	34%	43%	35%	37%	36%	30%	34%	39%	33%
Not sure	19%	16%	22%	16%	15%	14%	23%	10%	17%	23%	18%	19%	14%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	101%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	(988)	(372)	(357)	(259)	(389)	(322)	(398)	(300)	(195)	(177)	(223)	(341)	(247)

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13I. Preemption Topics — Law enforcement

Should your state government be able to override local laws when it comes to the following policy matters?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	43%	47%	39%	41%	44%	39%	50%	41%	47%	49%	*
No	37%	35%	39%	34%	32%	42%	39%	40%	33%	30%	*
Not sure	20%	18%	21%	25%	25%	20%	11%	19%	21%	21%	*
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	101%	101%	100%	100%	101%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(989)	(473)	(516)	(210)	(229)	(322)	(228)	(650)	(121)	(161)	(57)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	43%	46%	42%	40%	50%	41%	43%	46%	42%	41%	40%	44%	45%
No	37%	34%	33%	46%	32%	47%	32%	41%	45%	33%	37%	38%	37%
Not sure	20%	20%	24%	14%	17%	12%	25%	14%	13%	26%	23%	18%	17%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Unweighted N	(989)	(370)	(358)	(261)	(389)	(323)	(399)	(298)	(196)	(177)	(222)	(341)	(249)

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13J. Preemption Topics — Land use and zoning

Should your state government be able to override local laws when it comes to the following policy matters?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	30%	35%	24%	38%	30%	26%	26%	27%	36%	36%	*
No	48%	45%	51%	36%	40%	55%	58%	54%	40%	32%	*
Not sure	22%	20%	24%	26%	29%	19%	16%	19%	24%	32%	*
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(983)	(471)	(512)	(204)	(229)	(323)	(227)	(649)	(121)	(157)	(56)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	30%	33%	31%	25%	31%	25%	30%	32%	28%	29%	26%	30%	32%
No	48%	43%	45%	60%	46%	61%	44%	53%	54%	42%	54%	50%	45%
Not sure	22%	24%	25%	16%	23%	15%	25%	16%	18%	29%	20%	20%	23%
Totals	100%	100%	101%	101%	100%	101%	99%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(983)	(369)	(357)	(257)	(386)	(322)	(397)	(296)	(194)	(176)	(221)	(339)	(247)

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14. Ideology of Americans

When you think of the political ideology of Americans in the U.S., do you think they are...?

	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)				
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Completely liberal	4%	6%	3%	7%	5%	3%	1%	4%	5%	7%	*
Mostly liberal	22%	21%	23%	20%	20%	22%	26%	23%	15%	20%	*
Equally split between liberal and conservative	39%	37%	41%	32%	38%	41%	43%	41%	42%	36%	*
Mostly conservative	16%	18%	14%	19%	13%	17%	16%	16%	16%	12%	*
Completely conservative	4%	6%	3%	8%	5%	2%	3%	3%	8%	6%	*
Not sure	15%	12%	17%	15%	19%	15%	10%	13%	15%	18%	*
Totals	100%	100%	101%	101%	100%	100%	99%	100%	101%	99%	*
Unweighted N	(996)	(477)	(519)	(211)	(233)	(324)	(228)	(654)	(122)	(163)	(57)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Completely liberal	4%	5%	2%	5%	3%	6%	4%	4%	4%	5%	4%	4%	4%
Mostly liberal	22%	25%	18%	24%	24%	23%	20%	25%	24%	24%	20%	22%	22%
Equally split between liberal and conservative	39%	40%	40%	36%	47%	39%	36%	45%	39%	35%	40%	41%	38%
Mostly conservative	16%	15%	16%	17%	14%	19%	16%	14%	19%	12%	16%	15%	21%
Completely conservative	4%	5%	2%	5%	4%	4%	4%	4%	7%	4%	3%	5%	4%
Not sure	15%	10%	21%	12%	9%	10%	19%	8%	7%	20%	17%	13%	12%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	99%	101%	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%
Unweighted N	(996)	(373)	(362)	(261)	(392)	(324)	(402)	(301)	(196)	(180)	(224)	(343)	(249)

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15. Ideology of Cities

When you think of the political ideology of Americans living in cities, do you think they are...?

	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)				
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Completely liberal	11%	14%	7%	10%	8%	13%	10%	12%	10%	6%	*
Mostly liberal	42%	39%	45%	31%	31%	45%	59%	48%	22%	28%	*
Equally split between liberal and conservative	25%	23%	26%	30%	30%	23%	16%	21%	33%	37%	*
Mostly conservative	8%	9%	6%	10%	11%	6%	3%	6%	18%	8%	*
Completely conservative	3%	5%	1%	7%	3%	1%	1%	2%	4%	5%	*
Not sure	13%	10%	15%	11%	17%	12%	10%	11%	13%	18%	*
Totals	102%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	102%	*
Unweighted N	(995)	(475)	(520)	(211)	(233)	(324)	(227)	(654)	(122)	(163)	(56)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Completely liberal	11%	5%	10%	18%	6%	21%	8%	11%	15%	15%	12%	9%	9%
Mostly liberal	42%	43%	38%	46%	49%	49%	36%	46%	47%	39%	39%	43%	44%
Equally split between liberal and conservative	25%	31%	24%	18%	28%	14%	28%	26%	19%	22%	28%	26%	22%
Mostly conservative	8%	9%	5%	9%	7%	7%	8%	7%	10%	7%	5%	7%	11%
Completely conservative	3%	5%	1%	2%	2%	2%	1%	5%	5%	4%	2%	3%	2%
Not sure	13%	7%	21%	7%	8%	6%	19%	5%	4%	14%	14%	11%	12%
Totals	102%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	(995)	(373)	(362)	(260)	(392)	(324)	(401)	(300)	(197)	(181)	(223)	(343)	(248)

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16. Ideology of Suburbs

When you think of the political ideology of Americans living in suburbs, do you think they are... ?

	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)				
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Completely liberal	3%	4%	2%	5%	3%	3%	0%	2%	6%	5%	*
Mostly liberal	16%	18%	14%	15%	17%	15%	18%	17%	14%	16%	*
Equally split between liberal and conservative	42%	39%	44%	44%	35%	41%	48%	43%	36%	42%	*
Mostly conservative	22%	24%	19%	19%	20%	25%	21%	23%	25%	15%	*
Completely conservative	4%	4%	3%	7%	4%	2%	2%	2%	7%	5%	*
Not sure	14%	11%	17%	10%	20%	13%	11%	13%	13%	17%	*
Totals	101%	100%	99%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%	101%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(994)	(475)	(519)	(210)	(234)	(323)	(227)	(653)	(122)	(163)	(56)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Completely liberal	3%	5%	2%	2%	2%	3%	4%	3%	2%	2%	3%	3%	3%
Mostly liberal	16%	20%	13%	16%	15%	18%	17%	17%	16%	17%	17%	16%	16%
Equally split between liberal and conservative	42%	43%	45%	36%	50%	40%	36%	47%	45%	40%	43%	42%	42%
Mostly conservative	22%	20%	15%	33%	21%	27%	20%	24%	25%	21%	17%	23%	24%
Completely conservative	4%	6%	2%	3%	4%	3%	4%	3%	6%	4%	3%	4%	4%
Not sure	14%	7%	21%	10%	8%	9%	20%	6%	5%	16%	16%	13%	12%
Totals	101%	101%	98%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	99%	100%	99%	101%	101%
Unweighted N	(994)	(374)	(359)	(261)	(392)	(323)	(401)	(300)	(196)	(179)	(224)	(343)	(248)

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17. Ideology of Rural

When you think of the political ideology of Americans living in rural communities, do you think they are . . . ?

	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)				
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Completely liberal	2%	4%	1%	6%	3%	2%	0%	1%	6%	4%	*
Mostly liberal	7%	7%	7%	12%	9%	5%	2%	4%	14%	11%	*
Equally split between liberal and conservative	18%	17%	20%	25%	24%	15%	10%	16%	22%	31%	*
Mostly conservative	49%	49%	49%	37%	34%	54%	69%	58%	30%	28%	*
Completely conservative	10%	14%	7%	11%	10%	12%	8%	9%	12%	9%	*
Not sure	13%	10%	16%	10%	20%	12%	10%	11%	17%	17%	*
Totals	99%	101%	100%	101%	100%	100%	99%	99%	101%	100%	*
Unweighted N	(992)	(474)	(518)	(209)	(233)	(323)	(227)	(653)	(121)	(161)	(57)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Completely liberal	2%	4%	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%	3%	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%
Mostly liberal	7%	10%	4%	7%	6%	5%	7%	8%	8%	9%	6%	5%	8%
Equally split between liberal and conservative	18%	18%	22%	13%	16%	14%	23%	19%	11%	17%	18%	20%	16%
Mostly conservative	49%	48%	43%	58%	57%	59%	43%	53%	55%	44%	51%	48%	52%
Completely conservative	10%	10%	9%	12%	10%	13%	6%	10%	19%	11%	10%	10%	11%
Not sure	13%	8%	21%	8%	8%	7%	18%	8%	4%	16%	13%	13%	10%
Totals	99%	98%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	101%	100%	99%	100%	99%	99%
Unweighted N	(992)	(371)	(360)	(261)	(389)	(324)	(401)	(298)	(196)	(179)	(223)	(342)	(248)

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18. Difference Between States and Cities

American voters living in cities and American voters living in rural areas have grown further apart in their partisan preferences over the last few decades. Do you think this is good or bad for the country?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very good	5%	8%	3%	9%	7%	4%	3%	4%	10%	9%	*
Somewhat good	8%	10%	5%	15%	10%	3%	4%	7%	11%	11%	*
Neither good nor bad	24%	24%	24%	32%	21%	23%	24%	24%	28%	21%	*
Somewhat bad	28%	25%	32%	21%	25%	32%	34%	31%	26%	21%	*
Very bad	20%	22%	19%	12%	18%	25%	25%	22%	12%	16%	*
Not sure	14%	11%	17%	12%	18%	13%	11%	12%	12%	23%	*
Totals	99%	100%	100%	101%	99%	100%	101%	100%	99%	101%	*
Unweighted N	(996)	(476)	(520)	(210)	(234)	(324)	(228)	(655)	(122)	(163)	(56)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very good	5%	6%	3%	8%	5%	7%	4%	5%	10%	9%	6%	5%	3%
Somewhat good	8%	12%	4%	8%	7%	7%	8%	9%	6%	6%	8%	8%	8%
Neither good nor bad	24%	24%	27%	20%	20%	22%	27%	23%	23%	27%	20%	24%	27%
Somewhat bad	28%	28%	26%	31%	33%	32%	23%	36%	28%	23%	30%	28%	32%
Very bad	20%	22%	19%	20%	28%	23%	17%	21%	27%	21%	20%	22%	18%
Not sure	14%	7%	20%	13%	8%	9%	20%	6%	6%	15%	15%	13%	12%
Totals	99%	99%	99%	100%	101%	100%	99%	100%	100%	101%	99%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(996)	(374)	(361)	(261)	(393)	(324)	(401)	(301)	(197)	(180)	(224)	(343)	(249)

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Interviewing Dates	April 10 - 14, 2023
Target population	U.S. citizens, aged 18 and over.
Sampling method	Respondents were selected from YouGov's opt-in Internet panel using sample matching. A random sample (stratified by gender, age, race, education, geographic region, and voter registration) was selected from the 2019 American Community Survey.
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 March 15, 2022, and is weighted to the estimated distribution at that time (33% Democratic, 28% Republican). The weights range from 0.221 to 6.006, with a mean of 1 and a standard deviation of 0.465.
Number of respondents	1000
Margin of error	± 3.4% (adjusted for weighting)
Survey mode	Web-based interviews
Questions not reported	50 questions not reported.