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Sample 2,385 Adults in the U.S.

Margin of Error ± 2.5 points

1. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling his job as president?

Approve	44%
Disapprove	56%

2. Do you strongly (approve/disapprove) or somewhat (approve/disapprove)?

Strongly approve	27%
Somewhat approve	16%
Somewhat disapprove	9%
Strongly disapprove	47%

3. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling...

	Approve	Disapprove
The economy	41%	59%
Inflation	36%	64%
Immigration	46%	54%

4. Generally speaking, do you feel things in America today are going...

Very well	9%
Somewhat well	29%
Somewhat badly	24%
Very badly	38%

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

Very good	6%
Fairly good	29%
Fairly bad	32%
Very bad	28%
Not sure	5%

6. If you had to choose, which of these is most important to how you judge the Trump administration so far? What it is doing regarding:

Immigration, deportation and border policies	30%
Economy and inflation policies	25%
Tariff and trade policies	13%
DEI (Diversity, equity, inclusion) policies	5%
Government agencies, programs and spending	17%
International/foreign policy	4%
Crime and safety policies	6%

*Percentages may not add to 100% due to rounding.

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7. In general, do you like or dislike Donald Trump's...

	Like	Dislike
Goals — what you think he wants to accomplish	47%	53%
Approach — the way you think he is going about it	37%	63%

8. Do you think Donald Trump's policies are making you...

Financially better off	20%
Financially worse off	50%
Stay about the same	30%

9. Do you think Donald Trump's policies are making the price you pay for food and groceries...

Go up	65%
Go down	13%
Not change	22%

10. Do you favor or oppose the U.S. placing new tariffs on goods imported from other countries?

Favor	38%
Oppose	62%

11. What impact do you think new U.S. tariffs on goods from other countries will have on the prices you pay in the short term (that is, right now) and the long term (that is, over the coming years)?

	Will increase prices	Will decrease prices	No impact	Not sure
In the short term (now)	71%	5%	13%	11%
In the long term (coming years)	52%	24%	7%	17%

12. In the long term - that is, over the coming years - do you think the U.S. placing new tariffs on goods from other countries now will...

Add manufacturing jobs in the U.S.	41%
Lose manufacturing jobs in the U.S.	28%
Not change manufacturing jobs in the U.S.	31%

13. In recent weeks, have any of your buying decisions - that is, whether to buy something or not - been impacted by additional taxes or fees on items that you felt were directly related to new tariff policies?

Yes, bought more because of tariffs	6%
Yes, bought fewer because of tariffs	39%
No, did not change buying because of tariffs	55%

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14. Do you think Americans should be willing, or not willing, to pay more for items they buy if that means supporting Donald Trump's trade policies?

Willing	34%
Not willing	66%

16. Do you think Donald Trump's approach to the war between Russia and Ukraine will lead to:

A peaceful solution	27%
A continued war	43%
Not impact things either way	30%

17. From what you have seen or heard about it so far, do you approve or disapprove of the "One Big Beautiful Bill Act" passed by Congress?

Approve	39%
Disapprove	61%

18. Regarding the power a U.S. president has, what do you think Donald Trump is trying to do? Is he trying to...

Increase the powers of a president	67%
Decrease the powers of a president	4%
Not change the powers of a president	29%

19. And what do you think is best for the country right now? If Donald Trump generally...

Increases the powers of a president	18%
Decreases the powers of a president	29%
Does not change the powers of a president	53%

20. Which best describes your view of Donald Trump's approach to the federal government right now? Is he generally trying to get the federal government to be more:

Efficient at what it does	28%
Under his own direct control	49%
Both	14%
Neither	9%

21. How much have you heard or read lately about redistricting for Congressional districts in states like Texas, California and others?

A lot	32%
Some	33%
Not much	20%
None at all	15%

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22. In general, what should states' approach be now? Should they try to...

Make more districts Democrats can win	11%
Make more districts Republicans can win	14%
Make more districts that either party can win	32%
Leave current districts in place until after the 2030 Census	43%

23. Do you approve or disapprove of the Trump administration's program to find and deport immigrants who are in the U.S. illegally?

Approve	49%
Disapprove	51%

24. Compared to what you thought during the 2024 campaign, do you think the Trump administration now is trying to deport...

More people than you thought they would	50%
Fewer people than you thought they would	10%
About the same as you thought	40%

25. Has the Trump administration's deportation program impacted your own local area or community, or not?

Yes, for the better	14%
Yes, for the worse	33%
No, not impacted	53%

26. How much do you feel you know about what the U.S. Federal Reserve does?

A lot	11%
Some	43%
Not much	32%
Nothing at all	14%

27. What is best for the U.S. economy? If the U.S. Federal Reserve makes decisions...

Independently from Donald Trump	68%
Guided by what Donald Trump wants	32%

28. Do you think Donald Trump should, or should not, try to replace people on the Federal Reserve Board if they disagree with his views on what is best for the economy?

Yes, replace	30%
No, not replace	70%

29. Do you think Donald Trump's approach to economic policy gives the federal government too much influence over private businesses and institutions, or not enough influence, or the right amount of influence over private businesses and institutions?

Too much	46%
Not enough	18%
Right amount	36%

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30. Do you favor or oppose Donald Trump's decision to deploy the National Guard to Washington, DC?

Favor	43%
Oppose	57%

31. Would you favor or oppose Donald Trump deploying the National Guard to other U.S. cities?

Favor	42%
Oppose	58%

32. Would you favor or oppose Donald Trump deploying the National Guard to your own local city or area?

Favor	39%
Oppose	61%

33. Do you think deploying the National Guard to U.S. cities reduces crime?

Yes	49%
No	51%

34. Who should have the authority to decide whether the National Guard can be deployed to a U.S. city or not?

Only Donald Trump	11%
Both Donald Trump and local leaders, like a Mayor or Governor	48%
Only a local leader like a Mayor, Governor	41%

35. Do you feel the deployment of the National Guard to U.S. cities makes you personally...

More safe from crime	36%
Less safe from crime	17%
Doesn't change your own safety either way	47%

36. Do you feel the deployment of the National Guard to U.S. cities makes your own rights and freedoms...

More secure	26%
Less secure	39%
Doesn't change your own rights or freedoms either way	35%

37. What do you think is Donald Trump's goal in deploying the National Guard to U.S. cities? Is it mainly to try to reduce crime there, or mainly for political reasons?

Reduce crime	33%
Political reasons	45%
Both	22%

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38. Earlier you said you would favor deployment of the National Guard to other U.S. cities. Should the National Guard be deployed to cities run by Democrats, to cities run by Republicans, or to cities regardless of which party runs them?

Among those who would favor deployment of the National Guard to other U.S. cities

Democratic-run cities	8%
Republican-run cities	7%
Either	85%

* Questions held for future release.

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1. Trump Job Approval (2 Categories)
Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling his job as president?

	Total	Gender		Under 30	Age			Ideology		
		Male	Female		30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Approve	44%	48%	39%	35%	42%	48%	46%	5%	36%	86%
Disapprove	56%	52%	61%	65%	58%	52%	54%	95%	64%	14%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,374)	(1,155)	(1,218)	(499)	(598)	(772)	(505)	(626)	(733)	(737)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Approve	44%	4%	37%	91%	53%	16%	33%	58%	44%
Disapprove	56%	96%	63%	9%	47%	84%	67%	42%	56%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,374)	(667)	(797)	(704)	(1,498)	(295)	(375)	(929)	(569)

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2. Trump Job Approval (4 Categories)

Do you strongly (approve/disapprove) or somewhat (approve/disapprove)?

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Strongly approve	27%	30%	24%	16%	23%	33%	35%	2%	18%	62%
Somewhat approve	16%	17%	15%	19%	19%	16%	11%	3%	18%	24%
Somewhat disapprove	9%	9%	10%	10%	11%	9%	6%	5%	11%	6%
Strongly disapprove	47%	44%	51%	55%	46%	42%	48%	89%	53%	8%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,374)	(1,155)	(1,218)	(499)	(598)	(772)	(505)	(626)	(733)	(737)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Strongly approve	27%	2%	19%	66%	34%	5%	23%	37%	30%
Somewhat approve	16%	2%	18%	25%	18%	10%	10%	21%	14%
Somewhat disapprove	9%	8%	11%	5%	6%	16%	14%	7%	5%
Strongly disapprove	47%	88%	52%	4%	41%	69%	53%	35%	51%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,374)	(667)	(797)	(704)	(1,498)	(295)	(375)	(929)	(569)

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3A. Trump Issue Approval — The economy

Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling...

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Approve	41%	45%	37%	32%	40%	46%	45%	6%	34%	82%
Disapprove	59%	55%	63%	68%	60%	54%	55%	94%	66%	18%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,373)	(1,153)	(1,220)	(497)	(597)	(775)	(504)	(626)	(729)	(744)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Approve	41%	5%	33%	87%	49%	15%	34%	54%	41%
Disapprove	59%	95%	67%	13%	51%	85%	66%	46%	59%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,373)	(666)	(795)	(700)	(1,494)	(297)	(377)	(926)	(568)

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3B. Trump Issue Approval — Inflation

Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling...

	Total	Gender		Under 30	Age			Ideology		
		Male	Female		30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Approve	36%	39%	32%	25%	31%	41%	43%	5%	26%	75%
Disapprove	64%	61%	68%	75%	69%	59%	57%	95%	74%	25%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,372)	(1,153)	(1,219)	(497)	(594)	(776)	(505)	(626)	(728)	(744)

	Total	Party ID			White	Race		White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep		Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Approve	36%	4%	29%	79%	44%	10%	26%	48%	38%
Disapprove	64%	96%	71%	21%	56%	90%	74%	52%	62%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,372)	(668)	(794)	(700)	(1,492)	(296)	(378)	(924)	(568)

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3C. Trump Issue Approval — Immigration

Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling...

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Approve	46%	51%	42%	34%	43%	55%	49%	6%	41%	87%
Disapprove	54%	49%	58%	66%	57%	45%	51%	94%	59%	13%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,375)	(1,158)	(1,217)	(497)	(596)	(776)	(505)	(626)	(729)	(746)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Approve	46%	9%	40%	91%	56%	20%	32%	63%	45%
Disapprove	54%	91%	60%	9%	44%	80%	68%	37%	55%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,375)	(668)	(792)	(701)	(1,497)	(297)	(377)	(929)	(568)

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4. Things in America

Generally speaking, do you feel things in America today are going...

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Very well	9%	11%	6%	3%	10%	10%	12%	2%	3%	21%
Somewhat well	29%	31%	26%	27%	24%	31%	32%	5%	27%	51%
Somewhat badly	24%	24%	25%	29%	26%	24%	19%	20%	30%	19%
Very badly	38%	34%	42%	41%	39%	35%	37%	73%	39%	9%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(2,381)	(1,159)	(1,222)	(499)	(599)	(778)	(505)	(626)	(734)	(745)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Very well	9%	1%	4%	23%	10%	2%	10%	11%	10%
Somewhat well	29%	5%	26%	55%	35%	12%	19%	39%	29%
Somewhat badly	24%	27%	26%	16%	20%	34%	31%	20%	19%
Very badly	38%	67%	43%	5%	35%	52%	40%	30%	42%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,381)	(668)	(795)	(704)	(1,498)	(298)	(380)	(929)	(569)

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5. Condition of National Economy

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

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Very good	6%	9%	4%	2%	8%	6%	9%	2%	4%	15%
Fairly good	29%	32%	26%	24%	25%	31%	36%	9%	27%	52%
Fairly bad	32%	31%	32%	35%	30%	31%	30%	44%	35%	19%
Very bad	28%	23%	32%	32%	32%	26%	21%	43%	29%	11%
Not sure	5%	5%	6%	7%	5%	6%	4%	2%	5%	3%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,381)	(1,158)	(1,223)	(499)	(599)	(778)	(506)	(626)	(735)	(745)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Very good	6%	1%	3%	17%	9%	1%	5%	9%	8%
Fairly good	29%	9%	25%	56%	33%	15%	25%	33%	34%
Fairly bad	32%	42%	36%	18%	31%	34%	30%	30%	32%
Very bad	28%	45%	30%	6%	22%	45%	34%	22%	23%
Not sure	5%	3%	6%	3%	5%	4%	6%	6%	3%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,381)	(669)	(796)	(702)	(1,497)	(298)	(381)	(928)	(569)

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6. Most Important in How You Judge the Trump Administration

If you had to choose, which of these is most important to how you judge the Trump administration so far? What it is doing regarding:

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Immigration, deportation and border policies	30%	29%	30%	23%	26%	32%	36%	22%	22%	43%
Economy and inflation policies	25%	22%	27%	30%	26%	24%	18%	22%	26%	24%
Tariff and trade policies	13%	15%	11%	16%	10%	12%	15%	14%	16%	9%
DEI (Diversity, equity, inclusion) policies	5%	5%	5%	5%	6%	5%	4%	10%	4%	2%
Government agencies, programs and spending	17%	16%	18%	14%	19%	17%	18%	26%	19%	9%
International/foreign policy	4%	6%	3%	7%	6%	3%	3%	4%	4%	5%
Crime and safety policies	6%	6%	6%	5%	7%	7%	6%	2%	8%	8%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(2,370)	(1,157)	(1,213)	(496)	(598)	(774)	(502)	(623)	(733)	(740)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Immigration, deportation and border policies	30%	18%	26%	44%	31%	13%	37%	34%	28%
Economy and inflation policies	25%	24%	26%	24%	23%	27%	27%	26%	19%
Tariff and trade policies	13%	17%	15%	7%	12%	23%	12%	12%	11%
DEI (Diversity, equity, inclusion) policies	5%	9%	4%	2%	4%	12%	4%	3%	5%
Government agencies, programs and spending	17%	25%	19%	9%	18%	15%	10%	14%	25%
International/foreign policy	4%	4%	5%	4%	5%	5%	3%	3%	7%
Crime and safety policies	6%	3%	5%	10%	6%	5%	7%	7%	5%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(2,370)	(666)	(795)	(699)	(1,492)	(295)	(381)	(924)	(568)

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7A. Trump Goals and Approach — Goals — what you think he wants to accomplish

In general, do you like or dislike Donald Trump's...

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Like	47%	50%	44%	36%	45%	54%	49%	8%	41%	88%
Dislike	53%	50%	56%	64%	55%	46%	51%	92%	59%	12%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,369)	(1,153)	(1,216)	(496)	(596)	(773)	(504)	(626)	(730)	(740)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Like	47%	6%	42%	92%	55%	18%	38%	60%	47%
Dislike	53%	94%	58%	8%	45%	82%	62%	40%	53%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,369)	(668)	(794)	(700)	(1,496)	(296)	(373)	(928)	(568)

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7B. Trump Goals and Approach — Approach — the way you think he is going about it

In general, do you like or dislike Donald Trump's...

	Total	Gender		Under 30	Age			Ideology		
		Male	Female		30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Like	37%	40%	34%	24%	36%	43%	41%	4%	29%	76%
Dislike	63%	60%	66%	76%	64%	57%	59%	96%	71%	24%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,370)	(1,153)	(1,217)	(496)	(597)	(773)	(504)	(625)	(730)	(741)

	Total	Party ID			White	Race		White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep		Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Like	37%	5%	28%	83%	45%	12%	31%	50%	37%
Dislike	63%	95%	72%	17%	55%	88%	69%	50%	63%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,370)	(668)	(793)	(701)	(1,497)	(296)	(373)	(929)	(568)

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8. Financial Condition with Trump

Do you think Donald Trump's policies are making you...

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Financially better off	20%	24%	16%	13%	20%	22%	24%	2%	13%	46%
Financially worse off	50%	46%	55%	56%	52%	48%	46%	86%	56%	15%
Stay about the same	30%	30%	29%	31%	28%	30%	30%	12%	31%	39%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,380)	(1,160)	(1,221)	(499)	(600)	(776)	(505)	(625)	(735)	(745)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Financially better off	20%	1%	15%	45%	24%	5%	17%	22%	27%
Financially worse off	50%	86%	55%	12%	45%	74%	54%	41%	50%
Stay about the same	30%	13%	29%	43%	31%	21%	29%	37%	23%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,380)	(667)	(798)	(704)	(1,498)	(296)	(381)	(929)	(569)

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9. Impact of Trump Policies on Food Prices

Do you think Donald Trump's policies are making the price you pay for food and groceries...

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Go up	65%	61%	68%	70%	67%	61%	63%	93%	74%	30%
Go down	13%	15%	12%	8%	12%	15%	17%	3%	7%	30%
Not change	22%	24%	20%	22%	21%	24%	20%	4%	19%	39%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(2,384)	(1,159)	(1,225)	(499)	(602)	(778)	(504)	(626)	(734)	(746)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Go up	65%	95%	68%	31%	58%	86%	72%	55%	64%
Go down	13%	2%	8%	31%	16%	5%	10%	16%	17%
Not change	22%	3%	24%	38%	26%	9%	18%	29%	19%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,384)	(668)	(798)	(704)	(1,498)	(298)	(380)	(929)	(569)

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10. Tariffs on Imported Goods

Do you favor or oppose the U.S. placing new tariffs on goods imported from other countries?

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Favor	38%	42%	33%	26%	33%	44%	44%	5%	30%	76%
Oppose	62%	58%	67%	74%	67%	56%	56%	95%	70%	24%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,369)	(1,157)	(1,212)	(498)	(596)	(770)	(505)	(626)	(728)	(742)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Favor	38%	5%	33%	77%	46%	15%	28%	51%	38%
Oppose	62%	95%	67%	23%	54%	85%	72%	49%	62%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,369)	(666)	(790)	(701)	(1,491)	(295)	(379)	(926)	(565)

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11A. Impact of Tariffs on Prices Over Time — In the short term (now)

What impact do you think new U.S. tariffs on goods from other countries will have on the prices you pay in the short term (that is, right now) and the long term (that is, over the coming years)?

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Will increase prices	71%	69%	73%	66%	71%	72%	76%	87%	76%	59%
Will decrease prices	5%	4%	5%	5%	5%	4%	4%	3%	5%	7%
No impact	13%	15%	11%	13%	11%	14%	13%	7%	10%	22%
Not sure	11%	11%	11%	16%	13%	10%	7%	3%	9%	12%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,381)	(1,158)	(1,223)	(498)	(602)	(778)	(503)	(626)	(734)	(744)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Will increase prices	71%	87%	73%	57%	73%	71%	68%	70%	78%
Will decrease prices	5%	2%	3%	9%	4%	6%	5%	5%	3%
No impact	13%	6%	12%	22%	14%	7%	14%	13%	14%
Not sure	11%	5%	12%	12%	9%	15%	12%	11%	5%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(2,381)	(669)	(797)	(701)	(1,494)	(298)	(381)	(927)	(567)

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11B. Impact of Tariffs on Prices Over Time — In the long term (coming years)

What impact do you think new U.S. tariffs on goods from other countries will have on the prices you pay in the short term (that is, right now) and the long term (that is, over the coming years)?

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Will increase prices	52%	49%	55%	58%	50%	49%	53%	85%	57%	20%
Will decrease prices	24%	27%	21%	18%	22%	27%	30%	3%	18%	55%
No impact	7%	9%	5%	5%	9%	8%	5%	4%	7%	10%
Not sure	17%	15%	18%	19%	19%	16%	12%	8%	18%	15%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,371)	(1,149)	(1,222)	(496)	(602)	(768)	(505)	(624)	(731)	(738)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Will increase prices	52%	82%	56%	18%	49%	68%	53%	45%	57%
Will decrease prices	24%	3%	20%	54%	30%	9%	21%	33%	25%
No impact	7%	4%	5%	11%	7%	4%	9%	7%	7%
Not sure	17%	11%	18%	17%	14%	19%	17%	15%	11%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,371)	(669)	(793)	(695)	(1,486)	(295)	(381)	(923)	(564)

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12. Long Term Impact of Tariffs on U.S. Manufacturing Jobs

In the long term - that is, over the coming years - do you think the U.S. placing new tariffs on goods from other countries now will...

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Add manufacturing jobs in the U.S.	41%	44%	37%	29%	39%	46%	47%	11%	36%	78%
Lose manufacturing jobs in the U.S.	28%	26%	30%	38%	27%	25%	25%	46%	30%	8%
Not change manufacturing jobs in the U.S.	31%	30%	32%	33%	34%	29%	28%	43%	34%	14%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,368)	(1,153)	(1,215)	(496)	(593)	(777)	(502)	(626)	(726)	(742)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Add manufacturing jobs in the U.S.	41%	10%	37%	78%	49%	17%	32%	52%	43%
Lose manufacturing jobs in the U.S.	28%	48%	28%	7%	22%	52%	32%	22%	23%
Not change manufacturing jobs in the U.S.	31%	42%	35%	15%	29%	31%	36%	26%	34%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,368)	(666)	(792)	(701)	(1,490)	(296)	(376)	(922)	(568)

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13. Been Impacted Directly by New Tariff Policies

In recent weeks, have any of your buying decisions - that is, whether to buy something or not - been impacted by additional taxes or fees on items that you felt were directly related to new tariff policies?

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Yes, bought more because of tariffs	6%	7%	5%	11%	7%	3%	4%	6%	7%	5%
Yes, bought fewer because of tariffs	39%	35%	43%	40%	42%	37%	38%	60%	46%	15%
No, did not change buying because of tariffs	55%	58%	52%	49%	51%	60%	58%	34%	46%	80%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(2,371)	(1,157)	(1,214)	(497)	(593)	(775)	(505)	(626)	(729)	(741)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Yes, bought more because of tariffs	6%	5%	5%	7%	5%	11%	8%	4%	6%
Yes, bought fewer because of tariffs	39%	60%	41%	15%	34%	56%	44%	31%	37%
No, did not change buying because of tariffs	55%	35%	54%	77%	61%	33%	48%	64%	57%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(2,371)	(666)	(794)	(701)	(1,493)	(296)	(379)	(926)	(567)

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14. Should Americans be Willing to Pay More to Support Trump Trade Policies

Do you think Americans should be willing, or not willing, to pay more for items they buy if that means supporting Donald Trump's trade policies?

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Willing	34%	39%	30%	24%	33%	38%	39%	7%	26%	70%
Not willing	66%	61%	70%	76%	67%	62%	61%	93%	74%	30%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,366)	(1,155)	(1,211)	(498)	(594)	(772)	(502)	(626)	(728)	(737)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Willing	34%	6%	29%	70%	40%	15%	28%	43%	36%
Not willing	66%	94%	71%	30%	60%	85%	72%	57%	64%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,366)	(668)	(789)	(696)	(1,486)	(296)	(379)	(922)	(563)

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16. Impact of Trump's Approach to Russia Ukraine War

Do you think Donald Trump's approach to the war between Russia and Ukraine will lead to:

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
A peaceful solution	27%	29%	24%	24%	24%	29%	29%	7%	20%	55%
A continued war	43%	38%	48%	47%	42%	40%	44%	73%	45%	15%
Not impact things either way	30%	33%	28%	29%	34%	31%	27%	20%	34%	30%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(2,371)	(1,159)	(1,212)	(495)	(596)	(776)	(504)	(626)	(733)	(738)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
A peaceful solution	27%	6%	18%	59%	32%	10%	23%	33%	31%
A continued war	43%	73%	44%	13%	39%	64%	46%	34%	46%
Not impact things either way	30%	20%	38%	28%	29%	26%	31%	32%	23%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(2,371)	(665)	(796)	(703)	(1,495)	(296)	(378)	(927)	(568)

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17. One Big Beautiful Bill Act Approval

From what you have seen or heard about it so far, do you approve or disapprove of the "One Big Beautiful Bill Act" passed by Congress?

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Approve	39%	41%	37%	30%	37%	42%	43%	7%	31%	78%
Disapprove	61%	59%	63%	70%	63%	58%	57%	93%	69%	22%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,349)	(1,151)	(1,198)	(492)	(587)	(769)	(500)	(624)	(728)	(731)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Approve	39%	7%	30%	82%	46%	11%	34%	50%	39%
Disapprove	61%	93%	70%	18%	54%	89%	66%	50%	61%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,349)	(662)	(788)	(696)	(1,484)	(295)	(374)	(920)	(563)

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18. Trump Trying to Increase or Decrease the Power of a U.S. President

Regarding the power a U.S. president has, what do you think Donald Trump is trying to do? Is he trying to...

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Increase the powers of a president	67%	64%	69%	73%	63%	65%	66%	93%	75%	39%
Decrease the powers of a president	4%	4%	4%	6%	7%	3%	2%	3%	4%	3%
Not change the powers of a president	29%	32%	27%	21%	30%	32%	32%	3%	21%	58%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,365)	(1,156)	(1,208)	(495)	(591)	(774)	(505)	(624)	(730)	(738)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Increase the powers of a president	67%	93%	70%	39%	64%	78%	68%	59%	71%
Decrease the powers of a president	4%	4%	6%	3%	3%	9%	7%	3%	3%
Not change the powers of a president	29%	3%	24%	58%	33%	13%	25%	38%	26%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,365)	(663)	(793)	(699)	(1,489)	(297)	(377)	(922)	(566)

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19. Best for Country to Increase or Decrease Power of a U.S. President

And what do you think is best for the country right now? If Donald Trump generally...

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Increases the powers of a president	18%	18%	17%	19%	18%	19%	14%	8%	16%	28%
Decreases the powers of a president	29%	29%	30%	33%	32%	27%	27%	52%	30%	12%
Does not change the powers of a president	53%	53%	53%	48%	49%	54%	59%	40%	54%	60%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,364)	(1,152)	(1,212)	(491)	(593)	(775)	(505)	(625)	(730)	(741)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Increases the powers of a president	18%	9%	14%	30%	18%	15%	19%	21%	15%
Decreases the powers of a president	29%	49%	33%	9%	27%	37%	33%	23%	33%
Does not change the powers of a president	53%	42%	53%	61%	55%	48%	48%	56%	52%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,364)	(664)	(787)	(703)	(1,495)	(296)	(371)	(928)	(567)

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20. Trump's Approach to the Fed Govt – Efficiency or Control

Which best describes your view of Donald Trump's approach to the federal government right now? Is he generally trying to get the federal government to be more:

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Efficient at what it does	28%	29%	26%	12%	24%	34%	38%	3%	19%	63%
Under his own direct control	49%	46%	52%	51%	51%	46%	49%	85%	57%	14%
Both	14%	16%	13%	21%	15%	12%	10%	5%	17%	18%
Neither	9%	8%	9%	15%	10%	8%	2%	6%	7%	5%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,373)	(1,157)	(1,216)	(497)	(594)	(777)	(504)	(626)	(731)	(742)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Efficient at what it does	28%	3%	21%	64%	36%	7%	17%	39%	31%
Under his own direct control	49%	85%	53%	13%	45%	66%	51%	38%	56%
Both	14%	7%	15%	18%	12%	15%	19%	14%	10%
Neither	9%	5%	11%	4%	7%	12%	13%	9%	3%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,373)	(668)	(795)	(701)	(1,494)	(297)	(378)	(927)	(567)

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21. Heard about Redistricting in States

How much have you heard or read lately about redistricting for Congressional districts in states like Texas, California and others?

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
A lot	32%	39%	25%	19%	25%	36%	45%	49%	28%	30%
Some	33%	34%	33%	31%	33%	33%	38%	31%	34%	39%
Not much	20%	18%	22%	29%	23%	17%	11%	11%	25%	20%
None at all	15%	9%	20%	21%	19%	14%	6%	9%	13%	11%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,379)	(1,159)	(1,220)	(497)	(599)	(777)	(506)	(626)	(734)	(742)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
A lot	32%	42%	32%	28%	35%	28%	24%	26%	50%
Some	33%	35%	32%	38%	36%	25%	31%	35%	37%
Not much	20%	14%	22%	20%	15%	29%	27%	20%	7%
None at all	15%	9%	14%	14%	14%	18%	17%	19%	6%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,379)	(665)	(797)	(704)	(1,496)	(297)	(379)	(929)	(567)

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22. States' Approach to Redistricting

In general, what should states' approach be now? Should they try to...

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Make more districts Democrats can win	11%	10%	12%	17%	11%	9%	9%	26%	8%	3%
Make more districts Republicans can win	14%	17%	12%	14%	14%	15%	13%	3%	8%	31%
Make more districts that either party can win	32%	31%	33%	34%	31%	31%	32%	27%	33%	35%
Leave current districts in place until after the 2030 Census	43%	42%	43%	35%	44%	45%	45%	44%	51%	31%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,350)	(1,147)	(1,203)	(490)	(585)	(771)	(505)	(625)	(730)	(734)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Make more districts Democrats can win	11%	28%	7%	2%	9%	21%	13%	7%	11%
Make more districts Republicans can win	14%	2%	6%	37%	16%	7%	16%	17%	14%
Make more districts that either party can win	32%	24%	38%	31%	33%	22%	35%	34%	32%
Leave current districts in place until after the 2030 Census	43%	46%	49%	30%	42%	50%	35%	41%	43%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(2,350)	(666)	(782)	(697)	(1,493)	(297)	(364)	(925)	(568)

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23. Trump Deportation Program Approval

Do you approve or disapprove of the Trump administration's program to find and deport immigrants who are in the U.S. illegally?

	Total	Gender			Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female		Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Approve	49%	54%	44%	37%	46%	56%	53%	9%	45%	89%	
Disapprove	51%	46%	56%	63%	54%	44%	47%	91%	55%	11%	
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
Weighted N	(2,369)	(1,156)	(1,213)	(499)	(594)	(773)	(504)	(625)	(730)	(743)	

	Total	Party ID				Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep		White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Approve	49%	13%	43%	92%	58%	26%	35%	65%	48%	
Disapprove	51%	87%	57%	8%	42%	74%	65%	35%	52%	
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
Weighted N	(2,369)	(667)	(791)	(702)	(1,492)	(295)	(379)	(925)	(567)	

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24. Trump Deporting More or Fewer People than Expected

Compared to what you thought during the 2024 campaign, do you think the Trump administration now is trying to deport...

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
More people than you thought they would	50%	43%	57%	52%	45%	50%	54%	60%	59%	33%
Fewer people than you thought they would	10%	13%	7%	10%	11%	10%	9%	6%	10%	13%
About the same as you thought	40%	44%	36%	38%	44%	40%	37%	34%	31%	53%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(2,375)	(1,159)	(1,216)	(499)	(594)	(778)	(504)	(626)	(730)	(744)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
More people than you thought they would	50%	70%	48%	33%	44%	62%	63%	46%	42%
Fewer people than you thought they would	10%	4%	11%	14%	11%	7%	8%	12%	10%
About the same as you thought	40%	26%	40%	53%	44%	31%	29%	42%	48%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,375)	(669)	(791)	(703)	(1,497)	(298)	(379)	(928)	(569)

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25. Trump Deportation Program Impact on Local Community

Has the Trump administration's deportation program impacted your own local area or community, or not?

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Yes, for the better	14%	16%	12%	12%	17%	13%	14%	3%	12%	29%
Yes, for the worse	33%	31%	35%	41%	37%	27%	29%	65%	33%	5%
No, not impacted	53%	53%	52%	47%	46%	60%	56%	31%	55%	65%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(2,371)	(1,158)	(1,213)	(499)	(593)	(775)	(504)	(625)	(731)	(742)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Yes, for the better	14%	3%	11%	31%	17%	6%	13%	17%	17%
Yes, for the worse	33%	58%	36%	5%	27%	39%	48%	18%	41%
No, not impacted	53%	39%	53%	64%	56%	55%	39%	65%	42%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,371)	(665)	(793)	(702)	(1,495)	(293)	(379)	(926)	(569)

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26. Know What Federal Reserve Does

How much do you feel you know about what the U.S. Federal Reserve does?

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
A lot	11%	16%	6%	8%	12%	11%	12%	12%	12%	13%
Some	43%	45%	41%	32%	39%	47%	51%	51%	42%	45%
Not much	32%	28%	36%	38%	31%	32%	30%	26%	35%	34%
Nothing at all	14%	10%	17%	22%	17%	10%	7%	10%	11%	8%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,374)	(1,158)	(1,215)	(497)	(595)	(775)	(506)	(625)	(735)	(743)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
A lot	11%	11%	13%	11%	12%	8%	10%	9%	18%
Some	43%	49%	42%	44%	45%	36%	38%	40%	55%
Not much	32%	31%	30%	36%	32%	39%	30%	38%	22%
Nothing at all	14%	9%	14%	9%	10%	17%	22%	13%	5%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,374)	(666)	(795)	(704)	(1,496)	(296)	(378)	(928)	(568)

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27. Independent Federal Reserve or Guided by Trump

What is best for the U.S. economy? If the U.S. Federal Reserve makes decisions...

	Total	Gender			Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female		Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Independently from Donald Trump	68%	70%	67%	70%	66%	66%	72%	91%	75%	46%	
Guided by what Donald Trump wants	32%	30%	33%	30%	34%	34%	28%	9%	25%	54%	
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
Weighted N	(2,349)	(1,143)	(1,205)	(494)	(586)	(769)	(499)	(622)	(724)	(732)	
	Total	Party ID				Race			White by Education		
		Dem	Ind	Rep		White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+	
Independently from Donald Trump	68%	91%	75%	41%	66%	74%	69%	61%	75%		
Guided by what Donald Trump wants	32%	9%	25%	59%	34%	26%	31%	39%	25%		
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%		
Weighted N	(2,349)	(657)	(788)	(700)	(1,480)	(294)	(375)	(916)	(564)		

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28. Should Trump Try to Replace Fed Board Members

Do you think Donald Trump should, or should not, try to replace people on the Federal Reserve Board if they disagree with his views on what is best for the economy?

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Yes, replace	30%	34%	26%	25%	31%	31%	32%	8%	20%	60%
No, not replace	70%	66%	74%	75%	69%	69%	68%	92%	80%	40%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,356)	(1,148)	(1,208)	(493)	(587)	(774)	(502)	(626)	(729)	(736)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Yes, replace	30%	6%	25%	60%	33%	18%	28%	37%	27%
No, not replace	70%	94%	75%	40%	67%	82%	72%	63%	73%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,356)	(665)	(785)	(694)	(1,490)	(296)	(370)	(925)	(565)

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29. Trump's Approach to Economic Policy Give Federal Government Too Much or Not Enough Influence Over Business and Institutions

Do you think Donald Trump's approach to economic policy gives the federal government too much influence over private businesses and institutions, or not enough influence, or the right amount of influence over private businesses and institutions?

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Too much	46%	46%	47%	46%	43%	46%	49%	74%	56%	16%
Not enough	18%	16%	20%	24%	24%	14%	11%	19%	15%	16%
Right amount	36%	38%	33%	30%	33%	40%	40%	7%	28%	68%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(2,342)	(1,148)	(1,194)	(493)	(586)	(767)	(497)	(621)	(725)	(735)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Too much	46%	76%	53%	15%	44%	57%	42%	39%	52%
Not enough	18%	17%	16%	16%	14%	29%	26%	14%	13%
Right amount	36%	7%	31%	69%	42%	13%	32%	47%	35%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,342)	(661)	(780)	(696)	(1,483)	(293)	(368)	(917)	(567)

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30. Favor or Oppose Trump Deploying National Guard to Washington, DC

Do you favor or oppose Donald Trump's decision to deploy the National Guard to Washington, DC?

	Total	Gender		Under 30	Age			Ideology		
		Male	Female		30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Favor	43%	47%	39%	32%	42%	49%	46%	6%	37%	86%
Oppose	57%	53%	61%	68%	58%	51%	54%	94%	63%	14%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,351)	(1,146)	(1,205)	(494)	(587)	(768)	(502)	(623)	(727)	(730)

	Total	Party ID			White	Race		White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep		Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Favor	43%	7%	38%	87%	51%	16%	34%	56%	44%
Oppose	57%	93%	62%	13%	49%	84%	66%	44%	56%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,351)	(662)	(784)	(702)	(1,491)	(289)	(371)	(923)	(568)

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31. Favor or Oppose Trump Deploying National Guard to Other Cities

Would you favor or oppose Donald Trump deploying the National Guard to other U.S. cities?

	Total	Gender		Under 30	Age			Ideology		
		Male	Female		30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Favor	42%	46%	38%	32%	40%	48%	44%	5%	35%	83%
Oppose	58%	54%	62%	68%	60%	52%	56%	95%	65%	17%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,356)	(1,153)	(1,203)	(499)	(586)	(771)	(500)	(622)	(727)	(737)

	Total	Party ID			White	Race		White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep		Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Favor	42%	7%	36%	85%	49%	19%	33%	55%	40%
Oppose	58%	93%	64%	15%	51%	81%	67%	45%	60%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,356)	(661)	(790)	(698)	(1,485)	(294)	(375)	(920)	(565)

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32. Favor or Oppose Trump Deploying National Guard to Your City

Would you favor or oppose Donald Trump deploying the National Guard to your own local city or area?

	Total	Gender		Under 30	Age			Ideology		
		Male	Female		30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Favor	39%	43%	35%	31%	38%	44%	41%	5%	34%	77%
Oppose	61%	57%	65%	69%	62%	56%	59%	95%	66%	23%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,358)	(1,149)	(1,208)	(494)	(593)	(768)	(503)	(625)	(728)	(731)

	Total	Party ID			White	Race		White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep		Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Favor	39%	7%	33%	81%	46%	16%	33%	51%	38%
Oppose	61%	93%	67%	19%	54%	84%	67%	49%	62%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,358)	(664)	(788)	(696)	(1,488)	(290)	(375)	(921)	(567)

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33. Does Deploying National Guard Reduce Crime

Do you think deploying the National Guard to U.S. cities reduces crime?

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Yes	49%	55%	43%	44%	47%	53%	50%	14%	44%	88%
No	51%	45%	57%	56%	53%	47%	50%	86%	56%	12%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,359)	(1,146)	(1,213)	(485)	(596)	(774)	(504)	(623)	(732)	(737)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Yes	49%	14%	45%	89%	55%	30%	43%	59%	48%
No	51%	86%	55%	11%	45%	70%	57%	41%	52%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,359)	(663)	(789)	(703)	(1,493)	(287)	(375)	(926)	(568)

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34. Who Should Have Authority to Deploy National Guard to Cities

Who should have the authority to decide whether the National Guard can be deployed to a U.S. city or not?

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Only Donald Trump	11%	13%	10%	8%	12%	12%	13%	2%	8%	22%
Both Donald Trump and local leaders, like a Mayor or Governor	48%	48%	48%	52%	49%	49%	39%	26%	47%	67%
Only a local leader like a Mayor, Governor	41%	39%	42%	39%	39%	39%	48%	72%	45%	11%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,357)	(1,145)	(1,212)	(488)	(592)	(773)	(504)	(624)	(729)	(740)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Only Donald Trump	11%	1%	8%	24%	13%	4%	12%	15%	10%
Both Donald Trump and local leaders, like a Mayor or Governor	48%	27%	45%	69%	51%	33%	48%	53%	47%
Only a local leader like a Mayor, Governor	41%	72%	46%	6%	36%	63%	40%	32%	43%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,357)	(667)	(779)	(703)	(1,494)	(289)	(372)	(926)	(568)

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35. Does Deploying National Guard Make You Safe From Crime

Do you feel the deployment of the National Guard to U.S. cities makes you personally...

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
More safe from crime	36%	41%	32%	33%	32%	40%	37%	8%	32%	73%
Less safe from crime	17%	16%	17%	23%	19%	13%	12%	37%	16%	2%
Doesn't change your own safety either way	47%	43%	51%	44%	49%	46%	50%	55%	52%	25%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,356)	(1,147)	(1,209)	(486)	(595)	(772)	(503)	(624)	(729)	(736)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
More safe from crime	36%	9%	31%	73%	41%	15%	35%	45%	36%
Less safe from crime	17%	27%	20%	3%	15%	16%	18%	12%	21%
Doesn't change your own safety either way	47%	64%	49%	23%	43%	69%	47%	43%	43%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,356)	(665)	(788)	(697)	(1,486)	(291)	(378)	(920)	(567)

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36. Does Deploying National Guard Secure Your Rights and Freedoms

Do you feel the deployment of the National Guard to U.S. cities makes your own rights and freedoms...

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
More secure	26%	30%	21%	24%	26%	27%	26%	5%	23%	51%
Less secure	39%	39%	39%	41%	40%	36%	40%	76%	41%	9%
Doesn't change your own rights or freedoms either way	35%	31%	40%	35%	34%	37%	34%	19%	36%	39%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(2,362)	(1,152)	(1,210)	(492)	(591)	(778)	(501)	(625)	(729)	(736)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
More secure	26%	5%	20%	54%	29%	12%	28%	32%	25%
Less secure	39%	70%	43%	7%	37%	49%	34%	31%	48%
Doesn't change your own rights or freedoms either way	35%	25%	36%	39%	33%	39%	38%	37%	27%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,362)	(663)	(786)	(702)	(1,492)	(291)	(379)	(926)	(566)

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37. Trump's Goal in Deploying National Guard

What do you think is Donald Trump's goal in deploying the National Guard to U.S. cities? Is it mainly to try to reduce crime there, or mainly for political reasons?

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Reduce crime	33%	35%	30%	20%	27%	40%	41%	4%	26%	68%
Political reasons	45%	44%	47%	46%	46%	43%	49%	84%	52%	10%
Both	22%	21%	23%	34%	27%	17%	10%	12%	21%	21%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%
Weighted N	(2,356)	(1,147)	(1,209)	(484)	(593)	(776)	(502)	(624)	(734)	(735)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Reduce crime	33%	5%	28%	68%	39%	13%	26%	43%	33%
Political reasons	45%	82%	51%	10%	42%	60%	47%	35%	53%
Both	22%	13%	21%	22%	19%	26%	27%	22%	14%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,356)	(663)	(782)	(704)	(1,494)	(289)	(371)	(928)	(566)

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38. Should National Guard Be Deployed to Democratic-Run or Republican-Run Cities

Earlier you said you would favor deployment of the National Guard to other U.S. cities. Should the National Guard be deployed to cities run by Democrats, to cities run by Republicans, or to cities regardless of which party runs them?

Among those who would favor deployment of the National Guard to other U.S. cities

	Gender			Age				Ideology		
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Democratic-run cities	8%	9%	6%	*	7%	9%	8%	*	7%	8%
Republican-run cities	7%	6%	8%	*	14%	4%	2%	*	9%	7%
Either	85%	85%	85%	*	79%	87%	90%	*	84%	85%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	*	100%	100%	100%	*	100%	100%
Weighted N	(985)	(528)	(456)	(161)	(235)	(369)	(220)	(31)	(257)	(609)
	Party ID				Race			White by Education		
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+	
Democratic-run cities	8%	*	5%	8%	7%	*	12%	7%	8%	
Republican-run cities	7%	*	1%	11%	6%	*	13%	6%	6%	
Either	85%	*	94%	81%	87%	*	75%	87%	86%	
Totals	100%	*	100%	100%	100%	*	100%	100%	100%	
Weighted N	(985)	(45)	(282)	(592)	(730)	(57)	(122)	(501)	(228)	

HOW THE POLL WAS CONDUCTED AND THE MARGIN OF ERROR CALCULATED

The CBS News/YouGov survey of 2,385 adults in the U.S. was conducted between September 3-5, 2025.

This sample was weighted according to gender, age, race, and education based on the U.S. Census American Community Survey, and the U.S. Census Current Population Survey, and 2024 Presidential vote. Respondents were selected to be representative of adults nationwide. The weights range from 0.1 to 6.0, with a mean of 1 and a standard deviation of 0.7.

The *margin of error* (a 95% confidence interval) for a sample percentage p based upon the entire sample is approximately ± 2.5 points. It is calculated using the formula

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

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