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Sample 2,489 Adults in the U.S.

Margin of Error ± 2.4 points

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

Approve	40%
Disapprove	60%

2. Do you strongly [approve/disapprove] or somewhat [approve/disapprove]?

Strongly approve	23%
Somewhat approve	17%
Somewhat disapprove	13%
Strongly disapprove	47%

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

	Approve	Disapprove
The economy	36%	64%
Inflation	32%	68%
Immigration	45%	55%

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

Very well	8%
Somewhat well	26%
Somewhat badly	29%
Very badly	37%

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

Very good	7%
Fairly good	25%
Fairly bad	33%
Very bad	30%
Not sure	5%

6. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling the current conflict between Russia and Ukraine?

Approve	41%
Disapprove	59%

7. Do you think what happens between Russia and Ukraine matters to the interests of the U.S.?

A lot	29%
Some	45%
Not much	17%
Not at all	9%

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8. 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:

Economy and inflation policies	33%
Immigration, deportation and border policies	29%
Government agencies, programs and spending	15%
Tariff and trade policies	11%
International/foreign policy	4%
Crime and safety policies	4%
DEI (Diversity, equity, inclusion) policies	4%

9. And do you think the Trump administration is spending too much time, not enough time, or about the right amount of time on [RESPONDENT ANSWER IN Q8]?

Too much time	26%
Not enough time	46%
Right amount of time	28%

10. Regardless of how you feel about it, do you think the Trump administration is spending most of its time on...

International matters	30%
U.S. domestic matters	18%
Both about equally	52%

12. In the last few weeks, have prices on the goods and services you buy been...

Going up	58%
Going down	11%
Staying the same	31%

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

Go up	65%
Go down	14%
Not change	21%

14. When Donald Trump describes prices and inflation in the U.S., do you think he makes things sound:

Better than they really are	60%
Worse than they really are	13%
About as they really are	27%

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

Approve	48%
Disapprove	52%

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18. Do you think the Trump administration's program to find and deport immigrants who are in the U.S. illegally is making the U.S. economy...

Stronger	27%
Weaker	43%
Not changing the economy either way	29%

19. Right now do you think Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) is stopping or detaining...

More people than necessary	54%
Fewer people than necessary	17%
About as many people as necessary	29%

20. Right now do you think that the way Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) is conducting its operations when it stops or detains people is...

Too tough	56%
Not tough enough	16%
About right	27%

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

Yes, for the better	13%
Yes, for the worse	33%
No, not impacted	54%

22. Because of the Trump administration's deportation program do you think people in your own local area or community are...

Among those who think the Trump administration's deportation program has impacted their own local area or community

Going out more	9%
Staying home more	60%
Not changing either way	31%

23. How much do you feel you know about the nation of Venezuela?

A lot	8%
Some	36%
Not much	35%
Nothing at all	21%

24. How much have you heard or read about the U.S. military buildup in the Caribbean Sea near Venezuela?

A lot	20%
Some	40%
Not much	19%
Nothing at all	20%

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25. Do you approve or disapprove of the U.S. using military force to attack boats that it suspects are trying to bring drugs into the U.S.?

Approve	53%
Disapprove	47%

26. Do you think the U.S. needs to show the public evidence that the boats it attacks had drugs on them, or does the U.S. not need to show that evidence?

Needs to show	75%
Does not need to show	25%

27. Would you favor or oppose the U.S. taking military action in Venezuela?

Favor	30%
Oppose	70%

28. Do you think Venezuela is or is not a threat to the security of the United States?

Major threat	13%
Minor threat	48%
Not a threat	39%

29. Do you think Donald Trump needs approval from Congress to take military action in Venezuela, or does he not need approval from Congress?

Needs approval from Congress	76%
Does not need approval from Congress	24%

30. So far, do you think the Trump administration has clearly explained the U.S. position with regard to possibly taking military action in Venezuela, or haven't they done that yet?

Clearly explained	24%
Not done that yet	76%

31. Do you think Donald Trump needs to explain any decisions about whether to take military action in Venezuela, or doesn't he need to do that?

Needs to explain	82%
Doesn't need to explain	18%

32. If the United States takes military action in Venezuela, do you think the amount of drugs entering the United States will increase, decrease, or not change either way?

Increase	7%
Decrease	37%
Not change either way	56%

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37. Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with how the Trump administration is handling matters related to the Jeffrey Epstein case and files?

Very satisfied	12%
Somewhat satisfied	24%
Somewhat dissatisfied	21%
Very dissatisfied	43%

38. Do you think the Department of Justice should release all the information it has regarding the Jeffrey Epstein case, or should it not release all the information it has?

Should	91%
Should not	9%

39. How important is it that all the information and files related to the Jeffrey Epstein case are released?

Very important	55%
Somewhat important	27%
Not too important	11%
Not important at all	6%

40. Do you think the files related to the Jeffrey Epstein case probably include damaging information about powerful or wealthy people, or probably do not include damaging information about powerful or wealthy people?

Do include	92%
Do not include	8%

41. If any new information from the Jeffrey Epstein case and files is released, do you expect that information will probably be...

True	37%
False	6%
Too soon to say	57%

42. How much do issues of the Epstein case and files matter to how you evaluate Donald Trump's presidency?

A lot	38%
A little	26%
Not at all	36%

* 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	40%	44%	36%	27%	40%	43%	46%	6%	31%	84%
Disapprove	60%	56%	64%	73%	60%	57%	54%	94%	69%	16%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,478)	(1,195)	(1,283)	(514)	(618)	(815)	(530)	(654)	(812)	(751)

	Total	Party ID			White	Race		White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep		Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Approve	40%	4%	28%	89%	47%	15%	31%	53%	39%
Disapprove	60%	96%	72%	11%	53%	85%	69%	47%	61%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,478)	(715)	(818)	(777)	(1,566)	(312)	(380)	(972)	(595)

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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	23%	26%	20%	16%	19%	24%	33%	4%	15%	54%
Somewhat approve	17%	18%	15%	11%	21%	19%	13%	2%	16%	29%
Somewhat disapprove	13%	12%	13%	21%	16%	10%	6%	6%	19%	7%
Strongly disapprove	47%	44%	51%	52%	44%	47%	48%	88%	50%	10%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,478)	(1,195)	(1,283)	(514)	(618)	(815)	(530)	(654)	(812)	(751)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Strongly approve	23%	2%	13%	57%	28%	8%	17%	30%	24%
Somewhat approve	17%	2%	14%	32%	19%	7%	13%	23%	14%
Somewhat disapprove	13%	11%	16%	7%	11%	21%	12%	11%	10%
Strongly disapprove	47%	85%	56%	4%	42%	64%	57%	36%	51%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(2,478)	(715)	(818)	(777)	(1,566)	(312)	(380)	(972)	(595)

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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	36%	40%	32%	27%	33%	39%	43%	4%	27%	78%
Disapprove	64%	60%	68%	73%	67%	61%	57%	96%	73%	22%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,484)	(1,199)	(1,285)	(513)	(624)	(817)	(530)	(654)	(812)	(752)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Approve	36%	3%	24%	81%	43%	13%	28%	48%	35%
Disapprove	64%	97%	76%	19%	57%	87%	72%	52%	65%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,484)	(715)	(820)	(776)	(1,568)	(312)	(385)	(974)	(595)

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3B. Trump Issue Approval — Inflation

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	32%	36%	28%	23%	28%	36%	40%	4%	23%	72%
Disapprove	68%	64%	72%	77%	72%	64%	60%	96%	77%	28%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,479)	(1,197)	(1,282)	(513)	(621)	(816)	(529)	(652)	(812)	(748)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Approve	32%	2%	21%	75%	39%	11%	25%	43%	32%
Disapprove	68%	98%	79%	25%	61%	89%	75%	57%	68%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,479)	(713)	(817)	(775)	(1,568)	(309)	(383)	(972)	(596)

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	45%	51%	39%	35%	43%	50%	49%	8%	39%	89%
Disapprove	55%	49%	61%	65%	57%	50%	51%	92%	61%	11%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,484)	(1,201)	(1,283)	(512)	(627)	(817)	(529)	(655)	(811)	(752)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Approve	45%	8%	37%	89%	52%	24%	30%	59%	42%
Disapprove	55%	92%	63%	11%	48%	76%	70%	41%	58%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,484)	(712)	(822)	(777)	(1,570)	(310)	(385)	(974)	(596)

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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	8%	11%	6%	7%	9%	8%	9%	2%	5%	19%
Somewhat well	26%	28%	23%	20%	24%	27%	31%	5%	20%	51%
Somewhat badly	29%	27%	30%	38%	31%	25%	23%	21%	38%	19%
Very badly	37%	34%	41%	35%	36%	40%	37%	71%	36%	11%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(2,484)	(1,200)	(1,284)	(513)	(624)	(816)	(531)	(653)	(813)	(751)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Very well	8%	0%	5%	20%	9%	3%	8%	10%	9%
Somewhat well	26%	6%	18%	53%	31%	13%	17%	34%	26%
Somewhat badly	29%	30%	32%	20%	25%	41%	32%	26%	23%
Very badly	37%	64%	45%	6%	35%	43%	43%	30%	42%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,484)	(714)	(820)	(776)	(1,567)	(312)	(385)	(974)	(593)

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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	7%	10%	5%	6%	8%	7%	6%	2%	4%	16%
Fairly good	25%	28%	22%	17%	23%	25%	33%	7%	20%	49%
Fairly bad	33%	30%	36%	42%	31%	31%	31%	39%	40%	20%
Very bad	30%	26%	33%	28%	30%	32%	28%	50%	30%	10%
Not sure	5%	6%	4%	6%	8%	5%	2%	1%	6%	4%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(2,487)	(1,201)	(1,286)	(514)	(626)	(817)	(530)	(654)	(813)	(754)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Very good	7%	1%	4%	17%	7%	4%	9%	8%	6%
Fairly good	25%	7%	18%	51%	30%	12%	17%	31%	29%
Fairly bad	33%	42%	39%	20%	32%	38%	33%	28%	38%
Very bad	30%	48%	34%	7%	26%	39%	36%	27%	24%
Not sure	5%	2%	5%	5%	5%	6%	5%	6%	3%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,487)	(714)	(821)	(777)	(1,572)	(311)	(385)	(976)	(596)

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6. Trump Issue Approval - Current Conflict Between Russia and Ukraine

Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling the current conflict between Russia and Ukraine?

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Approve	41%	42%	39%	30%	43%	43%	45%	10%	33%	80%
Disapprove	59%	58%	61%	70%	57%	57%	55%	90%	67%	20%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,468)	(1,193)	(1,276)	(512)	(616)	(813)	(528)	(652)	(808)	(751)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Approve	41%	9%	28%	85%	47%	21%	32%	51%	41%
Disapprove	59%	91%	72%	15%	53%	79%	68%	49%	59%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,468)	(715)	(814)	(774)	(1,556)	(311)	(382)	(960)	(596)

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7. Russia-Ukraine Matters to U.S. Interests

Do you think what happens between Russia and Ukraine matters to the interests of the U.S.?

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
A lot	29%	31%	28%	17%	26%	29%	45%	49%	25%	24%
Some	45%	42%	48%	50%	42%	47%	41%	39%	45%	50%
Not much	17%	18%	16%	20%	22%	16%	10%	10%	19%	19%
Not at all	9%	9%	8%	13%	10%	8%	4%	2%	11%	7%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,486)	(1,202)	(1,284)	(513)	(627)	(816)	(530)	(655)	(812)	(754)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
A lot	29%	41%	29%	24%	32%	20%	24%	27%	41%
Some	45%	41%	41%	51%	45%	45%	45%	46%	43%
Not much	17%	12%	19%	19%	15%	24%	17%	18%	12%
Not at all	9%	5%	11%	6%	7%	11%	14%	9%	4%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,486)	(715)	(822)	(776)	(1,572)	(312)	(383)	(976)	(596)

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8. 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
Economy and inflation policies	33%	32%	35%	41%	38%	30%	27%	36%	37%	27%
Immigration, deportation and border policies	29%	30%	28%	21%	25%	33%	34%	23%	19%	45%
Government agencies, programs and spending	15%	15%	16%	15%	13%	16%	18%	19%	18%	9%
Tariff and trade policies	11%	11%	10%	8%	12%	11%	11%	10%	13%	7%
International/foreign policy	4%	5%	3%	5%	5%	3%	3%	4%	6%	4%
Crime and safety policies	4%	4%	4%	5%	5%	3%	3%	1%	4%	6%
DEI (Diversity, equity, inclusion) policies	4%	3%	4%	4%	2%	4%	4%	7%	3%	2%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,478)	(1,197)	(1,281)	(513)	(620)	(815)	(531)	(649)	(810)	(753)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Economy and inflation policies	33%	39%	33%	28%	32%	40%	35%	33%	32%
Immigration, deportation and border policies	29%	20%	23%	43%	31%	12%	32%	32%	30%
Government agencies, programs and spending	15%	18%	19%	9%	16%	16%	11%	15%	17%
Tariff and trade policies	11%	12%	12%	8%	10%	13%	9%	9%	13%
International/foreign policy	4%	2%	6%	5%	5%	1%	5%	5%	3%
Crime and safety policies	4%	2%	4%	5%	3%	7%	6%	4%	2%
DEI (Diversity, equity, inclusion) policies	4%	7%	3%	2%	3%	10%	2%	2%	3%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,478)	(708)	(819)	(777)	(1,568)	(309)	(385)	(976)	(592)

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9. Time Spent on Most Important in How You Judge the Trump Administration

And do you think the Trump administration is spending too much time, not enough time, or about the right amount of time on [RESPONDENT ANSWER IN Q8]?

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Too much time	26%	25%	27%	28%	27%	24%	25%	47%	26%	7%
Not enough time	46%	44%	47%	51%	45%	46%	42%	49%	52%	34%
Right amount of time	28%	31%	26%	21%	28%	30%	33%	4%	22%	59%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,469)	(1,195)	(1,274)	(511)	(618)	(814)	(527)	(645)	(809)	(753)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Too much time	26%	42%	28%	9%	23%	30%	30%	19%	29%
Not enough time	46%	55%	51%	31%	44%	55%	48%	46%	41%
Right amount of time	28%	3%	21%	60%	33%	14%	22%	35%	29%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(2,469)	(704)	(817)	(776)	(1,565)	(307)	(382)	(975)	(590)

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10. Trump Administration Spending Most Its Time on International or Domestic Matters

Regardless of how you feel about it, do you think the Trump administration is spending most of its time on...

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
International matters	30%	27%	32%	29%	29%	29%	31%	39%	33%	17%
U.S. domestic matters	18%	20%	16%	22%	19%	15%	17%	25%	17%	15%
Both about equally	52%	52%	52%	49%	51%	55%	52%	36%	50%	68%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,474)	(1,188)	(1,285)	(511)	(623)	(813)	(526)	(649)	(811)	(751)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
International matters	30%	42%	31%	17%	28%	40%	33%	28%	28%
U.S. domestic matters	18%	21%	17%	16%	19%	11%	17%	16%	24%
Both about equally	52%	37%	52%	67%	53%	49%	50%	56%	48%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,474)	(715)	(813)	(774)	(1,561)	(311)	(385)	(969)	(593)

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12. Prices on Goods and Services

In the last few weeks, have prices on the goods and services you buy been...

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Going up	58%	53%	63%	56%	57%	58%	62%	85%	63%	29%
Going down	11%	12%	10%	8%	9%	13%	12%	1%	8%	23%
Staying the same	31%	35%	26%	36%	34%	29%	26%	14%	29%	47%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(2,485)	(1,201)	(1,284)	(514)	(623)	(817)	(531)	(655)	(811)	(752)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Going up	58%	83%	64%	29%	55%	68%	60%	52%	61%
Going down	11%	3%	8%	22%	12%	7%	11%	13%	9%
Staying the same	31%	14%	28%	49%	33%	25%	29%	35%	30%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,485)	(714)	(820)	(777)	(1,571)	(310)	(385)	(975)	(596)

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13. 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%	69%	69%	64%	64%	66%	91%	73%	33%
Go down	14%	15%	13%	11%	11%	16%	16%	3%	8%	32%
Not change	21%	23%	18%	20%	25%	20%	18%	6%	19%	35%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,485)	(1,199)	(1,285)	(513)	(625)	(816)	(530)	(653)	(813)	(753)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Go up	65%	94%	71%	32%	60%	82%	70%	55%	68%
Go down	14%	1%	10%	32%	17%	4%	12%	18%	14%
Not change	21%	5%	19%	36%	23%	14%	18%	27%	18%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,485)	(714)	(822)	(777)	(1,571)	(311)	(385)	(975)	(596)

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14. How Trump Describes Prices and Inflation

When Donald Trump describes prices and inflation in the U.S., do you think he makes things sound:

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Better than they really are	60%	59%	61%	58%	58%	60%	64%	84%	64%	41%
Worse than they really are	13%	13%	12%	18%	18%	10%	5%	12%	15%	5%
About as they really are	27%	28%	27%	23%	24%	30%	31%	4%	21%	54%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,479)	(1,197)	(1,282)	(510)	(624)	(814)	(531)	(649)	(813)	(753)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Better than they really are	60%	78%	69%	39%	60%	64%	60%	55%	68%
Worse than they really are	13%	17%	12%	5%	8%	23%	17%	9%	7%
About as they really are	27%	5%	19%	56%	32%	13%	23%	36%	25%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,479)	(714)	(817)	(776)	(1,564)	(312)	(384)	(971)	(593)

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17. 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	48%	53%	44%	41%	46%	53%	52%	10%	45%	89%	
Disapprove	52%	47%	56%	59%	54%	47%	48%	90%	55%	11%	
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
Weighted N	(2,483)	(1,202)	(1,281)	(510)	(626)	(817)	(529)	(655)	(808)	(754)	
	Total	Party ID				Race			White by Education		
		Dem	Ind	Rep		White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+	
Approve	48%	13%	42%	90%	55%	27%	35%	62%	45%		
Disapprove	52%	87%	58%	10%	45%	73%	65%	38%	55%		
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%		
Weighted N	(2,483)	(713)	(821)	(776)	(1,569)	(311)	(383)	(974)	(596)		

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18. Trump Deportation Program Making U.S. Economy Stronger or Weaker

Do you think the Trump administration's program to find and deport immigrants who are in the U.S. illegally is making the U.S. economy...

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Stronger	27%	33%	22%	23%	26%	29%	31%	5%	18%	62%
Weaker	43%	41%	46%	49%	42%	40%	44%	83%	46%	7%
Not changing the economy either way	29%	26%	32%	28%	32%	31%	25%	12%	36%	30%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(2,487)	(1,203)	(1,284)	(514)	(626)	(816)	(531)	(655)	(813)	(754)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Stronger	27%	3%	22%	58%	32%	13%	19%	37%	25%
Weaker	43%	78%	48%	7%	39%	52%	51%	31%	52%
Not changing the economy either way	29%	19%	30%	35%	28%	35%	30%	32%	23%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,487)	(716)	(822)	(777)	(1,572)	(312)	(384)	(976)	(596)

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19. Is ICE Detaining as Many People as Necessary

Right now do you think Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) is stopping or detaining...

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
More people than necessary	54%	49%	59%	64%	54%	49%	54%	92%	61%	14%
Fewer people than necessary	17%	22%	12%	13%	14%	23%	16%	3%	13%	35%
About as many people as necessary	29%	29%	29%	23%	32%	28%	30%	5%	26%	51%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,481)	(1,199)	(1,282)	(513)	(622)	(815)	(530)	(652)	(809)	(754)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
More people than necessary	54%	88%	60%	17%	49%	69%	65%	41%	62%
Fewer people than necessary	17%	3%	17%	30%	20%	8%	10%	22%	16%
About as many people as necessary	29%	9%	23%	52%	31%	23%	25%	37%	22%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,481)	(714)	(816)	(777)	(1,568)	(308)	(385)	(974)	(594)

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20. Way ICE Conducts Operations

Right now do you think that the way Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) is conducting its operations when it stops or detains people is...

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Too tough	56%	51%	61%	65%	59%	50%	54%	92%	64%	17%
Not tough enough	16%	21%	13%	14%	15%	20%	15%	3%	13%	32%
About right	27%	28%	26%	21%	26%	30%	31%	5%	23%	51%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,482)	(1,200)	(1,282)	(513)	(624)	(815)	(530)	(654)	(809)	(754)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Too tough	56%	90%	62%	18%	49%	75%	68%	43%	61%
Not tough enough	16%	3%	15%	31%	20%	4%	10%	24%	13%
About right	27%	6%	23%	51%	30%	21%	22%	33%	26%
Totals	99%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,482)	(714)	(818)	(777)	(1,570)	(309)	(384)	(977)	(593)

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21. 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	13%	16%	10%	13%	14%	13%	13%	4%	9%	29%
Yes, for the worse	33%	29%	36%	38%	33%	31%	31%	65%	35%	5%
No, not impacted	54%	54%	54%	49%	53%	56%	56%	31%	56%	66%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,484)	(1,203)	(1,281)	(512)	(627)	(815)	(530)	(654)	(812)	(754)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Yes, for the better	13%	3%	8%	30%	14%	7%	15%	14%	12%
Yes, for the worse	33%	60%	35%	5%	28%	38%	46%	21%	39%
No, not impacted	54%	37%	56%	65%	58%	55%	39%	64%	49%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(2,484)	(716)	(820)	(775)	(1,570)	(312)	(383)	(975)	(595)

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22. Activity Levels as a Result of Trump Deportation Program Impact on Local Community

Because of the Trump administration's deportation program do you think people in your own local area or community are...

Among those who think the Trump administration's deportation program has impacted their own local area or community

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Going out more	9%	11%	6%	12%	10%	6%	6%	4%	7%	18%
Staying home more	60%	55%	66%	55%	56%	64%	66%	80%	60%	27%
Not changing either way	31%	34%	28%	32%	33%	30%	28%	15%	33%	54%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(1,144)	(549)	(595)	(257)	(295)	(359)	(232)	(448)	(358)	(258)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Going out more	9%	4%	5%	20%	10%	4%	10%	11%	8%
Staying home more	60%	79%	63%	27%	57%	66%	65%	52%	63%
Not changing either way	31%	17%	32%	53%	33%	30%	25%	37%	29%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(1,144)	(449)	(358)	(271)	(653)	(140)	(235)	(349)	(304)

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23. Know about Venezuela

How much do you feel you know about the nation of Venezuela?

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
A lot	8%	12%	4%	7%	12%	7%	6%	11%	6%	9%
Some	36%	41%	31%	27%	33%	39%	42%	41%	33%	40%
Not much	35%	32%	38%	40%	32%	32%	39%	38%	38%	35%
Nothing at all	21%	15%	26%	26%	23%	21%	13%	10%	23%	16%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,483)	(1,200)	(1,282)	(514)	(626)	(813)	(529)	(652)	(812)	(752)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
A lot	8%	7%	10%	9%	7%	5%	14%	5%	9%
Some	36%	35%	40%	37%	40%	20%	34%	35%	49%
Not much	35%	39%	31%	36%	35%	38%	32%	35%	35%
Nothing at all	21%	18%	19%	18%	18%	37%	20%	25%	6%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(2,483)	(714)	(822)	(774)	(1,567)	(312)	(385)	(973)	(594)

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24. Know about U.S. Military Buildup Near Venezuela

How much have you heard or read about the U.S. military buildup in the Caribbean Sea near Venezuela?

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
A lot	20%	27%	13%	12%	16%	22%	29%	29%	19%	19%
Some	40%	43%	37%	31%	36%	44%	47%	46%	36%	48%
Not much	19%	16%	23%	29%	21%	16%	14%	12%	25%	20%
Nothing at all	20%	14%	27%	28%	26%	18%	9%	13%	20%	13%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,472)	(1,193)	(1,279)	(504)	(620)	(816)	(531)	(647)	(806)	(752)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
A lot	20%	24%	22%	18%	22%	16%	21%	16%	30%
Some	40%	42%	40%	44%	43%	28%	36%	40%	48%
Not much	19%	17%	19%	21%	17%	26%	21%	19%	15%
Nothing at all	20%	17%	19%	17%	18%	30%	22%	24%	7%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(2,472)	(712)	(812)	(774)	(1,561)	(312)	(379)	(967)	(594)

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25. Approval of U.S. Military Force to Attack Suspected Drug Boats

Do you approve or disapprove of the U.S. using military force to attack boats that it suspects are trying to bring drugs into the U.S.?

	Total	Gender		Under 30	Age			Ideology		
		Male	Female		30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Approve	53%	57%	50%	46%	54%	57%	53%	18%	49%	89%
Disapprove	47%	43%	50%	54%	46%	43%	47%	82%	51%	11%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,473)	(1,194)	(1,280)	(513)	(620)	(812)	(528)	(652)	(810)	(750)

	Total	Party ID			White	Race		White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep		Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Approve	53%	21%	46%	91%	57%	38%	50%	63%	46%
Disapprove	47%	79%	54%	9%	43%	62%	50%	37%	54%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,473)	(711)	(816)	(776)	(1,562)	(309)	(383)	(970)	(592)

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26. U.S. Need to Show Evidence Attacked Boats Have Drugs on them?

Do you think the U.S. needs to show the public evidence that the boats it attacks had drugs on them, or does the U.S. not need to show that evidence?

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Needs to show	75%	71%	78%	81%	77%	70%	73%	94%	83%	49%
Does not need to show	25%	29%	22%	19%	23%	30%	27%	6%	17%	51%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,479)	(1,201)	(1,279)	(511)	(625)	(815)	(528)	(653)	(810)	(751)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Needs to show	75%	93%	81%	50%	71%	89%	78%	67%	76%
Does not need to show	25%	7%	19%	50%	29%	11%	22%	33%	24%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,479)	(713)	(818)	(776)	(1,566)	(311)	(384)	(971)	(596)

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27. Favor or Oppose U.S. Taking Military Action in Venezuela

Would you favor or oppose the U.S. taking military action in Venezuela?

	Total	Gender		Under 30	Age			Ideology		
		Male	Female		30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Favor	30%	34%	26%	23%	32%	34%	27%	9%	27%	53%
Oppose	70%	66%	74%	77%	68%	66%	73%	91%	73%	47%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,468)	(1,195)	(1,273)	(512)	(621)	(811)	(524)	(651)	(810)	(749)

	Total	Party ID			White	Race		White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep		Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Favor	30%	9%	22%	58%	31%	19%	31%	36%	24%
Oppose	70%	91%	78%	42%	69%	81%	69%	64%	76%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,468)	(710)	(819)	(772)	(1,558)	(310)	(383)	(962)	(596)

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28. Venezuela a Threat to U.S. Security

Do you think Venezuela is or is not a threat to the security of the United States?

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Major threat	13%	15%	11%	8%	13%	14%	15%	5%	9%	25%
Minor threat	48%	45%	50%	48%	45%	49%	48%	31%	52%	60%
Not a threat	39%	39%	39%	44%	42%	36%	37%	64%	39%	15%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,469)	(1,197)	(1,272)	(509)	(619)	(814)	(528)	(650)	(809)	(751)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Major threat	13%	4%	11%	25%	13%	4%	19%	14%	10%
Minor threat	48%	36%	44%	62%	48%	50%	44%	51%	44%
Not a threat	39%	60%	45%	13%	39%	46%	37%	35%	46%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,469)	(708)	(816)	(776)	(1,562)	(308)	(380)	(969)	(593)

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29. Does Trump Need Congressional Approval for Military Action in Venezuela?

Do you think Donald Trump needs approval from Congress to take military action in Venezuela, or does he not need approval from Congress?

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Needs approval from Congress	76%	75%	77%	82%	75%	74%	74%	97%	81%	53%
Does not need approval from Congress	24%	25%	23%	18%	25%	26%	26%	3%	19%	47%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,472)	(1,198)	(1,273)	(513)	(621)	(810)	(528)	(653)	(808)	(748)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Needs approval from Congress	76%	95%	80%	53%	72%	87%	80%	68%	79%
Does not need approval from Congress	24%	5%	20%	47%	28%	13%	20%	32%	21%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,472)	(715)	(817)	(772)	(1,561)	(309)	(385)	(965)	(596)

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30. Possible Use of Military Action in Venezuela Clearly Explained or Not

So far, do you think the Trump administration has clearly explained the U.S. position with regard to possibly taking military action in Venezuela, or haven't they done that yet?

	Total	Gender		Under 30	Age			Ideology		
		Male	Female		30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Clearly explained	24%	29%	20%	24%	25%	25%	24%	9%	17%	50%
Not done that yet	76%	71%	80%	76%	75%	75%	76%	91%	83%	50%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,464)	(1,190)	(1,274)	(509)	(617)	(813)	(525)	(650)	(807)	(750)

	Total	Party ID			White	Race		White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep		Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Clearly explained	24%	8%	17%	50%	27%	16%	24%	30%	21%
Not done that yet	76%	92%	83%	50%	73%	84%	76%	70%	79%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,464)	(708)	(816)	(772)	(1,558)	(306)	(382)	(963)	(595)

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31. Does Trump Need to Explain Whether to Take Military Action in Venezuela

Do you think Donald Trump needs to explain any decisions about whether to take military action in Venezuela, or doesn't he need to do that?

	Total	Gender		Under 30	Age			Ideology		
		Male	Female		30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Needs to explain	82%	81%	83%	83%	79%	82%	85%	97%	86%	66%
Doesn't need to explain	18%	19%	17%	17%	21%	18%	15%	3%	14%	34%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,476)	(1,197)	(1,279)	(511)	(623)	(812)	(529)	(654)	(809)	(752)

	Total	Party ID			White	Race		White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep		Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Needs to explain	82%	97%	86%	64%	80%	90%	81%	77%	86%
Doesn't need to explain	18%	3%	14%	36%	20%	10%	19%	23%	14%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,476)	(714)	(818)	(774)	(1,566)	(309)	(383)	(971)	(596)

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32. Impact on Drugs Entering the U.S. if U.S. Takes Military Action in Venezuela

If the United States takes military action in Venezuela, do you think the amount of drugs entering the United States will increase, decrease, or not change either way?

	Gender			Age				Ideology		
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Increase	7%	8%	6%	14%	9%	4%	3%	9%	7%	5%
Decrease	37%	40%	34%	29%	34%	40%	43%	12%	30%	70%
Not change either way	56%	52%	60%	57%	57%	56%	53%	79%	62%	25%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(2,473)	(1,198)	(1,274)	(513)	(622)	(808)	(530)	(653)	(803)	(753)
	Party ID			Race			White by Education			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+	
Increase	7%	9%	6%	6%	5%	8%	13%	5%	5%	
Decrease	37%	14%	28%	69%	40%	26%	33%	43%	35%	
Not change either way	56%	77%	66%	25%	55%	66%	54%	52%	60%	
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
Weighted N	(2,473)	(710)	(817)	(776)	(1,566)	(305)	(384)	(971)	(596)	

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37. Satisfaction with How Trump Administration Handling Epstein Case

Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with how the Trump administration is handling matters related to the Jeffrey Epstein case and files?

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Very satisfied	12%	14%	10%	9%	9%	12%	19%	2%	7%	29%
Somewhat satisfied	24%	25%	23%	17%	23%	28%	27%	5%	22%	42%
Somewhat dissatisfied	21%	19%	23%	26%	28%	18%	11%	14%	25%	18%
Very dissatisfied	43%	42%	44%	48%	40%	42%	43%	79%	46%	11%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,467)	(1,196)	(1,272)	(508)	(620)	(811)	(528)	(655)	(809)	(751)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Very satisfied	12%	3%	7%	28%	14%	5%	10%	16%	11%
Somewhat satisfied	24%	5%	18%	47%	27%	20%	18%	30%	22%
Somewhat dissatisfied	21%	15%	24%	19%	20%	19%	23%	20%	20%
Very dissatisfied	43%	77%	51%	6%	39%	56%	49%	34%	47%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,467)	(714)	(813)	(776)	(1,564)	(309)	(378)	(968)	(596)

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38. Should the Department of Justice Release Information about Epstein Case or Not

Do you think the Department of Justice should release all the information it has regarding the Jeffrey Epstein case, or should it not release all the information it has?

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Should	91%	92%	90%	89%	90%	91%	93%	98%	92%	87%
Should not	9%	8%	10%	11%	10%	9%	7%	2%	8%	13%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,477)	(1,198)	(1,279)	(510)	(624)	(813)	(529)	(653)	(811)	(752)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Should	91%	97%	93%	85%	91%	91%	90%	89%	93%
Should not	9%	3%	7%	15%	9%	9%	10%	11%	7%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,477)	(712)	(820)	(777)	(1,568)	(309)	(384)	(974)	(595)

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39. Importance That All Epstein Information and Files Are Released

How important is it that all the information and files related to the Jeffrey Epstein case are released?

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Very important	55%	54%	56%	61%	52%	55%	56%	84%	54%	36%
Somewhat important	27%	28%	26%	28%	34%	23%	23%	13%	29%	35%
Not too important	11%	12%	11%	9%	9%	13%	13%	2%	11%	18%
Not important at all	6%	6%	7%	2%	5%	8%	8%	1%	5%	11%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(2,472)	(1,199)	(1,273)	(509)	(621)	(812)	(530)	(652)	(807)	(754)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Very important	55%	79%	60%	31%	51%	65%	65%	50%	52%
Somewhat important	27%	16%	25%	39%	29%	24%	19%	29%	30%
Not too important	11%	3%	10%	19%	13%	6%	12%	12%	13%
Not important at all	6%	2%	5%	11%	7%	5%	4%	8%	5%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(2,472)	(711)	(817)	(777)	(1,565)	(307)	(384)	(969)	(596)

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40. Do the Epstein Case Files Contain Damaging Information about Powerful or Wealthy People

Do you think the files related to the Jeffrey Epstein case probably include damaging information about powerful or wealthy people, or probably do not include damaging information about powerful or wealthy people?

	Total	Gender		Under 30	Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female		30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	
Do include	92%	92%	92%	88%	89%	95%	95%	97%	93%	90%	
Do not include	8%	8%	8%	12%	11%	5%	5%	3%	7%	10%	
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
Weighted N	(2,471)	(1,198)	(1,273)	(511)	(621)	(812)	(526)	(653)	(809)	(751)	

	Total	Party ID			White	Race		White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep		Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
Do include	92%	96%	93%	88%	93%	91%	88%	92%	96%
Do not include	8%	4%	7%	12%	7%	9%	12%	8%	4%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,471)	(714)	(818)	(775)	(1,566)	(307)	(384)	(970)	(596)

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41. Veracity of Any New Epstein Information Release

If any new information from the Jeffrey Epstein case and files is released, do you expect that information will probably be...

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
True	37%	37%	36%	36%	40%	35%	36%	47%	35%	34%
False	6%	6%	6%	9%	7%	5%	4%	7%	5%	5%
Too soon to say	57%	57%	58%	55%	53%	60%	60%	46%	60%	61%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,472)	(1,197)	(1,275)	(510)	(620)	(814)	(528)	(653)	(807)	(752)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
True	37%	46%	37%	30%	34%	39%	43%	33%	36%
False	6%	7%	7%	4%	5%	8%	7%	5%	4%
Too soon to say	57%	47%	56%	65%	61%	53%	49%	61%	60%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(2,472)	(711)	(819)	(775)	(1,567)	(306)	(384)	(973)	(593)

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42. Epstein Case in Evaluating Trump Presidency

How much do issues of the Epstein case and files matter to how you evaluate Donald Trump's presidency?

	Total	Gender		Age				Ideology		
		Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
A lot	38%	37%	39%	46%	37%	34%	36%	67%	37%	14%
A little	26%	26%	26%	30%	33%	24%	19%	22%	34%	23%
Not at all	36%	37%	35%	24%	30%	42%	45%	10%	29%	62%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(2,462)	(1,197)	(1,265)	(512)	(612)	(810)	(528)	(652)	(803)	(745)

	Total	Party ID			Race			White by Education	
		Dem	Ind	Rep	White	Black	Hispanic	No Degree	4yr Degree+
A lot	38%	64%	41%	11%	32%	49%	49%	29%	36%
A little	26%	23%	30%	25%	26%	24%	26%	24%	28%
Not at all	36%	13%	29%	64%	42%	27%	25%	46%	36%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(2,462)	(707)	(815)	(771)	(1,563)	(303)	(380)	(969)	(594)

HOW THE POLL WAS CONDUCTED AND THE MARGIN OF ERROR CALCULATED

The CBS News/YouGov survey of 2,489 adults in the U.S. was conducted between November 19-21, 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 5.0, 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 ± 2.4 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.