

Sample 1500 US Adults  
 Conducted July 1 - 3, 2018  
 Margin of Error ±3%

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

Generally headed in the right direction ..... 35%  
 Off on the wrong track ..... 52%  
 Not sure ..... 12%

**2. Do you consider the countries listed below to be a friend or an enemy of the United States?**

	Ally	Friendly	Unfriendly	Enemy	Not sure
Canada	48%	31%	7%	1%	12%
China	4%	29%	31%	12%	24%
Germany	32%	34%	10%	4%	20%
Iran	2%	4%	30%	42%	21%
Israel	40%	24%	8%	6%	22%
Japan	39%	32%	6%	3%	20%
North Korea	2%	7%	26%	45%	21%
South Korea	38%	30%	7%	6%	19%
Mexico	16%	34%	23%	5%	21%
Russia	3%	12%	32%	31%	22%
United Kingdom	51%	26%	5%	2%	17%

**3. Do you think Donald Trump considers these countries to be friends or enemies of the United States?**

	Ally	Friendly	Unfriendly	Enemy	Not sure
Canada	23%	29%	21%	7%	19%
China	5%	26%	29%	17%	23%
Germany	15%	30%	20%	9%	25%
Iran	2%	5%	18%	52%	23%
Israel	43%	19%	6%	9%	22%
Japan	26%	31%	9%	8%	25%
North Korea	6%	23%	18%	30%	24%

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	Ally	Friendly	Unfriendly	Enemy	Not sure
South Korea	27%	34%	8%	9%	22%
Mexico	5%	19%	33%	24%	19%
Russia	13%	30%	19%	15%	22%
United Kingdom	29%	29%	12%	7%	22%

4. Do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of NATO?

Very favorable	16%
Somewhat favorable	29%
Somewhat unfavorable	15%
Very unfavorable	9%
Don't know	30%

5. Do you think the U.S. should withdraw from NATO or remain a member?

Withdraw from NATO	17%
Remain in NATO	47%
Not sure	36%

6. As a member of the NATO alliance, an attack on one of the NATO members is considered to be an attack on the U.S. and the U.S. is obligated to come to the defense of any NATO member that has been attacked. Do you think the U.S. should or should not maintain this commitment to defend NATO allies when they are attacked?

Should maintain commitment	56%
Should not maintain commitment	16%
Not sure	28%

7. Do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of Vladimir Putin?

Very favorable	3%
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Somewhat favorable .....	12%
Somewhat unfavorable .....	22%
Very unfavorable .....	41%
Don't know .....	22%

8. Do you think Donald Trump has a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of Vladimir Putin?

Very favorable .....	25%
Somewhat favorable .....	26%
Somewhat unfavorable .....	18%
Very unfavorable .....	7%
Don't know .....	25%

9. Would you say Vladimir Putin is a strong or a weak leader?

Very strong .....	38%
Somewhat strong .....	39%
Somewhat weak .....	14%
Very weak .....	9%

10. Do you think Donald Trump's relationship with Vladimir Putin is mostly a good thing for the United States or mostly a bad thing for the United States?

Good thing .....	33%
Bad thing .....	35%
Not sure .....	32%

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

Strongly approve .....	14%
Somewhat approve .....	22%
Somewhat disapprove .....	12%

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Strongly disapprove .....	31%
No opinion .....	21%

12. How serious a threat do you think Russia poses to the United States?

An immediate and serious threat to the U.S. ....	20%
A somewhat serious threat to the U.S. ....	38%
A minor threat to the U.S. ....	19%
Not a threat to the U.S. ....	6%
Not sure .....	17%

13. How much, if anything, have you heard in the news recently about a planned summit between Donald Trump and Vladimir Putin to be held in Helsinki, Finland on July 16?

Heard a lot .....	20%
Heard a little .....	45%
Heard nothing at all .....	36%

14. How do you rate Donald Trump's skill at negotiating agreements?

Very good .....	22%
Somewhat good .....	15%
Neither good nor bad .....	12%
Somewhat bad .....	11%
Very bad .....	26%
Not sure .....	15%

15. How do you rate Vladimir Putin's skill at negotiating agreements?

Very good .....	15%
Somewhat good .....	19%
Neither good nor bad .....	19%

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Somewhat bad .....	6%
Very bad .....	6%
Not sure .....	35%

16. Do you think the meeting between Donald Trump and Vladimir Putin will make relations between the United States and Russia better, worse, or have no impact?

Better .....	27%
Worse .....	18%
No impact .....	24%
Not sure .....	30%

17. Do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of the Supreme Court of the United States?

Very favorable .....	12%
Somewhat favorable .....	36%
Somewhat unfavorable .....	23%
Very unfavorable .....	9%
Not sure .....	21%

18. In general, how would you describe the political viewpoint of the Supreme Court?

Very liberal .....	3%
Liberal .....	11%
Moderate .....	29%
Conservative .....	24%
Very conservative .....	9%
Not sure .....	23%

19. Do you think the Supreme Court has been impartial in its decisions or do you think it has tended to favor one group more than another?

Impartial in its decisions .....	25%
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Tended to favor one group more than another ..... 46%  
 Not sure ..... 29%

20. Do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of the following people?

	Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Not sure
Neil Gorsuch	17%	14%	10%	14%	44%
Elena Kagan	12%	13%	10%	13%	52%
Sonia Sotomayor	19%	15%	12%	16%	39%
Samuel Alito	11%	16%	10%	10%	52%
John Roberts	8%	23%	15%	7%	47%
Stephen Breyer	7%	16%	13%	7%	57%
Ruth Bader Ginsburg	23%	13%	8%	19%	37%
Clarence Thomas	18%	17%	12%	18%	35%
Anthony Kennedy	8%	26%	15%	7%	44%

21. How much have you heard in the news about Justice Anthony Kennedy's decision to retire from the U.S. Supreme Court?

Heard a lot ..... 38%  
 Heard a little ..... 40%  
 Heard nothing at all ..... 22%

22. In general, how would you describe the political viewpoint of Justice Anthony Kennedy?

Very liberal ..... 2%  
 Liberal ..... 9%  
 Moderate ..... 33%  
 Conservative ..... 19%  
 Very conservative ..... 4%  
 Not sure ..... 32%

23. Do you want the next Supreme Court justice to be...

More liberal than Kennedy .....	23%
About the same as Kennedy .....	21%
More conservative than Kennedy .....	29%
Not sure .....	27%

24. How important is the choice of the next Supreme Court justice to you personally?

Very important .....	41%
Somewhat important .....	23%
Not too important .....	12%
Not at all important .....	6%
Not sure .....	18%

25. How important is it to you that the next Supreme Court justice agrees with your position on....

	Very important	Somewhat important	Not too important	Not at all important	Not sure
Abortion	47%	23%	11%	7%	12%
Affirmative action	37%	27%	13%	6%	17%
Gay marriage	38%	21%	15%	14%	12%
Police powers	49%	28%	7%	4%	12%
Campaign finance	35%	27%	15%	7%	15%
Voting rights	53%	24%	7%	4%	12%
Immigration	54%	25%	6%	4%	11%

26. How concerned are you that Donald Trump will require his nominee to replace Justice Kennedy to swear a personal oath of loyalty?

Very concerned .....	28%
Somewhat concerned .....	16%
Not too concerned .....	15%
Not concerned at all .....	20%
Not sure .....	20%

27. How do you think the Supreme Court should interpret the meaning of any federal law passed by Congress and signed by the President? (Select all that apply.)

The literal meaning of the statements in the law at the time it was passed	30%
What Congress intended when it voted on the law	27%
The meaning of the statements in the law today	24%
How the statements in the law were understood when the law was applied	28%
Not sure	28%

28. Thinking about the current Supreme Court, please indicate if you agree or disagree with the following statements.

	Strongly agree	Some-what agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Some-what disagree	Strongly disagree	Not sure
The Supreme Court should be able to throw out any law it considered unconstitutional	24%	25%	16%	12%	11%	13%
The Supreme Court gets too mixed up in politics	22%	29%	21%	10%	5%	13%
The decisions of the Supreme Court favor some groups more than others	21%	32%	23%	7%	5%	12%
If the Supreme Court started making a lot of rulings that most Americans disagreed with, it might be better to do away with the Court altogether	10%	14%	17%	13%	31%	14%
The Supreme Court can usually be trusted to make decisions that are right for the country as a whole	9%	34%	23%	15%	8%	11%



29. As you may know, the 1954 Supreme Court Case *Brown v. Board of Education* declared racial segregation in public education to be unconstitutional. Would you like to see the Supreme Court overturn its *Brown v. Board of Education* decision, or not?

Yes, would like to see *Brown v. Board of Education* overturned (permit racial segregation in public schools) ..... 11%  
 No, would not like to see *Brown v. Board of Education* overturned (maintain the ban on racial segregation in public schools) .....67%  
 Not sure ..... 22%

30. As you may know, the 1973 Supreme Court Case *Roe v. Wade* established a women’s constitutional right to have an abortion. Would you like to see the Supreme Court overturn its *Roe v. Wade* decision, or not?

Yes, would like to see *Roe v. Wade* overturned (eliminate abortion rights except in states where protected) ..... 26%  
 No, would not like to see *Roe v. Wade* overturned (maintain abortion rights in all 50 states) ..... 52%  
 Not sure ..... 22%

31. As you may know, the 2003 Supreme Court Case *Grutter v. Bollinger* upheld the affirmative action admissions policy at the University of Michigan Law School. Would you like to see the Supreme Court overturn its *Grutter v. Bollinger* decision, or not?

Yes, would like to see *Grutter v. Bollinger* overturned (eliminate affirmative action in college admissions) ..... 30%  
 No, would not like to see *Grutter v. Bollinger* overturned (maintain affirmative action in college admissions) ..... 34%  
 Not sure ..... 35%

32. As you may know, the 2013 Supreme Court Case *Shelby County v. Holder* struck down portions of the Voting Rights Act that required certain states and local governments with a previous history of racial discrimination in voting to obtain approval from the federal government before changing voting laws or practices within their jurisdictions. Would you like to see the Supreme Court overturn its *Shelby County v. Holder* decision, or not?

Yes, would like to see *Shelby County v. Holder* overturned (reinstate federal preclearance procedures on certain states and local governments to protect minority voting rights) ..... 30%

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No, would not like to see *Shelby County v. Holder* overturned (prevent the federal government from overruling changes to state or local government voting procedures or policies that may harm minority voting rights) ..... 36%  
 Not sure ..... 34%

33. As you may know, the 2015 Supreme Court Case *Obergefell v. Hodges* required all states to perform and recognize the marriages of same-sex couples. Would you like to see the Supreme Court overturn its *Obergefell v. Hodges* decision, or not?

Yes, would like to see *Obergefell v. Hodges* overturned (allow states to deny marriage to same-sex couples and/or refuse to recognize the marriage of same-sex couples performed in other states) ..... 34%  
 No, would not like to see *Obergefell v. Hodges* overturned (maintain gay marriage in all 50 states) ..... 47%  
 Not sure ..... 19%

34. Do you think the police and other law enforcement officials should be required to obtain a search warrant in order to get cell-phone location data on a person from cell-phone service providers?

Yes, the police should have to get a warrant in order to get cell-phone location data on a person ..... 63%  
 No, the police do not need to get a warrant in order to get cell-phone location data on a person ..... 20%  
 Not sure ..... 17%

35. Do you think President Trump exceeded his legal authority by temporarily suspending the entry of citizens from certain countries when he issued the travel ban?

Yes, he exceeded his legal authority ..... 38%  
 No, he did not exceed his legal authority ..... 43%  
 Not sure ..... 19%

36. Do you think a florist should or should not be required to sell floral arrangements to an interracial couple if the florist thinks interracial marriage violates her religious beliefs?

*Asked of half of respondents*

Should be required to sell the floral arrangements .....	41%
Should not be required to sell the floral arrangements .....	40%
Not sure .....	19%

37. Do you think a florist should or should not be required to sell floral arrangements to an interracial couple if the florist hates interracial couples?

*Asked of the other half of respondents*

Should be required to sell the floral arrangements .....	45%
Should not be required to sell the floral arrangements .....	33%
Not sure .....	22%

38. Do you think a restaurant owner should or should not be required to serve a person who holds very different political views?

*Asked of half of respondents*

Should be required to serve the person .....	50%
Should not be required to serve the person .....	31%
Not sure .....	19%

39. Do you think a restaurant owner should or should not be required to serve a person who is a known member of the Ku Klux Klan?

*Asked of the other half of respondents*

Should be required to serve the person .....	31%
Should not be required to serve the person .....	44%
Not sure .....	24%

40. Do you think a pharmacist should or should not be required to fill a prescription for a drug that will induce an abortion in a woman who has chosen to end her pregnancy because it isn't a good time for her if the pharmacist thinks abortion violates his religious beliefs?

*Asked of half of respondents*

Should be required to fill the prescription .....	51%
Should not be required to fill the prescription .....	31%
Not sure .....	19%

41. Do you think a pharmacist should or should not be required to fill a prescription for a drug that will induce an abortion in a woman who has been told her baby has no heartbeat and that a drug induced abortion is safer than the surgical alternative if the pharmacist thinks abortion violates his religious beliefs?

*Asked of the other half of respondents*

Should be required to fill the prescription .....	54%
Should not be required to fill the prescription .....	26%
Not sure .....	20%

42. Do you think a baker should or should not be required to sell a wedding cake to a same-sex couple if the baker thinks gay marriage violates his religious beliefs?

*Asked of half of respondents*

Should be required to sell the wedding cake .....	37%
Should not be required to sell the wedding cake .....	44%
Not sure .....	19%

43. Do you think a baker should or should not be required to sell a wedding cake to a same-sex couple if the baker hates gay people?

*Asked of the other half of respondents*

Should be required to sell the wedding cake .....	40%
Should not be required to sell the wedding cake .....	40%
Not sure .....	20%

44. Do you support or oppose the cake baker in the Supreme Court case Masterpiece Cakeshop v. Colorado Civil Rights Commission who refused to bake a wedding cake for a same-sex couple because the baker claimed gay marriage violates his religious beliefs?

Support the Colorado cake baker .....	47%
Oppose the Colorado cake baker .....	36%
Not sure .....	18%

45. Do you support or oppose the Virginia restaurant owner who refused to serve Sarah Huckabee Sanders because the owner and staff oppose President Trump’s zero-tolerance policy that led to the separations of immigrant families?

Support the Virginia restaurant owner .....	37%
Oppose the Virginia restaurant owner .....	44%
Not sure .....	20%

46. When the Virginia restaurant owner refused to serve Sarah Huckabee Sanders was that an acceptable case of the restaurant owner expressing a strong political opinion or an unacceptable case of harassment?

Acceptable case of expressing a strong political opinion .....	38%
Unacceptable case of harassment .....	41%
Not sure .....	22%

47. Do you think Democrats are going too far or are they not doing enough in their opposition to the policies of President Trump?

Going too far .....	41%
Not doing enough to oppose .....	37%
Not sure .....	22%

48. Do you think Democrats need to be more civil or more confrontational in their opposition to President Trump’s policies?

More civil .....	47%
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More confrontational .....	30%
Not sure .....	23%

**49. Do you think Republicans were more or less civil to President Obama than Democrats have been to President Trump?**

Republicans were more civil to President Obama .....	35%
Republicans were less civil to President Obama .....	35%
Republicans are equally civil .....	9%
Not sure .....	22%

**50. Do you think it was appropriate or inappropriate for a member of Congress to encourage people to create crowds wherever senior officials in the Trump administration go out in public and encourage restaurant owners and shop keepers to refuse service to those officials?**

Appropriate .....	17%
Inappropriate .....	60%
Not sure .....	23%

**51. Thinking about people who consider themselves Democrats. Generally speaking, do you feel they are just people you disagree with as part of regular political arguments, or are they people you consider a threat to your way of life?**

*Asked of Republicans and Independents who lean Republican*

People you disagree with as part of regular political arguments .....	47%
People you consider a threat to your way of life .....	41%
Not sure .....	12%

**52. Thinking for a moment about people who consider themselves Democrats, which of these comes closer to your views about them?**

*Asked of Republicans and Independents who lean Republican*

People who consider themselves Democrats feel differently than I do about politics, but they probably share many of my other values and goals .....	34%
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People who consider themselves Democrats feel differently than I do about politics, and they probably don't share many of my other values and goals ..... 56%  
 Not sure ..... 10%

53. Thinking about people who consider themselves Republicans. Generally speaking, do you feel they are just people you disagree with as part of regular political arguments, or are they people you consider a threat to your way of life?

*Asked of Democrats and Independents who lean Democratic*

People you disagree with as part of regular political arguments ..... 40%  
 People you consider a threat to your way of life ..... 37%  
 Not sure ..... 23%

54. Thinking for a moment about people who consider themselves Republicans, which of these comes closer to your views about them?

*Asked of Democrats and Independents who lean Democratic*

People who consider themselves Republicans feel differently than I do about politics, but they probably share many of my other values and goals ..... 32%  
 People who consider themselves Republicans feel differently than I do about politics, and they probably don't share many of my other values and goals ..... 46%  
 Not sure ..... 21%

55. How would you feel if you had a son or a daughter who married...

	Very upset	Somewhat upset	Uncomfortable	Nether upset nor uncomfortable at all	Not sure
A Democrat	10%	7%	12%	61%	10%
A Republican	9%	10%	13%	57%	11%
Someone who is the same sex	21%	9%	15%	45%	10%
Someone who doesn't vote	8%	11%	13%	57%	11%
Someone who voted for Hillary Clinton	11%	8%	12%	60%	10%

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	Very upset	Somewhat upset	Uncomfortable	Nether upset nor uncomfortable at all	Not sure
Someone who voted for Donald Trump	16%	10%	12%	53%	10%
Someone who is Muslim	19%	10%	15%	43%	13%
Someone who is Jewish	5%	5%	8%	71%	11%
An atheist	17%	9%	13%	48%	12%
An illegal alien	23%	10%	17%	36%	13%

**56. How important a role do you think the federal government plays in your life?**

Very important	24%
Somewhat important	45%
Not very important	20%
Not at all important	11%

**57. How important a role do you think your state government plays in your life?**

Very important	26%
Somewhat important	46%
Not very important	19%
Not at all important	9%

**58. How important a role do you think your local government plays in your life?**

Very important	25%
Somewhat important	44%
Not very important	22%
Not at all important	9%



59. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement: Democracy is the greatest form of government?

Agree strongly	34%
Agree somewhat	24%
Neither agree nor disagree	29%
Disagree somewhat	7%
Disagree strongly	6%

60. How well would you say democracy is working in the United States today?

Very well	12%
Somewhat well	37%
Not too well	36%
Not at all well	15%

61. Do you think public protests are more a sign of...

Healthy democracy	38%
Democracy in trouble	36%
Not sure	26%

62. How much have you heard in the news about marches held across the country to protest the family separations that happened as a result of the zero-tolerance immigration policy?

Heard a lot	46%
Heard a little	38%
Heard nothing at all	15%

63. Do you approve or disapprove of separating families from each other, including minor children, when the adults are arrested for crossing the border into the United States without proper documentation?

Strongly approve	15%
Somewhat approve	16%

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Somewhat disapprove .....	12%
Strongly disapprove .....	43%
Not sure .....	14%

**64. Which policy do you prefer for how to handle families that are stopped for crossing the border into the United States without proper documentation?**

Release the families and have them report back for an immigration hearing at a later date	24%
Hold families together in family detention centers until an immigration hearing at a later date .....	41%
Arrest the adults, send them to jail to await a criminal trial and send any minor children to shelters run by the Department of Health and Human Services .....	13%
Arrest both the adults and minor children, send the adults to jail and the minor children to juvenile detention centers to await a criminal trial .....	6%
Not sure .....	16%

**65. Do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE)?**

Very favorable .....	22%
Somewhat favorable .....	19%
Somewhat unfavorable .....	15%
Very unfavorable .....	23%
Not sure .....	22%

**66. Do you support or oppose abolishing U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) and replacing it with a different agency?**

Support strongly .....	15%
Support somewhat .....	14%
Oppose somewhat .....	13%
Oppose strongly .....	29%
Not sure .....	29%

67. From what you know about it now, do you support or oppose the new tax reform law?

Strongly support	18%
Somewhat support	15%
Somewhat oppose	13%
Strongly oppose	20%
No opinion	34%

68. When you file your taxes, do you itemize deductions or do you take the standard deduction?

Itemize deductions	23%
Standard deduction	45%
Not sure	16%
Prefer not to say	17%

69. From what you know about it now, do you think you will pay more or less under the new tax plan?

Pay more	19%
Pay about the same	30%
Pay less	20%
Not sure	31%

70. How important are the following issues to you?

	Very Important	Somewhat Important	Not very Important	Unimportant
The economy	67%	27%	4%	2%
Immigration	51%	35%	8%	5%
The environment	48%	34%	12%	7%
Terrorism	55%	27%	11%	6%
Gay rights	26%	25%	21%	28%
Education	57%	30%	8%	5%
Health care	69%	22%	6%	3%
Social security	66%	24%	7%	3%
The budget deficit	44%	37%	13%	6%

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	Very Important	Somewhat Important	Not very Important	Unimportant
The war in Afghanistan	28%	39%	24%	9%
Taxes	55%	35%	7%	3%
Medicare	62%	26%	7%	5%
Abortion	42%	28%	20%	10%
Foreign policy	42%	42%	11%	4%
Gun control	52%	25%	14%	9%
International trade and globalization	39%	41%	14%	6%
Use of military force	46%	38%	11%	5%

71. Which of these is the most important issue for you?

The economy	13%
Immigration	10%
The environment	7%
Terrorism	6%
Gay rights	3%
Education	8%
Health care	14%
Social security	16%
The budget deficit	3%
The war in Afghanistan	0%
Taxes	4%
Medicare	4%
Abortion	6%
Foreign policy	1%
Gun control	6%

72. Do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of the following people?

	Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Don't know
Donald Trump	26%	13%	9%	44%	7%
Mike Pence	22%	15%	10%	34%	18%
Paul Ryan	6%	21%	18%	33%	22%
Mitch McConnell	4%	16%	17%	32%	30%

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	Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Don't know
Nancy Pelosi	7%	20%	14%	38%	21%
Chuck Schumer	6%	19%	13%	30%	32%

73. Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of the political parties?

	Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Don't know
The Democratic Party	14%	23%	18%	33%	12%
The Republican Party	11%	22%	17%	37%	12%

74. Is the Democratic Party...

Too liberal	40%
About right	23%
Not liberal enough	16%
Not sure	21%

75. Is the Republican Party...

Too conservative	38%
About right	21%
Not conservative enough	19%
Not sure	22%

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

Strongly approve	23%
Somewhat approve	18%
Somewhat disapprove	11%

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Strongly disapprove .....	38%
Not sure .....	10%

77. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling these specific issues?

	Strongly approve	Somewhat approve	Somewhat disapprove	Strongly disapprove	No opinion
Abortion	14%	17%	9%	31%	28%
Budget deficit	13%	19%	14%	32%	22%
Civil rights	17%	18%	10%	33%	21%
Economy	25%	19%	11%	29%	16%
Education	16%	18%	10%	33%	24%
Environment	16%	16%	11%	37%	21%
Foreign policy	22%	16%	10%	35%	17%
Gay rights	13%	15%	10%	32%	31%
Gun control	20%	17%	11%	35%	17%
Health care	15%	19%	12%	35%	18%
Immigration	25%	14%	9%	39%	12%
Medicare	13%	17%	10%	34%	25%
Social security	14%	18%	12%	30%	27%
Taxes	22%	18%	9%	33%	18%
Terrorism	26%	17%	11%	28%	19%
Veterans	24%	18%	11%	26%	21%
Women's rights	19%	17%	9%	34%	22%

78. Which of these words would you use to describe Donald Trump, and which of these words would you definitely not use to describe Donald Trump? (Please check all that apply.)

	Positive	Negative	No Opinion
Honest	20%	41%	39%
Intelligent	29%	32%	38%
Religious	11%	33%	56%
Inspiring	18%	35%	48%
Patriotic	33%	22%	45%
Strong	34%	23%	43%
Bold	43%	11%	45%
Experienced	15%	39%	46%
Sincere	19%	38%	42%

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	Positive	Negative	No Opinion
Partisan	18%	14%	67%
Effective	31%	27%	42%
Exciting	16%	24%	59%
Steady	17%	29%	54%
Hypocritical	43%	17%	40%
Arrogant	62%	10%	28%

**79. Would you say Donald Trump is...**

Very liberal	4%
Liberal	3%
Moderate	13%
Conservative	30%
Very conservative	20%
Not sure	29%

**80. Do you think Donald Trump...**

Says what he believes	49%
Says what he thinks people want to hear	35%
Not sure	16%

**81. How much do you think Donald Trump cares about the needs and problems of people like you?**

A lot	20%
Some	16%
Not much	13%
Doesn't care at all	41%
Not sure	9%

82. Would you say Donald Trump is a strong or a weak leader?

Very strong .....	27%
Somewhat strong .....	22%
Somewhat weak .....	19%
Very weak .....	33%

83. Do you think Donald Trump is honest and trustworthy, or not?

Honest and trustworthy .....	30%
Not honest and trustworthy .....	51%
Not sure .....	19%

84. Do you think Donald Trump has the temperament to be the President?

Yes .....	35%
No .....	51%
Not sure .....	13%

85. How likely do you think it is that Donald Trump will get us into a war?

Very likely .....	23%
Fairly likely .....	26%
Fairly unlikely .....	20%
Very unlikely .....	14%
Not sure .....	17%

86. Do you think the way Donald Trump uses Twitter is appropriate or inappropriate for the President of the United States?

Appropriate .....	28%
Inappropriate .....	54%
Not sure .....	17%



87. Are you optimistic or pessimistic about the next few years with Donald Trump as President?

Optimistic .....	37%
Pessimistic .....	42%
Not sure .....	21%

88. Do you want Donald Trump to run for re-election in 2020?

Yes .....	34%
No .....	51%
Not sure .....	15%

89. Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way that the United States Congress is handling its job?

Strongly approve .....	2%
Somewhat approve .....	9%
Neither approve nor disapprove .....	16%
Somewhat disapprove .....	22%
Strongly disapprove .....	35%
Not sure .....	15%

90. Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of the following groups in Congress?

	Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Don't know
Democrats in Congress	8%	21%	20%	35%	16%
Republicans in Congress	6%	20%	21%	37%	17%

91. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Paul Ryan is handling his job as Speaker of the U.S. House of Representatives?

Strongly approve	5%
Somewhat approve	19%
Somewhat disapprove	19%
Strongly disapprove	31%
Not sure	27%

92. Do you want the next leader of Republicans in the U.S. House of Representatives to be more or less conservative than Paul Ryan?

More conservative	25%
Less conservative	29%
About the same	16%
Not sure	29%

93. Do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of the following people?

	Very favorable	Some-what favorable	Some-what unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Don't know	Never heard of this person
Jim Jordan	10%	9%	5%	11%	25%	40%
Kevin McCarthy	7%	13%	7%	13%	28%	33%
Steve Scalise	12%	13%	8%	13%	26%	29%

94. Who do you think should lead Republicans in the U.S. House of Representatives?

Jim Jordan	8%
Kevin McCarthy	6%
Steve Scalise	8%
Some other Republican	3%
Not sure	41%
I don't care who leads the Republicans in the U.S. House of Representatives	34%

95. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Mitch McConnell is handling his job as Majority Leader of the U.S. Senate?

Strongly approve .....	3%
Somewhat approve .....	18%
Somewhat disapprove .....	17%
Strongly disapprove .....	29%
Not sure .....	33%

96. Who do you think should lead Republicans in the U.S. Senate?

Mitch McConnell .....	10%
Some other Republican .....	29%
Not sure .....	30%
I don't care who leads the Republicans in the U.S. Senate .....	31%

97. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Nancy Pelosi is handling her job as the Minority Leader of the U.S. House of Representatives?

Strongly approve .....	6%
Somewhat approve .....	18%
Somewhat disapprove .....	16%
Strongly disapprove .....	35%
Not sure .....	26%

98. Who do you think should lead Democrats in the U.S. House of Representatives?

Nancy Pelosi .....	14%
Some other Democrat .....	34%
Not sure .....	26%
I don't care who leads the Democrats in the U.S. House of Representatives .....	26%

99. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Chuck Schumer is handling his job as Minority Leader of the U.S. Senate?

Strongly approve	6%
Somewhat approve	20%
Somewhat disapprove	11%
Strongly disapprove	26%
Not sure	36%

100. Who do you think should lead Democrats in the U.S. Senate?

Chuck Schumer	17%
Some other Democrat	26%
Not sure	30%
I don't care who leads the Democrats in the U.S. Senate	27%

101. Do you think the current Congress has accomplished more or less than Congress usually does at this point in its two-year term?

More than usual	11%
About the same	26%
Less than usual	38%
Not sure	26%

102. Do you think the current Congress has accomplished more or less than Congress usually does at this point in its two-year term?

A lot more than usual	5%
Somewhat more than usual	6%
About the same	26%
Somewhat less than usual	17%
A lot less than usual	21%
Not sure	26%

103. Who is more to blame for Congress achieving less than usual?  
*Asked if respondent says Congress accomplished less than usual*

Democrats in Congress .....	18%
Republicans in Congress .....	41%
Both equally .....	35%
Neither .....	2%
Not sure .....	4%

104. Do you wish the candidates who run for Congress this year will be more or less like Donald Trump?

More like Donald Trump .....	32%
Less like Donald Trump .....	47%
Not sure .....	22%

105. Do you wish the candidates who run for Congress this year will be more or less like Bernie Sanders?

More like Bernie Sanders .....	33%
Less like Bernie Sanders .....	40%
Not sure .....	27%

106. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better .....	33%
About the same .....	28%
Getting worse .....	25%
Not sure .....	15%

107. Do you think the stock market will be higher or lower 12 months from now?

Higher .....	23%
About the same .....	24%

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Lower .....	23%
Not sure .....	31%

**108. Would you say that you and your family are...**

Better off financially than you were a year ago .....	19%
About the same financially as you were a year ago .....	48%
Worse off financially than you were a year ago .....	21%
Not sure .....	12%

**109. Is the place where you live owned or rented?**

Owned by you or your family .....	62%
Rented from someone else .....	35%
Other .....	3%

**110. Do you have a mortgage?**

*Asked of those who own the place where they live*

Yes .....	44%
No .....	56%

**111. Six months from now do you think there will be...**

More jobs .....	29%
The same amount of jobs .....	31%
Fewer jobs .....	21%
Not sure .....	18%

112. How worried are you about losing your job?

Very worried .....	8%
Somewhat worried .....	27%
Not very worried .....	65%

113. If you lost your job, how hard would it be for you to find a new job that paid as much as you are making now?

Very hard – I would probably have to take a pay cut. ....	25%
Somewhat hard – It might take a while before I found a job that paid as much. ....	37%
Not very hard .....	26%
Not sure .....	12%

114. How happy would you say you are with your current job?

Very happy .....	24%
Happy .....	31%
Neither happy nor unhappy .....	34%
Unhappy .....	7%
Very unhappy .....	4%

115. Some people seem to follow what’s going on in government and public affairs most of the time, whether there’s an election going on or not. Others aren’t that interested. Would you say you follow what’s going on in government and public affairs ...

Most of the time .....	43%
Some of the time .....	27%
Only now and then .....	15%
Hardly at all .....	9%
Don’t know .....	7%

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

Liberal .....	26%
Moderate .....	27%
Conservative .....	33%
Not sure .....	14%

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

Very liberal .....	12%
Liberal .....	14%
Moderate .....	27%
Conservative .....	19%
Very conservative .....	14%
Not sure .....	14%

118. Are you registered to vote?

Registered .....	67%
Not registered .....	33%

119. If an election for U.S. Congress were being held today, who would you vote for in the district where you live?  
*Asked of registered voters*

The Democratic Party candidate .....	42%
The Republican Party candidate .....	38%
Other .....	1%
Not sure .....	15%
I would not vote .....	3%



120. If Donald Trump runs for re-election in 2020, would that make you more or less likely to vote the Republican Congressional candidate in the district where you live, or would it have no effect on how you vote?

*Asked of registered voters*

More likely to vote for the Republican Congressional candidate .....	27%
Less likely to vote for the Republican Congressional candidate .....	26%
Have no effect on your vote choice .....	39%
Not sure .....	9%

121. Did you vote in the 2016 Presidential primary or caucus in your state?

*Asked of registered voters*

Yes, I voted the Democratic Presidential primary or caucus .....	37%
Yes, I voted the Republican Presidential primary or caucus .....	35%
No, I did not vote in either the Republican or Democratic Presidential primary or caucus ..	23%
I don't remember .....	6%

122. Which candidate did you vote for in the 2016 Democratic Presidential primary or caucus in your state?

*Asked of registered voters who voted in their state's 2016 Democratic Presidential primary or caucus*

Hillary Clinton .....	66%
Martin O'Malley .....	2%
Bernie Sanders .....	29%
Someone else .....	3%

123. Which candidate did you vote for in the 2016 Republican Presidential primary or caucus in your state?

*Asked of registered voters who voted in their state's 2016 Republican Presidential primary or caucus*

Donald Trump .....	56%
Someone else .....	44%

124. Did you vote in the election on Tuesday, November 8, 2016?  
*Asked of registered voters*

Yes .....	56%
No .....	44%

125. Who did you vote for in the election for President?

Hillary Clinton .....	26%
Donald Trump .....	25%
Gary Johnson .....	1%
Jill Stein .....	1%
Evan McMullin .....	1%
Other .....	1%
Did not vote for President .....	46%

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

Democrat .....	34%
Republican .....	24%
Independent .....	26%
Other .....	4%
Not sure .....	12%

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

Strong Democrat .....	22%
Not very strong Democrat .....	12%
Lean Democrat .....	8%
Independent .....	18%
Lean Republican .....	9%
Not very strong Republican .....	9%
Strong Republican .....	15%
Not sure .....	7%

128. Which candidate did you vote for in the 2012 Presidential election?  
*Asked of registered voters old enough to vote in 2012*

Barack Obama .....	27%
Mitt Romney .....	25%
Other candidate .....	1%
I did not vote .....	47%

129. What is your gender?

Male .....	49%
Female .....	51%

130. Respondent age by category

Under 30 .....	22%
30-44 .....	24%
45-64 .....	34%
65+ .....	21%

131. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

White .....	68%
Black .....	13%
Hispanic .....	11%
Other .....	7%

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

HS or less .....	39%
Some college .....	33%
College grad .....	19%
Postgrad .....	9%

133. What is your marital status?

Married .....	45%
Separated .....	3%
Divorced .....	11%
Widowed .....	5%
Never married .....	33%
Domestic / civil partnership .....	4%

134. Are you the parent or guardian of any children under the age of 18?

Yes .....	25%
No .....	75%

135. Calculated from respondent's state of residence

Northeast .....	20%
Midwest .....	22%
South .....	36%
West .....	22%

136. Which of the following best describes the place where you live?

A large city .....	21%
A suburb near a large city .....	32%
A small city or town .....	28%
A rural area .....	19%

137. Overall, how would you rate your city or town as a place to live?

Excellent .....	14%
Very good .....	29%
Good .....	36%
Only fair .....	15%
Poor .....	5%

138. Which of the following best describes your current employment status?

Full-time employed .....	36%
Part-time employed .....	13%
Self-employed .....	0%
Unemployed or temporarily on layoff .....	9%
Retired .....	22%
Permanently disabled .....	10%
Homemaker .....	9%
Other .....	1%

139. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?

Under \$50K .....	47%
\$50-100K .....	25%
\$100K or more .....	13%
Prefer not to say .....	15%

140. We'd like to know whether you or someone in your immediate family is currently serving or has ever served in the U.S. military. Immediate family is defined as your parents, siblings, spouse, and children. Please check all boxes that apply.

Military Household - I am .....	2%
Military Household - Family .....	6%
Military Household - I served previously .....	11%
Military Household - Family served previously .....	39%
Military Household - None .....	47%

141. Are you or is someone in your household a member of a labor union?

Yes, I am .....	6%
Yes, household member is .....	8%
No .....	86%

142. How important is religion in your life?

Very important .....	37%
Somewhat important .....	27%
Not too important .....	17%
Not at all important .....	20%

143. Aside from weddings and funerals, how often do you attend religious services?

More than once a week .....	7%
Once a week .....	17%
Once or twice a month .....	8%
A few times a year .....	12%
Seldom .....	22%
Never .....	30%
Don't know .....	4%

144. Would you describe yourself as a "born-again" or evangelical Christian, or not?

Yes .....	29%
No .....	71%

145. People practice their religion in different ways. Outside of attending religious services, how often do you pray?

Several times a day .....	25%
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Once a day .....	14%
A few times a week .....	14%
Once a week .....	3%
A few times a month .....	7%
Seldom .....	15%
Never .....	17%
Don't know .....	6%

146. What is your present religion, if any?

Protestant .....	35%
Roman Catholic .....	20%
Mormon .....	1%
Eastern or Greek Orthodox .....	1%
Jewish .....	2%
Muslim .....	2%
Buddhist .....	1%
Hindu .....	0%
Atheist .....	5%
Agnostic .....	5%
Nothing in particular .....	24%
Something else .....	4%

<b>Sponsorship</b>	<i>The Economist</i>
<b>Fieldwork</b>	YouGov
<b>Interviewing Dates</b>	July 1 - 3, 2018
<b>Target population</b>	US Adult Population
<b>Sampling method</b>	Respondents were selected from YouGov's opt-in Internet panel using sample matching. A random sample (stratified by gender, age, race, education, and region) was selected from the 2014 American Community Study. Voter registration was imputed from the November 2014 Current Population Survey Registration and Voting Supplement.
<b>Weighting</b>	The sample was weighted based on gender, age, race, education, 2012 and 2016 Presidential votes (or non-votes). The weights range from 0.178 to 3.559, with a mean of one and a standard deviation of 0.599.
<b>Number of respondents</b>	1500 1263 (Registered voters)
<b>Margin of error</b>	± 3% (adjusted for weighting) ± 2.9% (Registered voters)
<b>Survey mode</b>	Web-based interviews
<b>Questions not reported</b>	28 questions not reported.