

The Economist/YouGov Poll



Sample 1300 General Population Respondents
 Conducted August 6 - 9, 2016
 Margin of Error ±3.9%

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

Generally headed in the right direction 29%
 Off on the wrong track 63%
 Not sure 8%

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

	Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Don't know
Hillary Clinton	22%	19%	13%	44%	2%
Tim Kaine	10%	22%	18%	14%	35%
Donald Trump	17%	17%	13%	50%	3%
Mike Pence	16%	19%	13%	22%	30%
Gary Johnson	5%	19%	17%	11%	49%
Jill Stein	3%	14%	16%	14%	53%

3. How do you feel about the presidential candidates listed below?

	Enthusiastic	Satisfied but not enthusiastic	Dissatisfied but not upset	Upset	Not sure
Hillary Clinton	20%	21%	15%	41%	2%
Donald Trump	18%	16%	13%	49%	3%

4. Do you have a good idea of which candidate you'll vote for in the presidential election in November, or are you still making up your mind?

Asked of registered voters

I have a good idea of who I'll vote for	80%
I'm still making up my mind	14%
I don't plan to vote in the election this November	4%
Not sure	2%

5. If the 2016 presidential election were being held today and the candidates were Hillary Clinton, the Democrat, Donald Trump, the Republican, Gary Johnson, the Libertarian, and Jill Stein, from the Green Party, who would you vote for?

Registered voters only

Hillary Clinton	42%
Donald Trump	36%
Gary Johnson	9%
Jill Stein	2%
Someone else	2%
Not sure yet	6%
Probably won't vote	3%

6. Which candidate do you prefer more, Hillary Clinton or Donald Trump?

Asked of registered voters who would vote for Gary Johnson, Jill Stein or

Hillary Clinton	32%
Donald Trump	26%
No preference	42%

7. Which candidate do you prefer more, Hillary Clinton or Donald Trump?

Registered voters

Hillary Clinton	48%
Donald Trump	41%
Someone else / Not sure yet / No preference	8%
Probably won't vote	3%

8. Would you say you are mostly voting FOR Hillary Clinton or AGAINST Donald Trump?

Asked of those who would vote for Hillary Clinton

I'm mostly voting <u>FOR</u> Hillary Clinton	63%
I'm mostly voting <u>AGAINST</u> Donald Trump	36%
Not sure	1%

9. Would you say you are mostly voting FOR Donald Trump or AGAINST Hillary Clinton?

Asked of those who would vote for Donald Trump

I'm mostly voting <u>FOR</u> Donald Trump	55%
I'm mostly voting <u>AGAINST</u> Hillary Clinton	44%
Not sure	1%

10. Would you say you are mostly voting FOR Gary Johnson, AGAINST Hillary Clinton or AGAINST Donald Trump?

Asked of those who would vote for Gary Johnson

I'm mostly voting <u>FOR</u> Gary Johnson	44%
I'm mostly voting <u>AGAINST</u> Hillary Clinton	22%
I'm mostly voting <u>AGAINST</u> Donald Trump	32%
Not sure	2%

11. Would you say you are mostly voting FOR Jill Stein, AGAINST Hillary Clinton or AGAINST Donald Trump?

Asked of those who would vote for Jill Stein

I'm mostly voting <u>FOR</u> Jill Stein	67%
I'm mostly voting <u>AGAINST</u> Hillary Clinton	18%
I'm mostly voting <u>AGAINST</u> Donald Trump	14%
Not sure	2%

12. Primary voter motivation

I'm mostly voting <u>FOR</u> Hillary Clinton	29%
I'm mostly voting <u>FOR</u> Donald Trump	22%
I'm mostly voting <u>FOR</u> Gary Johnson	5%
I'm mostly voting <u>FOR</u> Jill Stein	2%
I'm mostly voting <u>AGAINST</u> Hillary Clinton	21%
I'm mostly voting <u>AGAINST</u> Donald Trump	20%
Not sure	1%

13. Would you consider voting for Hillary Clinton?

Asked of registered voters

Might consider voting for	51%
Would never vote for	45%
Not sure	4%

14. Would you consider voting for Donald Trump?

Asked of registered voters

Might consider voting for	45%
Would never vote for	52%
Not sure	4%

15. Would you consider voting for Gary Johnson?

Asked of registered voters

Might consider voting for	33%
Would never vote for	42%
Not sure	25%

16. Would you consider voting for Jill Stein?

Asked of registered voters

Might consider voting for	22%
Would never vote for	47%
Not sure	31%

17. How many Democrats do you think will vote for Hillary Clinton in the general election?

All of them	14%
Most of them	52%
Half of them	14%
Some of them	10%
None of them	2%
Not sure	8%

18. How many Republicans do you think will vote for Donald Trump in the general election?

All of them	3%
Most of them	42%
Half of them	20%
Some of them	20%
None of them	4%
Not sure	10%

19. What do you think is the most likely outcome of the presidential election with Hillary Clinton as the Democratic nominee and Donald Trump as the Republican nominee?

Clinton will win in a landslide	21%
Clinton will win narrowly	33%
Trump will win narrowly	21%
Trump will win in a landslide	8%
Not sure	17%

20. Are you better off now than you were eight years ago?

Better off now	33%
Better off eight years ago	37%
No difference	23%
Not sure	7%

21. Compared to eight years ago, has the U.S. become more respected or less respected in the world?

More respected	18%
Less respected	62%
No difference	14%
Not sure	6%

22. How important will the following issues be in your vote for president this year?

Asked of registered voters

	Very important	Somewhat important	Not very important	Not at all important	I don't plan to vote	Not sure
Income inequality	40%	28%	14%	14%	2%	2%
Social Security	67%	24%	6%	2%	1%	1%
Climate change	36%	23%	16%	21%	2%	2%
The minimum wage	37%	28%	19%	13%	1%	1%
Health care	68%	24%	4%	2%	1%	1%
College tuition	27%	32%	21%	16%	2%	2%
Money in politics	46%	29%	15%	5%	2%	3%
Immigration reform	56%	29%	9%	3%	2%	2%
Gun control	51%	22%	10%	15%	1%	1%
Fighting terrorism	72%	20%	4%	1%	2%	1%
Job creation	67%	25%	5%	1%	2%	2%
National security	75%	16%	4%	1%	2%	2%
Free trade agreements	36%	42%	10%	4%	2%	7%
Religious liberty	45%	26%	14%	10%	2%	3%
Wall Street reform	35%	35%	18%	5%	2%	5%
Taxes	60%	29%	6%	1%	1%	1%
Vice-Presidential running mate	27%	38%	23%	7%	2%	2%
Police brutality	41%	28%	14%	14%	1%	2%
Law and order	55%	30%	8%	4%	2%	2%
LGBTQ equality	25%	28%	17%	25%	2%	3%

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

Asked of registered voters

Income inequality	4%
Social Security	13%
Climate change	6%
The minimum wage	2%
Health care	10%
College tuition	1%
Money in politics	3%
Immigration reform	7%
Gun control	6%
Fighting terrorism	12%
Job creation	10%
National security	14%
Free trade agreements	1%
Religious liberty	2%
Wall Street reform	0%
Taxes	4%
Vice-Presidential running mate	0%
Police brutality	2%
Law and order	2%
LGBTQ equality	2%

24. Which is more important: picking a candidate who...

Asked of registered voters

Is honest and trustworthy	32%
Is best prepared to win the general election	3%
Shakes up politics-as-usual	12%
Has policy proposals I agree with	26%
Has the experience to be president	25%
Something else	1%

25. How much does a presidential candidate’s ability to manage his or her campaign affect your view of that candidate?

A great deal	34%
A moderate amount	45%
Not much	16%
Not at all	5%

26. Regardless of your overall opinion of the candidates listed below, do you feel each one has the qualifications to be president?

	Qualified to be president	Not qualified to be president	Not sure
Hillary Clinton	54%	39%	7%
Donald Trump	29%	61%	10%

27. Do you think the following presidential candidates are ready to be Commander-in-Chief?

	Ready	Not ready	Not sure
Hillary Clinton	49%	42%	9%
Donald Trump	28%	62%	10%

28. Do you think the following presidential candidates are honest and trustworthy, or not?

	Honest and trustworthy	Not honest and trustworthy	Not sure
Hillary Clinton	28%	60%	12%
Donald Trump	29%	59%	13%

29. Do you think the following presidential candidates are running well managed or poorly run campaigns?

	Well managed	Poorly run	Not sure
Hillary Clinton	57%	27%	15%
Donald Trump	25%	59%	16%

30. Are you confident or uneasy about the following presidential candidates' ability to deal wisely with terrorism?

	Confident	Uneasy	Not sure
Hillary Clinton	40%	49%	10%
Donald Trump	34%	57%	9%

31. Are you confident or uneasy about the following presidential candidates' ability handle the economy?

	Confident	Uneasy	Not sure
Hillary Clinton	39%	50%	11%
Donald Trump	37%	54%	9%

32. Would you say each one of the candidates listed below is a strong or a weak leader?

	Very strong	Somewhat strong	Somewhat weak	Very weak
Hillary Clinton	26%	30%	19%	26%
Donald Trump	27%	24%	14%	34%

33. Are you confident or uneasy about the following presidential candidates' ability to handle the responsibility of controlling America's nuclear weapons?

	Confident	Uneasy	Not sure
Hillary Clinton	48%	40%	12%
Donald Trump	27%	63%	10%

34. Would you use the words below to describe Hillary Clinton?

	Yes	No	Not sure
Capable	55%	34%	10%
Hard worker	64%	27%	9%
Successful	74%	20%	6%
Dangerous	40%	51%	9%
Crazy	29%	62%	10%
Corrupt	53%	33%	14%
Evil	33%	57%	10%
Patriotic	53%	35%	13%
Religious	23%	46%	31%
Tough	59%	30%	12%
Smart	72%	21%	8%
Compassionate	43%	42%	15%

35. Would you use the words below to describe Donald Trump?

	Yes	No	Not sure
Capable	41%	48%	11%
Hard worker	59%	32%	9%
Successful	70%	21%	8%
Dangerous	60%	31%	9%
Crazy	58%	32%	10%
Corrupt	45%	41%	14%
Evil	39%	49%	12%
Patriotic	48%	36%	16%
Religious	13%	58%	28%
Tough	65%	27%	8%
Smart	54%	34%	12%
Compassionate	24%	59%	17%

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

	Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Don't know
Bill Clinton	26%	30%	14%	25%	4%
Bernie Sanders	29%	28%	19%	17%	7%
Michelle Obama	41%	20%	13%	23%	3%
Melania Trump	16%	24%	22%	18%	20%

37. Do you think it is appropriate or inappropriate to attack a political candidate for something his or her spouse did?

Appropriate	18%
Inappropriate	65%
Not sure	16%

38. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement?

"Pornography, with its harmful effects, especially on children, has become a public health crisis that is destroying the lives of millions."

Agree strongly	28%
Agree somewhat	28%
Disagree somewhat	19%
Disagree strongly	16%
Not sure	8%

39. How much does it matter to you that Melania Trump has posed in nude photos?

A great deal	14%
Some	16%
Not very much	27%
Not at all	43%

40. Do you think it was appropriate or inappropriate for the New York Post to publish nude photos of Melania Trump on its cover this week?

Appropriate	17%
Inappropriate	68%
Not sure	15%

41. Do you think it is appropriate or inappropriate to publish nude pictures of Melania Trump as a way to attack Donald Trump?

Appropriate	14%
Inappropriate	77%
Not sure	9%

42. Do you think it is appropriate or inappropriate to bring up Bill Clinton’s past personal behavior as a way to attack Hillary Clinton?

Appropriate	28%
Inappropriate	62%
Not sure	10%

43. How much have you heard about the media investigating Melania Trump’s immigration record?

Heard a lot	12%
Heard a little	45%
Heard nothing at all	43%

44. Members of the media are investigating whether or not Melania Trump may have violated federal immigration laws by working as a model in the United States before she obtained a proper work visa. Do you think it is appropriate or inappropriate for the media to investigate this issue?

Appropriate	45%
Inappropriate	38%
Not sure	17%

45. Do you think Donald Trump will refuse to participate in one or more of the presidential debates this fall?

Yes	38%
No	34%
Not sure	28%

46. Do you think Donald Trump will be on the ballot in November or do you think he will quit or be replaced before the election?

Donald Trump will be on the ballot	74%
Donald Trump will quit or he will be replaced before the election	11%
Not sure	15%

47. Do you think Hillary Clinton will be on the ballot in November or do you think she will quit or be replaced before the election?

Hillary Clinton will be on the ballot	86%
Hillary Clinton will quit or she will be replaced before the election	6%
Not sure	8%

48. Which one you think is more important for a child to have: independence or respect for elders?

Independence	28%
Respect for elders	72%

49. Which one you think is more important for a child to have: obedience or self-reliance?

Obedience	49%
Self-reliance	51%

50. Which one you think is more important for a child to be: considerate or well-behaved?

Considerate	59%
Well-behaved	41%

51. Which one you think is more important for a child to have: curiosity or good manners?

Curiosity	39%
Good manners	61%

52. Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

	Strongly agree	Somewhat agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Somewhat disagree	Strongly disagree
Over the past few years, blacks have gotten less than they deserve.	15%	19%	23%	19%	24%
Irish, Italian, Jewish and many other minorities overcame prejudice and worked their way up. Blacks should do the same without any special favors.	32%	25%	19%	13%	11%
It's really a matter of some people not trying hard enough; if blacks would only try harder they could be just as well off as whites.	20%	24%	21%	18%	18%
Generations of slavery and discrimination have created conditions that make it difficult for blacks to work their way out of the lower class.	17%	21%	17%	15%	30%

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

	Ally	Friendly	Unfriendly	Enemy	Not sure
Brazil	12%	46%	10%	3%	29%
Canada	56%	34%	2%	1%	7%
China	4%	22%	38%	17%	20%
Mexico	16%	43%	18%	5%	18%
United Kingdom	61%	24%	2%	1%	12%

54. Do you think the United States should increase or decrease the amount of trade it conducts with the following countries?

	Increase	Keep the same	Decrease	Not sure
Brazil	19%	38%	13%	29%
Canada	40%	35%	5%	20%
China	11%	24%	45%	20%
Mexico	20%	33%	26%	21%
United Kingdom	37%	35%	5%	23%

55. Thinking about the Summer Olympics this year, how much of the games do you expect you will you watch?

I will watch events every day	9%
I will watch lots of events when I can	19%
I will watch a few events	38%
I will not watch any of them	27%
Not sure	6%

56. Do you expect the Summer Olympics in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil to be successful or unsuccessful?

Very successful	16%
Somewhat successful	37%
Somewhat unsuccessful	18%
Very unsuccessful	10%
Not sure	20%

57. Do you think the International Olympic Committee made a good decision in selecting Rio de Janeiro to host the Summer Olympic Games?

Yes	23%
No	46%
Not sure	31%

58. How corrupt do you think the Brazilian government is?

Very corrupt	31%
Somewhat corrupt	34%
Not very corrupt	5%
Not at all corrupt	1%
Not sure	29%

59. How closely are you following the news about the Zika virus?

Very closely	15%
Somewhat closely	50%
Not very closely	24%
Not following at all	11%

60. How concerned are you about the possibility of Olympic athletes contracting the Zika virus?

Very concerned	17%
Somewhat concerned	46%
Not very concerned	25%
Not concerned at all	11%

61. How big of a risk do you think it is that Americans traveling to Brazil for the Olympics will bring the virus back to the United States?

Big risk	25%
Medium risk	36%
Small risk	30%
Not sure	9%

62. How concerned are you about a Zika virus epidemic here in the United States?

Very concerned	20%
Somewhat concerned	44%
Not very concerned	26%
Not concerned at all	10%

63. Taking into consideration both your risk of contracting it and the seriousness of the illness, how worried are you personally about experiencing the Zika virus?

Very worried	11%
Somewhat worried	26%
Not too worried	38%
Not worried at all	26%

64. Do you think the United States is doing enough, too much, or not enough to prevent a Zika virus outbreak?

Doing too much	4%
Doing enough	32%
Not doing enough	35%
Don't know	29%

65. Should the US government increase or decrease spending on Zika virus research, or should it continue to spend the current amount?

Increase spending	40%
Spend the same	33%
Decrease spending	5%
Not sure	21%

66. Some people say that the federal government should use some of the money it was going to spend on other scientific research, like preventing Ebola, to help prevent an outbreak of Zika virus in the United States. Other people say that the government should not cut spending on other scientific research, but should instead get money for preventing a Zika outbreak from other sources. What do you think?

Use money that was going to be spent on other scientific research	26%
Get money for preventing a Zika outbreak from other sources	50%
Not sure	24%

67. Congress has not passed a bill to provide funding to research and combat a possible Zika epidemic here in the U.S. The White House has said it should be Congress' No. 1 priority when they return from the summer. What do you think?

Passing a bill to provide funding to combat the Zika virus should be Congress' top priority	38%
Although funding Zika research is important, Congress has other, more important priorities	39%
Not sure	23%

68. Which party is more at risk in this fall's elections if Congress does not act on Zika funding?

Democratic Party	15%
Republican Party	27%
Not sure	58%

69. How important are the following issues to you?

	Very Important	Somewhat Important	Not very Important	Unimportant
The economy	76%	21%	1%	2%
Immigration	50%	34%	13%	4%
The environment	43%	35%	15%	7%
Terrorism	70%	21%	7%	2%
Gay rights	20%	27%	28%	25%
Education	55%	35%	8%	3%
Health care	68%	27%	4%	2%
Social security	66%	27%	6%	2%
The budget deficit	51%	36%	11%	2%
The war in Afghanistan	34%	43%	18%	5%
Taxes	55%	36%	6%	3%
Medicare	59%	30%	8%	3%
Abortion	33%	31%	25%	11%
Foreign policy	47%	42%	8%	3%
Gun control	50%	22%	15%	12%
International trade and globalization	34%	50%	12%	4%
Use of military force	47%	40%	10%	3%

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

The economy	20%
Immigration	8%
The environment	5%
Terrorism	15%
Gay rights	1%
Education	6%
Health care	11%
Social security	14%
The budget deficit	4%
The war in Afghanistan	0%
Taxes	3%
Medicare	3%
Abortion	2%
Foreign policy	2%
Gun control	5%

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

	Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Don't know
Barack Obama	35%	16%	11%	36%	1%
Joe Biden	23%	26%	17%	21%	13%
Paul Ryan	10%	24%	23%	21%	22%
Mitch McConnell	3%	14%	21%	27%	36%
Nancy Pelosi	8%	16%	15%	36%	25%
Harry Reid	6%	16%	13%	29%	37%

72. 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	21%	23%	15%	34%	6%
The Republican Party	10%	24%	25%	34%	7%

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

Getting better	21%
About the same	32%
Getting worse	41%
Not sure	5%

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

Higher	22%
About the same	34%
Lower	19%
Not sure	26%

75. Would you say that you and your family are...

Better off financially than you were a year ago	21%
About the same financially as you were a year ago	42%
Worse off financially than you were a year ago	33%
Not sure	3%

76. Six months from now do you think there will be...

More jobs	23%
The same amount of jobs	37%
Fewer jobs	23%
Not sure	17%

77. How worried are you about losing your job?

Very worried	12%
Somewhat worried	35%
Not very worried	53%

78. 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.	35%
Somewhat hard – It might take a while before I found a job that paid as much.	35%
Not very hard	24%
Not sure	6%

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

Very happy	19%
Happy	43%
Neither happy nor unhappy	26%
Unhappy	8%
Very unhappy	4%

80. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	26%
Somewhat Approve	24%
Somewhat Disapprove	14%
Strongly Disapprove	33%
Not Sure	3%

81. Would you say Barack Obama is...

Very liberal	31%
Liberal	23%
Moderate	23%
Conservative	8%
Very conservative	4%
Not sure	12%

82. Would you say Barack Obama is a strong or a weak leader?

Very strong	26%
Somewhat strong	26%
Somewhat weak	18%
Very weak	30%

83. Do you think Barack Obama...

Says what he believes	47%
Says what he thinks people want to hear	43%
Not sure	11%

84. Regardless of whether you agree with him, do you like Barack Obama as a person?

Like a lot	39%
Like somewhat	27%
Dislike	26%
Not sure	8%

85. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling these specific issues?

	Strongly approve	Somewhat approve	Somewhat disapprove	Strongly disapprove	No opinion
Abortion	20%	20%	11%	25%	23%
The war in Afghanistan	13%	24%	20%	29%	14%
The budget deficit	15%	25%	15%	32%	13%
The economy	21%	26%	15%	30%	8%
Education	19%	30%	16%	22%	14%
The environment	18%	29%	16%	22%	15%
Foreign policy	18%	22%	16%	31%	13%
Gay rights	25%	25%	10%	25%	15%
Gun control	17%	22%	19%	31%	11%
Health care	23%	22%	11%	38%	6%
Immigration	17%	23%	14%	36%	10%
Medicare	19%	24%	17%	26%	15%
Social security	16%	26%	16%	24%	17%
Taxes	15%	27%	17%	27%	14%
Terrorism	17%	24%	16%	33%	10%

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

Strongly approve	3%
Somewhat approve	10%
Neither approve nor disapprove	18%
Somewhat disapprove	26%
Strongly disapprove	36%
Not sure	7%

87. Do you approve or disapprove of the way the member of the US House of Representatives that represents your Congressional district is handling his or her job?

Strongly approve	6%
Somewhat approve	15%
Neither approve nor disapprove	22%
Somewhat disapprove	18%
Strongly disapprove	23%
Not sure	16%

88. If the election for Congress were being held today, and you had to make a choice, would you be voting for...

Asked of registered voters

The Democratic Party candidate	41%
The Republican Party candidate	39%
Other	3%
Not sure	16%
I would not vote	2%

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

Strongly approve	8%
Somewhat approve	26%
Somewhat disapprove	23%
Strongly disapprove	18%
Not sure	24%

90. 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	5%
About the same	30%
Less than usual	44%
Not sure	21%

91. Who is more to blame for Congress achieving less than usual?

Asked if respondent says Congress accomplished less than usual

Democrats in Congress	9%
Republicans in Congress	43%
Both equally	45%
Neither	1%
Not sure	1%

92. 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	14%	25%	18%	31%	12%
Republicans in Congress	6%	21%	28%	32%	12%

93. Are the two US Senators who represent your state...

Both Democrats	21%
Both Republicans	17%
One is a Democrat and the other is a Republican	22%
One is a Democrat and the other is an Independent	1%
One is a Republican and the other is an Independent	1%
Not sure	38%

94. Is the member of Congress who represents your district a...

Democrat	28%
Republican	34%
Independent	3%
Not sure	36%

95. If the election were being held today and the member of Congress who represents your district was running, would you...

Asked of registered voters

Definitely vote <u>FOR</u> your member of Congress	20%
Probably vote <u>FOR</u> your member of Congress	17%
Probably vote <u>AGAINST</u> your member of Congress	8%
Definitely vote <u>AGAINST</u> your member of Congress	20%
Not sure	34%

96. Do you think Bernie Sanders should run for President as an independent candidate or support Hillary Clinton?

Of registered voters who prefer Bernie Sanders and have already voted or plan to vote in a Democratic presidential primary or caucus this year.

Run as an independant candidate	20%
Support Hillary Clinton for President	75%
Not sure	5%

97. If an election for president was going to be held now, would you vote for...

Asked of registered voters

The Democratic Party candidate	42%
The Republican Party candidate	39%
Other	8%
Not sure	9%
I would not vote	2%

98. 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	47%
Some of the time	30%
Only now and then	13%
Hardly at all	8%
Don't know	1%

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

Liberal	24%
Moderate	38%
Conservative	36%
Not sure	2%

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

Very liberal	6%
Liberal	19%
Moderate	38%
Conservative	30%
Very Conservative	6%
Not sure	2%

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

Democrat	33%
Republican	24%
Independent	38%
Other	5%
Not sure	-

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

Strong Democrat	21%
Not very strong Democrat	12%
Lean Democrat	12%
Independent	14%
Lean Republican	13%
Not very strong Republican	11%
Strong Republican	13%
Not sure	4%

103. Would you describe yourself as a libertarian?

Yes	17%
No	56%
Not sure	27%

104. Would you describe yourself as a progressive?

Yes	32%
No	41%
Not sure	27%

105. Generally speaking, do you support or oppose the goals of the Tea Party movement?

Strongly support	8%
Somewhat support	17%
Neither support, nor oppose	20%
Somewhat oppose	10%
Strongly oppose	24%
Not sure	21%

106. Do you think of yourself as a part of the Tea Party movement?

Yes	9%
No	71%
Not Sure	20%

107. Are you registered to vote?

Registered	70%
Not registered	30%

108. How often would you say you vote in primary elections—that is, the elections in which a party selects their nominee to run in a general election. Would you say you vote in primary elections...?

Always	31%
Nearly always	19%
Part of the time	15%
Seldom	13%
Never	18%
Unsure	5%

109. How likely is it that you will vote in the 2016 Presidential election in November?

Definitely will vote	61%
Probably will vote	10%
Maybe will vote	10%
Probably will not vote	5%
Definitely will not vote	10%
Don't know	5%

110. Are you male or female?

Male	48%
Female	52%

111. Respondent age by category

Under 30	21%
30-44	22%
45-64	36%
65+	21%

112. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

White	70%
Black	12%
Hispanic	12%
Other	6%

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

HS or less	42%
Some college	33%
College grad	16%
Postgrad	9%

114. What is your marital status?

Married	44%
Separated	2%
Divorced	14%
Widowed	5%
Single	30%
Domestic partnership	6%

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

Yes	25%
No	75%

116. Calculated from respondent's state of residence

Northeast	18%
Midwest	24%
South	35%
West	23%

117. How would you describe the place where you live?

City	33%
Suburb	34%
Town	15%
Rural area	18%
Other	1%

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

Full-time employed	32%
Part-time employed	13%
Self-employed	-
Unemployed or temporarily on layoff	10%
Retired	28%
Permanently disabled	8%
Homemaker	8%
Other	1%

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

Under \$50K	54%
\$50-100K	25%
\$100K or more	10%
Prefer not to say	11%

120. 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.

I am	0%
Family member	9%
I served previously	12%
Family served previously	38%
None	49%

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

Yes, I am	4%
Yes, household member is	7%
No	89%

122. How important is religion in your life?

Very important	38%
Somewhat important	27%
Not too important	14%
Not at all important	21%

123. 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	7%
A few times a year	14%
Seldom	24%
Never	29%
Don't know	1%

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

Yes	29%
No	71%

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

Several times a day	26%
Once a day	17%
A few times a week	12%
Once a week	5%
A few times a month	7%
Seldom	14%
Never	18%
Don't know	2%

126. What is your present religion, if any?

Protestant	35%
Roman Catholic	20%
Mormon	2%
Eastern or Greek Orthodox	0%
Jewish	3%
Muslim	1%
Buddhist	1%
Hindu	1%
Atheist	6%
Agnostic	5%
Nothing in particular	19%
Something else	8%

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Sponsorship	<i>The Economist</i>
Fieldwork	YouGov
Interviewing Dates	August 6 - 9, 2016
Target population	U.S. citizens, aged 18 and over.
Sampling method	Respondents were selected from YouGov's opt-in Internet panel using sample matching. A random sample (stratified by gender, age, race, education, 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.
Weighting	The sample was weighted using propensity scores based on gender, age, race, education, voter registration, and political ideology. The weights range from 0.1 to 6.1, with a mean of one and a standard deviation of 1.01.
Number of respondents	1300
Margin of error	± 3.9% (adjusted for weighting)
Survey mode	Web-based interviews
Questions not reported	40 questions not reported.