

The Economist/YouGov Poll

January 29 - February 1, 2022 - 1500 U.S. Adult citizens



Sample 1500 U.S. Adult citizens
 Conducted January 29 - February 1, 2022
 Margin of Error ±2.7%

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

Generally headed in the right direction	27%
Off on the wrong track	61%
Not sure	12%

2. How would you describe the current state of the American economy?

Excellent	5%
Good	20%
Fair	31%
Poor	39%
Don't know	5%

3. Which do you think is a more important problem facing the U.S. today: unemployment or inflation?

Unemployment	9%
Inflation	48%
Both equal	37%
Not sure	7%

4. Do you consider the countries listed below to be an ally or an enemy of the United States?

	Ally	Friendly	Unfriendly	Enemy	Not sure
China	3%	10%	33%	39%	16%
Iran	2%	5%	28%	44%	21%
Israel	36%	25%	11%	5%	23%
Mexico	18%	43%	16%	4%	19%
Russia	3%	7%	35%	41%	15%
Ukraine	16%	42%	10%	4%	28%

5. How serious a threat do you think the following groups or countries pose to the United States?

	An immediate and serious threat to the U.S.	A somewhat serious threat to the U.S.	A minor threat to the U.S.	Not a threat to the U.S.	Not sure
Iran	24%	31%	22%	8%	15%
Russia	35%	37%	12%	4%	12%
China	36%	35%	11%	6%	12%

6. Do you have a favorable opinion of Joe Biden?

Yes	36%
No	52%
Not sure	12%

7. Would you say Joe Biden is a strong leader?

Yes	30%
No	58%
Not sure	12%

8. Do you think Joe Biden is honest and trustworthy?

Yes	39%
No	48%
Not sure	14%

9. Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Volodymyr Zelensky?

Very favorable	5%
Somewhat favorable	19%
Somewhat unfavorable	11%
Very unfavorable	7%
Don't know	59%

10. Do you have a favorable opinion of Vladimir Putin?

Yes	9%
No	74%
Not sure	18%

11. Would you say Vladimir Putin is a strong leader?

Yes	57%
No	21%
Not sure	22%

12. Do you think Vladimir Putin is honest and trustworthy?

Yes	6%
No	74%
Not sure	20%

13. Do you think Vladimir Putin poses a serious threat to the United States?

Yes	60%
No	16%
Not sure	24%

14. Do you think Russia wants to re-establish control over the old borders of the Soviet Union?

Yes 69%
 No 8%
 Not sure 23%

15. How much, if anything, have you heard in the news recently about Russian troops moving towards the Russian border with Ukraine?

A lot 45%
 A little 38%
 Nothing at all 17%

16. Which is more important for the U.S.?

To take a strong stand so that Russia does not take over Ukraine by force 51%
 For the U.S. to maintain good relations with Russia 22%
 Not sure 27%

17. In the conflict between Russia and Ukraine, who do you sympathize with more?

Russia 6%
 Ukraine 58%
 Neither 21%
 Not sure 15%

18. Do you think Ukraine should be allowed to join NATO?

Yes 47%
 No 12%
 Not sure 41%

19. Russia says it's very concerned about NATO expanding eastwards, on its borders. Do you think Russia should or should not be worried about NATO expanding to its borders?

Should 25%
 Should not 38%
 Not sure 37%

20. Do you think each of the following courses of action would be a good idea or a bad idea?

	Good idea	Bad idea	Not sure
Imposing economic sanctions on Russia	52%	18%	29%
Sending financial aid to Ukraine	44%	23%	33%
Sending weapons to Ukraine	38%	32%	30%
Allowing Ukraine to join NATO	46%	13%	41%
Sending soldiers to Ukraine to provide help, but not to fight Russian soldiers	34%	34%	32%
Sending soldiers to Ukraine to fight Russian soldiers	12%	56%	32%

21. Do you think each of the following courses of action would be a good idea or a bad idea if they would prevent Russia from invading Ukraine?

	Good idea	Bad idea	Not sure
Promising Russia that Ukraine will never join NATO	13%	48%	39%
Sending financial aid to Russia	8%	69%	23%
Imposing economic sanctions on Ukraine	7%	62%	30%
Allowing Russia greater influence in former Soviet countries	6%	64%	30%

22. How closely are you following the news about COVID-19?

Very closely	34%
Somewhat closely	39%
Not very closely	19%
Not following at all	8%

23. Do you personally know anyone who has tested positive for COVID-19? Check all that apply.

Yes, me	21%
Yes, a family member	53%
Yes, a close friend	49%
No	19%
Prefer not to say	4%

24. Do you personally know anyone who has tested positive for COVID-19 in the last month? Check all that apply.

Yes, me	9%
Yes, a family member	31%
Yes, a close friend	29%
No	42%
Prefer not to say	5%

25. Do you personally know anyone who has died due to complications from COVID-19? Check all that apply.

Yes, a family member	15%
Yes, a close friend	21%
No	62%
Prefer not to say	4%

26. Taking into consideration both your risk of contracting it and the seriousness of the illness, how worried are you personally about experiencing COVID-19?

Very worried	18%
Somewhat worried	34%
Not too worried	29%
Not worried at all	19%

27. In the past seven days, how often have you worn a mask on your face when outside your home?

Always	38%
Most of the time	23%
Some of the time	20%
Never	19%

28. What kind of mask have you worn most often in the last month?
Asked of those who wear a mask outside their home at least some of the time

N95, KN95, or similar	25%
Surgical	30%
Cloth	37%
Other	4%
Not sure	4%

29. Do you think the number of cases of COVID-19 in the United States is...

Increasing	37%
Not changing	17%
Decreasing	29%
Not sure	17%

30. Do you think the number of cases of COVID-19 in the community where you live is...

Increasing	32%
Not changing	20%
Decreasing	28%
Not sure	20%

31. Looking at the COVID-19 pandemic in the U.S., do you believe that...

The pandemic is going to get worse	19%
We are currently in the worst part of the pandemic	19%
The worst part of the pandemic is behind us	36%
Not sure	26%

32. How much, if anything, have you heard in the news recently about the Omicron variant of the COVID-19 virus?

A lot	52%
A little	39%
Nothing at all	9%

33. Taking into consideration both your risk of contracting it and the seriousness of the illness, how worried are you personally about experiencing this new variant?

Very worried	18%
Somewhat worried	33%
Not too worried	29%
Not worried at all	21%

34. Which statement describes you best?

I have received at least ONE shot of ANY manufacturer's COVID-19 vaccine	70%
I have NOT received ANY shots of ANY manufacturer's COVID-19 vaccine	30%

35. Which statement describes you best?

Asked of those who have received at least one shot

I have received only ONE shot	9%
I have received only TWO shots	34%
I have received at least THREE shots	56%

36. Which vaccine did you get for your FIRST shot?

Asked of those who have received at least one shot

Pfizer-BioNtech	47%
Moderna	40%
Oxford-AstraZeneca	1%
Johnson & Johnson	10%
Don't remember	2%

37. Which vaccine did you get for your SECOND shot?

Asked of those who have received at least two shots

Pfizer-BioNtech	51%
Moderna	44%
Oxford-AstraZeneca	1%
Johnson & Johnson	2%
Don't remember	2%

38. Which vaccine did you get for your THIRD shot, or booster shot?

Asked of those who have received at least three shots

Pfizer-BioNtech	51%
Moderna	47%
Oxford-AstraZeneca	0%
Johnson & Johnson	1%
Don't remember	1%

39. Have you gotten more than three shots?

Asked of those who have received at least three shots

Yes, I have had more than three shots	3%
No, I have had only three shots	97%

40. Which statement describes you best?

Asked of those who have not received any shots of any COVID-19 vaccine

I do not plan on ever getting ANY shots of ANY COVID-19 vaccine	52%
I might get a shot of one of the COVID-19 vaccines in the future	23%
I definitely will get a shot of one of the COVID-19 vaccines in the future	11%
Prefer not to say	14%

41. To combat variants, some countries — including the U.S. — are now offering boosters to adults. Would you get a booster shot if it were available to you?

Asked of those who have been vaccinated for COVID-19

Yes	19%
No	13%
Not sure	9%
I have already received a booster	59%

42. Do you consider yourself to be up to date on COVID-19 vaccinations?

Yes	62%
No	29%
Not sure	9%

43. Vaccination Status (Recoded)

I have received all the injections required to be fully vaccinated against COVID-19	68%
I have started the vaccination process, but need another shot	3%
I plan to get vaccinated	3%
I will not get vaccinated	15%
I'm not sure about getting vaccinated	11%

44. Booster Status (Recoded)

Boosted (Self-Report Only)	1%
Boosted (Coded)	41%
All other respondents	59%

45. If it is approved by the FDA, how willing would you be to get a COVID-19 vaccine that targets the Omicron variant?

Very willing	36%
Somewhat willing	24%
Not too willing	16%
Not at all willing	25%

46. How much have you heard about 'long COVID,' that is, symptoms that persist weeks or months after someone first tests positive for the virus?

A lot	33%
A little	48%
Nothing at all	19%

47. Taking into consideration both your risk of contracting it and the seriousness of the illness, how worried are you personally about experiencing long COVID?

Very worried	19%
Somewhat worried	32%
Not too worried	27%
Not worried at all	22%

48. Do you know anyone who has experienced long COVID? Check all that apply.

Yes, me	6%
Yes, a family member	13%
Yes, a close friend	15%
No	65%
Prefer not to say	4%

49. Do you know someone who has contracted COVID-19 more than once? Check all that apply.

Yes, me	4%
Yes, a family member	17%
Yes, a close friend	21%
No	59%
Prefer not to say	4%

50. If you developed COVID-19 symptoms today and tested positive for the virus, how many days would you plan on isolating?

I would not isolate at all	7%
1	1%
2	2%
3	2%
4	1%
5	23%
6	1%
7	13%
8	1%
9	1%
10	22%
11	0%
12	1%
13	0%
14	16%
15	2%
16	0%
17	0%
18	0%
19	0%
20	1%
21 or more	5%

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

Yes	20%
No	80%

52. Do you have one or more children in grades K-12 living with you who would normally be attending a school in-person this year?

Asked of parents of children under 18

Yes	71%
No	29%

53. Do you have any children under the age of 12?

Asked of parents of children under 18

Yes	65%
No	35%

54. Do you have any children currently aged 12 to 18?

Asked of parents of children under 18

Yes	52%
No	48%

55. Which of the following best describes the COVID-19 vaccination status of your children aged 12 to 18?

Asked of parents of school-age children aged 12 and over

My children have received all the injections required to be fully vaccinated against COVID-19	49%
My children have started the vaccination process, but need another shot	9%
I plan to get my children vaccinated	6%
I will not get my children vaccinated	22%
I'm not sure about getting my children vaccinated	14%

56. Who should have the most authority over whether K-12 students are required to wear masks?

Parents	36%
Teachers	7%
School administrators	24%
The government	18%
Someone else	2%
Not sure	13%

57. Do you believe healthcare professionals should be allowed to mandate vaccines for their patients?

Yes	35%
No	48%
Not sure	17%

58. Do you believe businesses should be allowed to mandate vaccines for their customers?

Yes	38%
No	50%
Not sure	12%

59. Do you believe K-12 schools should be allowed to mandate vaccines for their students?	
Yes	42%
No	45%
Not sure	13%
60. Do you believe colleges and universities should be allowed to mandate vaccines for their students?	
Yes	44%
No	45%
Not sure	11%
61. Do you believe healthcare professionals should be allowed to mandate masks for their patients?	
Yes	58%
No	31%
Not sure	11%
62. Do you believe businesses should be allowed to mandate masks for their customers?	
Yes	58%
No	31%
Not sure	11%
63. Do you believe K-12 schools should be allowed to mandate masks for their students?	
Yes	54%
No	34%
Not sure	12%
64. Do you believe colleges and universities should be allowed to mandate masks for their students?	
Yes	56%
No	33%
Not sure	11%
65. Right now, do you believe that K-12 schools should be open for in-person learning or online learning?	
Completely in-person	31%
Mostly in-person, and some online	26%
Mostly online, and some in-person	16%
Completely online	13%
Not sure	13%
66. How much, if anything, have you heard about a government website to request that COVID-19 at-home tests be mailed to you at no cost?	
A lot	43%
A little	43%
Nothing at all	14%

67. Did you try to request COVID-19 at-home tests be mailed to you at no cost from the government website?

Asked of those who have heard about the government website

Yes, and I succeeded	49%
Yes, but I was unable to	9%
No, I did not try to request tests	42%

68. Have you received your COVID-19 tests in the mail?

Asked of those who successfully requested tests

Yes	19%
No	80%
Not sure	1%

69. Which one are you most concerned about?

Protecting Americans from the health effects of the coronavirus outbreak	56%
Protecting Americans from the economic effects of the coronavirus outbreak	44%

70. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling COVID-19?

Strongly approve	21%
Somewhat approve	23%
Somewhat disapprove	12%
Strongly disapprove	35%
Not sure	10%

71. In your opinion, when do you think the COVID-19 pandemic will finally end?

The pandemic has already ended	11%
In the first half of 2022	8%
In the second half of 2022	16%
After 2022	38%
Never	27%

72. How much attention have you been paying to the 2022 congressional elections?

A lot	27%
A little	37%
None at all	35%

73. How likely is it that you will vote in the November 2022 congressional elections?

Definitely will vote	52%
Probably will vote	11%
Might vote	15%
Probably will not vote	10%
Definitely will not vote	12%

74. Compared to voting in previous Congressional election years, are you more or less enthusiastic about voting in this year's congressional election?

More enthusiastic	27%
Less enthusiastic	18%
About the same	40%
Not sure	15%

75. What is your preference for the outcome of this year's congressional elections for the U.S. Senate?

Senate controlled by Democrats	35%
Senate controlled by Republicans	34%
Senate evenly divided between both parties	12%
No preference	19%

76. What do you expect will be the outcome of this year's congressional elections for the U.S. Senate?

Democrats win majority in the Senate	21%
Republicans win majority in the Senate	35%
Senate remains evenly divided between both parties	12%
Not sure	32%

77. What is your preference for the outcome of this year's congressional elections for the U.S. House of Representatives?

House controlled by Democrats	36%
House controlled by Republicans	34%
House evenly divided between both parties	12%
No preference	18%

78. What do you expect will be the outcome of this year's congressional elections for the U.S. House of Representatives?

Democrats retain majority in the House	25%
Republicans win majority in the House	35%
House becomes evenly divided between both parties	10%
Not sure	30%

79. Nancy Pelosi recently announced that she plans to run for her 18th term in the House of Representatives. Do you think this is a good decision or a bad decision?

Good decision	27%
Bad decision	48%
Not sure	25%

80. Do you think Nancy Pelosi should remain as the leader of the Democrats in the U.S. House of Representatives or do you think it should be some other Democrat?

Nancy Pelosi	19%
Some other Democrat	46%
Not sure	17%
Don't care	19%

81. If Republicans were to win the majority in the U.S. House of Representatives in 2022, who would you want to see as the Speaker of the House?

Kevin McCarthy	14%
Donald Trump	14%
A different Republican	39%
Not sure	33%

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

	Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Not sure
Brett Kavanaugh	10%	20%	12%	24%	34%
Neil Gorsuch	10%	19%	10%	14%	46%
Elena Kagan	15%	13%	8%	13%	51%
Sonia Sotomayor	21%	15%	10%	17%	38%
Samuel Alito	10%	18%	10%	11%	51%
John Roberts	7%	24%	17%	9%	43%
Stephen Breyer	15%	17%	10%	11%	47%
Amy Coney Barrett	13%	18%	11%	20%	38%
Clarence Thomas	16%	18%	8%	22%	35%

83. How much, if anything, have you heard in the news recently about United States Supreme Court Justice Stephen Breyer's decision to retire?

A lot	35%
A little	40%
Nothing at all	26%

84. Do you think Justice Breyer's decision to retire now is a good decision, or a bad decision?

Good decision	41%
Bad decision	17%
Not sure	41%

85. President Biden has said he plans to announce a Supreme Court nominee to replace Justice Breyer by the end of February. Do you think a month is too soon, too long, or the right amount of time for him to choose a replacement?

Too soon	20%
Too long	9%
The right amount of time	44%
Not sure	28%

86. Would you like the new Supreme Court nominee to be more liberal, or more conservative than Justice Stephen Breyer?

Much more liberal	13%
Somewhat more liberal	14%
About the same as Justice Breyer	20%
Somewhat more conservative	12%
Much more conservative	14%
Not sure	26%

87. How important do you think it is to have each of the following types of diversity on the United States Supreme Court?

	Very Important	Somewhat Important	Not very Important	Unimportant
Gender diversity	35%	27%	13%	25%
Racial diversity	41%	25%	12%	21%
Religious diversity	29%	28%	17%	26%
Ideological diversity	34%	34%	13%	18%

88. How much, if anything, have you heard in the news recently about President Biden announcing his plan to nominate a Black woman to the United States Supreme Court?

A lot	40%
A little	37%
Nothing at all	23%

89. Do you support or oppose President Biden's plan to nominate a Black woman to the United States Supreme Court?

Strongly support	33%
Somewhat support	20%
Somewhat oppose	10%
Strongly oppose	15%
Not sure	22%

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

	Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Don't know
Tucker Carlson	15%	16%	8%	32%	29%
Joe Rogan	13%	18%	10%	25%	35%
Neil Young	14%	18%	9%	17%	42%
Trevor Noah	15%	19%	9%	15%	42%
Sarah Palin	11%	21%	13%	34%	20%

91. Do you think Russia will invade Ukraine before April 2022?

Yes	32%
No	26%
Not sure	41%

92. Will the Senate confirm President Biden's nominee for Supreme Court justice in 2022?

Yes	51%
No	16%
Not sure	34%

93. Will average gas prices be above \$3.50 on May 2?

Yes	56%
No	15%
Not sure	29%

94. How important are the following issues to you?

	Very Important	Somewhat Important	Not very Important	Unimportant
Jobs and the economy	69%	25%	4%	2%
Immigration	45%	35%	15%	5%
Climate change and the environment	46%	22%	17%	15%
Foreign policy	41%	41%	13%	5%
National Security	63%	27%	8%	2%
Education	60%	28%	7%	4%
Health care	66%	24%	6%	3%
Taxes and government spending	57%	32%	8%	3%
Abortion	43%	29%	17%	11%
Civil rights	56%	26%	11%	6%
Civil liberties	57%	28%	10%	5%
Guns	49%	28%	15%	9%
Crime	59%	32%	7%	2%
Criminal justice reform	48%	32%	12%	8%

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

Jobs and the economy	18%
Immigration	9%
Climate change and the environment	15%
Foreign policy	1%
National Security	6%
Education	5%
Health care	18%
Taxes and government spending	6%
Abortion	5%
Civil rights	7%
Civil liberties	3%
Guns	3%
Crime	4%
Criminal justice reform	2%

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

	Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Don't know
Joe Biden	25%	20%	10%	40%	6%
Kamala Harris	18%	23%	9%	39%	11%
Nancy Pelosi	16%	19%	11%	41%	13%
Kevin McCarthy	8%	18%	12%	31%	31%
Mitch McConnell	5%	16%	18%	40%	21%
Chuck Schumer	13%	19%	11%	32%	25%
Donald Trump	23%	16%	11%	45%	5%
Barack Obama	34%	17%	11%	32%	6%
Harry Reid	11%	15%	10%	21%	42%

97. 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	17%	24%	12%	36%	11%
The Republican Party	14%	22%	17%	37%	11%

98. 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	10%
About the same	28%
Less than usual	40%
Not sure	22%

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

Democrats in Congress	44%
Republicans in Congress	19%
Both equally	32%
Neither	2%
Not sure	2%

100. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling his job as President?

Strongly approve	19%
Somewhat approve	23%
Somewhat disapprove	13%
Strongly disapprove	36%
Not sure	9%

101. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling these specific issues?

	Strongly approve	Somewhat approve	Somewhat disapprove	Strongly disapprove	No opinion
Jobs and the economy	18%	21%	13%	36%	12%
Climate change and the environment	16%	23%	13%	32%	17%
Foreign policy	15%	22%	13%	34%	16%
Health care	18%	22%	14%	33%	13%
Abortion	13%	19%	11%	31%	26%

102. Would you say Joe Biden is...

Very liberal	28%
Liberal	21%
Moderate	26%
Conservative	6%
Very conservative	3%
Not sure	17%

103. How much do you think Joe Biden cares about the needs and problems of people like you?

A lot	24%
Some	20%
Not much	13%
Doesn't care at all	35%
Not sure	8%

104. Regardless of whether you agree with him, do you like or dislike Joe Biden as a person?

Like a lot	25%
Like somewhat	16%
Neither like nor dislike	16%
Dislike somewhat	9%
Dislike a lot	26%
Not sure	8%

105. Would you say Joe Biden is a strong or a weak leader?

Very strong	15%
Somewhat strong	26%
Somewhat weak	19%
Very weak	40%

106. Do you think Joe Biden is honest and trustworthy, or not?

Honest and trustworthy	39%
Not honest and trustworthy	44%
Not sure	17%

107. Are you confident in Joe Biden's ability to deal wisely with an international crisis, or are you uneasy about his approach?

Confident	33%
Uneasy	50%
Not sure	17%

108. Do you think Joe Biden...

Says what he believes	38%
Says what he thinks people want to hear	45%
Not sure	17%

109. Do you think that Joe Biden will be able to bring the country together as President?

Yes	16%
No	61%
Not sure	23%

110. Are you optimistic or pessimistic about the next few years with Joe Biden as President?

Optimistic	33%
Pessimistic	47%
Not sure	19%

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

Strongly approve	5%
Somewhat approve	11%
Neither approve nor disapprove	16%
Somewhat disapprove	22%
Strongly disapprove	33%
Not sure	13%

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

Strongly approve	15%
Somewhat approve	20%
Somewhat disapprove	12%
Strongly disapprove	37%
Not sure	16%

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

Strongly approve	12%
Somewhat approve	20%
Somewhat disapprove	12%
Strongly disapprove	32%
Not sure	25%

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

Strongly approve	5%
Somewhat approve	16%
Somewhat disapprove	17%
Strongly disapprove	38%
Not sure	23%

115. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Kevin McCarthy is handling his job as Minority Leader of the U.S. House of Representatives?

Strongly approve	9%
Somewhat approve	18%
Somewhat disapprove	15%
Strongly disapprove	30%
Not sure	29%

116. Do you approve or disapprove of the way the Supreme Court of the United States is handling its job?

Strongly approve	10%
Somewhat approve	29%
Somewhat disapprove	22%
Strongly disapprove	17%
Not sure	21%

117. In general, how would you describe the political viewpoint of the Supreme Court of the United States?

Very liberal	3%
Liberal	9%
Moderate	28%
Conservative	22%
Very conservative	14%
Not sure	23%

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

Getting better	16%
About the same	24%
Getting worse	49%
Not sure	11%

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

Higher	19%
About the same	24%
Lower	26%
Not sure	31%

120. Do you personally (or jointly with a spouse), have any money invested in the stock market right now, either in an individual stock or in a mutual fund?

Yes	43%
No	57%

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

Better off financially than you were a year ago	16%
About the same financially as you were a year ago	42%
Worse off financially than you were a year ago	34%
Not sure	8%

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

More jobs	26%
The same amount of jobs	35%
Fewer jobs	18%
Not sure	22%

123. How worried are you about losing your job?	
Very worried	10%
Somewhat worried	25%
Not very worried	65%
124. 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.	29%
Not very hard	29%
Not sure	17%
125. How happy would you say you are with your current job?	
Very happy	24%
Happy	35%
Neither happy nor unhappy	29%
Unhappy	8%
Very unhappy	4%
126. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?	
Very liberal	10%
Liberal	16%
Moderate	32%
Conservative	19%
Very conservative	11%
Not sure	11%
127. Are you registered to vote?	
Registered	81%
Not registered	19%
128. Who did you vote for in the election for President in 2020?	
Joe Biden	35%
Donald Trump	32%
Other	1%
Did not vote for President	33%
129. If an election for U.S. Congress were being held today, who would you vote for in the district where you live?	
The Democratic Party candidate	44%
The Republican Party candidate	38%
Other	1%
Not sure	12%
I would not vote	5%

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

Democrat	34%
Republican	25%
Independent	30%
Other	4%
Not sure	7%

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

Strong Democrat	23%
Not very strong Democrat	11%
Lean Democrat	8%
Independent	18%
Lean Republican	9%
Not very strong Republican	9%
Strong Republican	16%
Not sure	5%

132. At any point in your life, have you ever considered yourself a Democrat?
Asked of Independents and Republicans

Yes	29%
No	57%
Not sure	15%

133. At any point in your life, have you ever considered yourself a Republican?
Asked of Independents and Democrats

Yes	19%
No	69%
Not sure	12%

134. Would you say that the Democratic Party is to the left or right of you?

Much more to the left	33%
Slightly more left	14%
About the same	17%
Slightly more right	8%
Much more to the right	6%
Don't know	22%

135. Would you say that the Republican Party is to the left or right of you?

Much more to the left	4%
Slightly more left	8%
About the same	20%
Slightly more right	13%
Much more to the right	32%
Don't know	23%

136. Overall, would you say that your political views are closer to the views of the Democratic party or Republican party?

Democratic Party	54%
Republican Party	46%

137. Would you say that Joe Biden legitimately won the election, or not?

Biden legitimately won the election	62%
Biden did NOT legitimately win the election	38%

138. Are you... ?

Male	49%
Female	51%

139. Respondent age by category

Under 30	21%
30-44	24%
45-64	33%
65+	22%

140. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

White	67%
Black	13%
Hispanic	13%
Other	7%

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

HS or less	36%
Some college	29%
College grad	22%
Postgrad	13%

142. What is your marital status?

Married	42%
Separated	2%
Divorced	12%
Widowed	5%
Never married	33%
Domestic / civil partnership	5%

143. Calculated from respondent's state of residence

Northeast	17%
Midwest	22%
South	38%
West	23%

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

Urban	32%
Suburb	35%
Rural/Other	33%

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

Full-time	36%
Part-time	9%
Temporarily laid off	0%
Unemployed	10%
Retired	23%
Permanently disabled	6%
Homemaker	5%
Student	9%
Other	1%

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

Under \$50K	43%
\$50-100K	27%
\$100K or more	18%
Prefer not to say	12%

147. How important is religion in your life?

Very important	36%
Somewhat important	24%
Not too important	15%
Not at all important	26%

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

More than once a week	6%
Once a week	13%
Once or twice a month	7%
A few times a year	12%
Seldom	24%
Never	34%
Don't know	4%

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

Yes	29%
No	71%

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

Several times a day	23%
Once a day	13%
A few times a week	11%
Once a week	4%
A few times a month	7%
Seldom	15%
Never	21%
Don't know	6%

151. What is your present religion, if any?

Protestant	28%
Roman Catholic	19%
Mormon	1%
Eastern or Greek Orthodox	1%
Jewish	3%
Muslim	1%
Buddhist	1%
Hindu	0%
Atheist	7%
Agnostic	6%
Nothing in particular	24%
Something else	9%

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January 29 - February 1, 2022 - 1500 U.S. Adult citizens



Sponsorship	<i>The Economist</i>
Fieldwork	YouGov
Interviewing Dates	January 29 - February 1, 2022
Target population	US Adult Population
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 2018 American Community Study. Voter registration was imputed from the November 2018 Current Population Survey Registration and Voting Supplement.
Weighting	The sample was weighted based on gender, age, race, education, and both 2016 and 2020 Presidential votes (or non-votes). The weights range from 0.314 to 3.666, with a mean of one and a standard deviation of 0.386.
Number of respondents	1500 1273 (Registered voters)
Margin of error	± 2.7% (adjusted for weighting) ± 2.9% (Registered voters)
Survey mode	Web-based interviews
Questions not reported	39 questions not reported.