

Daily Survey: Unity in the U.S.



Sample 1000 U.S. Adult Citizens
Conducted January 11 - 17, 2023
Margin of Error ±3.5%

1. How united or divided would you say the country is at present?

Very united	5%
Somewhat united	11%
Somewhat divided	31%
Very divided	45%
Don't know	9%

2. What impact do you think Joe Biden has had as president on how united or divided the country is?

It has become much more united	5%
It has become somewhat more united	18%
Little difference	24%
It has become somewhat more divided	15%
It has become much more divided	29%
Don't know	10%

3. What do you think should be more of a priority for Joe Biden as president?

Trying to unite the nation, even if this means less priority is given to the legislative agenda he campaigned on	36%
Enacting the legislative agenda he campaigned on, even if this means less priority is given to uniting the nation	24%
Neither	20%
Don't know	20%

4. What do you think should be more of a priority for the new Republican majority in the House of Representatives?

Trying to unite the nation, even if this means less priority is given to investigating President Biden	45%
Investigating President Biden, even if this means less priority is given to uniting the nation	24%
Neither	15%
Don't know	16%

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Number of respondents	1000
Margin of error	± 3.5% (adjusted for weighting)
Survey mode	Web-based interviews
Questions not reported	65 questions not reported.

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1. U.S. United or Divided

How united or divided would you say the country is at present?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very united	5%	5%	4%	4%	14%	1%	0%	5%	5%	4%	2%
Somewhat united	11%	14%	9%	16%	20%	5%	6%	10%	12%	15%	13%
Somewhat divided	31%	31%	32%	38%	32%	26%	31%	29%	38%	35%	28%
Very divided	45%	43%	46%	25%	25%	60%	62%	51%	34%	31%	28%
Don't know	9%	8%	9%	17%	10%	7%	2%	5%	10%	15%	29%
Totals	101%	101%	100%	100%	101%	99%	101%	100%	99%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,000)	(453)	(547)	(187)	(205)	(354)	(254)	(726)	(127)	(84)	(63)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very united	5%	8%	2%	5%	8%	3%	3%	4%	11%	4%	3%	5%	7%
Somewhat united	11%	15%	11%	7%	12%	6%	9%	9%	17%	12%	8%	9%	16%
Somewhat divided	31%	32%	28%	34%	32%	31%	34%	37%	25%	36%	29%	31%	30%
Very divided	45%	41%	42%	52%	45%	58%	45%	46%	43%	40%	52%	47%	37%
Don't know	9%	4%	17%	4%	3%	2%	9%	5%	4%	7%	8%	8%	10%
Totals	101%	100%	100%	102%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,000)	(339)	(380)	(281)	(381)	(320)	(425)	(247)	(229)	(174)	(216)	(387)	(223)

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2. Biden's Impact on Unity

What impact do you think Joe Biden has had as president on how united or divided the country is?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
It has become much more united	5%	6%	4%	5%	12%	2%	1%	4%	11%	4%	4%
It has become somewhat more united	18%	20%	16%	14%	17%	15%	25%	18%	22%	16%	16%
Little difference	24%	21%	27%	26%	28%	22%	23%	23%	30%	26%	21%
It has become somewhat more divided	15%	15%	14%	27%	14%	11%	9%	15%	8%	20%	11%
It has become much more divided	29%	31%	27%	13%	17%	41%	38%	34%	16%	19%	22%
Don't know	10%	7%	13%	15%	12%	9%	4%	6%	14%	15%	26%
Totals	101%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(998)	(452)	(546)	(186)	(204)	(354)	(254)	(724)	(127)	(84)	(63)

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It has become much more united	5%	9%	3%	3%	8%	2%	3%	6%	9%	5%	5%	6%	4%
It has become somewhat more united	18%	32%	14%	5%	36%	4%	12%	21%	25%	15%	21%	14%	24%
Little difference	24%	35%	25%	11%	39%	8%	22%	27%	24%	27%	27%	23%	21%
It has become somewhat more divided	15%	13%	13%	20%	7%	18%	18%	13%	13%	13%	12%	15%	18%
It has become much more divided	29%	7%	26%	58%	5%	66%	31%	30%	26%	27%	31%	32%	22%
Don't know	10%	5%	19%	3%	4%	3%	13%	3%	3%	14%	5%	10%	11%

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Totals	101%	101%	100%	100%	99%	101%	99%	100%	100%	101%	101%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(998)	(338)	(380)	(280)	(380)	(320)	(425)	(246)	(228)	(174)	(216)	(386)	(222)

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3. Priority as President

What do you think should be more of a priority for Joe Biden as president?

	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)				
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Trying to unite the nation, even if this means less priority is given to the legislative agenda he campaigned on	36%	40%	33%	34%	41%	34%	38%	39%	29%	35%	29%
Enacting the legislative agenda he campaigned on, even if this means less priority is given to uniting the nation	24%	24%	24%	25%	29%	18%	25%	23%	27%	24%	25%
Neither	20%	21%	19%	13%	17%	24%	24%	21%	22%	16%	14%
Don't know	20%	15%	25%	28%	13%	25%	13%	18%	22%	24%	32%
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Trying to unite the nation, even if this means less priority is given to the legislative agenda he campaigned on	36%	33%	32%	47%	28%	53%	29%	41%	48%	36%	36%	38%	34%
Enacting the legislative agenda he campaigned on, even if this means less priority is given to uniting the nation	24%	40%	18%	12%	45%	8%	19%	24%	32%	28%	23%	22%	24%
Neither	20%	11%	23%	27%	9%	29%	24%	22%	14%	14%	20%	22%	21%
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4. Priority for Republicans in Congress

What do you think should be more of a priority for the new Republican majority in the House of Representatives?

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	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Trying to unite the nation, even if this means less priority is given to investigating President Biden	45%	45%	44%	46%	47%	36%	53%	46%	53%	39%	29%
Investigating President Biden, even if this means less priority is given to uniting the nation	24%	29%	19%	17%	23%	30%	24%	27%	13%	20%	24%
Neither	15%	14%	17%	14%	13%	18%	14%	14%	20%	15%	19%
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Investigating President Biden, even if this means less priority is given to uniting the nation	24%	13%	22%	42%	9%	46%	22%	26%	29%	24%	30%	24%	19%
Neither	15%	12%	19%	13%	14%	12%	16%	16%	14%	15%	12%	16%	17%
Don't know	16%	12%	24%	11%	9%	8%	20%	12%	5%	19%	17%	13%	17%
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