

Interviews: 1000 Registered Voters, including 590 respondents with a cell phone only.

Date: January 10-13, 2021

Study #210016  
 NBC News Survey

**Please note: all results are shown as percentages unless otherwise stated.**

**The margin of error for 1000 interviews among Registered Voters is  $\pm 3.10\%$**

**Unless otherwise noted by a "+" or "++", all previous data shown reflects responses among all adults.**

Q2a For statistical purposes only, would you please tell me how old you are?  
 (IF "REFUSED," ASK:) Well, would you tell me which age group you belong to? (READ LIST) +

18-24 .....	10
25-29 .....	7
30-34 .....	10
35-39 .....	5
40-44 .....	11
45-49 .....	7
50-54 .....	8
55-59 .....	12
60-64 .....	12
65-69 .....	5
70-74 .....	5
75 and over.....	7
Not sure/refused .....	1

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Q2b To ensure that we have a representative sample, would you please tell me whether you are from a Hispanic or Spanish-speaking background? +

Yes, Hispanic.....	10
No, not Hispanic.....	90
Not sure/refused .....	-

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Q2c And again, for statistical purposes only, what is your race--white, black, Asian, or something else? +

White.....	75
Black.....	12
Asian.....	2
Other.....	4
Hispanic (VOL).....	5
Not sure/refused .....	2

White, Non-Hispanic ..... 72  
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Q3 Registered Voter. +

Yes .....	100
No .....	-

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Q4 Now, all in all, do you think things in the nation are generally headed in the right direction, or do you feel things are off on the wrong track?<sup>1</sup>

	<u>1/21+</u>	<u>10/29- 31/20+</u>	<u>10/9- 12/20+</u>	<u>7/20+</u>	<u>3/20+</u>	<u>12/19</u>	<u>8/19</u>	<u>1/19</u>	<i>High</i> <u>9/01</u>	<i>Low</i> <u>10/17- 20/08+</u>
Headed in the right direction .....	21	31	29	19	37	35	33	28	72	12
Off on the wrong track.....	73	60	62	72	56	56	60	63	11	78
Mixed (VOL).....	3	4	5	5	4	6	5	6	11	7
Not sure .....	3	5	4	4	3	3	2	3	6	3
	<u>12/18</u>	<u>11/18+</u>	<u>6/18+</u>	<u>4/18</u>	<u>12/17</u>	<u>4/17</u>	<u>2/17</u>	<u>1/17</u>	<u>12/16</u>	<u>10/10- 13/16+</u>
	33	38	36	31	29	34	40	37	33	29
	56	54	55	62	63	59	51	52	54	65
	9	4	5	5	4	3	3	5	6	5
	2	4	4	2	4	4	6	6	7	1
	<u>9/16+</u>	<u>8/16+</u>	<u>7/16+</u>	<u>6/16+</u>	<u>4/16+</u>	<u>1/16+</u>	<u>12/15</u>	<u>10/25- 29/15</u>	<u>6/15</u>	<u>4/15</u>
	30	32	18	21	24	29	20	27	31	28
	62	62	73	71	70	63	70	64	61	62
	5	3	6	5	4	5	6	5	4	6
	3	3	3	3	2	3	4	4	4	4
	<u>1/15</u>	<u>12/14</u>	<u>11/14+</u>	<u>6/14</u>	<u>4/14</u>	<u>1/14</u>	<u>12/13</u>	<u>10/25- 28/13</u>	<u>6/13</u>	<u>4/13</u>
	31	27	27	25	27	28	29	22	32	31
	59	64	63	63	63	63	64	70	59	61
	5	6	6	7	6	5	5	4	6	5
	5	3	4	5	4	4	2	4	3	3
	<u>1/13</u>	<u>12/12</u>	<u>10/12+</u>	<u>6/12</u>	<u>4/12</u>	<u>1/12</u>	<u>12/11</u>	<u>10/11</u>	<u>6/11</u>	<u>4/11</u>
	35	41	41	31	33	30	22	17	29	28
	57	53	53	61	59	61	69	74	62	63
	4	3	4	5	6	5	6	5	6	6
	4	3	2	3	2	4	3	4	3	3
	<u>1/11</u>	<u>12/10</u>	<u>10/28- 30/10+</u>	<u>6/10</u>	<u>3/10</u>	<u>1/10- 14/10</u>	<u>12/09</u>	<u>10/09</u>	<u>6/09</u>	<u>4/09</u>
	35	28	31	29	33	34	33	36	42	43
	56	63	60	62	59	54	55	52	46	43
	5	6	5	5	5	10	10	9	9	10
	4	3	4	4	3	2	2	3	3	4

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Q5 In general, do you approve or disapprove of the job Donald Trump is doing as president? **(IF APPROVE/DISAPPROVE)** And, do you strongly or just somewhat (approve/disapprove) of the job Donald Trump is doing as president?

	<u>1/21+</u>	10/29- <u>31/20+</u>	10/9- <u>12/20+</u>	9/30- <u>10/1/20+</u>	<u>9/20+</u>	<u>8/20+</u>	<u>7/20+</u>	<u>6/20+</u>	<u>4/20+</u>	<u>3/20+</u>
<b>Total approve</b> .....	<b>43</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>46</b>
Strongly approve .....	32	35	32	31	34	33	30	31	32	33
Somewhat approve .....	11	10	12	12	11	11	12	14	14	13
<b>Total disapprove</b> .....	<b>55</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>51</b>
Somewhat disapprove .	5	4	7	5	7	6	6	6	7	8
Strongly disapprove .....	50	48	47	50	46	47	50	47	44	43
Not sure .....	2	3	2	2	2	3	2	2	3	3

  

	<u>2/20+</u>	<u>1/20+</u>	<u>12/19</u>	10/27- <u>30/19</u>	10/4- <u>6/19</u>	<u>9/19+</u>	<u>8/19</u>	<u>7/19+</u>	<u>6/19</u>	<u>5/19</u>
<b>Total approve</b> .....	<b>47</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>46</b>
Strongly approve .....	33	36	33	31	29	33	29	32	29	29
Somewhat approve .....	14	10	11	14	14	12	14	13	15	17
<b>Total disapprove</b> .....	<b>50</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>51</b>
Somewhat disapprove .	7	7	10	8	7	7	9	10	9	10
Strongly disapprove .....	43	44	44	45	46	46	46	42	44	41
Not sure .....	3	3	2	2	4	2	2	3	3	3

  

	<u>3/19</u>	<u>2/19</u>	<u>1/19</u>	<u>12/18</u>	<u>11/18+</u>	<u>10/18+</u>	<u>9/18+</u>	8/22- <u>25/18+</u>	8/18- <u>22/18+</u>	<u>7/18+</u>
<b>Total approve</b> .....	<b>43</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>45</b>
Strongly approve .....	30	31	29	27	32	30	29	31	30	29
Somewhat approve .....	13	15	14	16	14	17	15	13	16	16
<b>Total disapprove</b> .....	<b>53</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>52</b>
Somewhat disapprove .	10	9	7	10	7	6	7	9	7	8
Strongly disapprove .....	43	43	47	44	45	43	45	43	44	44
Not sure .....	4	2	3	3	2	4	4	4	3	3

  

	<u>6/18+</u>	<u>4/18</u>	<u>3/18</u>	<u>1/18</u>	<u>12/17</u>	<u>10/17</u>	<u>9/17</u>	<u>8/17</u>	<u>6/17</u>
<b>Total approve</b> .....	<b>44</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>40</b>
Strongly approve .....	26	22	25	26	24	22	25	24	25
Somewhat approve .....	18	17	18	13	17	16	18	16	15
<b>Total disapprove</b> .....	<b>53</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>55</b>
Somewhat disapprove .	11	13	10	6	8	9	10	10	10
Strongly disapprove .....	42	44	43	51	48	49	42	45	45
Not sure .....	3	4	4	4	3	4	5	5	5

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	<u>5/17<sup>1</sup></u>	<u>4/17</u>	<u>2/17</u>
Total Approve .....	39	40	44
Total Disapprove .....	54	54	48
Not sure.....	7	6	8

<sup>1</sup> Intensity not asked prior to June 2017.

**Moving on...**

Q6 Now I'm going to read you the names of several public figures, groups, and organizations and I'd like you to rate your feelings toward each one as very positive, somewhat positive, neutral, somewhat negative, or very negative. If you don't know the name, please just say so. (ALWAYS ASK DONALD TRUMP FIRST, RANDOMIZE JOE BIDEN, PENCE, HARRIS NEXT, THEN RANDOMIZE OTHERS)

	<u>Very Positive</u>	<u>Somewhat Positive</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Somewhat Negative</u>	<u>Very Negative</u>	<u>Don't Know Name/ Not Sure</u>
<b>Donald Trump<sup>1</sup></b>						
January 2021+.....	28	12	6	5	48	1
October 29-31, 2020+.....	33	10	4	3	49	1
October 9-12, 2020+.....	31	11	5	7	46	-
September 30-October 1, 2020+ .....	29	10	5	5	50	1
September 2020+.....	32	9	6	7	45	1
August 2020+ .....	30	10	7	8	44	1
July 2020+ .....	29	10	7	6	48	-
June 2020+.....	29	11	8	6	45	1
April 2020+ .....	31	10	8	8	43	-
March 2020+ .....	29	13	7	9	42	-
January 2020+.....	33	10	6	8	43	-
October 27-30, 2019.....	29	11	7	10	43	-
September 2019+.....	30	11	8	7	44	-
August 2019 .....	28	11	8	8	45	-
April 28-May 1, 2019 .....	28	11	12	8	41	-
March 2019.....	28	12	9	10	41	-
January 2019.....	27	12	9	8	43	1
December 2018 .....	24	13	11	9	43	-
November 2018+.....	29	12	6	7	45	1
October 2018+.....	27	15	7	8	43	-
September 2018+.....	26	13	9	8	44	-
August 18-22, 2018+ .....	29	11	9	8	42	1
June 2018+.....	24	16	9	10	41	-
March 2018.....	23	14	11	12	40	-
January 2018.....	24	12	8	8	48	-
December 2017 .....	21	16	9	9	45	-
October 2017 .....	23	13	10	8	46	-
August 2017 .....	22	14	12	12	40	-
June 2017.....	25	13	11	9	41	1
February 2017 .....	27	16	10	12	35	-
January 2017.....	20	18	13	10	38	1
December 2016.....	20	20	13	11	35	1
October 10-13, 2016+.....	15	14	8	10	52	1
October 8-10, 2016+.....	17	13	7	12	51	-
September 2016+ .....	15	13	11	12	49	-
August 2016+ .....	13	15	11	11	50	-
June 2016+.....	12	17	11	12	48	-
April 2016+ .....	11	13	10	12	53	1
March 2016+ .....	12	13	11	10	54	-
January 2016+.....	14	15	12	11	47	1
December 2015.....	12	15	13	12	47	1
October 25-29, 2015.....	10	17	17	14	42	-
September 2015.....	8	17	16	14	44	1
July 2015 .....	10	16	16	13	43	2
February 2011 .....	9	17	40	18	11	5
May 2004+.....	9	17	38	14	15	7
December 1999.....	4	12	28	24	25	7
October 1999.....	3	11	25	23	32	6
July 1990 .....	3	11	28	25	24	9
<b>High</b>						
January 2020+.....	33	10	6	8	43	-
<b>Presidential Term Low</b>						
January 2018.....	24	12	8	8	48	-
<b>All-time Trump Low</b>						
April 2016+ .....	11	13	10	12	53	1

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	<u>Very Positive</u>	<u>Somewhat Positive</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Somewhat Negative</u>	<u>Very Negative</u>	<u>Don't Know Name/ Not Sure</u>
<b>Joe Biden</b>						
January 2021+.....	24	20	15	11	29	1
October 29-31, 2020+.....	23	22	12	9	33	1
October 9-12, 2020+.....	24	19	14	12	30	1
September 30-October 1, 2020+ .....	22	21	16	13	28	-
September 2020+ .....	22	21	12	14	31	-
August 2020+ .....	18	21	15	12	33	1
July 2020+.....	15	19	19	13	33	1
June 2020+.....	17	20	23	12	26	2
April 2020+ .....	16	21	19	16	25	3
March 2020+ .....	18	19	21	17	24	1
January 2020+.....	14	21	19	15	27	4
October 4-6, 2019.....	12	21	28	15	19	5
August 2019 .....	11	23	25	16	22	3
January 2018.....	30	24	22	11	11	2
January 2017.....	35	21	19	10	12	3
October 2015.....	19	23	24	17	14	3
September 2015 .....	15	25	25	14	14	7
June 2015.....	16	24	24	16	15	5
November 2014 .....	13	22	22	17	21	5
June 2014.....	11	21	25	15	21	7
July 2013 .....	17	21	21	15	20	6
January 2013.....	20	21	17	16	21	5
December 2012 .....	21	18	18	15	23	5
October 2012+.....	21	19	15	13	29	3
September 26-30, 2012+.....	18	19	19	14	24	6
August 2012+ .....	15	21	20	14	26	4
July 2012+ .....	15	20	23	14	23	5
May 2012.....	15	20	21	16	21	7
December 2010 .....	10	24	25	15	18	8
August 26-30, 2010 .....	13	21	21	15	20	9
January 10-14, 2010.....	15	23	25	15	14	8
July 2009 .....	13	25	20	17	19	6
January 2009.....	20	27	22	12	9	10
December 2008.....	20	25	25	12	11	7
October 17-20, 2008+.....	28	23	19	12	14	4
October 4-5, 2008+.....	21	22	24	12	15	6
September 19-22, 2008+.....	17	20	25	13	16	9
September 6-8, 2008+.....	18	22	23	13	12	12
September 2007 .....	4	13	26	11	11	35
December 2006.....	3	14	23	10	6	44
June 2004+.....	5	11	25	6	4	49
<i>High</i>						
January 2017 .....	35	21	19	10	12	3
<i>Low</i>						
July 2020+ .....	15	19	19	13	33	1

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	<u>Very Positive</u>	<u>Somewhat Positive</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Somewhat Negative</u>	<u>Very Negative</u>	<u>Don't Know Name/ Not Sure</u>
<b>Mike Pence</b>						
January 2021+ .....	20	18	18	18	23	3
October 29-31, 2020+ .....	31	9	9	11	35	5
October 9-12, 2020+ .....	30	9	11	13	33	4
September 30-October 1, 2020+ .....	27	9	12	16	31	5
September 2020+ .....	26	12	13	12	32	5
August 2020+ .....	27	12	13	13	31	4
March 2020+ .....	20	10	16	15	32	7
October 27-30, 2019 .....	20	14	19	11	27	9
January 2018 .....	20	13	17	16	23	11
April 2017 .....	24	14	13	16	23	10
February 2017 .....	27	15	17	14	21	6
January 2017 .....	20	15	22	11	21	11
December 2016 .....	21	16	18	9	20	16
October 10-13, 2016+ .....	20	16	22	11	17	14
September 2016+ .....	16	10	21	10	15	28
August 2016+ .....	10	13	28	12	13	24
<b>Kamala Harris</b>						
January 2021+ .....	24	17	15	8	33	3
October 29-31, 2020+ .....	24	18	10	9	33	6
October 9-12, 2020+ .....	26	15	13	10	31	5
September 30-October 1, 2020+ .....	23	17	15	10	28	7
September 2020+ .....	21	16	15	10	28	10
August 2020+ .....	21	18	13	9	26	13
<b>Jill Biden</b>						
January 2021+** .....	26	14	26	6	20	8

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\*\* Asked of full sample on January 10 and of one-half of respondents (FORM A) on January 11-13.

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	Very Positive	Somewhat Positive	Neutral	Somewhat Negative	Very Negative	Don't Know Name/ Not Sure
<b>The Republican Party<sup>1</sup></b>						
January 2021+ .....	10	19	19	20	31	1
October 9-12, 2020+ .....	19	18	16	14	32	1
August 2020+ .....	14	21	18	19	27	1
October 27-30, 2019 .....	13	23	21	16	26	1
April 28-May 1, 2019 .....	12	23	22	19	23	1
January 2019.....	11	23	21	18	25	2
November 2018+.....	17	23	14	16	29	1
October 2018+ .....	13	23	19	16	28	1
September 2018+.....	11	21	22	20	24	2
August 18-22, 2018+.....	10	22	24	19	24	1
June 2018+ .....	9	23	20	23	24	1
March 2018 .....	9	21	24	21	24	1
December 2017.....	8	19	23	23	26	1
August 2017.....	7	22	25	21	24	1
April 2017 .....	10	21	21	21	26	1
January 2017.....	13	22	22	21	22	-
December 2016.....	12	23	26	18	20	1
October 10-13, 2016+ .....	8	18	24	24	25	1
September 2016+.....	9	20	23	21	27	-
July 2016+.....	6	21	21	24	27	1
April 2016+ .....	7	20	21	23	28	1
February 2016+.....	10	23	21	23	23	1
October 25-29, 2015 .....	7	22	26	20	24	1
July 2015.....	7	21	26	22	22	2
April 2015 .....	8	22	26	20	23	1
January 2015.....	6	19	27	23	23	2
December 2014.....	7	23	24	22	23	1
November 2014.....	9	23	23	18	25	2
Oct. 30 – Nov. 1, 2014+ .....	7	22	23	23	24	1
October 8-12, 2014+ .....	6	21	21	25	25	2
September 2014+.....	9	22	26	20	21	2
June 2014 .....	6	23	24	22	23	2
January 2014.....	5	19	28	22	25	1
December 2013.....	6	20	22	26	25	1
October 25-28, 2013 .....	6	16	24	23	30	1
May 30-June 2, 2013.....	8	24	26	18	23	1
February 2013.....	8	21	24	20	26	1
December 2012.....	9	21	23	18	27	2
October 2012+ .....	15	21	20	18	25	1
September 26-30, 2012+.....	14	24	18	18	25	1
August 2012+ .....	12	24	18	16	29	1
May 2012 .....	9	23	23	19	24	2
January 2012.....	8	23	24	19	25	1
November 2011 .....	9	21	23	18	26	3
August 2011 .....	8	24	21	23	23	1
April 2011 .....	7	24	24	22	22	1
January 2011.....	7	27	24	21	19	2
December 2010.....	11	27	23	17	20	2
October 28-30, 2010+ .....	12	22	24	18	23	1
September 2010.....	8	23	25	21	22	1
August 5-9, 2010.....	6	18	28	24	22	2
June 2010 .....	6	24	26	23	19	2
March 2010 .....	6	25	24	20	23	2
December 2009.....	5	23	27	24	19	2
<i>High</i>						
December 2001.....	21	36	18	13	9	3
<i>Low</i>						
October 25-28, 2013 .....	6	16	24	23	30	1

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<b>The Democratic Party<sup>1</sup></b>						
January 2021+.....	14	25	16	12	32	1
October 9-12, 2020+.....	17	23	16	12	31	1
August 2020+ .....	14	22	19	12	32	1
October 27-30, 2019.....	13	22	21	14	28	2
April 28-May 1, 2019 .....	12	22	26	15	24	1
January 2019.....	11	24	23	16	24	2
December 2018.....	14	25	23	15	22	1
November 2018+.....	15	23	18	15	28	1
October 2018+.....	14	21	20	18	26	1
September 2018+.....	11	27	23	14	24	1
August 18-22, 2018+.....	10	22	24	18	25	1
June 2018+.....	11	24	22	20	22	1
March 2018.....	11	21	27	18	22	1
December 2017.....	11	22	28	16	22	1
October 2017.....	12	20	26	19	23	-
August 2017.....	11	23	25	19	21	1
April 2017.....	11	23	26	16	23	1
January 2017.....	12	23	19	16	28	2
December 2016.....	10	24	23	20	22	1
October 10-13, 2016+.....	15	24	18	16	26	1
September 2016+.....	15	22	20	16	27	-
July 2016+.....	15	24	19	19	22	1
April 2016+.....	10	28	20	19	22	1
February 2016+.....	16	24	21	17	21	1
October 25-29, 2015.....	15	26	18	17	22	2
July 2015.....	13	25	22	18	20	2
April 2015.....	12	26	24	17	19	2
January 2015.....	9	26	24	18	20	3
December 2014.....	12	25	22	17	22	2
November 2014.....	12	26	20	20	21	1
Oct. 30 – Nov. 1, 2014+.....	12	24	19	20	23	2
October 8-12, 2014+.....	12	25	20	20	23	1
September 2014+.....	11	25	22	20	22	-
June 2014.....	13	25	21	18	22	1
January 2014.....	10	27	22	20	20	1
December 2013.....	10	26	19	20	24	1
October 25-28, 2013.....	15	22	21	18	22	2
September 2013.....	13	27	22	20	18	-
May 30-June 2, 2013.....	14	25	22	19	18	2
February 2013.....	18	23	22	17	19	1
December 2012.....	21	23	19	16	19	2
October 2012+.....	21	21	17	17	23	1
September 26-30, 2012+.....	21	21	17	17	22	2
August 2012+.....	19	23	16	17	23	2
June 2012.....	14	23	25	18	19	1
January 2012.....	15	23	23	21	18	-
November 2011.....	15	25	22	18	19	1
August 2011.....	11	22	21	19	25	2
April 2011.....	12	26	22	18	21	1
January 2011.....	15	24	25	19	16	1
December 2010.....	9	28	20	18	23	2
October 28-30, 2010+.....	16	23	17	19	23	2
September 2010.....	15	22	20	20	22	1
August 5-9, 2010.....	11	22	22	18	26	1
May 6-11, 2010.....	11	26	19	18	24	2
January 10-14, 2010.....	11	27	20	18	23	1
December 2009.....	10	25	19	19	26	1
<i>High</i>						
January 2000.....	20	30	23	15	10	2
<i>Low</i>						
December 2009.....	10	25	19	19	26	1

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

<sup>1</sup> The historical trend data for this item does not include every survey in which this item has been asked.



Q6 (cont'd)

	<u>Very Positive</u>	<u>Somewhat Positive</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Somewhat Negative</u>	<u>Very Negative</u>	<u>Don't Know Name/ Not Sure</u>
<b>The United States Supreme Court</b>						
January 2021+** .....	16	28	35	13	6	2
October 2018+ .....	20	30	27	15	6	2
July 2018+ .....	21	29	31	12	5	2
July 2015 <sup>1</sup> .....	10	29	27	20	12	2
June 2015 .....	9	30	34	17	8	2
July 2012+ .....	12	28	31	17	11	1
April 2012 .....	13	29	34	14	7	3
July 1992 .....	8	28	26	23	11	4
May 1992 .....	10	32	27	16	10	5
<b>QAnon</b>						
January 2021+* .....	1	1	11	7	35	45
September 2020+ .....	1	2	11	5	25	56

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\* Asked of one-half of respondents (FORM A).

\*\* Asked of full sample on January 10 and of one-half of respondents (FORM B) on January 11-13.

<sup>1</sup> Prior to July 2018, item was asked as The Supreme Court.

*SUMMARY TABLE OF IMAGES – BY D/S (POSITIVE – NEGATIVE)*

	<b>TOTAL POSITIVE</b>	<b>TOTAL NEGATIVE</b>	<b>D/S</b>
The United States Supreme Court .....	44	19	25
Jill Biden .....	40	26	14
Joe Biden .....	44	40	4
Kamala Harris .....	41	41	-
Mike Pence .....	38	41	-3
The Democratic Party .....	39	44	-5
Donald Trump .....	40	53	-13
The Republican Party .....	29	51	-22
QAnon .....	2	42	-40

Q7 Do you approve or disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling the transition and his preparations for becoming president?

	<i>Joe Biden</i>	<i>Donald Trump</i>		<i>Barack Obama</i>	
	<u>1/21+</u>	<u>1/17</u>	<u>12/16</u>	<u>1/09</u>	<u>12/08</u>
Approve .....	60	44	50	71	73
Disapprove .....	32	52	41	14	13
Not sure.....	8	4	9	15	14

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

<b>December 1992</b>	
And in general, do you approve or disapprove of the job Bill Clinton is doing in handling the transition and in preparing to take office as president?	
Approve.....	77
Disapprove.....	8
Not sure.....	15

Q8 When you think about the future of the country, would you say that you are mainly hopeful and optimistic or mainly worried and pessimistic?

	<u>1/21+</u>	<u>4/20+</u>	<u>2/17</u>	<u>12/16</u>	<u>8/16+</u>	<u>9/05</u>	<u>7/02</u>	<u>9/01</u>	<u>11/98<sup>1</sup></u>
Mainly hopeful and optimistic .....	44	61	60	56	54	53	69	79	58
Mainly worried and pessimistic.....	53	36	40	42	44	44	28	18	39
Not sure.....	3	3	-	2	2	3	3	3	3

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

<sup>1</sup> November 1998 comparative data comes from a survey conducted on behalf of the Shell Corporation.

**Changing topics...**

Q9a Looking ahead, what word or short phrase would you use to describe how you feel about where America is headed in the next year? (DO NOT PROBE) +

<b>Positive words and phrases.....</b>	<b>33</b>
Hopeful .....	16
Optimistic.....	7
Positive (General).....	6
Right direction.....	3
Recovery .....	3
Unity .....	1
<b>Negative words and phrases .....</b>	<b>52</b>
Concerned .....	11
Downhill .....	8
Disaster/Hard times .....	7
Wrong track .....	6
Anxious/Worried .....	6
Divided/Divisive .....	5
Communism/Socialism .....	4
Chaos/Chaotic .....	4
Fearful .....	4
Disappointed/Sad .....	2
Declining economy/Jobs.....	2
<b>Neutral/Mixed words and phrases .....</b>	<b>10</b>
Uncertain .....	7
Confused .....	3
Other.....	3
Don't know.....	5

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

\* Asked of one-quarter of respondents (FORM C) on January 10-11.

**SUMMARY OF POSITIVE, NEGATIVE, AND NEUTRAL RESPONSES**

	<u>1/21+</u>	<u>1/19</u>	<u>1/15</u>	<u>1/14</u>	<u>1/13</u>	<u>1/12</u>	<u>1/11</u>
Positive words and phrases .....	33	31	33	27	33	32	35
Negative words and phrases.....	52	57	44	62	58	46	47
Neutral words and phrases .....	11	2	10	7	4	8	13

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

Q9b Looking ahead to four years from now, what would you like to be able to say about the country? What is your hope for America by the time we reach 2025? (RECORD IF RESPONDENT SAYS COVID OR CORONAVIRUS, AND ASK:) And looking beyond COVID-19, four years from now, what would you like to be able to say about the country? What is your hope for America by the time we reach 2025? +  
**SEE RECORDED VERBATIM RESPONSES**

**(ASKED ONLY OF REPUBLICANS AND INDEPENDENTS)**

Q10a Do you want Republicans in Congress to...? (READ LIST.) +

	<u>Total</u>	<u>Republicans</u>	<u>Independents</u>
Make compromises with President-elect Biden to gain consensus on legislation .....	47	40	68
Stick to their positions even if this means not being able to get things done in Washington.....	41	48	21
Depends/some of both (VOL) .....	7	8	5
Not sure .....	5	4	6

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

**(ASKED ONLY OF DEMOCRATS AND INDEPENDENTS)**

Q10b Do you want Democrats in Congress to...? (READ LIST.) +

	<u>Total</u>	<u>Democrats</u>	<u>Independents</u>
Work to pass President-elect Biden's agenda .....	57	64	33
Hold the line on liberal and progressive positions even if this means not being able to pass all of what President-elect Biden wants to do .....	29	25	41
Depends/some of both (VOL) .....	3	3	3
Not sure .....	11	8	23

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

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Do you want Republicans in Congress to...			
	<u>Total</u>	<u>Republicans</u>	<u>Independents</u>
Work to pass President Trump's agenda .....	44	50	27
Hold the line on conservative positions even if this means not being able to pass all of what President Trump wants to do .....	46	42	59
Depends/some of both (VOL) .....	4	4	5
Not sure .....	6	4	9

Do you want Democrats in Congress to...?			
	<u>Total</u>	<u>Democrats</u>	<u>Independents</u>
Make compromises with President Trump to gain consensus on legislation .....	61	59	68
Stick to their positions even if this means not being able to get things done in Washington .....	30	33	18
Depends/some of both (VOL) .....	4	4	4
Not sure .....	5	4	10

**Thinking again about Donald Trump...**

Q11 Compared with the past several presidents, do you feel that Donald Trump will turn out to have been one of the very best, better than most, not as good as most, or definitely worse than most of them?

	<i>Donald Trump</i> <u>1/21+</u>	<i>Barack Obama</i> <u>1/17</u>	<i>George W. Bush</i> <u>12/08</u>	<i>Bill Clinton</i> <u>1/01</u>	<i>George H.W. Bush</i> <u>1989</u> <sup>1</sup>	<i>Ronald Reagan</i> <u>1981</u> <sup>2</sup>
One of the very best.....	19	21	2	16	7	11
Better than most .....	21	34	18	40	48	44
Not as good as most.....	9	18	30	24	31	28
Definitely worse than most.....	49	26	48	18	6	9
Not sure.....	2	1	2	2	8	8

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

<sup>1</sup> Results from a 1989 survey conducted by Lou Harris.

<sup>2</sup> Results from a 1981 survey conducted by Lou Harris.

**Thinking again about Joe Biden...**

Q12a How confident are you that Joe Biden has the right set of goals and policies to be president of the United States—extremely confident, quite confident, only somewhat confident, or not at all confident?

	<i>Joe Biden</i> <u>1/21+</u>	<i>Donald Trump</i> <u>1/17</u>	<i>Barack Obama</i> <u>1/09</u>   <u>12/08</u>		<i>George W. Bush</i> <u>1/01</u>	<i>Bill Clinton</i> <u>1/93</u>
Extremely confident .....	15	14	29	30	15	19
Quite confident .....	22	16	25	24	25	31
Only somewhat confident .....	25	26	30	29	37	35
Not at all confident.....	38	44	15	16	21	13
Not sure.....	-	-	1	1	2	2

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

Q12b How confident are you that Joe Biden has the right set of personal characteristics to be president of the United States—extremely confident, quite confident, only somewhat confident, or not at all confident?

	<i>Joe Biden</i> <u>1/21+</u>	<i>Donald Trump</i> <u>1/17</u>	<i>Barack Obama</i> <u>1/09</u>   <u>12/08</u>		<i>George W. Bush</i> <u>1/01</u>	<i>Bill Clinton</i> <u>1/93</u>
Extremely confident .....	23	13	31	33	19	16
Quite confident .....	20	19	28	22	21	31
Only somewhat confident .....	19	21	28	28	36	37
Not at all confident.....	37	46	12	15	22	13
Not sure.....	1	1	1	2	2	3

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

Q13 Which ONE of the following statements best describes your feelings toward Joe Biden? (DO NOT ROTATE) +

Like personally and approve most policies.....	39
Like personally but disapprove of many policies .....	16
Don't like personally, approve most of policies.....	7
Don't like personally, disapprove many policies .....	32
None of these (VOL) .....	2
Not sure.....	4

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

<u>DONALD TRUMP TREND</u>					
	<u>9/19+</u>	<u>10/18+</u>	<u>1/18</u>	<u>2/17</u>	<u>1/17</u>
Like personally and approve most policies .....	25	24	23	31	29
Like personally but disapprove of many policies.....	4	6	6	7	7
Don't like personally, approve most of policies .....	19	20	17	16	17
Don't like personally, disapprove many policies.....	50	48	52	43	44
None of these (VOL).....	1	1	1	2	1
Not sure .....	1	1	1	1	2

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

<u>BARACK OBAMA TREND</u>							
	<u>12/13</u>	<u>1/13</u>	<u>7/12+</u>	<u>11/11</u>	<u>8/11</u>	<u>12/10</u>	<u>5/6-10/10</u>
Like personally and approve most policies .....	36	45	41	38	36	37	43
Like personally but disapprove of many policies.....	28	29	26	33	34	35	26
Don't like personally, approve most of policies .....	2	2	2	3	2	4	3
Don't like personally, disapprove many policies.....	31	20	29	23	25	21	25
None of these (VOL).....	2	2	1	2	1	2	3
Not sure .....	1	2	1	1	1	1	-
	<u>1/10</u>	<u>10/09</u>	<u>9/09</u>	<u>6/09</u>	<u>4/09</u>	<u>1/09</u>	
	42	44	46	48	51	55	
	33	30	31	27	30	22	
	2	3	2	3	3	5	
	19	19	18	16	12	10	
	3	2	2	3	2	3	
	1	2	1	3	2	5	

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

<u>PREVIOUS PRESIDENTS TREND</u>				
	<i>George W. Bush</i>	<i>Bill Clinton</i>	<i>George H.W. Bush</i>	<i>Ronald Reagan</i> <sup>1</sup>
	<u>3/06</u>	<u>6/96+</u>	<u>10/91</u>	<u>1/87</u>
Like personally and approve most policies.....	29	36	43	39
Like personally but disapprove of many policies .....	28	19	35	27
Don't like personally, approve most of policies.....	4	14	7	6
Don't like personally, disapprove many policies .....	38	27	12	25
None of these (VOL) .....	1	2	1	NA
Not sure.....	-	2	2	4

<sup>1</sup> 1987 comparative data comes from a survey conducted by Cambridge Reports/Research International.

Q14 Now, how would you rate **Joe Biden** on the following qualities, using a five-point scale, on which a "5" means a very good rating, a "1" means a very poor rating, and a "3" means a mixed rating? (IF "NOT SURE," RECORD AS "DK.") (RANDOMIZE)

TABLE RANKED BY %4-5 (GOOD RATING) AMONG ALL VOTERS

	Very Good Rating			2	Very Poor Rating		Cannot Rate
	5	4	3		1		
<b>Being knowledgeable and experienced enough to handle the presidency</b>							
January 2021+*	39	16	15	7	23	-	
<b>Being easygoing and likable</b>							
January 2021+*	33	20	22	7	17	1	
<b>Having the ability to handle a crisis</b>							
January 2021+*	29	18	17	7	29	-	
<b>Having high personal and ethical standards</b>							
January 2021+**	34	11	14	9	32	-	
<b>Being a good Commander-in-Chief</b>							
January 2021+**	30	15	15	9	29	2	
<b>Being honest and trustworthy</b>							
January 2021+*	28	15	14	9	34	-	
<b>Uniting the country</b>							
January 2021+*	22	18	18	10	30	2	
<b>Dealing with the economy</b>							
January 2021+*	20	19	21	8	30	2	
<b>Sharing your positions on the issues</b>							
January 2021+*	18	20	20	7	33	2	

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

\* Asked of full sample on January 10 and of one-half of respondents (FORM A) on January 11-13.

\*\* Asked of full sample on January 10 and of one-half of respondents (FORM B) on January 11-13.

Q15 Do you believe that Joe Biden will return the country to a more typical way that past presidents have governed the country. (IF YES/NO, ASK:) And, is that a good thing or a bad thing? +\*

<b>Total return country to a more typical way .....</b>	<b>55</b>
Good thing/Return country to a more typical way.....	47
Bad thing/Return country to a more typical way .....	8
<b>Total not return country to a more typical way .....</b>	<b>35</b>
Good thing/Not return country to a more typical way .....	3
Bad thing/Not return country to a more typical way .....	32
Depends (VOL) .....	4
Not sure .....	6

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.  
\* Asked of full sample on January 10 and of one-half of respondents (FORM A) on January 11-13.

Q16 I'm going to mention a number of different areas that Joe Biden could address as president and for each one, please tell me if you are concerned that he will go too far, he will strike the right balance, or he will not go far enough in this area. (RANDOMIZE)

TABLE RANKED BY % WHO SAY GO TOO FAR

	<u>Go Too Far</u>	<u>Strike Right Balance</u>	<u>Will Not Go Far Enough</u>	<u>Not Sure</u>
<b>Addressing climate change</b>				
January 2021+ .....	35	39	23	3
<b>Addressing racial inequality</b>				
January 2021+ .....	29	42	27	2
<b>Dealing with health care</b>				
January 2021+ .....	28	39	30	3
<b>Addressing the COVID-19 pandemic</b>				
January 2021+ .....	27	57	14	2
<b>Dealing with the economy and the recession</b>				
January 2021+ .....	17	46	35	2

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

Q17 Which concerns you more about Joe Biden in addressing the major issues facing the country, Joe Biden will be (ROTATE:) too willing to compromise or will be unwilling to compromise ... or ... do you think he will find the right balance in terms of how much compromise is needed? +

Too willing to compromise .....	27
Unwilling to compromise .....	28
Find the right balance .....	42
Not sure .....	3

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.



**Moving on...**

Q18 Please tell me which comes closer to your point of view about the next four years: (ROTATE) +\*\*

The country will be able to unite .....	24
The country will remain divided .....	73
Not sure .....	3

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

\*\* Asked of one-half of respondents (FORM B).

Q19 During the next twelve months, do you think that the nation's economy will get better, get worse, or stay about the same? +

	<u>1/21+</u>	<u>3/20+</u>	<u>12/19<sup>1</sup></u>	<u>10/27- 30/19</u>	<u>12/18</u>	<u>1/18</u>	<u>2/17</u>
Will get better .....	31	34	30	24	28	35	41
Will get worse .....	35	31	24	27	33	20	21
Will stay about the same ..	33	31	35	48	37	43	36
Not sure .....	1	4	11	1	2	2	2
		<u>12/16</u>	<u>12/15</u>	<u>7/15</u>	<u>3/15</u>	<u>12/14</u>	<u>10/8- 12/14+</u>
		42	24	25	29	31	28
		19	24	24	21	17	24
		38	50	51	48	51	46
		1	2	-	2	1	2

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

<sup>1</sup>Comparative data for December 2019 comes from the CNBC All-America Economic Survey.

**Thinking back to last year...**

Q20 Compared with other years, do you think that 2020 was one of the best years for the United States, above average, about average, below average, or one of the worst years for the United States?

	<u>1/21+</u>	<u>12/19</u>	<u>12/18</u>	<u>12/17</u>	<u>12/16</u>	<u>12/15</u>	<u>12/14</u>	<u>12/13</u>	<u>12/12</u>
One of the best years.....	3	12	9	4	2	1	1	1	2
Above-average year .....	3	22	21	17	13	12	13	6	7
About average year .....	5	19	24	25	28	33	33	23	27
Below-average year .....	22	22	26	28	35	36	34	44	43
One of the worst years.....	66	23	19	24	20	18	18	26	21
Not sure .....	1	2	1	2	2	-	1	-	-
	<u>12/11</u>	<u>12/08</u>	<u>12/05</u>	<u>12/04</u>	<u>12/02</u>	<u>12/94</u>	<u>12/93</u>	<u>12/92</u>	<u>12/91+</u>
	1	1	1	3	1	2	1	2	3
	3	3	9	12	7	19	12	9	11
	20	12	28	32	32	51	43	28	30
	49	36	34	27	39	21	32	39	39
	27	47	27	25	19	6	10	21	16
	-	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	1

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

Q21-22 Held for later release.

**Thinking about the recent election...**

QF1 A lot of people are unable to get out and vote for many reasons. Did you happen to vote in the November 2020 election for president? (IF "YES," ASK:) Which of the following statements describes your vote? (ROTATE STATEMENTS :1-4 TOP TO BOTTOM, BOTTOM TO TOP) +

Voted for Trump because you liked him or his policies .....	34
Voted for Trump because you did not like Biden or his policies .....	7
Voted for Biden because you did not like Trump or his policies .....	18
Voted for Biden because you liked him or his policies .....	29
Voted for someone else (VOL) .....	3
Voted, not sure.....	1
No, Did Not Vote .....	5
Not sure .....	3

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

TRUMP-CLINTON RECALLED BALLOT FROM 2020 MERGE DATA	
Voted for Trump because you liked him or his policies .....	23
Voted for Trump because you did not like Clinton or her policies.....	15
Voted for Clinton because you did not like Trump or his policies .....	18
Voted for Clinton because you liked her or her policies .....	22
Voted for Gary Johnson (VOL).....	2
Voted for Jill Stein (VOL).....	1
Voted for someone else (VOL) .....	3
Voted, not sure.....	1
No, Did Not Vote .....	13
Not sure.....	2

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

**(ASKED OF BIDEN VOTERS)**

Q23 Here are a number of reasons why people say they voted for Joe Biden, for each one please tell me if this was the single most important reason why you voted for Biden, a fairly important reason, only somewhat important, or not really a reason why you voted for Biden?

*TABLE RANKED BY % WHO SAY SINGLE MOST IMPORTANT REASON*

	Single Most Important Reason	A Fairly Important Reason	A Somewhat Important Reason	Not Really a Reason	Not Sure
<b>To make sure Donald Trump did not continue as president.</b> January 2021+** .....	69	22	5	4	-
<b>To provide presidential leadership and unite the country.</b> January 2021+* .....	46	39	11	3	1
<b>To address the coronavirus.</b> January 2021+* .....	35	45	11	9	-
<b>To rebuild America's standing internationally with our allies.</b> January 2021+** .....	30	48	16	6	-
<b>To improve the economy and make it work better for the middle and working class.</b> January 2021+** .....	31	45	17	7	-
<b>To pursue more liberal and progressive policies on issues like healthcare and climate change.</b> January 2021+ .....	31	40	17	11	1
<b>To pursue traditional Democratic policies.</b> January 2021+ .....	16	34	28	21	1

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

\* Asked of full sample on January 10 and of one-half of respondents (FORM A) on January 11-13.

\*\* Asked of full sample on January 10 and of one-half of respondents (FORM B) on January 11-13.

<b>DECEMBER 2016 DONALD TRUMP TREND</b>					
	Most Important Reason	Fairly Important Reason	Somewhat Important Reason	Not Really a Reason	Not Sure
<b>To make sure Hillary Clinton did not become president.</b> December 2016+ .....	46	30	14	10	-
<b>To improve the economy and make it work better for the middle and working class.</b> December 2016+ .....	41	44	11	2	2
<b>To pursue traditional Republican policies.</b> December 2016+ .....	10	26	26	36	2

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

**Moving on...**

Q24 Do you have confidence that the results of the presidential election were counted accurately or not?

	1/21+	10/29- 31/20+ <sup>1</sup>	8/20+	9/16+
Yes .....	58	51	45	59
No .....	39	38	45	34
Not sure/refused .....	3	11	10	7

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

<sup>1</sup> Trend language was: Do you have confidence that the results of the presidential election will be counted accurately or not?

Q25 Do you think that Joe Biden won the presidency legitimately? +

Yes, won presidency legitimately .....	61
No, did not win presidency legitimately .....	35
Not sure .....	4

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

<u>JANUARY 2001 GEORGE W. BUSH TREND</u>	
Do you think that George W. Bush won the presidency legitimately?	
Yes, won presidency legitimately .....	55
No, did not win presidency legitimately .....	39
Not sure .....	6

**(ASKED IF NO, DID NOT WIN LEGITIMATELY)**

Q25a Which of the following statements comes closer to your point of view about the protests that led to rioters overtaking the U.S. Capitol: (ROTATE)

You support these actions and the need to oppose the election of Joe Biden.

..or...

You agree with the need to oppose the election of Joe Biden, but oppose these actions.

	Among All RVs+
Support actions .....	4
Oppose actions .....	28
Some of both (VOL) .....	1
Neither (VOL) .....	1
Not sure .....	1
Yes, won presidency legitimately/Not sure on Q25 .....	65

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

Q26 Which statement comes closest to what you think about a federal government investigation of the 2020 election? (ROTATE)

This IS necessary because widespread changes in how people can vote means procedures must be reviewed to guarantee an accurate vote count to increase confidence in our electoral process.

This is NOT necessary because states have already certified the results following investigations that found no evidence of widespread voter fraud that would change the election result. +\*\*

This is necessary .....	48
This is not necessary .....	50
Some of both (VOL).....	-
Neither (VOL).....	1
Not sure .....	1

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\*\* Asked of one-half of respondents (FORM B).

Q27 And, based on what you have seen, read, or heard about Donald Trump and the events at the U.S. Capitol last week, would you say Congress should... (ROTATE) +

Impeach Donald Trump and remove him from office .....	50
Not impeach Donald Trump and he should remain in office.....	48
Not sure .....	2

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

<u>RELATED TREND</u>		
And, based on what you have seen, read, or heard, would you say Congress should...		
	<u>12/19</u>	<u>10/27-30/19</u>
Impeach Donald Trump and remove him from office.....	48	49
Not impeach Donald Trump and he should remain in office.....	48	46
Not sure.....	4	5

<u>RELATED OCTOBER 4-6 TREND – CHANGE IN QUESTIONNAIRE ORDER</u>	
Impeach Donald Trump and remove him from office .....	43
Not impeach Donald Trump and he should remain in office.....	49
Not sure .....	8

**Getting towards the end of the survey...**

Q28 Compared with other public events that have occurred during the lifetime of different Americans--such as President Kennedy's assassination, the nine-eleven terrorist attacks, the economic recession of 2008 and 2009, and the coronavirus pandemic -- how would you rate the impact of last week's protests that led to rioters overtaking the U.S. Capitol? Would you say this is the most significant public event to have occurred, a very important event, but not the most significant, a somewhat important event, or not an important event? +

Most significant.....	20
Very important, but not most significant.....	41
Somewhat important.....	24
Not important.....	14
Not sure.....	1

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<u>RELATED TREND – APRIL 2020+</u>	
Compared with other public tragedies that have occurred during the lifetime of different Americans--such as Pearl Harbor, President Kennedy's assassination, the nine-eleven terrorist attacks, or the economic recession of 2008 and 2009 -- how would you rate the impact of the coronavirus? Would you say this is the most significant public tragedy to have occurred, a very important event, but not the most significant, a somewhat important event, or not an important event?	
Most significant.....	38
Very important, but not most significant.....	47
Somewhat important.....	11
Not important.....	3
Not sure.....	1
+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.	

<u>RELATED TREND – NOVEMBER 30-DECEMBER 2, 2001</u>	
Compared with other public tragedies that may have occurred during your lifetime--such as Pearl Harbor, President Kennedy's assassination, or the Oklahoma City bombing--how would you rate the September eleventh terrorist attacks on America? Would you say this is the most significant public tragedy to occur during your lifetime, a very important event, but not the most significant, a somewhat important event, or not an important event?	
Most significant.....	75
Very important, but not most significant.....	21
Somewhat important.....	3
Not important.....	-
Not sure.....	1

Q29 Do you think the protests that led to rioters overtaking the U.S. Capitol should be described as an act of terrorism or not? (IF YES/NO, ASK:) And is that strongly (yes/no) or not-so-strongly (yes/no)? +\*

<b>Total Yes</b> .....	<b>57</b>
Strongly Yes .....	48
Not-so-strongly Yes .....	9
<b>Total No</b> .....	<b>40</b>
Not-so-strongly No.....	11
Strongly No.....	29
Not sure.....	3

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

\* Asked of one-half of respondents (FORM A).

Q30 Which ONE of the following emotions do you feel the most strongly in response to the events at the U.S. Capitol last week? (IF "ALL/COMBINATION" ASK:) Well, if you had to select just one, which emotion would come closest to describing how you feel? (IF NONE OF THESE, ASK:) Which one word would describe how you feel? (RANDOMIZE)

*THIS TABLE HAS BEEN RANKED BY THE HIGHEST PERCENTAGE*

Sadness .....	29
Anger .....	25
Disbelief .....	18
Fear.....	5
Vulnerability .....	4
Indifferent/No feeling (VOL) .....	2
Satisfied .....	2
Disappointed (VOL) .....	1
Not surprised (VOL) .....	1
Disgusted (VOL) .....	1
Or do none of these describe how you feel? (SPECIFY: _____) .....	7
All/Combination (VOL) .....	2
Not sure .....	3

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

<u>RELATED SEPTEMBER 2001 TREND</u>	
Which one of the following emotions do you feel the most strongly in response to these terrorist attacks?	
Anger.....	37
Sadness.....	24
Disbelief.....	21
Vulnerability .....	11
Fear .....	6
Not sure .....	1

Q31 Still thinking about the protests that led to rioters overtaking the U.S. Capitol, for each of the following people or groups, how responsible are they for these actions? Solely responsible, mainly responsible, only somewhat responsible, or not really responsible? (RANDOMIZE)

TABLE RANKED BY % WHO SAY SOLELY/MAINLY RESPONSIBLE

	<u>Solely Responsible</u>	<u>Mainly Responsible</u>	<u>Only Somewhat Responsible</u>	<u>Not Really Responsible</u>	<u>Not Sure</u>
<b>Donald Trump</b>					
January 2021+ .....	28	24	18	29	1
<b>Social media companies</b>					
January 2021+** .....	13	25	41	19	2
<b>Conservative news media outlets</b>					
January 2021+* .....	11	22	32	33	2
<b>Law enforcement responsible for protecting the U.S. Capitol</b>					
January 2021+** .....	12	20	43	24	1
<b>QAnon</b>					
January 2021+** .....	12	18	22	11	37
<b>Republican Members of Congress</b>					
January 2021+ .....	9	20	37	33	1
<b>Antifa</b>					
January 2021+* .....	11	17	23	37	12
<b>Democratic Members of Congress</b>					
January 2021+* .....	7	10	25	57	1

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

\* Asked of full sample on January 10 and of one-half of respondents (FORM A) on January 11-13.

\*\* Asked of full sample on January 10 and of one-half of respondents (FORM B) on January 11-13.



Q32 Which do you think is more likely--that the overtaking of the U.S. Capitol is the start of a major increase in violent political protests and riots in the United States, or that it will prove to be an isolated incident? +

Major increase in violent political protests and riots.....	49
Isolated incident.....	45
Not sure .....	6

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

<u>RELATED TREND – APRIL 1995</u>	
Which do you think is more likely--that the bombing of a federal building in Oklahoma City is the start of a major increase in terrorism in the United States, or that it will prove to be an isolated incident?	
Major increase in terrorism .....	49
Isolated incident.....	44
Not sure .....	7

Q33 Thinking about the way law enforcement officials have handled protestors supporting Donald Trump, would you agree or disagree that they would have used greater force and made more arrests if most of the protestors had been Black?

Agree .....	53
Disagree .....	43
Not sure .....	4

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

**And, on one last topic...**

Q34 Would you approve or disapprove of Donald Trump granting himself a presidential pardon? +\*\*

Approve .....	27
Disapprove .....	64
Not sure .....	9

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

\*\* Asked of full sample on January 10 and of one-half of respondents (FORM B) on January 11-13.

**Now I am going to ask you a few questions for statistical purposes only...  
(ASKED OF REPUBLICAN AND LEAN REPUBLICANS)**

QF1a Do you consider yourself to be more of a supporter of Donald Trump or more of a supporter of the Republican Party?

	<u>1/21+</u>	10/29- <u>31/20+</u>	10/9- <u>12/20+</u>	<u>9/20+</u>	<u>8/20+</u>	<u>7/20+</u>	<u>6/20+</u>		
Supporter of Donald Trump.....	46	54	46	53	49	53	52		
Supporter of the Republican Party.....	46	38	42	37	37	39	38		
Both (VOL).....	3	4	8	6	9	3	4		
Neither (VOL).....	5	3	4	3	4	4	4		
Not sure.....	-	1	-	1	1	1	2		
		<u>4/20+</u>	<u>3/20+</u>	<u>2/20+</u>	<u>1/20+</u>	<u>12/19+</u>	10/27- <u>30/19+</u>	10/4- <u>6/19+</u>	
		54	52	45	49	48	52	48	
		35	39	42	40	40	38	39	
		4	5	5	6	7	6	8	
		7	3	6	3	4	2	4	
		-	1	2	2	1	2	1	
		<u>9/19+</u>	<u>7/19+</u>	<u>6/19</u>	<u>5/19</u>	<u>3/19</u>	<u>2/19</u>	<u>1/19</u>	
		48	44	52	47	43	45	51	
		40	46	38	42	47	47	38	
		7	7	3	5	5	4	6	
		4	2	5	5	4	2	3	
		1	1	2	1	1	2	2	

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

**(ASKED OF TRUMP VOTERS, QF1:1-2)**

QF1d Based upon Donald Trump's actions and statements related to the events at the U.S. Capitol last week, when it comes to your vote for Donald Trump has this made you... (ROTATE FIRST TWO PUNCHES.) +<sup>1</sup>

Reinforce your vote for Donald Trump.....	28
Regret your vote for Donald Trump.....	5
Or has this not changed how you feel about your vote either way?.....	66
Not sure.....	1

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

<sup>1</sup> Asked January 11-13 only, N=275.

**(ASKED OF DEMOCRATIC AND LEAN DEMOCRATIC REGISTERED VOTERS)**

QF1c Regardless of how you feel today, during the 2020 Democratic nominating contest would you have described yourself as a supporter of Joe Biden, a supporter of Bernie Sanders, a supporter of Elizabeth Warren, or a supporter of another Democratic candidate? +

Supporter of Joe Biden.....	40
Supporter of Bernie Sanders .....	25
Supporter of Elizabeth Warren .....	15
Supporter of another Democratic candidate .....	15
No strong preference (VOL) .....	2
Both (VOL) .....	-
Neither (VOL) .....	2
Not sure.....	1

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

RELATED CLINTON-SANDERS TREND								
	3/18+	1/18+	12/17+	10/17+	8/17+	8/16+	7/16+	6/16+
Supporter of Hillary Clinton .....	30	39	35	38	38	35	39	34
Supporter of Bernie Sanders.....	42	38	40	35	36	40	38	40
Supporter of another Democratic candidate.....	4	3	3	3	2	-	-	-
No strong preference .....	22	19	18	21	22	24	22	25
Both (VOL) .....	2	1	1	-	-	-	1	-
Neither (VOL) .....	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
Not sure .....	-	-	2	3	2	1	-	-

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

QF2 Are you currently employed? (IF "CURRENTLY EMPLOYED," ASK:) What type of work do you do? (RECORD UNDER "6--OTHER.") (IF "NOT CURRENTLY EMPLOYED," ASK:) Are you a student, a stay-at-home mom or dad, retired, or unemployed and looking for work? +

**Currently Employed**

Professional, manager.....	24
White-collar worker.....	22
Blue-collar worker .....	19
Farmer, rancher.....	1

**Not Currently Employed**

Student .....	3
Stay at home mom/dad.....	3
Retired.....	22
Unemployed, looking for work .....	4
Other.....	-
Not sure.....	2

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

QF3 What is the last grade that you completed in school? (DO NOT READ CHOICES.) +

Grade school .....	-
Some high school.....	4
High school graduate .....	24
Some college, no degree .....	19
Vocational training/School .....	2
2-year college degree .....	13
4-year college/bachelor's degree .....	21
Some postgraduate work, no degree .....	2
2-3 years postgraduate work/master's degree .....	12
Doctoral/law degree .....	3
Not sure/refused.....	-

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

QF4 Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a Democrat, a Republican, an independent, or something else? (IF "DEMOCRAT" OR "REPUBLICAN," ASK:) Would you call yourself a strong (Democrat/Republican) or not a very strong (Democrat/Republican)? (IF "NOT SURE," CODE AS "NOT VERY STRONG DEMOCRAT/REPUBLICAN.") (IF "INDEPENDENT," ASK:) Do you think of yourself as closer to the Republican Party, closer to the Democratic Party, or do you think of yourself as strictly independent? (IF "NOT SURE," CODE AS "STRICTLY INDEPENDENT.") +

Strong Democrat.....	26
Not very strong Democrat.....	7
Independent/lean Democrat .....	9
Strictly Independent.....	12
Independent/lean Republican .....	10
Not very strong Republican .....	4
Strong Republican .....	23
Other (VOL) .....	7
Not sure .....	2

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

QF5 Thinking about your general approach to issues, do you consider yourself to be liberal, moderate, or conservative? (IF "LIBERAL" OR "CONSERVATIVE," ASK:) Do you consider yourself to be very (liberal/conservative) or somewhat (liberal/conservative)? +

Very liberal .....	13
Somewhat liberal.....	12
Moderate .....	34
Somewhat conservative .....	17
Very conservative.....	19
Not sure.....	5

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.

QF6 How would you describe your economic circumstances—(ROTATE TOP TO BOTTOM, BOTTOM TO TOP) poor, working class, middle class, upper middle class, or well-to-do? +

Poor .....	7
Working class .....	27
Middle class.....	45
Upper middle class .....	17
Well-to-do .....	3
Not sure/refused .....	1

+ Results shown reflect responses among registered voters.