

Sample 1500 US Adults
 Conducted July 15 - 17, 2018
 Margin of Error ±3.2%

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

Generally headed in the right direction 36%
 Off on the wrong track 51%
 Not sure 13%

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

	Ally	Friendly	Unfriendly	Enemy	Not sure
Canada	48%	31%	6%	2%	13%
China	6%	25%	32%	13%	23%
Germany	35%	31%	10%	3%	20%
Iran	2%	5%	30%	44%	20%
Israel	38%	23%	8%	7%	23%
Japan	38%	33%	6%	3%	20%
North Korea	1%	6%	20%	55%	17%
South Korea	39%	31%	7%	5%	18%
Mexico	16%	37%	24%	7%	17%
Russia	4%	11%	30%	36%	20%
United Kingdom	52%	25%	4%	2%	17%

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

	Ally	Friendly	Unfriendly	Enemy	Not sure
Canada	22%	33%	16%	8%	21%
China	5%	21%	30%	19%	25%
Germany	16%	30%	22%	9%	24%
Iran	3%	6%	17%	50%	24%
Israel	41%	21%	7%	9%	23%
Japan	25%	31%	10%	7%	27%
North Korea	4%	19%	19%	35%	23%

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	Ally	Friendly	Unfriendly	Enemy	Not sure
South Korea	25%	33%	8%	10%	24%
Mexico	6%	20%	32%	21%	21%
Russia	14%	29%	19%	15%	23%
United Kingdom	27%	29%	14%	6%	24%

4. Do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of the following world leaders?

	Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Don't know
Justin Trudeau	30%	26%	14%	9%	21%
Xi Jinping	4%	20%	26%	15%	34%
Emmanuel Macron	20%	33%	12%	6%	28%
Angela Merkel	23%	27%	14%	10%	26%
Enrique Pena Nieto	9%	23%	18%	13%	37%
Vladimir Putin	3%	11%	24%	45%	16%
Theresa May	22%	32%	16%	6%	24%
Kim Jong-un	3%	5%	16%	60%	17%

5. Do you think Donald Trump exercises mostly good or mostly bad judgment?

Mostly good judgment	35%
Mostly bad judgment	50%
Not sure	15%

6. Which statement do you agree with more?

Donald Trump considers carefully what he says before commenting	23%
Donald Trump reacts and speaks without thinking very much	77%

7. How often do you think Donald Trump says things that may not be correct?

All the time	30%
Often	22%
Sometimes	24%
Rarely	13%
Never	4%
Not sure	7%

8. When Donald Trump says things that may not be correct, do you think it is on purpose or an accident?

On purpose	40%
An accident	22%
Not sure	34%
He never says incorrect things	4%

9. In general, do you think Donald Trump has respect for leaders of other countries around the world or not?

A great deal of respect	11%
A fair amount of respect	31%
Not much respect	34%
No respect	24%

10. In general, do you think leaders of other countries around the world have respect for Donald Trump or not?

A great deal of respect	10%
A fair amount of respect	23%
Not much respect	37%
No respect	29%

11. Do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of Germany?

Very favorable	23%
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Somewhat favorable	34%
Somewhat unfavorable	15%
Very unfavorable	6%
Don't know	21%

12. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling Germany?

Strongly approve	16%
Somewhat approve	16%
Somewhat disapprove	12%
Strongly disapprove	26%
No opinion	30%

13. In general, do you think Donald Trump has respect for Angela Merkel or not?

A great deal of respect	6%
A fair amount of respect	32%
Not much respect	35%
No respect	27%

14. In general, do you think Angela Merkel has respect for Donald Trump or not?

A great deal of respect	6%
A fair amount of respect	28%
Not much respect	41%
No respect	25%

15. Do you think the U.S. should try increase or decrease trade with Germany?

Increase	28%
Keep it about the same	33%
Decrease	8%
Not sure	32%

16. Do you think Germany has fair or unfair trade policies with the United States?

Fair	25%
Unfair	25%
Not sure	50%

17. Do you think the United States has fair or unfair trade policies with Germany?

Fair	36%
Unfair	13%
Not sure	51%

18. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling foreign trade?

Strongly approve	18%
Somewhat approve	19%
Somewhat disapprove	15%
Strongly disapprove	31%
No opinion	18%

19. In general, do you think that free trade agreements, like NAFTA and the World Trade Organization, have been a good thing or a bad thing for the United States?

A good thing	35%
A bad thing	30%
Not Sure	35%

20. Do you favor or oppose the federal government negotiating more free trade agreements like NAFTA?

Strongly favor	15%
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Somewhat favor	27%
Somewhat oppose	13%
Strongly oppose	10%
Not sure	35%

21. Do you think tariffs on imported products help or hurt the U.S. economy?

Help	18%
Hurt	38%
Neither help nor hurt	16%
Not sure	27%

22. Do you approve or disapprove of imposing tariffs on goods imported from the countries or trading bloc listed below?

	Strongly approve	Somewhat approve	Somewhat disapprove	Strongly disapprove	No opinion
Canada	14%	21%	15%	25%	25%
China	24%	23%	18%	12%	24%
The European Union	16%	20%	18%	21%	25%
Mexico	19%	21%	15%	22%	23%
South Korea	11%	22%	17%	20%	30%

23. How likely do you think it is that other countries will retaliate against the United States for imposing steep tariffs on imported steel and aluminum?

Very likely	41%
Somewhat likely	40%
Not very likely	13%
Not likely at all	6%

24. Do you think a trade war will help or hurt the U.S. economy?

Help a lot	6%
Help somewhat	11%
Neither help nor hurt	13%
Hurt somewhat	22%
Hurt a lot	30%
Not sure	18%

25. Who do you think will be hurt the most by a trade war?

The U.S.	39%
The rest of the world	30%
Not sure	31%

26. Do you think the United States will win or lose a trade war with the rest of the world?

Win	31%
Lose	33%
Not sure	36%

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

Very favorable	20%
Somewhat favorable	25%
Somewhat unfavorable	17%
Very unfavorable	9%
Don't know	29%

28. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling NATO?

Strongly approve	19%
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Somewhat approve	16%
Somewhat disapprove	10%
Strongly disapprove	29%
No opinion	26%

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

Withdraw from NATO	14%
Remain in NATO	53%
Not sure	33%

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

Should maintain commitment	57%
Should not maintain commitment	14%
Not sure	29%

31. How much have you heard in the news recently about the NATO summit President Trump attended last week?

Heard a lot	28%
Heard a little	42%
Heard nothing at all	30%

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

Very favorable	26%
Somewhat favorable	27%
Somewhat unfavorable	16%
Very unfavorable	7%
Don't know	23%

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

Very strong	36%
Somewhat strong	40%
Somewhat weak	15%
Very weak	9%

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

Good thing	32%
Bad thing	40%
Not sure	28%

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

Strongly approve	14%
Somewhat approve	19%
Somewhat disapprove	13%
Strongly disapprove	32%
No opinion	22%

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

An immediate and serious threat to the U.S.	24%
A somewhat serious threat to the U.S.	35%
A minor threat to the U.S.	19%
Not a threat to the U.S.	6%
Not sure	17%

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

Heard a lot	33%
Heard a little	39%
Heard nothing at all	28%

38. In general, do you think Donald Trump has respect for Vladimir Putin or not?

A great deal of respect	29%
A fair amount of respect	46%
Not much respect	16%
No respect	9%

39. In general, do you think Vladimir Putin has respect for Donald Trump or not?

A great deal of respect	9%
A fair amount of respect	35%
Not much respect	33%
No respect	24%

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

Better	22%
Worse	21%
No impact	25%
Not sure	32%

41. Do you think the following statements are true or not true?

	Definitely true	Probably true	Probably not true	Definitely not true
Russia hacked the email of Democrats in order to increase the chance that Donald Trump would win the Presidential election.	30%	28%	24%	18%
Millions of illegal votes were cast in the election.	18%	32%	25%	24%
Russia tampered with vote tallies in order to get Donald Trump elected President.	17%	26%	32%	26%
Russia created and spread fake news stories to help Donald Trump win the election.	31%	27%	26%	16%

42. How concerned are you about improper relations between the Trump campaign and Russia?

Very concerned	30%
Somewhat concerned	19%
Not very concerned	13%
Not concerned at all	24%
Not sure	14%

43. Do you think any member of the Trump campaign, other than Donald Trump himself, did anything improper in their dealings with Russian officials before the Inauguration?

Yes	42%
No	29%
Not sure	29%

44. Do you think any member of the Trump campaign, other than Donald Trump himself, did anything illegal in their dealings with Russian officials before the Inauguration?

Yes	40%
No	31%
Not sure	29%

45. Do you think Donald Trump himself did anything improper in his dealings with Russian officials before the Inauguration?

Yes	33%
No	37%
Not sure	30%

46. Do you think Donald Trump himself did anything illegal in his dealings with Russian officials before the Inauguration?

Yes	33%
No	37%
Not sure	31%

47. Do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of Robert Mueller?

Very favorable	20%
Somewhat favorable	14%
Somewhat unfavorable	12%
Very unfavorable	17%
Not sure	36%

48. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Robert Mueller is handling his job as special counsel?

Approve strongly	23%
Approve somewhat	14%

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Disapprove somewhat	12%
Disapprove strongly	18%
Not sure	33%

49. Do you think the FBI investigation of President Trump is a witch hunt or a legitimate investigation?

Legitimate investigation	44%
Witch hunt	36%
Not sure	20%

50. Do you believe Donald Trump is being framed by the FBI and the Department of Justice?

Yes, he is being framed	28%
No, he is not being framed	46%
Not sure	26%

51. How much have you heard in the news recently about indictments against 12 Russian military officials who are accused of conspiring to interfere with the 2016 presidential election?

Heard a lot	29%
Heard a little	42%
Heard nothing at all	30%

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

Very favorable	12%
Somewhat favorable	36%
Somewhat unfavorable	23%
Very unfavorable	7%
Not sure	22%

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

Very liberal	5%
Liberal	9%
Moderate	29%
Conservative	24%
Very conservative	8%
Not sure	24%

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

Heard a lot	40%
Heard a little	35%
Heard nothing at all	25%

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

More liberal than Kennedy	23%
About the same as Kennedy	20%
More conservative than Kennedy	30%
Not sure	27%

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

Very important	40%
Somewhat important	26%
Not too important	10%
Not at all important	5%
Not sure	18%

57. How much have you heard in the news about Donald Trump nominating Brett Kavanaugh to fill the seat on the Supreme Court being vacated by Justice Anthony Kennedy's retirement?

Heard a lot	40%
Heard a little	35%
Heard nothing at all	25%

58. Do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of Brett Kavanaugh?

Very favorable	18%
Somewhat favorable	15%
Somewhat unfavorable	13%
Very unfavorable	15%
Not sure	40%

59. Would you say Brett Kavanaugh is...

Very liberal	2%
Liberal	3%
Moderate	12%
Conservative	29%
Very conservative	22%
Not sure	33%

60. From what you know now, do you think Brett Kavanaugh is or is not qualified to serve on the U.S. Supreme Court?

Qualified	42%
Not qualified	18%
Not sure	41%

61. Do you think the U.S. Senate should or should not confirm Brett Kavanaugh as a Supreme Court Justice?

Should confirm	37%
Should not confirm	27%
Not sure	36%

62. How likely is it that the U.S. Senate will confirm Brett Kavanaugh as the next Supreme Court Justice?

Definitely will happen	14%
Very likely	35%
50% chance	40%
Unlikely	8%
Will not happen	4%

63. Even though Senate Democrats alone do not have the votes to stop it, do you think Senate Democrats should do more or less to oppose the nomination of Brett Kavanaugh?

Do more	32%
Do less	31%
Not sure	37%

64. Which comes closest to your position on abortion? Do you think abortion should be...

Legal in all cases	23%
Legal in most cases	34%
Illegal in most cases	31%
Illegal in all cases	12%

65. How likely do you think it is that the U.S. Supreme Court will overturn Roe v. Wade, the case that made abortion legal across the United States?

Definitely will happen	6%
Very likely	15%

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50% chance	37%
Unlikely	28%
Will not happen	14%

66. Under the U.S. Constitution, the President has the power to pardon or reduce prison sentences of any person convicted of a federal crime. In general, do you approve or disapprove of the President's power to pardon or commute the prison sentences of people convicted of federal crimes?

Strongly approve	19%
Somewhat approve	28%
Somewhat disapprove	19%
Strongly disapprove	12%
Not sure	21%

67. Do you think, in general, that Presidents give out too many or not enough pardons?

Too many	24%
Not enough	14%
About the right amount	26%
Not sure	37%

68. Do you approve or disapprove of the following uses of the Presidential pardon or power to commute sentences?

	Strongly approve	Somewhat approve	Somewhat disapprove	Strongly disapprove	Not sure
Richard Nixon (Pardoned by President Ford)	15%	23%	16%	22%	25%
Robert E. Lee (Pardoned by President Ford)	19%	20%	12%	16%	33%
Vietnam war draft resisters (Pardoned by Presidents Ford and Carter)	25%	24%	15%	12%	24%
G. Gordon Liddy (Sentence commuted by President Carter)	9%	19%	14%	13%	44%

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	Strongly approve	Somewhat approve	Somewhat disapprove	Strongly disapprove	Not sure
Jefferson Davis (Pardoned by President Carter)	12%	21%	11%	12%	44%
George Steinbrenner (Pardoned by President Reagan)	10%	20%	13%	9%	47%
Caspar Weinberger (Pardoned by President George H.W. Bush)	9%	19%	13%	11%	48%
Dan Rostenkowski (Pardoned by President Clinton)	5%	15%	15%	14%	51%
Scooter Libby (Sentence commuted by President George W. Bush)	10%	18%	13%	17%	41%
Chelsea Manning (Sentence commuted by President Obama)	11%	18%	12%	25%	34%
Joe Arpaio (Pardoned by President Trump)	20%	11%	10%	28%	32%
Scooter Libby (Pardoned by President Trump)	13%	14%	12%	22%	39%
Dinesh D'Souza (Pardoned by President Trump)	19%	11%	11%	18%	41%

69. Do you think the President has the power to pardon himself?

Yes	20%
No	57%
Not sure	24%

70. Do you think the Congress should or should not impeach and remove from office any President who pardons himself?

Should impeach and remove from office	52%
Should not impeach and remove from office	18%
Not sure	30%

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

Strongly support	18%
Somewhat support	17%
Somewhat oppose	12%
Strongly oppose	23%
No opinion	31%

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

Itemize deductions	24%
Standard deduction	42%
Not sure	16%
Prefer not to say	17%

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

Pay more	21%
Pay about the same	30%
Pay less	20%
Not sure	29%

74. How important are the following issues to you?

	Very Important	Somewhat Important	Not very Important	Unimportant
The economy	68%	27%	3%	2%
Immigration	54%	29%	12%	5%
The environment	49%	33%	12%	7%
Terrorism	58%	27%	10%	4%
Gay rights	25%	23%	22%	31%
Education	61%	28%	7%	4%
Health care	73%	20%	5%	2%

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	Very Important	Somewhat Important	Not very Important	Unimportant
Social security	70%	21%	5%	4%
The budget deficit	46%	37%	13%	4%
The war in Afghanistan	29%	42%	21%	8%
Taxes	55%	36%	6%	2%
Medicare	64%	25%	8%	3%
Abortion	43%	28%	19%	10%
Foreign policy	44%	38%	13%	5%
Gun control	52%	25%	12%	11%
International trade and globalization	36%	45%	14%	4%
Use of military force	45%	41%	10%	4%

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

The economy	12%
Immigration	11%
The environment	7%
Terrorism	6%
Gay rights	2%
Education	6%
Health care	15%
Social security	18%
The budget deficit	3%
The war in Afghanistan	1%
Taxes	2%
Medicare	6%
Abortion	4%
Foreign policy	1%
Gun control	6%

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

	Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Don't know
Donald Trump	27%	15%	9%	43%	6%
Mike Pence	23%	17%	11%	33%	16%

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	Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Don't know
Paul Ryan	7%	21%	20%	32%	21%
Mitch McConnell	4%	18%	18%	34%	27%
Nancy Pelosi	8%	23%	14%	36%	19%
Chuck Schumer	8%	20%	14%	29%	29%

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

	Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Don't know
The Democratic Party	14%	26%	17%	32%	11%
The Republican Party	11%	22%	19%	37%	11%

78. Is the Democratic Party...

Too liberal	40%
About right	23%
Not liberal enough	15%
Not sure	21%

79. Is the Republican Party...

Too conservative	38%
About right	20%
Not conservative enough	21%
Not sure	22%

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

Strongly approve	22%
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Somewhat approve	17%
Somewhat disapprove	12%
Strongly disapprove	38%
Not sure	11%

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

	Strongly approve	Somewhat approve	Somewhat disapprove	Strongly disapprove	No opinion
Abortion	16%	17%	12%	30%	25%
Budget deficit	16%	19%	14%	30%	20%
Civil rights	19%	17%	11%	34%	19%
Economy	27%	17%	11%	30%	15%
Education	16%	20%	12%	31%	20%
Environment	17%	17%	11%	37%	18%
Foreign policy	22%	16%	12%	34%	16%
Gay rights	14%	15%	10%	29%	32%
Gun control	21%	17%	10%	35%	16%
Health care	18%	20%	14%	35%	14%
Immigration	28%	14%	10%	38%	10%
Medicare	17%	16%	13%	31%	23%
Social security	15%	17%	14%	30%	23%
Taxes	24%	17%	10%	32%	16%
Terrorism	26%	18%	11%	28%	18%
Veterans	24%	19%	10%	25%	22%
Women's rights	20%	16%	10%	34%	20%

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

	Positive	Negative	No Opinion
Honest	20%	41%	39%
Intelligent	31%	35%	34%
Religious	10%	34%	56%
Inspiring	15%	35%	50%
Patriotic	32%	22%	46%
Strong	30%	25%	45%
Bold	39%	14%	47%

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	Positive	Negative	No Opinion
Experienced	17%	36%	47%
Sincere	18%	39%	43%
Partisan	15%	17%	68%
Effective	27%	30%	43%
Exciting	15%	26%	59%
Steady	16%	29%	54%
Hypocritical	43%	18%	39%
Arrogant	63%	11%	26%

83. Would you say Donald Trump is...

Very liberal	2%
Liberal	4%
Moderate	16%
Conservative	29%
Very conservative	21%
Not sure	28%

84. Do you think Donald Trump...

Says what he believes	47%
Says what he thinks people want to hear	37%
Not sure	17%

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

A lot	21%
Some	13%
Not much	15%
Doesn't care at all	42%
Not sure	9%

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

Very strong	27%
Somewhat strong	20%
Somewhat weak	18%
Very weak	35%

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

Honest and trustworthy	30%
Not honest and trustworthy	53%
Not sure	16%

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

Yes	34%
No	52%
Not sure	14%

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

Very likely	21%
Fairly likely	25%
Fairly unlikely	18%
Very unlikely	18%
Not sure	17%

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

Appropriate	25%
Inappropriate	57%
Not sure	18%

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

Optimistic	34%
Pessimistic	46%
Not sure	19%

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

Yes	32%
No	52%
Not sure	15%

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

Strongly approve	4%
Somewhat approve	8%
Neither approve nor disapprove	13%
Somewhat disapprove	23%
Strongly disapprove	35%
Not sure	17%

94. 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	10%	24%	17%	33%	15%
Republicans in Congress	7%	19%	20%	39%	15%

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

Strongly approve	4%
Somewhat approve	20%
Somewhat disapprove	20%
Strongly disapprove	31%
Not sure	25%

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

More conservative	25%
Less conservative	31%
About the same	13%
Not sure	31%

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

	Very favorable	Some-what favorable	Some-what unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Don't know	Never heard of this person
Jim Jordan	12%	8%	5%	15%	23%	37%
Kevin McCarthy	8%	10%	8%	14%	28%	32%
Steve Scalise	12%	12%	8%	13%	25%	29%

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

Jim Jordan	9%
Kevin McCarthy	6%
Steve Scalise	9%
Some other Republican	3%
Not sure	40%
I don't care who leads the Republicans in the U.S. House of Representatives	33%

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

Strongly approve	4%
Somewhat approve	17%
Somewhat disapprove	17%
Strongly disapprove	30%
Not sure	31%

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

Mitch McConnell	9%
Some other Republican	28%
Not sure	35%
I don't care who leads the Republicans in the U.S. Senate	28%

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

Strongly approve	8%
Somewhat approve	20%
Somewhat disapprove	15%
Strongly disapprove	32%
Not sure	25%

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

Nancy Pelosi	16%
Some other Democrat	33%
Not sure	28%
I don't care who leads the Democrats in the U.S. House of Representatives	23%

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

Strongly approve	8%
Somewhat approve	19%
Somewhat disapprove	11%
Strongly disapprove	27%
Not sure	35%

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

Chuck Schumer	17%
Some other Democrat	26%
Not sure	32%
I don't care who leads the Democrats in the U.S. Senate	26%

105. 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	25%
Less than usual	39%
Not sure	26%

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

A lot more than usual	5%
Somewhat more than usual	5%
About the same	25%
Somewhat less than usual	17%
A lot less than usual	22%
Not sure	26%

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

Democrats in Congress	16%
Republicans in Congress	41%
Both equally	40%
Neither	2%
Not sure	2%

108. Do you wish the Republican candidates who run for Congress this year will be more like Donald Trump or more like George W Bush?

More like Donald Trump	29%
More like George W Bush	39%
Not sure	32%

109. Do you wish the Democratic candidates who run for Congress this year will be more like Barack Obama or more like Bernie Sanders?

More like Barack Obama	37%
More like Bernie Sanders	27%
Not sure	37%

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

Getting better	31%
About the same	29%
Getting worse	27%
Not sure	13%

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

Higher	24%
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About the same	23%
Lower	24%
Not sure	29%

112. 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	45%
Worse off financially than you were a year ago	22%
Not sure	12%

113. Is the place where you live owned or rented?

Owned by you or your family	60%
Rented from someone else	38%
Other	2%

114. Do you have a mortgage?

Asked of those who own the place where they live

Yes	44%
No	56%

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

More jobs	30%
The same amount of jobs	33%
Fewer jobs	20%
Not sure	17%

116. How worried are you about losing your job?

Very worried	10%
Somewhat worried	27%
Not very worried	63%

117. 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.	35%
Not very hard	27%
Not sure	13%

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

Very happy	24%
Happy	36%
Neither happy nor unhappy	30%
Unhappy	6%
Very unhappy	4%

119. 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	42%
Some of the time	26%
Only now and then	15%
Hardly at all	10%
Don’t know	8%

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

Liberal	27%
Moderate	27%
Conservative	32%
Not sure	14%

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

Very liberal	12%
Liberal	15%
Moderate	27%
Conservative	21%
Very conservative	11%
Not sure	14%

122. Are you registered to vote?

Registered	67%
Not registered	33%

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

The Democratic Party candidate	45%
The Republican Party candidate	37%
Other	2%
Not sure	12%
I would not vote	4%

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

Asked of registered voters

More likely to vote for the Republican Congressional candidate	26%
Less likely to vote for the Republican Congressional candidate	26%
Have no effect on your vote choice	38%
Not sure	10%

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

Asked of registered voters

Yes, I voted the Democratic Presidential primary or caucus	38%
Yes, I voted the Republican Presidential primary or caucus	33%
No, I did not vote in either the Republican or Democratic Presidential primary or caucus ..	22%
I don't remember	7%

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

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

Hillary Clinton	63%
Martin O'Malley	2%
Bernie Sanders	32%
Someone else	3%

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

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

Donald Trump	53%
Someone else	47%

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

Yes	56%
No	44%

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

Hillary Clinton	26%
Donald Trump	25%
Gary Johnson	1%
Jill Stein	0%
Evan McMullin	0%
Other	1%
Did not vote for President	45%

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

Democrat	30%
Republican	23%
Independent	30%
Other	3%
Not sure	14%

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

Strong Democrat	20%
Not very strong Democrat	10%
Lean Democrat	9%
Independent	19%
Lean Republican	7%
Not very strong Republican	10%
Strong Republican	13%
Not sure	11%

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

Barack Obama	28%
Mitt Romney	25%
Other candidate	1%
I did not vote	47%

133. What is your gender?

Male	48%
Female	52%

134. Respondent age by category

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

135. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

White	68%
Black	13%
Hispanic	11%
Other	8%

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

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

137. What is your marital status?

Married	46%
Separated	2%
Divorced	12%
Widowed	5%
Never married	31%
Domestic / civil partnership	4%

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

Yes	26%
No	74%

139. Calculated from respondent's state of residence

Northeast	16%
Midwest	23%
South	39%
West	22%

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

A large city	20%
A suburb near a large city	32%
A small city or town	29%
A rural area	19%

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

Excellent	15%
Very good	29%
Good	37%
Only fair	14%
Poor	5%

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

Full-time employed	36%
Part-time employed	10%
Self-employed	0%
Unemployed or temporarily on layoff	9%
Retired	23%
Permanently disabled	11%
Homemaker	10%
Other	1%

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

Under \$50K	50%
\$50-100K	26%
\$100K or more	12%
Prefer not to say	12%

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

Military Household - I am	2%
Military Household - Family	7%
Military Household - I served previously	12%
Military Household - Family served previously	39%
Military Household - None	47%

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

Yes, I am	7%
Yes, household member is	7%
No	86%

146. How important is religion in your life?

Very important	38%
Somewhat important	29%
Not too important	12%
Not at all important	20%

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

More than once a week	7%
Once a week	21%
Once or twice a month	9%
A few times a year	13%
Seldom	20%
Never	27%
Don't know	3%

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

Yes	32%
No	68%

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

Several times a day	27%
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Once a day	14%
A few times a week	13%
Once a week	4%
A few times a month	6%
Seldom	15%
Never	17%
Don't know	3%

150. What is your present religion, if any?

Protestant	36%
Roman Catholic	20%
Mormon	1%
Eastern or Greek Orthodox	1%
Jewish	3%
Muslim	1%
Buddhist	0%
Hindu	0%
Atheist	6%
Agnostic	5%
Nothing in particular	23%
Something else	3%

Sponsorship	<i>The Economist</i>
Fieldwork	YouGov
Interviewing Dates	July 15 - 17, 2018
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 2014 American Community Study. Voter registration was imputed from the November 2014 Current Population Survey Registration and Voting Supplement.
Weighting	The sample was weighted based on gender, age, race, education, 2012 and 2016 Presidential votes (or non-votes). The weights range from 0.201 to 6.519, with a mean of one and a standard deviation of 0.776.
Number of respondents	1500 1272 (Registered voters)
Margin of error	± 3.2% (adjusted for weighting) ± 3% (Registered voters)
Survey mode	Web-based interviews
Questions not reported	28 questions not reported.