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2018 HOUSE ESTIMATE

D 225 – R 210 (± 13 seats)

Based on a multilevel regression and poststratification model incorporating voter responses to this survey.

Sample 6466 Registered Voters
Conducted October 30-November 3, 2018
Margin of Error ±1.6%

1. How would you rate the nation's economy today?

Very good	27%
Somewhat good	49%
Somewhat bad	20%
Very bad	4%

2. How likely is it that you will vote in the November 2018 general election?

Definitely will vote	64%
Probably will vote	7%
Maybe will vote	3%
Probably won't vote	2%
Definitely will not vote	1%
Already voted early in-person	8%
Already voted by mail or absentee	13%
Don't know	1%

3. As best you can recall, have you voted in a midterm election before in your state before, either in 2014 or 2010?

Yes	78%
No	22%

4. Compared to voting in a Presidential election, do you feel that a vote in the Congressional midterms this year matters...

More than a Presidential election	26%
As much as a Presidential election	67%
Less than a Presidential election	7%

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5. If the election for U.S. House of Representatives were being held today, who would you vote for in the district where you live?

Democratic candidate	48%
Republican candidate	45%
Independent candidate	0%
Someone else	1%
Not sure	5%
I would not vote	1%

6. Would you be voting for the Democratic candidate mainly to:

Asked of those voting for Democrats

Place a check on Republicans	40%
Enact different policies	60%

7. Which comes closer to summing up your vote for the Democratic Party?

Asked of those voting for Democrats

I think the Democrats have better ideas	78%
It's not clear if their ideas are better or not, but it's time to try something different	22%

8. Would you ever consider voting for a Republican congressional candidate this year?

Asked of those not voting for Republicans

Yes	19%
No	70%
Not sure	11%

9. Would you ever consider voting for a Democratic congressional candidate this year?

Asked of those not voting for Democrats

Yes	16%
No	71%
Not sure	13%

10. How do you feel about voting in the election in November?

Asked of those voting in 2018 elections

Very enthusiastic	57%
Somewhat enthusiastic	29%
Not very enthusiastic	14%

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11. Have you looked at a sample ballot for this year's election, or are you planning to?

Asked of those voting in 2018 elections

Yes, looked at one	47%
No, but planning to	30%
Not really planning to	23%

12. Are you planning to vote in person or by mail?

Asked of those voting in 2018 elections

In person	80%
By mail	20%

13. Do you know where to go to cast a vote?

Asked of those planning to vote in person

Yes	98%
No	2%

14. Do you have your mail-in ballot yet?

Asked of those planning to vote by mail

Yes	84%
No	16%

15. Would your 2018 Congressional vote be...

Asked of those voting in 2018 elections

In support of Donald Trump	34%
In opposition to Donald Trump	38%
Not about Donald Trump	28%

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

Strongly approve	29%
Somewhat approve	18%
Somewhat disapprove	7%
Strongly disapprove	44%
Not sure	2%

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17. Overall, how satisfied are you with the way things are going in the U.S. right now?

Very satisfied	16%
Somewhat satisfied	29%
Somewhat dissatisfied	22%
Very dissatisfied	33%

18. Do you expect your vote in the midterms can help change the way things are going, or not?

Asked if dissatisfied

Probably yes	41%
Maybe	43%
Probably not	16%

19. Overall, how satisfied are you with the way things are going for you, personally, and your family right now?

Very satisfied	25%
Somewhat satisfied	47%
Somewhat dissatisfied	21%
Very dissatisfied	7%

20. If you had to choose, is your vote this year based more on:

Things you want to happen in the next two years	49%
Things you're trying to stop from happening in the next two years	51%

21. If Democrats win control of Congress this November, how would that make you feel?

Angry	17%
Disappointed, but not angry	31%
Satisfied, but not happy	24%
Happy	28%

22. If Republicans keep control of Congress this November, how would that make you feel?

Angry	27%
Disappointed, but not angry	23%
Satisfied, but not happy	18%
Happy	32%

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23. Do you feel you have a clear idea of what the Republicans would do if they kept control of Congress next year, or not?

Yes 73%
 No 27%

24. Which of the following issues do you think Republicans would prioritize the most if they kept control of Congress?

Jobs 10%
 Taxes 24%
 Health care 16%
 Immigration 50%

25. Do you feel you have a clear idea of what the Democrats would do if they took control of Congress next year, or not?

Yes 69%
 No 31%

26. Which of the following issues do you think Democrats would prioritize the most if they took control of Congress?

Jobs 4%
 Taxes 22%
 Health care 50%
 Immigration 24%

27. If the Democrats were in control of Congress, do you think their priority would be to:

Try to work with the Trump Administration and pass compromise legislation 21%
 Try to investigate the Trump Administration and impeach Donald Trump 79%

28. For each of these issues, how important will each be in your vote for Congress this year?

	Very important	Somewhat important	Not very important	Not important
The Economy	64%	30%	5%	1%
Gun policy	56%	27%	12%	5%
Supreme Court	58%	28%	11%	3%
Immigration	62%	26%	8%	3%
Health care	68%	24%	6%	2%
Taxes	57%	34%	7%	2%

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29. In the past year, do you feel that racial tensions in America have:

Increased	70%
Decreased	7%
Stayed the same	23%

30. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump handles issues of race and race relations in the U.S.?

Strongly approve	24%
Somewhat approve	20%
Somewhat disapprove	10%
Strongly disapprove	46%

31. How much of a factor are issues of race and race relations in your vote?

Big factor	31%
Small factor	31%
Not a factor	38%

32. When you think about the overall tone and civility in American politics over recent years, do you feel the level of civility is getting better, is getting worse, or staying about the same?

Better	5%
Worse	84%
Same	11%

33. When you think about the overall level of political violence in American society, do you think that political violence is becoming more frequent, less frequent, or staying about the same?

More frequent	83%
Less frequent	3%
Same	14%

34. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump handles issues of political violence in the U.S.?

Strongly approve	22%
Somewhat approve	23%
Somewhat disapprove	11%
Strongly disapprove	44%

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35. Generally, do you think immigrants coming to the United States make American society...

Better in the long run	42%
Worse in the long run	34%
Don't have much of an effect one way or the other	24%

36. Do you approve or disapprove of sending additional U.S. troops to the U.S.-Mexico border to try to stop migrants from entering the U.S.?

Approve	53%
Disapprove	47%

37. Do you believe the migrants would ultimately pose a threat to the U.S., or not a threat to the U.S.?

Threat	40%
Not a threat	44%
Not sure	16%

38. Right now, is the way Donald Trump and the Republicans are handling immigration:

Too tough	47%
Not tough enough	26%
About right	26%

39. If the Democrats take control of Congress, will the way they handle immigration be:

Too tough	5%
Not tough enough	54%
About right	41%

40. Are recent changes to trade policy made by President Trump impacting your own area...

For the better	15%
For the worse	26%
Not much impact so far	42%
Haven't heard about any changes	17%

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41. How have the recent changes to health care laws made by the Republican Congress impacted your own health care coverage and costs?

Helped	11%
Hurt	24%
Not much impact so far	52%
Haven't heard about any changes	13%

42. How often do you vote?

Always	77%
Sometimes	18%
Rarely	4%
Never	1%

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

Very liberal	13%
Somewhat liberal	16%
Moderate	29%
Somewhat conservative	21%
Very conservative	17%
Not sure	4%

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

Strong Democrat	24%
Not very strong Democrat	10%
Lean Democrat	10%
Independent	13%
Lean Republican	11%
Not very strong Republican	10%
Strong Republican	20%
Not sure	1%

45. Would you describe yourself as a born-again or evangelical Christian?

Yes	27%
No	68%
Not sure	5%

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46. What is your gender?

Male	47%
Female	53%

47. Age group

18-29	16%
30-44	22%
45-64	38%
65+	24%

48. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

White	79%
Black	7%
Hispanic	8%
Other	6%

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

HS or less	29%
Some college	33%
College grad	24%
Post grad	14%

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1. National Economy

How would you rate the nation's economy today?

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very good	27%	36%	19%	18%	19%	29%	38%	30%	6%	18%	24%
Somewhat good	49%	47%	51%	55%	50%	48%	46%	48%	55%	53%	47%
Somewhat bad	20%	15%	24%	23%	25%	19%	15%	19%	29%	21%	25%
Very bad	4%	2%	6%	4%	6%	4%	1%	3%	10%	8%	3%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(6,441)	(3,029)	(3,411)	(1,004)	(1,433)	(2,445)	(1,558)	(5,095)	(452)	(542)	(352)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Very good	27%	5%	30%	51%	6%	16%	52%	44%
Somewhat good	49%	55%	48%	42%	54%	55%	40%	42%
Somewhat bad	20%	32%	19%	6%	33%	24%	7%	12%
Very bad	4%	7%	3%	1%	7%	5%	1%	2%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,441)	(2,204)	(2,095)	(1,930)	(1,856)	(2,091)	(2,462)	(1,305)

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2. Likelihood to Vote in 2018

How likely is it that you will vote in the November 2018 general election?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Definitely will vote	64%	68%	61%	51%	61%	69%	68%	66%	67%	55%	56%
Probably will vote	7%	6%	8%	15%	9%	5%	3%	6%	8%	9%	13%
Maybe will vote	3%	2%	5%	7%	6%	2%	1%	3%	4%	5%	8%
Probably won't vote	2%	1%	3%	3%	3%	2%	0%	2%	4%	3%	1%
Definitely will not vote	1%	1%	1%	1%	3%	1%	0%	1%	2%	2%	1%
Already voted early in-person	8%	9%	8%	6%	6%	9%	11%	8%	9%	7%	8%
Already voted by mail or absentee	13%	12%	13%	15%	10%	11%	16%	13%	6%	17%	11%
Don't know	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%	0%	1%	0%	2%	2%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,447)	(3,030)	(3,416)	(1,009)	(1,434)	(2,447)	(1,558)	(5,097)	(452)	(542)	(355)

	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical	
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Definitely will vote	64%	63%	65%	69%	65%	59%	69%	67%
Probably will vote	7%	8%	7%	5%	6%	10%	5%	6%
Maybe will vote	3%	3%	3%	4%	2%	5%	3%	2%
Probably won't vote	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	3%	1%	2%
Definitely will not vote	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	3%	1%	0%
Already voted early in-person	8%	9%	8%	8%	9%	7%	9%	9%
Already voted by mail or absentee	13%	14%	13%	12%	17%	10%	11%	12%
Don't know	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	3%	0%	1%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%
Weighted N	(6,447)	(2,206)	(2,102)	(1,929)	(1,862)	(2,094)	(2,461)	(1,308)

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3. Previous midterm vote

As best you can recall, have you voted in a midterm election before in your state before, either in 2014 or 2010?

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	78%	82%	74%	51%	71%	84%	92%	80%	75%	64%	68%
No	22%	18%	26%	49%	29%	16%	8%	20%	25%	36%	32%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,455)	(3,037)	(3,419)	(1,009)	(1,434)	(2,453)	(1,559)	(5,101)	(452)	(547)	(355)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Yes	78%	78%	77%	83%	76%	72%	84%	84%
No	22%	22%	23%	17%	24%	28%	16%	16%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,455)	(2,207)	(2,100)	(1,931)	(1,868)	(2,093)	(2,461)	(1,308)

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4. Importance of Vote in this Year's Midterms

Compared to voting in a Presidential election, do you feel that a vote in the Congressional midterms this year matters...

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
More than a Presidential election	26%	26%	26%	21%	24%	26%	30%	24%	36%	29%	28%
As much as a Presidential election	67%	69%	66%	71%	65%	68%	67%	70%	55%	63%	63%
Less than a Presidential election	7%	5%	8%	8%	11%	6%	3%	6%	9%	8%	9%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,435)	(3,031)	(3,405)	(1,000)	(1,431)	(2,447)	(1,557)	(5,089)	(452)	(539)	(355)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
More than a Presidential election	26%	34%	26%	16%	37%	26%	17%	19%
As much as a Presidential election	67%	61%	67%	77%	60%	64%	76%	75%
Less than a Presidential election	7%	5%	7%	7%	3%	10%	6%	6%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(6,435)	(2,204)	(2,102)	(1,927)	(1,863)	(2,081)	(2,461)	(1,306)

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5. House Vote Intent 2018

If the election for U.S. House of Representatives were being held today, who would you vote for in the district where you live?

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Democratic candidate	48%	44%	51%	57%	52%	46%	40%	43%	87%	59%	50%
Republican candidate	45%	50%	40%	31%	36%	48%	56%	49%	7%	31%	42%
Independent candidate	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Someone else	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%
Not sure	5%	4%	7%	7%	9%	5%	3%	5%	5%	9%	6%
I would not vote	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(6,287)	(2,963)	(3,324)	(974)	(1,363)	(2,401)	(1,549)	(4,980)	(442)	(521)	(344)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Democratic candidate	48%	91%	42%	6%	93%	56%	6%	21%
Republican candidate	45%	3%	47%	90%	4%	29%	88%	73%
Independent candidate	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Someone else	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Not sure	5%	4%	7%	3%	2%	11%	4%	4%
I would not vote	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	2%	1%	1%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,287)	(2,167)	(2,049)	(1,908)	(1,851)	(1,978)	(2,433)	(1,288)

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6. Democratic House Vote Check

Would you be voting for the Democratic candidate mainly to:

Asked of those voting for Democrats

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Place a check on Republicans	40%	45%	37%	36%	40%	42%	40%	41%	33%	42%	44%
Enact different policies	60%	55%	63%	64%	60%	58%	60%	59%	67%	58%	56%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,974)	(1,300)	(1,675)	(549)	(708)	(1,091)	(627)	(2,121)	(378)	(308)	(169)

	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical	
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Place a check on Republicans	40%	38%	45%	47%	38%	44%	31%	33%
Enact different policies	60%	62%	55%	53%	62%	56%	69%	67%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,974)	(1,957)	(859)	(114)	(1,709)	(1,099)	(156)	(262)

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7. Democratic House Vote Summary

Which comes closer to summing up your vote for the Democratic Party?

Asked of those voting for Democrats

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
I think the Democrats have better ideas	78%	79%	77%	86%	77%	76%	76%	79%	76%	73%	78%
It's not clear if their ideas are better or not, but it's time to try something different	22%	21%	23%	14%	23%	24%	24%	21%	24%	27%	22%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,977)	(1,297)	(1,679)	(554)	(706)	(1,094)	(623)	(2,115)	(382)	(308)	(172)

	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical	
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
I think the Democrats have better ideas	78%	86%	66%	30%	90%	63%	48%	64%
It's not clear if their ideas are better or not, but it's time to try something different	22%	14%	34%	70%	10%	37%	52%	36%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,977)	(1,962)	(857)	(114)	(1,711)	(1,102)	(153)	(260)

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8. Consider Voting for Republican

Would you ever consider voting for a Republican congressional candidate this year?

Asked of those not voting for Republicans

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	19%	21%	17%	25%	19%	18%	14%	20%	11%	19%	21%
No	70%	70%	70%	63%	66%	72%	78%	70%	77%	64%	66%
Not sure	11%	9%	13%	12%	15%	10%	8%	10%	12%	17%	13%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(3,413)	(1,450)	(1,963)	(652)	(843)	(1,234)	(684)	(2,452)	(408)	(355)	(198)

	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical	
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Yes	19%	10%	27%	60%	10%	24%	48%	37%
No	70%	81%	61%	27%	85%	58%	34%	50%
Not sure	11%	9%	12%	13%	5%	18%	18%	13%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(3,413)	(2,066)	(1,058)	(182)	(1,768)	(1,360)	(273)	(334)

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9. Consider Voting for Democrat

Would you ever consider voting for a Democratic congressional candidate this year?

Asked of those not voting for Democrats

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	16%	15%	17%	17%	25%	15%	10%	15%	52%	18%	21%
No	71%	77%	65%	54%	59%	74%	83%	73%	33%	59%	62%
Not sure	13%	8%	18%	29%	16%	11%	6%	12%	15%	22%	17%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(3,221)	(1,620)	(1,601)	(399)	(621)	(1,282)	(919)	(2,789)	(56)	(206)	(170)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Yes	16%	60%	19%	10%	48%	26%	10%	11%
No	71%	14%	67%	82%	26%	50%	82%	81%
Not sure	13%	25%	14%	8%	26%	24%	8%	8%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(3,221)	(179)	(1,158)	(1,785)	(130)	(828)	(2,253)	(1,008)

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10. Voting enthusiasm

How do you feel about voting in the election in November?

Asked of those voting in 2018 elections

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very enthusiastic	57%	65%	49%	43%	47%	60%	70%	58%	51%	51%	50%
Somewhat enthusiastic	29%	26%	32%	39%	36%	25%	21%	28%	33%	31%	37%
Not very enthusiastic	14%	9%	19%	18%	17%	14%	9%	14%	16%	17%	13%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(4,927)	(2,320)	(2,607)	(758)	(1,137)	(1,919)	(1,113)	(3,889)	(372)	(390)	(276)

	Party ID				Ideology			White Evangelical
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Very enthusiastic	57%	58%	56%	59%	64%	44%	62%	60%
Somewhat enthusiastic	29%	29%	28%	29%	25%	35%	26%	28%
Not very enthusiastic	14%	13%	16%	12%	11%	21%	12%	12%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(4,927)	(1,650)	(1,599)	(1,534)	(1,363)	(1,602)	(1,942)	(1,008)

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11. Sample Ballot

Have you looked at a sample ballot for this year's election, or are you planning to?

Asked of those voting in 2018 elections

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes, looked at one	47%	52%	43%	46%	44%	46%	53%	48%	36%	49%	52%
No, but planning to	30%	28%	32%	39%	30%	28%	28%	29%	34%	34%	28%
Not really planning to	23%	20%	25%	15%	26%	26%	19%	23%	30%	17%	20%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(4,927)	(2,319)	(2,608)	(761)	(1,136)	(1,917)	(1,113)	(3,887)	(373)	(390)	(277)

	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical	
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Yes, looked at one	47%	49%	47%	47%	51%	41%	49%	50%
No, but planning to	30%	28%	30%	31%	28%	33%	28%	29%
Not really planning to	23%	23%	23%	22%	20%	26%	22%	21%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(4,927)	(1,647)	(1,599)	(1,536)	(1,360)	(1,604)	(1,943)	(1,010)

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12. Vote Method

Are you planning to vote in person or by mail?

Asked of those voting in 2018 elections

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
In person	80%	83%	77%	76%	82%	83%	76%	82%	77%	71%	74%
By mail	20%	17%	23%	24%	18%	17%	24%	18%	23%	29%	26%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(4,914)	(2,317)	(2,597)	(761)	(1,132)	(1,909)	(1,112)	(3,877)	(373)	(388)	(277)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
In person	80%	80%	81%	81%	80%	79%	81%	79%
By mail	20%	20%	19%	19%	20%	21%	19%	21%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(4,914)	(1,645)	(1,592)	(1,535)	(1,361)	(1,597)	(1,936)	(1,008)

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13. Polling Place

Do you know where to go to cast a vote?

Asked of those planning to vote in person

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	98%	98%	97%	94%	97%	99%	100%	99%	97%	93%	93%
No	2%	2%	3%	6%	3%	1%	0%	1%	3%	7%	7%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(3,926)	(1,924)	(2,001)	(572)	(934)	(1,571)	(848)	(3,158)	(289)	(275)	(204)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Yes	98%	97%	99%	98%	98%	98%	97%	99%
No	2%	3%	1%	2%	2%	2%	3%	1%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(3,926)	(1,308)	(1,288)	(1,235)	(1,079)	(1,263)	(1,574)	(795)

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14. Mail Ballot

Do you have your mail-in ballot yet?

Asked of those planning to vote by mail

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	84%	84%	84%	62%	86%	87%	95%	85%	83%	85%	81%
No	16%	16%	16%	38%	14%	13%	5%	15%	17%	15%	19%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(975)	(389)	(585)	(185)	(194)	(332)	(263)	(707)	(82)	(113)	(72)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Yes	84%	87%	86%	81%	87%	78%	88%	84%
No	16%	13%	14%	19%	13%	22%	12%	16%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(975)	(331)	(301)	(297)	(276)	(330)	(357)	(213)

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15. 2018 Vote and Trump

Would your 2018 Congressional vote be...

Asked of those voting in 2018 elections

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
In support of Donald Trump	34%	37%	31%	22%	28%	35%	45%	38%	4%	21%	27%
In opposition to Donald Trump	38%	35%	41%	50%	42%	35%	31%	34%	63%	54%	40%
Not about Donald Trump	28%	28%	28%	28%	30%	30%	24%	28%	33%	25%	33%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,274)	(2,960)	(3,315)	(969)	(1,362)	(2,396)	(1,548)	(4,975)	(437)	(518)	(344)

	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical	
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
In support of Donald Trump	34%	3%	33%	71%	4%	21%	67%	59%
In opposition to Donald Trump	38%	73%	32%	5%	76%	43%	5%	14%
Not about Donald Trump	28%	24%	35%	24%	20%	36%	27%	26%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%
Weighted N	(6,274)	(2,161)	(2,049)	(1,905)	(1,850)	(1,974)	(2,429)	(1,286)

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16. President Trump Job Approval

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

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Strongly approve	29%	34%	24%	15%	19%	32%	42%	33%	3%	18%	26%
Somewhat approve	18%	18%	18%	17%	21%	18%	15%	19%	9%	12%	19%
Somewhat disapprove	7%	6%	8%	11%	10%	7%	4%	7%	12%	8%	10%
Strongly disapprove	44%	40%	47%	54%	47%	41%	39%	40%	74%	59%	43%
Not sure	2%	1%	3%	3%	3%	2%	0%	1%	2%	3%	2%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,422)	(3,011)	(3,410)	(1,003)	(1,416)	(2,443)	(1,559)	(5,089)	(452)	(525)	(355)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Strongly approve	29%	2%	30%	61%	3%	14%	62%	53%
Somewhat approve	18%	5%	21%	28%	2%	20%	27%	23%
Somewhat disapprove	7%	8%	7%	5%	5%	13%	4%	6%
Strongly disapprove	44%	84%	40%	5%	90%	48%	6%	17%
Not sure	2%	1%	2%	1%	0%	4%	1%	1%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,422)	(2,195)	(2,096)	(1,925)	(1,860)	(2,086)	(2,452)	(1,306)

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17. Satisfied with things

Overall, how satisfied are you with the way things are going in the U.S. right now?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very satisfied	16%	18%	13%	10%	11%	18%	20%	18%	3%	11%	14%
Somewhat satisfied	29%	32%	27%	24%	30%	29%	32%	31%	12%	22%	28%
Somewhat dissatisfied	22%	20%	23%	28%	23%	21%	17%	21%	28%	23%	26%
Very dissatisfied	33%	30%	36%	38%	36%	32%	31%	30%	57%	44%	32%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,430)	(3,025)	(3,405)	(1,006)	(1,425)	(2,441)	(1,558)	(5,088)	(452)	(536)	(355)

	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical	
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Very satisfied	16%	2%	15%	34%	2%	8%	33%	29%
Somewhat satisfied	29%	9%	32%	49%	5%	28%	48%	41%
Somewhat dissatisfied	22%	26%	23%	13%	22%	30%	14%	18%
Very dissatisfied	33%	63%	30%	4%	70%	34%	5%	12%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,430)	(2,205)	(2,097)	(1,923)	(1,861)	(2,089)	(2,456)	(1,301)

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18. Expect Vote to Change Things

Do you expect your vote in the midterms can help change the way things are going, or not?

Asked if dissatisfied

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Probably yes	41%	43%	39%	37%	38%	44%	43%	40%	51%	44%	33%
Maybe	43%	40%	45%	47%	43%	40%	45%	44%	37%	42%	42%
Probably not	16%	16%	15%	15%	19%	16%	12%	16%	12%	14%	24%
Totals	100%	99%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(3,533)	(1,508)	(2,025)	(656)	(837)	(1,289)	(750)	(2,588)	(384)	(357)	(205)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Probably yes	41%	49%	34%	27%	50%	34%	28%	35%
Maybe	43%	42%	45%	44%	42%	45%	42%	44%
Probably not	16%	9%	21%	29%	8%	21%	30%	21%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(3,533)	(1,967)	(1,099)	(335)	(1,716)	(1,339)	(465)	(396)

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19. Personal Satisfaction

Overall, how satisfied are you with the way things are going for you, personally, and your family right now?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very satisfied	25%	29%	21%	20%	21%	25%	32%	27%	13%	15%	25%
Somewhat satisfied	47%	48%	46%	49%	50%	45%	45%	48%	43%	43%	49%
Somewhat dissatisfied	21%	17%	24%	23%	20%	22%	18%	19%	32%	29%	18%
Very dissatisfied	7%	6%	9%	8%	9%	8%	5%	6%	12%	13%	8%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,416)	(3,015)	(3,401)	(1,001)	(1,424)	(2,437)	(1,554)	(5,083)	(452)	(527)	(354)

	Party ID				Ideology			White Evangelical
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Very satisfied	25%	10%	25%	44%	9%	17%	44%	38%
Somewhat satisfied	47%	47%	48%	45%	48%	48%	45%	48%
Somewhat dissatisfied	21%	32%	19%	8%	31%	26%	8%	10%
Very dissatisfied	7%	11%	7%	2%	12%	9%	3%	4%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,416)	(2,205)	(2,097)	(1,921)	(1,861)	(2,084)	(2,454)	(1,304)

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20. Vote for Action or Prevention

If you had to choose, is your vote this year based more on:

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Things you want to happen in the next two years	49%	52%	47%	46%	48%	50%	50%	50%	40%	45%	50%
Things you're trying to stop from happening in the next two years	51%	48%	53%	54%	52%	50%	50%	50%	60%	55%	50%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,399)	(3,001)	(3,398)	(1,004)	(1,422)	(2,421)	(1,552)	(5,070)	(452)	(523)	(354)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Things you want to happen in the next two years	49%	31%	49%	69%	28%	47%	67%	61%
Things you're trying to stop from happening in the next two years	51%	69%	51%	31%	72%	53%	33%	39%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,399)	(2,196)	(2,087)	(1,922)	(1,856)	(2,077)	(2,448)	(1,298)

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21. Feel if Democrats Win

If Democrats win control of Congress this November, how would that make you feel?

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Angry	17%	21%	14%	9%	14%	18%	23%	19%	3%	12%	15%
Disappointed, but not angry	31%	33%	29%	29%	28%	32%	34%	34%	8%	23%	32%
Satisfied, but not happy	24%	24%	23%	28%	33%	22%	16%	22%	34%	27%	31%
Happy	28%	22%	33%	34%	25%	28%	27%	25%	55%	38%	21%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(6,391)	(3,014)	(3,377)	(986)	(1,422)	(2,428)	(1,555)	(5,063)	(452)	(527)	(349)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Angry	17%	2%	18%	35%	2%	9%	36%	29%
Disappointed, but not angry	31%	5%	35%	56%	4%	27%	55%	47%
Satisfied, but not happy	24%	30%	31%	6%	34%	36%	6%	13%
Happy	28%	63%	15%	2%	60%	28%	3%	11%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,391)	(2,200)	(2,086)	(1,922)	(1,856)	(2,060)	(2,458)	(1,302)

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22. Feel if Republicans Win

If Republicans keep control of Congress this November, how would that make you feel?

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Angry	27%	25%	30%	32%	29%	26%	25%	26%	36%	29%	30%
Disappointed, but not angry	23%	21%	24%	30%	26%	22%	17%	19%	52%	35%	27%
Satisfied, but not happy	18%	18%	17%	17%	21%	18%	14%	19%	7%	16%	19%
Happy	32%	35%	29%	21%	23%	33%	44%	36%	5%	19%	24%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(6,395)	(3,010)	(3,384)	(998)	(1,422)	(2,422)	(1,553)	(5,063)	(450)	(530)	(352)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Angry	27%	55%	24%	2%	63%	25%	2%	9%
Disappointed, but not angry	23%	39%	23%	4%	31%	36%	6%	12%
Satisfied, but not happy	18%	4%	24%	24%	4%	21%	25%	22%
Happy	32%	2%	29%	70%	2%	18%	66%	57%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(6,395)	(2,199)	(2,093)	(1,917)	(1,859)	(2,069)	(2,452)	(1,302)

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23. Republican Control

Do you feel you have a clear idea of what the Republicans would do if they kept control of Congress next year, or not?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	73%	77%	70%	61%	67%	76%	83%	76%	60%	65%	71%
No	27%	23%	30%	39%	33%	24%	17%	24%	40%	35%	29%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,418)	(3,016)	(3,402)	(1,001)	(1,427)	(2,436)	(1,555)	(5,085)	(452)	(529)	(352)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Yes	73%	69%	74%	81%	77%	62%	80%	79%
No	27%	31%	26%	19%	23%	38%	20%	21%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,418)	(2,205)	(2,094)	(1,923)	(1,861)	(2,086)	(2,453)	(1,302)

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24. Republican Priorities

Which of the following issues do you think Republicans would prioritize the most if they kept control of Congress?

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Jobs	10%	13%	8%	10%	11%	11%	9%	11%	8%	6%	12%
Taxes	24%	25%	23%	29%	27%	24%	18%	23%	27%	27%	28%
Health care	16%	14%	18%	13%	16%	16%	16%	15%	22%	15%	20%
Immigration	50%	48%	51%	48%	46%	49%	56%	51%	43%	52%	40%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,390)	(3,014)	(3,376)	(992)	(1,420)	(2,430)	(1,549)	(5,057)	(441)	(541)	(352)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Jobs	10%	4%	10%	18%	3%	9%	17%	16%
Taxes	24%	27%	24%	19%	29%	27%	18%	21%
Health care	16%	20%	14%	13%	20%	16%	12%	11%
Immigration	50%	48%	52%	50%	48%	48%	53%	52%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,390)	(2,187)	(2,081)	(1,925)	(1,853)	(2,063)	(2,452)	(1,301)

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25. Democratic Control

Do you feel you have a clear idea of what the Democrats would do if they took control of Congress next year, or not?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	69%	72%	66%	57%	63%	71%	79%	71%	68%	59%	63%
No	31%	28%	34%	43%	37%	29%	21%	29%	32%	41%	37%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,407)	(3,016)	(3,391)	(1,000)	(1,421)	(2,431)	(1,555)	(5,076)	(452)	(528)	(351)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Yes	69%	72%	67%	73%	73%	58%	75%	77%
No	31%	28%	33%	27%	27%	42%	25%	23%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,407)	(2,203)	(2,094)	(1,916)	(1,860)	(2,079)	(2,452)	(1,299)

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26. Democratic Priorities

Which of the following issues do you think Democrats would prioritize the most if they took control of Congress?

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Jobs	4%	3%	5%	8%	7%	3%	1%	3%	14%	4%	7%
Taxes	22%	25%	19%	15%	19%	23%	27%	23%	16%	16%	23%
Health care	50%	51%	50%	50%	48%	51%	53%	50%	56%	52%	49%
Immigration	24%	21%	26%	27%	26%	23%	19%	24%	13%	27%	21%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(6,282)	(2,937)	(3,345)	(975)	(1,405)	(2,373)	(1,529)	(4,970)	(450)	(520)	(341)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Jobs	4%	6%	3%	2%	5%	6%	2%	4%
Taxes	22%	10%	23%	32%	9%	20%	33%	28%
Health care	50%	70%	49%	31%	72%	53%	31%	36%
Immigration	24%	14%	25%	34%	14%	21%	34%	31%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(6,282)	(2,199)	(2,038)	(1,867)	(1,855)	(2,050)	(2,365)	(1,269)

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27. Priorities of Democrats in control of Congress

If the Democrats were in control of Congress, do you think their priority would be to:

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Try to work with the Trump Administration and pass compromise legislation	21%	17%	25%	23%	21%	22%	20%	20%	41%	21%	22%
Try to investigate the Trump Administration and impeach Donald Trump	79%	83%	75%	77%	79%	78%	80%	80%	59%	79%	78%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,396)	(3,016)	(3,380)	(1,000)	(1,414)	(2,430)	(1,552)	(5,055)	(448)	(541)	(352)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Try to work with the Trump Administration and pass compromise legislation	21%	33%	18%	9%	30%	28%	8%	13%
Try to investigate the Trump Administration and impeach Donald Trump	79%	67%	82%	91%	70%	72%	92%	87%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,396)	(2,189)	(2,089)	(1,918)	(1,854)	(2,075)	(2,446)	(1,305)

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28A. Important Issues in Vote — The Economy

For each of these issues, how important will each be in your vote for Congress this year?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very important	64%	63%	65%	53%	61%	68%	68%	64%	71%	63%	55%
Somewhat important	30%	30%	29%	35%	32%	27%	28%	30%	24%	32%	33%
Not very important	5%	5%	5%	11%	6%	3%	4%	5%	3%	3%	10%
Not important	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	2%	2%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,392)	(3,019)	(3,373)	(979)	(1,422)	(2,438)	(1,552)	(5,062)	(451)	(527)	(351)

	Party ID				Ideology			White Evangelical
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Very important	64%	56%	62%	77%	49%	64%	77%	72%
Somewhat important	30%	36%	31%	21%	40%	30%	21%	24%
Not very important	5%	7%	6%	2%	10%	5%	2%	4%
Not important	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,392)	(2,197)	(2,098)	(1,914)	(1,865)	(2,067)	(2,449)	(1,299)

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28B. Important Issues in Vote — Gun policy

For each of these issues, how important will each be in your vote for Congress this year?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very important	56%	52%	59%	52%	52%	57%	60%	54%	69%	60%	51%
Somewhat important	27%	26%	28%	32%	27%	26%	25%	28%	20%	24%	28%
Not very important	12%	15%	9%	13%	15%	11%	11%	12%	7%	13%	15%
Not important	5%	6%	4%	3%	6%	6%	4%	5%	4%	3%	6%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,387)	(3,016)	(3,371)	(984)	(1,419)	(2,433)	(1,552)	(5,058)	(450)	(527)	(351)

	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical	
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Very important	56%	64%	51%	52%	63%	51%	54%	60%
Somewhat important	27%	25%	28%	29%	24%	29%	28%	24%
Not very important	12%	8%	14%	14%	10%	14%	12%	11%
Not important	5%	2%	7%	5%	3%	6%	6%	5%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,387)	(2,194)	(2,098)	(1,912)	(1,860)	(2,068)	(2,447)	(1,296)

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28C. Important Issues in Vote — Supreme Court

For each of these issues, how important will each be in your vote for Congress this year?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very important	58%	60%	56%	48%	53%	57%	69%	58%	56%	58%	52%
Somewhat important	28%	23%	31%	31%	31%	27%	22%	28%	22%	29%	26%
Not very important	11%	13%	11%	15%	12%	13%	7%	11%	18%	10%	15%
Not important	3%	4%	2%	5%	4%	3%	2%	3%	4%	3%	7%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,390)	(3,017)	(3,373)	(979)	(1,423)	(2,435)	(1,553)	(5,061)	(450)	(527)	(351)

	Party ID				Ideology			White Evangelical
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Very important	58%	60%	53%	62%	64%	43%	65%	64%
Somewhat important	28%	27%	29%	26%	24%	34%	25%	25%
Not very important	11%	10%	14%	10%	9%	18%	8%	8%
Not important	3%	2%	4%	2%	3%	5%	2%	3%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,390)	(2,198)	(2,099)	(1,912)	(1,864)	(2,067)	(2,447)	(1,293)

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28D. Important Issues in Vote — Immigration

For each of these issues, how important will each be in your vote for Congress this year?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very important	62%	60%	64%	52%	54%	64%	73%	63%	55%	64%	58%
Somewhat important	26%	25%	27%	32%	31%	25%	20%	25%	32%	24%	31%
Not very important	8%	10%	7%	11%	11%	7%	5%	9%	9%	7%	4%
Not important	3%	5%	2%	5%	4%	4%	2%	3%	4%	5%	6%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(6,389)	(3,014)	(3,375)	(984)	(1,420)	(2,433)	(1,552)	(5,059)	(451)	(527)	(351)

	Party ID				Ideology			White Evangelical
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Very important	62%	55%	60%	74%	55%	51%	76%	71%
Somewhat important	26%	31%	26%	20%	30%	32%	19%	22%
Not very important	8%	10%	9%	5%	11%	11%	3%	5%
Not important	3%	3%	4%	1%	4%	5%	1%	2%
Totals	99%	99%	99%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(6,389)	(2,195)	(2,094)	(1,916)	(1,862)	(2,069)	(2,446)	(1,300)

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28E. Important Issues in Vote — Health care

For each of these issues, how important will each be in your vote for Congress this year?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very important	68%	61%	74%	61%	67%	71%	69%	66%	89%	73%	63%
Somewhat important	24%	27%	21%	28%	25%	22%	25%	26%	9%	19%	24%
Not very important	6%	9%	3%	9%	6%	5%	5%	6%	1%	5%	7%
Not important	2%	3%	1%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	3%	6%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,392)	(3,017)	(3,375)	(979)	(1,423)	(2,438)	(1,552)	(5,066)	(451)	(523)	(351)

	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical	
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Very important	68%	86%	60%	55%	85%	71%	52%	61%
Somewhat important	24%	12%	29%	34%	12%	22%	35%	31%
Not very important	6%	2%	8%	9%	2%	5%	10%	7%
Not important	2%	0%	3%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(6,392)	(2,197)	(2,096)	(1,916)	(1,863)	(2,066)	(2,451)	(1,300)

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28F. Important Issues in Vote — Taxes

For each of these issues, how important will each be in your vote for Congress this year?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very important	57%	55%	59%	40%	53%	61%	64%	56%	67%	58%	52%
Somewhat important	34%	34%	33%	45%	36%	31%	29%	35%	23%	29%	35%
Not very important	7%	9%	6%	12%	9%	6%	6%	7%	8%	9%	8%
Not important	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	4%	4%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(6,386)	(3,014)	(3,372)	(984)	(1,420)	(2,431)	(1,551)	(5,058)	(451)	(526)	(351)

	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical	
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Very important	57%	51%	55%	67%	45%	55%	68%	62%
Somewhat important	34%	36%	35%	30%	39%	35%	28%	34%
Not very important	7%	10%	8%	3%	13%	8%	4%	3%
Not important	2%	3%	2%	0%	3%	2%	0%	1%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,386)	(2,192)	(2,100)	(1,911)	(1,861)	(2,066)	(2,447)	(1,300)

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29. Racial Tensions in U.S.

In the past year, do you feel that racial tensions in America have:

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Increased	70%	66%	73%	77%	68%	67%	70%	67%	85%	79%	68%
Decreased	7%	9%	5%	8%	6%	8%	6%	7%	3%	8%	12%
Stayed the same	23%	25%	22%	14%	26%	25%	24%	26%	12%	13%	20%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,415)	(3,020)	(3,394)	(996)	(1,422)	(2,438)	(1,559)	(5,079)	(452)	(534)	(350)

	Party ID				Ideology			White Evangelical
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Increased	70%	90%	64%	53%	92%	71%	52%	57%
Decreased	7%	2%	8%	11%	2%	5%	12%	11%
Stayed the same	23%	8%	28%	36%	6%	24%	36%	32%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,415)	(2,205)	(2,097)	(1,925)	(1,865)	(2,085)	(2,459)	(1,303)

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30. Trump Handling of Racial Issues

Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump handles issues of race and race relations in the U.S.?

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Strongly approve	24%	28%	20%	13%	18%	26%	32%	27%	2%	15%	23%
Somewhat approve	20%	21%	20%	15%	21%	21%	22%	22%	8%	11%	19%
Somewhat disapprove	10%	9%	11%	16%	13%	9%	6%	10%	11%	8%	13%
Strongly disapprove	46%	42%	49%	56%	48%	44%	39%	41%	78%	66%	45%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,394)	(3,013)	(3,381)	(990)	(1,420)	(2,432)	(1,552)	(5,066)	(450)	(529)	(350)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Strongly approve	24%	2%	25%	49%	2%	12%	50%	43%
Somewhat approve	20%	4%	24%	35%	3%	20%	34%	29%
Somewhat disapprove	10%	8%	10%	11%	5%	15%	9%	10%
Strongly disapprove	46%	85%	41%	5%	90%	53%	7%	18%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,394)	(2,204)	(2,090)	(1,918)	(1,861)	(2,080)	(2,448)	(1,304)

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31. Racial Issues and Vote

How much of a factor are issues of race and race relations in your vote?

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Big factor	31%	25%	37%	38%	33%	29%	28%	26%	62%	54%	35%
Small factor	31%	31%	30%	38%	31%	28%	29%	32%	26%	20%	26%
Not a factor	38%	44%	33%	24%	36%	43%	42%	42%	11%	26%	38%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(6,395)	(3,016)	(3,379)	(990)	(1,422)	(2,426)	(1,557)	(5,073)	(446)	(527)	(350)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Big factor	31%	55%	25%	10%	58%	33%	9%	16%
Small factor	31%	32%	31%	29%	31%	34%	27%	31%
Not a factor	38%	13%	44%	61%	11%	33%	63%	53%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(6,395)	(2,199)	(2,094)	(1,917)	(1,863)	(2,073)	(2,452)	(1,305)

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32. Civility in American politics

When you think about the overall tone and civility in American politics over recent years, do you feel the level of civility is getting better, is getting worse, or staying about the same?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Better	5%	5%	4%	10%	8%	3%	1%	4%	4%	11%	5%
Worse	84%	86%	82%	76%	77%	86%	92%	85%	83%	77%	84%
Same	11%	9%	13%	13%	15%	11%	7%	11%	13%	12%	11%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,414)	(3,018)	(3,396)	(996)	(1,421)	(2,439)	(1,559)	(5,085)	(452)	(528)	(349)

	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical	
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Better	5%	4%	2%	7%	3%	5%	6%	6%
Worse	84%	88%	87%	79%	92%	80%	81%	81%
Same	11%	8%	10%	14%	5%	15%	13%	13%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,414)	(2,204)	(2,100)	(1,923)	(1,860)	(2,087)	(2,460)	(1,307)

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33. Political Violence

When you think about the overall level of political violence in American society, do you think that political violence is becoming more frequent, less frequent, or staying about the same?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
More frequent	83%	83%	82%	76%	74%	84%	92%	83%	83%	80%	76%
Less frequent	3%	3%	3%	6%	6%	2%	1%	3%	5%	7%	7%
Same	14%	14%	14%	18%	20%	13%	7%	14%	12%	13%	17%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,386)	(3,004)	(3,382)	(991)	(1,414)	(2,431)	(1,550)	(5,056)	(451)	(529)	(349)

	Party ID				Ideology			White Evangelical
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
More frequent	83%	87%	83%	79%	90%	79%	80%	82%
Less frequent	3%	3%	2%	4%	3%	3%	4%	3%
Same	14%	10%	15%	16%	7%	18%	16%	15%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,386)	(2,199)	(2,087)	(1,915)	(1,855)	(2,082)	(2,443)	(1,297)

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34. Trump Handling of Political Violence

Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump handles issues of political violence in the U.S.?

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Strongly approve	22%	26%	19%	12%	15%	25%	29%	25%	3%	13%	17%
Somewhat approve	23%	23%	22%	18%	25%	22%	25%	24%	9%	17%	26%
Somewhat disapprove	11%	9%	13%	16%	13%	11%	7%	11%	11%	11%	14%
Strongly disapprove	44%	42%	46%	54%	46%	42%	39%	40%	76%	58%	43%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(6,387)	(3,005)	(3,382)	(987)	(1,419)	(2,428)	(1,553)	(5,055)	(451)	(528)	(353)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Strongly approve	22%	2%	23%	45%	2%	11%	46%	41%
Somewhat approve	23%	6%	24%	39%	3%	22%	39%	32%
Somewhat disapprove	11%	10%	12%	11%	7%	17%	9%	11%
Strongly disapprove	44%	82%	41%	5%	88%	50%	6%	16%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,387)	(2,204)	(2,086)	(1,921)	(1,854)	(2,073)	(2,451)	(1,303)

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35. Immigrants

Generally, do you think immigrants coming to the United States make American society...

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Better in the long run	42%	43%	40%	51%	47%	37%	37%	40%	47%	51%	46%
Worse in the long run	34%	36%	33%	20%	26%	40%	43%	38%	13%	26%	23%
Don't have much of an effect one way or the other	24%	21%	27%	29%	27%	23%	20%	22%	40%	23%	31%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,356)	(2,989)	(3,367)	(999)	(1,412)	(2,407)	(1,538)	(5,035)	(445)	(527)	(349)

	Party ID				Ideology			White Evangelical
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Better in the long run	42%	64%	41%	18%	76%	38%	18%	25%
Worse in the long run	34%	11%	36%	59%	7%	28%	61%	52%
Don't have much of an effect one way or the other	24%	25%	23%	23%	17%	34%	21%	23%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,356)	(2,192)	(2,073)	(1,907)	(1,856)	(2,072)	(2,421)	(1,289)

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36. Troops to Stop Migrants

Do you approve or disapprove of sending additional U.S. troops to the U.S.-Mexico border to try to stop migrants from entering the U.S.?

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Approve	53%	57%	50%	38%	47%	58%	62%	58%	25%	38%	49%
Disapprove	47%	43%	50%	62%	53%	42%	38%	42%	75%	62%	51%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,396)	(3,010)	(3,386)	(996)	(1,416)	(2,429)	(1,556)	(5,063)	(452)	(532)	(350)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Approve	53%	16%	59%	91%	11%	46%	92%	79%
Disapprove	47%	84%	41%	9%	89%	54%	8%	21%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,396)	(2,200)	(2,091)	(1,925)	(1,859)	(2,076)	(2,455)	(1,303)

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37. Migrant Caravan Threat

Do you believe the migrants would ultimately pose a threat to the U.S., or not a threat to the U.S.?

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Threat	40%	44%	37%	25%	32%	44%	52%	45%	11%	24%	33%
Not a threat	44%	43%	44%	57%	49%	40%	36%	39%	67%	61%	48%
Not sure	16%	13%	19%	18%	19%	16%	12%	16%	21%	15%	18%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(6,389)	(3,002)	(3,388)	(990)	(1,407)	(2,436)	(1,557)	(5,062)	(447)	(529)	(352)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Threat	40%	8%	44%	74%	6%	29%	76%	65%
Not a threat	44%	77%	41%	8%	85%	48%	9%	20%
Not sure	16%	15%	15%	18%	9%	23%	15%	15%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,389)	(2,197)	(2,089)	(1,917)	(1,849)	(2,088)	(2,445)	(1,303)

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38. Republicans and Immigration

Right now, is the way Donald Trump and the Republicans are handling immigration:

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Too tough	47%	44%	50%	60%	53%	44%	38%	43%	75%	59%	51%
Not tough enough	26%	31%	22%	14%	20%	30%	34%	28%	12%	22%	25%
About right	26%	25%	28%	25%	27%	26%	28%	29%	12%	19%	24%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,354)	(2,996)	(3,357)	(986)	(1,407)	(2,412)	(1,549)	(5,039)	(441)	(527)	(347)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Too tough	47%	86%	43%	8%	90%	55%	8%	20%
Not tough enough	26%	7%	31%	42%	4%	21%	48%	39%
About right	26%	7%	26%	49%	6%	24%	44%	41%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,354)	(2,178)	(2,085)	(1,915)	(1,846)	(2,050)	(2,453)	(1,300)

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39. Democrats and Immigration

If the Democrats take control of Congress, will the way they handle immigration be:

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Too tough	5%	5%	4%	13%	6%	3%	1%	4%	6%	10%	9%
Not tough enough	54%	60%	49%	38%	49%	58%	62%	58%	24%	38%	50%
About right	41%	35%	47%	49%	45%	39%	37%	38%	70%	52%	41%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,355)	(2,996)	(3,358)	(983)	(1,412)	(2,415)	(1,545)	(5,036)	(443)	(527)	(348)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Too tough	5%	5%	5%	3%	8%	4%	2%	3%
Not tough enough	54%	14%	63%	91%	11%	48%	92%	80%
About right	41%	81%	32%	6%	81%	48%	6%	17%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,355)	(2,184)	(2,083)	(1,914)	(1,851)	(2,050)	(2,447)	(1,300)

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40. Trade policy

Are recent changes to trade policy made by President Trump impacting your own area...

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
For the better	15%	20%	12%	15%	15%	15%	16%	16%	8%	12%	17%
For the worse	26%	25%	27%	24%	29%	27%	23%	25%	37%	31%	21%
Not much impact so far	42%	45%	39%	39%	36%	45%	45%	43%	34%	38%	43%
Haven't heard about any changes	17%	10%	22%	22%	20%	13%	16%	16%	21%	19%	18%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(6,388)	(3,010)	(3,379)	(986)	(1,418)	(2,429)	(1,556)	(5,059)	(451)	(530)	(348)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
For the better	15%	4%	17%	27%	3%	10%	29%	26%
For the worse	26%	46%	25%	5%	50%	29%	5%	12%
Not much impact so far	42%	34%	44%	50%	32%	42%	50%	43%
Haven't heard about any changes	17%	16%	13%	18%	15%	19%	16%	18%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(6,388)	(2,200)	(2,085)	(1,918)	(1,849)	(2,080)	(2,448)	(1,304)

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41. Health care law changes

How have the recent changes to health care laws made by the Republican Congress impacted your own health care coverage and costs?

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Helped	11%	13%	9%	14%	12%	11%	8%	11%	7%	11%	15%
Hurt	24%	22%	25%	28%	26%	26%	15%	21%	36%	34%	25%
Not much impact so far	52%	54%	50%	43%	47%	52%	63%	55%	41%	39%	48%
Haven't heard about any changes	13%	10%	16%	15%	15%	11%	13%	13%	16%	15%	12%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(6,396)	(3,013)	(3,384)	(984)	(1,418)	(2,442)	(1,552)	(5,066)	(450)	(542)	(338)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Helped	11%	3%	13%	19%	2%	9%	20%	20%
Hurt	24%	40%	23%	6%	42%	29%	5%	11%
Not much impact so far	52%	47%	52%	60%	47%	47%	60%	55%
Haven't heard about any changes	13%	10%	12%	15%	9%	15%	14%	14%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(6,396)	(2,194)	(2,087)	(1,924)	(1,859)	(2,081)	(2,443)	(1,304)

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42. Vote frequency

How often do you vote?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Always	77%	83%	72%	61%	63%	82%	93%	80%	65%	62%	68%
Sometimes	18%	13%	22%	29%	28%	15%	6%	16%	26%	29%	23%
Rarely	4%	3%	4%	8%	7%	2%	0%	3%	4%	7%	8%
Never	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%	1%	0%	1%	4%	2%	1%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,404)	(3,005)	(3,399)	(989)	(1,420)	(2,437)	(1,558)	(5,085)	(447)	(529)	(341)

	Party ID			Ideology			White Evangelical	
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Yes
Always	77%	77%	77%	83%	80%	67%	84%	82%
Sometimes	18%	18%	19%	15%	17%	24%	13%	15%
Rarely	4%	3%	3%	2%	2%	7%	2%	3%
Never	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	2%	1%	0%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(6,404)	(2,194)	(2,102)	(1,922)	(1,858)	(2,085)	(2,452)	(1,307)

HOW THE POLL WAS CONDUCTED AND THE MARGIN OF ERROR CALCULATED

November 4, 2018

The CBS News 2018 Battleground Tracker is a panel study based on interviews conducted of registered voters in 66 competitive and likely competitive congressional districts in the United States. The poll was conducted by YouGov, an online polling company.

This poll was fielded between October 30-November 3, 2018 with 6,466 respondents. The respondents were selected from YouGov's online panels to be representative of registered voters in these districts in terms of age, race, gender, and education. The sample was weighted according to gender, age, race, and education, based on the American Community Survey, conducted by the U.S. Bureau of the Census, as well as 2016 Presidential vote, and post-stratified on district type. The weights were trimmed to have a maximum value of 8, and range from 0.2 to 8.0, with a mean of 1 and a standard deviation of 0.8.

The set of competitive and likely competitive districts in this wave are: AR02, AZ02, CA10, CA21, CA25, CA39, CA45, CA48, CA49, CO06, FL15, FL26, FL27, GA06, IA01, IA03, IL06, IL12, IL13, IL14, KS02, KS03, KY06, ME02, MI06, MI08, MI11, MN01, MN02, MN03, MN08, NC09, NC13, NE02, NH01, NJ02, NJ03, NJ07, NJ11, NM02, NV03, NV04, NY11, NY19, NY22, NY24, OH01, OH12, PA01, PA05, PA06, PA07, PA08, PA10, PA17, TX07, TX23, TX32, UT04, VA02, VA07, VA10, WA03, WA05, WA08, WV03.

The *margin of error* (a 95% confidence interval) for a sample percentage p based upon the entire sample is approximately 1.6%. It is calculated using the formula

$$\hat{p} \pm 100 \times \sqrt{\frac{1 + CV^2}{n}}$$

where CV is the coefficient of variation of the sample weights and n is the sample size used to compute the proportion. This is a measure of sampling error (the average of all estimates obtained using the same sample selection and weighting procedures repeatedly). The sample estimate should differ from its expected value by less than margin of error in 95 percent of all samples. It does not reflect non-sampling errors, including potential selection bias in panel participation or in response to a particular survey.

HOUSE MODEL METHODOLOGY

November 4, 2018

The CBS News – YouGov House Model is based on interviews with 70,995 registered voters from October 15–November 2, 2018, including respondents from the CBS News Battleground Tracker as well as other YouGov surveys. While this is a large sample, we nonetheless use the model to produce more reliable estimates for the districts than would be achievable based on the amount of sample in each of them alone, and the model accounts for the uncertainty around each of those estimates. The House estimate's margin of error corresponds to a 95% confidence interval.

We use a technique called Multilevel Regression and Post-stratification (or MRP for short) to produce estimates for all 435 Congressional districts. The idea behind MRP is to use the polling data from the preceding twenty days to estimate a model relating interview date, district, voter demographics, past voting behavior, and other respondent profile variables to their current voting intentions. This model is then used to estimate the probability that a voter with specified characteristics prefers the Democratic or Republican House candidate. Using data from the American Community Survey, the Current Population Survey, both produced by the US Census, and past election results, we estimated the number of each type of voter in each district. We also estimated a turnout model using data on past midterm elections. The product of estimated party preference rates, turnout rates, and census counts provides an estimate of the number of voters in each district intending to vote for a party on each day.

The models were simulated repeatedly to obtain a range of estimates and corresponding confidence intervals for each of the 435 seats and the total number of seats won by each party.