# The Economist/YouGov Poll 

## Weekly Tracking

For immediate release

## 1. Presidential Job Approval - Historical

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

|  | All Adults |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total Approve | Total Disapprove | Strongly Approve | Somewhat Approve | Somewhat Disapprove | Strongly Disapprove | Not Sure |
| July 27, 2019 | 41\% | 52\% | 24\% | 17\% | 11\% | 41\% | 7\% |
| July 20, 2019 | 41\% | 50\% | 24\% | 17\% | 10\% | 41\% | 9\% |
| July 13, 2019 | 44\% | 48\% | 26\% | 18\% | 8\% | 40\% | 8\% |
| July 6, 2019 | 40\% | 51\% | 25\% | 15\% | 11\% | 40\% | 9\% |
| June 29, 2019 | 41\% | 50\% | 23\% | 18\% | 10\% | 39\% | 9\% |
| June 22, 2019 | 42\% | 48\% | 25\% | 17\% | 11\% | 37\% | 10\% |
| June 15, 2019 | 43\% | 49\% | 26\% | 17\% | 10\% | 39\% | 9\% |
| June 8, 2019 | 42\% | 49\% | 25\% | 17\% | 10\% | 39\% | 8\% |
| June 1, 2019 | 41\% | 50\% | 24\% | 18\% | 13\% | 37\% | 9\% |
| July 28, 2018 | 39\% | 51\% | 22\% | 17\% | 10\% | 41\% | 10\% |
|  | Registered Voters |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Total Approve | Total Disapprove | Strongly Approve | Somewhat Approve | Somewhat <br> Disapprove | Strongly <br> Disapprove | Not Sure |
| July 27, 2019 | 43\% | 55\% | 27\% | 16\% | 9\% | 46\% | 2\% |
| July 20, 2019 | 45\% | 52\% | 29\% | 16\% | 7\% | 45\% | 3\% |
| July 13, 2019 | 46\% | 51\% | 30\% | 16\% | 7\% | 44\% | 3\% |
| July 6, 2019 | 43\% | 53\% | 30\% | 13\% | 7\% | 46\% | 4\% |
| June 29, 2019 | 44\% | 52\% | 27\% | 17\% | 9\% | 44\% | 3\% |
| June 22, 2019 | 45\% | 51\% | 29\% | 15\% | 9\% | 42\% | 4\% |
| June 15, 2019 | 45\% | 52\% | 31\% | 14\% | 8\% | 43\% | 4\% |
| June 8, 2019 | 45\% | 52\% | 30\% | 15\% | 8\% | 44\% | 2\% |
| June 1, 2019 | 45\% | 52\% | 29\% | 16\% | 11\% | 42\% | 3\% |
| July 28, 2018 | 43\% | 53\% | 27\% | 16\% | 9\% | 44\% | 4\% |

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


Figure 1: Trump Approval - All Adults

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


Figure 2: Trump Approval - Registered Voters

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## Presidential Job Approval

"Do you approve or disapprove of the way
[President Name] is handling his job as President?"


Figure 3: Presidential Approval since 2009 - All Adults

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## Presidential Job Approval

"Do you approve or disapprove of the way
[President Name] is handling his job as President?"


Figure 4: Presidential Approval since 2009 - Registered Voters
2. President Trump Job Approval - This Week - All Adults

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


|  | Total | Party ID |  |  | Ideology |  |  | Gender |  | Family Income |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Dem | Ind | Rep | Lib | Mod | Con | Male | Female | Under \$50K | \$50-100K | \$100K or more |
| Strongly approve | 24\% | 4\% | 17\% | 61\% | 7\% | 12\% | 54\% | 26\% | 22\% | 22\% | 24\% | 27\% |
| Somewhat approve | 17\% | 7\% | 20\% | 27\% | 4\% | 19\% | 27\% | 20\% | 15\% | 17\% | 17\% | 20\% |
| Somewhat disapprove | 11\% | 10\% | 14\% | 6\% | 7\% | 16\% | 8\% | 10\% | 12\% | 15\% | 6\% | 8\% |
| Strongly disapprove | 41\% | 78\% | 33\% | 4\% | 81\% | 38\% | 9\% | 38\% | 44\% | 37\% | 47\% | 43\% |
| Not sure | 7\% | 1\% | 16\% | 2\% | 1\% | 15\% | 2\% | 6\% | 8\% | 9\% | 5\% | 3\% |
| Totals | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% |
| (Unweighted N) | (1500) | (557) | (605) | (338) | (483) | (590) | (427) | (720) | (780) | (692) | (394) | (294) |

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## 3. Approval of U.S. Congress - Historical

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

|  | Total Approve | Total Disapprove | Strongly <br> Approve | Somewhat Approve | Neutral | Somewhat Disapprove | Strongly Disapprove | Not Sure |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| July 27, 2019 | 16\% | 56\% | 5\% | 11\% | 14\% | 24\% | 32\% | 14\% |
| July 20, 2019 | 14\% | 56\% | 4\% | 10\% | 14\% | 21\% | 35\% | 16\% |
| July 13, 2019 | 16\% | 56\% | 6\% | 10\% | 14\% | 23\% | 32\% | 14\% |
| July 6, 2019 | 15\% | 57\% | 5\% | 10\% | 13\% | 23\% | 35\% | 16\% |
| June 29, 2019 | 15\% | 55\% | 6\% | 9\% | 14\% | 22\% | 33\% | 16\% |
| June 22, 2019 | 15\% | 57\% | 5\% | 10\% | 14\% | 23\% | 34\% | 13\% |
| June 15, 2019 | 15\% | 57\% | 6\% | 9\% | 14\% | 21\% | 35\% | 15\% |
| June 8, 2019 | 12\% | 61\% | 5\% | 7\% | 14\% | 23\% | 38\% | 13\% |
| June 1, 2019 | 14\% | 58\% | 5\% | 9\% | 13\% | 22\% | 36\% | 16\% |
| July 28, 2018 | 11\% | 61\% | 3\% | 8\% | 13\% | 21\% | 39\% | 15\% |

Registered Voters

|  | Total <br> Approve | Total <br> Disapprove | Strongly <br> Approve | Somewhat <br> Approve | Somewhat <br> Neutral | Strongly <br> Disapprove | Not <br> Disapprove | Sure |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| July 27, 2019 | $16 \%$ | $65 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $11 \%$ | $12 \%$ | $27 \%$ | $38 \%$ | $7 \%$ |
| July 20, 2019 | $15 \%$ | $64 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $10 \%$ | $13 \%$ | $23 \%$ | $41 \%$ | $8 \%$ |
| July 13, 2019 | $16 \%$ | $64 \%$ | $6 \%$ | $9 \%$ | $12 \%$ | $26 \%$ | $39 \%$ | $8 \%$ |
| July 6, 2019 | $15 \%$ | $65 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $10 \%$ | $11 \%$ | $24 \%$ | $41 \%$ | $9 \%$ |
| June 29, 2019 | $15 \%$ | $65 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $10 \%$ | $12 \%$ | $25 \%$ | $40 \%$ | $8 \%$ |
| June 22, 2019 | $16 \%$ | $64 \%$ | $6 \%$ | $9 \%$ | $12 \%$ | $26 \%$ | $38 \%$ | $8 \%$ |
| June 15, 2019 | $14 \%$ | $64 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $9 \%$ | $13 \%$ | $24 \%$ | $40 \%$ | $9 \%$ |
| June 8, 2019 | $13 \%$ | $69 \%$ | $6 \%$ | $8 \%$ | $11 \%$ | $25 \%$ | $44 \%$ | $6 \%$ |
| June 1,2019 | $15 \%$ | $65 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $9 \%$ | $13 \%$ | $23 \%$ | $42 \%$ | $8 \%$ |
| July 28, 2018 | $11 \%$ | $71 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $9 \%$ | $12 \%$ | $23 \%$ | $47 \%$ | $6 \%$ |

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## Congressional Job Approval

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


Figure 5: Congressional Approval - All Adults

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## Congressional Job Approval

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


Figure 6: Congressional Approval - Registered Voters

## 4. Approval of U.S. Congress - This Week - All Adults

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

|  | Total | Age |  |  |  | Race |  |  |  | Census Region |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Under 30 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | White | Black | Hispanic | Other | Northeast | Midwest | South | West |
| Strongly approve | 5\% | 9\% | 7\% | 3\% | 1\% | 4\% | 9\% | 4\% | 5\% | 8\% | 2\% | 5\% | 5\% |
| Somewhat approve | 11\% | 13\% | 12\% | 10\% | 10\% | 11\% | 11\% | 14\% | 9\% | 11\% | 10\% | 10\% | 13\% |
| Neither approve nor disapprove | 14\% | 17\% | 15\% | 13\% | 10\% | 12\% | 22\% | 19\% | 12\% | 12\% | 12\% | 16\% | 15\% |
| Somewhat disapprove | 24\% | 25\% | 21\% | 27\% | 24\% | 26\% | 19\% | 23\% | 21\% | 22\% | 27\% | 24\% | 24\% |
| Strongly disapprove | 32\% | 18\% | 25\% | 37\% | 46\% | 34\% | 25\% | 26\% | 36\% | 29\% | 37\% | 31\% | 31\% |
| Not sure | 14\% | 18\% | 21\% | 9\% | 9\% | 14\% | 14\% | 14\% | 17\% | 17\% | 12\% | 14\% | 12\% |
| Totals | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% |
| (Unweighted N) | (1493) | (320) | (346) | (532) | (295) | (1051) | (189) | (175) | (78) | (284) | (335) | (554) | (320) |


|  | Total | Party ID |  |  | Ideology |  |  | Gender |  | Family Income |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Dem | Ind | Rep | Lib | Mod | Con | Male | Female | Under \$50K | \$50-100K | \$100K or more |
| Strongly approve | 5\% | 4\% | 2\% | 10\% | 6\% | 4\% | 5\% | 6\% | 4\% | 4\% | 5\% | 7\% |
| Somewhat approve | 11\% | 15\% | 7\% | 11\% | 14\% | 10\% | 10\% | 11\% | 11\% | 11\% | 13\% | 9\% |
| Neither approve nor disapprove | 14\% | 19\% | 12\% | 9\% | 13\% | 17\% | 10\% | 13\% | 14\% | 18\% | 12\% | 10\% |
| Somewhat disapprove | 24\% | 29\% | 19\% | 27\% | 30\% | 19\% | 26\% | 24\% | 25\% | 23\% | 26\% | 28\% |
| Strongly disapprove | 32\% | 25\% | 36\% | 33\% | 31\% | 25\% | 41\% | 36\% | 28\% | 27\% | 35\% | 39\% |
| Not sure | 14\% | 7\% | 23\% | 9\% | 6\% | 25\% | 7\% | 10\% | 18\% | 17\% | 9\% | 6\% |
| Totals | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% |
| (Unweighted N) | (1493) | (554) | (601) | (338) | (481) | (585) | (427) | (718) | (775) | (688) | (392) | (294) |

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5. Direction of Country - Historical

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

|  | All Adults |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Right <br> Direction | Wrong <br> Track | Not <br> Sure |
| July 27, 2019 | $36 \%$ | $54 \%$ | $10 \%$ |
| July 20, 2019 | $35 \%$ | $53 \%$ | $12 \%$ |
| July 13, 2019 | $36 \%$ | $52 \%$ | $12 \%$ |
| July 6, 2019 | $36 \%$ | $52 \%$ | $12 \%$ |
| June 29, 2019 | $35 \%$ | $54 \%$ | $11 \%$ |
| June 22, 2019 | $37 \%$ | $51 \%$ | $12 \%$ |
| June 15, 2019 | $37 \%$ | $51 \%$ | $13 \%$ |
| June 8, 2019 | $37 \%$ | $50 \%$ | $13 \%$ |
| June 1, 2019 | $35 \%$ | $52 \%$ | $12 \%$ |
| July 28, 2018 | $36 \%$ | $51 \%$ | $13 \%$ |


|  | Registered Voters |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Right <br> Direction | Wrong <br> Track | Not <br> Sure |
| July 27, 2019 | $37 \%$ | $56 \%$ | $7 \%$ |
| July 20, 2019 | $38 \%$ | $54 \%$ | $7 \%$ |
| July 13, 2019 | $37 \%$ | $54 \%$ | $9 \%$ |
| July 6, 2019 | $38 \%$ | $54 \%$ | $8 \%$ |
| June 29, 2019 | $38 \%$ | $55 \%$ | $6 \%$ |
| June 22, 2019 | $38 \%$ | $54 \%$ | $8 \%$ |
| June 15, 2019 | $37 \%$ | $55 \%$ | $8 \%$ |
| June 8, 2019 | $39 \%$ | $52 \%$ | $8 \%$ |
| June 1, 2019 | $37 \%$ | $55 \%$ | $8 \%$ |
| July 28, 2018 | $40 \%$ | $52 \%$ | $7 \%$ |

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## Direction of Country

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


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Direction of Country
"Would you say things in this country today are..."


Figure 8: Direction of Country - Registered Voters

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6. Direction of Country - This Week - All Adults

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

|  | Total | Age |  |  |  | Race |  |  |  | Census Region |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Under 30 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | White | Black | Hispanic | Other | Northeast | Midwest | South | West |
| Generally headed in the right direction Off on the | 36\% | 29\% | 34\% | 38\% | 42\% | 40\% | 17\% | 32\% | 34\% | 36\% | 37\% | 37\% | 35\% |
| wrong track | 54\% | 56\% | 52\% | 55\% | 51\% | 50\% | 74\% | 58\% | 49\% | 53\% | 54\% | 52\% | 57\% |
| Not sure | 10\% | 14\% | 13\% | 8\% | 7\% | 10\% | 9\% | 9\% | 17\% | 11\% | 9\% | 11\% | 8\% |
| Totals | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% |
| (Unweighted N) | (1500) | (323) | (349) | (533) | (295) | (1056) | (190) | (175) | (79) | (286) | (338) | (555) | (321) |


|  | Total | Party ID |  |  | Ideology |  |  | Gender |  | Family Income |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Dem | Ind | Rep | Lib | Mod | Con | Male | Female | Under \$50K | \$50-100K | \$100K or more |
| Generally headed in the right direction Off on the | 36\% | 11\% | 33\% | 74\% | 10\% | 30\% | 68\% | 41\% | 31\% | 33\% | 39\% | 41\% |
| wrong track | 54\% | 84\% | 50\% | 20\% | 85\% | 54\% | 24\% | 49\% | 58\% | 53\% | 55\% | 52\% |
| Not sure | 10\% | 5\% | 17\% | 6\% | 5\% | 16\% | 8\% | 9\% | 11\% | 13\% | 6\% | 7\% |
| Totals | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% |
| (Unweighted N ) | (1500) | (557) | (605) | (338) | (483) | (590) | (427) | (720) | (780) | (692) | (394) | (294) |

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| Sponsorship: | The Economist |
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| Target population: | U.S. citizens, aged 18 and over. |
| Interviewing Dates: | July $27-30,2019$ | Respondents were selected from YouGov's opt-in Internet panel using sample matching.

