

# The Economist/YouGov Poll



Sample 2000 General Population Respondents  
Conducted January 15 - 19, 2016  
Margin of Error  $\pm 2.9\%$

1. 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	48%
Some of the time	30%
Only now and then	12%
Hardly at all	8%
Don't know	1%

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

Generally headed in the right direction	25%
Off on the wrong track	65%
Not sure	10%

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

	Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Don't know
Hillary Clinton	19%	19%	12%	44%	6%
Martin O'Malley	3%	16%	18%	17%	46%
Bernie Sanders	19%	24%	15%	24%	19%

**4. How would you feel if [respondent's first choice] was the 2016 Democratic presidential election nominee?**

*Asked of registered voters*

Enthusiastic .....	44%
Satisfied but not enthusiastic .....	38%
Dissatisfied but not upset .....	10%
Upset .....	3%
Not sure .....	5%

**5. How do you feel about the field of Democratic candidates running for president in 2016?**

*Asked of registered voters*

Would like to see someone else run for the Democratic nomination .....	52%
Satisfied with the choices .....	36%
Don't know .....	12%

**6. Which candidate do you think will win the Democratic Iowa caucus?**

Hillary Clinton .....	42%
Martin O'Malley .....	2%
Bernie Sanders .....	28%
Not sure .....	29%

**7. Which candidate do you think will win the Democratic New Hampshire primary?**

Hillary Clinton .....	33%
Martin O'Malley .....	3%
Bernie Sanders .....	34%
Not sure .....	31%

8. Who do you think is the most likely candidate to become the Democratic nominee for president in 2016?

Hillary Clinton .....	55%
Martin O'Malley .....	2%
Bernie Sanders .....	20%
Not sure .....	23%

9. Regardless of who the Republicans select as their nominee, do you think the Democratic presidential candidates listed below could possibly win or could never win the general election in November if he or she was to become the Democratic nominee?

	Could possibly win	Could never win	Not sure
Hillary Clinton	70%	16%	13%
Martin O'Malley	15%	51%	34%
Bernie Sanders	51%	25%	24%

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

	Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Don't know
Jeb Bush	7%	25%	26%	28%	13%
Ben Carson	13%	23%	17%	28%	19%
Chris Christie	7%	24%	21%	29%	20%
Ted Cruz	16%	21%	14%	30%	19%
Carly Fiorina	9%	21%	18%	26%	26%
Jim Gilmore	2%	9%	14%	17%	58%
Mike Huckabee	8%	22%	18%	28%	24%
John Kasich	4%	21%	19%	18%	38%
Rand Paul	7%	22%	22%	24%	25%
Marco Rubio	13%	22%	19%	25%	21%
Rick Santorum	5%	17%	20%	29%	29%
Donald Trump	24%	16%	8%	46%	5%

**11. How would you feel if [respondent's first choice] was the 2016 Republican presidential election nominee?**

*Asked of registered voters*

Enthusiastic .....	57%
Satisfied but not enthusiastic .....	33%
Dissatisfied but not upset .....	5%
Upset .....	1%
Not sure .....	3%

**12. How do you feel about the field of Republican candidates running for president in 2016?**

*Asked of registered voters*

Would like to see someone else run for the Republican nomination .....	36%
Satisfied with the choices .....	51%
Don't know .....	13%

**13. Are you confident or uneasy about the following presidential candidates' ability to deal wisely with immigration?**

	Confident	Uneasy	Not sure
Jeb Bush	26%	49%	25%
Ben Carson	23%	48%	29%
Chris Christie	22%	46%	32%
Ted Cruz	31%	42%	27%
Marco Rubio	24%	43%	32%
Donald Trump	36%	53%	11%

**14. Do you think the following presidential candidates are honest and trustworthy, or not?**

	Honest and trustworthy	Not honest and trustworthy	Not sure
Jeb Bush	31%	40%	29%
Ben Carson	37%	34%	29%
Chris Christie	22%	44%	34%
Ted Cruz	30%	38%	32%
Marco Rubio	27%	38%	35%
Donald Trump	34%	50%	15%

15. Do you think the following presidential candidates are ready to be Commander-in-Chief?

	Ready	Not ready	Not sure
Jeb Bush	31%	47%	22%
Ben Carson	18%	59%	24%
Chris Christie	24%	50%	26%
Ted Cruz	31%	43%	26%
Marco Rubio	24%	46%	30%
Donald Trump	34%	53%	13%

16. Which candidate do you think will win the Republican Iowa caucus?

Jeb Bush	4%
Ben Carson	3%
Chris Christie	1%
Ted Cruz	19%
Carly Fiorina	1%
Jim Gilmore	0%
Mike Huckabee	1%
John Kasich	1%
Rand Paul	1%
Marco Rubio	3%
Rick Santorum	0%
Donald Trump	35%
Not sure	31%

17. Which candidate do you think will win the Republican New Hampshire primary?

Jeb Bush	4%
Ben Carson	3%
Chris Christie	3%
Ted Cruz	8%
Carly Fiorina	1%
Jim Gilmore	0%
Mike Huckabee	1%
John Kasich	1%
Rand Paul	2%
Marco Rubio	4%
Rick Santorum	0%
Donald Trump	39%
Not sure	35%

18. Who do you think is the most likely candidate to become the Republican nominee for president in 2016?

Jeb Bush	6%
Ben Carson	3%
Chris Christie	1%
Ted Cruz	12%
Carly Fiorina	1%
Jim Gilmore	1%
Mike Huckabee	1%
John Kasich	1%
Rand Paul	1%
Marco Rubio	6%
Rick Santorum	0%
Donald Trump	40%
Not sure	28%

19. Regardless of who the Democrats select as their nominee, do you think the Republican presidential candidates listed below could possibly win or could never win the general election in November if he or she was to become the Republican nominee?

	Could possibly win	Could never win	Not sure
Jeb Bush	37%	42%	21%
Ben Carson	26%	50%	24%
Chris Christie	28%	45%	26%
Ted Cruz	44%	32%	24%
Carly Fiorina	18%	54%	28%
Jim Gilmore	7%	57%	36%
Mike Huckabee	17%	56%	27%
John Kasich	16%	50%	34%
Rand Paul	20%	52%	29%
Marco Rubio	40%	32%	28%
Rick Santorum	12%	58%	30%
Donald Trump	54%	30%	15%

20. Do you think each one of the Republican candidates listed below is more of an establishment candidate or an outsider candidate?

*Asked of Republicans or Independents who lean Republican*

	More of an establishment candidate	More of an outsider candidate	Not sure
Jeb Bush	78%	12%	10%
Ben Carson	17%	72%	12%
Chris Christie	65%	19%	16%
Ted Cruz	49%	37%	14%
Marco Rubio	65%	21%	13%
Donald Trump	21%	71%	8%

21. As you may know, two Republican presidential primary debates took place on Thursday and aired on Fox Business. The earlier debate featured Carly Fiorina, Mike Huckabee and Rick Santorum. Did you watch this debate?

I watched the entire debate .....	7%
I watched part of it .....	8%
I watched clips or highlights of the debate .....	16%
I read or watched news stories analyzing the debate .....	20%
I haven't heard anything about it .....	49%

22. Which candidate do you think did the best job – or won – the debate?

*Asked of those who watched at least clips of the early debate*

Carly Fiorina .....	21%
Mike Huckabee .....	11%
Rick Santorum .....	7%
None of them .....	36%
Not sure .....	26%

23. Did the debate IMPROVE your opinion of any of these candidates? Select all that apply.

*Asked of those who watched at least clips of the early debate*

Carly Fiorina .....	20%
Mike Huckabee .....	13%
Rick Santorum .....	10%
None of them .....	50%
Not sure .....	16%

24. Did the debate WORSEN your opinion of any of these candidates? Select all that apply.

*Asked of those who watched at least clips of the early debate*

Carly Fiorina .....	17%
Mike Huckabee .....	13%
Rick Santorum .....	14%
None of them .....	49%
Not sure .....	22%



25. The prime time debate featured Jeb Bush, Ben Carson, Chris Christie, Ted Cruz, John Kasich, Marco Rubio and Donald Trump. Did you watch this debate?

I watched the entire debate .....	13%
I watched part of it .....	13%
I watched clips or highlights of the debate .....	17%
I read or watched news stories analyzing the debate .....	23%
I haven't heard anything about it .....	34%

26. Which candidate do you think did the best job – or won – the debate?

*Asked of those who watched at least clips of the prime time debate*

Jeb Bush .....	5%
Ben Carson .....	4%
Chris Christie .....	2%
Ted Cruz .....	18%
John Kasich .....	2%
Marco Rubio .....	10%
Donald Trump .....	32%
None of them .....	16%
Not sure .....	12%

27. Did the debate IMPROVE your opinion of any of these candidates? Select all that apply.

*Asked of those who watched at least clips of the prime time debate*

Jeb Bush .....	9%
Ben Carson .....	8%
Chris Christie .....	16%
Ted Cruz .....	22%
John Kasich .....	7%
Marco Rubio .....	17%
Donald Trump .....	30%
None of them .....	30%
Not sure .....	6%

**28. Are you looking forward to future Republican primary debates?**

Yes ..... 42%  
 No ..... 58%

**29. Do you approve or disapprove of the job Fox Business did in moderating the debate?**

*Asked of those who watched at least clips of the prime time debate*

Strongly approve ..... 25%  
 Somewhat approve ..... 35%  
 Somewhat disapprove ..... 13%  
 Strongly disapprove ..... 8%  
 Not sure ..... 19%

**30. If an election for president was going to be held now, would you vote for...**

*Asked of registered voters*

The Democratic Party candidate ..... 39%  
 The Republican Party candidate ..... 46%  
 Other ..... 2%  
 Not sure ..... 12%  
 I would not vote ..... 2%

**31. How liberal or conservative are you? What about your mother and father?**

*Respondent placed item on scale from 0 - "Very Liberal" to 100 - "Very Conservative".*

You ..... 51  
 Your mother ..... 52  
 Your father ..... 57

**32. Disclosure reporting the percentage of respondents who selected 'not sure' about the comparative ideology of the listed person.**

	Rated person	Not sure
You	92%	8%
Your mother	82%	18%
Your father	78%	22%

**33. How liberal or conservative are the Democrats listed below?**

*Respondent placed item on scale from 0 - "Very Liberal" to 100 - "Very Conservative".*

Barack Obama .....	22
Joe Biden .....	27
Hillary Clinton .....	27
Bernie Sanders .....	22
Martin O'Malley .....	32

**34. Disclosure reporting the percentage of respondents who selected 'not sure' about the comparative ideology of the listed person.**

	Rated person	Not sure
Barack Obama	88%	12%
Joe Biden	83%	17%
Hillary Clinton	88%	12%
Bernie Sanders	83%	17%
Martin O'Malley	59%	41%

**35. How liberal or conservative are the Republicans listed below?**

*Respondent placed item on scale from 0 - "Very Liberal" to 100 - "Very Conservative".*

Jeb Bush .....	60
Ben Carson .....	66
Chris Christie .....	57
Ted Cruz .....	74
Carly Fiorina .....	66
Mike Huckabee .....	73
John Kasich .....	56
George Pataki .....	52
Rand Paul .....	63
Marco Rubio .....	64
Rick Santorum .....	70
Donald Trump .....	64

36. Disclosure reporting the percentage of respondents who selected 'not sure' about the comparative ideology of the listed person.

	Rated person	Not sure
Jeb Bush	82%	18%
Ben Carson	79%	21%
Chris Christie	78%	22%
Ted Cruz	79%	21%
Carly Fiorina	72%	28%
Mike Huckabee	75%	25%
John Kasich	57%	43%
George Pataki	49%	51%
Rand Paul	73%	27%
Marco Rubio	77%	23%
Rick Santorum	67%	33%
Donald Trump	85%	15%

37. Are you confident or uneasy about the following presidential candidates' ability to deal wisely with terrorism?

	Confident	Uneasy	Not sure
Jeb Bush	32%	46%	22%
Ben Carson	20%	52%	27%
Hillary Clinton	36%	48%	16%
Chris Christie	27%	45%	29%
Ted Cruz	32%	41%	27%
Marco Rubio	28%	40%	31%
Bernie Sanders	27%	44%	29%
Donald Trump	38%	50%	12%

38. Would you say you follow what's going on in the presidential election...

Most of the time	41%
Some of the time	27%
Only now and then	16%
Hardly at all	12%
Don't know	4%

**39. Which type of politician would you prefer to see elected president?**

*Asked of Democrats, Republicans, and those who lean toward either Democrats or Republicans*

A candidate favored by the [Democratic/Republican] establishment .....	39%
A candidate who's more of an outsider .....	34%
It doesn't matter to me either way .....	18%
Not sure .....	9%

**40. Do you support or oppose the following policy proposals?**

	Support	Oppose	Not sure
New climate change regulations	52%	24%	23%
Curing cancer	88%	3%	9%
Fighting heroin abuse	76%	9%	16%
Overhaul of criminal justice sentencing	68%	8%	23%
Raising fees to use federal land	23%	43%	34%

**41. In the early 1960's, President Kennedy set a practical, realistic goal for America to put a human on the moon by 1970. How likely do you think it is that the United States will find a cure for cancer in the next ten years?**

Very likely .....	17%
Somewhat likely .....	35%
Not too likely .....	25%
Not at all likely .....	13%
Not sure .....	10%

42. President Obama gave the annual State of the Union speech on Tuesday. Did you watch the speech?

I watched the entire speech .....	17%
I watched part of it .....	14%
I watched clips or highlights of the speech .....	17%
I read or watched news stories analyzing the speech .....	23%
I haven't heard anything about it .....	28%

43. What was your overall reaction to President Obama's State of the Union speech?  
*Asked of those who watched the speech or read or watched stories analyzing the speech*

Very positive .....	17%
Somewhat positive .....	18%
Somewhat negative .....	12%
Very negative .....	25%
Not sure .....	28%

44. During his State of the Union speech, President Obama outlined five major policy proposals. Which one do of the proposals listed below do you think is the best?

New climate change regulations .....	13%
Curing cancer .....	34%
Fighting heroin abuse .....	6%
Overhaul of criminal justice sentencing .....	17%
Raising fees to use federal land .....	1%
Not sure .....	28%

45. Which one do of the proposals listed below do you think is the worst?

New climate change regulations .....	21%
Curing cancer .....	4%
Fighting heroin abuse .....	9%
Overhaul of criminal justice sentencing .....	5%
Raising fees to use federal land .....	31%
Not sure .....	30%

**46. In dealing with President Obama, do you think the Republicans in Congress...**

Mostly provide constructive policy alternatives .....	22%
Mostly just oppose the President .....	55%
Not sure .....	23%

**47. Do you approve or disapprove Presidents using executive orders?**

Approve strongly .....	17%
Approve somewhat .....	22%
Disapprove somewhat .....	17%
Disapprove strongly .....	27%
Not sure .....	17%

**48. From what you know now, do you think executive orders are constitutional or unconstitutional?**

Constitutional .....	29%
Unconstitutional .....	21%
It depends .....	35%
Not sure .....	16%

49. Do you approve or disapprove of the executive order which...

	Approve strongly	Approve somewhat	Disapprove somewhat	Disapprove strongly	Not sure
Freed all slaves in the states that were in rebellion against the federal government	53%	17%	8%	5%	17%
Created military exclusion zones during World War II and allowed for the forcible relocation of Americans of Japanese descent to internment camps	8%	14%	18%	36%	24%
Desegregated the U.S. military	41%	16%	8%	10%	24%
Restricted all non-governmental organizations that receive federal funding from performing or promoting abortion services as a method of family planning in foreign countries	21%	15%	17%	22%	26%
Authorized enhanced interrogation techniques and established military tribunals to try foreign enemy combatants	26%	25%	12%	14%	24%
Deferred deportation hearings for illegal immigrants who were brought into this country before they were 16 years old, have lived in the U.S. for at least 5 years, must be younger than 30, and have graduated from high					



50. Do you think Republicans will or will not be able to block President Obama’s executive actions on gun control?

Will be able to block .....	32%
Will not be able to block .....	31%
Not sure .....	37%

51. How important are the following issues to you?

	Very Important	Somewhat Important	Not very Important	Unimportant
The economy	75%	21%	2%	1%
Immigration	56%	31%	10%	4%
The environment	48%	32%	13%	6%
Terrorism	70%	20%	7%	2%
Gay rights	20%	26%	25%	29%
Education	63%	27%	8%	3%
Health care	73%	21%	4%	2%
Social security	69%	22%	7%	2%
The budget deficit	54%	32%	10%	3%
The war in Afghanistan	39%	39%	17%	5%
Taxes	58%	33%	7%	1%
Medicare	63%	26%	9%	2%
Abortion	40%	31%	19%	11%
Foreign policy	51%	35%	10%	3%
Gun control	53%	27%	13%	7%

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

The economy	15%
Immigration	8%
The environment	7%
Terrorism	16%
Gay rights	1%
Education	7%
Health care	10%
Social security	15%
The budget deficit	3%
The war in Afghanistan	1%
Taxes	2%
Medicare	3%
Abortion	4%
Foreign policy	1%
Gun control	6%

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

	Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Don't know
Barack Obama	27%	18%	9%	41%	5%
Joe Biden	20%	25%	16%	22%	16%
Paul Ryan	8%	22%	18%	21%	31%
Mitch McConnell	3%	12%	19%	27%	38%
Nancy Pelosi	7%	16%	15%	36%	26%
Harry Reid	4%	16%	13%	31%	36%

54. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

Strongly Approve	20%
Somewhat Approve	23%
Somewhat Disapprove	13%
Strongly Disapprove	39%
Not Sure	5%

**55. Would you say Barack Obama is...**

Very liberal .....	33%
Liberal .....	20%
Moderate .....	22%
Conservative .....	5%
Very conservative .....	3%
Not sure .....	18%

**56. Would you say Barack Obama is a strong or a weak leader?**

Very strong .....	18%
Somewhat strong .....	26%
Somewhat weak .....	19%
Very weak .....	37%

**57. Do you think Barack Obama...**

Says what he believes .....	41%
Says what he thinks people want to hear .....	47%
Not sure .....	12%

**58. Regardless of whether you agree with him, do you like Barack Obama as a person?**

Like a lot .....	31%
Like somewhat .....	24%
Dislike .....	34%
Not sure .....	12%

59. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling these specific issues?

	Strongly approve	Somewhat approve	Somewhat disapprove	Strongly disapprove	No opinion
Abortion	15%	20%	12%	26%	26%
The war in Afghanistan	13%	20%	18%	32%	17%
The budget deficit	15%	18%	15%	35%	17%
The economy	19%	20%	15%	34%	13%
Education	16%	24%	17%	23%	19%
The environment	20%	24%	13%	24%	19%
Foreign policy	16%	17%	14%	36%	17%
Gay rights	23%	20%	11%	24%	22%
Gun control	23%	19%	13%	35%	10%
Health care	22%	17%	13%	38%	10%
Immigration	14%	20%	14%	40%	13%
Medicare	15%	21%	15%	29%	19%
Social security	14%	19%	17%	29%	21%
Taxes	13%	20%	16%	30%	20%
Terrorism	17%	18%	14%	37%	14%

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

Strongly approve	3%
Somewhat approve	10%
Neither approve nor disapprove	18%
Somewhat disapprove	21%
Strongly disapprove	36%
Not sure	12%

61. Do you approve or disapprove of the way the member of the US House of Representatives that represents your Congressional district is handling his or her job?

Strongly approve	5%
Somewhat approve	17%
Neither approve nor disapprove	21%
Somewhat disapprove	16%
Strongly disapprove	22%
Not sure	18%

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

Strongly approve	8%
Somewhat approve	24%
Somewhat disapprove	18%
Strongly disapprove	16%
Not sure	34%

63. 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	6%
About the same	32%
Less than usual	40%
Not sure	22%

64. Who is more to blame for Congress achieving less than usual?

*Asked if respondent says Congress accomplished less than usual*

Republicans in Congress	45%
Democrats in Congress	9%
Both equally	42%
Neither	2%
Not sure	3%

65. 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	11%	24%	19%	32%	15%
Republicans in Congress	7%	19%	21%	37%	15%

66. 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	15%	23%	19%	31%	13%
The Republican Party	9%	24%	22%	32%	13%

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

Getting better	18%
About the same	32%
Getting worse	44%
Not sure	6%

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

Higher	19%
About the same	25%
Lower	32%
Not sure	23%

69. Would you say that you and your family are...

Better off financially than you were a year ago .....	17%
About the same financially as you were a year ago .....	42%
Worse off financially than you were a year ago .....	35%
Not sure .....	5%

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

More jobs .....	19%
The same amount of jobs .....	35%
Fewer jobs .....	30%
Not sure .....	16%

71. How worried are you about losing your job?

Very worried .....	12%
Somewhat worried .....	31%
Not very worried .....	57%

72. 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. ....	33%
Somewhat hard – It might take a while before I found a job that paid as much. .....	37%
Not very hard .....	22%
Not sure .....	8%

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

Very happy .....	26%
Happy .....	32%
Neither happy nor unhappy .....	30%
Unhappy .....	7%
Very unhappy .....	5%

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

Liberal .....	21%
Moderate .....	35%
Conservative .....	35%
Not sure .....	9%

**75. Thinking about politics these days, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?**

Very liberal .....	5%
Liberal .....	16%
Moderate .....	35%
Conservative .....	29%
Very Conservative .....	6%
Not sure .....	9%

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

Democrat .....	30%
Republican .....	27%
Independent .....	29%
Other .....	3%
Not sure .....	10%

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

Democrat .....	30%
Lean Democrat .....	9%
Independent .....	25%
Lean Republican .....	7%
Republican .....	27%



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

Strong Democrat .....	19%
Not very strong Democrat .....	12%
Lean Democrat .....	9%
Independent .....	19%
Lean Republican .....	7%
Not very strong Republican .....	13%
Strong Republican .....	15%
Not sure .....	6%

**79. Would you describe yourself as a libertarian?**

Yes .....	16%
No .....	56%
Not sure .....	28%

**80. Generally speaking, do you support or oppose the goals of the Tea Party movement?**

Strongly support .....	9%
Somewhat support .....	16%
Neither support, nor oppose .....	25%
Somewhat oppose .....	9%
Strongly oppose .....	22%
Not sure .....	19%

**81. Do you think of yourself as a part of the Tea Party movement?**

Yes .....	9%
No .....	67%
Not Sure .....	24%

**82. Are you registered to vote?**

Yes .....	62%
No .....	33%
Don't know .....	4%

**83. Are you registered to vote?**

Registered .....	62%
Not registered .....	38%

**84. How often would you say you vote in primary or caucus elections—that is, the elections in which a party selects their nominee to run in a general election. Would you say you vote in primary or caucus elections...?**

Always .....	30%
Nearly always .....	17%
Part of the time .....	12%
Seldom .....	10%
Never .....	27%
Unsure .....	4%

**85. In the 2016 primary election or caucus in your state, are you likely to vote?**

Likely to vote in Democratic primary or attend Democratic caucus .....	31%
Likely to vote in Republican primary or attend Republican caucus .....	35%
Not likely to vote in a primary election or attend a caucus .....	34%

**86. Do you have a good idea of which candidate you'll vote for in your party's presidential primary next year, or are you still making up your mind?**

*Asked of those who said they are likely to vote in their party's presidential primary or caucus next year*

I have a good idea of who I'll vote for .....	67%
I'm still making up my mind .....	27%
I don't plan to vote in the primary election or caucus .....	3%
Not sure .....	4%

**87. Are you male or female?**

Male .....	48%
Female .....	52%

**88. Respondent age by category**

Under 30 .....	22%
30-44 .....	26%
45-64 .....	35%
65+ .....	17%

**89. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?**

White .....	68%
Black .....	12%
Hispanic .....	14%
Other .....	6%

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

HS or less .....	43%
Some college .....	31%
College grad .....	17%
Postgrad .....	9%

**91. What is your marital status?**

Married .....	48%
Separated .....	3%
Divorced .....	11%
Widowed .....	5%
Single .....	28%
Domestic partnership .....	5%

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

Yes .....	30%
No .....	70%

**93. Calculated from respondent's state of residence**

Northeast .....	19%
Midwest .....	21%
South .....	38%
West .....	22%

**94. How would you describe the place where you live?**

City .....	33%
Suburb .....	31%
Town .....	16%
Rural area .....	19%
Other .....	1%

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

Full-time employed .....	33%
Part-time employed .....	13%
Self-employed .....	-
Unemployed or temporarily on layoff .....	12%
Retired .....	20%
Permanently disabled .....	10%
Homemaker .....	10%
Other .....	2%

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

Under \$50K .....	52%
\$50-100K .....	25%
\$100K or more .....	11%
Prefer not to say .....	12%

**97. 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.**

I am .....	1%
Family member .....	7%
I served previously .....	12%
Family served previously .....	35%
None .....	53%

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

Yes, I am .....	6%
Yes, household member is .....	7%
No .....	88%

**99. How important is religion in your life?**

Very important .....	38%
Somewhat important .....	28%
Not too important .....	15%
Not at all important .....	19%

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

More than once a week .....	7%
Once a week .....	15%
Once or twice a month .....	9%
A few times a year .....	15%
Seldom .....	25%
Never .....	27%
Don't know .....	2%

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

Yes .....	29%
No .....	71%

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

Several times a day .....	26%
Once a day .....	16%
A few times a week .....	14%
Once a week .....	4%
A few times a month .....	7%
Seldom .....	14%
Never .....	17%
Don't know .....	3%

103. What is your present religion, if any?

Protestant .....	39%
Roman Catholic .....	19%
Mormon .....	2%
Eastern or Greek Orthodox .....	1%
Jewish .....	2%
Muslim .....	1%
Buddhist .....	1%
Hindu .....	1%
Atheist .....	5%
Agnostic .....	6%
Nothing in particular .....	20%
Something else .....	5%

# The Economist/YouGov Poll



<b>Sponsorship</b>	<i>The Economist</i>
<b>Fieldwork</b>	YouGov
<b>Interviewing Dates</b>	January 15 - 19, 2016
<b>Target population</b>	U.S. citizens, aged 18 and over.
<b>Sampling method</b>	Respondents were selected from YouGov's opt-in Internet panel using sample matching. A random sample (stratified by age, gender, race, education, and region) was selected from the 2010 American Community Study. Voter registration was imputed from the November 2010 Current Population Survey Registration and Voting Supplement. Religion, political interest, minor party identification, and non-placement on an ideology scale, were imputed from the 2008 Pew Religion in American Life Survey.
<b>Weighting</b>	The sample was weighted using propensity scores based on age, gender, race, education, news interest, voter registration, and non-placement on an ideology scale. The weights range from 0.1 to 4.1, with a mean of one and a standard deviation of 0.85.
<b>Number of respondents</b>	2000
<b>Margin of error</b>	± 2.9% (adjusted for weighting)
<b>Survey mode</b>	Web-based interviews
<b>Questions not reported</b>	21 questions not reported.