

# The Economist/YouGov Poll



Sample 1500 US Adults  
 Conducted September 16 - 18, 2018  
 Margin of Error ±2.8%

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

Generally headed in the right direction .....	39%
Off on the wrong track .....	48%
Not sure .....	13%

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

	Ally	Friendly	Unfriendly	Enemy	Not sure
Canada	46%	33%	7%	2%	13%
China	5%	23%	32%	16%	24%
Germany	33%	33%	11%	3%	21%
Iran	2%	5%	26%	46%	21%
Israel	38%	23%	9%	6%	24%
Japan	38%	32%	7%	3%	20%
North Korea	2%	7%	23%	51%	18%
South Korea	35%	30%	9%	8%	18%
Mexico	17%	39%	21%	5%	18%
Russia	4%	12%	29%	36%	19%
United Kingdom	51%	27%	5%	2%	15%

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

	Ally	Friendly	Unfriendly	Enemy	Not sure
Canada	21%	31%	20%	9%	19%
China	4%	20%	29%	22%	25%
Germany	15%	30%	22%	9%	25%
Iran	2%	5%	18%	52%	23%
Israel	38%	20%	9%	10%	23%
Japan	23%	32%	11%	9%	25%
North Korea	5%	21%	19%	34%	22%
South Korea	23%	32%	11%	10%	22%
Mexico	6%	24%	29%	21%	20%
Russia	16%	30%	20%	13%	21%
United Kingdom	29%	28%	15%	7%	21%

**4. On the subject of climate change do you think:**

The world's climate is changing as a result of human activity .....	55%
The world's climate is changing but NOT because of human activity .....	26%
The world's climate is NOT changing .....	6%
Not sure .....	13%

**5. How sure are you that the climate is [changing as a result of human activity/changing but NOT because of human activity/NOT changing]**

Absolutely sure .....	41%
Pretty sure .....	30%
Somewhat sure .....	21%
Not very sure .....	6%
Not sure at all .....	2%

**6. Do you think the severity of recent hurricanes is most likely the result of global climate change, or is it just the kind of severe weather events that happen from time to time?**

Global climate change .....	46%
They just happen from time to time .....	41%
Not sure .....	13%

**7. Have you ever lived someplace that regularly experiences severe weather like a tornadoes, hurricanes, or floods?**

Yes .....	44%
No .....	50%
Prefer not to say .....	5%

**8. Have you ever had to evacuate your home due to severe weather like a tornado, hurricane, or flood?**

Yes .....	23%
No .....	73%
Prefer not to say .....	4%

**9. If the government in your local community issued an order to evacuate your home due to severe weather would you leave your home?**

Definitely would leave .....	39%
Probably would leave .....	36%

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Probably would not leave .....	9%
Definitely would not leave .....	4%
Not sure .....	12%

**10. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump has handled the response to Hurricane Florence?**

Approve strongly .....	27%
Approve somewhat .....	16%
Disapprove somewhat .....	11%
Disapprove strongly .....	17%
Not sure .....	30%

**11. As far as you know, do you think state and local government officials in North Carolina and South Carolina did a good job or a poor job preparing for Hurricane Florence before it hit?**

Good job .....	65%
Poor job .....	7%
Not sure .....	28%

**12. As far as you know, do you think federal government officials did a good job or a poor job preparing for Hurricane Florence?**

Good job .....	51%
Poor job .....	13%
Not sure .....	36%

**13. Do you think the federal government has responded adequately to Hurricane Florence or could it be done much better?**

Adequate response .....	47%
Could have done better .....	23%
Not sure .....	30%

**14. Do you think the federal government responded as fast as it could have to Hurricane Florence?**

Fast as it could .....	51%
Could have moved faster .....	19%
Not sure .....	30%

15. How much do you think Donald Trump cares about the needs and problems of people affected by Hurricane Florence?

A lot .....	31%
Some .....	23%
Not much .....	21%
Not at all .....	26%

16. How many people do you know personally who have been affected by Hurricane Florence?

Many .....	9%
Some .....	20%
Only one or two .....	20%
None .....	41%
Not sure .....	10%

17. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump handled the response to Hurricane Maria?

Approve strongly .....	21%
Approve somewhat .....	15%
Disapprove somewhat .....	10%
Disapprove strongly .....	36%
Not sure .....	19%

18. As far as you know, do you think state and local government officials in Puerto Rico did a good job or a poor job preparing for Hurricane Maria before it hit?

Good job .....	21%
Poor job .....	49%
Not sure .....	30%

19. As far as you know, do you think federal government officials did a good job or a poor job preparing for Hurricane Maria?

Good job .....	28%
Poor job .....	42%
Not sure .....	30%

20. Do you think the federal government has responded adequately to Hurricane Maria or could it be done much better?

Adequate response .....	28%
Could have done better .....	51%

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Not sure ..... 21%

21. Do you think the federal government responded as fast as it could have to Hurricane Maria?

Fast as it could ..... 28%  
 Could have moved faster ..... 50%  
 Not sure ..... 23%

22. Which statement is closer to the truth?

Fewer than 100 people died as a result of Hurricane Maria ..... 17%  
 Almost 3000 people died as a result of Hurricane Maria ..... 48%  
 Not sure ..... 35%

23. How much do you think Donald Trump cares about the needs and problems of people affected by Hurricane Maria?

A lot ..... 23%  
 Some ..... 23%  
 Not much ..... 18%  
 Not at all ..... 37%

24. How many people do you know personally who have been affected by Hurricane Maria?

Many ..... 6%  
 Some ..... 10%  
 Only one or two ..... 13%  
 None ..... 61%  
 Not sure ..... 10%

25. Do you approve or disapprove of the investigation into Russian interference in the 2016 Presidential election?

Approve strongly ..... 35%  
 Approve somewhat ..... 15%  
 Disapprove somewhat ..... 10%  
 Disapprove strongly ..... 23%  
 Not sure ..... 17%

26. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Robert Mueller is handling the investigation into Russian interference in the 2016 Presidential election?

Approve strongly	27%
Approve somewhat	15%
Disapprove somewhat	9%
Disapprove strongly	23%
Not sure	26%

27. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling the investigation into Russian interference in the 2016 Presidential election?

Approve strongly	16%
Approve somewhat	16%
Disapprove somewhat	10%
Disapprove strongly	37%
Not sure	21%

28. Do you think the investigation into Russian interference in the 2016 Presidential election is a witch hunt or a legitimate investigation?

Legitimate investigation	46%
Witch hunt	33%
Not sure	21%

29. How much, if anything, have you heard in the news recently about the federal trial of Paul Manafort?

Heard a lot	32%
Heard a little	41%
Heard nothing at all	27%

30. From what you know about it now, do you think Paul Manafort is guilty or not guilty of the crimes of which he is accused?

Guilty	48%
Not guilty	7%
Not sure	45%

31. Do you think it was a good idea or a bad idea for Paul Manafort to plead guilty to the crimes which he had been accused in order to receive a lighter sentence?

Good idea	44%
Bad idea	12%
Not sure	43%

32. Now that he has pleaded guilty, do you think that Paul Manafort should or should not cooperate with prosecutors in the investigation into Russian interference in the 2016 Presidential election?

Should cooperate .....	57%
Should not cooperate .....	13%
Not sure .....	30%

33. Do you think Donald Trump should or should not pardon Paul Manafort?

Should pardon .....	12%
Should not pardon .....	47%
Not sure .....	42%

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

Heard a lot .....	45%
Heard a little .....	31%
Heard nothing at all .....	25%

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

Very favorable .....	20%
Somewhat favorable .....	12%
Somewhat unfavorable .....	12%
Very unfavorable .....	24%
Not sure .....	32%

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

Qualified .....	38%
Not qualified .....	27%
Not sure .....	34%

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

Should confirm .....	35%
Should not confirm .....	34%
Not sure .....	31%

**38. How serious of a problem do you think sexual harassment is in the United States?**

Very serious .....	43%
Somewhat serious .....	32%
Not very serious .....	12%
Not at all serious .....	3%
Not sure .....	10%

**39. What percentage of women in the U.S. would you guess say they have been sexually harassed?**

0-10 .....	6%
10-20 .....	7%
20-30 .....	9%
30-40 .....	11%
40-50 .....	9%
50-60 .....	12%
60-70 .....	12%
70-80 .....	13%
80-90 .....	9%
90-100 .....	12%

**40. Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with the following statements:**

	Strongly agree	Somewhat agree	Somewhat disagree	Strongly disagree	Not sure
Women who complain about harassment often cause more problems than they solve.	10%	19%	21%	38%	12%
Sexual harassment against women in the workplace is no longer a problem in the United States.	4%	10%	28%	51%	7%

**41. How much sexual harassment, if any, would you say goes on in most American workplaces today?**

A lot .....	33%
Some .....	43%
Not much .....	15%
None .....	2%
Not sure .....	8%



**42. Would you say you have ever been sexually harassed?**

Yes, I have .....	35%
No, I have not .....	51%
Prefer not to say .....	8%
Don't know .....	6%

**43. Have you, a close friend or family member ever been a victim of sexual assault?**

Yes .....	44%
No .....	46%
Prefer not to say .....	10%

**44. Which number do you think is larger?**

The number of people who are reluctant to report being a victim of rape or sexual assault	66%
The number of people who falsely report being a victim of rape or sexual assault .....	18%
Not sure .....	15%

**45. Which number do you think is larger?**

The number of people who are reluctant to report being a victim of rape or sexual assault	67%
The number of people who are falsely accused of committing rape or sexual assault ....	18%
Not sure .....	16%

**46. In cases of alleged sexual assault, which one do you think is more important?**

Protecting the rights of the accused .....	15%
Protecting the rights of the victim .....	61%
Not sure .....	25%

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

Strongly support .....	17%
Somewhat support .....	16%
Somewhat oppose .....	10%
Strongly oppose .....	21%
No opinion .....	35%

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

Itemize deductions .....	27%
Standard deduction .....	44%
Not sure .....	16%
Prefer not to say .....	13%

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

Pay more .....	20%
Pay about the same .....	31%
Pay less .....	18%
Not sure .....	30%

50. How important are the following issues to you?

	Very Important	Somewhat Important	Not very Important	Unimportant
The economy	68%	27%	4%	1%
Immigration	51%	33%	12%	4%
The environment	52%	33%	10%	5%
Terrorism	59%	27%	10%	4%
Gay rights	25%	26%	20%	29%
Education	60%	28%	8%	4%
Health care	74%	21%	4%	2%
Social security	67%	26%	6%	2%
The budget deficit	45%	39%	12%	3%
The war in Afghanistan	29%	40%	21%	10%
Taxes	56%	35%	7%	3%
Medicare	63%	28%	8%	2%
Abortion	43%	29%	18%	11%
Foreign policy	41%	42%	12%	4%
Gun control	49%	27%	14%	11%
International trade and globalization	35%	45%	15%	4%
Use of military force	42%	39%	14%	5%

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

The economy .....	11%
Immigration .....	11%
The environment .....	8%

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Terrorism .....	8%
Gay rights .....	2%
Education .....	6%
Health care .....	21%
Social security .....	14%
The budget deficit .....	2%
The war in Afghanistan .....	1%
Taxes .....	3%
Medicare .....	4%
Abortion .....	3%
Foreign policy .....	1%
Gun control .....	4%

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

	Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Don't know
Donald Trump	26%	15%	9%	45%	6%
Mike Pence	24%	17%	11%	31%	17%
Paul Ryan	6%	22%	21%	31%	22%
Mitch McConnell	4%	17%	19%	30%	30%
Nancy Pelosi	9%	21%	13%	35%	22%
Chuck Schumer	8%	17%	14%	27%	33%

53. 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	16%	25%	14%	32%	12%
The Republican Party	12%	22%	17%	36%	12%

54. Is the Democratic Party...

Too liberal .....	38%
About right .....	26%
Not liberal enough .....	13%
Not sure .....	22%

55. Is the Republican Party...

Too conservative .....	37%
About right .....	21%
Not conservative enough .....	18%
Not sure .....	24%

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

Strongly approve .....	23%
Somewhat approve .....	18%
Somewhat disapprove .....	11%
Strongly disapprove .....	39%
Not sure .....	9%

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

	Strongly approve	Somewhat approve	Somewhat disapprove	Strongly disapprove	No opinion
Abortion	17%	16%	10%	33%	25%
Budget deficit	16%	20%	14%	33%	17%
Civil rights	18%	18%	10%	35%	19%
Economy	28%	19%	13%	27%	13%
Education	17%	20%	11%	32%	19%
Environment	17%	18%	11%	38%	16%
Foreign policy	22%	17%	12%	35%	15%
Gay rights	15%	15%	11%	30%	30%
Gun control	21%	18%	9%	37%	16%
Health care	17%	20%	12%	37%	14%
Immigration	27%	15%	8%	40%	10%
Medicare	15%	19%	13%	32%	21%
Social security	15%	19%	14%	31%	22%
Taxes	23%	19%	11%	33%	15%
Terrorism	26%	19%	12%	28%	16%
Veterans	25%	17%	13%	26%	19%
Women's rights	19%	17%	11%	35%	18%

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

	Positive	Negative	No Opinion
Honest	20%	42%	39%
Intelligent	28%	35%	37%
Religious	11%	33%	56%
Inspiring	16%	38%	46%
Patriotic	31%	23%	46%
Strong	32%	25%	44%
Bold	41%	14%	46%
Experienced	17%	35%	48%
Sincere	20%	39%	41%
Partisan	16%	16%	67%
Effective	28%	30%	42%
Exciting	16%	25%	58%
Steady	14%	29%	57%
Hypocritical	43%	17%	40%
Arrogant	64%	9%	27%

59. Would you say Donald Trump is...

Very liberal	3%
Liberal	4%
Moderate	16%
Conservative	26%
Very conservative	20%
Not sure	31%

60. Do you think Donald Trump...

Says what he believes	49%
Says what he thinks people want to hear	37%
Not sure	14%

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

A lot	21%
Some	16%
Not much	16%
Doesn't care at all	40%
Not sure	7%

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

Very strong .....	25%
Somewhat strong .....	22%
Somewhat weak .....	16%
Very weak .....	37%

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

Honest and trustworthy .....	30%
Not honest and trustworthy .....	53%
Not sure .....	17%

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

Yes .....	33%
No .....	53%
Not sure .....	14%

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

Very likely .....	22%
Fairly likely .....	26%
Fairly unlikely .....	18%
Very unlikely .....	15%
Not sure .....	18%

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

Appropriate .....	26%
Inappropriate .....	57%
Not sure .....	17%

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

Optimistic .....	38%
Pessimistic .....	43%
Not sure .....	19%

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

Yes .....	33%
No .....	55%
Not sure .....	12%

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

Strongly approve .....	4%
Somewhat approve .....	10%
Neither approve nor disapprove .....	14%
Somewhat disapprove .....	20%
Strongly disapprove .....	36%
Not sure .....	16%

**70. 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%	25%	16%	32%	16%
Republicans in Congress	8%	20%	20%	36%	16%

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

Strongly approve .....	5%
Somewhat approve .....	19%
Somewhat disapprove .....	19%
Strongly disapprove .....	31%
Not sure .....	27%

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

More conservative .....	22%
Less conservative .....	31%
About the same .....	15%
Not sure .....	32%

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

	Very favorable	Some-what favorable	Some-what unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Don't know	Never heard of this person
Jim Jordan	12%	9%	6%	13%	22%	39%
Kevin McCarthy	8%	12%	7%	12%	27%	34%
Steve Scalise	13%	12%	9%	12%	24%	29%

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

Jim Jordan	11%
Kevin McCarthy	6%
Steve Scalise	9%
Some other Republican	3%
Not sure	39%
I don't care who leads the Republicans in the U.S. House of Representatives	32%

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

Strongly approve	4%
Somewhat approve	17%
Somewhat disapprove	16%
Strongly disapprove	28%
Not sure	35%

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

Mitch McConnell	9%
Some other Republican	30%
Not sure	33%
I don't care who leads the Republicans in the U.S. Senate	28%

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

Strongly approve	8%
Somewhat approve	19%
Somewhat disapprove	14%
Strongly disapprove	31%

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Not sure ..... 27%

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

Nancy Pelosi ..... 16%  
 Some other Democrat ..... 34%  
 Not sure ..... 25%  
 I don't care who leads the Democrats in the U.S. House of Representatives ..... 25%

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

Strongly approve ..... 8%  
 Somewhat approve ..... 20%  
 Somewhat disapprove ..... 12%  
 Strongly disapprove ..... 23%  
 Not sure ..... 37%

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

Chuck Schumer ..... 17%  
 Some other Democrat ..... 26%  
 Not sure ..... 31%  
 I don't care who leads the Democrats in the U.S. Senate ..... 26%

**81. 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 ..... 9%  
 About the same ..... 25%  
 Less than usual ..... 39%  
 Not sure ..... 27%

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

A lot more than usual ..... 3%  
 Somewhat more than usual ..... 5%  
 About the same ..... 25%  
 Somewhat less than usual ..... 16%  
 A lot less than usual ..... 23%

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Not sure ..... 27%

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

*Asked if respondent says Congress accomplished less than usual*

Democrats in Congress ..... 16%  
 Republicans in Congress ..... 48%  
 Both equally ..... 32%  
 Neither ..... 3%  
 Not sure ..... 1%

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

More like Barack Obama ..... 35%  
 More like Bernie Sanders ..... 28%  
 Not sure ..... 38%

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

More like Donald Trump ..... 31%  
 More like George W Bush ..... 43%  
 Not sure ..... 26%

**86. What is your preference for the outcome of this year's congressional elections?**

Congress controlled by Democrats ..... 34%  
 Congress controlled by Republicans ..... 33%  
 Congress divided between both parties ..... 14%  
 No preference ..... 18%

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

Getting better ..... 34%  
 About the same ..... 30%  
 Getting worse ..... 24%  
 Not sure ..... 12%

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

Higher .....	25%
About the same .....	27%
Lower .....	21%
Not sure .....	27%

**89. Would you say that you and your family are...**

Better off financially than you were a year ago .....	24%
About the same financially as you were a year ago .....	45%
Worse off financially than you were a year ago .....	22%
Not sure .....	10%

**90. Is the place where you live owned or rented?**

Owned by you or your family .....	61%
Rented from someone else .....	36%
Other .....	3%

**91. Do you have a mortgage?**

*Asked of those who own the place where they live*

Yes .....	44%
No .....	56%

**92. Six months from now do you think there will be...**

More jobs .....	31%
The same amount of jobs .....	35%
Fewer jobs .....	17%
Not sure .....	17%

**93. How worried are you about losing your job?**

Very worried .....	11%
Somewhat worried .....	25%
Not very worried .....	63%

94. 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. ....	30%
Somewhat hard – It might take a while before I found a job that paid as much. ....	35%
Not very hard .....	23%
Not sure .....	12%

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

Very happy .....	24%
Happy .....	35%
Neither happy nor unhappy .....	27%
Unhappy .....	8%
Very unhappy .....	4%

96. 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 .....	44%
Some of the time .....	24%
Only now and then .....	14%
Hardly at all .....	10%
Don't know .....	8%

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

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

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

Very liberal .....	10%
Liberal .....	17%
Moderate .....	27%
Conservative .....	20%
Very conservative .....	13%
Not sure .....	14%

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

Registered .....	67%
Not registered .....	33%

**100. If an election for U.S. Congress were being held today, who would you vote for in the district where you live?**

*Asked of registered voters*

The Democratic Party candidate .....	45%
The Republican Party candidate .....	41%
Other .....	1%
Not sure .....	9%
I would not vote .....	3%

**101. Compared to voting in previous Congressional election years, are you more or less enthusiastic about voting in this year's Congressional election?**

*Asked of registered voters*

More enthusiastic .....	50%
Less enthusiastic .....	17%
About the same .....	27%
Not sure .....	7%

**102. Will you vote in this year's Congressional elections?**

I have already voted .....	0%
Definitely vote .....	69%
Probably vote .....	12%
Might vote .....	9%
Probably will not vote .....	6%
Definitely will not vote .....	4%

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

*Asked of registered voters*

More likely to vote for the Republican Congressional candidate .....	27%
Less likely to vote for the Republican Congressional candidate .....	26%
Have no effect on your vote choice .....	40%
Not sure .....	6%

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

*Asked of registered voters*

Yes, I voted the Democratic Presidential primary or caucus .....	36%
Yes, I voted the Republican Presidential primary or caucus .....	36%
No, I did not vote in either the Republican or Democratic Presidential primary or caucus ..	21%
I don't remember .....	7%

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

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

Hillary Clinton .....	65%
Martin O'Malley .....	3%
Bernie Sanders .....	29%
Someone else .....	3%

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

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

Donald Trump .....	53%
Someone else .....	47%

**107. Did you vote in the election on Tuesday, November 8, 2016?**

*Asked of registered voters*

Yes .....	55%
No .....	45%

**108. Who did you vote for in the election for President?**

Hillary Clinton .....	26%
Donald Trump .....	25%
Gary Johnson .....	1%
Jill Stein .....	1%
Evan McMullin .....	0%
Other .....	1%
Did not vote for President .....	46%

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

Democrat .....	32%
Republican .....	25%
Independent .....	29%

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Other .....	4%
Not sure .....	10%

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

Strong Democrat .....	20%
Not very strong Democrat .....	12%
Lean Democrat .....	8%
Independent .....	17%
Lean Republican .....	10%
Not very strong Republican .....	9%
Strong Republican .....	16%
Not sure .....	8%

**111. Which candidate did you vote for in the 2012 Presidential election?**

*Asked of registered voters old enough to vote in 2012*

Barack Obama .....	27%
Mitt Romney .....	25%
Other candidate .....	1%
I did not vote .....	47%

**112. What is your gender?**

Male .....	49%
Female .....	51%

**113. Respondent age by category**

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

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

White .....	69%
Black .....	13%
Hispanic .....	11%
Other .....	6%

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

HS or less .....	39%
Some college .....	33%
College grad .....	18%
Postgrad .....	10%

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

Married .....	47%
Separated .....	1%
Divorced .....	10%
Widowed .....	5%
Never married .....	31%
Domestic / civil partnership .....	5%

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

Yes .....	25%
No .....	75%

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

Northeast .....	19%
Midwest .....	21%
South .....	40%
West .....	21%

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

A large city .....	19%
A suburb near a large city .....	33%
A small city or town .....	27%
A rural area .....	21%

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

Excellent .....	15%
Very good .....	31%

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Good .....	35%
Only fair .....	13%
Poor .....	6%

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

Full-time employed .....	35%
Part-time employed .....	12%
Self-employed .....	0%
Unemployed or temporarily on layoff .....	9%
Retired .....	23%
Permanently disabled .....	10%
Homemaker .....	8%
Other .....	2%

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

Under \$50K .....	46%
\$50-100K .....	28%
\$100K or more .....	13%
Prefer not to say .....	14%

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

Military Household - I am .....	4%
Military Household - Family .....	7%
Military Household - I served previously .....	11%
Military Household - Family served previously .....	40%
Military Household - None .....	47%

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

Yes, I am .....	9%
Yes, household member is .....	8%
No .....	84%

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

Very important .....	41%
Somewhat important .....	25%
Not too important .....	14%
Not at all important .....	20%

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

More than once a week .....	8%
Once a week .....	17%
Once or twice a month .....	9%
A few times a year .....	15%
Seldom .....	20%
Never .....	28%
Don't know .....	3%

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

Yes .....	32%
No .....	68%

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

Several times a day .....	27%
Once a day .....	15%
A few times a week .....	13%
Once a week .....	4%
A few times a month .....	6%
Seldom .....	13%
Never .....	18%
Don't know .....	5%

**129. What is your present religion, if any?**

Protestant .....	36%
Roman Catholic .....	18%
Mormon .....	2%
Eastern or Greek Orthodox .....	1%
Jewish .....	3%
Muslim .....	1%

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Buddhist .....	1%
Hindu .....	0%
Atheist .....	5%
Agnostic .....	5%
Nothing in particular .....	23%
Something else .....	5%

<b>Sponsorship</b>	<i>The Economist</i>
<b>Fieldwork</b>	YouGov
<b>Interviewing Dates</b>	September 16 - 18, 2018
<b>Target population</b>	US Adult Population
<b>Sampling method</b>	Respondents were selected from YouGov’s opt-in Internet panel using sample matching. A random sample (stratified by gender, age, race, education, and region) was selected from the 2014 American Community Study. Voter registration was imputed from the November 2014 Current Population Survey Registration and Voting Supplement.
<b>Weighting</b>	The sample was weighted based on gender, age, race, education, 2012 and 2016 Presidential votes (or non-votes). The weights range from 0.192 to 3.029, with a mean of one and a standard deviation of 0.445.
<b>Number of respondents</b>	1500 1195 (Registered voters)
<b>Margin of error</b>	± 2.8% (adjusted for weighting) ± 2.9% (Registered voters)
<b>Survey mode</b>	Web-based interviews
<b>Questions not reported</b>	43 questions not reported.