

CBS News 2018 Battleground Tracker Florida



Sample 991 Likely Voters
Conducted October 23-26, 2018
Margin of Error ±4%

1. How would you rate the economy in the area where you live?

Very good	28%
Somewhat good	52%
Somewhat bad	16%
Very bad	4%

2. How much attention have you been able to pay to the 2018 midterm election campaign?

Great deal	51%
Fair amount	37%
Not very much	9%
None at all	3%

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

Definitely will vote	52%
Probably will vote	16%
Already voted early in-person	5%
Already voted by mail or absentee	27%

4. Was this the first time you voted early/absentee, or have you voted early/absentee before?

Asked of early and absentee voters

First time	5%
Have voted early/absentee before	95%

5. As best you can recall, have you voted in a midterm election before in Florida either in 2014 or 2010?

Yes	78%
No	22%

6. The general election for U.S. Senate in Florida is coming up this November. If the Senate election were held today and these were the candidates, would you vote for:

Bill Nelson (Democrat)	46%
Rick Scott (Republican)	46%
Someone else	1%
Not sure	6%
I wouldn't vote	1%

7. Which best describes your support for [Senate Candidate] right now?

Asked if supporting Nelson or Scott

Very strong – I've decided	64%
Strong – I probably won't change	23%
Somewhat strong – I might still change	11%
Not too strong – I'll probably change at some point	2%

8. What's the main reason you're supporting [Senate Candidate]?

Asked if supporting Nelson or Scott

His personal character and leadership qualities	31%
His stance on the issues	38%
Because he is a Democrat/Republican	31%

9. Would you ever consider voting for Rick Scott this year?

Asked of those likely voting for the Democrat for Senate

Yes	7%
No	82%
Not sure	11%

10. Would you ever consider voting for Bill Nelson this year?

Asked of those likely voting for the Republican for Senate

Yes	7%
No	82%
Not sure	11%

11. If the election for Governor of Florida were held today and these were the candidates, would you vote for:

Andrew Gillum (Democrat)	47%
Ron DeSantis (Republican)	46%
Someone else	2%
Not sure	5%
I wouldn't vote	0%

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

Asked of those not already voting

Very enthusiastic	61%
Somewhat enthusiastic	29%
Not very enthusiastic	10%

13. Regardless of whether you would vote for them, how well do you think each person understands the issues facing the people of Florida?

	Very well	Somewhat well	Not too well	Not at all
Bill Nelson	32%	30%	18%	20%
Rick Scott	38%	28%	16%	18%
Andrew Gillum	34%	24%	18%	24%
Ron DeSantis	31%	29%	19%	21%

14. Do you think of your vote for U.S. Senate this fall...?

To help Democrats gain control of the Senate	37%
To help Republicans keep control about the Senate	39%
Not about party control of the Senate	24%

15. Would your 2018 Senate vote be...

In support of Donald Trump	38%
In opposition to Donald Trump	35%
Not about Donald Trump	26%

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

Very satisfied	23%
Somewhat satisfied	27%
Somewhat dissatisfied	21%
Very dissatisfied	29%

17. If you had to choose, would you prefer a Senator from Florida who generally...

Asked of those voting for/considering the Democratic candidate

Makes what Floridians want a priority, whether President Trump agrees or not	73%
Makes stopping President Trump a priority, whether Floridians agree or not	27%

18. In this election, do feel that the message of the Republican party mostly represents:

Asked of those voting for/considering the Democratic candidate

Ideas and policies you happen to disagree with at the moment	36%
People with fundamentally different values and cultures than you	64%

19. If you had to choose, would you prefer a Senator from Florida who generally...

Asked of those voting for/considering the Republican candidate

Makes what Floridians want a priority, whether President Trump agrees or not	56%
Makes working with President Trump a priority, whether Floridians agree or not	44%

20. In this election, do feel that the message of the Democratic party mostly represents:

Asked of those voting for/considering the Republican candidate

Ideas and policies you happen to disagree with at the moment	34%
People with fundamentally different values and cultures than you	66%

21. Do you approve or disapprove of how each of the following handled the response to recent hurricanes:

	Approve	Disapprove	Haven't heard/Not sure
Bill Nelson	41%	28%	31%
Rick Scott	63%	23%	14%
Andrew Gillum	43%	24%	33%
Ron DeSantis	35%	25%	40%

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22. How would you describe the way you generally feel about things Donald Trump says and does:

I like all or most of it	27%
I like some things, and I am willing to tolerate the things I don't like for now	23%
I like some things, but I can't tolerate the things I don't like right now	8%
I dislike much or all of it	42%

23. Regardless of how you are voting, from what you have seen or read about their personal background and biography, do you consider each candidate's past experiences as generally a positive thing about them, a negative thing about them, or neither?

	Positive	Negative	Neither
Bill Nelson	43%	36%	20%
Rick Scott	47%	39%	14%
Andrew Gillum	42%	37%	20%
Ron DeSantis	45%	32%	23%

24. 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	74%	23%	2%	1%
Gun policy	64%	27%	6%	3%
Supreme Court	67%	26%	5%	2%
Immigration	70%	21%	7%	2%
Health care	76%	19%	4%	1%
Taxes	64%	28%	7%	1%

25. In your view, over recent years, have recent immigrants from Mexico and Latin America made life in the state of Florida better, worse, or not had an impact either way?

Better	26%
Worse	36%
Not had an impact either way	38%

26. Which best describes your view of the caravan of migrants from Central America who are heading toward the U.S. border? Are they people who the U.S. should or should not try to help?

Should try to help	51%
Should not try to help	49%

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

Threat	43%
Not a threat	38%
Not sure	19%

28. In what they say and do, do you think the Democratic party:

Tries to put the interests of long-term residents and U.S. citizens over recent immigrants ..	12%
Tries to put the interests of recent immigrants over long-term residents and U.S. citizens ..	50%
Tries to treat each of their interests fairly	38%

29. In what they say and do, do you think the Republican party:

Tries to put the interests of long-term residents and U.S. citizens over recent immigrants ..	72%
Tries to put the interests of recent immigrants over long-term residents and U.S. citizens ..	9%
Tries to treat each of their interests fairly	19%

30. In what they say and do, do you think the Democratic party:

Tries to put the interests of the wealthy and large corporations over working people	36%
Tries to put the interests of working people over the wealthy and large corporations	42%
Tries to treat each of their interests fairly	22%

31. In what they say and do, do you think the Republican party:

Tries to put the interests of the wealthy and large corporations over working people	49%
Tries to put the interests of working people over the wealthy and large corporations	19%
Tries to treat each of their interests fairly	32%

32. Which party do you think would do a better job on policy and funding concerning Medicare?

Democrats	44%
Republicans	38%
Both equally	7%
Neither	11%

33. In what they say and do, do you think the Democratic party:

Wants American society, its rules and culture, to change too fast	47%
Wants American society, its rules and culture, to change too slowly	12%
Wants to keep changes at the right pace	40%

34. In what they say and do, do you think the Republican party:

Wants American society, its rules and culture, to change too fast	22%
Wants American society, its rules and culture, to change too slowly	32%
Wants to keep changes at the right pace	45%

35. As you may know, the federal Medicare program covers Americans over age 65. Would you favor or oppose expanding the Medicare program to make all Americans eligible?

Favor	49%
Oppose	36%
Not sure	15%

36. What should insurance companies be allowed to do regarding people with pre-existing health issues? Should insurance companies...

Be required to offer them insurance at the same rates as everyone else	72%
Be required to offer them insurance, but allowed to charge them higher rates	23%
Not be required to offer them insurance at all	5%

37. Democrats would try to...

Require insurance companies to cover them	71%
Let insurance companies charge more or reject coverage for them	14%
Leave the current system as it is	15%

38. Republicans would try to...

Require insurance companies to cover them	40%
Let insurance companies charge more or reject coverage for them	49%
Leave the current system as it is	11%

39. If the Democrats had control of Congress next year, do you expect they would spend more of their time trying to:

Find things in agreement with President Trump, and work with him	6%
Balance between working with President Trump on some things and stopping him on others	27%
Stop President Trump on as many things as possible	67%

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

Better off financially than you were a year ago	29%
About the same financially as you were a year ago	48%
Worse off financially than you were a year ago	19%
Not sure	4%

41. Is your view of socialism:

Very positive	10%
Somewhat positive	22%
Somewhat negative	10%
Very negative	44%
No opinion	14%

42. Is your view of capitalism:

Very positive	35%
Somewhat positive	28%
Somewhat negative	13%
Very negative	9%
No opinion	15%

43. Which of these government policies do you consider to be in line with the ideas of socialism, and which are in line with the ideas of capitalism?

	Socialism	Capitalism	Neither	Not sure
Medicare	44%	21%	17%	18%
Social Security	40%	24%	17%	19%
Tax policy	13%	54%	13%	20%
Agriculture policy	17%	36%	19%	28%
Infrastructure, roads and bridges	18%	41%	21%	20%
The Federal Reserve system	10%	47%	16%	27%

44. Do you think climate change is causing more frequent hurricanes, or not?

Yes	58%
No	42%

45. Is climate change:

Mostly due to human activity	26%
Mostly due to natural weather patterns	25%
A combination of both human activity and natural patterns	42%
Does not exist	7%

46. Should the U.S. try to do something about climate change, or not?

Yes	70%
No	30%

47. In the long run – that is, after a year or so - do you think the result of new tariffs on goods and services will ultimately lead to:

Better trade deals with other countries	49%
Worse trade deals with other countries	37%
Not much impact on trade deals with other countries	14%

48. Does agriculture play a major role, minor role, or no role at all in your local economy?

Major role	49%
Minor role	41%
No role at all	10%

49. In general, do you think laws covering the sale of guns should be made...

More strict	62%
Less strict	9%
Kept as they are now	29%

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

Very liberal	15%
Somewhat liberal	13%
Moderate	27%
Somewhat conservative	25%
Very conservative	16%
Not sure	3%

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

Strong Democrat	27%
Not very strong Democrat	10%
Lean Democrat	6%
Independent	9%
Lean Republican	10%
Not very strong Republican	11%
Strong Republican	23%
Not sure	3%

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

Yes	31%
No	65%
Not sure	4%

53. What is your gender?

Male	47%
Female	53%

54. In what year were you born?

18-29	12%
30-44	21%
45-64	36%
65+	31%

55. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

White	66%
Black	14%
Hispanic	18%
Other	2%

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

HS or less	32%
Some college	35%
College grad	21%
Post grad	12%

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1. Rate the economy

How would you rate the economy in the area where you live?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Very good	28%	35%	22%	23%	18%	31%	34%	35%	12%	16%
Somewhat good	52%	52%	52%	49%	60%	49%	52%	51%	50%	58%
Somewhat bad	16%	10%	21%	24%	17%	15%	13%	12%	34%	18%
Very bad	4%	3%	5%	4%	5%	5%	1%	2%	4%	8%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(991)	(468)	(523)	(123)	(205)	(356)	(307)	(649)	(143)	(177)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Very good	28%	12%	27%	49%	10%	18%	49%
Somewhat good	52%	57%	52%	45%	56%	58%	45%
Somewhat bad	16%	25%	18%	5%	27%	20%	5%
Very bad	4%	6%	3%	1%	7%	4%	1%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(991)	(372)	(252)	(339)	(281)	(295)	(404)

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2. Attention to midterms

How much attention have you been able to pay to the 2018 midterm election campaign?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Great deal	51%	57%	46%	41%	29%	58%	62%	57%	39%	37%
Fair amount	37%	35%	38%	42%	50%	31%	32%	34%	53%	37%
Not very much	9%	7%	11%	11%	15%	10%	5%	8%	8%	15%
None at all	3%	0%	5%	5%	6%	1%	0%	1%	0%	10%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(991)	(468)	(523)	(123)	(205)	(356)	(307)	(649)	(143)	(177)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Great deal	51%	53%	52%	52%	64%	34%	55%
Fair amount	37%	35%	37%	39%	28%	44%	37%
Not very much	9%	10%	10%	9%	7%	18%	6%
None at all	3%	2%	1%	0%	1%	4%	2%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(991)	(372)	(252)	(339)	(281)	(295)	(404)

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3. Likely Turnout

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

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Definitely will vote	52%	54%	50%	46%	44%	53%	59%	53%	49%	46%
Probably will vote	16%	12%	19%	23%	35%	12%	5%	11%	20%	32%
Already voted early in-person	5%	6%	4%	6%	5%	7%	3%	6%	2%	6%
Already voted by mail or absentee	27%	27%	27%	25%	16%	28%	33%	30%	29%	16%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(991)	(468)	(523)	(123)	(205)	(356)	(307)	(649)	(143)	(177)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Definitely will vote	52%	48%	54%	56%	48%	50%	57%
Probably will vote	16%	16%	14%	14%	11%	24%	13%
Already voted early in-person	5%	6%	4%	6%	6%	5%	4%
Already voted by mail or absentee	27%	30%	28%	23%	35%	21%	26%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(991)	(372)	(252)	(339)	(281)	(295)	(404)

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4. First Time Early Vote

Was this the first time you voted early/absentee, or have you voted early/absentee before?

Asked of early and absentee voters

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
First time	5%	7%	3%	*	*	5%	3%	5%	*	*
Have voted early/absentee before	95%	93%	97%	*	*	95%	97%	95%	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	*	*	100%	100%	100%	*	*
Weighted N	(318)	(156)	(162)	(38)	(43)	(126)	(111)	(230)	(44)	(38)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
First time	5%	2%	12%	3%	5%	2%	6%
Have voted early/absentee before	95%	98%	88%	97%	95%	98%	94%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(318)	(131)	(80)	(100)	(115)	(78)	(123)

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5. Previous midterm vote

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

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Yes	78%	80%	76%	61%	72%	78%	88%	82%	68%	72%
No	22%	20%	24%	39%	28%	22%	12%	18%	32%	28%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(986)	(466)	(520)	(123)	(203)	(353)	(307)	(647)	(141)	(177)

	Party ID			Ideology			
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Yes	78%	77%	75%	83%	73%	75%	83%
No	22%	23%	25%	17%	27%	25%	17%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(986)	(371)	(250)	(338)	(281)	(292)	(402)

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6. Senate vote

The general election for U.S. Senate in Florida is coming up this November. If the Senate election were held today and these were the candidates, would you vote for:

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Bill Nelson (Democrat)	46%	39%	51%	60%	50%	44%	39%	36%	71%	62%
Rick Scott (Republican)	46%	54%	39%	28%	34%	47%	59%	58%	11%	28%
Someone else	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	0%	0%
Not sure	6%	4%	7%	9%	14%	5%	1%	3%	14%	10%
I wouldn't vote	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	2%	0%	1%	4%	0%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(990)	(468)	(522)	(123)	(204)	(356)	(307)	(649)	(142)	(177)

	Party ID			Ideology			
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Bill Nelson (Democrat)	46%	90%	38%	5%	90%	54%	8%
Rick Scott (Republican)	46%	4%	51%	92%	5%	28%	89%
Someone else	1%	1%	3%	1%	0%	2%	1%
Not sure	6%	3%	7%	2%	3%	14%	2%
I wouldn't vote	1%	2%	1%	0%	2%	1%	0%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(990)	(371)	(252)	(339)	(281)	(294)	(404)

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7. Strength of support

Which best describes your support for [Senate Candidate] right now?

Asked if supporting Nelson or Scott

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Very strong – I've decided	64%	67%	62%	49%	60%	65%	73%	68%	65%	52%
Strong – I probably won't change	23%	23%	23%	28%	25%	20%	23%	22%	16%	30%
Somewhat strong – I might still change	11%	8%	13%	18%	13%	12%	4%	9%	17%	14%
Not too strong – I'll probably change at some point	2%	2%	2%	5%	2%	2%	0%	1%	2%	4%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(606)	(292)	(313)	(71)	(135)	(208)	(192)	(388)	(84)	(121)

	Party ID			Ideology			
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Very strong – I've decided	64%	60%	62%	70%	71%	50%	71%
Strong – I probably won't change	23%	22%	27%	22%	18%	28%	24%
Somewhat strong – I might still change	11%	14%	10%	7%	10%	19%	3%
Not too strong – I'll probably change at some point	2%	4%	1%	1%	1%	3%	2%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(606)	(224)	(147)	(228)	(157)	(173)	(268)

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8. Main reason for support

What's the main reason you're supporting [Senate Candidate]?

Asked if supporting Nelson or Scott

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
His personal character and leadership qualities	31%	32%	31%	22%	32%	29%	37%	31%	31%	35%
His stance on the issues	38%	41%	35%	45%	39%	36%	36%	38%	37%	35%
Because he is a Democrat/Republican	31%	27%	34%	33%	29%	34%	27%	30%	32%	30%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(901)	(437)	(464)	(108)	(167)	(326)	(300)	(611)	(113)	(159)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
His personal character and leadership qualities	31%	27%	34%	36%	25%	30%	38%
His stance on the issues	38%	35%	41%	38%	36%	41%	38%
Because he is a Democrat/Republican	31%	38%	25%	26%	39%	29%	24%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(901)	(344)	(224)	(326)	(262)	(242)	(387)

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9. Consider the Republican

Would you ever consider voting for Rick Scott this year?

Asked of those likely voting for the Democrat for Senate

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Yes	7%	10%	4%	5%	12%	6%	3%	4%	9%	8%
No	82%	77%	86%	83%	72%	79%	97%	86%	79%	79%
Not sure	11%	13%	10%	12%	16%	15%	0%	10%	12%	13%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(293)	(118)	(175)	(43)	(79)	(97)	(74)	(130)	(69)	(88)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Yes	7%	5%	4%	*	2%	5%	26%
No	82%	83%	87%	*	92%	79%	70%
Not sure	11%	11%	8%	*	6%	16%	4%
Totals	100%	99%	99%	*	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(293)	(213)	(60)	(16)	(145)	(113)	(27)

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10. Consider the Democrat

Would you ever consider voting for Bill Nelson this year?

Asked of those likely voting for the Republican for Senate

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Yes	7%	5%	9%	*	11%	2%	4%	5%	*	20%
No	82%	84%	81%	*	57%	91%	95%	86%	*	73%
Not sure	11%	11%	10%	*	32%	7%	1%	9%	*	7%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	*	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	100%
Weighted N	(313)	(175)	(138)	(28)	(56)	(111)	(118)	(258)	(15)	(32)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Yes	7%	*	3%	5%	*	2%	7%
No	82%	*	83%	86%	*	82%	83%
Not sure	11%	*	14%	9%	*	15%	10%
Totals	100%	*	100%	100%	*	99%	100%
Weighted N	(313)	(11)	(87)	(213)	(12)	(60)	(241)

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11. Governor vote

If the election for Governor of Florida were held today and these were the candidates, would you vote for:

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Andrew Gillum (Democrat)	47%	41%	52%	61%	50%	47%	39%	35%	82%	61%
Ron DeSantis (Republican)	46%	54%	39%	27%	36%	48%	59%	59%	10%	28%
Someone else	2%	1%	2%	2%	4%	1%	1%	1%	2%	3%
Not sure	5%	3%	7%	10%	10%	3%	1%	4%	6%	8%
I wouldn't vote	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(988)	(467)	(521)	(123)	(203)	(356)	(307)	(648)	(142)	(176)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Andrew Gillum (Democrat)	47%	90%	38%	5%	89%	57%	9%
Ron DeSantis (Republican)	46%	5%	51%	90%	6%	28%	88%
Someone else	2%	1%	1%	3%	2%	3%	1%
Not sure	5%	3%	9%	2%	2%	11%	2%
I wouldn't vote	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(988)	(371)	(251)	(338)	(280)	(294)	(403)

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12. Voting enthusiasm

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

Asked of those who have not already voted

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Very enthusiastic	61%	67%	56%	47%	53%	62%	73%	65%	66%	46%
Somewhat enthusiastic	29%	25%	32%	30%	38%	25%	24%	26%	23%	41%
Not very enthusiastic	10%	8%	12%	23%	9%	13%	3%	9%	11%	13%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(669)	(311)	(358)	(82)	(162)	(229)	(196)	(419)	(96)	(139)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Very enthusiastic	61%	60%	59%	68%	67%	42%	72%
Somewhat enthusiastic	29%	30%	30%	25%	23%	41%	22%
Not very enthusiastic	10%	10%	11%	7%	10%	17%	6%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(669)	(241)	(172)	(239)	(166)	(217)	(280)

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13A. Understands State Issues — Bill Nelson

Regardless of whether you would vote for them, how well do you think each person understands the issues facing the people of Florida?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Very well	32%	31%	33%	27%	36%	31%	33%	29%	39%	41%
Somewhat well	30%	29%	31%	50%	41%	26%	19%	26%	42%	33%
Not too well	18%	19%	18%	12%	10%	20%	24%	22%	5%	13%
Not at all	20%	21%	18%	11%	13%	23%	24%	23%	14%	13%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(983)	(466)	(517)	(120)	(203)	(355)	(306)	(645)	(139)	(177)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Very well	32%	60%	23%	11%	62%	29%	13%
Somewhat well	30%	32%	31%	23%	32%	40%	20%
Not too well	18%	4%	20%	33%	3%	16%	30%
Not at all	20%	4%	26%	33%	3%	14%	36%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%
Weighted N	(983)	(369)	(252)	(337)	(281)	(293)	(403)

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13B. Understands State Issues — Rick Scott

Regardless of whether you would vote for them, how well do you think each person understands the issues facing the people of Florida?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Very well	38%	42%	35%	18%	25%	39%	53%	45%	18%	29%
Somewhat well	28%	29%	26%	35%	42%	25%	18%	26%	29%	34%
Not too well	16%	12%	20%	20%	15%	15%	17%	14%	28%	15%
Not at all	18%	17%	19%	27%	18%	21%	11%	15%	25%	22%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(981)	(466)	(515)	(120)	(202)	(355)	(305)	(645)	(139)	(175)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Very well	38%	10%	42%	69%	9%	21%	71%
Somewhat well	28%	28%	25%	26%	27%	35%	23%
Not too well	16%	27%	17%	3%	26%	23%	4%
Not at all	18%	35%	16%	2%	38%	21%	2%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(981)	(368)	(251)	(337)	(280)	(293)	(403)

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13C. Understands State Issues — Andrew Gillum

Regardless of whether you would vote for them, how well do you think each person understands the issues facing the people of Florida?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Very well	34%	29%	38%	37%	33%	35%	32%	27%	56%	43%
Somewhat well	24%	27%	21%	34%	33%	22%	16%	23%	26%	25%
Not too well	18%	15%	22%	19%	21%	15%	20%	19%	14%	18%
Not at all	24%	29%	19%	10%	13%	28%	32%	30%	4%	14%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(981)	(465)	(516)	(119)	(202)	(355)	(305)	(644)	(139)	(176)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Very well	34%	64%	24%	9%	73%	30%	10%
Somewhat well	24%	26%	27%	19%	21%	37%	16%
Not too well	18%	8%	22%	27%	4%	18%	28%
Not at all	24%	2%	27%	45%	2%	15%	45%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(981)	(369)	(250)	(337)	(279)	(293)	(402)

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13D. Understands State Issues — Ron DeSantis

Regardless of whether you would vote for them, how well do you think each person understands the issues facing the people of Florida?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Very well	31%	36%	26%	15%	20%	31%	42%	37%	3%	24%
Somewhat well	29%	30%	28%	34%	41%	26%	23%	31%	31%	22%
Not too well	19%	15%	23%	19%	23%	18%	19%	15%	33%	26%
Not at all	21%	19%	23%	32%	16%	25%	16%	17%	33%	27%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(981)	(465)	(516)	(120)	(200)	(355)	(306)	(645)	(139)	(176)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Very well	31%	5%	30%	61%	5%	17%	58%
Somewhat well	29%	26%	32%	32%	20%	31%	33%
Not too well	19%	27%	21%	6%	24%	32%	7%
Not at all	21%	42%	17%	1%	51%	20%	2%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(981)	(368)	(251)	(337)	(280)	(291)	(404)

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14. Party control

Do you think of your vote for U.S. Senate this fall...?

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
To help Democrats gain control of the Senate	37%	33%	42%	50%	44%	36%	29%	28%	75%	43%
To help Republicans keep control about the Senate	39%	44%	34%	27%	29%	36%	54%	49%	11%	25%
Not about party control of the Senate	24%	23%	24%	23%	27%	28%	17%	23%	14%	32%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(986)	(466)	(520)	(120)	(205)	(354)	(307)	(647)	(141)	(177)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
To help Democrats gain control of the Senate	37%	78%	25%	1%	79%	41%	4%
To help Republicans keep control about the Senate	39%	4%	37%	82%	6%	19%	77%
Not about party control of the Senate	24%	17%	38%	17%	15%	40%	18%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(986)	(372)	(252)	(338)	(281)	(294)	(404)

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15. Trump support

Would your 2018 Senate vote be...

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
In support of Donald Trump	38%	45%	33%	26%	31%	35%	52%	48%	10%	23%
In opposition to Donald Trump	35%	28%	41%	45%	39%	35%	28%	26%	62%	50%
Not about Donald Trump	26%	27%	26%	29%	30%	30%	20%	26%	28%	26%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(977)	(459)	(518)	(120)	(199)	(352)	(306)	(646)	(135)	(175)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
In support of Donald Trump	38%	5%	36%	79%	5%	23%	73%
In opposition to Donald Trump	35%	69%	26%	4%	75%	35%	8%
Not about Donald Trump	26%	26%	38%	17%	20%	42%	19%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(977)	(372)	(250)	(336)	(281)	(286)	(403)

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16. 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
Very satisfied	23%	29%	18%	16%	14%	23%	33%	29%	7%	14%
Somewhat satisfied	27%	32%	23%	11%	40%	27%	25%	31%	17%	19%
Somewhat dissatisfied	21%	16%	24%	38%	26%	17%	14%	15%	31%	34%
Very dissatisfied	29%	23%	35%	35%	20%	33%	28%	25%	45%	33%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(987)	(468)	(520)	(120)	(205)	(355)	(307)	(648)	(141)	(177)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Very satisfied	23%	4%	21%	46%	5%	12%	45%
Somewhat satisfied	27%	12%	31%	42%	7%	30%	38%
Somewhat dissatisfied	21%	30%	20%	8%	21%	35%	9%
Very dissatisfied	29%	54%	28%	4%	67%	23%	8%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(987)	(372)	(252)	(339)	(281)	(295)	(404)

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17. Democratic Senator Agree with Trump

If you had to choose, would you prefer a Senator from Florida who generally...

Asked of those voting for/considering the Democratic candidate

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Makes what Floridians want a priority, whether President Trump agrees or not	73%	65%	78%	55%	77%	77%	75%	74%	73%	70%
Makes stopping President Trump a priority, whether Floridians agree or not	27%	35%	22%	45%	23%	23%	25%	26%	27%	30%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(469)	(193)	(276)	(78)	(108)	(159)	(123)	(245)	(100)	(116)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Makes what Floridians want a priority, whether President Trump agrees or not	73%	72%	77%	*	73%	73%	67%
Makes stopping President Trump a priority, whether Floridians agree or not	27%	28%	23%	*	27%	27%	33%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	*	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(469)	(342)	(97)	(27)	(256)	(159)	(47)

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18. Message of Republican Party

In this election, do you feel that the message of the Republican party mostly represents:

Asked of those voting for/considering the Democratic candidate

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Ideas and policies you happen to disagree with at the moment	36%	34%	38%	27%	51%	34%	32%	28%	45%	45%
People with fundamentally different values and cultures than you	64%	66%	62%	73%	49%	66%	68%	72%	55%	55%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(464)	(188)	(276)	(80)	(107)	(157)	(121)	(240)	(100)	(116)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Ideas and policies you happen to disagree with at the moment	36%	33%	40%	*	32%	41%	40%
People with fundamentally different values and cultures than you	64%	67%	60%	*	68%	59%	60%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	*	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(464)	(342)	(95)	(24)	(258)	(156)	(44)

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19. Republican Senator Agree with Trump

If you had to choose, would you prefer a Senator from Florida who generally...

Asked of those voting for/considering the Republican candidate

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Makes what Floridians want a priority, whether President Trump agrees or not	56%	60%	52%	63%	51%	57%	56%	58%	*	56%
Makes working with President Trump a priority, whether Floridians agree or not	44%	40%	48%	37%	49%	43%	44%	42%	*	44%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	100%
Weighted N	(470)	(260)	(209)	(36)	(79)	(170)	(185)	(381)	(21)	(56)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Makes what Floridians want a priority, whether President Trump agrees or not	56%	61%	62%	53%	*	67%	54%
Makes working with President Trump a priority, whether Floridians agree or not	44%	39%	38%	47%	*	33%	46%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	100%	100%
Weighted N	(470)	(25)	(128)	(315)	(16)	(89)	(361)

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20. Message of Democratic Party

In this election, do you feel that the message of the Democratic party mostly represents:

Asked of those voting for/considering the Republican candidate

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Ideas and policies you happen to disagree with at the moment	34%	31%	36%	47%	26%	37%	30%	35%	*	35%
People with fundamentally different values and cultures than you	66%	69%	64%	53%	74%	63%	70%	65%	*	65%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	100%
Weighted N	(470)	(263)	(207)	(36)	(79)	(173)	(181)	(381)	(21)	(56)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Ideas and policies you happen to disagree with at the moment	34%	40%	39%	30%	*	48%	29%
People with fundamentally different values and cultures than you	66%	60%	61%	70%	*	52%	71%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	100%	100%
Weighted N	(470)	(25)	(131)	(313)	(16)	(89)	(361)

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21A. Official Hurricane Response — Bill Nelson

Do you approve or disapprove of how each of the following handled the response to recent hurricanes:

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Approve	41%	40%	42%	48%	46%	39%	38%	36%	50%	56%
Disapprove	28%	35%	22%	14%	22%	33%	33%	34%	12%	16%
Haven't heard/Not sure	31%	25%	36%	38%	32%	28%	29%	30%	38%	27%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(985)	(468)	(518)	(120)	(203)	(356)	(307)	(647)	(141)	(176)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Approve	41%	69%	33%	16%	72%	44%	18%
Disapprove	28%	8%	25%	55%	9%	18%	50%
Haven't heard/Not sure	31%	23%	42%	29%	19%	38%	32%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(985)	(370)	(251)	(339)	(280)	(295)	(404)

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21B. Official Hurricane Response — Rick Scott

Do you approve or disapprove of how each of the following handled the response to recent hurricanes:

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Approve	63%	68%	58%	52%	52%	63%	75%	72%	42%	46%
Disapprove	23%	20%	26%	24%	28%	25%	18%	17%	37%	36%
Haven't heard/Not sure	14%	12%	16%	24%	20%	12%	7%	11%	21%	18%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(987)	(468)	(519)	(120)	(204)	(356)	(307)	(648)	(141)	(177)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Approve	63%	39%	69%	87%	35%	53%	90%
Disapprove	23%	42%	16%	7%	51%	22%	5%
Haven't heard/Not sure	14%	19%	14%	6%	14%	25%	5%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(987)	(371)	(252)	(339)	(281)	(295)	(404)

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21C. Official Hurricane Response — Andrew Gillum

Do you approve or disapprove of how each of the following handled the response to recent hurricanes:

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Approve	43%	40%	45%	51%	48%	41%	37%	35%	71%	47%
Disapprove	24%	30%	19%	15%	21%	28%	26%	30%	7%	14%
Haven't heard/Not sure	33%	30%	36%	34%	31%	31%	37%	35%	22%	39%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(982)	(468)	(515)	(120)	(203)	(354)	(306)	(646)	(141)	(174)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Approve	43%	76%	33%	14%	82%	44%	13%
Disapprove	24%	5%	24%	48%	2%	17%	46%
Haven't heard/Not sure	33%	19%	43%	38%	16%	39%	41%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(982)	(370)	(250)	(338)	(279)	(294)	(403)

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21D. Official Hurricane Response — Ron DeSantis

Do you approve or disapprove of how each of the following handled the response to recent hurricanes:

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Approve	35%	41%	30%	25%	27%	31%	49%	43%	8%	26%
Disapprove	25%	24%	27%	25%	25%	26%	25%	20%	38%	35%
Haven't heard/Not sure	40%	35%	43%	50%	48%	43%	26%	37%	54%	39%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(984)	(468)	(517)	(120)	(203)	(356)	(306)	(646)	(141)	(176)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Approve	35%	13%	26%	68%	8%	23%	63%
Disapprove	25%	45%	21%	8%	51%	27%	6%
Haven't heard/Not sure	40%	42%	53%	24%	41%	49%	31%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(984)	(371)	(251)	(338)	(280)	(295)	(403)

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22. Like or Dislike Trump

How would you describe the way you generally feel about things Donald Trump says and does:

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
I like all or most of it	27%	32%	21%	16%	19%	26%	36%	34%	3%	17%
I like some things, and I am willing to tolerate the things I don't like for now	23%	26%	21%	9%	25%	26%	25%	28%	13%	15%
I like some things, but I can't tolerate the things I don't like right now	8%	6%	9%	13%	12%	8%	3%	7%	8%	12%
I dislike much or all of it	42%	35%	48%	62%	43%	40%	36%	31%	76%	56%
Totals	100%	99%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(984)	(468)	(517)	(118)	(204)	(356)	(306)	(646)	(141)	(177)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
I like all or most of it	27%	5%	24%	54%	7%	13%	50%
I like some things, and I am willing to tolerate the things I don't like for now	23%	7%	29%	38%	2%	23%	39%
I like some things, but I can't tolerate the things I don't like right now	8%	8%	13%	5%	4%	18%	3%
I dislike much or all of it	42%	80%	34%	3%	87%	46%	7%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(984)	(371)	(250)	(339)	(280)	(294)	(403)

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23A. Candidate Past Experience — Bill Nelson

Regardless of how you are voting, from what you have seen or read about their personal background and biography, do you consider each candidate's past experiences as generally a positive thing about them, a negative thing about them, or neither?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Positive	43%	42%	44%	51%	47%	42%	40%	38%	54%	54%
Negative	36%	42%	31%	20%	22%	42%	45%	44%	20%	19%
Neither	20%	16%	25%	29%	31%	16%	15%	18%	26%	27%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(975)	(464)	(512)	(117)	(199)	(352)	(307)	(641)	(137)	(175)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Positive	43%	75%	36%	16%	77%	46%	18%
Negative	36%	10%	39%	63%	9%	26%	63%
Neither	20%	15%	25%	21%	14%	28%	19%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(975)	(362)	(249)	(339)	(278)	(293)	(402)

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23B. Candidate Past Experience — Rick Scott

Regardless of how you are voting, from what you have seen or read about their personal background and biography, do you consider each candidate's past experiences as generally a positive thing about them, a negative thing about them, or neither?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Positive	47%	53%	41%	25%	45%	46%	56%	54%	29%	34%
Negative	39%	37%	42%	51%	37%	41%	35%	36%	51%	44%
Neither	14%	10%	17%	24%	18%	13%	9%	10%	19%	22%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(982)	(466)	(516)	(119)	(203)	(353)	(306)	(645)	(140)	(176)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Positive	47%	17%	46%	79%	11%	33%	81%
Negative	39%	69%	38%	11%	78%	43%	10%
Neither	14%	14%	16%	10%	11%	24%	9%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(982)	(368)	(250)	(339)	(279)	(293)	(404)

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23C. Candidate Past Experience — Andrew Gillum

Regardless of how you are voting, from what you have seen or read about their personal background and biography, do you consider each candidate's past experiences as generally a positive thing about them, a negative thing about them, or neither?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Positive	42%	39%	45%	52%	48%	42%	35%	34%	71%	49%
Negative	37%	43%	32%	18%	25%	40%	51%	49%	9%	16%
Neither	20%	18%	23%	30%	27%	18%	14%	17%	20%	35%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(976)	(464)	(512)	(119)	(203)	(354)	(301)	(643)	(141)	(171)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Positive	42%	78%	31%	12%	85%	45%	11%
Negative	37%	5%	45%	69%	4%	24%	70%
Neither	20%	16%	24%	19%	10%	31%	18%
Totals	99%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(976)	(366)	(248)	(337)	(276)	(294)	(401)

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23D. Candidate Past Experience — Ron DeSantis

Regardless of how you are voting, from what you have seen or read about their personal background and biography, do you consider each candidate's past experiences as generally a positive thing about them, a negative thing about them, or neither?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Positive	45%	53%	39%	31%	41%	44%	55%	54%	17%	35%
Negative	32%	30%	33%	35%	32%	35%	27%	27%	57%	31%
Neither	23%	17%	28%	34%	27%	21%	18%	19%	26%	34%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(977)	(466)	(511)	(118)	(199)	(353)	(307)	(644)	(137)	(175)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Positive	45%	17%	46%	78%	12%	27%	81%
Negative	32%	59%	27%	6%	69%	34%	5%
Neither	23%	24%	26%	16%	18%	39%	14%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(977)	(366)	(249)	(338)	(279)	(293)	(403)

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24A. 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
Very important	74%	75%	73%	57%	73%	76%	79%	74%	64%	80%
Somewhat important	23%	20%	25%	32%	23%	22%	19%	22%	31%	18%
Not very important	2%	3%	1%	7%	2%	2%	2%	3%	1%	2%
Not important	1%	1%	1%	4%	2%	0%	0%	1%	3%	0%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(980)	(468)	(512)	(118)	(201)	(355)	(307)	(642)	(139)	(177)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Very important	74%	67%	69%	84%	62%	73%	84%
Somewhat important	23%	27%	26%	15%	29%	25%	15%
Not very important	2%	4%	3%	0%	5%	1%	1%
Not important	1%	2%	1%	0%	3%	1%	0%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	99%	99%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(980)	(369)	(251)	(335)	(280)	(292)	(402)

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24B. 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
Very important	64%	60%	67%	53%	68%	62%	67%	61%	70%	68%
Somewhat important	27%	31%	22%	39%	20%	28%	25%	29%	17%	25%
Not very important	6%	7%	6%	6%	5%	8%	6%	8%	2%	3%
Not important	3%	2%	4%	2%	7%	2%	1%	1%	11%	3%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(978)	(466)	(511)	(119)	(202)	(354)	(303)	(644)	(139)	(173)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Very important	64%	71%	55%	61%	69%	64%	60%
Somewhat important	27%	22%	32%	29%	26%	26%	28%
Not very important	6%	4%	8%	8%	2%	8%	8%
Not important	3%	3%	5%	2%	3%	2%	4%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(978)	(369)	(247)	(336)	(281)	(293)	(398)

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24C. 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
Very important	67%	69%	65%	54%	59%	67%	76%	68%	63%	63%
Somewhat important	26%	22%	29%	40%	33%	22%	20%	24%	31%	30%
Not very important	5%	6%	5%	3%	5%	9%	2%	6%	3%	4%
Not important	2%	3%	1%	3%	3%	2%	2%	2%	3%	3%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(979)	(464)	(515)	(119)	(200)	(355)	(306)	(644)	(139)	(175)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Very important	67%	64%	63%	72%	70%	57%	73%
Somewhat important	26%	31%	24%	22%	26%	33%	20%
Not very important	5%	3%	10%	4%	3%	7%	5%
Not important	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	3%	2%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(979)	(368)	(251)	(335)	(281)	(294)	(399)

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24D. 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
Very important	70%	69%	70%	47%	61%	72%	81%	72%	50%	73%
Somewhat important	21%	19%	23%	35%	27%	20%	13%	18%	41%	19%
Not very important	7%	8%	6%	17%	5%	6%	5%	8%	5%	5%
Not important	2%	4%	1%	1%	6%	2%	1%	2%	4%	3%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(973)	(463)	(510)	(120)	(197)	(351)	(304)	(645)	(130)	(175)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Very important	70%	59%	68%	83%	56%	60%	85%
Somewhat important	21%	30%	21%	12%	29%	27%	11%
Not very important	7%	9%	8%	4%	12%	9%	2%
Not important	2%	2%	3%	0%	3%	3%	1%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	99%
Weighted N	(973)	(359)	(252)	(337)	(277)	(292)	(401)

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24E. 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
Very important	76%	69%	82%	73%	79%	75%	77%	71%	84%	89%
Somewhat important	19%	24%	15%	22%	17%	19%	20%	23%	13%	9%
Not very important	4%	6%	2%	5%	3%	5%	3%	5%	3%	1%
Not important	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(983)	(468)	(516)	(120)	(202)	(355)	(306)	(646)	(139)	(177)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Very important	76%	92%	65%	65%	95%	75%	64%
Somewhat important	19%	6%	27%	29%	4%	22%	28%
Not very important	4%	1%	6%	6%	1%	3%	7%
Not important	1%	0%	2%	0%	0%	0%	1%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(983)	(369)	(251)	(338)	(281)	(294)	(402)

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24F. 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
Very important	64%	64%	63%	43%	67%	65%	67%	63%	63%	65%
Somewhat important	28%	25%	31%	43%	25%	26%	27%	28%	28%	30%
Not very important	7%	10%	4%	10%	8%	7%	5%	8%	5%	3%
Not important	1%	1%	1%	4%	0%	2%	0%	1%	4%	1%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(984)	(468)	(516)	(120)	(202)	(355)	(307)	(646)	(139)	(177)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Very important	64%	59%	55%	77%	55%	60%	72%
Somewhat important	28%	29%	34%	21%	30%	31%	25%
Not very important	7%	9%	10%	1%	13%	8%	2%
Not important	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(984)	(369)	(252)	(338)	(281)	(294)	(403)

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25. Immigration Impact on Life

In your view, over recent years, have recent immigrants from Mexico and Latin America made life in the state of Florida better, worse, or not had an impact either way?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Better	26%	26%	25%	43%	36%	21%	18%	20%	23%	52%
Worse	36%	40%	33%	17%	22%	38%	51%	46%	15%	15%
Not had an impact either way	38%	34%	42%	40%	42%	41%	31%	34%	62%	32%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(982)	(463)	(518)	(119)	(205)	(352)	(306)	(644)	(141)	(176)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Better	26%	38%	22%	14%	46%	25%	13%
Worse	36%	10%	43%	62%	8%	26%	64%
Not had an impact either way	38%	52%	35%	24%	46%	49%	23%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(982)	(372)	(251)	(335)	(281)	(295)	(399)

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26. Migrant Caravan

Which best describes your view of the caravan of migrants from Central America who are heading toward the U.S. border? Are they people who the U.S. should or should not try to help?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Should try to help	51%	46%	55%	76%	69%	48%	33%	38%	83%	73%
Should not try to help	49%	54%	45%	24%	31%	52%	67%	62%	17%	27%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(975)	(464)	(510)	(118)	(203)	(350)	(303)	(639)	(139)	(176)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Should try to help	51%	86%	36%	21%	90%	57%	19%
Should not try to help	49%	14%	64%	79%	10%	43%	81%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(975)	(368)	(247)	(336)	(277)	(294)	(399)

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27. 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
Threat	43%	49%	37%	24%	25%	47%	57%	54%	12%	25%
Not a threat	38%	34%	42%	49%	45%	38%	31%	32%	55%	53%
Not sure	19%	17%	20%	27%	30%	15%	12%	14%	33%	22%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(978)	(467)	(511)	(118)	(199)	(355)	(306)	(646)	(139)	(172)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Threat	43%	14%	50%	73%	9%	33%	74%
Not a threat	38%	68%	33%	8%	79%	38%	11%
Not sure	19%	18%	17%	19%	12%	29%	15%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(978)	(370)	(250)	(334)	(275)	(293)	(403)

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28. Immigrant interests - Democratic Party

In what they say and do, do you think the Democratic party:

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Tries to put the interests of long-term residents and U.S. citizens over recent immigrants	12%	11%	13%	17%	21%	8%	8%	10%	13%	19%
Tries to put the interests of recent immigrants over long-term residents and U.S. citizens	50%	57%	44%	27%	43%	51%	63%	60%	22%	34%
Tries to treat each of their interests fairly	38%	32%	43%	55%	36%	41%	29%	29%	65%	46%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(973)	(465)	(507)	(117)	(204)	(347)	(304)	(639)	(141)	(172)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Tries to put the interests of long-term residents and U.S. citizens over recent immigrants	12%	17%	10%	8%	11%	16%	10%
Tries to put the interests of recent immigrants over long-term residents and U.S. citizens	50%	12%	59%	86%	9%	42%	84%
Tries to treat each of their interests fairly	38%	70%	31%	5%	80%	42%	6%

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	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Totals	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(973)	(369)	(242)	(338)	(276)	(289)	(401)

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29. Immigrant interests - Republican Party

In what they say and do, do you think the Republican party:

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Tries to put the interests of long-term residents and U.S. citizens over recent immigrants	72%	73%	71%	73%	62%	74%	76%	77%	60%	65%
Tries to put the interests of recent immigrants over long-term residents and U.S. citizens	9%	6%	11%	7%	16%	7%	7%	6%	16%	12%
Tries to treat each of their interests fairly	19%	20%	18%	20%	22%	19%	17%	16%	24%	23%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(963)	(463)	(500)	(118)	(201)	(345)	(299)	(635)	(137)	(169)

	Party ID			Ideology			
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Tries to put the interests of long-term residents and U.S. citizens over recent immigrants	72%	77%	75%	68%	83%	67%	69%
Tries to put the interests of recent immigrants over long-term residents and U.S. citizens	9%	12%	4%	8%	9%	11%	6%
Tries to treat each of their interests fairly	19%	11%	21%	23%	8%	22%	25%

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	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(963)	(362)	(244)	(336)	(271)	(285)	(399)

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30. Corporate interests - Democratic Party

In what they say and do, do you think the Democratic party:

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Tries to put the interests of the wealthy and large corporations over working people	36%	40%	32%	28%	31%	37%	41%	42%	23%	22%
Tries to put the interests of working people over the wealthy and large corporations	42%	40%	43%	44%	39%	39%	46%	41%	45%	41%
Tries to treat each of their interests fairly	22%	20%	25%	28%	30%	24%	13%	17%	32%	37%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(960)	(457)	(503)	(119)	(201)	(347)	(293)	(623)	(141)	(175)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Tries to put the interests of the wealthy and large corporations over working people	36%	13%	41%	60%	7%	32%	60%
Tries to put the interests of working people over the wealthy and large corporations	42%	57%	38%	29%	63%	38%	29%
Tries to treat each of their interests fairly	22%	30%	21%	11%	30%	29%	10%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%

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	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Weighted N	(960)	(368)	(242)	(325)	(280)	(291)	(384)

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31. Corporate interests - Republican Party

In what they say and do, do you think the Republican party:

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Tries to put the interests of the wealthy and large corporations over working people	49%	47%	51%	67%	49%	53%	38%	44%	65%	57%
Tries to put the interests of working people over the wealthy and large corporations	19%	18%	20%	10%	19%	16%	26%	21%	7%	19%
Tries to treat each of their interests fairly	32%	35%	29%	23%	32%	31%	36%	35%	28%	24%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(968)	(459)	(509)	(120)	(202)	(346)	(301)	(638)	(139)	(169)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Tries to put the interests of the wealthy and large corporations over working people	49%	83%	47%	16%	88%	55%	17%
Tries to put the interests of working people over the wealthy and large corporations	19%	7%	14%	36%	7%	14%	31%
Tries to treat each of their interests fairly	32%	10%	39%	48%	5%	31%	51%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%

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	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Weighted N	(968)	(369)	(242)	(338)	(278)	(286)	(399)

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32. Party Best on Medicare

Which party do you think would do a better job on policy and funding concerning Medicare?

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Democrats	44%	36%	50%	62%	44%	43%	37%	32%	79%	57%
Republicans	38%	45%	33%	20%	29%	37%	53%	48%	9%	25%
Both equally	7%	8%	6%	8%	12%	7%	3%	6%	4%	11%
Neither	11%	11%	11%	9%	15%	13%	7%	13%	8%	7%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(988)	(468)	(520)	(119)	(205)	(356)	(307)	(649)	(141)	(176)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Democrats	44%	90%	31%	3%	90%	48%	8%
Republicans	38%	3%	36%	82%	7%	18%	76%
Both equally	7%	4%	9%	6%	0%	15%	5%
Neither	11%	3%	24%	9%	3%	18%	11%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(988)	(372)	(252)	(339)	(281)	(295)	(404)

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33. Pace of Change - Democratic Party

In what they say and do, do you think the Democratic party:

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Wants American society, its rules and culture, to change too fast	47%	52%	43%	31%	40%	47%	59%	57%	19%	34%
Wants American society, its rules and culture, to change too slowly	12%	12%	12%	15%	18%	11%	9%	11%	10%	17%
Wants to keep changes at the right pace	40%	36%	44%	53%	42%	42%	32%	32%	70%	49%
Totals	99%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(971)	(461)	(511)	(119)	(203)	(346)	(303)	(635)	(139)	(176)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Wants American society, its rules and culture, to change too fast	47%	14%	55%	80%	8%	35%	83%
Wants American society, its rules and culture, to change too slowly	12%	11%	12%	13%	14%	15%	9%
Wants to keep changes at the right pace	40%	74%	33%	6%	78%	49%	8%
Totals	99%	99%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(971)	(367)	(244)	(336)	(279)	(290)	(397)

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34. Pace of Change - Republican Party

In what they say and do, do you think the Republican party:

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Wants American society, its rules and culture, to change too fast	22%	18%	26%	19%	25%	23%	22%	18%	39%	28%
Wants American society, its rules and culture, to change too slowly	32%	31%	34%	60%	42%	29%	19%	25%	52%	44%
Wants to keep changes at the right pace	45%	51%	40%	21%	33%	48%	59%	57%	9%	28%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(970)	(460)	(510)	(120)	(202)	(346)	(301)	(635)	(139)	(175)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Wants American society, its rules and culture, to change too fast	22%	39%	19%	8%	36%	26%	10%
Wants American society, its rules and culture, to change too slowly	32%	51%	31%	12%	59%	37%	11%
Wants to keep changes at the right pace	45%	10%	50%	80%	5%	37%	79%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(970)	(367)	(243)	(335)	(275)	(293)	(396)

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35. Medicare for All

As you may know, the federal Medicare program covers Americans over age 65. Would you favor or oppose expanding the Medicare program to make all Americans eligible?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Favor	49%	47%	51%	64%	63%	49%	34%	38%	72%	73%
Oppose	36%	41%	30%	15%	24%	35%	52%	46%	10%	17%
Not sure	15%	11%	19%	21%	13%	16%	13%	16%	18%	10%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(985)	(466)	(519)	(119)	(204)	(355)	(306)	(648)	(141)	(176)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Favor	49%	79%	41%	21%	83%	53%	23%
Oppose	36%	8%	40%	64%	6%	25%	64%
Not sure	15%	13%	18%	15%	11%	22%	13%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(985)	(371)	(252)	(338)	(280)	(294)	(404)

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36. Pre-Existing Health Conditions

What should insurance companies be allowed to do regarding people with pre-existing health issues? Should insurance companies...

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Be required to offer them insurance at the same rates as everyone else	72%	65%	78%	78%	67%	74%	71%	70%	82%	72%
Be required to offer them insurance, but allowed to charge them higher rates	23%	28%	18%	15%	27%	20%	26%	26%	16%	15%
Not be required to offer them insurance at all	5%	7%	4%	7%	6%	6%	3%	4%	2%	12%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(983)	(467)	(516)	(120)	(204)	(354)	(305)	(644)	(141)	(177)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Be required to offer them insurance at the same rates as everyone else	72%	88%	68%	58%	88%	74%	59%
Be required to offer them insurance, but allowed to charge them higher rates	23%	9%	25%	36%	10%	20%	34%
Not be required to offer them insurance at all	5%	2%	7%	6%	2%	5%	7%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(983)	(372)	(251)	(336)	(281)	(294)	(401)

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37. Democrats and Pre-Existing Conditions

Democrats would try to...

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Require insurance companies to cover them	71%	73%	69%	72%	64%	70%	76%	70%	73%	68%
Let insurance companies charge more or reject coverage for them	14%	12%	16%	17%	17%	12%	13%	16%	10%	12%
Leave the current system as it is	15%	15%	15%	11%	19%	18%	11%	14%	17%	19%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(972)	(464)	(508)	(118)	(198)	(352)	(304)	(645)	(139)	(167)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Require insurance companies to cover them	71%	84%	73%	57%	91%	69%	58%
Let insurance companies charge more or reject coverage for them	14%	5%	18%	22%	4%	12%	23%
Leave the current system as it is	15%	10%	9%	21%	5%	19%	19%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(972)	(367)	(252)	(330)	(275)	(291)	(400)

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38. Republicans and Pre-Existing Conditions

Republicans would try to...

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Require insurance companies to cover them	40%	40%	41%	28%	40%	39%	47%	44%	32%	35%
Let insurance companies charge more or reject coverage for them	49%	50%	48%	64%	52%	48%	41%	45%	63%	50%
Leave the current system as it is	11%	10%	11%	8%	8%	13%	11%	11%	5%	15%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(975)	(466)	(509)	(119)	(202)	(355)	(299)	(642)	(139)	(172)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Require insurance companies to cover them	40%	20%	39%	64%	14%	38%	61%
Let insurance companies charge more or reject coverage for them	49%	75%	49%	23%	82%	49%	25%
Leave the current system as it is	11%	5%	12%	13%	3%	13%	14%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(975)	(368)	(247)	(335)	(280)	(293)	(397)

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39. Democratic Control of Congress

If the Democrats had control of Congress next year, do you expect they would spend more of their time trying to:

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Find things in agreement with President Trump, and work with him	6%	8%	4%	10%	10%	6%	1%	5%	8%	8%
Balance between working with President Trump on some things and stopping him on others	27%	24%	30%	31%	34%	27%	22%	23%	35%	36%
Stop President Trump on as many things as possible	67%	68%	66%	59%	55%	67%	77%	71%	56%	56%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(980)	(465)	(515)	(118)	(204)	(355)	(302)	(646)	(139)	(172)

	Party ID			Ideology			
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Find things in agreement with President Trump, and work with him	6%	3%	3%	9%	3%	10%	5%
Balance between working with President Trump on some things and stopping him on others	27%	48%	25%	8%	47%	34%	9%
Stop President Trump on as many things as possible	67%	49%	72%	83%	50%	55%	86%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%

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	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Weighted N	(980)	(366)	(252)	(337)	(280)	(290)	(403)

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40. Family finances

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

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Better off financially than you were a year ago	29%	34%	25%	21%	26%	33%	30%	34%	18%	22%
About the same financially as you were a year ago	48%	50%	47%	56%	50%	44%	49%	47%	49%	53%
Worse off financially than you were a year ago	19%	13%	24%	17%	16%	21%	19%	17%	27%	19%
Not sure	4%	3%	4%	5%	8%	2%	2%	2%	6%	6%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(984)	(467)	(518)	(120)	(203)	(356)	(306)	(645)	(141)	(177)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Better off financially than you were a year ago	29%	12%	29%	50%	11%	22%	48%
About the same financially as you were a year ago	48%	58%	48%	39%	53%	54%	40%
Worse off financially than you were a year ago	19%	28%	20%	9%	34%	20%	8%
Not sure	4%	2%	3%	2%	2%	4%	4%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(984)	(370)	(252)	(338)	(281)	(294)	(403)

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41. View of Socialism

Is your view of socialism:

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Very positive	10%	11%	8%	12%	16%	9%	5%	8%	13%	12%
Somewhat positive	22%	19%	26%	28%	26%	22%	18%	21%	30%	24%
Somewhat negative	10%	9%	10%	12%	11%	11%	7%	7%	9%	20%
Very negative	44%	50%	39%	22%	31%	45%	60%	52%	17%	34%
No opinion	14%	11%	17%	26%	16%	13%	10%	12%	31%	10%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(983)	(467)	(516)	(118)	(203)	(356)	(306)	(645)	(141)	(176)

	Party ID			Ideology			
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Very positive	10%	14%	8%	4%	22%	6%	4%
Somewhat positive	22%	41%	18%	5%	47%	24%	4%
Somewhat negative	10%	12%	10%	8%	9%	14%	7%
Very negative	44%	13%	52%	75%	8%	29%	80%
No opinion	14%	20%	12%	8%	14%	27%	5%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(983)	(370)	(250)	(339)	(278)	(295)	(404)

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42. View of Capitalism

Is your view of capitalism:

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Very positive	35%	46%	26%	26%	24%	31%	52%	43%	9%	30%
Somewhat positive	28%	29%	27%	24%	32%	29%	26%	26%	31%	32%
Somewhat negative	13%	8%	17%	18%	15%	14%	8%	11%	14%	18%
Very negative	9%	6%	11%	12%	6%	11%	7%	8%	15%	8%
No opinion	15%	11%	18%	20%	23%	15%	7%	12%	31%	12%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(975)	(467)	(509)	(117)	(202)	(351)	(306)	(640)	(139)	(176)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Very positive	35%	10%	41%	61%	11%	21%	63%
Somewhat positive	28%	37%	24%	21%	34%	33%	19%
Somewhat negative	13%	21%	13%	4%	26%	12%	5%
Very negative	9%	13%	11%	3%	17%	7%	4%
No opinion	15%	18%	11%	11%	12%	26%	8%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%
Weighted N	(975)	(368)	(248)	(336)	(278)	(290)	(401)

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43A. Policies in line with Capitalism or Socialism — Medicare

Which of these government policies do you consider to be in line with the ideas of socialism, and which are in line with the ideas of capitalism?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Socialism	44%	52%	37%	49%	45%	48%	37%	47%	37%	39%
Capitalism	21%	19%	22%	18%	25%	14%	28%	20%	20%	24%
Neither	17%	16%	18%	6%	8%	23%	19%	19%	7%	18%
Not sure	18%	13%	23%	27%	22%	14%	16%	14%	36%	19%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(982)	(467)	(515)	(120)	(201)	(356)	(305)	(646)	(139)	(177)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Socialism	44%	48%	52%	34%	62%	37%	37%
Capitalism	21%	17%	17%	29%	12%	20%	27%
Neither	17%	13%	18%	21%	10%	15%	22%
Not sure	18%	22%	13%	16%	15%	27%	14%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(982)	(368)	(252)	(338)	(280)	(294)	(403)

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43B. Policies in line with Capitalism or Socialism — Social Security

Which of these government policies do you consider to be in line with the ideas of socialism, and which are in line with the ideas of capitalism?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Socialism	40%	49%	31%	48%	41%	42%	33%	42%	29%	36%
Capitalism	24%	23%	26%	14%	30%	20%	31%	24%	24%	26%
Neither	17%	15%	18%	9%	7%	21%	21%	19%	6%	15%
Not sure	19%	12%	25%	29%	22%	17%	15%	14%	40%	23%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(978)	(464)	(514)	(119)	(202)	(353)	(304)	(642)	(139)	(175)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Socialism	40%	47%	44%	28%	60%	33%	30%
Capitalism	24%	16%	22%	37%	12%	21%	35%
Neither	17%	12%	21%	20%	12%	15%	23%
Not sure	19%	25%	13%	14%	16%	31%	12%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(978)	(367)	(252)	(334)	(279)	(294)	(399)

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43C. Policies in line with Capitalism or Socialism — Tax policy

Which of these government policies do you consider to be in line with the ideas of socialism, and which are in line with the ideas of capitalism?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Socialism	13%	15%	11%	12%	16%	14%	11%	12%	18%	10%
Capitalism	54%	58%	50%	40%	53%	53%	60%	58%	36%	55%
Neither	13%	13%	14%	8%	9%	16%	15%	15%	7%	12%
Not sure	20%	14%	25%	40%	22%	17%	14%	15%	39%	23%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(979)	(465)	(514)	(118)	(202)	(356)	(303)	(644)	(138)	(175)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Socialism	13%	13%	15%	12%	12%	9%	17%
Capitalism	54%	50%	51%	61%	53%	52%	56%
Neither	13%	10%	18%	13%	13%	11%	16%
Not sure	20%	27%	15%	14%	22%	28%	11%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(979)	(367)	(250)	(337)	(278)	(293)	(402)

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43D. Policies in line with Capitalism or Socialism — Agriculture policy

Which of these government policies do you consider to be in line with the ideas of socialism, and which are in line with the ideas of capitalism?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Socialism	17%	24%	11%	21%	25%	15%	14%	17%	16%	19%
Capitalism	36%	37%	34%	19%	31%	35%	46%	41%	19%	31%
Neither	19%	20%	18%	12%	16%	24%	18%	18%	20%	18%
Not sure	28%	19%	36%	48%	28%	26%	22%	24%	45%	32%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(977)	(464)	(513)	(119)	(200)	(355)	(303)	(643)	(137)	(176)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Socialism	17%	20%	18%	13%	22%	20%	12%
Capitalism	36%	31%	33%	46%	29%	31%	44%
Neither	19%	15%	25%	19%	17%	15%	23%
Not sure	28%	34%	24%	22%	32%	34%	21%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(977)	(366)	(251)	(335)	(278)	(294)	(399)

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43E. Policies in line with Capitalism or Socialism — Infrastructure, roads and bridges

Which of these government policies do you consider to be in line with the ideas of socialism, and which are in line with the ideas of capitalism?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Socialism	18%	22%	15%	34%	20%	17%	11%	18%	14%	19%
Capitalism	41%	41%	40%	25%	41%	36%	52%	44%	30%	37%
Neither	21%	24%	19%	9%	13%	29%	22%	24%	12%	19%
Not sure	20%	13%	26%	32%	26%	17%	15%	14%	44%	24%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(977)	(467)	(510)	(120)	(201)	(356)	(301)	(644)	(139)	(173)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Socialism	18%	27%	21%	7%	39%	11%	9%
Capitalism	41%	31%	36%	54%	26%	38%	52%
Neither	21%	15%	29%	24%	16%	20%	27%
Not sure	20%	27%	14%	14%	19%	31%	12%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(977)	(368)	(248)	(336)	(280)	(294)	(398)

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43F. Policies in line with Capitalism or Socialism — The Federal Reserve system

Which of these government policies do you consider to be in line with the ideas of socialism, and which are in line with the ideas of capitalism?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Socialism	10%	12%	8%	9%	14%	10%	7%	10%	12%	7%
Capitalism	47%	51%	43%	39%	43%	48%	52%	50%	35%	45%
Neither	16%	18%	15%	5%	16%	17%	20%	18%	10%	15%
Not sure	27%	19%	34%	47%	26%	25%	21%	22%	43%	33%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(979)	(465)	(514)	(119)	(202)	(355)	(303)	(642)	(139)	(177)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Socialism	10%	9%	8%	11%	7%	9%	13%
Capitalism	47%	47%	46%	51%	53%	42%	46%
Neither	16%	14%	22%	16%	15%	12%	21%
Not sure	27%	30%	24%	22%	25%	37%	20%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(979)	(367)	(251)	(337)	(279)	(293)	(401)

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44. Climate Change and Hurricanes

Do you think climate change is causing more frequent hurricanes, or not?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Yes	58%	50%	65%	79%	68%	55%	45%	46%	84%	81%
No	42%	50%	35%	21%	32%	45%	55%	54%	16%	19%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(986)	(466)	(520)	(118)	(205)	(355)	(307)	(647)	(141)	(177)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Yes	58%	90%	52%	25%	92%	68%	27%
No	42%	10%	48%	75%	8%	32%	73%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(986)	(372)	(252)	(337)	(280)	(294)	(404)

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45. Cause of Climate Change

Is climate change:

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Mostly due to human activity	26%	26%	26%	52%	33%	23%	14%	21%	31%	42%
Mostly due to natural weather patterns	25%	30%	20%	11%	24%	22%	33%	29%	11%	17%
A combination of both human activity and natural patterns	42%	39%	45%	34%	35%	47%	45%	42%	52%	37%
Does not exist	7%	5%	8%	3%	7%	7%	8%	8%	6%	4%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(986)	(467)	(519)	(120)	(205)	(355)	(307)	(648)	(141)	(177)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Mostly due to human activity	26%	46%	20%	8%	48%	28%	9%
Mostly due to natural weather patterns	25%	8%	25%	45%	6%	17%	43%
A combination of both human activity and natural patterns	42%	45%	44%	36%	45%	53%	33%
Does not exist	7%	1%	11%	11%	1%	2%	15%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(986)	(371)	(252)	(339)	(281)	(295)	(404)

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46. Climate Change - U.S. Goals

Should the U.S. try to do something about climate change, or not?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Yes	70%	64%	76%	92%	78%	67%	59%	62%	90%	85%
No	30%	36%	24%	8%	22%	33%	41%	38%	10%	15%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(909)	(440)	(469)	(116)	(188)	(326)	(279)	(592)	(131)	(169)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Yes	70%	94%	63%	45%	96%	78%	42%
No	30%	6%	37%	55%	4%	22%	58%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(909)	(363)	(223)	(300)	(277)	(285)	(342)

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47. Lead to Better Trade

In the long run – that is, after a year or so - do you think the result of new tariffs on goods and services will ultimately lead to:

	Total	Gender		Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Better trade deals with other countries	49%	57%	42%	28%	39%	53%	58%	57%	27%	37%
Worse trade deals with other countries	37%	34%	39%	55%	33%	37%	32%	32%	51%	44%
Not much impact on trade deals with other countries	14%	9%	19%	17%	28%	9%	10%	11%	22%	19%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(980)	(463)	(517)	(118)	(203)	(353)	(306)	(642)	(141)	(177)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Better trade deals with other countries	49%	20%	52%	81%	11%	41%	80%
Worse trade deals with other countries	37%	62%	35%	9%	71%	41%	10%
Not much impact on trade deals with other countries	14%	18%	13%	10%	18%	18%	10%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(980)	(369)	(250)	(337)	(279)	(292)	(403)

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48. Agricultural Economy

Does agriculture play a major role, minor role, or no role at all in your local economy?

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Major role	49%	48%	49%	36%	49%	53%	48%	47%	56%	46%
Minor role	41%	40%	43%	41%	37%	42%	44%	44%	35%	39%
No role at all	10%	12%	8%	23%	14%	5%	8%	9%	9%	15%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(984)	(466)	(517)	(120)	(204)	(355)	(305)	(646)	(139)	(177)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Major role	49%	50%	44%	52%	45%	47%	53%
Minor role	41%	38%	49%	40%	46%	40%	39%
No role at all	10%	12%	7%	8%	9%	12%	8%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(984)	(370)	(251)	(339)	(280)	(294)	(403)

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49. Gun laws

In general, do you think laws covering the sale of guns should be made...

	Gender			Age group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
More strict	62%	54%	69%	81%	67%	61%	52%	56%	81%	72%
Less strict	9%	14%	4%	11%	8%	10%	7%	9%	4%	9%
Kept as they are now	29%	32%	27%	8%	25%	29%	40%	34%	15%	19%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(987)	(468)	(519)	(119)	(204)	(356)	(307)	(649)	(139)	(176)

	Party ID				Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
More strict	62%	90%	52%	38%	94%	72%	32%
Less strict	9%	4%	12%	12%	4%	5%	15%
Kept as they are now	29%	6%	36%	50%	2%	23%	53%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(987)	(371)	(252)	(339)	(281)	(294)	(404)

HOW THE POLL WAS CONDUCTED AND THE MARGIN OF ERROR CALCULATED

October 28, 2018

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This poll interviewed 991 likely voters in Florida and was fielded between October 23–26, 2018.

The respondents were selected from YouGov's online panel to be representative of likely voters in Florida in terms of age, race, gender, and education.

The sample was weighted according to gender, age, race, education, and geography based on the American Community Survey, conducted by the U.S. Bureau of the Census, as well as 2016 Presidential vote. The weights range from 0.1 to 8.6, with a mean of 1 and a standard deviation of 0.8.

The *margin of error* (a 95% confidence interval) for a sample percentage p based upon the entire sample is approximately 4%. 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.