



CNN October 22, 2020 Debate Reaction Poll (Poll 14)

The study was conducted for CNN via telephone by SSRS, an independent research company. Interviews were conducted on **October 22, 2020** among a sample of **585** registered voters who watched the presidential debate. The margin of sampling error for total respondents is +/-5.7 at the 95% confidence level. The design effect is 1.98.

Survey respondents were first interviewed as part of a random national sample conducted on the SSRS Omnibus from October 6-7 and October 13-18, 2020. Respondents were also recruited October 15-17, 2020 via the SSRS Opinion Panel, a nationally representative panel of U.S. adults age 18 or older. In those interviews, respondents indicated they planned to watch the debate and were willing to be re-interviewed after the debate. More information about SSRS can be obtained by visiting www.ssrs.com. Unless otherwise noted, results beginning with the March 31-April 2, 2006 survey and ending with the April 22-25, 2017 survey are from surveys conducted by ORC International. Results before March 31, 2006 are from surveys conducted by Gallup.

Question text noted in parentheses was rotated or randomized. Values less than 0.5 percent are indicated by an asterisk (*).

NOTE ABOUT CROSSTABS

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Q101. Regardless of which candidate you happen to support, who do you think did the best job in the debate: (Joe Biden) or (Donald Trump)?

	Biden	Trump	Both did equally well (vol.)	Neither (vol.)	No opinion
October 22, 2020	53%	39%	6%	1%	*
September 29, 2020	60%	28%	5%	6%	1%

FOR COMPARISON

Who do you think is likely to do a better job in the presidential debates – (Joe Biden) or (Donald Trump)?

	Biden	Trump	No difference (vol.)	No opinion
October 13-18, 2020*	57%	42%	0%	1%
September 22-27, 2020	56%	43%	*	*

*A small number of debate watchers were initially interviewed on October 6-7.

CNN/ORC, CNN/USA TODAY/GALLUP AND GALLUP TRENDS FOR COMPARISON

<u>Clinton/Trump 2016</u>	<u>Clinton</u>	<u>Trump</u>	<u>Neither (vol.)</u>	<u>Both (vol.)</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2016 Oct 19	52%	39%	3%	5%	*
2016 Oct 9	57%	34%	4%	4%	1%
2016 Sept 26	62%	27%	4%	6%	1%

<u>Obama/Romney 2012</u>	<u>Obama</u>	<u>Romney</u>	<u>Neither (vol.)</u>	<u>Both (vol.)</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2012 Oct 22	48%	40%	2%	8%	1%
2012 Oct 16	46%	39%	3%	12%	*
2012 Oct 3	25%	67%	3%	5%	*

<u>Obama/McCain 2008</u>	<u>Obama</u>	<u>McCain</u>	<u>Neither (vol.)</u>	<u>Both (vol.)</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2008 Oct 15	58%	31%	2%	8%	1%
2008 Oct 7	54%	30%	4%	11%	1%
2008 Sep 26	51%	38%	2%	9%	1%

<u>Kerry/Bush 2004</u>	<u>Kerry</u>	<u>Bush</u>	<u>Neither (vol.)</u>	<u>Both (vol.)</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2004 Oct 13	52%	39%	1%	8%	*
2004 Oct 8	47%	45%	1%	7%	*
2004 Sep 30	53%	37%	1%	8%	1%

<u>Gore/Bush 2000</u>	<u>Gore</u>	<u>Bush</u>	<u>Neither (vol.)</u>	<u>Both (vol.)</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2000 Oct 17	46%	44%	*	10%	*
2000 Oct 11	36%	49%	1%	13%	1%
2000 Oct 3	48%	41%	2%	8%	1%

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<u>Clinton/Dole 1996</u>	<u>Clinton</u>	<u>Dole</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
1996 Oct 16	59%	29%	12%
1996 Oct 6	51%	32%	17%

<u>Clinton/Bush/Perot 1992</u>	<u>Clinton</u>	<u>Bush</u>	<u>Perot</u>	<u>None in particular (vol.)</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
1992 Oct 19	28%	28%	37%	7%	*
1992 Oct 16-18	58%	16%	15%	7%	4%
1992 Oct 11	30%	16%	47%	5%	2%

<u>Dukakis/Bush 1988</u>	<u>Dukakis</u>	<u>Bush</u>	<u>Neither (vol.)</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
1988 Sep 27-28	38%	29%	31%	2%

<u>Mondale/Reagan 1984</u>	<u>Mondale</u>	<u>Reagan</u>	<u>Neither (vol.)</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
1984 Oct 21	40%	43%	--	17%
1984 Oct 7	54%	35%	8%	3%



Q102. Do you have a favorable or unfavorable of (INSERT ITEM)? [NAMES READ IN RANDOM ORDER]

(DJT) Donald Trump	Favorable opinion	Unfavorable opinion	Never heard of (vol.)	No opinion
Oct. 22, 2020 (post-debate)	41%	58%	0%	1%
Oct. 13-18, 2020 (pre-debate)*	42%	58%	0%	1%
Sept. 29, 2020 (post-debate)	35%	65%	0%	*
Sept. 22-27, 2020 (pre-debate)	37%	63%	*	0%

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(JB) Joe Biden	Favorable opinion	Unfavorable opinion	Never heard of (vol.)	No opinion
Oct. 22, 2020 (post-debate)	56%	43%	0%	1%
Oct. 13-18, 2020 (pre-debate)*	55%	45%	0%	0%
Sept. 29, 2020 (post-debate)	62%	37%	0%	1%
Sept. 22-27, 2020 (pre-debate)	60%	39%	1%	0%

*A small number of debate watchers were initially interviewed on October 6-7.

CNN/ORC TRENDS FOR COMPARISON

	Favorable (Post-Debate)	Favorable (Pre-Debate)	Unfavorable (Post-Debate)	Unfavorable (Pre-Debate)
CLINTON				
2016 Oct 9	55%	53%	44%	45%
TRUMP				
2016 Oct 9	34%	34%	64%	64%
OBAMA				
2012 Oct 3	49%	49%	48%	50%
ROMNEY				
2012 Oct 3	56%	54%	42%	42%
OBAMA				
2008 Oct 15	66%	63%	33%	35%
2008 Oct 7	64%	60%	34%	38%
McCain				
2008 Oct 15	49%	51%	49%	45%
2008 Oct 7	51%	51%	46%	46%



Q103. Next, regardless of which presidential candidate you support, please tell me if you think (Joe Biden) or (Donald Trump) would better handle each of the following issues. [ITEMS READ IN RANDOM ORDER]

The economy	Biden	Trump	Both equally (vol.)	Neither (vol.)	No opinion
October 22, 2020	44%	56%	*	*	1%
September 29, 2020	50%	48%	*	1%	1%

The response to the coronavirus outbreak	Biden	Trump	Both equally (vol.)	Neither (vol.)	No opinion
October 22, 2020	57%	41%	*	2%	*
September 29, 2020	64%	34%	*	*	1%

Foreign policy	Biden	Trump	Both equally (vol.)	Neither (vol.)	No opinion
October 22, 2020	50%	48%	*	1%	1%
September 29, 2020	59%	39%	0%	*	1%

Racial inequality in the U.S.	Biden	Trump	Both equally (vol.)	Neither (vol.)	No opinion
October 22, 2020	62%	35%	1%	1%	1%
September 29, 2020	66%	29%	1%	2%	1%

Climate change	Biden	Trump	Both equally (vol.)	Neither (vol.)	No opinion
October 22, 2020	67%	29%	2%	1%	1%



Q104. Thinking about the following characteristics and qualities, please say whether you think each one better described (Joe Biden) or (Donald Trump) during tonight’s debate. [ITEMS READ IN RANDOM ORDER]

Offered a better plan for solving the country’s problems	Biden	Trump	Both equally (vol.)	Neither (vol.)	No opinion
October 22, 2020	54%	42%	*	4%	*
September 29, 2020	63%	30%	*	6%	1%

Seemed to be the stronger leader	Biden	Trump	Both equally (vol.)	Neither (vol.)	No opinion
October 22, 2020	49%	49%	*	1%	1%
September 29, 2020	55%	43%	*	1%	1%

More directly answered the moderator’s questions	Biden	Trump	Both equally (vol.)	Neither (vol.)	No opinion
October 22, 2020	62%	31%	4%	2%	*

His performance tonight raised concerns about how he would handle the presidency	Biden	Trump	Both equally (vol.)	Neither (vol.)	No opinion
October 22, 2020	41%	55%	1%	2%	1%

[ORDER OF Q105 AND Q106 ROTATED]

Q105. In the debate tonight, overall, do you think Joe Biden’s criticism of Donald Trump was fair or unfair?

	Fair	Unfair	No opinion
October 22, 2020	73%	26%	1%
September 29, 2020	69%	28%	3%

Q106. In the debate tonight, overall, do you think Donald Trump’s criticism of Joe Biden was fair or unfair?

	Fair	Unfair	No opinion
October 22, 2020	50%	49%	1%
September 29, 2020	32%	67%	1%



Q107. Overall, did tonight's debate make you more likely to vote for (Joe Biden), or more likely to vote for (Donald Trump), or did tonight's debate not affect how you are likely to vote?

	More likely to vote for Biden	More likely to vote for Trump	No effect on vote	No opinion
October 22, 2020	21%	14%	64%	1%
September 29, 2020	32%	11%	57%	1%

FOR COMPARISON

	More likely to vote for Biden	More likely to vote for Trump	No effect on vote	No opinion
October 07, 2020	26%	20%	55%	*



MORE ON METHODOLOGY

A total of **585** adults were interviewed by telephone nationwide by live interviewers calling both landline and cell phones. Interviews were conducted in English and Spanish. Interviews were conducted October 22, 2020. Among the entire sample, **32%** described themselves as Democrats, **31%** described themselves as Republicans, and **36%** described themselves as independents or members of another party.

Results for the full sample have a margin of sampling error of +/-5.7 percentage points.

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TABLE 002

Question 101

101. Regardless of which candidate you happen to support, who do you think did the best job in the debate: Joe Biden or Donald Trump?

Base: Total Respondents

	Total =====	Men =====	Women =====	White =====	Ppl of Color =====
Biden	53%	47%	60%	45%	SN
Trump	39%	44%	35%	47%	SN
Both did equally well	6%	8%	4%	7%	SN
Neither	1%	1%	1%	2%	SN
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	*	*	*	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	7.9	8.2	6.7	

	Total =====	18-64 =====	65+ =====	<45 =====	45+ =====
Biden	53%	56%	46%	66%	48%
Trump	39%	38%	43%	27%	45%
Both did equally well	6%	4%	10%	6%	6%
Neither	1%	2%	*	1%	1%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	*	*	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	6.8	10.5	10.5	6.8

	Total =====	<\$50K =====	\$50K+ =====	Non- coll. grad. =====	Coll. grad. =====	White non- coll. =====	White coll. grad. =====
Biden	53%	62%	51%	46%	67%	33%	64%
Trump	39%	35%	40%	46%	28%	57%	29%
Both did equally well	6%	3%	7%	7%	4%	8%	5%
Neither	1%	*	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	*	*	0%	*	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	10.3	6.9	7.6	8.3	9.0	9.6

	Total =====	Demo- crat =====	Indep endnt Other =====	Repub lican =====	Lib- eral =====	Mode- rate =====	Con serva tive =====
Biden	53%	93%	55%	11%	90%	56%	18%
Trump	39%	6%	36%	78%	10%	37%	70%
Both did equally well	6%	1%	7%	10%	*	5%	12%
Neither	1%	1%	1%	2%	*	3%	*
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	0%	*	0%	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	9.1	9.7	10.8	11.2	8.7	10.3

	Total =====	Lean Demo- crat =====	Lean Repub lican =====	Biden Supp- orter =====	Trump Supp- orter =====	Mind made up =====	Might chnge mind =====
Biden	53%	91%	12%	89%	9%	57%	SN
Trump	39%	6%	76%	8%	78%	38%	SN
Both did equally well	6%	2%	10%	3%	10%	4%	SN
Neither	1%	*	2%	1%	2%	1%	SN
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	0%	*	0%	*	*	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	7.8	8.4	7.6	9.0	6.2	



CNN/SSRS Poll -- October 22, 2020 to October 22, 2020

TABLE 003

Question 101_PRE

101PRE. Who do you think is likely to do a better job in the presidential debates -- Joe Biden or Donald Trump?

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Ppl of Color
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	57%	53%	60%	50%	SN
Trump	42%	46%	39%	50%	SN
No difference	0%	0%	0%	0%	SN
Don't know/Prefer not to say	1%	1%	1%	*	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	7.9	8.2	6.7	

	Total	18-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	57%	59%	51%	64%	54%
Trump	42%	41%	47%	35%	46%
No difference	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Don't know/Prefer not to say	1%	*	1%	1%	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	6.8	10.5	10.5	6.8

	Total	<\$50K	\$50K+	Non-coll. grad	Coll. grad.	White non-coll.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	57%	57%	57%	50%	69%	39%	68%
Trump	42%	42%	42%	49%	31%	60%	32%
No difference	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Don't know/Prefer not to say	1%	1%	*	1%	0%	1%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	10.3	6.9	7.6	8.3	9.0	9.6

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	57%	95%	61%	13%	87%	62%	23%
Trump	42%	5%	37%	87%	13%	37%	76%
No difference	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Don't know/Prefer not to say	1%	0%	2%	0%	0%	1%	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	9.1	9.7	10.8	11.2	8.7	10.3

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Biden Supp-orter	Trump Supp-orter	Mind made up	Might chnge mind
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	57%	96%	15%	97%	8%	58%	SN
Trump	42%	4%	85%	3%	92%	42%	SN
No difference	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	SN
Don't know/Prefer not to say	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	7.8	8.4	7.6	9.0	6.2	



CNN/SSRS Poll -- October 22, 2020 to October 22, 2020
 TABLE 004

Question 102_JB

102_JB. Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Joe Biden?

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Ppl of Color
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Favorable Opinion	56%	50%	62%	48%	SN
Unfavorable Opinion	43%	50%	37%	50%	SN
Never heard of	0%	0%	0%	0%	SN
No opinion (Net)	1%	*	2%	1%	SN
Heard of, no opinion	1%	*	2%	1%	SN
Refused	*	*	0%	*	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	7.9	8.2	6.7	

	Total	18-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Favorable Opinion	56%	57%	52%	64%	52%
Unfavorable Opinion	43%	42%	47%	35%	47%
Never heard of	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
No opinion (Net)	1%	1%	*	*	1%
Heard of, no opinion	1%	1%	*	*	1%
Refused	*	*	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	6.8	10.5	10.5	6.8

	Total	<\$50K	\$50K+	Non-coll. grad	Coll. grad.	White non-coll.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Favorable Opinion	56%	60%	55%	50%	65%	37%	67%
Unfavorable Opinion	43%	39%	44%	48%	35%	61%	33%
Never heard of	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
No opinion (Net)	1%	1%	1%	1%	*	2%	1%
Heard of, no opinion	1%	1%	1%	1%	*	2%	1%
Refused	*	1%	0%	*	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	10.3	6.9	7.6	8.3	9.0	9.6

	Total	Demo-crat	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Favorable Opinion	56%	96%	57%	13%	88%	59%	22%
Unfavorable Opinion	43%	4%	43%	85%	11%	39%	77%
Never heard of	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
No opinion (Net)	1%	0%	*	3%	*	1%	1%
Heard of, no opinion	1%	0%	*	2%	*	1%	1%
Refused	*	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	9.1	9.7	10.8	11.2	8.7	10.3

	Total	Lean Demo-crat	Lean Repub lican	Biden Supp-orter	Trump Supp-orter	Mind made up	Might chnge mind
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Favorable Opinion	56%	92%	16%	92%	12%	58%	SN
Unfavorable Opinion	43%	8%	82%	8%	86%	41%	SN
Never heard of	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	SN
No opinion (Net)	1%	*	2%	*	2%	1%	SN
Heard of, no opinion	1%	*	2%	*	2%	1%	SN
Refused	*	0%	*	0%	*	*	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	7.8	8.4	7.6	9.0	6.2	



CNN/SSRS Poll -- October 22, 2020 to October 22, 2020

TABLE 006

Question 102_DJT

102_DJT. Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Donald Trump?

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Ppl of Color
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Favorable Opinion	41%	46%	36%	48%	SN
Unfavorable Opinion	58%	53%	63%	50%	SN
Never heard of	0%	0%	0%	0%	SN
No opinion (Net)	1%	1%	1%	1%	SN
Heard of, no opinion	1%	1%	1%	1%	SN
Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	7.9	8.2	6.7	

	Total	18-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Favorable Opinion	41%	38%	49%	28%	46%
Unfavorable Opinion	58%	61%	51%	71%	53%
Never heard of	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
No opinion (Net)	1%	1%	*	1%	1%
Heard of, no opinion	1%	1%	*	1%	1%
Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	6.8	10.5	10.5	6.8

	Total	<\$50K	\$50K+	Non-coll. grad	Coll. grad.	White non-coll.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Favorable Opinion	41%	38%	42%	49%	28%	61%	28%
Unfavorable Opinion	58%	61%	57%	50%	71%	38%	70%
Never heard of	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
No opinion (Net)	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Heard of, no opinion	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	10.3	6.9	7.6	8.3	9.0	9.6

	Total	Demo-crat	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Favorable Opinion	41%	3%	35%	87%	11%	34%	78%
Unfavorable Opinion	58%	96%	64%	11%	89%	64%	21%
Never heard of	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
No opinion (Net)	1%	1%	1%	2%	0%	2%	1%
Heard of, no opinion	1%	1%	1%	2%	0%	2%	1%
Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	9.1	9.7	10.8	11.2	8.7	10.3

	Total	Lean Demo-crat	Lean Repub lican	Biden Supp-orter	Trump Supp-orter	Mind made up	Might chnge mind
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Favorable Opinion	41%	5%	80%	5%	88%	42%	SN
Unfavorable Opinion	58%	94%	18%	94%	11%	58%	SN
Never heard of	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	SN
No opinion (Net)	1%	*	2%	*	1%	1%	SN
Heard of, no opinion	1%	*	2%	*	1%	1%	SN
Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	7.8	8.4	7.6	9.0	6.2	



CNN/SSRS Poll -- October 22, 2020 to October 22, 2020

TABLE 008

Question 103a

103a. Next, regardless of which presidential candidate you support, please tell me if you think Joe Biden or Donald Trump would better handle each of the following issues. First/Next, The economy.

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Ppl of Color
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	44%	35%	53%	36%	SN
Trump	56%	65%	46%	63%	SN
Both equally	*	0%	*	*	SN
Neither	*	*	0%	*	SN
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	0%	1%	1%	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	7.9	8.2	6.7	

	Total	18-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	44%	44%	42%	50%	41%
Trump	56%	55%	58%	49%	58%
Both equally	*	*	*	*	*
Neither	*	0%	*	0%	*
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	1%	*	0%	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	6.8	10.5	10.5	6.8

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	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	44%	48%	42%	36%	56%	23%	56%
Trump	56%	51%	57%	63%	44%	75%	44%
Both equally	*	*	*	*	0%	*	0%
Neither	*	*	0%	0%	*	0%	*
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	10.3	6.9	7.6	8.3	9.0	9.6

	Total	Demo-crat	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	44%	87%	38%	5%	78%	45%	11%
Trump	56%	13%	61%	94%	22%	53%	89%
Both equally	*	0%	1%	0%	0%	*	0%
Neither	*	*	0%	0%	*	0%	0%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	*	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	9.1	9.7	10.8	11.2	8.7	10.3

	Total	Lean Demo-crat	Lean Repub lican	Biden Supp-orter	Trump Supp-orter	Mind made up	Might chnge mind
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	44%	79%	5%	78%	1%	47%	SN
Trump	56%	21%	94%	21%	97%	52%	SN
Both equally	*	*	*	*	0%	*	SN
Neither	*	*	0%	*	0%	*	SN
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	*	1%	*	1%	1%	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	7.8	8.4	7.6	9.0	6.2	



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TABLE 009

Question 103b

103b. Next, regardless of which presidential candidate you support, please tell me if you think Joe Biden or Donald Trump would better handle each of the following issues. First/Next, The response to the coronavirus outbreak.

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Ppl of Color
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	57%	50%	63%	49%	SN
Trump	41%	46%	36%	47%	SN
Both equally	*	*	*	*	SN
Neither	2%	3%	2%	3%	SN
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	*	0%	*	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	7.9	8.2	6.7	

	Total	18-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	57%	59%	49%	68%	51%
Trump	41%	38%	48%	28%	46%
Both equally	*	*	1%	1%	*
Neither	2%	3%	2%	3%	2%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	0%	*	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	6.8	10.5	10.5	6.8

	Total	<\$50K	\$50K+	Non-coll. grad	Coll. grad.	White non-coll.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	57%	61%	55%	48%	71%	37%	69%
Trump	41%	38%	42%	48%	27%	58%	29%
Both equally	*	0%	*	*	1%	*	1%
Neither	2%	1%	3%	3%	1%	5%	1%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	*	0%	*	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	10.3	6.9	7.6	8.3	9.0	9.6

	Total	Demo-crat	Indep Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva-tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	57%	96%	62%	10%	91%	61%	19%
Trump	41%	4%	32%	87%	9%	34%	77%
Both equally	*	0%	1%	*	0%	1%	*
Neither	2%	0%	5%	2%	0%	4%	3%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	0%	0%	*	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	9.1	9.7	10.8	11.2	8.7	10.3

	Total	Lean Demo-crat	Lean Repub lican	Biden Supp-orter	Trump Supp-orter	Mind made up	Might chnge mind
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	57%	95%	14%	95%	8%	58%	SN
Trump	41%	5%	80%	5%	86%	40%	SN
Both equally	*	0%	1%	*	1%	*	SN
Neither	2%	0%	5%	0%	4%	1%	SN
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	0%	*	0%	*	*	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	7.8	8.4	7.6	9.0	6.2	



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TABLE 010

Question 103d

103d. Next, regardless of which presidential candidate you support, please tell me if you think Joe Biden or Donald Trump would better handle each of the following issues. First/Next, Foreign policy.

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Ppl of Color
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	50%	42%	59%	44%	SN
Trump	48%	56%	39%	55%	SN
Both equally	*	*	*	*	SN
Neither	1%	1%	1%	1%	SN
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	1%	1%	*	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	7.9	8.2	6.7	

	Total	18-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	50%	52%	46%	61%	46%
Trump	48%	46%	52%	37%	53%
Both equally	*	0%	1%	0%	*
Neither	1%	1%	0%	2%	1%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	*	1%	*	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	6.8	10.5	10.5	6.8

	Total	<\$50K	\$50K+	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White non-coll.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	50%	54%	49%	42%	65%	30%	65%
Trump	48%	42%	50%	56%	34%	68%	34%
Both equally	*	1%	0%	*	*	0%	*
Neither	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	2%	0%	1%	*	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	10.3	6.9	7.6	8.3	9.0	9.6

	Total	Demo-crat	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva-tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	50%	94%	49%	6%	85%	55%	13%
Trump	48%	5%	48%	92%	13%	43%	85%
Both equally	*	1%	*	0%	*	*	0%
Neither	1%	0%	1%	1%	2%	1%	0%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	1%	1%	0%	*	*	2%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	9.1	9.7	10.8	11.2	8.7	10.3

	Total	Lean Demo-crat	Lean Repub lican	Biden Supp-orter	Trump Supp-orter	Mind made up	Might chnge mind
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	50%	90%	7%	90%	2%	54%	SN
Trump	48%	8%	92%	8%	97%	45%	SN
Both equally	*	*	0%	*	0%	*	SN
Neither	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	SN
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	*	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	7.8	8.4	7.6	9.0	6.2	



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TABLE 011

Question 103f

103f. Next, regardless of which presidential candidate you support, please tell me if you think Joe Biden or Donald Trump would better handle each of the following issues. First/Next, Racial inequality in the U.S.
 Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Ppl of Color
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	62%	57%	67%	54%	SN
Trump	35%	39%	31%	43%	SN
Both equally	1%	1%	*	1%	SN
Neither	1%	2%	*	1%	SN
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	1%	2%	1%	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	7.9	8.2	6.7	

	Total	18-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	62%	65%	54%	76%	56%
Trump	35%	32%	44%	22%	40%
Both equally	1%	1%	*	*	1%
Neither	1%	2%	*	1%	1%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	1%	2%	0%	2%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	6.8	10.5	10.5	6.8

	Total	<\$50K	\$50K+	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White non-coll.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	62%	64%	62%	55%	74%	43%	73%
Trump	35%	34%	35%	41%	24%	54%	24%
Both equally	1%	*	1%	1%	*	1%	1%
Neither	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	2%	1%	2%	*	1%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	10.3	6.9	7.6	8.3	9.0	9.6

	Total	Democrat	Indep Other	Republican	Liberal	Mod-erate	Con-serva-tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	62%	99%	62%	24%	94%	65%	30%
Trump	35%	1%	33%	73%	6%	32%	65%
Both equally	1%	0%	1%	*	0%	1%	*
Neither	1%	0%	2%	2%	0%	1%	4%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	0%	2%	2%	0%	1%	2%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	9.1	9.7	10.8	11.2	8.7	10.3

	Total	Lean Democrat	Lean Republican	Biden Supporter	Trump Supporter	Mind made up	Might chnge mind
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	62%	97%	24%	96%	18%	63%	SN
Trump	35%	2%	71%	3%	77%	36%	SN
Both equally	1%	*	1%	0%	1%	*	SN
Neither	1%	*	2%	*	2%	1%	SN
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	0%	2%	1%	2%	1%	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	7.8	8.4	7.6	9.0	6.2	



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TABLE 012

Question 103g

103g. Next, regardless of which presidential candidate you support, please tell me if you think Joe Biden or Donald Trump would better handle each of the following issues. First/Next, Climate change.

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Ppl of Color
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	67%	68%	67%	63%	SN
Trump	29%	30%	28%	33%	SN
Both equally	2%	1%	2%	1%	SN
Neither	1%	1%	1%	1%	SN
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	*	2%	1%	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	7.9	8.2	6.7	

	Total	18-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	67%	69%	62%	82%	61%
Trump	29%	27%	34%	18%	33%
Both equally	2%	2%	1%	0%	2%
Neither	1%	1%	1%	*	1%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	1%	3%	0%	2%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	6.8	10.5	10.5	6.8

	Total	<\$50K	\$50K+	Non- coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White non- coll.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	67%	71%	67%	61%	78%	54%	77%
Trump	29%	23%	31%	34%	20%	41%	20%
Both equally	2%	2%	1%	2%	*	2%	1%
Neither	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	2%	1%	2%	0%	2%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	10.3	6.9	7.6	8.3	9.0	9.6

	Total	Demo- crat	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib- eral	Mode- rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	67%	98%	71%	32%	94%	71%	39%
Trump	29%	2%	25%	61%	6%	26%	54%
Both equally	2%	*	2%	2%	0%	2%	2%
Neither	1%	0%	1%	2%	0%	*	3%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	*	1%	2%	0%	1%	2%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	9.1	9.7	10.8	11.2	8.7	10.3

	Total	Lean Demo- crat	Lean Repub lican	Biden Supp- orter	Trump Supp- orter	Mind made up	Might chnge mind
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	67%	96%	37%	94%	32%	68%	SN
Trump	29%	3%	57%	3%	62%	29%	SN
Both equally	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	SN
Neither	1%	0%	2%	0%	2%	1%	SN
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	*	1%	1%	2%	1%	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	7.8	8.4	7.6	9.0	6.2	



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TABLE 013

Question 104b

104b. Thinking about the following characteristics and qualities, please say whether you think each one better described Joe Biden or Donald Trump during tonight's debate. First/Next, Offered a better plan for solving the country's problems.

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Ppl of Color
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	54%	45%	62%	45%	SN
Trump	42%	49%	35%	50%	SN
Both equally	*	*	*	*	SN
Neither	4%	5%	2%	4%	SN
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	1%	*	1%	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	7.9	8.2	6.7	

	Total	18-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	54%	56%	48%	66%	48%
Trump	42%	39%	50%	30%	47%
Both equally	*	*	1%	0%	*
Neither	4%	5%	1%	3%	4%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	*	*	1%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	6.8	10.5	10.5	6.8

	Total	<\$50K	\$50K+	Non-coll. grad	Coll. grad.	White non-coll.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	54%	58%	52%	45%	69%	32%	66%
Trump	42%	39%	42%	51%	27%	63%	28%
Both equally	*	1%	*	*	*	0%	1%
Neither	4%	2%	5%	4%	3%	4%	4%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	0%	1%	*	1%	*	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	10.3	6.9	7.6	8.3	9.0	9.6

	Total	Democrat	Indep Other	Republican	Liberal	Mod-erate	Con-serva-tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	54%	96%	54%	9%	89%	58%	16%
Trump	42%	2%	38%	86%	10%	37%	76%
Both equally	*	*	*	*	0%	*	*
Neither	4%	1%	6%	4%	1%	4%	7%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	0%	1%	*	0%	1%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	9.1	9.7	10.8	11.2	8.7	10.3

	Total	Lean Democrat	Lean Republican	Biden Supp-orter	Trump Supp-orter	Mind made up	Might chnge mind
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	54%	93%	11%	92%	4%	55%	SN
Trump	42%	5%	83%	5%	90%	42%	SN
Both equally	*	*	*	*	*	*	SN
Neither	4%	2%	6%	3%	5%	3%	SN
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	0%	1%	0%	*	*	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	7.8	8.4	7.6	9.0	6.2	



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TABLE 014

Question 104d

104d. Thinking about the following characteristics and qualities, please say whether you think each one better described Joe Biden or Donald Trump during tonight's debate. First/Next, Seemed to be the stronger leader.

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Ppl of Color
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	49%	38%	60%	41%	SN
Trump	49%	58%	39%	55%	SN
Both equally	*	1%	*	1%	SN
Neither	1%	2%	1%	2%	SN
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	2%	0%	1%	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	7.9	8.2	6.7	

	Total	18-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	49%	49%	46%	55%	46%
Trump	49%	48%	51%	42%	52%
Both equally	*	*	1%	0%	1%
Neither	1%	2%	1%	3%	1%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	*	2%	0%	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	6.8	10.5	10.5	6.8

	Total	<\$50K	\$50K+	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White non-coll.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	49%	57%	46%	41%	61%	28%	63%
Trump	49%	42%	51%	55%	38%	67%	36%
Both equally	*	*	*	*	*	1%	1%
Neither	1%	1%	2%	2%	*	3%	*
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	10.3	6.9	7.6	8.3	9.0	9.6

	Total	Democrat	Indep Other	Republican	Liberal	Mod-erate	Con-servative
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	49%	90%	48%	6%	82%	52%	15%
Trump	49%	10%	48%	90%	18%	43%	84%
Both equally	*	*	*	1%	*	*	1%
Neither	1%	*	2%	2%	*	3%	*
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%	2%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	9.1	9.7	10.8	11.2	8.7	10.3

	Total	Lean Democrat	Lean Republican	Biden Supporter	Trump Supporter	Mind made up	Might chnge mind
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	49%	86%	8%	86%	3%	52%	SN
Trump	49%	13%	88%	13%	93%	47%	SN
Both equally	*	*	1%	*	1%	*	SN
Neither	1%	*	3%	*	3%	1%	SN
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	7.8	8.4	7.6	9.0	6.2	



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TABLE 015

Question 104e

104e. Thinking about the following characteristics and qualities, please say whether you think each one better described Joe Biden or Donald Trump during tonight's debate. First/Next, More directly answered the moderator's questions.

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Ppl of Color
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	62%	58%	67%	57%	SN
Trump	31%	35%	27%	35%	SN
Both equally	4%	4%	4%	5%	SN
Neither	2%	3%	2%	3%	SN
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	*	0%	*	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	7.9	8.2	6.7	

	Total	18-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	62%	66%	53%	78%	56%
Trump	31%	29%	38%	18%	37%
Both equally	4%	2%	8%	2%	5%
Neither	2%	3%	1%	2%	3%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	0%	*	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	6.8	10.5	10.5	6.8

	Total	<\$50K	\$50K+	Non-coll. grad	Coll. grad.	White non-coll.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	62%	67%	61%	58%	70%	48%	71%
Trump	31%	28%	33%	38%	20%	46%	17%
Both equally	4%	4%	4%	3%	5%	4%	7%
Neither	2%	1%	3%	1%	5%	2%	6%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	0%	*	*	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	10.3	6.9	7.6	8.3	9.0	9.6

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva-tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	62%	94%	68%	23%	87%	68%	32%
Trump	31%	4%	27%	65%	10%	27%	57%
Both equally	4%	*	3%	8%	1%	3%	8%
Neither	2%	1%	3%	4%	2%	3%	3%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	0%	0%	*	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	9.1	9.7	10.8	11.2	8.7	10.3

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Biden Supp-orter	Trump Supp-orter	Mind made up	Might chnge mind
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	62%	93%	29%	92%	24%	62%	SN
Trump	31%	6%	60%	6%	64%	32%	SN
Both equally	4%	1%	7%	1%	7%	4%	SN
Neither	2%	1%	4%	1%	4%	2%	SN
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	*	0%	*	0%	*	*	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	7.8	8.4	7.6	9.0	6.2	



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TABLE 016

Question 104f

104f. Thinking about the following characteristics and qualities, please say whether you think each one better described Joe Biden or Donald Trump during tonight's debate. First/Next, His performance tonight raised concerns about how he would handle the presidency.

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Ppl of Color
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	41%	44%	38%	43%	SN
Trump	55%	51%	59%	52%	SN
Both equally	1%	2%	*	1%	SN
Neither	2%	1%	2%	2%	SN
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	2%	1%	2%	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	7.9	8.2	6.7	

	Total	18-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	41%	39%	46%	31%	45%
Trump	55%	56%	52%	65%	51%
Both equally	1%	1%	*	3%	*
Neither	2%	2%	1%	*	2%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	1%	2%	0%	2%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	6.8	10.5	10.5	6.8

	Total	<\$50K	\$50K+	Non-coll. grad	Coll. grad.	White non-coll.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	41%	47%	38%	46%	33%	49%	33%
Trump	55%	51%	57%	50%	63%	45%	64%
Both equally	1%	*	1%	1%	*	2%	*
Neither	2%	*	2%	1%	3%	1%	3%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	1%	1%	2%	*	2%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	10.3	6.9	7.6	8.3	9.0	9.6

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva-tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	41%	22%	40%	63%	23%	36%	64%
Trump	55%	78%	52%	34%	76%	58%	31%
Both equally	1%	0%	3%	0%	0%	2%	0%
Neither	2%	*	2%	3%	*	2%	3%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	0%	3%	1%	0%	2%	2%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	9.1	9.7	10.8	11.2	8.7	10.3

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Biden Supp-orter	Trump Supp-orter	Mind made up	Might chnge mind
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Biden	41%	24%	60%	24%	63%	41%	SN
Trump	55%	74%	35%	73%	32%	57%	SN
Both equally	1%	0%	2%	0%	2%	0%	SN
Neither	2%	1%	3%	1%	2%	1%	SN
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	2%	*	2%	*	*	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	7.8	8.4	7.6	9.0	6.2	



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TABLE 017
 Question 105

105. In the debate tonight, overall, do you think Joe Biden's criticism of Donald Trump was fair or unfair?
 Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Ppl of Color		
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====		
Fair	73%	76%	70%	70%	SN		
Unfair	26%	23%	28%	28%	SN		
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	2%	1%	2%	SN		
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	7.9	8.2	6.7			

	Total	18-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Fair	73%	78%	59%	79%	70%
Unfair	26%	20%	39%	20%	28%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	6.8	10.5	10.5	6.8

	Total	<\$50K	\$50K+	Non-coll. grad	Coll. grad.	White non-coll.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Fair	73%	66%	76%	68%	81%	63%	81%
Unfair	26%	32%	23%	30%	17%	35%	17%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	10.3	6.9	7.6	8.3	9.0	9.6

	Total	Demo-crat	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Fair	73%	97%	73%	48%	94%	82%	42%
Unfair	26%	3%	26%	49%	6%	16%	56%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	*	1%	3%	0%	2%	2%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	9.1	9.7	10.8	11.2	8.7	10.3

	Total	Lean Demo-crat	Lean Repub lican	Biden Supp-orter	Trump Supp-orter	Mind made up	Might chnge mind
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Fair	73%	93%	51%	93%	47%	74%	SN
Unfair	26%	7%	46%	7%	51%	24%	SN
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	*	3%	*	2%	1%	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	7.8	8.4	7.6	9.0	6.2	



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TABLE 018
 Question 106

106. In the debate tonight, overall, do you think Donald Trump's criticism of Joe Biden was fair or unfair?
 Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Ppl of Color		
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====		
Fair	50%	55%	45%	56%	SN		
Unfair	49%	43%	55%	43%	SN		
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	2%	*	1%	SN		
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	7.9	8.2	6.7			
	Total	18-64	65+	<45	45+		
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====		
Fair	50%	50%	51%	42%	54%		
Unfair	49%	49%	48%	56%	46%		
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%		
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	6.8	10.5	10.5	6.8		
	Total	<\$50K	\$50K+	Non- coll. grad	Coll. grad.	White non- coll.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Fair	50%	46%	51%	55%	41%	65%	42%
Unfair	49%	53%	48%	44%	58%	34%	56%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	1%	1%	*	2%	1%	2%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	10.3	6.9	7.6	8.3	9.0	9.6
	Total	Demo- crat	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib- eral	Mode- rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Fair	50%	17%	49%	85%	23%	48%	77%
Unfair	49%	82%	49%	15%	76%	51%	22%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	1%	2%	0%	1%	1%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	9.1	9.7	10.8	11.2	8.7	10.3
	Total	Lean Demo- crat	Lean Repub lican	Biden Supp- orter	Trump Supp- orter	Mind made up	Might chnge mind
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Fair	50%	18%	85%	18%	89%	48%	SN
Unfair	49%	82%	14%	81%	11%	51%	SN
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	1%	1%	1%	*	1%	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	7.8	8.4	7.6	9.0	6.2	



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TABLE 019
 Question 107

107. Overall, did tonight's debate make you more likely to vote for Joe Biden, or more likely to vote for Donald Trump, or did tonight's debate not affect how you are likely to vote?

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Ppl of Color		
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====		
More likely to vote for Biden	21%	16%	25%	14%	SN		
More likely to vote for Trump	14%	17%	11%	16%	SN		
No effect on vote	64%	65%	63%	70%	SN		
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	1%	*	1%	SN		
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	7.9	8.2	6.7			

	Total	18-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
More likely to vote for Biden	21%	21%	20%	19%	21%
More likely to vote for Trump	14%	14%	16%	10%	16%
No effect on vote	64%	65%	63%	71%	62%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	*	1%	*	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	6.8	10.5	10.5	6.8

	Total	<\$50K	\$50K+	Non-coll. grad.	Coll. grad.	White non-coll.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
More likely to vote for Biden	21%	32%	17%	20%	22%	10%	21%
More likely to vote for Trump	14%	12%	15%	16%	11%	18%	12%
No effect on vote	64%	56%	68%	63%	66%	72%	67%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	10.3	6.9	7.6	8.3	9.0	9.6

	Total	Demo-crat	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
More likely to vote for Biden	21%	39%	19%	4%	41%	18%	6%
More likely to vote for Trump	14%	1%	16%	26%	1%	13%	27%
No effect on vote	64%	60%	65%	68%	58%	67%	66%
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	1%	*	1%	0%	1%	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	9.1	9.7	10.8	11.2	8.7	10.3

	Total	Lean Demo-crat	Lean Repub lican	Biden Supp-orter	Trump Supp-orter	Mind made up	Might chnge mind
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
More likely to vote for Biden	21%	36%	3%	35%	1%	20%	SN
More likely to vote for Trump	14%	1%	29%	0%	33%	13%	SN
No effect on vote	64%	63%	67%	64%	65%	66%	SN
Don't know/Undecided/Refused	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.7	7.8	8.4	7.6	9.0	6.2	