



#### OVERVIEW

The study was conducted for CNN via web on the SSRS Opinion Panel, a nationally representative panel of U.S. adults ages 18 or older recruited using probability-based sampling techniques. SSRS is an independent research company. Surveys were obtained **October 7-11, 2021** with a representative sample of **n=1,000** respondents. The margin of sampling error for total respondents is **+/- 4.2** at the 95% confidence level. The design effect is **1.81**. More information about SSRS can be obtained by visiting [www.ssrs.com](http://www.ssrs.com).

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#### NOTE ABOUT RESULTS

Results for the August 3-September 7, 2021 survey are from a poll conducted via web and phone that implemented a full probability design via Address-Based Sampling (ABS). Results for the March 25-26, 2019 survey and September 21-22, 2020 survey are from polls conducted via web on the SSRS Opinion Panel. Unless otherwise noted, all other results beginning with the August 3-6, 2017 survey and ending with the April 21-26, 2021 survey are from polls conducted by SSRS via telephone only.

Results beginning with the March 31-April 2, 2006 survey and ending with the April 22-25, 2017 survey are from telephone surveys conducted by ORC International. Results before March 31, 2006 are from telephone 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

Surveys were conducted among a representative sample of the adult population, age 18 or older, of the United States. Members of demographic groups not shown in the published crosstabs are represented in the results for each question in the poll. Crosstabs on the pages that follow only include results for subgroups with a minimum N=125 unweighted cases. Results for subgroups with fewer than N=125 unweighted cases are not displayed and instead are denoted with "SN" because samples of that size carry larger margins of sampling error and can be too small to be projectable with confidence to their true values in the population.



A1. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling his job as president?

	Approve	Disapprove	No opinion
October 7-11, 2021	50%	49%	*
Aug. 3-Sept. 7, 2021	52%	48%	*
April 21-26, 2021	53%	43%	4%
March 3-8, 2021	51%	41%	7%

Q2. Since taking office, do you think Joe Biden has done more to: [RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

	Unite the country	Divide the country	No opinion
October 7-11, 2021	51%	49%	*



Q3. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Congress is handling its job?

	Approve	Disapprove	No opinion
October 7-11, 2021	27%	73%	*
April 21-26, 2021	31%	64%	5%
December 06-09, 2018	21%	68%	11%
October 04-07, 2018	17%	74%	9%
March 22-25, 2018	18%	75%	7%
January 14-18, 2018	18%	76%	6%
August 03-06, 2017*	20%	75%	5%
April 22-25, 2017	24%	74%	3%
March 01-04, 2017	28%	69%	3%
January 12-15, 2017	20%	77%	3%
March 17-20, 2016	15%	81%	3%
December 17-21, 2015	14%	85%	2%
February 12-15, 2015	21%	78%	2%
Oct. 24-26, 2014	13%	85%	2%
September 05-07, 2014	14%	83%	3%
October 18-20, 2013	12%	86%	2%
September 27-29, 2013	10%	87%	4%
September 06-08, 2013	20%	78%	3%
June 11-13, 2013	16%	83%	1%
January 14-15, 2013	21%	79%	1%
November 02-04, 2012*	17%	74%	9%
January 11-12, 2012	11%	86%	2%
December 16-18, 2011	16%	83%	1%
September 09-11, 2011	15%	84%	1%
August 1, 2011	14%	84%	2%
January 21-23, 2011	26%	72%	2%
January 08-10, 2010	27%	72%	1%
October 16-18, 2009	29%	69%	2%
April 03-05, 2009	35%	63%	2%
February 07-08, 2009	29%	71%	*
October 03-05, 2008	23%	76%	1%
September 19-21, 2008	22%	78%	1%

\* Asked of half sample.

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Q3. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Congress is handling its job? (CONTINUED)

GALLUP AND CNN/USA TODAY/GALLUP FOR COMPARISON

	App	Dis	DK		App	Dis	DK		App	Dis	DK		App	Dis	DK
<b>2008</b>								<b>1998</b>				<b>1993</b>			
2008 July 27-29	22	77	1	2003 Mar 3-5	48	44	8	1998 Dec 15-16	42	52	6	1993 Nov 2-4	24	69	8
<b>2007</b>				2003 Feb 3-6	50	39	11	1998 Nov 13-15	41	54	5	1993 Aug 8-10	23	69	8
2007 Oct 12-14	22	75	3	2003 Jan 13-16	49	40	11	1998 Oct 29-Nov 1	44	47	9	1993 Jul 19-21	24	65	11
<b>2006</b>				<b>2002</b>				1998 Oct 9-12	47	46	7	<b>1992</b>			
2006 Oct 6-8	28	63	9	2002 Dec 5-8	50	40	10	1998 Oct 6-7	44	48	8	1992 Mar 3 *	18	78	3
2006 Mar 13-16	27	65	8	2002 Nov 11-14	47	39	14	1998 Sep 11-12	55	36	9	<b>1991</b>			
2006 Feb 6-9	25	65	10	2002 Oct 3-6	50	40	10	1998 May 8-10	44	48	8	1991 Oct 10-13	40	54	6
2006 Jan 9-12	27	67	7	2002 Sep 5-8	52	40	8	1998 Apr 17-19	49	40	11	1991 Jul 25-28	32	53	15
<b>2005</b>				2002 Aug 5-8	46	43	11	1998 Feb 13-15	57	33	10	<b>1990</b>			
2005 Dec 5-8	29	63	8	2002 Jul 26-28	53	36	11	1998 Jan 30-Feb 1	56	35	9	1990 Nov 2-4	26	63	11
2005 Nov 7-10	29	63	8	2002 Jul 9-11	54	36	10	1998 Jan 16-18	42	47	11	1990 Oct 25-28	24	68	8
2005 Oct 13-16	29	64	7	2002 Jun 3-6	52	38	10	<b>1997</b>				1990 Oct 18-21	23	64	13
2005 Sep 12-15	35	59	6	2002 May 6-9	57	33	10	1997 Dec 18-21	39	52	9	1990 Oct 11-14	28	65	7
2005 Aug 8-11	36	58	6	2002 Apr 8-11	57	34	9	1997 Oct 27-29	36	53	11	<b>1988</b>			
2005 Jul 7-10	36	58	6	2002 Mar 4-7	63	28	9	1997 Aug 22-25	41	48	11	1988 Sep 9-11	42	42	16
2005 Jun 6-8	34	59	7	2002 Feb 4-6	62	28	10	1997 Jul 25-27	34	57	9	<b>1987</b>			
2005 May 2-5	35	57	8	2002 Jan 7-9	62	29	9	1997 May 6-7	32	58	10	1987 Aug 24-Sep 2	42	49	9
2005 Apr 4-7	38	54	8	<b>2001</b>				1997 Apr 18-20	30	59	11	<b>1986</b>			
2005 Mar 7-10	37	53	10	2001 Dec 6-9	72	19	9	1997 Feb 24-26	37	48	15	1986 Apr 11-14	42	37	21
2005 Feb 7-10	45	48	7	2001 Nov 8-11	73	19	8	1997 Jan 31-Feb 2	36	51	13	<b>1983</b>			
2005 Jan 3-5	43	48	9	2001 Oct 11-14	84	10	6	1997 Jan 10-13	41	49	10	1983 Apr 29-May 2	33	43	24
<b>2004</b>				2001 Sep 7-10	42	44	14	<b>1996</b>				<b>1982</b>			
2004 Dec 5-8	41	50	9	2001 Aug 16-19	50	37	13	1996 Oct 26-29	34	51	15	1982 Jun 11-14	29	54	17
2004 Nov 7-10	41	52	7	2001 Aug 3-5	47	42	11	1996 Aug 5-7	39	49	12	<b>1981</b>			
2004 Oct 11-14	40	51	9	2001 Jul 19-22	49	37	14	1996 May 9-12	30	65	5	1981 Jun 19-22	38	40	22
2004 Sep 13-15	41	52	7	2001 Jun 11-17	51	34	15	1996 Apr 9-10	35	57	8	<b>1980</b>			
2004 Aug 9-11	40	52	8	2001 May 10-14	49	34	17	<b>1995</b>				1980 Jun 13-16	25	56	19
2004 Jul 8-11	40	53	7	2001 Apr 6-8	55	32	13	1995 Sep 22-24	30	61	9	<b>1979</b>			
2004 Jun 3-6	41	52	7	2001 Mar 5-7	55	28	17	1995 Aug 28-30	30	60	10	1979 Jun 1-4	19	61	20
2004 May 2-4	41	52	7	2001 Feb 1-4	53	32	15	1995 Jul 7-9	35	55	10	<b>1978</b>			
2004 Apr 5-8	43	51	6	2001 Jan 10-14	50	40	10	1995 May 11-14	34	57	9	1978 Sep 8-11	29	49	22
2004 Mar 8-11	42	51	7	<b>2000</b>				1995 Apr 17-19	37	54	9	<b>1977</b>			
2004 Feb 9-12	41	51	8	2000 Dec 2-4	56	34	10	1995 Mar 27-29	31	61	8	1977 Sep 9-12	35	44	21
2004 Jan 12-15	48	45	7	2000 Oct 6-9	49	42	9	1995 Mar 17-19	32	59	9	1977 Aug 5-8	36	44	20
<b>2003</b>				2000 Aug 29-Sep 5	48	42	10	1995 Feb 24-26	35	53	12	1977 Jun 3-6	34	42	24
2003 Dec 11-14	43	50	7	2000 May 18-21	39	52	9	1995 Feb 3-5	38	53	9	1977 May 20-23	40	40	20
2003 Nov 3-5	43	51	6	2000 Jan 7-10	51	42	7	1995 Jan 16-18	33	52	15	1977 Mar 25-28	36	42	22
2003 Oct 6-8	41	51	8	<b>1999</b>				<b>1994</b>				<b>1976</b>			
2003 Sep 8-10	40	53	7	1999 Sep 23-26	37	56	7	1994 Dec 28-30	23	66	11	1976 Jan 23-26	24	58	18
2003 Aug 4-6	45	46	9	1999 Jul 13-14	39	51	10	1994 Oct 22-25	23	70	7	<b>1975</b>			
2003 Jul 7-9	49	45	6	1999 Jun 11-13	41	53	6	1994 Oct 7-9	21	73	6	1975 Oct 31-Nov 3	28	54	18
2003 Jun 12-15	50	41	9	1999 Apr 13-14	45	47	8	1994 Jul 15-17	27	65	8	1975 Jun 27-30	29	54	17
2003 May 5-7	49	44	7	1999 Feb 12-13	41	54	5	1994 Mar 25-27	29	63	8	1975 Apr 18-21	38	48	14
2003 Apr 7-9	58	33	9	1999 Jan 15-17	50	46	4	1994 Feb 26-28	28	66	6	1975 Feb 28-Mar 3	32	50	18



Q4. Do you think it is (good for the country) or (bad for the country) that the Democratic Party is in control of Congress?

	Good for the country	Bad for the country	Neither good nor bad	No opinion
October 7-11, 2021	36%	38%	26%	*

COMPARE TO:

	Good for the country	Bad for the country	Neither good nor bad (vol.)	No opinion
November 2-5, 2017	38%	51%	6%	5%

\*\* QUESTION WORDING: Do you think it is good for the country or bad for the country that the Republican Party is in control of Congress?

CNN/ORC TRENDS FOR COMPARISON

	Good for the country	Bad for the country	Neither (vol.)	No opinion
2010 Jan. 22-24	45%	48%	7%	1%
2009 June 26-28	50%	41%	7%	2%
2007 Dec. 6-9*	53%	37%	8%	2%
2007 June 22-24	57%	31%	7%	5%
2007 May 4-6	51%	37%	9%	3%
2007 Mar. 9-11	59%	29%	6%	6%
*Asked of a half sample.				
** QUESTION WORDING: Do you think it is good for the country or bad for the country that the Democratic Party is in control of Congress?				



Q4A. How closely have you been following news about the recent congressional negotiations over an infrastructure bill and an economic bill? [RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

	NET Closely	Very closely	Somewhat closely	NET Not closely	Not too closely	Not closely at all	No opinion
October 7-11, 2021	58%	16%	42%	42%	30%	12%	0%

As you may know, Congress is considering two bills which include significant pieces of Joe Biden's policy agenda. One is an infrastructure bill, which has passed the Senate with bipartisan support, but has not yet passed the House. The second is an economic bill, which would expand social safety net programs and enacts policies to combat climate change. The next few questions are about these two bills.

Q5. Thinking about the economic bill, which would you prefer? For Congress to: [RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

	Pass a bill that enacts all of the proposed social safety net and climate change policies	Pass a bill that enacts fewer of those policies, but which costs less money	Not pass any version of the bill	No opinion
October 7-11, 2021	41%	30%	29%	1%

Q6. From what you know about the two bills, do you think you and your family would, in general, be (better off), (worse off), or about the same if they become law?

	Better off	Worse off	About the same	No opinion
October 7-11, 2021	25%	32%	43%	*

COMPARE TO:

	Better off	Worse off	About the same	No opinion
December 14-17, 2017	21%	37%	36%	5%
November 2-5, 2017	21%	32%	36%	12%
October 12-15, 2017	24%	31%	37%	8%

\*\* QUESTION WORDING: From what you know of those proposals (tax reform proposals made by the Republicans in Congress / tax reform proposals made by the Trump administration), do you think you and your family will be better off, worse off, or about the same if they are passed and signed into law?

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Q6. From what you know about the two bills, do you think you and your family would, in general, be (better off), (worse off), or about the same if they become law? (CONTINUED)

CNN/ORC TRENDS FOR COMPARISON

	<u>Better off</u>	<u>Worse off</u>	<u>About the same</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2017 Jan. 12-15**	22%	30%	47%	1%
2014 Jul. 18-20***	18%	35%	46%	1%
2013 Sept. 27-29****	17%	40%	41%	2%
2010 Sept. 21-23*****	18%	37%	43%	3%
2010 Mar. 25-28*****	22%	39%	37%	1%
2010 Mar. 19-21*****	19%	47%	33%	*
2009 Sept. 11-13*****	21%	35%	43%	1%
2009 Aug. 28-31*****	21%	28%	40%	*
2009 June 26-28*****	20%	35%	44%	1%
**QUESTION WORDING: From what you know of that legislation, do you think you and your family are, in general, better off, worse off or about the same since the major provisions of the health care law have taken effect?				
*** QUESTION WORDING: From what you know of that legislation, do you think you and your family would, in general, be better off, worse off or about the same now that the major provisions of the health care law have taken effect?				
**** QUESTION WORDING: From what you know of that legislation, do you think you and your family would, in general, be better off, worse off or about the same when the provisions of the health care law take effect?				
***** QUESTION WORDING: From what you know of that legislation, do you think you and your family would, in general, be better off, worse off or about the same if it becomes law?				
***** QUESTION WORDING: From what you know of those health care reforms, do you think you and your family would, in general, be better off, worse off or about the same?				

CNN/TIME TRENDS FOR COMPARISON

	<u>Better off</u>	<u>Worse off</u>	<u>About the same</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
1994 Aug 17-18**	20%	31%	45%	4%
1994 July**	15%	31%	50%	4%
1994 Jan**	18%	29%	50%	3%
1993 Oct**	20%	29%	48%	3%
1993 Sept**	20%	21%	57%	2%
** QUESTION WORDING: From what you know of those health care reforms, do you think you and your family would, in general, be better off, worse off or about the same?				



**(Democrats/Democratic-leaning independents, N=572)**

Q7. Based on what you know, do you approve or disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling Congress's negotiations over the infrastructure bill and the economic bill?

	Approve	Disapprove	No opinion
October 7-11, 2021	82%	18%	*

**(Democrats/Democratic-leaning independents who disapprove of the way Biden is handling Congress's negotiations over the infrastructure bill and the economic bill, N=113)**

Q7A. Do you disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling the negotiations more because: **[FIRST TWO RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]**

	You don't think he is doing enough to support the progressives in Congress	You don't think he is doing enough to support the moderates in Congress	Some other reason	No opinion
October 7-11, 2021	30%	37%	32%	0%

**(Democrats/Democratic-leaning independents, N=572)**

Q7. Based on what you know, do you approve or disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling Congress's negotiations over the infrastructure bill and the economic bill?

Q7A. Do you disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling the negotiations more because: **[FIRST TWO RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]**

Q7/Q7A COMBO TABLE

	Approve	Disapprove	Dis-approve, Not doing enough to support the progressives in Congress	Dis-approve, Not doing enough to support the moderates in Congress	Dis-approve, Some other reason	Dis-approve, No opinion	No opinion
October 7-11, 2021	82%	18%	5%	7%	6%	0%	*





Q8. Please indicate whether you think each of the following political officeholders deserves to be reelected or not.  
[FIRST TWO ITEMS ASKED IN RANDOM ORDER]

Most Democratic members of Congress	Yes, deserve reelection	No, do not deserve reelection	No opinion
October 7-11, 2021	46%	54%	*

Most Republican members of Congress	Yes, deserve reelection	No, do not deserve reelection	No opinion
October 7-11, 2021	37%	63%	*

The U.S. representative in your congressional district	Yes, deserves reelection	No, does not deserve reelection	No opinion
October 7-11, 2021	55%	45%	*

(Republicans/Republican-leaning independents, N=423)

Q9. In general, would you say the Republican Party is: [RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

	Mostly united	Mostly divided	No opinion
October 7-11, 2021	70%	30%	0%

(Democrats/Democratic-leaning independents, N=572)

Q10. In general, would you say the Democratic Party is: [RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

	Mostly united	Mostly divided	No opinion
October 7-11, 2021	74%	26%	0%

(Democrats/Democratic-leaning independents, N=572)

Q11. Which group of Democrats do you think is doing more to help the Democratic Party? [RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

	Progressives who are trying to enact ambitious liberal policies	Moderates who are trying to contain government spending	No opinion
October 7-11, 2021	49%	51%	0%



#### MORE ON METHODOLOGY

A total of n=1,000 adults were surveyed via web on the SSRS Opinion Panel, a nationally representative panel of U.S. adults ages 18 or older recruited using probability-based sampling techniques. Surveys were conducted in English and Spanish.

Among the entire sample, **35%** described themselves as Democrats, **29%** described themselves as Republicans, and **36%** described themselves as independents or members of another party.

The entire sample was weighted to reflect national Census figures for gender, race, age, education, region of country, population density, and civic engagement, and Pew Research Center's NPORS figures for religious affiliation. The sample was also weighted for self-reported party identification. The benchmark for party identification was taken from CNN's national poll conducted by SSRS via web and phone from August 3-September 7, 2021, which implemented a full probability design via Address-Based Sampling (ABS).

Results for the full sample have a margin of sampling error of +/- 4.2 percentage points.

Surveys were conducted among a representative sample of the adult population, age 18 or older, of the United States. Members of demographic groups not shown in the published crosstabs are represented in the results for each question in the poll. Crosstabs on the pages that follow only include results for subgroups with a minimum n=125 unweighted cases. Results for subgroups with fewer than n=125 unweighted cases are not displayed and instead are denoted with "SN" because samples of that size carry larger margins of sampling error and can be too small to be projectable with confidence to their true values in the population.



CNN/SSRS Poll -- October 07, 2021 to October 11, 2021

TABLE 001

Question A1

A1. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling his job as president?

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Ppl of Color	Biden ap- prove	Biden disap prove
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	50%	45%	55%	42%	65%	100%	0%
Disapprove	49%	55%	45%	58%	34%	0%	100%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	6.2	5.8	5.2	7.3	5.8	6.0

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	50%	54%	57%	43%	47%	55%	47%
Disapprove	49%	46%	43%	57%	53%	45%	53%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	8.5	8.0	8.1	8.9	6.3	5.5

	Total	<\$50K	\$50K+	Non- coll. grad	Coll. grad.	White non- coll.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	50%	48%	53%	44%	62%	31%	58%
Disapprove	49%	52%	47%	56%	38%	69%	42%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	*	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	6.4	5.5	5.4	6.4	6.8	7.8

	Total	Demo- crat	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib- eral	Mode- rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	50%	88%	45%	12%	83%	60%	13%
Disapprove	49%	12%	55%	88%	17%	40%	87%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	7.1	6.5	8.3	8.4	6.1	7.8

	Total	Lean Demo- crat	Lean Repub lican	Reg. voter
	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	50%	83%	11%	50%
Disapprove	49%	17%	89%	50%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	5.6	6.3	4.5



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TABLE 002

Question 2

2. Since taking office, do you think Joe Biden has done more to:

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Ppl of Color	Biden ap- prove	Biden disap prove
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Unite the country	51%	46%	55%	43%	65%	93%	8%
Divide the country	49%	54%	45%	57%	34%	7%	92%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	6.2	5.8	5.2	7.3	5.8	6.0

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Unite the country	51%	54%	59%	42%	48%	56%	47%
Divide the country	49%	46%	41%	57%	52%	44%	52%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	8.5	8.0	8.1	8.9	6.3	5.5

	Total	<\$50K	\$50K+	Non- coll. grad	Coll. grad.	White non- coll.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Unite the country	51%	47%	55%	42%	66%	29%	64%
Divide the country	49%	53%	45%	58%	34%	71%	36%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	*	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	6.4	5.5	5.4	6.4	6.8	7.8

	Total	Demo- crat	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib- eral	Mode- rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Unite the country	51%	87%	46%	13%	86%	60%	14%
Divide the country	49%	13%	54%	87%	14%	40%	86%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	7.1	6.5	8.3	8.4	6.1	7.8

	Total	Lean Demo- crat	Lean Repub lican	Reg. voter
	=====	=====	=====	=====
Unite the country	51%	84%	12%	50%
Divide the country	49%	16%	88%	50%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	5.6	6.3	4.5



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TABLE 003

Question 3

3. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Congress is handling its job?

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Ppl of Color	Biden ap- prove	Biden disap prove
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	27%	19%	33%	18%	43%	44%	8%
Disapprove	73%	81%	67%	82%	57%	56%	92%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	6.2	5.8	5.2	7.3	5.8	6.0

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	27%	37%	32%	19%	15%	36%	19%
Disapprove	73%	63%	68%	80%	85%	64%	81%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	8.5	8.0	8.1	8.9	6.3	5.5

	Total	<\$50K	\$50K+	Non- coll. grad	Coll. grad.	White non- coll.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	27%	32%	22%	26%	27%	15%	22%
Disapprove	73%	68%	78%	74%	73%	85%	78%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	*	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	6.4	5.5	5.4	6.4	6.8	7.8

	Total	Demo- crat	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib- eral	Mode- rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	27%	44%	22%	11%	41%	29%	13%
Disapprove	73%	56%	78%	89%	59%	71%	87%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	7.1	6.5	8.3	8.4	6.1	7.8

	Total	Lean Demo- crat	Lean Repub lican	Reg. voter
	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	27%	39%	12%	24%
Disapprove	73%	61%	88%	76%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	5.6	6.3	4.5



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TABLE 004

Question 4

4. Do you think it is good for the country or bad for the country that the Democratic Party is in control of Congress?

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Ppl of Color	Biden ap- prove	Biden disap prove
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Good for the country	36%	33%	39%	32%	44%	67%	5%
Bad for the country	38%	45%	32%	48%	20%	4%	72%
Neither good nor bad	26%	22%	29%	20%	36%	28%	23%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	6.2	5.8	5.2	7.3	5.8	6.0

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Good for the country	36%	38%	35%	32%	39%	36%	37%
Bad for the country	38%	23%	33%	47%	50%	28%	46%
Neither good nor bad	26%	38%	31%	20%	11%	36%	17%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	8.5	8.0	8.1	8.9	6.3	5.5

	Total	<\$50K	\$50K+	Non- coll. grad	Coll. grad.	White non- coll.	White coll.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Good for the country	36%	34%	38%	30%	47%	24%	44%
Bad for the country	38%	36%	40%	43%	29%	58%	34%
Neither good nor bad	26%	30%	22%	27%	24%	19%	22%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	*	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	6.4	5.5	5.4	6.4	6.8	7.8

	Total	Demo- crat	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib- eral	Mode- rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Good for the country	36%	77%	23%	4%	70%	40%	7%
Bad for the country	38%	4%	35%	83%	3%	27%	78%
Neither good nor bad	26%	20%	42%	13%	26%	33%	15%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	7.1	6.5	8.3	8.4	6.1	7.8

	Total	Lean Demo- crat	Lean Repub lican	Reg. voter
	=====	=====	=====	=====
Good for the country	36%	64%	3%	37%
Bad for the country	38%	5%	77%	42%
Neither good nor bad	26%	31%	20%	21%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	5.6	6.3	4.5



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TABLE 012

Question 4a

4a. How closely have you been following news about the recent congressional negotiations over an infrastructure bill and an economic bill?

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Ppl of Color	Biden approve	Biden disapprove
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Very/Somewhat closely (Net)	58%	69%	49%	60%	53%	59%	57%
Very closely	16%	23%	9%	18%	11%	14%	18%
Somewhat closely	42%	46%	39%	42%	43%	46%	39%
Not too closely/Not closely at all (Net)	42%	31%	51%	40%	47%	41%	43%
Not too closely	30%	22%	36%	28%	32%	29%	30%
Not closely at all	12%	9%	16%	11%	15%	12%	13%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	6.2	5.8	5.2	7.3	5.8	6.0

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Very/Somewhat closely (Net)	58%	38%	58%	64%	76%	46%	68%
Very closely	16%	8%	11%	18%	26%	9%	21%
Somewhat closely	42%	29%	46%	46%	49%	36%	47%
Not too closely/Not closely at all (Net)	42%	62%	42%	36%	24%	54%	32%
Not too closely	30%	40%	30%	25%	22%	36%	25%
Not closely at all	12%	22%	12%	11%	3%	19%	7%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	8.5	8.0	8.1	8.9	6.3	5.5

	Total	<\$50K	\$50K+	Non-coll. grad	Coll. grad.	White non-coll.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Very/Somewhat closely (Net)	58%	56%	60%	55%	63%	56%	67%
Very closely	16%	15%	16%	16%	15%	19%	17%
Somewhat closely	42%	40%	44%	39%	48%	36%	50%
Not too closely/Not closely at all (Net)	42%	44%	40%	45%	37%	44%	33%
Not too closely	30%	29%	30%	31%	28%	32%	23%
Not closely at all	12%	16%	9%	14%	9%	12%	10%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	6.4	5.5	5.4	6.4	6.8	7.8

	Total	Demo-cratic	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib-eral	Mode-rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Very/Somewhat closely (Net)	58%	58%	57%	59%	54%	60%	59%
Very closely	16%	15%	14%	19%	18%	13%	18%
Somewhat closely	42%	44%	43%	40%	36%	47%	41%
Not too closely/Not closely at all (Net)	42%	42%	43%	41%	46%	40%	41%
Not too closely	30%	30%	28%	31%	30%	29%	31%
Not closely at all	12%	12%	14%	10%	16%	11%	10%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	7.1	6.5	8.3	8.4	6.1	7.8

	Total	Lean Demo-cratic	Lean Repub lican	Reg. voter
	=====	=====	=====	=====
Very/Somewhat closely (Net)	58%	57%	60%	63%
Very closely	16%	13%	18%	18%
Somewhat closely	42%	44%	41%	45%
Not too closely/Not closely at all (Net)	42%	43%	40%	37%
Not too closely	30%	31%	28%	27%
Not closely at all	12%	12%	12%	10%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	5.6	6.3	4.5



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TABLE 013

Question 5

5. Thinking about the economic bill, which would you prefer? For Congress to:

Base: Total Respondents

	Total =====	Men =====	Women =====	White =====	Ppl of Color =====	Biden ap- prove =====	Biden disap prove =====
Pass a bill that enacts all of the proposed social safety net and climate change policies.....	41%	36%	45%	35%	52%	67%	14%
Pass a bill that enacts fewer of those policies, but which costs less money.....	30%	29%	32%	28%	32%	27%	32%
Not pass any version of the bill	29%	34%	23%	36%	15%	5%	53%
Don't know/Refused	1%	1%	*	*	1%	1%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	6.2	5.8	5.2	7.3	5.8	6.0

	Total =====	18-34 =====	35-49 =====	50-64 =====	65+ =====	<45 =====	45+ =====
Pass a bill that enacts all of the proposed social safety net and climate change policies.....	41%	51%	48%	32%	31%	49%	35%
Pass a bill that enacts fewer of those policies, but which costs less money.....	30%	23%	32%	35%	30%	28%	31%
Not pass any version of the bill	29%	26%	21%	33%	38%	23%	33%
Don't know/Refused	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	8.5	8.0	8.1	8.9	6.3	5.5

	Total =====	<\$50K =====	\$50K+ =====	Non- coll. grad =====	Coll. grad. =====	White non- coll. =====	White coll. grad. =====
Pass a bill that enacts all of the proposed social safety net and climate change policies.....	41%	43%	39%	38%	47%	28%	45%
Pass a bill that enacts fewer of those policies, but which costs less money.....	30%	27%	32%	27%	34%	26%	31%
Not pass any version of the bill	29%	30%	28%	34%	19%	45%	24%
Don't know/Refused	1%	*	1%	1%	*	1%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	6.4	5.5	5.4	6.4	6.8	7.8

	Total =====	Demo- crat =====	Indep endnt Other =====	Repub lican =====	Lib- eral =====	Mode- rate =====	Con serva tive =====
Pass a bill that enacts all of the proposed social safety net and climate change policies.....	41%	75%	36%	6%	73%	43%	14%
Pass a bill that enacts fewer of those policies, but which costs less money.....	30%	20%	32%	39%	21%	36%	28%
Not pass any version of the bill	29%	4%	32%	55%	5%	20%	58%
Don't know/Refused	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	7.1	6.5	8.3	8.4	6.1	7.8

	Total =====	Lean Demo- crat =====	Lean Repub lican =====	Reg. voter =====
Pass a bill that enacts all of the proposed social safety net and climate change policies.....	41%	68%	9%	39%
Pass a bill that enacts fewer of those policies, but which costs less money.....	30%	26%	35%	29%
Not pass any version of the bill	29%	5%	57%	31%
Don't know/Refused	1%	1%	0%	1%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	5.6	6.3	4.5





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TABLE 014

Question 6

6. From what you know about the two bills, do you think you and your family would, in general, be better off, worse off, or about the same if they become law?

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Ppl of Color	Biden ap- prove	Biden disap prove
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Better off	25%	28%	23%	24%	28%	44%	7%
Worse off	32%	39%	25%	39%	18%	5%	60%
About the same	43%	32%	52%	37%	53%	52%	34%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	6.2	5.8	5.2	7.3	5.8	6.0

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Better off	25%	25%	32%	24%	20%	28%	23%
Worse off	32%	20%	26%	39%	44%	24%	38%
About the same	43%	54%	42%	37%	36%	48%	38%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	8.5	8.0	8.1	8.9	6.3	5.5

	Total	<\$50K	\$50K+	Non- coll. grad	Coll. grad.	White non- coll.	White coll.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Better off	25%	22%	28%	20%	35%	17%	33%
Worse off	32%	31%	32%	36%	24%	47%	28%
About the same	43%	47%	39%	44%	41%	36%	39%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	*	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	6.4	5.5	5.4	6.4	6.8	7.8

	Total	Demo- crat	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib- eral	Mode- rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Better off	25%	49%	20%	4%	53%	26%	4%
Worse off	32%	6%	31%	65%	7%	23%	62%
About the same	43%	45%	49%	32%	41%	50%	34%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	7.1	6.5	8.3	8.4	6.1	7.8

	Total	Lean Demo- crat	Lean Repub lican	Reg. voter
	=====	=====	=====	=====
Better off	25%	43%	5%	25%
Worse off	32%	6%	62%	35%
About the same	43%	51%	33%	39%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	5.6	6.3	4.5



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TABLE 015

Question 7

7. Based on what you know, do you approve or disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling Congress's negotiations over the infrastructure bill and the economic bill?

Base: Respondents who are Democrats/Democratic-leaning independents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Ppl of Color	Biden ap- prove	Biden disap prove
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	82%	79%	84%	83%	80%	91%	SN
Disapprove	18%	21%	16%	16%	20%	9%	SN
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	*	0%	*	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.6	8.7	7.5	7.4	8.7	6.2	

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	82%	77%	75%	87%	95%	76%	88%
Disapprove	18%	23%	25%	13%	5%	24%	12%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	0%	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.6	10.7	10.3	11.7	12.5	8.1	7.8

	Total	<\$50K	\$50K+	Non- coll. grad	Coll. grad.	White non- coll.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	82%	76%	87%	78%	87%	80%	87%
Disapprove	18%	24%	13%	22%	13%	20%	13%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	0%	*	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.6	8.4	7.6	7.7	8.2	10.5	10.4

	Total	Demo- crat	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib- eral	Mode- rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	82%	85%	75%	SN	84%	83%	SN
Disapprove	18%	15%	25%	SN	16%	17%	SN
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	SN	*	0%	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.6	7.1	9.0		8.7	7.9	

	Total	Lean Demo- crat	Lean Repub lican	Reg. voter
	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	82%	82%	SN	84%
Disapprove	18%	18%	SN	16%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	SN	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.6	5.6		6.2



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TABLE 017

Question 7/7A COMBO TABLE

7/7A COMBO TABLE

7. Based on what you know, do you approve or disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling Congress's negotiations over the infrastructure bill and the economic bill?

7A. Do you disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling the negotiations more because:

Base: Respondents who are Democrats/Democratic-leaning independents

	Total =====	Men =====	Women =====	White =====	Ppl of Color =====	Biden ap- prove =====	Biden disap prove =====
Approve	82%	79%	84%	83%	80%	91%	SN
Disapprove	18%	21%	16%	16%	20%	9%	SN
Disapprove, not doing enough to support progressives in Congress.....	5%	6%	5%	5%	6%	3%	SN
Disapprove, not doing enough to support moderates in Congress.....	7%	8%	6%	6%	7%	3%	SN
Disapprove, some other reason	6%	7%	5%	5%	6%	3%	SN
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	SN
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	*	0%	*	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.6	8.7	7.5	7.4	8.7	6.2	

	Total =====	18-34 =====	35-49 =====	50-64 =====	65+ =====	<45 =====	45+ =====
Approve	82%	77%	75%	87%	95%	76%	88%
Disapprove	18%	23%	25%	13%	5%	24%	12%
Disapprove, not doing enough to support progressives in Congress.....	5%	10%	6%	3%	1%	9%	2%
Disapprove, not doing enough to support moderates in Congress.....	7%	5%	12%	7%	1%	8%	5%
Disapprove, some other reason	6%	8%	7%	4%	3%	7%	5%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	0%	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.6	10.7	10.3	11.7	12.5	8.1	7.8

	Total =====	<\$50K =====	\$50K+ =====	Non- coll. grad =====	Coll. grad. =====	White non- coll. =====	White coll. grad. =====
Approve	82%	76%	87%	78%	87%	80%	87%
Disapprove	18%	24%	13%	22%	13%	20%	13%
Disapprove, not doing enough to support progressives in Congress.....	5%	6%	5%	6%	5%	6%	4%
Disapprove, not doing enough to support moderates in Congress.....	7%	8%	5%	8%	5%	7%	5%
Disapprove, some other reason	6%	9%	3%	8%	3%	8%	3%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	0%	*	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.6	8.4	7.6	7.7	8.2	10.5	10.4

	Total =====	Demo- crat =====	Indep endnt Other =====	Repub lican =====	Lib- eral =====	Mode- rate =====	Con serva tive =====
Approve	82%	85%	75%	SN	84%	83%	SN
Disapprove	18%	15%	25%	SN	16%	17%	SN
Disapprove, not doing enough to support progressives in Congress.....	5%	4%	8%	SN	7%	3%	SN
Disapprove, not doing enough to support moderates in Congress.....	7%	6%	8%	SN	4%	8%	SN
Disapprove, some other reason	6%	4%	9%	SN	5%	6%	SN
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	SN	0%	0%	SN
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	SN	*	0%	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.6	7.1	9.0		8.7	7.9	



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TABLE 017

Question 7/7A COMBO TABLE

7/7A COMBO TABLE

7. Based on what you know, do you approve or disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling Congress's negotiations over the infrastructure bill and the economic bill?

7A. Do you disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling the negotiations more because:

Base: Respondents who are Democrats/Democratic-leaning independents

	Total	Lean Demo- crat	Lean Repub lican	Reg. voter
	=====	=====	=====	=====
Approve	82%	82%	SN	84%
Disapprove	18%	18%	SN	16%
Disapprove, not doing enough to support progressives in Congress.....	5%	5%	SN	5%
Disapprove, not doing enough to support moderates in Congress.....	7%	7%	SN	6%
Disapprove, some other reason	6%	6%	SN	5%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	SN	0%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	SN	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.6	5.6		6.2



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TABLE 018

Question 8a

8a. Please indicate whether you think each of the following political officeholders deserves to be reelected or not. Most Democratic members of Congress

Base: Total Respondents

	Total =====	Men =====	Women =====	White =====	Ppl of Color =====	Biden ap- prove =====	Biden disap prove =====
Yes, deserve reelection	46%	40%	52%	39%	59%	78%	14%
No, do not deserve reelection	54%	60%	48%	61%	40%	22%	86%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	*	1%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	6.2	5.8	5.2	7.3	5.8	6.0

	Total =====	18-34 =====	35-49 =====	50-64 =====	65+ =====	<45 =====	45+ =====
Yes, deserve reelection	46%	52%	47%	43%	41%	50%	43%
No, do not deserve reelection	54%	48%	53%	56%	59%	50%	57%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	8.5	8.0	8.1	8.9	6.3	5.5

	Total =====	<\$50K =====	\$50K+ =====	Non- coll. grad =====	Coll. grad. =====	White non- coll. =====	White coll. grad. =====
Yes, deserve reelection	46%	47%	45%	41%	55%	31%	51%
No, do not deserve reelection	54%	53%	54%	59%	45%	69%	49%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	*	0%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	6.4	5.5	5.4	6.4	6.8	7.8

	Total =====	Demo- crat =====	Indep endnt Other =====	Repub lican =====	Lib- eral =====	Mode- rate =====	Con serva tive =====
Yes, deserve reelection	46%	80%	40%	13%	77%	54%	13%
No, do not deserve reelection	54%	20%	60%	87%	23%	46%	87%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	0%	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	7.1	6.5	8.3	8.4	6.1	7.8

	Total =====	Lean Demo- crat =====	Lean Repub lican =====	Reg. voter =====
Yes, deserve reelection	46%	75%	12%	45%
No, do not deserve reelection	54%	25%	87%	55%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	5.6	6.3	4.5



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TABLE 019

Question 8b

8b. Please indicate whether you think each of the following political officeholders deserves to be reelected or not. Most Republican members of Congress

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Ppl of Color	Biden ap- prove	Biden disap prove
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes, deserve reelection	37%	35%	39%	38%	35%	22%	53%
No, do not deserve reelection	63%	65%	61%	62%	64%	78%	47%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	6.2	5.8	5.2	7.3	5.8	6.0

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes, deserve reelection	37%	36%	31%	40%	42%	36%	38%
No, do not deserve reelection	63%	64%	69%	59%	58%	64%	62%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	8.5	8.0	8.1	8.9	6.3	5.5

	Total	<\$50K	\$50K+	Non- coll. grad	Coll. grad.	White non- coll.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes, deserve reelection	37%	42%	32%	42%	29%	45%	28%
No, do not deserve reelection	63%	58%	67%	58%	71%	55%	72%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	*	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	6.4	5.5	5.4	6.4	6.8	7.8

	Total	Demo- crat	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib- eral	Mode- rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes, deserve reelection	37%	17%	35%	65%	15%	33%	59%
No, do not deserve reelection	63%	83%	65%	35%	85%	67%	41%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	7.1	6.5	8.3	8.4	6.1	7.8

	Total	Lean Demo- crat	Lean Repub lican	Reg. voter
	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes, deserve reelection	37%	19%	59%	35%
No, do not deserve reelection	63%	81%	41%	65%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	5.6	6.3	4.5



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Question 8c

8c. Please indicate whether you think each of the following political officeholders deserves to be reelected or not. The U.S. representative in your congressional district

Base: Total Respondents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Ppl of Color	Biden ap- prove	Biden disap prove
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes, deserves reelection	55%	51%	60%	54%	57%	64%	46%
No, does not deserve reelection	45%	49%	40%	46%	42%	36%	54%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	*	1%	*	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	6.2	5.8	5.2	7.3	5.8	6.0

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes, deserves reelection	55%	52%	52%	56%	60%	53%	56%
No, does not deserve reelection	45%	47%	48%	43%	40%	47%	44%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	1%	0%	*	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	8.5	8.0	8.1	8.9	6.3	5.5

	Total	<\$50K	\$50K+	Non- coll. grad	Coll. grad.	White non- coll.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes, deserves reelection	55%	54%	56%	52%	60%	52%	58%
No, does not deserve reelection	45%	46%	44%	48%	40%	48%	42%
Don't know/Refused	*	0%	*	*	*	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	6.4	5.5	5.4	6.4	6.8	7.8

	Total	Demo- crat	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib- eral	Mode- rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes, deserves reelection	55%	65%	45%	56%	64%	54%	49%
No, does not deserve reelection	45%	35%	55%	44%	35%	46%	51%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	0%	*	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	7.1	6.5	8.3	8.4	6.1	7.8

	Total	Lean Demo- crat	Lean Repub lican	Reg. voter
	=====	=====	=====	=====
Yes, deserves reelection	55%	62%	48%	53%
No, does not deserve reelection	45%	38%	52%	47%
Don't know/Refused	*	*	0%	*
Sampling Error (+/-)	4.2	5.6	6.3	4.5



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Question 9

9. In general, would you say the Republican Party is:

Base: Respondents who are Republicans/Republican-leaning independents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Ppl of Color	Biden ap- prove	Biden disap prove
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Mostly united	70%	70%	71%	69%	SN	SN	72%
Mostly divided	30%	30%	29%	31%	SN	SN	28%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	SN	SN	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	6.3	8.8	9.2	7.2			6.7

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Mostly united	70%	SN	SN	74%	SN	67%	72%
Mostly divided	30%	SN	SN	26%	SN	33%	28%
Don't know/Refused	0%	SN	SN	0%	SN	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	6.3			11.2		10.3	7.9

	Total	<\$50K	\$50K+	Non- coll. grad	Coll. grad.	White non- coll.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Mostly united	70%	66%	74%	72%	66%	71%	SN
Mostly divided	30%	34%	26%	28%	34%	29%	SN
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	6.3	9.8	8.1	7.8	10.3	8.9	

	Total	Demo- crat	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib- eral	Mode- rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Mostly united	70%	SN	61%	76%	SN	68%	73%
Mostly divided	30%	SN	39%	24%	SN	32%	27%
Don't know/Refused	0%	SN	0%	0%	SN	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	6.3		9.5	8.3		9.6	8.5

	Total	Lean Demo- crat	Lean Repub lican	Reg. voter
	=====	=====	=====	=====
Mostly united	70%	SN	70%	72%
Mostly divided	30%	SN	30%	28%
Don't know/Refused	0%	SN	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	6.3		6.3	6.7





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Question 10

10. In general, would you say the Democratic Party is:

Base: Respondents who are Democrats/Democratic-leaning independents

	Total	Men	Women	White	Ppl of Color	Biden ap- prove	Biden disap prove
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Mostly united	74%	71%	77%	73%	76%	78%	SN
Mostly divided	26%	29%	23%	27%	24%	22%	SN
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.6	8.7	7.5	7.4	8.7	6.2	

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	<45	45+
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Mostly united	74%	61%	76%	86%	79%	67%	82%
Mostly divided	26%	39%	24%	14%	21%	33%	18%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.6	10.7	10.3	11.7	12.5	8.1	7.8

	Total	<\$50K	\$50K+	Non- coll. grad	Coll. grad.	White non- coll.	White coll. grad.
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Mostly united	74%	73%	76%	75%	73%	74%	71%
Mostly divided	26%	27%	24%	25%	27%	26%	29%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.6	8.4	7.6	7.7	8.2	10.5	10.4

	Total	Demo- crat	Indep endnt Other	Repub lican	Lib- eral	Mode- rate	Con serva tive
	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
Mostly united	74%	79%	65%	SN	69%	79%	SN
Mostly divided	26%	21%	35%	SN	31%	21%	SN
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	SN	0%	0%	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.6	7.1	9.0		8.7	7.9	

	Total	Lean Demo- crat	Lean Repub lican	Reg. voter
	=====	=====	=====	=====
Mostly united	74%	74%	SN	76%
Mostly divided	26%	26%	SN	24%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	SN	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.6	5.6		6.2



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Question 11

11. Which group of Democrats do you think is doing more to help the Democratic Party?

Base: Respondents who are Democrats/Democratic-leaning independents

	Total =====	Men =====	Women =====	White =====	Ppl of Color =====	Biden ap- prove =====	Biden disap prove =====
Progressives who are trying to enact ambitious liberal policies.....	49%	47%	49%	46%	53%	51%	SN
Moderates who are trying to contain government spending.....	51%	53%	51%	54%	47%	49%	SN
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.6	8.7	7.5	7.4	8.7	6.2	

	Total =====	18-34 =====	35-49 =====	50-64 =====	65+ =====	<45 =====	45+ =====
Progressives who are trying to enact ambitious liberal policies.....	49%	62%	47%	43%	39%	57%	42%
Moderates who are trying to contain government spending.....	51%	38%	53%	57%	61%	43%	58%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.6	10.7	10.3	11.7	12.5	8.1	7.8

	Total =====	<\$50K =====	\$50K+ =====	Non- coll. grad =====	Coll. grad. =====	White non- coll. =====	White coll. grad. =====
Progressives who are trying to enact ambitious liberal policies.....	49%	52%	46%	50%	49%	43%	48%
Moderates who are trying to contain government spending.....	51%	48%	54%	50%	51%	57%	52%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.6	8.4	7.6	7.7	8.2	10.5	10.4

	Total =====	Demo- crat =====	Indep endnt Other =====	Repub lican =====	Lib- eral =====	Mode- rate =====	Con serva tive =====
Progressives who are trying to enact ambitious liberal policies.....	49%	53%	42%	SN	64%	37%	SN
Moderates who are trying to contain government spending.....	51%	47%	58%	SN	36%	63%	SN
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	0%	SN	0%	0%	SN
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.6	7.1	9.0		8.7	7.9	

	Total =====	Lean Demo- crat =====	Lean Repub lican =====	Reg. voter =====
Progressives who are trying to enact ambitious liberal policies.....	49%	49%	SN	48%
Moderates who are trying to contain government spending.....	51%	51%	SN	52%
Don't know/Refused	0%	0%	SN	0%
Sampling Error (+/-)	5.6	5.6		6.2