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Democratic Party 2020 Questions

Monthly Harvard-Harris Poll: March 2017

This survey was conducted online within the United States between March 14-16, 2017 among 2,092 registered voters by The Harris Poll.

The results reflect a nationally representative sample. Results were weighted for age within gender, region, race/ethnicity, marital status, household size, income, employment, and education where necessary to align them with their actual proportions in the population. Propensity score weighting was also used to adjust for respondents' propensity to be online.

Base	n=2092
AGE*	
18-34	25%
35-49	24%
50-64	29%
65+	21%
SEX*	
Male	49%
Female	51%
EDUCATION*	
Less than high school degree	8%
High school degree to less than 4 year college	
degree	57%
4 year college degree or more	36%
RACE/ETHNICITY*	
White	69%
Black/African American	11%
Hispanic	13%
Asian or Pacific Islander	4%
Mixed race	2%
Other	2%
Decline to Answer	0
POLITICAL PARTY	
Democrat	37%
Republican	30%
Independent	28%
Other	5%
LOCALE	
Urban	29%
Suburban	50%
Rural	21%

^{*}Denotes weighting variable

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Weighted To The U.S. General Adult Population - Propensity

17 Mar 2017 Table 1

D1 What is your age?

	Total
Unweighted Base	2092
Weighted Base	2087
Effective Base	1178
18-34	529 25%
35-49	503 24%
50-64	608 29%
65+	448 21%
Mean	48.6
Std. Dev.	16.53
Std. Err.	0.36
Sigma	2087 100%

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17 Mar 2017 Table 2

D2 What is your gender?

	Total
Unweighted Base	2092
Weighted Base	2087
Effective Base	1178
Male	1025 49%
Female	1062 51%
Sigma	2087 100%

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17 Mar 2017 Table 3

Q474 Are you of Spanish or Hispanic origin, such as Latin American, Mexican, Puerto Rican, or Cuban?

	Total
Unweighted Base	2092
Weighted Base	2087
Effective Base	1178
Yes, of Hispanic origin	267 13%
No, not of Hispanic origin	1809 87%
Decline to answer	11 1%
Sigma	2087 100%

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17 Mar 2017 Table 4

Q480 Do you consider yourself...?

Base: Ethnicity Is To Be Asked And Have Ethnic Codes

	Total
Unweighted Base	2092
Weighted Base	2087
Effective Base	1178
White	1588 76%
Black	188 9%
Asian or Pacific Islander	- -
Native American or Alaskan Native	52 2%
Hispanic	- -
African American	48 2%
First Nation/Native Canadian	- -
South Asian	12 1%
Chinese	31 1%
Korean	1 *
Japanese	12 1%
Other Southeast Asian	6 *

Filipino	13 1%	
Arab/West Asian	2 *	
Mixed Race	53 3%	
Some other race	64 3%	
Decline to Answer	16 1%	

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Weighted To The U.S. General Adult Population - Propensity

Q480 Do you consider yourself...?

Base: Ethnicity Is To Be Asked And Have Ethnic Codes

Total

Weighted Base 2087

Sigma 2087

100%

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17 Mar 2017 Table 4

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17 Mar 2017 Table 5

Q484 You indicated that you consider yourself of a mixed racial background. With which of the following racial groups do you most closely identify? Please select all that apply.

Base: All Resident And Mixed Racial Background

	Total
Unweighted Base	30
Weighted Base	53
Effective Base	18
White	25 47%
Black	7 13%
Asian or Pacific Islander	17 31%
Native American or Alaskan native	12 23%
African American	3 5%
Some other race	24 45%
Decline to Answer	-
Sigma	88 165%

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17 Mar 2017 Table 6

Q485 HIDDEN COMPUTE for RACE/ETHNICITY

Base: Ethnicity Is To Be Asked And Have Ethnic Codes

	Total
Unweighted Base	2092
Weighted Base	2087
Effective Base	1178
White	1433 69%
Black	179 9%
Asian or Pacific Islander	-
Native American or Alaskan Native	28 1%
Hispanic	267 13%
African American	46 2%
First Nation/Native Canadian	<u>-</u>
South Asian	11 1%
Chinese	31 1%
Korean	1
Japanese	12 1%
Other Southeast Asian	6 *

Filipino	11 1%
Arab/West Asian	2 *
Mixed Race	39 2%
Some other race	13 1%
Decline to Answer	9

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17 Mar 2017 Table 6

Q485 HIDDEN COMPUTE for RACE/ETHNICITY

Base: Ethnicity Is To Be Asked And Have Ethnic Codes

Total

Weighted Base 2087

Sigma 2087

100%

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17 Mar 2017 Table 64

A6 Is the Democratic Party today veering more conservative, veering more liberal, or staying about the same?

	Total
Unweighted Base	2092
Weighted Base	2087
Effective Base	1178
Veering more liberal	961 46%
Veering more conservative	225 11%
About the same	901 43%
Sigma	2087 100%

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17 Mar 2017 Table 65

A7 In your view, who is the leader of the Democratic Party today?

	Total
Unweighted Base	2092
Weighted Base	2087
Effective Base	1178
Barack Obama	319 15%
Bernie Sanders	249 12%
Elizabeth Warren	224 11%
Hillary Clinton	199 10%
Joe Biden	39 2%
Michelle Obama	33 2%
Oprah Winfrey	24 1%
Someone new	165 8%
No one	836 40%
Sigma	2087 100%

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17 Mar 2017 Table 66

A8 Who do you think should be the Democrats' candidate for president in 2020?

	Total
Unweighted Base	2092
Weighted Base	2087
Effective Base	1178
Bernie Sanders	297 14%
Michelle Obama	226 11%
Elizabeth Warren	188 9%
Hillary Clinton	163 8%
Mark Cuban	77 4%
Andrew Cuomo	67 3%
Oprah Winfrey	66 3%
Cory Booker	59 3%
Someone new	944 45%
Sigma	2087 100%

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17 Mar 2017 Table 67

A9 If Hillary Clinton were not running again, who do you think should be the Democrats' candidate for president in 2020?

	Total
Unweighted Base	2092
Weighted Base	2087
Effective Base	1178
Bernie Sanders	371 18%
Michelle Obama	282 14%
Elizabeth Warren	204 10%
Mark Cuban	85 4%
Oprah Winfrey	84 4%
Andrew Cuomo	79 4%
Cory Booker	67 3%
Someone new	915 44%
Sigma	2087 100%

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17 Mar 2017 Table 159

Q398_1 Next, we have a few employment and economic questions.

Are you employed full time for pay with an organization or company?

	Total
Unweighted Base	2092
Weighted Base	2087
Effective Base	1178
Yes	958 46%
No	1129 54%
Sigma	2087 100%

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17 Mar 2017 Table 160

Q398_2 Next, we have a few employment and economic questions.

Are you employed part time for pay with an organization or company?

	Total
Unweighted Base	2092
Weighted Base	2087
Effective Base	1178
Yes	313 15%
No	1775 85%
Sigma	2087 100%

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17 Mar 2017 Table 161

Q398_3 Next, we have a few employment and economic questions.

Are you self-employed full time?

	Total
Unweighted Base	2092
Weighted Base	2087
Effective Base	1178
Yes	162 8%
No	1925 92%
Sigma	2087 100%

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17 Mar 2017 Table 162

Q398_4 Next, we have a few employment and economic questions.

Are you self-employed part time?

	Total
Unweighted Base	2092
Weighted Base	2087
Effective Base	1178
Yes	174 8%
No	1913 92%
Sigma	2087 100%

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Weighted To The U.S. General Adult Population - Propensity

17 Mar 2017 Table 163

Q402 Which of the following best describes your current situation?

Base: Not At All Employed

	Total
Unweighted Base	805
Weighted Base	731
Effective Base	417
Looking for work	98 13%
Not looking for work	490 67%
Unable to work due to a disability or illness	143 20%
Sigma	731 100%

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17 Mar 2017 Table 164

Q404 Do any of the following describe you?

	Total
Unweighted Base	2092
Weighted Base	2087
Effective Base	1178
Retired and collecting retirement benefits/pension	499 24%
A stay-at-home spouse or partner	190 9%
A student	171 8%
None of these	1246 60%
Sigma	2106 101%

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Weighted To The U.S. General Adult Population - Propensity

17 Mar 2017 Table 165

Q406 What is your employment status?

	Total
Unweighted Base	2092
Weighted Base	2087
Effective Base	1178
Employed full time	1043 50%
Employed part time	438 21%
Self-employed full time	162 8%
Not employed, but looking for work	98 5%
Not employed and not looking for work	490 23%
Not employed, unable to work due to a disability or illness	143 7%
Retired	499 24%
Student	171 8%
Stay-at-home spouse or partner	190 9%
Self-employed part time	174 8%
Sigma	3407 163%

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17 Mar 2017 Table 166

Q410 Which one of the following best describes your employment status?

Base: 18 Years Old Or Older And (Single Employment Item Selected And More Than 1 Valid Code From Q406)

	Total
Unweighted Base	2092
Weighted Base	2087
Effective Base	1178
Employed full time	931 45%
Employed part time	202 10%
Self-employed full time	108 5%
Not employed, but looking for work	76 4%
Not employed and not looking for work	31 2%
Not employed, unable to work due to a disability or illness	87 4%
Retired	413 20%
Student	102 5%
Stay-at-home spouse or partner	93 4%
Self-employed part time	44 2%
Sigma	2087 100%

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17 Mar 2017 Table 167

D5 The organization you work for is in which of the following?

Base: Employed FT/PT

	Total
Unweighted Base	1105
Weighted Base	1134
Effective Base	667
Public sector	452 40%
Private sector	508 45%
Not-for-profit	119 11%
Other	33 3%
Don't know	22 2%
Sigma	1134 100%

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17 Mar 2017 Table 168

D6 Is anyone in your household a member of a labor union?

	Total
Unweighted Base	2092
Weighted Base	2087
Effective Base	1178
I am a member of a labor union	240 12%
Someone else in my household is a member of a labor union	130 6%
Both me and another member of my household are members of a labor union	33 2%
No one in my household is a member of a labor union	1593 76%
Decline to state	91 4%
Sigma	2087 100%

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17 Mar 2017 Table 169

Q2146 What is the highest level of education you have completed or the highest degree you have received?

	Total
Unweighted Base	2092
Weighted Base	2087
Effective Base	1178
Less than high school	14 1%
Completed some high school	146 7%
High school graduate or equivalent (e.g., GED)	286 14%
Job-specific training programs after high school	89 4%
Completed some college, but no degree	570 27%
Associate's degree	250 12%
College graduate (e.g., B.A., A.B., B.S.)	369 18%
Completed some graduate school, but no degree	56 3%
Completed graduate school (e.g., M.S., M.D., Ph.D.)	306 15%
Sigma	2087 100%

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17 Mar 2017 Table 170

Q2135 What is your marital status?

	Total
Unweighted Base	2092
Weighted Base	2087
Effective Base	1178
Married or civil union	1083 52%
Single, never married	541 26%
Divorced	273 13%
Separated	32 2%
Widowed/Widower	89 4%
Living with partner	70 3%
Sigma	2087 100%

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17 Mar 2017 Table 171

D9 How many children live in your household?

Base: All Respondents

	Total
Unweighted Base	2092
Weighted Base	2087
Effective Base	1178
None	1236 59%
One	386 19%
Two	312 15%
Three	112 5%
Four or more	41 2%
Sigma	2087 100%

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17 Mar 2017 Table 172

S3 Some people had the chance to vote in this year's presidential election on November 8, 2016. Others did not. Did you vote in November's presidential election?

Total
2092
2087
1178
1853 89%
234 118
2087 100%

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17 Mar 2017 Table 173

S4 Confidentially and for statistical purposes only which candidate did you vote for in the presidential election on Nov. 8, 2016?

Base: Voted In Presidential Election

	Total
Unweighted Base	1879
Weighted Base	1853
Effective Base	1074
Hillary Clinton	846 46%
Donald Trump	781 42%
Gary Johnson	68 4%
Jill Stein	30 2%
Other	54 3%
Prefer not to answer	74 4%
Sigma	1853 100%

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17 Mar 2017 Table 174

D10 Are you registered to vote at your present address?

	Total
Unweighted Base	2092
Weighted Base	2087
Effective Base	1178
Yes	1937 93%
No	112 5%
Not Sure	38 2%
Sigma	2087 100%

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Weighted To The U.S. General Adult Population - Propensity

17 Mar 2017 Table 175

D11 What is your religion?

	Total
Unweighted Base	2092
Weighted Base	2087
Effective Base	1178
Evangelical Protestant	255 12%
Non-Evangelical Protestant	200 10%
Roman Catholic	570 27%
Mormon	29 1%
Other Christian	404 19%
Jewish	64 3%
Muslim	14 1%
Hindu	4
Buddhist	16 1%
Atheist/Agnostic	258 12%
Other	274 13%
Sigma	2087 100%

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17 Mar 2017 Table 176

D12 How often do you attend religion services, events, or gatherings?

	Total
Unweighted Base	2092
Weighted Base	2087
Effective Base	1178
Daily	57 3%
Weekly	537 26%
A few times per month	222 11%
Once a month	205 10%
Almost never	1066 51%
Sigma	2087 100%

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17 Mar 2017 Table 177

D13 How important or unimportant is religion in your life?

	Total
Unweighted Base	2092
Weighted Base	2087
Effective Base	1178
Very/Somewhat Important (Net)	1437 69%
Very important	823 39%
Somewhat important	613 29%
Very/Somewhat Unimportant (Net)	650 31%
Somewhat unimportant	271 13%
Very unimportant	379 18%
Sigma	2087 100%

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17 Mar 2017 Table 178

D14 Does anyone in your household own a gun?

	Total
Unweighted Base	2092
Weighted Base	2087
Effective Base	1178
Yes	741 35%
No	1346 65%
Sigma	2087 100%

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17 Mar 2017 Table 179

Q2145 Which of the following best describes your current primary residence?

I/We live in...

	Total
Unweighted Base	2092
Weighted Base	2087
Effective Base	1178
A house that I/we own	1274 61%
An apartment or condominium that I/we own	107 5%
Another type of home that I/ we own	53 3%
A house that I/we rent or lease	317 15%
An apartment or condominium that I/we rent or lease	261 13%
Another type of home that I/ we rent or lease	38 2%
None of these	37 2%
Sigma	2087 100%

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17 Mar 2017 Table 180

D16 Do you live in a suburban, urban, or rural area?

Base: All Respondents

	Total
Unweighted Base	2092
Weighted Base	2087
Effective Base	1178
Urban	600 29%
Suburban	1047
Rural	50% 440 21%
Sigma	2087 100%

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17 Mar 2017 Table 181

D18 Are you a Citizen of the United States?

Base: All Respondents

	Total
Unweighted Base	2092
Weighted Base	2087
Effective Base	1178
Yes	2056 99%
No	31 1%
Sigma	2087 100%

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17 Mar 2017 Table 182

D19 Have any members of your household signed up for health insurance through Healthcare.gov and the Affordable Care Act?

	Total
Unweighted Base	2092
Weighted Base	2087
Effective Base	1178
Yes, I have	321 15%
Another member of my household has	125 6%
Multiple people in my household have	39 2%
No one in my household has	1537 74%
Decline to state	66 3%
Sigma	2087 100%

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17 Mar 2017 Table 183

Q2157 Which of the following income categories best describes your total 2016 household income before taxes?

	Total
Unweighted Base	2092
Weighted Base	2087
Effective Base	1178
Less than \$15,000	166 8%
\$15,000 to \$24,999	169 8%
\$25,000 to \$34,999	185 9%
\$35,000 to \$49,999	241 12%
\$50,000 to \$74,999	353 17%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	273 13%
\$100,000 to \$124,999	251 12%
\$125,000 to \$149,999	113 5%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	140 7%
\$200,000 to \$249,999	26 1%
\$250,000 or more	59 3%
Decline to answer	109 5%

Sigma 2087 100%