

HARVARD CAPS HARRIS POLL



Field Dates: January 18-19, 2023

SURVEY METHOD

This survey was conducted online within the United States from **January 18-19, 2023** among **2,050 registered voters** by The Harris Poll and HarrisX.

Results were weighted for age within gender, region, race/ethnicity, marital status, household size, income, employment, education, political party, and political ideology 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.

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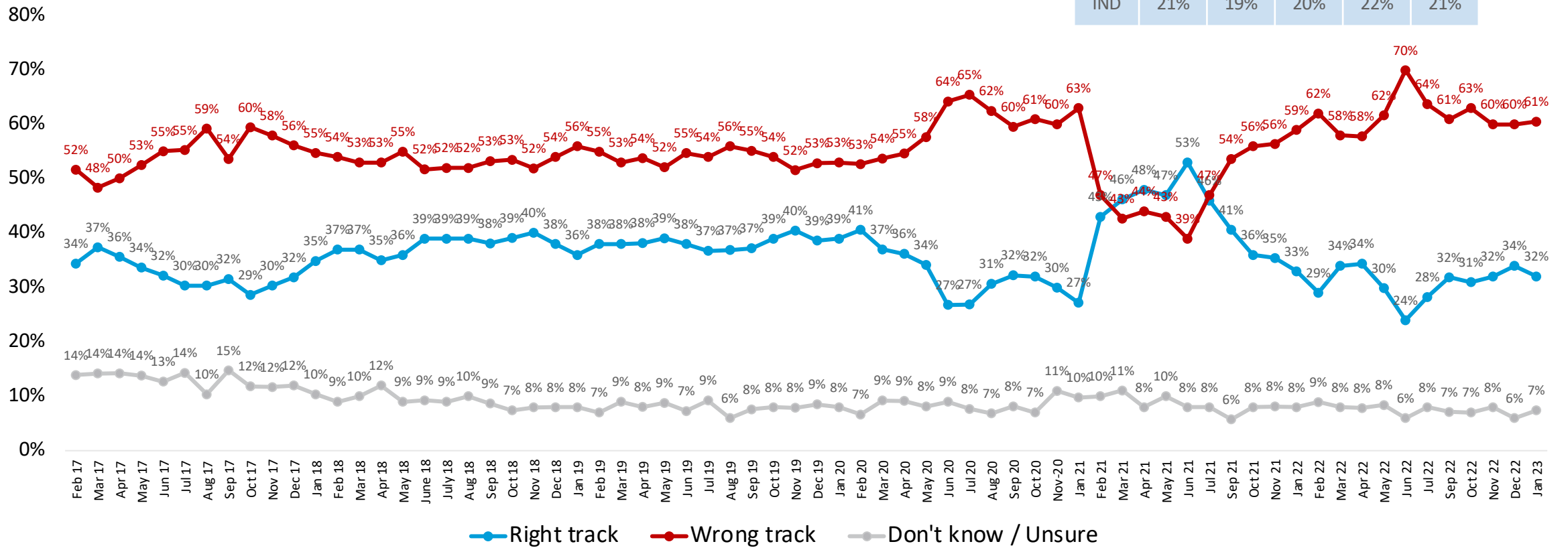
APPROVAL AND MOOD OF COUNTRY

SIX IN TEN VOTERS CONTINUE TO SAY THE COUNTRY IS ON THE WRONG TRACK

% Who Say "Right Track"

	09/22	10/22	11/22	12/22	01/23
GOP	13%	14%	12%	18%	14%
DEM	59%	55%	60%	58%	57%
IND	21%	19%	20%	22%	21%

Country: Right Track / Wrong Track



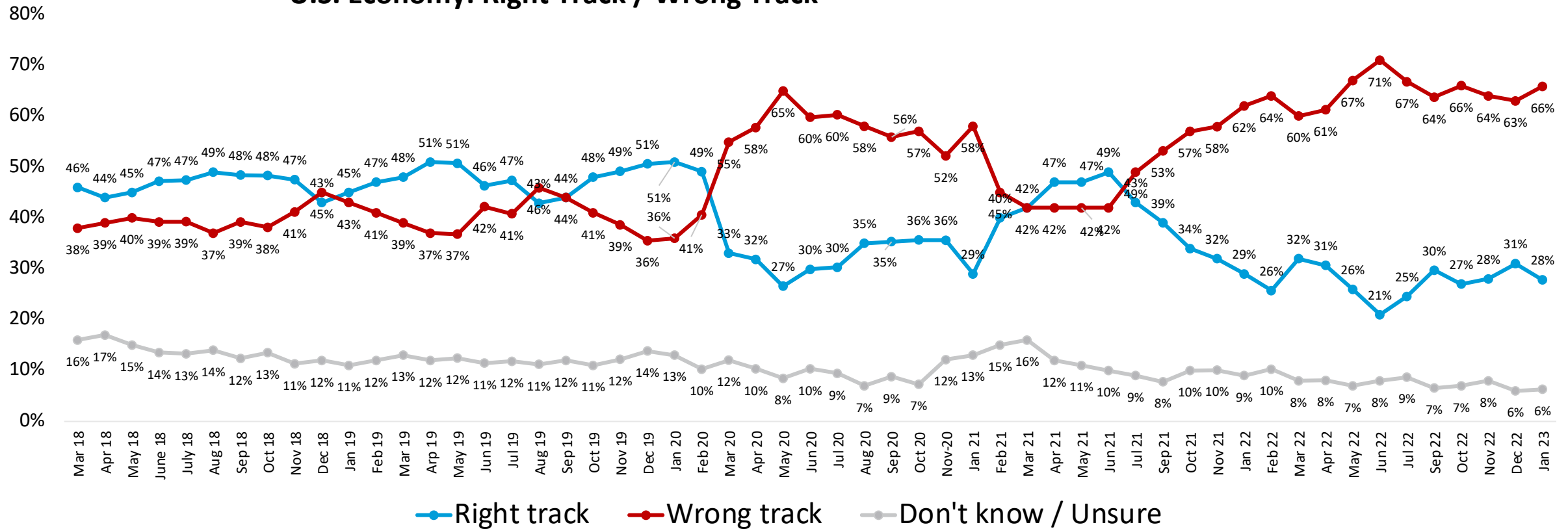
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TWO-THIRDS OF VOTERS SAY THE ECONOMY IS ON THE WRONG TRACK, AS THE MOOD CONTINUES TO SOUR

% Who Say "Right Track"

	09/22	10/22	11/22	12/22	01/23
GOP	12%	13%	11%	17%	12%
DEM	55%	49%	53%	52%	50%
IND	19%	17%	17%	21%	19%

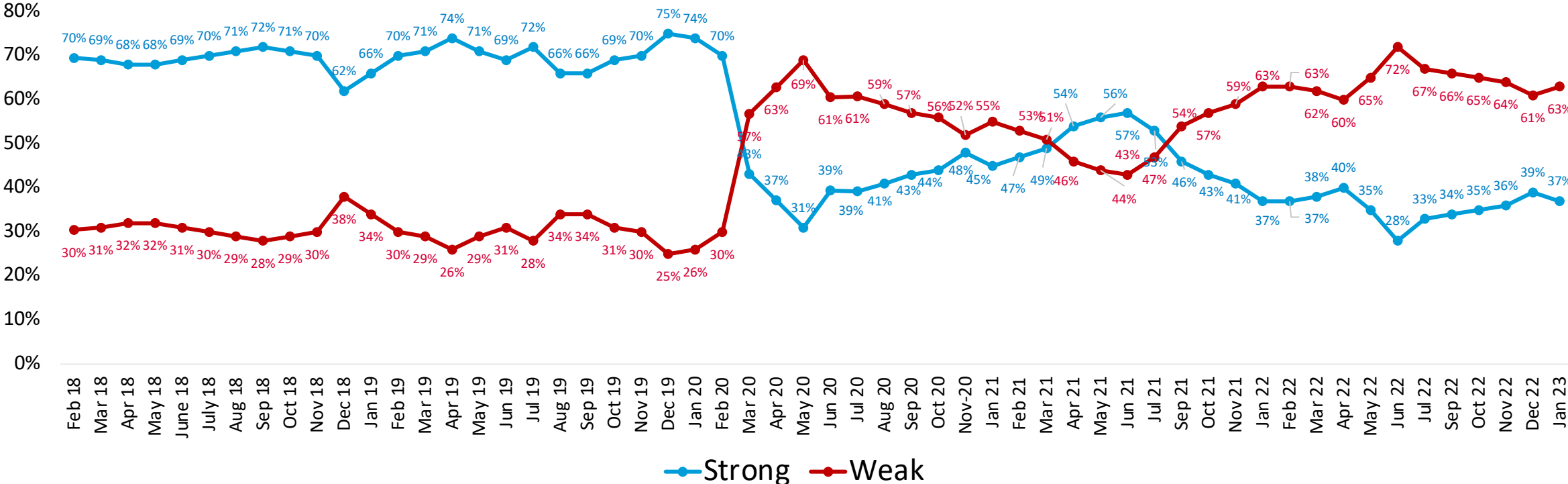
U.S. Economy: Right Track / Wrong Track



M2. In general, do you think the American economy is on the right track or is it off on the wrong track?

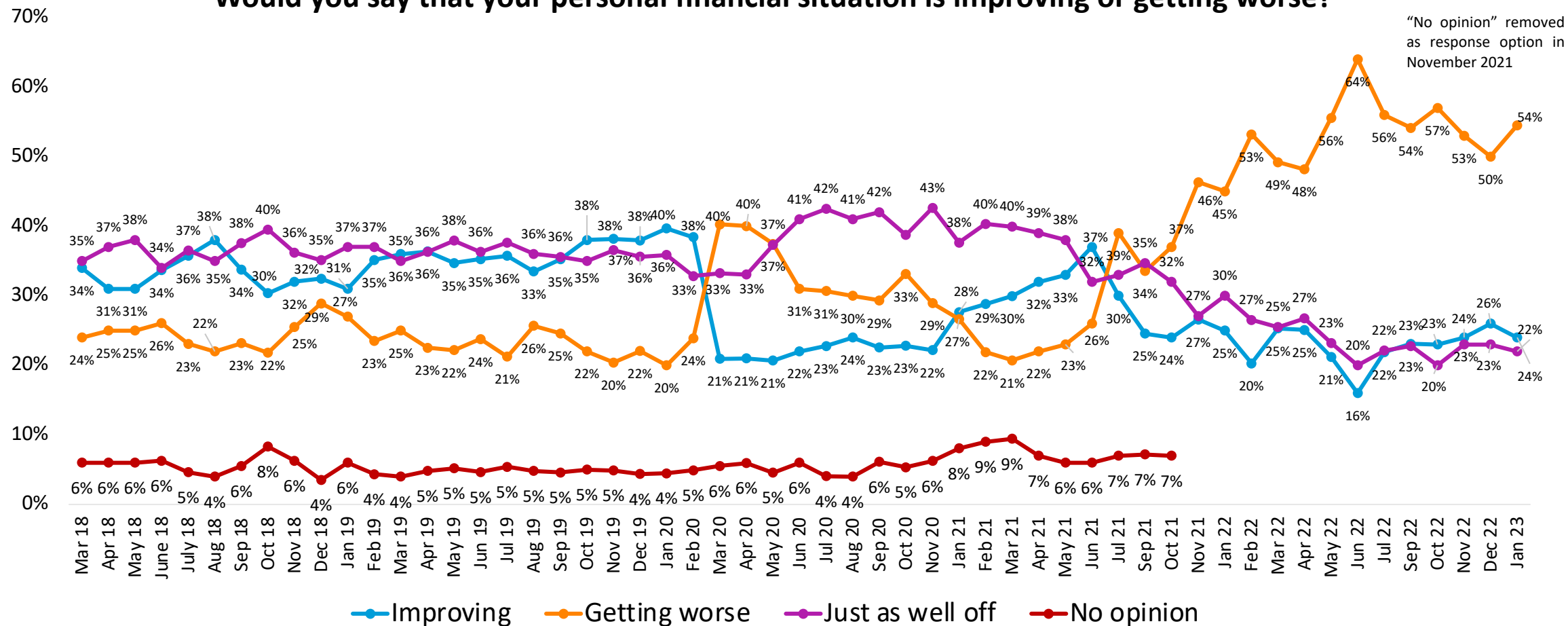
LESS THAN FOUR IN TEN SAY THE U.S. ECONOMY IS STRONG

How strong do you think the U.S. economy is today?



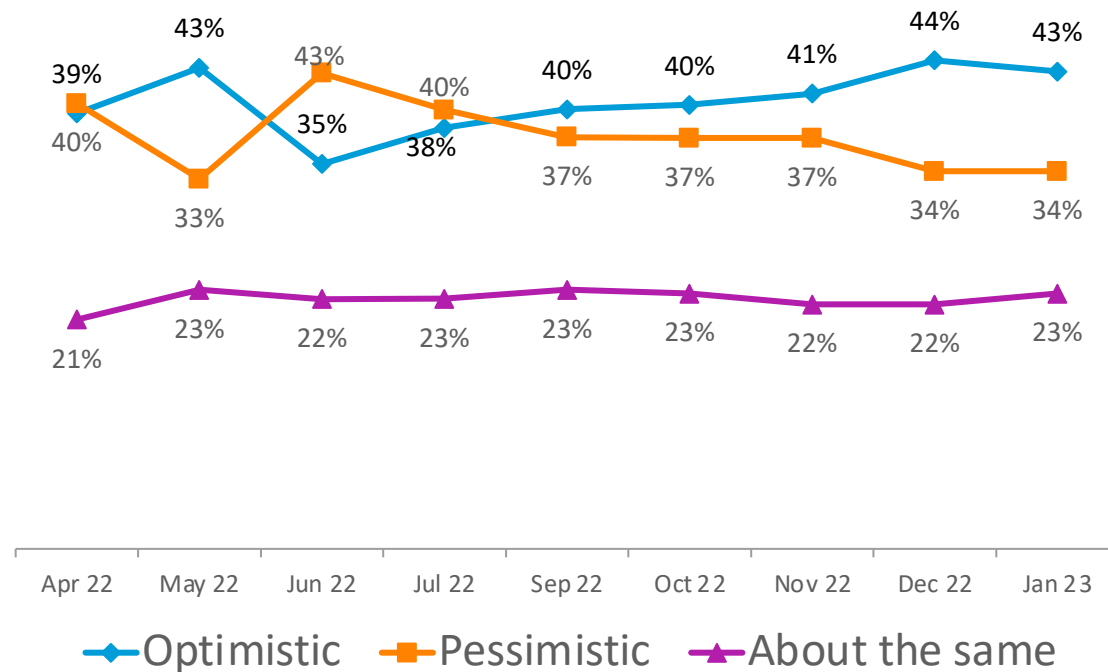
OVER HALF OF AMERICANS SAY THEIR FINANCIAL SITUATION IS WORSENING, SEEING A SMALL INCREASE SINCE DECEMBER

Would you say that your personal financial situation is improving or getting worse?

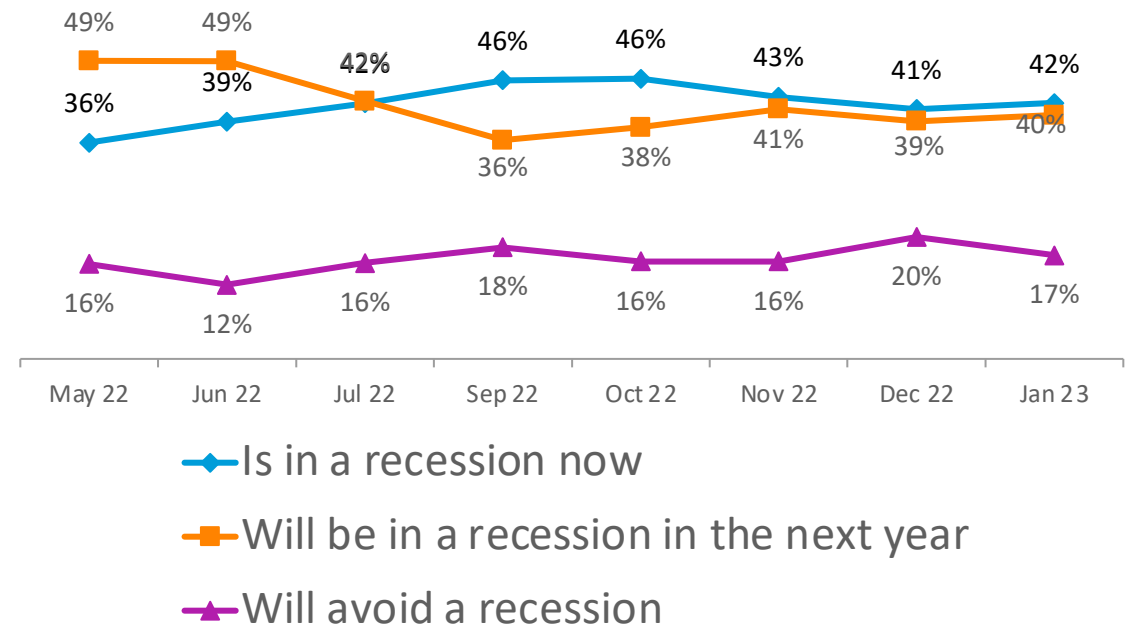


WHILE 43% OF ADULTS ARE OPTIMISTIC ABOUT THEIR LIFE OVER THE NEXT YEAR, OVER 4 IN 5 THINK THE U.S. IS EITHER IN RECESSION OR WILL BE IN THE NEXT YEAR

In general, are you feeling optimistic or pessimistic about your life over the next year?



Do you think the U.S. is in a recession now, will be in a recession in the next year or most likely will avoid a recession?

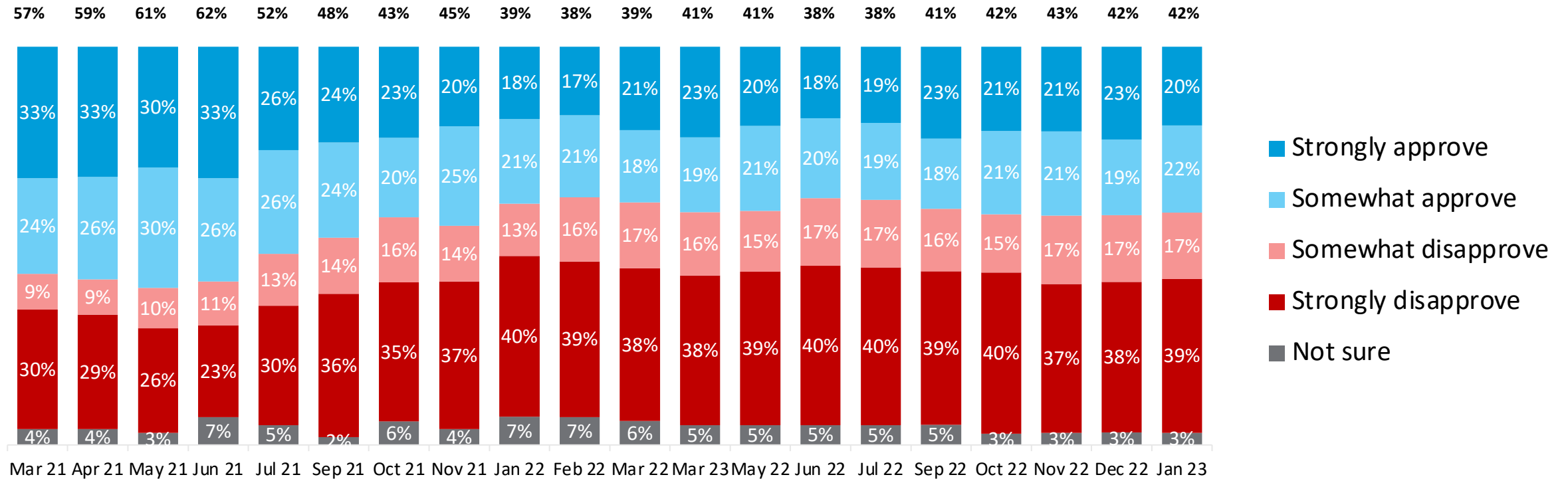


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BIDEN'S APPROVAL IS STABLE BUT UNDERWATER AT 42%

President Biden Overall Approval



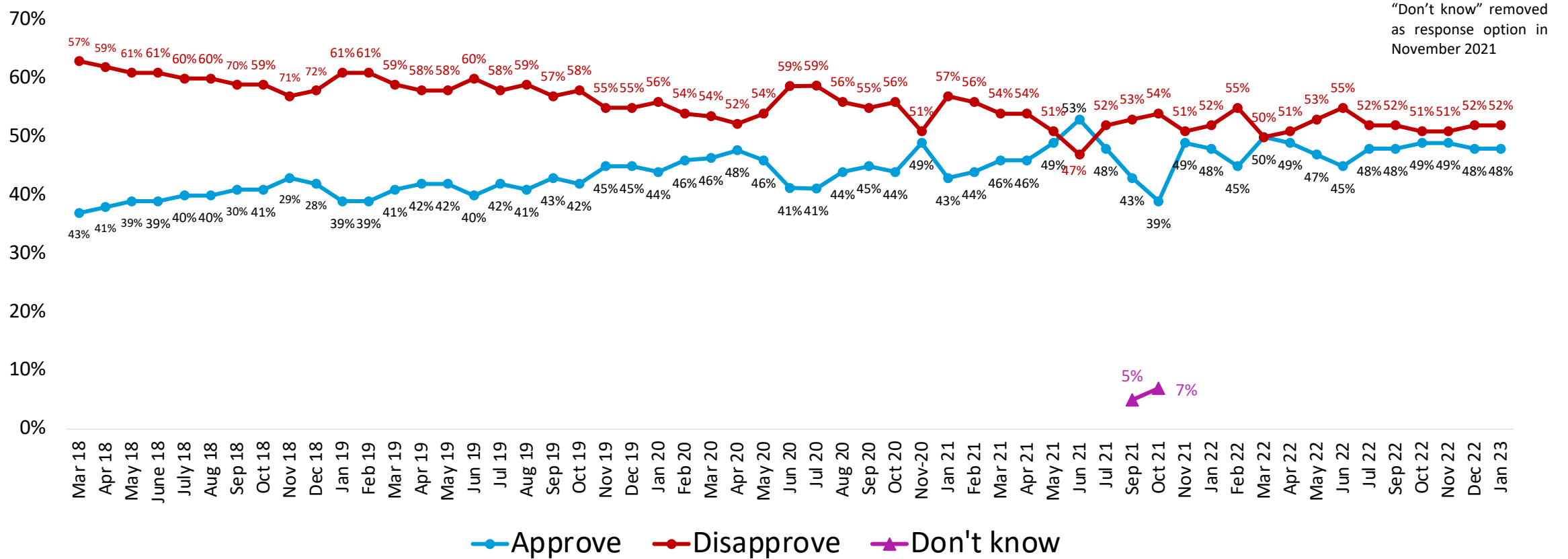
BIDEN'S APPROVAL ON MANAGEMENT OF ISSUES IS WEAK ACROSS THE BOARD, CREDITED ON HANDLING OF COVID

Approve Biden on... (Strongly or Somewhat Approve)

May	Jan 2022	Feb 2022	Mar 2022	Apr 2022	May 2022	Jun 2022	Jul 22	Sep 22	Oct 22	Nov 22	Dec 22	Jan 23
The Economy	35%	33%	35%	38%	36%	32%	36%	37%	39%	39%	39%	38%
Stimulating Jobs	41%	38%	39%	46%	45%	43%	41%	44%	46%	46%	47%	46%
Fighting Terrorism	38%	34%	36%	43%	42%	40%	41%	42%	44%	45%	45%	43%
Immigration	34%	32%	34%	38%	38%	37%	39%	37%	38%	40%	40%	37%
Foreign Affairs	35%	33%	38%	41%	41%	39%	39%	40%	41%	44%	42%	42%
Administering the Gov't	40%	38%	35%	44%	42%	38%	41%	41%	44%	44%	43%	42%
Reacting to coronavirus	44%	44%	42%	52%	53%	50%	48%	49%	51%	54%	52%	52%
Dealing with violence and crime in the country	36%	33%	34%	39%	38%	34%	38%	38%	39%	40%	42%	39%
Handling inflation	31%	28%	33%	35%	34%	28%	33%	36%	35%	38%	38%	36%

GOP APPROVAL REMAINS JUST UNDER 50%

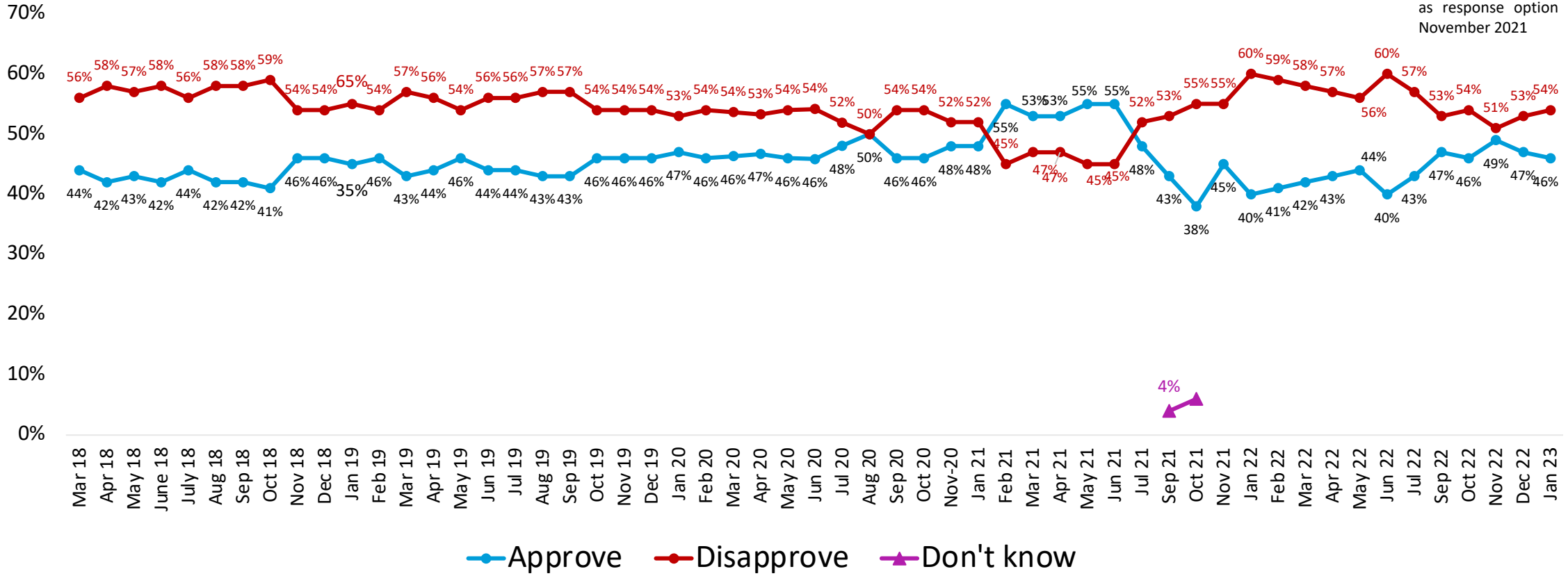
Republican Party Approval



DEMOCRATIC PARTY APPROVAL TICKS DOWN SLIGHTLY TO 46%

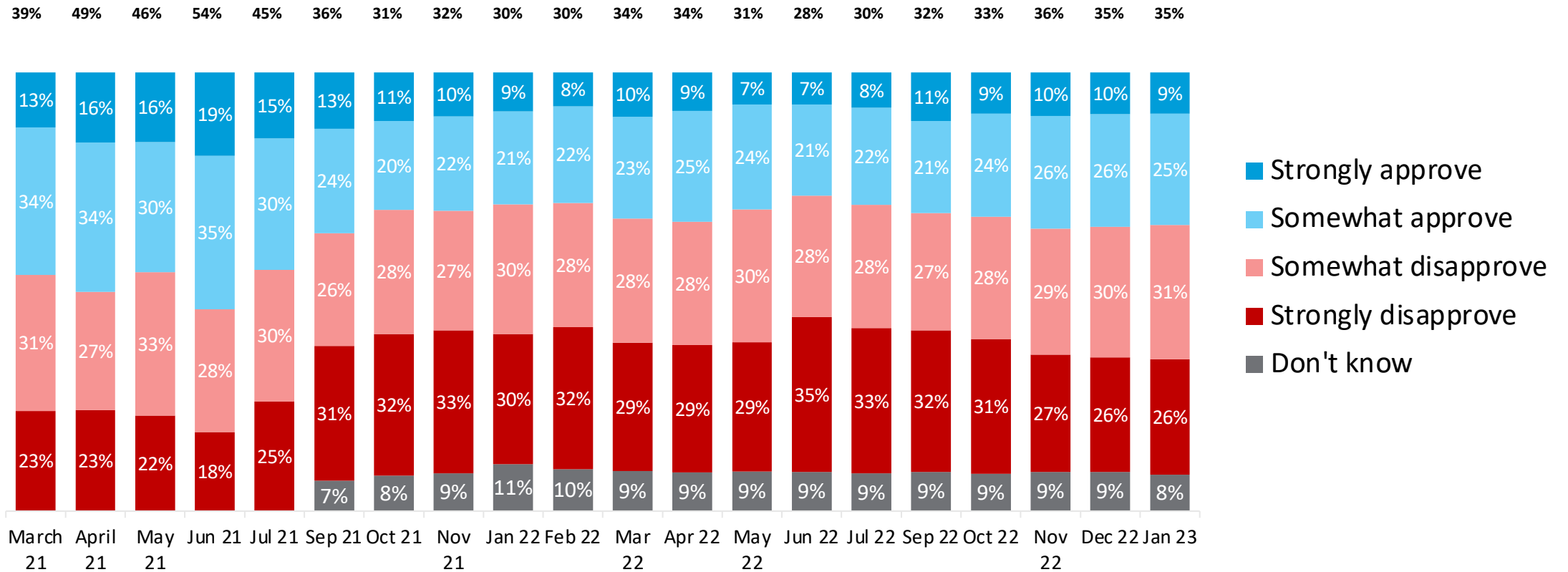
Democratic Party Approval

"Don't know" removed as response option in November 2021



JUST OVER A THIRD APPROVE OF THE JOB CONGRESS IS DOING

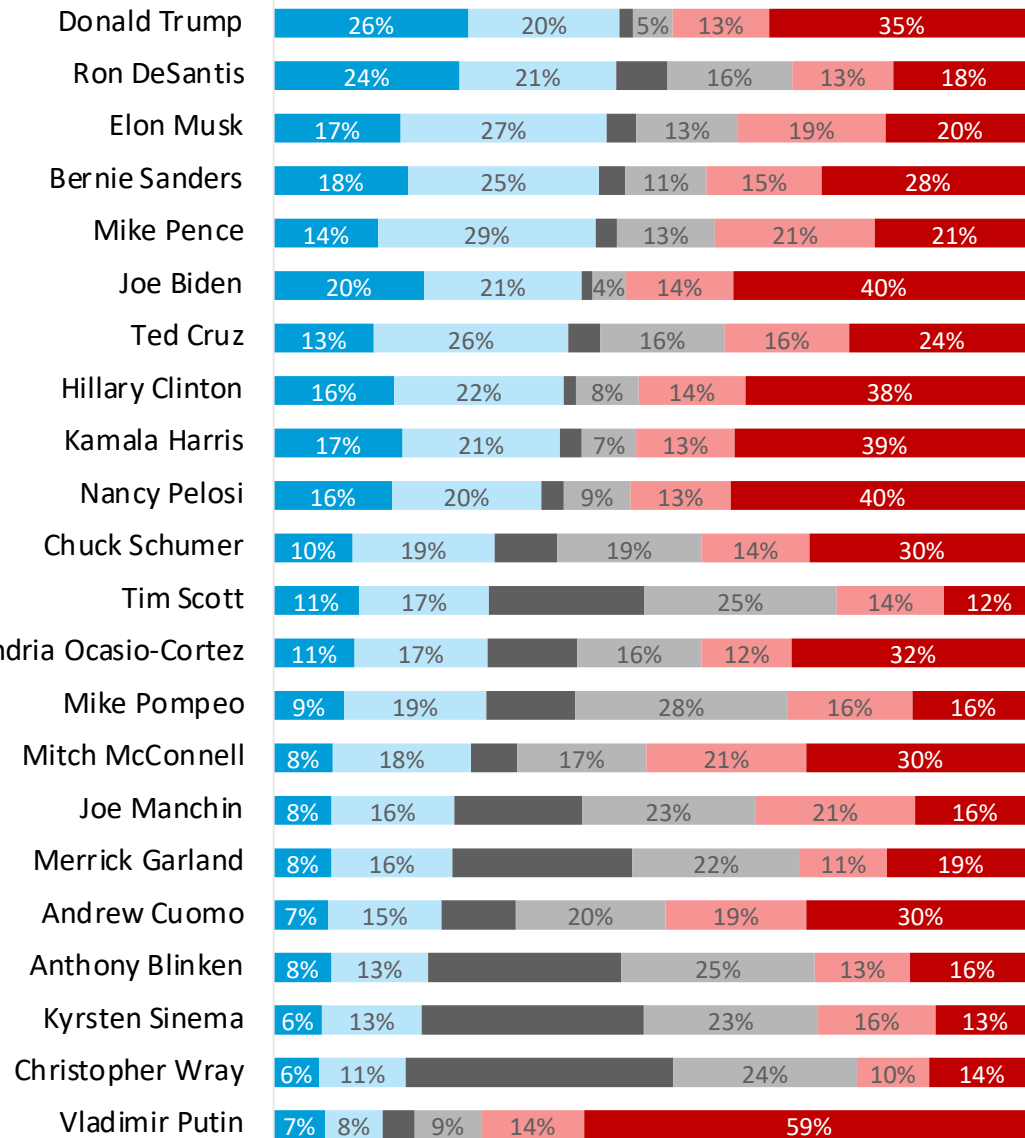
Do you approve or disapprove of the way Congress is doing its job?



TRUMP, PENCE AND MUSK ARE TOP THREE MOST FAVORABLE PUBLIC FIGURES

Favorability of Political Figures

- Very favorable
- Favorable
- Never heard of them
- No opinion
- Unfavorable
- Very unfavorable
- Favorable (NET)

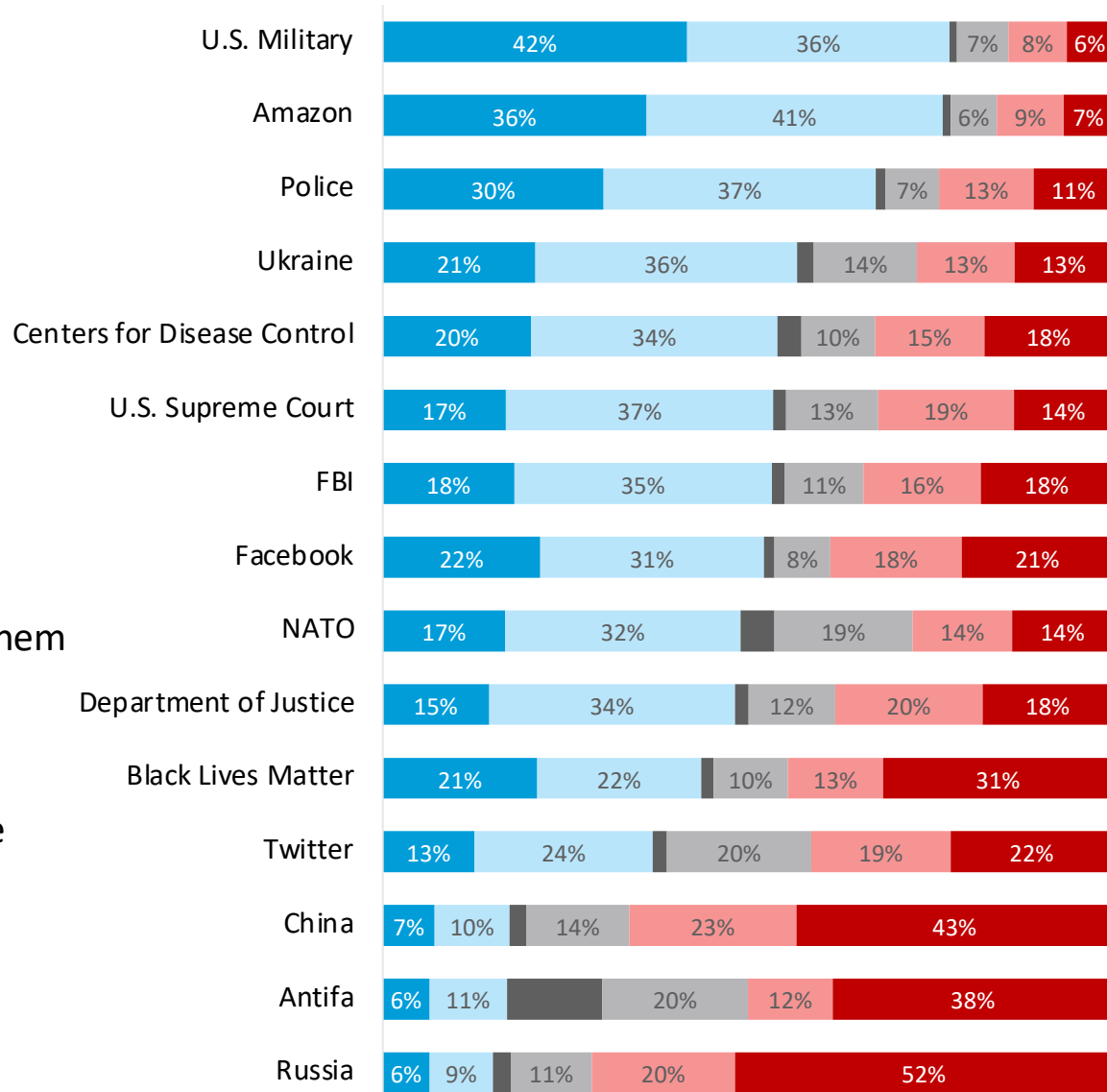
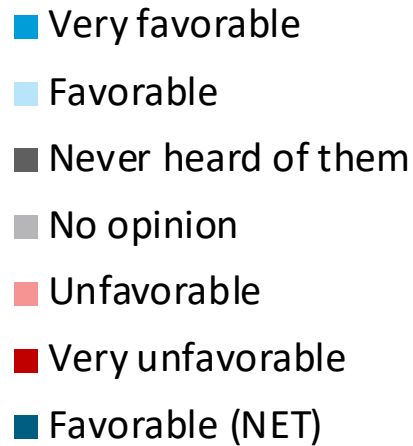


	Favorable (NET)	Unfavorable (NET)	GAP
Donald Trump	45%	48%	-3
Ron DeSantis	45%	32%	13
Elon Musk	44%	39%	5
Bernie Sanders	43%	43%	0
Mike Pence	42%	42%	0
Joe Biden	40%	54%	-14
Ted Cruz	39%	41%	-2
Hillary Clinton	38%	52%	-14
Kamala Harris	38%	52%	-14
Nancy Pelosi	35%	53%	-18
Chuck Schumer	29%	44%	-15
Tim Scott	28%	26%	2
Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez	28%	44%	-16
Mike Pompeo	28%	32%	-4
Mitch McConnell	26%	51%	-25
Joe Manchin	24%	37%	-13
Merrick Garland	23%	31%	-8
Andrew Cuomo	22%	48%	-26
Anthony Blinken	20%	29%	-9
Kyrsten Sinema	20%	28%	-8
Christopher Wray	17%	23%	-6
Vladimir Putin	14%	73%	-59

F1. Now we will show you some names and groups. Please indicate if you have a favorable or unfavorable view of that person or group – or if you’ve never heard of them.

MILITARY, AMAZON AND POLICE ARE MOST FAVORABLE INSTITUTIONS

Favorability of Institutions

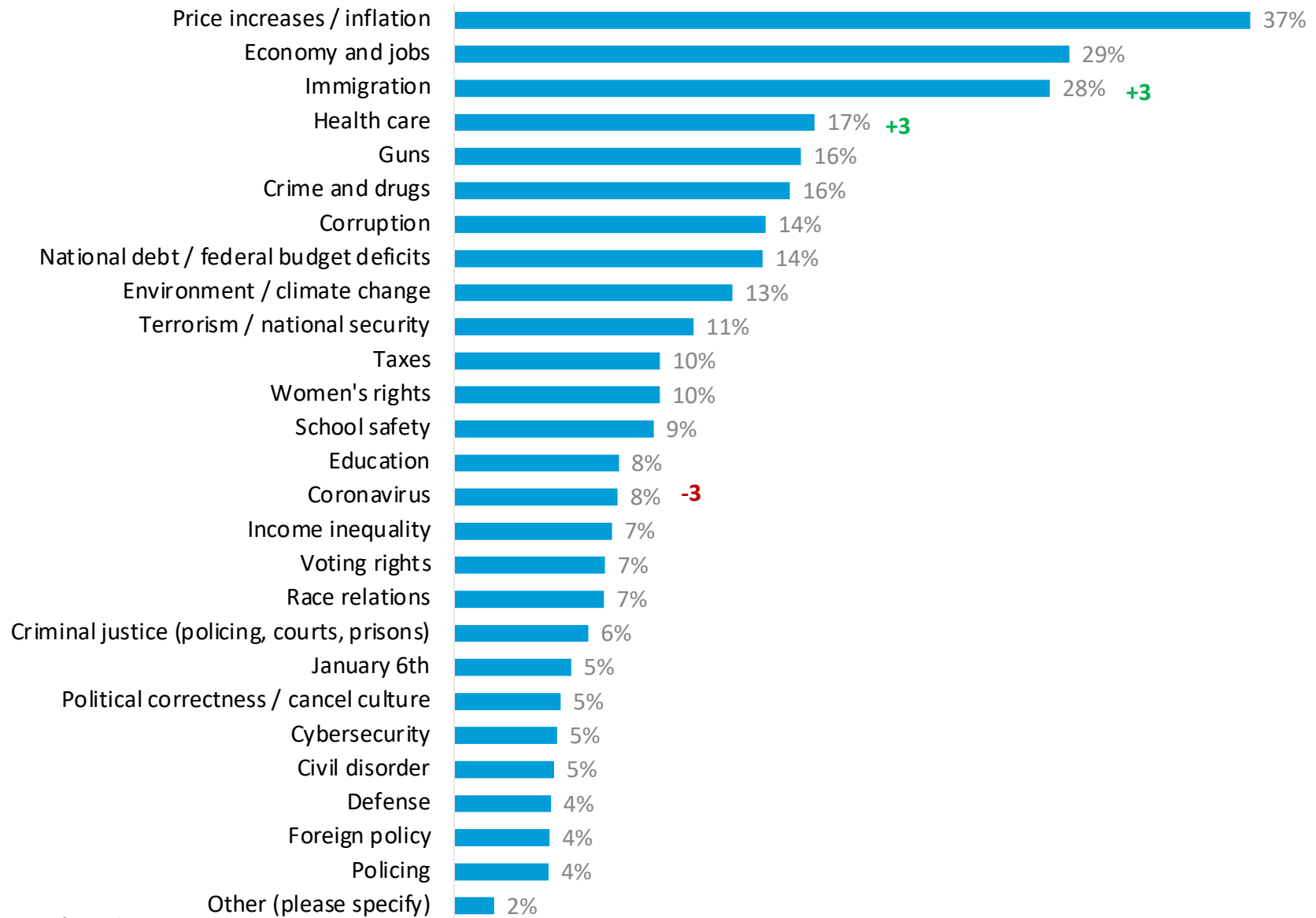


	Favorable (NET)	Unfavorable (NET)	GAP
U.S. Military	78%	14%	64
Amazon	77%	16%	61
Police	67%	24%	43
Ukraine	57%	27%	30
Centers for Disease Control	54%	33%	21
U.S. Supreme Court	54%	32%	22
FBI	53%	34%	19
Facebook	52%	39%	13
NATO	49%	27%	22
Department of Justice	48%	38%	10
Black Lives Matter	44%	45%	-1
Twitter	37%	41%	-4
China	17%	66%	-49
Antifa	17%	50%	-33
Russia	15%	71%	-56

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INFLATION AND ECONOMY ARE DOMINANT AS TOP ISSUES FACING COUNTRY

What would you say are the most important issues facing the country today?



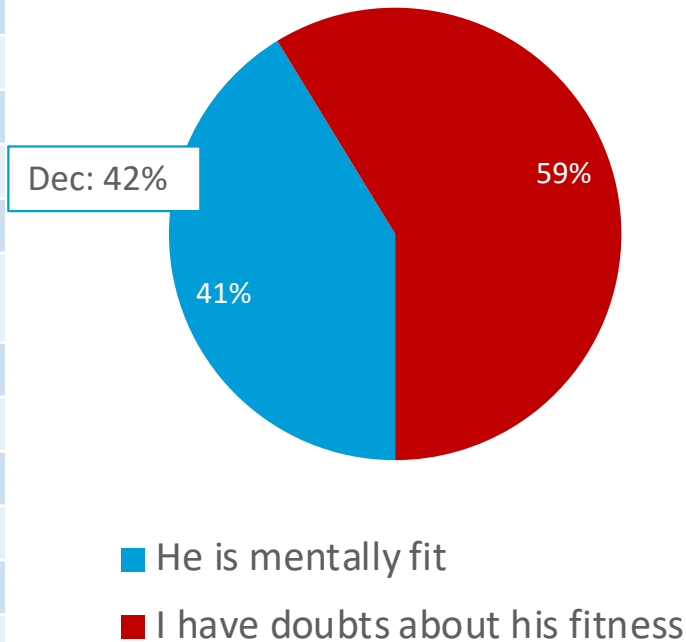
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MIDTERMS & HORSERACE

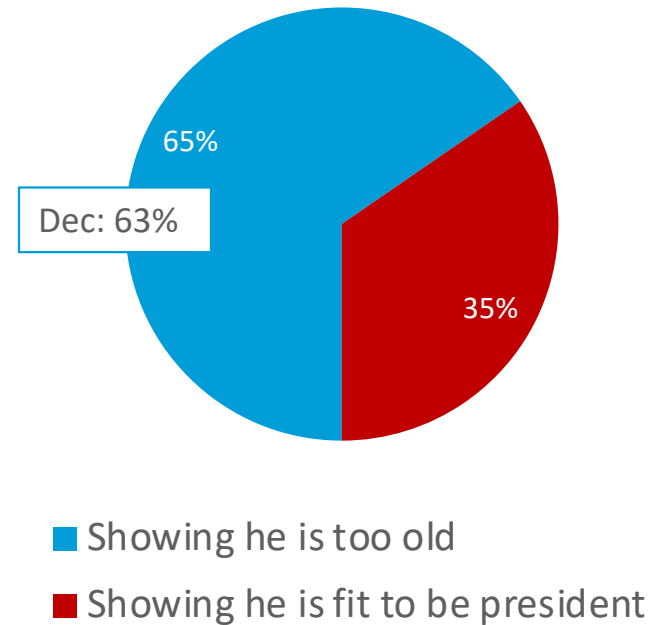
MOST SAY THEY HAVE DOUBTS ABOUT BIDEN'S MENTAL FITNESS AND AGE FOR PRESIDENT

	He is mentally fit	I have doubts about his fitness
Democrat	76%	24%
GOP	13%	87%
IND/OTH	33%	67%
Male	42%	58%
Female	41%	59%
Other	56%	44%
White	35%	65%
Black or AA	62%	38%
Hispanic	48%	52%
18-34	47%	53%
35-54	47%	53%
55+	33%	67%
Urban	59%	41%
Suburban	37%	63%
Rural	27%	73%

Is Joe Biden mentally fit to serve as President of the United States or do you have doubts about his fitness for office?
(Split sample)



Do you think Joe Biden is showing he is too old to be President or do you think he is showing he is fit to be president?
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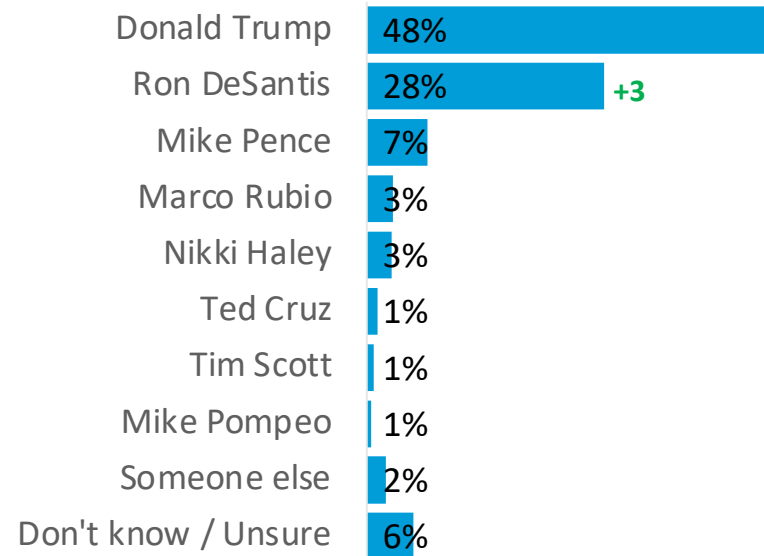


	Showing he is too old	Showing he is fit to be president
Democrat	36%	64%
GOP	90%	10%
IND/OTH	73%	27%
Male	67%	33%
Female	64%	36%
Other	68%	32%
White	69%	31%
Black or AA	51%	49%
Hispanic	61%	39%
18-34	64%	36%
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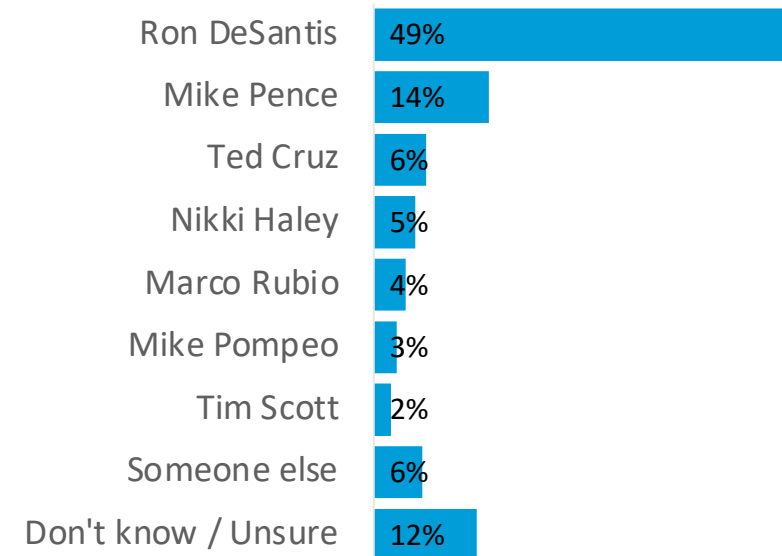
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BID2. Do you think Joe Biden is showing he is too old to be President or do you think he is showing he is fit to be president?

TRUMP IS A CLEAR FAVORITE IN A PROSPECTIVE GOP PRIMARY; DESANTIS REMAINS THE RUNNER UP

If the Republican presidential primary for the 2024 election was held today, who would you vote for? (GOP voters)



If former President Donald Trump does not run for president in 2024, who would you vote for in the GOP primary? (GOP voters)

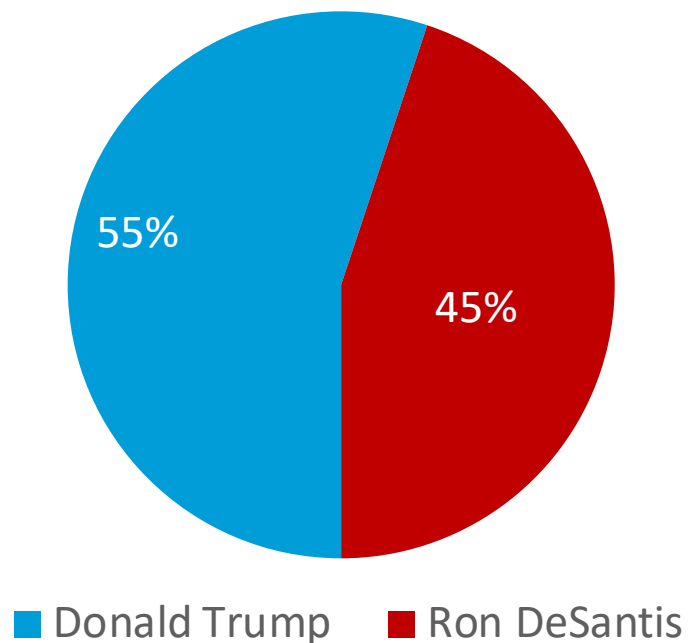


GOPPRIM1. If the Republican presidential primary for the 2024 election was held today, who would you vote for?

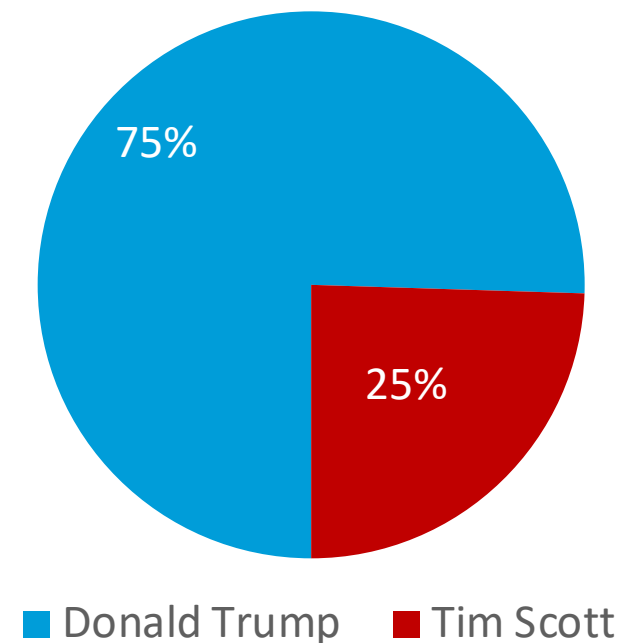
GOPPRIM2. If former President Donald Trump does not run for president in 2024, who would you vote for in the GOP primary?

TRUMP IS WELL AHEAD OF SCOTT WHO IS LESSER KNOWN, BUT A CLOSER RACE WITH DESANTIS

If the Republican party primary is down to two choices, Ron DeSantis and Donald Trump, who would you choose to run as president in 2024 among the two? (GOP Voters)

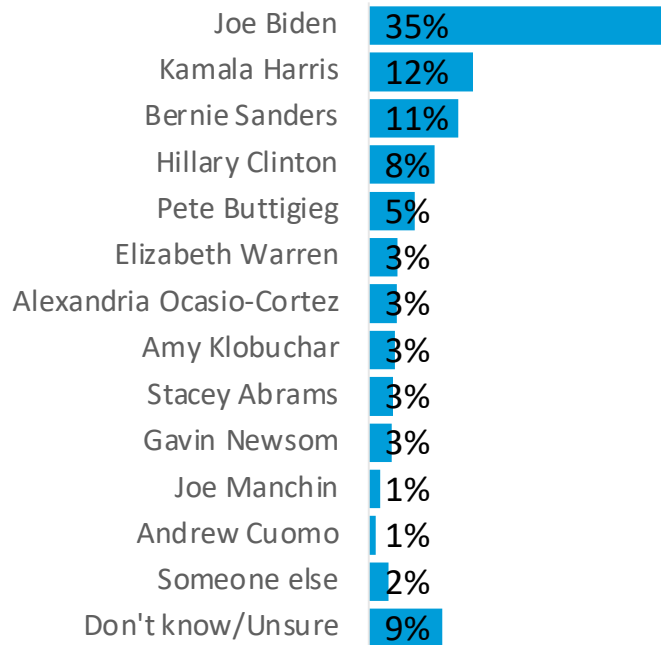


If the Republican party primary is down to two choices, Tim Scott and Donald Trump, who would you choose to run as president in 2024 among the two? (GOP Voters)

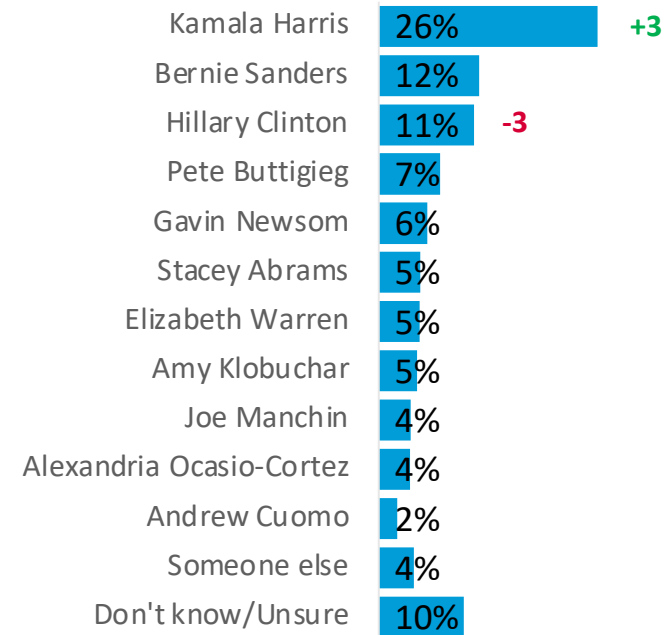


IN DEMOCRATIC HORSERACE, BIDEN IS THE FAVORITE; HARRIS IS THE RUNNER UP

If the Democratic presidential primary for the 2024 election was held today, who would you vote for? (DEM voters)

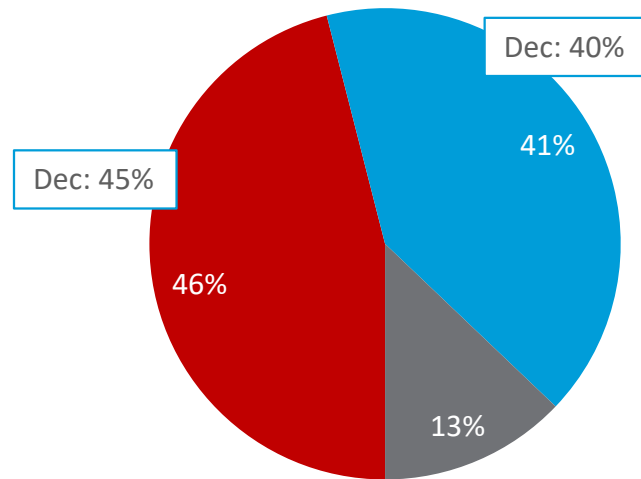


If President Biden decides not to run again in 2024, who would you prefer to be the Democratic candidate? (DEM voters)



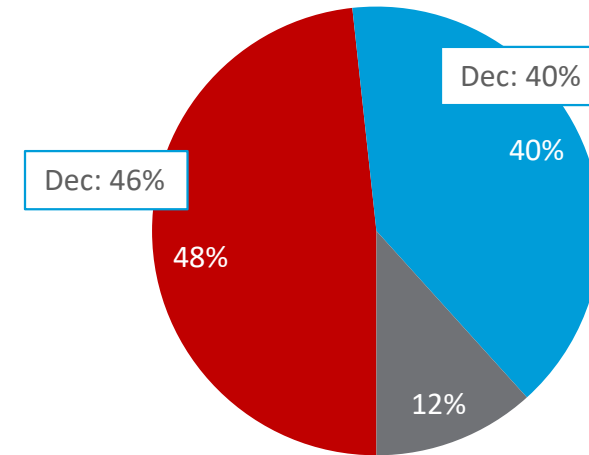
TRUMP WINS HYPOTHETICAL HORSERACE AGAINST BIDEN BY 5 POINTS, HARRIS BY 8

If the 2024 election for President were held today and it was between Donald Trump, the Republican and Joe Biden, the Democrat, who would you vote for?



■ Donald Trump ■ Joe Biden ■ Don't Know / Unsure

If the 2024 election for President were held today and it was between Donald Trump, the Republican and Kamala Harris, the Democrat, who would you vote for?



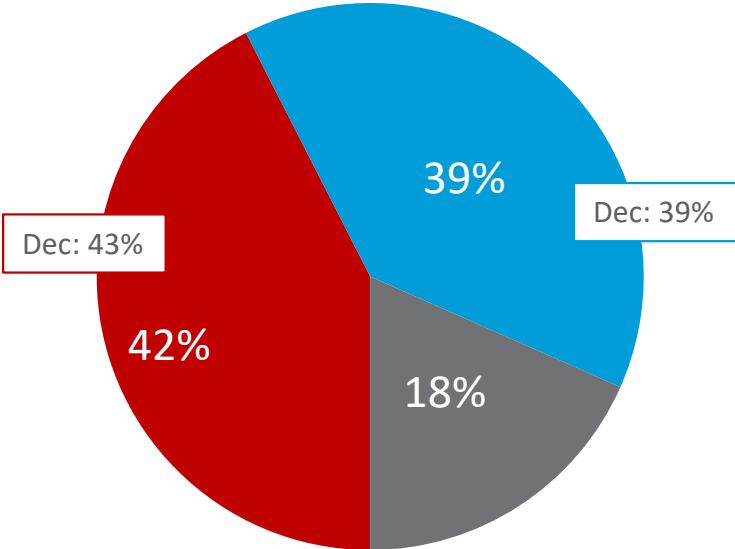
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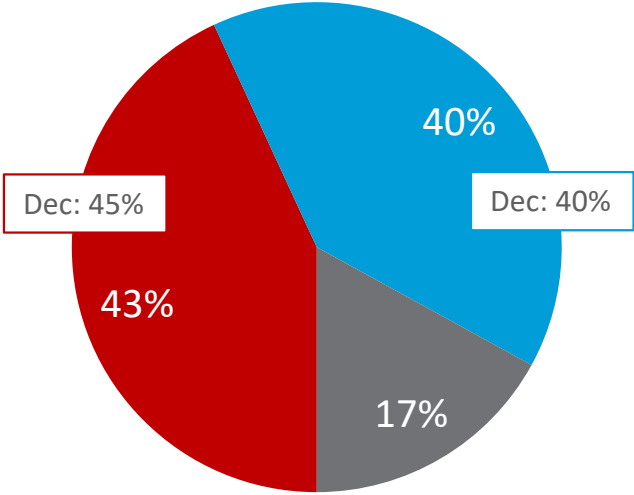
DESANTIS WINS HYPOTHETICAL HORSERACE BETWEEN BIDEN OR HARRIS

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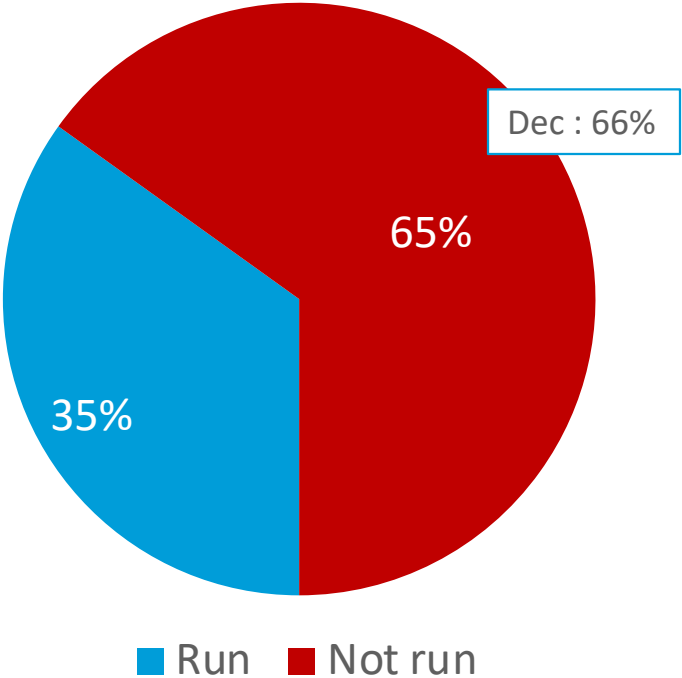


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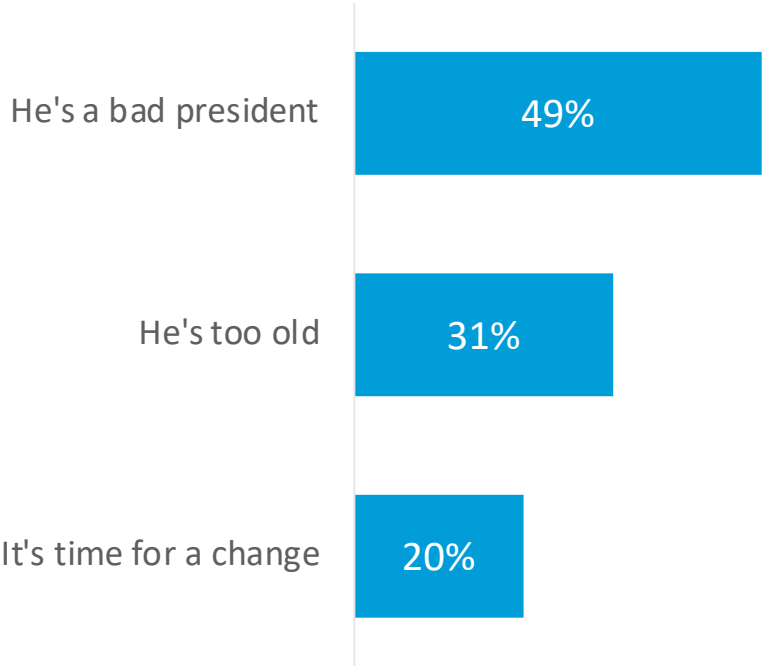
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MOST SAY THE BIDEN SHOULD NOT RUN FOR A SECOND TERM

Do you think President Biden should run for a second term or not run for a second term?



Why should Biden not run in 2024?

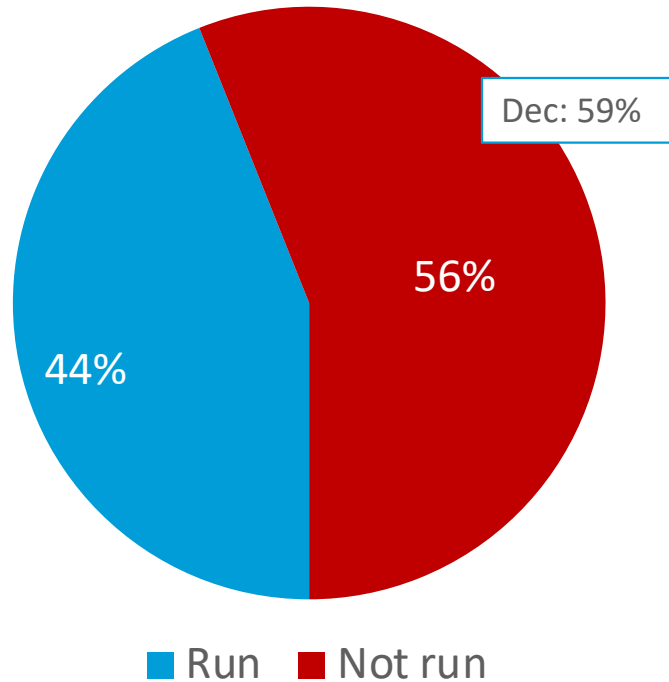


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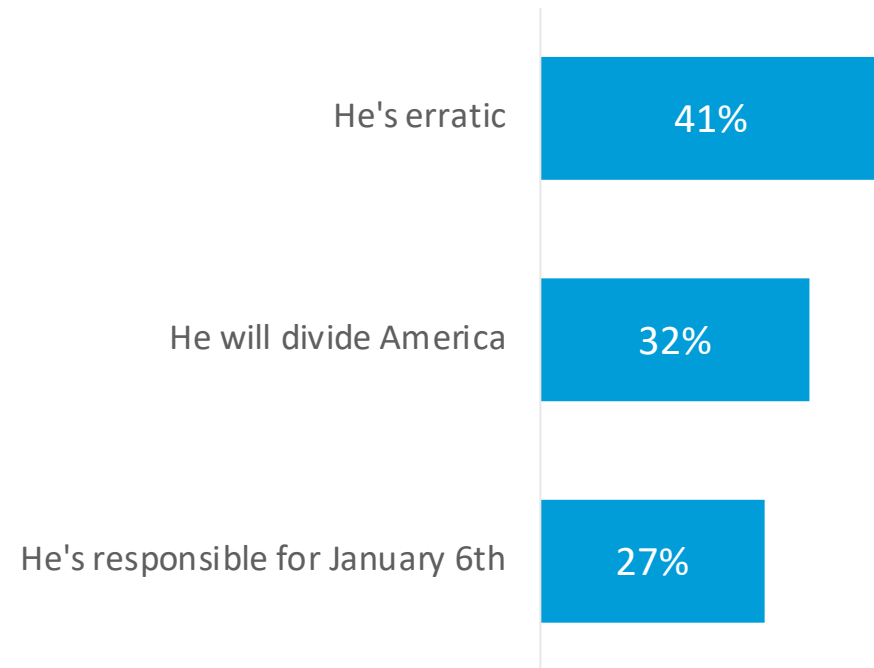
PRESELEC2: Why should Biden not run in 2024?

OVER HALF OF VOTERS SURVEYED SAY TRUMP SHOULD RUN IN 2024

Do you think Donald Trump should run for president again in 2024?



Why should Donald Trump not run for president in 2024?

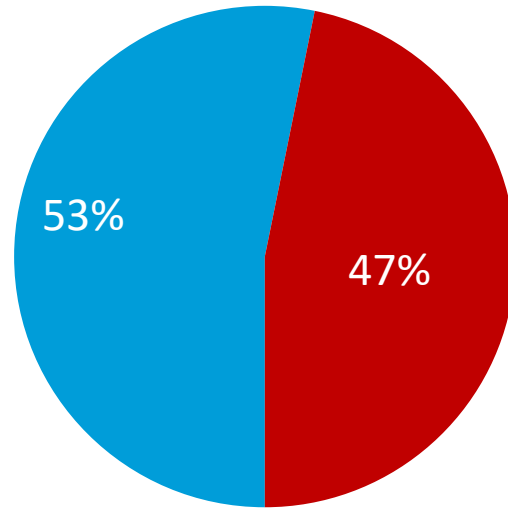


MOST VOTERS WOULD SUPPORT A MODERATE CANDIDATE OVER BIDEN AND TRUMP

If Donald Trump was the Republican nominee and Joe Biden the Democratic nominee, would you support or not support an independent moderate candidate running for the presidency in 2024?

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Would consider a moderate independent	61%
Not consider	39%



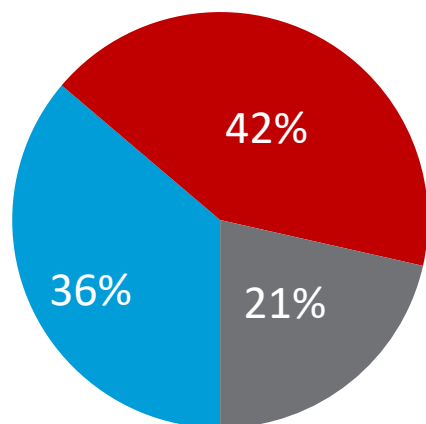
■ Support ■ Not support

Column %	DEM	GOP	IND/OTH
Support	54%	49%	57%
Not support	46%	51%	43%

GOP
SPEAKERSHIP
FIGHT

MOST VOTERS, INCLUDING DEMS, THINK SPEAKER MCCARTHY WILL WORK WITH DEMOCRATS TO CREATE BIPARTISAN LEGISLATION

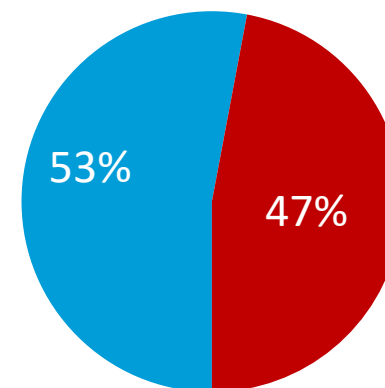
Do you think Kevin McCarthy is moderate, conservative, or far right in outlook?



■ Moderate ■ Conservative ■ Far right

Column %	DEM	GOP	IND/OTH
Moderate	32%	38%	39%
Conservative	38%	49%	38%
Far right	29%	13%	22%

Do you think he will work with the Democrats to create bipartisan legislation or will he only fight with the Democrats?



■ Work with Democrats ■ Fight with Democrats

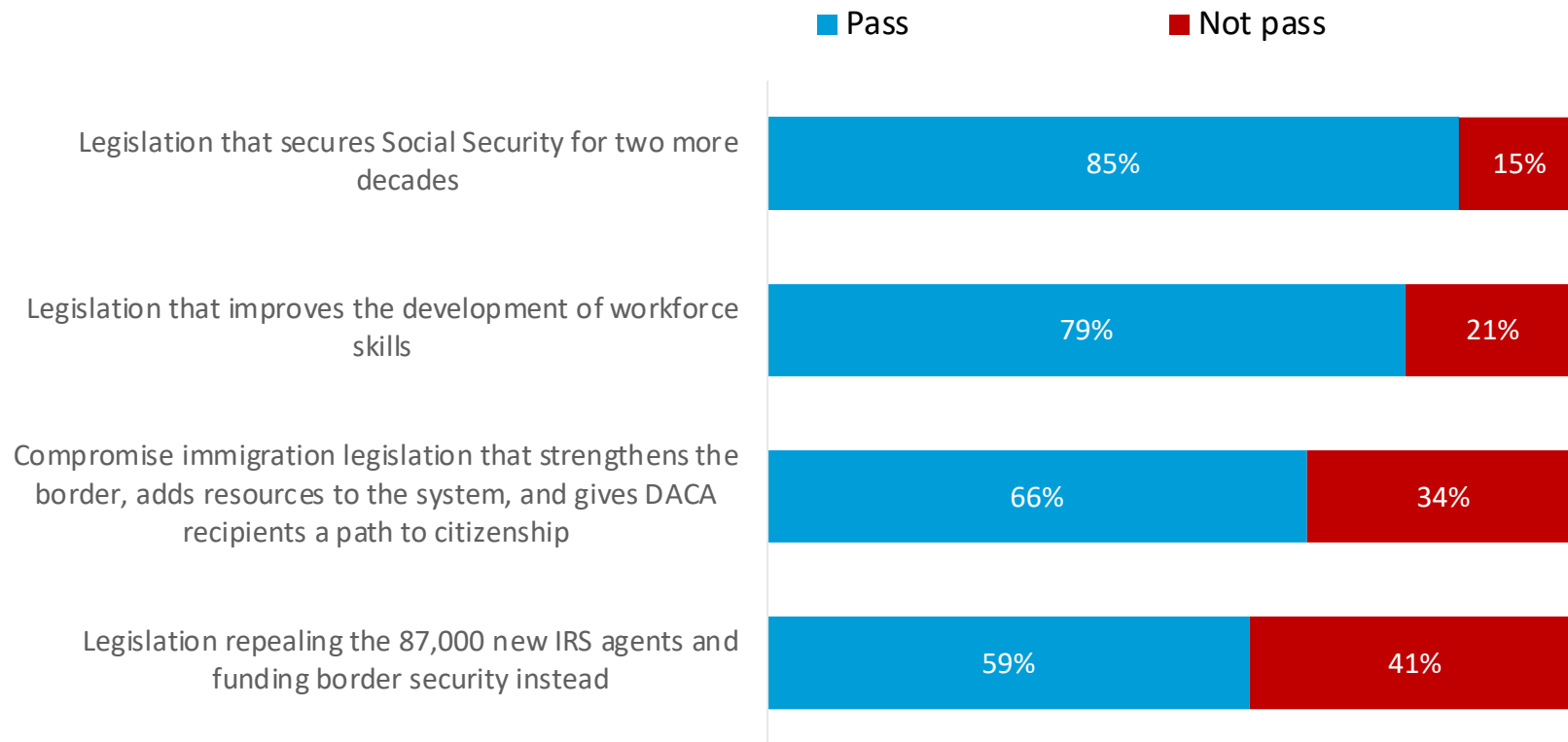
Column %	DEM	GOP	IND/OTH
Work with Democrats	52%	58%	47%
Fight with Democrats	48%	42%	53%

SPEAK1: Do you think Kevin McCarthy is moderate, conservative, or far right in outlook?

SPEAK2: Do you think he will work with the Democrats to create bipartisan legislation, or will he only fight with the Democrats?

SECURING SOCIAL SECURITY IS A POPULAR PROPOSED LEGISLATION

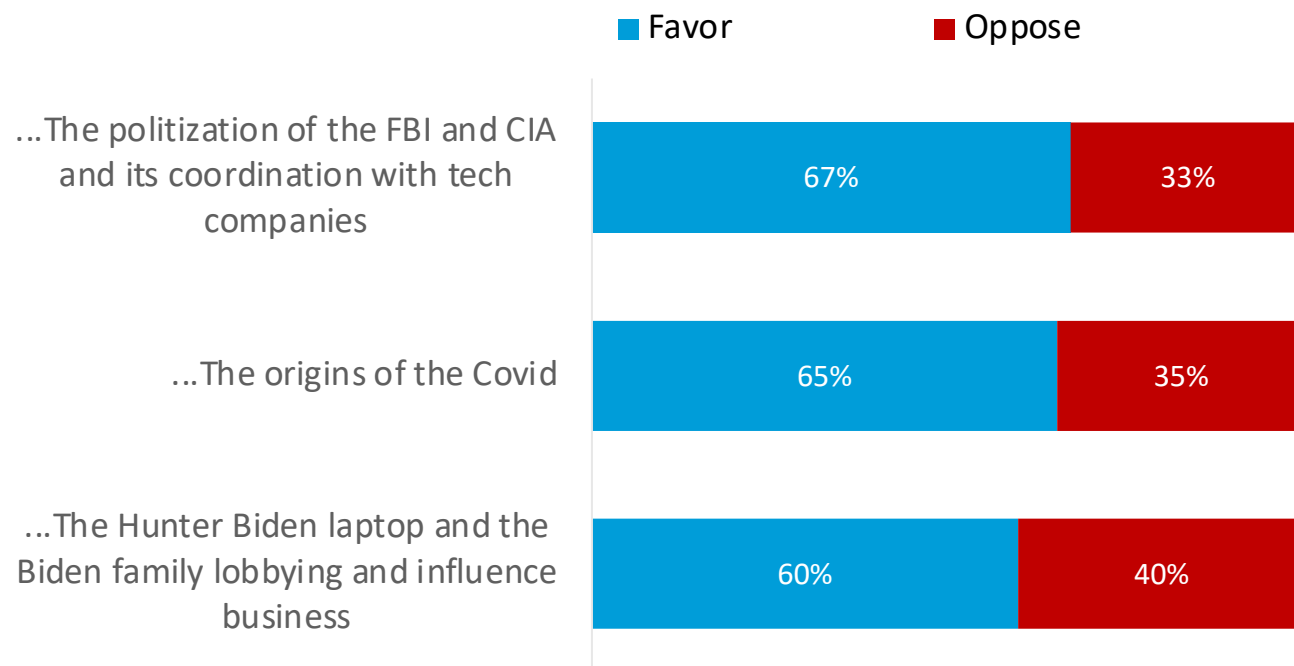
Do you think that Congress should or should not pass each of the following legislation over the next year?



Column %	DEM	GOP	IND/OT H	
Legislation that secures Social Security for two more decades	Pass	82%	88%	85%
	Not pass	18%	12%	15%
Legislation that improves the development of workforce skills	Pass	81%	78%	76%
	Not pass	19%	22%	24%
Compromise immigration legislation that strengthens the border, adds resources to the system, and gives DACA recipients a path to citizenship	Pass	72%	62%	63%
	Not pass	28%	38%	37%
Legislation repealing the 87,000 new IRS agents and funding border security instead	Pass	51%	69%	58%
	Not pass	49%	31%	42%

TWO-THIRDS OF VOTERS SUPPORT INVESTIGATING WHETHER THE FBI AND CIA HAVE COORDINATED WITH TECH COMPANIES

Do you favor or oppose investigations of

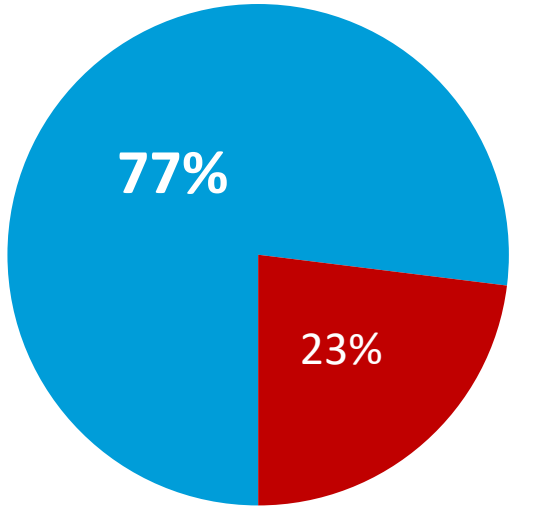


Column %		DEM	GOP	IND/OTH
...The politization of the FBI and CIA and its coordination with tech companies	Favor	61%	75%	66%
	Oppose	39%	25%	34%
...The origins of the Covid	Favor	63%	70%	62%
	Oppose	37%	30%	38%
...The Hunter Biden laptop and the Biden family lobbying and influence business	Favor	45%	73%	61%
	Oppose	55%	27%	39%

MISPLACED BIDEN DOCUMENTS

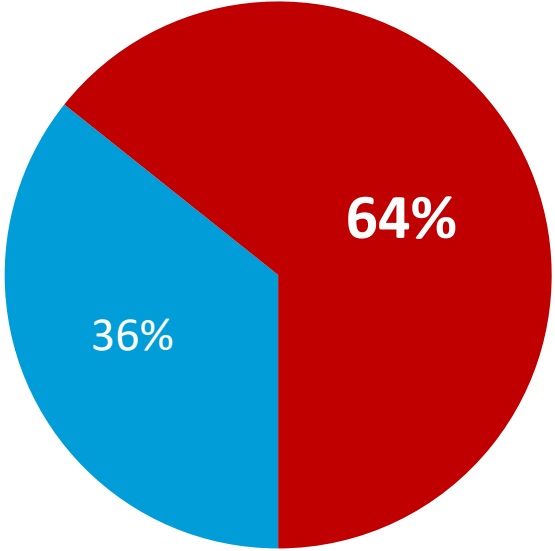
MOST VOTERS THINK BIDEN’S UNSECURED CLASSIFIED DOCUMENTS IS A SERIOUS BREACH

Have you heard or not heard anything about classified documents being uncovered in President Biden's Delaware home garage and in a closet in his former University of Pennsylvania office?



■ Heard ■ Have not heard

Do you consider the presence of these classified documents in several unsecure locations to be a minor or serious breach of national security?



■ Minor ■ Serious

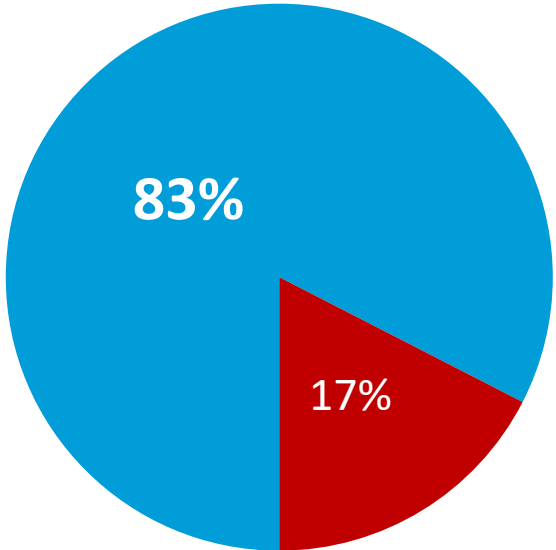
Column %	DEM	GOP	IND/OTH
Minor	56%	17%	32%
Serious	44%	83%	68%

BD1: Have you heard or not heard anything about classified documents being uncovered in President Biden's Delaware home garage and in a closet in his former University of Pennsylvania office?

BD2: Do you consider the presence of these classified documents in several unsecure locations to be a minor or serious breach of national security?

MOST VOTERS SAY THE MISPLACED CLASSIFIED DOCUMENTS SHOULD BE INVESTIGATED BY THE FBI AND CONGRESS

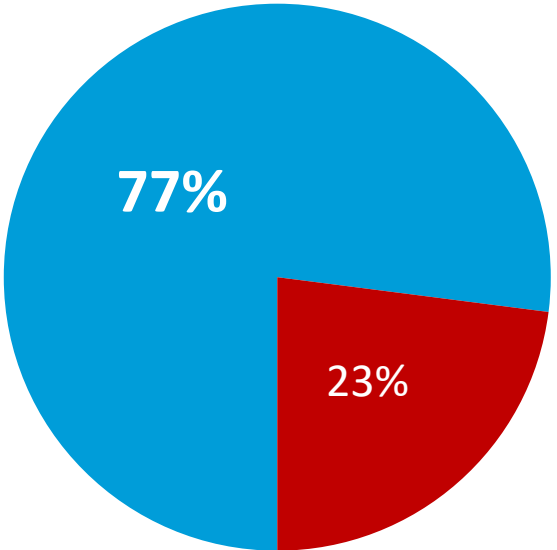
Should the FBI investigate or not investigate how these classified documents were misplaced by President Biden and who might have had access to them?



■ Should investigate ■ Should not

Column %	DEM	GOP	IND/OTH
Should investigate	73%	92%	82%
Should not	27%	8%	18%

Should the House of Representatives investigate how these classified documents were misplaced by President Biden and who might have had access to them?



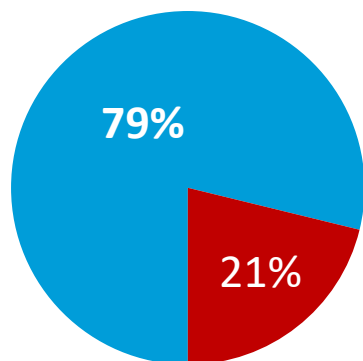
■ Should investigate ■ Should not

Column %	DEM	GOP	IND/OTH
Should investigate	64%	90%	77%
Should not	36%	10%	23%

BD3: Should the FBI investigate or not investigate how these classified documents were misplaced by President Biden and who might have had access to them?
 BD4: Should the House of Representatives investigate how these classified documents were misplaced by President Biden and who might have had access to them?

OVER THREE IN FOUR VOTERS SAY THE BIDEN TEAM SHOULD HAVE DISCLOSED THE SECURITY BREACH BEFORE THE MIDTERM ELECTIONS

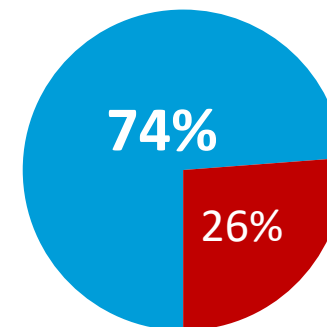
Joe Biden and his team discovered the classified documents before the mid-term election. Should they have disclosed this then or were they right to conceal the discovery?



- Should have disclosed before midterm elections
- Right to conceal

Column %	DEM	GOP	IND/OTH
Should have disclosed before midterm elections	66%	91%	80%
Right to conceal	34%	9%	20%

Should the FBI have searched the Delaware residence of President Biden for more classified documents or should that have been left to Bidens attorneys to conduct and report back to the FBI?



- The FBI should have searched
- The FBI should have allowed Biden's attorneys to search

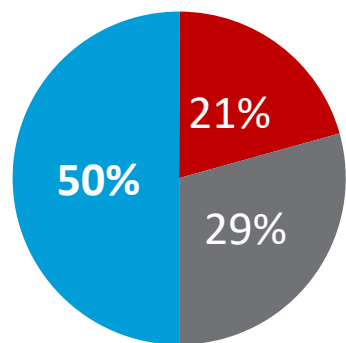
Column %	DEM	GOP	IND/OTH
The FBI should have searched	58%	90%	73%
The FBI should have allowed Biden's attorneys to search	42%	10%	27%

BD5: Joe Biden and his team discovered the classified documents before the mid-term election. Should they have disclosed this then or were they right to conceal the discovery?

BD5A: Should the FBI have searched the Delaware residence of President Biden for more classified documents or should that have been left to Bidens attorneys to conduct and report back to the FBI?

NEARLY HALF OF VOTERS SAY THE DOJ HAS TREATED THE BIDEN BREACH MORE LENIENTLY THAN THE TRUMP BREACH

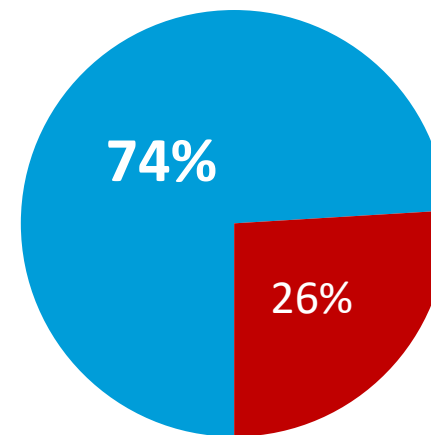
Do you think the Department of Justice has treated the Biden case of misplaced classified documents more leniently, more harshly, or the same way as they did for former president Trump's case?



■ More leniently ■ More harshly ■ The same

Column %	DEM	GOP	IND/OTH
More lenient	33%	71%	47%
More harsh	23%	19%	20%
The same	44%	11%	34%

Do you support or oppose the appointment of a special prosecutor by the Attorney General to review the Biden case of misplaced classified documents?



■ Support ■ Oppose

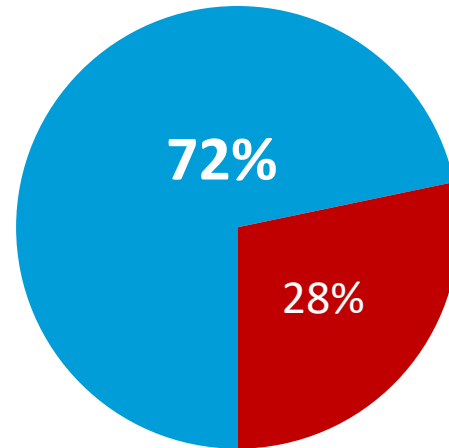
Column %	DEM	GOP	IND/OTH
Support	67%	83%	71%
Oppose	33%	17%	29%

BD6: Do you think the Department of Justice has treated the Biden case of misplaced classified documents more leniently, more harshly, or the same way as they did for former president Trump's case?

BD7: Do you support or oppose the appointment of a special prosecutor by the Attorney General to review the Biden case of misplaced classified documents?

HUNTER BIDEN'S BUSINESS DEALINGS WOULD BE WITHIN THE SCOPE OF A SPECIAL COUNSEL, SAY TWO-THIRDS OF VOTERS

Do you think the special counsel should also investigate Hunter Biden's business dealing abroad and whether Joe Biden, when he was VP, used his office for his family's personal gain, or is this outside the scope of what the special counsel should do?

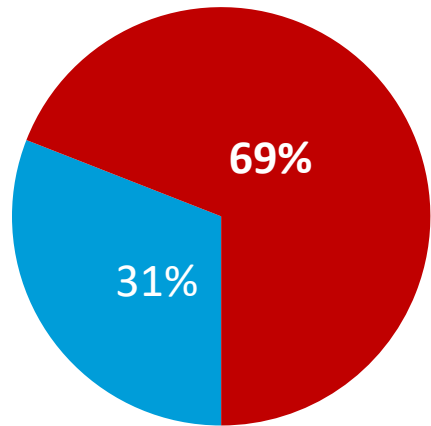


■ Should investigate business dealings ■ Outside the scope

Column %	DEM	GOP	IND/OTH
Should investigate business dealings	55%	89%	71%
Outside the scope	45%	11%	29%

BIDEN'S DEALINGS WITH UPENN RAISES QUESTIONS, POSSIBLE INVESTIGATIONS, SAY MOST VOTERS

Were you aware that Joe Biden and his top campaign operatives were all employed before the presidential campaign by the University of Pennsylvania?

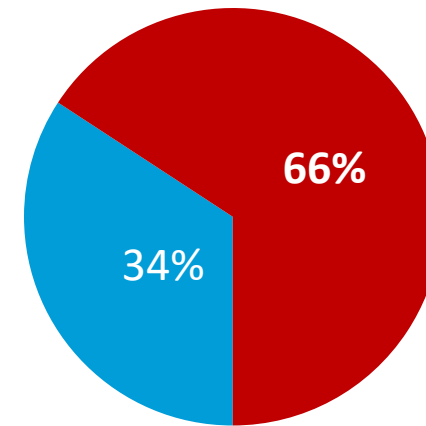


■ Aware ■ Not aware

Column %	DEM	GOP	IND/OTH
Aware	34%	33%	25%
Not aware	66%	67%	75%

"The University of Pennsylvania paid Joe Biden \$900,000 and hired his aides to create the Penn Biden Center for foreign affairs after he was vice president. The university allegedly received \$55 million in donations from Chinese interests, and the president of the University of Pennsylvania was recently appointed an ambassadorship."

Does all this seem fair or does it raise questions that should be investigated?



■ Fair ■ Raises questions that should be investigated

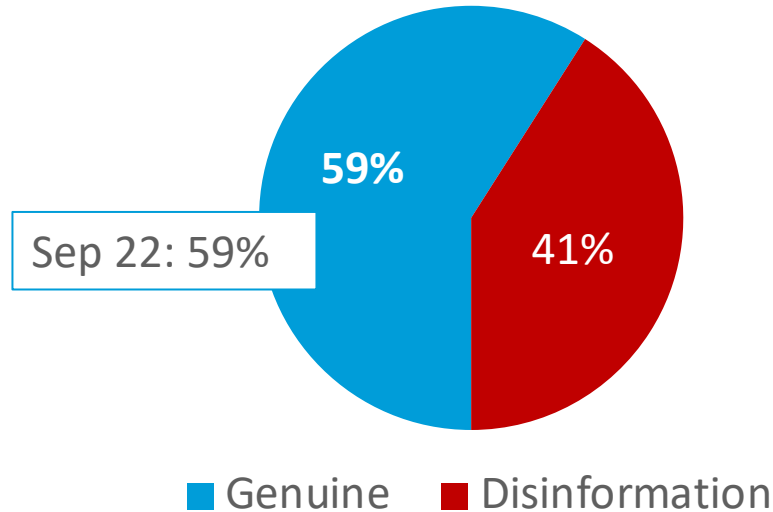
Column %	DEM	GOP	IND/OTH
Fair	57%	17%	27%
Raises questions that should be investigated	43%	83%	73%

BD9: Were you aware that Joe Biden and his top campaign operatives were all employed before the presidential campaign by the University of Pennsylvania?

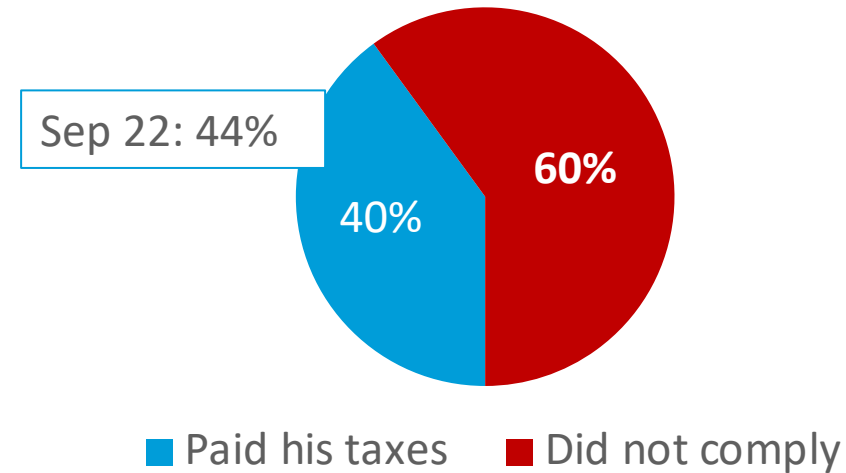
BD10: Does all this seem fair or does it raise questions that should be investigated?

MOST VOTERS THINK THE HUNTER LAPTOP STORY IS GENUINE

Do you think the Hunter Biden laptop is genuine or Russian disinformation?



Do you think that Hunter Biden paid his taxes and filed his representation of foreign governments or do you think he did not comply with these laws?



Column %	DEM	GOP	IND/OTH
Genuine	47%	71%	60%
Disinformation	53%	29%	40%

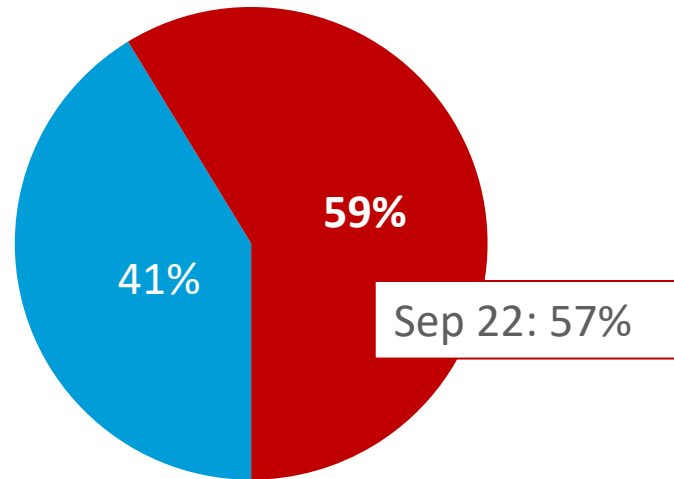
Column %	DEM	GOP	IND/OTH
Paid his taxes	69%	17%	31%
Did not comply	31%	83%	69%

BD11: Do you think the Hunter Biden laptop is genuine or Russian disinformation?

BD12: Do you think that Hunter Biden paid his taxes and filed his representation of foreign governments or do you think he did not comply with these laws?

OVER HALF OF VOTERS SUSPECT HUNTER COLLECTED MONEY SELLING ACCESS TO FATHER

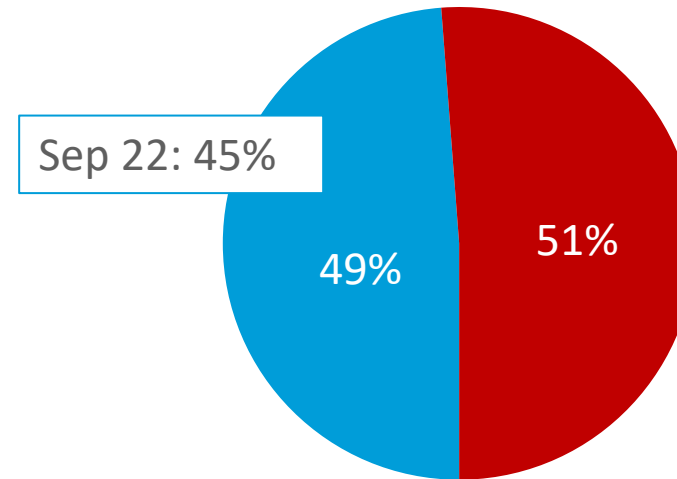
Do you think Hunter Biden was collecting money based on his own work or was he influence peddling access to his father?



■ Based on his own work ■ Peddling access

Column %	DEM	GOP	IND/OTH
Based on his own work	69%	19%	33%
Peddling access	31%	81%	67%

Do you think that the Justice Department and FBI are fairly investigating Hunter Biden, or do you think that they were delaying it to protect the election of Joe Biden?



■ Fairly investigating ■ Delaying

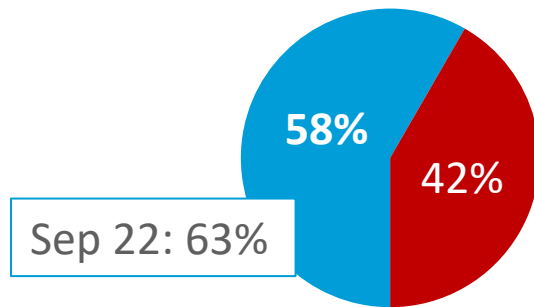
Column %	DEM	GOP	IND/OTH
Fairly investigating	78%	24%	41%
Delaying	22%	76%	59%

BD13: Do you think Hunter Biden was collecting money based on his own work or was he influence peddling access to his father?

BD14: Do you think that the Justice Department and FBI is fairly investigating Hunter Biden, or do you think that they were delaying it to protect the election of Joe Biden?

MOST VOTERS THINK THE FBI HELPED SUPPRESS STORIES ABOUT HUNTER BIDEN'S LAPTOP

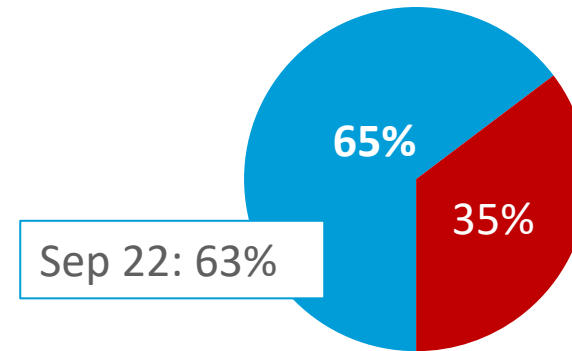
Do you think that the FBI helped suppress the Hunter Biden laptop story by telling tech companies it could be Russian disinformation, or do you think that the FBI was not telling the tech companies to suppress it?



- FBI helped suppress
- FBI had no say in suppressing it

Column %	DEM	GOP	IND/OTH
FBI helped suppress	42%	74%	60%
FBI had no say in suppressing it	58%	26%	40%

Should the Justice Department appoint a special prosecutor specifically to look into the Hunter Biden laptop, or is a special prosecutor unnecessary?



- Should appoint a special prosecutor
- A special prosecutor is unnecessary

Column %	DEM	GOP	IND/OTH
Should appoint a special prosecutor	48%	83%	62%
A special prosecutor is unnecessary	52%	17%	38%

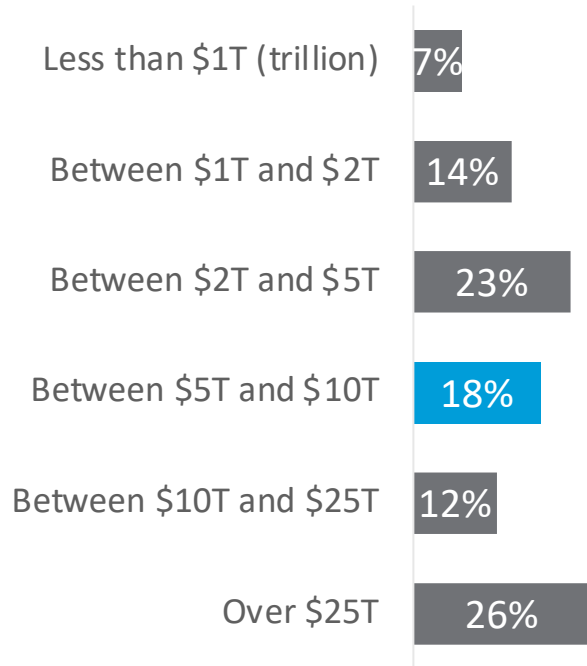
BD15: Do you think that the FBI helped suppress the Hunter Biden laptop story by telling tech companies it could be Russian disinformation or do you think that the FBI was not telling the tech companies to suppress it?

BD16: Should the Justice Department appoint a special prosecutor specifically to look into the Hunter Biden laptop or is a special prosecutor unnecessary?

DEBT CEILING

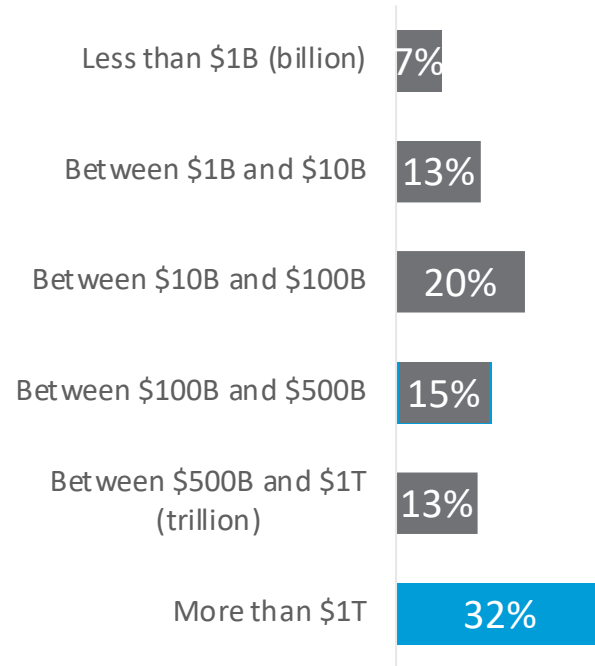
MOST VOTERS UNDERESTIMATE THE SIZE OF THE NATIONAL DEBT

What do you think is the size of the federal budget?



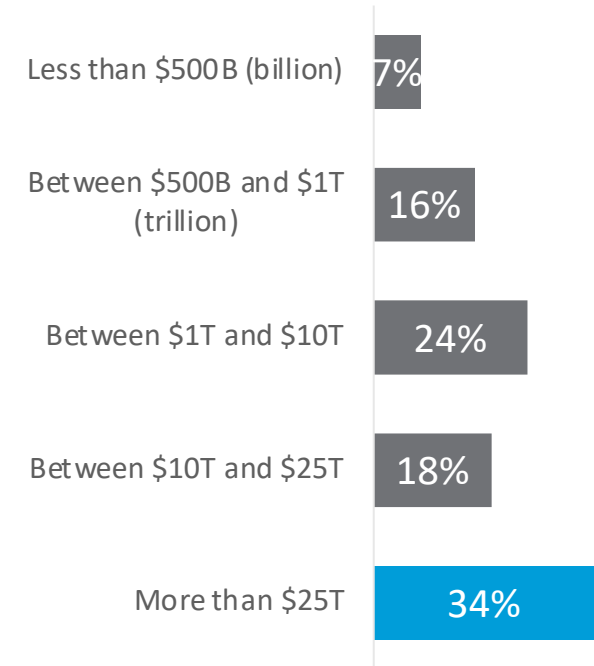
Actual: \$6.27 trillion*

What do you think is the size of the budget deficit this year?



Actual: \$1.4 trillion*

What do you think is the size of the national debt?



Actual: \$31 trillion*

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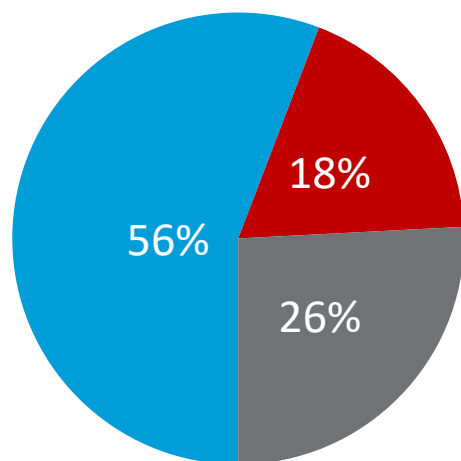
DEBT1: What do you think is the size of the federal budget?

DEBT2: What do you think is the size of the budget deficit this year?

DEBT3: What do you think is the size of the national debt?

OVER HALF OF VOTERS SAY THE BIDEN ADMINISTRATION HAS BEEN SPENDING TOO MUCH

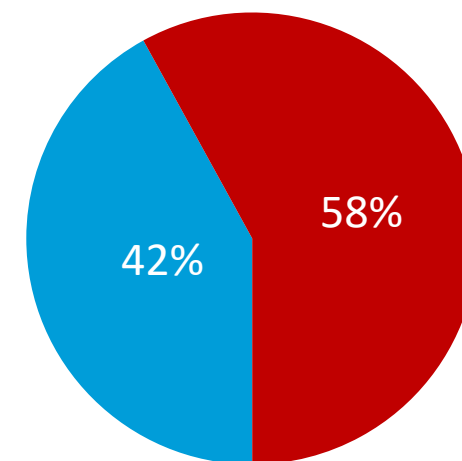
Do you think the Biden administration has pushed too much spending, too little or about the right amount over the last two years?



■ Too much ■ Too little ■ Right amount

Column %	DEM	GOP	IND/OTH
Too much	29%	82%	57%
Too little	25%	11%	19%
Right amount	46%	6%	25%

Do you think the Biden administration has been thrifty and strategic or reckless and loose in its spending over the last two years?



■ Thrifty and strategic ■ Reckless and loose

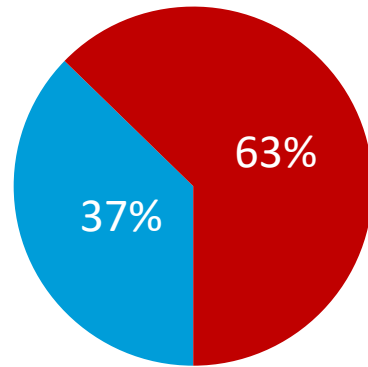
Column %	DEM	GOP	IND/OTH
Thrifty and strategic	72%	16%	35%
Reckless and loose	28%	84%	65%

DEBT4: Do you think the Biden administration has pushed too much spending, too little or about the right amount over the last two years?

DEBT5: Do you think the Biden administration has been thrifty and strategic or reckless and loose in its spending over the last two years?

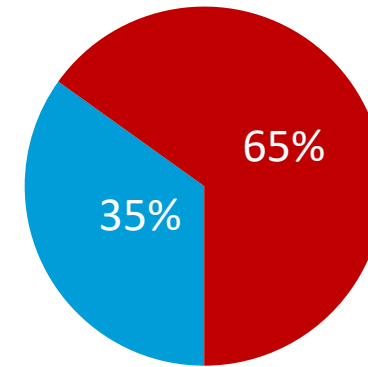
MOST VOTERS SUPPORT CONSTRAINED, BIPARTISAN RAISING OF THE DEBT CEILING

The current size of the national debt is \$31 trillion dollars. Should Congress vote to raise the national debt without conditions or should Congress raise it only with restraints on future spending?



- Raise the debt ceiling without conditions
- Raise it only with constraints

The Democrats say just raise it while the Republicans want to put in spending restraints. Should the Democrats hold fast and not negotiate or should they negotiate spending constraints with the Republicans?



- The Democrats should hold fast
- They should negotiate

Column %	DEM	GOP	IND/OTH
Raise the debt ceiling w/o conditions	54%	25%	31%
Raise it only with constraints	46%	75%	69%

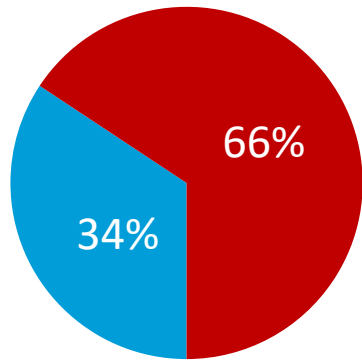
Column %	DEM	GOP	IND/OTH
The democrats should hold fast	56%	19%	27%
They should negotiate	44%	81%	73%

DEBT6: The current size of the national debt is \$31 trillion dollars. Should congress vote to raise the national debt without conditions or should the congress raise it only with restraints on future spending?

DEBT7: The Democrats say just raise it while the Republicans want to put in spending restraints. Should the democrats hold fast and not negotiate or should they negotiation spending constraints with the Republicans?

A DEBT DEFAULT WOULD BE A 'HUGE' ISSUE, ACCORDING TO MOST VOTERS

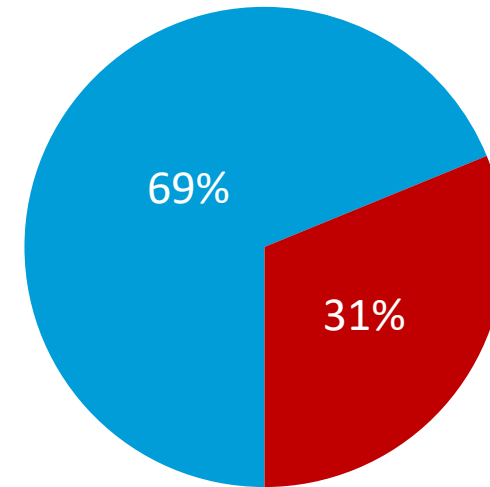
Should the Republicans give the Democrats a debt ceiling increase without constraints, or should they hold out for spending constraints?



- Give into a debt ceiling increase without constraints
- Hold out for spending constraints

Column %	DEM	GOP	IND/OTH
Give into a debt ceiling increase w/o constraints	55%	19%	27%
Hold out for spending constraints	45%	81%	73%

If Congress deadlocks, it could cause a default on the debt. Would a temporary default be a huge problem or would it not really be a big issue?

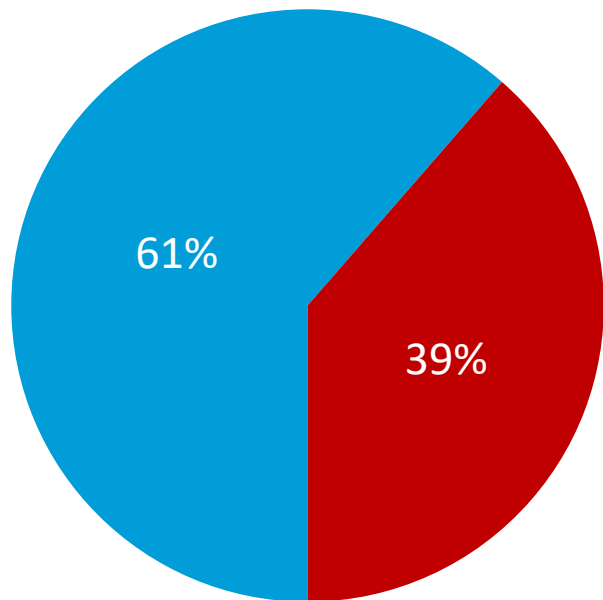


- A huge issue
- Not really be a big issue

Column %	DEM	GOP	IND/OTH
A huge issue	71%	69%	66%
Not really be a big issue	29%	31%	34%

MOST VOTERS SAY SPENDING LIMITS WOULD HELP THE HEALTH OF THE U.S. GOVERNMENT

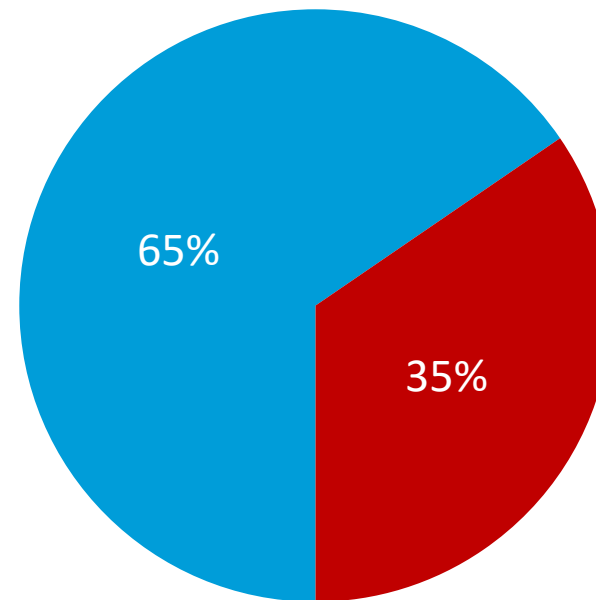
Who should cave their position to prevent a default - the democrats or the republicans?



■ The Democrats ■ The Republicans

Column %	DEM	GOP	IND/OTH
The Democrats	52%	71%	61%
The Republicans	48%	29%	39%

Do you think spending limits would hurt or help the health of the U.S. government?



■ Help ■ Hurt

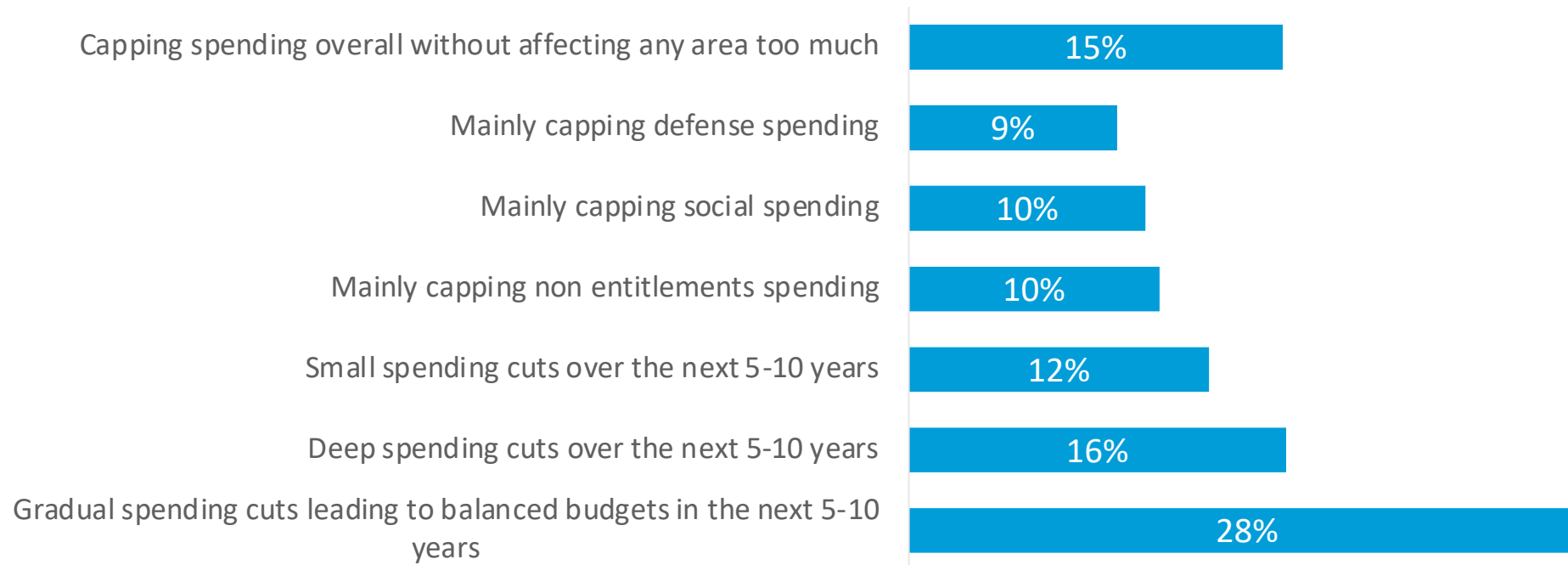
Column %	DEM	GOP	IND/OTH
Help	60%	72%	64%
Hurt	40%	28%	36%

DEBT10: Who should cave their position to prevent a default - the democrats or the republicans?

DEBT12: Do you think spending limits would hurt or help the health of the U.S. government?

A DEBT-CEILING DEAL SHOULD INCLUDE GRADUAL SPENDING CUTS, SAY A PLURALITY OF VOTERS

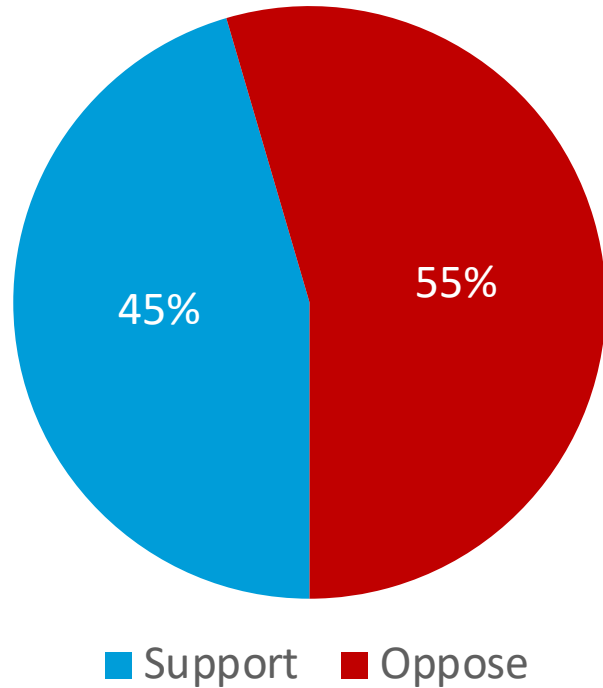
Which of the following should a debt-ceiling deal prioritize?



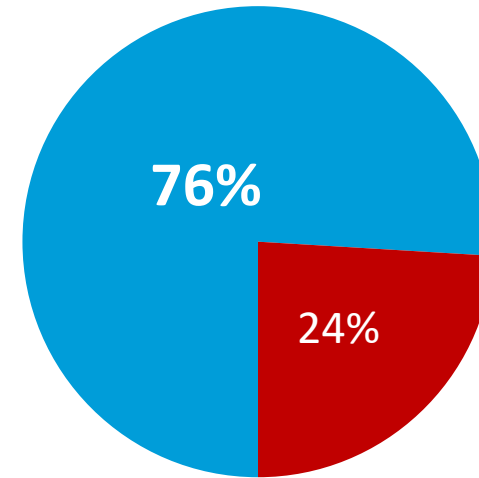
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VOTERS ARE SPLIT ON THEIR SUPPORT/OPPOSITION OF BIDEN ENERGY POLICIES

Do you support or oppose the energy and gas policies of the Biden administration?



Do we need to emphasize lower gasoline prices and energy independence or higher gasoline prices and climate change?



■ Lower prices and independence
 ■ Higher prices and climate change

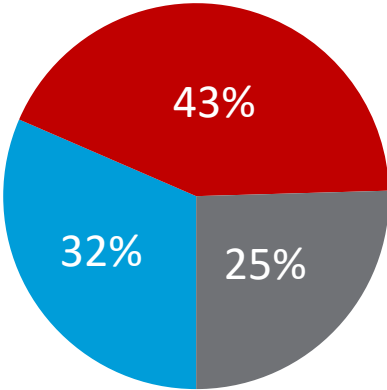
Column %	DEM	GOP	IND/OTH
Lower prices and independence	66%	86%	76%
Higher prices and climate change	34%	14%	24%

COB1: Do you support or oppose the energy and gas policies of the Biden administration?

COB2: Do we need to emphasize lower gasoline prices and energy independence or higher gasoline prices and climate change?

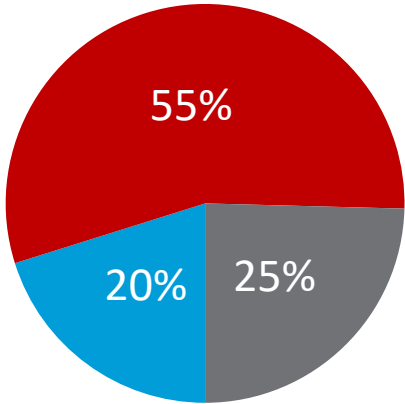
MOST VOTERS WANT TO SEE MORE OR NO CHANGE TO THE LEVEL OF LEGAL IMMIGRATION

Do we mainly need more legal immigration in the U.S. to ease workplace shortages, mainly need less legal immigrants to protect the jobs and salaries of American workers or should we keep the flow of legal immigrants roughly the same?



■ More legal immigration ■ Less legal immigration
■ Keep roughly the same

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■ More illegal immigration ■ Less illegal immigration
■ Keep roughly the same

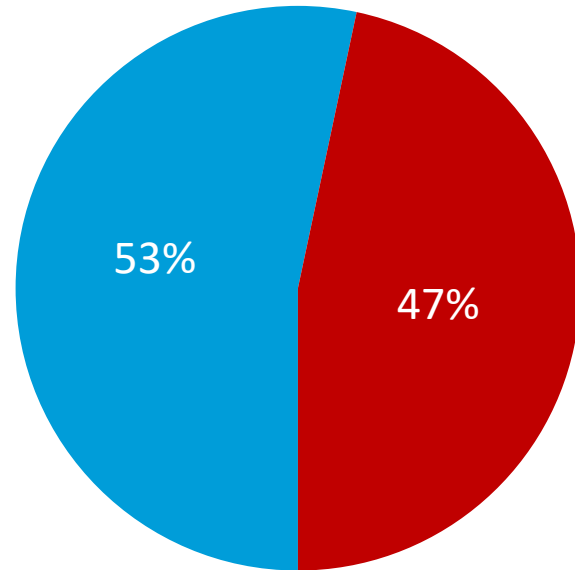
Column %	DEM	GOP	IND/OTH
More illegal immigration	30%	17%	11%
Less illegal immigration	38%	66%	64%
Keep roughly the same	32%	18%	26%

COB3A: Do we mainly need more legal immigration in the U.S. to ease workplace shortages, mainly need less legal immigrants to protect the jobs and salaries of American workers or should we keep the flow of legal immigrants roughly the same?

COB3B: Do we mainly need more illegal immigration in the U.S. to ease workplace shortages, mainly need less illegal immigrants to protect the jobs and salaries of American workers or should we keep the flow of illegal immigrants roughly the same?

VOTERS ARE SPLIT ON THE NET ECONOMIC IMPACT OF GOVERNMENT REGULATION

Does government regulation generally stifle innovation and hurt opportunities and growth in our economy or does it generally make our economy more equitable?

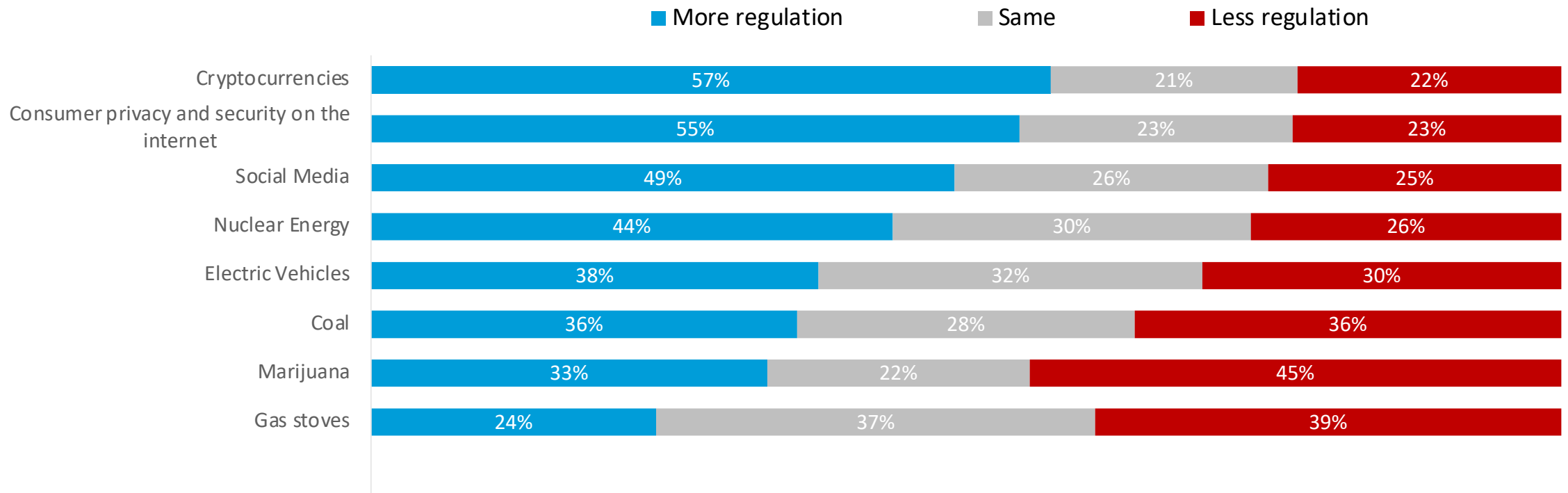


- Stifles growth and innovation
- Makes our economy more equitable

Column %	DEM	GOP	IND/OTH
Stifles growth and innovation	40%	65%	56%
Makes our economy more equitable	60%	35%	44%

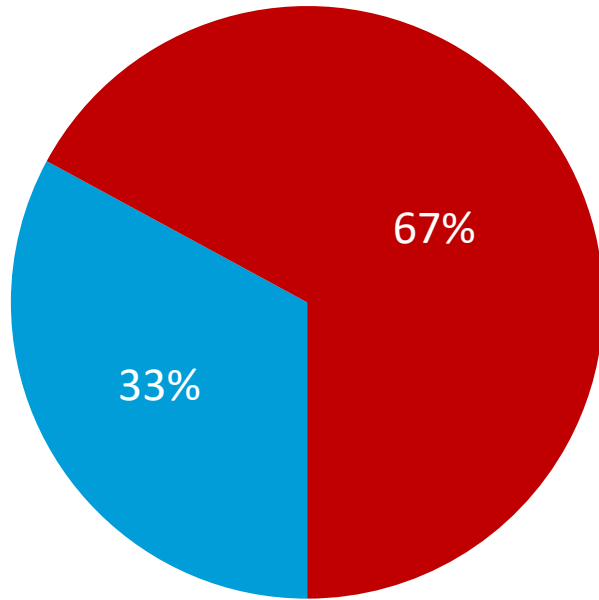
VOTERS WANT MORE REGULATION ON CONSUMER PRIVACY ON THE INTERNET, LESS REGULATION ON GAS STOVES, MARIJUANA

For each of the following industries, do you think we need more regulation, less regulation or about the same level as we have now



MOST VOTERS OPPOSE THE PROPOSED BAN ON GAS STOVES

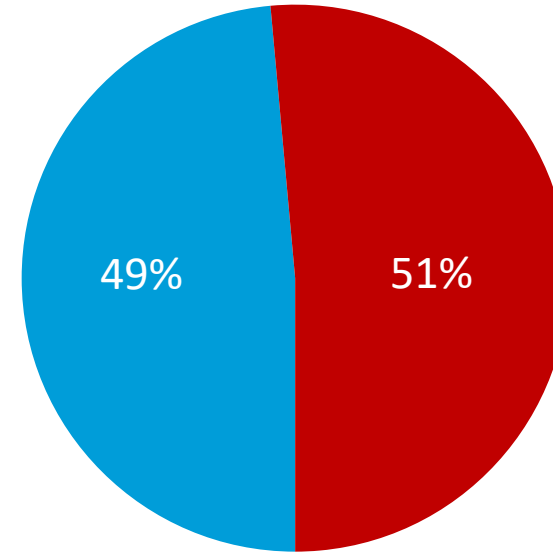
Do you support or oppose state governments banning the use of gas stoves in your community?



■ Support ■ Oppose

Column %	DEM	GOP	IND/OTH
Support	47%	22%	28%
Oppose	53%	78%	72%

Do you support or oppose an executive order from the Federal Trade Commission banning all non-compete agreements between employers and employees?



■ Support ■ Oppose

Column %	DEM	GOP	IND/OTH
Support	60%	40%	45%
Oppose	40%	60%	55%

COB6: Do you support or oppose state governments banning the use of gas stoves in your community?

COB7: Do you support or oppose an executive order from the Federal Trade Commission banning all non-compete agreements between employers and employees?