

Interviews: 900 Adults, including 405 respondents with a cell phone only and 8 respondents reached on a cell phone but who also have a landline.

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48 Male
 52 Female

Please note: all results are shown as percentages unless otherwise stated.

The margin of error for 900 interviews among Adults is $\pm 3.27\%$
The margin of error for 720 interviews among Registered Voters is $\pm 3.65\%$

Unless otherwise noted by a "+" or "++", all previous data shown reflects responses among all adults.

Q2a For statistical purposes only, would you please tell me how old you are?
 (IF "REFUSED," ASK:) Well, would you tell me which age group you belong to? (READ LIST)

18-24	8
25-29	10
30-34	11
35-39	9
40-44	9
45-49	8
50-54	8
55-59	10
60-64	10
65-69	5
70-74	3
75 and over	8
Not sure/refused	1

Q2b To ensure that we have a representative sample, would you please tell me whether you are from a Hispanic or Spanish-speaking background?

Yes, Hispanic	11
No, not Hispanic	88
Not sure/refused	1

Q2c And again, for statistical purposes only, what is your race--white, black, Asian, or something else?

White	74
Black	12
Asian	1
Other	5
Hispanic (VOL)	6
Not sure/refused	2
White, Non-Hispanic	70

Q3 Registered Voter.

Yes	80
No	20
Not sure	-

Q4 *Held for later release.*

Q5 In general, do you approve or disapprove of the job Donald Trump is doing as president? **(IF APPROVE/DISAPPROVE)** And, do you strongly or just somewhat (approve/disapprove) of the job Donald Trump is doing as president?

	<u>4/18</u>	<u>3/18</u>	<u>1/18</u>	<u>12/17</u>	<u>10/17</u>	<u>9/17</u>	<u>8/17</u>	<u>6/17</u>
Strongly approve.....	22	25	26	24	22	25	24	25
Somewhat approve	17	18	13	17	16	18	16	15
Somewhat disapprove	13	10	6	8	9	10	10	10
Strongly disapprove.....	44	43	51	48	49	42	45	45
Not sure	4	4	4	3	4	5	5	5
	<u>4/18</u>	<u>3/18</u>	<u>1/18</u>	<u>12/17</u>	<u>10/17</u>	<u>9/17</u>		
Total Approve.....	39	43	39	41	38	43		
Total Disapprove.....	57	53	57	56	58	52		
Not sure	4	4	4	3	4	5		
		<u>8/17</u>	<u>6/17</u>	<u>5/17</u>	<u>4/17</u>	<u>2/17</u>		
		40	40	39	40	44		
		55	55	54	54	48		
		5	5	7	6	8		

Q6 *Held for later release.*

(ASK ONLY OF RESPONDENTS WHO SAY THEY ARE REGISTERED TO VOTE)

Even though it is a long way off, I'd like to ask you some questions about the November elections...

Q7 Please tell me how interested you are in this November's elections, using a scale from one to ten, on which a "ten" means that you are very interested in this November's elections and a "one" means that you are not at all interested. You may choose any number from one to ten. (IF "NOT SURE," RECORD AS "DK.")

	<u>4/18+</u>	<u>3/18+</u>	<u>12/17+</u>
10, very interested	45	44	47
9.....	8	8	6
8.....	14	15	13
7.....	8	8	11
6.....	6	6	4
5.....	10	10	10
4.....	2	3	3
3.....	2	2	2
2.....	1	1	1
1, not at all interested....	4	3	3
Cannot rate	-	-	-

	<u>10/8-12/14+</u>	<u>9/14+</u>	<u>8/14+</u>	<u>6/14+</u>	<u>4/14+</u>	<u>3/14+</u>
	44	44	43	43	45	41
	6	7	8	8	6	6
	14	16	14	16	16	17
	11	9	10	10	10	11
	5	7	7	6	7	8
	10	8	7	8	7	9
	2	2	3	1	1	3
	2	3	3	3	2	1
	1	1	2	1	2	1
	4	3	3	3	3	3
	-	-	-	1	1	-

	<u>10/28-30/10+</u>	<u>10/14-18/10+</u>	<u>9/10+</u>	<u>8/26-30/10+</u>	<u>8/5-9/10+</u>	<u>6/10+</u>	<u>5/6-10/10+</u>	<u>3/10+</u>	<u>1/23-25/10+</u>	<u>1/10-14/10</u>	<u>12/09</u>
	52	51	50	47	49	44	47	47	41	44	48
	9	10	7	6	9	7	7	6	6	5	6
	14	13	14	15	13	13	14	15	16	12	12
	9	9	11	10	9	11	8	9	10	10	10
	4	5	5	5	4	6	5	5	5	7	5
	5	7	5	8	7	10	9	9	14	11	9
	2	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
	2	1	2	1	2	2	2	3	2	2	2
	1	1	1	2	1	1	2	-	1	1	1
	2	2	4	3	4	3	3	4	3	5	5
	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-

	<u>10/13-16/06+</u>	<u>9/30-10/2/06+</u>	<u>9/8-11/06+</u>	<u>7/06+</u>	<u>6/06+</u>	<u>4/06+</u>	<u>3/06+</u>	<u>1/06+</u>
	53	46	47	51	47	49	45	46
	8	9	8	9	8	7	7	7
	14	17	16	17	17	17	18	15
	7	12	10	10	9	10	11	12
	6	5	5	4	5	5	5	5
	5	6	8	6	8	7	7	7
	2	1	2	2	1	2	1	2
	1	2	1	-	2	-	2	1
	1	-	-	-	1	1	1	1
	3	2	2	1	2	2	3	4
	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-

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(ASK ONLY OF RESPONDENTS WHO SAY THEY ARE REGISTERED TO VOTE)

Q8 Changing topics, knowing it is a long way off, what is your preference for the outcome of this November's congressional elections -- (ROTATE:) a Congress controlled by Republicans or a Congress controlled by Democrats?

	<u>4/18+</u>	<u>3/18+</u>	<u>1/18+</u>	<u>12/17+</u>	<u>10/17+</u>	<u>9/17+</u>	<u>6/17+</u>	<u>4/17+</u>	<u>10/10- 13/16+</u>	<u>10/8- 10/16+</u>	<u>9/16+</u>
Republican-controlled Congress	40	40	43	39	41	42	42	43	44	42	45
Democrat-controlled Congress	47	50	49	50	48	48	50	47	46	48	48
Not sure	13	10	8	11	11	10	8	10	10	10	7
	<u>8/16+</u>	<u>6/16+</u>	<u>5/16+</u>	<u>4/16+</u>	<u>10/25- 29/15+</u>	<u>10/30- 11/1/14+</u>	<u>10/8- 12/14+</u>	<u>9/14+</u>	<u>8/14+</u>	<u>6/14+</u>	<u>4/14+</u>
	43	46	44	45	45	42	42	45	44	43	45
	47	46	48	47	45	46	46	43	43	45	45
	10	8	8	8	10	12	12	12	13	12	10
	<u>3/14+</u>	<u>1/14+</u>	<u>12/13+</u>	<u>10/25- 28/13+</u>	<u>10/7- 9/13+</u>	<u>9/13+</u>	<u>7/13+</u>	<u>6/13+</u>	<u>10/12+</u>	<u>9/26- 30/12+</u>	<u>8/12+</u>
	44	43	44	41	39	43	44	42	43	43	42
	43	45	42	45	47	46	44	45	45	47	47
	13	12	14	14	14	11	12	13	12	10	11
	<u>7/12+</u>	<u>6/12+</u>	<u>5/12+</u>	<u>4/12+</u>	<u>3/12+</u>	<u>1/12+</u>	<u>12/11+</u>	<u>11/11+</u>	<u>10/11+</u>	<u>8/11+</u>	<u>6/11+</u>
	45	44	43	44	41	41	43	43	41	47	44
	46	45	44	46	46	47	45	46	45	41	44
	9	11	13	10	13	12	12	11	14	12	12
	<u>10/28- 30/10+</u>	<u>10/14- 18/10+</u>	<u>9/10+</u>	<u>8/26- 30/10+</u>	<u>8/5- 9/10+</u>	<u>6/10+</u>	<u>5/20- 23/10+</u>	<u>3/10+</u>	<u>1/23- 25/10+</u>	<u>1/10- 14/10+</u>	<u>12/09+</u>
	46	44	44	43	42	45	44	42	42	41	41
	44	46	44	43	43	43	43	45	44	41	43
	10	10	12	14	15	12	13	13	14	18	16
	<u>10/09+</u>	<u>9/09+</u>	<u>7/09+</u>	<u>4/09+</u>	<u>11/08+</u>	<u>10/08+</u>	<u>9/08+</u>	<u>8/08+</u>	<u>7/08+</u>	<u>6/08+</u>	<u>4/08+</u>
	38	40	39	39	36	36	37	36	36	33	34
	46	43	46	48	48	49	50	47	49	52	49
	16	17	15	13	16	15	13	17	15	15	17
	<u>3/08+</u>	<u>11/07+</u>	<u>9/07+</u>	<u>10/06+</u>	<u>9/06+</u>	<u>7/06+</u>	<u>6/06+</u>	<u>4/06+</u>	<u>3/06+</u>	<u>1/06+</u>	<u>12/05+</u>
	35	37	35	37	39	38	38	39	37	38	38
	49	46	47	52	48	48	49	45	50	47	46
	16	17	18	11	13	14	13	16	13	15	16
	<u>11/05+</u>	<u>10/05+</u>	<u>7/05+</u>	<u>5/05+</u>	<u>10/04+</u>	<u>9/04+</u>	<u>6/04+</u>	<u>5/04+</u>	<u>3/04+</u>	<u>1/04</u>	<u>12/13/03</u>
	37	39	40	40	43	42	42	41	42	42	42
	48	48	45	47	44	46	44	44	45	43	42
	15	13	15	13	13	12	14	15	13	15	16
	<u>10/02+</u>	<u>9/02</u>	<u>7/02</u>	<u>6/02</u>	<u>1/02</u>	<u>12/01</u>	<u>12/99</u>	<u>10/99</u>	<u>7/99</u>	<u>6/99</u>	<u>4/99</u>
	43	42	43	42	44	42	40	39	39	42	41
	42	42	41	41	40	40	44	41	43	41	40
	15	16	16	17	16	18	16	20	18	17	19
	<u>3/99</u>	<u>10/98+</u>	<u>9/98</u>	<u>7/98</u>	<u>6/98</u>	<u>2/98</u>	<u>1/98</u>	<u>12/97</u>	<u>9/97</u>	<u>7/97</u>	<u>4/97</u>
	37	41	40	41	39	41	40	41	41	45	44
	43	43	39	40	40	37	42	37	39	39	38
	20	16	21	19	21	22	18	22	20	16	18

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(ASK ONLY OF RESPONDENTS WHO SAY THEY ARE REGISTERED TO VOTE)

Q9 Will your vote for Congress in November 2018 be a vote to send a message that we need...(ROTATE :1-2) +

	<u>TOT</u>	<u>Dem</u>	<u>Ind</u>	<u>GOP</u>
More Democrats to be a check and balance to Donald Trump and Congressional Republicans	40	77	27	9
More Republicans who will help Donald Trump and Congressional Republicans pass their agenda...	28	3	14	63
Or...				
Would you want your vote to send a different message than either of these	29	18	52	24
Not sending a message (VOL)	1	1	3	1
Not sure	2	1	4	3

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	<u>TOT</u>	<u>Dem</u>	<u>Ind[^]</u>	<u>GOP</u>
More Democrats to be a check and balance to Donald Trump and Congressional Republicans	46	79	-	10
More Republicans who will help Donald Trump and Congressional Republicans pass their agenda	28	1	-	71
Or...				
Would you want your vote to send a different message than either of these	22	18	-	17
Not sending a message (VOL)	1	1	-	1
Not sure	3	1	-	1

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[^] Cell-size among Independents too small to report.

June 2017 Trend +

	<u>TOT</u>	<u>Dem</u>	<u>Ind</u>	<u>GOP</u>
More Democrats to be a check and balance to Donald Trump and Congressional Republicans	39	69	30	9
More Republicans who will help Donald Trump and Congressional Republicans pass their agenda	29	1	21	65
Or...				
Would you want your vote to send a different message than either of these	28	25	46	23
Not sending a message (VOL)	1	2	1	1
Not sure	3	3	2	2

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Q10-18 Held for later release.

And, moving on...

Q19 Four members of Donald Trump's campaign have now been indicted by a grand jury or pleaded guilty to lying to FBI officials investigating possible collusion between the Trump campaign and the Russian government. Do you believe that these indictments or guilty pleas are really just about potential wrongdoing of these individuals or does this suggest that there is potential wrongdoing by Donald Trump himself? If you don't know enough to say either way, please just say so.

	<u>4/18</u>	<u>12/17</u>
Just these individuals.....	25	28
By Donald Trump.....	37	36
Don't know enough to say	36	34
Not sure	2	2

Q20-22 Held for later release.

**Now I am going to ask you a few questions for statistical purposes only.
 (ASKED IF REGISTERED VOTER SAMPLE)**

QF1 A lot of people are unable to get out and vote for many reasons. Did you happen to vote in the November 2016 election for president? (IF "YES," ASK:) Which of the following statements describes your vote? (ROTATE STATEMENTS :1-4 TOP TO BOTTOM, BOTTOM TO TOP)

(IF "SOMEONE ELSE," ASK:) And, was your vote for Gary Johnson, Jill Stein, or someone else? +

Voted for Trump because you liked him or his policies	21
Voted for Trump because you did not like Clinton or her policies.....	16
Voted for Clinton because you did not like Trump or his policies	20
Voted for Clinton because you liked her or her policies.....	20
Voted for Gary Johnson (VOL).....	3
Voted for Jill Stein (VOL).....	1
Voted for someone else (VOL)	4
Voted, not sure	1
No, Did Not Vote	10
Not sure.....	4

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(ASKED OF REPUBLICAN AND LEAN REPUBLICAN TRUMP VOTERS)

QF1a Do you consider yourself to be more of a supporter of Donald Trump or more of a supporter of the Republican Party?

	<u>4/18+</u>	<u>3/18+</u>	<u>1/18+</u>	<u>12/17+</u>	<u>10/17+</u>	<u>9/17+</u>
Supporter of Donald Trump	46	59	56	55	54	58
Supporter of the Republican Party.....	46	36	40	38	42	38
Both (VOL).....	4	4	1	4	2	2
Neither (VOL)	3	1	1	1	-	1
Not sure.....	1	-	2	2	2	1

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QF2 Are you currently employed? (IF "CURRENTLY EMPLOYED," ASK:) What type of work do you do? (RECORD UNDER "6--OTHER.") (IF "NOT CURRENTLY EMPLOYED," ASK:) Are you a student, a stay-at-home mom or dad, retired, or unemployed and looking for work?

Currently Employed

Professional, manager	26
White-collar worker	20
Blue-collar worker	19
Farmer, rancher	1

Not Currently Employed

Student.....	3
Stay at home mom/dad	5
Retired	22
Unemployed, looking for work.....	2
Other	-
Not sure	2

QF3 What is the last grade that you completed in school? (DO NOT READ CHOICES.)

Grade school	1
Some high school.....	5
High school graduate	25
Some college, no degree.....	18
Vocational training/School	2
2-year college degree.....	13
4-year college/bachelor's degree.....	20
Some postgraduate work, no degree	3
2-3 years postgraduate work/master's degree.....	10
Doctoral/law degree	3
Not sure/refused	-

QF4 Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a Democrat, a Republican, an independent, or something else? (IF "DEMOCRAT" OR "REPUBLICAN," ASK:) Would you call yourself a strong (Democrat/Republican) or not a very strong (Democrat/Republican)? (IF "NOT SURE," CODE AS "NOT VERY STRONG DEMOCRAT/REPUBLICAN.") (IF "INDEPENDENT," ASK:) Do you think of yourself as closer to the Republican Party, closer to the Democratic Party, or do you think of yourself as strictly independent? (IF "NOT SURE," CODE AS "STRICTLY INDEPENDENT.")

Strong Democrat	21
Not very strong Democrat	8
Independent/lean Democrat	11
Strictly Independent.....	17
Independent/lean Republican.....	11
Not very strong Republican	5
Strong Republican.....	17
Other (VOL).....	6
Not sure.....	4

QF5 Thinking about your general approach to issues, do you consider yourself to be liberal, moderate, or conservative? (IF "LIBERAL" OR "CONSERVATIVE," ASK:) Do you consider yourself to be very (liberal/conservative) or somewhat (liberal/conservative)?

Very liberal	13
Somewhat liberal	12
Moderate.....	34
Somewhat conservative.....	22
Very conservative	16
Not sure	3

QF6a/b Are you a current or retired labor union member? (ASK ONLY OF RESPONDENTS WHO SAY "NO" OR "NOT SURE" IN QF6a.) Is anyone else in your household a current or retired labor union member?

Labor union member	15
Union household	7
Non-union household	77
Not sure.....	1

QF7 How would you describe your economic circumstances—(ROTATE TOP TO BOTTOM, BOTTOM TO TOP) poor, working class, middle class, upper middle class, or well-to-do?

Poor.....	9
Working class	27
Middle class.....	44
Upper middle class.....	15
Well-to-do	3
Not sure/refused	2

QF8 Do you, or does anyone in your household, own a gun of any kind?

	<u>4/18</u>	<u>3/18</u>	<u>10/17</u>	<u>8/17</u>	<u>6/16+</u>	<u>10/15</u>	<u>2/13</u>	<u>1/13</u>
Yes, gun in household.....	44	47	47	48	45	41	42	41
No, no gun in household	51	50	48	50	50	54	54	55
Not sure.....	5	3	5	2	5	5	4	3
	<u>1/11</u>	<u>10/08+</u>	<u>9/08+</u>	<u>9/04+</u>	<u>3/04</u>	<u>1/04</u>	<u>12/03</u>	<u>10/99</u>
	39	44	45	44	42	42	40	44
	58	53	53	53	56	56	57	54
	2	3	2	3	2	2	3	3