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## 1. Democrats' Best Choice

Thinking about all the Democratic candidates who ran for president this year, do you think Joe Biden:

	Total	Registered voters	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Yes	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Was the Democrats' best option for a nominee	28%	31%	29%	28%	23%	22%	32%	35%	24%	44%	39%	20%
Was NOT the Democrats' best option for a nominee	48%	53%	52%	44%	52%	53%	42%	47%	52%	25%	44%	50%
Not sure	24%	17%	19%	28%	25%	25%	26%	18%	23%	31%	17%	31%
Totals	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	101%
Unweighted N	(994)	(771)	(437)	(557)	(183)	(135)	(469)	(207)	(708)	(107)	(112)	(67)

	Total	Party ID			2016 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Clinton	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Was the Democrats' best option for a nominee	28%	48%	20%	16%	45%	18%	26%	28%	29%	28%	25%	31%	27%
Was NOT the Democrats' best option for a nominee	48%	39%	43%	65%	40%	66%	48%	50%	53%	43%	57%	48%	43%
Not sure	24%	13%	36%	19%	15%	16%	26%	22%	18%	29%	18%	21%	31%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%
Unweighted N	(994)	(363)	(386)	(245)	(343)	(236)	(417)	(278)	(177)	(147)	(241)	(373)	(233)

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## 2. Republicans' Best Choice

Thinking about all the Republican candidates who ran for president in 2016, do you think Donald Trump:

	Total	Registered voters	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Yes	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Was the Republicans' best option for a nominee	38%	39%	45%	31%	30%	31%	41%	48%	42%	14%	35%	41%
Was NOT the Republicans' best option for a nominee	45%	52%	41%	48%	43%	50%	42%	45%	41%	61%	53%	42%
Not sure	18%	9%	14%	21%	27%	19%	17%	7%	17%	24%	12%	17%
Totals	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(995)	(775)	(439)	(556)	(180)	(136)	(471)	(208)	(710)	(107)	(110)	(68)

	Total	Party ID			2016 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Clinton	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Was the Republicans' best option for a nominee	38%	13%	30%	75%	7%	80%	42%	39%	31%	31%	43%	39%	35%
Was NOT the Republicans' best option for a nominee	45%	79%	38%	15%	88%	13%	38%	46%	60%	48%	42%	45%	46%
Not sure	18%	8%	31%	10%	6%	7%	20%	15%	9%	21%	15%	17%	19%
Totals	101%	100%	99%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%
Unweighted N	(995)	(365)	(385)	(245)	(346)	(237)	(417)	(277)	(179)	(147)	(242)	(374)	(232)

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**3. Trump Respects Women**

In general, do you think Donald Trump does or does not respect women?

	Total	Registered voters		Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Yes		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
He does	32%	33%		40%	25%	25%	27%	33%	44%	37%	11%	29%	26%
He does not	50%	53%		43%	57%	50%	54%	51%	43%	47%	71%	53%	36%
Not sure	18%	14%		17%	19%	25%	19%	16%	13%	16%	18%	18%	38%
Totals	100%	100%		100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(993)	(771)		(438)	(555)	(183)	(133)	(470)	(207)	(708)	(108)	(109)	(68)

	Total	Party ID			2016 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Clinton	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
He does	32%	11%	26%	66%	4%	70%	34%	29%	33%	31%	35%	35%	26%
He does not	50%	81%	51%	13%	92%	11%	45%	53%	61%	58%	46%	47%	53%
Not sure	18%	8%	24%	21%	4%	19%	21%	18%	6%	11%	19%	18%	21%
Totals	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(993)	(364)	(385)	(244)	(344)	(236)	(416)	(278)	(178)	(148)	(241)	(372)	(232)

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## 4. Biden Respects Women

In general, do you think Joe Biden does or does not respect women?

	Total	Registered voters		Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Yes		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
He does	35%	39%		34%	36%	29%	39%	36%	34%	34%	50%	30%	22%
He does not	35%	36%		42%	29%	38%	29%	33%	42%	37%	22%	37%	38%
Not sure	30%	25%		25%	35%	34%	32%	31%	24%	29%	28%	32%	40%
Totals	100%	100%		101%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	(997)	(774)		(439)	(558)	(184)	(134)	(471)	(208)	(709)	(108)	(112)	(68)

	Total	Party ID			2016 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Clinton	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
He does	35%	61%	26%	17%	67%	14%	31%	39%	44%	50%	31%	33%	32%
He does not	35%	18%	35%	54%	12%	59%	32%	36%	37%	26%	43%	38%	28%
Not sure	30%	20%	39%	29%	20%	26%	37%	25%	19%	24%	26%	29%	40%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(997)	(366)	(386)	(245)	(346)	(236)	(419)	(278)	(178)	(148)	(241)	(375)	(233)

**5. Heard of Trump Sexual Assault Allegations**

During the 2016 election and afterward, a number of women have accused Donald Trump of sexual harassment or sexual assault. How much have you heard about this?

	Registered voters		Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Yes	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Heard a lot	45%	54%	47%	43%	42%	38%	47%	52%	46%	49%	36%	45%
Heard a little	41%	38%	37%	45%	39%	40%	43%	41%	41%	42%	41%	37%
Heard nothing at all	14%	8%	17%	12%	19%	22%	10%	7%	13%	9%	22%	18%
Totals	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	(996)	(775)	(438)	(558)	(183)	(134)	(471)	(208)	(710)	(107)	(111)	(68)

	Total	Party ID			2016 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Clinton	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Heard a lot	45%	57%	42%	35%	69%	45%	36%	53%	61%	45%	48%	42%	47%
Heard a little	41%	32%	39%	54%	26%	50%	46%	37%	31%	44%	41%	41%	39%
Heard nothing at all	14%	11%	19%	12%	5%	5%	18%	10%	8%	12%	12%	17%	14%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	101%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(996)	(366)	(386)	(244)	(346)	(237)	(417)	(279)	(179)	(147)	(242)	(374)	(233)

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## 6. Trump Sexual Assault Allegations Credibility

Do you think that the allegations of sexual harassment and sexual assault against Donald Trump generally are or are not credible?

	Total	Registered voters		Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Yes		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
They are credible	40%	45%		36%	44%	36%	41%	42%	39%	38%	56%	42%	22%
They are NOT credible	24%	26%		32%	16%	21%	20%	23%	31%	27%	11%	19%	18%
I haven't heard enough to say	23%	19%		20%	26%	30%	22%	23%	17%	21%	18%	29%	39%
Not sure	14%	10%		12%	15%	13%	17%	12%	13%	13%	16%	10%	21%
Totals	101%	100%		100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	101%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(996)	(774)		(439)	(557)	(182)	(135)	(471)	(208)	(710)	(107)	(110)	(69)

	Total	Party ID			2016 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Clinton	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
They are credible	40%	70%	37%	9%	80%	9%	33%	45%	58%	45%	39%	38%	41%
They are NOT credible	24%	8%	16%	52%	6%	52%	26%	24%	20%	19%	29%	24%	20%
I haven't heard enough to say	23%	14%	29%	25%	8%	26%	25%	19%	15%	27%	20%	21%	26%
Not sure	14%	8%	18%	14%	5%	14%	16%	12%	7%	9%	13%	17%	13%
Totals	101%	100%	100%	100%	99%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(996)	(366)	(385)	(245)	(346)	(236)	(417)	(279)	(179)	(147)	(242)	(373)	(234)

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## 7. Trump Sexual Assault Allegations Impact

If the allegations that Donald Trump sexually assaulted women are true, do you think that:

	Total	Registered voters	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Yes	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Disqualifies him from the presidency	34%	34%	32%	36%	41%	35%	36%	24%	33%	48%	31%	31%
Is relevant to this election, but does not disqualify him from the presidency	30%	34%	31%	29%	31%	30%	27%	35%	31%	25%	30%	35%
Is not relevant to this election	20%	21%	22%	18%	14%	18%	19%	32%	21%	12%	27%	15%
Not sure	15%	11%	15%	16%	15%	18%	18%	8%	16%	15%	12%	19%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	99%	101%	101%	100%	99%	101%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(996)	(774)	(438)	(558)	(183)	(135)	(471)	(207)	(708)	(107)	(112)	(69)

	Total	Party ID			2016 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Clinton	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Disqualifies him from the presidency	34%	49%	35%	14%	54%	9%	30%	36%	38%	39%	38%	30%	34%
Is relevant to this election, but does not disqualify him from the presidency	30%	29%	27%	36%	29%	39%	27%	39%	35%	38%	28%	29%	29%
Is not relevant to this election	20%	12%	15%	38%	9%	39%	22%	15%	20%	10%	20%	24%	20%
Not sure	15%	9%	23%	12%	7%	13%	21%	10%	7%	13%	14%	16%	17%
Totals	99%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	(996)	(366)	(386)	(244)	(346)	(236)	(418)	(278)	(179)	(146)	(242)	(373)	(235)

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**8. Heard of Biden Sexual Assault Allegations**

A former Senate aide named Tara Reade recently alleged that Joe Biden sexually assaulted her in 1993. How much have you heard about this?

	Total	Registered voters		Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Yes		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Heard a lot	16%	21%		21%	12%	15%	16%	21%	16%	11%	21%	18%	
Heard a little	49%	53%		53%	50%	43%	49%	57%	51%	46%	42%	53%	
Heard nothing at all	34%	26%		27%	38%	41%	35%	23%	33%	43%	37%	29%	
Totals	99%	100%		101%	100%	99%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
Unweighted N	(997)	(774)		(438)	(184)	(134)	(471)	(208)	(711)	(107)	(111)	(68)	

	Total	Party ID			2016 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Clinton	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Heard a lot	16%	17%	15%	16%	19%	24%	11%	15%	35%	14%	20%	15%	17%
Heard a little	49%	51%	44%	55%	54%	54%	49%	56%	43%	43%	50%	51%	50%
Heard nothing at all	34%	32%	41%	29%	27%	21%	40%	29%	22%	43%	30%	35%	33%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%
Unweighted N	(997)	(365)	(386)	(246)	(346)	(237)	(418)	(278)	(179)	(148)	(242)	(374)	(233)



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**9. Biden Sexual Assault Allegations Credibility**

Do you think that the allegation of sexual assault against Joe Biden generally is or is not credible?

	Total	Registered voters	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Yes	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Credible	26%	30%	32%	20%	24%	21%	27%	32%	29%	13%	22%	26%
NOT credible	15%	17%	16%	13%	12%	12%	18%	16%	12%	29%	15%	14%
I haven't heard enough to say	45%	41%	37%	52%	52%	53%	40%	36%	45%	50%	47%	34%
Not sure	15%	12%	15%	14%	12%	14%	16%	15%	14%	8%	16%	26%
Totals	101%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(993)	(773)	(436)	(557)	(181)	(133)	(471)	(208)	(708)	(107)	(111)	(67)

	Total	Party ID			2016 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Clinton	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Credible	26%	17%	22%	43%	11%	52%	22%	31%	37%	18%	41%	22%	22%
NOT credible	15%	28%	9%	7%	31%	6%	15%	15%	13%	17%	10%	18%	12%
I haven't heard enough to say	45%	44%	51%	37%	48%	30%	45%	44%	39%	48%	38%	44%	50%
Not sure	15%	12%	18%	13%	11%	12%	18%	10%	11%	17%	10%	16%	15%
Totals	101%	101%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%
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## 10. Biden Sexual Assault Allegations Impact

If the allegation of sexual assault against Joe Biden is true, do you think that:

	Total	Registered voters	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Yes	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Disqualifies him from the presidency	29%	29%	28%	30%	33%	31%	30%	23%	30%	23%	30%	31%
Is relevant to this election, but does not disqualify him from the presidency	35%	40%	39%	31%	38%	33%	32%	41%	36%	36%	31%	28%
Is not relevant to this election	17%	18%	14%	19%	11%	13%	19%	22%	14%	24%	30%	11%
Not sure	19%	13%	18%	19%	18%	23%	19%	14%	20%	17%	9%	30%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(995)	(773)	(439)	(556)	(182)	(135)	(470)	(208)	(708)	(107)	(111)	(69)

	Total	Party ID			2016 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Clinton	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Disqualifies him from the presidency	29%	23%	32%	33%	24%	33%	27%	28%	38%	25%	36%	27%	29%
Is relevant to this election, but does not disqualify him from the presidency	35%	39%	31%	37%	38%	41%	30%	48%	36%	48%	38%	31%	31%
Is not relevant to this election	17%	24%	13%	13%	26%	14%	17%	11%	17%	11%	12%	20%	19%
Not sure	19%	14%	24%	16%	11%	12%	26%	13%	9%	16%	13%	22%	21%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(995)	(365)	(386)	(244)	(345)	(236)	(416)	(277)	(179)	(147)	(242)	(372)	(234)

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<b>Interviewing Dates</b>	April 28 - 30, 2020
<b>Target population</b>	U.S. citizens, aged 18 and over.
<b>Sampling method</b>	Respondents were selected from YouGov's opt-in Internet panel using sample matching. A random sample (stratified by gender, age, race, education, geographic region, and voter registration) was selected from the 2016 American Community Study. Voter registration was imputed from the November 2016 Current Population Survey Registration and Voting Supplement.
<b>Weighting</b>	The sample was weighted based on gender, age, race, education, news interest, and 2016 Presidential vote. The weights range from 0.201 to 6.52, with a mean of one and a standard deviation of 0.848.
<b>Number of respondents</b>	1000
<b>Margin of error</b>	± 4.1% (adjusted for weighting)
<b>Survey mode</b>	Web-based interviews
<b>Questions not reported</b>	50 questions not reported.