

# The Economist/YouGov Poll



Sample 1500 U.S. Registered Voters  
 Conducted October 25 - 27, 2020  
 Margin of Error ±3.1%

## 1. Would you say things in this country today are...

Generally headed in the right direction .....	29%
Off on the wrong track .....	65%
Not sure .....	6%

## 2. Do you consider the countries listed below to be an ally or an enemy of the United States?

	Ally	Friendly	Unfriendly	Enemy	Not sure
Canada	64%	29%	3%	1%	4%
China	2%	11%	39%	39%	10%
France	49%	36%	7%	1%	7%
Germany	44%	38%	7%	2%	10%
Iran	1%	4%	28%	56%	11%
Israel	51%	24%	7%	4%	13%
Japan	49%	31%	6%	3%	11%
North Korea	0%	6%	25%	61%	8%
South Korea	47%	30%	7%	7%	9%
Mexico	27%	49%	12%	2%	10%
Russia	2%	10%	35%	44%	10%
United Kingdom	67%	23%	2%	1%	7%
Ukraine	10%	38%	16%	7%	28%

## 3. Are you optimistic or pessimistic about the future of the country?

Optimistic .....	48%
Pessimistic .....	36%
Not sure .....	16%

## 4. Are you better off now than you were four years ago?

Better off now .....	44%
Better off four years ago .....	40%
Not sure .....	15%

## 5. Is the country better off now than it was four years ago?

Better off now .....	35%
Better off four years ago .....	56%
Not sure .....	9%

**6. How much attention have you been paying to the 2020 election campaign for president?**

A lot .....	72%
Some .....	19%
Only a little .....	7%
None at all .....	2%

**7. Did you vote in the Democratic or Republican Presidential primary or caucus in your state in 2020?**

Democratic primary/caucus .....	47%
Republican primary/caucus .....	34%
Neither one .....	17%
Not sure .....	2%

**8. How likely is it that you will vote in the 2020 presidential election?**

Definitely will not vote .....	5%
Probably will not vote .....	1%
Maybe will vote .....	1%
Probably will vote .....	2%
Definitely will vote .....	40%
Already voted .....	50%
Don't know .....	0%

**9. Who will you vote for in the election for President in November?**

*Those who already have voted were asked, "Who did you vote for in the election for President in November?"*

Joe Biden .....	51%
Donald Trump .....	40%
Other .....	2%
Not sure .....	2%
I would not vote .....	6%

**10. Would you say that your mind is made up about how you will vote?**

*Among those who intend to vote for either Joe Biden or Donald Trump*

I will definitely vote for [Joe Biden / Donald Trump] in November. ....	96%
There is a chance I will change my mind between now and the election. ....	4%

**11. How do you plan on voting in the presidential election this year?**

*Those who already have voted were asked, "How did you vote in the presidential election this year?"*

In person on election day .....	26%
In person before the election .....	27%
By mail .....	42%
I will not vote this year .....	6%

12. You said earlier you [plan to vote / voted] by mail this year. Do you feel that the process for getting and casting a mail ballot in [State]?

*Among those who voted or plan on voting by mail*

Easy .....	75%
Convenient, but not easy .....	15%
Inconvenient, but not difficult .....	9%
Difficult .....	1%

13. You said earlier you [plan to vote / voted] in-person this year. Do you feel that the process for voting at an in-person polling location in [State]?

*Among those who voted or plan on voting in person*

Easy .....	64%
Convenient, but not easy .....	16%
Inconvenient, but not difficult .....	17%
Difficult .....	2%

14. Have you requested your mail-in ballot?

*Among those who plan on voting by mail but do not live in states that automatically send mail-in ballots*

Yes .....	86%
No, not yet .....	12%
Not sure .....	2%

15. Have you received your mail-in ballot?

*Among those who have already requested a mail-in ballot or live in states that automatically send mail-in ballots*

Yes .....	86%
No, not yet .....	13%
Not sure .....	2%

16. When did your mail-in ballot arrive?

*Among those who have received their mail-in ballot*

Within the last few days .....	20%
Within the last week .....	21%
Within the last 2 weeks .....	42%
More than 2 weeks ago .....	18%

17. How long are you willing to wait in line in order to cast your vote?

*Among those plan on voting in person*

Up to half an hour .....	14%
A half hour to an hour .....	15%
An hour to two hours .....	7%
As long as it takes .....	63%

**18. How long did you wait in line in order to cast your vote?**

*Among those who have already voted in person*

Less than half an hour .....	63%
A half hour to an hour .....	19%
An hour to two hours .....	13%
Longer than two hours .....	5%

**19. Do you know where your polling location is?**

*Among those who intend to vote in person*

Yes .....	94%
No, not yet .....	5%
Not sure .....	1%

**20. Thinking about voting in-person, how concerned are you about...**

*Among those who intend to vote in person on Election Day*

	Very concerned	Somewhat concerned	Not very concerned	Not concerned at all	Not sure
The spread of COVID-19	18%	23%	21%	38%	0%
The threat of violence or intimidation at the polls	11%	13%	21%	54%	2%
The availability or accessibility of polling locations	11%	10%	16%	63%	0%

**21. How important is voting for president this November?**

Very important .....	94%
Somewhat important .....	4%
Not very important .....	1%
Not important at all .....	1%

**22. How enthusiastic [are / were] you about voting for president in the upcoming presidential election in November?**

Extremely enthusiastic .....	60%
Very enthusiastic .....	16%
Somewhat enthusiastic .....	12%
Not too enthusiastic .....	7%
Not at all enthusiastic .....	5%

**23. Would you say you are mostly voting FOR Joe Biden or AGAINST Donald Trump?**

*Asked of those who would vote for Joe Biden*

I'm mostly voting FOR Joe Biden .....	46%
I'm mostly voting AGAINST Donald Trump .....	52%
Not sure .....	2%

**24. Would you say you are mostly voting FOR Donald Trump or AGAINST Joe Biden?**

*Asked of those who would vote for Donald Trump*

I'm mostly voting FOR Donald Trump .....	82%
I'm mostly voting AGAINST Joe Biden .....	17%
Not sure .....	1%

**25. How do you feel about the presidential candidates listed below?**

	Enthusias- tic	Satisfied but not en- thusiastic	Dissatis- fied but not upset	Upset	Not sure
Joe Biden	26%	24%	13%	35%	2%
Donald Trump	33%	9%	6%	50%	2%

**26. Who do you think will win the 2020 presidential election?**

Joe Biden .....	42%
Donald Trump .....	40%
Not sure .....	18%

**27. Who do you think will win the popular vote in the 2020 presidential election?**

Joe Biden .....	55%
Donald Trump .....	31%
Not sure .....	14%

**28. By how much do you think [Joe Biden / Donald Trump] will win the popular vote?**

Joe Biden will win the popular vote by a lot .....	35%
Joe Biden will win the popular vote by a little .....	14%
Donald Trump will win the popular vote by a lot .....	18%
Donald Trump will win the popular vote by a little .....	11%
Joe Biden will win the popular vote, but I'm not sure by how much .....	5%
Donald Trump will win the popular vote, but I'm not sure by how much .....	2%
Not sure who will win the popular vote .....	14%

**29. Who do you think will win the Electoral College vote in the 2020 presidential election?**

Joe Biden .....	36%
Donald Trump .....	40%
Not sure .....	24%

**30. By how much do you think [Joe Biden / Donald Trump] will win the Electoral College?**

Joe Biden will win the Electoral College by a lot	17%
Joe Biden will win the Electoral College by a little	16%
Donald Trump will win the Electoral College by a lot	24%
Donald Trump will win the Electoral College by a little	13%
Joe Biden will win the Electoral College, but I'm not sure by how much	3%
Donald Trump will win the Electoral College, but I'm not sure by how much	3%
Not sure who will win the Electoral College	24%

**31. Which party do you think will win majority control of the U.S. Senate in 2020?**

The Democratic Party	42%
The Republican Party	40%
Not sure	18%

**32. In the election for the U.S. House of Representatives in the district where you live, which party's candidate [did you / do you plan to] vote for?**

The Democratic Party candidate	49%
The Republican Party candidate	39%
Other	1%
Not sure	4%
I would not vote	7%

**33. Which party do you think will win majority control of the U.S. House of Representatives in 2020?**

The Democratic Party	54%
The Republican Party	28%
Not sure	18%

**34. Do you approve or disapprove of voting by mail?**

Strongly approve	47%
Somewhat approve	18%
Somewhat disapprove	12%
Strongly disapprove	19%
Not sure	4%

**35. How much confidence do you have that your vote in the 2020 presidential election will be counted accurately?**

A great deal	39%
Quite a bit	26%
A moderate amount	15%
Only a little	7%
None at all	3%
Not sure	3%
Will not vote in 2020 presidential election	6%

**36. How much confidence do you have that the 2020 presidential election will be held fairly?**

A great deal .....	18%
Quite a bit .....	24%
A moderate amount .....	31%
Only a little .....	16%
None at all .....	8%
Not sure .....	4%

**37. From what you know about the presidential election process, when do you think we will know who won the presidential election this November?**

The night of the election .....	18%
The day after the election .....	14%
A few days after the election .....	22%
A week after the election .....	15%
A few weeks after the election .....	14%
A month after the election or later .....	7%
Don't know .....	9%

**38. Do you think it would be acceptable or unacceptable for us to know the results [the night of the election / the day after the election / a few days after the election / a week after the election / a few weeks after the election / a month after the election or later]?**

Acceptable .....	74%
Unacceptable .....	20%
Not sure .....	6%

**39. If Joe Biden wins the election, how likely do you think it is that there will be a peaceful transition of power in January?**

Very likely .....	26%
Somewhat likely .....	27%
Not very likely .....	21%
Not likely at all .....	16%
Not sure .....	11%

**40. How likely do you think it is that there will be mass protests if Joe Biden wins the 2020 presidential election?**

Very likely .....	20%
Somewhat likely .....	26%
Not very likely .....	29%
Not likely at all .....	15%
Not sure .....	10%

41. How likely do you think it is that there will be mass protests if Donald Trump wins the 2020 presidential election?

Very likely	59%
Somewhat likely	24%
Not very likely	7%
Not likely at all	3%
Not sure	7%

42. As you may know, Joe Biden and Donald Trump participated in the second Presidential Debate last week on Thursday, October 22. Did you watch this debate?

I watched the entire debate	46%
I watched part of it	19%
I watched clips or highlights of the debate	12%
I read or watched news stories analyzing the debate	14%
I haven't heard anything about it	9%

43. Who do you think did a better job – or won – the debate?

*Among those who watched the debate or saw stories about it*

Joe Biden	49%
Donald Trump	41%
Don't know	10%

44. Have you seen or heard anything from any of the three debates that has changed how you will vote in the November election?

*Asked of those who have not already voted*

Yes	9%
No	87%
Not sure	4%

45. Would you say Joe Biden is...

Very liberal	34%
Liberal	22%
Moderate	33%
Conservative	4%
Very conservative	2%
Not sure	6%

46. How much do you think Joe Biden cares about the needs and problems of people like you?

A lot	35%
Some	21%
Not much	13%
Doesn't care at all	29%
Not sure	2%



**47. Regardless of whether you agree with him, do you like or dislike Joe Biden as a person?**

Like a lot	30%
Like somewhat	18%
Neither like nor dislike	14%
Dislike somewhat	9%
Dislike a lot	25%
Not sure	3%

**48. Would you say Joe Biden is a strong or a weak leader?**

Very strong	23%
Somewhat strong	30%
Somewhat weak	12%
Very weak	36%

**49. Do you think Joe Biden is honest and trustworthy, or not?**

Honest and trustworthy	49%
Not honest and trustworthy	43%
Not sure	8%

**50. Are you confident in Joe Biden's ability to deal with the COVID-19 outbreak, or are you uneasy about his approach?**

Confident	51%
Uneasy	43%
Not sure	6%

**51. Do you think the U.S. economy will get better, get worse or will it stay the same if Joe Biden is elected President in 2020?**

Get better	43%
Get worse	43%
Stay the same	7%
Not sure	7%

**52. Would you say Donald Trump is...**

Very liberal	2%
Liberal	2%
Moderate	13%
Conservative	36%
Very conservative	29%
Not sure	18%

**53. How much do you think Donald Trump cares about the needs and problems of people like you?**

A lot	32%
Some	11%
Not much	7%
Doesn't care at all	48%
Not sure	2%

**54. Regardless of whether you agree with him, do you like or dislike Donald Trump as a person?**

Like a lot	19%
Like somewhat	13%
Neither like nor dislike	10%
Dislike somewhat	7%
Dislike a lot	50%
Not sure	2%

**55. Would you say Donald Trump is a strong or a weak leader?**

Very strong	35%
Somewhat strong	12%
Somewhat weak	9%
Very weak	44%

**56. Do you think Donald Trump is honest and trustworthy, or not?**

Honest and trustworthy	35%
Not honest and trustworthy	58%
Not sure	7%

**57. Are you confident in Donald Trump's ability to deal with the COVID-19 outbreak, or are you uneasy about his approach?**

Confident	39%
Uneasy	56%
Not sure	5%

**58. Do you think the U.S. economy will get better, get worse or will it stay the same if Donald Trump is re-elected President in 2020?**

Get better	42%
Get worse	43%
Stay the same	10%
Not sure	5%

59. Do you believe the following countries are actively trying to influence the U.S. presidential election in November?

	Yes	No	Not sure
China	67%	13%	20%
Iran	61%	18%	21%
Russia	75%	12%	13%
Ukraine	23%	43%	34%

60. Which candidate do you think the following countries favor in the U.S. presidential election in November?

	Joe Biden	Donald Trump	Not favoring a particular candidate	Not sure
China	51%	22%	11%	17%
Iran	42%	25%	13%	21%
Russia	26%	56%	6%	12%
Ukraine	28%	25%	18%	30%

61. How closely are you following the news about COVID-19?

Very closely	53%
Somewhat closely	35%
Not very closely	9%
Not following at all	2%

62. Do you personally know anyone who... [has been laid off from work due to covid-19]? Check all that apply.

Yes, me	11%
Yes, a family member	23%
Yes, a close friend	21%
No	53%
Prefer not to say	1%

63. Do you personally know anyone who... [has tested positive for covid-19]? Check all that apply.

Yes, me	3%
Yes, a family member	21%
Yes, a close friend	29%
No	52%
Prefer not to say	1%

**64. Do you personally know anyone who... [has died due to complications from covid-19]? Check all that apply.**

Yes, a family member .....	9%
Yes, a close friend .....	14%
No .....	77%
Prefer not to say .....	1%

**65. Taking into consideration both your risk of contracting it and the seriousness of the illness, how worried are you personally about experiencing COVID-19?**

Very worried .....	26%
Somewhat worried .....	37%
Not too worried .....	23%
Not worried at all .....	14%

**66. In the past seven days, how often have you worn a mask on your face when outside your home?**

Always .....	61%
Most of the time .....	20%
Some of the time .....	15%
Never .....	4%

**67. Do you think the number of cases of COVID-19 in the community where you live is...**

Increasing .....	52%
Not changing .....	22%
Decreasing .....	13%
Not sure .....	14%

**68. Looking at the COVID-19 pandemic in the U.S., do you believe that...**

The pandemic is going to get worse .....	52%
We are currently in the worst part of the pandemic .....	13%
The worst part of the pandemic is behind us .....	23%
Not sure .....	12%

**69. How many Americans, in total, do you think will have died this year due to complications from COVID-19?**

Fewer than 100,000 Americans .....	10%
100,000-150,000 Americans .....	7%
150,000-200,000 Americans .....	9%
200,000-250,000 Americans .....	36%
250,000-1 million Americans .....	34%
More than 1 million Americans .....	4%

**70. When do you think it will be safe to end social distancing measures and reopen businesses as normal?**

It is safe right now .....	18%
In about two weeks .....	2%
In a month or so .....	4%
In several months .....	21%
In about a year or longer .....	37%
Not sure .....	18%

**71. If and when a coronavirus vaccine becomes available, will you get vaccinated?**

Yes .....	44%
No .....	23%
Not sure .....	33%

**72. How long do you think it will be before a vaccine for COVID-19 is available to the public?**

Before the end of the summer .....	0%
Before November .....	2%
By the end of 2020 .....	24%
By the summer of 2021 .....	40%
By the end of 2021 .....	16%
2022 or later .....	5%
Not sure .....	14%

**73. Coronavirus vaccines are being fast-tracked through the approval process. How concerned are you about the safety of coronavirus vaccines?**

Very concerned .....	39%
Somewhat concerned .....	33%
Not very concerned .....	13%
Not concerned at all .....	10%
Not sure .....	5%

**74. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump has handled COVID-19?**

Strongly approve .....	27%
Somewhat approve .....	15%
Somewhat disapprove .....	5%
Strongly disapprove .....	51%
Not sure .....	2%

**75. How well do you think the federal government has handled COVID-19 so far?**

Excellent .....	10%
Good .....	23%
Fair .....	16%
Poor .....	48%
Not sure .....	2%

**76. How well do you think your state government has handled COVID-19 so far?**

Excellent	15%
Good	32%
Fair	24%
Poor	27%
Not sure	2%

**77. How well do you think your local government has handled COVID-19 so far?**

Excellent	13%
Good	36%
Fair	27%
Poor	19%
Not sure	5%

**78. Do you believe that a federal mask mandate would be a violation of your civil liberties, or not?**

It would be a violation of civil liberties	30%
It would not be a violation of civil liberties	61%
Don't know	9%

**79. Which, if any, of the following activities are you planning to do for Halloween this year? Please select all that apply.**

Going out trick or treating	6%
Hosting trick or treaters	15%
Eating Halloween candy	27%
Making a jack-o-lantern	16%
Decorating my house	24%
Wearing a Halloween costume	10%
Attending a Halloween gathering for friends/family in-person	9%
Attending virtual a Halloween gathering for friends/family	3%
Watching scary movies	29%
Other	5%
Don't know	4%
I don't plan to celebrate Halloween this year	41%

**80. Are you taking any of the following precautions to socially distance from trick or treaters? Please select all that apply.**

*Among those who are going out or hosting trick or treating*

Wearing a mask	53%
Staying 6 feet away from all trick or treaters	48%
Leaving candy out, but not interacting with trick or treaters	23%
Carrying and using sanitizer or other disinfectants	41%
Other	7%
I do not plan to socially distance from trick or treaters	21%

**81. Are you electing not to participate in Halloween for any of the following reasons?**

*Asked of those who don't plan on celebrating Halloween this year*

COVID-19 .....	45%
Religious objections .....	12%
Some other reason .....	35%
Prefer not to say .....	10%

**82. In general, how safe is it for children to go out and trick or treat on Halloween in your neighborhood?**

Very safe .....	25%
Somewhat safe .....	32%
Not too safe .....	22%
Not at all safe .....	21%

**83. How worried are you about Halloween leading to an outbreak of COVID-19?**

Very worried .....	18%
Somewhat worried .....	36%
Not too worried .....	26%
Not worried at all .....	20%

**84. How do you feel about the end of Daylight Saving Time coming up?**

I'm looking forward to it .....	18%
I'm dreading it .....	35%
I don't really care .....	38%
My state doesn't observe Daylight Saving Time .....	3%
Not sure .....	6%

**85. Would you like to see Daylight Savings Time extended to all year round, or not?**

Yes, I would .....	50%
No, I would not .....	24%
Not sure .....	26%

**86. Countries in Europe are considering eliminating Daylight Savings Time after 2021. Would you support the United States eliminating Daylight Savings Time as well, or not?**

Yes, I would .....	66%
No, I would not .....	14%
Not sure .....	20%

87. How important are the following issues to you?

	Very Important	Somewhat Important	Not very Important	Unimportant
Jobs and the economy	79%	19%	1%	0%
Immigration	50%	36%	10%	3%
Climate change and the environment	45%	24%	17%	13%
National Security and foreign policy	62%	31%	6%	1%
Education	61%	30%	7%	3%
Health care	74%	20%	5%	1%
Taxes and government spending	64%	29%	6%	2%
Civil rights and civil liberties	62%	28%	7%	3%
Gun control	52%	25%	11%	11%
Crime and criminal justice reform	57%	32%	8%	3%

88. Which of these is the most important issue for you?

Jobs and the economy	25%
Immigration	5%
Climate change and the environment	11%
National Security and foreign policy	5%
Education	4%
Health care	27%
Taxes and government spending	7%
Civil rights and civil liberties	10%
Gun control	4%
Crime and criminal justice reform	3%

89. Do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of the following people?

	Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Don't know
Donald Trump	33%	10%	5%	51%	1%
Joe Biden	30%	22%	9%	37%	2%
Mike Pence	32%	12%	9%	43%	4%
Kamala Harris	30%	18%	8%	41%	4%
Nancy Pelosi	21%	19%	10%	46%	4%
Mitch McConnell	10%	21%	12%	47%	10%



90. Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of the political parties?

	Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Don't know
The Democratic Party	23%	24%	12%	39%	2%
The Republican Party	19%	22%	12%	45%	2%

91. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling his job as President?

Strongly approve	31%
Somewhat approve	11%
Somewhat disapprove	7%
Strongly disapprove	50%
Not sure	1%

92. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling these specific issues?

	Strongly approve	Somewhat approve	Somewhat disapprove	Strongly disapprove	No opinion
Jobs and the economy	38%	12%	10%	38%	2%
Immigration	35%	10%	5%	49%	2%
Climate change and the environment	24%	14%	6%	48%	7%
Terrorism	37%	9%	9%	42%	3%
Education	23%	18%	9%	43%	8%
Health care	24%	17%	7%	48%	4%
Taxes and government spending	28%	15%	11%	44%	3%
Civil rights and civil liberties	27%	16%	6%	47%	5%
Gun control	31%	12%	8%	42%	6%
Crime and criminal justice reform	31%	14%	9%	40%	6%

93. Do you think the way Donald Trump uses Twitter is appropriate or inappropriate for the President of the United States?

Appropriate	28%
Inappropriate	61%
Not sure	10%

94. Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way that the United States Congress is handling its job?

Strongly approve	4%
Somewhat approve	11%
Neither approve nor disapprove	14%
Somewhat disapprove	26%
Strongly disapprove	40%
Not sure	5%

95. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Nancy Pelosi is handling her job as the Speaker of the U.S. House of Representatives?

Strongly approve	19%
Somewhat approve	19%
Somewhat disapprove	12%
Strongly disapprove	45%
Not sure	5%

96. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Mitch McConnell is handling his job as Majority Leader of the U.S. Senate?

Strongly approve	11%
Somewhat approve	23%
Somewhat disapprove	12%
Strongly disapprove	46%
Not sure	9%

97. Do you approve or disapprove of the way the Supreme Court of the United States is handling its job?

Strongly approve	13%
Somewhat approve	37%
Somewhat disapprove	25%
Strongly disapprove	13%
Not sure	12%

98. In general, how would you describe the political viewpoint of the Supreme Court of the United States?

Very liberal	2%
Liberal	7%
Moderate	37%
Conservative	28%
Very conservative	13%
Not sure	13%

99. Overall, do you think the economy is getting better or worse?

Getting better	30%
About the same	16%
Getting worse	48%
Not sure	6%

100. Do you think the stock market will be higher or lower 12 months from now?

Higher	32%
About the same	22%
Lower	13%
Not sure	33%

**101. Would you say that you and your family are...**

Better off financially than you were a year ago	26%
About the same financially as you were a year ago	44%
Worse off financially than you were a year ago	27%
Not sure	3%

**102. Six months from now do you think there will be...**

More jobs	38%
The same amount of jobs	18%
Fewer jobs	19%
Not sure	25%

**103. How worried are you about losing your job?**

Very worried	9%
Somewhat worried	27%
Not very worried	63%

**104. If you lost your job, how hard would it be for you to find a new job that paid as much as you are making now?**

Very hard – I would probably have to take a pay cut.	31%
Somewhat hard – It might take a while before I found a job that paid as much.	38%
Not very hard	23%
Not sure	9%

**105. How happy would you say you are with your current job?**

Very happy	30%
Happy	37%
Neither happy nor unhappy	23%
Unhappy	7%
Very unhappy	3%

**106. In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?**

Very liberal	13%
Liberal	18%
Moderate	30%
Conservative	20%
Very conservative	15%
Not sure	4%

**107. Who did you vote for in the election for President in 2016?**

Hillary Clinton .....	42%
Donald Trump .....	41%
Gary Johnson .....	2%
Jill Stein .....	1%
Evan McMullin .....	0%
Other .....	1%
Did not vote for President .....	12%

**108. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?**

Democrat .....	39%
Republican .....	31%
Independent .....	28%
Other .....	1%
Not sure .....	0%

**109. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...?**

Strong Democrat .....	29%
Not very strong Democrat .....	10%
Lean Democrat .....	10%
Independent .....	9%
Lean Republican .....	10%
Not very strong Republican .....	9%
Strong Republican .....	23%
Not sure .....	0%

**110. Are you... ?**

Male .....	47%
Female .....	53%

**111. Respondent age by category**

Under 30 .....	15%
30-44 .....	22%
45-64 .....	37%
65+ .....	26%

**112. What racial or ethnic group best describes you?**

White .....	73%
Black .....	12%
Hispanic .....	9%
Other .....	6%

113. What is the highest level of education you have completed?

No degree	60%
College grad	40%

114. What is the highest level of education you have completed?

HS or less	30%
Some college	30%
College grad	25%
Postgrad	15%

115.

*Combined from answers to race, education, and gender questions*

White Male No Degree	20%
White Male 4yr Degree+	15%
White Female No Degree	22%
White Female 4yr Degree+	16%
Black	12%
Hispanic	9%
Other	6%

116. What is your marital status?

Married	51%
Separated	1%
Divorced	11%
Widowed	6%
Never married	25%
Domestic / civil partnership	4%

117. Are you the parent or guardian of any children under the age of 18?

Yes	23%
No	77%

118. Calculated from respondent's state of residence

Northeast	17%
Midwest	22%
South	38%
West	22%

119. Do you own or rent the place you currently live?

Own	67%
Rent	28%
Other	5%

**120. Thinking back over the last year, what was your family's annual income?**

Under \$50K	35%
\$50-100K	33%
\$100K or more	21%
Prefer not to say	11%

**121. How important is religion in your life?**

Very important	40%
Somewhat important	24%
Not too important	13%
Not at all important	23%

**122. Aside from weddings and funerals, how often do you attend religious services?**

More than once a week	7%
Once a week	19%
Once or twice a month	6%
A few times a year	14%
Seldom	20%
Never	32%
Don't know	2%

**123. Would you describe yourself as a "born-again" or evangelical Christian, or not?**

Yes	30%
No	70%

**124. People practice their religion in different ways. Outside of attending religious services, how often do you pray?**

Several times a day	29%
Once a day	12%
A few times a week	12%
Once a week	3%
A few times a month	7%
Seldom	13%
Never	20%
Don't know	3%

125. What is your present religion, if any?

Protestant .....	36%
Roman Catholic .....	20%
Mormon .....	2%
Eastern or Greek Orthodox .....	1%
Jewish .....	2%
Muslim .....	1%
Buddhist .....	0%
Hindu .....	0%
Atheist .....	7%
Agnostic .....	8%
Nothing in particular .....	19%
Something else .....	5%

<b>Sponsorship</b>	<i>The Economist</i>
<b>Fieldwork</b>	YouGov
<b>Interviewing Dates</b>	October 25 - 27, 2020
<b>Target population</b>	US Registered Voters
<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, and region) 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 (or non-vote). The weights range from 0.051 to 5.074, with a mean of one and a standard deviation of 0.672.
<b>Number of respondents</b>	1500
<b>Margin of error</b>	± 3.1% (adjusted for weighting)
<b>Survey mode</b>	Web-based interviews
<b>Questions not reported</b>	49 questions not reported.