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

The margin of error for 1,001 interviews is +/- 3.1 percentage points

GENDER. Do you describe yourself as a man, a woman, or some other way?

Male.....	48
Female	51
Non-binary/self-describe...	1

QAGETH. For statistical purposes only and to ensure that we have a representative sample, in what year were you born?

18-24.....	10
25-29.....	10
30-34.....	8
35-39.....	9
40-44.....	8
45-49.....	8
50-54.....	8
55-59.....	8
60-64.....	6
65-69.....	9
70-74.....	5
75 or older.....	10
Refused/not sure	1

QSedu. What is the last grade of school or level of education you completed? (IF INITIAL RESPONSE IS 'REFUSED' OR 'NOT SURE,' SAY:) As a reminder, your answer is completely confidential and is being used for statistical purposes only. With that in mind, would you tell me the last grade you completed in school?

Did not graduate high school	4
High school graduate	30
Vocational training/technical school	5
Some college, no degree	14
2-year college/associate degree	11
4-year college/bachelor's degree	23
Master's, PhD, or professional degree [MD, law, MBA] ...	13
Not sure/refused	1

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Raceth. Again, for statistical purposes only, are you of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin? And to ensure that we have a representative sample, what is your race—white, Black or African American, Asian, or something else? (IF 'SOMETHING ELSE,' ASK:) How would you describe your race?

American Indian or Native American	1
Asian or Asian American	2
Black or African American	12
Hispanic	14
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0
White	65
Another race.....	4
Not sure/refused.....	1

PID7TH. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a Democrat, a Republican, or an independent? (IF 'DEMOCRAT' OR 'REPUBLICAN,' ASK:) Would you call yourself a strong (Democrat/Republican) or not a very strong (Democrat/Republican)? (IF 'INDEPENDENT,' ASK:) Do you think of yourself as closer to the Democratic Party, closer to the Republican Party, or do you think of yourself as strictly independent?

Strong Democrat.....	19
Not very strong Democrat	11
Independent/closer to Democratic Party	7
Strictly independent	19
Independent/closer to Republican Party	10
Not very strong Republican.....	8
Strong Republican	20
Not sure	7
Total Democrat	36
Total Republican	38

Emply. Are you currently employed? (IF RESPONDENT SAYS "NO," ASK:) Are you a student, a homemaker, retired, or unemployed and looking for work? (IF RESPONDENT SAYS "YES, EMPLOYED," ASK:) What type of work do you do?

Currently Employed	
Professional, manager	13
White collar worker	28
Blue collar worker	17
Farmer, rancher	0
Not Currently Employed	
Student	3
Homemaker	4
Retired	24
Unemployed, looking for work.....	6
Volunteer	0
Disabled.....	3
Not sure/refused	1

(ASK ONLY OF RESPONDENTS WHO SAY "YES, EMPLOYED" IN emply.)

pay. And are you paid by annual salary, hourly wage, or through some other means?

Annual salary.....	35
Hourly wage.....	49
Some other means	14
Not sure/refused	1

Q1. In general, do you approve or disapprove of the job Joe Biden is doing as president? (IF 'NOT SURE,' ASK:) Would you say that you lean toward approving or lean toward disapproving of the job Joe Biden is doing as president?

	<u>10/23</u>	<u>7/23</u>	<u>4/23</u>	<u>11/22</u>	<u>10/22+</u>	<u>7/22</u>	<u>4/22</u>	<u>12/21</u>	<u>10/21</u>	<u>7/21</u>	<u>4/21</u> ¹
Approve.....	33	37	37	38	43	32	36	38	37	44	47
Approve (lean)	3	2	2	3	3	4	2	3	4	4	NA
Disapprove.....	55	53	53	50	49	55	50	48	51	43	41
Disapprove (lean).....	3	2	2	3	1	2	3	2	1	2	NA
Not sure	5	6	7	6	4	7	9	9	7	7	12
Total Approve	37	39	39	41	46	36	38	41	41	48	47
Total Disapprove	58	55	55	54	50	57	53	50	52	45	41

+ Results are among registered voters.

¹ In April 2021, respondents who said "Not sure" were not asked the "Lean" follow-up question.

Q2. In general, do you approve or disapprove of the job Joe Biden is doing dealing with the economy? (IF 'NOT SURE,' ASK:) Would you say that you lean toward approving or lean toward disapproving of the job Joe Biden is doing dealing with the economy?

	<u>10/23</u>	<u>7/23</u>	<u>4/23</u>	<u>11/22</u>	<u>10/22+</u>	<u>7/22</u>	<u>4/22</u>	<u>12/21</u>	<u>10/21</u>	<u>7/21</u>	<u>4/21</u> ¹
Approve.....	31	36	32	36	38	28	32	35	37	42	46
Approve (lean)	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	2	3	NA	NA
Disapprove.....	61	57	60	56	55	63	59	54	53	47	41
Disapprove (lean).....	2	1	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	NA	NA
Not sure	5	5	4	5	4	6	5	7	6	11	13
Total Approve	32	37	34	38	40	30	35	37	40	42	46
Total Disapprove	63	58	62	57	56	64	60	56	54	47	41

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Q3. In general, do you approve or disapprove of the job Joe Biden is doing dealing with the foreign policy? (IF 'NOT SURE,' ASK:) Would you say that you lean toward approving or lean toward disapproving of the job Joe Biden is doing dealing with foreign policy?

Approve.....	29
Approve (lean).....	3
Disapprove.....	58
Disapprove (lean).....	2
Not sure.....	9
Total Approve	31
Total Disapprove	60

Q4. If the election for president were held today, with Donald Trump as the Republican candidate and Joe Biden as the Democratic candidate, for whom would you vote? (IF RESPONDENTS DOES NOT MAKE A CHOISE, ASK:) If you had to choose, would you say you lean more toward Donald Trump, more toward Joe Biden, or are you totally undecided? +

Donald Trump.....	43
Donald Trump (lean).....	3
Joe Biden.....	38
Joe Biden (lean).....	3
Totally undecided/neither.....	12
Total Trump	46
Total Biden	42

+ Asked only of registered voters.

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Q5 THROUGH Q11 HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE

Q12. How important is it for the government to provide funding for each of the following areas? Is it very important, somewhat important, not too important, or not at all important? **

RANKED BY PERCENTAGE SAYING VERY OR SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT

	Total Important	<u>Very important</u>	<u>Somewhat important</u>	<u>Not too important</u>	<u>Not at all important</u>	<u>Not sure</u>
Military aid for Israel.....	74	40	35	9	13	4
Securing the border with Mexico.....	72	51	21	14	12	2
Foreign humanitarian aid	72	26	45	11	13	4
Military aid for Ukraine	61	27	34	13	23	4
Economic and military aid for Taiwan	52	18	34	18	18	11

** Asked of one-half the respondents (FORM B).

Q13 THROUGH Q15 HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE

Q16. When it comes to the conflict between the Israelis and Palestinians, do you think that the United States should support the Israelis more than the Palestinians, support the Palestinians more than the Israelis, or should the U.S. treat Israelis and the Palestinians the same and not support one more than the other?

	<u>10/23</u> ¹	<u>8/14</u> ²	<u>2/13</u> ²
Favor Israelis over Palestinians	39	34	31
Favor Palestinians over Israelis	6	4	4
Treat Israelis and the Palestinians the same	36	53	55
Not sure	19	9	10

¹ Asked of 878 respondents.

² Comparative data comes from surveys conducted for NBC News.

Now I am going to ask you a few questions for statistical purposes only.

Q2020V. Did you vote in the 2020 election for president?

Yes, voted	85
No, did not vote	14
Not sure.....	1

QF1bcTH. For whom did you vote--Joe Biden, the Democrat, Donald Trump, the Republican, or Jo Jorgensen, the Libertarian? (IF 'NO, DID NOT VOTE' OR 'NOT SURE,' ASK:) Even though you did not vote in the election, which candidate did you support and want to win--Joe Biden, Donald Trump, Jo Jorgensen, or did you not support any of them?

Voted for/supported Joe Biden.....	45
Voted for/supported Donald Trump	43
Voted for/supported Jo Jorgensen	1
Voted for/supported another candidate ..	1
Did not vote or support any	6
Not sure.....	5

Qideol. In terms of your views on political issues, would you describe yourself as very liberal, somewhat liberal, moderate, somewhat conservative, or very conservative?

Very liberal	12
Somewhat liberal.....	14
Moderate	28
Somewhat conservative	23
Very conservative.....	18
Not sure.....	6
Total Liberals	26
Total Conservatives	40

Qinc2. If you added together the yearly income of all the members of your family who were living at home last year, what would the total be? I'm going to read some income ranges. Please stop me when I reach the range for your family--less than ten thousand dollars, between ten thousand dollars and twenty thousand dollars, between twenty thousand dollars and thirty thousand dollars, between thirty thousand dollars and forty thousand dollars, between forty thousand dollars and fifty thousand dollars, between fifty thousand dollars and seventy-five thousand dollars, between seventy-five thousand dollars and one hundred thousand dollars, between one hundred thousand dollars and one hundred and fifty thousand dollars, or more than one hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

Less than \$10,000	5
\$10,000 to \$20,000.....	7
\$20,001 to \$30,000.....	7
\$30,001 to \$40,000.....	8
\$40,001 to \$50,000.....	9
\$50,001 to \$75,000.....	16
\$75,001 to \$100,000.....	13
\$100,001 to \$150,000.....	12
More than \$150,000	14
Not sure/refused	9

QECON. How would you describe your economic circumstances--poor, working class, middle class, upper-middle class, or well-to-do?

Poor	14
Working class	29
Middle class.....	40
Upper-middle class.....	13
Well to-do	2
Not sure.....	2