

# **The June 2022 AP-NORC Center Poll**

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Interviews: 06/23-27 /2022 1,053 adults Margin of sampling error: +/- 4.0 percentage points at the 95% confidence level among all adults

NOTE: All results show percentages among all respondents, unless otherwise labeled.

# CUR1. Generally speaking, would you say things in this country are headed in the...

# [HALF SAMPLE ASKED RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]

AP-NORC				
All adults	<b>Right direction</b>	Wrong direction	DON'T KNOW	SKIPPED ON WEB/ REFUSED
06/23-27/2022 (N=1,053)	14	85	1	*
05/12-16/2022 (N=1,172)	21	78	*	*
4/14-18/2022 (N=1,085)	29	70	1	1
3/17-21/2022 (N=1,082)	31	68	*	1
2/18-21/2022 (N=1,289)	29	70	*	1
1/13-18/2022 (N=1,161)	26	74	*	*
12/2-7/2021 (N=1,089)	33	66	1	1
10/21-25/2021 (N=1,083)	32	67	1	*
9/23-27/2021 (N=1,099)	34	64	*	1
8/12-16/2021 (N=1,729)	39	61	*	*
7/15-19/2021 (N=1,308)	44	55	1	1
6/10-14/2021 (N=1,125)	46	53	*	1
4/29-5/3/2021 (N=1,842)	54	44	1	1
3/25-29/2021 (N= 1,166)	50	50	*	*
2/25-3/1/2021 (N=1,434)	48	51	*	1
1/28-2/1/2021 (N=1,055)	49	49	1	1
12/3-7/2020 (N=1,117)	37	62	1	1
10/8-12/2020 (N=1,121)	25	74	1	1
9/11-14/2020 (N = 1,108)	27	72	*	1
8/17-19/2020 (N=1,075)	23	75	1	*
7/16-20/2020 (N=1,057)	20	80	*	*
6/11-15/2020 (N=1,310)	24	74	1	1
5/14-18/2020 (N=1,056)	33	65	1	1
4/16-20/2020 (N=1,057)	36	63	1	-
3/26-29/2020 (N=1,057)	42	58	*	*
2/13-16/2020 (N=1,074)	41	59	*	*
1/16-21/2020 (N=1,353)	38	62	*	*
12/5-9/2019 (N=1,053)	36	63	*	*
10/24-28/2019 (N=1,075)	39	60	1	1
9/20-23/2019 (N=1,286)	38	60	1	1
8/15-18/2019 (N=1,059)	33	66	*	1
6/13-17/2019 (N=1,116)	36	63	*	1
5/17-20/2019 (N=1,137)	35	62	2	1
4/11-14/2019 (N=1,108)	37	62	*	*
3/14-18/2019 (N=1,063)	35	63	*	1
1/16-20/2019 (N=1,062)	28	70	1	*
12/13-16/2018 (N=1,067)	39	59	*	1
10/11-14/2018 (N=1,152)	39	60	*	1
8/16-20/2018 (N=1,055)	38	62	*	*
6/13-18/2018 (N=1,109)	40	58	1	1

AP-NORC				
All adults	<b>Right direction</b>	Wrong direction	DON'T KNOW	SKIPPED ON WEB/ REFUSED
4/11-16/2018 (N=1,140)	39	60	*	*
3/14-19/2018 (N=1,222)	37	62	1	1
2/15-19/2018 (N=1,337)	32	68	*	*
12/7-11/2017 (N=1,020)	30	69	1	*
9/28-10/2/2017 (N=1,150)	24	74	1	*
6/8-11/2017 (N=1,068)	34	65	2	*

CUR2. Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling his job as president?

#### If don't know, skipped, or refused in CUR2:

CUR3. If you had to choose, do you lean more toward approving or disapproving of the way Joe Biden is handling his job as president?

#### *If approve in CUR2:*

CUR3A. Would you say you approve of the way Joe Biden is handling his job as president strongly or do you approve just somewhat?

#### If disapprove in CUR2:

CUR3B. Would you say you disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling his job as president strongly or do you disapprove just somewhat?

#### [HALF SAMPLE ASKED RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]

				Lean	Do not		Lean				
				toward	lean	Dis-	toward	Some-	Strongly		SKP
AP-NORC	Approve	Strongly	Somewhat	approv	either	approve	disapp-	what dis-	dis-		/
All adults	NET	approve	approve	-ing	way	NET	roving	approve	approve	DK	REF
06/23-27/2022											
(N=1,053)	39	12	27	*	1	60	*	19	41	-	*
05/12-16/2022											
(N=1,172)	39	12	26	1	*	60	1	21	39	*	*
4/14-18/2022											
(N=1,085)	45	15	30	*	*	54	*	18	36	*	*
3/17-21/2022											
(N=1,082)	43	16	27	*	*	56	*	19	37	*	*
2/18-21/2022											
(N=1,289)	44	15	29	*	1	55	1	19	35	*	*
1/13-18/2022											
(N=1,161)	43	13	30	*	1	56	1	19	36	-	1
12/2-7/2021											
(N=1,089)	48	18	30	*	1	51	*	20	30	-	*
10/21-25/2021											
(N=1,083)	48	17	31	*	1	51	*	17	34	*	*

				Lean	Do not		Lean				
AP-NORC				toward	lean	Dis-	toward	Some-	Strongly		SKP
	Approve	Strongly	Somewhat	approv	either	approve	disapp-	what dis-	dis-		/
All adults	NET	approve	approve	-ing	way	NET	roving	approve	approve	DK	REF
9/23-27/2021											
(N=1,099)	50	18	31	1	1	49	*	17	32	*	*
8/12-16/2021											
(N=1,729)	54	24	30	*	*	46	*	15	30	*	*
7/15-19/2021											
(N=1,308)	59	25	33	1	*	41	1	14	26	-	*
6/10-14/2021											
(N=1,125)	55	26	29	*	1	44	1	14	29	-	-
4/29-5/3/2021											
(N=1,842)	63	34	29	*	1	36	*	11	25	*	*
3/25-29/2021											
(N= 1,166)	61	31	29	*	*	38	*	13	25	-	1
2/25-3/1/2021											
(N=1,434)	60	32	28	*	*	40	*	15	24	*	*
1/28-2/1/2021											
(N=1,055)	61	35	26	*	1	38	*	11	26	*	*

PROB1. Thinking about the problems facing the United States and the world today, which problems would you like the government to be working on in the next year?

Please list up to 5 problems.

[Open-ended question coded. Respondents were able to list up to 5 problems. Reported proportions are among the respondents who provided at least one valid response to the questions. Respondents who did not answer are not included.]

	6/23-	12/2-	12/3-	12/5-	12/13-	11/30-	12/14-	12/10-
AP-NORC <sup>1</sup>	27/2022	7/2021	7/2020	9/2019	16/2018	12/4/2017	19/2016	13/2015
Domestic issues – including healthcare (N=918)	88	92	92	87	88	85	86	83
The economy (N= 790)	77	68	68	59	62	65	67	67
Foreign policy issues – including terrorism (N= 448)	41	45	35	55	62	58	56	67
Politics (N= 295)	29	26	33	34	30	34	26	24
Personal financial issues (N= 456)	44	24	12	15	13	8	13	12
Other issues (N= 19)	2	10	11	2	6	12	7	10

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Previous surveys read: government to be working on in 2022/2021/2020/2019/2018/2017/2016?

	AP-NORC 6/23-27/2022
The economy (N=790)	
Unemployment/jobs (N=104)	10
Debt/deficit/government spending/budget (N=71)	6
Poverty/hunger/homelessness (N=85)	8
Taxes/tax reform (N=93)	9
Inflation (N=394)	40
Economy, general (N=262)	24
Other economic issues (N=115)	11
Domestic issues (N=875)	84
Gun issues (N=313)	30
Environment/climate change (N=178)	17
Education/student debt (N=196)	20
Crime/violence (N=103)	11
Women's rights/women's health (N=58)	7
Abortion (N=161)	16
Racism/racial inequality/racial issues (N=129)	12
Social injustice/discrimination (N=77)	7
Infrastructure (N=60)	6
Energy (N=113)	11
Other domestic issues (N=291)	28
Foreign policy issues (N=231)	41
War/Iraq/Afghanistan/military issues (N=56)	5
Immigration/border wall/family separation/DACA (N=266)	24
Ukraine/Russia (N=87)	8
Other foreign issues (N=116)	11
Personal financial issues (N=456)	44
Personal financial situation/cost of living for Americans (N=50)	5
Minimum wage/wages (N=59)	4
Housing costs (foreclosure/housing prices/upside down in	
mortgage) (N=98)	9
Cost of food (N=88)	9
Gas prices/energy costs (N=330)	33
Other personal financial issues (N=21)	2
Healthcare/health issues (N=304)	28
Healthcare reform (N=66)	6
Cost of healthcare/medical bills (N=51)	5
COVID-19 (N=51)	4
Other healthcare issues (N=155)	14
Politics (N=295)	29
Voting laws/voter fraud/voting issues (N=75)	8
Other political issues (N=244)	23
Terrorism (N=18)	1
Refugees/other terrorism issues/general terrorism mentions (N=18)	1
Other (N=19)	2

CURY2. Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling...?

AP-NORC		Approve	Disapprove	DK	SKP/REF
The economy	06/23-27/2022	20	60	4	1
	(N=1,053)	28	69	1	1
	05/12-16/2022				
	(N=1,172)	33	67	*	1
	4/14-18 2022				
	(N=1,085)	33	66	*	1
	3/17-21/2022				
	(N=1,082)	34	65	1	*
	2/18-21/2022				
	(N=1,289)	38	61	*	1
	1/13-18/2022				
	(N=1,161)	37	62	*	1
	12/2-7/2021				
	(N=1,089)	41	57	*	1
	10/21-25/2021				
	(N=1,083)	41	58	1	1
	9/23-27/2021				
	(N=1,099)	47	51	1	1
	8/12-16/2021				
	(N=1,729)	49	49	*	1
	7/15-19/2021				
	(N=1,308)	52	47	*	*
	6/10-14/2021				
	(N=1,125)	51	47	*	2
	4/29-5/3/2021				
	(N=1,842)	57	42	*	2
	3/25-29/2021				
	(N= 1,166)	60	39	*	1
	2/25-3/1/2021				
	(N=1,434)	55	44	*	1
The coronavirus pandemic	06/23-27/2022				
	(N=1,053)	53	45	1	1
	05/12-16/2022				
	(N=1,172)	53	47	*	*
	4/14-18 2022				
	(N=1,085)	50	49	*	1
	3/17-21/2022				
	(N=1,082)	53	46	1	1
	2/18-21/2022				
	(N=1,289)	50	49	*	1

## [GRID ITEMS RANDOMIZED, HALF SAMPLE ASKED RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]

AP-NORC		Approve	Disapprove	DK	SKP/REF
The coronavirus pandemic	1/13-18/2022				
	(N=1,161)	45	54	*	1
	12/2-7/2021				
	(N=1,089)	57	42	*	1
	10/21-25/2021				
	(N=1,083)	54	45	*	1
	9/23-27/2021				
	(N=1,099)	57	43	*	1
	8/12-16/2021				
	(N=1,729)	54	45	*	1
	7/15-19/2021				
	(N=1,308)	66	33	1	*
	6/10-14/2021				
	(N=1,125)	68	31	*	1
	4/29-5/3/2021				
	(N=1,842)	71	27	*	1
	3/25-29/2021 (N=				
	1,166)	73	26	*	1
	2/25-3/1/2021				
	(N=1,434)	70	29	*	1
Climate Change	06/23-27/2022				
	(N=1,053)	42	56	2	1
	1/13-18/2022				
	(N=1,161)	48	50	*	1
	9/23-27/2021				
	(N=1,099)	52	46	1	2
Gun Policy	06/23-27/2022				
	(N=1,053)	36	62	1	1
	1/13-18/2022				
	(N=1,161)	35	64	*	1
	12/2-7/2021				
	(N=1,089)	36	61	1	1
	4/29-5/3/2021				
	(N=1,842)	48	49	1	2
	3/25-29/2021				
	(N= 1,166)	45	52	*	2

## B1A. How would you describe the nation's economy these days? Would you say...

If neither good nor poor, don't know, Skipped, or Refused in B1A:

B1B. If you had to choose, do you lean more toward the nation's economy being good or the nation's economy being poor?

## [HALF SAMPLE ASKED RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]

	Very/ Somewhat/		Some-	Lean	Neither good	Very/ Somewhat/	Lean	Some-			
	Lean toward	Very	what	toward	nor	Lean toward	toward	what	Very		SKP
AP-NORC	good NET	good	good	good	poor	poor NET	poor	poor	poor	DK	/REF
06/23-27/2022		_		_			_				
(N=1,053)	20	2	10	9	1	79	9	35	35	-	-
05/12-16/2022											
(N=1,172)	22	2	10	9	*	78	11	34	34	-	*
4/14-18 2022		_									
(N=1,085)	29	2	16	12	*	70	11	35	24	-	*
3/17-21/2022											
(N=1,082)	31	2	18	10	*	69	11	37	22	-	-
12/2-7/2021											
(N=1,089)	35	3	21	11	*	64	16	33	16	-	*
10/21-25/2021											
(N=1,083)	35	2	20	13	*	65	12	33	19	-	-
9/23-27/2021											
(N=1,099)	45	2	27	16	-	54	17	25	12	*	-
7/15-19/2021											
(N=1,308)	45	4	28	13	1	54	15	28	11	-	*
6/10-14/2021											
(N=1,125)	47	3	27	17	*	53	14	26	13	-	-
3/25-29/2021											
(N= 1,166)	46	2	25	19	*	54	16	27	11	-	-
2/25-3/1/2021											
(N=1,434)	37	1	22	14	*	63	16	34	12	-	*
1/28-2/1/2021											
(N=1,055)	31	1	17	12	*	69	15	37	17	-	-
12/3-7/2020											
(N=1,117)	38	5	22	11	*	62	11	34	17	*	-
10/8-12/2020											
(N=1,121)	39	6	22	11	*	61	10	31	20	-	*
9/11-14/2020											
(N=1,108)	40	6	24	11	*	60	10	33	16	-	-
8/17-19/2020											
(N=1,075)	37	4	21	12	*	62	12	32	18	-	-
7/16-20/2020											
(N=1,057)	38	4	22	12	-	62	11	30	21	-	-

	Very/				Neither	Very/					
	Somewhat/		Some-	Lean	good	Somewhat/	Lean	Some-			
	Lean toward	Very	what	toward	nor	Lean toward	toward	what	Very		SKP
AP-NORC	good NET	good	good	good	poor	poor NET	poor	poor	poor	DK	/REF
6/11-15/2020											
(N=1,310)	36	5	19	12	*	63	14	28	21	-	1
5/14-18/2020											
(N=1,056)	29	3	13	13	*	70	9	31	30	-	*
4/16-20/2020											
(N=1,057)	29	3	15	11	-	71	8	30	33	-	-
03/26-29/2020											
(N=1,057)	39	9	17	12	*	60	10	29	21	-	-
1/16-21/2020											
(N=1,353)	67	21	36	10	*	33	13	15	5	-	*
9/20-23/2019											
(N=1,286)	61	18	31	11	*	38	11	19	8	1	*
6/13-17/2019											
(N=1,116)	63	15	35	14	*	36	13	16	7	-	1

# PROB5. Which party do you think does a better job at:

# [GRID ITEMS RANDOMIZED, HALF SAMPLE ASKED FIRST TWO RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]

AP-NORC	The	The			DON'T	SKIPPED ON
06/23-27/2022	Republicans	Democrats	Both equally	Neither	KNOW	WEB/ REFUSED
Focusing on the problems that are						
important to you	29	32	7	30	*	1
Understanding what						
needs to be done to						
solve the problems						
that are important to						
you	26	30	8	35	*	1
Representing your						
values	28	32	8	30	1	1
Getting things done	24	17	9	48	1	1

N=1,053

CC6. Do you think climate change is happening, do you think climate change is not happening, or aren't you sure?

			AP-	AP-	AP-	AP-
	AP-NORC	AP-NORC	NORC/EPIC	NORC/EPIC	NORC/EPIC	NORC/EPIC
	06/23-	8/15-	11/14-	8/17-	6/8-	8/11-
	27/2022	18/2019	19/2018	21/2017	11/2017	14/2016
Climate change is happening	71	76	71	72	65	77
Climate change is not						
happening	11	9	9	9	12	10
Not sure if climate change is						
happening	18	15	19	19	23	13
SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED	-	1	1	1	1	-
N=	1,053	1,058	1,202	1,038	1,068	1,096

#### [HALF SAMPLE ASKED RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]

### Show if yes in CC6.

CC7. Do you think climate change is caused entirely by human activities, caused mostly by human activities, caused about equally by human activities and natural changes in the environment, caused mostly by natural changes in the environment, or caused entirely by natural changes in the environment?

	AP-NORC	AP-NORC	AP-	AP-	AP-
	06/23-	8/15-	NORC/EPIC	NORC/EPIC	NORC/EPIC
	27/2022	18/2019	11/14-	8/17-	6/8-
			19/2018	21/2017	11/2017
Caused entirely/mostly by human					
activities	66	62	60	55	57
Caused entirely by human activities	17	19	15	15	13
Caused mostly by human activities	49	44	45	40	44
Caused equally by human activities and					
natural changes in the environment	27	27	28	32	32
Caused entirely/mostly by natural					
changes in the environment	7	10	12	12	10
Caused mostly by natural changes in the					
environment	5	8	10	11	9
Caused entirely by natural changes in					
the environment	1	2	2	2	1
DON'T KNOW	-	*	*	*	*
SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED	*	*	-	*	*
N=	763	804	854	774	751

# CC9. Over the last year, have you done any of the following?

# [GRID ITEMS RANDOMIZED]

AP-NORC			Not	DON'T	SKIPPED ON
06/23-27/2022	Yes	No	Applicable	KNOW	WEB/ REFUSED
Used an electricity					
supplier that gets					
power from					
renewable sources	27	53	18	1	*
Reduced the number					
of times you fly	41	25	34	-	1
Reduced the amount					
you drive	63	29	8	-	*
Reduced the amount					
of meat you eat	47	48	5	*	*
Used energy efficient					
appliances	74	20	6	-	*
Lived in a home with					
solar panels	8	84	9	-	*
Driven a hybrid or					
electric car	11	80	9	-	*
Turned off lights					
when they are not					
needed	92	6	1	-	*
Reduced your use of					
heat or air					
conditioning	59	37	4	-	*
Reduced the amount					
of paper or plastic				<i>.</i>	
that you use	60	35	4	*	*
Composted food				<i>.</i>	
waste	28	64	8	*	*
Bought used					
products instead of	50				
new ones	56	37	6	-	*

N=1,053

# If Yes to Any in CC9 CC10. What's the main reason why you have done each of the following?

# [GRID ITEMS RANDOMIZED IN SAME ORDER AS CC9, HALF SAMPLE ASKED RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]

		To boln the				
		To help the				
		environment or	_	For some		SKIPPED
AP-NORC	To save	reduce climate	For	other	DON'T	ON WEB/
06/23-27/2022	money	change	convenience	reasons	KNOW	REFUSED
Used an electricity						
supplier that gets power						
from renewable sources						
(N=274)	28	43	13	14	1	2
Reduced the number of						
times you fly						
(N=428)	43	11	8	37	-	*
Reduced the amount you						
drive						
(N=657)	61	16	8	15	-	*
Reduced the amount of						
meat you eat						
(N=512)	37	15	9	39	-	*
Used energy efficient						
appliances (N=786)	57	28	9	5	-	1
Lived in a home with solar						
panels (N=78)	41	44	9	6	-	1
Drove a hybrid or electric						
car <i>(N=107)</i>	33	41	8	16	-	1
Turned off lights when						
they are not needed						
(N=973)	74	18	5	3	-	*
Reduced your use of heat						
or air conditioning						
(N=612)	74	19	4	3	-	*
Reduced the amount of						
paper or plastic that you						
use ( <i>N=644</i> )	18	68	8	6	-	*
Composted food waste						
(N=297)	11	56	17	16	-	-
Bought used products						
instead of new ones						

CC11. As a result of recent extreme weather events, like hurricanes, droughts, floods, unusual heat, or wildfires, have you taken any of the following steps?

## [GRID ITEMS RANDOMIZED]

			Yes, more	No, I		
AP-NORC		Yes, in the	than a year	haven't		
06/23-27/2022	Yes NET	last year	ago	done this	DK	SKP/REF
Prepared a kit with						
emergency supplies like						
water, food, and medicine in						
case you need to evacuate	35	14	21	65	-	1
Purchased additional						
homeowners' or renters'						
insurance policies for						
natural disasters such as						
hurricanes, flooding, or						
wildfires	16	8	9	83	-	1
Prepared a disaster plan for						
you and your family	32	13	19	68	-	*
Purchased a backup power						
generator	21	7	14	78	-	1

N=1,053

## CC12. Have you done any of the following in response to climate change, or not?

# [GRID ITEMS RANDOMIZED]

AP-NORC		Yes, in the	Yes, more than a year	No, I haven't		
06/23-27/2022	Yes NET	last year	ago	done this	DK	SKP/REF
Contacted your elected						
representatives regarding						
energy or climate policy	14	6	7	86	-	1
Volunteered with or						
donated money to						
environmental organizations	20	12	8	79	*	*
Followed environmental						
organizations on social						
media	27	16	10	73	-	*
Spoken with friends and						
family about climate change	54	42	12	45	-	1

N=1,053

# CC13. How much responsibility does each of the following have for addressing climate change?

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						Not				
		A great	А			much/				
		deal/lot	great			at all	Not	Not		SKP/
AP-NORC		NET	deal	A lot	Some	NET	much	at all	DK	REF
Your local government	06/23-27/2022									
officials	(N=1,053)	43	25	18	33	22	13	9	1	1
	08/15-18/2019									
	(N=1,058)	48	26	22	29	22	14	8	*	2
Your state government	06/23-27/2022									
officials	(N=1,053)	54	31	23	25	19	11	8	1	*
	08/15-18/2019									
	(N=1,058)	53	30	23	28	17	11	6	1	1
The U.S. federal	06/23-27/2022									
government	(N=1,053)	63	43	20	19	16	8	8	1	*
	08/15-18/2019									
	(N=1,058)	64	42	22	20	13	8	5	1	2
Corporations and	06/23-27/2022									
industry	(N=1,053)	64	43	21	21	14	7	7	1	1
	08/15-18/2019									
	(N=1,058)	66	41	24	21	12	6	6	*	2
Developed or	06/23-27/2022									
industrialized countries	(N=1,053)	62	38	24	22	13	7	7	2	2
outside the U.S.	08/15-18/2019									
	(N=1,058)	60	36	25	24	14	8	5	*	2
Developing countries	06/23-27/2022									
	(N=1,053)	44	22	22	36	18	11	7	2	1
	08/15-18/2019									
	(N=1,058)	48	24	24	31	18	12	6	1	2
Individual people	06/23-27/2022									
	(N=1,053)	45	24	21	37	17	11	5	1	1
	08/15-18/2019									
	(N=1,058)	50	26	23	29	19	14	5	1	2

## CC14. In general, do you think your actions have an effect on climate change?

	AP-NORC	AP-NORC
	06/23-27/2022	8/15-18/2019
Yes	52	66
No	47	33
DON'T KNOW	1	1
SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED	*	1
N=	N=1,053	1,058

#### Show if yes or not sure in CC6.

CC15. To combat climate change, do you think it will be necessary or not necessary for individuals to make major lifestyle changes?

	AP-NORC
	06/23-27/2022
Necessary	70
Not necessary	29
DON'T KNOW	1
SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED	*
N=	N=1,053

# CC16. How concerned are you about the effects of climate change on:

# [GRID ITEMS RANDOMIZED]

AP-NORC		Extremely		Very		Not very/	Not very			
08/15-		/Very	Extremely	concern-	Moderately	Not at all	concern-	Not at all		SKP
18/2019		concerned	concerned	ed	concerned	concerned	ed	concerned	DK	/REF
You	06/23-									
personally	27/2022									
	(N=1,053)	35	15	20	33	32	17	15	*	*
	08/15-									
	18/2019									
	(N=1,058)	44	24	20	29	25	13	12	*	1
Low-	06/23-									
income	27/2022									
people	(N=1,053)	47	27	20	24	28	15	13	*	1
	08/15-									
	18/2019									
	(N=1,058)	53	29	24	25	21	12	8	1	1
Coastal	06/23-									
commu-	27/2022									
nities	(N=1,053)	52	26	26	26	20	9	11	1	*
	08/15-									
	18/2019									
	(N=1,058)	55	30	25	24	20	12	8	1	1
Future	06/23-									
genera-	27/2022									
tions	(N=1,053)	64	38	26	17	18	9	9	*	*
	08/15-									
	18/2019									
	(N=1,058)	67	42	25	17	15	7	7	*	1

#### CAPITOL1. Have you:

AP-NORC				SKIPPED ON WEB/
06/23-27/2022	Yes	No	DON'T KNOW	REFUSED
Followed news about the congressional				
hearings on the January 6, 2021 attack				
on the U.S. Capitol?	56	43	*	1
Watched or listened to the				
congressional hearings on the January 6,				
2021 attack on the U.S. Capitol?	42	57	*	1

N=1,053

CAPITOL2. How much responsibility do you think each of the following had for the breach of the U.S. Capitol by a group of former President Donald Trump's supporters on January 6th?

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		A great	А		Α	Only a little/	Only			
		deal/Quite	great	Quite	moderate	None at all	a	None		SKP/
AP-NORC		a bit NET	deal	a bit	amount	NET	little	at all	DK	REF
Donald	06/23-27/2022									
Trump	(N=1,053)	58	49	10	12	28	11	18	*	*
	12/2-7/2021									
	(N=1,089)	57	46	11	13	29	12	17	*	*
	1/28-2/1/2021									
	(N=1,055)	50	38	12	13	36	13	22	*	*
Republicans	06/23-27/2022									
in Congress	(N=1,053)	46	26	20	21	30	12	18	2	2
	12/2-7/2021									
	(N=1,089)	41	22	19	25	32	16	16	1	1
Democrats in	06/23-27/2022									
Congress	(N=1,053)	22	12	10	24	51	17	35	1	1
	12/2-7/2021									
	(N=1,089)	22	12	10	22	55	23	32	*	1
The	06/23-27/2022									
individuals	(N=1,053)	78	61	17	11	9	4	5	*	1
involved	12/2-7/2021									
	(N=1,089)	80	62	18	11	8	6	2	1	1

CAPITOL3. Do you think Donald Trump should or should not be charged with a crime for his role in what happened at the U.S. Capitol on January 6, 2021, or don't you know enough to say?

	AP-NORC
	06/23-27/2022
Yes, should be charged with a crime	48
No, should not be charged with a crime	31
Don't know enough to say	20
DON'T KNOW	-
SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED	1
N=	N=1,053

#### GUN1. Should gun laws in the United States be made more strict, left as they are, or made less strict?

	Much/				Much/				
	Somewhat	Much		Left as	Somewhat		Much		
	more strict	more	Somewhat	they	less strict	Somewhat	less		SKP/
	NET	strict	more strict	are	NET	less strict	strict	DK	REF
AP-NORC									
06/23-27/2022									
(N=1,053)	69	43	26	20	11	4	7	*	*
AP-NORC									
3/14-18/2019									
(N=1,063)	67	39	28	22	10	8	2	*	1
AP-NORC									
3/14-19/2018									
(N=1,122)	69	45	24	22	9	5	4	-	1
AP-NORC									
10/12-16/2017									
(N=1,054)	61	36	25	27	11	7	5	*	1
AP-GfK									
7/7-11/2016									
(N=1,009)	64	34	30	23	11	7	5	-	2
AP-GfK									
12/3-7/2015									
(N=1,007)	58	33	26	25	14	7	7	-	3
AP-GfK									
10/15-19/2015									
(N=1,027)	58	36	23	27	12	8	5	-	3
AP-GfK									
12/5-9/2013		_		_	_				
(N=1,367)	52	29	23	31	15	8	7	-	2
AP-GfK									
10/3-7/2013						_	_		
(N=1,227)	55	34	21	28	14	8	6	-	3

## ABO1. Which comes closest to your opinion on abortion? Abortion should be...

	Legal	Legal in all	Legal in	Illegal	Illegal in	Illegal in		SKP/
AP-NORC	NET	cases	most cases	NET	most cases	all cases	DK	REF
06/23-27/2022 (N=1,053)	65	34	30	32	24	9	1	2
05/12-16/2022 (N=1,172)	65	32	33	34	26	8	*	1
6/10-14/2021 ( <i>N= 1,125</i> )	57	23	33	43	30	13	*	*
12/7-11/2017 ( <i>N=1,020</i> )	64	25	39	36	28	8	*	*

## [HALF SAMPLE ASKED RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]

VIRUS2. How worried are you about your or someone in your family being infected with...?

#### [HALF SAMPLE SHOWN RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]

AP-NORC		Extremely /Very worried NET	Extremely worried	Very worried	Some- what worried	Not too/Not at all worried NET	Not too worried	Not at all worried	DK	SKP/ REF
The coronavirus	06/23-27/2022 (N=1,053)	29	14	15	30	41	23	17	1	*
	4/14-18/2022 (N=1,085)	20	9	11	33	48	29	18	-	*
	3/17-21/2022 (N=1,082)	25	12	13	32	43	29	15	-	-
	2/18-21/2022 (N=1,289)	24	12	13	34	41	26	15	-	*
	1/13-18/2022 (N=1,161)	36	17	19	32	32	20	12	-	*
	12/2-7/2021 (N=1,089)	36	17	18	31	33	21	12	-	*
	10/21-25/2021 (N=1,083)	25	13	13	32	43	27	16	-	-
	9/23-27/2021 (N=1,099)	33	16	17	36	31	20	11	-	*
	8/12-16/2021 (N=1,729)	41	22	19	29	30	21	9	-	*
	7/15-19/2021 (N= 1,308)	27	14	13	27	45	29	16	*	*
	6/10-14/2021 (N= 1,125)	21	10	11	25	54	34	20	-	*
	4/29-5/3/2021 (N=1,842)	24	10	14	29	47	31	15	-	*
	3/25-29/2021 (N= 1,166)	35	17	18	34	32	24	7	-	-

		Extremely /Very worried NET	Extremely worried	Very worried	Some- what worried	Not too/Not at all worried NET	Not too worried	Not at all worried	DK	SKP/ REF
	2/25-3/1/2021 (N=1,434)	31	16	15	36	33	24	9	-	*
	1/28-2/1/2021 (N=1,055)	43	22	20	30	27	19	8	-	*
	12/3-7/2020 (N=1,117)	43	22	21	34	23	16	8	-	*
	10/8-12/2020 (N=1,121)	42	22	19	32	26	18	8	-	*
	9/11-14/2020 (N = 1,108)	38	19	19	31	31	22	9	-	*
	8/17-19/2020 (N=1,075)	42	20	22	31	26	17	9	*	*
	7/16-20/2020 (N=1,057)	49	25	24	31	19	11	8	*	*
	6/11-15/2020 (N=1,310)	32	16	16	35	32	22	9	-	1
	5/14-18/2020 (N=1,056)	42	21	21	31	25	18	7	*	1
	4/16-20/2020 (N=1,057)	43	23	20	35	22	17	5	*	-
	03/26-29/2020 (N=1,057)	50	28	22	34	16	13	3	-	*
	03/12-16/2020 (N=1,003)	31	14	17	35	33	23	10	*	1
	2/13-16/2020 (N=1,074)	22	11	11	23	55	37	19	-	*
The flu	06/23-27/2022 (N=1,053)	16	7	9	27	56	36	20	*	1
	4/14-18/2022 (N=1,085)	10	5	6	28	61	37	24	-	*
	3/17-21/2022 (N=1,082)	13	5	8	23	64	42	22	-	1
	2/18-21/2022 (N=1,289)	11	4	7	25	65	42	23	*	*
	1/13-18/2022 (N=1,161)	16	6	9	30	54	36	18	-	*
	12/2-7/2021 (N=1,089)	14	5	9	33	53	35	17	-	*
	10/21-25/2021 (N=1,083)	14	7	8	26	60	39	21	-	*
	9/23-27/2021 (N=1,099)	12	4	8	31	57	39	18	-	*

	Extremely /Very worried NET	Extremely worried	Very worried	Some- what worried	Not too/Not at all worried NET	Not too worried	Not at all worried	DK	SKP/ REF
8/12-16/2021 (N=1,729)	15	8	7	26	58	41	17	-	*
7/15-19/2021 (N= 1,308)	13	5	8	24	63	41	23	-	*
6/10-14/2021 (N= 1,125)	10	3	7	22	69	44	25	-	*
4/29-5/3/2021 (N= 1,842)	9	3	6	21	70	42	27	-	*
3/25-29/2021 (N= 1,166)	13	6	8	27	59	42	18	-	*
2/25-3/1/2021 (N=1,434)	12	5	7	29	59	39	20	-	*
1/28-2/1/2021 (N=1,055)	14	6	7	29	58	40	17	-	*
12/3-7/2020 (N=1,117)	17	8	9	31	52	39	13	-	-
10/8-12/2020 (N=1,121)	20	9	10	34	47	33	14	*	*
9/11-14/2020 (N = 1,108)	21	8	12	33	46	32	14	-	*
8/17-19/2020 (N=1,075)	16	7	9	31	52	37	15	-	1
7/16-20/2020 (N=1,057)	19	9	10	34	47	33	15	-	*
6/11-15/2020 (N=1,310)	15	7	9	27	56	41	16	-	1
5/14-18/2020 (N=1,056)	17	7	10	28	54	38	15	-	1
4/16-20/2020 (N=1,057)	22	10	13	30	47	35	12	-	*
3/26-29/2020 (N=1,057)	22	11	12	35	43	34	8	-	*
3/12-16/2020 (N=1,003)	15	6	9	33	50	37	13	-	1
2/13-16/2020 (N=1,074)	23	10	14	40	37	29	7	-	*

PID1. Do you consider yourself a Democrat, a Republican, an Independent or none of these?

If Democrat:

PIDA. Do you consider yourself a strong or not so strong Democrat?

*If Republican:* 

PIDB. Do you consider yourself a strong or not so strong Republican?

*If independent, none of these, don't know, skipped, or refused:* **PIDI. Do you lean more toward the Democrats or the Republicans?** 

#### Combines PID1, PIDI, PIDA, and PIDB.

	AP-NORC
	06/23-27/2022
Democrat NET	44
Strong Democrat	19
Not so strong Democrat	15
Lean Democrat	10
Independent/None – Don't lean	20
Republican NET	36
Lean Republican	9
Not so strong Republican	12
Strong Republican	15
N=	1,053

D3. Generally speaking, do you consider yourself to be a liberal, moderate, or conservative?

If liberal:

D4. Do you consider yourself very liberal or somewhat liberal?

*If conservative:* 

D5. Do you consider yourself very conservative or somewhat conservative? Combines D3, D4, D5:

	AP-NORC
	06/23-27/2022
Liberal NET	24
Very liberal	10
Somewhat liberal	14
Moderate	44
Conservative NET	30
Somewhat conservative	18
Very conservative	12
DON'T KNOW	*
SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED	2
N=	1,053

# DM5. How would you describe the community you live in now?

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	AP-NORC
	06/23-27/2022
Urban area	24
Suburban area	47
Rural area	27
DON'T KNOW	1
SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED	1
N=	1,053

#### GENDER

	AP-NORC
	06/23-27/2022
Male	49
Female	51
N=	1,053

# RACE/ETHNICITY

	AP-NORC
	06/23-27/2022
White	62
Black or African American	12
Hispanic	17
Other	9
N=	1,053

#### MARITAL STATUS

	AP-NORC
	06/23-27/2022
Married	47
Not married	53
N=	1,053

#### **EMPLOYMENT STATUS**

	AP-NORC
	06/23-27/2022
Employed	58
Not employed	42
N=	1,053

# EDUCATION

	AP-NORC
	06/23-27/2022
Less than a high school diploma	9
High school graduate or equivalent	29
Some college	26
College graduate or above	20
Post grad study/professional degree	15
N=	1,053

# INCOME

	AP-NORC
	06/23-27/2022
Under \$10,000	6
\$10,000 to under \$20,000	8
\$20,000 to under \$30,000	12
\$30,000 to under \$40,000	8
\$40,000 to under \$50,000	6
\$50,000 to under \$75,000	18
\$75,000 to under \$100,000	13
\$100,000 to under \$150,000	17
\$150,000 or more	13
N=	1,053

#### **Study Methodology**

This survey was conducted by The Associated Press-NORC Center for Public Affairs Research and with funding from The Associated Press and NORC at the University of Chicago.

Data were collected using the AmeriSpeak Omnibus<sup>®</sup>, a monthly multi-client survey using NORC's probability-based panel designed to be representative of the U.S. household population. The survey was part of a larger study that included questions about other topics not included in this report. During the initial recruitment phase of the panel, randomly selected U.S. households were sampled with a known, non-zero probability of selection from the NORC National Sample Frame and then contacted by U.S. mail, email, telephone, and field interviewers (face-to-face). The panel provides sample coverage of approximately 97 percent of the U.S. household population. Those excluded from the sample include people with P.O. Box only addresses, some addresses not listed in the USPS Delivery Sequence File, and some newly constructed dwellings.

Interviews for this survey were conducted between June 23 and 27, 2022 with adults aged 18 and over representing the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Panel members were randomly drawn from AmeriSpeak, and 1,053 completed the survey—992 via the web and 61 by telephone. Panel members were invited by email or by phone from an NORC telephone interviewer. Interviews were conducted in both English and Spanish, depending on respondent preference. Respondents were offered a small monetary incentive for completing the survey. The final stage completion rate is 19.5 percent, the weighted household panel response rate is 16.3 percent, and the weighted household panel retention rate is 76.9 percent, for a cumulative response rate of 2.4 percent. The overall margin of sampling error is +/-4.0 percentage points at the 95 percent confidence level, including the design effect. The margin of sampling error may be higher for subgroups.

Sampling error is only one of many potential sources of error and there may be other unmeasured error in this or any other survey.

Quality assurance checks were conducted to ensure data quality. In total, 34 interviews were removed for nonresponse to at least 50% of the questions asked of them, for completing the survey in less than one-third the median interview time for the full sample, or for straight-lining all grid questions asked of them. These interviews were excluded from the data file prior to weighting.

Once the sample has been selected and fielded, and all the study data have been collected and made final, a poststratification process is used to adjust for any survey nonresponse as well as any noncoverage or under and oversampling resulting from the study specific sample design.

Poststratification variables included age, gender, census division, race/ethnicity, and education. Weighting variables were obtained from the 2021 Current Population Survey. The weighted data reflect the U.S. population of adults age 18 and over.

For the open-ended question PROB1, responses were classified using Canvs AI, an online platform that codes open-ended data. These codes were validated by a human coder and were then collapsed into more general categories based on topic for reporting.

Complete questions and results are available at: <u>apnorc.org</u>

Additional information on the AmeriSpeak Panel methodology is available at: <u>https://amerispeak.norc.org/about-amerispeak/Pages/Panel-Design.aspx</u>.

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