

The October 2023 AP-NORC Center Poll

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Interviews: 10/5-9/2023

1,163 adults

Margin of sampling error: +/- 3.9 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 heading in the...
[HALF SAMPLE ASKED RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]

| AP-NORC | Right direction | Wrong direction | DON'T KNOW | SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED |
|-------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------|------------------------|
| 10/5-9/2023 (N=1,163) | 21 | 78 | * | 1 |
| 09/07-11/2023 (N=1,146) | 25 | 75 | * | 1 |
| 08/10-14/2023 (N=1,165) | 24 | 74 | 1 | 1 |
| 06/22-26/2023 (N=1,220) | 24 | 74 | * | 1 |
| 05/11-15/2023 (N=1,680) | 21 | 78 | * | * |
| 04/13-17/2023 (N=1,230) | 25 | 74 | * | 1 |
| 03/16-20/2023 (N=1,081) | 21 | 78 | * | * |
| 02/16-20/2023 (N=1,247) | 28 | 71 | 1 | 1 |
| 01/26-30/2023 (N=1,068) | 25 | 73 | 1 | * |
| 12/1-5/2022 (N=1,124) | 28 | 71 | * | 1 |
| 10/06-10/2022 (N=1,121) | 25 | 74 | * | 1 |
| 09/09-12/2022 (N=1,054) | 27 | 72 | * | 1 |
| 07/14-17/2022 (N=1,085) | 17 | 83 | - | * |
| 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 |

| AP-NORC | Right direction | Wrong direction | DON'T KNOW | SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED |
|--------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------|------------------------|
| 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 |
| 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 | * |
| 9/20-23/2019 (N=1,286) | 38 | 60 | 1 | 1 |
| 8/15-18/2019 (N=1,059) | 33 | 66 | * | 1 |

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]

| AP-NORC | Approve NET | Strongly approve | Some- what approve | Lean toward approv- ing | Do not lean either way | Dis- approve NET | Lean toward disapp- roving | Some- what dis- approve | Strongly disapprove | DK | SKP/ REF |
|--------------------------------|----------------|---------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------|----|-------------|
| 10/5- 9/2023 (N=1,163) | 38 | 13 | 24 | * | * | 61 | * | 21 | 40 | - | 1 |
| 09/07- 11/2023 (N=1,146) | 40 | 13 | 26 | * | 1 | 59 | * | 24 | 36 | * | * |
| 08/10- 14/2023 (N=1,165) | 42 | 14 | 28 | 1 | * | 57 | * | 18 | 39 | - | * |
| 06/22- 26/2023 (N=1,220) | 41 | 14 | 27 | * | 1 | 58 | * | 21 | 37 | * | * |
| 05/11- 15/2023 (N=1,680) | 40 | 12 | 28 | * | 1 | 59 | * | 21 | 38 | * | * |
| 04/13- 17/2023 (N=1,230) | 42 | 15 | 27 | 1 | * | 58 | 1 | 20 | 36 | * | * |
| 03/16- 20/2023 (N=1,081) | 38 | 12 | 26 | * | 1 | 61 | 1 | 21 | 40 | - | * |
| 02/16- 20/2023 (N=1,247) | 45 | 16 | 28 | * | 1 | 54 | * | 19 | 35 | * | 1 |

| AP-NORC | Approve NET | Strongly approve | Some- what approve | Lean toward approv- ing | Do not lean either way | Dis- approve NET | Lean toward disapp- roving | Some- what dis- approve | Strongly disapprove | DK | SKP/ REF |
|--------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------------|---|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------|----|-------------|
| 01/26- 30/2023 (N=1,068) | 41 | 14 | 27 | * | 1 | 58 | * | 20 | 37 | * | * |
| 12/1- 5/2022 (N=1,124) | 43 | 15 | 28 | * | 1 | 55 | 1 | 20 | 34 | - | 1 |
| 10/06- 10/2022 (N=1,121) | 43 | 15 | 26 | 1 | 1 | 56 | * | 20 | 36 | * | * |
| 09/09- 12/2022 (N=1,054) | 45 | 16 | 30 | * | 1 | 53 | * | 20 | 33 | * | * |
| 07/14- 17/2022 (N=1,085) | 36 | 8 | 27 | * | 1 | 62 | * | 18 | 44 | * | 1 |
| 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 | * | * |
| 9/23- 27/2021 (N=1,099) | 50 | 18 | 31 | 1 | 1 | 49 | * | 17 | 32 | * | * |

| AP-NORC | Approve NET | Strongly approve | Some- what approve | Lean toward approv- ing | Do not lean either way | Dis- approve NET | Lean toward disapp- roving | Some- what dis- approve | Strongly disapprove | DK | SKP/ REF |
|--------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------------|---|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------|----|-------------|
| 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 | - | * |
| 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 | * | * |

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

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

| AP-NORC | | Approve | Disapprove | DK | SKP/REF |
|-------------|----------------------------|---------|------------|----|---------|
| The economy | 10/5-9/2023 (N=1,163) | 32 | 67 | * | 1 |
| | 09/07-11/2023 (N=1,146) | 33 | 66 | * | 1 |
| | 08/10-14/2023 (N=1,165) | 36 | 63 | * | 1 |
| | 06/22-26/2023 (N=1,220) | 34 | 64 | * | 2 |
| | 05/11-15/2023 (N=1,680) | 33 | 66 | * | 1 |
| | 03/16-20/2023 (N=1,081) | 31 | 68 | * | 1 |
| | 02/16-20/2023 (N=1,247) | 36 | 61 | 1 | 2 |
| | 01/26-30/2023 (N=1,068) | 33 | 66 | * | 1 |
| | 10/06-10/2022 (N=1,121) | 36 | 63 | * | * |
| | 09/09-12/2022 (N=1,054) | 38 | 61 | * | 1 |
| | 06/23-27/2022 (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 | * | * |

| AP-NORC | | Approve | Disapprove | DK | SKP/REF |
|--------------------------|----------------------------|---------|------------|----|---------|
| Student debt | 10/5-9/2023 (N=1,163) | 41 | 58 | * | 1 |
| | 05/11-15/2023 (N=1,680) | 43 | 55 | 1 | 1 |
| The coronavirus pandemic | 10/5-9/2023 (N=1,163) | 52 | 47 | 1 | 1 |
| | 01/26-30/2023 (N=1,068) | 53 | 46 | 1 | 1 |
| | 10/06-10/2022 (N=1,121) | 55 | 44 | * | 1 |
| | 09/09-12/2022 (N=1,054) | 55 | 43 | 1 | 1 |
| | 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 |
| | 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 |
| The federal budget | 10/5-9/2023 (N=1,163) | 31 | 68 | * | 1 |
| | 03/16-20/2023 (N=1,081) | 34 | 65 | * | 1 |

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]**

| AP-NORC | Very/ Somewhat/ Lean toward good NET | Very good | Some- what good | Lean toward good | Neither good nor poor | Very/ Somewhat/ Lean toward poor NET | Lean toward poor | Some- what poor | Very poor | DK | SKP /REF |
|----------------------------|---|--------------|-----------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|---|------------------------|-----------------------|--------------|----|-------------|
| 10/5-9/2023 (N=1,163) | 27 | 1 | 15 | 10 | * | 73 | 11 | 31 | 31 | - | - |
| 09/07-11/2023 (N=1,146) | 30 | 3 | 17 | 11 | * | 70 | 12 | 32 | 25 | - | * |
| 08/10-14/2023 (N=1,165) | 34 | 3 | 20 | 11 | * | 66 | 10 | 31 | 25 | - | * |
| 06/22-26/2023 (N=1,220) | 30 | 3 | 16 | 12 | 1 | 69 | 10 | 35 | 24 | - | - |
| 05/11-15/2023 (N=1,680) | 24 | 1 | 13 | 9 | * | 76 | 12 | 34 | 29 | - | * |
| 04/13-17/2023 (N=1,230) | 30 | 2 | 15 | 13 | * | 69 | 11 | 34 | 25 | - | - |
| 03/16-20/2023 (N=1,081) | 25 | 1 | 14 | 10 | * | 75 | 11 | 38 | 26 | - | * |
| 02/16-20/2023 (N=1,247) | 32 | 3 | 17 | 12 | * | 68 | 12 | 34 | 22 | * | * |
| 01/26-30/2023 (N=1,068) | 24 | 2 | 13 | 9 | 1 | 76 | 13 | 35 | 28 | * | - |
| 12/1-5/2022 (N=1,124) | 25 | 1 | 14 | 10 | * | 75 | 11 | 38 | 25 | - | - |
| 10/06-10/2022 (N=1,121) | 23 | 2 | 12 | 9 | * | 76 | 13 | 36 | 28 | * | * |
| 09/09-12/2022 (N=1,054) | 29 | 1 | 15 | 12 | * | 71 | 11 | 35 | 25 | * | - |
| 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 | - | - |

| | Very/ Somewhat/ Lean toward good NET | Very good | Some- what good | Lean toward good | Neither good nor poor | Very/ Somewhat/ Lean toward poor NET | Lean toward poor | Some- what poor | Very poor | DK | SKP /REF |
|----------------------------|---|--------------|-----------------------|------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|------------------------|-----------------------|--------------|----|-------------|
| AP-NORC | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 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 | - | - |
| 07/16-20/2020 (N=1,057) | 38 | 4 | 22 | 12 | - | 62 | 11 | 30 | 21 | - | - |
| 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 |

B2A. And how would you describe the financial situation in your own household these days? Would you say...?

B2B. *If neither good nor poor, don't know, skipped, or refused in B2A:*

If you had to choose, do you lean more toward the financial situation in your own household being good or poor?

[HALF SAMPLE ASKED RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]

| AP-NORC | Very/ Somewhat/Lean toward good NET | Very good | Some- what good | Lean toward good | Neither good nor poor | Very/ Somewhat/Lean toward poor NET | Lean toward poor | Some- what poor | Very poor | DK | SKP/ REF |
|----------------------------|--|--------------|-----------------------|------------------------|--------------------------------|--|------------------------|-----------------------|--------------|----|-------------|
| 10/5-9/2023 (N=1,163) | 54 | 9 | 28 | 17 | 1 | 45 | 13 | 20 | 12 | * | * |
| 03/16-20/2023 (N=1,081) | 53 | 7 | 28 | 17 | * | 47 | 14 | 21 | 11 | - | - |
| 12/1-5/2022 (N=1,124) | 57 | 11 | 28 | 18 | 1 | 43 | 11 | 21 | 10 | - | - |
| 10/06-10/2022 (N=1,121) | 54 | 8 | 29 | 17 | * | 46 | 12 | 23 | 10 | - | * |
| 3/17-21/2022 (N=1,082) | 63 | 13 | 30 | 19 | * | 37 | 12 | 16 | 9 | - | - |
| 12/2-7/2021 (N=1,089) | 64 | 12 | 33 | 19 | 1 | 35 | 11 | 16 | 8 | - | * |
| 10/21-25/2021 (N=1,083) | 65 | 13 | 33 | 19 | 1 | 34 | 12 | 15 | 7 | - | - |
| 2/25-3/1/2021 (N=1,434) | 67 | 13 | 37 | 18 | * | 32 | 12 | 14 | 6 | - | * |
| 10/8-12/2020 (N=1,121) | 65 | 14 | 35 | 16 | * | 34 | 12 | 15 | 8 | - | * |
| 9/11-14/2020 (N=1,108) | 65 | 15 | 31 | 18 | * | 35 | 13 | 17 | 5 | - | * |
| 8/17-19/2020 (N=1,075) | 63 | 13 | 34 | 17 | * | 36 | 12 | 18 | 6 | * | * |
| 7/16-20/2020 (N=1,057) | 65 | 14 | 34 | 17 | * | 35 | 14 | 15 | 6 | - | - |
| 6/11-15/2020 (N=1,310) | 66 | 14 | 36 | 16 | 1 | 32 | 12 | 14 | 7 | - | 1 |
| 5/14-18/2020 (N=1,056) | 66 | 15 | 32 | 20 | * | 33 | 10 | 16 | 7 | - | 1 |
| 4/16-20/2020 (N=1,057) | 64 | 14 | 31 | 18 | * | 36 | 10 | 17 | 8 | - | - |
| 3/26-29/2020 (N=1,057) | 62 | 11 | 34 | 17 | * | 38 | 10 | 19 | 9 | - | * |

OFAV. For each of the following please indicate if you have an unfavorable or favorable opinion.
If you don't know enough to have an opinion, you can say that too.

[GRID ITEMS RANDOMIZED]

| AP-NORC | | Very/ Somewhat unfavorable NET | Very unfavorable | Somewhat unfavorable | Very/ Somewhat favorable NET | Some- what favorable | Very favorable | Don't know enough to say | SKP/ REF |
|-----------|----------------------------|---|---------------------|-------------------------|---|----------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------|
| Joe Biden | 10/5-9/2023 (N=1,163) | 54 | 37 | 16 | 42 | 27 | 15 | 4 | 1 |
| | 08/10-14/2023 (N=1,165) | 52 | 37 | 16 | 44 | 27 | 18 | 3 | * |
| | 06/22-26/2023 (N=1,220) | 53 | 34 | 19 | 44 | 26 | 17 | 3 | * |
| | 04/13-17/2023 (N=1,230) | 51 | 35 | 16 | 45 | 29 | 16 | 3 | 1 |
| | 01/26-30/2023 (N=1,068) | 53 | 36 | 17 | 43 | 26 | 17 | 3 | 1 |
| | 10/06-10/2022 (N=1,121) | 50 | 34 | 16 | 45 | 27 | 18 | 5 | 1 |
| | 1/13-18/2022 (N= 1,161) | 50 | 32 | 17 | 47 | 27 | 20 | 3 | * |
| | 7/15-19/2021 (N=1,308) | 41 | 26 | 16 | 56 | 28 | 28 | 2 | 1 |
| | 1/28-2/1/2021 (N=1,055) | 39 | 26 | 13 | 57 | 21 | 36 | 4 | * |
| | 02/13-16/2020 (N=1,074) | 48 | 27 | 21 | 41 | 29 | 11 | 11 | * |
| | 10/24-28/2019 (N=1,075) | 42 | 23 | 19 | 44 | 30 | 15 | 11 | 2 |
| | 1/16-21/2020 (N=1,353) | 69 | 18 | 37 | 15 | * | 31 | 9 | 14 |
| | 9/20-23/2019 (N=1,286) | 64 | 19 | 32 | 14 | * | 35 | 13 | 14 |
| | 6/13-17/2019 (N=1,116) | 67 | 15 | 37 | 15 | * | 32 | 12 | 15 |

| AP-NORC | | Very/ Somewhat unfavorable NET | Very unfavorable | Somewhat unfavorable | Very/ Somewhat favorable NET | Some- what favorable | Very favorable | Don't know enough to say | SKP/ REF |
|--------------------------|----------------------------|---|---------------------|-------------------------|---|----------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------|
| Donald Trump | 10/5-9/2023 (N=1,163) | 58 | 47 | 10 | 37 | 18 | 20 | 5 | 1 |
| | 08/10-14/2023 (N=1,165) | 62 | 51 | 11 | 35 | 16 | 19 | 3 | * |
| | 06/22-26/2023 (N=1,220) | 63 | 50 | 13 | 33 | 19 | 14 | 4 | * |
| | 04/13-17/2023 (N=1,230) | 63 | 52 | 11 | 34 | 17 | 17 | 3 | 1 |
| | 01/26-30/2023 (N=1,068) | 62 | 50 | 13 | 35 | 21 | 14 | 2 | * |
| | 10/06-10/2022 (N=1,121) | 61 | 49 | 12 | 35 | 17 | 18 | 4 | * |
| | 1/13-18/2022 (N=1,161) | 63 | 51 | 12 | 34 | 18 | 16 | 3 | - |
| | 7/15-19/2021 (N=1,308) | 60 | 50 | 10 | 37 | 17 | 20 | 2 | 1 |
| | 1/28-2/1/2021 (N=1,055) | 61 | 48 | 12 | 36 | 18 | 19 | 3 | * |
| | 02/13-16/2020 (N=1,074) | 53 | 42 | 11 | 43 | 17 | 26 | 4 | * |
| | 10/24-28/2019 (N=1,075) | 55 | 46 | 9 | 40 | 12 | 28 | 3 | 1 |
| Ron DeSantis | 10/5-9/2023 (N=1,163) | 49 | 37 | 12 | 30 | 18 | 11 | 20 | 1 |
| | 08/10-14/2023 (N=1,165) | 53 | 41 | 12 | 29 | 18 | 10 | 19 | * |
| | 06/22-26/2023 (N=1,220) | 46 | 34 | 12 | 32 | 20 | 12 | 21 | 1 |
| | 04/13-17/2023 (N=1,230) | 45 | 32 | 13 | 31 | 16 | 16 | 24 | * |
| | 10/06-10/2022 (N=1,121) | 40 | 29 | 11 | 30 | 13 | 17 | 30 | * |
| | 7/15-19/2021 (N= 1,308) | 30 | 21 | 9 | 27 | 11 | 16 | 42 | 1 |
| Robert F. Kennedy Jr. | 10/5-9/2023 (N=1,163) | 29 | 18 | 11 | 39 | 29 | 9 | 32 | * |

| AP-NORC | | Very/ Somewhat unfavorable NET | Very unfavora ble | Somewhat unfavorable | Very/ Somewhat favorable NET | Some- what favorable | Very favorable | Don't know enough to say | SKP/ REF |
|--------------------|--------------------------------|---|-------------------------|-------------------------|---|----------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------|
| Nikki Haley | 10/5-9/2023 (N=1,163) | 32 | 15 | 17 | 25 | 16 | 8 | 42 | 1 |
| | 04/13- 17/2023 (N=1,230) | 30 | 16 | 13 | 20 | 15 | 5 | 50 | 1 |
| Tim Scott | 10/5-9/2023 (N=1,163) | 23 | 12 | 12 | 22 | 18 | 4 | 54 | 1 |
| | 04/13- 17/2023 (N=1,230) | 18 | 9 | 8 | 18 | 13 | 6 | 62 | 2 |
| Chris Christie | 10/5-9/2023 (N=1,163) | 50 | 24 | 26 | 21 | 18 | 3 | 28 | 1 |
| Vivek Ramaswamy | 10/5-9/2023 (N=1,163) | 32 | 21 | 11 | 19 | 14 | 5 | 48 | 1 |
| | 04/13- 17/2023 (N=1,230) | 13 | 8 | 5 | 10 | 8 | 2 | 78 | * |
| Chuck Schumer | 10/5-9/2023 (N=1,163) | 38 | 24 | 13 | 30 | 22 | 8 | 32 | 1 |
| | 01/26- 30/2023 (N=1,068) | 38 | 26 | 12 | 30 | 18 | 12 | 31 | 1 |
| | 7/15- 19/2021 (N= 1,308) | 37 | 23 | 14 | 33 | 22 | 11 | 30 | 1 |
| | 1/28- 2/1/2021 (N=1,055) | 38 | 26 | 12 | 32 | 21 | 11 | 30 | * |

| AP-NORC | | Very/ Somewhat unfavorable NET | Very unfavora ble | Somewhat unfavorable | Very/ Somewhat favorable NET | Some- what favorable | Very favorable | Don't know enough to say | SKP/ REF |
|--------------------|--------------------------------|---|-------------------------|-------------------------|---|----------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------|
| Mitch McConnell | 10/5-9/2023 (N=1,163) | 59 | 34 | 25 | 17 | 15 | 2 | 24 | 1 |
| | 01/26- 30/2023 (N=1,068) | 60 | 36 | 24 | 15 | 13 | 2 | 24 | 1 |
| | 7/15- 19/2021 (N= 1,308 | 57 | 37 | 20 | 22 | 18 | 4 | 20 | 1 |
| | 1/28- 2/1/2021 (N=1,055) | 65 | 40 | 24 | 19 | 15 | 4 | 16 | * |
| | 02/13- 16/2020 (N=1,074) | 42 | 31 | 10 | 23 | 16 | 7 | 35 | * |
| | 10/24- 28/2019 (N=1,075) | 39 | 26 | 13 | 21 | 16 | 5 | 38 | 2 |
| Kevin McCarthy | 10/5-9/2023 (N=1,163) | 49 | 26 | 23 | 19 | 16 | 3 | 32 | 1 |
| | 01/26- 30/2023 (N=1,068) | 46 | 31 | 14 | 19 | 17 | 2 | 35 | 1 |
| | 7/15- 19/2021 (N= 1,308 | 33 | 21 | 12 | 18 | 14 | 4 | 48 | 1 |
| | 1/28- 2/1/2021 (N=1,055) | 35 | 22 | 13 | 18 | 13 | 5 | 46 | * |
| Hakeem Jeffries | 10/5-9/2023 (N=1,163) | 21 | 12 | 9 | 21 | 12 | 8 | 58 | 1 |
| | 01/26- 30/2023 (N=1,068) | 22 | 14 | 9 | 23 | 13 | 10 | 54 | 1 |

AP1. Next we will ask you about some institutions in this country. As far as the people running these institutions are concerned, would you say you have a great deal of confidence, only some confidence, or hardly any confidence at all in them?

[GRID ITEMS RANDOMIZED]

| | | A great deal of confidence | Only some confidence | Hardly any confidence at all | DK | SKP /REF |
|--|-------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------|------------------------------|----|----------|
| AP-NORC | | | | | | |
| The Supreme Court | 10/5-9/2023 (N=1,163) | 14 | 48 | 36 | * | 1 |
| | 08/10-14/2023 (N=1,165) | 15 | 49 | 36 | * | 1 |
| | 05/11-15/2023 (N=1,680) | 12 | 48 | 39 | - | 1 |
| | 03/16-20/2023 (N=1,081) | 14 | 47 | 37 | * | 1 |
| | 07/14-17/2022 (N=1,085) | 17 | 39 | 43 | - | 1 |
| | 4/14-18/2022 (N=1,085) | 18 | 54 | 27 | * | 1 |
| | 2/18-21/2022 (N=1,289) | 21 | 55 | 24 | * | * |
| | 09/11-14/2020 (N=1,108) | 21 | 61 | 17 | * | 1 |
| | 02/13-16/2020 (N=1,074) | 28 | 58 | 14 | - | * |
| | 6/8-11/2017 (N=1,068) | 24 | 59 | 15 | * | 1 |
| | 5/12-15/2016 (N=1,108) | 24 | 58 | 17 | * | 1 |
| | 2/18-3/6/2016 (N=2,014) | 26 | 59 | 14 | 1 | 1 |
| Congress | 10/5-9/2023 (N=1,163) | 3 | 42 | 53 | * | 1 |
| | 08/10-14/2023 (N=1,165) | 4 | 49 | 46 | * | 1 |
| | 03/16-20/2023 (N=1,081) | 5 | 45 | 49 | * | 2 |
| | 07/14-17/2022 (N=1,085) | 3 | 47 | 48 | - | 2 |
| | 4/14-18/2022 (N=1,085) | 4 | 43 | 51 | * | 1 |
| | 2/18-21/2022 (N=1,289) | 6 | 48 | 46 | * | * |
| | 09/11-14/2020 (N=1,108) | 5 | 47 | 48 | * | 1 |
| | 02/13-16/2020 (N=1,074) | 8 | 49 | 43 | - | * |
| | 6/8-11/2017 (N=1,068) | 6 | 53 | 40 | * | 1 |
| | 5/12-15/2016 (N=1,108) | 4 | 48 | 46 | * | 1 |
| | 2/18-3/6/2016 (N=2,014) | 4 | 46 | 50 | * | 1 |
| Executive branch of the federal government | 10/5-9/2023 (N=1,163) | 11 | 48 | 39 | * | 1 |
| | 08/10-14/2023 (N=1,165) | 12 | 48 | 38 | * | 1 |
| | 03/16-20/2023 (N=1,081) | 11 | 43 | 44 | * | 1 |
| | 07/14-17/2022 (N=1,085) | 7 | 50 | 43 | * | 1 |
| | 4/14-18/2022 (N=1,085) | 16 | 46 | 36 | * | 2 |
| | 2/18-21/2022 (N=1,289) | 15 | 52 | 33 | * | * |
| | 09/11-14/2020 (N=1,108) | 18 | 46 | 35 | * | 1 |
| | 02/13-16/2020 (N=1,074) | 17 | 48 | 35 | * | 1 |
| | 6/8-11/2017 (N=1,068) | 14 | 48 | 37 | 1 | * |
| | 5/12-15/2016 (N=1,108) | 15 | 50 | 33 | * | 1 |
| Justice Department | 10/5-9/2023 (N=1,163) | 15 | 51 | 33 | * | 1 |
| | 08/10-14/2023 (N=1,165) | 17 | 50 | 31 | * | 1 |

SPEAKER. Do you approve or disapprove or neither approve nor disapprove of the House of Representatives voting to remove Kevin McCarthy as House Speaker?

| | |
|---|------------------------|
| | AP-NORC 10/5-9/2023 |
| Strongly/Somewhat approve NET | 25 |
| Strongly approve | 11 |
| Somewhat approve | 14 |
| Neither approve nor disapprove | 48 |
| Strongly/Somewhat disapprove NET | 25 |
| Somewhat disapprove | 14 |
| Strongly disapprove | 11 |
| DON'T KNOW | 1 |
| SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED | 1 |

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LABOR. In general, do you think labor unions do more to help or to hurt each of the following, or do they not make much difference?

[GRID ITEMS RANDOMIZED]

| AP-NORC 10/5-9/2023 | Do more to help | Do more to hurt | Don't make much difference | Don't know enough to say | SKP/ REF |
|-----------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------|
| U.S. workers | 51 | 15 | 15 | 18 | 1 |
| U.S. businesses | 27 | 25 | 25 | 23 | * |
| The U.S. economy as a whole | 33 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 1 |

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PP1. Now, which party do you trust to do a better job of handling:

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

| AP-NORC | The Republicans | The Democrats | Both equally | Neither | DK | SKP/ REF |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------|----|-------------|
| The federal budget | 26 | 27 | 12 | 33 | 1 | 1 |
| Corruption in government | 19 | 28 | 14 | 38 | * | 1 |
| Inflation | 29 | 25 | 13 | 30 | 1 | 1 |
| Issues facing American workers | 24 | 35 | 14 | 26 | * | 1 |

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OSPENDING. Overall, do you think the US government is spending too much, too little, or the right amount?

[HALF SAMPLE ASKED RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]

| | AP-NORC 10/5-9/2023 | AP-NORC 03/16-20/2023 | AP-NORC 5/14-18/2020 |
|------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| Too much | 64 | 60 | 25 |
| Too little | 11 | 16 | 42 |
| About the right amount | 23 | 22 | 31 |
| DON'T KNOW | * | * | 1 |
| SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| <i>N=</i> | <i>1,163</i> | <i>1,081</i> | <i>1,001</i> |

SPEND2. Do you think the U.S. government is spending too much, too little, or the right amount on each of the following?

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

| AP-NORC | | Too much | Too little | About the right amount | DK | SKP/REF |
|--|----------------------------------|----------|------------|------------------------|----|---------|
| Education | 10/5-9/2023 (<i>N=1,163</i>) | 13 | 64 | 22 | * | 1 |
| | 03/16-20/2023 (<i>N=1,081</i>) | 12 | 65 | 21 | * | 1 |
| The military | 10/5-9/2023 (<i>N=1,163</i>) | 31 | 39 | 28 | 1 | 1 |
| | 03/16-20/2023 (<i>N=1,081</i>) | 29 | 35 | 34 | * | 1 |
| Assistance to the poor | 10/5-9/2023 (<i>N=1,163</i>) | 17 | 57 | 23 | 1 | 1 |
| | 03/16-20/2023 (<i>N=1,081</i>) | 18 | 59 | 21 | * | 2 |
| Social Security | 10/5-9/2023 (<i>N=1,163</i>) | 6 | 63 | 29 | * | 1 |
| | 03/16-20/2023 (<i>N=1,081</i>) | 7 | 62 | 29 | * | 1 |
| Medicare, which is the national health care insurance program mainly for seniors | 10/5-9/2023 (<i>N=1,163</i>) | 8 | 55 | 36 | * | 1 |
| | 03/16-20/2023 (<i>N=1,081</i>) | 10 | 58 | 31 | * | 1 |
| Aid to Ukraine in the war against Russia | 10/5-9/2023 (<i>N=1,163</i>) | 52 | 15 | 31 | * | 1 |
| Border security | 10/5-9/2023 (<i>N=1,163</i>) | 24 | 52 | 22 | 1 | 1 |
| | 03/16-20/2023 (<i>N=1,081</i>) | 23 | 53 | 22 | * | 1 |
| Disaster relief | 10/5-9/2023 (<i>N=1,163</i>) | 14 | 41 | 44 | 1 | 1 |

IMPEACH1. How much have you heard or read about the impeachment inquiry into Joe Biden by the House of Representatives?

| | AP-NORC 10/5-9/2023 |
|------------------------|------------------------|
| A lot | 15 |
| Some | 31 |
| Only a little | 32 |
| Nothing at all | 22 |
| DON'T KNOW | - |
| SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED | - |

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IMPEACH2. Do you approve or disapprove or neither approve nor disapprove of the impeachment inquiry into Joe Biden by the House of Representatives?

| | AP-NORC 10/5-9/2023 |
|---|------------------------|
| Strongly/Somewhat approve NET | 33 |
| Strongly approve | 22 |
| Somewhat approve | 12 |
| Neither approve nor disapprove | 26 |
| Strongly/Somewhat disapprove NET | 39 |
| Somewhat disapprove | 11 |
| Strongly disapprove | 28 |
| DON'T KNOW | * |
| SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED | 1 |

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IMPEACH3. When it comes to the overseas business dealings of Joe Biden's son, Hunter, do you think Joe Biden has done something illegal, or he has done something unethical, but not illegal, or do you think he has not done anything wrong?

| | AP-NORC 10/5-9/2023 |
|--|------------------------|
| Has done something illegal | 35 |
| Has done something unethical but not illegal | 33 |
| Has not done anything wrong | 30 |
| DON'T KNOW | 1 |
| SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED | 2 |

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ECO1. Thinking about your financial situation, how confident are you that...?

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

| AP-NORC | | Extremely /Very confident NET | Extremely confident | Very confident | Somewhat confident | Not very/ Not at all confi- dent NET | Not very confident | Not at all confident | DK | SKP/ REF |
|---|--------------------------------|--|------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------------|---|-----------------------|-------------------------|----|-------------|
| You would be able to find a good job if you wanted to | 10/5- 9/2023 (N=1,163) | 27 | 10 | 17 | 35 | 37 | 20 | 17 | * | 2 |
| | 03/16- 20/2023 (N=1,081) | 26 | 8 | 19 | 37 | 36 | 22 | 15 | * | 1 |
| | 10/21- 25/2021 (N=1,083) | 36 | 17 | 20 | 35 | 27 | 16 | 12 | * | 1 |
| | 03/26- 29/2020 (N=1,057) | 25 | 7 | 19 | 35 | 39 | 21 | 18 | * | * |
| | 06/13- 17/2019 (N=1,116) | 30 | 12 | 18 | 35 | 33 | 19 | 14 | * | 1 |
| | 01/16- 20/2019 (N=1,062) | 28 | 8 | 20 | 35 | 35 | 21 | 14 | 1 | 1 |
| You will have enough savings for retirement | 10/5- 9/2023 (N=1,163) | 18 | 6 | 12 | 32 | 49 | 22 | 27 | * | 1 |
| | 03/16- 20/2023 (N=1,081) | 18 | 7 | 11 | 28 | 53 | 26 | 27 | * | * |
| | 10/21- 25/2021 (N=1,083) | 26 | 13 | 12 | 31 | 43 | 22 | 20 | * | 1 |
| | 2/25- 3/1/2021 (N=1,434) | 24 | 8 | 15 | 30 | 46 | 23 | 24 | * | * |
| | 03/26- 29/2020 (N=1,057) | 18 | 7 | 12 | 30 | 52 | 24 | 28 | - | * |

| AP-NORC | | Extremely /Very confident NET | Extremely confident | Very confident | Somewhat confident | Not very/ Not at all confi- dent NET | Not very confident | Not at all confident | DK | SKP/ REF |
|---|--------------------------------|--|------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------------|---|-----------------------|-------------------------|----|-------------|
| You will have enough savings for retirement | 06/13- 17/2019 (N=1,116) | 21 | 8 | 13 | 33 | 44 | 20 | 24 | 1 | 1 |
| | 01/16- 20/2019 (N=1,062) | 20 | 7 | 13 | 32 | 47 | 22 | 24 | 1 | 1 |
| You can keep up with your expenses | 10/5- 9/2023 (N=1,163) | 32 | 11 | 21 | 42 | 26 | 15 | 12 | * | 1 |
| | 03/16- 20/2023 (N=1,081) | 29 | 9 | 20 | 41 | 29 | 17 | 12 | * | * |
| | 10/21- 25/2021 (N=1,083) | 45 | 20 | 25 | 34 | 20 | 13 | 7 | * | * |
| | 2/25- 3/1/2021 (N=1,434) | 44 | 16 | 28 | 37 | 19 | 14 | 5 | * | * |
| | 03/26- 29/2020 (N=1,057) | 36 | 11 | 24 | 40 | 24 | 15 | 9 | - | * |
| | 06/13- 17/2019 (N=1,116) | 40 | 16 | 24 | 41 | 19 | 12 | 7 | - | 1 |
| You would be able to pay an unexpected medical expense | 10/5- 9/2023 (N=1,163) | 26 | 9 | 16 | 31 | 42 | 19 | 24 | * | 1 |
| | 03/16- 20/2023 (N=1,081) | 23 | 9 | 14 | 31 | 46 | 23 | 22 | - | * |
| | 10/21- 25/2021 (N=1,083) | 33 | 15 | 18 | 27 | 39 | 21 | 18 | * | * |
| | 2/25- 3/1/2021 (N=1,434) | 28 | 11 | 17 | 29 | 43 | 23 | 19 | * | * |
| | 03/26- 29/2020 (N=1,057) | 24 | 8 | 16 | 31 | 45 | 21 | 24 | - | * |
| | 01/16- 20/2019 (N=1,062) | 23 | 8 | 14 | 34 | 43 | 22 | 21 | * | * |

ECO5. Is each of the following higher, lower, or about the same as it was a year ago?

[GRID ITEMS RANDOMIZED]

| AP-NORC 10/5-9/2023 | | Higher | Lower | About the same | DK | SKP /REF |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|--------|-------|-------------------|----|-------------|
| Your household income | 10/5-9/2023 (N=1,163) | 23 | 28 | 48 | * | 1 |
| | 03/16-20/2023 (N=1,081) | 25 | 25 | 50 | - | 1 |
| Your household expenses | 10/5-9/2023 (N=1,163) | 69 | 8 | 22 | * | 1 |
| | 03/16-20/2023 (N=1,081) | 74 | 5 | 20 | - | * |
| Your household debt | 10/5-9/2023 (N=1,163) | 40 | 20 | 39 | * | 1 |
| | 03/16-20/2023 (N=1,081) | 35 | 17 | 46 | * | 1 |
| Your household savings | 10/5-9/2023 (N=1,163) | 15 | 48 | 36 | * | 1 |
| | 03/16-20/2023 (N=1,081) | 15 | 48 | 36 | - | 1 |

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ECO7. Does your household have any of the following types of debt?

[GRID ITEMS RANDOMIZED]

| AP-NORC 10/5-9/2023 | Yes | No | DK | SKP /REF |
|------------------------|-----|----|----|-------------|
| Student debt | 23 | 76 | - | 1 |
| Credit card debt | 52 | 47 | - | 1 |
| Medical debt | 24 | 75 | - | 1 |
| Auto loans | 40 | 59 | - | 1 |

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ECO8. In the last year, have you had to forego a major purchase because of higher interest rates or haven't you?

| | AP-NORC 10/5-9/2023 |
|------------------------|------------------------|
| Yes | 31 |
| No | 68 |
| DON'T KNOW | * |
| SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED | 1 |

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STRIKE1. How much, if anything, have you heard or read about the United Auto Workers (UAW) labor strikes?

| | AP-NORC 10/5-9/2023 |
|------------------------|------------------------|
| A lot | 14 |
| Some | 37 |
| Only a little | 23 |
| Nothing at all | 25 |
| DON'T KNOW | - |
| SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED | * |

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STRIKE2. In the labor dispute between the United Auto Workers and the automakers, which side do you sympathize with more: the United Auto Workers, the automakers, both equally or neither?

| | AP-NORC 10/5-9/2023 |
|-------------------------|------------------------|
| The United Auto Workers | 36 |
| The automakers | 9 |
| Both equally | 26 |
| Neither | 27 |
| DON'T KNOW | 1 |
| SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED | 2 |

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STRIKE3. In general, do you think each of the following would be a good thing, a bad thing or neither?

| AP-NORC 10/5-9/2023 | Good thing | Bad thing | Neither | Not sure | SKP /REF |
|---|------------|-----------|---------|-------------|-------------|
| Increased pay for autoworkers | 60 | 9 | 11 | 19 | 1 |
| Four-day work week for autoworkers | 38 | 21 | 15 | 26 | 1 |
| Limiting the use of temporary workers in auto factories | 29 | 21 | 17 | 32 | 1 |
| Requiring that electric vehicles and electric vehicle parts are made by union workers | 35 | 17 | 17 | 30 | 1 |

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STRIKE5. Do you approve or disapprove or neither approve or disapprove of how each of the following has handled the labor dispute between the United Auto Workers and the automakers?

| AP-NORC 10/5-9/2023 | Strongly/ Somewhat approve NET | Strongly approve | Some- what approve | Neither approve nor disapprove | Strongly/ Somewhat disapprove NET | Some- what disapprove | Strongly disapprove | DK | SKP/ REF |
|------------------------|---|---------------------|--------------------------|---|--|-----------------------------|------------------------|----|-------------|
| Joe Biden | 25 | 10 | 14 | 39 | 34 | 11 | 23 | 1 | 2 |
| Donald Trump | 19 | 10 | 9 | 38 | 39 | 7 | 33 | 1 | 2 |

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D7a. Are you or is anyone in your household a member of a labor union?

| | AP-NORC 10/5-9/2023 |
|---|------------------------|
| Yes, I am | 6 |
| Yes, someone else in the household | 8 |
| Yes, both I and someone else in the household | 2 |
| No one in the household is a union member | 82 |
| DON'T KNOW | * |
| SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED | 2 |

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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 10/5-9/2023 |
|--------------------------------------|------------------------|
| Democrat NET | 42 |
| Strong Democrat | 19 |
| Not so strong Democrat | 14 |
| Lean Democrat | 10 |
| Independent/None – Don't lean | 21 |
| Republican NET | 36 |
| Lean Republican | 11 |
| Not so strong Republican | 12 |
| Strong Republican | 13 |

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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:

IDEO. Do you consider yourself very conservative or somewhat conservative?

Combines D3, D4, D5:

| | AP-NORC 10/5-9/2023 |
|-------------------------|------------------------|
| Liberal NET | 21 |
| Very liberal | 12 |
| Somewhat liberal | 9 |
| Moderate | 47 |
| Conservative NET | 29 |
| Somewhat conservative | 19 |
| Very conservative | 10 |
| DON'T KNOW | * |
| SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED | 2 |

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

| | AP NORC 10/5-9/2023 |
|------------------------|------------------------|
| Urban area | 25 |
| Suburban area | 48 |
| Rural area | 25 |
| DON'T KNOW | * |
| SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED | 2 |

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RELIG. What is your present religion, if any?

| | AP-NORC 10/5-9/2023 |
|------------------------|------------------------|
| Protestant | 27 |
| Roman Catholic | 18 |
| Mormon | 2 |
| Orthodox | 1 |
| Jewish | 1 |
| Muslim | 1 |
| Buddhist | 3 |
| Hindu | * |
| Atheist | 5 |
| Agnostic | 6 |
| Nothing in particular | 15 |
| Just Christian | 21 |
| Unitarian | * |
| Something else | 2 |
| DON'T KNOW | - |
| SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED | * |

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If Religion is Protestant, Roman Catholic, Mormon, Orthodox, Christian, or something else:

BORN. Would you describe yourself as a 'born-again' or evangelical Christian, or not?

| | AP-NORC 10/5-9/2023 |
|------------------------|------------------------|
| Yes | 35 |
| No | 64 |
| DON'T KNOW | * |
| SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED | 1 |

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AGE

| | AP NORC 10/5-9/2023 |
|-------|------------------------|
| 18-29 | 20 |
| 30-44 | 26 |
| 45-59 | 23 |
| 60+ | 31 |

N= 1,163

GENDER

| | AP NORC 10/5-9/2023 |
|--|------------------------|
|--|------------------------|

| | |
|-----------|--------------|
| Male | 49 |
| Female | 51 |
| <i>N=</i> | <i>1,163</i> |

RACE/ETHNICITY

| | AP-NORC 10/5-9/2023 |
|---------------------------|------------------------|
| White, non-Hispanic | 61 |
| Black or African American | 12 |
| Hispanic | 17 |
| Other | 9 |
| <i>N=</i> | <i>1,163</i> |

MARITAL STATUS

| | AP-NORC 10/5-9/2023 |
|-------------|------------------------|
| Married | 50 |
| Not married | 50 |
| <i>N=</i> | <i>1,163</i> |

EMPLOYMENT STATUS

| | AP-NORC 10/5-9/2023 |
|--------------|------------------------|
| Employed | 60 |
| Not employed | 40 |
| <i>N=</i> | <i>1,163</i> |

EDUCATION

| | AP-NORC 10/5-9/2023 |
|-------------------------------------|------------------------|
| Less than a high school diploma | 9 |
| High school graduate or equivalent | 29 |
| Some college | 26 |
| College graduate or above | 21 |
| Post grad study/professional degree | 14 |
| <i>N=</i> | <i>1,163</i> |

CENSUS REGION

| | AP-NORC 10/5-9/2023 |
|----------------------|------------------------|
| Northeast NET | 17 |
| New England | 5 |
| Mid-Atlantic | 12 |
| Midwest NET | 21 |

| | |
|--------------------|-----------|
| East North Central | 14 |
| West North Central | 6 |
| South NET | 38 |
| South Atlantic | 21 |
| East South Central | 6 |
| West South Central | 12 |
| West NET | 24 |
| Mountain | 8 |
| Pacific | 16 |

N= 1,163

HOME OWNERSHIP

| | AP-NORC 10/5-9/2023 |
|---|------------------------|
| Owned or being bought by you or someone in your household | 70 |
| Rented for cash | 27 |
| Occupied without payment of cash rent | 3 |

N= 1,163

INCOME

| | AP-NORC 10/5-9/2023 |
|------------------------------|------------------------|
| Under \$10,000 | 4 |
| \$10,000 to under \$20,000 | 7 |
| \$20,000 to under \$30,000 | 12 |
| \$30,000 to under \$40,000 | 8 |
| \$40,000 to under \$50,000 | 8 |
| \$50,000 to under \$75,000 | 20 |
| \$75,000 to under \$100,000 | 13 |
| \$100,000 to under \$150,000 | 15 |
| \$150,000 or more | 13 |

N= 1,163

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®, 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 October 5-9, 2023 with adults aged 18 and over representing the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Panel members were randomly drawn from AmeriSpeak, and 1,163 completed the survey—1,084 via the web and 79 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 16 percent, the weighted household panel response rate is 21.5 percent, and the weighted household panel retention rate is 78.9 percent, for a cumulative response rate of 2.7 percent. The overall margin of sampling error is +/- 3.9 percentage points at the 95 percent confidence level, including the design effect. The margin of sampling error may be higher for subgroups. For example, the margin of sampling error is +/- 5.96 percentage points for Democrats and +/- 6.46 percentage points for Republicans.

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, 55 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 2023 Current Population Survey. The weighted data reflect the U.S. population of adults age 18 and over.

Complete questions and results are available at: apnorc.org.

Additional information on the AmeriSpeak Panel methodology is available at: <https://amerispeak.norc.org/about-amerispeak/Pages/Panel-Design.aspx>. For more information, email info@apnorc.org.

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