



The October 2024 AP-NORC Center Poll

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*Interviews: 10/11-14/2024
1,072 adults*

*Margin of sampling error: +/- 4.03 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
10/11-14/2024 (N=1,072)	32	68	*	*
09/12-16/2024 (N=2,028)	30	69	*	*
07/25-29/2024 (N=1,143)	26	72	1	1
06/20-24/2024 (N=1,088)	25	74	*	*
04/04-08/2024 (N=1,204)	24	76	*	1
03/21-25/2024 (N=1,282)	23	76	*	1
02/22-26/2024 (N=1,102)	22	77	*	1
01/25-29/2024 (N=1,152)	26	73	*	*
11/30-12/4/2023 (N= 1,074)	25	75	*	*
11/2-6/2023 (N=1,239)	18	81	1	*
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

AP-NORC	Right direction	Wrong direction	DON'T KNOW	SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED
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
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]

	Approve NET	Strongly approve	Some- what approve	Lean toward approv- ing	Do not lean either way	Dis- approve NET	Lean toward disap- proving	Some- what dis- approve	Strongly disapprove	DK	SKP/ REF
AP-NORC											
10/11- 14/2024 (N=1,072)	43	19	24	*	*	57	*	18	39	-	*
07/25- 29/2024 (N=1,143)	42	17	24	*	1	57	-	21	36	*	*
06/20- 24/2024 (N=1,088)	39	14	25	*	*	61	*	19	42	-	*
03/21- 25/2024 (N=1,282)	38	15	23	*	*	61	*	20	40	*	1
02/22- 26/2024 (N=1,102)	38	13	25	*	1	61	*	19	41	-	*
01/25- 29/2024 (N=1,152)	38	15	23	*	*	61	*	21	40	-	1
11/30- 12/4/2023 (N= 1,074)	41	14	26	*	1	59	*	19	40	*	*
11/2-6/2023 (N=1,239)	38	14	24	*	1	61	*	19	42	*	*

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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
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	-	*

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AP-NORC											
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	*	*
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	-	-

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AP-NORC 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	*	*

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 /RE F
10/11- 14/2024 (N=1,072)	38	6	23	9	*	62	9	27	26	-	-
09/12- 16/2024 (N=2,028)	34	3	21	10	*	66	11	32	24	-	-
06/20- 24/2024 (N=1,088)	33	6	18	10	*	67	13	27	27	-	-
04/04- 08/2024 (N=1,204)	32	6	18	7	*	68	12	32	24	-	-
02/22- 26/2024 (N=1,102)	30	4	17	9	1	69	10	31	29	-	*
1/25- 29/2024 (N=1,152)	35	7	19	9	*	65	11	31	23	-	-
11/30- 12/4/2023 (N=1,074)	30	3	17	10	1	69	13	31	26	*	*
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	-	-

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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	-	*

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 /RE F
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	-	*
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	-	*

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 /RE F
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

OFAV. For each of the following individuals, please indicate if you have an unfavorable or favorable impression of that person. If you don't know enough about the person 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	Somewhat favorable	Very favorable	Don't know enough to say	SKP / REF
Kamala Harris	10/11-14/2024 (N=1,072)	45	36	9	50	20	30	3	1
	09/12-16/2024 (N=2,028)	44	33	11	50	19	31	5	1
	8/08-12/2024 (N=1,164)	45	32	13	48	21	27	6	1
	07/25-29/2024 (N=1,164)	47	32	16	46	19	27	6	*
	07/11-15/2024 (N=1,253)	48	33	15	43	24	19	9	*
	6/7-10/2024 (N=1,115)	49	34	15	39	25	14	12	1
	02/22-26/2024 (N=1,102)	51	33	17	38	24	14	11	1
	06/22-26/2023 (N=1,220)	50	35	15	37	25	12	12	1
	01/26-30/2023 (N=1,068)	53	36	18	36	24	12	10	*
	10/06-10/2022 (N=1,121)	49	35	14	37	22	15	13	1
	1/13-18/2022 (N=1,161)	45	32	13	43	27	16	12	*
	7/15-19/2021 (N=1,308)	42	29	13	50	28	22	8	*
	1/28-2/1/2021 (N=1,055)	39	27	12	51	19	32	10	*
	10/24-28/2019 (N=1,075)	35	23	13	30	23	8	32	2

AP-NORC		Very/ somewhat unfavorable NET	Very unfavorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very/ somewhat favorable NET	Somewhat favorable	Very favorable	Don't know enough to say	SKP / REF
Donald Trump	10/11-14/2024 (N=1,072)	57	46	10	40	17	23	2	1
	09/12-16/2024 (N=2,028)	58	47	11	38	18	20	3	*
	8/08-12/2024 (N=1,164)	56	46	10	41	16	25	2	1
	07/25-29/2024 (N=1,164)	57	47	10	41	17	24	2	*
	07/11-15/2024 (N=1,253)	59	49	11	37	16	21	3	1
	06/20-24/2024 (N=1,088)	59	46	12	38	20	18	3	1
	6/7-10/2024 (N=1,115)	56	47	9	40	16	25	3	1
	02/22-26/2024 (N=1,102)	58	46	12	38	16	22	4	*
	01/25-29/2024 (N=1,152)	61	50	12	36	18	18	2	*
	11/30- 12/4/2023 (N=1,074)	60	50	11	36	14	22	2	2
	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

		Very/ somewhat unfavorable NET	Very unfavorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very/ somewhat favorable NET	Somewhat favorable	Very favorable	Don't know enough to say	SKP / REF
AP-NORC									
JD Vance	10/11-14/2024 (N=1,072)	48	37	11	32	14	18	19	1
	09/12-16/2024 (N=2,028)	49	38	10	26	15	11	24	1
	8/08-12/2024 (N=1,164)	44	33	11	27	15	13	28	1
	7/25-29/2024 (N=1,164)	40	29	11	27	14	13	32	1
	07/11-15/2024 (N=1,253)	22	14	8	17	10	7	60	1
Tim Walz	10/11-14/2024 (N=1,072)	36	24	12	41	16	25	23	1
	09/12-16/2024 (N=2,028)	32	23	9	40	16	24	28	1
	8/08-12/2024 (N=1,164)	25	17	8	36	15	21	37	1

VOTE1. How much confidence do you have that the votes in the 2024 presidential election will be counted accurately:

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

AP-NORC 10/11-14/2024 (N=1,072)	A great deal/ quite a bit	A great deal	Quite a bit	A moderate amount	Only a little/ not at all	Only a little	None at all	DK	SKP/ REF
Nationwide	47	25	22	25	27	17	10	-	1
In your state	55	32	23	25	19	12	7	-	1
By your local election officials	59	35	24	27	13	9	4	*	1

OLEGIT. Do you think Joe Biden was legitimately elected president in 2020, or not?

	AP-NORC 10/11- 14/2024	AP NORC 08/10- 14/2023	AP-NORC 10/06- 10/2022	AP-NORC 7/15- 19/2021	AP-NORC 1/28- 2/1/2021
Yes, legitimately elected	71	70	67	68	66
No, not legitimately elected	28	28	31	31	33
DON'T KNOW	*	1	1	1	*
SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED	1	*	1	1	1
<i>N=</i>	<i>1,072</i>	<i>1,165</i>	<i>1,121</i>	<i>1,308</i>	<i>1,055</i>

POSTELECT. How concerned are you about the possibility of each of the following happening after the election in November:

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

AP-NORC 10/11- 14/2024 (N=1,072)	Extremely/very concerned NET	Extremely concerned	Very concerned	Somewhat concerned	Not very/at all concerned NET	Not very concerned	Not at all concerned	DK	SKP/ REF
Violent attempts to overturn the election results	41	19	22	35	23	15	8	-	1
Attempts to overturn the election results using the legal system	37	16	22	36	26	18	8	-	1
Increased political violence directed at political figures and election officials	42	16	25	40	18	13	6	*	1
Attempts by local or state election officials to prevent election results from being finalized	32	15	16	35	33	21	11	*	1

DIV9. For each of the following individuals, please tell me if you feel their election to the presidency in 2024 would strengthen, weaken, or have no impact on democracy in the United States?

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

AP-NORC		Strengthen a lot/Somewhat NET	Strengthen a lot	Strengthen somewhat	No impact	Weaken a lot/Somewhat NET	Weaken some what	Weaken a lot	DK	SKP/REF
Kamala Harris	10/11-14/2024 (N=1,072)	44	23	20	15	41	9	32	*	1
Donald Trump	10/11-14/2024 (N=1,072)	38	23	15	10	52	8	44	*	*
	11/30-12/4/2023 (N=1,074)	36	20	17	9	54	9	44	*	1
	10/08-12/2020 (N = 1,121)	31	15	17	15	53	13	40	*	*

ELECT4. Regardless of who you support, which candidate do you trust to do a better job of handling:

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

AP-NORC		Kamala Harris	Donald Trump	Both equally	Neither	DK	SKIP/REF
The cost of housing	10/11-14/2024 (N=1,072)	41	36	7	15	-	1
Jobs and unemployment	10/11-14/2024 (N=1,072)	42	40	6	9	*	1
The cost of groceries and gas	10/11-14/2024 (N=1,072)	39	41	6	13	-	1
Taxes on the middle class	10/11-14/2024 (N=1,072)	46	34	6	13	-	1
Tariffs, that is taxes on imported goods	10/11-14/2024 (N=1,072)	38	40	6	15	-	1
Climate change	10/11-14/2024 (N=1,072)	47	20	9	23	*	1
	09/12-16/2024 (N=2,028)	51	19	9	20	1	1

AP-NORC		Harris	Trump	Both equally	Neither	DK	SKIP/REF
Crime	10/11-14/2024 (N=1,072)	37	41	8	14	*	1
	09/12-16/2024 (N=2,028)	38	38	11	11	*	1
	8/08-12/2024 (N=1,164)	38	38	11	12	*	1
Abortion policy	10/11-14/2024 (N=1,072)	52	28	6	13	-	1
	09/12-16/2024 (N=2,028)	53	26	6	14	*	1
	8/08-12/2024 (N=1,164)	51	27	7	14	*	1
Immigration	10/11-14/2024 (N=1,072)	37	45	5	13	-	1
	09/12-16/2024 (N=2,028)	37	44	6	11	*	1
	8/08-12/2024 (N=1,164)	36	46	6	12	*	*
¹ The situation in the Middle East	10/11-14/2024 (N=1,072)	35	38	7	20	*	1
	09/12-16/2024 (N=2,028)	32	36	10	21	*	1
	8/08-12/2024 (N=1,164)	31	36	8	24	*	1
Election Integrity	10/11-14/2024 (N=1,072)	48	27	7	16	*	1
Natural disaster relief	10/11-14/2024 (N=1,072)	43	33	12	12	-	*

¹ In August 2024, read “The war in Gaza.”

VOTE3. How much of a problem is each of the following in U.S. elections?

[GRID ITEMS RANDOMIZED]

AP-NORC		Major problem	Minor problem	Not a problem	DK	SKP/ REF
People who are eligible not being allowed to vote	10/11-14/2024 (N=1,072)	43	32	25	-	1
	06/22-26/2023 (N=1,220)	40	36	22	1	1
	10/06-10/2022 (N=1,121)	37	33	29	*	1
	2/18-21/2022 (N=1,289)	48	31	21	*	*
	3/25-29/2021 (N=1,166)	46	33	20	*	1
	10/08-12/2020 (N=1,121)	44	33	23	*	*
	02/13-16/2020 (N = 1,074)	47	31	20	*	1
People voting who are not eligible	10/11-14/2024 (N=1,072)	39	32	29	-	1
	06/22-26/2023 (N=1,220)	36	38	25	*	1
	10/06-10/2022 (N=1,121)	35	33	30	1	1
	2/18-21/2022 (N=1,289)	41	33	25	*	1
	3/25-29/2021 (N=1,166)	40	31	28	*	1
	10/08-12/2020 (N=1,121)	31	38	30	*	*
	02/13-16/2020 (N = 1,074)	42	33	25	*	1
States drawing legislative and congressional districts that intentionally favor one political party	10/11-14/2024 (N=1,072)	56	32	10	*	1
	06/22-26/2023 (N=1,220)	65	27	6	*	1
	10/06-10/2022 (N=1,121)	61	27	8	1	2
	2/18-21/2022 (N=1,289)	69	27	4	*	1
	3/25-29/2021 (N=1,166)	67	26	5	1	1
The possibility that a candidate could become president by winning the electoral college but not the popular vote	10/11-14/2024 (N=1,072)	51	25	24	*	1

VOTE4. How confident are you that votes cast using each of the following methods would be counted accurately?

[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 confident NET	Not very confident	Not at all confident	D K	SKP/ REF
Electronic voting machines that do not provide paper receipts	10/11- 14/2024 (N=1,072)	30	11	19	33	36	24	13	*	1
	06/22- 26/2023 (N=1,220)	26	10	16	34	39	24	16	*	1
	9/13- 16/2018 (N=1,059)	21	6	15	45	33	21	12	1	*
Electronic voting machines that provide paper receipts	10/11- 14/2024 (N=1,072)	51	21	30	33	15	9	6	-	1
	06/22- 26/2023 (N=1,220)	53	22	31	33	13	7	6	*	1
	9/13- 16/2018 (N=1,059)	50	15	34	38	12	7	5	*	*
Paper ballots that are scanned into a machine	10/11- 14/2024 (N=1,072)	46	19	27	37	17	11	6	-	*
	06/22- 26/2023 (N=1,220)	42	15	27	39	17	11	7	*	1
	9/13- 16/2018 (N=1,059)	41	12	29	43	16	11	4	*	*
Mailed ballots that are returned via the U.S. Postal Service	10/11- 14/2024 (N=1,072)	35	14	21	31	33	21	12	-	*

		Extremely /Very Confident NET	Extremely confident	Very confident	Somewhat confident	Not very/Not at all confident NET	Not very confident	Not at all confident	D K	SKP/ REF
AP-NORC										
Mailed ballots that are returned using a drop box	10/11- 14/2024 (N=1,072)	35	14	21	31	33	19	14	-	*
Paper ballots where every vote is counted by hand	10/11- 14/2024 (N=1,072)	39	16	23	32	28	19	10	-	1

VOTEID. Do you favor, neither favor nor oppose, or oppose each of the following election-law policies?

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

AP-NORC 10/11- 14/2024 (N=1,072)	Strongly/somewhat favor NET	Strongly favor	Somewhat favor	Neither favor nor oppose	Strongly/somewhat oppose NET	Somewhat oppose	Strongly oppose	DK	SKP/ REF
Allowing citizens to register and vote on the same day at polling places	49	32	17	25	24	12	12	-	1
Requiring all voters to provide proof of U.S. citizenship when they register to vote	67	52	15	19	13	5	8	-	1
Requiring all voters to provide valid photo identification at their voting place in order to vote	71	55	16	17	11	6	5	-	1
Automatically registering adult citizens to vote when they get drivers licenses or other state identification	54	35	19	24	21	9	12	-	1

ELECT9. How concerned are you about foreign governments interfering with the 2024 presidential election by:

[ITEMS RANDOMIZED]

[HALF ASKED RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]

		Extremely/ Very con- cerned NET	Extremely concerned	Very con- cerned	Some- what con- cerned	Not very / Not at all con- cerned NET	Not very con- cerned	Not at all concerned	DK	SKP/ REF
AP-NORC										
Tampering with voting systems or election results	10/11- 14/2024 <i>N=1,072</i>	38	19	19	35	25	19	7	-	2
	6/13- 17/2019 <i>N=1,116</i>	50	28	22	28	21	15	6	*	1
	2/13- 16/2020 <i>N = 1,074</i>	45	22	22	32	23	16	7	-	*
Influencing what Americans think about political candidates	10/11- 14/2024 <i>N=1,072</i>	44	21	23	33	21	15	7	-	2
	6/13- 17/2019 <i>N=1,116</i>	47	24	24	28	24	18	6	*	1
	2/13- 16/2020 <i>N = 1,074</i>	47	22	26	29	23	16	7	-	*
Influencing political candidates themselves	10/11- 14/2024 <i>N=1,072</i>	43	20	23	34	22	16	6	*	1
	6/13- 17/2019 <i>N=1,116</i>	47	23	23	31	21	16	5	*	1
	2/13- 16/2020 <i>N = 1,074</i>	42	20	22	33	24	17	7	*	1

AP-NORC 02/13- 16/2020		Extremely/ Very concerned NET	Extremely concerned	Very concern ed	Some- what con- cerned	Not very / Not at all con- cerned NET	Not very concern ed	Not at all concerned	DK	SKP/ REF
Stealing information from political candidates or parties	10/11- 14/2024 N=1,072	42	20	21	38	19	14	5	-	2
	6/13- 17/2019 N=1,116	49	24	25	27	22	17	5	*	1
	2/13- 16/2020 N = 1,074	45	21	24	33	22	16	6	-	*

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 6, 2021?

[GRID ITEMS RANDOMIZED]

AP-NORC		A great deal/Quite a bit NET	A great deal	Quite a bit	A moderate amount	Only a little/ None at all NET	Only a little	None at all	DK	SKP/REF
Donald Trump	10/11-14/2024 (N=1,072)	54	43	11	14	31	12	20	*	1
	06/23-27/2022 (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 in Congress	10/11-14/2024 (N=1,072)	36	19	16	25	38	17	21	*	2
	06/23-27/2022 (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 Congress	10/11-14/2024 (N=1,072)	19	11	9	20	59	18	42	*	2
	06/23-27/2022 (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

AP-NORC		A great deal/Quite a bit NET	A great deal	Quite a bit	A moderate amount	Only a little/None at all NET	Only a little	None at all	DK	SKP/REF
The individuals involved	10/11-14/2024 (N=1,072)	73	57	17	15	11	8	3	*	1
	06/23-27/2022 (N=1,053)	78	61	17	11	9	4	5	*	1
	12/2-7/2021 (N=1,089)	80	62	18	11	8	6	2	1	1

MOTIVE. Based on what you know, do you think the election-related cases brought against Donald Trump by each of the following are politically motivated or not politically motivated?

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

AP-NORC 10/11-14/2024 (N=1,072)	Politically motivated	Not politically motivated	DK	SKP/REF
State prosecutors in Georgia	48	49	*	3
Federal prosecutors	48	49	*	2

COUNT. Once every state has finished counting its votes for president and any legal challenges to the results are resolved, do you think:

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

AP-NORC 10/11-14/2024 (N=1,072)	Yes	No	DK	SKP/REF
The loser of the presidential election has an obligation to accept the results and concede	83	15	-	1
Donald Trump will accept the results and concede even if he has lost the election	33	65	*	1
Kamala Harris will accept the results and concede even if she has lost the election	77	22	*	2

DOJ. Do you think it is appropriate for a president to ask the Department of Justice to investigate political enemies, or not appropriate?

	AP-NORC 10/11-14/2024
Appropriate	38
Not appropriate	60
DON'T KNOW	*
SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED	2
<i>N=</i>	<i>1,072</i>

COURTFAIR. How confident are you that the United States Supreme Court will deal with any cases related to the upcoming presidential election in a fair and nonpartisan manner?

	AP-NORC 10/11-14/2024
Extremely/very confident	23
Extremely confident	8
Very confident	15
Somewhat confident	32
Not very/not at all confident	45
Not very confident	24
Not at all confident	21
DON'T KNOW	-
SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED	1
<i>N=</i>	<i>1,072</i>

CCWEATHER. Would you say that weather-related disasters in the U.S. are:

	AP-NORC 10/11-14/2024
Becoming more severe mainly because of climate change	54
Becoming more severe mainly because of natural year-to-year variations in the weather	34
Not becoming more severe	11
DON'T KNOW	*
SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED	1
<i>N=</i>	<i>1,072</i>

GOVWEATHER. How much of a role should the U.S. government have in the following?

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

AP-NORC 10/11-14/2024 (N=1,072)	Major role	Minor role	No role	DK	SKP/REF
Tracking weather events and warning people about natural disasters	79	17	3	-	1
Providing aid to communities in the immediate aftermath of natural disasters	83	12	3	-	1
Helping to rebuild communities affected by natural disasters	76	19	3	*	1
Combatting climate change to try to keep extreme weather from getting worse	58	25	15	*	2

WAR20. How much responsibility do you think each of the following has for the escalation of the war in the Middle East?

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

AP-NORC 10/11-14/2024 (N=1,072)	A lot/ Some NET	A lot	Some	Not much/ None at all NET	Not much	None at all	DK	SKP/REF
The Israeli government	73	41	32	24	14	9	*	3
The Palestinian militant group Hamas	85	60	26	12	8	4	*	2
The U.S. government	57	18	40	40	29	11	*	3
The Iranian government	83	54	29	13	10	3	*	3
The Lebanese militant group Hezbollah	83	53	30	14	11	3	*	3

FAVORIS. In response to Israel’s military operations in Lebanon and Gaza, do you favor, oppose, or neither favor nor oppose the United States doing each of the following?

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

AP-NORC 10/11-14/2024 (N=1,072)	Strongly/somewhat favor NET	Strongly favor	Somewhat favor	Neither favor nor oppose	Somewhat /strongly oppose NET	Some what oppose	Strongly oppose	D K	SKP/ REF
Imposing economic sanctions on Iran	53	32	21	29	15	7	8	*	3
Providing weapons to Israel’s military	36	17	19	23	38	18	21	-	3
Sending government funds to aid Israel’s military	33	14	19	22	42	19	23	-	2
Deploying U.S. troops to aid Israel’s military	21	7	14	22	54	21	33	*	3

CEASE. Do you think the U.S. could be doing more or is doing about as much as it can to push for a ceasefire agreement between Israel and the militant groups Hamas and Hezbollah? If you think the U.S. should be doing less, you can say that too.

	AP-NORC 10/11-14/2024
Could be doing more	30
Is doing about as much as it can	47
Should be doing less	20
DON’T KNOW	*
SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED	2

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FP9. How concerned are you about each of the following?

[GRID ITEMS RANDOMIZED]

AP-NORC		Extremely/very concerned NET	Extremely concerned	Very concerned	Somewhat concerned	Not very/at all concerned NET	Not very concer ned	Not at all conce rned	DK	SKP/ REF
That the situation in the Middle East will escalate into an even broader conflict	10/11-14/2024 <i>N=1,072</i>	51	17	34	36	11	9	3	-	2
That the United States will be drawn into a war in the Middle East	10/11-14/2024 <i>N=1,072</i>	41	16	25	43	14	11	3	-	2
	09/12-16/2024 <i>N=1,111</i>	42	15	27	39	18	15	3	*	1
	02/22-26/2024 <i>N=1,102</i>	42	15	27	39	18	15	3	*	1

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 10/11-14/2024
Democrat NET	46
Strong Democrat	20
Not so strong Democrat	14
Lean Democrat	12
Independent/None – Don't lean	18
Republican NET	37
Lean Republican	8
Not so strong Republican	13
Strong Republican	16

N=

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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 10/11-14/2024
Liberal NET	23
Very liberal	12
Somewhat liberal	11
Moderate	44
Conservative NET	30
Somewhat conservative	15
Very conservative	15
DON'T KNOW	*
SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED	2

N=

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REG. Are you currently registered to vote at your address, or not?

	AP NORC 10/11-14/2024
Yes	88
No	11
DON'T KNOW	*
SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED	1

N=

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

	AP NORC 10/11-14/2024
Urban area	29
Suburban area	50
Rural area	20
DON'T KNOW	*
SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED	*

N=

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RELIG. What is your present religion, if any?

	AP-NORC 10/11-14/2024
Protestant	24
Roman Catholic	22
Mormon	1
Orthodox	*
Jewish	2
Muslim	1
Buddhist	1
Hindu	*
Atheist	5
Agnostic	7
Nothing in particular	15
Just Christian	18
Unitarian	1
Something else	2
DON'T KNOW	-
SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED	-

N=

1,072

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 10/11-14/2024
Yes	34
No	66
DON'T KNOW	-
SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED	*

N=

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AGE

	AP NORC 10/11-14/2024
18-29	20
30-44	26
45-59	24
60+	31

N=

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GENDER

	AP NORC 10/11-14/2024
Male	49
Female	51
<i>N=</i>	<i>1,072</i>

RACE/ETHNICITY

	AP NORC 10/11-14/2024
White, non-Hispanic	61
Black or African American	12
Hispanic	18
Other	9
<i>N=</i>	<i>1,072</i>

MARITAL STATUS

	AP-NORC 10/11-14/2024
Married	46
Not married	54
<i>N=</i>	<i>1,072</i>

EMPLOYMENT STATUS

	AP-NORC 10/11-14/2024
Employed	61
Not employed	39
<i>N=</i>	<i>1,072</i>

EDUCATION

	AP-NORC 10/11-14/2024
Less than a high school diploma	9
High school graduate or equivalent	29
Some college	27
Bachelor's degree or above	19
Post grad study/professional degree	17
<i>N=</i>	<i>1,072</i>

CENSUS REGION

	AP-NORC 10/11-14/2024
Northeast NET	17
New England	5
Mid-Atlantic	13
Midwest NET	20
East North Central	14
West North Central	6
South NET	39
South Atlantic	21
East South Central	6
West South Central	12
West NET	24
Mountain	8
Pacific	16

*N=**1,072***HOME OWNERSHIP**

	AP-NORC 10/11-14/2024
Owned or being bought by you or someone in your household	68
Rented for cash	29
Occupied without payment of cash rent	3

*N=**1,072***INCOME**

	AP-NORC 10/11-14/2024
Under \$10,000	6
\$10,000 to under \$20,000	7
\$20,000 to under \$30,000	11
\$30,000 to under \$40,000	8
\$40,000 to under \$50,000	8
\$50,000 to under \$75,000	19
\$75,000 to under \$100,000	14
\$100,000 to under \$150,000	15
\$150,000 or more	13

*N=**1,072*

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 bi-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 11 through October 14, 2024, with adults aged 18 and over representing the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Panel members were randomly drawn from AmeriSpeak, and 1,072 completed the survey—1,034 via the web and 38 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 12.5 percent, the weighted household panel response rate is 27.4 percent, and the weighted household panel retention rate is 77.2 percent, for a cumulative response rate of 2.6 percent.

The overall margin of sampling error is +/- 4.03 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 +/- 6.15 percentage points for Democrats and +/- 6.49 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, 60 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>.
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