MARQUETTE UNIVERSITY LAW SCHOOL POLL

Y4371 September Supreme Court Survey 2025

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[SECTION S IS THE SAME AS Y4368]

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Welcome Back to the SSRS Opinion Panel! We would like to ask you some questions that you will find quite interesting.

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PN: FORCE RESPONSE

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All information you provide will be kept confidential and your name will never be associated with your answers.

Please answer each question to the best of your ability. When you answer the questions, please be as detailed as you can, and please try to make your answers complete.

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S1. We value your opinions and appreciate your participation in this survey!

Please use care when answering the following questions. Should our quality checks determine that you have not provided thoughtful attention to this survey, you may be disqualified and forfeit the associated rewards. Please indicate if you agree or disagree with the following statement.

I will read each question thoroughly and I will respond to all questions thoughtfully and honestly.

- 1 lagree
- 2 I disagree (TERMINATE)

PN: FORCE RESPONSE

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S2. What is your age?

PN: Acceptable range is 18-98

99 Prefer not to say

PN: Ask S2a if S2=Prefer not to say (99).

PN: FORCE RESPONSE

ASK IF AGE NOT GIVEN (S2=99)

- S2a. Are you...
 - 0 Under 18
 - 1 18-24
 - 2 25-29
 - 3 30-44
 - 4 45-49
 - 5 50-64
 - 6 65+
 - 9 Prefer not to say (TERMINATE)

PN: If under 18 in S2 or S2a, TERMINATE.

PN: Only qualified respondents continue here. All others TERMINATE.

SECTION A: OVERALL POLITICAL INVOLVEMENT

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ASK ALL

[A1 IN Y4370]

- A1. Some people seem to follow what's going on in politics most of the time, whether there's an election going on or not. Others aren't that interested. How often do you follow what's going on in politics...?
 - 1 Most of the time
 - 2 Some of the time
 - 3 Only now and then
 - 4 Hardly at all

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ASK ALL

[A2 IN Y4370]

- A2. Are you registered to vote at your present address, or not?
 - 1 Yes
 - 2 No
 - 999 Web Blank

SECTION C: CONFIDENCE AND COURT ISSUES

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ASK ALL

[C1 IN Y4370]

- C1. Overall, how much do you approve or disapprove of the way the U.S. Supreme Court is handling its job?
 - 1 Strongly approve
 - 2 Somewhat approve
 - 3 Somewhat disapprove
 - 4 Strongly disapprove

PN: Randomize order of C2-C7

[C2-C7 ARE NEW]

Here is a list of institutions in American society. How much confidence do you have in each one?

		A great deal	Quite a lot	Some	Very little	None at all	Web blank
C2.	The police	1	2	3	4	5	999
C3.	The FBI	1	2	3	4	5	999
C4.	The U.S. Department of Justice	1	2	3	4	5	999
C5.	Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE)	1	2	3	4	5	999
C6.	Centers for Disease Control (CDC)	1	2	3	4	5	999
C7.	Federal Reserve Board	1	2	3	4	5	999

ASK ALL

[C8 WAS C2 IN Y4370]

PN: Rotate "Democratic" and "Republican" in question wording and response codes 1-4 and 4-1 so half of sample get each order; include order variable in data.

- C8. What is your guess as to whether a majority of the current U.S. Supreme Court justices were appointed by Democratic or Republican presidents?
 - 1 Definitely a majority appointed by Democratic presidents
 - 2 Probably a majority appointed by Democratic presidents
 - 3 Probably a majority appointed by Republican presidents
 - 4 Definitely a majority appointed by Republican presidents 999 *Web Blank*

ASK ALL

[C9 WAS C3 IN Y4370]

- C9. Thinking about the last month only, how much have you heard or read about the U.S. Supreme Court?
 - 1 A lot
 - 2 A little
 - 3 Nothing at all

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ASK ALL

[NEW QUESTION]

- C10. Do you think the U.S. Supreme Court is going out of its way to avoid making a ruling that President Donald Trump might refuse to obey?
 - 1. Is going out of its way to avoid
 - 2. Is not avoiding a ruling

PN Randomize response order in C11. include order variable in data.

[C11 WAS C4 IN Y4370]

- C11. In general, what most often motivates Supreme Court justices' decisions?
 - 1 Mainly politics
 - 2 Mainly the law

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ASK ALL

[C12 was C7 in Y4370]

- C12. Federal courts have issued orders temporarily blocking a number of the Trump administration's executive actions. Do you think such orders can be a proper use of judicial authority?
 - 1 Yes
 - 2 No

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ASK ALL

[C13 WAS C5 IN Y4370]

- C13. If the Supreme Court rules against the president in a case, does the president have the power to ignore that ruling, or is the president required to do as the ruling says?
 - 1 The president has the power to ignore the ruling
 - 2 The president is required to do as the ruling says 999 *Web Blank*

ASK ALL

[NEW QUESTION]

- C14. Does the president have more authority to ignore an order of a federal district court than a ruling of the U.S. Supreme Court?
 - 1. Has more authority to ignore
 - 2. Does not have more authority to ignore

[C16 WAS NOT ASKED IN Y4370]

C16. In 2020, the Supreme Court ruled that a federal civil rights law protects gay and transgender workers from workplace discrimination.

How much do you favor or oppose this decision?

- 1 Strongly favor
- 2 Somewhat favor
- 3 Somewhat oppose
- 4 Strongly oppose 999 Web Blank

PN Randomize order of C17-C20

ASK ALL

[NEW QUESTION]

C17. The Supreme Court will hear arguments in a case asking whether state laws that prohibit transgender girls and women from participating on girls' and women's sports teams violate the Constitution's equal protection clause.

How do you think the Supreme Court should rule?

- 1 Rule that these state laws are constitutional
- 2 Rule against these state laws as violations of the equal protection clause 999 Web Blank

ASK ALL

[NEW QUESTION]

C18. The Supreme Court will hear arguments in a case asking whether the creation of a second majority-Black congressional district in Louisiana was an unconstitutional racial gerrymander, or whether, instead, it was properly required by the Voting Rights Act of 1965.

How do you think the Supreme Court should rule?

- 1 The creation of a second majority-Black district is an unconstitutional racial gerrymander
- 2 The second majority-Black district is required by the Voting Rights Act of 1965 999 Web Blank

ASK ALL

[NEW QUESTION]

C19. A federal appeals court has issued a ruling that substantially limits the presidents' authority to impose tariffs on imports to the United States. This decision has been appealed to the Supreme Court.

How do you think the Supreme Court should rule?

- 1 Uphold the appeals court ruling that limits the presidents' authority to impose tariffs
- 2 Overturn the appeals court ruling and hold that the President has the authority to set tariffs 999 Web Blank

[NEW QUESTION]

C20. A federal appeals court has issued a ruling that the president exceeded his authority under the Alien Enemies Act in ordering the deportation of some Venezuelans in the U.S. illegally. This decision is expected to be appealed to the Supreme Court.

How do you think the Supreme Court should rule?

- 1 Uphold the appeals court ruling that the president exceeded his authority
- Overturn the appeals court ruling and hold that the president can invoke the Alien Enemies Act to order these deportations

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SECTION D: APPROVAL RATINGS AND FAVORABILITY

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ASK ALL

[D1 IN Y4370]

- D1. Overall, how much do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling his job as president?
 - 1 Strongly approve
 - 2 Somewhat approve
 - 3 Somewhat disapprove
 - 4 Strongly disapprove

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[PN: Randomize order of D2 and D3]

ASK ALL

[D2 IN Y4370]

- D2. Overall, how much do you approve or disapprove of the way **Republicans** in Congress are handling their job?
 - 1 Strongly approve
 - 2 Somewhat approve
 - 3 Somewhat disapprove
 - 4 Strongly disapprove

[D3 IN Y4370]

- D3. Overall, how much do you approve or disapprove of the way **Democrats** in Congress are handling their job?
 - 1 Strongly approve
 - 2 Somewhat approve
 - 3 Somewhat disapprove
 - 4 Strongly disapprove

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ASK ALL

[D4, D5, AND D7 WERE D4, D5, AND D6 IN Y4370, OTHERS NOT INCLUDED IN Y4370] *PN: Ask D4 first, then randomize order of D5-D10.*

Do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of the following people or haven't you heard enough yet to have an opinion?

(Please select one response for each.)

		Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Haven't heard enough
D4	Donald Trump	1	2	3	4	5
D5	J.D. Vance	1	2	3	4	5
D6	Robert F. Kennedy, Jr.	1	2	3	4	5
D7	Elon Musk	1	2	3	4	5
D8	John G. Roberts, Jr.	1	2	3	4	5
D9	Volodymyr Zelenskyy	1	2	3	4	5
D10	Vladimir Putin	1	2	3	4	5

PN: Randomize order of D11-D13.

[D11, D12, AND D13 WERE D11, D12, AND D13 IN Y4370]

Do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of the following organizations or haven't you heard enough yet to have an opinion?

(Please select one response for each.)

		Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Haven't heard enough
D11	The Democratic Party	1	2	3	4	5
D12	The Republican Party	1	2	3	4	5
D13	The MAGA (Make America Great Again) movement	1	2	3	4	5

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ASK ALL

[D14-D19 ARE NEW]

PN: Ask D14-D19 in order, do not randomize

Do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of the following former presidents or haven't you heard enough yet to have an opinion?

(Please select one response for each.)

		Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Haven't heard enough
D14	Ronald Reagan	1	2	3	4	5
D15	George H. W. Bush	1	2	3	4	5
D16	Bill Clinton	1	2	3	4	5
D17	George W. Bush	1	2	3	4	5
D18	Barack Obama	1	2	3	4	5
D19	Joe Biden	1	2	3	4	5

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ASK ALL

[D20-D23 ARE NEW]

PN: Randomize order of D20-D23.

Do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of the following or haven't you heard enough yet to have an opinion?

(Please select one response for each.)

		Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Haven't heard enough
D20.	Israel	1	2	3	4	5
D21.	Russia	1	2	3	4	5
D22.	Ukraine	1	2	3	4	5
D23.	Palestinians	1	2	3	4	5

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ASK ALL

PN: Randomize order of D24-D32

[D24-D28 were D11-D15 in Y4370; D29-D32 ARE NEW]

Overall, how much do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling each of the following issues?

(Please select one response for each.)

		Strongly	Somewhat	Somewhat	Strongly
		approve	approve	Disapprove	disapprove
D24	The Economy	1	2	3	4
D25	Inflation and the	1	2	3	4
	cost of living	1	2	3	4
D26	Immigration	1	2	3	4
D27	Border security	1	2	3	4
D28	Tariffs	1	2	3	4
D29	The war between	1	2	3	4
	Russia and Ukraine	1	2	3	4
D30	The war between				
	Israel and Hamas in	1	2	3	4
	Gaza				
D31	Sending the National				
	Guard and federal	1	2	3	4
	agents to	1	_	3	4
	Washington DC				
D32	Information about	1	2	3	4
	Jeffrey Epstein	1		3	4

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ASK ALL

[D33 was D19 in Y4370]

- D33. Regardless of specific policies, how much do you trust Donald Trump to make the right decisions for the country?
 - 1 Completely trust
 - 2 Mostly trust
 - 3 Mostly do not trust
 - 4 Completely do not trust

PN: Insert start time stamp. PN: Ask D34 and then D35. Do not randomize order. ASK ALL [D34 WAS D20 IN Y4370] PN: PROVIDE A LARGE TEXTBOX D34. What do you like about Donald Trump? (PLEASE BE AS DETAILED AND SPECIFIC AS POSSIBLE) 999 Web Blank **ASK ALL** [D35 WASA D21 IN Y4370] PN: PROVIDE A LARGE TEXTBOX D35. What do you dislike about Donald Trump? (PLEASE BE AS DETAILED AND SPECIFIC AS POSSIBLE) 999 Web Blank ASK ALL [D36 WAS D22 IN Y4370] PN: PROVIDE A LARGE TEXTBOX D36. What is your biggest concern about the country these days? (PLEASE BE AS DETAILED AND SPECIFIC AS POSSIBLE)

SECTION E: WELL BEING AND ECONOMIC SITUATION

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[ASK ALL]

[E1 IN Y4370]

- E1. Would you say you personally are better off, about the same, or worse off than you were a year ago?
 - 1 Better
 - 2 About the same
 - 3 Worse

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[ASK ALL]

[E2 IN Y4370]

- E2. Do you feel things in this country are generally going in the right direction, or do you feel things have gotten off on the wrong track?
 - 1 Right direction
 - 2 Wrong track

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ASK ALL

[E3 IN Y4370]

- E3. How would you describe the state of the nation's economy these days?
 - 1 Excellent
 - 2 Good
 - 3 Not so good
 - 4 Poor

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ASK ALL

[E4 in Y4370]

- E4. Over the next 12 months do you think inflation and the cost of living will increase, decrease or stay about the same?
 - 1 Increase
 - 2 Decrease
 - 3 Stay about the same

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ASK ALL

- E5. How has the price you pay for groceries changed over the last six months?
 - 1. Gone down a lot
 - 2. Gone down a little
 - 3. Stayed about the same
 - 4. Gone up a little
 - 5. Gone up a lot

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ASK ALL

PN: Randomize order of E6 and E7

[NEW QUESTIONS]

- E6. How concerned are you about gun violence in your community?
 - 1 Very concerned
 - 2 Somewhat concerned
 - 3 Not too concerned
 - 4 Not at all concerned

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- E7. How concerned are you about **crime** in your community
 - 1 Very concerned
 - 2 Somewhat concerned
 - 3 Not too concerned
 - 4 Not at all concerned

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ASK ALL

- E8. Would you like to see the National Guard and federal agents deployed to your community to reduce criminal activity, or do you think your community is better off without federal involvement?
 - 1. Yes, like to see federal involvement
 - 2. No, community is better off without federal involvement 999 *Web Blank*

[NEW QUESTION]

- E9. Do you think the National Guard and federal agents who were sent to Washington DC have reduced crime there, or haven't they made much difference in the number of crimes?
 - 1. Have reduced crime
 - 2. Haven't made much difference 999 Web Blank

SECTION F: NEWS ATTENTION

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ASK ALL

[F1 TO F6 ARE NEW]

PN: Randomize order of F1-F6; Show as grid.

Here are some recent topics in the news. How much have you heard or read about each of these? (*Please select one response for each.*)

		A lot	A little	Nothing at all
F1	The deployment of National Guard troops in Washington DC in August	1	2	3
F2	The war between Israel and Hamas in Gaza	1	2	3
F3	The war between Russia and Ukraine	1	2	3
F4	President Trump's attempt to remove a member of the Federal Reserve Board	1	2	3
F5	The possible release of the Jeffrey Epstein files	1	2	3
F6	The firing of the director of the Centers for Disease Control (CDC)	1	2	3

[PN: Single response. Randomize order of response options 1-9] [MODIFIED from F6 IN Y4370; RESPONSES 4 & 7 ARE DIFFERENT]

- F7. Which one of the following issues matters MOST to you right now?
 - 1 The economy
 - 2 Immigration and border security
 - 3 Health care
 - 4 Crime
 - 5 Abortion policy
 - 6 Medicare & Social Security
 - 7 The war between Russia and Ukraine
 - 8 Inflation and the cost of living
 - 9 The size of the federal deficit
 - 998 Don't know
 - 999 WEB BLANK

SECTION G: ISSUES

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ASK ALL

[G1 IN Y4370]

- G1. In general, do you think imposing tariffs or fees on products imported from other countries helps the U.S. economy, hurts the economy, or doesn't make much of a difference either way?
 - 1 Helps U.S. economy
 - 2 Hurts U.S. economy
 - 3 Doesn't make much difference

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ASK ALL

[G3 IN Y4370]

- G2. Do you think Trump's policy proposals will decrease inflation, increase inflation, or have no effect on inflation?
 - 1 Decrease inflation
 - 2 Increase inflation
 - 3 Have no effect on inflation

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ASK ALL

- G3. Do you think Trump's tariffs are policies he intends to enforce or are they primarily bargaining chips he is looking to exchange for concessions from other countries?
 - 1 Policies he intends to enforce
 - 2 Bargaining chips he is looking to exchange 999 *Web Blank*

[G4 WAS G8 IN Y4370]

- G4. From what you know about it, how much do you support or oppose President Trump's "One Big Beautiful Bill"?
 - 1 Strongly support
 - 2 Somewhat support
 - 3 Somewhat oppose
 - 4 Strongly oppose

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ASK ALL

[NEW QUESTION]

- G5. Do you feel safe from crime when going about your daily activities, or are you worried about your safety?
 - 1 Feel safe
 - 2 Worried
 - 999 Web Blank

ASK ALL

[NEW QUESTION]

- G6. Should the Federal Reserve Board, which sets interest rates and monetary policy, be independent of political control, or should the President have more influence over setting interest rates and monetary policy?
 - 1. Should be independent
 - 2. President should have more influence

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ASK ALL

[NEW QUESTION]

- G7. Texas has redrawn its congressional districts to create more seats Republicans are likely to win. California is considering doing the same to create more seats Democrats are likely to win. Several other states are also considering drawing new districts. Do you favor or oppose states, outside the normal ten-year census cycle, redrawing their congressional districts to make them as advantageous as possible for the party with the majority in the state?
 - 1. Favor
 - Oppose

[NEW QUESTION]

- G8. How likely is it that there will be a shutdown of the federal government on October 1 due to failure to pass a budget agreement?
 - 1. Very likely
 - 2. Somewhat likely
 - 3. Not too likely
 - 4. Not at all likely

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SECTION K: Other policy issues

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PN: Randomize order of K1-K4 Show as grid. include order variable in data.

[K1-K4 WERE K1-K4 IN Y4370]

ASK ALL

In general, would you describe each of the following as...?

(Please select one response for each.)

		Very conservative	Somewhat conservative	Moderate	Somewhat liberal	Very liberal
		Conservative	Conservative		liberai	liberai
K1.	The U.S.	1	2	3	4	5
	Supreme Court					
K2.	Donald Trump	1	2	3	4	5
К3.	The Republican	1	2	3	4	Е
	Party	1	2	3	4)
K4.	The Democratic	1	2	2	4	Е
	Party	1		3	4	3

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ASK HALF SAMPLE

PN: Randomize so half get K5a and half get K5b.

[K5a IN Y4370]

- K5a. Do you favor or oppose deporting immigrants who are living in the United States illegally back to their home countries?
 - 1 Strongly favor
 - 2 Somewhat favor
 - 3 Somewhat oppose
 - 4 Strongly oppose

ASK HALF SAMPLE

PN: Randomize so half get K5a and half get K5b.

[K5b IN Y4370]

- K5b. Do you favor or oppose deporting immigrants who are living in the United States illegally back to their home countries even if they have lived here for a number of years, have jobs and no criminal record?
 - 1 Strongly favor
 - 2 Somewhat favor
 - 3 Somewhat oppose
 - 4 Strongly oppose

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ASK ALL

PN: Randomize response order and question text

[K6 IN Y4370]

- K6. Do you think the U.S. is [mostly deporting immigrants with criminal records] or [mostly deporting immigrants who have no criminal records]?
 - 1 Mostly deporting immigrants with criminal records
 - 2 Mostly deporting immigrants who have no criminal records 999 *Web Blank*

ASK ALL

[K10 WAS NOT ASKED IN Y4370]

- K10. Do you think it will be better for the future of the country if we take an active part in world affairs, or if we stay out of world affairs?
 - 1 Take an active part in world affairs
 - 2 Stay out of world affairs

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ASK ALL

[K11 WAS NOT ASKED IN Y4370]

- K11. When it comes to Russia's invasion of Ukraine, do you think the United States is providing too much support to Ukraine, not enough support to Ukraine, or about the right amount of support to Ukraine?
 - 1 Too much support
 - 2 Not enough support
 - 3 About the right amount of support 999 Web Blank

ASK ALL

- K12. When it comes to Israel's war with Hamas in Gaza, do you think the United States is providing too much support to Israel, not enough support to Israel, or about the right amount of support to Israel?
 - 1 Too much support
 - 2 Not enough support
 - 3 About the right amount of support 999 Web Blank

[K13 WAS K7 IN Y4370]

- K13. Thinking about your family's financial situation, would you say you are living comfortably, just getting by, or struggling to make ends meet?
 - 1 Living comfortably
 - 2 Just getting by
 - 3 Struggling

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ASK ALL

[NEW QUESTION]

- K14. How much of a problem do you think the threat of violence against political leaders and their families is in our country today?
 - 1. A very big problem
 - 2. A moderately big problem
 - 3. A small problem
 - 4. Not a problem at all

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ASK ALL

[NEW QUESTION]

- K15. Do you generally consider it to be acceptable or unacceptable for a person to be happy about the death of a public figure they oppose?
 - 1. Always acceptable
 - 2. Usually acceptable
 - 3. Usually unacceptable
 - 4. Always unacceptable

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ASK ALL

[NEW QUESTION]

- K16. Do you think it is ever justified for Americans today to resort to violence in order to achieve political goals?
 - 1. Yes, violence can sometimes be justified
 - 2. No, violence is never justified

[NEW QUESTION]

- K17. Which is a bigger problem in America today?
 - 1. Left-wing political violence
 - 2. Right-wing political violence
 - 3. Both equally

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ASK ALL

[NEW QUESTION]

- K18. Do you think political violence is more likely because of elected officials using heated or aggressive language to talk about political opponents?
 - 1. Yes, much more likely
 - 2. Yes, somewhat more likely
 - 3. No, not at all more likely

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ASK ALL

[NEW QUESTION]

- K19. Before his shooting death on September 10, how much did you know about conservative activist Charlie Kirk?
 - 1. A lot
 - 2. A little
 - 3. Nothing at all

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ASK ALL

[NEW QUESTION]

- K20. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump has responded to the shooting death of Charlie Kirk in Utah on September 10?
 - 1. Strongly approve
 - 2. Somewhat approve
 - 3. Somewhat disapprove
 - 4. Strongly disapprove

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ASK ALL

- K21. Do you think that America can find an off-ramp to reduce intense political conflict and violence, or is the country so divided that intense political conflict and violence are going to escalate?
 - 1. Can find an off-ramp to reduce intense political conflict and violence
 - 2. The country is so divided that intense political conflict and violence are going to escalate 999 Web Blank

SECTION M: MEDIA ITEMS

ASK ALL

[NEW QUESTION]

- M1. Which of the following sites or apps, if any, have you used in the past week? (**Choose all that apply**)
 - 1. Facebook
 - 2. YouTube
 - 3. Instagram
 - 4. TikTok
 - 5. X (formerly Twitter)
 - 6. Reddit
 - 7. Snapchat
 - 8. None of these

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ASK ALL

- M2. Which of the following, if any, have you read, watched, or listened to in the past month for information about political news and current affairs? (**Choose all that apply**)
 - 1. Local TV news
 - 2. Your local newspaper, online or in print
 - 3. Social media such as YouTube, TikTok, X (Twitter)
 - 4. Fox News
 - 5. ABC News
 - 6. CBS News
 - 7. NBC News
 - 8. CNN
 - 9. MSNBC
 - 10. Public radio or public television, NPR or PBS
 - 11. Podcasts such as Pod Save America or The Ben Shapiro Show
 - 12. National newspapers online or in print such as the Wall Street Journal, New York Times or Washington Post
 - 13. Newsmax
 - 14. OAN
 - 15. BBC
 - 16. Something else
 - 17. None of these
 - 999 Web Blank

SECTION X: CALIBRATION ITEMS

[ALL SECTION X QUESTIONS ARE IN Y4370]

PN: Insert start time stamp.

PN: Randomize order of X1-X2. Save order in data.

ASK ALL

- X1. How much of the time do you think you can trust the government in Washington to do what is right?
 - 1 Just about always
 - 2 Most of the time
 - 3 Only some of the time
 - 4 Never

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ASK ALL

- X2. Generally speaking, would you say that most people can be trusted, or most people can't be trusted?
 - 1 Most people can be trusted
 - 2 Most people can't be trusted 999 Web Blank

PN: IF WEB, AUTOPUNCH INT1=1

ASK ALL

INT1. (pINT1) Do you use the internet or email, at least occasionally?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

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PN: ASK IF WEB OR pINT1=1

INTFREQ. About how often do you use the internet?

- 1 Almost constantly
- 2 Several times a day
- 3 About once a day
- 4 Several times a week
- 5 Less often

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SECTION Z: DEMOGRAPHICS

[ALL SECTION Z QUESTIONS ARE IN Y4370]

PN: Insert start time stamp.

ASK ALL

- Z1. Generally speaking, do you usually think of yourself as a Republican, a Democrat, or an Independent?
 - 1 Republican
 - 2 Democrat
 - 3 Independent
 - 4 Other/No preference

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PN: If 1 or 2 in Z1, ask Z2A. Otherwise, skip to Z2B.

ASK IF REPUBLICAN OR DEMOCRAT (Z1= 1 OR 2)

- Z2A. Would you call yourself a strong [IF Z1=1: Republican] [IF Z1=2: Democrat], or a not very strong [IF Z1=1: Republican] [IF Z1=2: Democrat]?
 - 1 Strong
 - 2 Not very strong 999 Web Blank

PN: If 3 or 4 in Z1, ask Z2B.

ASK IF INDEPENDENT OR OTHER (Z1= 3 OR 4)

- Z2B. Do you think of yourself as closer to the Republican Party or to the Democratic Party?
 - 1 Republican
 - 2 Democratic
 - 3 Neither

999 Web Blank

ASK ALL

- Z3. Aside from weddings and funerals, how often do you attend religious services?
 - 1 More than once a week
 - 2 Once a week
 - 3 Once or twice a month
 - 4 A few times a year
 - 5 Seldom
 - 6 Never
 - 999 Web Blank

- Z4. Would you describe yourself as a "born-again" or evangelical Christian, or not?
 - 1 Yes, would
 - 2 No, would not

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PN: This is pPolview reasked.

ASK ALL

- Z5. Generally speaking, how would you describe your political views?
 - 1 Very conservative
 - 2 Somewhat conservative
 - 3 Moderate
 - 4 Somewhat liberal
 - 5 Very liberal

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PN: Z6-Z7 are calibration questions for weighing. Z6 is pTALKNEIGH internally and Z7 is pVOLUNTEER internally. Note that for each Court Survey, these two questions may be adjusted related to context around the COVID-19 pandemic.

ASK ALL

- Z6. During the last 12 months, how often did you talk with any of your neighbors?
 - 1 Basically, every day
 - 2 A few times a week
 - 3 A few times a month
 - 4 Once a month
 - 5 Less than once a month
 - 6 Not at all
 - 999 Web Blank

ASK ALL

- Z7. We are interested in volunteer activities for which people are not paid, except perhaps expenses. In the last 12 months, have you done any volunteer activities through or for an organization?
 - 1 Yes
 - 2 No

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ASK ALL

GE2024. Did you vote in the general election in 2024?

- 1 Yes, did vote in the 2024 general election
- 2 No, did not vote in the 2024 general election 999 Web Blank

PN: Ask Z8 if voted in 2024 (GE2024=1)

PN: Rotate responses 1-2/2-1, include rotate in data file.

PN: Rotate responses 3-5/5-3, include rotate in data file

PN: If the web respondent initially tries to skip, prompt once for completion: "Your answers are important to us, and we don't want someone else to speak for you. Keeping in mind that this is a confidential survey, we'd really appreciate it if you would tell us who you voted for in 2024."

Allow the respondent to continue if they skip again.

PN: Add variable "SKIP_Z8" to flag if the R initially tried to skip this questions (SKIP_Z8=1); include variable in data file.

- Z8. Which presidential candidate did you vote for in 2024?
 - 1 Kamala Harris
 - 2 Donald Trump
 - 3 Robert F. Kennedy Jr.
 - 4 Chase Oliver
 - 5 Jill Stein
 - 6 Another candidate
 - 7 Did not vote in that election

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Internal Note: Z10-Z11 are also calibration questions for weighing. Z10 is pOWNHOME internally and Z11 is pADULTS internally.

ASK ALL

Z10. Is your home owned or rented?

001 Owned

002 Rented

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ASK ALL

Z11. Including yourself, how many adults age 18 or older are there living in your household?

001 1

002 2

003 3

004 4

005 5

006 6

007 7

008 8 or more

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PN: Insert end time stamp.