Methodology

Multi-frame survey among 1,600 registered voters nationwide conducted November 3 – 10, 2021. Respondents were selected randomly from opt-in panel participants, as well as two independent phone samples from Data Trust, one for landline and one for cell phone.

   33% online, 33% landline, 33% cell phone

Sampling controls were used to ensure that a proportional and representative number of respondents were interviewed from such demographic groups as age, gender, race, and geographic region.

   Gender breakdown: 48% men – 52% women

This survey includes two oversamples: 1600 self-identified Republicans and 1600 self-identified Conservatives
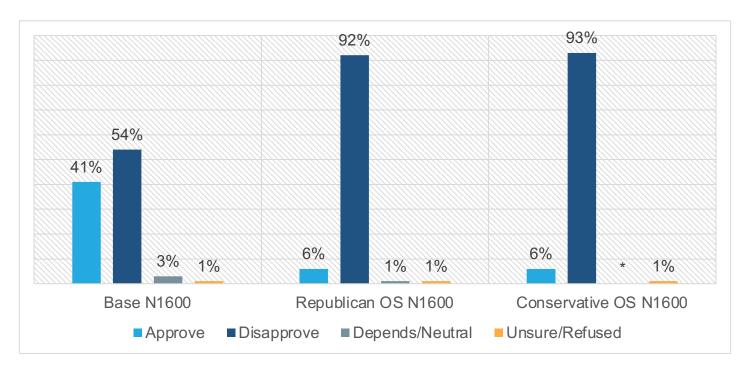
±2.45% overall margin of error at the 95% confidence interval for the base survey and oversamples. M.O.E.s for subgroups are larger.

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General Political Opinions and Behaviors

Do you approve or disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling his responsibilities as President?

	Base N1600	Republican OS N1600	Conservative OS N1600
Approve	41%	6%	6%
Disapprove	54%	92%	93%
Depends/Neutral	3%	1%	*
Unsure/Refused	1%	1%	1%

■ Approve   ■ Disapprove   ■ Depends/Neutral   ■ Unsure/Refused

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For whom did you vote in the 2020 Presidential election: Donald Trump, Joe Biden, or another candidate?

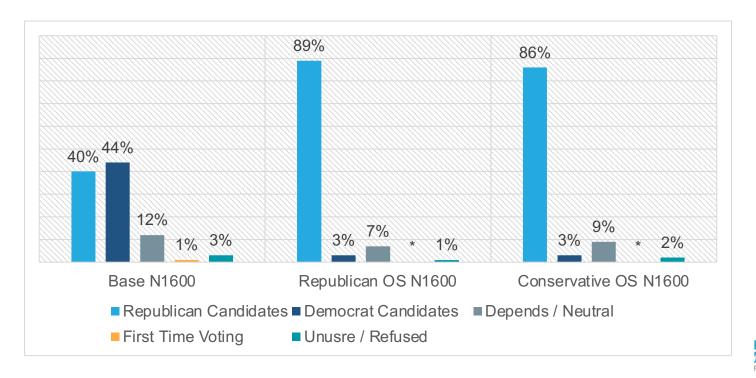|	Base N1600	Republican OS N1600	Conservative OS N1600
Donald Trump	46%	87%	86%
Joe Biden	51%	5%	5%
Someone Else	1%	3%	5%
Did not vote	1%	2%	2%
Don't Recall	--	*	*

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Do you think things in this country are headed in the right direction, or are they off on the wrong track?

	Base N1600	Republican OS N1600	Conservative OS N1600
Right Direction	33%	7%	5%
Wrong Track	62%	92%	94%
Depends/Neutral	3%	1%	1%
Unsure/Refused	3%	1%	*

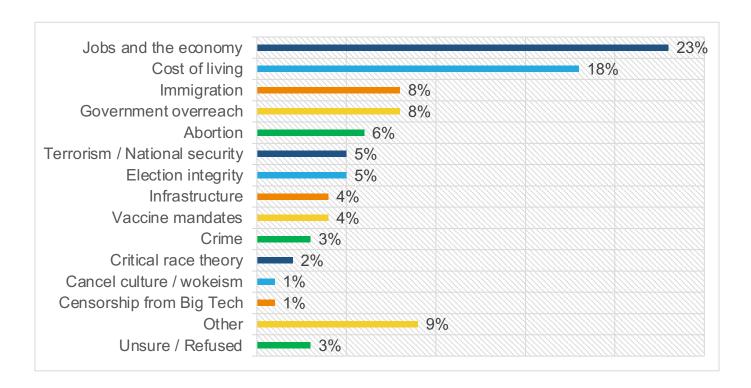■ Right Direction ■ Wrong Track ■ Depends/Neutral ■ Unsure/Refused

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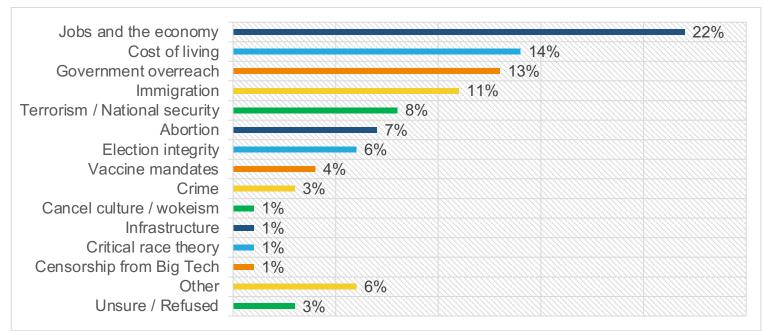# *Regardless of how you voted in the last election, do you typically vote for Republican or Democrat candidates?*

Base N1600: Republican Candidates 40%, Democrat Candidates 44%, Depends / Neutral 12%, First Time Voting 1%, Unsure / Refused 3%

Republican OS N1600: Republican Candidates 89%, Democrat Candidates 3%, Depends / Neutral 7%, First Time Voting *, Unsure / Refused 1%

Conservative OS N1600: Republican Candidates 86%, Democrat Candidates 3%, Depends / Neutral 9%, First Time Voting *, Unsure / Refused 2%

Legend: Republican Candidates, Democrat Candidates, Depends / Neutral, First Time Voting, Unusre / Refused

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Which of the following would you say is the most important issue when considering your vote? – Base N1600

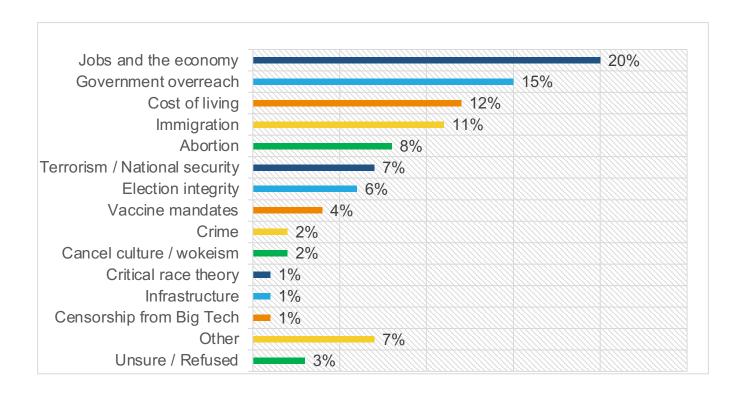| Issue	Percentage
Jobs and the economy	23%
Cost of living	18%
Immigration	8%
Government overreach	8%
Abortion	6%
Terrorism / National security	5%
Election integrity	5%
Infrastructure	4%
Vaccine mandates	4%
Crime	3%
Critical race theory	2%
Cancel culture / wokeism	1%
Censorship from Big Tech	1%
Other	9%
Unsure / Refused	3%

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Which of the following would you say is the most important issue when considering your vote? – Republican OS N1600

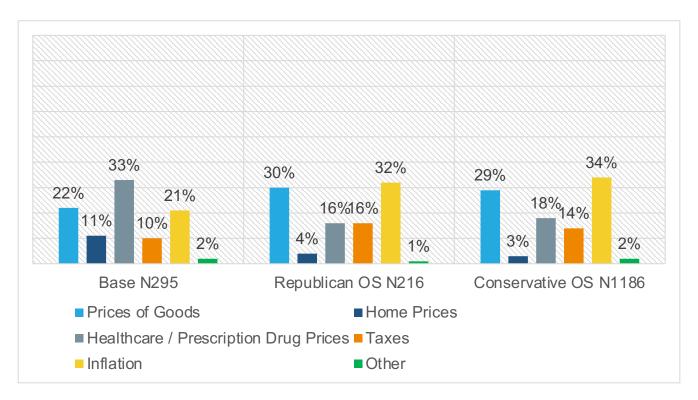| Issue	Percentage
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Vaccine mandates	4%
Crime	3%
Cancel culture / wokeism	1%
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Critical race theory	1%
Censorship from Big Tech	1%
Other	6%
Unsure / Refused	3%

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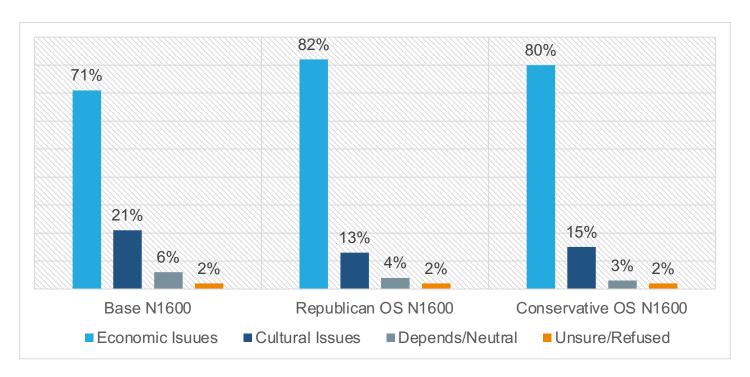# Which of the following would you say is the most important issue when considering your vote? – Conservative OS N1600

Issue	Percentage
Jobs and the economy	20%
Government overreach	15%
Cost of living	12%
Immigration	11%
Abortion	8%
Terrorism / National security	7%
Election integrity	6%
Vaccine mandates	4%
Crime	2%
Cancel culture / wokeism	2%
Critical race theory	1%
Infrastructure	1%
Censorship from Big Tech	1%
Other	7%
Unsure / Refused	3%

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What would you say is the most important issue when considering costs of living?
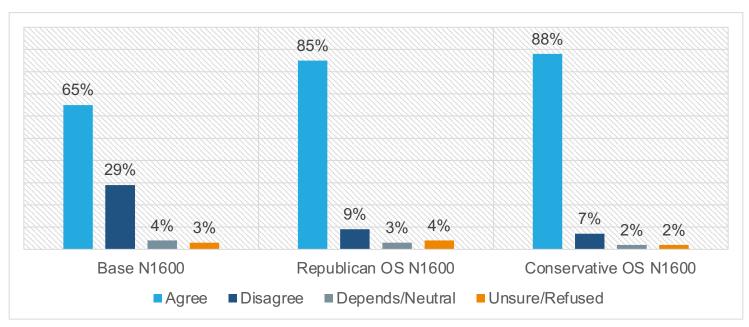
In electing candidates for office, which would you say is more important to you, economic issues or cultural issues?
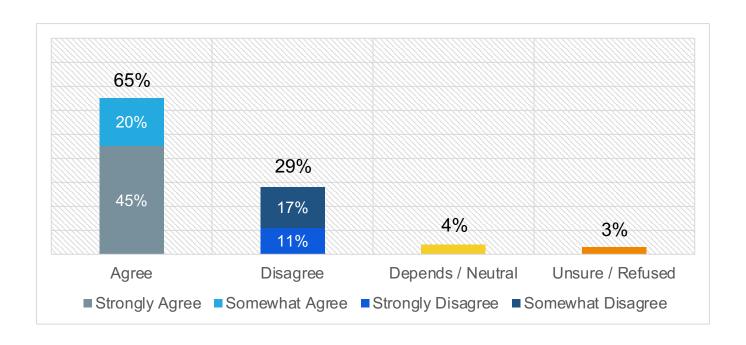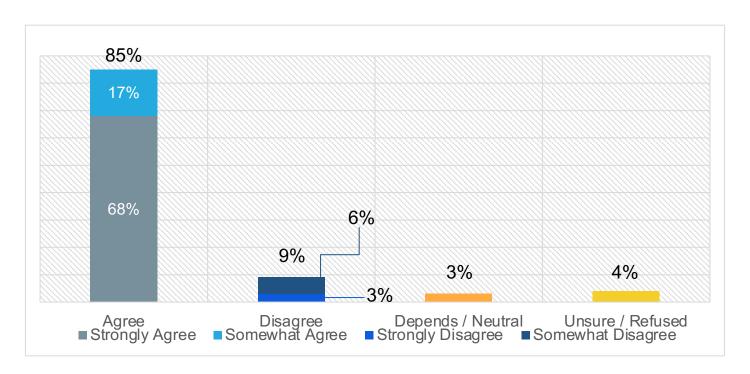

Economic Issues — Cultural Issues — Depends/Neutral — Unsure/Refused

Do you agree or disagree with the following statement: The federal government is too big.

Base N1600
- Agree: 65%
- Disagree: 29%
- Depends/Neutral: 4%
- Unsure/Refused: 3%

Republican OS N1600
- Agree: 85%
- Disagree: 9%
- Depends/Neutral: 3%
- Unsure/Refused: 4%

Conservative OS N1600
- Agree: 88%
- Disagree: 7%
- Depends/Neutral: 2%
- Unsure/Refused: 2%

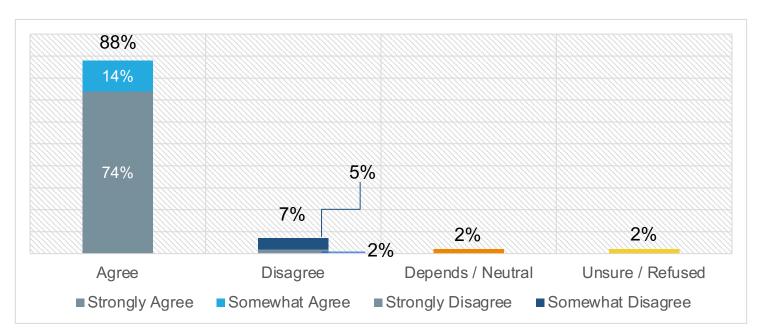Legend: Agree, Disagree, Depends/Neutral, Unsure/Refused

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Do you agree or disagree with the following statement: The federal government is too big. – Base N1600

Do you agree or disagree with the following statement: The federal government is too big. – Republican OS N1600

85%

17%

68%

9%

6%

3%

3%

4%

Agree

Disagree

Depends / Neutral

Unsure / Refused

Strongly Agree Somewhat Agree Strongly Disagree Somewhat Disagree

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Do you agree or disagree with the following statement:
The federal government is too big. – Conservative OS N1600

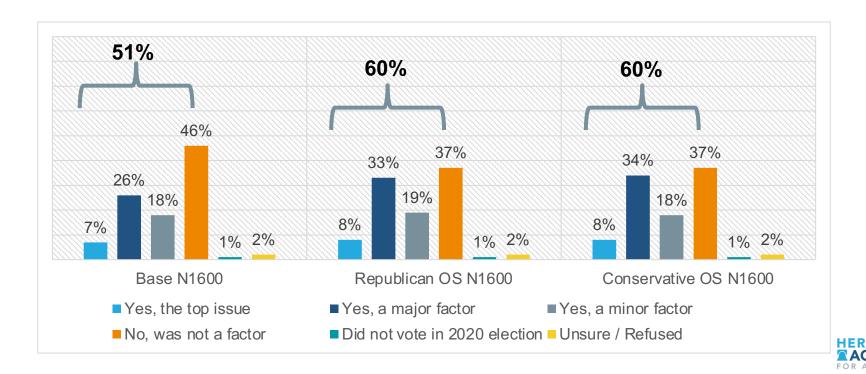|	Agree	Disagree	Depends / Neutral	Unsure / Refused
	88%	5%	2%	2%

Strongly Agree 74%, Somewhat Agree 14%, Strongly Disagree 2%, Somewhat Disagree 7%

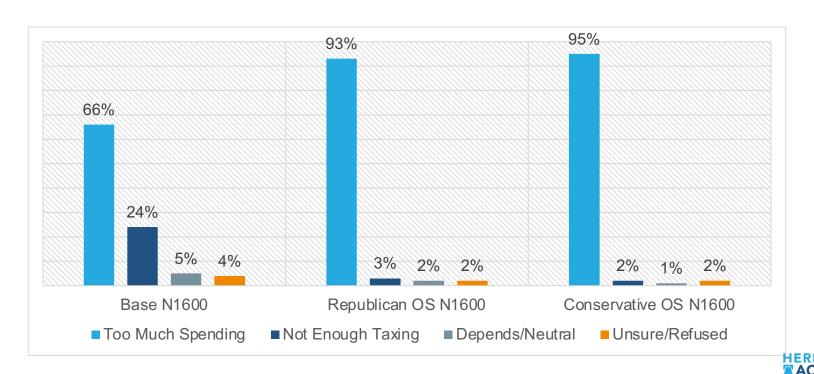Legend: ■ Strongly Agree ■ Somewhat Agree ■ Strongly Disagree ■ Somewhat Disagree

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Thinking back to the 2020 election, were taxes a factor in deciding for whom you would cast your vote for President?

51%

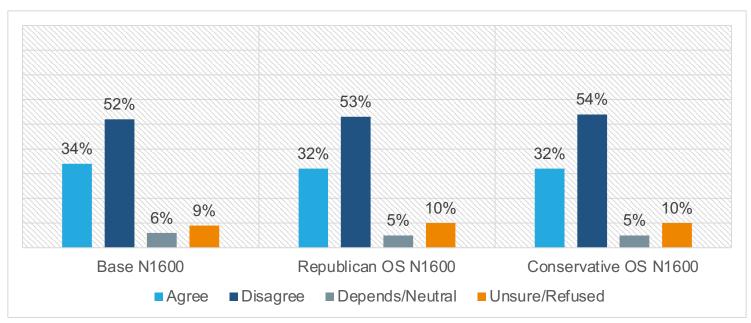**60%**

60%

	Base N1600	Republican OS N1600	Conservative OS N1600
Yes, the top issue	7%	8%	8%
Yes, a major factor	26%	33%	34%
Yes, a minor factor	18%	19%	18%
No, was not a factor	46%	37%	37%
Did not vote in 2020 election	1%	1%	1%
Unsure / Refused	2%	2%	2%

■ Yes, the top issue   ■ Yes, a major factor   ■ Yes, a minor factor
■ No, was not a factor   ■ Did not vote in 2020 election   ■ Unsure / Refused

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Do you believe the national debt is primarily caused by too much spending or not taxing enough?

	Base N1600	Republican OS N1600	Conservative OS N1600
Too Much Spending	66%	93%	95%
Not Enough Taxing	24%	3%	2%
Depends/Neutral	5%	2%	1%
Unsure/Refused	4%	2%	2%

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Jobs and Energy

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Do you agree or disagree that right to work laws, meaning laws that protect the freedom to choose whether or not to join a labor union in the workplace, should be eliminated?

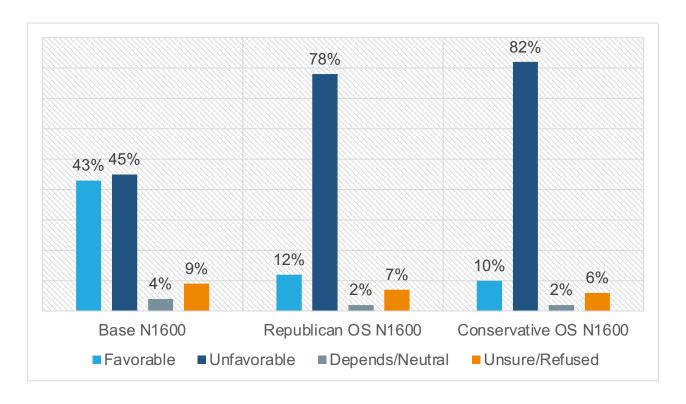# Do you agree or disagree that it is important to strengthen private sector unions in the United States?

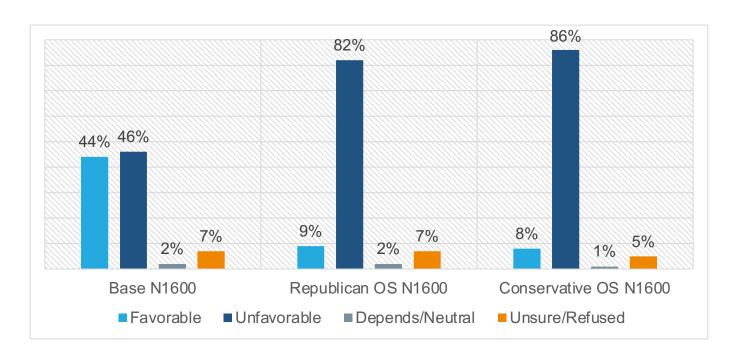|	Base N1600	Republican OS N1600	Conservative OS N1600
Agree	49%	37%	35%
Disagree	35%	45%	48%
Depends/Neutral	6%	7%	6%
Unsure/Refused	9%	11%	10%

Infrastructure

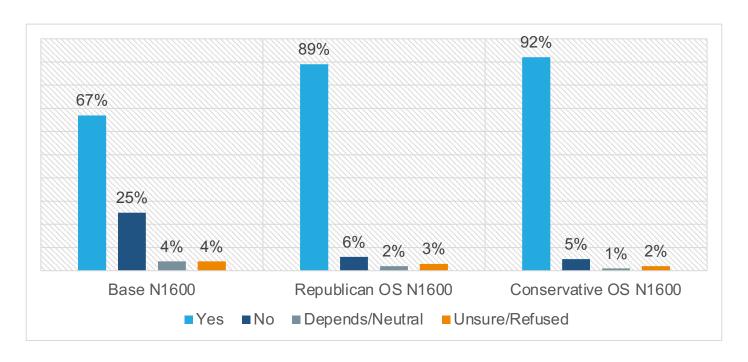# Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of The American Jobs Plan, Biden's plan for infrastructure?

Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of the Build Back Better Plan, Biden's plan for economic improvement and recovery?
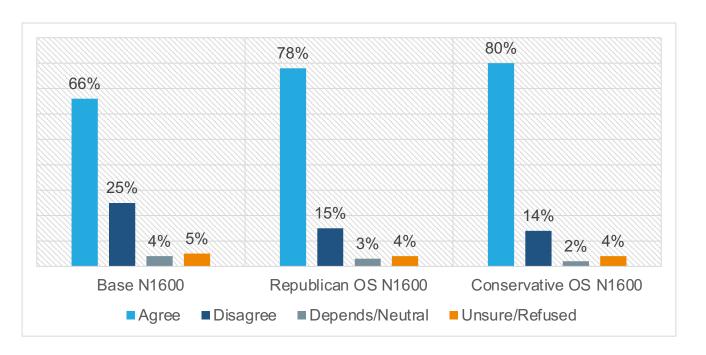

Bar chart showing responses by group:

	Favorable	Unfavorable	Depends/Neutral	Unsure/Refused
Base N1600	44%	46%	2%	7%
Republican OS N1600	9%	82%	2%	7%
Conservative OS N1600	8%	86%	1%	5%

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Do you believe significantly increasing the amount of money spent by the federal government will lead to more inflation?

	Base N1600	Republican OS N1600	Conservative OS N1600
Yes	67%	89%	92%
No	25%	6%	5%
Depends/Neutral	4%	2%	1%
Unsure/Refused	4%	3%	2%

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Do you agree or disagree with the following statement:
Senate Democrats should find a way to compromise with Senate Republicans on President Biden's spending plan instead of pushing the bill through with only Democrat support.
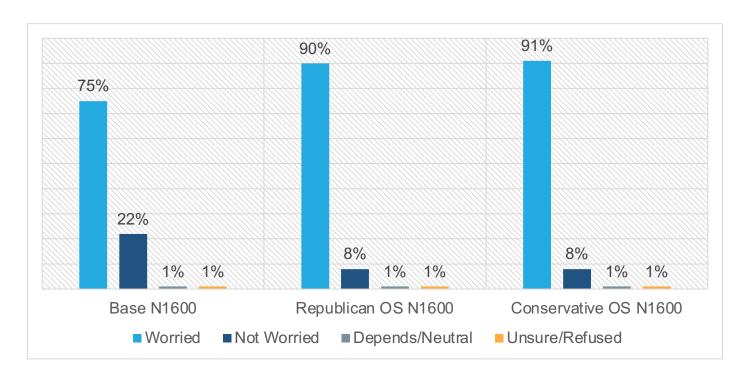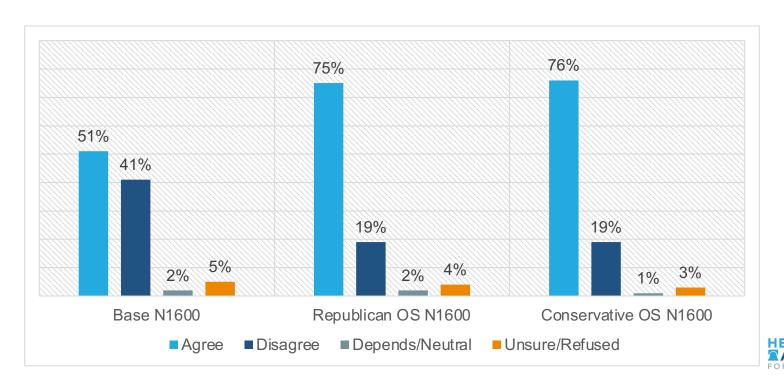

	Base N1600	Republican OS N1600	Conservative OS N1600
Agree	66%	78%	80%
Disagree	25%	15%	14%
Depends/Neutral	4%	3%	2%
Unsure/Refused	5%	4%	4%

■ Agree   ■ Disagree   ■ Depends/Neutral   ■ Unsure/Refused

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How personally worried are you about inflation affecting you and your household?

	Base N1600	Republican OS N1600	Conservative OS N1600
Worried	75%	90%	91%
Not Worried	22%	8%	8%
Depends/Neutral	1%	1%	1%
Unsure/Refused	1%	1%	1%

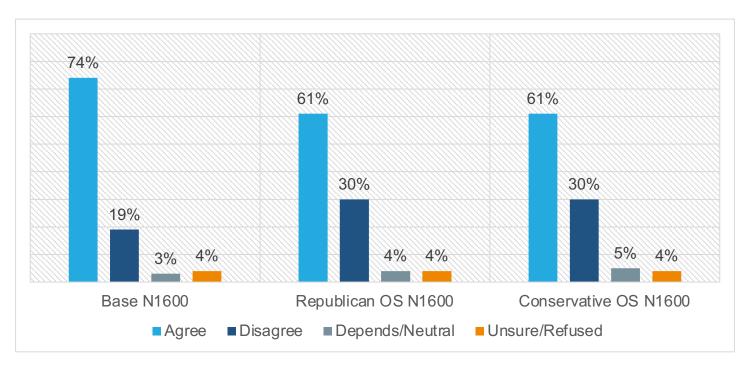■ Worried ■ Not Worried ■ Depends/Neutral ■ Unsure/Refused

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Do you agree or disagree with the following statement:
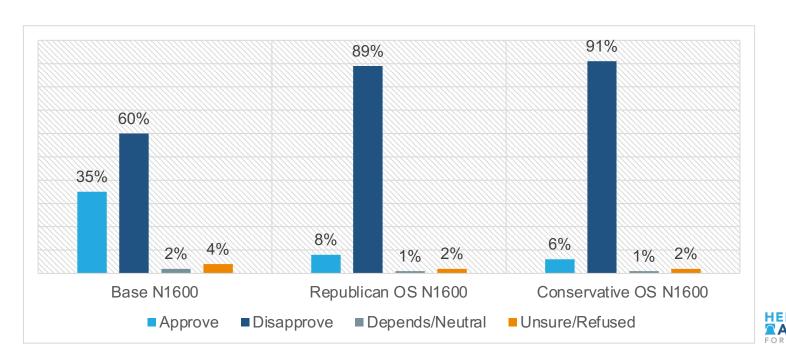*The need to raise the debt ceiling is due to Democrats' proposed spending packages.*

	Base N1600	Republican OS N1600	Conservative OS N1600
Agree	51%	75%	76%
Disagree	41%	19%	19%
Depends/Neutral	2%	2%	1%
Unsure/Refused	5%	4%	3%

■ Agree   ■ Disagree   ■ Depends/Neutral   ■ Unsure/Refused

Afghanistan

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Do you agree or disagree that after 20 years, it was time to bring home the U.S. troops from Afghanistan?

Bar chart comparing responses across three groups:
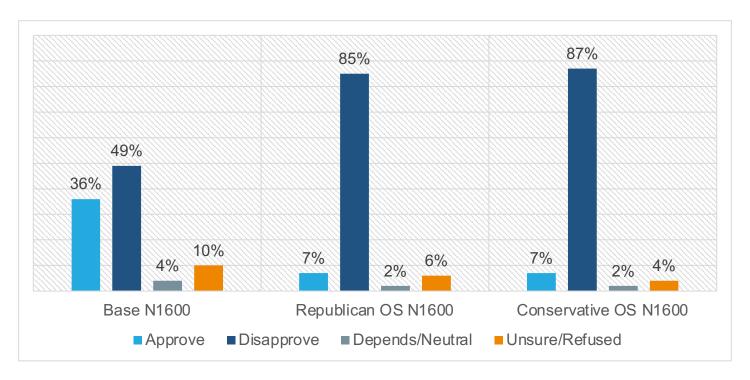
	Base N1600	Republican OS N1600	Conservative OS N1600
Agree	74%	61%	61%
Disagree	19%	30%	30%
Depends/Neutral	3%	4%	5%
Unsure/Refused	4%	4%	4%

Legend: ■ Agree ■ Disagree ■ Depends/Neutral ■ Unsure/Refused

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Do you approve or disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling the withdrawal of U.S. troops and evacuation of U.S. citizens from Afghanistan?
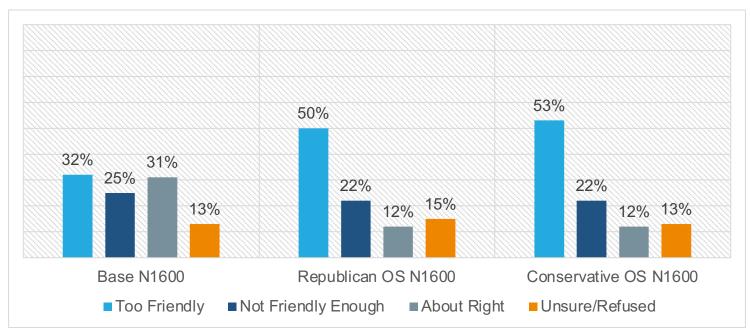

	Base N1600	Republican OS N1600	Conservative OS N1600
Approve	35%	8%	6%
Disapprove	60%	89%	91%
Depends/Neutral	2%	1%	1%
Unsure/Refused	4%	2%	2%

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Foreign Policy

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Do you approve or disapprove of President Biden's handling of U.S. relations with China?

	Base N1600	Republican OS N1600	Conservative OS N1600
Approve	36%	7%	7%
Disapprove	49%	85%	87%
Depends/Neutral	4%	2%	2%
Unsure/Refused	10%	6%	4%

■ Approve ■ Disapprove ■ Depends/Neutral ■ Unsure/Refused

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Is the United States-China relationship too friendly, not friendly enough, or about right?

	Base N1600	Republican OS N1600	Conservative OS N1600
Too Friendly	32%	50%	53%
Not Friendly Enough	25%	22%	22%
About Right	31%	12%	12%
Unsure/Refused	13%	15%	13%

CRT

Are you concerned with the spread of Critical Race Theory in our nation's schools?

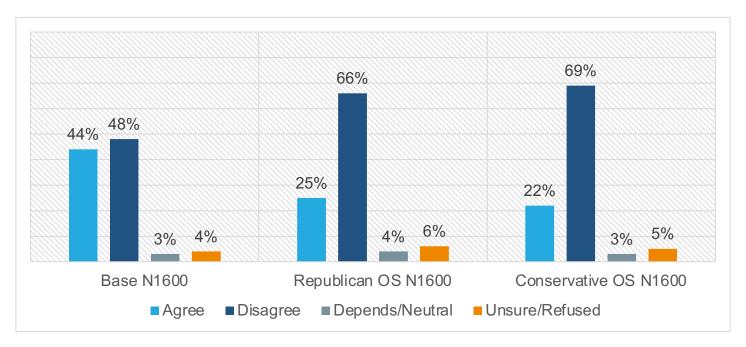|	Concerned	Not Concerned	Depends/Neutral	Unsure/Refused
Base N1600	59%	33%	2%	6%
Republican OS N1600	82%	11%	2%	5%
Conservative OS N1600	86%	10%	1%	4%

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Do you agree or disagree that states should enact policies to stop schools from teaching students that they are complicit in racism based on the color of their skin?
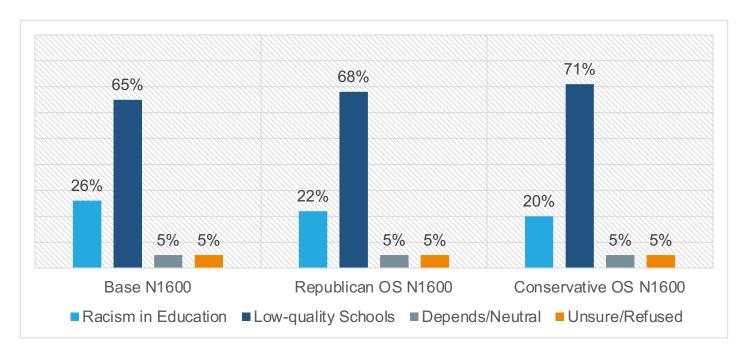

Bar chart showing survey responses:

Base N1600
- Agree: 49%
- Disagree: 38%
- Depends/Neutral: 3%
- Unsure/Refused: 9%

Republican OS N1600
- Agree: 68%
- Disagree: 22%
- Depends/Neutral: 3%
- Unsure/Refused: 8%

Conservative OS N1600
- Agree: 71%
- Disagree: 20%
- Depends/Neutral: 2%
- Unsure/Refused: 6%

Legend: Agree | Disagree | Depends/Neutral | Unsure/Refused

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Do you agree or disagree that the education system in America is "systematically racist"?

Which of the following is the greater challenge facing American students today, racism in education, or low-quality schools?
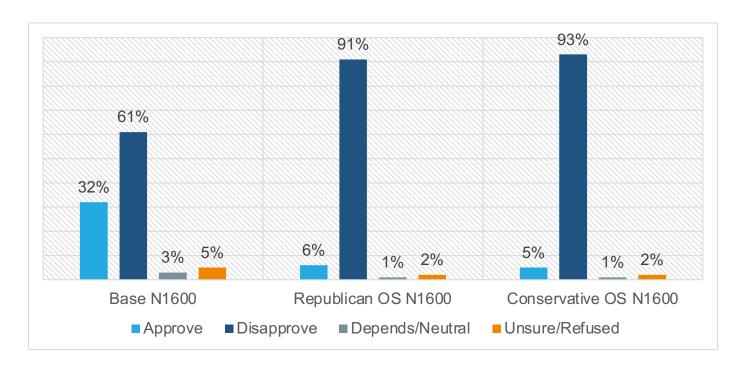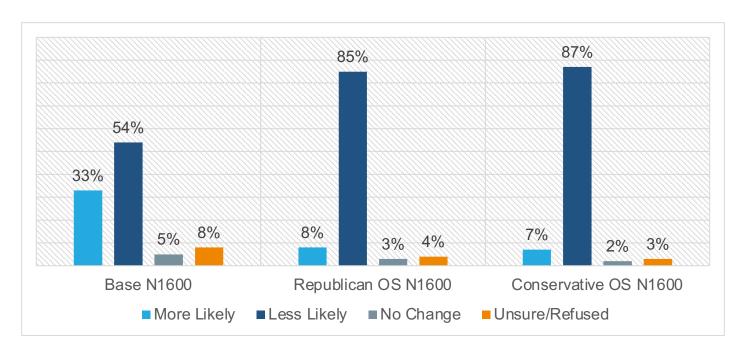

	Base N1600	Republican OS N1600	Conservative OS N1600
Racism in Education	26%	22%	20%
Low-quality Schools	65%	68%	71%
Depends/Neutral	5%	5%	5%
Unsure/Refused	5%	5%	5%

■ Racism in Education   ■ Low-quality Schools   ■ Depends/Neutral   ■ Unsure/Refused

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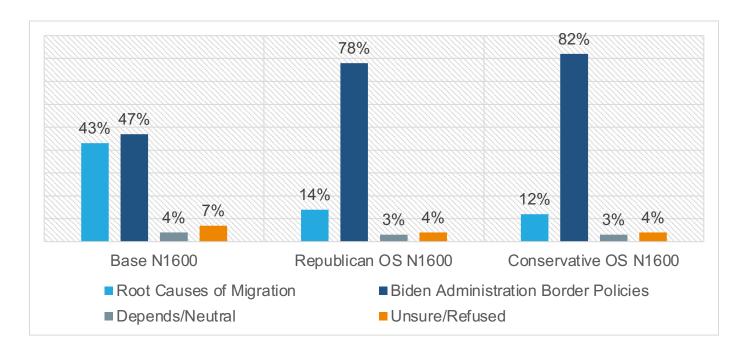# Do you approve or disapprove of President Biden's handling of border security and immigration policy?

Base N1600 — Approve 32%, Disapprove 61%, Depends/Neutral 3%, Unsure/Refused 5%
Republican OS N1600 — Approve 6%, Disapprove 91%, Depends/Neutral 1%, Unsure/Refused 2%
Conservative OS N1600 — Approve 5%, Disapprove 93%, Depends/Neutral 1%, Unsure/Refused 2%

■ Approve   ■ Disapprove   ■ Depends/Neutral   ■ Unsure/Refused

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Would knowing that President Biden and Democrats in Congress are using Biden's Build Back Better Act to give amnesty to illegal immigrants make you more or less likely to support it?
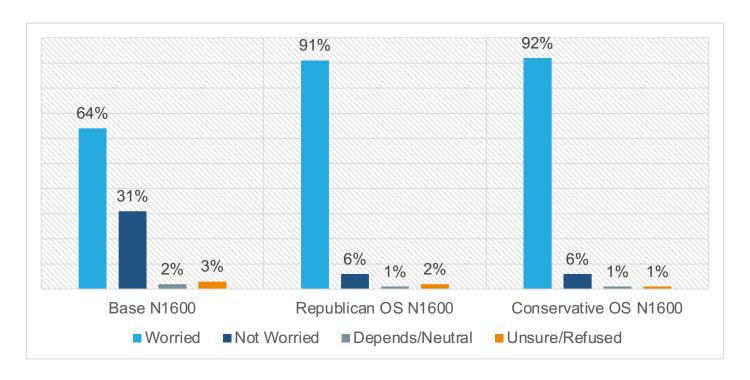

	Base N1600	Republican OS N1600	Conservative OS N1600
More Likely	33%	8%	7%
Less Likely	54%	85%	87%
No Change	5%	3%	2%
Unsure/Refused	8%	4%	3%

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Which is more to blame for increased illegal immigration at the southern border: "root causes" of migration including poverty and violence in Central America and Mexico, or the Biden Administration's border policies.

	Base N1600	Republican OS N1600	Conservative OS N1600
Root Causes of Migration	43%	14%	12%
Biden Administration Border Policies	47%	78%	82%
Depends/Neutral	4%	3%	3%
Unsure/Refused	7%	4%	4%

How worried are you about the impact of record-high illegal immigration on government spending and welfare programs?

Bar chart:

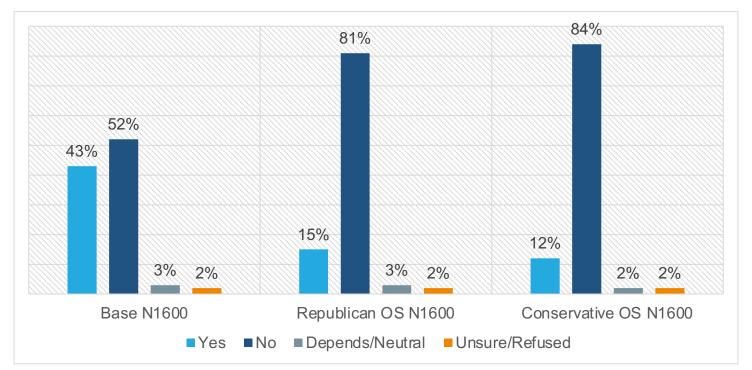| Category	Worried	Not Worried	Depends/Neutral	Unsure/Refused
Base N1600	64%	31%	2%	3%
Republican OS N1600	91%	6%	1%	2%
Conservative OS N1600	92%	6%	1%	1%

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Do you believe the government should require you to get vaccinated for COVID-19?

	Yes	No	Depends/Neutral	Unsure/Refused
Base N1600	44%	51%	2%	2%
Republican OS N1600	15%	80%	3%	2%
Conservative OS N1600	13%	83%	2%	1%

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Do you believe businesses should require their employees to be vaccinated or lose their jobs?

	Base N1600	Republican OS N1600	Conservative OS N1600
Yes	43%	15%	12%
No	52%	81%	84%
Depends/Neutral	3%	3%	2%
Unsure/Refused	2%	2%	2%

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Do you believe local governments should require police and firefighters to be vaccinated or lose their jobs?

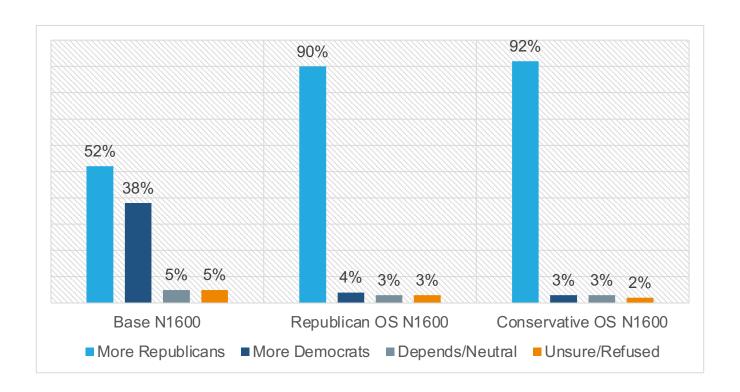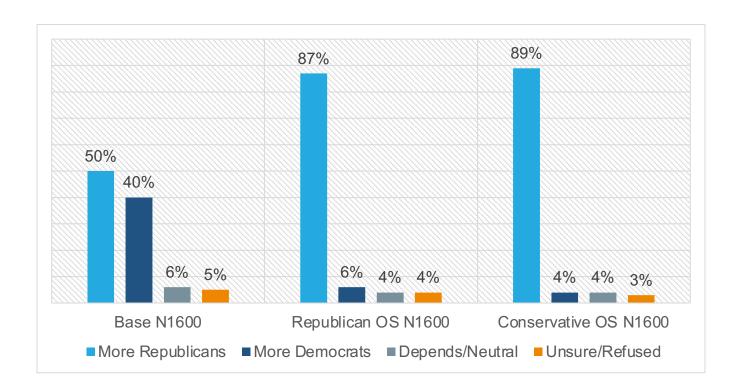# Do you approve or disapprove of how Joe Biden is handling the issue of crime?

	Approve	Disapprove	Depends/Neutral	Unsure/Refused
Base N1600	36%	51%	4%	10%
Republican OS N1600	7%	85%	3%	5%
Conservative OS N1600	6%	87%	2%	5%

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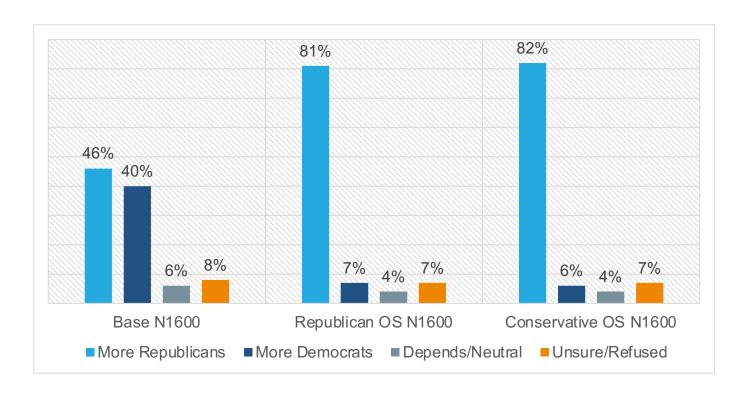# On each of the following issues, please indicate whether you trust Republicans or Democrats more… Police Funding

Base N1600 — More Republicans 52%, More Democrats 38%, Depends/Neutral 5%, Unsure/Refused 5%

Republican OS N1600 — More Republicans 90%, More Democrats 4%, Depends/Neutral 3%, Unsure/Refused 3%

Conservative OS N1600 — More Republicans 92%, More Democrats 3%, Depends/Neutral 3%, Unsure/Refused 2%

■ More Republicans ■ More Democrats ■ Depends/Neutral ■ Unsure/Refused

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On each of the following issues, please indicate whether you trust Republicans or Democrats more… Crime

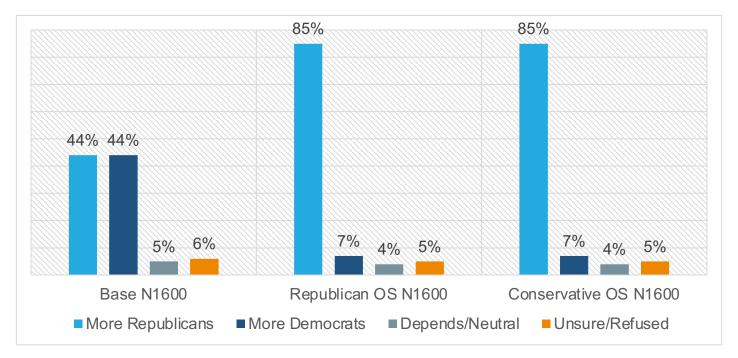Base N1600: More Republicans 50%, More Democrats 40%, Depends/Neutral 6%, Unsure/Refused 5%

Republican OS N1600: More Republicans 87%, More Democrats 6%, Depends/Neutral 4%, Unsure/Refused 4%

Conservative OS N1600: More Republicans 89%, More Democrats 4%, Depends/Neutral 4%, Unsure/Refused 3%

Legend: More Republicans, More Democrats, Depends/Neutral, Unsure/Refused

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On each of the following issues, please indicate whether you trust Republicans or Democrats more… Capital Punishment

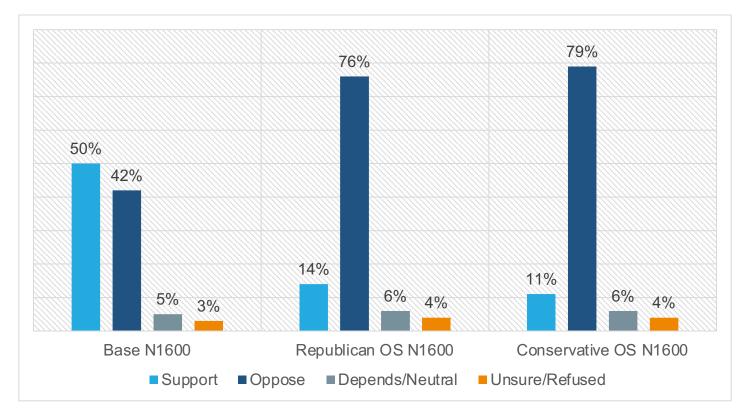|	More Republicans	More Democrats	Depends/Neutral	Unsure/Refused
Base N1600	46%	40%	6%	8%
Republican OS N1600	81%	7%	4%	7%
Conservative OS N1600	82%	6%	4%	7%

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On each of the following issues, please indicate whether you trust Republicans or Democrats more… Criminal Justice Reform

	More Republicans	More Democrats	Depends/Neutral	Unsure/Refused
Base N1600	44%	44%	5%	6%
Republican OS N1600	85%	7%	4%	5%
Conservative OS N1600	85%	7%	4%	5%

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Do you support or oppose the Black Lives Matter movement?

Do you support or oppose reducing the budget of the police department in your community, even if that means fewer police officers, if the money is shifted to programs related to mental health, housing, and education?
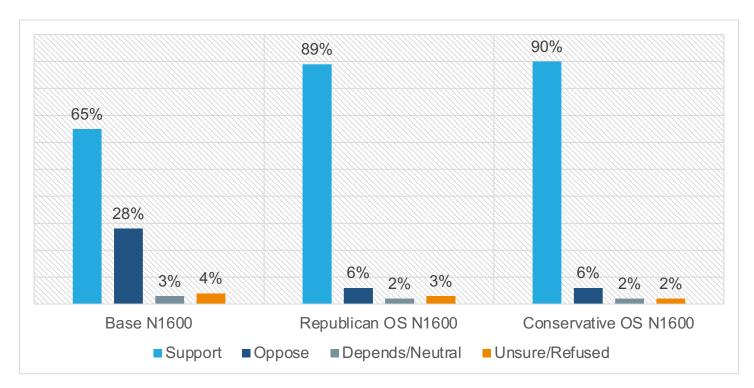
Executive Summary

The vast majority of Republicans (78%) and Conservatives (82%) have an unfavorable opinion of the American Jobs Plan

Over 6-in-10 (65%) support initiatives like Voter ID laws

    89% of Republicans and 90% of Conservatives are supportive of these initiatives

The majority of respondents (51%) believe that the government should not require everyone to get the COVID vaccine

    This number increases when talking about Republicans (80%) and Conservatives (83%)

Over 8-in-10 Republicans (82%) and Conservatives (86%) are concerned with the spread of CRT in schools

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