

## OVERVIEW

The study was conducted for CNN via telephone by SSRS, an independent research company. Interviews were conducted from August 28-September 1, 2020 among a sample of $\mathbf{1 , 1 0 6}$ respondents. The landline total respondents were $\mathbf{4 0 5}$ and there were $\mathbf{7 0 1}$ cell phone respondents. The margin of sampling error for total respondents is $+/-\mathbf{3 . 8}$ at the $95 \%$ confidence level. The design effect is $\mathbf{1 . 7 0}$. More information about SSRS can be obtained by visiting www.ssrs.com. Unless otherwise noted, results beginning with the March 31-April 2, 2006 survey and ending with the April 22-25, 2017 survey are from surveys conducted by ORC International. Results before March 31, 2006 are from surveys conducted by Gallup.

Question text noted in parentheses was rotated or randomized. Values less than 0.5 percent are indicated by an asterisk (*).

## NOTE ABOUT CROSSTABS

Interviews were conducted among a representative sample of the adult population, age 18 or older, of the United States. Members of demographic groups not shown in the published crosstabs are represented in the results for each question in the poll. Crosstabs on the pages that follow only include results for subgroups with a minimum $\mathrm{N}=125$ unweighted cases. Results for subgroups with fewer than $\mathrm{N}=125$ unweighted cases are not displayed and instead are denoted with "SN" because samples of that size carry larger margins of sampling error and can be too small to be projectable with confidence to their true values in the population.

EMBARGOED FOR RELEASE:

Friday, September 4 at 6:00 a.m.

A2. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling (INSERT ITEM)? [ITEMS READ IN RANDOM ORDER]

| Race relations | Approve | Disapprove | No opinion |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Aug. 28-Sept. 01, 2020 | $34 \%$ | $57 \%$ | $8 \%$ |
| June 2-5, 2020 | $31 \%$ | $63 \%$ | $6 \%$ |
| September 26-28, 2017 | $30 \%$ | $63 \%$ | $7 \%$ |
| September 17-20, 2017 | $33 \%$ | $59 \%$ | $8 \%$ |

FV1. We'd like to get your overall opinion of some people in the news. As I read each name, please say if you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of these people - or if you have never heard of them. [NAMES READ IN RANDOM ORDER] [ITEM BLM ALWAYS LAST]

| (BLM) The Black Lives <br> Matter movement | Favorable Opinion | Unfavorable <br> Opinion | Never heard of <br> (vol.) | No opinion |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Aug. 28-Sept. 01, 2020 | $51 \%$ | $38 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $7 \%$ |

CNN/ORC TRENDS FOR COMPARISON

|  | Favorable | Unfavorable | Never heard of | No opinion |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2016 Sep 28-Oct 2 | 44\% | 40\% | 5\% | 11\% |
| 2015 August 13-16 | 37\% | 30\% | 24\% | 9\% |

C_1. How well are things going in the country today - very well, fairly well, pretty badly, or very badly?

|  | NET <br> Very/ <br> Fairly <br> well | Very well | Fairly well | NET Pretty/ Very badly | Pretty <br> badly | Very <br> Badly | No opinion |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Aug. 28-Sept. 01, 2020 | 34\% | 9\% | 25\% | 64\% | 35\% | 30\% | 2\% |
| January 16-19, 2020 | 55\% | 21\% | 34\% | 43\% | 25\% | 18\% | 2\% |
| June 28-30, 2019 | 57\% | 18\% | 38\% | 42\% | 25\% | 17\% | 2\% |
| November 01-03, 2018 | 55\% | 19\% | 36\% | 44\% | 23\% | 21\% | 2\% |
| October 04-07, 2018 | 53\% | 18\% | 35\% | 45\% | 26\% | 20\% | 1\% |
| May 02-05, 2018 | 57\% | 13\% | 45\% | 40\% | 28\% | 12\% | 2\% |
| February 20-23, 2018 | 49\% | 13\% | 36\% | 49\% | 28\% | 21\% | 2\% |
| October 12-15, 2017 | 46\% | 8\% | 38\% | 51\% | 30\% | 21\% | 3\% |
| August 03-06, 2017 | 53\% | 9\% | 44\% | 45\% | 30\% | 15\% | 2\% |
| April 22-25, 2017 | 54\% | 6\% | 48\% | 44\% | 31\% | 13\% | 1\% |
| Jan. 31 - Feb. 2, 2017 | 46\% | 8\% | 38\% | 53\% | 33\% | 20\% | * |
| January 12-15, 2017 | 50\% | 5\% | 45\% | 50\% | 35\% | 15\% | 1\% |
| November 17-20, 2016 | 47\% | 5\% | 42\% | 53\% | 34\% | 19\% | * |
| October 20-23, 2016 | 54\% | 11\% | 43\% | 46\% | 25\% | 21\% | * |
| July 29-31, 2016 | 46\% | 8\% | 38\% | 54\% | 28\% | 26\% | * |
| June 16-19, 2016 | 44\% | 6\% | 38\% | 56\% | 36\% | 20\% | 1\% |
| Apr. 28-May 1, 2016 | 49\% | 9\% | 40\% | 51\% | 28\% | 23\% | * |
| Jan. 21-24, 2016 | 42\% | 6\% | 36\% | 57\% | 35\% | 22\% | 1\% |
| Nov. 27 - Dec. 1, 2015 | 49\% | 5\% | 44\% | 50\% | 30\% | 20\% | * |
| August 13-16, 2015 | 48\% | 7\% | 41\% | 52\% | 33\% | 19\% | * |
| May 29-31, 2015 | 47\% | 4\% | 43\% | 52\% | 35\% | 17\% | * |
| Mar. 13-15, 2015 | 53\% | 7\% | 46\% | 46\% | 32\% | 14\% | * |
| Nov. 21-23, 2014 | 52\% | 8\% | 44\% | 48\% | 33\% | 15\% | * |
| Sept. 25-28, 2014 | 50\% | 3\% | 47\% | 49\% | 30\% | 19\% | 1\% |
| Sept. 5-7, 2014 | 44\% | 4\% | 40\% | 55\% | 31\% | 24\% | * |
| May 29-June 1, 2014 | 47\% | 3\% | 44\% | 53\% | 35\% | 18\% | * |
| March 7-9, 2014 | 45\% | 4\% | 41\% | 55\% | 36\% | 19\% | * |
| Nov. 18-20, 2013 | 41\% | 6\% | 35\% | 59\% | 37\% | 22\% | * |
| Sept. 6-8, 2013 | 46\% | 4\% | 42\% | 53\% | 34\% | 19 | * |
| April 5-7, 2013 | 50\% | 7\% | 43\% | 50\% | 26\% | 24\% | * |
| Jan. 14-15, 2013 | 49\% | 3\% | 46\% | 51\% | 36\% | 15\% | * |
| April 5-7, 2013 | 50\% | 7\% | 43\% | 50\% | 26\% | 24\% | * |
| Jan. 14-15, 2013 | 49\% | 3\% | 46\% | 51\% | 36\% | 15\% | * |

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C_1. How well are things going in the country today - very well, fairly well, pretty badly, or very badly? (CONTINUED)

CNN/ORC TRENDS FOR COMPARISON
$\left.\begin{array}{|llllllll|}\hline & \begin{array}{l}\text { Very/ Very/ } \\ \text { fairly } \\ \text { pretty } \\ \text { well }\end{array} & & & \begin{array}{l}\text { Vadly } \\ \text { fairly }\end{array} & & \text { Very/ } \\ \text { pretty }\end{array}\right)$
(FURTHER TRENDS ON NEXT PAGE)

C_1. How well are things going in the country today -- very well, fairly well, pretty badly or very badly? (CONTINUED)

Trends from 1974 to May, 2004: CNN/Time or Time magazine polls;

| Trends from October, 2004 to Feb, 2006: CNN/USA Today/Gallup polls |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  | Very/ <br> fairly <br> well | Very/ <br> pretty <br> badly |  | Very/ fairly well | Very/ pretty badly |  | Very/ fairly well | Very/ <br> pretty <br> badly |  | Very/ <br> fairly <br> well | Very/ <br> pretty <br> badly |  | Very/ <br> fairly <br> well | Very/ <br> pretty <br> badly |
| 2006 Feb 9-12 | 52\% | 47\% | 1999 Mar 25 | 70\% | 29\% | 1994 Sep | 45\% | 53\% | 1991 Apr | 56\% | 42\% | 1981 Jan | 26\% | 74 |
| 2005 Nov 11-13 | 49\% | 50\% | 1999 Mar 4 | 73\% | 26\% | 1994 Sep | 46\% | 53\% | 1991 Apr | 59\% | 41\% | 1980 Oct | 32\% | 68\% |
| 2005 Sep 8-11 | 50\% | 50\% | 1999 Jan 20-21 | 77\% | 22\% | 1994 Sep | 42\% | 57\% | 1991 Mar | 74\% | 26\% | 1980 Aug | 30\% | 70\% |
| 2005 July 23-24 | 58\% | 41\% | 1999 Jan 7 | 74\% | 25\% | 1994 Aug | 42\% | 58\% | 1991 Feb | 58\% | 42\% | 1980 May | 21\% | 79\% |
| 2005 April 1-2 | 61\% | 38\% | 1998 Dec 17-18 | 60\% | 38\% | 1994 Aug | 45\% | 52\% | 1991 Jan | 39\% | 61\% | 1980 Mar | 24\% | 76\% |
| 2005 Jan 7-9 | 58\% | 41\% | 1998 Oct 14-15 | 78\% | 21\% | 1994 Aug | 49\% | 50\% | 1990 Dec | 45\% | 55\% | 1980 Jan | 34\% | 65\% |
| 2004 Oct 29-31 | 55\% | 44\% | 1998 Sep 23-24 | 72\% | 26\% | 1994 Jul | 51\% | 48\% | 1990 Nov | 42\% | 58\% | 1979 Dec | 36\% | 64\% |
| 2004 Oct 9-10 | 54\% | 46\% | 1998 Sep 16-17 | 72\% | 25\% | 1994 Jun | 49\% | 49\% | 1990 Oct | 38\% | 62\% | 1979 Oct | 36\% | 68\% |
| 2004 May 12-13 | 60\% | 39\% | 1998 Aug 18 | 77\% | 21\% | 1994 Jun | 56\% | 41\% | 1990 Oct | 41\% | 59\% | 1979 Aug | 31\% | 70\% |
| 2004 Apr 8 | 63\% | 36\% | 1998 Jul 30 | 68\% | 31\% | 1994 May | 48\% | 51\% | 1990 Oct | 42\% | 58\% | 1979 Apr | 36\% | 65\% |
| 2004 Feb 5-6 | 52\% | 47\% | 1998 Jun 30-Jul 1 | 67\% | 31\% | 1994 May | 49\% | 50\% | 1990 Sep | 52\% | 48\% | 1978 Oct | 56\% | 44\% |
| 2004 Jan 14-15 | 53\% | 46\% | 1998 Jun 26-Jul 5 | 55\% | 44\% | 1994 Apr | 47\% | 52\% | 1990 Aug | 55\% | 45\% | 1978 May | 49\% | 51\% |
| 2003 Dec 30-Jan 1 | 49\% | 49\% | 1998 May 18-19 | 66\% | 30\% | 1994 Apr | 53\% | 44\% | 1990 Jul | 55\% | 45\% | 1978 Mar | 53\% | 47\% |
| 2003 Nov 18-19 | 52\% | 46\% | 1998 Apr 8-9 | 70\% | 30\% | 1994 Mar | 48\% | 49\% | 1990 May | 61\% | 37\% | 1977 Nov | 64\% | 35\% |
| 2003 Sep 3-4 | 49\% | 49\% | 1998 Mar 18-19 | 76\% | 25\% | 1994 Mar | 49\% | 50\% | 1990 Apr | 62\% | 38\% | 1977 Jul | 69\% | 31\% |
| 2003 Jul 16-17 | 57\% | 42\% | 1998 Feb 4-5 | 74\% | 25\% | 1994 Feb | 47\% | 51\% | 1990 Mar | 62\% | 38\% | 1977 May | 65\% | 35\% |
| 2003 May 21-22 | 60\% | 39\% | 1998 Jan 28-29 | 79\% | 19\% | 1994 Jan | 52\% | 47\% | 1990 Feb | 70\% | 30\% | 1977 Mar | 69\% | 31\% |
| 2003 Mar 27 | 63\% | 36\% | 1998 Jan 22 | 68\% | 31\% | 1993 Dec | 48\% | 50\% | 1990 Jan | 67\% | 33\% | 1976 Oct | 56\% | 44\% |
| 2003 Feb 19-20 | 52\% | 47\% | 1998 Jan 14-15 | 65\% | 32\% | 1993 Nov | 45\% | 54\% | 1989 Oct | 62\% | 38\% | 1976 Sep | 57\% | 44\% |
| 2003 Feb 6 | 53\% | 46\% | 1997 Oct 30 | 67\% | 31\% | 1993 Oct | 40\% | 58\% | 1989 Jun | 61\% | 39\% | 1976 Aug | 60\% | 40\% |
| 2003 Jan 15-16 | 49\% | 49\% | 1997 Sep 10-11 | 63\% | 34\% | 1993 Oct | 39\% | 58\% | 1989 Jan | 69\% | 31\% | 1976 Jun | 50\% | 50\% |
| 2002 Dec 17-18 | 54\% | 45\% | 1997 Jul 30-31 | 69\% | 29\% | 1993 Oct | 41\% | 59\% | 1988 Oct | 70\% | 31\%\% | 1976 Apr | 52\% | 48\% |
| 2002 Nov 13-14 | 56\% | 42\% | 1997 Jun 4-5 | 64\% | 34\% | 1993 Sep | 47\% | 52\% | 1988 Sep | 73\% | 27\% | 1976 Jan | 46\% | 55\% |
| 2002 Oct 23-24 | 49\% | 49\% | 1997 May 7-8 | 63\% | 35\% | 1993 Sep | 42\% | 57\% | 1988 Apr | 64\% | 40\% | 1975 May | 40\% | 61\% |
| 2002 Aug 28-29 | 57\% | 41\% | 1997 Apr 16-17 | 62\% | 37\% | 1993 Aug | 39\% | 58\% | 1988 Mar | 65\% | 33\% | 1975 Jan | 23\% | 78\% |
| 2002 Jul 10-11 | 59\% | 39\% | 1997 Mar 11-12 | 57\% | 41\% | 1993 Aug | 41\% | 57\% | 1988 Feb | 60\% | 37\% | 1974 Sep | 30\% | 70\% |
| 2002 Jun 19-20 | 57\% | 41\% | 1997 Feb 26-27 | 64\% | 35\% | 1993 Jun | 41\% | 56\% | 1988 Jan | 62\% | 38\% | 1974 Mar | 29\% | 71\% |
| 2002 May 22-23 | 64\% | 35\% | 1997 Feb 5-6 | 67\% | 33\% | 1993 May | 40\% | 58\% | 1987 Oct | 58\% | 42\% |  |  |  |
| 2002 Apr 10-11 | 61\% | 38\% | 1997 Jan 8-9 | 63\% | 35\% | 1993 May | 43\% | 56\% | 1987 Aug | 61\% | 39\% |  |  |  |
| 2002 Mar 13-14 | 69\% | 29\% | 1996 Oct | 67\% | 32\% | 1993 Apr | 45\% | 53\% | 1987 May | 64\% | 37\% |  |  |  |
| 2002 Jan 23-24 | 66\% | 34\% | 1996 Jun | 61\% | 37\% | 1993 Mar | 48\% | 50\% | 1987 Feb | 61\% | 40\% |  |  |  |
| 2001 Dec 19-20 | 64\% | 34\% | 1996 Jun | 62\% | 37\% | 1993 Feb | 48\% | 49\% | 1987 Jan | 61\% | 39\% |  |  |  |
| 2001 Nov 7-8 | 63\% | 35\% | 1996 Feb | 53\% | 44\% | 1993 Feb | 48\% | 49\% | 1986 Sep | 63\% | 37\% |  |  |  |
| 2001 Oct 12 | 65\% | 33\% | 1996 Jan | 48\% | 50\% | 1993 Jan | 53\% | 45\% | 1986 Jul | 69\% | 31\% |  |  |  |
| 2001 Sep 27 | 59\% | 38\% | 1996 Jan | 48\% | 50\% | 1993 Jan | 47\% | 52\% | 1986 May | 65\% | 34\% |  |  |  |
| 2001 Sep 13 | 45\% | 53\% | 1995 Dec | 54\% | 44\% | 1992 Oct | 35\% | 65\% | 1986 Apr | 67\% | 32\% |  |  |  |
| 2001 Jul 17-18 | 70\% | 29\% | 1995 Oct | 46\% | 52\% | 1992 Sep | 32\% | 68\% | 1985 Nov | 70\% | 31\% |  |  |  |
| 2001 May 23-24 | 65\% | 33\% | 1995 Oct | 47\% | 51\% | 1992 Aug | 35\% | 63\% | 1985 Sep | 67\% | 33\% |  |  |  |
| 2001 Feb 7-8 | 71\% | 28\% | 1995 Sep | 50\% | 49\% | 1992 Jul | 31\% | 67\% | 1985 Jul | 70\% | 31\% |  |  |  |
| 2001 Jan 10-11 | 73\% | 24\% | 1995 Sep | 50\% | 49\% | 1992 Jun | 35\% | 62\% | 1985 Apr | 69\% | 32\% |  |  |  |
| 2000 Nov 10 | 74\% | 25\% | 1995 Aug | 47\% | 52\% | 1992 Jun | 33\% | 65\% | 1984 Dec | 74\% | 26\% |  |  |  |
| 2000 Oct 25-26 | 79\% | 19\% | 1995 Jul | 51\% | 47\% | 1992 May | 30\% | 68\% | 1984 Oct | 74\% | 26\% |  |  |  |
| 2000 Oct 12-13 | 76\% | 22\% | 1995 Jun | 53\% | 47\% | 1992 Apr | 33\% | 65\% | 1984 Sep | 71\% | 30\% |  |  |  |
| 2000 Oct 4-5 | 77\% | 22\% | 1995 Jun | 45\% | 51\% | 1992 Mar | 33\% | 66\% | 1984 Aug | 68\% | 32\% |  |  |  |
| 2000 Sep 6-7 | 79\% | 19\% | 1995 May | 50\% | 49\% | 1992 Feb | 35\% | 62\% | 1984 Jan | 67\% | 32\% |  |  |  |
| 2000 Aug 9-10 | 77\% | 21\% | 1995 Apr | 46\% | 52\% | 1992 Jan | 29\% | 71\% | 1983 Dec | 60\% | 40\% |  |  |  |
| 2000 Jul 26-27 | 74\% | 24\% | 1995 Mar | 52\% | 46\% | 1992 Jan | 35\% | 64\% | 1983 Sep | 56\% | 45\% |  |  |  |
| 2000 Jun 14-15 | 72\% | 27\% | 1995 Mar | 49\% | 48\% | 1992 Jan | 36\% | 64\% | 1983 Jun | 58\% | 41\% |  |  |  |
| 2000 Mar 8-9 | 76\% | 22\% | 1995 Feb | 54\% | 44\% | 1991 Dec | 29\% | 71\% | 1983 Mar | 46\% | 55\% |  |  |  |
| 2000 Feb 2-3 | 78\% | 17\% | 1995 Jan | 58\% | 41\% | 1991 Nov | 36\% | 64\% | 1982 Dec | 35\% | 65\% |  |  |  |
| 2000 Jan 12-13 | 81\% | 19\% | 1995 Jan | 56\% | 43\% | 1991 Oct | 42\% | 56\% | 1982 Oct | 40\% | 60\% |  |  |  |
| 2000 Jan 5-6 | 80\% | 19\% | 1995 Jan | 54\% | 44\% | 1991 Oct | 42\% | 58\% | 1982 Jun | 40\% | 60\% |  |  |  |
| 1999 Nov 10-11 | 68\% | 30\% | 1994 Dec | 55\% | 44\% | 1991 Sep | 49\% | 49\% | 1982 Mar | 39\% | 62\% |  |  |  |
| 1999 Jul 14-15 | 70\% | 28\% | 1994 Nov | 49\% | 48\% | 1991 Aug | 53\% | 47\% | 1981 Dec | 43\% | 58\% |  |  |  |
| 1999 Jun 9-10 | 69\% | 31\% | 1994 Oct | 50\% | 49\% | 1991 Jun | 53\% | 47\% | 1981 Sep | 53\% | 47\% |  |  |  |
| 1999 May 26-27 | 61\% | 37\% | 1994 Oct | 51\% | 47\% | 1991 May | 53\% | 47\% | 1981 May | 51\% | 50\% |  |  |  |

R1. How big a problem is racism in our society today? Is it a big problem, somewhat of a problem, a small problem, or not a problem at all?

|  | NET <br> Big/ <br> Some- <br> what of a <br> problem | A big <br> problem | Some- <br> what of a <br> problem | NET <br> Small/ <br> Not a <br> problem | A small <br> problem | Not a <br> problem <br> at all | No <br> opinion |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Aug 28-Sept 1, 2020 | $\mathbf{8 4 \%}$ | $55 \%$ | $29 \%$ | $\mathbf{1 5 \%}$ | $9 \%$ | $6 \%$ | $\mathbf{1 \%}$ |
| White non-Hispanic (n=768) | $\mathbf{8 4 \%}$ | $51 \%$ | $33 \%$ | $\mathbf{1 5 \%}$ | $10 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $\mathbf{1 \%}$ |
| Black non-Hispanic (n=101) | $\mathbf{9 1 \%}$ | $78 \%$ | $13 \%$ | $\mathbf{8 \%}$ | $4 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $*$ |
| June 2-5, 2020 | $\mathbf{8 9 \%}$ | $67 \%$ | $22 \%$ | $\mathbf{1 0 \%}$ | $6 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $\mathbf{1 \%}$ |
| White non-Hispanic ( $\mathbf{n}=\mathbf{6 3 4}$ ) | $\mathbf{8 8 \%}$ | $60 \%$ | $27 \%$ | $\mathbf{1 1 \%}$ | $\mathbf{7 \%}$ | $\mathbf{4 \%}$ | $\mathbf{1 \%}$ |
| Black non-Hispanic ( $\mathbf{n}=\mathbf{3 6 2}$ ) | $\mathbf{9 7 \%}$ | $88 \%$ | $9 \%$ | $\mathbf{3 \%}$ | $\mathbf{2 \%}$ | $\mathbf{1 \%}$ | $\mathbf{0 \%}$ |

## CNN/KFF TRENDS FOR COMPARISON

|  | NET <br> Big/ <br> Somewhat of a problem | A big problem | Somewhat of a problem | NET <br> Small/ <br> Not a problem | A small problem | Not a problem at all | Don't know/ Refused | $N$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 10/15 | 83\% | 49\% | 33\% | 16\% | 9\% | 7\% | 2\% | (1951) |
| 11/11 | 76\% | 28\% | 48\% | 23\% | 16\% | 8\% | 1\% | (1936) |
| 7/2/96 | 88\% | 53\% | 35\% | 11\% | 8\% | 3\% | 2\% | (1016) |
| 7/7/96 | 89\% | 54\% | 35\% | 11\% | 8\% | 3\% | 1\% | (2024) |
| 10/95 | 84\% | 48\% | 36\% | 15\% | 9\% | 6\% | 1\% | (684) |
| 9/95 | 83\% | 41\% | 42\% | 16\% | 12\% | 4\% | 1\% | (1970) |
| White nonHispanic |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 10/15 | 82\% | 43\% | 38\% | 17\% | 11\% | 6\% | 2\% | (772) |
| 11/11 | 75\% | 21\% | 53\% | 24\% | 17\% | 7\% | 1\% | (698) |
| 9/95 | 83\% | 38\% | 45\% | 17\% | 13\% | 4\% | 1\% | (802) |
| Black nonHispanic |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 10/15 | 92\% | 66\% | 27\% | 7\% | 3\% | 3\% | 1\% | (501) |
| 11/11 | 88\% | 50\% | 38\% | 12\% | 7\% | 4\% | 0\% | (1019) |
| 9/95 | 95\% | 68\% | 27\% | 5\% | 5\% | 1\% | 0\% | (474) |

READ TO ALL: Thinking about the protests that have occurred recently after incidents where African Americans have been harmed or killed by police...
[ORDER OF R2A AND R2B ROTATED]
R2A. In general, do you think the peaceful protests that have occurred in response to those situations have been justified or unjustified?

|  | Justified | Unjustified | No opinion |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Aug. 28-Sept. 01, 2020 | $72 \%$ | $24 \%$ | $5 \%$ |
| White non-Hispanic ( $\mathbf{n}=\mathbf{7 6 8}$ ) | $74 \%$ | $21 \%$ | $5 \%$ |
| Black non-Hispanic $\mathbf{n}=\mathbf{1 0 1 )}$ | $79 \%$ | $21 \%$ | $*$ |
| June 2-5, 2020 | $84 \%$ | $12 \%$ | $4 \%$ |
| White non-Hispanic $(\mathbf{n}=\mathbf{6 3 4})$ | $88 \%$ | $9 \%$ | $3 \%$ |
| Black non-Hispanic $\mathbf{n}=\mathbf{3 6 2})$ | $80 \%$ | $17 \%$ | $3 \%$ |

## CNN/ORC TRENDS FOR COMPARISON

|  | Justified | Unjustified | No opinion |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2016 Sept. 28-Oct. 2 | 67\% | 30\% | 4\% |
| White non-Hispanic ( $\mathrm{n}=1,086$ ) | 67\% | 30\% | 3\% |
| Black non-Hispanic ( $\mathrm{n}=140$ ) | 71\% | 28\% | * |

R2B. In general, do you think the violent protests that have occurred in response to those situations have been justified or unjustified?

|  | Justified | Unjustified | No opinion |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Aug. 28-Sept. 01, 2020 | $24 \%$ | $71 \%$ | $5 \%$ |
| White non-Hispanic ( $\mathbf{n}=\mathbf{7 6 8}$ ) | $24 \%$ | $72 \%$ | $4 \%$ |
| Black non-Hispanic $\mathbf{n}=\mathbf{1 0 1 )}$ | $37 \%$ | $57 \%$ | $6 \%$ |
| June 2-5, 2020 | $27 \%$ | $69 \%$ | $4 \%$ |
| White non-Hispanic (n=634) | $23 \%$ | $73 \%$ | $4 \%$ |
| Black non-Hispanic ( $\mathbf{n}=\mathbf{3 6 2})$ | $39 \%$ | $58 \%$ | $3 \%$ |

## CNN/ORC TRENDS FOR COMPARISON

| 2016 Sept. 28-Oct. 2 | $\frac{\text { Justified }}{}$ |  | Unjustified |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| White non-Hispanic $(n=1,086)$ | $14 \%$ |  | No opinion |
| Black non-Hispanic $(n=140)$ | $9 \%$ |  | $90 \%$ |
| $2 \%$ |  | $1 \%$ |  |

R3. Do you support or oppose federal government intervention in cities where protests over police brutality have turned violent?

|  | Support | Oppose | No opinion |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Aug. 28-Sept. 01, 2020 | $48 \%$ | $47 \%$ | $4 \%$ |

R4. Do you think Donald Trump's response to recent protests has been: [RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

|  | More helpful | More harmful | No opinion |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Aug. 28-Sept. 01, 2020 | $33 \%$ | $58 \%$ | $9 \%$ |
| June 2-5, 2020 | $26 \%$ | $65 \%$ | $9 \%$ |

R5. How likely do you think it is that there will be real changes in the way Blacks and other racial and ethnic minorities are treated in American society because of the protests that have happened this summer? [RESPONSES ROTATED IN ORDER FOR HALF/IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

|  | NET <br> Likely | Very likely | Somewhat <br> likely | NET Not <br> likely | Not too <br> likely | Not at all <br> likely | No opinion |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Aug 28-Sept 1, 2020 | $\mathbf{6 0 \%}$ | $14 \%$ | $47 \%$ | $\mathbf{3 7 \%}$ | $22 \%$ | $15 \%$ | $\mathbf{3 \%}$ |

## MORE ON METHODOLOGY

A total of $\mathbf{1 , 1 0 6}$ adults, including an oversample of $\mathbf{3 0 3}$ adults living in 15 battleground states (Arizona, Florida, Georgia, Iowa, Maine, Michigan, Minnesota, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Mexico, North Carolina, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Texas, and Wisconsin) were interviewed by telephone nationwide by live interviewers calling both landline and cell phones. Oversampled states have been weighted to represent their proper share of the adult population. Interviews were conducted in English and Spanish. Among the entire sample, 30\% described themselves as Democrats, $\mathbf{2 7 \%}$ described themselves as Republicans, and $\mathbf{4 3} \%$ described themselves as independents or members of another party.

All respondents were asked questions concerning basic demographics, and the entire sample was weighted to reflect national Census figures for gender, race, age, education, region of country, and telephone usage.

Results for the full sample have a margin of sampling error of $+/-3.8$ percentage points. For the sample of 997 registered voters, it is $+/-4.0$ percentage points. For the subset of 640 adults living in the 15 battleground states, it is $+/-5.2$ percentage points.

Interviews were conducted among a representative sample of the adult population, age 18 or older, of the United States. Members of demographic groups not shown in the published crosstabs are represented in the results for each question in the poll. Crosstabs on the pages that follow only include results for subgroups with a minimum $\mathrm{N}=125$ unweighted cases. Results for subgroups with fewer than $\mathrm{N}=125$ unweighted cases are not displayed and instead are denoted with "SN" because samples of that size carry larger margins of sampling error and can be too small to be projectable with confidence to their true values in the population.

CNN/SSRS Poll -- August 28, 2020 to September 01, 2020

TABLE 013
Question A2o
A20. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling Race Relations?
Base: Total Respondents

Approve
Disapprove
Don't know/Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)

Approve
Disapprove
Don't know/Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)

Approve
Disapprove
Don't know/Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)

Approve
Disapprove
Don't know/Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)

Approve
Disapprove
Don't know/Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)

|  |  |  | Ppl <br> of | Trump <br> ap- | Trump <br> disap |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Total | Men | Women | White | Color <br> $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ |
| prove | prove |  |  |  |  |  |


| Total | $18-34$ | $35-49$ | $50-64$ | $65+$ | $<45$ | $45+$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ |
| $34 \%$ | $25 \%$ | $34 \%$ | $41 \%$ | $38 \%$ | $29 \%$ | $39 \%$ |
| $57 \%$ | $63 \%$ | $58 \%$ | $52 \%$ | $56 \%$ | $60 \%$ | $55 \%$ |
| $8 \%$ | $12 \%$ | $7 \%$ | $7 \%$ | $6 \%$ | $11 \%$ | $6 \%$ |
| 3.8 | 8.7 | 8.5 | 6.5 | 6.2 | 6.8 | 4.3 |


|  |  | Non- <br> coll. | Coll. | White <br> non- <br> grad. | White <br> coll. |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Total | $<\$ 50 \mathrm{~K}$ | $\$ 50 \mathrm{~K}+$ | grad <br> $=====$ <br> $=====$ <br> grad. |  |  |  |
| $34 \%$ | $30 \%$ | $38 \%$ | $38 \%$ | $28 \%$ | $43 \%$ | $32 \%$ |
| $57 \%$ | $61 \%$ | $57 \%$ | $53 \%$ | $66 \%$ | $48 \%$ | $65 \%$ |
| $8 \%$ | $10 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $9 \%$ | $6 \%$ | $9 \%$ | $3 \%$ |
| 3.8 | 6.6 | 4.9 | 5.0 | 5.8 | 6.1 | 6.6 |


| Demo- | Indep <br> endnt | Repub <br> Crat | Other | Lib- <br> liban | Mode- <br> eral <br> rate | serva <br> Tive |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ |
| $34 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $26 \%$ | $83 \%$ | $7 \%$ | $24 \%$ | $66 \%$ |
| $57 \%$ | $96 \%$ | $61 \%$ | $12 \%$ | $89 \%$ | $70 \%$ | $26 \%$ |
| $8 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $13 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $6 \%$ | $8 \%$ |
| 3.8 | 6.8 | 6.4 | 6.8 | 8.4 | 6.0 | 6.5 |


|  | Lean <br> Demo- <br> crat | Lean <br> Repub <br> lican | Reg. <br> voter | Biden <br> Supp- <br> orter | Trump <br> Supp- <br> orter |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ |
| $34 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $78 \%$ | $37 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $82 \%$ |
| $57 \%$ | $95 \%$ | $13 \%$ | $57 \%$ | $97 \%$ | $9 \%$ |
| $8 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $9 \%$ | $7 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $9 \%$ |
| 3.8 | 5.4 | 5.7 | 4.0 | 5.6 | 6.1 |

CNN/SSRS Poll -- August 28, 2020 to September 01, 2020
TABLE 034
Question FV1_BLM
FV1_BLM. We'd like to get your overall opinion of some people in the news. As I read each name, please say if you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of these people - or if you have never heard of them. How about Black Lives Matter?
Base: Total Respondents

Favorable Opinion
Unfavorable Opinion
Never heard of
No opinion (Net)
Heard of, no opinion
Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)

| Total | Men | Women | White | Ppl of Color | Trump approve | Trump disap prove |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 51\% | 44\% | 57\% | 51\% | 54\% | 16\% | 80\% |
| 38\% | 46\% | 31\% | 43\% | 27\% | 70\% | 13\% |
| 4\% | 3\% | 5\% | 1\% | 10\% | 5\% | 2\% |
| 7\% | 8\% | 6\% | 5\% | 9\% | 8\% | 5\% |
| 4\% | 5\% | 4\% | 4\% | 5\% | 5\% | 3\% |
| 3\% | 3\% | 2\% | 1\% | 3\% | 3\% | 1\% |
| 3.8 | 5.2 | 5.7 | 4.6 | 7.1 | 5.9 | 5.2 |

Favorable Opinion

| Total | 18-34 | 35-49 | 50-64 | $65+$ | <45 | 45+ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 51\% | 58\% | 47\% | 48\% | 49\% | 55\% | 48\% |
| 38\% | 32\% | 42\% | 42\% | 37\% | 36\% | 40\% |
| 4\% | 3\% | 7\% | 2\% | 5\% | 4\% | 4\% |
| 7\% | 7\% | 3\% | 7\% | 8\% | 5\% | 7\% |
| 4\% | 5\% | 2\% | 5\% | 6\% | 4\% | 5\% |
| 3\% | 2\% | 1\% | 2\% | 2\% | 2\% | 2\% |
| 3.8 | 8.7 | 8.5 | 6.5 | 6.2 | 6.8 | 4.3 |

Favorable Opinion
Unfavorable Opinion
Never heard of
No opinion (Net)
Heard of, no opinion
Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)

Favorable Opinion
Unfavorable Opinion
Never heard of
No opinion (Net)
Heard of, no opinion
Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)

Favorable Opinion
Unfavorable Opinion
Never heard of
No opinion (Net)
Heard of, no opinion
Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)

|  | Lean <br> Demo- <br> crat | Lean <br> Repub <br> lican <br> Total | Reg. <br> voter <br> $=====$ | Biden <br> Supp- <br> orter | Trump <br> Supp- <br> orter |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $========$ | $======$ | $=====$ |  |  |  |
| $51 \%$ | $80 \%$ | $21 \%$ | $52 \%$ | $84 \%$ | $17 \%$ |
| $38 \%$ | $12 \%$ | $69 \%$ | $40 \%$ | $10 \%$ | $74 \%$ |
| $4 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $1 \%$ |
| $7 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $8 \%$ | $6 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $8 \%$ |
| $4 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $4 \%$ |
| $3 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $3 \%$ |
| 3.8 | 5.4 | 5.7 | 4.0 | 5.6 | 6.1 |

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CNN/SSRS Poll -- August 28, 2020 to September 01, }202
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TABLE 060
Question C_1
C_1. How wéll are things going in the country today - very well, fairly well, pretty badly, or very badly? Bāse: Total Respondents

Very/Fairly well (Net)
Very well
Fairly well
Pretty/Very badly (Net)
Pretty badly
Very badly
Don't know/Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)

Very/Fairly well (Net)
Very well
Fairly well
Pretty/Very badly (Net)
Pretty badly
Very badly
Don't know/Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)

Very/Fairly well (Net)
Very well
Fairly well
Pretty/Very badly (Net)
Pretty badly
Very badly
Don't know/Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)
Very/Fairly well (Net)
Very well
Fairly well
Pretty/Very badly (Net)
Pretty badly
Very badly
Don't know/Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)

Very/Fairly well (Net)
Very well
Fairly well
Pretty/Very badly (Net)
Pretty badly
Very badly
Don't know/Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)

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CNN/SSRS Poll -- August 28, 2020 to September 01, 2020 (Battleground states)
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TABLE 060
Question C_1
C_1. How wèll are things going in the country today - very well, fairly well, pretty badly, or very badly?
Bāse: Battleground state respondents
Very/Fairly well (Net)
Very well
Fairly well
Pretty/Very badly (Net)
Pretty badly
Very badly
Don't know/Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)
Very/Fairly well (Net)
Very well
Fairly well
Pretty/Very badly (Net)
Pretty badly
Very badly
Don't know/Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)
Very/Fairly well (Net)
Very well
Very well
Fairly well
Pretty/Very
Pretty/Very badly (Net)
Pretty badly
Very badly
Don't know/Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)
Very/Fairly well (Net)
Very well
Fairly well
Pretty/Very
Pretty/Very badly (Net)
Pretty badly
Very badly
Don't know/Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)
Very/Fairly well (Net)
Very well
Fairly well
Pretty/Very badly (Net)
Pretty badly

| Total | Men | Women |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $=====$ | $=====$ | White <br> $=====$ <br> $=====$ | Of <br> Color <br> $=====$ | Reg. <br> voter <br> $=====$ |  |
| $39 \%$ | $44 \%$ | $33 \%$ | $41 \%$ | $34 \%$ | $37 \%$ |
| $10 \%$ | $12 \%$ | $7 \%$ | $10 \%$ | $8 \%$ | $9 \%$ |
| $29 \%$ | $32 \%$ | $27 \%$ | $30 \%$ | $26 \%$ | $28 \%$ |
| $59 \%$ | $53 \%$ | $64 \%$ | $56 \%$ | $66 \%$ | $60 \%$ |
| $32 \%$ | $32 \%$ | $33 \%$ | $33 \%$ | $33 \%$ | $32 \%$ |
| $26 \%$ | $21 \%$ | $31 \%$ | $23 \%$ | $33 \%$ | $28 \%$ |
| $3 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $\star$ | $3 \%$ |
| 5.2 | 6.9 | 7.8 | 6.0 | 9.9 | 5.4 |

Very/Fairly well (Net)
Very well
Fairly well
Pretty/Very badly (Net)
Pretty badly
Very badly
Don't know/Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)

|  |  | Trump <br> ap- | Trump <br> disap |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Total | $<50$ | $50+$ | prove <br> $=====$ | $=====$ |
| prove |  |  |  |  |
| $39 \%$ | $33 \%$ | $45 \%$ | $72 \%$ | $10 \%$ |
| $10 \%$ | $7 \%$ | $12 \%$ | $20 \%$ | $1 \%$ |
| $29 \%$ | $26 \%$ | $33 \%$ | $52 \%$ | $9 \%$ |
| $59 \%$ | $64 \%$ | $53 \%$ | $25 \%$ | $89 \%$ |
| $32 \%$ | $36 \%$ | $28 \%$ | $19 \%$ | $45 \%$ |
| $26 \%$ | $28 \%$ | $25 \%$ | $6 \%$ | $44 \%$ |
| $3 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $1 \%$ |
| 5.2 | 8.6 | 5.7 | 7.3 | 7.5 |


| Total | <\$50K | \$50K+ | Noncoll. grad | Coll. grad. | Non- <br> coll. <br> grad | White Coll. grad. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 39\% | 37\% | 39\% | 42\% | 32\% | 44\% | 33\% |
| 10\% | 9\% | 10\% | 11\% | 7\% | 13\% | 6\% |
| 29\% | 28\% | 29\% | 31\% | 25\% | 31\% | 27\% |
| 59\% | 62\% | 59\% | 56\% | 66\% | 53\% | 64\% |
| 32\% | 35\% | 31\% | 33\% | 33\% | 33\% | 34\% |
| 26\% | 26\% | 27\% | 24\% | 33\% | 20\% | 29\% |
| 3\% | 1\% | 3\% | 2\% | 2\% | 3\% | 3\% |
| 5.2 | 8.8 | 6.6 | 6.8 | 7.5 | 8.0 | 8.9 |


| Total | Democrat | Indep endnt Other | Repub <br> lican | Lean <br> Democrat | Lean <br> Repub <br> lican |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 39\% | 12\% | 33\% | 71\% | 12\% | 68\% |
| 10\% | * | 8\% | 20\% | 1\% | 18\% |
| 29\% | 12\% | 25\% | 51\% | 11\% | 51\% |
| 59\% | 88\% | 64\% | 26\% | 87\% | 29\% |
| 32\% | 36\% | 39\% | 19\% | 43\% | 22\% |
| 26\% | 51\% | 25\% | 7\% | 44\% | 7\% |
| 3\% | 0\% | 3\% | 3\% | 1\% | 3\% |
| 5.2 | 9.4 | 9.0 | 8.3 | 7.9 | 7.0 |
|  |  |  | Con | Biden | Trump |
|  | Lib- | Mode- | serva | Supp- | Supp- |
| Total | eral | rate | tive | orter | orter |
| 39\% | 11\% | 30\% | 64\% | 11\% | 70\% |
| 10\% | 2\% | 4\% | 19\% | 1\% | 19\% |
| 29\% | 8\% | 26\% | 45\% | 10\% | 50\% |
| 59\% | 89\% | 67\% | 34\% | 88\% | 27\% |
| 32\% | 36\% | 42\% | 23\% | 40\% | 22\% |
| 26\% | 54\% | 25\% | 10\% | 48\% | 5\% |
| 3\% | 0\% | 3\% | 2\% | 1\% | 3\% |
| 5.2 | 11.8 | 8.1 | 8.6 | 8.0 | 7.5 |

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TABLE 062
Question R1
R1. How big a problem is racism in our society today? Is it a big problem, somewhat of a problem, a small problem, or not a problem at all? Base: Total Respondents

A big/Somewhat of a problem (Net)
A big problem
Somewhat of a problem
A small problem/Not a problem at all (Net)
A small problem
Not a problem at all
Don't know/Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)

A big/Somewhat of a problem (Net)
A big problem
Somewhat of a problem
A small problem/Not a problem at all (Net)
A small problem
Not a problem at all
Don't know/Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)

A big/Somewhat of a problem (Net)
A big problem
Somewhat of a problem
A small problem/Not a problem at all (Net)
A small problem
Not a problem at all
Don't know/Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)

| Total | Men | Women | White | Ppl of Color | Trump approve | Trump disap prove |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 84\% | 77\% | 90\% | 84\% | 87\% | 64\% | 99\% |
| 55\% | 45\% | 65\% | 51\% | 64\% | 24\% | 79\% |
| 29\% | 32\% | 26\% | 33\% | 23\% | 41\% | 20\% |
| 15\% | 21\% | 9\% | 15\% | 12\% | 33\% | 1\% |
| 9\% | 13\% | 5\% | 10\% | 6\% | 20\% | 1\% |
| 6\% | 8\% | 3\% | 5\% | 6\% | 13\% | * |
| 1\% | $2 \%$ | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 2\% | * |
| 3.8 | 5.2 | 5.7 | 4.6 | 7.1 | 5.9 | 5.2 |
| Total | 18-34 | 35-49 | 50-64 | 65+ | <45 | 45+ |
| 84\% | 87\% | 81\% | 83\% | 86\% | 84\% | 85\% |
| 55\% | 60\% | 53\% | 50\% | 58\% | 58\% | 53\% |
| 29\% | 26\% | 28\% | 34\% | 28\% | 25\% | 32\% |
| 15\% | 12\% | 17\% | 16\% | 14\% | 15\% | 14\% |
| 9\% | 7\% | 11\% | 11\% | 9\% | 8\% | 10\% |
| 6\% | 5\% | 7\% | 5\% | 5\% | 6\% | 5\% |
| 1\% | 1\% | 2\% | 1\% | * | 2\% | 1\% |
| 3.8 | 8.7 | 8.5 | 6.5 | 6.2 | 6.8 | 4.3 |
| Total | <\$50K | \$50K+ | Noncoll. grad | Coll. grad. | White noncoll. | White coll. grad. |
| 84\% | 86\% | 84\% | 84\% | 84\% | 83\% | 86\% |
| 55\% | 59\% | 52\% | 53\% | 59\% | 50\% | 54\% |
| 29\% | 27\% | 32\% | 31\% | 25\% | 33\% | 32\% |
| 15\% | 13\% | 16\% | 15\% | 15\% | 16\% | 12\% |
| 9\% | 7\% | 11\% | 9\% | 10\% | 11\% | 8\% |
| 6\% | 6\% | 5\% | 6\% | 5\% | 5\% | 4\% |
| 1\% | 1\% | * | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% |
| 3.8 | 6.6 | 4.9 | 5.0 | 5.8 | 6.1 | 6.6 |
| Total | Democrat | Indep endnt Other | Repub lican | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Lib- } \\ & \text { eral } \end{aligned}$ | Mode- <br> rate | Con <br> serva <br> tive |
| 84\% | 98\% | 86\% | 66\% | 97\% | 93\% | 67\% |
| 55\% | 84\% | 57\% | 22\% | 86\% | 56\% | 34\% |
| 29\% | 14\% | 29\% | 44\% | 11\% | 37\% | 33\% |
| 15\% | 2\% | 12\% | 33\% | 3\% | 6\% | 32\% |
| 9\% | 1\% | 7\% | 22\% | 1\% | 4\% | 21\% |
| 6\% | * | 5\% | 12\% | 2\% | 2\% | 11\% |
| 1\% | * | 2\% | * | 0\% | 1\% | 1\% |
| 3.8 | 6.8 | 6.4 | 6.8 | 8.4 | 6.0 | 6.5 |
|  | Lean | Lean |  | Biden | Trump |  |
|  | Demo- | Repub | Reg. | Supp- | Supp- |  |
| Total | crat | lican | voter | orter | orter |  |
| 84\% | 98\% | 68\% | 83\% | 98\% | 66\% |  |
| 55\% | 81\% | 26\% | 55\% | 83\% | 21\% |  |
| 29\% | 17\% | 42\% | 29\% | 15\% | 44\% |  |
| 15\% | 2\% | 31\% | 15\% | 2 \% | 32\% |  |
| 9\% | 2\% | 20\% | 11\% | 2\% | 21\% |  |
| 6\% | * | 11\% | 5\% | * | 10\% |  |
| 1\% | * | 1\% | 1\% | 0\% | 3\% |  |
| 3.8 | 5.4 | 5.7 | 4.0 | 5.6 | 6.1 |  |

A big/Somewhat of a problem (Net)
A big problem
Somewhat of a problem
A small problem/Not a problem at all (Net)
A small problem
Not a problem at all
Don't know/Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)
A big/Somewhat of a problem (Net)
A big problem
Somewhat of a problem
A small problem/Not a problem at all (Net)
A small problem
Not a problem at all
Don't know/Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)

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TABLE 063
Question R2A
R2a. In general, do you think the peaceful protests that have occurred in response to those situations have been justified or unjustified?
Base: Total Respondents

Justified
Unjustified
Don't know/Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error ( + /-)

Justified
Unjustified
Don't know/Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)

Justified
Unjustified
Don't know/Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)

Justified
Unjustified
Don't know/Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)

Justified
Unjustified
Don't know/Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)

|  |  |  | Ppl <br> of | Trump <br> ap- | Trump <br> disap |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Total | Men | Women | White | Color | prove | prove |
| $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ |
| $72 \%$ | $69 \%$ | $74 \%$ | $74 \%$ | $68 \%$ | $56 \%$ | $86 \%$ |
| $24 \%$ | $24 \%$ | $23 \%$ | $21 \%$ | $28 \%$ | $35 \%$ | $14 \%$ |
| $5 \%$ | $7 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $9 \%$ | $1 \%$ |
| 3.8 | 5.2 | 5.7 | 4.6 | 7.1 | 5.9 | 5.2 |


| Total | $18-34$ | $35-49$ | $50-64$ | $65+$ | $<45$ | $45+$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ |
| $72 \%$ | $77 \%$ | $72 \%$ | $67 \%$ | $71 \%$ | $74 \%$ | $70 \%$ |
| $24 \%$ | $19 \%$ | $25 \%$ | $29 \%$ | $23 \%$ | $22 \%$ | $25 \%$ |
| $5 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $5 \%$ |
| 3.8 | 8.7 | 8.5 | 6.5 | 6.2 | 6.8 | 4.3 |


|  |  | Non- <br> coll. | Coll. | White <br> non- | White <br> coll. |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Total | $<\$ 50 \mathrm{~K}$ | $\$ 50 \mathrm{~K}+$ | grad <br> grad. | coll. <br> $========$ <br> grad. | $===========$ | $====$ |
| $======$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $72 \%$ | $66 \%$ | $78 \%$ | $67 \%$ | $81 \%$ | $70 \%$ | $84 \%$ |
| $24 \%$ | $32 \%$ | $17 \%$ | $28 \%$ | $16 \%$ | $25 \%$ | $13 \%$ |
| $5 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $6 \%$ | $3 \%$ |
| 3.8 | 6.6 | 4.9 | 5.0 | 5.8 | 6.1 | 6.6 |


| Total | Democrat | Indep endnt Other | Repub <br> lican | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Lib- } \\ & \text { eral } \end{aligned}$ | Moderate | Con <br> serva <br> tive |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 72\% | 82\% | 73\% | 60\% | 87\% | 80\% | 57\% |
| 24\% | 17\% | 23\% | 32\% | 10\% | 18\% | 38\% |
| 5\% | * | 5\% | 8\% | $2 \%$ | 2\% | 5\% |
| 3.8 | 6.8 | 6.4 | 6.8 | 8.4 | 6.0 | 6.5 |


|  | Lean <br> Demo- <br> crat | Lean <br> Repub <br> lican <br> Total | Reg. <br> voter <br> $======$ | Biden <br> Supp- <br> orter | Trump <br> Supp- <br> orter |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $72 \%$ | $84 \%$ | $62 \%$ | $73 \%$ | $88 \%$ | $58 \%$ |
| $24 \%$ | $15 \%$ | $30 \%$ | $22 \%$ | $11 \%$ | $33 \%$ |
| $5 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $8 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $9 \%$ |
| 3.8 | 5.4 | 5.7 | 4.0 | 5.6 | 6.1 |

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TABLE 064
Question R2B
R2b. In general, do you think the violent protests that have occurred in response to those situations have been justified or unjustified?
Base: Total Respondents

Justified
Unjustified
Don't know/Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)

|  |  |  | Ppl <br> of | Trump <br> ap- | Trump <br> disap |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Total | Men | Women | White | Color | prove | prove |
| $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ |
| $24 \%$ | $22 \%$ | $26 \%$ | $24 \%$ | $27 \%$ | $9 \%$ | $36 \%$ |
| $71 \%$ | $71 \%$ | $70 \%$ | $72 \%$ | $67 \%$ | $87 \%$ | $59 \%$ |
| $5 \%$ | $7 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $4 \%$ |
| 3.8 | 5.2 | 5.7 | 4.6 | 7.1 | 5.9 | 5.2 |

Justified
Unjustified
Don't know/Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)

Justified

| Total | $18-34$ | $35-49$ | $50-64$ | $65+$ | $<45$ | $45+$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ |
| $24 \%$ | $31 \%$ | $30 \%$ | $18 \%$ | $17 \%$ | $32 \%$ | $19 \%$ |
| $71 \%$ | $62 \%$ | $68 \%$ | $77 \%$ | $78 \%$ | $63 \%$ | $77 \%$ |
| $5 \%$ | $7 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $4 \%$ |
| 3.8 | 8.7 | 8.5 | 6.5 | 6.2 | 6.8 | 4.3 |


|  |  | Non- <br> coll. | Coll. | White <br> non- | White <br> coll. |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Total | $<\$ 50 \mathrm{~K}$ | $\$ 50 \mathrm{~K}+$ | grad <br> grad. <br> $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $====$ |
| coll. |  |  |  |  |  |  | | grad. |
| :--- |

Don't know/Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)

Justified
Unjustified
Don't know/Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)

Justified
Unjustified
Don't know/Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)

| Demo- | Indep <br> endnt | Repub | Lib- <br> Reral | Mode- <br> rate | Corva <br> serat | Other |
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|  | Lean <br> Demo- <br> crat | Lean <br> Repub <br> lican <br> Total | Reg. <br> voter | Biden <br> Supp- <br> orter | Trump <br> Supp- <br> orter |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $==============$ | $========$ | $=====$ |  |  |  |
| $24 \%$ | $38 \%$ | $8 \%$ | $24 \%$ | $38 \%$ | $8 \%$ |
| $71 \%$ | $57 \%$ | $89 \%$ | $71 \%$ | $57 \%$ | $89 \%$ |
| $5 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $3 \%$ |
| 3.8 | 5.4 | 5.7 | 4.0 | 5.6 | 6.1 |

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TABLE 065
Question R3
R3. Do you support or oppose federal government intervention in cities where protests over police brutality have turned violent?
Base: Total Respondents

Support
Oppose
Don't know/Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)

## Support

Oppose
Don't know/Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)

Support
Oppose
Don't know/Undecided/Refused
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Oppose
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Sampling Error (+/-)

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Oppose
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Sampling Error (+/-)

|  |  |  | Ppl <br> of | Trump <br> ap- | Trump <br> disap |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Total | Men | Women | White | Color | prove | prove |
| $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ |
| $48 \%$ | $54 \%$ | $43 \%$ | $51 \%$ | $42 \%$ | $82 \%$ | $23 \%$ |
| $47 \%$ | $42 \%$ | $53 \%$ | $46 \%$ | $53 \%$ | $15 \%$ | $73 \%$ |
| $4 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $4 \%$ |
| 3.8 | 5.2 | 5.7 | 4.6 | 7.1 | 5.9 | 5.2 |


| Total | $18-34$ | $35-49$ | $50-64$ | $65+$ | $<45$ | $45+$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ |
| $48 \%$ | $43 \%$ | $49 \%$ | $56 \%$ | $46 \%$ | $45 \%$ | $51 \%$ |
| $47 \%$ | $52 \%$ | $48 \%$ | $41 \%$ | $49 \%$ | $50 \%$ | $45 \%$ |
| $4 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $4 \%$ |
| 3.8 | 8.7 | 8.5 | 6.5 | 6.2 | 6.8 | 4.3 |


|  |  | Non- <br> coll. | Coll. | White <br> non- | White <br> coll. |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Total | $<\$ 50 \mathrm{~K}$ | $\$ 50 \mathrm{~K}+$ | grad <br> grad. <br> $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $====$ |
| $48 \%$ | $45 \%$ | $51 \%$ | $50 \%$ | $46 \%$ | $54 \%$ | $45 \%$ |
| coll. | grad. |  |  |  |  |  |


| Total | Democrat | Indep endnt Other | Repub <br> lican | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Lib- } \\ & \text { eral } \end{aligned}$ | Moderate | Con serva tive |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 48\% | 21\% | 48\% | 81\% | 14\% | 47\% | 73\% |
| 47\% | 76\% | 47\% | 15\% | 85\% | 49\% | 24\% |
| 4\% | 3\% | 5\% | 5\% | 2\% | 4\% | 3\% |
| 3.8 | 6.8 | 6.4 | 6.8 | 8.4 | 6.0 | 6.5 |


|  | Lean <br> Demo- | Lean <br> Repub | Reg. | Biden <br> Supp- | Trump <br> Supp- |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Total | crat <br> $=====$ | lican <br> orter <br> voter | orter |  |  |
| $48 \%$ | $24 \%$ | $80 \%$ | $48 \%$ | $21 \%$ | $82 \%$ |
| $47 \%$ | $72 \%$ | $17 \%$ | $48 \%$ | $76 \%$ | $14 \%$ |
| $4 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $4 \%$ |
| 3.8 | 5.4 | 5.7 | 4.0 | 5.6 | 6.1 |

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TABLE 066
Question R4
R4. Do you think Donald Trump's response to recent protests has been: Base: Total Respondents

More helpful
More harmful
Don't know/Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)

|  |  |  | Ppl <br> of | Trump <br> ap- | Trump <br> disap |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Total | Men | Women | White | Color | prove | prove |
| $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ |
| $33 \%$ | $40 \%$ | $26 \%$ | $37 \%$ | $24 \%$ | $74 \%$ | $3 \%$ |
| $58 \%$ | $49 \%$ | $66 \%$ | $54 \%$ | $68 \%$ | $13 \%$ | $94 \%$ |
| $9 \%$ | $10 \%$ | $8 \%$ | $9 \%$ | $8 \%$ | $13 \%$ | $3 \%$ |
| 3.8 | 5.2 | 5.7 | 4.6 | 7.1 | 5.9 | 5.2 |

More helpful
More harmful
Don't know/Undecided/Refused
Sampling Error (+/-)

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Sampling Error (+/-)

| Lean |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Demo- |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total |  |  |  |  |  |
| crat | Lean <br> Repub <br> lican | Reg. <br> voter | Biden <br> Supp- <br> orter | Trump <br> Supp- <br> orter |  |
| $33 \%$ | $======$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ | $=====$ |
| $58 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $67 \%$ | $33 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $73 \%$ |
| $9 \%$ | $94 \%$ | $16 \%$ | $58 \%$ | $97 \%$ | $10 \%$ |
| 3.8 | $2 \%$ | $16 \%$ | $9 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $17 \%$ |
|  | 5.4 | 5.7 | 4.0 | 5.6 | 6.1 |

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TABLE 067
Question R5
R5．How likely do you think it is that there will be real changes in the way Blacks and other racial and ethnic minorities are treated in American society because of the protests that have happened this summer？ Base：Total Respondents

Very／Somewhat likely（Net）
Very likely
Somewhat likely
Not too／Not at all likely（Net）
Not too likely
Not at all likely
Don＇t know／Undecided／Refused
Sampling Error（＋／－）

Very／Somewhat likely（Net）
Very likely
Somewhat likely
Not too／Not at all likely（Net）
Not too likely
Not at all likely
Don＇t know／Undecided／Refused
Sampling Error（＋／－）

Very／Somewhat likely（Net）
Very likely
Somewhat likely
Not too／Not at all likely（Net）
Not too likely
Not at all likely
Don＇t know／Undecided／Refused
Sampling Error（＋／－）

Very／Somewhat likely（Net）
Very likely
Somewhat likely
Not too／Not at all likely（Net）
Not too likely
Not at all likely
Don＇t know／Undecided／Refused
Sampling Error（＋／－）

Very／Somewhat likely（Net）
Very likely
Somewhat likely
Not too／Not at all likely（Net）
Not too likely
Not at all likely
Don＇t know／Undecided／Refused
Sampling Error（＋／－）

| Total <br> 二二二二＝ | Men $=====$ | Women <br> 二二二二＝ | White <br> ＝＝＝＝＝ | Ppl <br> of <br> Color <br> 二 $二=$＝ | Trump ap－ prove二二二二二 | Trump disap prove ＝＝＝＝＝ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 60\％ | 56\％ | 65\％ | 62\％ | 61\％ | 44\％ | 74\％ |
| 14\％ | 14\％ | 13\％ | 14\％ | 14\％ | 14\％ | 13\％ |
| 47\％ | 41\％ | 52\％ | 48\％ | 47\％ | 30\％ | 61\％ |
| 37\％ | 40\％ | 34\％ | 35\％ | 37\％ | 52\％ | 25\％ |
| 22\％ | 23\％ | 21\％ | 22\％ | 22\％ | 29\％ | 16\％ |
| 15\％ | 17\％ | 13\％ | 13\％ | 16\％ | 23\％ | 8\％ |
| 3\％ | 5\％ | 1\％ | 3\％ | 2\％ | 4\％ | 1\％ |
| 3.8 | 5.2 | 5.7 | 4.6 | 7.1 | 5.9 | 5.2 |
| Total $\qquad$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18-34 \\ & ===== \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35-49 \\ & ===== \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50-64 \\ & ===== \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 65+ \\ & ===== \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & <45 \\ & ===== \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 45+ \\ & ===== \end{aligned}$ |
| 60\％ | 57\％ | 61\％ | 63\％ | 64\％ | 57\％ | 64\％ |
| 14\％ | 14\％ | 8\％ | 16\％ | 18\％ | 12\％ | 15\％ |
| 47\％ | 43\％ | 52\％ | 47\％ | 46\％ | 45\％ | 49\％ |
| 37\％ | 39\％ | 38\％ | 35\％ | 32\％ | 40\％ | 33\％ |
| 22\％ | 26\％ | 18\％ | 20\％ | 22\％ | 23\％ | 21\％ |
| 15\％ | 13\％ | 20\％ | 15\％ | 10\％ | 18\％ | 12\％ |
| 3\％ | 4\％ | 1\％ | 2\％ | 4\％ | 3\％ | 2\％ |
| 3.8 | 8.7 | 8.5 | 6.5 | 6.2 | 6.8 | 4.3 |
| Total | ＜\＄50K | \＄50K＋ | Non－ coll． grad | Coll． grad． | White non－ coll． | White coll． grad． |
| 60\％ | 58\％ | 63\％ | 58\％ | 66\％ | 59\％ | 67\％ |
| 14\％ | 13\％ | 14\％ | 15\％ | 12\％ | 15\％ | 11\％ |
| 47\％ | 45\％ | 49\％ | 43\％ | 55\％ | 44\％ | 56\％ |
| 37\％ | 40\％ | 35\％ | 39\％ | 32\％ | 38\％ | 31\％ |
| 22\％ | 23\％ | 21\％ | 23\％ | 19\％ | 23\％ | 20\％ |
| 15\％ | 17\％ | 14\％ | 16\％ | 13\％ | 15\％ | 11\％ |
| 3\％ | 2\％ | 2\％ | 3\％ | 2\％ | 3\％ | 2\％ |
| 3.8 | 6.6 | 4.9 | 5.0 | 5.8 | 6.1 | 6.6 |
| Total <br> ＝＝＝＝＝ | Demo－ crat $\qquad$ | Indep endnt Other $\qquad$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Repub } \\ & \text { lican } \\ & ===== \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Lib- } \\ & \text { eral } \\ & ===== \end{aligned}$ | Mode－ rate $\qquad$ | Con serva tive ＝＝＝＝＝ |
| 60\％ | 79\％ | 60\％ | 42\％ | 71\％ | 72\％ | 47\％ |
| 14\％ | 14\％ | 15\％ | 11\％ | 14\％ | 15\％ | 13\％ |
| 47\％ | 64\％ | 45\％ | 31\％ | 57\％ | 57\％ | 34\％ |
| 37\％ | 21\％ | 36\％ | 55\％ | 29\％ | 26\％ | 51\％ |
| 22\％ | 14\％ | 22\％ | 30\％ | 19\％ | 18\％ | 28\％ |
| 15\％ | 7\％ | 15\％ | 25\％ | 10\％ | 8\％ | 23\％ |
| 3\％ | 1\％ | 4\％ | 3\％ | 1\％ | 1\％ | 2\％ |
| 3.8 | 6.8 | 6.4 | 6.8 | 8.4 | 6.0 | 6.5 |
|  | Lean | Lean |  | Biden | Trump |  |
| Total | Demo－ crat | Repub lican | Reg． voter | Supp－ orter | Supp－ |  |
| ＝＝＝＝＝ |  |  | ＝＝＝＝＝ |  | Orter |  |
| 60\％ | 76\％ | 46\％ | 61\％ | 76\％ | 43\％ |  |
| 14\％ | 15\％ | 12\％ | 14\％ | 15\％ | 12\％ |  |
| 47\％ | 61\％ | 33\％ | 48\％ | 61\％ | 32\％ |  |
| 37\％ | 23\％ | 51\％ | 36\％ | 23\％ | 53\％ |  |
| 22\％ | 15\％ | 29\％ | 22\％ | 15\％ | 29\％ |  |
| 15\％ | 8\％ | 22\％ | 15\％ | 8\％ | 24\％ |  |
| 3\％ | 1\％ | 3\％ | 3\％ | 1\％ | 4\％ |  |
| 3.8 | 5.4 | 5.7 | 4.0 | 5.6 | 6.1 |  |

