

Methodology: NPR/PBS News/Marist Poll of 1,462 National Adults

This NPR/PBS News/Marist Poll national survey of 1,462 adults was conducted January 27th through January 30th, 2026, by the Marist Poll in partnership with NPR and PBS News. Adults 18 years of age and older residing in the United States were contacted through a multi-mode design: By phone using live interviewers (212), by text (695), or online (555). All potential respondents were screened for age. The telephone sample was randomly selected from a stratified dual frame of landline and cell phone telephone numbers in the contiguous United States. Phone samples were obtained from Dynata. For telephone surveys completed with live interviewers, household sampling was done by asking for the youngest male. The online sample was randomly selected from aggregated online panels by Cint. In online surveys, two attention check questions were asked that required the respondent to follow explicit directions. If respondents fail any data quality attention check question, these interviews conducted online are excluded from the sample and final analysis. Coding of any open-ended responses was done by a single human coder. Survey questions for all modes of data collection were available in English or Spanish. To ensure representativeness, data was balanced to match current estimates for the adult population by region, age, gender, education, income, and race/ethnicity using the U.S. Census Bureau's American Community Survey (ACS).

Results for all adults (n= 1,462) are statistically significant within ± 2.9 percentage points. Results for registered voters (n=1,326) are statistically significant within ± 3.0 percentage points. Margins of error for subgroups are available upon request. The design effect for this survey is 1.24 which has been incorporated in the calculation of all reported margins of error. Research limitations can come from many potential sources, and there may be unmeasured factors in this or any other public opinion poll.

The partisan breakdown for this survey among registered voters is 34% Democrat, 32% Republican, and 33% independent.

Questions asked in this survey with the wording, results, and cross tabulations are included in this packet. Some questions may be held for a later release. If a question is asked of a subset of the sample, it is noted on the table. Tables include results for subgroups to only display crosstabs with an acceptable sampling error. It should be noted that, although you may not see results listed for a certain group, it does not mean interviews were not completed with those individuals. It simply means the sample size is too small to report. The Marist Poll is an educational program in public opinion research and funded by Marist University.

Nature of the Sample

		National Adults	National Registered Voters
		Column %	Column %
National Adults		100%	
National Registered Voters		91%	100%
Party Identification	Democrat	n/a	34%
	Republican	n/a	32%
	Independent	n/a	33%
	Other	n/a	1%
Gender	Men	49%	50%
	Women	51%	50%
Age	Under 45	46%	44%
	45 or older	54%	56%
Age	18 to 29	20%	19%
	30 to 44	26%	25%
	45 to 59	24%	25%
	60 or older	30%	31%
Generation	Gen Z	20%	18%
	Millennials	27%	26%
	Gen X	25%	26%
	Baby Boomers/Silent/Greatest	28%	30%
Race/Ethnicity	White	63%	64%
	Black	11%	11%
	Latino	15%	14%
	Other	10%	11%
Region	Northeast	17%	17%
	Midwest	21%	21%
	South	38%	38%
	West	24%	24%
Household Income	Less than \$50,000	32%	29%
	\$50,000 or more	68%	71%
Education	Not college graduate	64%	62%
	College graduate	36%	38%
Education by Race	White - Not College Graduate	38%	37%
	White - College Graduate	25%	27%
	Non-White - Not College Graduate	26%	25%
	Non-White - College Graduate	10%	11%
Education - Race - Gender	Men - White - Not College Graduate	17%	18%
	Men - White - College Graduate	13%	13%
	Men - Non-White - Not College Graduate	13%	13%
	Men - Non-White - College Graduate	6%	6%
	Women - White - Not College Graduate	21%	19%
	Women - White - College Graduate	13%	14%
	Women - Non-White - Not College Graduate	13%	13%
	Women - Non-White - College Graduate	4%	5%
White Evangelical Christians		17%	17%
Area Description	Big city	21%	22%
	Small city	17%	17%
	Suburban	31%	32%
	Small town	15%	14%
	Rural	16%	15%
Area Description - Gender	Small city/Suburban Men	24%	25%
	Other area Men	25%	25%
	Small city/Suburban Women	24%	24%
	Other area Women	27%	26%

NPR/PBS News/Marist Poll National Adults. Interviews conducted January 27th through January 30th, 2026, n=1,462 MOE +/- 2.9 percentage points. National Registered Voters: n=1,326 MOE +/- 3.0 percentage points. Totals may not add to 100% due to rounding.

TRUDP206. NPR/PBS News/Marist Poll National Tables January 27th through January 30th, 2026

		National Adults			
		Overall, would you describe the direction in which President Trump is moving the country as:			
		Change for the better	Change for the worse	No real change at all	Vol: Unsure
		Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %
National Adults		37%	55%	8%	<1%
National Registered Voters		37%	56%	6%	0%
Party Identification	Democrat	7%	89%	4%	0%
	Republican	82%	13%	5%	0%
	Independent	27%	64%	9%	0%
Region	Northeast	34%	61%	5%	0%
	Midwest	39%	52%	8%	0%
	South	41%	50%	8%	1%
	West	29%	61%	10%	0%
Household Income	Less than \$50,000	36%	52%	12%	0%
	\$50,000 or more	36%	57%	6%	0%
Education	Not college graduate	41%	49%	10%	0%
	College graduate	29%	66%	4%	0%
Race/Ethnicity	White	38%	55%	6%	0%
	Non-white	33%	56%	11%	0%
Race/Ethnicity	White	38%	55%	6%	0%
	Black	28%	58%	14%	0%
	Latino	37%	53%	10%	0%
Race and Education	White - Not College Graduate	43%	48%	9%	1%
	White - College Graduate	31%	66%	2%	0%
Gender - Race - Education	Men - White - Not College Graduate	49%	45%	6%	0%
	Men - White - College Graduate	41%	56%	2%	0%
	Women - White - Not College Graduate	39%	50%	10%	1%
	Women - White - College Graduate	22%	76%	2%	0%
Age	Under 45	33%	56%	11%	0%
	45 or older	40%	55%	5%	0%
Age	18 to 29	27%	62%	10%	0%
	30 to 44	38%	50%	11%	0%
	45 to 59	41%	51%	9%	0%
	60 or older	39%	58%	2%	1%
Generation	Gen Z	26%	63%	12%	0%
	Millennials	39%	49%	11%	0%
	Gen X	39%	52%	9%	0%
	Baby Boomers/Silent/Greatest	39%	58%	2%	1%
Gender	Men	44%	48%	8%	0%
	Women	30%	62%	8%	0%
HH with Children	Parents with Children under 18	43%	47%	10%	0%
	No Children under 18 in HH	34%	59%	7%	0%
White Evangelical Christians		65%	28%	6%	1%
2024 Support	Harris	2%	94%	3%	0%
	Trump	85%	8%	7%	0%
Area Description	Big city	32%	59%	8%	0%
	Small city	35%	58%	6%	0%
	Suburban	34%	61%	5%	0%
	Small town	40%	47%	13%	0%
	Rural	46%	43%	10%	1%
Small city/Suburban Men		43%	52%	5%	0%
Small city/Suburban Women		26%	68%	6%	0%

NPR/PBS News/Marist Poll National Adults. Interviews conducted January 27th through January 30th, 2026. Totals may not add to 100% due to rounding.

TRUDP206TRND. Marist Poll National Trend

National Adults				
Overall, would you describe the direction in which President Trump is moving the country as:				
	Change for the better	Change for the worse	No real change at all	Vol: Unsure
	Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %
Donald Trump:				
February 2026	37%	55%	8%	<1%
April 2025	42%	51%	7%	<1%
March 2025	45%	48%	7%	<1%
Joe Biden:				
April 2021	47%	36%	16%	1%
February 2021	47%	32%	14%	7%
Donald Trump:				
January 2021*	38%	46%	15%	2%
July 2018	41%	45%	12%	2%
January 2018	36%	42%	21%	1%
March 2017	36%	42%	19%	3%
February 2017	38%	43%	16%	3%

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*Previous question wording: Overall, would you describe the direction in which President Trump has moved the country as:

TRUD2TPL1. NPR/PBS News/Marist Poll National Tables January 27th through January 30th, 2026

		National Adults			
		Thinking about the policies President Trump has implemented so far in his second term, for you personally, have these policies had:			
		A mostly positive impact	A mostly negative impact	Or no impact for you personally at all	Vol: Unsure
		Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %
National Adults		30%	53%	17%	<1%
National Registered Voters		32%	53%	15%	0%
Party Identification	Democrat	6%	85%	9%	0%
	Republican	69%	13%	18%	0%
	Independent	22%	58%	19%	0%
Region	Northeast	26%	55%	18%	0%
	Midwest	33%	51%	16%	0%
	South	34%	47%	18%	0%
	West	24%	61%	15%	0%
Household Income	Less than \$50,000	28%	50%	23%	0%
	\$50,000 or more	31%	55%	14%	0%
Education	Not college graduate	33%	48%	19%	0%
	College graduate	25%	62%	13%	0%
Race/Ethnicity	White	31%	51%	18%	0%
	Non-white	29%	57%	15%	0%
Race/Ethnicity	White	31%	51%	18%	0%
	Black	23%	61%	16%	0%
	Latino	31%	55%	14%	0%
Race and Education	White - Not College Graduate	35%	44%	20%	0%
	White - College Graduate	25%	61%	14%	0%
Gender - Race - Education	Men - White - Not College Graduate	44%	43%	13%	0%
	Men - White - College Graduate	34%	51%	14%	0%
	Women - White - Not College Graduate	28%	45%	27%	1%
Age	Women - White - College Graduate	16%	70%	14%	0%
	Under 45	28%	56%	15%	0%
	45 or older	32%	50%	18%	0%
Age	18 to 29	22%	65%	12%	0%
	30 to 44	33%	49%	18%	0%
	45 to 59	34%	50%	16%	0%
	60 or older	30%	50%	20%	0%
Generation	Gen Z	22%	66%	13%	0%
	Millennials	36%	47%	16%	0%
	Gen X	32%	52%	16%	0%
	Baby Boomers/Silent/Greatest	29%	49%	22%	0%
Gender	Men	38%	47%	14%	0%
	Women	22%	58%	20%	0%
HH with Children	Parents with Children under 18	38%	46%	16%	0%
	No Children under 18 in HH	27%	55%	17%	0%
White Evangelical Christians		50%	24%	25%	1%
2024 Support	Harris	2%	90%	7%	0%
	Trump	72%	9%	19%	0%
Area Description	Big city	30%	57%	12%	0%
	Small city	28%	54%	17%	0%
	Suburban	29%	60%	11%	0%
	Small town	30%	45%	25%	0%
	Rural	34%	39%	27%	1%
Small city/Suburban Men		36%	51%	12%	0%
Small city/Suburban Women		21%	64%	15%	0%

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TRUD2TPL1TRND. Marist Poll National Trend

National Adults				
Thinking about the policies President Trump has implemented so far in his second term, for you personally, have these policies had:				
	A mostly positive impact	A mostly negative impact	Or no impact for you personally at all	Vol: Unsure
	Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %
February 2026	30%	53%	17%	<1%
April 2025	32%	49%	20%	<1%

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USABWY1. NPR/PBS News/Marist Poll National Tables January 27th through January 30th, 2026

		National Adults		
		Compared to about a year ago, overall, do you think the country is:		
		Better off	Worse off	Vol: Unsure
		Row %	Row %	Row %
National Adults		40%	60%	1%
National Registered Voters		40%	60%	0%
Party Identification	Democrat	10%	90%	0%
	Republican	82%	18%	0%
	Independent	32%	68%	0%
Region	Northeast	34%	66%	0%
	Midwest	41%	58%	1%
	South	45%	55%	1%
	West	35%	65%	0%
Household Income	Less than \$50,000	38%	61%	1%
	\$50,000 or more	40%	60%	0%
Education	Not college graduate	44%	55%	1%
	College graduate	32%	68%	0%
Race/Ethnicity	White	40%	59%	1%
	Non-white	39%	61%	0%
Race/Ethnicity	White	40%	59%	1%
	Black	34%	65%	1%
	Latino	41%	59%	0%
Race and Education	White - Not College Graduate	44%	55%	1%
	White - College Graduate	34%	66%	0%
Gender - Race - Education	Men - White - Not College Graduate	51%	48%	1%
	Men - White - College Graduate	43%	57%	0%
	Women - White - Not College Graduate	39%	59%	2%
Age	Women - White - College Graduate	25%	75%	0%
	Under 45	39%	61%	0%
	45 or older	40%	59%	1%
Age	18 to 29	35%	65%	0%
	30 to 44	42%	58%	0%
	45 to 59	43%	57%	0%
	60 or older	39%	60%	1%
Generation	Gen Z	35%	65%	0%
	Millennials	43%	56%	0%
	Gen X	41%	58%	0%
	Baby Boomers/Silent/Greatest	39%	60%	1%
Gender	Men	48%	52%	0%
	Women	33%	67%	1%
HH with Children	Parents with Children under 18	45%	54%	1%
	No Children under 18 in HH	37%	62%	1%
White Evangelical Christians		66%	33%	2%
2024 Support	Harris	5%	95%	0%
	Trump	85%	14%	0%
Area Description	Big city	37%	63%	0%
	Small city	40%	59%	1%
	Suburban	34%	66%	0%
	Small town	44%	56%	0%
	Rural	52%	47%	1%
Small city/Suburban Men		44%	56%	0%
Small city/Suburban Women		28%	71%	0%

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THRTDEM1. NPR/PBS News/Marist Poll National Tables January 27th through January 30th, 2026

		National Adults		
		When thinking about the issues that divide the nation, do you think:		
		There is a serious threat to the future of our democracy	There is not a serious threat to the future of our democracy	Vol: Unsure
		Row %	Row %	Row %
National Adults		78%	22%	1%
National Registered Voters		78%	22%	0%
Party Identification	Democrat	91%	9%	0%
	Republican	61%	38%	1%
	Independent	80%	20%	0%
Region	Northeast	76%	24%	0%
	Midwest	75%	25%	1%
	South	79%	20%	1%
	West	80%	20%	0%
Household Income	Less than \$50,000	77%	22%	0%
	\$50,000 or more	78%	22%	0%
Education	Not college graduate	75%	24%	1%
	College graduate	82%	17%	0%
Race/Ethnicity	White	79%	21%	1%
	Non-white	76%	24%	1%
Race/Ethnicity	White	79%	21%	1%
	Black	77%	21%	2%
	Latino	75%	25%	0%
Race and Education	White - Not College Graduate	76%	23%	1%
	White - College Graduate	82%	18%	0%
Gender - Race - Education	Men - White - Not College Graduate	73%	27%	0%
	Men - White - College Graduate	75%	25%	0%
	Women - White - Not College Graduate	78%	20%	2%
Age	Women - White - College Graduate	89%	11%	0%
	Under 45	77%	22%	0%
	45 or older	78%	21%	1%
Age	18 to 29	77%	23%	0%
	30 to 44	78%	22%	0%
	45 to 59	77%	22%	0%
	60 or older	78%	21%	1%
Generation	Gen Z	78%	22%	0%
	Millennials	77%	23%	0%
	Gen X	77%	22%	0%
	Baby Boomers/Silent/Greatest	78%	21%	1%
Gender	Men	73%	27%	0%
	Women	82%	17%	1%
HH with Children	Parents with Children under 18	75%	25%	0%
	No Children under 18 in HH	79%	21%	1%
White Evangelical Christians		70%	27%	2%
2024 Support	Harris	94%	6%	0%
	Trump	59%	41%	0%
Area Description	Big city	79%	20%	0%
	Small city	80%	20%	1%
	Suburban	82%	18%	0%
	Small town	77%	22%	0%
	Rural	66%	32%	2%
Small city/Suburban Men		75%	25%	0%
Small city/Suburban Women		86%	13%	0%

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THRTDEM1TRND. Marist Poll National Trend

National Adults			
When thinking about the issues that divide the nation, do you think:			
	There is not a serious threat		Vol: Unsure
	There is a serious threat to the future of our democracy	to the future of our democracy	
	Row %	Row %	Row %
February 2026	78%	22%	1%
July 2025	76%	24%	<1%
April 2025	77%	22%	1%
January 2025	73%	26%	1%
August 2023	87%	12%	2%
December 2022	83%	16%	1%
July 2022	77%	19%	4%
January 2022	78%	19%	3%
November 2021	81%	15%	4%
January 2021	81%	15%	3%

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DEM1X1AR. NPR/PBS News/Marist Poll National Tables January 27th through January 30th, 2026

		National Adults		
		How much do you agree or disagree with the following statement: The system of checks and balances dividing power between the President, Congress, and the courts is working well in the United States these days?		
		Strongly agree/Agree	Disagree/Strongly disagree	Vol: Unsure
		Row %	Row %	Row %
National Adults		32%	68%	<1%
National Registered Voters		32%	68%	0%
Party Identification	Democrat	17%	83%	0%
	Republican	57%	43%	0%
	Independent	24%	75%	0%
Region	Northeast	33%	67%	0%
	Midwest	33%	67%	0%
	South	36%	63%	1%
	West	24%	76%	0%
Household Income	Less than \$50,000	34%	66%	0%
	\$50,000 or more	30%	69%	0%
Education	Not college graduate	36%	64%	1%
	College graduate	25%	75%	0%
Race/Ethnicity	White	30%	70%	1%
	Non-white	35%	65%	0%
Race/Ethnicity	White	30%	70%	1%
	Black	41%	58%	1%
	Latino	38%	62%	0%
Race and Education	White - Not College Graduate	33%	66%	1%
	White - College Graduate	25%	75%	0%
Gender - Race - Education	Men - White - Not College Graduate	38%	62%	0%
	Men - White - College Graduate	32%	68%	0%
	Women - White - Not College Graduate	29%	69%	2%
	Women - White - College Graduate	19%	81%	0%
Age	Under 45	35%	65%	0%
	45 or older	29%	70%	1%
Age	18 to 29	34%	66%	0%
	30 to 44	35%	64%	0%
	45 to 59	31%	69%	0%
	60 or older	27%	72%	1%
Generation	Gen Z	34%	66%	0%
	Millennials	38%	62%	0%
	Gen X	31%	68%	0%
	Baby Boomers/Silent/Greatest	27%	72%	1%
Gender	Men	38%	61%	0%
	Women	25%	74%	1%
HH with Children	Parents with Children under 18	41%	59%	0%
	No Children under 18 in HH	28%	72%	0%
White Evangelical Christians		44%	54%	2%
2024 Support	Harris	10%	90%	0%
	Trump	62%	38%	0%
Area Description	Big city	32%	68%	1%
	Small city	31%	69%	0%
	Suburban	32%	68%	0%
	Small town	29%	70%	0%
	Rural	34%	64%	1%
Small city/Suburban Men		40%	60%	0%
Small city/Suburban Women		23%	77%	0%

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DEMINX1ARTRND. Marist Poll National Trend

National Adults

How much do you agree or disagree with the following statement: The system of checks and balances dividing power between the President, Congress, and the courts is working well in the United States these days?

	Strongly agree/Agree	Disagree/Strongly disagree	Vol: Unsure
	Row %	Row %	Row %
February 2026	32%	68%	<1%
March 2025	43%	56%	1%
December 2024	66%	34%	1%

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DEMIX1A. NPR/PBS News/Marist Poll National Tables January 27th through January 30th, 2026

		National Adults				
		How much do you agree or disagree with the following statement: The system of checks and balances dividing power between the President, Congress, and the courts is working well in the United States these days?				
		Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Vol: Unsure
		Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %
National Adults		7%	24%	23%	45%	<1%
National Registered Voters		7%	24%	22%	46%	0%
Party Identification	Democrat	5%	12%	16%	67%	0%
	Republican	15%	42%	27%	15%	0%
	Independent	3%	21%	23%	52%	0%
Region	Northeast	6%	27%	21%	46%	0%
	Midwest	8%	25%	23%	45%	0%
	South	9%	27%	23%	40%	1%
	West	5%	19%	24%	53%	0%
Household Income	Less than \$50,000	6%	27%	27%	38%	0%
	\$50,000 or more	8%	23%	21%	48%	0%
Education	Not college graduate	9%	27%	26%	38%	1%
	College graduate	5%	20%	17%	58%	0%
Race/Ethnicity	White	6%	23%	24%	46%	1%
	Non-white	9%	26%	21%	44%	0%
Race/Ethnicity	White	6%	23%	24%	46%	1%
	Black	9%	32%	19%	39%	1%
	Latino	12%	26%	25%	38%	0%
Race and Education	White - Not College Graduate	7%	25%	27%	39%	1%
	White - College Graduate	4%	21%	19%	56%	0%
Gender - Race - Education	Men - White - Not College Graduate	10%	28%	22%	40%	0%
	Men - White - College Graduate	7%	25%	21%	47%	0%
	Women - White - Not College Graduate	6%	23%	32%	38%	2%
	Women - White - College Graduate	2%	17%	18%	64%	0%
Age	Under 45	7%	27%	24%	41%	0%
	45 or older	7%	22%	22%	49%	1%
Age	18 to 29	8%	26%	24%	42%	0%
	30 to 44	7%	29%	24%	40%	0%
	45 to 59	6%	25%	22%	47%	0%
	60 or older	8%	19%	21%	50%	1%
Generation	Gen Z	7%	27%	23%	43%	0%
	Millennials	7%	31%	26%	36%	0%
	Gen X	7%	24%	21%	47%	0%
	Baby Boomers/Silent/Greatest	7%	20%	22%	50%	1%
Gender	Men	9%	29%	21%	40%	0%
	Women	5%	20%	24%	49%	1%
HH with Children	Parents with Children under 18	10%	31%	23%	36%	0%
	No Children under 18 in HH	6%	22%	23%	49%	0%
White Evangelical Christians		9%	35%	27%	27%	2%
2024 Support	Harris	2%	7%	16%	74%	0%
	Trump	15%	47%	26%	13%	0%
Area Description	Big city	9%	23%	20%	47%	1%
	Small city	6%	25%	25%	43%	0%
	Suburban	9%	23%	20%	49%	0%
	Small town	5%	24%	22%	48%	0%
	Rural	4%	30%	31%	33%	1%
Small city/Suburban Men		12%	28%	20%	40%	0%
Small city/Suburban Women		5%	18%	23%	53%	0%

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DEMINX1ATRND. Marist Poll National Trend

National Adults					
How much do you agree or disagree with the following statement: The system of checks and balances dividing power between the President, Congress, and the courts is working well in the United States these days?					
	Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Vol: Unsure
	Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %
February 2026	7%	24%	23%	45%	<1%
March 2025	16%	27%	25%	31%	1%
December 2024	20%	46%	25%	8%	1%

Marist Poll National Adults

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		National Adults		
		Overall, would you say the state of the union is:		
		Very strong/Strong	Not very strong/Not strong at all	Vol: Unsure
		Row %	Row %	Row %
National Adults		43%	57%	<1%
National Registered Voters		42%	58%	0%
Party Identification	Democrat	21%	79%	0%
	Republican	77%	23%	0%
	Independent	32%	68%	0%
Region	Northeast	47%	53%	0%
	Midwest	45%	55%	0%
	South	45%	54%	1%
	West	34%	66%	0%
Household Income	Less than \$50,000	45%	55%	0%
	\$50,000 or more	41%	58%	0%
Education	Not college graduate	50%	50%	0%
	College graduate	31%	69%	0%
Race/Ethnicity	White	42%	58%	0%
	Non-white	44%	56%	0%
Race/Ethnicity	White	42%	58%	0%
	Black	48%	51%	1%
	Latino	45%	55%	0%
Race and Education	White - Not College Graduate	48%	51%	0%
	White - College Graduate	32%	67%	0%
Gender - Race - Education	Men - White - Not College Graduate	51%	49%	0%
	Men - White - College Graduate	43%	57%	0%
	Women - White - Not College Graduate	46%	53%	1%
	Women - White - College Graduate	23%	77%	0%
Age	Under 45	46%	54%	0%
	45 or older	40%	60%	0%
Age	18 to 29	46%	54%	0%
	30 to 44	46%	53%	0%
	45 to 59	43%	57%	0%
	60 or older	38%	62%	0%
Generation	Gen Z	46%	54%	0%
	Millennials	48%	52%	0%
	Gen X	42%	57%	0%
	Baby Boomers/Silent/Greatest	38%	61%	0%
Gender	Men	49%	51%	0%
	Women	37%	63%	0%
HH with Children	Parents with Children under 18	53%	47%	0%
	No Children under 18 in HH	39%	61%	0%
White Evangelical Christians		65%	34%	1%
2024 Support	Harris	16%	84%	0%
	Trump	78%	22%	0%
Area Description	Big city	46%	54%	0%
	Small city	38%	62%	0%
	Suburban	38%	62%	0%
	Small town	44%	56%	0%
	Rural	53%	46%	1%
Small city/Suburban Men		44%	56%	0%
Small city/Suburban Women		32%	68%	0%

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SOTU1000RTRND. Marist Poll National Trend

National Adults			
Overall, would you say the state of the union is:			
	Very strong/Strong	Not very strong/Not strong at all	Vol: Unsure
	Row %	Row %	Row %
February 2026	43%	57%	<1%
March 2025	47%	53%	<1%
January 2023	36%	62%	2%

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		National Adults				
		Overall, would you say the state of the union is:				
		Very strong	Strong	Not very strong	Not strong at all	Vol: Unsure
		Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %
National Adults		10%	33%	31%	26%	<1%
National Registered Voters		10%	32%	30%	27%	0%
Party Identification	Democrat	5%	16%	38%	40%	0%
	Republican	21%	56%	19%	4%	0%
	Independent	6%	26%	34%	34%	0%
Region	Northeast	8%	38%	27%	26%	0%
	Midwest	11%	34%	32%	23%	0%
	South	13%	32%	32%	23%	1%
	West	5%	29%	31%	35%	0%
Household Income	Less than \$50,000	11%	34%	34%	21%	0%
	\$50,000 or more	9%	32%	30%	29%	0%
Education	Not college graduate	12%	38%	30%	20%	0%
	College graduate	7%	24%	32%	37%	0%
Race/Ethnicity	White	10%	31%	31%	27%	0%
	Non-white	10%	34%	32%	23%	0%
Race/Ethnicity	White	10%	31%	31%	27%	0%
	Black	14%	34%	32%	19%	1%
	Latino	11%	35%	34%	21%	0%
Race and Education	White - Not College Graduate	12%	36%	30%	21%	0%
	White - College Graduate	8%	25%	31%	37%	0%
Gender - Race - Education	Men - White - Not College Graduate	13%	38%	31%	18%	0%
	Men - White - College Graduate	11%	31%	28%	29%	0%
	Women - White - Not College Graduate	12%	35%	30%	23%	1%
Age	Women - White - College Graduate	4%	19%	33%	44%	0%
	Under 45	10%	36%	31%	23%	0%
	45 or older	10%	30%	31%	29%	0%
Age	18 to 29	9%	37%	37%	17%	0%
	30 to 44	12%	35%	27%	27%	0%
	45 to 59	10%	33%	28%	29%	0%
	60 or older	10%	28%	32%	29%	0%
Generation	Gen Z	8%	38%	36%	19%	0%
	Millennials	12%	36%	28%	23%	0%
	Gen X	9%	33%	28%	30%	0%
	Baby Boomers/Silent/Greatest	9%	29%	33%	28%	0%
Gender	Men	12%	37%	29%	21%	0%
	Women	8%	29%	32%	30%	0%
HH with Children	Parents with Children under 18	12%	40%	25%	23%	0%
	No Children under 18 in HH	9%	30%	33%	28%	0%
White Evangelical Christians		17%	49%	23%	11%	1%
2024 Support	Harris	3%	13%	40%	44%	0%
	Trump	20%	57%	18%	5%	0%
Area Description	Big city	14%	32%	24%	30%	0%
	Small city	9%	29%	35%	27%	0%
	Suburban	8%	30%	35%	27%	0%
	Small town	9%	34%	32%	24%	0%
	Rural	11%	42%	26%	20%	1%
Small city/Suburban Men		11%	33%	33%	23%	0%
Small city/Suburban Women		6%	26%	38%	31%	0%

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SOTU1000TRND. Marist Poll National Trend

National Adults					
Overall, would you say the state of the union is:					
	Very strong	Strong	Not very strong	Not strong at all	Vol: Unsure
	Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %
February 2026	10%	33%	31%	26%	<1%
March 2025	12%	35%	33%	20%	<1%
January 2023	6%	30%	42%	21%	2%

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