

PENNSYLVANIA STATEWIDE SURVEY

Interview Schedule



June 17-19, 2023
Project #: 232026
N=500 Registered Voters
Margin of Error = +4.38%

Thinking about things nationally...

1. Do you approve or disapprove of the job Joe Biden is doing as President?

19% STRONGLY APPROVE
22% SOMEWHAT APPROVE
9% SOMEWHAT DISAPPROVE
44% STRONGLY DISAPPROVE

5% DON'T KNOW
1% REFUSED

41% TOTAL APPROVE
53% TOTAL DISAPPROVE

Now, I would like to read you some names of different people active in politics. For each one, please tell me, first whether you've heard of the person; then, if so, please tell me whether you have a favorable or unfavorable impression of the person. If I name someone you don't know too much about, just tell me and we'll go on to the next one.

	TOTAL FAV	TOTAL UNFAV	STRG FAV	SMWT FAV	SMWT UNFAV	STRG UNFAV	HRD OF/NO OPIN	NEVER HEARD	REF
2. Ron DeSantis	35%	45%	16%	19%	8%	37%	9%	9%	1%
3. Donald Trump	39%	57%	24%	15%	8%	49%	3%	*	1%
4. Joe Biden	44%	53%	22%	22%	9%	44%	2%	—	*

Thinking ahead to the 2024 election...

5. If the election for President were being held today, for whom would you vote if the candidates were...

Ron DeSantis, Republican

...and...

Joe Biden, Democrat

36% DEFINITELY DESANTIS

11% PROBABLY DESANTIS

1% LEAN DESANTIS

5% HARD UNDECIDED/NOT SURE

* LEAN BIDEN

7% PROBABLY BIDEN

38% DEFINITELY BIDEN

2% REFUSED

47% TOTAL DESANTIS

45% TOTAL BIDEN

6% TOTAL LEAN/UNDECIDED

6. And, if the election for President were being held today, for whom would you vote if the candidates were...

Donald Trump, Republican

...and...

Joe Biden, Democrat

39% DEFINITELY TRUMP

5% PROBABLY TRUMP

1% LEAN TRUMP

4% HARD UNDECIDED/NOT SURE

* LEAN BIDEN

6% PROBABLY BIDEN

43% DEFINITELY BIDEN

3% REFUSED

44% TOTAL TRUMP

48% TOTAL BIDEN

5% TOTAL LEAN/UNDECIDED

And, for each of the following people, please tell me whether you believe the individual can beat Joe Biden?

	TOTAL CAN	TOTAL CANNOT	DEF CAN	PROB CAN	PROB CAN'T	DEF CAN'T	UN- SURE	DK	REF
7. Donald Trump	53%	44%	26%	26%	21%	23%	2%	1%	1%
8. Ron DeSantis	52%	42%	24%	28%	19%	22%	3%	3%	1%
9. Mike Pence	36%	57%	9%	28%	28%	30%	4%	2%	1%
10. Tim Scott	31%	47%	8%	23%	25%	21%	10%	11%	1%
11. Nikki Haley	32%	51%	8%	25%	26%	25%	9%	7%	1%
12. Chris Christie	26%	63%	6%	20%	31%	32%	4%	6%	1%

13. Next, do you agree or disagree with the following statement:

There is no way I would ever vote to elect Donald Trump as President.

50% STRONGLY AGREE
3% SOMEWHAT AGREE
9% SOMEWHAT DISAGREE
37% STRONGLY DISAGREE

1% DON'T KNOW
1% REFUSED

53% TOTAL AGREE
46% TOTAL DISAGREE

And, turning to issues, do you feel that each of the following has gotten better, gotten worse, or stayed about the same over the past few years...

	GOTTEN BETTER	GOTTEN WORSE	STAYED SAME	DK	REF
RANKED BY % GOTTEN WORSE					
17.	The cost for daily living expenses like groceries and gasoline (A)				
	6%	86%	7%	*	*
15.	The level of crime in your local area (B)				
	7%	45%	45%	2%	—
14.	The quality of your local public school (A)				
	8%	44%	37%	11%	—
16.	The number of jobs available in your local area (B)				
	43%	26%	26%	6%	—

Now, thinking about the economy for a moment...

(ASKED OF SAMPLE A)

18. Would you rate the condition of the economy as...

3% Excellent

21% Good

35% Only fair

...or...

41% Poor

– DON'T KNOW

– REFUSED

24% TOTAL EXCELLENT/GOOD

76% TOTAL FAIR/POOR

(ASKED OF SAMPLE B)

19. Do you believe that the economy is...

19% Getting better

58% Getting worse

...or...

23% Staying about the same?

* DON'T KNOW

– REFUSED

Moving on and thinking about national security and foreign affairs...

20. Do you believe...

- 60% Americans are better off when the United States is seen as a strong leader around the world
...or...
 - 34% Americans are better off when the United States focuses on its own interests at home and lets the rest of the world take care of itself
 - 5% DON'T KNOW
 - 1% REFUSED
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Next, thinking about the conflict between Russia and Ukraine...

(ASKED OF SAMPLE A)

21. Do you think the United States is...

- 30% Doing too much to help Ukraine
 - 15% Not doing enough to help Ukraine
...or...
 - 49% Helping Ukraine the right amount?
 - 5% DON'T KNOW
 - 1% REFUSED
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(ASKED OF SAMPLE B)

22. Which ONE of the following comes closest to your own opinion...

- 58% Ukraine's war is our war. If Vladimir Putin wins, vital U.S. interests and values are threatened.
...or...
 - 34% The war in Ukraine is a tragedy, but vital U.S. interests and values are not at stake in this conflict.
 - 7% DON'T KNOW
 - 1% REFUSED
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Now, I have just a few questions for statistical purposes only...

D1. In what year were you born?

21%	18 - 34
15%	35 - 44
16%	45 - 54
20%	55 - 64
28%	65 AND ABOVE
*	REFUSED

D3A. What is the last grade you completed in school?

–	SOME GRADE SCHOOL (GRADES 1-8)
1%	SOME HIGH SCHOOL (GRADES 9-11)
27%	GRADUATED HIGH SCHOOL (GRADE 12)
3%	TECHNICAL/VOCATIONAL SCHOOL
25%	SOME COLLEGE
28%	GRADUATED COLLEGE (e.g. BACHELOR OF ARTS, BACHELOR OF SCIENCE)
16%	POST-GRADUATE (e.g. PhD, MD, JD)
–	REFUSED
29%	TOTAL HS OR LESS
27%	TOTAL SOME COLLEGE
44%	TOTAL COLLEGE+

D4C. Party from file.

43%	REPUBLICAN
45%	DEMOCRAT
10%	INDEPENDENT/UNAFFILIATED/DECLINE TO STATE
2%	ALL OTHER PARTIES

D4B. Regardless of how you may feel today, are you REGISTERED to vote as...

a Republican,
a Democrat,
or something else?

26%	STRONG REPUBLICAN
14%	NOT-SO-STRONG REPUBLICAN
3%	LEAN TO REPUBLICANS
8%	UNAFFILIATED/INDEPENDENT/SOMETHING ELSE
2%	LEAN TO DEMOCRATS
16%	NOT-SO-STRONG DEMOCRAT
28%	STRONG DEMOCRAT
3%	DON'T KNOW
*	REFUSED
40%	TOTAL REPUBLICAN
44%	TOTAL DEMOCRAT
13%	TOTAL LEAN/INDEPENDENT

D5A. Generally speaking, do you consider yourself to be conservative, moderate or liberal on most issues?

18%	VERY CONSERVATIVE
17%	SOMEWHAT CONSERVATIVE
35%	MODERATE
14%	SOMEWHAT LIBERAL
14%	VERY LIBERAL
2%	DON'T KNOW
*	REFUSED
35%	TOTAL CONSERVATIVE
28%	TOTAL LIBERAL

D6A. What is your main racial or ethnic heritage?

78%	CAUCASIAN OR WHITE
10%	AFRICAN AMERICAN OR BLACK
4%	HISPANIC OR LATINO
3%	ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER
*	NATIVE AMERICAN OR AMERICAN INDIAN
*	OTHER
1%	DON'T KNOW
4%	REFUSED

D8A. Regardless of how you feel now, for whom did you vote in the 2020 Presidential election...
Donald Trump or Joe Biden?

Total	Voted	
45%	48%	DONALD TRUMP
47%	51%	JOE BIDEN
1%	1%	SOMEONE ELSE
6%	–	DID NOT VOTE
–	–	DON'T KNOW/DON'T RECALL
1%	–	REFUSED

D2. Gender

47%	MALE
53%	FEMALE
