

This RDD telephone survey was conducted from February 2 - 4, 2016 throughout the nation.

Responses are reported for 1,125 registered voters with a margin of sampling error of +/- 2.9 percentage points. The survey includes 507 Republican or Republican leaning voters with a margin of sampling error of +/- 4.4 percentage points and 484 Democratic or Democratic leaning voters with a margin of sampling error of +/- 4.5 percentage points. Margins of sampling error for additional subgroups are listed in tables below.

Surveys are conducted in English or Spanish dependent on respondent preference with live interviewers calling land lines and cell phones.

All data was collected and tabulated by the Quinnipiac University Poll.

PARTY IDENTIFICATION QUESTION WORDING - Generally speaking, do you consider yourself a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent, or what?

REGISTERED VOTERS	
PARTY IDENTIFICATION	
Republican	32%
Democrat	32
Independent	26
Other/DK/NA	9

PHONE DISTRIBUTION	
Cell only	40%
Land Line only	6
Both, cmp from cell sample	16
Both, cmp from land sample	39

RACE	
White	70%
Black	13
Hispanic	9
Other/DK/NA	8

	REGISTERED VOTERS.....						COLLEGE DEG	
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Yes	No
Weighted Percentage	100%	32%	32%	26%	48%	52%	31%	69%
Unweighted n	1,125	387	354	307	575	550	541	582
MoE (+/-%)	2.92	4.98	5.21	5.59	4.09	4.18	4.21	4.06

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....			
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk
Weighted Percentage	22%	26%	28%	20%	34%	36%	70%	13%
Unweighted n	131	197	334	420	445	437	882	101
MoE (+/-%)	8.56	6.98	5.36	4.78	4.65	4.69	3.30	9.75

	REPUBLICANS/REPUBLICAN LEANERS.....						
	Tot	Tea Party	BrnAgn	Evng	Men	Wom	COLLEGE DEG
Weighted Percentage	100%	25%	39%	53%	47%	31%	69%
Unweighted n	507	126	189	283	224	229	276
MoE (+/-%)	4.35	8.73	7.13	5.83	6.55	6.48	5.90

DEMOCRATS/DEMOCRATIC LEANERS....
COLLEGE DEG

	Tot	Men	Wom	Yes	No
Weighted Percentage	100%	42%	58%	34%	66%
Unweighted n	484	221	263	260	224
MoE (+/-%)	4.45	6.59	6.04	6.08	6.55

METHODOLOGICAL DETAILS

Dual frame landline and cell phone samples are generated using Random Digit Dialing procedures by Survey Sampling International (SSI). Both the landline and cellular phone samples are stratified by Census division according to area code.

Land line numbers are scheduled for 5+ call attempts and cell phone numbers are scheduled for 4+ call attempts. When calling landlines interviewers ask to speak with the adult member of the household having the next birthday. If that person is not available a call back is scheduled for a better time to speak with that person. Interviews are conducted on cell phones with both cell only and dual owner respondents. The complete land and cell sample is weighted to National Health Interview Survey estimates for [land only/cell only/dual owner] households.

Questions are asked of registered voters as they appear in the release document. If a question is asked of a subset of the sample a descriptive note is added in parenthesis preceding the question. Questions are numbered as asked with additional questions found in successive releases.

This survey uses statistical weighting procedures to account for deviations in the survey sample from known population characteristics, which helps correct for differential survey participation and random variation in samples. The overall adult sample is weighted to recent Census or American Community Survey data using a sample balancing procedure to match the demographic makeup of the population by region, gender, age, education and race. Margins of sampling error for this survey are not adjusted for design effect.

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