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**BIDEN KEEPS ABOVE 50 PERCENT MARK WITH STEADY LEAD OVER TRUMP,
QUINNIPIAC UNIVERSITY NATIONAL POLL FINDS;
63% DON'T EXPECT TO KNOW WINNER OF 2020 RACE ON ELECTION NIGHT**

In the race for the White House, former Vice President Joe Biden leads President Donald Trump 52 – 42 percent among likely voters in a Quinnipiac (KWIN-uh-pea-ack) University national poll released today. Those numbers are unchanged from a September 2nd national poll when Biden led Trump 52 – 42 percent.

“Voters think Biden is smarter, more honest, more level headed, and cares more about Americans than the president. And that, in part, translates into a ten-point lead,” said Quinnipiac University Polling Analyst Tim Malloy.

Democrats back Biden 96 – 2 percent, independents back him 49 – 41 percent, and Republicans back Trump 91 – 7 percent.

Ninety-four percent of likely voters who selected a candidate for president say their minds are made up, while 5 percent say they might change their minds.

VOTING IN 2020

Looking ahead, 47 percent plan to vote in person on Election Day, while 34 percent plan to vote by mail/absentee ballot, and 15 percent plan to vote at an early voting location.

Among voters who say they plan to vote in person on Election Day, 57 percent support Trump while 35 percent support Biden. However, among voters who plan to vote by mail/absentee ballot, 68 percent back Biden while 26 percent support Trump. Among those who plan on voting at an early voting location, 65 percent support Biden, while 34 percent support Trump.

THE 2020 ELECTION

Just 30 percent of likely voters think the country will know the winner of the presidential election on Election Night, while 63 percent say they think we will not know.

“Don’t hold your breath on Election Night. Nearly two-thirds of likely voters don’t anticipate going to bed on November 3rd with the election settled,” added Malloy.

Sixty-six percent of likely voters say they are either “very” or “somewhat” concerned that a foreign government may try to interfere in the 2020 presidential election, while 33 percent say they are either “not so concerned” or “not concerned at all.”

BIDEN VS. TRUMP: PERSONAL TRAITS

Biden receives a mixed favorability rating, as 45 percent have a favorable opinion and 45 percent have an unfavorable opinion. President Trump has a negative favorability rating, as 41 percent have a favorable opinion and 55 percent have an unfavorable opinion.

Likely voters give Biden better scores than Trump on six personal traits, as they say:

- 49 – 43 percent that Biden is honest, and 59 – 35 percent that Trump is not honest;
- 50 – 42 percent that Biden has good leadership skills, and 55 – 43 percent that Trump does not;
- 58 – 36 percent that Biden cares about average Americans, and 53 – 45 percent that Trump does not;
- 56 – 37 percent that Biden is level headed, and 61 – 36 percent that Trump is not level headed;
- 65 – 30 percent that Biden is intelligent, and 52 – 44 percent that Trump is also intelligent;
- A split 49 – 47 percent that Biden does not share their values, and 56 – 41 percent that Trump does not share their values.

BIDEN VS. TRUMP: THE ISSUES

Likely voters were asked who would do a better job handling five issues:

- On handling the economy, Trump 49 percent, Biden 48 percent;
- On handling the military, Biden 49 percent, Trump 46 percent;
- On keeping you and your family safe, Biden 51 percent, Trump 44 percent;
- On handling the response to the coronavirus, Biden 55 percent, Trump 39 percent;
- On handling racial inequality, Biden 56 percent, Trump 36 percent.

“It’s a toss-up on who best can manage the economy, but a thumping for Trump on race and who would best handle the coronavirus,” added Malloy.

TRUMP JOB APPROVAL

Likely voters give President Trump a negative 43 – 53 percent job approval rating, which is essentially unchanged from a negative 43 – 54 percent job approval on September 2nd. Likely voters give President Trump a mixed 49 – 48 percent approval for his handling of the economy. This is also essentially unchanged from a 49 – 49 percent approval for his handling of the economy earlier this month.

CORONAVIRUS

On his coronavirus response, voters give President Trump a negative 42 – 56 percent approval, similar to the 41 – 57 percent rating on September 2nd.

A majority of likely voters (57 percent) say they don’t think President Trump has been telling the truth about the coronavirus to the American people, while 37 percent think the president has been telling the truth.

“Was the president leveling with Americans in the early stages of the coronavirus? Likely voters say... not likely,” said Malloy.

Given a choice between President Trump and CDC scientists and asked who is trusted more on information about the coronavirus, likely voters say 70 – 21 percent that they trust CDC scientists more than President Trump.

Nearly eight out of ten (79 percent) of likely voters say they believe that masks or face coverings are effective in slowing the spread of the coronavirus, while 19 percent say they don't. There are gaps among political parties, as Republicans say 60 – 36 percent mask and face coverings are effective, Democrats say 96 – 3 percent they are effective, and independents say 78 – 21 percent they are effective.

WILDFIRES

A majority of likely voters, 58 – 37 percent, say that climate change is a factor in making the wildfires on the West Coast more severe. Along party lines, Democrats say 93 – 4 percent that climate change is a factor, independents say 54 – 41 percent it's a factor, and Republicans say 70 – 22 percent that climate change is not a factor in making the wildfires more severe.

1,302 likely voters nationwide were surveyed from September 17 – 21 with a margin of error of +/- 2.7 percentage points.

The Quinnipiac University Poll, directed by Douglas Schwartz, Ph.D., conducts gold standard surveys using random digit dialing with live interviewers calling landlines and cell phones. The Quinnipiac University Poll conducts nationwide surveys and polls in more than twenty states on national and statewide elections, as well as public policy issues.

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1. If the election for president were being held today, and the candidates were Joe Biden the Democrat and Donald Trump the Republican, for whom would you vote? (If undecided) As of today, do you lean more toward Joe Biden the Democrat or Donald Trump the Republican?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....						WHITE.....	
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	4 YR COLL DEG	
							Yes	No
Biden	52%	7%	96%	49%	46%	58%	61%	36%
Trump	42	91	2	41	47	38	37	60
SMONE ELSE (VOL)	1	1	-	2	2	-	1	1
DK/NA	4	2	2	8	5	4	2	3

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom			
Biden	63%	45%	55%	49%	39%	50%	45%	83%	63%
Trump	32	46	44	49	55	48	52	10	31
SMONE ELSE (VOL)	1	2	-	-	2	-	1	-	-
DK/NA	4	6	1	1	4	2	3	7	6

	2020 VOTING METHOD Q2.....		
	In Person	Mail/Absnt Ballot	Early Vot Location
Biden	35%	68%	65%
Trump	57	26	34
SMONE ELSE (VOL)	1	1	-
DK/NA	6	4	1

TREND: If the election for president were being held today, and the candidates were Joe Biden the Democrat and Donald Trump the Republican, for whom would you vote? (If undecided) As of today, do you lean more toward Joe Biden the Democrat or Donald Trump the Republican?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....			
	Biden	Trump	SMONE ELSE	DK/NA
Sep 23, 2020	52	42	1	4
Sep 02, 2020	52	42	2	3

1a. (If candidate chosen q1) Is your mind made up, or do you think you might change your mind before the election?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....		
	CANDIDATE CHOSEN Q1.....		
	CANDIDATE OF CHOICE Q1		
Tot	Biden	Trump	
Mind made up	94%	95%	92%
Might change	5	4	5
DK/NA	2	1	2

2. (If haven't already voted) Thinking about the 2020 election, do you think you will vote in person on Election Day, vote early by mail or absentee ballot, or vote at an early voting location?

LIKELY VOTERS.....							WHITE.....	
							4 YR COLL DEG	
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Yes	No
In person	47%	69%	30%	45%	51%	44%	39%	54%
Mail/Absentee ballot	34	21	49	34	29	39	41	32
Early voting loc	15	9	18	18	17	14	17	13
WON'T VOTE (VOL)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DK/NA	3	1	3	3	3	3	3	2

AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....					
18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp	
In person	43%	55%	46%	39%	53%	44%	49%	46%	39%
Mail/Absentee ballot	41	27	31	44	31	38	35	21	46
Early voting loc	15	14	18	15	13	15	14	26	13
WON'T VOTE (VOL)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DK/NA	1	3	5	1	2	2	2	7	3

3. Is your opinion of Joe Biden favorable, unfavorable or haven't you heard enough about him?

LIKELY VOTERS.....							WHITE.....	
							4 YR COLL DEG	
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Yes	No
Favorable	45%	6%	87%	40%	40%	50%	57%	30%
Unfavorable	45	88	6	45	50	40	38	63
Hvn't hrd enough	7	5	6	11	6	8	2	5
REFUSED	3	2	1	5	4	1	3	2

AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....					
18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp	
Favorable	43%	38%	52%	48%	33%	45%	39%	70%	50%
Unfavorable	40	49	41	48	58	51	54	18	28
Hvn't hrd enough	15	9	4	4	5	3	4	11	20
REFUSED	2	4	3	1	4	1	2	1	1

TREND: Is your opinion of Joe Biden favorable, unfavorable or haven't you heard enough about him?

LIKELY VOTERS.....				
	Fav	Unfav	Hvn't HrdEn	REF
Sep 23, 2020	45	45	7	3
Sep 02, 2020	45	48	6	2

3a. Is your opinion of Joe Biden favorable, unfavorable or haven't you heard enough about him? COMBINED WITH: (If favorable/unfavorable q3) Do you have a strongly or somewhat favorable/unfavorable opinion?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....						WHITE.....	
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	4 YR COLL DEG	
							Yes	No
Strongly favorable	29%	2%	63%	22%	24%	34%	36%	21%
Smwht favorable	16	4	24	17	15	16	21	9
Smwht unfavorable	8	7	4	13	10	6	9	9
Strongly unfavorable	36	81	2	32	39	34	29	54
Hvn't hrd enough	7	5	6	11	6	8	2	5
REFUSED	3	2	1	6	5	2	3	2

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....				
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Strongly favorable	13%	19%	41%	39%	20%	32%	26%	48%	26%
Smwht favorable	31	18	11	8	13	13	13	20	24
Smwht unfavorable	18	8	4	5	11	7	9	3	10
Strongly unfavorable	23	41	37	43	47	44	45	15	18
Hvn't hrd enough	15	9	4	4	5	3	4	11	20
REFUSED	2	5	3	1	4	1	2	2	1

TREND: Is your opinion of Joe Biden favorable, unfavorable or haven't you heard enough about him? COMBINED WITH: (If favorable/unfavorable) Do you have a strongly or somewhat favorable/unfavorable opinion?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....					
	Strngly Fav	Smwht Fav	Smwht Unfav	Strngly Unfav	Hvn't HrdEn	REF
Sep 23, 2020	29	16	8	36	7	3
Sep 02, 2020	29	15	11	35	6	4

4. Is your opinion of Donald Trump favorable, unfavorable or haven't you heard enough about him?

LIKELY VOTERS.....

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	WHITE.....	
							4 YR COLL DEG	Yes
Favorable	41%	89%	3%	39%	43%	39%	34%	58%
Unfavorable	55	10	95	54	53	57	64	39
Hvn't hrd enough	2	-	2	4	1	3	1	2
REFUSED	2	1	1	3	3	1	2	1

AGE IN YRS..... WHITE.....

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom			
Favorable	30%	44%	42%	48%	50%	48%	49%	13%	30%
Unfavorable	66	51	55	49	47	49	48	81	64
Hvn't hrd enough	3	3	2	2	1	2	2	3	5
REFUSED	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	2	1

TREND: Is your opinion of Donald Trump favorable, unfavorable or haven't you heard enough about him?

LIKELY VOTERS.....

	Fav	Unfav	Hvn't	
			HrdEn	REF
Sep 23, 2020	41	55	2	2
Sep 02, 2020	41	56	1	2

4a. Is your opinion of Donald Trump favorable, unfavorable or haven't you heard enough about him? COMBINED WITH: (If favorable/unfavorable q4) Do you have a strongly or somewhat favorable/unfavorable opinion?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....						WHITE.....	
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	4 YR COLL DEG	
							Yes	No
Strongly favorable	34%	79%	2%	27%	36%	32%	27%	50%
Smwht favorable	7	9	1	11	7	6	7	7
Smwht unfavorable	5	4	3	6	7	3	4	5
Strongly unfavorable	49	6	90	47	45	53	60	35
Hvn't hrd enough	2	-	2	4	1	3	1	2
REFUSED	3	1	2	4	3	3	2	1

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....				
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Strongly favorable	20%	34%	37%	42%	42%	42%	42%	13%	20%
Smwht favorable	9	10	4	5	8	6	7	-	10
Smwht unfavorable	11	4	5	2	6	3	4	8	4
Strongly unfavorable	56	46	51	47	41	46	44	71	60
Hvn't hrd enough	3	3	2	2	1	2	2	3	5
REFUSED	1	3	1	3	2	1	2	5	1

TREND: Is your opinion of Donald Trump favorable, unfavorable or haven't you heard enough about him? COMBINED WITH: (If favorable/unfavorable) Do you have a strongly or somewhat favorable/unfavorable opinion?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....					
	Strngly Fav	Smwht Fav	Smwht Unfav	Strngly Unfav	Hvn't HrdEn	REF
Sep 23, 2020	34	7	5	49	2	3
Sep 02, 2020	31	9	5	49	1	4

5. How upset would you be if the candidate you support in the 2020 presidential election lost: very upset, somewhat upset, not so upset, or not upset at all?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....						WHITE.....	
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	4 YR COLL DEG	
							Yes	No
Very upset	62%	62%	77%	49%	53%	70%	72%	63%
Somewhat upset	18	20	14	19	23	14	19	19
Not so upset	7	10	2	9	7	6	3	6
Not upset at all	11	5	6	19	14	8	4	9
DK/NA	3	3	1	4	3	2	2	3

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom			
Very upset	50%	54%	74%	70%	54%	77%	66%	59%	50%
Somewhat upset	25	19	15	18	24	15	19	14	18
Not so upset	11	11	3	3	6	4	5	4	13
Not upset at all	14	14	7	8	12	2	7	17	19
DK/NA	1	3	1	2	4	2	3	6	-

CANDIDATE OF CHOICE Q1

Biden Trump

Very upset	72%	56%
Somewhat upset	16	22
Not so upset	5	8
Not upset at all	6	12
DK/NA	1	2

6. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling his job as president?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....						WHITE.....		
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	4 YR COLL DEG		Wht
							Yes	No	Evang
Approve	43%	92%	3%	43%	48%	39%	36%	60%	79%
Disapprove	53	8	96	51	48	58	62	38	19
DK/NA	3	-	1	6	4	3	2	2	2

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom			
Approve	32%	48%	44%	50%	54%	49%	51%	16%	31%
Disapprove	64	49	55	48	43	50	47	82	62
DK/NA	4	3	2	2	3	1	2	1	7

TREND: Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling his job as president?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....		
	App	Dis	DK/NA
Sep 23, 2020	43	53	3
Sep 02, 2020	43	54	3

6a. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling his job as president?
 COMBINED WITH: (If approve/disapprove q6) Do you strongly or somewhat approve/disapprove?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....						WHITE.....		
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	4 YR COLL DEG		Wht
							Yes	No	Evang
Approve strongly	34%	81%	2%	29%	36%	33%	28%	51%	70%
Approve smwht	9	11	2	14	12	6	8	8	8
Disapprove smwht	5	6	3	6	4	5	3	3	2
Disapprove strongly	49	3	93	46	44	53	59	35	17
DK/NA	3	-	1	6	4	3	2	2	2

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom			
Approve strongly	17%	36%	40%	44%	43%	43%	43%	12%	19%
Approve smwht	15	12	4	6	11	6	8	4	12
Disapprove smwht	9	5	3	2	4	2	3	5	11
Disapprove strongly	55	45	51	47	39	47	44	78	52
DK/NA	4	3	2	2	3	1	2	1	7

TREND: Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling his job as president? COMBINED WITH: (If approve/disapprove) Do you strongly or somewhat approve/disapprove?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....				
	APPROVE.....	DISAPPROVE.....			
	Strngly	Smwht	Smwht	Strngly	DK/NA
Sep 23, 2020	34	9	5	49	3
Sep 02, 2020	34	9	5	49	3

7. Which of these is the most important issue to you in deciding who to vote for in the election for president: the economy, immigration, health care, climate change, the coronavirus pandemic, racial inequality, law and order, or the Supreme Court?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....						WHITE.....	
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	4 YR COLL DEG	
							Yes	No
Economy	24%	39%	7%	29%	28%	20%	24%	29%
Immigration	4	5	5	3	4	4	2	4
Health care	8	3	13	7	6	10	10	8
Climate change	6	1	11	7	5	7	10	6
Coronavirus	13	2	24	14	14	13	16	12
Racial inequality	13	2	20	13	10	15	6	6
Law and order	17	31	2	17	16	17	13	22
Supreme Court	8	11	8	5	10	7	12	9
DK/NA	7	7	10	4	6	8	7	6

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....				
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Economy	23%	31%	23%	22%	32%	22%	27%	14%	26%
Immigration	4	3	2	3	4	3	4	5	6
Health care	6	10	6	10	6	11	9	8	7
Climate change	9	4	6	6	6	8	7	1	7
Coronavirus	12	8	18	14	13	13	13	14	12
Racial inequality	29	10	11	4	5	7	6	36	20
Law and order	7	21	14	22	16	21	18	3	11
Supreme Court	5	7	11	9	11	9	10	9	4
DK/NA	3	6	7	9	6	6	6	10	8

CANDIDATE OF CHOICE Q1

Biden Trump

Economy	8%	45%
Immigration	3	4
Health care	13	2
Climate change	11	-
Coronavirus	24	1
Racial inequality	22	1
Law and order	3	33
Supreme Court	8	9
DK/NA	8	5

8. Would you say that - Joe Biden is honest, or not?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....						WHITE.....		
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	4 YR COLL DEG		
							Yes	No	
Yes	49%	12%	88%	44%	45%	53%	63%	36%	
No	43	80	9	46	48	39	31	58	
DK/NA	7	8	4	10	7	8	6	6	
	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....				
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Yes	48%	38%	58%	53%	42%	49%	46%	67%	49%
No	41	53	39	41	52	45	48	25	41
DK/NA	11	9	3	7	7	6	6	8	10

9. Would you say that - Donald Trump is honest, or not?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....						WHITE.....				
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	4 YR COLL DEG				
							Yes	No			
Yes	35%	79%	2%	31%	36%	34%	29%	52%			
No	59	16	96	61	59	60	68	45			
DK/NA	5	5	2	8	5	6	3	3			
	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp		
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom					
	Yes	25%	36%	36%	44%	43%	44%	44%	8%	24%	
No	71	55	62	51	53	53	53	85	65		
DK/NA	4	9	2	5	4	2	3	7	11		

10. Would you say that - Joe Biden has good leadership skills, or not?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....						WHITE.....				
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	4 YR COLL DEG				
							Yes	No			
Yes	50%	11%	90%	46%	43%	56%	59%	35%			
No	42	83	6	43	50	36	36	59			
DK/NA	7	6	4	11	7	8	5	6			
	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp		
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom					
	Yes	52%	45%	56%	48%	39%	48%	44%	76%	58%	
No	38	45	42	46	56	46	51	13	31		
DK/NA	9	10	2	7	5	5	5	11	11		

11. Would you say that - Donald Trump has good leadership skills, or not?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....						WHITE.....				
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	4 YR COLL DEG				
							Yes	No			
Yes	43%	87%	6%	42%	47%	39%	36%	59%			
No	55	12	93	53	50	59	63	39			
DK/NA	3	1	1	5	3	2	1	2			
	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp		
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom					
	Yes	33%	46%	42%	49%	53%	49%	51%	20%	27%	
No	62	53	58	49	45	50	48	80	70		
DK/NA	5	1	1	2	2	1	2	1	3		

12. Would you say that - Joe Biden cares about average Americans, or not?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....						WHITE.....				
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	4 YR COLL DEG				
							Yes	No			
Yes	58%	24%	90%	57%	53%	62%	71%	44%			
No	36	68	7	35	42	30	25	51			
DK/NA	6	8	3	8	5	7	4	5			
	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp		
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom					
	Yes	64%	49%	63%	58%	50%	57%	54%	75%	66%	
No	29	42	34	37	45	38	42	16	23		
DK/NA	7	9	3	5	5	4	5	9	12		

13. Would you say that - Donald Trump cares about average Americans, or not?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....						WHITE.....				
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	4 YR COLL DEG				
							Yes	No			
Yes	45%	89%	5%	48%	48%	42%	36%	60%			
No	53	8	94	50	50	56	63	38			
DK/NA	2	3	1	2	3	2	1	1			
	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp		
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom					
	Yes	40%	45%	43%	49%	53%	51%	52%	15%	34%	
No	57	52	56	48	46	48	47	83	59		
DK/NA	3	3	-	3	2	1	1	1	7		

14. Would you say that - Joe Biden is level headed, or not?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....						WHITE.....				
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	4 YR COLL DEG				
							Yes	No			
Yes	56%	16%	94%	53%	53%	58%	68%	42%			
No	37	74	5	37	41	33	30	52			
DK/NA	7	9	1	10	6	8	3	7			
	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp		
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom					
	Yes	58%	54%	61%	53%	49%	53%	51%	79%	66%	
No	30	41	36	41	47	42	44	14	21		
DK/NA	12	5	3	6	5	6	5	7	13		

15. Would you say that - Donald Trump is level headed, or not?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....						WHITE.....				
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	4 YR COLL DEG				
							Yes	No			
Yes	36%	79%	5%	30%	38%	34%	27%	51%			
No	61	19	94	64	59	63	72	46			
DK/NA	3	2	1	6	4	3	1	2			
	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp		
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom					
	Yes	23%	34%	37%	46%	41%	44%	42%	16%	24%	
No	73	62	61	52	56	55	56	80	69		
DK/NA	4	4	1	2	3	1	2	3	7		

16. Would you say that - Joe Biden is intelligent, or not?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....						WHITE.....				
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	4 YR COLL DEG				
							Yes	No			
Yes	65%	34%	93%	65%	62%	67%	73%	53%			
No	30	60	5	28	32	27	22	41			
DK/NA	5	6	3	7	6	5	4	6			
	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp		
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom					
	Yes	71%	62%	68%	61%	59%	62%	60%	81%	74%	
No	24	32	29	35	35	34	34	11	23		
DK/NA	5	6	3	5	6	5	6	7	3		

17. Would you say that - Donald Trump is intelligent, or not?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....						WHITE.....				
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	4 YR COLL DEG				
							Yes	No			
Yes	52%	94%	18%	51%	59%	47%	47%	65%			
No	44	5	78	41	38	49	49	32			
DK/NA	4	1	3	7	3	5	4	3			
	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp		
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom					
	Yes	45%	57%	51%	58%	62%	55%	59%	26%	46%	
No	52	40	46	38	35	42	38	68	50		
DK/NA	3	3	3	4	3	3	3	6	4		

18. Would you say that - Joe Biden shares your values, or not?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....						WHITE.....				
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	4 YR COLL DEG				
							Yes	No			
Yes	47%	10%	87%	41%	41%	53%	58%	33%			
No	49	88	10	53	55	43	40	64			
DK/NA	4	2	3	6	4	4	2	3			
	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp		
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom					
	Yes	44%	41%	54%	49%	36%	47%	42%	69%	54%	
No	50	54	44	47	61	50	56	24	39		
DK/NA	6	5	2	4	2	3	3	7	7		

19. Would you say that - Donald Trump shares your values, or not?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....						WHITE.....				
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	4 YR COLL DEG				
							Yes	No			
Yes	41%	89%	3%	38%	46%	37%	35%	57%			
No	56	11	96	55	52	59	63	41			
DK/NA	3	1	1	7	2	4	2	2			
	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp		
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom					
	Yes	29%	43%	44%	48%	51%	48%	49%	11%	28%	
No	67	54	55	49	47	50	49	84	66		
DK/NA	3	3	1	3	1	2	2	5	6		

20. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling the economy?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....						WHITE.....				
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	4 YR COLL DEG				
							Yes	No			
Approve	49%	95%	9%	51%	56%	43%	41%	62%			
Disapprove	48	3	89	46	42	54	57	36			
DK/NA	2	2	2	3	2	3	2	2			
	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp		
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom					
	Approve	38%	56%	48%	52%	59%	50%	55%	24%	41%	
Disapprove	59	43	51	46	40	47	44	75	56		
DK/NA	3	1	1	2	1	3	2	1	3		

TREND: Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling the economy?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....		
	App	Dis	DK/NA
Sep 23, 2020	49	48	2
Sep 02, 2020	49	49	2

21. Regardless of how you intend to vote, who do you think would do a better job - handling the economy: Donald Trump or Joe Biden?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....						WHITE.....	
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	4 YR COLL DEG	
							Yes	No
Trump	49%	96%	6%	52%	56%	43%	41%	62%
Biden	48	3	93	42	41	54	56	34
DK/NA	3	2	1	6	4	3	3	3

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....				
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Trump	41%	54%	48%	52%	60%	50%	55%	22%	44%
Biden	53	41	52	46	36	48	42	78	52
DK/NA	6	5	-	2	4	2	3	-	4

TREND: Regardless of how you intend to vote, who do you think would do a better job handling the economy: Donald Trump or Joe Biden?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....		
	Trump	Biden	DK/NA
Sep 23, 2020	49	48	3
Sep 02, 2020	48	48	4

22. Regardless of how you intend to vote, who do you think would do a better job - handling the response to the coronavirus: Donald Trump or Joe Biden?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....						WHITE.....	
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	4 YR COLL DEG	
							Yes	No
Trump	39%	84%	1%	40%	44%	35%	34%	56%
Biden	55	10	97	53	50	60	62	40
DK/NA	5	5	1	8	6	4	4	5

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....				
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Trump	28%	43%	40%	45%	51%	45%	48%	12%	25%
Biden	67	52	58	48	44	51	48	85	69
DK/NA	5	6	2	7	5	4	4	3	6

	REGION.....				DENSITY.....		
	NEast	MWest	South	West	City	Suburb	Rural
Trump	31%	37%	44%	41%	31%	34%	58%
Biden	65	55	51	55	63	61	37
DK/NA	3	8	5	5	6	5	5

TREND: Regardless of how you intend to vote, who do you think would do a better job handling the response to the coronavirus: Donald Trump or Joe Biden?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....		
	Trump	Biden	DK/NA
Sep 23, 2020	39	55	5
Sep 02, 2020	40	56	5

23. Regardless of how you intend to vote, who do you think would do a better job - handling racial inequality: Donald Trump or Joe Biden?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....						WHITE.....	
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	4 YR COLL DEG	
							Yes	No
Trump	36%	82%	2%	32%	39%	34%	29%	53%
Biden	56	11	95	57	51	61	64	42
DK/NA	7	6	2	11	9	6	7	5

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom			
Trump	23%	38%	39%	42%	46%	43%	45%	15%	19%
Biden	68	53	57	51	46	53	50	80	70
DK/NA	9	9	4	6	8	4	6	5	11

TREND: Regardless of how you intend to vote, who do you think would do a better job handling racial inequality: Donald Trump or Joe Biden?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....		
	Trump	Biden	DK/NA
Sep 23, 2020	36	56	7
Sep 02, 2020	36	58	6

24. Regardless of how you intend to vote, who do you think would do a better job - handling the military: Donald Trump or Joe Biden?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....						WHITE.....		
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	4 YR COLL DEG		Mltry
							Yes	No	HsHld
Trump	46%	91%	5%	48%	53%	41%	38%	63%	56%
Biden	49	6	92	46	44	54	59	33	43
DK/NA	4	3	3	5	3	5	3	4	2

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom			
Trump	42%	49%	46%	50%	58%	50%	54%	14%	36%
Biden	53	45	53	47	38	47	43	82	57
DK/NA	5	6	1	3	4	3	4	4	7

25. Regardless of how you intend to vote, who do you think would do a better job - keeping you and your family safe: Donald Trump or Joe Biden?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....						WHITE.....		
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	4 YR COLL DEG		Mltry HsHld
							Yes	No	
Trump	44%	90%	3%	47%	50%	39%	38%	61%	51%
Biden	51	5	95	47	45	56	59	35	44
DK/NA	5	4	2	6	4	5	4	3	5

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom			
Trump	35%	47%	44%	50%	57%	49%	53%	9%	31%
Biden	58	48	54	47	39	48	44	80	63
DK/NA	7	5	2	3	4	3	3	11	6

26. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling the response to the coronavirus?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....						WHITE.....	
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	4 YR COLL DEG	
							Yes	No
Approve	42%	87%	4%	41%	46%	38%	35%	57%
Disapprove	56	11	96	55	51	60	63	41
DK/NA	3	2	-	4	3	2	2	2

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom			
Approve	33%	45%	40%	47%	52%	46%	49%	15%	32%
Disapprove	67	53	59	49	46	52	49	85	66
DK/NA	-	2	1	4	1	2	2	-	3

	REGION.....				DENSITY.....		
	NEast	MWest	South	West	City	Suburb	Rural
Approve	34%	40%	45%	43%	33%	38%	59%
Disapprove	65	55	52	55	66	59	39
DK/NA	1	5	3	1	2	3	2

TREND: Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling the response to the coronavirus?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....		
	App	Dis	DK/NA
Sep 23, 2020	42	56	3
Sep 02, 2020	41	57	3

27. Do you think that President Trump is helping or hurting efforts to slow the spread of the coronavirus?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....						WHITE.....	
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	4 YR COLL	DEG
							Yes	No
Helping	40%	83%	3%	40%	44%	36%	33%	56%
Hurting	54	9	95	52	50	58	61	38
DK/NA	6	8	2	8	7	6	6	6

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....				
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Helping	30%	46%	39%	45%	49%	47%	48%	13%	30%
Hurting	64	51	56	48	45	47	46	83	68
DK/NA	6	3	5	7	6	6	6	4	2

	REGION.....				DENSITY.....		
	NEast	MWest	South	West	City	Suburb	Rural
Helping	33%	40%	41%	42%	30%	36%	58%
Hurting	61	53	52	53	64	58	35
DK/NA	6	7	6	5	6	6	7

TREND: Do you think that President Trump is helping or hurting efforts to slow the spread of the coronavirus?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....		
	Helping	Hurting	DK/NA
Sep 23, 2020	40	54	6
Sep 02, 2020	39	55	7

28. Do you think that President Trump has been telling the truth about the coronavirus to the American people, or don't you think so?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....						WHITE.....	
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	4 YR COLL	DEG
							Yes	No
Yes/Telling truth	37%	81%	3%	35%	40%	35%	33%	53%
No	57	13	96	57	56	59	64	42
DK/NA	5	6	2	8	4	6	3	5

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....				
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Yes/Telling truth	22%	42%	39%	44%	46%	45%	46%	13%	20%
No	73	51	59	51	50	50	50	84	68
DK/NA	5	8	2	6	4	4	4	3	12

	REGION.....				DENSITY.....		
	NEast	MWest	South	West	City	Suburb	Rural
Yes/Telling truth	32%	35%	42%	37%	29%	33%	55%
No	64	62	53	55	64	64	39
DK/NA	4	3	6	8	6	3	6

29. Who do you trust more on information about the coronavirus: President Trump or scientists at the CDC?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....						WHITE.....		
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	4 YR COLL DEG		
							Yes	No	
Trump	21%	51%	1%	17%	21%	22%	18%	30%	
CDC scientists	70	36	97	73	71	69	75	61	
DK/NA	9	13	2	10	9	9	7	9	
	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....				
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
	Trump	12%	26%	23%	25%	22%	29%	26%	9%
CDC scientists	82	63	69	66	68	63	66	83	77
DK/NA	6	11	7	9	9	7	8	8	9
	REGION.....				DENSITY.....				
	NEast	MWest	South	West	City	Suburb	Rural		
	Trump	18%	21%	22%	24%	15%	18%	35%	
CDC scientists	74	71	68	69	78	74	54		
DK/NA	8	8	11	7	8	7	11		

30. When do you think a vaccine for the coronavirus will be widely available to the public: within 2 months, within 6 months, within a year, or longer than that?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....						WHITE.....		
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	4 YR COLL DEG		
							Yes	No	
Within 2 months	10%	18%	2%	11%	11%	9%	6%	14%	
Within 6 months	29	40	20	31	33	26	29	36	
Within a year	33	20	47	30	32	33	42	28	
Longer than that	19	11	28	18	15	23	16	13	
DK/NA	9	12	3	11	9	9	6	9	
	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....				
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
	Within 2 months	11%	8%	10%	12%	13%	10%	11%	5%
Within 6 months	29	25	30	35	37	30	33	12	23
Within a year	34	33	37	28	30	36	33	42	27
Longer than that	19	26	16	17	12	16	14	29	33
DK/NA	8	8	7	8	9	8	8	12	5
	REGION.....				DENSITY.....				
	NEast	MWest	South	West	City	Suburb	Rural		
	Within 2 months	7%	12%	12%	8%	9%	6%	16%	
Within 6 months	29	32	27	31	29	32	29		
Within a year	34	32	32	33	29	43	26		
Longer than that	21	15	20	20	25	14	17		
DK/NA	9	8	9	8	8	6	13		

31. Do you believe that masks or face coverings are effective in slowing the spread of the coronavirus, or not?

LIKELY VOTERS.....									
							WHITE.....		
							4 YR COLL DEG		
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Yes	No	
Yes/Effective	79%	60%	96%	78%	78%	80%	85%	72%	
No	19	36	3	21	20	18	14	26	
DK/NA	2	5	1	1	3	2	1	3	
AGE IN YRS.....					WHITE.....				
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Yes/Effective	82%	74%	79%	83%	77%	76%	77%	90%	86%
No	17	23	20	13	21	22	21	8	11
DK/NA	1	2	1	4	2	2	2	2	3
REGION.....					DENSITY.....				
	NEast	MWest	South	West	City	Suburb	Rural		
Yes/Effective	83%	78%	79%	77%	85%	84%	65%		
No	14	21	18	22	13	14	31		
DK/NA	4	1	3	1	1	2	3		

32. Regarding the wildfires in the states of California, Oregon, and Washington, do you think climate change is a factor in making these wildfires more severe, or not?

LIKELY VOTERS.....									
							WHITE.....		
							4 YR COLL DEG		
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Yes	No	
Yes/A factor	58%	22%	93%	54%	52%	62%	66%	46%	
No	37	70	4	41	42	32	30	48	
DK/NA	6	8	3	5	6	6	5	6	
AGE IN YRS.....					WHITE.....				
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Yes/A factor	73%	51%	57%	53%	49%	58%	53%	72%	71%
No	21	42	38	43	46	37	41	23	21
DK/NA	6	7	5	5	6	5	5	5	8

33. Thinking about election night in November of 2020, do you think we will know the winner of the presidential election that night, or don't you think so?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....						WHITE.....	
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	4 YR COLL DEG	
							Yes	No
Yes/Will know	30%	32%	28%	32%	35%	25%	27%	26%
No	63	64	64	60	60	66	67	68
DK/NA	7	4	7	8	5	9	6	6

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom			
Yes/Will know	38%	38%	28%	19%	33%	20%	26%	42%	40%
No	50	57	67	74	62	72	68	51	51
DK/NA	12	5	4	7	4	8	6	6	9

34. How concerned are you that a foreign government may try to interfere in the 2020 presidential election: very concerned, somewhat concerned, not so concerned, or not concerned at all?

	LIKELY VOTERS.....						WHITE.....	
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	4 YR COLL DEG	
							Yes	No
Very concerned	39%	16%	70%	28%	34%	42%	43%	31%
Somewhat concerned	27	31	21	31	28	27	29	26
Not so concerned	14	22	6	16	14	15	13	17
Not concerned at all	19	31	4	24	23	15	14	25
DK/NA	1	1	-	2	1	1	1	1

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom			
Very concerned	27%	33%	46%	46%	32%	39%	35%	56%	41%
Somewhat concerned	33	27	23	27	26	28	27	24	25
Not so concerned	21	13	12	13	16	16	16	7	15
Not concerned at all	19	27	17	13	27	16	21	12	18
DK/NA	-	1	1	1	-	1	1	1	1