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**AMERICAN VOTERS HAVE FEW KIND WORDS FOR TRUMP,
QUINNIPIAC UNIVERSITY NATIONAL POLL FINDS;
EXPEL MOORE IF HE WINS, VOTERS SAY ALMOST 2-1**

In trying to find the right word for President Donald Trump, American voters are overwhelmingly negative, as 53 voters (not percent) say “idiot” is the first word that comes to mind when they think of the president, followed by 44 voters who say “liar” and 36 voters who say “incompetent,” according to a Quinnipiac University national poll released today.

In the same open-ended question, allowing for any answer, 35 voters say “leader,” with 35 voters saying “strong,” 26 voters saying “a**hole,” 21 voters saying “great,” 19 voters saying “moron,” 18 voters saying “arrogant” and 17 voters saying “disgusting,” the independent Quinnipiac (KWIN-uh-pe-ack) University Poll finds. Of the 48 words used by five or more voters, 30 words are negative.

Voters disapprove 57 – 37 percent of the job President Trump is doing, consistent with findings for the last four months. Trump has hit or topped the 40 percent approval mark four times since he was inaugurated. His highest approval, 42 percent, was in February.

The Russian government tried to influence the 2016 presidential election, voters say 73 – 22 percent, including Republicans by a narrow 50 – 45 percent.

Voters say 41 – 28 percent this interference changed the outcome of the election.

And American voters say 57 – 38 percent Trump has attempted to “derail or obstruct the investigation into the Russian interference in the 2016 election.”

By a narrow 48 – 44 percent, American voters say Trump did not collude with the Russian government to influence the election, but voters say 52 – 40 percent that the Trump campaign colluded with the Russian government.

“President Donald Trump is known for hurling insults and he’s getting slammed right back. ‘Idiot’ is just one of a string of insults thrown his way by American voters,” said Tim Malloy, assistant director of the Quinnipiac University Poll.

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If Roy Moore wins the U.S. Senate election in Alabama and becomes a Senator, the Senate should vote to expel him, American voters say 60 – 31 percent. Republicans oppose expelling Moore 65 – 25 percent and white men are split 46 – 45 percent. Every other party, gender, education, age and racial group says expel him.

Women say 67 – 24 percent that Moore should be expelled, and men agree 52 – 40 percent.

Voters disapprove 63 – 21 percent of President Trump’s endorsement of Moore. Republicans are the only listed group to approve, by an anemic 50 – 25 percent.

“American voters to their Alabama cousins: You may want to send Roy Moore to Washington, but we think the U.S. Senate should send him right back to the Heart of Dixie,” Malloy said.

“And President Trump takes a big hit for supporting Moore.”

Party Over Country

Republicans in Congress put party over country, American voters say 74 – 19 percent. Republican voters are divided as 46 percent say their party puts country first and 45 percent say it’s party first.

Democrats in Congress do a little less bad as voters say 60 – 34 percent that they put party over country. Democratic voters are more loyal to their leaders as they say 63 – 30 percent that they put country over party.

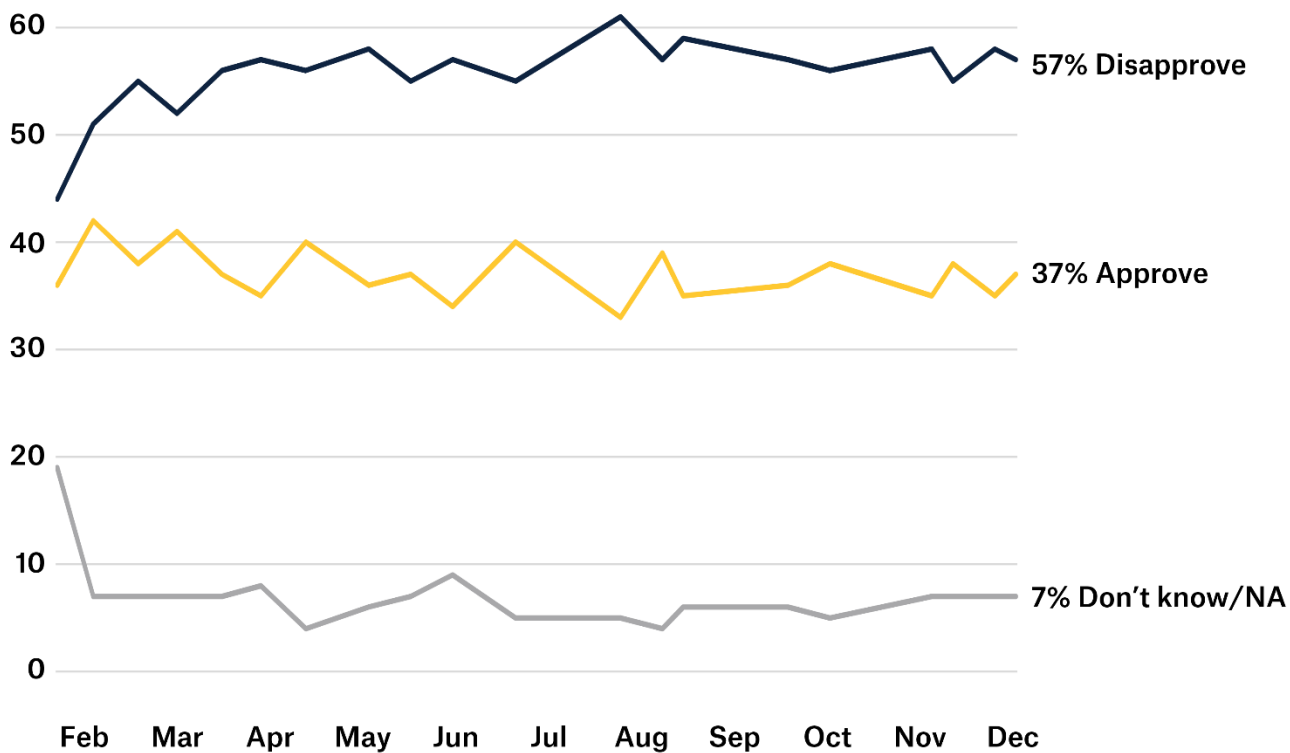
From December 6 – 11, Quinnipiac University surveyed 1,211 voters nationwide with a margin of error of +/- 3.5 percentage points, including the design effect. Live interviewers call landlines and cell phones.

The Quinnipiac University Poll, directed by Douglas Schwartz, Ph.D., conducts nationwide public opinion surveys, and statewide polls in Pennsylvania, New York, New Jersey, Connecticut, Florida, Ohio, Virginia, Iowa and Colorado as a public service and for research.

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President Donald Trump's Job Approval



Quinnipiac University Poll - U.S. Registered Voters: 2017
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1. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling his job as President?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	WHITE.....	
							Yes	No
Approve	37%	85%	3%	31%	43%	31%	38%	53%
Disapprove	57	11	92	63	49	63	57	42
DK/NA	7	4	6	6	8	6	5	5

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom			
Approve	30%	34%	39%	41%	50%	42%	46%	2%	22%
Disapprove	60	60	55	55	44	54	49	90	69
DK/NA	10	6	7	4	6	4	5	8	9

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

	App	Dis	DK/NA
Dec 12, 2017	37	57	7
Dec 05, 2017	35	58	7
Nov 21, 2017	38	55	7
Nov 14, 2017	35	58	7
Oct 11, 2017	38	56	5
Sep 27, 2017	36	57	6
Aug 23, 2017	35	59	6
Aug 17, 2017	39	57	4
Aug 02, 2017	33	61	5
Jun 29, 2017	40	55	5
Jun 07, 2017	34	57	9
May 24, 2017	37	55	7
May 10, 2017	36	58	6
Apr 19, 2017	40	56	4
Apr 04, 2017	35	57	8
Mar 22, 2017	37	56	7
Mar 07, 2017	41	52	7
Feb 22, 2017	38	55	7
Feb 07, 2017	42	51	7
Jan 26, 2017	36	44	19

1a. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling his job as President? COMBINED WITH: (If approve/disapprove q1) Do you strongly or somewhat approve/disapprove?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	WHITE..... COLLEGE DEG	
							Yes	No
Approve strongly	26%	64%	1%	21%	32%	20%	25%	40%
Approve smwht	10	20	1	10	11	10	12	13
Disapprove smwht	7	4	6	11	6	7	4	7
Disapprove strongly	49	7	85	52	43	55	53	34
DK/NA	8	5	7	6	8	7	5	6

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom			
Approve strongly	13%	24%	30%	32%	38%	28%	33%	1%	13%
Approve smwht	15	9	8	9	12	14	13	1	9
Disapprove smwht	12	6	6	7	5	7	6	9	12
Disapprove strongly	47	55	49	48	38	47	43	80	57
DK/NA	13	6	7	5	7	4	6	8	9

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?

	APPROVE.....		DISAPPROVE.....		
	Strngly	Smwht	Smwht	Strngly	DK/NA
Dec 12, 2017	26	10	7	49	8
Dec 05, 2017	25	10	6	52	7
Nov 21, 2017	24	13	7	48	7
Nov 14, 2017	26	9	7	51	7
Oct 11, 2017	27	11	6	50	6
Sep 27, 2017	26	10	8	49	7
Aug 23, 2017	27	8	4	54	7
Aug 17, 2017	26	12	5	52	5
Aug 02, 2017	23	10	6	55	6
Jun 29, 2017	28	12	6	48	5
Jun 07, 2017	25	9	6	51	9
May 24, 2017	28	9	7	49	8
May 10, 2017	25	10	8	51	7
Apr 19, 2017	28	11	6	50	5
Apr 04, 2017	25	9	7	49	9
Mar 22, 2017	26	10	6	50	8
Mar 07, 2017	31	10	6	45	8
Feb 22, 2017	29	9	6	49	8
Feb 07, 2017	33	9	6	45	8
Jan 26, 2017	29	6	4	40	20

4. What is the first word that comes to mind when you think of President Trump? (Numbers are not percentages. Figures show the number of times each response was given. This table reports only words that were mentioned at least five times.)

	Tot
idiot	53
liar	44
incompetent	36
leader	35
strong	35
asshole	26
great	21
moron	19
arrogant	18
disgusting	17
unqualified	16
crazy	15
bold	14
buffoon	12
dangerous	12
ignorant	12
corrupt	11
dishonest	11
honest	11
racist	11
businessman	10
different	10
stupid	10
business	9
change	9
egotistical	9
fraud	9
good	9
narcissist	9
president	9
American	8
jerk	8
trying	8
unstable	8
awesome	7
bombastic	7
disaster	7
pig	7
childish	6
dumb	6
evil	6
joke	6
powerful	6
courageous	5
disgrace	5
fantastic	5
hard-worker	5
insane	5

7. Do you feel that Donald Trump is doing more to unite the country as president, or doing more to divide the country as president?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	WHITE..... COLLEGE DEG	
							Yes	No
Unite	32%	74%	2%	26%	38%	27%	30%	47%
Divide	62	13	95	70	55	68	63	45
DK/NA	7	13	3	4	7	6	7	8

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom			
Unite	22%	30%	35%	37%	44%	34%	39%	3%	18%
Divide	68	64	60	58	48	59	54	94	76
DK/NA	10	6	4	6	8	7	7	3	6

TREND: Do you feel that Donald Trump is doing more to unite the country as President, or doing more to divide the country as President? (* "will do more")

	Unite	Divide	DK/NA
Dec 12, 2017	32	62	7
Oct 11, 2017	37	58	5
Sep 27, 2017	35	60	5
Aug 23, 2017	31	62	7
Apr 19, 2017	36	59	6
Apr 04, 2017	34	61	6
Mar 07, 2017	39	56	5
Feb 22, 2017	36	58	6
Feb 07, 2017 *	37	58	5
Jan 26, 2017 *	40	55	5
Jan 10, 2017 *	40	54	6
Nov 22, 2016 *	47	49	5

8. Does having Donald Trump as President of the United States make you feel more safe, less safe, or doesn't it have an impact on how safe you feel?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	WHITE..... COLLEGE DEG	
							Yes	No
More safe	26%	66%	2%	21%	33%	20%	29%	37%
Less safe	52	10	87	57	44	60	55	38
No impact	19	23	11	21	21	17	15	23
DK/NA	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	2

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom			
More safe	10%	26%	31%	33%	39%	28%	33%	2%	14%
Less safe	48	57	53	50	39	54	46	79	60
No impact	36	17	16	14	22	17	19	13	25
DK/NA	6	-	-	3	1	2	1	6	1

TREND: Does having Donald Trump as President of the United States make you feel more safe, less safe, or doesn't it have an impact on how safe you feel?

	More Safe	Less Safe	No Impact	DK/NA
Dec 12, 2017	26	52	19	2
Oct 11, 2017	30	49	21	-
Aug 23, 2017	28	52	19	-

9. Do you think that President Trump is abusing the powers of his office, or not?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	WHITE..... COLLEGE DEG	
							Yes	No
Yes/Abusing powers	52%	8%	86%	57%	43%	60%	49%	40%
No	44	89	11	39	54	36	48	57
DK/NA	3	3	3	4	2	4	3	2

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom			
Yes/Abusing powers	59%	48%	53%	52%	37%	52%	45%	79%	67%
No	38	48	46	45	60	46	53	13	30
DK/NA	3	4	1	3	3	3	3	8	3

TREND: Do you think that President Trump is abusing the powers of his office, or not?

	Yes	No	DK/NA
Dec 12, 2017	52	44	3
Sep 27, 2017	49	47	4
Aug 23, 2017	53	44	2
Aug 17, 2017	51	47	2
Aug 02, 2017	57	40	2
Jun 29, 2017	52	46	2
Jun 07, 2017	55	42	3
May 24, 2017	54	43	3

10. Do you think that President Trump believes he is above the law, or not?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	WHITE..... COLLEGE DEG	
							Yes	No
Yes/Above law	61%	16%	92%	66%	52%	68%	58%	46%
No	36	80	6	29	44	29	38	51
DK/NA	3	3	2	5	4	3	4	3

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom			
Yes/Above law	68%	64%	60%	54%	44%	59%	52%	94%	77%
No	27	33	39	41	52	38	44	3	21
DK/NA	6	3	1	5	4	3	3	3	2

TREND: Do you think that President Trump believes he is above the law, or not?

	Yes	No	DK/NA
Dec 12, 2017	61	36	3
Aug 17, 2017	59	40	2
Aug 02, 2017	60	36	4

11. Which comes closer to your point of view: anything that the president does is legal because he is the president, or the president can do something illegal because he is subject to the same laws as any American citizen?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	WHITE..... COLLEGE DEG	
							Yes	No
Anything is legal	10%	13%	10%	10%	7%	13%	6%	14%
Somethings illegal	80	74	84	84	84	78	87	75
DK/NA	9	13	6	6	9	9	7	11

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom			
Anything is legal	12%	8%	11%	10%	7%	13%	10%	11%	14%
Somethings illegal	77	87	81	74	84	78	81	78	79
DK/NA	11	4	8	15	9	9	9	10	6

12. In general, do you believe that the Republicans in Congress put country over party, or do you think that they put party over country?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	WHITE..... COLLEGE DEG	
							Yes	No
Country over party	19%	46%	7%	13%	20%	19%	20%	25%
Party over country	74	45	88	81	76	73	75	67
DK/NA	6	10	5	6	4	8	5	9

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom			
Country over party	18%	17%	22%	21%	22%	23%	22%	10%	12%
Party over country	77	79	74	68	73	69	71	87	80
DK/NA	5	4	4	11	5	8	7	3	8

13. In general, do you believe that the Democrats in Congress put country over party, or do you think that they put party over country?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	WHITE..... COLLEGE DEG	
							Yes	No
Country over party	34%	8%	63%	31%	26%	41%	35%	24%
Party over country	60	87	30	64	70	51	59	70
DK/NA	6	5	7	6	4	8	5	6

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom			
Country over party	32%	35%	39%	30%	24%	35%	30%	66%	33%
Party over country	63	60	58	60	72	58	65	30	62
DK/NA	5	5	3	10	4	8	6	4	5

15. Do you think that President Trump fired former FBI Director James Comey because President Trump had lost confidence in his ability to lead the FBI well, or do you think President Trump fired former FBI Director James Comey to disrupt the FBI investigation into potential coordination between the Trump campaign and the Russian government?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	WHITE.....			
							Yes	No		
Lost confidence	34%	71%	5%	31%	40%	28%	37%	44%		
Disrupt inves	57	14	91	61	48	64	54	45		
DK/NA	10	15	4	8	12	8	9	12		
	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....					
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp	
Lost confidence	26%	34%	36%	36%	46%	35%	40%	3%	24%	
Disrupt inves	59	58	56	56	42	56	49	90	66	
DK/NA	14	8	8	8	12	9	10	7	10	

TREND: Do you think that President Trump fired former FBI Director James Comey because President Trump had lost confidence in his ability to lead the FBI well, or do you think President Trump fired former FBI Director James Comey to disrupt the FBI investigation into potential coordination between the Trump campaign and the Russian government?

	Lost Confidnc	Disrupt Invst	DK/NA
Dec 12, 2017	34	57	10
Jun 29, 2017	39	54	7
May 24, 2017	36	55	10

16. As you may know, there are reports that President Trump asked then FBI director James Comey to drop the bureau's investigation of former national security adviser, Michael Flynn. Do you believe that this is true or not?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	WHITE.....			
							Yes	No		
Yes/believe true	59%	21%	89%	62%	56%	60%	61%	44%		
No	24	49	5	22	28	20	23	33		
DK/NA	18	30	7	16	16	19	16	23		
	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....					
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp	
Yes/believe true	61%	65%	57%	53%	52%	53%	52%	87%	66%	
No	16	21	28	27	32	24	28	4	21	
DK/NA	23	14	16	21	16	23	20	10	13	

TREND: As you may know, there are reports that President Trump asked then FBI director James Comey to drop the bureau's investigation of former national security adviser, Michael Flynn. Do you believe that this is true or not?

	Yes	No	DK/NA
Dec 12, 2017	59	24	18
Jun 29, 2017	54	32	14
May 24, 2017	55	27	18

17. Who do you trust more to tell you the truth about important issues: President Trump or former FBI Director James Comey?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	WHITE.....			
							Yes	No		
Trump	32%	75%	3%	25%	38%	26%	34%	46%		
Comey	56	13	92	60	51	60	56	42		
DK/NA	12	12	5	14	11	13	11	12		
	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....					
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp	
Trump	21%	31%	35%	37%	45%	35%	40%	1%	11%	
Comey	61	58	56	52	45	52	49	87	72	
DK/NA	19	11	9	11	10	13	11	11	16	

TREND: Who do you trust more to tell you the truth about important issues: President Trump or former FBI Director James Comey?

	Trump	Comey	DK/NA
Dec 12, 2017	32	56	12
Jun 29, 2017	36	56	8

18. Since the election of Donald Trump, do you believe the level of hatred and prejudice in the U.S. has increased, the level of hatred and prejudice has decreased, or hasn't it changed either way?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	WHITE.....			
							Yes	No		
Increased	62%	35%	86%	66%	56%	68%	62%	54%		
Decreased	4	10	2	2	5	4	3	6		
Hasn't changed	31	50	11	31	37	26	31	37		
DK/NA	2	5	1	1	1	3	3	3		
	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....					
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp	
Increased	61%	64%	59%	64%	51%	64%	58%	75%	77%	
Decreased	2	3	6	5	5	4	5	4	4	
Hasn't changed	37	31	30	29	42	28	35	20	19	
DK/NA	-	1	4	2	2	3	3	2	-	

TREND: Since the election of Donald Trump, do you believe the level of hatred and prejudice in the U.S. has increased, the level of hatred and prejudice has decreased, or hasn't it changed either way?

	Incr	Decr	NoChng	DK/NA
Dec 12, 2017	62	4	31	2
Aug 23, 2017	65	2	32	1
Mar 09, 2017	63	2	32	3

19. If a political candidate has been accused of sexual harassment by multiple people, would you still consider voting for them if you agreed with them on the issues, or would you definitely not vote for them?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	WHITE..... COLLEGE DEG				
							Yes	No			
Consider voting	24%	48%	10%	19%	32%	17%	25%	30%			
Definitely not vote	66	34	84	73	59	72	63	59			
DK/NA	10	18	7	9	10	10	11	11			
	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....						
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp		
Consider voting	21%	25%	23%	26%	34%	22%	28%	7%	7%		
Definitely not vote	75	65	66	60	54	67	61	85	83		
DK/NA	4	9	11	14	11	11	11	7	10		
	REPUBLICAN		DEMOCRAT..		INDEPENDENT						
	Men	Wom	Men	Wom	Men	Wom					
Consider voting	56%	40%	17%	5%	25%	11%					
Definitely not vote	29	39	79	87	65	82					
DK/NA	15	21	4	8	10	7					

TREND: If a political candidate has been accused of sexual harassment by multiple people, would you still consider voting for them if you agreed with them on the issues, or would you definitely not vote for them? (* "multiple women")

	Cons- ider	Def Not	DK/NA
Dec 12, 2017	24	66	10
Nov 21, 2017 *	27	62	11

28. Do you have confidence in President Trump to handle the situation with North Korea or not?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	WHITE..... COLLEGE DEG				
							Yes	No			
Yes/Confidence	39%	86%	6%	33%	48%	31%	41%	54%			
No	59	12	93	65	51	67	58	44			
DK/NA	2	2	1	2	2	2	1	2			
	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....						
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp		
Yes/Confidence	31%	38%	41%	42%	55%	41%	47%	7%	25%		
No	67	61	57	54	43	58	51	92	73		
DK/NA	1	1	2	4	2	1	2	1	1		

TREND: Do you have confidence in President Trump to handle the situation with North Korea or not?

	Yes	No	DK/NA
Dec 12, 2017	39	59	2
Nov 14, 2017	40	57	3
Oct 12, 2017	40	57	2
Sep 28, 2017	41	56	2
Aug 24, 2017	42	54	4
Aug 16, 2017	42	56	3

29. Do you think the United States will be able to resolve the situation with North Korea diplomatically or will the United States need to use military force to resolve the situation with North Korea?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	WHITE..... COLLEGE DEG	
							Yes	No
Diplomatically	54%	46%	60%	55%	59%	49%	60%	48%
Military force	32	39	27	32	30	34	26	38
DK/NA	14	14	14	13	11	16	14	14

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom			
Diplomatically	46%	61%	53%	54%	59%	50%	54%	54%	55%
Military force	40	32	31	29	30	33	32	27	39
DK/NA	14	7	15	17	11	17	14	18	6

TREND: Do you think the United States will be able to resolve the situation with North Korea diplomatically, or will the United States need to use military force to resolve the situation with North Korea?

	Diplom- atic	Miltry Force	DK/NA
Dec 12, 2017	54	32	14
Nov 14, 2017	62	24	14
Oct 12, 2017	54	29	17
Sep 28, 2017	50	35	15
Aug 24, 2017	64	26	11
Aug 16, 2017	60	30	10

31. Do you think that the Russian government tried to influence the 2016 presidential election, or not?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	WHITE..... COLLEGE DEG	
							Yes	No
Yes/Tried influence	73%	50%	94%	74%	75%	71%	76%	62%
No	22	45	4	20	21	23	19	31
DK/NA	5	5	2	6	3	6	5	7

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom			
Yes/Tried influence	75%	77%	72%	70%	73%	66%	69%	93%	74%
No	22	21	23	21	23	27	25	2	23
DK/NA	3	2	6	9	4	7	6	4	3

31a. (If yes/Tried to influence q31) Do you think the Russian interference changed the outcome of the 2016 presidential election, or not?

	RUSSIAN GOV'T TRIED TO INFLUENCE ELECTION Q31.....						WHITE..... COLLEGE DEG	
	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Yes	No
Yes/Changed outcome	56%	12%	76%	56%	47%	64%	50%	48%
No	38	85	16	39	49	29	42	46
DK/NA	6	3	8	5	4	8	8	6

	AGE IN YRS.....			
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Yes/Changed outcome	64%	54%	54%	53%
No	34	40	42	39
DK/NA	2	6	4	9

31b. Do you think that the Russian government tried to influence the 2016 presidential election, or not? COMBINED WITH: (If yes/Tried to influence q31) Do you think the Russian interference changed the outcome of the 2016 presidential election, or not?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	WHITE..... COLLEGE DEG	
							Yes	No
Try/Changed outcome	41%	6%	71%	41%	35%	45%	39%	30%
Try/Didn't change	28	42	15	29	37	20	32	29
Didn't try	22	45	4	20	21	23	19	31
DK/NA	9	7	9	10	6	12	10	10

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	WHITE.....		
							Wht	Blk	Hsp
Try/Changed outcome	48%	41%	39%	37%	29%	38%	34%	66%	54%
Try/Didn't change	26	31	30	27	40	22	31	24	20
Didn't try	22	21	23	21	23	27	25	2	23
DK/NA	4	6	9	15	8	13	10	8	4

32. As you may know, Special Counsel Robert Mueller was appointed to oversee the criminal investigation into any links or coordination between President Trump's campaign and the Russian government. Do you think that he is conducting a fair investigation into this matter, or not?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	WHITE..... COLLEGE DEG	
							Yes	No
Yes/Fair	58%	34%	79%	58%	60%	56%	61%	53%
No	29	48	12	29	32	27	27	33
DK/NA	13	18	9	12	8	18	12	14

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	WHITE.....		
							Wht	Blk	Hsp
Yes/Fair	55%	63%	58%	53%	60%	55%	57%	70%	51%
No	29	27	28	30	32	28	30	20	33
DK/NA	15	10	13	17	8	17	13	10	16

TREND: As you may know, Special Counsel Robert Mueller was appointed to oversee the criminal investigation into any links or coordination between President Trump's campaign and the Russian government. Do you think that he is conducting a fair investigation into this matter, or not?

	Yes	No	DK/NA
Dec 12, 2017	58	29	13
Nov 15, 2017	60	27	13

33. When it comes to President Trump's relationship with Russia, do you believe that: he did something illegal, he did something unethical but nothing illegal, or do you believe that President Trump did not do anything wrong?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	WHITE..... COLLEGE DEG	
							Yes	No
Illegal	36%	3%	66%	37%	30%	42%	32%	24%
Unethical/Not illegl	27	22	25	32	27	26	27	28
Nothing wrong	30	71	3	26	38	24	32	44
DK/NA	6	5	6	6	5	8	9	4

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom			
Illegal	48%	32%	37%	32%	22%	33%	28%	63%	61%
Unethical/Not illegl	31	33	23	24	27	28	28	30	17
Nothing wrong	15	30	34	37	45	32	38	1	20
DK/NA	6	6	6	8	6	7	6	5	2

TREND: When it comes to President Trump's relationship with Russia, do you believe that: he did something illegal, he did something unethical but nothing illegal, or do you believe that President Trump did not do anything wrong?

	Un- Illegal	Nothing ethical Wrong	DK/NA
Dec 12, 2017	36	27	30
Nov 15, 2017	28	29	35
Aug 02, 2017	30	30	32
Jun 29, 2017	28	29	37
Jun 07, 2017	31	29	32

34. Do you believe that President Trump has attempted to derail or obstruct the investigation into the Russian interference in the 2016 election, or not?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	WHITE..... COLLEGE DEG	
							Yes	No
Yes	57%	13%	89%	64%	51%	62%	57%	42%
No	38	82	8	33	46	31	39	54
DK/NA	5	6	3	4	3	7	4	4

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom			
Yes	69%	58%	55%	52%	43%	55%	49%	88%	70%
No	28	40	40	42	54	40	47	8	26
DK/NA	3	2	6	7	3	5	4	4	4

TREND: Do you believe that President Trump has attempted to derail or obstruct the investigation into the Russian interference in the 2016 election, or not?

	Yes	No	DK/NA
Dec 12, 2017	57	38	5
Nov 15, 2017	53	43	4
Aug 24, 2017	56	38	6
Aug 16, 2017	57	38	6
Aug 02, 2017	58	37	4
Jun 29, 2017	55	41	4

35. Do you believe that President Trump colluded with the Russian government to influence the 2016 presidential election, or not?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	WHITE..... COLLEGE DEG	
							Yes	No
Yes/Colluded	44%	5%	76%	46%	37%	50%	40%	31%
No	48	91	13	46	57	41	50	62
DK/NA	8	4	10	7	6	9	9	7

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom			
Yes/Colluded	53%	45%	41%	41%	29%	41%	36%	77%	55%
No	42	50	50	49	64	50	56	18	36
DK/NA	5	6	8	10	7	9	8	5	9

36. Do you believe that the Trump campaign colluded with the Russian government to influence the 2016 presidential election, or not?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	WHITE..... COLLEGE DEG	
							Yes	No
Yes/Colluded	52%	10%	86%	57%	47%	57%	52%	38%
No	40	84	8	36	47	34	41	53
DK/NA	7	6	6	7	6	9	6	9

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		Wht	Blk	Hsp
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom			
Yes/Colluded	60%	55%	50%	49%	40%	49%	45%	85%	63%
No	37	39	42	41	54	41	47	6	32
DK/NA	3	6	8	10	6	9	8	9	5

37. Should President Trump be impeached and removed from office if he fires Special Counsel Robert Mueller, or not?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	WHITE.....	
							Yes	No
Yes/Impeached	47%	6%	81%	49%	41%	52%	46%	34%
No	47	90	12	44	54	40	48	60
DK/NA	7	4	7	7	4	8	6	7

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		COLLEGE DEG		
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Yes/Impeached	54%	48%	45%	46%	35%	44%	39%	77%	63%
No	40	47	49	47	60	48	54	17	35
DK/NA	7	5	6	8	6	8	7	6	2

TREND: Should President Trump be impeached and removed from office if he fires Special Counsel Robert Mueller, or not?

	Yes	No	DK/NA
Dec 12, 2017	47	47	7
Nov 15, 2017	47	46	7

38. Do you approve or disapprove of President Trump endorsing Roy Moore in the Alabama U.S. Senate election?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	WHITE.....	
							Yes	No
Approve	21%	50%	4%	15%	27%	15%	21%	30%
Disapprove	63	25	88	73	60	65	64	50
DK/NA	16	25	8	12	13	19	15	20

	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....		COLLEGE DEG		
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Approve	17%	20%	23%	23%	30%	21%	25%	8%	9%
Disapprove	66	68	59	61	55	59	57	81	81
DK/NA	17	12	18	16	15	20	18	12	10

	REPUBLICAN		DEMOCRAT..		INDEPENDENT	
	Men	Wom	Men	Wom	Men	Wom
Approve	57%	44%	7%	2%	20%	11%
Disapprove	26	24	86	89	71	74
DK/NA	17	32	7	9	9	15

39. As you may know, the United States Senate can vote to expel any member. United States Senate candidate Roy Moore has been accused of sexual misconduct and sexual assault, but he has denied the accusations. If Roy Moore wins and becomes a Senator, do you think the Senate should expel him, or not?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	WHITE..... COLLEGE DEG				
							Yes	No			
Yes/Expel	60%	25%	86%	63%	52%	67%	55%	52%			
No	31	65	9	28	40	24	34	41			
DK/NA	8	10	5	9	8	9	11	7			
	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....						
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp		
Yes/Expel	72%	57%	63%	51%	46%	60%	53%	87%	72%		
No	22	34	30	37	45	31	38	7	22		
DK/NA	6	8	7	11	8	9	9	6	6		
	REPUBLICAN		DEMOCRAT..		INDEPENDENT						
	Men	Wom	Men	Wom	Men	Wom					
Yes/Expel	21%	29%	81%	88%	56%	72%					
No	69	60	15	6	36	18					
DK/NA	10	11	3	5	8	11					

TREND: As you may know, the United States Senate can vote to expel any member. United States Senate candidate Roy Moore has been accused of sexual misconduct and sexual assault, but he has denied the accusations. If Roy Moore wins and becomes a Senator, do you think the Senate should expel him, or not?

	Yes	No	DK/NA
Dec 12, 2017	60	31	8
Nov 21, 2017	60	28	12

40. If Roy Moore is elected and the Senate chooses not to expel him, do you think that will damage the reputation of the Republican Party in a significant way, or not?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	WHITE..... COLLEGE DEG				
							Yes	No			
Yes/Damage rep	56%	26%	76%	61%	51%	61%	54%	48%			
No	38	65	22	33	46	31	42	44			
DK/NA	6	9	2	6	3	8	4	8			
	AGE IN YRS.....				WHITE.....						
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp		
Yes/Damage rep	64%	59%	52%	56%	45%	57%	51%	77%	70%		
No	31	36	42	38	51	35	43	20	29		
DK/NA	5	5	6	5	4	8	6	3	1		
	REPUBLICAN		DEMOCRAT..		INDEPENDENT						
	Men	Wom	Men	Wom	Men	Wom					
Yes/Damage rep	26%	26%	79%	75%	54%	70%					
No	71	58	20	23	43	22					
DK/NA	3	16	1	3	3	8					