

Premise Poll: Bi-Weekly Political Sentiment Tracker (Feb 20)

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Main data table with columns for various categories (e.g., 'Would you say that things in the United States today are...', 'Do you approve or disapprove of the way Joe Biden is performing as President?') and their corresponding percentages across demographic groups like Gender, Age Group, Party Identification, Region, Level of education, Registered Voter, and Ethnicity.



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	Gender			Age Group					Party Identification				Region					Level of education						Registered Voter				Ethnicity							
	Total	Female	Male	Total	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-64	65+	Total	Dem	Rep	IND	Total	Mid-west	North-east	South	West	Total	HS or less	HS grad equiv	Some college	Assoc. degree	Bach. degree	Grad/ prof deg.	Total	Yes	No	Don't know	Total	Black	White	Latino	Hisp./ Latino	Other
<b>Do you think more oversight or regulation is required to ensure freight rail safety?</b>	Sample Size	2,228	1,178	1,050	2,228	218	440	437	879	254	2,228	1,013	819	396	2,228	493	355	880	500	2,228	149	651	571	177	442	238	2,228	1,717	462	49	2,228	307	1,275	259	386
Yes, more federal oversight or regulation is required		43%	43%	42%	43%	37%	37%	44%	47%	38%	43%	50%	36%	36%	43%	45%	51%	38%	42%	43%	48%	47%	38%	40%	40%	46%	43%	44%	40%	17%	43%	49%	39%	51%	43%
Yes, more state/local oversight or regulation is required		33%	34%	33%	33%	38%	39%	33%	29%	37%	33%	34%	33%	34%	33%	33%	30%	33%	36%	33%	27%	30%	40%	37%	34%	29%	33%	32%	33%	70%	33%	28%	35%	30%	34%
No, we should focus on enforcing current regulations		20%	20%	20%	20%	19%	17%	19%	21%	24%	20%	13%	27%	23%	20%	17%	18%	23%	18%	20%	20%	18%	19%	19%	22%	23%	20%	20%	20%	8%	20%	15%	22%	15%	19%
No, there is already too much oversight and regulation		4%	3%	5%	4%	6%	7%	4%	4%	1%	4%	3%	4%	8%	4%	4%	1%	6%	5%	4%	5%	6%	4%	2%	2%	4%	4%	4%	7%	5%	4%	8%	4%	4%	4%
<b>Are you registered to vote in the United States?</b>	Sample Size	2,228	1,178	1,050	2,228	218	440	437	879	254	2,228	1,013	819	396	2,228	493	355	880	500	2,228	149	651	571	177	442	238	2,228	1,717	462	49	2,228	307	1,275	259	386
Yes		77%	79%	75%	77%	70%	74%	77%	78%	85%	77%	83%	81%	56%	77%	77%	79%	76%	79%	77%	72%	71%	80%	76%	81%	84%	77%	100%	0%	0%	77%	78%	80%	61%	78%
No		21%	19%	23%	21%	26%	23%	19%	21%	15%	21%	15%	19%	41%	21%	22%	20%	23%	16%	21%	28%	28%	17%	16%	17%	16%	21%	0%	100%	0%	21%	20%	18%	37%	20%
Don't know		2%	2%	2%	2%	3%	3%	4%	1%	1%	2%	3%	1%	4%	2%	1%	2%	1%	5%	2%	1%	1%	3%	8%	2%	1%	2%	0%	0%	100%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
<b>Generally speaking do you usually think of yourself as a Democrat a Republican or an independent?</b>	Sample Size	2,228	1,178	1,050	2,228	218	440	437	879	254	2,228	1,013	819	396	2,228	493	355	880	500	2,228	149	651	571	177	442	238	2,228	1,717	462	49	2,228	307	1,275	259	386
Democrat		37%	39%	34%	37%	47%	37%	36%	35%	33%	37%	81%	0%	0%	37%	38%	40%	33%	39%	37%	41%	36%	39%	39%	33%	36%	37%	40%	23%	53%	37%	61%	29%	47%	35%
Republican		27%	27%	27%	27%	19%	24%	26%	29%	35%	27%	0%	74%	0%	27%	26%	22%	33%	23%	27%	27%	24%	27%	26%	33%	27%	27%	29%	24%	9%	27%	7%	34%	26%	22%
Independent		29%	27%	31%	29%	22%	30%	31%	30%	28%	29%	17%	24%	69%	29%	27%	32%	28%	31%	29%	24%	33%	25%	26%	30%	31%	29%	27%	38%	23%	29%	27%	30%	22%	32%
Other		7%	7%	7%	7%	11%	9%	7%	6%	4%	7%	2%	2%	31%	7%	9%	7%	6%	7%	7%	8%	8%	9%	8%	4%	6%	7%	5%	14%	15%	7%	5%	7%	6%	10%
<b>Would you call yourself a strong Republican or a not very strong Republican?</b>	Sample Size	608	320	288	608	42	106	114	257	89	608	-	608	-	608	128	77	290	113	608	40	156	153	46	148	65	608	490	113	5	608	20	435	67	86
Strong		59%	57%	61%	59%	71%	54%	55%	59%	65%	59%	-	59%	-	59%	57%	61%	63%	49%	59%	50%	50%	66%	51%	59%	77%	59%	66%	33%	21%	59%	66%	64%	45%	45%
Not very strong		41%	43%	39%	41%	29%	46%	45%	41%	35%	41%	-	41%	-	41%	43%	39%	37%	51%	41%	50%	50%	34%	49%	41%	23%	41%	34%	67%	79%	41%	34%	36%	55%	55%
<b>Would you call yourself a strong Democrat or a not very strong Democrat?</b>	Sample Size	817	462	356	817	103	165	158	308	83	817	817	-	-	817	186	141	294	197	817	60	231	224	70	145	86	817	685	107	26	817	189	371	121	136
Strong		59%	57%	61%	59%	61%	49%	56%	61%	71%	59%	59%	-	-	59%	58%	57%	63%	53%	59%	69%	59%	56%	47%	58%	69%	59%	64%	35%	23%	59%	64%	60%	45%	60%
Not very strong		41%	43%	39%	41%	39%	51%	44%	39%	29%	41%	41%	-	-	41%	42%	43%	37%	47%	41%	31%	41%	44%	53%	42%	31%	41%	36%	65%	77%	41%	36%	40%	55%	40%
<b>Do you think of yourself as closer to the Republican Party or to the Democratic Party?</b>	Sample Size	803	397	406	803	73	169	165	314	82	803	196	211	396	803	179	138	296	190	803	48	264	194	61	149	87	803	542	242	19	803	98	469	72	164
Democratic Party		24%	23%	26%	24%	24%	24%	25%	24%	28%	24%	100%	0%	0%	24%	24%	29%	24%	23%	24%	24%	16%	25%	27%	31%	37%	24%	28%	17%	16%	24%	17%	27%	29%	21%
Republican Party		26%	25%	27%	26%	26%	31%	18%	27%	33%	26%	0%	100%	0%	26%	28%	29%	25%	25%	26%	27%	28%	22%	19%	33%	24%	26%	31%	17%	3%	26%	10%	29%	31%	26%
Neither		49%	52%	47%	49%	50%	46%	57%	49%	39%	49%	0%	0%	100%	49%	48%	43%	52%	52%	49%	50%	56%	53%	54%	36%	40%	49%	41%	66%	80%	49%	72%	45%	40%	53%