

This ABC News/Ipsos poll was conducted among 2,808 respondents, October 18-22, 2024, via the probability-based Ipsos KnowledgePanel®. Results have a margin of sampling error of plus or minus 2 percentage points for the full sample, including design effects due to weighting. Error margins are larger for subgroups. For registered voters, the sample size is 2,392 and the error margin is 2 points. For likely voters, the sample size is 1,913 and the error margin is 2.5 points. Sampling error is not the only cause of differences in polls.

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Where noted, trend comparisons are to random-digit-dialed telephone surveys ("CATI mode") by ABC News and The Washington Post or others. Questions were reformatted as of January 2024 given the change to a self-administered online questionnaire. Differences from previous results may reflect mode effects.

See full methodological details [here](#).

In the tables below, asterisks in data columns indicate <0.5 percent. "Skip" or "Skp" shows the share of respondents who skipped the question in online administration. "Skip/No opinion" shows the share of respondents who skipped the question or who selected an explicit no opinion option in online administration. Respondents interviewed via telephone were able to volunteer a "no opinion" response.

Q10-15, 19-20, 25-26 previously released. Q21-24 held for release.

1. How closely are you following the 2024 presidential race?

	----- Closely -----			----- Not closely -----			Skip
	NET	Very	Somewhat	NET	Not so	Not at all	
10/22/24	70	35	36	29	17	13	*
10/22/24 RV	79	41	38	21	14	6	*
10/8/24	69	36	33	30	18	12	*
9/13/24	69	35	35	31	18	13	*
8/27/24	65	31	34	35	20	15	0
8/13/24	67	32	35	33	19	14	0

Call for full trend.

2. How likely are you to vote in the presidential election?

	Absolutely certain to vote	Probably will vote	Chances are 50/50	Less likely than that	Already voted*	Skip
10/22/24	58	8	7	19	8	0
10/22/24 RV	71	9	6	4	10	0
10/8/24**	64	9	7	18	1	*
9/13/24	64	9	8	19	NA	*
8/27/24	63	11	6	20	NA	*
8/13/24	63	11	8	18	NA	*
7/9/24***	62	10	8	20	NA	*
4/30/24	60	11	8	21	NA	*

*Only offered to those registered in states where early/absentee voting has begun.

**10/8/24 and previous: "the presidential election in November?"

***7/9/24 and previous: "Thinking ahead,"

3. (IF CERTAIN OR PROBABLY WILL VOTE) How do you think you'll vote?

	In person on Election Day	----- By mail or early -----				Skip
		NET	By mail ballot	In person before Election Day	Not sure	
10/22/24	42	54	31	23	4	*

10/22/24 RV 42 55 31 23 4 0

4. (IF DID NOT ALREADY VOTE) If the 2024 presidential election were being held today, for whom would you vote? (IF UNDECIDED OR SKIPPED QUESTION) Who would you lean toward? (IF ALREADY VOTED) Confidentially and for statistical purposes only, for whom did you vote?

Vote preference excluding "would not vote":

	Harris	Trump	West	Stein	Oliver	Someone else	Skip
10/22/24	48	47	*	1	1	2	1
10/22/24 RV	49	47	*	1	1	2	1
10/22/24 LV	51	47	*	*	1	1	*
10/8/24	49	48	*	1	1	1	1
10/8/24 RV	49	47	*	1	1	1	1
10/8/24 LV	50	48	0	*	1	*	1

(Candidates' full names, running mates and party affiliations provided. Harris and Trump rotated first; West, Stein and Oliver randomized. Third-party candidates included in states where they appear on the ballot.)

Compare to:

If the 2024 presidential election were being held today and these candidates were on the ballot in your state, for whom would you vote? (IF UNDECIDED OR SKIPPED QUESTION) Who would you lean toward?*

Vote preference excluding "would not vote":

	Harris	Trump	West	Stein	Oliver	Someone else	Skip
9/13/24	50	45	1	1	1	1	*
9/13/24 RV	50	46	1	1	1	1	*
9/13/24 LV	51	46	1	1	*	1	*
8/27/24	49	45	2	1	1	2	1
8/27/24 RV	50	45	1	1	1	2	*

(Candidates' full names, running mates and party affiliations provided. Harris and Trump rotated first; West, Stein and Oliver randomized.)

	Harris	Trump	RFK, Jr.	West	Stein	Someone else	Skip
8/13/24	47	44	5	1	1	2	1
8/13/24 RV	47	44	5	1	1	2	1

(Candidates' full names, running mates and party affiliations provided. Harris and Trump rotated first; RFK, Jr., West and Stein randomized.)

	Biden	Trump	RFK, Jr.	West	Stein	Someone else	Skip
7/9/24	41	42	10	2	2	3	*
7/9/24 RV	42	43	9	2	2	3	*
4/30/24	40	42	12	2	1	3	1
4/30/24 RV	42	42	11	2	1	2	1

(Candidates' full names and party affiliations provided. Biden and Trump rotated first; RFK, Jr., West and Stein randomized.)

*Asked after the two-way matchup

5. (IF NAMED HARRIS) Would you say you are very enthusiastic about supporting Harris, somewhat enthusiastic, not so enthusiastic or not enthusiastic at all?

	--- Enthusiastic ----			--- Not enthusiastic ----			Skip
	NET	Very	Somewhat	NET	Not so	Not at all	
10/22/24	82	50	33	18	13	4	*
10/22/24 RV	84	52	32	16	12	4	*
10/8/24	84	48	36	16	12	4	*
10/8/24 RV	84	50	34	16	12	4	*

Call for Biden, Clinton trend.

6. (IF NAMED TRUMP) Would you say you are very enthusiastic about supporting Trump, somewhat enthusiastic, not so enthusiastic or not enthusiastic at all?

	--- Enthusiastic ----			--- Not enthusiastic ----			
	NET	Very	Somewhat	NET	Not so	Not at all	Skip
10/22/24	79	46	32	21	15	6	0
10/22/24 RV	80	49	31	20	14	6	0
10/8/24*	77	43	34	23	16	6	*
10/8/24 RV	78	46	32	22	15	7	*
10/9/20 RV	93	71	22	6	3	3	1
10/31/16 RV	83	48	34	17	11	6	1

*Previous polls in CATI mode. "Skip" was "no opinion." Selected results are shown; call for full trend.

7. Assuming you vote for president, how important will each of these issues be in your choice of which candidate to support?

10/22/24 - Summary table among registered voters

	---- More important ----			----- Less important -----			
	NET	One of the single most	Very imp.	NET	Somewhat imp.	Less imp. than that	Skip
a. The economy	90	45	46	10	8	2	*
b. The immigration situation at the U.S.-Mexico border	69	35	34	31	23	8	*
c. Abortion	61	27	34	38	21	18	*
d. Inflation, meaning rising prices	85	43	42	15	12	3	*
e. Crime and safety	75	24	51	24	20	5	*
f. Protecting American democracy	81	40	41	18	13	5	1
g. Health care	75	24	51	25	20	4	*
h. Looking out for the middle class	76	24	52	24	19	5	*
i. The conflict in the Middle East	53	11	42	46	33	13	1

Trend:

a. the economy

	----- More important -----			----- Less important -----			
	NET	One of the single most important	Very imp.	NET	Somewhat important	Less imp. than that	Skp
10/22/24 RV	90	45	46	10	8	2	*
9/13/24 RV	92	52	40	7	6	1	1
10/22/24	89	44	45	11	8	3	1
9/13/24	91	51	40	8	6	2	1
8/13/24	89	49	40	10	8	2	1
7/9/24	89	46	43	11	9	2	1
4/30/24	88	44	43	12	9	3	1

b. The immigration situation at the U.S.-Mexico border

----- More important -----			----- Less important -----			
NET	One of the single	Very	NET	Somewhat	Less imp.	

	NET	most important	import.	NET	important	than that	Skp
10/22/24 RV	69	35	34	31	23	8	*
9/13/24 RV	72	37	34	28	22	6	1
10/22/24	67	33	34	32	22	10	1
9/13/24	70	35	35	29	21	8	1
8/13/24	70	36	33	29	20	9	1
7/9/24	66	34	32	33	24	10	1
4/30/24	69	34	35	30	20	10	*

c. Abortion

	NET	One of the single most important	Very import.	NET	Somewhat important	Less import. than that	Skp
10/22/24 RV	61	27	34	38	21	18	*
9/13/24 RV	63	28	35	36	20	16	1
10/22/24	59	25	34	40	22	18	1
9/13/24	61	26	35	38	21	17	1
8/13/24	59	25	34	40	21	19	1

Compare to: Access to abortion

	NET	One of the single most important	Very import.	NET	Somewhat important	Less import. than that	Skp
7/9/24	57	26	31	42	19	23	1
4/30/24	57	26	31	42	21	21	1

d. Inflation, meaning rising prices

	NET	One of the single most important	Very import.	NET	Somewhat important	Less import. than that	Skp
10/22/24 RV	85	43	42	15	12	3	*
9/13/24 RV	88	50	37	12	10	1	1
10/22/24	85	44	41	15	11	4	1
9/13/24	87	51	36	12	10	2	1
8/13/24	86	49	37	13	10	3	1
7/9/24	85	45	40	14	11	3	1
4/30/24	85	45	40	14	12	3	1

e. Crime and safety

	NET	One of the single most important	Very import.	NET	Somewhat important	Less import. than that	Skp
10/22/24 RV	75	24	51	24	20	5	*
9/13/24 RV	77	28	49	22	18	4	1
10/22/24	75	25	50	25	19	5	1
9/13/24	77	28	49	22	17	5	1
8/13/24	76	27	49	23	17	5	1
7/9/24	75	28	47	24	19	5	1
4/30/24	77	28	49	23	18	5	1

f. Protecting American democracy

NET	One of the single most important	Very import.	NET	Somewhat important	Less import. than that	Skp
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10/22/24 RV	81	40	41	18	13	5	1
9/13/24 RV	83	44	38	17	11	5	1
10/22/24	77	37	41	21	14	7	1
9/13/24	79	40	39	20	13	7	1
8/13/24	77	40	37	22	14	8	2
7/9/24	79	42	38	20	13	7	1
4/30/24	76	37	39	23	16	7	1

g. Health care

	NET	----- More important One of the single most important	----- Very import.	NET	----- Less important Somewhat important	----- Less import. than that	Skp
10/22/24 RV	75	24	51	25	20	4	*
9/13/24 RV	76	26	51	23	19	4	1
10/22/24	76	26	50	24	19	5	1
9/13/24	77	27	50	22	18	4	1
8/13/24	77	30	47	22	17	5	1
7/9/24	74	27	48	25	20	5	*
4/30/24	76	28	47	24	18	6	1

h. No trend.

i. The conflict in the Middle East

	NET	----- More important One of the single most important	----- Very import.	NET	----- Less important Somewhat important	----- Less import. than that	Skp
10/22/24	51	11	40	48	33	15	1
10/22/24 RV	53	11	42	46	33	13	1

Compare to:

The war between Israel and Hamas

	NET	----- More important One of the single most important	----- Very import.	NET	----- Less important Somewhat important	----- Less import. than that	Skp
9/13/24	51	13	38	48	32	16	1
9/13/24 RV	52	12	40	47	34	12	1
8/13/24	50	14	36	48	32	16	1
7/9/24	44	11	34	55	35	20	1
4/30/24	48	12	36	51	33	18	1

8. Who do you trust more to handle each of these issues, Harris, Trump, or do you not trust either of them to handle it?

10/22/24 - Summary table among registered voters

	NET	-- Trust Harris more --		NET	-- Trust Trump more --		Neither	Skp
		Strngly	Somwht		Somwht	Strngly		
a. The economy	40	24	16	48	12	36	12	1
b. The immigration situation at the U.S.-Mexico border	37	20	16	49	9	40	14	*
c. Abortion	49	39	10	34	13	21	16	1
d. Inflation, meaning rising prices	39	22	18	46	11	35	14	1
e. Crime and safety	41	25	16	45	13	32	14	*
f. Protecting American democracy	47	36	11	39	11	29	13	*

g. Health care	46	30	16	36	15	21	17	1
h. Looking out for the middle class	45	29	16	39	13	26	15	1
i. The conflict in the Middle East	36	18	18	43	14	30	20	1

(Names rotated. Items a-i shown in the same order as in Q7)

Trend:

a. The economy

	--- Trust Harris more ---			--- Trust Trump more ----			Don't trust	
	NET	Harris, strongly	Harris, somewhat	NET	Trump, somewhat	Trump, strongly	either	Skp
10/22/24	37	21	15	45	12	33	17	1
10/22/24 RV	40	24	16	48	12	36	12	1
10/8/24	38	22	16	46	12	34	16	1
9/13/24	39	22	17	46	11	35	14	1
8/27/24	38	21	17	46	12	34	15	1
8/13/24	37	19	18	46	12	34	16	1

b. The immigration situation at the U.S.-Mexico border

	--- Trust Harris more ---			--- Trust Trump more ----			Don't trust	
	NET	Harris, strongly	Harris, somewhat	NET	Trump, somewhat	Trump, strongly	either	Skp
10/22/24	34	19	15	46	9	37	20	*
10/22/24 RV	37	20	16	49	9	40	14	*
10/8/24	36	19	17	46	9	36	17	1
9/13/24	37	20	17	47	9	38	15	1
8/27/24	36	19	17	45	8	37	18	1
8/13/24	36	17	18	46	9	37	17	1

c. Abortion

	--- Trust Harris more ---			--- Trust Trump more ----			Don't trust	
	NET	Harris, strongly	Harris, somewhat	NET	Trump, somewhat	Trump, strongly	either	Skp
10/22/24	46	35	11	32	12	20	22	1
10/22/24 RV	49	39	10	34	13	21	16	1
10/8/24	47	37	10	32	12	19	21	1
9/13/24	48	37	11	34	14	19	17	1
8/27/24	47	36	11	31	11	20	20	1
8/13/24	45	34	11	33	14	19	20	1

d. Inflation, meaning rising prices

	--- Trust Harris more ---			--- Trust Trump more ----			Don't trust	
	NET	Harris, strongly	Harris, somewhat	NET	Trump, somewhat	Trump, strongly	either	Skp
10/22/24	36	19	17	44	12	32	19	1
10/22/24 RV	39	22	18	46	11	35	14	1
10/8/24	37	20	17	44	13	31	18	1
9/13/24	38	21	17	45	12	33	16	1
8/27/24	36	19	16	44	12	32	19	1
8/13/24	36	18	18	45	12	33	18	1

e. Crime and safety

	--- Trust Harris more ---			--- Trust Trump more ----			Don't trust	
	NET	Harris, strongly	Harris, somewhat	NET	Trump, somewhat	Trump, strongly	either	Skp
10/22/24	38	22	16	42	13	29	20	1

10/22/24 RV	41	25	16	45	13	32	14	*
10/8/24	39	23	15	43	12	31	18	1
9/13/24	41	25	16	42	13	30	16	1
8/27/24	41	25	16	41	11	30	17	1
8/13/24	39	22	17	42	13	29	18	1

f. Protecting American democracy

	--- Trust Harris more ---			--- Trust Trump more ----			Don't trust	
	NET	Harris, strongly	Harris, somewhat	NET	Trump, somewhat	Trump, strongly	either	Skp
10/22/24	43	32	11	37	10	27	19	*
10/22/24 RV	47	36	11	39	11	29	13	*
10/8/24	44	33	11	38	10	28	17	1
9/13/24	45	34	11	38	11	27	16	1
8/27/24	45	34	11	38	9	28	17	1
8/13/24	43	32	11	37	10	27	19	1

g. Health care

	--- Trust Harris more ---			--- Trust Trump more ----			Don't trust	
	NET	Harris, strongly	Harris, somewhat	NET	Trump, somewhat	Trump, strongly	either	Skp
10/22/24	43	27	16	34	14	20	23	1
10/22/24 RV	46	30	16	36	15	21	17	1
9/13/24	45	29	16	36	16	20	18	1
8/27/24	45	28	17	35	13	21	19	1
8/13/24	43	25	17	36	17	19	20	1

h. Looking out for the middle class

	--- Trust Harris more ---			--- Trust Trump more ----			Don't trust	
	NET	Harris, strongly	Harris, somewhat	NET	Trump, somewhat	Trump, strongly	either	Skp
10/22/24	42	26	16	37	13	24	20	1
10/22/24 RV	45	29	16	39	13	26	15	1
10/8/24	42	28	14	37	12	25	20	1

i. The conflict in the Middle East

	--- Trust Harris more ---			--- Trust Trump more ----			Don't trust	
	NET	Harris, strongly	Harris, somewhat	NET	Trump, somewhat	Trump, strongly	either	Skp
10/22/24	33	17	17	41	14	27	25	1
10/22/24 RV	36	18	18	43	14	30	20	1
10/8/24	34	17	17	42	13	29	23	1

Compare to:

The war between Israel and Hamas

	--- Trust Harris more ---			--- Trust Trump more ----			Don't trust	
	NET	Harris, strongly	Harris, somewhat	NET	Trump, somewhat	Trump, strongly	either	Skp
9/13/24	34	17	17	40	12	28	24	1
8/27/24	33	16	17	40	12	28	26	1
8/13/24	33	15	19	38	12	27	27	1

Call for Biden trend.

9. Does each of these statements apply more to Harris, apply more to Trump, or not apply to either one?

10/22/24 - Summary table among registered voters

	More to Harris	More to Trump	Does not apply to either	Skip
a. Is honest and trustworthy	43	28	28	1
b. Has the mental sharpness it takes to serve effectively as president	49	38	12	1
c. Is in good enough physical health to serve effectively as president	58	29	12	1
d. Represents your personal values	43	35	22	*
e. Understands the problems of people like you	43	33	23	1
f. Can be trusted in a crisis	43	41	16	1

(Names rotated. Items a-f randomized)

Trend:

a. Is honest and trustworthy

	More to Harris	More to Trump	Does not apply to either	Skip
10/22/24	40	26	33	1
10/22/24 RV	43	28	28	1
9/13/24	43	26	31	1
8/27/24	43	25	30	1
8/13/24	41	26	32	1

b. Has the mental sharpness it takes to serve effectively as president

	More to Harris	More to Trump	Does not apply to either	Skip
10/22/24	46	36	17	1
10/22/24 RV	49	38	12	1
9/13/24	48	38	13	1
8/27/24	47	37	15	1
8/13/24	46	37	15	2

c. Is in good enough physical health to serve effectively as president

	More to Harris	More to Trump	Does not apply to either	Skip
10/22/24	55	28	16	1
10/22/24 RV	58	29	12	1
9/13/24	58	26	15	1
8/27/24	57	25	16	2
8/13/24	56	26	16	2

d. Represents your personal values

	More to Harris	More to Trump	Does not apply to either	Skip
10/22/24	40	32	27	1
10/22/24 RV	43	35	22	*
9/13/24	42	35	23	1
8/27/24	41	34	23	1
8/13/24	40	34	25	1

e. Understands the problems of people like you

	More to Harris	More to Trump	Does not apply to either	Skip
10/22/24	40	31	28	1
10/22/24 RV	43	33	23	1
9/13/24	43	33	23	1
8/27/24	41	33	24	1
8/13/24	40	33	26	1

f. No trend.

Call for Biden trend.

Changing topics...

16. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling his job as president?

	----- Approve -----			----- Disapprove -----			Skip/ No opinion
	NET	Strongly	Somewhat	NET	Somewhat	Strongly	
10/22/24	36	11	25	57	15	42	7
10/22/24 RV	39	13	26	58	14	44	3
8/13/24	37	13	24	55	13	42	8
7/9/24	36	13	23	57	16	42	7
4/30/24	35	12	23	57	15	42	8
1/8/24*	33	11	22	58	17	41	9
9/20/23	37	20	17	56	11	45	7
5/3/23	36	18	18	56	9	47	8
2/1/23	42	18	24	53	10	42	5
11/2/22	41	19	23	53	11	42	6
9/21/22	39	22	18	53	11	41	8
4/28/22	42	21	21	52	10	42	6
2/24/22	37	20	18	55	11	44	7
11/10/21	41	19	22	53	10	44	6
9/1/21	44	25	19	51	9	42	5
6/30/21	50	30	19	42	7	35	8
4/21/21	52	34	18	42	7	35	6

(If no opinion or skipped: Which way do you lean on how Biden is handling his job as president? Leaners are netted with somewhat.)

*Previous polls in CATI mode.

17-18. Have you personally been contacted by the Harris/Trump campaign asking you for your vote, or not? This does not include fundraising appeals. (Check all that apply)

10/22/24 - Summary table

	Harris campaign	Trump campaign
Yes, contacted by the Harris/Trump campaign NET	34	29
Yes, by postal mail	11	11
Yes, by phone or voicemail	6	5
Yes, by text message	21	16
Yes, on social media	7	5
Yes, by email	13	10
Yes, in person	2	1
No, not contacted by the Harris/Trump campaign	66	70
Skip	1	1

(Names rotated. Yes response options randomized)

Trend:

The Harris campaign

	10/22/24	10/8/24
Yes, contacted by the Harris campaign NET	34	30
Yes, by postal mail	11	9
Yes, by phone or voicemail	6	5
Yes, by text message	21	17
Yes, on social media	7	7
Yes, by email	13	12
Yes, in person	2	1
No, not contacted by the Harris campaign	66	69
Skip	1	1

(Yes response options randomized)

The Trump campaign	10/22/24	10/8/24
Yes, contacted by the Trump campaign NET	29	26
Yes, by postal mail	11	10
Yes, by phone or voicemail	5	4
Yes, by text message	16	14
Yes, on social media	5	5
Yes, by email	10	9
Yes, in person	1	2
No, not contacted by the Trump campaign	70	73
Skip	1	1

(Yes response options randomized)

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