Ipsos Poll

Core Political Data

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These are findings from an Ipsos poll conducted January 13-15, 2023. A sample of 1,035 Americans ages 18+ were interviewed online for this survey using the probability-based KnowledgePanel®.

This included 336 Democrats, 280 Republicans, and 304 independents.

The precision of the Ipsos Core Political is measured using a margin of error which includes the design effect error. In this case, the poll has a margin of error of plus or minus the following percentage points:

3.2 for All Adults, 5.6 for Democrats, 6.1 for Republicans, and 6.0 for independents.
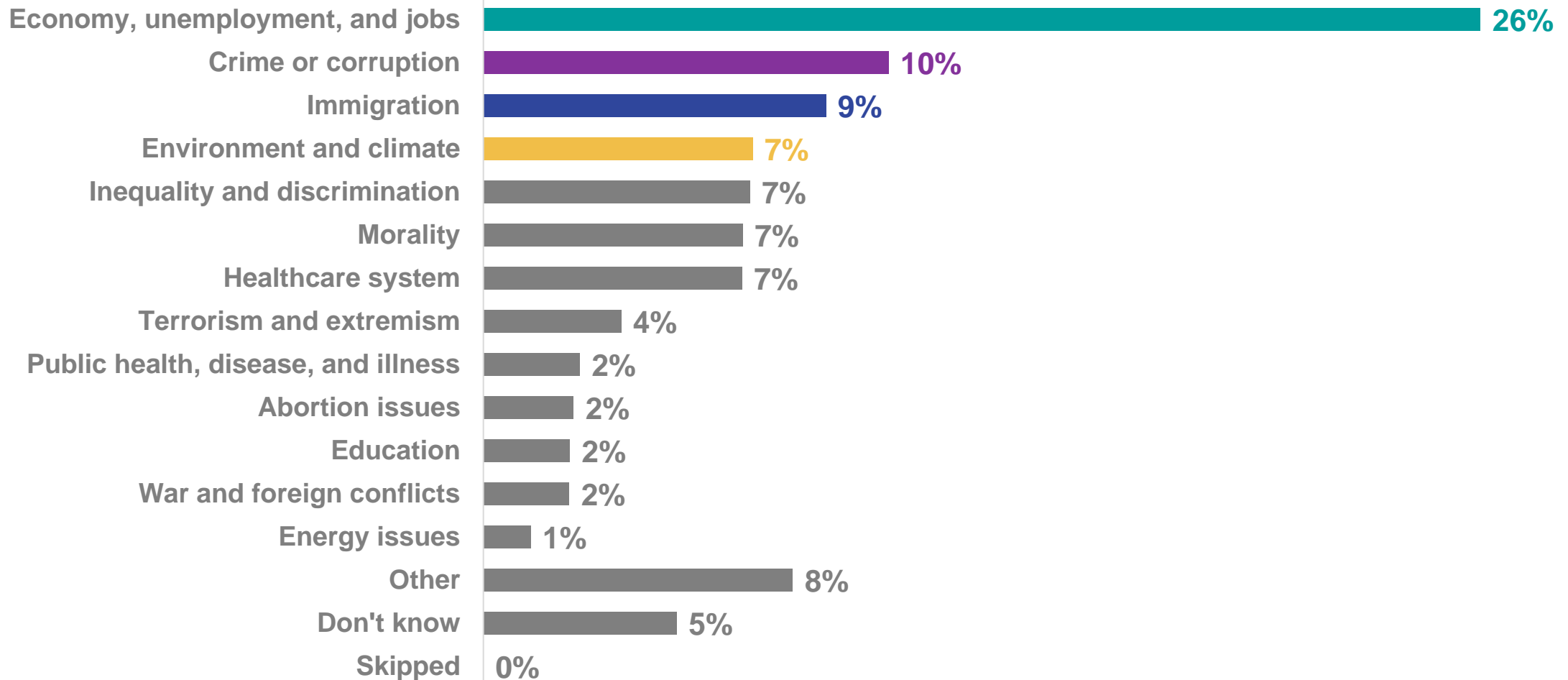

The data from this survey was weighted to the U.S. current population data using gender, age, education, ethnicity, metropolitan status, region and political party identification.

All sample surveys and polls may be subject to other sources of error, including, but not limited to coverage error and measurement error. Where figures do not sum to 100, this is because of rounding. See page 16 for full methodology.

For full methodology, see appendix

Most Important Problem Facing America

In your opinion, what is the most important problem facing the U.S. today?

Category	%
Economy, unemployment, and jobs	26%
Crime or corruption	10%
Immigration	9%
Environment and climate	7%
Inequality and discrimination	7%
Morality	7%
Healthcare system	7%
Terrorism and extremism	4%
Public health, disease, and illness	2%
Abortion issues	2%
Education	2%
War and foreign conflicts	2%
Energy issues	1%
Other	8%
Don't know	5%
Skipped	0%

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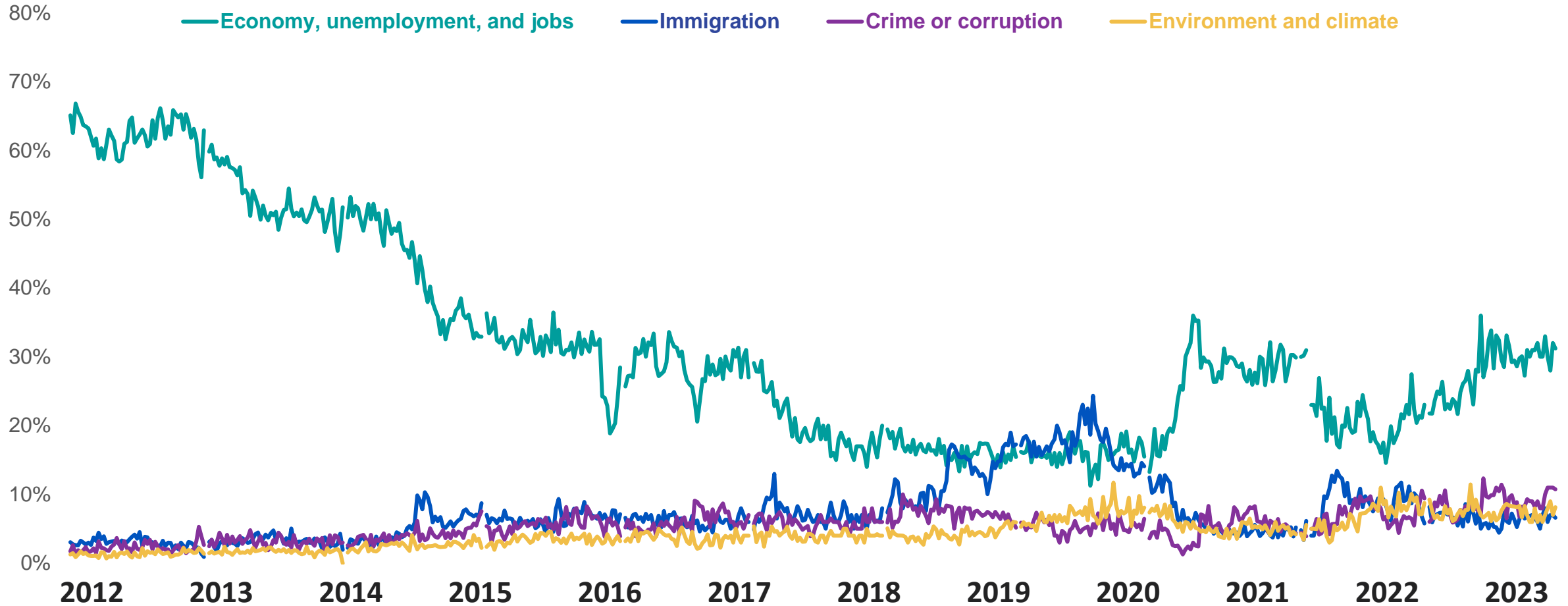In your opinion, what is the most important problem facing the U.S. today?

	All Americans	Democrats	Republicans	Independents
Economy, unemployment, and jobs	26%	18%	28%	31%
War and foreign conflicts	2%	2%	4%	1%
Immigration	9%	4%	19%	7%
Terrorism and extremism	4%	7%	0%	3%
Healthcare system	7%	9%	3%	8%
Public health, disease, and illness	2%	3%	1%	3%
Energy issues	1%	1%	2%	1%
Morality	7%	4%	11%	6%
Education	2%	2%	1%	3%
Crime or corruption	10%	7%	15%	10%
Environment and climate	7%	16%	1%	5%
Inequality and discrimination	7%	11%	2%	7%
Abortion rights	2%	5%	2%	1%
Other	8%	6%	7%	9%
Don't know	5%	5%	4%	5%
Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%

Prior to February 2021, "Economy, generally" and "Unemployment/lack of jobs" were asked separately, results on chart display the sum of both issues through that date. Have since been combined to create "Economy, unemployment, and jobs". Other changes include "system" being added to "healthcare", and "Inequality and discrimination" and "Public health, disease, and illness" were added as new issues. In August 2022, "the end of national abortion rights" was added and eliminated in November 20222. In January 2023, "Abortion rights" was added.
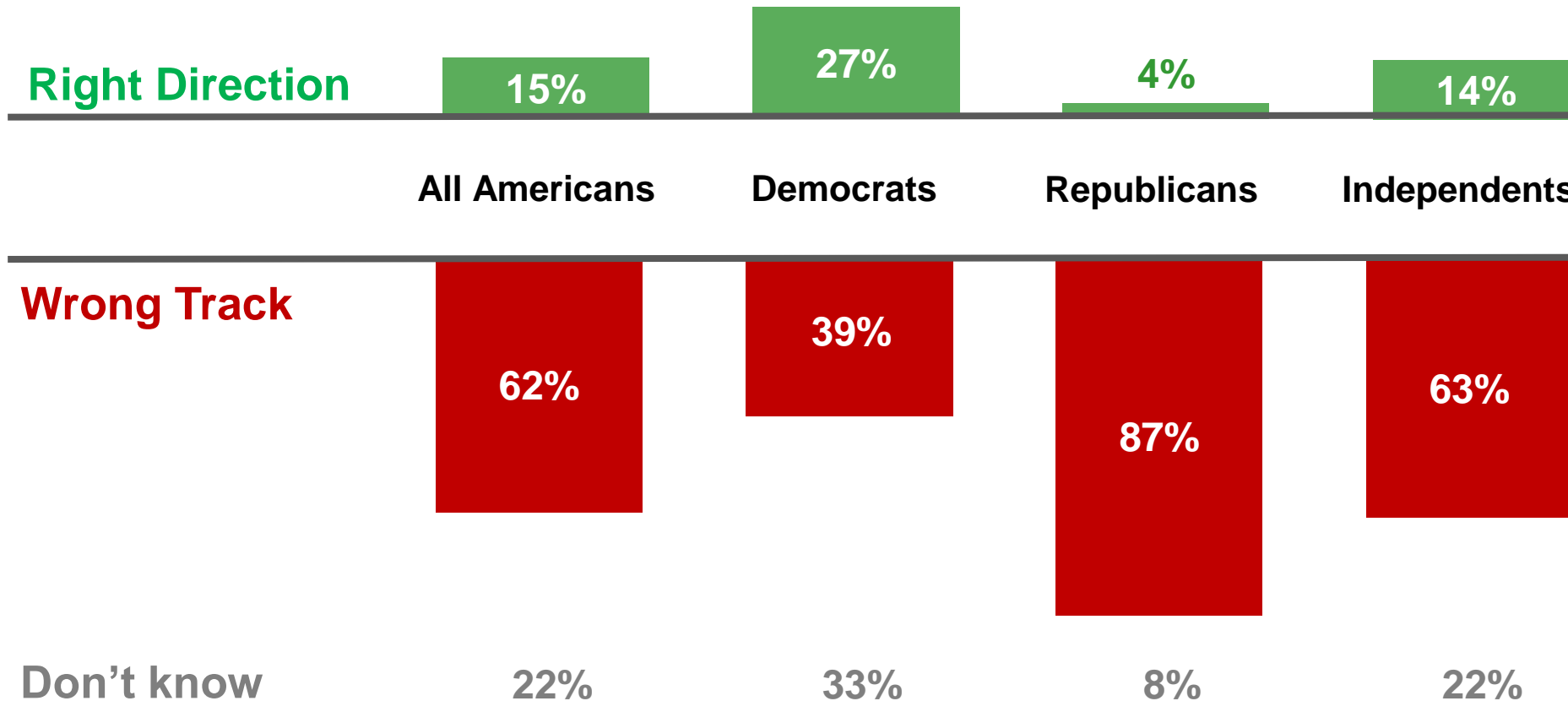
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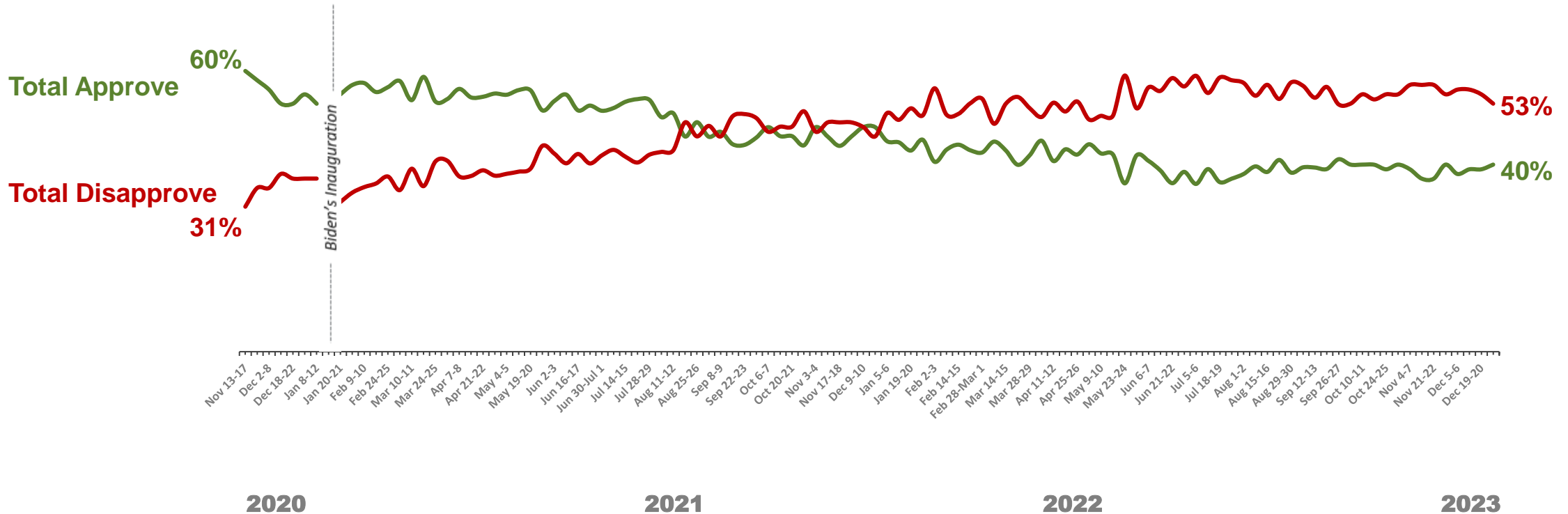
Right Direction/Wrong Track

Generally speaking, would you say things in this country are heading in the right direction, or are they off on the wrong track?

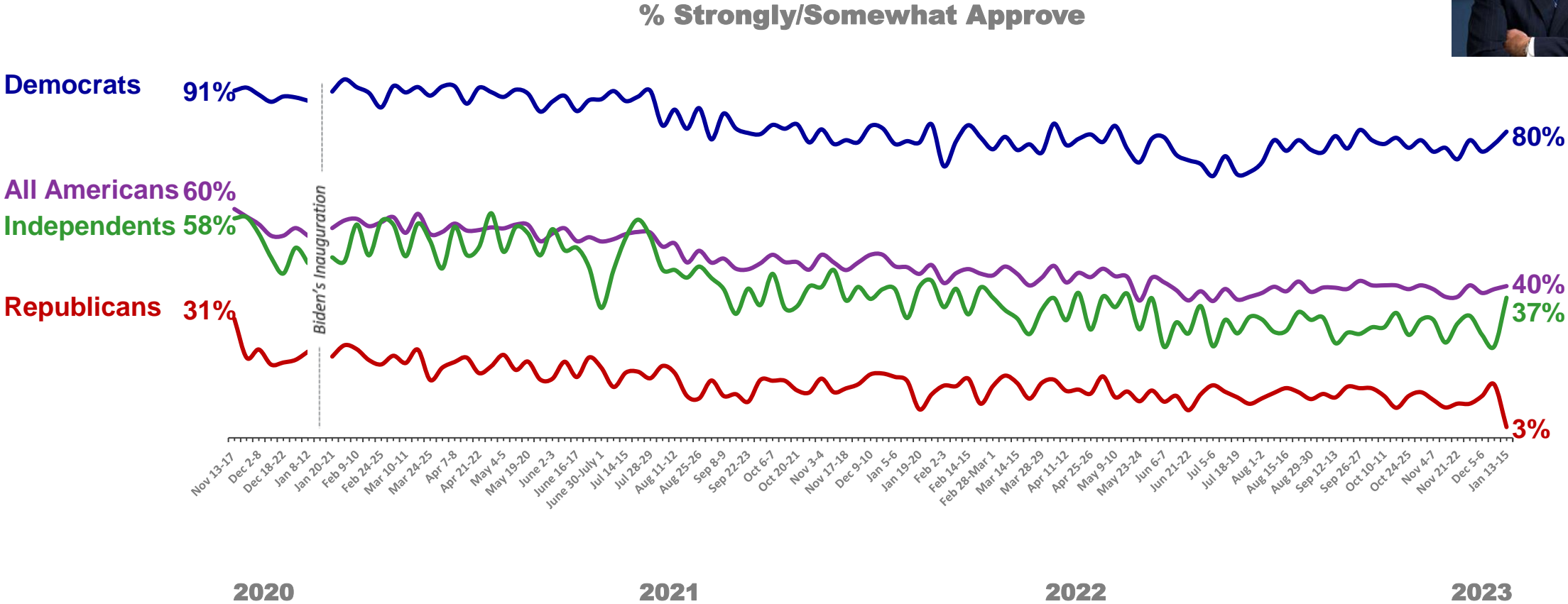|	All Americans	Democrats	Republicans	Independents
Right Direction	15%	27%	4%	14%
Wrong Track	62%	39%	87%	63%
Don't know	22%	33%	8%	22%

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Joe Biden's Job Approval

Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling his job as president? (previously 'president-elect')
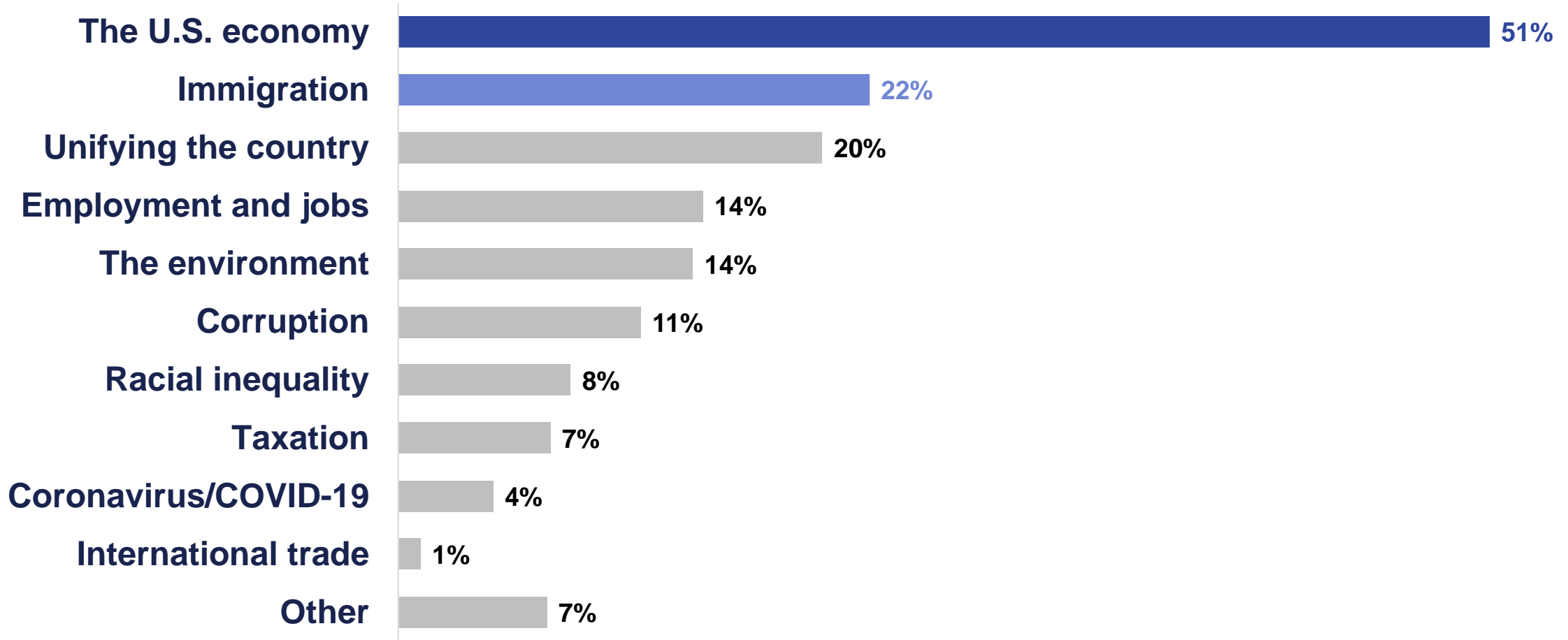
Joe Biden's Job Approval by Partisanship

Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling his job as president? (previously 'president-elect')

% Strongly/Somewhat Approve

Democrats 91% ... 80%

All Americans 60%
Independents 58% ... 40%
... 37%

Republicans 31% ... 3%

Biden's Inauguration

Nov 13-17, Dec 2-8, Dec 18-22, Jan 8-12, Jan 20-21, Feb 9-10, Feb 24-25, Mar 10-11, Mar 24-25, Apr 7-8, Apr 21-22, May 4-5, May 19-20, June 2-3, June 16-17, June 30-July 1, Jul 14-15, Jul 28-29, Aug 11-12, Aug 25-26, Sep 8-9, Sep 22-23, Oct 6-7, Oct 20-21, Nov 3-4, Nov 17-18, Dec 9-10, Jan 5-6, Jan 19-20, Feb 2-3, Feb 14-15, Feb 28-Mar 1, Mar 14-15, Mar 28-29, Apr 11-12, Apr 25-26, May 9-10, May 23-24, Jun 6-7, Jun 21-22, Jul 5-6, Jul 18-19, Aug 1-2, Aug 15-16, Aug 29-30, Sep 12-13, Sep 26-27, Oct 10-11, Oct 24-25, Nov 4-7, Nov 21-22, Dec 5-6, Jan 13-15

2020   2021   2022   2023

The White House's Top Priorities

What do you want Joe Biden to prioritize? Choose the top 2 issues that are most important to you.

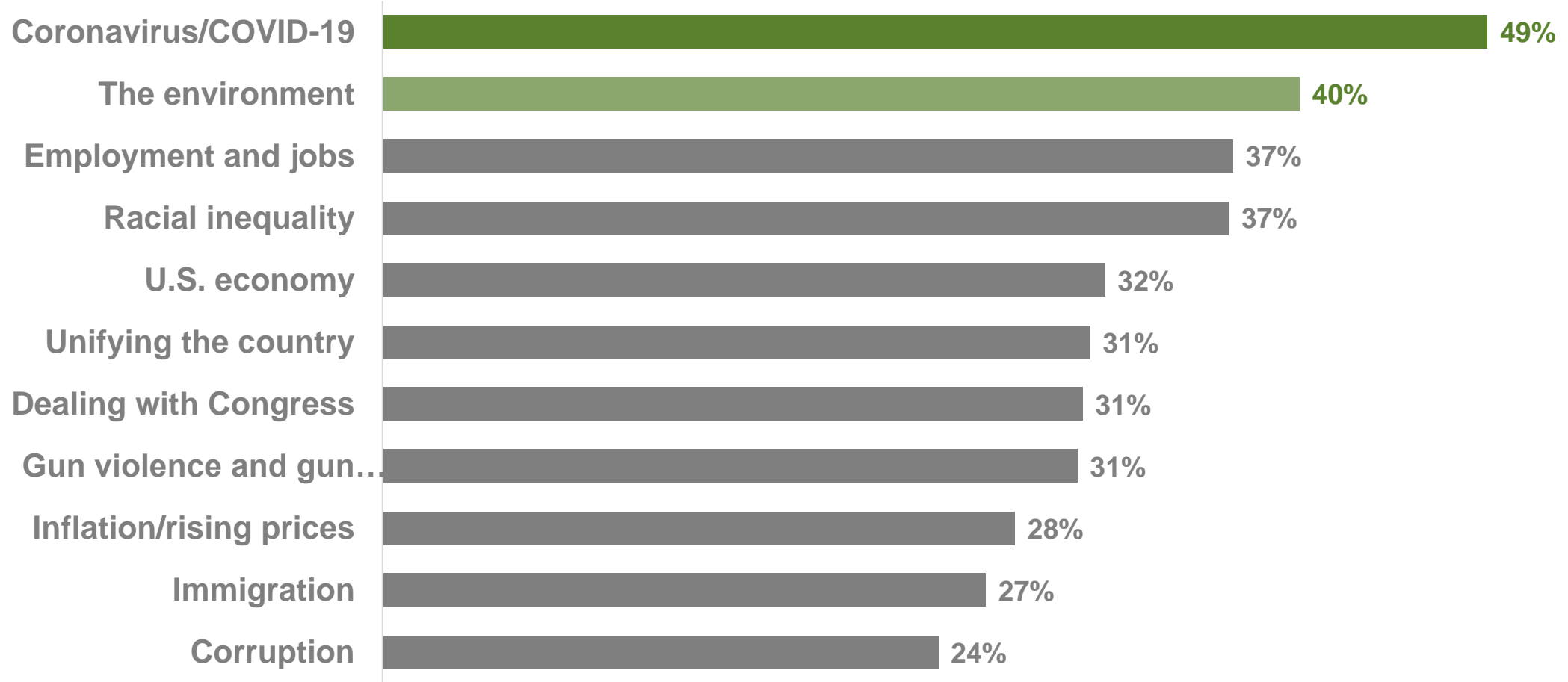| Issue	Percentage
The U.S. economy	51%
Immigration	22%
Unifying the country	20%
Employment and jobs	14%
The environment	14%
Corruption	11%
Racial inequality	8%
Taxation	7%
Coronavirus/COVID-19	4%
International trade	1%
Other	7%

The White House's Top Priorities by Partisanship

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	All Americans	Democrats	Republicans	Independents
The U.S. economy	51%	47%	60%	52%
Immigration	22%	8%	44%	21%
Unifying the country	20%	20%	15%	24%
Employment and jobs	14%	18%	10%	15%
The environment	14%	28%	3%	11%
Corruption	11%	11%	10%	12%
Racial inequality	8%	15%	1%	7%
Taxation	7%	7%	9%	5%
Coronavirus/COVID-19	4%	7%	1%	5%
International trade	1%	1%	1%	1%
Other	7%	7%	8%	6%

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Approval of Biden's Handling of the Country's Issues

Do you approve or disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling the following issues? (% total approve)

Issue	Approval
Coronavirus/COVID-19	49%
The environment	40%
Employment and jobs	37%
Racial inequality	37%
U.S. economy	32%
Unifying the country	31%
Dealing with Congress	31%
Gun violence and gun…	31%
Inflation/rising prices	28%
Immigration	27%
Corruption	24%

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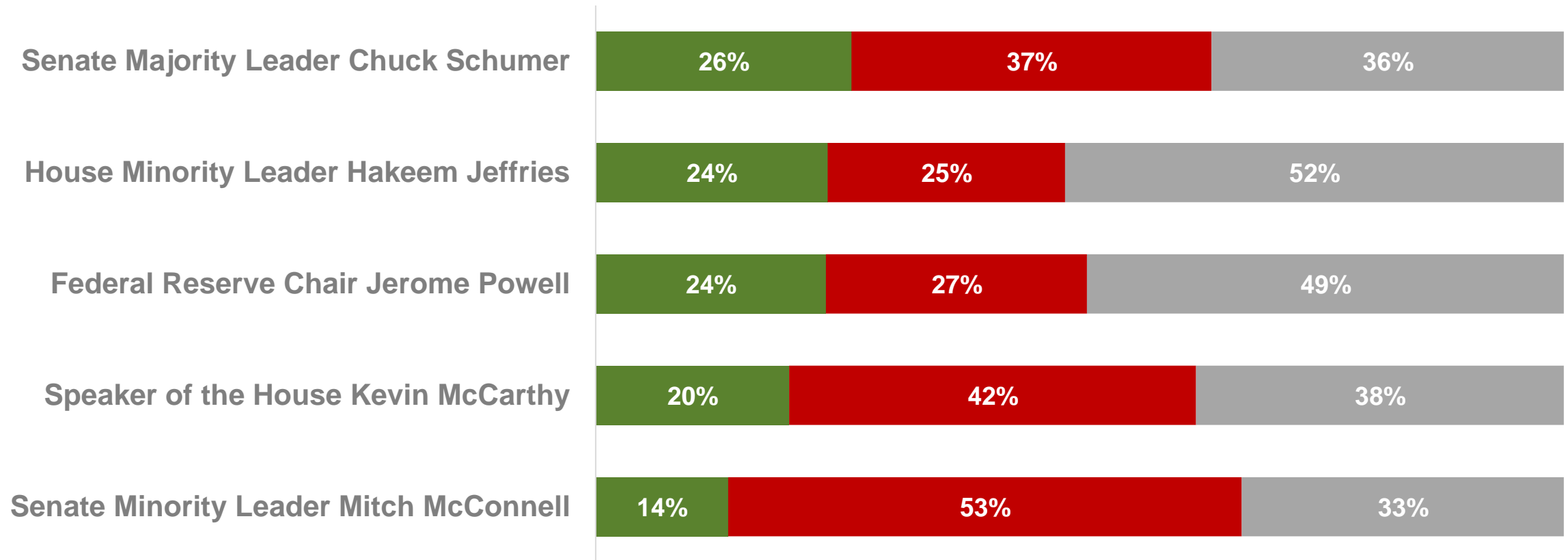# Approval of Biden's Handling of the Country's Issues

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	All Americans	Democrats	Republicans	Independents
Coronavirus/COVID-19	**49%**	**77%**	**16%**	**52%**
The environment	**40%**	**67%**	**14%**	**41%**
Employment and jobs	37%	68%	11%	34%
Racial inequality	37%	65%	12%	36%
U.S. economy	32%	59%	5%	30%
Unifying the country	31%	63%	5%	27%
Dealing with Congress	31%	58%	4%	30%
Gun violence and gun control	31%	54%	8%	31%
Inflation/rising prices	28%	57%	3%	24%
Immigration	27%	51%	3%	25%
Corruption	24%	49%	4%	22%

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Approval of Other Political Leaders

Do you approve or disapprove of the way the following people are handling their jobs?

■ **Total Approve**　　■ **Total Disapprove**　　■ **Don't know/Refused**

	Total Approve	Total Disapprove	Don't know/Refused
Senate Majority Leader Chuck Schumer	26%	37%	36%
House Minority Leader Hakeem Jeffries	24%	25%	52%
Federal Reserve Chair Jerome Powell	24%	27%	49%
Speaker of the House Kevin McCarthy	20%	42%	38%
Senate Minority Leader Mitch McConnell	14%	53%	33%

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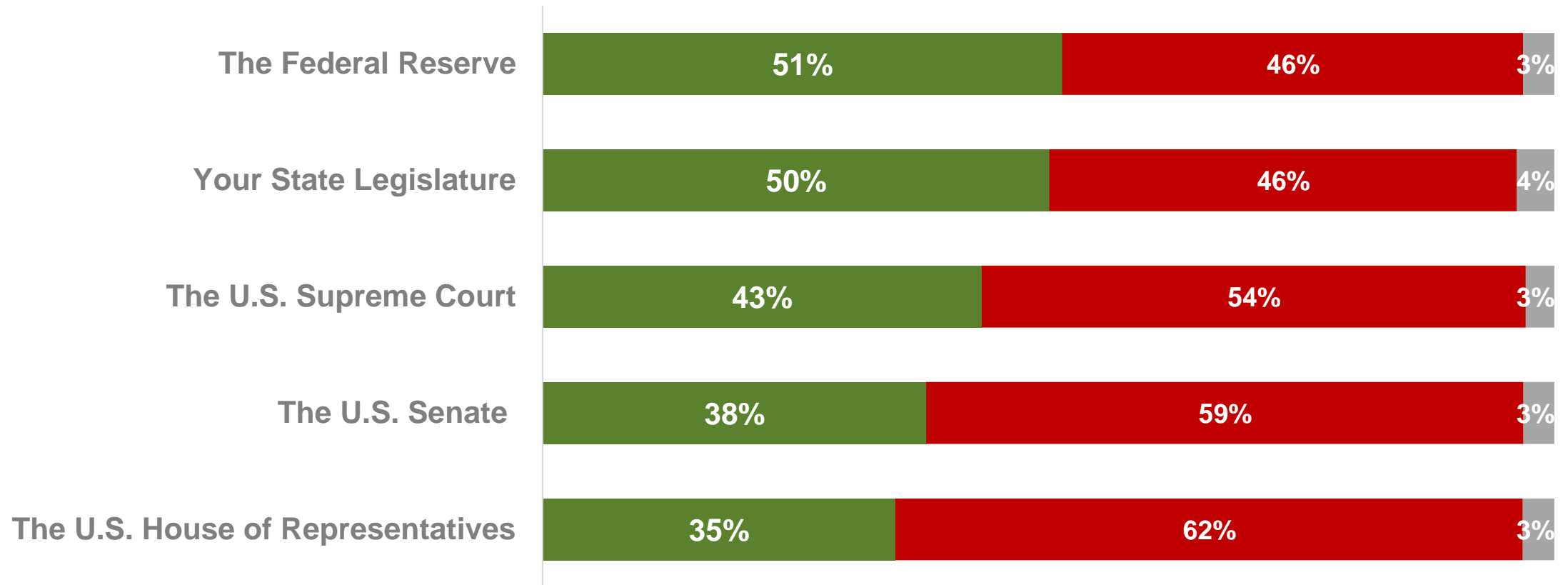# Political Party Performance on Key Issues

In your opinion, which political party has a better plan, policy or approach to each of the following?

	Democratic Party	Republican Party	Independents	Other	None	Don't know
Healthcare	36%	20%	6%	1%	16%	20%
The U.S. economy	26%	32%	6%	1%	14%	19%
Jobs and employment	29%	31%	5%	1%	12%	20%
Education	32%	23%	6%	2%	15%	22%
Foreign Policy	26%	27%	5%	1%	12%	27%
Women's rights	40%	16%	6%	2%	13%	21%
The environment	37%	18%	7%	1%	15%	20%
Gun violence and gun control	35%	25%	5%	1%	15%	18%

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Favorability of Political Institutions

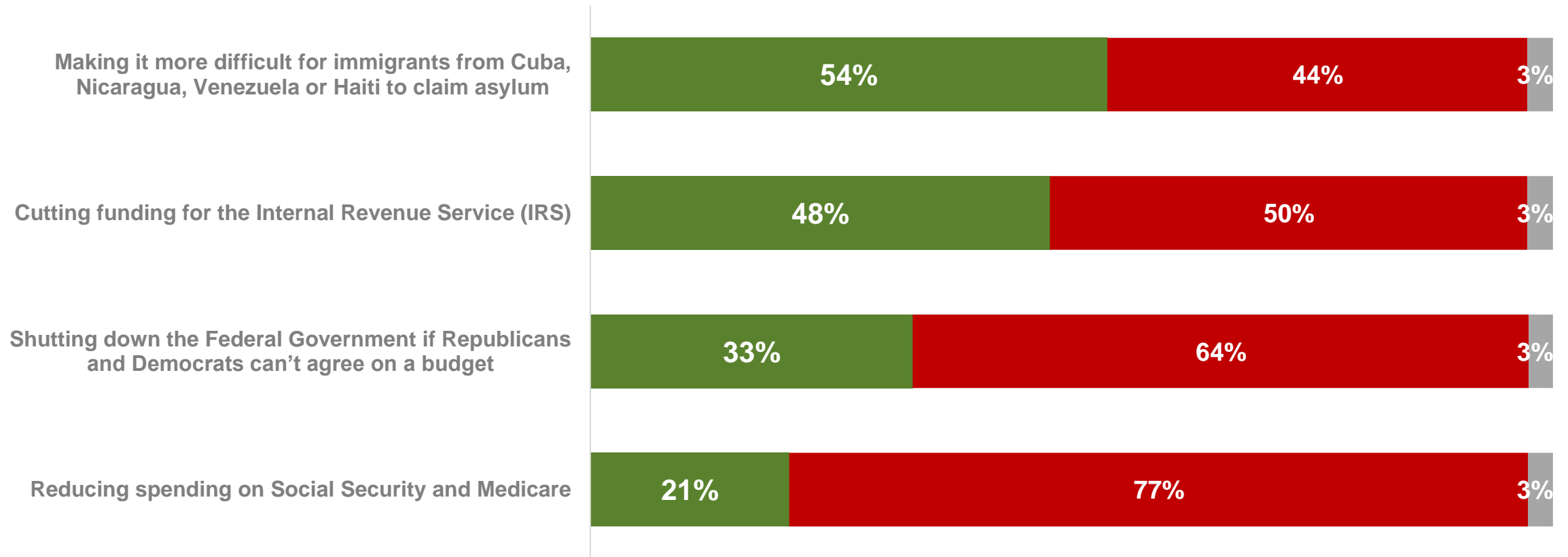Would you say you are generally favorable or unfavorable towards these public institutions?

■ Total Favorable ■ Total Unfavorable ■ Refused

Institution	Total Favorable	Total Unfavorable	Refused
The Federal Reserve	51%	46%	3%
Your State Legislature	50%	46%	4%
The U.S. Supreme Court	43%	54%	3%
The U.S. Senate	38%	59%	3%
The U.S. House of Representatives	35%	62%	3%

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Support of Key Political Issues

Do you support or oppose the following?

■ Total Support　■ Total Oppose　■ Refused

Issue	Total Support	Total Oppose	Refused
Making it more difficult for immigrants from Cuba, Nicaragua, Venezuela or Haiti to claim asylum	54%	44%	3%
Cutting funding for the Internal Revenue Service (IRS)	48%	50%	3%
Shutting down the Federal Government if Republicans and Democrats can't agree on a budget	33%	64%	3%
Reducing spending on Social Security and Medicare	21%	77%	3%

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Methodology

 This Ipsos poll was conducted January 13-15 2023, by Ipsos using the probability-based KnowledgePanel®. This poll is based on a nationally representative probability sample of 1,035 general population adults age 18 or older.

The margin of sampling error for this study is plus or minus 3.2 percentage points at the 95% confidence level, for results based on the entire sample of adults. The margin of sampling error takes into account the design effect, which was 1.12. The margin of sampling error is higher and varies for results based on other sub-samples. In our reporting of the findings, percentage points are rounded off to the nearest whole number. As a result, percentages in a given table column may total slightly higher or lower than 100%. In questions that permit multiple responses, columns may total substantially more than 100%, depending on the number of different responses offered by each respondent.

The survey was conducted using KnowledgePanel®, the largest and most well-established online probability-based panel that is representative of the adult U.S. population. Our recruitment process employs a scientifically developed addressed-based sampling methodology using the latest Delivery Sequence File of the USPS – a database with full coverage of all delivery points in the US. Households invited to join the panel are randomly selected from all available households in the U.S. Persons in the sampled households are invited to join and participate in the panel. Those selected who do not already have internet access are provided a tablet and internet connection at no cost to the panel member. Those who join the panel and who are selected to participate in a survey are sent a unique password-protected log-in used to complete surveys online. As a result of our recruitment and sampling methodologies, samples from KnowledgePanel® cover all households regardless of their phone or internet status and findings can be reported with a margin of sampling error and projected to the general population.

The data for the total sample were weighted to adjust for gender by age, race/ethnicity, education, Census region, metropolitan status, and household income, and political party identification. The demographic benchmarks came from the 2022 Current Population Survey (CPS) and the political party identification benchmark came from high quality probability polls.

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