POTUS RADIO

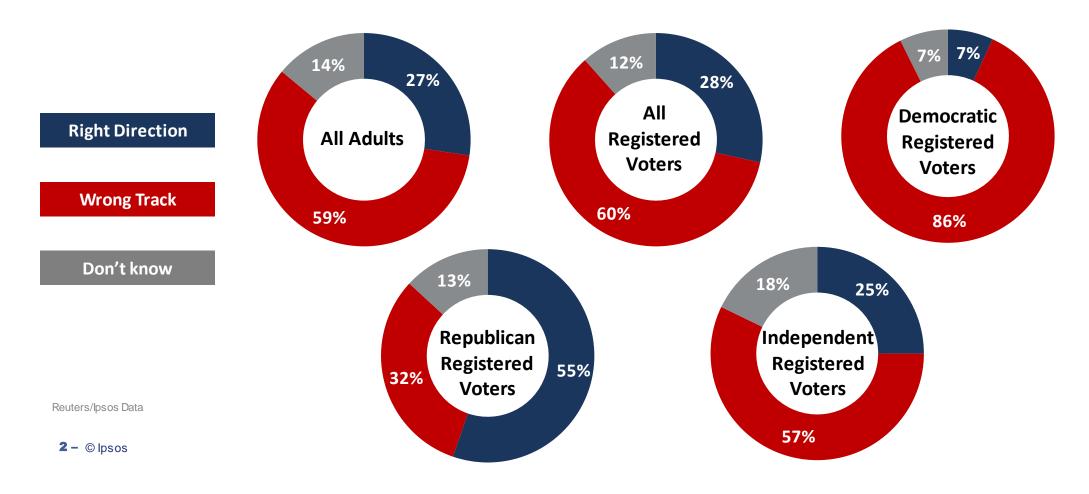
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#### **Right Direction/Wrong Track**

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





#### **Most Important Problem Facing America**

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

|                               | All Adults | All Registered Voters | Democratic<br>Registered Voters | Republican<br>Registered Voters | Independent<br>Registered Voters |
|-------------------------------|------------|-----------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Economy generally             | 24%        | 25%                   | 22%                             | 30%                             | 25%                              |
| Unemployment / lack of jobs   | 12%        | 11%                   | 10%                             | 11%                             | 20%                              |
| War / foreign conflicts       | 2%         | 2%                    | 2%                              | 1%                              | 0%                               |
| Immigration                   | 6%         | 6%                    | 2%                              | 13%                             | 1%                               |
| Terrorism / terrorist attacks | 2%         | 1%                    | 1%                              | 2%                              | 2%                               |
| Healthcare                    | 19%        | 20%                   | 29%                             | 10%                             | 22%                              |
| Energy issues                 | 1%         | 1%                    | 1%                              | 1%                              | 1%                               |
| Morality                      | 5%         | 4%                    | 2%                              | 7%                              | 2%                               |
| Education                     | 3%         | 3%                    | 3%                              | 3%                              | 3%                               |
| Crime                         | 2%         | 2%                    | 2%                              | 2%                              | 1%                               |
| Environment                   | 6%         | 6%                    | 9%                              | 3%                              | 5%                               |
| Other                         | 14%        | 15%                   | 15%                             | 16%                             | 14%                              |
| Don't know                    | 4%         | 3%                    | 2%                              | 2%                              | 3%                               |

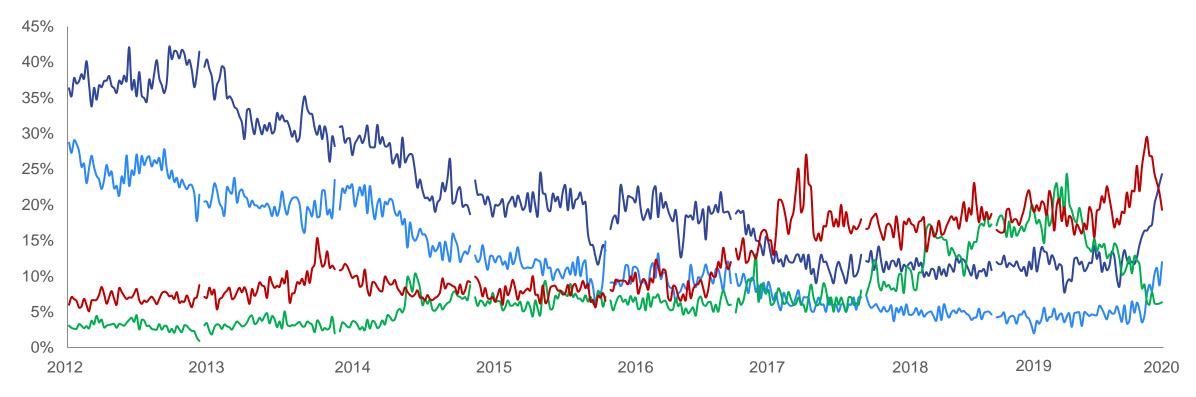
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#### **Most Important Problem Facing America**

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#### **Donald Trump's Approval**



#### Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling his job as President?

Is that strongly (approve/disapprove) or somewhat (approve/disapprove)? (Asked of those who selected "approve" or "disapprove") Q2b. If you had to choose, do you lean more towards approve or disapprove? (Asked of those who selected "don't know")

|                         | All Adults | Registered Voters | Democratic<br>Registered Voters | Republican<br>Registered Voters | Independent<br>Registered Voters |
|-------------------------|------------|-------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Strongly approve        | 21%        | 21%               | 3%                              | 48%                             | 10%                              |
| Somewhat approve        | 18%        | 18%               | 4%                              | 33%                             | 20%                              |
| Lean towards approve    | 2%         | 2%                | 2%                              | 3%                              | 4%                               |
| Lean towards disapprove | 4%         | 3%                | 3%                              | 3%                              | 2%                               |
| Somewhat disapprove     | 12%        | 11%               | 12%                             | 6%                              | 22%                              |
| Strongly disapprove     | 40%        | 44%               | 77%                             | 7%                              | 38%                              |
| Not sure                | 4%         | 2%                | 1%                              | 1%                              | 5%                               |
| TOTAL APPROVE           | 41%        | 41%               | 8%                              | 84%                             | 34%                              |
| TOTAL DISAPPROVE        | 56%        | <b>57%</b>        | <i>92%</i>                      | 15%                             | 61%                              |

Reuters/lpsos Data. Conducted March 30-31, 2020

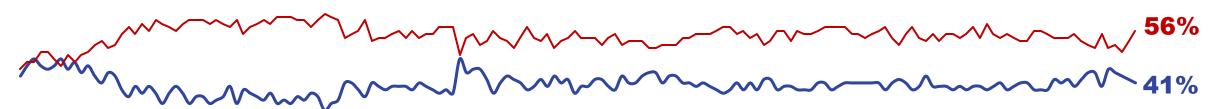


#### **Donald Trump's Approval**

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■ Total Approval

■ Total Disapproval





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Jan 20-24, 2017

Feb 3-7, 2017

March 3-7, 2017

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March 17-21, 2017

March 31-April 4, 2017

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June 15-19, 2019

April 6-10, 2018

April 6-10, 2018

November 7-13, 2018

March 20-26, 2019

April 6-10, 2018

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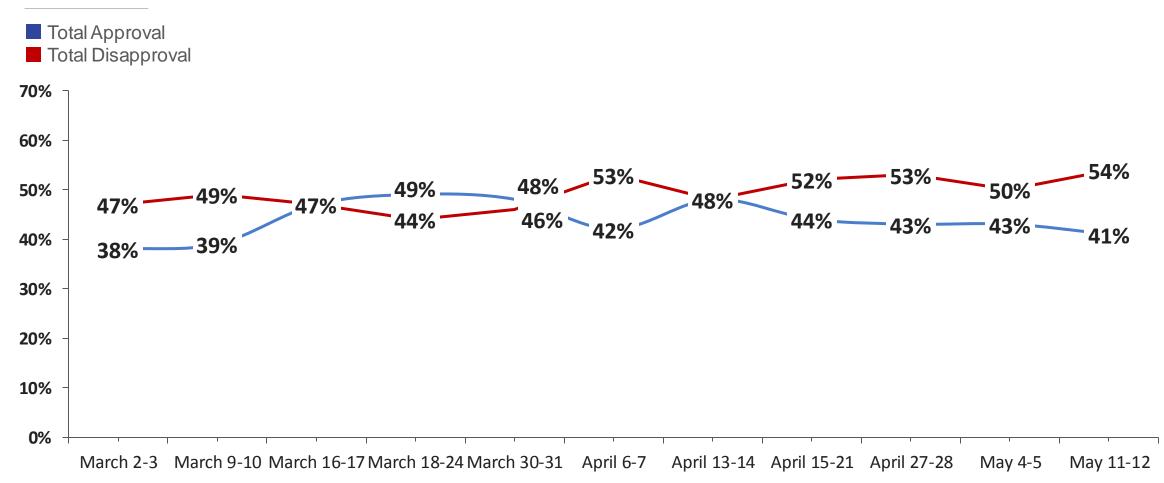
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#### Trump's Approval on Coronavirus

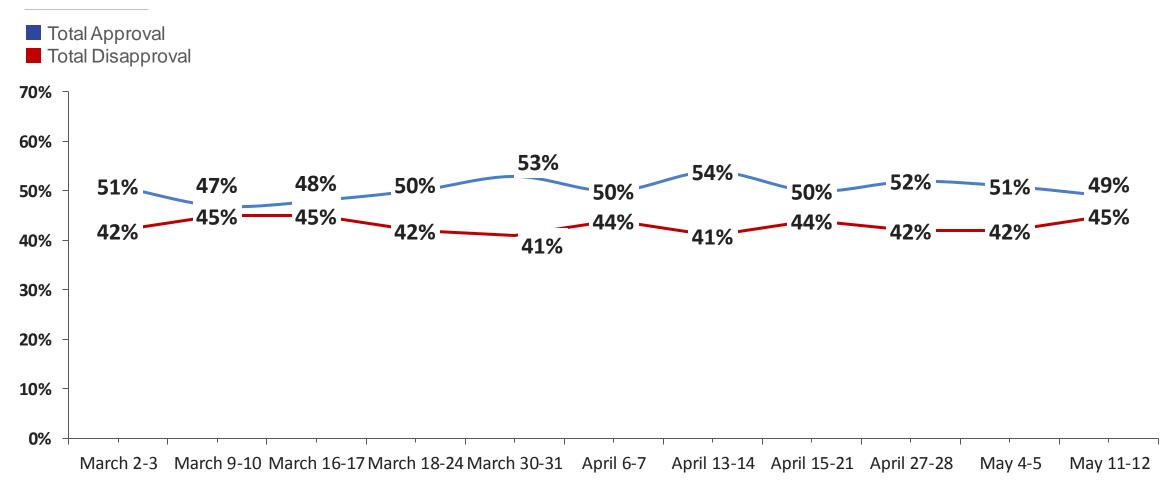
Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling the following issues? Coronavirus / COVID-19





#### Trump's Approval on the Economy

Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling the following issues? The US economy



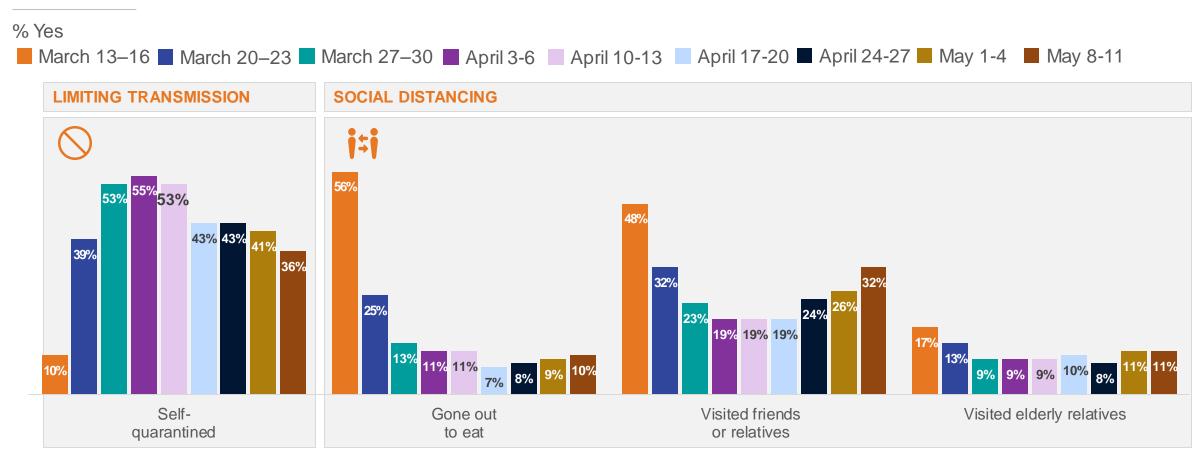


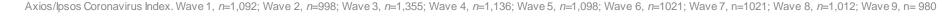
# CORONAVIRUS



#### **Impact on Personal Behavior**

Have you done the following in the last week?







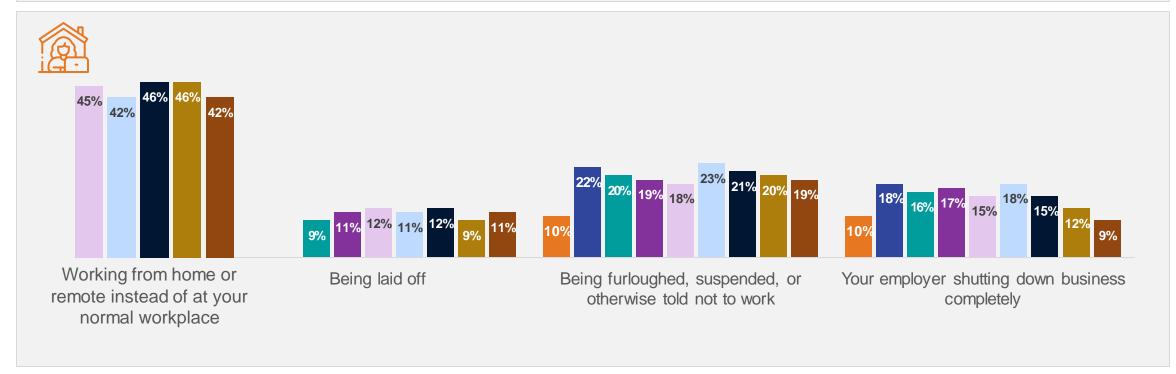
#### **Impact on Professional Lives**

Have you personally experienced the following in the last few weeks?

% Yes







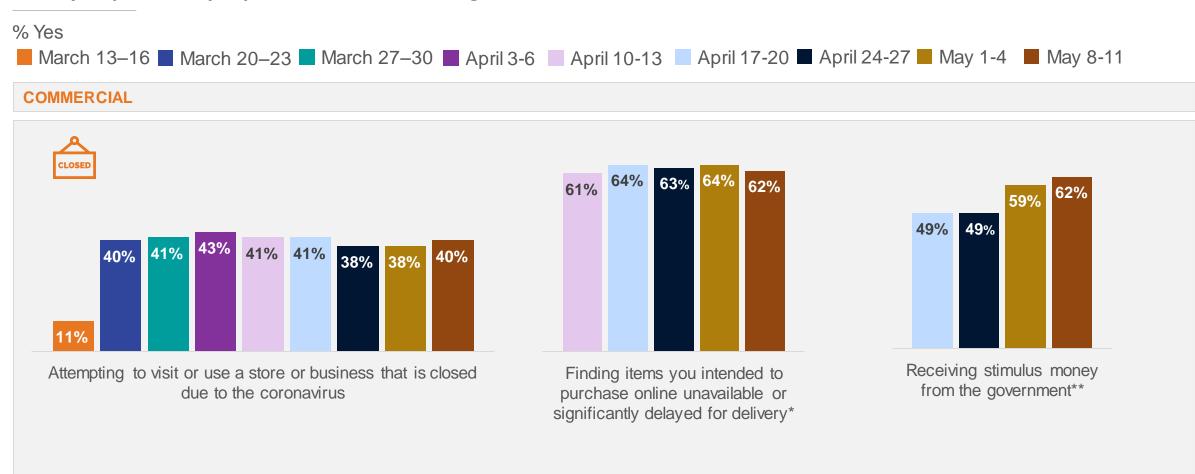
<sup>\*\*</sup>Being laid off not asked in first or second wave of the Axios/lpsos Coronavirus Index

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#### **Impact on Commercial Lives**

Have you personally experienced the following in the last few weeks?



<sup>\*</sup>Not asked in the first four waves of the Axios/lpsos Coronavirus Index



<sup>\*\*</sup>Not asked in the first five waves of the Axios/lpsos Coronavirus Index

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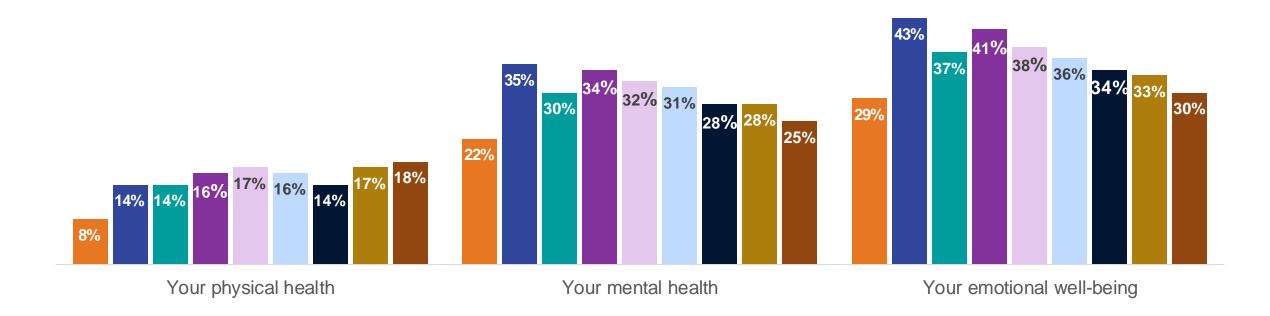
#### **ALL ADULT AMERICANS**

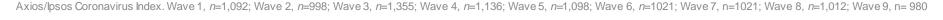
#### Impact on Health

How have the following changed in the last few weeks, if at all?

% Gotten worse







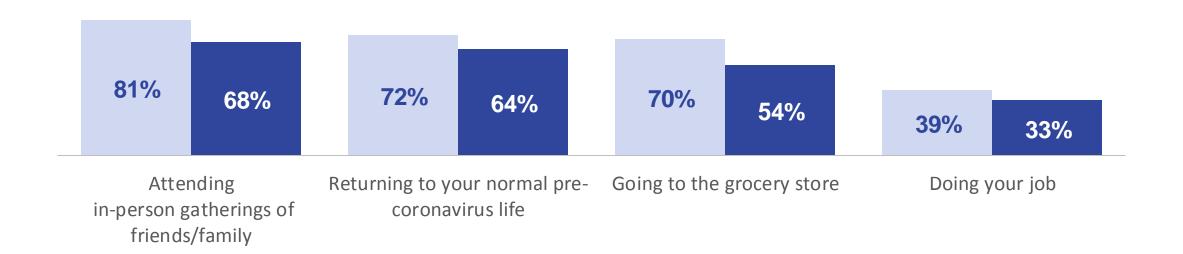


#### **Decrease in Perceived Risk**

How much of a risk to your health and well-being do you think the following activities are right now?

% Large/ Moderate risk

■ Mid-April ■ May 8–11



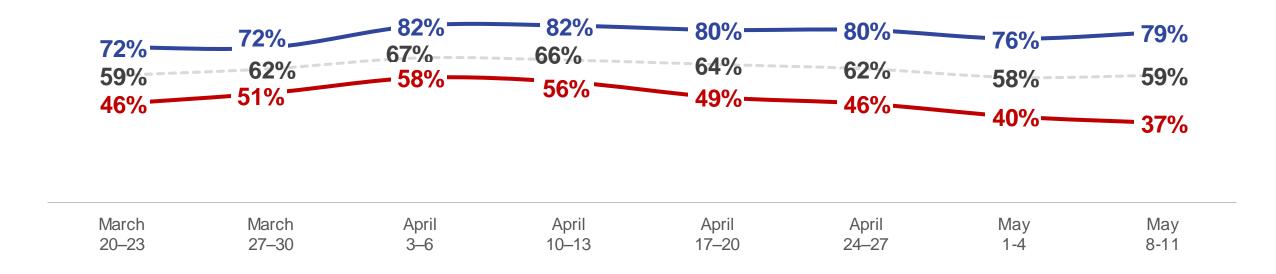


#### **Growing Partisan Disparity in Concern Over COVID-19**

How concerned are you, if at all, about the coronavirus or COVID-19 outbreak?

% Extremely/Very concerned

- Democrats
- Republicans
- All Americans



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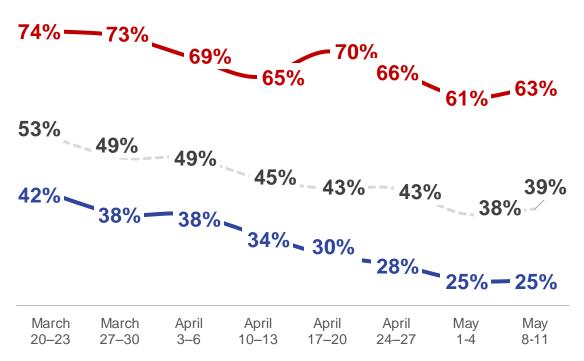


#### **Partisan Disparity in Trust in Government**

How much trust do you have in each of the following to look out for the best interests of you and your family?

% A great deal/A fair amount Democrats Republicans — All Americans

Federal government State government



# 79% 71% 70% 68% 68% 68% 65% 67% 62% 62% 62% 60% 55% March March April April April April May May 20-23 27-30 3-6 10-13 17-20 24-27 1-4 8-11

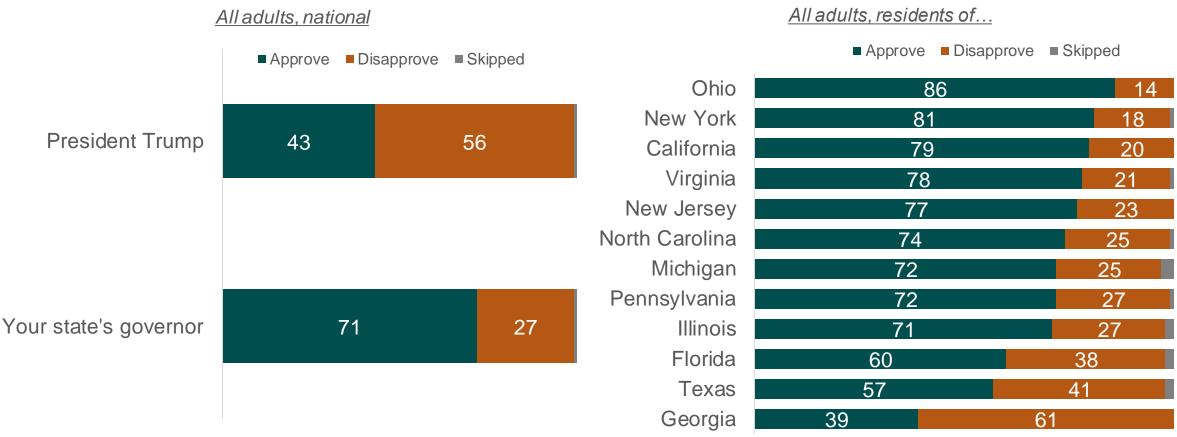
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#### **Low Governor Approval in Early Opening States**

Do you approve or disapprove of the way each of the following is handling the coronavirus outbreak?

#### Your State's Governor

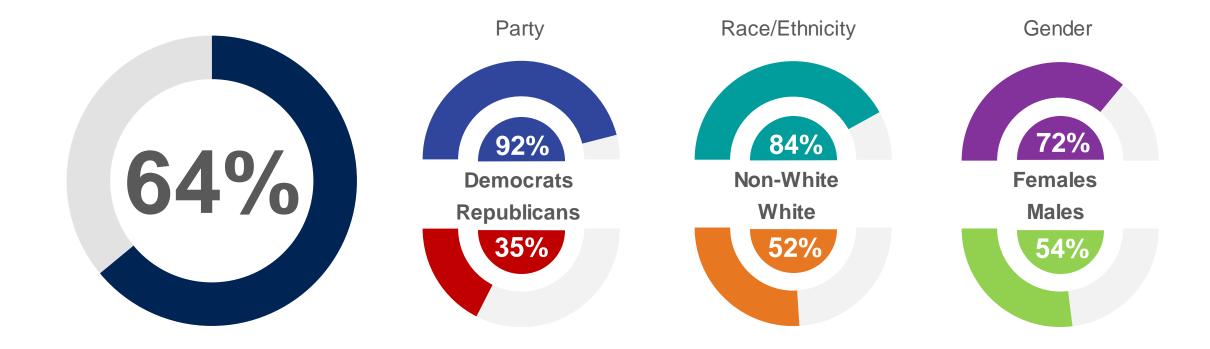


Washington Post /lpsos Poll. April 27 - May 4, 2020. N = 8,806



#### Majority Believe Opening the Country Now Is Not Worth It

Which of the following statements comes closest to your point of view? *Opening the country now is not worth it because it will mean more lives being lost* 

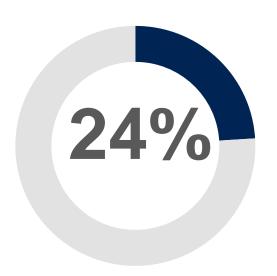




#### **Attendance at Sporting Events**

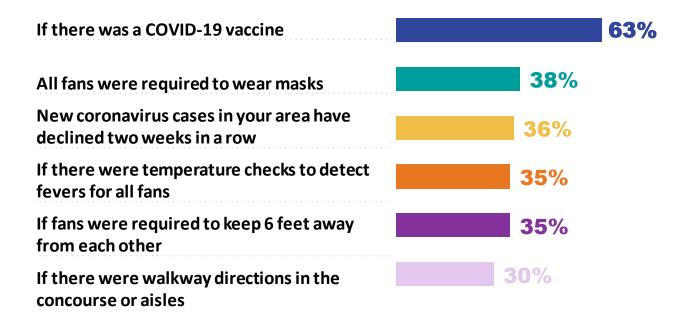
How likely would you be to attend a sporting game or event in person right now, if government restrictions were lifted?

% Likely



of Americans likely to attend a sporting game/event in person <u>right now</u> How much would each of the following conditions help you to feel comfortable with attending a sporting game or event in person?

% Would help a lot/some



FiveThirtyEight/lpsos Poll. May 5-11, 2020. N=1,109



### PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION

#### **ALL ADULT AMERICANS**

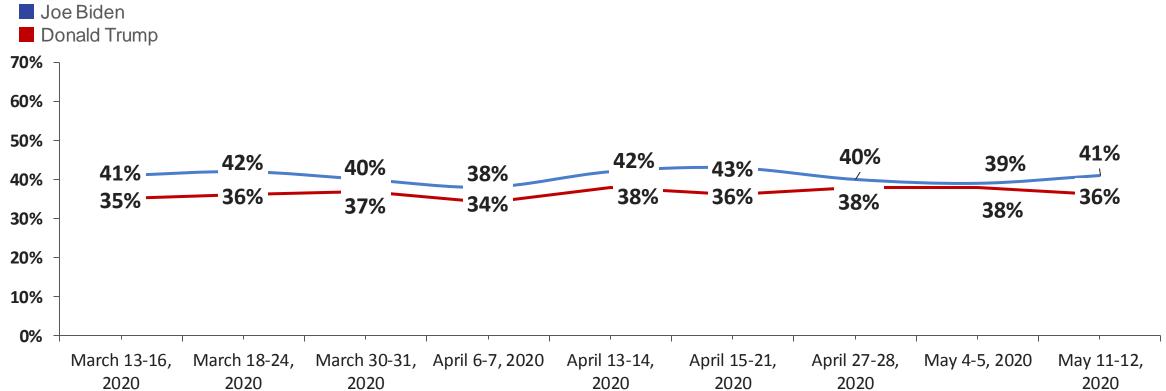
#### **Presidential Ballot Trend**

If the 2020 presidential election were being held today and the candidates were as below, for whom would you vote?

If the 2020 presidential election were held today, would you vote for Donald Trump or Joe Biden?







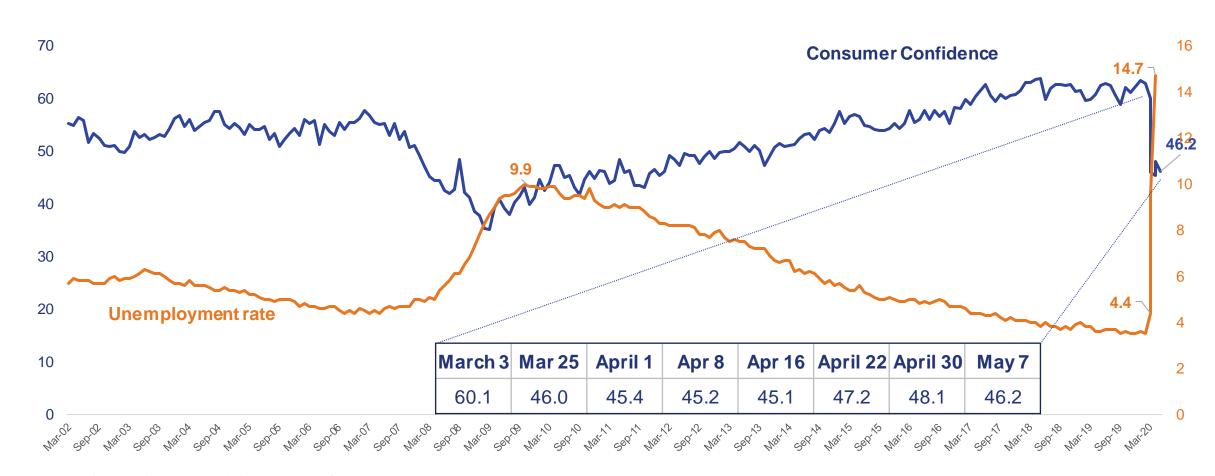


# CONSUMER CONFIDENCE



#### **Irrational Exuberance? Confidence Steady in Face of Job Loss**

American consumer confidence and unemployment 2002-2020

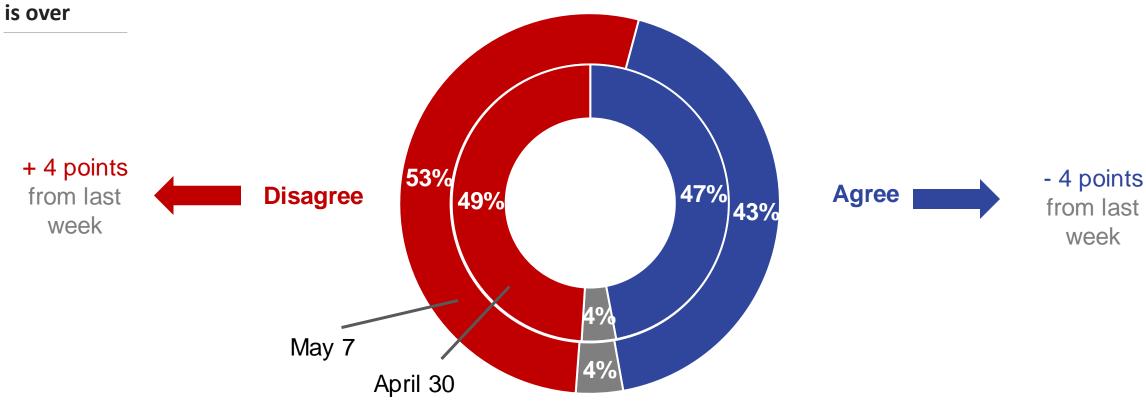


Ipsos Primary Consumer Sentiment Index / US Bureau of Labor Statistics



# Fewer Americans believe that the economy will recover quickly once the shut down is over

To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following? - The economy will recover quickly once the lockdown



Source: Jan 2002- Feb 2011 RBC CASH Index; March 2011 to early March Monthly Refinitiv-Ipsos Primary Consumer Sentiment Index; March 25 2020 to date Ipsos Weekly Consumer Confidence Tracker





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