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# CORE POLITICAL

# IPSOS POLL CONDUCTED FOR REUTERS

## Core Political Data

These are findings from an Ipsos poll conducted

*for*



*date*

Sept 5 – Sept 11, 2018



For the survey,

*a sample of*

2,250  
Americans

*including*

1,226  
All Likely Voters

574  
Likely Voters:  
Democrats

520  
Likely Voters:  
Republicans

108  
Likely Voters:  
Independents

*ages*

18+

were interviewed online

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The precision of the Reuters/Ipsos online polls is measured using a credibility interval.

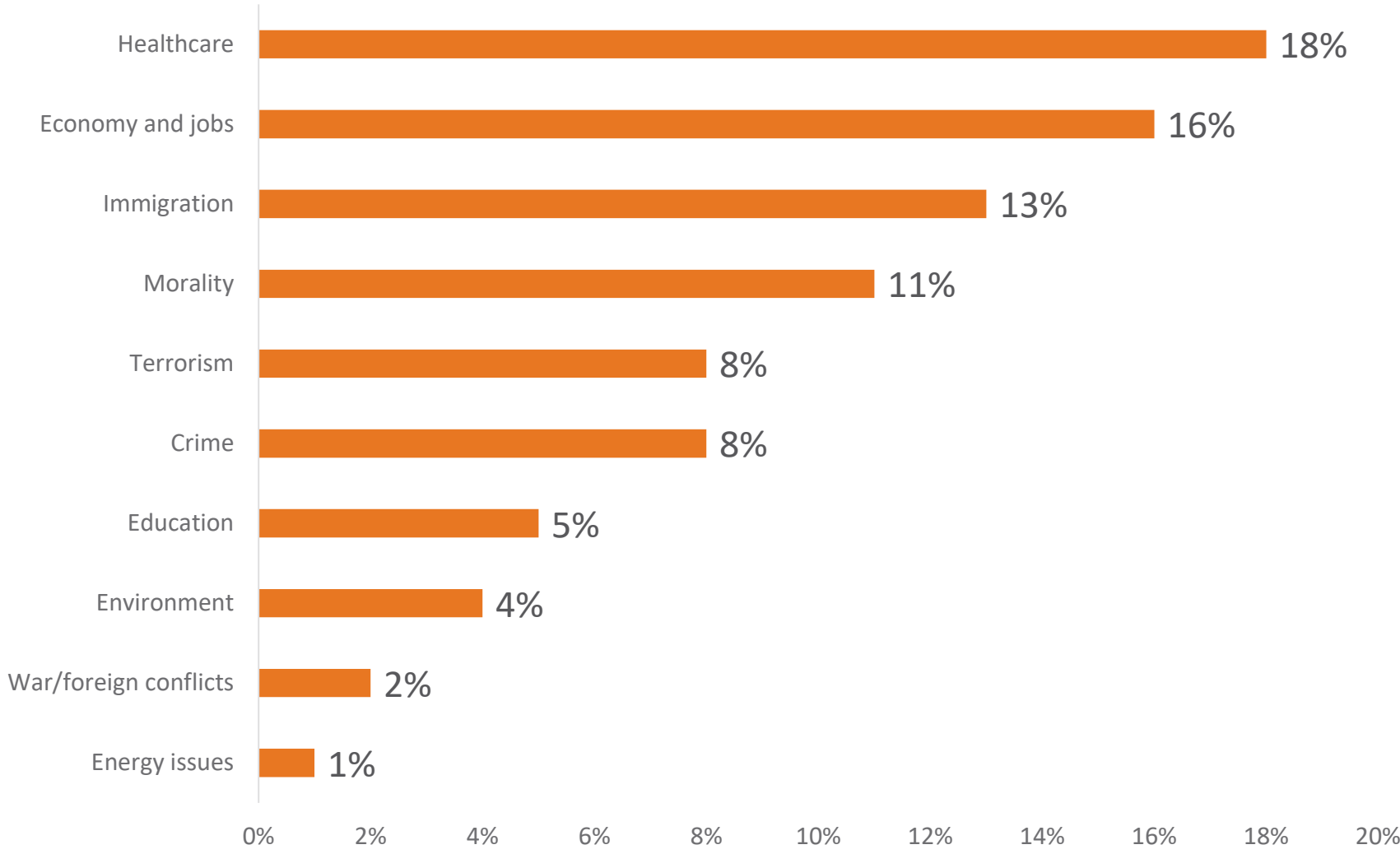
In this case, the poll has a credibility interval of plus or minus the following percentage points



For more information about credibility intervals, please see the appendix.

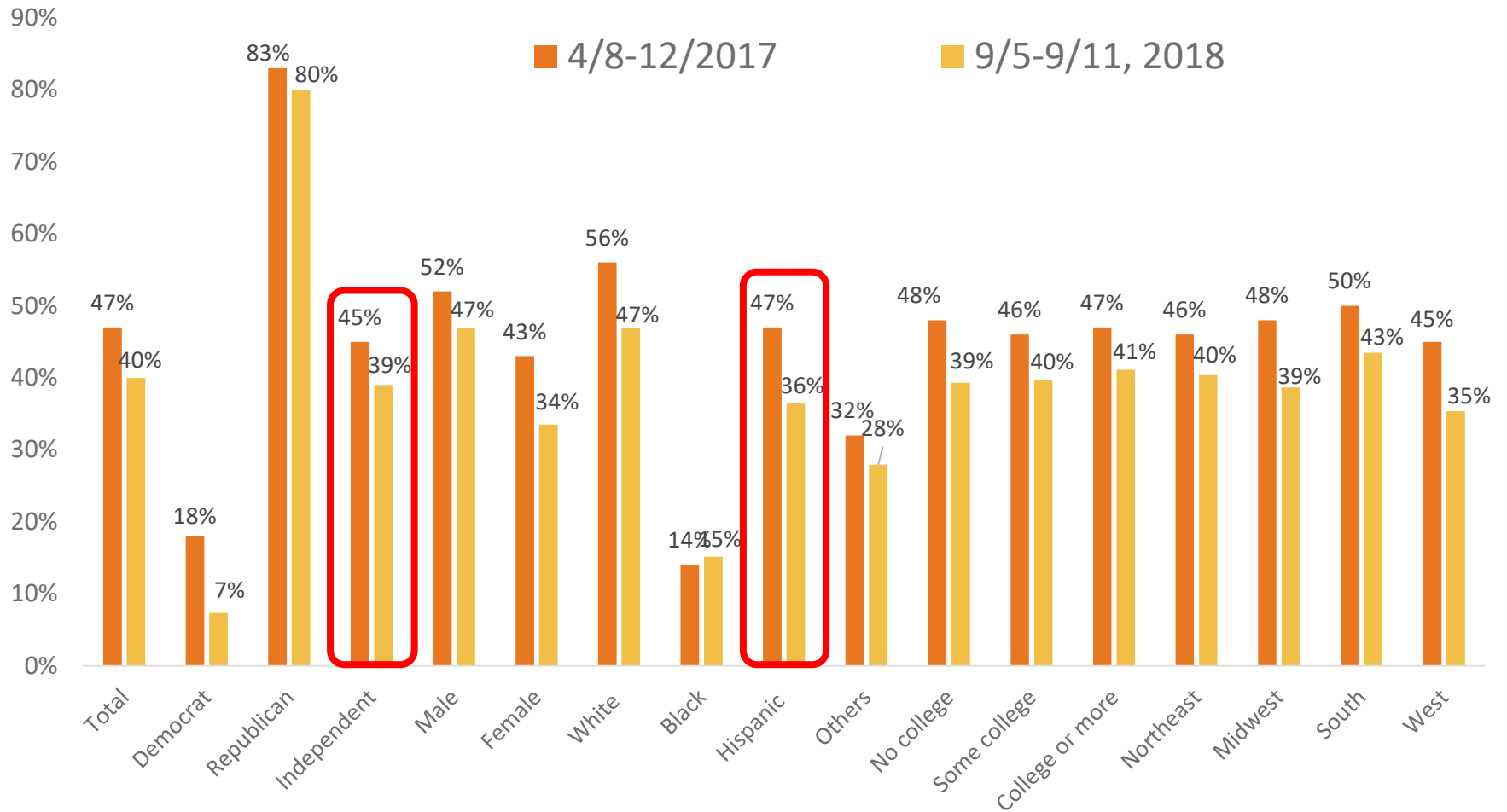
# Main Problems

In your opinion, what is the most important problem facing the US today?



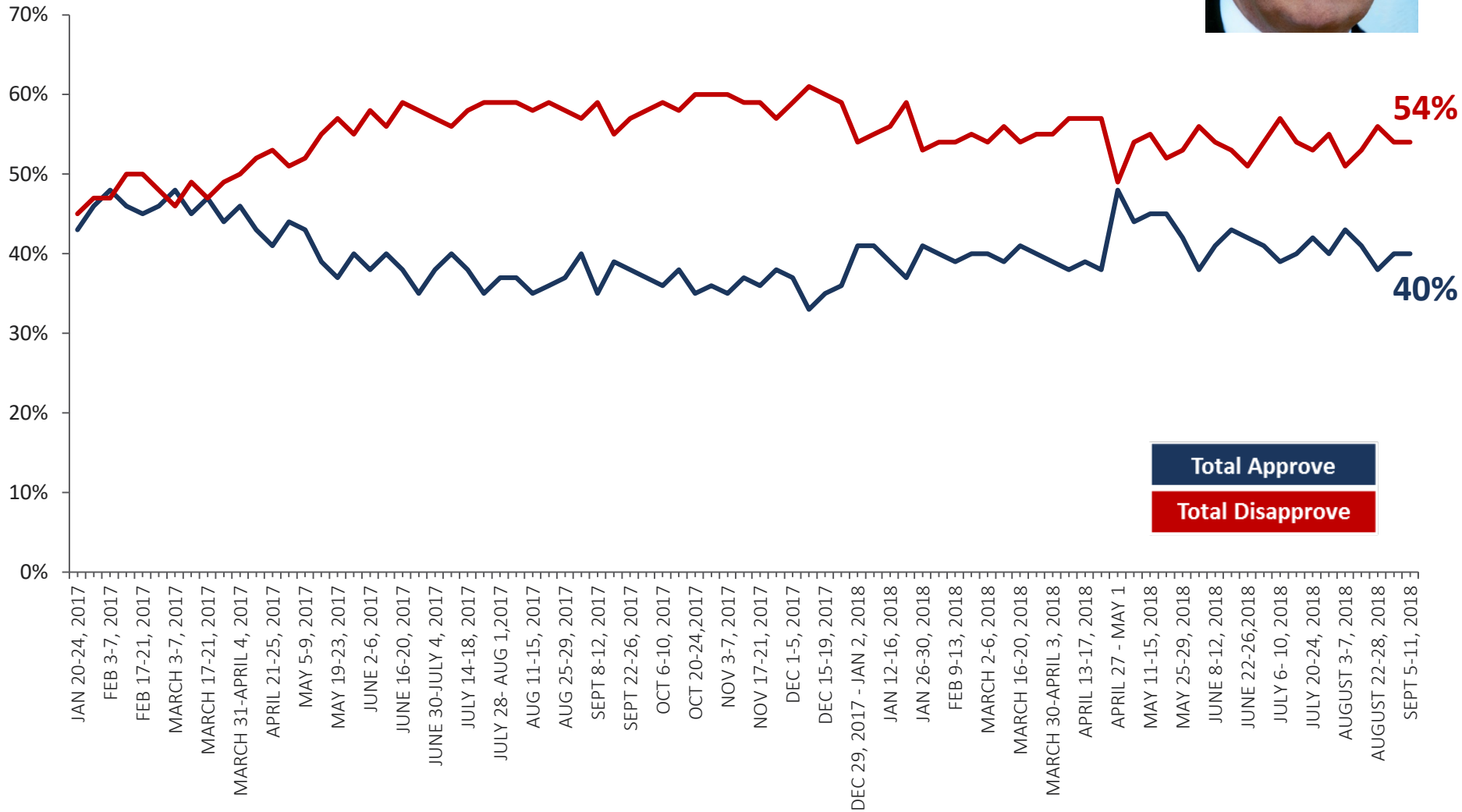
# Approval by Demographic

Overall, do you approve or disapprove about the way Donald Trump is handling his job as President? *Approve*



ALL ADULT AMERICANS

# Weekly Approval



ALL ADULT AMERICANS

# Approval Attributes



Do you approve or disapprove about the way Donald Trump is handling the following issues?

	Strongly approve	Somewhat approve	Lean towards approve	Lean towards disapprove	Somewhat disapprove	Strongly disapprove	Don't know	TOTAL APPROVE	TOTAL DISAPPROVE
The US economy	24%	13%	11%	7%	8%	28%	8%	49%	43%
US foreign policy	19%	12%	10%	7%	8%	36%	9%	41%	50%
Healthcare reform	16%	12%	11%	7%	8%	37%	8%	39%	52%
Employment and jobs	24%	13%	13%	8%	7%	26%	9%	50%	41%
Dealing with Congress	16%	13%	9%	8%	9%	35%	10%	38%	52%
Dealing with ISIS / ISIL	22%	12%	11%	8%	7%	28%	13%	45%	43%
International trade	20%	12%	9%	8%	7%	33%	10%	41%	48%
Taxation	19%	13%	10%	7%	8%	33%	10%	42%	49%
Corruption	17%	10%	8%	8%	7%	39%	10%	35%	55%
The environment	15%	10%	10%	9%	6%	38%	11%	35%	54%
Immigration	22%	11%	8%	6%	6%	39%	7%	42%	51%
The way he treats people like me	17%	11%	8%	8%	5%	42%	8%	36%	55%
The effort he is making to unify the country	17%	11%	10%	7%	7%	40%	8%	38%	54%
Russia	15%	12%	9%	9%	7%	40%	9%	36%	55%



# 2018 Generic Congressional Ballot Question

Thinking about the elections in 2018, if the election for U.S. Congress were held today, would you vote for the Democratic candidate or the Republican candidate in your district where you live?

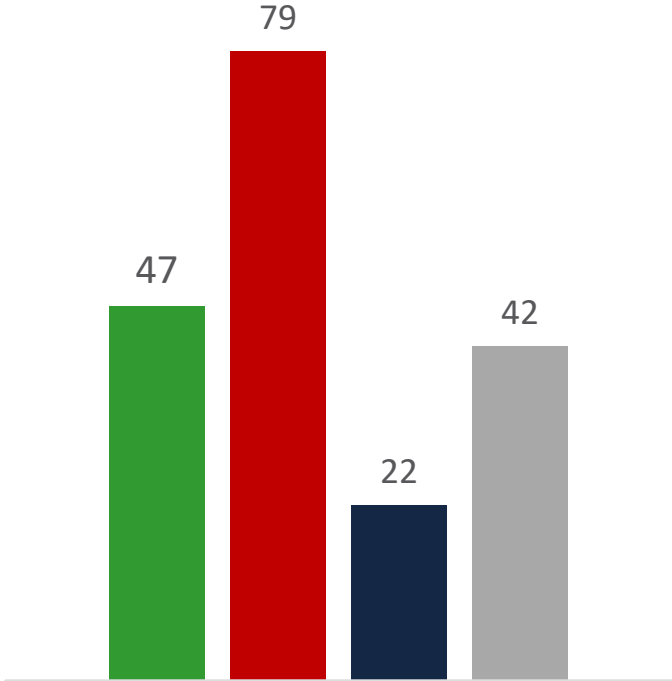
	All Adults	All Likely Voters	Likely Voters: Democrat	Likely Voters: Republican	Likely Voters: Independent
<b>Democratic candidate</b>	<b>40%</b>	<b>49%</b>	<b>93%</b>	<b>5%</b>	<b>33%</b>
<b>Republican candidate</b>	<b>31%</b>	<b>41%</b>	<b>3%</b>	<b>90%</b>	<b>21%</b>
Candidate from another political party	3%	3%	0%	1%	18%
Will not/do not plan to vote	12%	0%	0%	0%	1%
<b>Don't know / Refused</b>	<b>13%</b>	<b>7%</b>	<b>3%</b>	<b>4%</b>	<b>27%</b>

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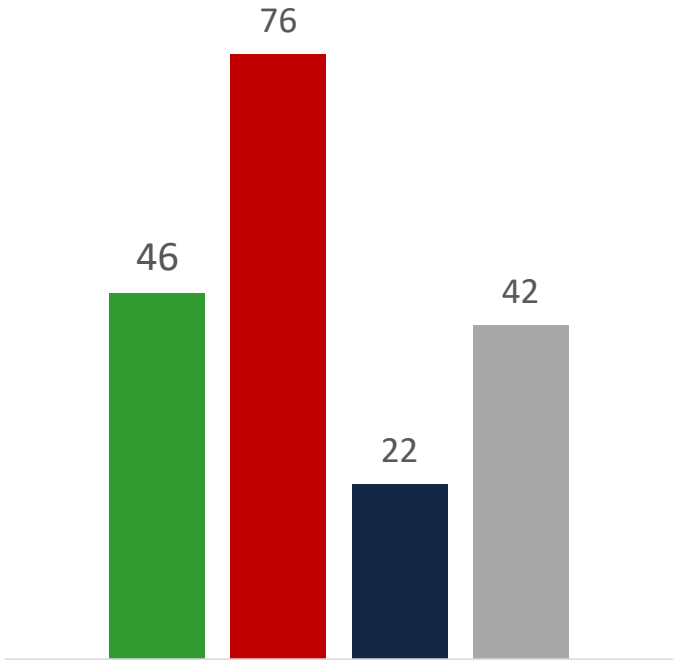
# BRETT KAVANAUGH'S SUPREME COURT NOMINATION

# Kavanaugh's favorability has only slightly declined since the allegations of his sexual misconduct went public last week.

Total favorability



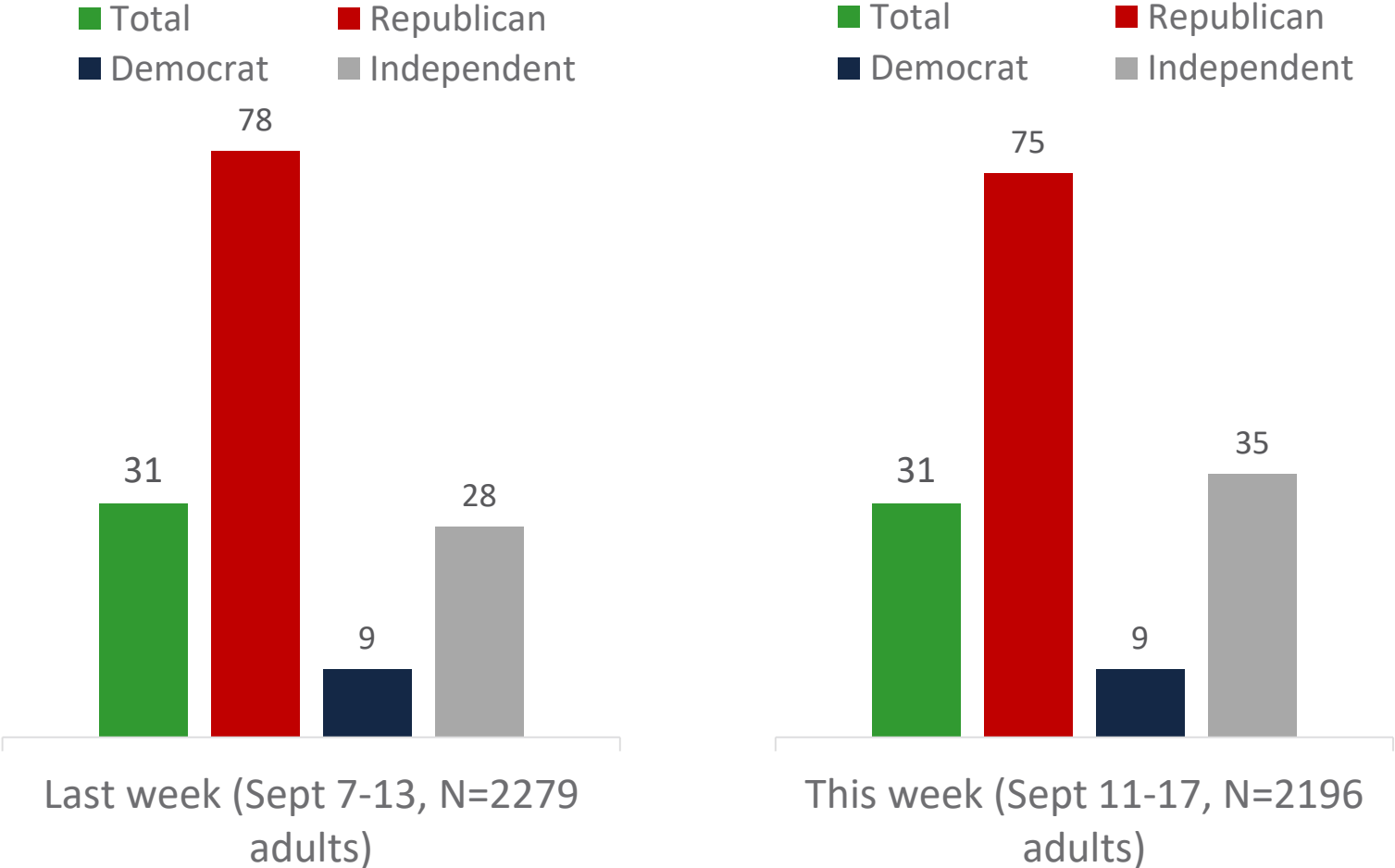
Last week (Sept 7-13, N=1910 adults)



This week (Sept 11-17, N=1854 adults)

# Support for his Supreme Court nomination has also seen minimal change.

Total support



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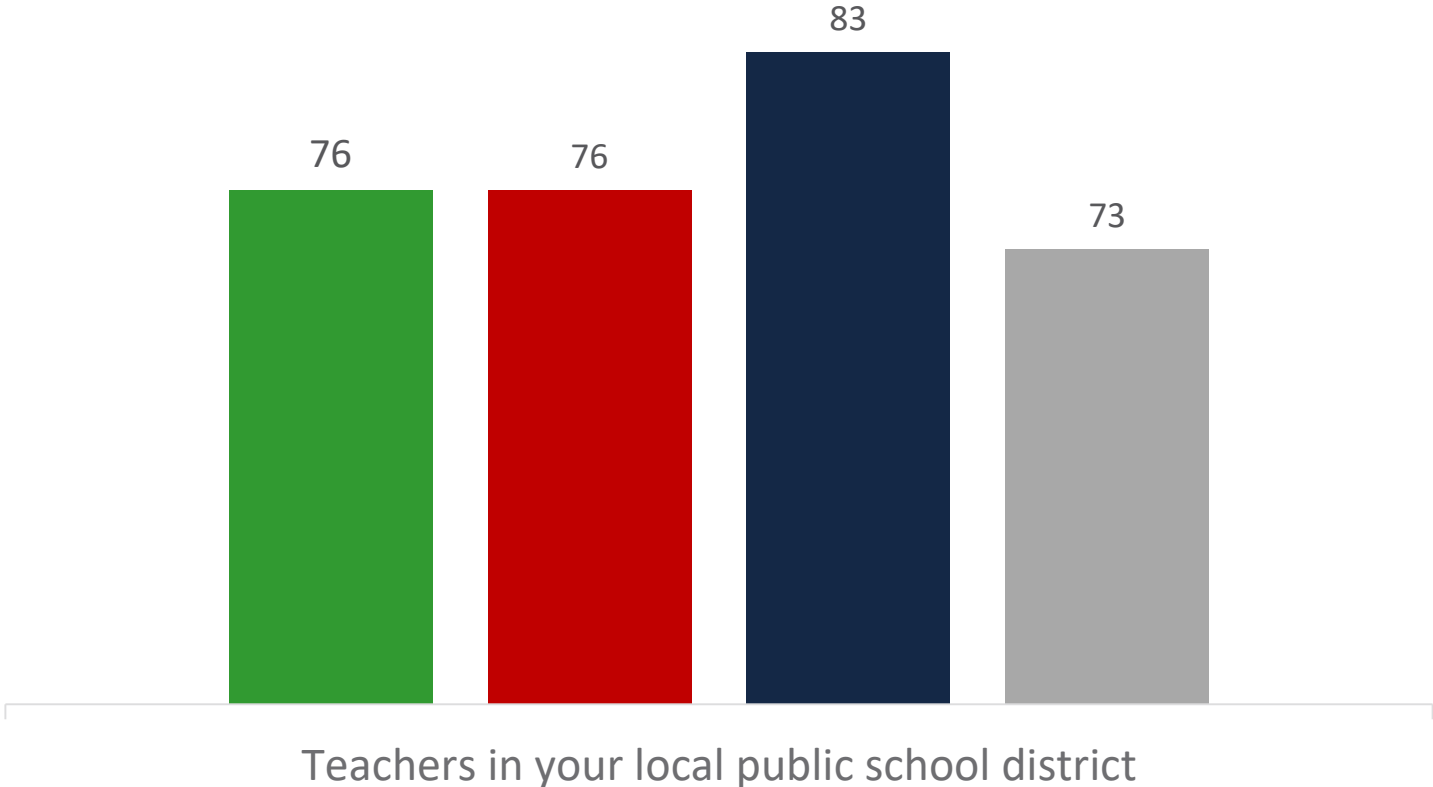
# VIEWS ON TEACHER STRIKES

# Views on local teachers are largely positive...

Do you approve or disapprove of the following?

Total Approve

■ Total ■ Republican ■ Democrat ■ Independent

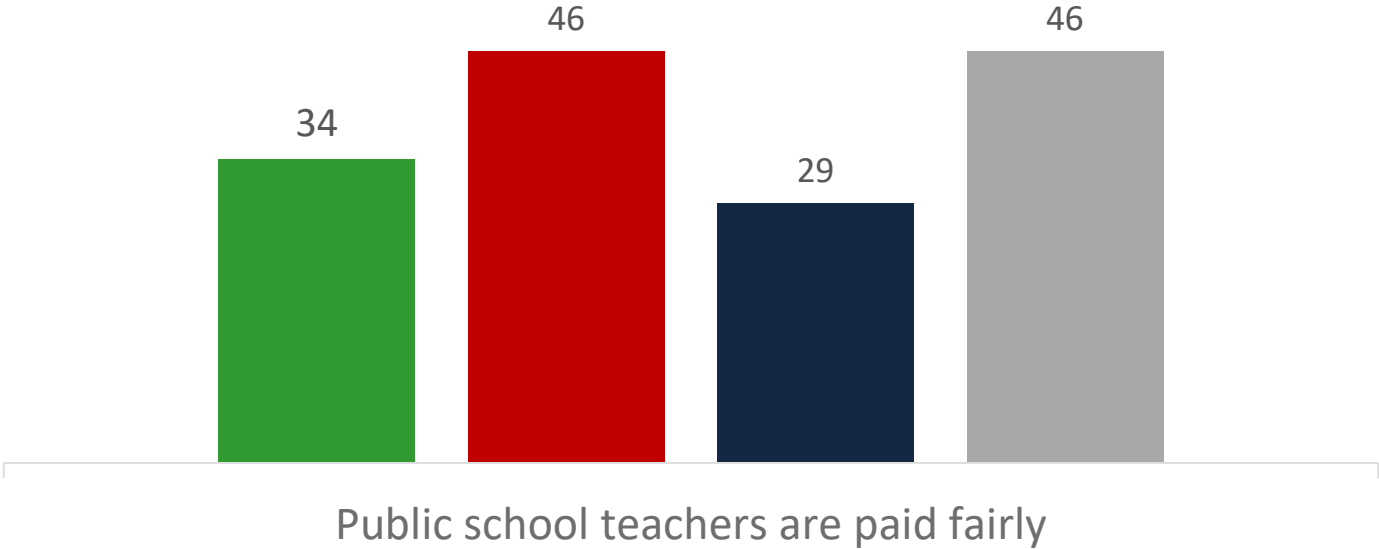


# ...but most Americans agree that there are some underlying issues with the education profession

Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

Total Agree

■ Total ■ Republican ■ Democrat ■ Independent

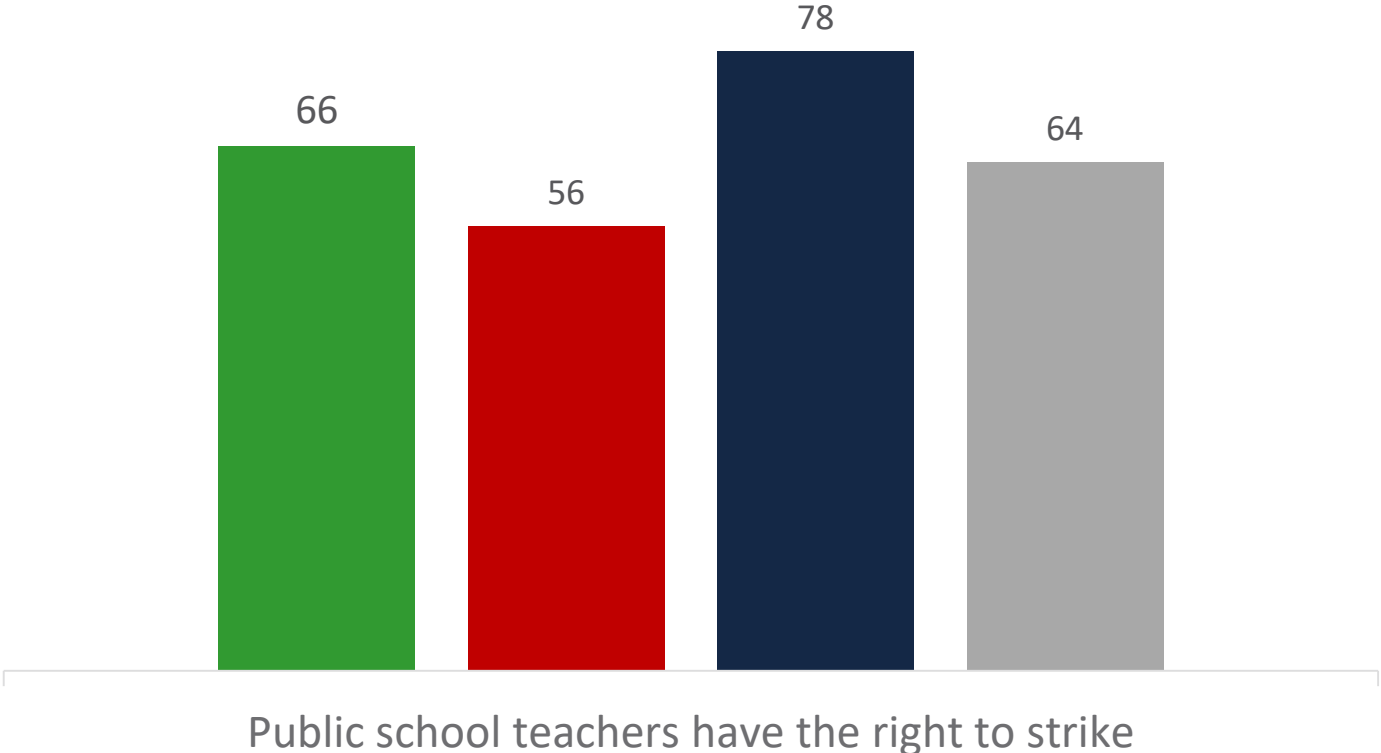


# And two-thirds of Americans support public school teachers' right to strike.

Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

Total Agree

■ Total ■ Republican ■ Democrat ■ Independent







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