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May 08-11, 2023
Crosstabulation Results

Methodology:
This poll was conducted between May 8-May 11, 2023 among a sample of 1970 Registered Voters. The interviews were conducted online and the data were weighted to approximate a target sample of Registered Voters based on gender by age, educational attainment, race, marital status, home ownership, race by educational attainment, 2020 presidential vote, and region. Results from the full survey have a margin of error of plus or minus 2 percentage points.

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| Demographic | May 2023 | June 2023 | July 2023 | August <br> 2023 | $\begin{gathered} \text { September } \\ 2023 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { October } \\ & 2023 \end{aligned}$ | November 2023 | $\begin{gathered} \text { December } \\ 2023 \end{gathered}$ | Don't know | Total N |
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| Registered Voters | 9\% (185) | $34 \%$ (669) | 8\% (155) | 4\% (88) | 5\% (104) | 2\% (39) | 3\% (57) | 2\% (36) | $32 \%$ (637) | 1970 |
| Gender: Male | 9\% (83) | 38\%(355) | 9\% (80) | 6\% (52) | $7 \%$ (60) | $1 \%$ (13) | 3\% (27) | 2\% (18) | 26\%(237) | 926 |
| Gender: Female | 10\% (101) | 30\% (312) | 7\% (75) | 3\% (36) | 4\% (44) | 2\% (25) | $3 \%$ (30) | 2\% (17) | 38\%(398) | 1039 |
| Age: 18-34 | 7\% (33) | 17\% (87) | 7\% (37) | $7 \%$ (36) | 9\% (46) | $3 \%$ (13) | 4\% (20) | 3\% (14) | 44\%(222) | 507 |
| Age: 35-44 | 12\% (37) | 15\% (47) | 9\% (28) | 7\% (21) | 6\% (20) | 2\% (7) | 8\% (25) | 3\% (10) | 36\% (109) | 303 |
| Age: 45-64 | $12 \%$ (81) | 41\%(275) | 8\% (50) | 4\% (25) | 4\% (26) | 2\% (11) | $1 \% \quad(6)$ | 1\% (10) | 28\% (186) | 670 |
| Age: 65+ | $7 \%$ (34) | 53\% (261) | 8\% (40) | 1\% (6) | 3\% (13) | 2\% (8) | $1 \%$ (6) | - (2) | 25\% (121) | 490 |
| GenZers: 1997-2012 | 8\% (13) | 13\% (20) | 9\% (13) | 9\% (14) | 8\% (12) | $3 \% \quad$ (5) | 4\% (6) | 5\% (7) | 41\% (64) | 155 |
| Millennials: 1981-1996 | 8\% (50) | 17\% (104) | 8\% (46) | 7\% (39) | 8\% (50) | 3\% (15) | 6\% (35) | 3\% (15) | 41\%(243) | 598 |
| GenXers: 1965-1980 | $14 \%$ (67) | $31 \%$ (145) | 8\% (38) | 3\% (15) | 5\% (21) | 2\% (8) | $2 \% \quad(9)$ | $2 \% \quad(9)$ | 34\% (157) | 467 |
| Baby Boomers: 1946-1964 | 7\% (51) | 54\%(377) | 8\% (55) | 3\% (19) | 3\% (18) | 1\% (8) | 1\% (6) | 1\% (4) | 23\% (165) | 703 |
| PID: Dem (no lean) | 11\% (89) | 32\%(262) | 8\% (65) | 7\% (56) | 6\% (46) | 2\% (20) | 4\% (30) | 2\% (19) | 29\%(239) | 824 |
| PID: Ind (no lean) | 8\% (32) | 38\% (155) | 8\% (30) | 3\% (11) | 4\% (18) | 2\% (8) | 1\% (4) | 2\% (8) | 34\% (139) | 404 |
| PID: Rep (no lean) | 9\% (64) | 34\%(253) | 8\% (60) | 3\% (22) | 6\% (41) | 2\% (11) | 3\% (23) | 1\% (9) | 35\%(259) | 742 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Men | 10\% (39) | 32\% (126) | 8\% (32) | 9\% (35) | 7\% (29) | 2\% (8) | 4\% (16) | 3\% (12) | 24\% (94) | 391 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Women | $11 \%$ (49) | 32\% (136) | 8\% (32) | 5\% (20) | 4\% (17) | 3\% (11) | 3\% (14) | 2\% (7) | 33\% (143) | 430 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Men | 6\% (12) | 46\% (95) | 10\% (21) | 1\% (2) | 5\% (10) | 2\% (4) | 1\% (2) | 1\% (2) | 29\% (59) | 207 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Women | 10\% (20) | 29\% (57) | 5\% (9) | $4 \% \quad$ (8) | 4\% (8) | 2\% (4) | 1\% (2) | $3 \% \quad$ (6) | 41\% (80) | 195 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Men | 10\% (33) | 41\% (134) | 8\% (26) | 4\% (14) | 7\% (22) | - (1) | $3 \% \quad$ (9) | $1 \% \quad$ (5) | 26\% (84) | 328 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Women | 8\% (31) | 29\% (119) | 8\% (34) | 2\% (7) | 5\% (19) | 2\% (10) | 3\% (14) | 1\% (4) | 42\% (175) | 414 |
| Ideo: Liberal (1-3) | $11 \%$ (58) | 37\%(207) | 9\% (50) | 6\% (35) | 6\% (33) | 3\% (14) | 2\% (11) | $1 \% \quad(7)$ | 25\% (140) | 555 |
| Ideo: Moderate (4) | 8\% (46) | 30\% (173) | 6\% (34) | 4\% (23) | 5\% (28) | 2\% (11) | 4\% (26) | 2\% (12) | 39\%(224) | 576 |
| Ideo: Conservative (5-7) | 10\% (76) | 36\%(279) | 9\% (68) | 4\% (28) | 5\% (39) | 2\% (12) | 3\% (19) | 1\% (11) | 31\%(234) | 767 |
| Educ: < College | 10\% (116) | 31\%(364) | 7\% (88) | 3\% (38) | 6\% (68) | 2\% (23) | 2\% (28) | 2\% (19) | 37\%(445) | 1189 |
| Educ: Bachelors degree | 7\% (33) | 39\%(194) | 8\% (37) | 5\% (24) | 5\% (25) | 2\% (9) | 3\% (16) | 2\% (8) | 30\% (149) | 494 |
| Educ: Post-grad | 12\% (35) | 39\% (112) | 11\% (30) | 9\% (26) | 4\% (12) | $2 \% \quad$ (7) | $4 \% \quad$ (12) | $3 \% \quad$ (9) | 15\% (43) | 286 |

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| Income: Under 50k | 8\% (70) | 33\%(272) | 8\% (68) | 3\% (26) | 5\% (38) | 2\% (21) | 2\% (20) | 2\% (14) | 36\%(304) | 832 |
| Income: 50k-100k | 9\% (66) | 37\%(260) | 6\% (46) | 5\% (32) | 5\% (35) | 2\% (14) | 3\% (22) | 2\% (16) | 31\% (217) | 707 |
| Income: 100k+ | 11\% (49) | 32\% (137) | 10\% (42) | 7\% (30) | 7\% (31) | 1\% (4) | 4\% (15) | 1\% (6) | 27\% (116) | 431 |
| Ethnicity: White | 10\% (148) | 36\%(553) | 8\% (118) | 4\% (59) | 5\% (76) | 2\% (33) | 3\% (48) | 2\% (24) | 31\%(467) | 1527 |
| Ethnicity: Hispanic | 14\% (30) | 17\% (37) | 7\% (16) | 8\% (17) | 8\% (18) | 2\% (5) | 3\% (6) | 5\% (11) | 36\% (80) | 219 |
| Ethnicity: Black | 6\% (14) | 24\% (60) | 10\% (24) | 9\% (21) | 6\% (15) | $1 \%$ (3) | $3 \% \quad(9)$ | 1\% (3) | 40\% (100) | 249 |
| Ethnicity: Other | 11\% (22) | 29\% (56) | 7\% (14) | $4 \% \quad$ (7) | 7\% (14) | 1\% (3) | - (0) | $4 \% \quad$ (9) | 36\% (70) | 194 |
| All Christian | 9\% (90) | 41\%(409) | 7\% (68) | 4\% (40) | 5\% (47) | 2\% (22) | 3\% (27) | 2\% (16) | 28\% (273) | 991 |
| All Non-Christian | 17\% (32) | 25\% (47) | 9\% (17) | 10\% (19) | 7\% (14) | 2\% (4) | 5\% (9) | $4 \% \quad$ (8) | 21\% (40) | 190 |
| Atheist | 6\% (3) | 21\% (12) | 3\% (1) | 7\% (4) | 2\% (1) | 5\% (3) | - (0) | 3\% (2) | 53\% (30) | 56 |
| Agnostic/Nothing in particular | 6\% (27) | 34\% (151) | 9\% (39) | 3\% (13) | 5\% (23) | 1\% (4) | 2\% (8) | 2\% (8) | 39\% (173) | 446 |
| Something Else | 11\% (32) | 18\% (50) | 11\% (31) | 4\% (11) | 7\% (19) | 2\% (6) | 4\% (13) | $1 \% \quad(2)$ | 43\% (122) | 286 |
| Religious Non-Protestant/Catholic | 16\% (35) | 25\% (54) | 9\% (19) | 9\% (19) | 7\% (14) | 3\% (5) | 4\% (9) | 4\% (8) | 23\% (48) | 212 |
| Evangelical | 10\% (51) | 31\% (166) | 7\% (39) | 5\% (27) | 8\% (40) | 2\% (9) | 4\% (23) | 2\% (10) | 32\% (171) | 538 |
| Non-Evangelical | 10\% (68) | 40\%(280) | 8\% (55) | 3\% (23) | 4\% (25) | 3\% (17) | 2\% (12) | 1\% (7) | 30\% (206) | 693 |
| Community: Urban | 10\% (60) | 25\% (147) | 9\% (53) | 8\% (44) | 6\% (33) | 2\% (13) | 6\% (32) | 3\% (16) | 31\% (179) | 577 |
| Community: Suburban | 10\% (89) | 37\%(334) | 8\% (72) | 4\% (32) | 5\% (49) | 2\% (18) | 2\% (16) | 1\% (12) | 32\% (287) | 907 |
| Community: Rural | 7\% (36) | 39\% (189) | 6\% (30) | 2\% (11) | 5\% (23) | 2\% (8) | 2\% (9) | 2\% (8) | 35\% (171) | 485 |
| Employ: Private Sector | 11\% (78) | 28\% (194) | 9\% (65) | 6\% (44) | 5\% (37) | 2\% (11) | 4\% (26) | 3\% (18) | 32\% (218) | 692 |
| Employ: Government | 6\% (8) | 25\% (31) | 12\% (15) | 8\% (9) | 13\% (17) | - (1) | 7\% (8) | 2\% (2) | 26\% (33) | 124 |
| Employ: Self-Employed | 15\% (27) | 27\% (47) | 6\% (11) | 6\% (11) | 6\% (10) | 3\% (5) | 4\% (8) | 3\% (6) | 30\% (52) | 177 |
| Employ: Homemaker | $4 \% \quad$ (5) | 17\% (22) | 7\% (8) | 6\% (7) | 6\% (8) | 5\% (6) | 1\% (1) | - (1) | 53\% (65) | 123 |
| Employ: Student | 12\% (6) | 19\% (10) | $14 \% \quad$ (7) | 6\% (3) | $3 \% \quad$ (2) | 6\% (3) | $1 \% \quad(1)$ | 11\% (6) | 27\% (14) | 53 |
| Employ: Retired | 8\% (45) | 54\%(304) | 6\% (35) | 1\% (8) | 4\% (21) | 1\% (8) | 1\% (6) | - (1) | 24\% (135) | 562 |
| Employ: Unemployed | 7\% (10) | 26\% (37) | 5\% (6) | 2\% (2) | 4\% (5) | 1\% (2) | $3 \% \quad$ (5) | - (1) | 51\% (72) | 140 |
| Employ: Other | 5\% (5) | 25\% (24) | 7\% (7) | 3\% (3) | 5\% (5) | 3\% (2) | $2 \% \quad(2)$ | 2\% (2) | 48\% (48) | 98 |
| Military HH: Yes | 9\% (27) | 46\% (137) | 11\% (33) | 3\% (9) | $3 \% \quad$ (9) | 2\% (7) | 4\% (11) | 2\% (6) | 20\% (61) | 299 |
| Military HH: No | 9\% (158) | $32 \%$ (532) | 7\% (123) | 5\% (79) | 6\% (95) | 2\% (31) | 3\% (46) | 2\% (30) | 34\% (576) | 1671 |

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| 2022 House Vote: Democrat | 10\% (83) | 36\% (310) | 8\% (70) | 6\% (51) | 5\% (43) | 3\% (22) | 3\% (29) | 2\% (15) | 27\%(236) | 858 |
| 2022 House Vote: Republican | 10\% (76) | 37\%(295) | 7\% (58) | 3\% (25) | 5\% (43) | 1\% (12) | 3\% (21) | 2\% (12) | 32\%(256) | 799 |
| 2022 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 9\% (24) | 20\% (56) | 9\% (25) | 3\% (10) | 6\% (17) | 2\% (4) | 2\% (7) | 3\% (8) | 47\% (132) | 284 |
| 2020 Vote: Joe Biden | 10\% (93) | 35\%(326) | 9\% (80) | 6\% (53) | 5\% (43) | 3\% (24) | 3\% (30) | 2\% (17) | 29\%(267) | 933 |
| 2020 Vote: Donald Trump | 9\% (77) | 36\%(308) | 7\% (60) | 3\% (23) | 6\% (49) | 1\% (11) | 3\% (21) | 2\% (16) | 34\%(287) | 852 |
| 2020 Vote: Didn't Vote | 7\% (11) | 17\% (26) | 9\% (14) | 8\% (12) | 7\% (10) | 2\% (3) | 2\% (4) | 2\% (2) | 46\% (69) | 151 |
| 2018 House Vote: Democrat | 9\% (73) | 36\%(278) | 8\% (66) | 6\% (47) | 5\% (41) | 2\% (19) | 3\% (24) | 2\% (15) | 28\% (218) | 781 |
| 2018 House Vote: Republican | 9\% (65) | 39\%(279) | 8\% (57) | 3\% (24) | 5\% (35) | 1\% (9) | 2\% (18) | 2\% (11) | 30\% (212) | 710 |
| 2018 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 9\% (40) | 23\% (104) | 7\% (32) | 4\% (16) | 6\% (27) | 2\% (10) | 3\% (15) | $2 \% \quad$ (9) | 44\% (196) | 448 |
| 4-Region: Northeast | 7\% (26) | 35\% (123) | 8\% (29) | 7\% (23) | 4\% (13) | - (2) | $3 \% \quad$ (9) | $1 \%$ (3) | 35\% (121) | 348 |
| 4-Region: Midwest | 8\% (37) | 41\% (178) | 8\% (36) | 4\% (16) | 4\% (18) | 2\% (7) | 3\% (13) | 1\% (4) | 29\% (129) | 438 |
| 4-Region: South | 10\% (75) | 32\% (233) | 6\% (48) | 3\% (19) | 5\% (37) | 2\% (18) | 2\% (18) | 3\% (22) | 36\%(265) | 735 |
| 4-Region: West | 11\% (48) | 30\% (135) | 10\% (43) | 7\% (30) | 8\% (36) | 3\% (12) | 4\% (17) | 2\% (7) | 27\% (122) | 449 |

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| Registered Voters | 26\% | (508) | 41\% | (801) | 17\% | (336) | 16\% | (325) | 1970 |
| Gender: Male | 34\% | (311) | 42\% | (386) | 15\% | (134) | 10\% | (95) | 926 |
| Gender: Female | 19\% | (196) | 40\% | (413) | 19\% | (201) | 22\% | (229) | 1039 |
| Age: 18-34 | 19\% | (97) | 37\% | (190) | 19\% | (95) | 25\% | (126) | 507 |
| Age: 35-44 | 24\% | (72) | 40\% | (122) | 20\% | (61) | 16\% | (47) | 303 |
| Age: 45-64 | 26\% | (173) | 42\% | (283) | 17\% | (112) | 15\% | (102) | 670 |
| Age: 65+ | 34\% | (166) | 42\% | (206) | 14\% | (68) | 10\% | (50) | 490 |
| GenZers: 1997-2012 | 9\% | (14) | 45\% | (70) | 19\% | (29) | 27\% | (42) | 155 |
| Millennials: 1981-1996 | 24\% | (146) | 37\% | (224) | 18\% | (108) | 20\% | (119) | 598 |
| GenXers: 1965-1980 | 22\% | (102) | 40\% | (188) | 19\% | (89) | 19\% | (89) | 467 |
| Baby Boomers: 1946-1964 | 32\% | (225) | 43\% | (303) | 14\% | (100) | 11\% | (74) | 703 |
| PID: Dem (no lean) | 31\% | (254) | 39\% | (320) | 15\% | (120) | 16\% | (130) | 824 |
| PID: Ind (no lean) | 22\% | (90) | 41\% | (167) | 18\% | (72) | 18\% | (74) | 404 |
| PID: Rep (no lean) | 22\% | (163) | 42\% | (314) | 19\% | (144) | 16\% | (121) | 742 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Men | 41\% | (161) | 35\% | (137) | 13\% | (52) | 11\% | (42) | 391 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Women | 22\% | (93) | 42\% | (182) | 16\% | (68) | 20\% | (86) | 430 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Men | 28\% | (57) | 46\% | (94) | 15\% | (32) | 11\% | (23) | 207 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Women | 16\% | (31) | 37\% | (73) | 21\% | (40) | 26\% | (51) | 195 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Men | 28\% | (92) | 47\% | (155) | 16\% | (51) | 9\% | (30) | 328 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Women | 17\% | (71) | 38\% | (158) | 23\% | (93) | 22\% | (91) | 414 |
| Ideo: Liberal (1-3) | 34\% | (186) | 41\% | (229) | 12\% | (68) | 13\% | (71) | 555 |
| Ideo: Moderate (4) | 20\% | (116) | 40\% | (231) | 22\% | (126) | 18\% | (103) | 576 |
| Ideo: Conservative (5-7) | 26\% | (199) | 43\% | (331) | 17\% | (130) | 14\% | (106) | 767 |
| Educ: < College | 21\% | (248) | 39\% | (460) | 18\% | (219) | 22\% | (262) | 1189 |
| Educ: Bachelors degree | 28\% | (139) | 46\% | (225) | 16\% | (78) | 10\% | (52) | 494 |
| Educ: Post-grad | 42\% | (121) | 40\% | (116) | 14\% | (39) | 4\% | (11) | 286 |
| Income: Under 50k | 22\% | (182) | 37\% | (304) | 19\% | (160) | 22\% | (186) | 832 |
| Income: 50k-100k | 26\% | (184) | 45\% | (316) | 16\% | (110) | 14\% | (97) | 707 |
| Income: 100k+ | 33\% | (142) | 42\% | (182) | 15\% | (66) | 10\% | (42) | 431 |
| Ethnicity: White | 27\% | (416) | 42\% | (635) | 16\% | (242) | 15\% | (235) | 1527 |
| Ethnicity: Hispanic | 26\% | (57) | 40\% | (87) | 17\% | (36) | 18\% | (39) | 219 |
| Ethnicity: Black | 21\% | (52) | 36\% | (90) | 20\% | (49) | 24\% | (59) | 249 |

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| Ethnicity: Other | 21\% | (41) | 40\% | (77) | 23\% | (45) | 16\% | (31) | 194 |
| All Christian | 28\% | (280) | 44\% | (431) | 17\% | (171) | 11\% | (109) | 991 |
| All Non-Christian | 38\% | (72) | 39\% | (75) | 12\% | (24) | 10\% | (20) | 190 |
| Atheist | 16\% | (9) | 38\% | (22) | 21\% | (12) | 25\% | (14) | 56 |
| Agnostic/Nothing in particular | 23\% | (102) | 36\% | (162) | 16\% | (73) | 24\% | (109) | 446 |
| Something Else | 16\% | (45) | 39\% | (112) | 20\% | (57) | 25\% | (73) | 286 |
| Religious Non-Protestant/Catholic | 36\% | (75) | 39\% | (82) | 14\% | (29) | 12\% | (26) | 212 |
| Evangelical | 22\% | (121) | 43\% | (230) | 20\% | (105) | 15\% | (82) | 538 |
| Non-Evangelical | 28\% | (192) | 42\% | (294) | 17\% | (116) | 13\% | (90) | 693 |
| Community: Urban | $31 \%$ | (180) | 38\% | (219) | 16\% | (91) | 15\% | (87) | 577 |
| Community: Suburban | 25\% | (228) | 43\% | (387) | 17\% | (153) | 15\% | (140) | 907 |
| Community: Rural | 21\% | (100) | 40\% | (196) | 19\% | (93) | 20\% | (97) | 485 |
| Employ: Private Sector | 26\% | (180) | 43\% | (299) | 16\% | (114) | 14\% | (99) | 692 |
| Employ: Government | 23\% | (29) | 43\% | (53) | 22\% | (28) | 11\% | (14) | 124 |
| Employ: Self-Employed | 31\% | (56) | 37\% | (65) | 18\% | (33) | 13\% | (24) | 177 |
| Employ: Homemaker | 9\% | (11) | 38\% | (47) | 27\% | (33) | 26\% | (32) | 123 |
| Employ: Student | 10\% | (5) | 47\% | (25) | 16\% | (8) | 27\% | (14) | 53 |
| Employ: Retired | 33\% | (186) | 42\% | (236) | 14\% | (78) | 11\% | (61) | 562 |
| Employ: Unemployed | 17\% | (23) | 31\% | (44) | 17\% | (24) | $36 \%$ | (50) | 140 |
| Employ: Other | 17\% | (17) | 33\% | (32) | 19\% | (19) | $31 \%$ | (31) | 98 |
| Military HH: Yes | 28\% | (84) | 48\% | (144) | 12\% | (36) | 12\% | (35) | 299 |
| Military HH: No | 25\% | (424) | 39\% | (657) | 18\% | (300) | 17\% | (289) | 1671 |
| 2022 House Vote: Democrat | 32\% | (272) | 41\% | (348) | 15\% | (132) | 12\% | (106) | 858 |
| 2022 House Vote: Republican | 25\% | (197) | 43\% | (347) | 18\% | (142) | 14\% | (114) | 799 |
| 2022 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 13\% | (37) | $33 \%$ | (93) | 20\% | (57) | 34\% | (96) | 284 |
| 2020 Vote: Joe Biden | 31\% | (290) | 40\% | (374) | 15\% | (144) | 13\% | (125) | 933 |
| 2020 Vote: Donald Trump | 22\% | (191) | 42\% | (361) | 18\% | (156) | 17\% | (144) | 852 |
| 2020 Vote: Didn't Vote | 12\% | (18) | 37\% | (56) | 20\% | (31) | $31 \%$ | (46) | 151 |
| 2018 House Vote: Democrat | 32\% | (251) | 40\% | (313) | 16\% | (122) | 12\% | (95) | 781 |
| 2018 House Vote: Republican | 26\% | (183) | 44\% | (315) | 18\% | (128) | 12\% | (84) | 710 |
| 2018 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 16\% | (70) | 37\% | (163) | 18\% | (79) | 30\% | (134) | 448 |

[^4]Table MCFI2_1: How much have you seen, read, or heard about the following?
The upcoming deadline to prevent the U.S. from defaulting on its own debt by increasing the debt ceiling

| Demographic | A lot |  | Some |  | Not much |  | Nothing at all |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Registered Voters | $26 \%$ | $(508)$ | $41 \%$ | $(801)$ | $17 \%$ | $(336)$ | $16 \%$ | $(325)$ |
| 4-Region: Northeast | $28 \%$ | $(98)$ | $43 \%$ | $(149)$ | $16 \%$ | $(55)$ | $13 \%$ | $(46)$ |
| 4-Region: Midwest | $27 \%$ | $(117)$ | $42 \%$ | $(184)$ | $14 \%$ | $(63)$ | $17 \%$ | $(75)$ |
| 4-Region: South | $22 \%$ | $(162)$ | $40 \%$ | $(292)$ | $19 \%$ | $(140)$ | $19 \%$ | $(141)$ |
| 4-Region: West | $29 \%$ | $(131)$ | $39 \%$ | $(177)$ | $17 \%$ | $(78)$ | $14 \%$ | $(63)$ |

[^5]Table MCFI2_2: How much have you seen, read, or heard about the following?
The estimated deadline or 'X-date' - when the United States Treasury estimates that the U.S. may default on its debt — being moved from July to June

| Demographic | A lot |  | Some |  | Not much |  | Nothing at all |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 17\% | (336) | 33\% | (643) | 23\% | (445) | 28\% | (546) | 1970 |
| Gender: Male | 22\% | (207) | 38\% | (353) | 20\% | (190) | 19\% | (176) | 926 |
| Gender: Female | 12\% | (128) | 28\% | (288) | 25\% | (255) | 35\% | (369) | 1039 |
| Age: 18-34 | 15\% | (78) | 28\% | (144) | 23\% | (119) | 33\% | (166) | 507 |
| Age: 35-44 | 19\% | (57) | 31\% | (95) | 27\% | (81) | 23\% | (70) | 303 |
| Age: 45-64 | 16\% | (106) | 36\% | (241) | 23\% | (152) | 25\% | (170) | 670 |
| Age: 65+ | 19\% | (96) | 33\% | (163) | 19\% | (93) | 28\% | (139) | 490 |
| GenZers: 1997-2012 | 8\% | (12) | 28\% | (43) | 22\% | (34) | 43\% | (66) | 155 |
| Millennials: 1981-1996 | 19\% | (116) | 31\% | (184) | 24\% | (142) | 26\% | (156) | 598 |
| GenXers: 1965-1980 | 13\% | (60) | 33\% | (153) | 26\% | (121) | 29\% | (134) | 467 |
| Baby Boomers: 1946-1964 | 20\% | (138) | 35\% | (248) | 20\% | (138) | 25\% | (179) | 703 |
| PID: Dem (no lean) | 21\% | (169) | 32\% | (267) | 22\% | (178) | 26\% | (210) | 824 |
| PID: Ind (no lean) | 13\% | (52) | 31\% | (125) | 23\% | (93) | 33\% | (135) | 404 |
| PID: Rep (no lean) | 16\% | (115) | 34\% | (251) | 23\% | (174) | 27\% | (201) | 742 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Men | 28\% | (109) | 36\% | (141) | 19\% | (74) | 17\% | (67) | 391 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Women | 14\% | (60) | 29\% | (125) | 24\% | (103) | 33\% | (142) | 430 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Men | 17\% | (35) | 41\% | (84) | 20\% | (42) | 22\% | (46) | 207 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Women | 8\% | (16) | 20\% | (39) | 26\% | (51) | 46\% | (89) | 195 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Men | 19\% | (63) | 39\% | (128) | 22\% | (73) | 19\% | (63) | 328 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Women | 12\% | (52) | 30\% | (123) | 24\% | (101) | 33\% | (138) | 414 |
| Ideo: Liberal (1-3) | 20\% | (111) | 35\% | (192) | $21 \%$ | (119) | 24\% | (133) | 555 |
| Ideo: Moderate (4) | 15\% | (86) | $31 \%$ | (178) | 26\% | (150) | 28\% | (162) | 576 |
| Ideo: Conservative (5-7) | 18\% | (138) | 34\% | (264) | 21\% | (163) | 26\% | (202) | 767 |
| Educ: < College | 14\% | (170) | 28\% | (339) | 22\% | (262) | 35\% | (420) | 1189 |
| Educ: Bachelors degree | 18\% | (88) | 39\% | (191) | 24\% | (117) | 20\% | (98) | 494 |
| Educ: Post-grad | 27\% | (78) | 40\% | (114) | 23\% | (66) | 10\% | (28) | 286 |
| Income: Under 50k | 14\% | (116) | 28\% | (237) | 22\% | (181) | 36\% | (298) | 832 |
| Income: 50k-100k | 17\% | (123) | 37\% | (260) | 24\% | (171) | 22\% | (152) | 707 |
| Income: 100k+ | 22\% | (97) | $34 \%$ | (146) | 21\% | (92) | 22\% | (95) | 431 |
| Ethnicity: White | 17\% | (255) | 34\% | (516) | 22\% | (338) | 27\% | (418) | 1527 |
| Ethnicity: Hispanic | 15\% | (34) | 36\% | (80) | 21\% | (46) | 27\% | (60) | 219 |
| Ethnicity: Black | 18\% | (45) | 27\% | (67) | 23\% | (56) | $32 \%$ | (81) | 249 |

[^6]Table MCFI2_2: How much have you seen, read, or heard about the following?
The estimated deadline or 'X-date' - when the United States Treasury estimates that the U.S. may default on its debt - being moved from July to June

| Demographic | A lot |  | Some |  | Not much |  | Nothing at all |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 17\% | (336) | $33 \%$ | (643) | 23\% | (445) | 28\% | (546) | 1970 |
| Ethnicity: Other | 18\% | (36) | 31\% | (60) | 26\% | (51) | 24\% | (47) | 194 |
| All Christian | 19\% | (191) | 35\% | (350) | 23\% | (227) | 23\% | (223) | 991 |
| All Non-Christian | 25\% | (48) | 36\% | (68) | 16\% | (31) | 23\% | (43) | 190 |
| Atheist | 13\% | (8) | 23\% | (13) | 21\% | (12) | 43\% | (24) | 56 |
| Agnostic/Nothing in particular | 14\% | (61) | 28\% | (126) | 25\% | (109) | 33\% | (149) | 446 |
| Something Else | 10\% | (28) | 30\% | (86) | 23\% | (67) | 37\% | (106) | 286 |
| Religious Non-Protestant/Catholic | 23\% | (49) | 36\% | (77) | 17\% | (35) | 24\% | (50) | 212 |
| Evangelical | 18\% | (95) | 33\% | (175) | 21\% | (114) | 28\% | (153) | 538 |
| Non-Evangelical | 17\% | (117) | 35\% | (243) | 24\% | (166) | 24\% | (168) | 693 |
| Community: Urban | 19\% | (112) | 36\% | (210) | 22\% | (128) | 22\% | (128) | 577 |
| Community: Suburban | 16\% | (149) | $31 \%$ | (281) | 24\% | (221) | 28\% | (257) | 907 |
| Community: Rural | 15\% | (75) | $31 \%$ | (152) | 20\% | (97) | 33\% | (162) | 485 |
| Employ: Private Sector | 18\% | (123) | 35\% | (239) | 23\% | (161) | 24\% | (169) | 692 |
| Employ: Government | 18\% | (23) | 34\% | (42) | 27\% | (33) | 21\% | (26) | 124 |
| Employ: Self-Employed | 18\% | (32) | 34\% | (60) | 25\% | (45) | 23\% | (40) | 177 |
| Employ: Homemaker | 7\% | (9) | 28\% | (34) | 26\% | (32) | 40\% | (49) | 123 |
| Employ: Student | 8\% | (4) | 30\% | (16) | 26\% | (14) | 36\% | (19) | 53 |
| Employ: Retired | 20\% | (112) | 35\% | (198) | 20\% | (110) | 25\% | (142) | 562 |
| Employ: Unemployed | 13\% | (19) | 23\% | (32) | 21\% | (29) | 43\% | (60) | 140 |
| Employ: Other | 14\% | (14) | $21 \%$ | (20) | 23\% | (23) | 42\% | (41) | 98 |
| Military HH: Yes | 20\% | (59) | 35\% | (105) | 19\% | (56) | 26\% | (79) | 299 |
| Military HH: No | 17\% | (277) | 32\% | (538) | 23\% | (389) | 28\% | (467) | 1671 |
| 2022 House Vote: Democrat | 21\% | (179) | 34\% | (291) | 23\% | (194) | 23\% | (195) | 858 |
| 2022 House Vote: Republican | 15\% | (124) | 35\% | (281) | 24\% | (193) | 25\% | (201) | 799 |
| 2022 House Vote: Didnt Vote | $11 \%$ | (31) | 23\% | (64) | 18\% | (50) | 49\% | (139) | 284 |
| 2020 Vote: Joe Biden | 20\% | (187) | 32\% | (303) | 23\% | (212) | 25\% | (231) | 933 |
| 2020 Vote: Donald Trump | 15\% | (129) | 34\% | (289) | 22\% | (190) | 29\% | (243) | 852 |
| 2020 Vote: Didn't Vote | 10\% | (15) | 29\% | (43) | 23\% | (35) | 38\% | (58) | 151 |
| 2018 House Vote: Democrat | 22\% | (169) | 33\% | (261) | 23\% | (179) | 22\% | (172) | 781 |
| 2018 House Vote: Republican | 16\% | (115) | 38\% | (266) | 23\% | (164) | 23\% | (164) | 710 |
| 2018 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 11\% | (49) | 25\% | (111) | 21\% | (93) | 43\% | (194) | 448 |

[^7]Table MCFI2_2: How much have you seen, read, or heard about the following?
The estimated deadline or 'X-date' - when the United States Treasury estimates that the U.S. may default on its debt - being moved from July to June

| Demographic | A lot |  | Some |  | Not much |  | Nothing at all |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Registered Voters | $17 \%$ | $(336)$ | $33 \%$ | $(643)$ | $23 \%$ | $(445)$ | $28 \%$ | $(546)$ | $(82)$ |
| 4-Region: Northeast | $18 \%$ | $(62)$ | $35 \%$ | $(122)$ | $24 \%$ | $(83)$ | $23 \%$ | $(122)$ |  |
| 4-Region: Midwest | $17 \%$ | $(76)$ | $31 \%$ | $(135)$ | $24 \%$ | $(105)$ | $28 \%$ | $(235)$ | 348 |
| 4-Region: South | $14 \%$ | $(105)$ | $33 \%$ | $(239)$ | $21 \%$ | $(156)$ | $32 \%$ | $(230$ | 438 |
| 4-Region: West | $21 \%$ | $(93)$ | $33 \%$ | $(147)$ | $23 \%$ | $(101)$ | $24 \%$ | $(107)$ | 735 |

[^8]Table MCFI2_3: How much have you seen, read, or heard about the following?
Republicans in Congress introducing the Limit, Grow, Save act that would raise the debt ceiling, but also cut current spending by trillions and limit funding in the future

| Demographic | A lot |  | Some |  | Not much |  | Nothing at all |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 20\% | (395) | $34 \%$ | (673) | 21\% | (420) | 24\% | (482) | 1970 |
| Gender: Male | 28\% | (261) | $38 \%$ | (349) | 20\% | (185) | 14\% | (131) | 926 |
| Gender: Female | 13\% | (133) | 31\% | (320) | 23\% | (235) | 34\% | (350) | 1039 |
| Age: 18-34 | 19\% | (99) | 27\% | (139) | 23\% | (117) | 30\% | (152) | 507 |
| Age: 35-44 | 18\% | (53) | 33\% | (101) | 22\% | (68) | 27\% | (80) | 303 |
| Age: 45-64 | 20\% | (135) | 34\% | (227) | 23\% | (153) | 23\% | (155) | 670 |
| Age: 65+ | 22\% | (108) | 42\% | (206) | 17\% | (82) | 19\% | (95) | 490 |
| GenZers: 1997-2012 | 13\% | (20) | 25\% | (39) | 28\% | (43) | 34\% | (52) | 155 |
| Millennials: 1981-1996 | 21\% | (127) | 31\% | (188) | 20\% | (121) | 27\% | (162) | 598 |
| GenXers: 1965-1980 | 17\% | (79) | 30\% | (141) | 24\% | (112) | 29\% | (136) | 467 |
| Baby Boomers: 1946-1964 | 22\% | (152) | 41\% | (289) | 19\% | (135) | 18\% | (128) | 703 |
| PID: Dem (no lean) | 22\% | (180) | 35\% | (286) | 20\% | (167) | 23\% | (192) | 824 |
| PID: Ind (no lean) | 16\% | (66) | $31 \%$ | (126) | 24\% | (95) | 29\% | (117) | 404 |
| PID: Rep (no lean) | 20\% | (150) | 35\% | (261) | $21 \%$ | (158) | 23\% | (173) | 742 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Men | $31 \%$ | (122) | 36\% | (143) | 18\% | (71) | 14\% | (56) | 391 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Women | 13\% | (58) | 33\% | (142) | 22\% | (96) | $31 \%$ | (135) | 430 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Men | 24\% | (49) | 35\% | (72) | 22\% | (46) | 19\% | (39) | 207 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Women | 8\% | (16) | 26\% | (52) | 25\% | (49) | 40\% | (79) | 195 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Men | 27\% | (90) | 41\% | (134) | 21\% | (67) | 11\% | (37) | 328 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Women | 14\% | (60) | $31 \%$ | (127) | 22\% | (90) | 33\% | (137) | 414 |
| Ideo: Liberal (1-3) | 22\% | (124) | 36\% | (202) | 19\% | (106) | 22\% | (123) | 555 |
| Ideo: Moderate (4) | 16\% | (92) | 30\% | (175) | 27\% | (154) | 27\% | (155) | 576 |
| Ideo: Conservative (5-7) | 23\% | (175) | 37\% | (287) | 19\% | (149) | 20\% | (156) | 767 |
| Educ: < College | 17\% | (197) | 31\% | (371) | 22\% | (256) | $31 \%$ | (365) | 1189 |
| Educ: Bachelors degree | 22\% | (109) | 37\% | (182) | 25\% | (123) | 16\% | (80) | 494 |
| Educ: Post-grad | $31 \%$ | (89) | 42\% | (120) | 14\% | (40) | 13\% | (37) | 286 |
| Income: Under 50k | 16\% | (137) | 30\% | (250) | 23\% | (192) | 30\% | (253) | 832 |
| Income: 50k-100k | 21\% | (146) | 35\% | (250) | 23\% | (163) | $21 \%$ | (148) | 707 |
| Income: 100k+ | 26\% | (113) | 40\% | (173) | 15\% | (65) | 19\% | (81) | 431 |
| Ethnicity: White | 20\% | (312) | 35\% | (533) | 21\% | (316) | 24\% | (367) | 1527 |
| Ethnicity: Hispanic | 18\% | (40) | 35\% | (76) | 19\% | (42) | 27\% | (60) | 219 |

[^9]Table MCFI2_3: How much have you seen, read, or heard about the following?
Republicans in Congress introducing the Limit, Grow, Save act that would raise the debt ceiling, but also cut current spending by trillions and limit funding in the future

| Demographic | A lot |  | Some |  | Not much |  | Nothing at all |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 20\% | (395) | $34 \%$ | (673) | 21\% | (420) | 24\% | (482) | 1970 |
| Ethnicity: Black | 19\% | (48) | 31\% | (77) | 20\% | (51) | 29\% | (73) | 249 |
| Ethnicity: Other | 18\% | (36) | $32 \%$ | (63) | 28\% | (54) | 22\% | (42) | 194 |
| All Christian | 22\% | (218) | 38\% | (373) | 20\% | (200) | 20\% | (200) | 991 |
| All Non-Christian | 29\% | (55) | 38\% | (72) | 19\% | (36) | 14\% | (27) | 190 |
| Atheist | 17\% | (10) | 23\% | (13) | 22\% | (12) | 38\% | (21) | 56 |
| Agnostic/Nothing in particular | 15\% | (66) | 29\% | (131) | 26\% | (115) | 30\% | (134) | 446 |
| Something Else | 16\% | (47) | 29\% | (83) | 20\% | (56) | 35\% | (100) | 286 |
| Religious Non-Protestant/Catholic | 28\% | (60) | 37\% | (78) | 18\% | (37) | 17\% | (37) | 212 |
| Evangelical | 23\% | (124) | 35\% | (189) | 18\% | (99) | 23\% | (126) | 538 |
| Non-Evangelical | 19\% | (130) | 37\% | (255) | 22\% | (150) | 23\% | (157) | 693 |
| Community: Urban | 25\% | (143) | 35\% | (201) | 19\% | (107) | 22\% | (126) | 577 |
| Community: Suburban | 19\% | (176) | 33\% | (296) | 25\% | (225) | 23\% | (210) | 907 |
| Community: Rural | 16\% | (76) | 36\% | (175) | 18\% | (88) | 30\% | (146) | 485 |
| Employ: Private Sector | 21\% | (148) | 34\% | (235) | 24\% | (163) | 21\% | (146) | 692 |
| Employ: Government | 21\% | (26) | 41\% | (51) | 20\% | (25) | 18\% | (23) | 124 |
| Employ: Self-Employed | 20\% | (35) | $31 \%$ | (55) | 25\% | (45) | 24\% | (42) | 177 |
| Employ: Homemaker | 8\% | (10) | 28\% | (35) | 26\% | (32) | 38\% | (47) | 123 |
| Employ: Student | 7\% | (4) | 34\% | (18) | 24\% | (13) | 35\% | (18) | 53 |
| Employ: Retired | 24\% | (136) | 39\% | (217) | 18\% | (100) | 19\% | (109) | 562 |
| Employ: Unemployed | 17\% | (24) | 23\% | (32) | 18\% | (25) | 43\% | (60) | 140 |
| Employ: Other | 13\% | (13) | 30\% | (30) | 18\% | (18) | 39\% | (38) | 98 |
| Military HH: Yes | 25\% | (74) | 41\% | (124) | 16\% | (49) | 18\% | (53) | 299 |
| Military HH: No | 19\% | (321) | 33\% | (549) | 22\% | (371) | 26\% | (430) | 1671 |
| 2022 House Vote: Democrat | 23\% | (195) | 35\% | (302) | 21\% | (182) | 21\% | (179) | 858 |
| 2022 House Vote: Republican | 21\% | (171) | 35\% | (282) | 22\% | (173) | 22\% | (172) | 799 |
| 2022 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 9\% | (26) | 28\% | (80) | 20\% | (58) | 43\% | (121) | 284 |
| 2020 Vote: Joe Biden | 22\% | (203) | 36\% | (331) | 20\% | (190) | 22\% | (208) | 933 |
| 2020 Vote: Donald Trump | 20\% | (173) | 34\% | (288) | 21\% | (180) | 25\% | (211) | 852 |
| 2020 Vote: Didn't Vote | 8\% | (13) | 30\% | (45) | 27\% | (41) | 35\% | (53) | 151 |

[^10]Table MCFI2_3: How much have you seen, read, or heard about the following?
Republicans in Congress introducing the Limit, Grow, Save act that would raise the debt ceiling, but also cut current spending by trillions and limit funding in the future

| Demographic | A lot |  | Some |  | Not much | Nothing at all |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Registered Voters | $20 \%$ | $(395)$ | $34 \%$ | $(673)$ | $21 \%$ | $(420)$ | $24 \%$ | $(482)$ |
| 2018 House Vote: Democrat | $25 \%$ | $(193)$ | $35 \%$ | $(274)$ | $21 \%$ | $(161)$ | $20 \%$ | $(154)$ |
| 2018 House Vote: Republican | $22 \%$ | $(156)$ | $39 \%$ | $(275)$ | $20 \%$ | $(144)$ | $19 \%$ | $(134)$ |
| 2018 House Vote: Didnt Vote | $10 \%$ | $(43)$ | $26 \%$ | $(117)$ | $24 \%$ | $(109)$ | $40 \%$ | $(178)$ |
| 4-Region: Northeast | $20 \%$ | $(69)$ | $39 \%$ | $(136)$ | $20 \%$ | $(69)$ | $21 \%$ | $(74)$ |
| 4-Region: Midwest | $20 \%$ | $(88)$ | $31 \%$ | $(137)$ | $24 \%$ | $(106)$ | $24 \%$ | $(107)$ |
| 4-Region: South | $20 \%$ | $(148)$ | $32 \%$ | $(236)$ | $20 \%$ | $(145)$ | $28 \%$ | $(207)$ |
| 4-Region: West | $20 \%$ | $(91)$ | $36 \%$ | $(163)$ | $22 \%$ | $(100)$ | $21 \%$ | $(95)$ |

[^11]Table MCFI3: Which best describes your knowledge of the U.S. national debt ceiling?

| Demographic | I have never heard of it |  | I have heard of it, but I don't understand it |  | I have heard of it, and I somewhat understand it |  | I have heard of it, and I fully understand it |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 9\% | (187) | 25\% | (483) | 49\% | (959) | 17\% | (342) | 1970 |
| Gender: Male | 7\% | (64) | 16\% | (144) | 53\% | (489) | 25\% | (229) | 926 |
| Gender: Female | 12\% | (123) | 32\% | (337) | 45\% | (466) | 11\% | (112) | 1039 |
| Age: 18-34 | 18\% | (89) | 27\% | (137) | 40\% | (203) | 15\% | (78) | 507 |
| Age: 35-44 | 16\% | (47) | 27\% | (82) | 38\% | (115) | 19\% | (59) | 303 |
| Age: 45-64 | 6\% | (40) | 24\% | (163) | 54\% | (361) | 16\% | (106) | 670 |
| Age: 65+ | 2\% | (10) | 20\% | (100) | 57\% | (280) | 20\% | (99) | 490 |
| GenZers: 1997-2012 | 17\% | (26) | 34\% | (53) | 40\% | (62) | 9\% | (14) | 155 |
| Millennials: 1981-1996 | 17\% | (101) | 25\% | (148) | 39\% | (233) | 19\% | (115) | 598 |
| GenXers: 1965-1980 | 9\% | (41) | 29\% | (135) | 47\% | (218) | 16\% | (74) | 467 |
| Baby Boomers: 1946-1964 | 3\% | (18) | 20\% | (139) | 59\% | (417) | 18\% | (128) | 703 |
| PID: Dem (no lean) | 10\% | (86) | 24\% | (195) | 47\% | (383) | 19\% | (159) | 824 |
| PID: Ind (no lean) | 8\% | (32) | 26\% | (106) | $51 \%$ | (207) | 15\% | (60) | 404 |
| PID: Rep (no lean) | 9\% | (69) | 24\% | (182) | 50\% | (369) | 17\% | (123) | 742 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Men | 9\% | (35) | 16\% | (64) | 47\% | (184) | 28\% | (108) | 391 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Women | 12\% | (51) | 30\% | (130) | 46\% | (198) | 12\% | (51) | 430 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Men | 3\% | (6) | 19\% | (39) | 58\% | (120) | 20\% | (42) | 207 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Women | 13\% | (26) | 34\% | (67) | 43\% | (85) | 9\% | (17) | 195 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Men | 7\% | (23) | 13\% | (41) | 57\% | (185) | 24\% | (78) | 328 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Women | 11\% | (46) | 34\% | (140) | 44\% | (183) | 11\% | (44) | 414 |
| Ideo: Liberal (1-3) | 7\% | (38) | 22\% | (124) | 50\% | (278) | 21\% | (115) | 555 |
| Ideo: Moderate (4) | 11\% | (63) | 30\% | (175) | 46\% | (267) | 12\% | (71) | 576 |
| Ideo: Conservative (5-7) | 8\% | (61) | 20\% | (156) | 52\% | (399) | 20\% | (151) | 767 |
| Educ: < College | 13\% | (151) | 28\% | (334) | 46\% | (548) | 13\% | (156) | 1189 |
| Educ: Bachelors degree | 4\% | (21) | 22\% | (111) | 56\% | (279) | 17\% | (84) | 494 |
| Educ: Post-grad | 5\% | (14) | 13\% | (38) | 46\% | (132) | 36\% | (102) | 286 |
| Income: Under 50k | 14\% | (115) | 29\% | (245) | 45\% | (375) | 12\% | (97) | 832 |
| Income: 50k-100k | 6\% | (44) | 22\% | (155) | 54\% | (381) | 18\% | (127) | 707 |
| Income: 100k+ | 6\% | (27) | 19\% | (83) | 47\% | (203) | 27\% | (118) | 431 |
| Ethnicity: White | 8\% | (122) | 24\% | (370) | 49\% | (749) | 19\% | (286) | 1527 |
| Ethnicity: Hispanic | 13\% | (28) | 23\% | (50) | 44\% | (97) | 20\% | (44) | 219 |

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Table MCFI3: Which best describes your knowledge of the U.S. national debt ceiling?

| Demographic | I have never heard of it |  | I have heard of it, but I don't understand it |  | I have heard of it, and I somewhat understand it |  | I have heard of it, and I fully understand it |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 9\% | (187) | 25\% | (483) | 49\% | (959) | 17\% | (342) | 1970 |
| Ethnicity: Black | 17\% | (42) | 27\% | (68) | 41\% | (103) | 15\% | (37) | 249 |
| Ethnicity: Other | 12\% | (23) | 23\% | (45) | 55\% | (106) | 10\% | (19) | 194 |
| All Christian | 6\% | (55) | 23\% | (227) | 52\% | (514) | 20\% | (195) | 991 |
| All Non-Christian | 12\% | (24) | 18\% | (33) | 39\% | (75) | $31 \%$ | (58) | 190 |
| Atheist | 17\% | (10) | 25\% | (14) | 48\% | (27) | 10\% | (6) | 56 |
| Agnostic/Nothing in particular | 14\% | (63) | 26\% | (117) | 50\% | (222) | 10\% | (45) | 446 |
| Something Else | 12\% | (36) | 32\% | (91) | 42\% | (121) | 13\% | (38) | 286 |
| Religious Non-Protestant/Catholic | $11 \%$ | (24) | 20\% | (43) | 40\% | (85) | 29\% | (61) | 212 |
| Evangelical | 8\% | (43) | 25\% | (136) | 45\% | (244) | 21\% | (115) | 538 |
| Non-Evangelical | 7\% | (47) | 24\% | (166) | 53\% | (371) | 16\% | (110) | 693 |
| Community: Urban | 11\% | (64) | 23\% | (135) | 41\% | (239) | 24\% | (139) | 577 |
| Community: Suburban | 7\% | (67) | 25\% | (224) | 53\% | (478) | 15\% | (139) | 907 |
| Community: Rural | $11 \%$ | (56) | 26\% | (124) | 50\% | (242) | 13\% | (64) | 485 |
| Employ: Private Sector | 8\% | (54) | 24\% | (164) | 45\% | (310) | 24\% | (164) | 692 |
| Employ: Government | 13\% | (16) | 25\% | (31) | 44\% | (55) | 18\% | (22) | 124 |
| Employ: Self-Employed | $11 \%$ | (20) | 18\% | (32) | 49\% | (86) | 22\% | (39) | 177 |
| Employ: Homemaker | 15\% | (18) | 40\% | (49) | 37\% | (46) | 8\% | (10) | 123 |
| Employ: Student | $3 \%$ | (2) | 30\% | (16) | 60\% | (32) | 7\% | (4) | 53 |
| Employ: Retired | $3 \%$ | (18) | 20\% | (112) | 62\% | (348) | 15\% | (84) | 562 |
| Employ: Unemployed | 30\% | (42) | 31\% | (43) | 32\% | (45) | 7\% | (9) | 140 |
| Employ: Other | 17\% | (16) | 36\% | (36) | 37\% | (37) | 10\% | (10) | 98 |
| Military HH: Yes | 5\% | (16) | 23\% | (70) | 49\% | (147) | 22\% | (67) | 299 |
| Military HH: No | 10\% | (171) | 25\% | (413) | 49\% | (812) | 16\% | (274) | 1671 |
| 2022 House Vote: Democrat | 8\% | (69) | 23\% | (193) | 50\% | (431) | 19\% | (165) | 858 |
| 2022 House Vote: Republican | 8\% | (63) | 23\% | (181) | $51 \%$ | (409) | 18\% | (145) | 799 |
| 2022 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 18\% | (52) | 35\% | (99) | 37\% | (105) | 10\% | (28) | 284 |
| 2020 Vote: Joe Biden | 9\% | (85) | 23\% | (212) | 50\% | (467) | 18\% | (168) | 933 |
| 2020 Vote: Donald Trump | 8\% | (69) | 25\% | (215) | 49\% | (419) | 17\% | (149) | 852 |
| 2020 Vote: Didn't Vote | 20\% | (30) | $31 \%$ | (47) | 37\% | (55) | 12\% | (18) | 151 |

[^12]Table MCFI3: Which best describes your knowledge of the U.S. national debt ceiling?

| Demographic | I have never heard of it |  | I have heard of it, but I don't understand it |  | I have heard of it, and I somewhat understand it |  | I have heard of it, and I fully understand it |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 9\% | (187) | 25\% | (483) | 49\% | (959) | 17\% | (342) | 1970 |
| 2018 House Vote: Democrat | 8\% | (60) | 23\% | (177) | 50\% | (393) | 19\% | (151) | 781 |
| 2018 House Vote: Republican | 7\% | (48) | 22\% | (157) | 52\% | (369) | 19\% | (136) | 710 |
| 2018 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 17\% | (78) | 30\% | (135) | $41 \%$ | (185) | 11\% | (50) | 448 |
| 4-Region: Northeast | 9\% | (32) | 23\% | (81) | 48\% | (168) | 19\% | (66) | 348 |
| 4-Region: Midwest | 7\% | (33) | 24\% | (105) | 50\% | (220) | 18\% | (80) | 438 |
| 4-Region: South | $11 \%$ | (80) | 27\% | (197) | 48\% | (352) | 14\% | (107) | 735 |
| 4-Region: West | 9\% | (42) | 22\% | (101) | 49\% | (218) | 20\% | (88) | 449 |

Note: Row proportions may total to larger than one-hundred percent due to rounding. For more information visit MorningConsultIntelligence.com.

Table MCFI4: If the United States were to default on the national debt, would you tend to blame the Democratic Party more, the Republican Party more, or both parties equally?

| Demographic | The Democratic Party |  | Both parties equally |  | The Republican Party |  | Don't know / No opinion |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | $33 \%$ | (653) | $34 \%$ | (664) | 24\% | (468) | 9\% | (185) | 1970 |
| Gender: Male | 38\% | (350) | 34\% | (310) | 24\% | (223) | 5\% | (43) | 926 |
| Gender: Female | 29\% | (302) | $34 \%$ | (351) | 23\% | (244) | 14\% | (142) | 1039 |
| Age: 18-34 | 27\% | (137) | 35\% | (176) | 22\% | (113) | 16\% | (81) | 507 |
| Age: 35-44 | 36\% | (109) | 32\% | (96) | 22\% | (66) | 10\% | (32) | 303 |
| Age: 45-64 | $36 \%$ | (242) | 32\% | (212) | 24\% | (160) | 8\% | (56) | 670 |
| Age: 65+ | $34 \%$ | (165) | $36 \%$ | (179) | 26\% | (130) | 3\% | (17) | 490 |
| GenZers: 1997-2012 | 24\% | (37) | 34\% | (53) | 17\% | (27) | 25\% | (38) | 155 |
| Millennials: 1981-1996 | 33\% | (195) | 32\% | (193) | 24\% | (141) | 12\% | (69) | 598 |
| GenXers: 1965-1980 | $33 \%$ | (153) | 35\% | (163) | $22 \%$ | (102) | 11\% | (50) | 467 |
| Baby Boomers: 1946-1964 | 35\% | (248) | $34 \%$ | (237) | 27\% | (189) | 4\% | (28) | 703 |
| PID: Dem (no lean) | 28\% | (228) | $32 \%$ | (260) | 33\% | (274) | 7\% | (61) | 824 |
| PID: Ind (no lean) | 22\% | (88) | 48\% | (193) | 14\% | (58) | 16\% | (65) | 404 |
| PID: Rep (no lean) | 45\% | (337) | 28\% | (210) | 18\% | (135) | 8\% | (59) | 742 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Men | 35\% | (139) | 29\% | (112) | 33\% | (128) | 3\% | (13) | 391 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Women | 21\% | (89) | 34\% | (147) | 34\% | (146) | 11\% | (48) | 430 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Men | 25\% | (52) | 48\% | (99) | 20\% | (41) | 7\% | (14) | 207 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Women | 18\% | (34) | 48\% | (93) | 9\% | (17) | 26\% | (51) | 195 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Men | 48\% | (159) | 30\% | (99) | 16\% | (54) | 5\% | (16) | 328 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Women | 43\% | (178) | 27\% | (111) | 20\% | (81) | 11\% | (44) | 414 |
| Ideo: Liberal (1-3) | 19\% | (106) | 33\% | (183) | 40\% | (225) | 7\% | (41) | 555 |
| Ideo: Moderate (4) | 24\% | (137) | 42\% | (242) | 24\% | (137) | 10\% | (59) | 576 |
| Ideo: Conservative (5-7) | 52\% | (400) | 29\% | (220) | 13\% | (101) | 6\% | (46) | 767 |
| Educ: < College | 32\% | (376) | $32 \%$ | (383) | 24\% | (280) | 13\% | (150) | 1189 |
| Educ: Bachelors degree | 32\% | (156) | 40\% | (198) | 23\% | (115) | 5\% | (25) | 494 |
| Educ: Post-grad | 42\% | (121) | 29\% | (82) | 26\% | (73) | 4\% | (10) | 286 |
| Income: Under 50k | 29\% | (240) | 30\% | (252) | 27\% | (225) | 14\% | (115) | 832 |
| Income: 50k-100k | 35\% | (248) | 35\% | (247) | 22\% | (155) | 8\% | (57) | 707 |
| Income: 100k+ | 38\% | (165) | 38\% | (165) | 20\% | (87) | 3\% | (14) | 431 |
| Ethnicity: White | 35\% | (542) | 34\% | (515) | 23\% | (354) | 8\% | (117) | 1527 |
| Ethnicity: Hispanic | 29\% | (64) | 43\% | (95) | 19\% | (42) | 8\% | (18) | 219 |

[^13]Table MCFI4: If the United States were to default on the national debt, would you tend to blame the Democratic Party more, the Republican Party more, or both parties equally?

| Demographic | The Democratic Party |  | Both parties equally |  | The Republican Party |  | Don't know / No opinion |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 33\% | (653) | 34\% | (664) | 24\% | (468) | 9\% | (185) | 1970 |
| Ethnicity: Black | 22\% | (55) | 30\% | (75) | $31 \%$ | (76) | 17\% | (43) | 249 |
| Ethnicity: Other | 29\% | (57) | 38\% | (74) | 20\% | (38) | 13\% | (26) | 194 |
| All Christian | 36\% | (360) | 37\% | (364) | 22\% | (216) | 5\% | (51) | 991 |
| All Non-Christian | 50\% | (94) | 21\% | (40) | 24\% | (45) | 6\% | (11) | 190 |
| Atheist | 19\% | (10) | 32\% | (18) | 36\% | (20) | 14\% | (8) | 56 |
| Agnostic/Nothing in particular | 22\% | (100) | 36\% | (162) | 25\% | (111) | 17\% | (74) | 446 |
| Something Else | $31 \%$ | (89) | 28\% | (80) | 27\% | (76) | 14\% | (41) | 286 |
| Religious Non-Protestant/Catholic | 48\% | (102) | 24\% | (50) | 23\% | (49) | 5\% | (11) | 212 |
| Evangelical | 43\% | (231) | 29\% | (154) | $21 \%$ | (114) | 7\% | (39) | 538 |
| Non-Evangelical | 30\% | (204) | 39\% | (267) | 25\% | (171) | 7\% | (51) | 693 |
| Community: Urban | 38\% | (217) | 30\% | (173) | 24\% | (137) | 9\% | (50) | 577 |
| Community: Suburban | 30\% | (275) | $36 \%$ | (326) | 25\% | (225) | 9\% | (81) | 907 |
| Community: Rural | 33\% | (161) | 34\% | (165) | 22\% | (105) | 11\% | (54) | 485 |
| Employ: Private Sector | 34\% | (237) | 37\% | (257) | 22\% | (155) | 6\% | (43) | 692 |
| Employ: Government | 34\% | (42) | 39\% | (49) | 18\% | (22) | 9\% | (11) | 124 |
| Employ: Self-Employed | 39\% | (69) | 33\% | (58) | 17\% | (30) | 11\% | (19) | 177 |
| Employ: Homemaker | 32\% | (40) | 29\% | (35) | $21 \%$ | (26) | 19\% | (23) | 123 |
| Employ: Student | 22\% | (12) | 31\% | (16) | 23\% | (12) | 25\% | (13) | 53 |
| Employ: Retired | 36\% | (200) | 34\% | (193) | 26\% | (145) | 4\% | (24) | 562 |
| Employ: Unemployed | 28\% | (39) | 19\% | (27) | 33\% | (46) | 20\% | (28) | 140 |
| Employ: Other | 15\% | (15) | 29\% | (28) | $32 \%$ | (32) | 24\% | (23) | 98 |
| Military HH: Yes | 39\% | (118) | 33\% | (98) | 23\% | (70) | 4\% | (13) | 299 |
| Military HH: No | 32\% | (536) | 34\% | (565) | 24\% | (397) | 10\% | (172) | 1671 |
| 2022 House Vote: Democrat | 23\% | (195) | 36\% | (307) | 35\% | (297) | 7\% | (60) | 858 |
| 2022 House Vote: Republican | 47\% | (378) | 30\% | (242) | 16\% | (131) | 6\% | (47) | 799 |
| 2022 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 27\% | (77) | 35\% | (99) | 13\% | (36) | 25\% | (72) | 284 |
| 2020 Vote: Joe Biden | 22\% | (208) | 36\% | (337) | $34 \%$ | (313) | 8\% | (75) | 933 |
| 2020 Vote: Donald Trump | 47\% | (400) | 29\% | (251) | 16\% | (134) | 8\% | (67) | 852 |
| 2020 Vote: Didn't Vote | 28\% | (42) | 37\% | (55) | $11 \%$ | (17) | 24\% | (37) | 151 |

[^14]Table MCFI4: If the United States were to default on the national debt, would you tend to blame the Democratic Party more, the Republican Party more, or both parties equally?

| Demographic | The Democratic <br> Party |  | Both parties <br> equally |  | The Republican <br> Party | Don't know / No <br> opinion |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Registered Voters | Total N |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2018 House Vote: Democrat | $33 \%$ | $(653)$ | $34 \%$ | $(664)$ | $24 \%$ | $(468)$ | $9 \%$ | $(185)$ |
| 2018 House Vote: Republican | $47 \%$ | $(184)$ | $35 \%$ | $(272)$ | $35 \%$ | $(275)$ | $6 \%$ | $(50)$ |
| 2018 House Vote: Didnt Vote | $29 \%$ | $(333)$ | $32 \%$ | $(230)$ | $16 \%$ | $(112)$ | $5 \%$ | $(35)$ |
| 4-Region: Northeast | $28 \%$ | $(98)$ | $33 \%$ | $(147)$ | $17 \%$ | $(77)$ | $21 \%$ | $(93)$ |
| 4-Region: Midwest | $33 \%$ | $(146)$ | $35 \%$ | $(123)$ | $28 \%$ | $(97)$ | $9 \%$ | $(30)$ |
| 4-Region: South | $34 \%$ | $(248)$ | $32 \%$ | $(137)$ | $26 \%$ | $(112)$ | $10 \%$ | $(43)$ |
| 4-Region: West | $36 \%$ | $(161)$ | $38 \%$ | $(234)$ | $22 \%$ | $(162)$ | $12 \%$ | $(91)$ |

[^15]Table MCFI5: If the United States were to default on the national debt, would you tend to blame Congress or the President more, or both equally?

| Demographic | The President |  | Congress |  | Both equally |  | Don't know / No opinion |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 21\% | (422) | 26\% | (518) | 43\% | (845) | 9\% | (184) | 1970 |
| Gender: Male | 24\% | (225) | 30\% | (274) | 40\% | (373) | 6\% | (54) | 926 |
| Gender: Female | 19\% | (196) | 23\% | (243) | 45\% | (471) | 12\% | (129) | 1039 |
| Age: 18-34 | 19\% | (96) | 19\% | (96) | 46\% | (233) | 16\% | (82) | 507 |
| Age: 35-44 | 23\% | (69) | 23\% | (70) | 43\% | (131) | 11\% | (33) | 303 |
| Age: 45-64 | 21\% | (143) | 29\% | (192) | 43\% | (287) | 7\% | (48) | 670 |
| Age: 65+ | 23\% | (115) | 33\% | (160) | 40\% | (194) | 4\% | (21) | 490 |
| GenZers: 1997-2012 | 12\% | (19) | 18\% | (28) | 47\% | (74) | 22\% | (34) | 155 |
| Millennials: 1981-1996 | 23\% | (139) | 21\% | (128) | 43\% | (259) | 12\% | (72) | 598 |
| GenXers: 1965-1980 | 18\% | (84) | 24\% | (113) | 48\% | (225) | 10\% | (45) | 467 |
| Baby Boomers: 1946-1964 | 24\% | (171) | 34\% | (236) | $38 \%$ | (265) | $4 \%$ | (31) | 703 |
| PID: Dem (no lean) | $11 \%$ | (90) | 45\% | (369) | 35\% | (288) | 9\% | (76) | 824 |
| PID: Ind (no lean) | 18\% | (72) | 19\% | (76) | 51\% | (204) | 13\% | (52) | 404 |
| PID: Rep (no lean) | 35\% | (260) | 10\% | (73) | 48\% | (353) | 8\% | (56) | 742 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Men | 15\% | (59) | 48\% | (187) | 30\% | (118) | 7\% | (27) | 391 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Women | 7\% | (32) | 42\% | (181) | 39\% | (168) | 11\% | (49) | 430 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Men | 20\% | (41) | 24\% | (50) | 51\% | (106) | 5\% | (10) | 207 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Women | 16\% | (30) | 13\% | (26) | 50\% | (98) | 21\% | (42) | 195 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Men | 38\% | (126) | 11\% | (36) | 45\% | (148) | 5\% | (17) | 328 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Women | $32 \%$ | (134) | 9\% | (37) | 49\% | (205) | 9\% | (39) | 414 |
| Ideo: Liberal (1-3) | 12\% | (65) | 52\% | (287) | $31 \%$ | (170) | 6\% | (34) | 555 |
| Ideo: Moderate (4) | 14\% | (79) | 22\% | (126) | 53\% | (303) | 12\% | (68) | 576 |
| Ideo: Conservative (5-7) | 35\% | (272) | 13\% | (98) | 45\% | (348) | 6\% | (49) | 767 |
| Educ: < College | 21\% | (250) | 23\% | (272) | 44\% | (525) | 12\% | (142) | 1189 |
| Educ: Bachelors degree | 20\% | (99) | 29\% | (144) | 45\% | (224) | 5\% | (27) | 494 |
| Educ: Post-grad | 26\% | (73) | 35\% | (102) | $34 \%$ | (96) | 5\% | (15) | 286 |
| Income: Under 50k | 20\% | (169) | 26\% | (218) | 41\% | (340) | 13\% | (106) | 832 |
| Income: $50 \mathrm{k}-100 \mathrm{k}$ | 23\% | (165) | 26\% | (187) | 42\% | (300) | 8\% | (55) | 707 |
| Income: $100 \mathrm{k}+$ | 21\% | (89) | 26\% | (114) | 48\% | (205) | 5\% | (23) | 431 |
| Ethnicity: White | 23\% | (357) | 26\% | (404) | 42\% | (639) | 8\% | (126) | 1527 |
| Ethnicity: Hispanic | 24\% | (53) | 17\% | (38) | 49\% | (107) | 10\% | (22) | 219 |
| Ethnicity: Black | 11\% | (29) | 29\% | (73) | 46\% | (114) | 13\% | (33) | 249 |

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Table MCFI5: If the United States were to default on the national debt, would you tend to blame Congress or the President more, or both equally?

| Demographic | The President |  | Congress |  | Both equally |  | Don't know / No opinion |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 21\% | (422) | 26\% | (518) | 43\% | (845) | 9\% | (184) | 1970 |
| Ethnicity: Other | 19\% | (36) | 21\% | (41) | 47\% | (92) | 13\% | (25) | 194 |
| All Christian | 24\% | (240) | 25\% | (247) | 46\% | (455) | 5\% | (50) | 991 |
| All Non-Christian | 29\% | (55) | 34\% | (65) | 26\% | (50) | 11\% | (21) | 190 |
| Atheist | 1\% | (1) | 50\% | (28) | 34\% | (19) | 15\% | (8) | 56 |
| Agnostic/Nothing in particular | 14\% | (63) | 27\% | (119) | 43\% | (192) | 16\% | (71) | 446 |
| Something Else | 22\% | (64) | 21\% | (59) | 45\% | (129) | 12\% | (34) | 286 |
| Religious Non-Protestant/Catholic | 28\% | (58) | 33\% | (70) | 29\% | (61) | 11\% | (22) | 212 |
| Evangelical | 26\% | (142) | 21\% | (113) | 45\% | (244) | 7\% | (39) | 538 |
| Non-Evangelical | 22\% | (154) | 26\% | (182) | 45\% | (315) | 6\% | (42) | 693 |
| Community: Urban | 23\% | (133) | 28\% | (164) | 41\% | (237) | 8\% | (44) | 577 |
| Community: Suburban | 20\% | (178) | 28\% | (253) | 43\% | (386) | 10\% | (91) | 907 |
| Community: Rural | 23\% | (112) | 21\% | (101) | 46\% | (223) | 10\% | (50) | 485 |
| Employ: Private Sector | 20\% | (137) | 26\% | (183) | 48\% | (331) | 6\% | (41) | 692 |
| Employ: Government | 24\% | (30) | 18\% | (22) | 51\% | (64) | 7\% | (9) | 124 |
| Employ: Self-Employed | 27\% | (48) | 24\% | (42) | 41\% | (72) | 9\% | (15) | 177 |
| Employ: Homemaker | $14 \%$ | (18) | 20\% | (25) | 49\% | (61) | 16\% | (19) | 123 |
| Employ: Student | 11\% | (6) | 34\% | (18) | 29\% | (16) | 26\% | (14) | 53 |
| Employ: Retired | 25\% | (143) | 29\% | (165) | 40\% | (226) | 5\% | (28) | 562 |
| Employ: Unemployed | 17\% | (23) | 27\% | (38) | 28\% | (40) | 28\% | (39) | 140 |
| Employ: Other | 18\% | (18) | 25\% | (25) | 37\% | (37) | 20\% | (19) | 98 |
| Military HH: Yes | 25\% | (74) | 31\% | (94) | 39\% | (117) | 5\% | (14) | 299 |
| Military HH: No | 21\% | (348) | 25\% | (425) | 44\% | (728) | 10\% | (170) | 1671 |
| 2022 House Vote: Democrat | 9\% | (81) | 46\% | (392) | 36\% | (313) | 8\% | (73) | 858 |
| 2022 House Vote: Republican | 36\% | (290) | 9\% | (69) | 49\% | (393) | 6\% | (47) | 799 |
| 2022 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 18\% | (50) | 19\% | (54) | 42\% | (121) | 21\% | (59) | 284 |
| 2020 Vote: Joe Biden | 9\% | (83) | 46\% | (428) | 36\% | (340) | 9\% | (82) | 933 |
| 2020 Vote: Donald Trump | 36\% | (307) | 7\% | (64) | 49\% | (417) | 7\% | (64) | 852 |
| 2020 Vote: Didn't Vote | 20\% | (30) | 14\% | (21) | 45\% | (68) | $21 \%$ | (31) | 151 |
| 2018 House Vote: Democrat | 11\% | (87) | 45\% | (354) | 35\% | (277) | 8\% | (63) | 781 |
| 2018 House Vote: Republican | 36\% | (252) | 12\% | (83) | 48\% | (339) | 5\% | (36) | 710 |
| 2018 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 18\% | (82) | 17\% | (77) | 47\% | (210) | 18\% | (78) | 448 |

[^16]Table MCFI5: If the United States were to default on the national debt, would you tend to blame Congress or the President more, or both equally?

| Demographic | The President |  | Congress |  | Both equally |  | Don't know / N opinion |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 21\% | (422) | 26\% | (518) | 43\% | (845) | 9\% | (184) | 1970 |
| 4-Region: Northeast | 19\% | (65) | 32\% | (111) | 40\% | (141) | 9\% | (31) | 348 |
| 4-Region: Midwest | 21\% | (94) | 28\% | (124) | $41 \%$ | (181) | 9\% | (39) | 438 |
| 4-Region: South | 22\% | (163) | 22\% | (164) | 44\% | (323) | 12\% | (85) | 735 |
| 4-Region: West | 22\% | (100) | 27\% | (119) | 45\% | (201) | 6\% | (28) | 449 |

Note: Row proportions may total to larger than one-hundred percent due to rounding. For more information visit MorningConsultIntelligence.com.

Table MCFI6: How likely do you think it is that the U.S. government will default on its debt?

| Demographic | Very likely |  | Somewhat likely |  | Not too likely |  | Not likely at all |  | Don't know |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 17\% | (341) | 28\% | (561) | 29\% | (566) | 9\% | (176) | 17\% | (326) | 1970 |
| Gender: Male | 20\% | (190) | 24\% | (223) | $34 \%$ | (311) | 11\% | (104) | 11\% | (98) | 926 |
| Gender: Female | 15\% | (151) | $32 \%$ | (335) | 24\% | (254) | 7\% | (72) | 22\% | (226) | 1039 |
| Age: 18-34 | 25\% | (128) | $36 \%$ | (185) | $14 \%$ | (71) | 3\% | (17) | 21\% | (106) | 507 |
| Age: 35-44 | 35\% | (107) | 27\% | (82) | 17\% | (51) | 5\% | (15) | 16\% | (48) | 303 |
| Age: 45-64 | 13\% | (85) | 27\% | (182) | 35\% | (235) | 11\% | (70) | 15\% | (98) | 670 |
| Age: 65+ | 4\% | (21) | 23\% | (113) | 43\% | (209) | 15\% | (73) | 15\% | (74) | 490 |
| GenZers: 1997-2012 | 15\% | (23) | $34 \%$ | (53) | 18\% | (28) | 2\% | (3) | 31\% | (48) | 155 |
| Millennials: 1981-1996 | 33\% | (199) | 33\% | (199) | 13\% | (79) | 4\% | (26) | 16\% | (95) | 598 |
| GenXers: 1965-1980 | 16\% | (73) | 30\% | (139) | 27\% | (124) | 9\% | (43) | 19\% | (88) | 467 |
| Baby Boomers: 1946-1964 | 6\% | (44) | 24\% | (166) | 45\% | (313) | 13\% | (91) | 13\% | (89) | 703 |
| PID: Dem (no lean) | $21 \%$ | (175) | $32 \%$ | (262) | 25\% | (207) | 8\% | (64) | 14\% | (116) | 824 |
| PID: Ind (no lean) | 13\% | (54) | 22\% | (89) | $34 \%$ | (136) | 10\% | (40) | 21\% | (86) | 404 |
| PID: Rep (no lean) | 15\% | (113) | 28\% | (210) | 30\% | (223) | 10\% | (73) | 17\% | (123) | 742 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Men | 30\% | (118) | 27\% | (107) | 25\% | (97) | 7\% | (28) | 11\% | (41) | 391 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Women | 13\% | (56) | 36\% | (154) | 25\% | (109) | 8\% | (36) | 17\% | (73) | 430 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Men | 13\% | (27) | 21\% | (43) | 43\% | (89) | $11 \%$ | (24) | 12\% | (24) | 207 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Women | 14\% | (27) | 23\% | (44) | 24\% | (47) | 8\% | (16) | $32 \%$ | (62) | 195 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Men | 14\% | (45) | 22\% | (73) | 38\% | (125) | 16\% | (53) | 10\% | (32) | 328 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Women | 16\% | (68) | $33 \%$ | (136) | 24\% | (99) | 5\% | (20) | 22\% | (91) | 414 |
| Ideo: Liberal (1-3) | $21 \%$ | (114) | $32 \%$ | (180) | 27\% | (151) | 9\% | (47) | 11\% | (62) | 555 |
| Ideo: Moderate (4) | 13\% | (75) | 30\% | (174) | 29\% | (166) | 8\% | (46) | 20\% | (115) | 576 |
| Ideo: Conservative (5-7) | 18\% | (142) | 26\% | (201) | $31 \%$ | (238) | 10\% | (79) | 14\% | (107) | 767 |
| Educ: < College | 16\% | (188) | 29\% | (345) | 25\% | (303) | 8\% | (97) | 21\% | (256) | 1189 |
| Educ: Bachelors degree | 12\% | (61) | 29\% | (144) | 36\% | (177) | $12 \%$ | (59) | 11\% | (53) | 494 |
| Educ: Post-grad | $32 \%$ | (92) | 25\% | (72) | 30\% | (86) | 7\% | (20) | 6\% | (17) | 286 |
| Income: Under 50k | 14\% | (117) | 27\% | (228) | 27\% | (226) | 7\% | (61) | 24\% | (201) | 832 |
| Income: 50 k -100k | 17\% | (117) | 30\% | (211) | 30\% | (211) | 10\% | (73) | 13\% | (94) | 707 |
| Income: $100 \mathrm{k}+$ | 25\% | (107) | 28\% | (122) | 30\% | (129) | 10\% | (43) | 7\% | (30) | 431 |
| Ethnicity: White | 17\% | (265) | 28\% | (433) | $31 \%$ | (468) | 9\% | (142) | 14\% | (219) | 1527 |
| Ethnicity: Hispanic | 25\% | (55) | 26\% | (58) | 19\% | (41) | 12\% | (25) | 18\% | (40) | 219 |
| Ethnicity: Black | 20\% | (49) | 28\% | (69) | 19\% | (47) | 7\% | (18) | 27\% | (66) | 249 |

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Table MCFI6: How likely do you think it is that the U.S. government will default on its debt?

| Demographic | Somewhat |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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Table MCFI6: How likely do you think it is that the U.S. government will default on its debt?

| Demographic | Very likely |  | Somewhat likely |  | Not too likely |  | Not likely at all |  | Don't know |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 17\% | (341) | 28\% | (561) | 29\% | (566) | 9\% | (176) | 17\% | (326) | 1970 |
| 4-Region: Northeast | 15\% | (53) | $31 \%$ | (108) | 30\% | (104) | 9\% | (31) | 15\% | (53) | 348 |
| 4-Region: Midwest | 16\% | (70) | 30\% | (133) | 28\% | (122) | 7\% | (31) | 19\% | (83) | 438 |
| 4-Region: South | 15\% | (110) | 27\% | (200) | 30\% | (219) | 9\% | (63) | 19\% | (143) | 735 |
| 4-Region: West | 24\% | (108) | 27\% | (121) | 27\% | (122) | 11\% | (52) | 10\% | (47) | 449 |

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Table MCFI7: To what extent, if at all, are you concerned about the possibility that the U.S. may default on its own debt?

| Demographic | Very concerned |  | Somewhat concerned |  | Not to | concerned | Not concerned at all |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 28\% | (544) | 42\% | (832) | 22\% | (437) | 8\% | (158) | 1970 |
| Gender: Male | 27\% | (252) | 38\% | (351) | 24\% | (226) | 10\% | (96) | 926 |
| Gender: Female | 28\% | (289) | 46\% | (479) | 20\% | (210) | 6\% | (61) | 1039 |
| Age: 18-34 | 30\% | (150) | 44\% | (224) | 19\% | (94) | 8\% | (39) | 507 |
| Age: 35-44 | 35\% | (105) | 42\% | (128) | 14\% | (43) | 9\% | (26) | 303 |
| Age: 45-64 | 26\% | (175) | 40\% | (266) | 25\% | (170) | 9\% | (58) | 670 |
| Age: 65+ | 23\% | (113) | 43\% | (213) | 27\% | (130) | 7\% | (34) | 490 |
| GenZers: 1997-2012 | 24\% | (37) | 45\% | (69) | 26\% | (41) | 5\% | (8) | 155 |
| Millennials: 1981-1996 | $34 \%$ | (205) | 42\% | (252) | 15\% | (89) | 9\% | (52) | 598 |
| GenXers: 1965-1980 | 28\% | (133) | 40\% | (185) | 25\% | (117) | 7\% | (32) | 467 |
| Baby Boomers: 1946-1964 | 23\% | (164) | 43\% | (300) | 26\% | (181) | 8\% | (58) | 703 |
| PID: Dem (no lean) | 33\% | (272) | 43\% | (352) | 18\% | (151) | 6\% | (48) | 824 |
| PID: Ind (no lean) | 20\% | (82) | 41\% | (165) | 27\% | (111) | 12\% | (47) | 404 |
| PID: Rep (no lean) | 26\% | (190) | 42\% | (314) | 24\% | (174) | 8\% | (63) | 742 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Men | $38 \%$ | (148) | $36 \%$ | (142) | 19\% | (73) | 7\% | (28) | 391 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Women | 29\% | (122) | 49\% | (210) | 18\% | (78) | 5\% | (20) | 430 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Men | 19\% | (40) | $36 \%$ | (75) | 30\% | (62) | 15\% | (31) | 207 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Women | $21 \%$ | (41) | 46\% | (90) | 25\% | (49) | 8\% | (16) | 195 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Men | 20\% | (64) | 41\% | (135) | 28\% | (91) | $11 \%$ | (37) | 328 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Women | 30\% | (125) | 43\% | (179) | 20\% | (83) | 6\% | (26) | 414 |
| Ideo: Liberal (1-3) | 30\% | (166) | 45\% | (252) | 17\% | (96) | 7\% | (41) | 555 |
| Ideo: Moderate (4) | $24 \%$ | (139) | 45\% | (258) | 25\% | (144) | 6\% | (35) | 576 |
| Ideo: Conservative (5-7) | 30\% | (227) | 39\% | (299) | 23\% | (176) | 9\% | (66) | 767 |
| Educ: < College | 26\% | (312) | 43\% | (507) | 22\% | (267) | 9\% | (103) | 1189 |
| Educ: Bachelors degree | 22\% | (110) | 46\% | (225) | 24\% | (119) | 8\% | (40) | 494 |
| Educ: Post-grad | 43\% | (122) | 35\% | (100) | 18\% | (50) | 5\% | (14) | 286 |
| Income: Under 50k | 27\% | (225) | 43\% | (355) | 21\% | (172) | 10\% | (79) | 832 |
| Income: 50 k -100k | 25\% | (178) | 44\% | (310) | 23\% | (163) | 8\% | (56) | 707 |
| Income: $100 \mathrm{k}+$ | 33\% | (141) | 39\% | (167) | 24\% | (101) | 5\% | (22) | 431 |
| Ethnicity: White | 28\% | (425) | 43\% | (653) | 22\% | (336) | 7\% | (113) | 1527 |
| Ethnicity: Hispanic | 28\% | (61) | 39\% | (86) | 20\% | (43) | 13\% | (29) | 219 |
| Ethnicity: Black | 30\% | (75) | 40\% | (101) | 20\% | (49) | 10\% | (25) | 249 |

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Table MCFI7: To what extent, if at all, are you concerned about the possibility that the U.S. may default on its own debt?

| Demographic | Very concerned |  | Somewhat concerned |  | Not to | oncerned | Not concerned at all |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 28\% | (544) | 42\% | (832) | 22\% | (437) | 8\% | (158) | 1970 |
| Ethnicity: Other | 23\% | (44) | 41\% | (79) | 26\% | (51) | 10\% | (20) | 194 |
| All Christian | 27\% | (269) | 44\% | (436) | 21\% | (212) | 8\% | (74) | 991 |
| All Non-Christian | 50\% | (95) | 35\% | (67) | 10\% | (19) | 5\% | (10) | 190 |
| Atheist | 26\% | (15) | 41\% | (23) | 25\% | (14) | 7\% | (4) | 56 |
| Agnostic/Nothing in particular | 20\% | (90) | 42\% | (187) | 28\% | (124) | 10\% | (45) | 446 |
| Something Else | 27\% | (76) | 41\% | (119) | 23\% | (67) | 9\% | (24) | 286 |
| Religious Non-Protestant/Catholic | 48\% | (103) | 36\% | (77) | 11\% | (23) | 5\% | (10) | 212 |
| Evangelical | 31\% | (169) | 40\% | (214) | 20\% | (108) | 9\% | (47) | 538 |
| Non-Evangelical | 23\% | (162) | 46\% | (317) | 24\% | (163) | 7\% | (51) | 693 |
| Community: Urban | 35\% | (203) | 41\% | (234) | 18\% | (104) | 6\% | (37) | 577 |
| Community: Suburban | 23\% | (212) | 45\% | (407) | 23\% | (208) | 9\% | (80) | 907 |
| Community: Rural | 27\% | (129) | 39\% | (191) | 26\% | (125) | 8\% | (40) | 485 |
| Employ: Private Sector | 30\% | (210) | 42\% | (292) | 20\% | (141) | 7\% | (48) | 692 |
| Employ: Government | $34 \%$ | (42) | 41\% | (51) | 23\% | (29) | 2\% | (2) | 124 |
| Employ: Self-Employed | 33\% | (58) | 40\% | (70) | 20\% | (35) | 8\% | (14) | 177 |
| Employ: Homemaker | 22\% | (27) | 52\% | (64) | 21\% | (26) | 5\% | (7) | 123 |
| Employ: Student | 20\% | (11) | 49\% | (26) | 27\% | (15) | 3\% | (2) | 53 |
| Employ: Retired | 22\% | (122) | 44\% | (245) | 25\% | (138) | 10\% | (58) | 562 |
| Employ: Unemployed | 32\% | (45) | 39\% | (54) | 20\% | (28) | 9\% | (13) | 140 |
| Employ: Other | 29\% | (29) | 31\% | (30) | 26\% | (26) | 14\% | (14) | 98 |
| Military HH: Yes | 29\% | (87) | 43\% | (128) | 19\% | (58) | 9\% | (27) | 299 |
| Military HH: No | 27\% | (457) | 42\% | (704) | 23\% | (379) | 8\% | (131) | 1671 |
| 2022 House Vote: Democrat | 32\% | (272) | 44\% | (377) | 19\% | (160) | 6\% | (49) | 858 |
| 2022 House Vote: Republican | 26\% | (211) | 39\% | (312) | 25\% | (203) | 9\% | (72) | 799 |
| 2022 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 18\% | (51) | 47\% | (134) | 23\% | (65) | 12\% | (33) | 284 |
| 2020 Vote: Joe Biden | 30\% | (278) | 45\% | (418) | 20\% | (190) | 5\% | (47) | 933 |
| 2020 Vote: Donald Trump | 26\% | (219) | 41\% | (349) | 24\% | (203) | 10\% | (82) | 852 |
| 2020 Vote: Didn't Vote | 23\% | (34) | 37\% | (55) | 24\% | (36) | 17\% | (25) | 151 |
| 2018 House Vote: Democrat | 31\% | (241) | 44\% | (342) | 18\% | (142) | 7\% | (56) | 781 |
| 2018 House Vote: Republican | 27\% | (190) | 41\% | (289) | 24\% | (173) | 8\% | (58) | 710 |
| 2018 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 23\% | (104) | 43\% | (192) | 25\% | (111) | 9\% | (41) | 448 |

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Table MCFI7: To what extent, if at all, are you concerned about the possibility that the U.S. may default on its own debt?

| Demographic | Very concerned |  | Somewhat concerned |  | Not to | oncerned | Not | crned at ll | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 28\% | (544) | 42\% | (832) | $22 \%$ | (437) | 8\% | (158) | 1970 |
| 4-Region: Northeast | 30\% | (103) | 44\% | (154) | $22 \%$ | (76) | 4\% | (15) | 348 |
| 4-Region: Midwest | 30\% | (133) | 42\% | (182) | $21 \%$ | (90) | 7\% | (33) | 438 |
| 4-Region: South | 24\% | (173) | 45\% | (328) | $22 \%$ | (164) | 10\% | (70) | 735 |
| 4-Region: West | 30\% | (135) | 37\% | (168) | $24 \%$ | (106) | 9\% | (40) | 449 |

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Table MCFI8: If Congress does not successfully raise the debt ceiling before the deadline, would you support or oppose President Biden using his executive powers to prevent the U.S. from defaulting on its own debt?

| Demographic | Strongly support |  | Somewhat support |  | Somewhat oppose |  | Strongly oppose |  | Don't know |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | $30 \%$ | (584) | 24\% | (470) | 10\% | (188) | 16\% | (314) | 21\% | (414) | 1970 |
| Gender: Male | 34\% | (313) | 23\% | (217) | 12\% | (107) | 19\% | (179) | 12\% | (110) | 926 |
| Gender: Female | 26\% | (270) | 24\% | (250) | 8\% | (81) | 13\% | (134) | 29\% | (303) | 1039 |
| Age: 18-34 | 22\% | (112) | 29\% | (147) | $11 \%$ | (57) | 11\% | (57) | 27\% | (136) | 507 |
| Age: 35-44 | $33 \%$ | (99) | $31 \%$ | (94) | 8\% | (25) | 8\% | (25) | 20\% | (61) | 303 |
| Age: 45-64 | 30\% | (204) | 20\% | (135) | 9\% | (60) | 17\% | (116) | 23\% | (156) | 670 |
| Age: 65+ | 35\% | (170) | 19\% | (95) | 10\% | (47) | 24\% | (118) | 13\% | (62) | 490 |
| GenZers: 1997-2012 | 14\% | (22) | 34\% | (52) | 7\% | (11) | 10\% | (15) | 36\% | (55) | 155 |
| Millennials: 1981-1996 | 30\% | (176) | 27\% | (163) | $11 \%$ | (66) | 10\% | (63) | 22\% | (129) | 598 |
| GenXers: 1965-1980 | 27\% | (126) | 25\% | (116) | 9\% | (42) | 13\% | (60) | 26\% | (123) | 467 |
| Baby Boomers: 1946-1964 | 35\% | (245) | 18\% | (125) | 9\% | (65) | 24\% | (170) | 14\% | (98) | 703 |
| PID: Dem (no lean) | 50\% | (414) | 30\% | (244) | 4\% | (32) | $4 \%$ | (35) | 12\% | (99) | 824 |
| PID: Ind (no lean) | 20\% | (81) | 24\% | (99) | 12\% | (47) | 18\% | (71) | 26\% | (107) | 404 |
| PID: Rep (no lean) | 12\% | (88) | 17\% | (127) | 15\% | (109) | 28\% | (209) | 28\% | (209) | 742 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Men | 54\% | (211) | 28\% | (111) | $5 \%$ | (20) | 7\% | (25) | 6\% | (24) | 391 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Women | 47\% | (202) | 31\% | (131) | 3\% | (12) | 2\% | (9) | 17\% | (75) | 430 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Men | 25\% | (51) | 25\% | (52) | 14\% | (28) | 20\% | (40) | 17\% | (35) | 207 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Women | 15\% | (30) | 24\% | (46) | 10\% | (19) | 15\% | (29) | 37\% | (72) | 195 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Men | 16\% | (51) | 16\% | (54) | 18\% | (58) | 35\% | (113) | 16\% | (52) | 328 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Women | 9\% | (37) | 18\% | (73) | 12\% | (51) | 23\% | (96) | 38\% | (157) | 414 |
| Ideo: Liberal (1-3) | 54\% | (303) | 26\% | (146) | $5 \%$ | (28) | 5\% | (26) | 9\% | (52) | 555 |
| Ideo: Moderate (4) | 28\% | (159) | 34\% | (194) | 10\% | (57) | 8\% | (44) | 21\% | (123) | 576 |
| Ideo: Conservative (5-7) | 15\% | (115) | 16\% | (123) | 13\% | (97) | 30\% | (233) | 26\% | (198) | 767 |
| Educ: < College | 25\% | (301) | 24\% | (284) | 10\% | (120) | 15\% | (180) | 26\% | (304) | 1189 |
| Educ: Bachelors degree | 29\% | (144) | 26\% | (129) | 9\% | (46) | 18\% | (90) | 17\% | (85) | 494 |
| Educ: Post-grad | 48\% | (138) | 20\% | (57) | 8\% | (22) | 15\% | (44) | 9\% | (25) | 286 |
| Income: Under 50k | 27\% | (225) | 24\% | (201) | 9\% | (72) | 13\% | (110) | 27\% | (223) | 832 |
| Income: 50k-100k | 28\% | (199) | 26\% | (183) | 10\% | (73) | 18\% | (124) | 18\% | (129) | 707 |
| Income: 100k+ | 37\% | (160) | 20\% | (86) | 10\% | (43) | 19\% | (80) | 15\% | (63) | 431 |
| Ethnicity: White | 30\% | (464) | 22\% | (340) | 9\% | (134) | 18\% | (278) | 20\% | (312) | 1527 |
| Ethnicity: Hispanic | 33\% | (73) | 25\% | (55) | 10\% | (21) | 14\% | (31) | 18\% | (39) | 219 |

[^17]Table MCFI8: If Congress does not successfully raise the debt ceiling before the deadline, would you support or oppose President Biden using his executive powers to prevent the U.S. from defaulting on its own debt?

| Demographic | Strongly support |  | Somewhat support |  | Somewhat oppose |  | Strongly oppose |  | Don't know |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 30\% | (584) | 24\% | (470) | 10\% | (188) | 16\% | (314) | 21\% | (414) | 1970 |
| Ethnicity: Black | $31 \%$ | (76) | 29\% | (73) | $11 \%$ | (27) | 8\% | (19) | 22\% | (54) | 249 |
| Ethnicity: Other | 23\% | (44) | 29\% | (57) | 14\% | (27) | 9\% | (17) | 25\% | (49) | 194 |
| All Christian | 26\% | (261) | 25\% | (243) | 10\% | (96) | $21 \%$ | (213) | 18\% | (179) | 991 |
| All Non-Christian | $51 \%$ | (97) | 22\% | (41) | 6\% | (12) | 10\% | (19) | 11\% | (21) | 190 |
| Atheist | $32 \%$ | (18) | 30\% | (17) | 7\% | (4) | $4 \%$ | (2) | 27\% | (15) | 56 |
| Agnostic/Nothing in particular | 27\% | (122) | 25\% | (113) | $11 \%$ | (51) | 10\% | (46) | 26\% | (115) | 446 |
| Something Else | 30\% | (86) | 20\% | (56) | 9\% | (26) | 12\% | (34) | 30\% | (85) | 286 |
| Religious Non-Protestant/Catholic | 47\% | (101) | 22\% | (46) | 7\% | (14) | 12\% | (26) | 12\% | (25) | 212 |
| Evangelical | 25\% | (134) | $21 \%$ | (115) | 10\% | (54) | 20\% | (106) | 24\% | (129) | 538 |
| Non-Evangelical | 29\% | (200) | 24\% | (169) | 9\% | (62) | 19\% | (133) | 18\% | (128) | 693 |
| Community: Urban | 39\% | (223) | 27\% | (154) | 9\% | (51) | $11 \%$ | (62) | 15\% | (88) | 577 |
| Community: Suburban | 28\% | (252) | 24\% | (215) | $11 \%$ | (102) | 17\% | (152) | 21\% | (187) | 907 |
| Community: Rural | 22\% | (109) | $21 \%$ | (101) | 7\% | (36) | $21 \%$ | (101) | 29\% | (139) | 485 |
| Employ: Private Sector | $31 \%$ | (214) | 27\% | (186) | 9\% | (63) | 15\% | (102) | 19\% | (129) | 692 |
| Employ: Government | 30\% | (37) | $32 \%$ | (39) | 18\% | (22) | $11 \%$ | (13) | 10\% | (12) | 124 |
| Employ: Self-Employed | $32 \%$ | (57) | 22\% | (39) | 9\% | (17) | 14\% | (25) | 22\% | (39) | 177 |
| Employ: Homemaker | 17\% | (21) | $21 \%$ | (26) | 9\% | (12) | $14 \%$ | (18) | 38\% | (47) | 123 |
| Employ: Student | 16\% | (8) | 30\% | (16) | 13\% | (7) | 9\% | (5) | $32 \%$ | (17) | 53 |
| Employ: Retired | 33\% | (184) | 20\% | (113) | 10\% | (55) | 23\% | (128) | 15\% | (83) | 562 |
| Employ: Unemployed | 27\% | (39) | 22\% | (30) | 3\% | (5) | 9\% | (12) | 39\% | (54) | 140 |
| Employ: Other | 24\% | (24) | 21\% | (21) | 9\% | (9) | $12 \%$ | (12) | 33\% | (33) | 98 |
| Military HH: Yes | $32 \%$ | (96) | 16\% | (47) | 14\% | (41) | $21 \%$ | (62) | 18\% | (53) | 299 |
| Military HH: No | 29\% | (487) | 25\% | (423) | 9\% | (147) | 15\% | (252) | 22\% | (361) | 1671 |
| 2022 House Vote: Democrat | 53\% | (453) | 30\% | (254) | 4\% | (37) | 3\% | (26) | 10\% | (88) | 858 |
| 2022 House Vote: Republican | 9\% | (76) | 17\% | (134) | 15\% | (121) | $32 \%$ | (257) | 27\% | (212) | 799 |
| 2022 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 18\% | (50) | 27\% | (77) | 9\% | (25) | 10\% | (27) | 37\% | (104) | 284 |
| 2020 Vote: Joe Biden | 50\% | (462) | 30\% | (283) | 5\% | (44) | 4\% | (33) | 12\% | (110) | 933 |
| 2020 Vote: Donald Trump | 10\% | (86) | 17\% | (141) | 14\% | (123) | $31 \%$ | (261) | 28\% | (242) | 852 |
| 2020 Vote: Didn't Vote | 19\% | (29) | 26\% | (39) | 11\% | (17) | 11\% | (17) | $32 \%$ | (49) | 151 |

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| Demographic | Strongly <br> support |  | Somewhat <br> support |  | Somewhat <br> oppose |  | Strongly oppose | Don't know |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Registered Voters | $30 \%$ | $(584)$ | $24 \%$ | $(470)$ | $10 \%$ | $(188)$ | $16 \%$ | $(314)$ | $21 \%$ | $(414)$ |
| 2018 House Vote: Democrat | $52 \%$ | $(404)$ | $29 \%$ | $(228)$ | $5 \%$ | $(37)$ | $4 \%$ | $(31)$ | $10 \%$ | $(82)$ |
| 2018 House Vote: Republican | $12 \%$ | $(89)$ | $16 \%$ | $(116)$ | $14 \%$ | $(101)$ | $33 \%$ | $(234)$ | $24 \%$ | $(170)$ |
| 2018 House Vote: Didnt Vote | $19 \%$ | $(85)$ | $27 \%$ | $(122)$ | $11 \%$ | $(49)$ | $10 \%$ | $(47)$ | $32 \%$ | $(145)$ |
| 4-Region: Northeast | $34 \%$ | $(117)$ | $23 \%$ | $(78)$ | $10 \%$ | $(36)$ | $14 \%$ | $(50)$ | $19 \%$ | $(66)$ |
| 4-Region: Midwest | $31 \%$ | $(135)$ | $23 \%$ | $(102)$ | $7 \%$ | $(33)$ | $17 \%$ | $(73)$ | $22 \%$ | $(95)$ |
| 4-Region: South | $25 \%$ | $(185)$ | $24 \%$ | $(176)$ | $9 \%$ | $(67)$ | $16 \%$ | $(116)$ | $26 \%$ | $(191)$ |
| 4-Region: West | $33 \%$ | $(146)$ | $25 \%$ | $(114)$ | $12 \%$ | $(52)$ | $17 \%$ | $(75)$ | $14 \%$ | $(62)$ |

[^19]Table MCFI9_1: How much of a problem would it be, if at all, for the following if the U.S. was to default on its own debt?
For me personally

| Demographic | A major problem |  | A minor problem |  | Not a problem at all |  | Don't know |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 39\% | (775) | 28\% | (558) | 13\% | (256) | 19\% | (380) | 1970 |
| Gender: Male | 38\% | (352) | 32\% | (300) | 16\% | (151) | 13\% | (124) | 926 |
| Gender: Female | 41\% | (422) | 25\% | (256) | 10\% | (105) | 25\% | (255) | 1039 |
| Age: 18-34 | $36 \%$ | (180) | 32\% | (162) | 14\% | (70) | 19\% | (95) | 507 |
| Age: 35-44 | 44\% | (134) | 27\% | (81) | 12\% | (35) | 17\% | (52) | 303 |
| Age: 45-64 | 40\% | (271) | 25\% | (166) | 13\% | (88) | 22\% | (145) | 670 |
| Age: 65+ | 39\% | (191) | 30\% | (149) | 13\% | (62) | 18\% | (89) | 490 |
| GenZers: 1997-2012 | $32 \%$ | (50) | 29\% | (46) | 14\% | (21) | 25\% | (38) | 155 |
| Millennials: 1981-1996 | 41\% | (246) | 30\% | (180) | 14\% | (81) | 15\% | (90) | 598 |
| GenXers: 1965-1980 | $37 \%$ | (173) | 26\% | (121) | 14\% | (67) | 23\% | (105) | 467 |
| Baby Boomers: 1946-1964 | 41\% | (288) | 28\% | (198) | 12\% | (82) | 19\% | (135) | 703 |
| PID: Dem (no lean) | 43\% | (355) | 28\% | (229) | 13\% | (103) | 17\% | (137) | 824 |
| PID: Ind (no lean) | 38\% | (153) | 26\% | (107) | 14\% | (59) | 21\% | (86) | 404 |
| PID: Rep (no lean) | 36\% | (267) | 30\% | (223) | 13\% | (95) | 21\% | (158) | 742 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Men | 42\% | (163) | $31 \%$ | (120) | 15\% | (59) | 12\% | (49) | 391 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Women | 45\% | (192) | 25\% | (107) | 10\% | (44) | 20\% | (87) | 430 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Men | 39\% | (81) | 32\% | (66) | 15\% | (31) | 14\% | (28) | 207 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Women | $36 \%$ | (71) | 20\% | (39) | 14\% | (27) | 29\% | (58) | 195 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Men | 33\% | (107) | 35\% | (113) | 18\% | (60) | 14\% | (47) | 328 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Women | 38\% | (159) | 27\% | (110) | 8\% | (34) | 27\% | (111) | 414 |
| Ideo: Liberal (1-3) | 45\% | (252) | 28\% | (155) | 12\% | (65) | 15\% | (84) | 555 |
| Ideo: Moderate (4) | 40\% | (228) | 31\% | (178) | 13\% | (75) | 17\% | (96) | 576 |
| Ideo: Conservative (5-7) | 36\% | (276) | 28\% | (211) | 15\% | (112) | 22\% | (168) | 767 |
| Educ: < College | 40\% | (477) | 25\% | (298) | 12\% | (145) | 23\% | (269) | 1189 |
| Educ: Bachelors degree | 37\% | (185) | 33\% | (165) | 14\% | (71) | 15\% | (74) | 494 |
| Educ: Post-grad | 39\% | (113) | 33\% | (95) | 14\% | (40) | 13\% | (38) | 286 |
| Income: Under 50k | 42\% | (353) | 23\% | (191) | 12\% | (97) | 23\% | (191) | 832 |
| Income: 50k-100k | 37\% | (262) | 32\% | (226) | 15\% | (107) | 16\% | (112) | 707 |
| Income: 100k+ | 37\% | (160) | 33\% | (142) | 12\% | (52) | 18\% | (78) | 431 |
| Ethnicity: White | 40\% | (613) | 28\% | (435) | 12\% | (180) | 20\% | (299) | 1527 |
| Ethnicity: Hispanic | 47\% | (102) | 24\% | (52) | 12\% | (27) | 18\% | (38) | 219 |

[^20]Table MCFI9_1: How much of a problem would it be, if at all, for the following if the U.S. was to default on its own debt? For me personally

| Demographic | A major problem |  | A minor problem |  | Not a problem at all |  | Don't know |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 39\% | (775) | 28\% | (558) | 13\% | (256) | 19\% | (380) | 1970 |
| Ethnicity: Black | 42\% | (106) | 28\% | (69) | 13\% | (33) | 17\% | (41) | 249 |
| Ethnicity: Other | 29\% | (57) | 28\% | (55) | 22\% | (43) | 20\% | (39) | 194 |
| All Christian | 41\% | (402) | 31\% | (311) | 12\% | (115) | 17\% | (164) | 991 |
| All Non-Christian | 42\% | (80) | 32\% | (60) | 13\% | (25) | 13\% | (25) | 190 |
| Atheist | 29\% | (16) | 23\% | (13) | 17\% | (9) | 32\% | (18) | 56 |
| Agnostic/Nothing in particular | 35\% | (156) | 25\% | (111) | 16\% | (72) | 24\% | (107) | 446 |
| Something Else | 43\% | (122) | 22\% | (63) | 12\% | (35) | 23\% | (66) | 286 |
| Religious Non-Protestant/Catholic | 43\% | (90) | $31 \%$ | (66) | 12\% | (25) | 14\% | (30) | 212 |
| Evangelical | 42\% | (226) | 27\% | (143) | $14 \%$ | (75) | 18\% | (95) | 538 |
| Non-Evangelical | 40\% | (278) | $31 \%$ | (214) | $11 \%$ | (74) | 18\% | (128) | 693 |
| Community: Urban | 43\% | (249) | 28\% | (161) | 15\% | (85) | 14\% | (83) | 577 |
| Community: Suburban | 37\% | (339) | 30\% | (271) | 13\% | (118) | 20\% | (179) | 907 |
| Community: Rural | 39\% | (188) | 26\% | (126) | $11 \%$ | (53) | 24\% | (118) | 485 |
| Employ: Private Sector | 38\% | (264) | 32\% | (222) | 13\% | (88) | 17\% | (117) | 692 |
| Employ: Government | 43\% | (53) | 27\% | (33) | 15\% | (19) | $14 \%$ | (18) | 124 |
| Employ: Self-Employed | 38\% | (67) | 33\% | (58) | 14\% | (25) | 15\% | (27) | 177 |
| Employ: Homemaker | 35\% | (44) | 20\% | (24) | 17\% | (21) | 28\% | (34) | 123 |
| Employ: Student | 39\% | (21) | 42\% | (22) | 9\% | (5) | 10\% | (5) | 53 |
| Employ: Retired | 43\% | (240) | 27\% | (151) | 13\% | (71) | 18\% | (100) | 562 |
| Employ: Unemployed | 30\% | (42) | 20\% | (28) | $11 \%$ | (15) | 39\% | (55) | 140 |
| Employ: Other | 45\% | (44) | 19\% | (19) | 12\% | (11) | 25\% | (24) | 98 |
| Military HH: Yes | 42\% | (125) | 26\% | (78) | 13\% | (39) | 19\% | (57) | 299 |
| Military HH: No | 39\% | (650) | 29\% | (481) | 13\% | (217) | 19\% | (323) | 1671 |
| 2022 House Vote: Democrat | 44\% | (377) | 29\% | (245) | $12 \%$ | (105) | 15\% | (131) | 858 |
| 2022 House Vote: Republican | 36\% | (288) | 30\% | (237) | $14 \%$ | (116) | 20\% | (158) | 799 |
| 2022 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 35\% | (101) | 25\% | (70) | $11 \%$ | (32) | 29\% | (81) | 284 |
| 2020 Vote: Joe Biden | 43\% | (405) | 28\% | (263) | 13\% | (117) | 16\% | (147) | 933 |
| 2020 Vote: Donald Trump | 36\% | (308) | 28\% | (240) | 14\% | (119) | 22\% | (185) | 852 |
| 2020 Vote: Didn't Vote | $34 \%$ | (51) | 30\% | (45) | $11 \%$ | (17) | 25\% | (38) | 151 |

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Table MCFI9_1: How much of a problem would it be, if at all, for the following if the U.S. was to default on its own debt?
For me personally

| Demographic |  |  | Not a problem at <br> all |  |  | A major problem | A minor problem |  |
| :--- | :---: | ---: | :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Registered Voters | $39 \%$ | $(775)$ | $28 \%$ | $(558)$ | $13 \%$ | $(256)$ | $19 \%$ | $(380)$ |
| 2018 House Vote: Democrat | $44 \%$ | $(343)$ | $28 \%$ | $(215)$ | $13 \%$ | $(98)$ | $16 \%$ | $(125)$ |
| 2018 House Vote: Republican | $38 \%$ | $(272)$ | $32 \%$ | $(225)$ | $13 \%$ | $(90)$ | $17 \%$ | $(122)$ |
| 2018 House Vote: Didnt Vote | $33 \%$ | $(148)$ | $25 \%$ | $(114)$ | $14 \%$ | $(64)$ | $27 \%$ | $(122)$ |
| 4-Region: Northeast | $44 \%$ | $(153)$ | $29 \%$ | $(100)$ | $10 \%$ | $(35)$ | $17 \%$ | $(60)$ |
| 4-Region: Midwest | $37 \%$ | $(164)$ | $28 \%$ | $(121)$ | $14 \%$ | $(60)$ | $21 \%$ | $(93)$ |
| 4-Region: South | $39 \%$ | $(286)$ | $27 \%$ | $(198)$ | $13 \%$ | $(96)$ | $21 \%$ | $(155)$ |
| 4-Region: West | $38 \%$ | $(172)$ | $31 \%$ | $(140)$ | $14 \%$ | $(65)$ | $16 \%$ | $(72)$ |

[^21]Table MCFI9_2: How much of a problem would it be, if at all, for the following if the U.S. was to default on its own debt?
For my local economy

| Demographic | A major problem |  | A minor problem |  | Not a problem at all |  | Don't know |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 54\% | (1060) | 24\% | (463) | 8\% | (149) | 15\% | (298) | 1970 |
| Gender: Male | 50\% | (462) | 29\% | (265) | 11\% | (105) | 10\% | (94) | 926 |
| Gender: Female | 57\% | (594) | 19\% | (198) | 4\% | (44) | 20\% | (203) | 1039 |
| Age: 18-34 | 50\% | (256) | 22\% | (110) | 9\% | (46) | 19\% | (96) | 507 |
| Age: 35-44 | 53\% | (159) | 26\% | (78) | 8\% | (25) | 13\% | (40) | 303 |
| Age: 45-64 | 54\% | (361) | 24\% | (158) | 8\% | (57) | $14 \%$ | (94) | 670 |
| Age: 65+ | 58\% | (283) | 24\% | (117) | 4\% | (22) | 14\% | (68) | 490 |
| GenZers: 1997-2012 | 43\% | (67) | 23\% | (35) | 8\% | (12) | 26\% | (41) | 155 |
| Millennials: 1981-1996 | 54\% | (321) | 23\% | (138) | 9\% | (55) | 14\% | (83) | 598 |
| GenXers: 1965-1980 | 51\% | (239) | 23\% | (109) | 10\% | (45) | 16\% | (75) | 467 |
| Baby Boomers: 1946-1964 | 59\% | (413) | 23\% | (162) | 5\% | (36) | 13\% | (92) | 703 |
| PID: Dem (no lean) | 55\% | (450) | 23\% | (193) | 8\% | (68) | $14 \%$ | (113) | 824 |
| PID: Ind (no lean) | 56\% | (225) | 21\% | (86) | 6\% | (25) | 17\% | (68) | 404 |
| PID: Rep (no lean) | 52\% | (384) | 25\% | (185) | 8\% | (56) | 16\% | (117) | 742 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Men | 51\% | (198) | 26\% | (103) | 13\% | (51) | 10\% | (40) | 391 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Women | 58\% | (251) | 21\% | (90) | 4\% | (17) | 17\% | (71) | 430 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Men | 56\% | (117) | 27\% | (56) | 6\% | (11) | 11\% | (23) | 207 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Women | 55\% | (107) | 15\% | (30) | 7\% | (13) | 23\% | (45) | 195 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Men | 45\% | (147) | 33\% | (107) | 13\% | (42) | 10\% | (31) | 328 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Women | 57\% | (236) | 19\% | (78) | 3\% | (13) | 21\% | (86) | 414 |
| Ideo: Liberal (1-3) | 57\% | (317) | 24\% | (135) | 6\% | (35) | 12\% | (68) | 555 |
| Ideo: Moderate (4) | 57\% | (326) | 23\% | (131) | 7\% | (38) | 14\% | (81) | 576 |
| Ideo: Conservative (5-7) | 51\% | (388) | 25\% | (191) | 9\% | (70) | 15\% | (118) | 767 |
| Educ: < College | 55\% | (657) | 19\% | (228) | 7\% | (81) | 19\% | (224) | 1189 |
| Educ: Bachelors degree | 52\% | (255) | 30\% | (150) | 8\% | (39) | 10\% | (50) | 494 |
| Educ: Post-grad | 52\% | (148) | 29\% | (84) | 10\% | (29) | 9\% | (25) | 286 |
| Income: Under 50k | 55\% | (459) | 18\% | (152) | 7\% | (56) | 20\% | (165) | 832 |
| Income: 50k-100k | 51\% | (363) | 28\% | (200) | 9\% | (60) | 12\% | (83) | 707 |
| Income: 100k+ | 55\% | (238) | 26\% | (110) | 8\% | (33) | 12\% | (50) | 431 |
| Ethnicity: White | 55\% | (839) | 23\% | (358) | 7\% | (105) | 15\% | (226) | 1527 |
| Ethnicity: Hispanic | 52\% | (114) | 22\% | (49) | 9\% | (20) | 17\% | (37) | 219 |

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For my local economy

| Demographic | A major problem |  | A minor problem |  | Not a problem at all |  | Don't know |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | $54 \%$ | (1060) | 24\% | (463) | 8\% | (149) | 15\% | (298) | 1970 |
| Ethnicity: Black | 56\% | (139) | 19\% | (46) | 9\% | (23) | 16\% | (41) | 249 |
| Ethnicity: Other | 42\% | (81) | 30\% | (59) | 11\% | (22) | 16\% | (31) | 194 |
| All Christian | 56\% | (551) | 27\% | (263) | 6\% | (60) | 12\% | (116) | 991 |
| All Non-Christian | 49\% | (94) | 25\% | (47) | 15\% | (29) | 11\% | (20) | 190 |
| Atheist | 45\% | (25) | 23\% | (13) | 6\% | (3) | 27\% | (15) | 56 |
| Agnostic/Nothing in particular | $51 \%$ | (228) | 21\% | (95) | 8\% | (34) | 20\% | (90) | 446 |
| Something Else | 56\% | (161) | 16\% | (45) | 8\% | (23) | 20\% | (57) | 286 |
| Religious Non-Protestant/Catholic | 53\% | (112) | 22\% | (47) | 14\% | (30) | $11 \%$ | (23) | 212 |
| Evangelical | 56\% | (301) | 21\% | (114) | 9\% | (48) | 14\% | (75) | 538 |
| Non-Evangelical | 55\% | (380) | 27\% | (184) | 5\% | (35) | 14\% | (95) | 693 |
| Community: Urban | $51 \%$ | (292) | 25\% | (145) | 11\% | (61) | 14\% | (79) | 577 |
| Community: Suburban | $54 \%$ | (493) | 25\% | (227) | 6\% | (57) | 14\% | (130) | 907 |
| Community: Rural | 57\% | (275) | 19\% | (91) | 6\% | (31) | 18\% | (89) | 485 |
| Employ: Private Sector | 54\% | (373) | 27\% | (185) | 7\% | (50) | 12\% | (85) | 692 |
| Employ: Government | 43\% | (53) | 19\% | (24) | 16\% | (20) | 21\% | (27) | 124 |
| Employ: Self-Employed | 49\% | (87) | 29\% | (52) | 9\% | (16) | 13\% | (23) | 177 |
| Employ: Homemaker | 56\% | (70) | 16\% | (19) | 8\% | (10) | 20\% | (25) | 123 |
| Employ: Student | 56\% | (30) | 22\% | (12) | 12\% | (6) | 10\% | (5) | 53 |
| Employ: Retired | 57\% | (323) | 24\% | (132) | 6\% | (31) | 13\% | (76) | 562 |
| Employ: Unemployed | $51 \%$ | (72) | 15\% | (21) | 8\% | (11) | 26\% | (37) | 140 |
| Employ: Other | 54\% | (53) | 18\% | (18) | 5\% | (5) | 23\% | (23) | 98 |
| Military HH: Yes | 52\% | (156) | 26\% | (78) | 7\% | (21) | 15\% | (43) | 299 |
| Military HH: No | 54\% | (904) | 23\% | (384) | 8\% | (127) | 15\% | (255) | 1671 |
| 2022 House Vote: Democrat | 57\% | (487) | 24\% | (206) | 7\% | (63) | 12\% | (102) | 858 |
| 2022 House Vote: Republican | 53\% | (427) | 24\% | (193) | 8\% | (61) | 15\% | (118) | 799 |
| 2022 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 46\% | (131) | 21\% | (58) | 8\% | (24) | 25\% | (71) | 284 |
| 2020 Vote: Joe Biden | 55\% | (513) | 24\% | (228) | 8\% | (73) | 13\% | (119) | 933 |
| 2020 Vote: Donald Trump | 53\% | (448) | 24\% | (203) | 8\% | (65) | 16\% | (136) | 852 |
| 2020 Vote: Didn't Vote | 53\% | (81) | 18\% | (27) | 5\% | (8) | 23\% | (35) | 151 |

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| Demographic | A major problem |  | A minor problem |  | Not a problem at all |  | Don't know |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 54\% | (1060) | 24\% | (463) | 8\% | (149) | 15\% | (298) | 1970 |
| 2018 House Vote: Democrat | 57\% | (445) | 23\% | (183) | 8\% | (59) | 12\% | (94) | 781 |
| 2018 House Vote: Republican | 57\% | (401) | 24\% | (172) | 6\% | (44) | 13\% | (93) | 710 |
| 2018 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 43\% | (194) | 23\% | (103) | 9\% | (42) | 24\% | (108) | 448 |
| 4-Region: Northeast | 55\% | (193) | 23\% | (80) | 7\% | (23) | 15\% | (52) | 348 |
| 4-Region: Midwest | 55\% | (243) | 24\% | (103) | 6\% | (26) | 15\% | (66) | 438 |
| 4-Region: South | 53\% | (389) | $22 \%$ | (158) | 9\% | (65) | 17\% | (122) | 735 |
| 4-Region: West | 52\% | (234) | 27\% | (121) | 8\% | (34) | 13\% | (59) | 449 |

Note: Row proportions may total to larger than one-hundred percent due to rounding. For more information visit MorningConsultIntelligence.com.

Table MCFI9_3: How much of a problem would it be, if at all, for the following if the U.S. was to default on its own debt?
For the U.S. economy

| Demographic | A major problem |  | A minor problem |  | Not a problem at all |  | Don't know |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 71\% | (1401) | 14\% | (280) | 4\% | (75) | $11 \%$ | (214) | 1970 |
| Gender: Male | 69\% | (639) | 19\% | (175) | 5\% | (48) | $7 \%$ | (65) | 926 |
| Gender: Female | 73\% | (761) | 10\% | (102) | 3\% | (27) | 14\% | (148) | 1039 |
| Age: 18-34 | 63\% | (320) | 18\% | (91) | 5\% | (27) | 14\% | (69) | 507 |
| Age: 35-44 | 66\% | (199) | 21\% | (63) | $4 \%$ | (11) | 10\% | (30) | 303 |
| Age: 45-64 | 73\% | (491) | 12\% | (81) | 5\% | (31) | 10\% | (68) | 670 |
| Age: 65+ | 80\% | (392) | 9\% | (45) | 1\% | (6) | 10\% | (48) | 490 |
| GenZers: 1997-2012 | 58\% | (90) | 16\% | (25) | 8\% | (12) | 18\% | (28) | 155 |
| Millennials: 1981-1996 | 66\% | (394) | 20\% | (119) | $4 \%$ | (25) | 10\% | (60) | 598 |
| GenXers: 1965-1980 | 70\% | (329) | 13\% | (60) | $4 \%$ | (20) | 13\% | (59) | 467 |
| Baby Boomers: 1946-1964 | 79\% | (556) | 10\% | (68) | $2 \%$ | (17) | 9\% | (62) | 703 |
| PID: Dem (no lean) | 71\% | (586) | 15\% | (121) | $5 \%$ | (43) | 9\% | (74) | 824 |
| PID: Ind (no lean) | 73\% | (293) | 13\% | (52) | 3\% | (13) | $11 \%$ | (46) | 404 |
| PID: Rep (no lean) | 70\% | (522) | 14\% | (106) | 3\% | (19) | 13\% | (94) | 742 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Men | 65\% | (253) | $21 \%$ | (82) | 8\% | (31) | 7\% | (26) | 391 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Women | 77\% | (333) | 9\% | (38) | 3\% | (12) | $11 \%$ | (47) | 430 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Men | 77\% | (160) | 14\% | (29) | $2 \%$ | (4) | 7\% | (14) | 207 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Women | 68\% | (133) | $11 \%$ | (22) | $4 \%$ | (8) | 16\% | (32) | 195 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Men | 69\% | (227) | 19\% | (64) | $4 \%$ | (13) | 8\% | (25) | 328 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Women | 71\% | (296) | 10\% | (43) | $2 \%$ | (6) | 17\% | (69) | 414 |
| Ideo: Liberal (1-3) | $74 \%$ | (410) | 16\% | (88) | 3\% | (18) | $7 \%$ | (39) | 555 |
| Ideo: Moderate (4) | 73\% | (419) | 15\% | (84) | 3\% | (18) | 9\% | (55) | 576 |
| Ideo: Conservative (5-7) | 70\% | (539) | 13\% | (103) | $4 \%$ | (33) | 12\% | (93) | 767 |
| Educ: < College | 69\% | (824) | 12\% | (146) | $4 \%$ | (43) | 15\% | (177) | 1189 |
| Educ: Bachelors degree | 75\% | (372) | 17\% | (83) | 3\% | (15) | 5\% | (24) | 494 |
| Educ: Post-grad | 72\% | (205) | 18\% | (51) | 6\% | (17) | 4\% | (13) | 286 |
| Income: Under 50k | 68\% | (567) | 13\% | (107) | 3\% | (28) | 16\% | (131) | 832 |
| Income: 50k-100k | 72\% | (511) | 15\% | (108) | $4 \%$ | (29) | 8\% | (59) | 707 |
| Income: 100k+ | 75\% | (324) | 15\% | (65) | $4 \%$ | (18) | 6\% | (25) | 431 |
| Ethnicity: White | 72\% | (1093) | 14\% | (218) | $4 \%$ | (54) | $11 \%$ | (162) | 1527 |
| Ethnicity: Hispanic | 65\% | (143) | 19\% | (42) | 5\% | (10) | $11 \%$ | (24) | 219 |

[^24]Table MCFI9_3: How much of a problem would it be, if at all, for the following if the U.S. was to default on its own debt? For the U.S. economy

| Demographic | A major problem |  | A minor problem |  | Not a problem at all |  | Don't know |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | $71 \%$ | (1401) | 14\% | (280) | 4\% | (75) | 11\% | (214) | 1970 |
| Ethnicity: Black | 66\% | (165) | 15\% | (37) | 5\% | (13) | 13\% | (33) | 249 |
| Ethnicity: Other | 74\% | (144) | 12\% | (24) | $4 \%$ | (7) | 10\% | (19) | 194 |
| All Christian | 75\% | (743) | 13\% | (132) | 3\% | (35) | 8\% | (81) | 991 |
| All Non-Christian | 63\% | (119) | 24\% | (45) | 8\% | (15) | 6\% | (12) | 190 |
| Atheist | 57\% | (32) | 14\% | (8) | 2\% | (1) | 27\% | (15) | 56 |
| Agnostic/Nothing in particular | 68\% | (304) | 14\% | (62) | $4 \%$ | (17) | 14\% | (63) | 446 |
| Something Else | 71\% | (203) | 11\% | (32) | 3\% | (8) | 15\% | (43) | 286 |
| Religious Non-Protestant/Catholic | 65\% | (138) | 21\% | (45) | 7\% | (15) | 7\% | (14) | 212 |
| Evangelical | 67\% | (361) | 17\% | (93) | $4 \%$ | (24) | 11\% | (59) | 538 |
| Non-Evangelical | 80\% | (551) | 9\% | (63) | 3\% | (18) | 9\% | (60) | 693 |
| Community: Urban | 64\% | (370) | 22\% | (125) | 6\% | (34) | 8\% | (48) | 577 |
| Community: Suburban | 75\% | (681) | 11\% | (102) | 3\% | (25) | 11\% | (100) | 907 |
| Community: Rural | 72\% | (351) | 11\% | (53) | 3\% | (15) | 14\% | (66) | 485 |
| Employ: Private Sector | 70\% | (485) | 16\% | (113) | 3\% | (24) | 10\% | (70) | 692 |
| Employ: Government | 64\% | (80) | 20\% | (25) | 8\% | (9) | 8\% | (9) | 124 |
| Employ: Self-Employed | 69\% | (122) | 19\% | (34) | 5\% | (8) | 7\% | (13) | 177 |
| Employ: Homemaker | 75\% | (92) | 5\% | (6) | 7\% | (9) | 13\% | (16) | 123 |
| Employ: Student | 67\% | (35) | 19\% | (10) | 12\% | (6) | 3\% | (2) | 53 |
| Employ: Retired | 77\% | (434) | 12\% | (68) | $2 \%$ | (12) | 9\% | (48) | 562 |
| Employ: Unemployed | 63\% | (89) | 10\% | (14) | 2\% | (3) | 25\% | (35) | 140 |
| Employ: Other | 65\% | (64) | 9\% | (9) | 3\% | (3) | 22\% | (22) | 98 |
| Military HH: Yes | $72 \%$ | (214) | 14\% | (42) | $4 \%$ | (12) | 10\% | (30) | 299 |
| Military HH: No | $71 \%$ | (1187) | 14\% | (237) | $4 \%$ | (62) | 11\% | (184) | 1671 |
| 2022 House Vote: Democrat | 74\% | (631) | 14\% | (124) | $4 \%$ | (38) | 8\% | (66) | 858 |
| 2022 House Vote: Republican | $72 \%$ | (577) | 14\% | (113) | 3\% | (21) | 11\% | (88) | 799 |
| 2022 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 61\% | (174) | 13\% | (38) | 6\% | (16) | 19\% | (55) | 284 |
| 2020 Vote: Joe Biden | 73\% | (680) | 14\% | (135) | $4 \%$ | (40) | 8\% | (77) | 933 |
| 2020 Vote: Donald Trump | 71\% | (602) | 14\% | (116) | 3\% | (28) | 12\% | (106) | 852 |
| 2020 Vote: Didn't Vote | 63\% | (95) | 16\% | (24) | 4\% | (5) | 17\% | (26) | 151 |

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For the U.S. economy

| Demographic | A major problem |  | A minor problem |  | Not a problem a all |  | Don't know |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 71\% | (1401) | $14 \%$ | (280) | $4 \%$ | (75) | $11 \%$ | (214) | 1970 |
| 2018 House Vote: Democrat | 74\% | (575) | 14\% | (107) | 5\% | (35) | 8\% | (64) | 781 |
| 2018 House Vote: Republican | $74 \%$ | (522) | 15\% | (104) | $2 \%$ | (17) | 9\% | (67) | 710 |
| 2018 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 64\% | (284) | 14\% | (63) | $4 \%$ | (19) | 18\% | (81) | 448 |
| 4-Region: Northeast | 73\% | (255) | 13\% | (46) | $2 \%$ | (8) | $11 \%$ | (38) | 348 |
| 4-Region: Midwest | 73\% | (322) | 12\% | (52) | 3\% | (15) | $11 \%$ | (50) | 438 |
| 4-Region: South | 68\% | (503) | 14\% | (105) | 5\% | (34) | 13\% | (92) | 735 |
| 4-Region: West | 72\% | (321) | 17\% | (77) | 4\% | (17) | 7\% | (34) | 449 |

[^26]Table MCFI9_4: How much of a problem would it be, if at all, for the following if the U.S. was to default on its own debt?
For the global economy

| Demographic | A major problem |  | A minor problem |  | Not a problem at all |  | Don't know |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 60\% | (1188) | 20\% | (393) | 5\% | (102) | 15\% | (288) | 1970 |
| Gender: Male | 59\% | (548) | 24\% | (223) | 7\% | (61) | 10\% | (94) | 926 |
| Gender: Female | 61\% | (635) | 16\% | (170) | $4 \%$ | (41) | 18\% | (192) | 1039 |
| Age: 18-34 | 56\% | (282) | 24\% | (122) | $5 \%$ | (27) | 15\% | (76) | 507 |
| Age: 35-44 | 59\% | (178) | 23\% | (70) | 5\% | (16) | 13\% | (38) | 303 |
| Age: 45-64 | 60\% | (400) | 18\% | (121) | 7\% | (44) | 16\% | (105) | 670 |
| Age: 65+ | 67\% | (328) | 16\% | (80) | 3\% | (14) | 14\% | (69) | 490 |
| GenZers: 1997-2012 | 49\% | (75) | 29\% | (45) | 5\% | (8) | 17\% | (26) | 155 |
| Millennials: 1981-1996 | 59\% | (354) | 23\% | (136) | 5\% | (33) | 12\% | (75) | 598 |
| GenXers: 1965-1980 | 59\% | (275) | 18\% | (82) | 6\% | (29) | 17\% | (81) | 467 |
| Baby Boomers: 1946-1964 | 65\% | (457) | 17\% | (122) | $4 \%$ | (30) | 14\% | (95) | 703 |
| PID: Dem (no lean) | 63\% | (519) | 19\% | (155) | 5\% | (45) | 13\% | (104) | 824 |
| PID: Ind (no lean) | 59\% | (237) | 21\% | (84) | 6\% | (26) | 14\% | (58) | 404 |
| PID: Rep (no lean) | 58\% | (432) | 21\% | (154) | $4 \%$ | (31) | 17\% | (125) | 742 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Men | 61\% | (238) | 20\% | (80) | 9\% | (35) | 10\% | (39) | 391 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Women | 65\% | (280) | 18\% | (75) | 2\% | (10) | 15\% | (64) | 430 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Men | 62\% | (127) | 26\% | (53) | $4 \%$ | (9) | 9\% | (18) | 207 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Women | 55\% | (107) | 16\% | (31) | 9\% | (17) | 21\% | (40) | 195 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Men | 56\% | (183) | 27\% | (90) | 5\% | (17) | $12 \%$ | (38) | 328 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Women | 60\% | (248) | 15\% | (64) | 3\% | (14) | 21\% | (87) | 414 |
| Ideo: Liberal (1-3) | 65\% | (360) | 21\% | (114) | 5\% | (27) | 10\% | (55) | 555 |
| Ideo: Moderate (4) | 61\% | (349) | 23\% | (130) | 5\% | (26) | 12\% | (71) | 576 |
| Ideo: Conservative (5-7) | 59\% | (453) | 19\% | (144) | 5\% | (40) | 17\% | (130) | 767 |
| Educ: < College | 58\% | (688) | 18\% | (216) | 5\% | (62) | 19\% | (223) | 1189 |
| Educ: Bachelors degree | 64\% | (317) | 22\% | (109) | 5\% | (23) | 9\% | (46) | 494 |
| Educ: Post-grad | 64\% | (183) | 24\% | (68) | 6\% | (17) | 6\% | (18) | 286 |
| Income: Under 50k | 59\% | (493) | 16\% | (133) | 6\% | (48) | 19\% | (158) | 832 |
| Income: 50k-100k | 57\% | (402) | 25\% | (176) | 5\% | (37) | 13\% | (92) | 707 |
| Income: 100k+ | 68\% | (293) | 20\% | (85) | 4\% | (16) | 9\% | (37) | 431 |
| Ethnicity: White | 62\% | (941) | 19\% | (288) | 5\% | (73) | 15\% | (224) | 1527 |
| Ethnicity: Hispanic | 57\% | (125) | 22\% | (49) | 7\% | (15) | 14\% | (30) | 219 |

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For the global economy

| Demographic | A major problem |  | A minor problem |  | Not a problem at all |  | Don't know |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 60\% | (1188) | 20\% | (393) | 5\% | (102) | 15\% | (288) | 1970 |
| Ethnicity: Black | 58\% | (145) | 21\% | (53) | 6\% | (16) | 14\% | (35) | 249 |
| Ethnicity: Other | $52 \%$ | (101) | 27\% | (52) | 6\% | (13) | 14\% | (28) | 194 |
| All Christian | 63\% | (627) | 20\% | (193) | 5\% | (50) | 12\% | (120) | 991 |
| All Non-Christian | 62\% | (119) | 20\% | (38) | 9\% | (17) | 9\% | (16) | 190 |
| Atheist | 48\% | (27) | 24\% | (14) | 1\% | (1) | 27\% | (15) | 56 |
| Agnostic/Nothing in particular | $54 \%$ | (241) | 23\% | (103) | 6\% | (27) | 17\% | (75) | 446 |
| Something Else | 61\% | (173) | 16\% | (45) | 2\% | (7) | 21\% | (61) | 286 |
| Religious Non-Protestant/Catholic | 64\% | (135) | 19\% | (41) | 8\% | (17) | 9\% | (19) | 212 |
| Evangelical | 57\% | (307) | 22\% | (120) | 5\% | (28) | 15\% | (83) | 538 |
| Non-Evangelical | 67\% | (463) | 16\% | (108) | 4\% | (29) | 13\% | (93) | 693 |
| Community: Urban | 58\% | (334) | 22\% | (127) | 8\% | (44) | 13\% | (72) | 577 |
| Community: Suburban | 63\% | (568) | 19\% | (174) | 4\% | (36) | 14\% | (129) | 907 |
| Community: Rural | 59\% | (285) | 19\% | (92) | 4\% | (21) | 18\% | (86) | 485 |
| Employ: Private Sector | 62\% | (429) | 23\% | (156) | 5\% | (32) | 11\% | (75) | 692 |
| Employ: Government | 55\% | (68) | 28\% | (35) | 7\% | (8) | 10\% | (12) | 124 |
| Employ: Self-Employed | 60\% | (106) | 21\% | (38) | 6\% | (10) | 13\% | (23) | 177 |
| Employ: Homemaker | 60\% | (74) | 14\% | (17) | 7\% | (8) | 19\% | (24) | 123 |
| Employ: Student | 61\% | (32) | 20\% | (11) | 12\% | (6) | 7\% | (4) | 53 |
| Employ: Retired | 63\% | (355) | 19\% | (105) | 4\% | (24) | 14\% | (78) | 562 |
| Employ: Unemployed | 48\% | (68) | 15\% | (21) | 5\% | (7) | 32\% | (44) | 140 |
| Employ: Other | 57\% | (56) | 10\% | (10) | 5\% | (5) | 28\% | (27) | 98 |
| Military HH: Yes | 63\% | (188) | 20\% | (59) | $4 \%$ | (11) | 14\% | (41) | 299 |
| Military HH: No | 60\% | (1000) | 20\% | (334) | 5\% | (90) | 15\% | (247) | 1671 |
| 2022 House Vote: Democrat | 64\% | (545) | 21\% | (183) | 4\% | (38) | $11 \%$ | (92) | 858 |
| 2022 House Vote: Republican | 60\% | (482) | 19\% | (154) | 5\% | (40) | 15\% | (123) | 799 |
| 2022 House Vote: Didnt Vote | $51 \%$ | (145) | 18\% | (52) | 6\% | (18) | 24\% | (68) | 284 |
| 2020 Vote: Joe Biden | 64\% | (597) | 20\% | (184) | 5\% | (45) | $11 \%$ | (106) | 933 |
| 2020 Vote: Donald Trump | 58\% | (494) | 19\% | (165) | 6\% | (50) | 17\% | (143) | 852 |
| 2020 Vote: Didn't Vote | 51\% | (77) | 24\% | (37) | 3\% | (5) | 21\% | (32) | 151 |

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For the global economy

| Demographic | A major problem |  | A minor problem |  | Not a problem at all |  | Don't know |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 60\% | (1188) | 20\% | (393) | 5\% | (102) | 15\% | (288) | 1970 |
| 2018 House Vote: Democrat | 64\% | (502) | 20\% | (155) | 5\% | (39) | 11\% | (85) | 781 |
| 2018 House Vote: Republican | 63\% | (445) | 19\% | (136) | 5\% | (36) | 13\% | (93) | 710 |
| 2018 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 50\% | (222) | 22\% | (97) | 5\% | (22) | 24\% | (106) | 448 |
| 4-Region: Northeast | 63\% | (219) | 20\% | (69) | 4\% | (14) | 13\% | (47) | 348 |
| 4-Region: Midwest | 59\% | (259) | 20\% | (86) | 6\% | (26) | 15\% | (68) | 438 |
| 4-Region: South | 59\% | (432) | 18\% | (132) | 5\% | (38) | 18\% | (132) | 735 |
| 4-Region: West | 62\% | (277) | 24\% | (107) | 5\% | (24) | 9\% | (41) | 449 |

[^29]Table MCFI10_1: If the U.S. government defaults on its debts, how likely do you think the following are?
It will not be able to pay social security benefits

| Demographic | Very likely |  | Somewhat likely |  | Not too likely |  | Not likely at all |  | Don't know |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 34\% | (676) | 27\% | (538) | 14\% | (274) | 7\% | (147) | 17\% | (335) | 1970 |
| Gender: Male | 32\% | (297) | 30\% | (276) | 16\% | (147) | 10\% | (92) | 12\% | (113) | 926 |
| Gender: Female | 36\% | (377) | 25\% | (261) | 12\% | (126) | 5\% | (54) | 21\% | (221) | 1039 |
| Age: 18-34 | 35\% | (176) | $31 \%$ | (158) | 10\% | (52) | 5\% | (27) | 19\% | (94) | 507 |
| Age: 35-44 | 36\% | (109) | $31 \%$ | (95) | 11\% | (32) | 3\% | (10) | 18\% | (56) | 303 |
| Age: 45-64 | 32\% | (214) | 27\% | (180) | 15\% | (99) | 10\% | (64) | 17\% | (112) | 670 |
| Age: 65+ | 36\% | (176) | $21 \%$ | (104) | 18\% | (91) | 9\% | (47) | 15\% | (73) | 490 |
| GenZers: 1997-2012 | 32\% | (49) | 24\% | (38) | 11\% | (18) | 6\% | (10) | 26\% | (40) | 155 |
| Millennials: 1981-1996 | 36\% | (215) | $33 \%$ | (199) | 11\% | (64) | 4\% | (24) | 16\% | (96) | 598 |
| GenXers: 1965-1980 | 32\% | (149) | 29\% | (134) | 12\% | (57) | 6\% | (29) | 21\% | (98) | 467 |
| Baby Boomers: 1946-1964 | 35\% | (248) | 22\% | (157) | 17\% | (120) | 12\% | (84) | 13\% | (94) | 703 |
| PID: Dem (no lean) | 37\% | (305) | 29\% | (242) | 10\% | (85) | 6\% | (52) | 17\% | (140) | 824 |
| PID: Ind (no lean) | 31\% | (127) | 26\% | (104) | $21 \%$ | (84) | 6\% | (25) | 16\% | (64) | 404 |
| PID: Rep (no lean) | 33\% | (244) | 26\% | (191) | 14\% | (105) | 9\% | (70) | 18\% | (131) | 742 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Men | 37\% | (144) | 30\% | (119) | 11\% | (42) | 8\% | (32) | 14\% | (53) | 391 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Women | 37\% | (159) | 29\% | (124) | 10\% | (42) | 4\% | (19) | 20\% | (85) | 430 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Men | 28\% | (57) | 35\% | (73) | 24\% | (49) | 6\% | (12) | 8\% | (16) | 207 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Women | 36\% | (69) | 16\% | (32) | 17\% | (33) | 7\% | (13) | 25\% | (48) | 195 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Men | 29\% | (96) | 26\% | (85) | 17\% | (55) | 15\% | (48) | 13\% | (44) | 328 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Women | 36\% | (148) | 26\% | (106) | 12\% | (50) | 5\% | (22) | 21\% | (87) | 414 |
| Ideo: Liberal (1-3) | 40\% | (224) | 28\% | (158) | 11\% | (62) | 6\% | (31) | 15\% | (81) | 555 |
| Ideo: Moderate (4) | 33\% | (189) | 28\% | (163) | 15\% | (89) | 7\% | (42) | 16\% | (93) | 576 |
| Ideo: Conservative (5-7) | 32\% | (243) | 27\% | (205) | 16\% | (120) | 9\% | (69) | 17\% | (129) | 767 |
| Educ: < College | 36\% | (430) | 25\% | (301) | 11\% | (136) | 7\% | (80) | 20\% | (242) | 1189 |
| Educ: Bachelors degree | 30\% | (147) | 29\% | (143) | 21\% | (102) | 8\% | (38) | 13\% | (65) | 494 |
| Educ: Post-grad | 35\% | (99) | 33\% | (94) | 13\% | (37) | 10\% | (28) | 10\% | (29) | 286 |
| Income: Under 50k | 35\% | (287) | 24\% | (203) | 12\% | (102) | 5\% | (44) | 24\% | (196) | 832 |
| Income: 50k-100k | 34\% | (241) | 29\% | (202) | 16\% | (112) | 9\% | (62) | 13\% | (89) | 707 |
| Income: 100k+ | 34\% | (148) | $31 \%$ | (133) | 14\% | (60) | 9\% | (40) | 12\% | (50) | 431 |
| Ethnicity: White | 35\% | (534) | 27\% | (415) | 14\% | (213) | 8\% | (121) | 16\% | (245) | 1527 |
| Ethnicity: Hispanic | 33\% | (71) | $31 \%$ | (67) | 13\% | (28) | 8\% | (17) | 16\% | (36) | 219 |

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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | $34 \%$ | (676) | 27\% | (538) | 14\% | (274) | 7\% | (147) | 17\% | (335) | 1970 |
| Ethnicity: Black | 34\% | (84) | 27\% | (68) | 12\% | (29) | 6\% | (14) | 21\% | (53) | 249 |
| Ethnicity: Other | 30\% | (58) | 28\% | (54) | 17\% | (32) | 6\% | (12) | 19\% | (38) | 194 |
| All Christian | 36\% | (358) | 28\% | (277) | 15\% | (148) | 9\% | (91) | 12\% | (118) | 991 |
| All Non-Christian | 40\% | (75) | 28\% | (53) | 13\% | (24) | 8\% | (14) | 12\% | (23) | 190 |
| Atheist | 28\% | (16) | 33\% | (19) | 6\% | (4) | 3\% | (2) | 29\% | (17) | 56 |
| Agnostic/Nothing in particular | 27\% | (122) | 28\% | (126) | 14\% | (62) | 7\% | (32) | 23\% | (104) | 446 |
| Something Else | 37\% | (105) | 22\% | (63) | 13\% | (36) | 3\% | (8) | 26\% | (74) | 286 |
| Religious Non-Protestant/Catholic | 43\% | (91) | 27\% | (57) | 12\% | (26) | 7\% | (14) | 11\% | (24) | 212 |
| Evangelical | 36\% | (192) | 28\% | (148) | 13\% | (69) | 8\% | (42) | 16\% | (87) | 538 |
| Non-Evangelical | 35\% | (244) | 26\% | (179) | 16\% | (112) | 8\% | (55) | 15\% | (102) | 693 |
| Community: Urban | 36\% | (211) | 29\% | (167) | 14\% | (81) | 8\% | (49) | 12\% | (70) | 577 |
| Community: Suburban | $31 \%$ | (281) | 28\% | (255) | 16\% | (143) | 7\% | (67) | 18\% | (162) | 907 |
| Community: Rural | 38\% | (185) | 24\% | (116) | 10\% | (50) | 6\% | (31) | 21\% | (104) | 485 |
| Employ: Private Sector | 35\% | (244) | 30\% | (208) | 13\% | (88) | 7\% | (52) | 15\% | (101) | 692 |
| Employ: Government | 42\% | (52) | 27\% | (33) | 16\% | (19) | 7\% | (8) | 9\% | (11) | 124 |
| Employ: Self-Employed | 29\% | (52) | 33\% | (59) | 12\% | (21) | 10\% | (17) | 16\% | (28) | 177 |
| Employ: Homemaker | 39\% | (48) | 31\% | (38) | 6\% | (7) | 4\% | (5) | 21\% | (26) | 123 |
| Employ: Student | 43\% | (23) | 24\% | (13) | 12\% | (6) | 5\% | (2) | 17\% | (9) | 53 |
| Employ: Retired | 33\% | (188) | 24\% | (134) | 19\% | (108) | 9\% | (52) | 14\% | (80) | 562 |
| Employ: Unemployed | 25\% | (36) | 19\% | (27) | 14\% | (20) | 6\% | (8) | 36\% | (50) | 140 |
| Employ: Other | 35\% | (34) | 26\% | (26) | 6\% | (5) | 3\% | (3) | $31 \%$ | (31) | 98 |
| Military HH: Yes | 35\% | (104) | 22\% | (66) | 17\% | (50) | 10\% | (31) | 16\% | (49) | 299 |
| Military HH: No | 34\% | (572) | 28\% | (472) | 13\% | (224) | 7\% | (116) | 17\% | (286) | 1671 |
| 2022 House Vote: Democrat | 39\% | (333) | 28\% | (243) | 12\% | (105) | 6\% | (48) | 15\% | (129) | 858 |
| 2022 House Vote: Republican | 33\% | (260) | 27\% | (213) | $17 \%$ | (134) | 10\% | (76) | 15\% | (116) | 799 |
| 2022 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 26\% | (74) | 27\% | (77) | 11\% | (30) | 8\% | (23) | 28\% | (79) | 284 |
| 2020 Vote: Joe Biden | 37\% | (347) | 29\% | (269) | 13\% | (117) | 6\% | (52) | 16\% | (147) | 933 |
| 2020 Vote: Donald Trump | 32\% | (275) | 26\% | (224) | 16\% | (135) | 10\% | (82) | 16\% | (135) | 852 |
| 2020 Vote: Didn't Vote | 28\% | (42) | 25\% | (38) | 11\% | (16) | 7\% | (11) | 29\% | (43) | 151 |

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| Demographic | Very likely |  | Somewhat likely |  | Not too likely |  | Not likely at all |  | Don't know |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | $34 \%$ | (676) | 27\% | (538) | $14 \%$ | (274) | 7\% | (147) | 17\% | (335) | 1970 |
| 2018 House Vote: Democrat | 39\% | (305) | 28\% | (222) | 12\% | (97) | 6\% | (44) | 15\% | (114) | 781 |
| 2018 House Vote: Republican | 33\% | (233) | 27\% | (194) | 17\% | (119) | 10\% | (70) | 13\% | (94) | 710 |
| 2018 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 29\% | (130) | 26\% | (115) | 12\% | (54) | 8\% | (34) | 26\% | (115) | 448 |
| 4-Region: Northeast | 36\% | (126) | 30\% | (104) | 13\% | (44) | 8\% | (27) | 13\% | (46) | 348 |
| 4-Region: Midwest | $37 \%$ | (163) | 30\% | (132) | 9\% | (41) | 7\% | (33) | 16\% | (70) | 438 |
| 4-Region: South | $32 \%$ | (232) | 24\% | (179) | 16\% | (116) | 6\% | (46) | 22\% | (162) | 735 |
| 4-Region: West | 35\% | (155) | 27\% | (122) | 16\% | (73) | 9\% | (42) | 13\% | (56) | 449 |

[^32]Table MCFI10_2: If the U.S. government defaults on its debts, how likely do you think the following are?
It will not be able to pay federal employee benefits

| Demographic | Somewhat |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

[^33]Table MCFI10_2: If the U.S. government defaults on its debts, how likely do you think the following are?
It will not be able to pay federal employee benefits

| Demographic | Very likely |  | Somewhat likely |  | Not too likely |  | Not likely at all |  | Don't know |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | $35 \%$ | (699) | 29\% | (575) | 12\% | (242) | 6\% | (123) | 17\% | (332) | 1970 |
| Ethnicity: Black | 38\% | (95) | 26\% | (64) | 10\% | (24) | 6\% | (15) | 21\% | (52) | 249 |
| Ethnicity: Other | 32\% | (62) | 32\% | (63) | 8\% | (15) | 10\% | (19) | 18\% | (35) | 194 |
| All Christian | $36 \%$ | (360) | $31 \%$ | (309) | 14\% | (141) | 7\% | (68) | 11\% | (113) | 991 |
| All Non-Christian | 41\% | (78) | 28\% | (53) | $11 \%$ | (21) | 6\% | (11) | 14\% | (26) | 190 |
| Atheist | 28\% | (16) | 27\% | (15) | 8\% | (4) | 4\% | (2) | 33\% | (19) | 56 |
| Agnostic/Nothing in particular | 29\% | (130) | 29\% | (131) | 12\% | (55) | 6\% | (28) | 23\% | (102) | 446 |
| Something Else | 40\% | (114) | 23\% | (66) | 7\% | (21) | 5\% | (14) | 25\% | (72) | 286 |
| Religious Non-Protestant/Catholic | 43\% | (92) | 28\% | (60) | 10\% | (21) | 5\% | (11) | 13\% | (28) | 212 |
| Evangelical | 37\% | (198) | 29\% | (155) | 12\% | (62) | 7\% | (37) | 16\% | (86) | 538 |
| Non-Evangelical | 37\% | (255) | 29\% | (201) | 14\% | (95) | 6\% | (44) | 14\% | (98) | 693 |
| Community: Urban | 38\% | (220) | 27\% | (158) | 14\% | (82) | 7\% | (41) | 13\% | (76) | 577 |
| Community: Suburban | 33\% | (297) | $31 \%$ | (283) | 13\% | (116) | 6\% | (54) | 17\% | (157) | 907 |
| Community: Rural | 37\% | (181) | 27\% | (133) | 9\% | (43) | 6\% | (29) | 20\% | (98) | 485 |
| Employ: Private Sector | 33\% | (229) | 34\% | (232) | 14\% | (96) | 6\% | (39) | 14\% | (97) | 692 |
| Employ: Government | 47\% | (58) | 23\% | (29) | 15\% | (19) | 7\% | (8) | 7\% | (9) | 124 |
| Employ: Self-Employed | 40\% | (70) | 23\% | (41) | 13\% | (23) | 8\% | (14) | 16\% | (28) | 177 |
| Employ: Homemaker | $33 \%$ | (41) | 30\% | (37) | 10\% | (12) | 4\% | (5) | 23\% | (28) | 123 |
| Employ: Student | 39\% | (20) | 23\% | (12) | 15\% | (8) | 12\% | (7) | 11\% | (6) | 53 |
| Employ: Retired | 38\% | (211) | 30\% | (166) | 12\% | (67) | 7\% | (42) | 14\% | (77) | 562 |
| Employ: Unemployed | 24\% | (34) | 23\% | (33) | 9\% | (13) | 4\% | (6) | 39\% | (55) | 140 |
| Employ: Other | 36\% | (35) | 24\% | (24) | 5\% | (5) | 4\% | (4) | 32\% | (31) | 98 |
| Military HH: Yes | 37\% | (111) | 25\% | (75) | 14\% | (43) | 7\% | (20) | 17\% | (50) | 299 |
| Military HH: No | 35\% | (587) | 30\% | (500) | 12\% | (199) | 6\% | (103) | 17\% | (282) | 1671 |
| 2022 House Vote: Democrat | 40\% | (345) | 30\% | (258) | 11\% | (91) | 5\% | (46) | 14\% | (119) | 858 |
| 2022 House Vote: Republican | 35\% | (278) | 29\% | (228) | 15\% | (120) | 7\% | (58) | 14\% | (114) | 799 |
| 2022 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 25\% | (70) | 29\% | (82) | 10\% | (28) | 7\% | (20) | 30\% | (84) | 284 |
| 2020 Vote: Joe Biden | 39\% | (362) | 31\% | (288) | 10\% | (93) | 6\% | (54) | 15\% | (136) | 933 |
| 2020 Vote: Donald Trump | 34\% | (289) | 27\% | (234) | 16\% | (134) | 7\% | (57) | 16\% | (139) | 852 |
| 2020 Vote: Didn't Vote | 25\% | (38) | 29\% | (44) | 9\% | (13) | 8\% | (11) | 29\% | (44) | 151 |

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| Demographic | Very likely |  | Somewhat likely |  | Not too likely |  | Not likely at all |  | Don't know |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | $35 \%$ | (699) | 29\% | (575) | 12\% | (242) | 6\% | (123) | 17\% | (332) | 1970 |
| 2018 House Vote: Democrat | 41\% | (323) | 28\% | (219) | $11 \%$ | (89) | 6\% | (45) | 13\% | (105) | 781 |
| 2018 House Vote: Republican | 35\% | (245) | 30\% | (215) | 15\% | (105) | 7\% | (53) | 13\% | (92) | 710 |
| 2018 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 27\% | (120) | 30\% | (136) | 10\% | (45) | 6\% | (26) | 27\% | (120) | 448 |
| 4-Region: Northeast | 41\% | (142) | 28\% | (96) | 12\% | (43) | 6\% | (21) | 13\% | (45) | 348 |
| 4-Region: Midwest | 36\% | (160) | 31\% | (136) | 11\% | (50) | 4\% | (17) | 17\% | (76) | 438 |
| 4-Region: South | 32\% | (237) | 27\% | (202) | 13\% | (92) | 7\% | (49) | 21\% | (156) | 735 |
| 4-Region: West | $36 \%$ | (160) | 31\% | (140) | 13\% | (57) | 8\% | (36) | $12 \%$ | (55) | 449 |

[^35]Table MCFI10_3: If the U.S. government defaults on its debts, how likely do you think the following are?
It will not be able to pay veteran benefits

| Demographic | Very likely |  | Somewhat likely |  | Not too likely |  | Not likely at all |  | Don't know |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 35\% | (691) | 28\% | (542) | 13\% | (251) | 7\% | (131) | 18\% | (354) | 1970 |
| Gender: Male | $33 \%$ | (306) | 29\% | (270) | 17\% | (153) | 8\% | (75) | 13\% | (123) | 926 |
| Gender: Female | 37\% | (381) | 26\% | (272) | 9\% | (98) | 5\% | (57) | 22\% | (230) | 1039 |
| Age: 18-34 | 35\% | (176) | 29\% | (147) | 13\% | (64) | 6\% | (29) | 18\% | (92) | 507 |
| Age: 35-44 | 37\% | (113) | 28\% | (85) | 12\% | (37) | $4 \%$ | (13) | 19\% | (56) | 303 |
| Age: 45-64 | 33\% | (218) | 28\% | (187) | 11\% | (76) | 8\% | (55) | 20\% | (134) | 670 |
| Age: 65+ | 38\% | (185) | 25\% | (124) | 15\% | (74) | 7\% | (35) | 15\% | (72) | 490 |
| GenZers: 1997-2012 | 30\% | (46) | 24\% | (37) | 18\% | (27) | 5\% | (7) | 24\% | (38) | 155 |
| Millennials: 1981-1996 | 36\% | (218) | 31\% | (183) | 11\% | (67) | 5\% | (33) | 16\% | (97) | 598 |
| GenXers: 1965-1980 | 34\% | (160) | 28\% | (133) | 9\% | (44) | 5\% | (23) | 23\% | (108) | 467 |
| Baby Boomers: 1946-1964 | 36\% | (252) | 25\% | (178) | 14\% | (99) | 10\% | (69) | 15\% | (105) | 703 |
| PID: Dem (no lean) | 38\% | (309) | 29\% | (242) | 11\% | (89) | 5\% | (45) | 17\% | (139) | 824 |
| PID: Ind (no lean) | 32\% | (129) | 28\% | (113) | 16\% | (64) | 6\% | (22) | 19\% | (76) | 404 |
| PID: Rep (no lean) | $34 \%$ | (253) | 25\% | (187) | 13\% | (98) | 9\% | (64) | 19\% | (139) | 742 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Men | 37\% | (143) | 30\% | (117) | 14\% | (53) | 6\% | (23) | 14\% | (55) | 391 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Women | 38\% | (165) | 29\% | (125) | 8\% | (35) | 5\% | (22) | 19\% | (83) | 430 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Men | 28\% | (59) | 35\% | (73) | 20\% | (41) | 6\% | (12) | 11\% | (23) | 207 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Women | 35\% | (68) | 21\% | (41) | 12\% | (23) | 5\% | (10) | 27\% | (53) | 195 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Men | 32\% | (104) | 25\% | (81) | 18\% | (59) | 12\% | (39) | 14\% | (45) | 328 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Women | 36\% | (149) | 26\% | (107) | 10\% | (39) | 6\% | (25) | 23\% | (94) | 414 |
| Ideo: Liberal (1-3) | 44\% | (245) | 26\% | (143) | 11\% | (63) | 5\% | (29) | 14\% | (75) | 555 |
| Ideo: Moderate (4) | $31 \%$ | (177) | 33\% | (190) | 11\% | (63) | 6\% | (37) | 19\% | (109) | 576 |
| Ideo: Conservative (5-7) | $32 \%$ | (249) | 25\% | (195) | 16\% | (119) | 8\% | (65) | 18\% | (139) | 767 |
| Educ: < College | 37\% | (445) | 24\% | (287) | 11\% | (127) | 7\% | (81) | 21\% | (249) | 1189 |
| Educ: Bachelors degree | 28\% | (140) | 34\% | (166) | 17\% | (86) | 6\% | (28) | 15\% | (74) | 494 |
| Educ: Post-grad | 37\% | (106) | 31\% | (89) | 13\% | (37) | 8\% | (23) | 11\% | (32) | 286 |
| Income: Under 50k | 36\% | (296) | 25\% | (208) | 11\% | (91) | 5\% | (44) | 23\% | (194) | 832 |
| Income: 50k-100k | 34\% | (238) | 28\% | (199) | 15\% | (105) | 8\% | (58) | 15\% | (107) | 707 |
| Income: 100k+ | 37\% | (158) | 32\% | (136) | 13\% | (55) | 7\% | (29) | 12\% | (53) | 431 |
| Ethnicity: White | 35\% | (533) | 28\% | (422) | 14\% | (209) | 7\% | (107) | 17\% | (255) | 1527 |
| Ethnicity: Hispanic | 34\% | (74) | 24\% | (52) | 19\% | (42) | 8\% | (17) | 15\% | (34) | 219 |

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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 35\% | (691) | 28\% | (542) | 13\% | (251) | 7\% | (131) | 18\% | (354) | 1970 |
| Ethnicity: Black | 36\% | (91) | 26\% | (65) | 8\% | (20) | 5\% | (13) | 24\% | (61) | 249 |
| Ethnicity: Other | 35\% | (67) | 28\% | (55) | 11\% | (22) | 6\% | (11) | 20\% | (39) | 194 |
| All Christian | 36\% | (360) | 28\% | (282) | $14 \%$ | (139) | 8\% | (79) | 13\% | (131) | 991 |
| All Non-Christian | 40\% | (77) | 30\% | (57) | 11\% | (20) | 7\% | (13) | 12\% | (23) | 190 |
| Atheist | 25\% | (14) | $31 \%$ | (17) | 11\% | (6) | - | (0) | 33\% | (19) | 56 |
| Agnostic/Nothing in particular | 32\% | (141) | 25\% | (112) | 13\% | (59) | 7\% | (30) | 23\% | (104) | 446 |
| Something Else | 35\% | (99) | 26\% | (73) | 9\% | (27) | 4\% | (10) | 27\% | (77) | 286 |
| Religious Non-Protestant/Catholic | 44\% | (93) | 29\% | (61) | 10\% | (21) | 6\% | (13) | 11\% | (23) | 212 |
| Evangelical | 36\% | (194) | 26\% | (140) | 13\% | (67) | 8\% | (41) | 18\% | (95) | 538 |
| Non-Evangelical | 34\% | (238) | 29\% | (200) | $14 \%$ | (95) | 7\% | (47) | 16\% | (112) | 693 |
| Community: Urban | 37\% | (215) | 28\% | (159) | 12\% | (72) | 8\% | (48) | 15\% | (84) | 577 |
| Community: Suburban | 32\% | (289) | 30\% | (274) | 13\% | (115) | 7\% | (61) | 19\% | (168) | 907 |
| Community: Rural | 39\% | (187) | 23\% | (110) | 13\% | (64) | 5\% | (22) | 21\% | (102) | 485 |
| Employ: Private Sector | 34\% | (235) | 31\% | (211) | 14\% | (97) | 6\% | (44) | 15\% | (105) | 692 |
| Employ: Government | 44\% | (54) | 27\% | (33) | 10\% | (13) | 5\% | (6) | 14\% | (18) | 124 |
| Employ: Self-Employed | 32\% | (56) | 30\% | (53) | 15\% | (27) | 9\% | (16) | 14\% | (25) | 177 |
| Employ: Homemaker | 42\% | (52) | 27\% | (33) | 5\% | (6) | 5\% | (7) | 20\% | (25) | 123 |
| Employ: Student | 36\% | (19) | 27\% | (14) | 16\% | (9) | 5\% | (2) | 17\% | (9) | 53 |
| Employ: Retired | 35\% | (197) | 26\% | (149) | 15\% | (83) | 8\% | (44) | 16\% | (89) | 562 |
| Employ: Unemployed | 27\% | (38) | 19\% | (26) | 11\% | (15) | 6\% | (9) | 37\% | (52) | 140 |
| Employ: Other | 40\% | (39) | 23\% | (23) | 2\% | (2) | 3\% | (3) | 32\% | (32) | 98 |
| Military HH: Yes | 32\% | (97) | 24\% | (73) | 17\% | (51) | 9\% | (26) | 18\% | (53) | 299 |
| Military HH: No | 36\% | (595) | 28\% | (470) | 12\% | (200) | 6\% | (105) | 18\% | (301) | 1671 |
| 2022 House Vote: Democrat | 39\% | (335) | 29\% | (252) | 12\% | (100) | 5\% | (44) | 15\% | (128) | 858 |
| 2022 House Vote: Republican | 34\% | (268) | 27\% | (213) | 15\% | (120) | 8\% | (67) | 16\% | (130) | 799 |
| 2022 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 28\% | (79) | 25\% | (71) | 11\% | (30) | 6\% | (18) | 30\% | (86) | 284 |
| 2020 Vote: Joe Biden | 38\% | (352) | 30\% | (278) | 11\% | (104) | 5\% | (47) | 16\% | (152) | 933 |
| 2020 Vote: Donald Trump | 34\% | (288) | 25\% | (217) | 15\% | (126) | 9\% | (75) | 17\% | (145) | 852 |
| 2020 Vote: Didn't Vote | 28\% | (42) | 24\% | (37) | $12 \%$ | (18) | 6\% | (9) | 30\% | (45) | 151 |

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| Demographic | Very likely |  | Somewhat likely |  | Not too likely |  | Not likely at all |  | Don't know |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 35\% | (691) | 28\% | (542) | 13\% | (251) | 7\% | (131) | 18\% | (354) | 1970 |
| 2018 House Vote: Democrat | 40\% | (311) | 29\% | (224) | 12\% | (90) | 6\% | (44) | 14\% | (112) | 781 |
| 2018 House Vote: Republican | 34\% | (244) | 28\% | (196) | 15\% | (105) | 9\% | (61) | 15\% | (103) | 710 |
| 2018 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 28\% | (126) | 26\% | (117) | 12\% | (54) | 5\% | (24) | 28\% | (126) | 448 |
| 4-Region: Northeast | 36\% | (127) | $31 \%$ | (108) | 12\% | (40) | 6\% | (21) | 15\% | (52) | 348 |
| 4-Region: Midwest | $37 \%$ | (163) | 30\% | (131) | 9\% | (38) | 8\% | (33) | 17\% | (73) | 438 |
| 4-Region: South | $32 \%$ | (236) | 24\% | (175) | 14\% | (106) | 6\% | (45) | 24\% | (173) | 735 |
| 4-Region: West | 37\% | (165) | 29\% | (129) | 15\% | (67) | 7\% | (32) | 12\% | (56) | 449 |

[^38]Table MCFI10_4: If the U.S. government defaults on its debts, how likely do you think the following are?
The economy will worsen

| Demographic | Somewhat |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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[^39]Table MCFI10_4: If the U.S. government defaults on its debts, how likely do you think the following are?
The economy will worsen

| Demographic | Very likely |  | Somewhat likely |  | Not too likely |  | Not likely at all |  | Don't know |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 54\% | (1055) | 26\% | (520) | 5\% | (97) | 3\% | (62) | 12\% | (235) | 1970 |
| Ethnicity: Black | 45\% | (111) | 25\% | (63) | 7\% | (18) | 6\% | (16) | 16\% | (41) | 249 |
| Ethnicity: Other | 45\% | (88) | 32\% | (63) | 4\% | (7) | 2\% | (4) | 16\% | (32) | 194 |
| All Christian | 57\% | (566) | 27\% | (266) | 4\% | (43) | 3\% | (34) | 8\% | (83) | 991 |
| All Non-Christian | 54\% | (102) | 23\% | (43) | 10\% | (19) | $4 \%$ | (8) | 10\% | (18) | 190 |
| Atheist | 48\% | (27) | 21\% | (12) | 7\% | (4) | 2\% | (1) | 21\% | (12) | 56 |
| Agnostic/Nothing in particular | 45\% | (201) | $31 \%$ | (136) | $4 \%$ | (19) | 3\% | (13) | 17\% | (77) | 446 |
| Something Else | 55\% | (158) | 22\% | (63) | 4\% | (12) | $2 \%$ | (7) | 16\% | (45) | 286 |
| Religious Non-Protestant/Catholic | 57\% | (121) | 21\% | (45) | 9\% | (19) | $4 \%$ | (8) | 9\% | (20) | 212 |
| Evangelical | 56\% | (301) | 24\% | (129) | 5\% | (26) | 4\% | (24) | 11\% | (58) | 538 |
| Non-Evangelical | 57\% | (397) | 26\% | (182) | 4\% | (29) | 2\% | (16) | 10\% | (69) | 693 |
| Community: Urban | 50\% | (289) | 25\% | (142) | 8\% | (47) | 6\% | (34) | 11\% | (65) | 577 |
| Community: Suburban | 55\% | (496) | 28\% | (253) | 4\% | (33) | 3\% | (26) | 11\% | (99) | 907 |
| Community: Rural | 56\% | (270) | 26\% | (125) | 3\% | (17) | - | (2) | 15\% | (71) | 485 |
| Employ: Private Sector | 50\% | (348) | 32\% | (224) | 5\% | (34) | $5 \%$ | (34) | 7\% | (52) | 692 |
| Employ: Government | 58\% | (72) | 17\% | (22) | 12\% | (15) | 5\% | (6) | 7\% | (9) | 124 |
| Employ: Self-Employed | 51\% | (90) | 30\% | (53) | 4\% | (8) | 3\% | (5) | 12\% | (21) | 177 |
| Employ: Homemaker | 56\% | (69) | 23\% | (29) | - | (0) | 3\% | (4) | 18\% | (22) | 123 |
| Employ: Student | 55\% | (29) | 20\% | (10) | 9\% | (5) | $4 \%$ | (2) | 12\% | (7) | 53 |
| Employ: Retired | 61\% | (344) | 23\% | (128) | 4\% | (25) | 1\% | (8) | 10\% | (57) | 562 |
| Employ: Unemployed | 44\% | (62) | 20\% | (28) | 5\% | (7) | 3\% | (4) | 29\% | (40) | 140 |
| Employ: Other | 43\% | (43) | 26\% | (26) | $3 \%$ | (3) | - | (0) | 28\% | (27) | 98 |
| Military HH: Yes | 59\% | (176) | 21\% | (63) | 4\% | (11) | $4 \%$ | (13) | 12\% | (36) | 299 |
| Military HH: No | 53\% | (880) | 27\% | (457) | 5\% | (86) | 3\% | (49) | 12\% | (199) | 1671 |
| 2022 House Vote: Democrat | 53\% | (456) | 28\% | (241) | 6\% | (49) | 3\% | (29) | 10\% | (83) | 858 |
| 2022 House Vote: Republican | 59\% | (474) | 24\% | (196) | 4\% | (33) | $2 \%$ | (16) | 10\% | (80) | 799 |
| 2022 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 39\% | (111) | 27\% | (78) | 4\% | (13) | 5\% | (14) | 24\% | (68) | 284 |
| 2020 Vote: Joe Biden | 51\% | (474) | 30\% | (278) | 5\% | (47) | $4 \%$ | (36) | 10\% | (97) | 933 |
| 2020 Vote: Donald Trump | 58\% | (496) | 24\% | (205) | 4\% | (37) | $2 \%$ | (20) | 11\% | (94) | 852 |
| 2020 Vote: Didn't Vote | 44\% | (66) | 21\% | (32) | 6\% | (9) | 3\% | (5) | 25\% | (38) | 151 |

[^40]Table MCFI10_4: If the U.S. government defaults on its debts, how likely do you think the following are?
The economy will worsen

| Demographic | Very likely |  | Somewhat likely |  | Not too likely |  | Not likely at all |  | Don't know |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 54\% | (1055) | 26\% | (520) | 5\% | (97) | 3\% | (62) | 12\% | (235) | 1970 |
| 2018 House Vote: Democrat | 52\% | (408) | 29\% | (227) | 5\% | (43) | $4 \%$ | (28) | 10\% | (75) | 781 |
| 2018 House Vote: Republican | 62\% | (440) | 22\% | (159) | 5\% | (32) | 3\% | (19) | 8\% | (60) | 710 |
| 2018 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 43\% | (193) | 28\% | (126) | 5\% | (21) | 3\% | (14) | 21\% | (94) | 448 |
| 4-Region: Northeast | 57\% | (197) | 28\% | (97) | 6\% | (21) | 3\% | (10) | 7\% | (23) | 348 |
| 4-Region: Midwest | 58\% | (254) | 25\% | (109) | 3\% | (15) | 2\% | (9) | 12\% | (51) | 438 |
| 4-Region: South | 51\% | (377) | 26\% | (188) | 5\% | (38) | 3\% | (21) | 15\% | (110) | 735 |
| 4-Region: West | 51\% | (227) | 28\% | (126) | 5\% | (23) | 5\% | (22) | $11 \%$ | (51) | 449 |

[^41]Table MCFI10_5: If the U.S. government defaults on its debts, how likely do you think the following are?
It will rescind the new Internal Revenue Service (IRS) funding

| Demographic | Very likely |  | Somewhat likely |  | Not too likely |  | Not likely at all |  | Don't know |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 27\% | (537) | 29\% | (572) | 12\% | (237) | 6\% | (117) | 26\% | (507) | 1970 |
| Gender: Male | 28\% | (255) | $32 \%$ | (300) | 15\% | (141) | 7\% | (61) | 18\% | (169) | 926 |
| Gender: Female | 27\% | (281) | 26\% | (270) | 9\% | (96) | 5\% | (55) | 32\% | (337) | 1039 |
| Age: 18-34 | 28\% | (144) | $33 \%$ | (168) | 12\% | (58) | 5\% | (23) | 22\% | (114) | 507 |
| Age: 35-44 | $32 \%$ | (98) | $31 \%$ | (94) | 9\% | (27) | 6\% | (17) | 22\% | (67) | 303 |
| Age: 45-64 | 25\% | (168) | 27\% | (182) | 14\% | (93) | 6\% | (43) | 27\% | (184) | 670 |
| Age: 65+ | 26\% | (127) | 26\% | (128) | 12\% | (59) | 7\% | (35) | 29\% | (142) | 490 |
| GenZers: 1997-2012 | 18\% | (28) | $31 \%$ | (49) | 19\% | (30) | $4 \%$ | (6) | 27\% | (43) | 155 |
| Millennials: 1981-1996 | 33\% | (197) | $33 \%$ | (196) | 9\% | (52) | 6\% | (33) | 20\% | (120) | 598 |
| GenXers: 1965-1980 | 25\% | (116) | 29\% | (134) | 12\% | (56) | $4 \%$ | (20) | 30\% | (142) | 467 |
| Baby Boomers: 1946-1964 | 26\% | (185) | 26\% | (179) | 14\% | (95) | 8\% | (56) | 27\% | (187) | 703 |
| PID: Dem (no lean) | 29\% | (236) | 32\% | (265) | 10\% | (80) | 5\% | (41) | 25\% | (203) | 824 |
| PID: Ind (no lean) | 22\% | (87) | 29\% | (117) | 16\% | (63) | 5\% | (22) | 28\% | (115) | 404 |
| PID: Rep (no lean) | 29\% | (213) | 26\% | (190) | 13\% | (94) | 7\% | (55) | 26\% | (190) | 742 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Men | 30\% | (117) | $34 \%$ | (132) | 12\% | (46) | 6\% | (25) | 18\% | (72) | 391 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Women | 28\% | (119) | $31 \%$ | (132) | 8\% | (33) | 4\% | (16) | 30\% | (129) | 430 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Men | 23\% | (47) | 35\% | (72) | 18\% | (37) | 5\% | (11) | 19\% | (40) | 207 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Women | 21\% | (41) | 22\% | (43) | 13\% | (26) | 5\% | (10) | 38\% | (75) | 195 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Men | 28\% | (92) | 29\% | (96) | 17\% | (57) | 8\% | (26) | 18\% | (57) | 328 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Women | 29\% | (121) | 23\% | (94) | 9\% | (37) | 7\% | (29) | 32\% | (132) | 414 |
| Ideo: Liberal (1-3) | 32\% | (176) | 29\% | (162) | 12\% | (68) | 5\% | (27) | 22\% | (122) | 555 |
| Ideo: Moderate (4) | 25\% | (141) | 33\% | (187) | 13\% | (72) | $4 \%$ | (24) | 26\% | (151) | 576 |
| Ideo: Conservative (5-7) | 27\% | (204) | 27\% | (211) | 12\% | (92) | 8\% | (64) | 26\% | (196) | 767 |
| Educ: < College | 27\% | (321) | 26\% | (314) | 11\% | (126) | 5\% | (64) | 31\% | (364) | 1189 |
| Educ: Bachelors degree | 23\% | (116) | 36\% | (177) | 15\% | (75) | 6\% | (27) | 20\% | (100) | 494 |
| Educ: Post-grad | 35\% | (100) | 28\% | (81) | 13\% | (36) | 9\% | (26) | 15\% | (43) | 286 |
| Income: Under 50k | 27\% | (228) | 26\% | (218) | 10\% | (83) | $4 \%$ | (34) | $32 \%$ | (270) | 832 |
| Income: 50k-100k | 25\% | (174) | 34\% | (242) | 12\% | (88) | 7\% | (53) | 21\% | (150) | 707 |
| Income: 100k+ | 31\% | (135) | 26\% | (112) | 15\% | (66) | 7\% | (31) | 20\% | (87) | 431 |
| Ethnicity: White | 28\% | (424) | 29\% | (436) | 12\% | (180) | 6\% | (92) | 26\% | (394) | 1527 |
| Ethnicity: Hispanic | 25\% | (55) | 32\% | (71) | 12\% | (27) | $11 \%$ | (25) | 19\% | (42) | 219 |

[^42]Table MCFI10_5: If the U.S. government defaults on its debts, how likely do you think the following are?
It will rescind the new Internal Revenue Service (IRS) funding

| Demographic | Very likely |  | Somewhat likely |  | Not too likely |  | Not likely at all |  | Don't know |  | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Total } \mathbf{N} \\ 1970 \end{array}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 27\% | (537) | 29\% | (572) | 12\% | (237) | 6\% | (117) | 26\% | (507) |  |
| Ethnicity: Black | 24\% | (61) | 33\% | (83) | 10\% | (24) | 6\% | (16) | 26\% | (65) | 249 |
| Ethnicity: Other | 26\% | (51) | 27\% | (53) | 17\% | (32) | 5\% | (9) | 25\% | (48) | 194 |
| All Christian | 29\% | (284) | 30\% | (295) | 13\% | (127) | 7\% | (69) | 22\% | (217) | 991 |
| All Non-Christian | 38\% | (73) | 27\% | (52) | $11 \%$ | (20) | 8\% | (15) | 15\% | (29) | 190 |
| Atheist | 12\% | (7) | 38\% | (21) | 8\% | (5) | - | (0) | 42\% | (24) | 56 |
| Agnostic/Nothing in particular | 19\% | (87) | 27\% | (121) | 15\% | (67) | $5 \%$ | (22) | $34 \%$ | (150) | 446 |
| Something Else | 30\% | (86) | 29\% | (83) | 6\% | (18) | 4\% | (12) | 30\% | (87) | 286 |
| Religious Non-Protestant/Catholic | 41\% | (86) | 26\% | (55) | $11 \%$ | (23) | 7\% | (16) | 16\% | (33) | 212 |
| Evangelical | 29\% | (157) | 32\% | (173) | $11 \%$ | (57) | 5\% | (27) | 23\% | (123) | 538 |
| Non-Evangelical | 27\% | (190) | 28\% | (192) | 12\% | (84) | 7\% | (51) | 25\% | (176) | 693 |
| Community: Urban | 29\% | (169) | 30\% | (175) | 12\% | (70) | 8\% | (47) | 20\% | (117) | 577 |
| Community: Suburban | 24\% | (221) | 30\% | (272) | 13\% | (118) | 5\% | (48) | 27\% | (249) | 907 |
| Community: Rural | 30\% | (147) | 26\% | (125) | 10\% | (49) | 5\% | (22) | 29\% | (141) | 485 |
| Employ: Private Sector | 28\% | (194) | 32\% | (220) | 13\% | (88) | 7\% | (49) | 20\% | (141) | 692 |
| Employ: Government | 37\% | (45) | $31 \%$ | (38) | $14 \%$ | (17) | 3\% | (3) | 16\% | (20) | 124 |
| Employ: Self-Employed | 28\% | (49) | 33\% | (58) | 13\% | (24) | 6\% | (11) | 20\% | (35) | 177 |
| Employ: Homemaker | 28\% | (35) | $31 \%$ | (38) | 3\% | (4) | 6\% | (8) | 32\% | (39) | 123 |
| Employ: Student | 28\% | (15) | 36\% | (19) | 10\% | (6) | - | (0) | 26\% | (14) | 53 |
| Employ: Retired | 26\% | (148) | 25\% | (141) | 14\% | (79) | 7\% | (40) | 28\% | (155) | 562 |
| Employ: Unemployed | 23\% | (33) | $21 \%$ | (29) | 8\% | (12) | 3\% | (5) | 44\% | (62) | 140 |
| Employ: Other | 18\% | (18) | 30\% | (29) | $7 \%$ | (7) | 1\% | (1) | 43\% | (42) | 98 |
| Military HH: Yes | 30\% | (89) | 26\% | (78) | 10\% | (31) | 7\% | (20) | 27\% | (82) | 299 |
| Military HH: No | 27\% | (448) | 30\% | (494) | 12\% | (206) | 6\% | (98) | 25\% | (425) | 1671 |
| 2022 House Vote: Democrat | 29\% | (248) | $31 \%$ | (269) | $12 \%$ | (103) | 5\% | (44) | 23\% | (195) | 858 |
| 2022 House Vote: Republican | 28\% | (227) | 27\% | (212) | 14\% | (108) | 7\% | (56) | $24 \%$ | (195) | 799 |
| 2022 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 19\% | (54) | 30\% | (86) | 8\% | (23) | 5\% | (15) | 37\% | (106) | 284 |
| 2020 Vote: Joe Biden | 28\% | (258) | 32\% | (295) | $11 \%$ | (103) | 5\% | (49) | 25\% | (229) | 933 |
| 2020 Vote: Donald Trump | 27\% | (231) | 27\% | (227) | $14 \%$ | (117) | 7\% | (59) | 26\% | (218) | 852 |
| 2020 Vote: Didn't Vote | 25\% | (38) | 29\% | (44) | 9\% | (13) | 5\% | (8) | $31 \%$ | (47) | 151 |

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Table MCFI10_5: If the U.S. government defaults on its debts, how likely do you think the following are?
It will rescind the new Internal Revenue Service (IRS) funding

| Demographic | Very likely |  | Somewhat likely |  | Not too likely |  | Not likely at all |  | Don't know |  | $\frac{\text { Total N }}{1970}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 27\% | (537) | 29\% | (572) | 12\% | (237) | 6\% | (117) | 26\% | (507) |  |
| 2018 House Vote: Democrat | 29\% | (224) | 33\% | (257) | 12\% | (90) | 5\% | (36) | 22\% | (175) | 781 |
| 2018 House Vote: Republican | 29\% | (204) | 27\% | (190) | $14 \%$ | (103) | 8\% | (54) | 22\% | (159) | 710 |
| 2018 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 23\% | (101) | 27\% | (121) | 9\% | (39) | 6\% | (26) | 36\% | (160) | 448 |
| 4-Region: Northeast | 29\% | (99) | 34\% | (117) | 9\% | (32) | 5\% | (18) | 23\% | (81) | 348 |
| 4-Region: Midwest | 25\% | (108) | 28\% | (121) | $14 \%$ | (61) | 6\% | (25) | 28\% | (123) | 438 |
| 4-Region: South | 28\% | (204) | 28\% | (202) | $11 \%$ | (79) | 5\% | (37) | 29\% | (212) | 735 |
| 4-Region: West | 28\% | (125) | 29\% | (131) | $14 \%$ | (64) | 8\% | (37) | 20\% | (92) | 449 |

[^43]Table MCFI10_6: If the U.S. government defaults on its debts, how likely do you think the following are?
Yields on U.S. treasuries rising and making it more costly to take loans out

| Demographic | Very likely |  | Somewhat likely |  | Not too likely |  | Not likely at all |  | Don't know |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 42\% | (819) | 31\% | (619) | 6\% | (119) | 3\% | (58) | 18\% | (355) | 1970 |
| Gender: Male | $41 \%$ | (379) | 35\% | (321) | 8\% | (73) | 5\% | (43) | 12\% | (110) | 926 |
| Gender: Female | 42\% | (437) | 29\% | (297) | $4 \%$ | (45) | 2\% | (16) | 23\% | (244) | 1039 |
| Age: 18-34 | $38 \%$ | (191) | 29\% | (148) | 9\% | (43) | 4\% | (20) | 21\% | (105) | 507 |
| Age: 35-44 | $38 \%$ | (114) | 33\% | (101) | 9\% | (28) | 3\% | (10) | 16\% | (49) | 303 |
| Age: 45-64 | 42\% | (279) | $32 \%$ | (211) | 5\% | (35) | 3\% | (18) | 19\% | (127) | 670 |
| Age: 65+ | 48\% | (235) | $32 \%$ | (159) | 3\% | (13) | 2\% | (10) | 15\% | (74) | 490 |
| GenZers: 1997-2012 | $31 \%$ | (47) | 26\% | (40) | 12\% | (19) | $3 \%$ | (5) | 29\% | (45) | 155 |
| Millennials: 1981-1996 | 39\% | (234) | $32 \%$ | (193) | 8\% | (49) | $4 \%$ | (26) | 16\% | (96) | 598 |
| GenXers: 1965-1980 | $38 \%$ | (179) | 33\% | (156) | 5\% | (23) | $2 \%$ | (10) | 21\% | (99) | 467 |
| Baby Boomers: 1946-1964 | 49\% | (346) | 30\% | (210) | 4\% | (25) | $2 \%$ | (17) | 15\% | (105) | 703 |
| PID: Dem (no lean) | 40\% | (332) | $31 \%$ | (254) | 7\% | (55) | $4 \%$ | (34) | 18\% | (148) | 824 |
| PID: Ind (no lean) | $41 \%$ | (164) | $31 \%$ | (126) | 6\% | (24) | $2 \%$ | (9) | 20\% | (82) | 404 |
| PID: Rep (no lean) | 43\% | (322) | $32 \%$ | (239) | 5\% | (40) | $2 \%$ | (16) | 17\% | (125) | 742 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Men | 39\% | (152) | 32\% | (125) | 9\% | (35) | 6\% | (25) | 14\% | (55) | 391 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Women | 42\% | (179) | 30\% | (129) | 5\% | (21) | 2\% | (9) | 21\% | (92) | 430 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Men | 41\% | (86) | 38\% | (78) | 8\% | (16) | 3\% | (6) | 10\% | (21) | 207 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Women | 39\% | (76) | 24\% | (47) | $4 \%$ | (8) | 1\% | (3) | $31 \%$ | (61) | 195 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Men | 43\% | (141) | 36\% | (118) | 7\% | (23) | $4 \%$ | (12) | 10\% | (34) | 328 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Women | 44\% | (181) | 29\% | (121) | 4\% | (17) | 1\% | (5) | 22\% | (91) | 414 |
| Ideo: Liberal (1-3) | 46\% | (258) | 30\% | (169) | 5\% | (26) | $4 \%$ | (22) | 14\% | (80) | 555 |
| Ideo: Moderate (4) | 38\% | (217) | 32\% | (185) | 9\% | (53) | $2 \%$ | (12) | 19\% | (109) | 576 |
| Ideo: Conservative (5-7) | $42 \%$ | (323) | 33\% | (257) | 5\% | (37) | 3\% | (21) | 17\% | (129) | 767 |
| Educ: < College | 41\% | (492) | 28\% | (332) | 6\% | (66) | 3\% | (37) | 22\% | (262) | 1189 |
| Educ: Bachelors degree | $38 \%$ | (189) | 38\% | (190) | 8\% | (39) | 2\% | (11) | 13\% | (65) | 494 |
| Educ: Post-grad | 48\% | (138) | 34\% | (97) | 5\% | (14) | $4 \%$ | (10) | 10\% | (28) | 286 |
| Income: Under 50k | 40\% | (334) | 28\% | (235) | 6\% | (47) | 2\% | (19) | 24\% | (197) | 832 |
| Income: $50 \mathrm{k}-100 \mathrm{k}$ | 41\% | (292) | $34 \%$ | (240) | 7\% | (48) | 3\% | (24) | 15\% | (103) | 707 |
| Income: $100 \mathrm{k}+$ | 45\% | (193) | 33\% | (144) | 6\% | (24) | 3\% | (15) | 13\% | (55) | 431 |
| Ethnicity: White | 43\% | (650) | $32 \%$ | (487) | 6\% | (85) | $3 \%$ | (38) | 17\% | (267) | 1527 |
| Ethnicity: Hispanic | $41 \%$ | (90) | 28\% | (62) | 6\% | (12) | 8\% | (17) | 17\% | (37) | 219 |

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| Demographic | Very likely |  | Somewhat likely |  | Not too likely |  | Not likely at all |  | Don't know |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 42\% | (819) | 31\% | (619) | 6\% | (119) | 3\% | (58) | 18\% | (355) | 1970 |
| Ethnicity: Black | 39\% | (97) | 28\% | (70) | 9\% | (22) | 4\% | (10) | 20\% | (51) | 249 |
| Ethnicity: Other | 37\% | (72) | 33\% | (63) | 6\% | (12) | 5\% | (10) | 19\% | (37) | 194 |
| All Christian | 44\% | (432) | 35\% | (343) | 5\% | (54) | 3\% | (27) | 14\% | (135) | 991 |
| All Non-Christian | 46\% | (88) | 26\% | (49) | 7\% | (14) | 7\% | (12) | 14\% | (26) | 190 |
| Atheist | 32\% | (18) | 27\% | (15) | 7\% | (4) | - | (0) | 34\% | (19) | 56 |
| Agnostic/Nothing in particular | 35\% | (154) | 29\% | (131) | 8\% | (34) | 3\% | (12) | 26\% | (115) | 446 |
| Something Else | 44\% | (127) | 28\% | (80) | 5\% | (14) | 2\% | (7) | 21\% | (59) | 286 |
| Religious Non-Protestant/Catholic | 49\% | (103) | 26\% | (54) | 7\% | (15) | 6\% | (12) | 13\% | (28) | 212 |
| Evangelical | 44\% | (234) | 32\% | (173) | 6\% | (30) | 4\% | (20) | 15\% | (81) | 538 |
| Non-Evangelical | 43\% | (301) | 34\% | (234) | 5\% | (35) | 2\% | (12) | 16\% | (110) | 693 |
| Community: Urban | 39\% | (228) | 31\% | (182) | 9\% | (50) | 6\% | (33) | 15\% | (85) | 577 |
| Community: Suburban | 41\% | (373) | 33\% | (297) | 6\% | (51) | 2\% | (21) | 18\% | (167) | 907 |
| Community: Rural | 45\% | (218) | 29\% | (141) | $4 \%$ | (18) | 1\% | (5) | 21\% | (103) | 485 |
| Employ: Private Sector | 39\% | (266) | 34\% | (237) | 9\% | (61) | 4\% | (29) | 14\% | (99) | 692 |
| Employ: Government | 52\% | (65) | 29\% | (35) | 7\% | (9) | 1\% | (2) | 10\% | (13) | 124 |
| Employ: Self-Employed | 35\% | (62) | 33\% | (59) | 9\% | (16) | 4\% | (7) | 19\% | (33) | 177 |
| Employ: Homemaker | 39\% | (48) | 32\% | (40) | $4 \%$ | (6) | 3\% | (3) | 22\% | (27) | 123 |
| Employ: Student | 43\% | (23) | 28\% | (15) | $4 \%$ | (2) | 7\% | (4) | 18\% | (9) | 53 |
| Employ: Retired | 48\% | (271) | 31\% | (177) | 3\% | (17) | 2\% | (8) | 16\% | (89) | 562 |
| Employ: Unemployed | 32\% | (45) | 23\% | (32) | $4 \%$ | (5) | 3\% | (5) | 38\% | (54) | 140 |
| Employ: Other | 40\% | (39) | 25\% | (24) | 3\% | (3) | - | (0) | 32\% | (32) | 98 |
| Military HH: Yes | 48\% | (142) | 30\% | (91) | 5\% | (16) | 2\% | (7) | 14\% | (43) | 299 |
| Military HH: No | 40\% | (677) | 32\% | (528) | 6\% | (103) | 3\% | (52) | 19\% | (312) | 1671 |
| 2022 House Vote: Democrat | 43\% | (368) | 32\% | (275) | 6\% | (52) | 3\% | (29) | 16\% | (135) | 858 |
| 2022 House Vote: Republican | 45\% | (360) | 32\% | (256) | 6\% | (46) | 2\% | (15) | 15\% | (123) | 799 |
| 2022 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 29\% | (81) | 28\% | (81) | 7\% | (19) | 5\% | (14) | 31\% | (89) | 284 |
| 2020 Vote: Joe Biden | 42\% | (392) | 32\% | (296) | 6\% | (59) | 3\% | (30) | 17\% | (155) | 933 |
| 2020 Vote: Donald Trump | 43\% | (370) | 31\% | (267) | 6\% | (49) | 2\% | (21) | 17\% | (145) | 852 |
| 2020 Vote: Didn't Vote | 30\% | (45) | $31 \%$ | (47) | 6\% | (9) | 4\% | (7) | 29\% | (43) | 151 |

[^45]Table MCFI10_6: If the U.S. government defaults on its debts, how likely do you think the following are?
Yields on U.S. treasuries rising and making it more costly to take loans out

| Demographic | Very likely |  | Somewhat likely |  | Not too likely |  | Not likely at all |  | Don't know |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 42\% | (819) | 31\% | (619) | 6\% | (119) | 3\% | (58) | 18\% | (355) | 1970 |
| 2018 House Vote: Democrat | 44\% | (341) | 33\% | (255) | 5\% | (40) | 4\% | (29) | 15\% | (117) | 781 |
| 2018 House Vote: Republican | 46\% | (324) | 33\% | (235) | 6\% | (42) | 2\% | (14) | 13\% | (95) | 710 |
| 2018 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 32\% | (143) | 28\% | (124) | 8\% | (36) | 3\% | (14) | 29\% | (131) | 448 |
| 4-Region: Northeast | 43\% | (150) | 30\% | (104) | 6\% | (20) | 2\% | (8) | 19\% | (65) | 348 |
| 4-Region: Midwest | 43\% | (188) | 33\% | (147) | 3\% | (14) | 3\% | (12) | 18\% | (78) | 438 |
| 4-Region: South | 41\% | (302) | 30\% | (219) | 7\% | (51) | 3\% | (19) | 20\% | (144) | 735 |
| 4-Region: West | 40\% | (178) | 33\% | (149) | 8\% | (34) | 4\% | (20) | 15\% | (68) | 449 |

[^46]Table MCFI10_7: If the U.S. government defaults on its debts, how likely do you think the following are?
Widespread job losses across the country

| Demographic | Very likely |  | Somewhat likely |  | Not too likely |  | Not likely at all |  | Don't know |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | $34 \%$ | (673) | $31 \%$ | (604) | 14\% | (276) | 5\% | (94) | 16\% | (324) | 1970 |
| Gender: Male | $31 \%$ | (291) | 34\% | (314) | 18\% | (169) | 6\% | (52) | 11\% | (101) | 926 |
| Gender: Female | 37\% | (380) | 28\% | (290) | 10\% | (106) | $4 \%$ | (42) | 21\% | (220) | 1039 |
| Age: 18-34 | 35\% | (177) | 32\% | (163) | 11\% | (58) | $4 \%$ | (22) | 17\% | (88) | 507 |
| Age: 35-44 | 36\% | (107) | $31 \%$ | (95) | 13\% | (40) | 3\% | (10) | 17\% | (50) | 303 |
| Age: 45-64 | 30\% | (200) | 30\% | (204) | 15\% | (101) | 6\% | (41) | 18\% | (123) | 670 |
| Age: 65+ | $38 \%$ | (188) | 29\% | (143) | 16\% | (76) | $4 \%$ | (21) | 13\% | (63) | 490 |
| GenZers: 1997-2012 | 29\% | (45) | 31\% | (47) | 14\% | (22) | 5\% | (8) | 21\% | (33) | 155 |
| Millennials: 1981-1996 | 37\% | (222) | 32\% | (190) | 12\% | (71) | 4\% | (23) | 15\% | (92) | 598 |
| GenXers: 1965-1980 | 30\% | (143) | 30\% | (138) | 13\% | (61) | 5\% | (21) | 22\% | (105) | 467 |
| Baby Boomers: 1946-1964 | 36\% | (251) | 30\% | (211) | 16\% | (112) | 6\% | (40) | 13\% | (90) | 703 |
| PID: Dem (no lean) | 34\% | (284) | 34\% | (284) | 11\% | (94) | 5\% | (39) | 15\% | (124) | 824 |
| PID: Ind (no lean) | $34 \%$ | (137) | 25\% | (100) | 18\% | (74) | 5\% | (19) | 18\% | (74) | 404 |
| PID: Rep (no lean) | $34 \%$ | (252) | 30\% | (220) | 15\% | (108) | 5\% | (36) | 17\% | (127) | 742 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Men | 35\% | (137) | 35\% | (137) | 14\% | (56) | 6\% | (23) | 10\% | (39) | 391 |
| PID/Gender: Dem Women | 34\% | (147) | 34\% | (147) | 9\% | (38) | $4 \%$ | (15) | 19\% | (83) | 430 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Men | 30\% | (62) | 33\% | (68) | 21\% | (44) | 6\% | (12) | 10\% | (21) | 207 |
| PID/Gender: Ind Women | 38\% | (74) | 16\% | (32) | 15\% | (30) | $4 \%$ | (8) | 27\% | (52) | 195 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Men | 28\% | (92) | 33\% | (109) | 21\% | (69) | 5\% | (17) | 13\% | (41) | 328 |
| PID/Gender: Rep Women | 38\% | (159) | 27\% | (111) | 9\% | (39) | 5\% | (19) | 21\% | (85) | 414 |
| Ideo: Liberal (1-3) | 36\% | (203) | 34\% | (187) | 14\% | (76) | 4\% | (25) | 12\% | (65) | 555 |
| Ideo: Moderate (4) | 34\% | (193) | 32\% | (185) | 12\% | (72) | 5\% | (27) | 17\% | (100) | 576 |
| Ideo: Conservative (5-7) | $34 \%$ | (258) | 29\% | (219) | 16\% | (122) | 5\% | (40) | 17\% | (129) | 767 |
| Educ: < College | 36\% | (423) | 28\% | (327) | 12\% | (142) | 5\% | (58) | 20\% | (239) | 1189 |
| Educ: Bachelors degree | 29\% | (144) | 36\% | (177) | 19\% | (92) | $4 \%$ | (20) | 12\% | (60) | 494 |
| Educ: Post-grad | 37\% | (106) | 35\% | (99) | 14\% | (41) | 5\% | (15) | 9\% | (25) | 286 |
| Income: Under 50k | 33\% | (278) | 28\% | (234) | 12\% | (102) | $4 \%$ | (35) | 22\% | (184) | 832 |
| Income: 50k-100k | 34\% | (237) | 34\% | (244) | 15\% | (107) | $4 \%$ | (31) | 12\% | (88) | 707 |
| Income: 100k+ | 37\% | (158) | 29\% | (126) | 15\% | (67) | 6\% | (28) | 12\% | (52) | 431 |
| Ethnicity: White | 35\% | (533) | 30\% | (460) | 15\% | (236) | 4\% | (65) | 15\% | (233) | 1527 |
| Ethnicity: Hispanic | 37\% | (80) | 30\% | (65) | 13\% | (29) | 5\% | (12) | 15\% | (33) | 219 |

[^47]Table MCFI10_7: If the U.S. government defaults on its debts, how likely do you think the following are? Widespread job losses across the country

| Demographic | Very likely |  | Somewhat likely |  | Not too likely |  | Not likely at all |  | Don't know |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | $34 \%$ | (673) | $31 \%$ | (604) | 14\% | (276) | 5\% | (94) | 16\% | (324) | 1970 |
| Ethnicity: Black | $33 \%$ | (83) | 32\% | (80) | 6\% | (15) | 7\% | (19) | $21 \%$ | (52) | 249 |
| Ethnicity: Other | 29\% | (57) | $33 \%$ | (63) | 13\% | (25) | 5\% | (10) | 20\% | (39) | 194 |
| All Christian | 35\% | (348) | 33\% | (323) | 15\% | (149) | 5\% | (52) | 12\% | (119) | 991 |
| All Non-Christian | 39\% | (74) | $32 \%$ | (60) | 11\% | (20) | 7\% | (14) | 11\% | (22) | 190 |
| Atheist | 26\% | (15) | $31 \%$ | (17) | 10\% | (6) | - | (0) | 33\% | (19) | 56 |
| Agnostic/Nothing in particular | 26\% | (117) | 30\% | (134) | 17\% | (76) | 4\% | (20) | 22\% | (100) | 446 |
| Something Else | 42\% | (119) | 24\% | (69) | 9\% | (25) | 3\% | (8) | 23\% | (65) | 286 |
| Religious Non-Protestant/Catholic | 41\% | (88) | 31\% | (66) | 10\% | (22) | 7\% | (14) | 10\% | (22) | 212 |
| Evangelical | 36\% | (192) | 30\% | (163) | 13\% | (70) | 5\% | (25) | 16\% | (88) | 538 |
| Non-Evangelical | 36\% | (251) | $31 \%$ | (213) | 14\% | (99) | 5\% | (34) | 14\% | (96) | 693 |
| Community: Urban | 35\% | (202) | 29\% | (165) | 15\% | (84) | 8\% | (44) | 15\% | (84) | 577 |
| Community: Suburban | $32 \%$ | (286) | 34\% | (306) | 14\% | (131) | $4 \%$ | (40) | 16\% | (144) | 907 |
| Community: Rural | 38\% | (185) | 28\% | (133) | 12\% | (61) | $2 \%$ | (10) | 20\% | (96) | 485 |
| Employ: Private Sector | $33 \%$ | (228) | 33\% | (232) | 15\% | (104) | 5\% | (36) | 13\% | (92) | 692 |
| Employ: Government | 50\% | (62) | 23\% | (28) | 15\% | (19) | 5\% | (6) | 7\% | (8) | 124 |
| Employ: Self-Employed | 26\% | (45) | 37\% | (66) | 17\% | (29) | 6\% | (11) | 15\% | (26) | 177 |
| Employ: Homemaker | 31\% | (39) | 37\% | (46) | 5\% | (7) | $4 \%$ | (5) | 22\% | (27) | 123 |
| Employ: Student | $33 \%$ | (18) | $32 \%$ | (17) | 7\% | (4) | 4\% | (2) | 24\% | (13) | 53 |
| Employ: Retired | 37\% | (210) | 28\% | (158) | 16\% | (89) | 5\% | (26) | 14\% | (79) | 562 |
| Employ: Unemployed | 29\% | (41) | 20\% | (28) | 9\% | (13) | 4\% | (6) | 38\% | (54) | 140 |
| Employ: Other | 30\% | (30) | 30\% | (30) | 12\% | (12) | 2\% | (2) | 25\% | (25) | 98 |
| Military HH: Yes | 36\% | (107) | 28\% | (84) | 15\% | (46) | 5\% | (15) | 16\% | (48) | 299 |
| Military HH: No | $34 \%$ | (566) | $31 \%$ | (520) | 14\% | (230) | 5\% | (79) | 17\% | (276) | 1671 |
| 2022 House Vote: Democrat | 35\% | (302) | 35\% | (297) | 13\% | (109) | $4 \%$ | (38) | 13\% | (112) | 858 |
| 2022 House Vote: Republican | 35\% | (279) | 29\% | (229) | 16\% | (132) | 5\% | (41) | 15\% | (119) | 799 |
| 2022 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 29\% | (82) | 26\% | (74) | 11\% | (31) | 5\% | (13) | 30\% | (84) | 284 |
| 2020 Vote: Joe Biden | $33 \%$ | (312) | 35\% | (328) | 12\% | (116) | 5\% | (43) | 14\% | (134) | 933 |
| 2020 Vote: Donald Trump | 36\% | (307) | 27\% | (226) | 17\% | (143) | 5\% | (39) | 16\% | (136) | 852 |
| 2020 Vote: Didn't Vote | 28\% | (42) | 29\% | (44) | 7\% | (10) | 7\% | (11) | 29\% | (43) | 151 |

[^48]Table MCFI10_7: If the U.S. government defaults on its debts, how likely do you think the following are?
Widespread job losses across the country

| Demographic | Very likely |  | Somewhat likely |  | Not too likely |  | Not likely at all |  | Don't know |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | $34 \%$ | (673) | $31 \%$ | (604) | 14\% | (276) | 5\% | (94) | 16\% | (324) | 1970 |
| 2018 House Vote: Democrat | 35\% | (275) | 34\% | (266) | 13\% | (104) | 4\% | (34) | 13\% | (101) | 781 |
| 2018 House Vote: Republican | 36\% | (256) | 30\% | (212) | 17\% | (119) | 5\% | (34) | 12\% | (88) | 710 |
| 2018 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 29\% | (131) | 27\% | (121) | 11\% | (49) | 5\% | (24) | 27\% | (123) | 448 |
| 4-Region: Northeast | 36\% | (124) | 34\% | (118) | 15\% | (51) | 3\% | (12) | 12\% | (43) | 348 |
| 4-Region: Midwest | 35\% | (152) | 29\% | (128) | 13\% | (58) | 5\% | (23) | 17\% | (77) | 438 |
| 4-Region: South | $32 \%$ | (235) | 32\% | (235) | 12\% | (90) | 5\% | (34) | 19\% | (140) | 735 |
| 4-Region: West | 36\% | (162) | 27\% | (123) | 17\% | (76) | 5\% | (24) | $14 \%$ | (64) | 449 |

[^49]Table MCFI10_8: If the U.S. government defaults on its debts, how likely do you think the following are?
The U.S. will lose its standing as a financial leader internationally

| Demographic | Somewhat |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

[^50]Table MCFI10_8: If the U.S. government defaults on its debts, how likely do you think the following are?
The U.S. will lose its standing as a financial leader internationally

| Demographic | Very likely |  | Somewhat likely |  | Not too likely |  | Not likely at all |  | Don't know |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 44\% | (865) | 28\% | (552) | 8\% | (167) | 5\% | (89) | 15\% | (297) | 1970 |
| Ethnicity: Black | 38\% | (95) | 27\% | (66) | 9\% | (21) | 6\% | (16) | 21\% | (51) | 249 |
| Ethnicity: Other | 35\% | (69) | 30\% | (57) | 10\% | (19) | 5\% | (9) | 21\% | (41) | 194 |
| All Christian | 48\% | (471) | 29\% | (285) | 9\% | (91) | 4\% | (40) | $11 \%$ | (104) | 991 |
| All Non-Christian | 44\% | (84) | 27\% | (52) | 9\% | (16) | 8\% | (15) | 12\% | (22) | 190 |
| Atheist | 43\% | (24) | 15\% | (9) | 10\% | (6) | 3\% | (2) | 28\% | (16) | 56 |
| Agnostic/Nothing in particular | 35\% | (157) | 31\% | (140) | 8\% | (38) | 4\% | (18) | 21\% | (93) | 446 |
| Something Else | 45\% | (129) | 23\% | (66) | 6\% | (17) | 5\% | (14) | 21\% | (61) | 286 |
| Religious Non-Protestant/Catholic | 47\% | (99) | 27\% | (57) | 9\% | (19) | 7\% | (15) | $11 \%$ | (22) | 212 |
| Evangelical | 48\% | (259) | 27\% | (146) | 6\% | (32) | 5\% | (25) | 14\% | (77) | 538 |
| Non-Evangelical | 45\% | (313) | 28\% | (192) | 10\% | (73) | 4\% | (27) | 13\% | (88) | 693 |
| Community: Urban | 40\% | (233) | 28\% | (160) | 12\% | (66) | 8\% | (44) | 13\% | (74) | 577 |
| Community: Suburban | 44\% | (403) | 28\% | (256) | 8\% | (75) | 4\% | (38) | 15\% | (136) | 907 |
| Community: Rural | 47\% | (229) | 28\% | (136) | 5\% | (26) | 1\% | (6) | 18\% | (87) | 485 |
| Employ: Private Sector | 43\% | (294) | 30\% | (209) | 9\% | (64) | 6\% | (44) | 12\% | (80) | 692 |
| Employ: Government | 50\% | (62) | 30\% | (37) | 8\% | (10) | 2\% | (2) | 10\% | (12) | 124 |
| Employ: Self-Employed | 39\% | (68) | 35\% | (62) | 9\% | (15) | 5\% | (8) | 13\% | (24) | 177 |
| Employ: Homemaker | 42\% | (52) | 29\% | (35) | 7\% | (9) | $3 \%$ | (4) | 19\% | (23) | 123 |
| Employ: Student | 51\% | (27) | 14\% | (7) | 17\% | (9) | 3\% | (1) | 16\% | (9) | 53 |
| Employ: Retired | 50\% | (282) | 26\% | (149) | 7\% | (40) | 4\% | (21) | 13\% | (71) | 562 |
| Employ: Unemployed | $32 \%$ | (45) | 19\% | (27) | 10\% | (13) | 5\% | (6) | 35\% | (49) | 140 |
| Employ: Other | 36\% | (35) | 26\% | (26) | 7\% | (7) | 2\% | (2) | 30\% | (29) | 98 |
| Military HH: Yes | 49\% | (148) | 27\% | (82) | 8\% | (23) | 3\% | (10) | 12\% | (37) | 299 |
| Military HH: No | 43\% | (717) | 28\% | (470) | 9\% | (145) | 5\% | (79) | 16\% | (260) | 1671 |
| 2022 House Vote: Democrat | 46\% | (399) | 28\% | (237) | 8\% | (70) | 6\% | (50) | 12\% | (103) | 858 |
| 2022 House Vote: Republican | 46\% | (366) | 30\% | (242) | 8\% | (62) | 3\% | (23) | 13\% | (106) | 799 |
| 2022 House Vote: Didnt Vote | $31 \%$ | (88) | 24\% | (68) | 12\% | (33) | 5\% | (15) | 28\% | (79) | 284 |
| 2020 Vote: Joe Biden | 44\% | (412) | 28\% | (263) | 9\% | (80) | 6\% | (56) | 13\% | (122) | 933 |
| 2020 Vote: Donald Trump | 46\% | (391) | 29\% | (247) | 8\% | (67) | 3\% | (22) | 15\% | (124) | 852 |
| 2020 Vote: Didn't Vote | $31 \%$ | (47) | 25\% | (37) | 12\% | (17) | 6\% | (10) | 26\% | (40) | 151 |

[^51]Table MCFI10_8: If the U.S. government defaults on its debts, how likely do you think the following are? The U.S. will lose its standing as a financial leader internationally

| Demographic | Very likely |  | Somewhat likely |  | Not too likely |  | Not likely at all |  | Don't know |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 44\% | (865) | 28\% | (552) | 8\% | (167) | 5\% | (89) | 15\% | (297) | 1970 |
| 2018 House Vote: Democrat | 47\% | (365) | 27\% | (215) | 8\% | (65) | 6\% | (46) | 12\% | (91) | 781 |
| 2018 House Vote: Republican | 48\% | (341) | 29\% | (209) | 8\% | (58) | 3\% | (19) | 12\% | (83) | 710 |
| 2018 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 32\% | (145) | 27\% | (120) | 10\% | (43) | 5\% | (24) | 26\% | (116) | 448 |
| 4-Region: Northeast | 48\% | (165) | 28\% | (98) | 8\% | (28) | 4\% | (14) | 12\% | (42) | 348 |
| 4-Region: Midwest | 47\% | (206) | 27\% | (119) | 7\% | (31) | 2\% | (9) | 17\% | (73) | 438 |
| 4-Region: South | 41\% | (302) | 27\% | (195) | 9\% | (65) | 5\% | (38) | 18\% | (136) | 735 |
| 4-Region: West | 43\% | (192) | $31 \%$ | (139) | 10\% | (43) | 6\% | (28) | 10\% | (46) | 449 |

Note: Row proportions may total to larger than one-hundred percent due to rounding. For more information visit MorningConsultIntelligence.com.

Table MCFI10_9: If the U.S. government defaults on its debts, how likely do you think the following are?
The U.S. stock market will have a substantial decline

| Demographic | Somewhat |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

[^52]Table MCFI10_9: If the U.S. government defaults on its debts, how likely do you think the following are? The U.S. stock market will have a substantial decline

| Demographic | Very likely |  | Somewhat likely |  | Not too likely |  | Not likely at all |  | Don't know |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 43\% | (852) | $32 \%$ | (634) | 6\% | (128) | $3 \%$ | (59) | 15\% | (297) | 1970 |
| Ethnicity: Black | 38\% | (94) | 30\% | (75) | 9\% | (22) | 3\% | (8) | 19\% | (49) | 249 |
| Ethnicity: Other | 36\% | (69) | $33 \%$ | (64) | 8\% | (15) | 4\% | (7) | 20\% | (38) | 194 |
| All Christian | 47\% | (469) | 33\% | (324) | 5\% | (52) | 3\% | (32) | 11\% | (113) | 991 |
| All Non-Christian | 45\% | (86) | 29\% | (55) | 10\% | (19) | 6\% | (12) | 10\% | (19) | 190 |
| Atheist | 39\% | (22) | $31 \%$ | (18) | 2\% | (1) | 2\% | (1) | 27\% | (15) | 56 |
| Agnostic/Nothing in particular | $33 \%$ | (147) | $36 \%$ | (159) | 9\% | (39) | 2\% | (10) | 21\% | (92) | 446 |
| Something Else | 45\% | (128) | 27\% | (78) | 6\% | (17) | 2\% | (5) | 20\% | (58) | 286 |
| Religious Non-Protestant/Catholic | 49\% | (104) | 27\% | (58) | 9\% | (20) | 6\% | (12) | 9\% | (19) | 212 |
| Evangelical | 45\% | (241) | $31 \%$ | (168) | 6\% | (31) | 3\% | (18) | 15\% | (79) | 538 |
| Non-Evangelical | 47\% | (325) | $32 \%$ | (224) | 5\% | (35) | 3\% | (18) | 13\% | (91) | 693 |
| Community: Urban | 39\% | (226) | 33\% | (192) | 10\% | (57) | 4\% | (25) | 13\% | (78) | 577 |
| Community: Suburban | 44\% | (401) | 33\% | (303) | 6\% | (51) | 3\% | (27) | 14\% | (124) | 907 |
| Community: Rural | 46\% | (224) | 29\% | (139) | 4\% | (20) | 2\% | (8) | 20\% | (95) | 485 |
| Employ: Private Sector | 41\% | (283) | $34 \%$ | (239) | 10\% | (67) | 3\% | (24) | 12\% | (80) | 692 |
| Employ: Government | 46\% | (57) | 37\% | (45) | 9\% | (11) | 2\% | (2) | 7\% | (9) | 124 |
| Employ: Self-Employed | 36\% | (64) | 37\% | (65) | 8\% | (15) | 4\% | (7) | 15\% | (27) | 177 |
| Employ: Homemaker | $41 \%$ | (51) | 34\% | (42) | 2\% | (3) | 3\% | (3) | 19\% | (24) | 123 |
| Employ: Student | 59\% | (31) | 20\% | (11) | 7\% | (4) | 2\% | (1) | 11\% | (6) | 53 |
| Employ: Retired | 52\% | (291) | 29\% | (162) | 4\% | (24) | 2\% | (13) | 13\% | (72) | 562 |
| Employ: Unemployed | 28\% | (39) | 28\% | (40) | 3\% | (4) | $4 \%$ | (6) | 37\% | (52) | 140 |
| Employ: Other | 36\% | (35) | 32\% | (31) | 1\% | (1) | 3\% | (3) | 29\% | (28) | 98 |
| Military HH: Yes | 53\% | (160) | 25\% | (75) | 5\% | (15) | 2\% | (6) | 14\% | (43) | 299 |
| Military HH: No | 41\% | (692) | 33\% | (559) | 7\% | (112) | 3\% | (54) | 15\% | (254) | 1671 |
| 2022 House Vote: Democrat | 46\% | (396) | 32\% | (274) | 7\% | (61) | 3\% | (25) | 12\% | (102) | 858 |
| 2022 House Vote: Republican | 44\% | (355) | 33\% | (264) | 7\% | (56) | 2\% | (19) | 13\% | (106) | 799 |
| 2022 House Vote: Didnt Vote | $31 \%$ | (89) | $32 \%$ | (90) | 4\% | (10) | 5\% | (15) | 28\% | (80) | 284 |
| 2020 Vote: Joe Biden | 45\% | (420) | 32\% | (302) | 6\% | (59) | 3\% | (29) | 13\% | (123) | 933 |
| 2020 Vote: Donald Trump | 43\% | (369) | 33\% | (284) | 7\% | (56) | 3\% | (21) | 14\% | (121) | 852 |
| 2020 Vote: Didn't Vote | $33 \%$ | (50) | 27\% | (40) | 7\% | (11) | 6\% | (9) | 27\% | (41) | 151 |

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Table MCFI10_9: If the U.S. government defaults on its debts, how likely do you think the following are?
The U.S. stock market will have a substantial decline

| Demographic | Very likely |  | Somewhat likely |  | Not too likely |  | Not likely at all |  | Don't know |  | Total N |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Registered Voters | 43\% | (852) | $32 \%$ | (634) | 6\% | (128) | 3\% | (59) | 15\% | (297) | 1970 |
| 2018 House Vote: Democrat | 45\% | (349) | $34 \%$ | (265) | 7\% | (58) | 3\% | (24) | 11\% | (85) | 781 |
| 2018 House Vote: Republican | 47\% | (333) | 32\% | (226) | 7\% | (51) | 2\% | (16) | 12\% | (84) | 710 |
| 2018 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 35\% | (156) | 31\% | (138) | 4\% | (18) | 4\% | (18) | 26\% | (116) | 448 |
| 4-Region: Northeast | 53\% | (183) | 29\% | (100) | 3\% | (11) | 3\% | (10) | 13\% | (44) | 348 |
| 4-Region: Midwest | 43\% | (189) | 36\% | (159) | 4\% | (16) | 2\% | (10) | 15\% | (65) | 438 |
| 4-Region: South | 41\% | (300) | 31\% | (229) | 7\% | (50) | 3\% | (25) | 18\% | (131) | 735 |
| 4-Region: West | 40\% | (179) | $32 \%$ | (146) | 11\% | (51) | 3\% | (15) | 13\% | (58) | 449 |

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## Respondent Demographics Summary

Summary Statistics of Survey Respondent Demographics

| Demographic | Group | Frequency | Percentage |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| xdemAll | Registered Voters | 1970 | 100\% |
| xdemGender | Gender: Male Gender: Female $N$ | $\begin{array}{r} 926 \\ 1039 \\ 1965 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 47 \% \\ & 53 \% \end{aligned}$ |
| age | Age: 18-34 <br> Age: 35-44 <br> Age: 45-64 <br> Age: 65+ <br> $N$ | $\begin{array}{r} 507 \\ 303 \\ 670 \\ 490 \\ 1970 \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} 26 \% \\ 15 \% \\ 34 \% \\ 25 \% \end{gathered}$ |
| demAgeGeneration | GenZers: 1997-2012 Millennials: 1981-1996 GenXers: 1965-1980 Baby Boomers: $1946-1964$ $N$ | $\begin{array}{r} 155 \\ 598 \\ 467 \\ 703 \\ 1923 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8 \% \\ 30 \% \\ 24 \% \\ 36 \% \end{array}$ |
| xpid3 | PID: Dem (no lean) <br> PID: Ind (no lean) <br> PID: Rep (no lean) | $\begin{array}{r} 824 \\ 404 \\ 742 \\ 1970 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 42 \% \\ & 21 \% \\ & 38 \% \end{aligned}$ |
| xpidGender | PID/Gender: Dem Men PID/Gender: Dem Women PID/Gender: Ind Men PID/Gender: Ind Women PID/Gender: Rep Men PID/Gender: Rep Women $N$ | $\begin{array}{r} 391 \\ 430 \\ 207 \\ 195 \\ 328 \\ 414 \\ 1965 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 20 \% \\ 22 \% \\ 11 \% \\ 10 \% \\ 17 \% \\ 21 \% \end{array}$ |
| xdemIdeo3 | Ideo: Liberal (1-3) <br> Ideo: Moderate (4) <br> Ideo: Conservative (5-7) <br> $N$ | $\begin{array}{r} 555 \\ 576 \\ 767 \\ 1899 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 28 \% \\ & 29 \% \\ & 39 \% \end{aligned}$ |
| xeduc3 | Educ: < College <br> Educ: Bachelors degree <br> Educ: Post-grad <br> $N$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1189 \\ 494 \\ 286 \\ 1970 \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} 60 \% \\ 25 \% \\ 15 \% \end{gathered}$ |

Summary Statistics of Survey Respondent Demographics

| Demographic | Group | Frequency | Percentage |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| xdemInc3 | Income: Under 50k Income: 50k-100k Income: $100 \mathrm{k}+$ $N$ | $\begin{array}{r} 832 \\ 707 \\ 431 \\ 1970 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 42 \% \\ & 36 \% \\ & 22 \% \end{aligned}$ |
| xdemWhite | Ethnicity: White | 1527 | 78\% |
| xdemHispBin | Ethnicity: Hispanic | 219 | $11 \%$ |
| demBlackBin | Ethnicity: Black | 249 | 13\% |
| demRaceOther | Ethnicity: Other | 194 | 10\% |
| xdemReligion | All Christian All Non-Christian Atheist Agnostic/Nothing in particular Something Else | $\begin{array}{r} 991 \\ 190 \\ 56 \\ 446 \\ 286 \\ 1970 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 50 \% \\ 10 \% \\ 3 \% \\ 23 \% \\ 15 \% \end{array}$ |
| xdemReligOther | Religious Non-Protestant/Catholic | 212 | $11 \%$ |
| xdemEvang | Evangelical <br> Non-Evangelical | $\begin{array}{r} 538 \\ 693 \\ 1231 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27 \% \\ & 35 \% \end{aligned}$ |
| xdemUsr | Community: Urban Community: Suburban Community: Rural | $\begin{array}{r} 577 \\ 907 \\ 485 \\ 1970 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29 \% \\ & 46 \% \\ & 25 \% \end{aligned}$ |
| xdemEmploy | Employ: Private Sector <br> Employ: Government Employ: Self-Employed Employ: Homemaker Employ: Student Employ: Retired Employ: Unemployed Employ: Other | $\begin{array}{r} 692 \\ 124 \\ 177 \\ 123 \\ 53 \\ 562 \\ 140 \\ 98 \\ 1970 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 35 \% \\ 6 \% \\ 9 \% \\ 6 \% \\ 3 \% \\ 29 \% \\ 7 \% \\ 5 \% \end{array}$ |
| xdemMilHH1 | Military HH: Yes Military HH: No N | $\begin{array}{r} 299 \\ 1671 \\ 1970 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15 \% \\ & 85 \% \end{aligned}$ |

Summary Statistics of Survey Respondent Demographics

| Demographic | Group | Frequency | Percentage |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| xsubVote22O | 2022 House Vote: Democrat | 858 | 44\% |
|  | 2022 House Vote: Republican | 799 | 41\% |
|  | 2022 House Vote: Someone else | 29 | 1\% |
|  | 2022 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 284 | 14\% |
|  | $N$ | 1970 |  |
| xsubVote200 | 2020 Vote: Joe Biden | 933 | 47\% |
|  | 2020 Vote: Donald Trump | 852 | 43\% |
|  | 2020 Vote: Other | 35 | 2\% |
|  | 2020 Vote: Didn't Vote | 151 | 8\% |
|  | $N$ | 1970 |  |
| xsubVote18O | 2018 House Vote: Democrat | 781 | 40\% |
|  | 2018 House Vote: Republican | 710 | 36\% |
|  | 2018 House Vote: Someone else | 31 | 2\% |
|  | 2018 House Vote: Didnt Vote | 448 | 23\% |
|  | $N$ | 1970 |  |
| xreg4 | 4-Region: Northeast | 348 | 18\% |
|  | 4-Region: Midwest | 438 | 22\% |
|  | 4-Region: South | 735 | 37\% |
|  | 4-Region: West | 449 | 23\% |
|  | $N$ | 1970 |  |

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