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National Tracking Poll

Topline Report   **January 25-26, 2023**

Question	Response	Frequency	Percentage
P1	*Now, generally speaking, would you say that things in the country are going in the right direction, or have they pretty seriously gotten off on the wrong track?*		
	Right Direction	592	30%
	Wrong Track	1393	70%
nr2b	*Do you approve or disapprove of the job Joe Biden is doing as President?*		
	Strongly Approve	424	21%
	Somewhat Approve	440	22%
	Somewhat Disapprove	267	13%
	Strongly Disapprove	806	41%
	Don't Know / No Opinion	47	2%
P3	*Now, thinking about your vote, what would you say is the top set of issues on your mind when you cast your vote for federal offices such as U.S. Senate or Congress?*		
	Economic Issues – like taxes, wages, jobs, unemployment, and spending	854	43%
	Security Issues – like terrorism, foreign policy, and border security	257	13%
	Health Care Issues – like the 2010 health care law, Medicaid, other challenges	138	7%
	Seniors Issues – like Medicare and Social Security	260	13%
	Women's Issues – like birth control, abortion, and equal pay	178	9%
	Education Issues – like school standards, class sizes, school choice, and student loans	51	3%
	Energy Issues – like carbon emissions, cost of electricity/gasoline, or renewables	121	6%
	Other:	125	6%
AAM1_1	*How worried, if at all, are you about the following potential threats from China? Military*		
	A lot	610	31%
	Some	858	43%
	Not much	336	17%
	Not at all	181	9%

Question	Response	Frequency	Percentage
AAM1_2	*How worried, if at all, are you about the following potential threats from China? Economic*		
	A lot	932	47%
	Some	756	38%
	Not much	178	9%
	Not at all	119	6%
AAM1_3	*How worried, if at all, are you about the following potential threats from China? Cybersecurity*		
	A lot	977	49%
	Some	711	36%
	Not much	186	9%
	Not at all	112	6%
AAM1_4	*How worried, if at all, are you about the following potential threats from China? Human Rights Violations*		
	A lot	759	38%
	Some	745	38%
	Not much	303	15%
	Not at all	179	9%
AAM1_5	*How worried, if at all, are you about the following potential threats from China? Carbon Emissions*		
	A lot	581	29%
	Some	749	38%
	Not much	404	20%
	Not at all	251	13%
AAM2_1	*Do you believe the following should be doing more, doing less, or is doing the right amount when it comes to protecting U.S. industries and American workers from China's trade practices? President Biden*		
	Should be doing more	1323	67%
	Should be doing less	91	5%
	Is doing the right amount	377	19%
	Don't know/No opinion	193	10%
AAM2_2	*Do you believe the following should be doing more, doing less, or is doing the right amount when it comes to protecting U.S. industries and American workers from China's trade practices? Congressional Republicans*		
	Should be doing more	1306	66%
	Should be doing less	122	6%
	Is doing the right amount	253	13%
	Don't know/No opinion	304	15%

Question	Response	Frequency	Percentage
AAM2_3	*Do you believe the following should be doing more, doing less, or is doing the right amount when it comes to protecting U.S. industries and American workers from China's trade practices? Congressional Democrats*		
	Should be doing more	1289	65%
	Should be doing less	122	6%
	Is doing the right amount	319	16%
	Don't know/No opinion	254	13%
AAM3	*As you may know, tariffs are paid by importers bringing in foreign-made goods. The U.S. government generally utilizes trade remedies, like tariffs, when unfair foreign pricing and government subsidies distort the free flow of goods and negatively affect American businesses and workers in the global marketplace.Currently, the U.S. has imposed Section 301 tariffs on certain Chinese imports. Section 301 of the Trade Act of 1974 grants the President of the United States the ability to investigate and enforce U.S. rights under trade agreements and respond to unfair trade practices by foreign countries.Do you agree or disagree that the U.S. should continue to impose Section 301 tariffs on certain Chinese imports?*		
	Strongly agree	919	46%
	Somewhat agree	600	30%
	Somewhat disagree	99	5%
	Strongly disagree	48	2%
	Don't know/No opinion	318	16%
AAM4	*As you may know, permanent normal trade relations are an economic position in which a country's products receive the best tariff rates available. Currently, China has permanent normal trade relation status with the United States meaning their products receive the same tariff rates made available to U.S. allies like Great Britain, Taiwan, and Norway.Do you support or oppose the U.S. revoking China's permanent normal trade relation status?*		
	Strongly support	561	28%
	Somewhat support	582	29%
	Somewhat oppose	287	14%
	Strongly oppose	117	6%
	Don't know/No opinion	437	22%
AAM5	*Do you agree or disagree with the following statement? Taxpayer dollars should go toward infrastructure projects that utilize American-made products like iron, steel, and other construction materials versus products that are imported from foreign countries.*		
	Strongly agree	1009	51%
	Somewhat agree	637	32%
	Somewhat disagree	105	5%
	Strongly disagree	53	3%
	Neither agree nor disagree	181	9%

Question	Response	Frequency	Percentage
AAM6	*As you may know, the Inflation Reduction Act (IRA) is a health care, tax, and energy bill signed into law in August 2022. Among other things, the law aims to increase America's manufacturing capabilities by creating tax incentives for consumers to purchase electric vehicles made in North America. The governments of Japan, South Korea, and the European Union have objected and want imports from those nations to be eligible for the tax credit as well.Do you support or oppose President Biden modifying the legislation to allow companies that manufacture electric vehicles outside North America access to these tax credits?*		
	Strongly support	260	13%
	Somewhat support	404	20%
	Somewhat oppose	418	21%
	Strongly oppose	547	28%
	Don't know/No opinion	356	18%

Note: Group proportions may total to larger than one-hundred percent due to rounding. All statistics are calculated for registered voters with demographic post-stratification weights applied.

Respondent Demographics Summary

Summary Statistics of Survey Respondent Demographics

Demographic	Group	Frequency	Percentage
xdemAll	Registered Voters	1985	100%
xdemGender	Gender: Male	936	47%
	Gender: Female	1044	53%
	N	1979	
age	Age: 18-34	511	26%
	Age: 35-44	305	15%
	Age: 45-64	675	34%
	Age: 65+	494	25%
	N	1985	
demAgeGeneration	GenZers: 1997-2012	144	7%
	Millennials: 1981-1996	607	31%
	GenXers: 1965-1980	469	24%
	Baby Boomers: 1946-1964	699	35%
	N	1919	
xpid3	PID: Dem (no lean)	828	42%
	PID: Ind (no lean)	465	23%
	PID: Rep (no lean)	692	35%
	N	1985	
xpidGender	PID/Gender: Dem Men	368	19%
	PID/Gender: Dem Women	456	23%
	PID/Gender: Ind Men	238	12%
	PID/Gender: Ind Women	226	11%
	PID/Gender: Rep Men	330	17%
	PID/Gender: Rep Women	362	18%
	N	1979	
xdemIdeo3	Ideo: Liberal (1-3)	600	30%
	Ideo: Moderate (4)	583	29%
	Ideo: Conservative (5-7)	732	37%
	N	1915	
xeduc3	Educ: < College	1198	60%
	Educ: Bachelors degree	498	25%
	Educ: Post-grad	289	15%
	N	1985	

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Demographic	Group	Frequency	Percentage
xdemInc3	Income: Under 50k	845	43%
	Income: 50k-100k	710	36%
	Income: 100k+	430	22%
	N	1985	
xdemWhite	Ethnicity: White	1510	76%
xdemHispBin	Ethnicity: Hispanic	221	11%
demBlackBin	Ethnicity: Black	260	13%
demRaceOther	Ethnicity: Other	215	11%
xdemReligion	All Christian	1020	51%
	All Non-Christian	121	6%
	Atheist	78	4%
	Agnostic/Nothing in particular	456	23%
	Something Else	311	16%
	N	1985	
xdemReligOther	Religious Non-Protestant/Catholic	142	7%
xdemEvang	Evangelical	545	27%
	Non-Evangelical	746	38%
	N	1292	
xdemUsr	Community: Urban	532	27%
	Community: Suburban	955	48%
	Community: Rural	498	25%
	N	1985	
xdemEmploy	Employ: Private Sector	721	36%
	Employ: Government	119	6%
	Employ: Self-Employed	176	9%
	Employ: Homemaker	121	6%
	Employ: Student	42	2%
	Employ: Retired	551	28%
	Employ: Unemployed	167	8%
	Employ: Other	88	4%
	N	1985	
xdemMilHH1	Military HH: Yes	302	15%
	Military HH: No	1683	85%
	N	1985	

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Demographic	Group	Frequency	Percentage
xnr1	RD/WT: Right Direction	592	30%
	RD/WT: Wrong Track	1393	70%
	N	1985	
xdemBidenApprove	Biden Job Approve	865	44%
	Biden Job Disapprove	1073	54%
	N	1938	
xdemBidenApprove2	Biden Job Strongly Approve	424	21%
	Biden Job Somewhat Approve	440	22%
	Biden Job Somewhat Disapprove	267	13%
	Biden Job Strongly Disapprove	806	41%
	N	1938	
xdemBidenFav	Favorable of Biden	876	44%
	Unfavorable of Biden	1074	54%
	N	1950	
xdemBidenFavFull	Very Favorable of Biden	453	23%
	Somewhat Favorable of Biden	423	21%
	Somewhat Unfavorable of Biden	238	12%
	Very Unfavorable of Biden	837	42%
	N	1950	
xnr3	#1 Issue: Economy	854	43%
	#1 Issue: Security	257	13%
	#1 Issue: Health Care	138	7%
	#1 Issue: Medicare / Social Security	260	13%
	#1 Issue: Women's Issues	178	9%
	#1 Issue: Education	51	3%
	#1 Issue: Energy	121	6%
	#1 Issue: Other	125	6%
	N	1985	
xsubVote22O	2022 House Vote: Democrat	896	45%
	2022 House Vote: Republican	786	40%
	2022 House Vote: Someone else	38	2%
	2022 House Vote: Didnt Vote	266	13%
	N	1985	
xsubVote20O	2020 Vote: Joe Biden	940	47%
	2020 Vote: Donald Trump	858	43%
	2020 Vote: Other	35	2%
	2020 Vote: Didn't Vote	152	8%
	N	1985	

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Demographic	Group	Frequency	Percentage
xsubVote18O	2018 House Vote: Democrat	800	40%
	2018 House Vote: Republican	701	35%
	2018 House Vote: Someone else	42	2%
	2018 House Vote: Didnt Vote	441	22%
	N	1985	
xreg4	4-Region: Northeast	351	18%
	4-Region: Midwest	442	22%
	4-Region: South	741	37%
	4-Region: West	452	23%
	N	1985	

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