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1. Serious problem

How serious of a problem do you think sexual harassment is in the United States?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very serious	49%	39%	58%	51%	45%	52%	47%	44%	70%	54%	47%
Somewhat serious	29%	33%	25%	20%	31%	29%	36%	33%	20%	18%	28%
Not very serious	12%	17%	7%	9%	15%	12%	10%	14%	3%	8%	10%
Not at all serious	2%	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%	3%	1%	2%	1%
Not sure	8%	8%	8%	18%	7%	5%	5%	6%	6%	19%	15%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	101%
Unweighted N	999	432	567	197	266	335	201	740	96	83	80

	Party ID				Family Income (3 category)				Census Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very serious	49%	65%	46%	31%	56%	45%	35%	41%	56%	46%	47%	50%
Somewhat serious	29%	22%	28%	41%	24%	35%	40%	26%	24%	32%	30%	27%
Not very serious	12%	7%	11%	21%	9%	14%	21%	12%	6%	16%	12%	12%
Not at all serious	2%	1%	3%	4%	2%	2%	1%	4%	3%	1%	3%	1%
Not sure	8%	6%	12%	3%	9%	4%	3%	17%	11%	5%	8%	11%
Totals	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%
Unweighted N	999	337	432	230	485	260	121	133	180	262	359	198

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2. Serious problem in Democratic Party

How serious of a problem do you think sexual harassment is within the Democratic Party?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very serious	34%	34%	33%	24%	30%	36%	44%	36%	23%	30%	36%
Somewhat serious	27%	29%	25%	21%	27%	30%	29%	28%	28%	23%	25%
Not very serious	12%	15%	9%	10%	14%	13%	9%	13%	11%	8%	8%
Not at all serious	3%	3%	2%	5%	3%	2%	1%	2%	3%	4%	1%
Not sure	25%	18%	31%	39%	26%	19%	16%	20%	35%	35%	29%
Totals	101%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%	99%
Unweighted N	997	433	564	195	267	334	201	739	97	81	80

	Party ID				Family Income (3 category)				Census Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very serious	34%	24%	35%	45%	33%	31%	40%	34%	35%	29%	32%	41%
Somewhat serious	27%	34%	22%	29%	25%	39%	25%	16%	26%	29%	28%	26%
Not very serious	12%	15%	10%	12%	11%	11%	23%	9%	11%	15%	13%	6%
Not at all serious	3%	4%	2%	1%	3%	3%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%	4%
Not sure	25%	24%	30%	12%	28%	15%	12%	39%	25%	25%	25%	23%
Totals	101%	101%	99%	99%	100%	99%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	997	337	430	230	484	260	121	132	178	262	359	198

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3. Handles accusations - Democratic Party

How well do you think the Democratic Party generally handles accusations of sexual harassment made against Democratic politicians?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very well	11%	15%	7%	17%	9%	13%	4%	9%	17%	21%	4%
Somewhat well	21%	21%	21%	20%	24%	21%	19%	20%	22%	23%	25%
Not very well	20%	20%	19%	11%	21%	21%	24%	22%	14%	13%	20%
Not at all well	22%	26%	19%	11%	19%	23%	37%	25%	12%	16%	23%
Not sure	26%	17%	35%	41%	27%	23%	15%	24%	36%	26%	28%
Totals	100%	99%	101%	100%	100%	101%	99%	100%	101%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	997	433	564	197	266	334	200	740	94	83	80

	Total	Party ID			Family Income (3 category)				Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very well	11%	19%	8%	6%	11%	12%	11%	11%	12%	11%	11%	10%
Somewhat well	21%	34%	16%	12%	21%	22%	24%	14%	25%	20%	23%	15%
Not very well	20%	15%	20%	24%	19%	22%	25%	12%	16%	18%	21%	21%
Not at all well	22%	7%	24%	40%	19%	25%	28%	27%	17%	21%	23%	29%
Not sure	26%	24%	31%	17%	30%	18%	12%	36%	30%	31%	22%	25%
Totals	100%	99%	99%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	997	336	431	230	485	259	120	133	179	261	359	198

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4. Party response - Democrats

Do you think the Democratic Party's response to accusations of sexual harassment made against Democratic politicians is generally:

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Too strong	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	4%	1%	2%	5%	3%	5%
About right	25%	30%	20%	23%	30%	26%	20%	24%	32%	26%	21%
Not strong enough	41%	45%	37%	26%	34%	43%	61%	47%	21%	33%	38%
Not sure	31%	22%	40%	49%	33%	27%	18%	27%	43%	39%	36%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	101%	100%
Unweighted N	994	429	565	196	264	334	200	737	96	82	79

	Party ID				Family Income (3 category)				Census Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Too strong	3%	3%	2%	4%	4%	2%	1%	1%	1%	4%	3%	1%
About right	25%	44%	18%	13%	24%	29%	34%	15%	28%	22%	28%	20%
Not strong enough	41%	26%	42%	63%	37%	46%	50%	40%	37%	36%	41%	52%
Not sure	31%	27%	39%	21%	36%	22%	15%	44%	34%	39%	28%	27%
Totals	100%	100%	101%	101%	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	994	335	429	230	484	258	121	131	178	260	359	197

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5. Gotten better - Democratic Party

In the past 20 years, do you think the Democratic Party has:

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Gotten better at dealing with issues relating to sexual harassment	16%	18%	14%	15%	21%	18%	8%	16%	18%	15%	15%
Gotten worse at dealing with issues relating to sexual harassment	24%	29%	20%	11%	22%	25%	40%	27%	12%	20%	27%
Stayed about the same at dealing with issues relating to sexual harassment	29%	30%	28%	24%	26%	33%	32%	31%	28%	23%	23%
Not sure	31%	23%	38%	50%	31%	25%	20%	26%	43%	42%	35%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	995	432	563	195	266	334	200	737	97	83	78

	Total	Party ID			Family Income (3 category)				Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Gotten better at dealing with issues relating to sexual harassment	16%	27%	12%	8%	14%	19%	26%	12%	16%	20%	15%	13%
Gotten worse at dealing with issues relating to sexual harassment	24%	10%	24%	48%	20%	28%	28%	29%	23%	21%	22%	33%
Stayed about the same at dealing with issues relating to sexual harassment	29%	34%	27%	26%	32%	30%	28%	16%	27%	24%	35%	26%
Not sure	31%	29%	37%	18%	34%	22%	18%	43%	34%	35%	28%	29%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%
Unweighted N	995	338	430	227	485	260	119	131	179	262	356	198

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6. Serious problem in Republican Party

How serious of a problem do you think sexual harassment is within the Republican Party?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very serious	34%	33%	36%	37%	32%	38%	28%	33%	40%	35%	37%
Somewhat serious	21%	23%	20%	12%	22%	24%	27%	23%	21%	16%	18%
Not very serious	15%	22%	8%	11%	16%	14%	21%	18%	4%	7%	18%
Not at all serious	5%	5%	4%	5%	7%	3%	4%	5%	2%	6%	7%
Not sure	25%	17%	31%	35%	23%	21%	20%	21%	33%	37%	20%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%
Unweighted N	993	428	565	196	264	332	201	737	94	82	80

	Party ID				Family Income (3 category)				Census Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very serious	34%	55%	32%	9%	37%	31%	30%	35%	36%	34%	32%	39%
Somewhat serious	21%	20%	20%	27%	22%	23%	25%	14%	19%	20%	23%	22%
Not very serious	15%	6%	13%	34%	10%	23%	26%	11%	14%	17%	14%	15%
Not at all serious	5%	1%	4%	11%	4%	6%	6%	3%	5%	3%	6%	4%
Not sure	25%	18%	31%	18%	27%	18%	13%	35%	27%	26%	25%	20%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	101%	100%	98%	101%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	993	333	430	230	481	259	121	132	179	261	356	197

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7. Handles accusations - Republican Party

How well do you think the Republican Party generally handles accusations of sexual harassment made against Republican politicians?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very well	10%	12%	8%	8%	10%	10%	12%	11%	8%	9%	10%
Somewhat well	18%	20%	16%	13%	19%	16%	24%	18%	14%	16%	25%
Not very well	23%	25%	21%	18%	20%	24%	30%	24%	20%	15%	24%
Not at all well	24%	25%	23%	21%	25%	29%	18%	25%	25%	21%	19%
Not sure	25%	19%	32%	40%	26%	21%	15%	22%	33%	39%	23%
Totals	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	101%
Unweighted N	998	431	567	197	266	334	201	739	97	82	80

	Party ID			Family Income (3 category)				Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very well	10%	4%	7%	26%	8%	11%	13%	15%	11%	8%	12%	9%
Somewhat well	18%	14%	17%	26%	16%	23%	22%	13%	17%	18%	17%	20%
Not very well	23%	23%	21%	26%	25%	21%	26%	16%	20%	23%	24%	22%
Not at all well	24%	39%	22%	5%	25%	26%	26%	17%	26%	24%	23%	25%
Not sure	25%	19%	33%	18%	27%	19%	14%	40%	27%	28%	24%	23%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	101%	101%	100%	101%	101%	101%	101%	100%	99%
Unweighted N	998	337	431	230	486	260	120	132	178	262	360	198

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8. Party response - Republicans

Do you think the Republican Party's response to accusations of sexual harassment made against Republican politicians is generally:

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Too strong	7%	9%	5%	4%	10%	6%	9%	8%	4%	2%	14%
About right	22%	27%	19%	17%	24%	20%	30%	24%	13%	22%	23%
Not strong enough	40%	43%	38%	36%	37%	46%	39%	41%	38%	37%	41%
Not sure	30%	22%	38%	43%	29%	27%	22%	27%	45%	39%	23%
Totals	99%	101%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%
Unweighted N	994	430	564	194	266	334	200	736	97	81	80

	Party ID				Family Income (3 category)				Census Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Too strong	7%	4%	6%	16%	7%	11%	8%	3%	4%	8%	9%	7%
About right	22%	19%	16%	43%	19%	25%	32%	23%	21%	23%	23%	21%
Not strong enough	40%	55%	39%	19%	41%	40%	44%	32%	40%	37%	39%	46%
Not sure	30%	22%	39%	21%	33%	23%	17%	42%	34%	32%	29%	26%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	101%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	994	336	431	227	481	260	121	132	179	261	358	196

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9. Gotten better - Republican Party

In the past 20 years, do you think the Republican Party has:

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Gotten better at dealing with issues relating to sexual harassment	14%	17%	10%	13%	16%	13%	12%	13%	11%	16%	20%
Gotten worse at dealing with issues relating to sexual harassment	24%	27%	22%	21%	23%	26%	26%	23%	29%	19%	28%
Stayed about the same at dealing with issues relating to sexual harassment	35%	38%	33%	27%	33%	39%	41%	39%	21%	36%	27%
Not sure	27%	19%	34%	39%	28%	21%	22%	24%	40%	28%	26%
Totals	100%	101%	99%	100%	100%	99%	101%	99%	101%	99%	101%
Unweighted N	998	432	566	196	266	335	201	738	97	83	80

	Total	Party ID			Family Income (3 category)				Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Gotten better at dealing with issues relating to sexual harassment	14%	9%	12%	25%	11%	19%	20%	11%	13%	12%	15%	14%
Gotten worse at dealing with issues relating to sexual harassment	24%	36%	21%	11%	26%	25%	20%	18%	30%	22%	24%	22%
Stayed about the same at dealing with issues relating to sexual harassment	35%	31%	35%	44%	34%	37%	44%	31%	28%	37%	35%	40%
Not sure	27%	24%	32%	20%	29%	19%	16%	41%	29%	29%	26%	24%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	998	338	431	229	484	260	121	133	179	262	359	198

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10. Franken accusations

A woman has accused Al Franken, a Democratic senator from Minnesota, of kissing and groping her without her consent. Do you think Al Franken should or should not resign his seat in the Senate?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
He should resign	44%	44%	44%	41%	44%	46%	43%	44%	44%	41%	46%
He should not resign	20%	25%	15%	16%	16%	22%	28%	22%	16%	17%	16%
Not sure	36%	31%	41%	43%	41%	32%	29%	34%	40%	42%	38%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	997	431	566	197	264	335	201	738	97	83	79

	Party ID			Family Income (3 category)				Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
He should resign	44%	35%	44%	56%	46%	47%	36%	34%	39%	44%	43%	51%
He should not resign	20%	27%	17%	17%	18%	22%	33%	16%	25%	17%	22%	16%
Not sure	36%	37%	39%	27%	36%	31%	31%	49%	36%	38%	35%	33%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	997	336	431	230	485	260	120	132	179	261	360	197

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11. Moore accusations

A number of women have accused Roy Moore, the Republican candidate for Senate in Alabama, of sexual assault or misconduct against them when they were underage teenagers. Do you think Roy Moore should or should not drop out of the race for Senate?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
He should drop out	53%	49%	56%	54%	51%	57%	46%	53%	60%	45%	45%
He should not drop out	22%	29%	15%	14%	16%	23%	34%	24%	14%	15%	25%
Not sure	26%	23%	29%	31%	33%	20%	21%	23%	26%	40%	30%
Totals	101%	101%	100%	99%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	997	432	565	196	266	334	201	739	96	82	80

	Party ID				Family Income (3 category)				Census Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
He should drop out	53%	70%	48%	35%	52%	60%	49%	44%	48%	60%	50%	52%
He should not drop out	22%	13%	19%	41%	18%	25%	29%	22%	22%	17%	24%	22%
Not sure	26%	17%	33%	24%	29%	15%	22%	35%	30%	22%	26%	27%
Totals	101%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	101%	100%	99%	100%	101%
Unweighted N	997	336	431	230	485	259	121	132	177	262	360	198

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Interviewing Dates	November 16 - 17, 2017
Target population	U.S. citizens, aged 18 and over.
Sampling method	Respondents were selected from YouGov's opt-in Internet panel using sample matching. A random sample (stratified by gender, age, race, education, geographic region, and voter registration) was selected from the 2014 American Community Study. Voter registration was imputed from the November 2014 Current Population Survey Registration and Voting Supplement.
Weighting	The sample was weighted based on gender, age, race, education, 2012 and 2016 Presidential votes. The weights range from 0.129 to 4.262, with a mean of one and a standard deviation of 0.684.
Number of respondents	1000
Margin of error	± 3.8% (adjusted for weighting)
Survey mode	Web-based interviews
Questions not reported	47 questions not reported.