

# DATA FOR PROGRESS

From May 27 to 31, 2022, Data for Progress conducted a survey of 1,220 likely voters nationally using web panel respondents. The sample was weighted to be representative of likely voters by age, gender, education, race, and voting history. The survey was conducted in English. The margin of error is  $\pm 3$  percentage points.

N=1,220 unless otherwise specified. Some values may not add up to 100 due to rounding.

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| <p><b>[1]</b> On January 6, 2021, hundreds of supporters of former President Donald Trump broke into the U.S. Capitol, aiming to overturn the 2020 presidential election results.</p> <p>How much responsibility do you think former President Trump has for the January 6 attack on the U.S. Capitol?</p> | A lot of responsibility . . . . .      | <b>43%</b> | 79% | 44% | 12% |
|  | Some responsibility . . . . .          | <b>12</b>  | 9   | 13  | 14  |
|  | Only a little responsibility . . . . . | <b>9</b>   | 2   | 12  | 13  |
|  | No responsibility at all . . . . .     | <b>29</b>  | 4   | 23  | 53  |
|  | Don't know . . . . .                   | <b>6</b>   | 5   | 7   | 7   |

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| <p><b>[2]</b> On January 6, 2021, hundreds of supporters of former President Donald Trump broke into the U.S. Capitol, aiming to overturn the 2020 presidential election results.</p> <p>This occurred after Trump and some Republican members of Congress spent months claiming the election was rigged and calling on his supporters to "stop the Steal."</p> <p>How much responsibility do you think former President Trump has for the January 6 attack on the U.S. Capitol?</p> | A lot of responsibility . . . . .      | <b>44%</b> | 82% | 45% | 10% |
|  | Some responsibility . . . . .          | <b>13</b>  | 8   | 14  | 17  |
|  | Only a little responsibility . . . . . | <b>9</b>   | 2   | 13  | 13  |
|  | No responsibility at all . . . . .     | <b>29</b>  | 3   | 24  | 54  |
|  | Don't know . . . . .                   | <b>5</b>   | 5   | 5   | 6   |

|  |                                   | D          | I   | R   |     |
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| <p><b>[3]</b> Since the 2020 presidential election, judges appointed by both Democrats and Republicans dismissed more than 50 election-fraud-related lawsuits. No proof of wide-scale election fraud has been found.</p> <p>However, former President Trump, a number of Republican elected officials, and Trump-endorsed Republican candidates who attended the deadly January 6 insurrection continue to claim that the 2020 election was rigged.</p> <p>When thinking about this, how concerned or not concerned are you about Trump Republicans promoting violence to achieve political goals in future elections?</p> | Very concerned . . . . .          | <b>44%</b> | 77% | 38% | 19% |
|  | Somewhat concerned . . . . .      | <b>17</b>  | 16  | 22  | 14  |
|  | Only a little concerned . . . . . | <b>10</b>  | 3   | 12  | 15  |
|  | Not concerned at all . . . . .    | <b>29</b>  | 3   | 28  | 52  |

|   |                            | D   | I   | R   |     |
|---|----------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| <p><b>[4]</b> According to a new investigative report by the New York Times, 44% of state Republican lawmakers in nine swing states worked to discredit or overturn the 2020 presidential election results. This included actions such as attempting to delay the certification of results and working to decertify the election results.</p> <p>Do you support or oppose the actions of these state lawmakers?</p> | Strongly support . . . . . | 15% | 3%  | 12% | 27% |
|   | Somewhat support . . . . . | 18  | 5   | 20  | 27  |
|   | Somewhat oppose . . . . .  | 11  | 8   | 11  | 15  |
|   | Strongly oppose . . . . .  | 45  | 77  | 43  | 18  |
|   | Don't know . . . . .       | 11  | 6   | 15  | 14  |
| SUPPORT (TOTAL) . . . . .   | 33%                        | 8%  | 32% | 54% |     |
| OPPOSE (TOTAL) . . . . .  | 56                         | 85  | 54  | 33  |     |
| SUPPORT (NET) . . . . .   | <b>-23</b>                 | -77 | -22 | +21 |     |

**[5]** As you may know, a U.S. House of Representative's committee has been investigating what happened on January 6th at the Capitol and the events leading up to it.

Do you support or oppose this investigation?

|                        |            | D          | I          | R          |
|------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Strongly support       | 46%        | 79%        | 40%        | 22%        |
| Somewhat support       | 19         | 11         | 22         | 24         |
| Somewhat oppose        | 11         | 4          | 9          | 19         |
| Strongly oppose        | 17         | 1          | 18         | 29         |
| Don't know             | 7          | 6          | 11         | 6          |
| <b>SUPPORT (TOTAL)</b> | <b>65%</b> | <b>90%</b> | <b>62%</b> | <b>46%</b> |
| <b>OPPOSE (TOTAL)</b>  | <b>28</b>  | <b>5</b>   | <b>27</b>  | <b>48</b>  |
| <b>SUPPORT (NET)</b>   | <b>+37</b> | <b>+85</b> | <b>+35</b> | <b>-2</b>  |

**[6]** Do you think that individuals and groups, including elected officials like former President Trump, who helped fuel the January 6 attack on the U.S. Capitol should be held criminally responsible?

|  |            | D   | I   | R   |
|--|------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Yes, they should be held criminally responsible for the attack on the Capitol    | <b>56%</b> | 92% | 59% | 25% |
| No, they should not be held criminally responsible for the attack on the Capitol | <b>34</b>  | 3   | 30  | 63  |
| Don't know   | <b>10</b>  | 5   | 12  | 12  |

**[7]** When thinking about the January 6 attack on the U.S. Capitol, which statement comes closer to your view, even if neither is exactly right?

|  |            | D   | I   | R   |
|--|------------|-----|-----|-----|
| The attack on the Capitol and continued claims that the 2020 election was stolen are without evidence and are an attack on our country | <b>51%</b> | 83% | 54% | 22% |
| The attack on the Capitol was a result of legitimate concerns about the 2020 election and is not an attack on our country              | <b>39</b>  | 10  | 33  | 67  |
| Don't know   | <b>10</b>  | 6   | 13  | 11  |

**[8]** When thinking about the upcoming November 2022 elections, would you be more or less likely to vote for a candidate that worked to overturn the 2020 election, such as voting to decertify the results, or would it not affect your choice? (N=608)

|                            |            | D          | I          | R          |
|----------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Much more likely           | 11%        | 2%         | 6%         | 23%        |
| Somewhat more likely       | 11         | 8          | 7          | 18         |
| Somewhat less likely       | 8          | 8          | 8          | 8          |
| Much less likely           | 38         | 66         | 44         | 11         |
| Wouldn't affect my choice  | 31         | 15         | 36         | 41         |
| <b>MORE LIKELY (TOTAL)</b> | <b>22%</b> | <b>10%</b> | <b>13%</b> | <b>41%</b> |
| <b>LESS LIKELY (TOTAL)</b> | <b>46</b>  | <b>74</b>  | <b>52</b>  | <b>19</b>  |
| <b>MORE LIKELY (NET)</b>   | <b>-24</b> | <b>-64</b> | <b>-39</b> | <b>+22</b> |

**[9]** When thinking about the upcoming November 2022 elections, would you be more or less likely to vote for a candidate that continues to claim that the 2020 election was rigged without credible evidence, or would it not affect your choice? (N=607)

|                                 |            | D   | I   | R   |
|---------------------------------|------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Much more likely .....          | 10%        | 2%  | 4%  | 21% |
| Somewhat more likely .....      | 10         | 10  | 11  | 10  |
| Somewhat less likely .....      | 9          | 7   | 13  | 9   |
| Much less likely .....          | 41         | 74  | 42  | 11  |
| Wouldn't affect my choice ..... | 30         | 8   | 30  | 49  |
| <br>                            |            |     |     |     |
| MORE LIKELY (TOTAL) .....       | 20%        | 12% | 15% | 31% |
| LESS LIKELY (TOTAL) .....       | 50         | 81  | 55  | 20  |
| MORE LIKELY (NET) .....         | <b>-30</b> | -69 | -40 | +11 |