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From August 4 to 6, 2022, Data for Progress conducted a survey of 1,344 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 ±3 percentage points.

NB: subgroups with a n-size less than 50 (<50) are not shown on these cross-tabs. We choose not to display N<50 subgroups because the sample is too small to have statistical significance. We did, however, take samples of these subgroups for representational and weighting purposes to accurately reflect the electorate makeup. Some values may not add up to 100 due to rounding.

N=1,344 unless otherwise specified.

### [1] Do you own your home or pay rent?

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third party	Repub- lican	Female	Male	Under 45	45+	No College	College	Black or African American	White	Latino/a	Renters	Home Owners
Own	64	54	59	77	61	67	44	74	59	72	35	70	51	0	100
Rent	32	41	34	21	34	29	47	24	35	26	59	26	44	100	0
Other	5	5	7	3	5	4	10	2	6	2	6	4	6	0	0
Weighted N	1,344	500	338	506	715	629	455	889	851	493	128	1,047	150	424	858

### [2] How concerned or not concerned are you about the cost of renting a home or apartment?

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third party	Repub- lican	Female	Male	Under 45	45+	No College	College	Black or African American	White	Latino/a	Renters	Home Owners
Very concerned	35	41	34	29	39	30	41	31	37	31	46	32	48	52	26
Somewhat concerned	29	29	29	29	29	29	32	28	28	31	30	29	26	28	30
Only a little concerned	15	12	17	16	13	17	13	16	14	16	10	16	5	13	16
Not at all concerned	22	18	20	26	19	25	14	25	21	22	14	23	20	7	29
Weighted N	1,344	500	338	506	715	629	455	889	851	493	128	1,047	150	424	858

### [3] In the past six months, have you been paying a lot more, a little more, or about the same for your rent? (N=424)

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third party	Repub- lican	Female	Male	Under 45	45+	No College	College	Black or African American	White	Latino/a	Renters
I am paying a lot more	25	25	26	24	27	21	24	25	25	25	20	24	35	25
I am paying a little more	36	42	34	27	36	37	38	35	36	36	42	32	45	36
I am paying about the same	38	33	37	48	36	40	36	40	37	39	34	43	20	38
Don't know	1	0	3	2	1	2	2	1	2	0	4	1	0	1
Weighted N	424	204	115	106	240	184	211	212	296	128	76	273	65	424

[4] Below are various individuals, institutions, or events that you might believe are responsible for increasing costs of rent. Please say which you think is **most** responsible for this issue.

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third party	Repub- lican	Female	Male	Under 45	45+	No College	College	Black or African American	White	Latino/a	Renters	Home Owners
Inflation	43	43	43	43	46	39	44	43	41	46	48	43	42	44	42
Landlords	22	31	25	11	20	25	18	24	21	23	24	22	21	26	21
Congress	4	5	5	3	5	4	6	4	5	4	4	4	9	4	5
Local or state legislators	4	6	4	2	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	3	6	4	4
President Biden	19	4	15	35	17	20	18	19	21	13	8	21	12	14	21
The ongoing crisis in Ukraine	3	5	2	2	2	4	4	3	2	5	7	3	5	4	3
Out-of-state tenants	2	3	2	1	3	2	2	2	2	3	0	2	3	2	2
None of these	3	3	4	2	3	2	4	2	3	1	5	2	1	3	2
Weighted N	1,344	500	338	506	715	629	455	889	851	493	128	1,047	150	424	858

[5] Do you think the federal government should do more or less to address the costs of housing?

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third party	Repub- lican	Female	Male	Under 45	45+	No College	College	Black or African American	White	Latino/a	Renters	Home Owners
Should do more	65	82	61	52	71	59	74	61	67	62	86	62	75	79	58
Already does enough	20	13	19	27	16	24	11	24	18	22	7	22	11	11	25
Should do less	8	2	11	12	5	12	7	9	7	10	2	9	8	5	10
Don't know	7	4	9	9	8	5	7	7	8	6	5	7	6	5	8
Weighted N	1,344	500	338	506	715	629	455	889	851	493	128	1,047	150	424	858

## [6] Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

- If tenants had more rights, landlords who abuse their responsibility would have to play by the rules.

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third party	Repub- lican	Female	Male	Under 45	45+	No College	College	Black or African American	White	Latino/a	Renters	Home Owners
Strongly agree	41	56	39	28	41	41	40	42	42	41	56	39	48	51	37
Somewhat agree	35	32	34	39	38	32	31	37	35	35	27	37	20	31	38
Somewhat disagree	10	5	12	14	8	13	13	9	9	12	7	10	15	9	11
Strongly disagree	5	3	6	6	4	6	5	5	5	5	1	5	8	3	6
Don't know	9	4	10	12	9	8	12	7	10	7	9	9	9	5	9
AGREE (TOTAL)	76	88	73	67	79	73	71	79	77	76	83	76	68	82	75
DISAGREE (TOTAL)	15	8	18	20	12	19	18	14	14	17	8	15	23	12	17
AGREE (NET)	+61	+80	+55	+47	+67	+54	+53	+65	+63	+59	+75	+61	+45	+70	+58
Weighted N	1,344	500	338	506	715	629	455	889	851	493	128	1,047	150	424	858

- [7] Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?
- When large private equity firms buy up rental properties, only people with a lot of money are able to afford to live there.

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third party	Repub- lican	Female	Male	Under 45	45+	No College	College	Black or African American	White	Latino/a	Renters	Home Owners
Strongly agree	40	50	39	32	43	38	40	40	41	40	47	40	44	45	38
Somewhat agree	33	35	28	34	34	32	29	35	31	36	25	34	26	32	35
Somewhat disagree	9	4	10	12	6	11	8	9	8	10	7	8	11	8	9
Strongly disagree	6	5	6	6	5	6	7	5	6	5	7	5	6	7	5
Don't know	13	6	17	16	12	13	15	12	14	10	15	12	12	8	13
AGREE (TOTAL)	73	85	67	66	77	70	69	75	72	76	72	74	70	77	73
DISAGREE (TOTAL)	15	9	16	18	11	17	15	14	14	15	14	13	17	15	14
AGREE (NET)	+58	+76	+51	+48	+66	+53	+54	+61	+58	+61	+58	+61	+53	+62	+59
Weighted N	1,344	500	338	506	715	629	455	889	851	493	128	1,047	150	424	858

## **[8]** Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

— When times are tough, lawmakers should do everything they can to make sure people have a safe place to live.

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third party	Repub- lican	Female	Male	Under 45	45+	No College	College	Black or African American	White	Latino/a	Renters	Home Owners
Strongly agree	50	70	47	33	52	48	53	49	50	50	73	47	54	59	45
Somewhat agree	32	21	31	43	30	34	26	35	31	33	14	35	21	27	36
Somewhat disagree	8	5	9	12	8	9	8	9	8	8	4	8	12	7	9
Strongly disagree	4	2	3	5	2	5	4	3	4	3	2	3	9	2	4
Don't know	6	2	10	7	7	5	9	5	7	5	7	6	5	4	6
AGREE (TOTAL)	82	91	78	76	82	82	79	84	81	83	87	82	75	86	81
DISAGREE (TOTAL)	12	7	12	17	10	14	12	12	12	11	6	11	21	9	13
AGREE (NET)	+70	+84	+66	+59	+72	+68	+67	+72	+69	+72	+81	+71	+54	+77	+68
Weighted N	1,344	500	338	506	715	629	455	889	851	493	128	1,047	150	424	858

## [9] Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

- When costs for food and gas rise, landlords should be able to charge tenants more for their rental property.

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third party	Repub- lican	Female	Male	Under 45	45+	No College	College	Black or African American	White	Latino/a	Renters	Home Owners
Strongly agree	8	5	8	11	6	10	10	7	8	7	10	8	9	8	8
Somewhat agree	19	14	23	22	16	23	19	20	17	22	13	20	18	16	21
Somewhat disagree	26	28	26	25	29	23	22	28	23	31	21	28	21	25	29
Strongly disagree	38	47	32	32	40	35	39	37	41	31	49	36	44	46	33
Don't know	9	6	12	10	9	9	11	8	9	9	8	9	9	6	9
AGREE (TOTAL)	27	19	31	33	22	33	29	27	25	29	23	28	27	24	29
DISAGREE (TOTAL)	64	75	58	57	69	58	61	65	64	62	70	64	65	71	62
AGREE (NET)	-37	-56	-27	-24	-47	-25	-32	-38	-39	-33	-47	-36	-38	-47	-33
Weighted N	1,344	500	338	506	715	629	455	889	851	493	128	1,047	150	424	858

## [10] Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

— We should pass laws to prevent landlords from including extra/hidden fees in the bills they send their tenants.

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third party	Repub- lican	Female	Male	Under 45	45+	No College	College	Black or African American	White	Latino/a	Renters	Home Owners
Strongly agree	59	74	59	45	61	57	61	58	60	58	70	57	67	66	55
Somewhat agree	25	19	23	33	25	25	19	28	23	28	16	28	15	21	28
Somewhat disagree	5	2	5	8	3	7	6	5	4	6	2	5	3	4	6
Strongly disagree	4	2	5	5	3	5	5	3	5	3	3	3	8	4	4
Don't know	7	3	9	9	8	6	9	6	8	5	9	6	7	5	7
AGREE (TOTAL)	84	93	82	78	86	82	80	86	83	86	86	85	82	87	83
DISAGREE (TOTAL)	9	4	10	13	6	12	11	8	9	9	5	8	11	8	10
AGREE (NET)	+75	+89	+72	+65	+80	+70	+69	+78	+74	+77	+81	+77	+71	+79	+73
Weighted N	1,344	500	338	506	715	629	455	889	851	493	128	1,047	150	424	858

## [11] Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

— Most landlords want to treat their tenants fairly and regularly maintain their property.

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third party	Repub- lican	Female	Male	Under 45	45+	No College	College	Black or African American	White	Latino/a	Renters	Home Owners
Strongly agree	17	13	18	21	15	19	16	18	18	17	19	17	17	18	17
Somewhat agree	42	40	38	46	41	43	34	46	42	42	44	43	32	39	44
Somewhat disagree	22	25	24	17	23	21	26	20	20	25	17	21	25	25	20
Strongly disagree	9	14	8	6	11	8	14	7	11	7	9	9	18	14	7
Don't know	10	8	12	10	10	10	10	10	9	10	12	10	8	4	11
AGREE (TOTAL)	59	53	56	67	56	62	50	64	60	59	63	60	49	57	61
DISAGREE (TOTAL)	31	39	32	23	34	29	40	27	31	32	26	30	43	39	27
AGREE (NET)	+28	+14	+24	+44	+22	+33	+10	+37	+29	+27	+37	+30	+6	+18	+34
Weighted N	1,344	500	338	506	715	629	455	889	851	493	128	1,047	150	424	858

[12] President Biden could take various executive actions to regulate rent, such as extending the national eviction moratorium or signing an executive order to end the practice of landlords from overcharging tenants. When thinking about this, which of the following statements comes closer to your view, even if neither is exactly right?

Response	Topline	Democrat	Inde- pendent / Third party	Repub lican	Female	Male	Under 45	45+	No College	College	Black or African American	White	Latino/a	Renters	Home Owners
President Biden should use his executive power. This is a national crisis and will provide immediate relief for people facing skyrocketing rents.	51	76	46	30	53	49	61	46	51	51	70	47	62	66	44
President Biden should not use his executive power. This should not be in the president's legal authority and should be left to Congress instead.	39	18	39	60	36	42	27	45	37	42	21	43	27	27	47
Don't know	9	6	15	10	10	9	12	8	11	6	8	10	11	7	9
Weighted N	1,344	500	338	506	715	629	455	889	851	493	128	1,047	150	424	858