

DATA FOR PROGRESS

From July 29 to 31, 2023, Data for Progress conducted a survey of 1,216 likely voters nationally using web panel respondents. The sample was weighted to be representative of likely voters by age, gender, education, race, geography, 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=1,216 unless otherwise specified.

[1] Do you think the utility company that provides power to where you live is doing too much, too little, or the right amount to reduce pollution?

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third party	Republican	Female	Male	Under 45	45+	No College	College	Black or African American	White	Latino/a
Too much	4	4	4	5	4	5	7	3	5	4	5	4	9
Too little	34	45	38	21	35	33	42	31	33	36	45	31	45
The right amount	39	32	31	50	36	42	33	42	39	39	33	42	31
Don't know	22	19	27	23	25	19	18	25	23	21	17	23	15
Weighted N	1,216	452	324	439	651	565	424	792	779	437	134	884	156

[2] Thinking about the utility company that provides power to where you live, which type of energy do you think they should prioritize using:

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third party	Republican	Female	Male	Under 45	45+	No College	College	Black or African American	White	Latino/a
Clean energy like wind and solar power	59	82	58	34	62	55	62	57	57	62	68	55	66
Fossil fuel energy like coal, oil, and gas	33	14	30	54	28	38	27	36	34	31	23	37	25
Don't know	9	4	12	12	10	7	11	7	10	7	9	8	8
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[3] The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) recently proposed new rules to reduce pollution from coal and gas-fired power plants.

Researchers estimate these proposed rules will protect public health, reduce harmful pollutants and deliver up to \$85 billion in climate and public health benefits over the next two decades.

Do you support or oppose the EPA's proposed pollution standards for coal and gas-fired power plants?

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third party	Republican	Female	Male	Under 45	45+	No College	College	Black or African American	White	Latino/a
Strongly support	29	49	26	12	31	28	32	28	26	36	28	29	30
Somewhat support	36	35	37	35	37	34	38	34	37	33	45	34	40
Somewhat oppose	13	4	12	23	13	14	10	15	13	14	9	15	8
Strongly oppose	11	4	12	18	6	17	7	14	12	10	8	13	9
Don't know	11	7	13	12	13	7	13	9	13	7	10	9	13
SUPPORT (TOTAL)	65	84	63	47	68	62	70	62	63	69	73	63	70
OPPOSE (TOTAL)	24	8	24	41	19	31	17	29	25	24	17	28	17
SUPPORT (NET)	+41	+76	+39	+6	+49	+31	+53	+33	+38	+45	+56	+35	+53
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[4] Utility companies are currently deciding their stances on the EPA's recently proposed new rules to reduce pollution from coal and gas-fired power plants.

Researchers have said that if utility companies oppose the rules, we may see fewer clean energy projects built in the future.

Knowing this, do you think the utility company that provides power to where you live should support or oppose the new EPA rules on coal and gas-fired power plants?

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third party	Republican	Female	Male	Under 45	45+	No College	College	Black or African American	White	Latino/a
My utility company should support the EPA pollution rules	54	76	53	31	55	52	58	51	50	60	62	52	50
My utility company should oppose the EPA pollution rules	19	6	17	33	12	26	12	22	19	18	9	21	20
My utility company should neither support nor oppose the EPA pollution rules	13	7	12	21	15	11	11	15	14	12	7	15	13
Don't know	14	12	17	15	17	11	18	12	17	10	21	12	17
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[5] Utility companies often use money collected from customers' monthly bills to fund their political activities, including lobbying, advertisements, and trade association membership dues.

Thinking about this, do you approve or disapprove of utility companies using money collected from customers' monthly bills to fund political activities?

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third party	Republican	Female	Male	Under 45	45+	No College	College	Black or African American	White	Latino/a
Strongly approve	4	4	3	4	2	5	7	2	4	4	7	4	8
Somewhat approve	13	16	9	13	12	15	20	9	14	12	19	11	22
Somewhat disapprove	24	25	23	23	24	23	21	25	23	25	27	23	23
Strongly disapprove	52	49	55	53	53	51	40	59	51	54	39	57	37
Don't know	7	5	11	7	9	6	11	5	9	5	9	5	9
APPROVE (TOTAL)	17	20	12	17	14	20	27	11	18	16	26	15	30
DISAPPROVE (TOTAL)	76	74	78	76	77	74	61	84	74	79	66	80	60
APPROVE (NET)	-59	-54	-66	-59	-63	-54	-34	-73	-56	-63	-40	-65	-30
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