

**2022 PEW RESEARCH CENTER'S AMERICAN TRENDS PANEL
WAVE 101 JANUARY 2022
FINAL TOPLINE
JANUARY 10-17, 2022
N=5,128**

ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS PREVIOUSLY RELEASED**ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE****ASK ALL:**

PRIPRES How much of a priority should each of the following be for the president and Congress to address this year?

[RANDOMIZE ORDER OF SCREENS 1 AND 2 FOR EACH FORM]

		<u>Top priority</u>	<u>Important but lower priority</u>	<u>Not too important</u>	<u>Should not be done</u>	<u>No answer</u>
ASK FORM 1 ONLY [N=2,558]: [SCREEN 1, RANDOMIZE ITEMS ON SCREEN]						
JOB	Improving the job situation					
	Jan 10-17, 2022	52	37	8	2	1
	Jan 8-12, 2021	67	29	2	1	1
BD	Reducing the budget deficit					
	Jan 10-17, 2022	45	40	11	3	1
	Jan 8-12, 2021	42	44	11	2	1
CRI	Reducing crime					
	Jan 10-17, 2022	52	36	8	2	1
	Jan 8-12, 2021	47	42	9	1	1
CVD	Dealing with the coronavirus outbreak					
	Jan 10-17, 2022	60	25	10	5	1
	Jan 8-12, 2021	78	14	6	2	*
HC	Reducing health care costs					
	Jan 10-17, 2022	61	31	4	3	1
	Jan 8-12, 2021	58	36	4	2	*
ASK FORM 1 ONLY [N=2,558]: [SCREEN 2, RANDOMIZE ITEMS ON SCREEN]						
TER	Defending the country from future terrorist attacks					
	Jan 10-17, 2022	55	32	8	3	1
	Jan 8-12, 2021	63	30	6	1	*
GT	Dealing with global trade issues					
	Jan 10-17, 2022	35	52	9	2	1
	Jan 8-12, 2021	32	56	10	2	1
EDU	Improving the educational system					
	Jan 10-17, 2022	58	33	6	3	1
	Jan 8-12, 2021	53	39	5	2	1

PRIPRES CONTINUED...

		<u>Top priority</u>	<u>Important but lower priority</u>	<u>Not too important</u>	<u>Should not be done</u>	<u>No answer</u>
SC	Taking steps to make the Social Security system financially sound					
	Jan 10-17, 2022	57	33	6	3	1
	Jan 8-12, 2021	54	39	5	2	1

ASK FORM 2 ONLY [N=2,570]: [SCREEN 1, RANDOMIZE ITEMS ON SCREEN]

IMM	Dealing with the issue of immigration					
	Jan 10-17, 2022	49	37	11	2	1
	Jan 8-12, 2021	39	44	13	4	1
EC	Strengthening the nation's economy					
	Jan 10-17, 2022	71	24	4	1	1
	Jan 8-12, 2021	80	16	2	1	*
GCC	Dealing with global climate change					
	Jan 10-17, 2022	42	30	17	10	1
	Jan 8-12, 2021	38	33	18	10	1
JUS	Addressing issues within the criminal justice system					
	Jan 10-17, 2022	45	45	8	2	1
	Jan 8-12, 2021	46	42	9	2	1

ASK FORM 2 ONLY [N=2,570]: [SCREEN 2, RANDOMIZE ITEMS ON SCREEN]

POOR	Dealing with the problems of poor people					
	Jan 10-17, 2022	44	42	11	2	1
	Jan 8-12, 2021	53	39	6	2	*
MIL	Strengthening the U.S. military					
	Jan 10-17, 2022	37	34	20	9	1
	Jan 8-12, 2021	37	35	20	7	*
POL	Improving the way the political system works in the U.S.					
	Jan 10-17, 2022	52	32	9	5	1
	January 8-12, 2021	62	29	6	2	1
RA	Addressing issues around race in this county					
	Jan 10-17, 2022	37	34	19	9	1
	Jan 8-12, 2021	49	32	13	5	1
DA	Dealing with drug addiction					
	Jan 10-17, 2022	31	52	13	3	1
	Jan 8-12, 2021	28	54	15	2	*

For past phone trends on national priorities, [see the 2020 survey](#).

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PARTY In politics today, do you consider yourself a:

ASK IF INDEP/SOMETHING ELSE (PARTY=3 or 4) OR MISSING [N=1,917]:PARTYLN As of today do you lean more to...¹

<u>Republican</u>	<u>Democrat</u>	<u>Independent</u>	<u>Something else</u>	<u>No answer</u>	<u>Lean Rep</u>	<u>Lean Dem</u>
26	31	27	14	2	16	20

¹ PARTY and PARTYLN asked in a prior survey.