Note: The questions presented below are part of a larger survey conducted on the American Trends Panel. For all questions, the 98 (“don’t know” in phone mode) and 99 (refusal in phone mode and no answer in web mode) codes are combined in the data for analytical purposes.

PN = Programming note

CODEBOOK FOR SAMPLE VARIABLES TO BE USED IN SURVEY PROGRAMMING LOGIC:

**X_FORM**
1 Form 1
2 Form 2
Note: Flag to randomly assign panelists to one of two forms (Form 1, Form 2) and weight within form ATP source: Randomly assigned for each survey.

**X_CITIZEN**
1 Yes
2 No
99 Refused
Note: Flag to identify citizens filtered on VOTEGEN24.
Source: Frame file variable F_CITIZEN.

**X_KIDS1**
1 Parent/guardian of child under age 18
2 Not parent/guardian of child under age 18
99 Refused
Note: Flag to identify parents of children under 18.
Source: Frame file variable F_KIDS1. Same codes as F_KIDS1.

**X_KIDS2**
1 Parent/guardian of child age 18+
2 Not parent/guardian of child 18+
99 Refused
Note: Flag to identify parents of children 18 or older.
Source: Frame file variable F_KIDS2. Same codes as F_KIDS2.
QUE: SATIS
ASK ALL:

All in all, are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the way things are going in this country today?

1 Satisfied
2 Dissatisfied
98 [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Don't know
99 [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused / [PN: IF WEB:] Web blank

QUE: POL1JB
ASK ALL:

Do you approve or disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling his job as president?

[PN: INTERVIEWER: IF R SAYS "It Depends", PROBE ONCE WITH: Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling his job as President? IF STILL DEPENDS, ENTER AS "Don't know".]

1 Approve
2 Disapprove
98 [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Don't know
99 [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused / [PN: IF WEB:] Web blank

QUE: POL1JBSTR
ASK IF APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF BIDEN (POL1JB=1 OR 2):

Do you [PN: IF POL1JB=1 INSERT "approve"; IF POL1JB=2 INSERT "disapprove"] of the way Joe Biden is handling his job as president...

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

1 Very strongly
2 Not so strongly
98 [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Don't know
99 [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused / [PN: IF WEB:] Web blank
QUE: CAMPNII
ASK IF FORM 2 (X_FORM=2):

How closely have you been following news about candidates for the 2024 presidential election?

[ PN: IF CATI: ] (READ LIST)

1 Very closely
2 Fairly closely
3 Not too closely
4 Not at all closely
98 [ PN: IF CATI: ] (DO NOT READ) Don't know

QUE: PRZCMPGN
ASK IF FORM 1 (X_FORM=1):

How much thought, if any, have you given to candidates who are running for president in 2024?

[ PN: IF CATI: ] (READ LIST)

1 A lot
2 Some
3 Not much
4 None at all
98 [ PN: IF CATI: ] (DO NOT READ) Don't know

QUE: MATTERS
ASK ALL:
[ PN: ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-4/4-1 FOR RANDOM HALF OF RESPONDENTS; KEEP THE SCALE ALWAYS 1-4; RECORD ROTATION ]

[ PN: IF WEB: ] Thinking about how you feel about the 2024 presidential election and the next president, where would you place yourself on the following scale?

[ PN: IF CATI: ] Thinking about how you feel about the 2024 presidential election and the next president, please tell me where you would place yourself on a scale from 1 to 4, where 1 means it [ PN: INSERT RESPONSE OPTION=1 ] and 4 means it [ PN: INSERT RESPONSE OPTION=4 ]. You may use any number from 1 to 4.

[ PN: IF CATI: ] (DO NOT READ LIST)

1 Really matters who wins
2
3
4 Doesn't really matter who wins
98 [ PN: IF CATI: ] (DO NOT READ) Don't know
If the 2024 presidential election were being held today, would you vote for...

[ PN: IF CATI: ] (READ LIST)

1  Donald Trump, the Republican
2  Joe Biden, the Democrat
3  Robert F. Kennedy Jr., a third-party candidate
4  [ PN: IF WEB: ] None/Other candidate [ PN: IF CATI: ] None of these or another candidate
98 [ PN: IF CATI: ] (DO NOT READ) Don't know

As of today, do you...

[ PN: IF CATI: ] (READ LIST)

[ PN: INTERVIEWER: DO NOT READ OPTION 4 UNLESS RESPONDENT SAYS “DON’T KNOW” OR WANTS TO SKIP. THEN SOFT PROMPT: If you would not support any of these candidates you can say none or someone else? IF STILL DEPENDS OR DON’T KNOW, ENTER AS “Don’t Know”. ]

1  Lean more toward Donald Trump
2  Lean more toward Joe Biden
3  Lean more toward Robert F. Kennedy Jr.
4  [ PN: IF WEB: ] None/Other candidate [ PN: IF CATI: ] (DO NOT READ UNLESS SKIPPED OR RESPONDENT SAYS DON’T KNOW) None of these or another candidate
98 [ PN: IF CATI: ] (DO NOT READ) Don't know
QUE: VOTEGEN2_TRUMP
ASK IF SELECTED TRUMP (VOTEGEN24=1):

And would you say...

[ PN: IF CATI: ] (READ LIST)
1 You are certain you will vote for Donald Trump
2 There is a chance you might change your mind
98 [ PN: IF CATI: ] (DO NOT READ) Don't know

QUE: VOTEGEN2_BIDEN
ASK IF SELECTED BIDEN (VOTEGEN24=2):

And would you say...

[ PN: IF CATI: ] (READ LIST)
1 You are certain you will vote for Joe Biden
2 There is a chance you might change your mind
98 [ PN: IF CATI: ] (DO NOT READ) Don't know

QUE: VOTEGEN2_KENNEDY
ASK IF SELECTED KENNEDY (VOTEGEN24=3):

And would you say...

[ PN: IF CATI: ] (READ LIST)
1 You are certain you will vote for Robert F. Kennedy Jr.
2 There is a chance you might change your mind
98 [ PN: IF CATI: ] (DO NOT READ) Don't know
QUE: VOTESTRONG
ASK IF CHOOSE BIDEN, TRUMP OR KENNEDY (VOTEGEN24=1, 2, OR 3):

Do you support [ PN: IF VOTEGEN24=1 INSERT ”Donald Trump”; IF VOTEGEN24=2 INSERT ”Joe Biden”; IF VOTEGEN24=3 INSERT ”Robert F. Kennedy Jr.” ]...

[ PN: IF CATI: ] (READ LIST)

1 Strongly
2 Moderately
98 [ PN: IF CATI: ] (DO NOT READ) Don’t know

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QUE: VOTEGEN24_TWO
ASK IF DID NOT PICK TRUMP OR BIDEN IN VOTEGEN24 OR VOTEGEN24_LEAN (VOTEGEN24=3 OR VOTEGEN24_LEAN=3,4,98,99):
[ PN: ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS IN SAME ORDER AS VOTEGEN24; RECORD ROTATION ]

If there were only two candidates for president and you had to choose, would you vote for...

[ PN: IF CATI: ] (READ LIST)

1 Donald Trump
2 Joe Biden
98 [ PN: IF CATI: ] (DO NOT READ) Don’t know

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QUE: SATISPRESCAND
ASK IF FORM 1 (X_FORM=1):

What is your opinion of the presidential candidates for this year?
Would you say that you are...

[ PN: IF CATI: ] (READ LIST)

1 Very satisfied
2 Fairly satisfied
3 Not too satisfied
4 Not at all satisfied
98 [ PN: IF CATI: ] (DO NOT READ) Don’t know
How would you feel if Donald Trump won the November 2024 election?

1. Excited
2. Relieved
3. Disappointed
4. Angry
98. [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Don't know
99. [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused / [PN: IF WEB:] Web blank

How would you feel if Joe Biden won the November 2024 election?

1. Excited
2. Relieved
3. Disappointed
4. Angry
98. [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Don't know
99. [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused / [PN: IF WEB:] Web blank
TXT:
[ PN: DISPLAY CMPGNTRAIT_PROUD, CMPGNTRAIT_NEG, CMPGNTRAIT_POLCY ON SAME PAGE; RANDOMIZE ORDER OF QUESTIONS; INCLUDE RANDOMIZATION IN DATA FILE. DO NOT RANDOMIZE RESPONSE OPTIONS WITHIN EACH QUESTION ]

QUE: CMPGNTRAIT_PROUD
ASK ALL:

So far, would you say the 2024 presidential campaign...

[ PN: IF CATI: ] (READ LIST)
1 Makes you feel proud of the country
2 Does not make you feel proud of the country
98 [ PN: IF CATI: ] (DO NOT READ) Don't know

QUE: CMPGNTRAIT_NEG
ASK ALL:

So far, would you say the 2024 presidential campaign is...

[ PN: IF CATI: ] (READ LIST)
1 Too negative
2 Not too negative
98 [ PN: IF CATI: ] (DO NOT READ) Don't know

QUE: CMPGNTRAIT_POLCY
ASK ALL:

So far, would you say the 2024 presidential campaign is...

[ PN: IF CATI: ] (READ LIST)
1 Focused on important policy debates
2 Not focused on important policy debates
98 [ PN: IF CATI: ] (DO NOT READ) Don't know

ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE
ASK ALL:
Thinking about important issues facing the country today...

[ PN: ASK FORM 1 TRUMPISSUE1 AND TRUMPISSUE2 FIRST IN BLOCK, ASK FORM 2
BIDENISSUE1 AND BIDENISSUE2 FIRST IN BLOCK. ALL RESPONDENTS SEE BOTH BLOCKS;
RECORD ORDER ]

QUE: TRUMPISSUE1
ASK ALL:
[ PN: ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-4/4-1; INCLUDE ROTATION IN DATA FILE ]

Overall, would you say you tend to agree with Donald Trump on...

[ PN: IF CATI: ] (READ LIST)

1. All or nearly all issues
2. Many, but not all issues
3. A few issues
4. No or almost no issues
98 [ PN: IF CATI: ] (DO NOT READ) Don’t know

QUE: TRUMPISSUE2
ASK ALL:
[ PN: ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-3/3-1; INCLUDE ROTATION IN DATA FILE ]

Now thinking NOT about issues, but about Donald Trump’s personal conduct, would you say you...

[ PN: IF CATI: ] (READ LIST)

1. Like the way he conducts himself
2. Have mixed feelings about the way he conducts himself
3. Don’t like the way he conducts himself
98 [ PN: IF CATI: ] (DO NOT READ) Don’t know
TXT:
[ PN: ASK FORM 1 TRUMPISSUE1 AND TRUMPISSUE2 FIRST IN BLOCK, ASK FORM 2
BIDENISSUE1 AND BIDENISSUE2 FIRST IN BLOCK. ALL RESPONDENTS SEE BOTH BLOCKS;
RECORD ORDER ]

QUE: BIDENISSUE1
ASK ALL:
[ PN: ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-4/4-1 IN SAME ORDER AS TRUMPISSUE1; INCLUDE
ROTATION IN DATA FILE ]

Overall, would you say you tend to agree with Joe Biden on...

[ PN: IF CATI: ] (READ LIST)
1  All or nearly all issues
2  Many, but not all issues
3  A few issues
4  No or almost no issues
98  [ PN: IF CATI: ] (DO NOT READ) Don't know

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QUE: BIDENISSUE2
ASK ALL:
[ PN: ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-3/3-1 IN SAME ORDER AS TRUMPISSUE2; INCLUDE
ROTATION IN DATA FILE ]

Now thinking NOT about issues, but about Joe Biden’s personal conduct, would you say you...

[ PN: IF CATI: ] (READ LIST)
1  Like the way he conducts himself
2  Have mixed feelings about the way he conducts himself
3  Don't like the way he conducts himself
98  [ PN: IF CATI: ] (DO NOT READ) Don't know
BAT: INSTFAV
ASK ALL:
[ PN: RANDOMIZE ITEMS; INCLUDE RANDOMIZATION IN DATA ]

[ PN: IF WEB: ] Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of each of the following?

[ PN: IF CATI: SHOW FOR FIRST ITEM: ] Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of each of the following? First, (INSERT ITEM). Is your opinion...? (READ LIST)

[ PN: IF CATI: SHOW FOR SUBSEQUENT ITEMS: ] What about (INSERT ITEM)? (READ AS NECESSARY: Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of (INSERT ITEM)? Is your opinion...(READ LIST IF NECESSARY))

BATTERY ITEMS:

INSTFAV ADDITIONAL ITEMS HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE

REP The Republican Party
DEM The Democratic Party

RESPONSE CATEGORIES:
1 Very favorable
2 Mostly favorable
3 Mostly unfavorable
4 Very unfavorable
98 [ PN: IF CATI: ] (DO NOT READ) Don't know
Thinking about Donald Trump’s ability to handle a number of things, how confident are you that Donald Trump can do each of the following? First, (INSERT ITEM). Are you...? (READ LIST)

What about (INSERT ITEM)? (READ AS NECESSARY: How confident are you that Donald Trump can (INSERT ITEM)? Are you... (READ LIST IF NECESSARY))

**BATTERY ITEMS:**
- FRGN: Make good decisions about foreign policy
- SCT: Select good nominees for the Supreme Court
- WRK: Work well with Democratic elected officials
- ECON: Make good decisions about economic policy
- IMMI: Make wise decisions about immigration policy
- ABCN: Make good decisions about abortion policy

**RESPONSE CATEGORIES:**
1. Very confident
2. Somewhat confident
3. Not too confident
4. Not at all confident
98. [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Don’t know
99. [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused / [PN: IF WEB:] Web blank
[ PN: RANDOMIZE ORDER OF DTCONF AND JBCONF. RECORD RANDOMIZATION IN DATA FILE ]

BAT: JBCONF
ASK IF FORM 1 (X_FORM=1):
[ PN: RANDOMIZE ITEMS; DISPLAY IN SAME ORDER AS DTCONF; INCLUDE RANDOMIZATION IN DATA ]

[ PN: IF WEB: ] Thinking about Joe Biden’s ability to handle a number of things, how confident are you that Joe Biden can do each of the following?

[ PN: IF CATI: SHOW FOR FIRST ITEM: ] Thinking about Joe Biden’s ability to handle a number of things, how confident are you that Joe Biden can do each of the following? First, (INSERT ITEM). Are you...? (READ LIST)

[ PN: IF CATI: SHOW FOR SUBSEQUENT ITEMS: ] What about (INSERT ITEM)? (READ AS NECESSARY: How confident are you that Joe Biden can (INSERT ITEM)? Are you... (READ LIST IF NECESSARY))

BATTERY ITEMS:
FRGN Make good decisions about foreign policy
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RESPONSE CATEGORIES:
1 Very confident
2 Somewhat confident
3 Not too confident
4 Not at all confident
98 [ PN: IF CATI: ] (DO NOT READ) Don't know
TXT: [ PN: RANDOMIZE ORDER OF TRUMPDESC AND BIDENDESC. RECORD RANDOMIZATION IN DATA FILE ]

BAT: TRUMPDESC
ASK IF FORM 2 (X_FORM=2):
[ PN: RANDOMIZE ITEMS; DISPLAY IN SAME ORDER AS BIDENDESC; INCLUDE RANDOMIZATION IN DATA ]

[ PN: IF WEB: ] How well does each of the following describe Donald Trump?

[ PN: IF CATI: SHOW FOR FIRST ITEM: ] How well does each of the following describe Donald Trump? First, (INSERT ITEM). Does it describe him...? (READ LIST)

[ PN: IF CATI: SHOW FOR SUBSEQUENT ITEMS: ] What about (INSERT ITEM)? (READ AS NECESSARY: Does (INSERT ITEM) describe Donald Trump... (READ LIST IF NECESSARY))

BATTERY ITEMS:
HNST       Honest
ORD        Cares about the needs of ordinary people
MNSHRP     Mentally sharp
MEAN       Mean-spirited
EMB        Embarrassing

RESPONSE CATEGORIES:
1    Very well
2    Fairly well
3    Not too well
4    Not at all well
98   [ PN: IF CATI: ] (DO NOT READ) Don't know
TXT:
[ PN: RANDOMIZE ORDER OF TRUMPDESC AND BIDENDESC. RECORD RANDOMIZATION IN DATA FILE ]

BAT: BIDENDESC
ASK IF FORM 2 (X_FORM=2):
[ PN: RANDOMIZE ITEMS; DISPLAY IN SAME ORDER AS TRUMPDESC; INCLUDE RANDOMIZATION IN DATA ]

[ PN: IF WEB: ] How well does each of the following describe Joe Biden?

[ PN: IF CATI: SHOW FOR FIRST ITEM: ] How well does each of the following describe Joe Biden? First, (INSERT ITEM). Does it describe him...? (READ LIST)

[ PN: IF CATI: SHOW FOR SUBSEQUENT ITEMS: ] What about (INSERT ITEM)? (READ AS NECESSARY: Does (INSERT ITEM) describe Joe Biden... (READ LIST IF NECESSARY))

BATTERY ITEMS:
HNST  Honest
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EMB   Embarrassing

RESPONSE CATEGORIES:
1 Very well
2 Fairly well
3 Not too well
4 Not well at all
98 [ PN: IF CATI: ] (DO NOT READ) Don't know

ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE

QUE: PARTY
ASK ALL:

In politics today, do you consider yourself a...

[ PN: IF CATI: ] (READ LIST)

1 Republican
2 Democrat
3 Independent
4 Something else
98 [ PN: IF CATI: ] (DO NOT READ) Don't know
**QUE: PARTYLN**  
ASK IF INDEPENDENT/SOMETHING ELSE/Don’t Know/Refused (Party=3, 4, 98, or 99):  
As of today do you lean more to...  

[ PN: IF CATI: ] (READ LIST)  
1 The Republican Party  
2 The Democratic Party  
98 [ PN: IF CATI: ] (DO NOT READ) Don’t know  

**QUE: PARTYSTR**  
ASK IF REPUBLICAN OR DEMOCRAT (Party=1 or 2):  
Do you identify with the [ PN: IF PARTY=1 INSERT “Republican”; IF PARTY=2 INSERT “Democratic” ] Party...  

[ PN: IF CATI: ] (READ LIST)  
1 Strongly  
2 Not strongly  
98 [ PN: IF CATI: ] (DO NOT READ) Don’t know  

**QUE: PARTYNLCLOSE**  
ASK IF LEAN TOWARD A PARTY (PartyLN=1 or 2):  
[ PN: ROTATE ANSWER OPTIONS 1-5/5-1; RECORD ROTATION IN DATA FILE ]  
And how close would you say you feel to the [ PN: IF PARTYLN=1 INSERT “Republican”; IF PARTYLN=2 INSERT “Democratic” ] Party?  

[ PN: IF CATI: ] (READ LIST)  
1 Extremely close  
2 Very close  
3 Somewhat close  
4 Not too close  
5 Not at all close  
98 [ PN: IF CATI: ] (DO NOT READ) Don’t know  
QUE: VOTE_MOTIV
ASK IF CITIZEN (X_CITIZEN=1):

Thinking about voting in the presidential election, would you say that you are personally...

[ PN: IF CATI: ] (READ LIST)

1. Extremely motivated to vote
2. Very motivated to vote
3. Somewhat motivated to vote
4. Not too motivated to vote
5. Not at all motivated to vote
98 [ PN: IF CATI: ] (DO NOT READ) Don't know

QUE: VOTEHOW
ASK IF CITIZEN (X_CITIZEN=1):

Thinking ahead to the election in November, would your preference be to...

[ PN: IF CATI: ] (READ LIST)

1. Vote in person on Election Day
2. Vote in person early
3. Vote by mail
[ PN: INSERT A LINE OF SPACE ]
4. Not vote
98 [ PN: IF CATI: ] (DO NOT READ) Don't know
As you may know, Donald Trump and Joe Biden are likely to be their party’s nominees for the 2024 presidential election this November.

If you had the ability to decide the major party candidates for the 2024 presidential election, would you...

[ PN: IF CATI: ] (READ LIST)

1. Replace both Trump and Biden with different candidates
2. Keep Biden, replace Trump with a different Republican
3. Keep Trump, replace Biden with a different Democrat
4. Keep both Biden and Trump
98 [ PN: IF CATI: ] (DO NOT READ) Don’t know

ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE