

S2. Are you currently registered to vote in [STATE]?

	Nationwide	Battleground
Yes.....	100%	100%
No.....	-	-
Not sure.....	-	-

S3. As you may know, there will be an election for President, Congress, and other offices in 2020. It is a long time from now, but how likely are you to vote in the election in 2020?

	Nationwide	Battleground
Definitely.....	90%	90%
Probably.....	6	7
Chance 50-50.....	4	3
Probably not.....	-	-
Definitely not.....	-	-

P1. When it comes to politics, do you generally think of yourself as a strong Democrat, not very strong Democrat, strong Republican, not very strong Republican, an independent, or some other political party? [IF INDEPENDENT/OTHER] Do you think of yourself as closer to the Democratic Party or the Republican Party?

	Nationwide	Battleground
Strong Democrat.....	28%	24%
Weak Democrat.....	14	17
Independent / Closer to the Democrats.....	6	7
Independent.....	10	10
Independent / Closer to the Republicans.....	5	6
Weak Republican.....	11	14
Strong Republican.....	25	22
DEMOCRAT (NET).....	42%	41
INDEPENDENT (NET).....	21	22
REPUBLICAN (NET).....	37	37
DEMOCRAT W/ LEANERS (NET).....	48%	48
REPUBLICAN W/ LEANERS (NET).....	42	42

FT1. Since Donald Trump has become President, would you say that you are financially...

	Nationwide					Battleground				
	Sept 20	Aug 20	June 20	May 20	Apr 20	Sept 20	Aug 20	June 20	May 20	Apr 20
Much better off.....	14%	11%	15%	15%	12%	13%	10%	13%	13%	14%
Somewhat better off.....	21	22	23	21	21	19	24	25	23	20
No change.....	35	34	34	35	36	35	36	33	30	33
Somewhat worse off.....	18	18	15	15	14	18	18	13	17	17
Much worse off.....	13	15	13	14	16	14	13	16	17	16
BETTER (NET).....	35%	33	37	36	34	32	34	37	36	34
WORSE (NET).....	31	33	29	29	30	33	30	29	34	33

FT2. Which of the following is the most important reason for the change in how you are doing financially?

	Nationwide					Battleground				
	Sept 20	Aug 20	June 20	May 20	Apr 20	Sept 20	Aug 20	June 20	May 20	Apr 20
Wages or income level.....	18%	19%	18%	18%	18%	20%	16%	18%	16%	17%
Amount of personal savings and investments.....	17	16	18	20	18	19	17	20	19	17
Employment status.....	14	14	12	11	13	10	13	12	14	14
Size of personal or family debts.....	8	9	8	6	8	8	9	8	10	11
Value of primary residence.....	3	2	4	2	2	2	2	4	4	2
Something else.....	6	6	6	7	5	6	6	6	7	6
VOL: (No change in financial situation).....	35	34	34	35	36	35	36	33	30	33

FT3. Which of the following do you believe is the biggest threat to the United States economy?

	Nationwide					Battleground				
	Sept 20	Aug 20	June 20	May 20	Apr 20	Sept 20	Aug 20	June 20	May 20	Apr 20
A potential slowdown in the global economy	28%	29%	32%	34%	36%	29%	32%	32%	34%	38%
Rising health care costs	20	21	19	18	17	18	20	19	22	15
Disputes with major trading partners like China and Mexico.....	12	11	11	11	7	12	12	13	9	9
A potential stock market downturn	10	11	10	11	13	10	9	10	12	9
Loss of high-paying jobs due to automation.....	8	6	6	7	6	8	6	7	5	7
Federal Reserve policy, including interest rate levels.....	5	3	4	3	4	4	3	3	4	3
Something else.....	18	19	18	16	18	19	19	15	15	18

FT4. Have President Trump's economic policies...

	Nationwide					Battleground				
	Sept 20	Aug 20	June 20	May 20	Apr 20	Sept 20	Aug 20	June 20	May 20	Apr 20
Helped the economy - strongly.....	27%	28%	27%	27%	26%	29%	25%	28%	26%	25%
Helped the economy - somewhat.....	18	19	22	21	22	18	23	23	21	23
No impact	10	8	9	11	9	9	10	8	10	9
Hurt the economy - somewhat	19	16	18	17	21	20	16	13	17	21
Hurt the economy - strongly	26	28	25	24	22	24	26	27	26	23
HELPED (NET).....	45%	48	49	48	48	47	48	52	48	47
HURT (NET).....	45	44	43	41	43	44	42	40	43	43

FT5. When it comes to managing the national debt, would you say things in the United States are heading in the right direction, or do you think things are off on the wrong track?

	Nationwide					Battleground				
	Sept 20	Aug 20	June 20	May 20	Apr 20	Sept 20	Aug 20	June 20	May 20	Apr 20
Right direction - Strongly	14%	12%	12%	15%	14%	11%	9%	11%	14%	13%
Right direction - Somewhat	21	19	23	21	23	20	19	23	20	24
Wrong track - Somewhat.....	27	28	28	26	28	30	33	28	31	27
Wrong track - Strongly.....	38	41	37	38	35	39	39	38	36	36
RIGHT DIRECTION (NET).....	35%	30	35	36	37	31	28	34	33	37
WRONG TRACK (NET)	65	70	65	64	63	69	72	66	67	63

FT6. Which of the following is the most significant effect of the national debt on the United States economy?

	Nationwide					Battleground				
	Sept 20	Aug 20	June 20	May 20	Apr 20	Sept 20	Aug 20	June 20	May 20	Apr 20
Could threaten programs like Social Security and Medicare.....	31%	30%	25%	27%	27%	31%	29%	27%	30%	28%
Harms economic growth and the future incomes of U.S. households.....	18	18	21	21	20	17	20	17	23	18
Interest on the debt limits resources available for other priorities (such as infrastructure, climate change, education, defense).....	13	13	16	14	15	15	16	16	13	15
Leaves government with less flexibility to respond to economic and other crises	11	13	12	12	15	12	11	12	11	14
Reliance on foreign lenders reduces our global power and influence.....	9	11	10	10	7	9	9	13	9	9
Increases the risk of higher interest rates	8	5	5	5	5	7	6	6	5	5
Undermines U.S. economic leadership role.....	6	6	8	8	6	5	5	5	6	5
Something else.....	5	4	3	3	5	4	4	3	3	5

FT7. Which of the following do you believe is the biggest obstacle to managing the national debt?

	Nationwide					Battleground				
	Sept 20	Aug 20	June 20	May 20	Apr 20	Sept 20	Aug 20	June 20	May 20	Apr 20
Lack of leadership and political courage by elected officials	32%	33%	32%	28%	30%	31%	32%	28%	29%	28%
Politicians refusing to consider spending cuts	24	20	24	22	20	25	22	24	19	20
Partisanship in Washington.....	18	20	20	19	20	18	22	22	24	22
Lack of long-term planning	12	14	13	16	16	13	11	16	16	16
Politicians refusing to consider tax increases	8	8	6	10	8	8	7	6	8	9
Something else.....	5	4	5	5	7	6	6	5	4	6

Q1. Has the outbreak of novel coronavirus affected any of your personal or business decisions, such as canceling travel or putting off large purchases?

	Nationwide					Battleground				
	Sept 20	Aug 20	June 20	May 20	Apr 20	Sept 20	Aug 20	June 20	May 20	Apr 20
Yes	68%	71%	67%	66%	74%	66%	73%	68%	71%	77%
No.....	32	29	33	34	26	34	27	32	29	23

Q2. Which of the following have you done in response to the outbreak of novel coronavirus?

	Nationwide					Battleground				
	Sept 20	Aug 20	June 20	May 20	Apr 20	Sept 20	Aug 20	June 20	May 20	Apr 20
Wore a face mask	61%	67%	62%	56%	60%	59%	68%	61%	59%	61%
Avoided public places.....	53	58	57	55	65	53	59	57	59	68
Canceled or changed travel plans.....	52	56	51	46	54	52	56	53	52	57
Put off large purchase	32	36	37	33	40	34	38	37	34	42
Have not sent or don't plan on sending child or children to school at the start of the 2020-2021 academic year.....	10	13	n/a	n/a	n/a	9	9	n/a	n/a	n/a
Changed investments, such as selling shares in a China-linked company	5	6	6	6	6	3	5	5	6	7
Something else.....	2	4	3	2	5	3	4	3	4	4
VOL: (Nothing).....	32	29	33	34	26	34	27	32	29	23

Q3. How long do you believe it will take for the U.S. economy to fully recover from the impact of the coronavirus outbreak?

	Nationwide					Battleground				
	Sept 20	Aug 20	June 20	May 20	Apr 20	Sept 20	Aug 20	June 20	May 20	Apr 20
Within three months	6%	3%	5%	5%	5%	3%	3%	5%	4%	3%
Between three and six months	9	9	9	11	11	9	8	10	13	12
Between six months and one year	20	22	22	26	28	23	18	22	26	24
Between one and two years	32	31	34	32	29	31	33	34	33	30
Between two and five years	23	21	21	19	18	25	25	19	17	22
Five years or longer.....	10	14	9	8	9	9	13	10	7	9
WITHIN A YEAR (NET).....	34%	34	37	42	44	35	28	37	42	39
A YEAR OR MORE (NET)	66	66	63	58	56	65	72	63	58	61

Q4. Over the next month, do you think the coronavirus outbreak in your community will get better, get worse, or stay the same?

	Nationwide					Battleground				
	Sept 20	Aug 20	June 20	May 20	Apr 20	Sept 20	Aug 20	June 20	May 20	Apr 20
Get much better.....	10%	6%	7%	10%	8%	9%	3%	6%	9%	8%
Get somewhat better	20	18	18	29	30	18	18	14	26	31
Stay the same.....	31	28	26	26	25	33	29	28	27	22
Get somewhat worse.....	30	35	34	24	27	29	34	36	27	31
Get much worse	10	13	16	11	11	10	16	16	11	8
GET BETTER (NET).....	30%	24	24	39	38	27	21	20	35	39
GET WORSE (NET).....	40	49	49	35	38	39	50	52	38	39

Q5. Do you support or oppose re-opening K-12 schools in [STATE]?

	Nationwide		Battleground	
	Sept 20	Aug 20	Sept 20	Aug 20
Strongly support	21%	20%	20%	16%
Somewhat support	26	20	27	22
Somewhat oppose	28	24	26	26
Strongly oppose	25	36	26	36
SUPPORT (NET)	47%	41	48	38
OPPOSE (NET)	53	59	52	62

Q6. How well do you believe [STATE] is handling the issue of how to re-open K-12 schools?

	Nationwide	Battleground
Very well	17%	12%
Somewhat well.....	43	45
Not that well.....	25	29
Not well at all	15	15
WELL (NET)	60%	57
NOT WELL (NET).....	40	43

Q7. Depending on where you live, you may be able to vote in the November election either in person on Election Day, in person before Election Day at an early voting location, or by mail. If you had all of these options, how would you be most likely to cast your ballot?

	Nationwide	Battleground
By voting in person on Election Day	44%	39%
By voting in person before Election Day at an early voting location.....	17	17
By voting by mail.....	39	45

Q8. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement? *Voting by mail is secure and reliable.*

	Nationwide	Battleground
Strongly agree	35%	37%
Somewhat agree.....	26	27
Somewhat disagree.....	17	17
Strongly disagree.....	23	19
AGREE (NET).....	60%	64
DISAGREE (NET).....	40	36

Q9. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement? *I trust that the results of the election in November will be counted and reported accurately and fairly.*

	Nationwide	Battleground
Strongly agree	27%	29%
Somewhat agree.....	39	37
Somewhat disagree.....	22	22
Strongly disagree.....	12	12
AGREE (NET).....	66%	66
DISAGREE (NET).....	34	34

Q10. When do you believe restrictions on non-essential businesses and social distancing requirements should be lifted?

	Nationwide					Battleground				
	Sept 20	Aug 20	June 20	May 20	Apr 20	Sept 20	Aug 20	June 20	May 20	Apr 20
Within a month.....	19%	13%	19%	25%	17%	18%	13%	21%	25%	17%
Between one and two months	10	9	15	18	27	7	9	13	20	29
Between two and three months	14	12	17	18	22	11	11	16	19	23
Between three and six months	17	24	19	17	19	19	25	19	15	17
Between six months and one year	26	28	19	14	10	28	29	21	14	9
One year or longer	15	14	12	8	4	16	14	10	7	5
WITHIN THREE MONTHS (NET)	42%	35	50	61	66	37	32	50	63	69
THREE MONTHS OR MORE (NET).....	58	65	50	39	34	63	68	50	37	31

Q11. In thinking about the issue of reopening your state in relation to the coronavirus pandemic, do you think [STATE] is:

	Nationwide			Battleground		
	Sept 20	Aug 20	June 20	Sept 20	Aug 20	June 20
Moving too fast and reopening too quickly.....	28%	37%	39%	31%	40%	43%
Moving at about the right pace	53	49	48	46	43	39
Moving too slow and reopening too slowly.....	19	15	13	23	17	18

Q12A. Are you more concerned about the impact of the coronavirus outbreak on:

	Nationwide					Battleground				
	Sept 20	Aug 20	June 20	May 20	Apr 20	Sept 20	Aug 20	June 20	May 20	Apr 20
Your family's health	70%	78%	75%	70%	70%	69%	77%	75%	72%	68%
Your personal finances.....	30	22	25	30	30	31	23	25	28	32

Q12B. Are you more concerned about the impact of the coronavirus outbreak on:

	Nationwide					Battleground				
	Sept 20	Aug 20	June 20	May 20	Apr 20	Sept 20	Aug 20	June 20	May 20	Apr 20
Public health	58%	67%	61%	59%	65%	59%	68%	63%	60%	66%
The economy	42	33	39	41	35	41	32	37	40	34

Q13. Which of the following statements do you agree with more, even if none is perfect?

	<u>Nationwide</u>	<u>Battleground</u>
We need to pass an additional coronavirus economic aid package, and Democrats and Republicans are equally responsible for the failure to get it done.	39%	41%
We need to pass an additional coronavirus economic aid package, and Republicans are more responsible for the failure to get it done.	26	26
We need to pass an additional coronavirus economic aid package, and Democrats are more responsible for the failure to get it done.	23	24
We do not need an additional coronavirus economic aid package.	11	9

For statistical purposes only, please answer the following questions.

DAGE. What is your age?

	<u>Nationwide</u>	<u>Battleground</u>
18-29.....	15%	14%
30-44.....	24	23
45-54.....	16	16
55-64.....	19	19
65+.....	26	27

D100. What is your gender?

	<u>Nationwide</u>	<u>Battleground</u>
Male.....	46%	46%
Female.....	54	54

D102. What is the last grade of school or level of education you completed?

	<u>Nationwide</u>	<u>Battleground</u>
Did not complete high school.....	2%	1%
Graduated high school.....	20	20
Attended technical/vocational school.....	5	5
Attended some college but no degree.....	28	26
Graduated two-year college with Associate's degree.....	8	11
Graduated four-year college with Bachelor's degree.....	25	26
Obtained Master's, PhD, or other professional degree (MD, DMD, etc.).....	12	10

D105. When it comes to politics, do you generally think of yourself as:

	<u>Nationwide</u>	<u>Battleground</u>
Very liberal.....	14%	12%
Somewhat liberal.....	18	19
Moderate.....	31	33
Somewhat conservative.....	18	21
Very conservative.....	19	15
LIBERAL (NET).....	32%	31
CONSERVATIVE (NET).....	37	36

D108. Which of the following best describes your employment status?

	<u>Nationwide</u>	<u>Battleground</u>
Employed Full-Time.....	34%	34%
Employed Part-Time.....	9	8
Self-employed/Own a company.....	6	6
Homemaker.....	8	9
A student.....	2	3
Unemployed.....	12	10
Retired.....	29	30

D110. Do you have children under the age of 18 living at home with you?

	<u>Nationwide</u>	<u>Battleground</u>
Yes.....	24%	24%
No.....	76	76

DRACE. To ensure we have a representative sample, please indicate your race. **[IF BLACK/WHITE/OTHER]** Do you consider yourself a Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish-speaking American?

	<u>Nationwide</u>	<u>Battleground</u>
Black/African-American.....	12%	10%
White/Caucasian.....	74	78
Hispanic/Latino.....	10	8
Asian-American.....	2	2
Native American.....	1	1
Other.....	1	2

Q16. If you became unable to work due to illness, would you still earn an income?

	<u>Nationwide</u>	<u>Battleground</u>
Yes.....	52%	52%
No.....	48	48

Q17. Do you or someone you know currently have or have had coronavirus, or COVID-19?

	<u>Nationwide</u>	<u>Battleground</u>
Yes.....	37%	35%
No.....	63	65

D310. And, for statistical purposes only, what would you say is your total annual family income before taxes?

	<u>Nationwide</u>	<u>Battleground</u>
Less than \$25,000.....	22%	18%
\$25,000 - \$49,999.....	28	31
\$50,000 - \$74,999.....	21	23
\$75,000 - \$99,999.....	13	12
\$100,000 - \$149,999.....	10	11
\$150,000 - \$199,999.....	5	3
\$200,000 or more.....	2	2

STATEBG. [IF BATTLEGROUND STATE] What state do you live in?

	<u>Nationwide</u>	<u>Battleground</u>
Arizona.....	10%	7%
Colorado.....	7	7
Florida.....	28	24
Iowa.....	3	4
Michigan.....	9	12
Minnesota.....	4	7
North Carolina.....	12	12
New Hampshire.....	1	2
Nevada.....	7	3
Pennsylvania.....	15	15
Wisconsin.....	4	7

REGION. What state do you live in?

	<u>Nationwide</u>	<u>Battleground</u>
Northeast.....	19%	17%
Midwest.....	22	30
South.....	37	36
West.....	22	17