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Jewish Voters Resource Center National Survey Analysis

September 2026

n = 800 registered Jewish voters

Conducted August 26-September 1, 2026 via text-to-web

Margin of error = +/- 3.5 percentage points

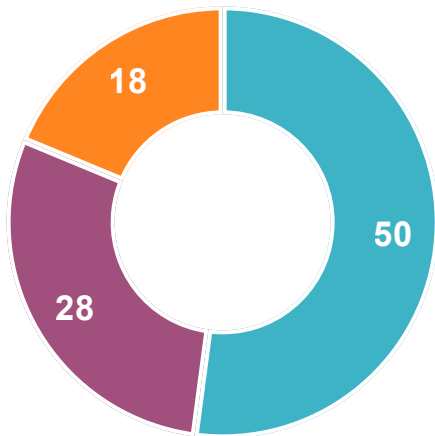
- **There is a tremendous degree of stability in the Jewish vote across a range of measures, including vote choice, views of Trump, issue priorities, attachment to Israel, and concerns over antisemitism.**
- **With the midterm elections two months away, an overwhelming majority of Jewish voters continue to express that they will vote for the Democratic candidate for Congress where they live.**
- **Jewish voters hold intensely negative views toward Trump and Republican, they believe Trump is doing a terrible job as President, and they are seeking change.**
- **The top issues driving the Jewish vote are the the cost of living and the future of democracy, which were also the top two issues in our last survey four months ago.**
- **American Jews express high levels of emotional attachment to Israel, but strongly oppose Netanyahu and the government's policies in the West Bank and Gaza.**



Political Landscape



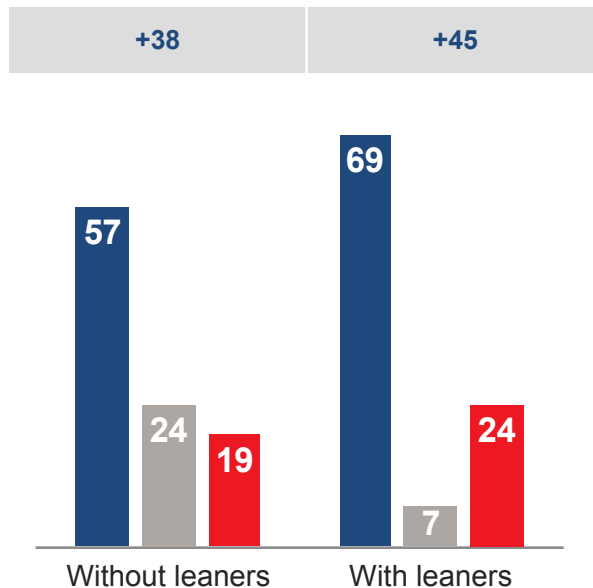
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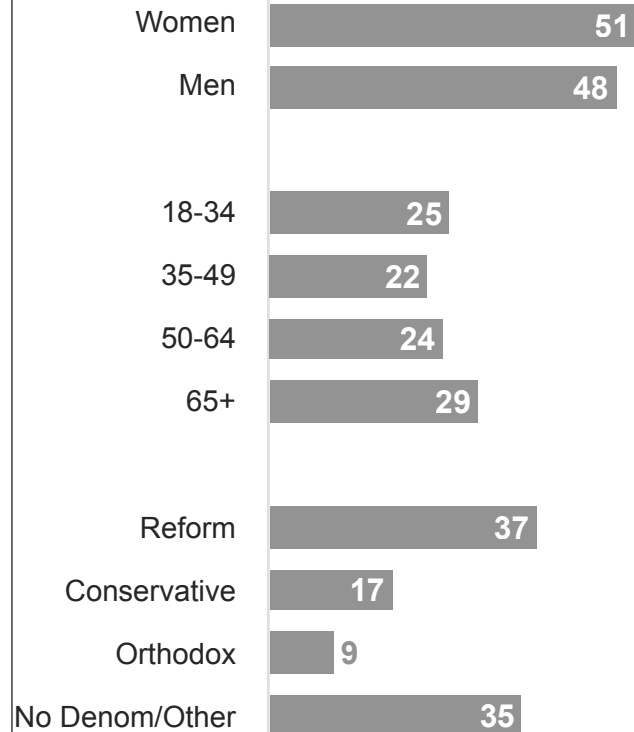
- Liberal
- Moderate
- Conservative

Party Identification

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Demographics



Trump, Vance, & MAGA Are Incredibly Weak; Jews Long For Obama

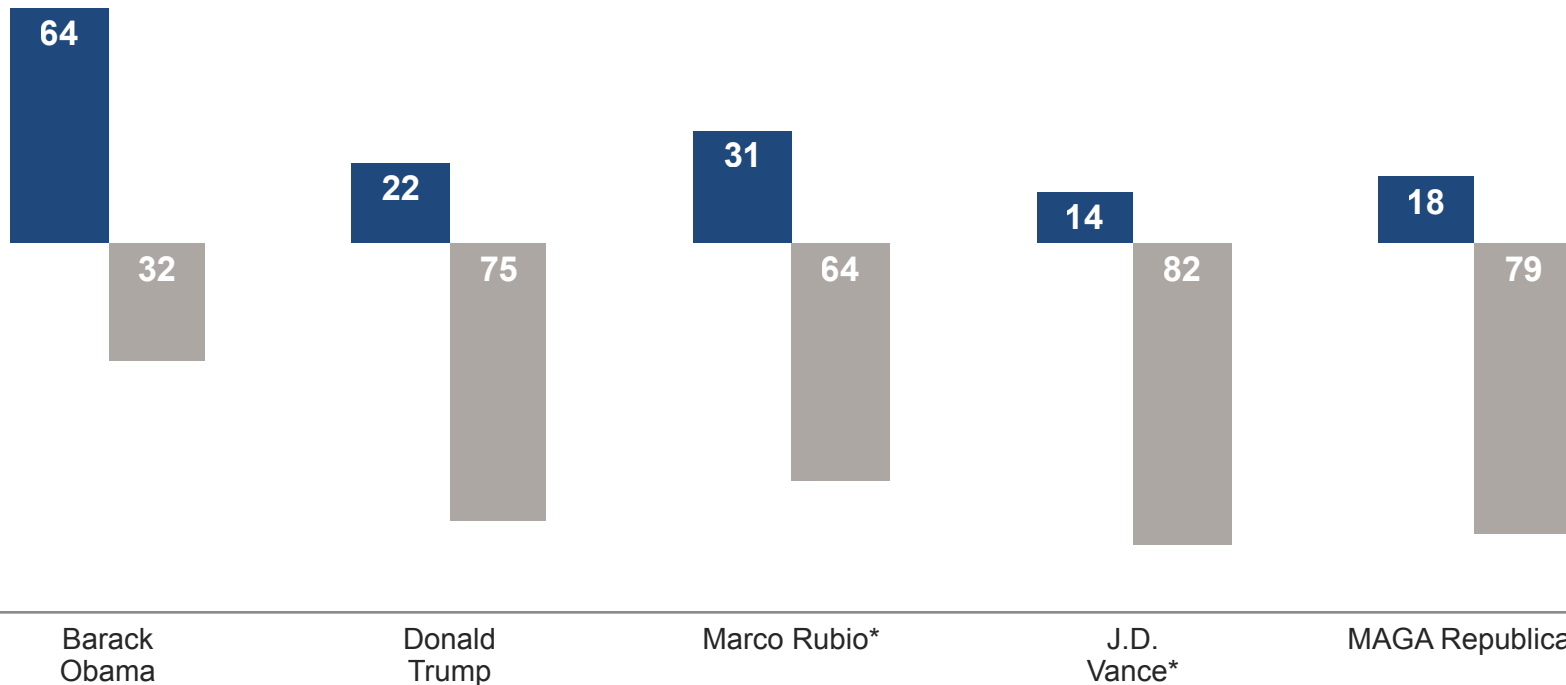
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Favorability

● Favorable

● Unfavorable

Asked on a 0-100 scale
0=very unfavorable, 100=very favorable



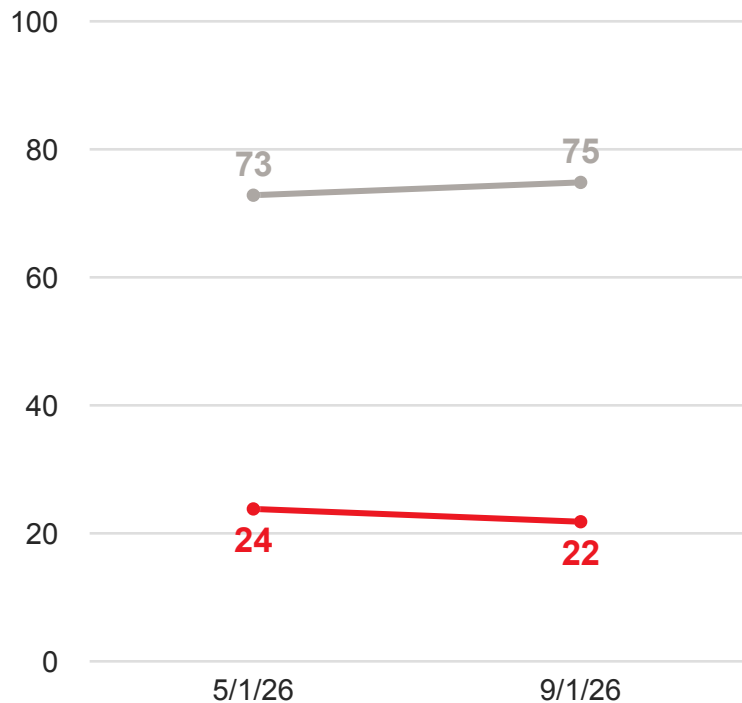
*Split ½ sample

Both Trump's And Vance's Awful Standings Have Declined Further

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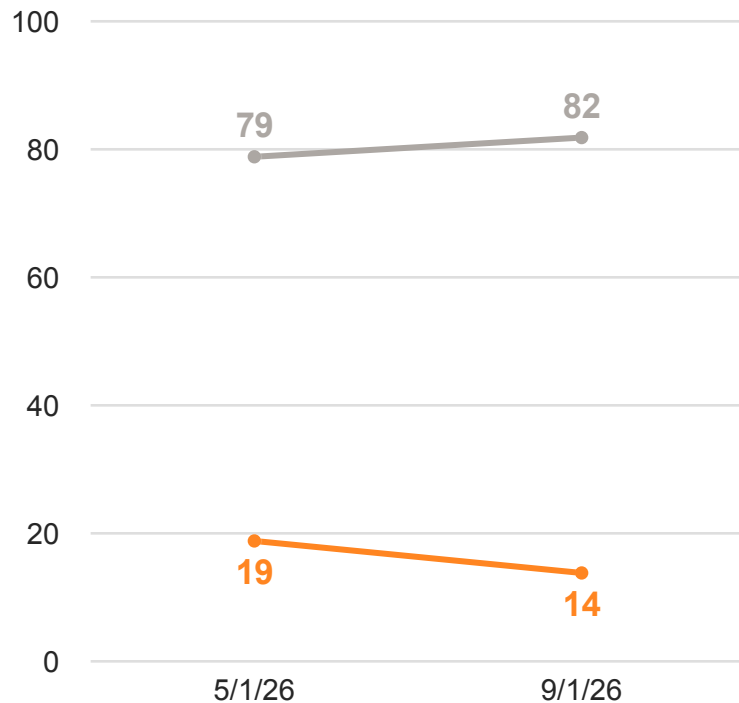
Trump Favorability

● Favorable
● Unfavorable



Vance Favorability

● Favorable
● Unfavorable

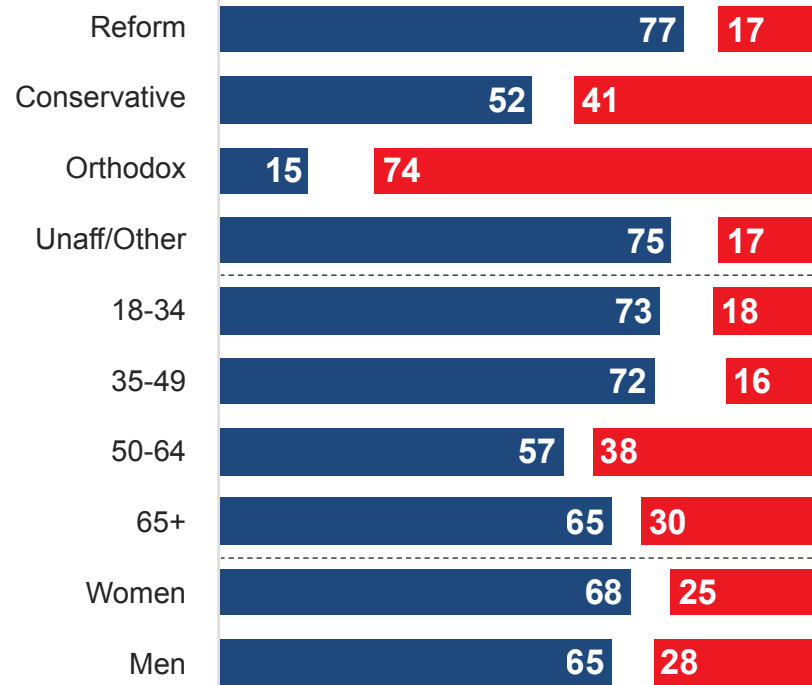
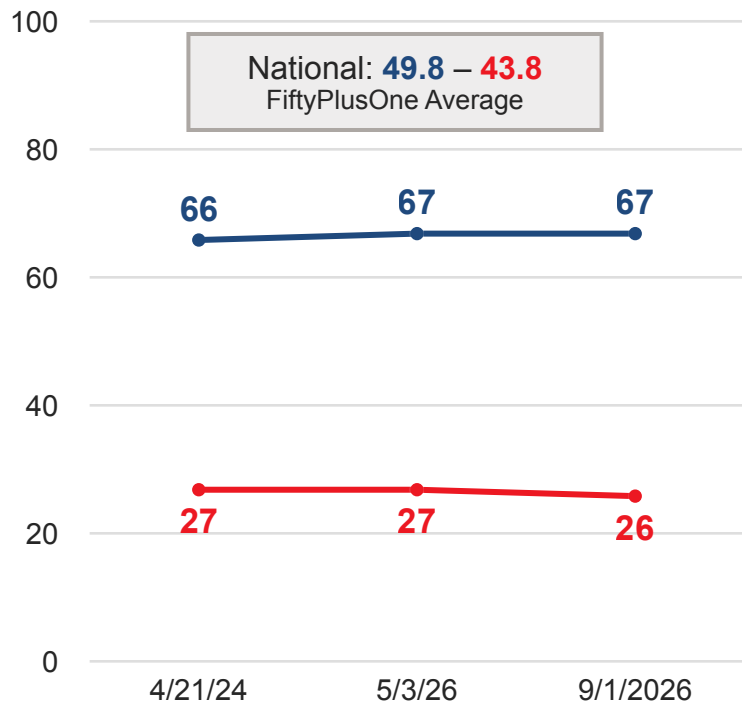


Democrats Hold Massive Advantage In House Vote

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2026 House Vote

If the November election for U.S. Congress were being held today between the following candidates, for whom would you vote?

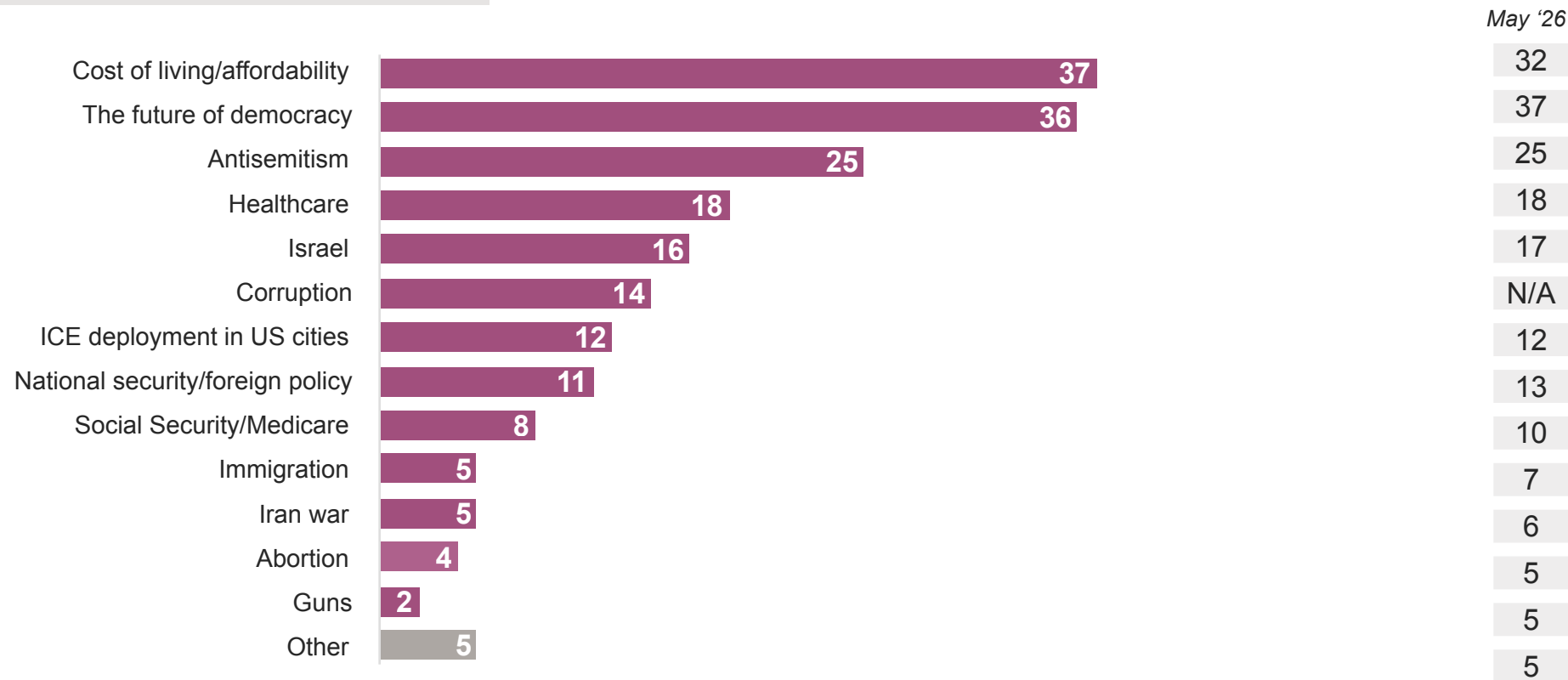


Cost Of Living & Democracy Are Top Priorities

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Issue Priorities

Please indicate which two of the following are the most important issues to you when deciding how you will vote in the November election.



Half Of Unaffiliateds Say Costs A Top Issue; Orthodox Divided Between Antisemitism, Israel, And Costs

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Issue Priorities

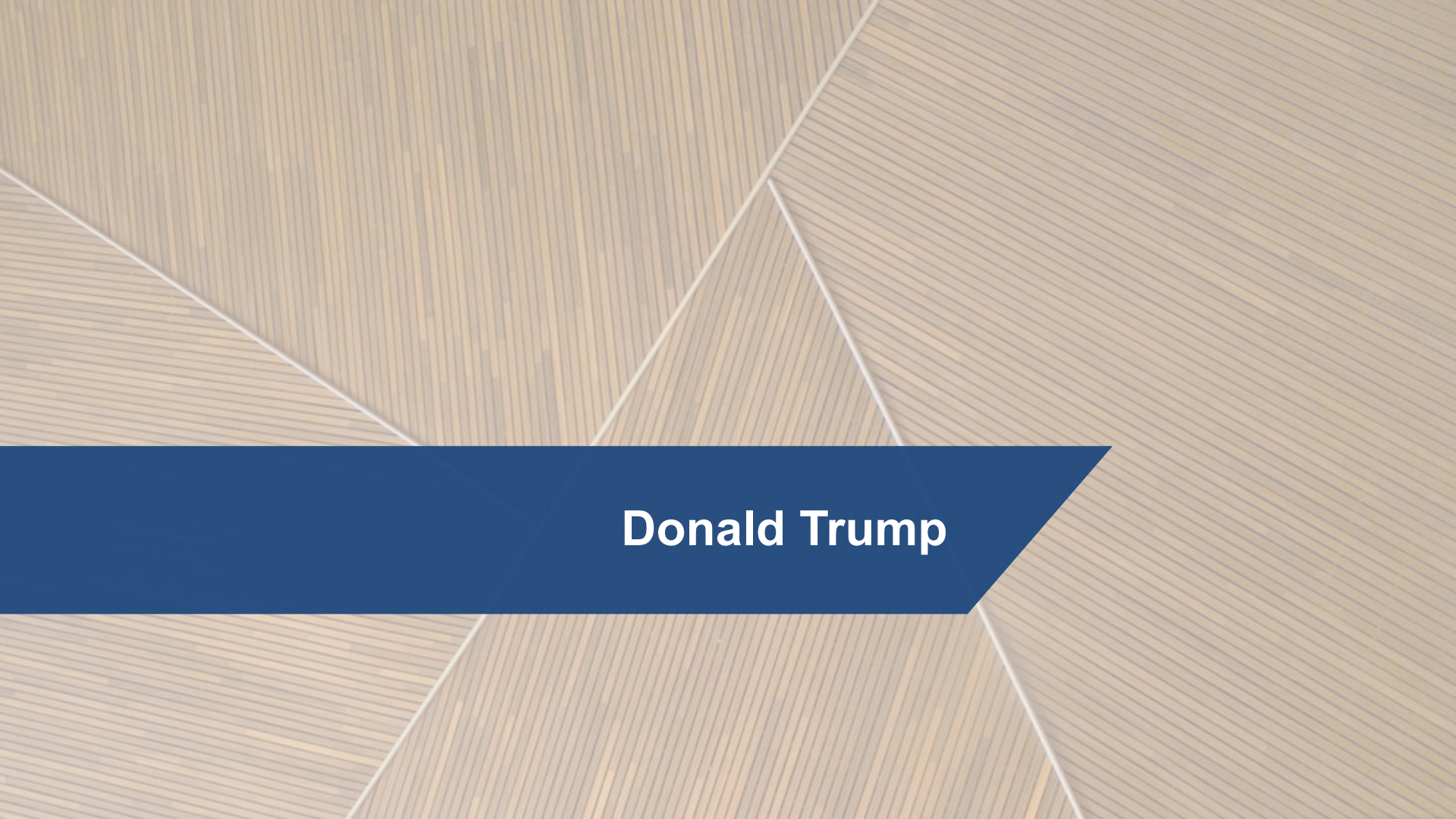
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	Reform	Conservative	Orthodox	No Denom/Other
Cost of living/affordability	33	22	36	48
The future of democracy	43	25	22	37
Antisemitism	24	42	40	16
Healthcare	16	12	8	26
Israel	15	21	38	8
Corruption	15	10	13	15
ICE deployment in US cities	14	10	1	13
National security/foreign policy	9	19	19	8
Social Security/Medicare	6	12	7	9
Immigration	6	11	2	3
Iran war	6	6	2	4
Abortion	6	4	4	3
Guns	2	3	2	2

Issue Priorities

Please indicate which two of the following are the most important issues to you when deciding how you will vote in the November election.

	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Women	Men
Cost of living/affordability	46	48	35	22	33	41
The future of democracy	31	35	32	43	32	39
Antisemitism	13	20	35	30	29	22
Healthcare	17	23	18	16	21	15
Israel	19	13	19	12	17	14
Corruption	14	17	11	15	12	16
ICE deployment in US cities	18	12	7	10	14	9
National security/foreign policy	9	10	17	10	8	15
Social Security/Medicare	1	5	5	20	8	8
Immigration	2	4	6	9	5	6
Iran war	4	4	3	8	3	7
Abortion	10	4	2	2	8	1
Guns	3	2	2	2	3	1



Donald Trump

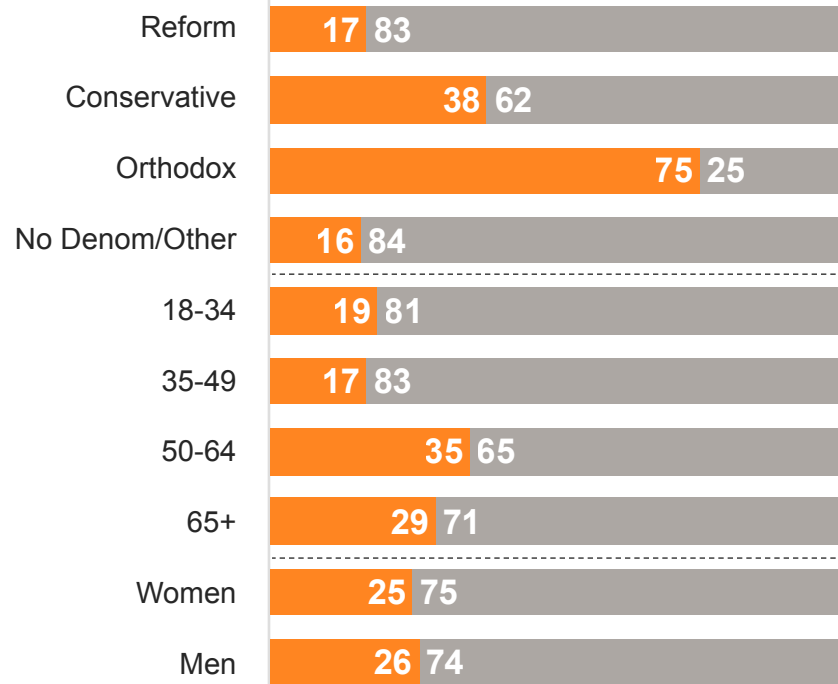
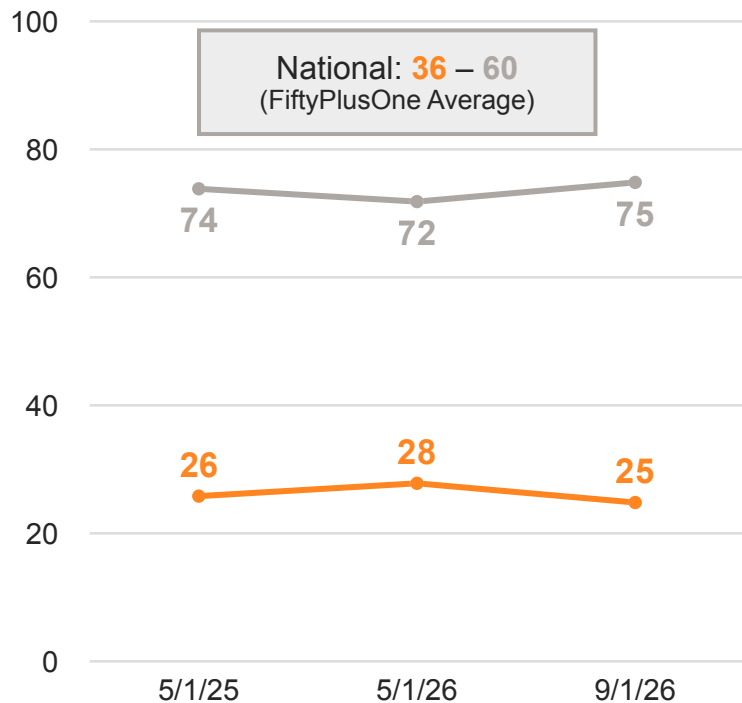
Trump Job Performance At Lowest Of 2nd Term

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Trump Job Approval

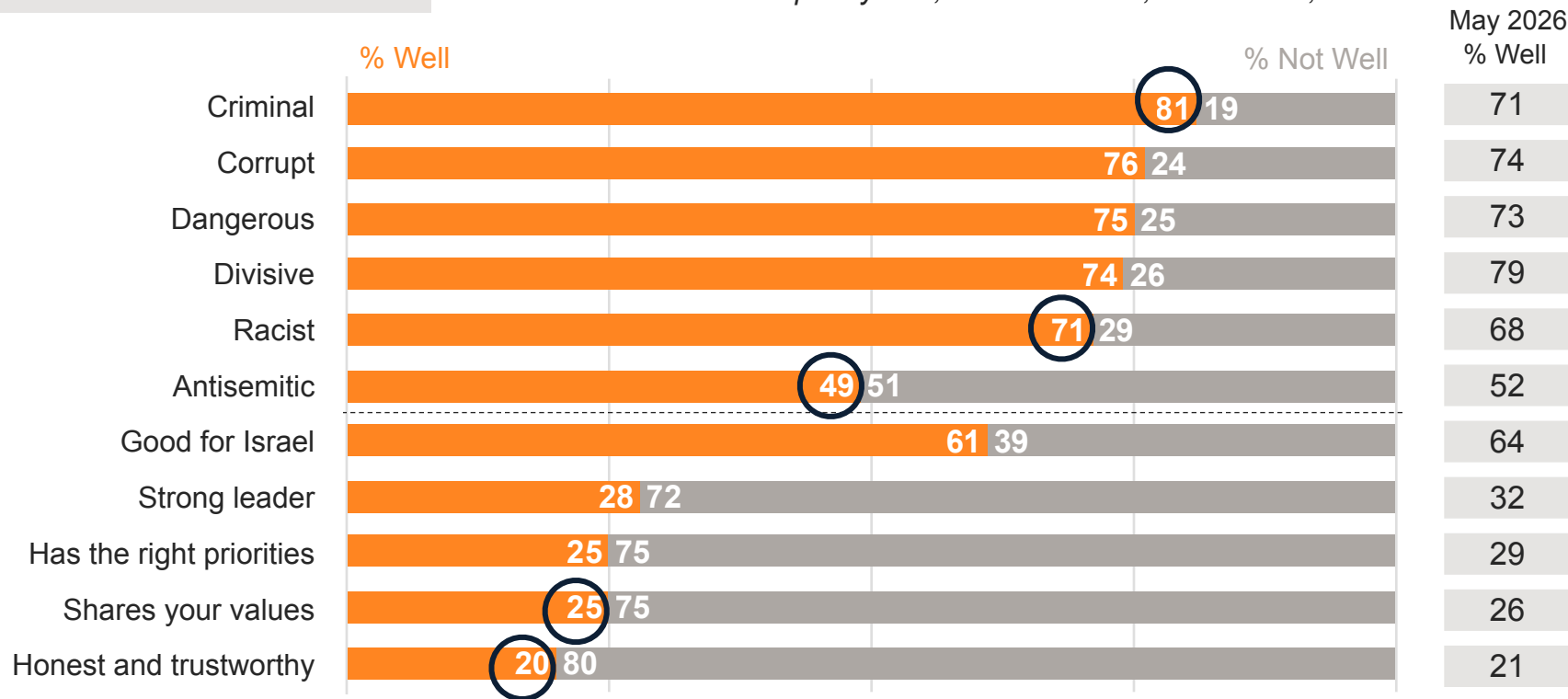
Do you approve or disapprove of the job Donald Trump is doing as President?

● Approve ● Disapprove



Trump Traits

Next are some words or phrases. After each, please indicate whether you think it describes Donald Trump very well, somewhat well, not too well, or not well at all.

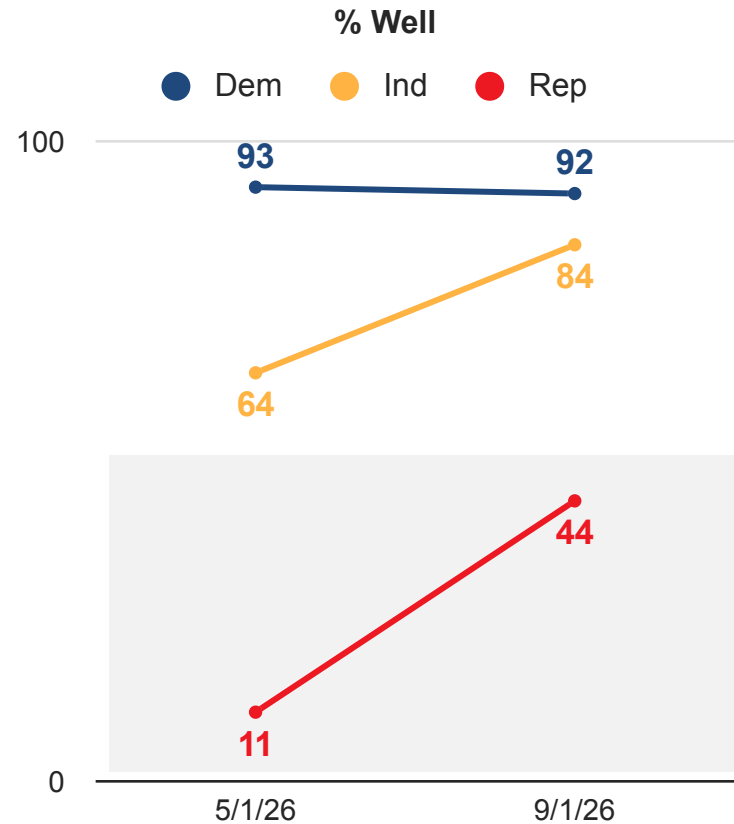
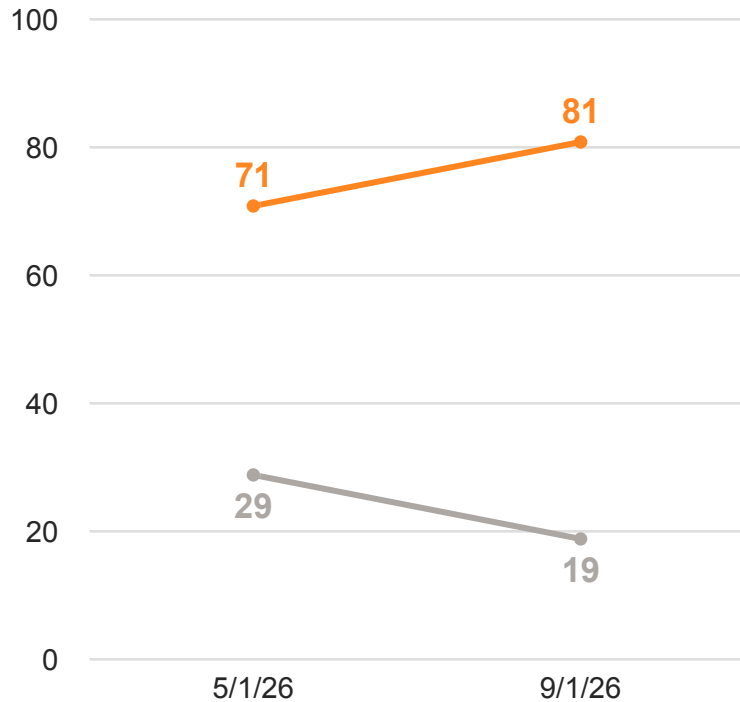


Rise In Trump's Criminal Image Is Driven By Independents & Republicans

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Trump Trait: Criminal

Well
Not Well



More Than Half Of Orthodox Jews Think Trump Is A Criminal

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Trump Negative Traits

Next are some words or phrases. After each, please indicate whether you think it describes Donald Trump very well, somewhat well, not too well, or not well at all.

% Total Well	Reform	Conservative	Orthodox	No Denom/ Other
Criminal	86	75	54	85
Corrupt	84	67	33	83
Dangerous	83	65	33	80
Divisive	84	62	27	81
Racist	79	59	28	78
Antisemitic	58	37	17	54

Younger Jews Particularly Likely To Ascribe Negative Traits To Trump

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Trump Negative Traits

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% Total Well	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Women	Men
Criminal	90	88	82	69	82	81
Corrupt	83	84	74	66	77	75
Dangerous	82	81	70	68	74	75
Divisive	82	85	65	68	75	73
Racist	80	78	67	61	72	69
Antisemitic	55	60	44	41	51	47

Trump Positives Are Driven Primarily By Orthodox Jews

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Trump Positive Traits

Next are some words or phrases. After each, please indicate whether you think it describes Donald Trump very well, somewhat well, not too well, or not well at all.

% Total Well	Reform	Conservative	Orthodox	No Denom/ Other
Honest and trustworthy	14	28	63	12
Shares your values	15	35	75	17
Has the right priorities	17	36	72	18
Strong leader	17	40	79	23
Good for Israel	51	74	88	59

Trump Positive Traits

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Honest and trustworthy	15	12	24	26	19	21
Shares your values	18	16	32	31	24	26
Has the right priorities	18	19	34	29	25	26
Strong leader	24	19	36	33	25	33
Good for Israel	58	54	62	67	62	60

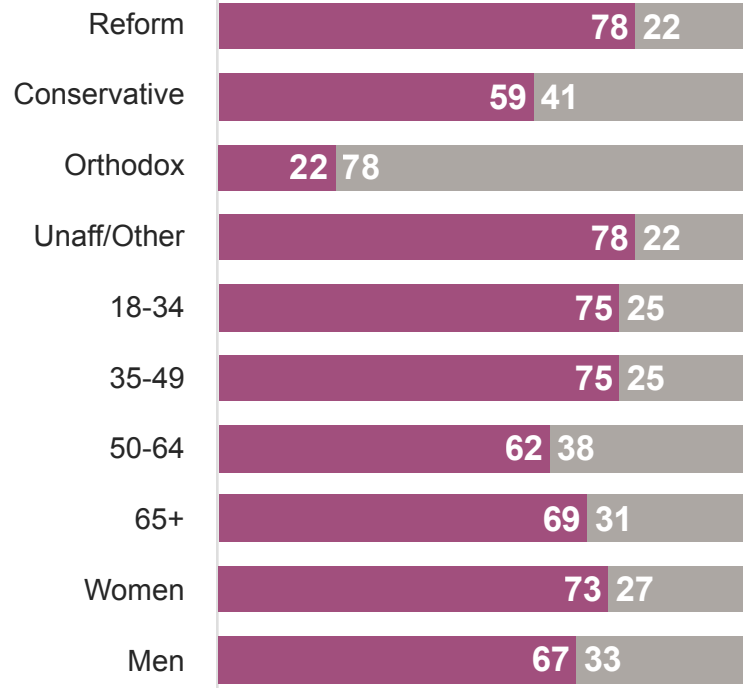
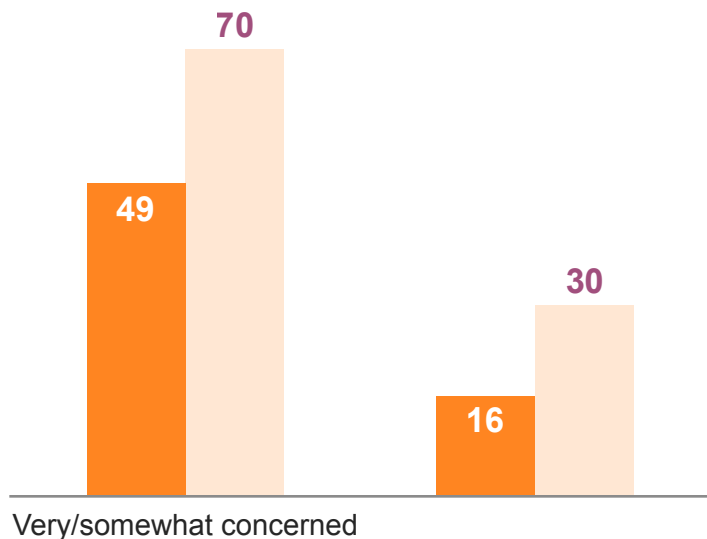
Large Concern That Trump Won't Accept 2026 Election Results

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2026 Election Concern

How concerned are you that Donald Trump will not accept the results of the 2026 election?

Darker shade = Stronger intensity





Antisemitism

Major Concerns Over Antisemitism; Remains At Pre-Oct 7 Levels

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Antisemitism Concern – U.S.



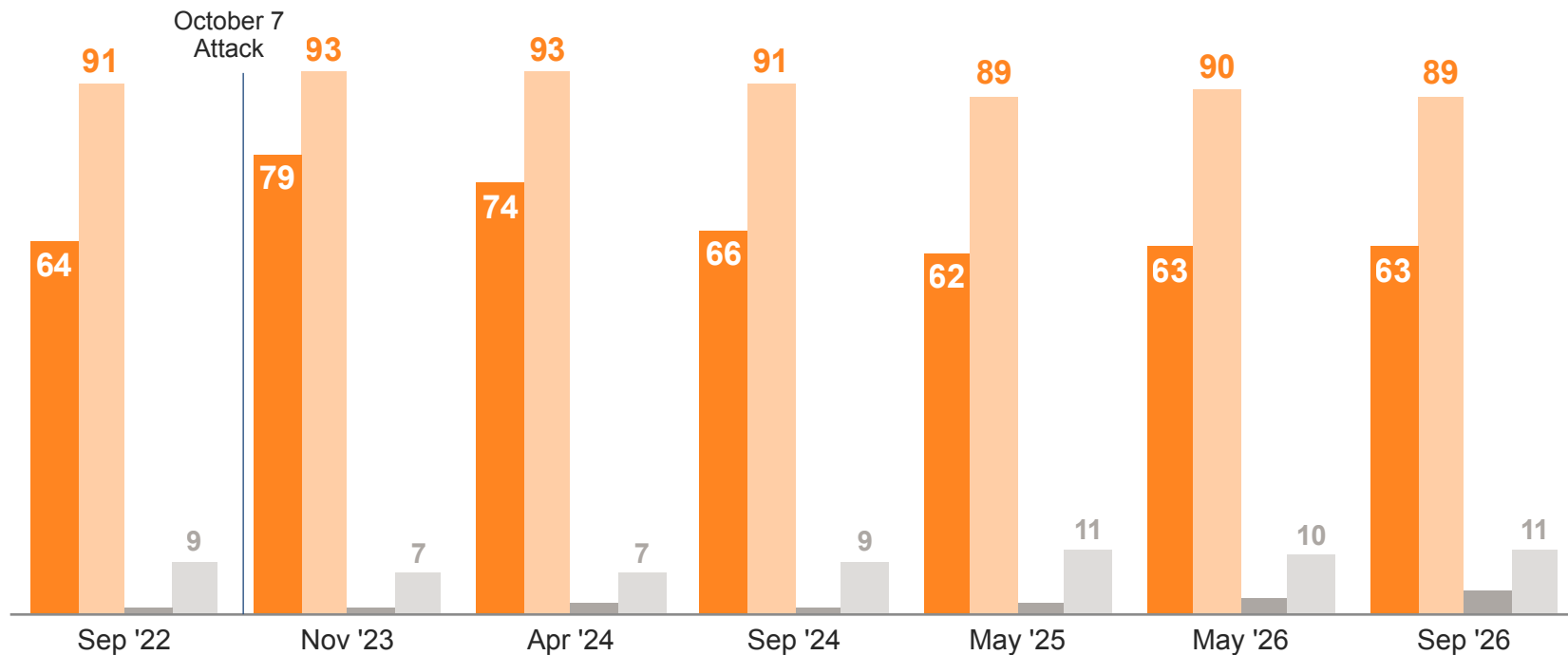
Concerned



Not Concerned

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How concerned are you about antisemitism in the U.S.?



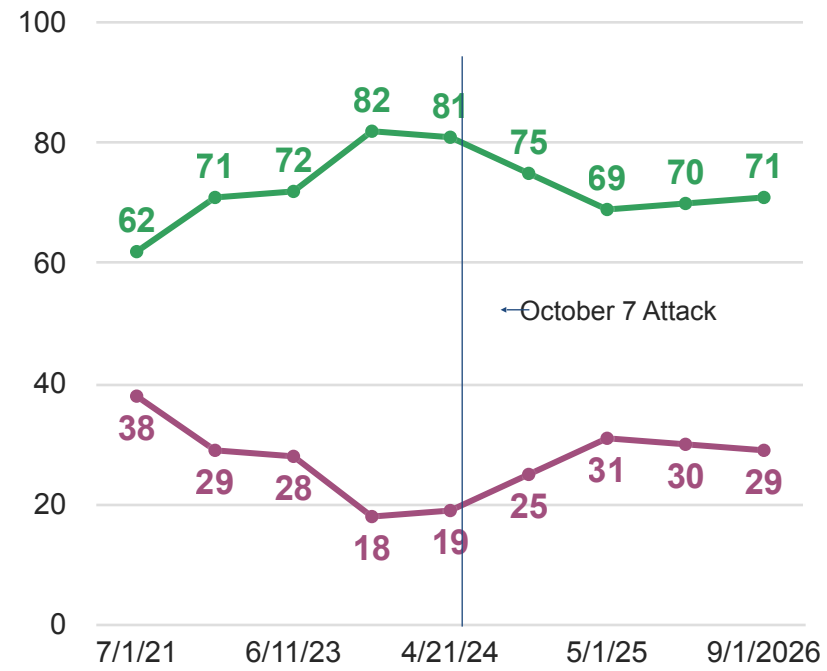
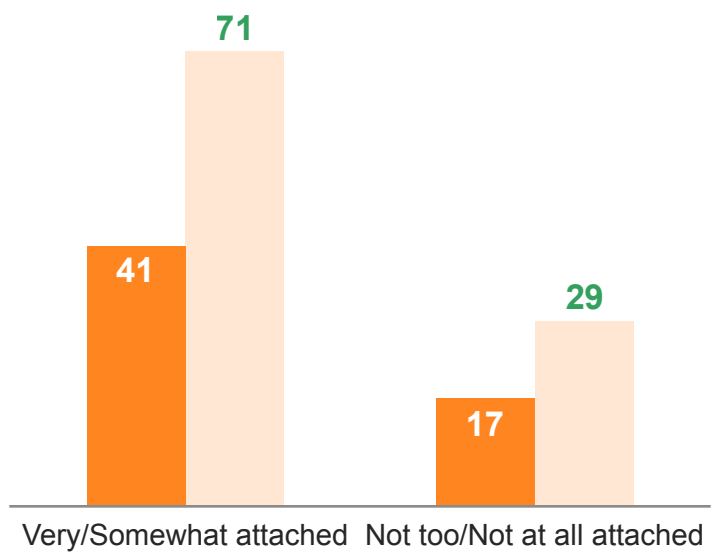


Israel

Israel Attachment

How emotionally attached are you to Israel?

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Jews Under 50 Are Much Less Attached To Israel Than Older Generations

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Israel Attachment



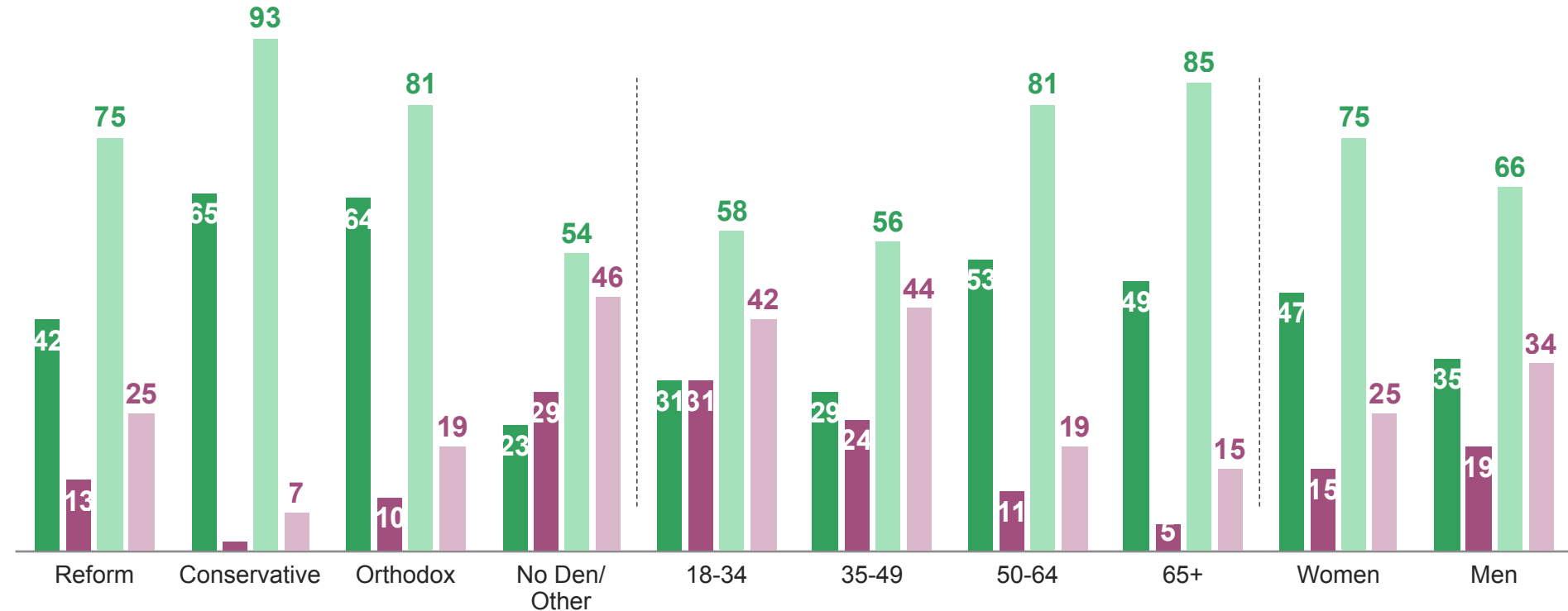
Attached



Not Attached

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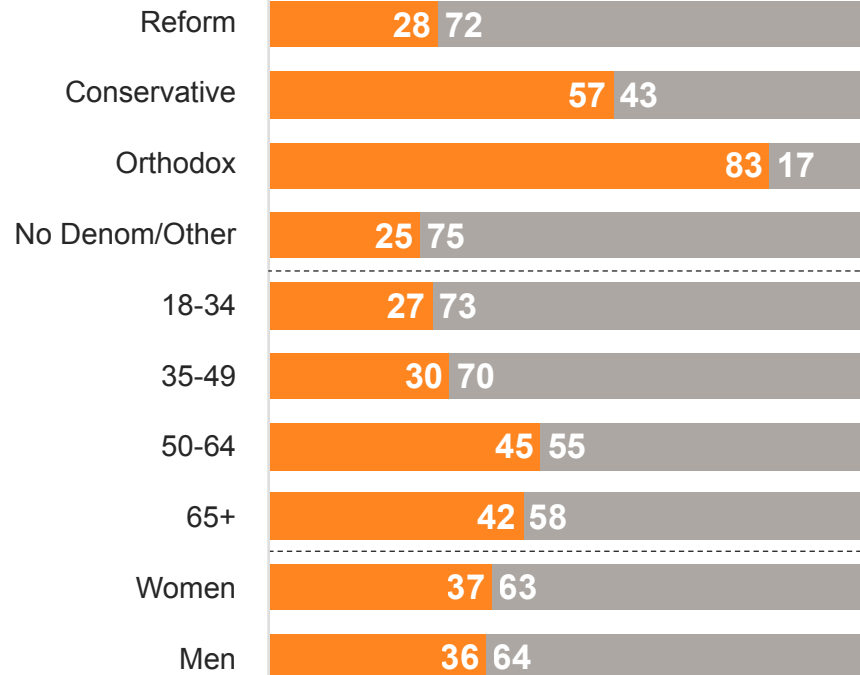
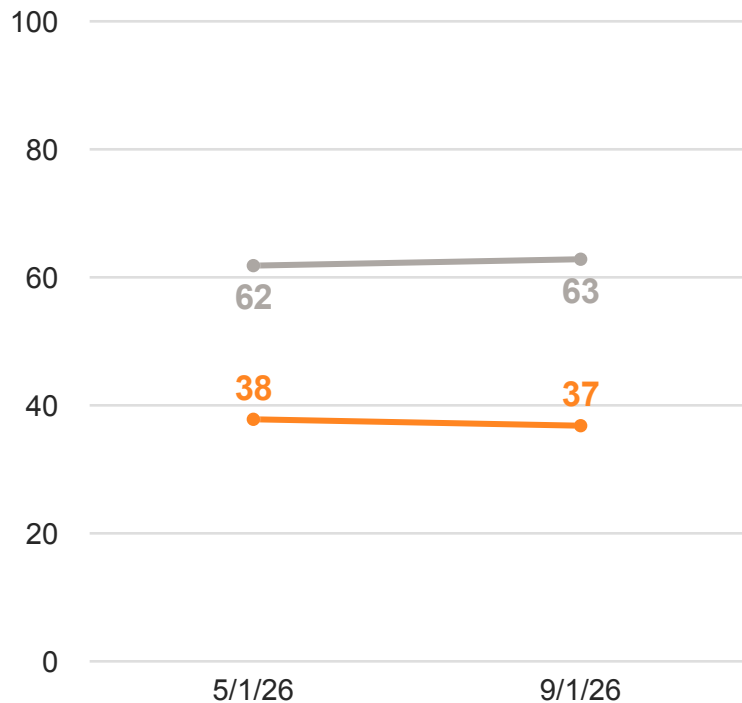


Opposition To Iran War Is Steady; Clear Differences By Denomination

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Iran War

Do you support or oppose the U.S. military action in Iran?

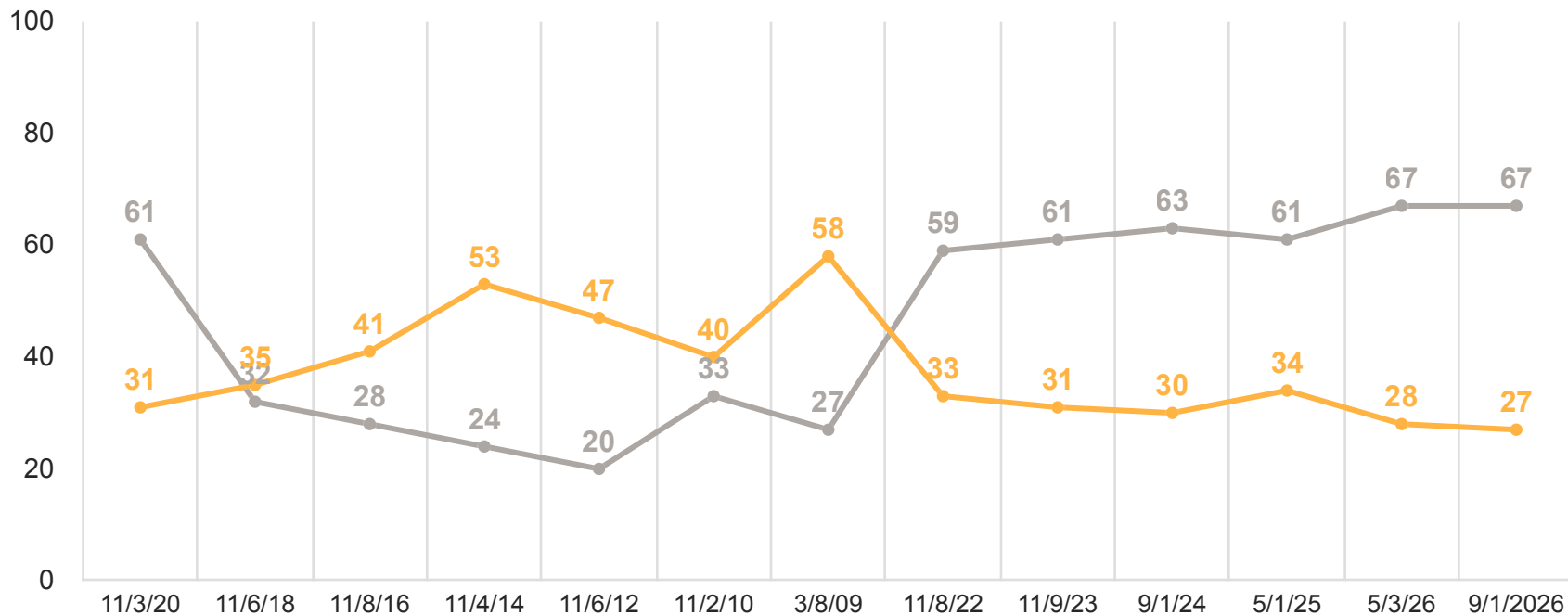


Netanyahu Remains Historically Unpopular

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Netanyahu Favorability*

● Favorable ● Unfavorable



*Includes data from other GBAO Jewish surveys

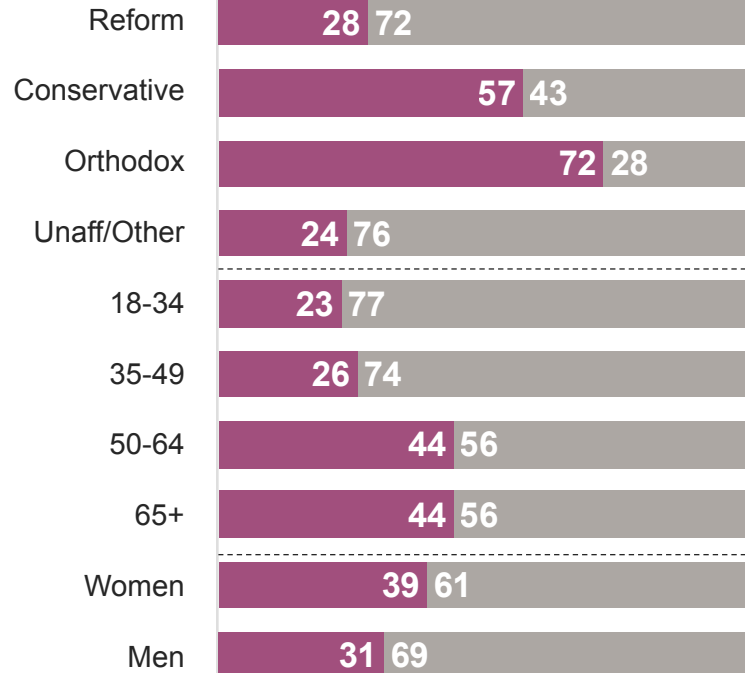
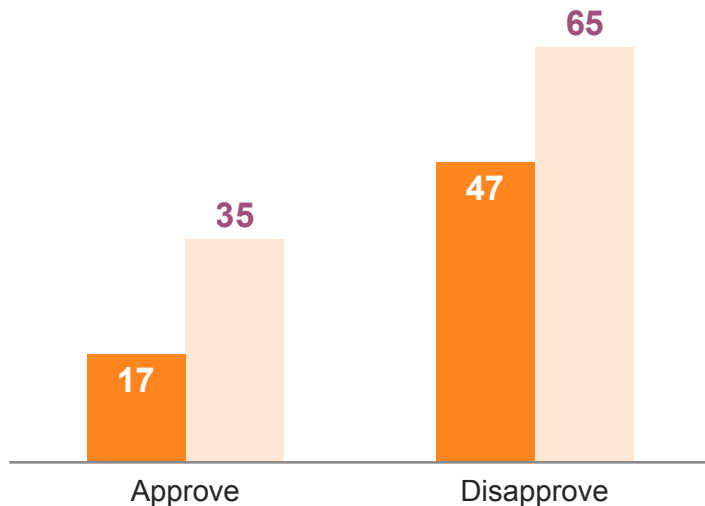
Nearly 2-in-3 Disapprove Of Israeli Policy In West Bank And Gaza

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Israel Policy in West Bank/Gaza

Do you approve or disapprove of the current Israeli government's policy related to the West Bank and Gaza?

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- GBAO designed the questionnaire for Jewish Voters Resource Center. The survey was conducted August 26 – September 1, 2026, and included interviews with 800 self-identified Jewish voters. The survey is subject to a margin of error of +/- 3.5 percentage points at the 95 percent confidence level.
- The survey sample was drawn from a national voter file, consisting of all registered voters in the United States. Respondents with a likelihood of being Jewish, based on their first or last name or their geography, were contacted by text, and then took the survey on a secure link on their phone or computer if they identified themselves as Jewish.
- All respondents were asked at the beginning of the survey whether they consider themselves Jewish, using the same question wording as the 2020 Pew Research Center study, “Jewish Americans in 2020.”
- The sample was weighted to Pew’s demographic results on critical variables, such as gender, denomination, age, and synagogue membership.

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