

# COVID\_2021\_Protest\_Survey

## Survey Flow

Block: 2021\_Protests (19 Questions)

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Start of Block: 2021\_Protests



PSIn1 How strongly do you agree with each of the following statements?

	Strongly disagree (1)	Disagree (2)	Somewhat disagree (3)	Neither agree nor disagree (4)	Somewhat agree (5)	Agree (6)	Strongly agree (7)	Prefer not to respond (8)
There was widespread fraud in the 2020 presidential election (1)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Donald Trump won the presidential election and Joe Biden is not a legitimate president (2)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Q-Anon has identified a real and present danger in America (3)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The United States political system is controlled by a corrupt 'deep state' comprised of career politicians and civil servants (4)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
American values are being compromised by liberals (5)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
American values are	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

being  
compromised  
by  
conservatives  
(6)

'Mainstream  
media'  
spreads false  
information  
(7)



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PSIn2 How much do you agree with the following statements?

	Strongly disagree (1)	Disagree (2)	Somewhat disagree (3)	Neither agree nor disagree (4)	Somewhat agree (5)	Agree (6)	Strongly agree (7)
<b>Nonviolent protests regarding election results</b> in 2021 have been justified. (1)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
<b>Rioting or illegal activity regarding election results</b> (e.g. <b>violent or destructive behavior</b> ) in 2021 has been justified. (2)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

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PSIn3 Since the beginning of 2021 ...

	Yes (1)	No (2)	Don't know / Not sure (3)	Prefer not to disclose (4)
Did you take part in any election-related protests? (1)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Did any of your friends or family members take part in any election-related protests? (2)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Display This Question:

If Since the beginning of 2021 ... = Did you take part in any election-related protests? [ No ]



PSIn4 Why did you not participate in the election-related protests this year? (select all that apply)

- ☐ Fear of COVID exposure (1)
  - ☐ Fear for my physical safety (2)
  - ☐ I don't think it will make a difference (3)
  - ☐ I didn't have time (4)
  - ☐ I am not interested in this issue (5)
  - ☐ I don't believe in this cause (6)
  - ☐ I don't think it is right to protest (7)
  - ☐ I think this issue is overblown (8)
  - ☐ Fear of being arrested (9)
  - ☐ Other (please describe) (10)
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*Display This Question:*

*If Since the beginning of 2021 ... = Did you take part in any election-related protests? [ Yes ]*

PSIn5 Why did you participate in election-related protests this year? (select all that apply)

- ☐ Because there was widespread fraud in the 2020 presidential election (1)
  - ☐ Because Donald Trump won the presidential election and politicians stole it from him (4)
  - ☐ Because I am angry that Donald Trump *did not win* the 2020 presidential election (5)
  - ☐ Because I am opposed to the policies of the incoming Biden administration (6)
  - ☐ To support Q-Anon (7)
  - ☐ To challenge the 'deep state' (8)
  - ☐ Because I am concerned about increased government restriction of religious freedom (9)
  - ☐ Because I am concerned about increased government restrictions on gun-rights (10)
  - ☐ To resist policies that allow immigrants to enter the US (11)
  - ☐ To oppose the Black Lives Matter movement (12)
  - ☐ To challenge restrictions and policies related to COVID-19 (13)
  - ☐ To advocate for immigrants (14)
  - ☐ Other (please describe) (15)
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*Display This Question:*

*If Since the beginning of 2021 ... = Did you take part in any election-related protests? [ Yes ]*

PSIn6 When you participated in the election-related protests this year:

	Yes, most of the time (1)	Yes, some of the time (2)	Never or almost never (3)	Prefer not to disclose (4)
Did you wear a mask? (1)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Did you practice social distancing? (2)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Were you afraid for your physical safety? (3)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Were people there who were protesting about a different issue? (4)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Were people there who were opposing your protest? (5)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

*Display This Question:*

*If Since the beginning of 2021 ... = Did you take part in any election-related protests? [ Yes ]*

PSIn7 When you participated in election-related protests this year, describe your interactions with:

	Extremely negative (1)	Very negative (2)	Generally unpleasant (3)	Unremarkable (4)	Generally pleasant (5)	Very positive (6)	Extremely positive (7)	Prefer not to disclose (8)
Local law-enforcement (e.g. police, sheriff) (1)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Other protesters at the same event (2)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
People who were not protesting (3)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Federal law-enforcement (e.g. National Guard, Homeland security) (4)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
People protesting about a different issue (5)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Other individuals (please describe) (6)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

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PSIn8 During election-related protests this year, did any of the following happen to you (if you participated) or to others you saw or know who were participating in the protests? (select all that apply)

	Happened to me (1)	Witnessed it happening to someone else (2)	Learned about it happening to a close family member or close friend (3)	None of these (4)	Prefer not to disclose (5)	Does not apply (6)
Arrested? (1)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Physically assaulted by law-enforcement? (e.g. hitting, pushing) (2)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Physically assaulted by people not in law-enforcement? (3)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Hit with tear gas? (4)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Shot at with rubber bullets? (5)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Flash grenades? (6)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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PSIn9 A number of the election-related protests since the beginning of 2021 have turned violent. How much responsibility belongs to each of the following parties?

	Bear no responsibility (1)	2 (2)	3 (3)	4 (4)	5 (5)	6 (6)	Fully responsible (7)
People protesting the election (1)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Local law-enforcement (e.g. police, sheriff) (2)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
White supremacists (3)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Donald Trump (4)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Right-wing extremists (5)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Left-wing extremists (6)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Joe Biden (7)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Federal law-enforcement (e.g. National Guard, Homeland security) (8)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Evangelical Christians (9)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Christian Nationalists (10)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
MediaAntifa / left-wing extremists	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

who were  
posing as  
right-wing  
extremists  
(11)

Media (12)



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PSIn10 Please list any specific groups or individuals that you believe are responsible.

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PSIn11 For each of the regions indicated below, please indicate what you think about how law enforcement has responded to the election-related protests? *You must move the marker to answer.*

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Law enforcement response in your <b>local area</b> has been: ()	
Law enforcement response in <b>your state</b> has been: ()	
Law enforcement response <b>across the nation</b> has been: ()	

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PSIn12 In the past two weeks, how concerned are you about the integrity of US elections?

- ☐ Not concerned at all (1)
  - ☐ A little concerned (2)
  - ☐ Somewhat concerned (3)
  - ☐ Very concerned (4)
  - ☐ Extremely concerned (5)
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PSIn13 Prior to the 2020 election, how concerned were you about the integrity of US elections?

- ☐ Not concerned at all (1)
  - ☐ A little concerned (2)
  - ☐ Somewhat concerned (3)
  - ☐ Very concerned (4)
  - ☐ Extremely concerned (5)
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PSIn14 Currently, how concerned are you about the impact of disinformation and conspiracy theories being spread through media outlets (including social media)?

- ☐ Not concerned at all (1)
  - ☐ A little concerned (2)
  - ☐ Somewhat concerned (3)
  - ☐ Very concerned (4)
  - ☐ Extremely concerned (5)
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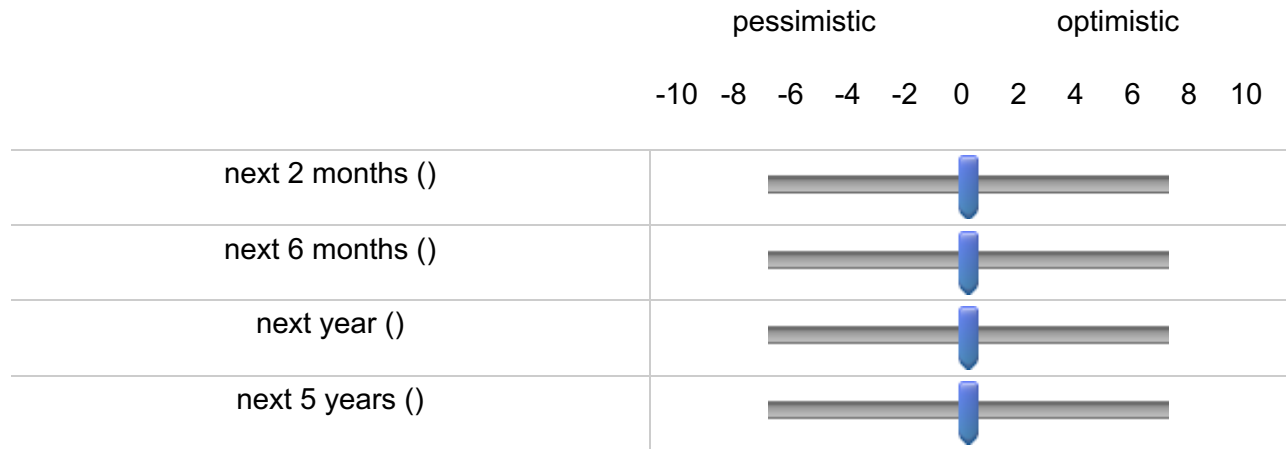


PSIn15 Prior to the 2020 election, how concerned were you about the impact of disinformation and conspiracy theories being spread through media outlets (including social media)?

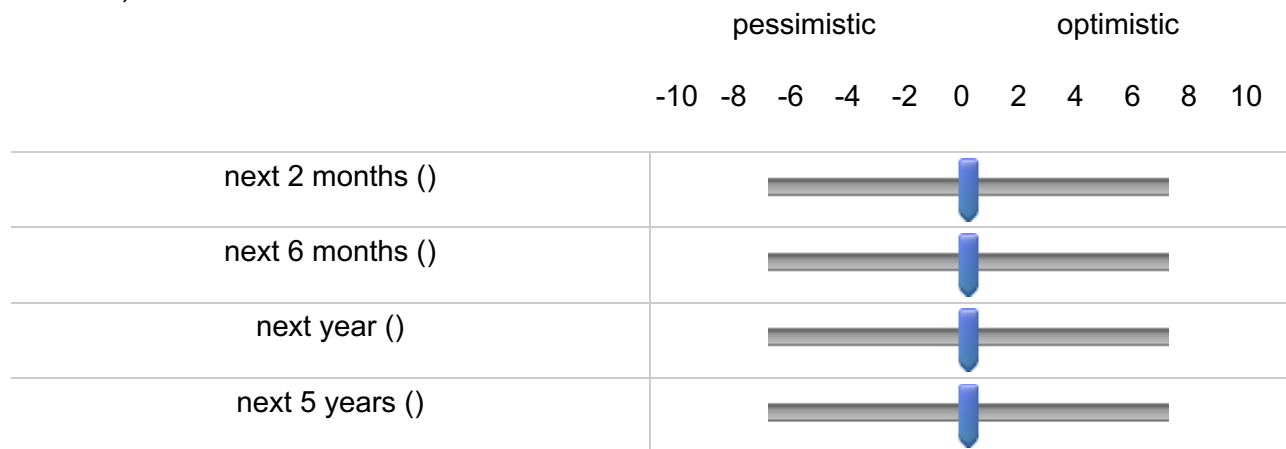
- ☐ Not concerned at all (1)
  - ☐ A little concerned (2)
  - ☐ Somewhat concerned (3)
  - ☐ Very concerned (4)
  - ☐ Extremely concerned (5)
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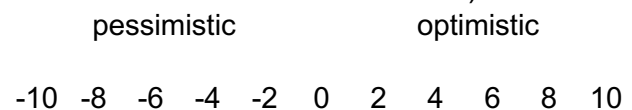
PSIn16 How pessimistic/optimistic (extremely pessimistic, -10; extremely optimistic, +10) are you about your own well-being in the ... (you must move the marker to answer)

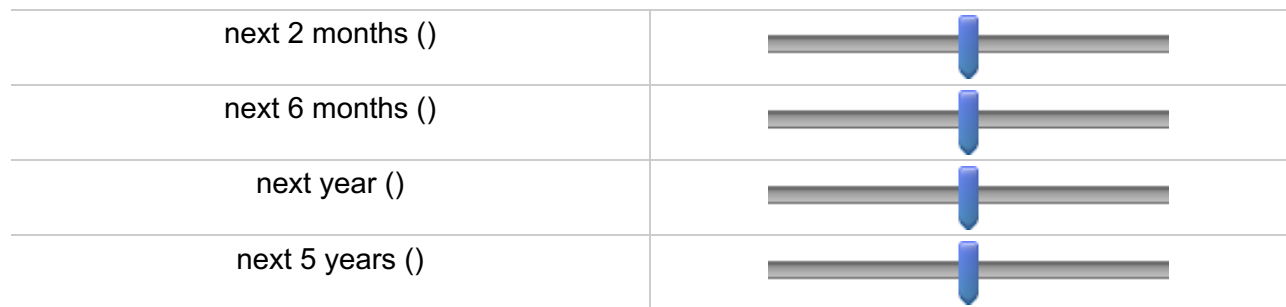


PSIn17 How pessimistic/optimistic (extremely pessimistic, -10; extremely optimistic, +10) are you about the well-being of your family and friends in the ... (you must move the marker to answer)



PSIn18 How pessimistic/optimistic (extremely pessimistic, -10; extremely optimistic, +10) are you about the well-being of the USA in the ... (you must move the marker to answer)



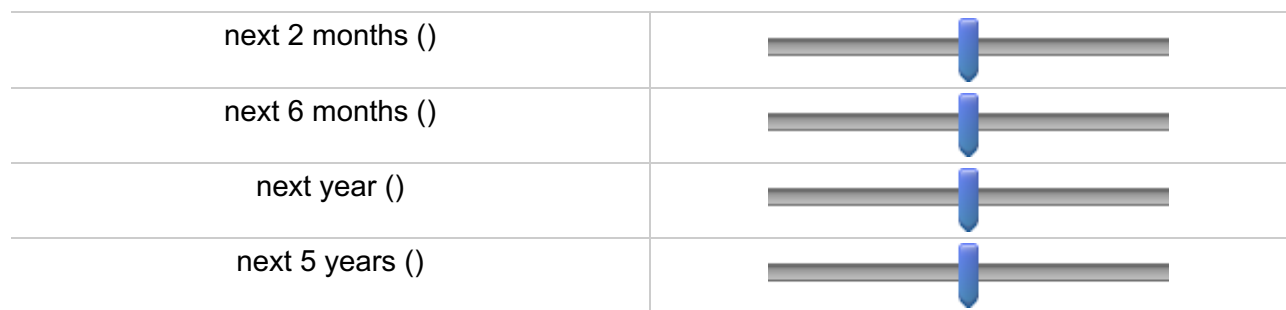


PSIn19 How pessimistic/optimistic (extremely pessimistic, -10; extremely optimistic, +10) are you about the well-being of the planet in the ... (you must move the marker to answer)

pessimistic

optimistic

-10 -8 -6 -4 -2 0 2 4 6 8 10



End of Block: 2021\_Protests