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Upstate NY	83%	83%	73%	70%	70%	66%	64%	62%	47%	56%	53%	53%	74%	76%	69%	65%	63%	66%	64%	64%	63%	63%	61%	66%
Lower Income	67%	76%	72%	67%	63%	61%	61%	54%	45%	53%	53%	50%	79%	78%	79%	74%	71%	74%	75%	70%	67%	72%	69%	73%
Republicans	74%	76%	71%	70%	70%	61%	63%	54%	43%	55%	53%	55%	76%	64%	65%	64%	65%	70%	66%	59%	66%	64%	67%	70%
Women	67%	73%	66%	62%	60%	58%	55%	50%	41%	46%	48%	46%	72%	72%	74%	71%	69%	67%	71%	67%	64%	67%	66%	72%
Age 55+	62%	73%	66%	60%	58%	58%	53%	48%	38%	48%	47%	44%	70%	71%	72%	64%	60%	62%	59%	58%	60%	62%	57%	63%
New York State	67%	72%	65%	62%	60%	58%	54%	48%	40%	49%	49%	47%	72%	72%	70%	64%	63%	64%	63%	60%	60%	63%	61%	65%
Under age 55	74%	72%	65%	63%	63%	60%	55%	49%	44%	51%	50%	54%	75%	72%	67%	65%	68%	69%	68%	64%	62%	65%	67%	67%
Men	68%	72%	64%	62%	60%	60%	52%	46%	41%	52%	49%	50%	69%	69%	65%	58%	58%	60%	56%	53%	55%	58%	56%	57%
Higher Income	68%	68%	61%	59%	58%	57%	48%	45%	38%	46%	46%	47%	67%	66%	62%	58%	59%	57%	54%	54%	56%	57%	54%	58%
Democrats	63%	67%	60%	57%	57%	55%	48%	45%	39%	44%	43%	44%	67%	69%	68%	65%	63%	60%	60%	59%	59%	64%	59%	66%
Metro NYC	62%	65%	60%	56%	54%	54%	47%	40%	37%	45%	45%	43%	71%	69%	70%	65%	63%	63%	63%	59%	58%	63%	62%	64%

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Upstate NY	160	168	149	141	142	135	130	124	96	112	108	108	148	151	138	130	128	134	127	128	127	126	123	133
Lower Income	137	154	148	138	132	126	125	111	95	110	110	105	158	157	158	149	143	148	150	140	134	144	140	146
Republicans	128	154	143	143	141	123	129	111	89	110	109	110	153	128	132	129	129	140	131	119	132	130	135	142
Age 55+	138	149	134	124	120	119	110	100	81	100	97	91	141	142	144	129	121	125	119	118	120	125	116	127
Women	135	147	135	128	125	120	115	105	87	96	101	95	148	146	148	142	138	136	142	135	129	134	133	144
New York State	142	147	132	127	123	120	111	100	84	102	101	98	145	145	141	130	128	130	127	121	121	127	124	130
Men	137	146	130	125	121	121	106	94	83	107	100	103	138	139	131	117	116	121	113	108	112	117	114	114
Under age 55	149	144	132	129	128	122	112	102	89	105	104	110	150	145	135	131	137	137	137	129	125	130	134	135
Higher Income	136	138	123	118	118	116	98	92	78	93	92	95	133	132	125	116	91	115	109	108	114	114	109	116
Democrats	128	137	123	119	118	113	100	92	81	92	89	92	137	139	136	131	127	121	120	119	119	127	118	133
Metro NYC	129	132	122	117	111	112	99	86	78	95	95	91	143	139	141	132	127	127	127	118	117	127	125	128

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Republicans	64%	59%	55%	52%	55%	55%	54%	40%	40%	42%	44%	46%
Women	58%	60%	56%	51%	49%	48%	48%	41%	36%	40%	41%	40%
Age 55+	52%	59%	57%	48%	45%	45%	42%	38%	32%	39%	39%	35%
New York State	57%	59%	55%	49%	47%	47%	45%	38%	34%	40%	39%	39%
Under age 55	63%	59%	52%	50%	50%	51%	48%	39%	36%	41%	41%	45%
Men	55%	59%	53%	47%	45%	47%	41%	34%	32%	40%	38%	38%
Higher Income	55%	56%	50%	45%	44%	44%	39%	34%	32%	36%	35%	37%
Democrats	52%	54%	50%	46%	44%	42%	39%	35%	32%	37%	35%	35%
Metro NYC	52%	54%	52%	45%	44%	43%	39%	32%	31%	37%	36%	36%

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Democrats	133	138	129	125	123	117	106	106	100	109	104	112
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